



# Image Recognition Challenge for Rooms (from Microsoft)

**Group 4**



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# 1 Smart accommodation (Smart acc.) - Demo

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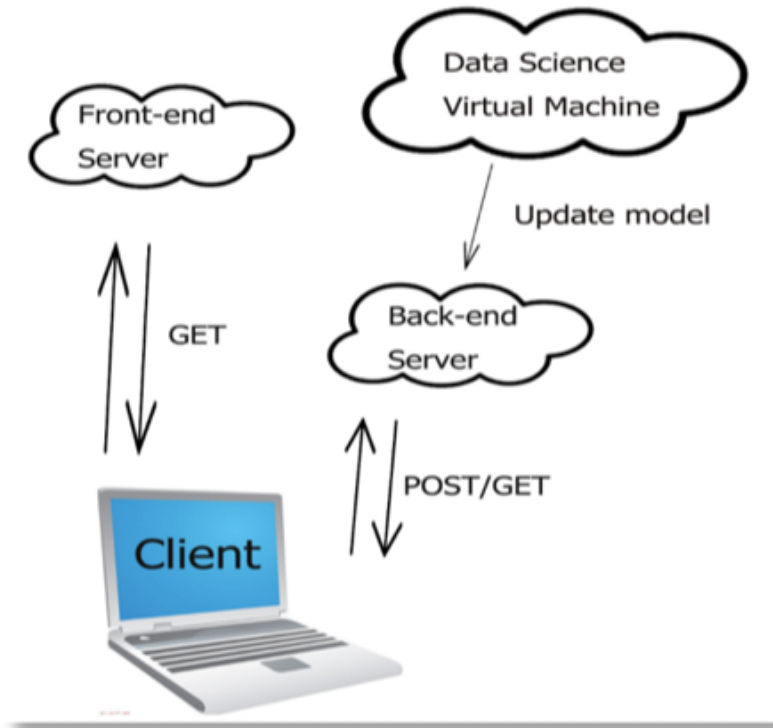
Room Three

300 GBP/week

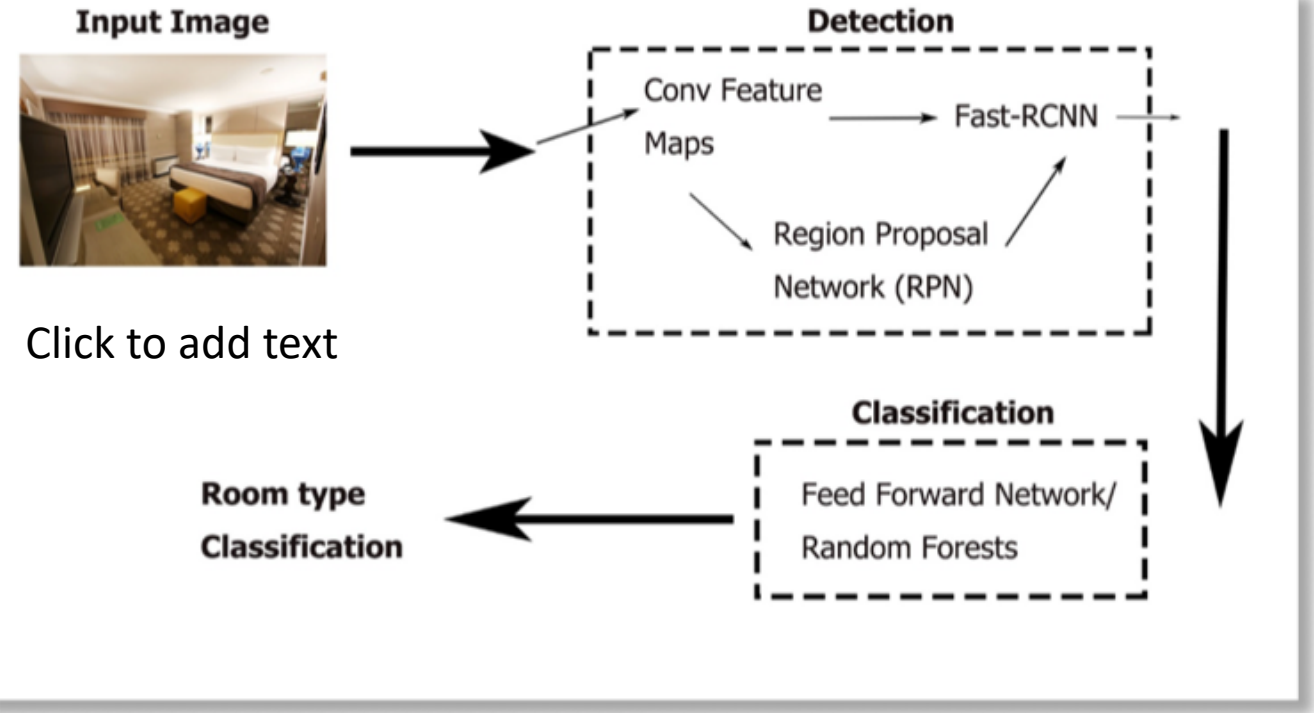
close to shopping malls



# Architecture - high level view



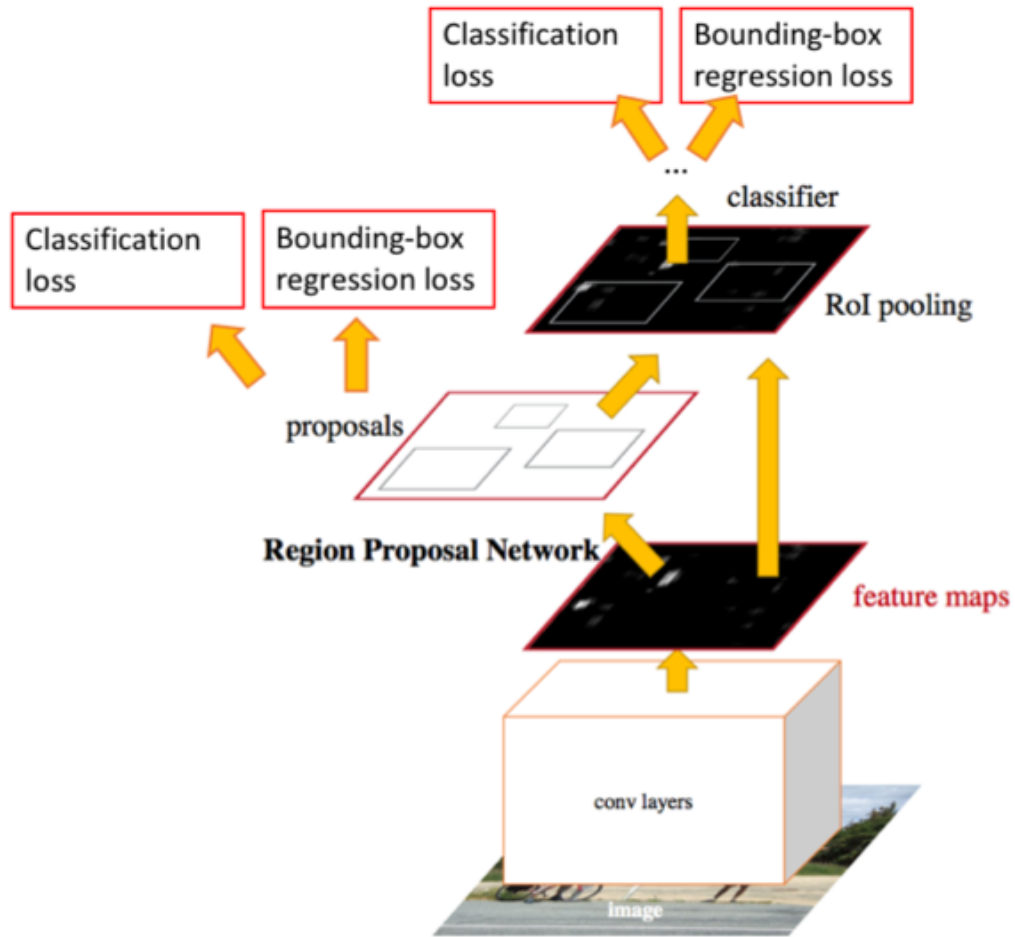
© Web application architecture



© Detection system architecture



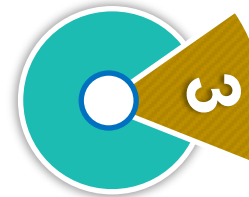
## Object detector - Detector



**Feature extractor :**  
Extract convolutional features



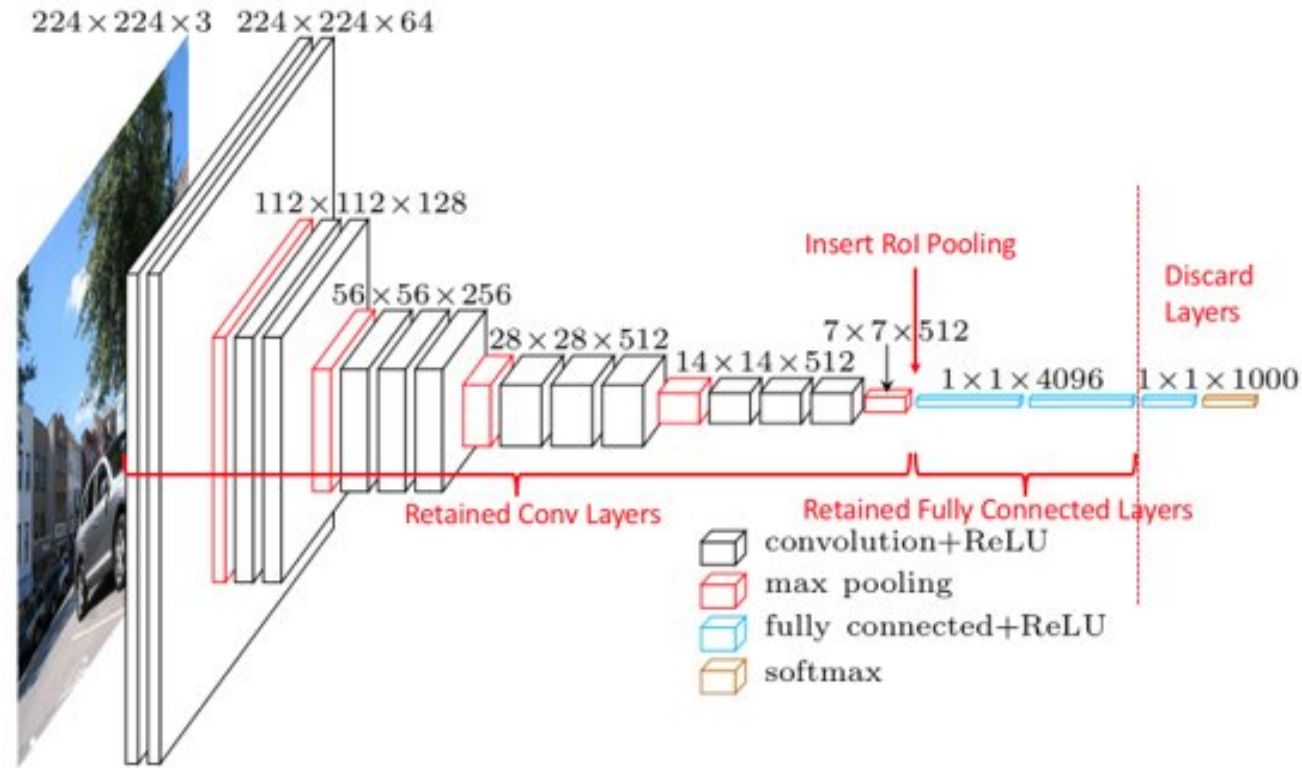
**Region proposal network:**  
Generate region proposals



**Classifier:**  
Final prediction and refine the coordinates of the bounding box



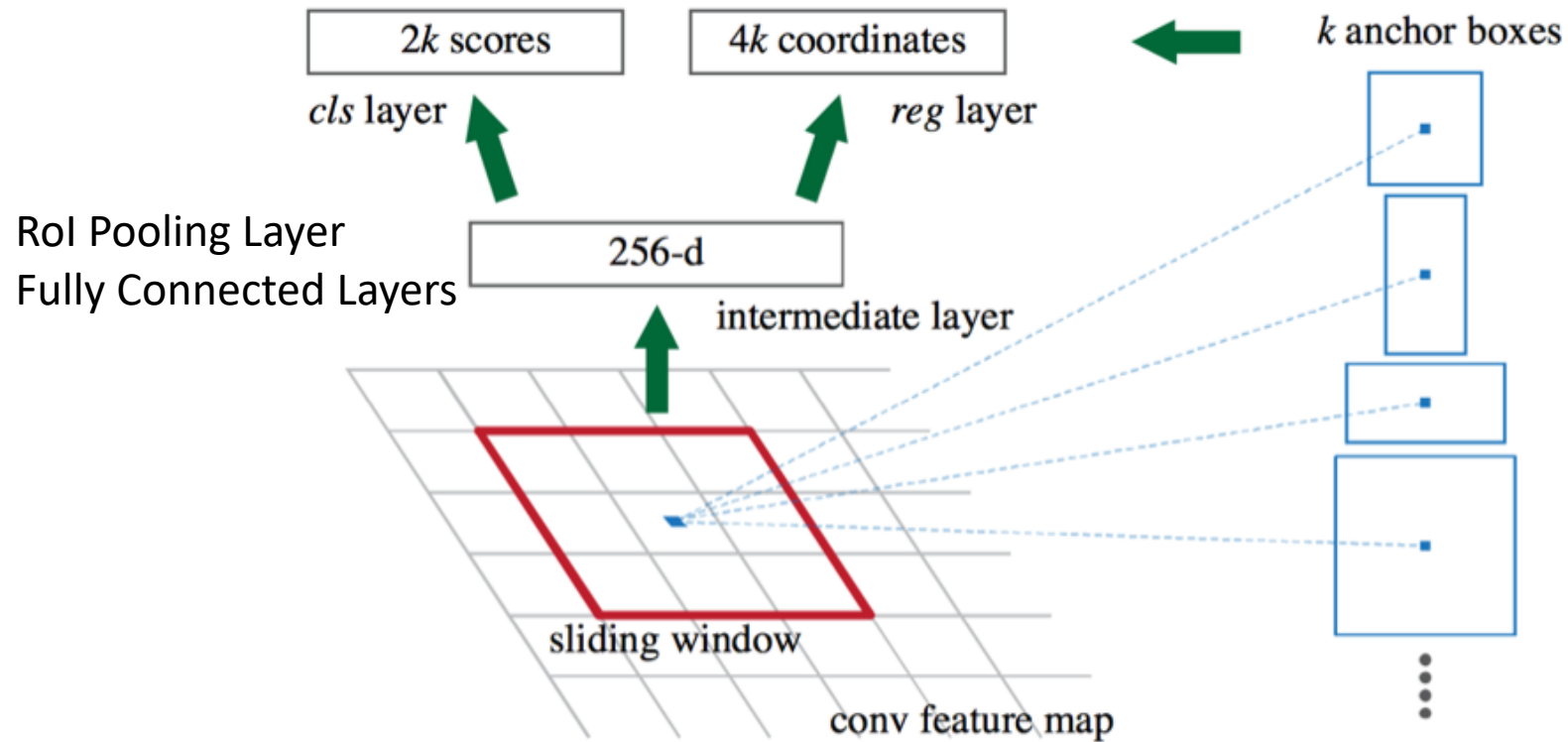
## Object detector – Feature Extractor



Source: <https://www.cs.toronto.edu/~frossard/post/vgg16/>



## Object detector - RPN Anchor

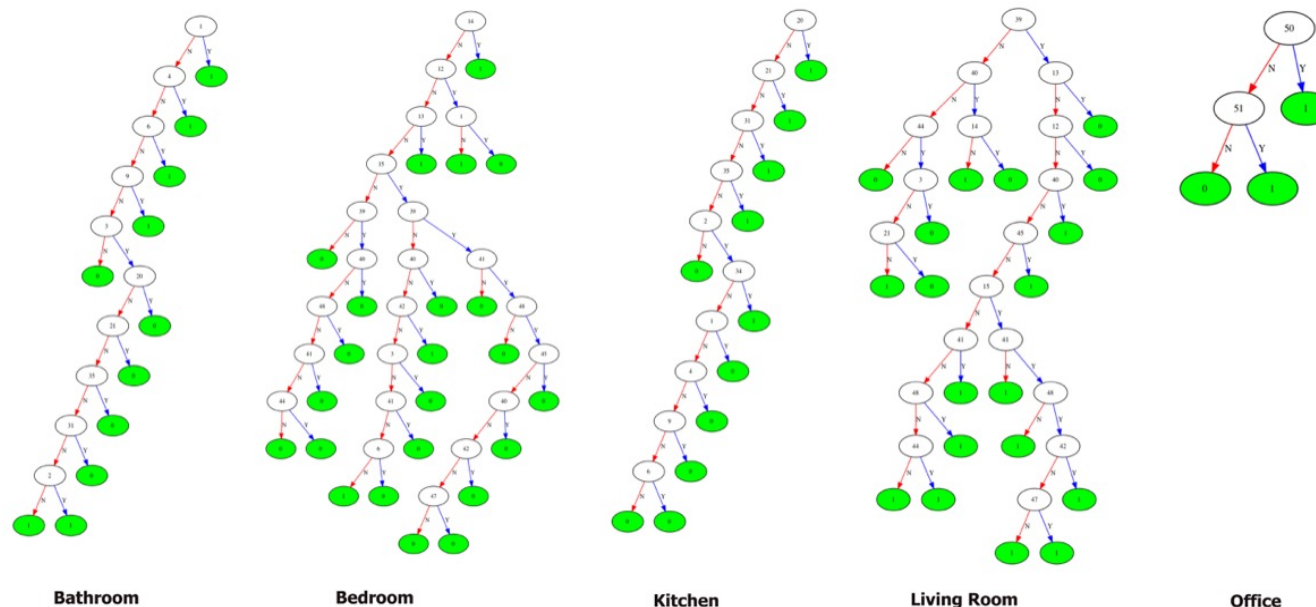
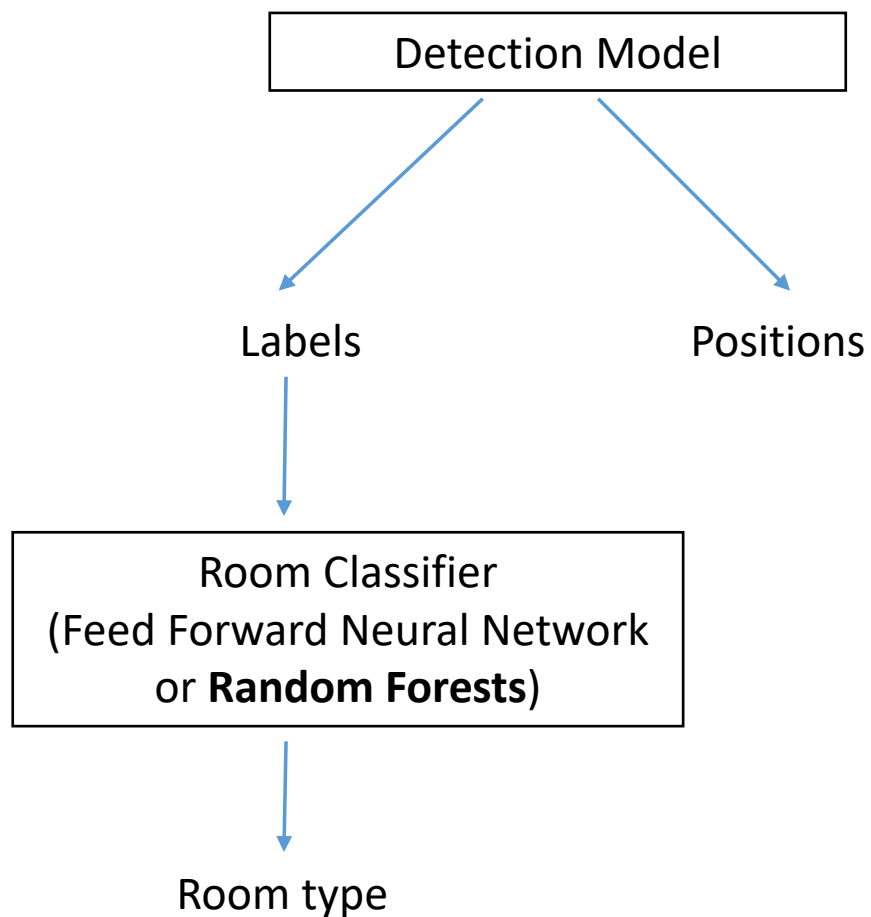


Source: Faster-RCNN

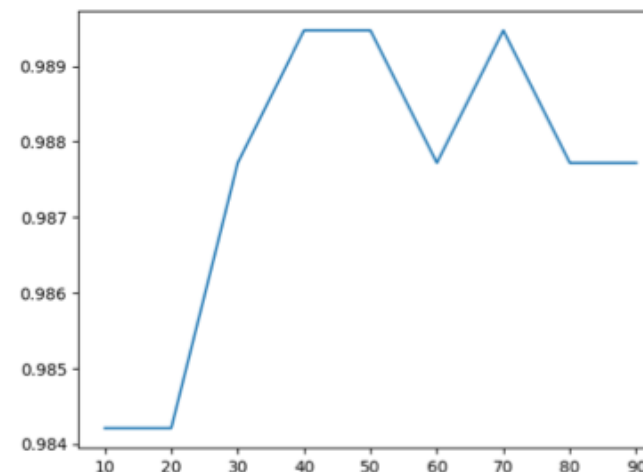




# Room classification

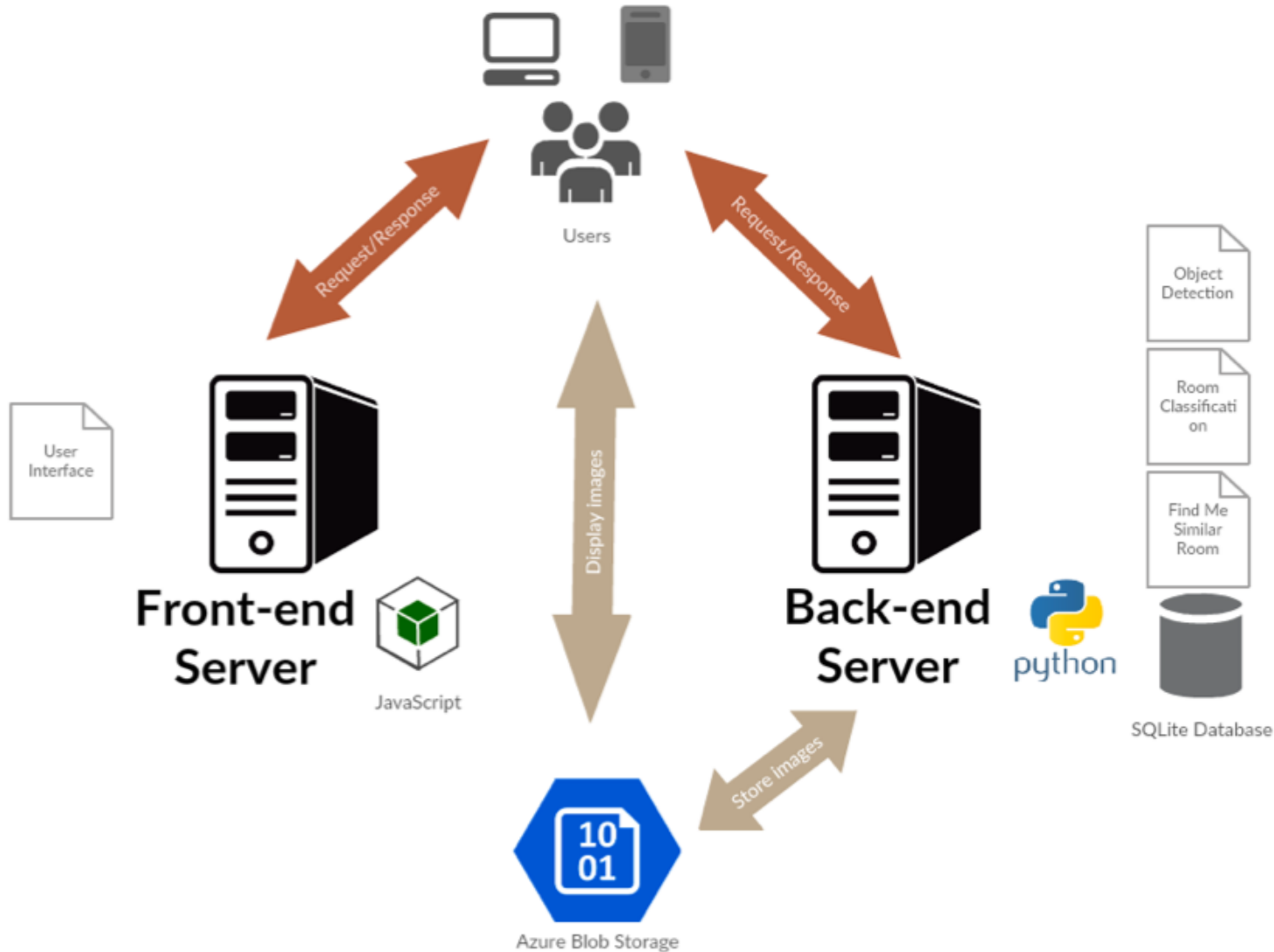


Tree Visualisation



The number of trees vs. classification rate

## 4 Web application



### Front-end Server

- UI element
- Implementing React library

### Back-end Server

- Relational database/machine learning model deployment
- Implementing Flask-RESTful API
- User authentication



# Problems and challenges – Web application

## Web application

a

### Adaptable user interface

Problem:

- Adapt UI across different screen sizes

Solution:

- CSS media size query function

b

### High response time

Problem:

- Long-running process

Solution:

- Multithreading

# Problems and challenges – Machine learning

**01****Base model adaptation**

**Problem:**  
How to adapt new base model

**Solution:**

- Slice the base model
- Fit the output of the final conv layer with the input of the remaining layer.

Source: soft-NMS

**02****Hyper-parameters**

**Problem:**  
Search optimal hyper-parameters

- Long training time
- Thousands of possible hyper-parameter values

**Solution:**

- Bayesian Optimization
- Gaussian Process
- Expected Improvement

**03****Duplicated Boxes**

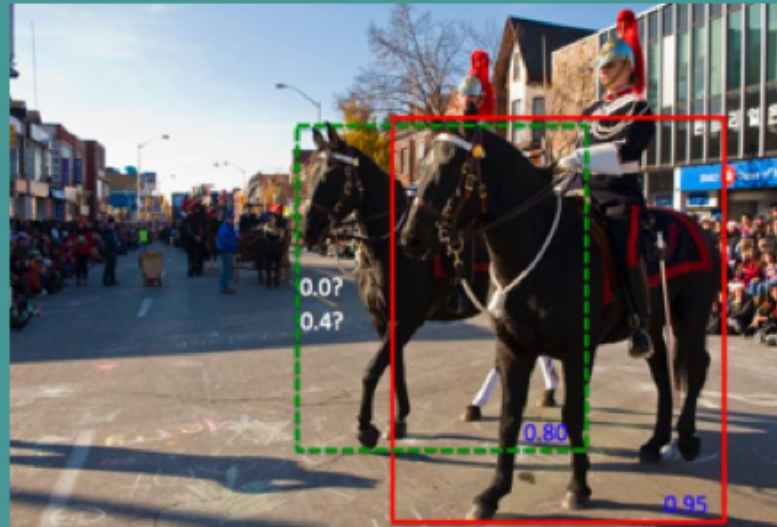
**Problem:**  
How to keep the correct detection boxes which are overlapped.

**Solution:**

- Soft-NMS: Gradually decay on the detection score.

136,797,594 parameters need to be updated & 6 hours training

## Soft-NMS:



$$s_i = \begin{cases} s_i, & IoU < Threshold \\ s_i(1 - IoU), & IoU \geq Threshold \end{cases}$$



## Conclusions and evaluation

### Web App

1. Web application deployment
2. Machine learning model integration
3. Additional features

### Detection system

1. Faster-RCNN improvement
2. Hyperparameter optimization
3. NMS algorithm improvement
4. Dataset enhancement



# Thank you!

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