

Super resolution NNs

One line description of super-rez NNs



Low res

NN



High res

Easy things first

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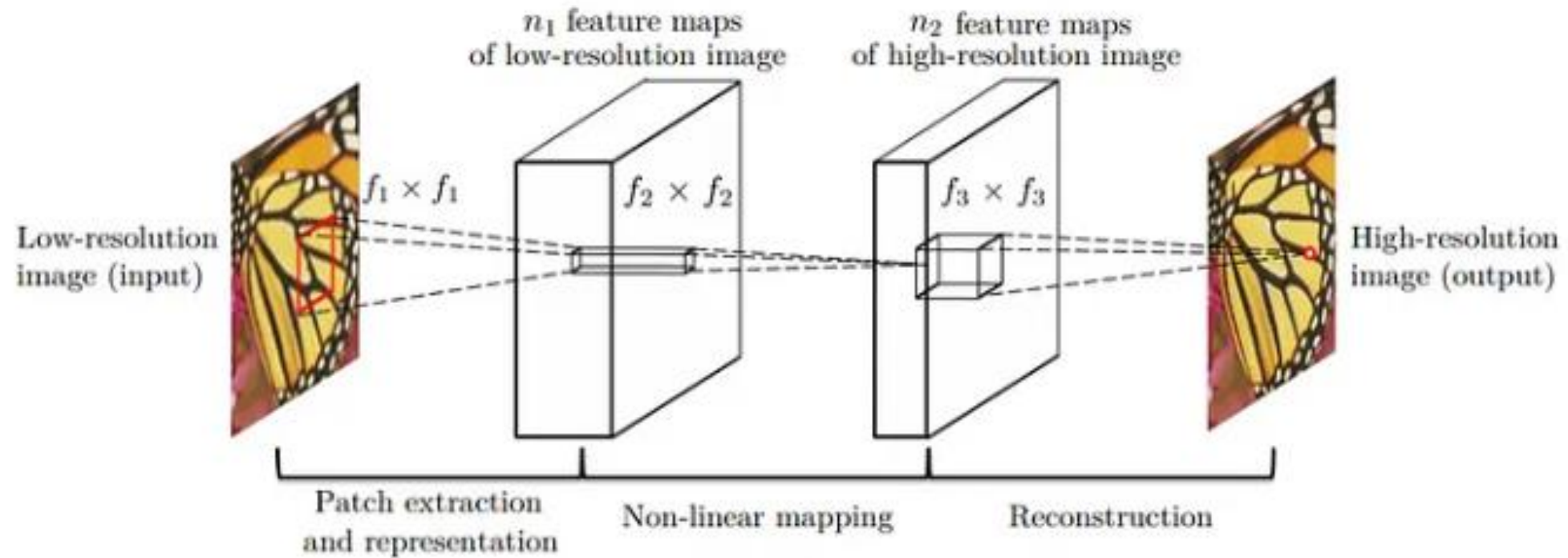
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For the pairs (x_i, y_i) and a fit a model $x_i \rightarrow f(x_i)$ with the regression loss function $L = ||f(x_i) - y_i||$
Which penalizes the deviation of the prediction $f(x_i)$ from the original super rez image y_i

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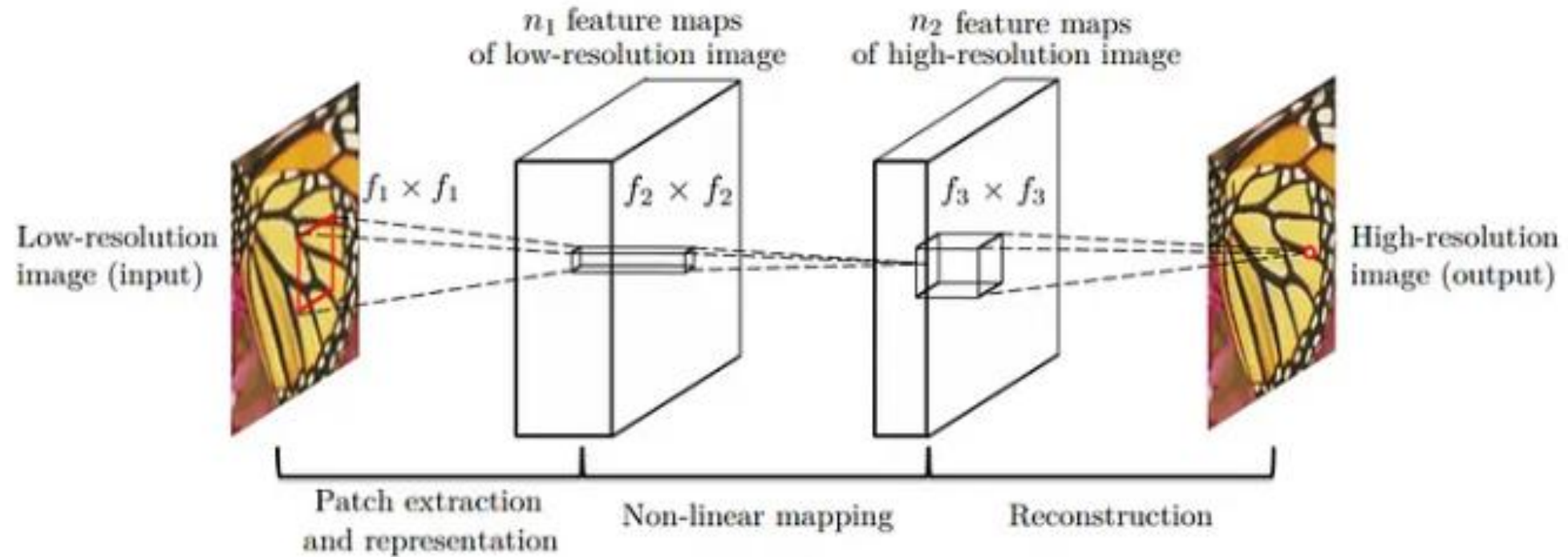
SRCNN



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Key point about the architecture : it has to move the volume of the input to the volume of the output via a sequence of other volumes to perform the computations : it has to be a fully-conv network!

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To answer HW2 last question read: [SRCNN](#)