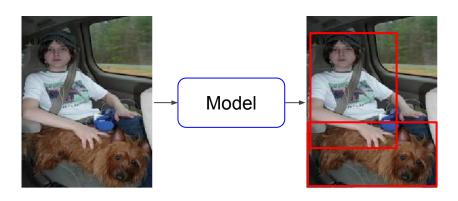
# Learning Deep Features for Discriminative Localization

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#### **Motivation**

- 1) Weakly-Supervised Localization
  - Need for an end-to-end model
  - Fast inference at test time



#### 2) CNN Visualization Techniques

 Easy to implement and understand CNN visualization



#### Related Work

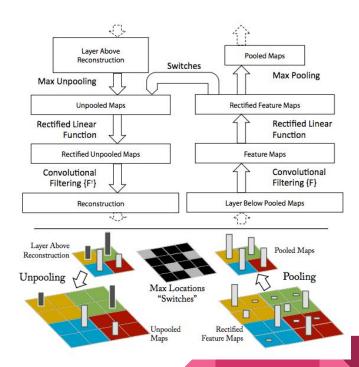
#### 1) Weakly-Supervised Localization



Re-localization and refinement

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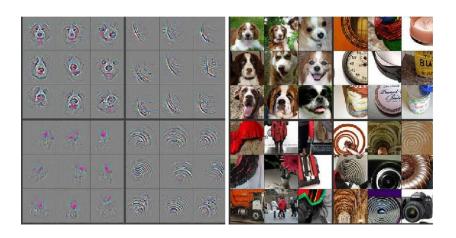
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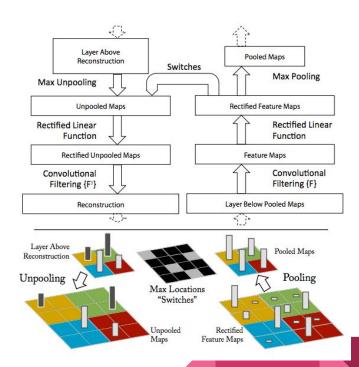


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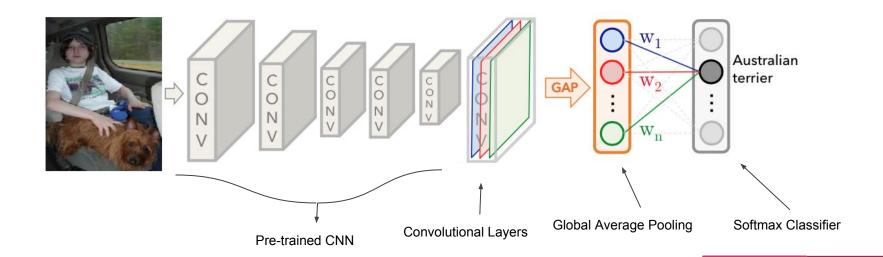
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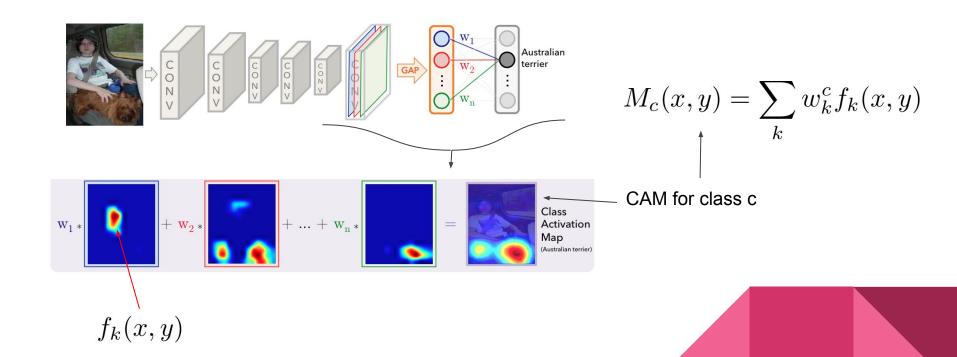


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## Methodology - Global Average Pooling Model

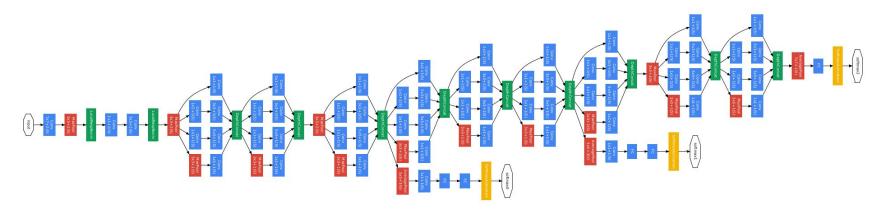


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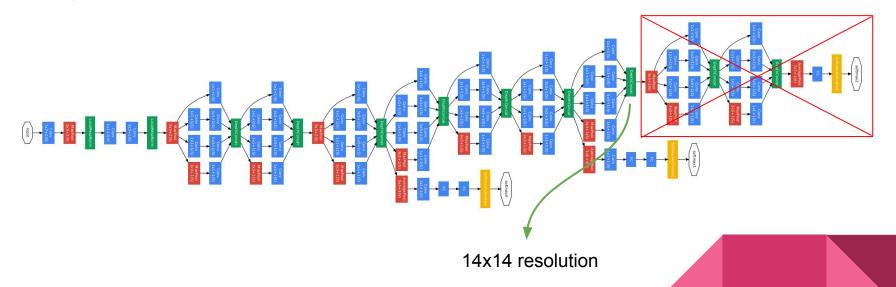
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GoogleNet Network Setup

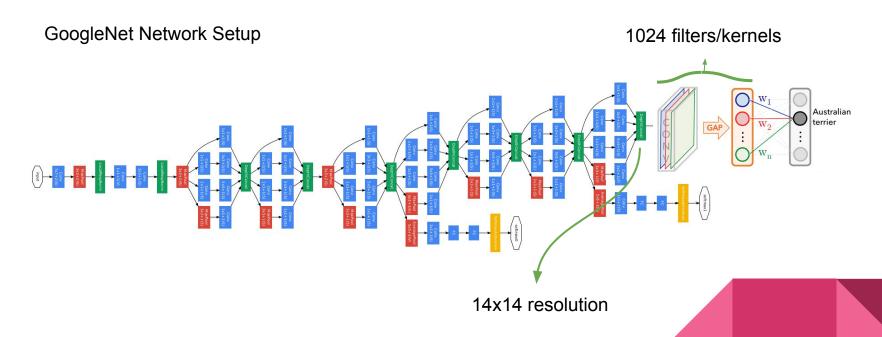


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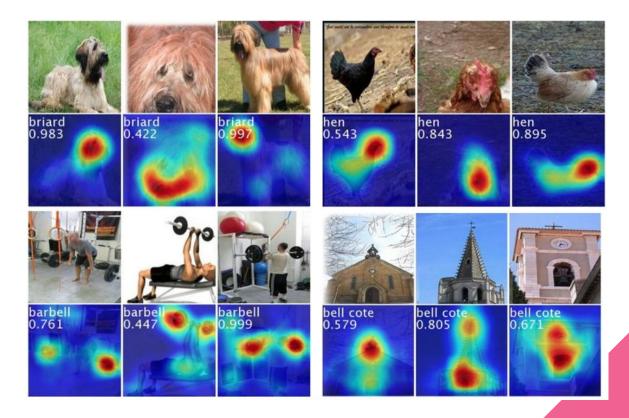
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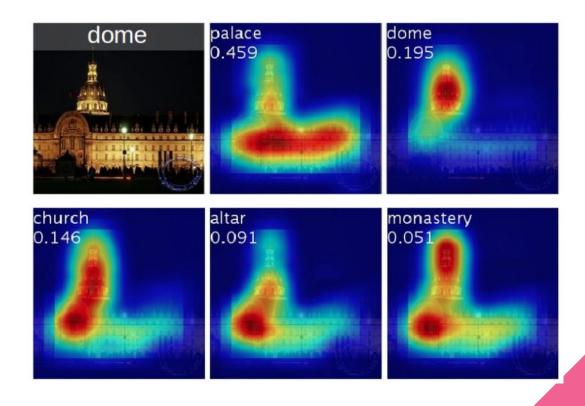
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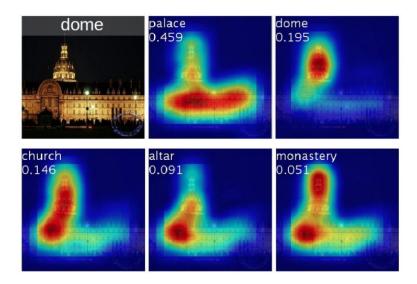
#### **Results - Classification**

Table 1. Classification error on the ILSVRC validation set.

Networks	top-1 val. error	top-5 val. error
VGGnet-GAP	33.4	12.2
GoogLeNet-GAP	35.0	13.2
AlexNet*-GAP	44.9	20.9
AlexNet-GAP	51.1	26.3
GoogLeNet	31.9	11.3
VGGnet	31.2	11.4
AlexNet	42.6	19.5
NIN	41.9	19.6
GoogLeNet-GMP	35.6	13.9

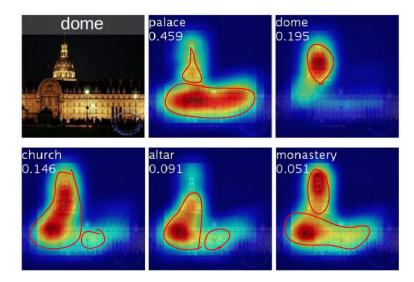
- Small performance drop during classification.
- GAP works slightly better than GMP during classification.

For each CAM on the top-5 predicted categories.



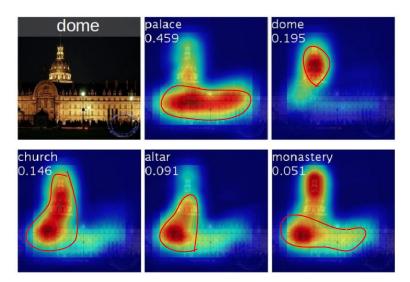
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1) Threshold the heatmap. Select regions with values > 20% of max heat.



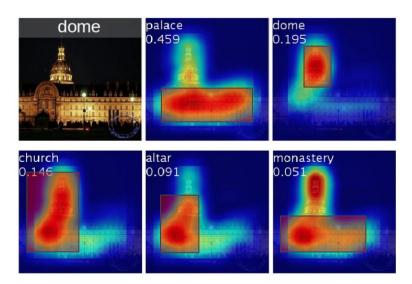
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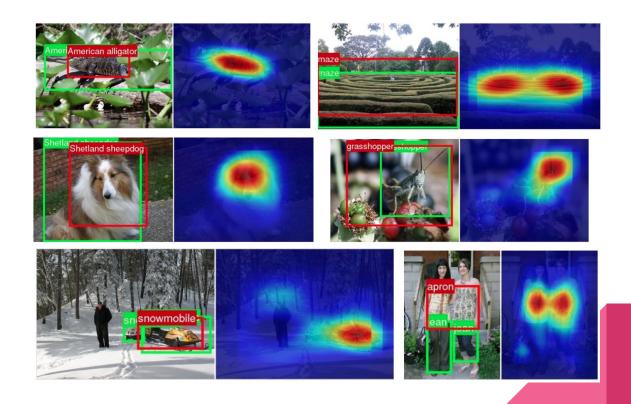


For each CAM on the top-5 predicted categories.

- 1) Threshold the heatmap. Select regions with values > 20% of max heat.
- 2) Get biggest connected component.
- 3) Generate BBox covering the component



## Results - Bounding Box Generation Examples



### **Results - Bounding Box Generation**

Table 2. Localization error on the ILSVRC validation set. *Back-prop* refers to using [22] for localization instead of CAM.

top-1 val.error	top-5 val. error
56.40	43.00
57.20	45.14
60.09	49.34
63.75	49.53
67.19	52.16
65.47	54.19
61.31	50.55
61.12	51.46
65.17	52.64
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Table 3. Localization error on the ILSVRC test set for various weakly- and fully- supervised methods.

Method	supervision	top-5 test error
GoogLeNet-GAP (heuristics)	weakly	37.1
GoogLeNet-GAP	weakly	42.9
Backprop [22]	weakly	46.4
GoogLeNet [24]	full	26.7
OverFeat [21]	full	29.9
AlexNet [24]	full	34.2

 GAP, although is weakly trained, gets closer to the full supervision methods

**Heuristic:** select two bounding boxes (one tight and one loose) from the top 1st and 2nd predicted classes and one loose from the top 3rd predicted class.

- GAP works better than [22]
- GAP works slightly better than GMP during localization

[22] K. Simonyan, A. Vedaldi, and A. Zisserman. Deep inside convolutional networks: Visualising image classification models and saliency maps. *International Conference on Learning Representations Workshop*, 2014.

### Results - Fine-grained Recognition

#### Use a linear SVM on the extracted features



CUB200 Dataset, 200 bird classes

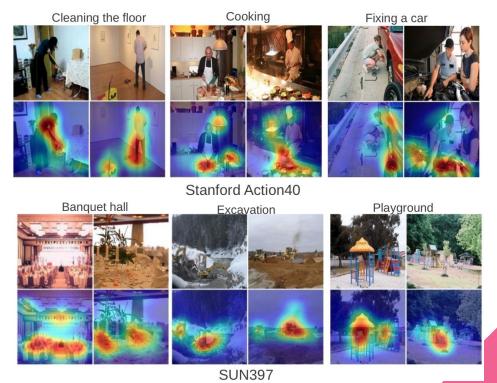
Table 4. Fine-grained classification performance on CUB200 dataset. GoogLeNet-GAP can successfully localize important image crops, boosting classification performance.

Methods	Train/Test Anno.	Accuracy
GoogLeNet-GAP on full image	n/a	63.0%
GoogLeNet-GAP on crop	n/a	67.8%
GoogLeNet-GAP on BBox	BBox	70.5%
Alignments [7]	n/a	53.6%
Alignments [7]	BBox	67.0%
DPD [31]	BBox+Parts	51.0%
DeCAF+DPD [3]	BBox+Parts	65.0%
PANDA R-CNN [30]	BBox+Parts	76.4%

- GAP weakly supervised gets comparable results (63.0%) to other methods
- Improves more (67.8%) if the localized crop is used again for classification
- Close to R-CNN (fully supervised) when using BBoxes for training (also fully supervised).

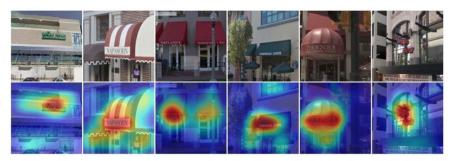
## Results - Pattern Discovery

Use a linear SVM on the extracted features



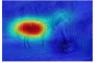
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#### **Text Detector**



#### Question answering







What is the color of the horse? Prediction: brown Prediction: texting





What is the sport? Prediction: skateboarding





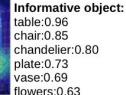
Prediction: on the grass

#### Concept localization



Frequent object: wall:0.99 chair:0.98 floor:0.98 table:0.98 ceiling:0.75 window:73





#### Conclusions

- They propose a **simple yet effective weakly-supervised** object localization method (CAM).
- Easy to interpret **visualization technique**.
- Easy to use on the top of a pre-trained CNN.
- With potential uses on several problems:
  - Classification
  - Localization
  - Concept detection
  - Activity recognition
  - Text detection
  - Q&A