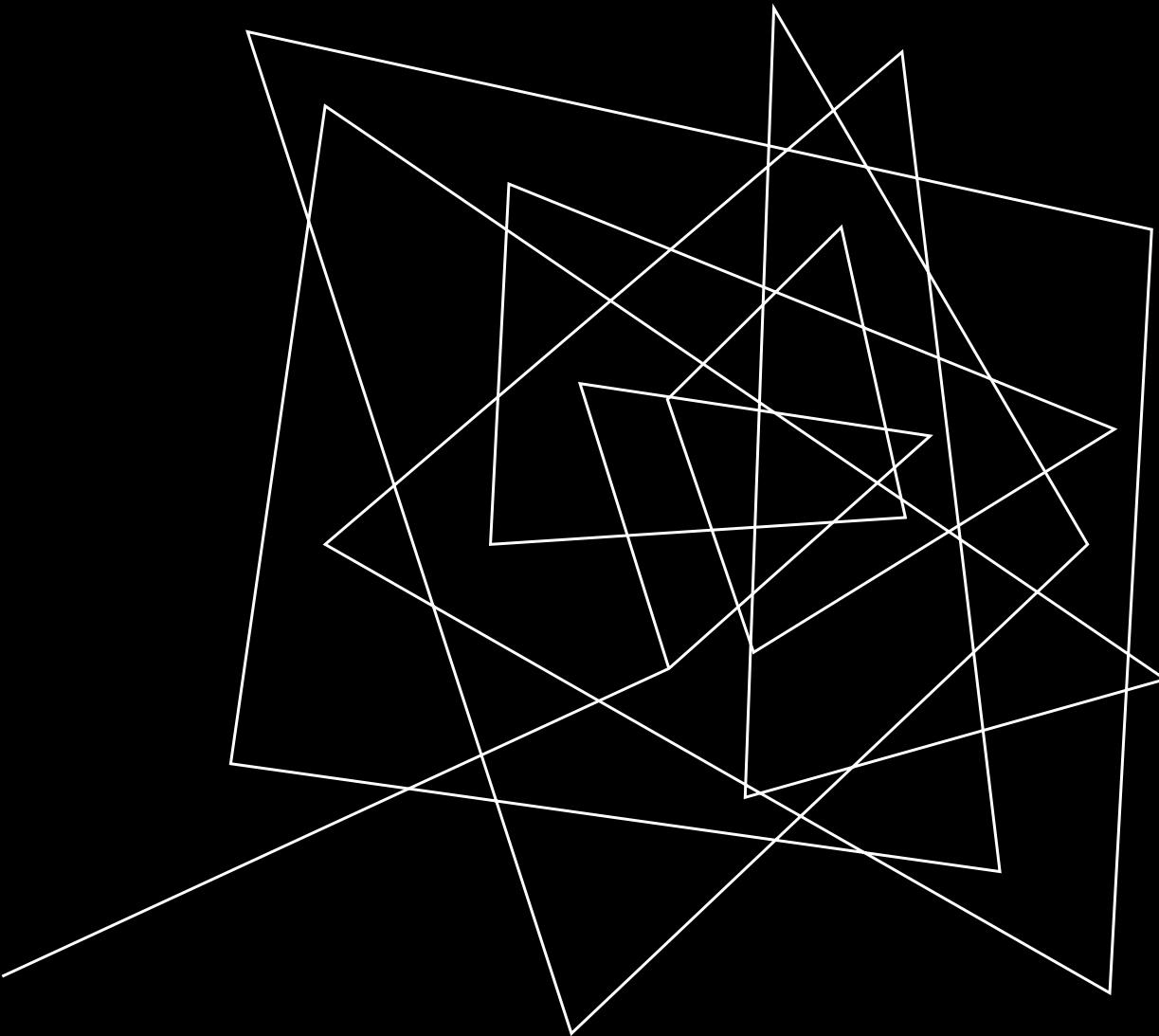


ENVIRONMENT-BASED TRANSFORMATION OF OUTDOOR IMAGES USING NEURAL NETWORKS

AGENDA

- Image-to-Image Translation
- The key Papers
- Training and Testing
- Comparing the Generated Images
- Conducting a Public Survey
- Results and Conclusion



A BRIEF INTRODUCTION:

“In this Project we have trained 37 models based on four papers dealing with Image-to-Image translation problem. Our Goal is to translate an image from one season to the other three seasons. We tested the models on unseen data and generated the outputs. To compare which network works best we conducted a Public Survey and asked participants to rate the images. By using the opinion of our participants, we will conclude which is the better network”



IMAGE TRANSLATION



IMAGE TO IMAGE TRANSLATION: EXAMPLE

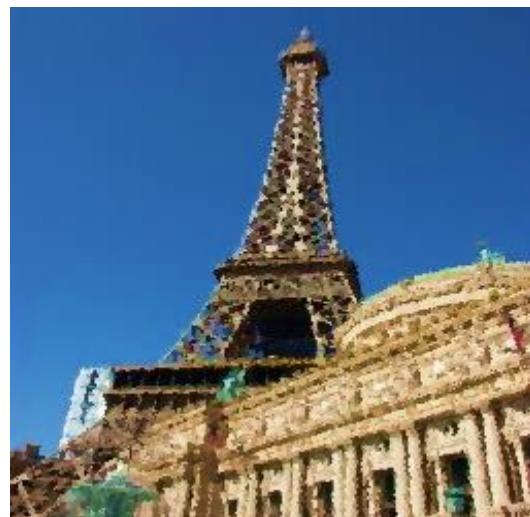


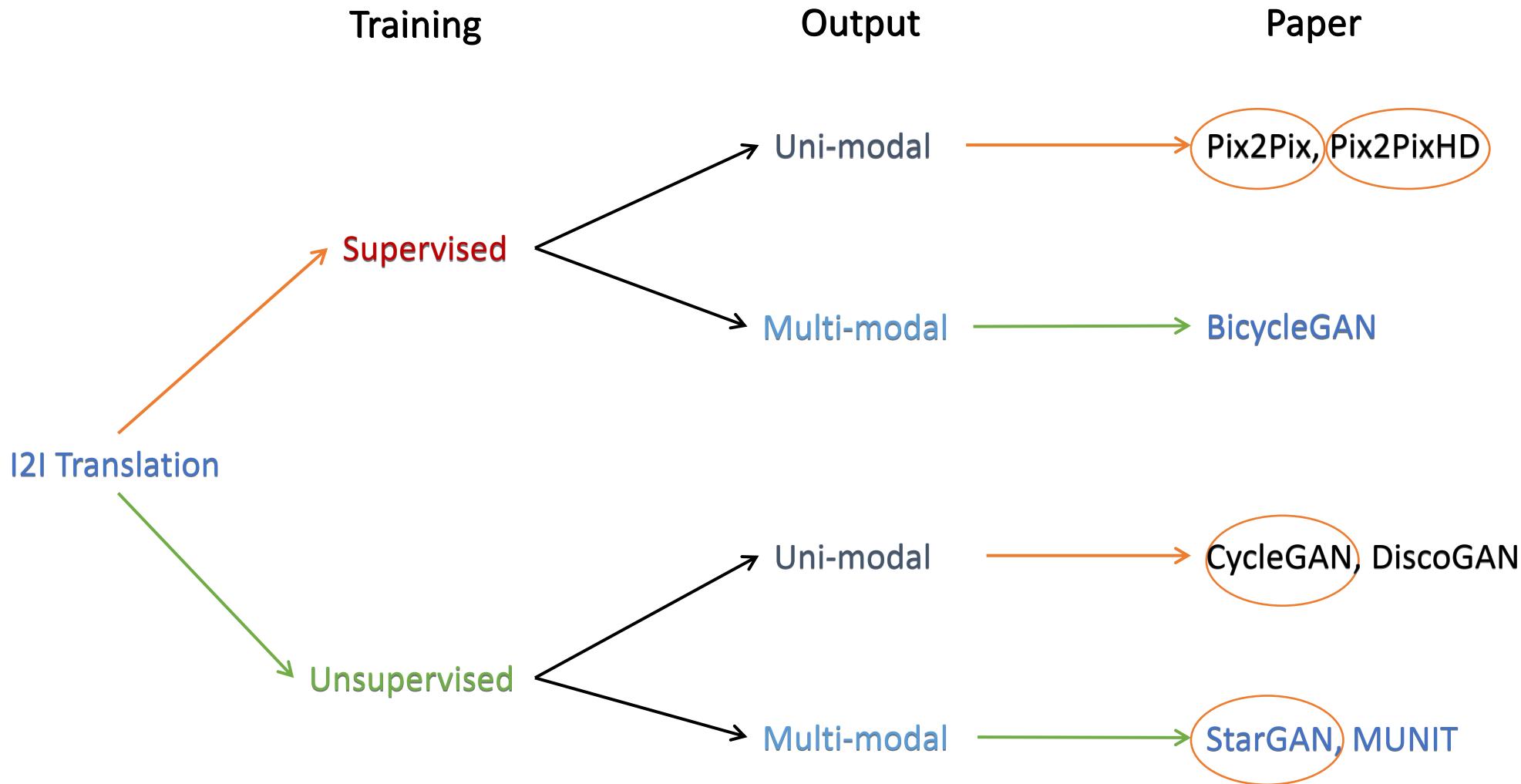
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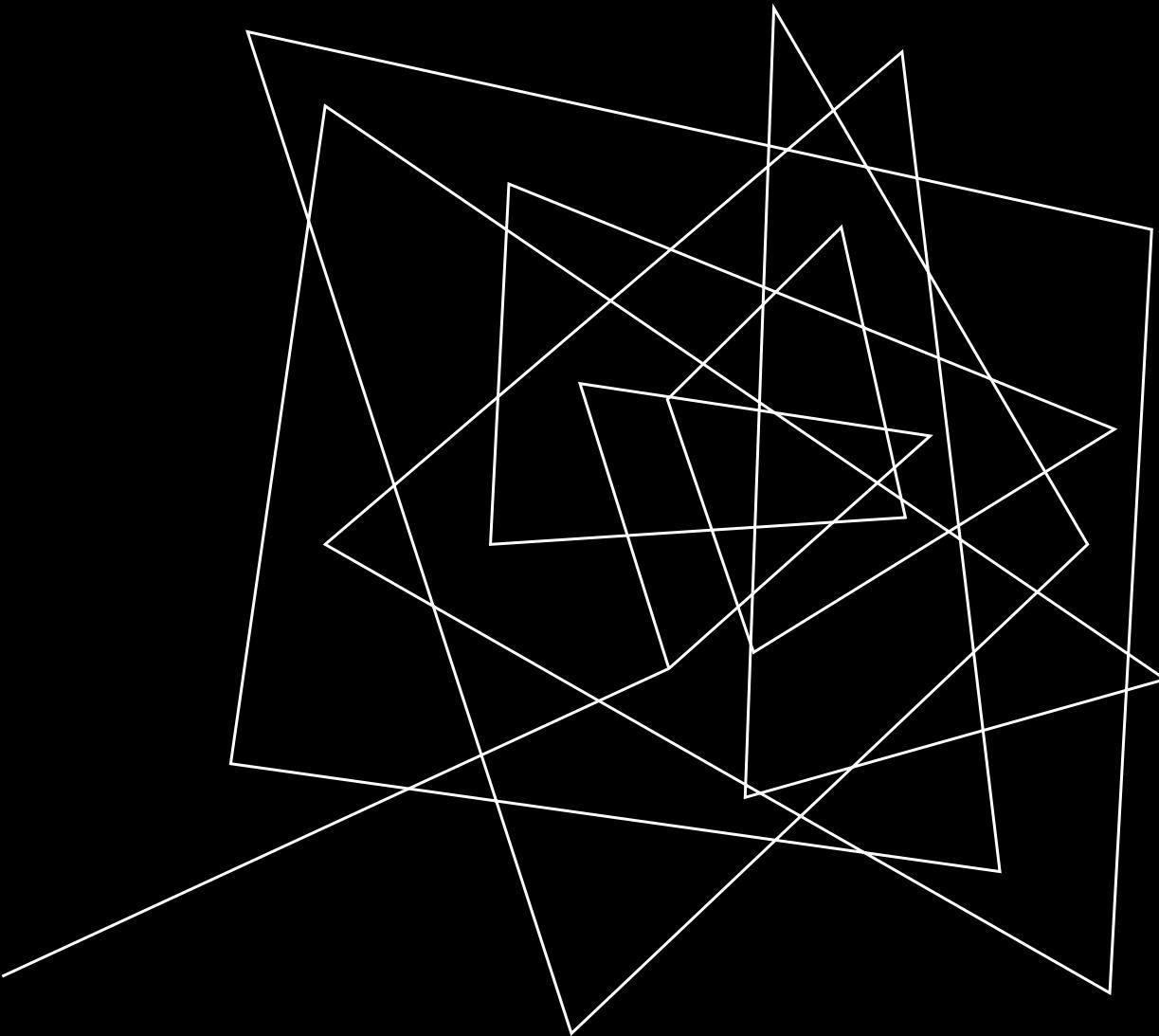


IMAGE TO IMAGE TRANSLATION: SEASONS



IMAGE TO IMAGE TRANSLATION USING GAN APPROACHES





THE NETWORKS

“We will briefly look into the network architectures. We will also see the generated images by the network on our test data”

SUPERVISED MODEL DATASET

For Supervised Models we need a Paired Dataset



Single-View Place Recognition under Seasonal Changes

SUPERVISED MODEL 1

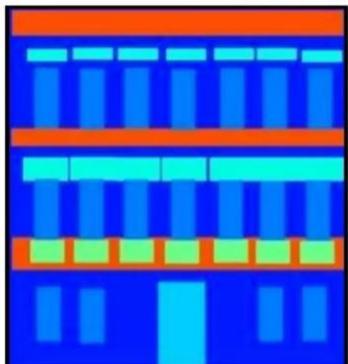
Image-to-Image Translation with Conditional Adversarial Networks

PIX2PIX

Phillip Isola, Jun-Yan Zhu, Tinghui Zhou, Alexei A. Efros

Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition 2016

Labels to Facade



input



output

BW to Color

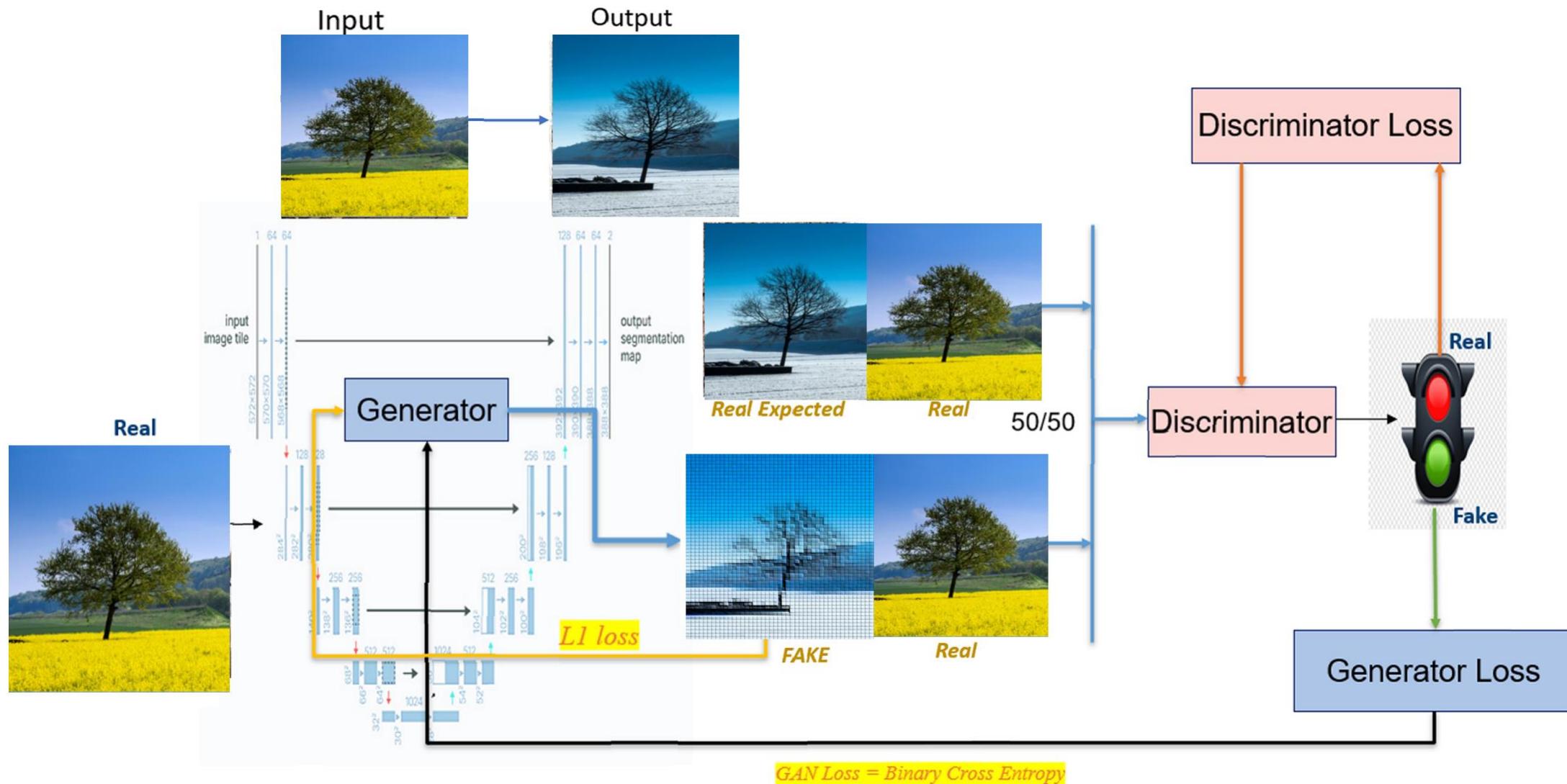


input



output

THE PIX2PIX NETWORK



Input

Summer

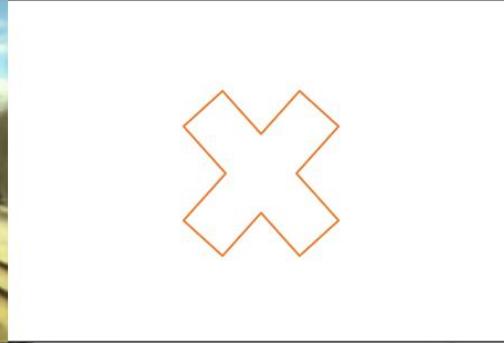
Winter

Spring

Autumn



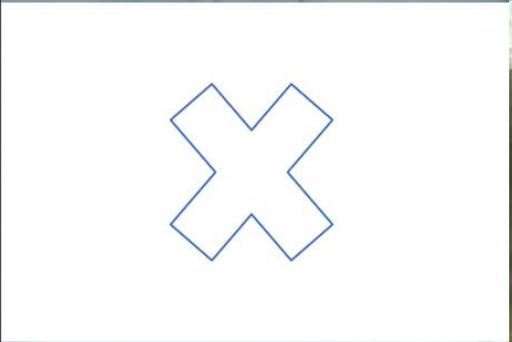
Autumn



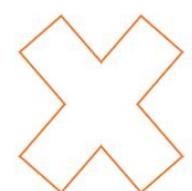
Spring



Winter



Summer



THE PIX2PIX NETWORK TEST



SUPERVISED MODEL 2

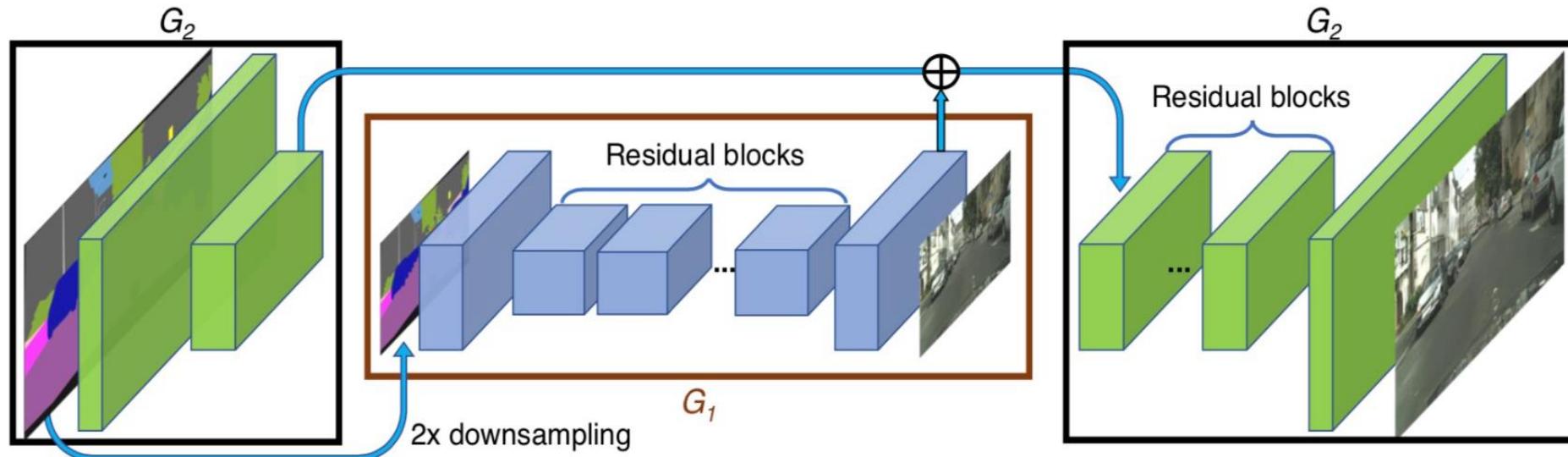
High-Resolution Image Synthesis and Semantic Manipulation with Conditional GANs PIX2PIXHD

Ting-Chun Wang , Ming-Yu Liu , Jun-Yan Zhu , Andrew Tao, Jan Kautz, Bryan Catanzaro

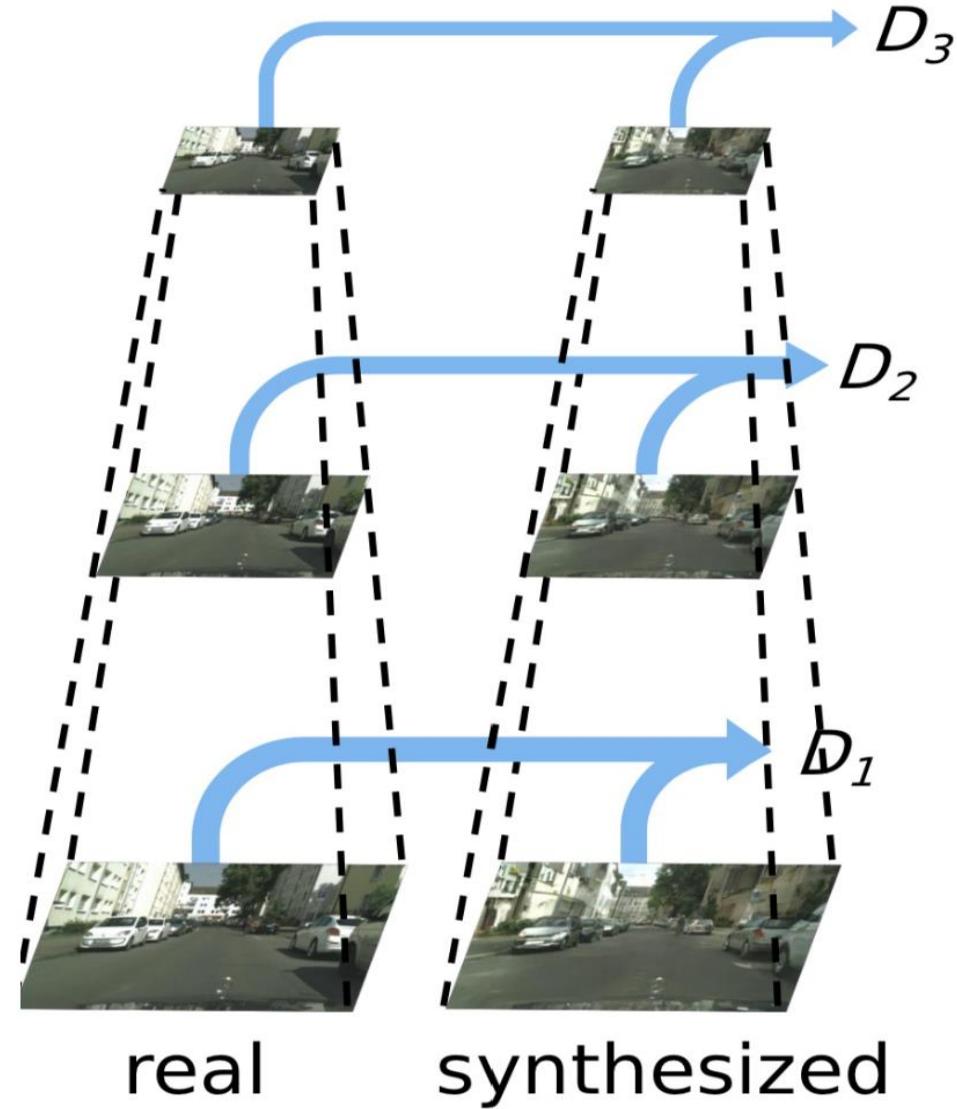
Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition 2017



THE PIX2PIXHD NETWORK



THE PIX2PIXHD NETWORK



***Multi-scale
Discriminators***

Input

Summer

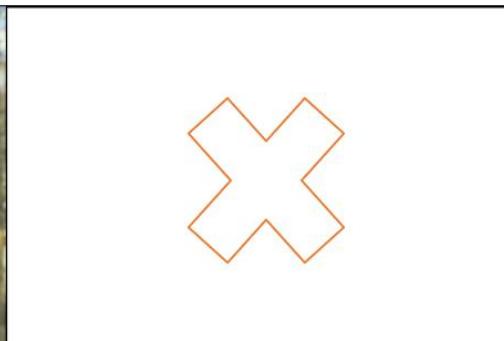
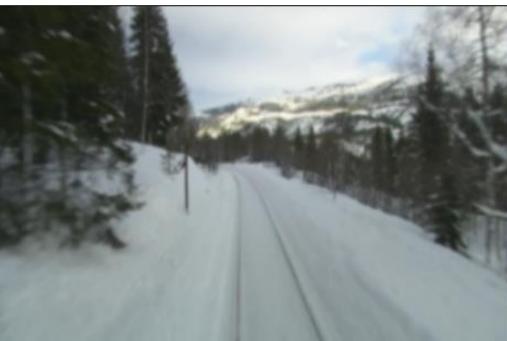
Winter

Spring

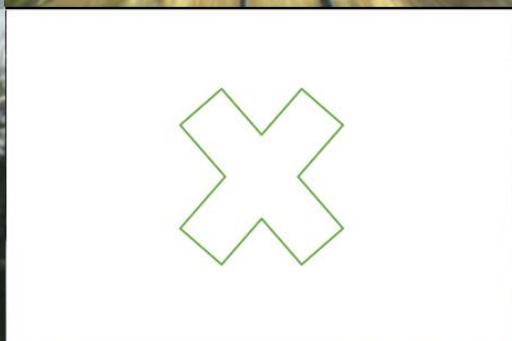
Autumn



Autumn



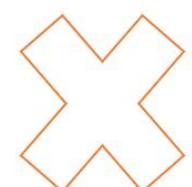
Spring



Winter

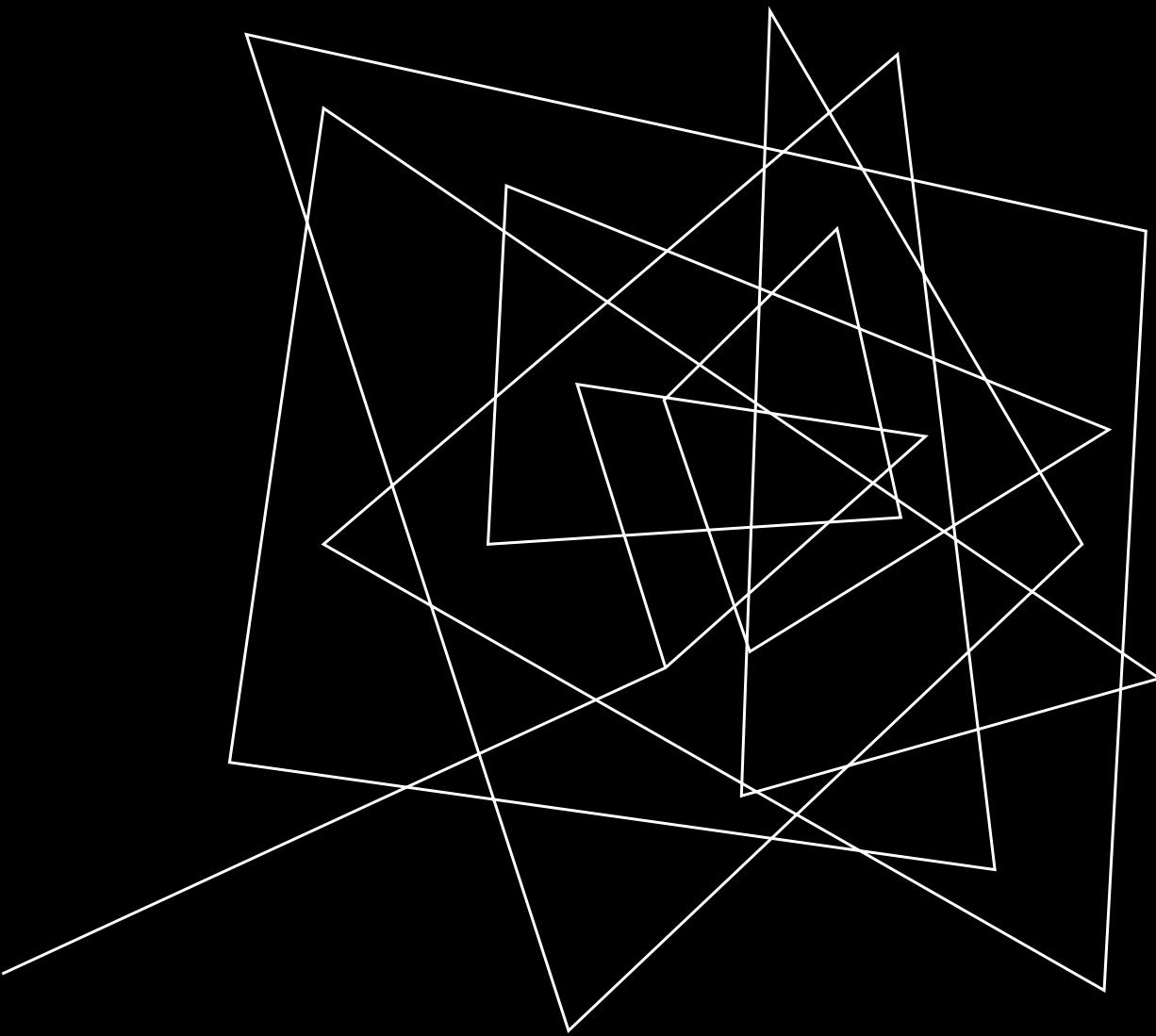


Summer



THE PIX2PIXHD NETWORK TEST UNSEEN TRAIN DATA





THE UNSUPERVISED NETWORKS

UNSUPERVISED MODEL DATASET

For unsupervised models we can use an unpaired dataset

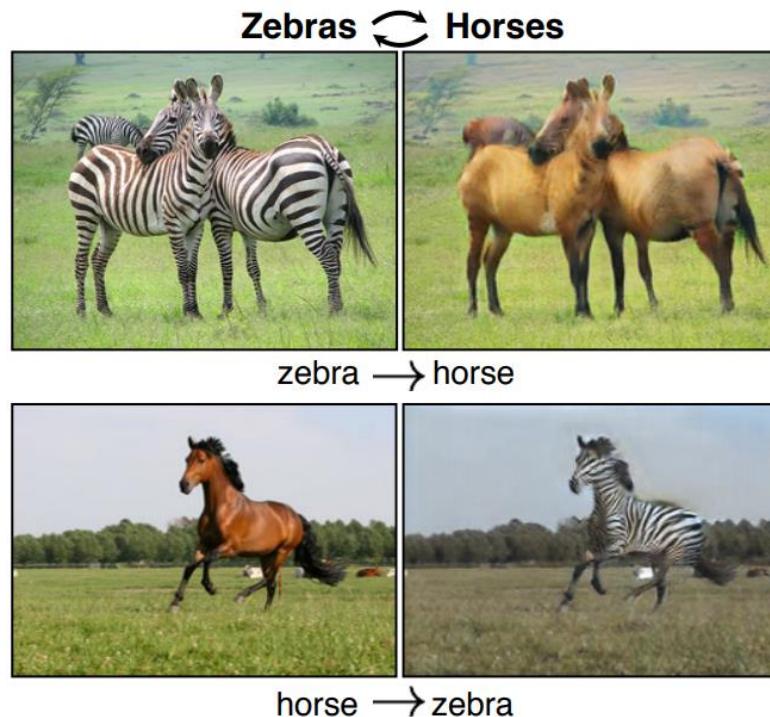


UNSUPERVISED MODEL 1

Unpaired Image-to-Image Translation using Cycle-Consistent Adversarial Networks CYCLEGAN

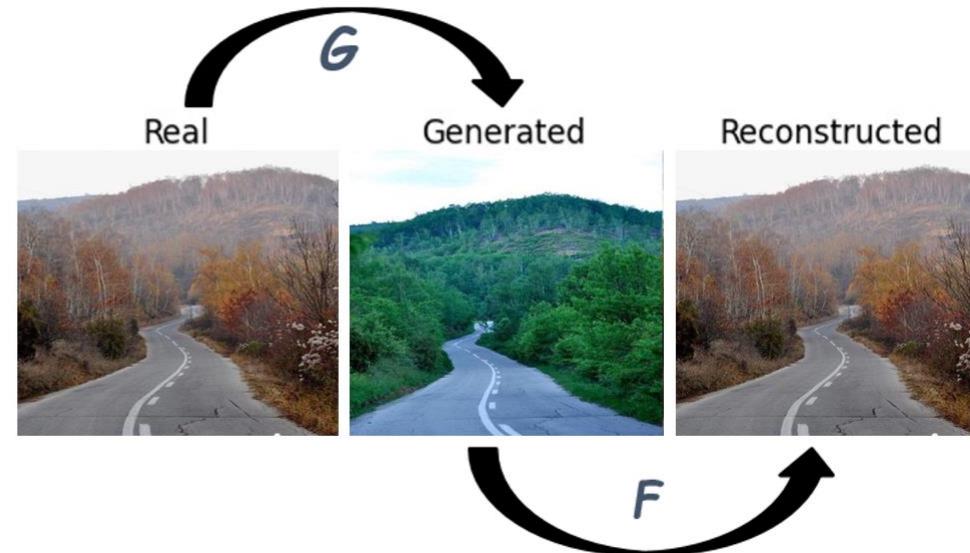
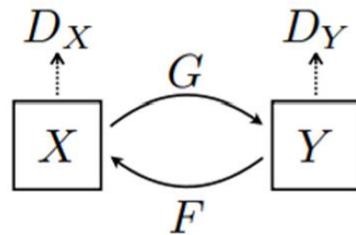
Jun-Yan Zhu, Taesung Park, Phillip Isola, Alexei A. Efros

IEEE International Conference on Computer Vision 2017

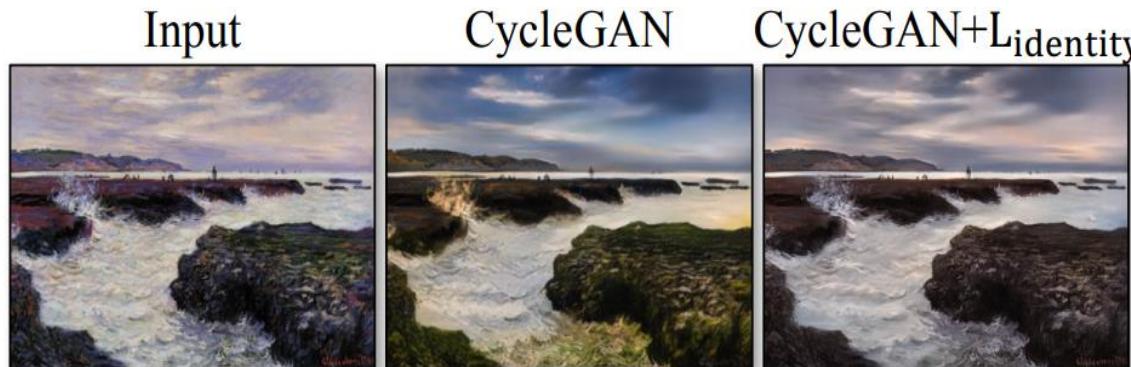


THE CYCLEGAN NETWORK

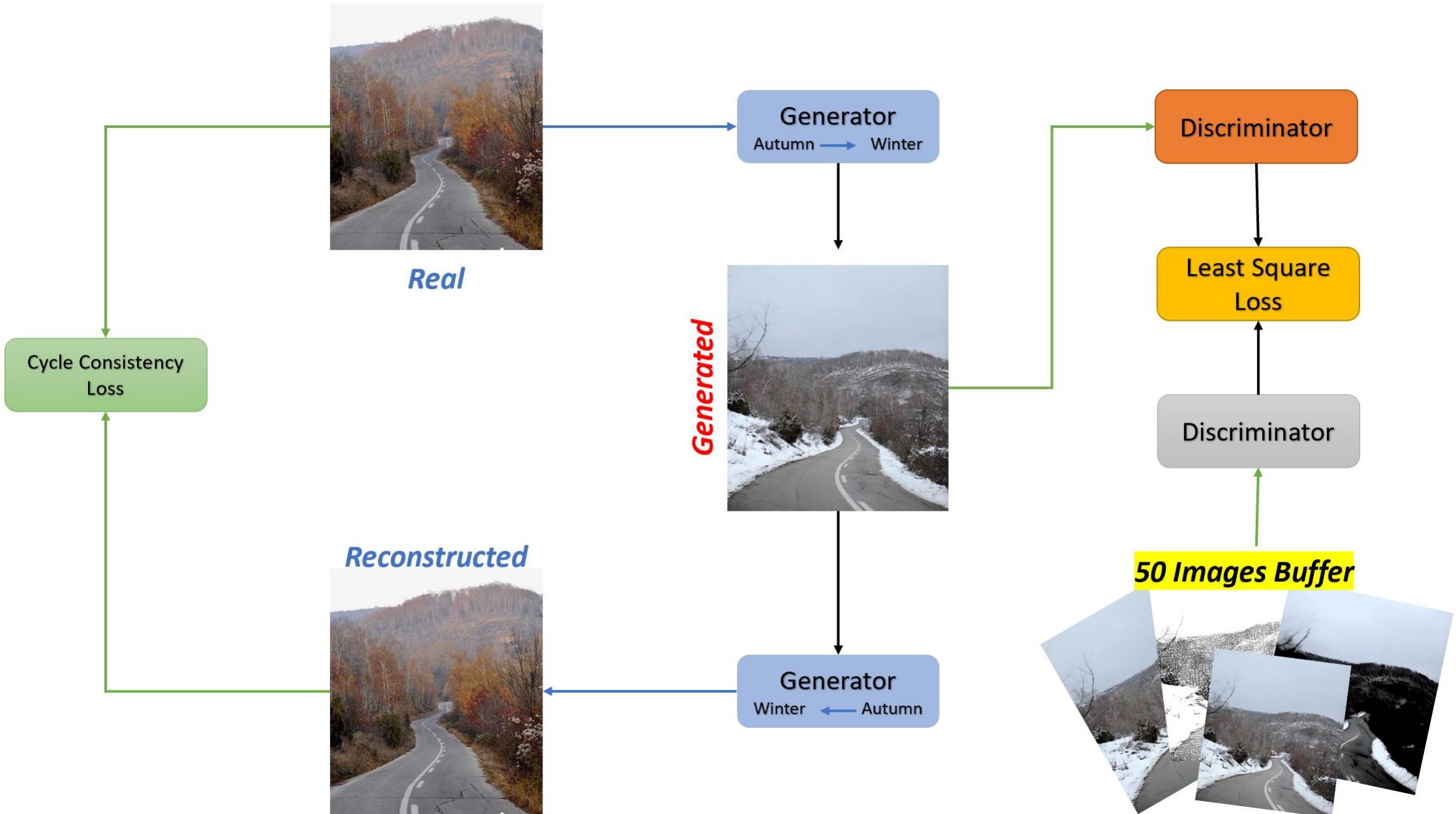
Cycle Consistency Loss



Identity Loss



THE CYCLEGAN NETWORK



Input

Summer

Winter

Spring

Autumn

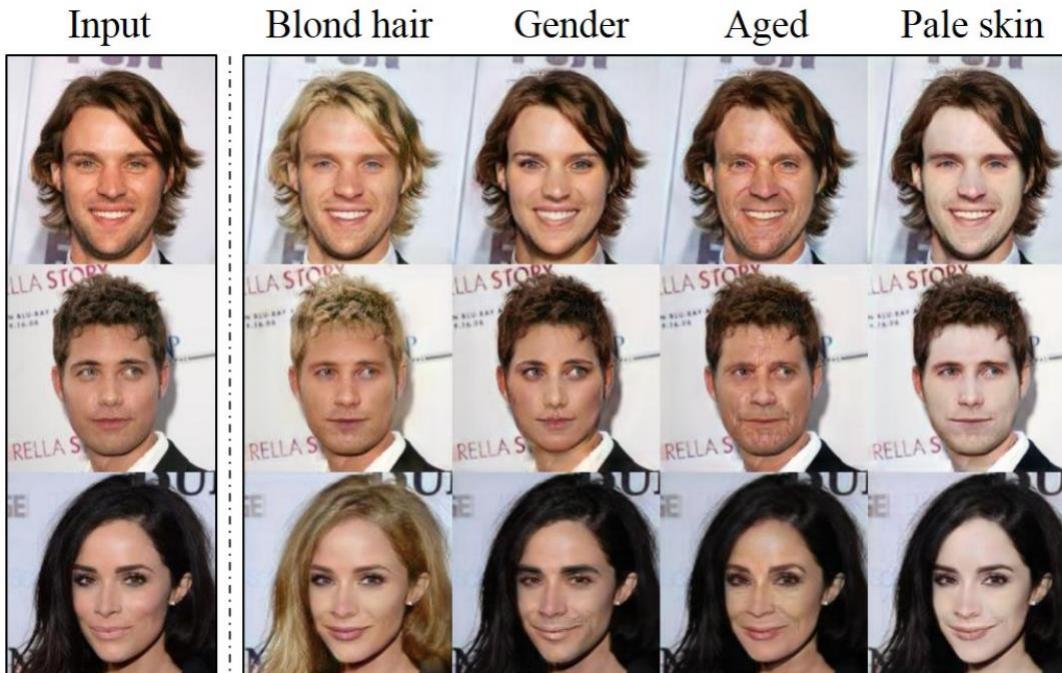


UNSUPERVISED MODEL 2

Unified Generative Adversarial Networks for Multi-Domain Image-to-Image Translation STARGAN

Yunjey Choi, Minje Choi, Munyoung Kim, Jung-Woo, Sunghun Kim, Jaegul Choo

2018 Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)

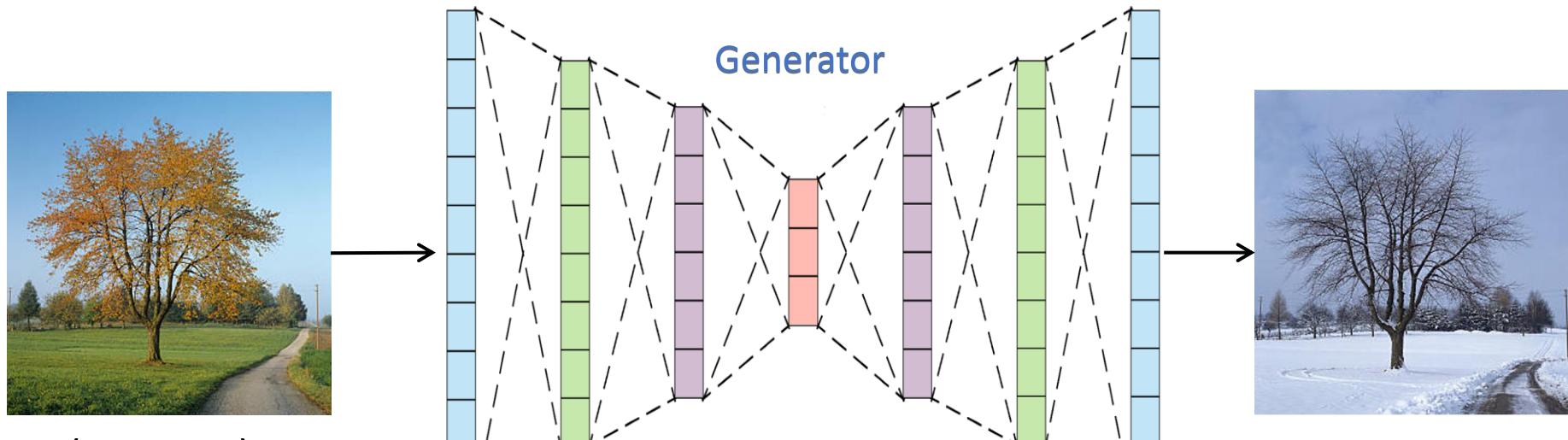


THE STARGAN NETWORK

StarGAN has the same task as the CycleGAN, let us try discuss this example



THE STARGAN NETWORK



Summer
Spring
Autumn
Winter

$(0, 0, 0, 1)$

Discriminator

0.89

$(0.22, 0.17, -0.1, 0.89)$

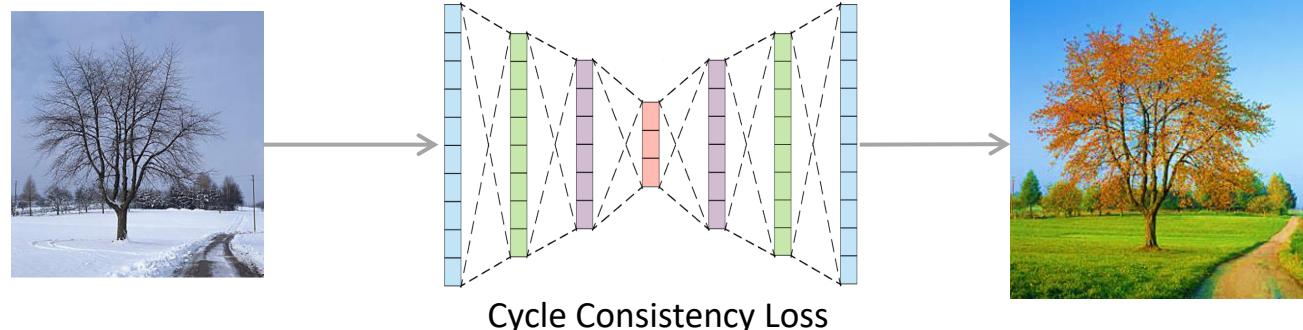
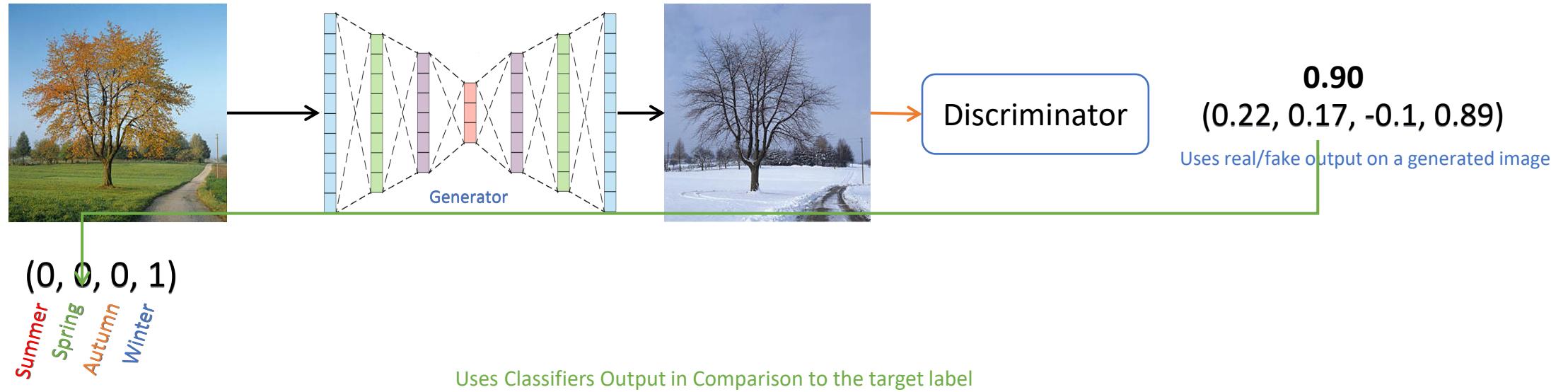
Outputs Classification in order of labels

THE STARGAN NETWORK

Training

How well the generated image looks like a real Image?

How much does it look like the image belong to target domain?



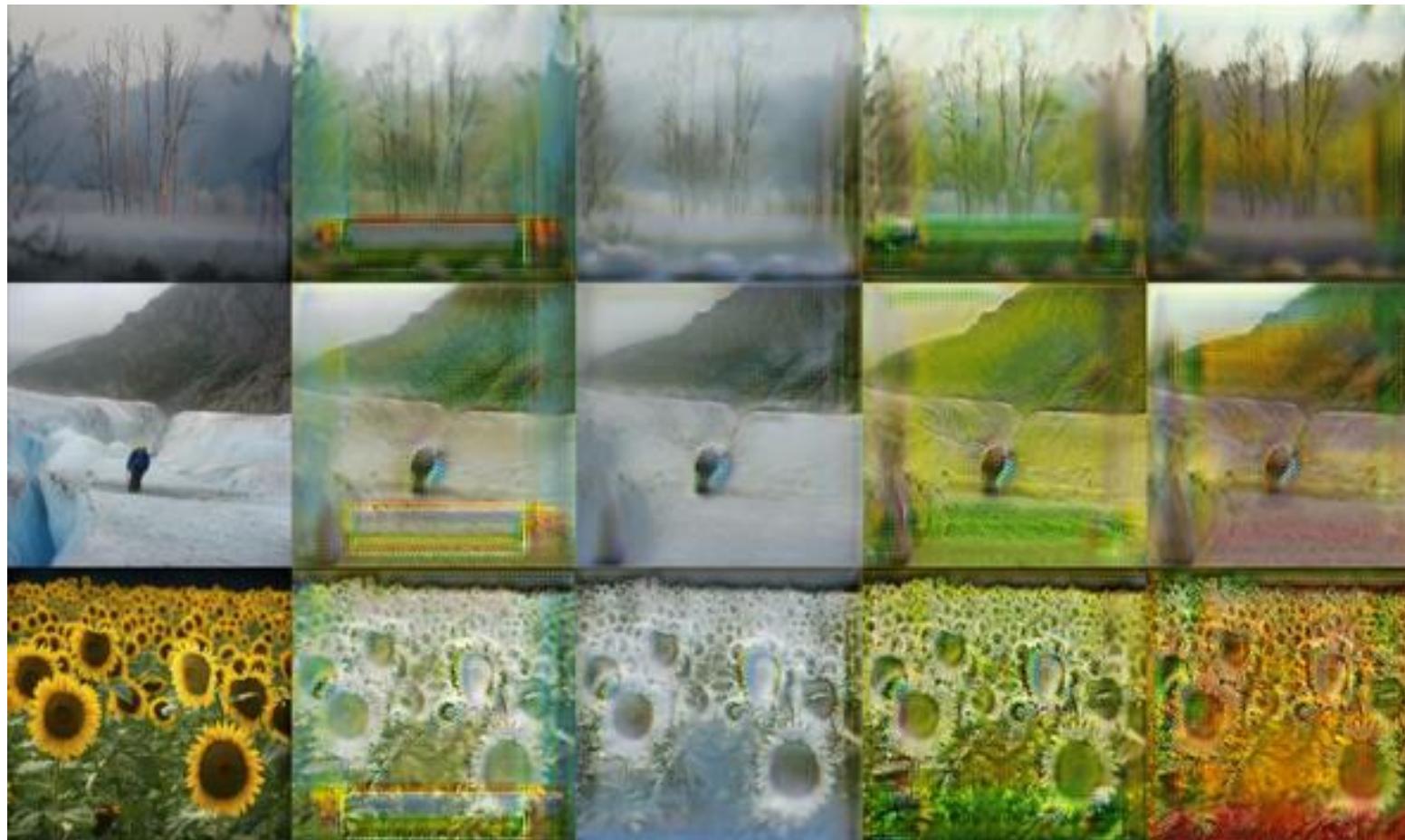
TRAINING STARGAN ON UNPAIRED DATASET

Training On Original Settings



TRAINING STARGAN ON UNPAIRED DATASET

Training With Batch Size 8



Input



Autumn

Summer



Winter



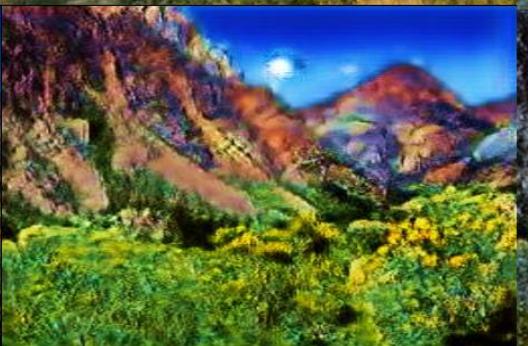
Spring



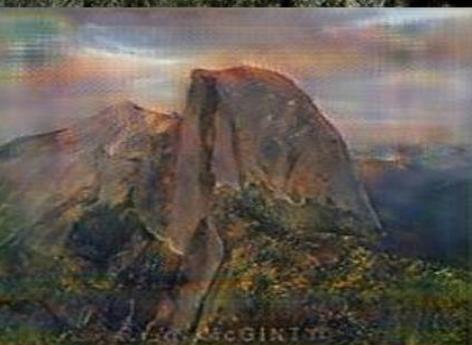
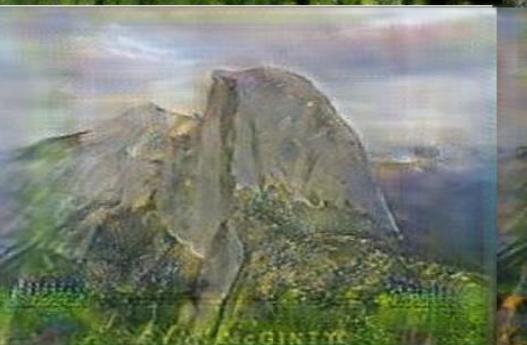
Autumn



Spring

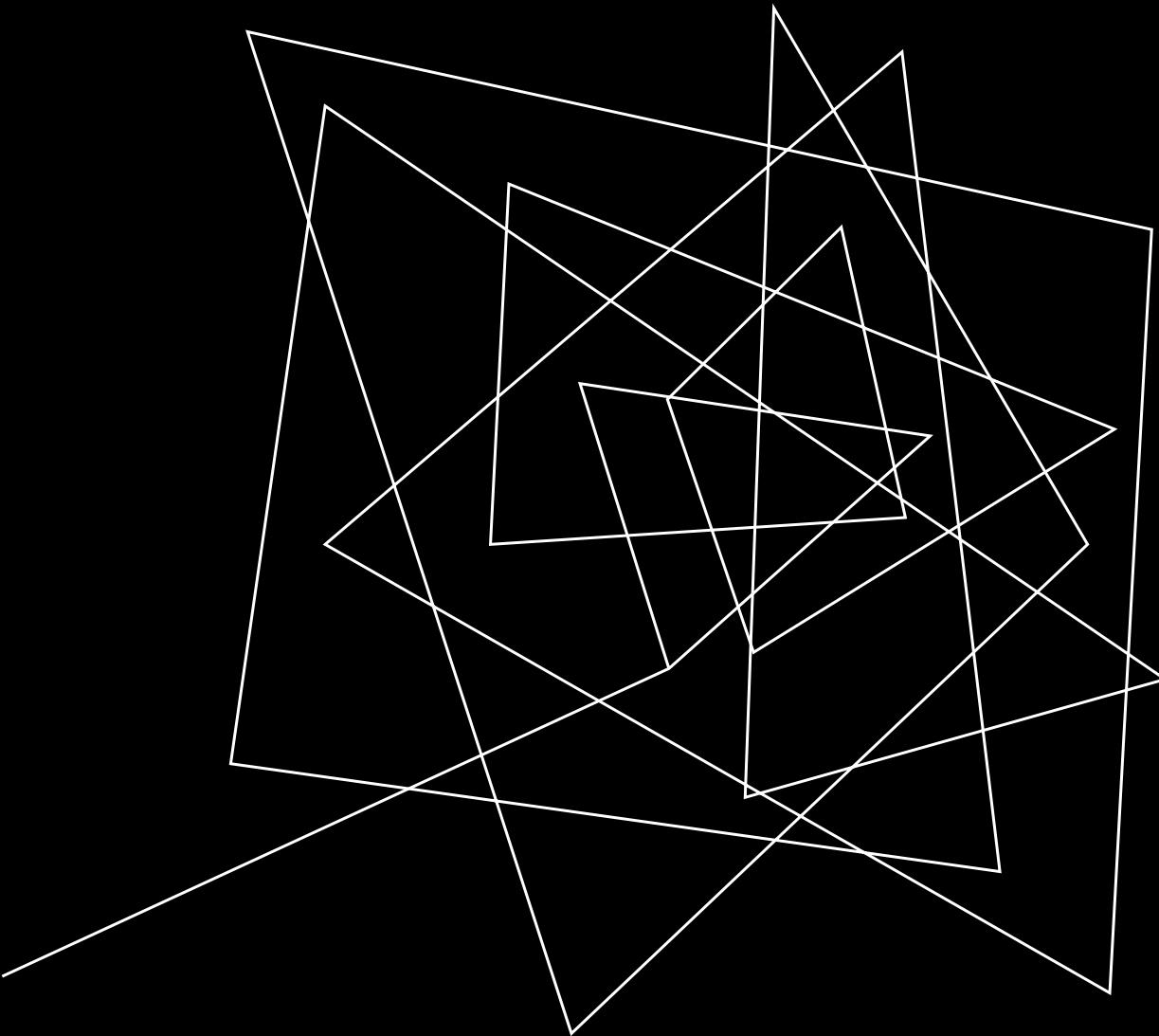


Winter



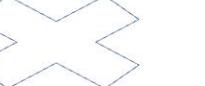
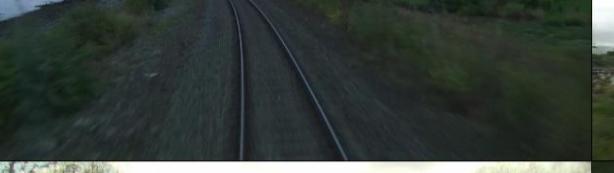
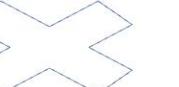
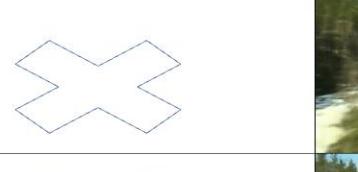
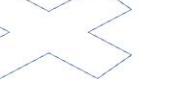
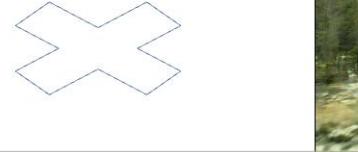
Summer



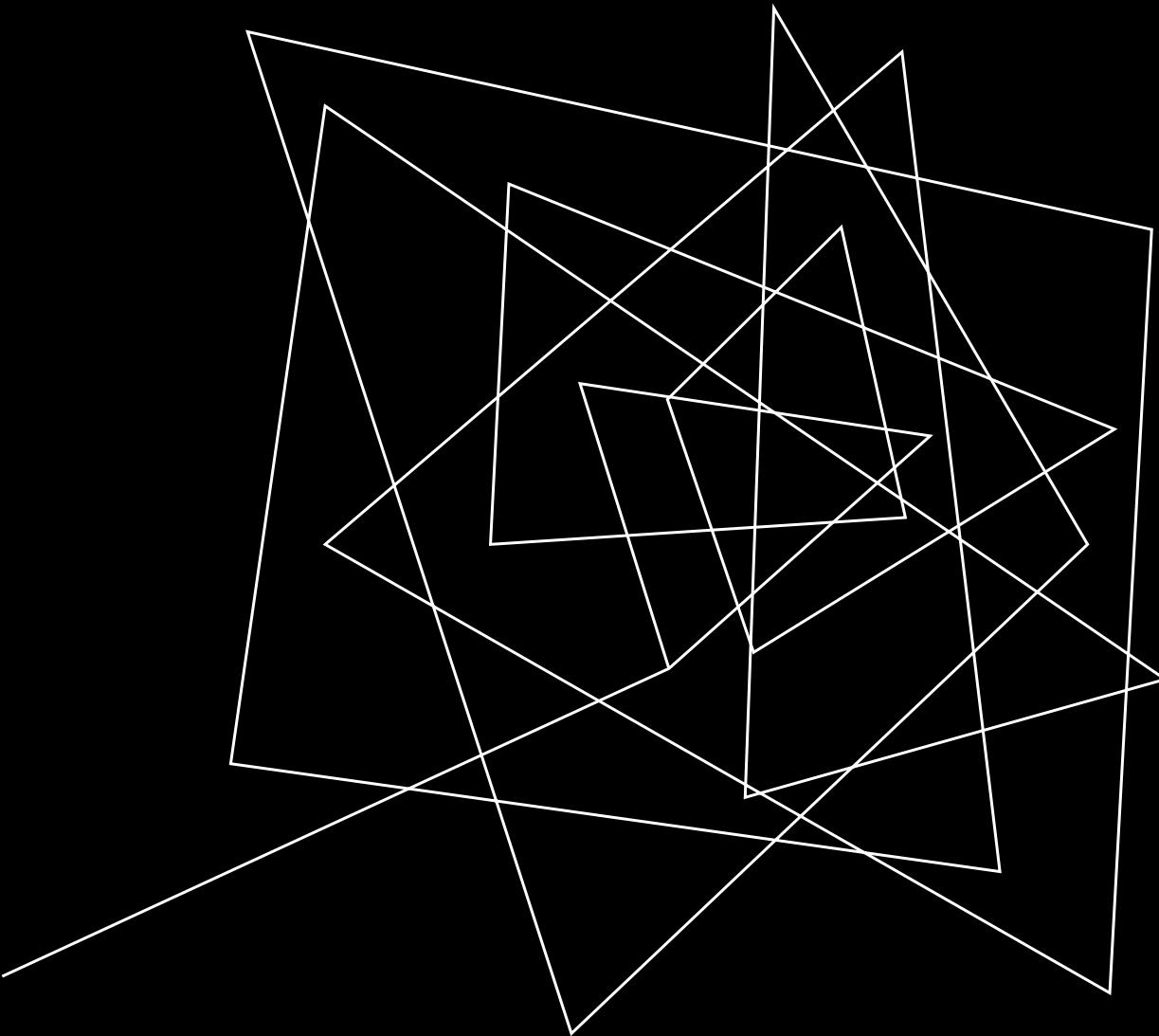


TESTING NETWORKS WITH SAME INPUTS

“We will now test the networks by providing both the networks with the same input image”

	Input	Summer	Winter	Spring	Autumn
Pix2Pix					
Pix2PixHD					
Pix2Pix					
Pix2PixHD					
Pix2Pix					
Pix2PixHD					
Pix2Pix					
Pix2PixHD					





COMPARING THE NETWORKS

“Now we have the generated images from the four networks. We will now see how we setup a Public Survey and the results interpreted from it”

THE SURVEY

About the Survey:

- The Survey was created using **SurveyHero**
- Total Images: **48**
- **12** Generated Images from each model
- **3** images from each season

Survey Stats:

146 Responses in Total **50.2%** Participation Rate **71.9%** Completion Rate **07:57 min** Avg Completion Time (Trimmed)

Viewed	291
Completed	105
Not Finished	41

The image shows a survey interface. At the top right is a photograph of a snow-covered landscape with a bare tree. Below it is a five-star rating scale with four stars filled and one empty. Next is a question about representing the season, with a 'Fair' option checked. At the bottom is a bar chart showing response distribution across four categories.

Rate the quality of the picture *

How well does the Picture represent the Season: Winter? *

Very Good

Good

Fair

Poor

Response	Count
Very Good	105
Good	105
Fair	41
Poor	291

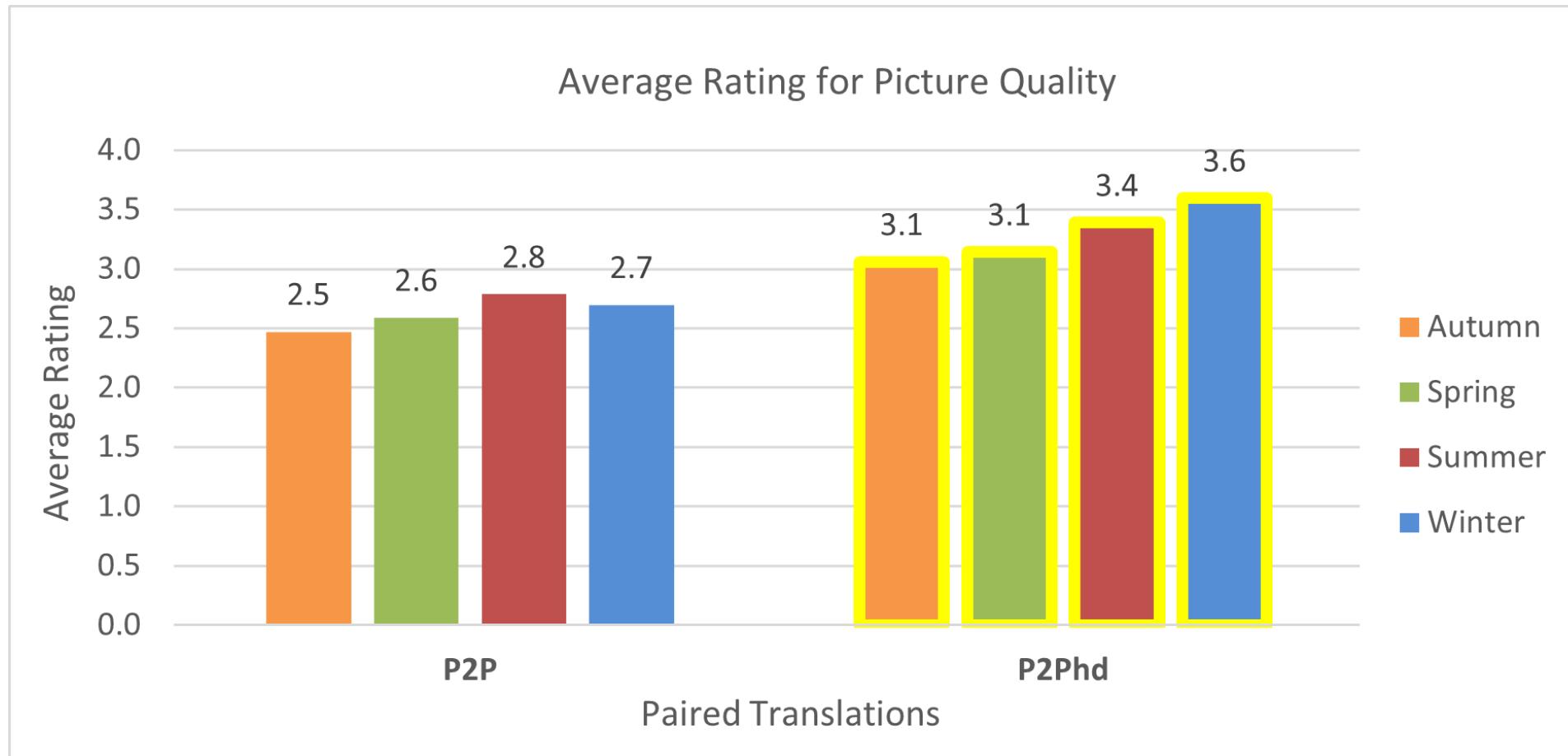
SUPERVISED MODELS SURVEY SCORES

Pix2Pix And Pix2PixHD

INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

PAIRED MODELS PIX2PIX and PIX2PIXHD

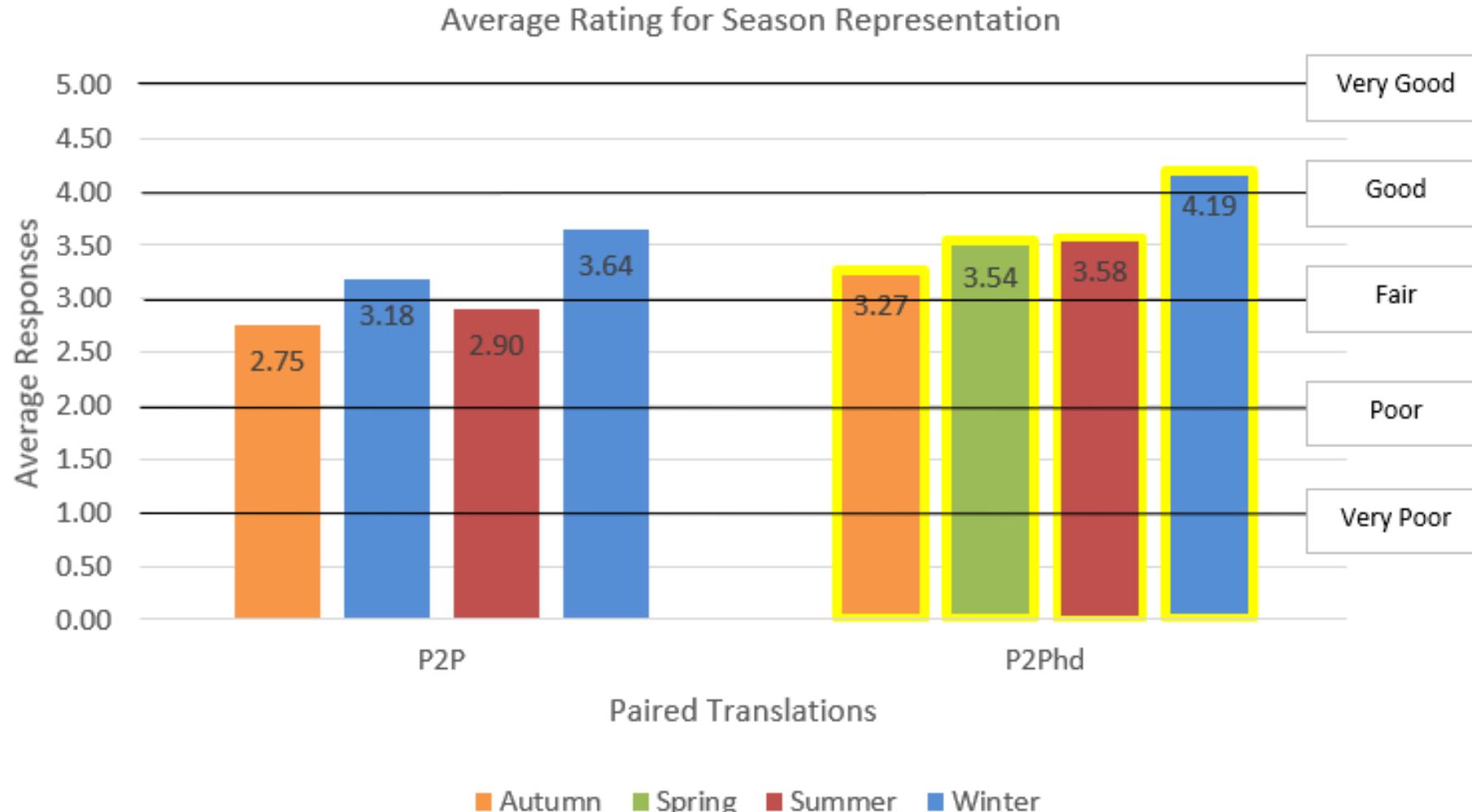
IMAGE QUALITY



INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

PAIRED MODELS PIX2PIX and PIX2PIXHD

Desired Seasonal Attribute



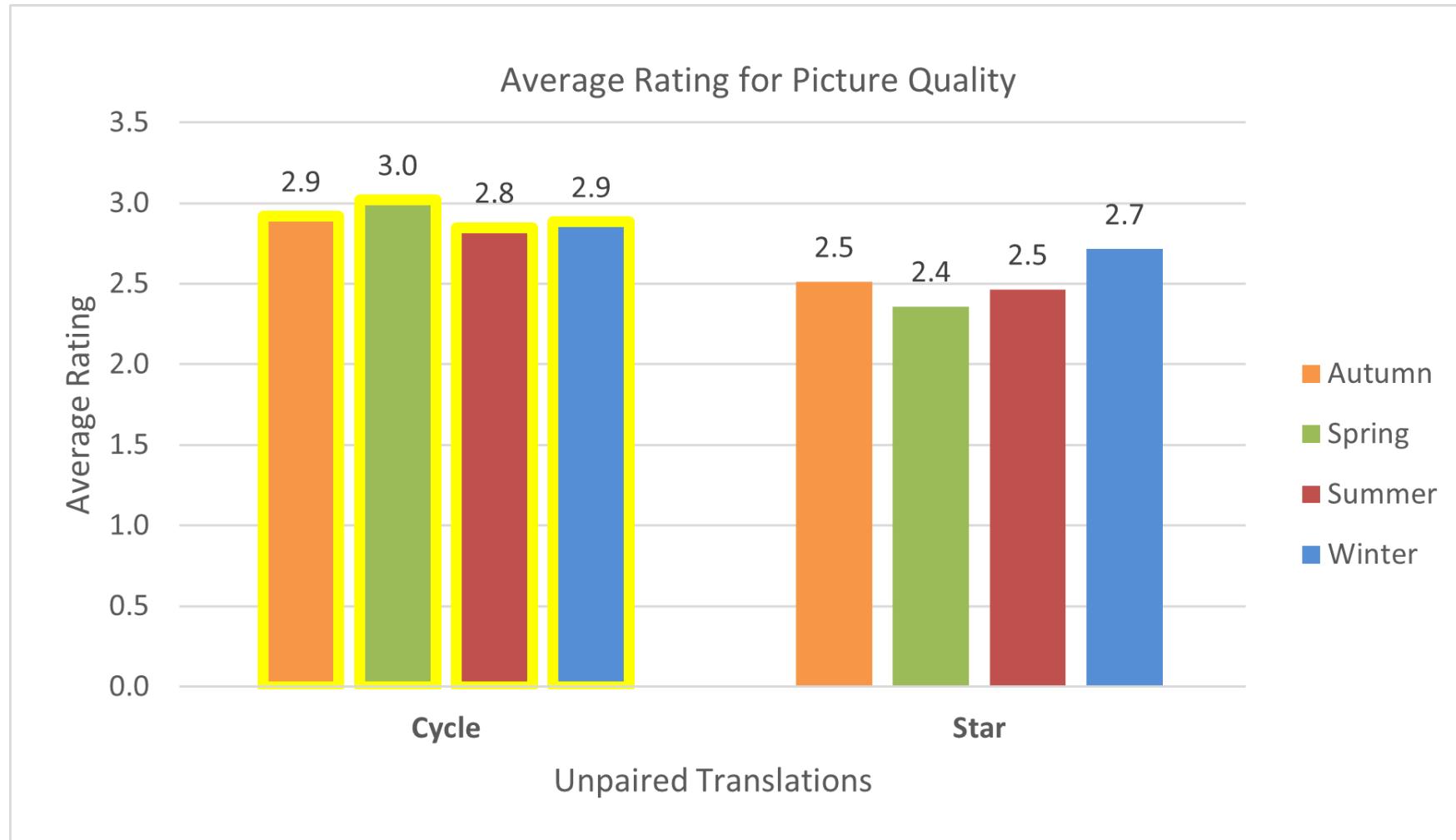
UNSUPERVISED MODELS SURVEY SCORES

CycleGAN and StarGAN

INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

UNPAIRED MODELS CycleGAN and StarGAN

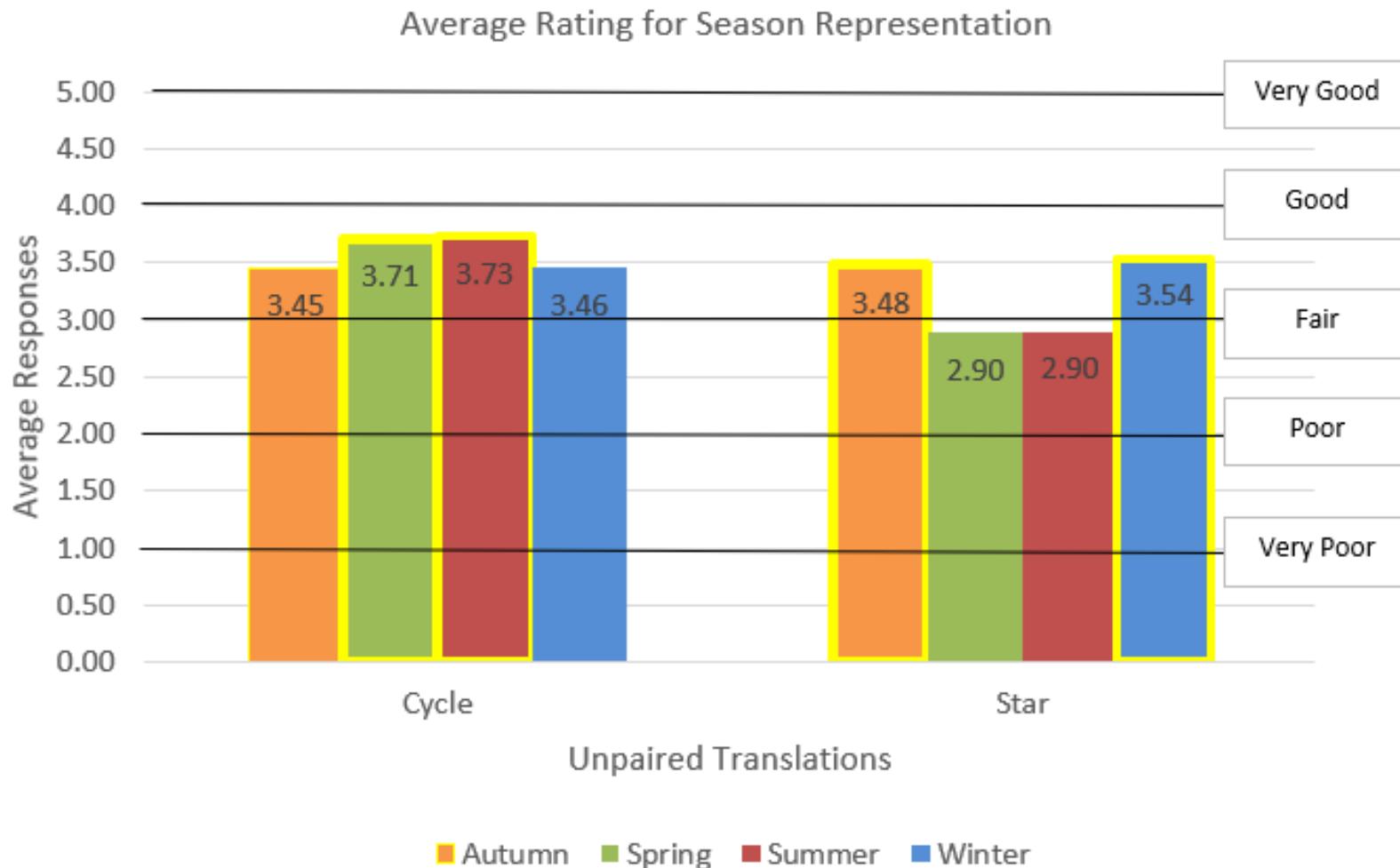
IMAGE QUALITY



INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

UNPAIRED MODELS CycleGAN and StarGAN

Desired Seasonal Attribute



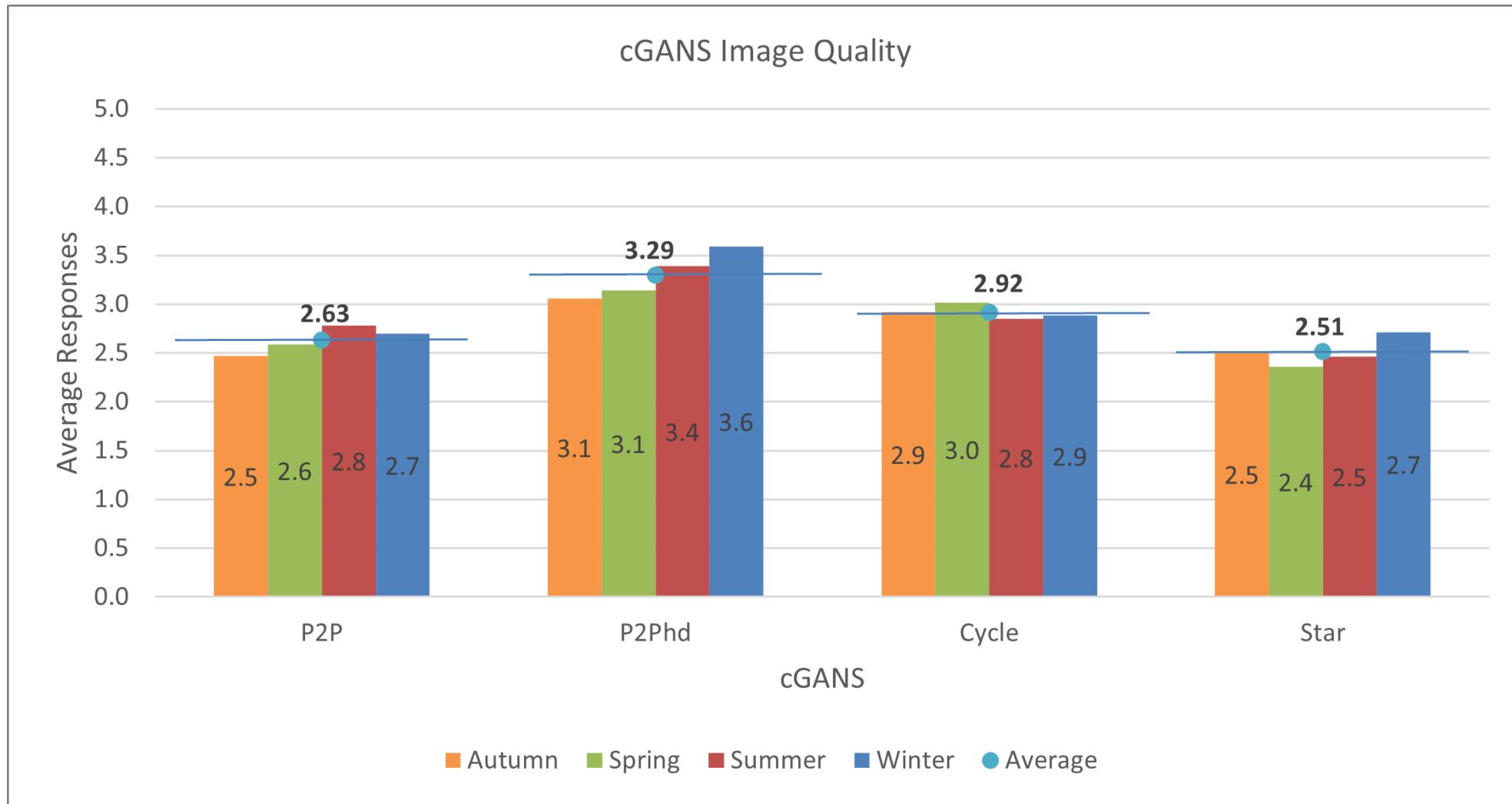
OVERALL SURVEY SCORE

[Pix2Pix](#), [Pix2PixHD](#), [CycleGAN](#) and [StarGAN](#)

INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

All Networks Combined Score

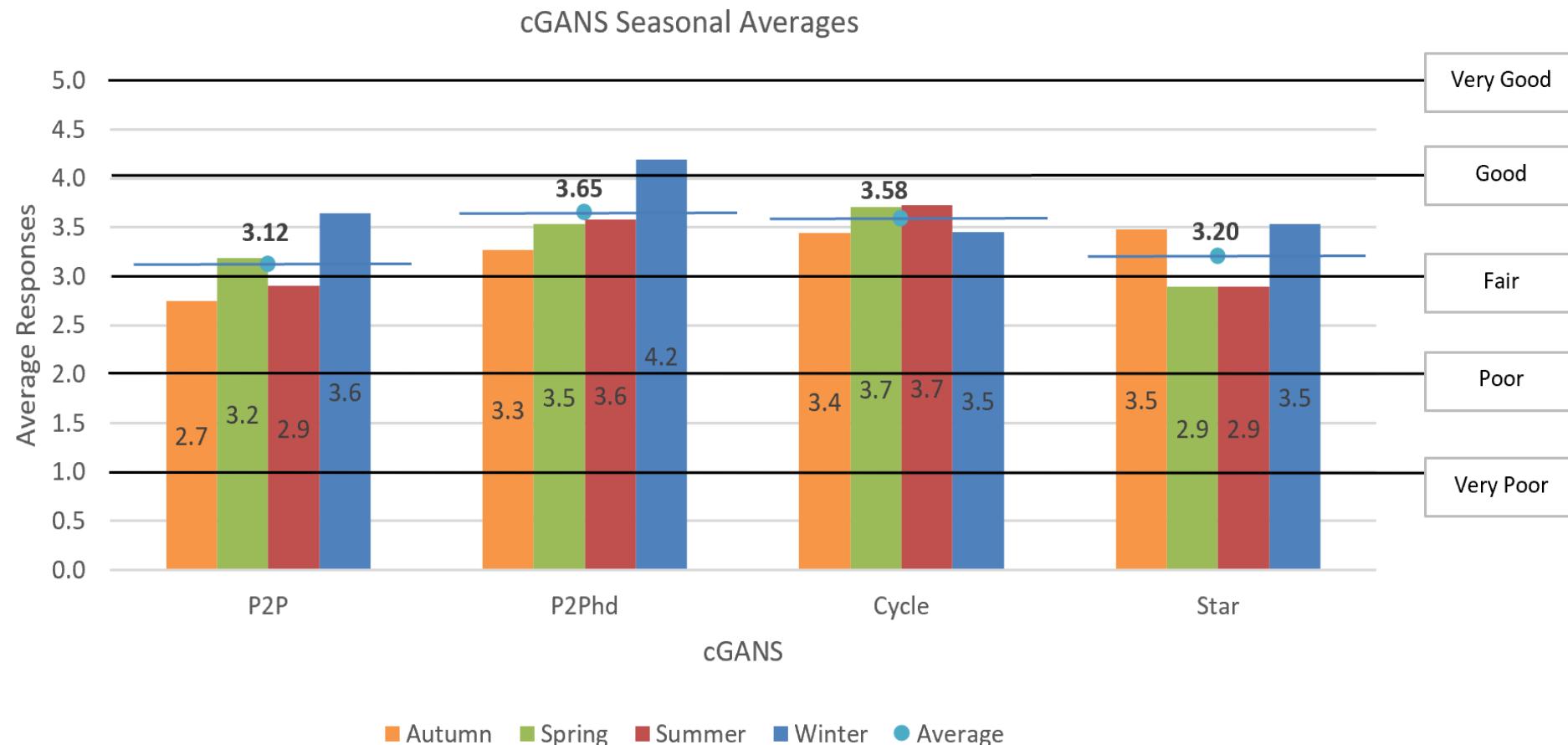
IMAGE QUALITY



INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

All Networks Combined Score

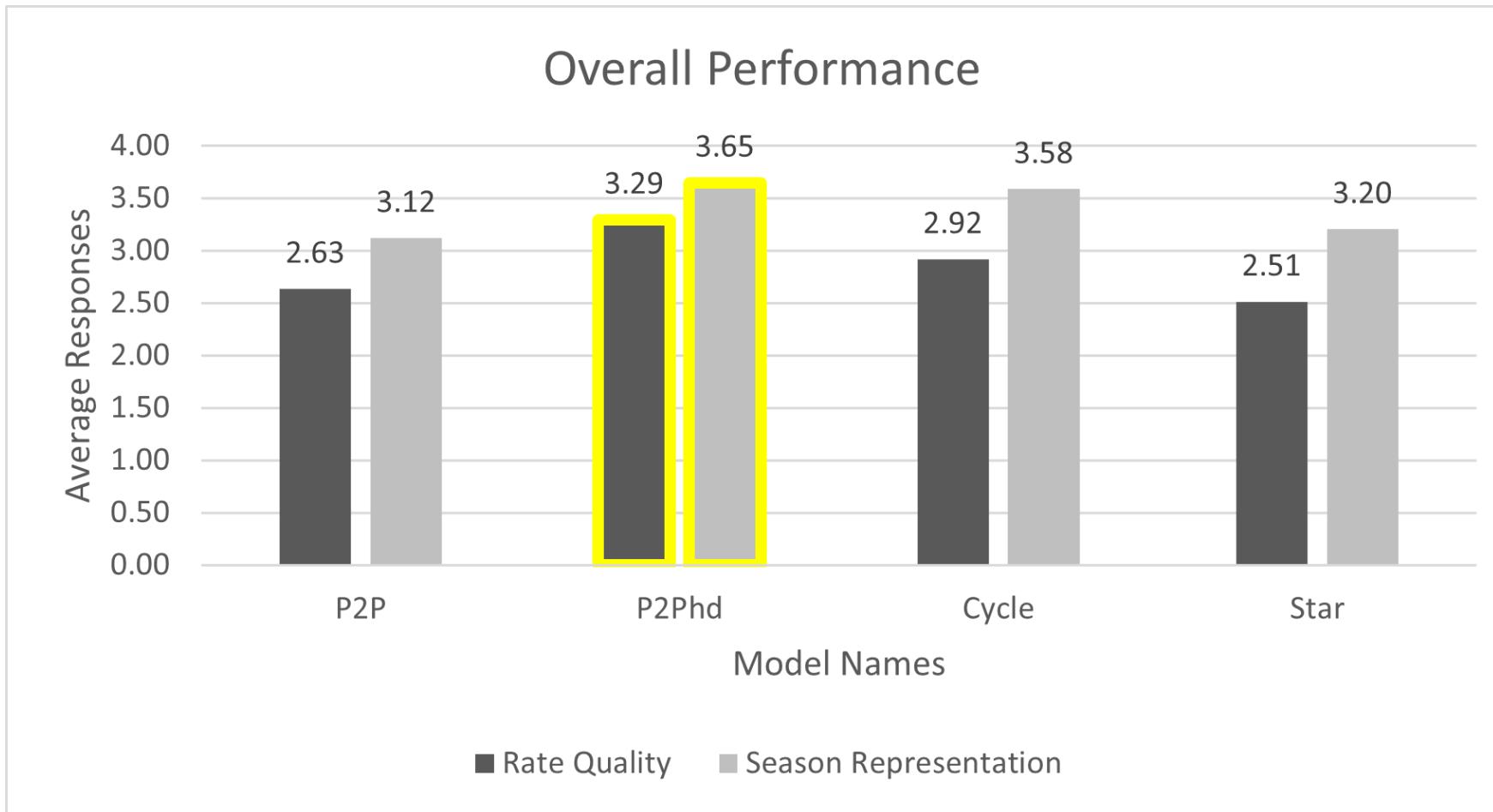
Desired Seasonal Attribute



INTERPRETING RESULTS FROM THE SURVEY

Total Average

Image Quality and Desired Seasonal Attribute





THANK YOU