

# Instance Normalization

- **Title:** Instance Normalization: The Missing Ingredient for Fast Stylization
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$H$  = height

$W$  = width

$T$  = examples in mini-batch

Batch Normalization (applied to a CNN):

$$y_{tijk} = \frac{x_{tijk} - \mu_i}{\sqrt{\sigma_i^2 + \epsilon}}, \quad \mu_i = \frac{1}{HWT} \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{l=1}^W \sum_{m=1}^H x_{tilm}, \quad \sigma_i^2 = \frac{1}{HWT} \sum_{t=1}^T \sum_{l=1}^W \sum_{m=1}^H (x_{tilm} - \mu_i)^2.$$

Instance Normalization (applied to a CNN):

$$y_{tijk} = \frac{x_{tijk} - \mu_{ti}}{\sqrt{\sigma_{ti}^2 + \epsilon}}, \quad \mu_{ti} = \frac{1}{HW} \sum_{l=1}^W \sum_{m=1}^H x_{tilm}, \quad \sigma_{ti}^2 = \frac{1}{HW} \sum_{l=1}^W \sum_{m=1}^H (x_{tilm} - \mu_{ti})^2.$$