LocalAlze

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Project Objective

- Predict camera pose from random frames in a video
 - Input: Images
 - Output: Location
- Harness the power of VSLAM (Visual Simultaneous Localization and Mapping)
 to predict the location of an image taken within a specific room: Pupin 428

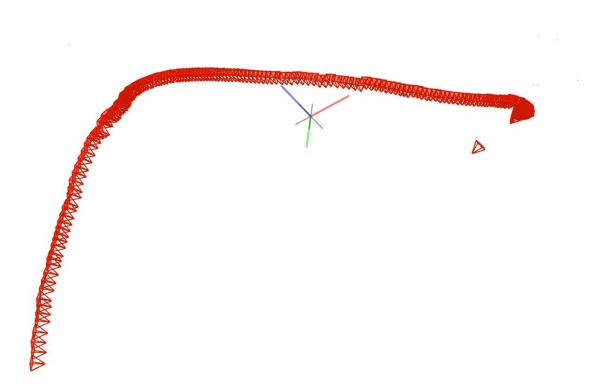
Data Input



Training Data

- Extracted 3927 frames from video
 - Cropped to square
 - Compressed to 512x512
 - Reduced RGB colorspace to Grayscale
- Structure from Motion to generate ground truth camera poses
 - COLMAP on GPU (2060 Super)
- Multiple separate models
 - We couldn't register every frame in the same model
 - BUT doing it this way generalizes to a larger class of disjoint localization tasks (so... it was totally on purpose...)

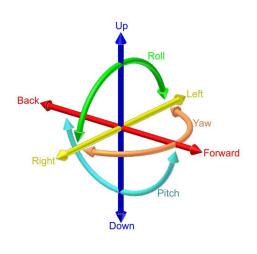
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- Each object is a camera
- Position is relative to centroid of segment
- Rotation is relative to first observation
- Scale is identical between segments since camera focal length is known

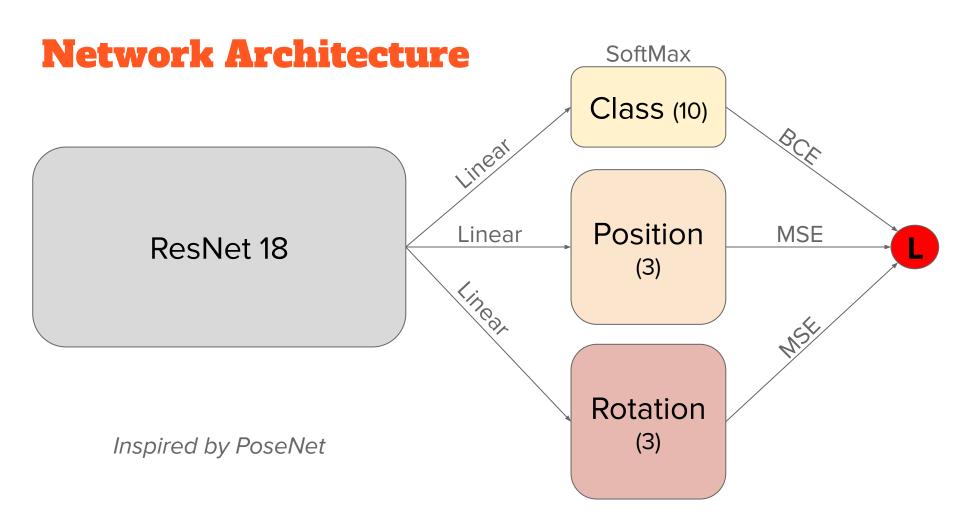
Objective & Loss

С	Class (ballpark estimate of location; index of SfM model)
x	X coordinate of camera in local frame
у	Y coordinate of camera in local frame
Z	Z coordinate of camera in local frame
р	Pitch (rotation about X axis)
r	Roll (rotation about Y axis)
у	Yaw (rotation about Z axis)



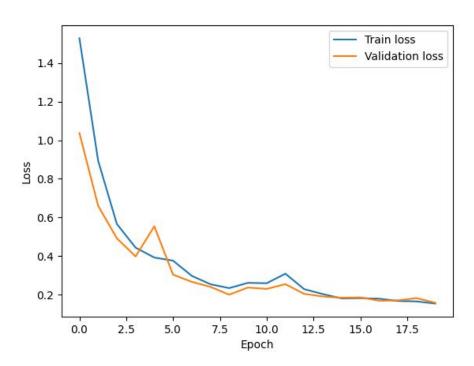
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Six_degrees_of_freedom

Binary Cross-Entropy Loss for class; Mean Squared Error Loss for 6DoF; a hyper



Results: Training

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02:10:49
                Epoch: 13 - train loss: 0.22813946593538334
    02:10:49
                Epoch: 13 - val loss: 0.20361114044984183
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    02:11:01
                Epoch: 14 - train loss: 0.2023066628865982
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    02:11:01
                Epoch: 14 - val loss: 0.1899414857228597
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    Updating best model, now found at epoch 14
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    02:11:12
                Epoch: 15 - train loss: 0.18013706663249887
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    02:11:12
                Epoch: 15 - val loss: 0.18354595369762844
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    Updating best model, now found at epoch 15
    Saving best model weights at epoch 15
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    02:11:24
                Epoch: 16 - train loss: 0.18124298948763107
                Epoch: 16 - val loss: 0.1851540075408088
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    02:11:24
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    02:11:36
                Epoch: 17 - train loss: 0.17863580928354172
    02:11:36
                Epoch: 17 - val loss: 0.1681344368391567
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    Updating best model, now found at epoch 17
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    02:11:47
                Epoch: 18 - train loss: 0.1668879332531378
    02:11:47
                Epoch: 18 - val loss: 0.16944885585043165
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    02:11:59
                Epoch: 19 - train loss: 0.16446445323336417
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    02:11:59
                Epoch: 19 - val loss: 0.18153506186273363
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    02:12:10
                Epoch: 20 - train loss: 0.15340091820646176
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    02:12:10
                Epoch: 20 - val loss: 0.15732847981982762
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Updating best model, now found at epoch 20

Saving best model weights at epoch 20

Training finished. Best validation loss of 0.15732847981982762 at epoch 20

Results: Test Images

Predicted class: 1 - Actual class: 1

Predicted xyz ([-0.38865992 -0.5422972 -0.08911549]) Actual xyz ([-0.55068116 -0.4394174 0.01071588])

Predicted rpy ([1.4426252 -0.35953173 -1.3733114]) Actual rpy ([1.73502943 -1.26409687 -2.71521486])



Predicted class: 2 - Actual class: 2

Predicted xyz ([0.13467625 0.45333573 0.25124094]) Actual xyz ([-0.03780979 0.55761269 0.04036432])

Predicted rpy ([-0.7113406 0.7395303 -1.5051279]) Actual rpy ([-1.44847438 -0.37112511 -1.63266237])



Predicted class: 3 - Actual class: 3

Predicted xyz ([0.06528374 0.08230963 0.17236412]) Actual xyz ([0.1023216 0.12649211 0.00802225])

Predicted rpy ([-1.3210413 0.0551736 -0.555706]) Actual rpy ([-1.43965236 0.0797602 -0.65699823])



Predicted class: 0 - Actual class: 0

Predicted xyz ([-0.1836786 -0.29226592 -0.02850346]) Actual xyz ([-0.02705512 -0.07882347 -0.00632456])

Predicted rpy ([-1.2418957 -0.2940526 -2.1228151]) Actual rpy ([-1.26778938 0.1328009 -2.24772327])



Predicted class: 1 - Actual class: 0

Predicted xyz ([-0.26711962 -0.07887348 0.01788641]) Actual xyz ([-0.76756627 -0.32912194 -0.21573355])

Predicted rpy ([0.04543776 0.0460096 0.71685326]) Actual rpy ([-0.80339201 0.05432472 -6.37253114])



Predicted class: 7 - Actual class: 7

Predicted xyz ([-0.3713603 0.17623453 0.30363068]) Actual xyz ([-0.75274544 -0.19691871 0.15479946])



Predicted class: 1 - Actual class: 1

Predicted xyz ([-0.3971177 -0.08097175 -0.07701636]) Actual xyz ([-0.30702741 0.08269419 -0.13292921])

Predicted rpy ([0.64691657 0.02428344 -2.966156]) Actual rpy ([0.75237571 -0.19466621 -3.19146673])



Predicted class: 2 - Actual class: 2

Predicted xyz ([0.06829979 0.560788 0.13280231]) Actual xyz ([-0.11938004 0.22108825 0.02775515])

Predicted rpy ([-2.1284845 3.0878003 -2.0883293]) Actual rpy ([-1.94271456 2.32689928 -1.47385737])



Predicted class: 3 - Actual class: 3

Predicted xyz ([0.19646962 -0.17720933 -0.33185455]) Actual xyz ([0.32288196 -0.09715515 -0.11358771])



Predicted class: 9 - Actual class: 9

Predicted xyz ([0.09582216 0.4965696 0.41501537]) Actual xyz ([-0.04420118 0.11017486 -0.09542109])



Predictions - Visualized

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Predicted xyz ([0.13467625 0.45333573 0.25124094]) Actual xyz ([-0.03780979 0.55761269 0.04036432])

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Parameter Tuning & Lessons

- Hyperparameters we played with:
 - Learning Rate
 - Batch Size
 - Patience
 - Epochs
- COLMAP is not as easy to use for large models as we thought
 - Global Bundle Adjustment requires CPU
- If we were to redo the project, we would have taken a video of a smaller section of the room, a smaller room, or a video of just one object

Future Work (Possibly)

- Different ground truth
 - Single SfM model
 - Precise measurements
- More diverse coverage
 - Lighting
 - Movement
 - Other views (drone in the lecture hall??)
- Novel View Synthesis to validate pose prediction
- Transformers to leverage video structure

Thank you!