

## A PyTorch-like Pseudocode

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**Algorithm 1:** PyTorch-like pseudocode for MYOL loss computation

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Input: Input views  $v_1, v_2$ 
 $p_1, p_2 = \text{pred}(\text{encoder}(v_1)), \text{pred}(\text{encoder}(v_2))$  # online network
 $z_1, z_2 = \text{encoder}_t(v_1), \text{encoder}_t(v_2)$  # target network
# input mixup
 $\text{lam} = \text{Beta}(\alpha, \alpha).sample()$ 
 $\text{randidx} = \text{randperm}(\text{len}(v_1))$ 
 $\text{mixed}_v = \text{lam} * v_1 + (1-\text{lam}) * v_2[\text{randidx}]$ 

# norm_mse: normalized mean squared error
 $\text{loss}_{\text{byol}} = (\text{norm\_mse}(p_1, z_2) + \text{norm\_mse}(p_2, z_1)) / 2$ 

# projection mixup
 $\text{mixed}_z = \text{lam} * z_1 + (1-\text{lam}) * z_2[\text{randidx}]$ 
 $\text{loss}_{\text{myol}} = \text{norm\_mse}(\text{pred}(\text{encoder}(\text{mixed}_v)), \text{mixed}_z)$ 

 $\text{loss} = \text{loss}_{\text{byol}} + \text{loss}_{\text{myol}}$ 

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## B Self-Supervised Learning Methods Comparison

In this section, we compare BYOL (Grill *et al.* 2020) with other self-supervised learning methods SimCLR (Chen *et al.* 2020) and MoCo (He *et al.* 2020). SimCLR is a simple contrastive learning method that uses a large batch size to ensure a sufficient number of negative pairs. MoCo, on the other hand, addresses the negative sample challenge by utilizing a memory bank. While both SimCLR and MoCo serve as baseline methods for Un-Mix (Shen *et al.* 2022) and i-Mix (Lee *et al.* 2021), our experiments show that BYOL is a sufficient baseline for achieving efficient and robust self-supervised learning on small images.

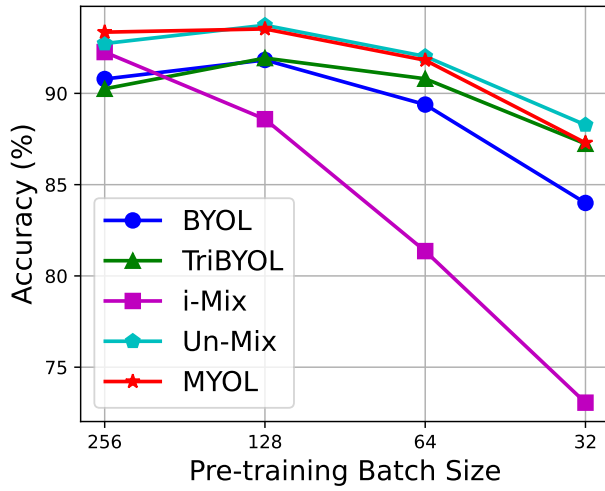
Table 1: Comparison of SimCLR, MoCo, and BYOL in terms of linear evaluation performance with varying pre-training batch sizes in terms of classification accuracy (%).

Pre-training Batch Size	Method	CIFAR-10	CIFAR-100	STL-10	Tiny-ImageNet
256	SimCLR	87.14 $\pm$ 0.15	62.96 $\pm$ 0.34	83.21 $\pm$ 0.12	45.92 $\pm$ 0.13
	MoCo	88.08 $\pm$ 0.28	64.07 $\pm$ 0.37	85.17 $\pm$ 0.07	48.37 $\pm$ 0.16
	BYOL	<b>90.79<math>\pm</math>0.12</b>	<b>65.93<math>\pm</math>0.22</b>	<b>91.58<math>\pm</math>0.32</b>	<b>51.10<math>\pm</math>0.08</b>
128	SimCLR	84.49 $\pm$ 0.16	58.99 $\pm$ 0.33	80.02 $\pm$ 0.22	42.82 $\pm$ 0.40
	MoCo	85.61 $\pm$ 0.05	61.42 $\pm$ 0.42	82.60 $\pm$ 0.03	46.43 $\pm$ 0.06
	BYOL	<b>91.83<math>\pm</math>0.14</b>	<b>67.65<math>\pm</math>0.34</b>	<b>91.79<math>\pm</math>0.03</b>	<b>51.21<math>\pm</math>0.13</b>
64	SimCLR	80.05 $\pm$ 0.43	54.01 $\pm$ 0.55	76.15 $\pm$ 0.39	38.41 $\pm$ 0.25
	MoCo	82.67 $\pm$ 0.34	58.35 $\pm$ 0.31	79.53 $\pm$ 0.16	42.91 $\pm$ 0.30
	BYOL	<b>89.39<math>\pm</math>0.24</b>	<b>63.03<math>\pm</math>0.19</b>	<b>87.56<math>\pm</math>0.57</b>	<b>43.91<math>\pm</math>0.24</b>
32	SimCLR	75.60 $\pm$ 0.27	46.83 $\pm$ 0.50	70.23 $\pm$ 0.17	31.19 $\pm$ 0.19
	MoCo	79.22 $\pm$ 0.01	<b>54.37<math>\pm</math>0.03</b>	75.89 $\pm$ 0.42	<b>39.35<math>\pm</math>0.34</b>
	BYOL	<b>84.00<math>\pm</math>0.47</b>	53.30 $\pm$ 0.24	<b>81.26<math>\pm</math>0.29</b>	34.12 $\pm$ 1.53

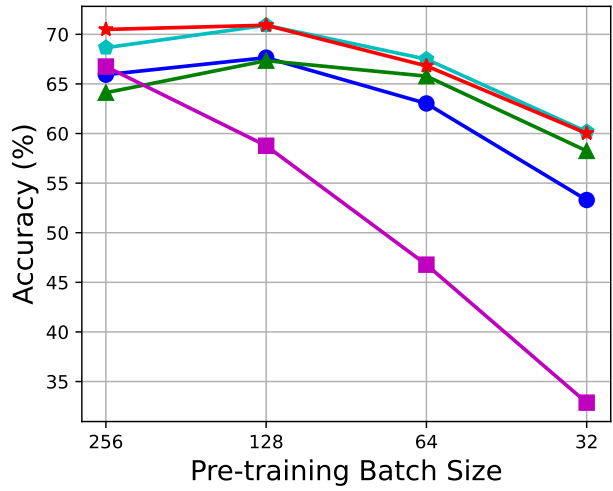
## C Plots for the Entire Datasets

In this section, we show the plots for the entire datasets that were used in the experiments, as well as the plots for the Tiny-ImageNet dataset.

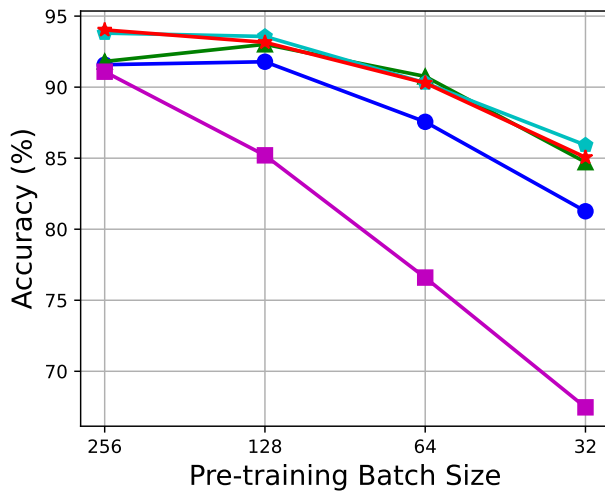
## C.1 Pre-training Batch Sizes Comparison



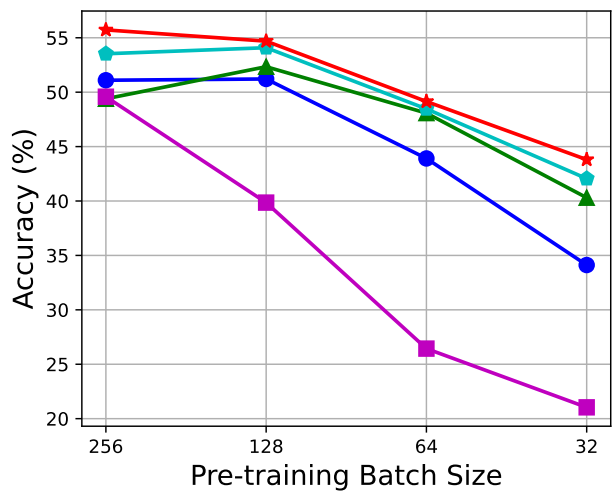
(a) CIFAR-10



(b) CIFAR-100



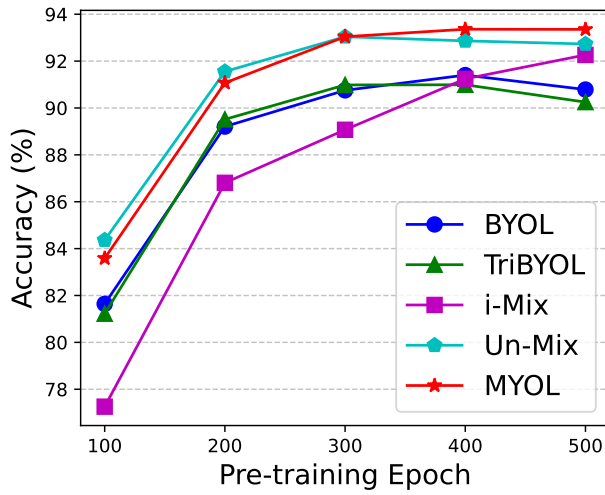
(c) STL-10



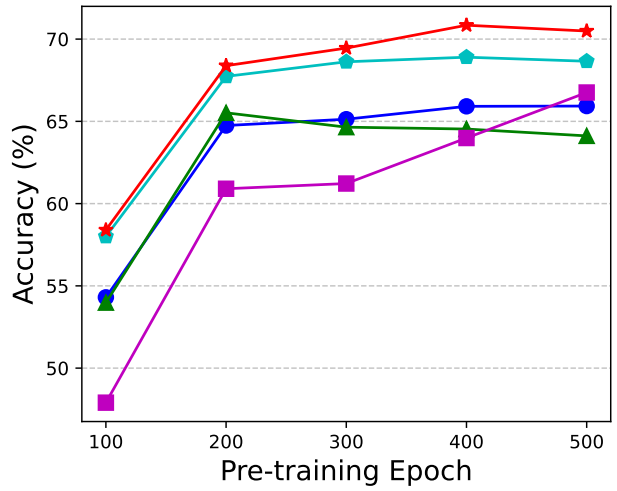
(d) Tiny-ImageNet

Figure 1: Comparison of linear evaluation performance according to the pre-training batch sizes in terms of classification accuracy (%).

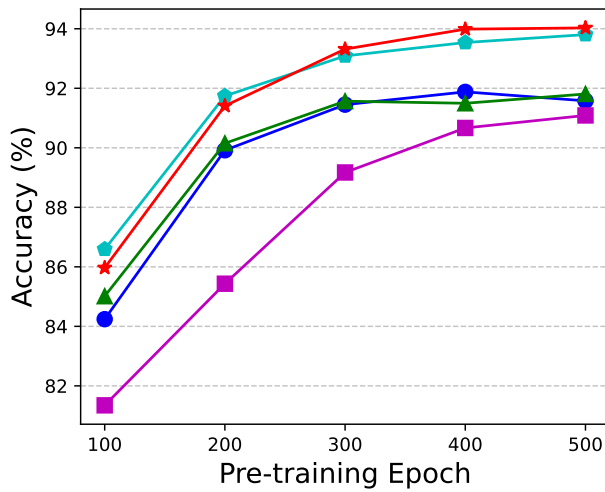
## C.2 Pre-training Epochs Comparison



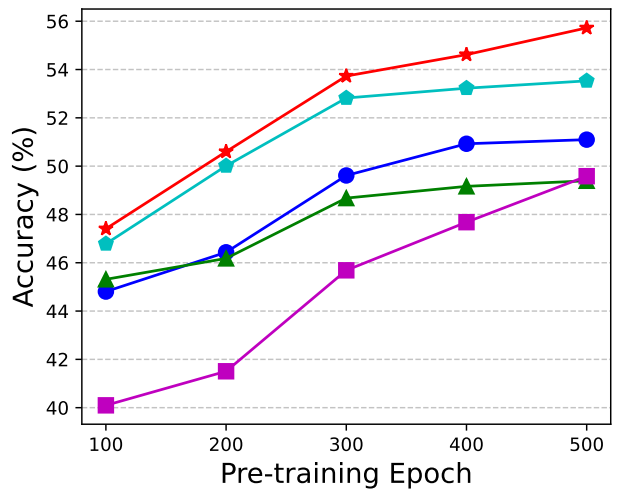
(a) CIFAR-10



(b) CIFAR-100



(c) STL-10



(d) Tiny-ImageNet

Figure 2: Comparison of linear evaluation performance according to the number of pre-training epochs in terms of classification accuracy (%).

### C.3 Time and GPU Memory Comparison

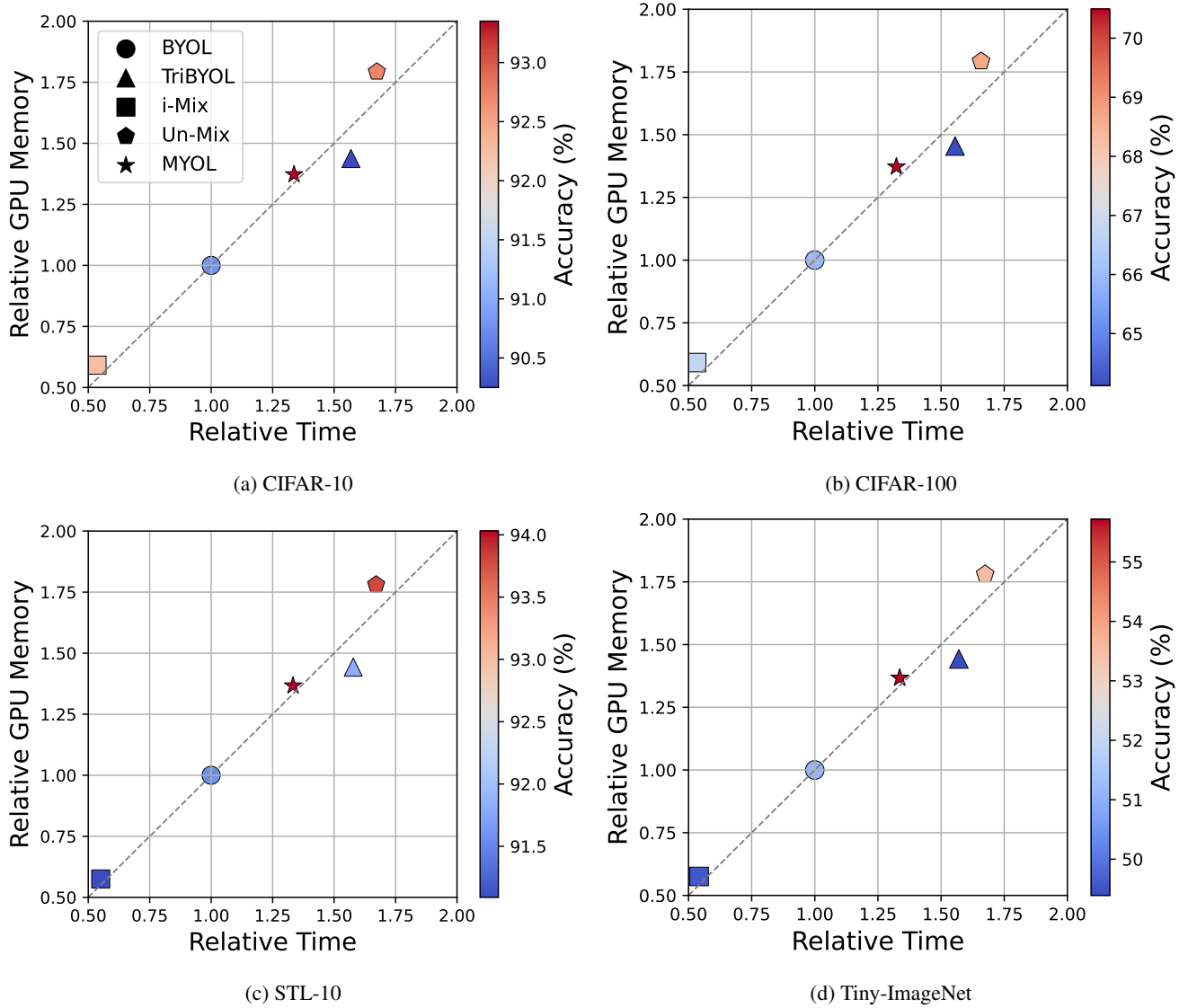


Figure 3: Comparison of time and GPU memory required for pre-training on a relative scale, with marker color indicating classification accuracy.

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