



CT Scan Segmentation for COVID-19 Infected Lungs

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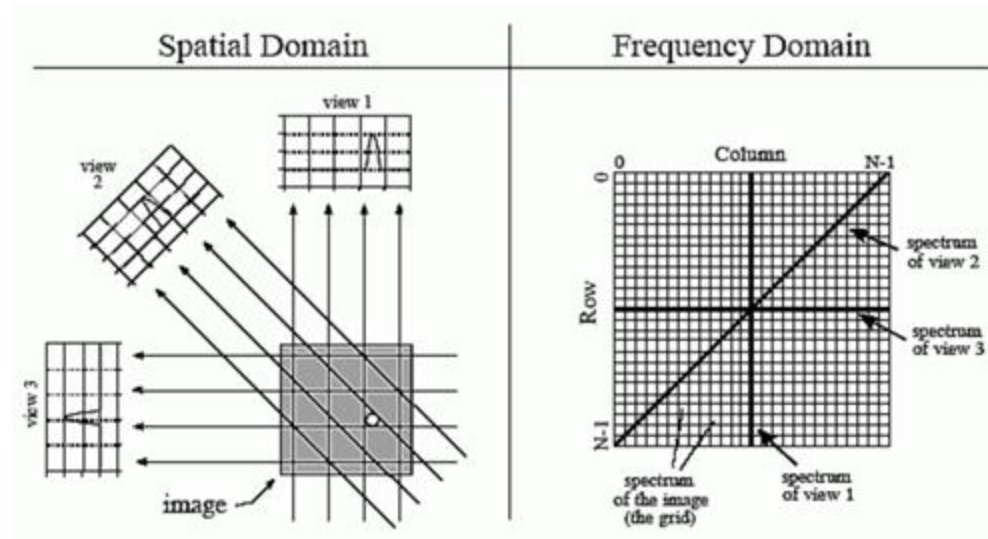
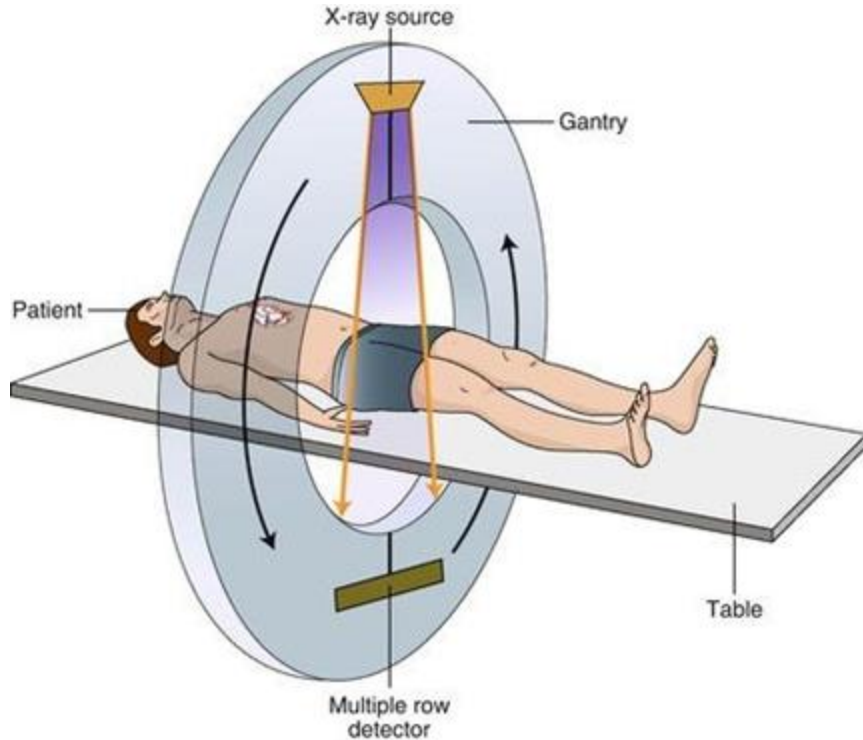


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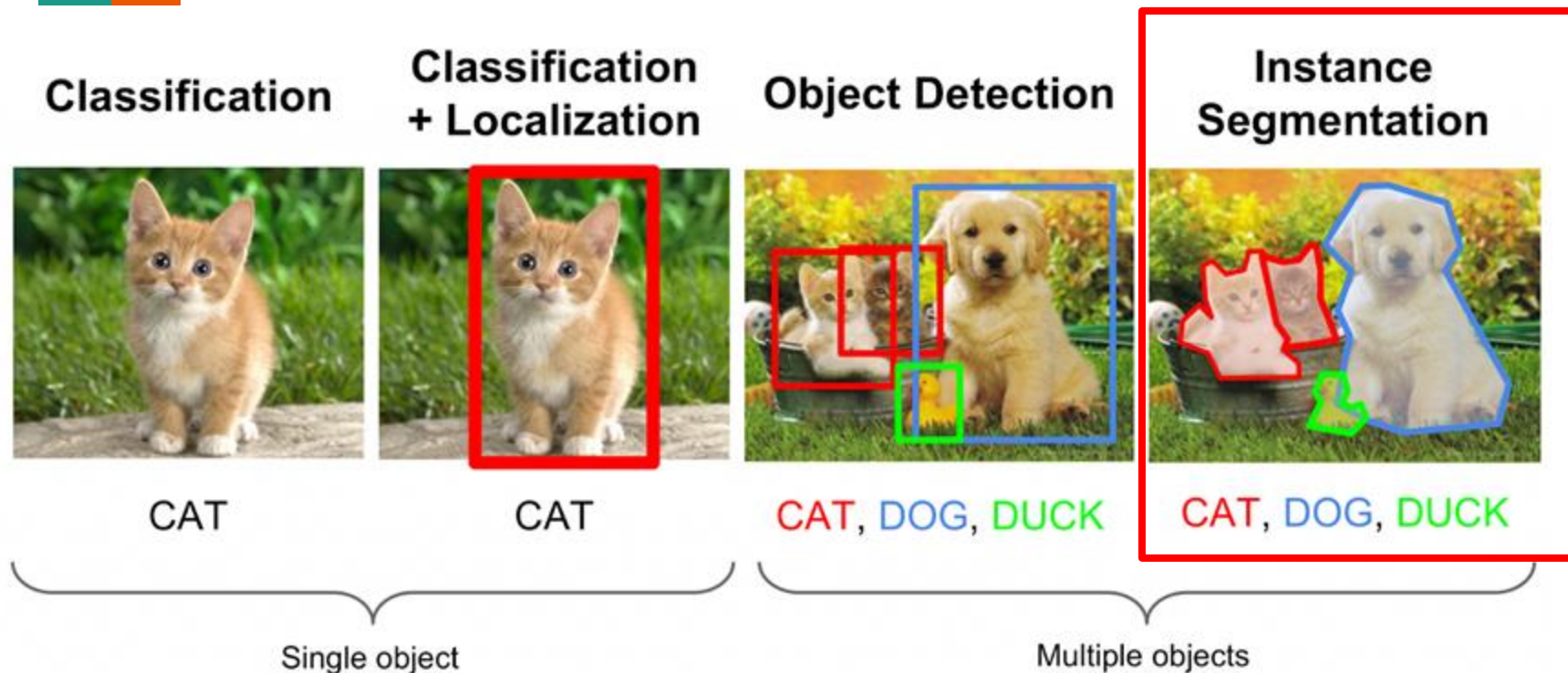
Introduction

Computed Tomography

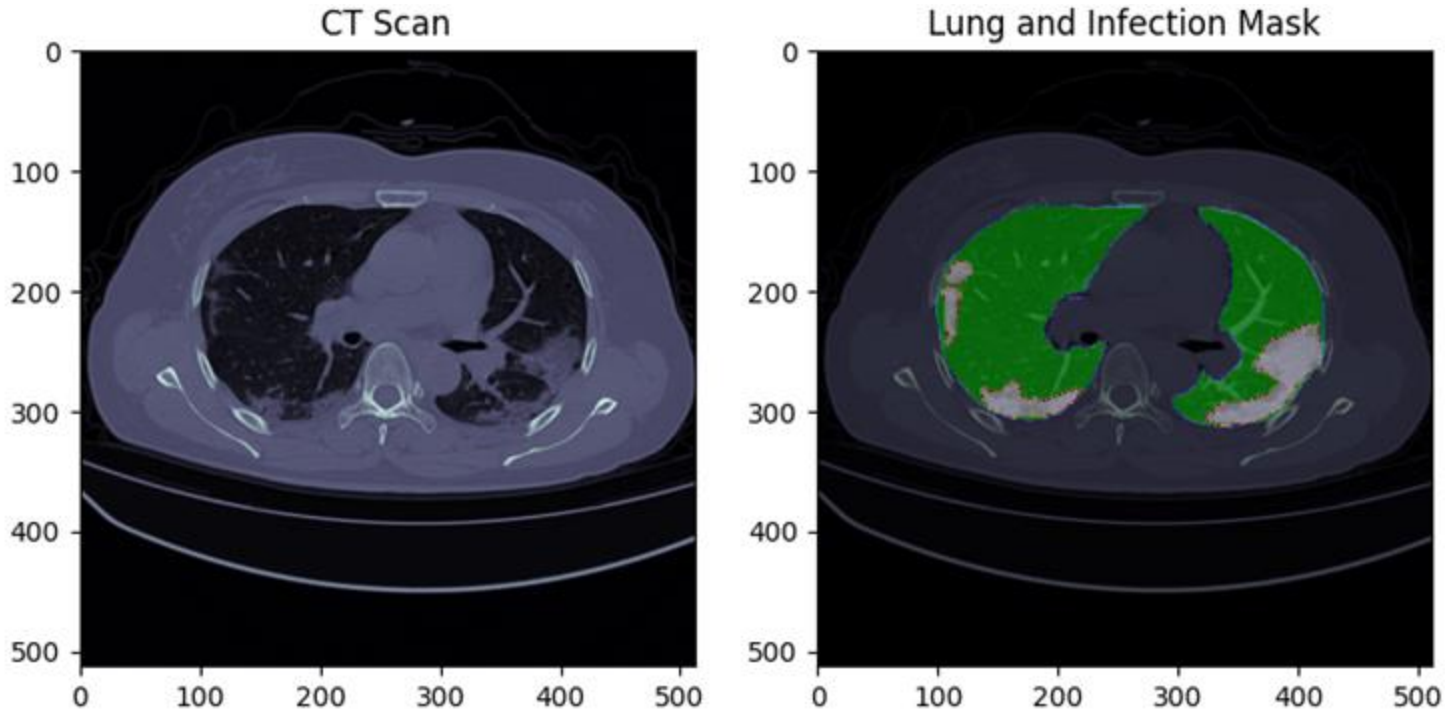


Introduction

Instance Segmentation



COVID-19 Infected Lung CT Scans Segmentation Task and Dataset



20 CT scans with multiple slices (512*512), in total 3,520 slices.

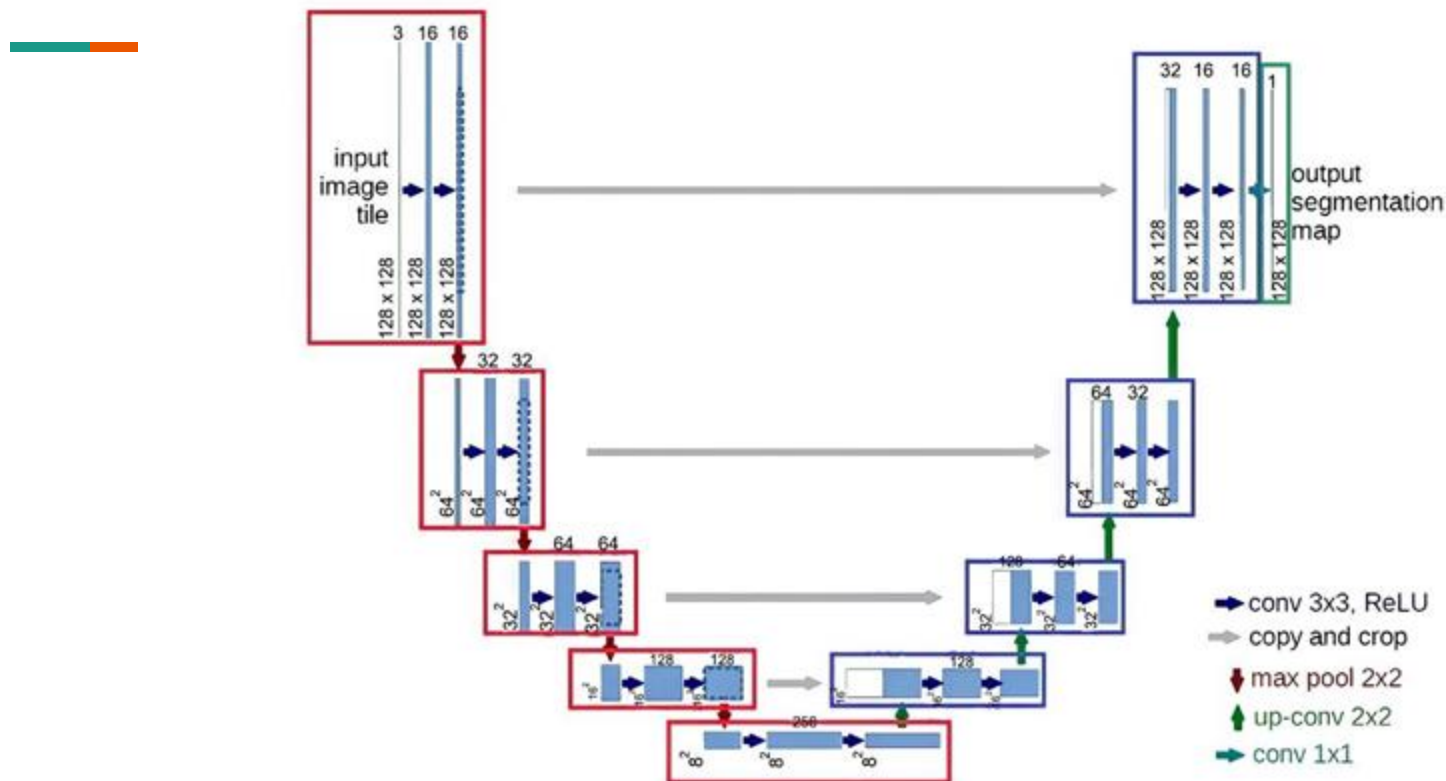
Three classes: (1) Infectious area; (2) Lung (healthy part); (3) Background

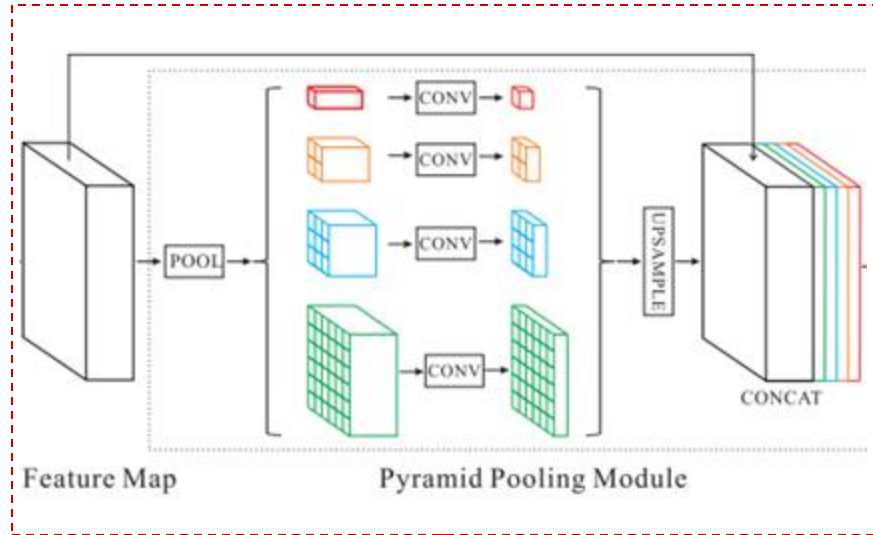
Train: 65% Validation: 13% Test: 22%

Methods

(Long et al., 2015)

Network 1: UNet

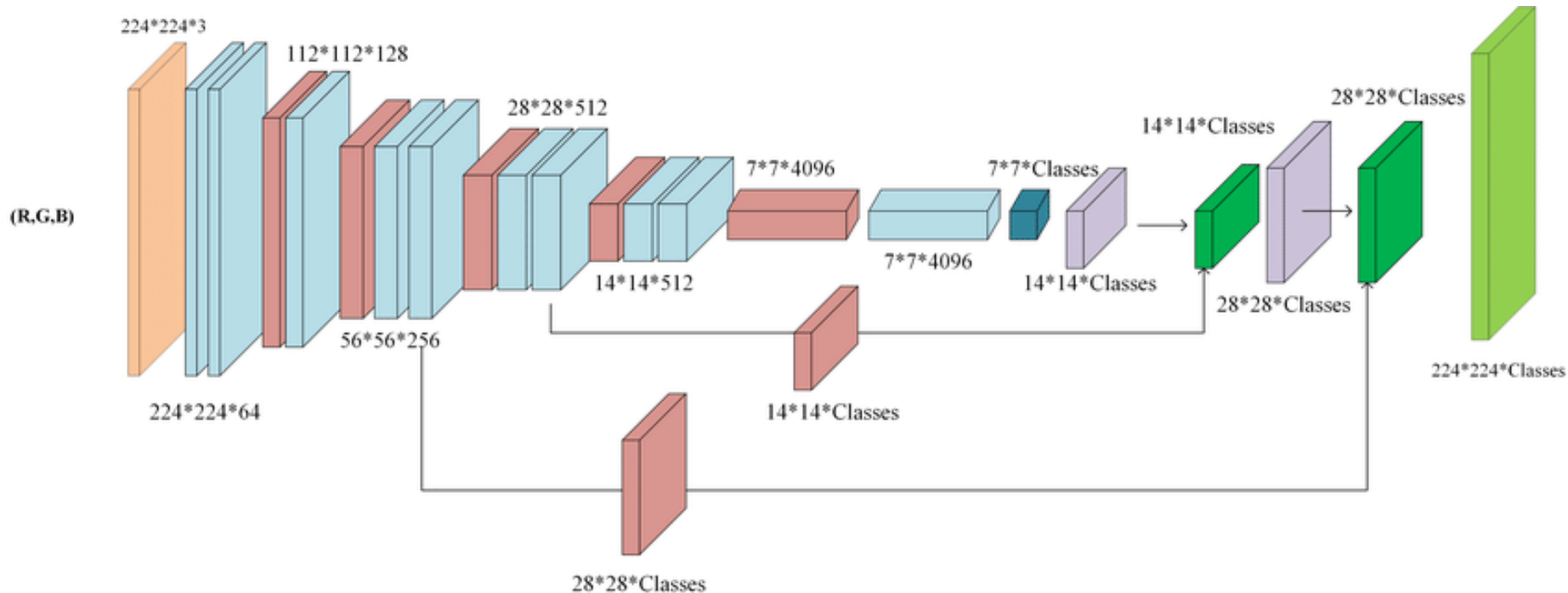




Methods

(Ronneberger et al., 2015)

Network 3: Fully Convolutional Network (FCN)



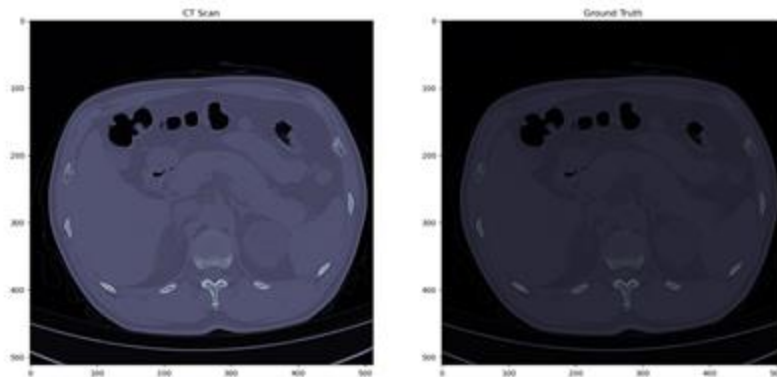
Training

- **Data Screening:** Select the middle one third of the slices of each scan.
- **Loss Function:** Binary cross entropy with logits
- **Optimizer:** Adam
- **Hyperparameters:**

Learning Rate: $1e-4$

Weight Decay: $1e-5$

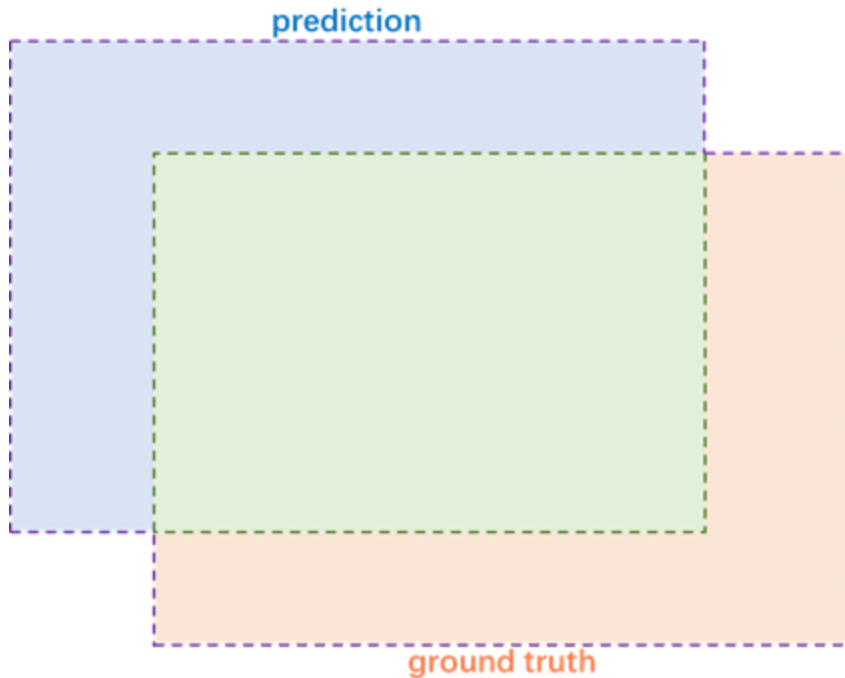
Number of Epochs: 40



Experiment and Evaluation

Metrics

- Pixel-wise Accuracy
- Intersection over Union (IoU)



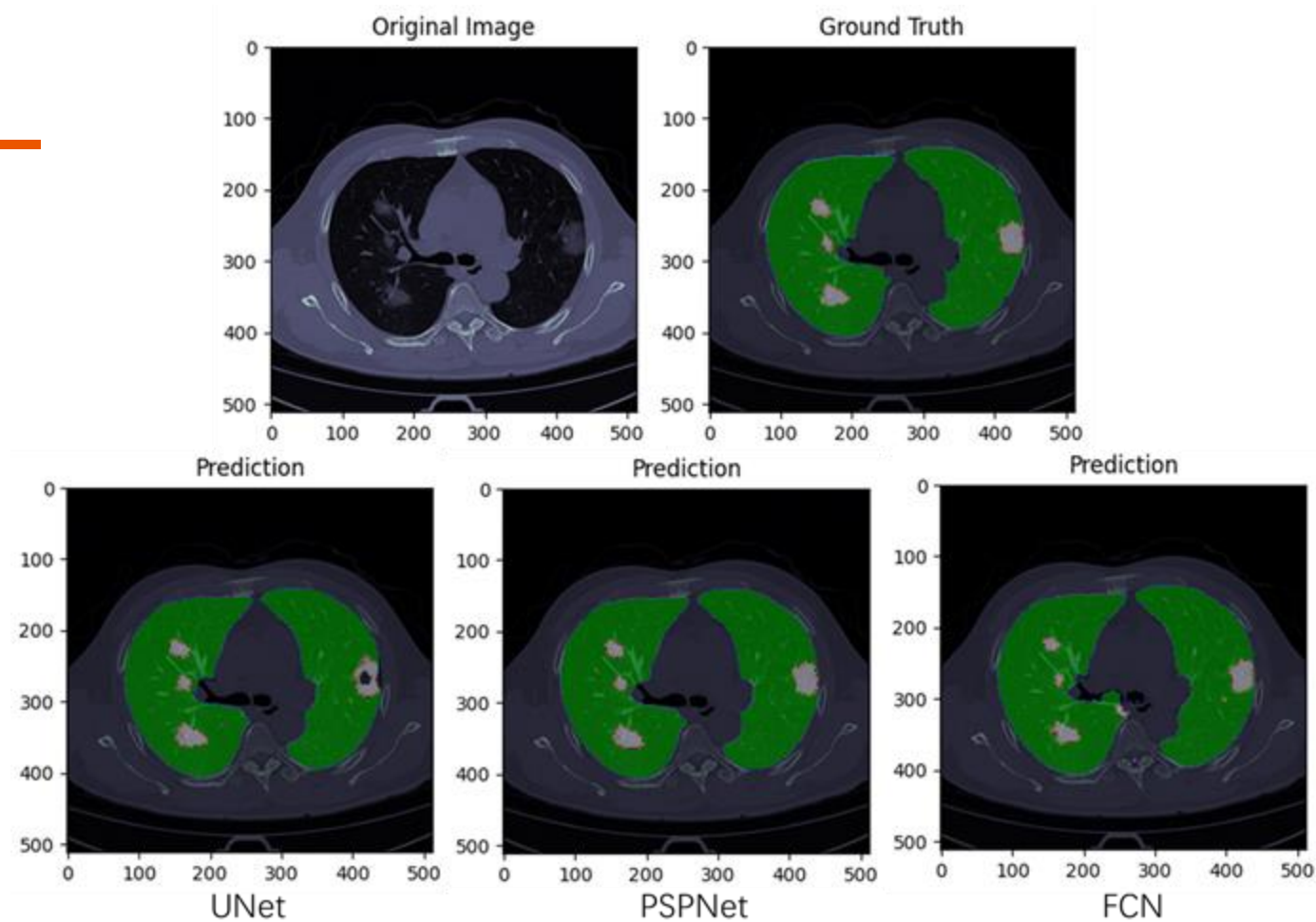
$$acc. = \frac{\text{\#correctly classified pixels}}{\text{\#total pixels}}$$

$$intersection = prediction \cap truth$$

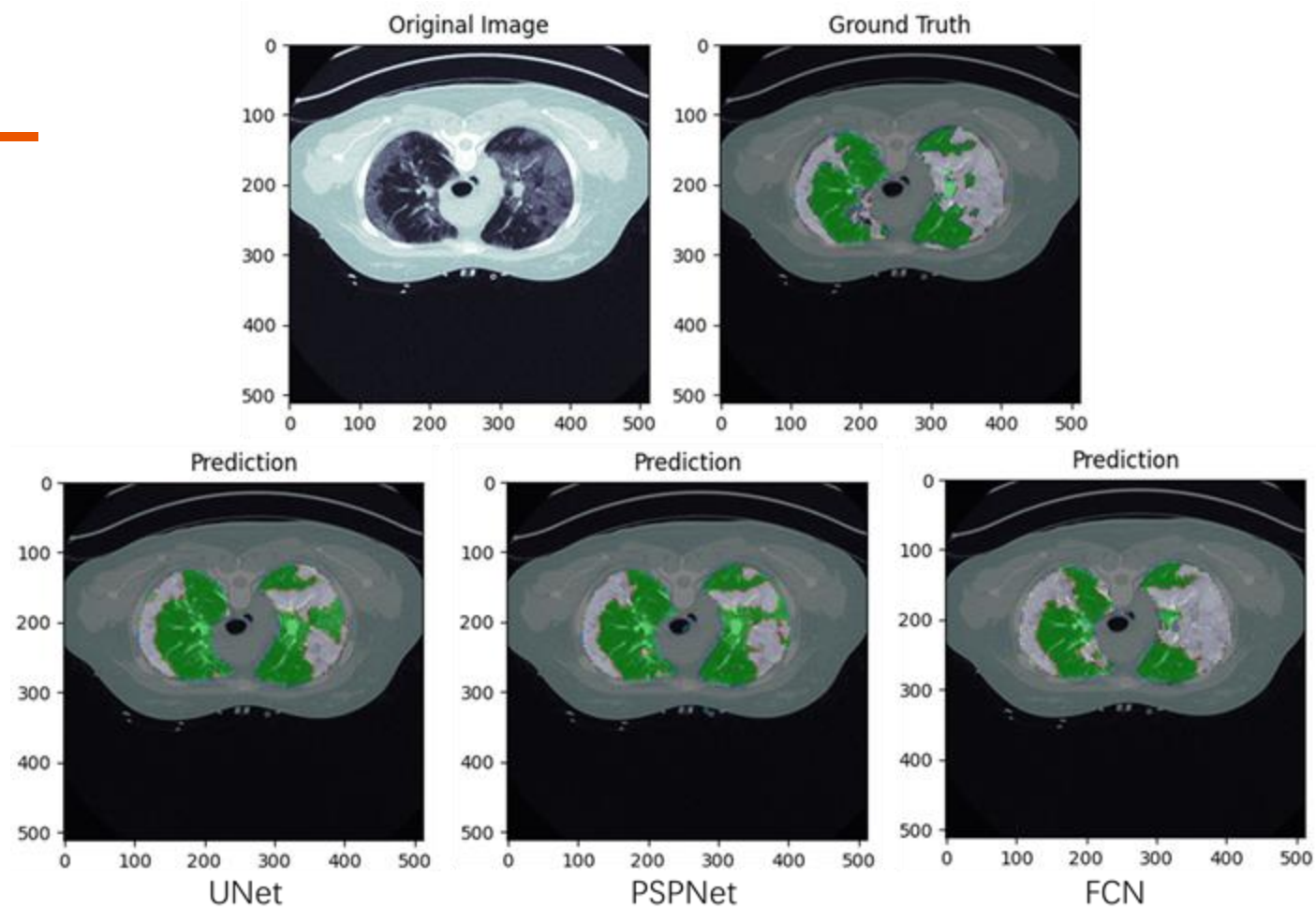
$$union = prediction \cup truth$$

$$IoU = \frac{intersection}{union}$$

Qualitative Results - Easier Example



Qualitative Results - Harder Example



Numerical Results



Metrics/ Network	Acc. (%)	mIoU (%)			
		Background	Lung	Infection	Average
UNet	98.6	99.1	89.8	39.4	76.1
PSPNet	98.8	99.3	90.6	54.6	81.5
FCN	98.7	99.0	89.5	60.4	83.0

Ablation Study



Histogram Equalization

Infection mIoU	FCN
Without Histogram Equalization	60.4
With Histogram Equalization	29.2

Data Augmentation

Infection mIoU	FCN
Without Data Augmentation	60.4
With Data Augmentation	54.8

Loss Function


Infection mIoU	FCN
BCE Loss	60.4
Focal Loss	53.6

Conclusion



- A vision-based solution of automatic COVID-19 lung infection localization and area estimation
- Comparison between different CNNs and screen out the optimal one.

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