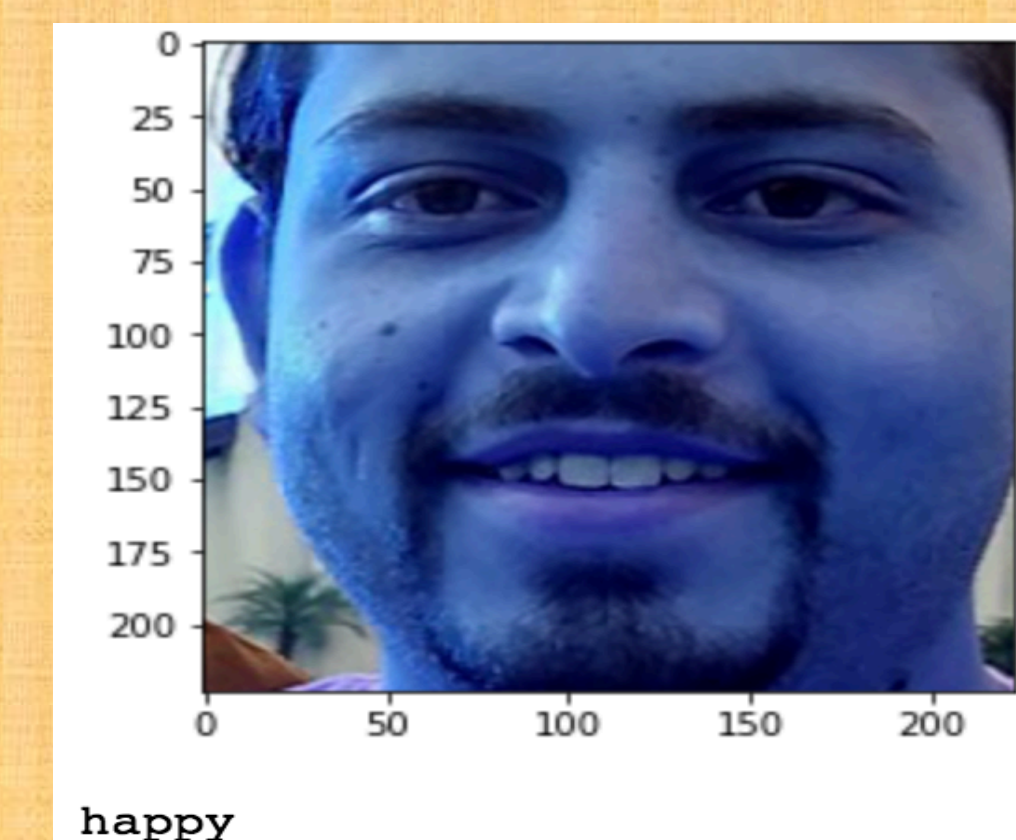
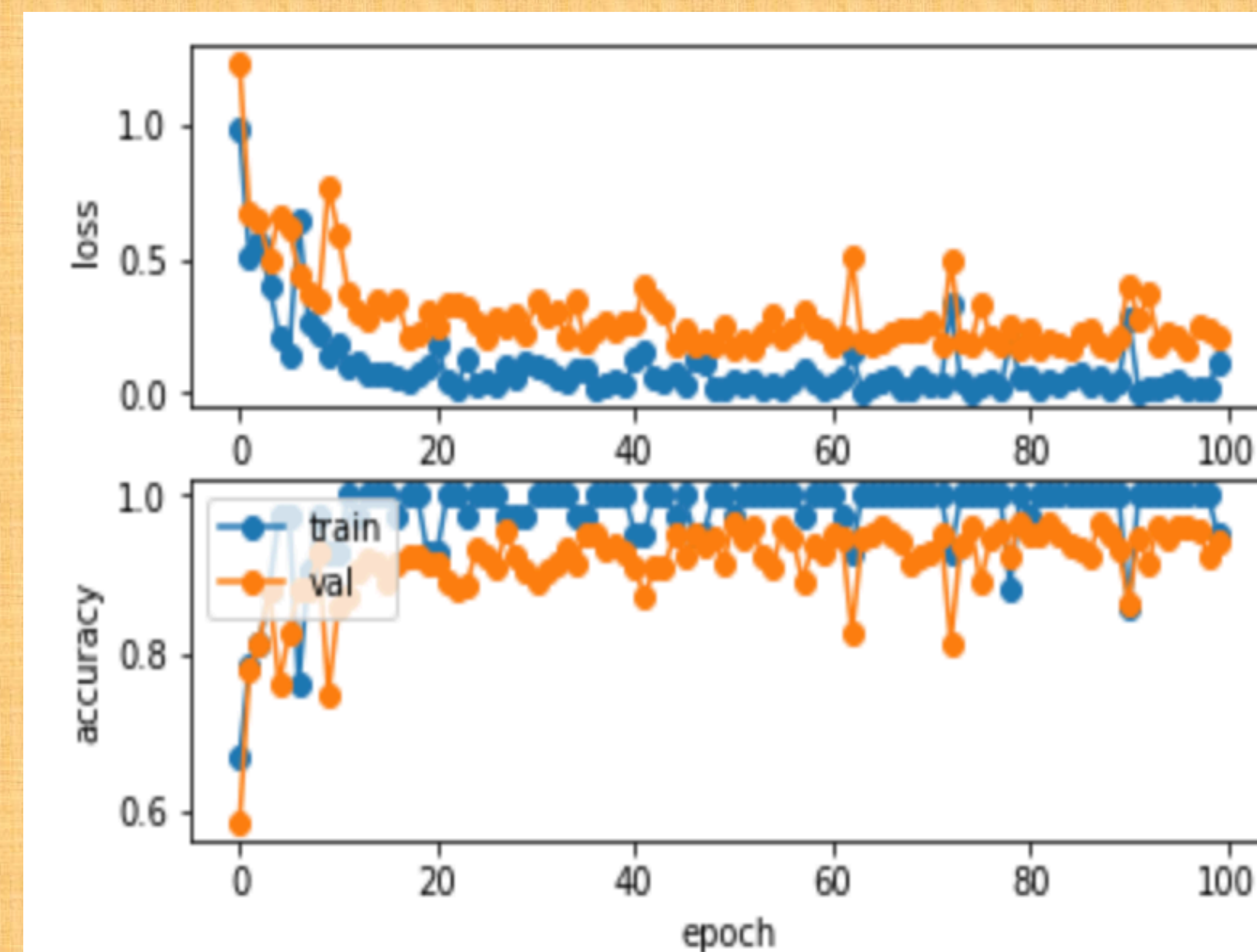


# Facial Expression Prediction

## INTRODUCTION

Facial expressions can be a key to understanding the human emotions. Based on this idea, our aim is to train a neural network which shall be able to predict the emotions by learning from a dataset of images of human facial expressions.



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## DATASET

- The Extended Cohn-Kanade Dataset (CK+)

## PROCESS

### ❖ DATA PRE PROCESSING

- Filter labelled images from CK+ dataset
- Picked last 3 pick expression frames and one neutral frame.
- Aligned selected images using dlib framework.
- Split aligned dataset into training, testing and validation set with the ratio of 8:1:1.
- Augmented training dataset by flipping images horizontally.
- Testing and validation dataset left untouched as aligned original dataset.

### ❖ TRAINING

#### ➤ PHASE 1

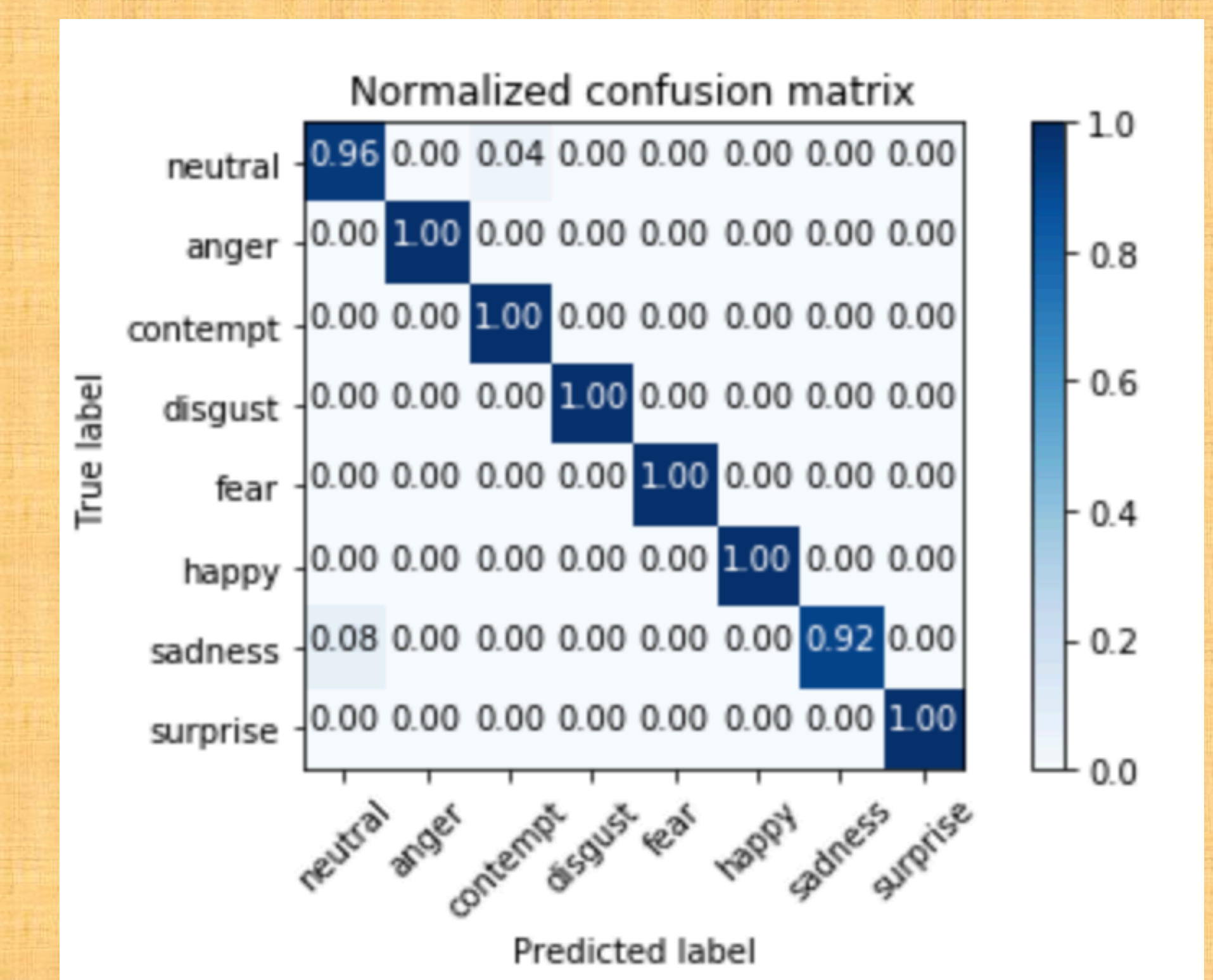
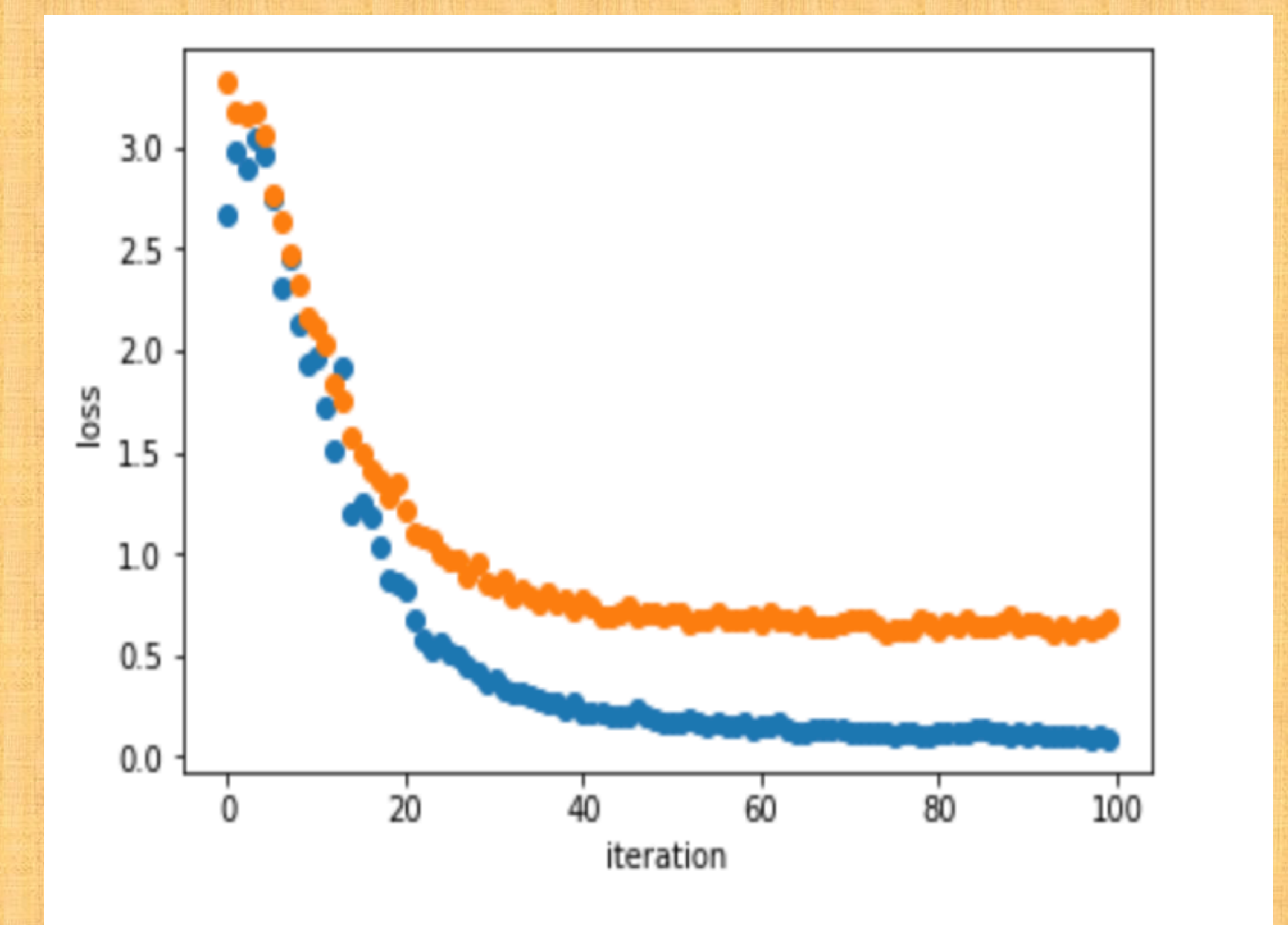
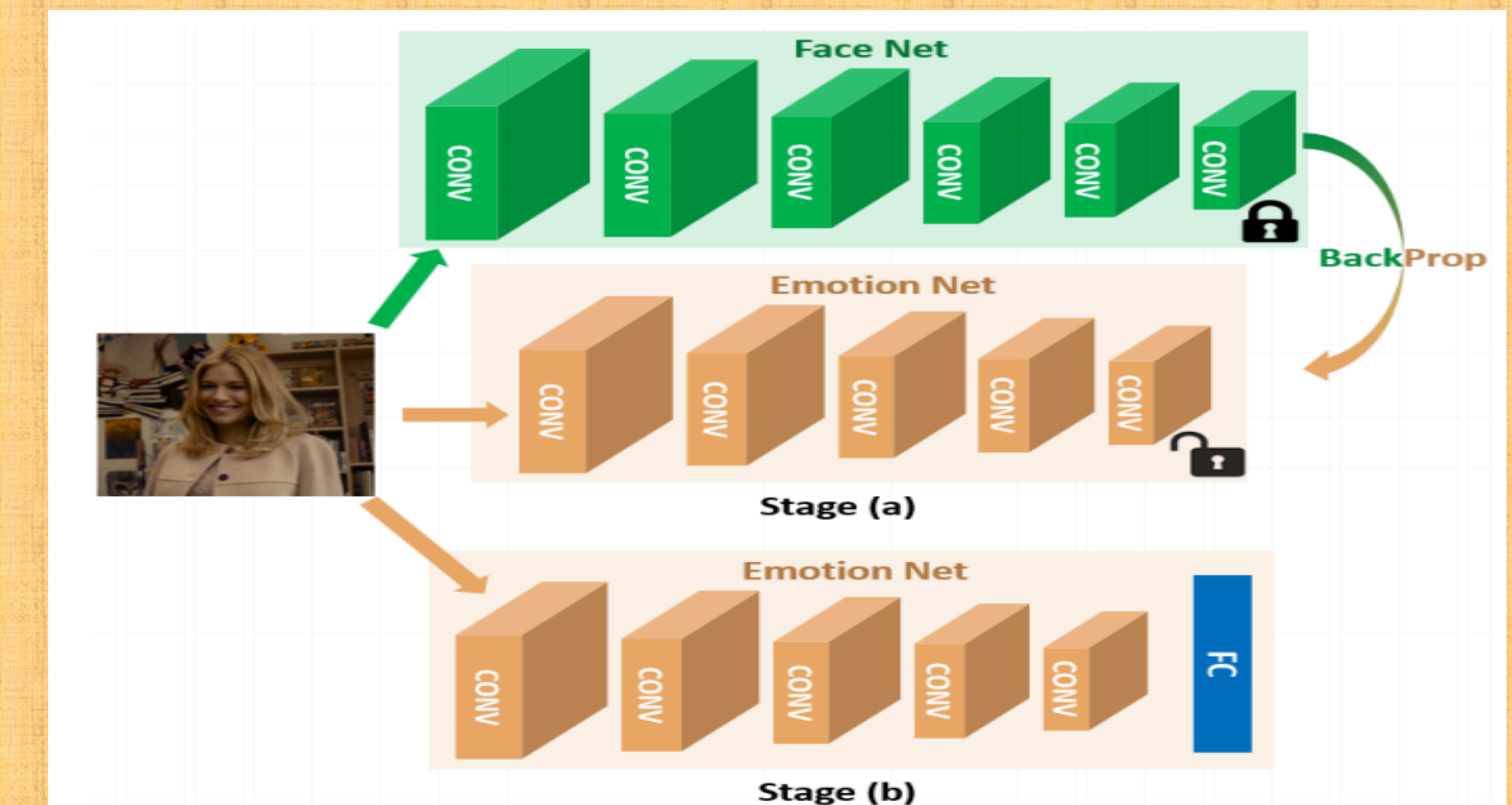
- Used pytorch implemented openface pre-trained network to start with the first phase.
- Used L2 loss to train Convolutional Neural Network to immitate openface / facenet.
  - 2092 training samples with 131 validation samples has been used.
- Adam with **learning rate 0.001** and **batch size of 50** has been used with **100 epochs**.
  - Saved the trained model at last.

#### ➤ PHASE 2

- Added two Fully Connected Network after the network learned in phase 1.
  - Loaded pre trained model from phase1.
- Same configuration has been used with additional parameter; **decaying\_weights = 0.01**.
  - Stopped at validation accuracy of **94.5%**.
- Tested the model on untouched testing set, and the result was **98.5%**.
  - Saved model.

### ❖ PREDICTION

- Prediction on Test set gives a whopping **98.5%** accuracy.
- We also tested on real time images and with some old images and it predicts correct most of the time.
- Achieved **99.12%** multiclass roc score.



- FaceNet2ExpNet: Regularizing a Deep Face Recognition Net for Expression Recognition Hui Ding<sup>1</sup>, Shaohua Kevin Zhou<sup>2</sup> and Rama Chellappa<sup>1</sup> <sup>1</sup> University of Maryland, College Park <sup>2</sup> Siemens Healthcare Technology Center, Princeton, New Jersey

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