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# Using GANs to optimize Pose Estimation on Art Collections

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# Preface

I've been interested in Art my entire life. In fact, I've a degree in the Fine Arts from LUCA School of Arts. There, I was known for my technical ability and one of my professors at the time asked me why I didn't do anything with that in my artworks. That remark has since stuck with me and was part of my motivation to apply for readmission for my Master of Science. With all the advancements in AI, I started thinking more and more about doing work with that. Like Matisse and Turner, I'm not satisfied with the tools available, but want to create my own.

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## Introduction

### 1.1 Problem definition

To make art collections more accessible, museums put a huge effort in digitalizing their catalogue. However, they don't contain much metadata about the content and it is time-consuming to enhance them manually. To make this process easier, they want to utilize computer vision. Art collections (paintings, statues, drawings, etc.) turn out to be less interpretable by the algorithms that were developed for photography over the last few decades. These scan the images in search of recognizable objects and add their labels to the metadata. Even the latest state-of-the-art technology, struggles to recognize objects when pointed at a painting in a museum. A solution may be to start over and have paintings annotated by humans.

This has been done in 2 recent projects: Saint-George-On-A-Bike [10] and INSIGHT [11]. However, paintings are very complex and manual annotation doesn't scale and is very expensive. For example, 10,000 paintings were annotated by Royal Museums of Fine Arts of Belgium (RMFAB) with no clear return on investment. They spent a year on this and this is not something they want to repeat. How can we automate this process and ensure that state-of-the-art computer vision models give good results on paintings and artworks?

Specifically for this thesis, pose estimation will be investigated.

# 2

## Literature study

We will first examine the effectiveness of existing models on a collection of paintings from 2 different movements. For this we will need to have a pose estimator, a style transformer and a collection of test data.

A first method: We will first convert the test data with the style transformer to a painting and then we will apply pose estimation. The test data will have coordinates of the joints, which we will compare with the results of the pose estimation. However, the joints are of the original image. How do we convert those coordinates to map to the styled image? Problem: This method does not use any real paintings and will be susceptible to the accuracy of the style transformer.

A second method: We can apply pose estimation to real paintings and then convert them to a realistic image with style transfer. We can then use pose estimation to the realistic images and compare them with the style transformed results. This will also require a way to map the results of the real painting to that of the style transformed. Problem: While we're using real paintings now, the results will still depend on the accuracy of style transformer.

A third method: We can annotate the paintings ourselves and use pose estimation to assess the pose estimation algorithms. Problem: We must annotate the paintings ourselves.

### 2.1 Human Pose estimation

Human Pose Estimation (HPE) aims to detect human features from input data such as images and videos. It's an elementary part of computer vision with many applications among which are human action recognition (sign language), human tracking (surveillance), and human-computer interaction (video games). This is an extensively researched area with a diverse range of different techniques. This chapter will try to give an overview of all the many challenges and proposed solutions. The focus will be on deep learning models, which have surpassed classical solutions significantly. Specifically, around 2D monocular HPE eg, [12][3][13][14].

The human body has a high degree-of-freedom due to all the limbs, self-similar parts and body types, which may cause self-occlusion or rare/complex poses. The variations in configuration are made even larger due to clothing, lighting, foreground occlusion, as well as viewing angles and truncation, among others, as shown in fig. 2.1. This makes HPE one of the most difficult tasks in computer vision [15][2].

#### 2.1.1 Representation

An important factor in HPE is how the pose will be represented. Depending on the needs of the problem you can have a skeleton-base, contour-base, or volume-base solution [2]2.2.

### **Skeleton-based model**

The skeleton is build of a tree-structured set of keypoints that represent the joints of the human body. These can be explicitly described by their coordinates in 2D or 3D space [4]. More suitable for a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) however is a heatmap which constructs a 2D Gaussian kernel around a keypoint [13][16]. They are easily implemented and became the dominant representation. While the skeleton-based model is a compact and flexible representation it suffers in this aspect by not being able to hold texture or shape information [3].

### **Contour representation**

To capture the shape of the body parts, contour representation uses rectangles to estimate the body contours. These methods include cardboard models [17] and Active Shape Models (ASMs) [18] and were mainly in use in earlier HPE methods [2].

### **Volume representation**

Volumetric geometric shapes can also be used as a method of representation. Earlier methods used simple shapes like cylinders, conics, and other shapes [19]. Volume representation is a 3D mesh that represents the human body. The most used model is Skinned Multi-Person Linear (SMPL), which includes natural pose-dependent deformations imitating soft-tissue dynamics [20].

For the purpose of our research, a simple model is the only thing we need. We only need to be aware of the most essential joints to label a pose. This makes the skeleton-based model the ideal representation to work with and will be the focus of further study.

## **2.1.2 Discriminative Methods and Generative Methods**

Before deep learning became prominent in HPE there were already a number of different methods in use. Some of these methods are compatible with the deep learning methods and were thus adopted. An early distinction is between generative and discriminative methods.

### **Generative Model**

A generative method will work with prior beliefs about the pose. More information about this can be found in the section about representation 2.1.1. It will project the pose on the image and verify it with the image data. If they don't comply, the pose is adjusted using the descent direction found by minimizing an error function [21].

### **Discriminative Model**

Discriminative methods on the other hand, try to map the pose on the image data with learned models. There are several methods in this category, among which are the deep learning-based methods. The deep-learning methods are further categorized by the following sections.

### 2.1.3 Single-Person Methods

Single-person pose estimation will try to evaluate only one pose from an image. There are 2 major methods that are in use: regression methods and detection-based methods.

#### Regression-based Methods

The regression-based methods learn a network that maps all the body keypoints to the image-data directly as shown in 2.3a.

The first successful deep learning model came from Toshev and Svedegy [4] and is considered the switch in paradigm from classic approaches to deep learning HPE. Toshev et al. uses a 7-layered model with 5 convolution layers and 2 fully-connected layers for the pose regressor, based on AlexNet for its simple but effective architecture [22]. They then cascade the resulting found keypoints of this model to itself where it refines it using the area around the keypoints. While the network is the same, the different stages will have different learned parameters. With every stage the found keypoints become more accurate.

Carreira et al. [23] introduce an Iterative Error Feedback which is a self-correcting model using top-down feedback. Using the image-data and a starting pose modeled as a heatmap, the model, based on GoogLeNet [24], will predict an error for each keypoint. The pose is then corrected based on the error and fed back into the model as a heatmap with the image. With each iteration it converges towards the solution instead of making the prediction in one go. Regression-based methods map the keypoints directly on the image, making it a non-linear problem. This will cause less robust generalization [13].

#### Heatmap/Detection-based Methods

The detection-based methods will first estimate the individual body parts using heatmaps, which leads to an easier optimization and a more robust generalization [14]. Most of the latest HPE methods use heatmaps because of this. After the joints are found they are then assembled to fit a human skeleton. This process is shown in 2.3b.

Tompson et al. [25] proposed a hybrid architecture where the detection of body parts is handled by a CNN and a Spatial-Model to bring those together. The first step produces many false-positives and these are removed in the second step by restricting joint inter-connectivity to enforce correct anatomy. They build on this in [26], where they used a cascade to refine predictions.

A fundamental work written by Wei et al. [6] combines convolution networks with Pose Machines [5]. Pose Machines is an iterative architecture which consists of 2 models: the first is used for stage 1 where it extracts potential heatmaps for the joints. The second model is used for subsequent stages where the result of the previous stage is fed in together with the results of its own convolution network on the input image. This gradually refines the predictions for the joints and their positioning. 2.5 shows this process.

Another influential work was being written at the same time by Newell et al. [7]. Similar to CPMs, this is also an iterative architecture. They suggest what they call a "stacked hourglass" network, where "hourglass" modules are repeated 2.6a. In an "hourglass" module, first, the features are downsampled and afterwards upsampled again 2.6b. This network captures different spatial relationships between joints at different resolutions. Several other works [27][? ][28] have since improved on the network design.

Both these use intermediate supervision to tackle the problem of vanishing gradients. This still doesn't build a deep sub-network for feature extraction which limits the estimations. This has become less of a problem with the emergence of

Residual Network (ResNet)[29] which allows better back-propagation at deeper levels through shortcuts.

A more recent work by Sun et al. [8] maintains the high-resolution representations instead of working the high-resolution from the low-to-high sub-network. After a first high-resolution sub-network, it gradually adds high-to-low sub-networks in parallel to predict multi-resolution features. Before each branch, they apply multi-scale fusion, which joins the predicted features from each scale on each scale. Both are shown in 2.7. This network has proven very effective and inspired several variations [30][31][32].

With the emergence of neural networks also came Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) [33], which proved useful for HPE. They are employed to improve constraints of joint inter-connectivity and infer occluded body parts.

Chen et al. [9] propose a structure-aware convolution network using a stacked hourglass as generator which generates heatmaps for each joint. They use 2 discriminators, one to discriminate between low- and high-confidence predictions, another for real and fake poses. The network is designed as a conditional Generative Adversarial Network (cGAN) [34], which allows it to generate pose heatmaps as well as occlusion heatmaps.

A more classic GAN is used by Chou et al. [35], where they use a stacked hourglass network for both the generator as the discriminator. The generator predicts the heatmaps for each joint and the discriminator distinguished between the real and fake ones.

#### 2.1.4 Multi-Person Methods

With multi-person methods comes an extra layer of difficulty: they need to be able to detect each person separately. To solve this problem multi-person methods propose several solutions. The 2 most popular are top-down and bottom-up methods.

##### Top-Down Methods

This method will first try to detect all persons in the image with a human detector. Each person is cropped by the bounding box and a single-person estimator predicts a pose for each person.

Occlusion and truncation are a regular occurrence in multi-person scenes and inevitable problem. One of the early multi-person models, by Iqbal et al. [36], works towards creating a robust model against occlusion. It uses Faster RCCN [37] to detect the human boundaries. After which, it applies integer linear programming for each person's fully connected graph. This technique is similar to [38], but instead of working on all globally found joints it only considers local joints. It can also handle any kind of occlusion or truncation.

The use of a human detector comes with its own sort of problems. Fang et al. [39], with Regional Multi-person Pose Estimation (RPME), try to remedy these with 2 components: They try to tackle inaccurate bounding boxes with Symmetric Spatial Transformer Network, redundant detections with Parametric Pose Non-Maximum-Supresion. They also propose a 3rd component, Pose-Guided Proposals Generator, which can augment training samples.

Papandreou et al. [40] use a 2 stage pipeline. In the first stage, they employ the Faster RCNN detector [37]. In the second stage, they estimate the pose in each found bounding box using their own network. It predicts heatmaps using a fully convolutional ResNet and use their own novel aggregation procedure. Afterwards, they do post-processing using keypoint-based Non-Maximum-Suppression (NMS) a method of their own making.

A continuous effort is taken by Chen et al. [9] to deal with occlusion and truncation. They suggest a 2 stage architecture, a Cascaded Pyramid Network (CPN) as seen in 2.8, where first the "simple" keypoints are captured with GlobalNet, a feature

pyramid network based on [41], and the "hard" keypoints are handled by their RefineNet, based on the upsampling and concatenating of HyperNet [42] and using an adapted stacked hourglass. They achieved great results and several others improved on their work [43][44].

In more recent research, a new method was become more powerful than CNNs. The Transformer [? ], based on attention mechanisms which are used to optimize recurrent networks [45], eliminates the use of recurrent layers, keeping only the attention mechanisms. Yang et al. [46] use this architecture because allows for better understanding of the spatial dependencies and learns at a higher rate.

### **Bottom-Up Methods**

A different approach is taken with bottom-up methods. They first locate all joints in the image and then assemble them in potential humans.

DeepCut by Pishchulin et al. [38], one of the first multi-person models using CNNs. Using Fast R-CNN [37], it detects the body parts and labels each. With the joints found, it then uses Integer Linear Programming (ILP) to assemble them. This method is very computationally expensive; NP-hard. Insafutdinov et al. [47] therefor introduce a stronger part detector and better optimization strategy with DeeperCut.

CPMs make a return with OpenPose by Cao et al. [48], they're used to predict the joints with heatmaps and Part Affinity Fields (PAFs). A part affinity field also encodes the position and orientation of the limb which makes the assembly of joints into different poses possible. They can achieve real-time results with this method, and several others have improved on their design [49][50][44]. The high performance is only applicable to high-resolution images. Low-resolution images or images with occlusions perform poorly.

Kreiss et al. [51] continue on the idea of fields and introduce the Part Intensity Fields (PIF) and Part Association Fields (PAF). First, they predict the location of the different joints with PIF. Afterwards, they use PAF to find the inter-joint relationships. They are able to outperform any previous OpenPose-based proposals on low-resolution and occlusions.

Newell et al. [52] introduce a new method called associative embedding for supervising CNNs both detection and grouping. This is a single-stage architecture as opposed to the two-staged architectures previously discussed. They make use of the stacked hourglass network from [7] with some small modifications.

Continuing on the idea of associative embedding, Cheng et al. [30] use HRNet [8] as backbone for their HigherHRNet. Their method focuses on the scale-variance problem; a problem which hasn't been studied much, so it can localize keypoints for small persons better. Lou et al. [53] introduce Scale-adaptive Heatmap Regression (SAHR) and Weight-adaptive Heatmap Regression (WAHR) to the scale-variance problem. SAHR adaptively adjusts the standard deviation of each heatmap corresponding with the scale of the person. WAHR rebalances the foreground and background samples, so SAHR can work to its fullest extent.

### **Summary**

An important challenge for HPE is making predictions in scenes with hight occlusions. Top-down models achieve state-of-the art performance in almost all benchmark datasets [2]. Top-down models has difficulty with overlapping bodies and human detectors might fail finding humans there. To the same extent, bottom-up models will have greater inaccuracy with grouping in occluded scenes. Computationally, the top-down model's speed is limited by the number of people found. The

Flexible body configuration



self occlusion

Diverse body appearance



various clothing

Complex environment



foreground occlusion



various viewing angle



complex pose



self-similar part



nearby person

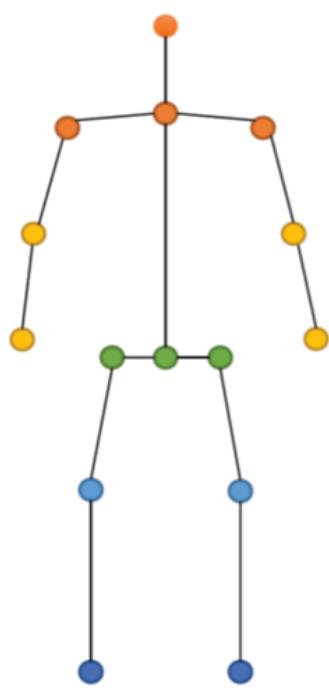


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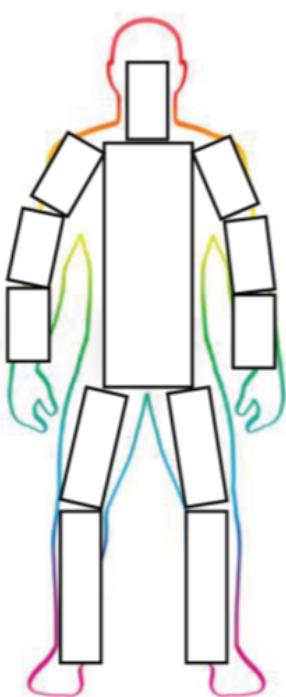
Figure 2.1: The various challenges HPE solutions face. Images from MPII dataset. [1][2]

higher efficiency of bottom-up models, make them more suitable for real-time applications.

## 2.2 Image Style Transfer



(a) Skeleton



(b) Contour



(c) Volume

Figure 2.2: Models for pose representation [3]

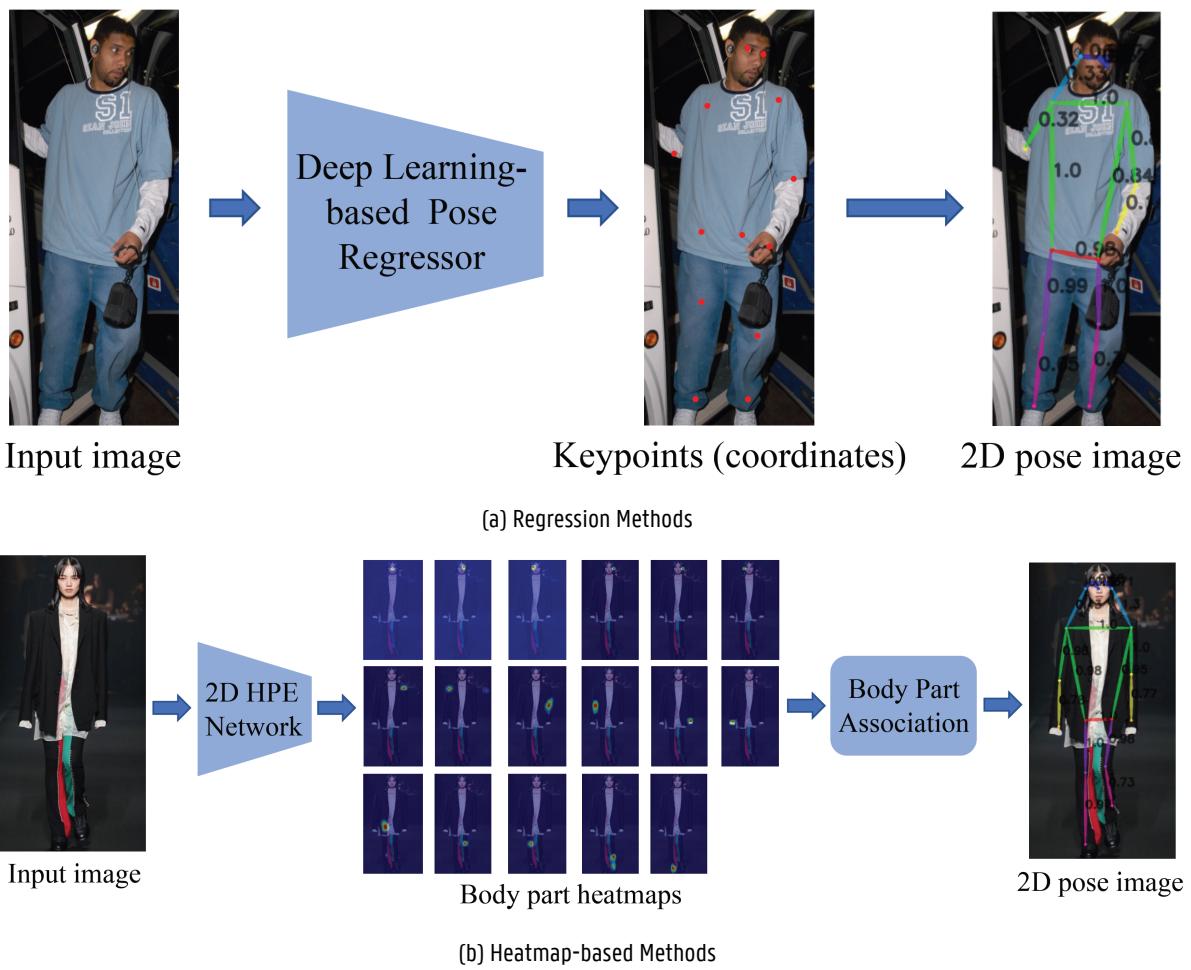


Figure 2.3: The different methods of single-person human pose estimation.[3]

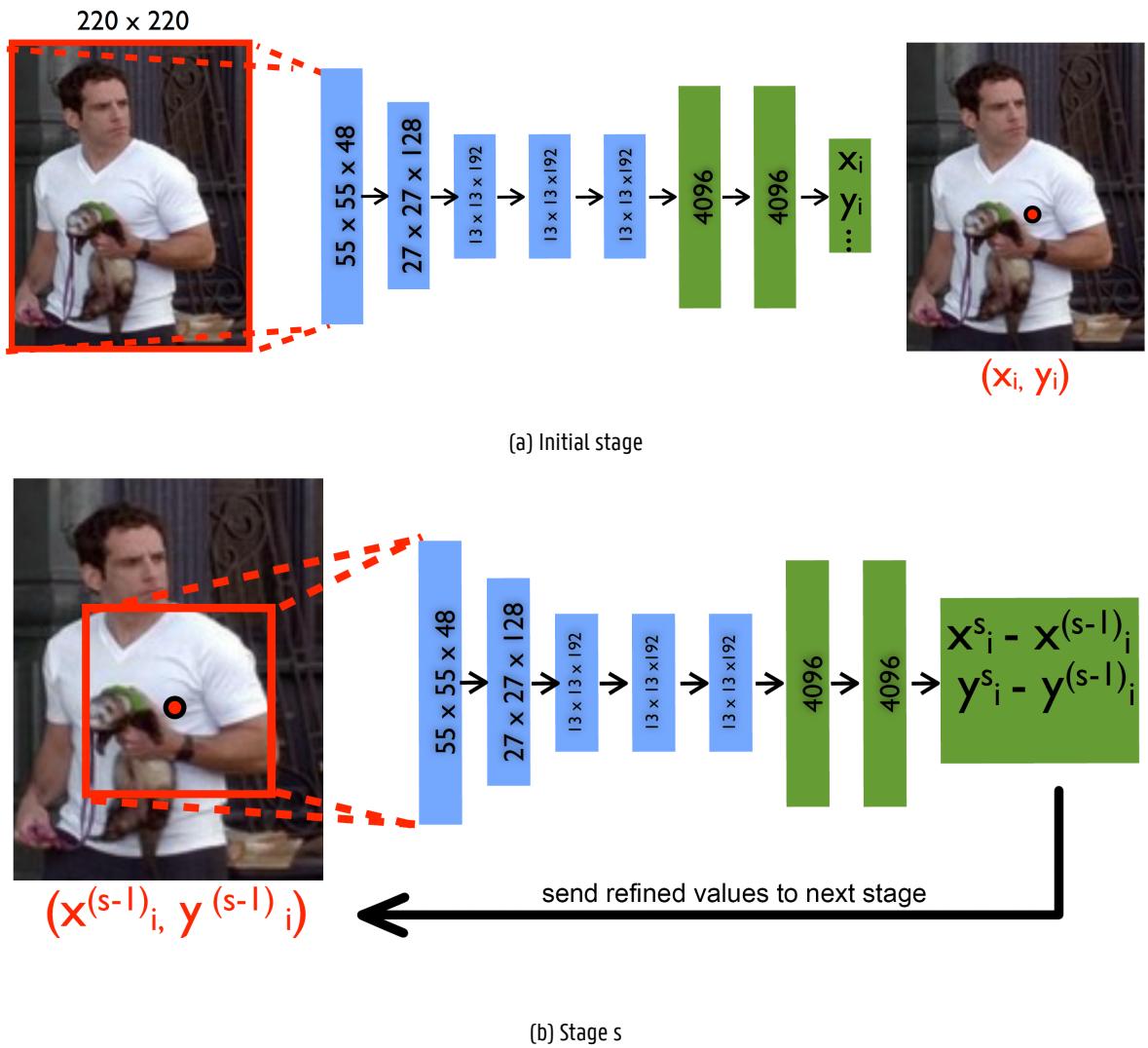


Figure 2.4: Convolution layers in blue and fully connected layers in green. The initial stage is applied to the whole images, while in stage  $s$  it will work on a sub-image based on the result of the previous stage.[4]

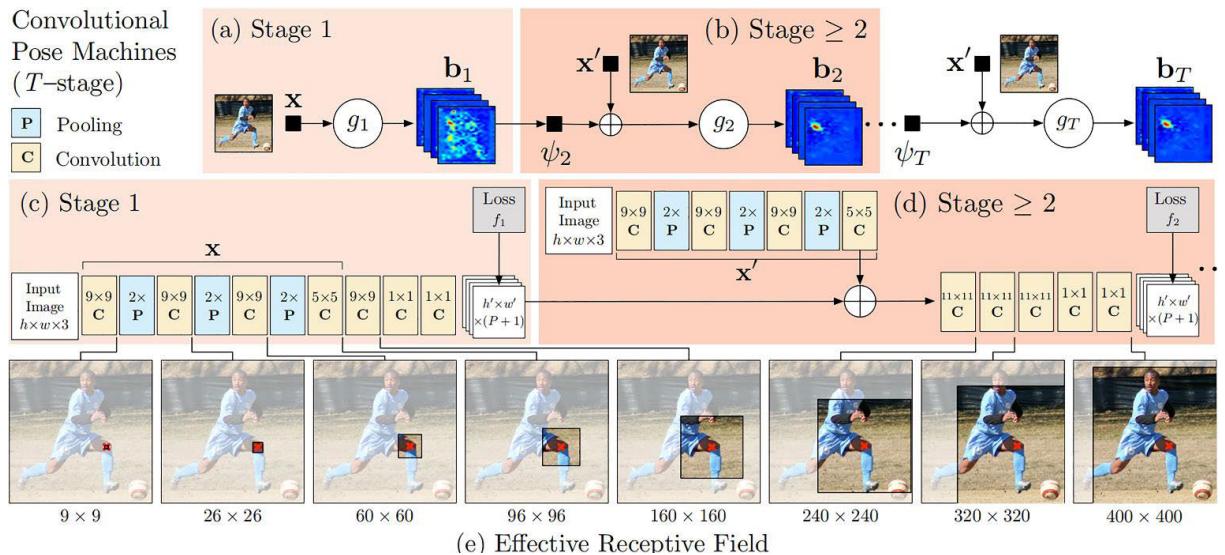
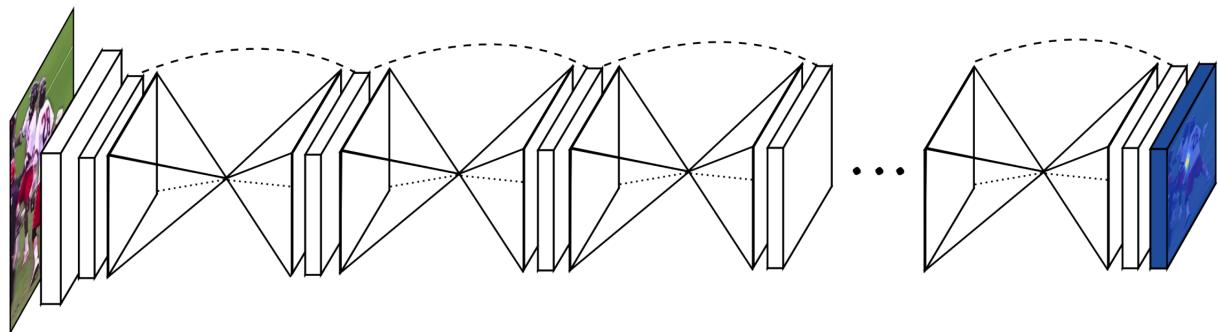
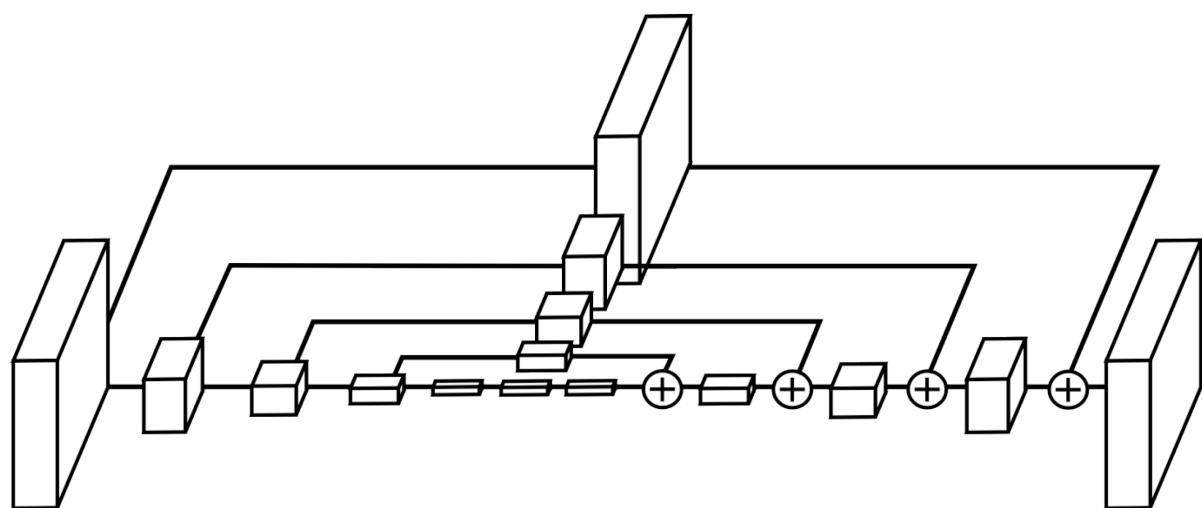


Figure 2.5: Architecture and receptive fields of CPMs. (a) and (b) represent the pose machine architecture.[5] (c) and (d) show the corresponding convolutional networks used by CPMs.[6]



(a) Stacked Hourglass



(b) Hourglass Module

Figure 2.6: The structure of a "stacked hourglass" network and a single "hourglass" module.[7]

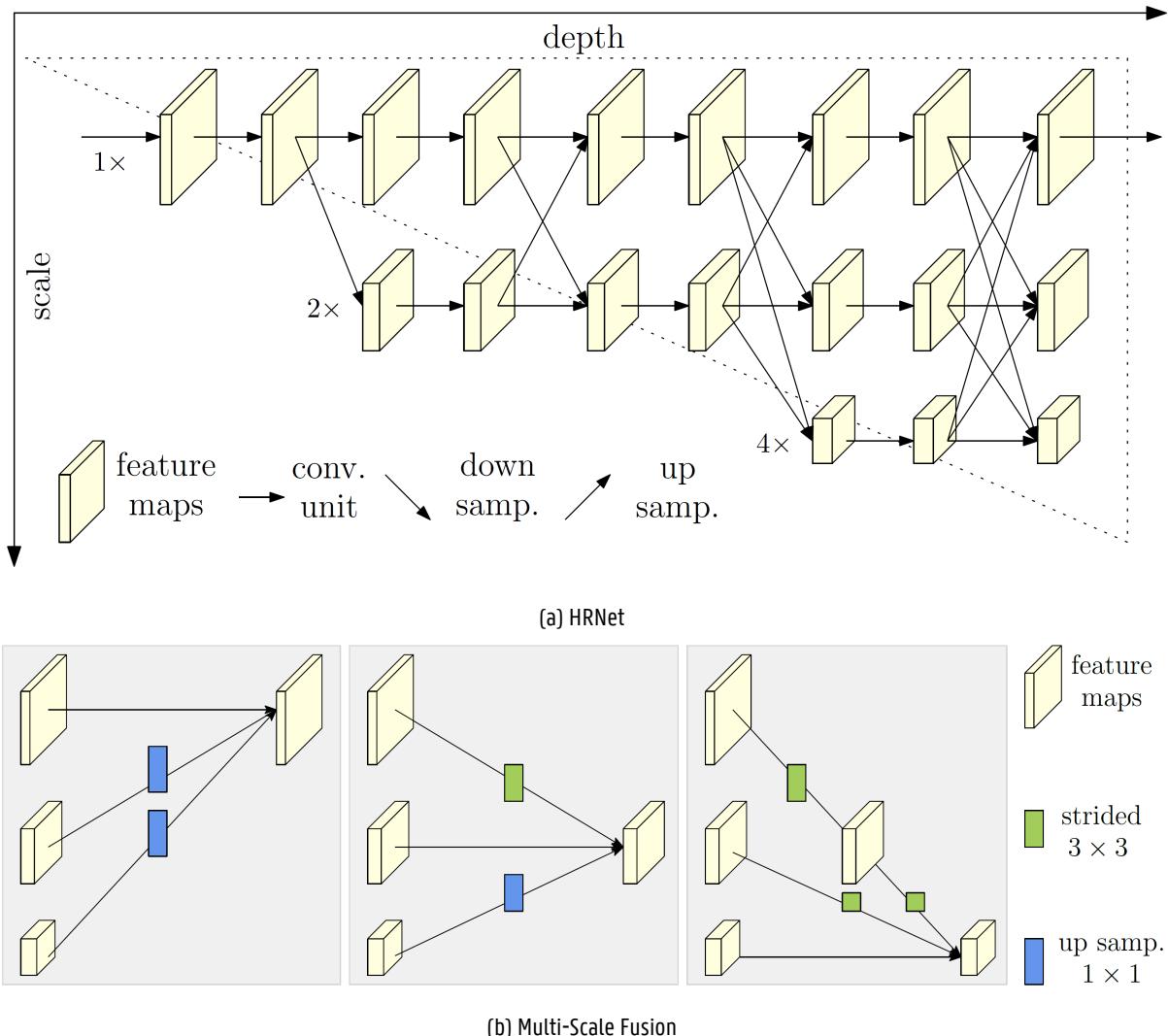


Figure 2.7: The architecture of the High-Resolution network and how it applies multi-scale fusion.[8]

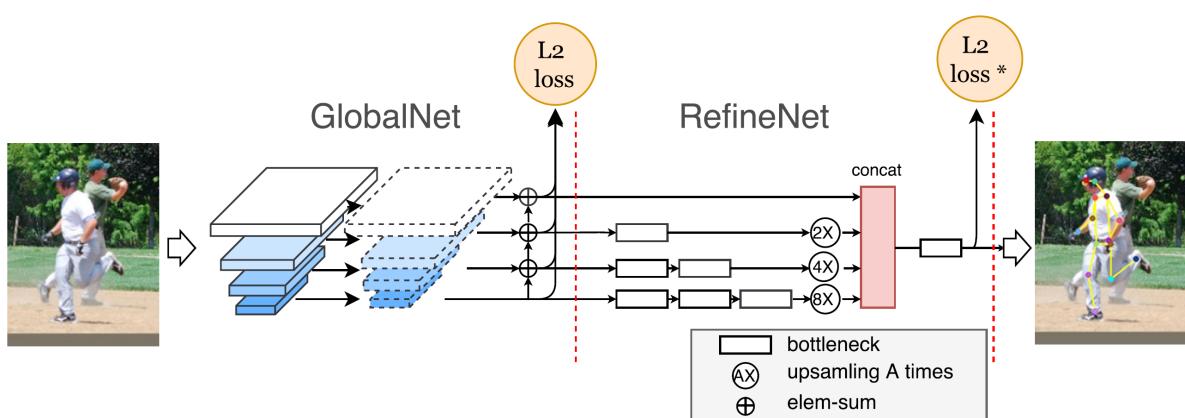


Figure 2.8: Cascaded Pyramid Network. “L2 loss\*” means L2 loss with online hard keypoints mining.[9]

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