

# Sketch-Based Image Retrieval with Style

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# Task Definition

## Cross domain retrieval using sketch images

- Styles hold substantial differences  
(Even good classifiers cannot generalize)
- Beyond real images (photography)



+ Comic →



# Dataset

## BAM! The Behance Artistic Media Dataset

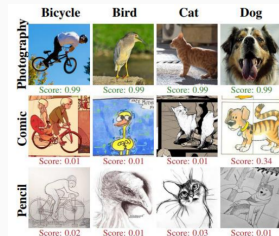
What we use:

Media:

Content:

Emotion:

- All 7 styles (media)
- 5 content classes: Bicycle, Bird, Cars, Cat, Dog



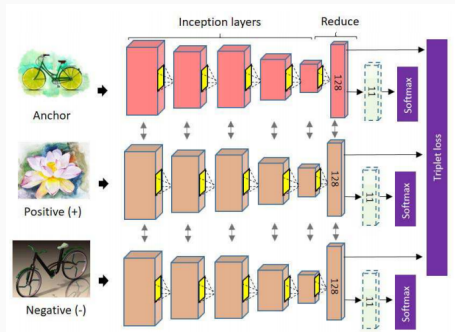
## The Quick, Draw! Dataset

Used as sketch queries

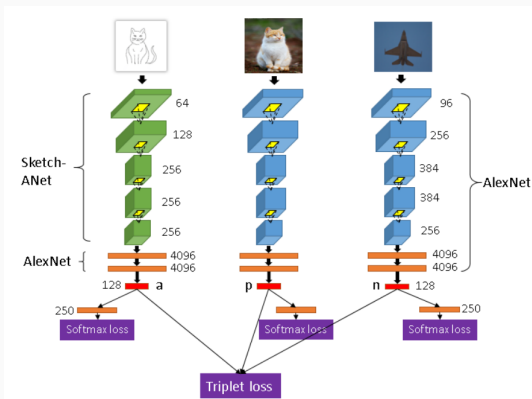


## Style Network

- Siamese Network
  - Three branches share weights
- 2-stage training
  - Classification Loss
  - Triplet Loss: decorrelation between semantics and style



## Structure Network



- The sketch data we use (Quick, Draw!) is much more abstract and noisy (even after human selection)
- Structure Network: during training we use BAM! images instead of real photos

## Hierarchical Triplet ConvNet

Modules:

- Style Network
- Structure Network

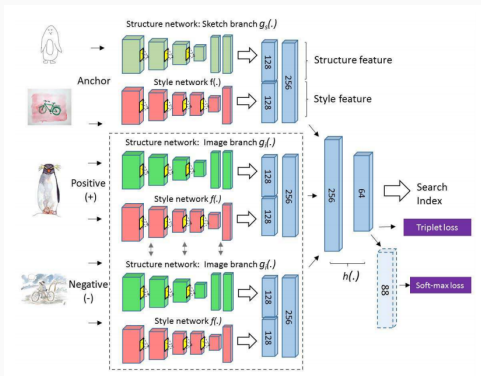
Training

- Classification Loss
  - $5 \times 7$  classes

- Triplet Margin Loss

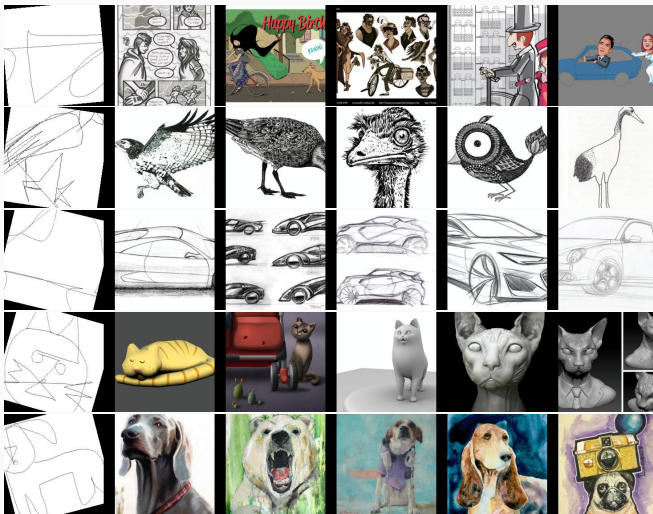
- Anchor  $\longleftrightarrow$  Pos & Neg

$$\mathcal{L}(a, p, n) = [m + |f(a) - f(p)|^2 - |f(a) - f(p)|^2]$$



Sketching with Style: Visual Search with Sketches and Aesthetic Context. ICCV 2017.

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## Sketch mAP

Oilpaint	3D	Pen Ink	Comic	Vector	Graphite	Watercolor	Overall
0.934	<b>0.962</b>	0.810	0.898	0.906	<b>0.994</b>	<b>0.960</b>	0.915



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## Sketch + Style mAP

	Oilpaint	3D	Pen Ink	Comic	Vector	Graphite	Watercolor	Overall
Dog	0.525	0.379	0.384	0.389	0.446	0.520	0.458	0.443
Cat	0.400	0.637	0.668	0.615	0.622	0.755	0.678	0.625
Bird	0.662	0.647	0.594	0.570	0.621	0.678	0.676	0.635
Bicycle	0.414	0.866	0.585	0.552	0.706	0.612	0.652	0.627
Cars	0.687	0.901	0.586	0.632	0.844	0.863	0.771	<b>0.755</b>
Overall	0.541	<b>0.692</b>	0.559	0.550	0.652	<b>0.685</b>	0.646	

Demo