



# Emotion Detection in Images

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# Overview

- Train a neural network to classify emotions from static images
- Models:
  - Convolutional Neural Network
  - Support Vector Machine
- Binary Classification versus 7-Class Classification

# Seven Emotions



**Angry**



**Disgust**



**Fear**



**Happy**



**Neutral**



**Sad**



**Surprise**

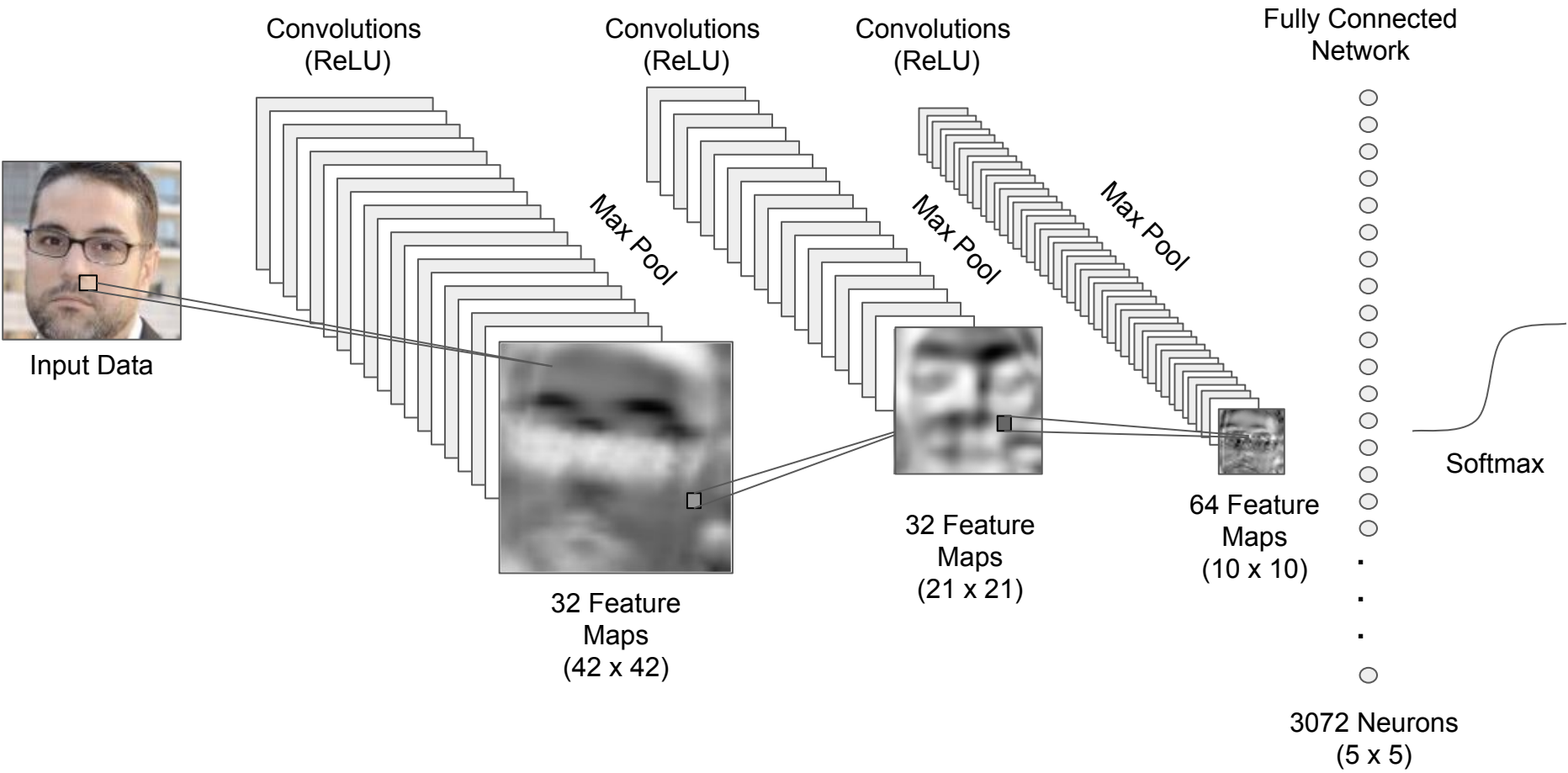
# Data Preprocessing

Initially: 37,422 Images

- Static Facial Emotions in the Wild
- Japanese Female Facial Expression
- Facial Expression Recognition

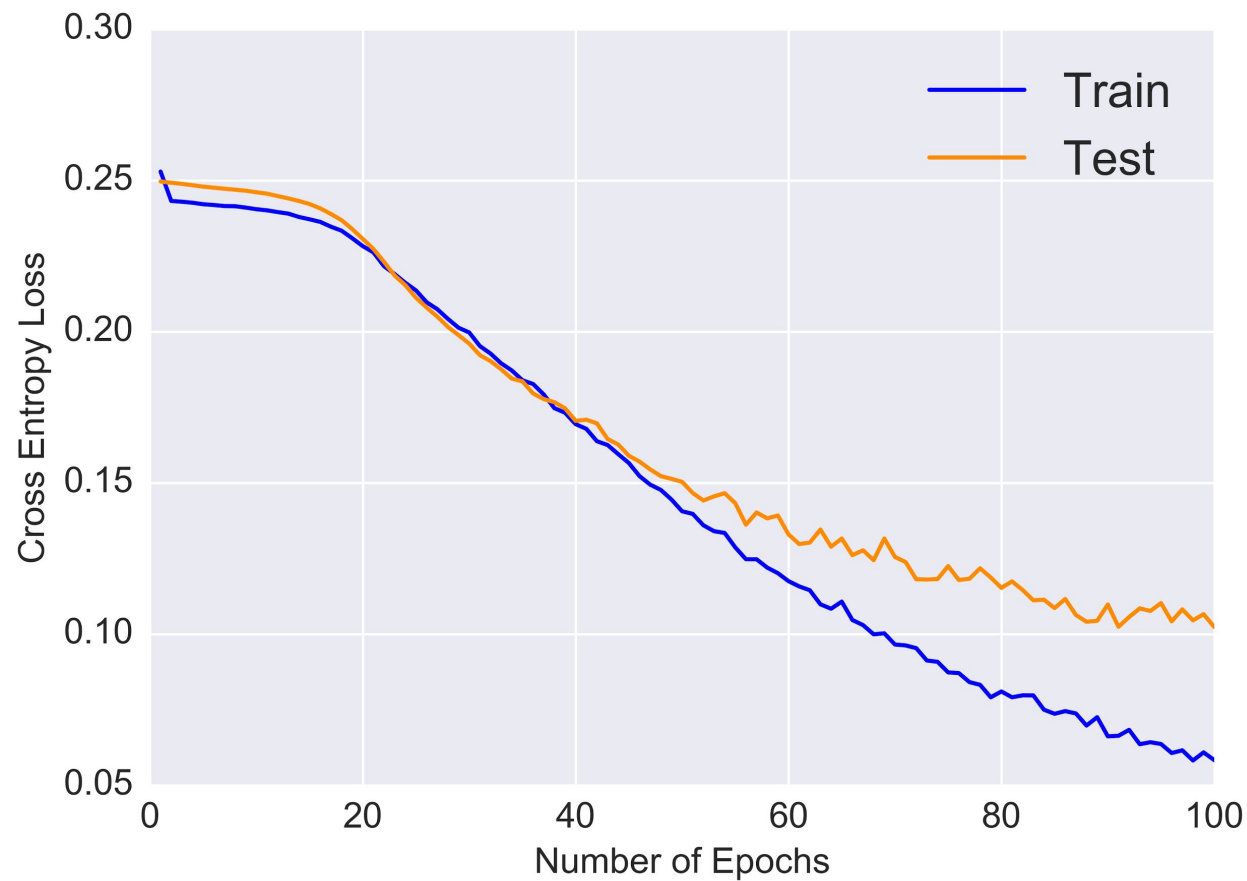
Doubling our data:

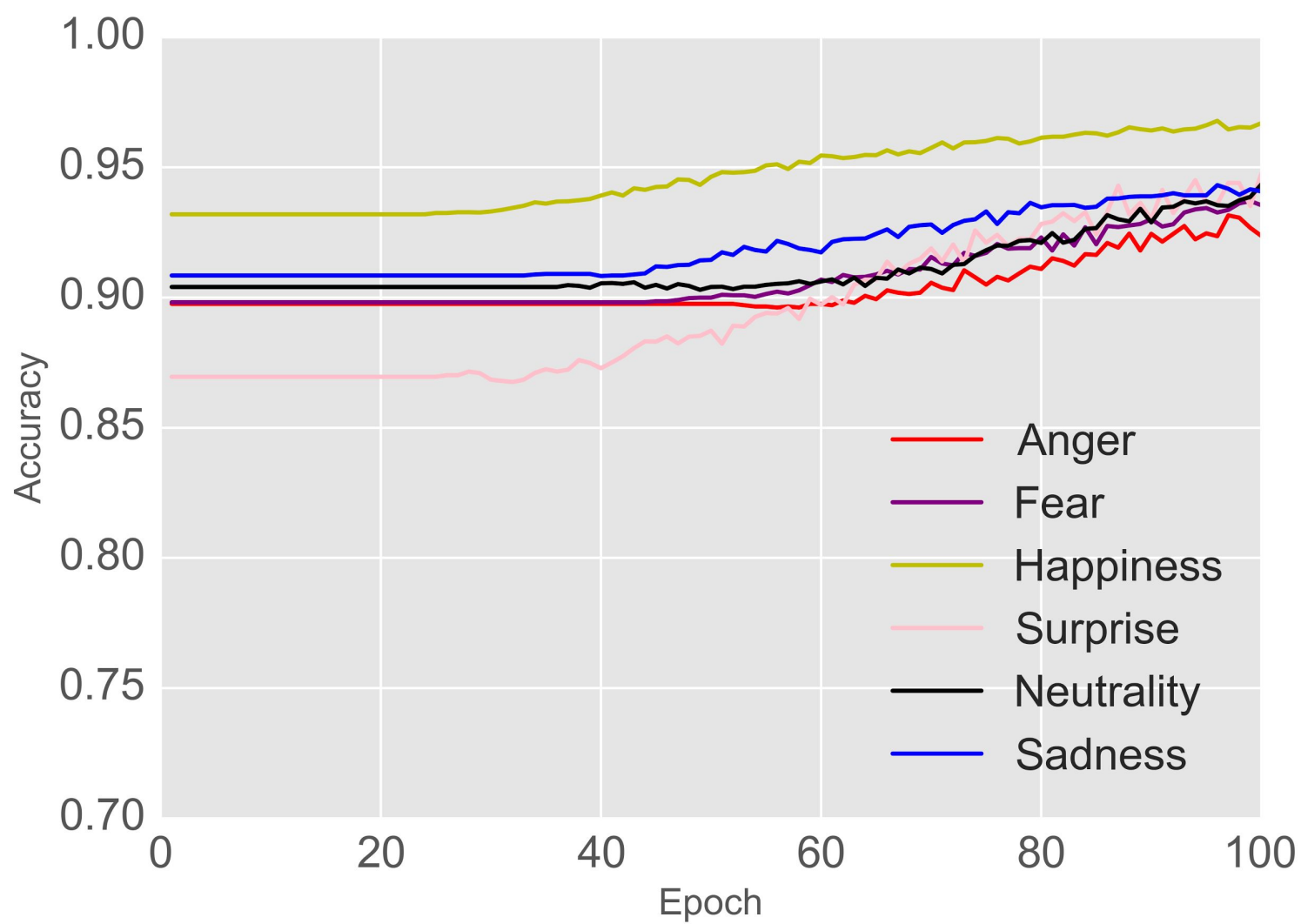
- Copy and distort the images to bring the total number of images to 74,822



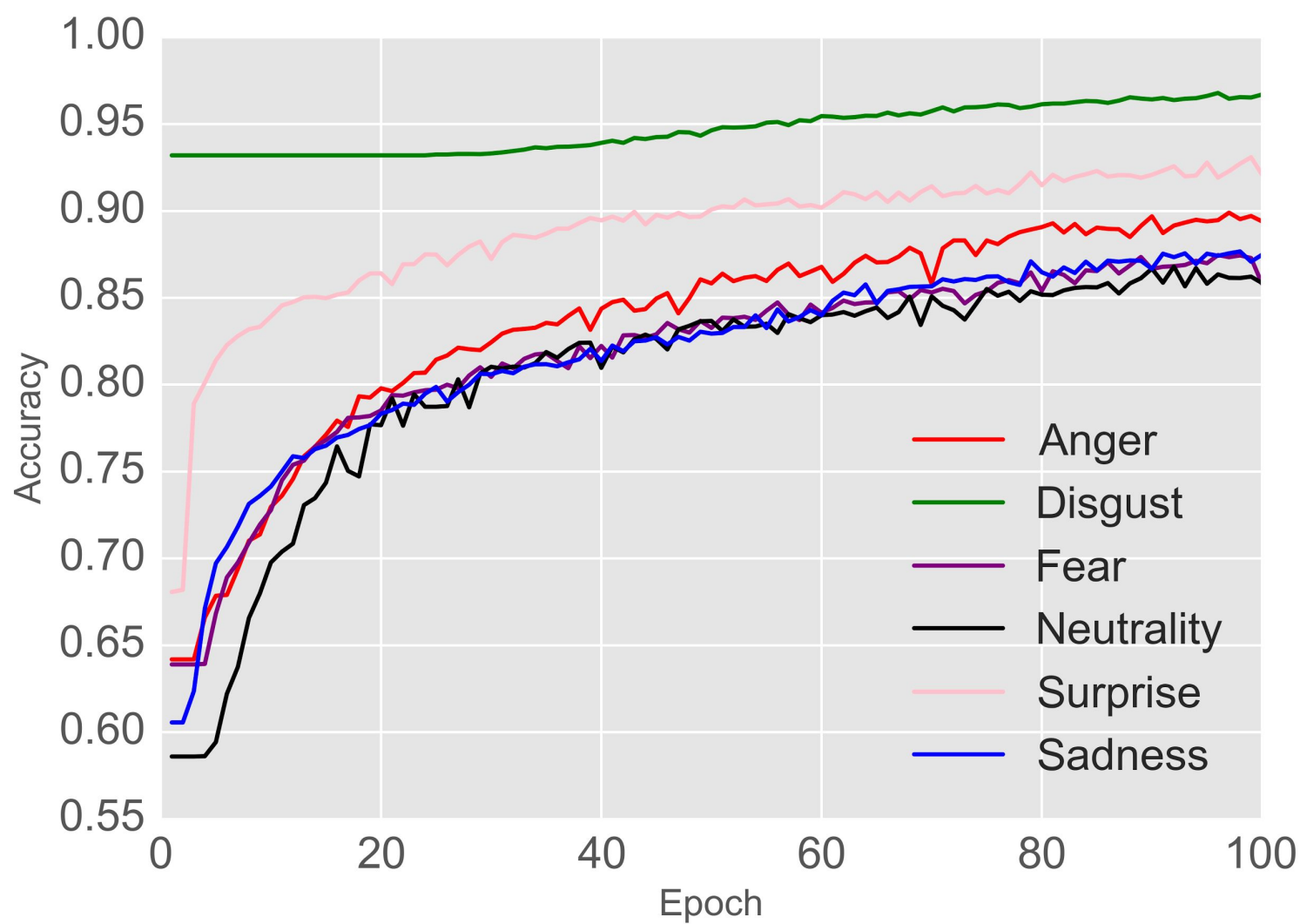


## Validation Curves for CNN Classifying Happy vs Disgust









# Support Vector Machines and Principal Component Analysis

- Gaussian and Quadratic Kernels
- The first 10 PC's explain well over 90% of the variation in each image
- Used as features to reduce dimensions of inputs to SVM Classifier

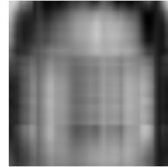
2 PCs: 71.39%



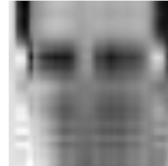
2 PCs: 59.69%



2 PCs: 62.90%



2 PCs: 73.90%



5 PCs: 87.51%



5 PCs: 86.53%



5 PCs: 85.35%



5 PCs: 90.12%



10 PCs: 98.57%



10 PCs: 99.16%



10 PCs: 97.64%



10 PCs: 98.47%



20 PCs: 99.44%



20 PCs: 99.73%



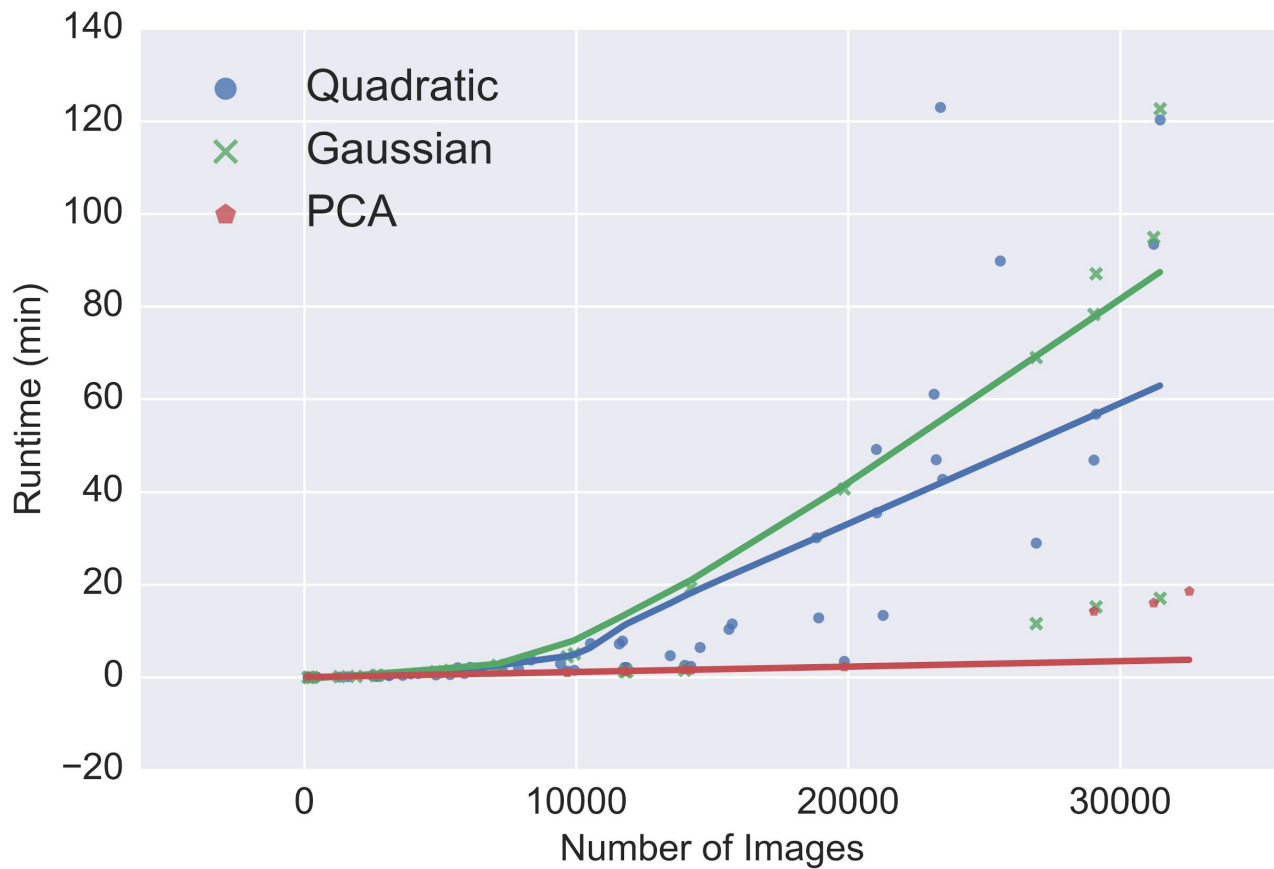
20 PCs: 98.98%



20 PCs: 99.35%



# Speed of SVM and PCA



# Tools



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# Future Work

- Experiment with different image preprocessing techniques
- Different weight initializations
- Compete in this year's Emotion Detection in the Wild Competition