

Towards the Robust Image Recognition Using Spiking Neurons

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Abstract—

I. INTRODUCTION

APPENDIX A

THESIS OUTLINE

The following section-level outline gives the planned thesis structure for this project. Sections which are reliant on upcoming work are indicated with a star (*);

- 1) Introduction
- 2) Background
 - a) Neural Network on Image Recognition
 - b) Neuron Models and Spiking Neural Network
 - c) Spiking Neural Network Simulation
 - d) Neuromorphic Simulators
- 3) Related Works
 - a) Vision Databases and Benchmarks
 - b) Deep Neural Networks
 - c) Spike-Based Image Recognition
 - d) Real-Time Neuromorphic Vision System
- 4) Benchmarking Spike-Based Visual Recognition
 - a) Database
 - b) Evaluation Methodology
- 5) Spiking Deep Belief Network
 - a) Restricted Boltzmann Machine
 - b) Deep Belief Network
 - c) Spiking RBM and DBN *
- 6) Benchmarks
 - a) ConvNet without Learning
 - b) STDP Learned 2-Layer Network
 - c) Spiking DBN *
- 7) Discussions *
 - a) Benefits of Spikes
 - b) Scalability of H/W SDBN
 - c) Formalisation of SDBN
- 8) Future Work *
 - a) SDBN Toolbox on SpiNNaker
 - b) Learning on Spiking ConvNet
 - c) Video-Based Recognition and Benchmarks

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