## Internal-transfer Weighting of Multi-task Learning for Lung Cancer Detection

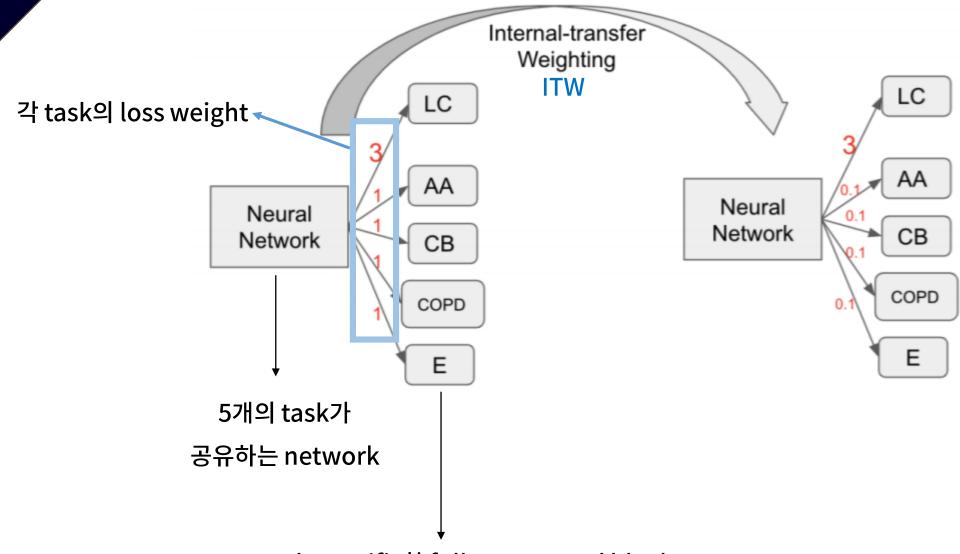
- 기존의 "3D attention-based network "에 4가지의 additional multi-task subnetworks를 추가하여 central task(lung cancer) 와 four auxiliary tasks (diagnosis of asthma, chronic bronchitis, chronic obstructive pulmonary disease, and emphysema)
- 이 논문에서 제시하는 learning policy
  - PFLP (Periodic Focusing Learning Policy)
  - ITW (Internal-Transfer Weighting)

PFLP (Periodic Focusing Learning Policy)

: training하는 과정에서 task의 우선순위를 번갈아 가며 하는

ITW (Internal-Transfer Weighting)

: primary한 task에 대한 성능을 향상시키기 위해 <u>auxiliary task(LC가 아닌 task) 의 loss function을</u> <u>suppress하는</u>



task specific한 fully connected blocks

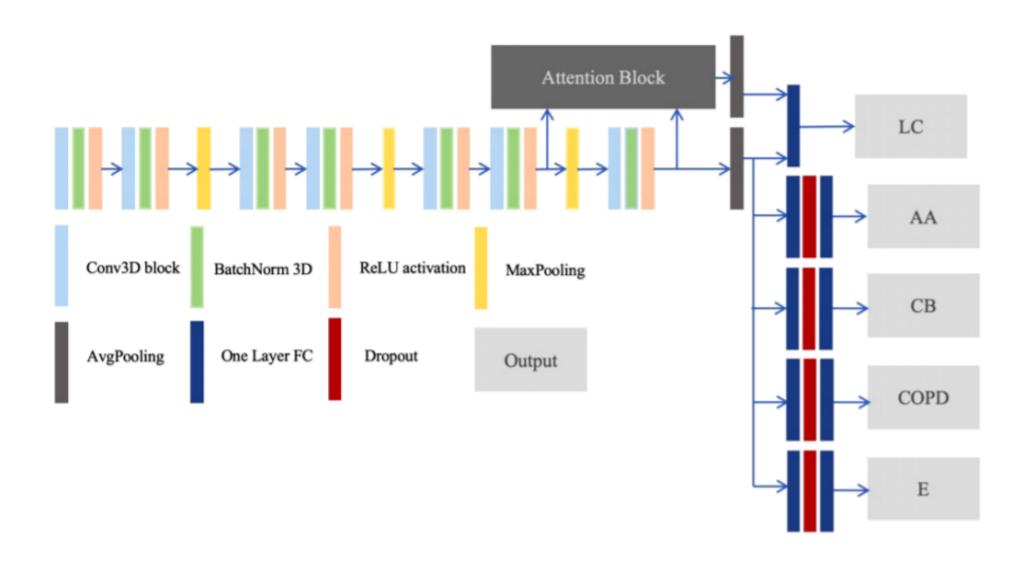
\* total loss: weighted sum of the losses

## PFLP

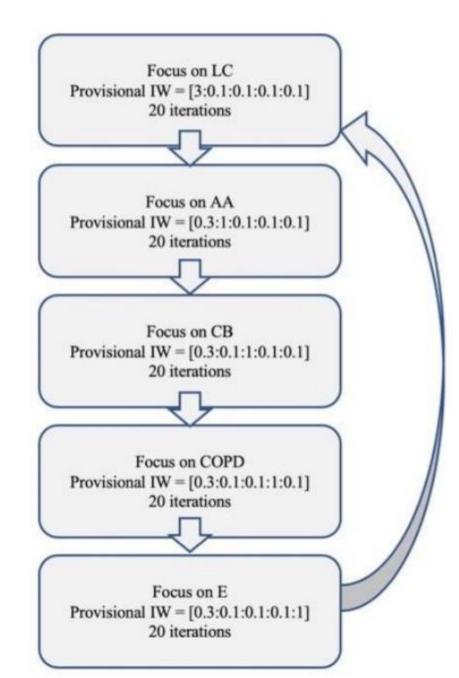
: 돌아가면서 task의 우선순위를 바꾸어 주면서, 그 시점에서 주요 task가 아닌 것들의 loss weight에 0.1을 곱해주는

## • ITW

: "warms up" the network with balanced weights and PFLP, but then applies significant focus (without PFLP) on the central task of cancer detection



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이 paper의 경우 한 이미지 데이터에 labeling을 여러 개 할 수 있어 task 별 weight를 다르게 주어 한 step마다 특정 task를 중심으로 학습시킬 수 있지만,

우리의 경우 한 data가 한 task를 위한 것이기 때문에 위의 개념을 적용하기는 힘들 것 같다.

다만, weight를 다르게 둔다는 개념을 적용해 볼 수 있는지 고민해 볼 예정!

Table 2. Multi-task Experiments

No PFLP		With PFLP		
Name	Loss Weights	Name	Loss Weights	-
Multi-task Learning (MTL)	3: 3: 3: 3: 3	Multi-task Learning 0 (MTL0)	3: 0.01: 0.01: 0.0	1: 0.01
BW		Multi-task Learning 1 (MTL1)	3: 0.1: 0.1: 0.1: 0.1	
		Multi-task Learning 2 (MTL2)	3: 1: 1: 1: 1	BW+PFLP
		Multi-task Learning 3 (MTL3)	3: 3: 3: 3: 3	
		Multi-task Learning 4 (MTL4)	3: 6: 6: 6: 6	
Internal-transfer Weighting	3: 3: 3: 3: 3	Internal-transfer Weighting 2 (ITW2)	3: 1: 1: 1: 1	OMI DELD NITM
ITW $  (ITW1) $ BW $\rightarrow$ ITW		Internal-transfer Weighting 3 (ITW3)	3: 3: 3: 3: 3	$SW+PFLP \rightarrow ITW$
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