

# Attn-HybridNet: Improving Discriminability of Hybrid Features with Attention Fusion (Supplementary Material)

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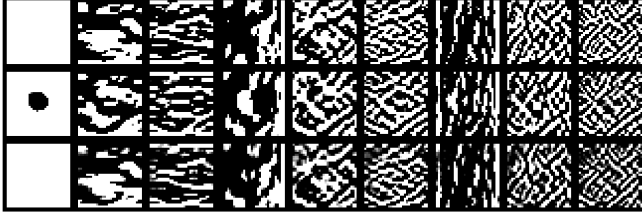


Fig. S1: Convolution responses from the MPCANet. The output is less diversified than TFNet (collapsed in the first column), but the visual resemblance is partially observable.

## I. SUPPLEMENTARY COMPARISONS BETWEEN DIFFERENT NETWORKS.

### a) Comparison of convolution outputs from MPCANet:

We present convolution responses of MPCANet [1] in Fig. S1 compared to convolution outputs from the PCANet and the TFNet presented in the main draft. It is visible that the convolution responses in MPCANet are less diversified than those of TFNet, although the visible resemblance is still observable. We believe that this is because of how the convolution filters and convolution operations are designed in the MPCANet. The MPCANet also employs tensorized-convolution but differs from the TFNet in two ways: 1) design of kernels and 2) convolution operation. Technically, the convolution kernel and convolution operation in MPCANet are merged as conventional tensor operations by performing an n-mode product of the patch-tensor and factor matrices. We speculate that MPCANet might be more beneficial on datasets where the  $m \gg r$ , where  $m$  is the dimensions of the original data, and  $r$  is the reduction required.

b) *Comparison of Learning Schemes between PCANet, TFNet, and HybridNet:* The plot in Fig. S2(a) compares the eigenvalues obtained in the second layer of the PCANet and the *HybridNet*. We exclude eigenvalues from the first layer of these networks as they completely overlap, which is their expected behavior. The leading eigenvalues obtained in the second layer of the *HybridNet* has a much higher magnitude than the corresponding eigenvalues in PCANet. This demonstrates that in the second layer of the *HybridNet*, the data has much diversity than that in PCANet.

Similarly, we compare the core-tensor strength in different layers of the *HybridNet* and the TFNet in Fig S2(b). In this regard, we plot the norm of the core-tensors for both the networks as they are analogous to eigenvalues, and the norm

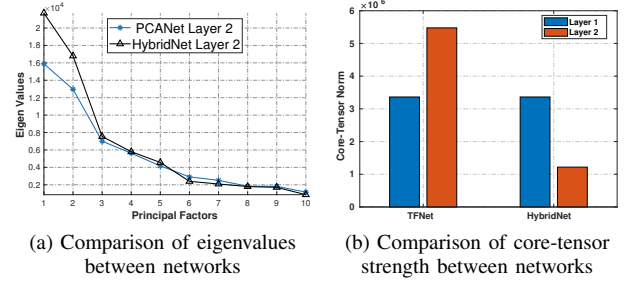


Fig. S2: Comparison of factorization strength in Layer 2 of the PCANet, TFNet and *HybridNet* on CIFAR-10 dataset

signifies the compression strength of the factorization [2]. Evidently, the norm of the core-tensor in the second layer of *HybridNet* is much lower than that of the TFNet, suggesting relatively higher factorization strength in *HybridNet*.

## II. SUPPLEMENTARY CLASSIFICATION COMPARISONS ON CIFAR-10 AND CURET DATASETS.

### a) Experimental Settings:

- 1 CUREt texture dataset [3], consists images with dimensions  $200 \times 200$  for 61 texture categories, where each category has images of the same material with different poses, illumination conditions, specularity, shadowing, and surface normals. Following the standard procedure in [3], [4] a subset of 92 cropped images were taken from each category and randomly partitioned into train and test sets with a split ratio of 50%. The classification results are averaged over 10 different trails. We set,  $L_1, L_2 = [9, 8]$ ;  $k_1, k_2 = [5, 5]$ . The overlapping block size region ( $B$ ) was kept as  $[50, 50]$  during feature pooling.
- 2 CIFAR-100 [5] dataset closely follows CIFAR-10 dataset and consists 50k training and 10k testing images roughly distributed among 100 categories. We use the same experimental setup as in CIFAR-10 on this dataset.

### A. Performance Comparisons

#### a) Performance on the CUREt texture classification:

The *Attn-HybridNet* achieves the lowest classification error among all the networks i.e., the PCANet, the TFNet, and the *HybridNet*; However, it achieves a marginally higher classification error compared to state of the art in [6] which is only 0.5%.

TABLE SI: Classification performance on the CURET dataset.

Methods	Error (%)
Textons [7]	1.50
BIF [8]	1.40
Histogram [9]	1.00
ScatNet [6]	<b>0.20</b>
PCANet [4]	0.84
TFNet [10]	0.96
<i>HybridNet</i> (proposed)	0.81
<i>Attn-HybridNet</i> (proposed)	0.72

Methods	#Depth	#Params	Error
ResNet reported in-[11]	110	1.7M	37.80
DenseNet-BC reported in-[12]	250	15.3M	<b>19.64</b>
PCANet [4]	3	7	53.00
TFNet [10]	3	7	53.63
<i>HybridNet</i> (proposed)	3	7	49.87
<i>Attn-HybridNet</i> (proposed)	4	42.2k	47.44

TABLE SII: Classification Error on CIFAR-100 dataset with no data augmentation.

*b) Quantitative Performance on CIFAR-100 Dataset:*

The proposed *Attn-HybridNet* reduces the error by 5.91% on the CIFAR-100 dataset compared to the PCANet. Additionally, it further reduces the error by 4.87% in comparison to the *HybridNet*.

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