



# **Modular Neural Network**

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### Outline



#### Motivation & Background

- Problems of ANN learning
- Go further to Bio-neurology
- Modular Neural Network

#### Pattern Segregation

- Theoretical research
- Methodology
- Application



# **Motivation & Background**



- 'One-Punch' Model —— Artificial Neural Network
  - Computer Vision
  - Natural Language Processing
  - Speech Recognition

- What's the problems?
  - Extreme fitting ability but no constraint
  - Chaotic representation





- Interpretation
  - Extreme nonlinear & chaotic representation

- Catastrophic Forgetting
  - Unknown previous knowledge storage

- Go further to ANN learning
  - Global -> Local, Coarse -> Fine
  - Learning with pattern arrangement

### 1.2. Bio-neurology Basis



• Go further to Bio-neurology -> Modularity







- Interpretation
- Distributed Learning & Super-parallel
- Transfer Learning
- Never cold start
- Lifelong Learning
- Instance Recall vs. Knowledge Interaction

Modular Neural Network

- Key Points of MNN
  - Modules
  - Routing criterion
- Three Kinds of MNN
  - Instance-based MNN
    - Training modules with instances of similar patterns
  - Feature-based MNN
    - Automatically segregating modules by feature constraint
  - Model-based MNN
    - Training physically divided modules



# **Pattern Segregation**



- Similarity of Neural Network Representations Revisited
  - Does the same architecture deep neural network based on different random initialization training learn similar representations?
  - Can a corresponding relationship be established between layers of different neural network architectures?
  - How similar are the representations of the same neural network architecture learned from different data sets?



- Background & Motivation
  - **Representational similarities** between neural network models
  - Concept of similarity & dynamic process of training → invariant to <u>orthogonal transformation</u> & <u>isotropic</u> <u>scaling</u>, NOT <u>reversible linear transformation</u>
  - Previous methods: directly compare multivariate features of a sample in two representations
  - Current paper: First measure the similarity between each pair of samples in each representation, then compare the **similarity structure**



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• Similarity based on dot product

 $\langle \operatorname{vec}(XX^{\mathrm{T}}), \operatorname{vec}(YY^{\mathrm{T}}) \rangle = \operatorname{tr}(XX^{\mathrm{T}}YY^{\mathrm{T}}) = ||Y^{\mathrm{T}}X||_{\mathrm{F}}^{2}$ 

Hilbert-Schmidt Independence Criterion

$$\frac{1}{(n-1)^2} \operatorname{tr}(XX^{\mathsf{T}}YY^{\mathsf{T}}) = ||\operatorname{cov}(X^{\mathsf{T}}, Y^{\mathsf{T}})||_{\mathsf{F}}^2$$

Let 
$$K_{ij} = k(x_i, x_j), L_{ij} = l(y_i, y_j)$$
  

$$HSIC(K, L) = \frac{1}{(n-1)^2} tr(KHLH)$$

$$CKA(K, L) = \frac{HSIC(K, L)}{\sqrt{HSIC(K, K)} HSIC(L, K)}$$

#### 2.1. Theoretical research



• Related Works

		Invariant to						
Similarity Index	Formula	Invertible Linear Transform	Isotropic Scaling					
Linear Regression $(R_{LR}^2)$	$  Q_{Y}^{T}X  _{F}^{2}/  X  _{F}^{2}$	Y Only	1	1				
$CCA(R_{CCA}^2)$	$  Q_{Y}^{T}Q_{X}  _{F}^{2}/p_{1}$	1	1	1				
$CCA(\bar{\rho}_{CCA})$	$  Q_{Y}^{T}Q_{X}  _{*}/p_{1}$	1	1	1				
SVCCA $(R_{SVCCA}^2)$	$  (U_Y T_Y)^T U_X T_X  _F^2 / \min(  T_X  _F^2,   T_Y  _F^2)$	In a Subspace	1	1				
SVCCA (p <sub>SVCCA</sub> )	$  (U_Y T_Y)^{T} U_X T_X  _* / \min(  T_X  _{F}^2,   T_Y  _{F}^2)$	In a Subspace	1	1				
PWCCA	$\sum_{i=1}^{p_1} \alpha_i \rho_i /   \alpha  _1, \alpha_i = \sum_j  \langle \mathbf{h}_i, \mathbf{x}_j \rangle $	×	×	1				
Linear HSIC	$  Y^{T}X  _{F}^2$	×	1	×				
Linear CKA	$  Y^{T}X  _{F}^{2}/(  X^{T}X  _{F}  Y^{T}Y  _{F})$	×	1	1				
RBF CKA	$tr(KHLH)/\sqrt{tr(KHKH)tr(LHLH)}$	×	1	1*				





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Index	Accuracy
$CCA(\bar{\rho})$	1.4
$CCA(R_{CCA}^2)$	10.6
SVCCA $(\bar{\rho})$	9.9
SVCCA $(R_{CCA}^2)$	15.1
PWCCA	11.1
Linear Reg.	45.4
Linear HSIC	22.2
CKA (Linear)	99.3
CKA (RBF 0.2)	80.6
CKA (RBF 0.4)	99.1
CKA (RBF 0.8)	99.3

#### 2.1. Theoretical research

• Reveal abnormality in deep neural network



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• Layer similarity in networks trained with different data set

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■ "Learn What-Where to Transfer"





#### "Transferable Attention for Domain Adaptation"







Figure 1. Schematic diagram of the proposed approach: forward (top) and backward (bottom) passes.



• Embedding Gradient Compensation



$$q_{l,i}' = \frac{s_{\max}\sigma\left(e_{l,i}^{t}\right)\left[1 - \sigma\left(e_{l,i}^{t}\right)\right]}{s\sigma\left(se_{l,i}^{t}\right)\left[1 - \sigma\left(se_{l,i}^{t}\right)\right]} q_{l,i}$$

$$q_{l,i}' = \frac{s_{\max}\left[\cosh\left(se_{l,i}^t\right) + 1\right]}{s\left[\cosh\left(e_{l,i}^t\right) + 1\right]} q_{l,i}$$

Figure 2. Illustration of the effect that annealing s has on the gradient q of  $e^t$ .

• Promoting Low Capacity Usage

$$R\left(\mathsf{A}^{t},\mathsf{A}^{< t}\right) = \frac{\sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{l}} a_{l,i}^{t} \left(1 - a_{l,i}^{< t}\right)}{\sum_{l=1}^{L-1} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{l}} 1 - a_{l,i}^{< t}}$$

# LESS



• Results



*Figure 3.* Average forgetting ratio  $\rho^{\leq t}$  for the considered approaches (10 runs).

Table 1. Average forgetting ratio after the second  $(\rho^{\leq 2})$  and the last  $(\rho^{\leq 8})$  task for the considered approaches (10 runs, standard deviation into parenthesis).

Approach	$ ho^{\leq 2}$	$\rho^{\leq 8}$
LFL	-0.73 (0.29)	-0.92 (0.08)
LWF	-0.14 (0.13)	-0.80 (0.06)
SGD	-0.20 (0.08)	-0.66 (0.03)
IMM-MODE	-0.11 (0.08)	-0.49 (0.05)
SGD-F	-0.20 (0.15)	-0.44 (0.06)
IMM-MEAN	-0.12 (0.10)	-0.42 (0.04)
EWC	-0.08 (0.06)	-0.25 (0.03)
PATHNET	-0.09 (0.16)	-0.17 (0.23)
PNN	-0.11 (0.10)	-0.11 (0.01)
HAT	-0.02 (0.03)	-0.06 (0.01)





*Figure 5.* Network capacity usage with sequential task learning (seed 0). Dashed vertical lines correspond to a task switch.



Figure 7. Validation accuracy  $A^1$  as a function of compression percentage. Every dot corresponds to an epoch and triangles match the accuracy of the SGD approach (no compression).



- Beyond sparsity: Tree regularization of deep models for interpretability
  - Regularize RNN model to match decision tree by pathlength estimation
- Ordered Neurons: Integrating Tree Structures into Recurrent Neural Networks (ICLR 2019 Best Paper)
  - Well-designed network architecture
- Dynamic routing between capsules
  - Discuss Later

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#### Network Transplanting





• Adding adapters to pre-trained CNNs



[	# of sa	mples	cat	cow	dog	horse	sheep	Avg.		# of sa	imples	cat	cow	dog	horse	sheep	Avg.
yer	100	direct-learn	12.89	3.09	12.89	10.82	9.28	9.79	S	100	direct-learn	9.28	6.70	12.37	11.34	3.61	8.66
	100	back-distill	1.55	0.52	3.61	1.55	1.03	1.65	iye	100	back-distill	1.03	2.58	4.12	1.55	2.58	2.37
<u>-</u>	50	direct-learn	13.92	15.98	12.37	16.49	15.46	14.84	v-la	50	direct-learn	14.43	13.92	15.46	8.76	7.22	11.96
٤ I	50	back-distill	1.55	0.52	3.61	1.55	1.03	1.65	onv	50	back-distill	3.09	3.09	4.12	2.06	4.64	3.40
° [	20	direct-learn	16.49	26.80	28.35	32.47	25.77	25.98	ec	20	direct-learn	22.16	25.77	32.99	22.68	22.16	25.15
5	20	back-distill	1.55	0.52	3.09	1.55	1.03	1.55	hre	20	back-distill	7.22	6.70	7.22	2.58	5.15	5.77
et	10	direct-learn	39.18	39.18	35.05	41.75	38.66	38.76	11	10	direct-learn	36.08	32.99	31.96	34.54	34.02	33.92
l Is	10	back-distill	1.55	0.52	3.61	1.55	1.03	1.65	nse	10	back-distill	8.25	15.46	10.31	13.92	10.31	11.65
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l	U	back-distill	1.55	0.52	4.12	1.55	1.03	1.75			back-distill	50.00	50.00	50.00	49.48	50.00	49.90

Table 2. Error rates of classification when we insert *n* conv-layers with ReLU layers to a CNN as the adapter.  $n \in \{1, 3\}$ . The last row shows the performance of network transplanting without training samples, *i.e.* without optimizing the task loss  $\mathcal{L}(y_S, y^*)$ .



Transplanting category modules to the classification module  $\bullet$ 

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# of samples		cat	cow	horse	sheep	Avg.	# of :	# of samples		cow	horse	sheep	Avg.
100	direct-learn	20.10	12.37	18.56	11.86	15.72	20	direct-learn	31.96	37.11	39.69	35.57	36.08
	back-distill	9.79	5.67	8.25	4.64	7.09	20	back-distill	21.13	35.57	32.47	22.68	27.96
50	direct-learn	22.68	19.59	19.07	14.95	19.07	10	direct-learn	41.75	37.63	44.33	33.51	39.31
	back-distill	10.82	18.04	13.92	5.15	11.98	10	back-distill	34.02	42.27	44.85	33.51	38.66

Experiment	2:	transplanting	to	a	classification	module
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Transplanting category modules to the segmentation module •

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# of samples		cat	cow	horse	sheep	Avg.	<b># of</b>	# of samples		cow	horse	sheep	Avg.
100	direct-learn	76.54	74.60	81.00	78.37	77.63		direct-learn	71.13	74.82	76.83	77.81	75.15
	distill	74.65	80.18	78.05	80.50	78.35	20	distill	71.17	74.82	76.05	78.10	75.04
	back-distill	85.17	90.04	90.13	86.53	87.97		back-distill	84.03	88.37	89.22	85.01	86.66
	direct-learn	71.30	74.76	76.83	78.47	75.34		direct-learn	70.46	74.74	76.49	78.25	74.99
50	distill	68.32	76.50	78.58	80.62	76.01	10	distill	70.47	74.74	76.83	78.32	75.09
	back-distill	83.14	90.02	90.46	85.58	87.30		back-distill	82.32	89.49	85.97	83.50	85.32



• Transplant to similar or dissimilar categories?

# of samples		cat	cow	horse	sheep	Avg.	# of	samples	cat	cow	horse	sheep	Avg.	
assification	100	direct-learn	14.43	20.62	17.01	11.86	15.98	20	direct-learn	25.26	24.23	39.18	23.71	28.10
	100	back-distill	5.67	3.61	6.70	2.58	4.64	20	back-distill	17.01	19.59	23.71	14.95	18.82
	50	direct-learn	21.13	23.71	15.46	10.31	17.65	10	direct-learn	42.27	36.60	40.72	39.18	39.69
Ü	50	back-distill	7.22	9.28	8.76	5.67	7.73	10	back-distill	42.27	32.99	28.35	30.41	33.51
Segmen	10	direct-learn	64.97	69.65	80.26	69.87	71.19	71.19 20	direct-learn	68.69	81.02	71.88	72.65	73.56
	10	back-distill	74.59	83.51	82.08	80.21	80.10	20	back-distill	73.34	84.78	81.40	81.04	80.14

Table 4. (top) Error rate of single-category classification when the classification module was learned for both mammals and dissimilar categories. (bottom) Pixel accuracy of object segmentation, the segmentation module was learned for both mammals and dissimilar categories. Other experimental settings were the same as in Experiments 2 and 3. We did not show the result of the dog category, because we needed to compare average performance in this table with results in Table 3.

# Thank

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