

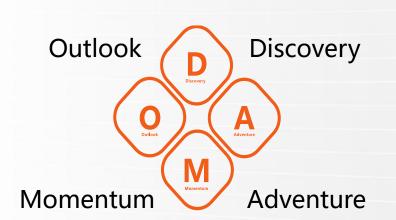
Semi-Supervised Learning with Side Information for Large Scale Web Images

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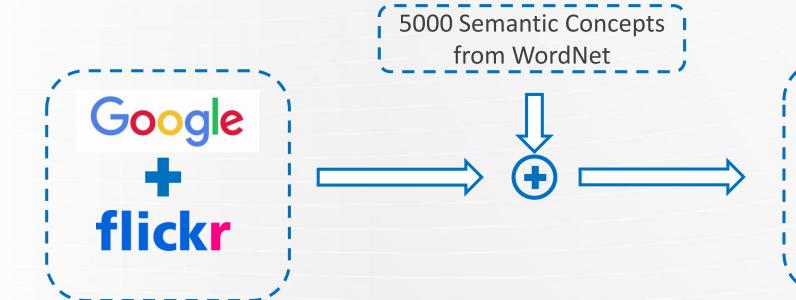
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Database



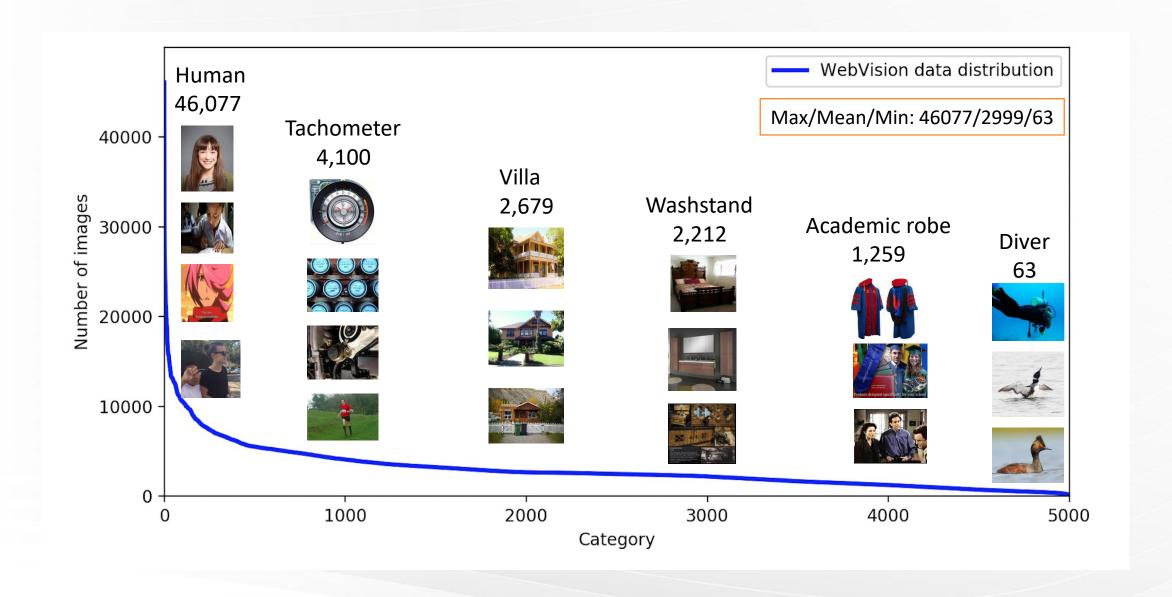


- 5,000 categories
- 12,597 query tags
- 16M training images
- 29k validation images
- 29k test images



Unbalanced Data





Side Information

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Search Engine



Source: google or flicker

Rank: 1

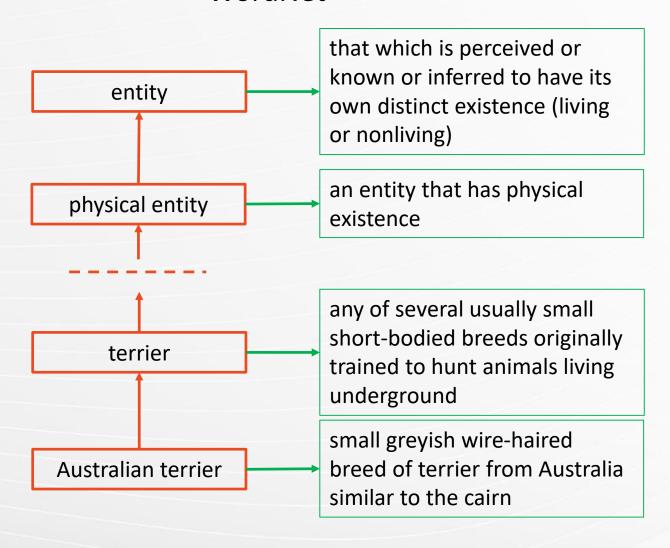
Description: Four Australian Terrier Pups brought to

the studio today.

Tags: puppies Australian Olympus terrier e500.

Title: Australian Terrier Pups.

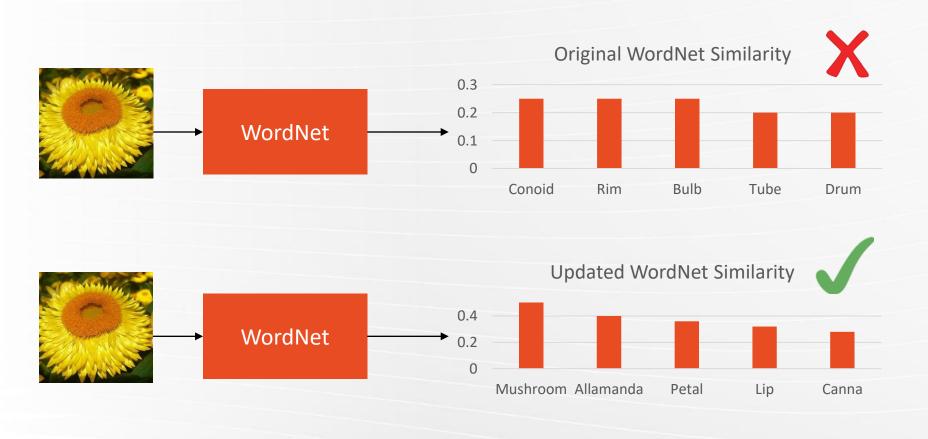
WordNet



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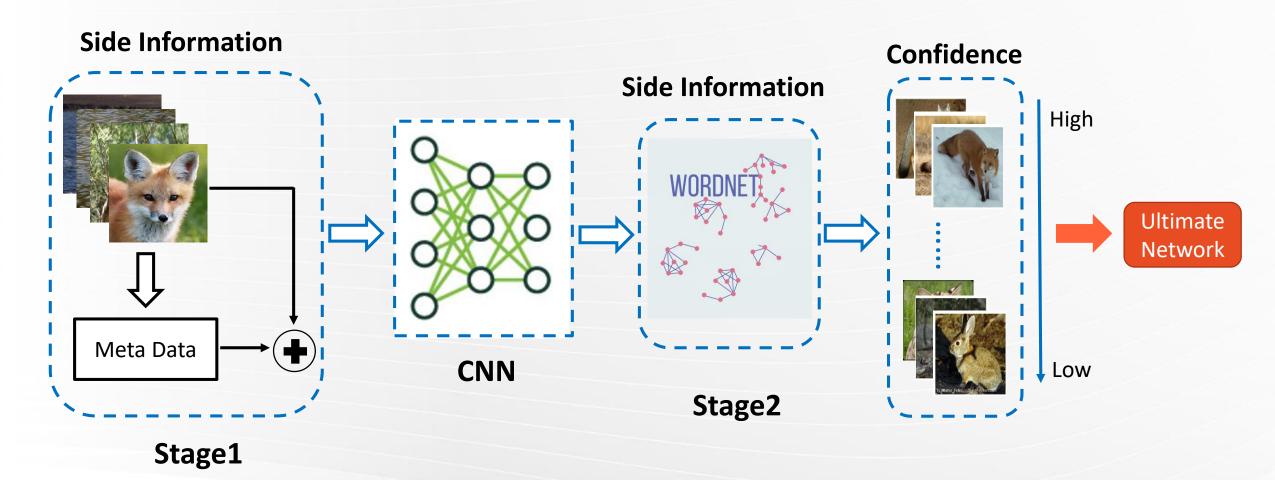
□ Update WordNet Similarity with Bert Model



WordNet shape petals corolla the whorl of petals of a flower

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□ Framework



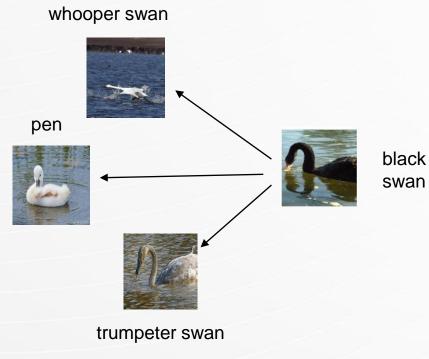
Stage1: Image Weighting



□ Side Information

Image Rank + WordNet KNN Categories



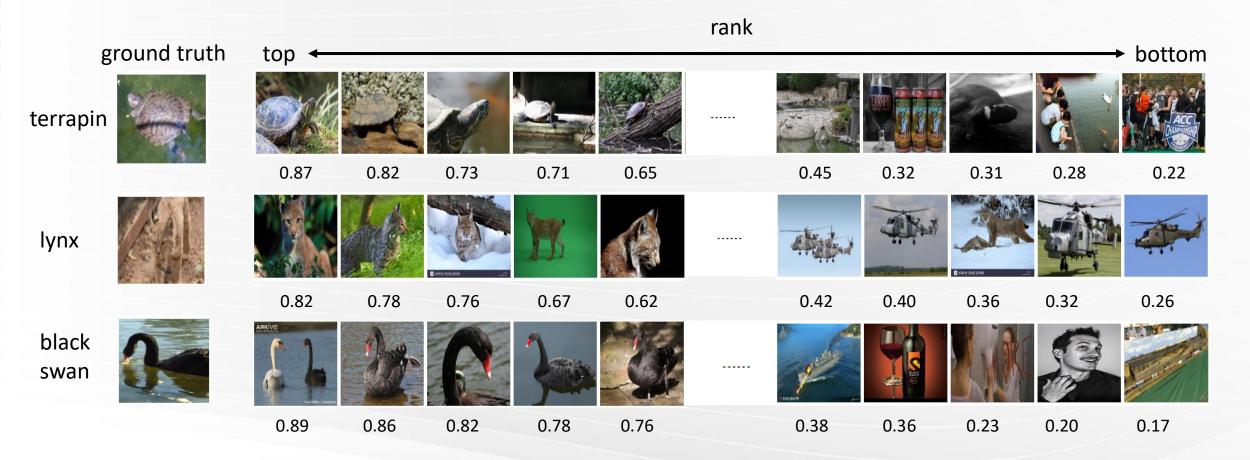


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Stage2: Image Re-weighting

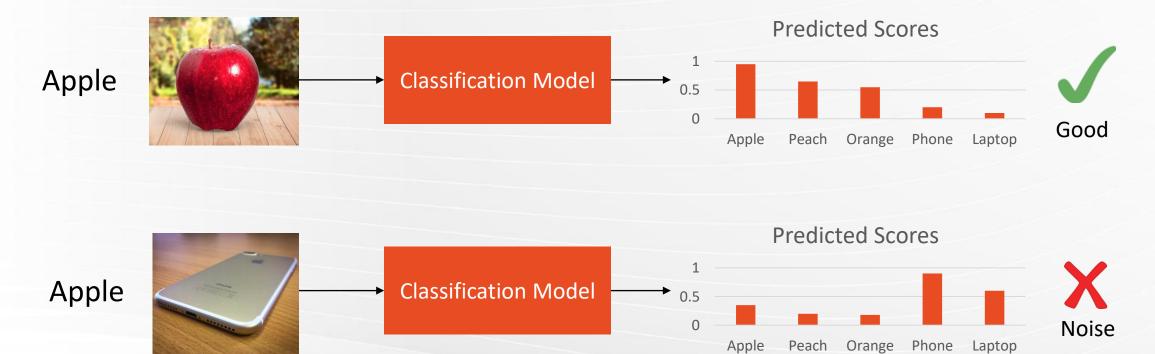


■ Side Information

WordNet category semantic relationships

■ Motivation

• Predict scores of good sample should reflect label relation, eg Apple fruit

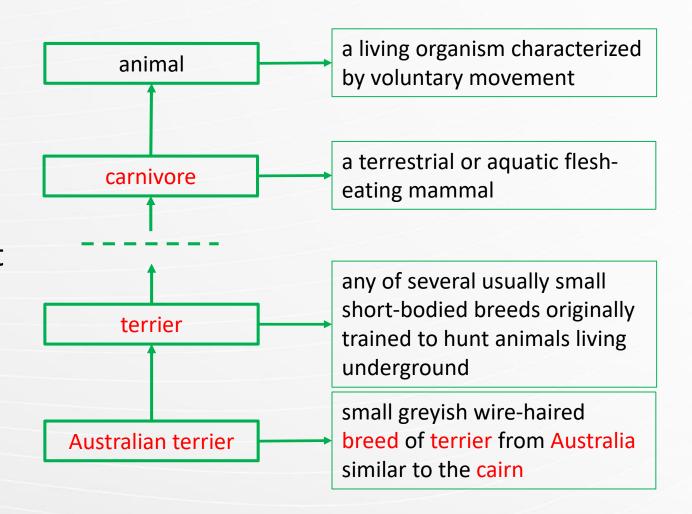


Stage2: Image Re-weighting



- Keywords extraction
- ☐ Text feature matching between predictions and the ground truth
- $lacktriang{\square}$ Text matching score $s(x_i)$ re-weight samples:

$$L_{weighted}(x_i) = s(x_i)L_{ce}(x_i)$$

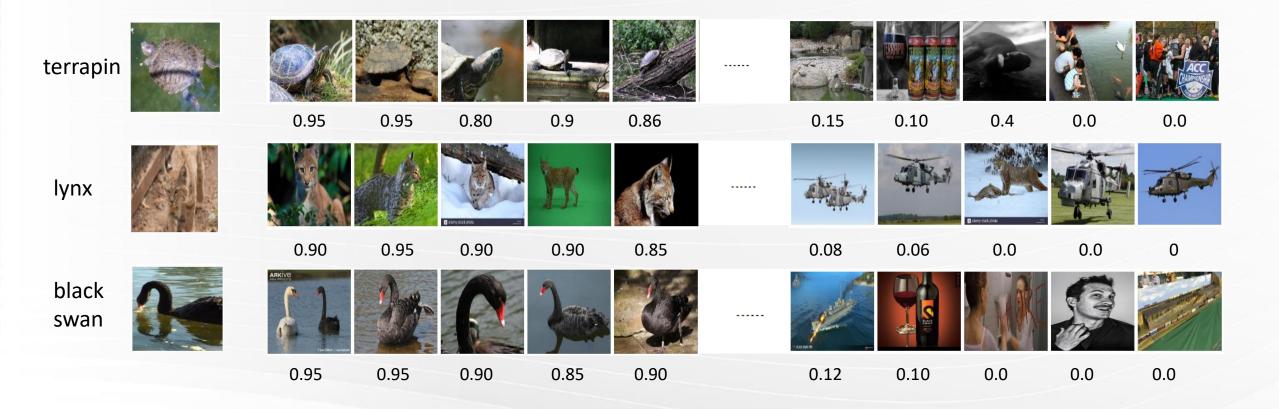


Stage2: Image Re-weighting



□ Effectiveness

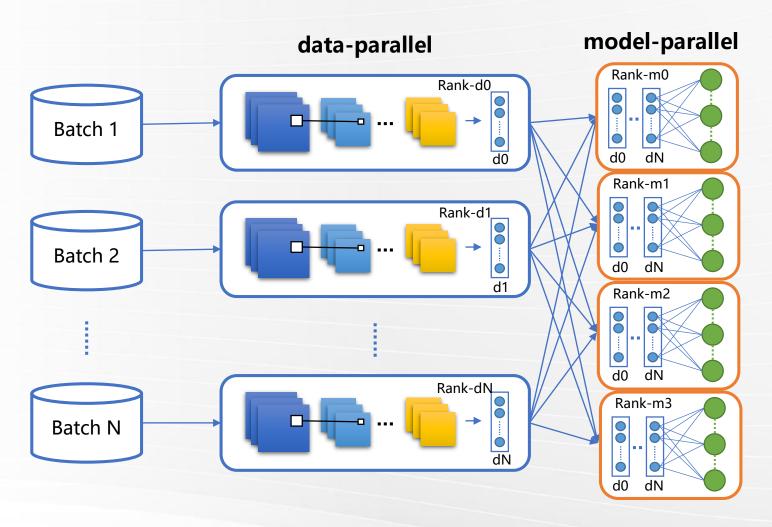
Noisy image's weight is greatly reduced



Large Scale Training



☐ Hybrid Parallelization, Large Scale Categories



- Hundreds of GPUs
- Pipeline optimization and better convergence algorithm
- Classification up to 1 Million+ categories

Experiments



ResNeXt101 Validation Accuracy

Input 224*224	Top1	Top5
Baseline	51.05	74.94
+ Stage1	55.05	77.86
+ Stage1 + Stage2	55.56	78.15
Input 320*320		
+ Stage1 + Stage2	55.97	78.65

Experiments



SE-ResNeXt101 Validation Accuracy

Input 224*224	Top1	Top5
Baseline	51.42	75.26
+ Stage1	55.22	78.00
+ Stage1 + Stage2	55.57	78.34

SENet154 Validation Accuracy

Input 224*224	Top1	Top5
Baseline	52.90	76.52
+ Stage1	56.55	79.00
+ Stage1 + Stage2	56.87	79.61
Input 320*320		
+ Stage1 + Stage2	57.09	79.77

Summary



- Establish Category Semantic Relationships
- ☐ Two-stage Image Weighting with Side Information
- Large Scale Training
- ☐ Train Diverse CNNs from Large-scale Web Images



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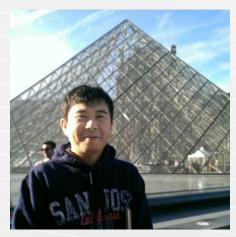
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