

EMBC Tutorial on Interpretable and Transparent Deep Learning



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13:30 - 14:00	Introduction KRM
14:00 - 15:00	Techniques for Interpretability GM
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee Break ALL
15:30 - 16:15	Evaluating Interpretability & Applications WS
16:15 - 17:15	Applications in BME & the Sciences and Wrap-Up KRM



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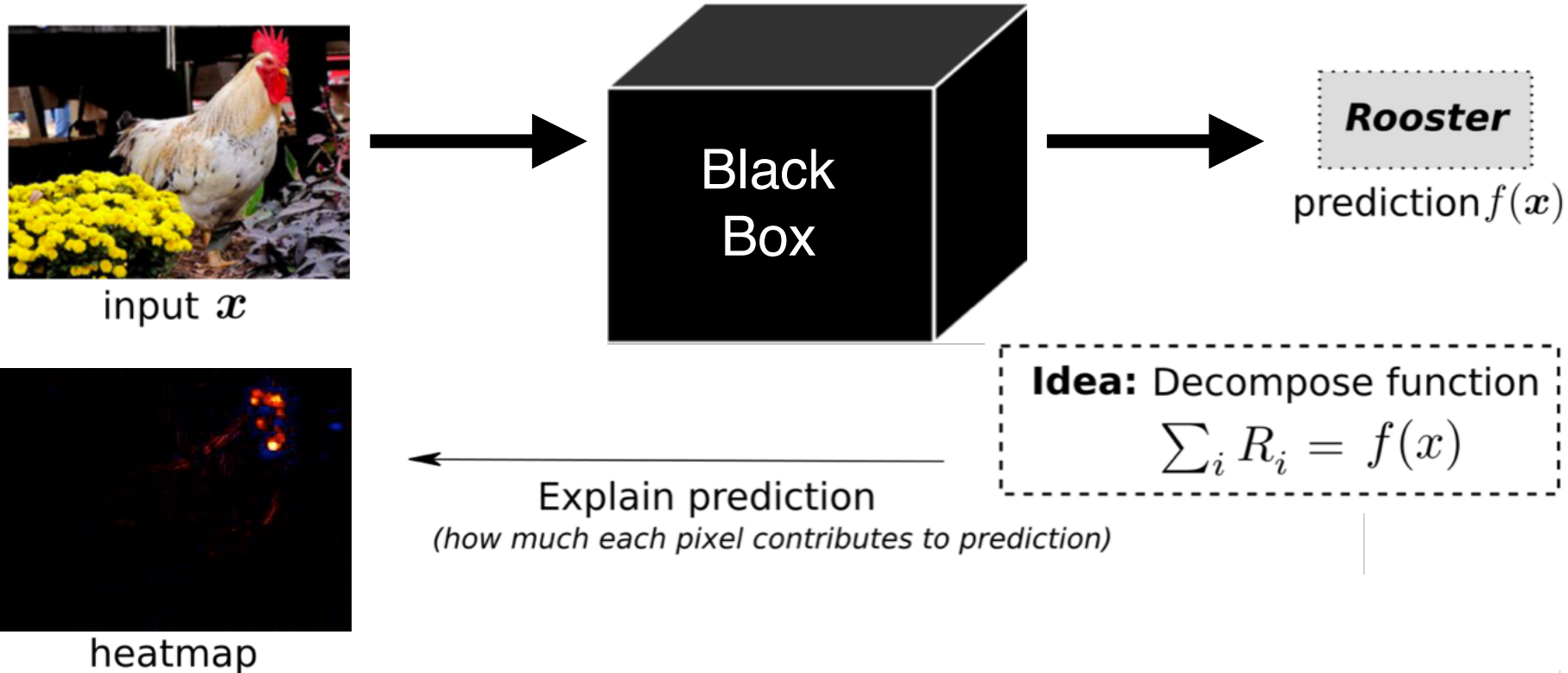


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LRP Revisited



Theoretical Interpretation
(Deep) Taylor decomposition.

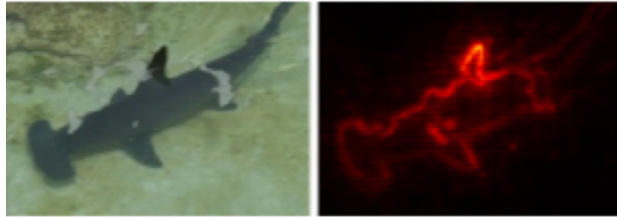
alpha-beta LRP rule (Bach et al. 2015)

$$R_i^{(l)} = \sum_j \left(\alpha \cdot \frac{(x_i \cdot w_{ij})^+}{\sum_{i'} (x_{i'} \cdot w_{i'j})^+} + \beta \cdot \frac{(x_i \cdot w_{ij})^-}{\sum_{i'} (x_{i'} \cdot w_{i'j})^-} \right) R_j^{(l+1)}$$

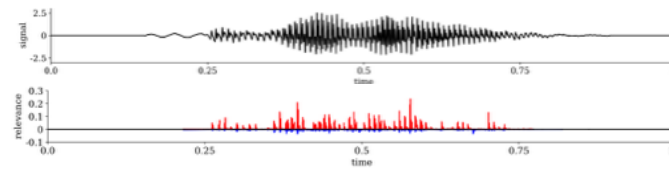
where $\alpha + \beta = 1$

LRP Works for Different Data

General Images (Bach' 15, Lapuschkin'16)



Speech (Becker'18)



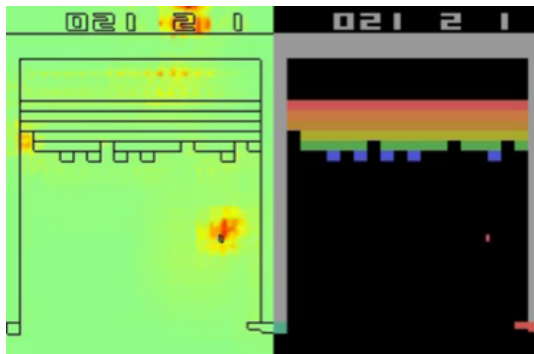
Text Analysis (Arras'16 &17)

do n't waste your money
neither funny nor susper

Morphing (Seibold'18)

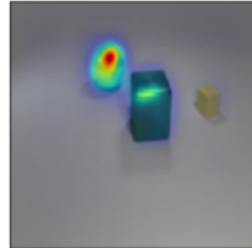


Games (Lapuschkin'19)



VQA (Samek'19)

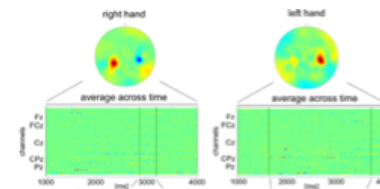
there is a metallic cube ; are
there any large cyan metallic
objects behind it ?



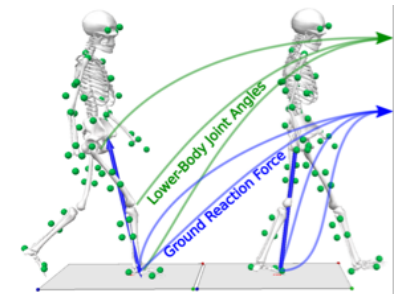
Video (Anders'18)



EEG (Sturm'16)



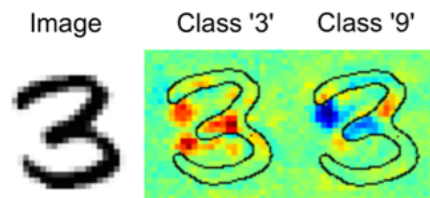
Gait Patterns (Horst'19)



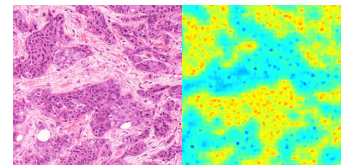
Faces (Lapuschkin'17)



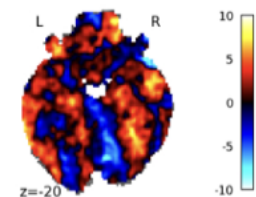
Digits (Bach' 15)



Histopathology (Binder'18)

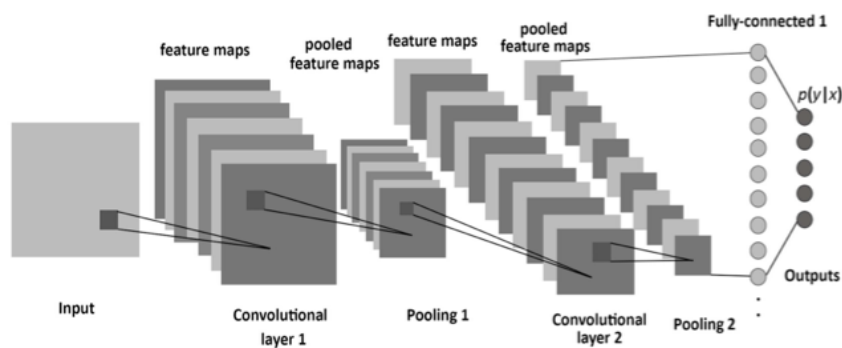


fMRI (Thomas'18)

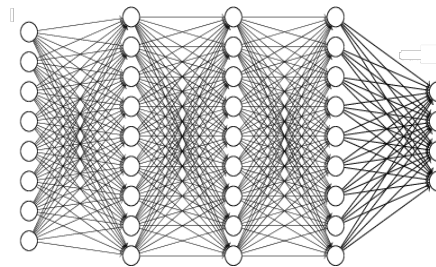


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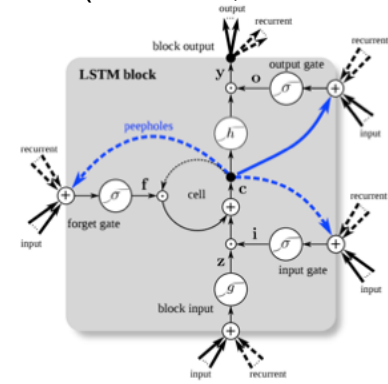
Convolutional NNs (Bach'15, Arras'17 ...)



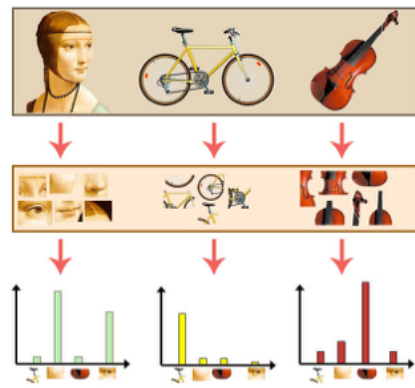
Local Renormalization Layers (Binder'16)



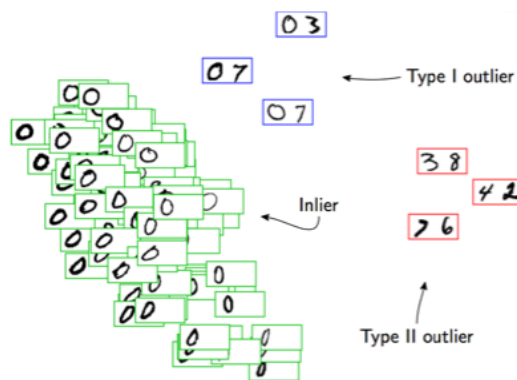
LSTM (Arras'17, Thomas'18)



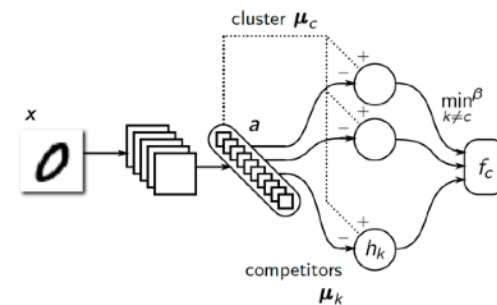
Bag-of-words / Fisher Vector models
(Bach'15, Arras'16, Lapuschkin'17, Binder'18)



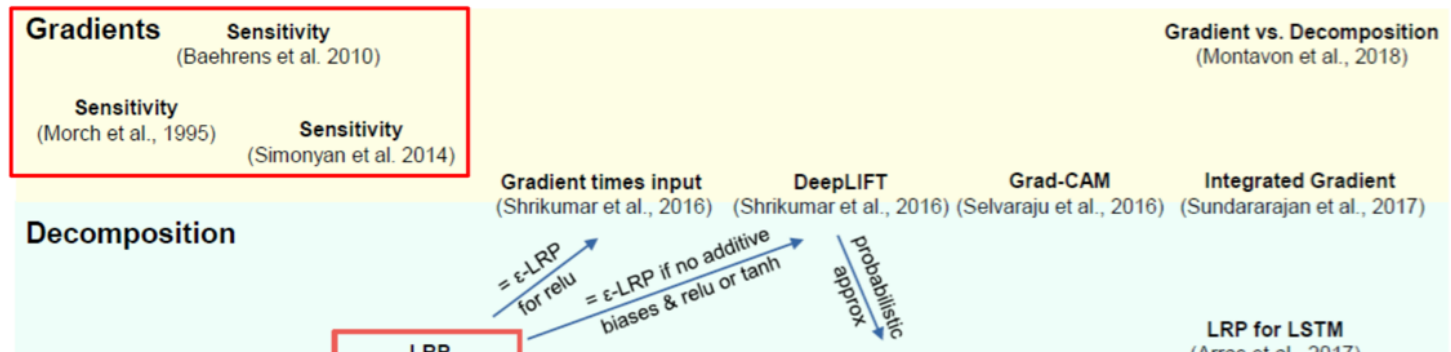
One-class SVM (Kauffmann'18)



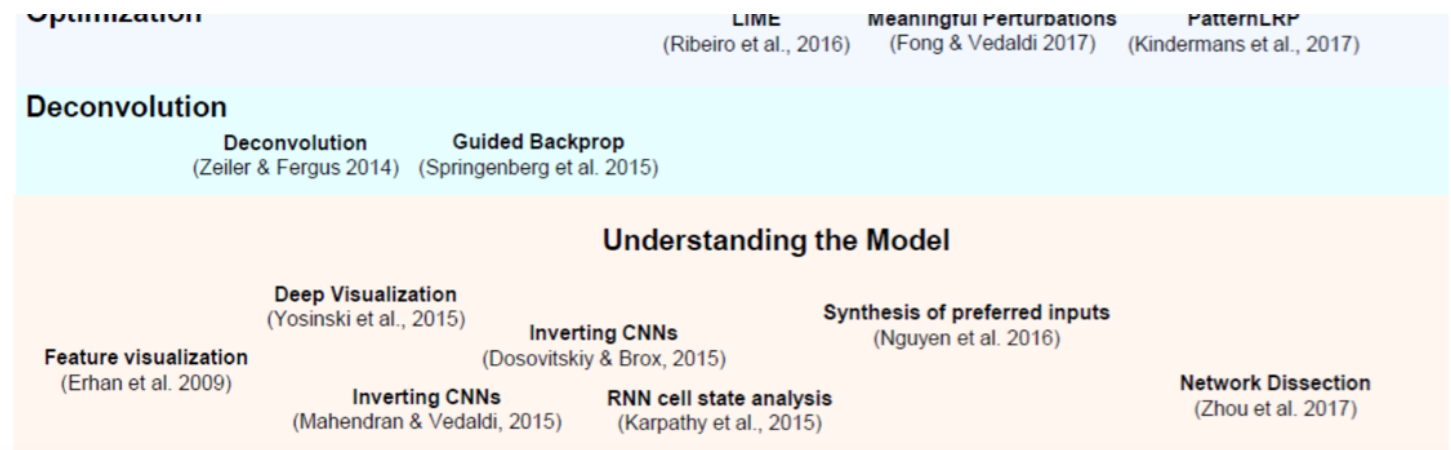
Clustering (Kauffmann'19)



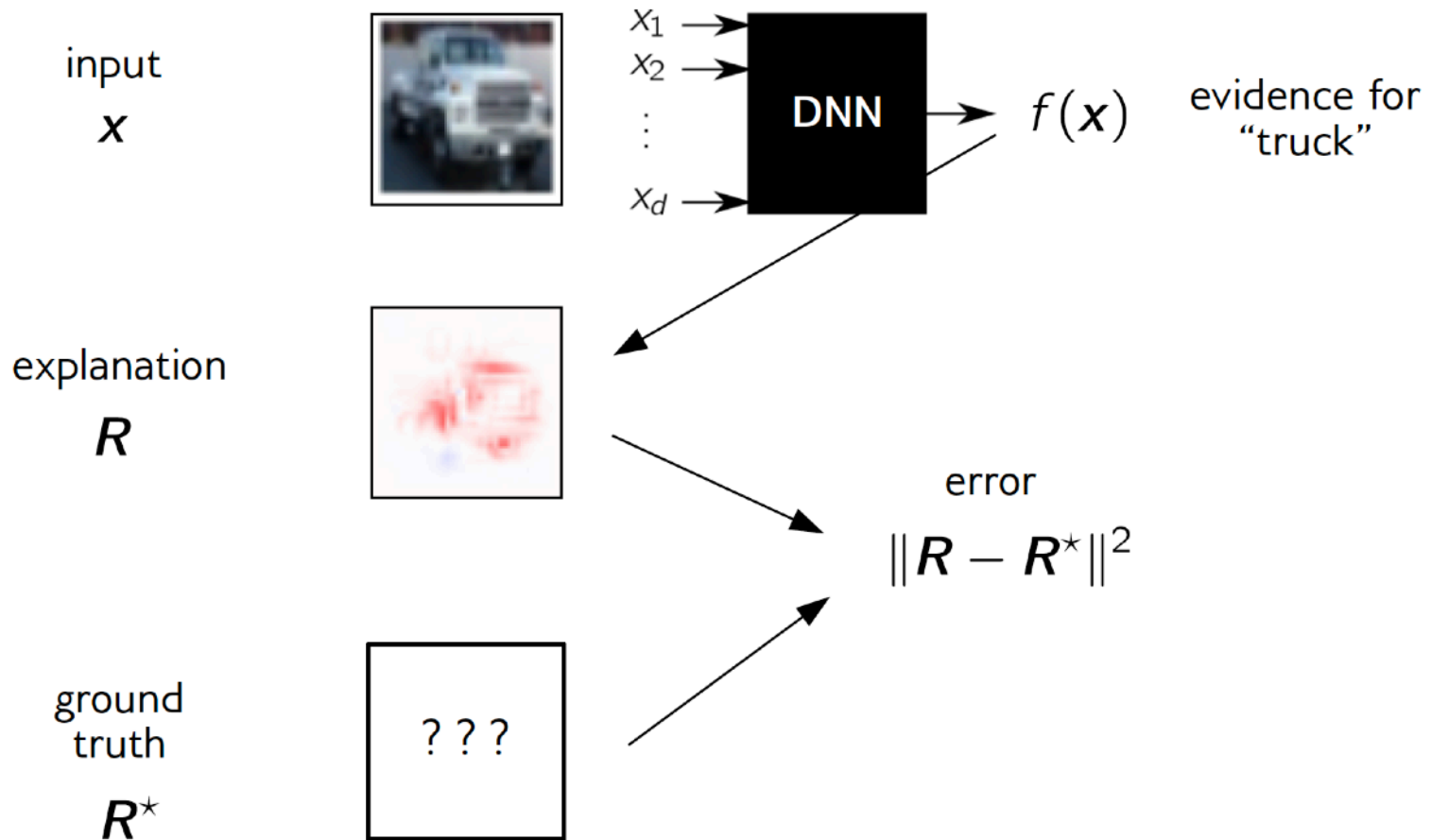
Other Explanation Methods



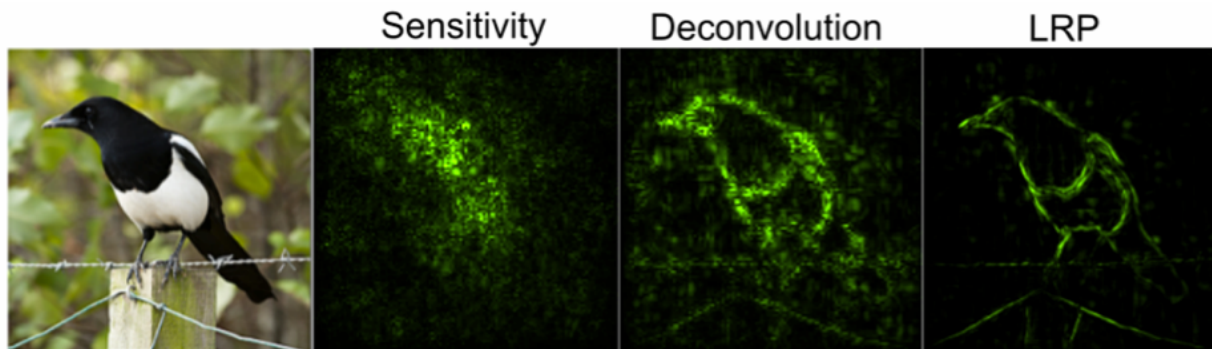
Question: Which one to choose ?



How to Evaluate Quality of Explanations ?



Compare Explanation Methods



Idea: Compare selectivity (Bach'15, Samek'17):

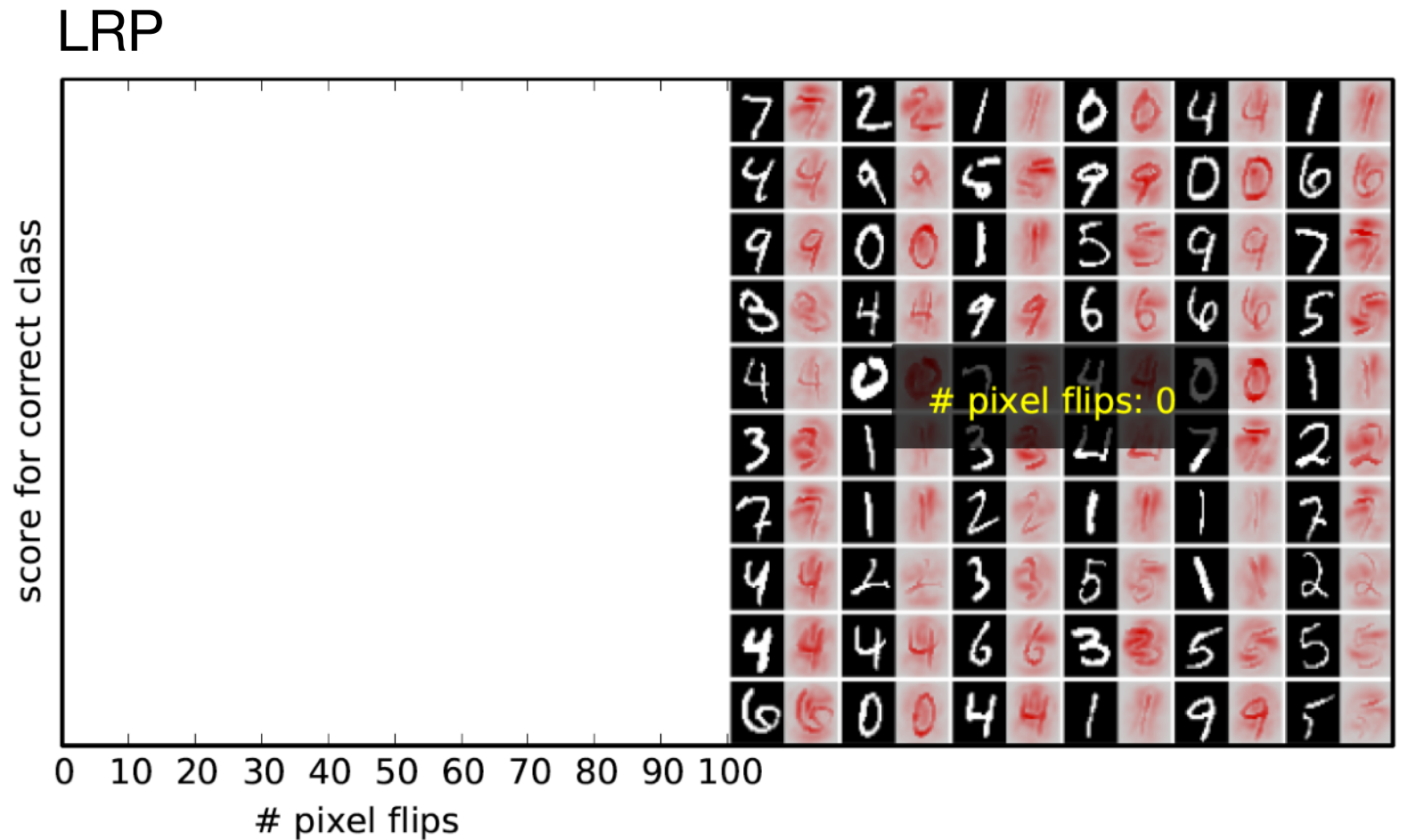
“If input features are deemed relevant, removing them should reduce evidence at the output of the network.”

Algorithm (“Pixel Flipping”)

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Sort pixels / patches by relevance
Iterate
  destroy pixel / patch
  evaluate  $f(x)$ 
Measure decrease of  $f(x)$ 
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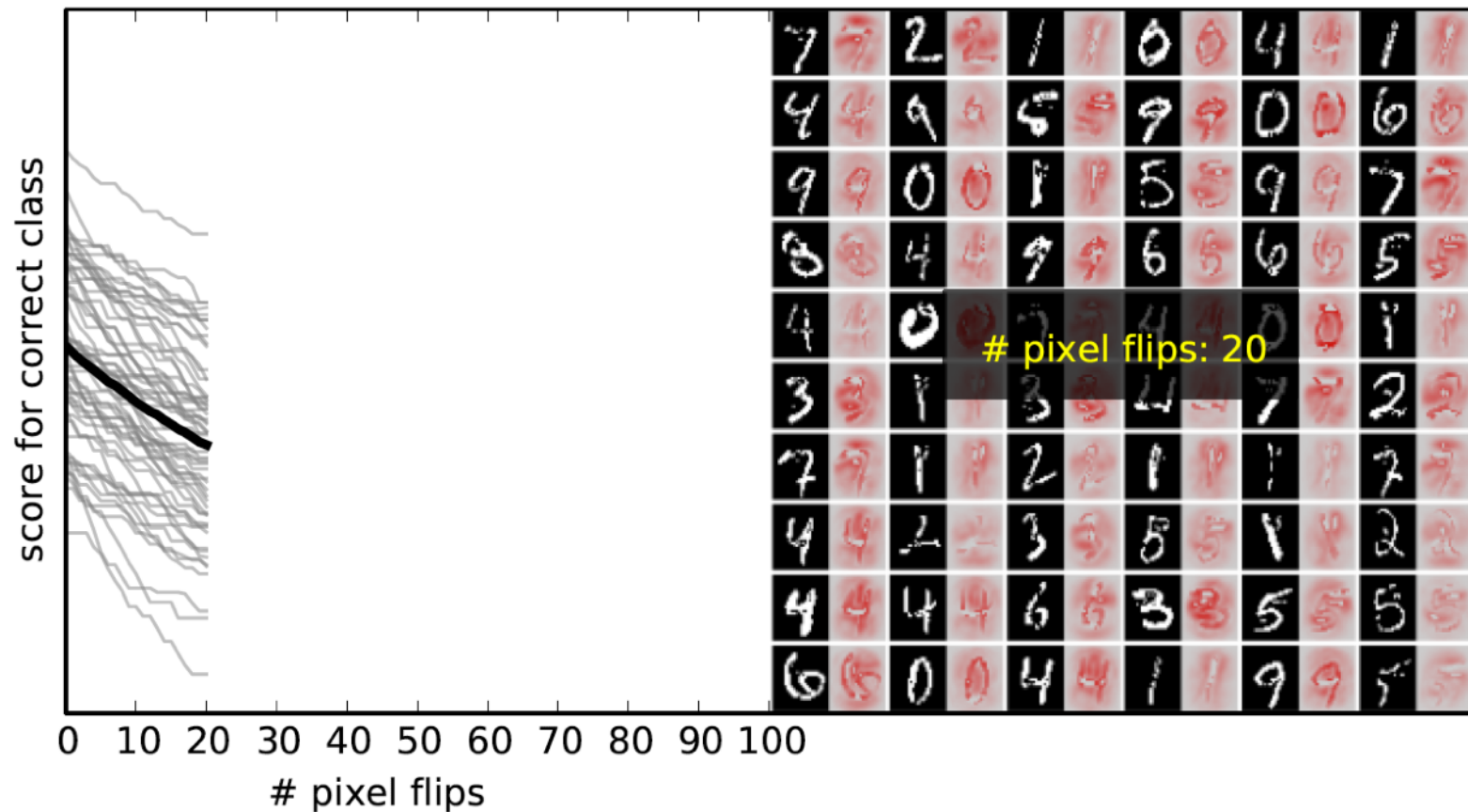
Important: Remove information in a non-specific manner (e.g. sample from uniform distribution)

Compare Explanation Methods

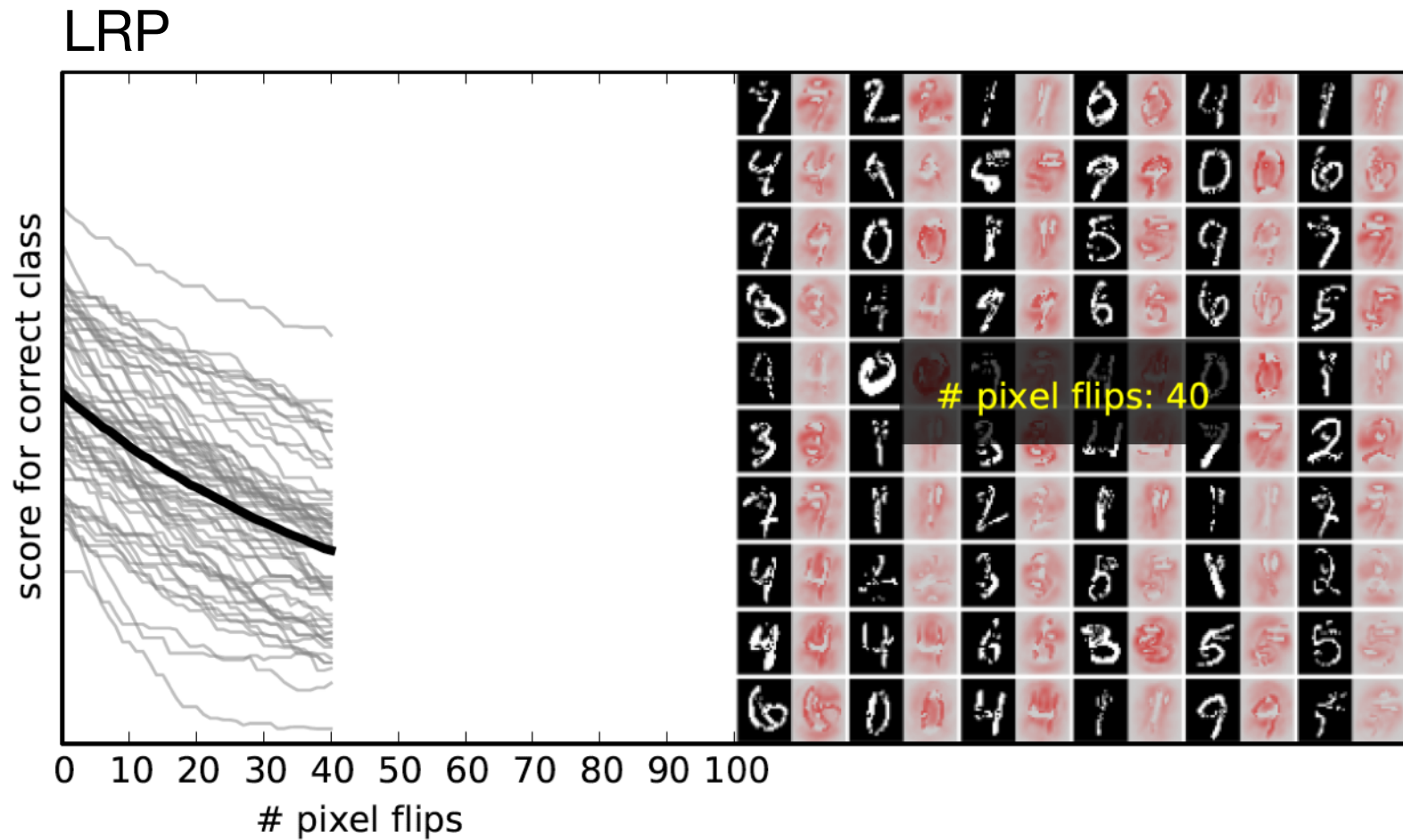


Compare Explanation Methods

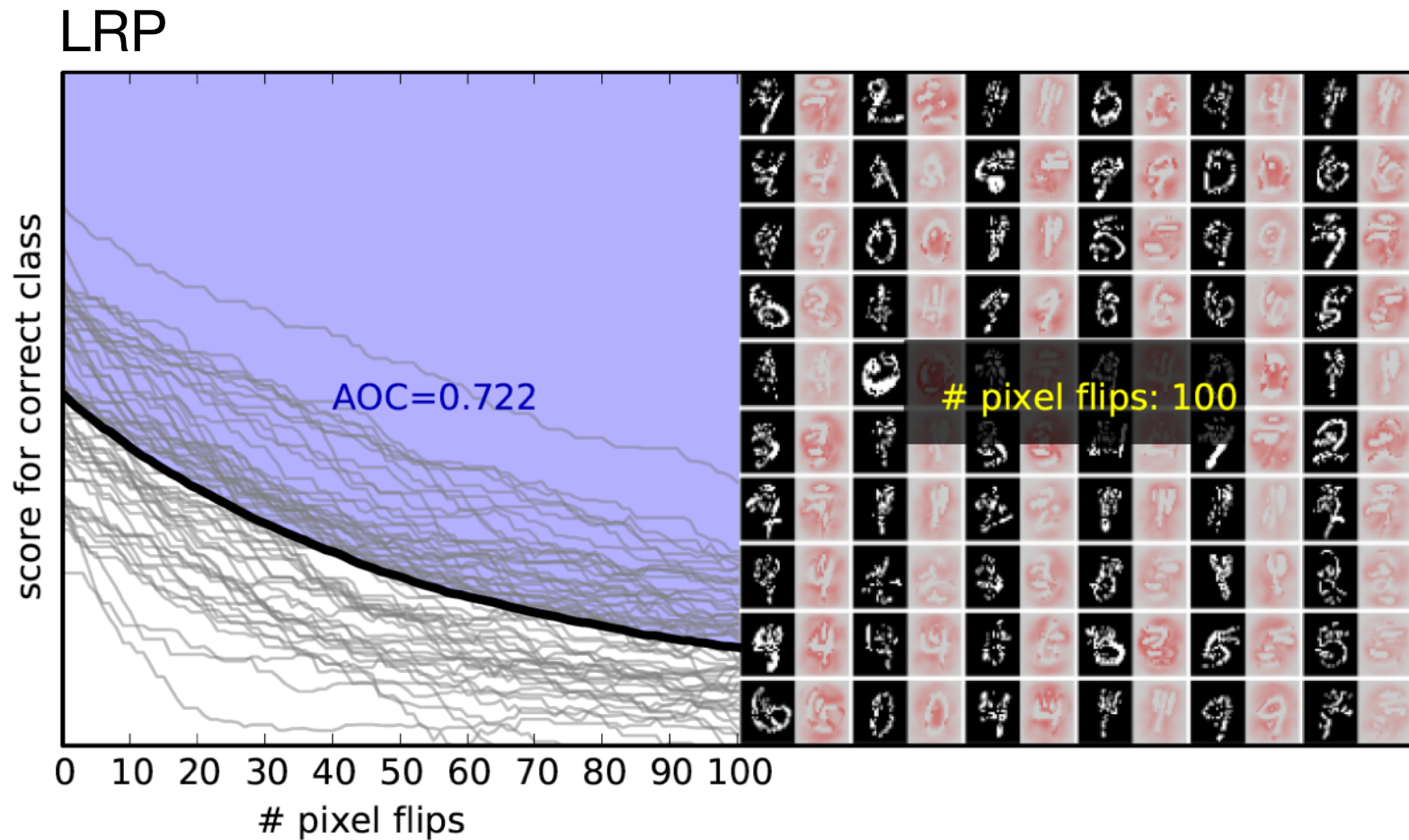
LRP



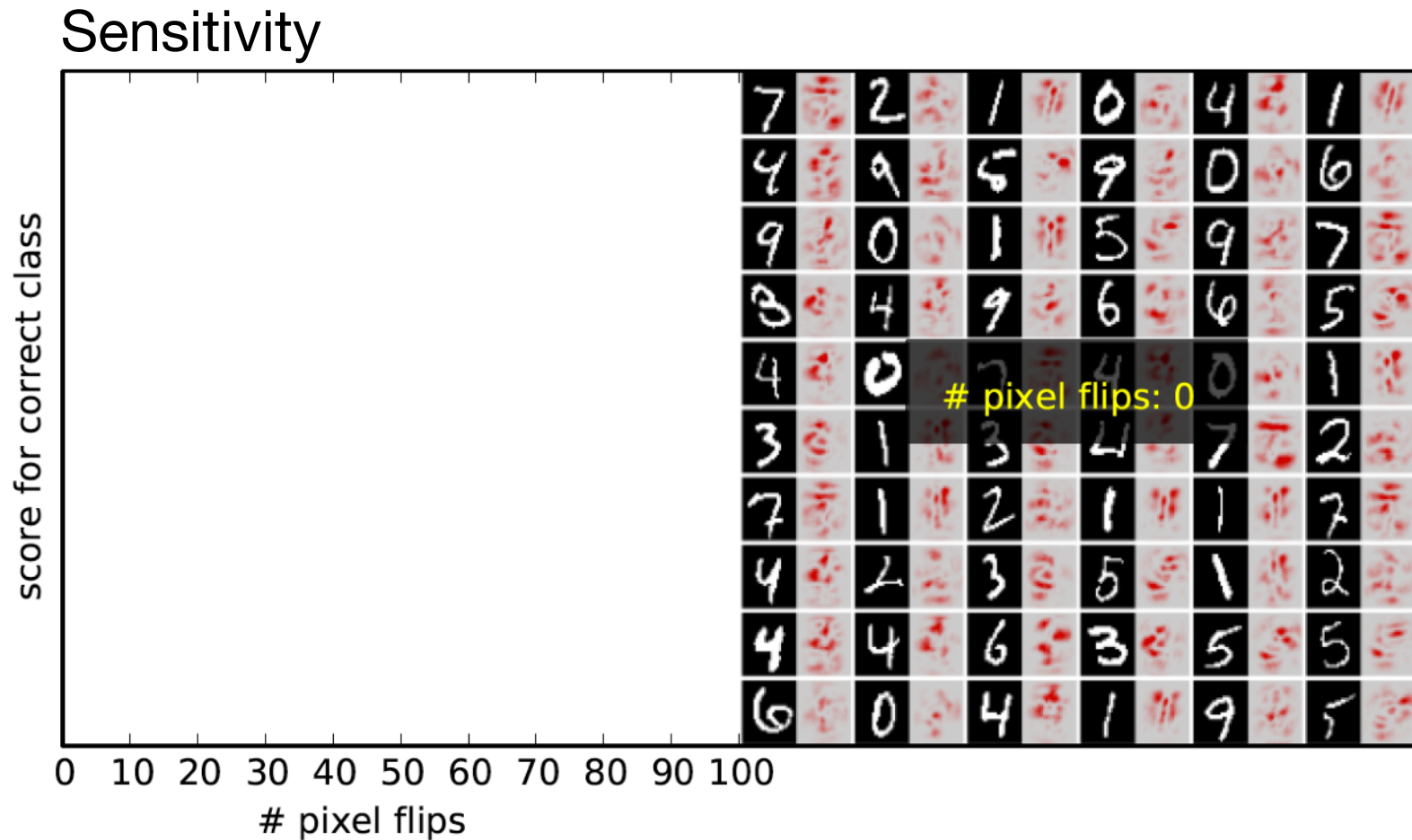
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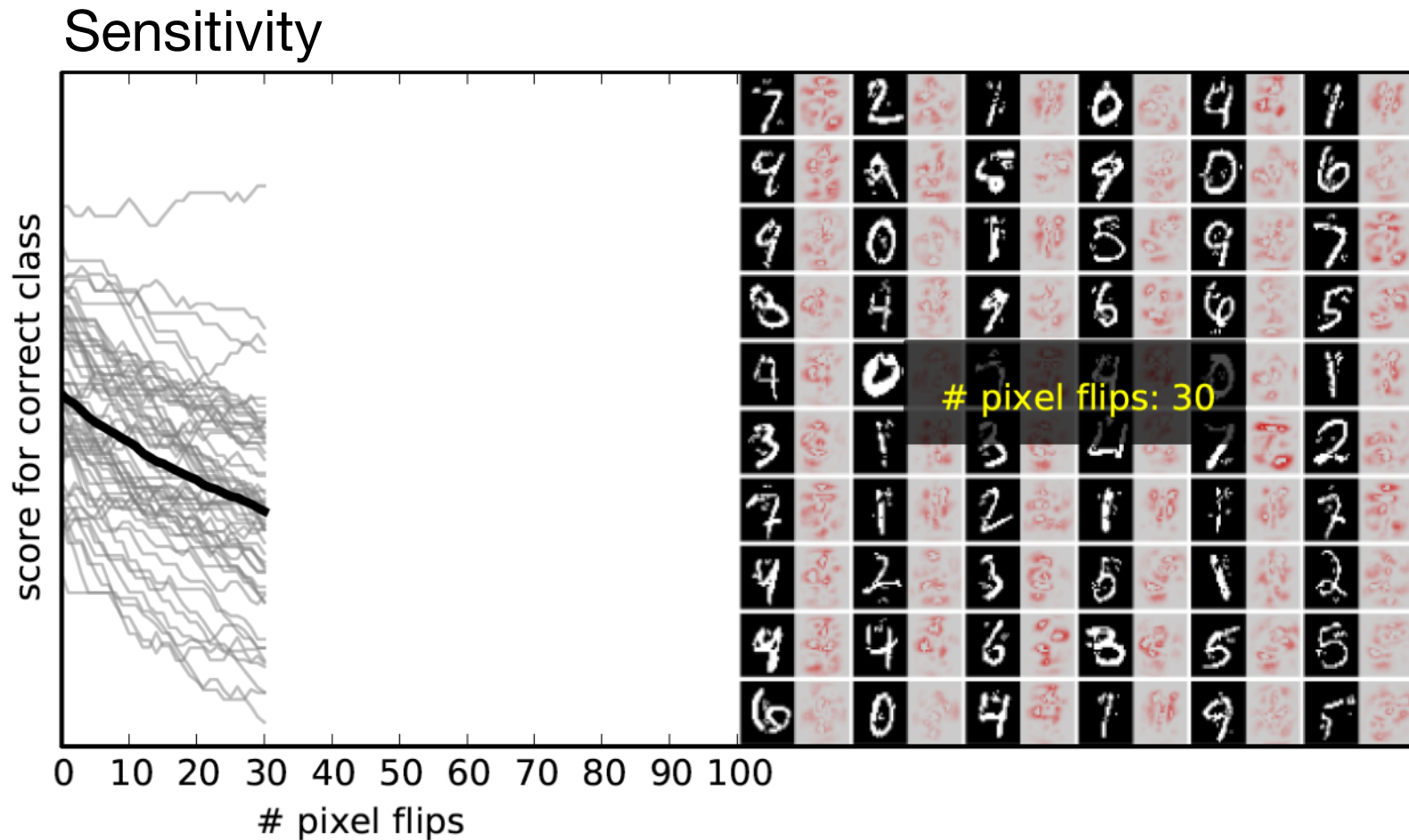
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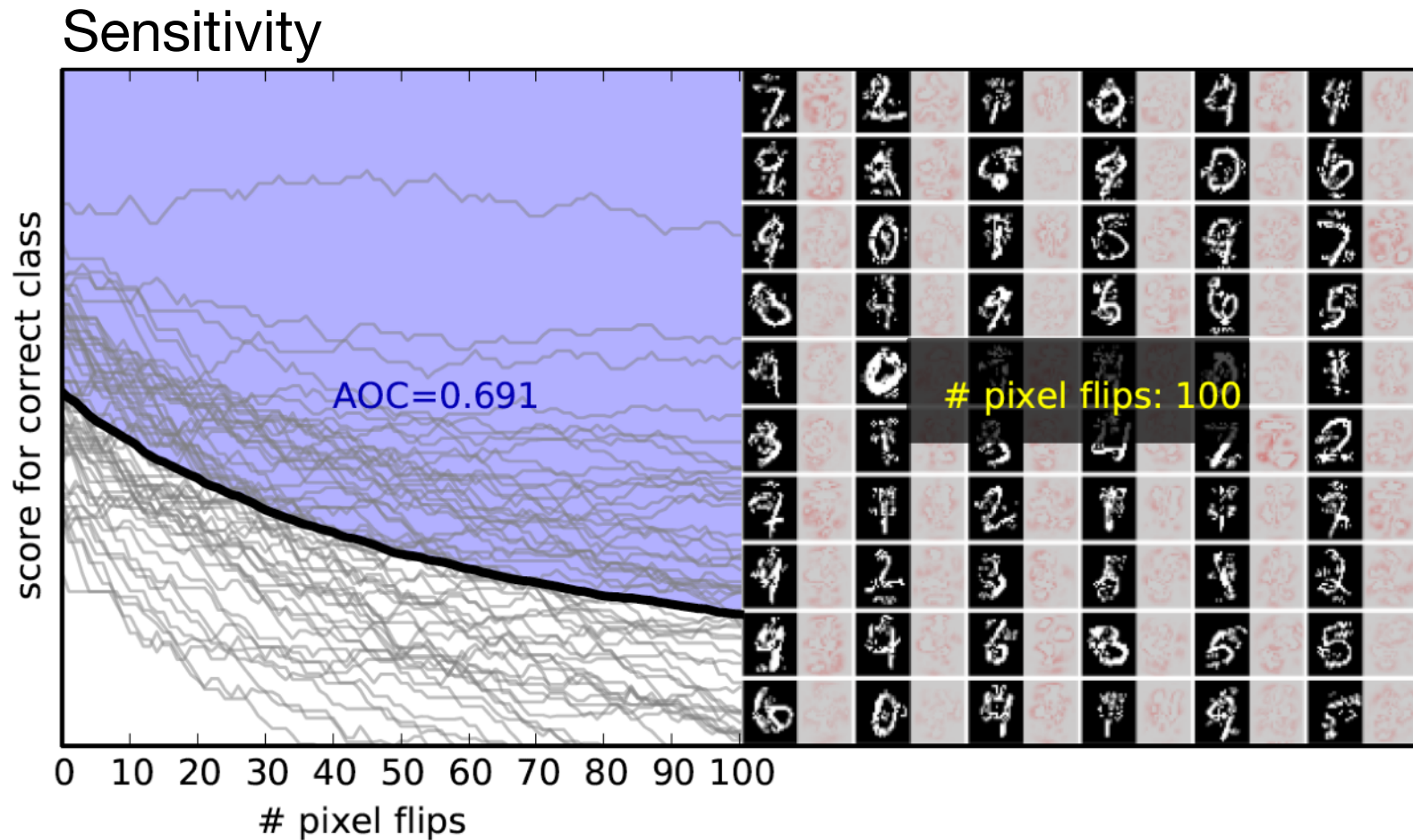
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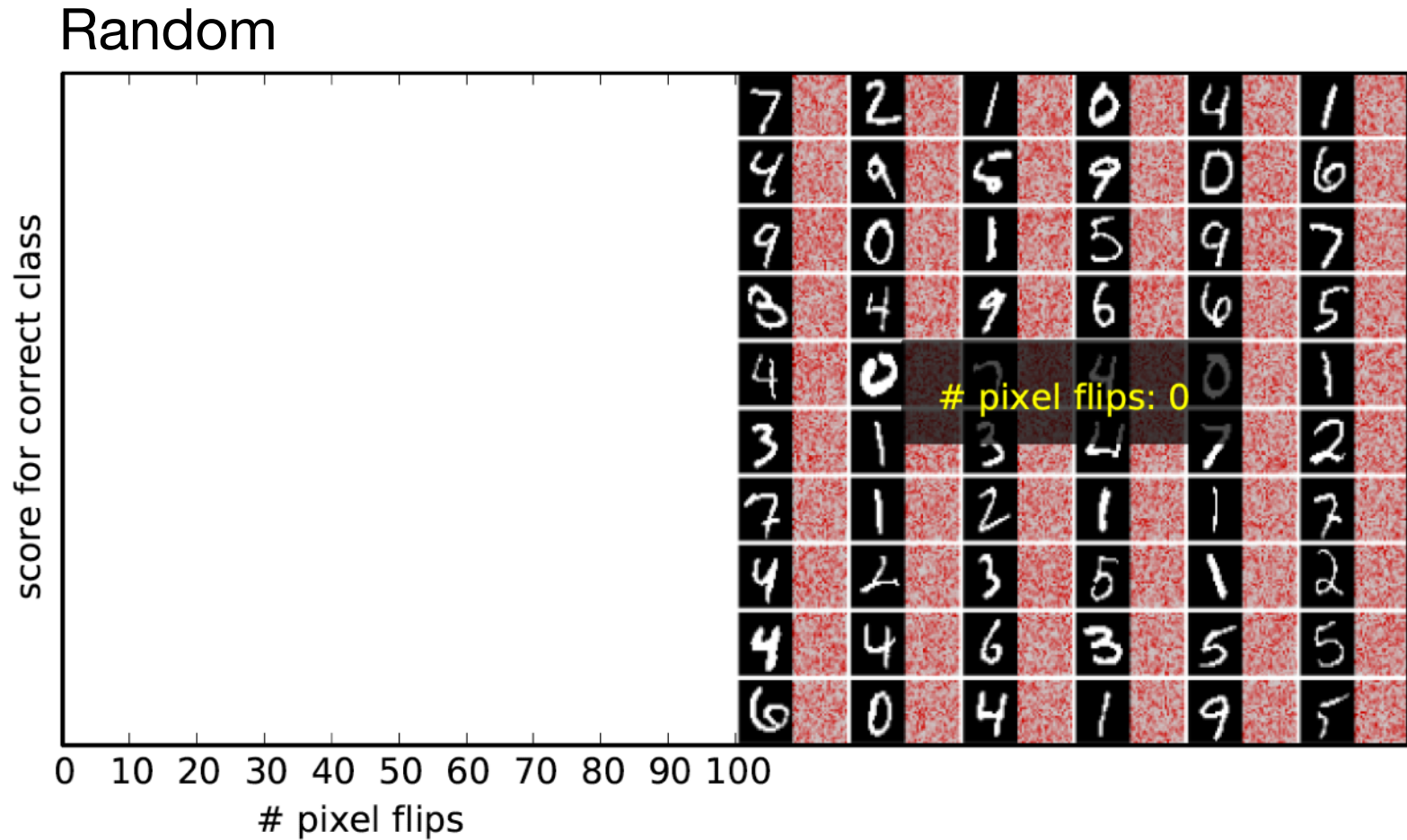
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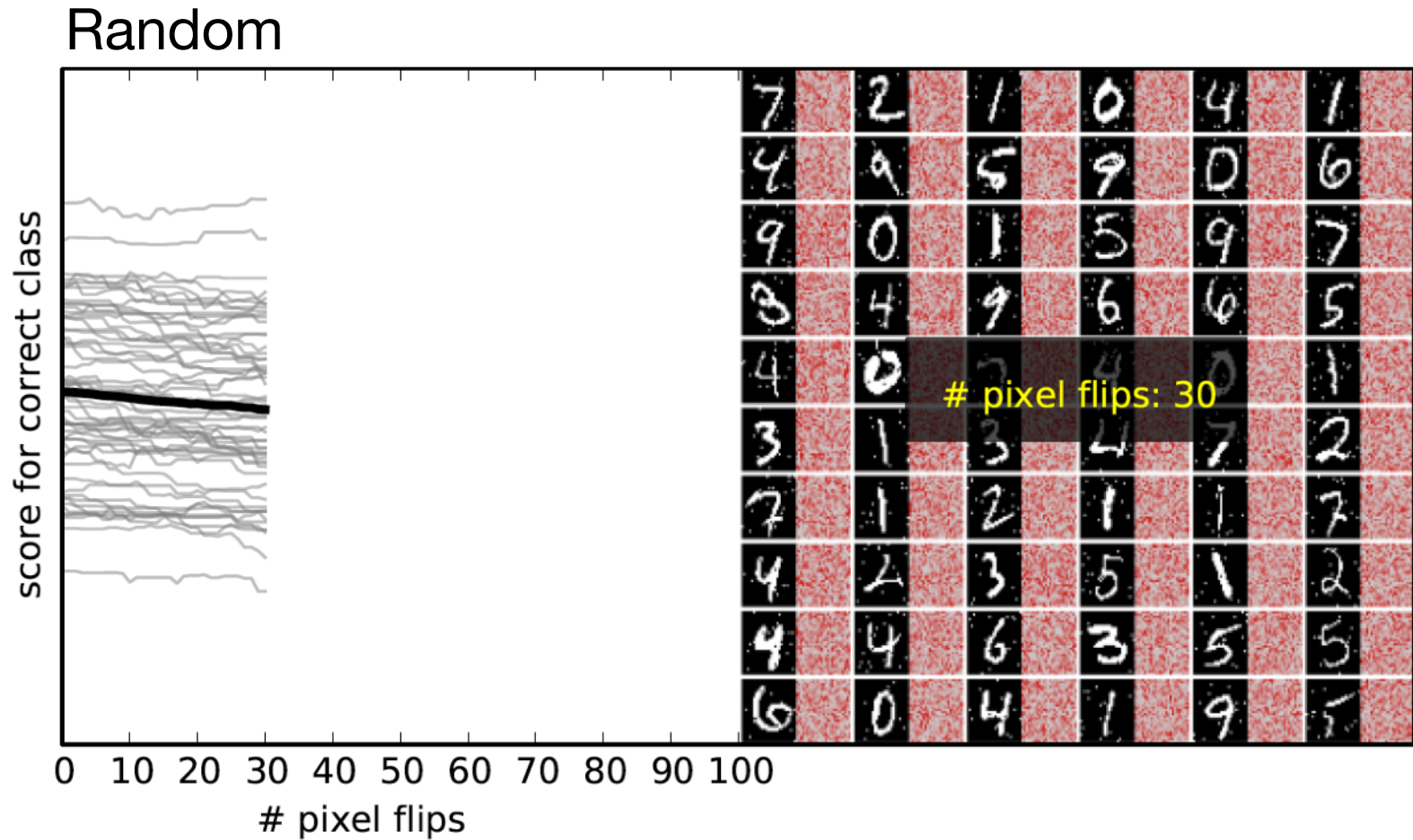
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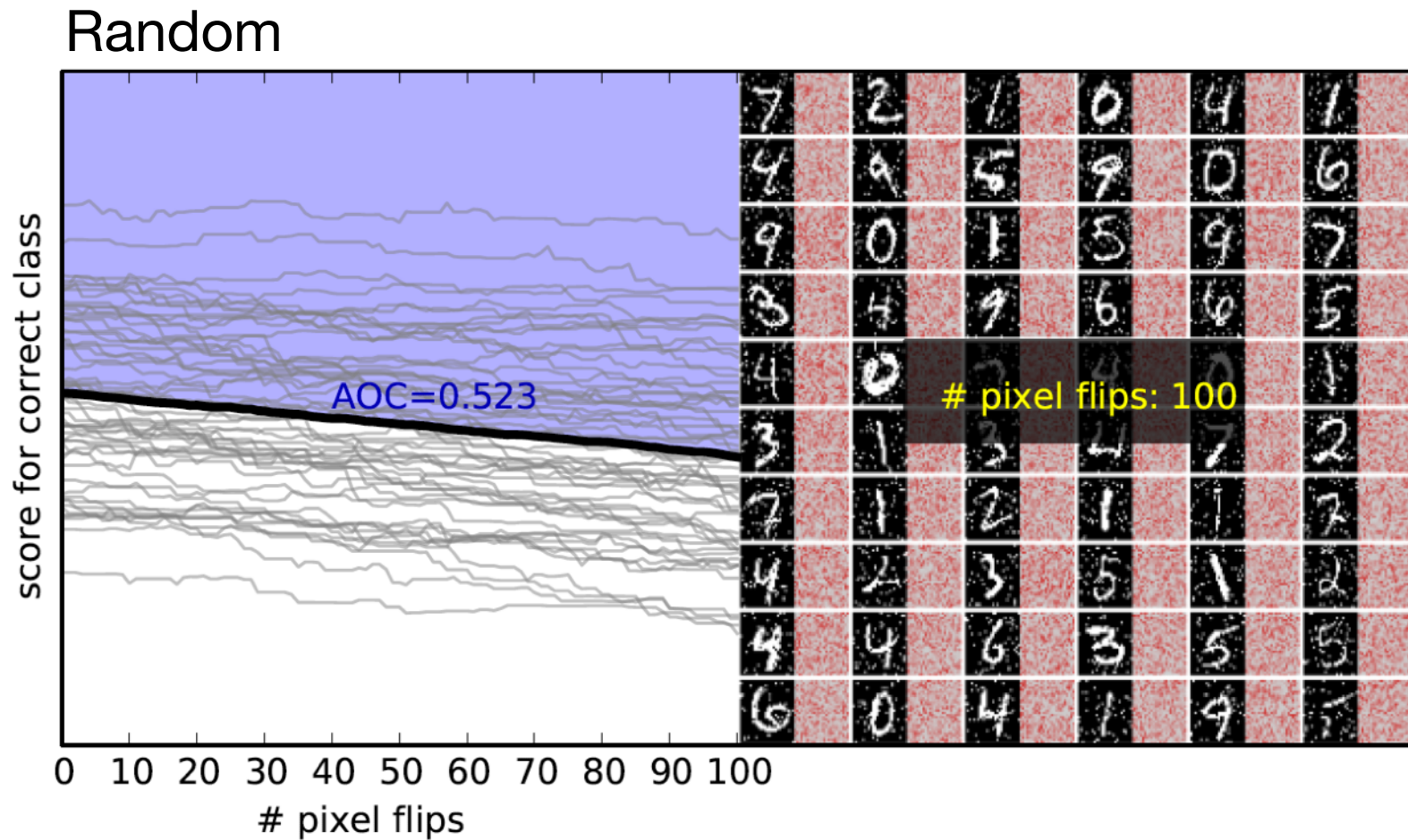
Compare Explanation Methods



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LRP:	0.722
Sensitivity:	0.691
Random:	0.523

LRP produces quantitatively better heatmaps than sensitivity analysis and random.

What about more complex datasets ?

SUN397



397 scene categories
(108,754 images in total)

ILSVRC2012



1000 categories
(1.2 million training images)

MIT Places



205 scene categories
(2.5 millions of images)

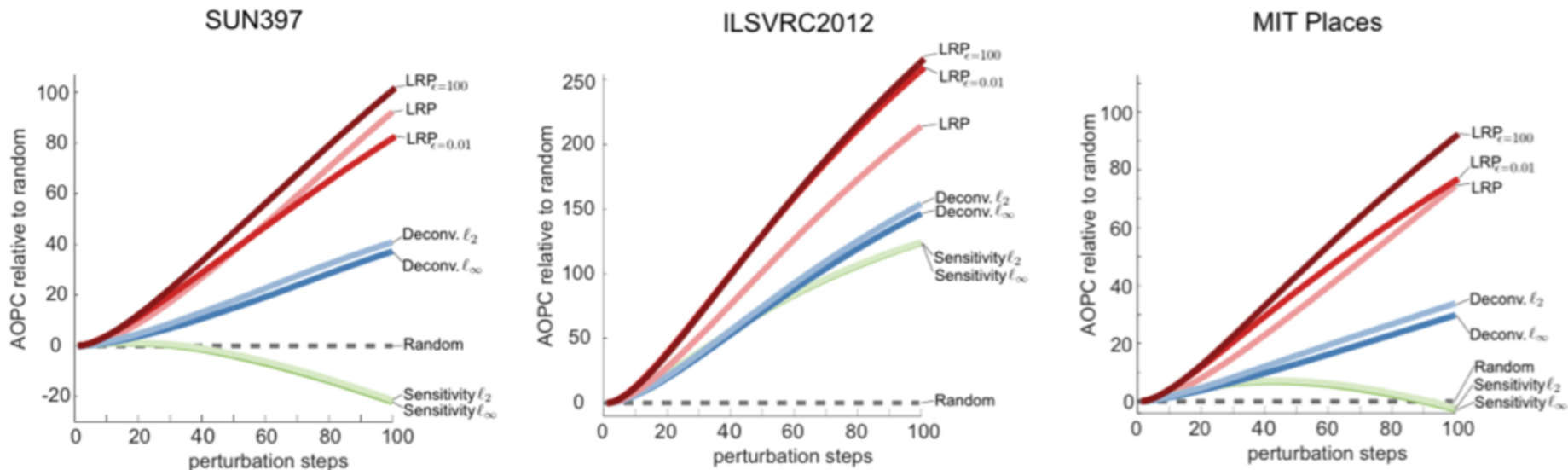
Compare Explanation Methods

Red: LRP method

Blue: Deconvolution method (Zeiler & Fergus, 2014)

Green: Sensitivity method (Simonyan et al., 2014)

- ImageNet: Caffe reference model
- Places & SUN: Classifier from MIT
- AOPC averages over 5040 images
- perturb 9×9 nonoverlapping regions
- 100 steps (15.7% of the image)
- uniform sampling in pixel space



(Samek et al. 2017)

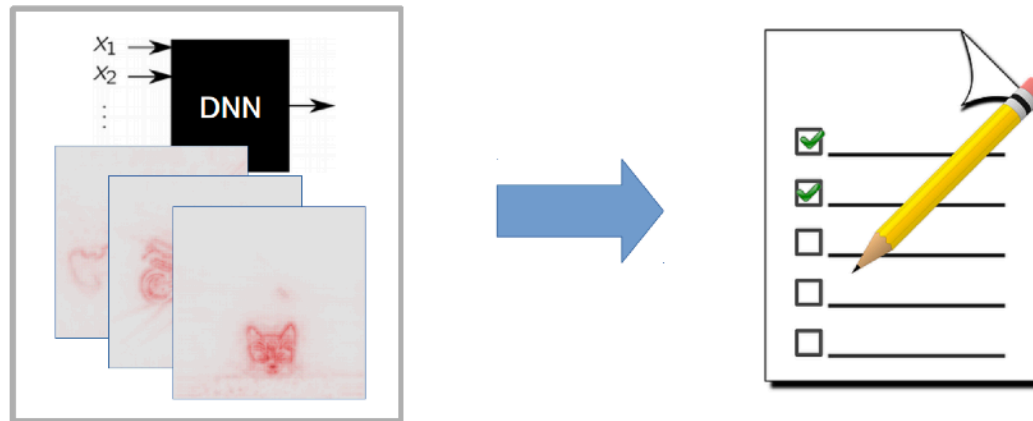
LRP produces better heatmaps

Axiomatic Approach to Interpretability

Idea: Evaluate the explanation technique axiomatically, i.e. it must pass a number of predefined “unit tests”.

[Sun'11, Bach'15, Montavon'17, Samek'17, Sundarajan'17, Kindermans'17, Montavon'18].

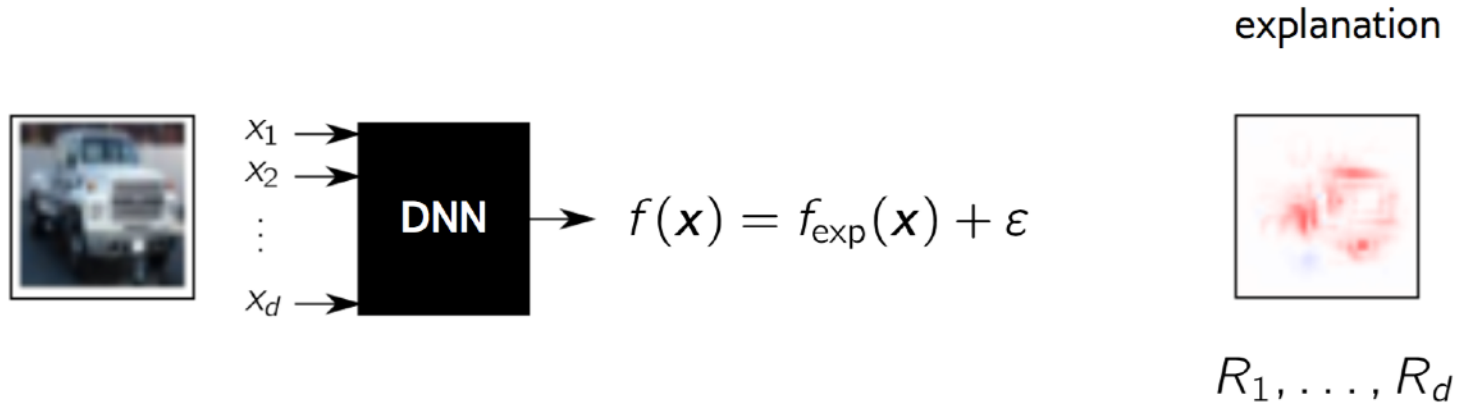
explanation technique



Axiomatic Approach to Interpretability

Properties 1-2: Conservation and Positivity

[Montavon'17, see also Sun'11, Landecker'13, Bach'15]



Conservation: Total attribution on the input features should be proportional to the amount of (explainable) evidence at the output.

$$\sum_{p=1}^d R_p = f_{\text{exp}}(\mathbf{x})$$

Positivity: If the neural network is certain about its prediction, input features are either relevant (positive) or irrelevant (zero).

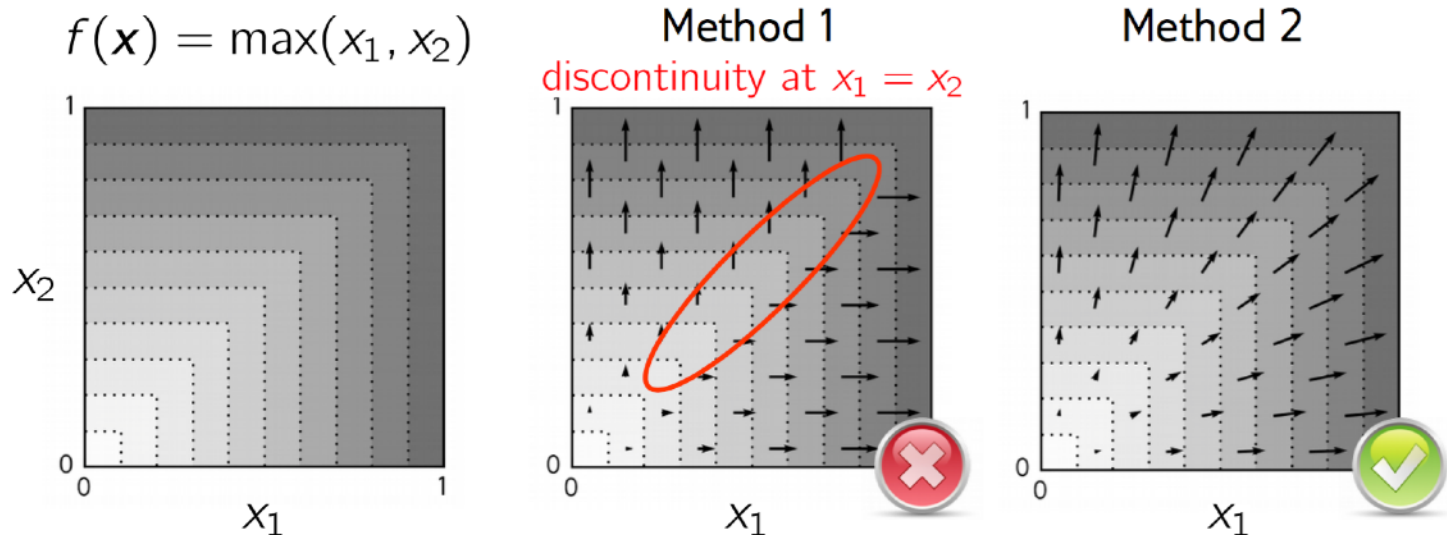
$$\forall_{p=1}^d : R_p \geq 0$$

Axiomatic Approach to Interpretability

Property 3: Continuity [Montavon'18]

If two inputs are almost the same, and the prediction is also almost the same, then the explanation should also be almost the same.

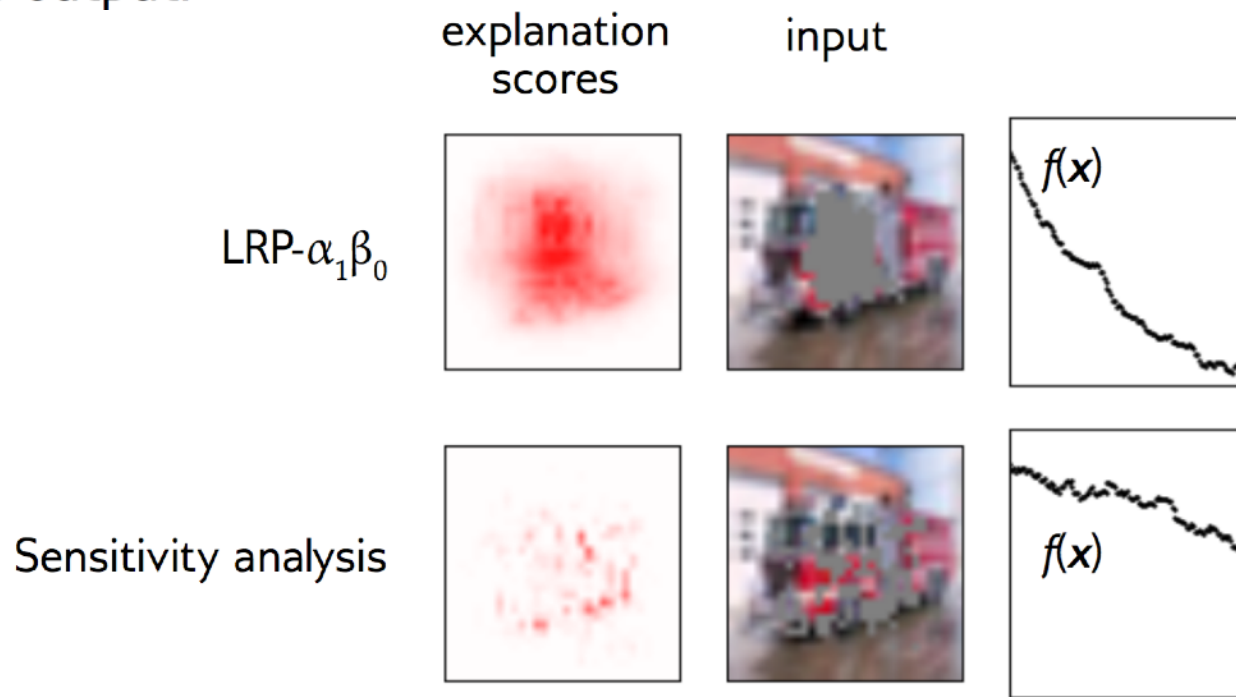
Example:



Axiomatic Approach to Interpretability

Property 4: Selectivity [Bach'15, Samek'17]

Model must agree with the explanation: If input features are attributed relevance, removing them should reduce evidence at the output.



Axiomatic Approach to Interpretability

Explanation techniques		Uniform	(Gradient) ²	(Guided BP) ²	Gradient x Input	Guided BP x Input	LRP- $\alpha_1\beta_0$	...
Properties								
1. Conservation		✓			✓	✓	✓	
2. Positivity		✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
3. Continuity		✓		✓		✓	✓	
4. Selectivity			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	
...								

Evaluating with Ground Truth

Idea: Use toy model for evaluating explanations. [Arras'19]

“Explanations should only highlight the parts in the input which are actually important (by design).”

1. LSTM is trained to **add** and **subtract** numbers from first row.
2. Measure correlation with relevance values

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & n_a & 0 & 0 & 0 & n_b & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ n_1 & \dots & n_{a-1} & 0 & n_{a+1} & \dots & n_{b-1} & 0 & n_{b+1} & \dots & n_T \end{pmatrix}$$

Toy Task Addition	$\rho(R_{x_a}, n_a)$	$\rho(R_{x_b}, n_b)$	Toy Task Subtraction	$\rho(R_{x_a}, n_a)$	$\rho(R_{x_b}, n_b)$
	(in %)	(in %)		(in %)	(in %)
Occlusion	99.990 (0.004)	99.990 (0.004)	Occlusion	99.0 (2.0)	-69.0 (19.1)
LRP-half [ACL best paper]	29.035 (9.478)	51.460 (19.939)	LRP-half [ACL best paper]	7.7 (15.3)	-28.9 (6.4)
LRP-all [ours]	99.995 (0.002)	99.995 (0.002)	LRP-all [ours]	98.5 (3.5)	-99.3 (1.3)
CD [ICLR oral]	99.997 (0.002)	99.997 (0.002)	CD [ICLR oral]	-25.9 (39.1)	-50.0 (29.2)

Summary Evaluation

LRP heatmaps are informative, trustworthy and fulfil important axioms.

Furthermore, LRP produces qualitative and quantitatively better explanations than sensitivity analysis, deconvolution, context decomposition, gradient times input, occlusion and ...

Let's now see some applications!

Application of LRP

Compare models

Application: Compare Classifiers

Yes, weightlessness does feel like falling. It may feel strange at first, but the body does adjust. The feeling is not too different from that of sky diving.

word2vec/CNN:

Performance: 80.19%

Strategy to solve the problem:
identify semantically meaningful words related to the topic.

sci.med (4.1)

>And what is the motion sickness
>that some astronauts occasionally experience?

It is the body's reaction to a strange environment. It appears to be induced partly to physical discomfort and part to mental distress. Some people are more prone to it than others, like some people are more prone to get sick on a roller coaster ride than others. The mental part is usually induced by a lack of clear indication of which way is up or down, ie: the Shuttle is normally oriented with its cargo bay pointed towards Earth, so the Earth (or ground) is "above" the head of the astronauts. About 50% of the astronauts experience some form of motion sickness, and NASA has done numerous tests in space to try to see how to keep the number of occurrences down.

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sci.med (-0.6)

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(Arras et al. 2016 & 2017)

Application: Compare Classifiers

word2vec / CNN model

sci.med

symptoms (7.3), treatments (6.6), medication (6.4), osteopathy (6.3), ulcers (6.2), sciatica (6.0), hypertension (6.0), herb (5.6), doctor (5.4), physician (5.1), Therapy (5.1), antibiotics (5.1), Asthma (5.0), renal (5.0), medicines (4.9), caffeine (4.9), infection (4.9), gastrointestinal (4.8), therapy (4.8), homeopathic (4.7), medicine (4.7), allergic (4.7), dosages (4.7), esophagitis (4.7), inflammation (4.6), arrhythmias (4.6), cancer (4.6), disease (4.6), migraine (4.6), patients (4.5).

BoW/SVM model

sci.med

cancer (1.4), photography (1.0), doctor (1.0), msg (0.9), disease (0.9), medical (0.8), sleep (0.8), radiologist (0.7), eye (0.7), treatment (0.7), prozac (0.7), vitamin (0.7), epilepsy (0.7), health (0.6), yeast (0.6), skin (0.6), pain (0.5), liver (0.5), physician (0.5), she (0.5), needles (0.5), dn (0.5), circumcision (0.5), syndrome (0.5), migraine (0.5), antibiotic (0.5), water (0.5), blood (0.5), fat (0.4), weight (0.4).

Words with maximum relevance

(Arras et al. 2016 & 2017)

Application of LRP

Quantify Context Use

Application: Measure Context Use



how important
is context ?



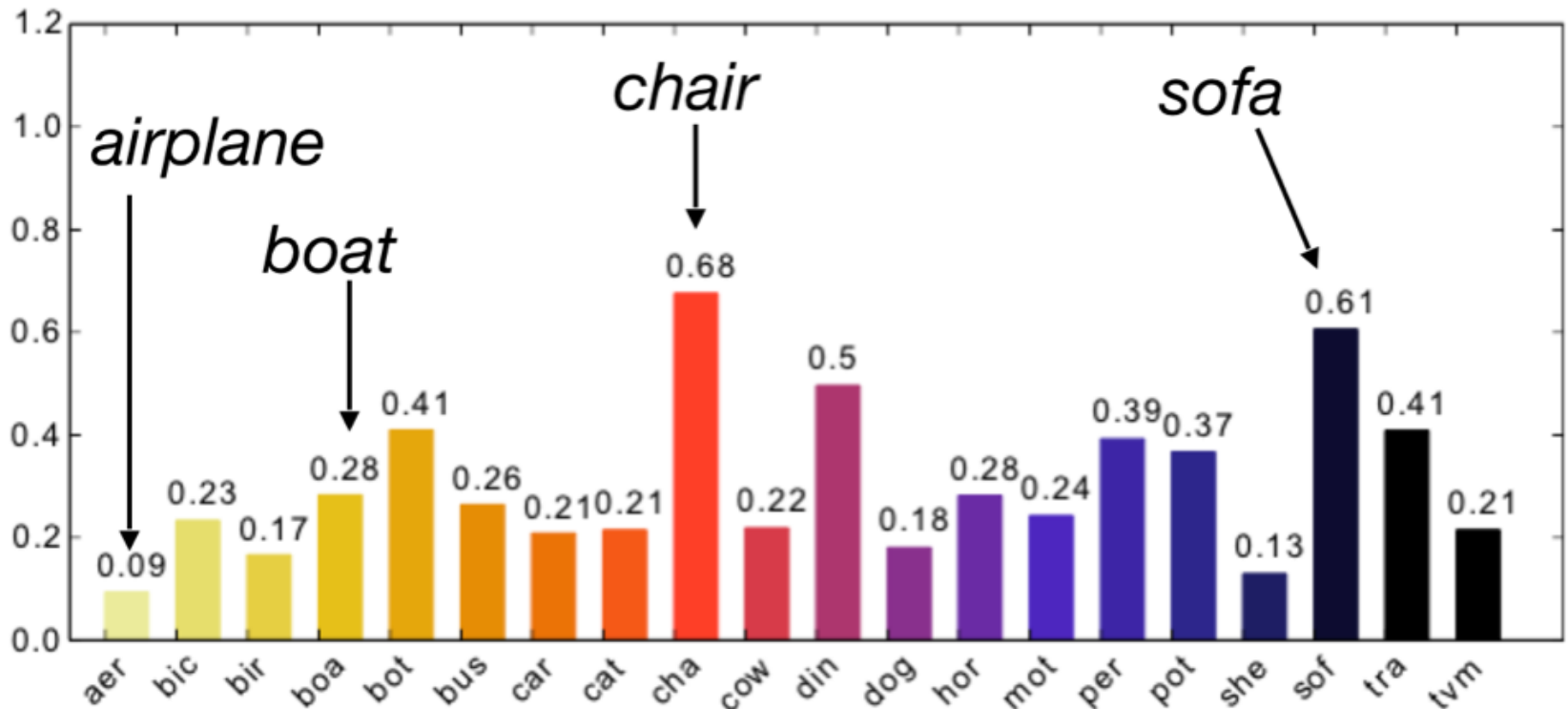
how important
is context ?

classifier

$$\text{importance of context} = \frac{\text{relevance outside bbox}}{\text{relevance inside bbox}}$$

Application: Measure Context Use

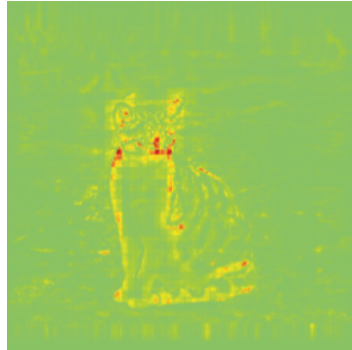
- BVLC reference model + fine tuning
- PASCAL VOC 2007



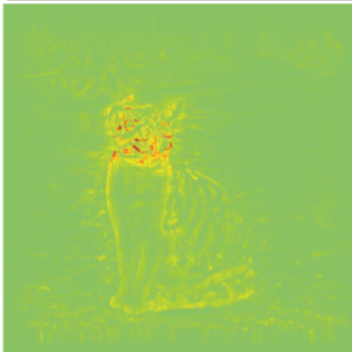
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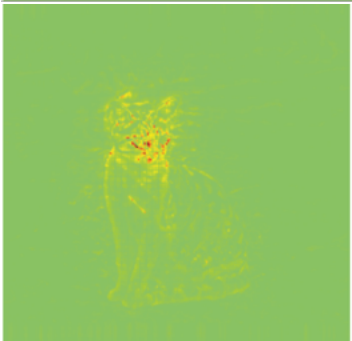
BVLC CaffeNet



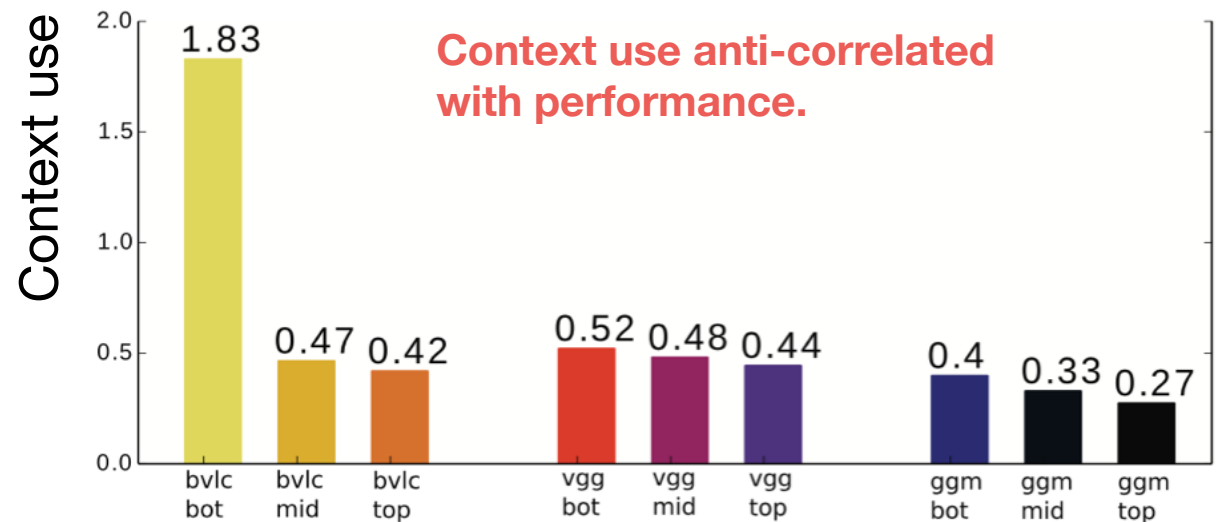
GoogleNet



VGG CNN S



- Different models (BVLC CaffeNet, GoogleNet, VGG CNN S)
- ILSVCR 2012



BVLC CaffeNet

GoogleNet

VGG CNN S

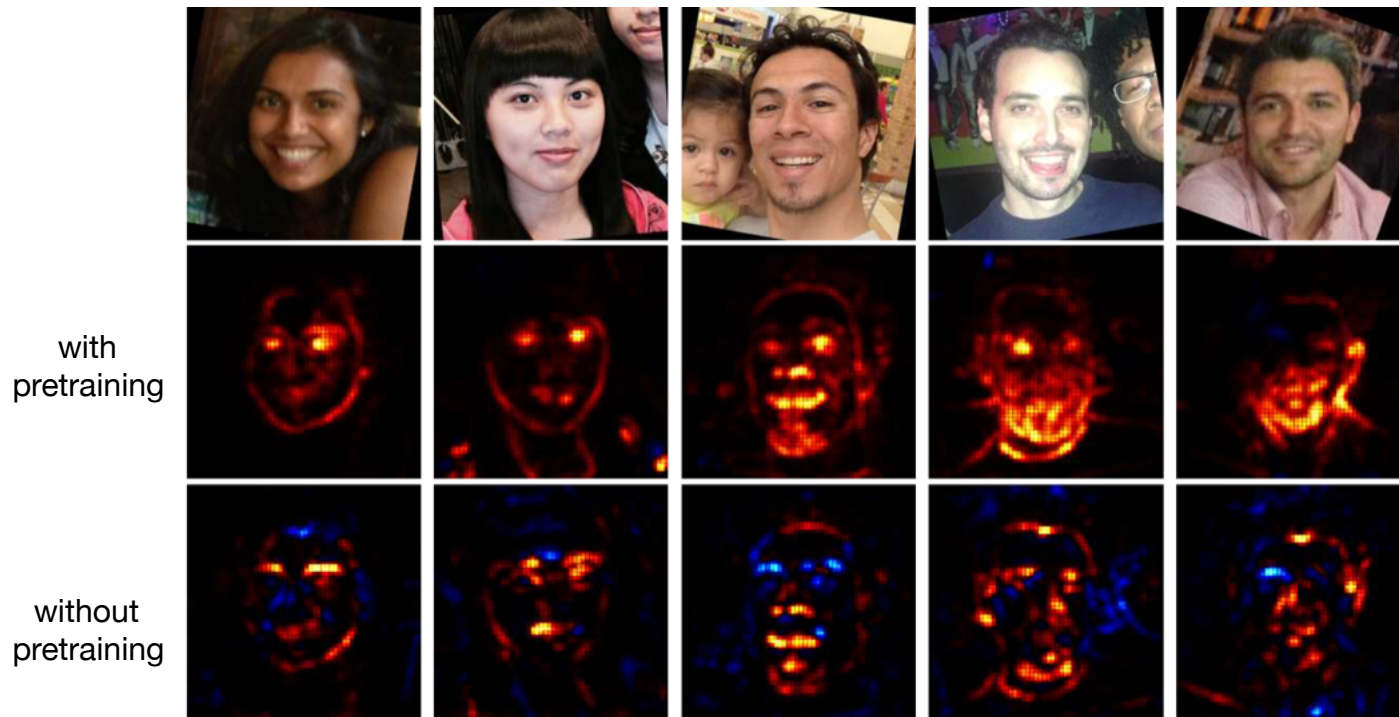
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Application of LRP

Detect Biases

Application: Face analysis

Gender classification



Strategy to solve the problem: Focus on chin / beard, eyes & hear, but without pretraining the model overfits

(Lapuschkin et al., 2017)

Application: Face analysis

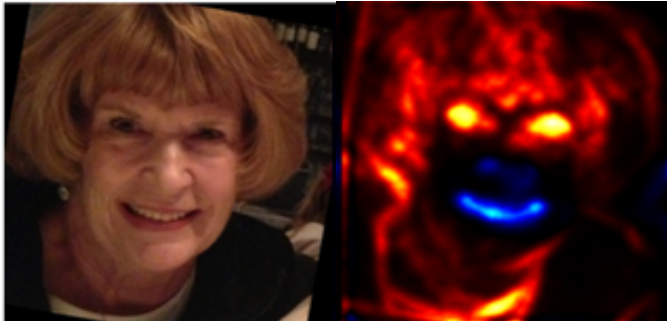
Age classification



Predictions

25-32 years old

Strategy to solve the problem:
Focus on the laughing ...



60+ years old laughing speaks against 60+
pretraining on (i.e., model learned that old
ImageNet people do not laugh)



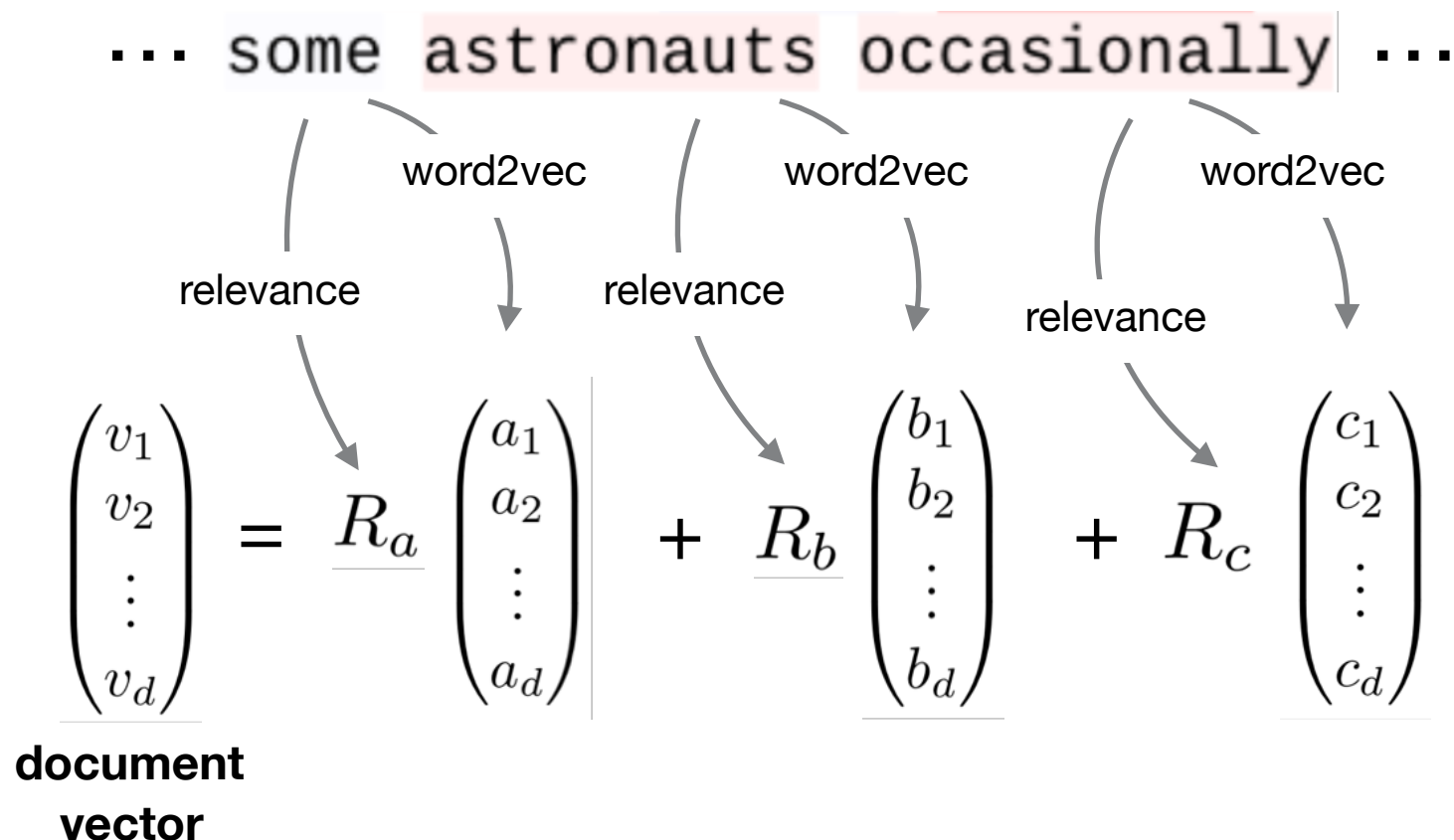
pretraining on
IMDB-WIKI

(Lapuschkin et al., 2017)

Application of LRP

Relevance-Based Filtering

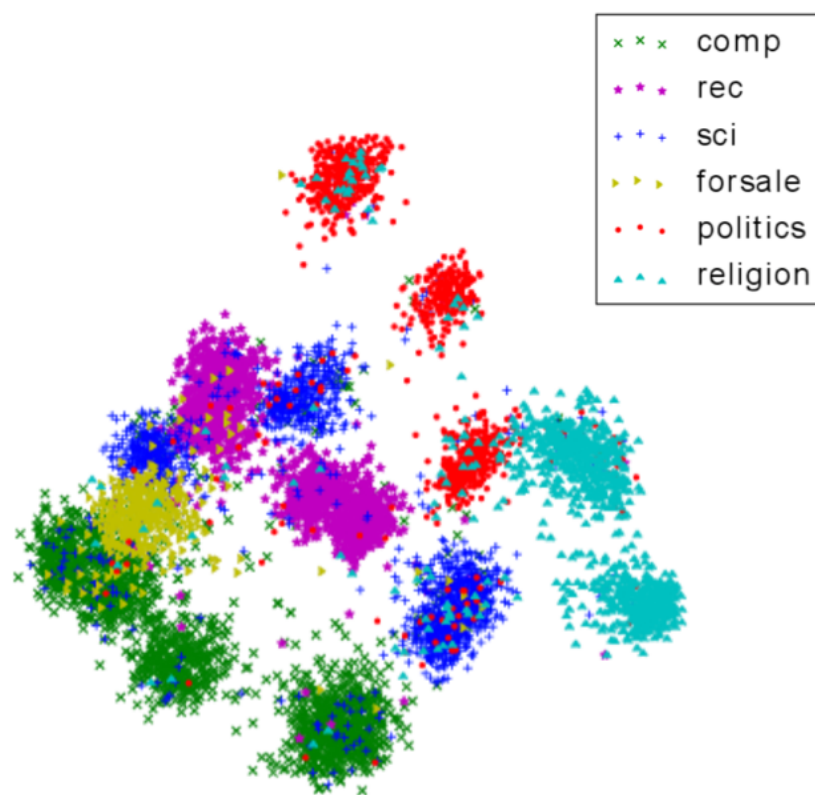
Application: Learn new Representations



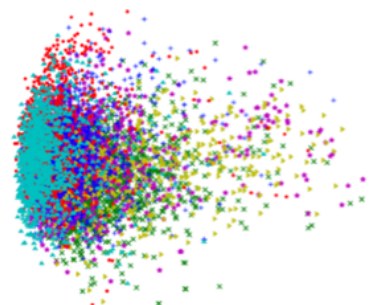
(Arras et al. 2016 & 2017)

Application: Learn new Representations

2D PCA projection of document vectors



uniform



TFIDF



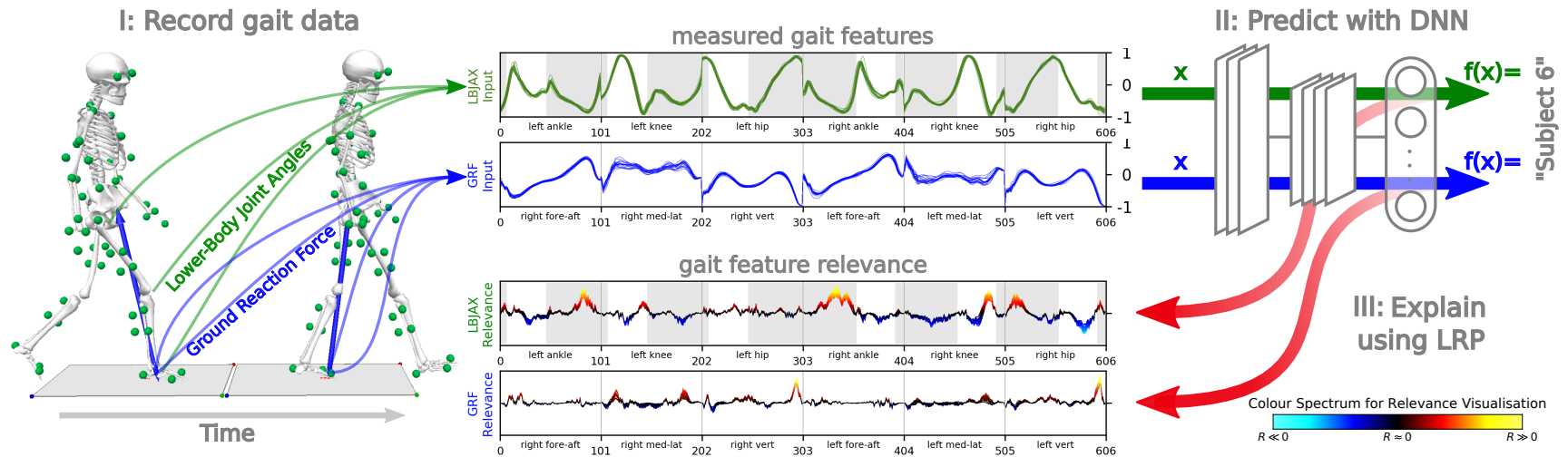
Document vector computation is unsupervised (given we have a classifier).

(Arras et al. 2016 & 2017)

Application of LRP

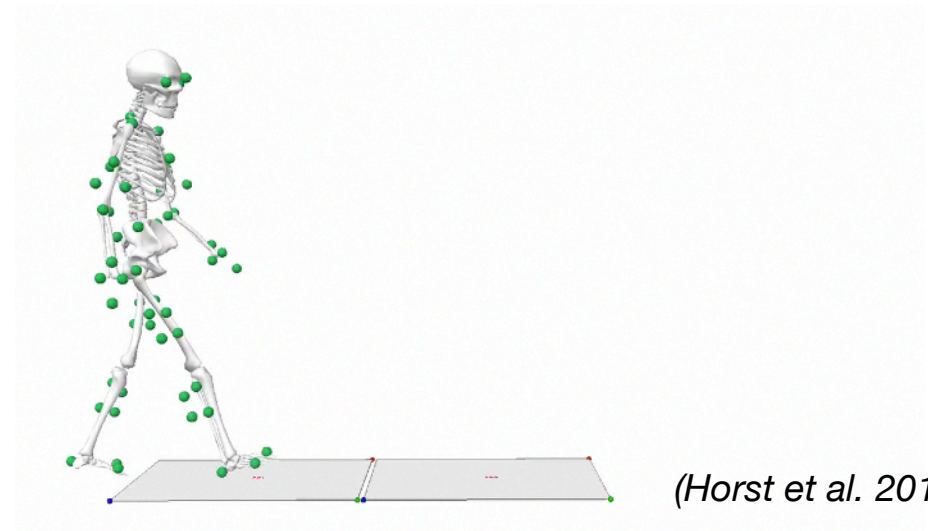
Understand Model

Application: Gait Analysis



Our approach:

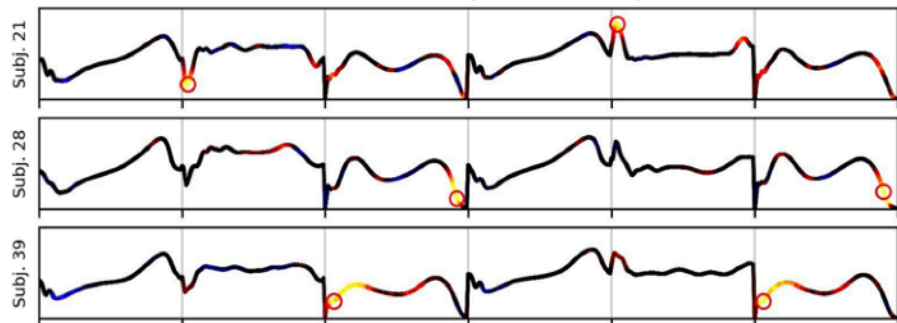
- Classify & explain individual gait patterns
- Important for understanding diseases such as Parkinson



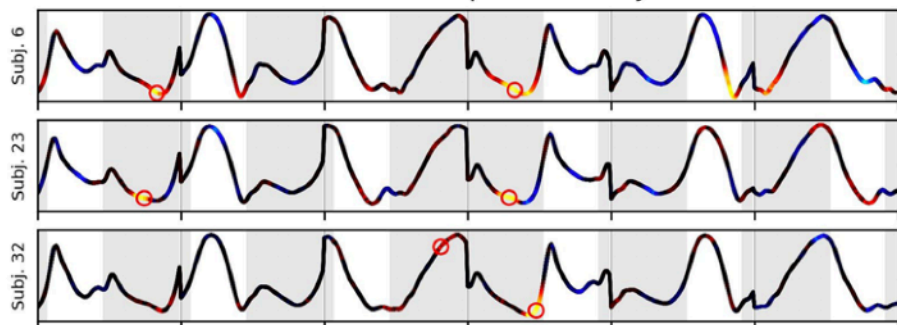
Application: Gait Analysis

Model	Ground Reaction Forces [%]	Joint Angles Full-Body [%]	Joint Angles Full-Body (flex.-ext.) [%]	Joint Angles Lower-Body [%]	Joint Angles Lower-Body (flex.-ext.) [%]
CNN-A	99.1 (0.8)	100.0 (0.0)	95.6 (1.7)	99.9 (0.3)	92.0 (3.9)

Ground Reaction Force - CNN-A:
Relevance of Input Per Subject



Lower-Body Joint Angles (flexion-extension) - CNN-A:
Relevance of Input Per Subject



Insights for subject 6

- extension of the ankle during the terminal stance phase
- flexion of the knee and hip during the initial contact of the right leg

Application: Understand the model

- 3-dimensional CNN (C3D)
- trained on Sports-1M
- explain predictions for 1000 videos from the test set

frame 1

frame 4

frame 7

frame 10

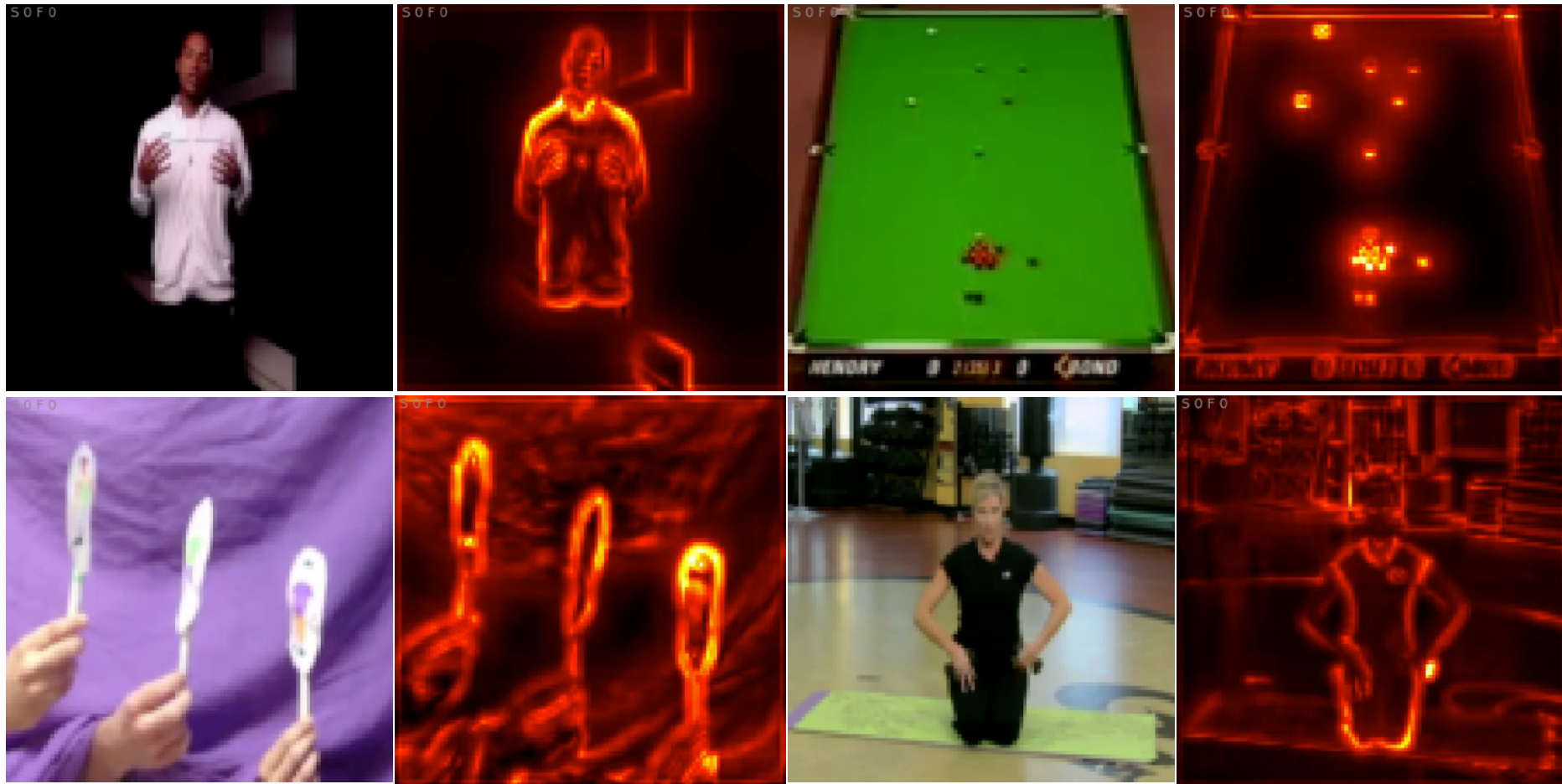
frame 13

frame 16



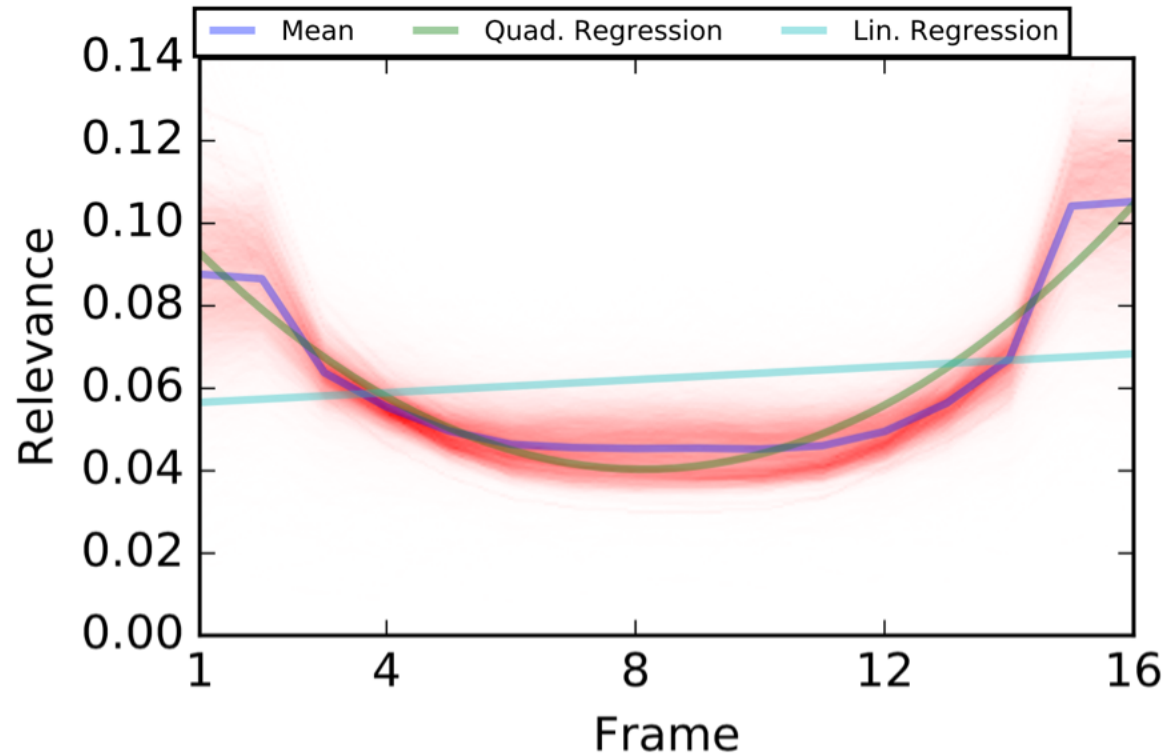
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Application: Understand the model



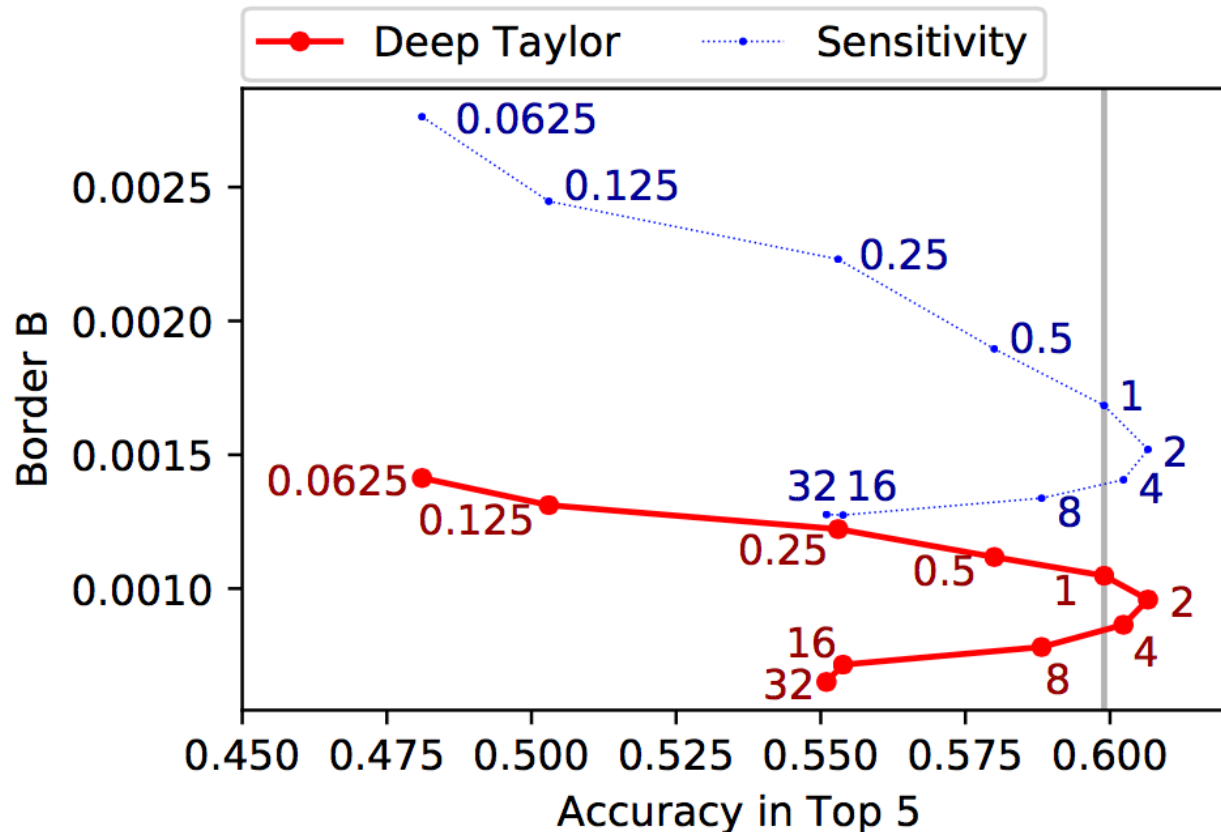
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Application: Understand the model



Observation: Explanations focus on the bordering of the video, as if it wants to watch more of it.

Application: Understand the model

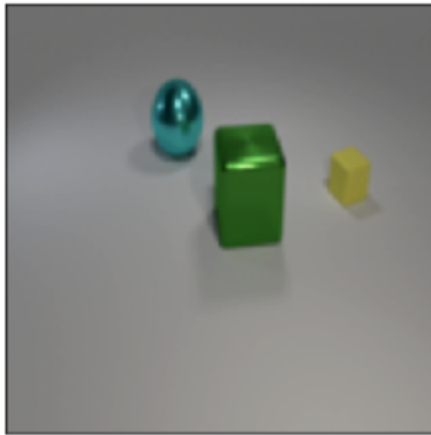


Idea: Play video in fast forward (without retraining) and then the classification accuracy improves.

Application: Understand the model

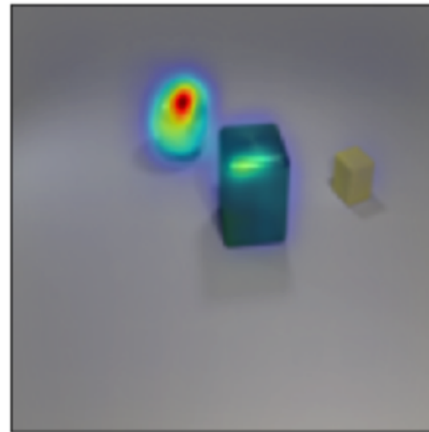
Question

there is a metallic cube ; are
there any large cyan metallic
objects behind it ?



LRP

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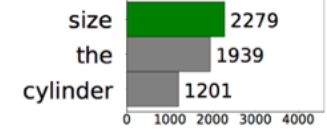


- reimplement model of (Santoro et al., 2017)
- test accuracy of 91,0%
- CLEVR dataset

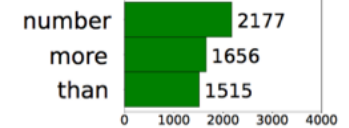
Question Type

LRP

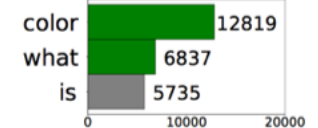
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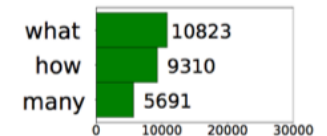
greater_than



query_color



count

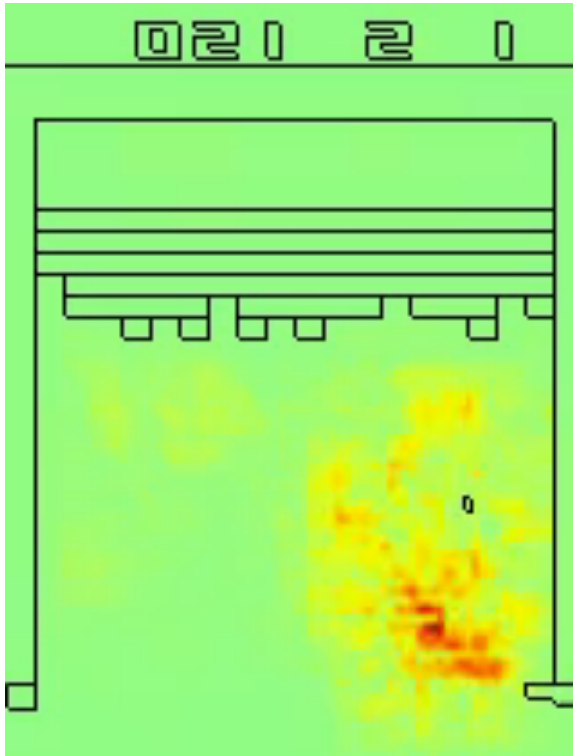


model understands the question and correctly identifies
the object of interest

(in prep)

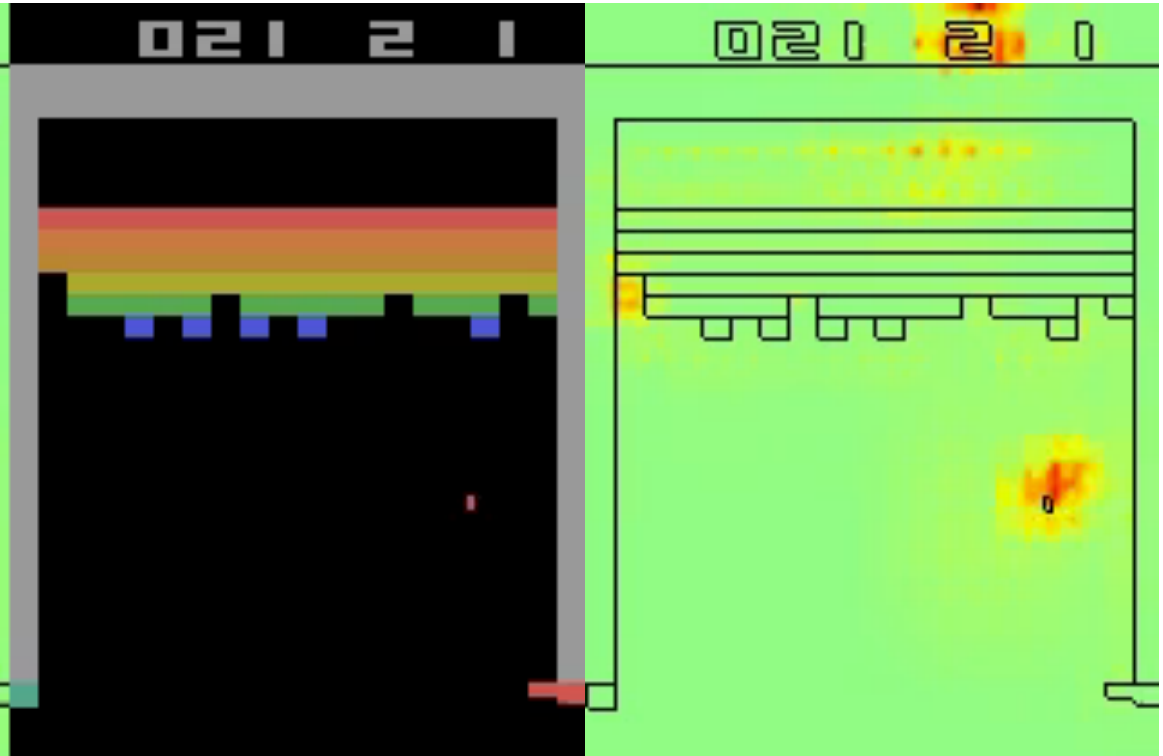
Application: Understand the model

Sensitivity Analysis



does not focus on where the ball is, but on where the ball could be in the next frame

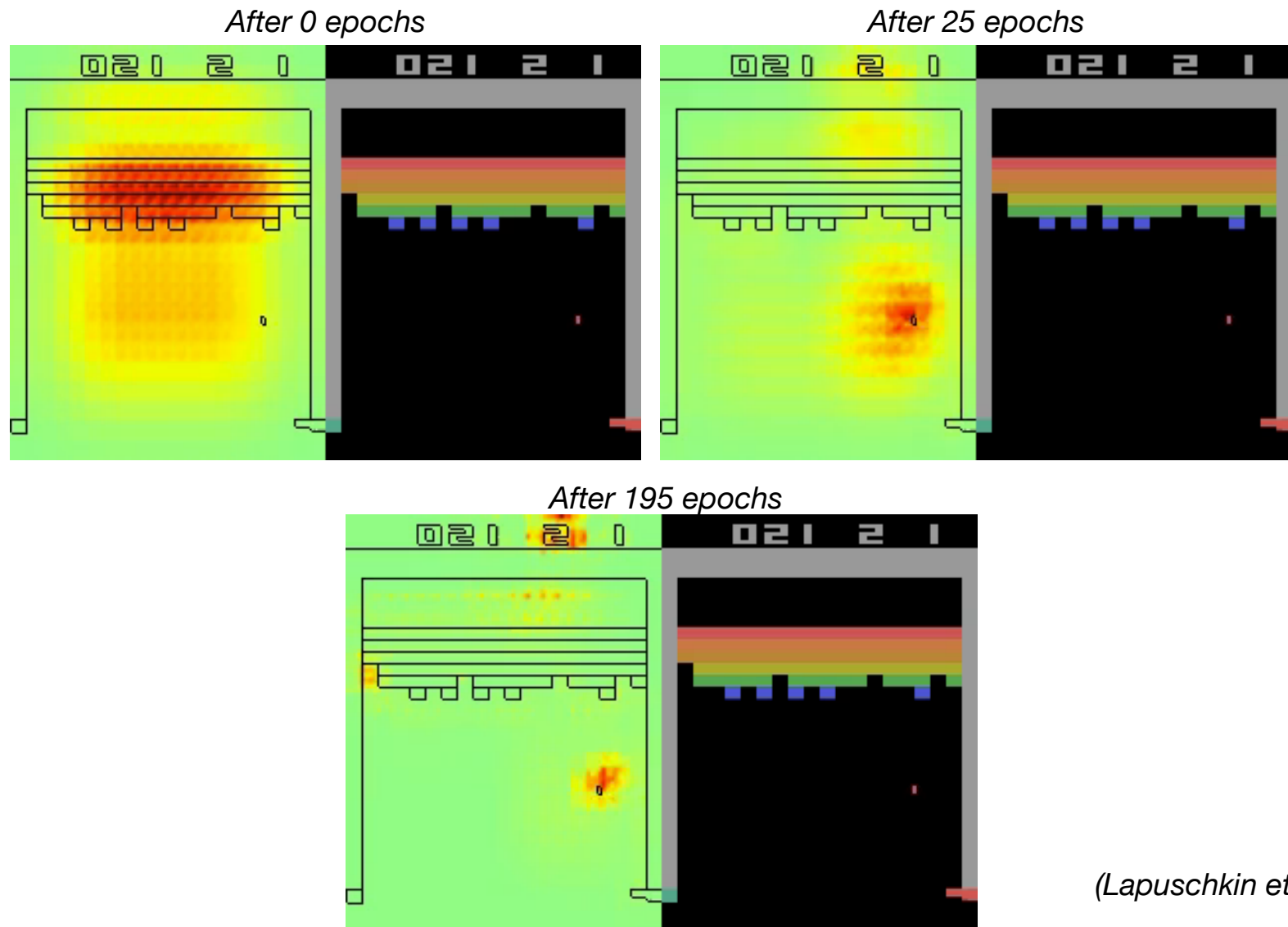
LRP



LRP shows that that model tracks the ball

(Lapuschkin et al., 2019)

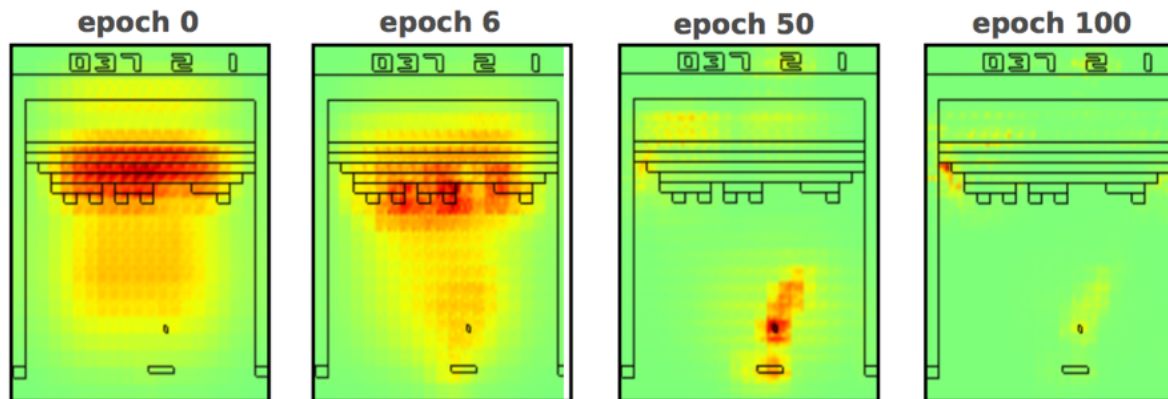
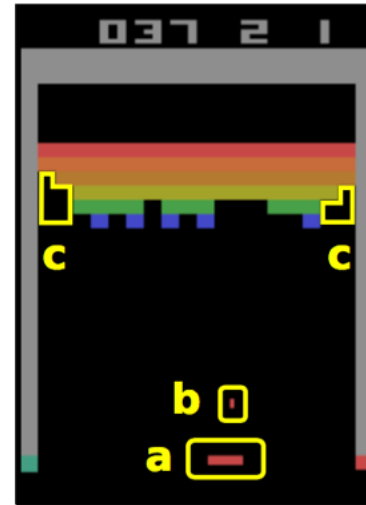
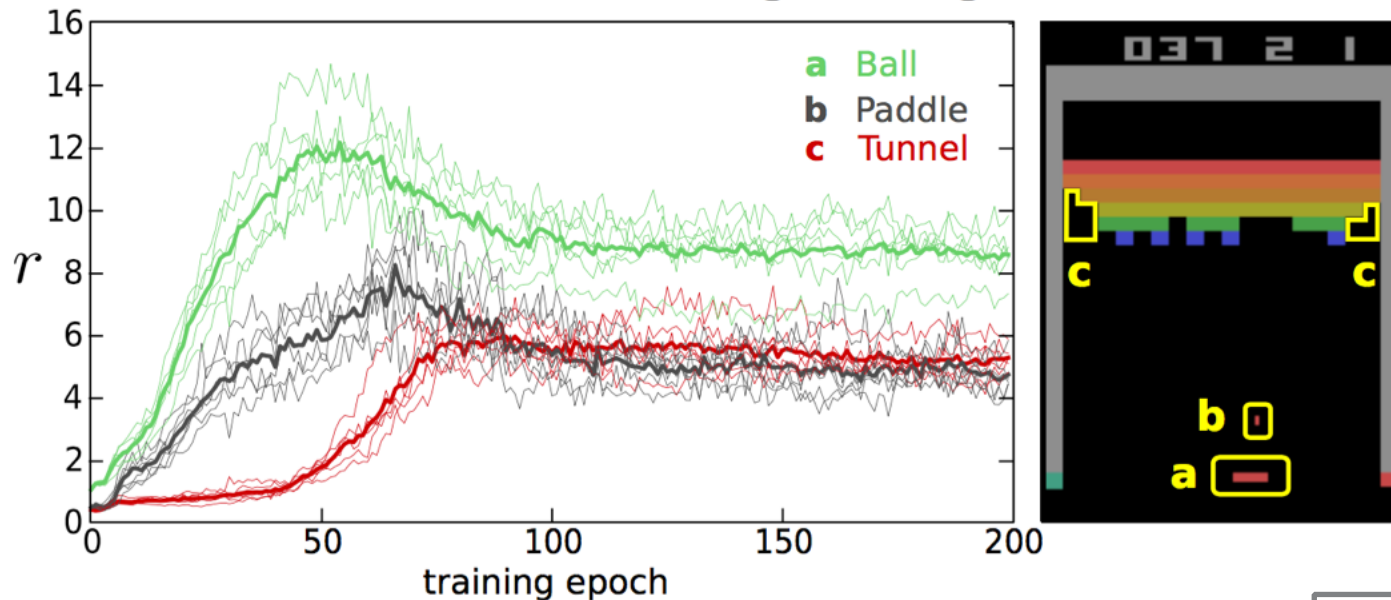
Application: Understand the model



(Lapuschkin et al., 2019)

Application: Understand the model

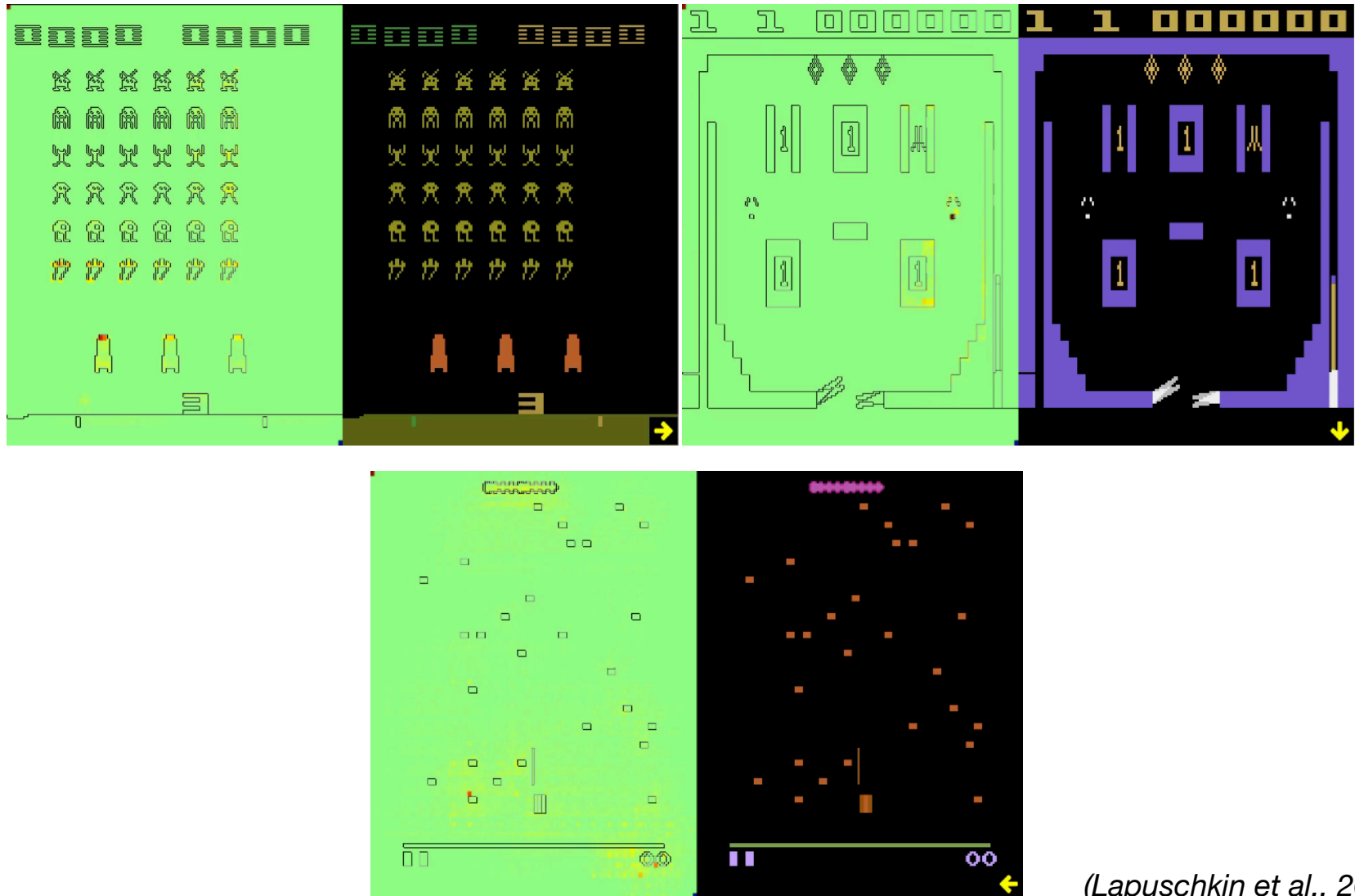
Relevance Distribution during Training



- model learns
1. track the ball
 2. focus on paddle
 3. focus on the tunnel

(Lapuschkin et al., 2019)

Application: Understand the model



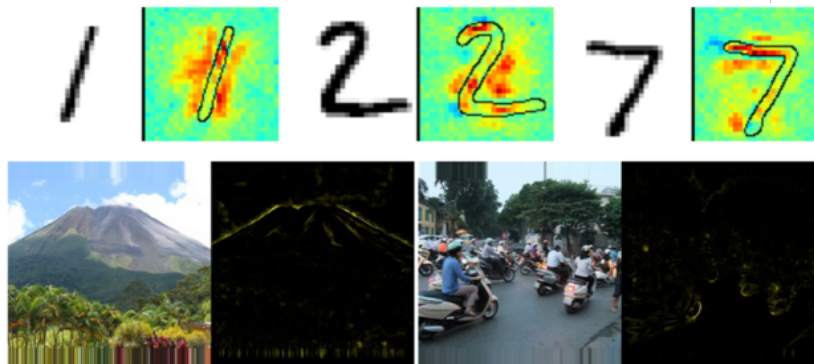
(Lapuschkin et al., 2019)

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