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SELF PACED DEEP LEARNING FOR WEAKLY SUPERVISED OBJECT DETECTION

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Abstract: In a weakly-supervised scenario, object detectors need to be trained using image level annotation only. Since bounding-box-level ground truth is not available, most of the solutions proposed so far are based on an iterative approach in which the classifier, obtained in the previous iteration, is used to predict the objects' positions which are used for training in the current iteration. However, the errors in these predictions can make the process drift. In this paper we propose a self-paced learning protocol to alleviate this problem. The main idea is to iteratively select a subset of samples that are most likely correct, which are used for training. While similar strategies have been recently adopted for SVMs and other classifiers, as far as we know, we are the first showing that a self-paced approach can be used with deep-net-based classifiers. We show results on Pascal VOC and ImageNet, outperforming the previous state of the art on both datasets and specifically obtaining more than 100% relative improvement on ImageNet.

Keywords: Deep Learning, Supervised Learning, Detection, Algorithm.

I. INTRODUCTION

Computer vision is associate in nursing knowledge base field that has been gaining large quantity of traction within the recent years and self-driving cars have taken center stage. Another integral a part of pc vision is object detection. Object detection aids in create estimation, vehicle detection, police investigation etc. The distinction between object detection and object classification algorithms is that in detection algorithms, we tend to draw a bounding box around an object of interest to find it among the image. Also you would possibly not essentially draw only one bounding hold in Associate in Nursing object detection case, there may be any bounding boxes representing totally different object of interest among the image and you'd not knowledge several beforehand. In commonplace convolutional network followed by totally connected layer is that, the length of the output layer is variable, this is often as a result of the quantity of occurrences of the objects among the image isn't mounted. to unravel this drawback it'd take totally different regions of interest from the image and use CNN to classify the presence of the item among that region.

The matter with this approach is that the objects of interest may need spatial location among the image and different facet ratios. A accepted disadvantage in object detection is that the indisputable fact that aggregation ground truth data (i.e., object-level annotations) for work is often rather longer intense and costly than aggregation image-level labels for object classification. This disadvantage is exacerbated inside the context of this deep networks, that need to be trained or "finetuned" practice huge amounts of data.

Weakly-supervised techniques for object detection (WSD) can alleviate the matter by investment existing datasets which provide image- level annotations alone. In the number Instance Learning (MIL) organization of the WSD disadvantage, an image I, associated with a label of a given class y, is delineate as a "bag" of Bounding Boxes (BBs), where a minimum of 1 shot may be a positive sample for y and thus the others unit of measurement samples of the other classes (e.g., the background class). the foremost disadvantage is but can the classifier, whereas being trained, automatically guess what the positives. A typical MIL-based resolution alternates between a try of phases: optimizing the classifier's parameters, assuming that the positive BBs in each image unit of measurement famed, and practice this classifier to predict the foremost apparently positives in each image.

Deep learning strategies square measure illustration-learning strategies with multiple levels of representation, obtained by composing easy however non-linear modules that every rework the illustration at one level (starting with the raw input) into a illustration at a better, slightly additional abstract level. With the composition of enough such transformations, terribly complicated functions are often learned.

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For classification tasks, higher layers of representation amplify aspects of the input that square measure vital for discrimination and suppress unsuitable variations. An image, for instance, comes within the kind of AN array of component values, and therefore the learned options within the initial layer of illustration generally represent the presence or absence of edges at specific orientations and locations within the image.

The second layer generally detects motifs by recognizing specific arrangements of edges, in spite of tiny variations within the edge positions. The third layer might assemble motifs into larger combos that correspond to elements of acquainted objects, and resultant layers would notice objects as combos of those elements. The key facet of deep learning is that these layers of options don't seem to be designed by human engineers: they're learned from knowledge employing a all-purpose learning procedure.

Deep learning is creating major advances in determination issues that have resisted the simplest tries of the synthetic Intelligence Community for several years. it's clothed to be excellent at discovering complex structures in high-dimensional knowledge and is so applicable to several domains of science, business and government. additionally to beating records in image recognition and speech recognition it's overwhelmed different machine-learning techniques at predicting the activity of potential drug molecules, analyzing scientific instrument knowledge, reconstructing brain circuits, and predicting the results of mutations in non-coding DNA on organic phenomenon and disease. Maybe additional amazingly, deep learning has made extraordinarily promising results for varied tasks in language understanding, notably topic classification, sentiment analysis, question respondent and language translation. we expect that deep learning can have more successes within the close to future as a result of it needs little or no engineering by hand, therefore it will simply profit of will increase within the quantity of accessible computation and knowledge. New learning algorithms and architectures that square measure presently being developed for deep neural networks can solely accelerate this progress.

Problem Statement

With the vigorous development of deep learning, object detection technology has received extensive attention and many scholars have conducted in-depth research. Object detection algorithms include frame difference,background subtraction , optical flow , and Hough transform methods. These are commonly used as traditional object detection methods, and they have many limitations in the process of detecting objects for example, the classification is too narrow, the application scenarios are limited to simple backgrounds, too much manual intervention is required to obtain features, or autonomy cannot be achieved.

They also have serious shortcomings in robustness, which leads to problems such as poor generalization ability and poor detection results. Traditional object detection algorithms can no longer meet the application requirements of industrial and military fields, and object detection based on deep learning has thus become a popular research direction for many scholars around the world.

II. LITERATURESURVEY

Weakly Supervised Object Detection with Posterior Regularization

This paper focuses on the problem of object detection when the annotation at training time is restricted to presence or absence of object instances at image level. We present a method based on features extracted from a Convolutional Neural Network and latent SVM that can represent and exploit the presence of multiple object instances in an image. Moreover, the detection of the object instances in the image is improved by incorporating in the learning procedure additional constraints that represent domain-specific knowledge such as symmetry and mutual exclusion. We show that the proposed method outperforms the state-of-the-art in weakly-supervised object detection and object classification on the Pascal VOC 2007 dataset.

Discriminative supervised classifiers have been proven to be very effective and accurate tools for learning the correlation between input and precisely annotated outputs. In the literature there has been a substantial amount of work that proposes weakly supervised algorithms for classification. The proposed weakly supervised method aims to jointly label the missing annotations and learn a classifier based on these labellings.

This results in solving a nonconvex problem which is typically optimized via an alternating Expectation Maximization (EM) kind of algorithm. Due to the non-convexity, these methods are prone to converge into a local minimum. To overcome the problems, previous work can be divided into two groups that focus on clever initialization strategies and on converting the optimization into a convex or smooth one, which is in general easy to optimize.

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Rich feature hierarchies for accurate object detection and semantic segmentation

Object detection performance, as measured on the canonical PASCAL VOC dataset, has plateaued in the last few years. The best-performing methods are complex ensemble systems that typically combine multiple low-level image features with high-level context. In this paper, we propose a simple and scalable detection algorithm that improves mean average precision (mAP) by more than 30% relative to the previous best result on VOC 2012—achieving a mAP of 53.3%. Our approach combines two key insights: (1) one can apply high-capacity convolutional neural networks (CNNs) to bottom-up region proposals in order to localize and segment objects and (2) when labeled training data is scarce, supervised pre-training for an auxiliary task, followed by domain-specific fine-tuning, yields a significant performance boost. Since we combine region proposals with CNNs, we call our method R-CNN: Regions with CNN features. We also present experiments that provide insight into what the network learns, revealing a rich hierarchy of image features.

Our object detection system consists of three modules. The first generates category-independent region proposals. These proposals define the set of candidate detections available to our detector. The second module is a large convolutional neural network that extracts a fixed-length feature vector from each region. The third module is a set of class specific linear SVMs. In this section, we present our design decisions for each module, describe their test-time usage, detail how their parameters are learned, and show results on PASCAL VOC 2010-12.

In recent years, object detection performance had stagnated. The best performing systems were complex ensembles combining multiple low-level image features with high-level context from object detectors and scene classifiers. This paper presents a simple and scalable object detection algorithm that gives a 30% relative improvement over the best previous results on PASCAL VOC 2012.

Learning the easy things first: Self-paced visual category discovery

Objects vary in their visual complexity, yet existing discovery methods perform “batch” clustering, paying equal attention to all instances simultaneously—regardless of the strength of their appearance or context cues. We propose a self-paced approach that instead focuses on the easiest instances first, and progressively expands its repertoire to include more complex objects. Easier regions are defined as those with both high likelihood of generic objectness and high familiarity of surrounding objects. At each cycle of the discovery process, we re-estimate the easiness of each sub window in the pool of unlabeled images, and then retrieve a single prominent cluster from among the easiest instances. Critically, as the system gradually accumulates models, each new (more difficult) discovery benefits from the context provided by earlier discoveries. Our experiments demonstrate the clear advantages of self-paced discovery relative to conventional batch approaches, including both more accurate summarization as well as stronger predictive models for novel data.

Visual category discovery is the problem of extracting compact, object-level models from a pool of unlabeled image data. It has a number of useful applications, including (1) automatically summarizing the key visual concepts in large unstructured image and video collections, (2) reducing human annotation effort when constructing labeled datasets to train supervised learning algorithms, and (3) detecting novel or unusual patterns that appear over time.

We introduced a self-paced discovery framework that progressively accumulates object models from unlabeled data. Our experiments demonstrate its clear advantages over traditional batch approaches and representative state-of-the-art techniques. In future work, we plan to explore related ideas in the video domain, and further investigate how such a system can most effectively be used for interactive labeling with a human-in-the-loop.

Ensemble of Exemplar-SVMs for Object Detection and Beyond

This paper proposes a conceptually simple but surprisingly powerful method which combines the effectiveness of a discriminative object detector with the explicit correspondence offered by a nearest-neighbor approach. The method is based on training a separate linear SVM classifier for every exemplar in the training set. Each of these Exemplar SVMs is thus defined by a single positive instance and millions of negatives. While each detector is quite specific to its exemplar, we empirically observe that an ensemble of such Exemplar-SVMs offers surprisingly good generalization. Our performance on the PASCAL VOC detection task is on par with the much more complex latent part-based model of Felzenszwalb et al., at only a modest computational cost increase. But the central benefit of our approach is that it creates an explicit association between each detection and a single training exemplar. Because most detections show good alignment to their associated exemplar, it is possible to transfer any available exemplar meta-data (segmentation, geometric structure, 3D model, etc.) directly onto the detections, which can then be used as part of overall scene understanding.

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A mere decade ago, automatically recognizing everyday objects in images (such as the bus in Figure 1) was thought to be an almost unsolvable task. Yet today, a number of methods can do just that with reasonable accuracy. But let us consider the output of a typical object detector – a rough bounding box around the object and a category label (Figure 1 left). While this might be sufficient for a retrieval task ("find all buses in the database"), it seems rather lacking for any sort of deeper reasoning about the scene. How is the bus oriented? Is it a mini-bus or a double-decker? Which pixels actually belong to the bus? What is its rough geometry? These are all very hard questions for a typical object detector. But what if, in addition to the bounding box, we are able to obtain an association with a very similar exemplar from the training set (Figure 1 right), which can provide a high degree of correspondence. Suddenly, any kind of meta-data provided with the training sample (a pixel-wise annotation or label such as viewpoint, segmentation, coarse geometry, a 3D model, attributes, etc.) can be simply transferred to the new instance.

We presented a simple yet powerful method which recasts an exemplar-based approach in a discriminative framework. Our method is based on training a separate classifier for each exemplar and we show that generalization is possible from a single positive example and millions of negatives. Our approach performs on par with state-of-the-art methods for object detection but creates a strong alignment between the detection and training exemplar. This allows us to go beyond the detection task and enables a variety of applications based on meta-data transfer. We believe that our work opens up the door for many new exciting applications in object recognition, scene understanding, and computer graphics.

Visual and Semantic Knowledge Transfer for Large Scale Semi-supervised Object Detection
Deep CNN-based object detection systems have achieved remarkable success on several large-scale object detection benchmarks. However, training such detectors requires a large number of labeled bounding boxes, which are more difficult to obtain than image-level annotations. Previous work addresses this issue by transforming image-level classifiers into object detectors. This is done by modeling the differences between the two on categories with both image-level and bounding box annotations, and transferring this information to convert classifiers to detectors for categories without bounding box annotations. We improve this previous work by incorporating knowledge about object similarities from visual and semantic domains during the transfer process.

The intuition behind our proposed method is that visually and semantically similar categories should exhibit more common transferable properties than dissimilar categories, e.g. a better detector would result by transforming the differences between a dog classifier and a dog detector onto the cat class, than would by transforming from the violin class. Experimental results on the challenging ILSVRC2013 detection dataset demonstrate that each of our proposed object similarity based knowledge transfer methods outperforms the baseline methods. We found strong evidence that visual similarity and semantic relatedness are complementary for the task, and when combined notably improve detection, achieving state-of-the-art detection performance in a semi-supervised setting.

In our semi-supervised learning case, we assume that we have a set of "fully labeled" categories and "weakly labeled" categories. For the "fully labeled" categories, a large number of training images with both image-level labels and bounding box annotations are available for learning the object detectors. For each of the "weakly labeled" categories, we have many training images containing the target object, but we do not have access to the exact locations of the objects. This is different from the semi-supervised learning proposed in previous work where typically a small amount of fully labeled data with a large amount of weakly labeled (or unlabeled) data are provided for each category. In our semi-supervised object detection scenario, the objective is to transfer the trained image classifiers into object detectors on the "weakly labeled" categories.

In this paper, we investigated how knowledge about object similarities from both visual and semantic domains can be transferred to adapt an image classifier to an object detector in a semi-supervised setting. We experimented with different CNN architectures, found clear evidence that both visual and semantic similarities play an essential role in improving the adaptation process, and that the combination of the two modalities yielded state-of-the-art performance, suggesting that knowledge inherent in visual and semantic domains is complementary.

Future work includes extracting more knowledge from different domains, using better representations, and investigating the possibility of using category-invariant properties, e.g., the difference between feature distributions of whole images and target objects, to help knowledge transfer. We believe that the combination of knowledge from different domains is key to improving semi-supervised object detection.

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III. PROPOSEDSYSTEM

The methodology I have a tendency to adopt a quick R-CNN approach to handle the uncertainty associated with the BB-level localization of the objects within the coaching pictures during a WSD situation, and "easier" is understood as "more reliable" localization.I propose a replacement coaching protocol for deep networks during which the self-paced strategy is enforced by modifying the mini batch-based choice of the coaching samples. As way as we all know, this is often the primary self-paced learning approach directly embedded during a fashionable endto-end deep-network coaching protocol. In selective search, we have a tendency to begin with many little initial regions. we have a tendency to use a greedy rule to grow a section. initial we have a tendency to find 2 most similar regions and merge them along. Similarity between region and is outlined as wherever measures the visual similarity, and prefers merging smaller regions along to avoid one region from gobbling up all others one by one.

We propose a computationally efficient self-paced learning approach for training a deep net for weakly supervised object detection. During the training of the net, the same net, at different evolution stages, is used to predict the class-specific positive BBs and to select the most likely subset of correct samples to use for the subsequent training stages. We propose to use class-specific confidence and inter-classifier competition to decrease the probability of selecting incorrect samples.

SELF-PACED LEARNING PROTOCOL

We call W the set of weights of all the layers of the network and we initialize our network with W0, which can be obtained using any standard object classification network, trained using only image-level information. At the end of this section we provide more details on how W0 is obtained.

Algorithm 1 Self-Paced Weakly Supervised Training

Input: T, W_0, r_1, M
Output: Trained network f_{W_M}

For $t := 1$ to M:
  $P := \emptyset, T_t := \emptyset$
  For each $(I, Y) \in T$:
    Compute (s_y^I, z_y^I) using Eq. 2
    If $y \in Y$, then: $P := P \cup \{(I, s_y^I, z_y^I, y)\}$
  For each $c \in \{1, ..., C\}$ compute $e(c)$ using Eq. 3
  $C_t := r_t C$
  Let $S = \{c_1, c_2, ...\}$ be the subset of the C_t easiest classes according to $e(c)$
  Remove from P those tuples (I, s, z, y) s.t. $y \notin S$
  $N_t := min(r_t N, |P|)$
  Let P' be the N_t topmost tuples in P according to the s-score
  For each $(I, s, z, y) \in P'$: $T_t := T_t \cup \{(I, \{(y, z)\})\}$
  $V_0 = W_{t-1}$
  For $t' := 1$ to N_t/m:
    Randomly select $(I_1, \{(y_1, z_1)\}), ..., (I_m, \{(y_m, z_m)\}) \in T_t$
    Compute a mini-batch MB of BBs using $(I_1, \{(y_1, z_1)\}), ..., (I_m, \{(y_m, z_m)\})$
    Compute $V_{t'}$ using MB and back-propagation on $f_{V_{t'-1}}$
  $W_t := V_{N_t/m}$
  $r_{t+1} = r_t + \frac{1-r_1}{M}$

The proposed self-paced learning protocol of the network is composed of a sequence of self-paced iterations. At a self-paced iteration t we use the current network fWt−1 in order to select a subset of easy classes and easy samples of these classes.

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The result is a new training set Tt which is used to train a new model Wt. Wt is obtained using the "standard" training procedure of the Fast-RCNN (Sec. 3), based on mini-batch SGD, but it is applied to Tt only and iterated for only Nt/m mini-batch SGD iterations, Nt being the cardinality of Tt. Note that, being m the number of images used to build a mini-batch, Nt/m corresponds to one epoch (a full iteration over Tt). Note also that a minibatch SGD iteration is different from a self-paced iteration and in each SGD iteration a mini-batch of BBs is formed using the pseudo-ground truth obtained using fWt−1 . The proposed protocol is summarized in Alg. 1 and we provide the details below. Computing the latent boxes. Given an image I, its label set Y and the current network fWt−1 , first we compute:

$$(s_y^I, z_y^I) = \underset{(s_{ic}, p_{ic}) \in f_{W_{t-1}}(I, B(I))}{\arg\max} s_{ic}$$

Inter-classifier competition. Above imposes a competition among classifiers, where a "classifier" for class c is the classification-output neuron of f specific for class c. Only if one of the classifiers corresponding to an image label y ∈ Y is "stronger" (more confident) than all the others, including y 0 6∈ Y, y0 6= 0, then I is considered for inclusion in Tt (Line 5). We found this competition to be very important to decrease the risk of error and to enforce a self-paced learning strategy which prudently selects initially easy image samples. When the network becomes more mature (i.e., in the subsequent self-paced iterations), the risk of error gradually decreases and a previously weaker classifier can correctly "win" a previously discarded image (see Fig. 2). Note that a consequence of this classifier competition is that only one pseudo-ground truth box z I y can be selected from a given image I, regardless of the number of labels associated with I and the number of object instances of class y in I. In Sec. 7.2 we present multiple-label and multiple instance relaxations of this inter-classifier competition

Class selection

The classifier competition is used also to sort all the C classes from the easiest to the most difficult. This is obtained using the winning classifiers in each imageas follows. Let P = {(I1, s1, z1, y1),(I2, s2, z2, y2), ...} be the set of non-discarded images at iteration t (Line 5) and let:

$$e(c) = |\{(I, s, z, y) : (I, s, z, y) \in P, y = c\}|/p_c$$

be the "easiness" degree of class c, defined as the ratio between the cardinality of those tuples in P associated with the class label y = c over the overall frequency of the label c in T (pc). The higher the value e(c) for a given class c, the stronger the corresponding classifier is and the easier that class according to fWt−1 . We sort all the classes using e(c) (c = 1, ..., C) and we select the subset of the easiest rtC classes which are the only classes subject to training in the current self-paced iteration. The ratio rt ∈ [0, 1] is increased at each self-paced iteration (see below) and at iteration t + 1 more difficult classes will be included in Tt+1 and presented to the network for training.

Selecting the easiest image samples.

Once image samples associated with difficult classes have been removed from P (Line 9), we select a subset (Tt) of P corresponding to those images in which fWt−1 is the most confident. With this aim we use the score s I y computed using Eq. 2 and we sort P in a descending order according to these scores. Then we select the first Nt top-most elements, where Nt = min(rtN, |P|), and rtN is an upper bound on the number of elements of T to be selected in the current self-paced iteration. At each selfpaced iteration rt is increased. Indeed, we adopt the strategy proposed in [22] (also used in most of the self-paced learning approaches) to progressively increase the training set as the model is more and more mature (see Fig. 1). However, in our experiments we observed that usually |P| < rtN, mainly because of the sample rejection step in Line 5, hence the learning "pace" is dominated by our classifier-competition constraint Details. The inner loop over t 0 (Lines 14-17), whose number of iterations depends on the length of the current training set Tt, is equivalent to the mini-batch SGD procedure adopted in [12], with a single important difference: Since we do not have BB-level ground truth, each mini-batch is computed using (y, z) as the pseudo-ground truth (Line 12). MB is built using BB samples which are collected using the same spatial criteria adopted in the supervised FastRCNN training protocol (see Sec. 3) and with the same positive/negative proportion (see [12] for more details) Also the number of images m = 2 we use to compute a mini-batch of BBs is the same used in [12]. In this loop, the weights of the network are called Vt 0 for notational convenience (their update depends on t 0 and not on t), but there is only one network model, continuously evolving Inspired by [22], where half of the data are used in the first self-paced iteration and all data are used in the last iteration, we start with r1 = 0.5 and we iterate for M = 4 iterations till rM = 1, linearly interpolating the intermediate increments (Line 19). Experiments with M = 5 obtained very similar results. All the other Fast-RCNN specific hyperparameters are the same used in [12] for the fine-tuning of a pre-trained network, including the initial learning rate value (0.001), the size of MB (128), the weight decay (0.0005) and the momentum (0.9).

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No batch normalization is usedand standard backpropagation with momentum is adopted. The only difference with respect to [12] is that, in all our experiments, we divide (only once) the learning rate by a factor of 10 after the first self-paced iteration. The reason for which we adopted the same hyperparameter values used in the supervised Fast-RCNN and we followed as strictly as possible the same design choices (e.g., how a mini-batch is computed, etc.) is that tuning the hyper-parameter values in a weakly supervised scenario is not easy because of the lack of validation data with BB-level ground truth. Moreover, in this way our training protocol can be more easily generalized to those WSD approaches which are based on the same Fast-RCNN architecture. All the above hyper-parameters (including those which are specific of our self-paced protocol, r1 and M) are kept fixed in our experiments on both Pascal VOC and ILSVRC. Finally, in all our experiments, T is composed of the original images and their mirrored versions. No other data augmentation is performed.

Computational issues. From a computational point of view, the only additional demanding operation in our approach with respect to the Fast-RCNN training procedure is computing f(I, B(I)) for each I ∈ T, which involves passing I forward through all the layers of f. Fortunately, FastRCNN performs this operation in only ≈ 0.1 seconds per image (e.g., using a Tesla K40 GPU). For instance, with N = 20K, computing the latent boxes of all the images in T takes approximately 30 minutes. Note that this operation is repeated only M times during the whole training. A simpler self-paced approach to train a Fast-RCNN is to fully train the network (for several epochs) with an initial, small "easy" dataset T1, then use the current network to compute the latent variables of a larger set T2, then fully fine-tune the network again, etc. However, this procedure is not only much slower than the epoch-based dataset update strategy we adopted (because it involves a full-training of the detector for each iteration), but it is also less effective. Our preliminary results using this approach showed that the network quickly overfits on the initial relatively small dataset T1 and the final accuracy of the network is much lower than what we obtain using Alg. 1.

Initialization. The initial model W0 can be obtained in different ways using only weakly-supervised annotation. Below we describe the steps we followed in our experiments on Pascal VOC and on ILSVRC as solution examples. In both datasets we used a two-steps procedure: (1) training a Classification Network (CN) and (2) inspired by [22], where all the samples of the dataset are used for pretraining the classifier using a small number of iterations, we also pre-train the Detection Network (Fast-RCNN) using all the images of T for a fixed, small number of SGD iterations. In case of the ILSVRC dataset, the CN is obtained following the steps suggested in [16], [17]: Starting from the AlexNet [21], pre-trained on ImageNet (1000 classes), we first fine-tune the network on the ILSVRC 2013 detection dataset [31], which is composed of C = 200 classes. This is done by removing the last layer from the AlexNet and replacing it with a 200-class output layer. For the fine-tuning we use a random subset of the train partition of ILSVRC 2013 (see Sec. 6), but we simulate a situation in which we have access to image-level labels only. We call h I this CN and WI CN its weights, where the superscript I stands for "trained on ILSVRC 2013". Note that h I takes as input a 227 × 227 image and outputs a 200-element score vector. Using WI CN we initialize the Fast-RCNN architecture. To do so, the last layer needs again be removed and replaced by two (parallel) Fast-RCNN specific layers: a C + 1 classification layer and C × 4 regression layer [12]. The weights of this layers are randomly initialized. Then, we train the FastRCNN Detection Network (DN) for 30K SGD iterations using all the images in T, where T is the val1 split of ILSVRC 2013 (see Sec. 6), mirrored images included. Since FastRCNN is a DN and needs BB-level annotation for training, we associate the images in T with a pseudo-ground truth by collecting the top-score boxes obtained using h I . More in detail, for each (I, Y) ∈ T and each box b ∈ B(I), we rescale b to 227 × 227 (u(b)) and, for each y ∈ Y = {y1, ..., yk}, we compute:

$$z_y = \arg\max_{b \in B(I)} h^I(u(b), y),$$

where h I (·, y) is the y-class score. The final pseudo groundtruth corresponding to I is G = {(y1, zy1)...,(yk, zyk)} (see Sec. 3). We call this training protocol Init and you can think of it as a one-shot MIL solution with only one iteration over the latent variables (i.e., the latent boxes are not recomputed while the network is trained and are kept fixed). Note that there is no classifier competition or class selection in Init and we use all the samples in T, inspired by Kumar et al. [22], confirming that this strategy leads to a good initialization for a self-paced learning approach. At the end of Init, we call the final network's weights WI 0 and we use WI 0 as input in Alg. 1. In case of Pascal VOC we use a similar strategy and we train different CNs for different experiments, using as basic architecture either AlexNet or VGG-16 [36]. Firstly, we simply use the above-mentioned h I trained on ILSVRC 2013: the weights (WI CN) of h I are directly used to initialize the Fast-RCNN architecture (except the last randomly initialized layers, see above). Moreover, the pseudo-ground truth for the Init stage is collected using Eq. 4 with an amputated version of h I , obtained by removing 180 over 200 output neurons and keeping only those f c8 original neurons roughly corresponding to the 20 Pascal VOC classes2 . We run Init for 10K SGD iterations using the trainval split of Pascal VOC 2007 (see Sec. 6) as our T.

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We call W I,P 0 the final network's weights because they are obtained using a hybrid solution, based on training images from both ILSVRC 2013 and Pascal VOC 2007. Note that, due to the differences between ILSVRC and Pascal VOC in both the corresponding image distributions and the object classes [1], [13], [20], using h I to initialize Init corresponds to a quite weak initialization. Despite this, our experimental results showa surprisingly good accuracy achieved after the proposed self-paced training procedure (see Sec. 6). In case of Pascal VOC, we also fine-tune a second CN, using only Pascal VOC 2007 trainval. Also in this case the basic network architecture is AlexNet, pre-trained on ImageNet (1000 classes). However, since Pascal VOC 2007 trainval is a much smaller dataset than the ILSVRC 2013 train split and, on average, a Pascal VOC image contains more objects with different-labels than an ILSVRC 2013 image [13], care should be taken in training a CN directly on Pascal VOC. For this reason we adopted the approach proposed in [25] for training a CN on a multi-label dataset, where the authors replace the network softmax loss with a multi-label loss based on a 2C binary element vector label. The trained CN (h P) and the corresponding weights (WP CN) are used to collect pseudo-ground truth data and to initialize the Fast-RCNN for the Init stage (see above), using the same number (10K) of SGD iterations and the final weights are called WP 0 . Finally, in Sec. 6 we also show two experiments (Tab. 5 and Tab. 7) in which the basic architecture is VGG16 and the initialization procedure is the same followed in case of WP 0 . To simplify our notation, we call the VGG16 based initialization WP 0 as well and we will explicitly specify when the basic architecture is not AlexNet.

IV. RESULTS

Classifying ImageNet: the instant Caffe way

Caffe has a Python interface, pycaffe, with a caffe.Net interface for models. There are both Python and MATLAB interfaces. While this example uses the off-the-shelf Python caffe.Classifier interface there is also a MATLAB example at matlab/caffe/matcaffe_demo.m.

Before we begin, you must compile Caffe. You should add the Caffe module to your PYTHONPATH although this example includes it automatically. If you haven't yet done so, please refer to the installation instructions. This example uses our pre-trained CaffeNet model

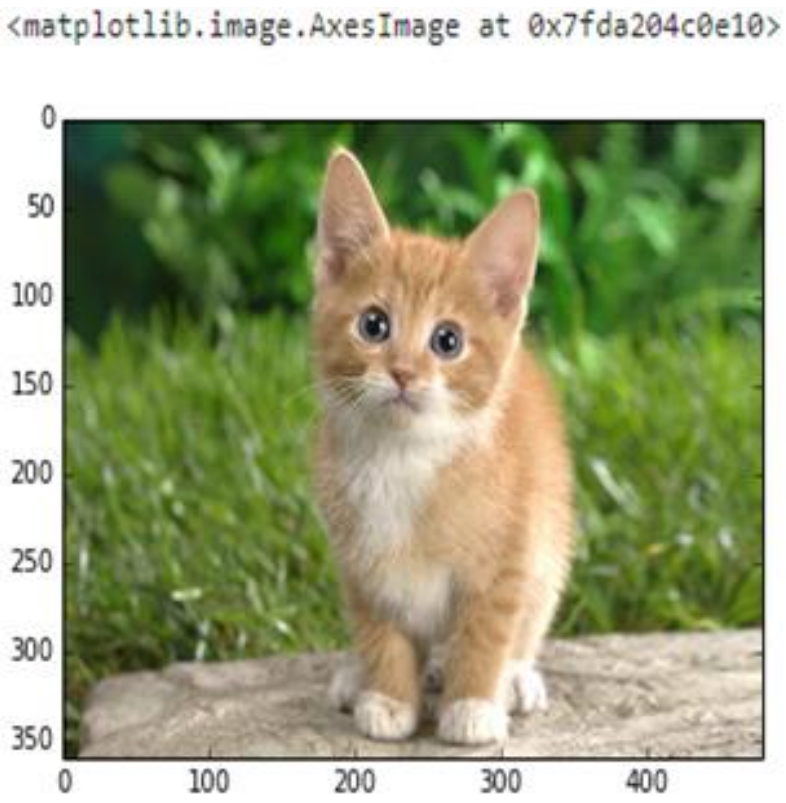

Fig 7: Classification

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Time to classify. The default is to actually do 10 predictions, cropping the center and corners of the image as well as their mirrored versions, and average over the predictions:

The top detections are in fact a person and bicycle. Picking good localizations is a work in progress; we pick the top-scoring person and bicycle detections.

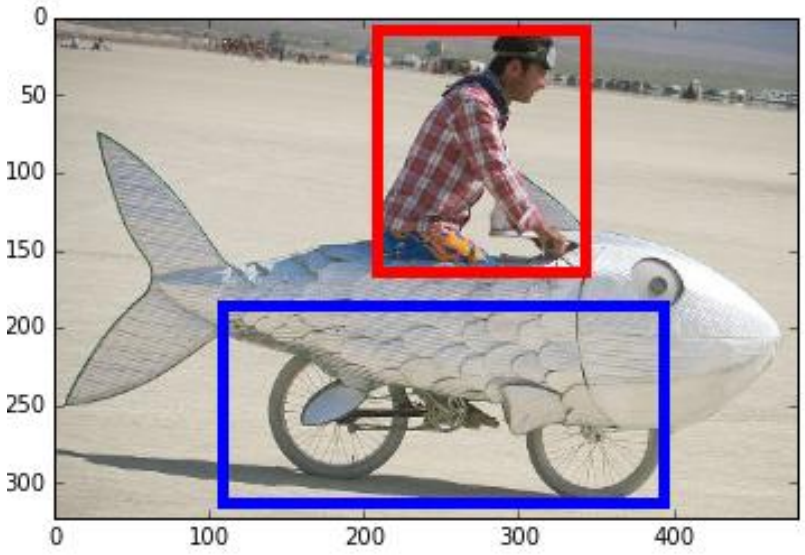

Fig 9: Detection Pharse

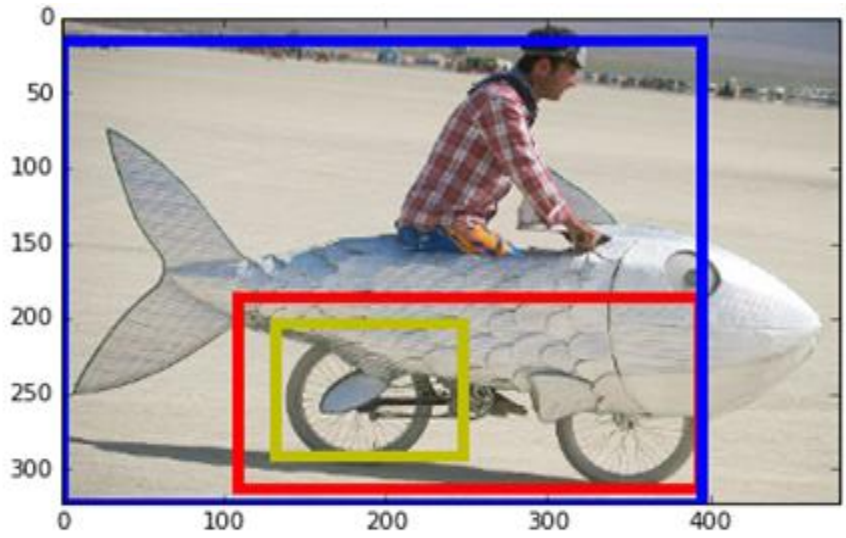

Fig 10: Detection Pharse-2

This was an easy instance for bicycle as it was in the class's training set. However, the person result is a true detection since this was not in the set for that class.

V. CONCLUSIONS

In this paper a self-paced learning based protocol for deep networks in a WSD scenario, aiming at reducing the amount of noise while training the DN. Our training protocol extends the self-paced learning paradigm by introducing: (1)Inter-classifier competition as a powerful mechanism to reduce noise, (2) class-selection, in which the easiest classes are trained first, and (3) the use of the Fast-RCNN regression layer for the implicit modification of the bag of boxes.

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