

Vision—Feature Extraction

Topics

Part I

- Fourier Transform
- Windowed Fourier Transform
- Wavelets

Part II

- Principal Component Analysis
- Independent Component Analysis

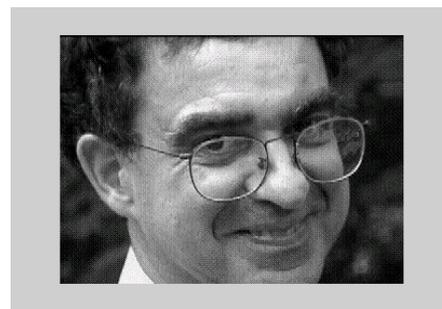
Vision—Feature Extraction I

Fourier Transform
$$\hat{f}(\omega_x, \omega_y) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x, y) e^{-j2\pi(\omega_x x + \omega_y y)} dx dy$$

Image

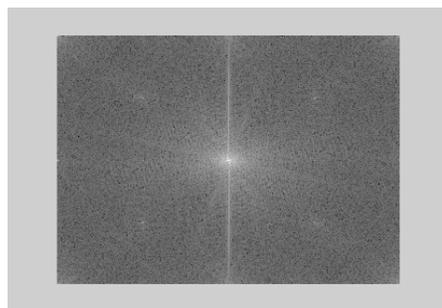
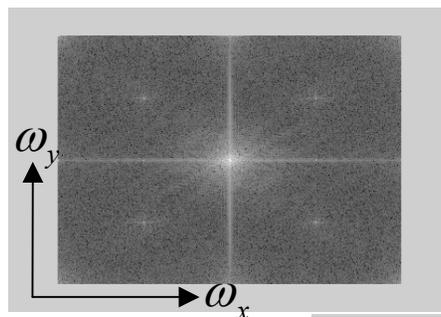


(A)



(B)

Spectrum



Phase carries
Information



Amplitude of (A) &
Phase of (B)

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Template Matching

$$c(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x')g(x' - x)dx' \quad h(x) = g(-x)$$

$$c(x) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(x')h(x - x')dx' \quad \hat{c}(\omega) = \hat{f}(\omega)\hat{h}(\omega)$$

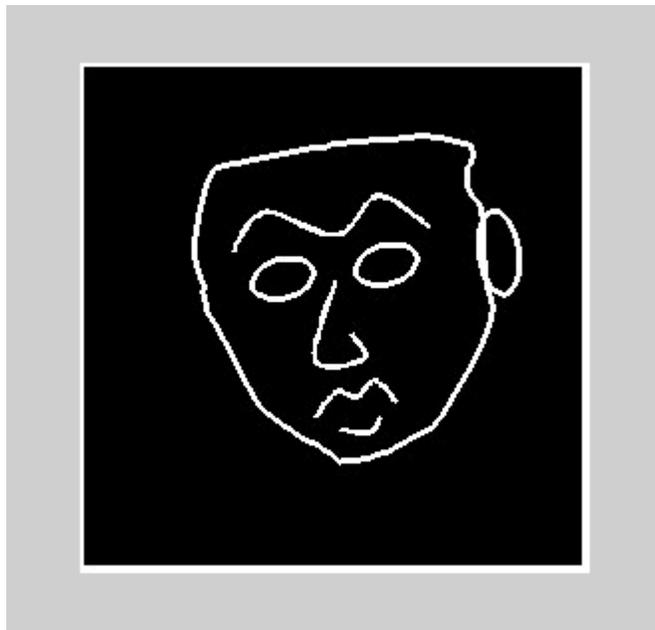
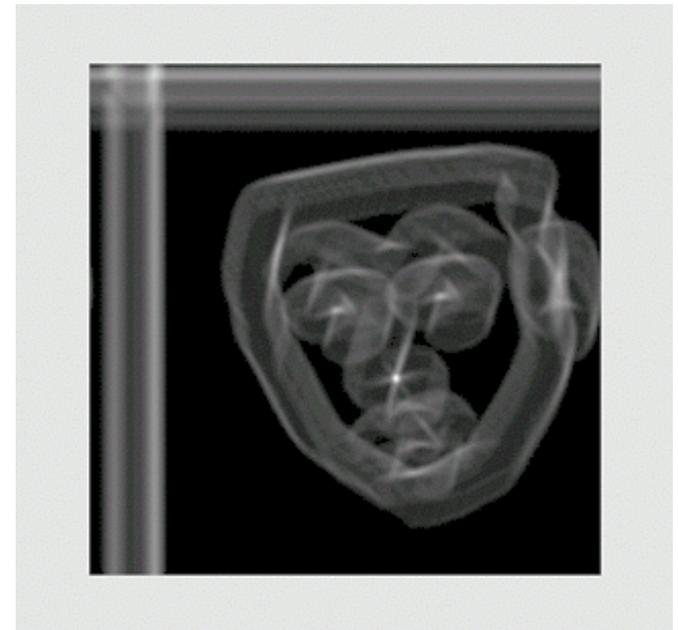


Image f



Template g

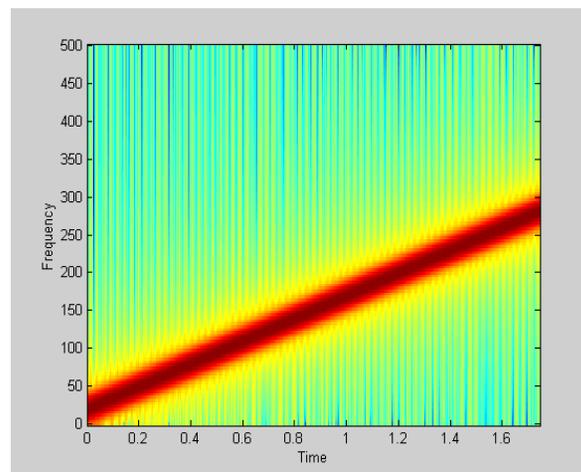
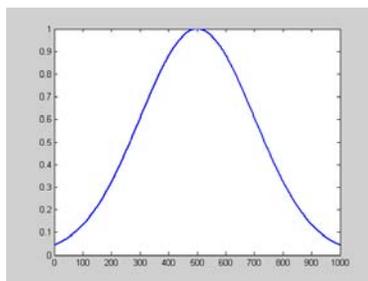
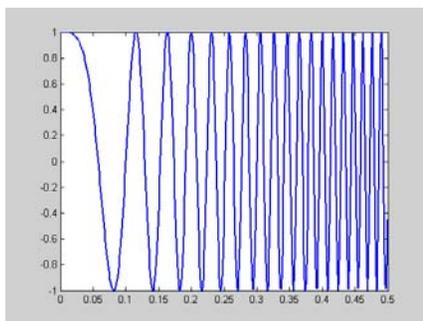
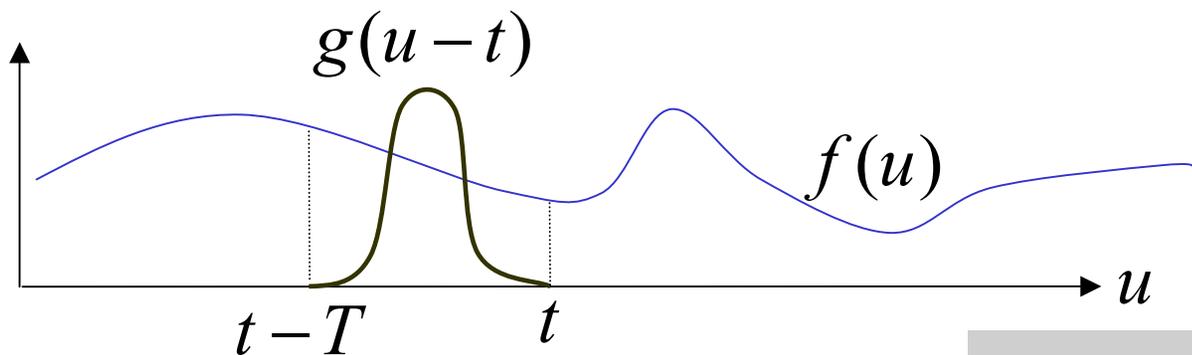


Result c

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Windowed Fourier Transform

$$\tilde{f}(\omega, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u)g(u-t)e^{-j2\pi\omega u} du$$



$$f(t) = \cos(\pi t^2), \omega_{\text{inst}} = t$$

$$g(t)$$

$$\tilde{f}(\omega, t)$$

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Wavelet Transform

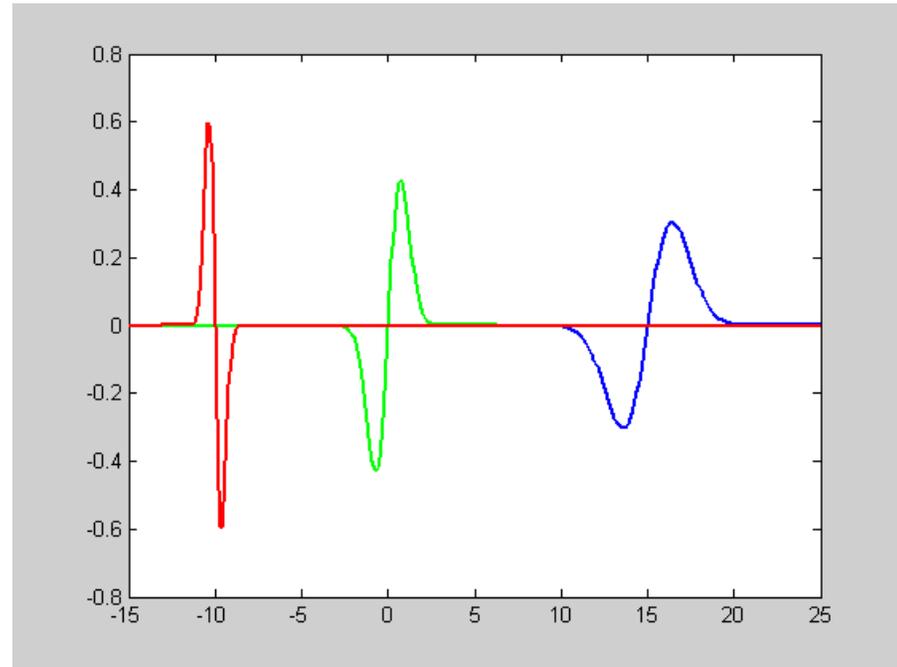
$$T(s, t) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(u) \bar{\psi}_{s,t}(u) du \quad \psi_{s,t}(u) = \frac{1}{s^p} \psi\left(\frac{u-t}{s}\right)$$

$$\psi(u) = ue^{-u^2}$$

$$\psi_{-0.5,-10} \quad \text{red}$$

$$\psi_{-1,0} \quad \text{green}$$

$$\psi_{2,15} \quad \text{blue}$$



Vision—Feature Extraction I

Haar Wavelets (Matlab Toolbox)

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Vision—Feature Extraction II

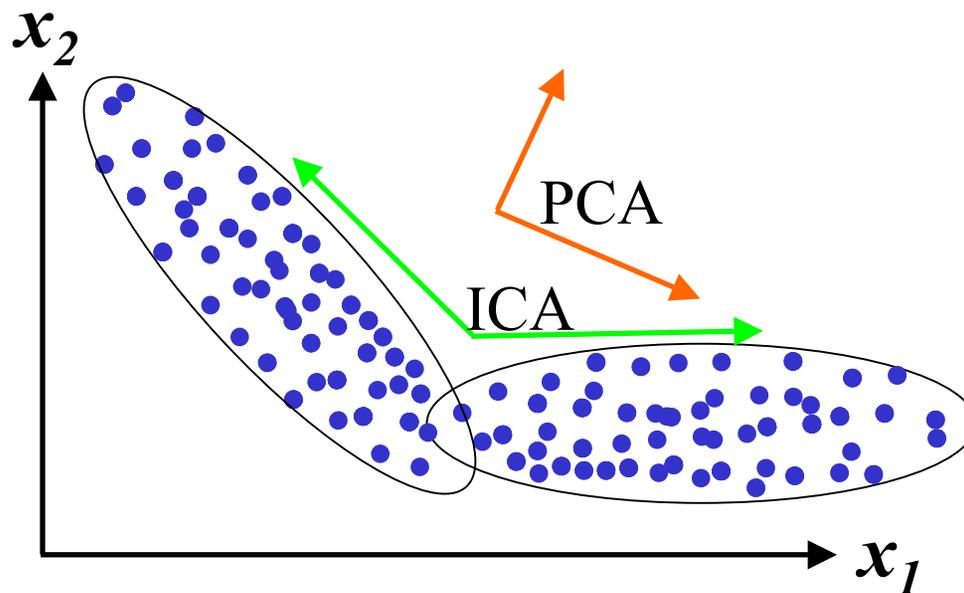
Principal and Independent Component Analysis

PCA:

- Decorrelated
- Orthogonal

ICA:

- Statistically Independent



PCA

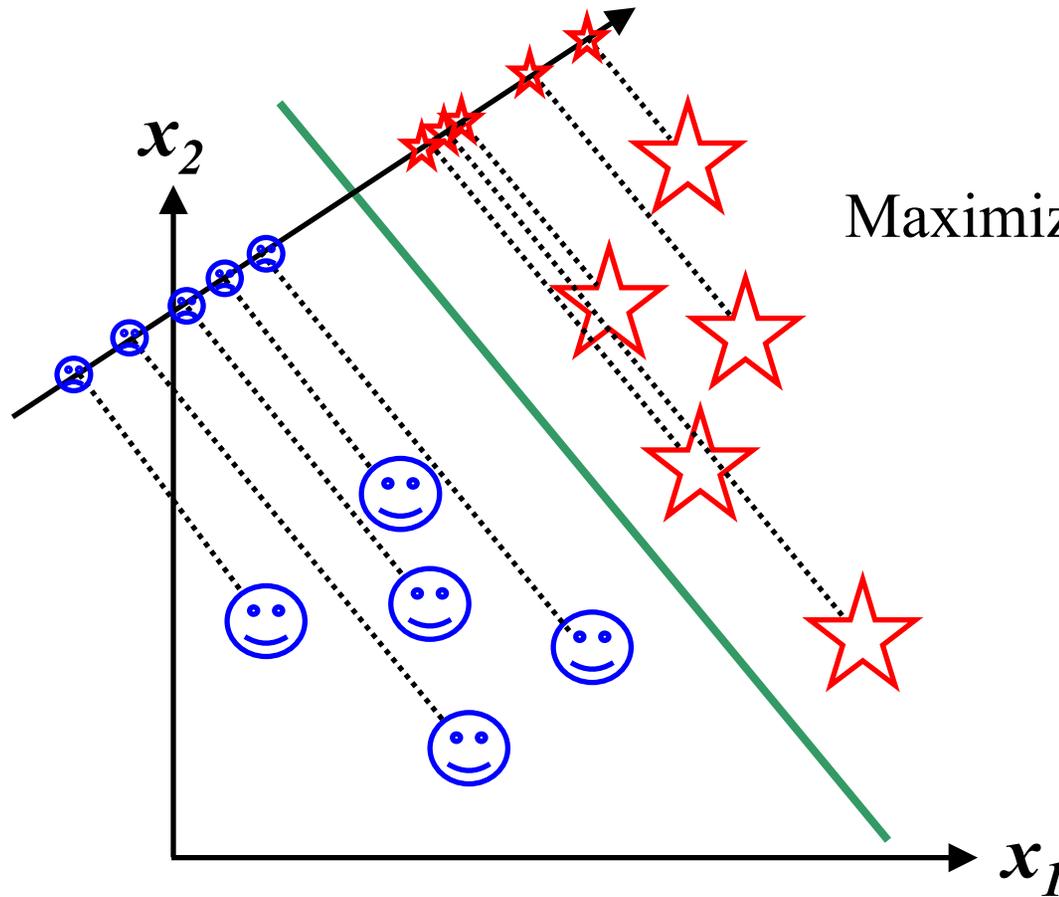
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ICA

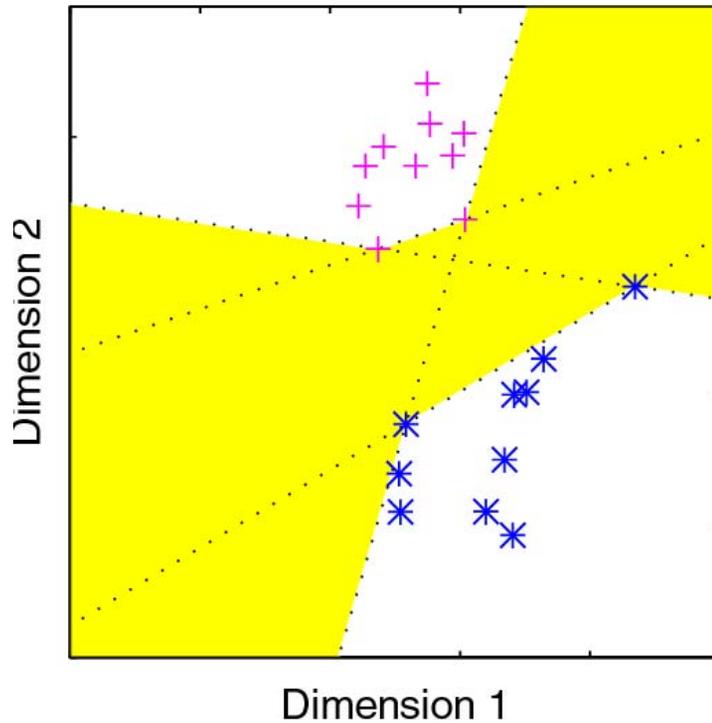
Topics

- Fisher Discriminant Analysis (FDA)
- Support Vector Machines (SVM)

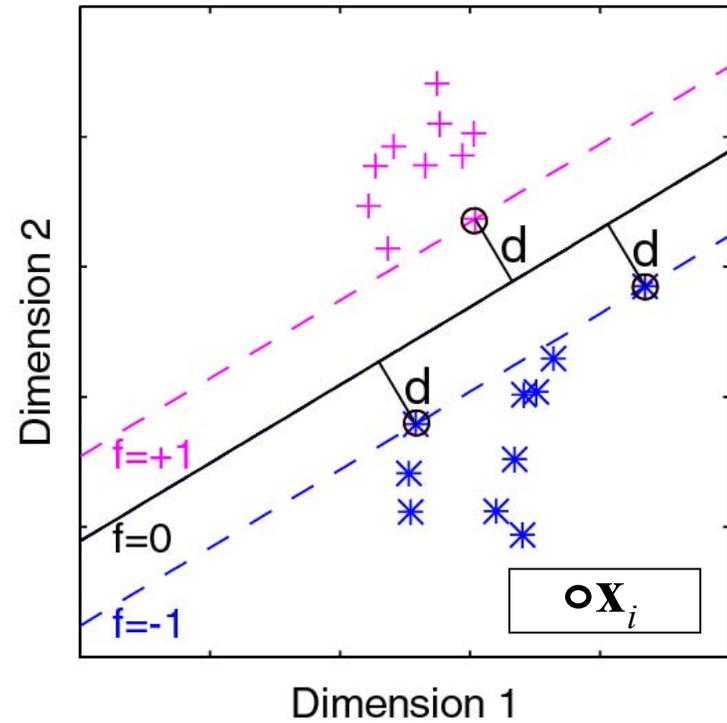
Fisher Discriminant Analysis



Linear Support Vector Machines

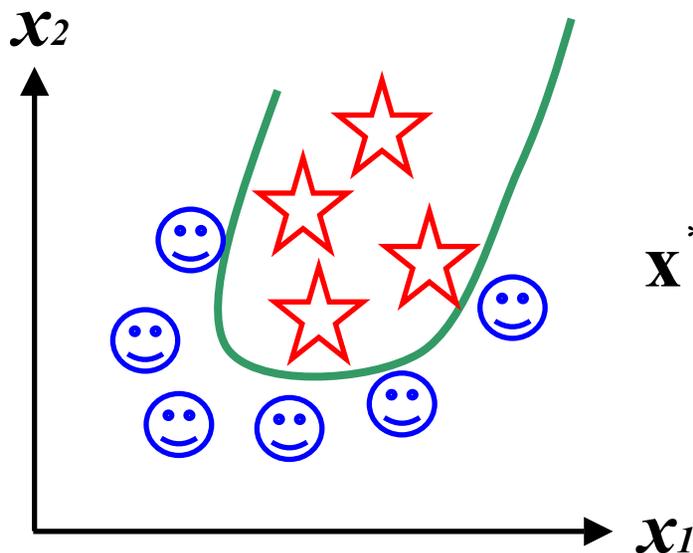


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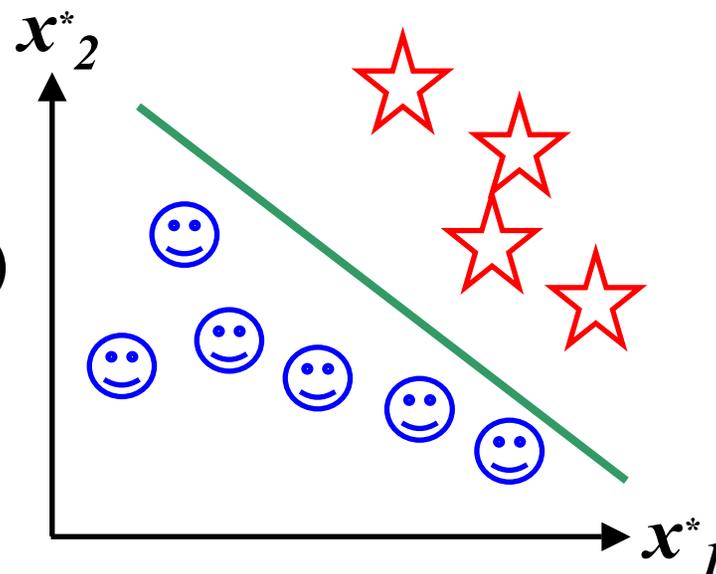
$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \text{sign} \left(\sum_{i=1}^N y_i \alpha_i \mathbf{x}_i \cdot \mathbf{x} - b \right)$$

Non-linear Support Vector Machines



Input Space

$$\mathbf{x}^* = \Phi(\mathbf{x})$$



Feature Space

$$f(\mathbf{x}) = \text{sign} \left(\sum_{i=1}^N y_i \alpha_i K(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}) - b \right), \quad K(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}) = \Phi(\mathbf{x}_i) \Phi(\mathbf{x})$$

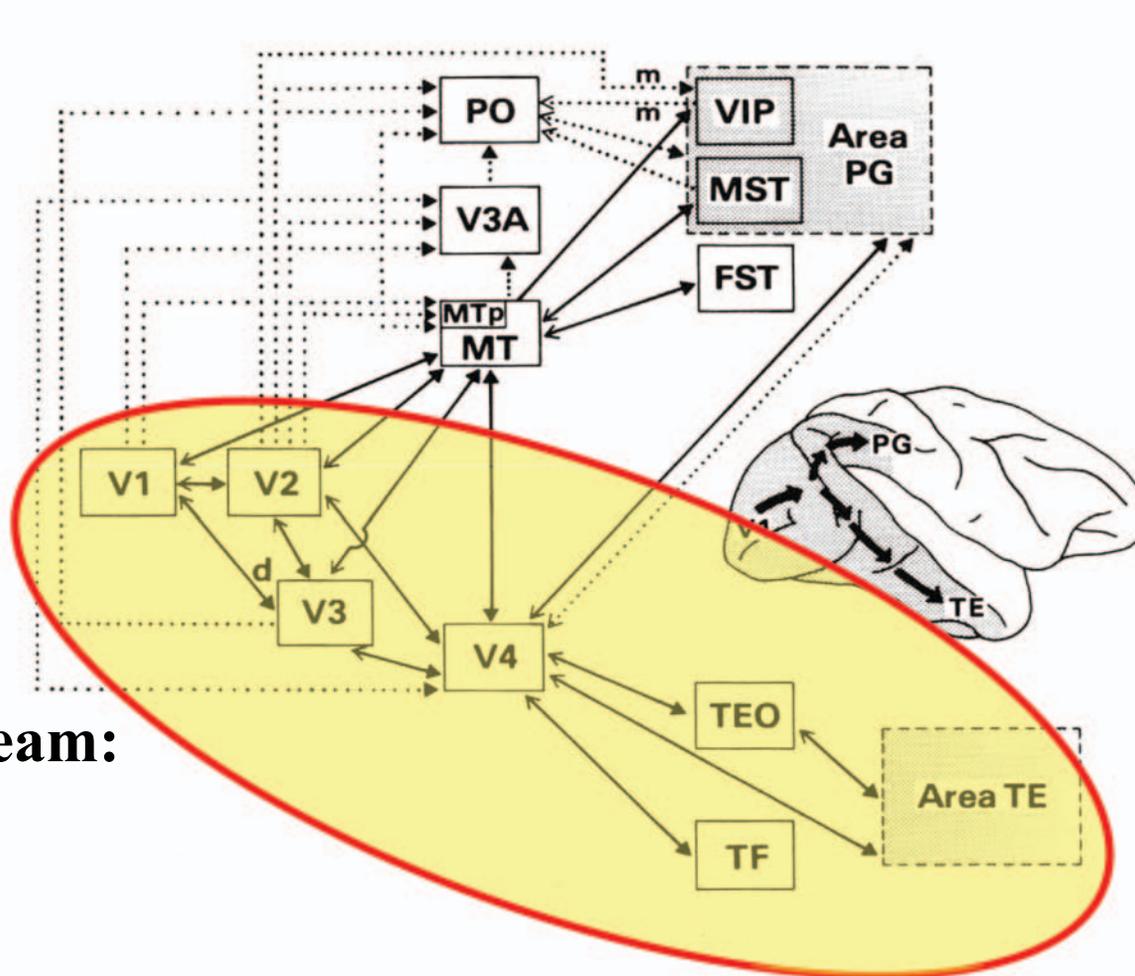
Vision—Biological Object Recognition

Topics

- Visual Cortex
- Hierarchical Processing
- Scale Invariance
- MAX Model for Object Recognition

Vision—Biological Object Recognition

The Visual System Simplified



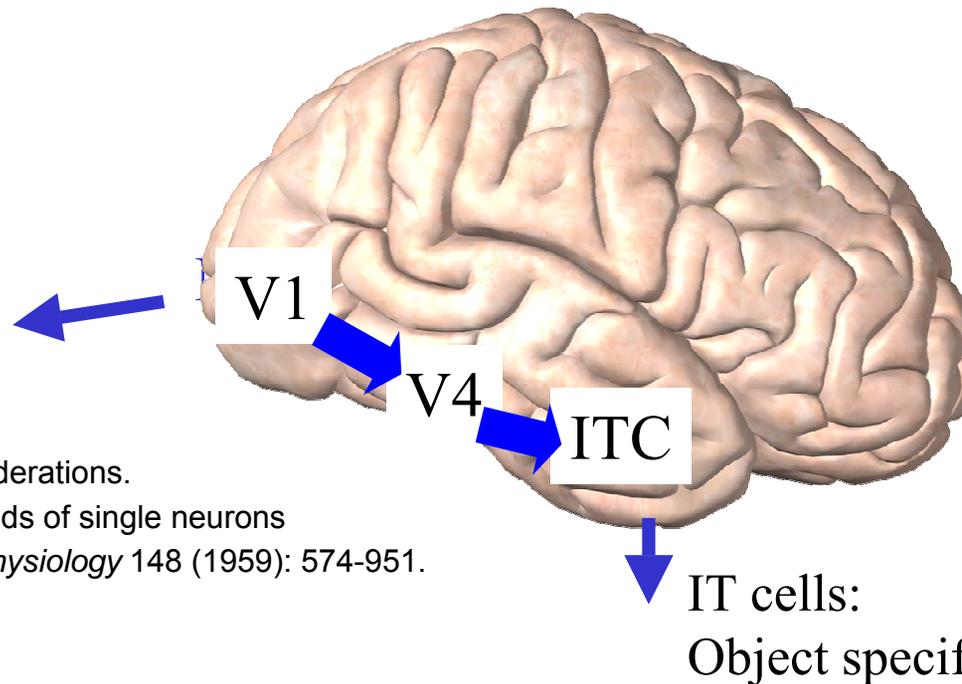
**Ventral stream:
What?**

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Vision—Biological Object Recognition

From Small and Simple to Big and Complex

Simple cells:
Orientation of bars



IT cells:
Object specific

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Current Opinion in Neurobiology 4, no. 2 (1994): 157-165.

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Vision—Biological Object Recognition

Hierarchical Processing: From Simple to Complex Features

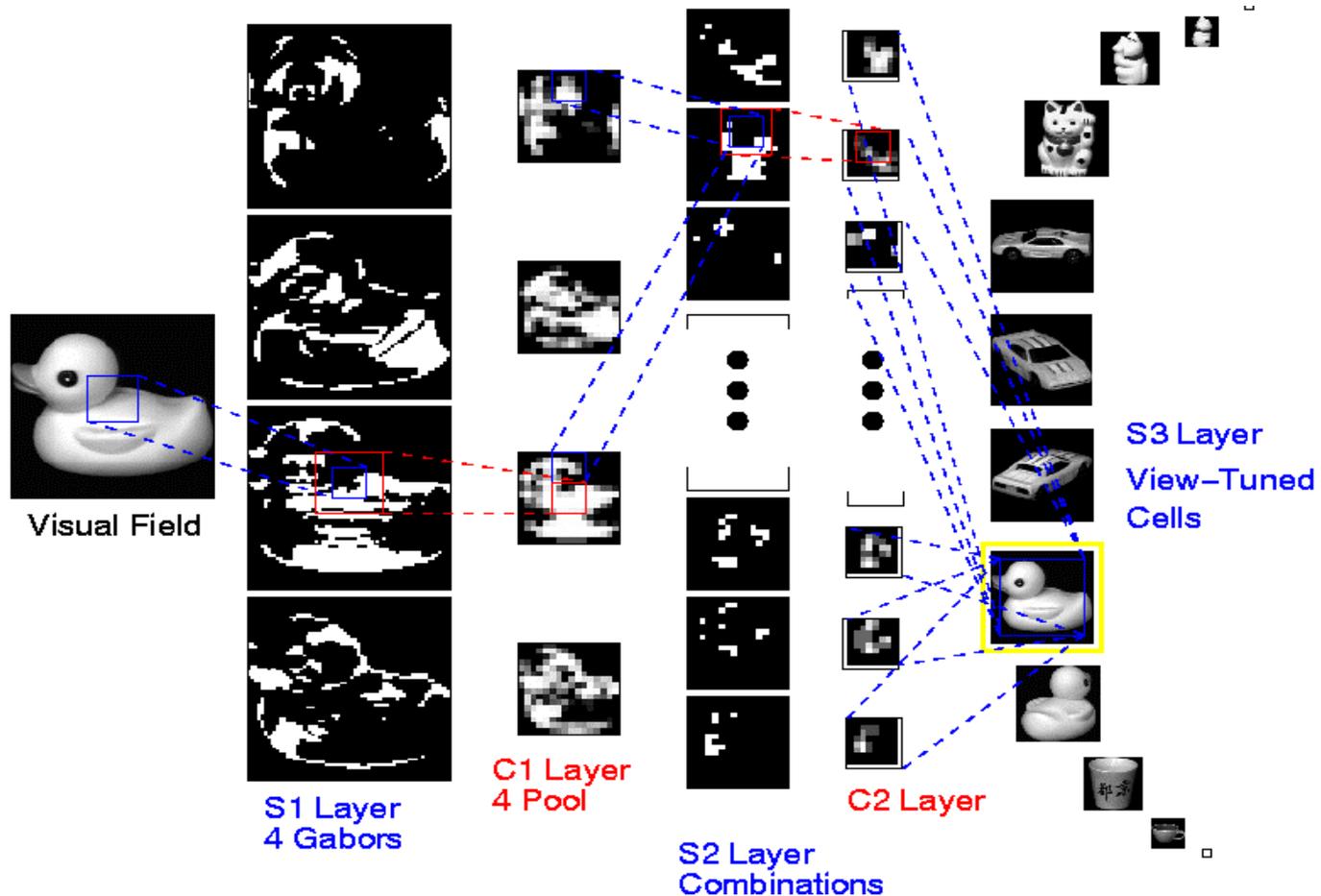


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Applications—Morphable Models

Topics

- 2D MMs of facical components
- 2D MMs for facial animation

- 3D MMs of faces
- Modifying faces in the MM space

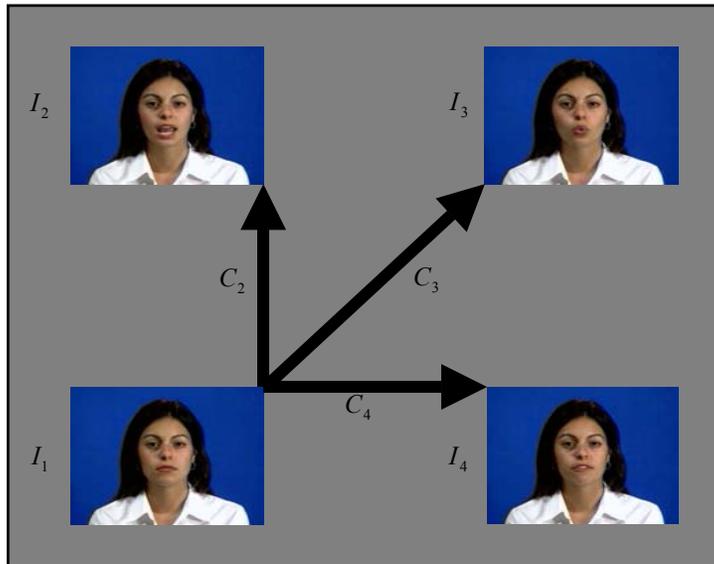
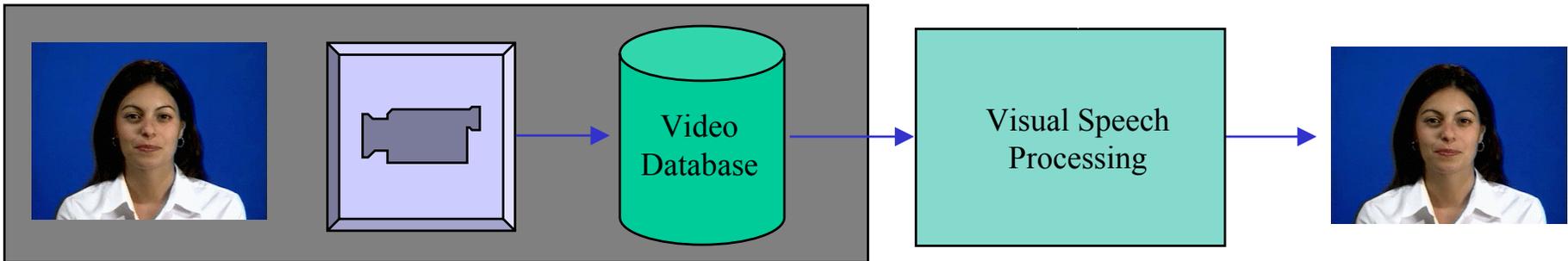
Applications—Morphable Models

2D Morphable Models for Facial Animation

“Air”

“Badge”

“Badge”



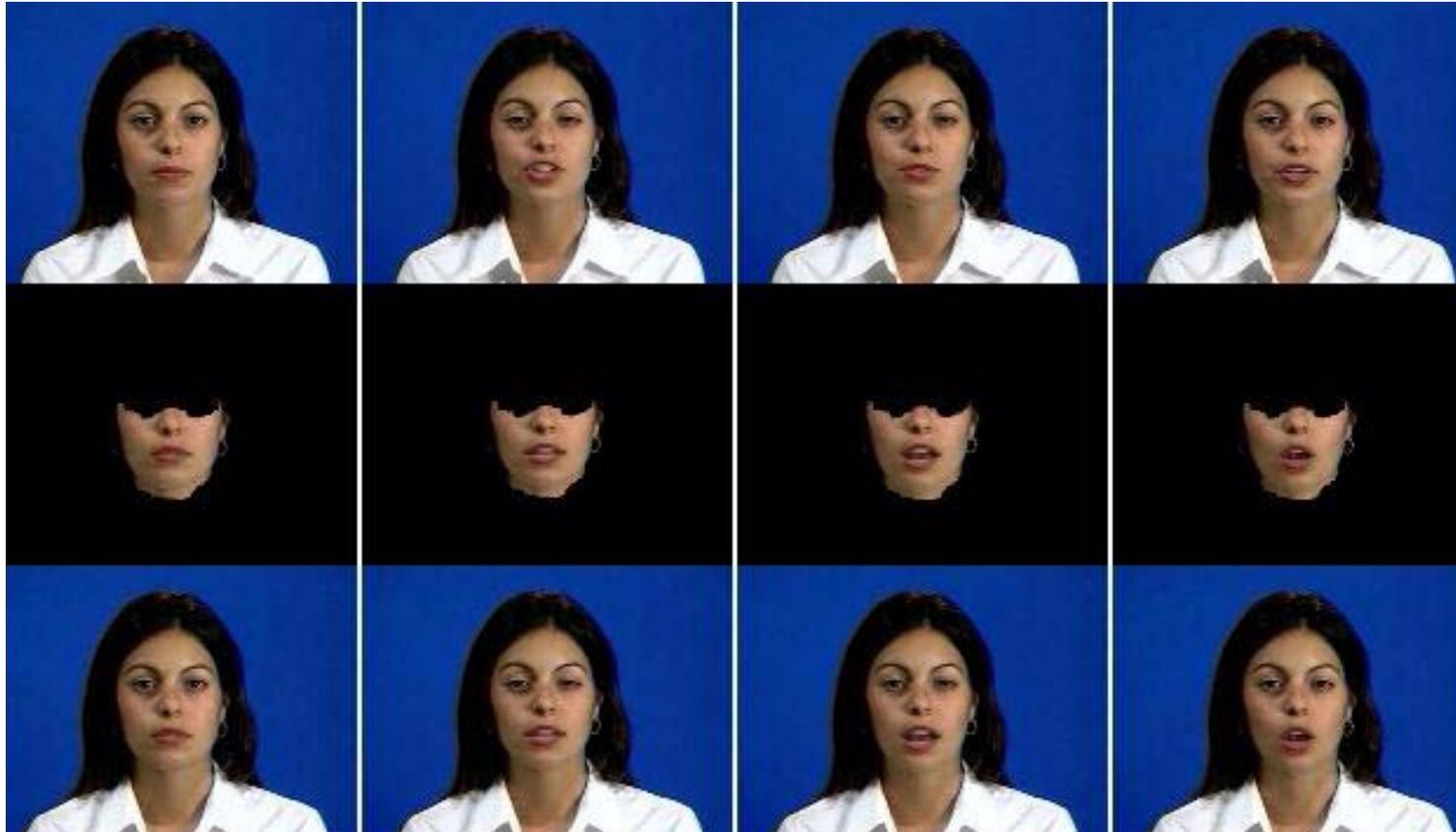
Building
a 2D MM

- Video realism
- Machine learning

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2D Morphable Models for Facial Animation



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Applications—Morphable Models

Generating 3D Face Models with MM

Face
Images



Morphing
Space


$$\text{Target Face} = w_1^* \text{Base 1} + w_2^* \text{Base 2} + w_3^* \text{Base 3} + w_4^* \text{Base 4} + \dots$$

3D Face
Model



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Modifying Faces in the MM Space

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Novel
Images

Morphing Facial Attributes



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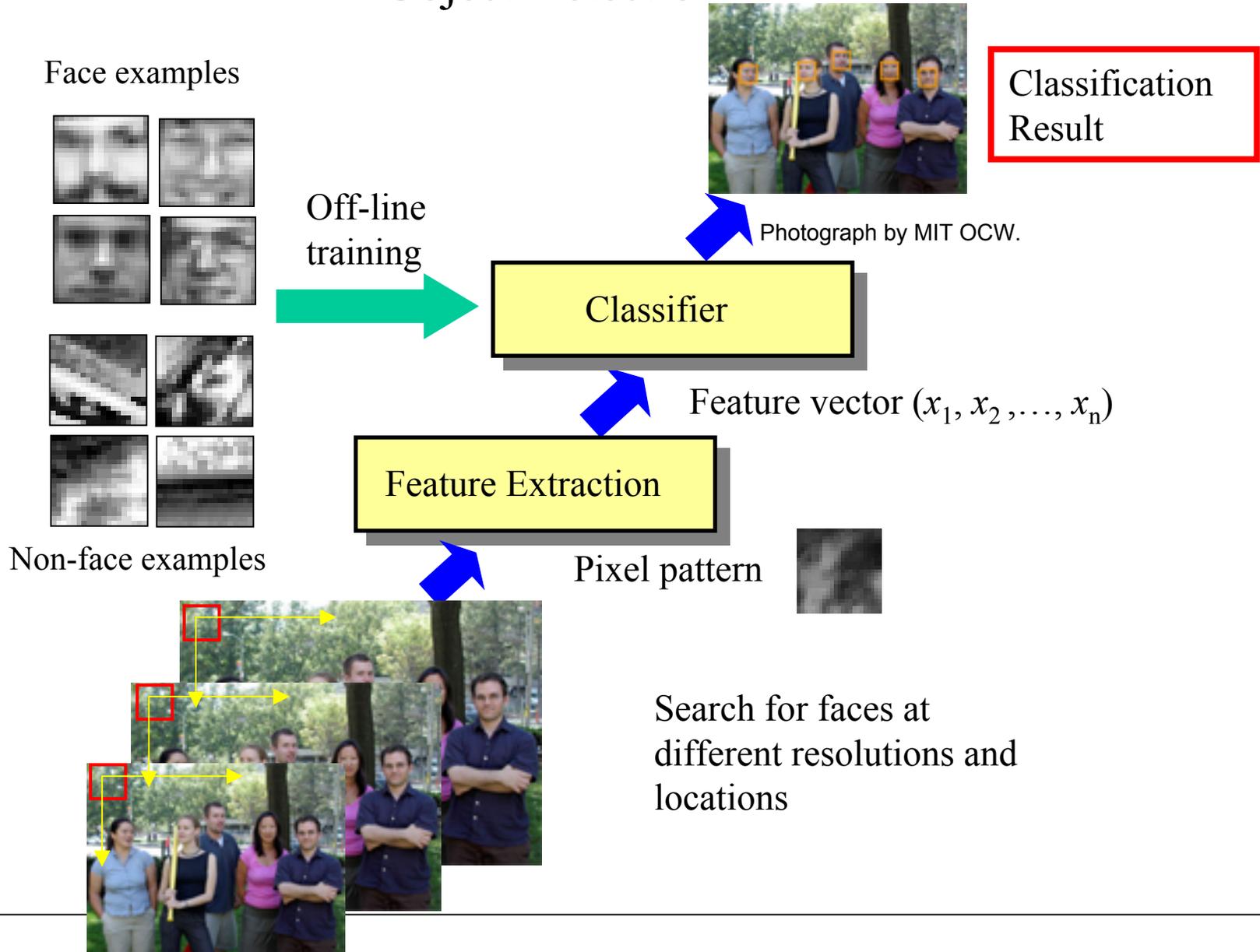
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Topics

- Face detection & recognition
- Pedestrian detection
- Feature extraction
- Classification

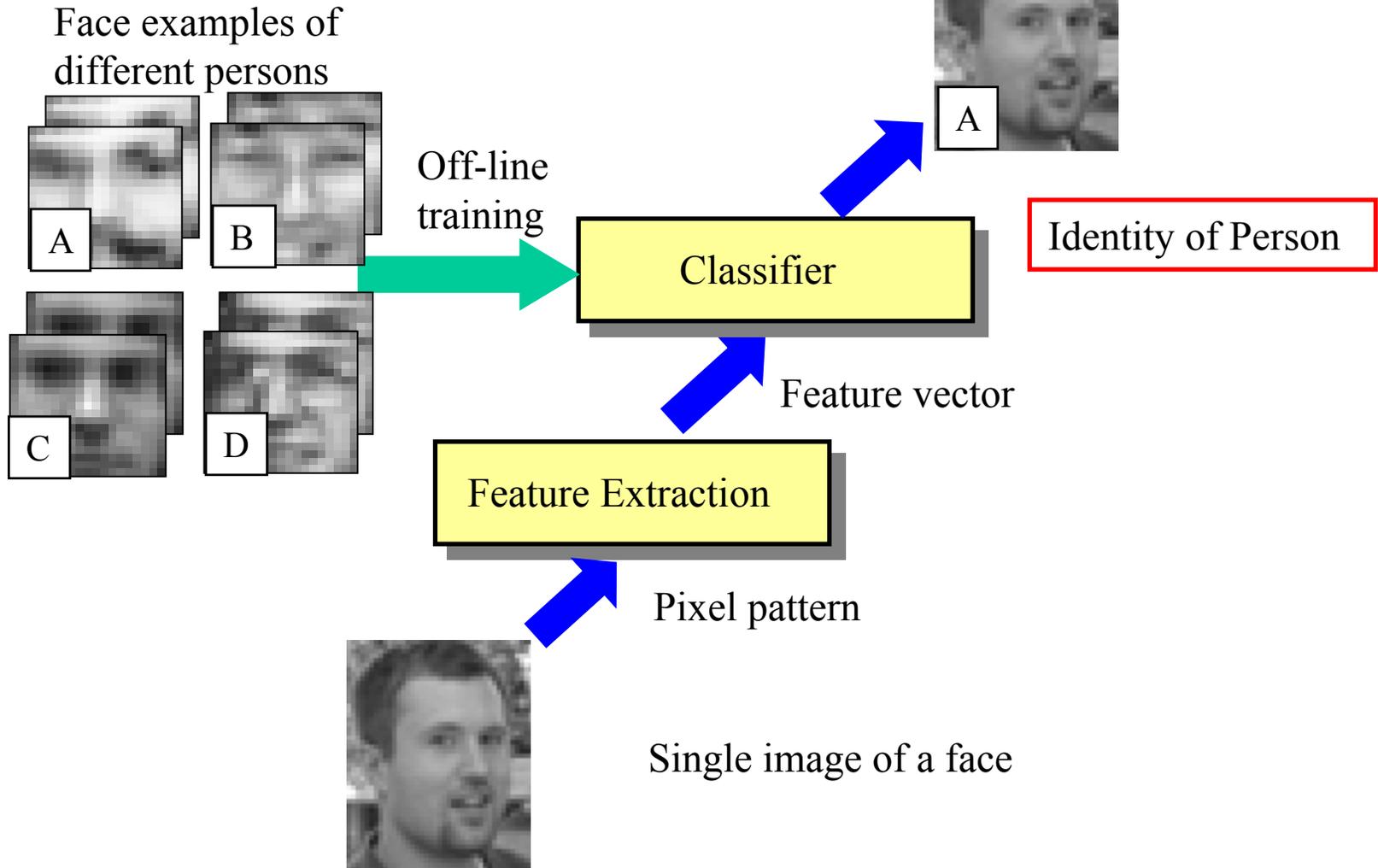
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Object Detection



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Face and Pedestrian Detection

