

Higher-order Statistical Modeling based Deep CNNs (Introduction)

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- What is Higher-order?
- Why We Study High-order
- Overview of Speaker
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What is Higher-order?—Statistical Moments

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1st-order moment

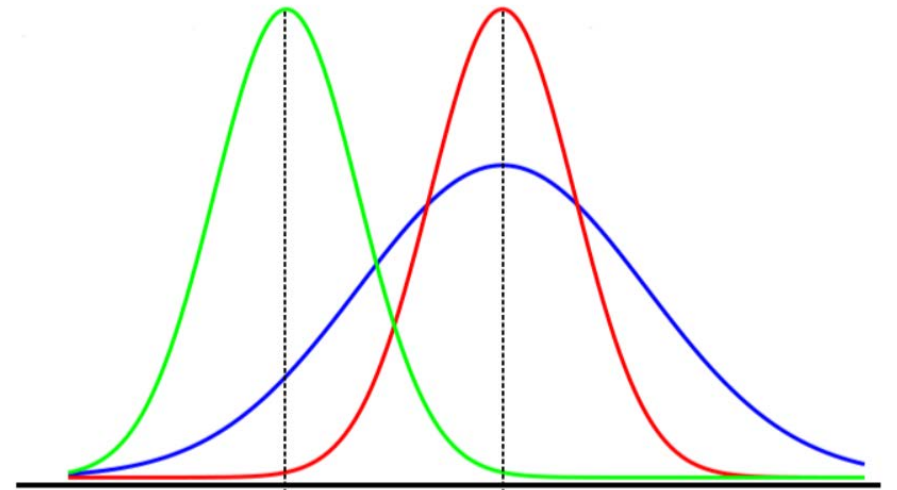
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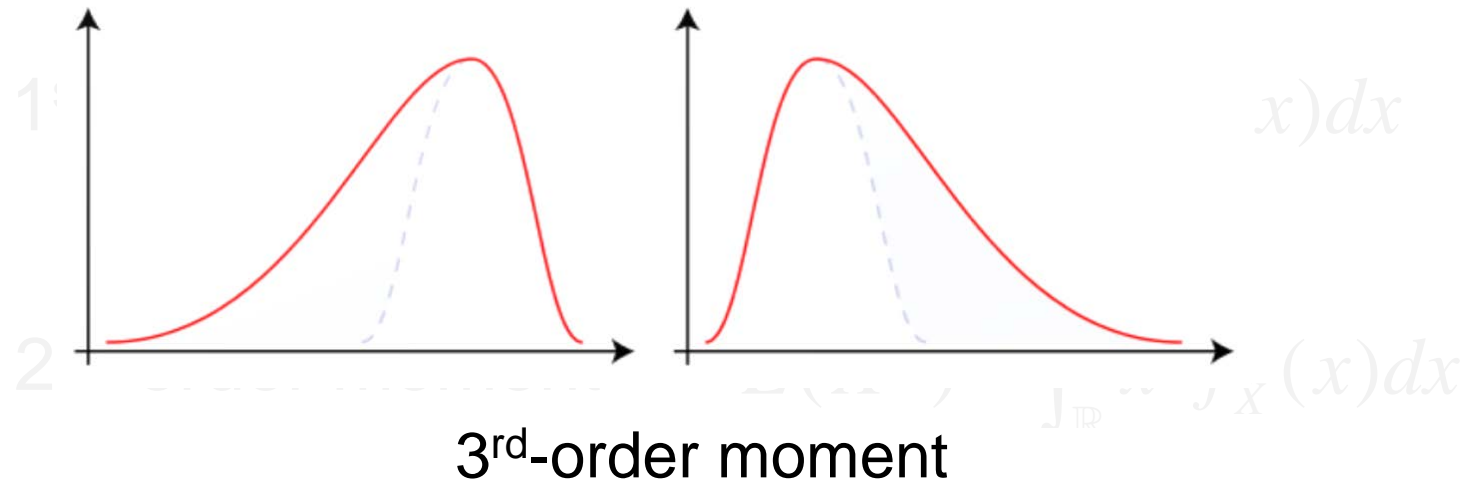
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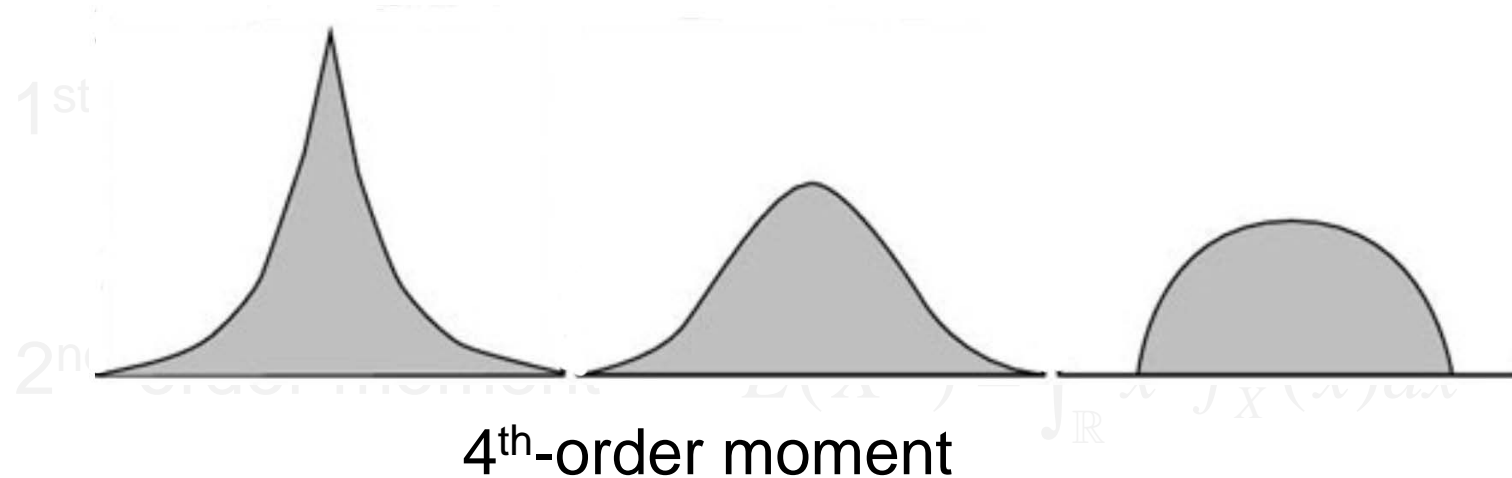
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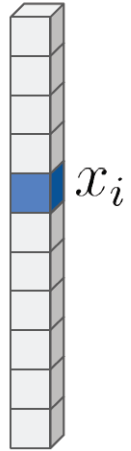
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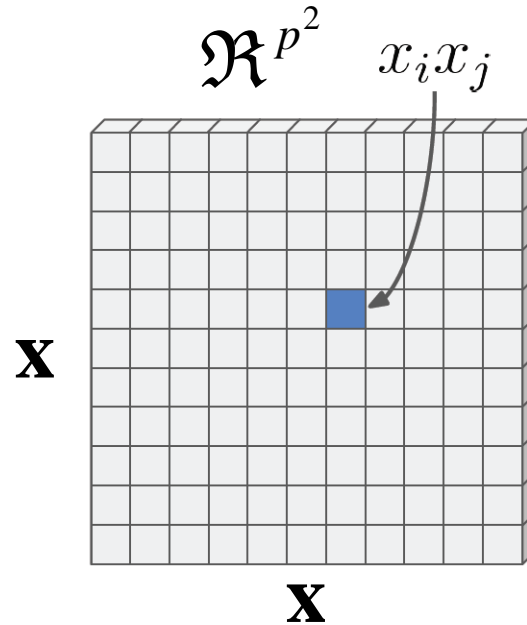
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Random vector $\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{R}^p$
vector



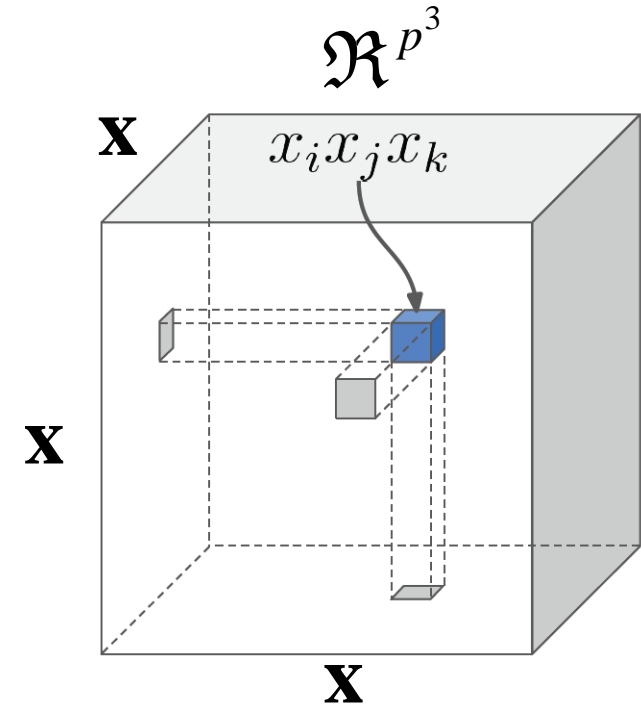
1st-order moment

$$E(X) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{C}} \mathbf{x}$$



2nd-order moment

$$\begin{aligned} E(X^2) &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{C}} \mathbf{x} \mathbf{x}^T \\ &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{\mathbf{x} \in \mathcal{C}} \mathbf{x} \otimes \mathbf{x} \end{aligned}$$



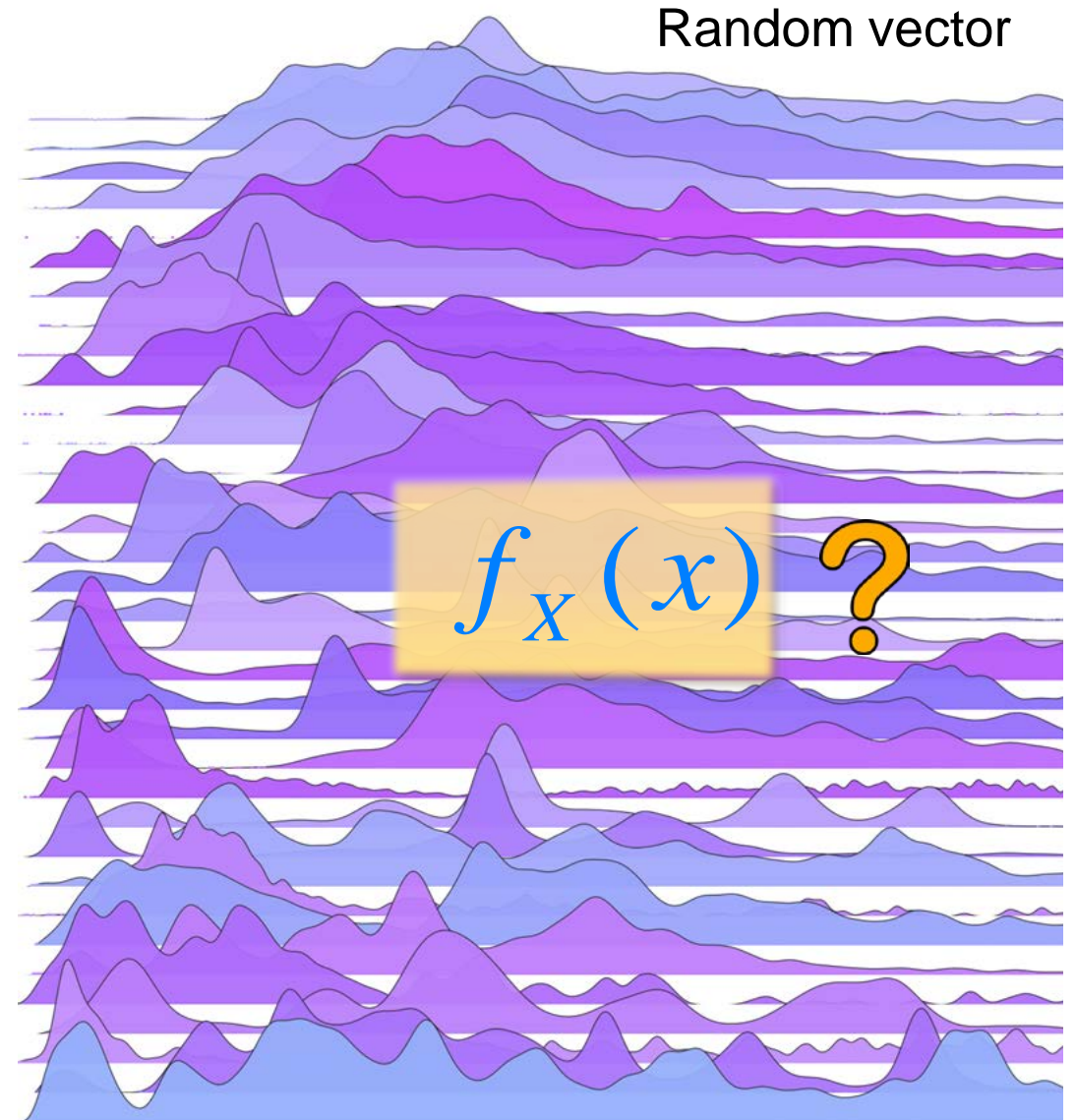
3rd-order moment

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Probability density $f_X(x)$ is everything



What is Higher-order?—Statistical Moments

Characteristic Function=Probability Density

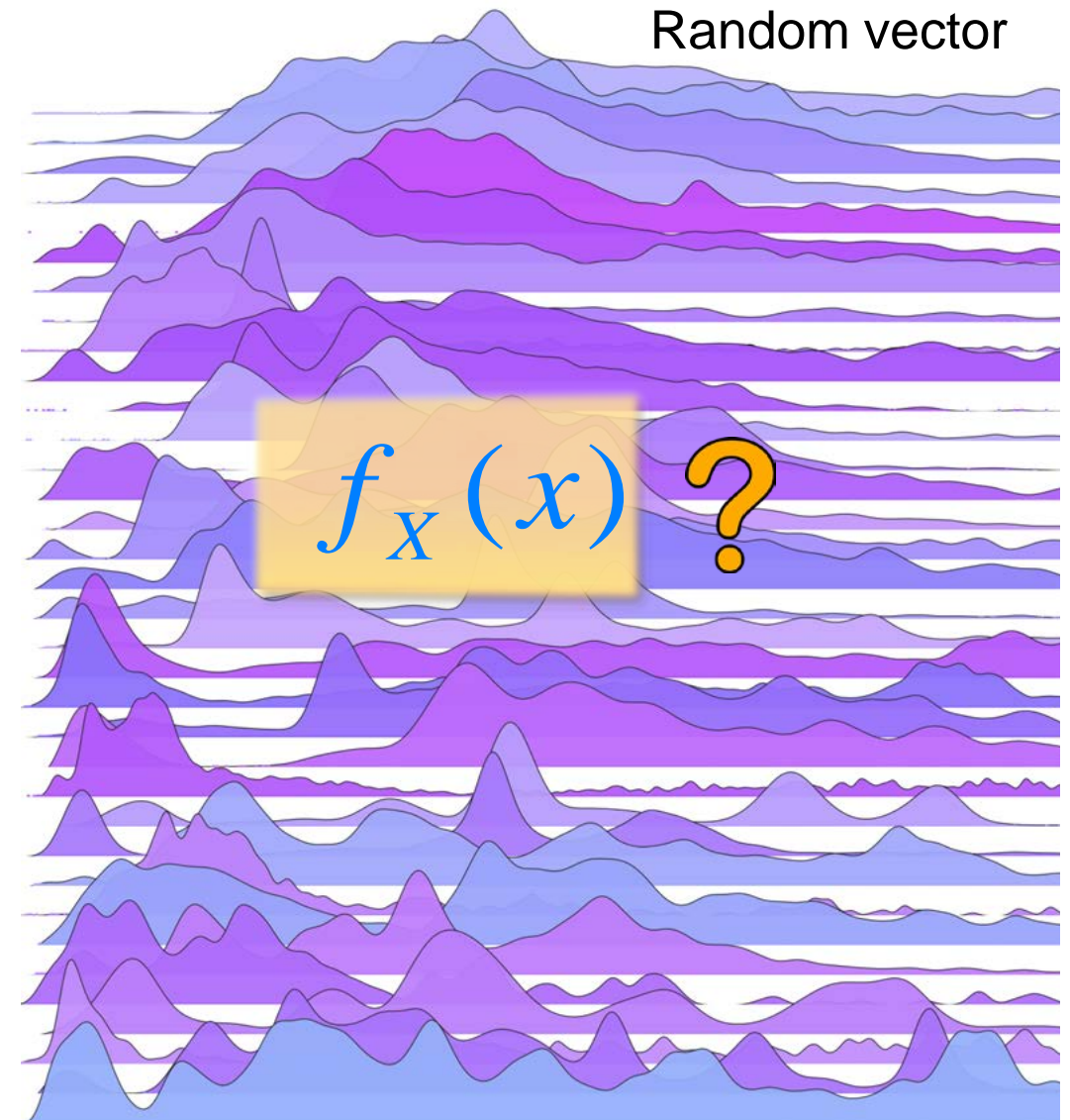
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Fouriere Transform Pair

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What is Higher-order?—Statistical Moments

Random vector

If we know characteristic function $\Phi_X(\omega)$, we know everything.

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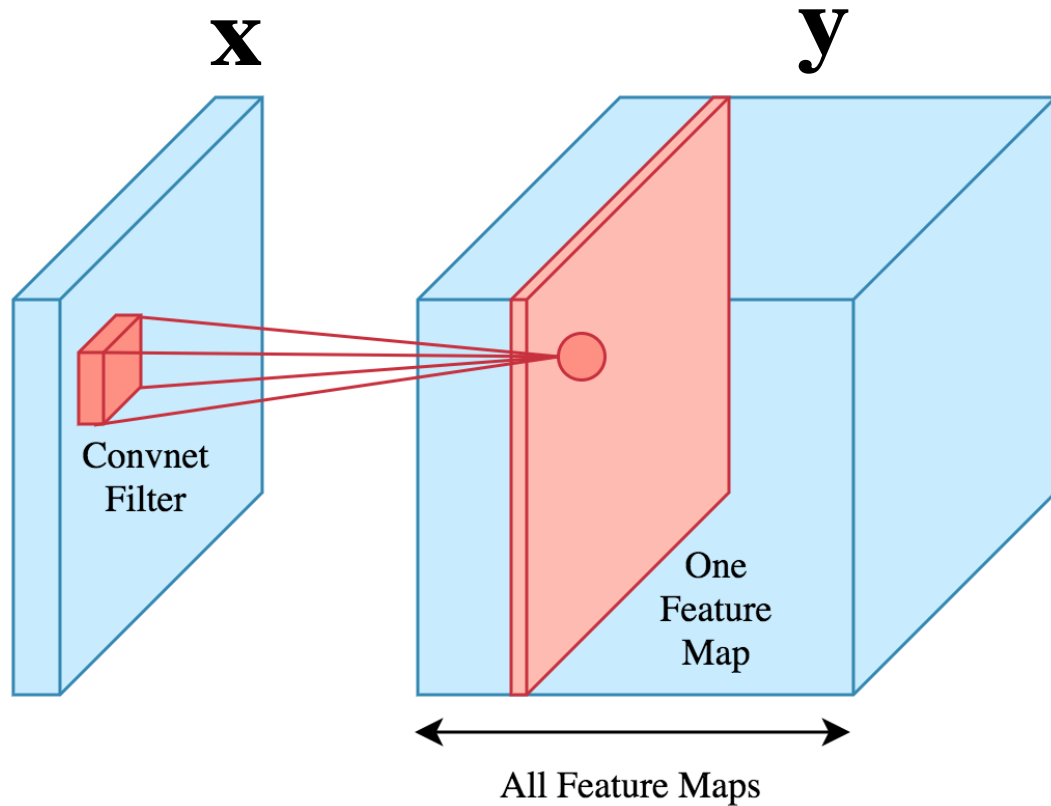
Probability density Fouriere Transform Characteristic function

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What is Higher-order? — Signal Perspective



$$\mathbf{y} = f(\mathbf{x}) \text{ ?}$$

Convolution is a linear transformation

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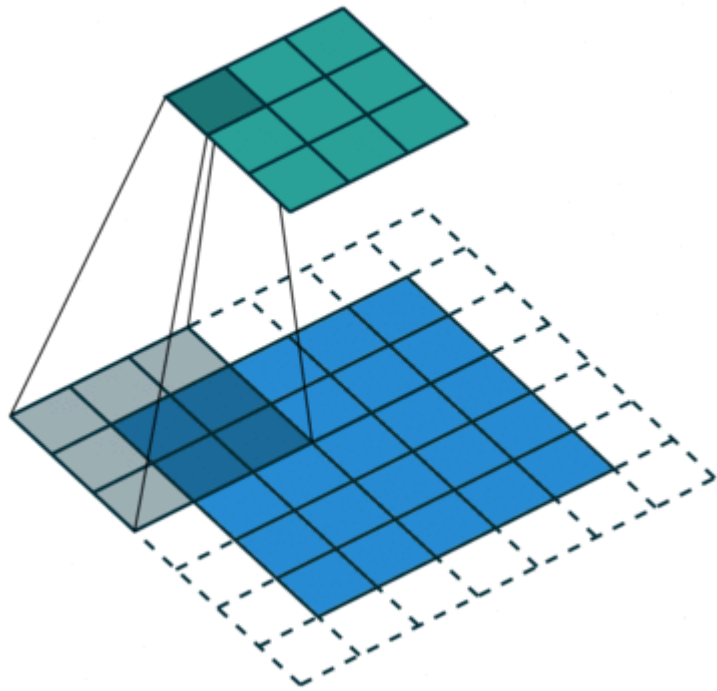
Multi-variable Taylor series:

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1st-order term
(Linear term)

2nd-order term
(Quadratic term)

What is Higher-order?—Signal Perspective



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Two variable Taylor series:

$$f(u, v) = f(0, 0) + \mathbf{w}^T \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} u & v \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{H} \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \end{bmatrix} + \dots$$

Linear term

$$w_1 u + w_2 v$$

Quadratic term

$$h_{11} u^2 + 2h_{12} uv + h_{22} v^2$$

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Two variable Taylor series:

Higher order enhances non-linear modeling capability

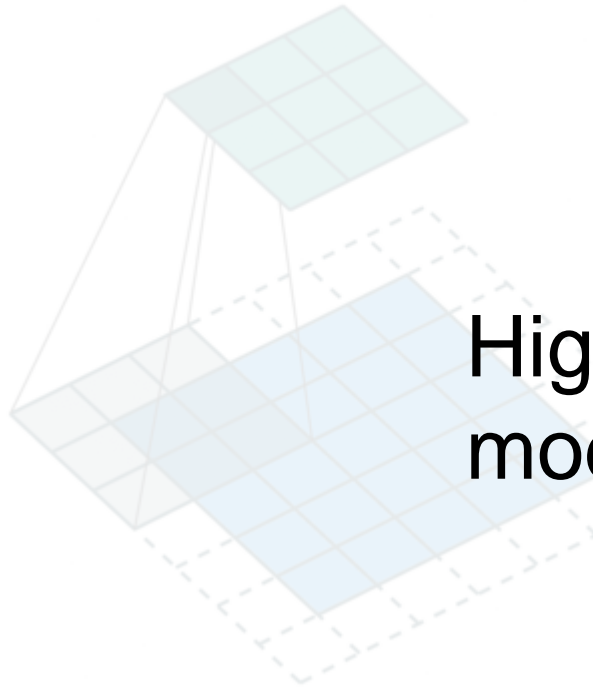
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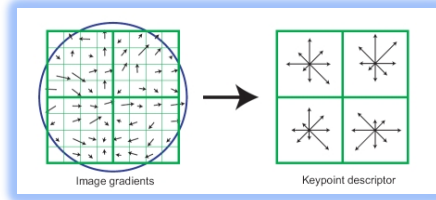
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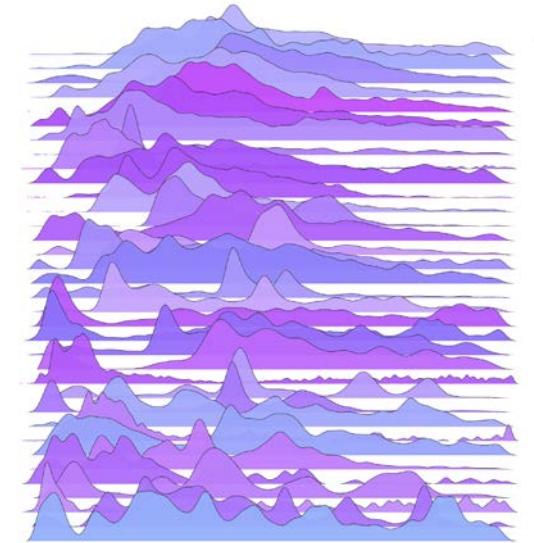
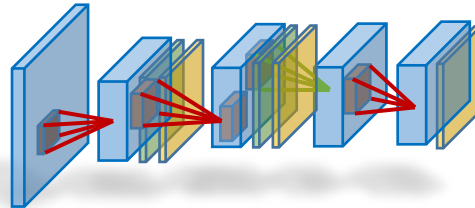
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Hand-crafted Features



Learned Features



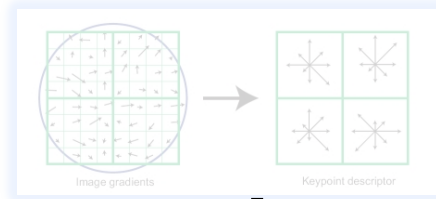
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Higher-order moments can better characterize real-world distributions



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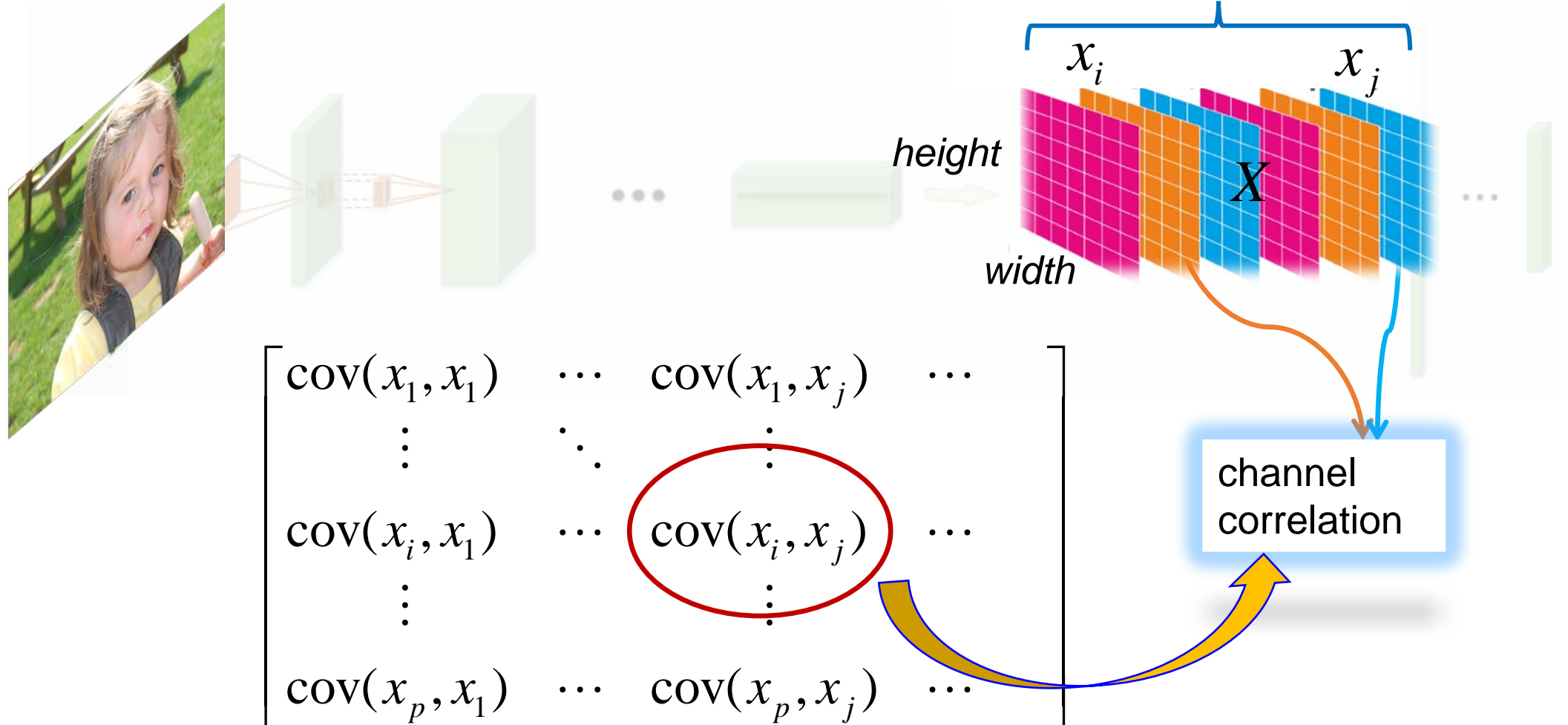
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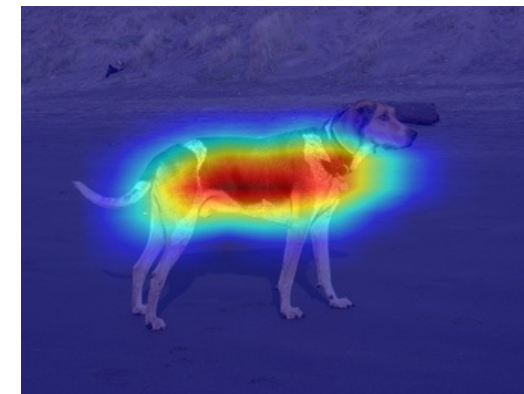
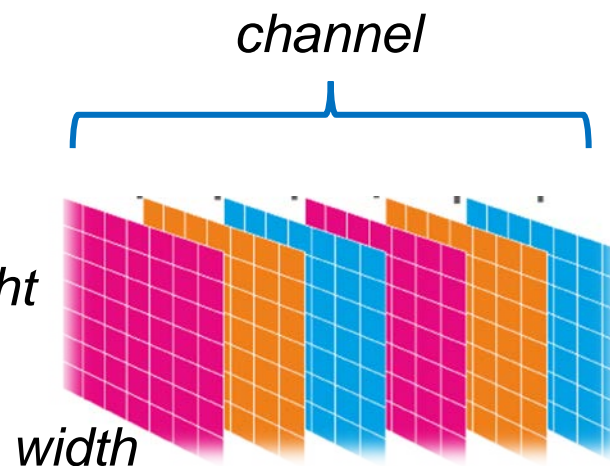
Why Higher-order?

What does each channel indicate?



CNN

height



Body | channel 452



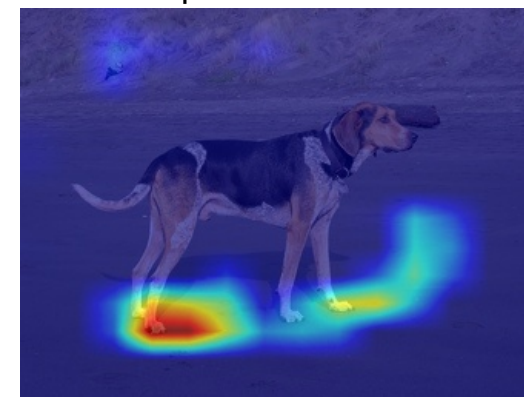
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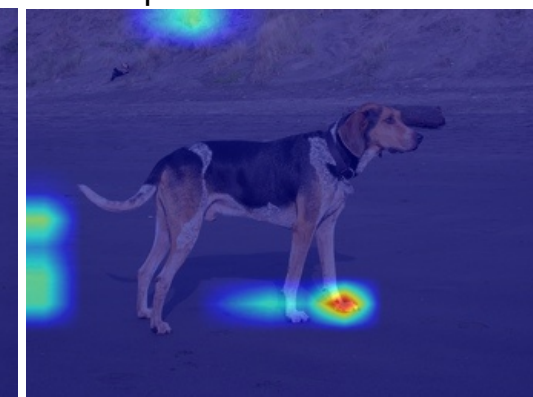
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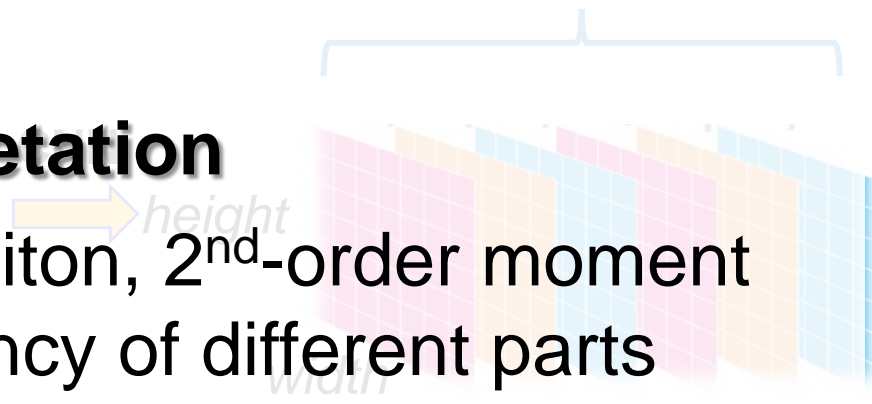
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Physical Interpretation

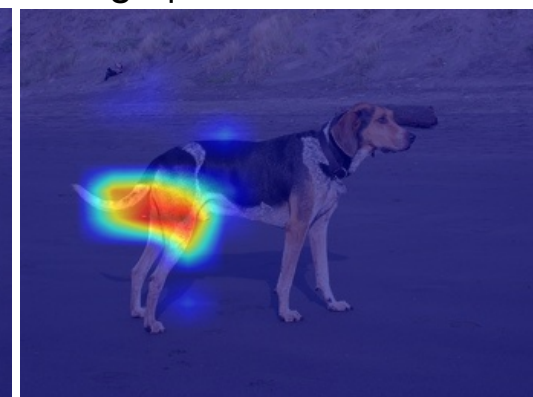
For object recognition, 2nd-order moment capture dependency of different parts



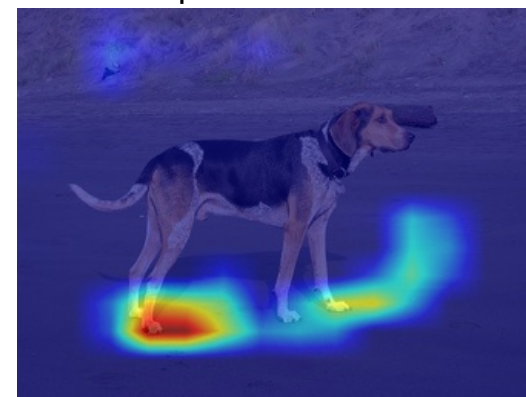
Context of the object



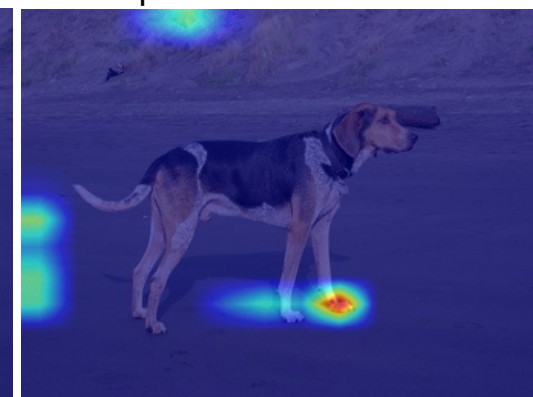
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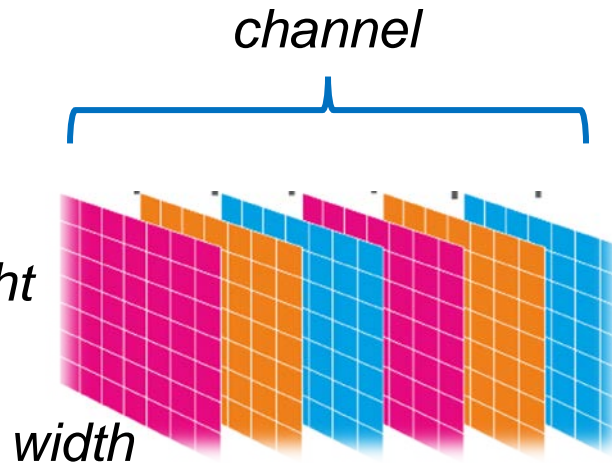
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Bookcase | channel 97



Plant | channel 384



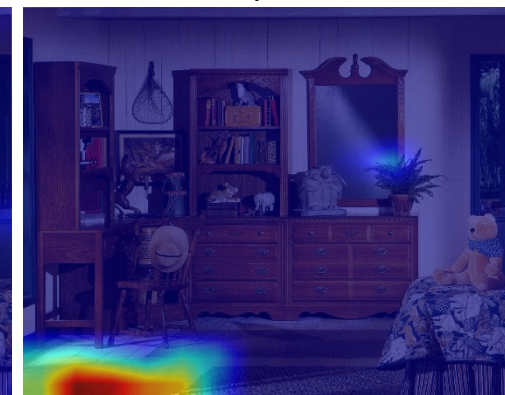
Drawer | channel 360



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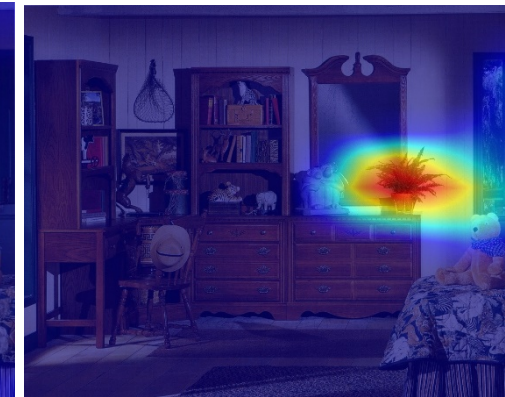
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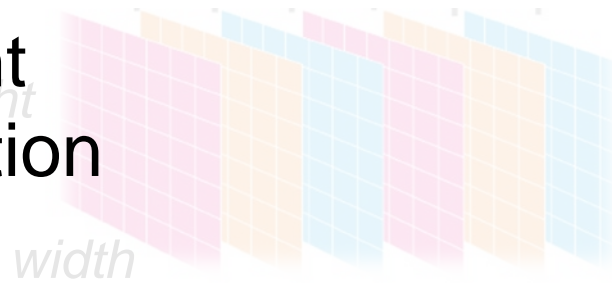


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3rd-order moment
or direct distribution



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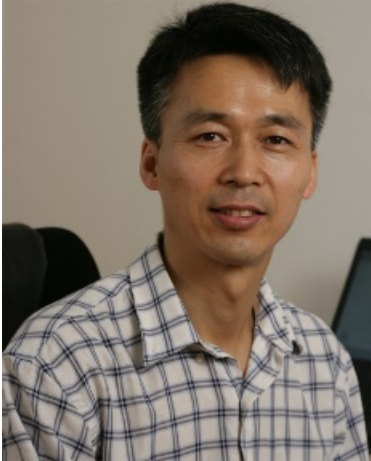
Wangmeng Zuo received the Ph.D. degree in computer application technology from the Harbin Institute of Technology, Harbin, China, in 2007. He is currently a Professor in the School of Computer Science and Technology, Harbin Institute of Technology. His current research interests include image enhancement and restoration, object detection, visual tracking, and image classification. He has published over 70 papers in toptier academic journals and conferences. He has served as a Tutorial Organizer in ECCV 2016, an Associate Editor of the IET Biometrics and Journal of Electronic Imaging, and the Guest Editor of Neurocomputing, Pattern Recognition, IEEE Transactions on Circuits and Systems for Video Technology, and IEEE Transactions on Neural Networks and Learning Systems.

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Overview of Speaker



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Overview of Tutorial—Part 1



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Overview of Tutorial—Part 2

End-to-End 2nd-order CNN



Overview of Tutorial—Part 3

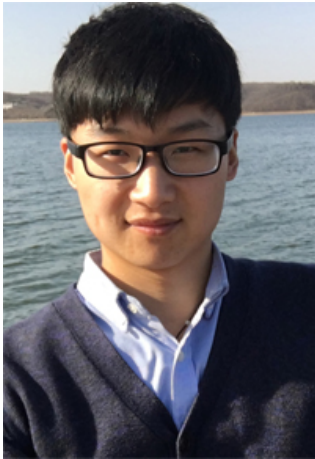
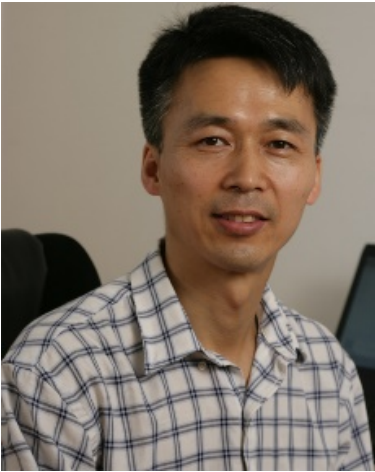


Approximate Higher-order in CNN



Overview of Tutorial—Part 4

Challenge Achievements and Code



Thank you!