

MatCNN In-Class Tutorial

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Introduction

Announcements

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Laboratory VI: Machine Learning

Due: **Thursday March 18th** at 11:59 pm *via Canvas* upload. Upload a single PDF of your report as well as a zipped file including any pertinent scripts or code!

Tentative Schedule

Monday	Wednesday	Friday
L1 – Introduction to machine learning, imaging, and segmentation	L2 – In-class activity: segmentation using GIMP	L3 – Neural network basics
L4 – Neural network training	L5 – In-class activity: segmentation using MatCNN	L6 – Convolutional Neural Networks

Introduction

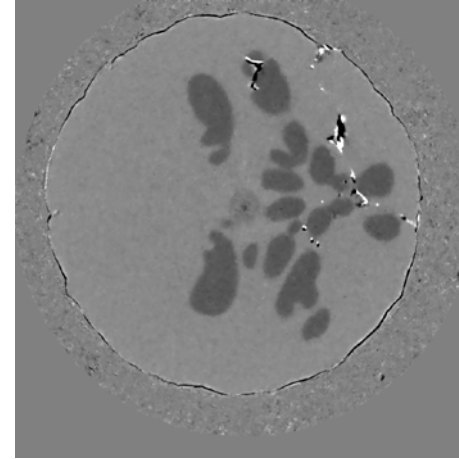
At the end of this lesson you should be able to:

- Access the latest version of MatCNN on Google Colab
- Understand some of the fundamental neural network training parameters
- Train a neural network that segments tomography images

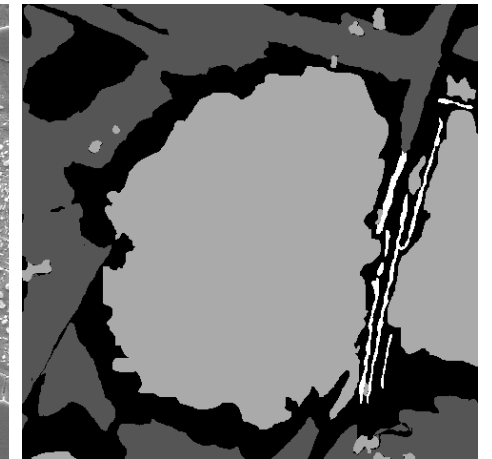
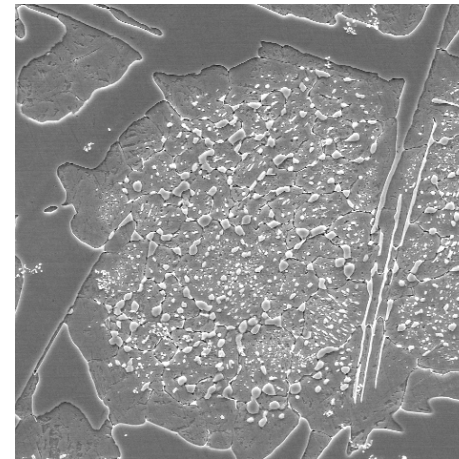
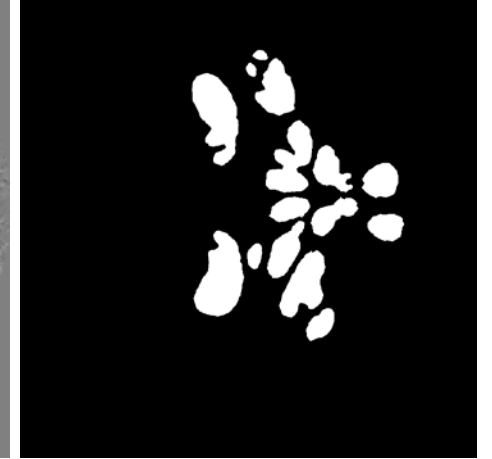
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Image

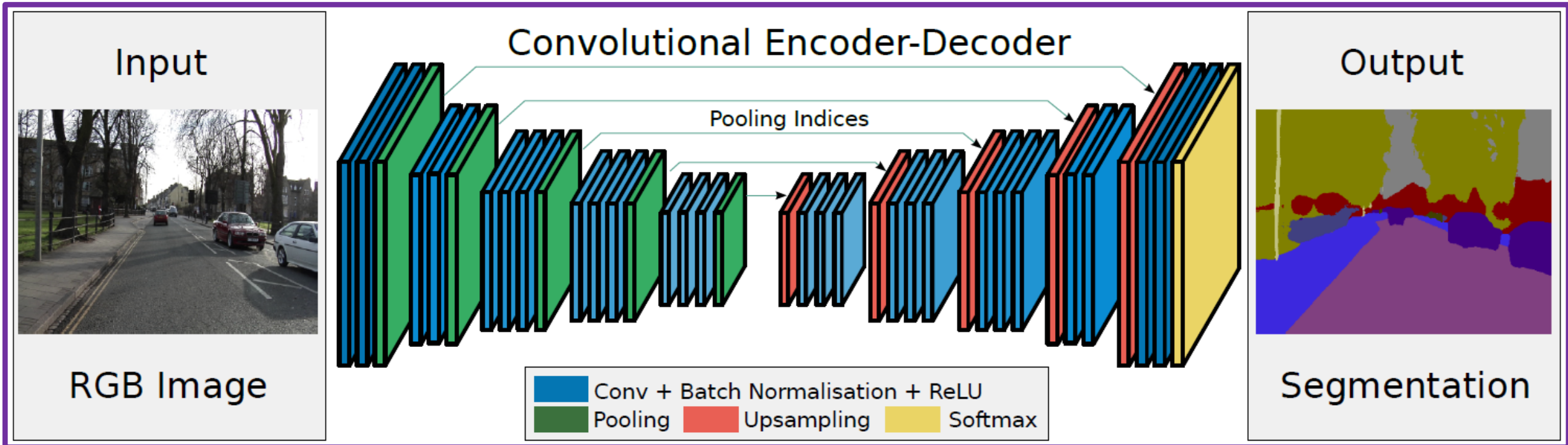


Segmentation



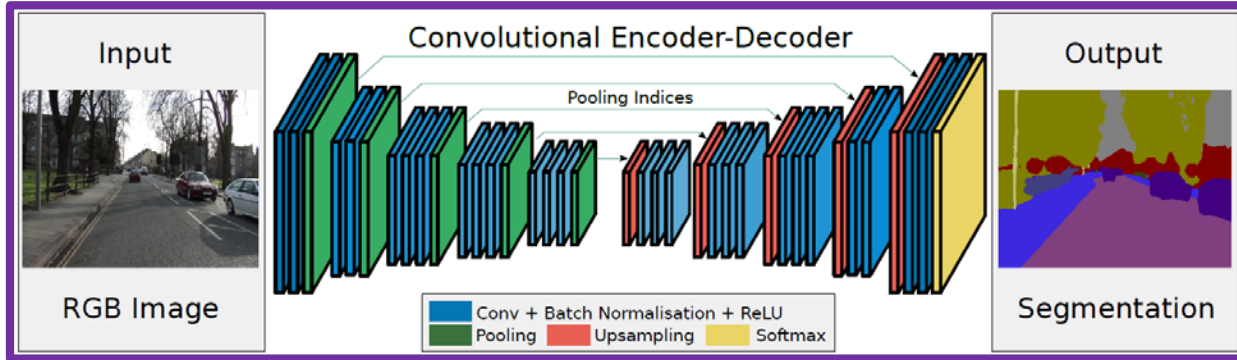
Machine Learning

- Semantic segmentation is the process of assigning a class label to each pixel of an image, usually using Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs)
- **SegNet** architecture consists of an encoder network (13 convolutional layers from VGG-16), a decoder network, and a pixel-wise softmax classification layer



Machine Learning Architectures

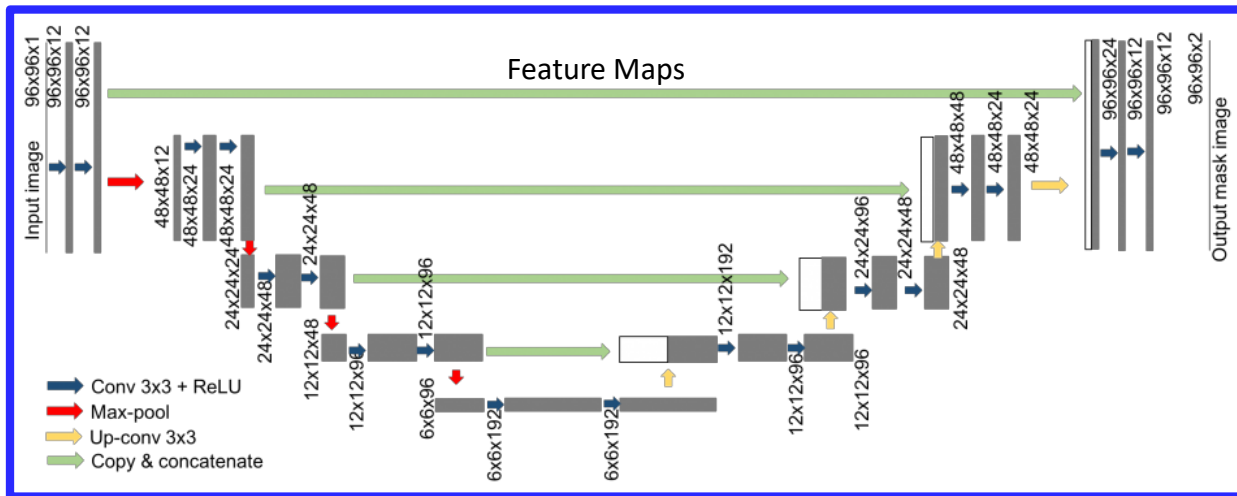
SegNet



V. Badrinarayan et al. *IEEE Trans Pattern Analysis Mach Intell.* 2017

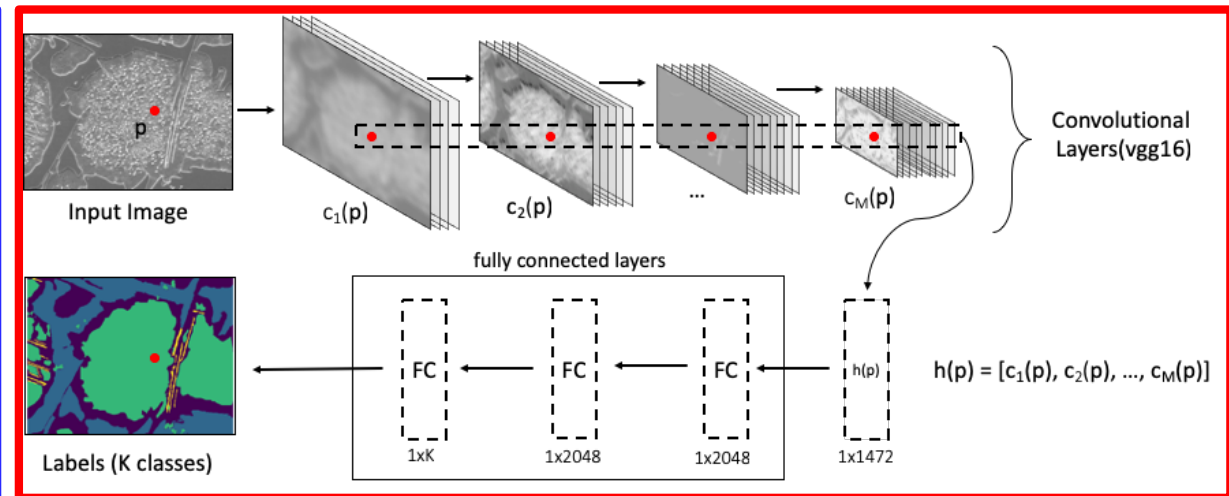
- **U-Net** is similar to **SegNet** but transfers feature maps instead of pooling indices
- **PixelNet** uses hypercolumn descriptors of several pixels from convolutional layers

U-Net



O. Ronneberger et al. *MICCAI* 2015

PixelNet



A. Bansal et al. *arXiv:1702.06506* 2015

Segmentation Metrics

Accuracy (Acc)

- Number of correctly classified pixels / total number of pixels

- Total Acc = $\frac{white+black}{white+black+green+pink}$

- Dendrite Acc = $\frac{white}{white+pink}$

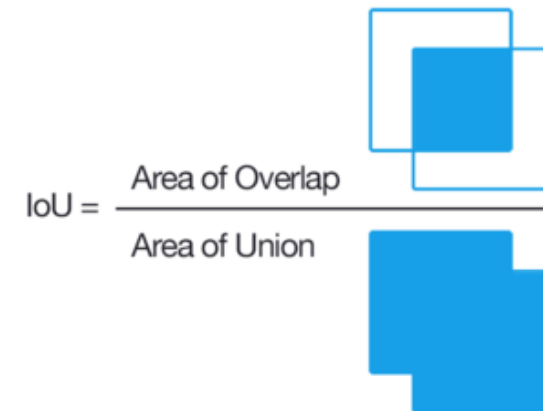
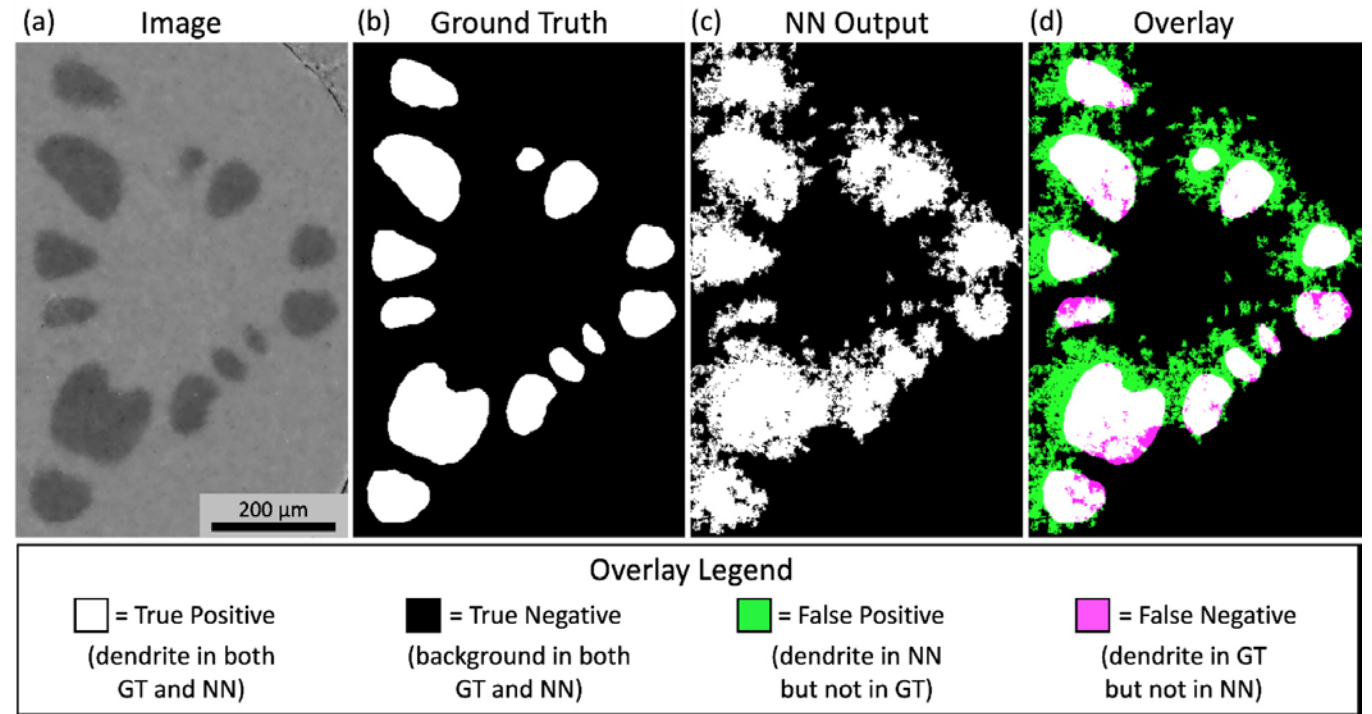
Intersection over Union (IoU)

- Size of overlap / size of union

- Dendrite IoU = $\frac{white}{white+green+pink}$

- Background IoU = $\frac{black}{black+green+pink}$

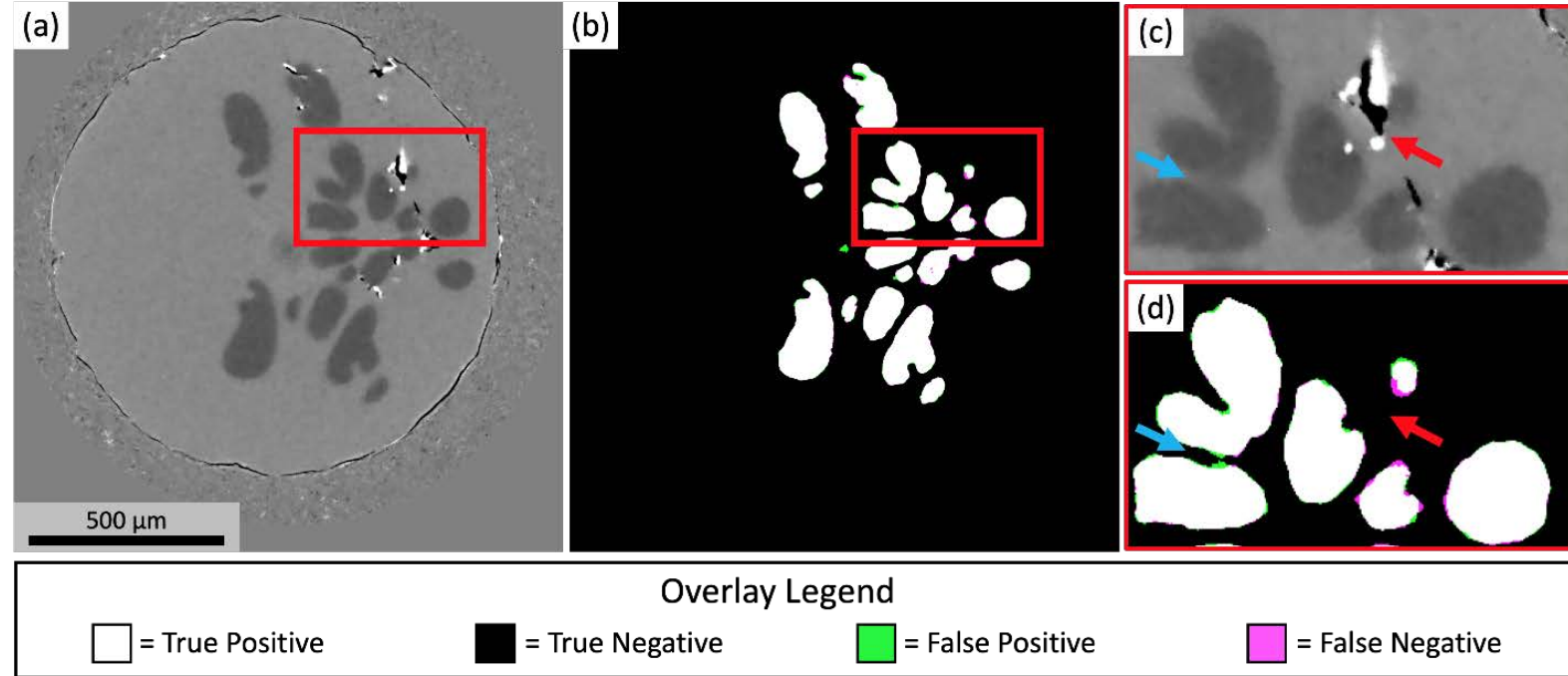
- Mean IoU = $\frac{Dendrite IoU + Background IoU}{2}$



Segmentation Metrics

Boundary F1 Score (BF1)

- Fraction of boundary in the NN segmentation that is within some specified number of pixels to a boundary in the ground truth
- Example: BF1 score of 0.981 with a tolerance of 4 means that 98.1% of the dendrite boundaries in the NN segmentation are within 4 pixels of dendrite boundaries in the ground truth
- More details: G. Csurka, D. Larlus, F. Perronnin, “What is a good evaluation measure for semantic segmentation”?



Segmentation Metrics for the Overlay in (b)

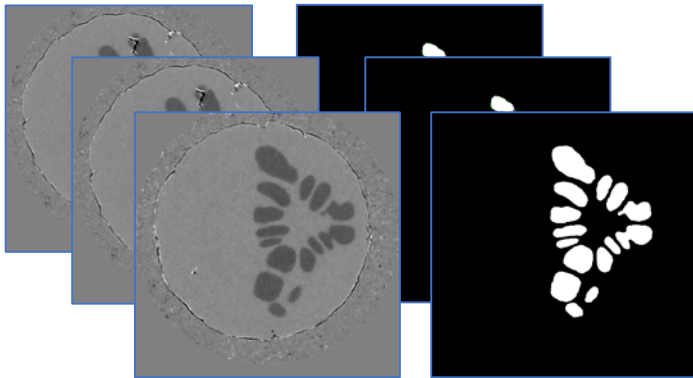
- 99.9% Acc
- 96.9% IoU for the dendrite class
- 98.1% BF1 with tolerance of 4 pixels

MatCNN

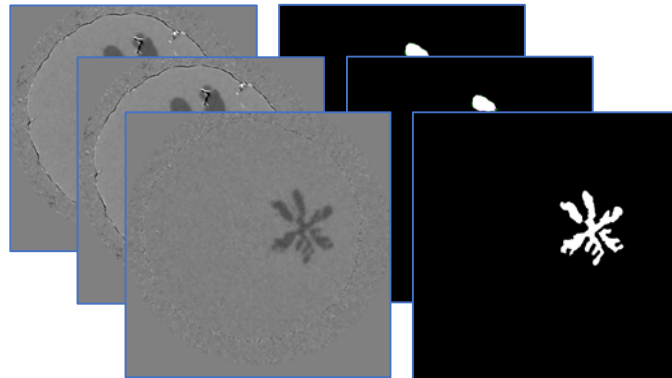
Requires ~500 MB of Google Drive storage for:

- Google Colab script (~few kbs)
- Python codes (~few MBs)
- Pre-trained CNN (~185 MB per CNN)
- 42 Image Tomography dataset (~50 MB)

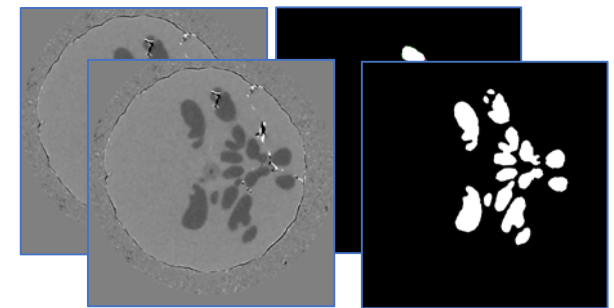
30 Training Pairs



10 Validation Pairs



2 Test Pairs



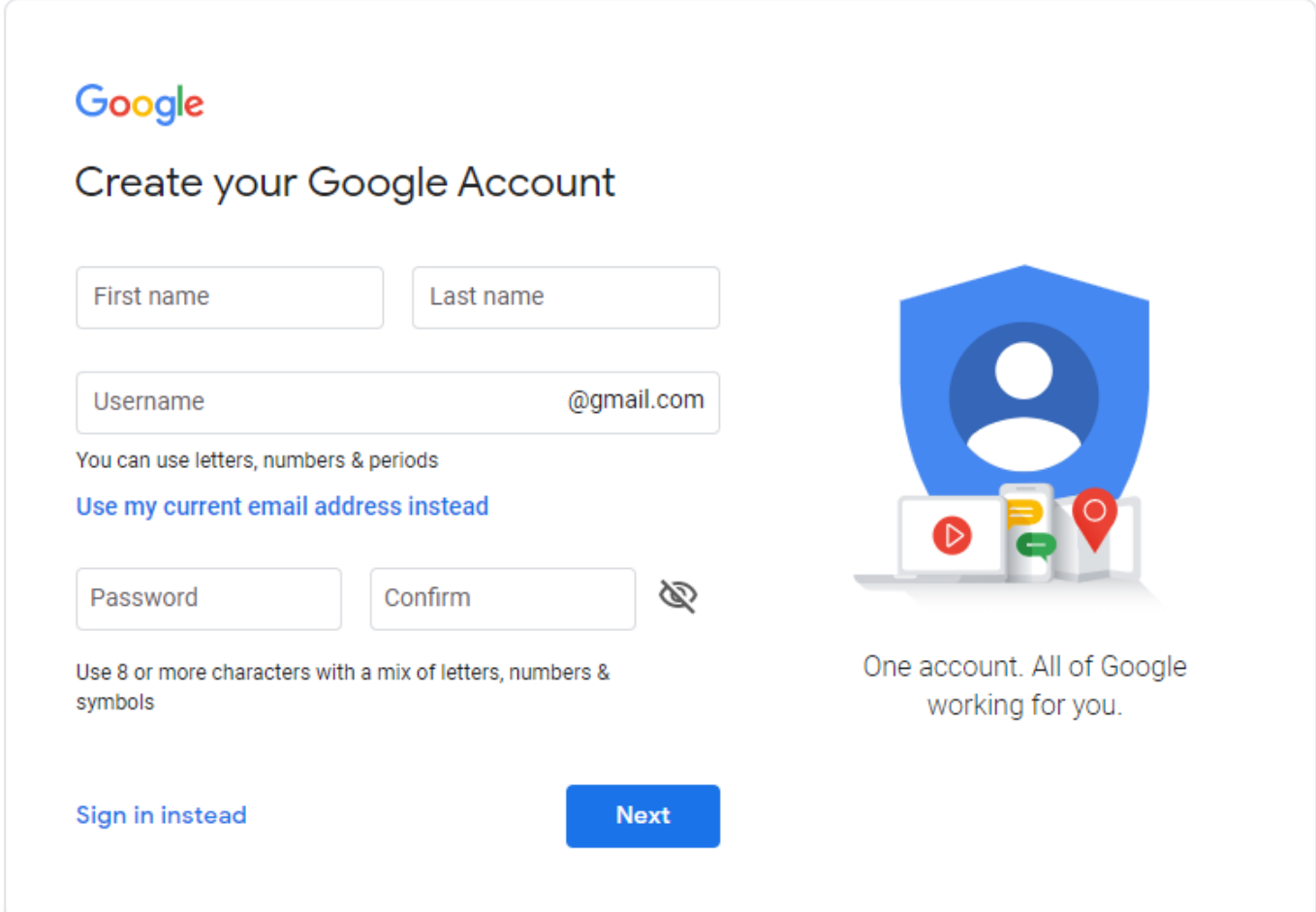
Create New Google Account?

New Google account steps:


- Chrome – New Incognito Window
- Google.com – Sign in – Create Account – For Myself
- Create username
- Create Password

When Google Account is ready, go to this link to access MatCNN:

<https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1VzV95t9y52ut3IzYwh1ir5S5mQhSBb38?usp=sharing>



The screenshot shows the Google Account creation interface. At the top is the Google logo and the heading "Create your Google Account". Below this are input fields for "First name" and "Last name", followed by a "Username" field with "@gmail.com" as a placeholder. A note states "You can use letters, numbers & periods" and a link "Use my current email address instead" is provided. Below these are "Password" and "Confirm" fields, with a "Show/Hide" icon. A note specifies "Use 8 or more characters with a mix of letters, numbers & symbols". At the bottom left is a "Sign in instead" link, and at the bottom right is a blue "Next" button.



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