

Introduction to Knowledge Distillation

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 - Machine Learning / Deep Learning
 - Knowledge Distillation



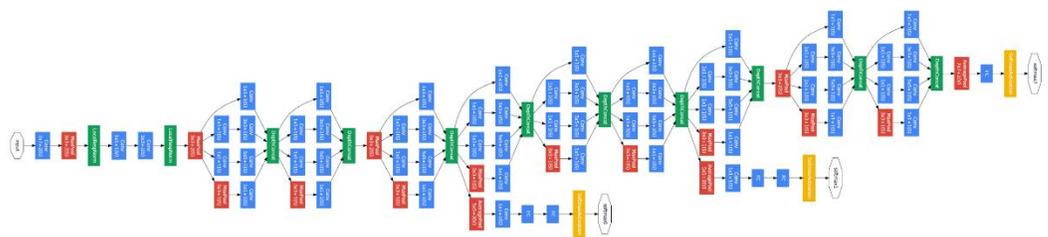
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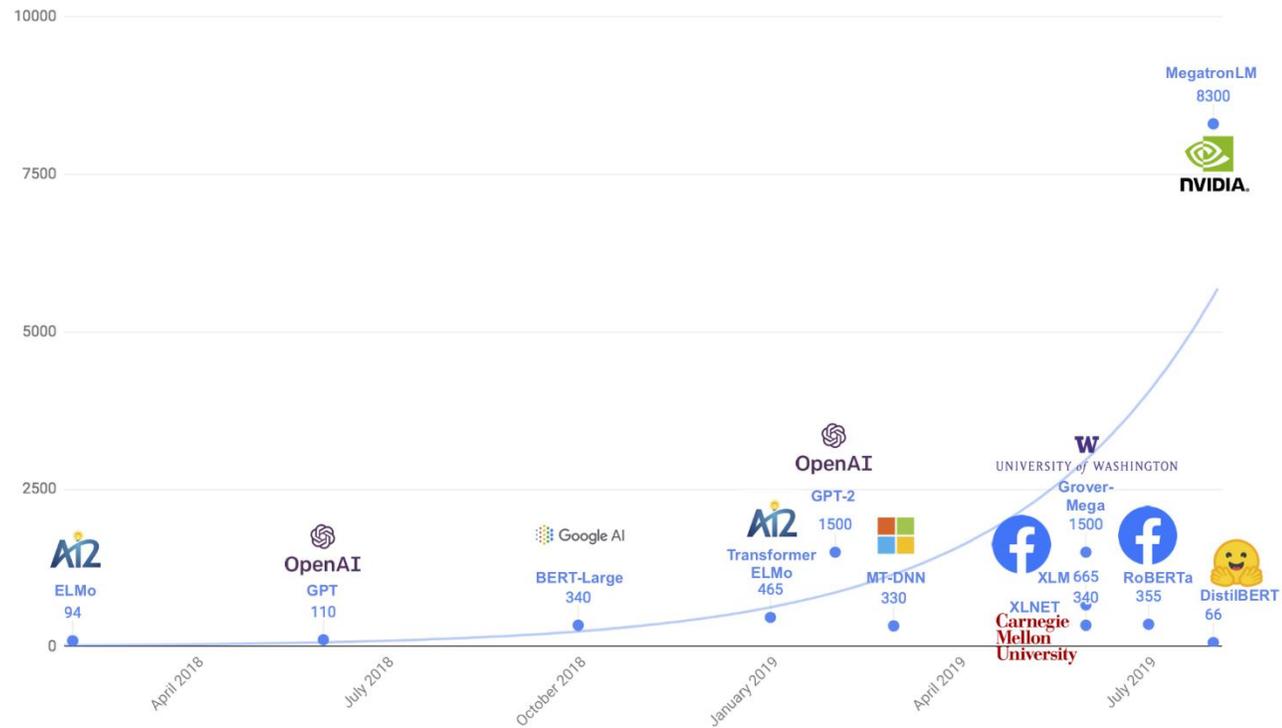


1. Introduction

등장배경



복잡한 모델 구조



파라미터수의 기하급수적 증가



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메모리 한계

추론 시간 증가

실용적 측면에서의 한계

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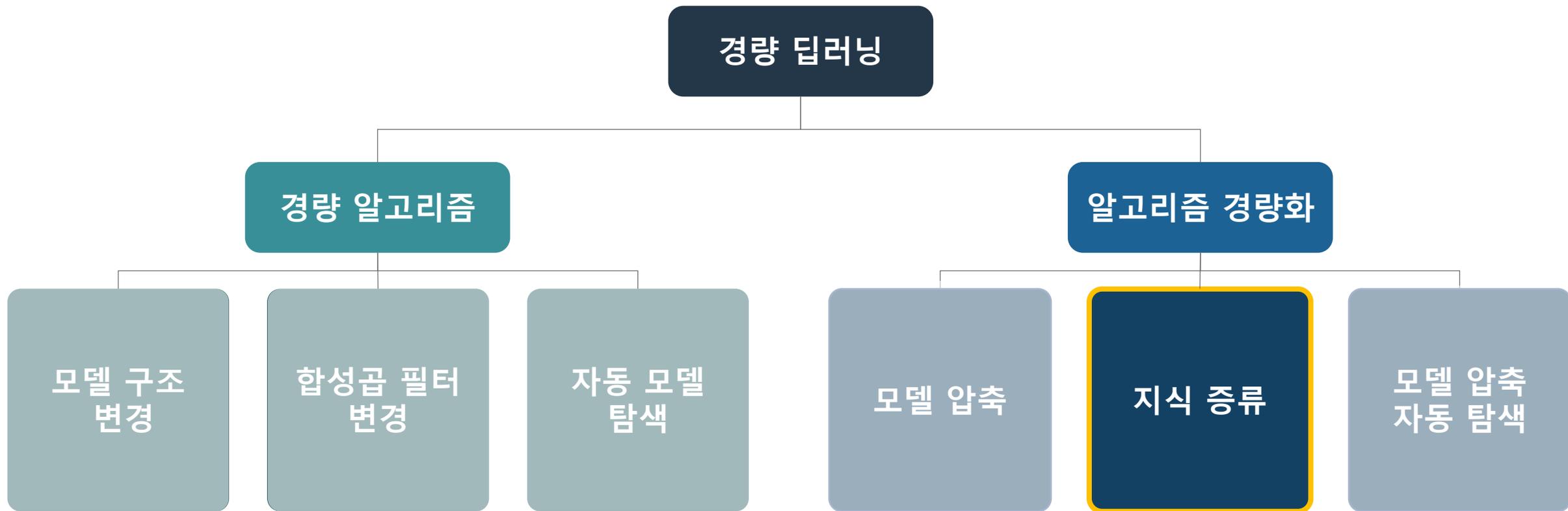
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Knowledge Distillation이란?

Teacher Model
(Big & Deep)

Knowledge

Student Model
(Small & Shallow)

Teacher 모델: 높은 예측 정확도를 가진 복잡한 모델

e.g. 정확도 : 95 %

추론 시간 : 2시간

잘 학습된 Teacher 모델의 **지식**을 전달하여
단순한 Student 모델로 비슷한 좋은 성능을 내고자 함

Student 모델: Teacher 모델의 지식을 받는 단순한 모델

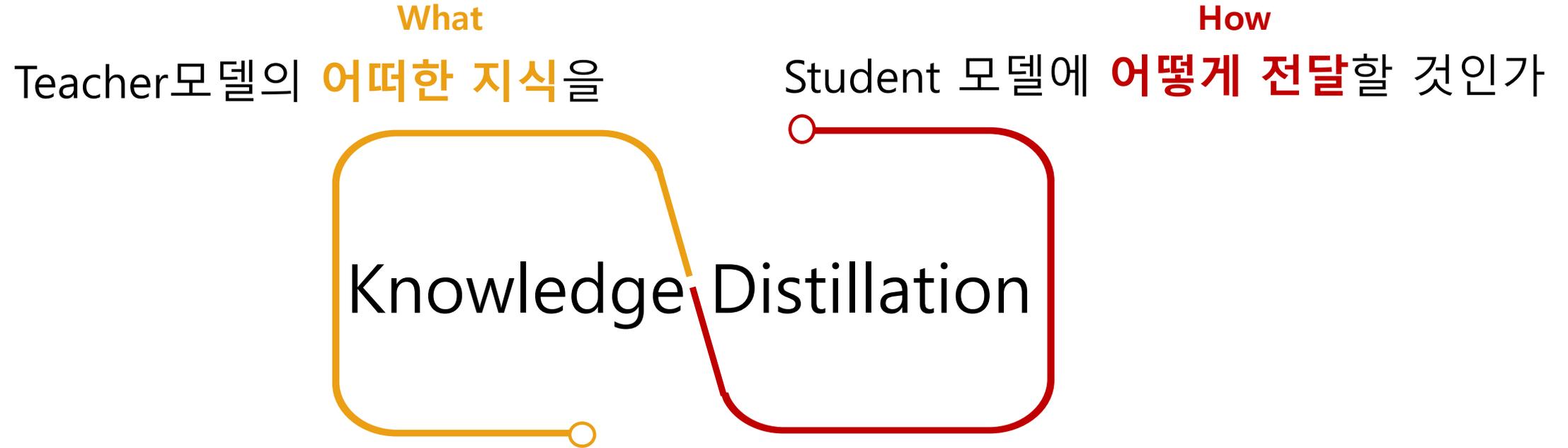
e.g. 정확도 : 90 %

추론 시간 : 5분



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Knowledge Distillation이란?



2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

Vanilla Knowledge distillation

❖ Distilling the Knowledge in a Neural Network

- 2014 Neural Information Processing Systems(NeurIPS)에서 발표된 논문
- 2020년 12월 2일 기준 4907회 인용

Distilling the Knowledge in a Neural Network

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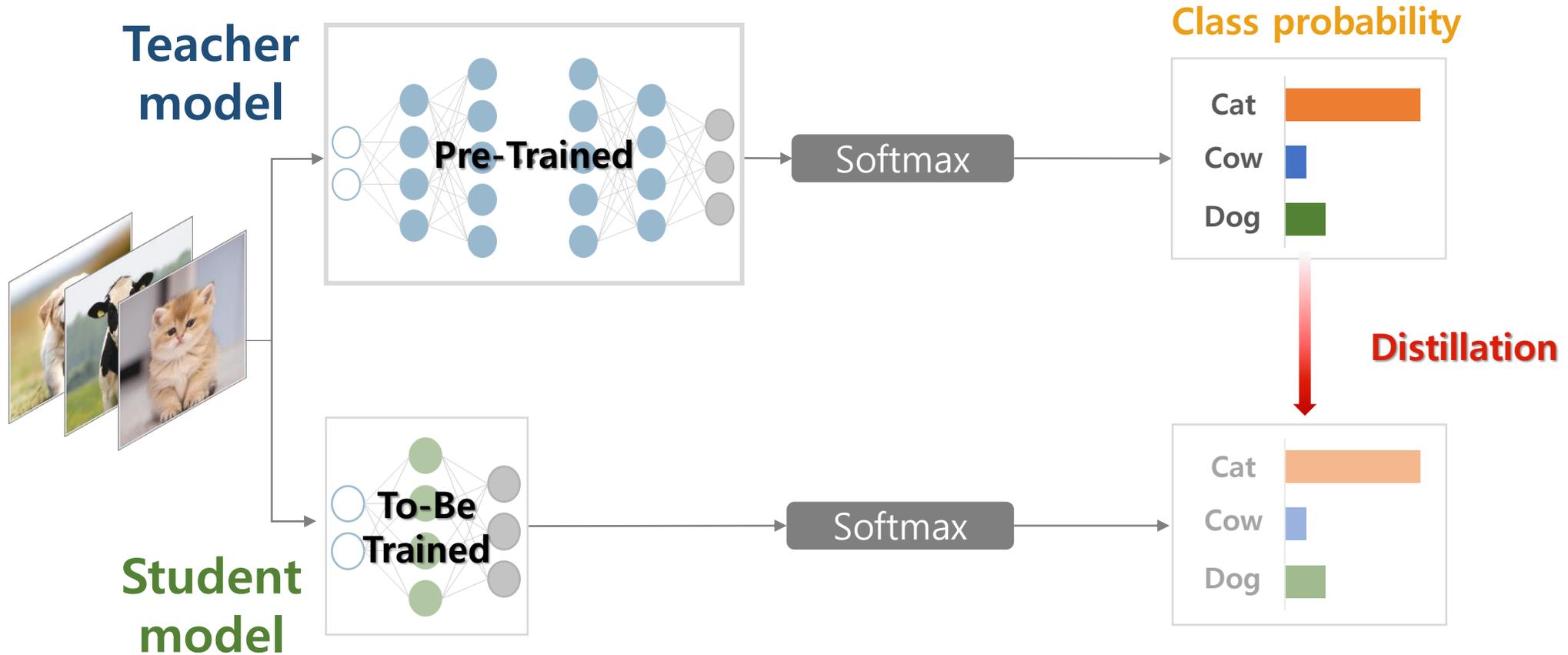
Abstract

A very simple way to improve the performance of almost any machine learning algorithm is to train many different models on the same data and then to average their predictions [3]. Unfortunately, making predictions using a whole ensemble of models is cumbersome and may be too computationally expensive to allow deployment to a large number of users, especially if the individual models are large neural nets. Caruana and his collaborators [1] have shown that it is possible to



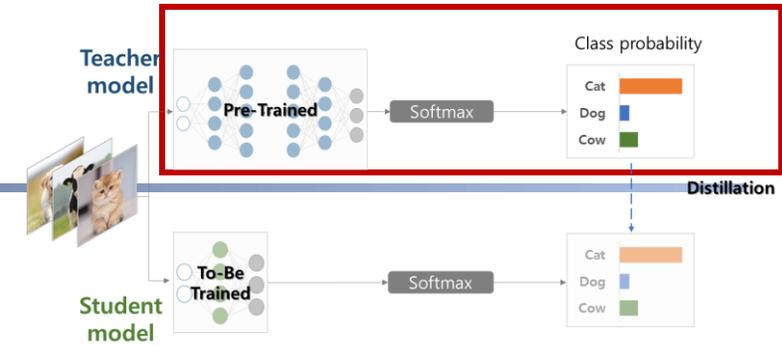
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전체 프레임워크

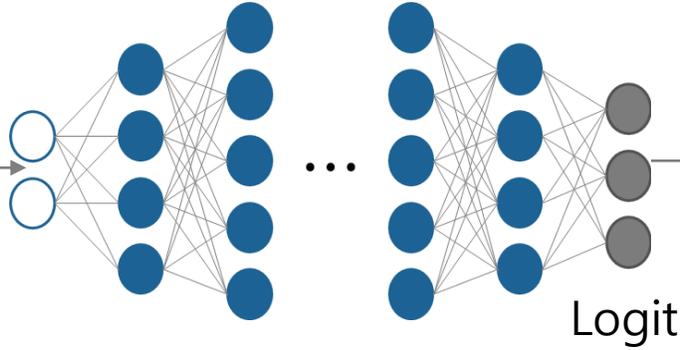


2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

Hard Target



Input



Softmax function

Class probability

Cat		0.8
Cow		0.07
Dog		0.13

Output

Cat	1
Dog	0
Cow	0

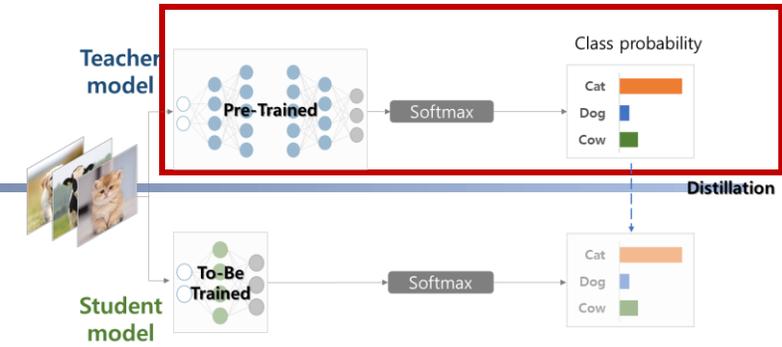
One-hot Encoding

'Hard Target'

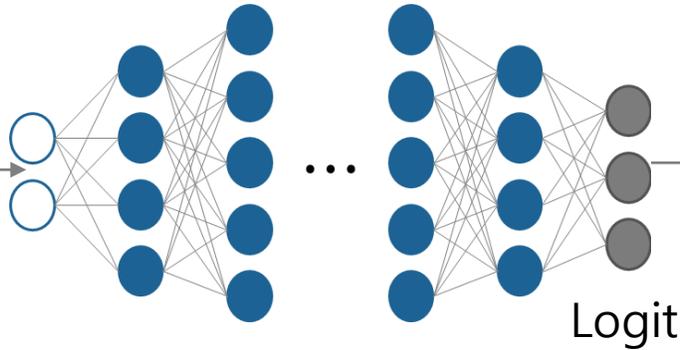
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Soft Target

Knowledge : Soft Target 사용

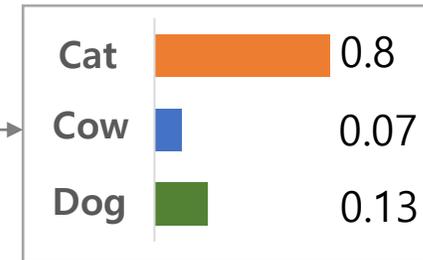


Input



Softmax function

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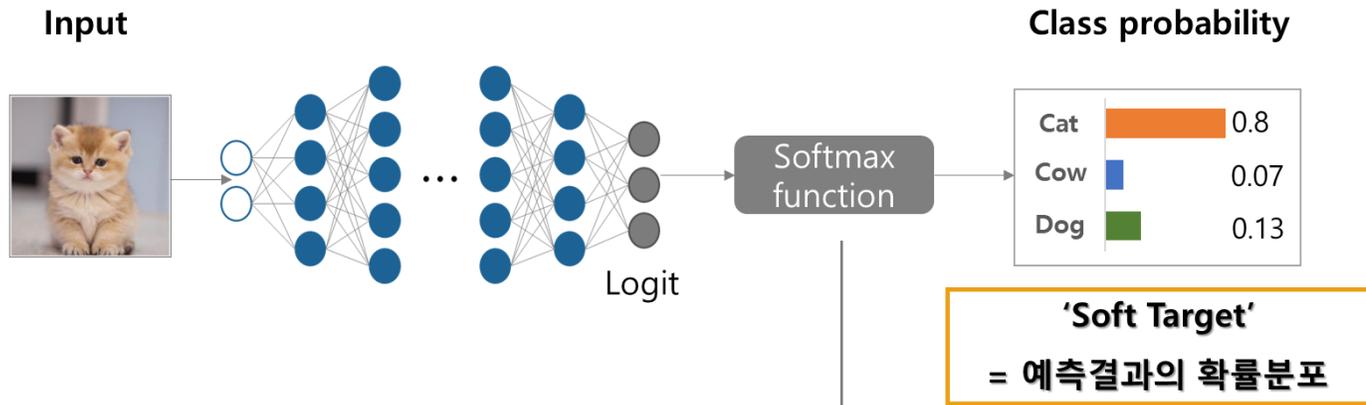


'Soft Target'
= 예측결과의 확률분포

2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

Temperature

Knowledge : Soft Target 사용



$$\text{Softmax}(z_i) = \frac{\exp(z_i)}{\sum_j \exp(z_j)}$$



$$\text{Softmax}(z_i) = \frac{\exp(z_i/\tau)}{\sum_j \exp(z_j/\tau)}$$

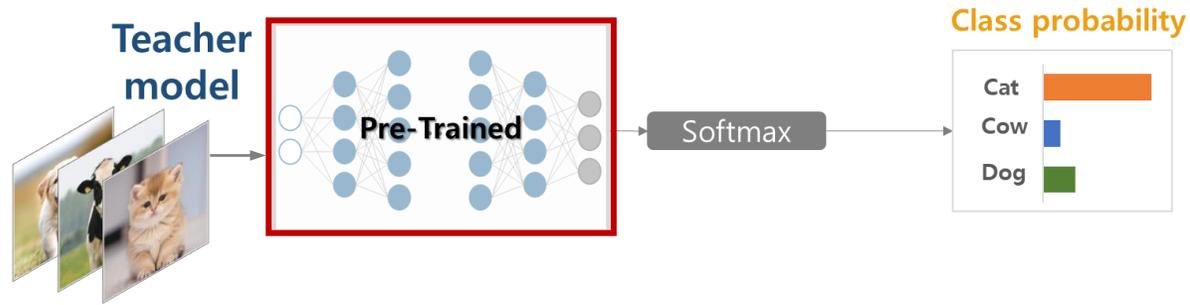
τ (Temperature): Scaling 역할의 하이퍼 파라미터

- $\tau = 1$ 일 때, 기존 softmax function과 동일
- τ 클수록, 더 soft한 확률분포

2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

지식 전달 방법

Distillation 방법 : Offline - distillation

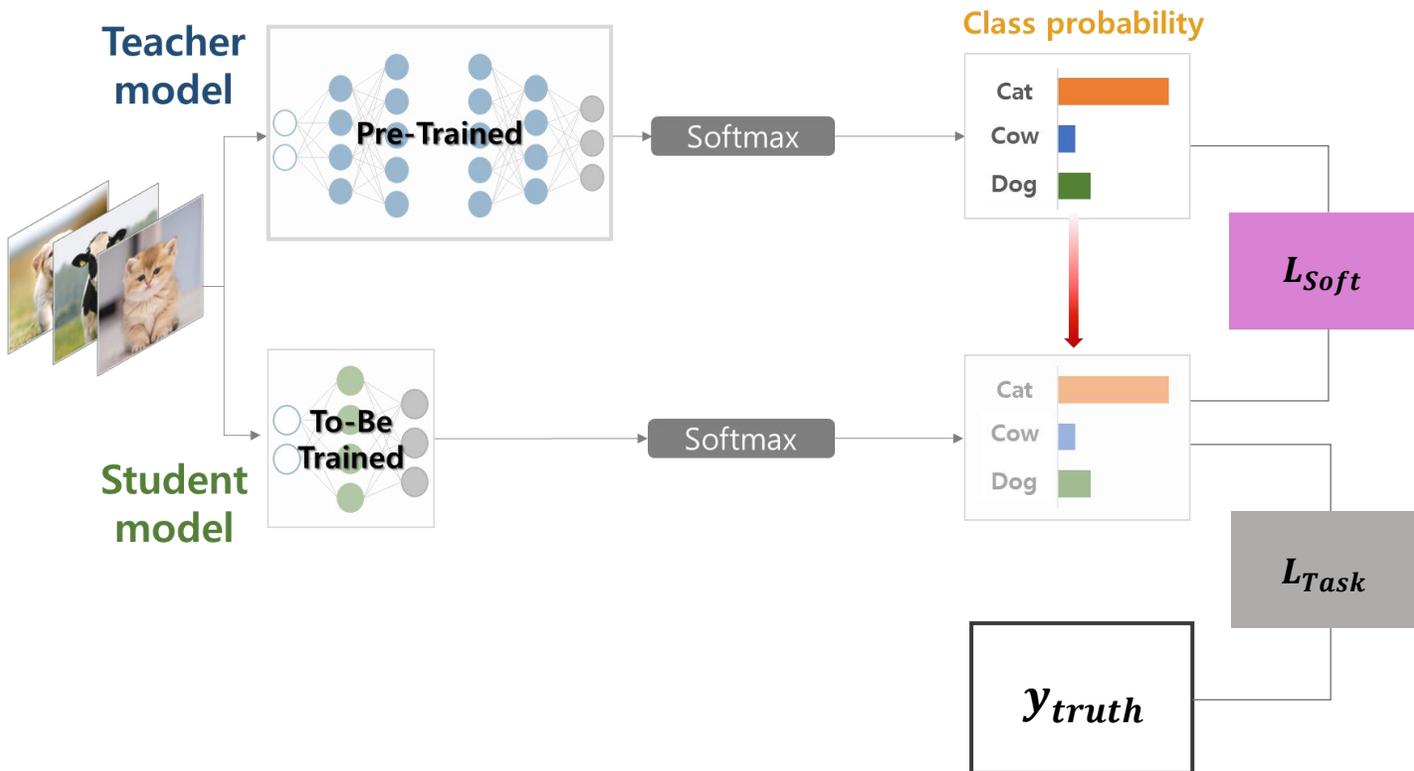


Teacher 모델을 미리 학습

2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

지식 전달 방법

Distillation 방법 : Offline - distillation



- $f_T(x_i)$: Teacher 모델의 logit 값
- $f_S(x_i)$: Student 모델의 logit 값
- τ : Scaling 역할의 하이퍼 파라미터

$$L_{Soft} = \sum_{x_i \in X} KL(\text{softmax}(\frac{f_T(x_i)}{\tau}), \text{softmax}(\frac{f_S(x_i)}{\tau}))$$

$$L_{Task} = \text{CrossEntropy}(\text{softmax}(f_S(x_i)), y_{truth})$$

$$\text{Student } L_{Total} = L_{Task} + \lambda \cdot L_{Soft}$$

2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

기본 Knowledge distillation 활용

딥러닝 라이브러리 Keras에서 함수 제공

 Keras	<input type="text" value="Search Keras documentation..."/>
About Keras	» Code examples / Computer Vision / Knowledge Distillation
Getting started	<h2>Knowledge Distillation</h2>
Developer guides	Author: Kenneth Borup
Keras API reference	Date created: 2020/09/01
Code examples	Last modified: 2020/09/01
Why choose Keras?	Description: Implementation of classical Knowledge Distillation.
Community & governance	View in Colab • GitHub source

https://keras.io/examples/vision/knowledge_distillation/



2. 기본 Knowledge Distillation

다양한 Knowledge Distillation 알고리즘

Teacher 모델의 **어떠한 지식**을

Student 모델에 **어떻게 전달**할 것인가

Knowledge Distillation

Response - Based

Feature - Based

Relation - Based

Offline - Distillation

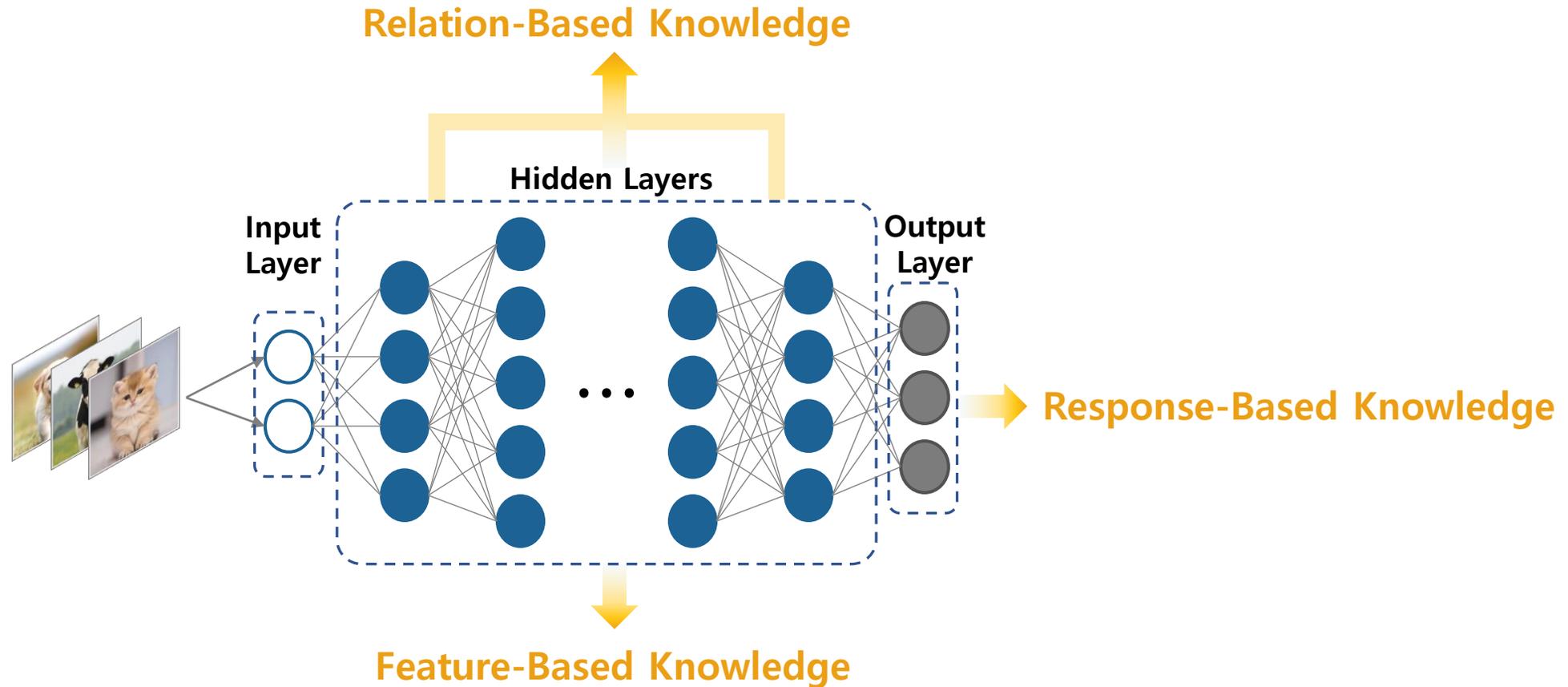
Online - Distillation

Self - Distillation

3. Knowledge 관점 연구

어떠한 지식을 넘길 것 인가

Knowledge Distillation

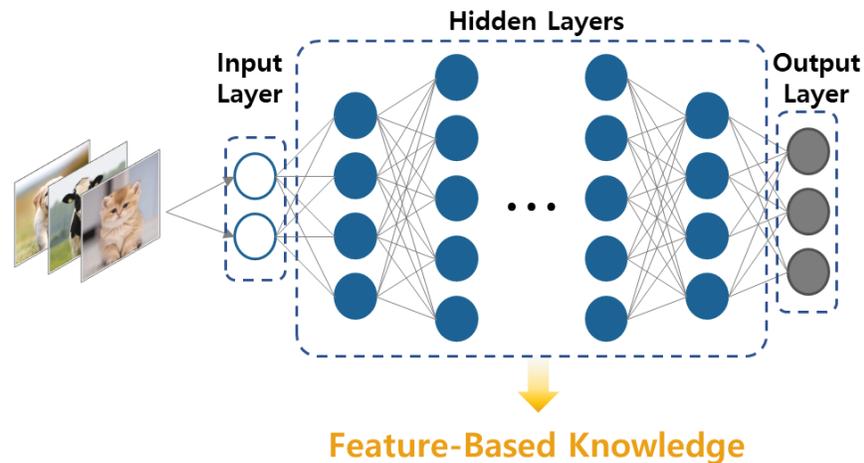


3. Knowledge 관점 연구

Feature – Based knowledge

❖ Knowledge Transfer via Distillation of Activation Boundaries Formed by Hidden Neurons

- 2019 Association for the Advancement of Artificial Intelligence(AAAI)에 발표된 논문
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Knowledge Transfer via Distillation of Activation Boundaries Formed by Hidden Neurons

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Abstract

An activation boundary for a neuron refers to a separating hyperplane that determines whether the neuron is activated or deactivated. It has been long considered in neural networks that the activations of neurons, rather than their exact output values, play the most important role in forming classification-friendly partitions of the hidden feature space. However, as far as we know, this aspect of neural networks has not been considered in the literature of knowledge transfer. In this pa-

Ecker, and Bethge 2016). The hidden layers of a neural network contains a lot of information and is suitable for knowledge transfer. However, due to the high dimensionality and non-linearity of the hidden layer neurons, it is not easy to achieve a perfect transfer.

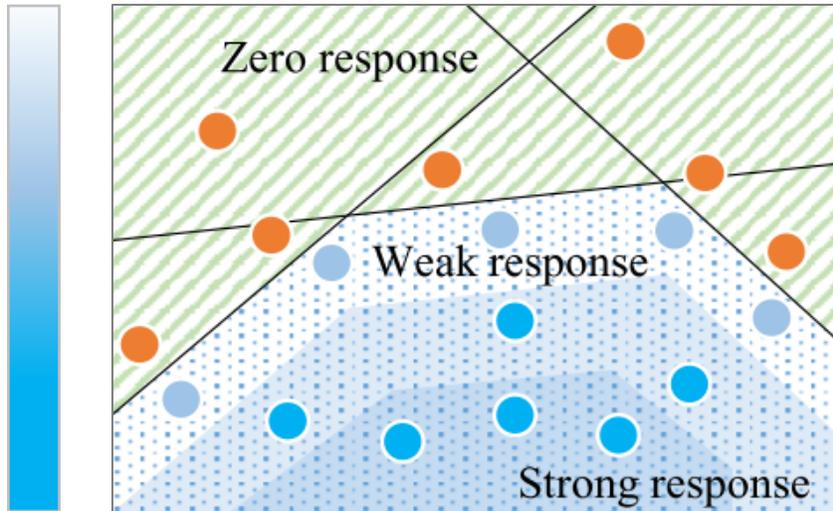
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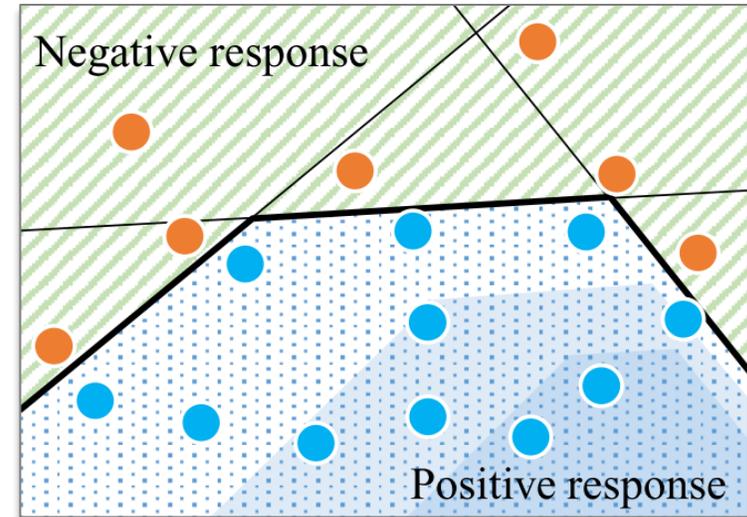
Knowledge: Teacher 모델의 Activation boundary

기존 방법



Magnitude : 해당 클래스에 속하는 정도

제안 방법



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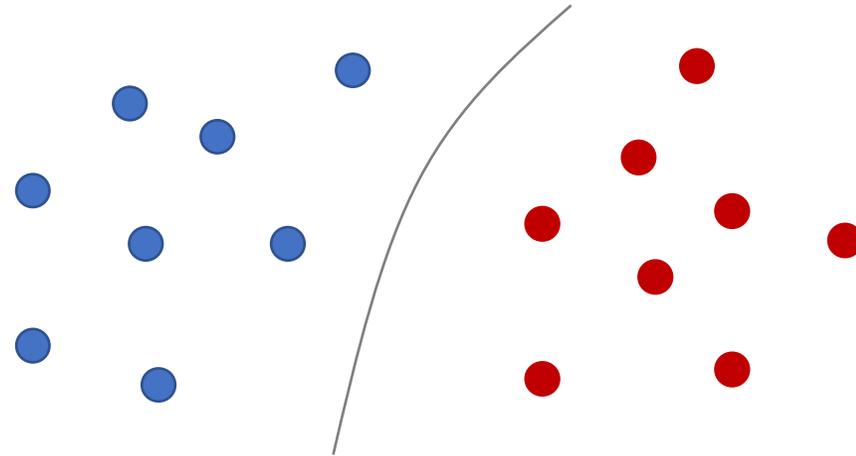
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❖ Activation boundary를 가져오는 이유

좋은 Decision boundary



좋은 일반화 성능



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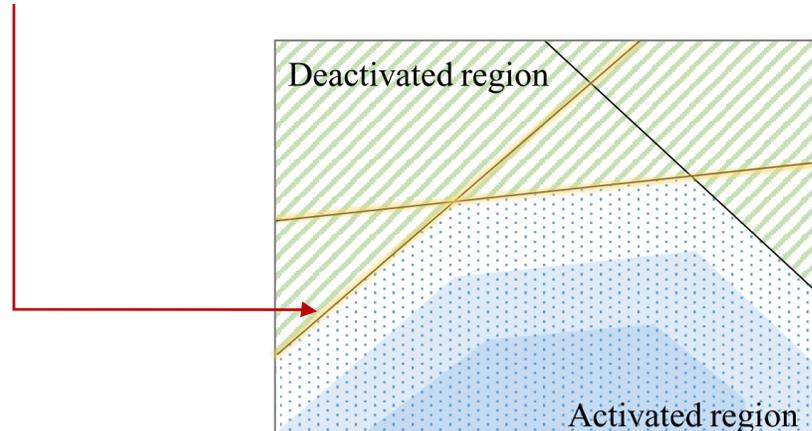
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각 Hidden layer의
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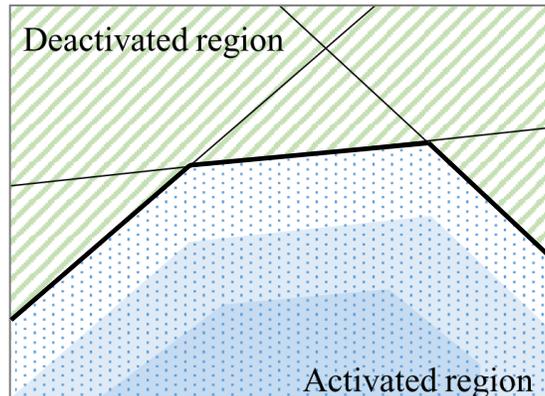
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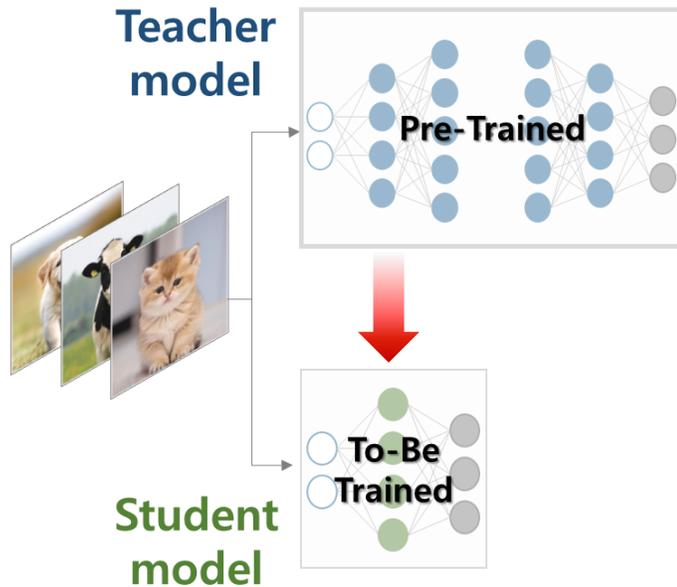
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목표: Teacher와 Student의 Activation Boundary만 같아지도록 학습

$$\rho(x) = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } x > 0 \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- $\mathbf{1}$: 모든 성분이 1로 구성된 벡터
- \odot : element-wise 곱
- $T(x_i)$: Teacher 모델의 히든 레이어의 반응벡터
- $S(x_i)$: Student 모델의 히든 레이어의 반응벡터
- μ : 분류경계면의 margin



$$L_{activation} = \|\rho(T(x_i)) - \rho(S(x_i))\|_1$$

미분 불가능

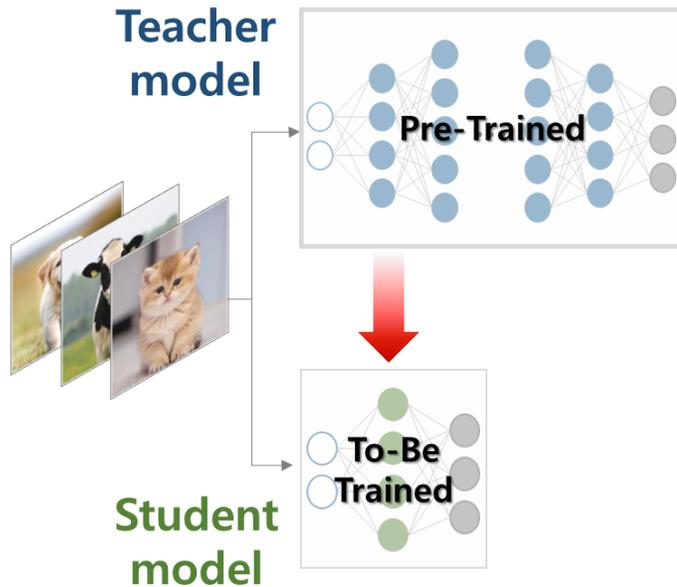
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$$L_{activation} = \left\| \rho(T(x_i)) \odot \sigma(\mu \mathbf{1} - S(x_i)) + (\mathbf{1} - \rho(T(x_i))) \odot \sigma(\mu \mathbf{1} + S(x_i)) \right\|_2^2$$

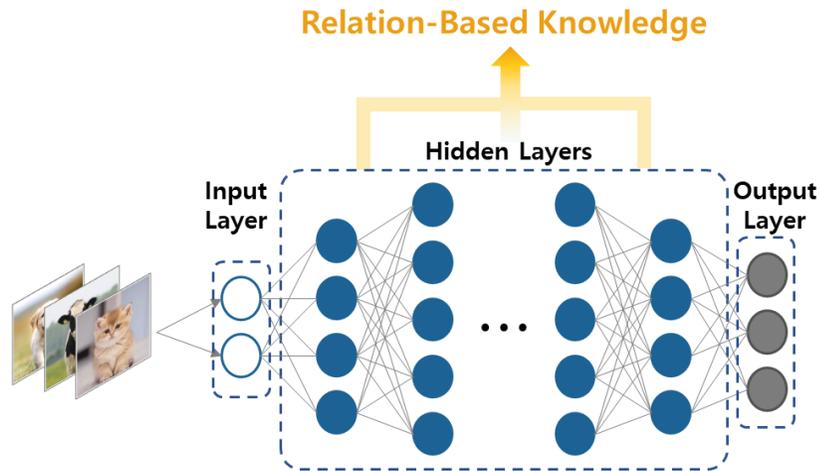
미분 가능

3. Knowledge 관점 연구

Relation – Based knowledge

❖ Relational Knowledge Distillation

- 2019 Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR)에 발표된 논문
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Relational Knowledge Distillation

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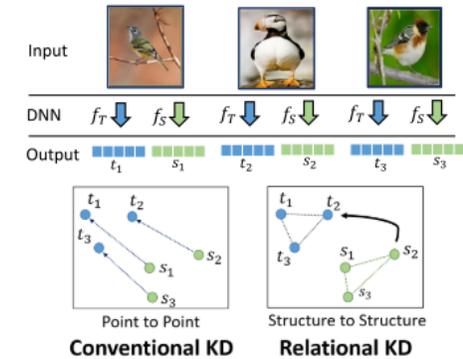
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Microsoft Research

Minsu Cho
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<http://cvlab.postech.ac.kr/research/RKD/>

Abstract

Knowledge distillation aims at transferring knowledge acquired in one model (a teacher) to another model (a student) that is typically smaller. Previous approaches can be expressed as a form of training the student to mimic output activations of individual data examples represented by the teacher. We introduce a novel approach, dubbed relational knowledge distillation (RKD), that transfers mutual relations of data examples instead. For concrete realizations of RKD, we propose distance-wise and angle-wise distillation losses that penalize structural differences in relations. Experiments conducted on different tasks show that the proposed method improves educated student models with a sig-

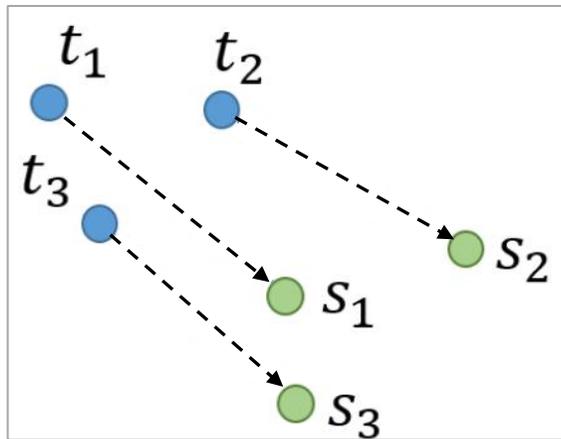


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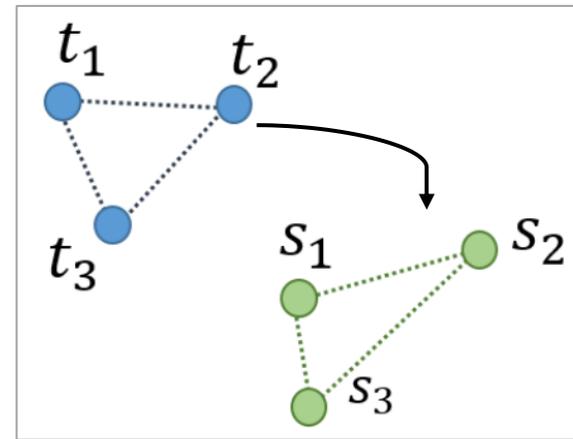
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기존 방법



Individual wise

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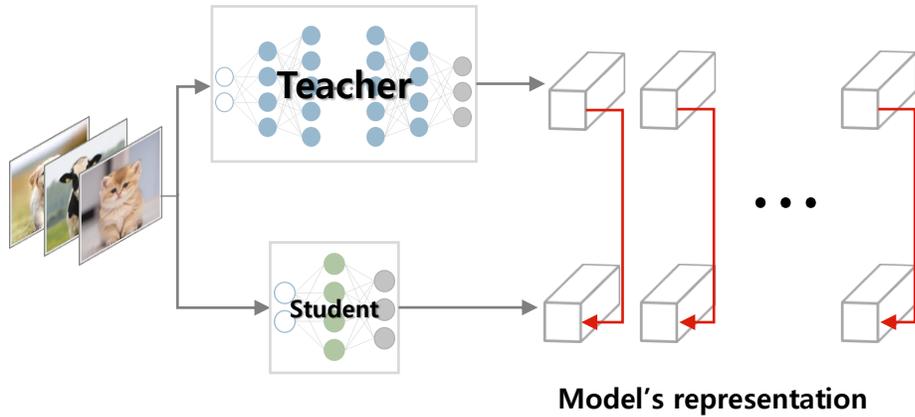
Structure wise

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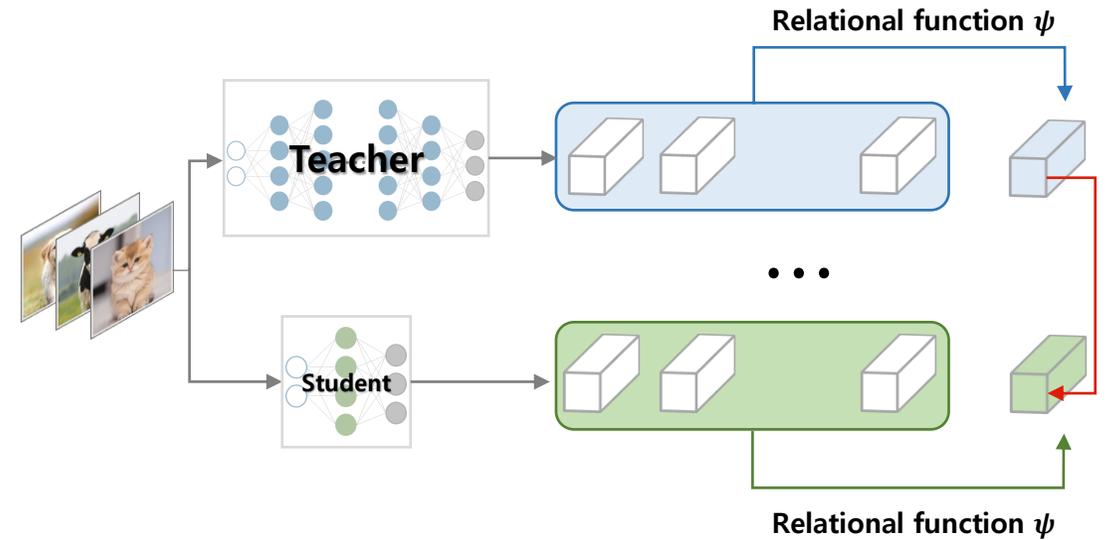
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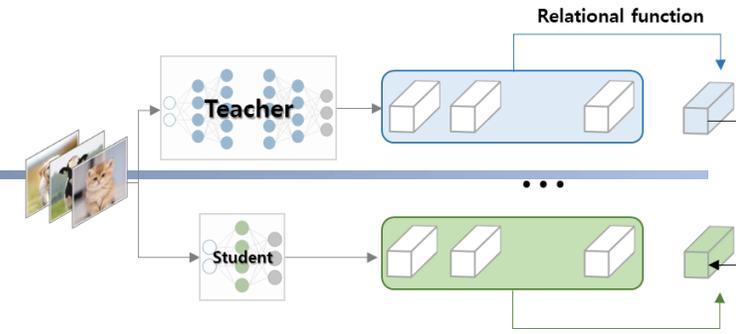


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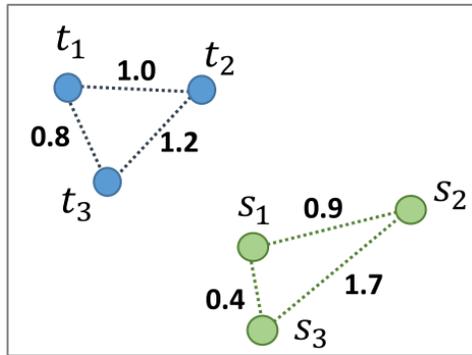
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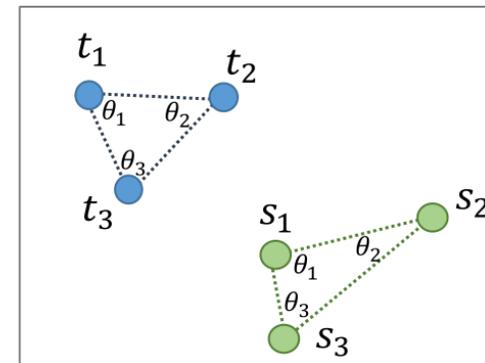
Distance-wise Relational function



$$\psi_D(t_i, t_j) = \frac{1}{\mu} \|t_i - t_j\|_2$$

$$\mu = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{X}^2|} \sum_{(x_i, x_j) \in \mathcal{X}^2} \|t_i - t_j\|_2$$

Angel-wise Relational function



$$\psi_A(t_i, t_j, t_k) = \cos \angle t_i t_j t_k = \langle e^{ij}, e^{kj} \rangle$$

where $e^{ij} = \frac{t_i - t_j}{\|t_i - t_j\|_2}$, $e^{kj} = \frac{t_k - t_j}{\|t_k - t_j\|_2}$

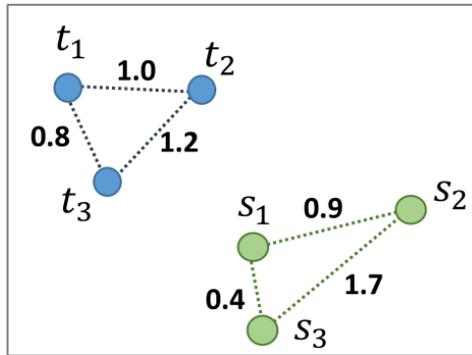
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$$Huber\ loss(x, y) = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}(x - y)^2 & \text{for } |x - y| \leq 1 \\ |x - y| - \frac{1}{2} & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Distance-wise Relational function

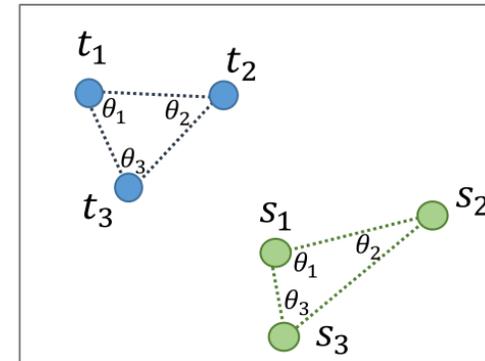


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$$L_{RKD-D} = \sum_{(x_i, x_j) \in \mathcal{X}^2} Huber\ loss(\psi_D(t_i, t_j), \psi_S(s_i, s_j))$$

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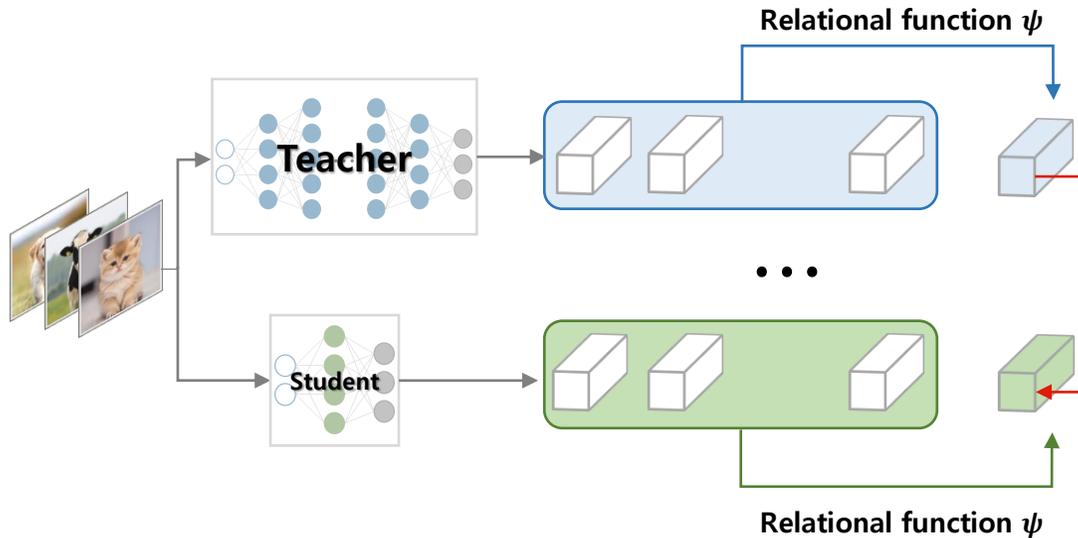
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$$L_{RKD-D} = \sum_{(x_i, x_j) \in \mathcal{X}^2} \text{Huber loss}(\psi_D(t_i, t_j), \psi_S(s_i, s_j))$$

or

$$L_{RKD-A} = \sum_{(x_i, x_j, x_k) \in \mathcal{X}^2} \text{Huber loss}(\psi_A(t_i, t_j, t_k), \psi_A(s_i, s_j, s_k))$$

$$L_{Task} = \text{CrossEntropy}(\text{softmax}(f_s(x_i)), y_{truth})$$

$$\text{Student } L_{Total} = L_{Task} + \lambda \cdot L_{RKD}$$

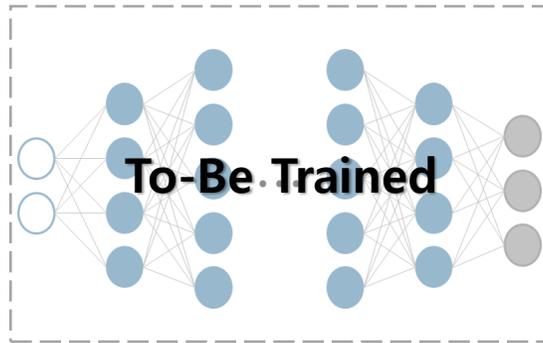
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어떻게 지식을 넘길 것인가

Knowledge **Distillation**



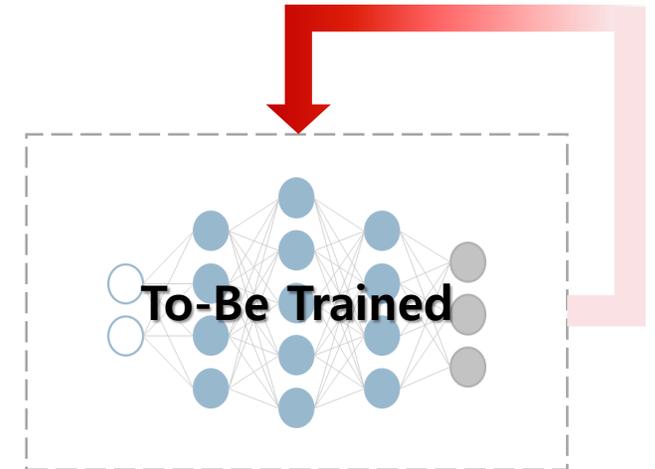
Offline distillation



Online distillation



Self distillation

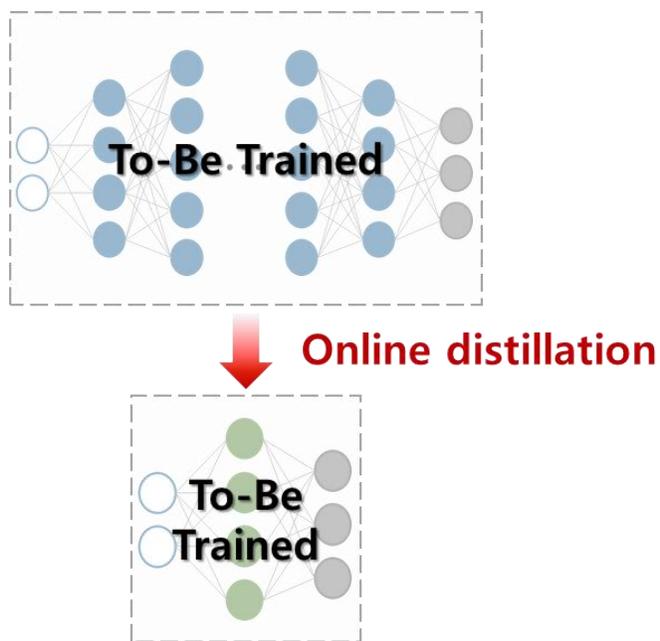


4. Distillation 관점 연구

Online – distillation

❖ Large scale distributed neural network training through online distillation

- 2018년 International Conference on Learning Representations(ICLR)에서 발표된 논문
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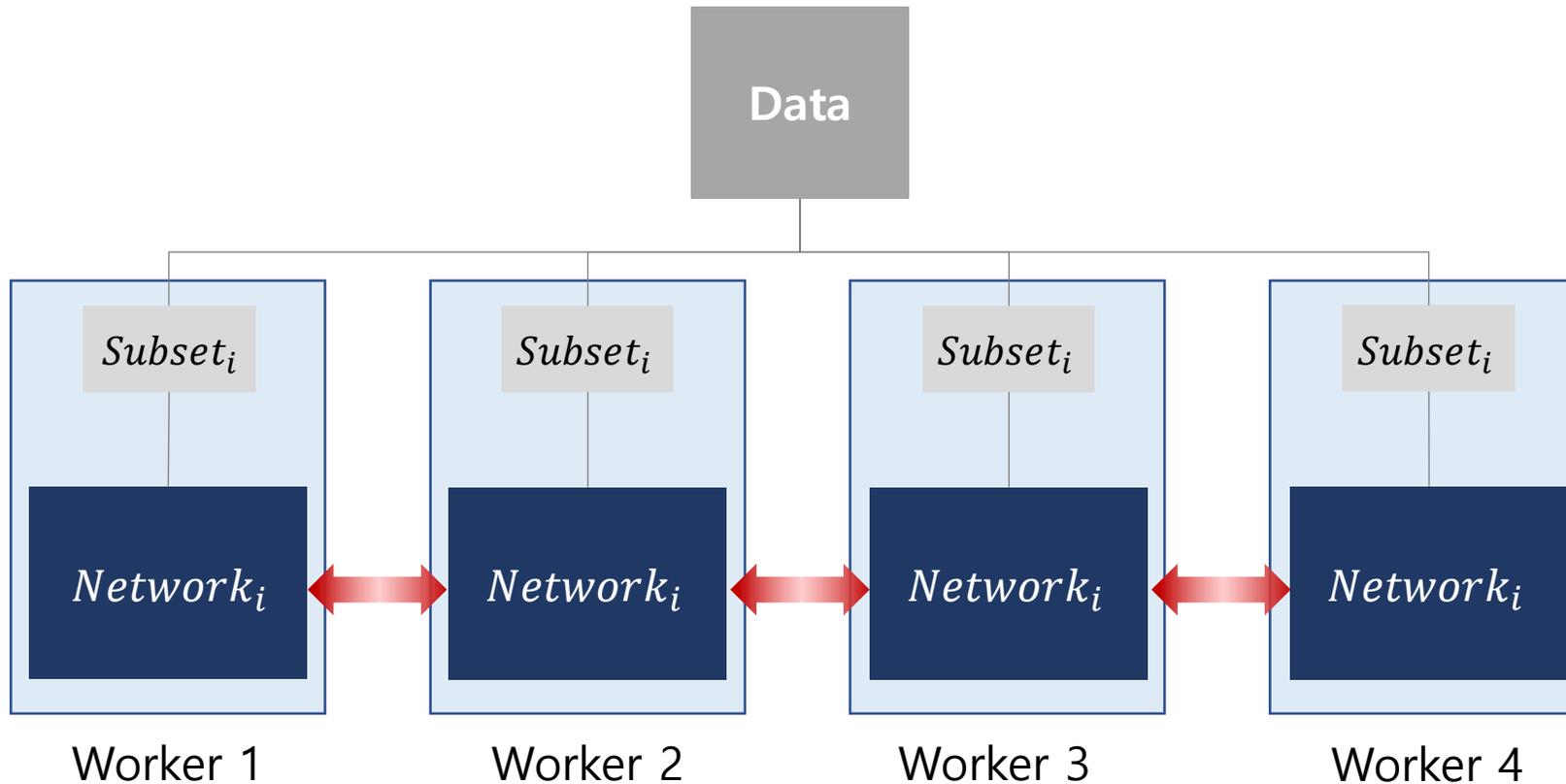
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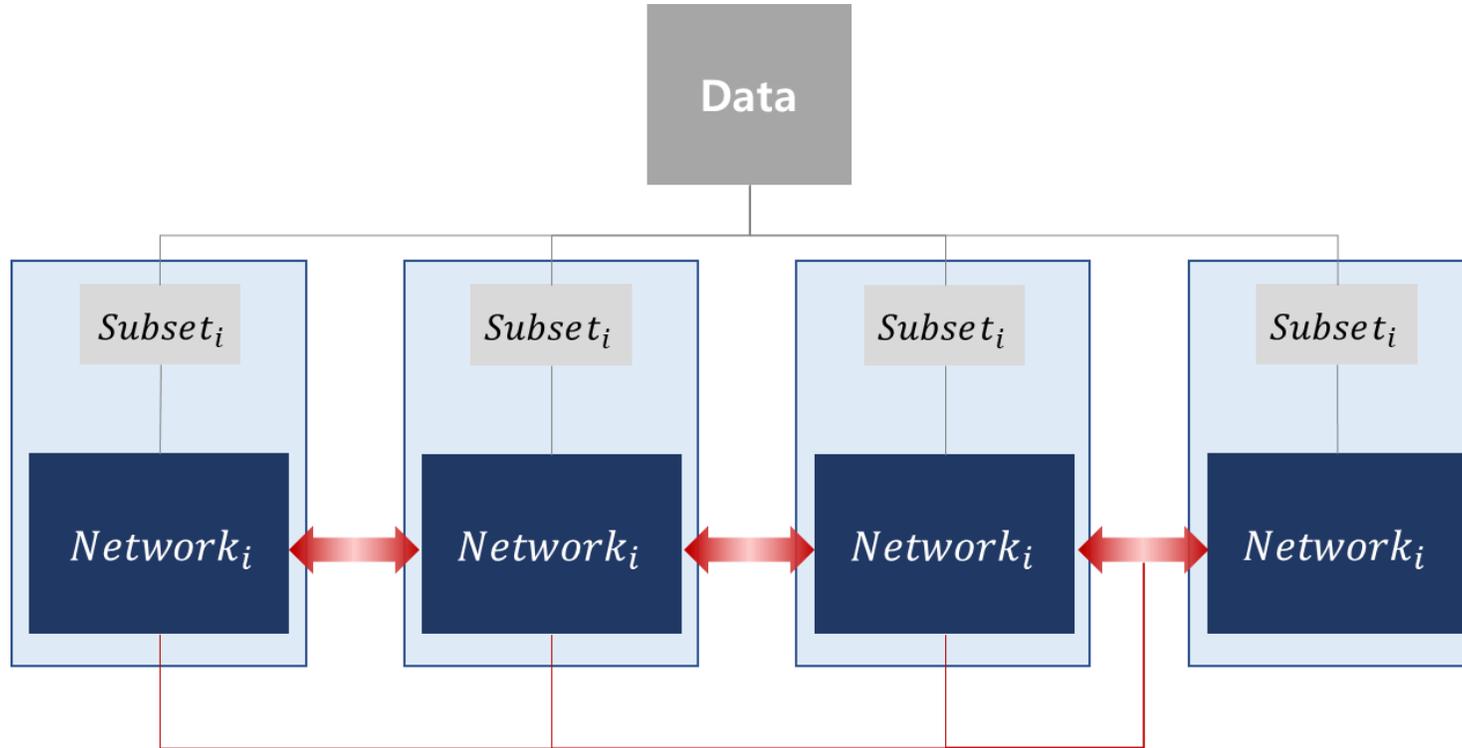
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for n steps do

for θ_i in model – set do

$y_{truth}, x = \text{get_train_example}()$

$\theta_i = \theta_i - \eta \nabla_{\theta_i} \{ \phi(y_{truth}, F(\theta_i, x)) \}$

end for

end for

while not converged do

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- $\phi(\text{label}, \text{prediction})$: Task에 대한 loss term
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- $F(\theta_i, x)$: i번째 모델에 대한 soft target
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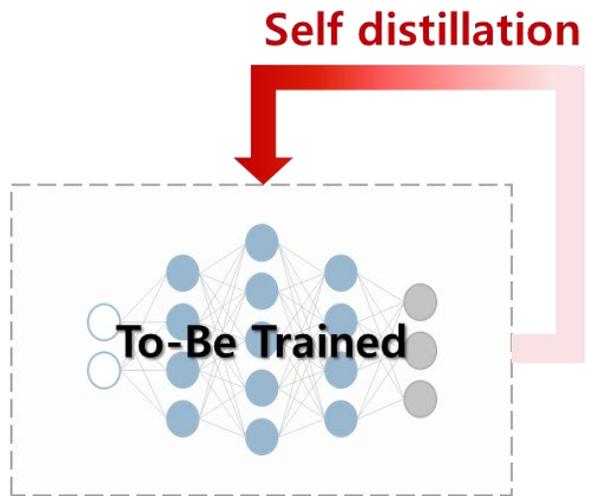
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Abstract

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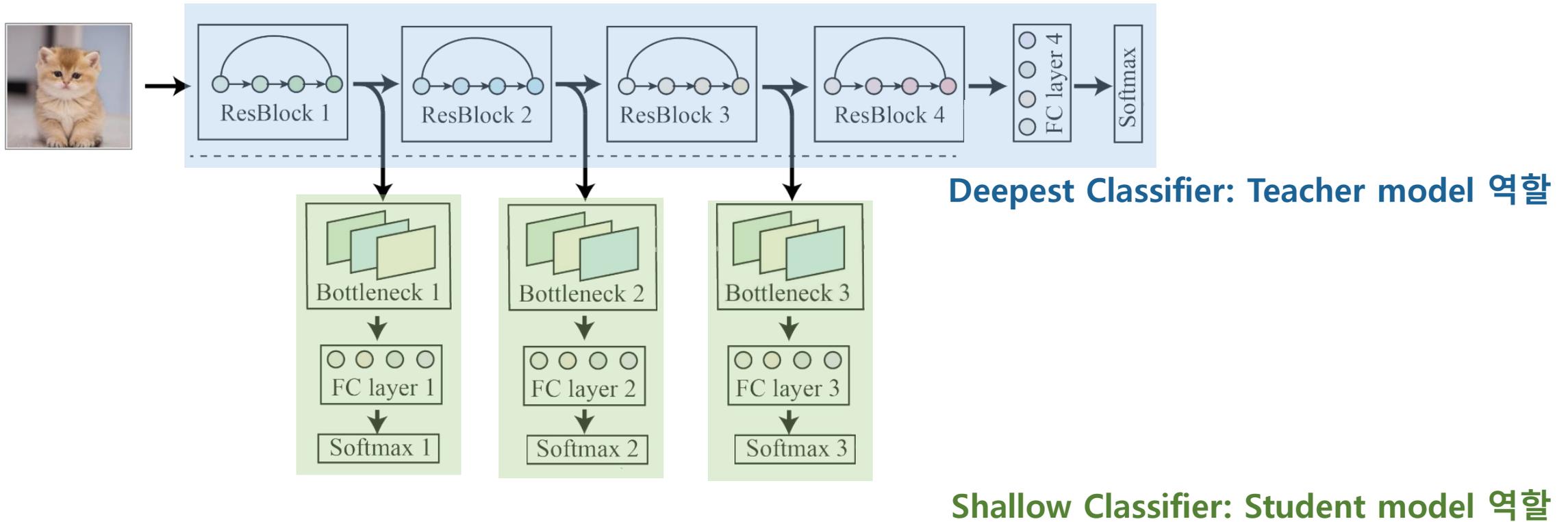
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With the help of convolutional neural networks, applications such as image classification [22, 34], object detection [28], and semantic segmentation [7, 40] are developing at an unprecedented speed nowadays. Yet, in some ap-

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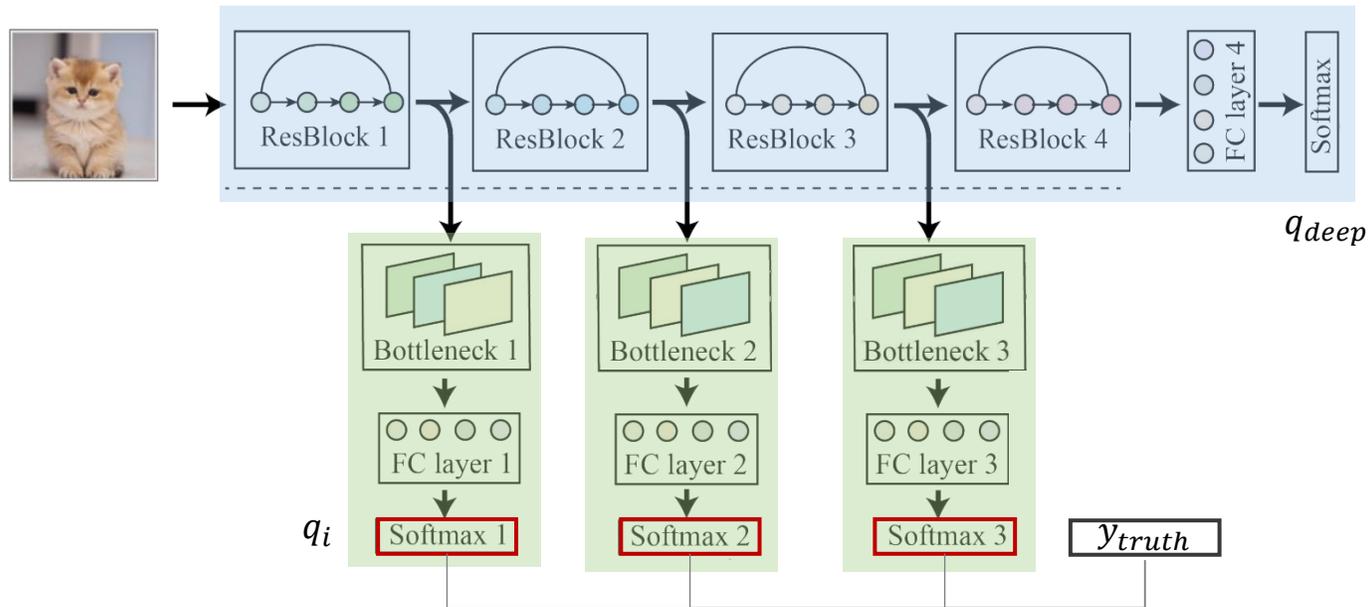
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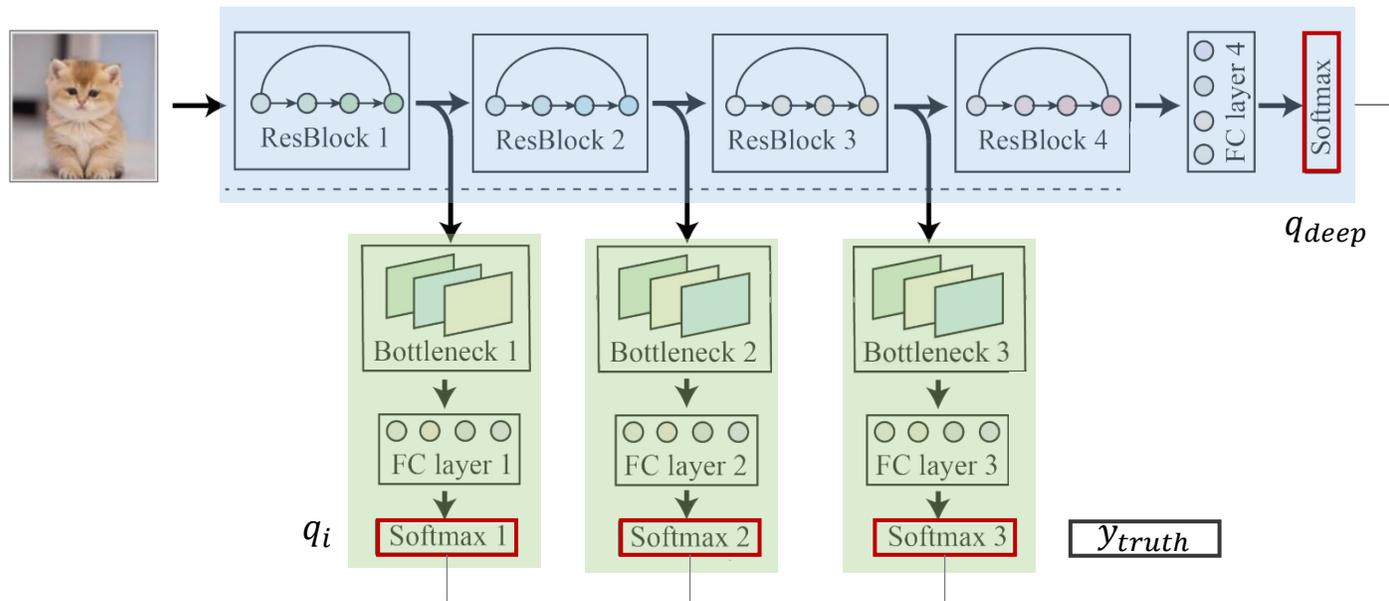
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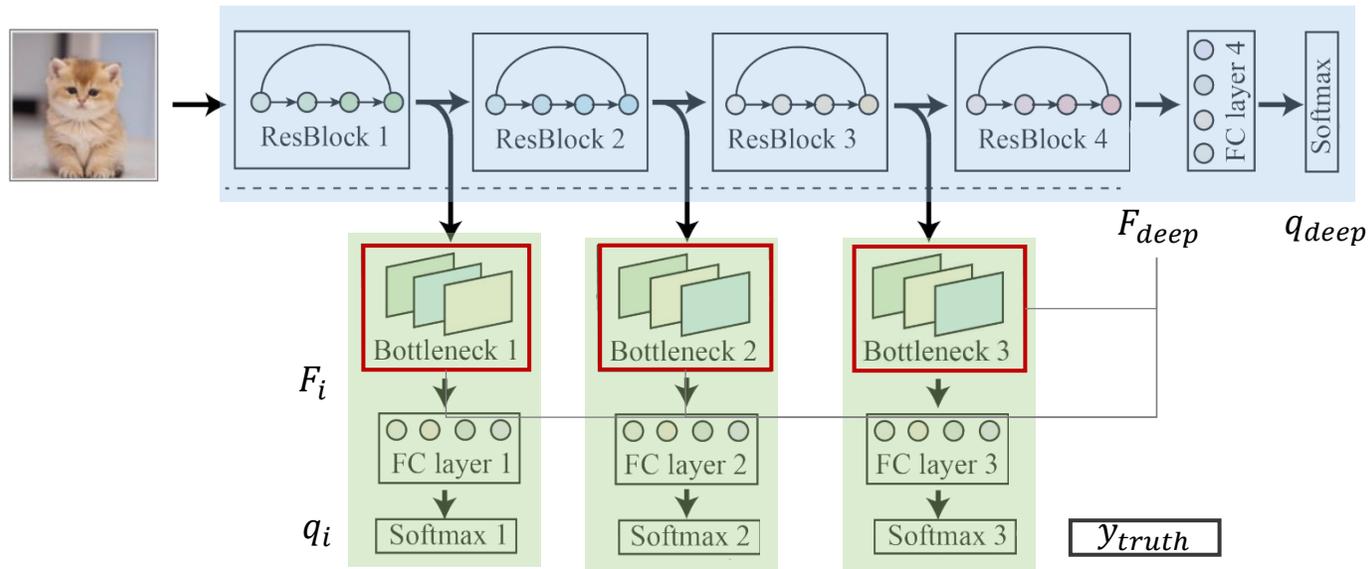
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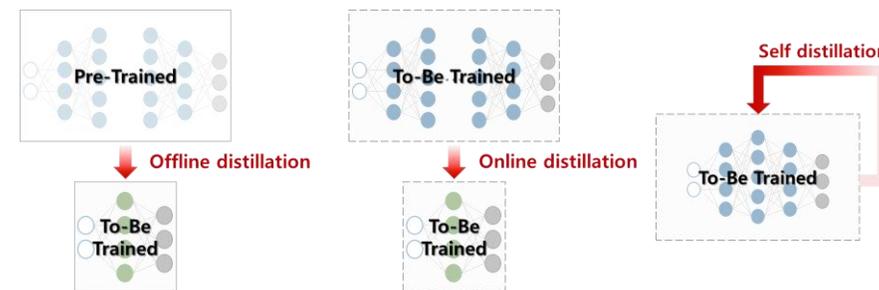
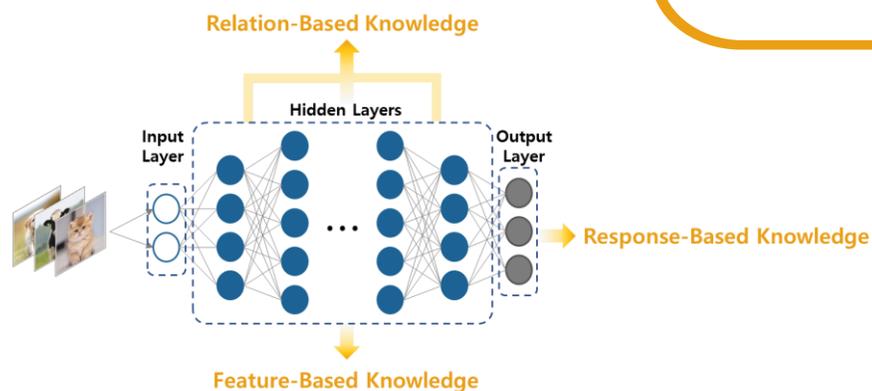
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다양한 Knowledge Distillation 알고리즘

Teacher 모델의 **어떠한 지식**을

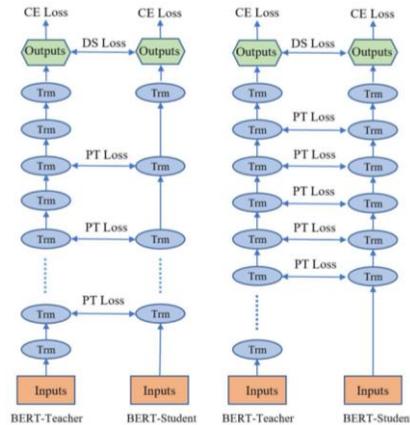
Student 모델에 **어떻게 전달**할 것인가

Knowledge Distillation

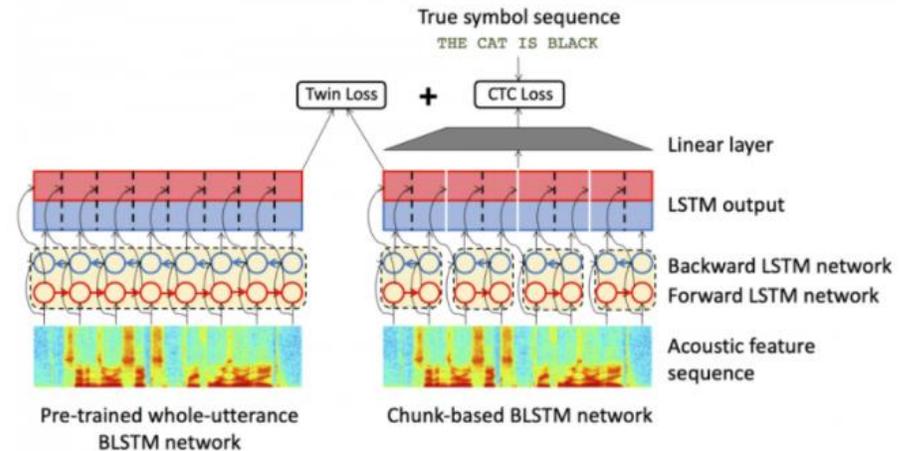


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- 더 빠르고 가벼운 딥러닝 모델을 가능하게 하는 Knowledge Distillation 분야의 연구가 활발하게 진행 중
- 기존 딥러닝 알고리즘에서 아이디어를 차용하여 변형되는 추세
- 기존 연구들은 대부분 이미지 데이터 기준으로 진행, 최근 음성인식 분야 및 NLP 분야의 모델에도 적용됨
- 시계열 데이터에 적합한 Knowledge distillation 기법 연구 계획



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