

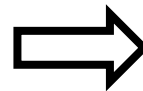
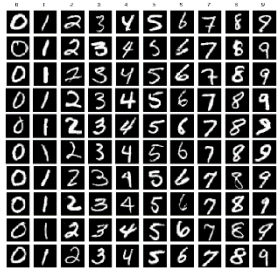
# RSAC: Regularized Subspace Approximation Classifier for Lightweight Continuous Learning

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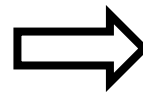
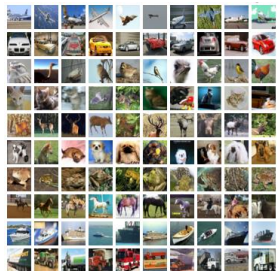
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# Supervised Learning

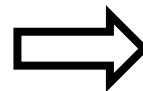
- Supervised learning achieves great success
- All tasks are assigned at once
- Entire labeled dataset is provided to deep network



Mnist



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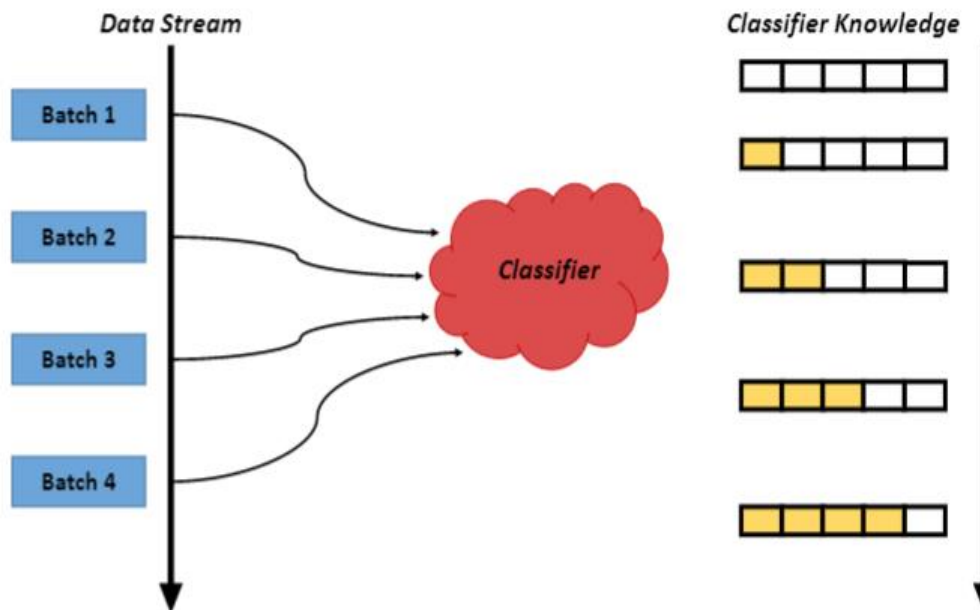


COCO Dataset

# Continuous Learning

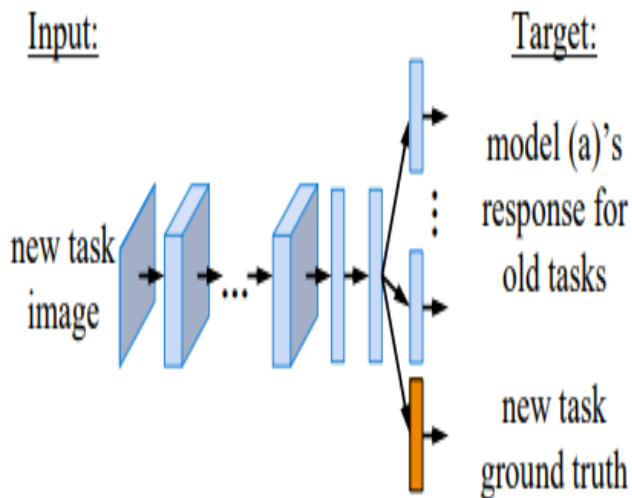
- Human grow their knowledge continually
- Deep network imitates human to continually learning

➔ Catastrophic forgetting

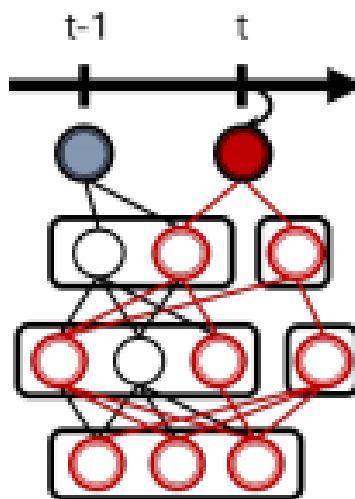


# Continuous Learning

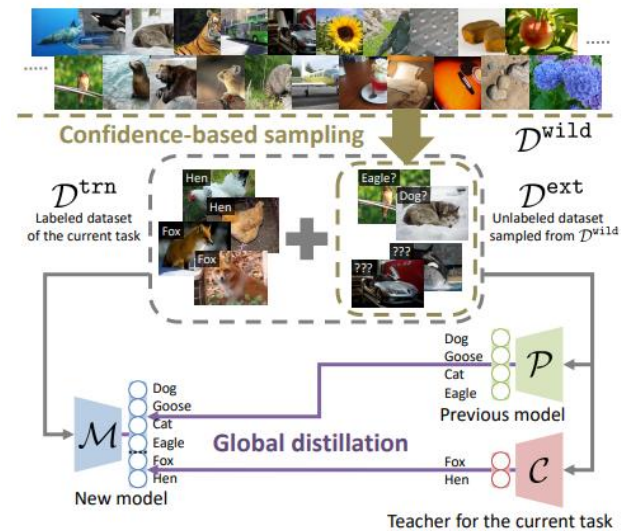
- Several approaches are proposed to resolve catastrophic forgetting
  1. Weight consolidation
  2. Architecture expansion
  3. Memory rehearsal



Zhizhong .et al ECCV 2016



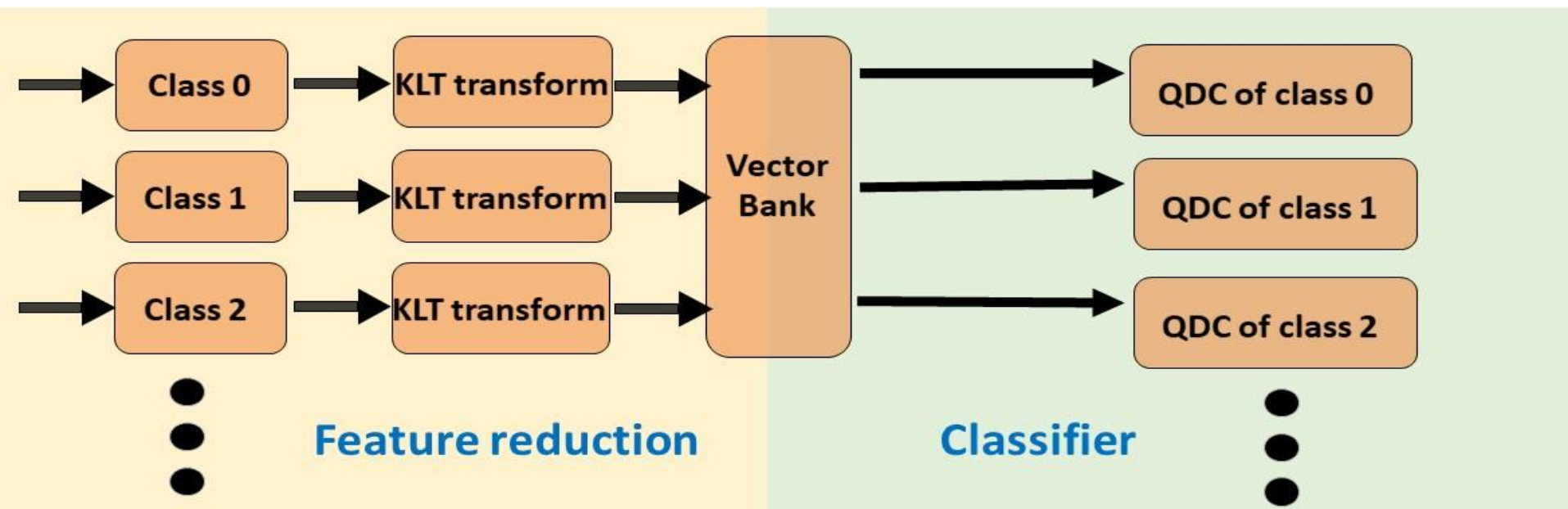
Jaehong .et al ICLR 2018



Kibok .et al ICCV 2019

# RSAC

- Modules
  1. Feature extraction module
  2. Classifier module



# RSAC

- Notation

$\mathbf{x}$  is the raw image, which the mean  $\mu_c$  and the covariance matrix  $\Sigma_c$  of class  $c$  established on

$N_c$  is the number of data belongs to class  $c$ ,  $\Lambda_c$  is a diagonal matrix with the eigenvalue  $\sigma_c^j$  as the  $j^{th}$  entry and  $Q_c$  is a  $d \times d$  orthonormal matrix

$$\mu_c = \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{j=1}^{N_c} \mathbf{x}_j$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Sigma_c &= \frac{1}{N_c} \sum_{j=1}^{N_c} (\mathbf{x}_j - \mu_c)(\mathbf{x}_j - \mu_c)^T \\ &= Q_c \Lambda_c Q_c^T \end{aligned}$$

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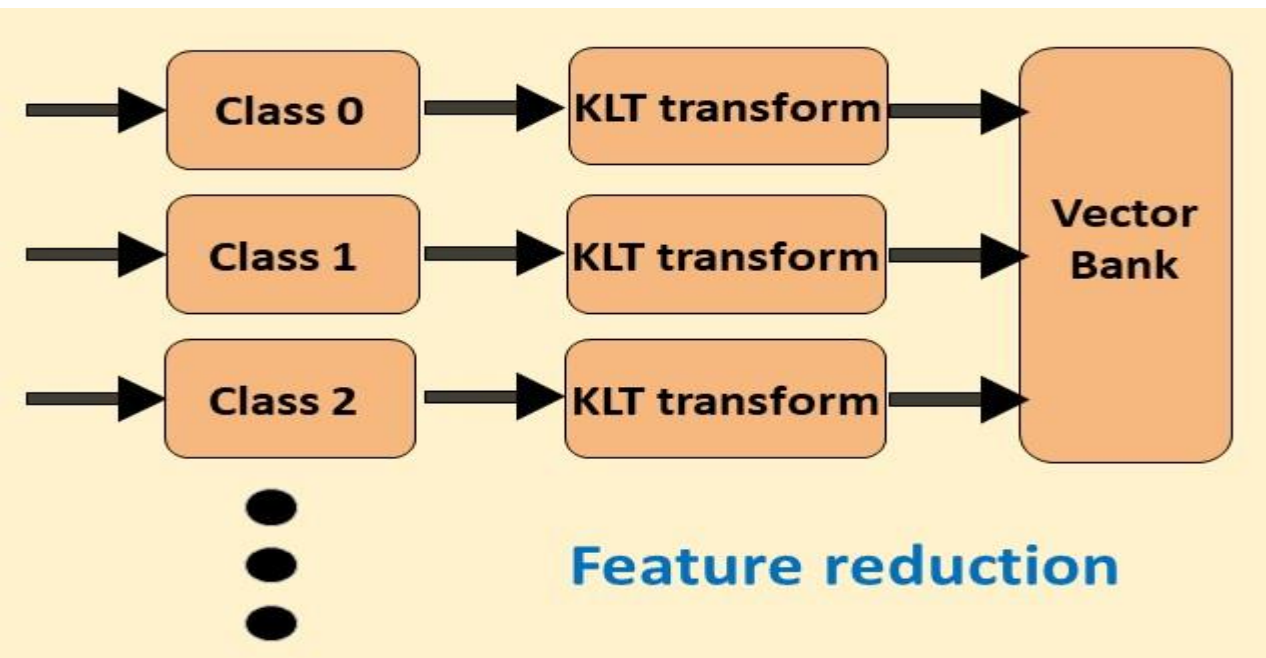
- Feature reduction

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$$\frac{\sum_{j=1}^k \sigma_c^j}{\sum_{j=1}^d \sigma_c^j} \geq t$$

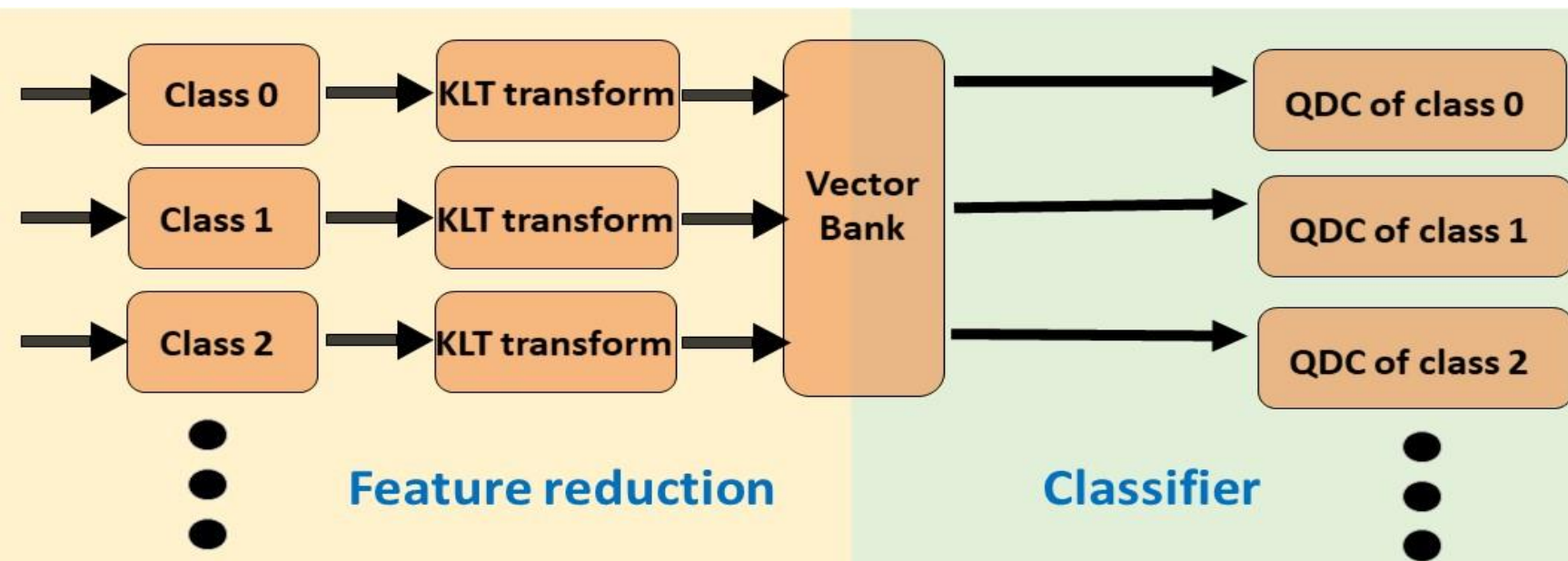
$$f(x) = \hat{Q}_c^T x$$



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- Classifier module

$$\begin{aligned} & \arg \max_c \ln \left( P_{Y|X}(c|f(x)) \right) \\ &= \arg \max_c \ln \left( \frac{1}{|\hat{\Sigma}_c|} \right) - \frac{1}{2} (f(x) - \hat{\mu}_c)^T \hat{\Sigma}_c^{-1} (f(x) - \hat{\mu}_c) + \ln \left( \frac{N_c}{\sum_{j=1}^C N_j} \right) \end{aligned}$$



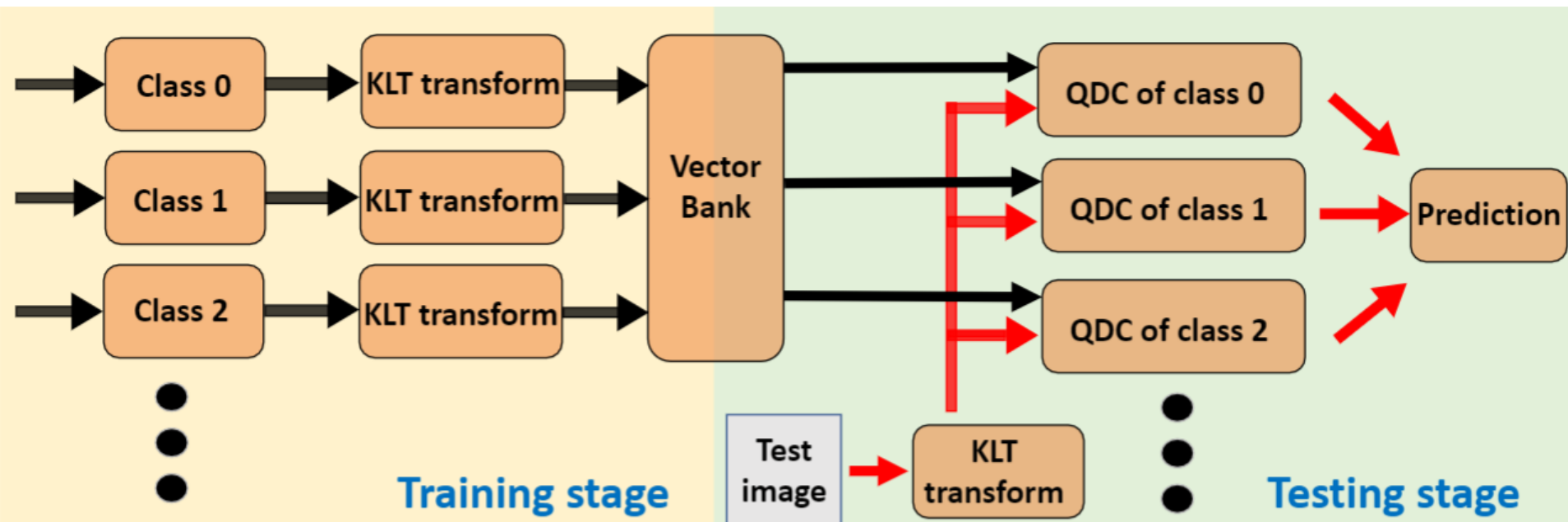


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- Regularization

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\Sigma}_c &= \text{Cov}(f(x)) = \hat{Q}_c^T \text{Cov}(x) \hat{Q}_c \\ &= \hat{Q}_c^T \Sigma_c \hat{Q}_c = \hat{Q}_c^T Q_c \Lambda_c Q_c^T \hat{Q}_c = \hat{\Lambda}_c\end{aligned}$$

$$\hat{\Sigma}'_c = \hat{\Sigma}_c + \alpha * I = \hat{\Lambda}_c + \alpha * I$$



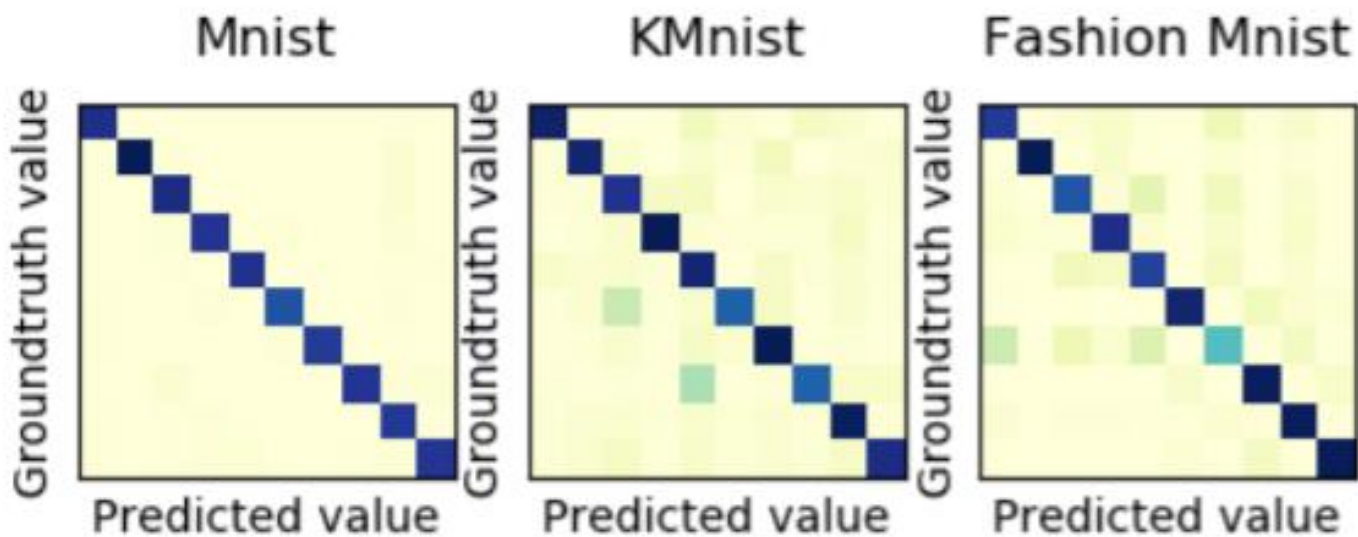
# Experiment

- Class incremental

Methods	Datasets (Accuracy)			Datasets (Training Time (sec))		
	Mnist	KMnist	Fashion Mnist	Mnist	KMnist	Fashion Mnist
DGR [28]	90.44±1.56	69.25±2.94	74.83±5.50	315.99±2.25	748.75±51.17	760.21±21.72
DGR+distill [20], [28]	92.31±0.74	64.42±1.12	76.03±4.12	314.12±12.79	819.52±14.52	800.81±3.69
EWC [21]	20.45±1.15	19.54±0.12	19.97±0.02	398.86±11.04	719.89±21.95	697.24±53.39
Online EWC [61]	20.69±1.53	19.54±0.12	19.97±0.03	371.87±12.35	665.04±3.40	692.49±29.20
iCaRL [13]	93.24±0.70	70.83±2.78	79.61±0.79	200.16±9.83	468.38±4.98	466.60±11.09
LwF [20]	20.98±0.85	20.16±0.24	19.42±2.54	198.40±9.09	495.62±31.48	499.49±8.77
RtF [46]	93.75±1.28	66.16±3.06	74.11±4.82	253.37±9.22	639.66±25.56	678.42±34.04
SI [22]	19.85±0.10	19.53±0.09	19.97±0.02	194.16±87.6	503.72±5.15	498.37±3.28
CNDPM [62]	93.54±0.13	74.35±1.4	44.62±2.1	> 3600	> 3600	> 3600
Saak [32]	95.21	76.25	73.51	> 3000	> 3000	> 3000
<b>Ours</b>	<b>95.59</b>	<b>77.35</b>	<b>80.32</b>	<b>5.90</b>	<b>5.72</b>	<b>5.48</b>

# Experiment

- Class incremental



# Experiment

- Ablation Study

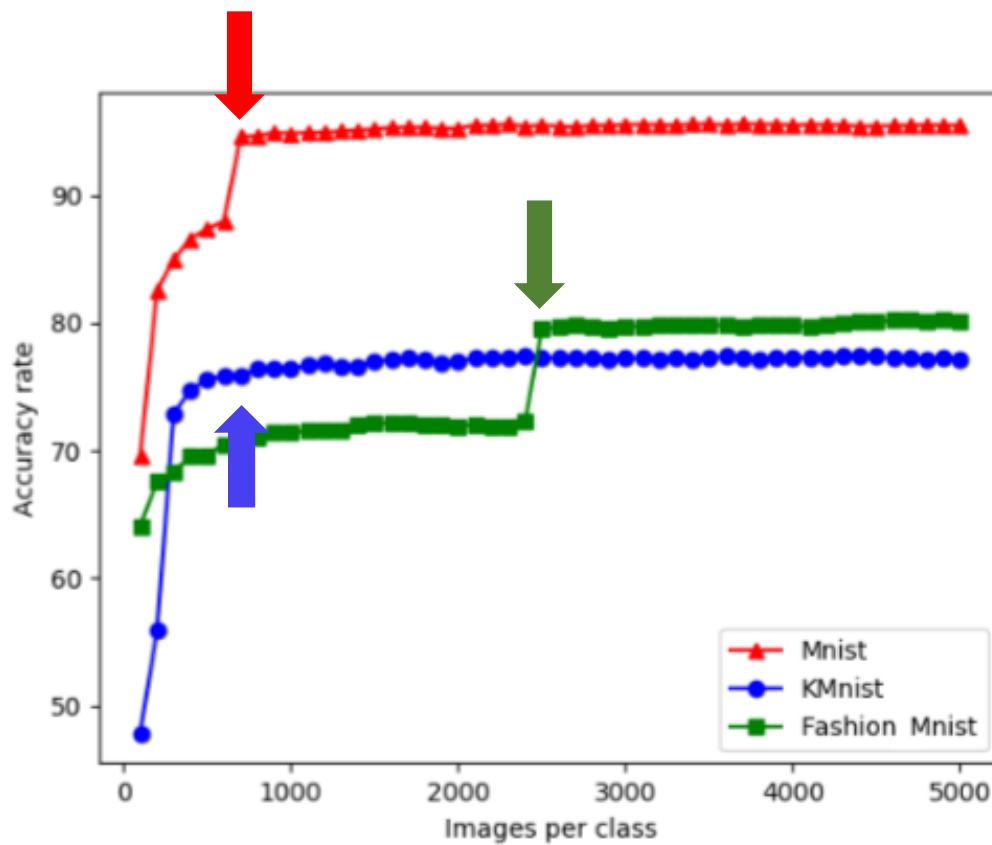
$t$  : power threshold

$k$  : the amount of features after reduction

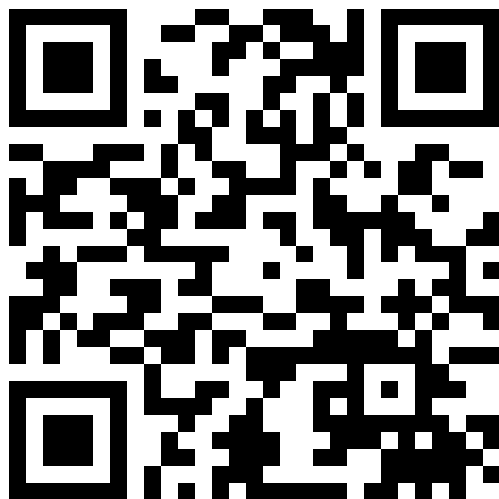
Power threshold $t$	Mnist		KMnist		Fashion Mnist	
	$k$	acc	$k$	acc	$k$	acc
0.8	31	67.75	64	61.30	26	64.90
0.9	68	93.22	126	76.16	77	73.98
0.95	121	95.41	211	77.13	156	79.74
0.96	141	95.43	243	76.87	185	80.25
0.97	168	95.43	285	74.84	224	73.56
0.98	206	91.66	346	75.09	278	73.95
Best	150	95.59	192	77.35	183	80.32

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