
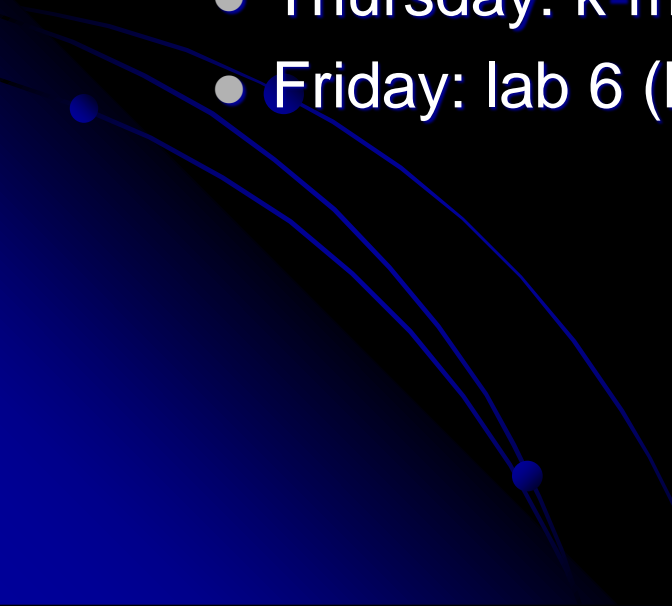


## Project Teams:

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Yelp Restaurant:	Nathan C, Faye L, Alex L, Addison W
SubwayCam:	Chris B, Jonathan J, Kassandra S, Andy M
OCR with OpenCV:	Misato M, Bo P, Min S, Zhihao X
Pokemon Type Rec:	Sam B, Tai E, Orion M, Josh M

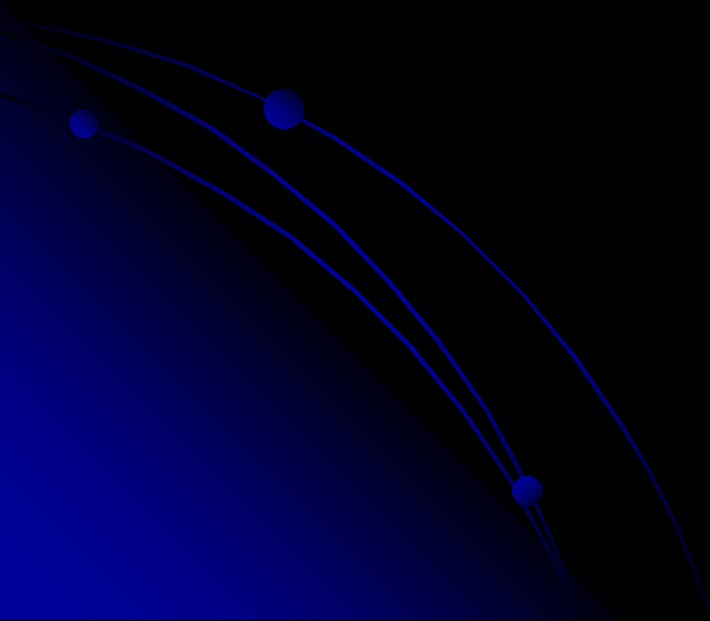
# Term project next steps

- From the **Lit Review specification**.
    - Goal: Review what others have done. Don't re-invent the wheel.
    - Read papers!
    - Summarize papers
    - Due next Friday (Extensions available on request)
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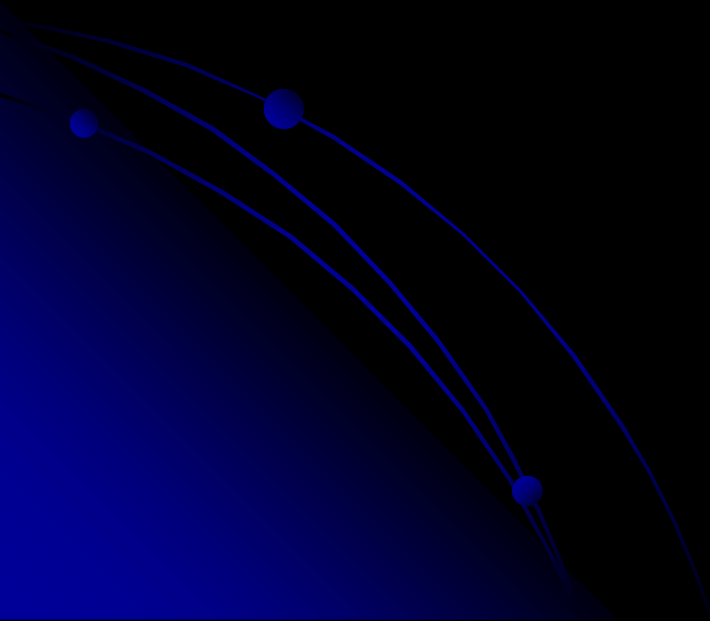
- Today: Lab for sunset detector
  - Next week:
    - Monday: Midterm Exam
    - Tuesday: sunset detector lab (due Weds. 11:00 pm)
    - Thursday: k-means clustering
    - Friday: lab 6 (k-means)
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# Exam prep

- Bright blue roadmap sheet
- Exam review slides (courtesy reminder)



# Last words on neural nets/SVM



# How does svmfwd compute y1?

y1 is just the weighted sum of contributions of individual support vectors:  
d = data dimension, e.g., 294,  $\sigma$  = kernel width.

$$y1 = \sum_{i=1}^{numSupVecs} \left( svcoeff_i * e^{(-1/d\sigma)*\|x-sv_i\|^2} \right) + bias$$

numSupVecs, svcoeff (alpha) and bias are learned during training.

Note: looking at which of your training examples are support vectors can be revealing! (Keep in mind for sunset detector and term project)

- Much easier computation than training
- Was easy to implement on a device without MATLAB (ea smartphone)

# SVMs vs. Neural Nets

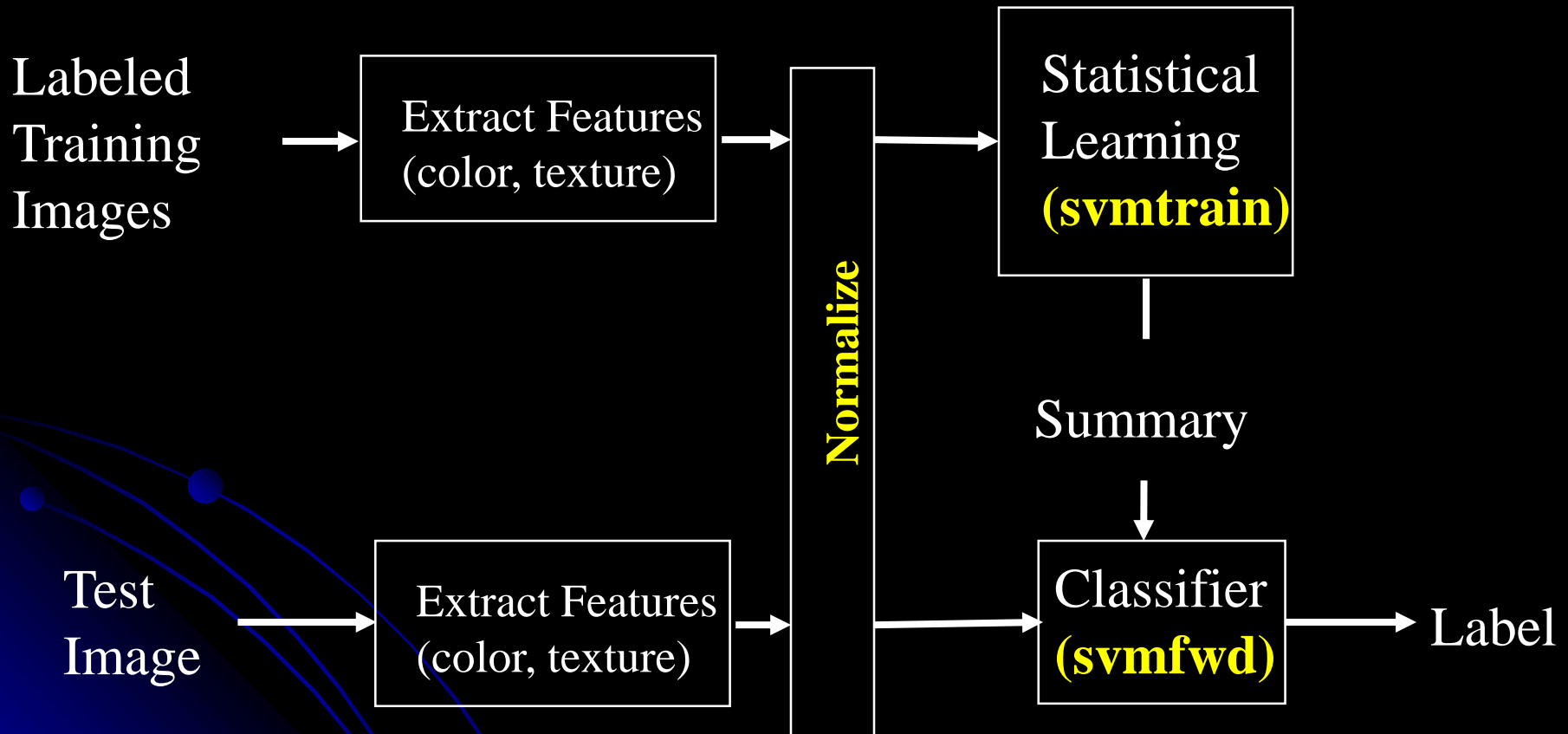
- SVM:

- Training can take a *long* time with large data sets due to choosing parameters...
- But the classification runtime and space are  $O(sd)$ , where  $s$  is the number of support vectors, and  $d$  is the dimensionality of the feature vectors.
- In the worst case,  $s =$  size of whole training set (like nearest neighbor)
  - Overfitting is occurring: can use with accuracy to choose classifier
- But no worse than implementing a neural net with  $s$  perceptrons in the hidden layer.
- Empirically shown to have good generalizability even with relatively-small training sets and no domain knowledge.

- Neural networks:

- can tune architecture. Lots of parameters!

# Common model of learning machines





# Sunset Process

- Loop over 4 folders of images
  - Extract features
- Normalize
- Split into train and test and label
- Save
- Loop over kernel params
  - Train
  - Test
  - Record accuracy, #sup vec
- For SVM with param giving best accuracy,
  - Generate ROC curve
  - Find good images
  - Do extension
- I suggest writing as you go