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Deep Residual Network

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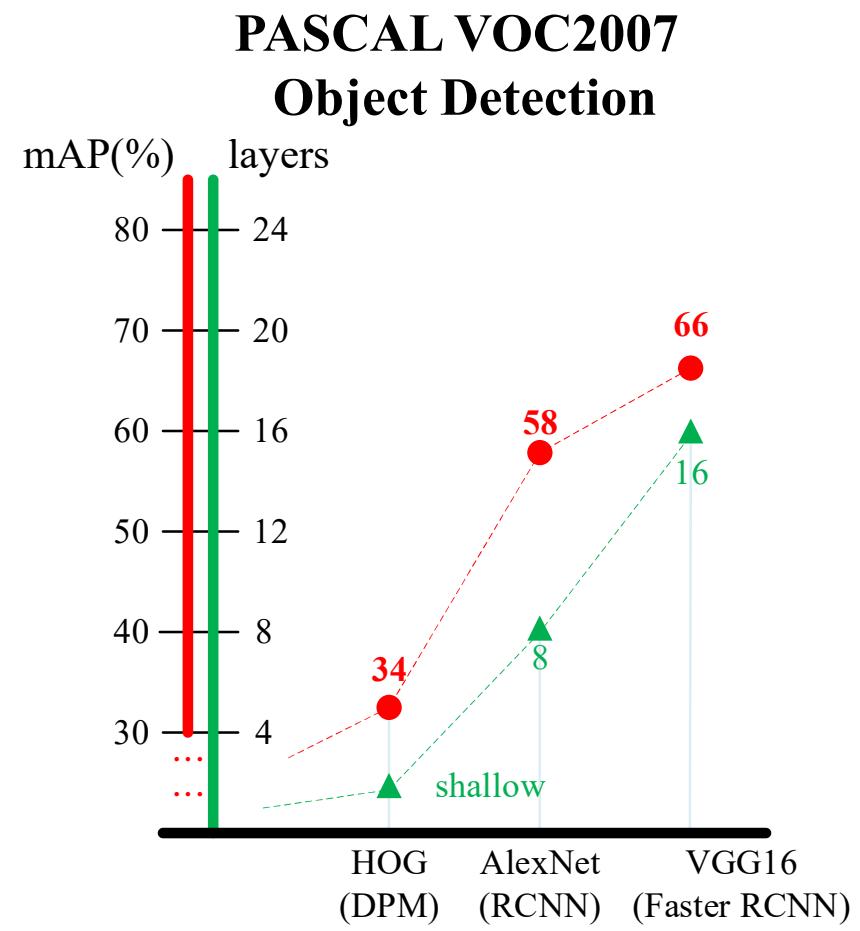
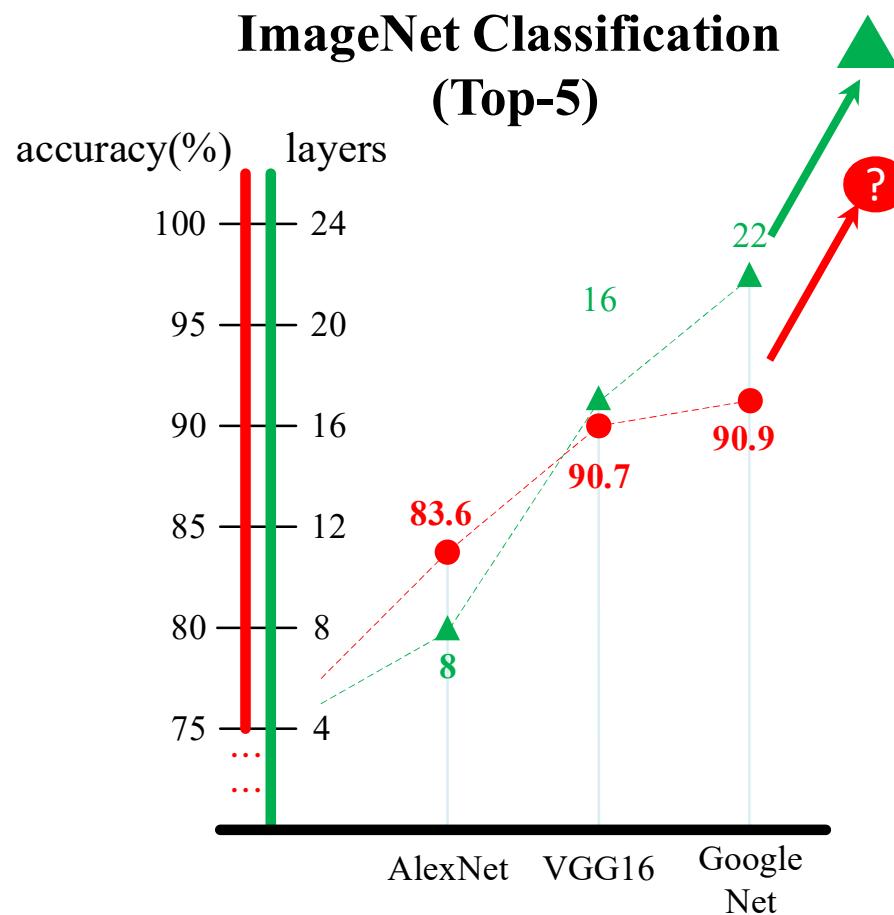
Introduction

- Evolution of Depth
 - The levels of features can be enriched by the number of stacked layers (**depth**).
 - Network depth is of crucial importance in many visual applications
 - image classification
 - object detection
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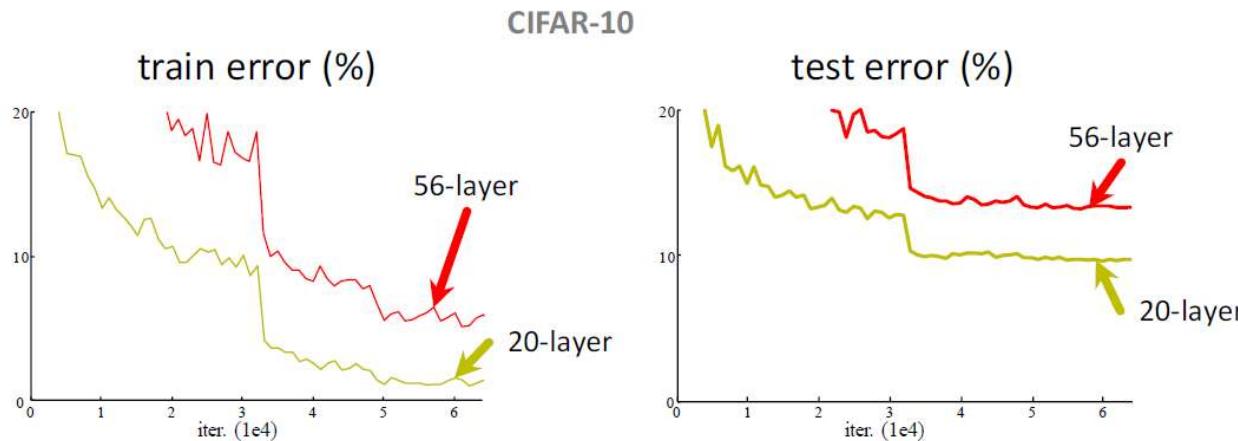


Introduction



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- Issue for More Layers
 - degradation problem: accuracy gets **saturated** and then **degrades**.



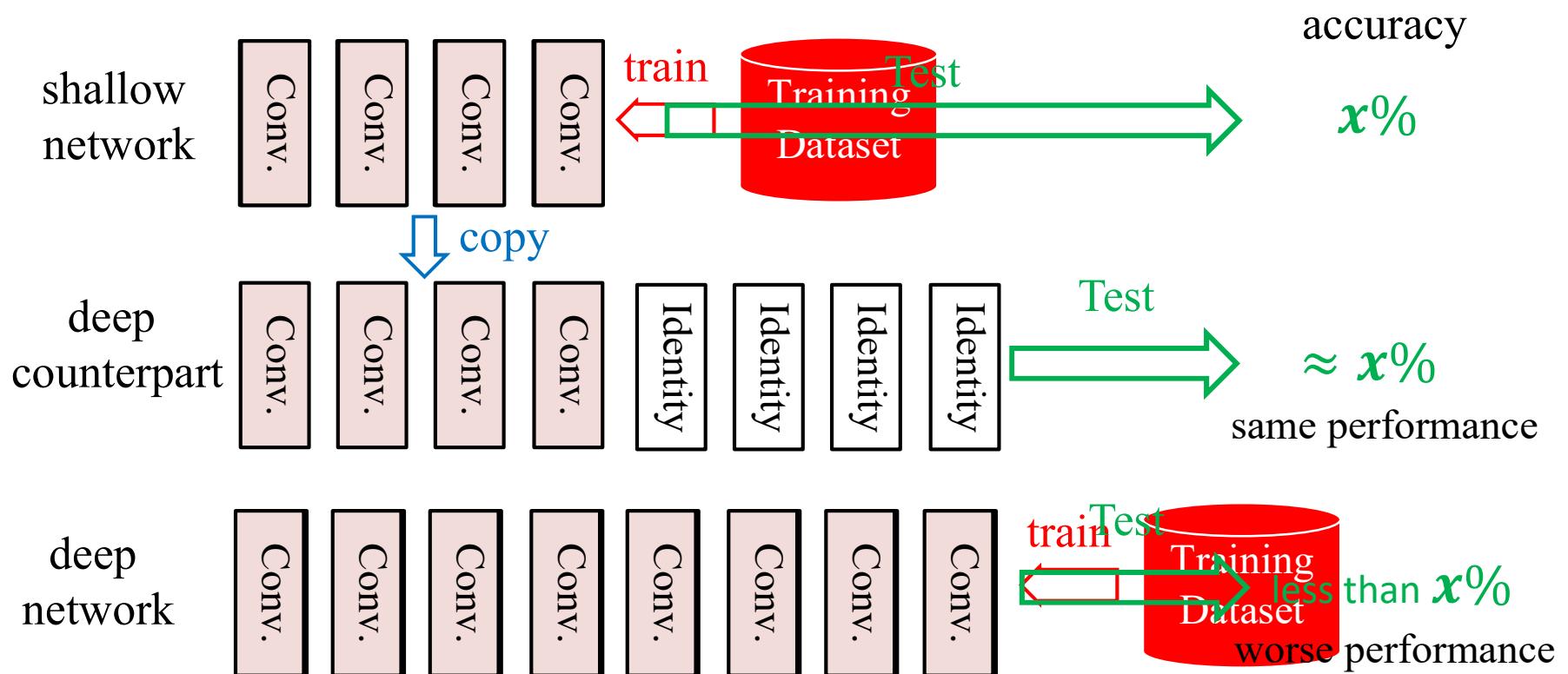
- train error: 56-layer > 20-layer
- test error: 56-layer > 20-layer

not caused by
overfitting





Introduction



Optimization Difficulty

finding the solution is not easy when network goes deeper





Deep Residual Network

- Main Idea
 - assumption: input \mathbf{x} and the target $H(\mathbf{x})$ is of the same sizes.
 - residual mapping: address degradation problem
 - approximate residual function $R(\mathbf{x}) = H(\mathbf{x}) - \mathbf{x}$ instead of target function $H(x)$
 - resume $H(x)$ by adding \mathbf{x} back to $R(\mathbf{x})$



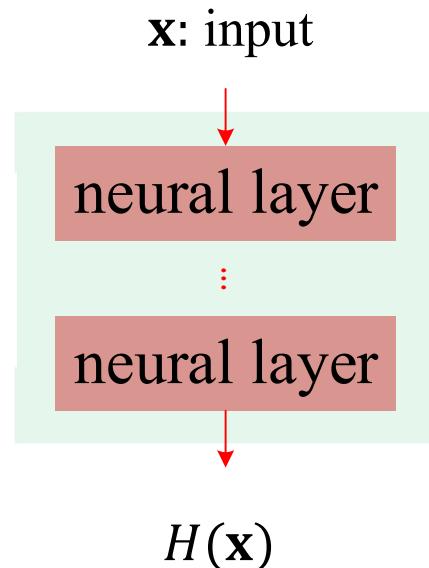


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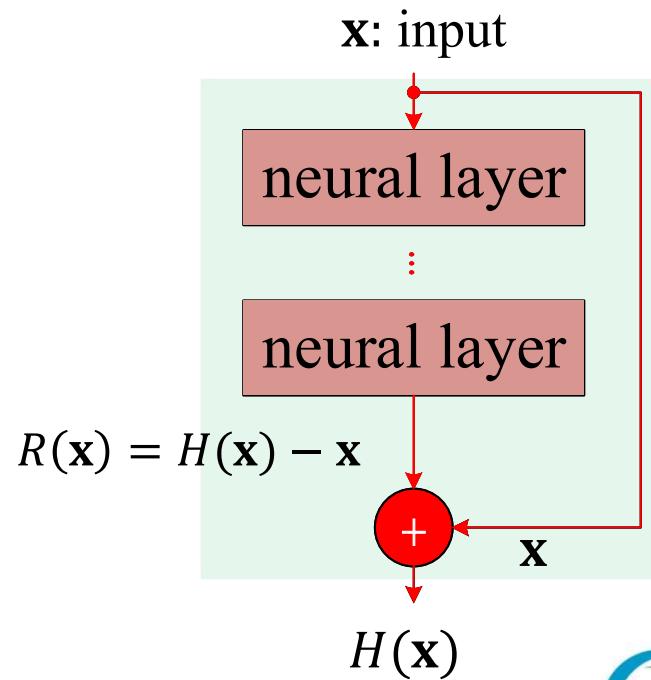
- Main Idea

Direct Mapping

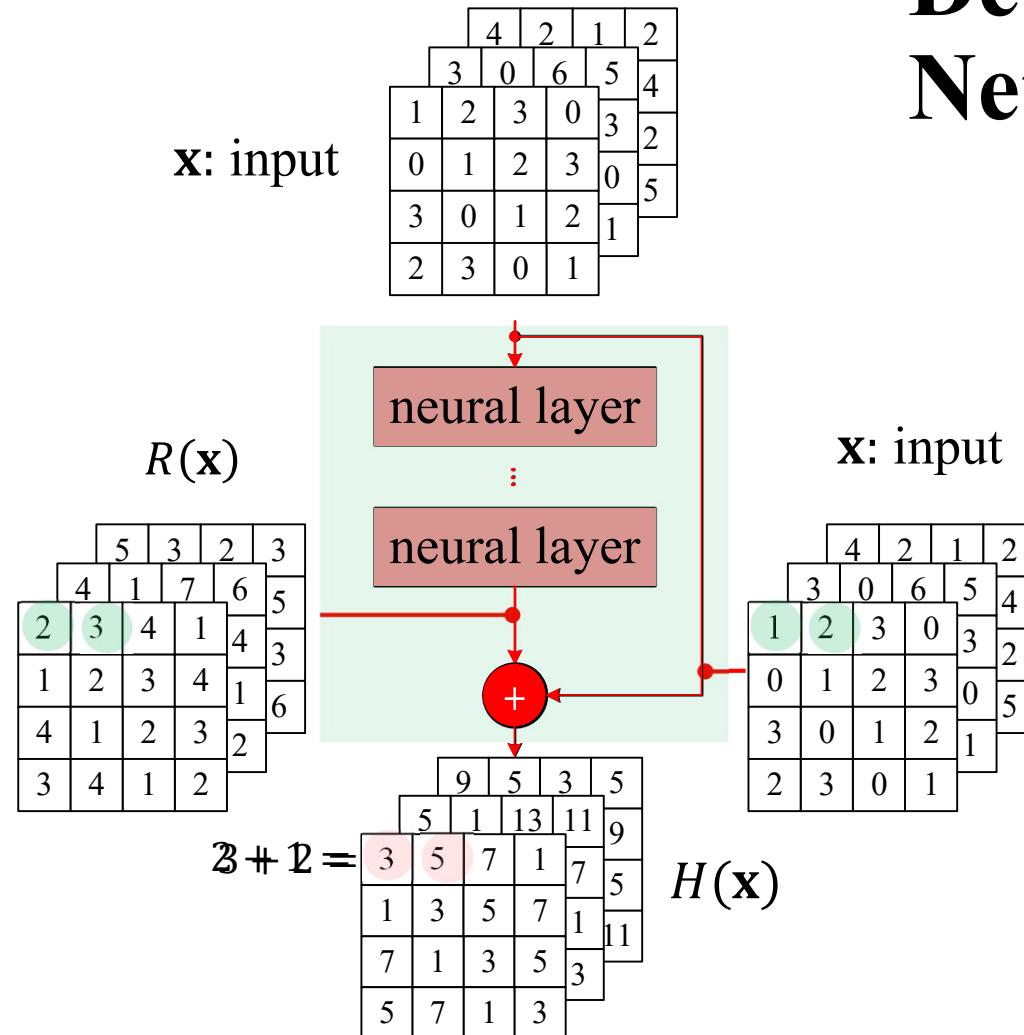
a few stacked
layers
(building block)



Residual Mapping



Residual Mapping



Deep Residual Network

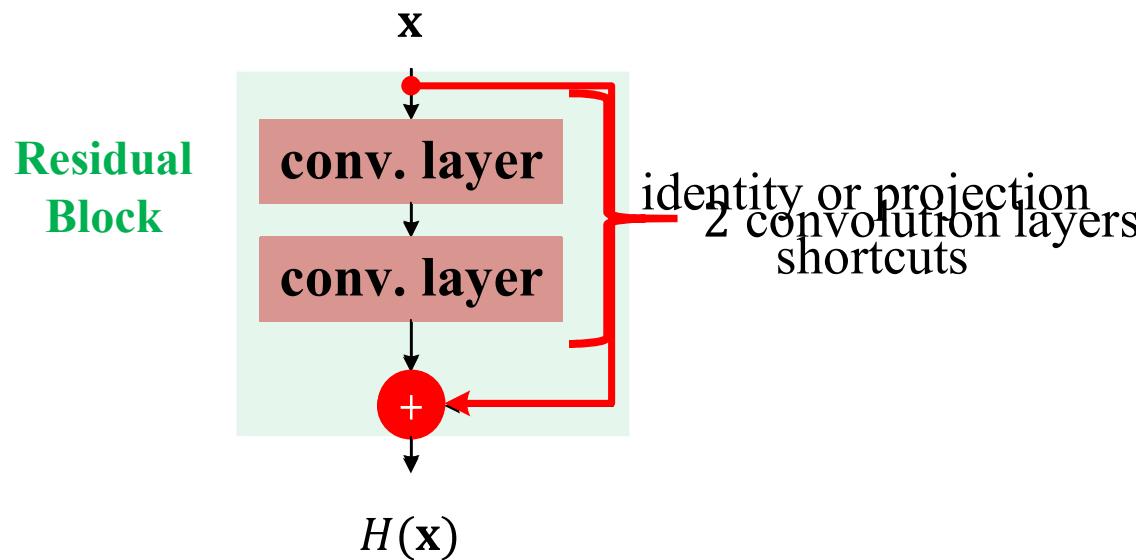
- approximating $R(\mathbf{x})$ is easier than unreferenced $H(\mathbf{x})$
- the residual network can be trained by SGD end-to-end with back-propagation

SGD: stochastic gradient descent



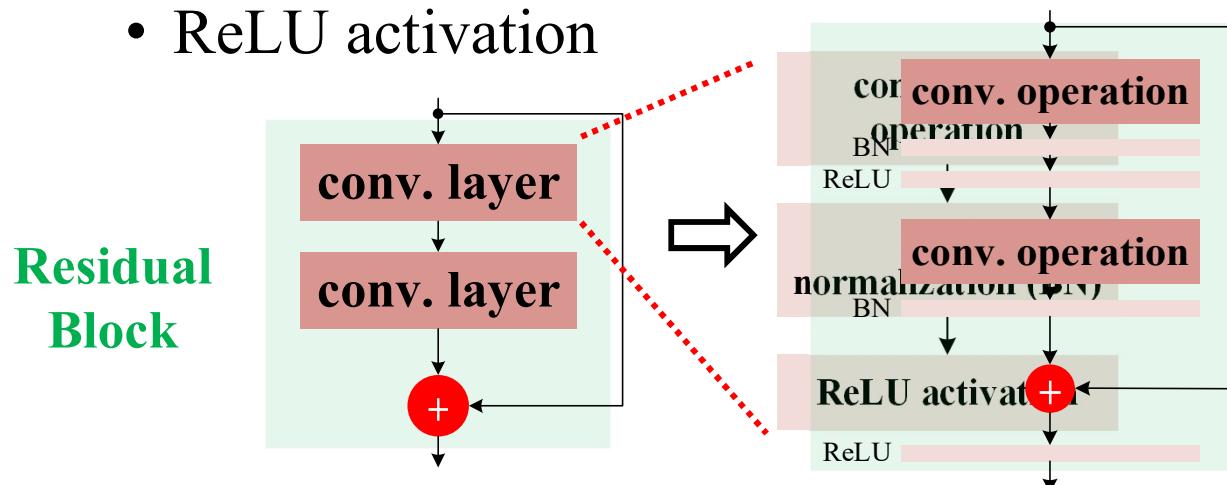
Deep Residual Network

- Residual Block
 - neural layers: 2 convolution layers
 - shortcut: identity or projection



Deep Residual Network

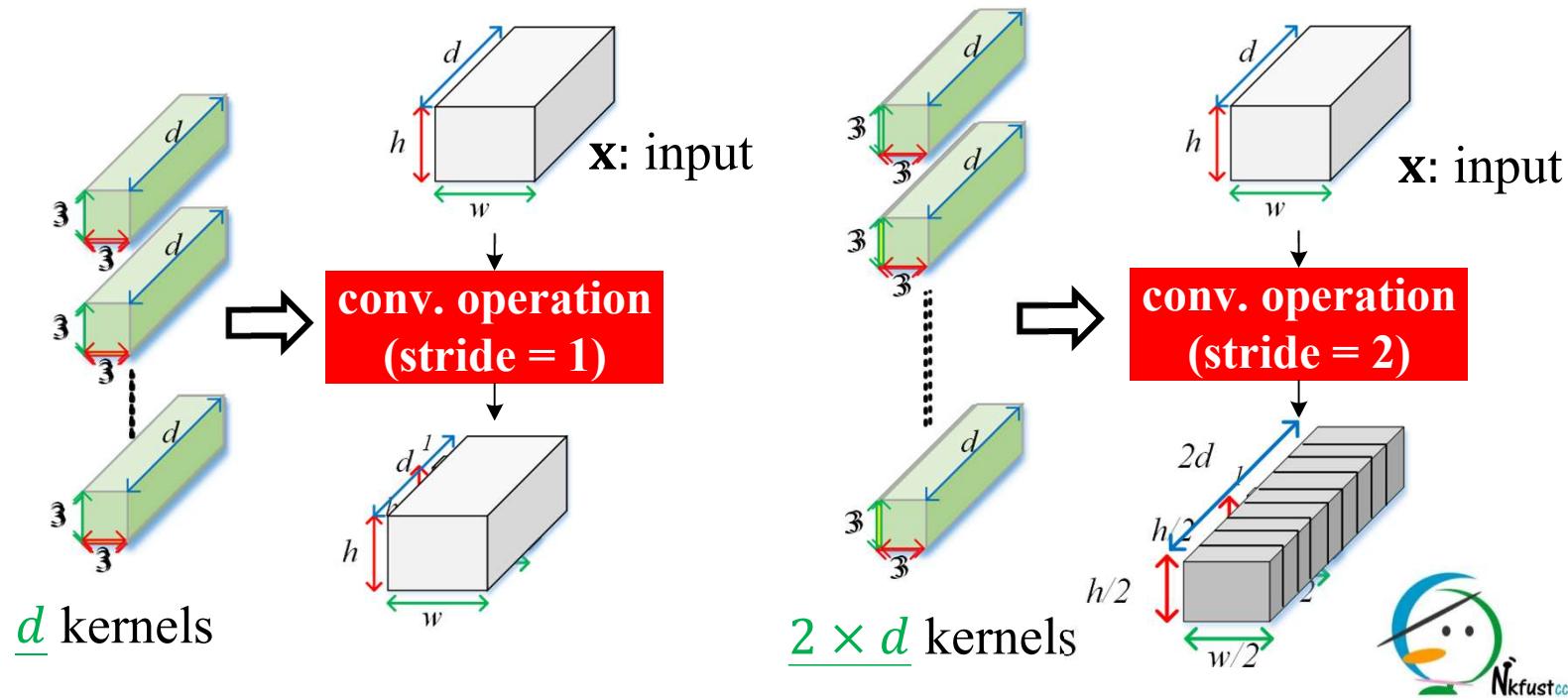
- Residual Block: convolution layer
 - A conv. layer consists of three operations
 - convolution operation
 - batch normalization (BN)
 - ReLU activation



S. Ioffe and C. Szegedy, "Batch Normalization: Accelerating Deep Network Training by Reducing Internal Covariance Shift", ICML 2015

Deep Residual Network

- Residual Block: convolution layer
 - kernel size: almost 3×3
 - kernel no.: preserve computation complexity



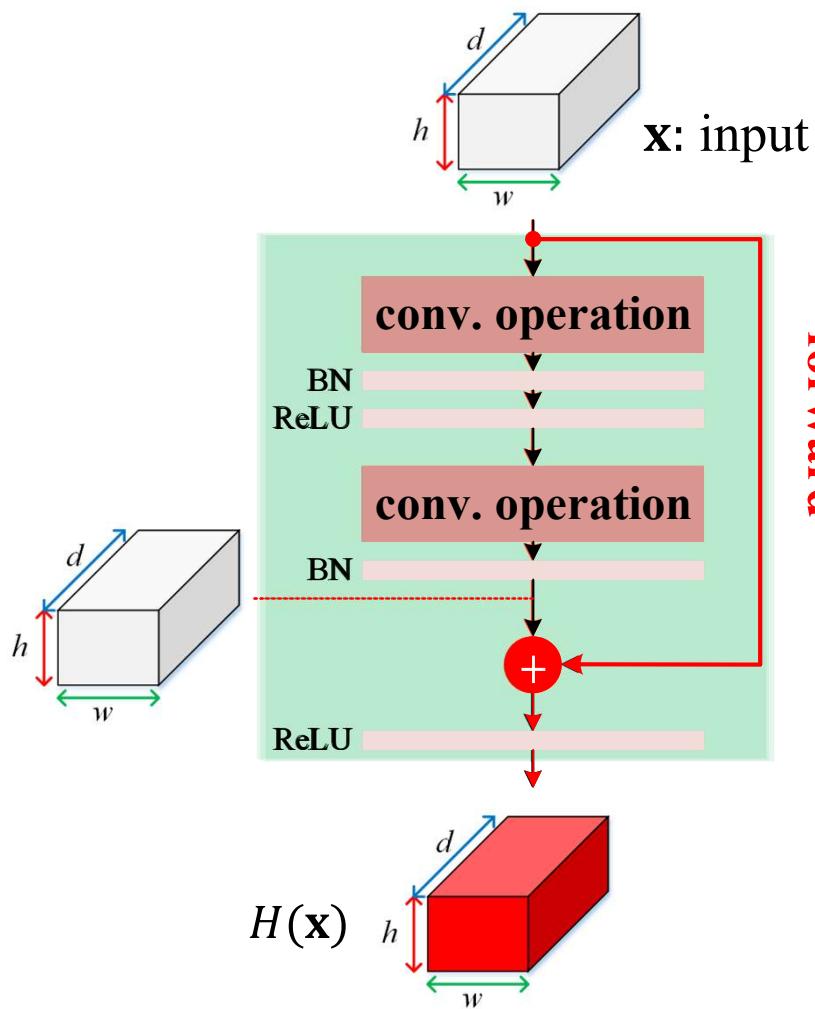


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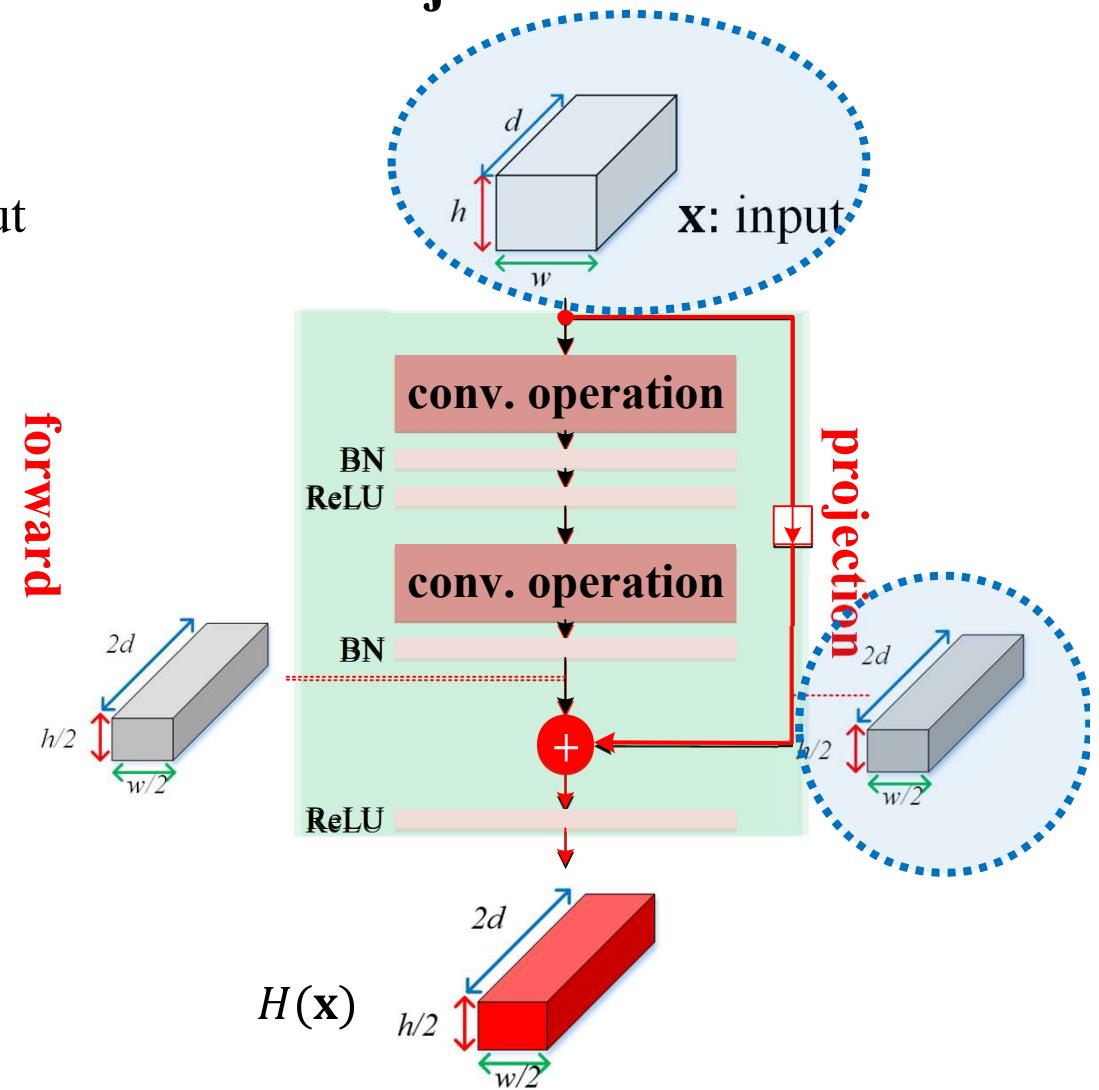
- Residual Block: shortcut connection
 - bypass the convolution operations
 - transform input to the feature map with the same size as output
 - **identity shortcut**: forward input directly if input and output feature maps are of **the same** sizes
 - **projection shortcut**: map input size to output size if their sizes are **different**



Identity Shortcut

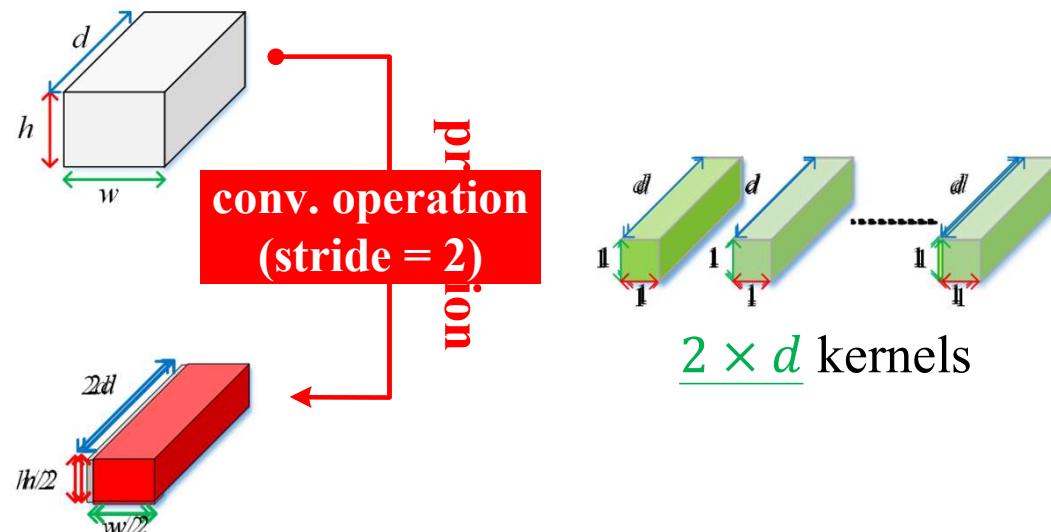


Projection Shortcut



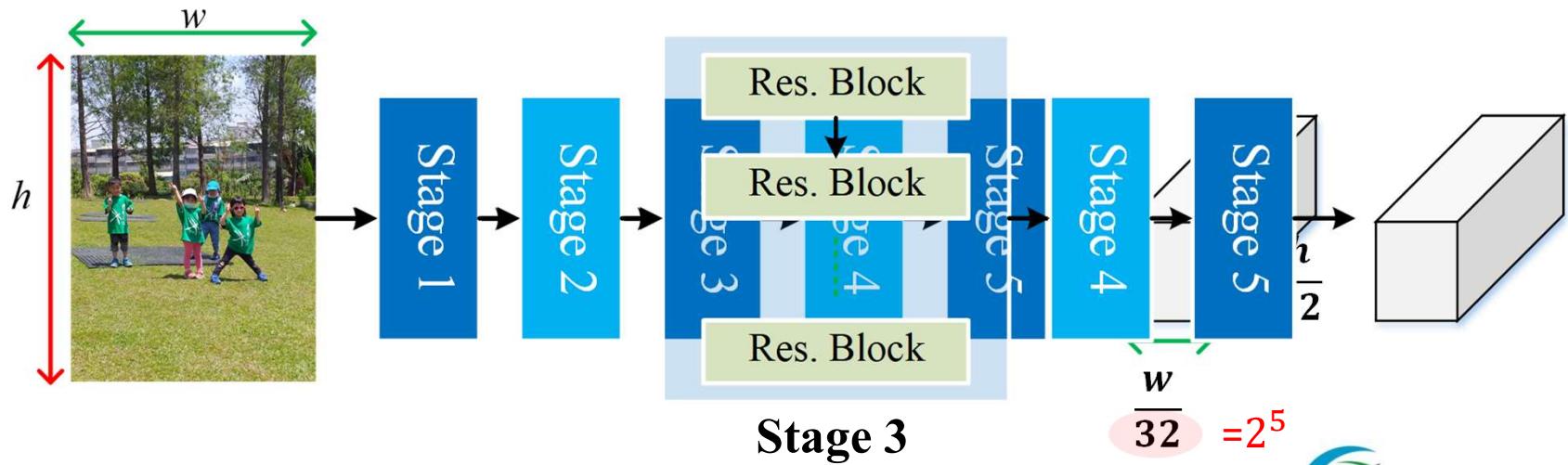
Deep Residual Network

- Residual Block: shortcut connection
 - perform size mapping by convolution operation.
 - use 1×1 kernel with a stride of 2
 - use $2d$ kernels to match depth



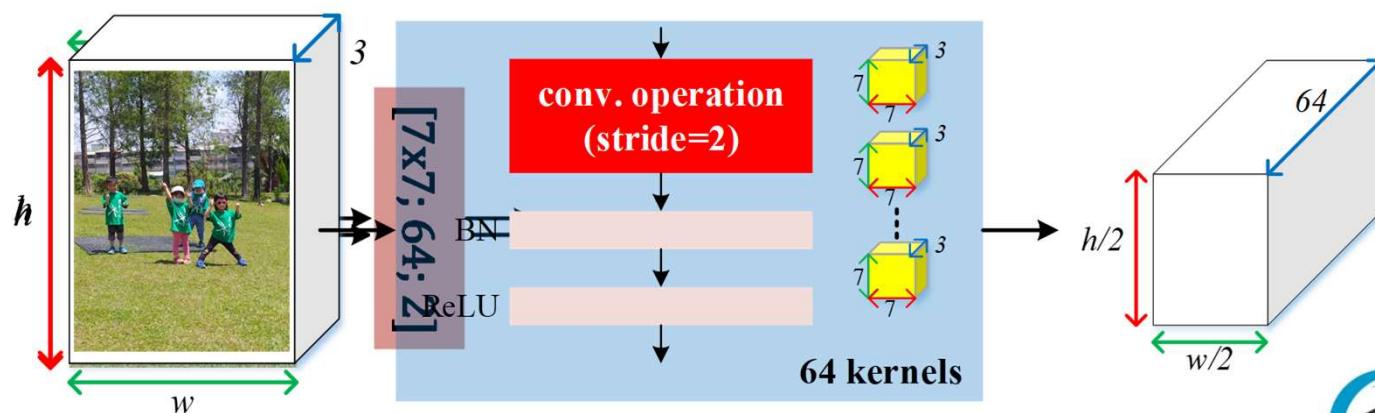
Deep Residual Network

- Network Architecture
 - The proposed residual networks consist of **5 stages**
 - each stage downsamples feature map by a factor of 2
 - each stage is composed of several **residual blocks**

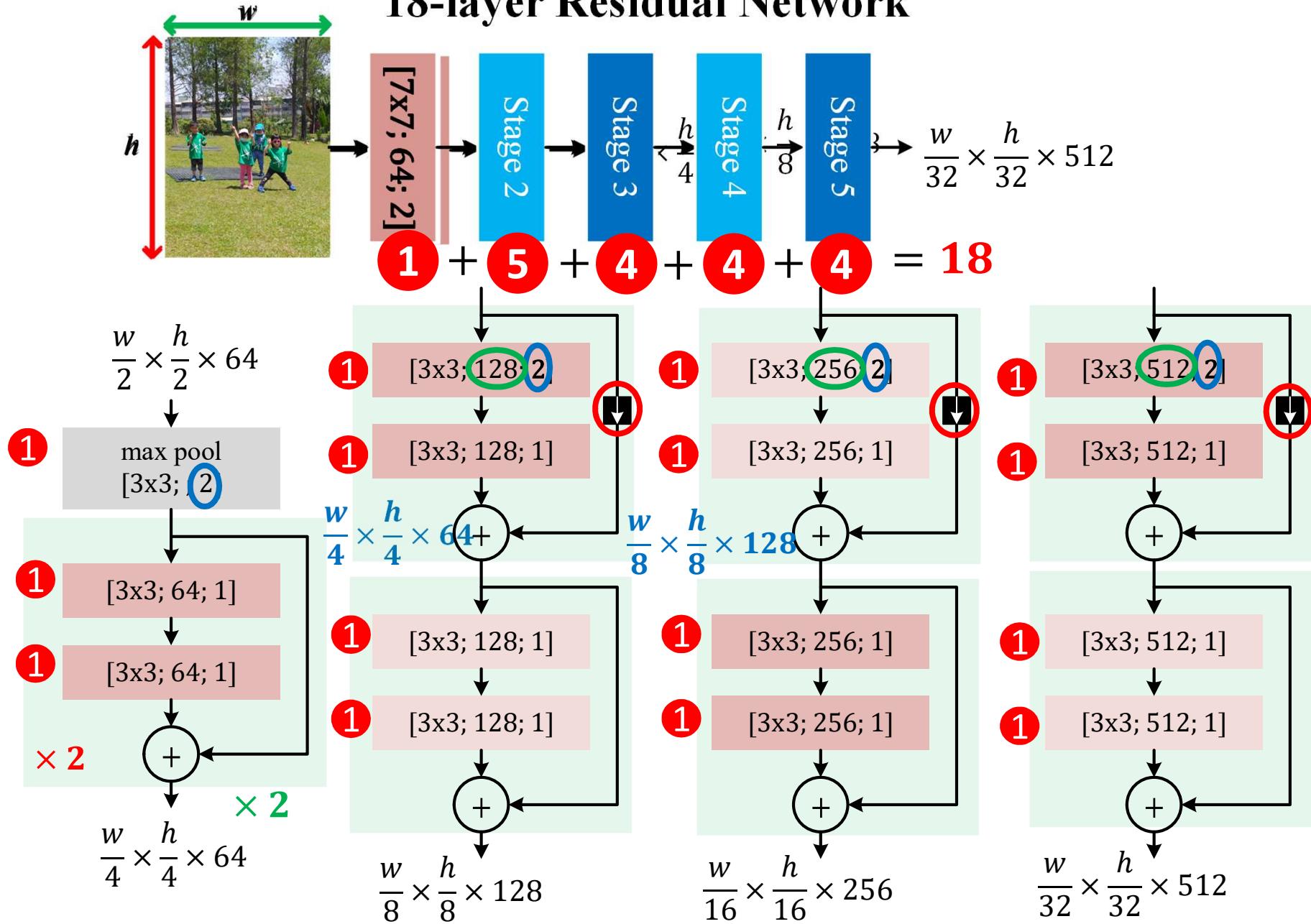


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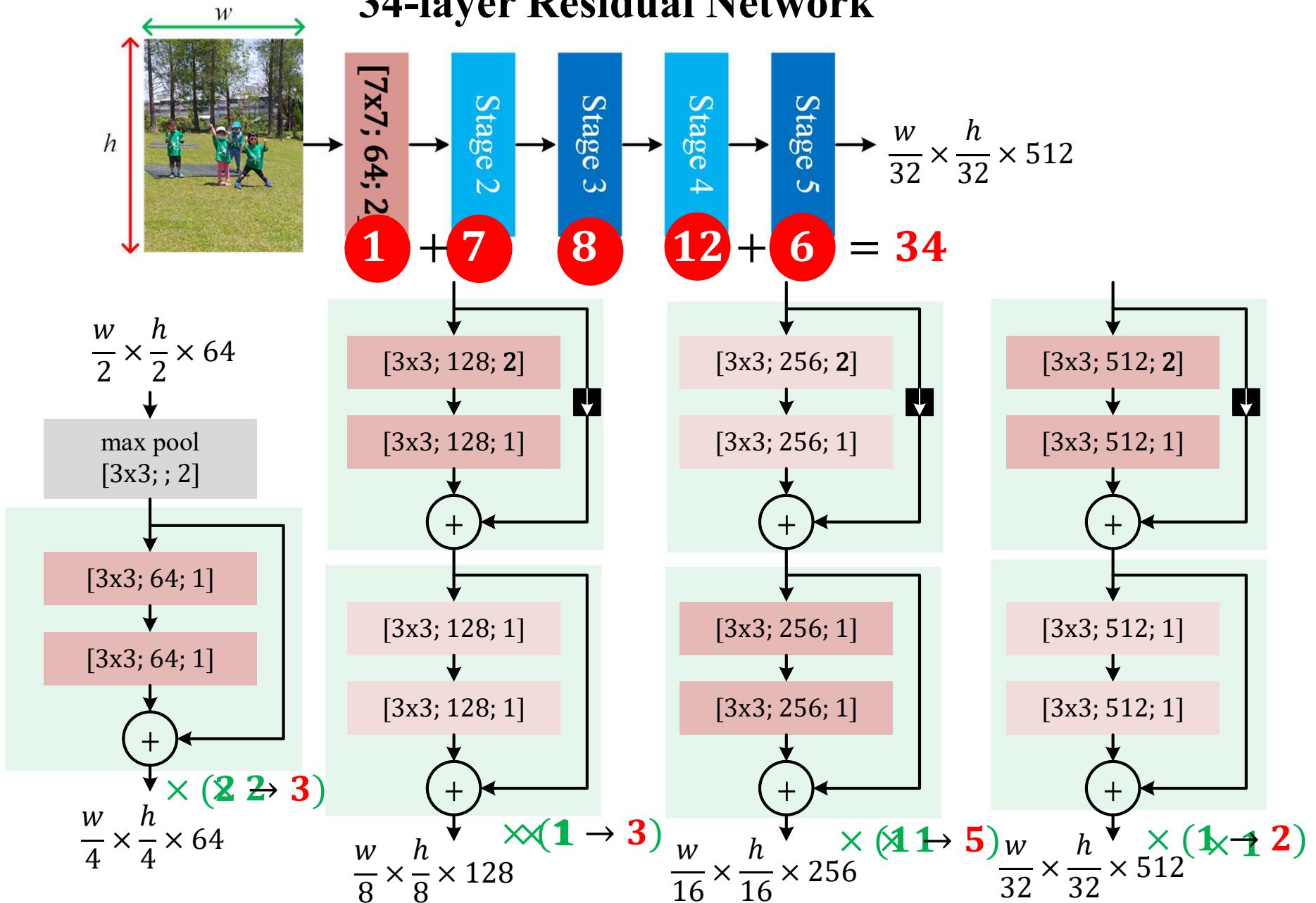
- Network Architecture
 - residual networks: 18-layer and 34-layer
 - first stage: convolution layer with a stride of 2
 - kernel size: 7×7
 - kernel no.: 64



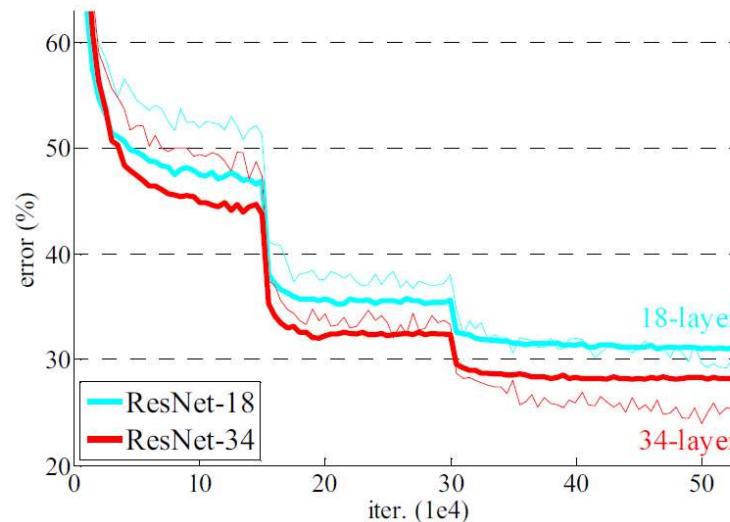
18-layer Residual Network



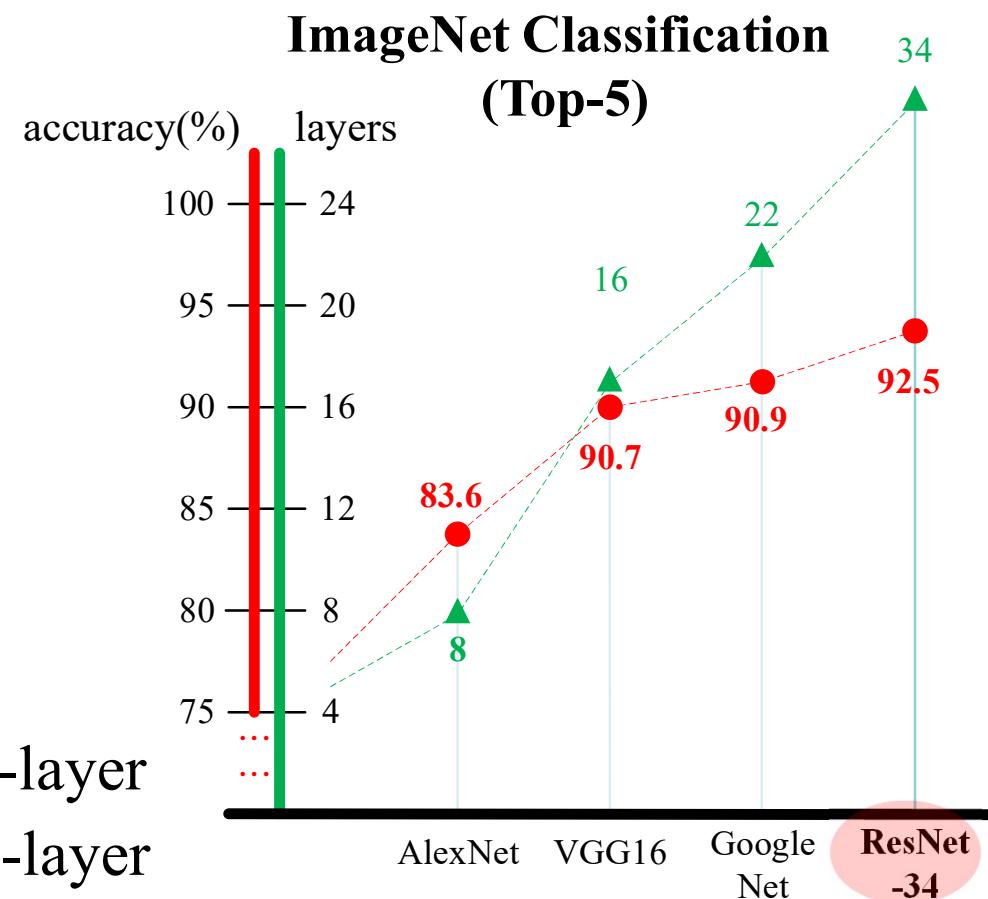
34-layer Residual Network



Deep Residual Network

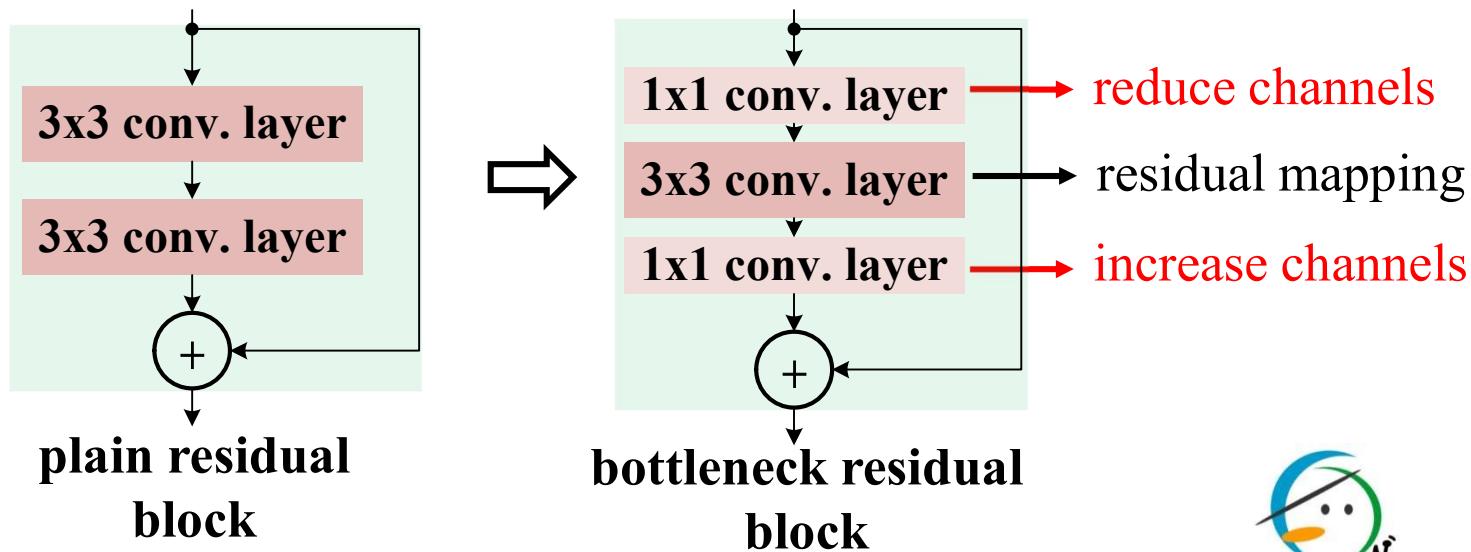


- train error: 34-layer < 18-layer
- test error: 34-layer < 18-layer



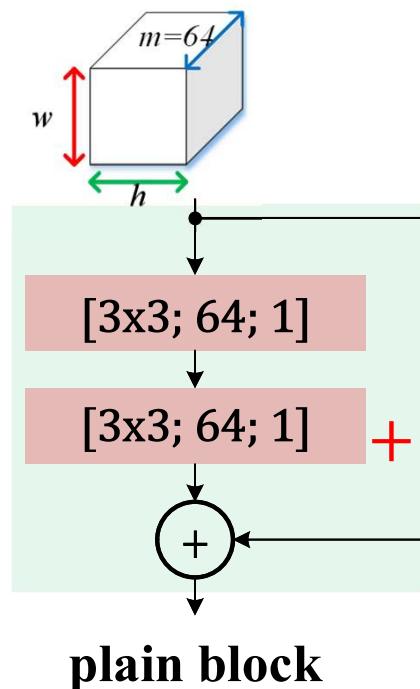
Deeper Residual Network

- Bottleneck Residual Block
 - consist of 3 convolution layers
 - 3×3 convolution layer: perform residual mapping
 - 1×1 convolution layer: reduce / increase channels



Deeper Residual Network

- Bottleneck Residual Block
 - have **similar model size** as its plain counterpart



$$\text{model size} \quad (3 \times 3 \times 64) \times 64$$

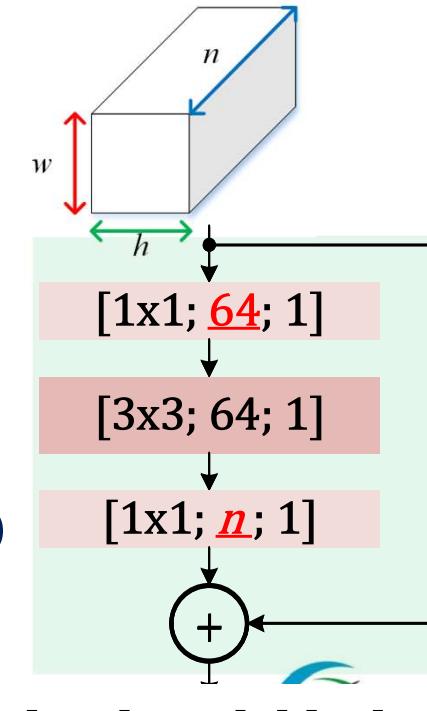
$$+ (3 \times 3 \times 64) \times 64$$

$$\approx$$

$$(1 \times 1 \times n) \times 64$$

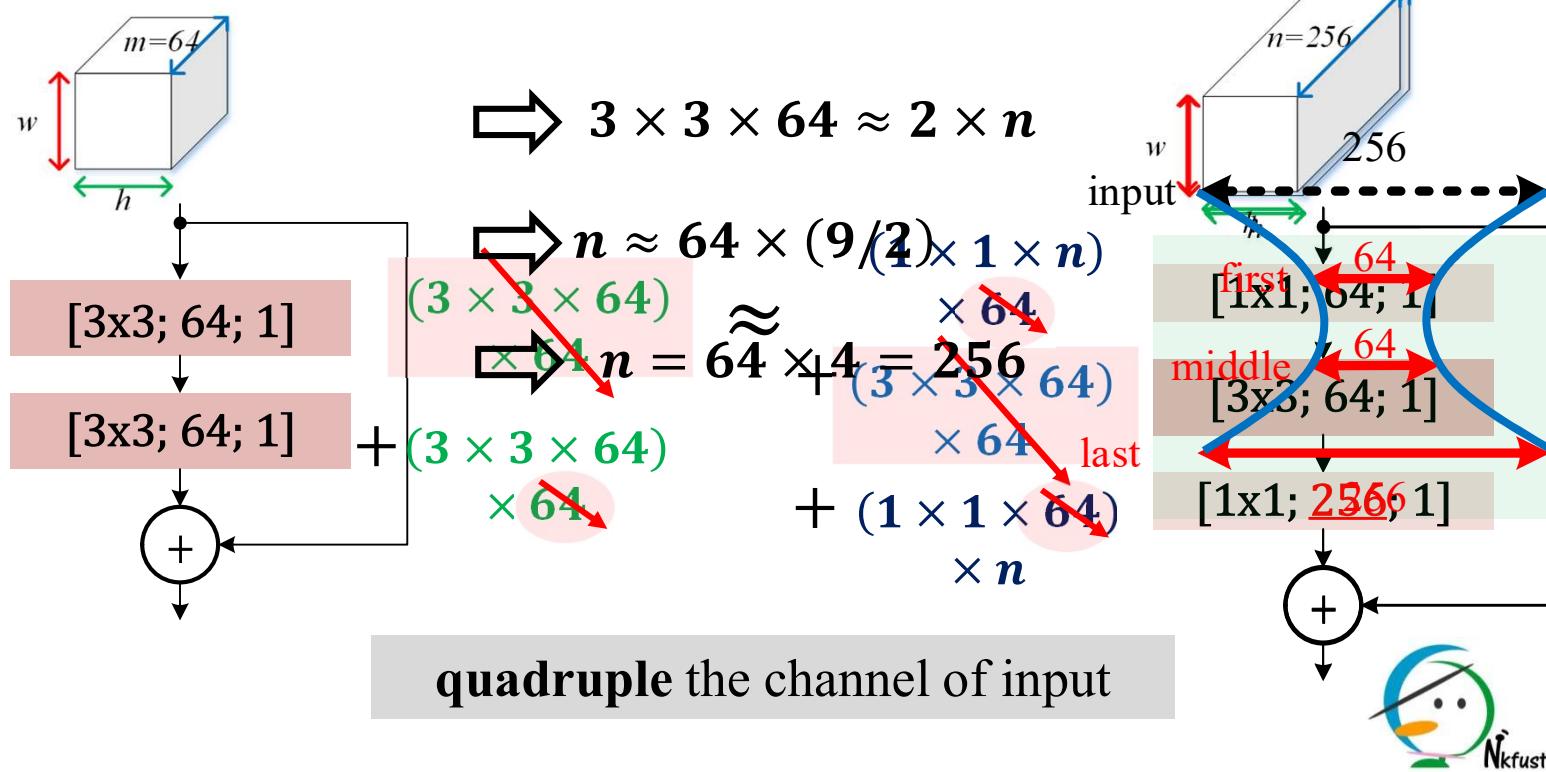
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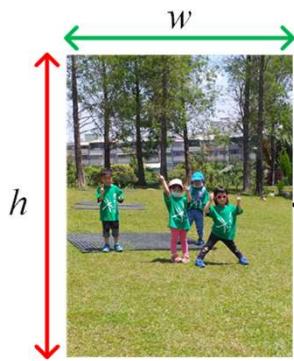




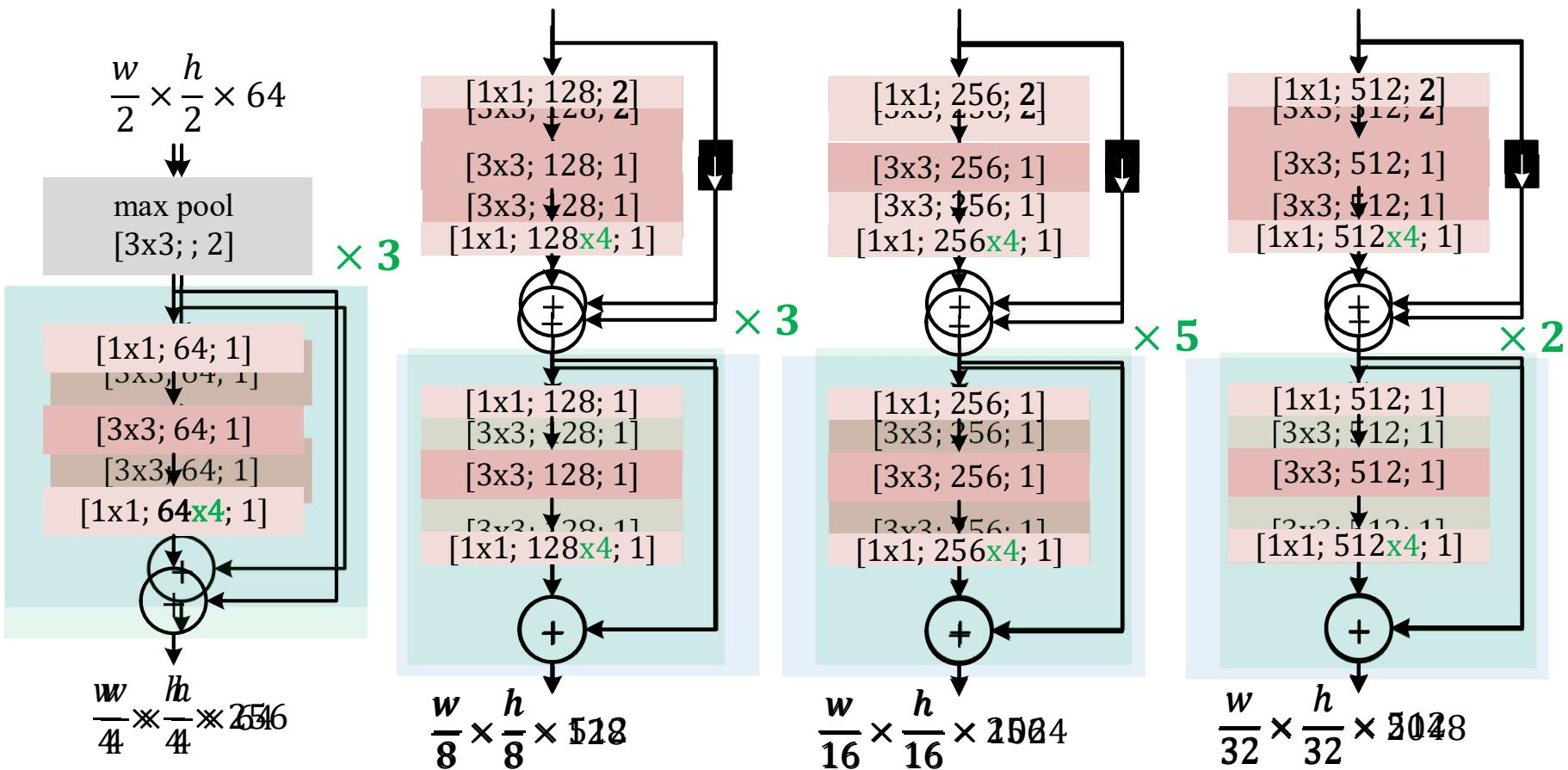
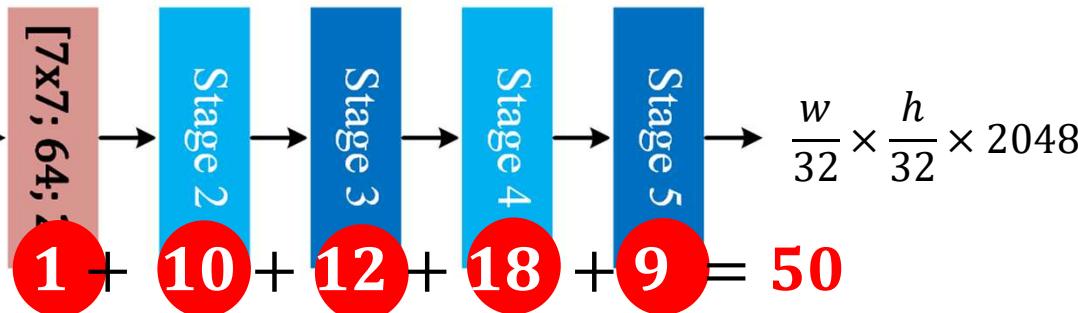
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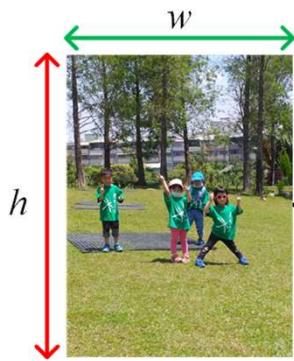
- Network Architecture
 - 50-layer: replace all plain residual blocks in 34-layer network by bottleneck ones.
 - 101-layer: increase bottleneck residual blocks to 50-layer network (stage 4: 17)
 - 152-layer: increase bottleneck residual blocks to 101-layer network (stage 3: 4; stage 4: 13)



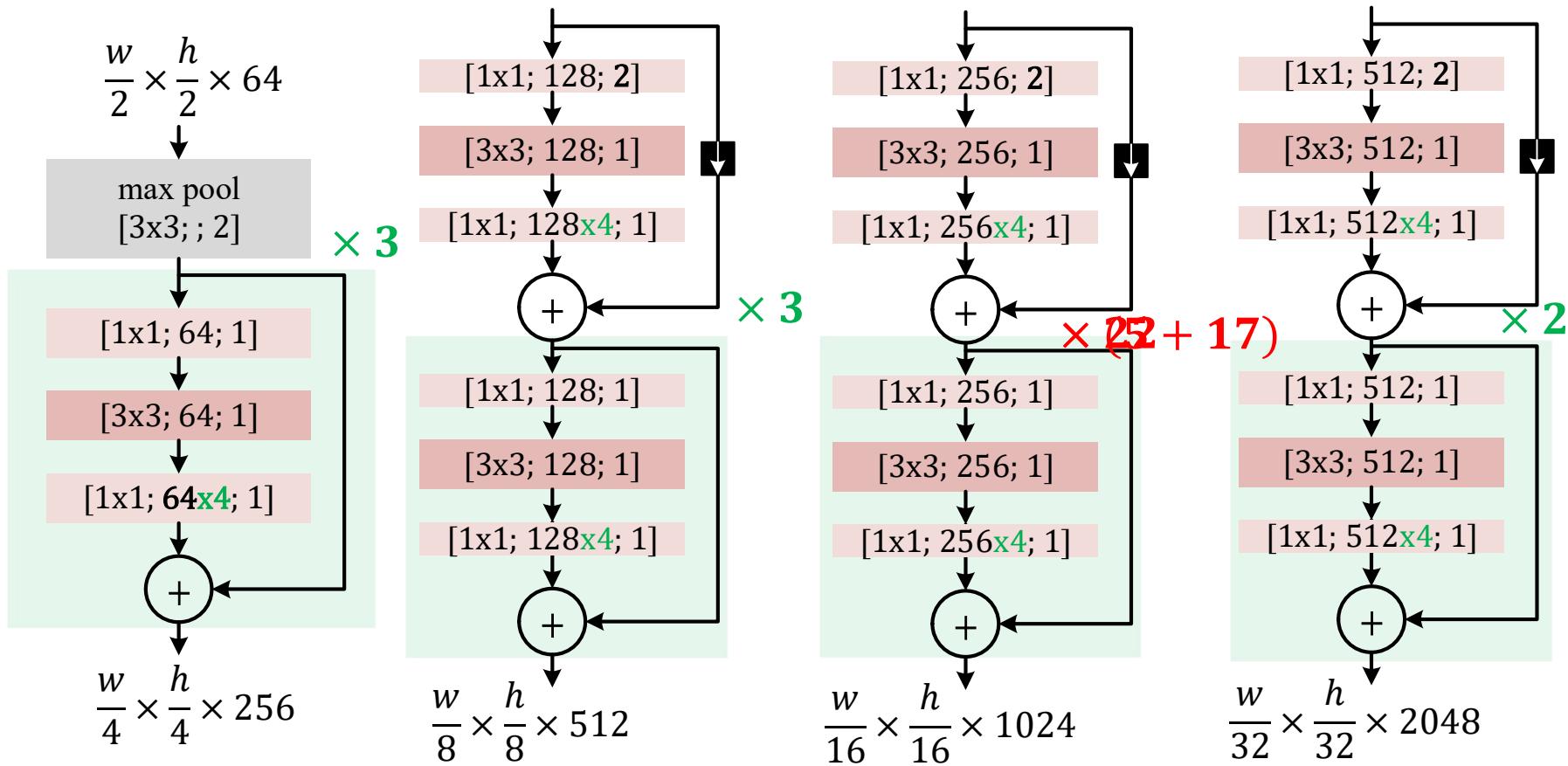
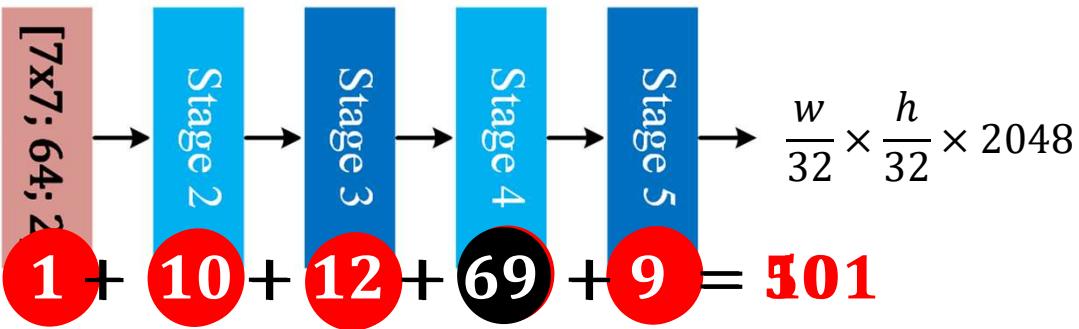


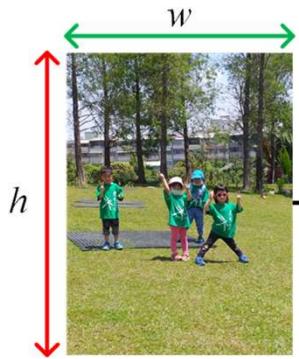
50-layer Residual Network



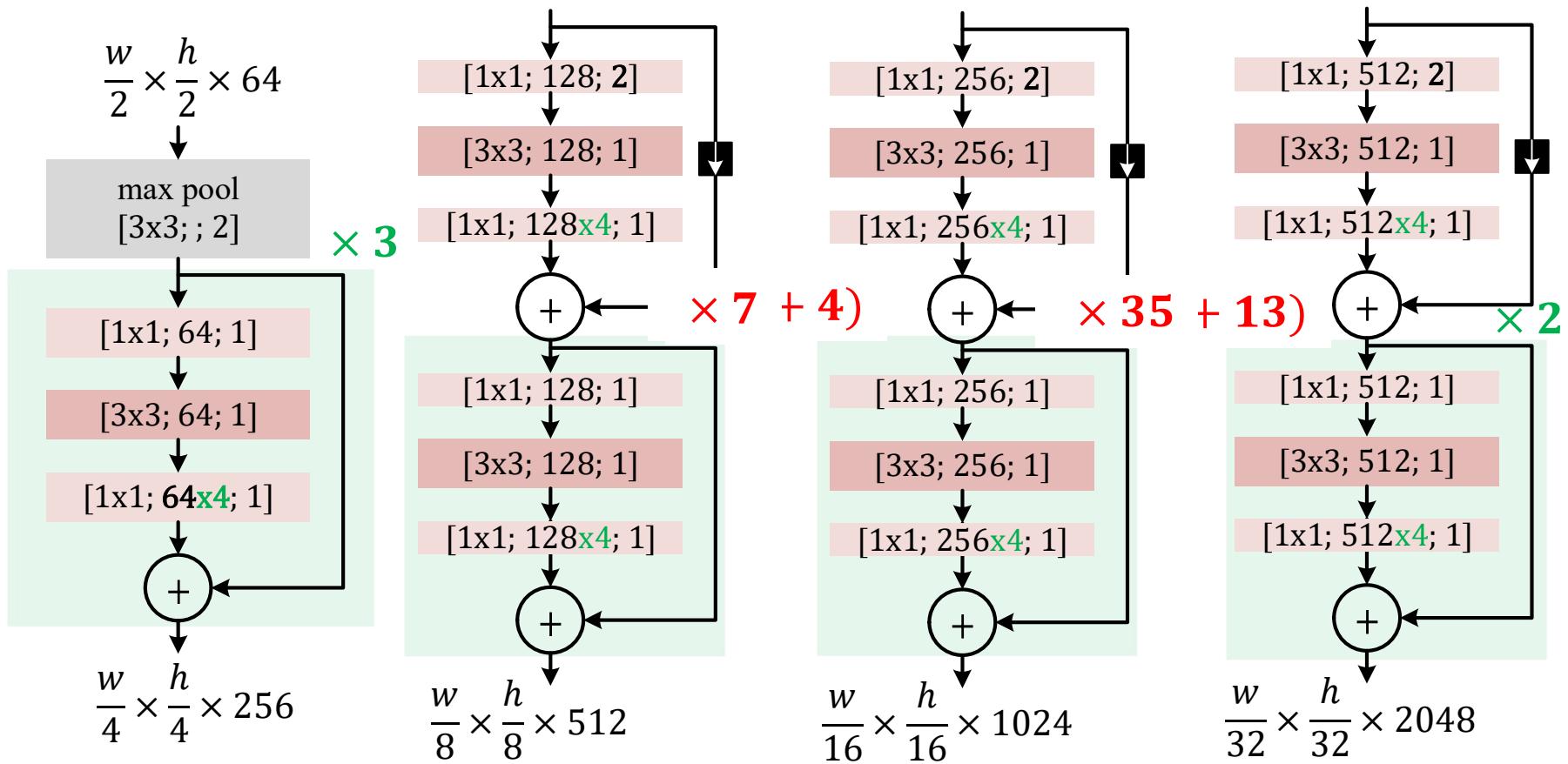
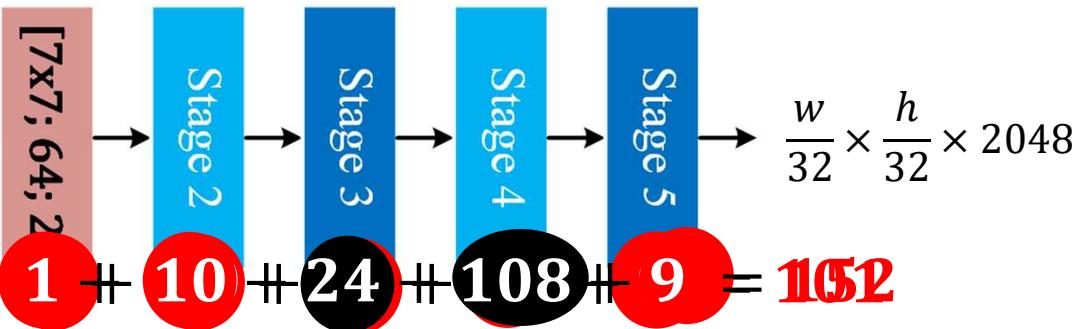


101-layer Residual Network



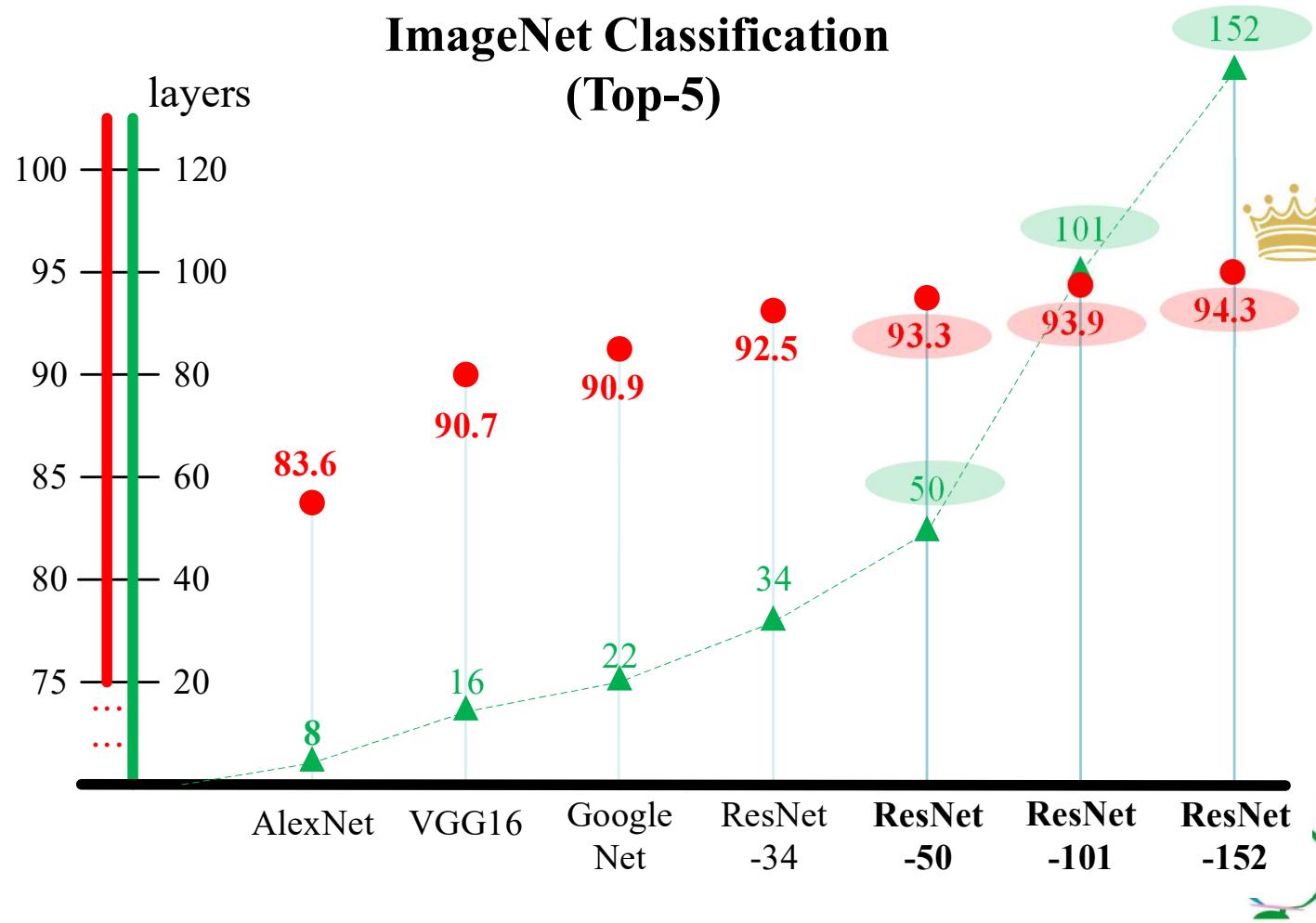


152-layer Residual Network





Deeper Residual Network





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