

MODEL RECOMMENDATION: GENERATING OBJECT DETECTORS FROM FEW SAMPLES

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MOTIVATION

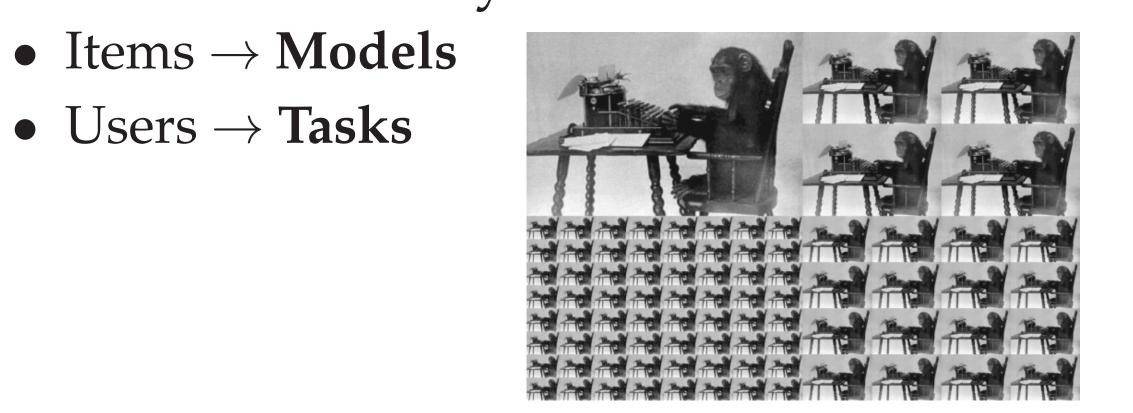
Learning from supervised data → Learning from **experience**

- A large annotated dataset \rightarrow A large library of **pre-trained models**
- Expensive training from scratch \rightarrow **Selecting** most suitable store models

Recommender systems

Vision domain

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Infinite Monkey Theorem [Wikipedia]

COLLABORATIVE FILTERING

Joint latent factor space for task-model interactions

- Estimate of rating r_{ij} of model M_i on task T_j : $\hat{r}_{ij} = u_i^T v_j$
- Low-rank matrix factorization
- SVD with biases

$$\widehat{r}_{ij} = \mu + q_i + p_j + u_i^T v_j, \quad \overline{R} = ESF \approx (E_d S_d) F_d = UV$$

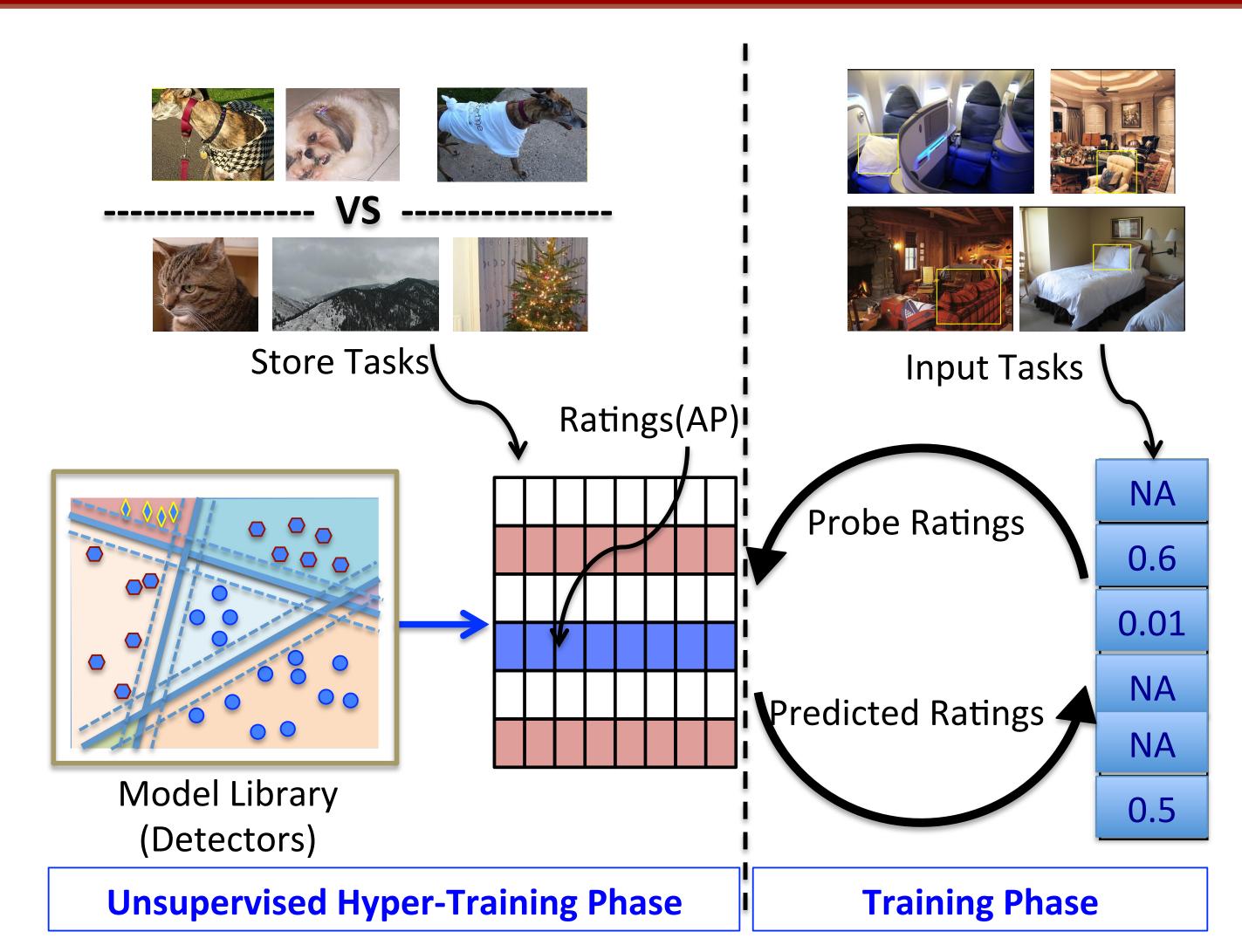
NMF

$$R \approx UV = \sum_{l=1}^{d} U._{l}V_{l}.$$

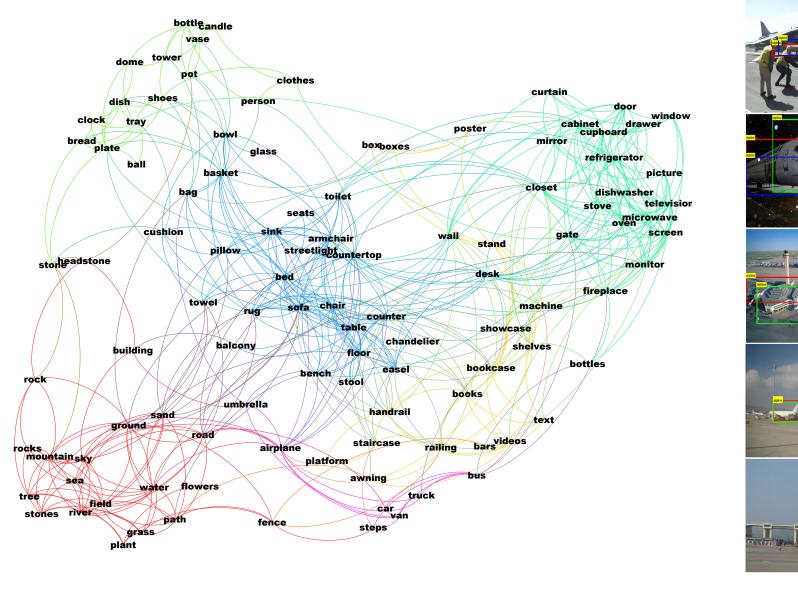
• Estimate of ratings r for an input task given k probe ratings

$$(\widetilde{U}_k)v=r_k, \quad \widehat{r}=Uv$$

PIPELINE

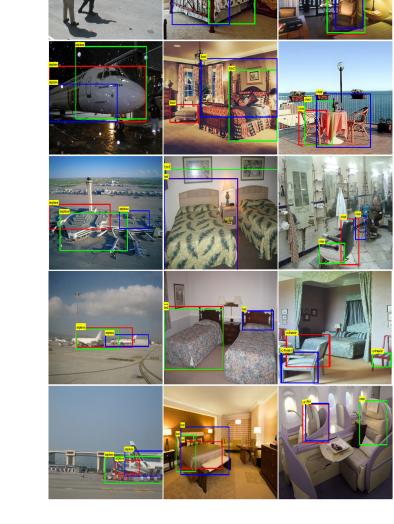


QUALITATIVE VISUALIZATION

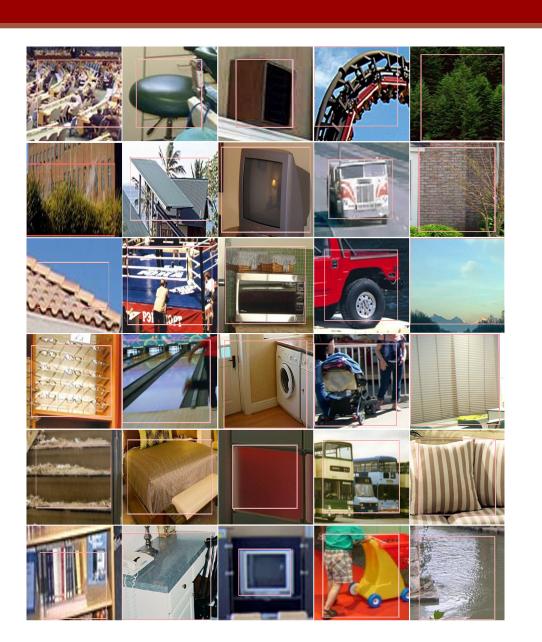


Continuous category space

discovery by model sharing



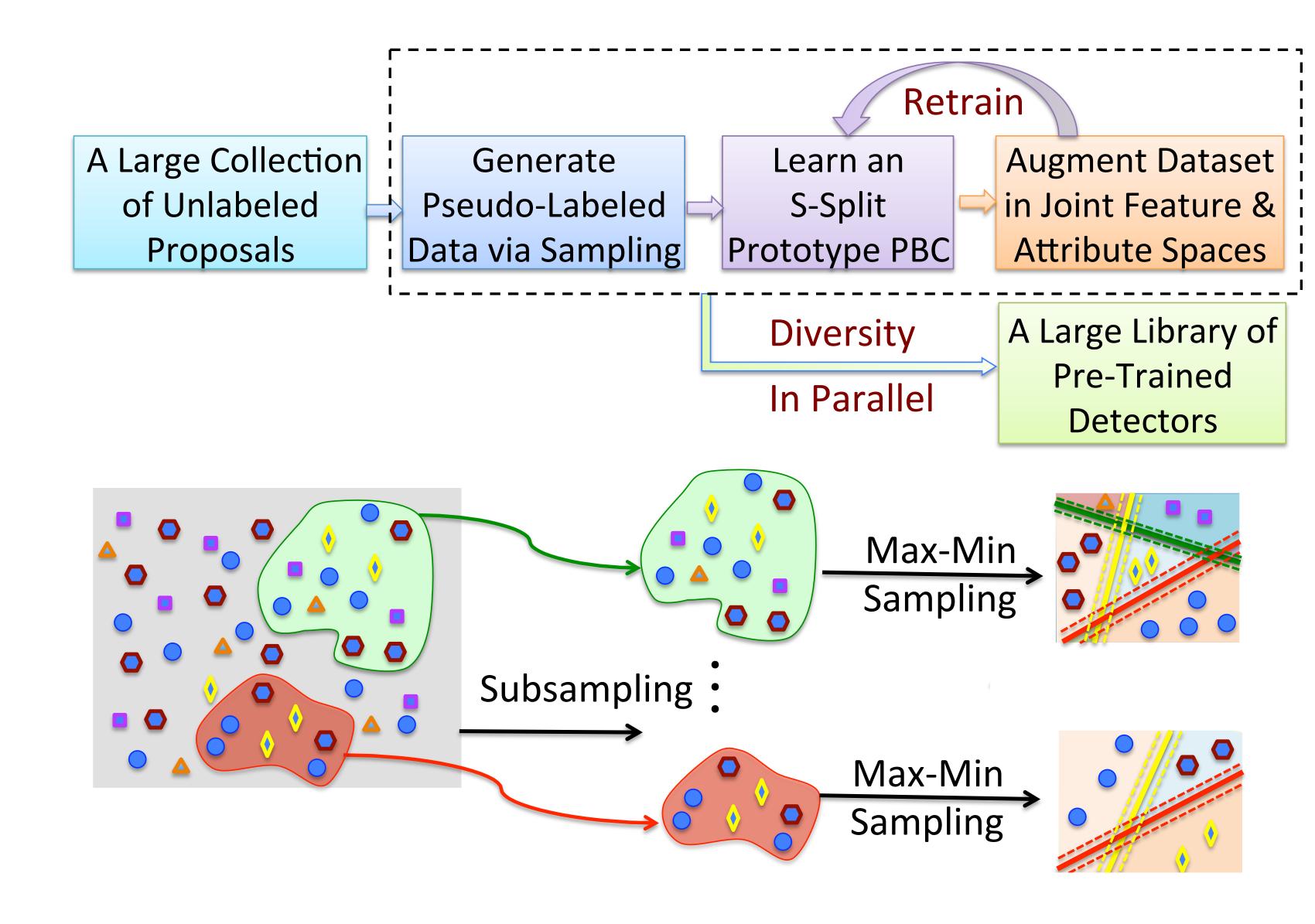
Collaborative detection of different models



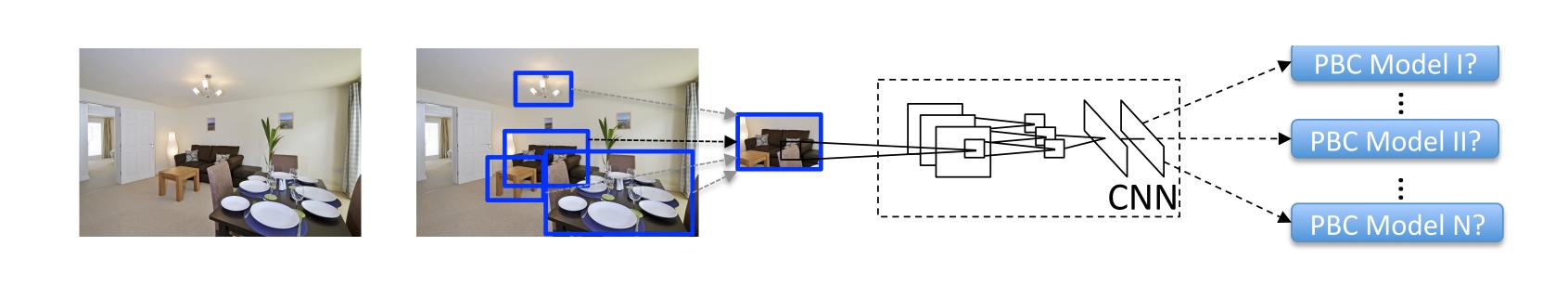
Same model informative across different tasks

UNSUPERVISED HYPER-TRAINING: PBC-CNN

- Feature Space: Pre-trained CNNs on ILSVRC 2012
- Processing Units: Region proposals
- Unsupervised Discovery of Predictable Discriminative Binary Codes (PBCs [Rastegari et al.])

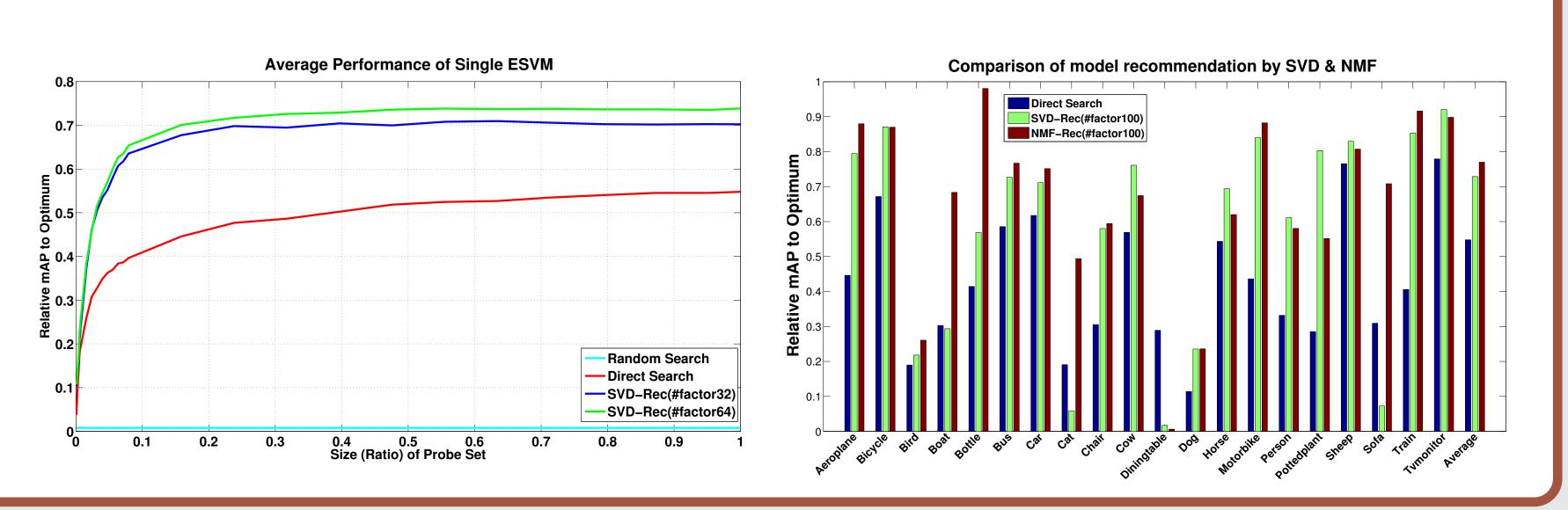


Detection Process



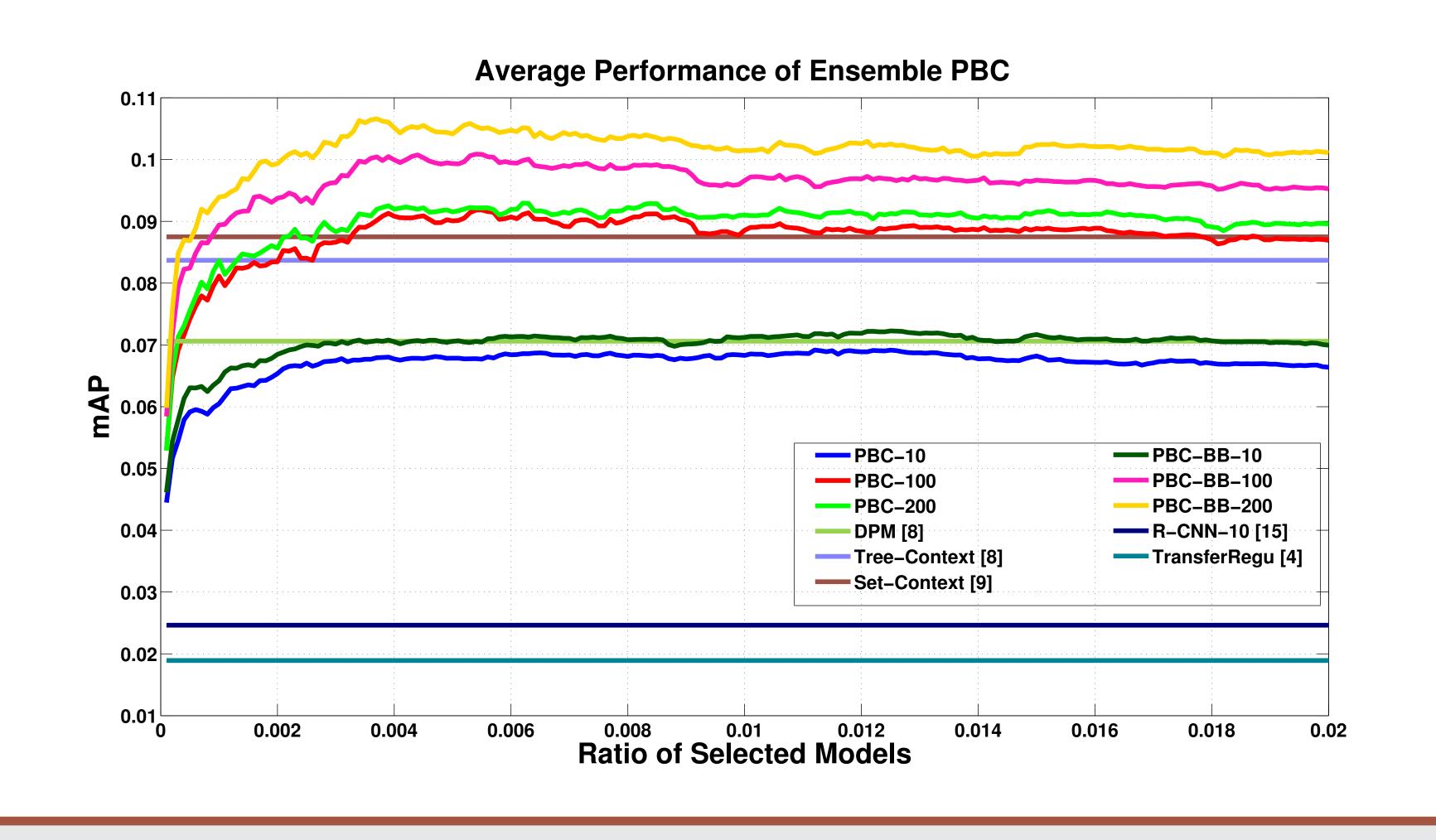
RECOMMENDER SYSTEM ANALYSIS

- Model Library: ESVMs
- Store Tasks: Random detection tasks on PASCAL 2007 trainval
- Ratings Store: $12,608 \times 10,000$
- Target Tasks: Detection of 20 categories on PASCAL 2007 test



ENSEMBLE MODEL RECOMMENDATION

- Model Library: Unsupervised PBCs hyper-trained on PASCAL 2007
- Store Tasks: Random detection tasks on PASCAL 2007
- Ratings Store: $10,000 \times 10,000$
- Target Tasks: Detection of 107 categories on SUN 09 test
- Input Tasks: 10 random images per category on SUN 09 training



CONCLUSIONS

- A large collection of universal and expressive models in an unsupervised manner (pre-trained features + models)
- A far smaller set of annotated samples
- An efficient way to generate new models by recommending
- A promising mechanism for a broader range of vision tasks