

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

Thermal Image Super-Resolution Challenge - PBVS 2021

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1. Introduction

This document presents the eleven architectures proposed by the nine teams that participated in the second Thermal Image Super-Resolution challenge. The challenge has been organized in the framework of the PBVS 2021 workshop, CVPR 2021.

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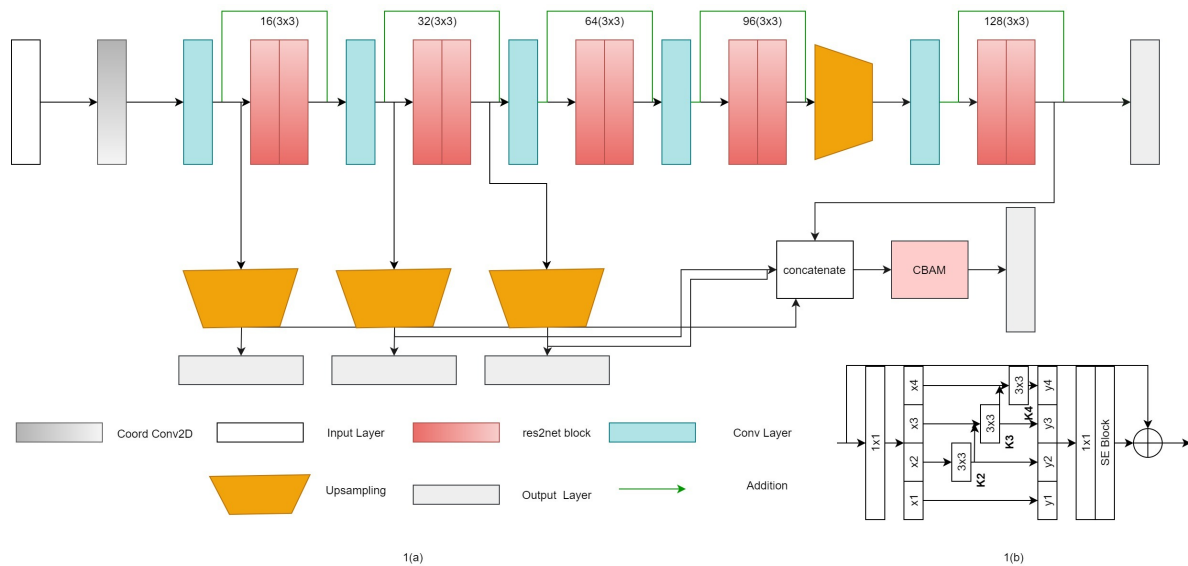


Figure 1: Architecture proposed by COUGER AI team.

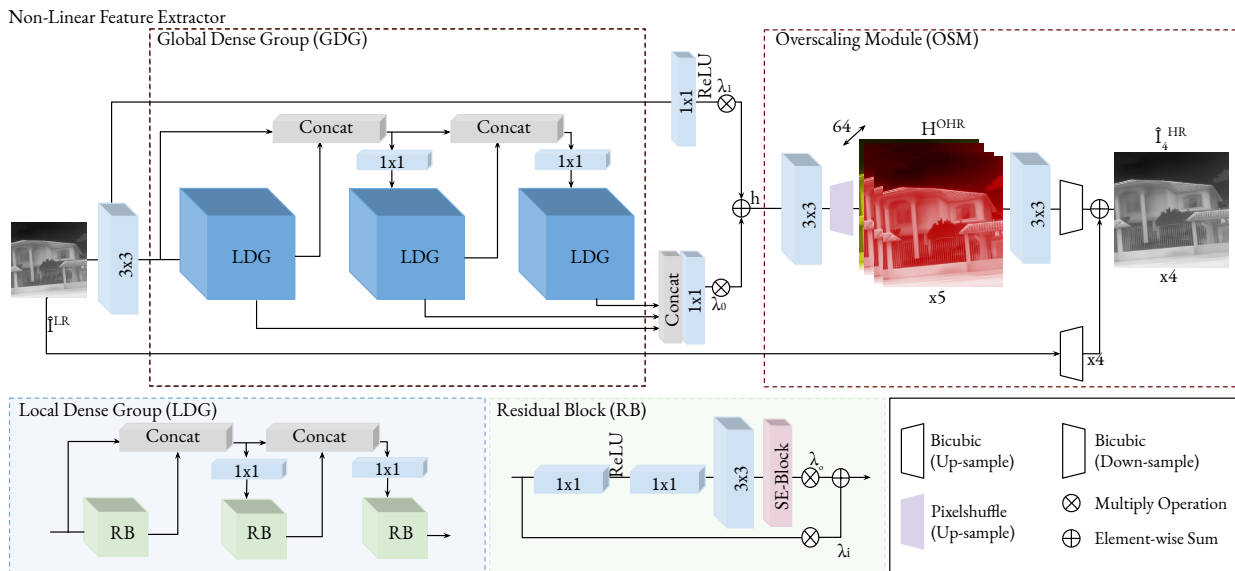


Figure 2: Architecture proposed by CVC team.

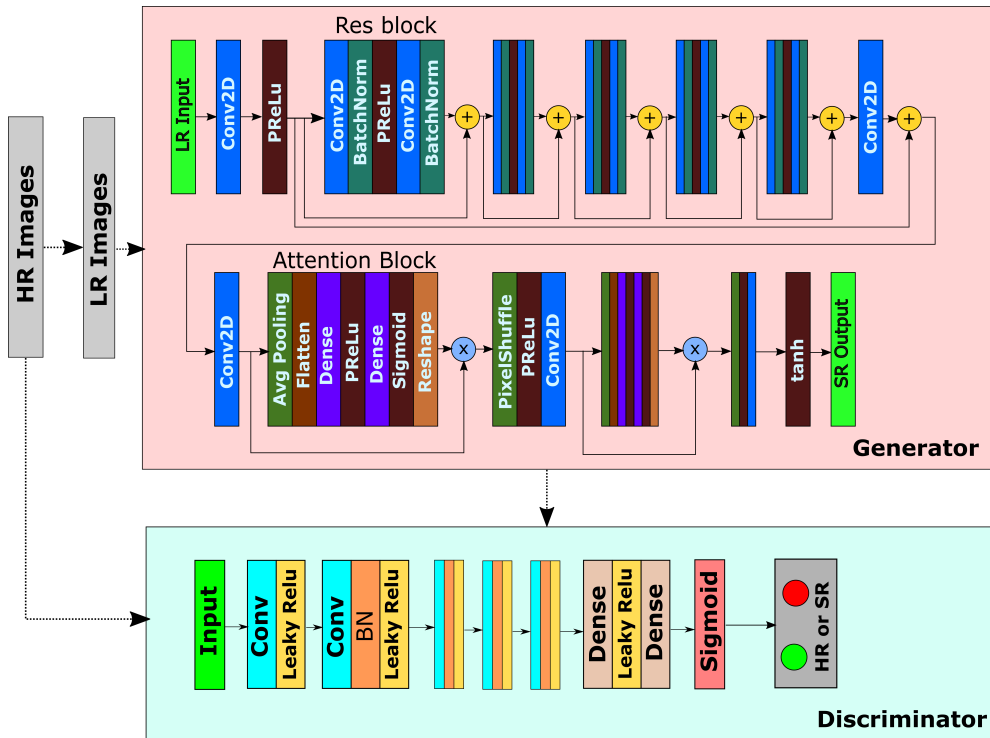


Figure 3: Architecture proposed by IESL-CSIO team.

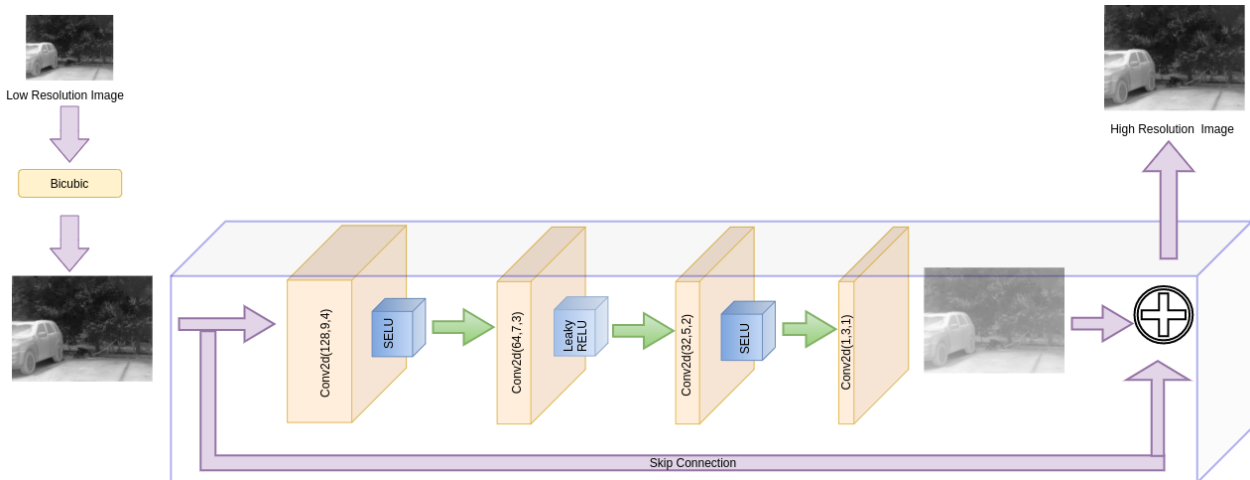


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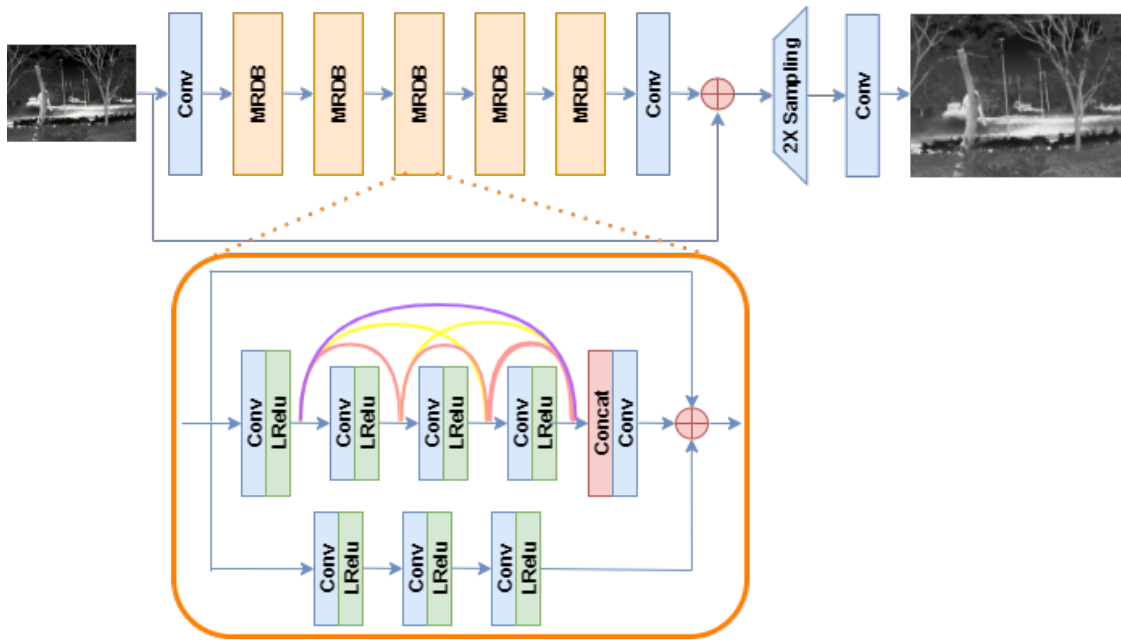


Figure 5: Architecture proposed by NPU-MPI-LAB team for evaluation 1.

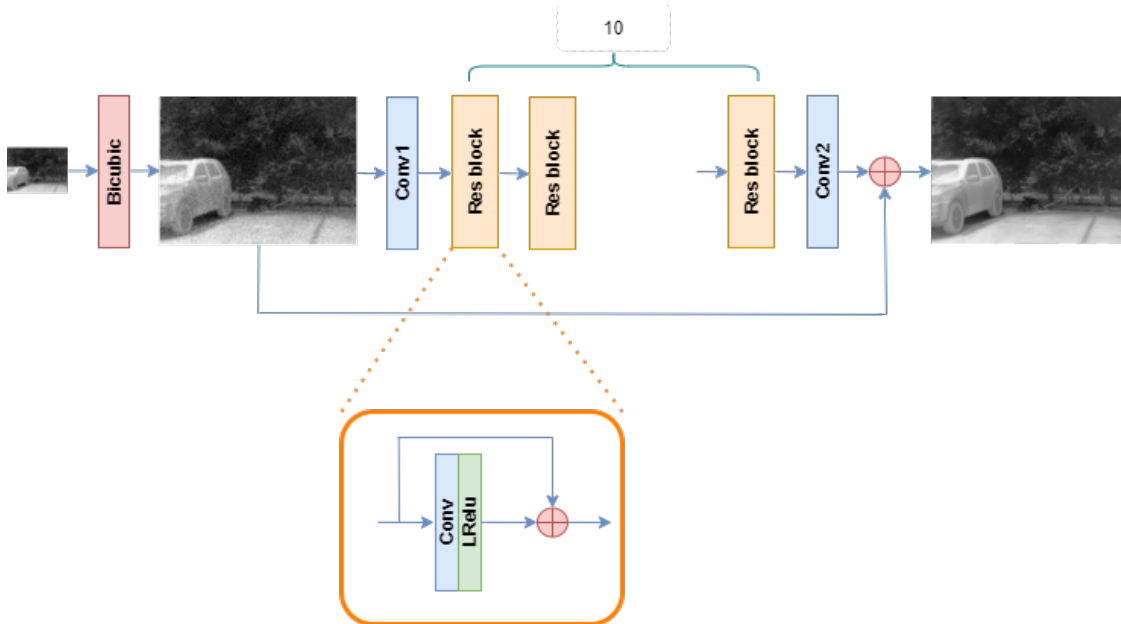
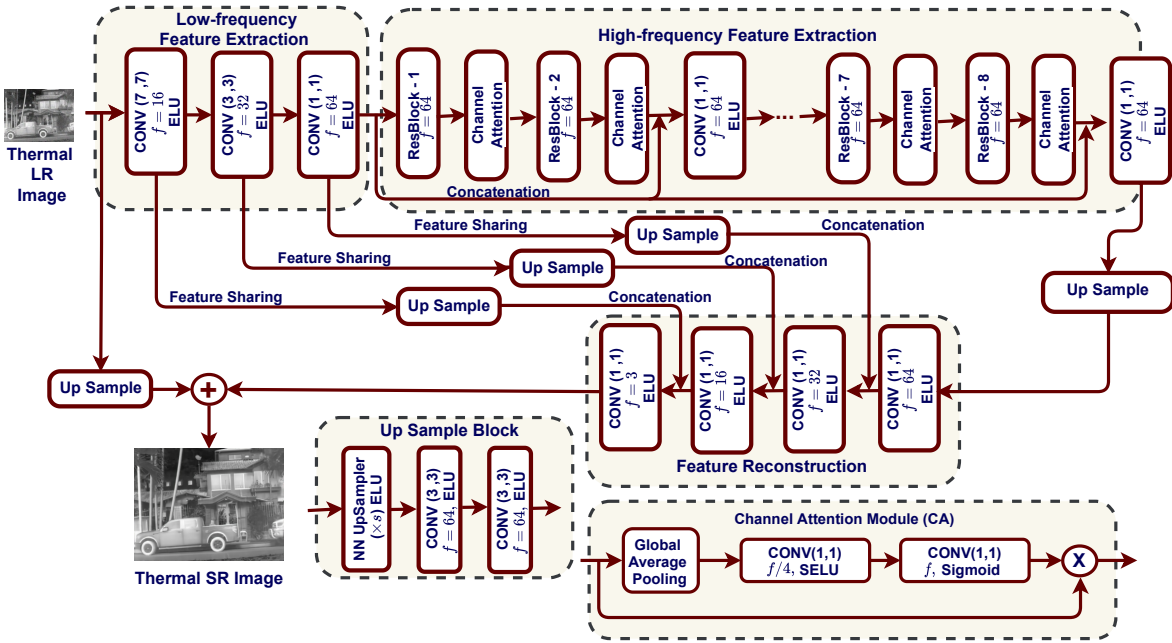
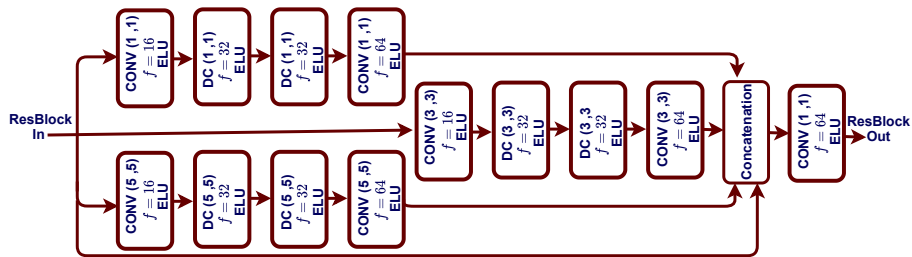


Figure 6: Architecture proposed by NPU-MPI-LAB team for evaluation 2.

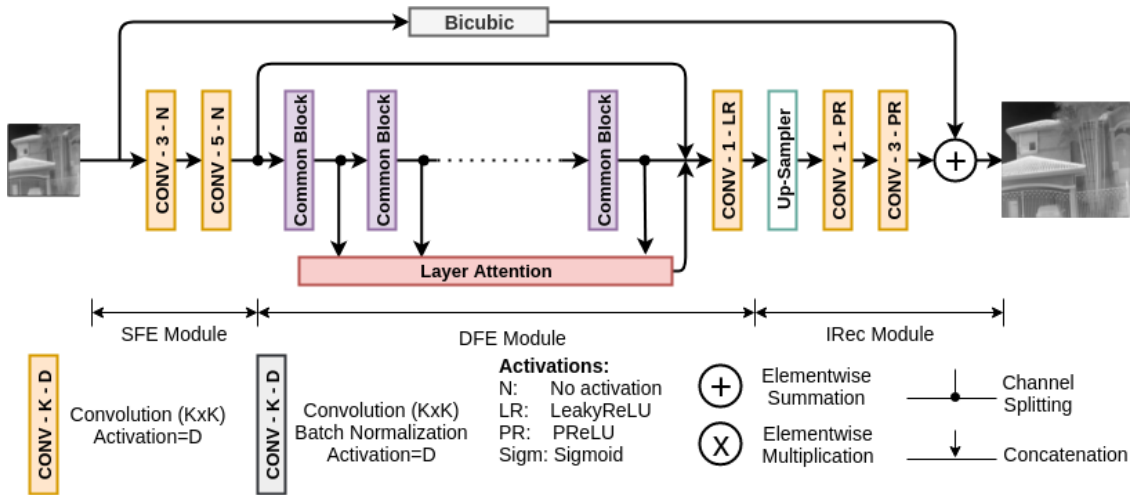


(a) The block schematic of the proposed architecture for scaling factors $\times 4$ and $\times 2$ (i.e., Track-1 & Track-2)

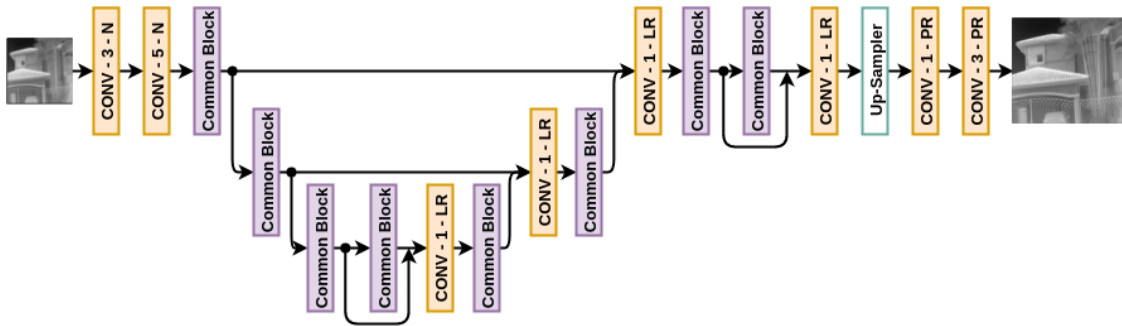


(b) The design of the ResBlock used in the proposed model.

Figure 7: First architecture proposed by SVNIT_NTNU team (**winner at evaluation 1**).



(a) CNN framework for scaling factors $\times 4$ and $\times 2$ (i.e., Track-1 & Track-2)



(b) UNet based framework for scaling factor $\times 2$ (i.e., Track-2)

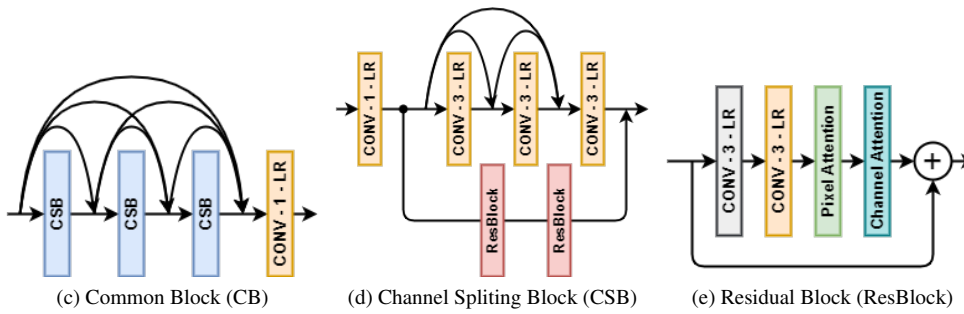
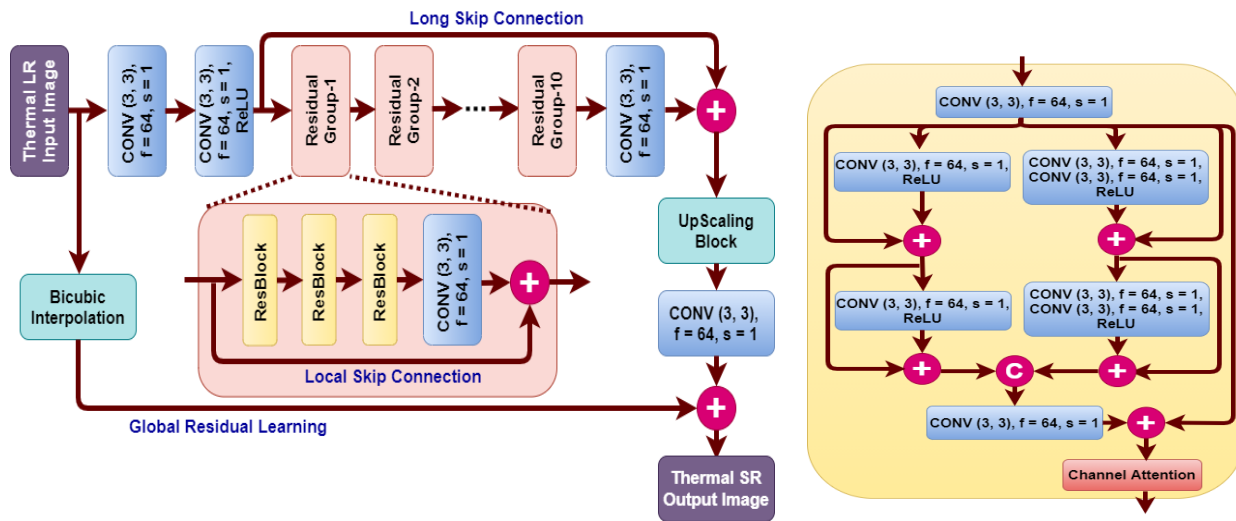


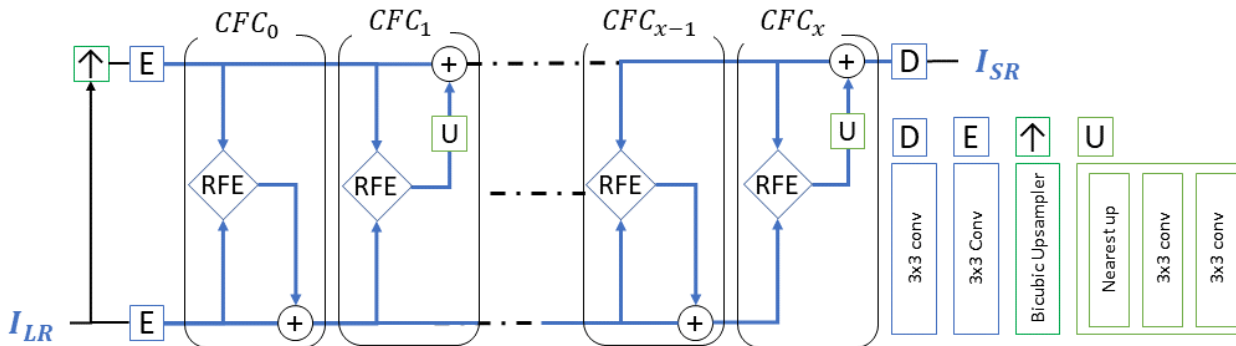
Figure 8: Second architecture proposed by SVNIT_NTNU team.



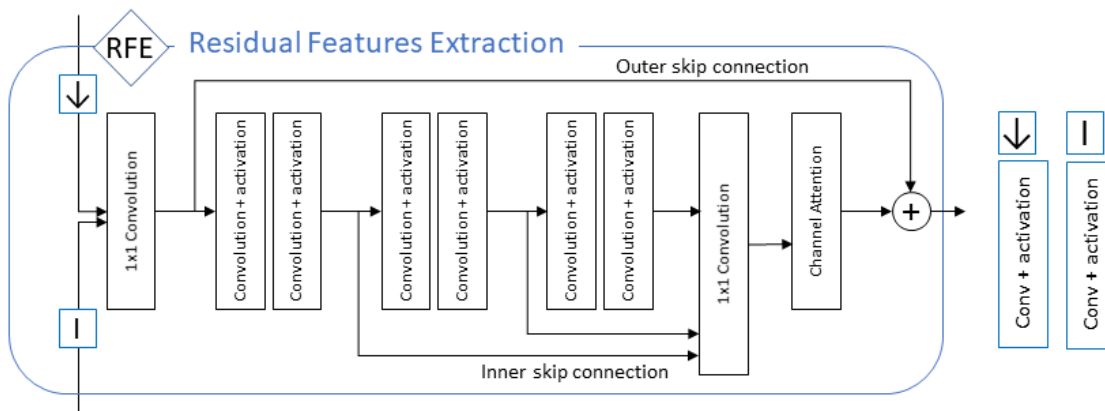
(a) Network architecture design

(b) ResBlock design

Figure 9: Third architecture proposed by SVNIT_NTNU team.



(a) Network architecture design



(b) Residual Feature Extraction Module

Figure 10: Architecture proposed by ULB-LISA team (winner at evaluation 2).

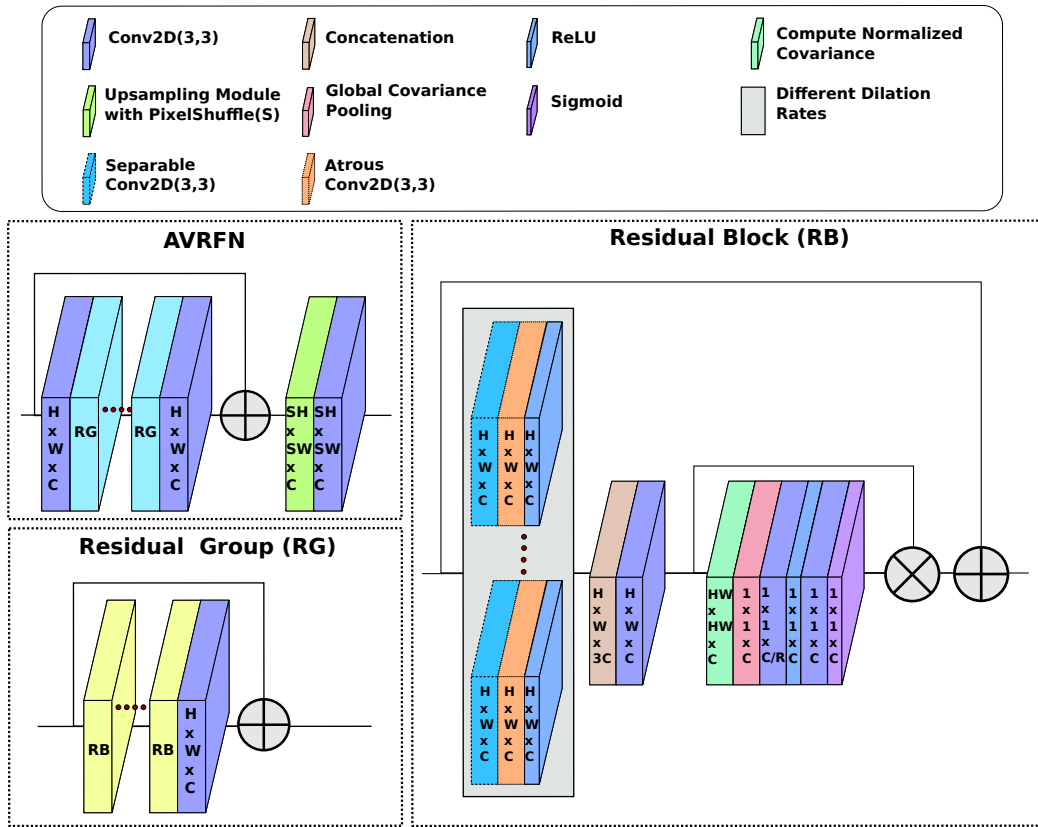


Figure 11: Architecture proposed by RVL-UTA-1 team.

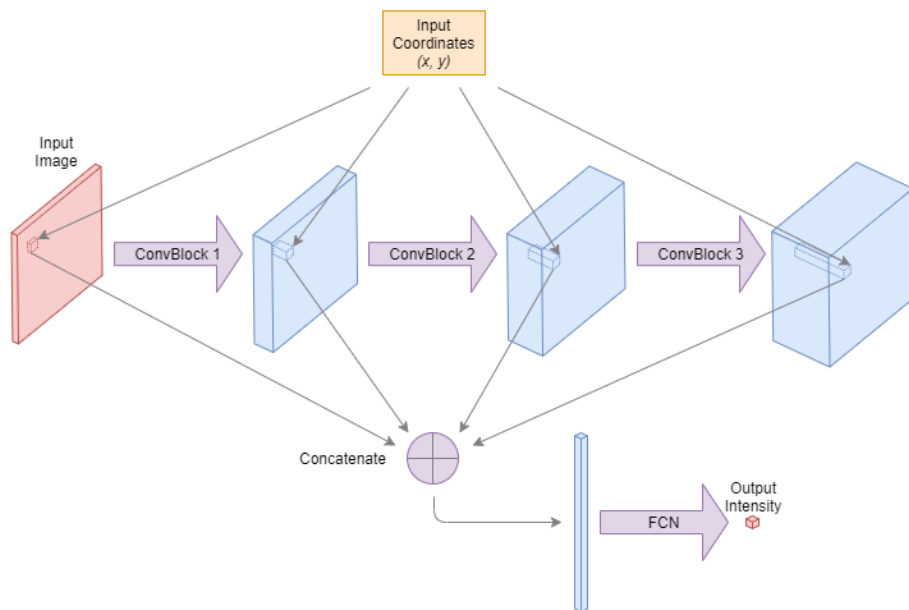


Figure 12: Architecture proposed by RVL-UTA-2 team.