

Table 1: Comparing with channel pruning. Speedups for HRank[11] are inferred from its theoretical FLOPs reduction.

Network	Sparsity ratio	Accuracy	Speedup
Baseline	Dense	76.12	1×
HRank[11]	37%	74.98	1.77×
OVW	50%	75.76	1.86×
HRank[11]	46%	71.98	2.63×
OVW	70%	73.35	2.79×

Table 2: Comparing speedup with different vector lengths.

Resnet50 layer		64	32	16
Conv0	50%	1.51	1.27	1.12
	90%	2.14	2.76	1.93
Conv11	50%	2.23	1.73	0.33
	90%	7.75	6.62	1.38
Conv41	50%	1.62	0.76	0.31
	90%	7.93	3.72	1.53

1 A Appendix

2 A.1 Ablation Study

3 Table 1 shows the accuracy of our method compared to advanced channel pruning methods, HRank
 4 [11]. Channel pruning requires specialized training from scratch methods to recover its enormous
 5 accuracy drop. The OVW pattern demonstrates a better accuracy-speed tradeoff against it.

6 Table 2 supports our arguments for V that only vector lengths as large as 32 or 64 can minimize
 7 convolution kernel runtime.

8 Table 2 justified our system is robust on different types of GPU as long as its architecture supports
 9 optimization for the implicit GEMM convolution algorithm.

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Table 3: Comparing speedup on RTX 3070.

Resnet50 layer		V100		RTX 3070	
		V=64	V=32	V=64	V=32
Conv11	50%	2.23	1.73	1.71	1.55
	90%	7.75	6.62	6.71	6.39
Conv41	50%	1.62	0.76	1.30	0.68
	90%	7.93	3.72	6.30	3.31

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