

# R-CNN for Object Detection

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# Outline

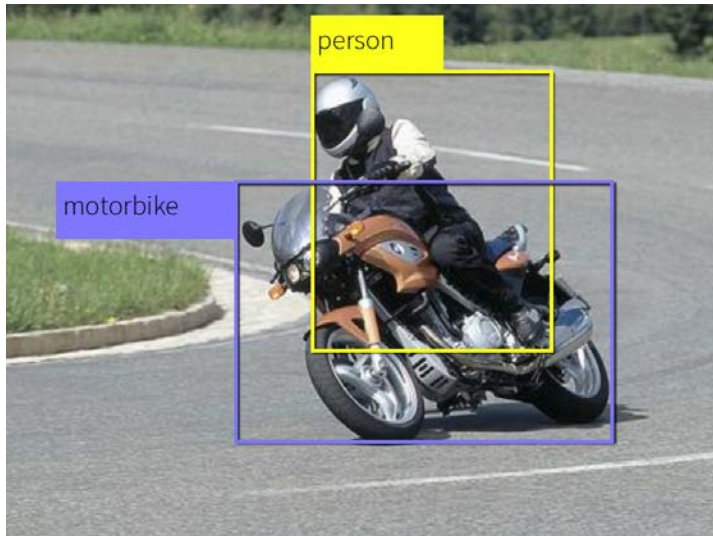
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# Detection and Segmentation

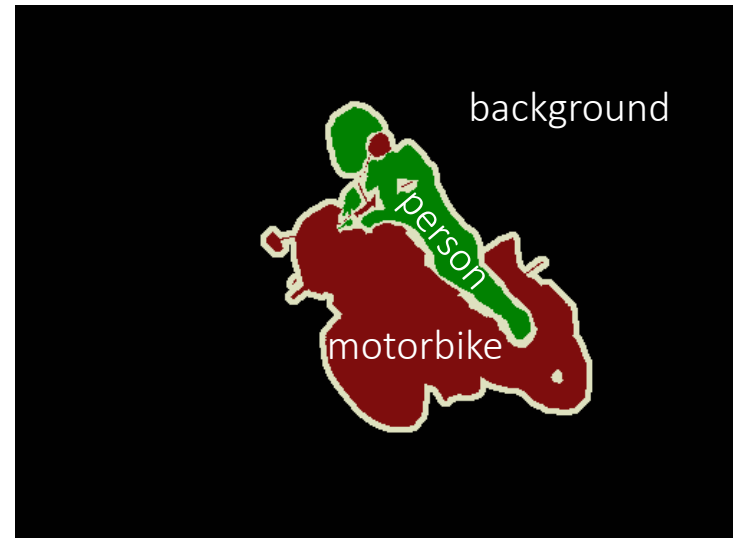
input image



object detection



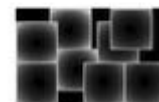
segmentation



# Background: VOC

- PASCAL Visual Object Classes Challenge
- 20 classes, ~10K images, ~25K annotated objects
- Training, validation, test data sets.
- Evaluation:
  - Average Precision (AP) per class
  - mean Average Precision

# Background: Deformable Parts Model



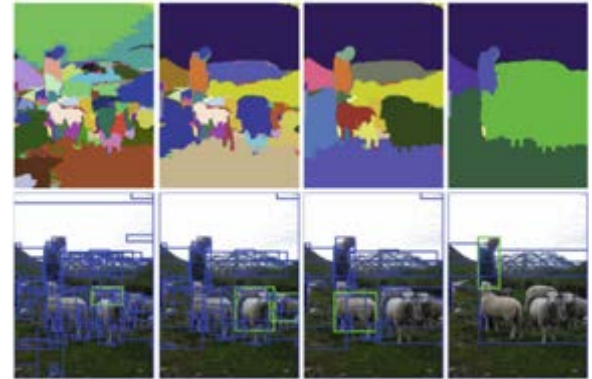
- Strong low-level features based on histograms of oriented gradients (HOG)
- Efficient matching algorithms for deformable part-based models (pictorial structures)
- Discriminative learning with latent variables (latent SVM)
- mean Average Precision (mAP): 33.7% - 33.4%
- mAP with “context”: 35.4%
- mAP with “sketch tokens”: 29.1%
- mAP with “histograms of sparse codes”: 34.3%

P.F. Felzenszwalb et al., “Object Detection with Discriminatively Trained Part-Based Models”, PAMI 2010.

J.J. Lim et al., “Sketch Tokens: A Learned Mid-level Representation for Contour and Object Detection”, CVPR 2013.

X. Ren et al., “Histograms of Sparse Codes for Object Detection”, CVPR 2013.

# Background: Selective search



- Alternative to exhaustive search with sliding window.
- Starting with over-segmentation, merge *similar* regions and produce region proposals.
- Bag-of-Words Model with Dense SIFT, OpponentSIFT and RGB-SIFT, plus SVM.
- mAP: ? – 35.1%

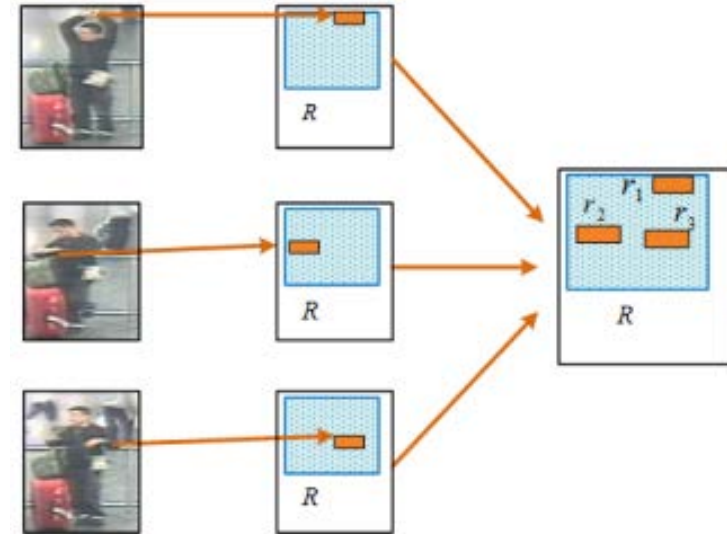
B.C. Russell et al., “Using Multiple Segmentations to Discover Objects and their Extent in Image Collections”, CVPR 2006.

C. Gu et al., “Recognition Using Regions”, CVPR 2009.

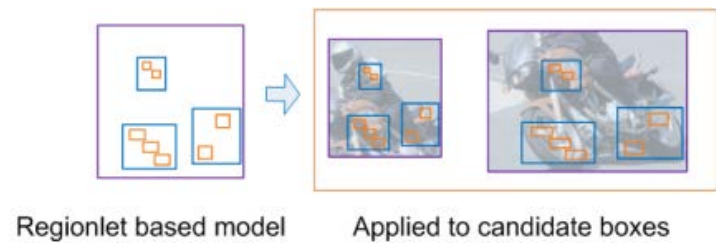
van de Sande et al., “Segmentation as Selective Search for Object Recognition”, ICCV 2011.

# Background: Regionlets

- Start with *selective search*.
- Define sub-parts of regions whose position/resolution are relative and normalized to a detection window, as the basic units to extract appearance features.
- Features: HOG, LBP, Covariance.
- mAP: 41.7% - 39.7%



Wang et al., "Regionlets for Generic Object Detection", ICCV 2013.







# ImageNet 2012

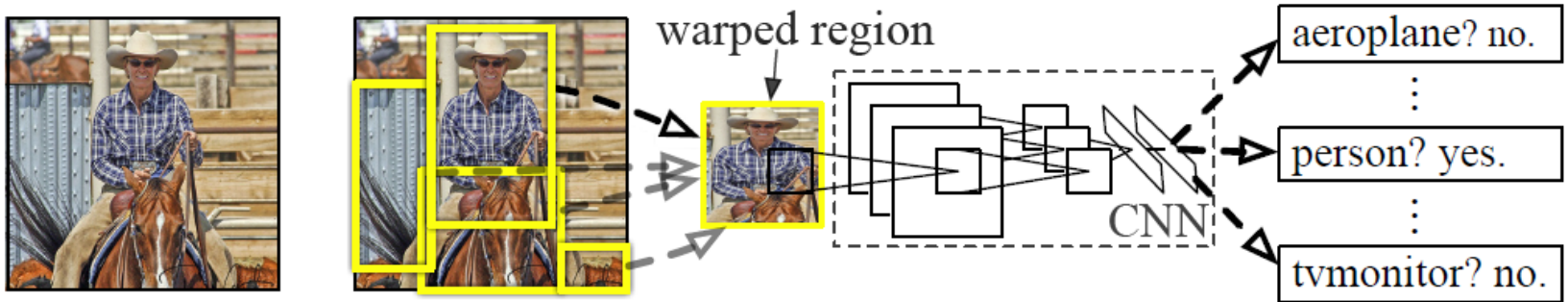
whole-image classification with 1000 categories

| Model                 | Top-1 (val) | Top-5 (val) | Top-5 (test) |
|-----------------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| SIFT + Fisher Vectors | -           | -           | 26.2%        |
| 1 CNN                 | 40.7%       | 18.2%       | -            |
| 5 CNNs                | 38.1%       | 16.4%       | 16.4%        |
| 1 CNN (pre-trained)   | 39.0%       | 16.6%       | -            |
| 7 CNNs (pre-trained)  | 36.7%       | 15.4%       | 15.3%        |

- Can it be used in object recognition?
- Problems:
  - localization: Where is the object?
  - annotation: Labeled data is scarce.

Krizhevsky et al., "ImageNet Classification with Deep Convolutional Neural Networks", NIPS 2012.

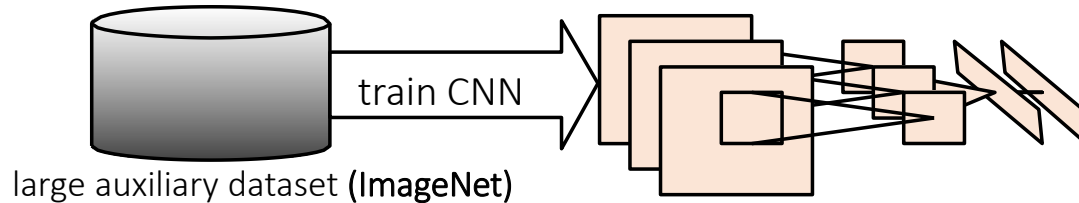
# R-CNN: Region proposals + CNN



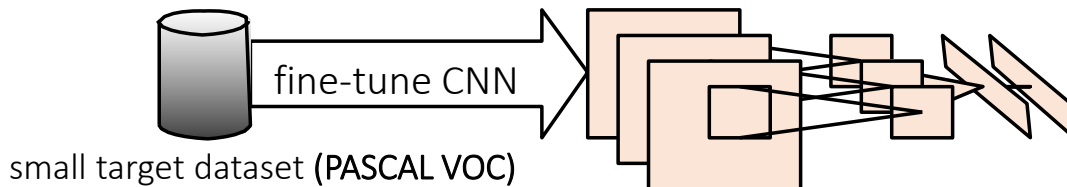
|               | localization  | feature extraction              | classification                                      |
|---------------|---|---------------------------------|---|
| this paper:   | selective search  | deep learning<br>CNN            | binary linear SVM                                   |
| alternatives: | objectness, constrained<br>parametric min-cuts,<br>sliding window ... | HOG, SIFT, LBP,<br>BoW, DPM ... | SVM,<br>Neural networks,<br>Logistic regression ... |

# R-CNN: Training

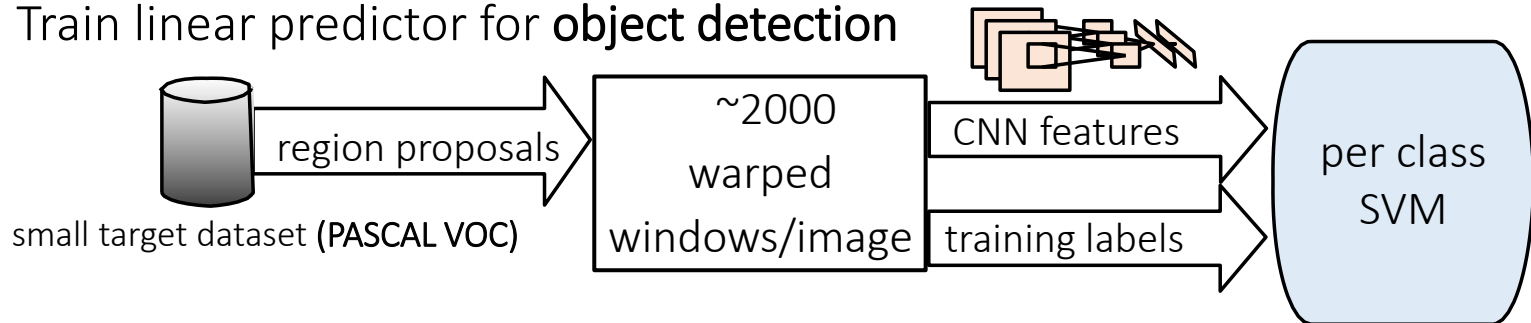
## 1. Pre-train CNN for image classification



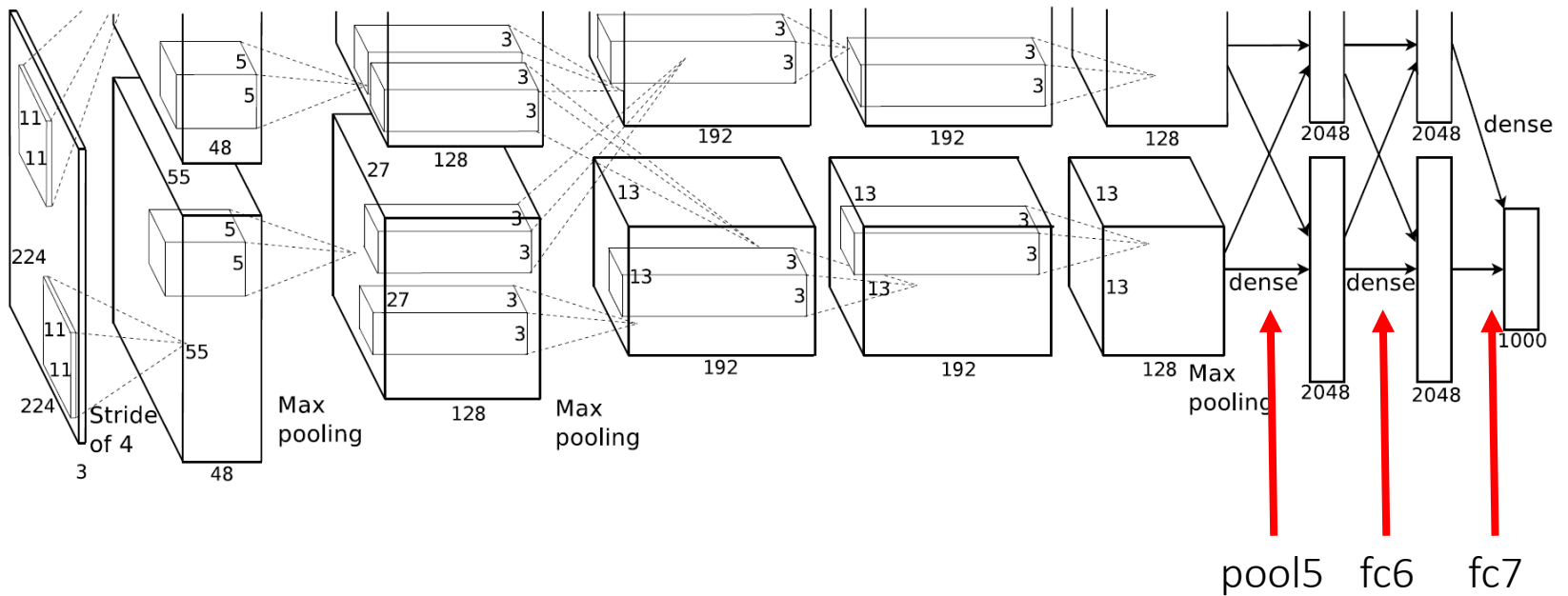
## 2. Fine-tune CNN for object detection



## 3. Train linear predictor for object detection



# UToronto “SuperVision” CNN



Krizhevsky et al., “ImageNet Classification with Deep Convolutional Neural Networks”, NIPS 2012.

# Evaluation: mAP

|                  |   | VOC 2007     | VOC 2010 |
|------------------|---|--------------|----------|
| reference        | DPM v5 (Girshick et al. 2011)                   | 33.7%        | 29.6%    |
|                  | UVA sel. search (Uijlings et al. 2012)          |              | 35.1%    |
|                  | Regionlets (Wang et al. 2013)                   | 41.7%        | 39.7%    |
| pre-trained only | R-CNN pool <sub>5</sub>                         | 44.2%        |          |
|                  | R-CNN fc <sub>6</sub>                           | 46.2%        |          |
|                  | R-CNN fc <sub>7</sub>                           | 44.7%        |          |
| fine-tuned       | R-CNN pool <sub>5</sub>                         | 47.3%        |          |
|                  | R-CNN fc <sub>6</sub>                           | 53.1%        |          |
|                  | R-CNN fc <sub>7</sub>                           | 54.2%        | 50.2%%   |
|                  | R-CNN fc <sub>7</sub> (Bounding Box regression) | <b>58.5%</b> | 53.7%    |

# Evaluation: Top False Positives Bicycle (AP 62.5%)



bicycle (loc): ov=0.36 1-r=0.78



bicycle (loc): ov=0.43 1-r=0.70



bicycle (loc): ov=0.32 1-r=0.69



bicycle (loc): ov=0.43 1-r=0.67



bicycle (loc): ov=0.34 1-r=0.66



bicycle (loc): ov=0.47 1-r=0.65



bicycle (loc): ov=0.33 1-r=0.61



bicycle (loc): ov=0.28 1-r=0.61



bicycle (sim): ov=0.00 1-r=0.60



bicycle (sim): ov=0.00 1-r=0.59



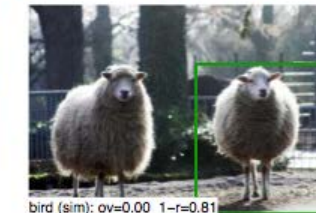
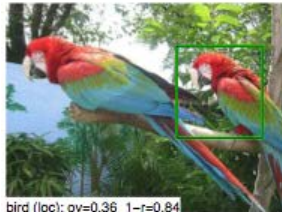
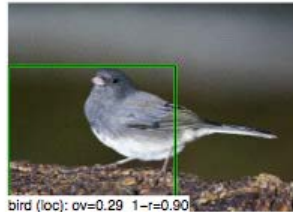
bicycle (loc): ov=0.18 1-r=0.59



bicycle (loc): ov=0.46 1-r=0.58

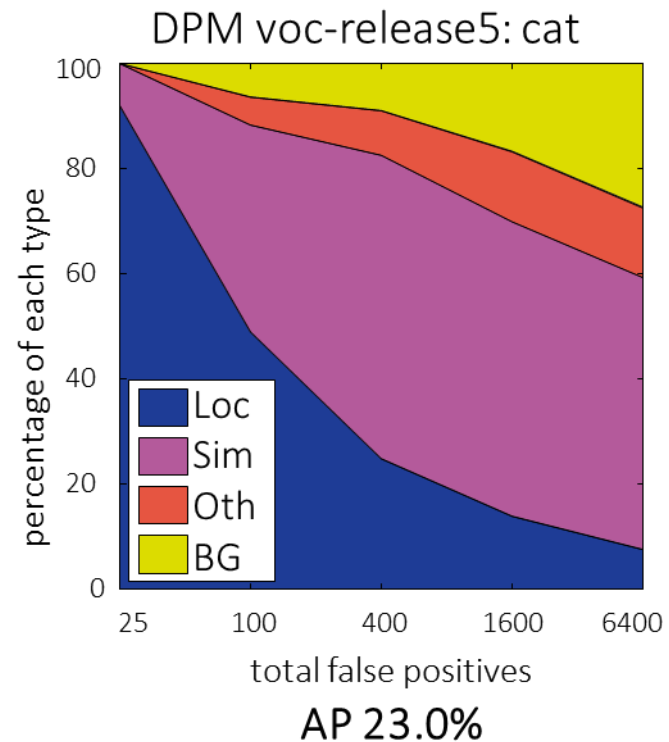
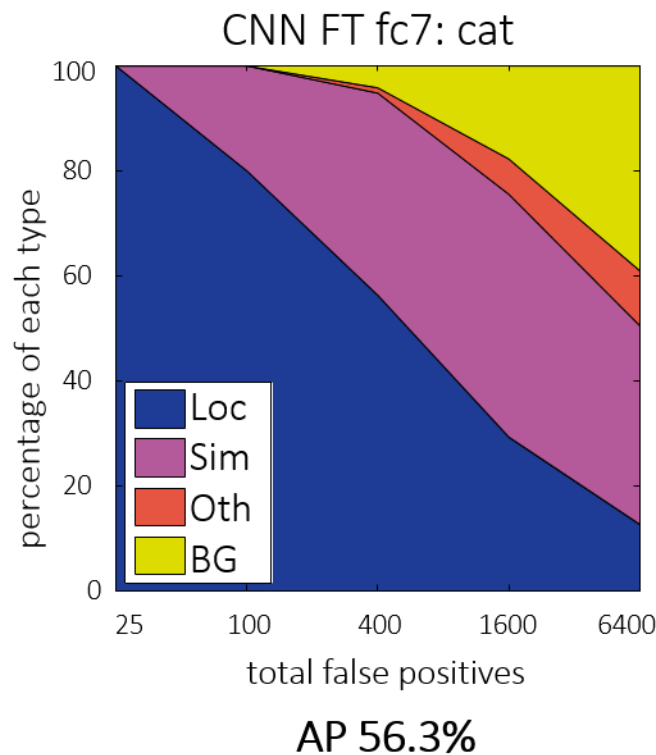
# Evaluation: Top False Positives

## Bird (AP 41.4%)



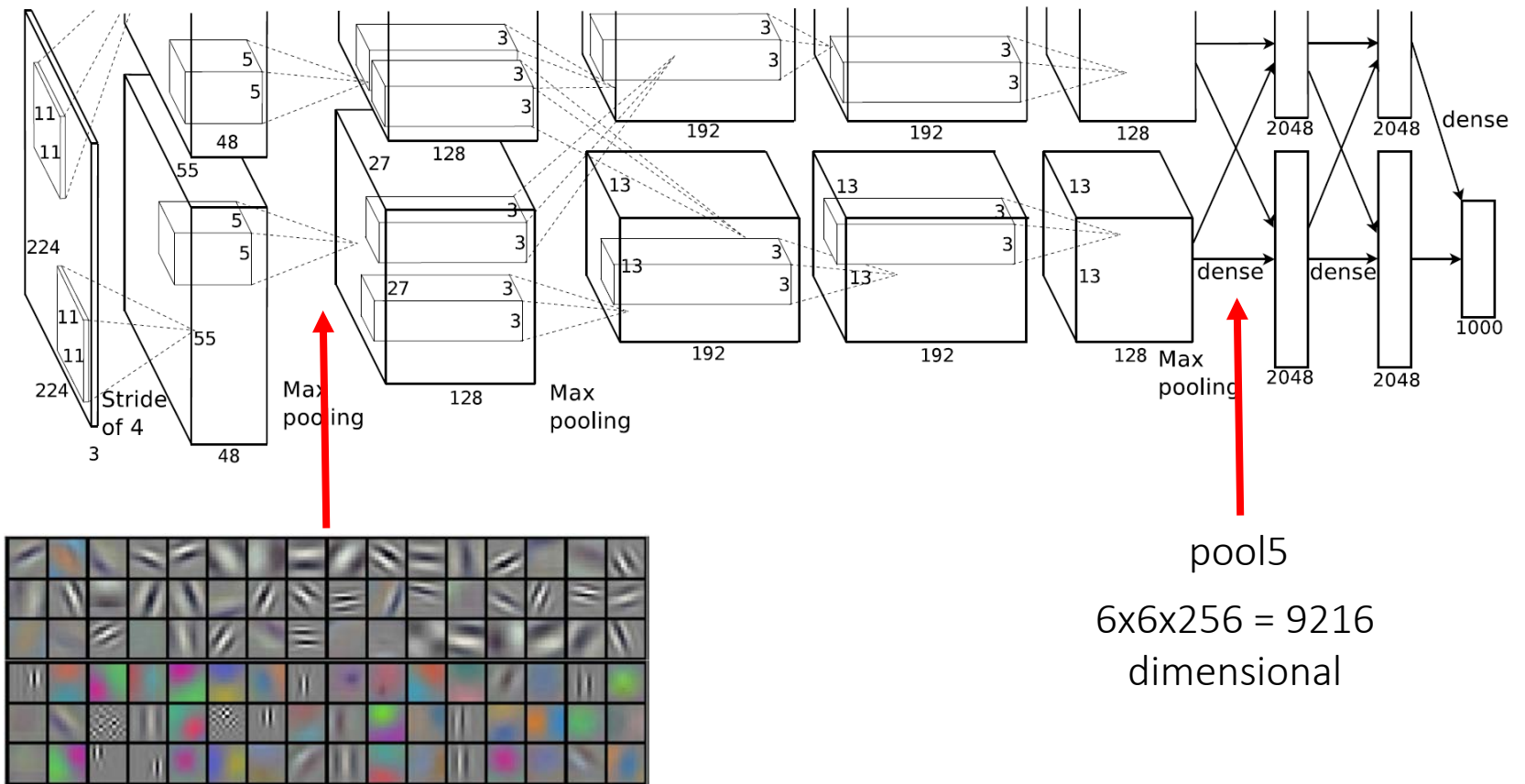
# Evaluation: False positive types

## Cat (AP 56.3%)





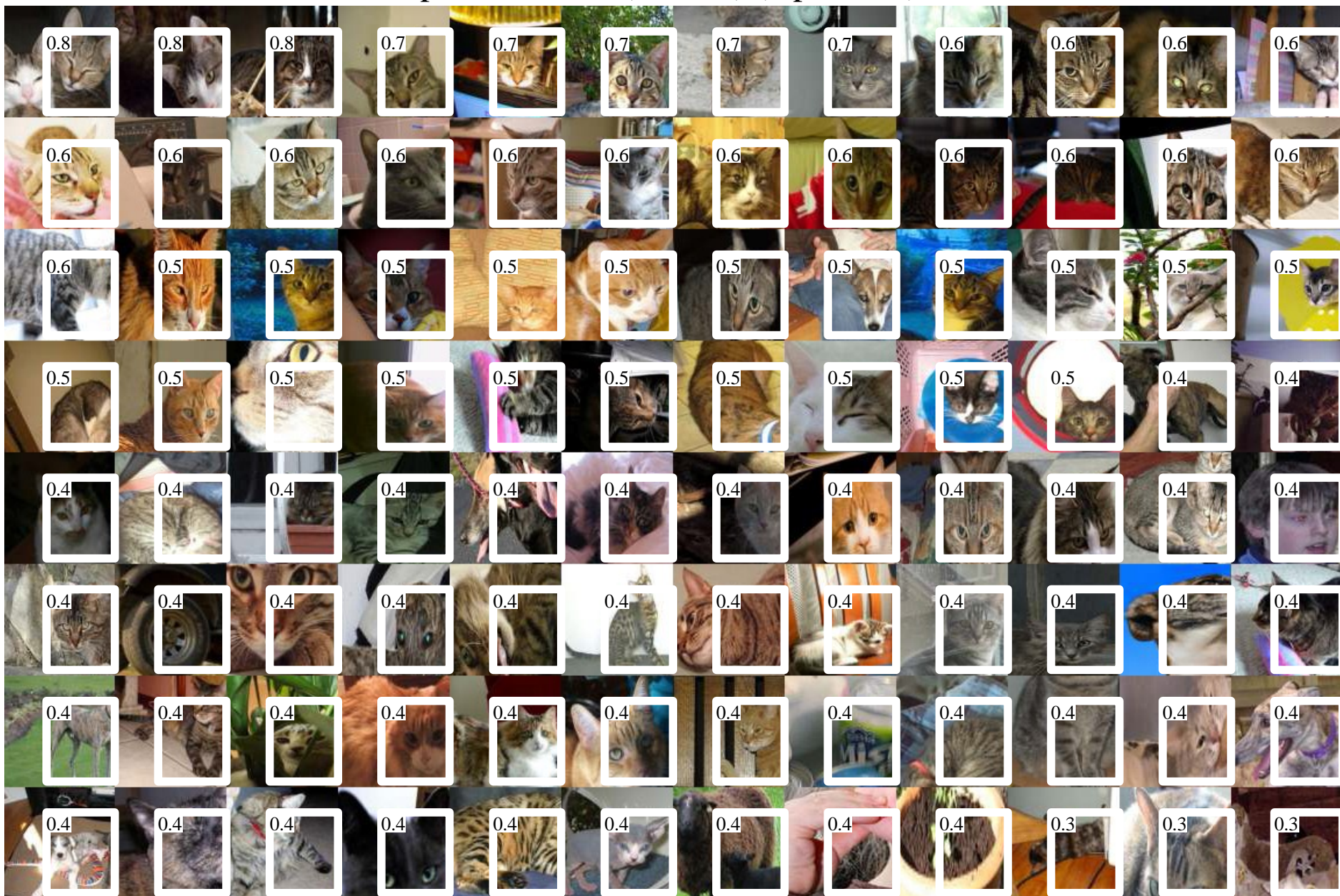
# UToronto "SuperVision" CNN







pool5 feature: (4,5,110) (top 1 – 96)



















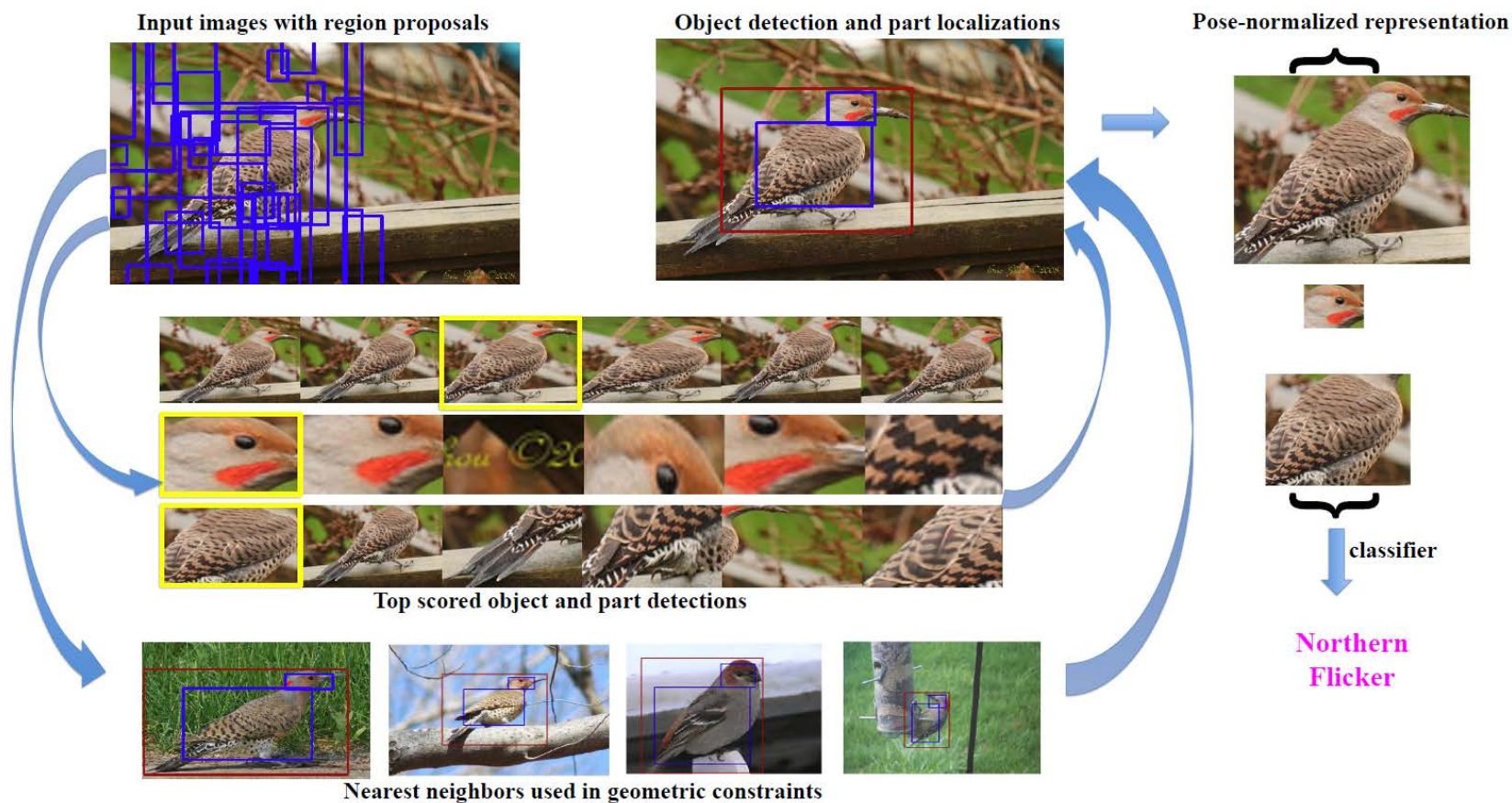
# Discussion

- Days of HOG, SIFT, LBP, and feature engineering are over?
- Machines can *design* better features than man?

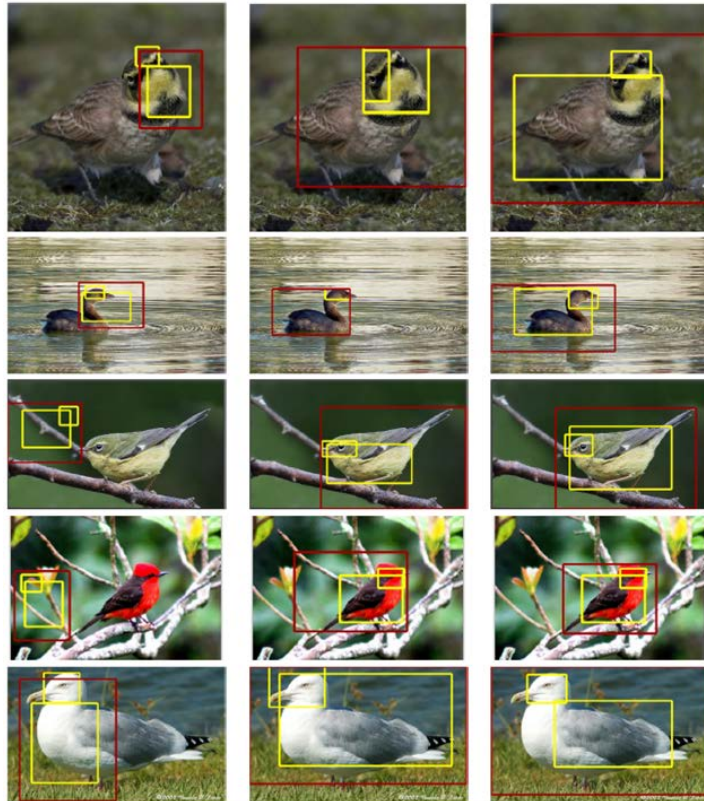
# Part-based R-CNNs for Fine-grained Category Detection

- Caltech-UCSD bird dataset (CUB200-2011) with ~12,000 images of 200 bird species.
- Strongly supervised setting in which ground truth bounding boxes of full objects (birds) and parts (head and body) are given.
- Each part + full object are treated as independent object categories to train SVMs in original R-CNN pipeline.
- Then geometric constraints (box + knn) are applied.

# Part-based R-CNNs for Fine-grained Category Detection



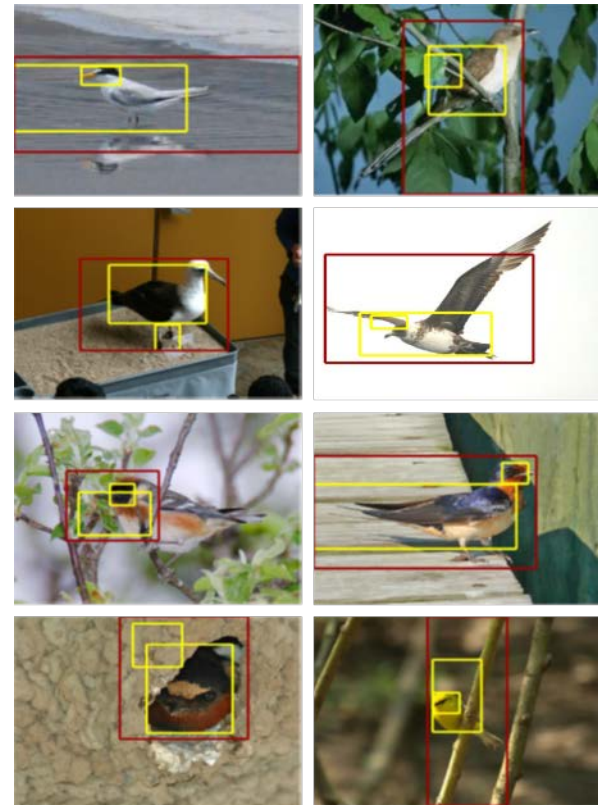
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DPM

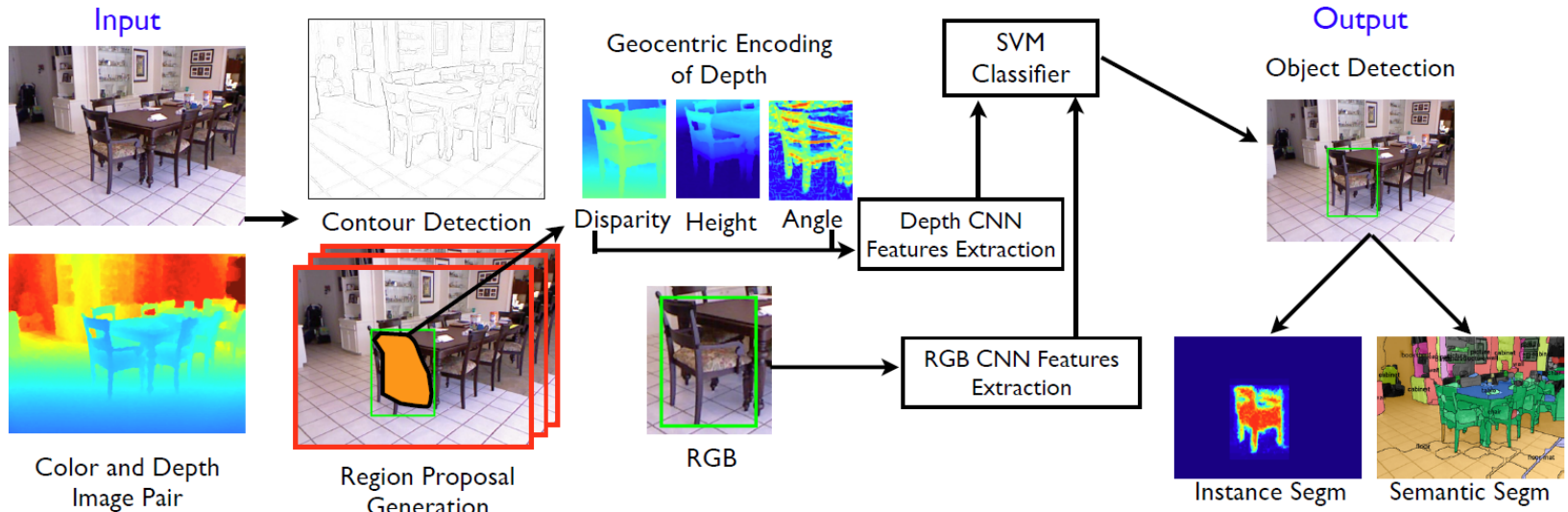
R-CNN  
w/box

R-CNN  
w/knn



some failures of R-CNN w/knn

# R-CNNs on RGB-D for Object Detection and Segmentation



Pre-trained on Image-Net using RGB images.  
Fine-tuned on NYUD2 (400 images) and synthetic data.  
SVM training on pool5, **fc6** and fc7.



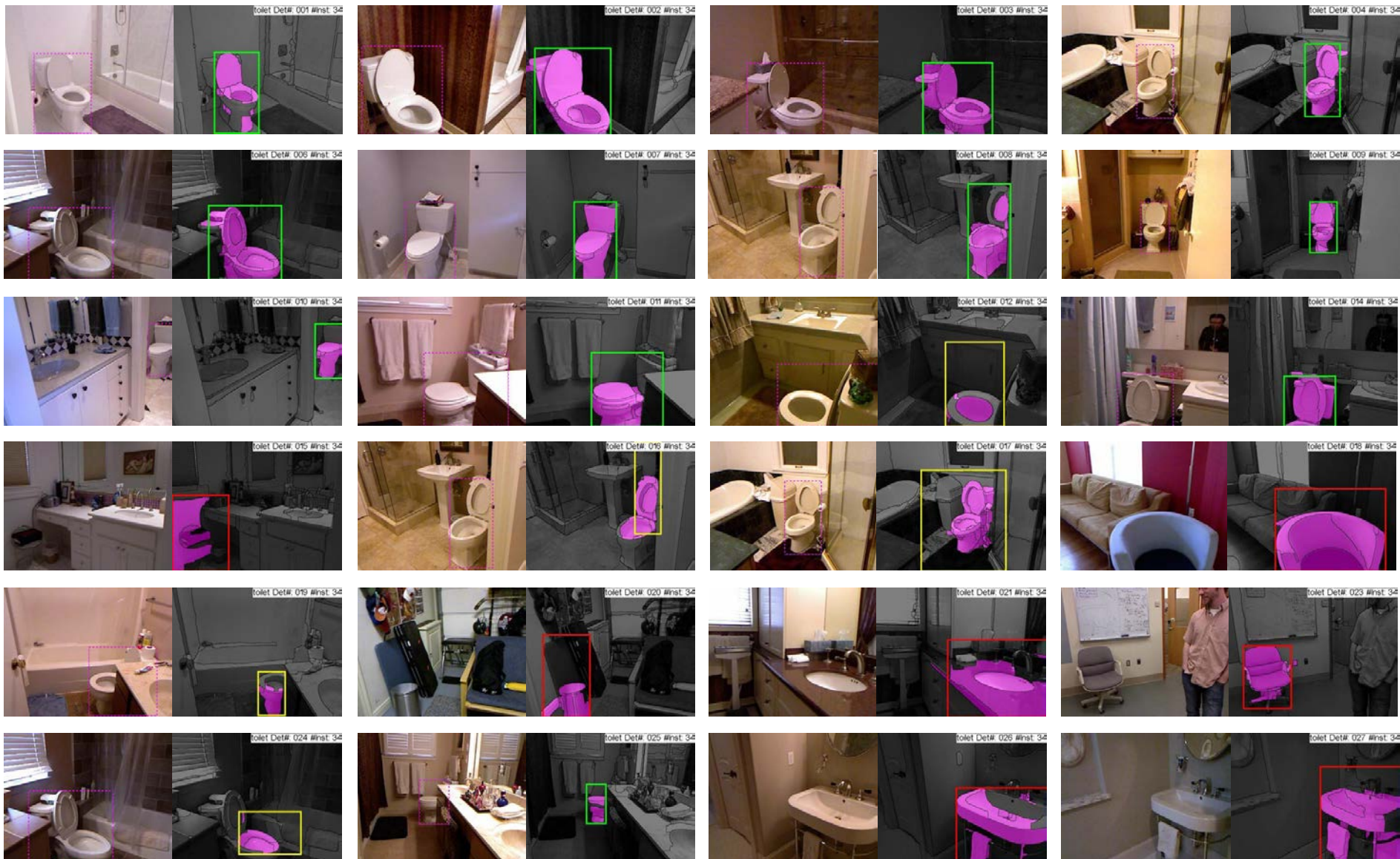
# R-CNNs on RGB-D

## for Object Detection and Segmentation

| Model          | DPM | DPM  | CNN  | CNN         | CNN  | CNN  | CNN  | CNN         | CNN  | CNN   | CNN  | CNN         |
|----------------|-----|------|------|-------------|------|------|------|-------------|------|-------|------|-------------|
| Fine-tuned     |     |      | no   | yes         | no   | yes  | yes  | yes         | yes  | yes   | yes  | yes         |
| Input channels | RGB | RGBD | RGB  | RGB         | disp | disp | HHA  | HHA         | HHA  | HHA   | HHA  | RGB+<br>HHA |
| synth data     |     |      |      |             |      |      |      | 2x          | 15x  | 2x    | 2x   | 2x          |
| CNN layer      |     |      | fc6  | fc6         | fc6  | fc6  | fc6  | fc6         | fc6  | pool5 | fc7  | fc6         |
| mAP            | 8.4 | 21.7 | 16.4 | <b>19.7</b> | 11.3 | 20.1 | 25.2 | <b>26.1</b> | 25.6 | 21.9  | 25.3 | <b>32.5</b> |

**HHA:** Horizontal disparity,  
 Height above ground,  
 Angle the pixel's local surface normal makes with the inferred gravity direction.

# R-CNNs on RGB-D



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