Informative Class Activation Map

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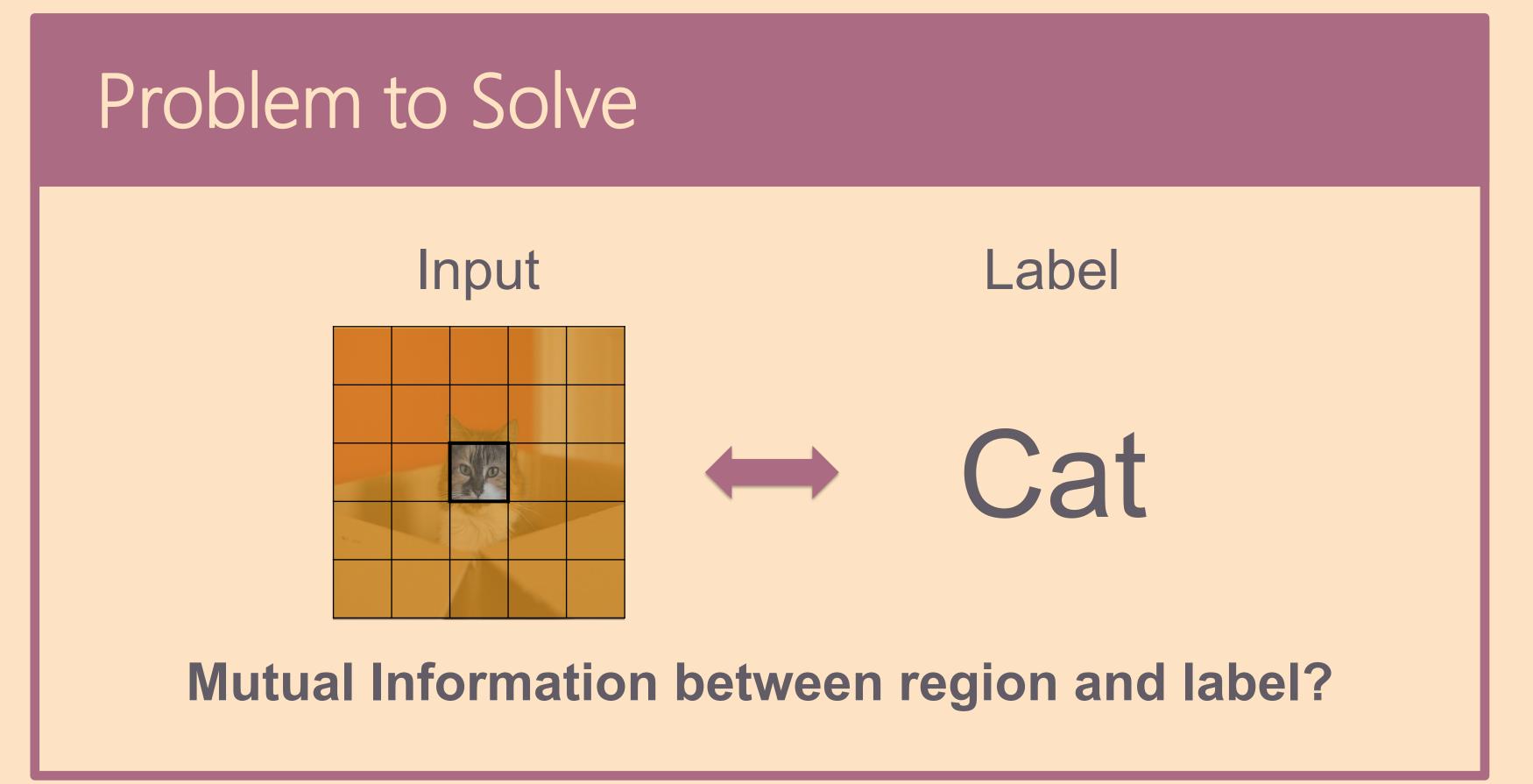
Briefing

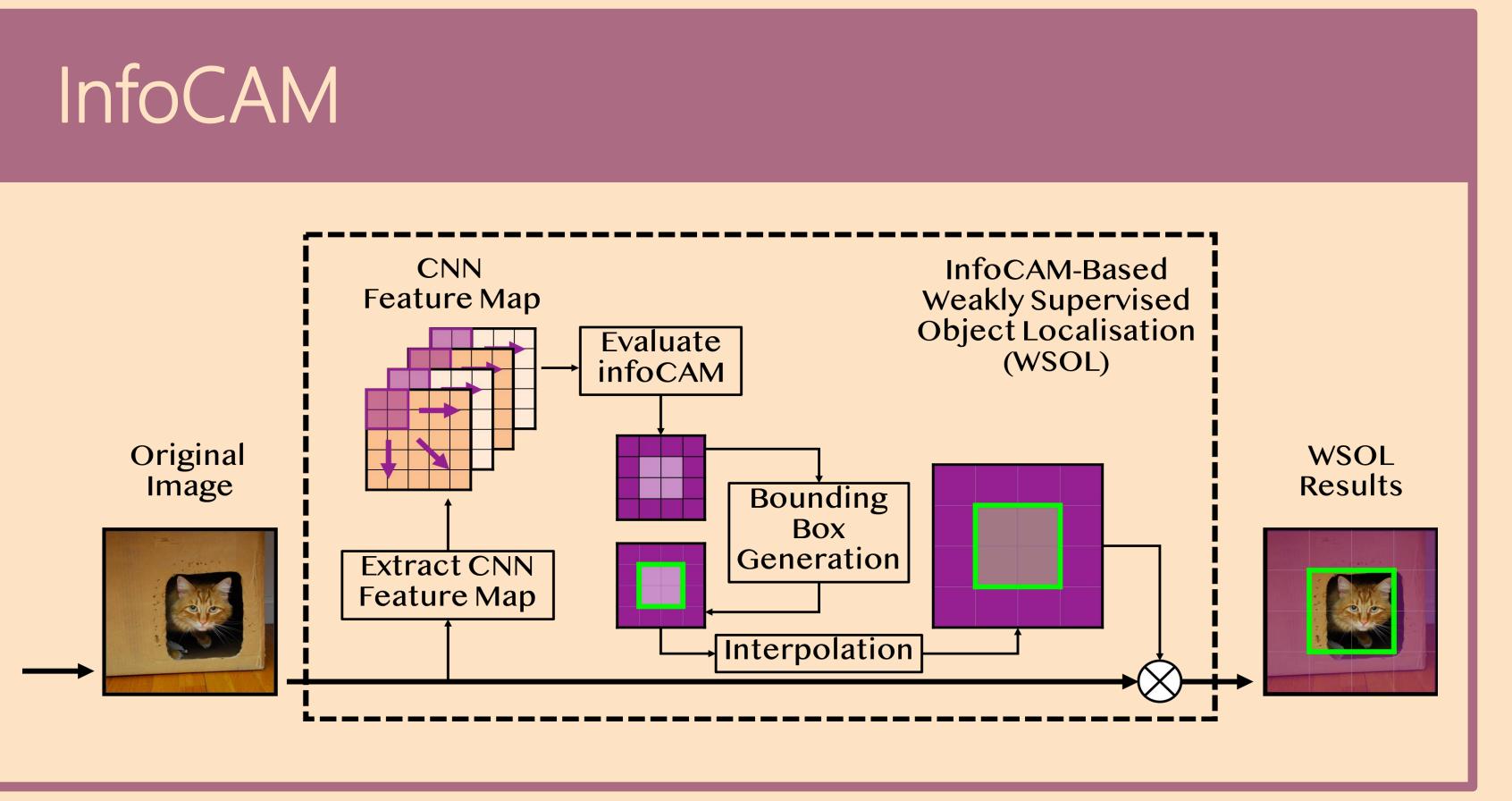
- Intuitively, the regions with high CAM values should have high information about the label.
- We aim to quantify this information using the framework of information theory.
- Variational lower bound of mutual information:

$$I(x,y) = n(x)_y - \log \sum_{y'=1}^{M} e^{(n(x)_{y'})} + \log M$$

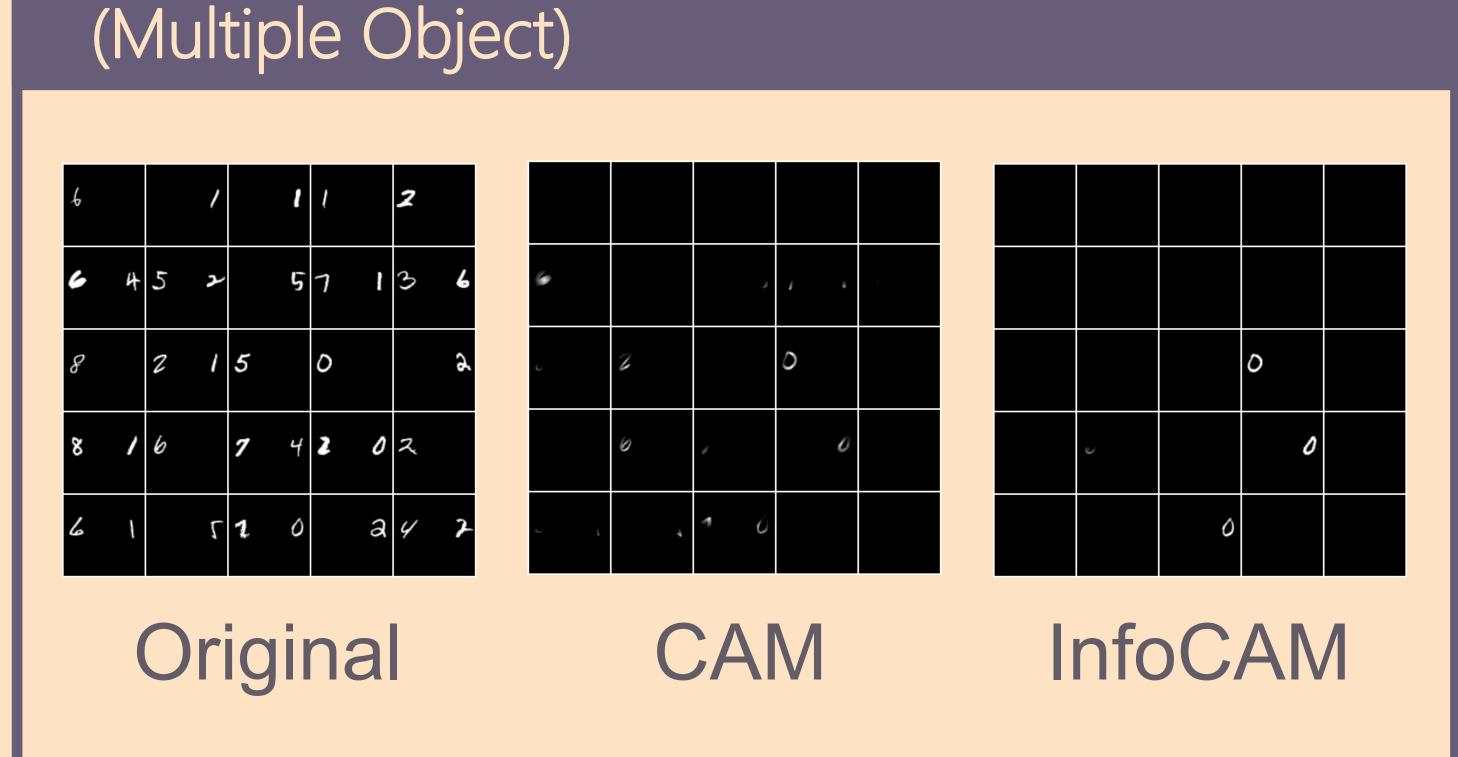
We propose InfoCAM, connecting CAM with Shannon's information theory.

$$I(x,y) - \frac{1}{M-1} \sum_{y'} I(x,y')$$









Weakly Supervised Object Localization