

# Object Detection

Through Machine Learning

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# Classification experiment



***Object detection** is a computer technology related to computer vision and image processing that deals with detecting instances of semantic objects of a certain class (such as humans, buildings, or cars) in digital images and videos.*

Wikipedia

# Visualizing the Task

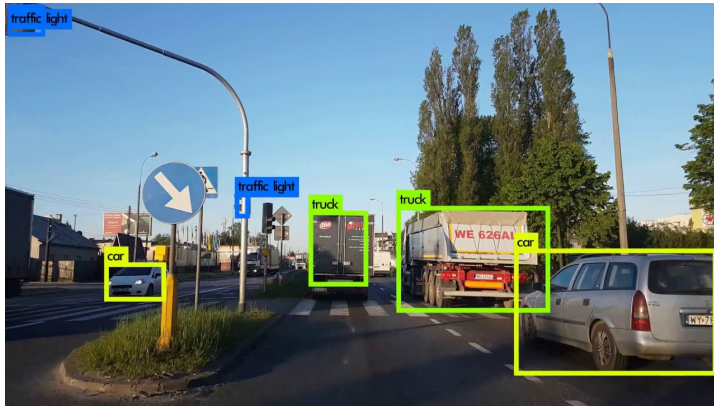


Figure: Object Detection Task

## Building a metric for bounding box predictions

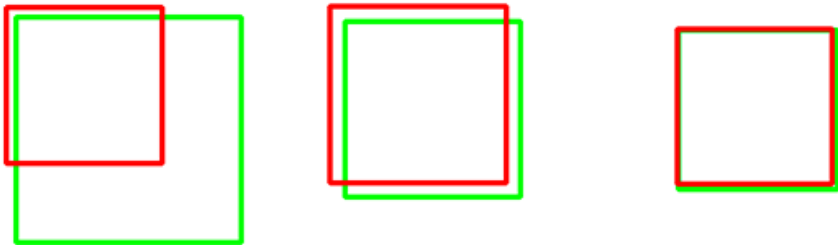


Figure: Bounding Box Mismatch

# Defining the IoU


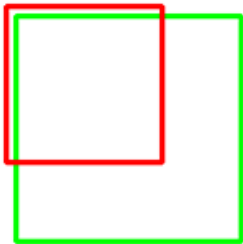
$$\text{IoU} = \frac{\text{Area of Overlap}}{\text{Area of Union}}$$


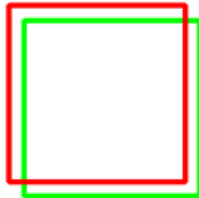
Figure: Intersection over Union

## IoU - Sanity check

IoU: 0.4034



IoU: 0.7330

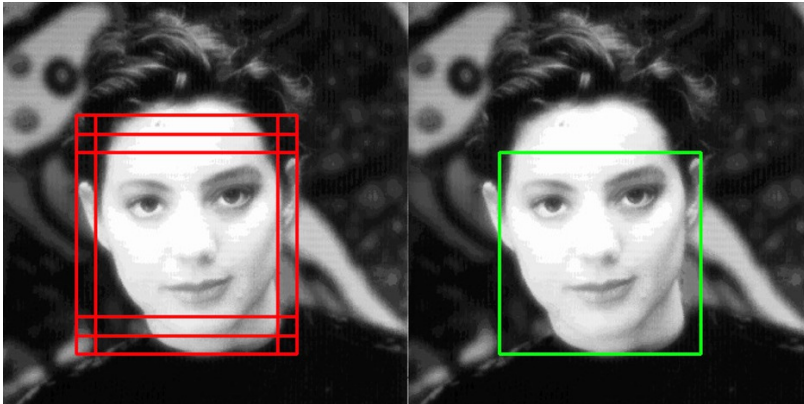


IoU: 0.9264



Figure: Intersection over Union - Example

# Removing Redundancy



**Figure:** Elimination of Multiple Bounding Boxes



# Non-Maximum Suppression



- ▶ Threshold every bounding box
- ▶ Sort bounding boxes by detection probability in decreasing order
- ▶ For each bounding box  $b_i$  remove all bounding boxes  $b_j (j \neq i)$  such that  $IoU(b_i, b_j) \geq t$  for some fixed  $t$

# YOLO

You Only Look Once [RDGF15]



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# YOLO - Introduction

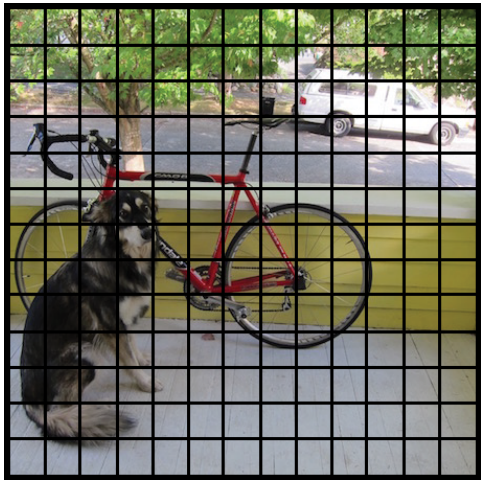


Figure: Grid for YOLO

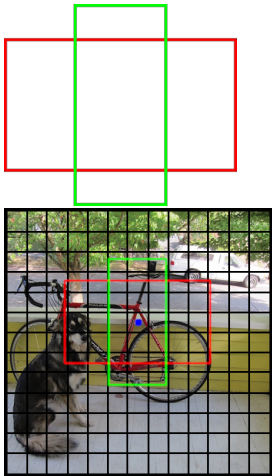
$$\hat{y} = \begin{bmatrix} p_c \\ b_x \\ b_y \\ b_w \\ b_h \\ c_1 \\ c_2 \\ \dots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix}$$

# Anchor Boxes



- ▶ Choose a number of anchors
- ▶ Modify the output to include this anchors
- ▶ ...
- ▶ Profit

# Anchor Boxes - Example



$$\hat{y}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} p_{c_1} \\ b_{x_1} \\ b_{y_1} \\ b_{w_1} \\ b_{h_1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \hat{y}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} p_{c_2} \\ b_{x_2} \\ b_{y_2} \\ b_{w_2} \\ b_{h_2} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \hat{c} = \begin{bmatrix} c_1 \\ \dots \\ c_n \end{bmatrix}, \quad \hat{y} = \begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}_1 \\ \hat{y}_2 \\ \hat{c} \end{bmatrix}$$

# YOLO - Summary



- ▶ Convolutions: 24
- ▶ Trainable parameters:  $51m$
- ▶ Input shape:  $448 \times 448$
- ▶ Output shape:  $G \times G \times (5A + C)$
- ▶ Output shape (from paper):  $7 \times 7 \times (5 * 3 + 20)$

# YOLO - Loss Function



$$\mathcal{L}(y, \hat{y}) = \lambda_{coord} L_{loc}(y, \hat{y}) + \lambda_{coord} L_{dim}(y, \hat{y}) + L_{obj}(y, \hat{y}) + \lambda_{noobj} L_{noobj}(y, \hat{y}) + L_{class}(y, \hat{y})$$

$$L_{loc}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{i=0}^{s^2} \sum_{j=0}^B \mathbb{1}_{ij}^{obj} [(x_i - \hat{x}_i)^2 + (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2]$$

$$L_{dim}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{i=0}^{s^2} \sum_{j=0}^B \mathbb{1}_{ij}^{obj} [(\sqrt{w_i} - \sqrt{\hat{w}_i})^2 + (\sqrt{h_i} - \sqrt{\hat{h}_i})^2]$$

$$L_{obj}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{i=0}^{s^2} \sum_{j=0}^B \mathbb{1}_{ij}^{obj} (C_i - \hat{C}_{ij})^2$$

$$L_{noobj}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{i=0}^{s^2} \sum_{j=0}^B \mathbb{1}_{ij}^{noobj} (C_i - \hat{C}_{ij})^2$$

$$L_{class}(y, \hat{y}) = \sum_{i=0}^{s^2} \mathbb{1}_i^{obj} \sum_{c \in classes} (p_i(c) - \hat{p}_i(c))^2$$

# Region Based Approach

Two-Stage Detectors



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# General Idea



- ▶ Propose Regions of Interest (RoI)
- ▶ Classify each RoI
- ▶ Refine Bounding Box Coordinates around each RoI

# R-CNN Family



- ▶ Regions with CNN (R-CNN) [GDDM13]
- ▶ Fast R-CNN [Gir15]
- ▶ Faster R-CNN [RHGS15]
- ▶ Mask R-CNN [HGDG17]

# Region Proposals - Selective Search



Figure: Selective Search Algorithm Visualized

## R-CNN: *Regions with CNN features*

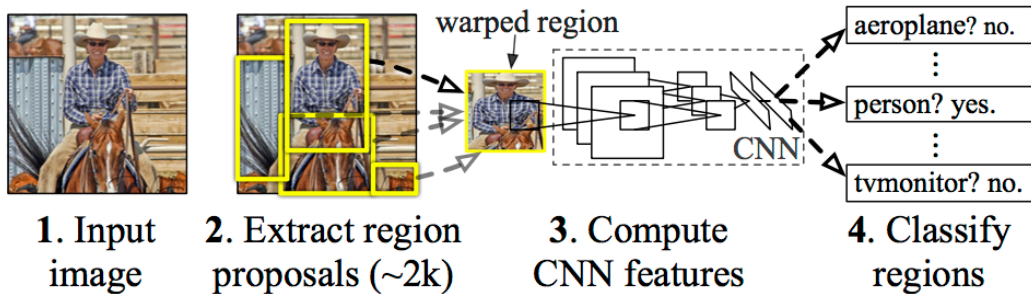


Figure: R-CNN Pipeline

# Fast R-CNN



- ▶ Convolution Based Sliding Window
- ▶ RoI Pooling
- ▶ Softmax Classification

# Sliding Window - CNN Way

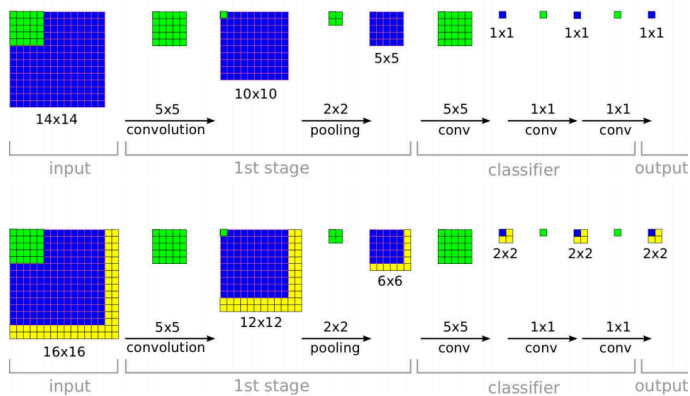


Figure: Sliding Window - CNN Implementation

# Fast R-CNN - Visualized

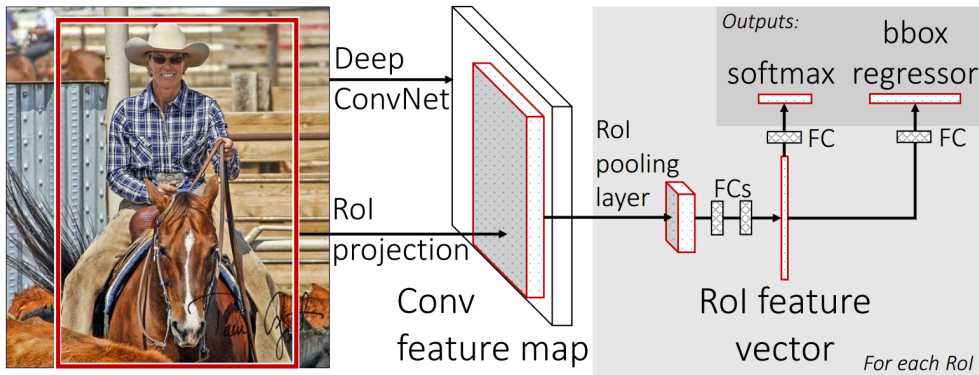


Figure: Fast R-CNN Pipeline

$$\mathcal{L}(p, u, t^u, v) = L_{class}(p, u) + \lambda[u \geq 1]L_{loc}(t^u, v)$$

$$L_{class}(p, u) = -\log p_u$$

$$L_{loc}(t^u, v) = \sum_{i \in \{x, y, w, h\}} \text{smooth}_{L_1}(t_i^u - v_i)$$

$$\text{smooth}_{L_1}(x) = \begin{cases} 0.5x^2, & \text{if } x \leq 1 \\ x - 0.5, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

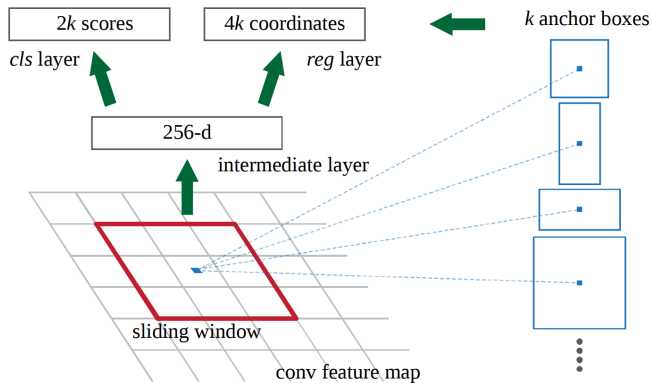


# Faster R-CNN



- ▶ Bottleneck: Region Proposals by Selective Search (2s)
- ▶ Solution: Region Proposals by CNN (0.01s)

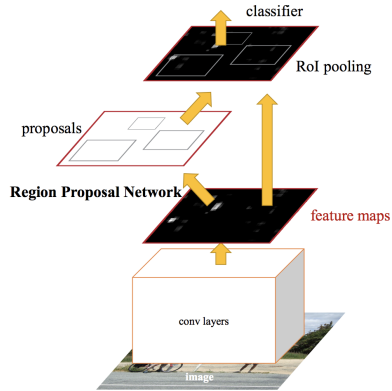
# Region Proposal Network



**Figure:** Region Proposal Network for Faster R-CNN

$$\mathcal{L}(p_i, t_i) = \frac{1}{N_{cls}} \sum_i L_{cls}(p_i, p_i^*) + \lambda \frac{1}{N_{reg}} \sum_i p_i^* L_{reg}(t_i, t_i^*)$$

# Faster R-CNN - Architecture



**Figure:** Model Scheme of Faster R-CNN

# Mask R-CNN

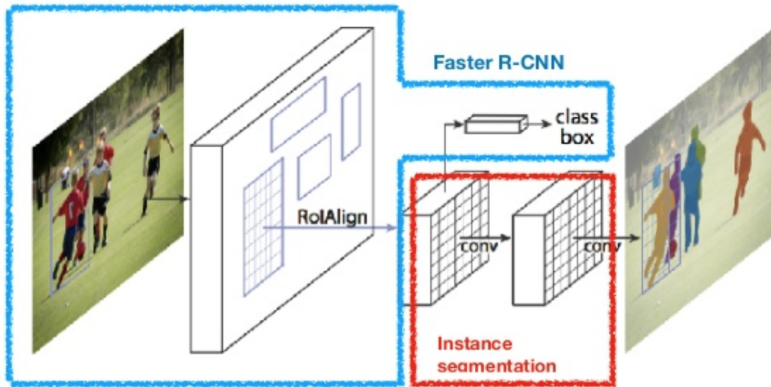


Figure: Model Scheme of Faster R-CNN

## Other Influential Models



- ▶ RetinaNet (Focal Loss) [LGG<sup>+</sup>17]
- ▶ Single Shot Detector [LAE<sup>+</sup>15]
- ▶ R-FCN [DLHS16]

# Practicalities



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# Speed vs. Precision

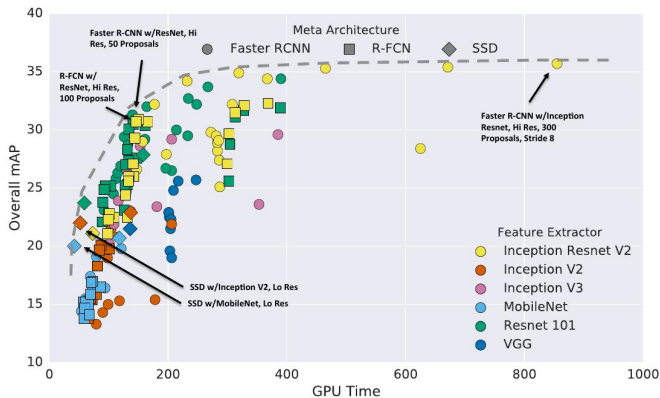


Figure: GPU Time vs. Precision [HRS<sup>+</sup>16]



# Framework



- ▶ Tensorflow Object Detection API
- ▶ Pytorch Detectron 2

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