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Semantic Segmentation For Self-Driving Cars

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1. Achieving smooth category boundaries is a major difficulty to take into account while designing semantic segmentation models. Which of the following statements describe the origins of this problem? (Check all that apply.) 1 / 1 point

☐ Objects within the same category having variable appearances. An example being multiple color and models for cars on the road.

☒ Thin objects such as poles, tree trunks, and lane separators.

✓ Correct
Correct!

☒ The similarity in appearance between some categories such as road, curb, and sidewalk.

✓ Correct
Correct!

2. When comparing the results of a semantic segmentation model to the ground truth, you found out that for the car category, its **class IOU** is **0.75**. Knowing that the number of false positives (**FP**) is **17**, and the number of false negatives (**FN**) is **3**, what is the number of true positives achieved by this model? 2 / 2 points

60

**Correct**

Correct!

3. To measure the performance of a semantic segmentation model over all classes, a good idea would be to average the class IOU. **1 / 1 point**



True



False

**Correct**

Correct!

4. Which of the following do you typically see in a Semantic Segmentation Model? (Check all that apply.) **1 / 1 point**



Multiple Convolutional layers followed by an up-sampling layer.

**Correct**

Correct!



Up-sampling layers in the encoder stage of the architecture.



Multiple Convolutional layers followed by a Pool layer.

**Correct**

Correct!



Up-sampling layers in the decoder stage of the architecture.

**Correct**

Correct!

5. Anchor boxes are an essential component of any semantic segmentation neural network architecture. **1 / 1 point**

- ☐ True
- ☒ False



Correct

Correct!

6. In your semantic segmentation model an input feature map is passed through a nearest neighbor up-sampling layer. The output feature map's depth is equal to that of the input feature map. **1 / 1 point**

- ☒ True
- ☐ False



Correct

7. A standard semantic segmentation architecture that uses a softmax output layer is allowed to associate multiple categories to a single pixel in the input image. **1 / 1 point**

- ☐ True
- ☒ False



Correct

Correct!

8. Which of the bellow loss functions is usually used to train semantic segmentation models? **1 / 1 point**

- ☐ Mean Square Error (L2-Loss)
- ☒ Cross-Entropy Loss

- ☐ 0-1 Loss
- ☐ Mean Absolute Error (L1-Loss)

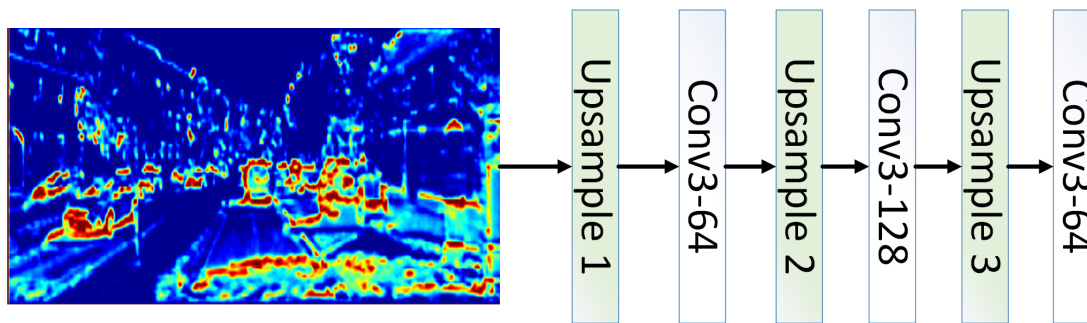


Correct

Correct!

9. A semantic segmentation model uses the following decoder architecture. The convolutions are all 3x3, have a padding size of 1, and have a number of filters shown in the figure. The up-sampling multiplier S is 2 for all upsampling layers.

2 / 2 points



If you pass an input of dimensions $M \times N \times D$ through this decoder, what are the expected output dimensions?

Note: M is the width, N is the height, and D is the depth of the input.

- ☒ $8 \times M, 8 \times N, 64 \times D$
- ☐ $M/8, N/8, 64 \times D$
- ☐ $8 \times M, 8 \times N, 128 \times D$
- ☐ $6 \times M, 6 \times N, 64 \times D$



Correct

Correct!

10. In context of self-driving cars, semantic segmentation can be used to perform: (Check all that apply.)

1 / 1 point

- ☐ Localization in a predefined 3D map.

☐ Velocity estimation of dynamic obstacles in the scene.

☒ Drivable space estimation.



Correct

Correct!

☒ Constrain the image space used to perform 2D object detection.



Correct

Correct!

☒ Lane boundary estimation.



Correct

Correct!

11. Which of the following categories in a semantic segmentation output map would be useful to determine lane boundaries? **1 / 1 point**

☒ Lane Separator



Correct

Correct!

☐ Road

☒ Sidewalk



Correct

Correct!

☐ Pedestrian

☒ Curb**Correct**

Correct!

12. To estimate a plane model, an algorithm would require a minimum of:

1 / 1 point

- ☐ Five points, chosen at random.
- ☒ Three points, chosen to be non-collinear.
- ☐ Three points, chosen to be collinear.
- ☐ Five points, chosen to be non-collinear.

**Correct**

13. To estimate lines that could belong to lanes in a post-processed output image from semantic segmentation, containing only relevant categories, one would:

1 / 1 point

- ☐ First apply Canny edge detection followed by a Kalman Filter to estimate lines.
- ☒ First apply Canny edge detection followed by Hough transform line estimation.
- ☐ Use RANSAC to estimate the road plane, then fit lines to its boundary.
- ☐ First apply Hough transform line estimation followed by Canny edge detection.

**Correct**

Correct!