



# Composite Association Fields with Supervised Deformable Convolutions for Scene Graph Generation

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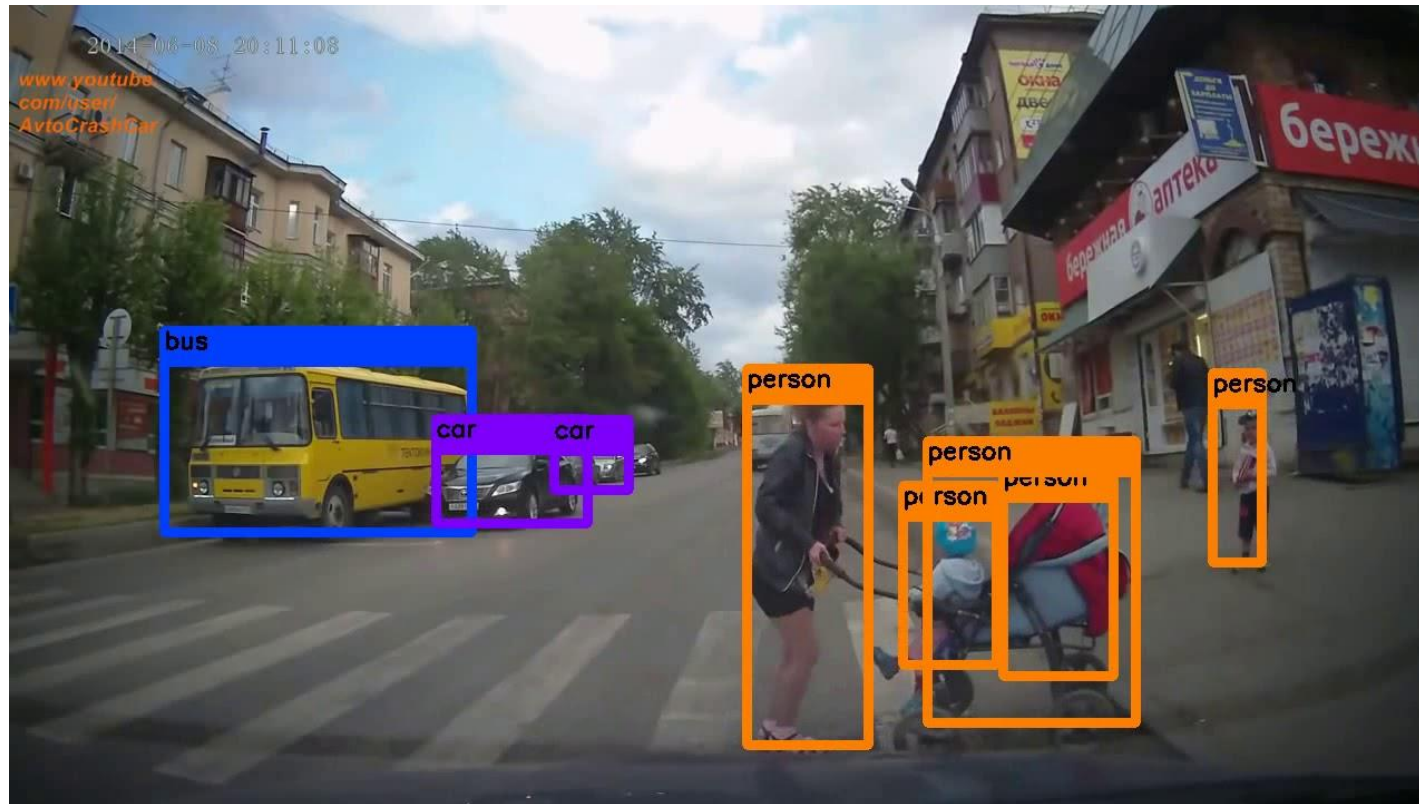
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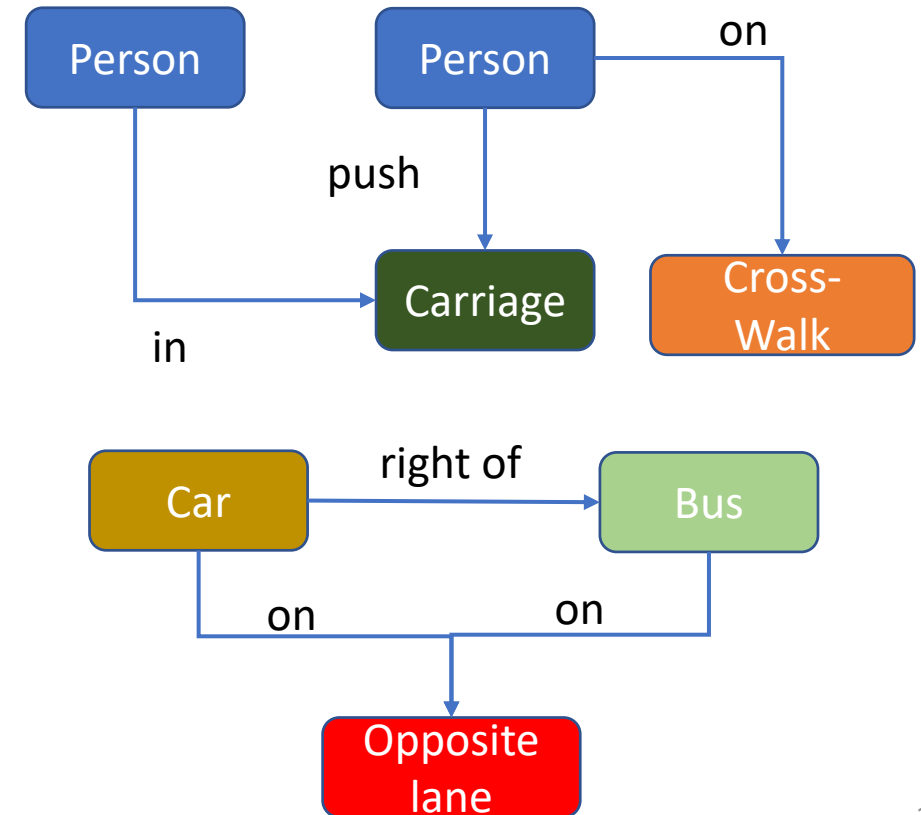
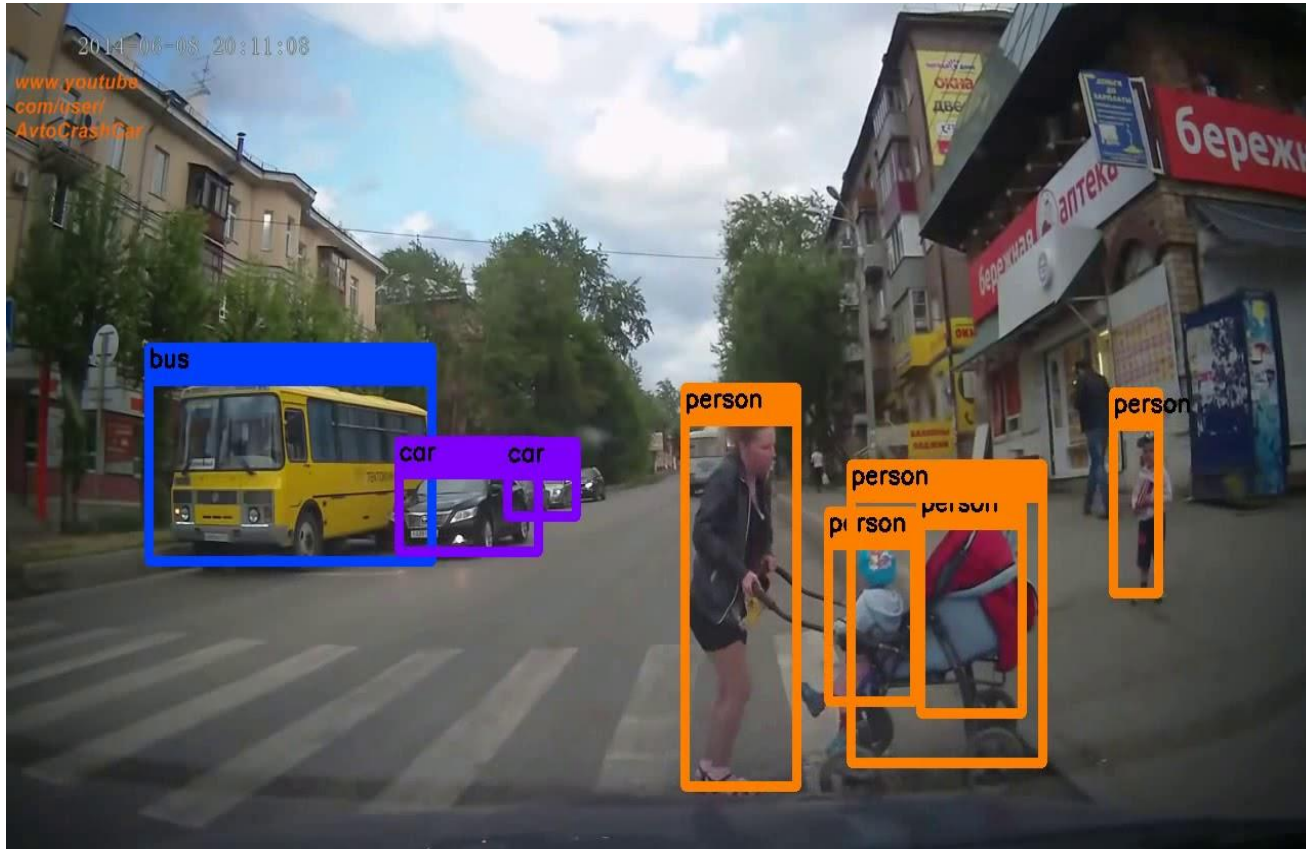
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# Object Detection



What information do we use to make a decision?

# Object Detection → Scene Graph

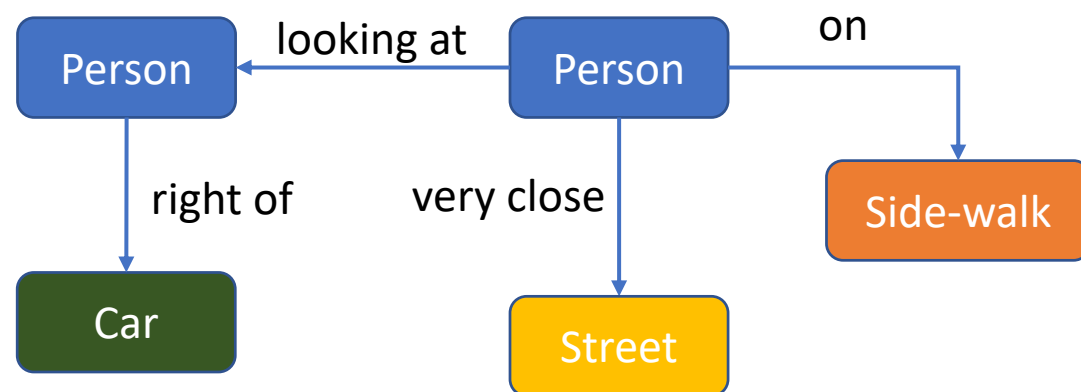




# Action/Intention Prediction



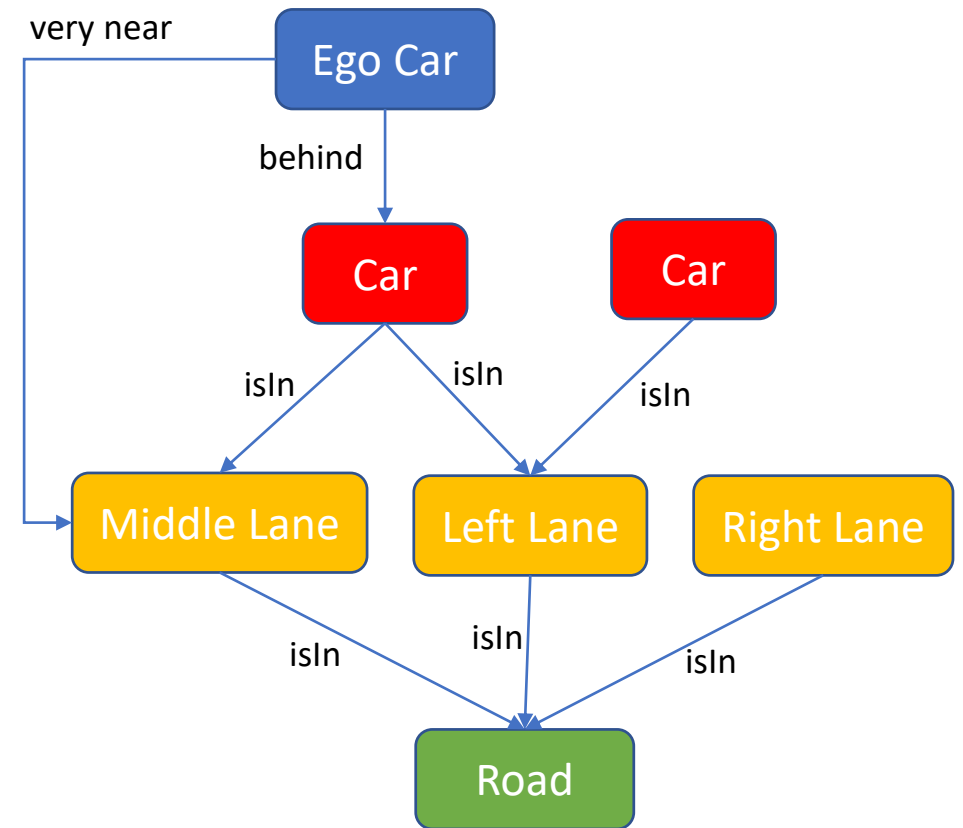
Is it enough to detect the people?



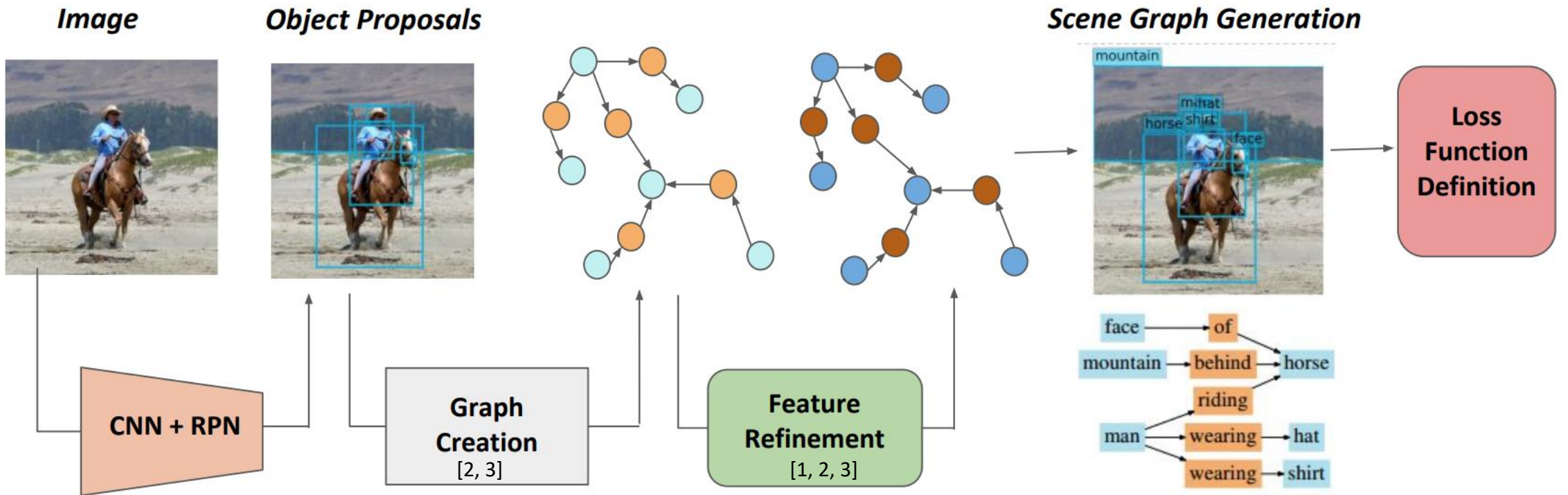
# Risk Assessment



Is lane change risky?

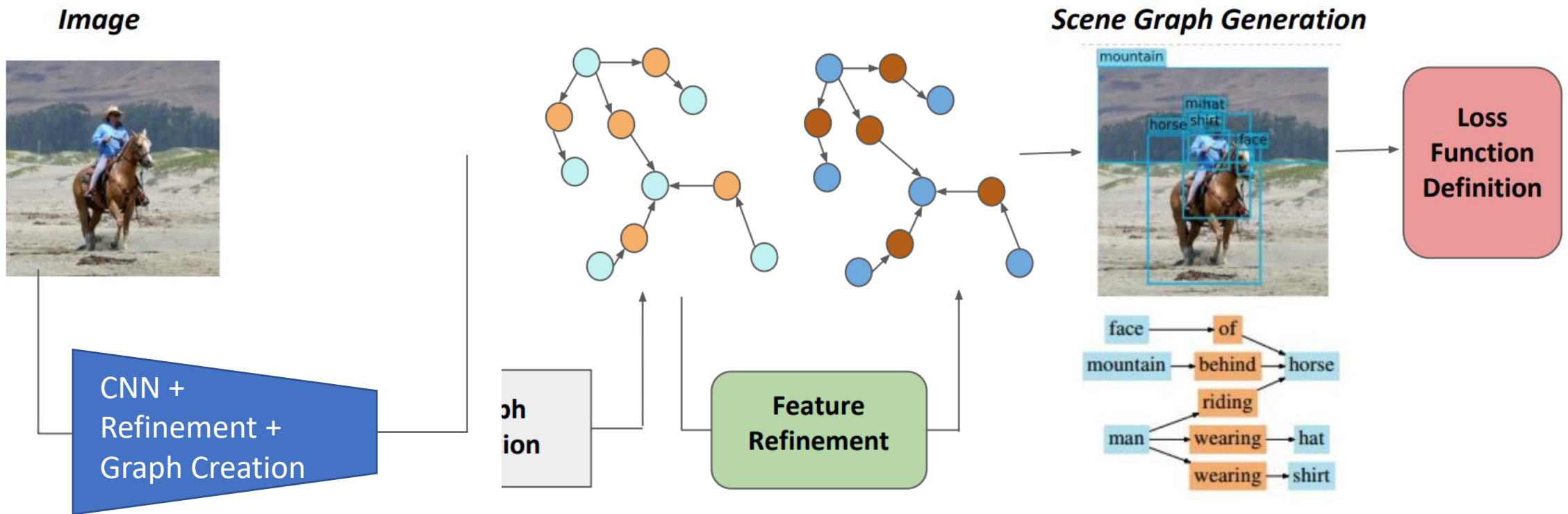


# Previous Work



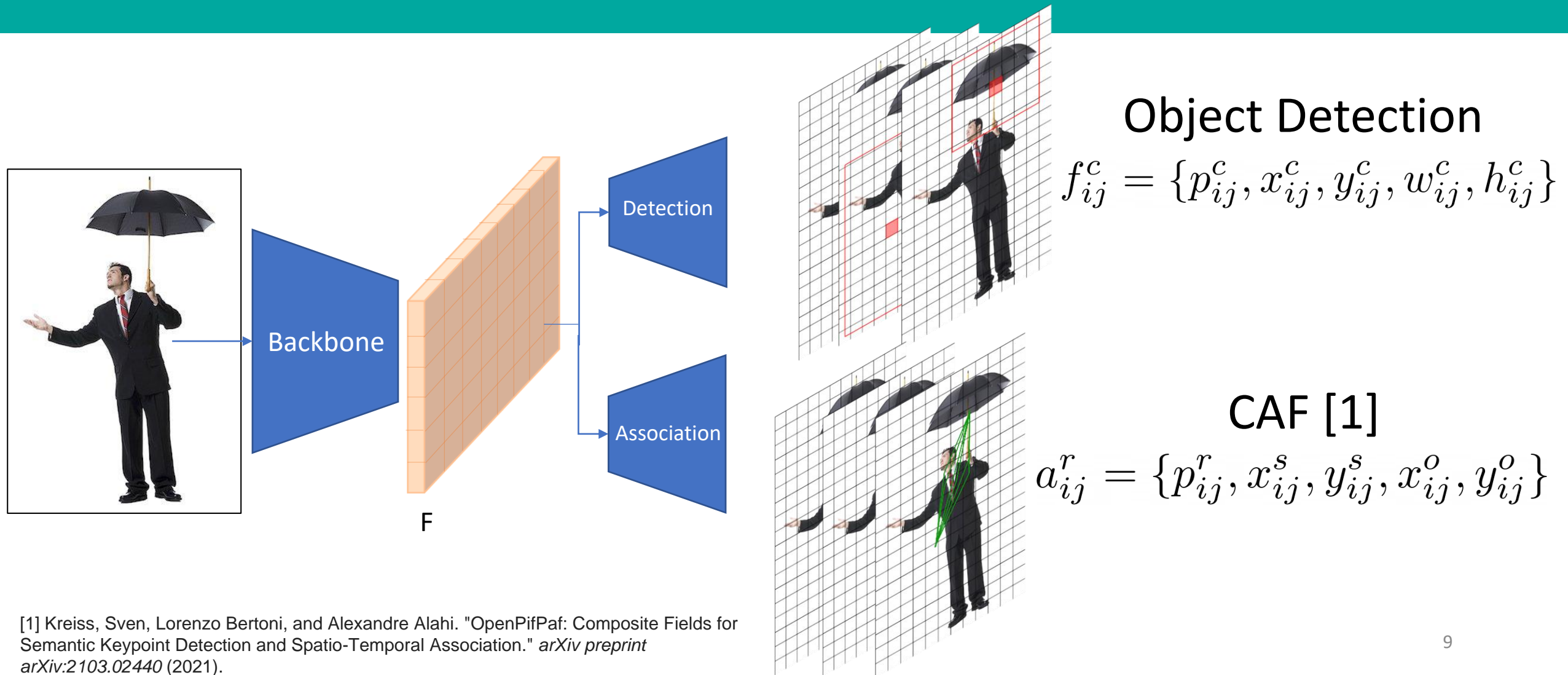
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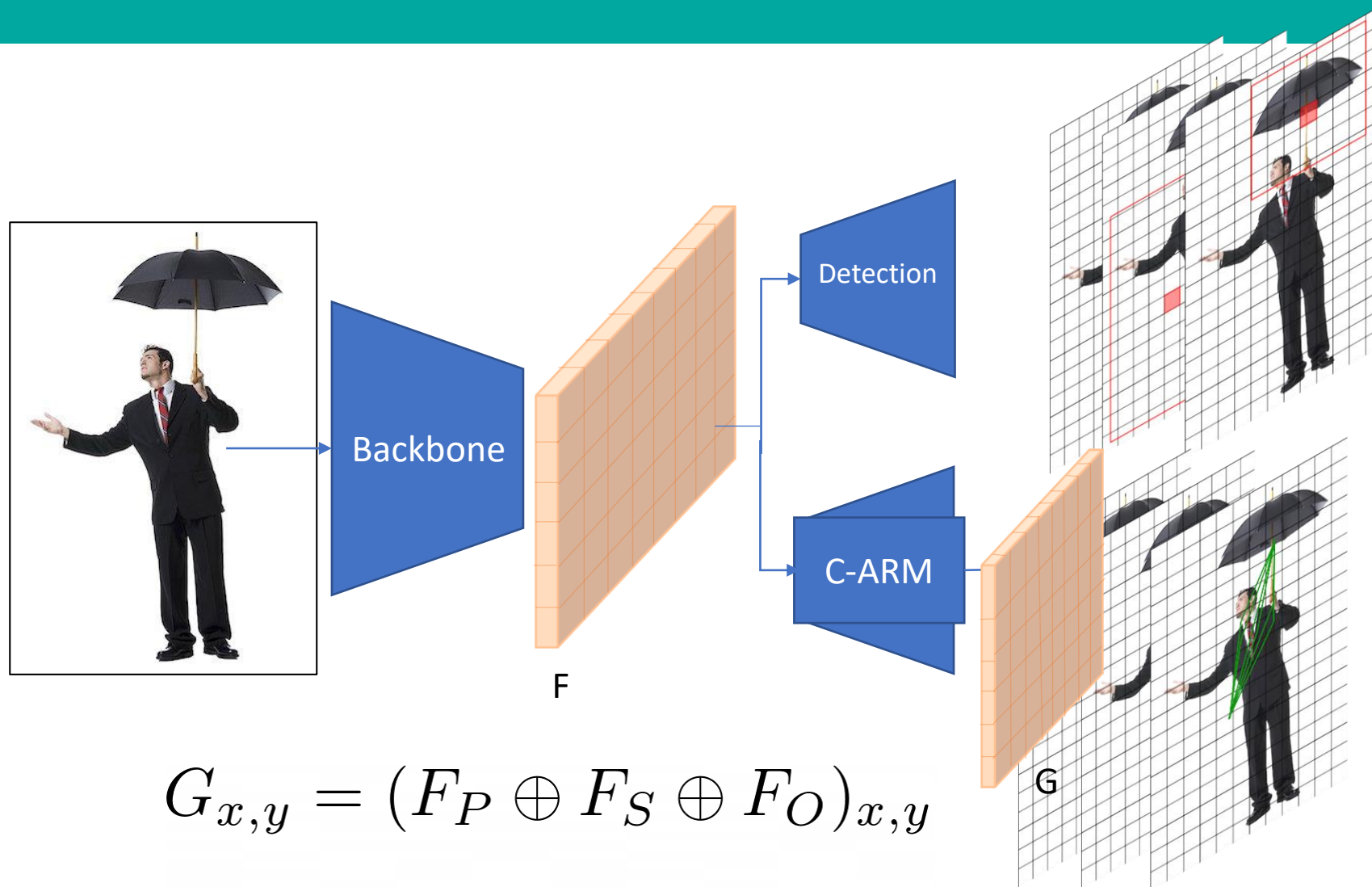


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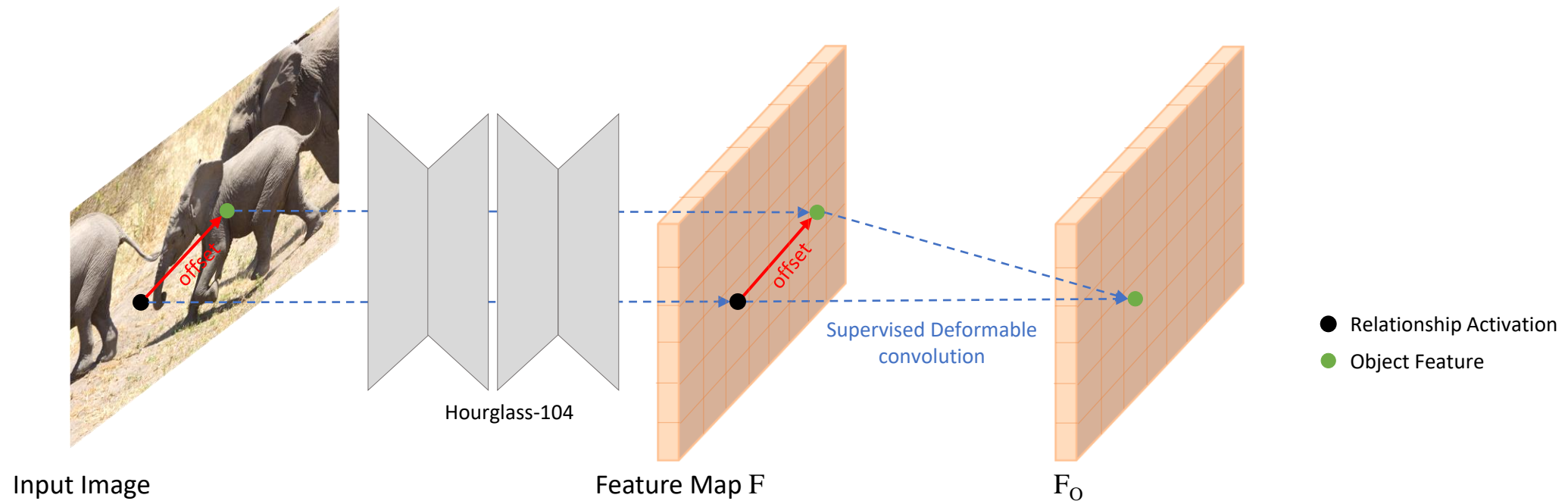


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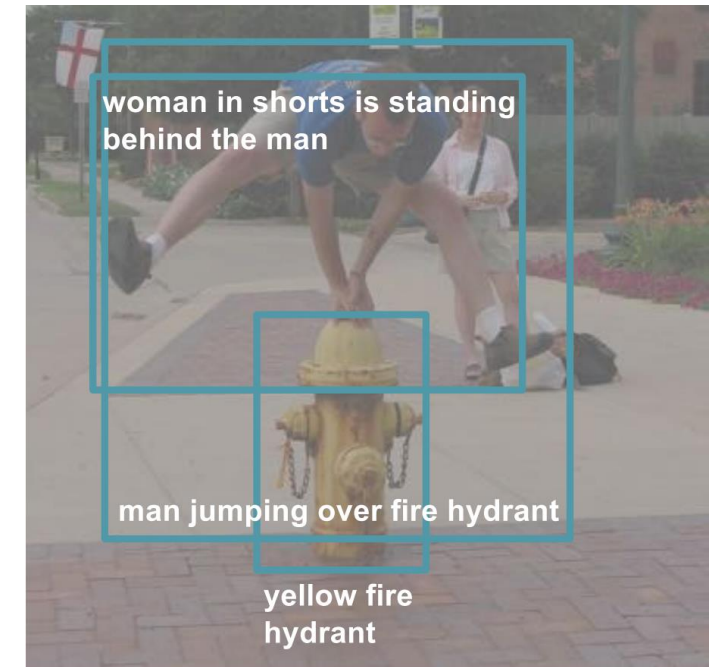
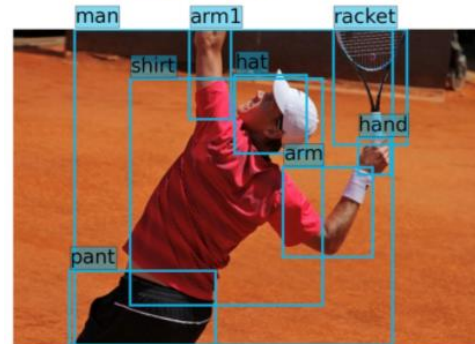
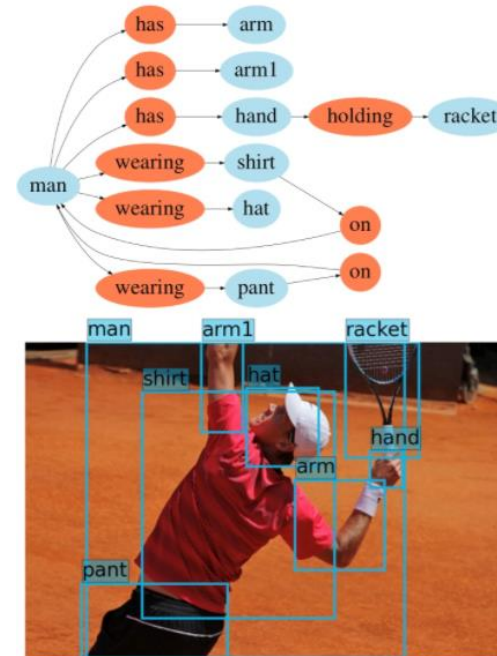


$$G_{x,y} = (F_P \oplus F_S \oplus F_O)_{x,y} = \underbrace{(W_r \cdot F_{x,y})}_{\text{predicate}} \oplus \underbrace{(W_s \cdot F_{x_s,y_s})}_{\text{subject}} \oplus \underbrace{(W_o \cdot F_{x_o,y_{so}})}_{\text{object}}$$

# Datasets & Experiments

- **Visual Genome**

- 108,249 images
- 33,877 object categories
- 42, 374 Relationship Categories
- Full Scene Graph



# Evaluation Metrics

- Predicate Classification (PredCls)
- Scene Graph/Phrase Classification (SGCls)
- Scene Graph Detection (SGDet)

# Ablation Study

Table 3: Ablation study on the effect of C-ARM

	AP <sub>0.5</sub>	PredCls		SGCls		SGDet	
		R@50	ng-R@50	R@50	ng-R@50	R@50	ng-R@50
Baseline	18.1	44.57	56.86	17.15	19.86	14.58	17.21
+ C-ARM (Ours)	<b>19.7</b>	<b>45.79</b>	<b>58.20</b>	<b>18.31</b>	<b>21.48</b>	<b>15.99</b>	<b>18.47</b>

# Quantitative Results

Table 1: Recall@50 for graph and no-graph constraint on Visual Genome [43].  $\star$  indicates that [9] trained a different model for each metric whereas all non-italic methods used the same model for all metrics.  $f$  indicates using frequency bias. RPN = Region Proposal Network [11].

		AP <sub>0.5</sub>	PredCls		SGCls		SGDet	
			R@50	ng-R@50	R@50	ng-R@50	R@50	ng-R@50
Top-down	IMP [12]	–	44.8	–	21.7	–	3.4	–
	Graph R-CNN [7]	23.0	54.2	–	29.6	–	11.4	–
	VRF [8]	–	56.7	–	23.7	–	13.2	–
	CISC [18]	–	53.2	–	27.8	–	11.4	–
	LinkNet [19]	–	67.0	–	41	–	27.4	–
Bottom-up	Px2Graph $\star$ [9]	–	–	<i>68.0</i>	–	<i>26.5</i>	–	<i>9.7 (RPN)</i>
	Px2Graph $\star_{new}$ [9]	–	–	<i>82.0</i>	–	<i>35.7</i>	–	<i>15.5 (no RPN)</i>
	FCSGG <sub>W32</sub> [10]	21.6	34.9	46.3	15.5	19.3	15.1	18.2
	FCSGG <sub>W48</sub> [10]	25.0	31.0	40.3	17.1	19.6	15.5	18.3
	Ours	19.7	44.83	57.22	17.96	21.09	15.83	17.97
	Ours <sub><i>f</i></sub>	19.7	<b>45.79</b>	<b>58.20</b>	<b>18.31</b>	<b>21.48</b>	<b>15.99</b>	<b>18.47</b>

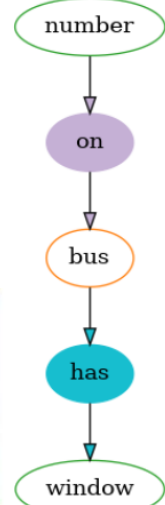
# Qualitative Results



(a) GT detections



(b) Predicted detections



(c) GT Scene Graph



(d) Composite Association Fields for different predicates





Thank you!