

Pedestrian detection: A part-based approach using CNN

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Introduction

- Our goal: detect and localize pedestrians in images.
- People detection is one of the most challenging problems in computer vision.
- It has a number of applications such as smart video surveillance, driving assistance system, human-robot interaction, people-finding for military applications and intelligent digital management.

Challenges - illumination



Challenges - clothing



Challenges – pose and body articulation





Related work

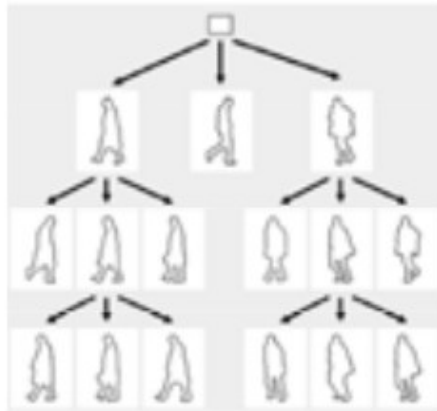
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The background of the slide features a photograph of the Parthenon, a famous ancient Greek temple dedicated to the goddess Athena. The image shows the temple's iconic Doric columns and the intricate details of its entablature against a clear blue sky.

Model-based pedestrian detection

- Model-based pedestrian detection: an exact pedestrian model is defined first of all. Then we search the image for matched positions with the model to detect pedestrians.
- Mathematical background: Bayesian theory to estimate the maximum posterior probability of the object class.

Model-based pedestrian detection



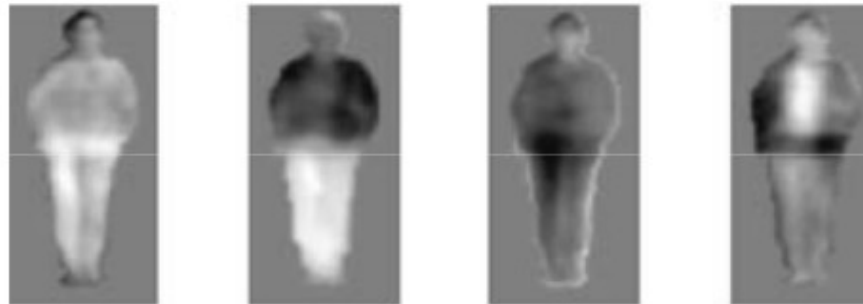
Hierarchical shape model



3D human model



Bernoulli shape prototypes



Pose-specific texture model

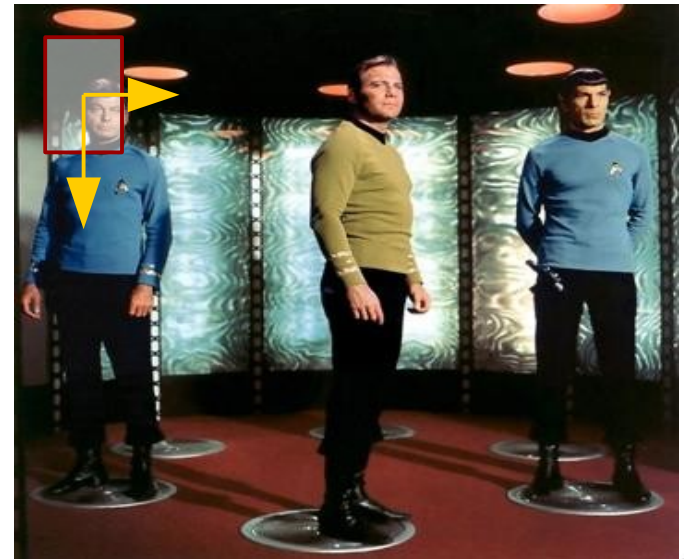
Feature-classifier-based ped. detection

Features:

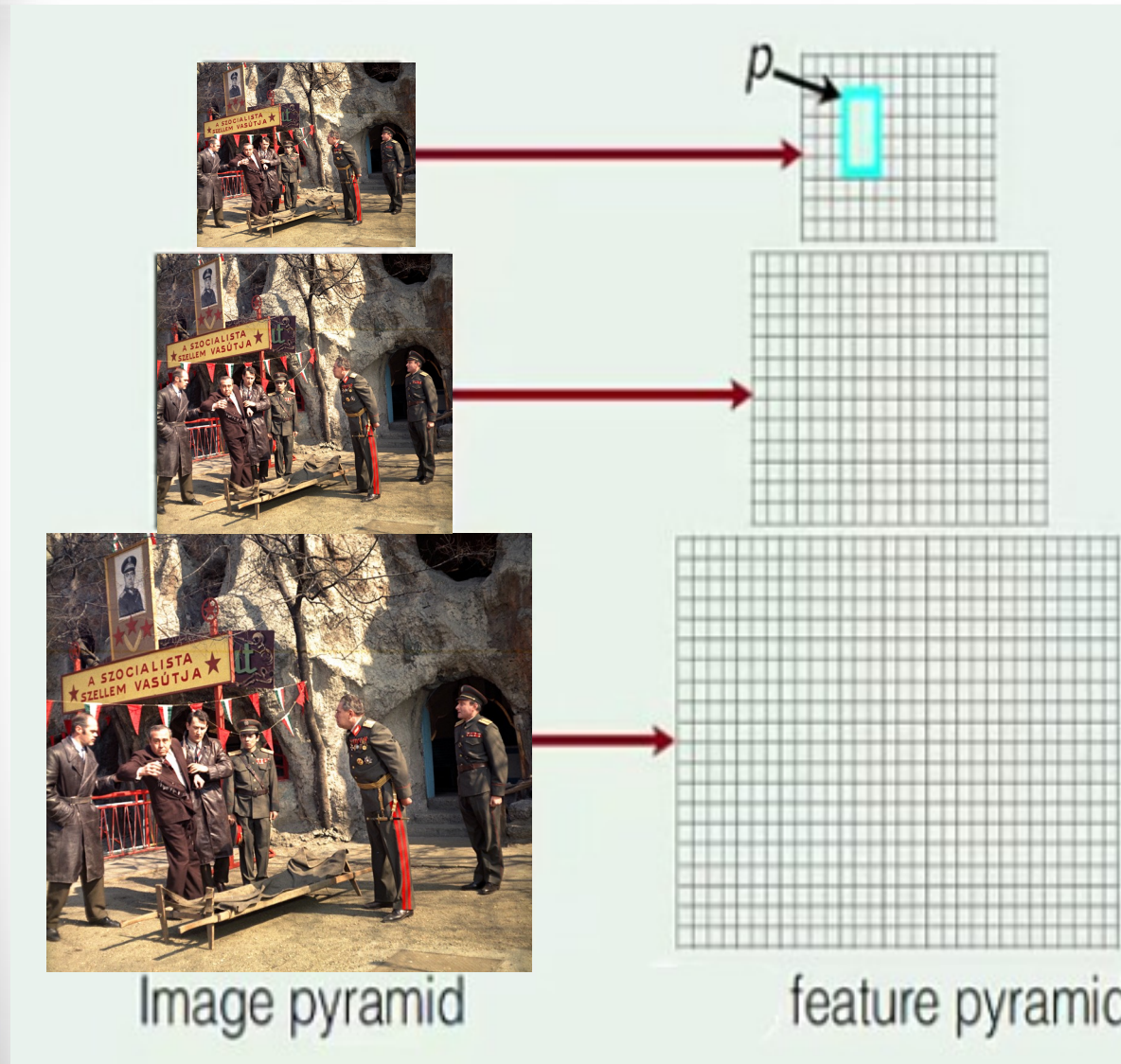
- Haar
- HOG
- LBP
- Adaptive Contour Feature
- Shapelet
- Fusion of different features

Classifiers:

- SVM
- k-NN
- AdaBoost
- NN
- Random forest
- Ensemble of classifiers

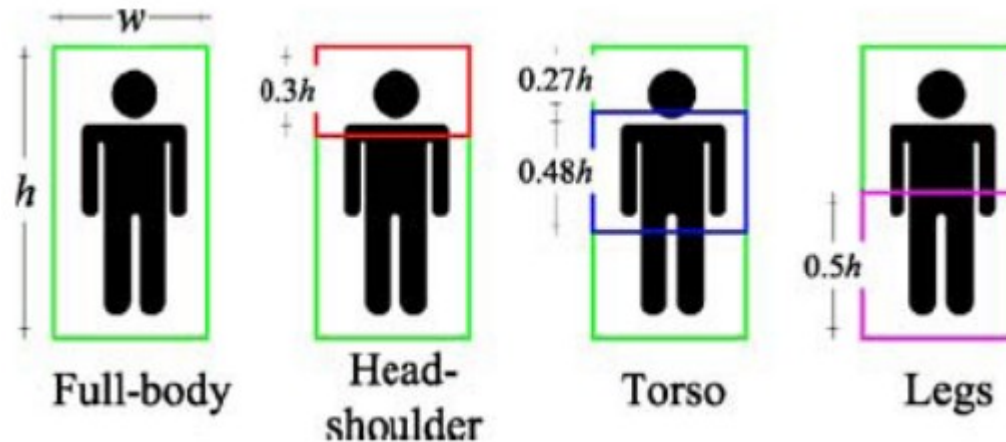


Feature-classifier-based ped. detection



Part-based pedestrian detection

- The human body is divided into certain parts.



- The responses of each part detectors are combined to infer the holistic pedestrian.

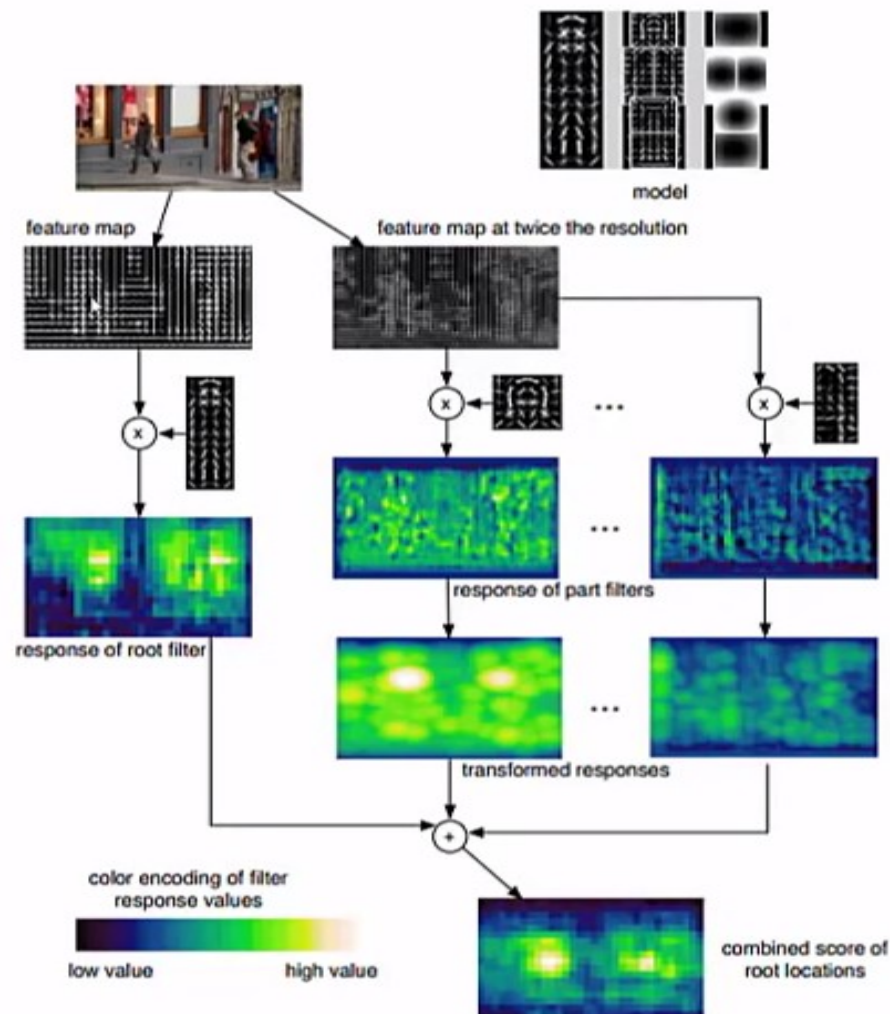
The background of the slide features a photograph of the Parthenon in Athens, Greece. The image shows the temple's facade with its iconic Doric columns and pediment, set against a clear blue sky. The architecture is made of light-colored stone, and the perspective is from a low angle, looking up at the temple.

Part-based pedestrian detection

- DPM – Felzenszwalb et al., Object Detection with Discriminatively Trained Part Based Models
- Breakthrough in object detection.

Part-based pedestrian detection

DPM



A background image showing the corner of a classical building with large, fluted columns and a pediment, likely the Parthenon in Athens. The image is partially obscured by a white curved shape that frames the text.

Our approach

- Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) has been successfully applied in pedestrian detection.
- When using large CNN for feature extraction, the commonly used “sliding-window” detection paradigm is hard to work for the computational efficiency problem.



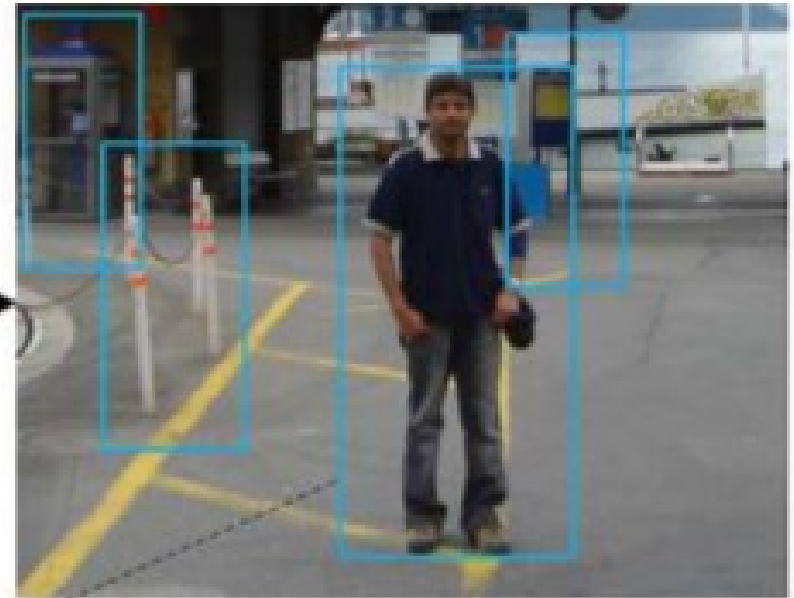
Pedestrian detection approach

- The proposed pedestrian detection approach can be regarded as a two-stages system.
- In the first stage, we rapidly filter out as many negative windows as possible, while keeping all the positive windows.
- In the second stage we fine tune using part detectors.

Localizing candidate windows



Input



Localizing candidate windows



Localizing candidate windows

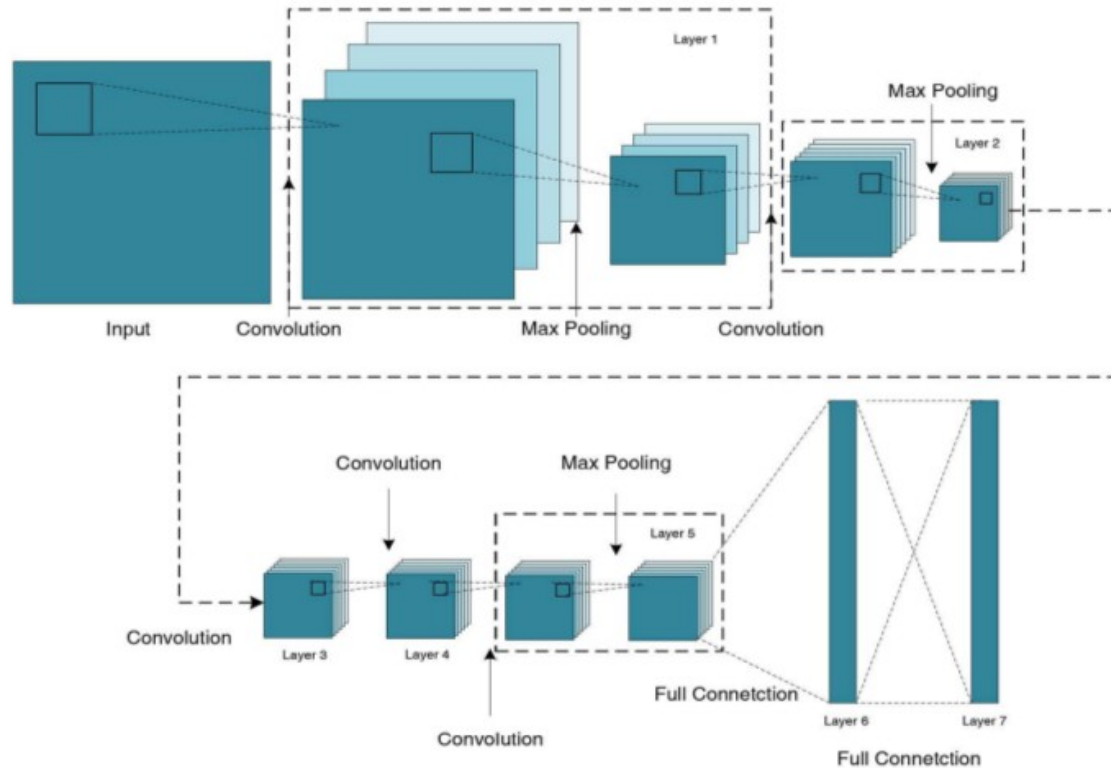
- We employ Aggregate Channel Features detector for localizing candidate windows.
- Three types of channel features are used: normalized gradient magnitude, histogram of oriented gradients and LUV color channels.
- Next, a bootstrapping iteration is conducted to construct a cascade of classifiers. We built a cascade of 2 stages.



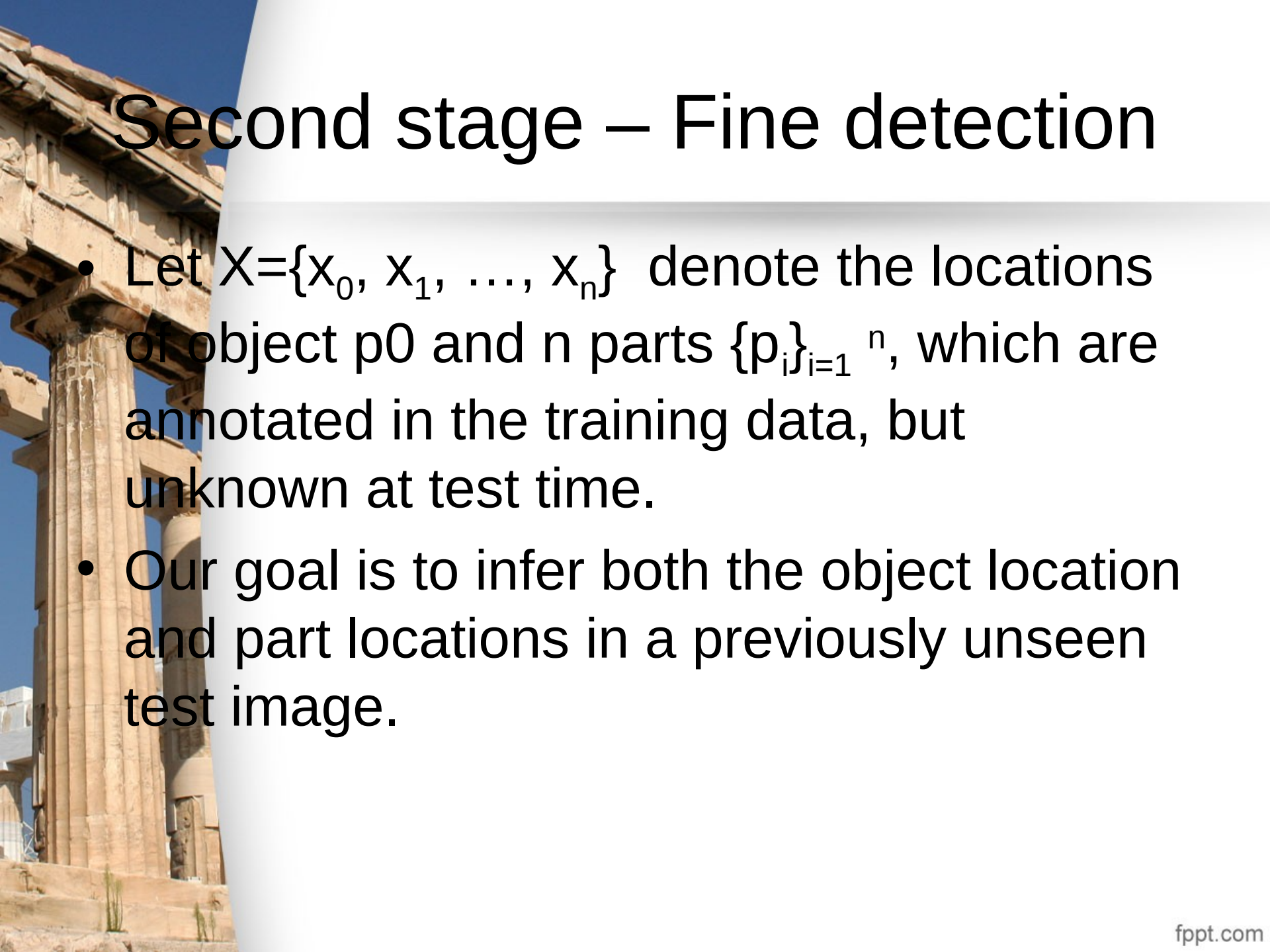
Localizing candidate windows

| | Selective Search | Objectness | ACF |
|------------|------------------|------------|----------------|
| Cover rate | 97.62 % | 93.55 % | 98.13 % |
| Runtime | ~4 sec | ~4 sec | ~ 0.5 s |

Second stage – Fine detection



After obtaining the training features, we train a linear SVM for classification.

The background of the slide features a photograph of the Parthenon on the Acropolis in Athens, Greece. The image shows the ancient stone structure with its iconic columns and pediment, set against a clear blue sky. The lighting suggests a bright, sunny day.

Second stage – Fine detection

- Let $X = \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_n\}$ denote the locations of object p_0 and n parts $\{p_i\}_{i=1}^n$, which are annotated in the training data, but unknown at test time.
- Our goal is to infer both the object location and part locations in a previously unseen test image.

Second stage – Fine detection

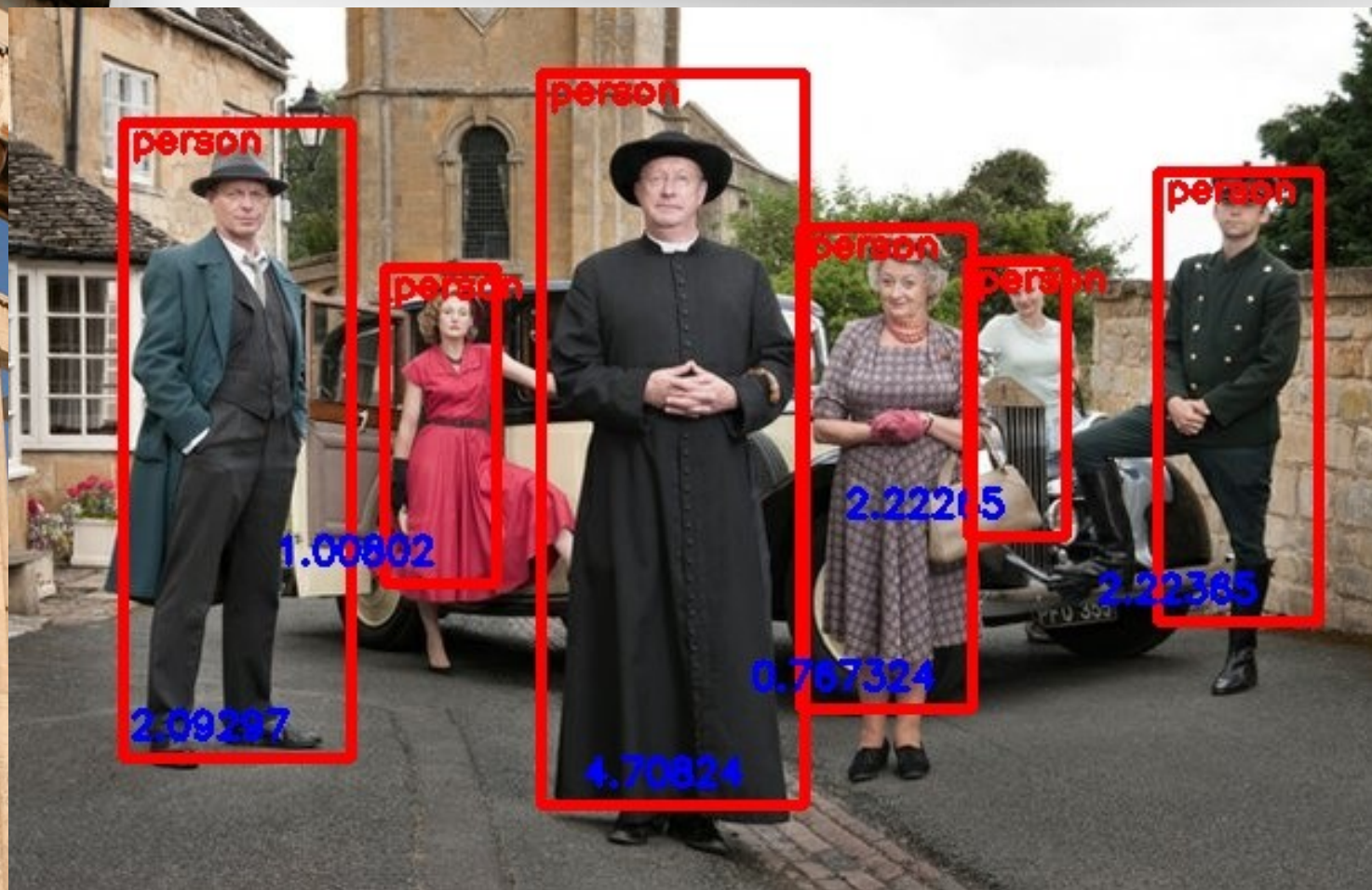
- Given the CNN weights $\{w_0, w_1, \dots, w_n\}$ for object and parts, we will have the corresponding detectors $\{d_0, d_1, \dots, d_n\}$ where each detector score is $d_i(x) = \sigma(w_i^T \Phi(x))$, where $\sigma(\cdot)$ is the sigmoid function and $\Phi(x)$ is the CNN feature descriptor extracted at location x .

$$X^* = \arg \max_X \Delta(X) \prod_{i=0}^n d_i(x_i)$$

Results



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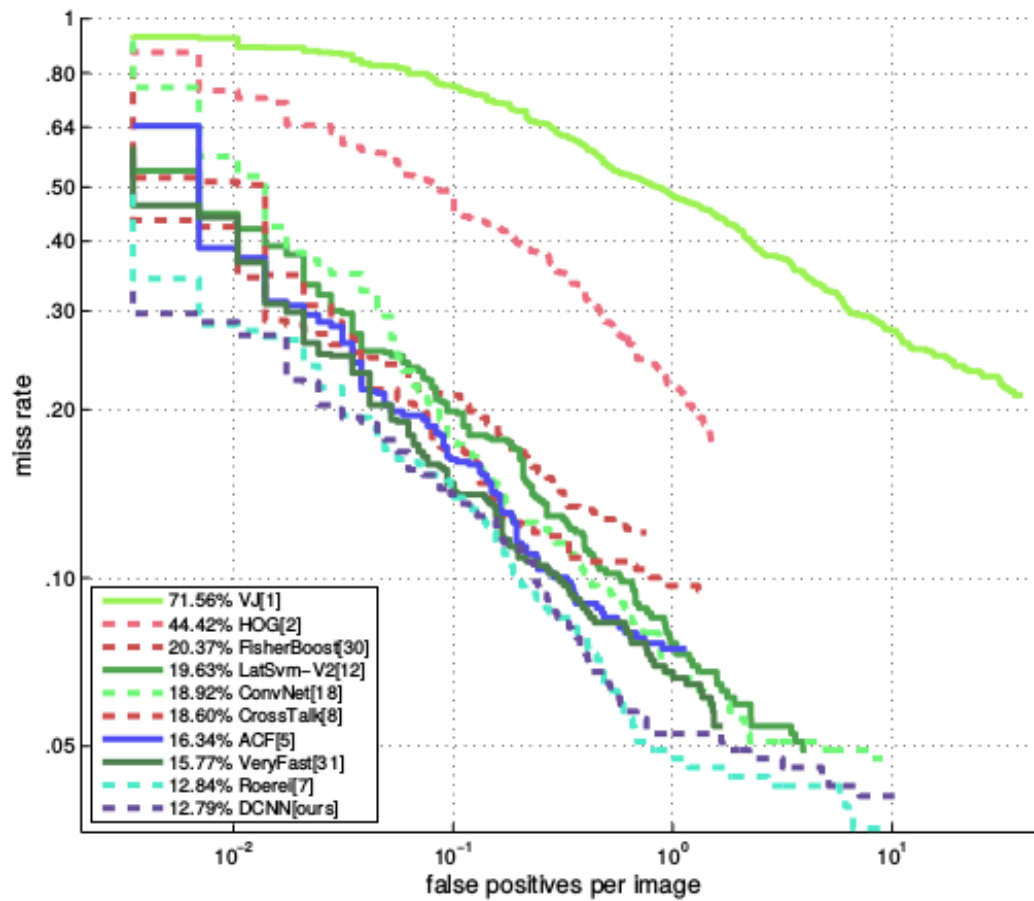
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