



## Enhanced 3D Perception and 3D Reasoning for end-to-end Autonomous Driving (AD)

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## End-to-end Autonomous Driving (L2)

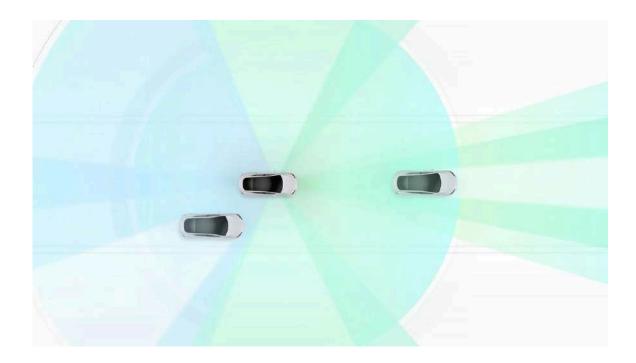




#### Tesla FSD 12.3.6

#### Huawei Wenjie Zhijia

## Hardware for Telsa and Wenjie



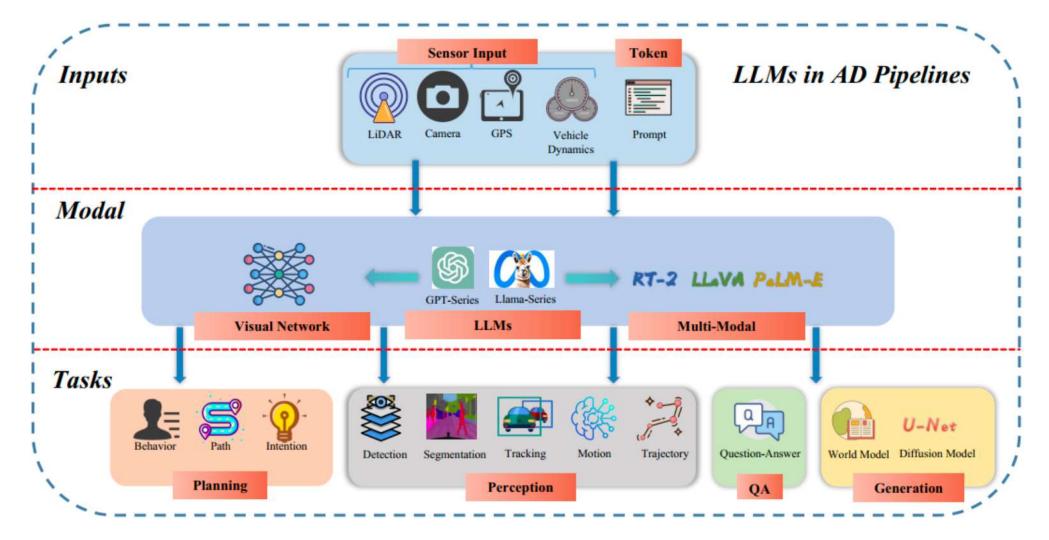


#### **Tesla- Vision Centric**

#### Wenjie with LiDAR

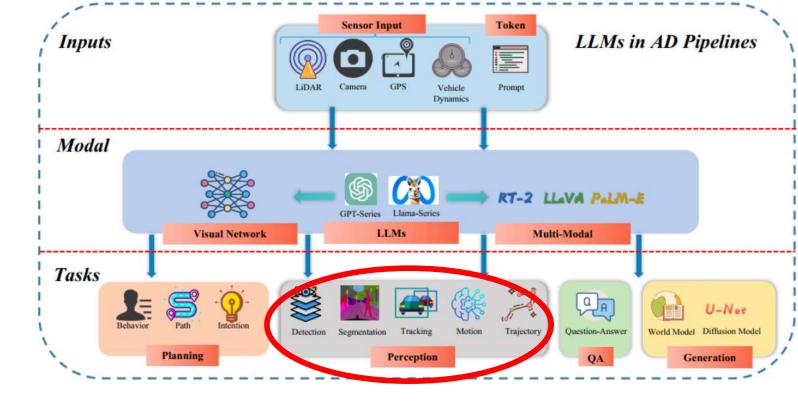
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## Large Models for Autonomous Driving



Awesome-LLM-for-Autonomous-Driving-Resources https://github.com/Thinklab-SJTU/Awesome-LLM4AD/tree/main

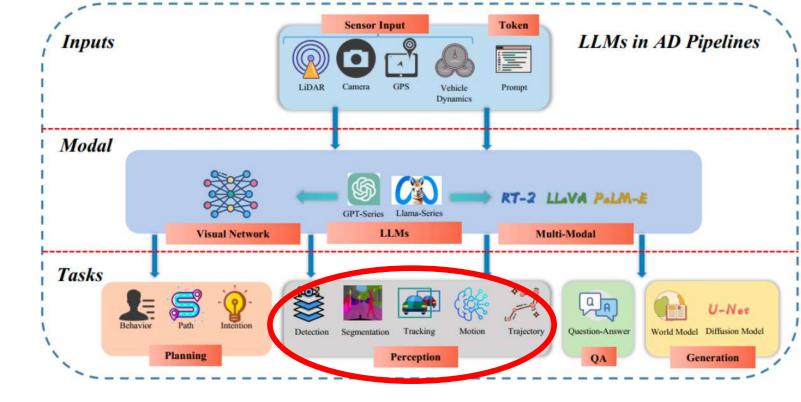




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## LATR: 3D Lane Detection from Monocular Images with Transformer

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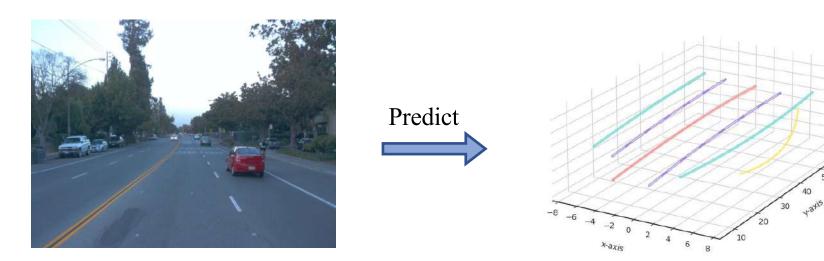


## **Monocular 3D Lane Detection**

*Goal:* localize lane boundaries in 3D space using a single monocular image.

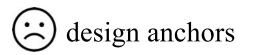
#### Challenges:

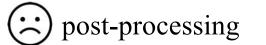
- slenderness and elongation of lanes.
- depth absence in monocular images.





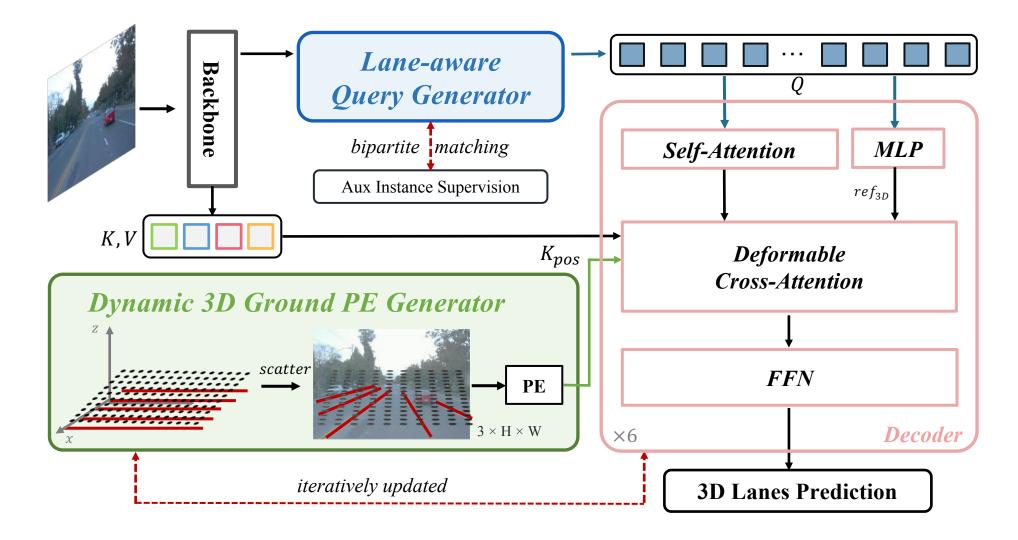
# How to achieve end-to-end monocular 3D lane detection w/o surrogate representation?



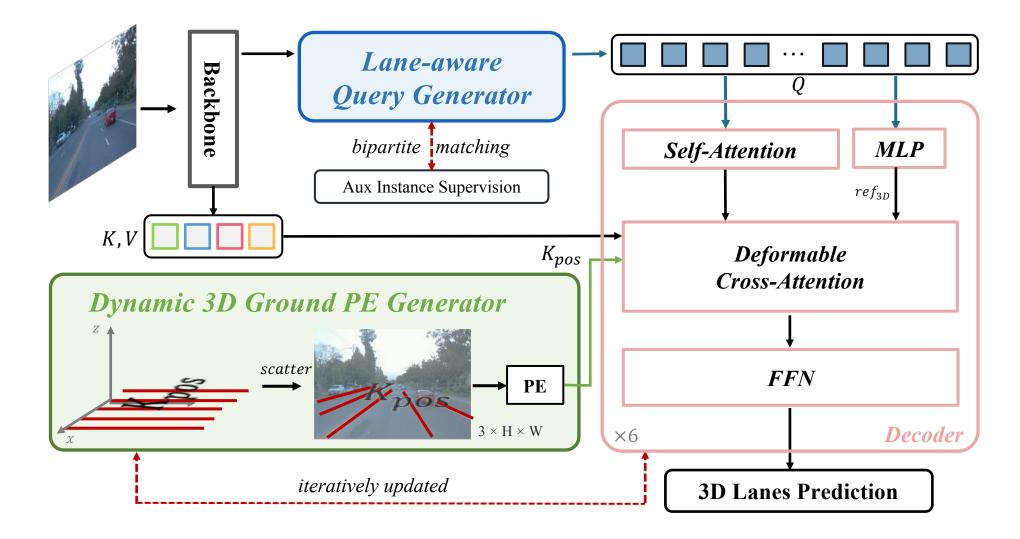




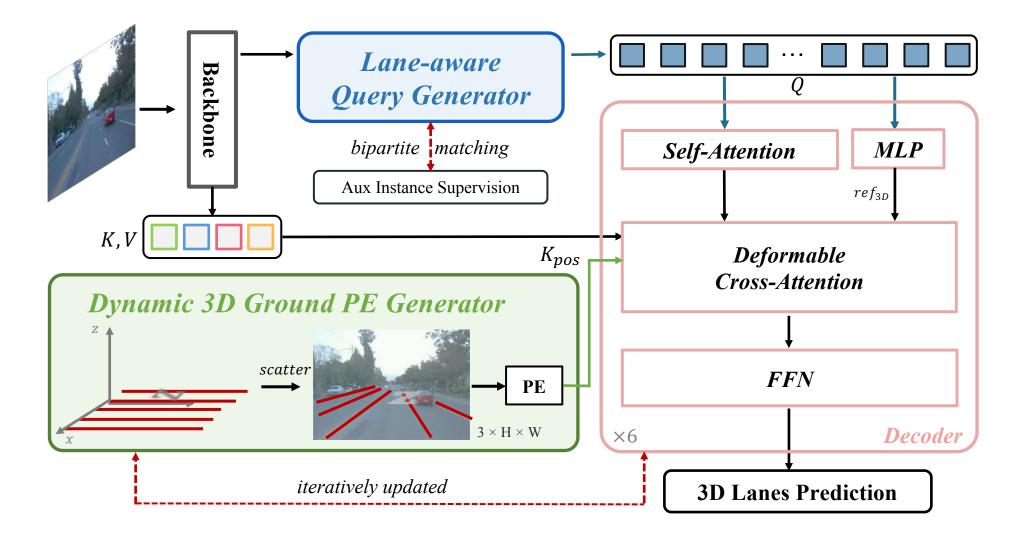
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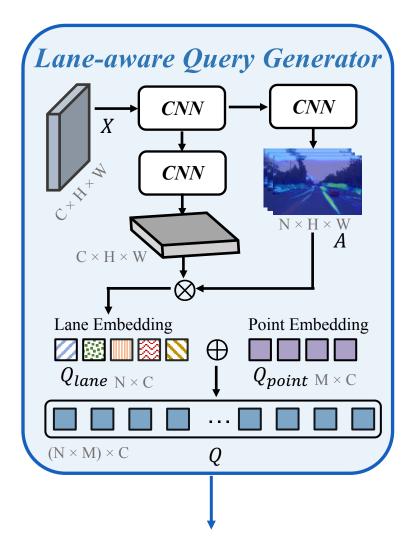


#### Lane-Aware Query Generator

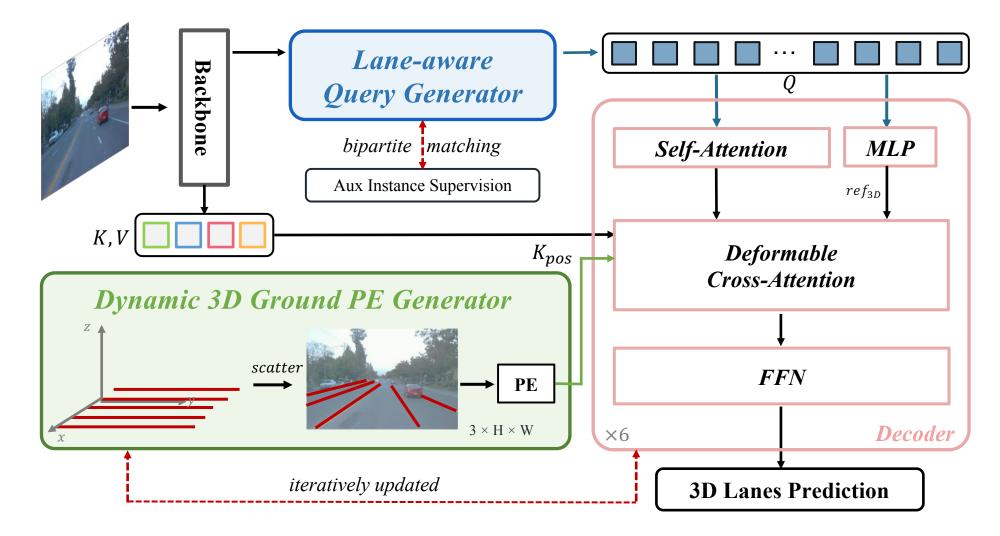
• Lane-aware:

Instance Activation Map-based features

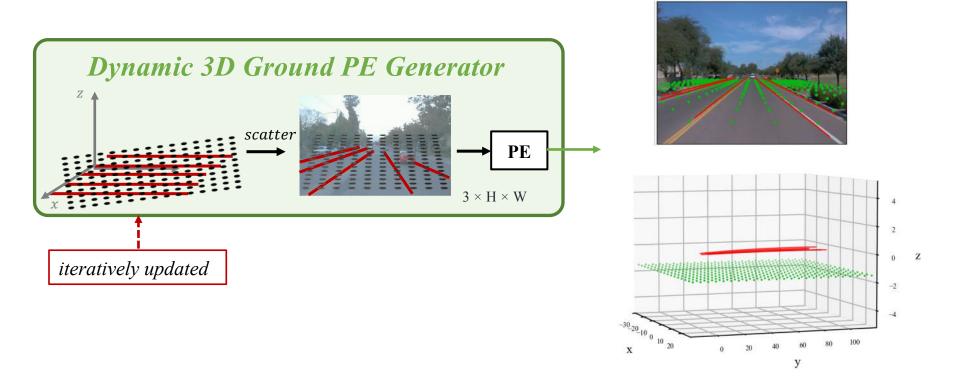
- Holistically: *lane-level embedding*
- Locally: *point-level embedding*



## Dynamic 3D Ground Positional Embedding

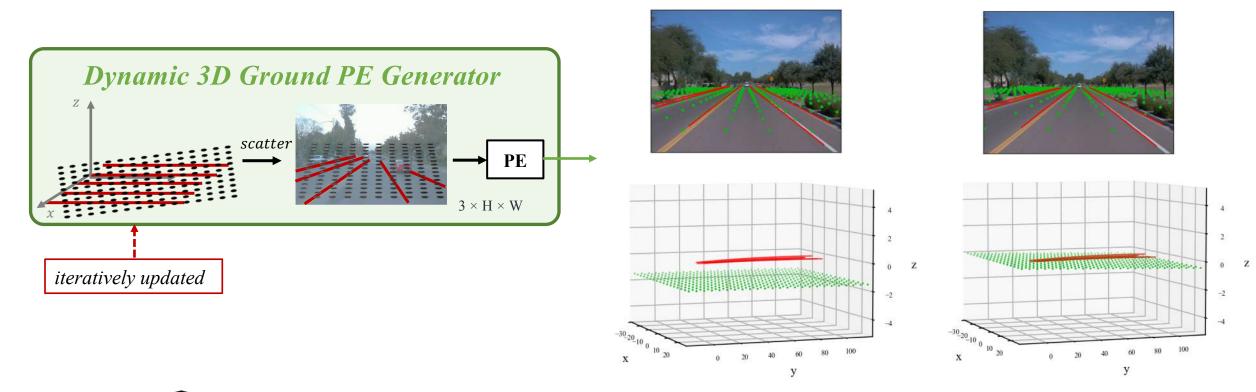


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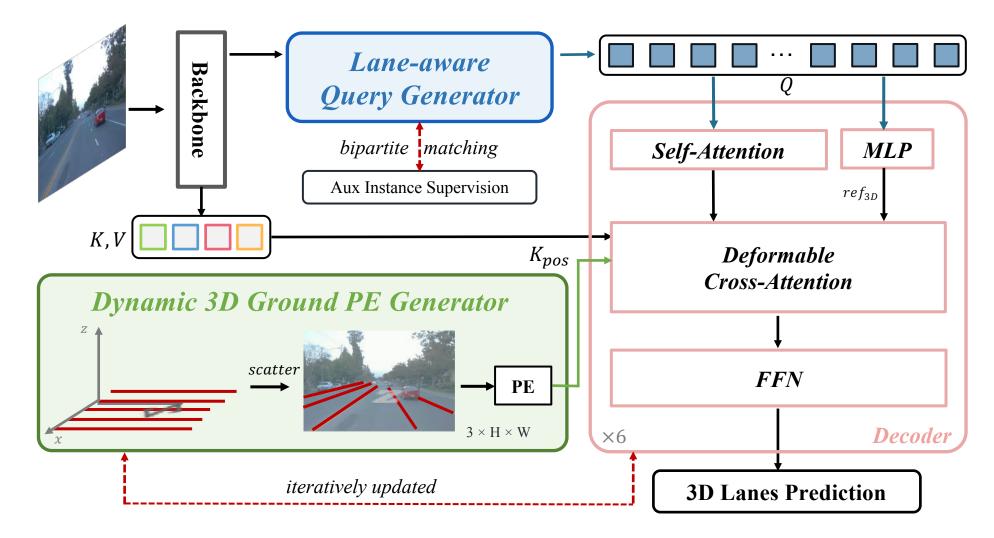
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## Decoder



#### **Experimental Results**

• Results on OpenLane

		Category	X erro	r (m) ↓	Z error (m) $\downarrow$		
Methods	F1 ↑	Accuracy <sup>↑</sup>	near	far	near	far	
3DLaneNet [7]	44.1	:	0.479	0.572	0.367	0.443	
GenLaneNet [8]	32.3	् <del>य</del>	0.593	0.494	0.140	0.195	
Cond-IPM	36.6	-	0.563	1.080	0.421	0.892	
Persformer* [3]	<u>50.5</u>	89.5	0.319	0.325	0.112	0.141	
CurveFormer [1]	50.5	-	0.340	0.772	0.207	0.651	
Persformer-Res50 <sup>†</sup>	53.0	89.2	0.321	0.303	0.085	0.118	
LATR-Lite	61.5	91.9	0.225	0.249	0.073	0.106	
LATR	<b>61.9</b> ↑ 11.4	<b>92.0</b> † 2.5	<b>0.219</b> ↓ 0.100	<b>0.259</b> ↓ 0.066	<b>0.075</b> ↓0.037	<b>0.104</b> ↓ 0.037	

#### **Experimental Results**

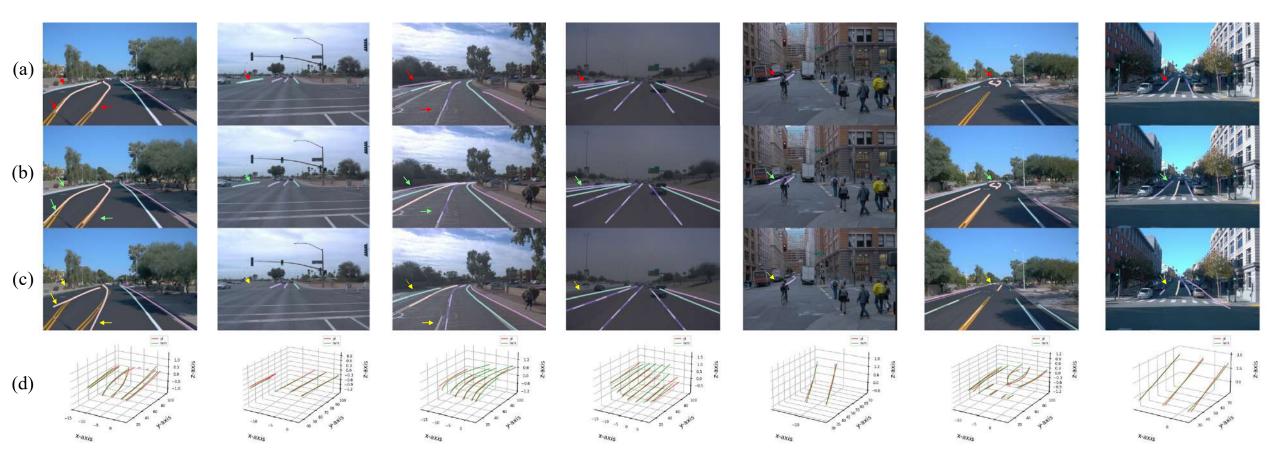
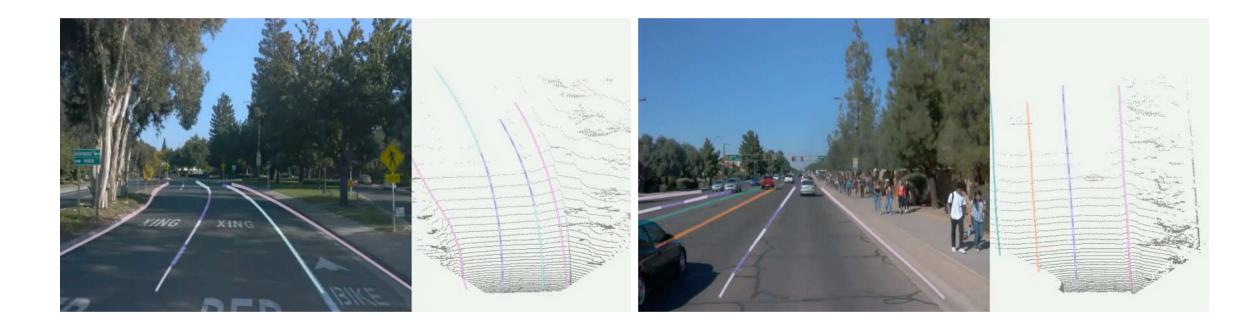
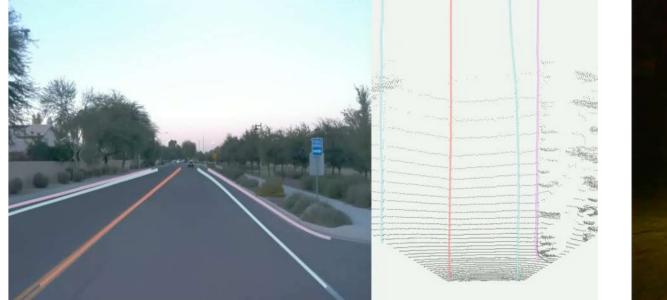


Figure 4. Qualitative evaluation on OpenLane val set. The rows (a), (b), (c) illustrate ground truth 3D lanes, prediction from LATR and Persformer [3] with 2D projection, respectively. Here, different colors indicate specific categories. Row (d) demonstrates the ground truth (red) and prediction of LATR (green) in 3D space. Best viewed in color (zoom in for details).

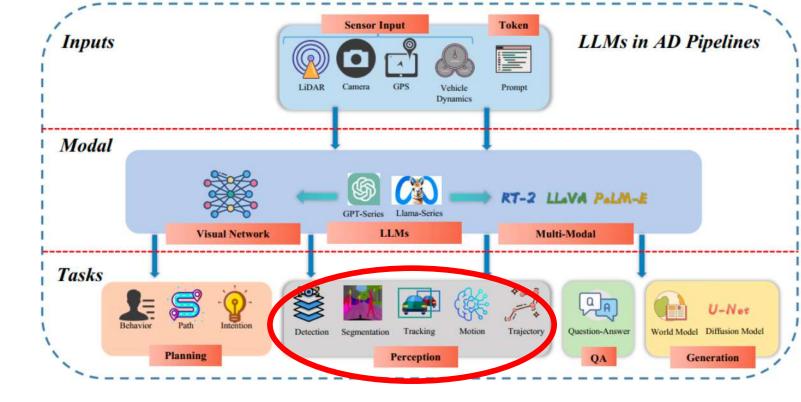
#### **Results Video**











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#### DV-3DLane: End-to-End Multi-Modal 3D Lane Detection with Dual-View Representation

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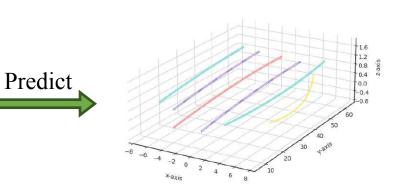
#### **3D Lane Detection**

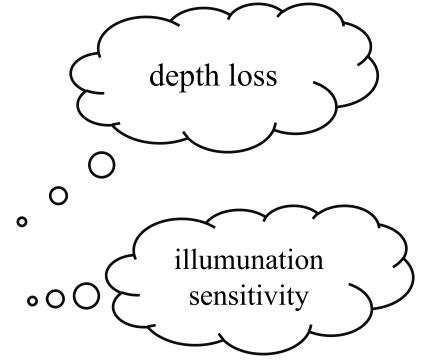
*Goal:* localize lane boundaries in 3D space based on inputs.

*Inherent Challenges:* slenderness and elongation of lanes.

*Existing Solutions:* mainly formulate based on **monocular** images.









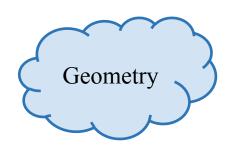
Monocular Solutions



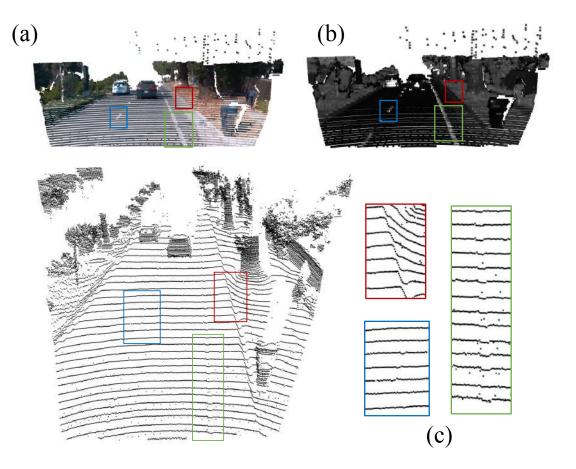
#### **Can We Utilize Multi-modal Data to Facilitate 3D Lane Detection?**

#### **Multi-modal 3D Lane Detection**





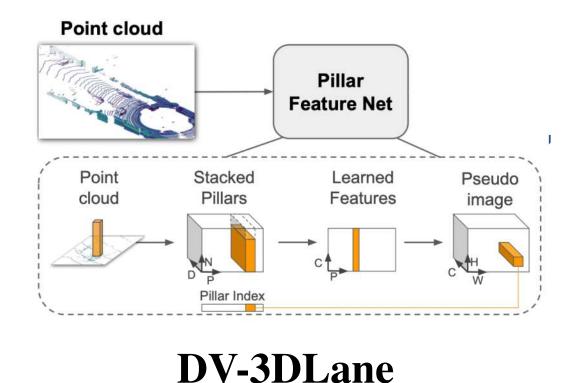
#### LiDAR CAN HELP detect 3D lanes!



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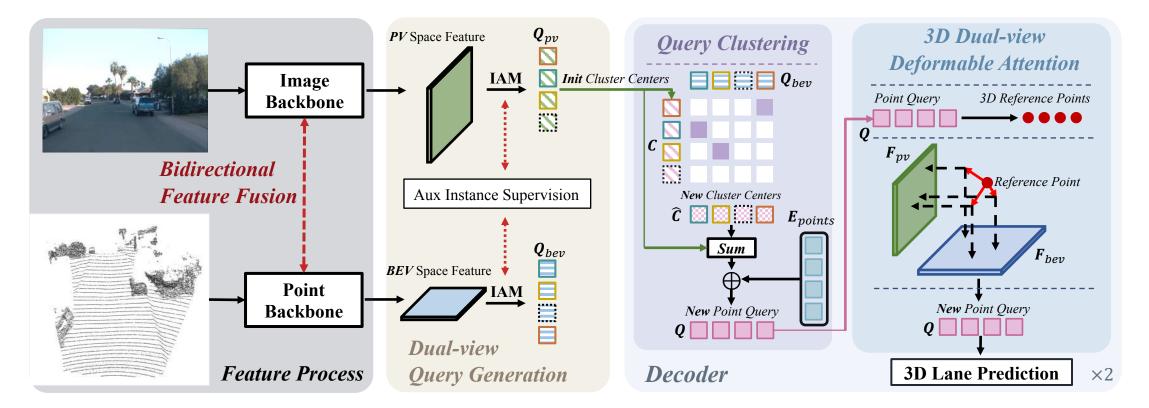
#### End-to-End Multi-modal 3D Lane Detection with

#### **Dual-view Representation**

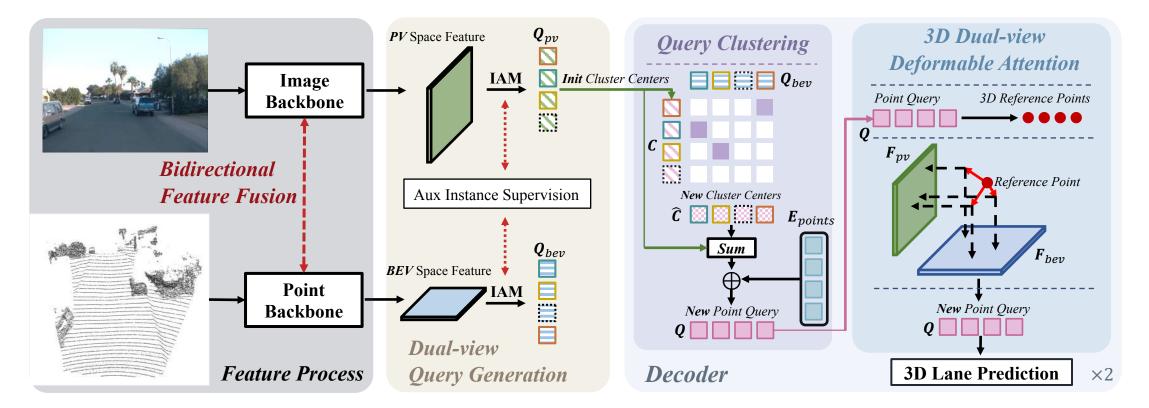


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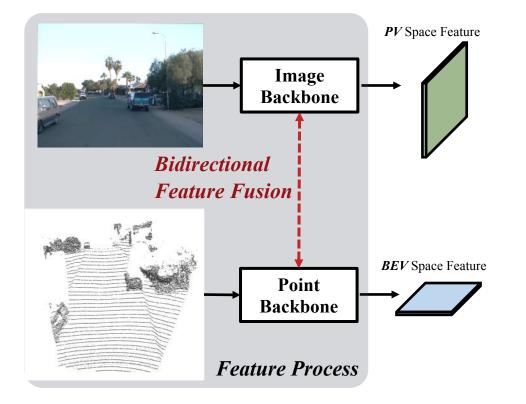
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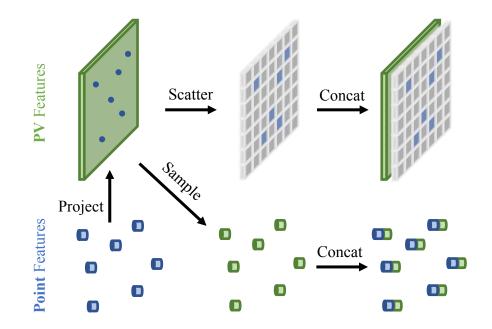


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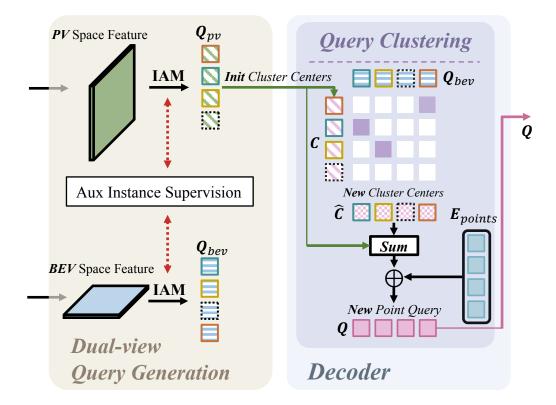


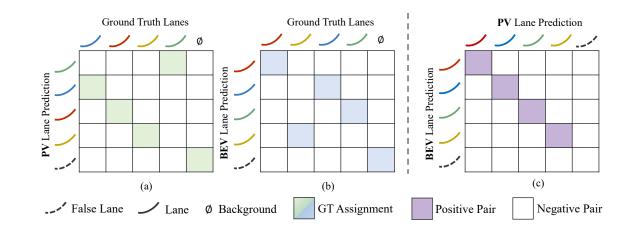
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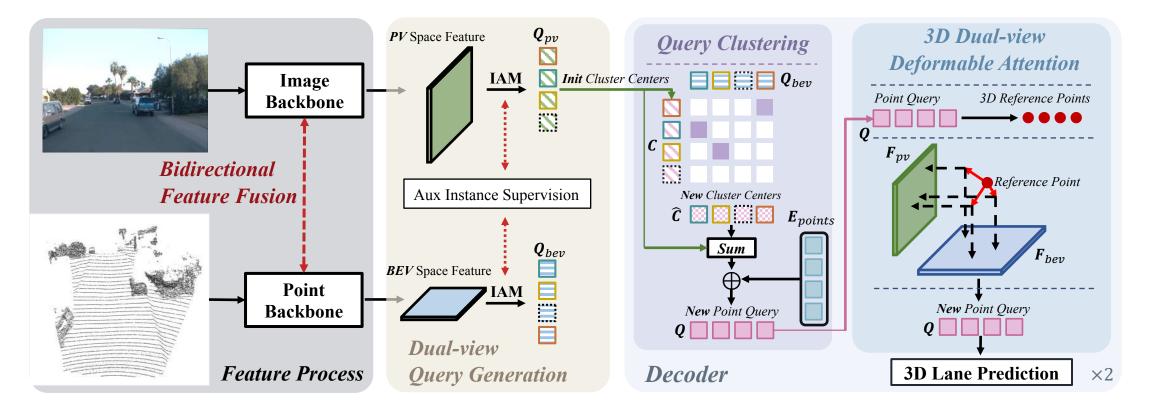


- > Unified query generator
  - 1. Dual-view query generation
  - 2. Dual-view query clustering



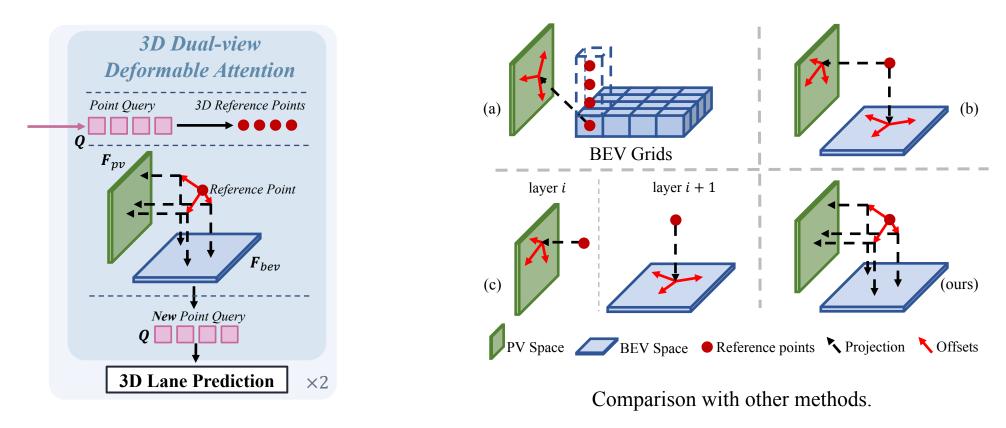


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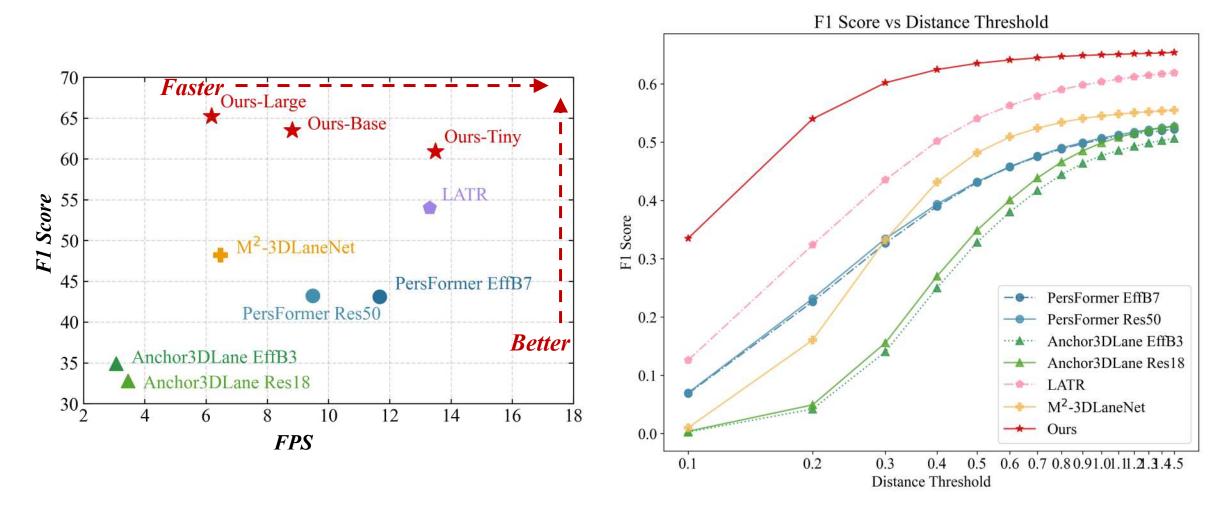
#### > 3D dual-view deformable attention

Consistantly sample features from dual-view spaces.



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#### **Results on OpenLane**



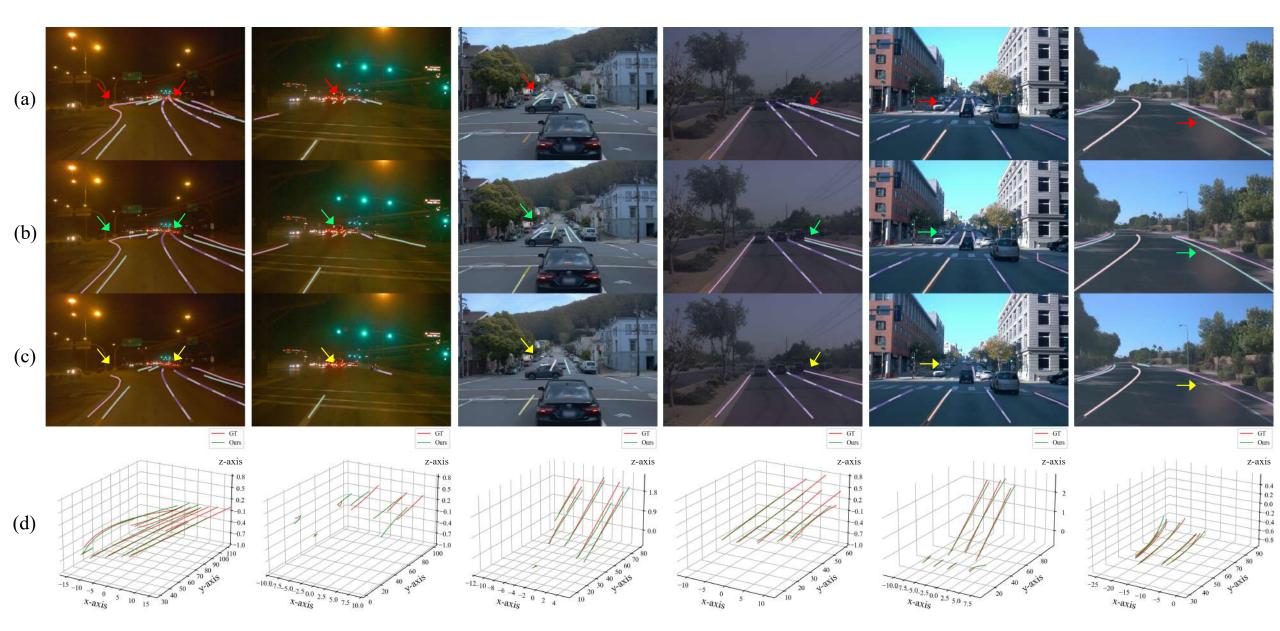
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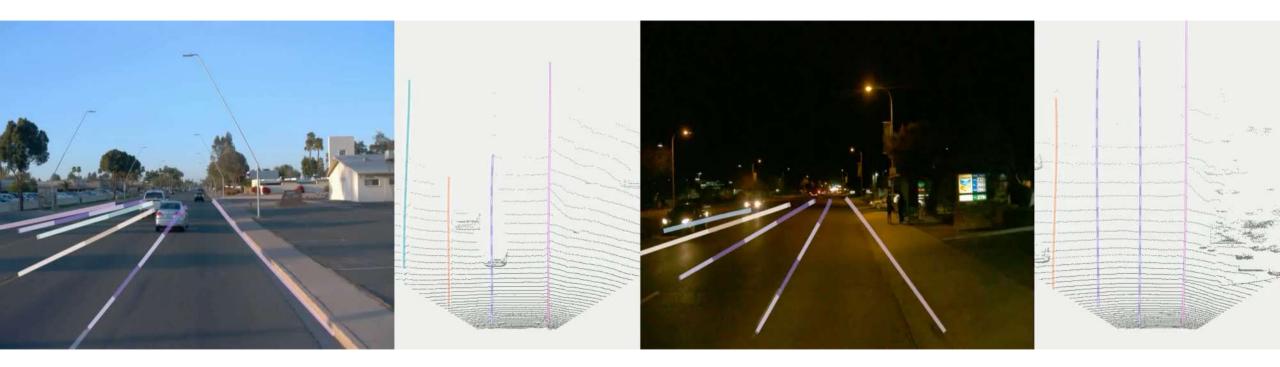
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	PersFormer	EffNet-B7	C	50.5	89.5	0.319	0.325	0.112	0.141
	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	EffNet-B3	C	52.8	89.6	0.408	0.349	0.186	0.143
	M <sup>2</sup> -3DLaneNet	EffNet-B7	C+L	55.5	88.2	0.283	<u>0.256</u>	0.078	0.106
m	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	ResNet-18	C	50.7	89.3	0.422	0.349	0.188	0.146
	PersFormer	ResNet-50	C	52.7	88.4	0.307	0.319	0.083	0.117
1.5	LATR	ResNet-50	C	<u>61.9</u>	<u>92.0</u>	<u>0.219</u>	0.259	<u>0.075</u>	<u>0.104</u>
	DV-3DLane-Tiny (Ours)	ResNet-18	C+L	63.4	91.6	0.137	0.159	0.034	0.063
	DV-3DLane-Base (Ours)	ResNet-34	C+L	65.4	92.4	0.118	0.131	0.032	0.053
	DV-3DLane-Large (Ours)	ResNet-50	C+L	66.8	93.3	0.115	0.134	0.029	0.049
	Improvement	-	-	<i>↑</i> 4.9	<i>↑1.3</i>	↓0.104	↓0.122	↓0.046	↓0.055
	PersFormer	EffNet-B7	C	36.5	87.8	0.343	0.263	0.161	0.115
	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	EffNet-B3	C	34.9	88.5	0.344	0.264	0.181	0.134
	M <sup>2</sup> -3DLaneNet	EffNet-B7	C+L	48.2	88.1	0.217	0.203	0.076	0.103
	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	ResNet-18	C	32.8	87.9	0.350	0.266	0.183	0.137
m	PersFormer	ResNet-50	C	43.2	87.8	0.229	0.245	0.078	0.106
0.5	LATR	ResNet-50	C	<u>54.0</u>	<u>91.7</u>	<u>0.171</u>	<u>0.201</u>	<u>0.072</u>	<u>0.099</u>
•	DV-3DLane-Tiny (Ours)	ResNet-18	C+L	60.9	91.8	0.097	0.124	0.033	0.062
	DV-3DLane-Base (Ours)	ResNet-34	C+L	63.5	92.4	0.090	0.102	0.031	0.053
	DV-3DLane-Large (Ours)	ResNet-50	C+L	65.2	93.4	0.082	0.101	0.028	0.048
	Improvement	-	-	↑11.2	<i>↑1.7</i>	↓0.089	↓0.100	$\downarrow 0.044$	↓0.051

#### **Results on Various Scenarios:**

Dist.	Methods	Backbone	Modality	All	Up & Down	Curve	Extreme Weather	Night	Intersection	Merge & Split
	PersFormer	EffNet-B7	C	50.5	42.4	55.6	48.6	46.6	40.0	50.7
	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	EffNet-B3	C	52.8	48.5	50.7	56.9	43.6	48.5	50.7
	M <sup>2</sup> -3DLaneNet	EffNet-B7	C+L	55.5	53.4	60.7	56.2	51.6	43.8	51.4
	PersFormer	ResNet-50	C	52.7	46.4	57.9	52.9	47.2	41.6	51.4
1.5 m	LATR	ResNet-50	C	<u>61.9</u>	<u>55.2</u>	<u>68.2</u>	<u>57.1</u>	<u>55.4</u>	<u>52.3</u>	<u>61.5</u>
1.5	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	ResNet-18	C	50.7	45.3	53.7	48.5	51.6	45.3	48.5
	DV-3DLane-Tiny	ResNet-18	C+L	63.4	59.9	69.8	62.2	58.8	53.5	60.6
	DV-3DLane-Base	ResNet-34	C+L	65.4	60.9	72.1	64.5	61.3	55.5	61.6
	DV-3DLane-Large	ResNet-50	C+L	66.8	61.1	71.5	64.9	63.2	58.6	62.8
	Improvement	-	-	<i>↑4.9</i>	<i>↑5.9</i>	<i>↑3.9</i>	<b>↑7.8</b>	↑7.8	<i>↑6.3</i>	<i>↑1.3</i>
	PersFormer	EffNet-B7	C	36.5	26.8	36.9	33.9	34.0	28.5	37.4
	Anchor3DLane <sup>†</sup>	EffNet-B3	C	34.9	28.3	31.8	30.7	32.2	29.9	33.9
	M <sup>2</sup> -3DLaneNet	EffNet-B7	C+L	48.2	40.7	48.2	<u>49.8</u>	<u>46.2</u>	38.7	44.2
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	DV-3DLane-Large	ResNet-50	C+L	65.2	59.1	69.2	63.0	62.0	56.9	60.5
	Improvement	-	-	<i>↑11.2</i>	<i>↑14.2</i>	<i>↑13.1</i>	<i>↑13.2</i>	<i>†15.8</i>	<i>↑11.4</i>	<i>↑4.9</i>

## Visualization





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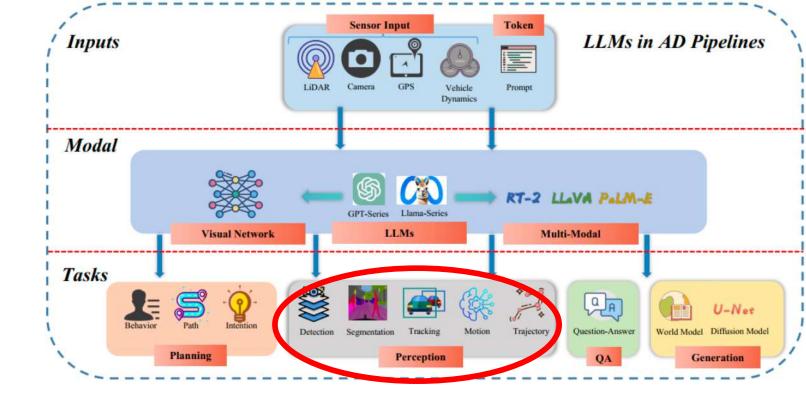


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# RadOcc: Learning Cross-Modality Occupancy Knowledge through Rendering Assisted Distillation

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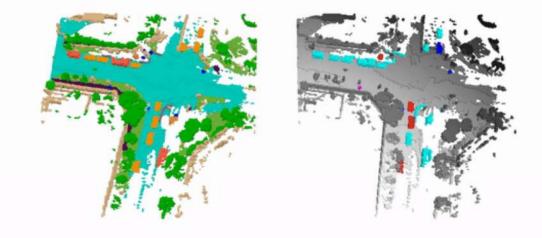
# Background



#### **Vision-based 3D Occupancy Prediction:**

- Inputs: Multi-view camera images
- Outputs: 3D semantic occupancy
- Advantages: cost-effectiveness, general object representation, suitable for unified models





Challenges

...



#### **Challenges of Vision-based 3D Occupancy Prediction:**

- Lack of geometric priors;
- 2D to 3D transformations;
- Semantic complete 3D scene details perception;



**Three Typical Solutions:** 

• Forward projection methods;

- Backward projection methods;
- Forward-Backward projection methods;

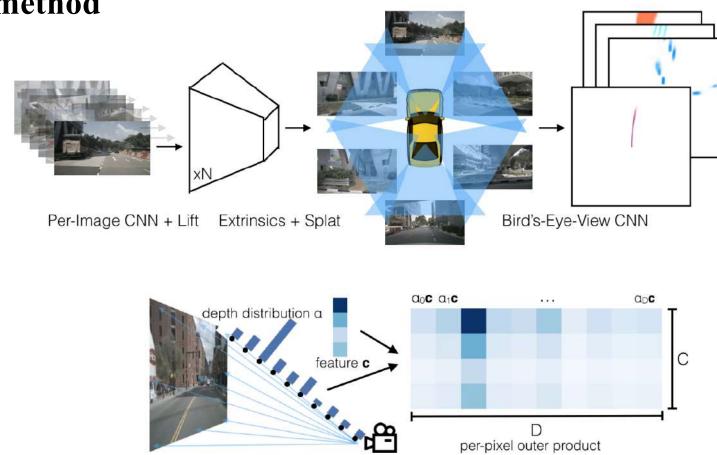
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#### LSS-based method

Framework



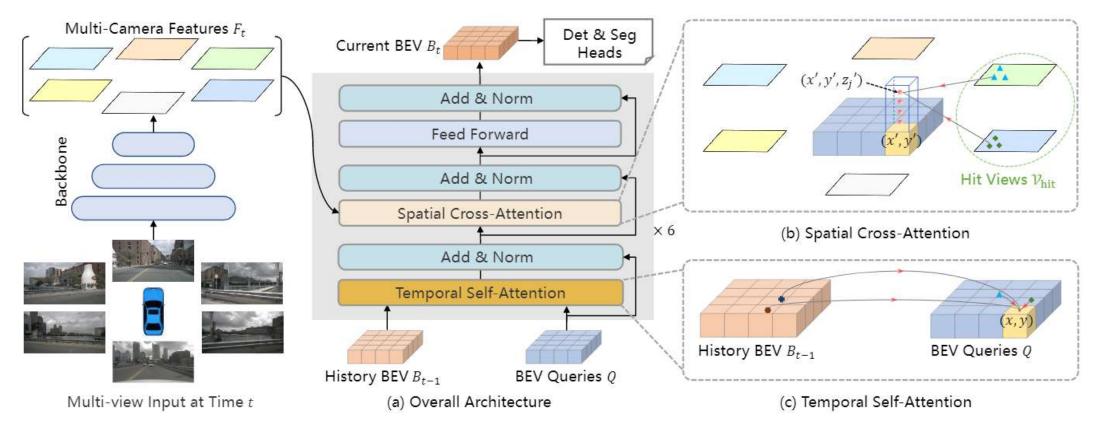
#### Lifting

Lift, splat, shoot: Encoding images from arbitrary camera rigs by implicitly unprojecting to 3d.

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#### **BEVFormer**

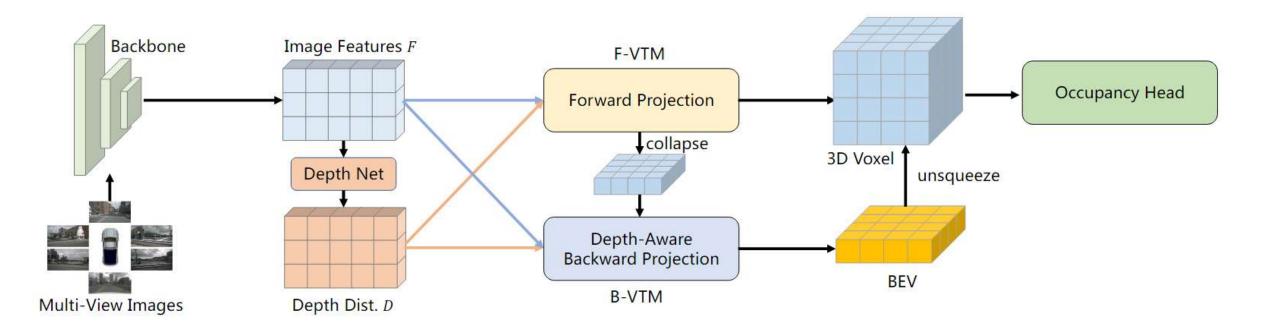


Bevformer: Learning bird's-eye-view representation from multi-camera images via spatio-temporal transformers.

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  - *FB-OCC*

#### **FB-OCC**



FB-OCC: 3D Occupancy Prediction based on Forward-Backward View Transformation.

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#### **Issues:**

- More and more complex model structure;
- Heavy model parameters;
- Long-term training;
- ... ...

Motivation



#### **Can we enhance existing models benefiting from knowledge distillation?**

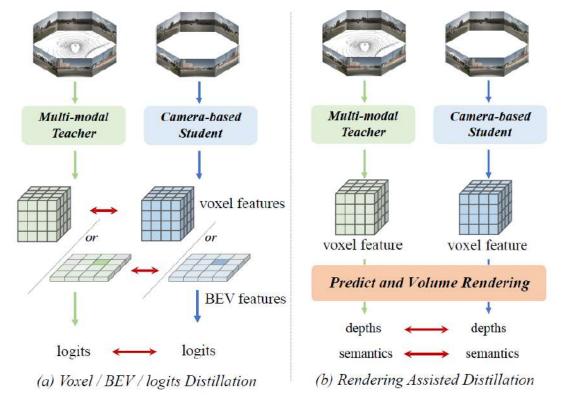
#### Strengths:

- Knowledge distillation could improve student model while do not introduce burden during inference;
- Multi-modality model tend to achieve high performance more easily;

*Motivation* 



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- Simply align the features or logits do not obtain satisfied results;
- We need to explore more effective knowledge distillation paradigm for 3D occupancy representation;

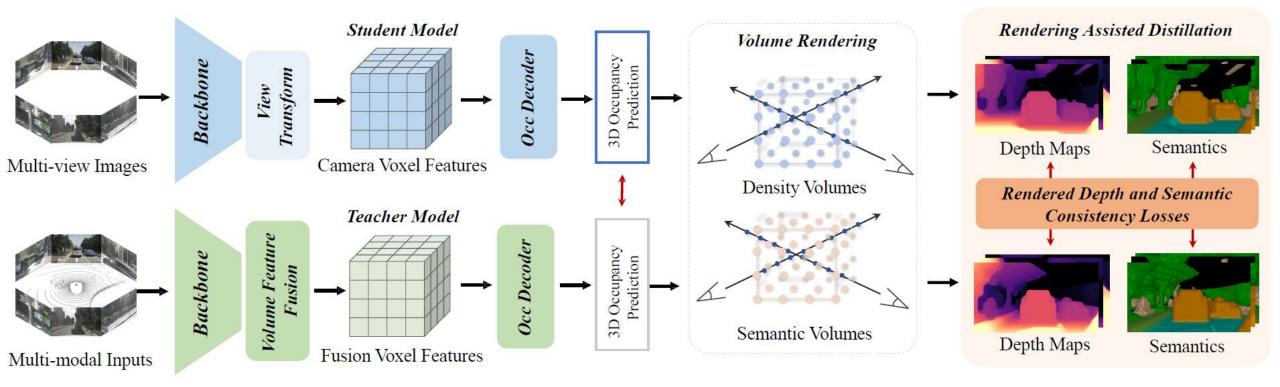
**Proposed Method** 



#### RadOcc, Rendering assisted distillation paradigm for 3D Occupancy prediction.

#### Framework





- Two models: teacher model and student model;
- Teacher model takes multi-modality data (images and LiDAR point cloud) as inputs;
- Student model can be any of a existing vision-based occupancy prediction model;

#### **Volume Rendering**

#### **Voxel-based volume rendering**

Algorithm 1: The pseudocode of volume rendering.

Input:  $V^D, V^S, K, T, H, W$ , step\_size Output: D, S# get ray origin and direction of each pixel rays<sub>o</sub>, rays<sub>d</sub>  $\leftarrow$  get\_rays(K, T, H, W)# get sampled points on each ray  $\mathcal{P} \leftarrow \mathbf{get\_points}(\mathbf{rays}_o, \mathbf{rays}_d, \mathbf{step\_size})$ # get the distance between the sampled point and ray origin dist  $\leftarrow$  **get\_distance**(rays<sub>o</sub>, rays<sub>p</sub>) # inject density and semantic on each sample point  $\mathcal{P}^{D} \leftarrow \operatorname{grid}_{\operatorname{sample}}(V^{D}, \mathcal{P})$  $\mathcal{P}^S \leftarrow \operatorname{grid}_{\operatorname{sample}}(V^S, \mathcal{P})$ *# calculate interval of each sampled point pair* delta  $\leftarrow$  dist[..., 1 :] – dist[..., : –1] # Eqn. (1)-(3) in manuscript  $D, S \leftarrow \text{Render}(\mathcal{P}^D, \mathcal{P}^S, \text{ delta, dist})$ return D, S



#### 1) Accumulated transmittance:

$$T_i = \exp(\sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \sigma(p_j)\delta_j),$$

#### 2) Depth rendering:

$$\hat{d}(u,v) = \sum_{i=1}^{N_p} T_i (1 - \exp(-\sigma(p_i)\delta_i)) d(p_i),$$

#### 3) Semantic rendering:

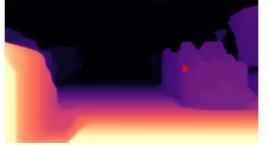
$$\hat{s}(u,v) = \sum_{i=1}^{N_p} T_i (1 - \exp(-\sigma(p_i)\delta_i)) s(p_i),$$

#### **Rendered Depth Consistency (RDC)**

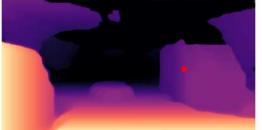
## Ray termination distribution aligning



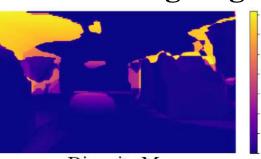
View Image



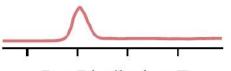
Rendered Depth (T)



Rendered Depth (S)



Disparity Map



Ray Distribution (T)

Ray Distribution (S)



- Directly align depth maps is a hard constraint;
- Similar depths between teacher and student models show great discrepancy in ray distribution;

2) RDC Loss:

$$\mathcal{R}_{(u,v)}^{(\cdot)} = \{T_i(1 - \exp(-\sigma(p_i)\delta_i))\}_{i=1}^{N_p},\$$

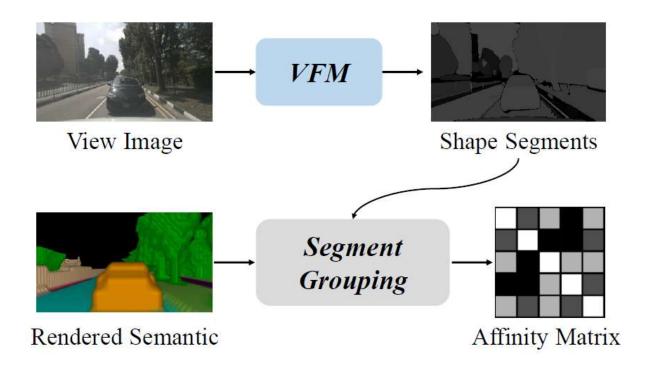
 $\mathcal{L}_{rdc} = \frac{1}{HW} \sum_{u=1}^{H} \sum_{v=1}^{W} \mathcal{D}_{KL} (\mathcal{R}_{(u,v)}^{\text{teacher}} || \mathcal{R}_{(u,v)}^{\text{student}})$ 

KL divergence



#### **Rendered Semantic Consistency (RSC)**

## Segment-guided affinity distillation (SAD)



#### 1) Pipeline:

- Utilizing VFM (i.e. SAM) to segment view images;
- **Grouping** the rendered semantic logits based on the segmentation patches;
- Applying average pooling within each group to extract *M* semantic embeddings;
- Computing affinity matrix for student and teacher model based on the semantic embeddings:

$$\mathcal{C}_{i,j,r} = \frac{\mathcal{E}(i,r), \mathcal{E}(j,r)}{||\mathcal{E}(i)||_2 ||\mathcal{E}(j)||_2}.$$

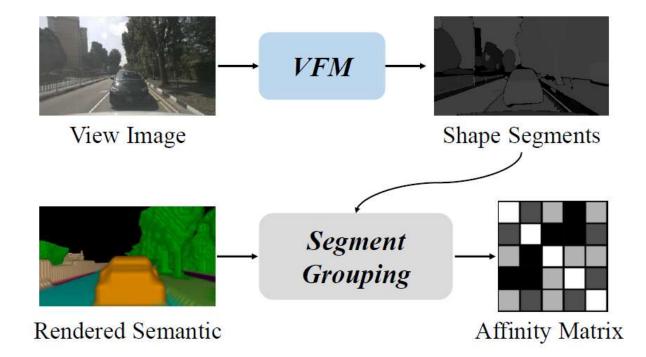
Semantic embedding with shape (M, C)



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## **Rendered Semantic Consistency (RSC)**

#### Segment-guided affinity distillation (SAD) 2) RSC Loss:



 $\mathcal{L}_{sad} = \sum_{r=1}^{C} \sum_{i=1}^{M} \sum_{j=1}^{M} ||C_{i,j,r}^{T} - C_{i,j,r}^{S}||_{2}^{2},$ 

$$\mathcal{L}_{rsc} = \mathcal{L}_{sad} / CM^2 + \omega \mathcal{D}_{KL}(\mathcal{S}^T || \mathcal{S}^S)$$

KL divergence between rendered semantics





#### Datasets

- Occ3D: dense 3D occupancy prediction dataset;
- nuScenes-lidarseg: sparse LiDAR semantic segmentation prediction dataset;

#### **Experimental Settings**

- **Dense prediction**: BEVDet as baseline, Swin-Transformer base as image backbone;
- **Sparse prediction**: TPVFormer as baseline, R101-DCN as image backbone;

# Results



#### **3D** occupancy prediction performance on the Occ3D

Method	Image Backbone	mIoU	■ others	<b>b</b> arrier	bicycle	snq 📒	car	const. veh.	motorcycle	pedestrian	📕 traffic cone	Trailer	Truck	drive. suf.	<ul> <li>other flat</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>sidewalk</li> </ul>	📕 terrain	manmade	<ul> <li>vegetation</li> </ul>
2.0						Perfor	mance	es on V	alidati	on Set	t.								
MonoScene CTF-Occ BEVFormer PanoOcc BEVDet† Baseline (ours) RadOcc (ours)	Swin-B Swin-B	28.53 39.24 42.13 42.02 44.14 <b>46.06</b>	10.13 11.67 12.15 <b>13.39</b> 9.78	47.91 50.48 49.63 52.20 <b>54.93</b>	20.56 24.90 29.64 25.10 <b>31.43</b> 20.44	47.57 49.44 52.02 52.01 <b>55.24</b>	42.24 54.52 55.52 54.46 56.70 <b>59.62</b>	16.93 20.23 23.29 27.87 <b>30.66</b> 30.48	24.52 28.85 <b>33.26</b> 27.99 32.95 28.94	22.72 28.02 30.55 28.94 31.56 <b>44.66</b>	21.05 25.73 30.99 27.23 <b>31.31</b> 28.04	22.98 33.03 34.43 36.43 39.87 <b>45.69</b>	31.11 38.56 42.57 42.22 44.64 <b>48.05</b>	53.33 81.98 <b>83.31</b> 82.31 82.98 81.41	33.84 40.65 44.23 43.29 <b>44.97</b> 39.80	50.93 54.40 54.62 <b>55.43</b> 52.78	33.23 53.02 56.04 57.90 <b>58.90</b> 56.16	43.86 45.94 48.61 48.43 <b>64.45</b>	37.15 40.40 43.55 42.99 <b>62.64</b>
Teacher (ours)	Swin-B	49.38	10.93					ccupan					52.11	82.9	42.75	55.27	38.34	08.04	00.01
BEVFormer SurroundOcc† BEVDet† PanoOcc-T*	R101-DCN R101-DCN Swin-B Intern-XL	42.26 42.83	11.7 18.66	36.77 50.55 49.82	11.70 32.09 31.79	29.87 41.59 41.90	38.92 57.38 56.52	10.29 27.93 26.74	22.05 38.08 37.31	16.21 30.56 30.01	14.69 29.32 31.33	27.44 48.29 48.18	38.72 38.59	80.21 80.95	48.56 50.59	53.20 53.87	47.56 49.67	46.55 46.62	36.14 35.62

Baseline-T (ours)	Swin-B	47.74 22.88 50.74 <b>41.02 49.39</b> 55.40 33.41 45.71 38.57 35.79 48.94 44.40 83.19 52.26 59.09 <b>55.83</b> 51.35 43.54
RadOcc-T (ours)	Swin-B	<b>49.98</b> 21.13 <b>55.17</b> 39.31 48.99 <b>59.92 33.99 46.31 43.26 39.29 52.88 44.85</b> 83.72 53.93 59.17 55.62 <b>60.53 51.55</b>
Teacher-T (ours)	Swin-B	55.09 25.94 59.04 44.93 57.95 63.70 38.89 52.03 53.21 42.16 59.90 50.45 84.79 55.70 60.83 58.02 67.66 61.40

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\* means the results provided by authors;

'-T' represents results through test-time augmentation (TTA);

Results



#### LiDAR semantic segmentation results on nuScenes test benchmark

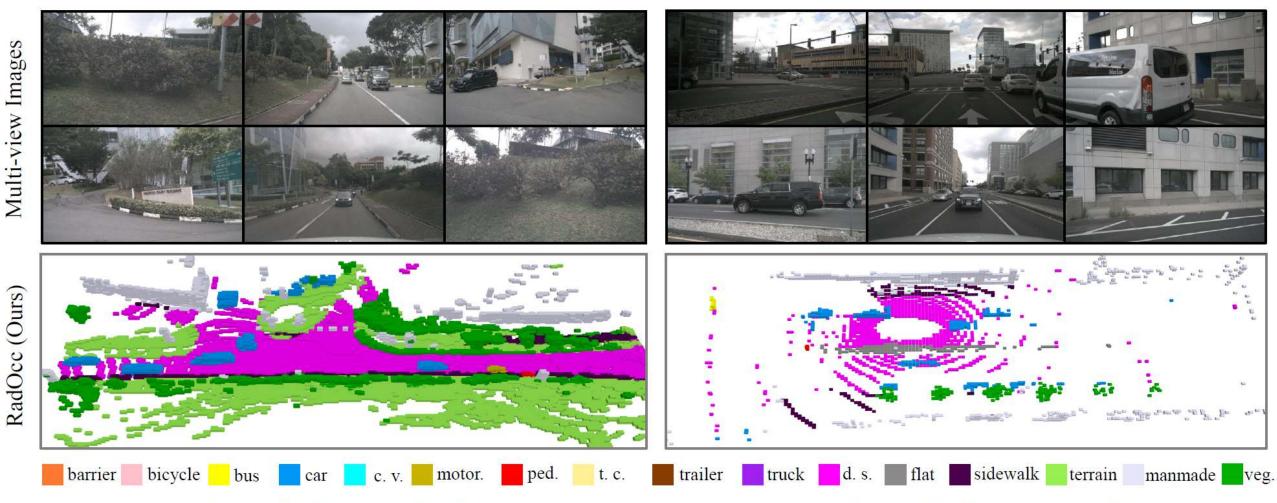
Method	Input Modality	Image Backbone	mIoU	barrier	bicycle	pus –	<b>c</b> ar	const. veh.	motorcycle	<ul> <li>pedestrian</li> </ul>	traffic cone	trailer	truck	drive. suf.	other flat	sidewalk	terrain	manmade	vegetation
PolarNet Cylinder3D 2DPASS	LiDAR LiDAR LiDAR	-	69.4 77.2 80.8	00100011001200808	29.8	84.3	89.4	63.0	79.3	77.2	73.4	84.6	<b>6</b> 9.1	97.7	70.2		75.5	87.1 90.4 90.2	87.6
TPVFormer BEVDet† TPVFormer (BL)	Camera Camera Camera	R50-DCN Swin-B R101-DCN	59.2 65.2 69.4	31.3	63.9	74.6	79.1	51.5	59.8	63.4	56.2	74.7	59.8	92.8	61.4	69.5	65.7	84.1	82.9
RadOcc (ours) Teacher (ours)	Camera Cam+Li	R101-DCN R101-DCN	<b>71.8</b> 75.2	<b>49.1</b> 62.7	television course	<b>84.5</b> 88.7	sectored total		1970-1971 - 1977	0104402 01	<b>62.5</b> 65.0	200000000000000000000000000000000000000	1000000 - 1000	NAME (1997) 1991	<b>66.2</b> 68.3	ALL		508048851001454	<b>86.0</b> 87.1

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#### Visualizations





(a) Dense 3D Occupancy Prediction

(b) Sparse 3D Occupancy Prediction

Ablation



#### **Ablation Study on Occ3D**

Method	RDC(-)	RDC	SAD	RSC	mIoU
BEVDet					36.10
Model A	<ul> <li>✓</li> </ul>		ě.		35.08
Model B		$\checkmark$			36.76
Model C			$\checkmark$		37.13
Model D	2	3	2	$\checkmark$	37.42
RadOcc (ours)		$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	37.98

• RDC(-) denotes directly aligning the rendered depth map with Scale-Invariant Logarithmic loss;

- Latent ray distribution alignment is useful.
- Sorely aligning depth maps is not a good choice.
- RSC loss (including SAD and KL divergence) obviously improve performance.





#### How about different kinds of knowledge distillation paradigms?

Method	Consistency	mIoU	Gains
BEVDet (baseline)	-	36.10	Ξ.
Hinton et al.	Prob.	37.00	+0.90
Hinton et al.	Feature	35.89	-0.21
<b>BEVD</b> istill	Prob. + Feature	35.95	-0.15
RadOcc (ours)	Render	37.98	+1.88
RadOcc (ours)	Prob. + Render	38.53	+2.43

- Sorely align the occupancy probabilistic logits improve performance slightly.
- *Aligning the volume feature hinder the performance.*
- Our rendering-assisted knowledge distillation, combined with logits alignment enhance performance a lot.

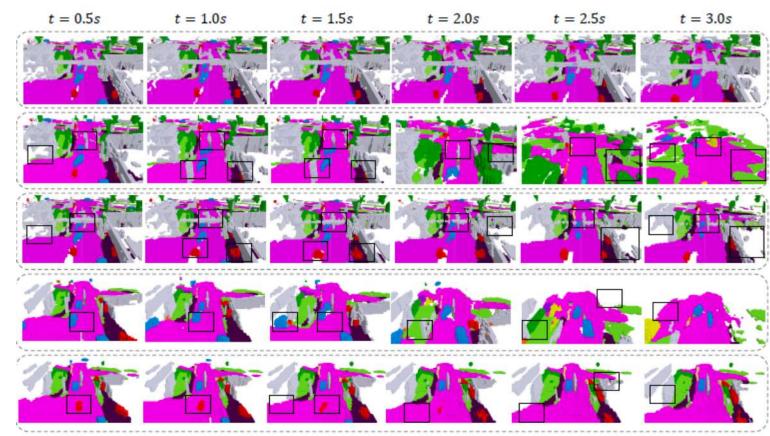
# Conclusion



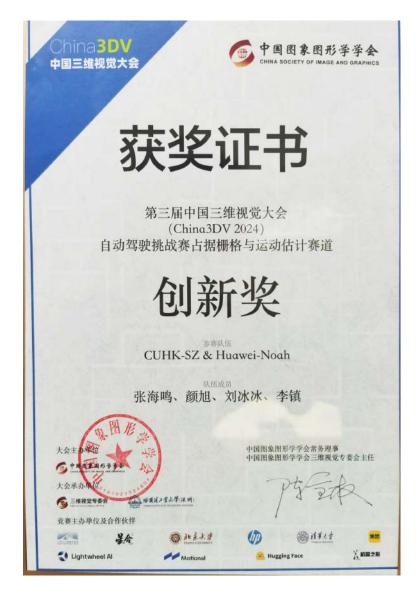
# **RadOcc: Learning Cross-Modality Occupancy Knowledge through Rendering Assisted Distillation:**

- We propose a rendering assisted distillation paradigm, **RadOcc**, for 3D occupancy prediction;
- Two novel **consistency losses** are introduced to achieve better alignment between the rendered outputs;
- The proposed RadOcc achieves **state-of-the-art** performance on the **Occ3D** and **nuScenes** benchmarks for dense and sparse occupancy prediction, respectively.

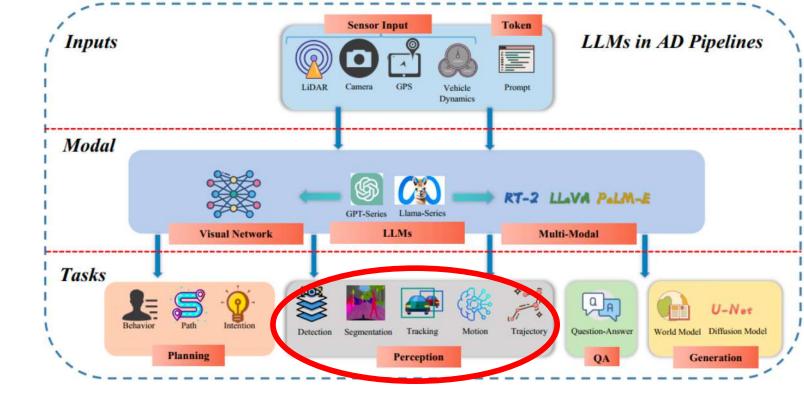




World model based 4D occupancy forecasting and planning prediction



# Outline



#### Enhanced 3D Perception for AD

- Monocular (front/ego view)/Multimodality 3D Lane Detection
- > 3D/4D Occupancy (world model)

#### Semantic Segmentation and Semantic Completion





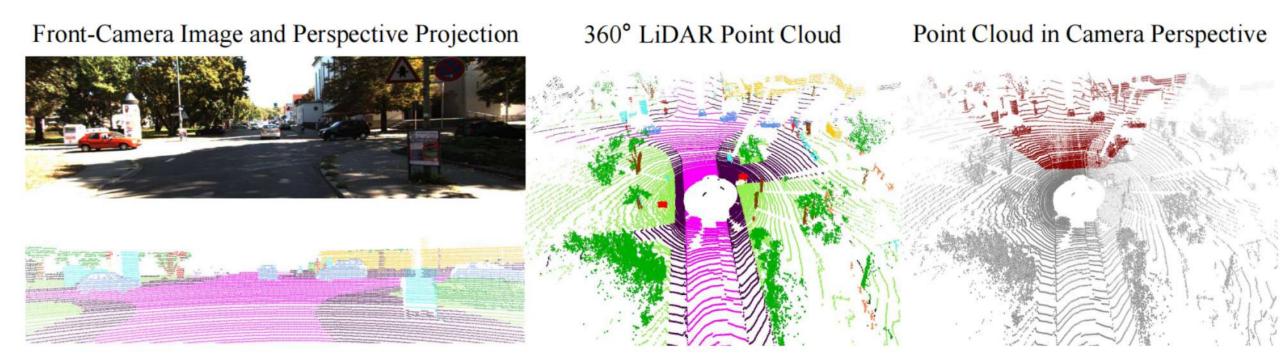
## 2DPASS: 2D Priors Assisted Semantic Segmentation on LiDAR Point Clouds

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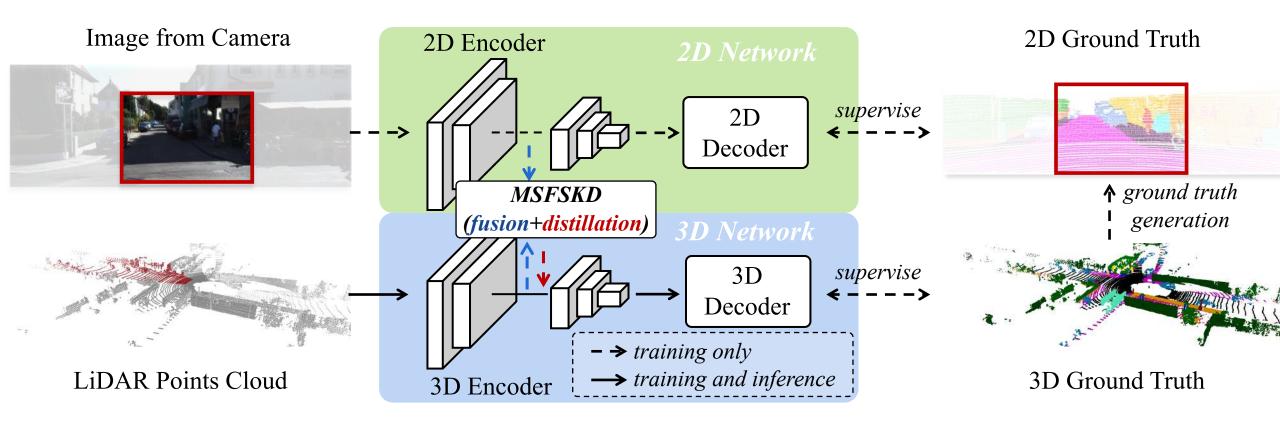
#### Motivation



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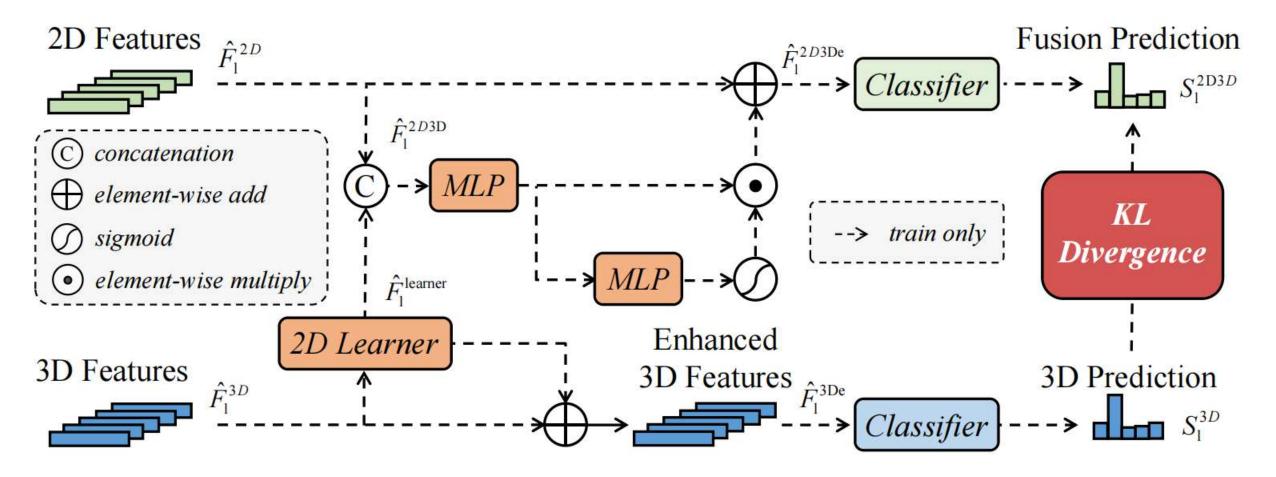
#### Architecture



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#### Multi-Scale Fusion-to-Single Knowledge Distillation (MSFSKD)



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#### SemanticKITTI-SingleScan

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1	Point-2DPASS	2	02/28/22	0.729 (1)	0.917 (14)	0.897 (159)	0.747 (84)	0.674 (19)	0.400 (4)	0.935 (4)	0.970 (12)	- (-)	0.611 (1)	- (-)	0.636 (12)	0.634 (10)	0.615 (5)	- (-)	0.862 (11)	0.739 (5)	0.710 (18)	0.779 (5)	- (-)	0.813 (5)	- (-)	0.741 (3)	- (-)		0.650 (7)	0.704 (10)
2	SVQNet	1	11/16/21	0.716 (2)	0.927 (3)	0.922 (13)	0.789 (6)	0.716 (5)	0.354 (10)	0.936 (3)	0.972 (5)	- (-)	0.536 (14)	- (-)	0.653 (9)	0.562 (29)	0.615 (3)	- (-)	0.873 (2)	0.762 (1)	0.721 (2)	0.789 (3)	- (-)	0.743 (16)	- (-)	0.528 (13)	- (-)	0.724 (4)	0.682 (2)	0.727 (3)
3	Point-Voxel-KD	9	11/18/21	0.712 (3)	0.921 (8)	0.918 (27)	0.775 (12)	0.709 (8)	0.410 (2)	0.924 (16)	0.970 (13)	- (-)	0.535 (15)	- (-)	0.679 (4)	0.693 (4)	0.602 (8)	- (-)	0.865 (6)	0.738 (6)	0.719 (5)	0.751 (12)	- (-)	0.735 (19)	- (-)	0.505 (16)	- (-)		0.649 (9)	0.658 (39)
4	PV-KD	3	11/20/21	0.711 (4)		0.918 (20)	0.777 (10)	0.714 (6)	0.406 (3)	0.923 (18)	0.970 (11)	- (-)	0.509 (24)	- (-)	0.681 (3)	0.686 (6)	0.594 (10)	- (-)	0.865 (5)	0.740 (4)	0.720 (4)	0.758 (10)	- (-)	0.745 (14)	- (-)	0.496 (19)	- (-)	0.693 (15)		0.659 (37)
5	huanghui	6	10/28/21	0.710 (5)	0.924 (4)	0.929 (6)	0.797 (5)	0.730 (2)	0.271 (87)	0.918 (27)	0.973 (3)	- (-)	0.493 (32)	- (-)	0.735 (1)	0.721 (3)	0.585 (15)	- (-)	0.869 (3)	0.758 (2)	0.720 (3)	0.798 (2)	- (-)	0.828 (1)	- (-)	0.236 (81)	- (-)	0.685 (20)		0.751 (1)
6	AF2S3Net	2	03/21/21		0.900 (108)	0.920 (16)	0.762 (28)	0.668 (28)	0.458 (1)	0.925 (12)	0.943 (94)	- (-)	0.402 (94)	- (-)	0.630 (14)	0.814 (1)	0.400 (83)	- (-)	0.786 (192)	0.680 (77)	0.631 (196)		- (-)	0.817 (3)	- (-)	0.777 (2)	- (-)	0.696 (11)	0.640 (20)	0.733 (2)
7	DRINet_PLUSPLUS	1	11/17/21	0.707 (7)	0.917 (15)	0.898 (155)	0.746 (85)	0.662 (36)	0.301 (39)	0.923 (17)	0.969 (17)	- (-)	0.593 (2)	- (-)	0.658 (7)	0.580 (23)	0.610 (7)	- (-)	0.873 (1)	0.730 (14)	0.725 (1)	0.804 (1)	- (-)	0.827 (2)	- (-)	0.463 (22)	- (-)	0.696 (12)		0.716 (6)
8	NickForever	10	02/09/22	0.705 (8)		0.894 (176)	0.741 (121)	0.636 (86)	0.342 (14)	0.920 (22)	0.968 (21)	- (-)	0.588 (3)	- (-)	0.638 (11)	0.605 (18)	0.601 (9)	- (-)	0.860 (19)	0.725 (19)	0.712 (10)		- (-)	0.814 (4)	- (-)	0.533 (10)	- (-)		0.646 (13)	0.707 (9)
9	HRI-ADLab-HZ	3	03/17/21	0.703 (9)	0.927 (2)	0.934 (2)	0.807 (2)	0.703 (9)	0.333 (16)	0.935 (5)	0.976 (1)	- (-)	0.442 (58)	- (-)	0.684 (2)	0.687 (5)	0.611 (6)	- (-)	0.865 (4)	0.751 (3)	0.717 (8)	0.759 (9)	- (-)	0.744 (15)	- (-)	0.434 (30)	- (-)		0.648 (10)	0.614 (84)
10	GuidedContrast	5	06/17/21		0.914 (17)	0.930 (4)	0.798 (4)	0.719 (4)	0.356 (9)	0.940 (1)	0.968 (20)	- (-)	0.483 (39)	- (-)	0.655 (8)	0.620 (13)	0.505 (37)	- (-)	0.816 (151)	0.709 (36)	0.644 (178)	0.643 (52)	- (-)	0.755 (11)	- (-)	0.715 (4)	- (-)		0.647 (12)	0.691 (13)



#### SemanticKITTI-MultiScan

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1	Point-2DPASS	3	02/28/22	0.624 (1)	0.914 (8)	0.897 (67)	0.747 (31)	0.674 (11)	0.400 (2)	0.936 (3)	0.962 (3)	0.821 (5)	0.482 (5)	0.161 (7)	0.636 (11)	0.637 (7)	0.527 (3)	0.038 (31)	0.862 (8)	0.739 (6)	0.710 (9)	0.354 (1)	0.803 (4)	0.079 (15)	0.712 (5)	0.620 (2)	0.731 (4)	0.729 (1)	0.650 (7)	0.705 (8)
2	DRINet_PLUSPLUS	1	11/17/21	0.613 (2)	0.924 (2)	0.923 (6)	0.791 (2)	0.696 (5)	0.309 (10)	0.937 (2)	0.972 (1)	0.854 (1)	0.468 (6)	0.159 (8)	0.636 (12)	0.533 (21)	0.646 (1)	0.263 (4)	0.868 (3)	0.758 (2)	0.712 (4)	0.305 (4)	0.848 (1)	0.000 (71)	0.731 (2)	0.000 (66)	0.769 (2)	0.728 (2)	0.680 (2)	0.735 (1)
3	SVQNet	8	11/16/21	0.605 (3)	0.927 (1)	0.932 (1)	0.805 (1)	0.716 (1)	0.370 (3)	0.937 (1)	0.961 (5)	0.805 (7)	0.404 (24)	0.039 (23)	0.644 (9)	0.603 (11)	0.609 (2)	0.075 (22)	0.873 (2)	0.767 (1)	0.723 (2)	0.274 (6)	0.847 (2)	0.000 (71)	0.724 (4)	0.000 (68)	0.910 (1)	0.726 (3)	0.684 (1)	0.710 (5)
4	CPGNet	1	01/24/22	0.601 (4)	0.915 (7)	0.929 (2)	0.781 (4)	0.680 (9)	0.246 (41)	0.927 (6)	0.956 (8)	0.800 (9)	0.489 (4)	0.273 (1)	0.629 (14)	0.611 (9)	0.492 (4)	0.349 (1)	0.846 (31)	0.729 (8)	0.702 (14)	0.283 (5)	0.720 (7)	0.323 (1)	0.738 (1)	0.014 (38)	0.430 (18)	0.711 (4)	0.645 (9)	0.719 (2)
5	NickForever	4	02/09/22	0.589 (5)	0.909 (14)	0.894 (75)	0.740 (45)	0.636 (34)	0.342 (4)	0.920 (15)	0.955 (9)	0.804 (8)	0.420 (17)	0.145 (10)	0.631 (13)	0.617 (8)	0.490 (5)	0.067 (23)	0.859 (12)	0.725 (12)	0.707 (11)	0.321 (2)	0.737 (6)	0.084 (14)	0.675 (12)	0.357 (3)	0.571 (8)	0.683 (12)	0.646 (8)	0.707 (6)
6	PVKD	8	12/10/21	0.582 (6)	0.919 (6)	0.924 (5)	0.774 (7)	0.699 (4)	0.315 (9)	0.927 (8)	0.962 (2)	0.843 (2)	0.500 (1)	0.209 (3)	0.649 (7)	0.648 (4)	0.464 (6)	0.190 (9)	0.864 (6)	0.741 (5)	0.702 (15)	0.166 (15)	0.685 (12)	0.000 (71)	0.692 (9)	0.020 (35)	0.505 (12)	0.703 (7)	0.669 (3)	0.706 (7)
7	PV-KD	8	12/01/21	0.582 (7)	0.920 (3)	0.926 (3)	0.782 (3)	0.706 (3)	0.331 (5)	0.929 (5)	0.962 (4)	0.833 (4)	0.467 (7)	0.145 (9)	0.692 (1)	0.675 (2)	0.445 (9)	0.131 (14)	0.864 (7)	0.744 (3)	0.707 (12)	0.168 (13)	0.703 (9)	0.000 (71)	0.695 (8)	0.000 (60)	0.564 (9)	0.705 (5)	0.668 (4)	0.701 (9)
8	PVD-KD	6	12/06/21	0.577 (8)	0.919 (4)	0.922 (7)	0.779 (5)	0.707 (2)	0.276 (20)	0.927 (7)	0.960 (6)	0.835 (3)	0.492 (3)	0.161 (6)	0.665 (4)	0.673 (3)	0.438 (11)	0.133 (13)	0.866 (5)	0.743 (4)	0.711 (8)	0.162 (18)	0.701 (10)	0.000 (71)	0.697 (7)	0.044 (30)	0.473 (14)	0.698 (8)	0.667 (5)	0.691 (11)
9	Kyber_HW	8	05/18/21	0.569 (9)	0.881 (66)	0.913 (22)	0.725 (66)	0.688 (7)	0.535 (1)	0.879 (64)	0.918 (26)	0.653 (23)	0.157 (79)	0.056 (19)	0.654 (6)	0.868 (1)	0.275 (47)	0.039 (30)	0.751 (84)	0.646 (44)	0.574 (94)	0.164 (17)	0.676 (13)	0.151 (5)	0.664 (17)	0.671 (1)	0.596 (7)	0.632 (44)	0.626 (18)	0.710 (4)
10	Henry_Wang	9	11/18/21	0.548 (10)		0.917 (11)	0.761 (9)	0.655 (19)	0.242 (48)	0.901 (40)	0.938 (18)	0.714 (19)	0.442 (12)	0.105 (13)	0.593 (18)	0.599 (12)	0.381 (21)	0.299 (3)	0.849 (24)	0.709 (23)	0.701 (16)	0.137 (29)	0.618 (18)	0.231 (3)	0.622 (24)	0.234 (8)	0.151 (29)	0.635 (39)	0.622 (20)	0.640 (24)

2DPASS

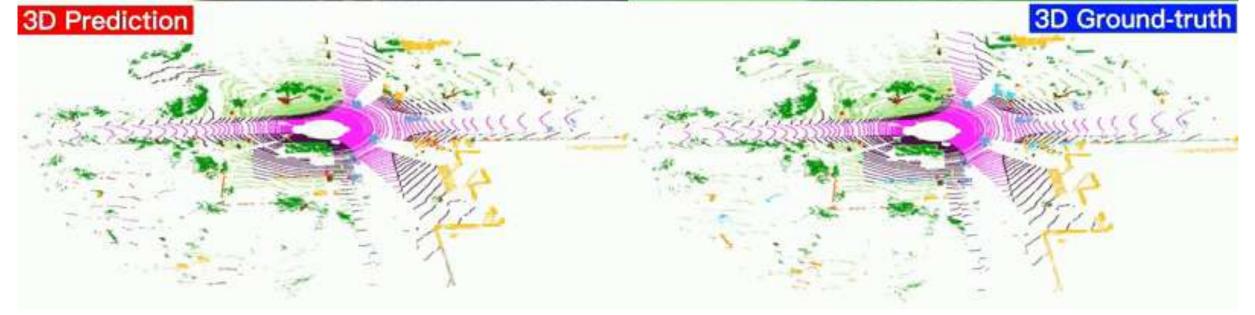


#### NuScenes

Rank \$	Participant team 👙	mIOU (↑) ¢	barrier (1) ¢	bicycle (1) \$	bus (↑) \$	car (↑) ≎	constr_vehicle (1) \$	motorcycle (1) \$	pedestrian (1) 🛊	traffic_cone (1) €	trailer (†) ¢
1	SVQNet (SVQNet)	0.81	0.85	0.42	0.93	0.93	0.69	0.86	0.84	0.78	0.85
2	MIT HAN Lab (SPVCNN++)	0.81	0.86	0.43	0.92	0.92	0.76	0.76	0.83	0.77	0.87
3	2DPASS	0.81	0.82	0.55	0.92	0.92	0.73	0.86	0.79	0.72	0.85
4	DRINet++ (DRINet++: Efficient Voxel-as-p)	0.80	0.86	0.43	0.90	0.92	0.65	0.86	0.83	0.73	0.84
5	Uisee-FR (GU-Net)	0.80	0.85	0.33	0.87	0.91	0.74	0.85	0.81	0.78	0.88
6	2D3DNet (2D3DNet)	0.80	0.83	0.59	0.88	0.85	0.64	0.84	0.82	0.76	0.85
7	Kyber (AF2S3Net)	0.78	0.79	0.52	0.90	0.84	0.77	0.74	0.77	0.72	0.84
8	Cylinder3D++ (Cylinder3D++)	0.78	0.83	0.34	0.84	0.89	0.70	0.79	0.77	0.73	0.85
9	RH (CPFusion)	0.78	0.84	0.37	0.89	0.86	0.70	0.77	0.78	0.75	0.83
10	MIT HAN LAB (SPVNAS)	0.77	0.80	0.30	0.92	0.9 <mark>1</mark>	0.65	0.79	0.76	0.71	0.81







Challenge

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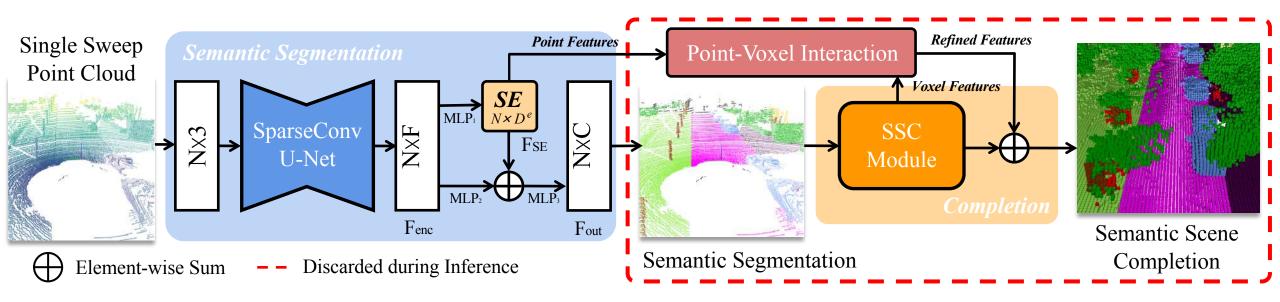


JS3C-Net



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Joint single sweep LiDAR point cloud Semantic Segmentation by exploiting learned shape prior form Scene Completion network



Results



Table 2: Semantic scene completion results on the SemanticKITTI benchmark. Only the recent published approaches are compared.

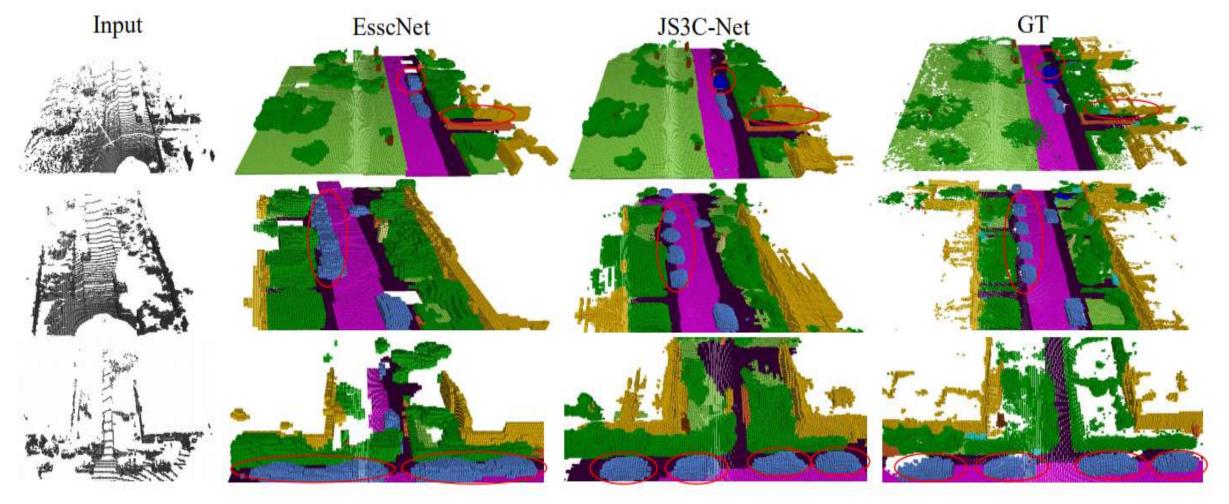
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Method	precision	recall	IoU	road	sidewalk	parking	other-ground	building	car	truck	bicycle	motorcycle	other-vehicle	vegetation	trunk	terrain	person	bicyclist	motorcyclist	fence	pole	traffic sign	mloU
SSCNet (Song et al. 2017)	31.7	83.4	29.8	27.6	17.0	15.6	6.0	20.9	10.4	1.8	0.0	0.0	0.1	25.8	11.9	18.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	14.4	7.9	3.7	9.5
TS3D (Garbade et al. 2019)	31.6	84.2	29.8	28.0	17.0	15.7	4.9	23.2	10.7	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.2	24.7	12.5	18.3	0.0	0.1	0.0	13.2	7.0	3.5	9.5
TS3D <sup>2</sup> (Garbade et al. 2019; Behley et al. 2019)	25.9	88.3	25.0	27.5	18.5	18.9	6.6	22.1	8.0	2.2	0.1	0.0	4.0	19.5	12.9	20.2	2.3	0.6	0.0	15.8	7.6	6.7	10.2
EsscNet (Zhang et al. 2018)	62.6	55.6	41.8	43.8	28.1	26.9	10.3	29.8	26.4	5.0	0.3	5.4	9.1	35.8	20.1	28.7	2.9	2.7	0.1	23.3	16.4	16.7	17.5
TS3D <sup>3</sup> (Garbade et al. 2019; Behley et al. 2019; Liu et al. 2018)	80.5	57.7	50.6	62.2	31.6	23.3	6.5	34.1	30.7	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.1	40.1	21.9	33.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.1	16.9	6.9	17.7
JS3C-Net (Ours)	70.2	74.5	56.6	64.7	39.9	34.9	14.1	39.4	33.3	7.2	14.4	8.8	12.7	43.1	19.6	40.5	8.0	5.1	0.4	30.4	18.9	15.9	23.8

1 <u>http://www.semantic-kitti.org/tasks.html</u>

Results













# Sparse Single Sweep LiDAR Point Cloud Segmentation via Learning Contextual Shape Priors from Scene Completion

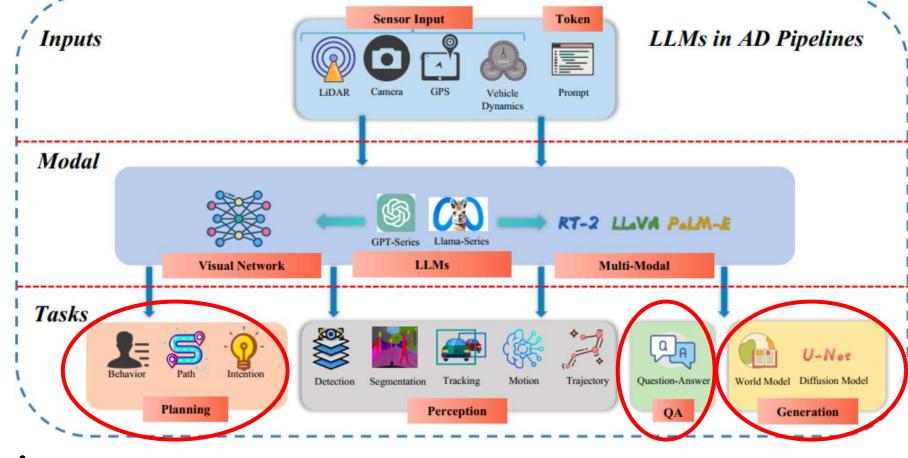
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# Outline



#### **Enhanced 3D Reasoning**

Visual programming for open-world grounding using LLM

> 3D VQA without data bias



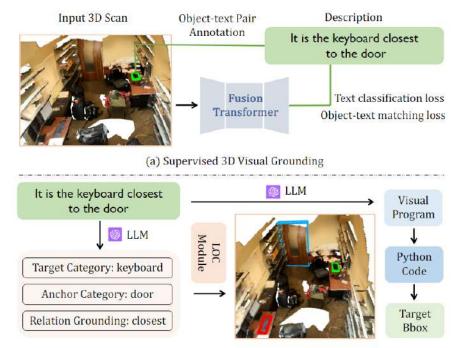
# Visual Programming for Zero-shot Open-Vocabulary 3D Visual Grounding

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 (CVPR 2024)



- > Problems
  - > Explore zero-shot 3DVG using LLMs, without the need of object-text pair annotation
  - > Solve spatial relationships between objects explicitly

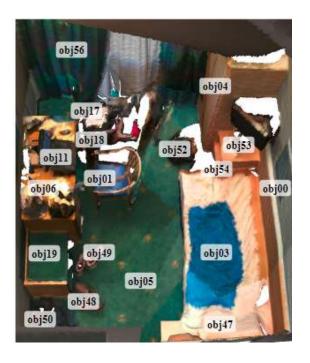


(b) Zero-shot 3D Visual Grounding

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- > Dialog with LLM: A Naive Approach
  - > Detect all objects in the scene, describe object's location and size
  - Given the text prompt to ChatGPT to find the correct object



Query: This is a storage shelf. It is white in color and is above a desk with a chair in front of it.

Answer: Based on the description, we are looking for a storage shelf that is white in color and is above a desk with a chair in front of it.

Looking at the room information, we can see that there are several objects identified as shelves, chairs, and desks. However, the description also mentions that the shelf is above a desk, which means we need to look at the coordinates to determine the vertical positioning of these objects.

The objects identified as shelves are: <obj 24>, <obj 75>, and <obj 76>. The objects identified as chairs are: <obj 1>, <obj 36>, <obj 77>. The objects identified as desks are not explicitly mentioned, but we can consider objects like tables or nightstands as potential desks: <obj 18>, <obj 58>.

Now, we need to find a combination of these objects where the shelf is above a desk and there is a chair in front of it. This requires the shelf to have a higher z-coordinate (vertical position) than the desk, and the chair to have similar x and y coordinates (horizontal position) as the desk.

After analyzing the coordinates, none of the objects seem to fit the description perfectly. However, the closest match could be <obj 24> (shelf), <obj 36> (chair), and <obj 18> (table as desk).

Please note that this is an approximation as the description does not perfectly match any set of objects in the room. Answer: <obj 24>



#### > Method

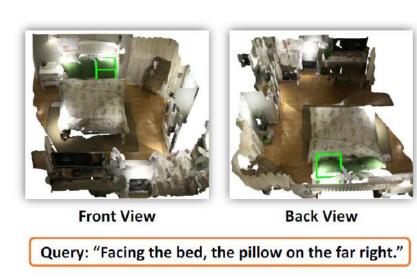
#### > Two zero-shot approaches for 3DVG

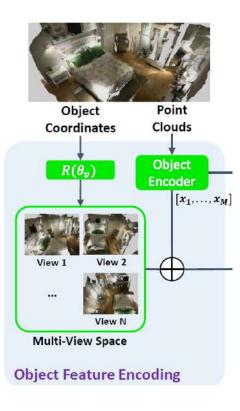
Suppose you are a person In-context examples Target standing in a room. You need to 🔶 🚳 LLM 🔶 Visual Program → Reasoning Process → Prediction find a keyboard it is closest to Grounding description the door. Of course, I can help you find an Description: The round cocktail Input 3D Scan LOC CLOSEST object in a room based on its table in the corner of the room ('round cocktail table') 10 targets=BOX0 description. Please provide me with the blue and yellow poster anchors=BOX1 with the details of the object you're looking for, and I'll do my Program: best to assist you in locating it. BOX0=LOC('round cocktail table') LOC BOX1=LOC('blue and yellow Room Information: ('blue and yellow poster') poster') Object I is a door located at ( -TARGET=CLOSEST(targets=BOX0, 0.65, 2.35, 1.05). anchors=BOXI) Object 2 is a desk located at 1 (0.68, 1.30, 0.39). Description: Staring at the Object 26 is a keyboard located LOC('window') RIGHT cabinets you want the window on at (-0.65, -1.06, 0.65). targets=BOX0 10 the right side anchors=BOXI The keyboard closest to the door is Object 9, as it has a shorter Program: distance of approximately 2.01 BOX0=LOC('window') LOC('cabinet') units, compared to Object 26, BOX1=LOC('cabinet') which has a distance of TARGET=RIGHT(targets=BOX0, approximately 3.44 units. So, the anchors=BOXI) correct object ID is Object 9. a) Dialog with LLM b) 3D Visual Programming

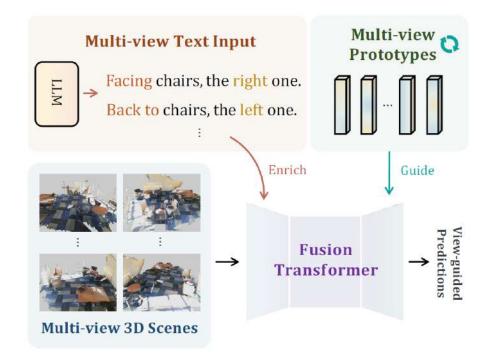
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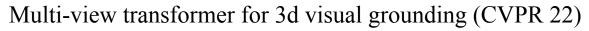
- > How to solve the view problem in 3D space?
  - > Previous methods use data augmentation on text or object features







ViewRefer: Grasp the Multi-view Knowledge for 3D Visual Grounding (ICCV 23)





- > Method
  - > Addressing view-dependent relations: A shift to 2D egocentric view.
  - > Addressing view-independent relations: using 3D coordinates.

View-independent	near, close, next to, far, above, below, under, top, on, opposite, middle
View-dependent	front, behind, back, right, left, facing, leftmost, rightmost, looking, across, be- tween
Functional	min, max, size, length, width

Table 1. Common relations in 3DVG.

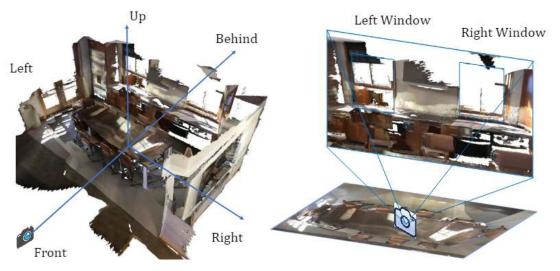


Figure 3. Addressing view-dependent relations: A shift to 2D egocentric view.



> Method

> LOC module: extend the scope of existing 3D object detectors into open-vocabulary scenarios.

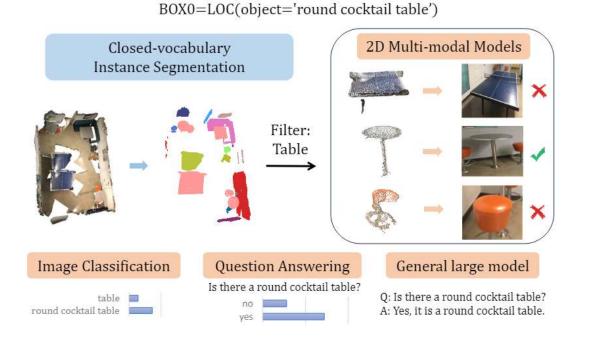


Figure 4. Illustration of the language-object correlation module.

BOX0=LOC(object=storage box on the ground)





#### > Results

#### > Our zero-shot approach can outperform some supervised baselines

		Unio	que	Mult	iple	Ove	rall
Methods	Supervision	Acc@0.25	Acc@0.5	Acc@0.25	Acc@0.5	Acc@0.25	Acc@0.5
ScanRefer [4]	fully	65.0	43.3	30.6	19.8	37.3	24.3
TGNN [17]	fully	64.5	53.0	27.0	21.9	34.3	29.7
InstanceRefer [60]	fully	77.5	66.8	31.3	24.8	40.2	32.9
3DVG-Transformer [65]	fully	81.9	60.6	39.3	28.4	47.6	34.7
BUTD-DETR [20]	fully	84.2	66.3	46.6	35.1	52.2	39.8
LERF [23]	-	-	-	-	-	4.8	0.9
OpenScene [34]	-	20.1	13.1	11.1	4.4	13.2	6.5
Ours (2D only)	-	32.5	27.8	16.1	14.6	20.0	17.6
Ours (3D only)	-	57.1	49.4	25.9	23.3	33.1	29.3
Ours	-	63.8	58.4	27.7	24.6	36.4	32.7

Table 2. 3DVG results on ScanRefer validation set. The accuracy on the "unique" subset, "multiple" subset, and whole validation set are all provided. Following [4], we label the scene as "unique" if it only contains a single object of its class. Otherwise, we label it as "multiple".

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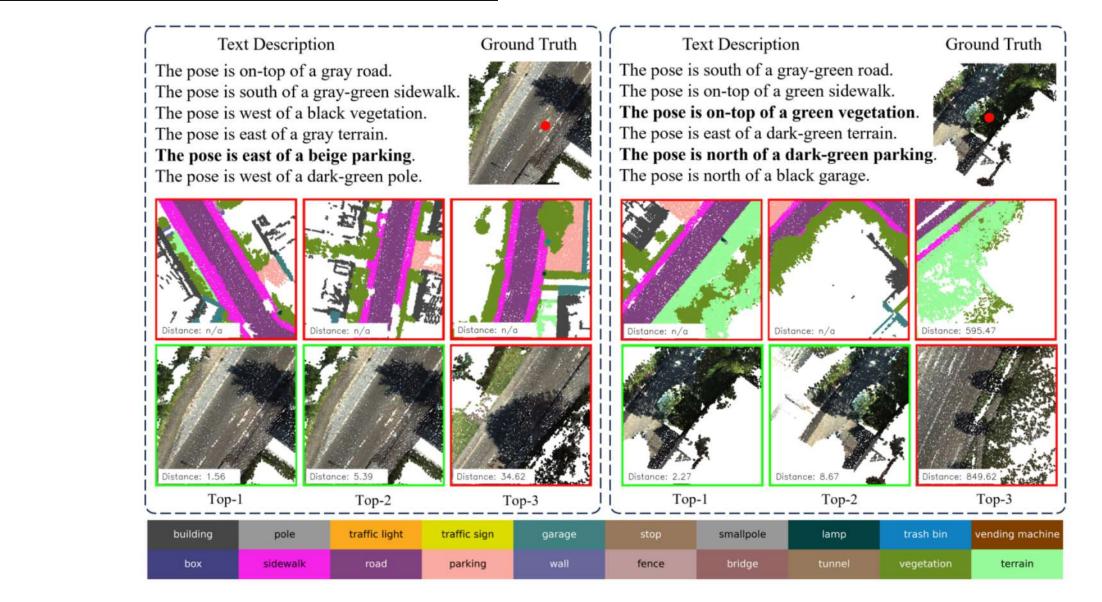
#### Visualization results



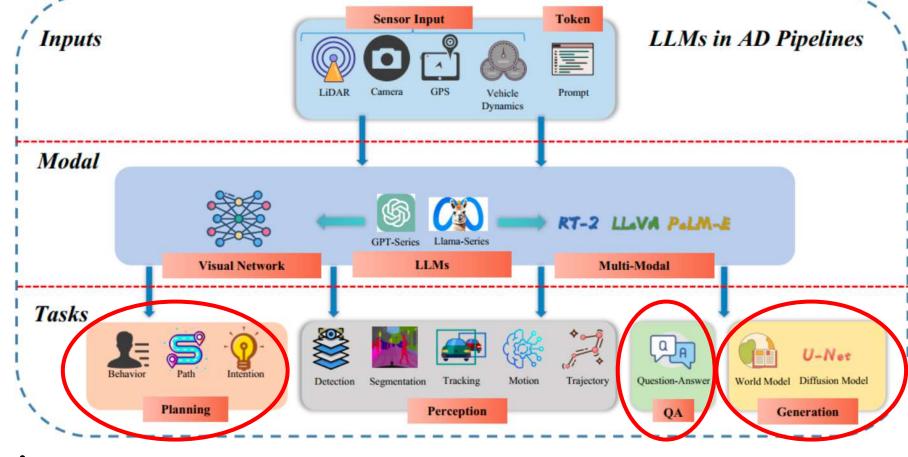
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#### **3D** Visual localization for AD



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# 3D VQA with manipulation to overcome data bias

**Question / Prompt:** You are a professional self-driving agent and good at observing LiDAR point clouds and making driving decisions. I will show you some BEV point cloud images. Please use simple, clear, structured language to describe the road condition, surroundings, abnormal situation and driving strategy.

**GPT-4V Answer:** The BEV LiDAR image suggests a multi-lane road, but the exact number of lanes and presence of traffic are unclear. There are no visible obstacles, pedestrians, or significant environmental features in the immediate vicinity of the vehicle. The image lacks detail on road surface quality and surrounding signage or traffic lights. In this scenario, maintaining a steady speed while staying within the detected lanes, and being alert for unseen hazards is advisable.

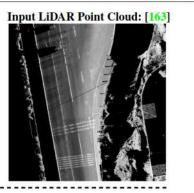
**Question / Prompt:** As the AI system on an autonomous vehicle, your role is to analyze the driving context and make informed decisions. You will receive an image from the forward-facing camera of the ego vehicle. Please use concise and organized language to describe the current environment, any anomalies, and plan the next steps.

**GPT-4V Answer:** Driving in an urban setting, the forward-facing camera captures a clear day with multi-story buildings lining both sides of a road, with some patches appearing wet or muddy. The road, populated with cars, motorcycles, and a three-wheeled vehicle. An anomaly to note is the three-wheeled vehicle on the left, which is carrying a heavy load that might affect its stability. Given the situation, the next steps involve maintaining a safe distance from this vehicle, monitoring motorcycles for sudden movements, scanning for traffic signals or signages, and adjusting speed to match the traffic flow.

#### Question / Prompt: Make a right lane change. GPT-4 Code Genration:

def right\_lane\_change():
 target\_lane = get\_right\_lane(vehicle=ego)
 while True:
 if is\_safe\_enter\_lane(target\_lane):
 break
 yield autopilot()
 set\_target\_lane(target\_lane)





**Input Driving Front View:** 



Simulation [92]:

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Question: There is a dark rectangle thing in front of the L-shaped sofa; what is it? Answer: table Question Type: query object

#### CLEVR3D-REAL

# 3D VQA with manipulation to overcome data bias



Fig. 1. Visual Question Answering on 3D Point Cloud (VQA-3D). In this paper, we introduce a new dataset CLEVR3D, which consists of CLEVR3D-REAL and CLEVR3D-SIM sub-datasets. Selected questions from CLEVR3D-REAL (left) test aspects of visual reasoning in 3D scenes such as counting, object identification, query attribute, and attribute comparison. Each question contains objects, attributes, and relationships. CLEVR3D-SIM dataset is obtained through the compositional scene manipulation (CSM) shown in right for common-sense-independent VQA-3D.

# 3D VQA with manipulation to overcome data bias

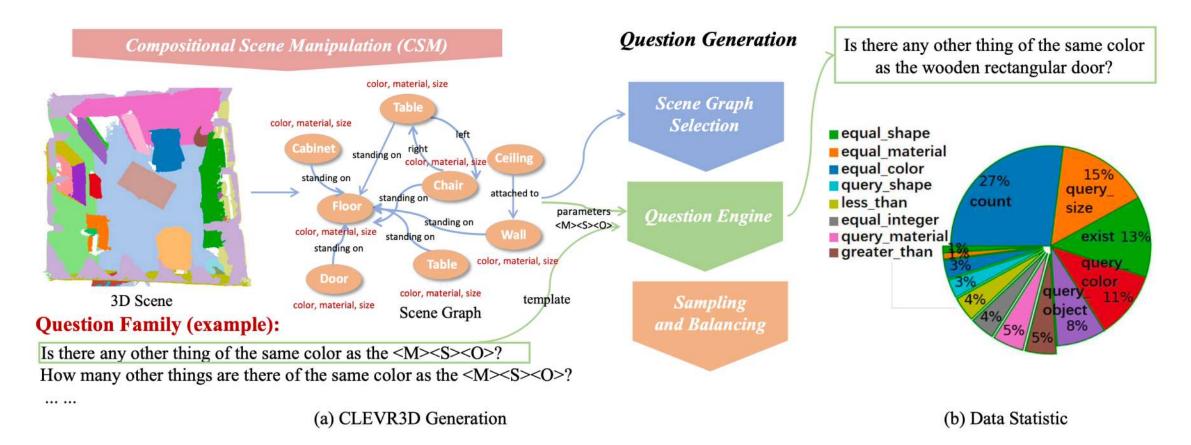
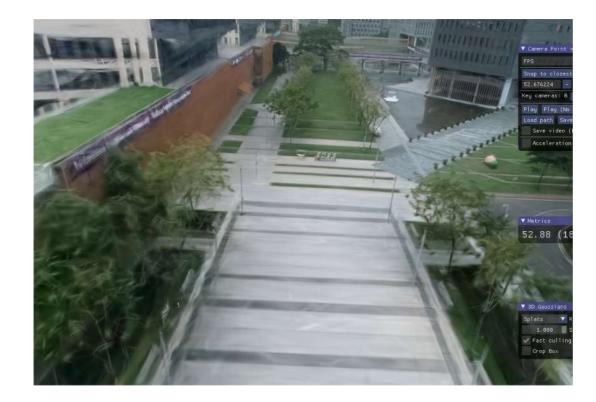


Fig. 2. Overview of the CLEVR3D. Part (a) illustrates the data generation process of CLEVR3D-REAL, where the whole process contains three steps: scene graph selection, question engine design, and sampling. Besides, we can further exploit the compositional scene manipulation (CSM) strategy to generate more simulated common-sense-independent 3D scenes and corresponding scene graphs for the CLEVR3D-SIM dataset. Part (b) shows the data statistics of question length and proportions. CLEVR3D contains more question types compared with the CLEVR dataset.

# 3D manipulation for AD





#### Synthetic 3D scene

**Real 3D scene** 

# **Conclusion and Discussion**

- Perception is still important, especially in open-world, but maybe precise perception limitation can be relaxed.
- Reasoning is important for planning, especially for long-tailed scenes, but maybe large models can help.
- Close-loop evaluation is really important for end-to-end AD, simto-real and real-to-sim dual-view can help.

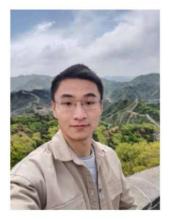
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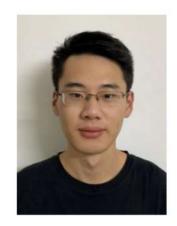


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