
Ch 8-9: Integrated method and parsing in And-Or graphs:

Top-Down/Bottom-up Inference with hierarchical models

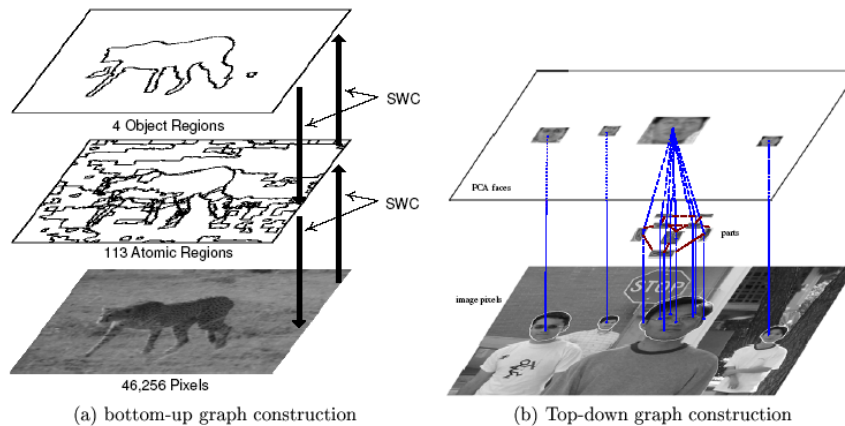
Based on the work by T.F. Wu et al. "A Numeric Study of the Bottom-up and Top-down Inference Processes in And-Or Graphs",
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Two Basic Computing Mechanisms: Bottom-up vs. Top-down

Some objects can be computed more effectively by bottom-up while others by top-down

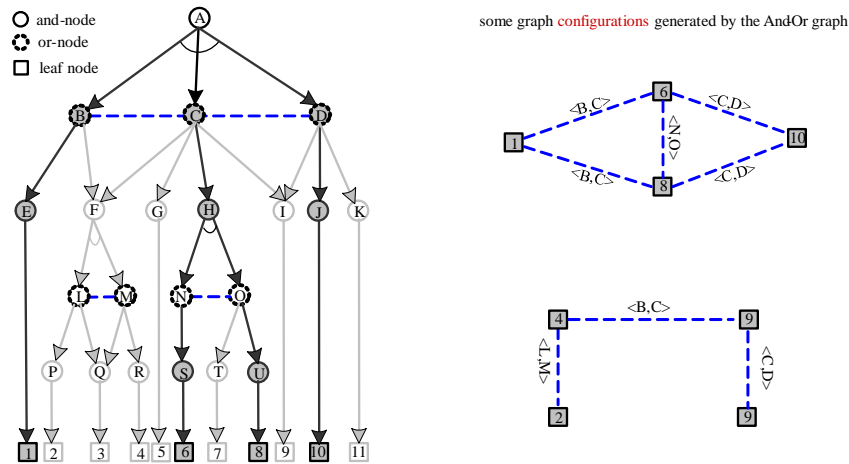


How to formulate this problem ?

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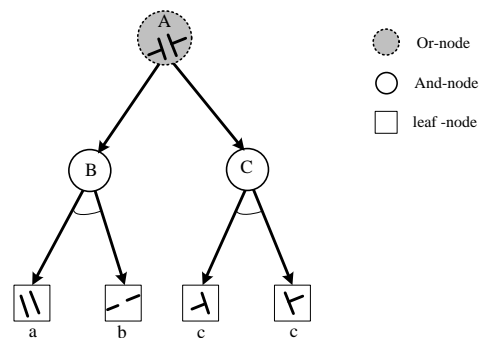
Embedding the integrated models into an And-Or graph



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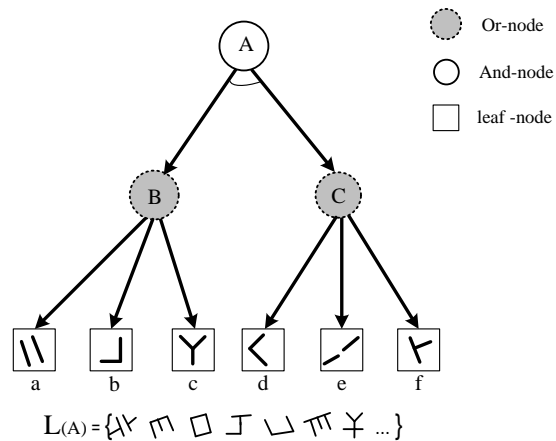
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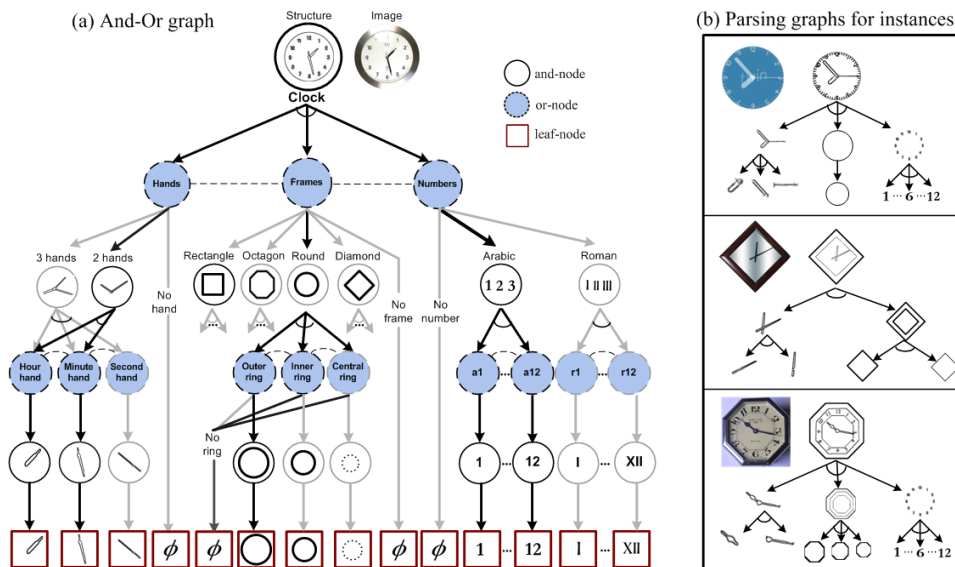
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An example: the clock category

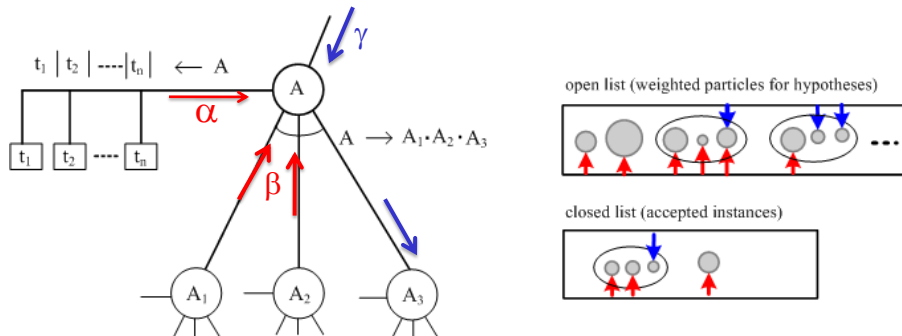


α , β and γ computing processes in AoG

The And-Or graph is a recursive structure. So, consider a node A.

- 1, any node A terminate to leaf nodes at a coarse scale (ground).
- 2, any node A is connected to the root.

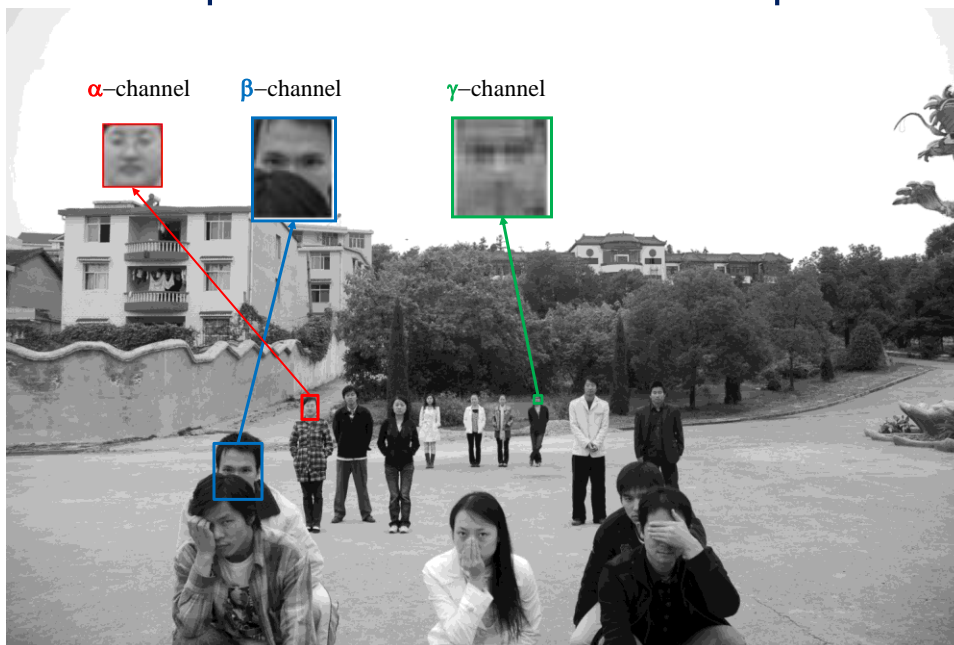
Starting the $\alpha/\beta/\gamma$ channels when they are applicable ---an optimal scheduling problem



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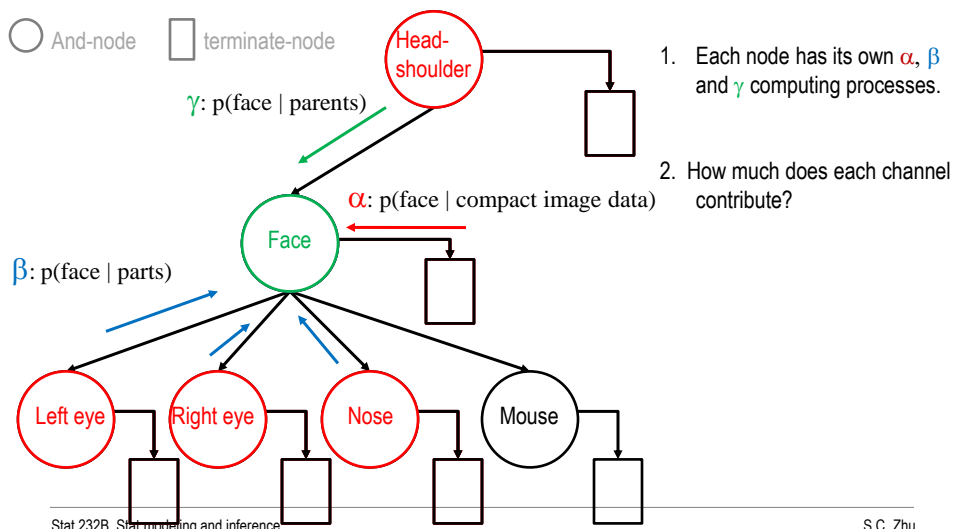
An example: human faces are computed in



Human faces in real scenarios

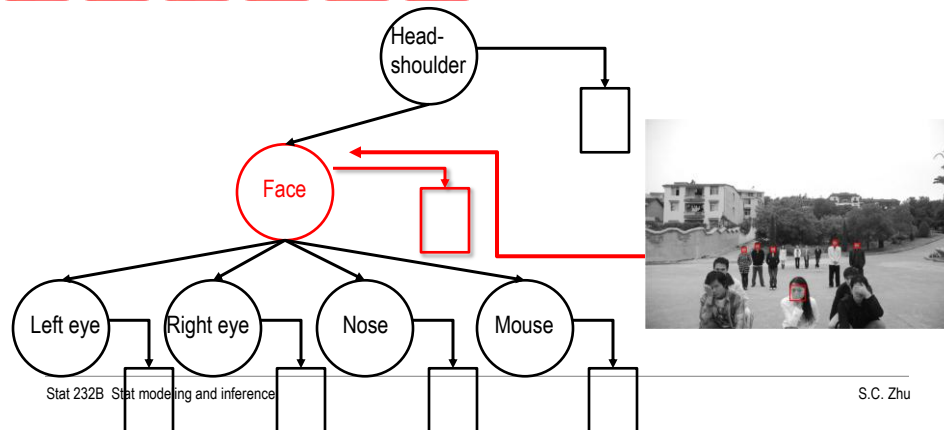


Hierarchical modeling and α , β and γ computing



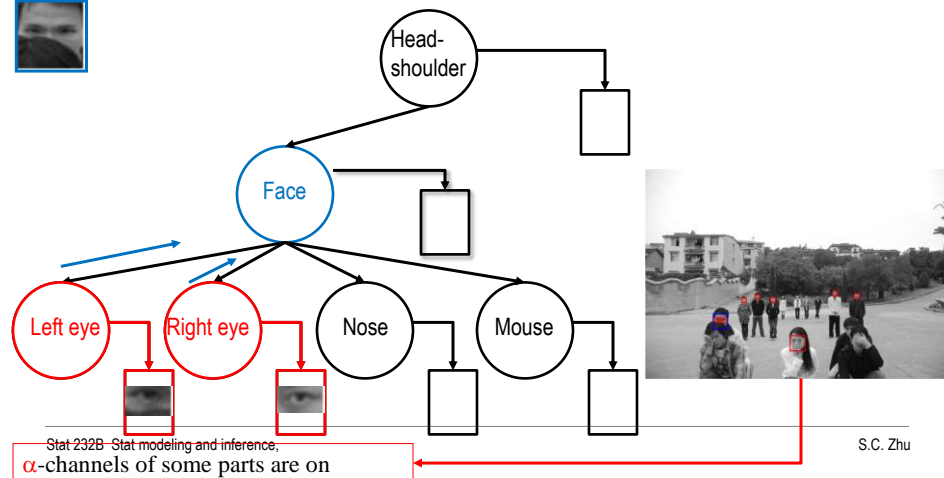
α processes for the face node

α -channels: $p(\text{face} \mid \text{compact image data})$



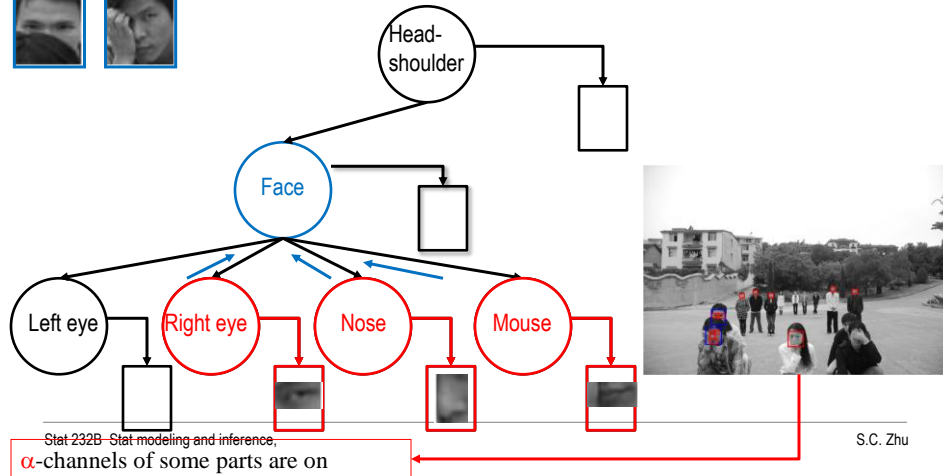
β processes for the face node (when its α is off)

β -channels: $p(\text{face} \mid \text{parts}), \text{binding}$



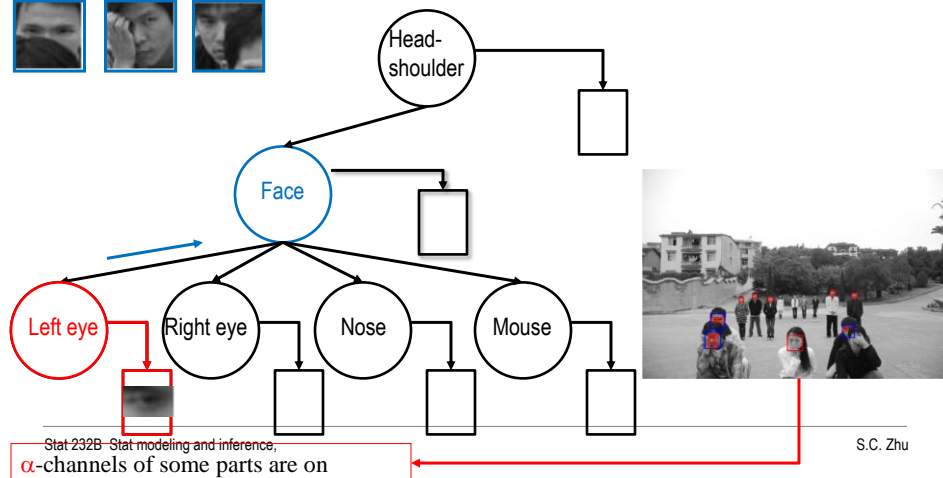
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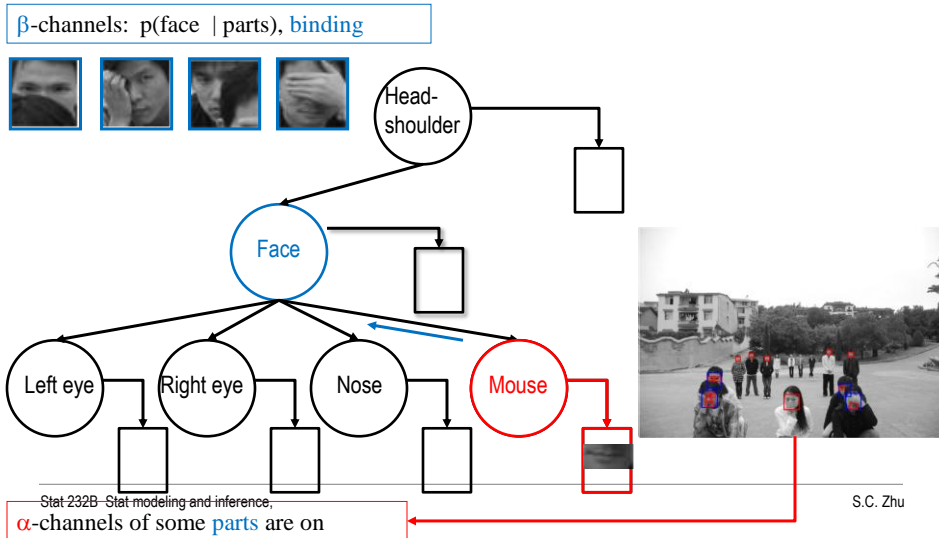


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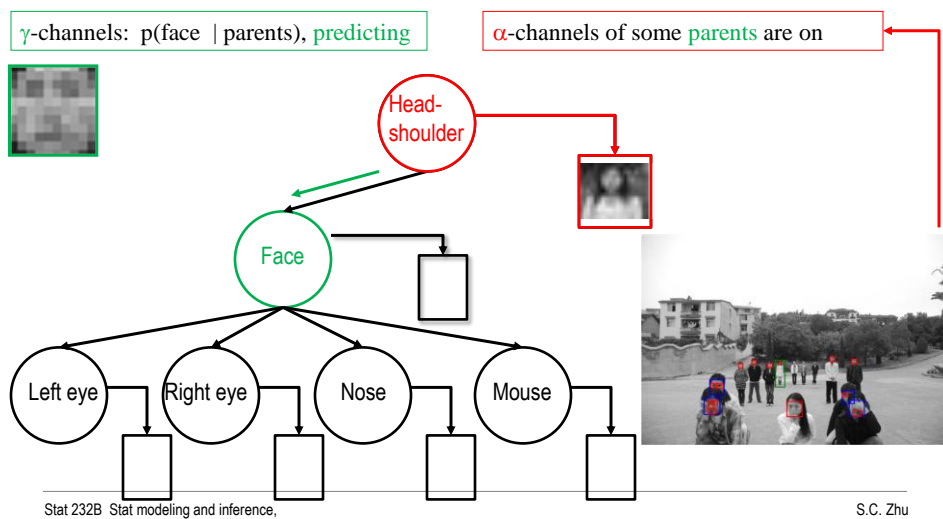
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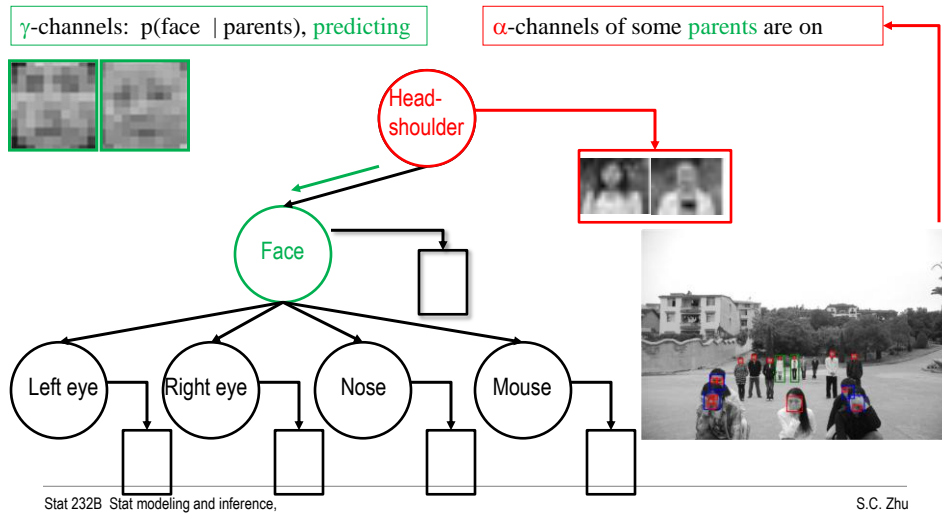
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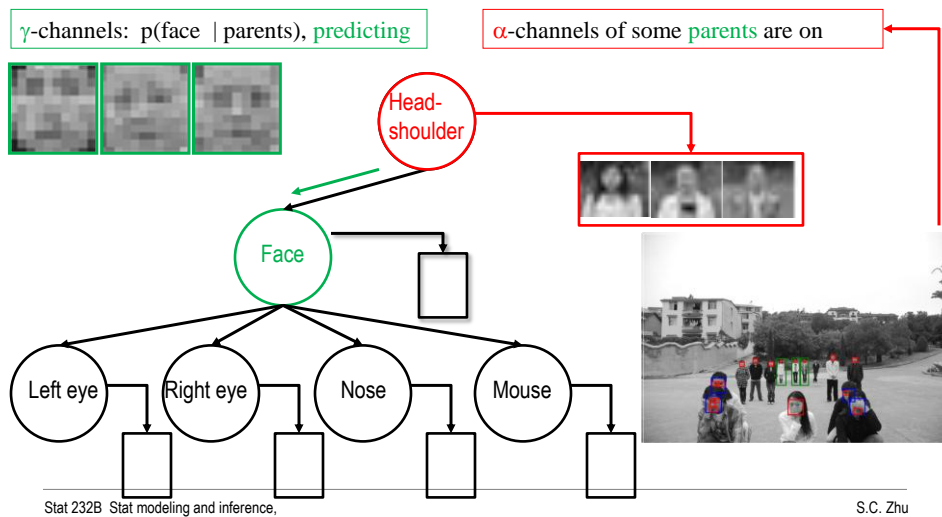
γ processes for the face node(when it's α and β is off)

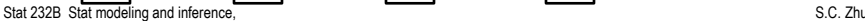


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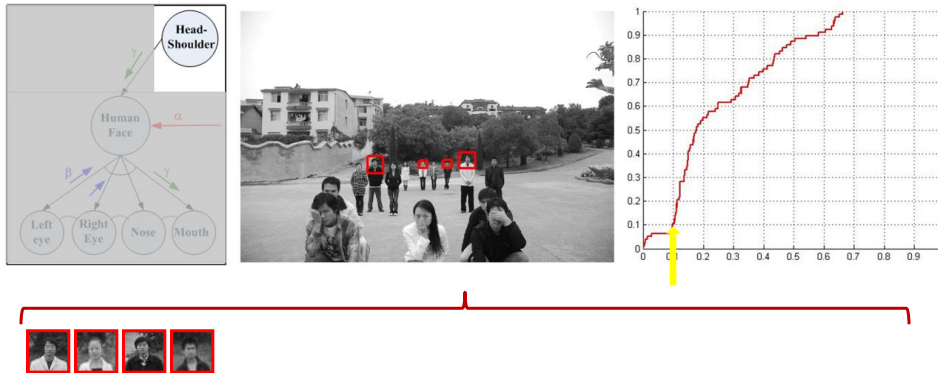


γ processes for the face node(when it's α and β is off)





α -channel: head-shoulder



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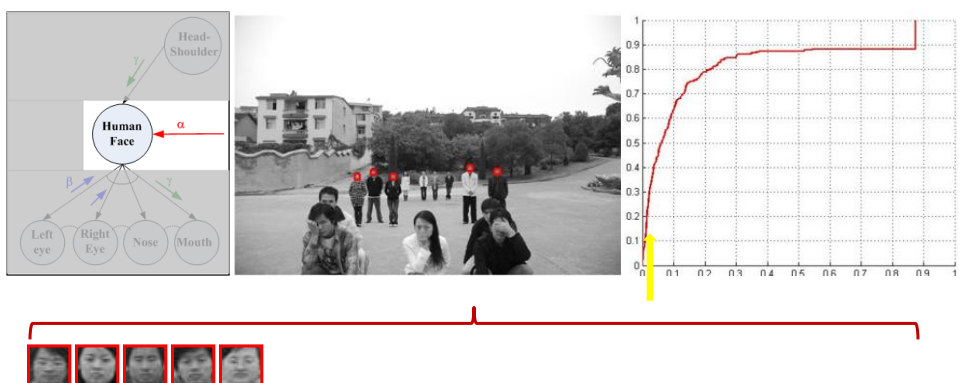
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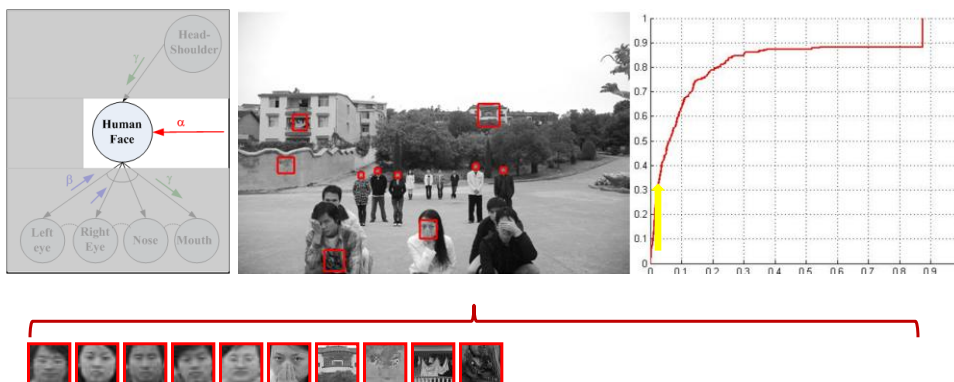
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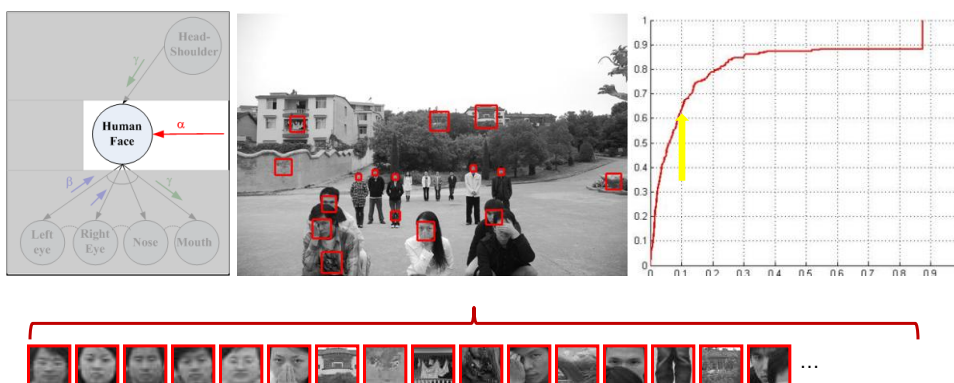
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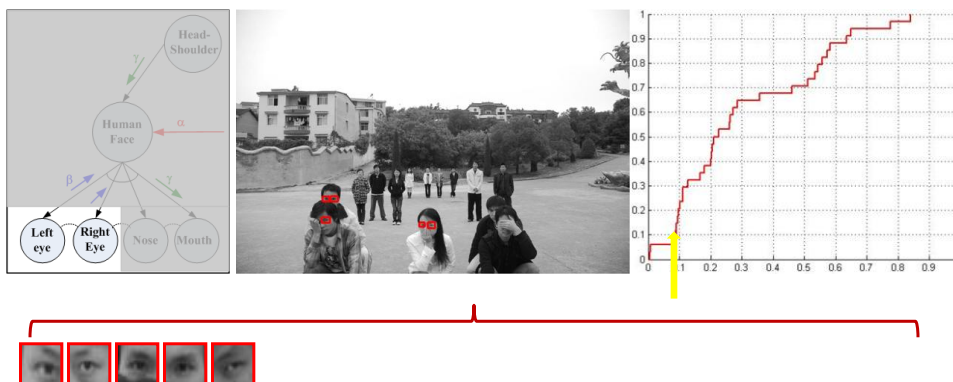
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α -channel: eye



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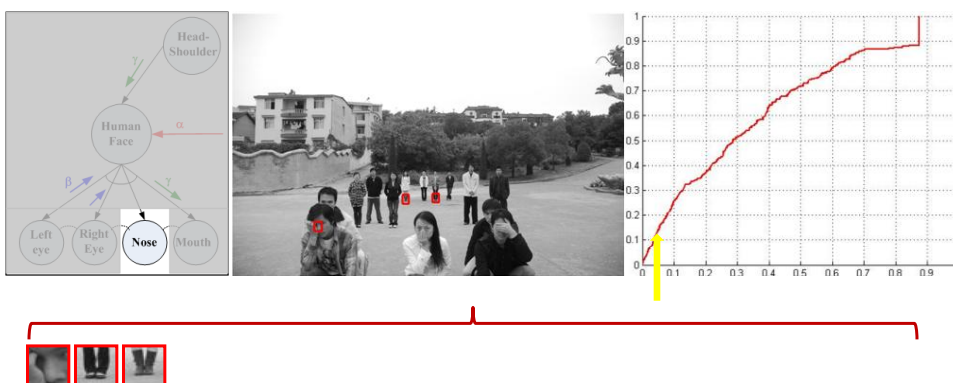
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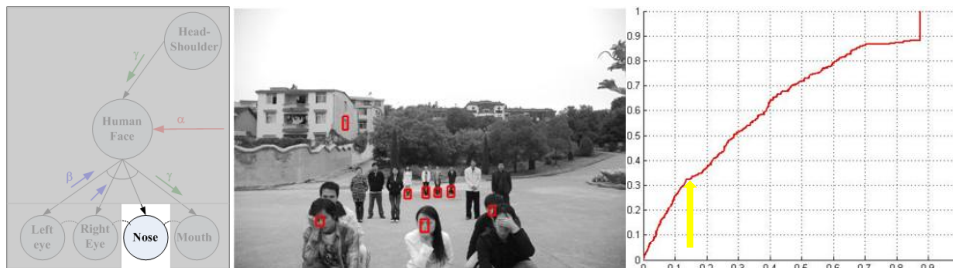
α -channel: nose



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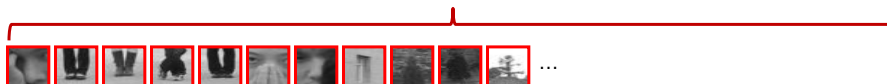
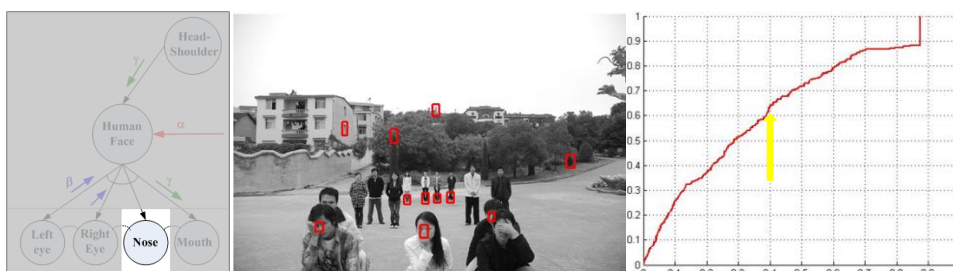
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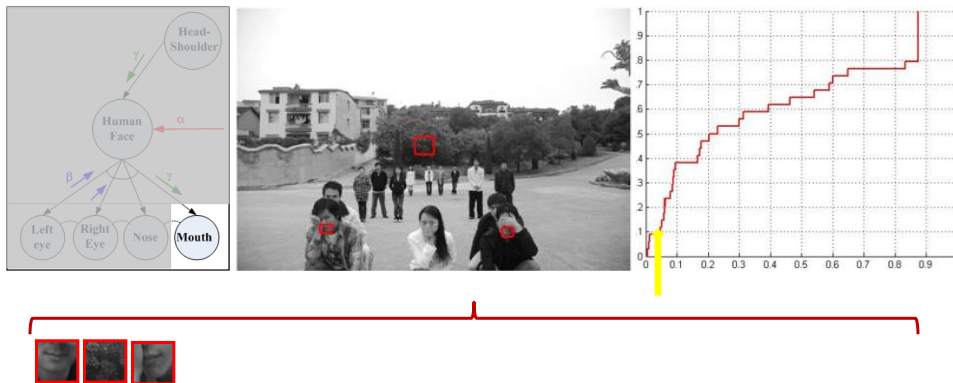
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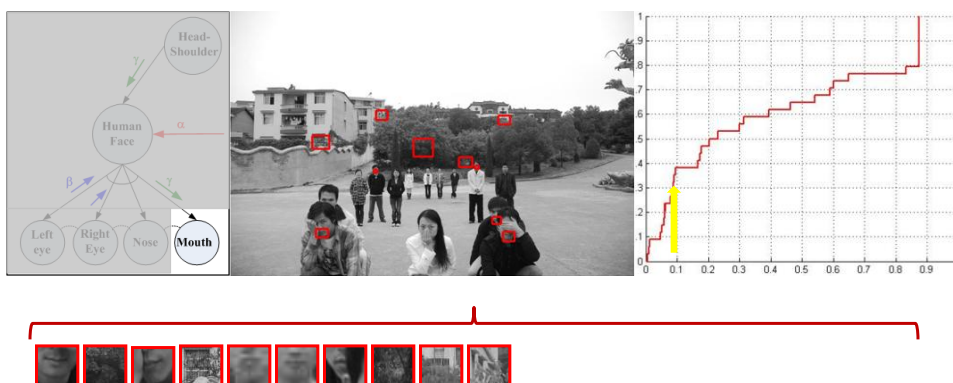
α -channel: mouth



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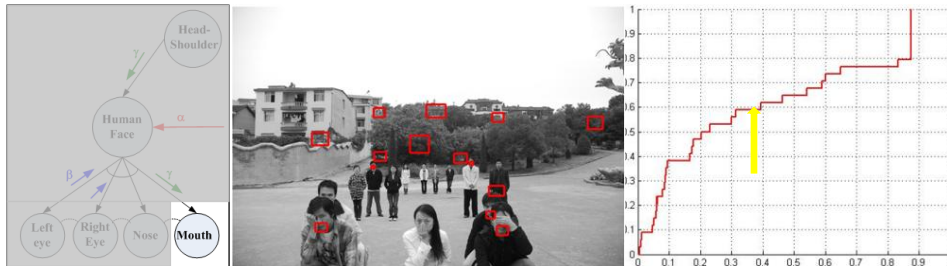
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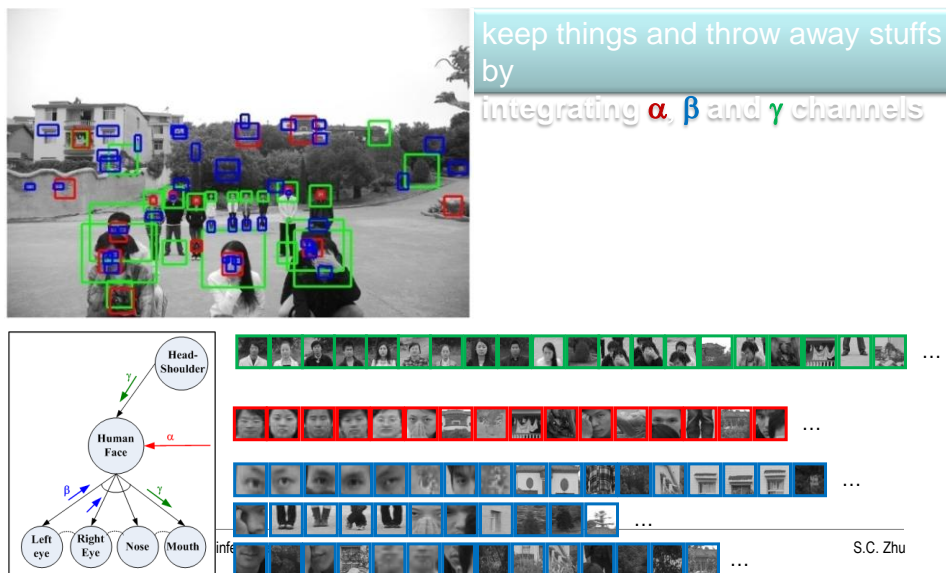
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All α channels



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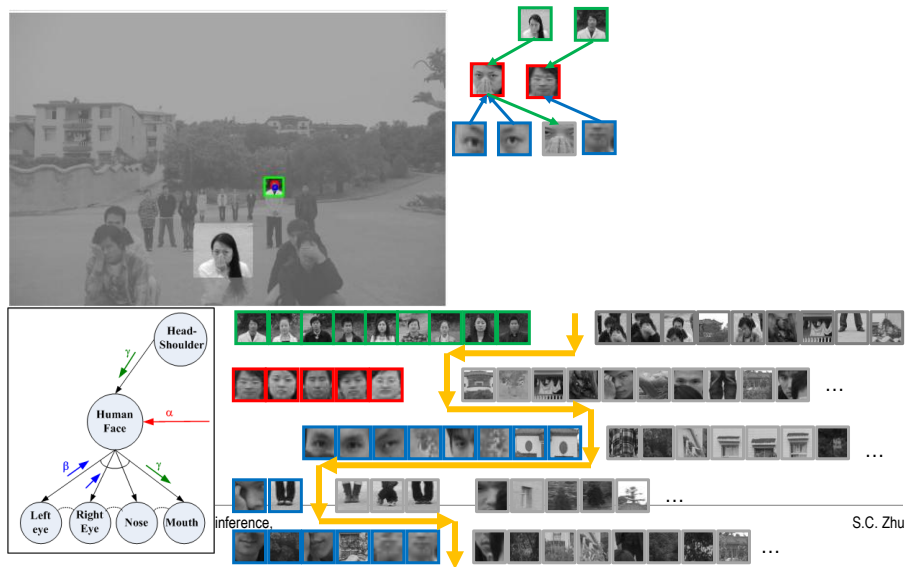
Integrating α , β and γ channels



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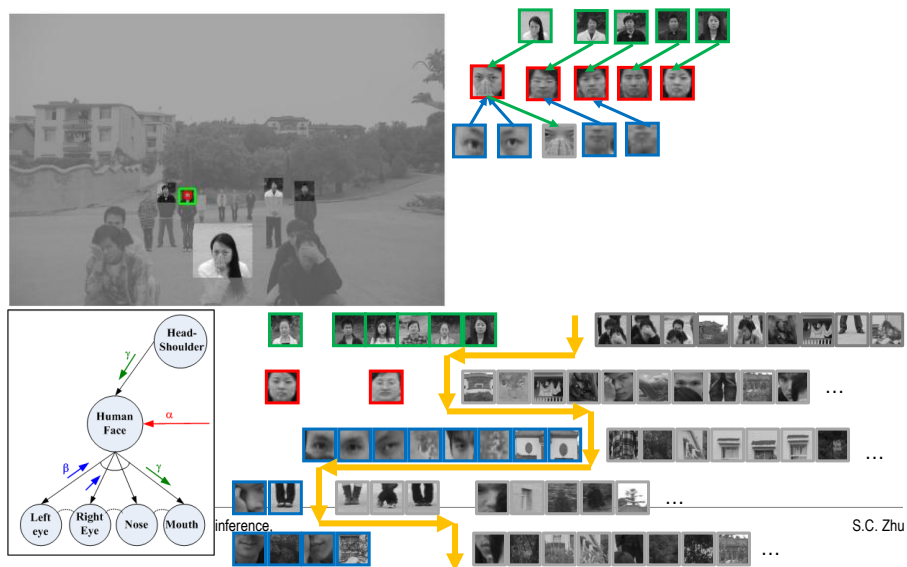
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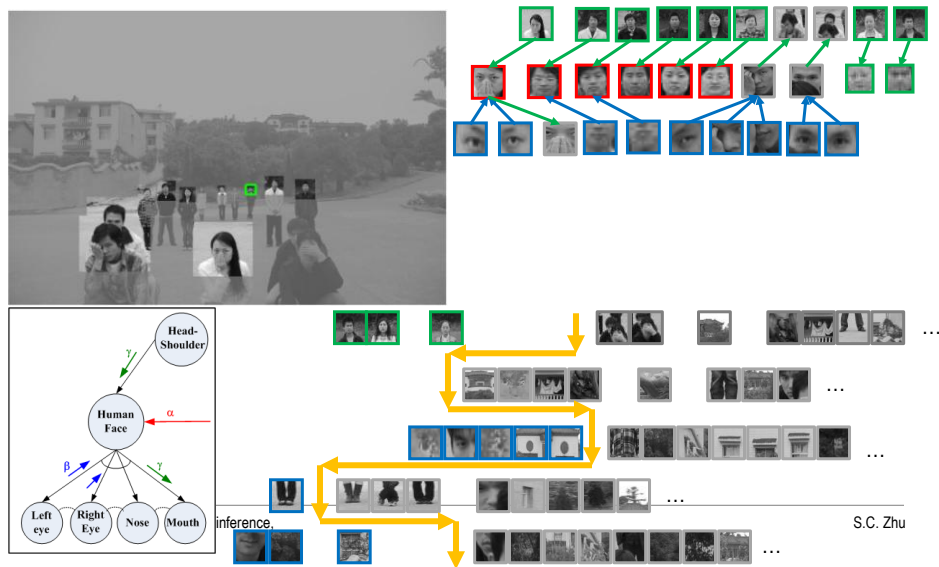
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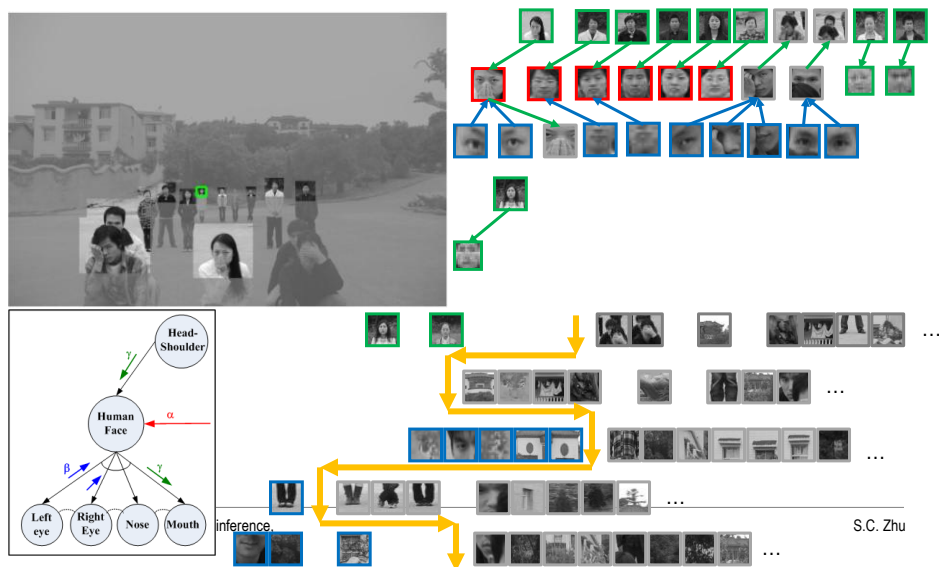
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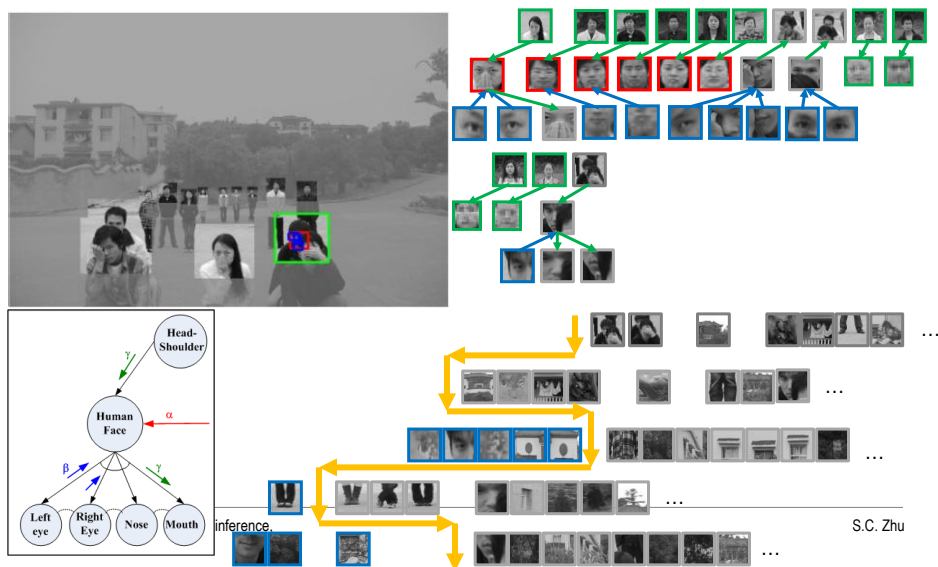
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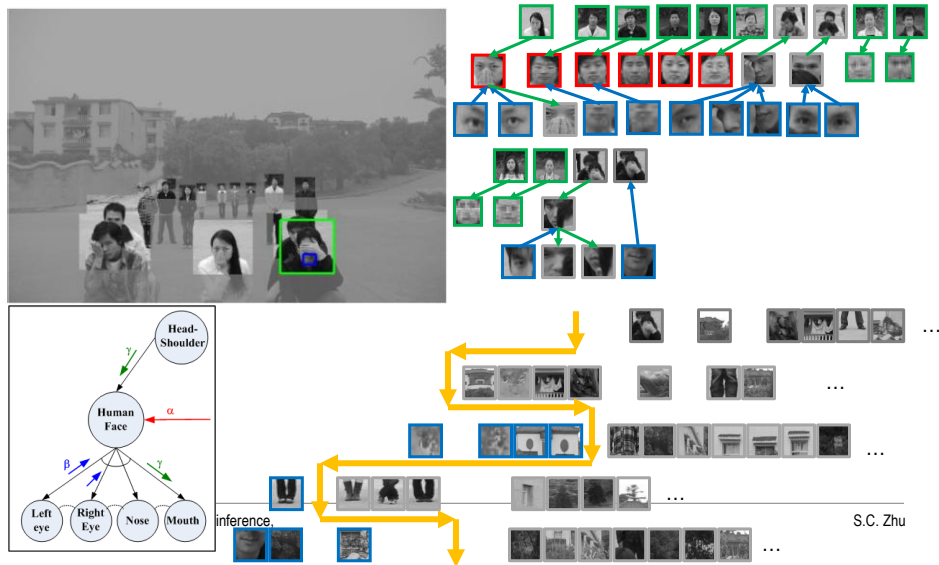
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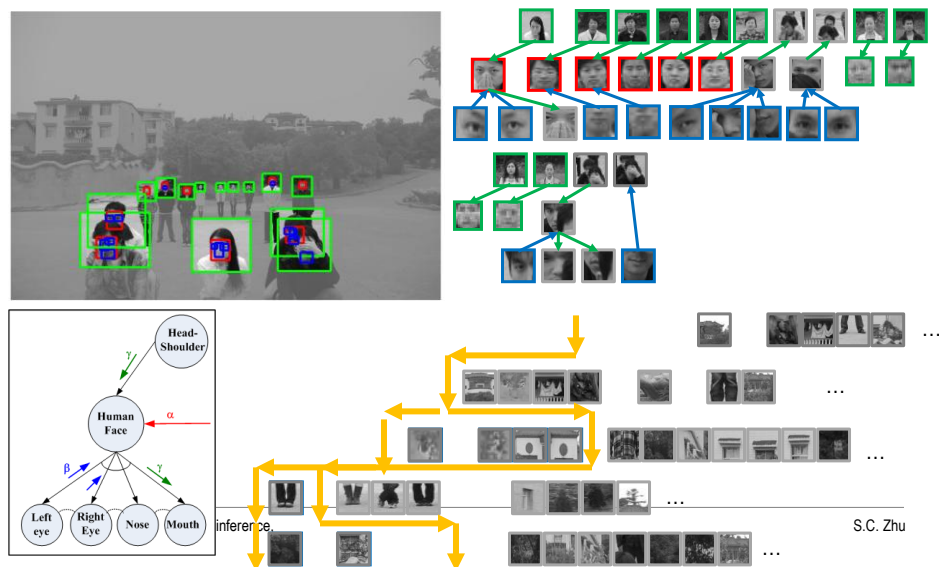
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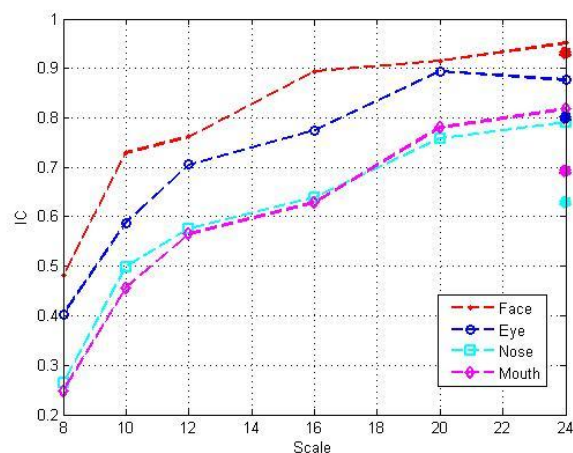


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Information contribution

α channels

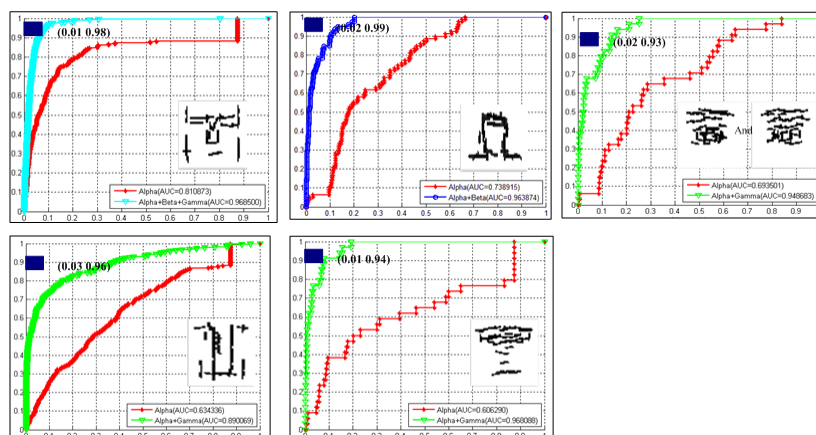


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Performance improvement

red for α , blue for $\alpha+\beta$, green for $\alpha+\gamma$, cyan for $\alpha+\beta+\gamma$ channels



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Top-down / Bottom-up Inference at all levels

Objective: Constructing parse graphs on-line !

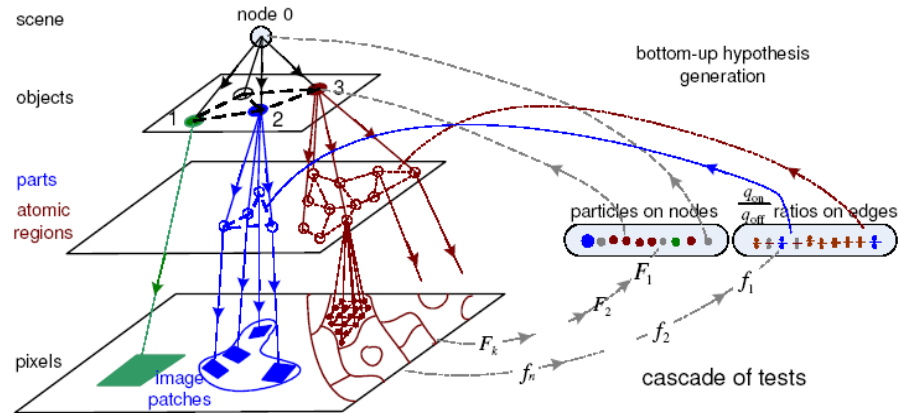


Image parsing by DDMCMC, Tu et al, 2002-05

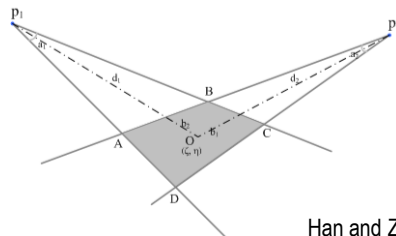
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A simpler and more flexible graph grammar



One terminal sub-template
--- a planar rectangle in 3-space

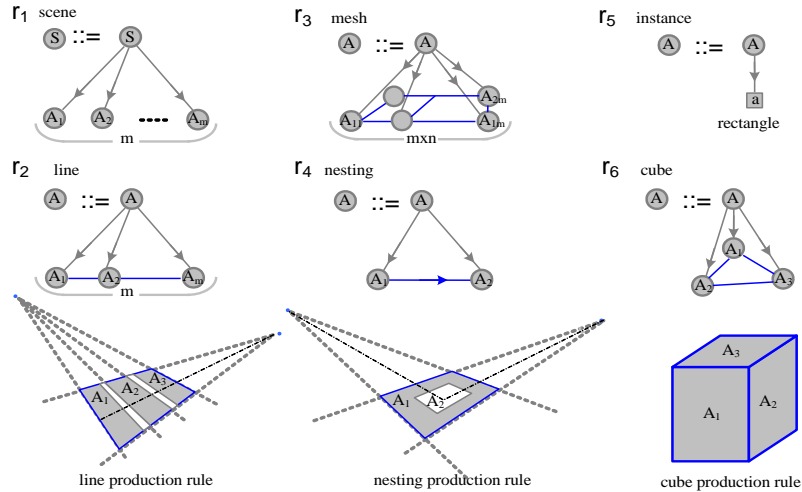


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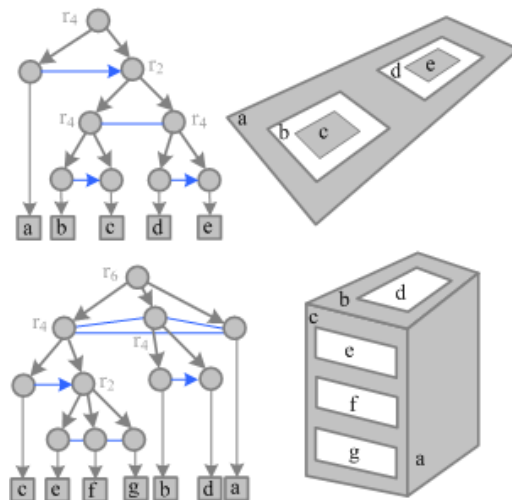
Six grammar rules which can be used recursively



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Two configuration examples

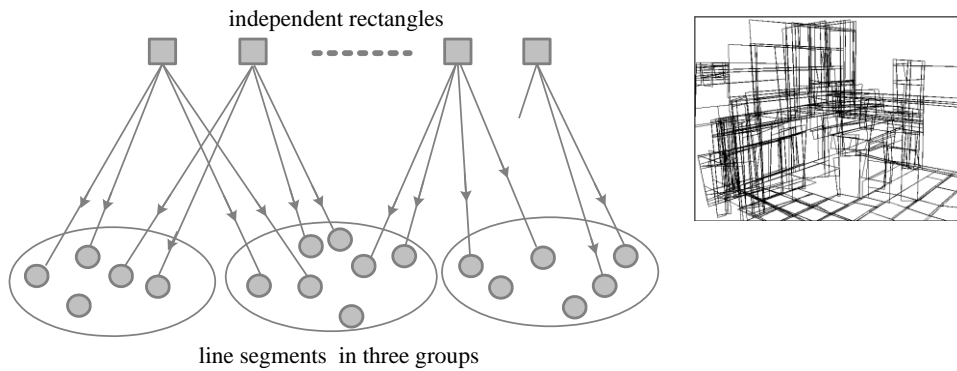


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Bottom-up detection (proposal) of rectangles

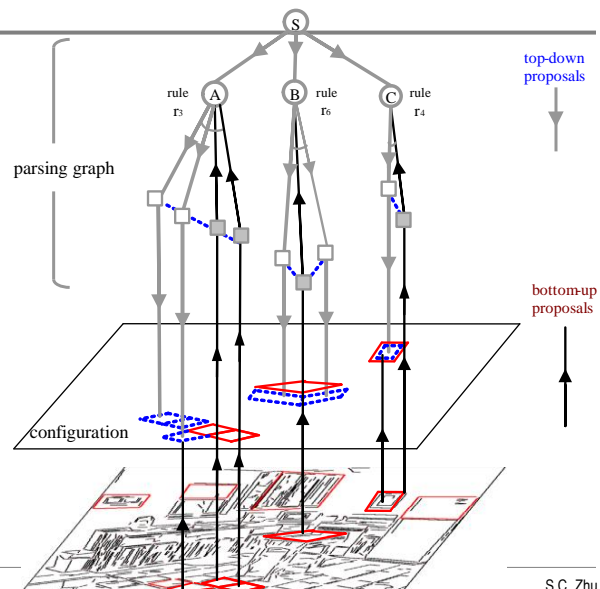
Each rectangle consists of two pairs of line segments that share a vanish point.



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Top-down / bottom-up inference

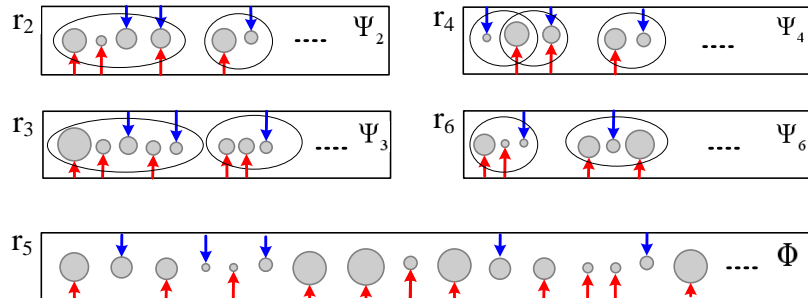


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Each grammar rule is an assembly line and maintains an Open-list and Closed-list of particles

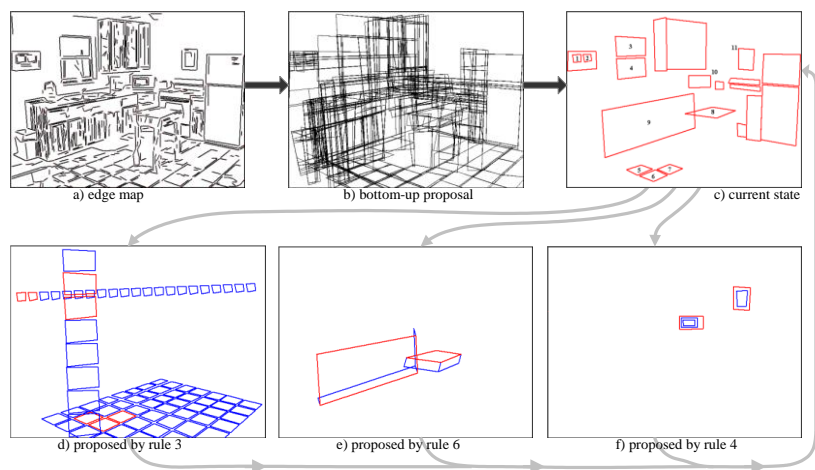
A particle is a production rule partially matched, its probability measures an approximated posterior probability ratio.



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Example of top-down / bottom-up inference

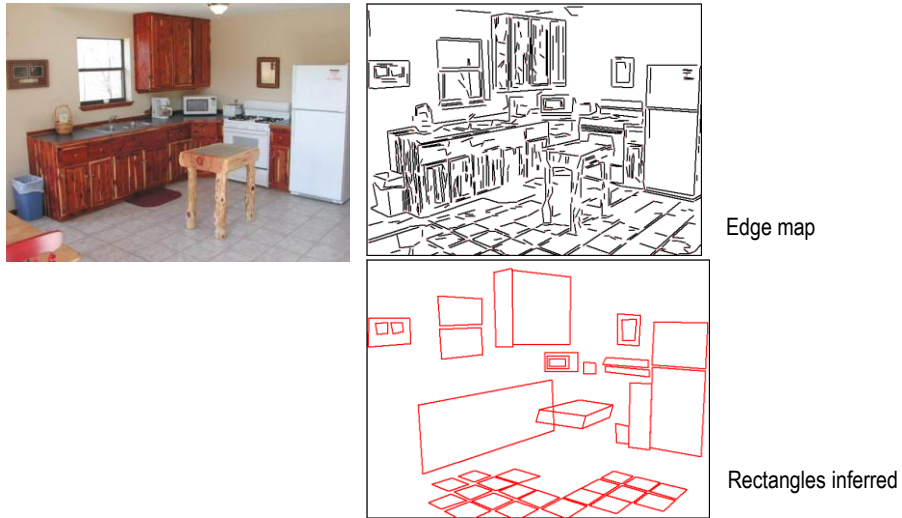


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Results

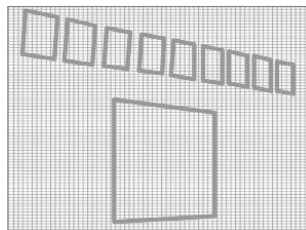
(Han and Zhu, 05)



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Likelihood model based on primal sketch



$$\Lambda = \Lambda_{\text{sk}} \cup \Lambda_{\text{nsk}},$$

$$\Lambda_{\text{sk}} = \bigcup_{k=1}^N \Lambda_{\text{sk},k}$$

$$\Lambda_{\text{nsk}} = \bigcup_{m=1}^M \Lambda_{\text{nsk},m},$$

$$\Lambda_{\text{nsk},m_1} \cap \Lambda_{\text{nsk},m_2} = \emptyset, m_1 \neq m_2$$

$$p(\mathbf{I}_{\text{sk},k} | C) \propto \exp \left\{ - \sum_{(x,y) \in \Lambda_{\text{sk},k}} \frac{(\mathbf{I}(x,y) - B_k(x,y))^2}{2\sigma^2} \right\}$$

$$p(\mathbf{I} | C(\mathbf{G})) = \frac{1}{Z} \exp \left\{ - \sum_{k=1}^N \sum_{(x,y) \in \Lambda_{\text{sk},k}} \frac{(\mathbf{I}(x,y) - B_k(x,y))^2}{2\sigma^2} - \sum_{m=1}^M \sum_{i=1}^n \langle \beta_{mi}, h_i(\mathbf{I}_{\Lambda_{\text{nsk},m}}) \rangle \right\}$$

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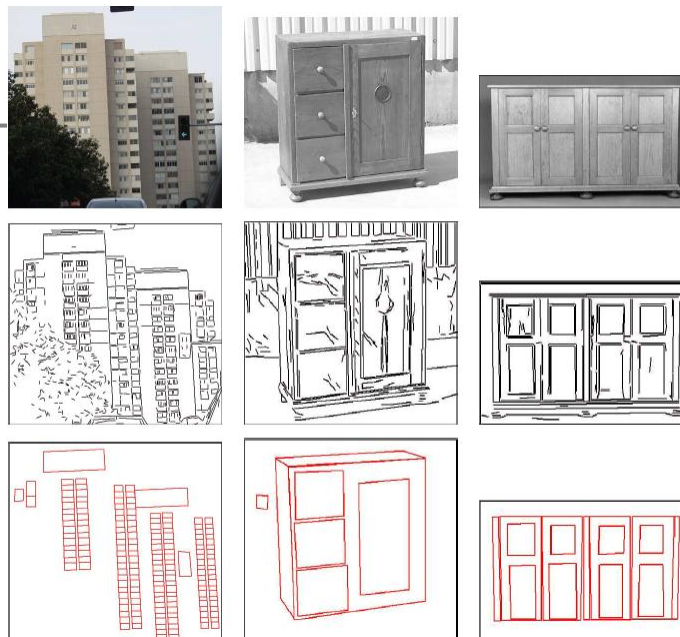
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Synthesis based on the parsing model



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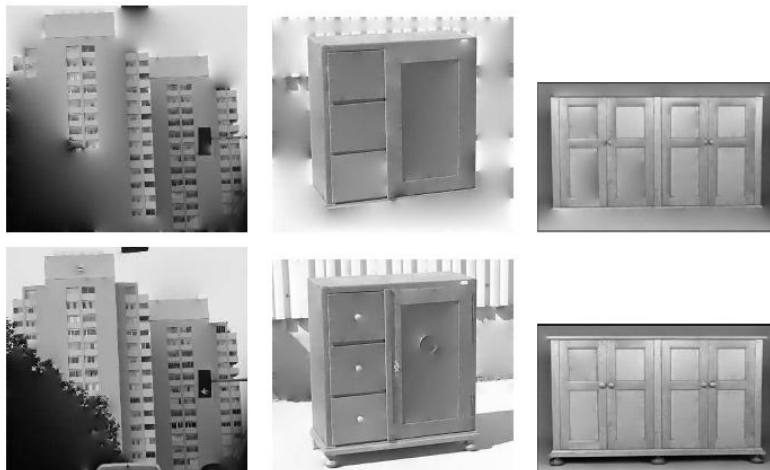
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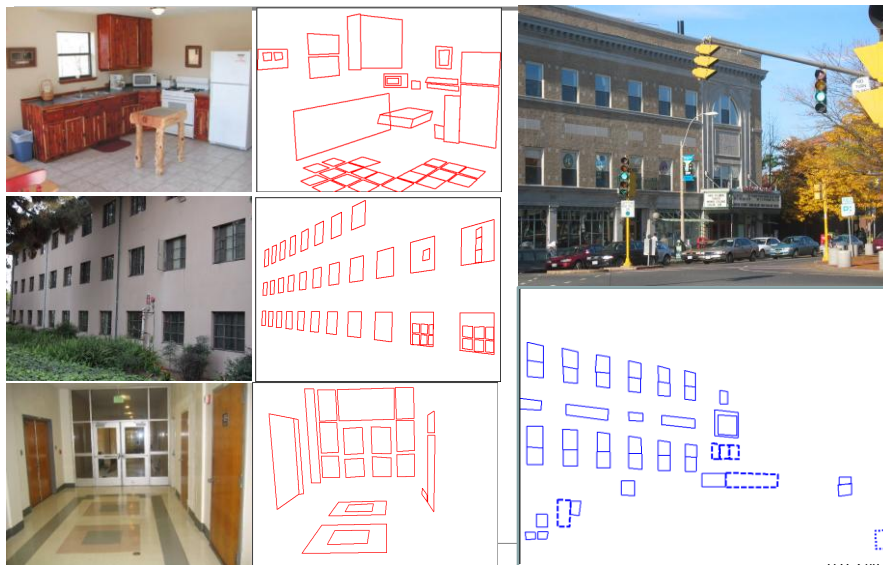
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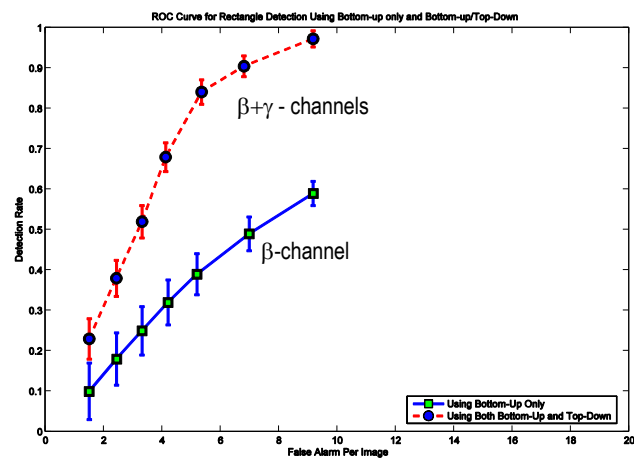
Parsing rectangular scenes by grammar



How much does top-down improve bottom-up?

In the rectangle experiments:

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