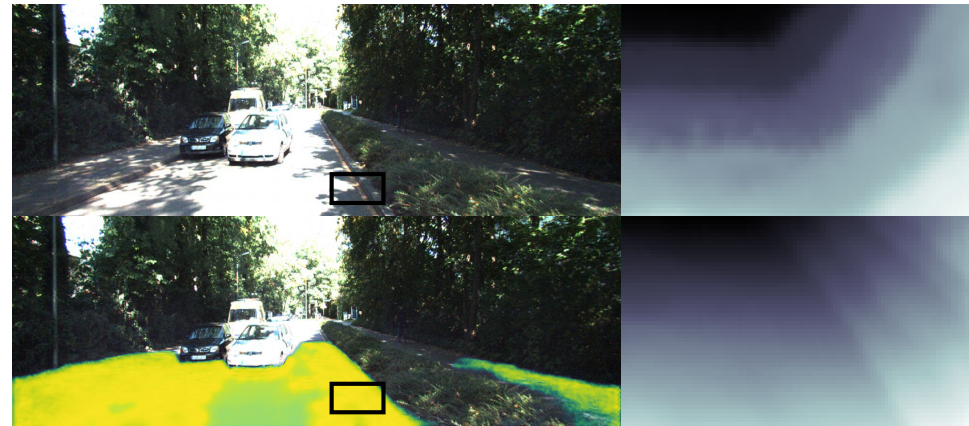




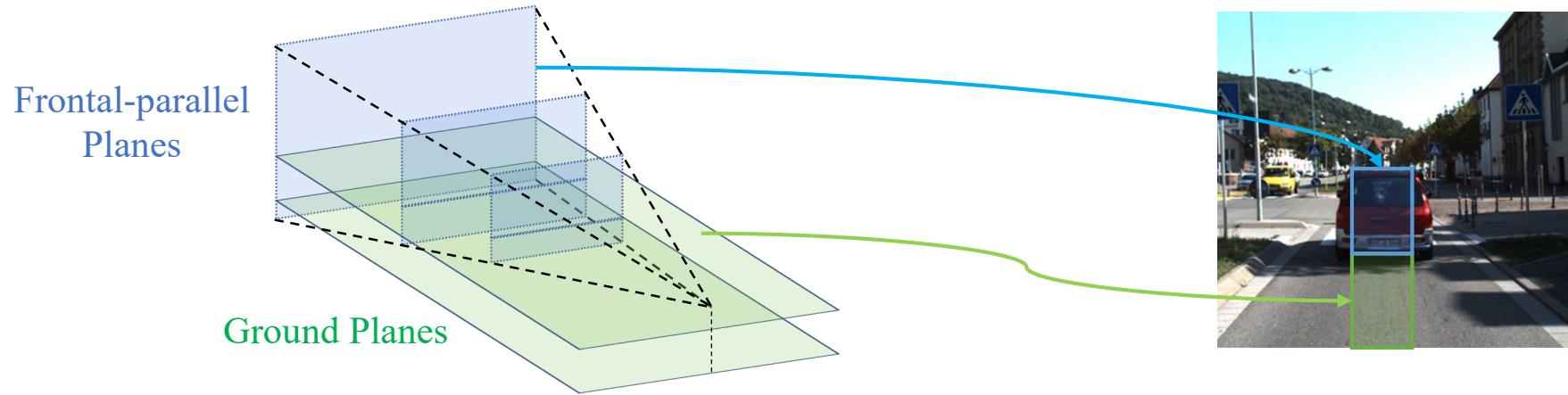
# PlaneDepth: Self-supervised Depth Estimation via Orthogonal Planes

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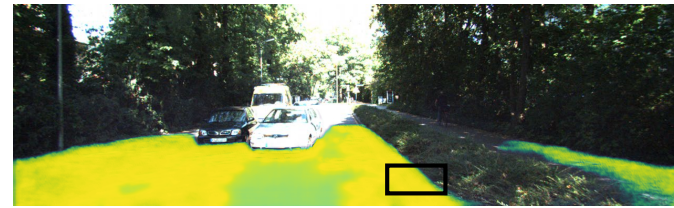


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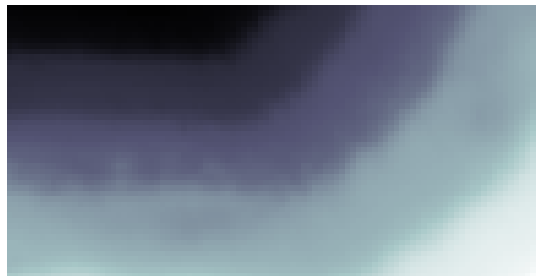
# Preview - Orthogonal Planes



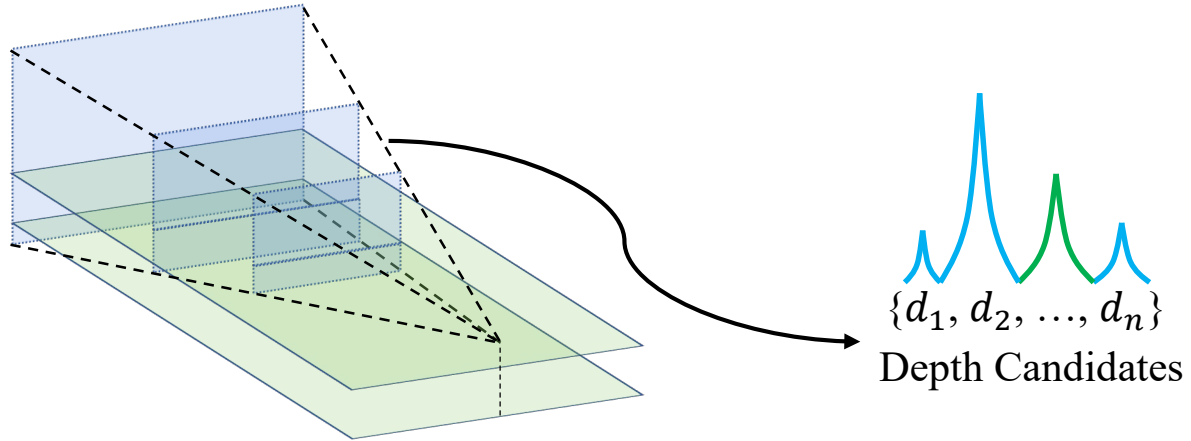
Frontal-parallel Planes



Orthogonal Planes

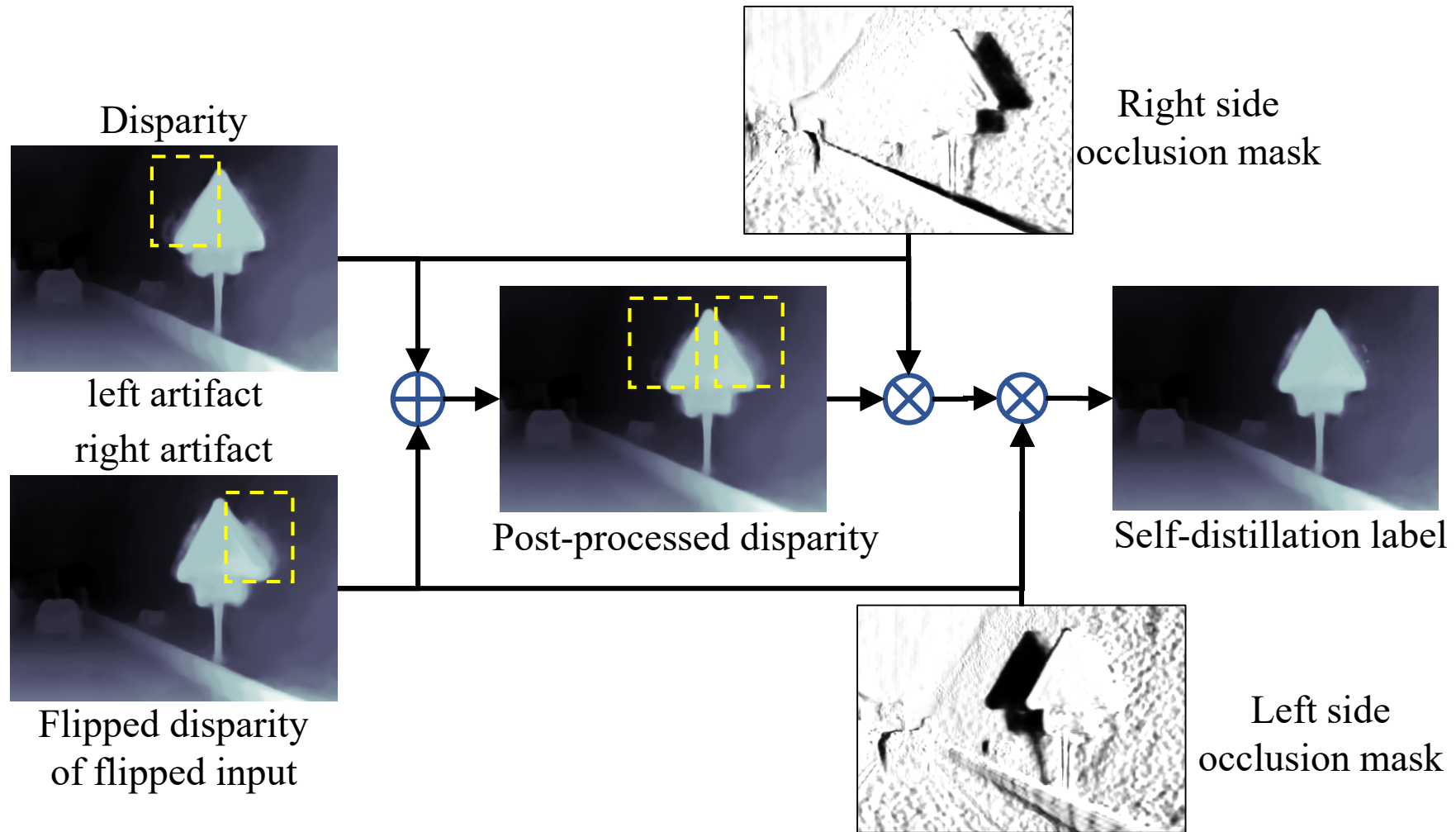


# Preview - Mixture Laplace Loss



$$p(d) = \sum \frac{\hat{\pi}_i e^{-\frac{|d-d_i|}{\hat{\sigma}_i}}}{2\hat{\sigma}_i}$$

# Preview - Self-distillation



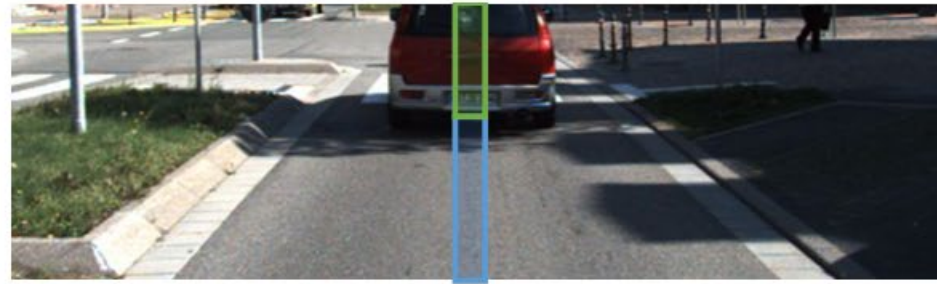
# Details

# Details - Ground

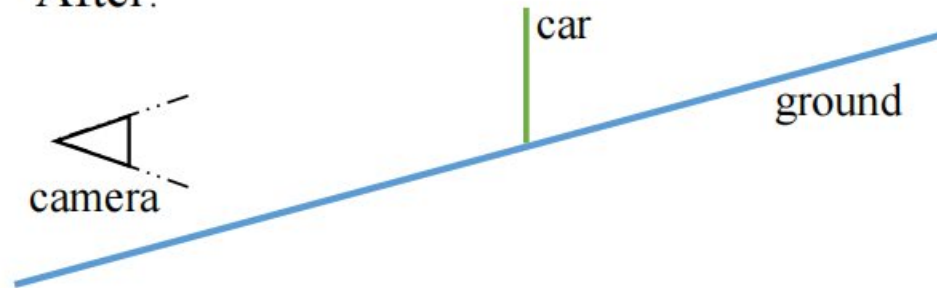
- The widely used resizing cropping augmentation cause ground slopes.
  - We assume that the camera intrinsics remain consistent.



Before:



After:



# Details - Ground

- Rectify the ground planes to ensure that they are always parallel to the ground.

**Plane Definition:**

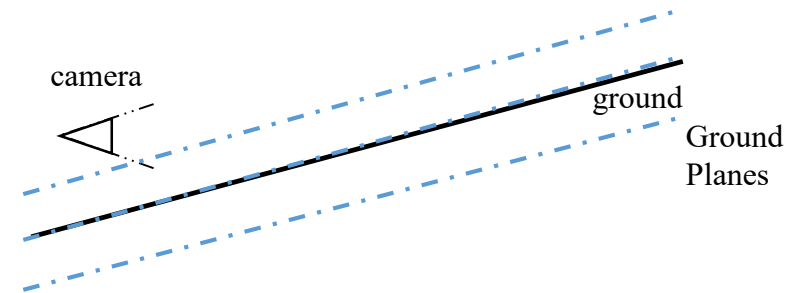
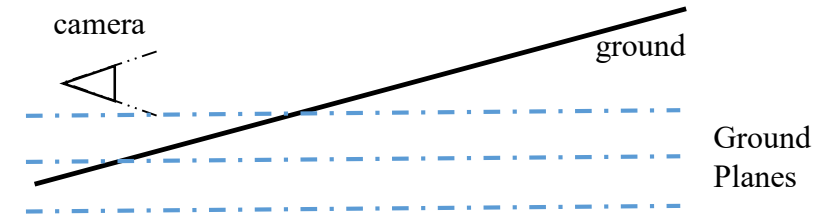
$$\mathbf{n}_i^T \mathbf{w} - \delta_i = 0, \quad i = 0, 1, \dots, N - 1$$

**Rectifying Matrix:**

$$\mathbf{R}_C = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & & \frac{c_x - p_x}{f_x} \\ & 1 & \frac{c_y - p_y}{f_y} \\ & & f_s \end{bmatrix}$$

**Rectified Parameters:**

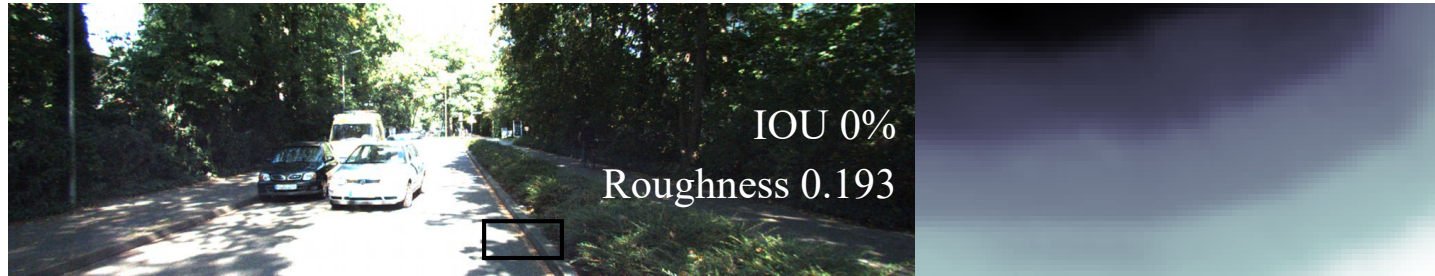
$$\tilde{\mathbf{n}} = \frac{\mathbf{R}_C^{-T} \mathbf{n}}{\|\mathbf{R}_C^{-T} \mathbf{n}\|} \quad \tilde{\delta} = \frac{\delta}{\|\mathbf{R}_C^{-T} \mathbf{n}\|}$$



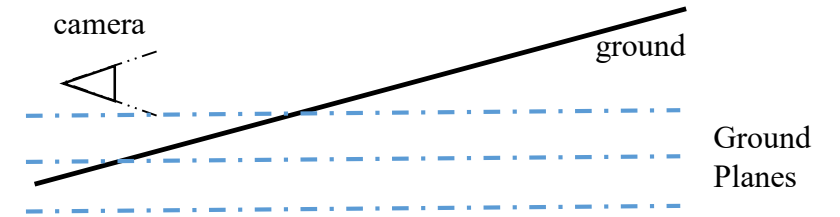


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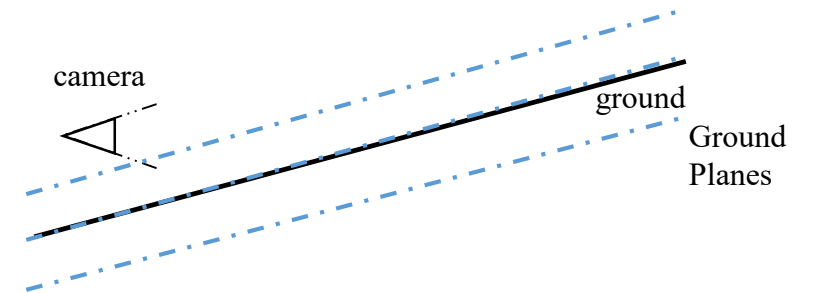
- Rectify the ground planes to ensure that they are always parallel to the ground.



Still not good

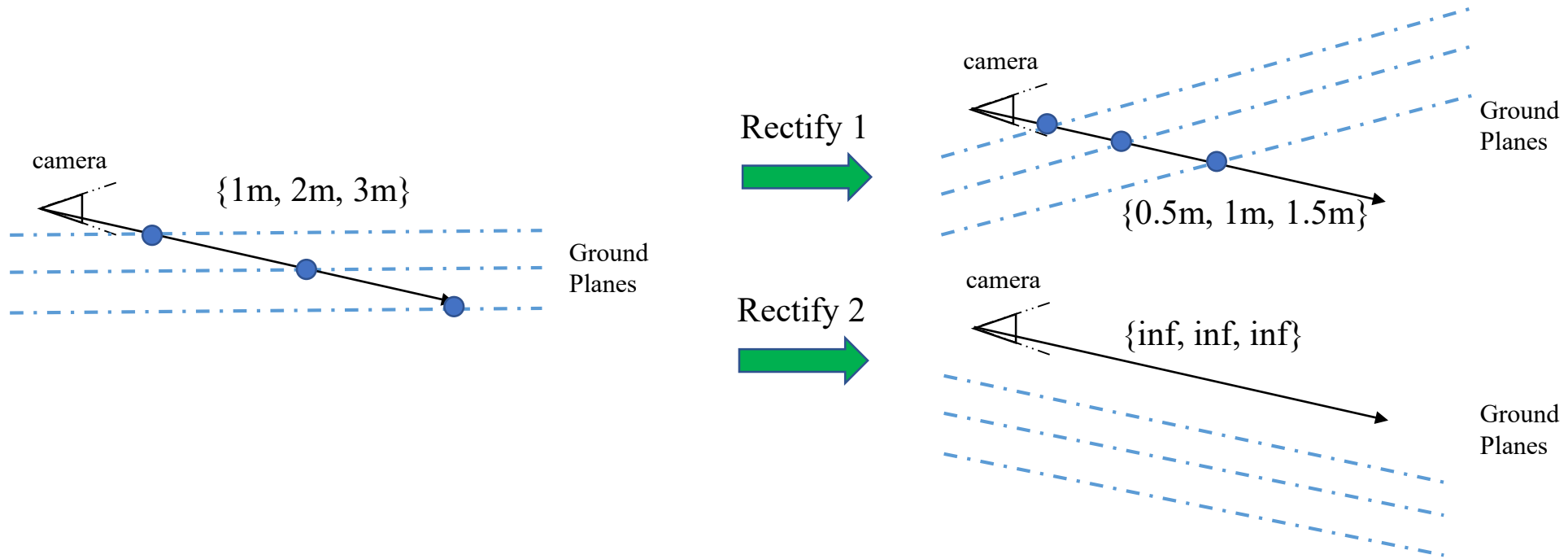


Rectify



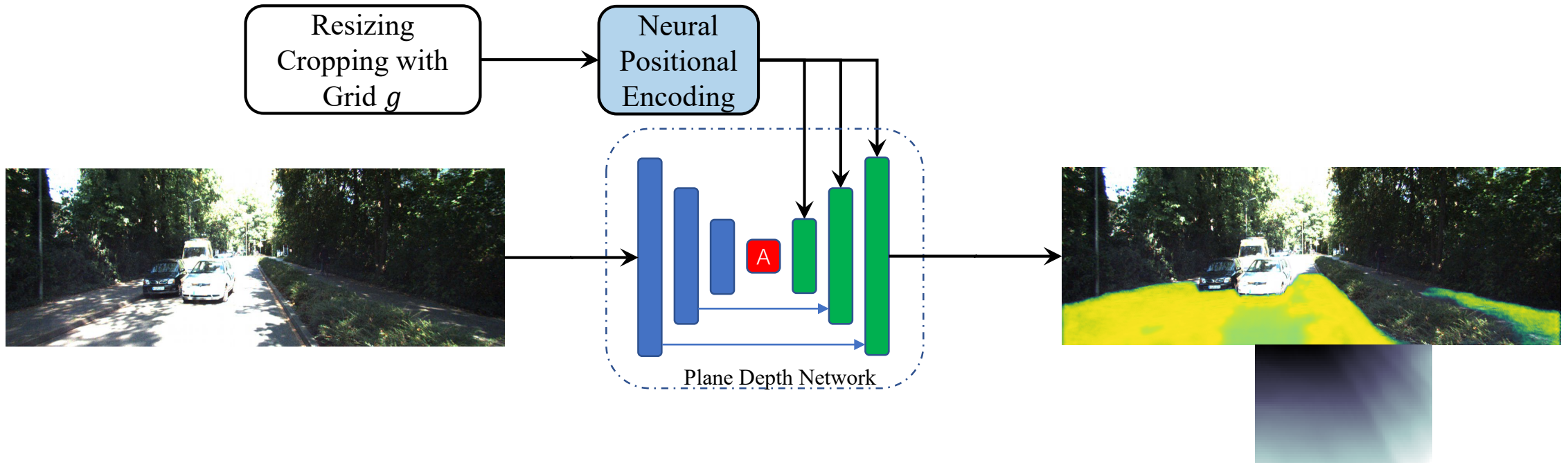
# Details - Ground

- Ground depth candidates of each pixel vary due to rectification.
  - Make it hard to learn



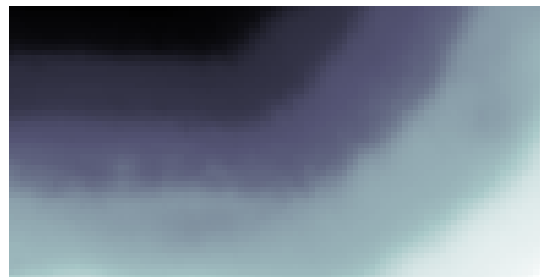
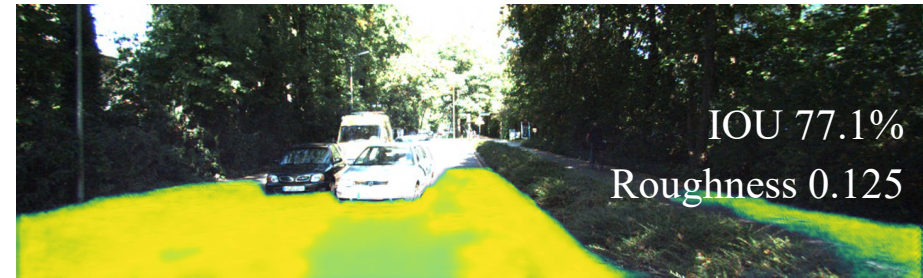
# Details - Ground

- Input the parameters of resizing cropping during training.
  - Tell the CNN how the rectification is.



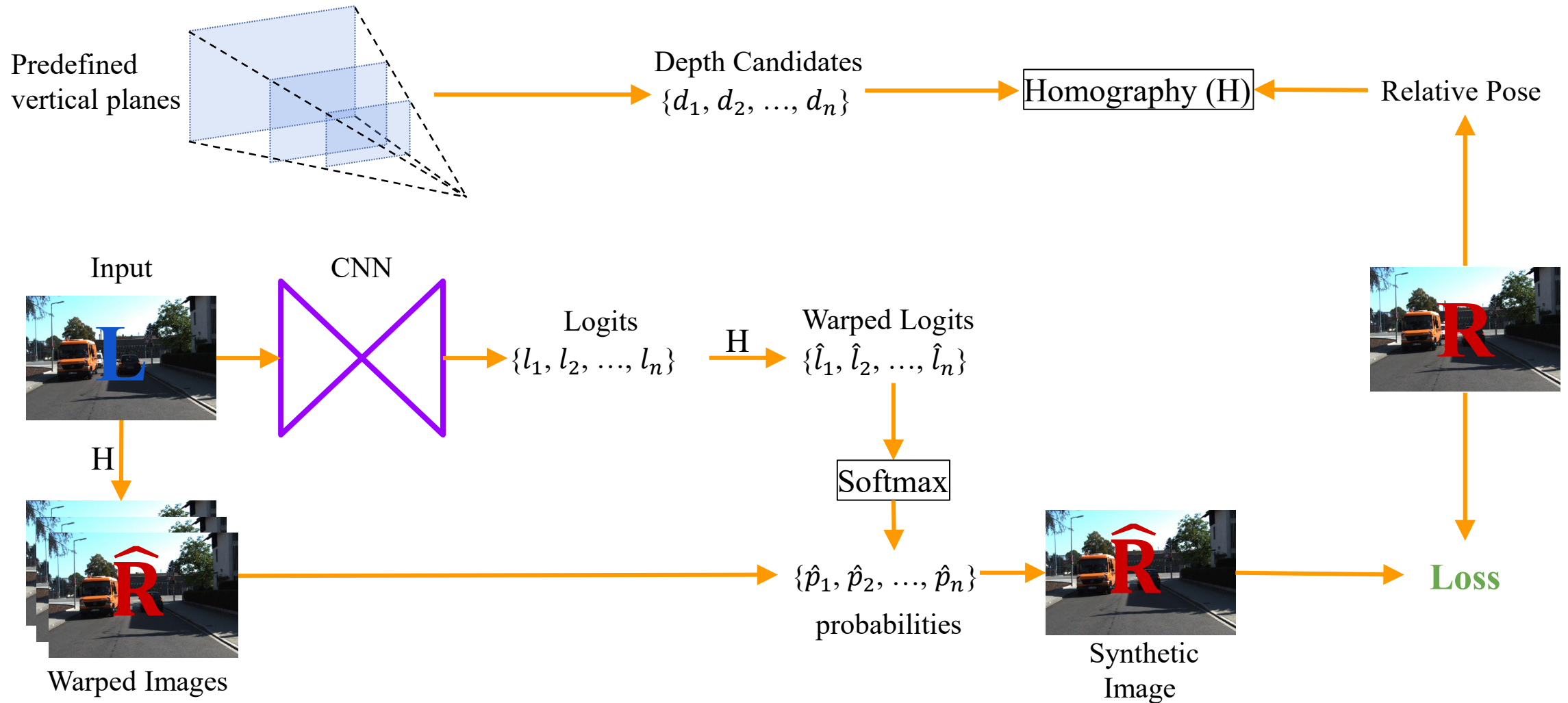
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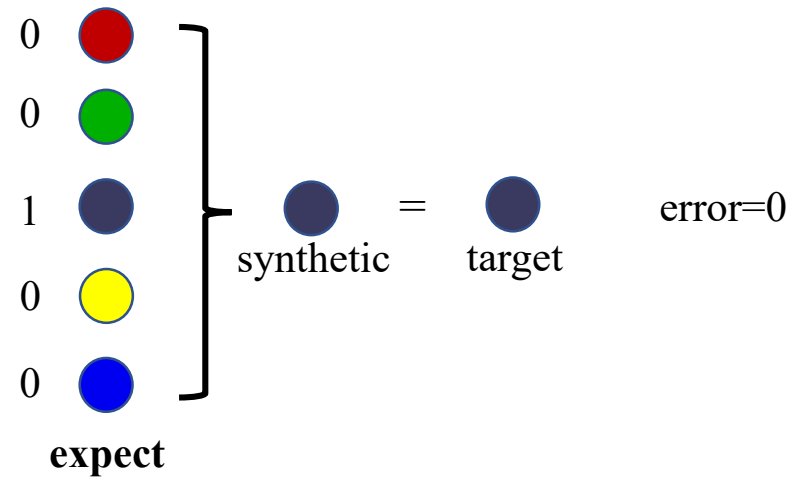
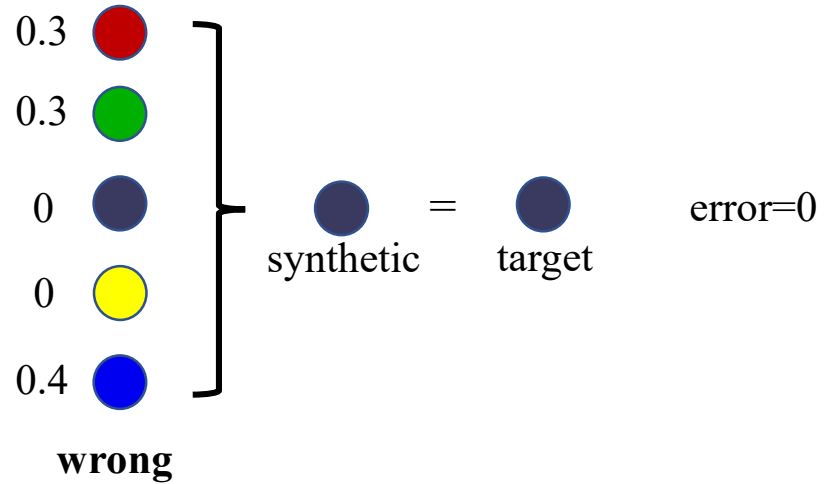
# Details - Mixture Laplace Loss

Train



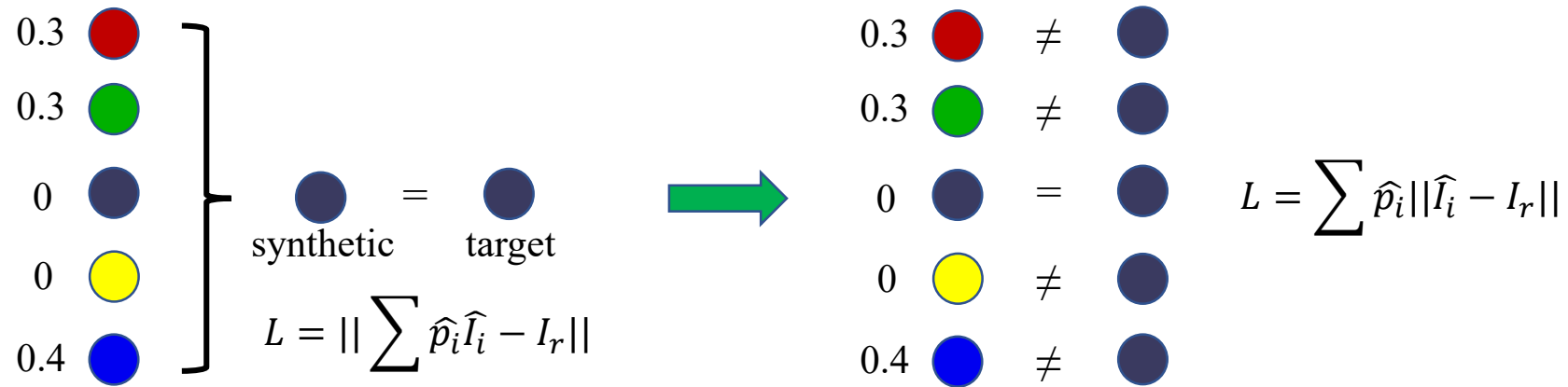
# Details - Mixture Laplace Loss

- It is non-trivial to compute L1 loss on the synthetic image.

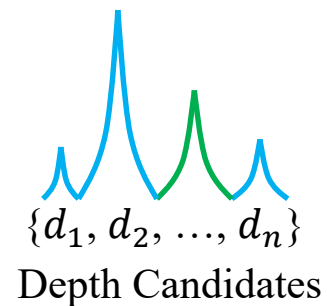


# Details - Mixture Laplace Loss

- Compute photometric error on each warped plane before composing.



- Mixture Laplace Distribution



$$L = -\log \sum \frac{\hat{\pi}_i e^{-\frac{||\hat{I}_i - I_r||}{\hat{\sigma}_i}}}{2\hat{\sigma}_i} \quad p_i = \sum \frac{\hat{\pi}_j e^{-\frac{|d_i - d_j|}{\hat{\sigma}_j}}}{2\hat{\sigma}_j}$$



# Post-process and Self-distillation

- Self-distillation [Gonzalez et al. 2020]:
  - Solve occlusion effect



Occlusion only occurs on the left side of objects in the left view.

Input

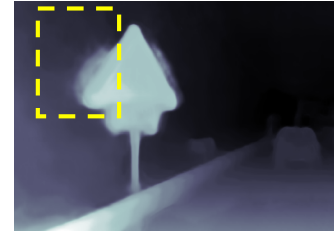


Loss



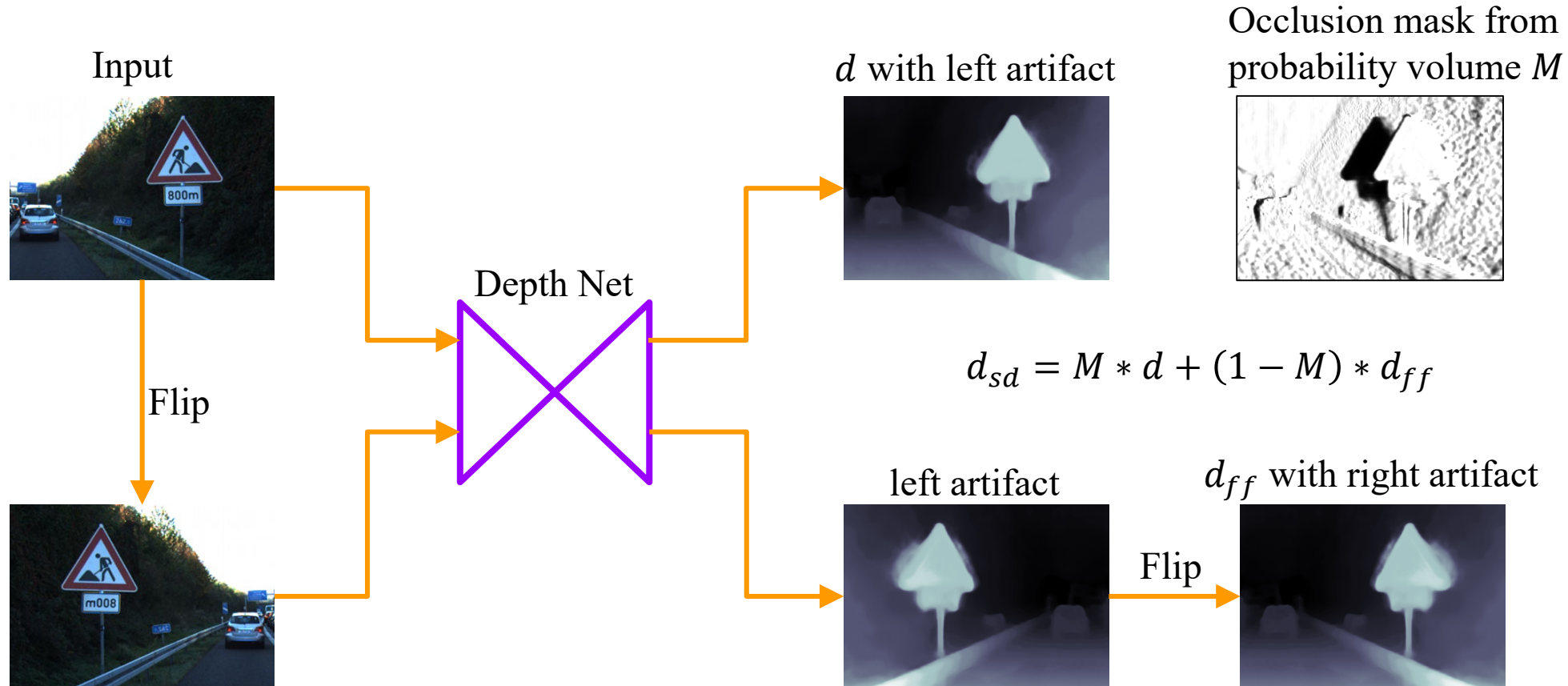
## Self-distillation [Gonzalez et al. 2020]

- If we only input left views and find matchings in the right view, all artifacts caused by occlusion will appear at left of objects.

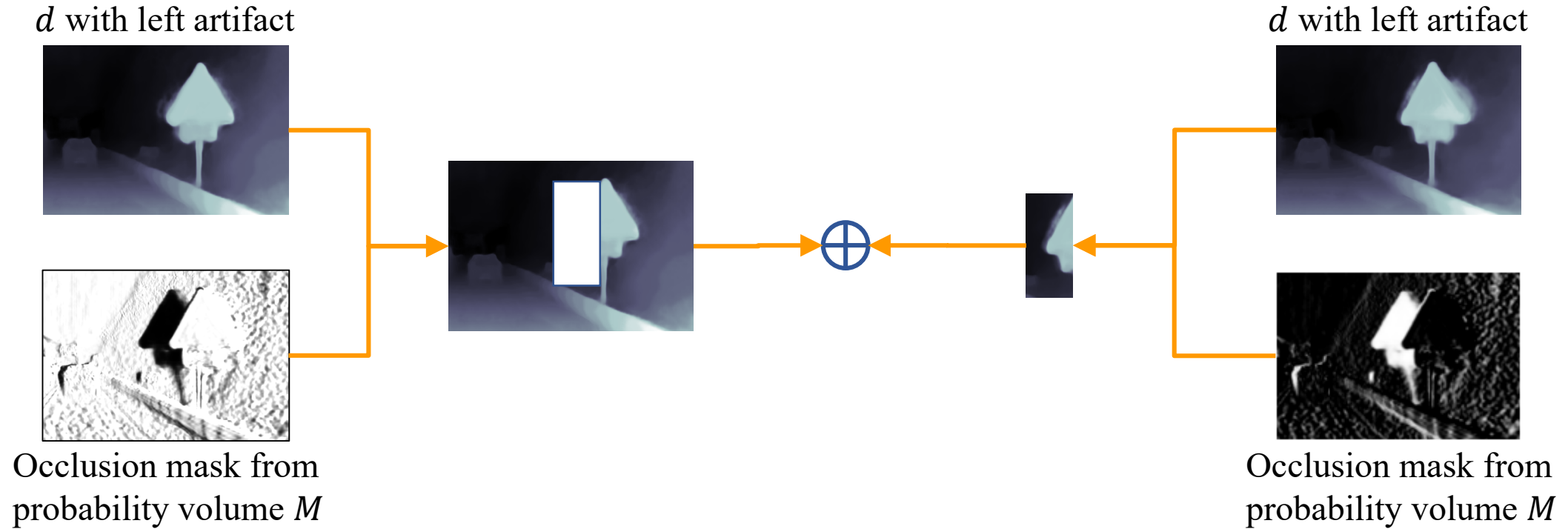


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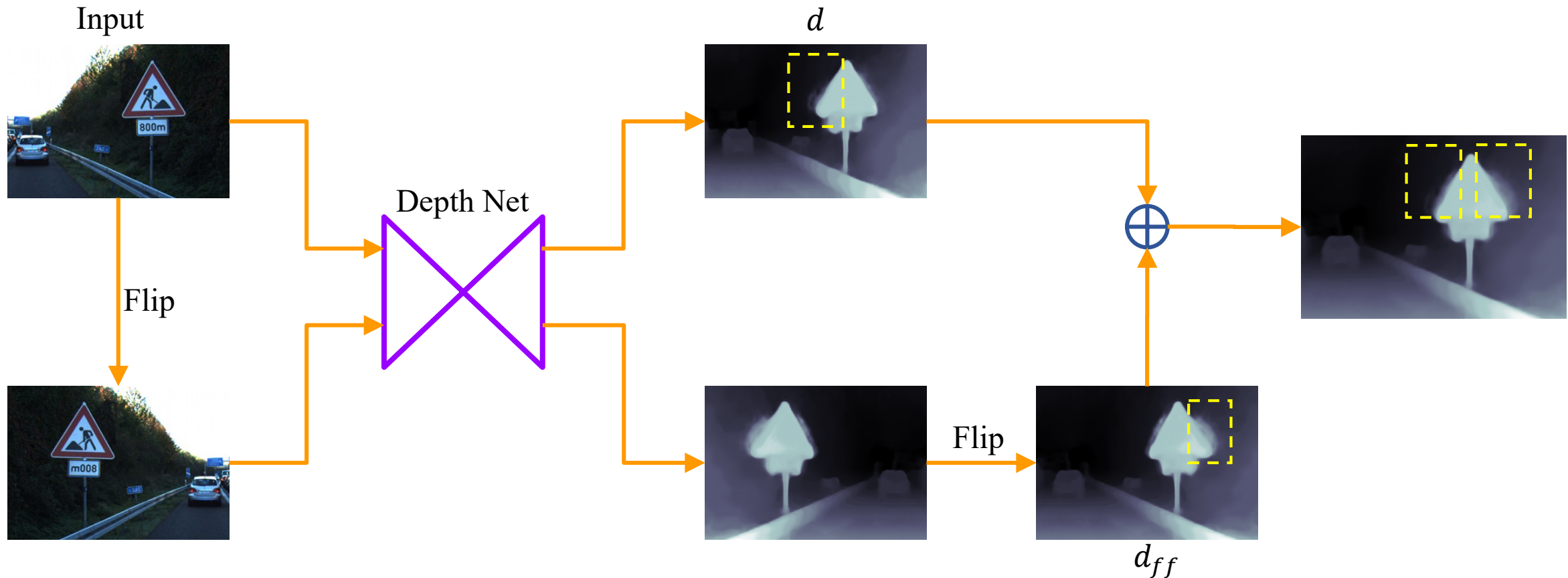


$$d_{sd} = M * d + (1 - M) * d_{ff}$$

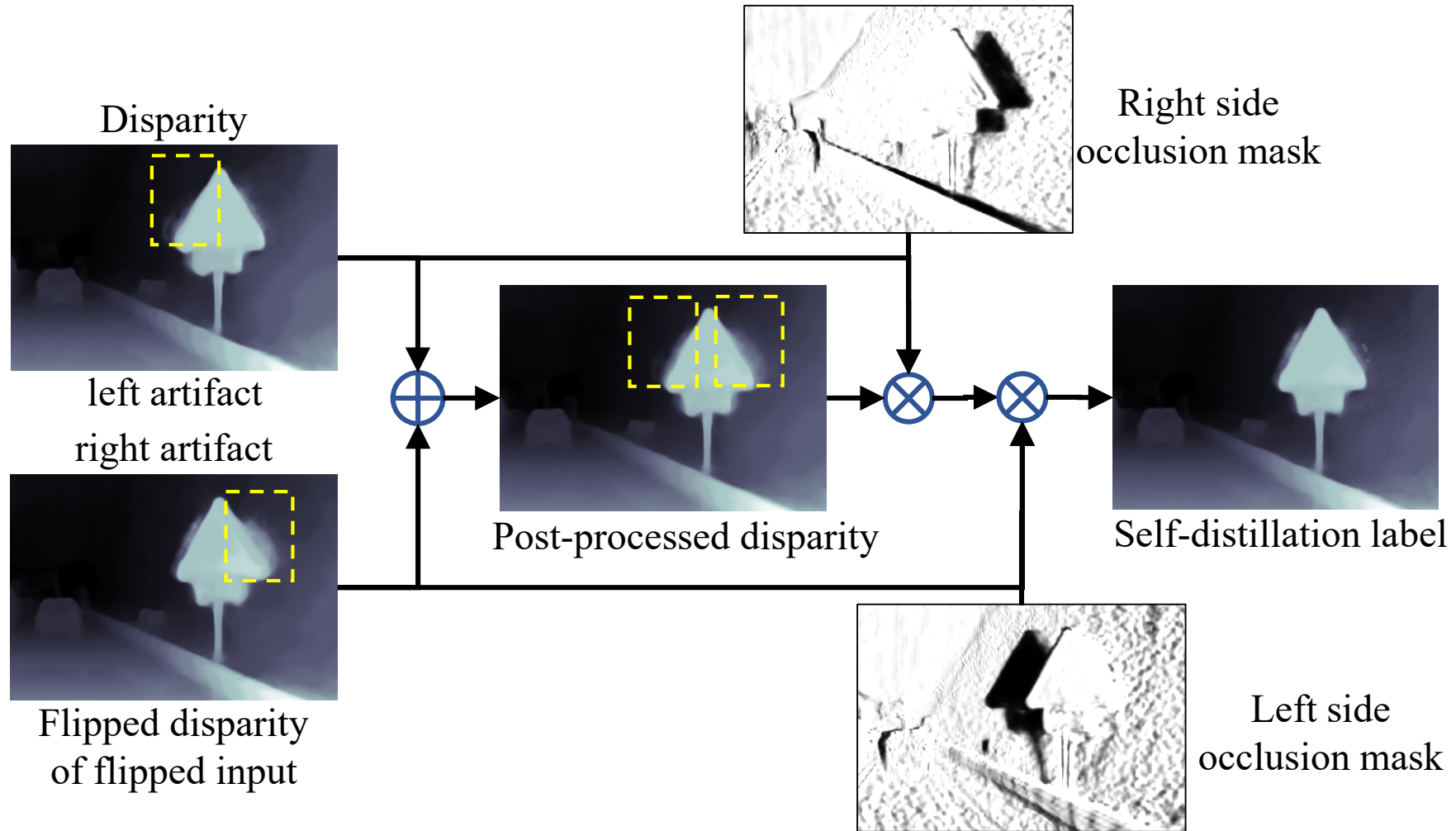
# Post-process and Self-distillation

- Post-process [Godard et al. 2017]:
  - Improve results

$$d_{pp} = \frac{1}{2}(d + d_{ff})$$



# Post-process and Self-distillation





# Results

Methods	PP	Network	Resolution	Train	Abs Rel↓	Sq Rel↓	RMSE↓	RMSE log↓	A1↑	A2↑	A3↑
Raw Eigen Test Set [8]											
Monodepth2 [12]	✓	ResNet-50	1024×320	S	0.097	0.793	4.533	0.181	0.896	0.965	0.983
DepthHint [40]	✓	ResNet-50	1024×320	S	0.096	0.710	4.393	0.185	0.890	0.962	0.981
EPCDepth [29]	✓	ResNet-50	1024×320	S	0.091	0.646	4.207	0.176	0.901	0.966	0.983
OCFDNet [48]	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	0.090	0.564	4.007	0.172	0.903	<u>0.967</u>	<u>0.984</u>
FALNet [14]		FALNet	1280×384	S	0.097	0.590	3.991	0.177	0.893	0.966	<u>0.984</u>
FALNet [14]	✓	FALNet	1280×384	S	0.093	0.564	<b>3.973</b>	0.174	0.898	<u>0.967</u>	<b>0.985</b>
PLADENet [13]		PLADENet	1280×384	S	0.092	0.626	4.046	0.175	0.896	0.965	<u>0.984</u>
PLADENet [13]	✓	PLADENet	1280×384	S	0.089	0.590	4.008	0.172	0.900	<u>0.967</u>	<b>0.985</b>
Ours		ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	<u>0.085</u>	<u>0.563</u>	4.023	<u>0.171</u>	<u>0.910</u>	<b>0.968</b>	<u>0.984</u>
Ours	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	<b>0.084</b>	<b>0.549</b>	<u>3.981</u>	<b>0.169</b>	<b>0.911</b>	<b>0.968</b>	<u>0.984</u>
Ours†	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	0.083	0.533	3.919	0.167	0.913	0.969	0.985
Improved Eigen Test Set [39]											
Monodepth2 [12]	✓	ResNet-18	1024×320	MS	0.104	0.775	4.562	0.191	0.878	0.959	0.981
DepthHint [40]	✓	ResNet-18	1024×320	MS	0.098	0.702	4.398	<u>0.183</u>	0.887	<b>0.963</b>	<b>0.983</b>
FeatureNet [36]		ResNet-50	1024×320	MS	0.099	0.697	4.427	0.184	0.889	<b>0.963</b>	<u>0.982</u>
Ours*		ResNet-50-A	1280×384	MS	<u>0.092</u>	<u>0.601</u>	<u>4.188</u>	0.184	<u>0.893</u>	0.961	0.981
Ours*	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	MS	<b>0.090</b>	<b>0.584</b>	<b>4.130</b>	<b>0.182</b>	<b>0.896</b>	<u>0.962</u>	0.981
Improved Eigen Test Set [39]											
Monodepth2 [12]	✓	ResNet-50	1024×320	S	0.077	0.455	3.489	0.119	0.933	0.988	0.996
DepthHint [40]	✓	ResNet-50	1024×320	S	0.074	0.364	3.202	0.114	0.936	0.989	0.997
OCFDNet [48]	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	0.070	0.262	2.786	0.103	0.951	0.993	<u>0.998</u>
FALNet [14]	✓	FALNet	1280×384	S	0.071	0.281	2.912	0.108	0.943	0.991	<u>0.998</u>
PLADENet [13]	✓	PLADENet	1280×384	S	<u>0.066</u>	0.272	2.918	0.104	0.945	0.992	<u>0.998</u>
Ours		ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	<b>0.063</b>	<u>0.245</u>	2.718	<u>0.096</u>	<u>0.959</u>	<u>0.994</u>	<u>0.998</u>
Ours	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	<b>0.063</b>	<b>0.236</b>	<b>2.674</b>	<b>0.095</b>	<b>0.960</b>	<b>0.994</b>	<b>0.999</b>
Ours†	✓	ResNet-50-A	1280×384	S	0.062	0.227	2.609	0.093	0.961	0.995	0.999



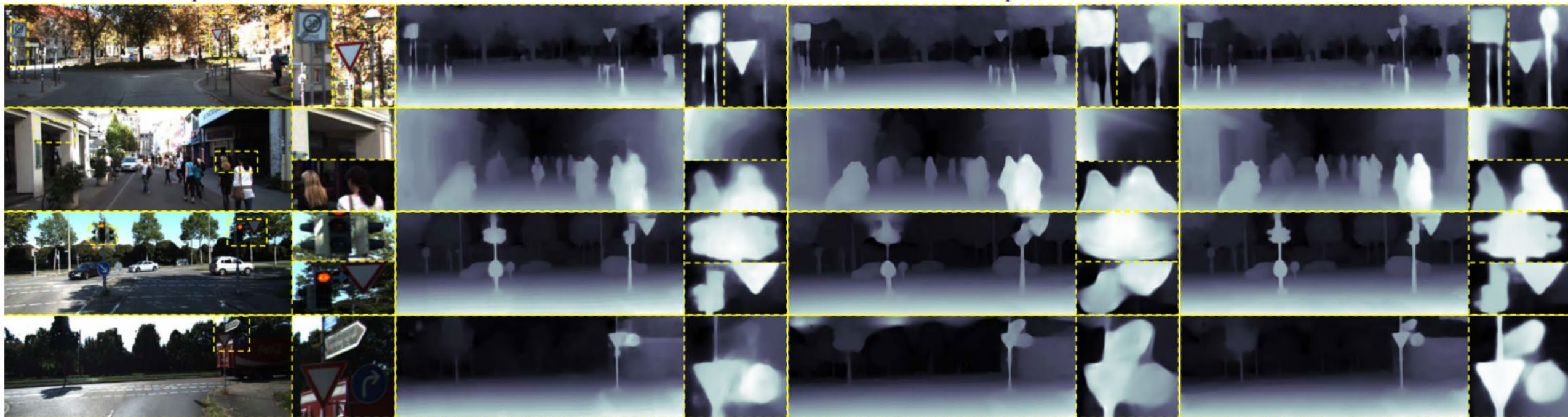
# Results

Input

FALNet

EPCDepth

Ours



# Thanks!

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Github: <https://github.com/svip-lab/PlaneDepth>