



Data Science
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Shadows Generation in the Wild

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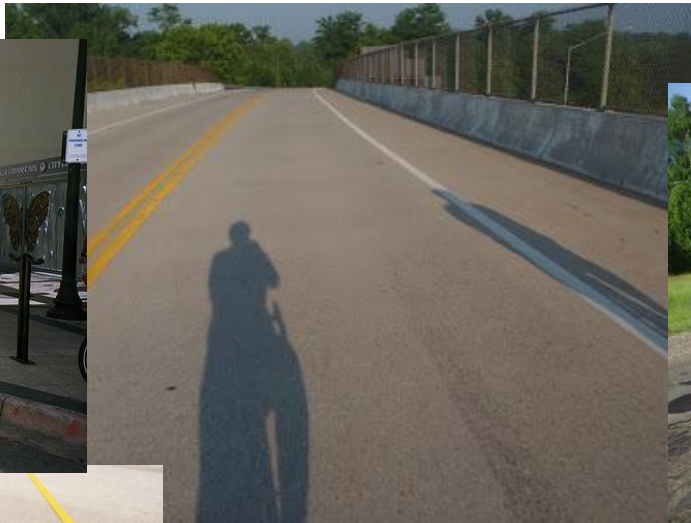
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All the provided information based on open publication and datasets

Agenda

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What's wrong with shadows?



What do we want?

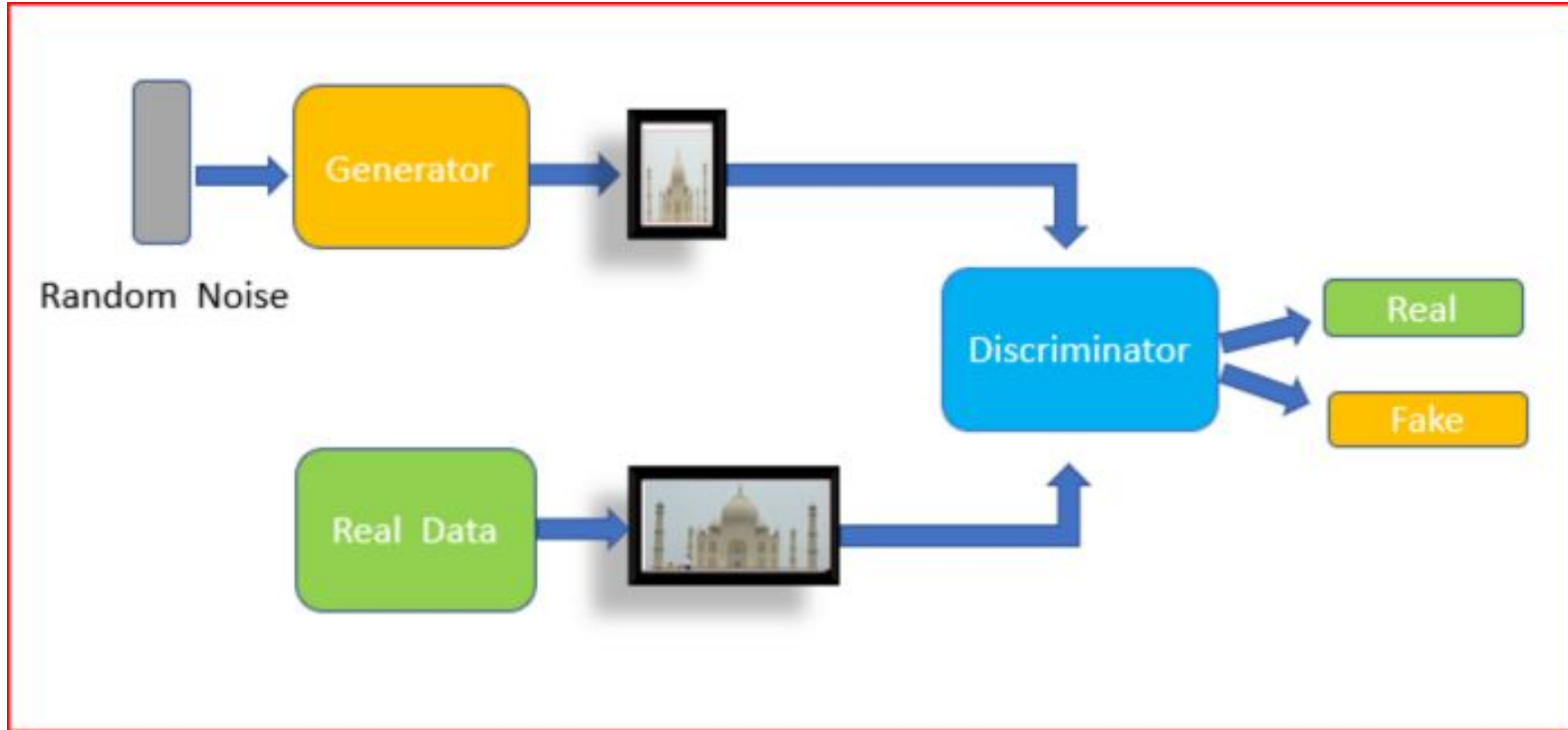


Datasets

SBU Dataset ([link](#)) - this new dataset contains 4,727 images (4,089 train images and 638 test images) with pixel based ground truth.

ISTD Dataset ([link](#)) - it contains 1870 triplets of shadow, shadow mask and shadow-free image under 135 different scenarios.

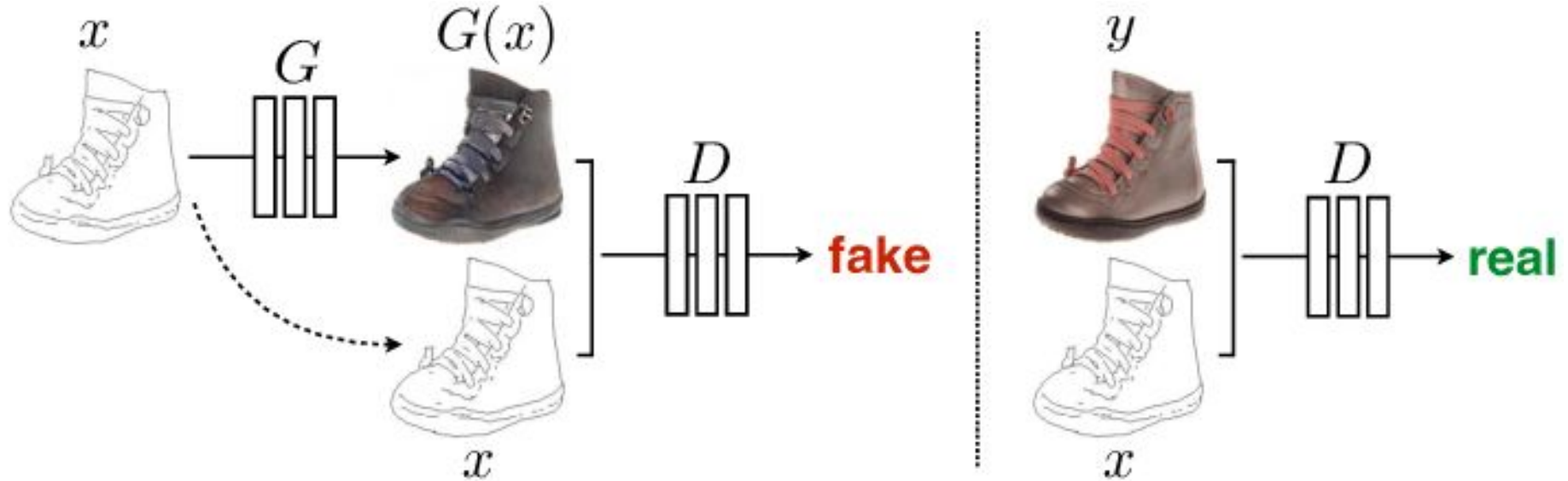
Generative Adversarial Networks



GAN objective

$$\min_G \max_D V(D, G) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \in p_{\text{data}}(\mathbf{x})} [\log D(\mathbf{x})] + \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z} \in p_{\mathbf{z}}(\mathbf{z})} [\log(1 - D(G(\mathbf{z})))]$$

Conditional GAN

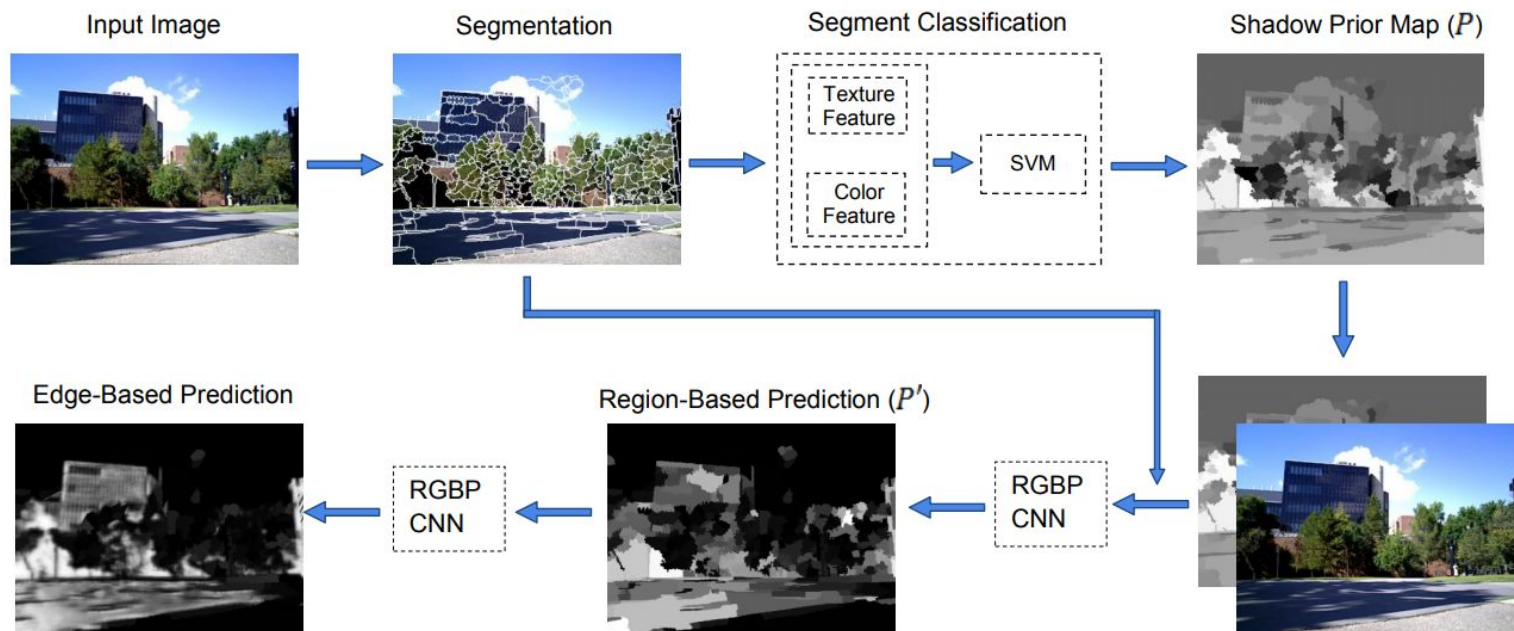


Conditional GAN

$$\min_G \max_D V(D, G) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \in p_{\text{data}}(\mathbf{x})} [\log D(\mathbf{x}^{\mathbf{x}|y})] + \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{z} \in p_{\mathbf{z}}(\mathbf{z})} [\log(1 - D(G(\mathbf{z})^{\mathbf{z}|y}))]$$

Shadow Detection

Fast Shadow Detection from a Single Image Using a Patched Convolutional Neural Network (2018)



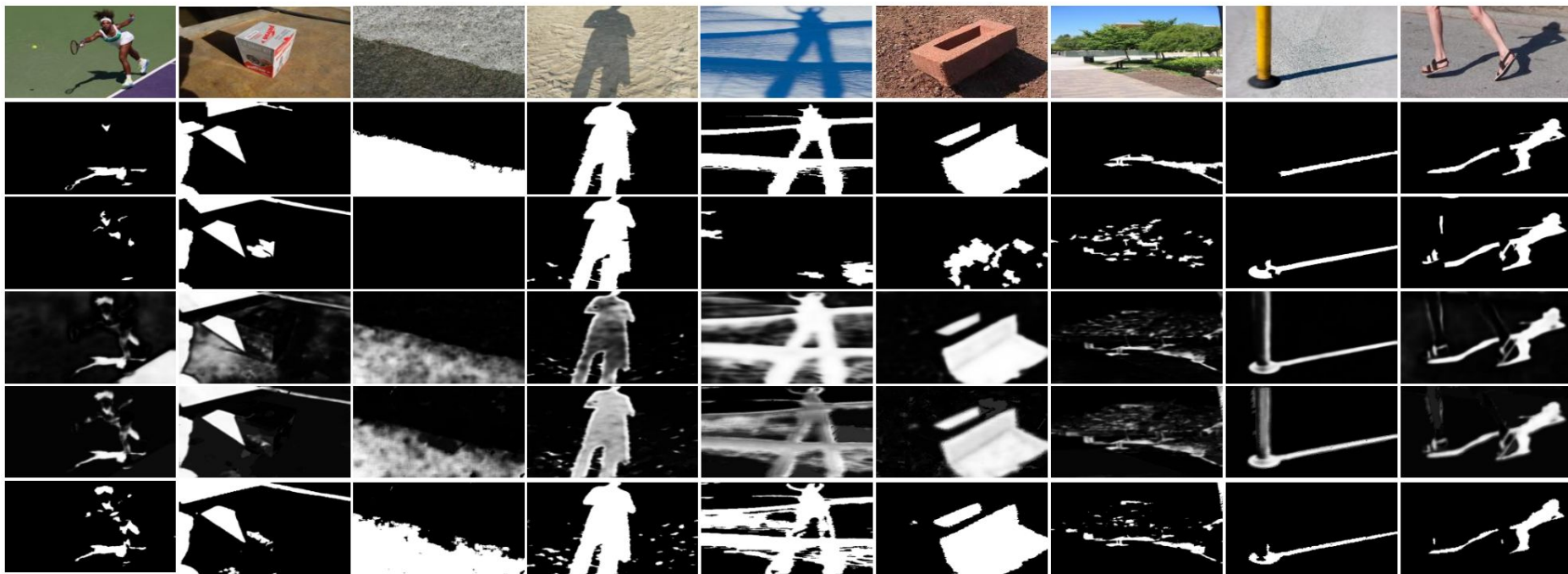


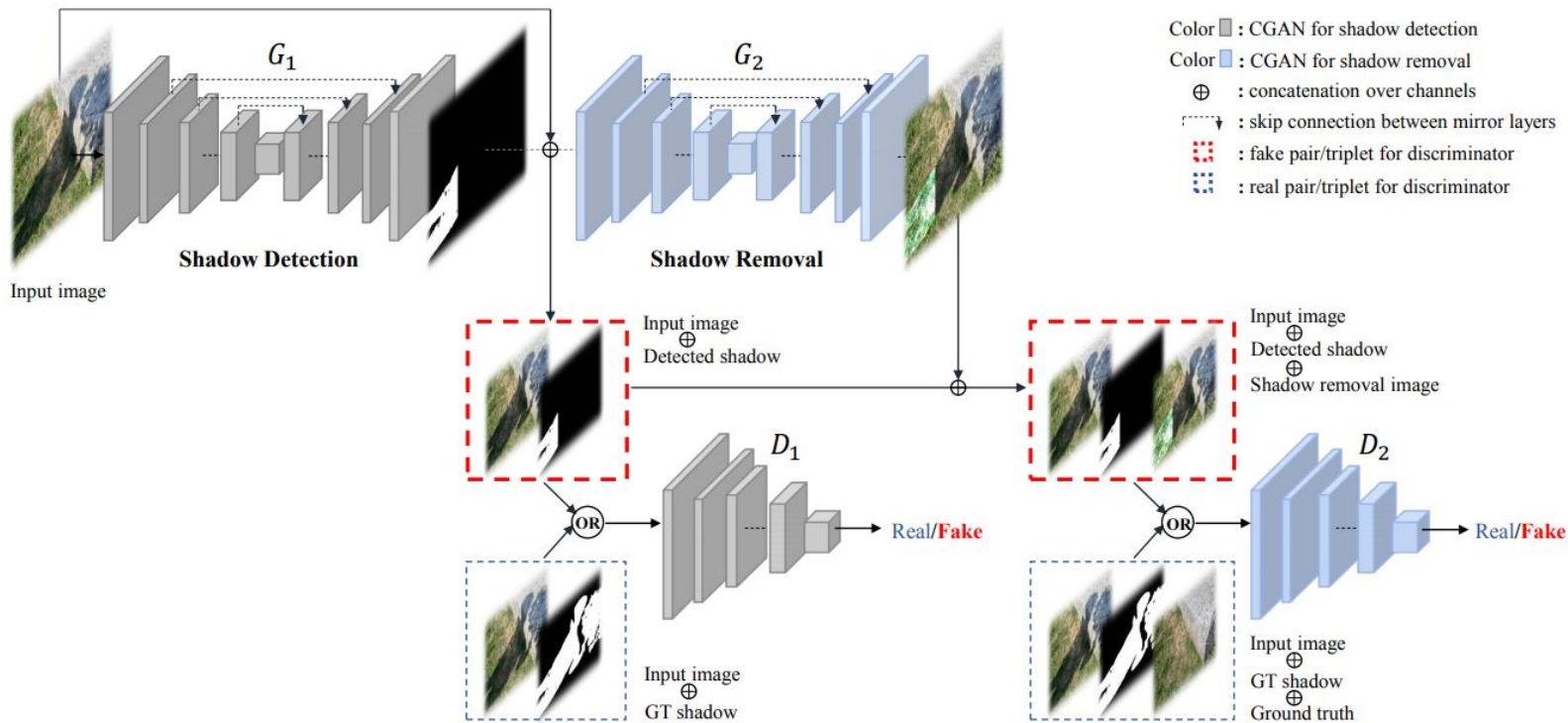
Fig. 2. Comparison of our qualitative results with the results of other methods. Rows from top to bottom: input images, ground truths, results of unary-pairwise method, results of stacked-CNN, obtained probanility map of our method, binary mask of shadows based on the probability map of our method.

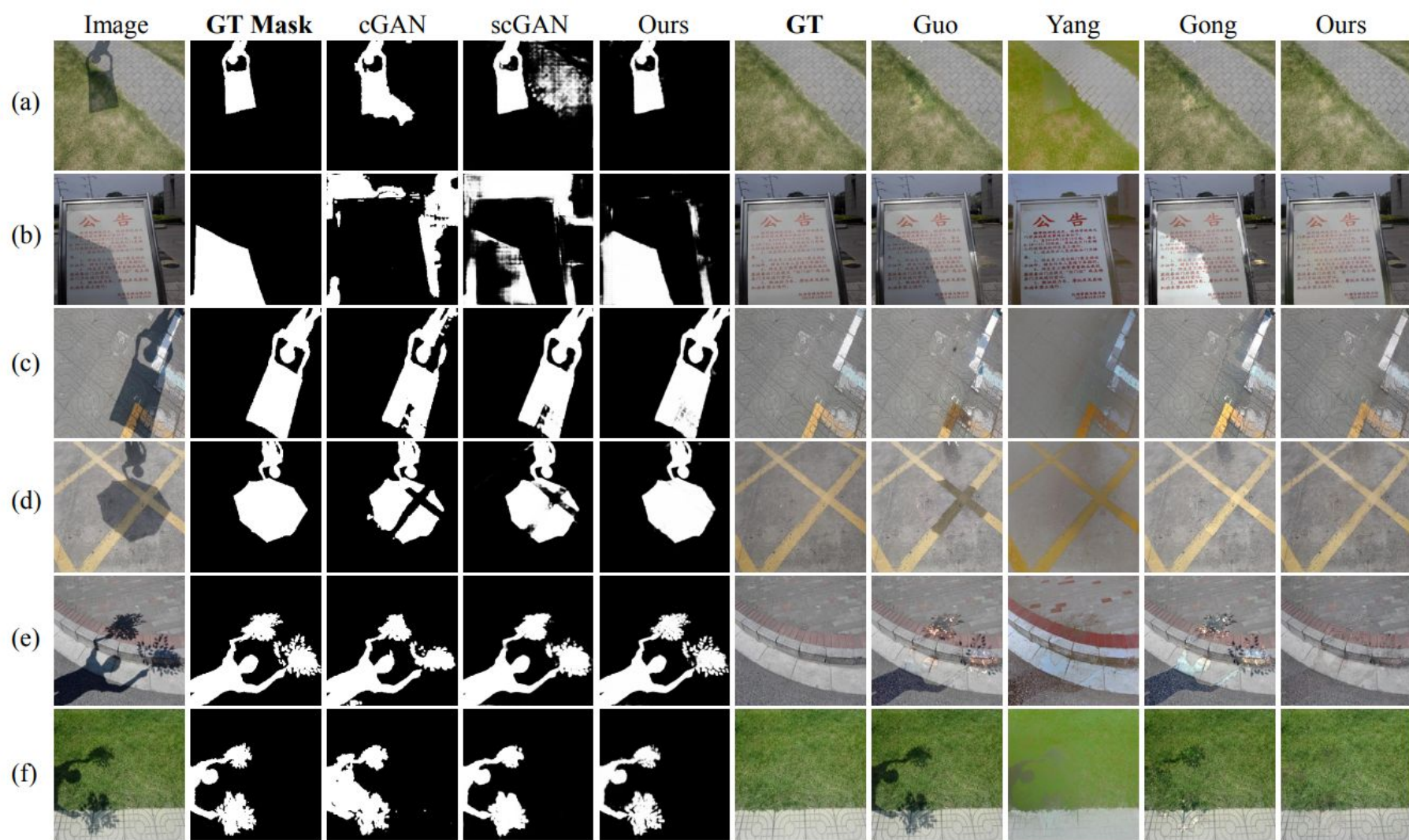
Shadow detected

What next?



Approach #2 - Shadow Detection & Removing





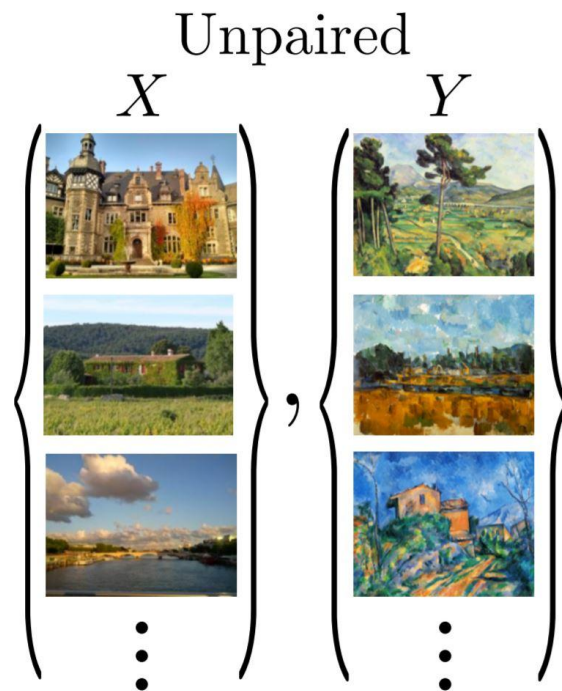
Shadow Detection & Removing



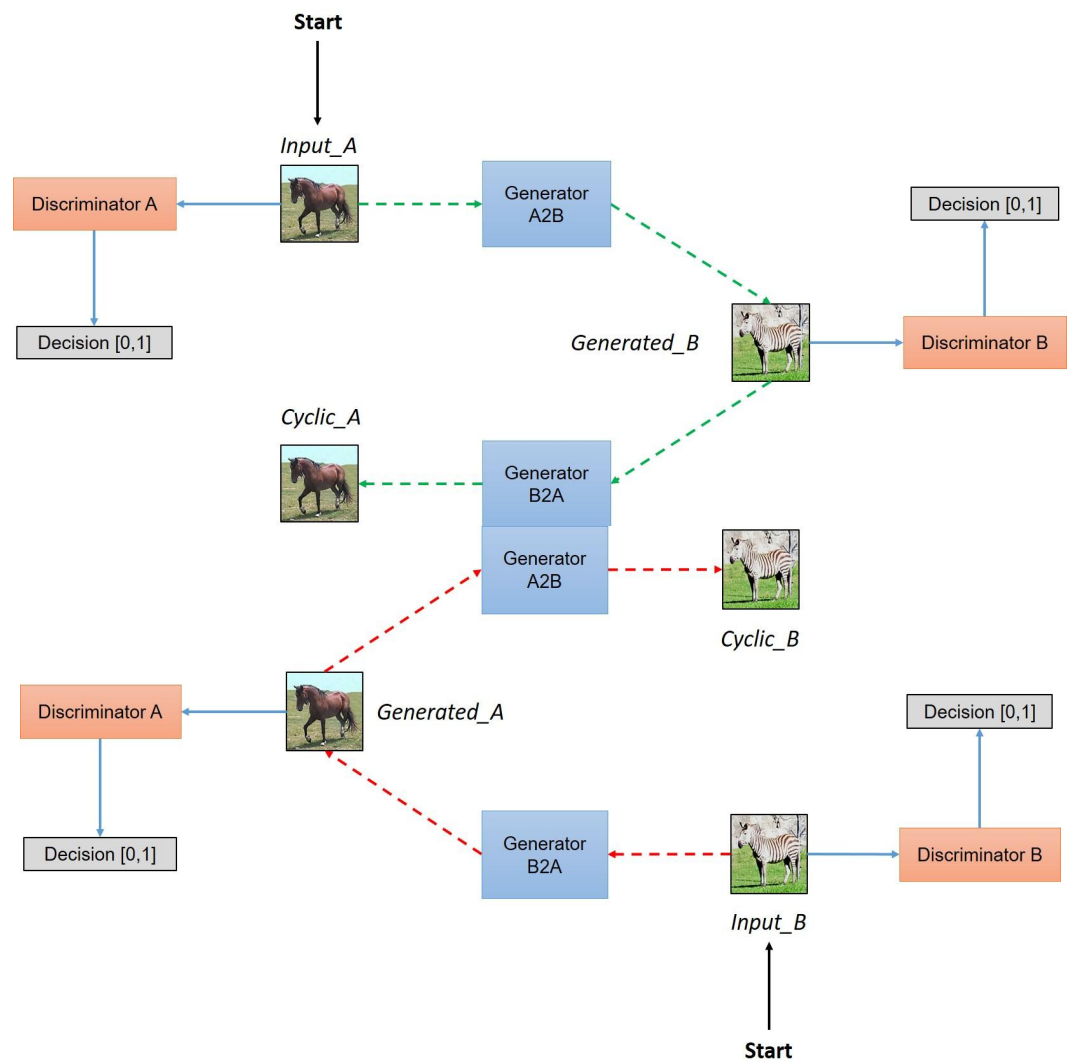
Approach #3 - Shadow Generation/Augmentation



Cycle GAN - Datasets



Cycle GAN



[Unpaired Image-to-Image Translation using Cycle-Consistent Adversarial Networks \(2017\)](#)

<https://hardikbansal.github.io/CycleGANBlog/>

Cycle GAN

Input



Output



Input



Output



horse \rightarrow zebra

Input



Output



zebra \rightarrow horse



Cycle GAN

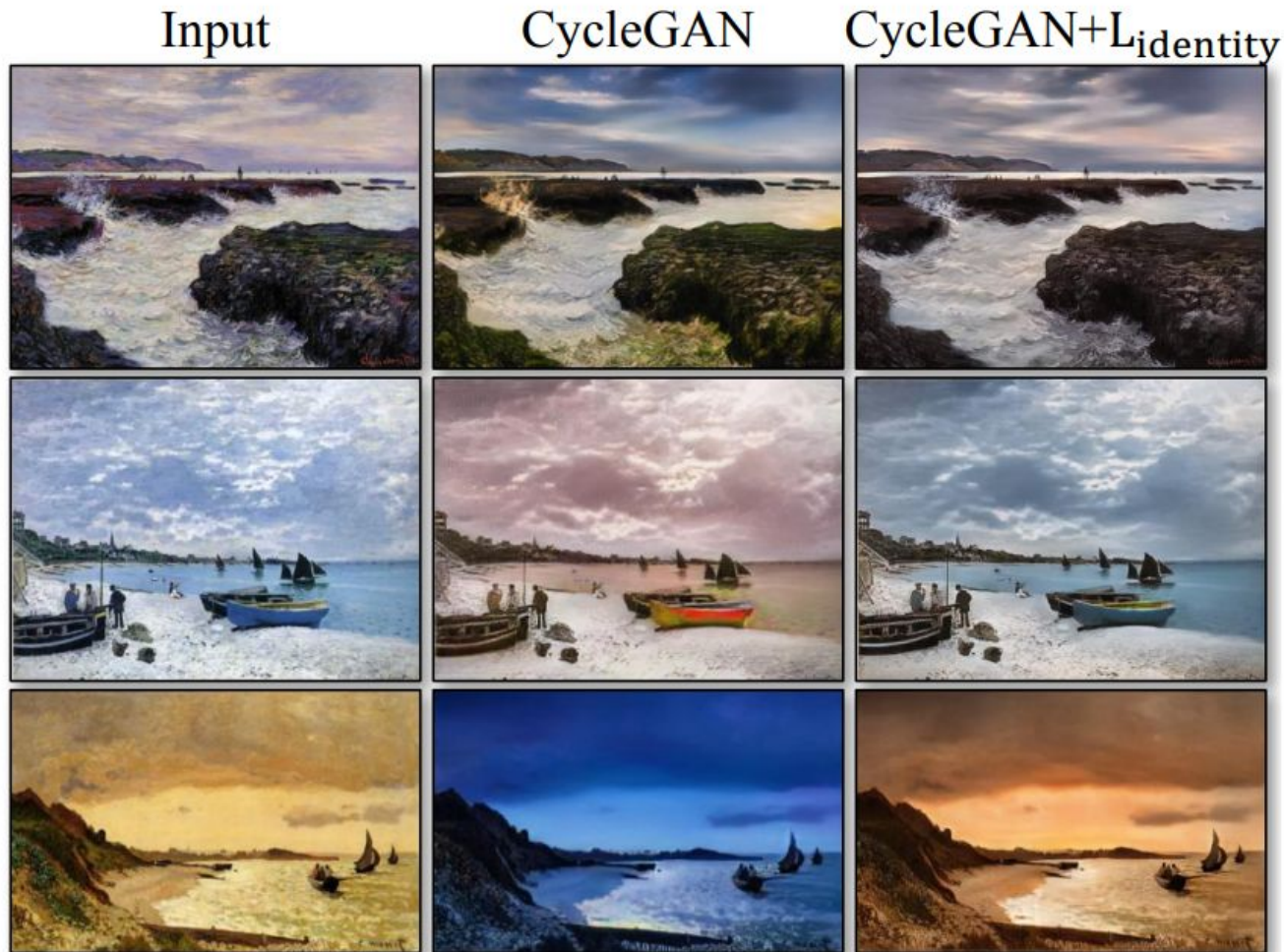


Identity Loss

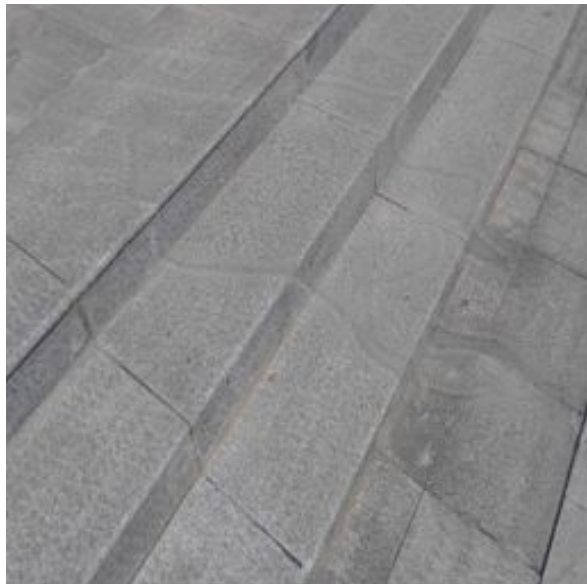
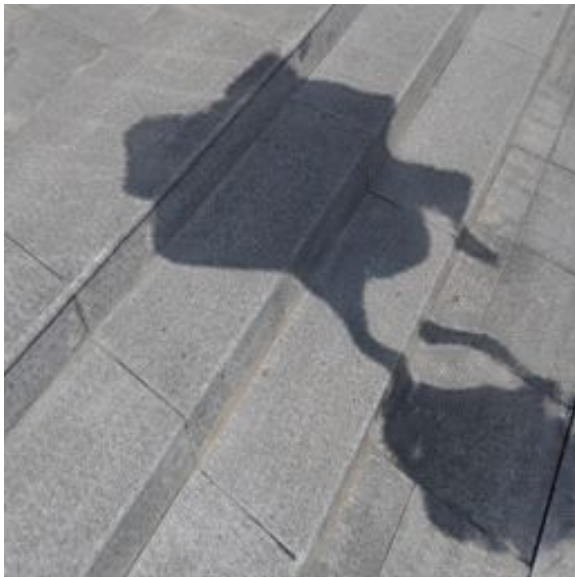
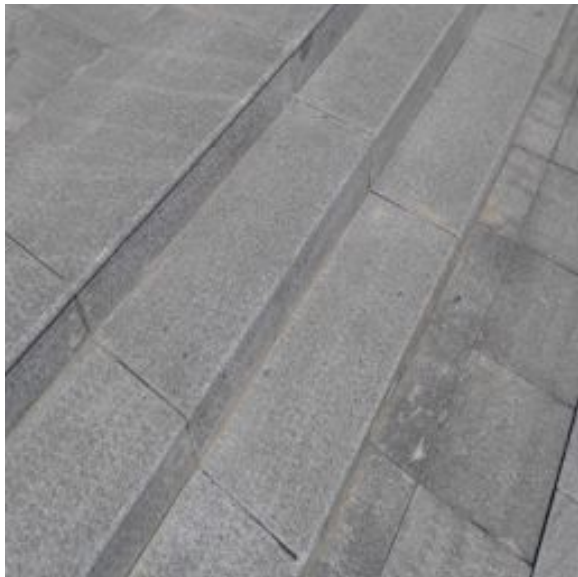
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{identity}}(G, F) =$$

$$\mathbb{E}_{y \sim p_{\text{data}}(y)} [\|G(y) - y\|_1] +$$

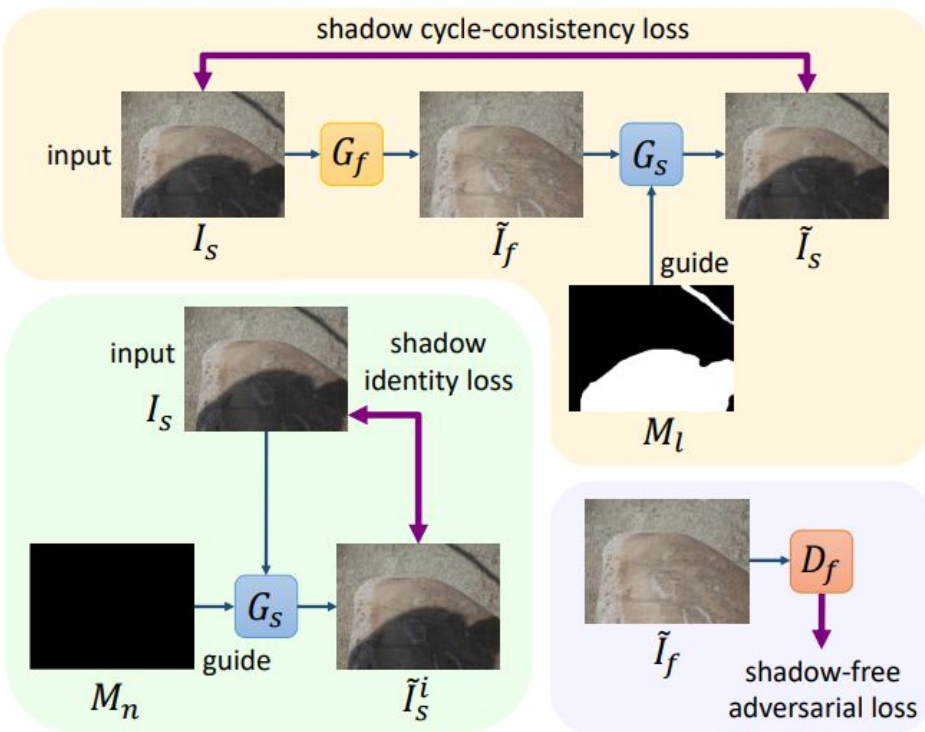
$$\mathbb{E}_{x \sim p_{\text{data}}(x)} [\|F(x) - x\|_1].$$



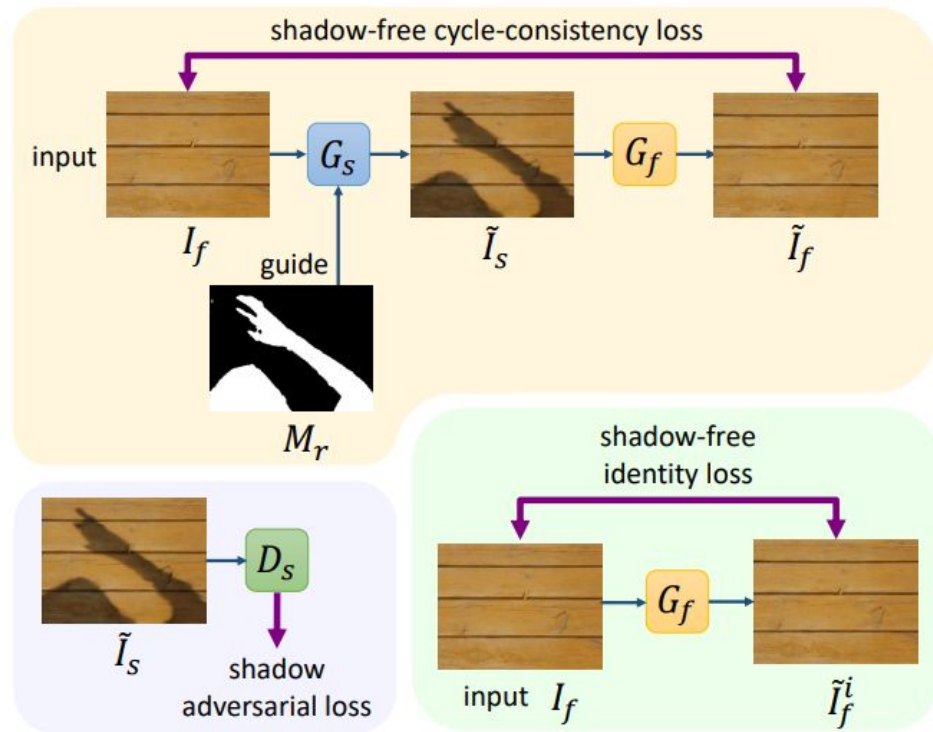
Cycle GAN



Mask-Shadow GAN



(a) Learning from shadow images



(b) Learning from shadow-free images

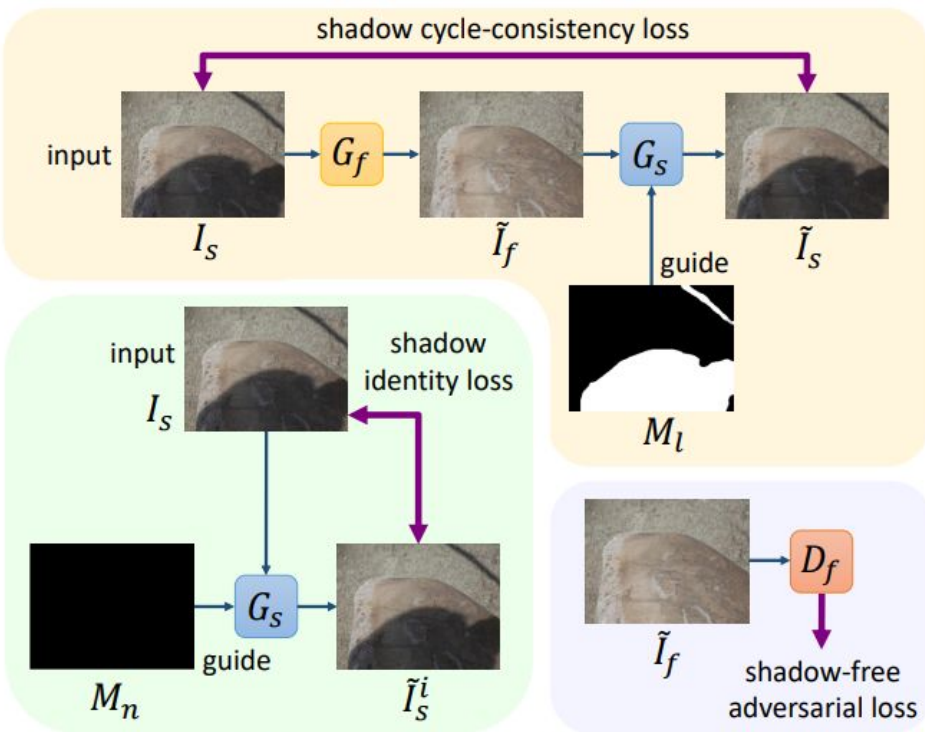
Mask-ShadowGAN



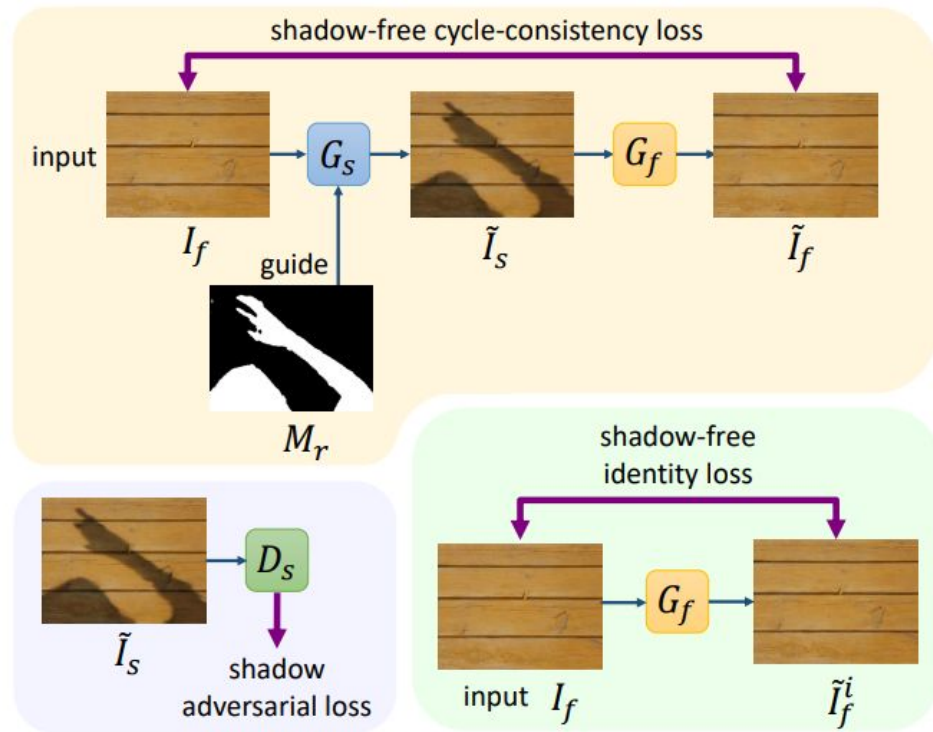
Mask-ShadowGAN



What to improve?



(a) Learning from shadow images

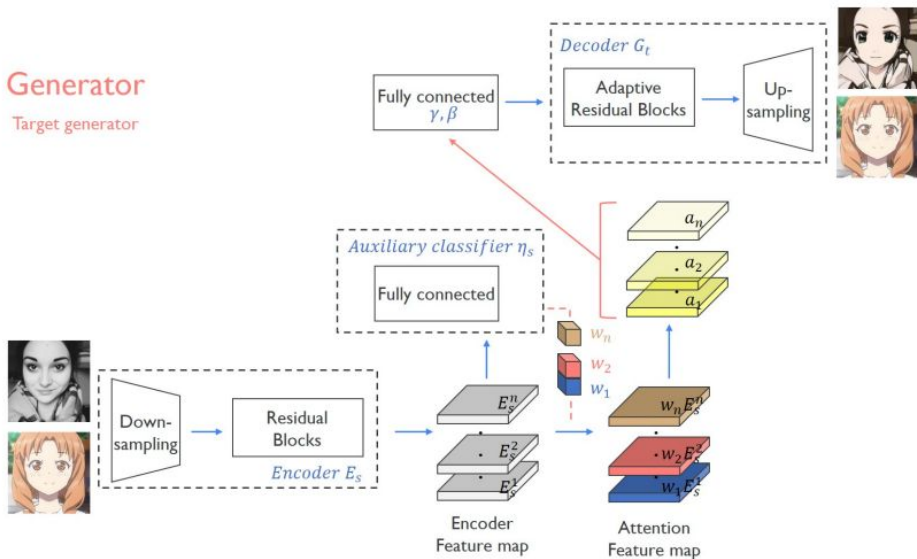


(b) Learning from shadow-free images

U-GAT-IT

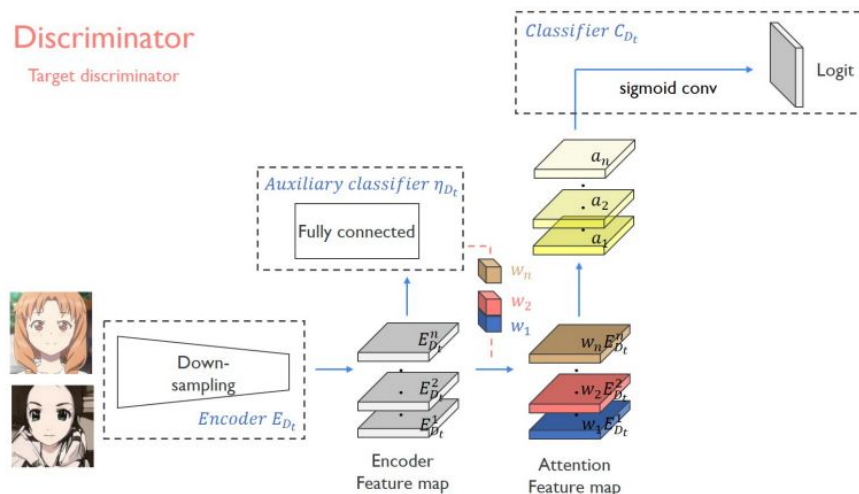
Generator

Target generator

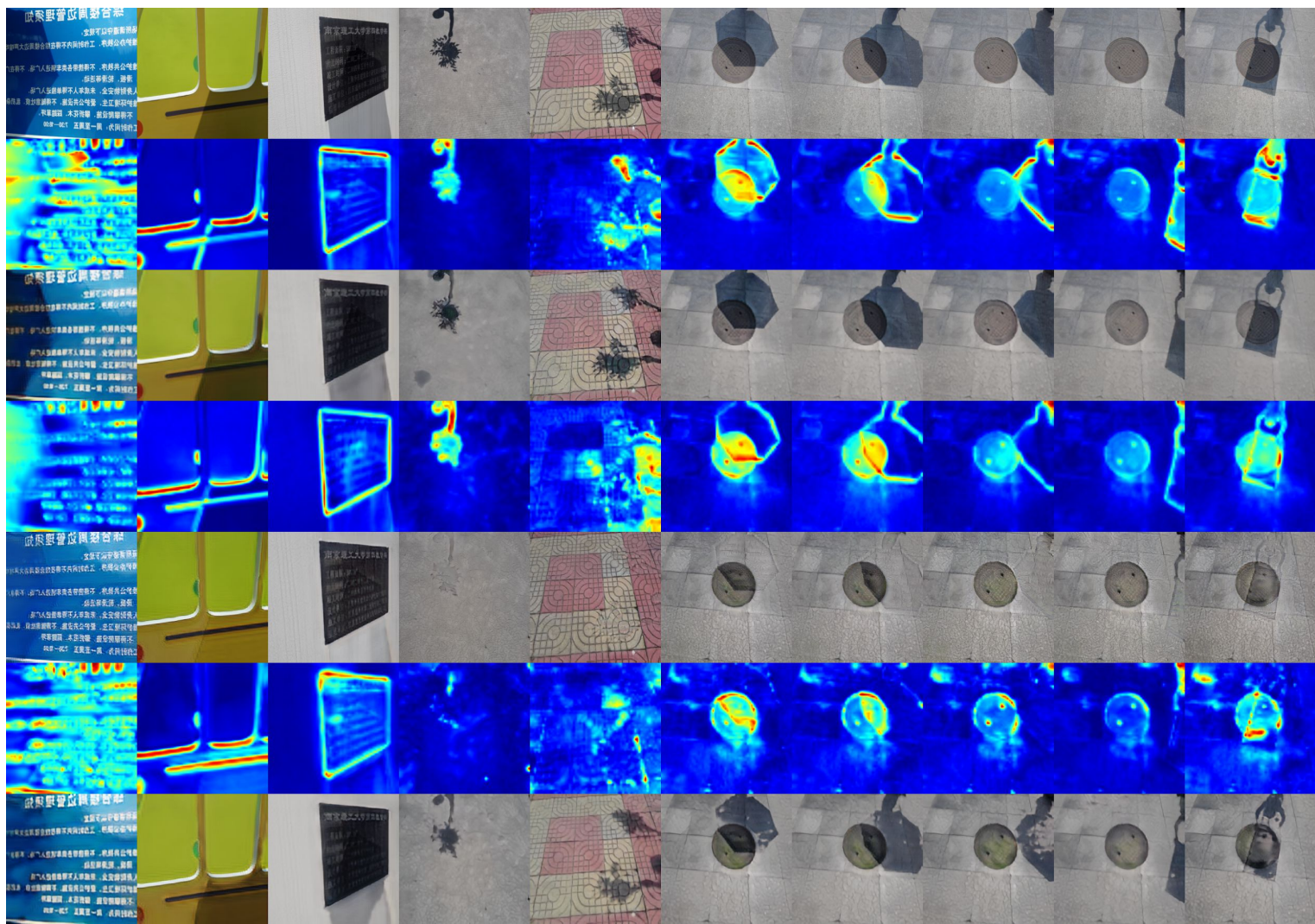


Discriminator

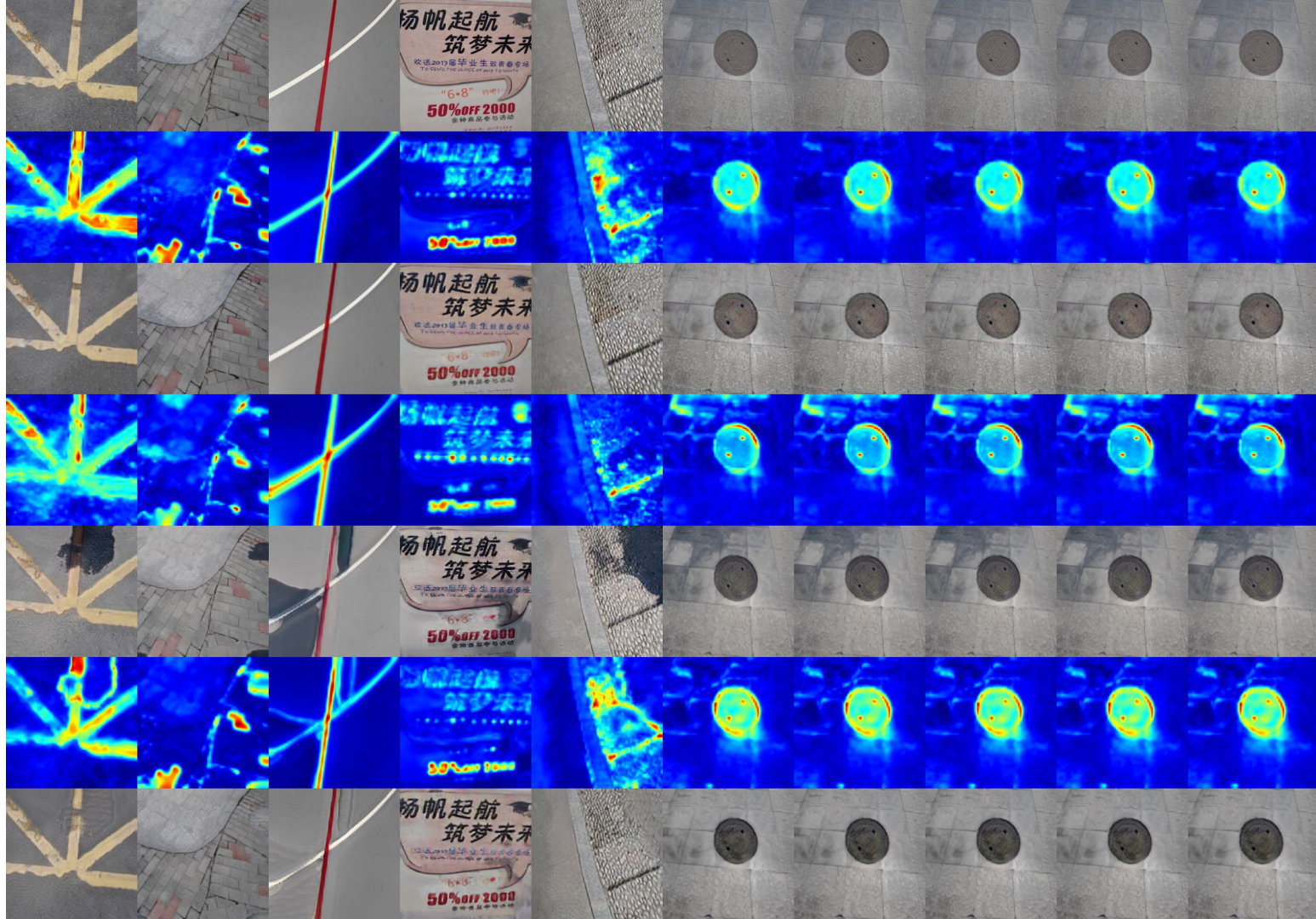
Target discriminator



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Summary



Thanks for your time and attention!

Questions?

