EXPLAINING 3D OBJECT DETECTION THROUGH SHAPLEY VALUE-BASED ATTRIBUTION MAP

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Appendix

Transformation of Equation

In this section, we describe the details of the transformation from Eq. 5 to Eq. 6 in the main paper. The expected value in Eq. 5 can be represented as follows:

$$\phi_i(f, \mathcal{X}) \approx \frac{1}{d} \sum_{k=1}^d \mathbb{E} \left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^k}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k'}}) \mid \mathbf{s}_i^k = 1, \mathbf{s}_i^{k'} = 0 \right],$$
(5)

$$=\frac{1}{d}\sum_{k=1}^{d}G_{\mathcal{X},k,i}.$$
(5a)

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} = \mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^k}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k\prime}}) \mid \mathbf{s}_i^k = 1, \mathbf{s}_i^{k\prime} = 0\right].$$
(5b)

The expected value of Eq. 5b can be expressed as the summation of all combinations of two mask patterns. We denote two binary masks as $\mathbf{s}^{k,a}$ and $\mathbf{s}^{k,b}$, which exhibit patterns similar to that of \mathbf{s}^k . If duplication is permitted, we need to consider two conditions among the masks, namely $\mathbf{s}_i^{k,a} = 1$, $\mathbf{s}_i^{k,b} = 0$ and $\mathbf{s}_i^{k,a} = 0$, $\mathbf{s}_i^{k,b} = 1$.

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} = \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P \left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b} \mid \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,a} = 1, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b} = 0 \right] + \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P \left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b} \mid \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,a} = 0, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b} = 1 \right] \right\}.$$
(5c)

Here, P denotes probability. This equation can be further transformed as follows:

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} = \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}} \left\{ \frac{\left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b}, \mathbf{s}^{k,a}_{i} = 1, \mathbf{s}^{k,b}_{i} = 0] \\ + \frac{\left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b}, \mathbf{s}^{k,a}_{i} = 0, \mathbf{s}^{k,b}_{i} = 1]}{P[\mathbf{s}^{k,a}_{i} = 0, \mathbf{s}^{k,b}_{i} = 1]} \right\}.$$
(5d)

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} = \frac{1}{P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k} = 1] \cdot P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k} = 0]} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b}, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,a} = 1, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b} = 0] + \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) P[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b}, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,a} = 1, \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b} = 0] \right\},$$
(5e)

$$=\frac{1}{P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}=1]\cdot P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}=0]}\sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}\sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}\left\{\left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}})-f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}})\right)\left(\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a}-\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,b}\right)P\left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a}=\mathbf{m}^{k,a},\mathbf{s}^{k,b}=\mathbf{m}^{k,b}\right]\right\}.$$
(5f)

We now aim to reformulate the summation over $\mathbf{m}^{k,b}$ in terms of its expected value.

$$\sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,b}}) \right) \left(\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} - \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,b} \right) P \left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}, \mathbf{s}^{k,b} = \mathbf{m}^{k,b} \right] \right\},$$

$$= \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \left\{ f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b}] - \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} + \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}}) \cdot \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b}] \right\} P \left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a} \right], \quad (5g)$$

$$\approx \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \left\{ f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}^{k,b}] - \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} + \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \cdot \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}^{k,b}] \right\} P \left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a} \right] \quad (5g)$$

$$\approx \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \left\{ f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} - f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) \cdot \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b}] - \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \cdot \mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} + \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \cdot \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b}] \right\} P\left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a}\right], \quad (5h)$$

$$= \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k,a}}) - \mathbb{E}[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})] \right) \left(\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k,a} - \mathbb{E}[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k,b}] \right) \right\} P\left[\mathbf{s}^{k,a} = \mathbf{m}^{k,a} \right].$$
(5i)

In the transformation, we assumed independence between $f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k,b}})$ and $\mathbf{s}_i^{k,b}$. Given that $\mathbf{m}^{k,a}$ and $\mathbf{m}^{k,b}$ follow the same distribution of \mathbf{s}^k , we can rewrite Eq. 5i as follows.

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} \approx \frac{1}{P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}=1] \cdot P[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}=0]} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k}}) - \mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k}}) \right] \right) \left(\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k} - \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k} \right] \right) \right\} P\left[\mathbf{s}^{k} = \mathbf{m}^{k} \right],$$
(5j)

$$= \frac{1}{\mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]\left(1 - \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]\right)} \sum_{\mathbf{m}^{k}} \left\{ \left(f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{m}^{k}}) - \mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k}})\right]\right) \left(\mathbf{m}_{i}^{k} - \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]\right) \right\} P\left[\mathbf{s}^{k} = \mathbf{m}^{k}\right].$$
(5k)

Using the definition of covariance, we ultimately rewrite the summation as the expected values over s^k .

$$G_{\mathcal{X},k,i} \approx \frac{\mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k}}) \cdot \mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{k}})\right] \cdot \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]}{\mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]\left(1 - \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_{i}^{k}\right]\right)}.$$
(51)

$$\phi_i(f, \mathcal{X}) \approx \frac{1}{d} \sum_{k=1}^d \frac{\mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^k}) \cdot \mathbf{s}_i^k\right] - \mathbb{E}\left[f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^k})\right] \cdot \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_i^k\right]}{\mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_i^k\right] \cdot \left(1 - \mathbb{E}\left[\mathbf{s}_i^k\right]\right)}$$
(6)

Pseudocode

The pseudocode describing our method is shown in Algorithm 1.

Algorithm 1 Pseudocode for computing attribution map Φ

Inputs: The number of samplings N, number of approximation layers L, object detector function F, input point cloud \mathcal{X} , explanation target detection \mathcal{D}_t , detection score function $Sim(\cdot)$, and all-ones mask 1. **Outputs:** Attribution map Φ 1: $\Phi \leftarrow O$ 2: for l = 1, ..., L do $\Phi^l \leftarrow O$ 3: sum_score $\leftarrow 0$, sum_mask $\leftarrow O$, sum_score_mask $\leftarrow O$ 4: for r = 1, ..., N do 5: $\mathbf{s}^{l_r} \leftarrow$ The input point cloud space is divided into voxel units. The voxels are selected randomly 6: with probability $p = \frac{\hat{l}}{L+1}$, and a point *i* within the unselected voxels is masked (i.e. $\mathbf{s}_i^{l_r} = 0$). $f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l_r}}) \leftarrow \max_{\mathcal{D}_j \in F(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l_r}})} Sim(\mathcal{D}_t, \mathcal{D}_j)$ 7: sum_score \leftarrow sum_score $+ f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l_r}})$ 8: sum_mask \leftarrow sum_mask + s^l_r 9: 10: sum_score_mask \leftarrow sum_score_mask $+ f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l_r}}) \cdot \mathbf{s}^{l_r}$ end for 11: $f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^l}) \leftarrow \operatorname{sum_score}/N$ 12: $\overline{\mathbf{s}^l} \leftarrow \operatorname{sum_mask}/N$ 13: $\overline{f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l}}) \cdot \mathbf{s}^{l}} \leftarrow \text{sum_score_mask}/N \\ \Phi_{l} \leftarrow \frac{1}{L} \cdot \left\{ \overline{f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l}}) \cdot \mathbf{s}^{l}} - \overline{f(\mathcal{X}_{\mathbf{s}^{l}})} \cdot \overline{\mathbf{s}^{l}} \right\} \oslash \left\{ \overline{\mathbf{s}^{l}} \odot \left(\mathbf{1} - \overline{\mathbf{s}^{l}} \right) \right\} \\ \Phi \leftarrow \Phi + \Phi_{l}$ 14: 15: 16: 17: end for 18: return Φ