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Spatio-Temporal Event Segmentation for Wildlife Extended Videos

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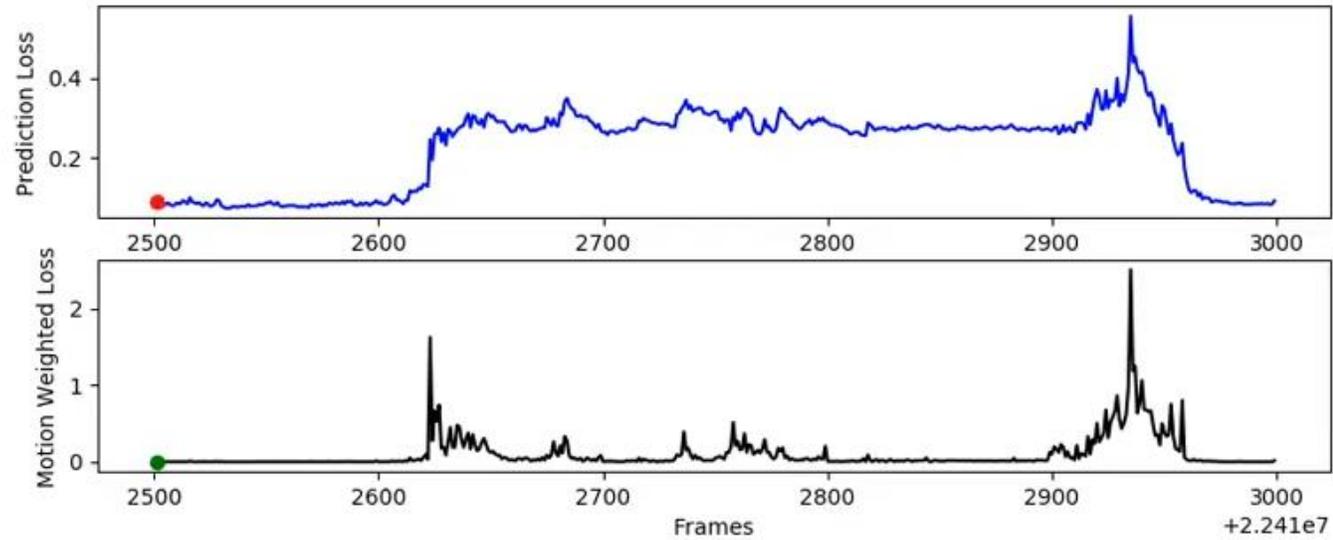
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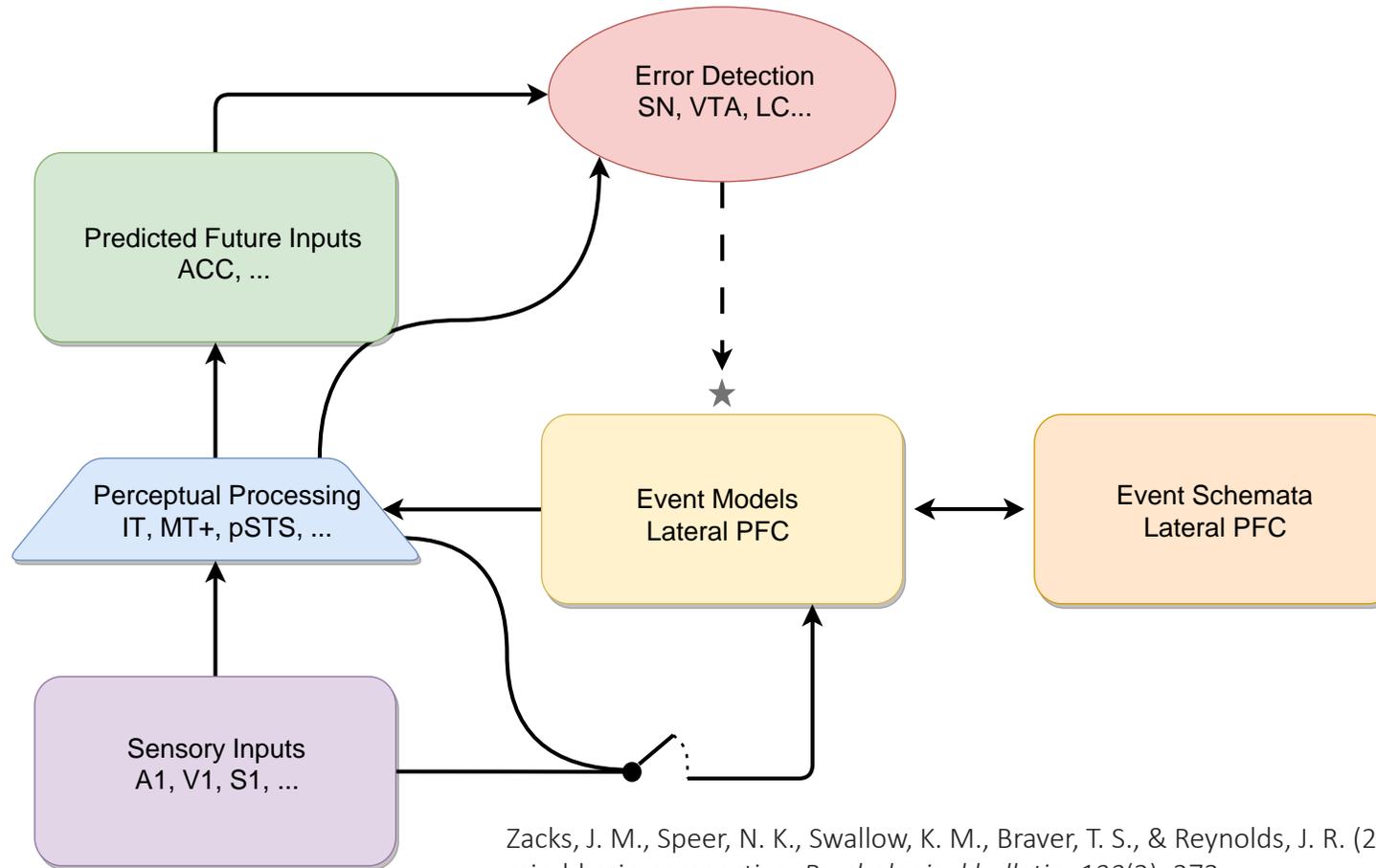
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Intuition



Event Segmentation Theory

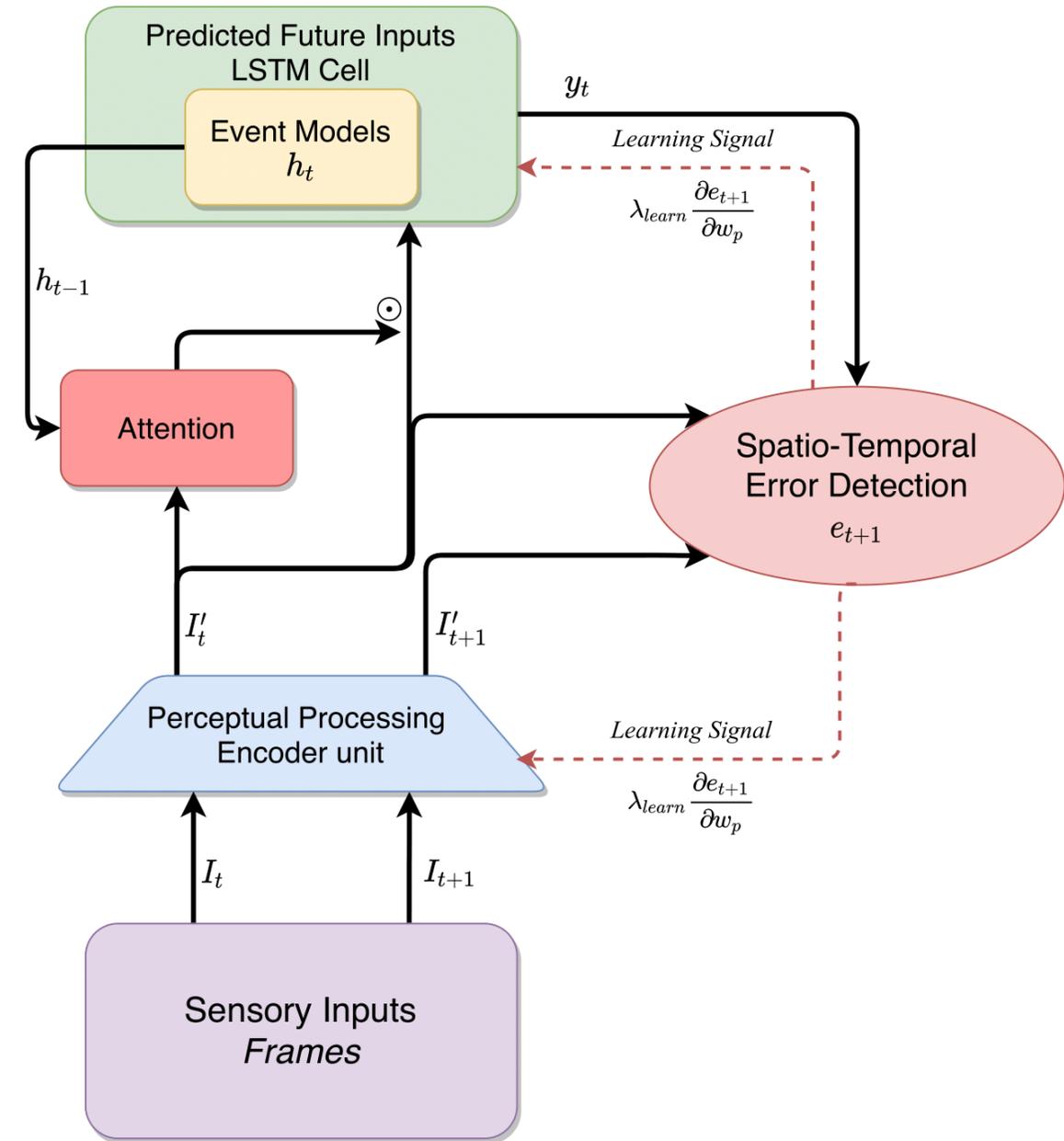


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Architecture

- Bahdanau attention is used to visualize the location of the bird.
- Motion-weighted loss is used instead of pure prediction loss.

$$e_t = \underbrace{\| (I'_{t+1} - y'_t) \odot^2 \|}_{\text{Prediction loss}} \odot \underbrace{\| (I'_{t+1} - I'_t) \odot^2 \|}_{\text{Motion loss}}$$



Wildlife Monitoring Dataset – Kagu Bird

- Dataset consists of 10 days (254 hours @25FPS) of continuous monitoring of a nest of the Kagu bird, a flightless bird of New Caledonia.
- Annotations include “Feeding”, Nest Building while sitting”, “Nest Building Around the Nest”, “Walk in” and “Walk out” events.



Feeding
the chick



Nest building
while sitting



Nest building
around the nest



Walk in
the nest



Walk out
the nest

Qualitative results





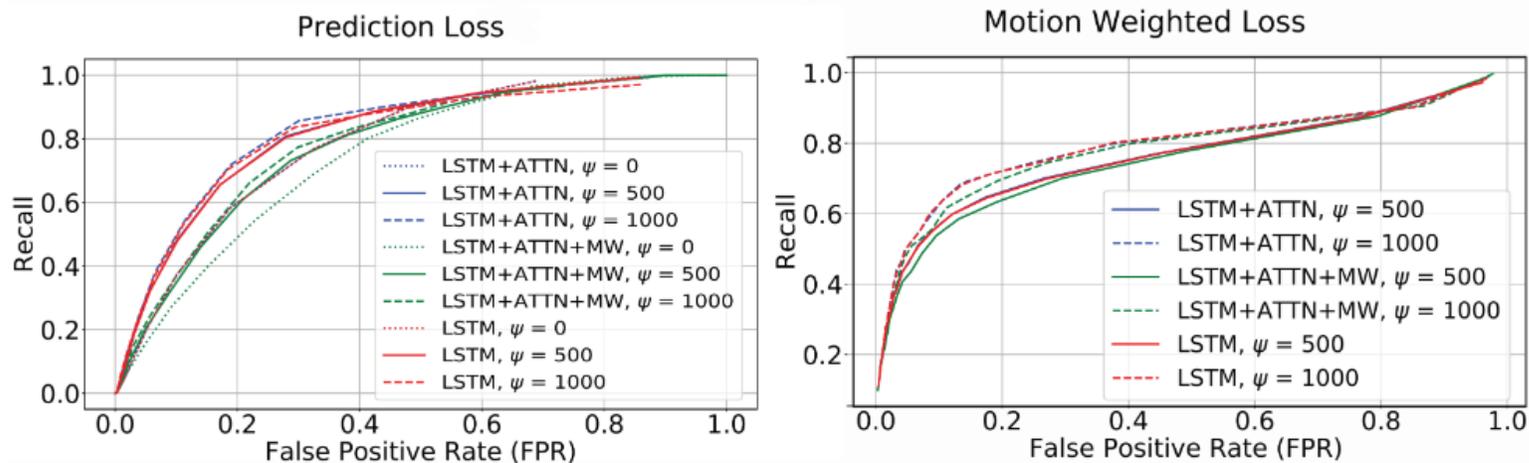
Qualitative Results

Correct Detection 3

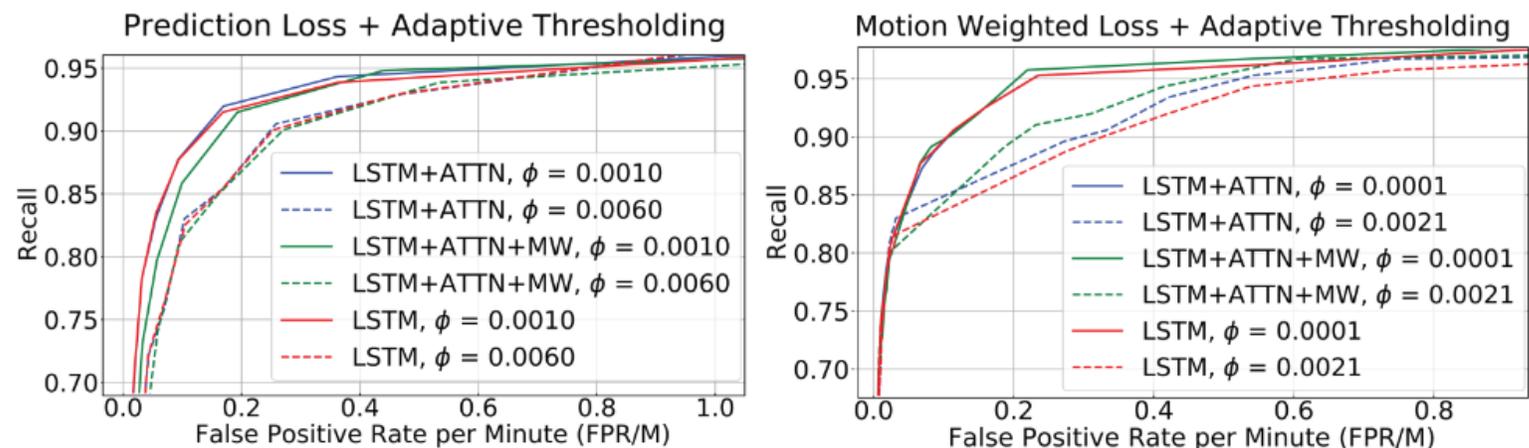
False Detection 1

Quantitative Results

Frame Level Event Segmentation ROC



Activity Level Event Segmentation ROC





Thank you! Questions?



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