## Supplementary of "HRT: High-Resolution Transformer for Dense Prediction"

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## 1 **Comparison with the SOTA on semantic segmentation task.**

We add the comparison with the co-current SOTA methods such as Swin [2] and DPT-Hybrid [3] on 2 more datasets. Above all, we show that increasing the window size of the local-window attention 3 within HRT-B from  $7 \times 7$  to  $15 \times 15$  gains 0.6%, 1.2%, 0.8%, and 2.4% on Cityscapes val, PASCAL-4 Context test, COCO-Stuff test, and ADE20K val with slightly more parameters and FLOPs. The 5 reason for using the large window size is that the depth of our HRT-B is relatively small. For example, 6 HRT-B consists of only 10 transformer encoder layers (on the deepest network branch) while both 7 8 Swin-S and Swin-B [2] consist of 24 transformer encoder layers. Compared to the co-current SOTA transformer methods, HRT-B + OCR ( $15 \times 15$ ) performs better 9

on both Cityscapes and COCO-Stuff. For PASCAL-Context, the DPT-Hybrid [3] achieves the best

performance via pre-training their models on the ADE20K. For ADE20K, HRT-B + OCR  $(15 \times 15)$ 

 $_{12}$  outperforms Swin-B + UpperNet by 0.3% with 50% fewer parameters, and SETR-MLA achieves the

best performance on ADE20K with nearly  $2 \times$  more FLOPs and  $5 \times$  more parameters.

Table 1: Comparison with the recent SOTA on semantic segmentation tasks. We report the mIoUs on Cityscapes val, PASCAL-Context test, COCO-Stuff test, and ADE20K val. The number of parameters and FLOPs are measured on the image size of  $1024 \times 1024$ , and the output label map size of  $19 \times 1024 \times 1024$ . All results are evaluated with multi-scale testing.  $\ddagger$ : the results are obtained with extra pre-training on ADE20K.  $7 \times 7$  and  $15 \times 15$  marks the window size.

Method	#params.	FLOPs	Cityscapes	PASCAL-Context	COCO-Stuff	ADE20K
Transformer as backbone						
SETR-PUP [6]	317.8M	2326.7G	82.2	55.3	_	50.1
SETR-MLA [6]	309.5M	2138.6G	—	55.8	_	50.3
Swin-S + UperNet [2]	81.16M	1036.50G	_	—	—	49.5
Swin-B + UperNet [2]	121.18M	1187.90G	—	_	_	49.7
CNN as backbone						
Deeplabv3 [1]	87.1M	1394.0G	80.7	54.1	_	_
PSPNet [5]	68.0M	1028.8G	80.0	54.0	43.3	_
HRNet-W48 + OCR [4]	74.5M	924.7G	—	56.2	40.5	45.7
CNN+Transformer as backbone						
DPT-Hybrid [3]	124.0M	1231.5G	_	$60.5^{\ddagger}$	_	49.0
HRT-B + OCR $(7 \times 7)$	56.0M	1051.6G	82.0	57.3	42.5	47.6
HRT-B + OCR ( $15 \times 15$ )	56.2M	1119.9G	82.6	58.5	43.3	50.0

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Figure 1: Visualization of the pose estimation results based on HRT-B on COCO val.

## 14 **2** More Visualization Results.

<sup>15</sup> We present additional visualizations of the example results of our method on both pose estimation

and semantic segmentation tasks. Figure 1 shows more pose estimation results of HRT-B on COCO

17 val. Figure 2 shows more semantic segmentation results on Cityscapes val, PASCAL-Context test

18 and COCO-Stuff test.

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Figure 2: Visualization of the semantic segmentation results based on HRT-B + OCR on Cityscapes val, PASCAL-Context test, and COCO-Stuff test.