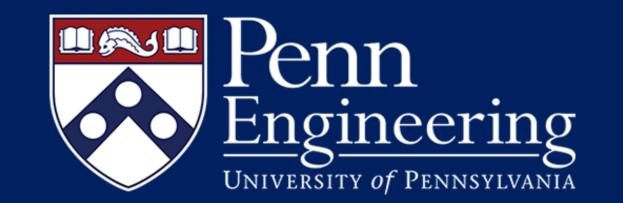


# **Enabling Visual Recognition at Radio Frequency**

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# **BACKGROUND**

#### **RF Sensing**

# Resilient to dust, smoke, adverse lighting Low resolution

Learning based solutions

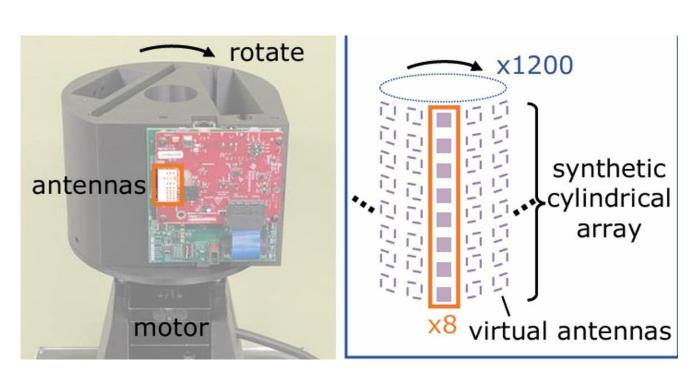
- Rely on category specific priors
- Not applicable as a general sensing solution

SAR based solutions

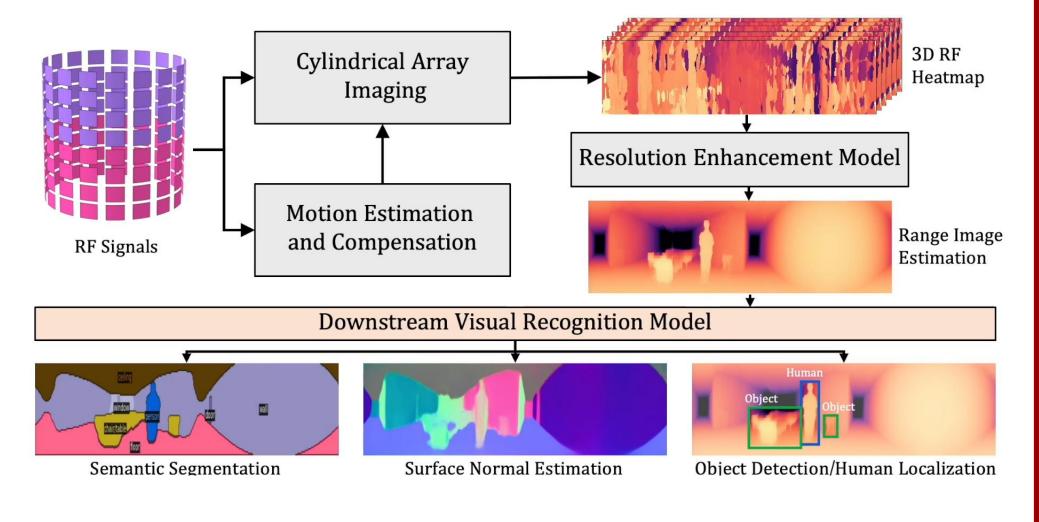
- Large cumbersome setup
- Long scanning times
- Does not work with external motion

## **OUR APPROACH**

#### Hardware Design: Rotating mmWave Radar



# **System Overview**

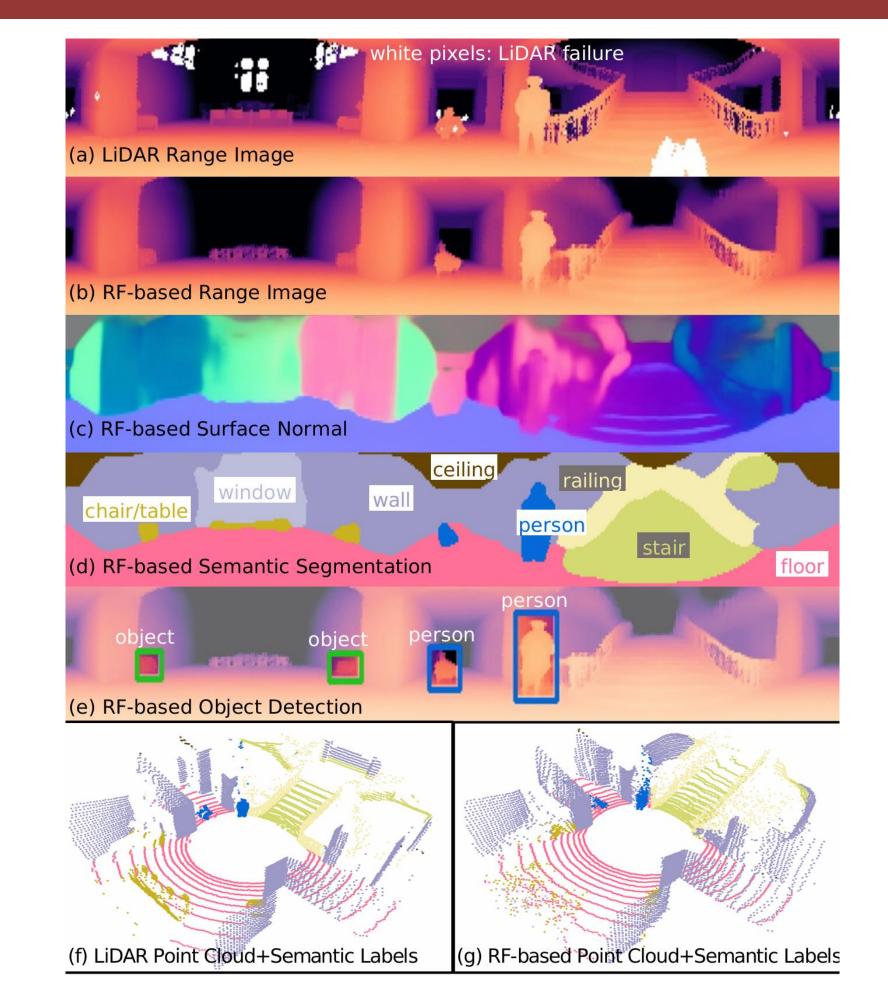


Achieve LiDAR comparable range images and visual recognition

#### **CONTRIBUTIONS**

- Novel design that integrates a off the shelf mmWave radar with a motor
- New motion estimation algorithm for coherent combination of radar signals
- Innovative neural network for efficient 3D imaging using 2D convolutions

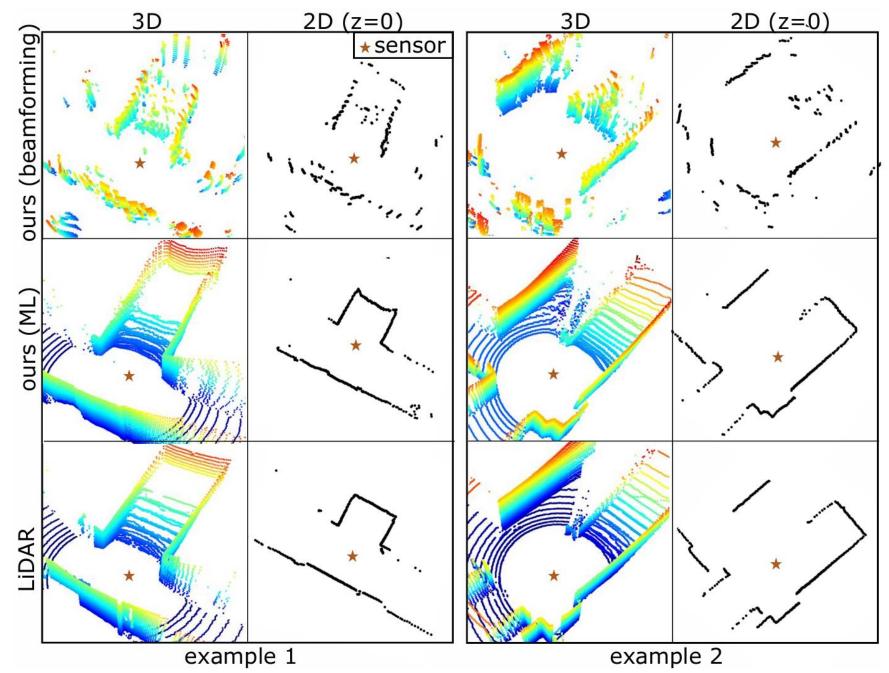
#### **RESULTS**



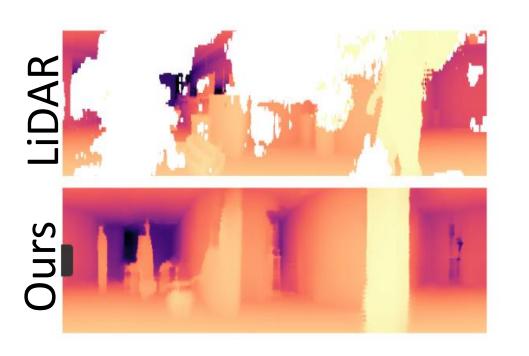
### **Visual Recognition Performance**

Range Absolute Error		Surface Normal Error	
mean	median	mean	median
15.76 cm	3.39 cm	8.83°	$2.17^{\circ}$
Semantic Segmentation		Object Detection	
mloU	рАсс	AP30	AP50
48.00	86.33	52.34	38.30

#### **Point Cloud Visualization**



#### **Performance Through Smoke**







#### CONCLUSIONS

- First RF imaging system with resolution comparable to LiDAR
- Enabling first visual recognition at RF
- We release code and dataset to facilitate future research in this direction

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