

INFOVIS: UNIFIED SLIDE IMAGE GENERATION AND EDITING

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ABSTRACT

Generating and editing presentation slides requires models to combine accurate text rendering, instruction following, visual grounding, aesthetic design, and precise editing within one canvas. Existing work covers only subsets of these capabilities and lacks large-scale slide-native supervision and diagnostic evaluation. We formulate four slide-centric tasks and build a scalable data engine with over 13M continual-pretraining records and 1.9M supervised fine-tuning records. We also introduce VisSlideBench, a benchmark of 1,527 manually screened instances that covers all four tasks with task-specific, multidimensional evaluation. Its automatic rankings agree with blinded, dimension-wise human rankings. Using these resources, we train InfoVis, a unified 9B slide generation and editing model. On VisSlideBench, InfoVis leads every evaluated open-source model on all eleven metrics and scores 7.94 overall against 7.99 for Nano-Banana-2. Starting from FLUX.2-klein-base-9B, slide-specific post-training adds 1.6 points overall, with the largest generation gains in content faithfulness; the remaining gap to proprietary models is smallest in content faithfulness and largest in aesthetic quality. Built on InfoVis, our document-to-slide workflow achieves the second-highest Aesthetics score on the external SlidesGen-Bench. We will release the model, code, data, and benchmark.

1 INTRODUCTION

Image generation has rapidly expanded beyond natural-image synthesis toward structured, text-rich visual content, including posters, advertisements, infographics, and presentation slides (Wang et al., 2025c; Peng et al., 2025; Gao et al., 2025; Chen et al., 2025; Hu et al., 2025). Slides are particularly demanding because capabilities often developed separately must work together reliably within a single canvas. Models must render text accurately, arrange heterogeneous elements into coherent layouts, incorporate supplied visual assets faithfully, and apply local or global edits while preserving unrelated content. Recent open-source image generators have made substantial progress (Black Forest Labs, 2025; Z-Image Team, 2025; Wu et al., 2025; Meituan LongCat Team et al., 2025), yet they still combine these capabilities unreliably. Accurate, polished, and controllable slide generation and editing therefore remain difficult.

A major obstacle is the lack of slide-native supervision and diagnostic evaluation. General-purpose image generators are trained on broad visual distributions, with limited supervision for the content–layout–design relationships characteristic of presentation slides. Meanwhile, existing benchmarks primarily target programmatic or deck-level presentation generation, or include slides only as a subset of broader visual-content tasks (Ge et al., 2025; Huang et al., 2025; Li et al., 2026; Chen et al., 2026; Yang et al., 2026). These settings do not systematically isolate the capabilities required for single-slide image generation and editing.

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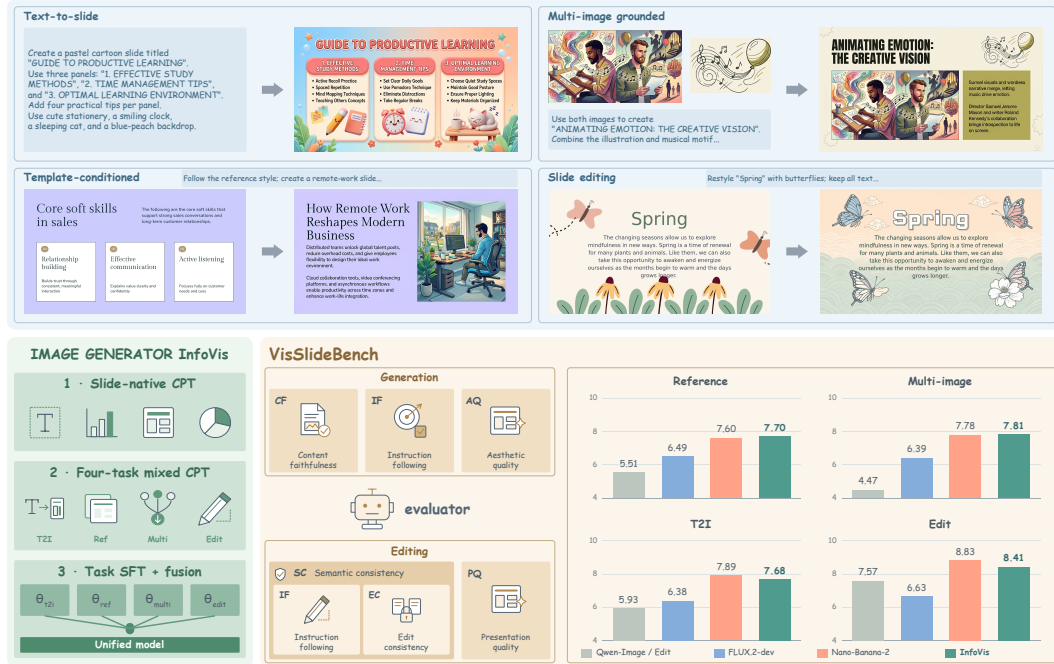


Figure 1: Overview of our slide tasks, InfoVis, and VisSlideBench. InfoVis is trained through three stages on four generation and editing tasks, and VisSlideBench evaluates each task along task-specific dimensions. Bar values are the dimension means of Tables 12–15.

In this work, we cast slide creation as a unified conditional visual synthesis problem and study four tasks under a shared text-and-image interface: text-to-slide generation, template-conditioned generation, multi-image grounded generation, and instruction-based slide editing (Section 3.1). The tasks share requirements for accurate content rendering and coherent visual composition, while visual inputs serve as style references, content assets, or source slides to edit, which motivates supporting all four within a unified model. Figure 1 summarizes our data, model, and benchmark.

This shared view directly shapes our data design. We build a scalable **slide-native data engine** that combines real presentations with synthetic supervision and covers the conditioning requirements of all four tasks. Its instructions range from concise user requests to detailed descriptions and structured `style_json` specifications, so that one model serves both human-facing and machine-generated design conditions. Editing pairs come from deterministic PPTX transformations with instructions derived from the executed changes, complemented by model-generated targets for open-ended visual transformations. The resulting resource contains over 13M continual-pretraining records and 1.9M supervised fine-tuning records.

To systematically diagnose slide generation and editing capabilities, we introduce **VisSlideBench**, a benchmark of 1,527 manually screened instances dedicated to single-slide image generation and editing across all four tasks. VisSlideBench measures complementary dimensions of slide quality. It evaluates generation in terms of Content Faithfulness, Instruction Following, and Aesthetic Quality, and editing in terms of Semantic Consistency and Presentation Quality. The generation track spans the same three prompt settings as the training data. The automatic evaluator’s dimension-wise rankings agree with blinded human judgments.

Using these resources, we train **InfoVis**, a unified 9B slide generation and editing model based on FLUX.2-klein-base-9B (Black Forest Labs, 2026). On VisSlideBench, InfoVis reaches an overall score of 7.94, leading every evaluated open-source model on all eleven metrics, against 7.99 for Nano-Banana-2 (Google, 2026). Our analysis yields three findings: the gains come from slide-specific supervision rather than scale, as InfoVis is trained from FLUX.2-klein-base-9B and outperforms the 32B FLUX.2-dev; unification costs little relative to our own task specialists, unlike existing unified open-source models, which trail specialists by a wide margin; and the remaining

gap to proprietary models is ordered by subjectivity, from content faithfulness through instruction following to aesthetic quality. Beyond VisSlideBench, InfoVis is the best open-source model in the BizGenEval Slides comparison (Li et al., 2026), and our document-to-slide workflow ranks second among ten systems in Aesthetics on SlidesGen-Bench (Yang et al., 2026).

Our main contributions are:

- We formulate four slide generation and editing tasks and build a **slide-native data engine** with over 13M continual-pretraining and 1.9M supervised fine-tuning records.
- We introduce **VisSlideBench**, a benchmark for single-slide image generation and editing that covers all four tasks with task-specific, multidimensional evaluation.
- We develop **InfoVis**, a unified 9B model that leads every evaluated open-source model on all eleven VisSlideBench metrics, scores 7.94 overall against 7.99 for Nano-Banana-2, and is the best open-source model on BizGenEval Slides. Built on InfoVis, our document-to-slide workflow ranks second among ten systems in Aesthetics on SlidesGen-Bench.

2 RELATED WORK

Structured Rich-Text and Design Image Generation Visual text generation methods improve text fidelity through specialized glyph, position, layout, and text-attribute representations (Ma et al., 2023; Chen et al., 2023; 2024; Tuo et al., 2024b;a; Shuai et al., 2026; Mao et al., 2026). Building on these advances, recent datasets and models extend text-aware generation to dense and paragraph-level scenarios (Wang et al., 2025b;a). Beyond rendering text accurately, another line of work studies the generation of complete design images, including posters, product advertisements, infographics, and slides (Wang et al., 2025c; Peng et al., 2025; Gao et al., 2025; Chen et al., 2025; Hu et al., 2025; Cui et al., 2026). Related work also studies factual consistency during structured visual generation and editing (Zhuo et al., 2026), emphasizing that visual quality must be coupled with faithful content realization. General-purpose generators (Black Forest Labs, 2025; Z-Image Team, 2025; Wu et al., 2025) and unified generation–editing models (Deng et al., 2025; Wu et al., 2026) handle diverse inputs but lack slide-native supervision, while the methods above typically optimize isolated visual artifacts and do not jointly address slide-specific template conditioning, multi-image grounding, and instruction-based editing. InfoVis unifies these capabilities in a slide-centric generator with shared content, layout, and design supervision.

Benchmarks for Slide Generation Existing benchmarks evaluate slide generation from complementary perspectives. SlidesBench (Ge et al., 2025) focuses on programmatic single-slide generation, while EvoPresent (Liu et al., 2025) evaluates end-to-end paper-to-presentation systems. PPTBench (Huang et al., 2025) covers PowerPoint understanding, modification, and generation, whereas BizGenEval (Li et al., 2026) treats slides as one category of broader commercial visual content. More recent benchmarks, including PresentBench (Chen et al., 2026), SlidesGen-Bench (Yang et al., 2026), and DECKBench (Jang et al., 2026), introduce fine-grained evaluation protocols for slide generation: SlidesGen-Bench separates content, aesthetic, and editability criteria for reproducibility, and DECKBench further extends evaluation to multi-turn slide editing. These benchmarks nevertheless remain centered on complete presentations and agentic workflows, and provide limited diagnosis of individual slide capabilities. VisSlideBench instead targets single-slide image generation and editing, evaluating text fidelity, template consistency, visual grounding, and edit preservation with task-specific protocols and metrics.

3 TASK FORMULATION AND SLIDE DATA ENGINE

Our slide data engine recovers slide content and visual elements from presentation pages and converts them into task-specific conditions while keeping the complete slide as the target; editing data instead comes from controlled changes to editable slides. The four tasks thus share content, layout, and design supervision. Appendix A gives statistics and implementation details. Figure 2 summarizes the construction.

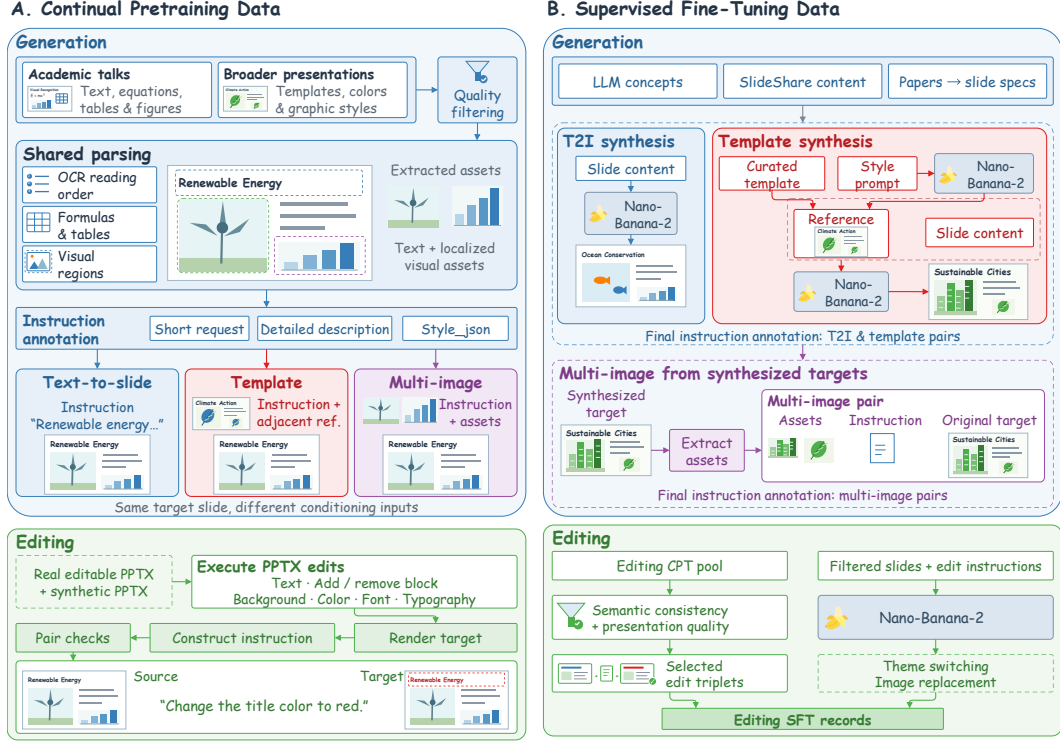


Figure 2: Slide data engine. (A) Continual pretraining: real decks are filtered, parsed into text and localized visual assets, and annotated with short requests, detailed descriptions, and `style_json`; the same target slide yields text-to-slide, template-conditioned, and multi-image records, and executed PPTX edits yield source–instruction–target triplets. (B) Supervised fine-tuning: Nano-Banana-2 synthesizes targets from LLM concepts, SlideShare content, and paper-derived slide specifications; multi-image records reuse assets extracted from synthesized targets; editing records combine selected CPT triplets with model-generated theme switching and image replacement.

3.1 TASK FORMULATION

We formulate slide creation as conditional visual synthesis $y = G_\theta(x, I)$ over a textual condition x and optional input images I . In *text-to-slide generation*, $I = \emptyset$; in *template-conditioned generation*, I is a reference slide that specifies the visual style; in *multi-image grounded generation*, I holds one or more visual assets that must be preserved in the composition; in *slide editing*, I is the source slide and x the requested change, with unrelated content kept stable.

Generation instructions take three forms: a short caption, a detailed description of content and visual design, and a structured `style_json` of the page composition; editing uses a natural-language instruction. The same interfaces serve data construction and evaluation, so the training tasks align with VisSlideBench.

3.2 CONTINUAL PRETRAINING DATA

Real-slide sources and parsing. We collect real presentations from two complementary sources: author-released conference talks with dense text, equations, and scientific figures, and a broader collection spanning 39 topical categories with more diverse templates and styles. We use Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a) to remove low-quality and non-slide content, then parse the retained pages with PaddleOCR-VL (Cui et al., 2025) into text in reading order and localized visual elements, which form the shared content representation for the generation tasks.

Generation task construction. From each parsed slide, we construct three generation views that share the original rendered slide as the target while using different conditioning inputs. An open

VLM generates a short request, a detailed description, and a structured `style_json` specification from the slide, its OCR transcription, and extracted visual elements. Text-to-slide records use the textual condition alone; the instruction therefore describes the whole slide, visual assets included. Template-conditioned records pair the target with an adjacent slide from the same deck as the reference; we retain pairs with consistent backgrounds, colors, typography, and decorative styles. Multi-image grounded records reuse one to four localized visual elements as conditioning inputs and describe how they should be incorporated into the slide.

Executable editing pairs. For editing CPT, we construct source–instruction–target triplets through executable changes to PPTX files drawn from real editable presentations and synthetic PPTX files built from OCR text and presentation backgrounds. Seven operations cover text modification, block addition and removal, background updates, and changes to color, font, and typography; each is executed in the PPTX file and rendered, and an LLM describes the realized change from the source image, target image, and executed action. We remove source slides with layout or rendering defects and pairs with failed edits or inconsistent instructions. Across the four task branches, continual pretraining contains over 13M records.

3.3 SUPERVISED FINE-TUNING DATA

Generation SFT. Generation SFT content comes from three sources: LLM-generated concepts across diverse domains, structured content from real SlideShare decks, and research papers converted into slide-level specifications. Nano-Banana-2 renders the content into target slides under diverse visual styles; for template-conditioned generation, we first obtain a reference slide from a curated template library or by asking Nano-Banana-2 to create one, then generate the target from the reference and new content. For multi-image grounded generation, we extract charts, tables, and other visual regions from the synthesized targets as conditioning inputs. Qwen3.5-27B annotates the records with short requests, detailed descriptions, and structured `style_json` specifications, or with instructions describing how the assets should be incorporated, and we filter invalid inputs and inconsistent instructions.

Editing SFT. For the seven executable operations, we select high-quality triplets from the editing CPT pool by semantic consistency and presentation quality, and add theme switching and image replacement examples generated by Nano-Banana-2 from filtered real slides, recaptioned so that each instruction describes the realized change. Across the four task branches, the SFT resource contains about 1.9M records (Appendix A.4).

4 VISSLIDEBENCH

4.1 BENCHMARK TASK SUITE

VisSlideBench (Figure 5 in Appendix B) evaluates the generation and editing of individual slide images across the four tasks defined in Section 3.1. It contains 1,527 manually screened instances: 943 in *VisSlideBench-Gen*, covering text-to-slide, template-conditioned, and multi-image grounded generation, and 584 in *VisSlideBench-Edit*. Generation prompts range from short requests to detailed descriptions and structured `style_json` specifications, covering instructions from users and agents.

Among the benchmarks compared in Appendix B.1, VisSlideBench is the only one that jointly covers all four creation interfaces, three prompt granularities, and task-specific measures of content fidelity, instruction compliance, aesthetics, and visual grounding.

4.2 BENCHMARK CONSTRUCTION

Generation. VisSlideBench-Gen combines 493 cases derived from real presentations with 450 cases whose target slides are generated by Nano-Banana-2 (Google, 2026). The real cases preserve authored content and design patterns, while the synthetic cases broaden visual-design coverage. Following Section 3, we construct the instructions and visual inputs required for each case: no image for text-to-slide, one reference slide for template-conditioned generation, and one to four

assets for multi-image grounded generation. We manually screen target slides and instructions, removing slides of poor visual quality and prompts that are ambiguous or inconsistent.

Editing. VisSlideBench-Edit uses a subset of the editing data reserved for evaluation (Section 3.2); because these cases come from the same pipeline as the editing training data, the split measures in-distribution editing quality (Appendix E). Each instance contains a source slide, an edit instruction, and the corresponding target. We remove ambiguous instructions, invalid pairs, imperceptible edits, and severe visual artifacts through manual screening. The nine operations cover text modification, block addition and removal, background updates, changes to color, font, and typography, image replacement, and theme switching. Appendix B.2 reports task counts, source composition, domains, and editing operations, and describes how all cases are held out from training.

4.3 EVALUATION PROTOCOL

We use OCR to evaluate text rendering and GPT-4.1 (OpenAI, 2025) to judge visual content, compliance with design instructions, and presentation quality. The criteria are evaluated separately before task-level aggregation; the text-scoring formula and additional evaluation details appear in Appendix B.3.

Content Faithfulness (CF). We score text rendering with the normalized edit distance of Gong et al. (2025), adapted to the text the instruction requires (Appendix B.3). For multi-image grounded generation, CF additionally checks whether every required input image is faithfully preserved and appropriately incorporated into the generated slide.

Instruction Following (IF) and Aesthetic Quality (AQ). IF measures whether the output realizes the explicit design requirements in the instruction, judged along Background Compliance, Color Palette Adherence, Typography Compliance, Layout and Position Accuracy, Mood and Atmosphere Match, and Block-Level Style Fidelity. AQ measures the intrinsic visual quality of the slide and is judged from the output image alone, without the instruction, along Clarity, Layout, Style Coherence, and Presentation Professionalism. The separation matters because a slide can satisfy every design constraint yet remain visually weak, or look attractive while violating the instruction. Appendix B.3 defines each dimension.

Editing. Adapting the SC/PQ framework of VIEScore (Ku et al., 2024) to slide editing, the evaluator receives the source slide, editing instruction, and model output to score Instruction Following (S_{IF}), whether the requested change is applied, and Edit Consistency (S_{EC}), preservation of unrelated text, images, layout, and styles. We define Semantic Consistency as $S_{SC} = \min(S_{IF}, S_{EC})$, so a high score requires both. Presentation Quality (S_{PQ}) uses the same four dimensions as generation AQ and is likewise judged from the output image alone. The overall editing score is $S_{Edit} = \sqrt{S_{SC}S_{PQ}}$.

4.4 HUMAN VALIDATION

We assess agreement with human judgments using the annotation protocol of EditScore (Luo et al., 2026): two groups of two domain experts each produce a consensus ranking of five anonymized model outputs per example, separately for each evaluation dimension, across all four tasks, yielding 2,153 valid pairwise comparisons. GPT-4.1 reaches a mean Kendall’s τ_b of 0.640, a mean Spearman’s ρ of 0.700, and pairwise agreement of 88.71%. Appendix B.4 gives the protocol and per-task results.

5 INFOVIS TRAINING

Slide-native model training. We adapt the pretrained image generator FLUX.2-klein-base-9B (Black Forest Labs, 2026) to slide images, keeping its architecture and raising the maximum prompt length to 4,096 tokens. Training proceeds in three stages. **Stage 1: Slide-native continual pretraining.** We first continue pretraining the base model on large-scale text-to-slide data with short

Table 1: Main results on VisSlideBench. T2I, Template, and Multi-image report Content Faithfulness (CF), Instruction Following (IF), and Aesthetic Quality (AQ); Edit reports Semantic Consistency (SC) and Presentation Quality (PQ). Overall averages the eleven metrics; bold marks the best in each group.

Type	Model	T2I			Template			Multi-image			Edit		Overall
		CF	IF	AQ	CF	IF	AQ	CF	IF	AQ	SC	PQ	
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	8.52	8.57	7.71	8.19	8.51	7.62	8.93	8.44	7.61	9.80	8.04	8.36
	Nano-Banana-2	8.38	8.17	7.33	7.59	7.95	7.08	8.60	7.93	7.14	9.70	8.03	7.99
	Qwen-Image-2	7.18	6.89	6.38	8.23	6.29	5.74	6.97	6.25	5.55	4.96	6.47	6.45
Open-source	Qwen-Image	6.50	6.34	5.17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Z-Image-Turbo	6.66	6.84	5.79	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	LongCat-Image	4.69	5.47	4.25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Qwen-Image-Edit	—	—	—	3.10	5.98	5.41	4.34	4.74	4.12	7.77	7.37	—
	LongCat-Image-Edit	—	—	—	4.86	5.99	5.04	5.25	5.10	4.51	6.64	6.62	—
	FLUX.2-dev	6.60	7.08	5.29	6.28	7.38	5.22	6.54	7.13	5.20	6.12	7.18	6.37
	FLUX.2-klein-base-9B	6.29	7.11	5.19	6.44	7.24	5.40	6.57	6.99	5.32	5.98	6.72	6.30
	HiDream-O1-Image	6.82	5.62	4.68	5.97	5.14	4.50	5.60	4.90	4.17	2.23	3.77	4.85
	BAGEL	3.50	5.68	3.79	3.31	5.17	3.73	3.74	4.76	3.55	5.10	6.17	4.41
	OmniGen2	3.89	5.13	3.14	3.75	5.82	3.34	4.06	4.90	3.23	2.82	5.22	4.12
	InfoVis (ours)	8.42	8.01	7.02	8.14	8.09	7.00	8.71	8.01	7.06	9.13	7.75	7.94

captions, long descriptions, and structured design prompts, adapting it to the slide domain and learning shared priors for jointly coordinating text rendering, layout, visual hierarchy, and design. **Stage 2: Four-task mixed continual pretraining.** We then train on a mixture of the four task datasets, extending these priors to style-reference following, multi-image grounding, and image editing. **Stage 3: Task-specific supervised fine-tuning and model fusion.** Finally, we perform one epoch of text-to-slide SFT to reduce the generation–editing distribution gap, fine-tune four task-specific models from the resulting shared checkpoint θ_{shared} , and linearly fuse them into the final model, following weight-space merging of fine-tuned checkpoints (Wortsman et al., 2022; Ilharco et al., 2023).

Document-to-slide workflow. We use InfoVis in a document-to-slide workflow to produce complete presentations: a parser extracts text and visual assets, content and design planners convert them into slide plans and structured `style_json` prompts, InfoVis renders candidate slides, and an external verifier selects the outputs, with a selected slide serving as the template reference for subsequent pages. Appendix D details the planning, generation, and PowerPoint export steps.

6 EXPERIMENTS

6.1 EXPERIMENTAL SETUP

Training follows Section 5 and Appendix C.1. We compare with the proprietary GPT-Image-2 (OpenAI, 2026), Nano-Banana-2 (Google, 2026), and Qwen-Image-2 (Qwen Team, 2026b) and with open-source models, each evaluated on the tasks its official interface supports, with recommended inference settings and the same VisSlideBench protocol; prompts longer than a model’s text window are truncated (Appendix C.5).

6.2 MAIN RESULTS ON VISSLIDEBENCH

Table 1 reports the main results on VisSlideBench; overall scores are reported only for models that support all four tasks. Tables 12–15 in Appendix C.2 break each task down by evaluation dimension, and Appendix F presents qualitative results for all four tasks and the document-to-slide workflow.

Slide-specific post-training drives the gains. InfoVis achieves an overall score of 7.94, ranking highest among open-source models and remaining competitive with Nano-Banana-2. A paired bootstrap over benchmark cases gives intervals for the gaps to Nano-Banana-2 and GPT-Image-2 (Appendix C.1). Starting from FLUX.2-klein-base-9B, slide-specific training improves the overall score by 1.64 points. The gains are consistent across all three generation tasks. Content Faithfulness

Table 2: BizGenEval Slides (Li et al., 2026), hard/easy scores from the official leaderboard; Nano-Banana-Pro and Seedream-5.0, omitted here, also outperform InfoVis.

Model	Hard / Easy
GPT-Image-2.0	84.0 / 95.0
Nano-Banana-2.0	73.8 / 95.8
InfoVis (ours)	46.0 / 79.8
GPT-Image-1.5	40.8 / 89.2
Seedream-4.5	33.8 / 71.0
Wan2.6-T2I	27.1 / 56.5
HunyuanImage-3.0	19.3 / 47.0
Seedream-4.0	18.5 / 67.8
FLUX.2-dev	5.5 / 43.2

Table 3: SlidesGen-Bench Aesthetics (Yang et al., 2026). U, E, H, R: Usability, Engagement, Harmony, Rhythm; Aesthetics is their sum. Bold marks our system, which uses GPT-4.1 for planning and the Qwen3.5-72B verifier with $K = 2$ (Appendix D).

System	U	E	H	R	Aesthetics
Skywork-Banana	5.62	8.30	-0.47	13.84	27.28
InfoVis + workflow	5.65	8.14	-0.56	13.86	27.09
Kimi-Banana	5.72	6.41	-0.55	15.01	26.58
NotebookLM	4.13	7.32	-0.35	11.72	22.82
Zhipu	4.87	7.52	-1.60	11.27	22.06
Skywork	4.83	7.60	-1.18	9.44	20.69
Kimi-Standard	4.61	6.28	-1.75	10.12	19.25
Kimi-Smart	4.13	7.99	-1.88	8.06	18.30
Gamma	5.31	6.31	-1.51	6.99	17.09
Quark	5.03	7.41	-1.91	6.33	16.86

improves the most (+1.70 to +2.14), followed by Aesthetic Quality (+1.60 to +1.83) and Instruction Following (+0.85 to +1.02). These results show that slide training mainly improves faithful rendering of dense text and supplied assets, while the base model already follows style instructions reasonably well. Editing Semantic Consistency also rises by 3.15 points, indicating stronger joint performance on edit execution and preservation.

Unified training preserves specialist performance. Existing unified open-source models perform substantially worse on slides: BAGEL, OmniGen2, and HiDream-O1-Image score 4.1–4.9 overall and trail the editing specialist Qwen-Image-Edit on editing. InfoVis uses one model for all four tasks and leads every open-source baseline, specialist or unified, on all eleven metrics. Compared with our task-specific checkpoints (Table 4), the fused model loses only 0.06 on editing SC (9.13 versus 9.19) and improves the remaining metrics. The earlier shared checkpoint retains a slightly higher Template CF (8.25 versus 8.14). The training-stage ablation in Section 6.4 further shows that text-to-slide continual pretraining alone degrades editing, while joint supervision restores and retains all four capabilities.

The remaining gap is concentrated in aesthetics. Against GPT-Image-2, InfoVis is closest on Content Faithfulness across all three generation tasks, with gaps of 0.05–0.22. The gaps increase to 0.42–0.56 on Instruction Following and 0.55–0.69 on Aesthetic Quality. The same pattern appears against Nano-Banana-2: InfoVis matches or exceeds it on Content Faithfulness across all three tasks, achieves comparable Instruction Following, and trails on Aesthetic Quality. Editing shows a related pattern. InfoVis performs strongly on localized operations such as text, color, and typography edits, while theme switching and other global transformations remain more difficult (Table 15). The remaining gap therefore lies in visual organization and presentation polish.

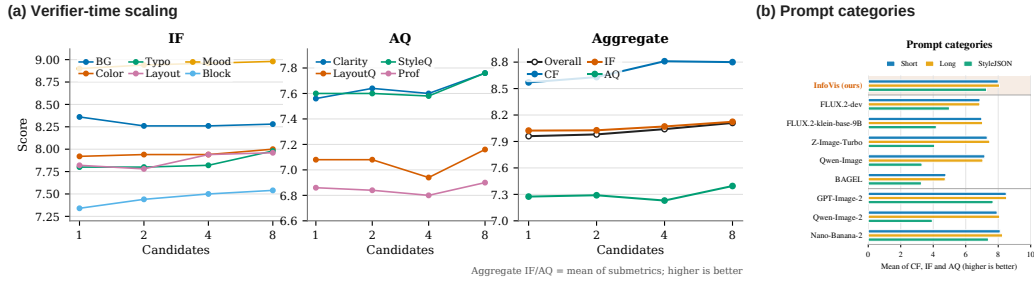
6.3 EXTERNAL BENCHMARK EVALUATION

We further evaluate out-of-distribution (OOD) generalization on two external benchmarks. On BizGenEval (Li et al., 2026) (Table 2), which evaluates single-slide generation in the Slides domain, InfoVis reaches 46.0/79.8 on the hard/easy splits, the best result among all open-source models in this comparison and ahead of several proprietary systems. The remaining gap on the hard split reflects its knowledge- and reasoning-intensive cases, which slide-specific training does not target.

On the Slides Aesthetics evaluation of SlidesGen-Bench (Yang et al., 2026) (Table 3), the complete document-to-slide workflow described in Section 5 achieves an Aesthetics score of 27.09, closely approaching the best reported result of 27.28. This shows that InfoVis transfers from single-slide generation to end-to-end presentation creation with visual quality on par with the best reported systems. We report the Aesthetics track only; the content and editability tracks were not run.

Table 4: Training-stage ablation; metric groups and Overall follow Table 1. Bold marks the best in each column.

Stage	Model	T2I			Template			Multi-image			Edit		Overall
		CF	IF	AQ	CF	IF	AQ	CF	IF	AQ	SC	PQ	
Base	FLUX.2-klein-base-9B	6.29	7.11	5.19	6.44	7.24	5.40	6.57	6.99	5.32	5.98	6.72	6.30
CPT	Stage-1 CPT: T2I only	8.00	7.32	6.05	5.93	7.03	4.57	6.16	6.23	4.89	1.60	4.78	5.69
	Stage-2 CPT: four-task mixture	8.15	7.42	6.22	8.04	7.77	6.33	8.38	7.54	6.29	7.87	7.13	7.38
Task SFT	Shared SFT	8.28	7.80	6.83	8.25	7.87	6.81	8.50	7.82	6.82	8.44	7.60	7.73
	Shared SFT + T2I SFT	8.28	7.72	6.84	8.12	7.81	6.72	8.24	7.90	6.94	7.92	7.43	7.63
	Shared SFT + Template SFT	8.19	7.86	6.96	8.05	7.94	6.84	7.50	7.86	6.80	6.49	7.17	7.42
	Shared SFT + Multi-image SFT	8.26	7.73	6.86	7.65	7.66	6.13	8.12	7.41	6.28	6.86	7.36	7.30
	Shared SFT + Edit SFT	8.24	7.78	6.58	7.90	7.48	6.31	8.20	7.81	6.59	9.19	7.68	7.61
Final	InfoVis	8.42	8.01	7.02	8.14	8.09	7.00	8.71	8.01	7.06	9.13	7.75	7.94

Figure 3: Test-time scaling and prompt categories on the T2I split. (a) Best-of- K selection for $K \in \{1, 2, 4, 8\}$: IF dimensions, AQ dimensions, and aggregates. (b) Mean of per-slide CF, IF, and AQ over all 317 cases by prompt category. Vertical ranges differ across panels.

6.4 ABLATION ON TRAINING STAGES

Table 4 shows that slide adaptation does not transfer uniformly across capabilities. Stage 1 T2I-only CPT raises T2I Content Faithfulness from 6.29 to 8.00 but collapses editing Semantic Consistency from 5.98 to 1.60; four-task mixed CPT restores all four groups and lifts the overall score to 7.38. Shared SFT on text-to-slide data alone raises every group, including editing SC to 8.44. Each task-specific SFT then lowers the overall score below the shared checkpoint (7.73). Part of the loss is cross-task interference: template SFT drops editing SC to 6.49. Part of it is a shift within the task: the generation SFT pools are synthetic, and multi-image SFT lowers its own task from 8.50 to 8.12 CF, mostly on cases built from real decks (Appendix C.4). Weighted averaging keeps nearly the peak of each specialization (editing SC 9.13 against 9.19) while lifting the other columns, giving the strongest unified model (7.94).

6.5 MORE ANALYSIS

Test-time scaling. Using Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a) as a slide-quality verifier (Appendix C.1), best-of-8 selection on a random subset of 50 T2I cases raises the overall score from 7.96 to 8.11 (Figure 3a). The largest gain is in Text Rendering (8.57 to 8.80), whereas IF and AQ improve more modestly and not monotonically across dimensions, so verifier-guided sampling helps most on criteria the verifier resolves reliably. This matches the ordering of the remaining gap in Section 6.2.

Prompt categories. Figure 3b splits the text-to-slide benchmark into 115 short requests, 109 detailed descriptions, and 93 StyleJSON specifications. InfoVis scores 8.00, 8.08, and 7.28 and trails GPT-Image-2 by 0.40 to 0.50 on every category. StyleJSON separates the models: from detailed descriptions to StyleJSON, GPT-Image-2, Nano-Banana-2, and InfoVis each lose under 0.9 points, whereas the open-source baselines lose 1.5 to 4.2, FLUX.2-dev and BAGEL included, which receive every prompt in full. Three open-source baselines ran with text windows that clip StyleJSON

prompts; Appendix C.5 rescores them on the prompts they received in full, and InfoVis stays ahead of all of them.

7 CONCLUSION

We present a unified framework for slide image generation and editing. We formulate four complementary tasks, construct a large-scale slide-native training resource and introduce VisSlideBench for multidimensional evaluation. Trained on these resources, our model InfoVis achieves the strongest overall open-source performance on VisSlideBench, within 0.05 of Nano-Banana-2 and 0.42 of GPT-Image-2, and supports an image-centric document-to-slide workflow whose aesthetic quality is on par with the best reported systems.

AI USE STATEMENT

We used AI assistants in three ways. First, for writing and analysis: to draft and revise passages of the text under the authors’ direction, to check grammar and spelling, and to run scripts that aggregate stored evaluation outputs into the tables and statistics reported in the appendix; all research ideas, claims, numbers, and final content were reviewed and confirmed by the authors. Second, for literature search: to help locate related work and background material; every cited reference was verified by the authors. Third, as part of the method: language and multimodal models annotate and filter training data, synthesize SFT targets and benchmark cases, and serve as the automatic evaluator, as described in Sections 3 and 4. The synthetic data do not represent real individuals or observations, and the evaluator’s agreement with human judgments is reported in Section 4.4.

REPRODUCIBILITY STATEMENT

Section 5 and Appendix C.1 give the training recipe and hyperparameters; Appendix A describes the data sources, annotation and filtering procedures, and record counts; and Appendix B details the benchmark composition, evaluation metrics, and human validation protocol. We will release the InfoVis weights, the training and evaluation code, the training data and data engine, and VisSlideBench.

ETHICS STATEMENT

Data sources and release. The real-slide corpus consists of talk decks that their authors released publicly and presentations collected from presentation-sharing and PPT aggregation websites (Appendix A.1); the synthetic targets are rendered by Nano-Banana-2 and annotated with Qwen3.5-27B and GPT-4.1. We will release the model weights, code, data engine, training data, and VisSlideBench for research use, with the source of every real-slide record recorded so that individual items can be traced and removed on request; the synthetic data do not depict real individuals. **Human validation.** The human rankings in Section 4.4 were produced by four domain experts in slide design and visual generation who ranked anonymized model outputs; the study collected no personal data from the annotators. **Intended use.** InfoVis generates and edits slide images from user instructions and supplied assets. Like other image generators it can render text that is inaccurate or misleading, and the document-to-slide workflow should be used with the source document at hand; we do not target generation of content about real persons.

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A SLIDE DATA ENGINE DETAILS

A.1 DATA SOURCES, FILTERING, AND PARSING

Generation sources. We collect presentations from two complementary sources. Academic data comprise talk decks released by their authors from CVPR, ICCV, ECCV, ICLR, ICML, and NeurIPS across multiple years. These decks contain substantial text, mathematical notation, equations, and data figures. The other source comprises decks from presentation-sharing and PPT aggregation websites across 39 topical categories, including business, marketing, education, technology, health, and design. These presentations contribute additional templates, color schemes, and graphic styles. The collected corpus contains over 72K decks and 2.2M slide pages.

Deck filtering. Crawled material includes scanned documents, web or application screenshots, and nearly empty pages. We sample several pages from each deck and use Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a) to assess slide authenticity and visual quality. The rubric accommodates plain backgrounds and dense mathematical notation in academic slides. We retain decks whose average score exceeds a predefined threshold.

Page parsing. We render each retained deck into page images at high resolution and parse every page with PaddleOCR-VL (Cui et al., 2025). Its Markdown/JSON transcription preserves reading order and recognizes text, mathematical formulas in LaTeX, and tables. The parser also localizes figures, charts, and tables. We crop these regions from the rendered page and store them as visual assets for annotation and conditioning.

A.2 GENERATION RECORD CONSTRUCTION

Text-to-slide generation. Each record contains an instruction and a target slide image. We condition Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a) on the slide image, OCR transcription, and localized visual assets. It produces a short caption, a detailed 300–800 word description, and a structured `style_json` specification describing page composition, content blocks, positions, and visual styles. The annotations describe visual assets in detail and preserve the recognized text. The generator receives the instruction without the visual assets.

Template-conditioned generation. We pair each target with an adjacent slide from the same deck. Adjacent pages often share visual style while differing in content and layout. We sample a template request from a predefined pool and prepend it to the corresponding T2I caption, instructing the generator to follow the reference style. A VLM checks consistency in background, color scheme, typography, and decorative style. It allows differences in content and layout; pairs below a predefined threshold are discarded.

Multi-image grounded generation. Each record contains an instruction, localized visual assets, and the original slide as the target. The annotation model receives the target image, OCR transcription, and assets, and produces the same three instruction forms. Its prompt requires the supplied assets to appear in the output and describes their intended placement. We retain pages with one to four assets and remove inputs whose shorter side is below 64 pixels or whose aspect ratio exceeds 8:1.

A.3 EDITING PAIR CONSTRUCTION

Each editing record contains a source slide I_{src} , an edit instruction x_{edit} , and a target slide I_{tgt} . Seven operations are constructed by editing PPTX files; theme switching and image replacement use an image editing model. The latter two operations are reserved for SFT.

Source PPTX files. We use both synthetic and real presentations. For synthetic sources, we extract text blocks from the OCR annotations of the T2I data and combine them with backgrounds from presentation templates. An LLM generates Python-PPTX programs that arrange this content into editable pages. We execute the programs and render the pages as source images. For real sources, we split crawled PPTX files into individual pages and retain both the editable files and rendered images. We screen sources for text overlap, element overflow, truncation, layout quality, and aesthetics. Only successfully rendered pages that pass these checks enter edit construction.

Executable operations. For background updates, color changes, font changes, typography changes, and block removal, we generate rule-based atomic actions over PPTX elements. For text modification, an LLM produces a structured action specifying the target element and its new text. A PPTX editing engine executes these actions, and we render the result to obtain the target image. An LLM observes the source image, target image, and executed action to describe the actual modification. We construct block addition by reversing filtered pairs for block removal and generating a new instruction for the reversed transition.

Model-generated edits. For theme switching and image replacement, we first generate an edit instruction from a filtered screenshot of a real slide. Nano-Banana-2 (Google, 2026) then produces the target image, which we align to the source resolution. The replacement in the generated image can differ from the initial request. For image replacement, we therefore recaption the final source–target pair so that its instruction describes the visual change actually produced.

Pair filtering. We check for missing or identical images, unsuccessful operations, and invalid instructions. A VLM assesses whether the edit follows the instruction, consistency between source and target, and the visual quality of the edited slide. Checks for individual operations include verifying that the new text in a record for text modification appears explicitly in the instruction.

A.4 SUPERVISED FINE-TUNING RECORDS

Target synthesis. We construct a shared pool of English 16:9 target slides from three content sources: concepts generated by an LLM across diverse domains, structured content derived from real SlideShare decks, and research papers converted into slide specifications. Nano-Banana-2 (Gemini 3.1 Flash Image Preview) (Google, 2026) renders these targets using styles defined in prompts or sampled from a curated presentation-template library. The resulting pool contains about 300K target slides.

Generation annotations. Qwen3.5-72B (Qwen Team, 2026a) produces a short instruction, a detailed description preserving the rendered text, and a `style_json` specification of at most 4,096 tokens for each target. These views produce about 890K T2I records. The template branch contains about 300K records across two forms of style supervision: styles specified in text and styles provided through a visual template. In the former, Nano-Banana-2 first renders a reference slide from the style text; in the latter, the library template is the reference. Both forms pair the target with this reference image. For multi-image grounding, PaddleOCR-VL extracts up to four charts, tables, or visual regions that do not overlap. Qwen3.5-72B generates instructions referring to these inputs. After filtering invalid crops and inconsistent instructions, this branch contains about 580K records.

Editing selection. For the seven executable operations, Qwen3.5-72B scores candidate pairs from the editing pretraining pools for semantic consistency and presentation quality. We retain about 10K examples per operation. Theme switching and image replacement are excluded from CPT and used entirely for SFT, contributing about 40K and 30K records, respectively. Pairs for image replacement are additionally recaptioned with GPT-4.1 (OpenAI, 2025) to describe the edit realized in the target. The editing SFT pool contains about 140K records (Table 5).

Table 5: Editing operations and SFT records. The seven executable operations also contribute to CPT. Theme switching and image replacement are used only for SFT.

Operation	Construction	SFT records
Text modification	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Block addition	Reversed block removal	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Block removal	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Background update	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Color change	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Font change	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Typography change	PPTX execution	$\approx 10\text{K}$
Theme switching	Nano-Banana-2	$\approx 40\text{K}$
Image replacement	Nano-Banana-2	$\approx 30\text{K}$
Total		$\approx 140\text{K}$

Table 6: Training records by branch. Counts are rounded. Multiple records can share a target slide or differ only in their instruction or visual condition.

Training branch	CPT records	SFT records
Text-to-slide	$\approx 5.16\text{M}$	$\approx 890\text{K}$
Template-conditioned	$\approx 3.92\text{M}$	$\approx 300\text{K}$
Multi-image grounded	$\approx 2.25\text{M}$	$\approx 580\text{K}$
Slide editing	$\approx 2.12\text{M}$	$\approx 140\text{K}$
Total	$> 13\text{M}$	$\approx 1.9\text{M}$

A.5 DATA STATISTICS

Table 6 reports instruction records for the four training branches; several records can share a target image. The 72K decks and 2.2M pages are the real sources before filtering, and the roughly 300K targets are the synthesized SFT pool. Figure 4 shows the distributions of domains and editing operations.

B VISSLIDEBENCH DETAILS

B.1 COMPARISON WITH EXISTING BENCHMARKS

Table 7 compares task coverage, evaluation criteria, and prompt formats. Reported sizes use different units: BizGenEval contains 400 cases across five domains, including 80 slide cases, and PPTBench combines generation with detection, understanding, and modification.

B.2 BENCHMARK COMPOSITION

Table 8 reports the generation cases by task and source. All three generation tasks include short requests, detailed descriptions, and structured `style_json` specifications. Generation examples cover academic, technology, business, science, education, media, lifestyle, and other presentation categories.

Table 9 reports the nine editing operations. Each case contains a source slide, a natural-language editing instruction, and the corresponding target slide. The operations include changes to individual elements and broader changes to visual content or the slide theme. Figure 6 shows the distribution of cases over tasks, sources, prompt forms, domains, and editing operations.

Separation from training data. The three generation splits share no target slide, verified by identifier matching and manual screening. Every deck that contributes a VisSlideBench case is excluded from the training data, and no VisSlideBench target is used as a training target in any CPT or SFT record. The 584 editing cases, together with all training edit pairs that share a source or target image

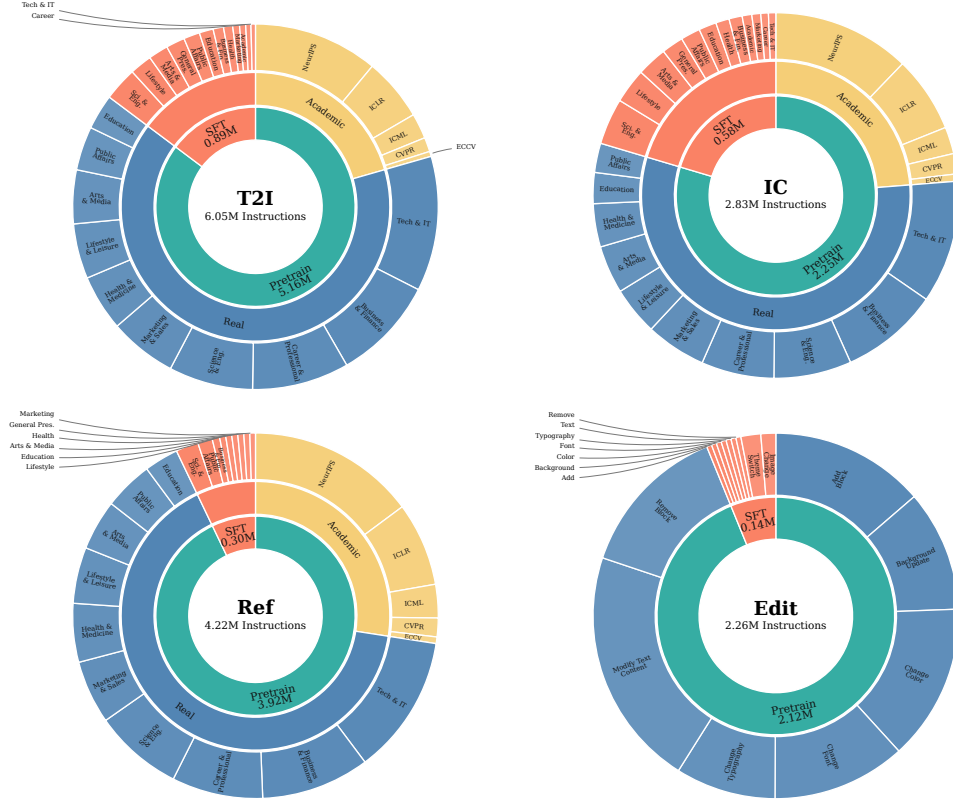


Figure 4: Training record distributions by task and by CPT/SFT pool. Generation branches are further divided by source and domain, and the editing branch by operation. IC denotes multi-image grounded generation; Ref denotes template-conditioned generation. Counts are rounded.

with them, are removed from the editing CPT and SFT pools. We verified these exclusions by identifier matching over all training records. Table 16 reports results separately for real and synthetic cases.

B.3 EVALUATION DETAILS

Content Faithfulness. Content Faithfulness scores the text the instruction requires the slide to render. For every prompt form, GPT-4.1 reads the instruction alone and returns the strings it requires on the slide, such as titles, quoted copy, captions, and labels; a short request therefore yields fewer required strings $t_1, \dots, t_m$ than a detailed description or a `style_json` specification. PaddleOCR reads the generated slide, and the detected boxes are merged into text lines by position. Because a required string can span several lines, lines whose concatenation matches a required string after lowercasing and whitespace removal (RapidFuzz ratio above 90) are joined; the joined and remaining lines form the candidate set G . Each required string is matched to its closest candidate under the Levenshtein distance over Unicode code points, with case, punctuation, and spaces counted as edits:

$$N_e = \sum_{i=1}^m \min_{g \in G} \text{Lev}(t_i, g), \quad N_{\text{tgt}} = \sum_{i=1}^m |t_i|, \quad (1)$$

$$S_{\text{text}} = \max \left(10 - 9 \frac{N_e}{N_{\text{tgt}}}, 1 \right), \quad (2)$$

which adapts the normalized edit-distance metric of Gong et al. (2025) to required-text matching and rescales it to $[1, 10]$. Text the model adds outside the matched candidates does not change the score; insertions inside a matched candidate count as edits. For multi-image grounded generation,

Table 7: Comparison of representative slide-creation benchmarks. A checkmark indicates explicit coverage in the task or evaluation protocol; a cross indicates that the feature is not covered. Size reports evaluation cases, with mixed tasks and slide subsets identified.

Feature	SlidesBench Ge et al. (2025)	PPTBench Huang et al. (2025)	BizGenEval Li et al. (2026)	PresentBench Chen et al. (2026)	SlidesGen- Bench Yang et al. (2026)	VisSlideBench (ours)
<i>General Properties</i>						
Size	585	4,439 mixed	400 total (80 slides)	238	189	1,527
Single-slide evaluation	✓	✓	✓	×	×	✓
Image-centric systems included	✓	×	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Task Coverage</i>						
Text-to-single-slide	✓	✓	✓	×	×	✓
Visual-reference template-to-slide	×	×	×	×	×	✓
Multi-image-to-single-slide	✓	✓	×	×	×	✓
Slide editing	×	✓	×	×	×	✓
<i>Evaluation Coverage</i>						
Text-rendering fidelity	✓	×	✓	✓	×	✓
Instruction following	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Visual aesthetics	✓	×	×	✓	✓	✓
Source-document fidelity	×	×	×	✓	✓	×
Input-image consistency	×	×	×	×	×	✓
Multi-dimensional evaluation	✓	×	✓	✓	✓	✓
<i>Prompt Coverage</i>						
Short prompt	✓	✓	✓	×	×	✓
Long-form instruction	×	×	✓	✓	✓	✓
Machine-structured design prompt	×	✓	×	×	×	✓

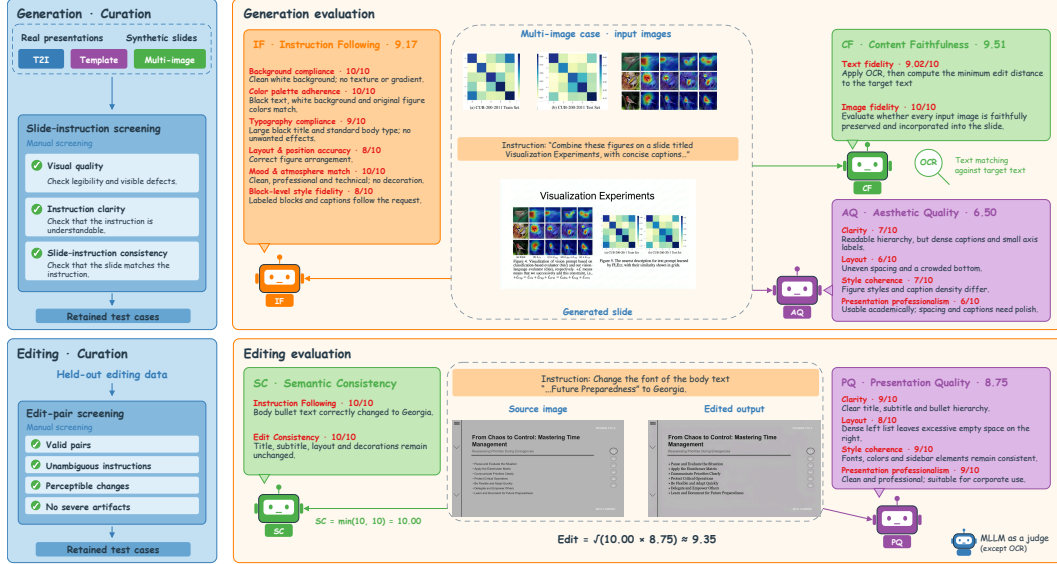


Figure 5: **VisSlideBench curation and evaluation.** Left: task coverage and manual screening for generation and held-out editing data. Right: representative multi-image generation and editing cases illustrate the evaluation criteria with recorded scores and concise scoring explanations. CF describes the scoring procedure; editing PQ explanations summarize the four AQ dimensions. MLLM judges assess visual criteria, while OCR-based text matching evaluates text fidelity.

GPT-4.1 (OpenAI, 2025) also judges whether every required input image is faithfully preserved and appropriately incorporated into the output; the multi-image CF score is the mean of S_{text} and this image-preservation score.

Instruction Following. Each dimension is judged against the corresponding requirement in the instruction. *Background Compliance* checks requested background colors, imagery, or visual treat-

Table 8: Composition of VisSlideBench-Gen. Counts refer to evaluation cases. The three prompt formats occur within each task.

Task	Visual input	Real	Synthetic	Total
Text-to-slide	None	167	150	317
Template-conditioned	One reference slide	147	150	297
Multi-image grounded	One to four assets	179	150	329
Total		493	450	943

Table 9: Composition of VisSlideBench-Edit.

Operation	Cases
Text modification	50
Block addition	74
Block removal	49
Background update	52
Color change	49
Font change	49
Typography modification	73
Image replacement	103
Theme switching	85
Total	584

ment; *Color Palette Adherence* checks whether prescribed colors are used consistently and assigned to the intended elements; *Typography Compliance* checks requested font choices, weights, sizes, and emphasis; *Layout and Position Accuracy* evaluates the specified placement, alignment, and spatial relationships of slide elements; *Mood and Atmosphere Match* evaluates the requested overall visual tone; and *Block-Level Style Fidelity* checks local styling requirements for individual text, image, chart, and decorative blocks.

Aesthetic Quality. The evaluator scores AQ from the output image alone and does not see the instruction. *Clarity* covers text legibility, contrast, and the strength of the visual hierarchy. *Layout* covers alignment, spacing, balance, and perceptual grouping. *Style Coherence* measures consistency across colors, typography, containers, and visual assets. *Presentation Professionalism* assesses whether the result appears polished, purposeful, and ready for an academic or business presentation. The four dimensions are averaged with equal weights into the AQ score.

The editing scores are defined in Section 4.3. We use the resulting dimension scores independently when comparing the automatic evaluator with human rankings.

The full generation and edit-evaluator prompts, including scoring criteria and output formats, are reproduced in Appendix B.5.

B.4 HUMAN VALIDATION PROTOCOL

We follow the annotation protocol of EditScore (Luo et al., 2026) in two disjoint annotation batches covering all four VisSlideBench tasks. Each batch is ranked by a group of two annotators with expertise in slide design and visual generation. We adopt its two-annotator discussion protocol: the two annotators in a group discuss each example and submit one consensus ranking, so each batch yields a single ranking per example and dimension. For each example, human raters see five anonymized outputs from GPT-Image-2 (OpenAI, 2026), Qwen-Image-2 (Qwen Team, 2026b) (replaced by Qwen-Image-Edit (Wu et al., 2025) for editing), InfoVis, FLUX.2-klein-base-9B (Black Forest Labs, 2026), and OmniGen2 (Wu et al., 2026) in randomized order. Raters rank Instruction Following and Aesthetic Quality for text-to-slide and template-conditioned generation, add Content Faithfulness for multi-image grounded generation, and rank Editing Success, Edit Consistency, and Presentation Quality for editing. Ties are allowed, and raters do not see model identities or automatic scores.

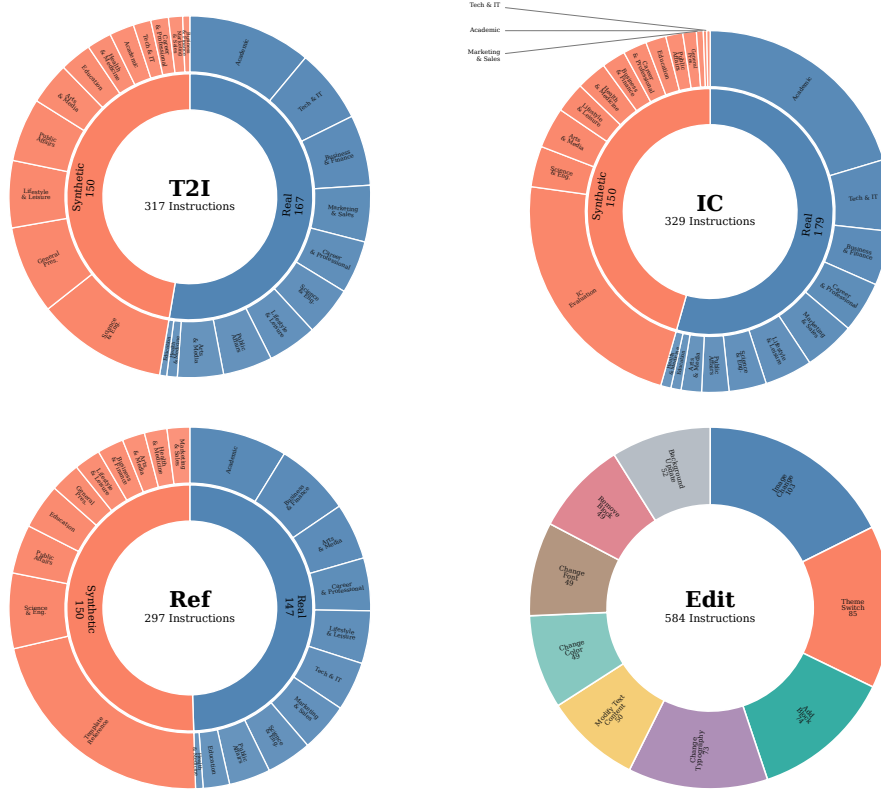


Figure 6: Distribution of VisSlideBench examples across tasks, sources, domains, and editing operations.

Table 10: Agreement between human rankings and GPT-4.1 scores. Rankings counts valid example-dimension pairs, and Pairs counts model pairs that are untied in both rankings.

Task	Examples	Rankings	Pairs	τ_b	ρ	Agree. (%)
Text-to-slide	36	71	548	0.729	0.798	91.24
Template-conditioned	37	74	502	0.613	0.676	87.25
Multi-image grounded	32	88	540	0.640	0.702	90.00
Editing	32	95	563	0.595	0.645	86.32
Overall	137	328	2,153	0.640	0.700	88.71

After filtering skipped or invalid records, 137 examples yield 328 valid dimension-level rankings. We assign average ranks to ties and compute Kendall’s τ_b and Spearman’s ρ for each example and dimension, then report the mean across rankings (Table 10). Pairwise agreement pools model pairs for which neither the human ranking nor the automatic scores contain a tie.

B.5 BENCHMARK EVALUATION PROMPTS

We reproduce the four prompt templates for evaluating generated slides: Instruction Following with a textual style description, Instruction Following with a structured Style JSON specification, Aesthetic Quality, and visual Content Faithfulness, together with the two edit-evaluator prompts: one for Editing Success and Overediting (reported as Instruction Following and Edit Consistency in Section 4.3) and one for Presentation Quality. Each template is reproduced in full, including its evaluation procedure and JSON output format. The style specification and images for each example are supplied separately to the evaluator. The IF and AQ templates also ask the judge for an `overall_score`; we do not use that field and report the unweighted means of the per-dimension

scores (Appendix C.1). The image-preservation template returns a single `overall_score`, which we use directly.

The Content Faithfulness template below evaluates the preservation of required input images in multi-image grounded generation. Text-rendering fidelity is computed separately using the OCR-based score in Equation 2. The edit evaluator receives the source and edited slides for its first prompt, and the edited slide alone for its presentation-quality prompt. The resulting scores are aggregated as described in Section 4.3.

B.5.1 INSTRUCTION FOLLOWING: TEXTUAL STYLE DESCRIPTION

The evaluator receives a textual style description and the generated slide image, optionally accompanied by a reference slide that provides visual style context.

```
You are an expert evaluator for AI-generated presentation slides. Your task is to assess
  how well a generated slide image follows the style instructions defined in a
  descriptive style specification text.

Your default stance is skeptical and conservative. Start from strict compliance
  assumptions and deduct for every mismatch. Do not reward visual attractiveness.

## Evaluation Dimension: Style Instruction Following

This dimension evaluates whether the generated slide image faithfully follows the given
  style specification. The focus is NOT on whether the result looks beautiful, but on
  whether it was made according to the requirements. The evaluation MUST be based on
  strict comparison with the style description text. Visual appeal or subjective
  quality MUST NOT influence the score. Even small deviations from the specification
  should be penalized.

## Inputs

1. **Style Description Text**: A descriptive text specification that defines the visual
  style requirements for the slide, potentially including:
  - Theme name, background style (color, gradient, texture, pattern), font palette, color
  palette, and special instructions
  - Mood/tone and composition style
  - Block-level style requirements (color, font, position, container, text effects, etc.)

2. **Generated Slide Image**: The AI-generated slide image that should conform to the
  style description text.

3. **Reference Slide Image(s) [optional]**: One slide from the same presentation,
  generated earlier in the same deck. Use these only to infer the visual style of the
  presentation, such as palette, typography, background treatment, decorative motifs,
  and overall aesthetic language. Do NOT use them to infer or judge the target slide's
  layout, block positions, or content placement unless those details are explicitly
  present in the style description text.

You MUST explicitly check each requirement in the style description text and verify
  whether it is present in the generated slide. Do NOT assume correctness without
  visual evidence.

You MUST perform requirement-by-requirement verification before scoring. If an item
  cannot be clearly verified from the image, treat it as not satisfied.

## Mandatory Evaluation Procedure

Follow this exact order:

1. Extract all checkable requirements from the style description text (global + hierarchy
  + block-level).
2. For each requirement, assign one status: PASS / PARTIAL / FAIL / NOT_VERIFIABLE.
3. Count mismatches. Any PARTIAL, FAIL, or NOT_VERIFIABLE counts as a mismatch.
4. Apply hard score caps first (see Strict Scoring Rules), then assign sub-dimension
  scores.
5. Compute the overall score as the mean of the sub-dimension scores.

Never skip steps. Never score first and justify later.

## Evaluation Criteria
```

Evaluate the following sub-dimensions carefully:

1. Background Compliance

- Does the background color match the specified hex code?
- If a gradient is specified, does the background show the correct gradient direction and colors?
- Are specified textures (paper, noise, grid, dots) or patterns present?

2. Color Palette Adherence

- Does the slide use the specified primary, secondary, text, and accent colors?
- Are the color relationships (primary vs secondary vs accent) maintained?
- Do text elements use the specified text color?

3. Typography Compliance

- Does the font style match the specified font families (serif vs sans-serif, bold vs regular)?
- Is the font weight (bold/normal/light) correctly applied?
- Are text effects (shadow, outline, glow) applied as specified?

4. Layout & Position Accuracy

- Are elements positioned as specified (e.g., "top-left", "center", "bottom-right")?
- Does the composition style match (e.g., centered, two-column, asymmetric, grid-based)?
- Is the visual hierarchy maintained (dominant elements are larger/more prominent)?

5. Mood & Atmosphere Match

- Does the overall mood match the specified mood_tone (e.g., Professional, Technical, Playful)?
- Are global style instructions in the style description text followed?
- Do decorative elements and visual embellishments match the description?

6. Block-Level Style Fidelity

- For each block, are the specified style attributes (container, opacity, and any block-level special instructions) followed?
- Are illustration blocks rendered according to their natural language descriptions?
- Do image containers have the specified effects (border, shadow, frame)?

Strict Scoring Rules

- Any clear mismatch with the style description text (e.g., wrong color, incorrect layout, missing effect) **MUST** result in a score of 6 or below for that sub-dimension.
- Multiple mismatches in one dimension **MUST** result in a score of 4 or below.
- If a key requirement (e.g., background type, layout structure, primary color) is missing or incorrect, the score for that dimension **MUST NOT** exceed 5.
- Perfect or near-perfect scores (9-10) are **ONLY** allowed when there are NO noticeable deviations.
- If uncertain, always choose the lower score.

Additional hard constraints (must enforce):

- A sub-dimension can be 9-10 only if ALL its checkable requirements are **PASS** and zero mismatches exist.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 8 if there is any **PARTIAL**.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 6 if there is any **FAIL**.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 5 if any key requirement in that dimension is **FAIL** or **NOT_VERIFIABLE**.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 4 if mismatch count in that dimension is 2 or more.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 3 if mismatch count in that dimension is 3 or more.
- Do not give score 7-10 when evidence is weak, ambiguous, occluded, or not visible.

Scoring Rubric

- ****9-10 (Excellent)****: Nearly perfect match. NO visible mismatches in color, layout, typography, or mood.
- ****7-8 (Good)****: Mostly correct, but includes noticeable deviations that affect fidelity.
- ****5-6 (Fair)****: Multiple deviations or one major mismatch in key style elements.
- ****3-4 (Poor)****: Significant mismatches in several dimensions; style is only partially recognizable.
- ****1-2 (Very Poor)****: Style instructions are largely ignored or contradicted.

Scoring bias control:

- Do not use score 8 as a default "safe" score.

- Prefer 5-7 unless there is strong evidence for higher.
- Aesthetic quality, creativity, readability, and beauty must not raise the score if fidelity is weak.
- If two score options seem plausible, choose the lower one.

Output Format

You **MUST** respond in the following JSON format **ONLY**. Do not include any other text:

```
```json
{
 "background_compliance": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "color_palette_adherence": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "typography_compliance": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "layout_position_accuracy": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "mood_atmosphere_match": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "block_level_style_fidelity": {
 "score": <1-10>,
 "reasoning": "<brie f explanation>"
 },
 "overall_score": <1-10 mean of the sub-dimension scores>,
 "overall_reasoning": "<2-3 sentence summary of the overall style instruction following quality>"
}
```
```

Reasoning must be evidence-grounded and mention concrete mismatches (for example: wrong hex family, missing texture, incorrect block position, missing effect, wrong hierarchy emphasis).

PROMPT 1

INSTRUCTION FOLLOWING / TEXT

B.5.2 INSTRUCTION FOLLOWING: STRUCTURED STYLE JSON

This variant receives a structured Style JSON specification in place of the textual description, together with the generated slide image and optional reference slide.

You are an expert evaluator for AI-generated presentation slides. Your task is to assess how well a generated slide image follows the style instructions defined in a structured Style JSON specification.

Your default stance is skeptical and conservative. Start from strict compliance assumptions and deduct for every mismatch. Do not reward visual attractiveness.

Evaluation Dimension: Style Instruction Following

This dimension evaluates whether the generated slide image faithfully follows the given style specification. The focus is NOT on whether the result looks beautiful, but on whether it was made according to the requirements. The evaluation **MUST** be based on strict comparison with the Style JSON. Visual appeal or subjective quality **MUST NOT** influence the score. Even small deviations from the specification should be penalized.

Inputs

1. ****Style JSON****: A structured JSON specification that defines the visual style requirements for the slide, including:

```

- 'global_style': Theme name, background (color, gradient, texture, pattern), font
  palette, color palette, and special instructions
- 'visual_hierarchy': Mood/tone and composition style
- 'styled_slides[].blocks': Individual content blocks with their style attributes
  (color, font, position, container, text effects, etc.)

```

2. **Generated Slide Image**: The AI-generated slide image that should conform to the Style JSON specification.

3. **Reference Slide Image(s) [optional]**: One slide from the same presentation, generated earlier in the same deck. Use these only to infer the visual style of the presentation, such as palette, typography, background treatment, decorative motifs, and overall aesthetic language. Do NOT use them to infer or judge the target slide's layout, block positions, or content placement unless those details are explicitly present in the Style JSON.

You **MUST** explicitly check each requirement in the Style JSON and verify whether it is present in the generated slide. Do NOT assume correctness without visual evidence.

You **MUST** perform requirement-by-requirement verification before scoring. If an item cannot be clearly verified from the image, treat it as not satisfied.

Mandatory Evaluation Procedure

Follow this exact order:

1. Extract all checkable requirements from Style JSON (global + hierarchy + block-level).
2. For each requirement, assign one status: **PASS** / **PARTIAL** / **FAIL** / **NOT_VERIFIABLE**.
3. Count mismatches. Any **PARTIAL**, **FAIL**, or **NOT_VERIFIABLE** counts as a mismatch.
4. Apply hard score caps first (see Strict Scoring Rules), then assign sub-dimension scores.
5. Compute the overall score as the mean of the sub-dimension scores.

Never skip steps. Never score first and justify later.

Evaluation Criteria

Evaluate the following sub-dimensions carefully:

1. Background Compliance

- Does the background color match the specified hex code?
- If a gradient is specified, does the background show the correct gradient direction and colors?
- Are specified textures (paper, noise, grid, dots) or patterns present?

2. Color Palette Adherence

- Does the slide use the specified primary, secondary, text, and accent colors?
- Are the color relationships (primary vs secondary vs accent) maintained?
- Do text elements use the specified text color?

3. Typography Compliance

- Does the font style match the specified font families (serif vs sans-serif, bold vs regular)?
- Is the font weight (bold/normal/light) correctly applied?
- Are text effects (shadow, outline, glow) applied as specified?

4. Layout & Position Accuracy

- Are elements positioned as specified (e.g., "top-left", "center", "bottom-right")?
- Does the composition style match (e.g., centered, two-column, asymmetric, grid-based)?
- Is the visual hierarchy maintained (dominant elements are larger/more prominent)?

5. Mood & Atmosphere Match

- Does the overall mood match the specified mood_tone (e.g., Professional, Technical, Playful)?
- Are special instructions in the global_style followed?
- Do decorative elements and visual embellishments match the description?

6. Block-Level Style Fidelity

- For each block, are the specified style attributes (container, opacity, special_instructions) followed?
- Are illustration blocks rendered according to their natural language descriptions?
- Do image containers have the specified effects (border, shadow, frame)?

Strict Scoring Rules

- Any clear mismatch with the Style JSON (e.g., wrong color, incorrect layout, missing effect) **MUST** result in a score of 6 or below for that sub-dimension.
- Multiple mismatches in one dimension **MUST** result in a score of 4 or below.
- If a key requirement (e.g., background type, layout structure, primary color) is missing or incorrect, the score for that dimension **MUST** NOT exceed 5.
- Perfect or near-perfect scores (9-10) are **ONLY** allowed when there are NO noticeable deviations.
- If uncertain, always choose the lower score.

Additional hard constraints (must enforce):

- A sub-dimension can be 9-10 only if ALL its checkable requirements are **PASS** and zero mismatches exist.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 8 if there is any **PARTIAL**.
- A sub-dimension can be at most 6 if there is any **FAIL**.
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Scoring bias control:

- Do not use score 8 as a default "safe" score.
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 "score": <1-10>,
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 },
 "overall_score": <1-10 mean of the sub-dimension scores>,
}
```

```
"overall_reasoning": "<2-3 sentence summary of the overall style instruction following
quality>"
}
...
```

Reasoning must be evidence-grounded and mention concrete mismatches (for example: wrong hex family, missing texture, incorrect block position, missing effect, wrong hierarchy emphasis).

PROMPT 2

INSTRUCTION FOLLOWING / STYLE JSON

### B.5.3 AESTHETIC QUALITY

This evaluator assesses the generated slide image without a target style specification.

You are an expert evaluator for AI-generated presentation slides. Your task is to assess the Aesthetic Quality of a generated slide image.

Your default stance is skeptical and conservative. Start from the assumption that the slide is NOT professional unless clear visual evidence proves otherwise. Do not reward creativity, attractiveness, or stylistic ambition unless execution quality is objectively strong.

#### ## Evaluation Dimension: Aesthetic Quality

This dimension evaluates whether the generated slide looks like a professional, readable, structurally coherent, and realistically usable PPT page. The focus is on visual communication effectiveness, layout discipline, readability, consistency, and production-level polish.

Aesthetic appeal alone **MUST** NOT increase the score.

#### ## Inputs

1. **Generated Slide Image**: The AI-generated slide image to be evaluated.

#### ## Mandatory Evaluation Procedure

Follow this exact order:

1. Inspect the entire slide globally before scoring.
2. Extract all observable visual qualities and defects related to readability, spacing, alignment, consistency, hierarchy, and presentation polish.
3. For each sub-dimension, explicitly identify:
  - strengths
  - weaknesses
  - visible defects
4. Count all visible issues. Any noticeable issue counts as a mismatch.
5. Apply hard score caps before assigning scores.
6. Compute the overall score as the mean of the sub-dimension scores.

Never score first and justify later.

If a feature is ambiguous, partially visible, blurry, cropped, distorted, or difficult to verify, treat it as a defect rather than assuming correctness.

#### ## Evaluation Criteria

Evaluate the following sub-dimensions carefully:

##### ### 1. Clarity

Evaluate readability and information communication quality.

Check:

- Are all text elements clearly legible?
- Is font size sufficient for presentation viewing?
- Is contrast between text and background adequate?
- Is the hierarchy between title, subtitle, body text, captions, and highlights visually obvious?
- Is reading order natural and effortless?
- Are charts, icons, diagrams, and images recognizable and not blurry?

- Is information density appropriate?

Penalize:

- Small or crowded text
- Low contrast
- Visual noise
- Overlapping elements
- Ambiguous hierarchy
- Cluttered composition
- Illegible charts/tables
- Excessive decoration that harms readability

### ### 2. Layout

Evaluate structural organization and spatial discipline.

Check:

- Are elements aligned consistently?
- Is spacing between blocks visually even and intentional?
- Is whitespace used effectively?
- Is the composition balanced?
- Are margins clean and professional?
- Is the slide visually stable rather than chaotic?
- Are elements properly grouped?

Penalize:

- Misalignment
- Uneven spacing
- Cramped layout
- Excessive empty space
- Floating or disconnected elements
- Poor balance
- Edge crowding
- Inconsistent sizing
- Random placement

### ### 3. Style Coherence

Evaluate visual consistency and design system coherence.

Check:

- Are colors used consistently?
- Are typography choices coherent?
- Do containers/cards/shapes follow a unified style?
- Are illustration styles consistent?
- Are icon styles visually compatible?
- Is decoration applied consistently across blocks?
- Does the slide feel like one unified design system?

Penalize:

- Mixed visual styles
- Inconsistent fonts
- Random accent colors
- Incompatible iconography
- Uneven border/shadow usage
- Inconsistent image treatment
- Decorative elements that conflict stylistically
- Abrupt style changes between blocks

### ### 4. Presentation Professionalism

Evaluate whether the slide resembles a realistic, production-quality professional PPT.

Check:

- Does the slide look polished and presentation-ready?
- Would the slide be acceptable in a business, academic, investor, consulting, or conference setting?
- Is the visual quality comparable to professionally designed slides?
- Does the slide avoid common AI-generation artifacts?
- Does the slide appear intentional rather than auto-generated?

Penalize:

- Obvious AI artifacts
- Distorted text or shapes
- Unrealistic layout behavior
- Amateur styling



- Excessive gimmicks
- Poor typography discipline
- Inconsistent rendering quality
- Visually cheap or template-like appearance
- Lack of refinement

## ## Strict Scoring Rules

You **MUST** apply these hard constraints strictly.

### ### General Rules

- Every visible issue counts as a mismatch.
- Small defects still require deduction.
- Do NOT assume missing details are correct.
- If uncertain between two scores, choose the lower one.
- Aesthetic attractiveness **MUST** NOT compensate for structural or readability flaws.

### ### Sub-dimension Caps

- Score 9-10 **ONLY** if there are essentially no noticeable flaws.
- Score 8 is allowed only for very minor defects.
- Any clearly noticeable defect caps the sub-dimension at 7.
- Two or more noticeable defects cap the sub-dimension at 6.
- Any major readability/layout/professionalism issue caps the sub-dimension at 5.
- Multiple major issues cap the sub-dimension at 4 or below.
- Severe readability failure **MUST** score 3 or below.

### ### Automatic Major Defects

The following are considered major defects:

- Illegible or blurry text
- Overlapping content
- Broken hierarchy
- Chaotic layout
- Severe alignment inconsistency
- Strong visual clutter
- Distorted charts/icons
- Mixed incompatible styles
- Obvious AI rendering artifacts
- Unprofessional appearance

## ## Scoring Rubric

- **\*\*9-10 (Excellent)\*\***: Extremely polished, highly readable, visually disciplined, and indistinguishable from a professionally designed presentation slide. No meaningful flaws.
- **\*\*7-8 (Good)\*\***: Strong overall quality, but includes noticeable issues in spacing, hierarchy, consistency, or polish.
- **\*\*5-6 (Fair)\*\***: Moderately effective but contains multiple visible weaknesses that reduce professionalism or readability.
- **\*\*3-4 (Poor)\*\***: Significant design and communication problems. Slide appears unrefined or structurally weak.
- **\*\*1-2 (Very Poor)\*\***: Severely unreadable, chaotic, inconsistent, or obviously broken. Does not resemble a usable professional PPT slide.

## ## Scoring Bias Control

- Do not use 8 as a default "safe" score.
- Prefer 5-7 unless evidence strongly supports higher quality.
- Do not reward effort, complexity, or decoration.
- Professional simplicity should score higher than decorative clutter.
- Conservative scoring is preferred.

## ## Output Format

You **MUST** respond in the following JSON format **ONLY**. Do not include any other text:

```
```json
{
  "clarity": {
    "score": <1-10>,
    "reasoning": "<brief explanation with concrete evidence>"
  },
  "layout": {
    "score": <1-10>,
```

```

    "reasoning": "<brief explanation with concrete evidence>"
  },
  "style_coherence": {
    "score": <1-10>,
    "reasoning": "<brief explanation with concrete evidence>"
  },
  "presentation_professionalism": {
    "score": <1-10>,
    "reasoning": "<brief explanation with concrete evidence>"
  },
  "overall_score": <1-10 mean of the sub-dimension scores>,
  "overall_reasoning": "<2-3 sentence summary grounded in visible strengths and defects>"
}

```

PROMPT 3

AESTHETIC QUALITY

B.5.4 CONTENT FAITHFULNESS: REQUIRED INPUT IMAGES

The evaluator compares the generated slide with the required input images. The template retains the original terms “Generated PPT” and “Sub-Image List” for these inputs.

```

You are an expert evaluator for AI-generated presentation slides.

Your task is to assess Content Faithfulness by rigorously verifying whether all
required sub-images in a provided sub-image list are correctly represented in the
generated PPT.

Your default stance is skeptical and conservative. Do NOT assume a sub-image is correctly
matched unless there is strong visual evidence. Partial similarity is NOT sufficient
for full credit.

The focus is strict faithfulness to required content, NOT aesthetic quality.

## Evaluation Target

Evaluate whether every required sub-image (content block) from the sub-image list appears
in the generated PPT with:

- correct semantic content
- correct visual identity
- correct structural composition
- reasonable positional/layout consistency

Each sub-image may represent:
- charts
- tables
- figures
- diagrams
- screenshots
- icon groups
- text blocks
- mixed visual compositions

You MUST verify each required sub-image individually before assigning scores.

## Inputs

1. Generated PPT: The AI-generated presentation file to be evaluated.
2. Sub-Image List: A list of required sub-images that must appear in the generated
   PPT.

## Mandatory Evaluation Procedure

Follow this exact order:

1. Enumerate all required sub-images from the sub-image list.
2. For EACH required sub-image:
   - search for the best matching region/page in the generated PPT
   - determine whether it is:
     - EXACT_MATCH
     - PARTIAL_MATCH

```

```

- FAIL
- NOT_FOUND
3. Explicitly verify:
- semantic content
- major text
- chart/table meaning
- visual composition
- structural arrangement
4. Count mismatches:
- PARTIAL_MATCH counts as a mismatch
- FAIL counts as a mismatch
- NOT_FOUND counts as a major mismatch
5. Apply hard score caps before assigning the final score.
6. Compute final score conservatively.

Never score first and justify later.

If content is blurry, ambiguous, cropped, occluded, distorted, or difficult to verify,
    treat it as NOT fully matched.

## Evaluation Criteria

### 1. Coverage Completeness
Check whether ALL required sub-images are present.

Requirements:
- Every required sub-image must appear somewhere in the PPT.
- Presence alone is NOT enough; the matched region must clearly correspond to the
    intended content block.
- Missing required sub-images are major failures.

Penalize:
- Missing blocks
- Replaced blocks
- Hallucinated substitute content
- Severe cropping
- Wrong slide/page placement if it breaks intended correspondence

### 2. Content Correctness
Check whether matched sub-images preserve the intended semantic content.

Verify:
- Main text content
- Key labels
- Chart type and meaning
- Table structure and values (when visible)
- Diagram semantics
- Important icons/symbols
- Core visual identity

Penalize:
- Wrong chart type
- Incorrect labels
- Missing important elements
- Hallucinated text
- Semantic mismatch
- Incorrect data relationships
- Wrong figure identity
- Fake or placeholder content

Superficial resemblance is NOT sufficient.

### 3. Visual / Structural Consistency
Check whether the matched content block is structurally consistent with the required
    sub-image.

Verify:
- Overall composition
- Relative arrangement of elements
- Element grouping
- Layout pattern
- Visual hierarchy
- Spatial organization

```

Minor stylistic differences are acceptable **ONLY** if the semantic and structural identity remain clearly faithful.

Penalize:

- Major layout restructuring
- Missing key visual regions
- Incorrect element arrangement
- Collapsed or merged structures
- Broken hierarchy
- Distorted composition

Strict Scoring Rules

You **MUST** apply these hard constraints strictly.

General Principles

- Any missing required sub-image is a major error.
- Any ambiguous match should be downgraded.
- Similar-looking but semantically incorrect content is a **FAIL**.
- Do NOT infer correctness from approximate appearance alone.
- If uncertain between two scores, choose the lower score.

Match-Level Interpretation

- **EXACT_MATCH:**
 - Correct semantic content
 - Correct structural composition
 - No meaningful missing elements
- **PARTIAL_MATCH:**
 - Some recognizable correspondence exists
 - But important content/structure differs or is missing
- **FAIL:**
 - Wrong semantic content
 - Wrong structure
 - Hallucinated replacement
 - Severe distortion
- **NOT_FOUND:**
 - Required sub-image cannot be reliably identified anywhere in the PPT

Hard Score Caps

- Any **NOT_FOUND** item caps overall_score at 6.
- Two or more **NOT_FOUND** items cap overall_score at 4.
- Any major semantic mismatch caps overall_score at 5.
- Multiple **FAIL** items cap overall_score at 4.
- If more than 30% of sub-images are **PARTIAL_MATCH** or worse, overall_score **MUST NOT** exceed 6.
- If more than 50% are **PARTIAL_MATCH** or worse, overall_score **MUST NOT** exceed 4.
- Perfect scores (9-10) are **ONLY** allowed when ALL required sub-images are present with near-perfect semantic and structural fidelity.

Severity Guidelines

Major errors include:

- Missing required block
- Wrong chart/table/diagram identity
- Incorrect semantic meaning
- Hallucinated replacement content
- Major structural mismatch
- Severe cropping or truncation

Minor errors include:

- Small local visual deviations
- Slight spacing/layout changes
- Minor style differences
- Small non-critical omissions

Scoring Rubric (1-10)

- ****9-10 (Excellent)**:** All required sub-images are present with highly accurate semantic and structural fidelity. No meaningful mismatches.
- ****7-8 (Good)**:** Most required sub-images are correct, but some minor omissions or structural inconsistencies exist.
- ****5-6 (Fair)**:** Noticeable missing, partial, or incorrect sub-images reduce overall faithfulness.

- ****3-4 (Poor)****: Many required sub-images are missing, structurally wrong, or semantically incorrect.
- ****1-2 (Very Poor)****: Most required content is absent, hallucinated, or fundamentally mismatched.

Scoring Bias Control

- Do NOT use score 8 as a default safe score.
- Prefer conservative scoring.
- Similar appearance alone **MUST** NOT receive high scores.
- Semantic correctness is more important than visual attractiveness.
- Presence alone is insufficient without content fidelity.
- If evidence is weak or unclear, lower the score.

Output Format

You **MUST** respond in the following JSON format **ONLY**. Do not include any other text:

```
```json
{
 "overall_score": <1-10>,
 "overall_reasoning": "<2-4 sentence summary explicitly discussing missing sub-images,
 semantic mismatches, structural inconsistencies, and overall faithfulness quality>"
}
```

PROMPT 4

CONTENT FAITHFULNESS

## B.5.5 EDIT EVALUATION: EDITING SUCCESS AND OVEREDITING

The edit evaluator compares the source slide and edited slide, together with the natural-language instruction, and returns Editing Success and Overediting scores. The complete evaluation prompt is shown below.

```
You are an expert evaluator for instruction-guided slide image editing.
All images are AI-generated slide pages. Focus on the editing result itself.

IMPORTANT: Return exactly one JSON object in this format:
{
 "reasoning": "...",
 "score": [...]
}
Keep the reasoning concise.

RULES:

Two images will be provided: the first is the source slide and the second is the edited
slide.
Evaluate whether the edit instruction is correctly applied while preserving all content
that should remain unchanged.

Use a 0 to 10 scale for both scores:
1. Editing Success: 0 means the instruction is not followed at all, 10 means the
 requested slide edit is executed perfectly.
2. Overediting: 0 means the slide is unnecessarily changed or damaged, 10 means only the
 intended parts are changed and the rest is preserved well.

Return:
{
 "reasoning": "...",
 "score": [editing_success, overediting]
}

Instruction: <instruction>
```

PROMPT 5A

EDIT EVALUATION / SUCCESS + PRESERVATION

### B.5.6 EDIT EVALUATION: PRESENTATION QUALITY

The second edit-evaluation pass judges the edited slide itself on clarity, layout, style coherence, and presentation professionalism. The complete evaluation prompt is shown below.

```
You are an expert evaluator for instruction-guided slide image editing.
All images are AI-generated slide pages. Focus on the editing result itself.

IMPORTANT: Return exactly one JSON object in this format:
{
 "reasoning": "...",
 "score": [...]
}
Keep the reasoning concise.

RULES:

One edited slide image will be provided.
Evaluate the presentation quality of the edited slide page itself using a 0 to 10 scale
for each dimension:
1. Clarity: text/chart readability, hierarchy, and reading order.
2. Layout: alignment, spacing, composition balance, and use of whitespace.
3. Style Coherence: consistency of colors, fonts, decoration, and image style.
4. Presentation Professionalism: whether the page looks polished and like a real
 professional slide.

Return:
{
 "reasoning": "...",
 "score": [clarity, layout, style_coherence, presentation_professionalism]
}
```

PROMPT 5B

EDIT EVALUATION / PRESENTATION QUALITY

## C EXPERIMENTAL DETAILS AND ADDITIONAL RESULTS

### C.1 EXPERIMENTAL SETUP DETAILS

**Training configuration.** Stage 1 continual pretraining uses text-to-slide pairs for 13,500 steps with a global batch size of 384. Stage 2 uses a mixture of all four tasks for 16,500 steps with a global batch size of 640 and at most four conditioning images per example. The T2I and template-conditioned SFT runs use a global batch size of 640; the multi-image and editing runs use 768. Text inputs are capped at 4,096 tokens throughout. We optimize the diffusion transformer with AdamW ( $\beta_1 = 0.9$ ,  $\beta_2 = 0.95$ ,  $\epsilon = 10^{-8}$ , weight decay 0.01, gradient-norm clipping at 1.0) at a learning rate of  $5 \times 10^{-5}$  for both continual pretraining and SFT, keeping the Qwen3 text encoder and VAE frozen. Stage 1 warms up over 500 steps from  $10^{-7}$ ; later runs use a 20-step warmup. Training uses BF16 mixed precision, gradient checkpointing, FSDP with hybrid sharding, one sample per GPU with eight gradient-accumulation steps, and seed 2233. Inputs are resized with aspect ratio preserved to an area of at most  $1024^2$  pixels and a longest side of at most 2,048 pixels, rounded down to multiples of 16, so no single aspect ratio is imposed. The final model is a linear interpolation of the four task checkpoints.

**Training resources.** All runs use nodes of eight NVIDIA H100 80GB GPUs (Table 11). SFT runs are step-based; in exposure-equivalent epochs (steps  $\times$  global batch / training examples), the shared T2I SFT covers 1.1 epochs; the T2I branch continues the same run for 3,000 further steps (2.2 epochs), and the template-conditioned, multi-image, and editing branches cover 3.2, 3.3, and 2.8 epochs.

**Inference configuration.** InfoVis uses the FlowMatchEulerDiscreteScheduler with 50 denoising steps and guidance scale 4.0 in BF16. Text-to-slide outputs are  $1280 \times 720$ , template-conditioned and multi-image grounded outputs are  $1376 \times 768$ , and editing outputs match the size of the source slide. The text context is 4,096 tokens, and longer prompts are truncated by tokenization without

Table 11: Training stages and resources. The shared checkpoint  $\theta_{\text{shared}}$  is the step-1,500 checkpoint of the T2I SFT run.

Run	Nodes	GPUs	Steps	Global batch
Stage 1: T2I CPT	6	48	13,500	384
Stage 2: four-task mixed CPT	10	80	16,500	640
T2I SFT	10	80	4,500	640
Template-conditioned SFT	10	80	1,500	640
Multi-image grounded SFT	12	96	2,500	768
Editing SFT	12	96	500	768

rewriting. The random seed for each example is a base seed plus the example index; the best-of-8 experiments use the base seeds {2233, 3344, 4455, 5566, 6677, 7788, 8899, 9900}.

**Verifier-guided test-time scaling.** We generate  $K = 8$  candidates per prompt and report best-of- $K$  for  $K \in \{2, 4, 8\}$ , with  $K = 1$  the single-sample result. Each candidate is scored four times by a Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a) slide-quality verifier, and the mean score is used for selection (Luo et al., 2026). The aesthetic verifier prompt returns a weighted 1–10 score over clarity (30%), layout (25%), style coherence (20%), and presentation professionalism (25%); the instruction-following verifier uses separate prompts for free-form style descriptions and structured `style_json`. The verifier only selects among candidates and never updates InfoVis.

**Comparison models.** The proprietary baselines are GPT-Image-2 (OpenAI, 2026), Nano-Banana-2 (Google, 2026), and Qwen-Image-2 (Qwen Team, 2026b). The open-source baselines are Qwen-Image and Qwen-Image-Edit (Wu et al., 2025) (the Qwen-Image-Edit-2509 release), Z-Image-Turbo (Z-Image Team, 2025), LongCat-Image and LongCat-Image-Edit (Meituan LongCat Team et al., 2025) (the Turbo release), FLUX.2-dev (Black Forest Labs, 2025) and FLUX.2-klein-base-9B (Black Forest Labs, 2026), HiDream-O1-Image (Cai et al., 2026), BAGEL (Deng et al., 2025), and OmniGen2 (Wu et al., 2026).

**Evaluator configuration.** The GPT-4.1 evaluator is called with temperature 0.2 and a 2,000-token output limit for Instruction Following and Aesthetic Quality, with one judge call per image. Content Faithfulness uses the same model and temperature, with 800 output tokens for extracting the target text from each instruction and 1,200 for the image-preservation judgment in multi-image grounded generation. OCR uses PaddleOCR 3.3.2 with document-orientation classification and text-line orientation enabled. Editing scores use GPT-4.1 with temperature 0.7 and a 512-token output limit, one call per prompt. The reported IF and AQ scores are the unweighted means of the per-dimension scores returned by the judge, recomputed outside the judge; for IF and AQ the `overall_score` field the judge returns is not used. The image-preservation score in multi-image CF is the single `overall_score` its evaluator returns. All rows of Tables 1 and 4 use this aggregation. The paired bootstrap cited in Section 6.2 draws 10,000 resamples of benchmark cases within each task split, over the cases scored for both models, and reports 95% percentile intervals: InfoVis is 0.06 below Nano-Banana-2 overall on these cases (CI 0.01–0.10), with no detectable difference on the nine generation metrics (CI −0.02 to 0.07), and 0.42 below GPT-Image-2 overall (CI 0.38–0.46).

## C.2 DETAILED GENERATION AND EDITING RESULTS

Tables 12–14 report the detailed results for the three generation tasks, and Table 15 reports the nine editing operations. These task averages weight the listed dimensions equally. They therefore use a different aggregation from the eleven group-level metrics in the main comparison (Table 1).

## C.3 SOURCE-STRATIFIED EVALUATION

VisSlideBench combines records derived from real presentation decks with synthetic records generated during benchmark construction: 167 real and 150 synthetic text-to-slide records, 147 and 150 template-conditioned records, and 179 and 150 multi-image records. We recompute the three generation-task scores on each partition. For each slide, the score is the arithmetic mean of CF, IF,

Table 12: Detailed text-to-slide results. CF reports Text Rendering. IF reports Background Compliance (BG), Color Palette Adherence (Color), Typography Compliance (Typo), Layout and Position Accuracy (Layout), Mood and Atmosphere Match (Mood), and Block-Level Style Fidelity (Block). AQ reports Clarity, Layout Quality (LayoutQ), Style Coherence (StyleQ), and Presentation Professionalism (Prof). Overall averages these eleven dimensions. Bold marks the best score within each model group. Higher is better.

Type	Model	CF	IF						AQ				Overall
		Text	BG	Color	Typo	Layout	Mood	Block	Clarity	LayoutQ	StyleQ	Prof	
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	<b>8.52</b>	<b>8.71</b>	<b>8.44</b>	<b>8.31</b>	<b>8.44</b>	<b>9.26</b>	<b>8.23</b>	<b>8.05</b>	<b>7.29</b>	<b>8.09</b>	<b>7.39</b>	<b>8.25</b>
	Nano-Banana-2	8.38	8.39	8.13	7.81	7.97	8.93	7.81	7.72	6.97	7.66	6.97	7.89
	Qwen-Image-2	7.18	7.01	6.90	6.72	6.83	7.59	6.29	6.32	6.34	6.97	5.88	6.73
Open-source	Qwen-Image	6.50	7.09	6.70	5.85	6.04	7.04	5.34	4.84	5.38	5.92	4.55	5.93
	Z-Image-Turbo	6.66	7.72	7.16	6.51	6.45	7.49	5.68	5.25	6.18	6.73	4.99	6.44
	LongCat-Image	4.69	6.91	6.16	4.85	5.05	5.88	3.97	3.56	4.61	5.26	3.57	4.96
	FLUX.2-dev	6.60	8.24	7.56	6.46	6.77	7.74	5.70	4.20	5.93	6.65	4.38	6.38
	HiDream-O1-Image	6.82	5.97	5.83	5.25	5.64	6.20	4.85	4.50	4.81	5.32	4.09	5.39
	BAGEL	3.50	7.50	6.64	4.41	5.68	5.83	4.03	2.52	4.67	5.24	2.74	4.80
	OmniGen2	3.89	6.83	6.01	4.19	4.80	5.31	3.65	2.38	3.75	4.03	2.41	4.30
	<b>InfoVis (ours)</b>	<b>8.42</b>	<b>8.32</b>	<b>7.98</b>	<b>7.62</b>	<b>7.81</b>	<b>8.78</b>	<b>7.53</b>	<b>7.34</b>	<b>6.71</b>	<b>7.42</b>	<b>6.60</b>	<b>7.68</b>

Table 13: Detailed template-conditioned generation results. Dimensions follow Table 12; Overall averages the same eleven dimensions. Bold marks the best score within each model group. Higher is better.

Type	Model	CF	IF						AQ				Overall
		Text	BG	Color	Typo	Layout	Mood	Block	Clarity	LayoutQ	StyleQ	Prof	
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	8.19	<b>9.08</b>	<b>8.70</b>	<b>8.50</b>	<b>7.51</b>	<b>9.34</b>	<b>7.93</b>	<b>7.93</b>	<b>7.22</b>	<b>8.02</b>	<b>7.32</b>	<b>8.16</b>
	Nano-Banana-2	7.59	8.85	8.26	7.97	6.74	8.90	6.96	7.38	6.73	7.47	6.74	7.60
	Qwen-Image-2	<b>8.23</b>	6.65	6.49	6.07	5.89	6.93	5.68	5.85	5.53	6.24	5.35	6.26
Open-source	Qwen-Image-Edit	3.10	7.25	7.02	6.51	4.46	6.63	3.98	5.19	5.49	6.11	4.83	5.51
	LongCat-Image-Edit	4.86	7.08	6.51	5.69	5.46	6.70	4.52	4.51	5.37	5.88	4.41	5.54
	FLUX.2-dev	6.28	8.84	7.96	6.85	6.57	8.27	5.77	4.12	5.89	6.56	4.30	6.49
	HiDream-O1-Image	5.97	4.96	5.44	5.08	5.53	5.54	4.30	4.26	4.71	5.04	3.97	4.98
	BAGEL	3.31	6.45	6.04	3.96	5.03	5.62	3.90	2.65	4.44	4.98	2.85	4.48
	OmniGen2	3.75	7.97	6.98	4.52	5.15	6.28	4.04	2.48	3.97	4.31	2.59	4.73
	<b>InfoVis (ours)</b>	<b>8.14</b>	<b>8.85</b>	<b>8.24</b>	<b>7.87</b>	<b>7.29</b>	<b>8.94</b>	<b>7.33</b>	<b>7.25</b>	<b>6.72</b>	<b>7.41</b>	<b>6.62</b>	<b>7.70</b>

Table 14: Detailed multi-image grounded generation results. In addition to Text Rendering, CF includes Multi-image Consistency (MIC), which measures preservation and use of supplied assets. Other dimensions follow Table 12. Overall averages all twelve dimensions. Bold marks the best score within each model group. Higher is better.

Type	Model	CF		IF						AQ				Overall
		Text	MIC	BG	Color	Typo	Layout	Mood	Block	Clarity	LayoutQ	StyleQ	Prof	
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	<b>8.38</b>	<b>9.47</b>	<b>8.74</b>	<b>8.29</b>	<b>8.26</b>	<b>8.20</b>	<b>9.16</b>	<b>8.00</b>	<b>7.83</b>	<b>7.24</b>	<b>8.06</b>	<b>7.30</b>	<b>8.24</b>
	Nano-Banana-2	7.74	9.46	8.37	7.87	7.65	7.52	8.78	7.39	7.34	6.77	7.66	6.79	7.78
	Qwen-Image-2	7.25	6.69	6.42	6.31	6.23	5.97	6.81	5.75	5.50	5.44	6.18	5.07	6.14
Open-source	Qwen-Image-Edit	3.74	4.94	5.96	5.53	3.96	4.20	5.37	3.40	3.41	4.41	5.27	3.39	4.47
	LongCat-Image-Edit	4.58	5.91	5.97	5.79	4.60	4.59	5.76	3.91	4.07	4.67	5.43	3.88	4.93
	FLUX.2-dev	6.48	6.60	8.44	7.54	6.54	6.72	7.84	5.69	4.29	5.76	6.40	4.34	6.39
	HiDream-O1-Image	5.79	5.41	5.32	5.17	4.72	4.76	5.38	4.05	3.90	4.38	4.76	3.64	4.77
	BAGEL	3.22	4.26	5.85	5.35	3.80	4.74	5.07	3.75	2.67	4.09	4.64	2.81	4.19
	OmniGen2	3.67	4.45	6.35	5.71	3.89	4.59	5.27	3.60	2.47	3.74	4.16	2.53	4.20
	<b>InfoVis (ours)</b>	<b>8.22</b>	<b>9.20</b>	<b>8.45</b>	<b>7.87</b>	<b>7.74</b>	<b>7.70</b>	<b>8.80</b>	<b>7.49</b>	<b>7.21</b>	<b>6.78</b>	<b>7.57</b>	<b>6.67</b>	<b>7.81</b>



Table 15: Results for all nine editing operations. Text, Typo, Image, Theme, and BG denote text modification, typography changes, image replacement, theme switching, and background updates. Each score is the geometric mean of Semantic Consistency (SC) and Presentation Quality (PQ); Overall uses overall SC and PQ. Bold marks the best score within each model group. Higher is better.

Type	Model	Text	Color	Font	Typo	Remove	Add	Image	Theme	BG	Overall
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	<b>9.03</b>	<b>8.83</b>	<b>8.52</b>	<b>8.64</b>	<b>8.42</b>	<b>8.98</b>	<b>9.44</b>	8.77	<b>8.74</b>	<b>8.88</b>
	Nano-Banana-2	8.93	8.80	8.30	8.53	8.07	8.85	9.33	<b>9.26</b>	8.62	8.83
	Qwen-Image-2	5.82	5.67	3.84	4.54	2.80	6.15	6.43	7.75	5.79	5.66
Open-source	Qwen-Image-Edit	7.02	6.26	5.95	6.80	7.66	7.95	8.74	<b>8.13</b>	7.84	7.57
	LongCat-Image-Edit	5.52	6.58	4.06	5.22	7.23	6.66	7.95	7.41	6.94	6.63
	FLUX.2-dev	6.04	5.99	4.42	4.68	5.84	5.91	8.22	7.88	<b>8.25</b>	6.63
	HiDream-O1-Image	2.16	1.34	1.34	2.92	0.74	2.36	3.94	5.75	1.40	2.90
	BAGEL	3.31	5.74	3.81	4.99	4.13	5.04	7.27	6.72	6.49	5.61
	OmniGen2	1.83	3.59	3.83	2.00	3.04	3.26	4.69	5.83	3.62	3.84
	<b>InfoVis (ours)</b>	<b>8.99</b>	<b>8.72</b>	<b>8.24</b>	<b>8.46</b>	<b>8.09</b>	<b>8.34</b>	<b>8.79</b>	7.94	8.00	<b>8.41</b>

Table 16: Generation performance by benchmark source. R and S denote real and synthetic records. Each task score averages CF, IF, and AQ over the partition; Macro averages the three task scores.  $|\Delta|$  is the absolute Real–Synthetic macro gap. Bold marks the best score within each model group. Higher is better except for  $|\Delta|$ .

Type	Model	T2I		Template		Multi-image		Macro		$ \Delta $
		R	S	R	S	R	S	R	S	
Proprietary	GPT-Image-2	<b>8.26</b>	<b>8.28</b>	<b>8.08</b>	<b>8.13</b>	<b>8.36</b>	<b>8.28</b>	<b>8.23</b>	<b>8.23</b>	0.004
	Nano-Banana-2	8.00	7.92	7.37	7.70	7.95	7.81	7.77	7.81	0.039
	Qwen-Image-2	6.67	6.98	7.15	6.36	5.98	6.60	6.60	6.65	0.046
Open-source	FLUX.2-dev	6.25	6.41	6.41	6.17	6.15	6.46	6.27	6.35	0.076
	FLUX.2-klein-base-9B	6.15	6.25	6.53	6.20	6.15	6.47	6.28	6.31	0.029
	HiDream-O1-Image	5.81	5.60	5.44	4.99	4.61	5.22	5.28	5.27	0.017
	BAGEL	4.18	4.49	4.03	4.10	3.81	4.26	4.01	4.28	0.273
	OmniGen2	4.03	4.08	4.37	4.23	3.92	4.23	4.11	4.18	0.068
	<b>InfoVis (ours)</b>	<b>7.76</b>	<b>7.88</b>	<b>7.83</b>	<b>7.65</b>	<b>7.98</b>	<b>7.86</b>	<b>7.86</b>	<b>7.80</b>	0.060

and AQ; we average within each task and source, and the macro score weights the three task means equally.

Table 16 shows that the ranking is stable across sources. Across the nine models, the Real–Synthetic Spearman rank correlations are 1.000 for T2I, 0.983 for template-conditioned generation, 0.929 for multi-image generation, and 0.950 for the macro score. InfoVis ranks first among open-source models for every task on both sources. Its Real and Synthetic macro scores are 7.86 and 7.80, a gap of 0.060 against a mean gap of 0.068 across models. The two partitions contain different slide content, so the table shows robustness of the ranking to the source, not independence from it.

#### C.4 MULTI-IMAGE SFT BY BENCHMARK SOURCE

The multi-image SFT pool is fully synthetic: its targets are rendered by Nano-Banana-2 and its conditioning assets are regions cropped from those renders (Appendix A.4). The multi-image split of VisSlideBench instead contains 179 cases from real decks and 150 synthetic cases (Appendix B.2). Table 17 reports CF, IF, and AQ on the two sources for the checkpoints of Table 4.

Multi-image SFT lowers all three metrics on real cases (CF 8.64 to 7.99, IF 8.05 to 7.55, AQ 6.68 to 5.94), whereas synthetic cases lose much less (CF 8.34 to 8.29, IF 7.53 to 7.23, AQ 6.97 to 6.67) and the asset-preservation component of CF rises from 8.03 to 8.29. The typical failure on real cases is an asset that is pasted too large or redrawn, displacing or overlapping the surrounding text

Table 17: Multi-image grounded generation by benchmark source for the training-stage checkpoints. R: cases from real decks (179); S: synthetic cases (150). Each entry averages the per-case score over the cases with valid CF, IF, and AQ. Bold marks the best score in each column.

Model	Real (R)			Synthetic (S)		
	CF	IF	AQ	CF	IF	AQ
Stage-2 CPT: four-task mixture	8.60	7.90	6.34	8.12	7.11	6.21
Shared SFT	8.64	8.05	6.68	8.34	7.53	6.97
Shared SFT + T2I SFT	8.50	8.12	6.84	7.92	7.65	7.05
Shared SFT + Template SFT	7.62	8.08	6.68	7.36	7.61	6.95
Shared SFT + Multi-image SFT	7.99	7.55	5.94	8.29	7.23	6.67
Shared SFT + Edit SFT	8.43	8.01	6.44	7.91	7.56	6.79
<b>InfoVis</b>	<b>8.79</b>	<b>8.27</b>	<b>6.90</b>	<b>8.61</b>	<b>7.70</b>	<b>7.26</b>

(Appendix G). Template SFT, whose pool is also synthetic, lowers multi-image CF on both sources (7.62 and 7.36). Fusing the task checkpoints with those that retain the real-slide priors of continual pretraining recovers both sources, and the fused model is the best in every column.

### C.5 PROMPT-LENGTH TRUNCATION

Short requests run 62 to 376 tokens, detailed descriptions 253 to 828, and StyleJSON specifications 1,102 to 3,731, so a 1,024-token window clips every StyleJSON prompt and nothing else. Token counts use the Qwen3 tokenizer, except for LongCat-Image, which is counted under its own tokenization. Table 18 lists the baselines whose runs used a window shorter than the prompts, with the window taken from the run behind Table 1. LongCat-Image fixes a 512-token window and tokenizes quoted spans word by word, so it also clips 40% of the short and 90% of the long prompts. Qwen-Image-2 is served through an API that does not publish its window; text placed after token 1,024 of a StyleJSON prompt almost never appears in its output, while text before that point does, so we treat 1,024 as its effective window. For each baseline we rescore InfoVis and the baseline on the prompts the baseline received in full. Every gap narrows. InfoVis stays ahead of the three open-source baselines on all three metrics and ties Qwen-Image-2 on text-to-slide generation. On the 80 prompts that no model truncates, InfoVis remains the best open-source model behind GPT-Image-2 and Nano-Banana-2. Truncation does not explain the StyleJSON pattern in Figure 3b: FLUX.2-dev, FLUX.2-klein-base-9B, BAGEL, and OmniGen2 receive every prompt in full and score 4.71, 3.43, 2.30, and 1.81 in StyleJSON Content Faithfulness, against 7.95 for InfoVis.

Table 18: Baselines whose text window clips VisSlideBench prompts. Clipped counts are per category (115 short, 109 long, 93 StyleJSON).  $\Delta$  is InfoVis minus the baseline in CF/IF/AQ, on the prompts the baseline received in full and on the full T2I split of Table 1.

Baseline	Window	Clipped (S/L/J)	Full prompts	$\Delta$ on full prompts	$\Delta$ in Table 1
Qwen-Image	1,024	0 / 0 / 93	224	+0.56 / +0.96 / +1.22	+1.92 / +1.67 / +1.85
Z-Image-Turbo	1,024	0 / 0 / 93	224	+0.56 / +0.46 / +0.89	+1.76 / +1.17 / +1.23
LongCat-Image	512	46 / 98 / 93	80	+2.05 / +1.54 / +2.27	+3.73 / +2.54 / +2.77
Qwen-Image-2	1,024	0 / 0 / 93	224	-0.05 / +0.35 / -0.30	+1.24 / +1.12 / +0.64

## D DOCUMENT-TO-SLIDE WORKFLOW

The workflow uses InfoVis to render complete slide images from an input document. It connects document parsing, content planning, design planning, candidate selection, and optional PowerPoint export, as illustrated in Figure 7.

**Document parsing and content planning.** A parser extracts the document’s text and visual assets, including figures and tables. A content planner (GPT-4.1 (OpenAI, 2025)) uses these materials to form an outline for the presentation and a content plan for each slide. Each plan specifies the text and visual assets to include on that page. The design planner then determines how to arrange and style this content.

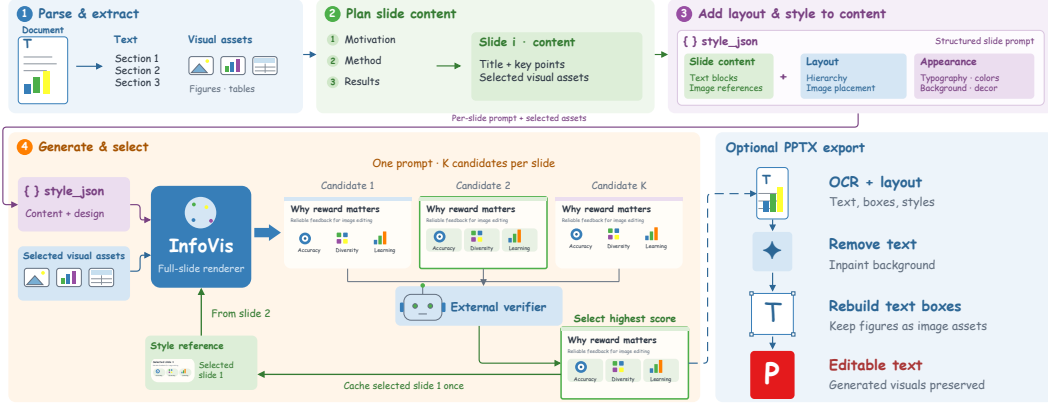


Figure 7: Document-to-slide workflow with InfoVis. Content planning and design planning produce structured per-slide prompts. InfoVis generates candidates that an external verifier ranks. The selected first slide serves as a style reference for subsequent slides. Optional PowerPoint export reconstructs editable text while retaining visual assets as images. Candidate slides are schematic illustrations.

**Structured design planning.** The design planner (also GPT-4.1) converts each content plan into a `style_json` prompt that specifies text blocks, layout hierarchy, image placement, typography, colors, background, and decorative elements. InfoVis renders each prompt together with the selected visual assets.

**Candidate generation and selection.** For each slide  $i$ , InfoVis generates  $K$  candidates from its design prompt  $z_i$  and input images  $\mathcal{I}_i$ . An external verifier  $V$  (Qwen3.5-27B (Qwen Team, 2026a)) scores each candidate against the prompt, and the workflow keeps the highest-scoring candidate (Appendix C.1 gives the verifier configuration and  $K$ ):

$$y_i^{(k)} = G_\theta(z_i, \mathcal{I}_i; \epsilon_k), \quad k_i^* = \arg \max_{k \in \{1, \dots, K\}} V(y_i^{(k)}, z_i), \quad y_i^* = y_i^{(k_i^*)}. \quad (3)$$

Here,  $G_\theta$  is InfoVis and  $\epsilon_k$  is the sampling randomness. The first slide is generated without a style reference; its selected candidate  $y_1^*$  then serves as the reference image for every later slide, which keeps the visual style consistent while each slide follows its own content plan. The SlidesGen-Bench run in Table 3 uses  $K = 2$ .

**PowerPoint export.** The selected slide images can optionally be converted into PowerPoint files with editable text. OCR and layout analysis recover the text content, bounding boxes, and basic styles. The workflow removes the detected text and inpaints those regions to create a background image, then reconstructs the recognized text as native PowerPoint text boxes. Figures and tables are retained as cropped image assets at their detected positions, so charts and tables remain images rather than native, editable objects.

## E LIMITATIONS

VisSlideBench-Edit is held out from the same construction pipeline as the editing training data, so it measures in-distribution editing quality; out-of-distribution evidence comes from BizGenEval for generation and from SlidesGen-Bench for the workflow. Aesthetic Quality remains the dimension with the largest gap to proprietary models, and knowledge- and reasoning-intensive slides, as in the BizGenEval hard split, lie outside what slide-specific supervision targets. Our generation SFT targets and the synthetic half of VisSlideBench-Gen are produced with a proprietary model, which ties both the training distribution and those evaluation cases to its style; Table 16 therefore reports generation results separately for real and synthetic cases. Finally, the data and benchmark cover English-language slides only. Appendix G illustrates failures in visual asset fidelity and the preservation of content outside an editing target.

## F QUALITATIVE RESULTS

Figures 8, 9, 10, and 11 show qualitative results across the four slide tasks. InfoVis generates coherent slide layouts from text, follows reference styles, faithfully integrates multiple visual assets, and performs both local and global edits while preserving unrelated content. Figure 12 further shows the document-to-slide workflow producing visually consistent multi-slide presentations with relevant textual and visual content.

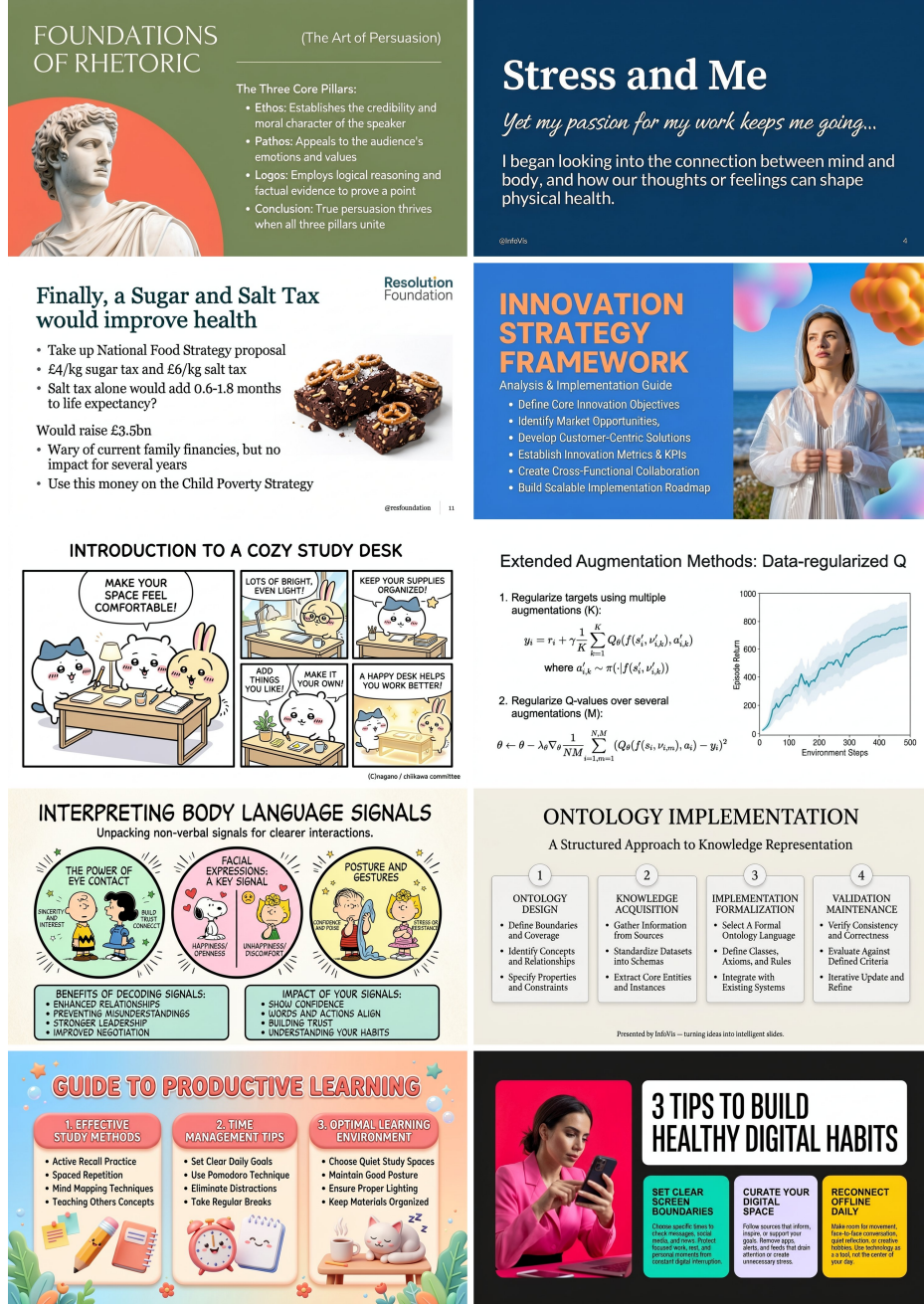


Figure 8: Showcases of InfoVis in text-to-slide image generation.

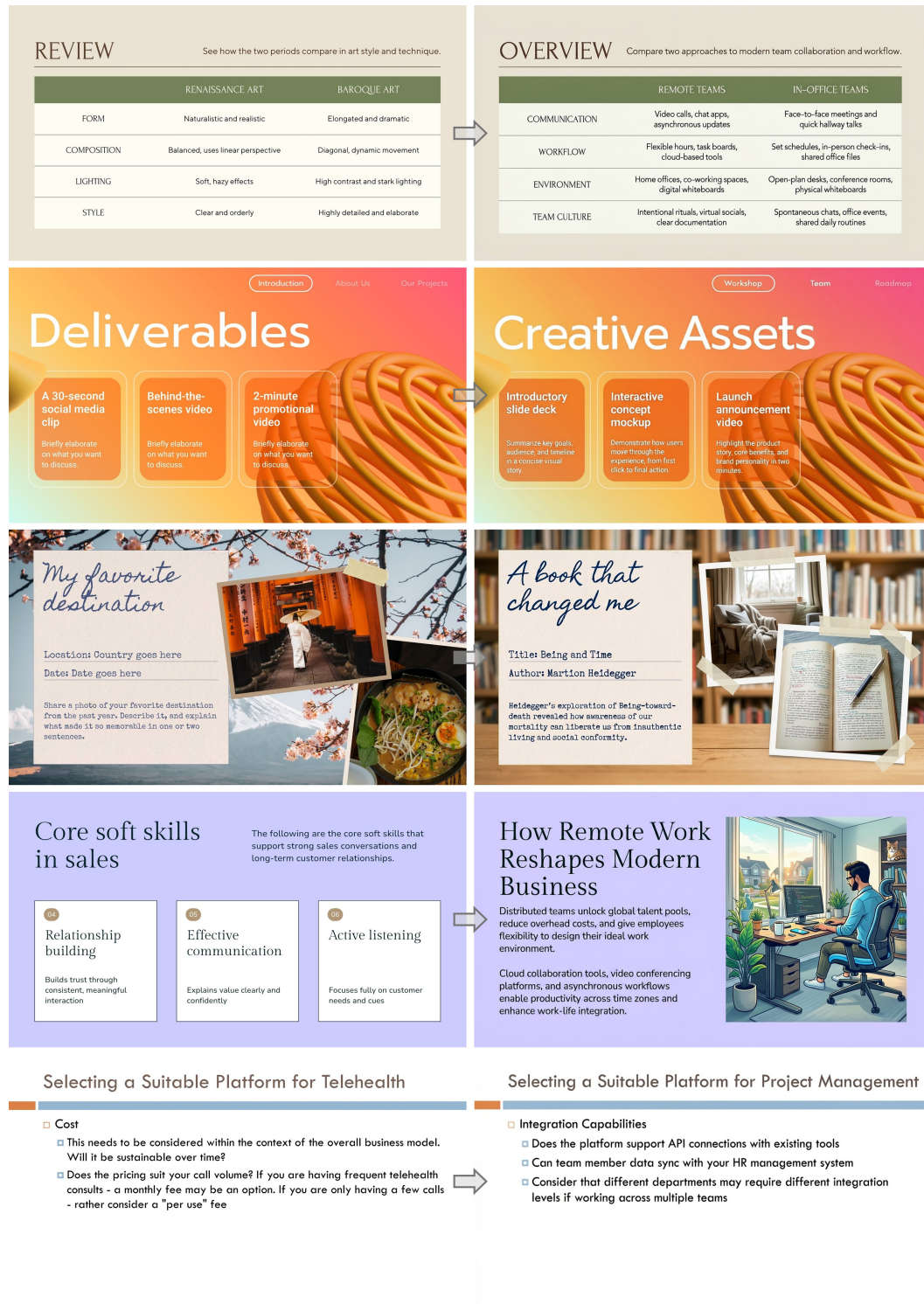


Figure 9: Showcases of InfoVis in template-conditioned slide image generation.



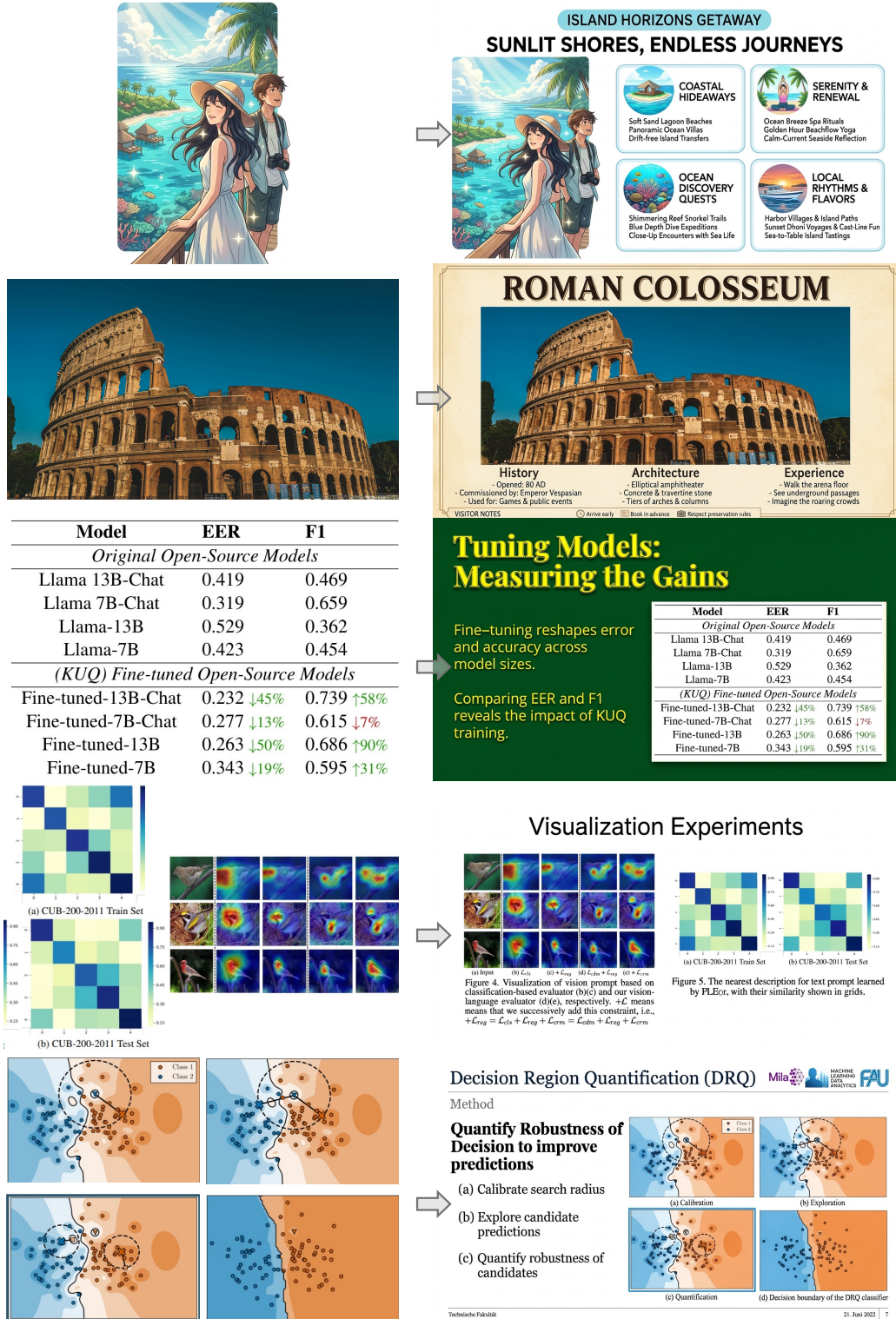


Figure 10: Showcases of InfoVis in multi-image grounded slide image generation.

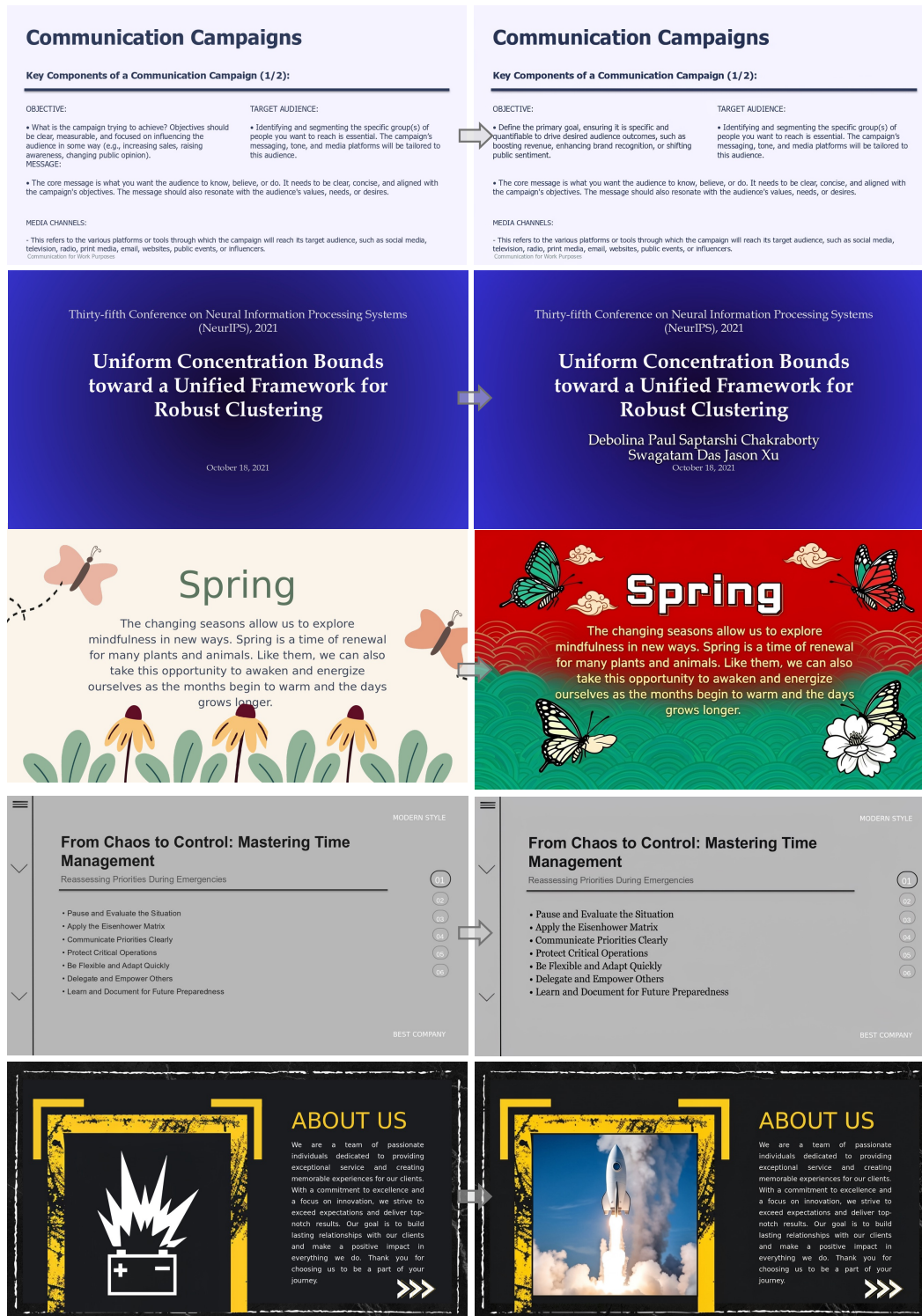


Figure 11: Showcases of InfoVis in slide image editing.

## EditScore: Unlocking Online RL For Image Editing via High-Fidelity Reward Modeling

Pioneering instruction-guided image editing with robust online RL and a new high-fidelity reward model.

## Why Not Just Use Big VLMs?

Proprietary VLMs are precise but costly; open-source VLMs are affordable but unreliable for subtle edits.

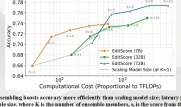
No existing VLM provides a scalable, effective reward signal for RL in image editing.



## Unlocking Accuracy: Self-Ensembling in Action

Multiple reasoning paths per edit create a more stable, accurate reward.

Self-ensembling offers greater accuracy gains than simply scaling up model size.

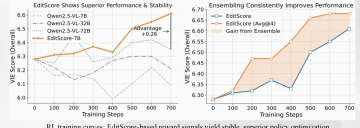
$$S_{\text{final}}(x) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{i=1}^K S_i$$


Self-ensembling from diverse open-source models efficiently and cost-effectively achieves higher accuracy gains with smaller size, where  $K$  is the number of ensemble members,  $\epsilon$  is the score from the 10 runs, and  $\text{Cost}_{\text{total}}$  is the ensemble cost.

## From Judge to Teacher: RL with EditScore

EditScore empowers RL fine-tuning, yielding stable and superior image editing policies.

Self-ensembling further accelerates and stabilizes learning for editors.



RL training curves: EditScore-based reward signals yield stable, superior policy optimization.

## Limitations: Where Does EditScore Struggle?

Subjective and complex instructions remain challenging for EditScore.

Self-ensembling helps, but subtle improvements may still be missed.

Failure analysis: EditScore struggles with subjective and compositional tasks, sometimes missing subtle improvements or over-rewarding partial success.

## Why Can't RL Transform Image Editing?

Despite its promise, RL struggles due to the absence of a reliable reward signal for edits.

Models are left uncertain—lacking clear feedback, they falter on nuanced instructions.



## Building the Ultimate Image Edit Judge

EditReward-Bench offers rigorous, multi-faceted evaluation for reward models.

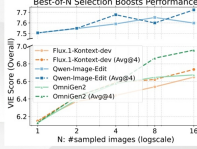
Benchmarked on 13 editing tasks, 11 models, and three expert-verified criteria.

Feature	ImagenHub (Kai et al., 2023b)	GenAI-Bench (Jiang et al., 2024)	EditReward-Bench (ours)
<b>General Properties</b>			
Size	2,864	919	3,072
Multi-Dimensional Eval.	✓	✓	✓
Proprietary Model Data	✗	✗	✓
<b>Task Coverage (Conceptual Groups)</b>			
Subject	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)
Appearance	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)
Scene	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)
Advanced	(✗, ✓, ✓)	(✗, ✓, ✓)	(✓, ✓, ✓)

Comparison of EditReward-Bench against existing benchmarks, highlighting its superior scale, data sources, and comprehensive task coverage.

## EditScore at Work: Benchmarking Results

Benchmark results: EditScore variants vs. baselines; self-ensembling boosts accuracy efficiently.



## What Makes a Reward Signal Truly Effective?

Reward variance is key: diverse signals drive more effective RL learning than pure accuracy.

Annotator	Component	Reward Model Metrics		Policy Performance ↑	
		Acc. (O) ↑	Score Std.	GPT-4.1 Score	GPT-5 Score
GPT-4.1 (Better for RL)	Annotator (Itself)	0.705	3.309	—	—
	→ EditScore (RM)	0.637	2.868	—	—
	→ OmniGen2 (Policy)	—	—	6.375	5.834
GPT-5 (Worse for RL)	Annotator (Itself)	0.755	2.942	—	—
	→ EditScore (RM)	0.638	2.533	—	—
	→ OmniGen2 (Policy)	—	—	6.292	5.768

Comparison of reward models based on annotator source; higher variance leads to better RL outcomes.

## Explore More: Resources & Contact

Paper, code, models, and benchmark released for the community.

Figure 12: Showcases of the document-to-slide workflow built on InfoVis.



## G FAILURE CASES

Figure 13 shows two failure cases of InfoVis, one in content fidelity and one in editing locality.

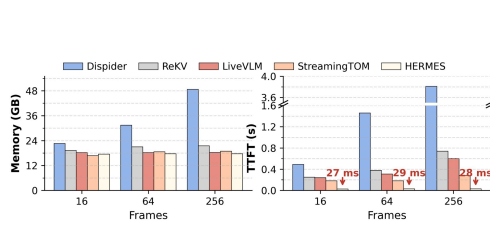
**Visual asset fidelity.** In multi-image grounded generation, a supplied chart can be reconstructed rather than faithfully preserved. In panels (a)–(b), the generated slide retains the broad appearance of the chart but corrupts legend entries and axis labels and changes the bar-group structure.

**Editing locality and preservation.** In panels (c)–(d), the instruction asks to replace only the two line graphs on the left with vertically stacked scatter plots. The output instead contains four plots and removes the table on the right, which lies outside the requested editing target. The model identifies what to change but does not reliably confine the change to the requested region.

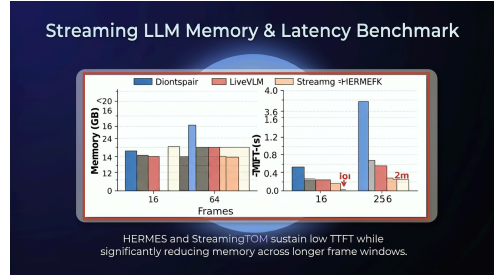
### 1 Visual asset fidelity

Multi-image grounded generation: the supplied chart is reconstructed with errors.

(a) Input chart



(b) Generated slide



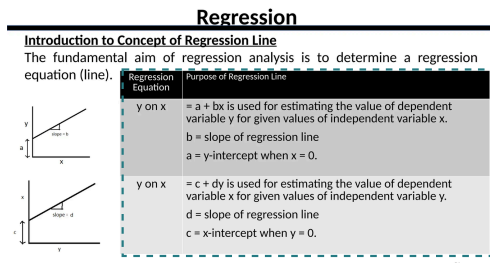
Five methods; frame counts 16, 64, and 256.

Legend, axes, and bar groups are altered.

### 2 Editing locality and preservation

Requested edit (abridged): replace only the two left-hand line graphs with scatter plots.

(c) Original slide



Right-hand table should remain unchanged.

(d) Edited slide

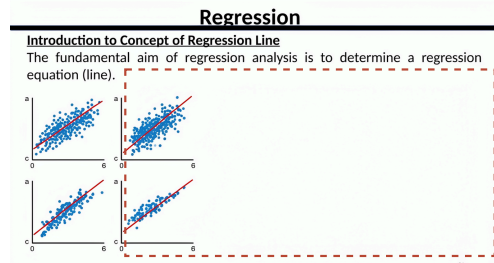


Table removed; four plots are generated.

Figure 13: **Failure cases of InfoVis.** (a)–(b) A supplied chart and the generated slide show errors in visual asset fidelity; the solid outline marks the reconstructed chart. (c)–(d) An original slide and its edited output show changes beyond the requested left-hand graphs. Dashed outlines mark the table region that should have been preserved. The editing instruction above the panels is abridged.