

# CS233, CME251: Geometric and Topological Data Analysis

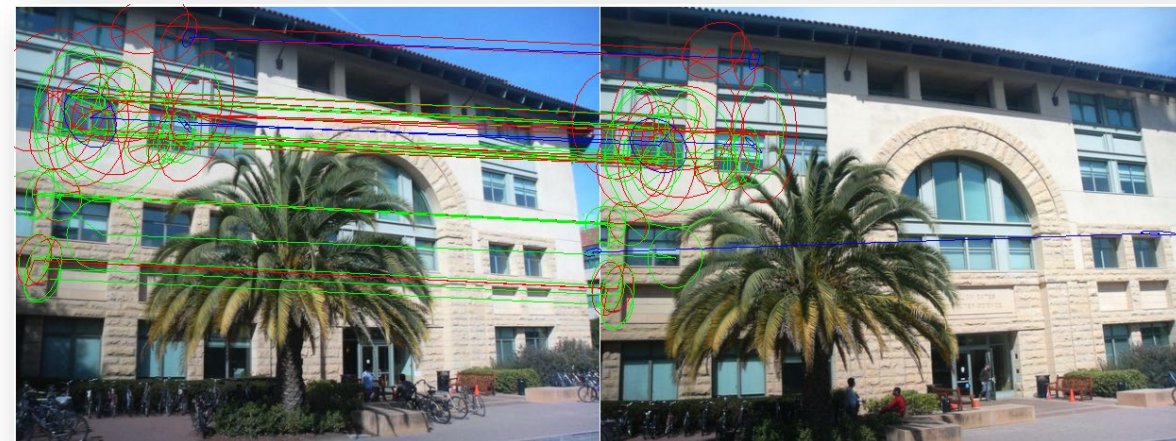
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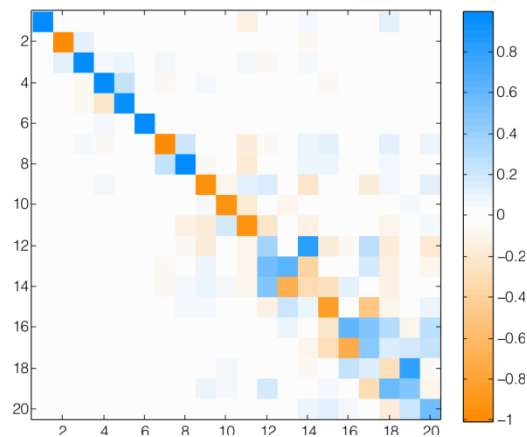


# Last Time: Functional Maps



# Functional Maps (a.k.a. Operators)

[M. Ovsjanikov, M. Ben-Chen, J. Solomon, A. Butscher, L. G., Siggraph '12]



# Functional Map

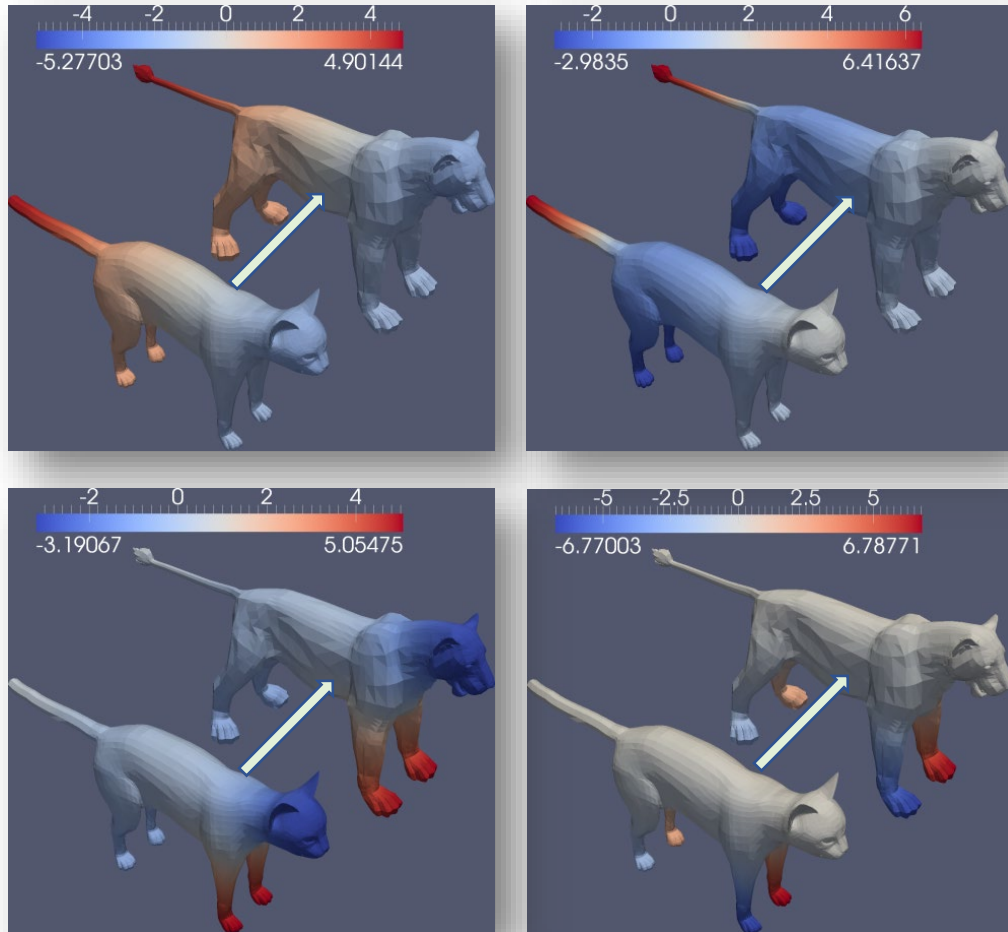
$$\phi : M \rightarrow N$$

$$T_\phi : L^2(N) \rightarrow L^2(M)$$

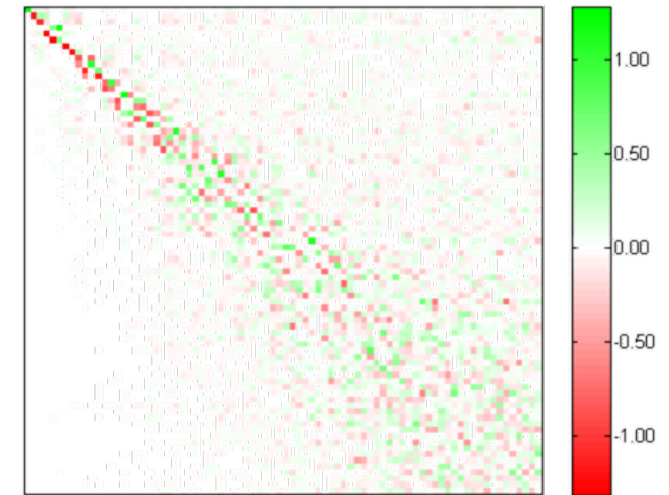
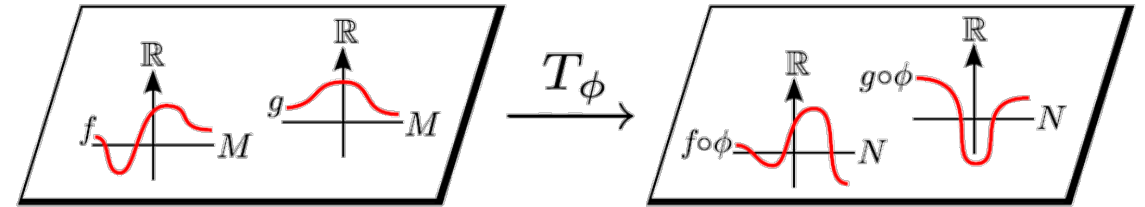
**Dual of a**  
**point-to-point map**

# A Contravariant Functor

from cat to lion



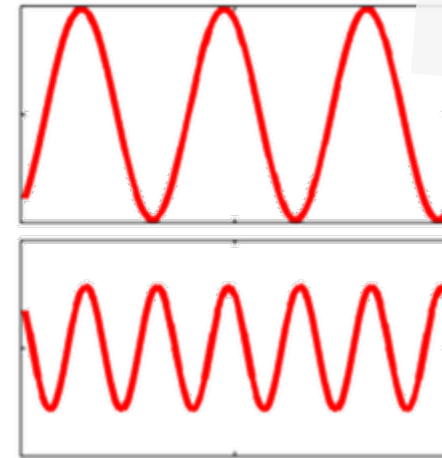
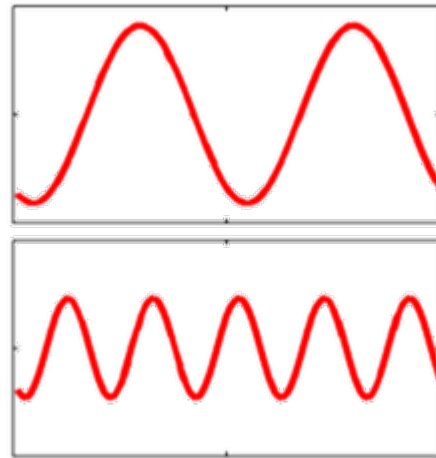
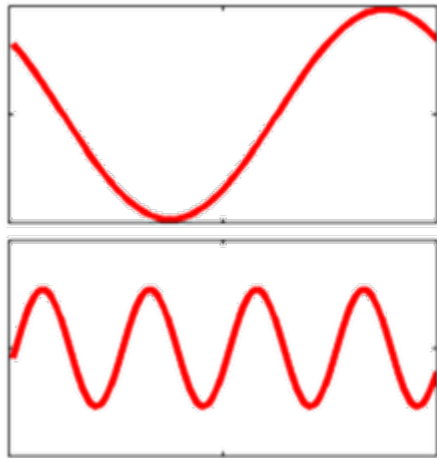
Functions on cat are transferred to lion using  $T_\phi$



$T_\phi$  is a linear operator (matrix)

$$T_\phi : L^2(\text{cat}) \rightarrow L^2(\text{lion})$$

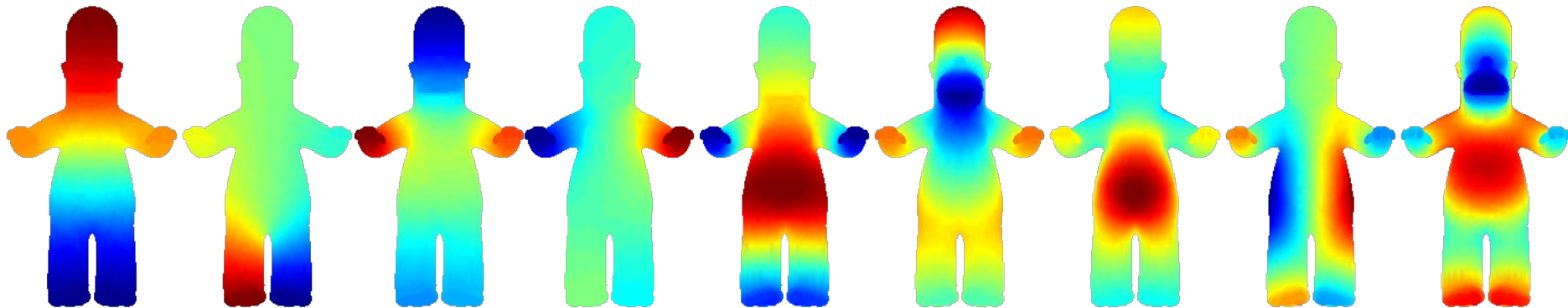
# Hierarchical Bases for a Function Space



Fourier

Laplace-Beltrami

global support



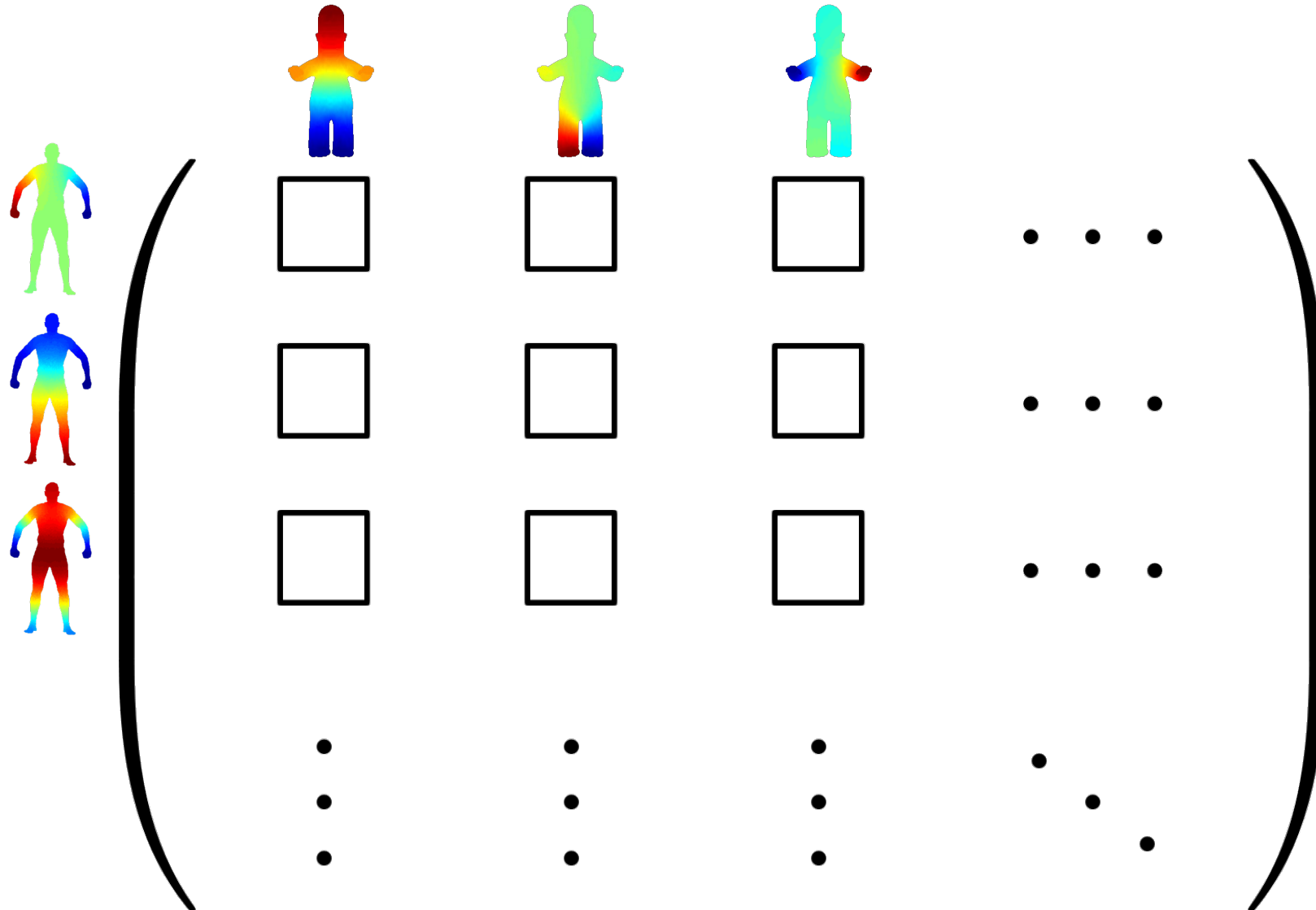
# Application of Basis

$$T_\phi[f](x) = T_\phi[a_1 \cdot \text{img}_1 + a_2 \cdot \text{img}_2 + a_3 \cdot \text{img}_3 + \dots]$$

$$= a_1 T_\phi[\text{img}_1] + a_2 T_\phi[\text{img}_2] + a_3 T_\phi[\text{img}_3] + \dots$$

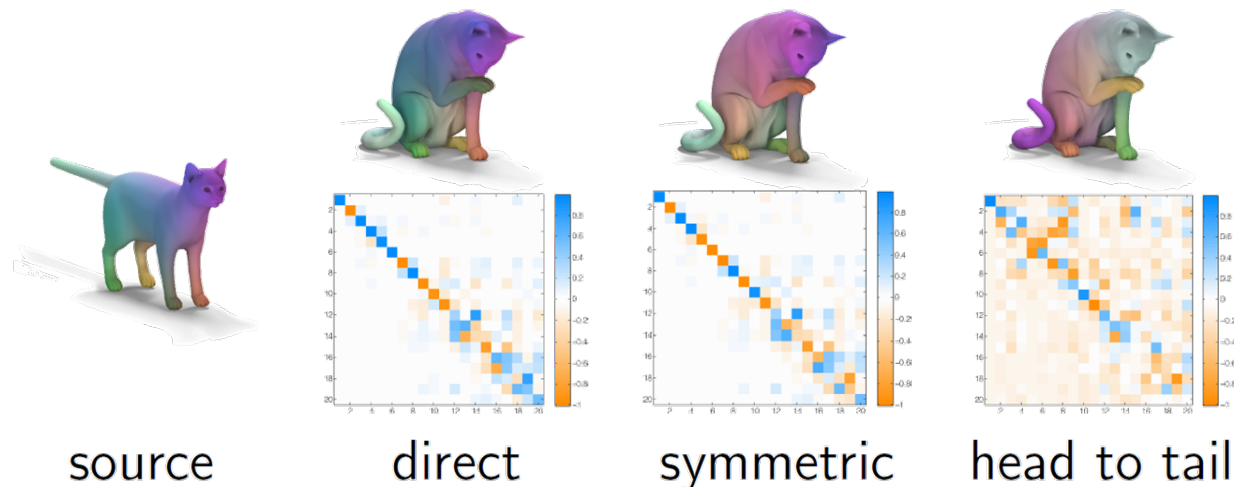
**Enough to action on basis functions**

# Functional Map Matrix



# Maps as Linear Operators

- An ordinary shape map lifts to a linear operator mapping the function spaces
- With a truncated hierarchical basis, compact representations of functional maps are possible as ordinary matrices
- Map composition becomes ordinary matrix multiplication
- Functional maps can express many-to-many associations, generalizing classical 1-1 maps



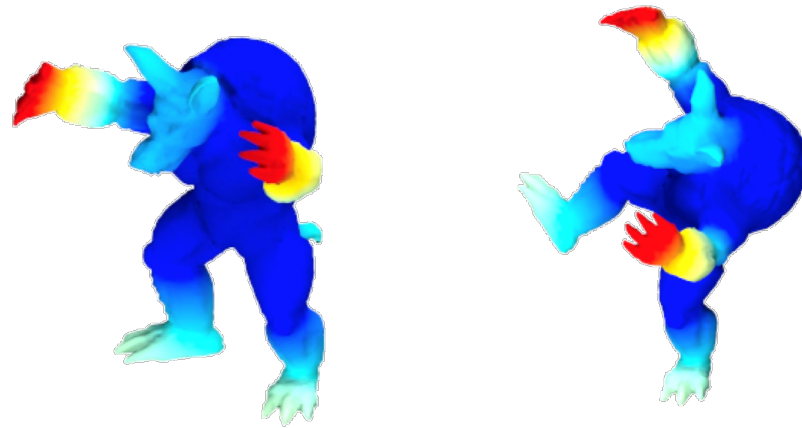
Using truncated  
Laplace-Beltrami  
basis

# Estimating the Mapping Matrix

Suppose we don't know  $C$ . However, we expect a pair of functions  $f : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $g : N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  to correspond. Then,  $C$  must satisfy:

$$C\mathbf{a} \approx \mathbf{b}$$

where  $f = \sum_i \mathbf{a}_i \phi_i^M$ ,  $g = \sum_i \mathbf{b}_i \phi_i^N$



Probe functions

Given enough  $\{\mathbf{a}_i, \mathbf{b}_i\}$  pairs in correspondence, we can recover  $C$  through a linear least squares system.

# Function Preservation Constraints

Suppose we don't know  $C$ . However, we expect a pair of functions  $f : M \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  and  $g : N \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  to correspond. Then,  $C$  must be s.t.

$$C\mathbf{a} \approx \mathbf{b}$$

Function preservation constraint is quite general and includes:

- Descriptor preservation (e.g. Gaussian curvature, spin images, HKS, WKS).
- Landmark correspondences (e.g. distance to the point).
- Part correspondences (e.g. indicator function).
- Texture preservation

**Probe  
functions**

injection of low-level knowledge or supervision

# Commutativity Symmetry Regularization

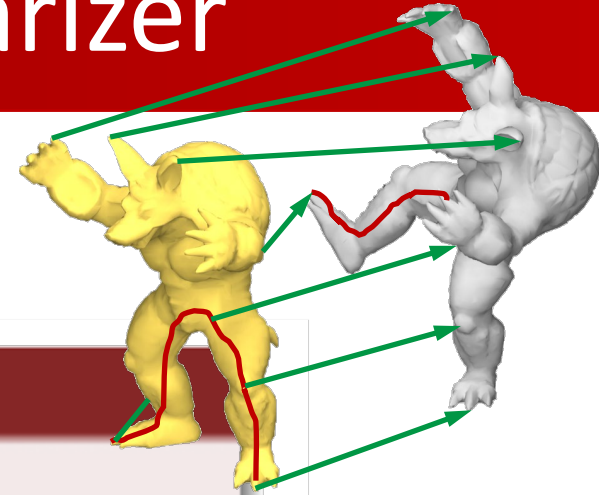
In addition, we can phrase an operator commutativity constraint: given two operators  $S_1 : \mathcal{F}(M, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(M, \mathbb{R})$  and  $S_2 : \mathcal{F}(N, \mathbb{R}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(N, \mathbb{R})$

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \mathcal{F}(M, \mathbb{R}) & \xrightarrow{C} & \mathcal{F}(N, \mathbb{R}) \\ S_1 \downarrow & & \downarrow S_2 \\ \mathcal{F}(M, \mathbb{R}) & \xrightarrow{C} & \mathcal{F}(N, \mathbb{R}) \end{array}$$

Thus:  $CS_1 = S_2C$  or  $\|CS_1 - S_2C\|$  should be minimized

Note: this is a linear constraint on  $C$ .  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  could be symmetry operators or e.g. Laplace-Beltrami or heat operators.

# Isometry (Length Preservation) Regularizer



Lemma 1:

The mapping is *isometric*, if and only if the functional map matrix commutes with the Laplacian:

$$C\Delta_1 = \Delta_2 C$$

**Differentiate and then transport**

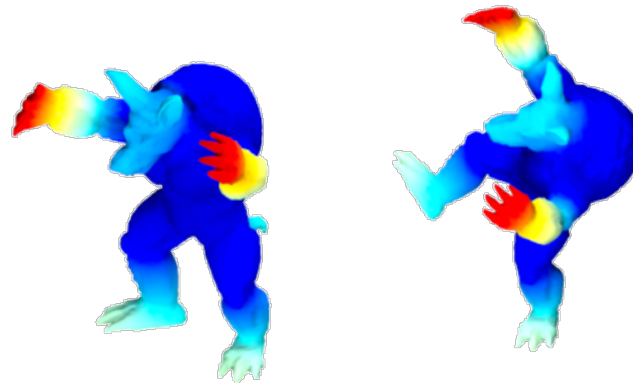
**Transport and then differentiate**

$\Delta_1$  Laplacian on Shape 1  
 $\Delta_2$  Laplacian on Shape 2

# Basic FMaps Pipeline

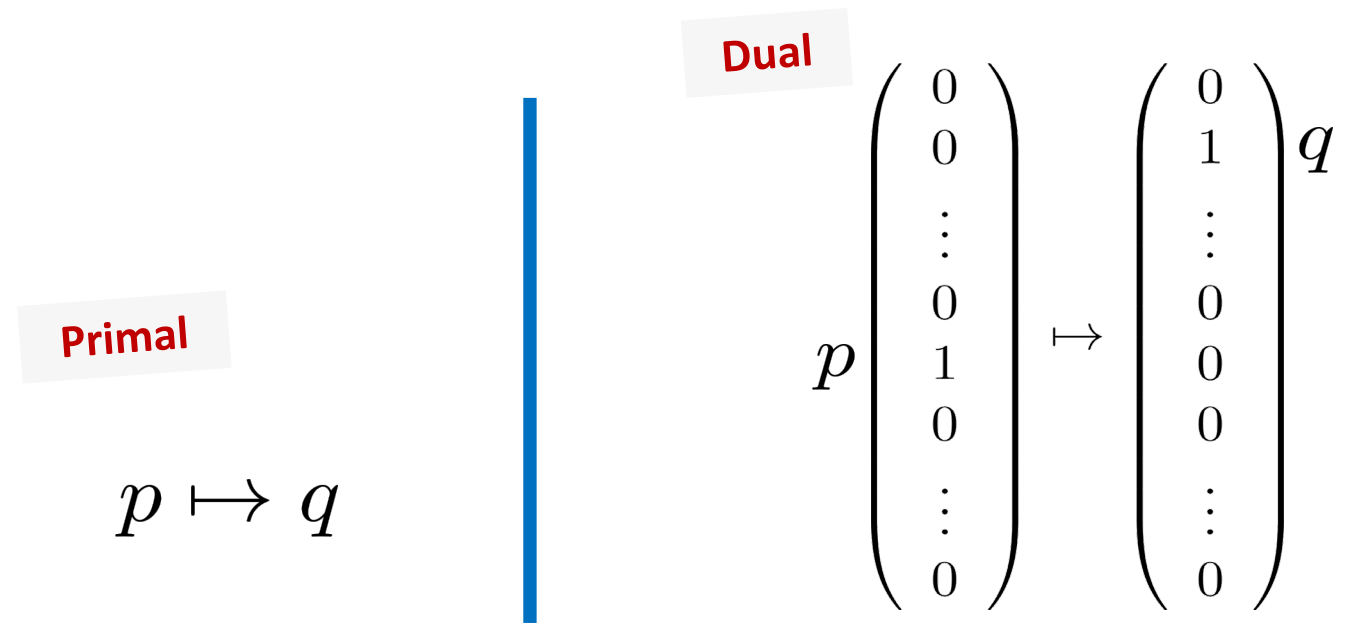
Given a pair of shapes:  $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{N}$

1. Compute the first  $k$  ( $\sim 80-100$ ) eigenfunctions of the Laplace-Beltrami operator. Store them in matrices:  $\Phi_{\mathcal{M}}, \Phi_{\mathcal{N}}$
2. Compute descriptor functions (e.g., Heat Kernel Signatures) on  $\mathcal{M}, \mathcal{N}$ . Express them in  $\mathbf{A}, \mathbf{B}$ , as columns of  $\Phi_{\mathcal{M}}, \Phi_{\mathcal{N}}$
3. Solve  $C_{\text{opt}} = \arg \min_C \|C\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}\|^2 + \|C\Delta_{\mathcal{M}} - \Delta_{\mathcal{N}}C\|^2$   
 $\Delta_{\mathcal{M}}, \Delta_{\mathcal{N}}$  : diagonal matrices of eigenvalues of LB operator
4. Convert the functional map  $C_{\text{opt}}$  to a point to point map  $T$ .



# From Functional to Point-to-Point Maps

- Can try transporting delta functions individually -- expensive



$$\delta_x = (\phi_1^M(x), \phi_2^M(x), \phi_3^M(x), \dots)$$

# From Functional to Point-to-Point Maps

$$T(x) = \arg \min_y \|\delta_y - C\delta_x\|_2$$

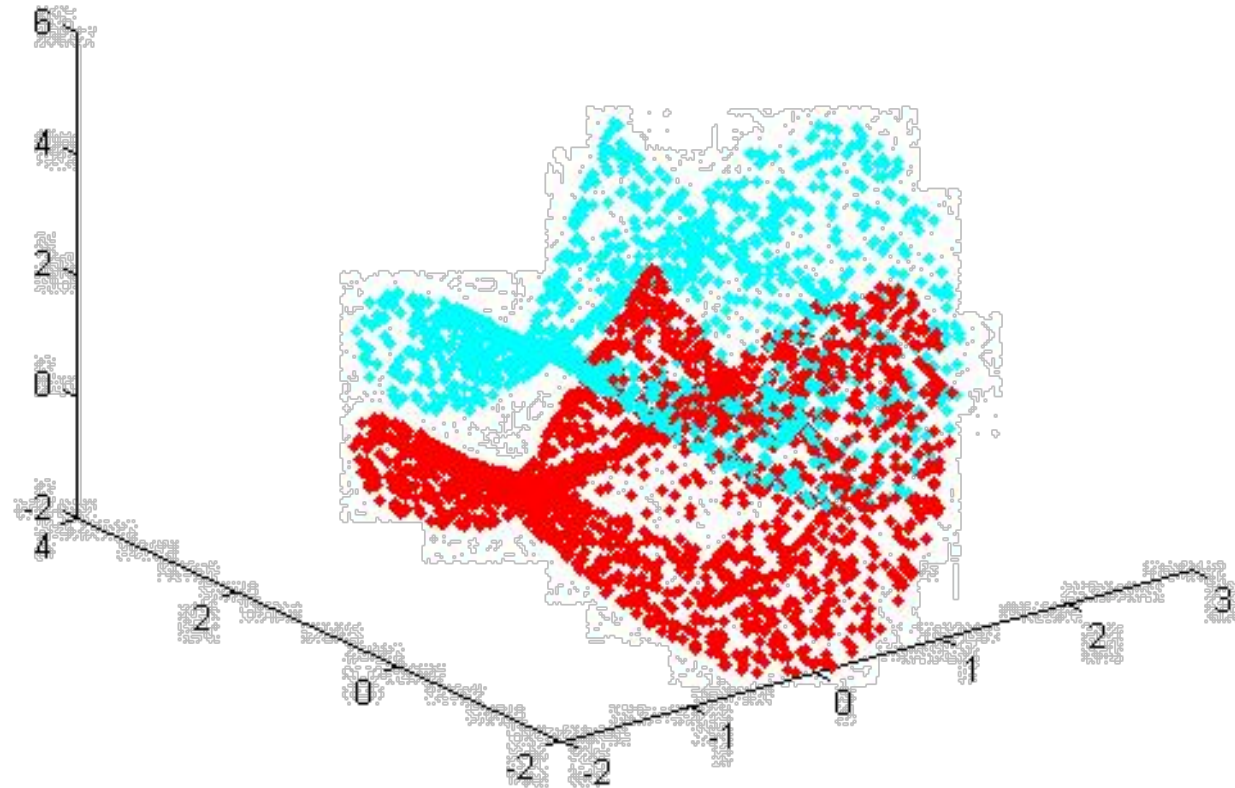
$$C\Phi_M^T \leftrightarrow \Phi_N$$

Image of each point on surface M

Each point on surface N in LB basis

So transport, and then use nearest neighbor search

# From Functional to Point-to-Point Maps



**ICP in Function Space!**

Course Description

Schedule & Slides

Course Notes & Code

## Computing and Processing Correspondences with Functional Maps

Course at SIGGRAPH 2017



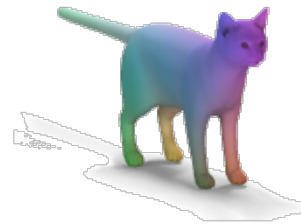
### Course Overview:

This course will introduce the audience to the techniques for computing and processing correspondences between geometric objects, such as 3D shapes, images or point clouds based on the functional map framework. We will provide the mathematical background, computational methods and various applications of this framework.

# Today: Functional Map Networks & Joint Data Analysis

# Correspondences or Maps are Information Transporters

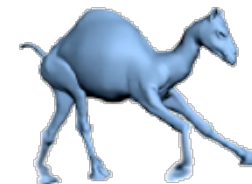
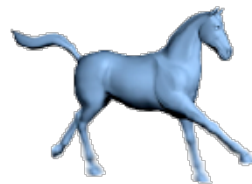
texture and  
parametrization



segmentation  
and labels



deformation



# Networks of Visual Data

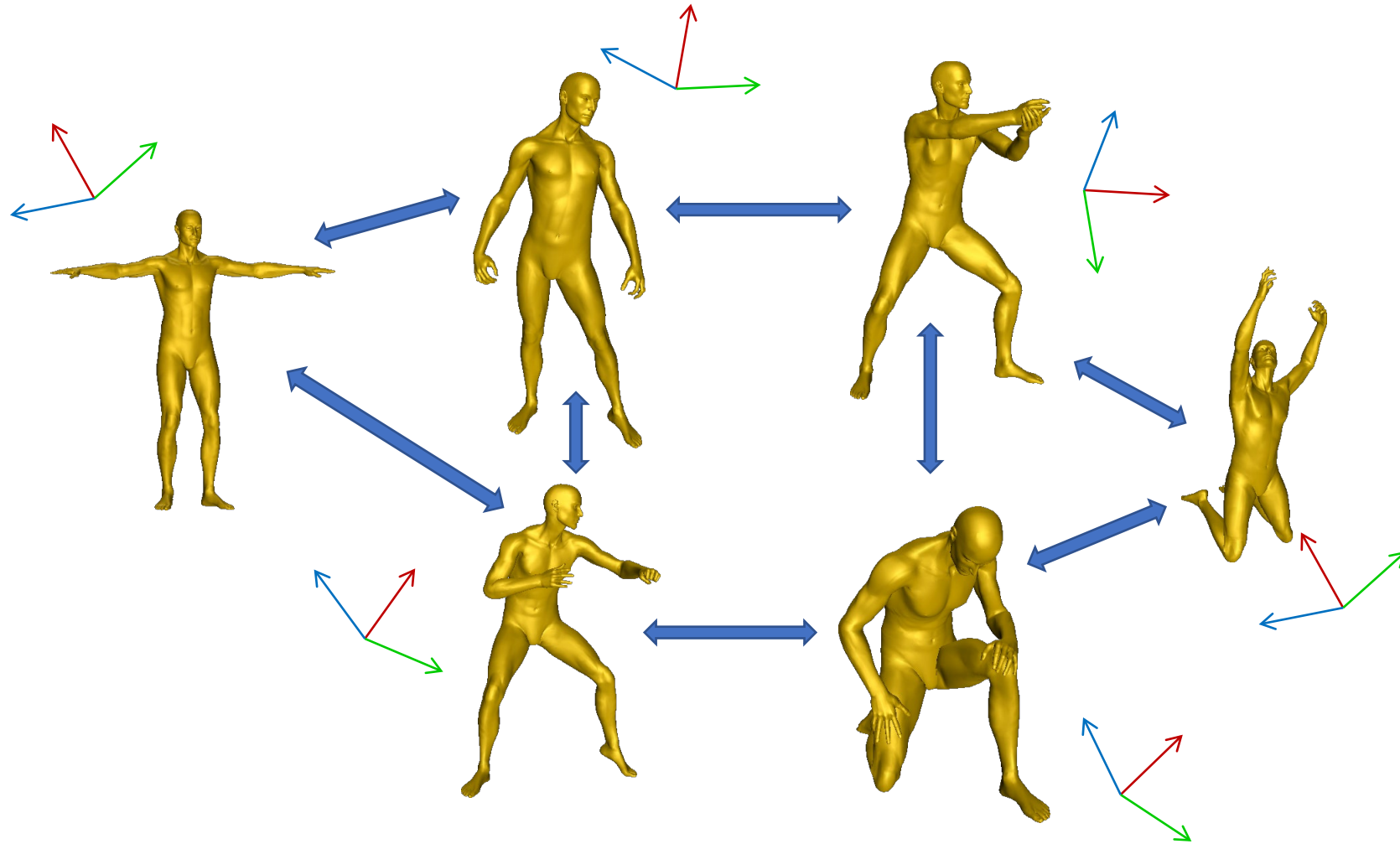


# Networks of Visual Data



# Consistency of Network Transport

# Map Networks for Related Data



Networks of “samenesses”

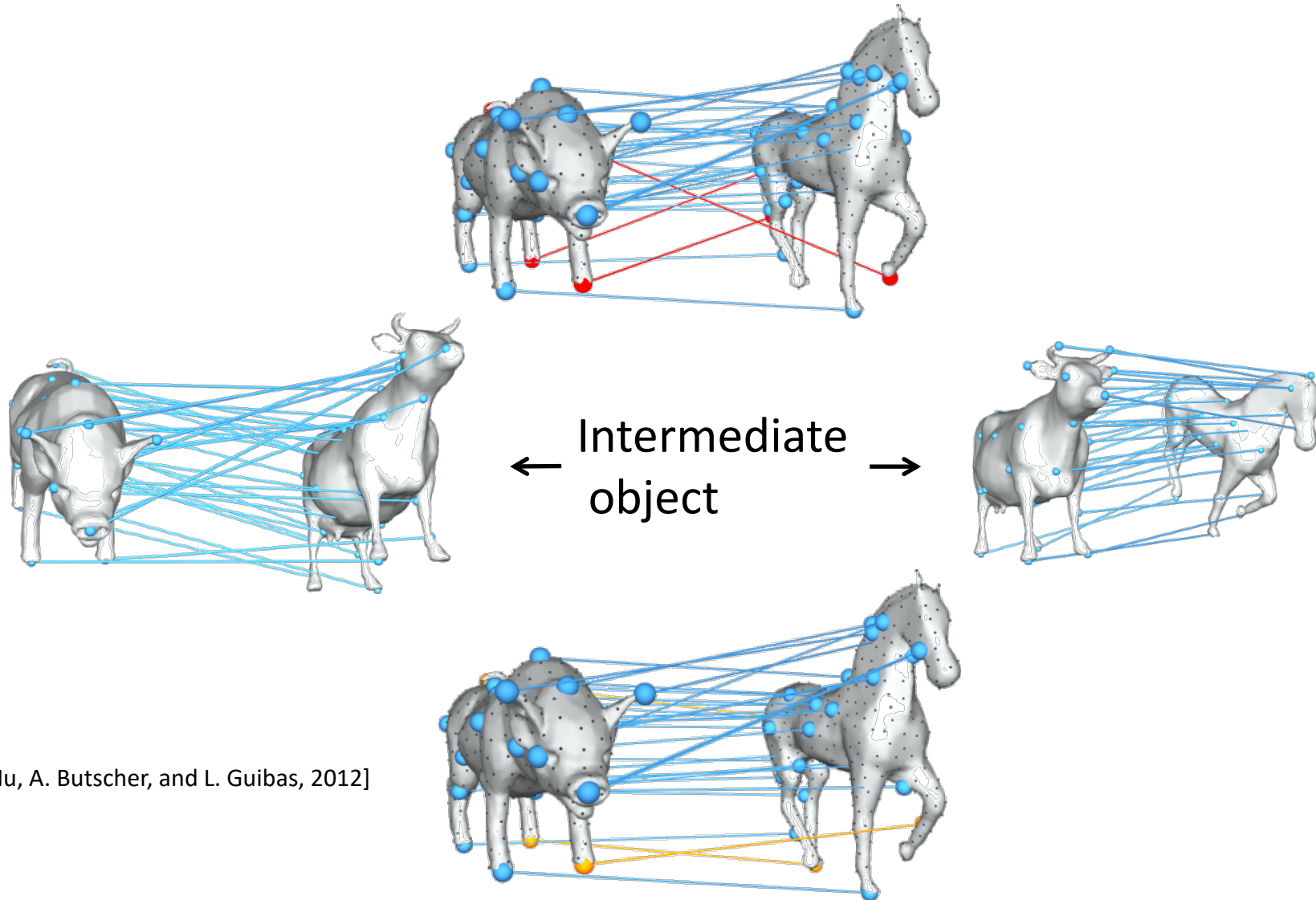
# Path Invariance or Loop Closure

**Maps are composable,  
algebraic objects**

**Maps processing**

- We desire path invariance or cycle closure
- What if
  - Real map diagrams don't commute?
  - Fix the maps, by enforcing cycle consistency!
  - Map recovery is possible even with 50% error!

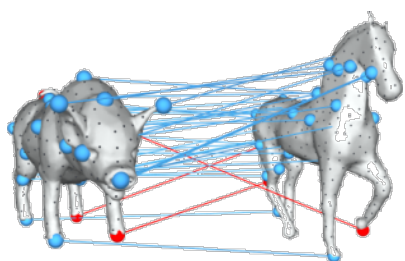
# Fixing Maps



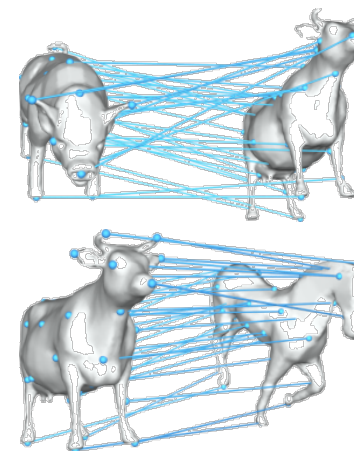
[Q. Huang, G. Zhang, L. Gao, S. Hu, A. Butscher, and L. Guibas, 2012]

# Cycle-Consistency $\equiv$ Low-Rank

- In a functional map network, commutativity, path-invariance, or cycle-consistency are equivalent to a low rank or semidefiniteness condition on a big mapping matrix



$$X = \begin{pmatrix} I_m & X_{1,2} & \cdots & X_{1,n} \\ X_{1,2} & I_m & \cdots & \cdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & I_m & X_{(n-1),n} \\ X_{n,1} & \vdots & X_{n,(n-1)} & I_m \end{pmatrix}.$$



- Conversely, such a low-rank condition can be used to
  - regularize and clean up functional maps
  - extract shared structure

# Map Synchronization by Matrix Factorization

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} I_m & X_{12} & \cdots & X_{1n} \\ X_{21} & I_m & \cdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & X_{n-1,n} \\ X_{n1} & \cdots & X_{n,n-1} & I_m \end{bmatrix} \quad X_{ij} = X_{j1} X_{i1}^T$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} I_m \\ \vdots \\ X_{n1} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I_m & \cdots & X_{n1}^T \end{bmatrix}$$

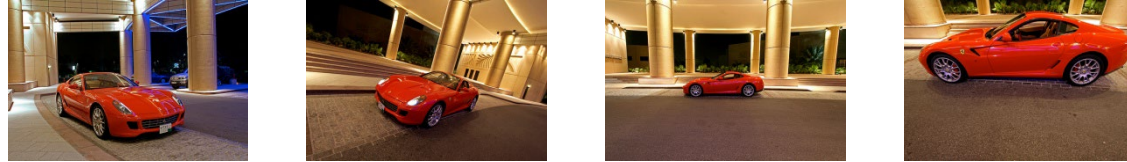
# Structure Emergence Through the Network

# Image Cosegmentation

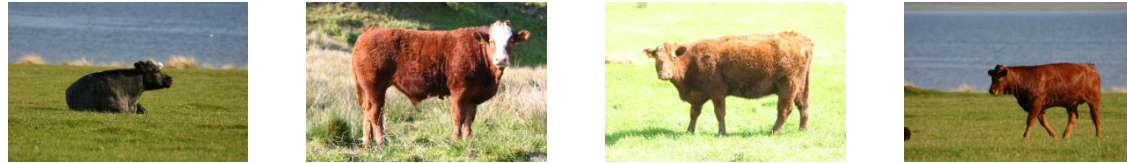
# Entity Extraction in Images

[F. Wang, Q. Huang, L. G., ICCV '13]

- Task: jointly segment a set of **related** images
  - same object, different viewpoints/scales:



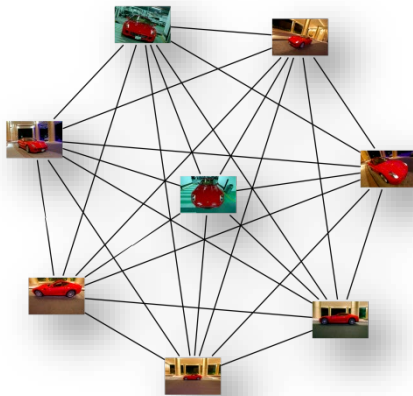
- similar objects of the same class:



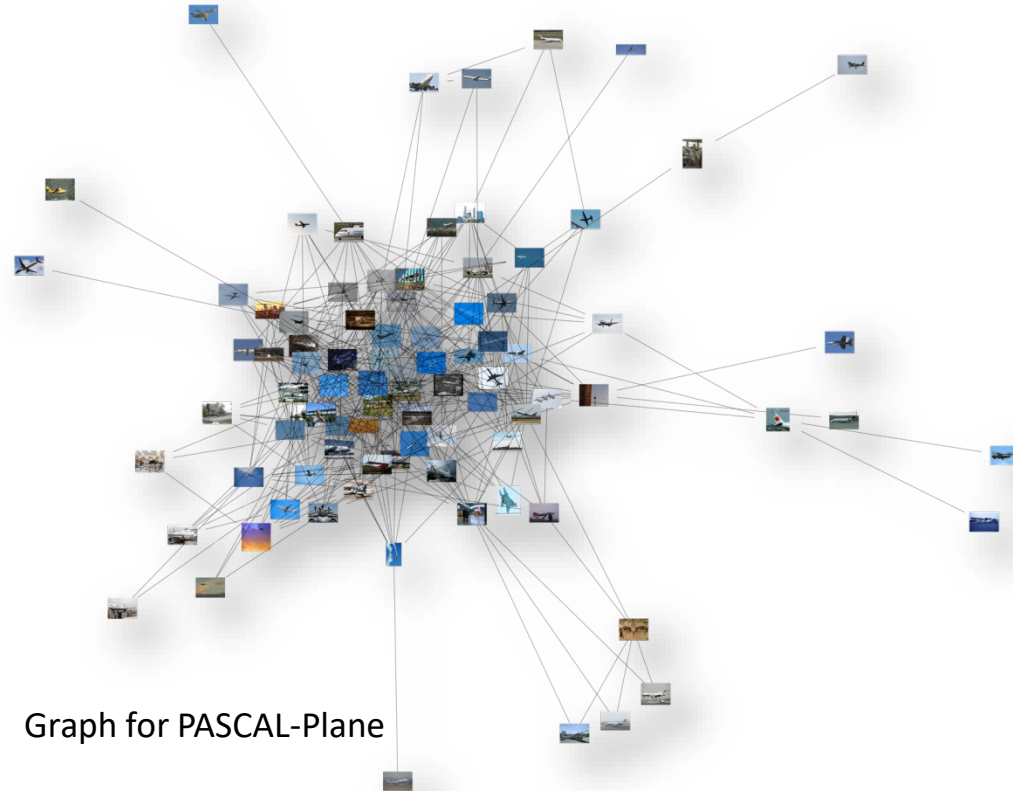
- Benefits and challenges:
  - Images can provide weak supervision for each other
  - But exactly how should they help each other? How to deal with clutter and irrelevant content?

# Co-Segmentation via an Image Network

- Image similarity graph based on GIST
  - Each edge has global image similarity  $w_{ij}$  and functional maps in both directions;
  - Sparse if large.



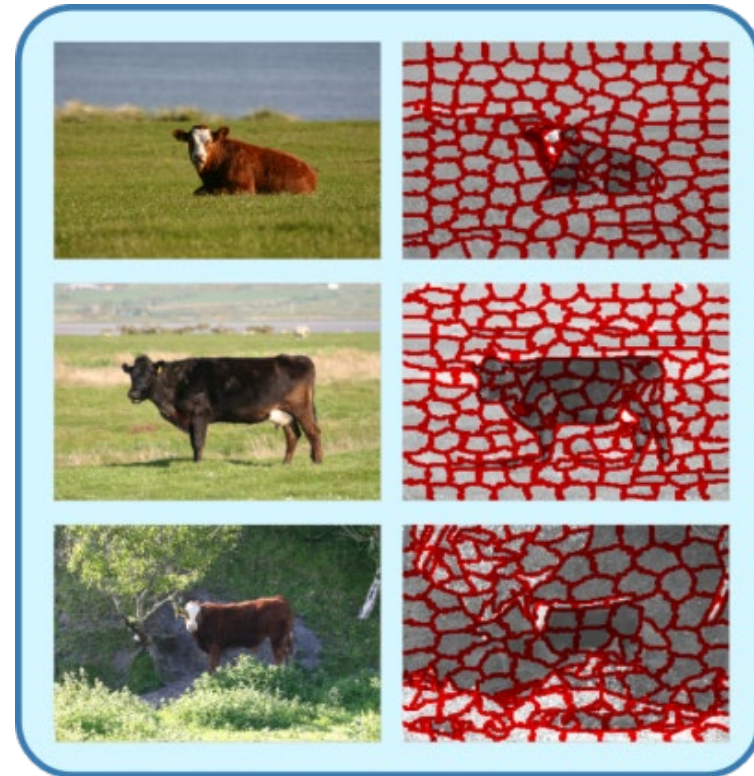
Graph for iCoseg-Ferrari



Graph for PASCAL-Plane

# Superpixel Representation

- Over-segment images into super-pixels
- Build a graph on super-pixels
  - Nodes: super-pixels
  - Edges weighted by length of shared boundary

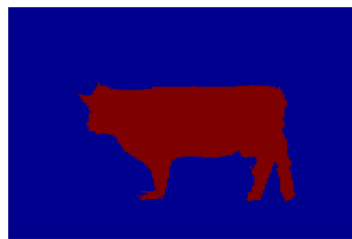
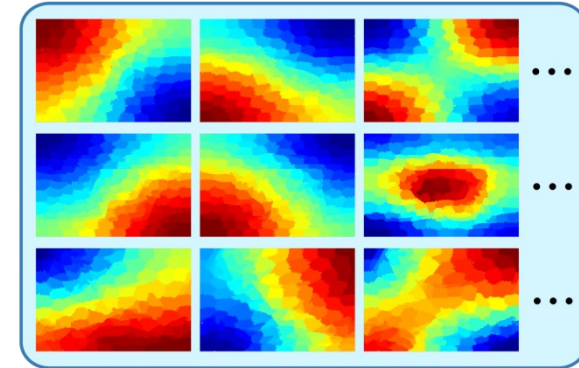


# Encoding Functions over Graphs

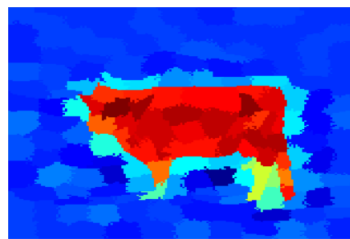
- Basis of functional space
  - : First M Laplacian eigenfunctions of the graph

$$f = \sum_{j=1}^M f_j b_i^j = B_i \mathbf{f}$$

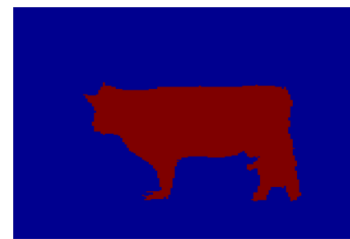
- Reconstruct any function with small error (M=30)



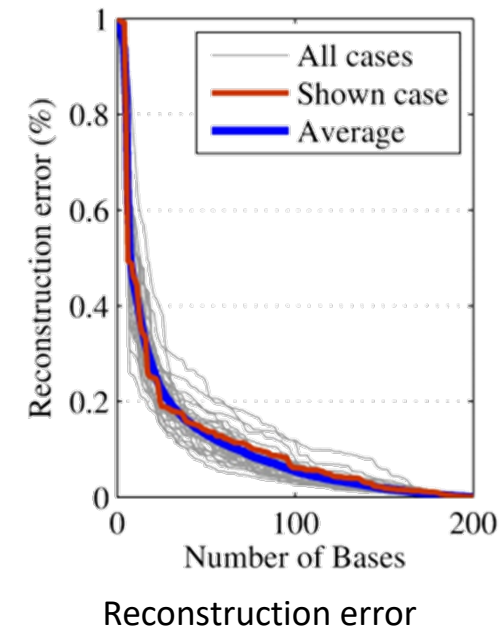
Binary indicator function



Reconstructed function



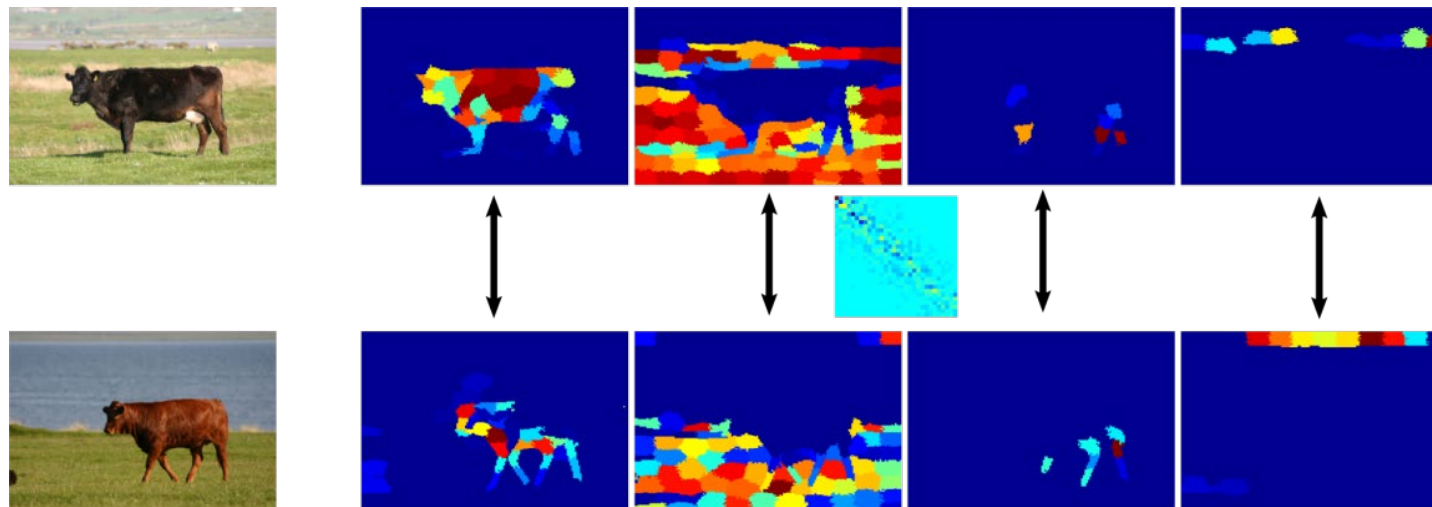
Thresholded reconstructed function



# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, I

- Functional map:
  - A linear map between functions in two functional spaces
  - Can be recovered by a set of probe functions

$$\mathbf{f}' = X_{ij}\mathbf{f} \quad X_{ij} \in \mathcal{R}^{M \times M}$$

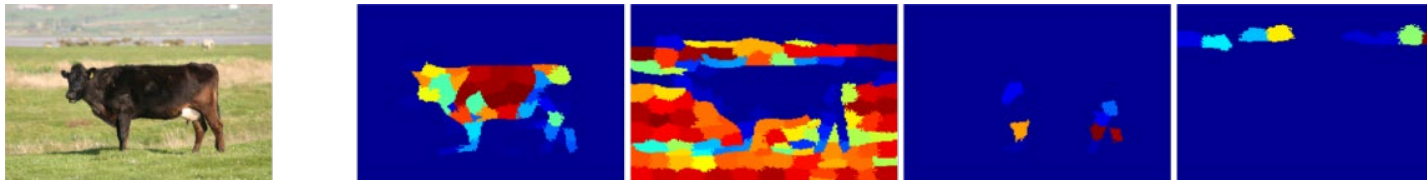


# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, I

- Recover functional maps by aligning image features:

$$f_{ij}^{\text{feature}} = \|X_{ij}D_i - D_j\|_1$$

- Features (probe functions) for each super-pixel:
  - average RGB color, 3-dimensional;
  - 64 dimensional RGB color histogram;
  - 300-dimensional bag-of-visual-words.



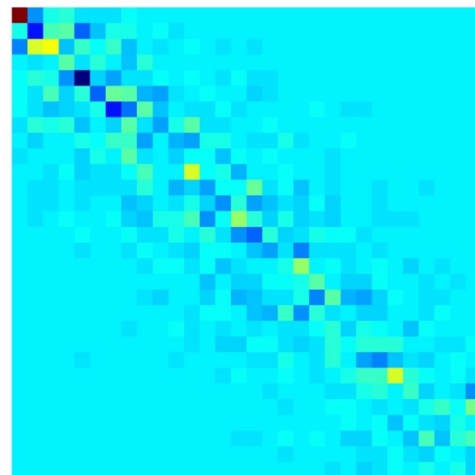
# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, II

- Regularization term:

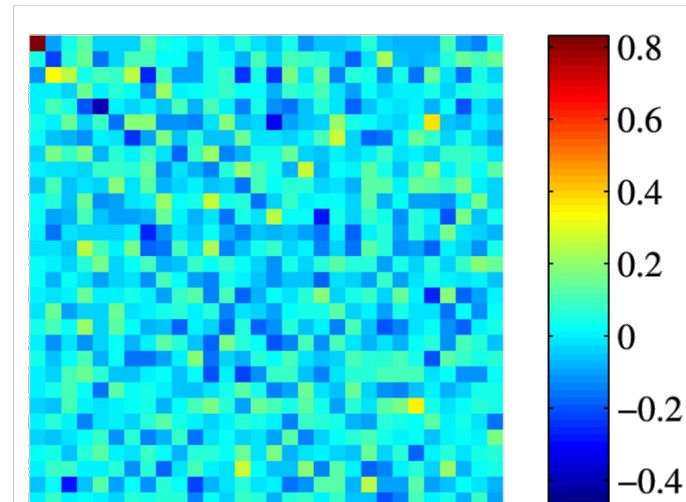
$\Lambda_i, \Lambda_j$  diagonal matrices  
of Laplacian eigenvalues

$$f_{ij}^{\text{reg}} = \|X_{ij}\Lambda_i - \Lambda_j X_{ij}\|^2$$

- Correspond bases of similar spectra
- Enforce sparsity of map



Map with regularization



Map without regularization

# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, III

- Incorporating **map cycle consistency**:

- A transported function along any loop should be identical to the original function:

$$X_{i_k i_0} \cdots X_{i_1 i_2} X_{i_0 i_1} \mathbf{f} = \mathbf{f} \iff X_{ij} Y_i = Y_j, \quad \forall (i, j) \in \mathcal{G}$$

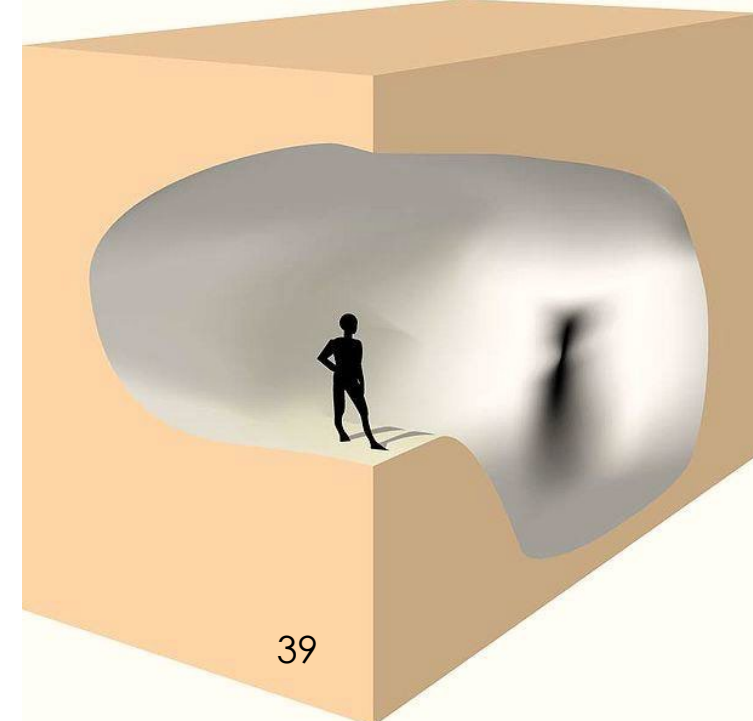
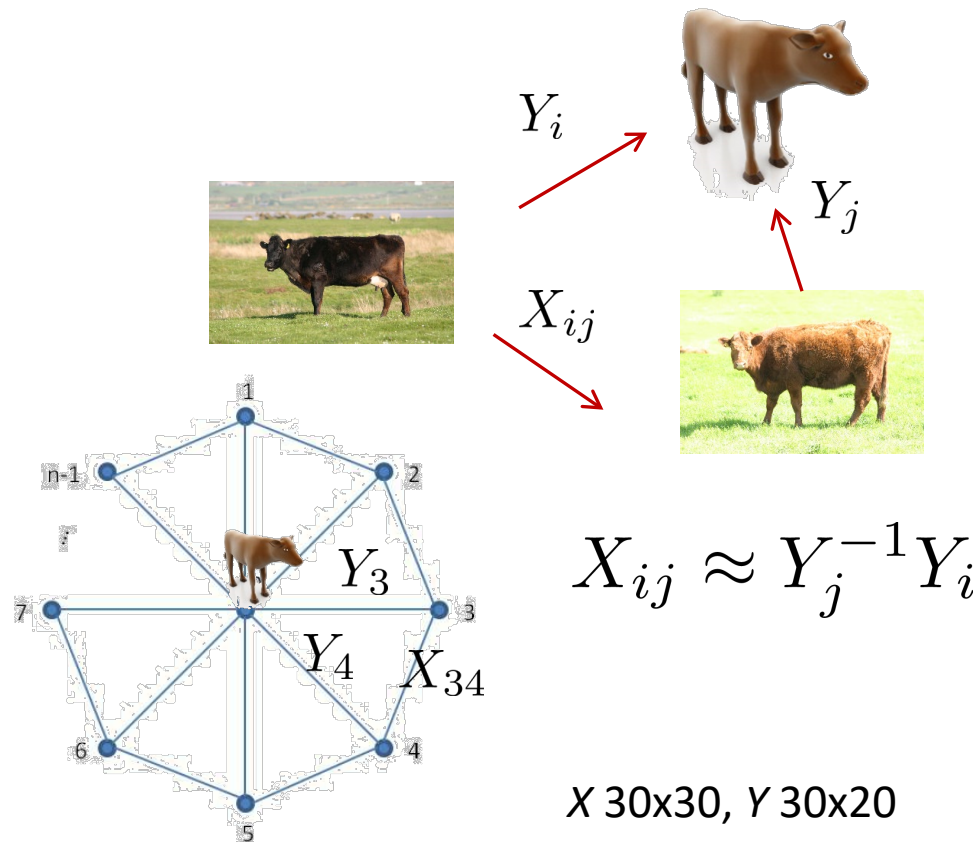
- Consistency term:

$$f^{\text{CONS}} = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{G}} w_{ij} f_{ij}^{\text{CONS}} = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{G}} w_{ij} \|X_{ij} Y_i - Y_j\|_{\mathcal{F}}^2$$

Image global similarity weight via GIST

# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, III


- Plato's allegory of the cave: a latent space



# Joint Estimation of Functional Maps, IV

- Overall optimization over X and Y

$$\min \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{G}} w_{ij} \left( f_{ij}^{\text{feature}} + \mu f_{ij}^{\text{reg}} + \lambda f_{ij}^{\text{cons}} \right)$$
$$s.t. \quad Y^T Y = I_m$$


$$X_{ij} Y_i = Y_j, \quad \forall (i, j) \in \mathcal{G}$$

- Alternating optimization:

- Fix Y, solve X  $\implies$  Independent QP problems

$$X_{ij}^* = \arg \min_X \left( f_{ij}^{\text{feature}} + \mu f_{ij}^{\text{reg}} + \lambda f_{ij}^{\text{cons}} \right)$$

- Fix X, solve Y  $\implies$  Eigenvalue problem

$$\min \quad \text{trace}(Y^T W Y)$$
$$s.t. \quad Y^T Y = I_m$$
$$W_{ij} = \begin{cases} \sum_{(i,j') \in \mathcal{G}} w_{ij'} (I_m + X_{ij'}^T X_{ij'}) & i = j \\ -w_{ij} (X_{ji} + X_{ij}^T) & (i, j) \in \mathcal{G} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

# Consistency Matters

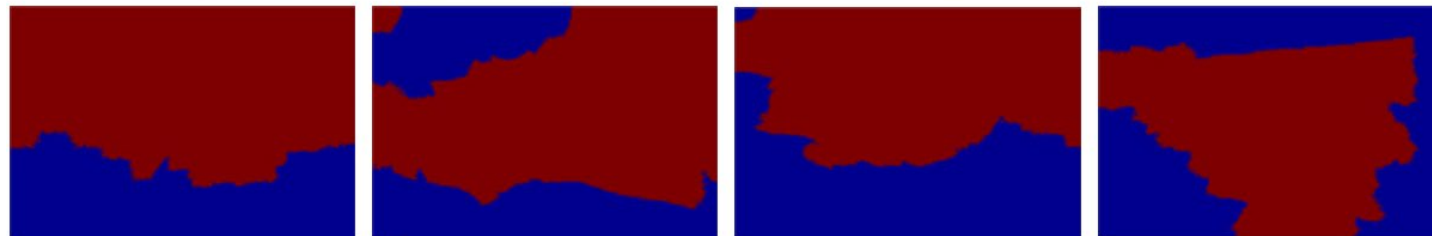
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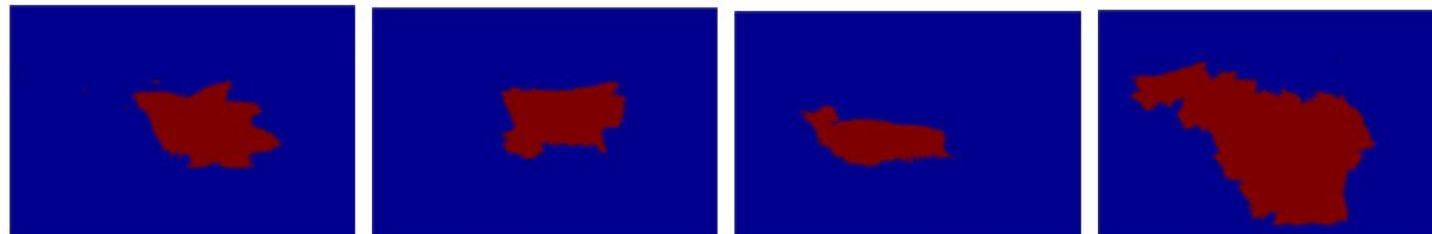
Target  
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Without  
cycle  
consistency



With  
cycle  
consistency



# Generating Consistent Segmentations

- Two objectives for segmentation functions
  - consistent under functional map transportation

$$f^{\text{map}} = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{G}} w_{ij} \|X_{ij} \mathbf{f}_i - \mathbf{f}_j\|_{\mathcal{F}}^2$$

consistent

We look for network fixed points!

- **and** agreement with normalized cut scores:

$$f^{\text{seg}} = \sum_{i=1}^N \mathbf{f}_i^T B_i^T L_i B_i \mathbf{f}_i$$

Easy to incorporate labeled images with ground truth segmentation

- Joint optimization:

$$\min f^{\text{seg}} + \gamma f^{\text{map}} \quad s.t. \quad \sum_{i=1}^N \|\mathbf{f}_i\|^2 = 1$$

Eigen-decomposition problem

# Experiments

- iCoseg dataset
  - Very similar or the same object in each class;
  - 5~10 images per class.
- MSRC dataset
  - Similar objects in each class;
  - ~30 images per class.
- PASCAL data set
  - Retrieved from PASCAL VOC 2012 challenge;
  - All images with the same object label;
  - Larger scale;
  - Larger variability.

Supervised  
method

- iCoseg data set
- New unsupervised method
  - Mostly outperforms other unsupervised methods
  - Sometimes even outperforms supervised methods
  - Supervised input is easily added and further improves the results

Kuettel'12 (Supervised)		Unsupervised Fmaps
Image+transfer	Full model	
87.6	91.4	90.5

Class	Joulin '10	Rubio '12	Vicente '11	Fmaps -uns
Alaska Bear	74.8	86.4	90.0	<b>90.4</b>
Red Sox Players	73.0	90.5	90.9	<b>94.2</b>
Stonehenge1	56.6	87.3	63.3	<b>92.5</b>
Stonehenge2	86.0	88.4	88.8	87.2
Liverpool FC	76.4	82.6	87.5	<b>89.4</b>
Ferrari	85.0	84.3	89.9	<b>95.6</b>
Taj Mahal	73.7	88.7	91.1	<b>92.6</b>
Elephants	70.1	75.0	43.1	<b>86.7</b>
Pandas	84.0	60.0	92.7	88.6
Kite	87.0	89.8	90.3	<b>93.9</b>
Kite panda	73.2	78.3	90.2	<b>93.1</b>
Gymnastics	90.9	87.1	91.7	90.4
Skating	82.1	76.8	77.5	78.7
Hot Balloons	85.2	89.0	90.1	<b>90.4</b>
Liberty Statue	90.6	91.6	93.8	<b>96.8</b>
Brown Bear	74.0	80.4	95.3	88.1
Average	78.9	83.5	85.4	<b>90.5</b>

- MSRC

Unsupervised performance comparison

Class	N	Joulin '10	Rubio '12	Fmaps -uns
Cow	30	81.6	80.1	<b>89.7</b>
Plane	30	73.8	77.0	<b>87.3</b>
Face	30	84.3	76.3	<b>89.3</b>
Cat	24	74.4	77.1	<b>88.3</b>
Car(front)	6	87.6	65.9	87.3
Car(back)	6	85.1	52.4	<b>92.7</b>
Bike	30	63.3	62.4	<b>74.8</b>

Supervised performance comparison

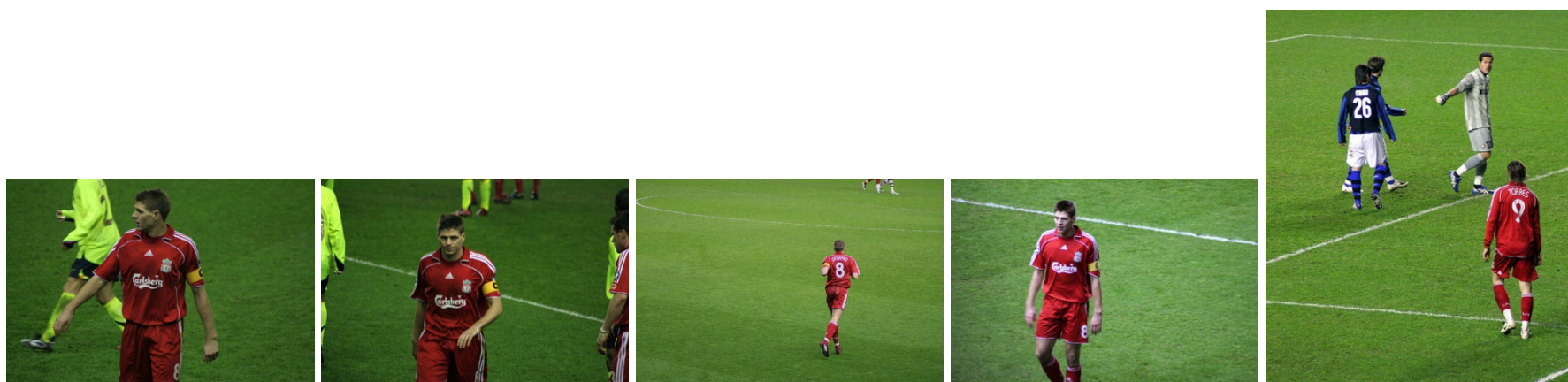
Class	Vicente '11	Kuettel '12	Fmaps -s
Cow	94.2	92.5	<b>94.3</b>
Plane	83.0	86.5	<b>91.0</b>
Car	79.6	88.8	83.1
Sheep	94.0	91.8	<b>95.6</b>
Bird	95.3	93.4	<b>95.8</b>
Cat	92.3	92.6	<b>94.5</b>
Dog	93.0	87.8	91.3

- PASCAL

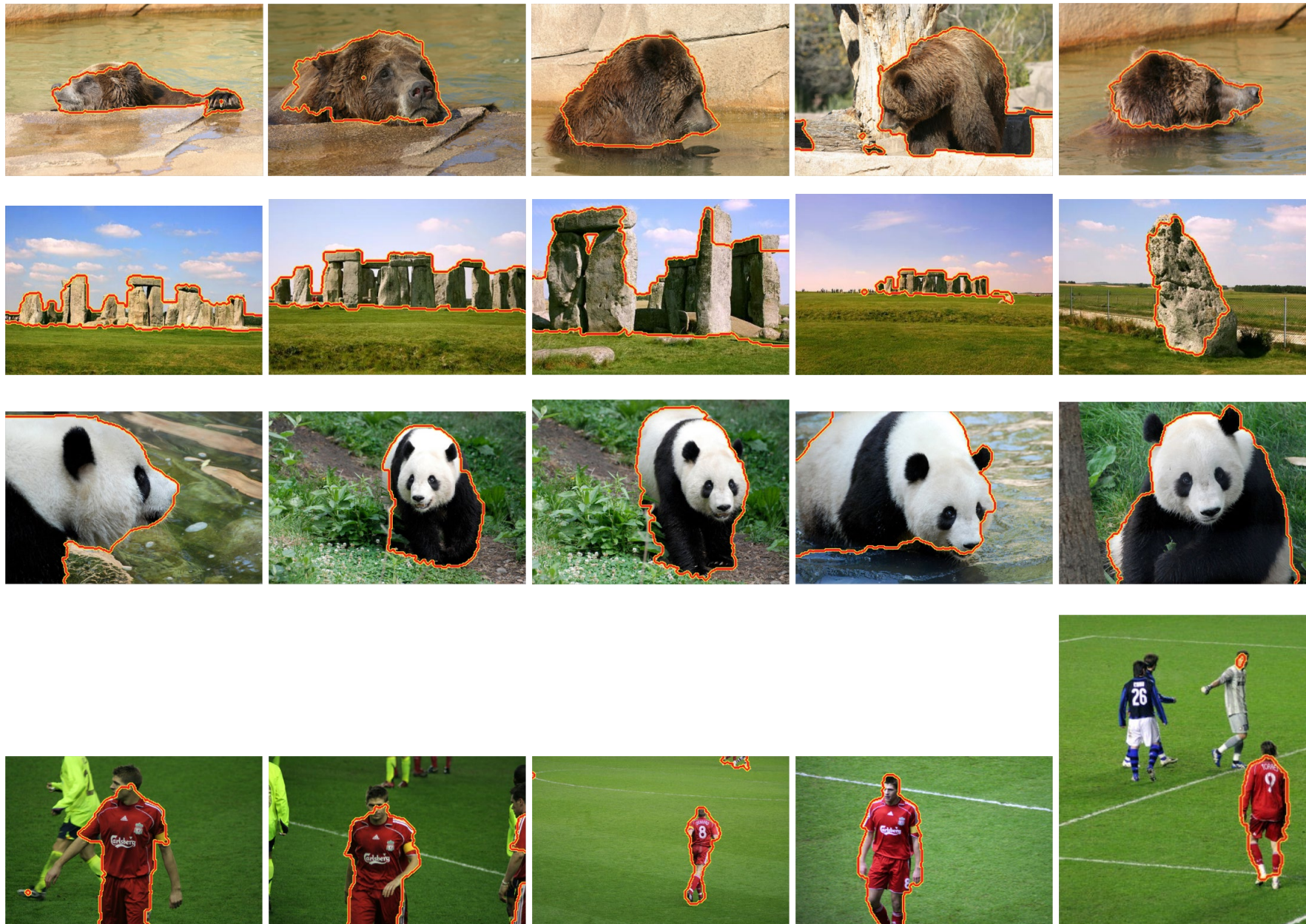
Class	N	L	Kuettel '12	Fmaps -s	Fmaps -uns
Plane	178	88	90.7	<b>92.1</b>	89.4
Bus	152	78	81.6	<b>87.1</b>	80.7
Car	255	128	76.1	<b>90.9</b>	82.3
Cat	250	131	77.7	<b>85.5</b>	82.5
Cow	135	64	82.5	<b>87.7</b>	85.5
Dog	249	121	81.9	<b>88.5</b>	84.2
Horse	147	68	83.1	<b>88.9</b>	87.0
Sheep	120	63	83.9	<b>89.6</b>	86.5

- New method mostly outperforms the state-of-the-art techniques in both supervised and unsupervised settings

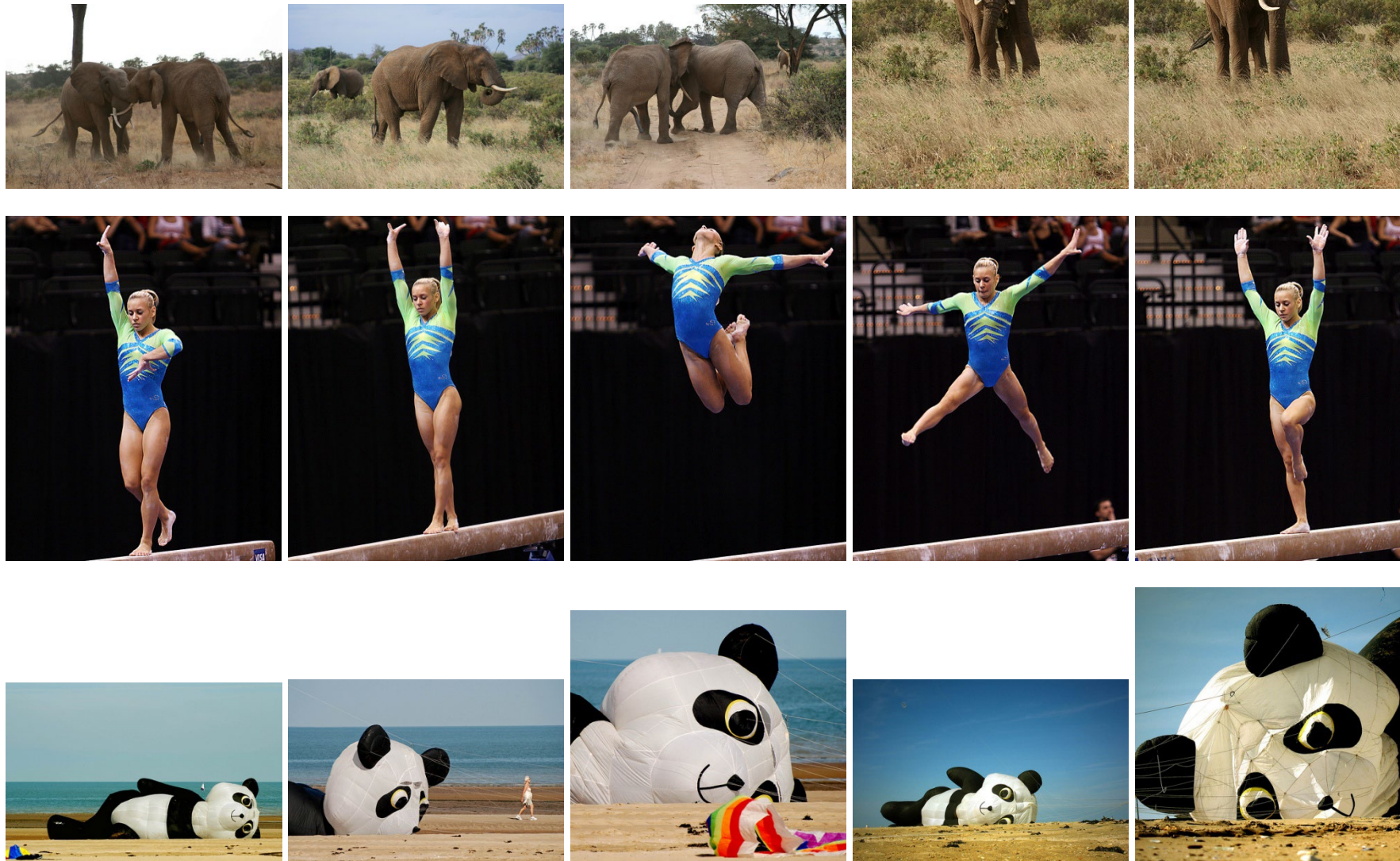
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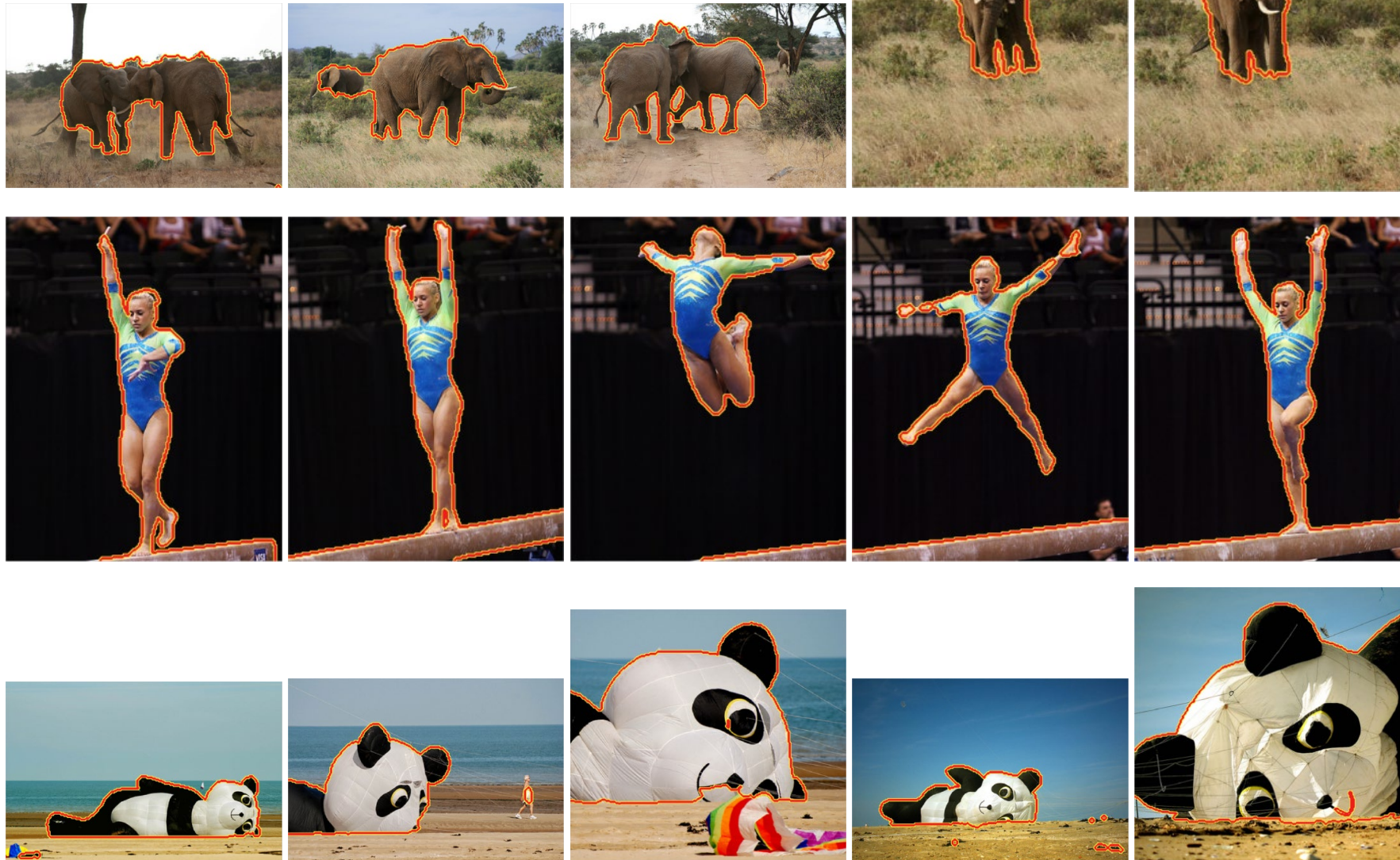
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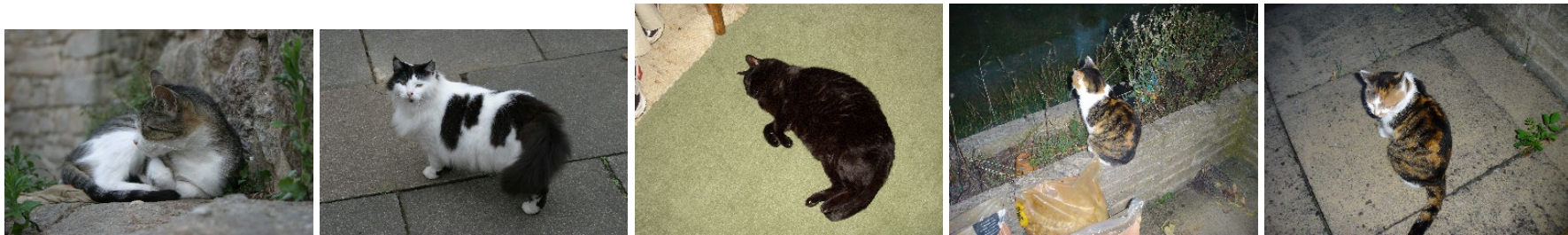
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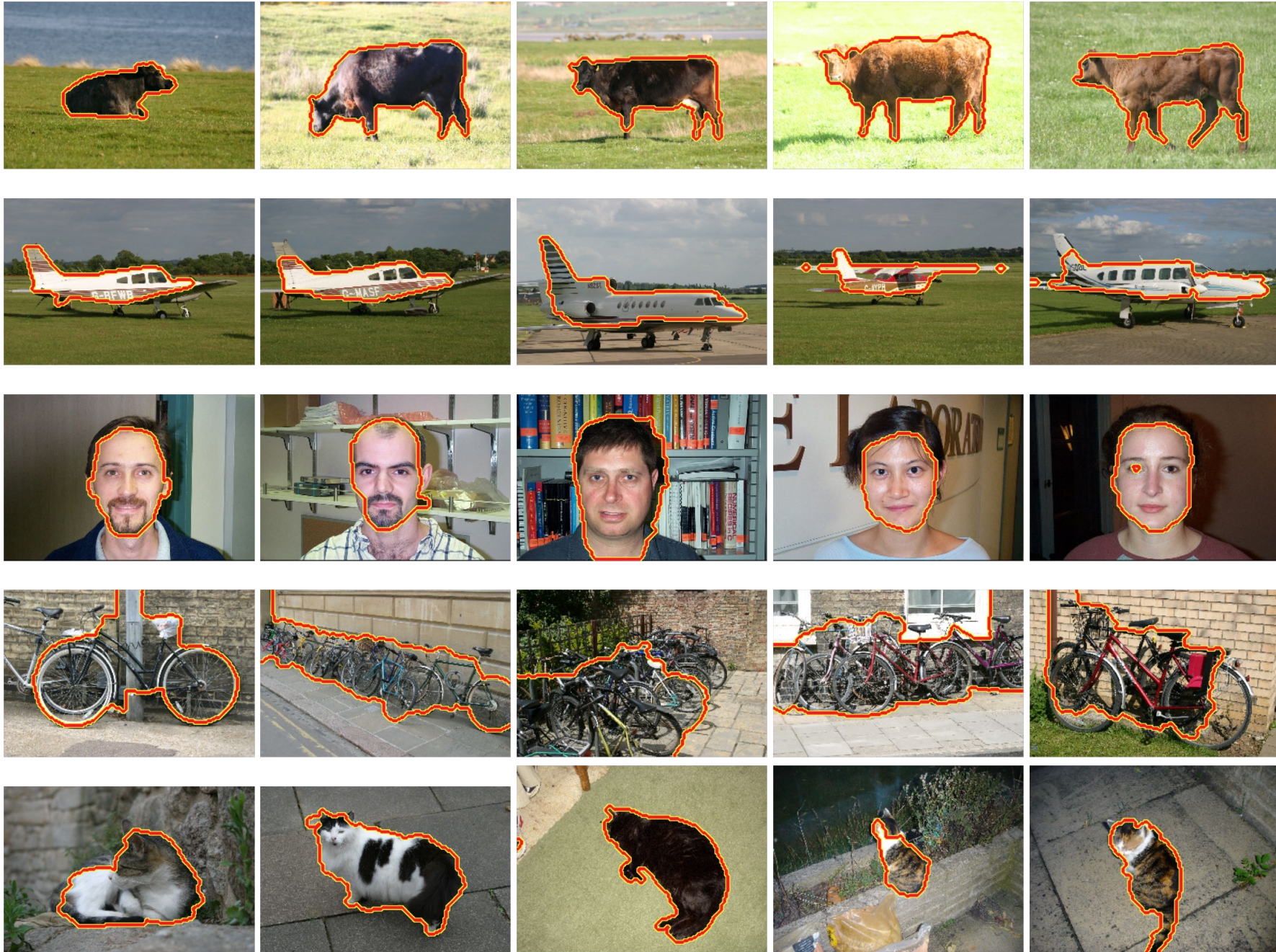
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MSRC: 5 images per class are shown



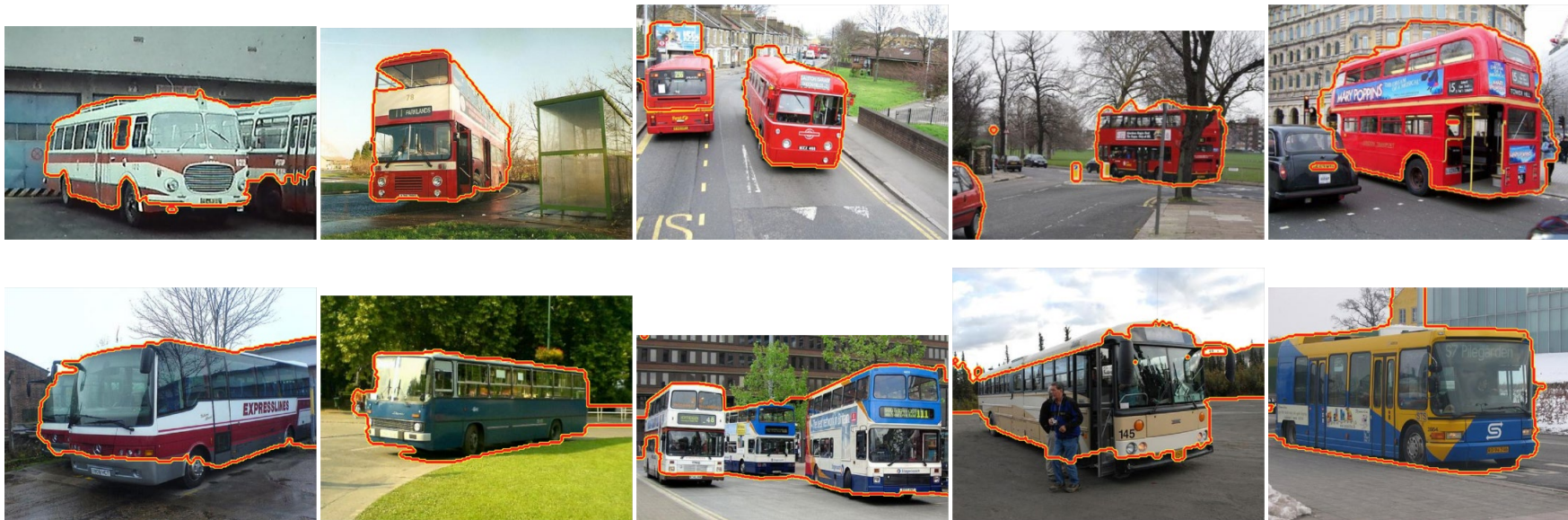
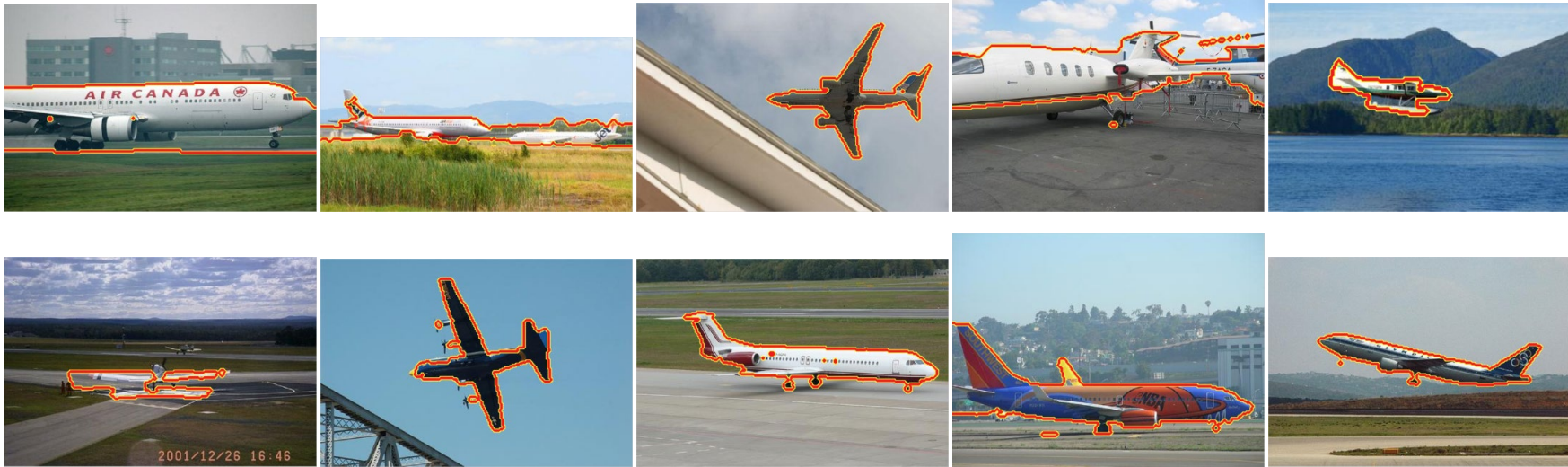
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PASCAL: 10 images per class are shown



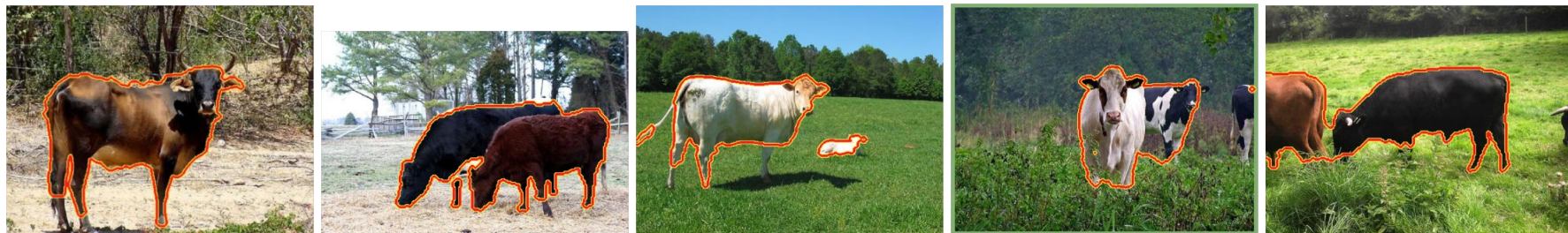
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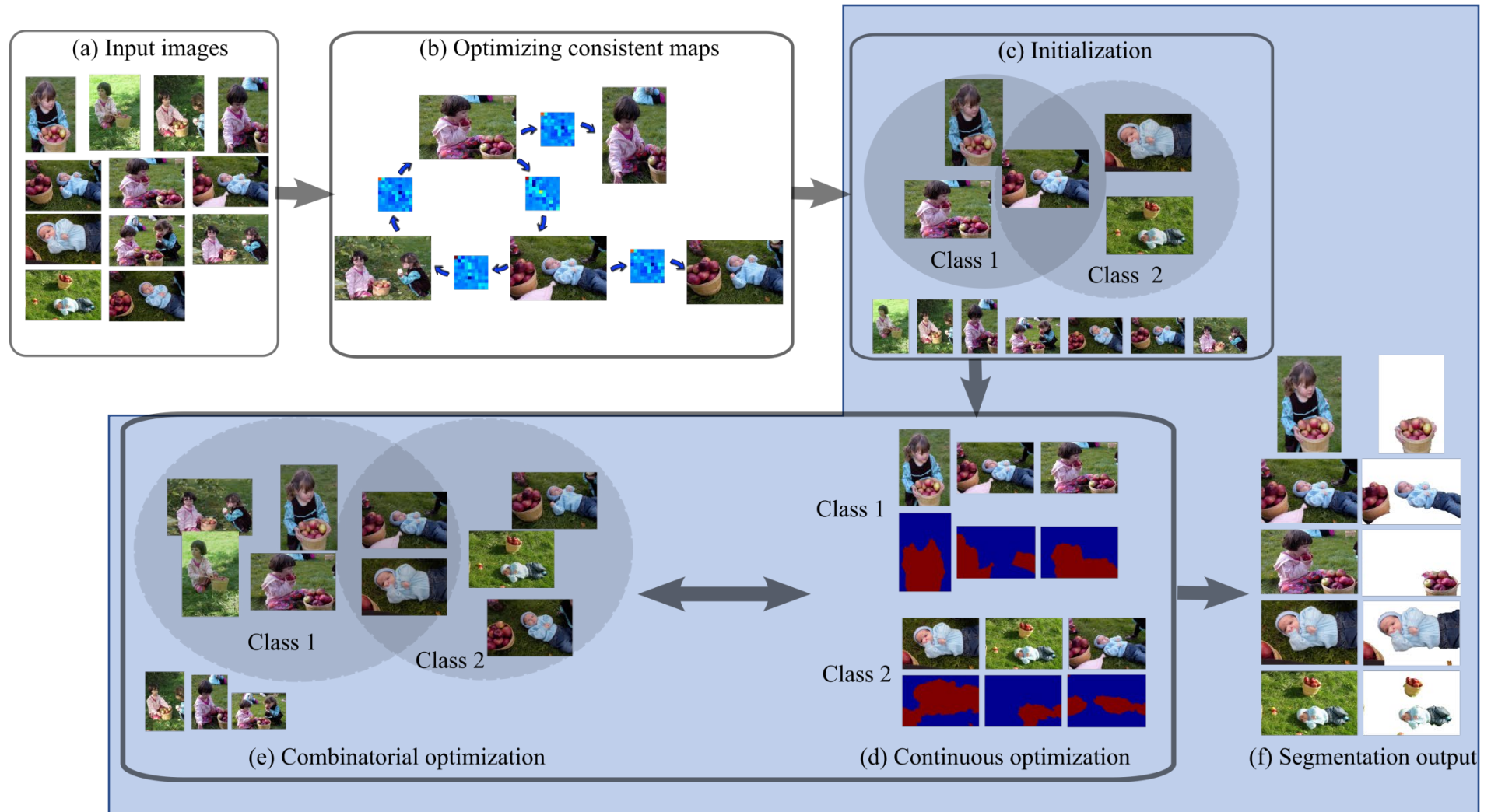
# Multi-Class Co-Segmentation

[F. Wang, Q. Huang, M. Ovsjanikov, L. G., CVPR'14]

- Input:
  - A collection of  $N$  images sharing  $M$  objects
  - Each image contains a subset of the objects
- Output
  - Discovery of what objects appear in each image
  - Their pixel-level segmentation

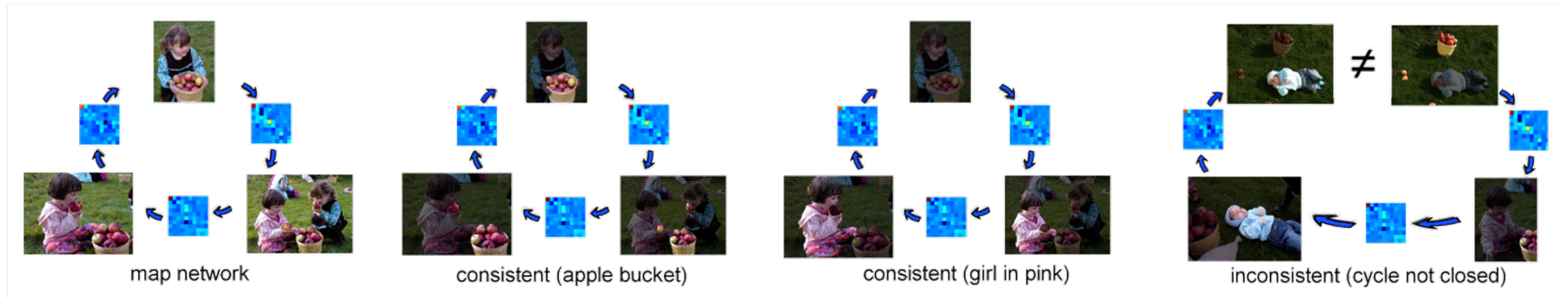


# Framework



# Consistent Functional Maps

- Partial cycle consistency:



Must deal with **non-total** maps

Related to topological persistence / persistent homology

# Consistent Functional Maps

- Latent functions:
- Discrete variables:
- Relationship:
- Consistency:






$$Y_i = (y_{i1}, \dots, y_{iL})$$

$$z_i = \{z_{il} \in \{0, 1\}, 1 \leq l \leq L\}$$

$$Y_i \text{Diag}(z_i) = Y_i$$

$$X_{ij} Y_i = Y_j \text{Diag}(z_i), \quad (i, j) \in \mathcal{E}.$$

Images

					
					
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Objects/Classes

# Optimizing Segmentation Functions

- Alternating between:
  - Continuous optimization:
    - Optimal segmentation functions in each class
  - Combinatorial optimization:
    - Class assignment by propagating segmentation functions

# Continuous Optimization

- Optimize segmentations in each object class
  - Consistent with functional maps
  - Align with segmentation cues
  - **Mutually exclusive**

$$\begin{aligned} & \min_{s_{ik}, i \in \mathcal{C}_k} \sum_{k=1}^M \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E} \cap (\mathcal{C}_k \times \mathcal{C}_k)} \|X_{ij}s_{ik} - s_{jk}\|^2 \\ & + \gamma \sum_{l \neq k} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{C}_k \cap \mathcal{C}_l} (s_{il}^T s_{ik})^2 + \mu \sum_{k=1}^M \sum_{i \in \mathcal{C}_k} s_{ik}^T L_i s_{ik} \\ \text{subject to } & \sum_{i \in \mathcal{C}_k} \|s_{ik}\|^2 = |\mathcal{C}_k|, \quad 1 \leq k \leq K. \end{aligned}$$

# Combinatorial Optimization

- Expand each object class by propagating segmentations to other images

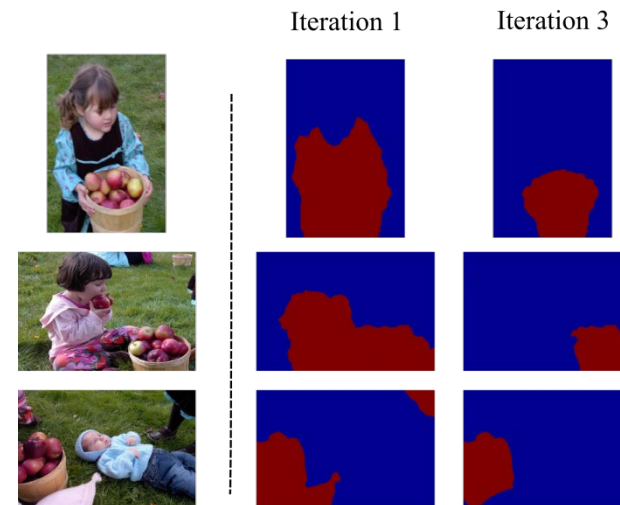
$$\begin{aligned} \max_{s_{ik}} \quad & \frac{1}{|\mathcal{N}(i) \cap \mathcal{C}_k|} \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}(i) \cap \mathcal{C}_k} (s_{ik}^T X_{ji} s_{jk})^2 \\ & - \gamma \sum_{l \neq k, i \in \mathcal{C}_l} (s_{ik}^T s_{il})^2 - \mu s_{ik}^T L_i s_{ik} \\ \text{subject to} \quad & \|s_{ik}\|^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

# Optimizing Segmentation Functions

- More images will be included in each object class



- Segmentation functions are improved during iterations



# Experimental Results

- Accuracy
  - Intersection-over-union
  - Find the best one-to-one matching between each cluster and each ground-truth object.
- Benchmark datasets
  - MSRC: 30 images, 1 class (degenerated case);
  - FlickrMFC data set: 20 images, 3~6 classes
  - PASCAL VOC: 100~200 images, 2 classes

# Experimental Results

class	N	M	Kim'12	Kim'11	Joulin '10	Mukherjee '11	Ours
Apple	20	6	40.9	32.6	24.8	25.6	<b>46.6</b>
Baseball	18	5	31.0	31.3	19.2	16.1	<b>50.3</b>
butterfly	18	8	29.8	32.4	29.5	10.7	<b>54.7</b>
Cheetah	20	5	32.1	40.1	50.9	41.9	<b>62.1</b>
Cow	20	5	35.6	43.8	25.0	27.2	<b>38.5</b>
Dog	20	4	34.5	35.0	32.0	30.6	<b>53.8</b>
Dolphin	18	3	34.0	47.4	37.2	30.1	<b>61.2</b>
Fishing	18	5	20.3	27.2	19.8	18.3	<b>46.8</b>
Gorilla	18	4	41.0	38.8	41.1	28.1	<b>47.8</b>
Liberty	18	4	31.5	41.2	44.6	32.1	<b>58.2</b>
Parrot	18	5	29.9	36.5	35.0	26.6	<b>54.1</b>
Stonehenge	20	5	35.3	49.3	47.0	32.6	<b>54.6</b>
Swan	20	3	17.1	18.4	14.3	16.3	<b>46.5</b>
Thinker	17	4	25.6	34.4	27.6	15.7	<b>68.6</b>
Average	-	-	31.3	36.3	32.0	25.1	<b>53.1</b>

Performance comparison on the MFCFlickr dataset

class	N	NCut	MNcut	Ours
Bike + person	248	27.3	30.5	<b>40.1</b>
Boat + person	260	29.3	32.6	<b>44.6</b>
Bottle + dining table	90	37.8	39.5	<b>47.6</b>
Bus + car	195	36.3	39.4	<b>49.2</b>
bus + person	243	38.9	41.3	<b>55.5</b>
Chair + dining table	134	32.3	30.8	<b>40.3</b>
Chair + potted plant	115	19.7	19.7	<b>22.3</b>
Cow + person	263	30.5	33.5	<b>45.0</b>
Dog + sofa	217	44.6	42.2	<b>49.6</b>
Horse + person	276	27.3	30.8	<b>42.1</b>
Potted plant + sofa	119	37.4	37.5	<b>40.7</b>

Performance comparison on the PASCAL-multi dataset

class	N	Joulin'10	Kim'11	Mukherjee'11	Ours
Bike	30	43.3	29.9	42.8	<b>51.2</b>
Bird	30	47.7	29.9	-	<b>55.7</b>
Car	30	59.7	37.1	52.5	<b>72.9</b>
Cat	24	31.9	24.4	5.6	<b>65.9</b>
Chair	30	39.6	28.7	39.4	<b>46.5</b>
Cow	30	52.7	33.5	26.1	<b>68.4</b>
Dog	30	41.8	33.0	-	<b>55.8</b>
Face	30	70.0	33.2	40.8	60.9
Flower	30	51.9	40.2	-	<b>67.2</b>
House	30	51.0	32.2	66.4	56.6
Plane	30	21.6	25.1	33.4	<b>52.2</b>
Sheep	30	66.3	60.8	45.7	<b>72.2</b>
Sign	30	58.9	43.2	-	<b>59.1</b>
Tree	30	67.0	61.2	55.9	<b>62.0</b>

Performance comparison on the MSRC dataset

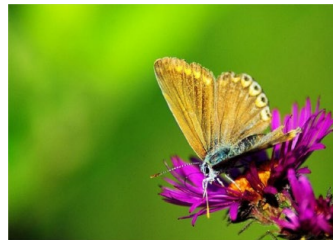
## Apple + picking



## Baseball + kids



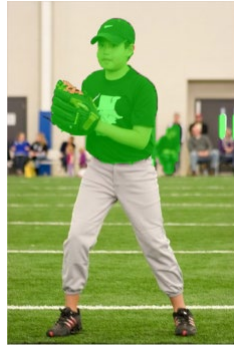
## Butterfly + blossom



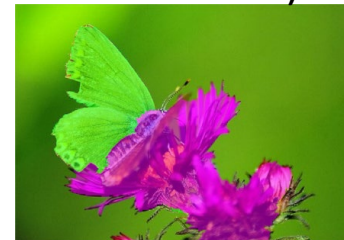
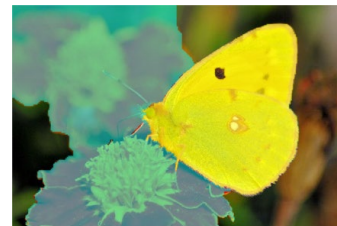
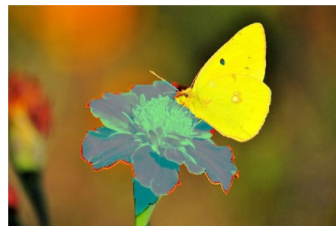
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Baseball + kids (green: boy in black; blue: boy in grey; yellow: coach.)



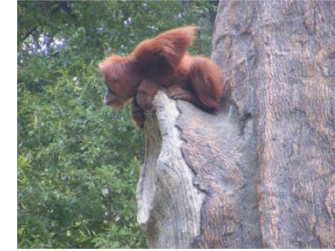
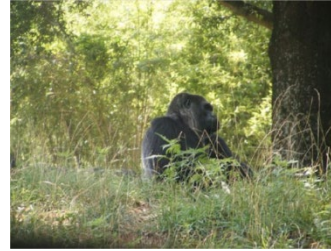
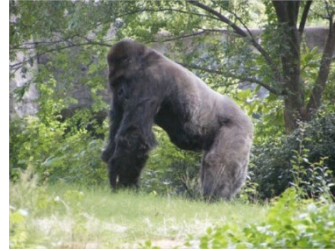
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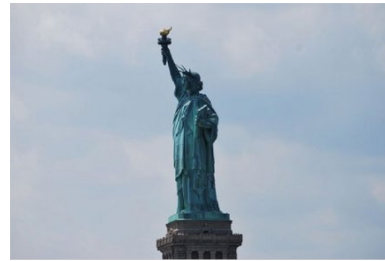
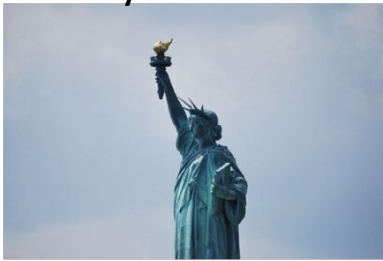
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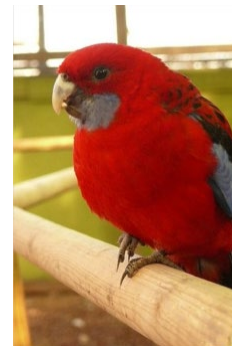
## Gorilla + zoo



## Liberty + statue



## Parrot + zoo



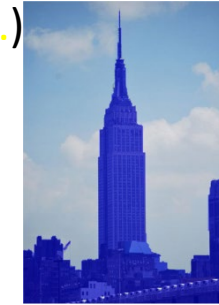
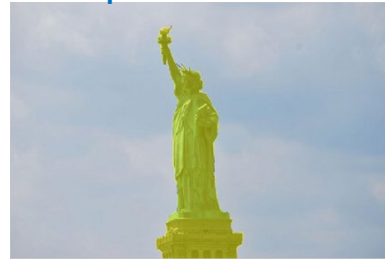
Fishing + Alaska (blue: man in white; green: man in gray; magenta: woman in gray; yellow: salmon.)



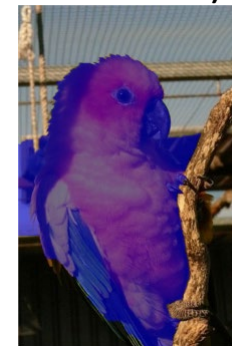
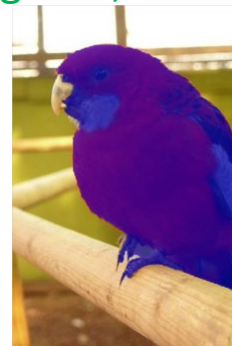
Gorilla + zoo (blue: gorilla; yellow: brown orangutan)



Liberty + statue (blue: empire state building; green: red boat; yellow: liberty statue.)



Parrot + zoo (red: hand; green: parrot in green; blue: parrot in red.)



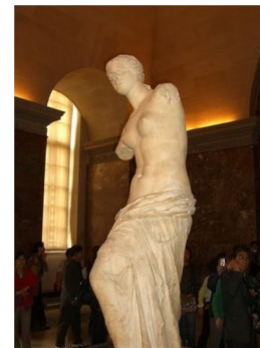
## Stonehenge



## Swan + zoo



## Thinker + Rodin



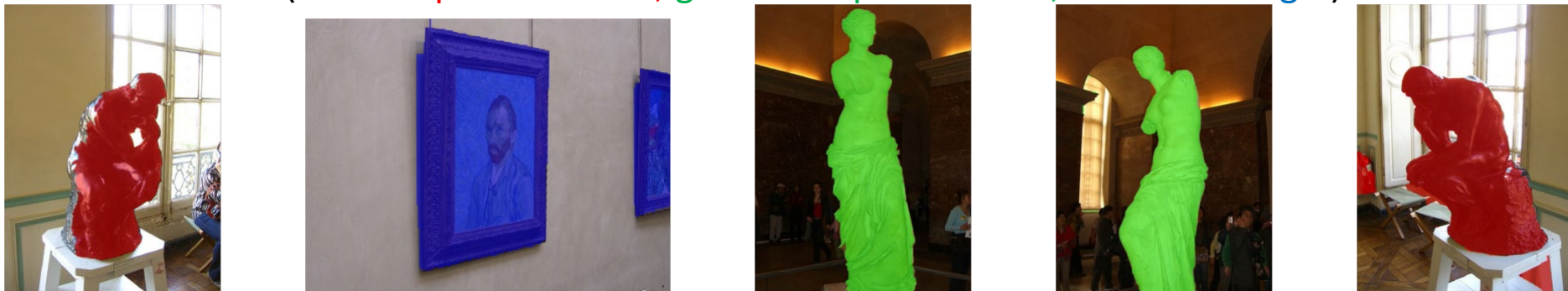
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Swan + zoo (blue: gray swan; green: black swan.)



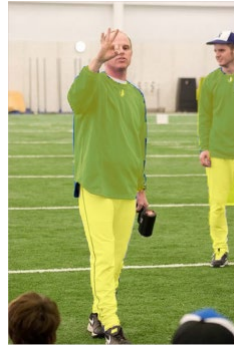
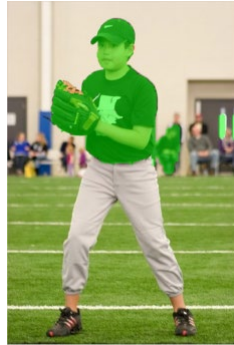
Thinker + Rodin (red: sculpture Thinker; green: sculpture Venus; blue: Van Gogh.)



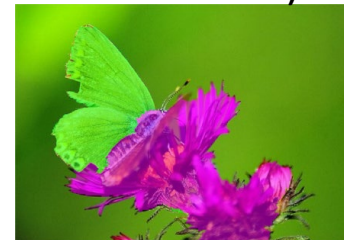
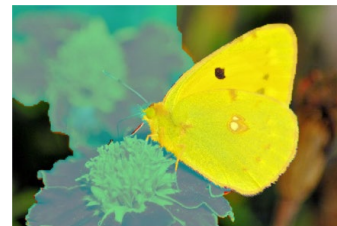
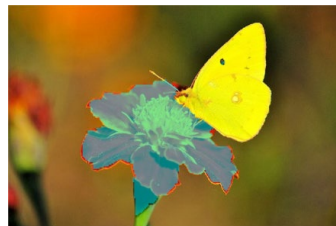
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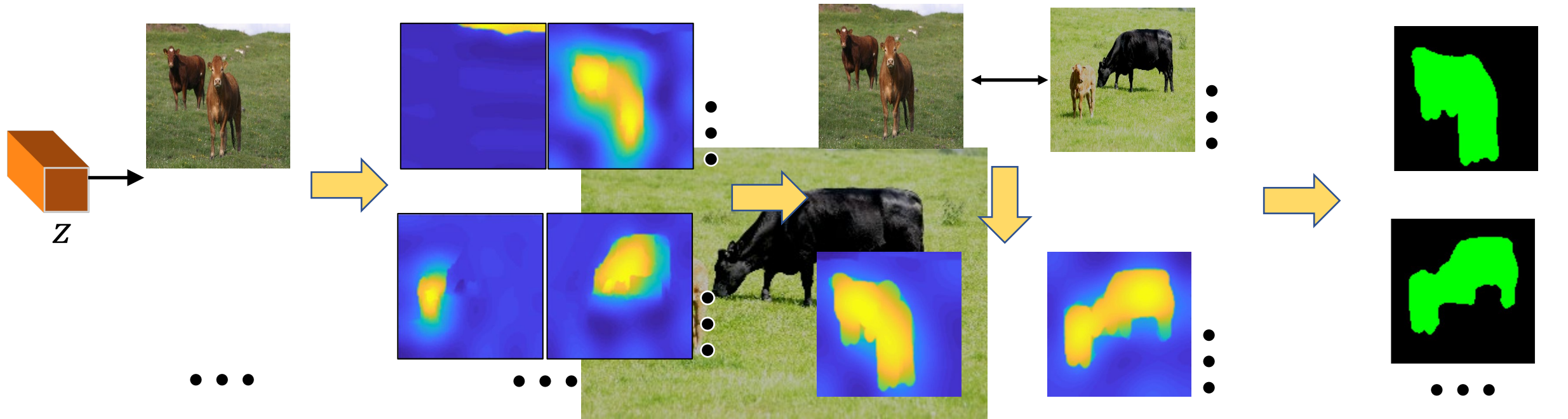


Butterfly + blossom (green: butterfly in orange; yellow: butterfly in yellow; cyan: red flower.)



# Cosegmentation via Generation

# Approach Overview



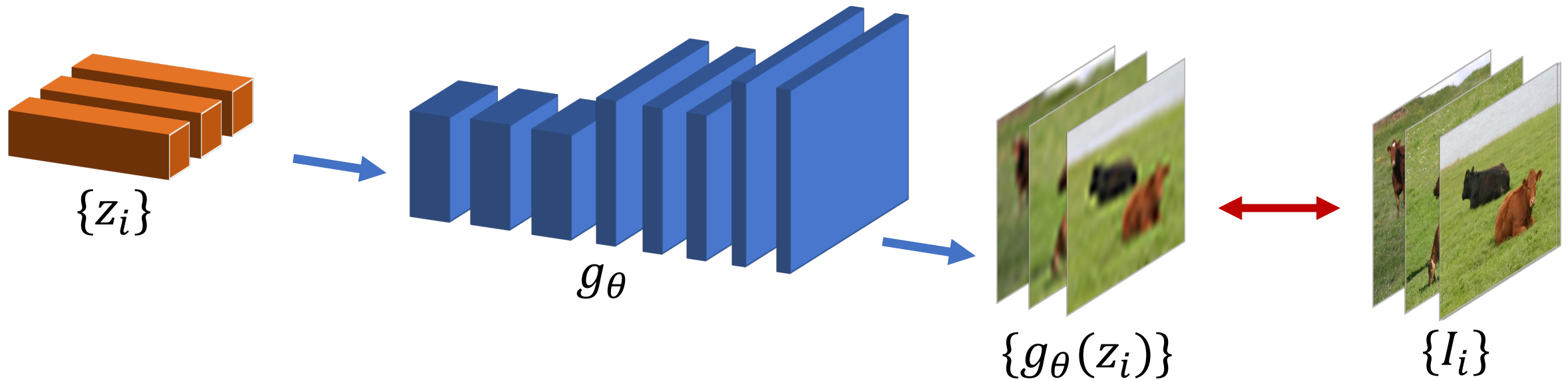
Learning Image  
Generator

Variability-driven  
Segmentation Cues

Consistent  
Functional Map  
Optimization

Segmentation  
Extraction

# Learning Image Generator $g_\theta$ (Autodecoder)



$$\min_{\{z_i\}, \theta} \sum_i \|I_i - g_\theta(z_i)\|^2 + \lambda_1 \cdot \text{KL}(\{z_i\}, \mathcal{N}(0, I))$$

**Initialize**  $z_i \leftarrow \text{HOG}(I_i) \cdot P_i \in R^d$

**where**  $P_i \leftarrow \text{PCA}(\{\text{HOG}(I_i)\})$

# Reduced Functional Space



$$I_i \in R^{n^2 \times 3}$$

$$R^{n^2 \times n^2} \ni L_i$$

Normalized  
Graph Laplacian

$\approx$

$$\begin{matrix} k \\ B_i \end{matrix} \cdot \begin{matrix} \Sigma_i \end{matrix} \cdot \begin{matrix} B_i^T \end{matrix}$$

Reduced Functional Basis  $B_i \in R^{n^2 \times k}$

# Variability Analysis

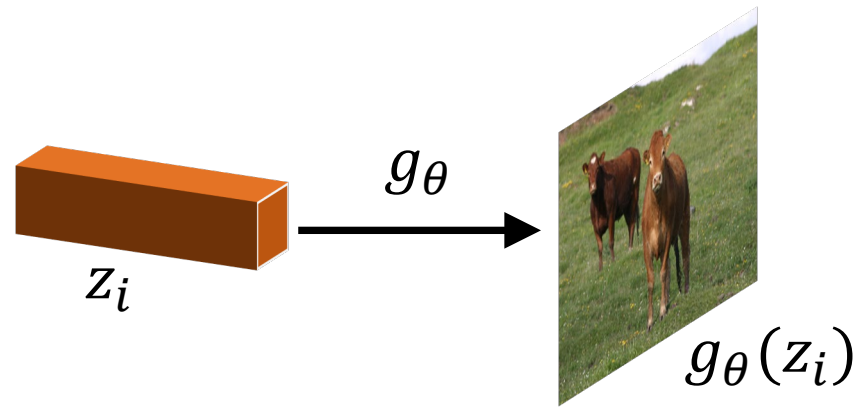
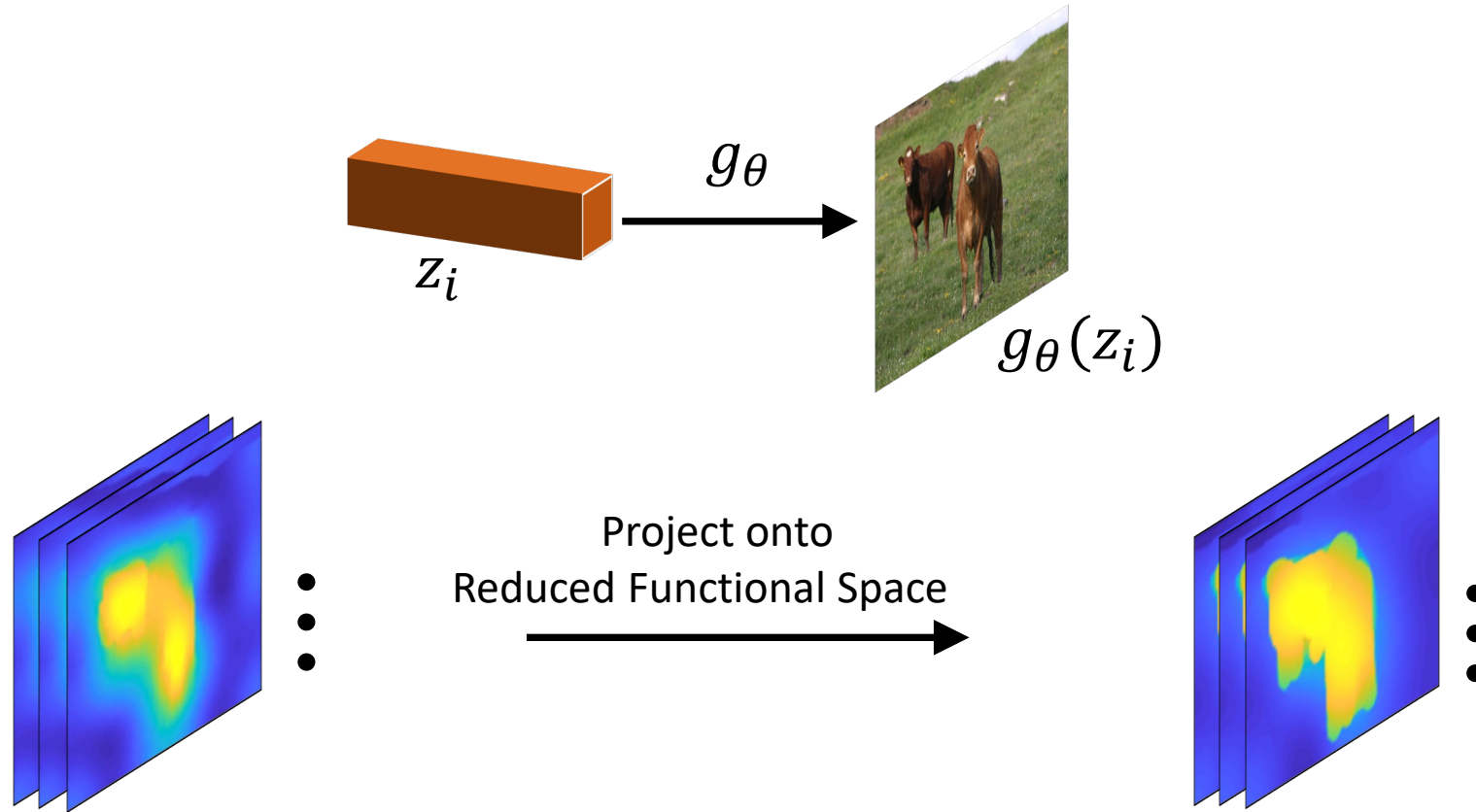


Image Generator  $g_\theta: R^d \rightarrow R^{3n^2}$

Jacobians  $\frac{\partial g_\theta}{\partial z} \in R^{3n^2 \times d}$

# Variability Analysis



$$V_i = \frac{\partial g_\theta}{\partial z}(z_i) \cdot U_i = (V_i^r, V_i^g, V_i^b)$$
$$V_i^r, V_i^g, V_i^b \in R^{n^2 \times d_i}$$

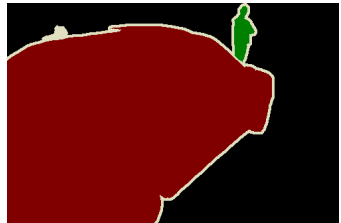
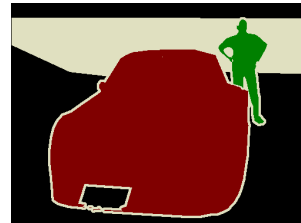
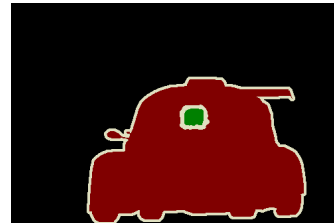
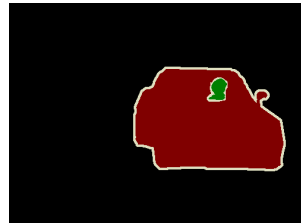
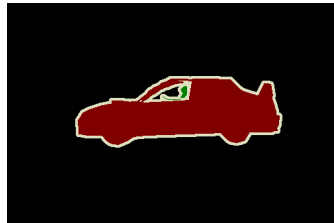
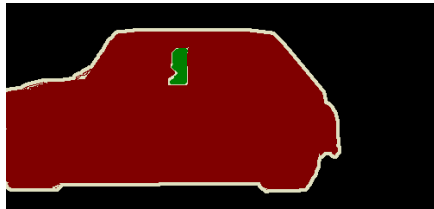
$$\widehat{V}_i^c = B_i (B_i^T B_i)^{-1} B_i^T V_i^c \in R^{k \times d_i}$$
$$c \in \{r, g, b\}$$

# Qualitative Results (Pascal VOC 2012)

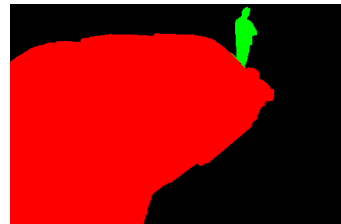
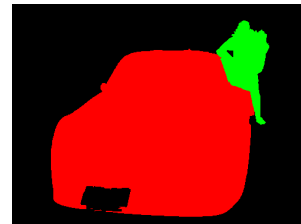
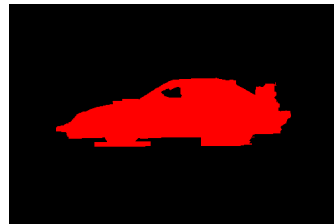
Input:



GT:

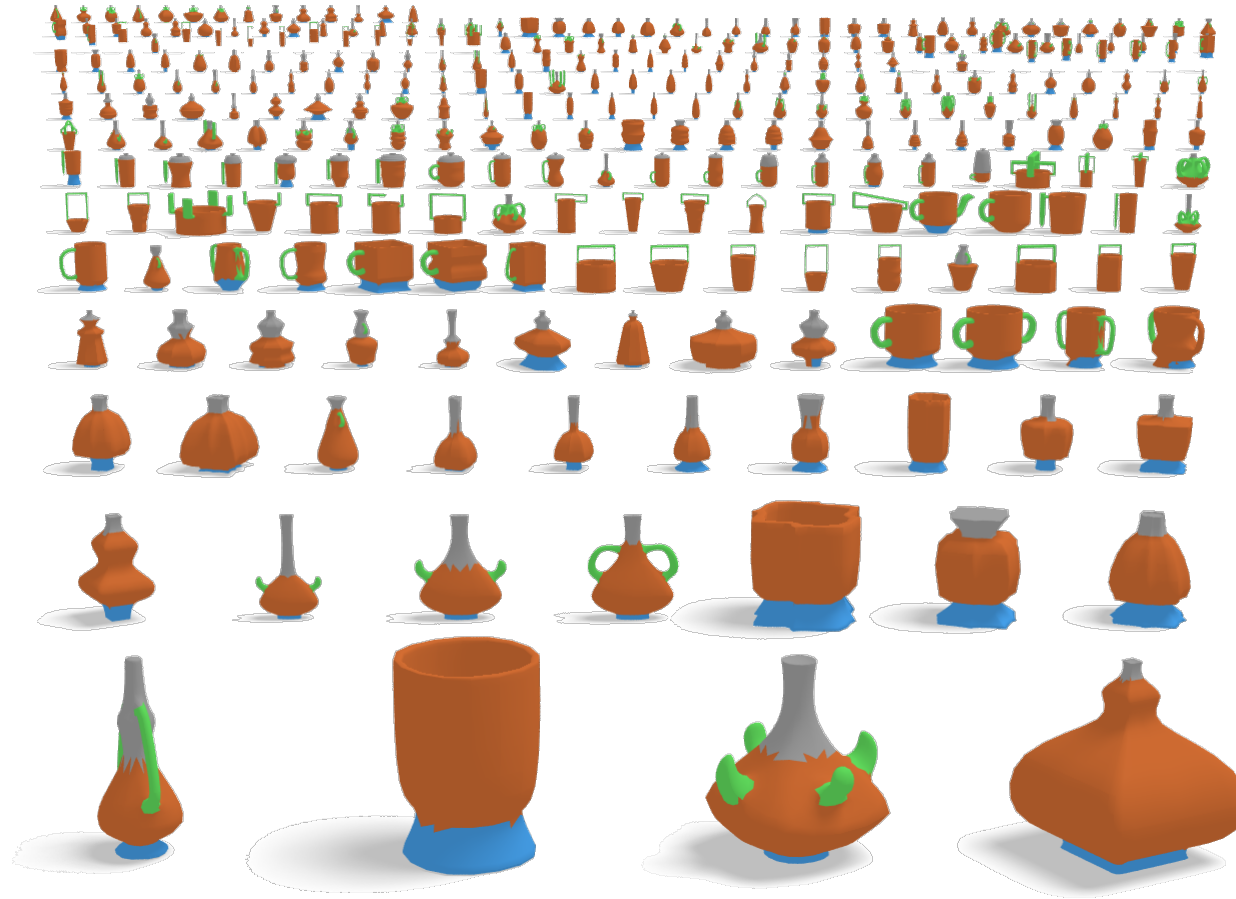


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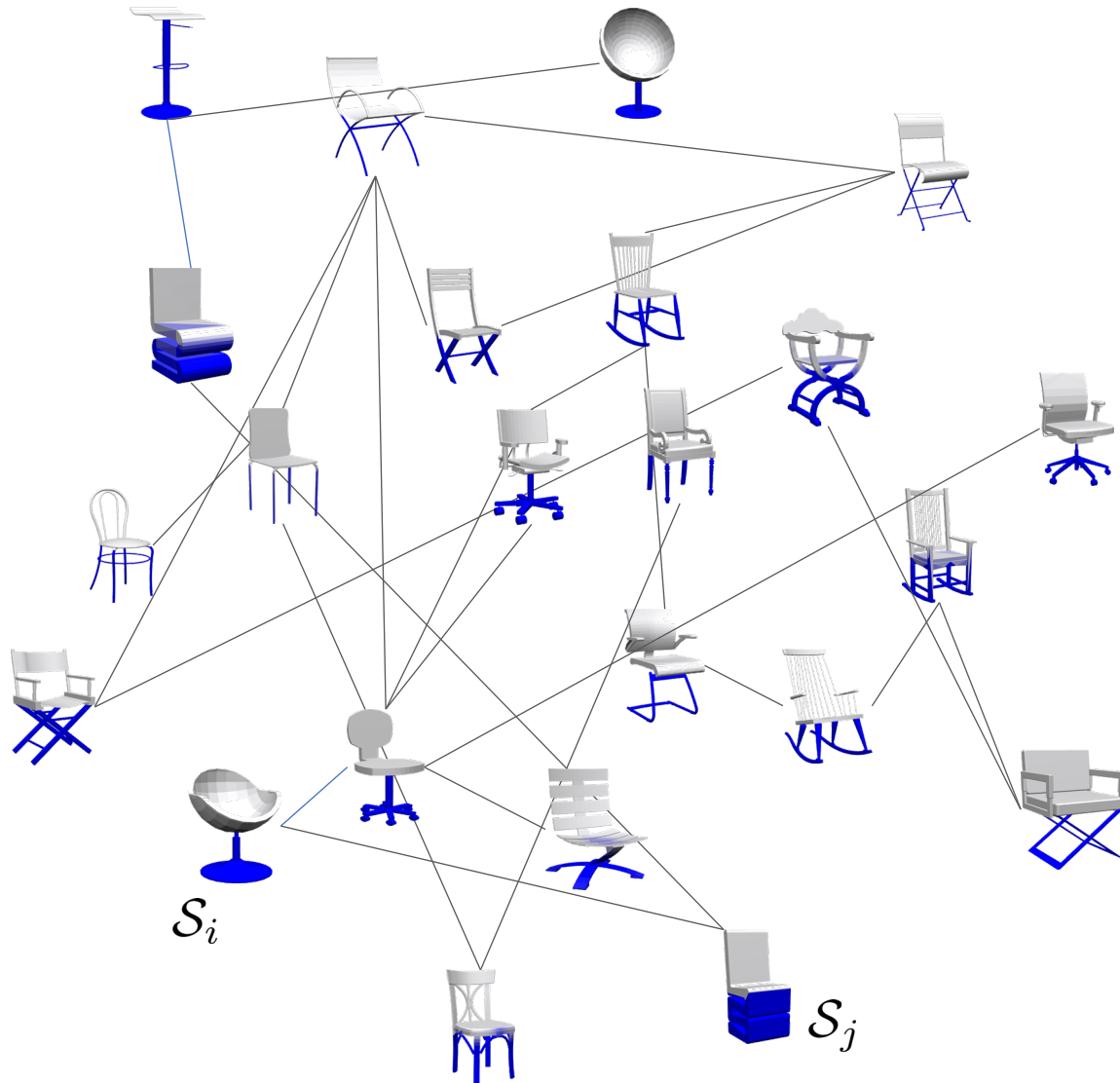


# 3D Shape Cosegmentation

# Consistent Shape Segmentation



# First Build a Network



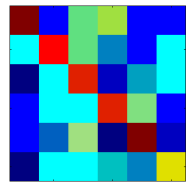
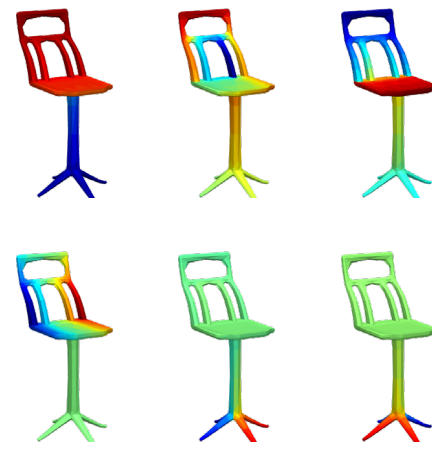
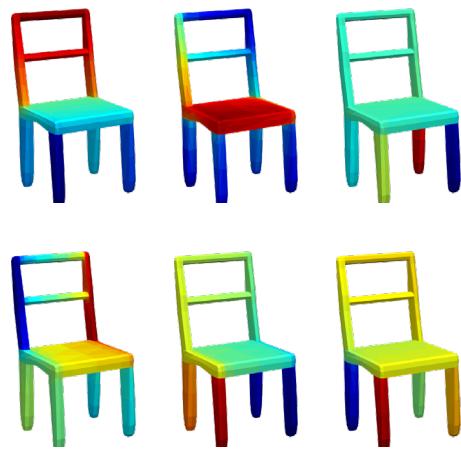
distance histogram



Use the D2 shape descriptor and connect each shape to its nearest neighbors

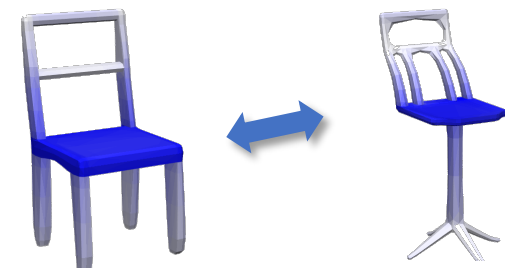
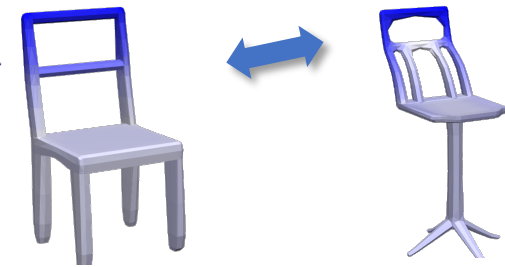
$$\mathcal{G} = (\mathcal{F}, \mathcal{E})$$

# Start From Noisy Shape Descriptor Correspondences



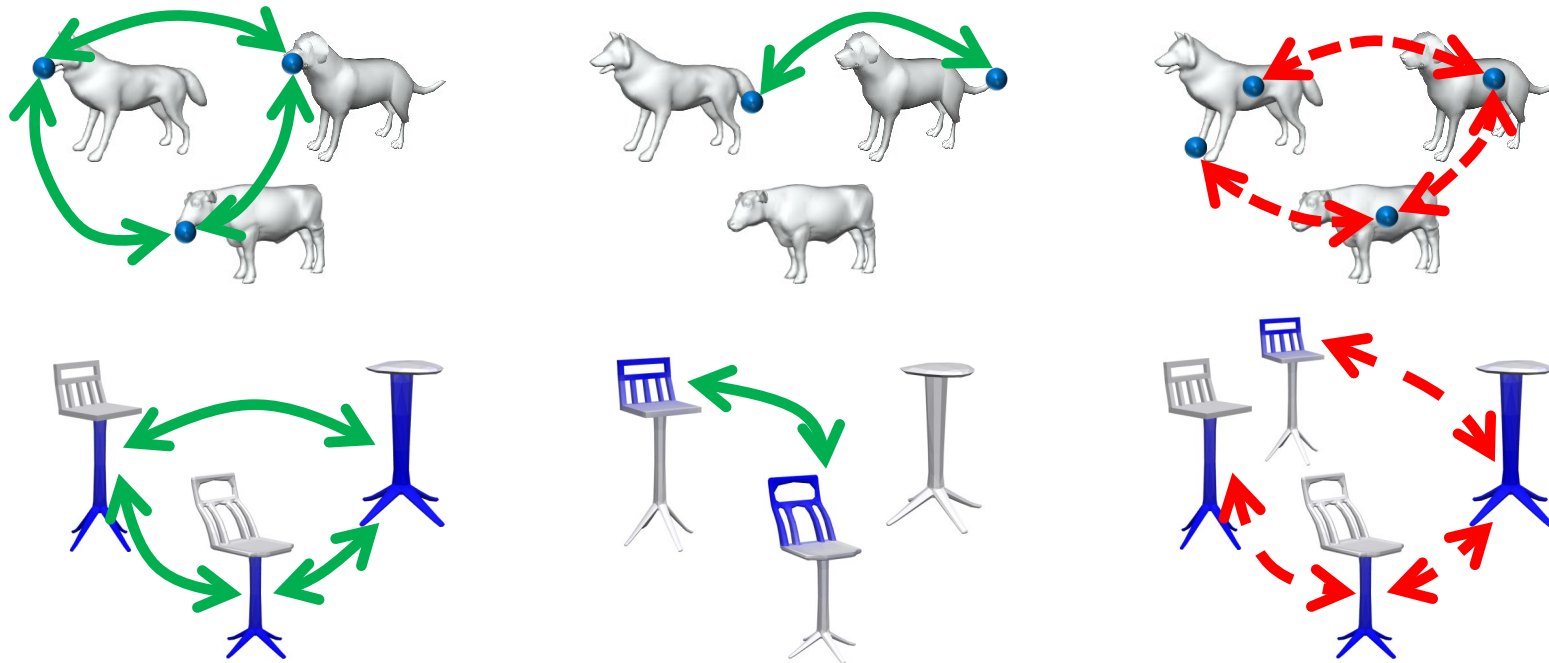
Lift to  
functional form

$$C_i X_{ij} \approx D_j$$



$C_i$  • • •  $D_i$

# Cycle Consistency Under Partial Similarity



# Joint Map Optimization

- Step 1: Convex low-rank recovery using robust PCA – we minimize over all  $X$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{trace norm} \\ \|X\|_{\star} = \sum_i \sigma_i(X) \end{aligned} \quad X^* = \lambda \|X\|_{\star} + \min_X \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{G}} \|X_{ij} C_{ij} - D_{ij}\|_{2,1} \quad \text{convex!}$$

$\|A\|_{2,1} = \sum_i \|\vec{a}_i\|$

Dual ADMM

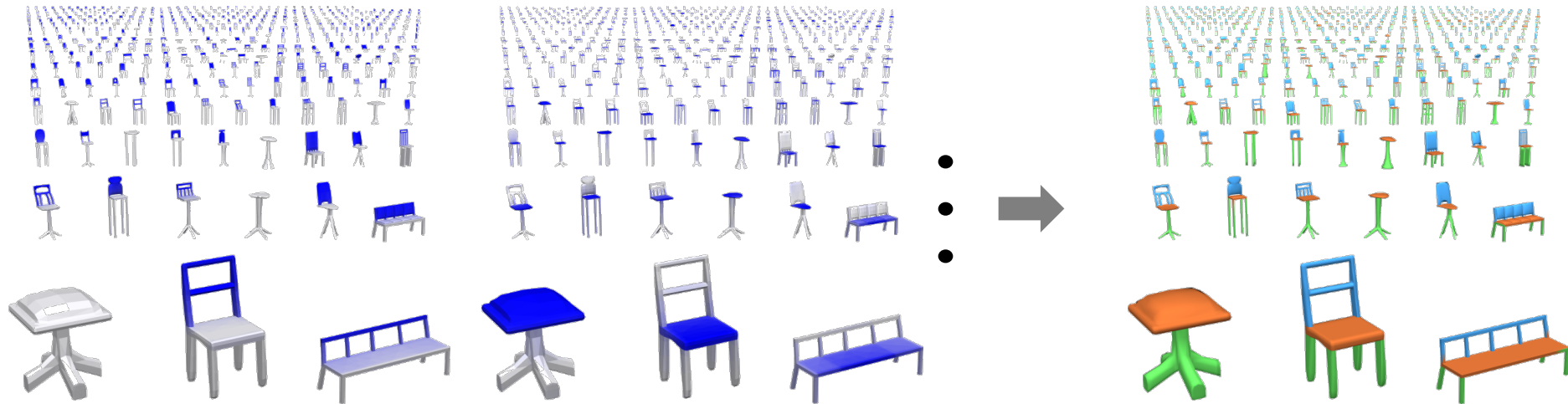
- Step 2: Perturb the above  $X$  to force the factorization

$$\sum_{1 \leq i, j \leq N} \|X_{ij}^* - Y_j^+ Y_i\|_F^2 + \mu \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{1 \leq k < l \leq L} (\mathbf{y}_{ik}^T \mathbf{y}_{il})^2$$

Non-linear least squares  
Gauss-Newton descent

The  $Y_i$  give us the desired latent spaces

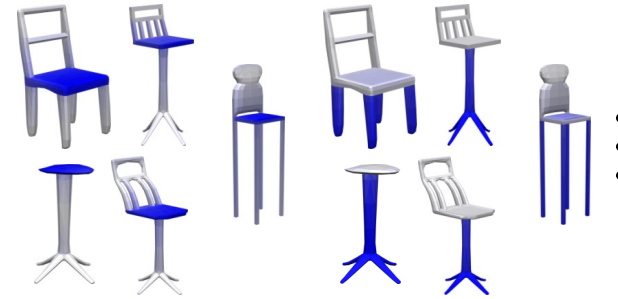
# Consistent Shape Segmentation



Via 2<sup>nd</sup> order MRF on each shape independently

# Low-Rank Matrix Factorization

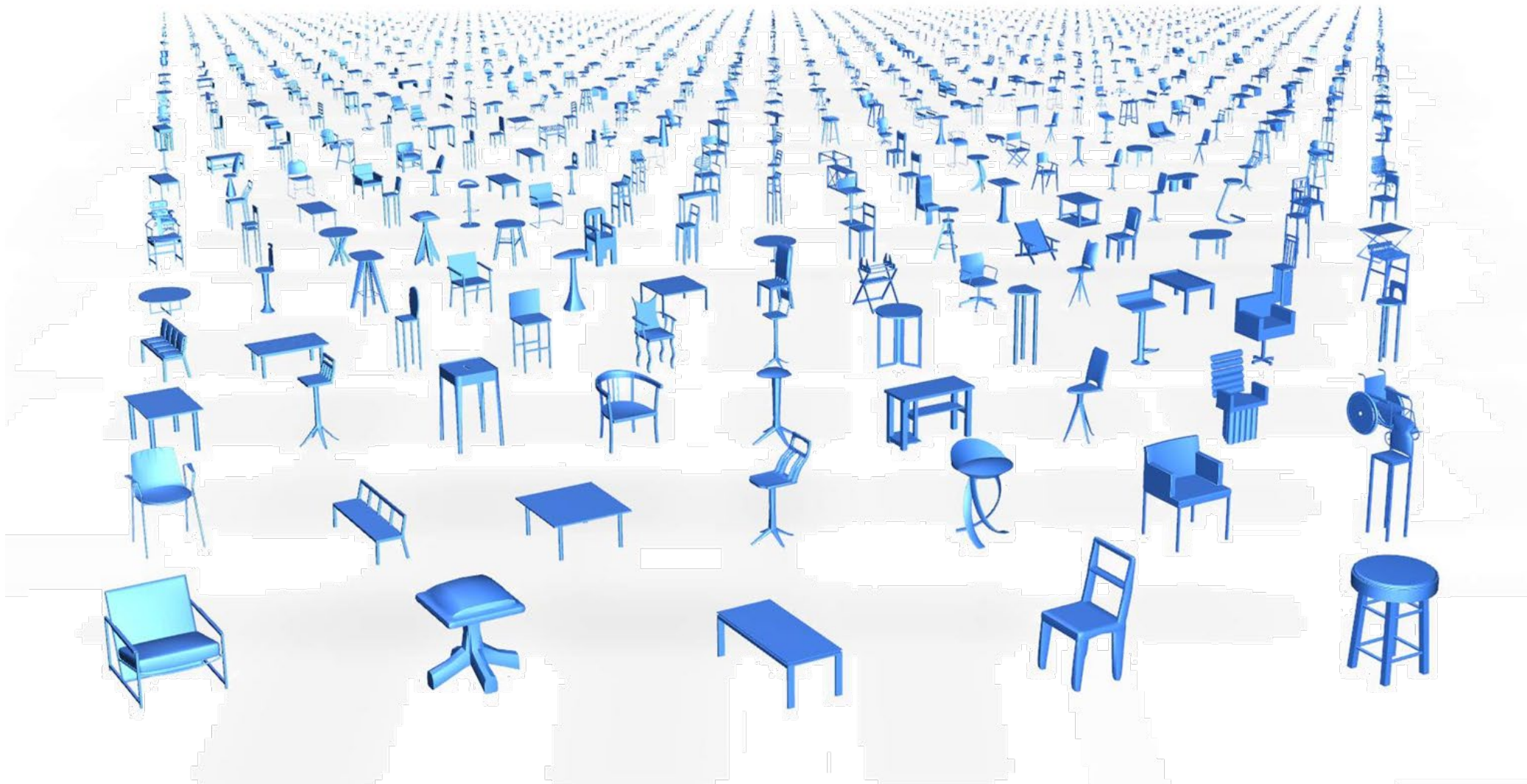
$$X := \begin{pmatrix} X_{11} & \cdots & X_{N1} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ X_{1N} & \cdots & X_{NN} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} Y_1^+ \\ \vdots \\ Y_N^+ \end{pmatrix} ( Y_1 \quad \cdots \quad Y_N )$$



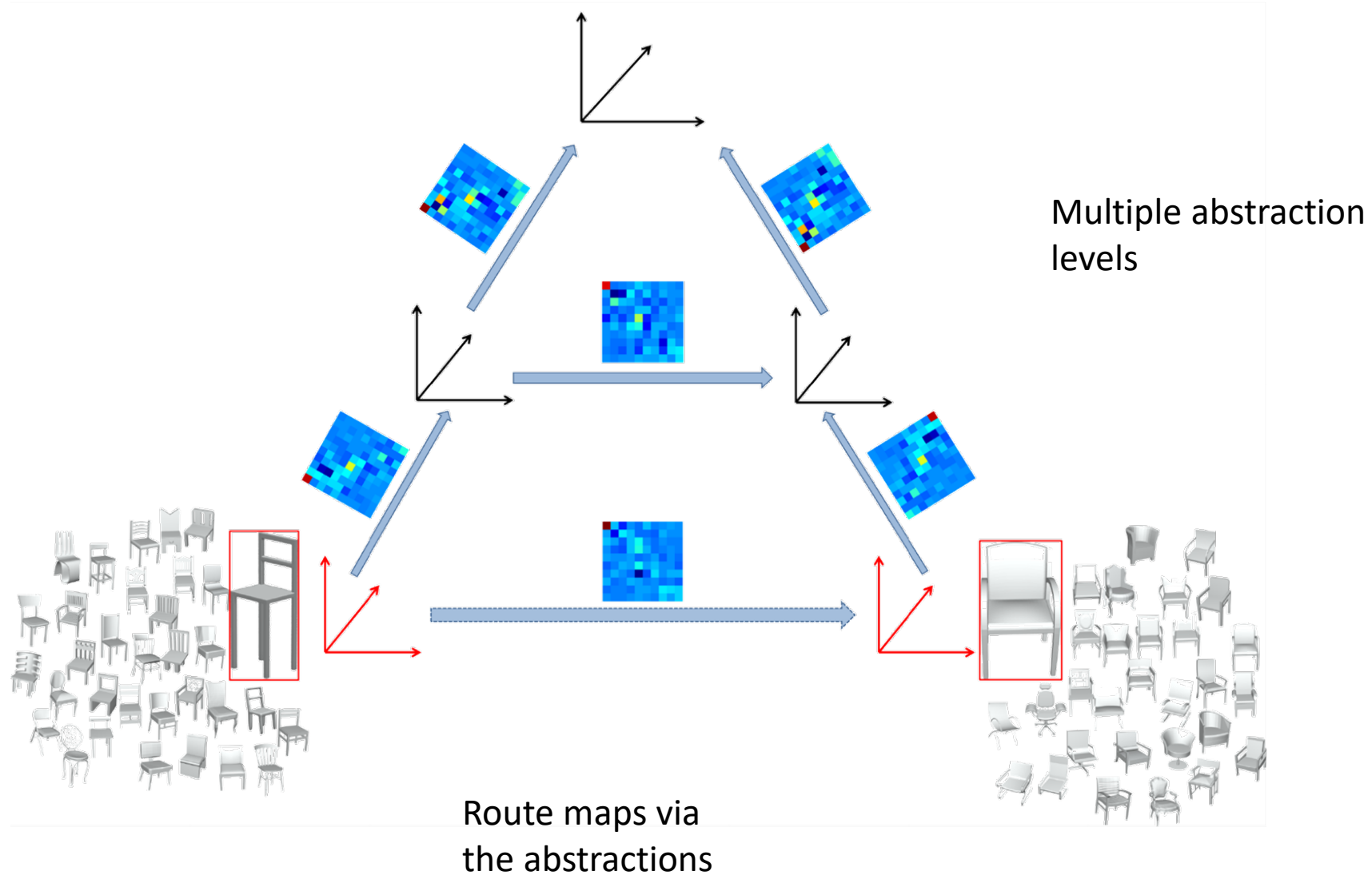
- **Robust computation** --- recover a low-rank matrix from noisy measurements of its entries (initial functional correspondences)
- **Structure recovery** ---  $Y$  matrices encode shared structures across the shape collection
- **Efficient encoding** --- We just need to store the  $Y$  matrices

# Large-Scale Data

8K shapes

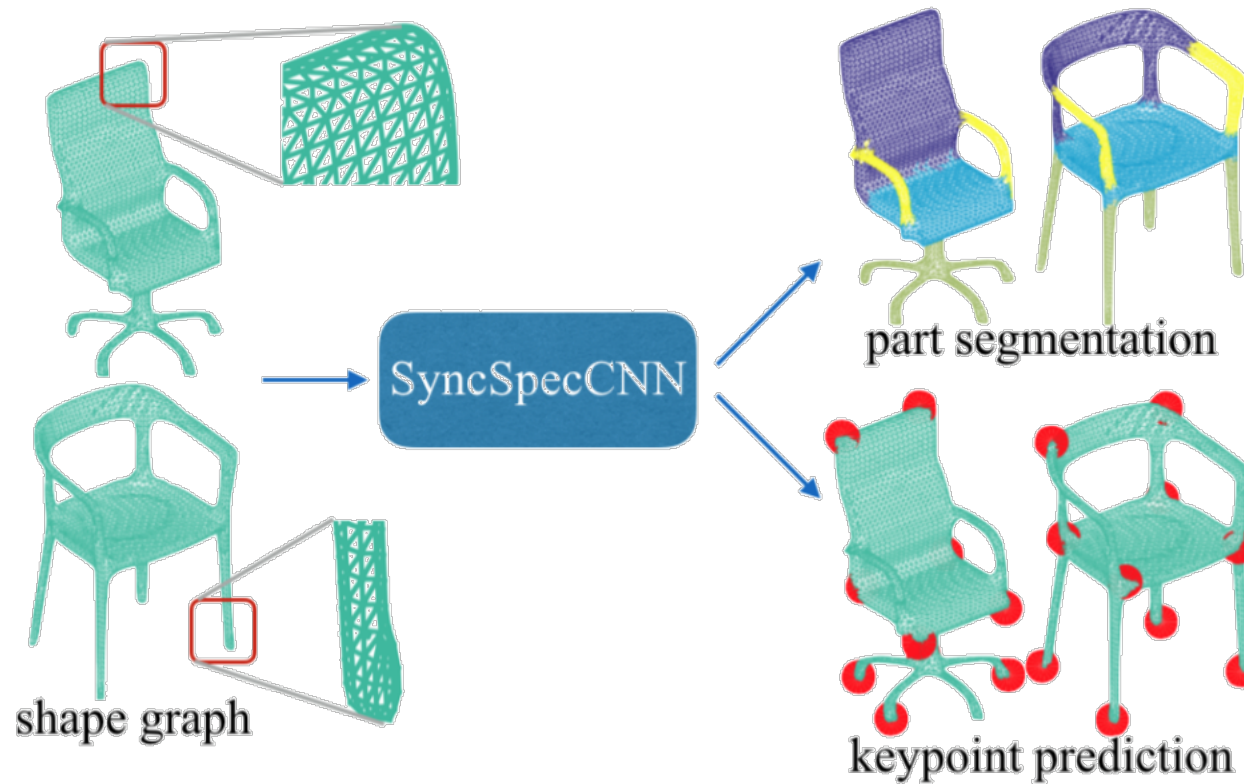


# Hierarchical Scaling



# Primal-Dual Methods

# Synchronized Spectral CNN

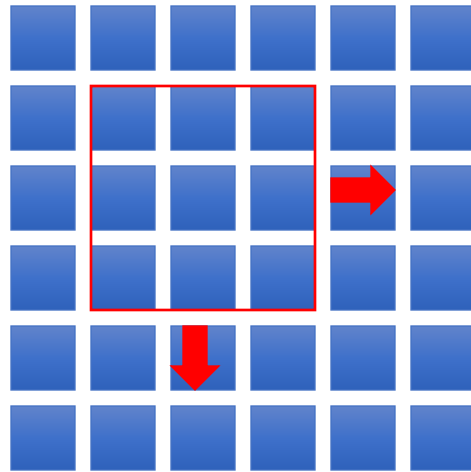


Input: shape graph  
equipped with vertex functions

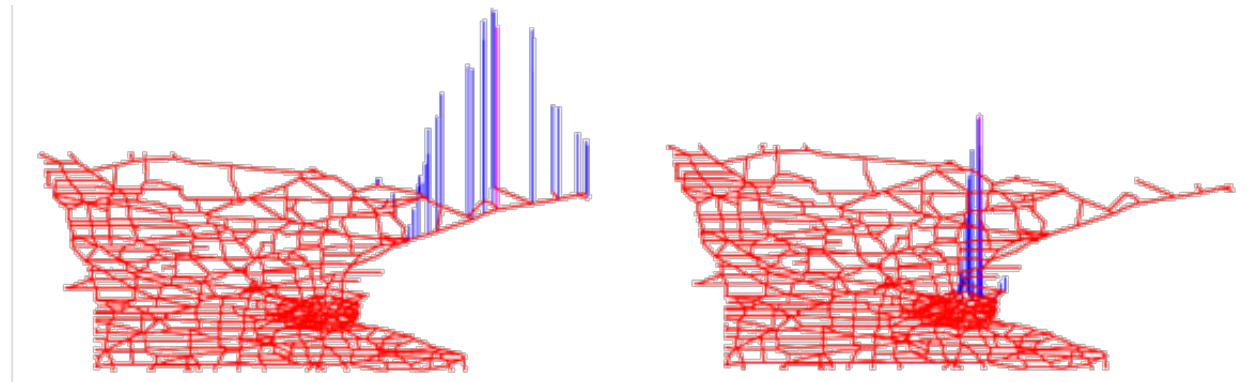
Output: semantic functions

[L, Yi, H. Su, LG, 2017]

# Difficulty in CNN Parameter Sharing on General Graphs



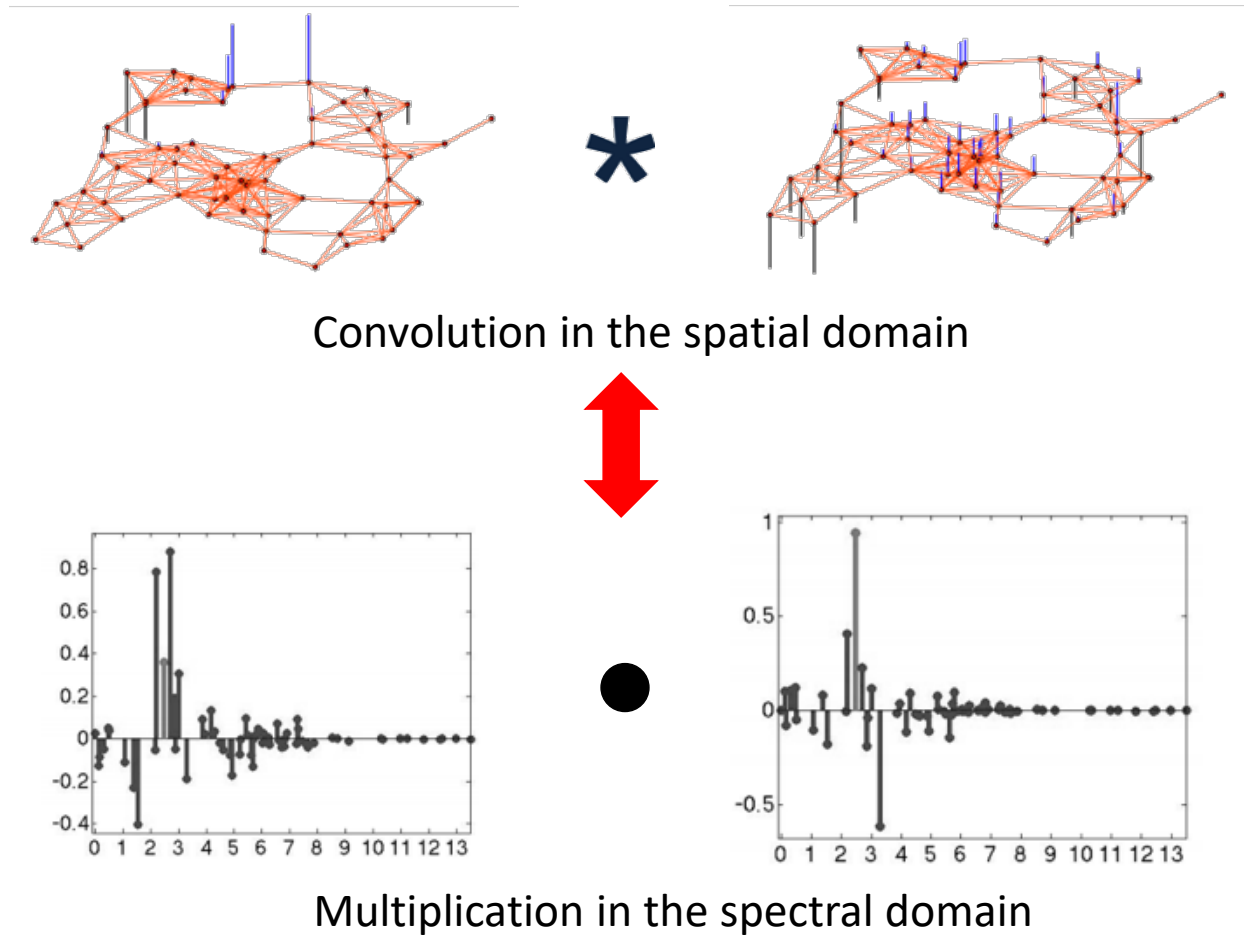
Grid



Shuman et al. 2013

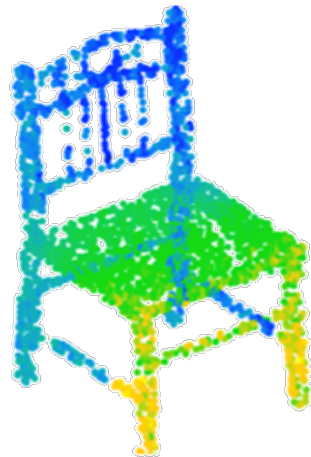
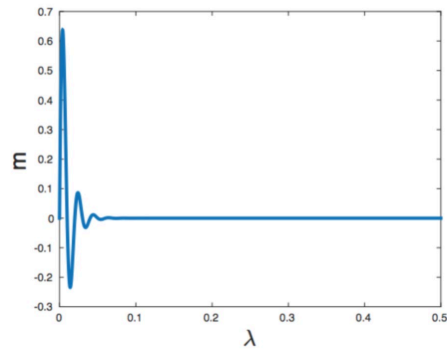
General Graph

# Generalized Convolution via Graph Fourier Transform



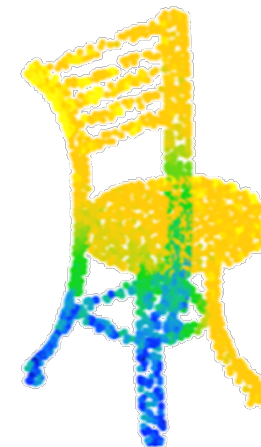
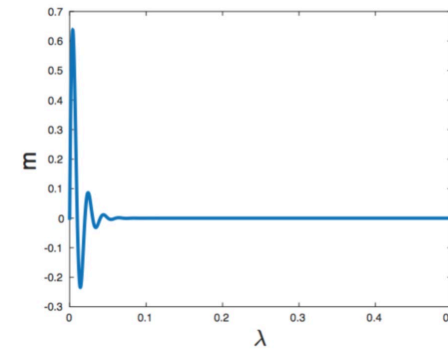
# Cross Domain Discrepancy

Spectral Domain 1



Spectral domains are independently defined for each shape graph

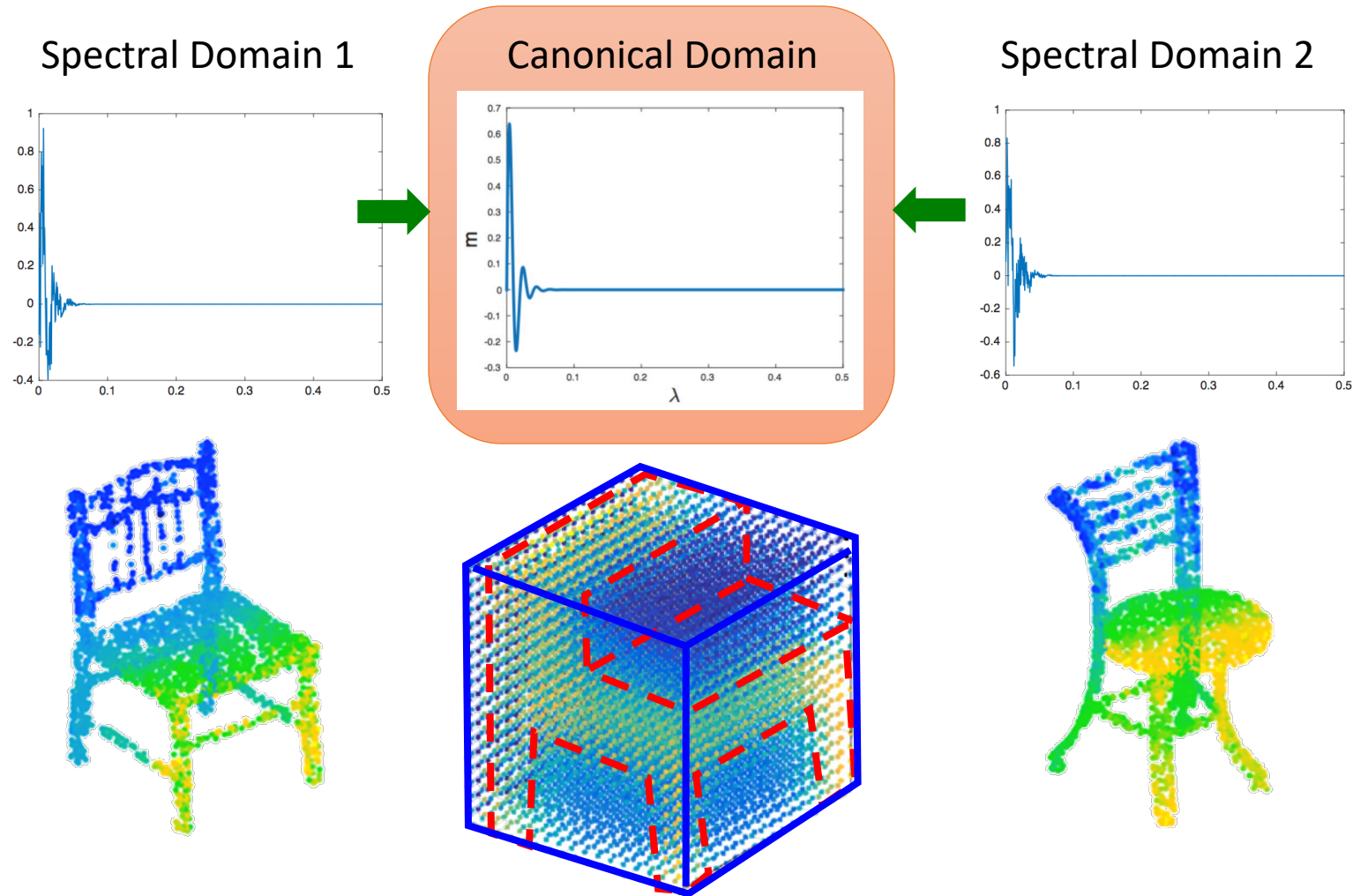
Spectral Domain 2



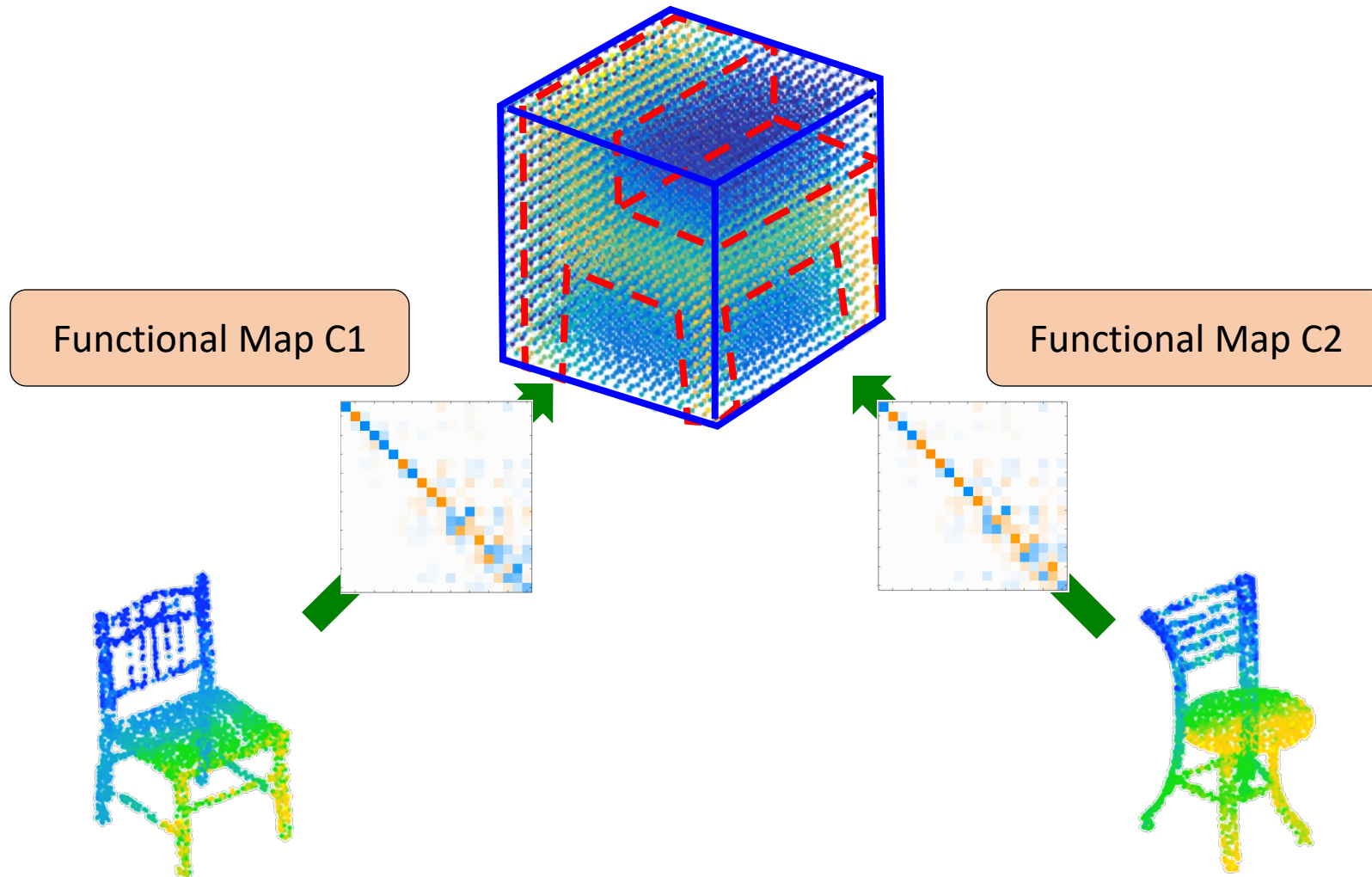
The same spectral function can induce very different spatial functions on different graphs

Cross domain parameter sharing is not valid

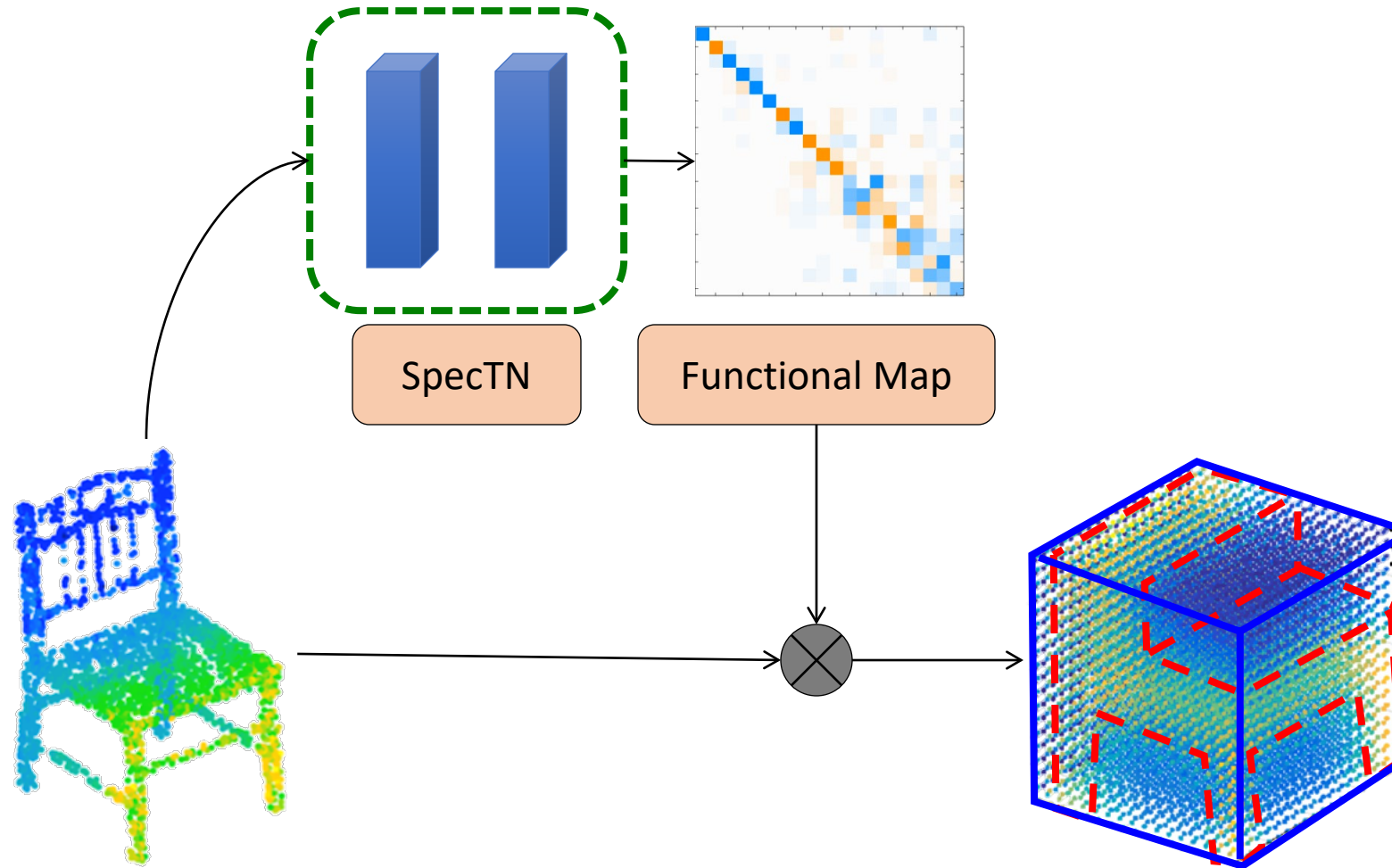
# Different Domains Need to Be Synchronized



# Functional Maps for Domain Synchronization



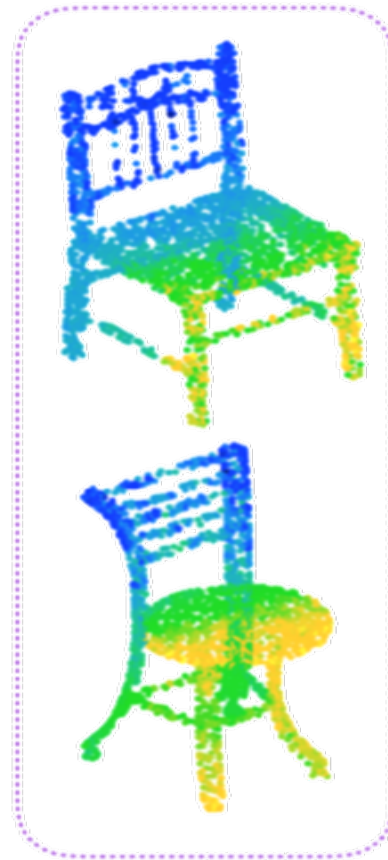
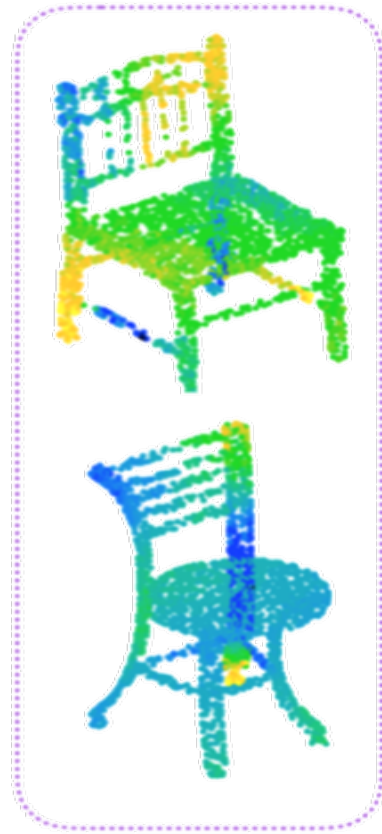
# Spectral Transformer Network



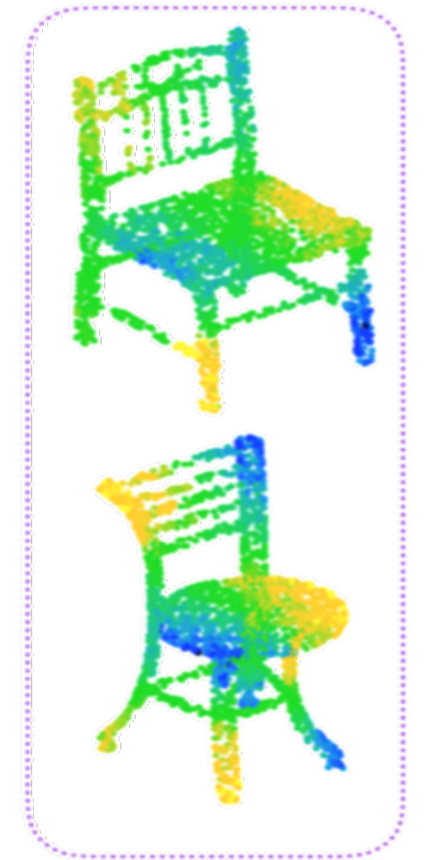
# Synchronization Visualization



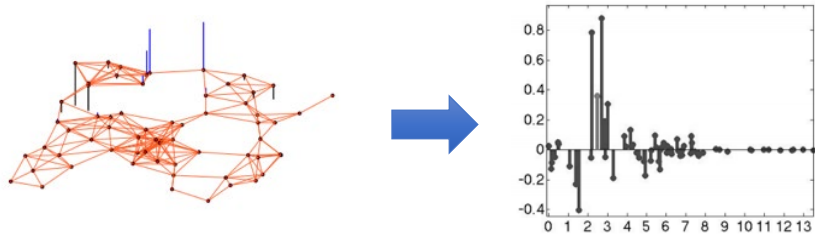
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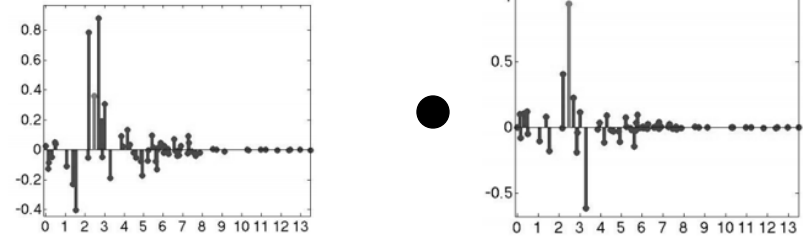
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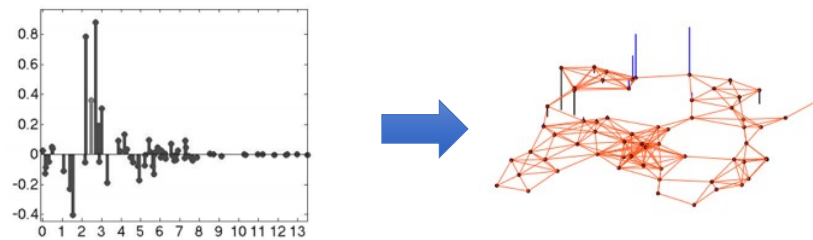
# Basic Network Operations



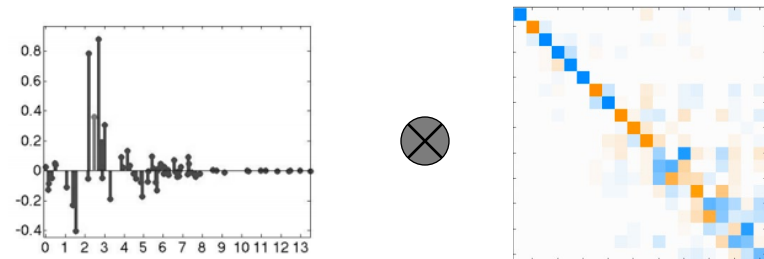
Forward Transform



Spectral Multiplication

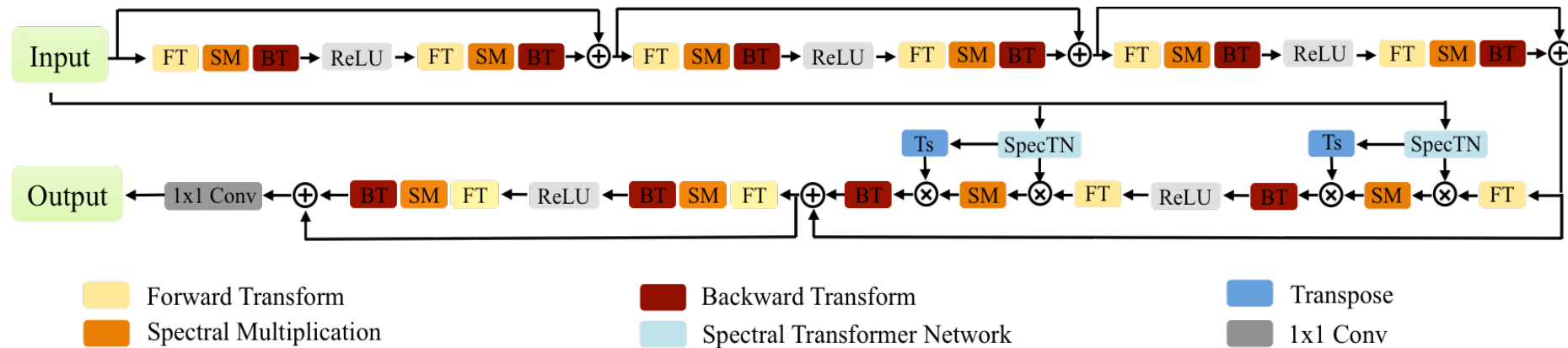


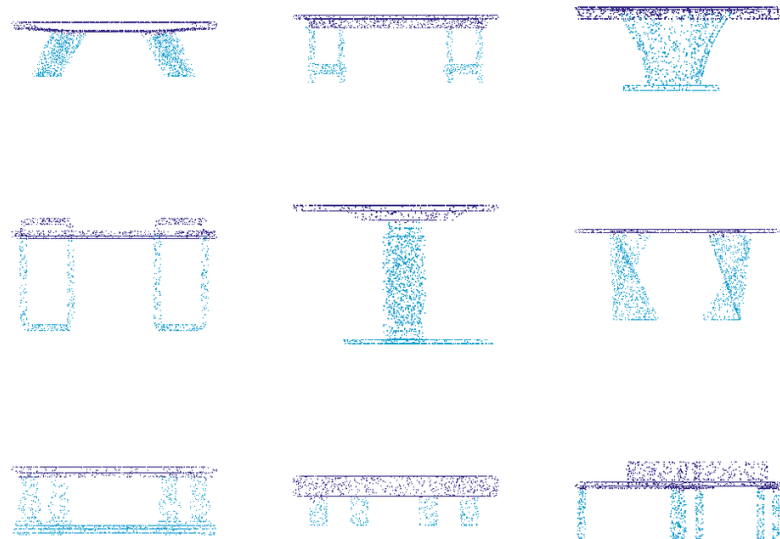
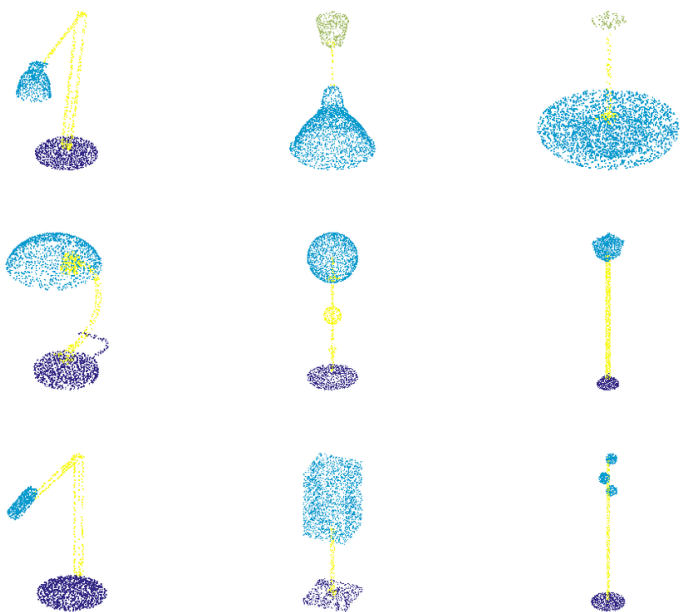
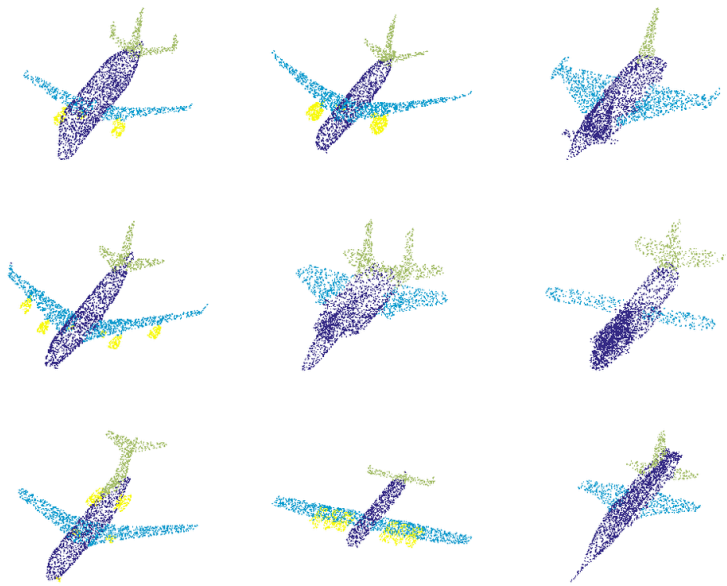
Backward Transform



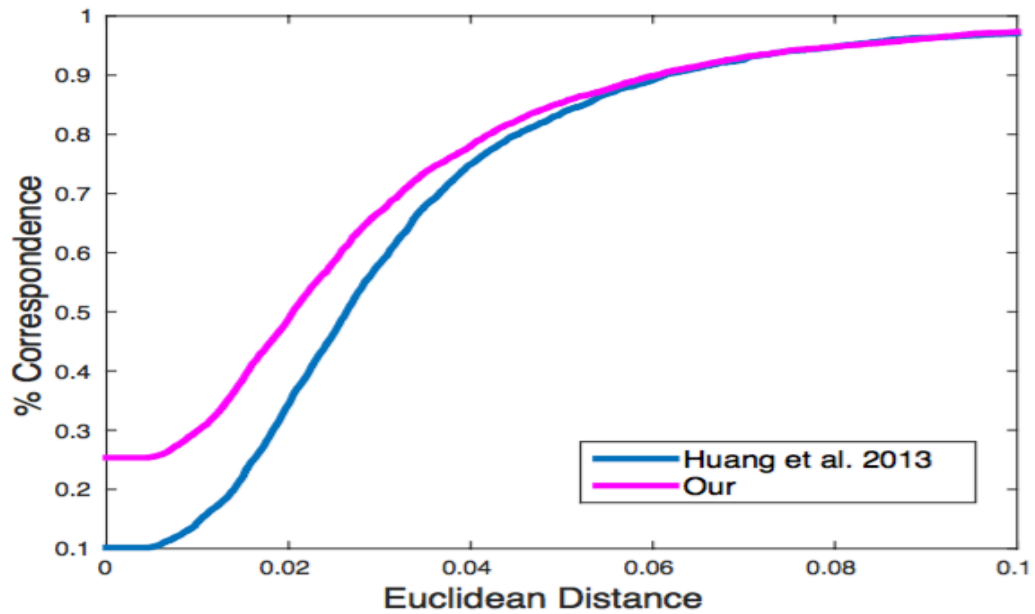
Synchronization

# Network Architecture

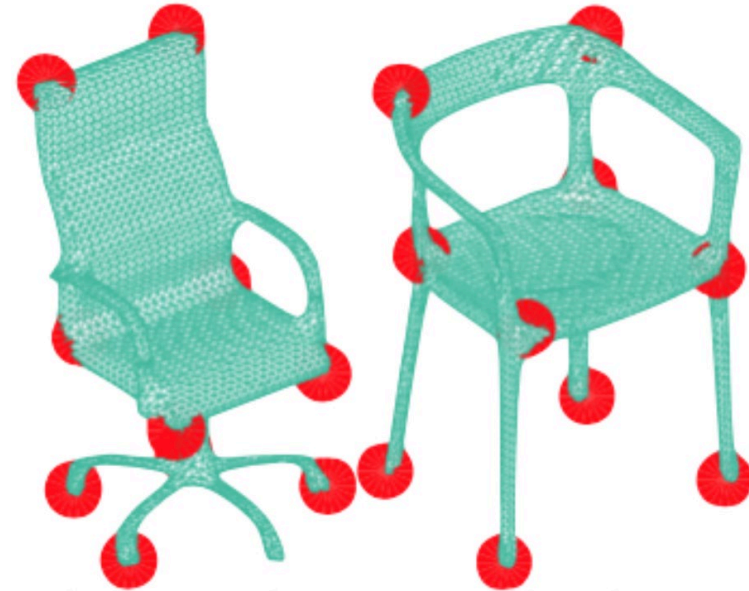




# Keypoint Prediction Application



Comparison with previous states via PCK curve



Prediction Visualization

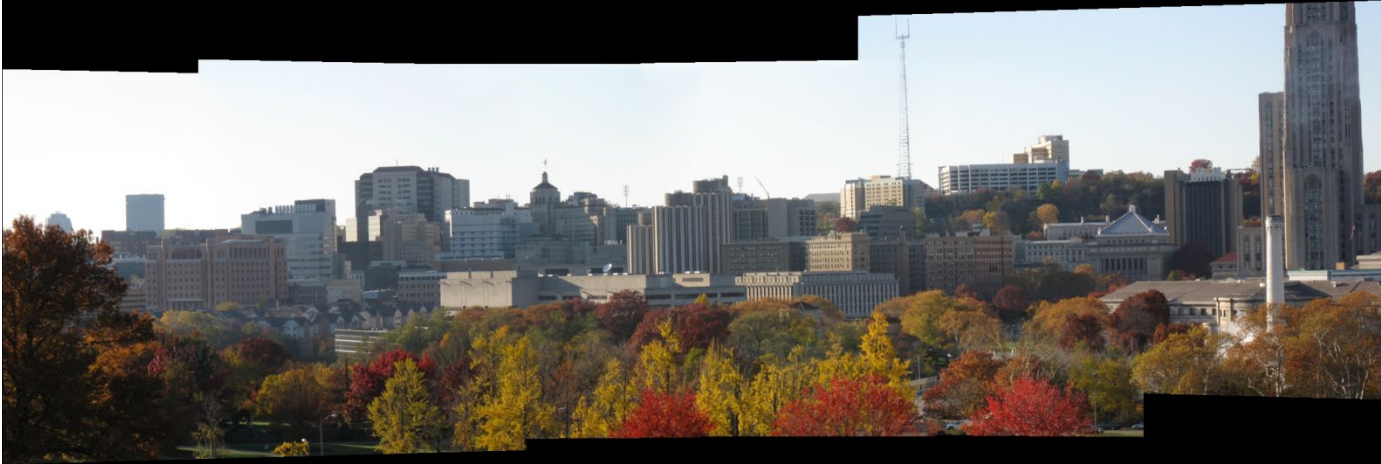
# Key Ideas Summary

- Using spectral multiplication to replace spatial convolution, to allow parameter sharing at different locations on a shape.
- Using spectral transformer network to generate functional maps and synchronize different spectral domains, so as to allow parameter sharing across different shapes.

# Co-Limits: The Network is the Abstraction

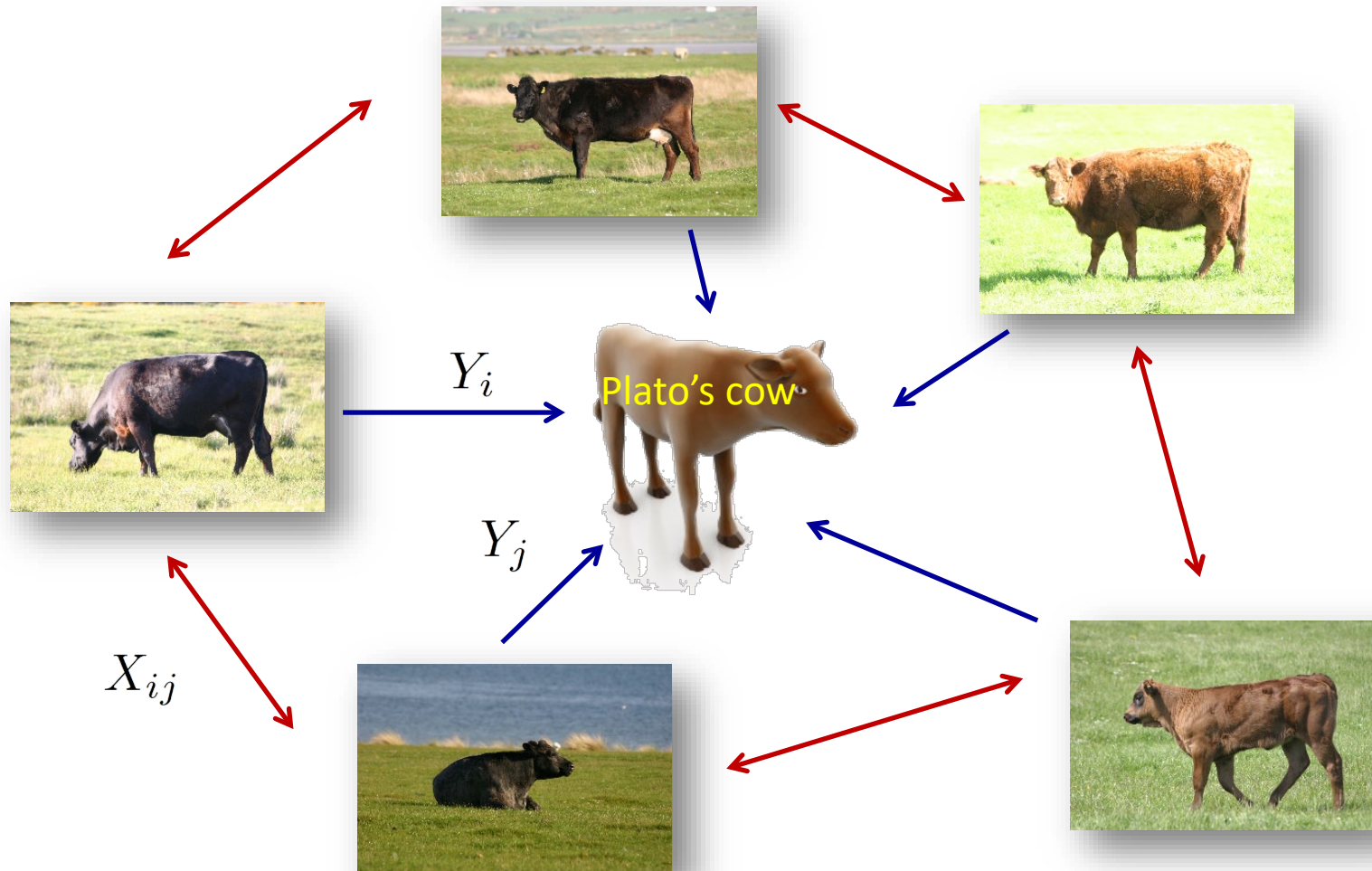
# Mosaicking or SLAM at the Level of Functions

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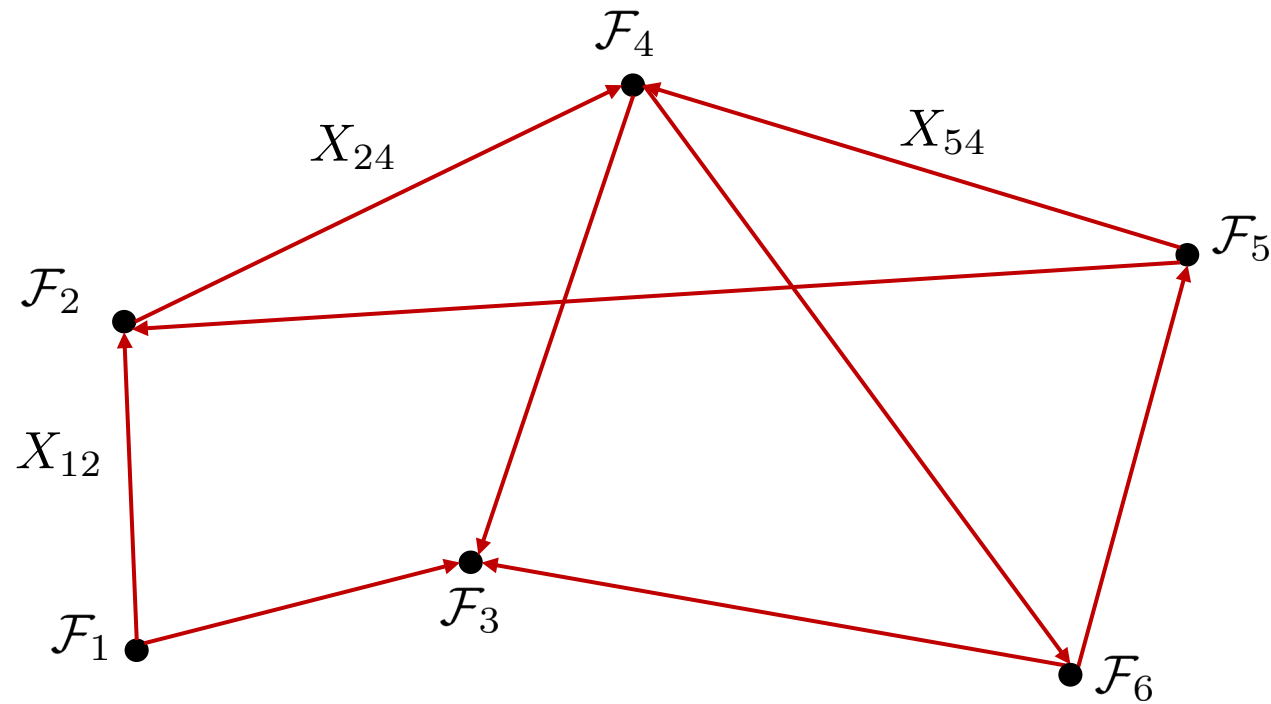


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# The Network is the Abstraction

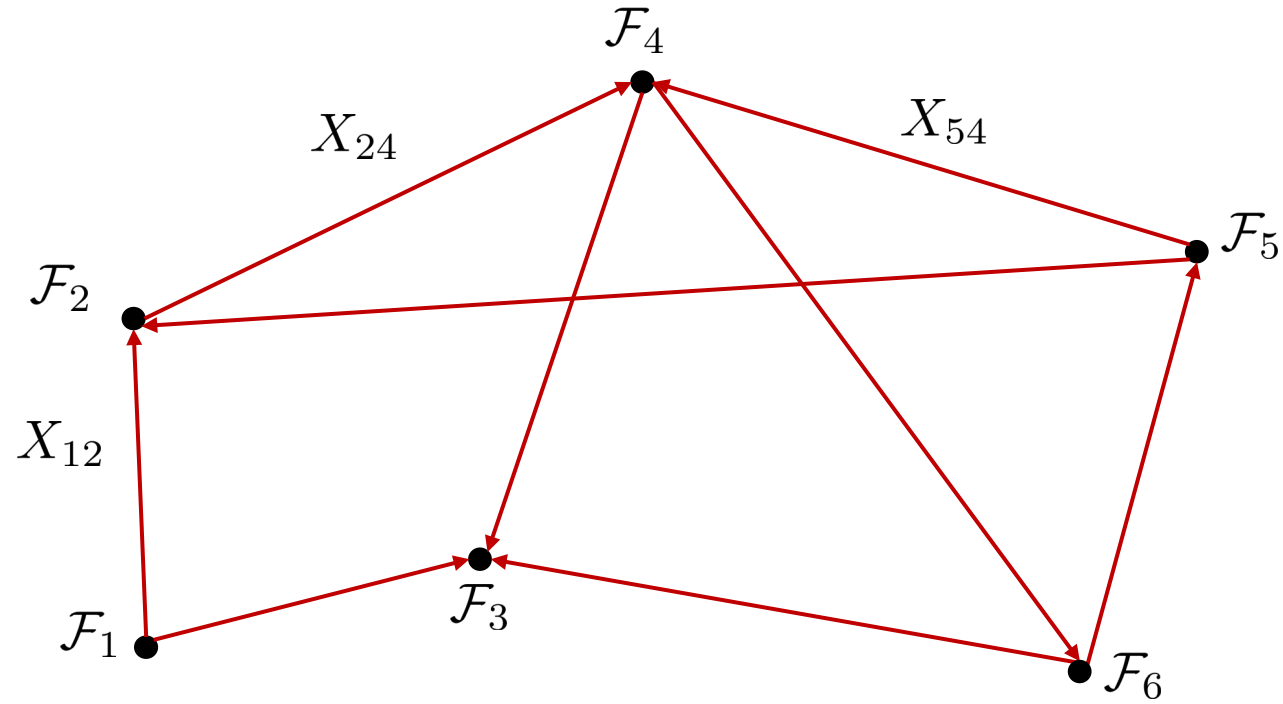


# Abstractions Emerge from the Network



(Approximately) Cycle-Consistent Diagram

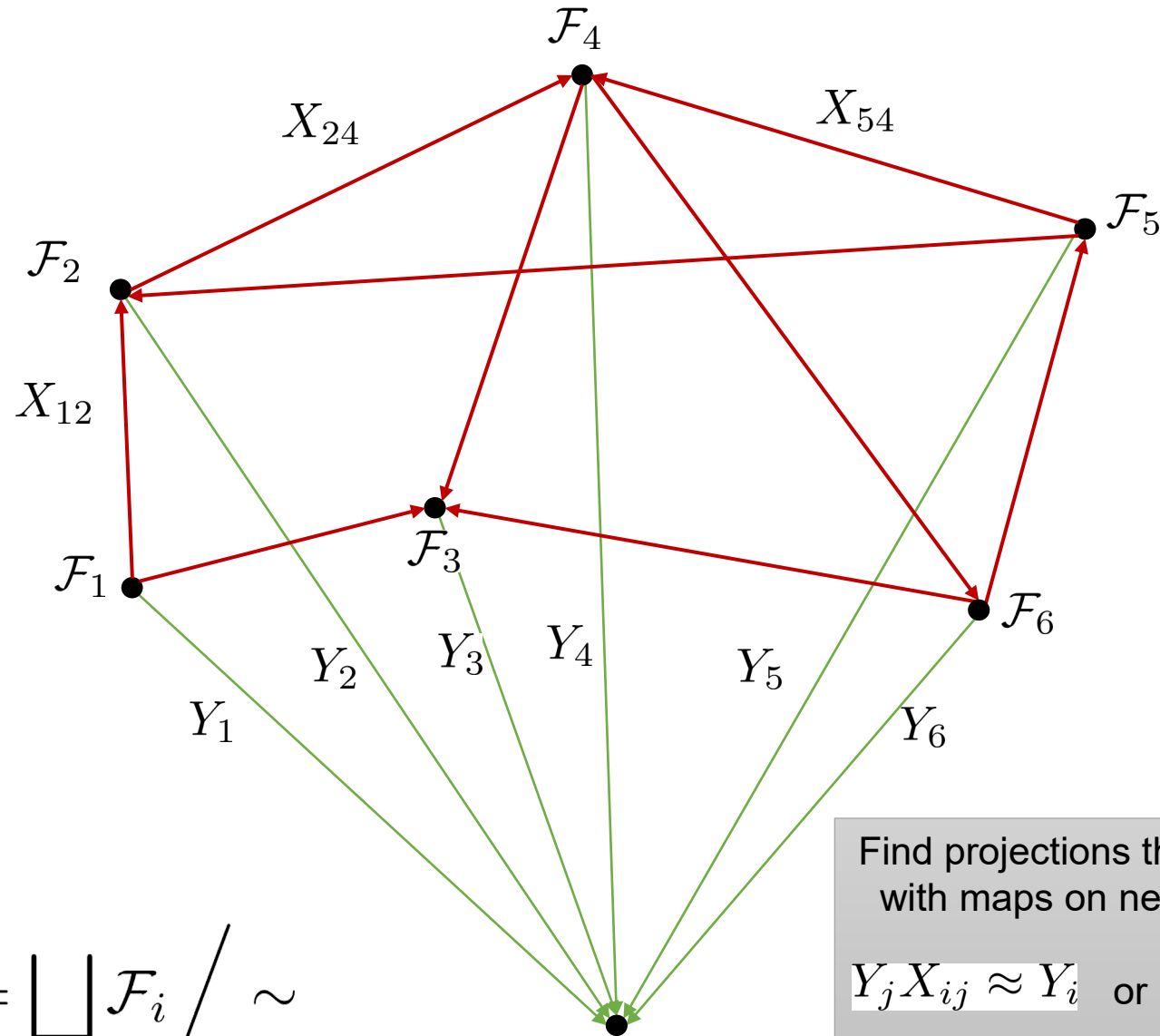
# Abstraction – Colimit



Colimits glue parts together to make a whole

$$\lim_{\rightarrow} \mathcal{F}_i = \bigsqcup_i \mathcal{F}_i / \sim$$

# Abstraction – Approximate Colimit



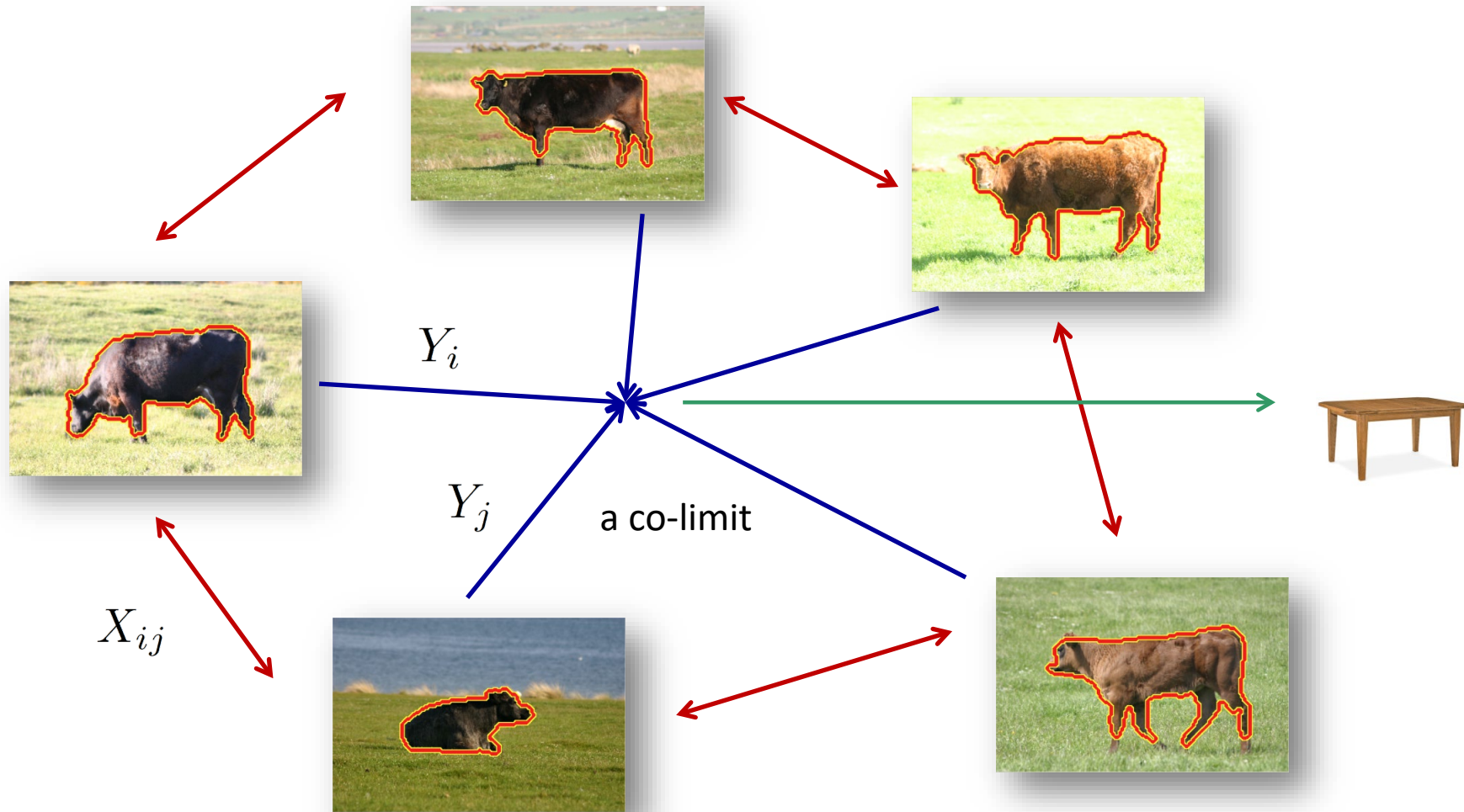
$$\lim_{\rightarrow} \mathcal{F}_i = \bigsqcup_i \mathcal{F}_i / \sim$$

Find projections that “play well”  
with maps on network edges,

$$Y_j X_{ij} \approx Y_i \quad \text{or} \quad X_{ij} \approx Y_j^+ Y_i$$

“Colimit” = Latent space = Abstraction

# The Network is the Abstraction



# That's All

