

DeepIM: Deep Iterative Matching for 6D Pose Estimation

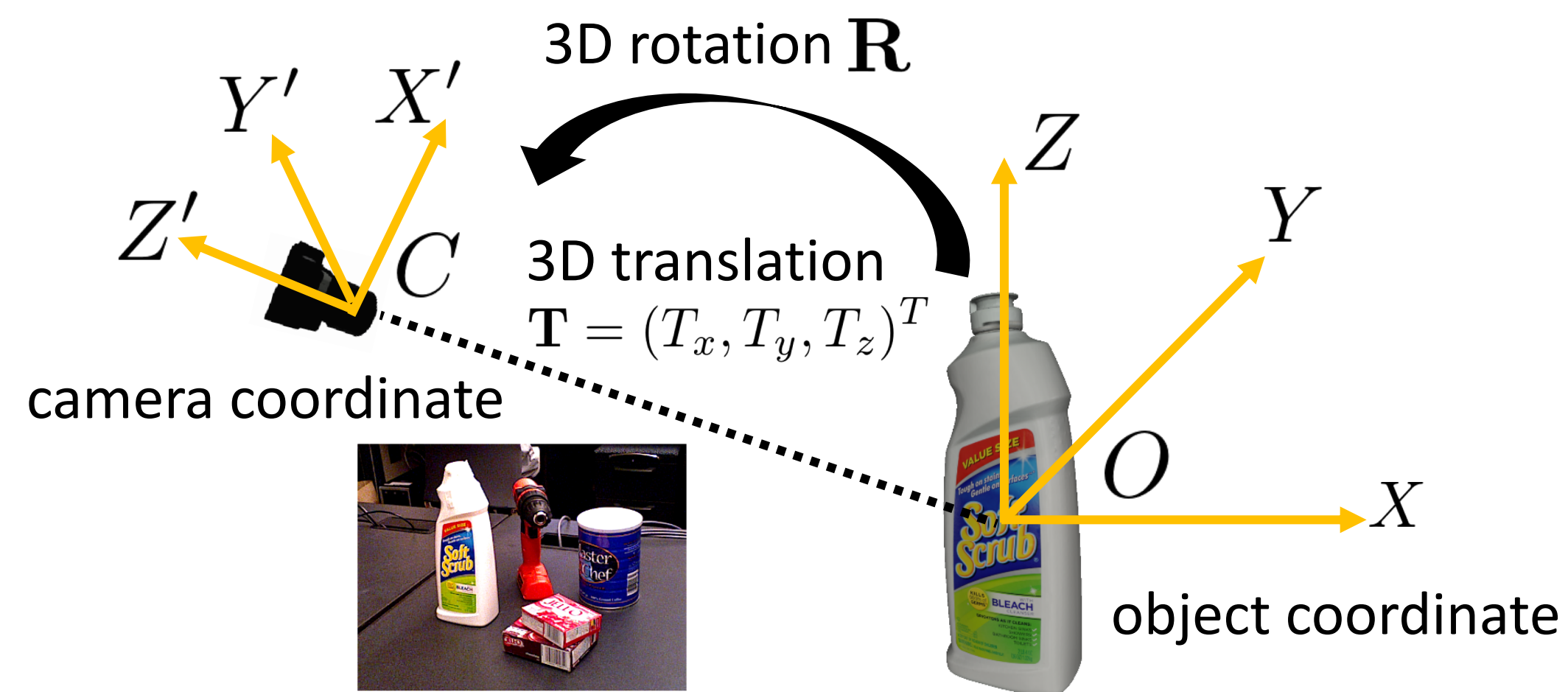
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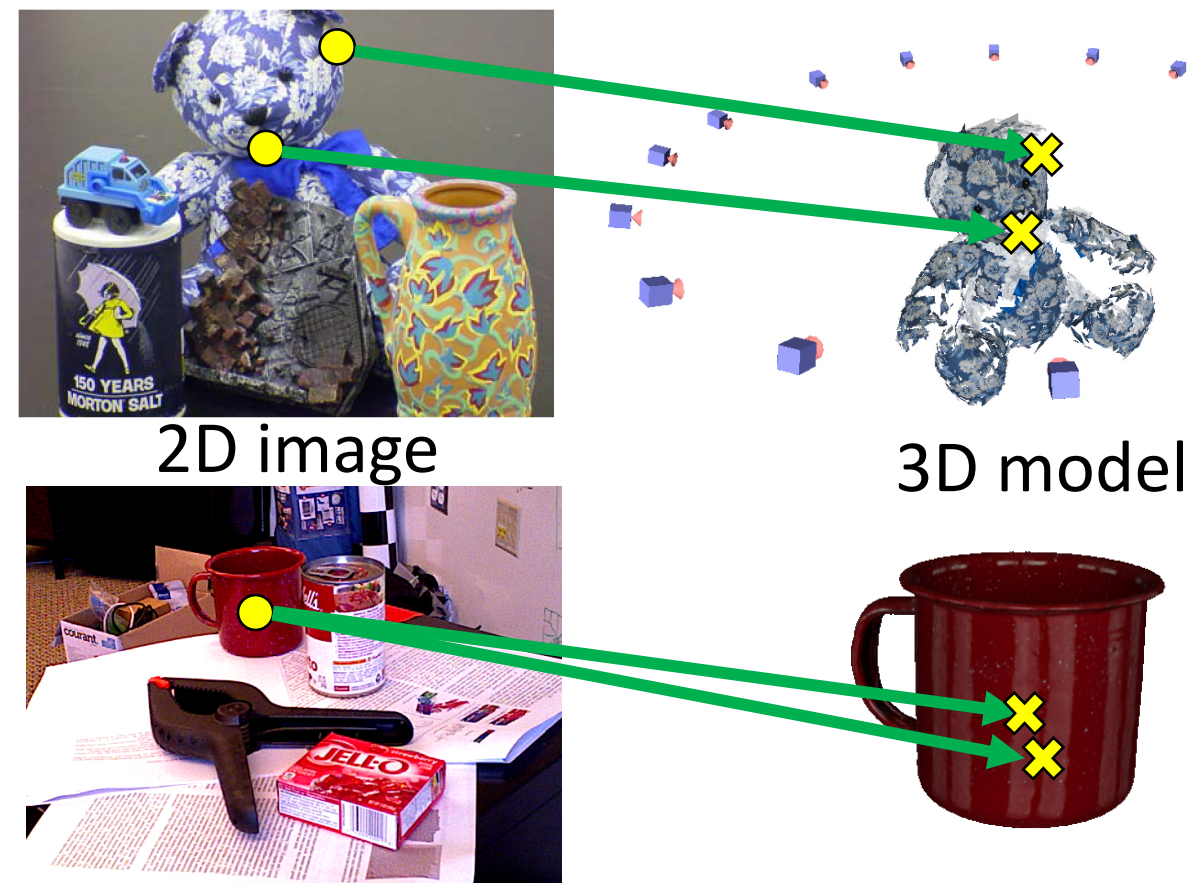


6D Object Pose Estimation



Related Work

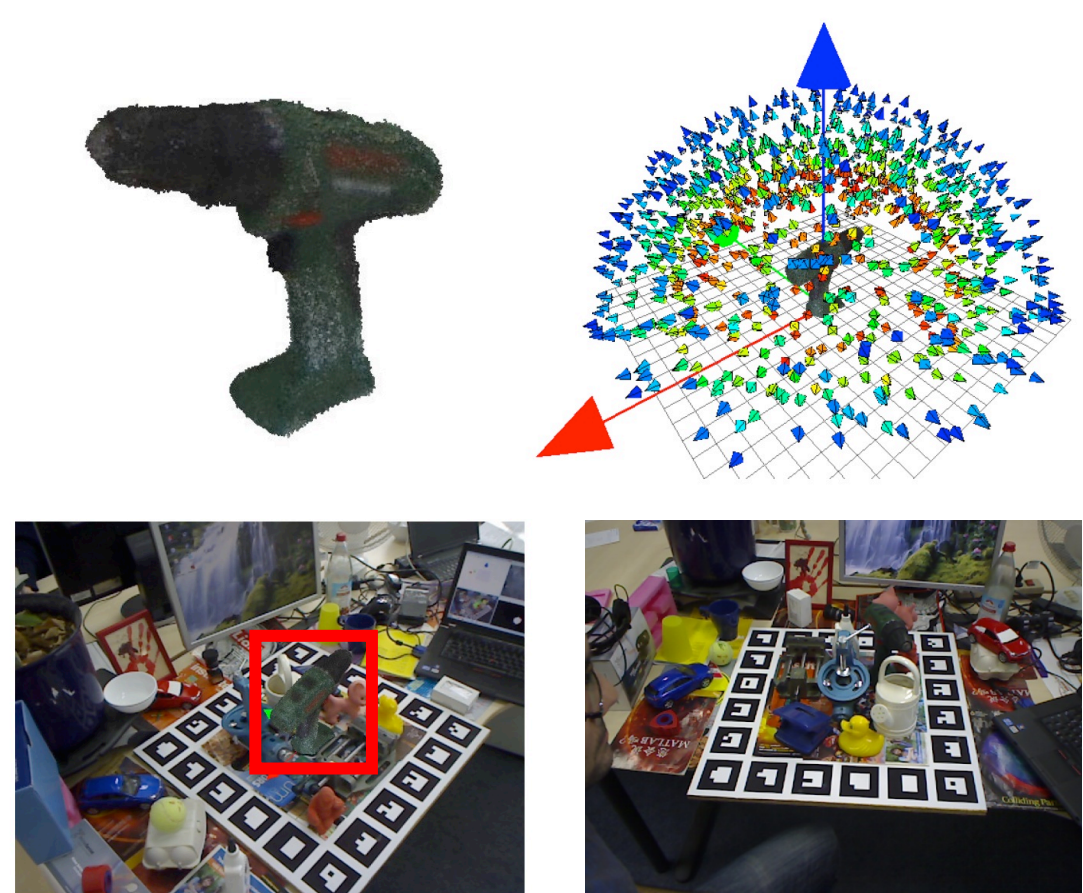
Feature Matching



- Lowe, ICCV, 1999
- Rothganger et al., IJCV, 2006
- Savarese & Fei-Fei, ICCV, 2007
- Collet et al., IJRR, 2011
- Brachmann et al., ECCV, 2014
- Krull et al., ICCV, 2015
- Kehl et al., ECCV, 2016
- Michel et al., CVPR, 2017
- Pavlakos et al., ICRA, 2017
- Rad & Lepetit, ICCV, 2017

- ✗ Texture-less objects
- ✗ Symmetric objects
- ✓ Occlusions

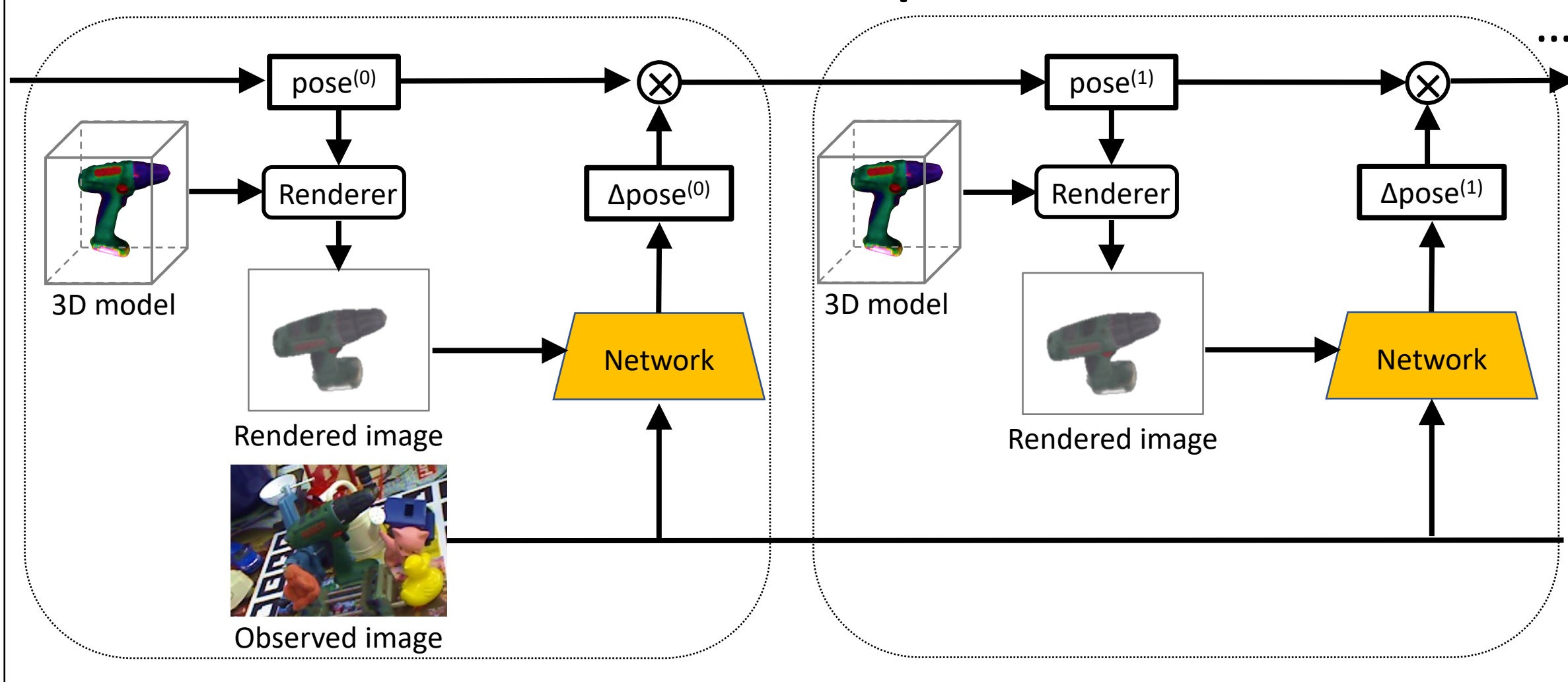
Template Matching



- Thomas et al., CVPR, 2006
- Ozuyusal et al., CVPR, 2009
- Gu & Ren, ECCV, 2010
- Hinterstoisser et al., ACCV, 2012
- Xiang & Savarese, CVPR, 2012
- Pepik et al., CVPR, 2012
- Su et al., ICCV, 2015
- Cao et al., ICRA, 2016
- Tekin et al., CVPR, 2018

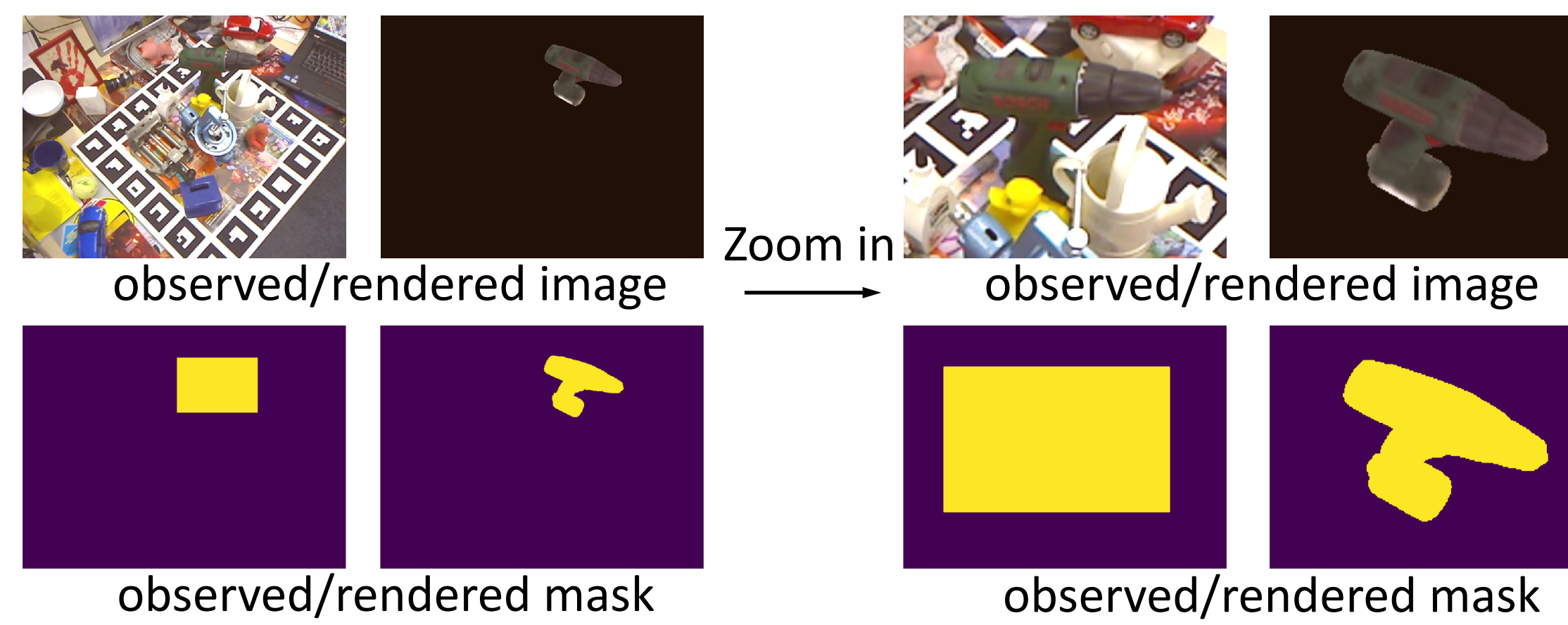
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Our Contribution: DeepIM

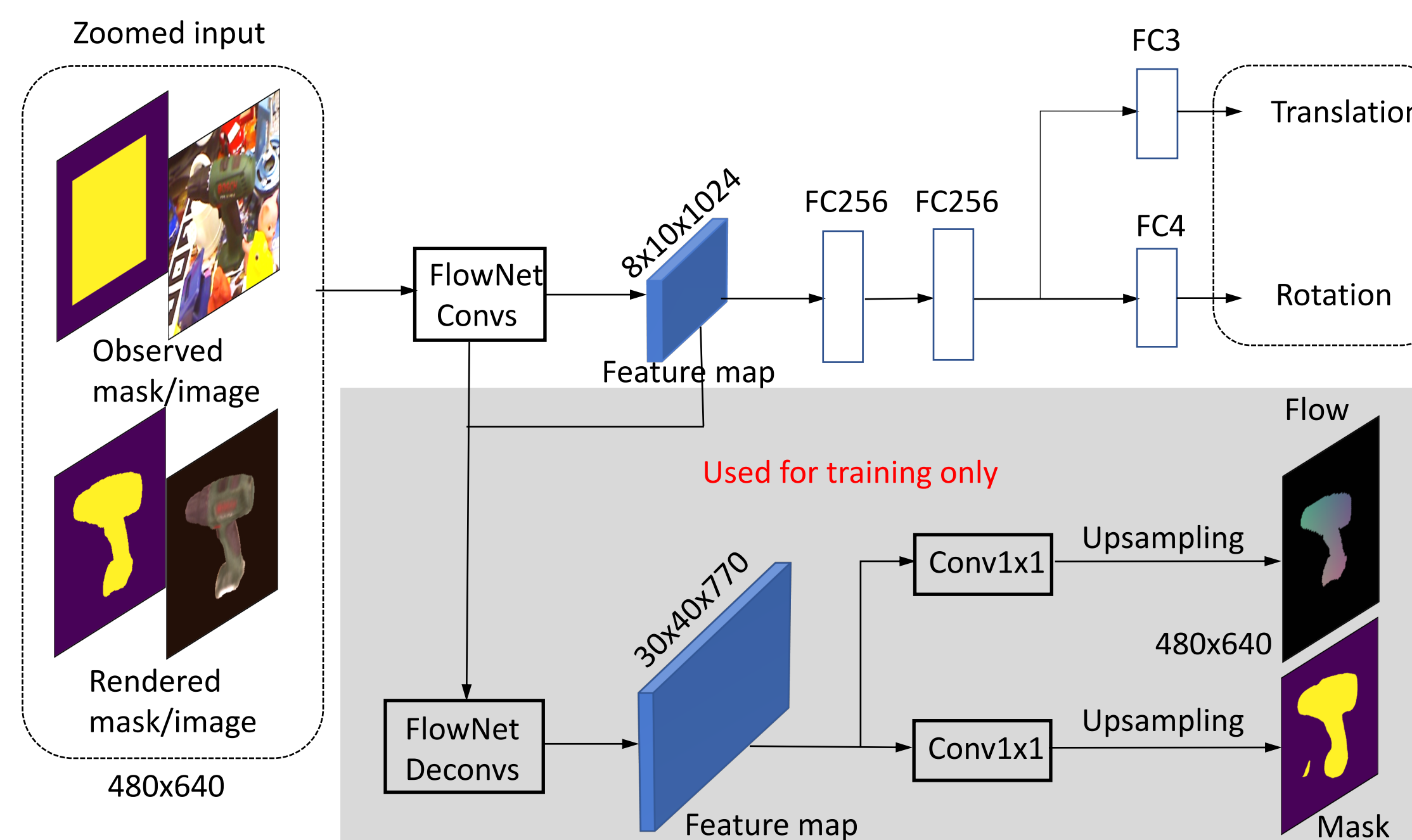


Deep Iterative Matching

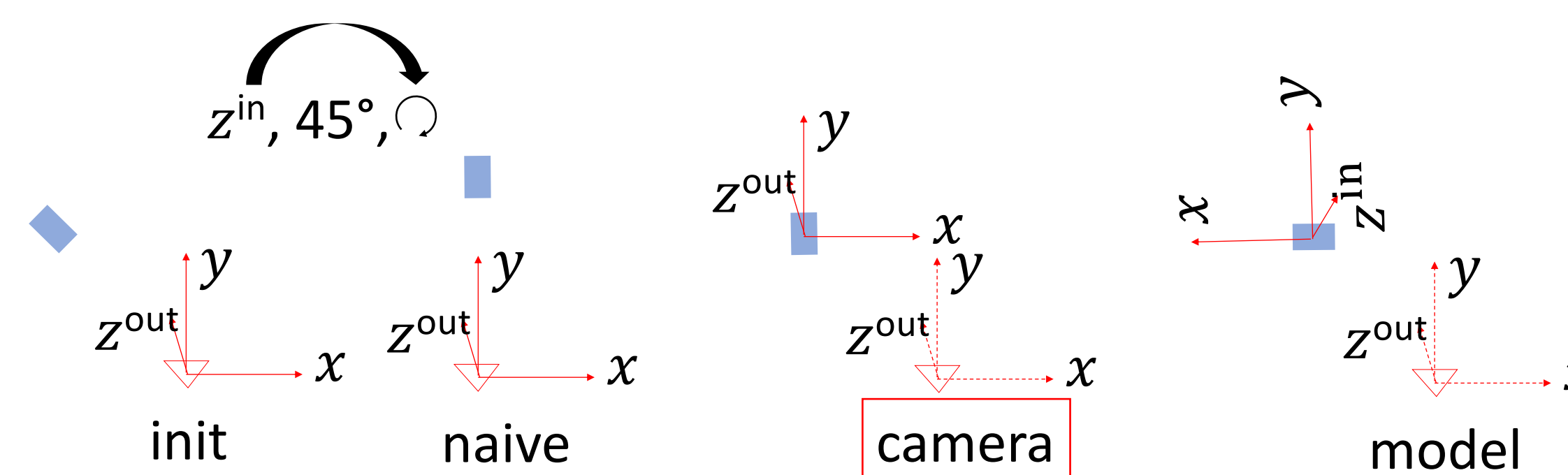
- High-resolution Zoom in



Network Architecture



Untangled Transformation Representation



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Experiments on the LINEMOD Dataset

- Ablation study on iterative training and testing

Train iter	init	1			2			4		
Test iter		1	2	4	1	2	4	1	2	4
5cm 5°	19.4	57.4	58.8	54.6	76.3	86.2	86.7	70.2	83.7	85.2
6D Pose	62.7	77.9	79.0	76.1	83.1	88.7	89.1	80.9	87.6	88.6
Proj. 2D	70.2	92.4	92.6	89.7	96.1	97.8	97.6	94.6	97.4	97.5

- Ablation study on two different initial poses

Method	PoseCNN	PoseCNN+Ours	Faster R-CNN	Faster R-CNN+Ours
5cm 5°	19.4	85.2	11.9	83.4
6D Pose	62.7	88.6	33.1	86.9
Proj. 2D	70.2	97.5	20.9	95.7

- Comparison with state-of-the-art methods

Method	[1]	[2]	[3]	[4]	[5]	Ours
5cm 5°	40.6	69.0	-	-	19.4	85.2
6D Pose	50.2	62.7	79.0	55.95	62.7	88.6
Proj. 2D	73.7	89.3	-	90.37	70.2	97.5

- [1] Brachmann et al., Uncertainty-driven 6D pose estimation of objects and scenes from a single RGB image. In CVPR, 2016.
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