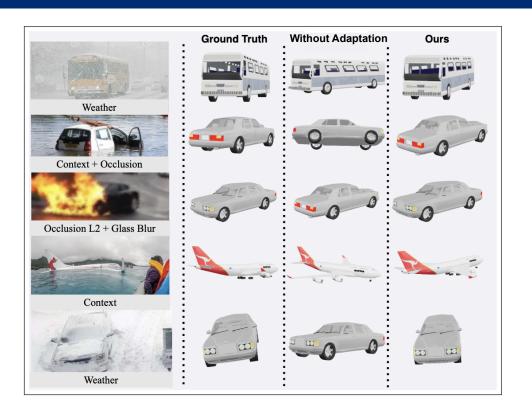


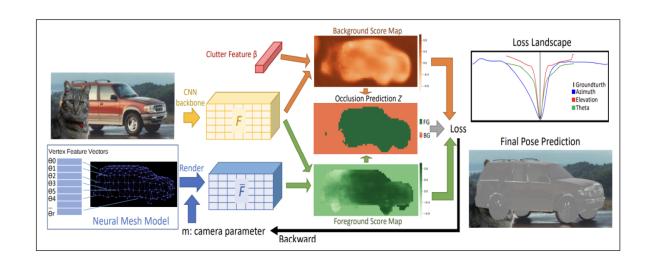
# Source-Free and Image-Only Unsupervised Domain Adaptation for Category Level Object Pose Estimation

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# 3DUDA: Unsupervised Domain Adaptation for 3D pose estimation



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#### Object Likelihood Computation:

$$p(F|\mathfrak{M},g,\mathcal{B}) = \prod_{i \in \mathcal{FG}} p(f_i|\mathfrak{M},g) \prod_{i' \in \mathcal{BG}} p(f_{i'}|B),$$

Object category y,

Source model's neural mesh  $\mathfrak{M}_{\mathcal{S}}$  as  $\{\mathcal{V},\mathcal{C}\}$ , where  $\mathcal{V} = \{V_r \in \mathbb{R}^3\}_{r=1}^R$  is the set of vertices of the mesh and  $\mathcal{C} = \{C_r \in \mathbb{R}^c\}_{r=1}^R$  is the set of learnable features, i.e. neural features.

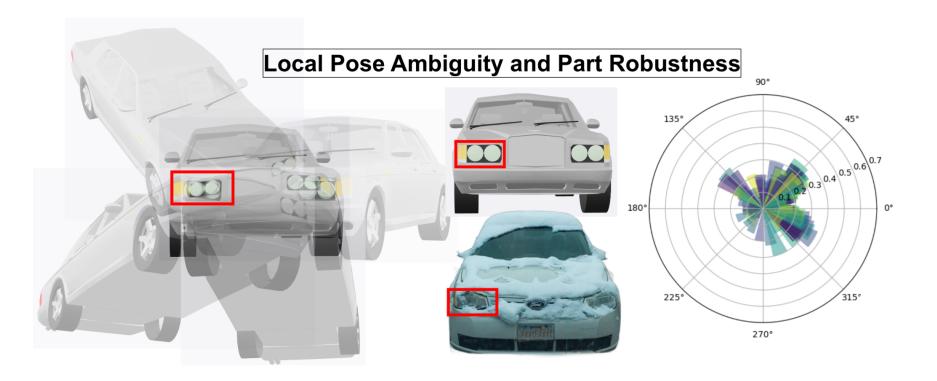
r denotes the index of the vertices.

R is the total number of vertices.

clutter model  $\mathcal{B} = \{\beta_n\}_{n=1}^N$  to describe the backgrounds.

Given object pose or camera viewpoint g

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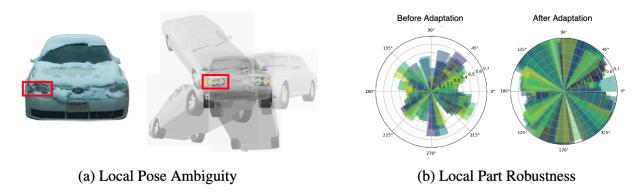


Figure 1: Our method utilizes two key observations- (a) **Local Pose Ambiguity**, i.e. the inherent pose ambiguity that occurs when we can only see a part of the object. We utilize this ambiguity to update the local vertex features which roughly correspond to object parts, even when the global pose of the object may be incorrectly estimated. (b) **Local Part Robustness** refers to the fact that certain parts (e.g. headlights in a car) are less affected in OOD data, which is verified by the (azimuth) polar histogram representing the percentage of robustly detected vertex features per image in target domain (OOD-CV (Zhao et al., 2023)) using the source model (*Before Adaptation*). Even before adaptation, there are a few vertices which can be detected robustly and therefore are leveraged by our method to adapt to the target domain as seen by the increased robust vertex ratio *After Adaptation*.

# 3DUDA: Selective Vertex Update

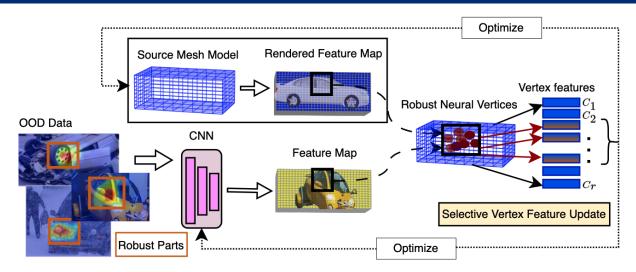
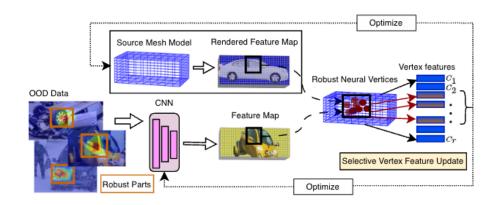


Figure 2: Overview of Our Method (3DUDA)

(a) We extract neural features from source model CNN backbone  $f_i = \phi_w(\mathcal{X}_T)$  and render feature maps from the source mesh model  $(\mathfrak{M}_S)$  (using vertex features  $C_r$ ) and the pose estimate is optimized using render-and-compare (b) For this incorrectly estimated global pose, we measure similarity of every individual visible vertex feature with the corresponding image feature vector in  $f_i$  independently (Equation 3) and update individual vertex features using average feature vector values for a batch of images (Equation 4). (c) The mesh model is then updated using these changed vertices and the backbone is optimized using the optimized neural mesh.

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$$\mathcal{L}_{sim}(f_{i
ightarrow r}, C_r) = Z[\kappa_r] \exp{(\kappa_r f_{i
ightarrow r}^T C_r)}, \qquad orall i \in \mathcal{FG}, \,\, C_r = \mathfrak{R}(\mathfrak{M}, g)$$

$$Z[\kappa_r] = rac{\kappa^{d/2-1}}{(2\pi)^{d/2} \mathfrak{I}^v_{d/2-1}(\kappa)}$$
 (Mardia & Jupp, 2009)

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#### 3DUDA: Intuition

**Definition 3.1** (Vertex K-partition) A vertex K-partition is defined as a partition of the set of vertices (indexed by  $r \in \{1, 2, ..., R\}$ ) into K non-empty mutually disjoint subsets (indexed by  $k \in \{1, 2, ..., K\}$ ). Let the set of vertices in each partitioned subset be denoted by  $I_k$ .

A given vertex K-partition would split the joint distribution  $P_S$  into K independent joint distributions (denoted by  $P_S^{I_k} = \prod_{r \in I_k} P_S^r$ ) such that  $P_S = \prod_k P_S^{I_k}$ . The same extends for the corresponding target domain distributions.

**Definition 3.2** ( $k\delta$ -subset) For a given sample  $\mathcal{X}$  and vertex K-partition, a  $k\delta$ -subset is defined as  $\mathcal{X}^{k\delta} \subseteq \mathcal{X}$  such that,  $\mathcal{L}_{sim}(f_{i\to r}, C_r) > \delta_r \ \forall \ r \in I_k$ . The corresponding approximation of  $P^{I_k}$  under  $\mathcal{X}^{k\delta}$  is denoted by  $P^{I_k\delta}$ .

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**Assumption 3.3** (*Piece-wise Support Overlap*) There exists a vertex K-partition such that the  $k\delta$ -subset of the target sample  $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}$  satisfies,

$$|\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}^{k\delta}| \neq 0 \ \forall k \in \{1, 2, ..., K\}$$
 and as  $|\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}^{k\delta}| \to \infty, \prod_{k} P_{T}^{I_{k}\delta} \to P_{T}^{*}$ 

This assumption requires the joint distribution of partitioned vertex subsets under  $\mathcal{X}^{k\delta}$  to asymptotically approximate the corresponding true distributions. Intuitively, this translates to having enough support in the target domain such that samples satisfying the similarity constraint (Equation 3) in each  $k\delta$ -subsets approximates the true target distribution of that vertex partition set.

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**Theorem 3.4** A target domain  $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}$  satisfying assumption 3.3, elicits another target domain  $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}^e$  such that each sample in  $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}^e$  satisfies the global-pseudo labelling constraint  $(\mathcal{L}_{sim}(f_{i\rightarrow r}, C_r) > \delta_r \ \forall \ r \in \{1, 2, ..., R\})$ . Asymptotically with the size of the domain,  $\mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}^e \to \mathcal{X}_{\mathcal{T}}$ .

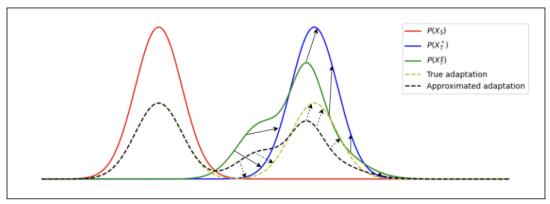


Figure 4: The elicited target distribution  $P(X_T^e)$  found by SVA may not be precisely the same as the true target distribution  $P(X_T^*)$ , but asymptotically (shown by arrows) it tends to the true distribution and the same happens to the adapted source model.

Table 1: Unsupervised 3D Pose Estimation for OOD-CV (Zhao et al., 2023) dataset

	$\frac{\pi}{6}$ Accuracy $\mathbf{\hat{1}}$								
Nuisance	Combined	shape	pose	texture	context	weather			
Res50-General	51.8	50.5	34.5	61.6	57.8	60.0			
NeMo (Wang et al., 2021a)	48.1	49.6	35.5	57.5	50.3	52.3			
MaskRCNN (He et al., 2018)	39.4	40.3	18.6	53.3	43.6	47.7			
DMNT (Wang et al., 2023)	50.0	51.5	38.0	56.8	52.4	54.5			
P3D (Yang et al., 2023)	48.2	52.3	45.8	51.0	54.6	44.5			
Ours	94.0	93.7	95.1	<b>97.0</b>	95.5	83.1			
			$\frac{\pi}{18}$ Accuracy $\uparrow$						
Res50-General	18.1	15.7	12.6	22.3	15.5	23.4			
NeMo (Wang et al., 2021a)	21.7	19.3	7.1	33.6	21.5	30.3			
MaskRCNN (He et al., 2018)	15.3	15.6	1.6	24.3	13.8	22.9			
DMNT (Wang et al., 2023)	23.6	20.7	12.6	32.6	16.6	33.5			
P3D (Yang et al., 2023)	14.8	16.1	12.3	16.6	12.1	16.3			
Ours	<b>87.8</b>	<b>82.1</b>	69.5	92.6	89.3	90.7			

Table 2: Unsupervised 3D pose estimation results for Pascal3d+  $\rightarrow$  Corrupted-Pascal3D+ (Metrics:  $\pi \setminus 6$  Accuracy  $(\frac{\pi}{6})$ ,  $\pi \setminus 18$  Accuracy  $(\frac{\pi}{18})$ , Median Error (Er))

	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{18}$	Er↓	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{18}$	Er♣	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{18}$	Er↓	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{18}$	Er↓
	Gaussian Noise			Shot Noise			Impulse Noise			<b>Defocus Blur</b>		
NeMo	43.7	21.3	42.1	50.6	25.3	35.0	45.4	22.2	39.4	72.9	41.8	16.0
Ours	84.3	<b>59.1</b>	9.8	85.9	62.0	9.0	84.0	58.5	10.1	87.8	64.6	8.0
	Glass Blur			<b>Motion Blur</b>			Zoom Blur			Snow		
NeMo	56.7	27.0	33.8	69.7	39.2	18.7	69.0	39.7	19.1	69.9	40.1	18.9
Ours	86.7	62.4	8.6	88.0	63.8	8.3	87.9	65.1	8.1	87.7	64.0	8.2
		Frost			Fog		Contrast			Elastic Transform		
NeMo	73.3	44.1	16.4	85.5	59.0	9.5	74.5	43.8	14.7	77.4	50.3	13.8
Ours	86.3	62.5	8.6	88.7	65.6	<b>7.8</b>	88.8	66.7	<b>7.6</b>	88.2	64.4	8.1
	Pixelate			Speckle Noise			Gaussian Blur			Spatter		
NeMo	77.5	53.0	13.0	67.9	38.3	20.8	68.3	36.5	18.7	72.4	44.2	17.2
Ours	88.7	65.4	<b>7.8</b>	87.7	64.2	8.0	87.7	63.8	8.3	87.5	63.9	8.4

Table 3: Unsupervised 3D pose estimation results for Occlusion and Extreme UDA setup

(a) OccL1/L2: Real Nuisance (OOD-CV (Combined)) + Occlusion (Level1/Level2) (b) OOD+SN/GB: Real Nuisance (OOD-CV) + Synthetic Noise (Speckle Noise/Glass Blur) (c) L1/L2+Spec: Real Nuisance (OOD-CV) + Occlusion (L1/L2) + Synthetic Noise (Speckle Noise)

	OccL1		OccL2		OOD+SN		OOD+GB		L1+Spec		L2+Spec	
	$\frac{\pi}{6}$	$\frac{\pi}{18}$										
NeMo	30.6	10.2	24.1	6.6	32.7	10.2	29.6	9.5	18.6	3.4	15.1	
Ours	84.6	<b>77.1</b>	<b>78.7</b>	70.4	80.5	63.0	77.7	65.9	69.4	50.4	60.6	38.9

