

CvxNet

Learnable Convex Decomposition



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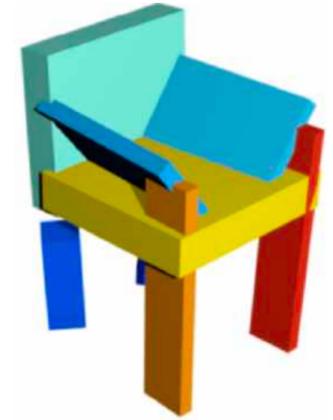
Family of 3D representations



Tatarchenko et al. 2017
→
{voxels}



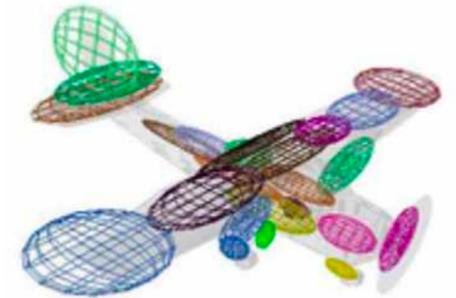
Tulsiani et al. 2017
→
{boxes}



Groueix et al. 2018
→
{patches}



Genova et al. 2019
→
{gaussians}



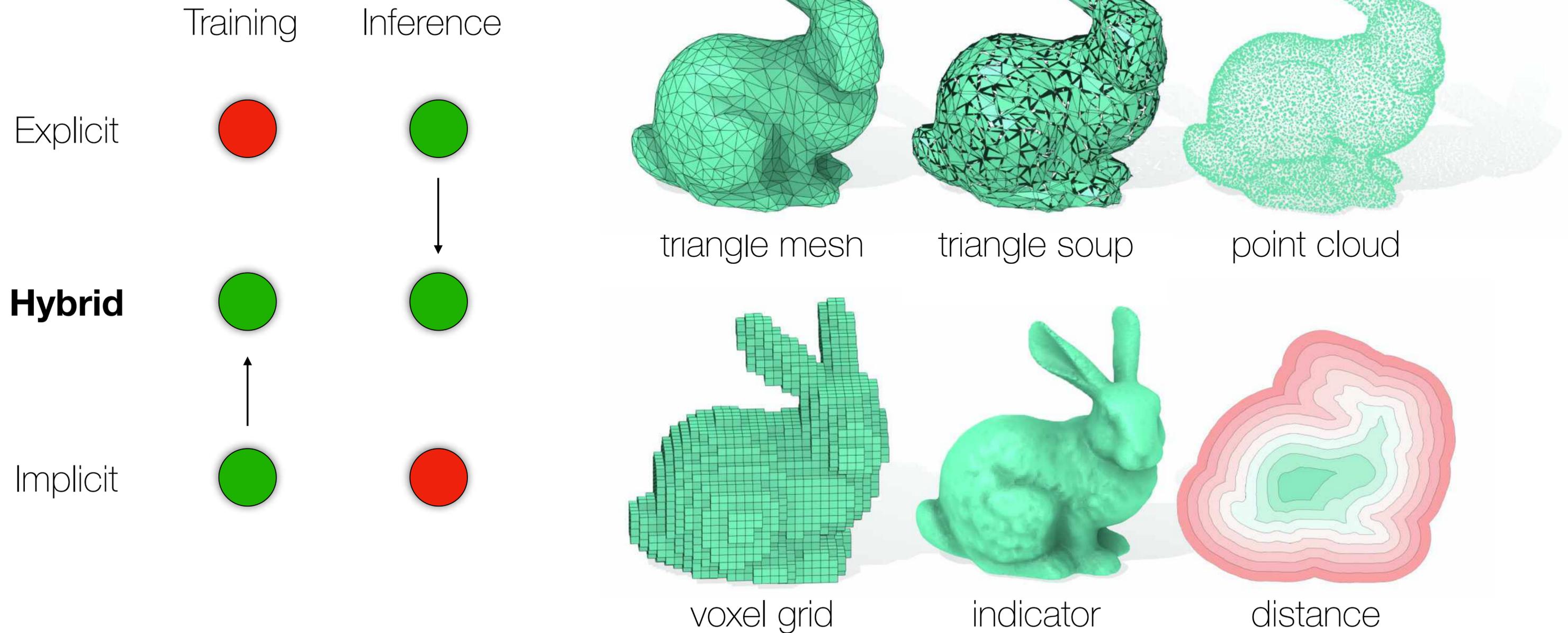
Mescheder et al. 2019
→
implicits



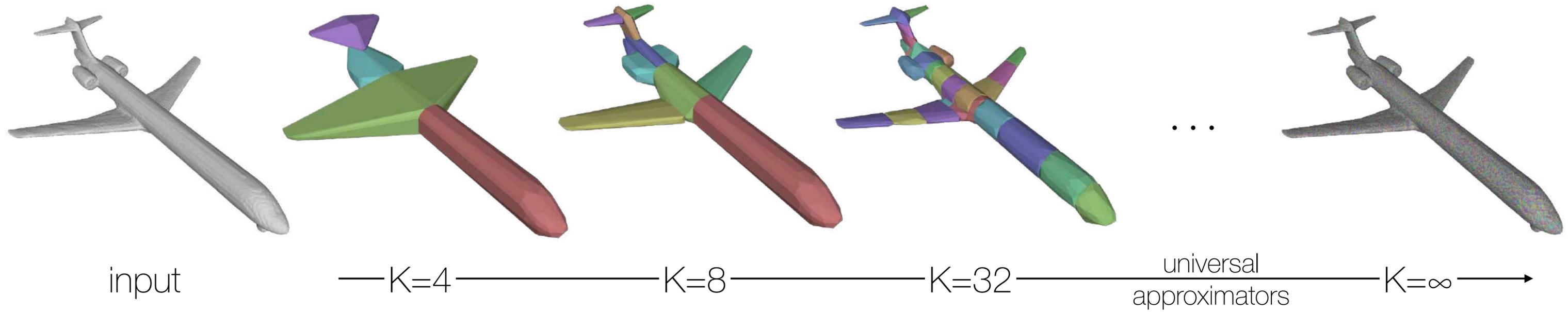
Deng et al. 2020
→
{convexes}



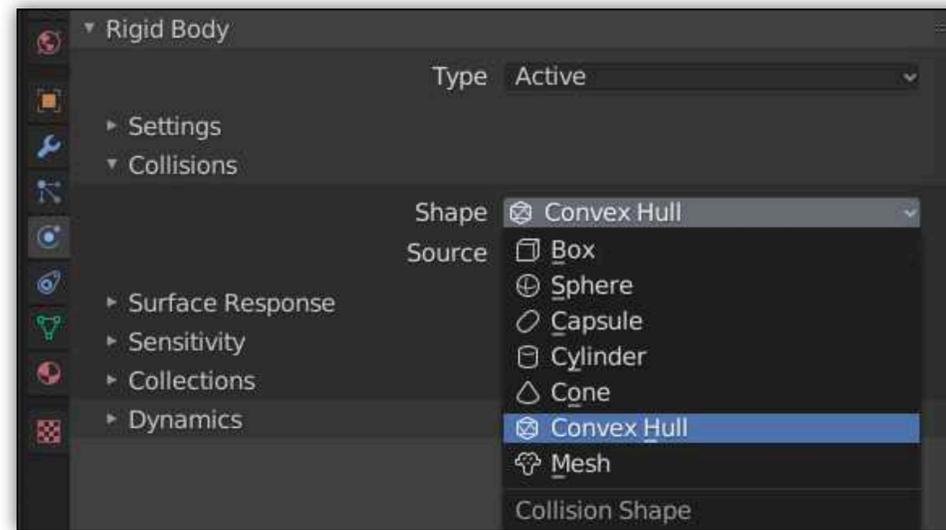
What is the «best» 3D representation?



Convexes: why are they relevant?



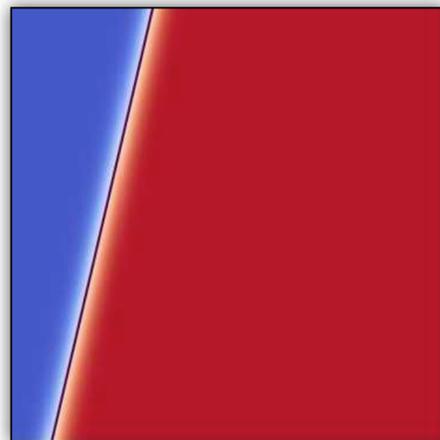
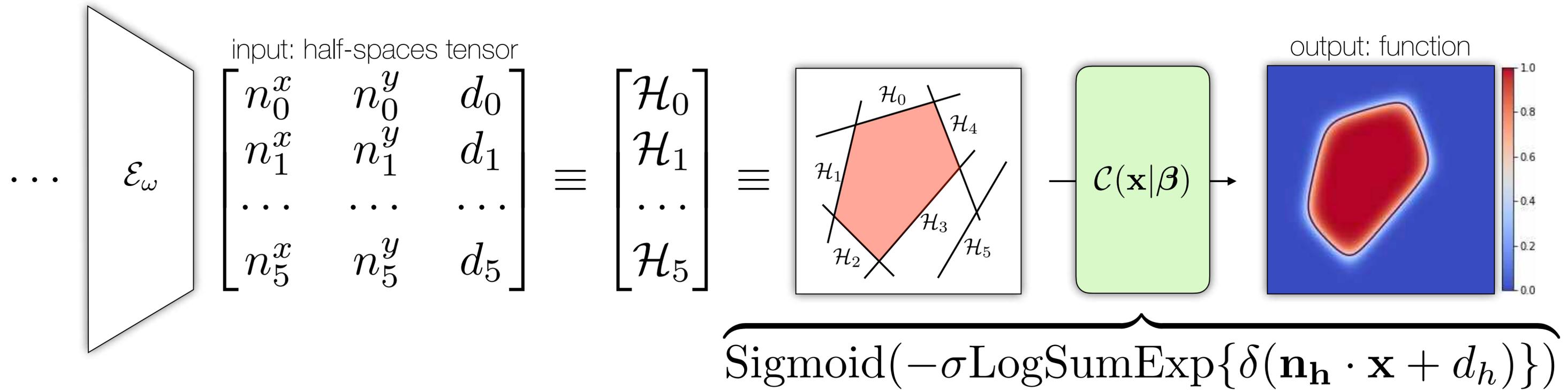
rigid body physics



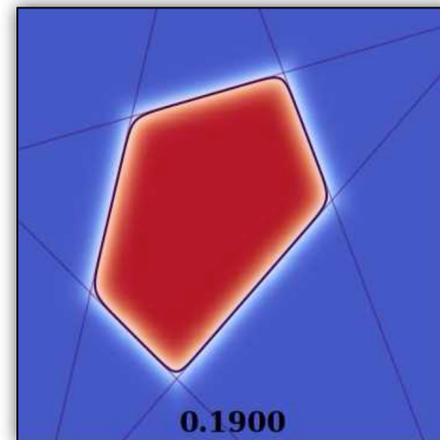
Convex Hulls
(standard)

Meshes
(the «wild west»)

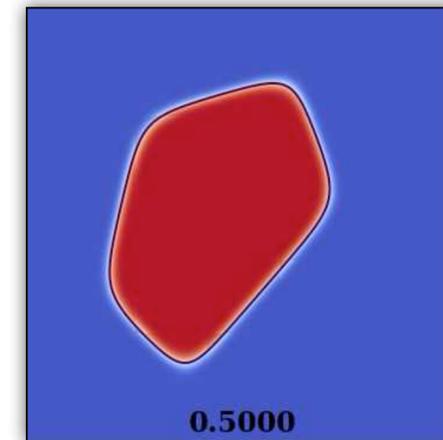
Universal approximator of convex domains



permutation
invariance

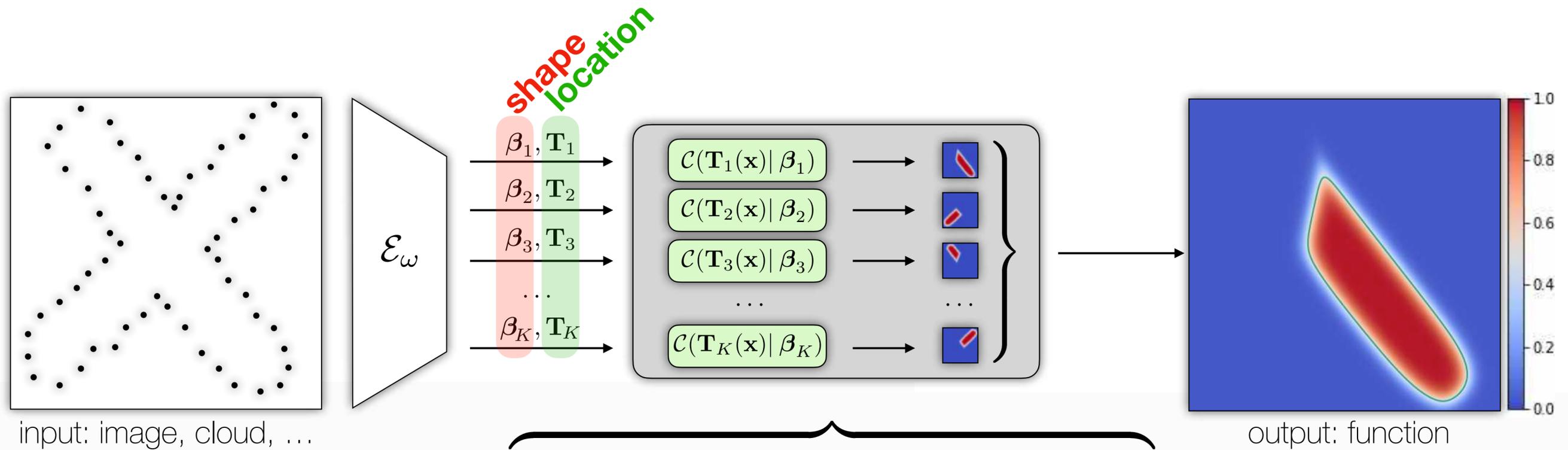


δ controls
smoothness

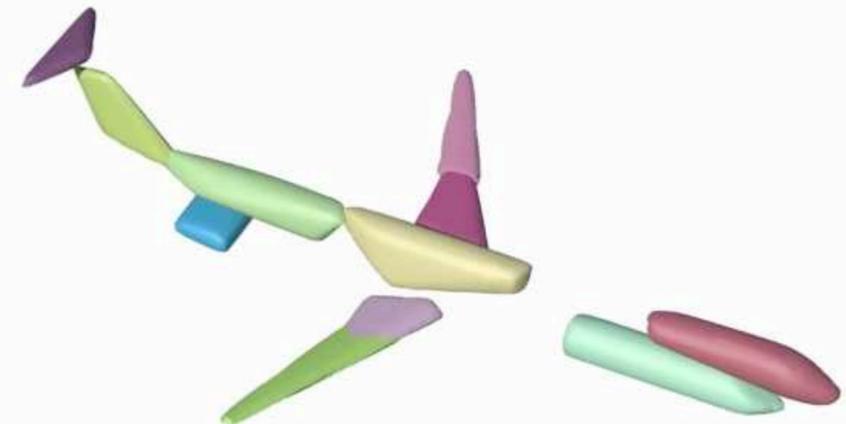
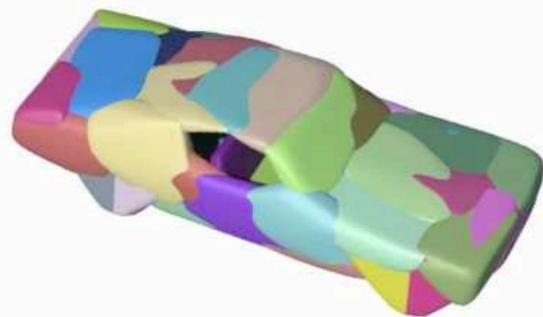


σ controls
indicator dropoff

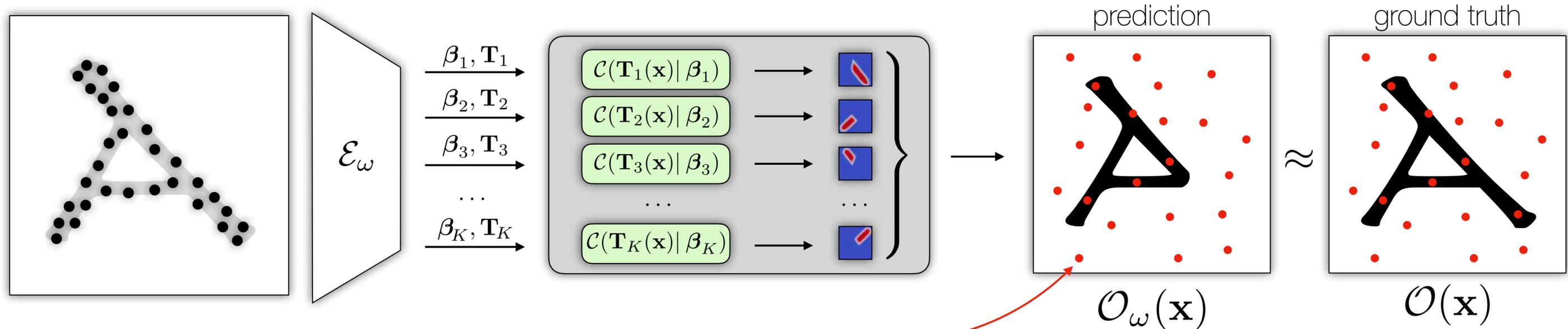
... and non-convex domains!



$$\mathcal{O}_w(\mathbf{x}) = \max_k \{ \mathcal{C}(\mathbf{T}_k(\mathbf{x}) | \beta_k) \}$$



Implicit functions @ training time



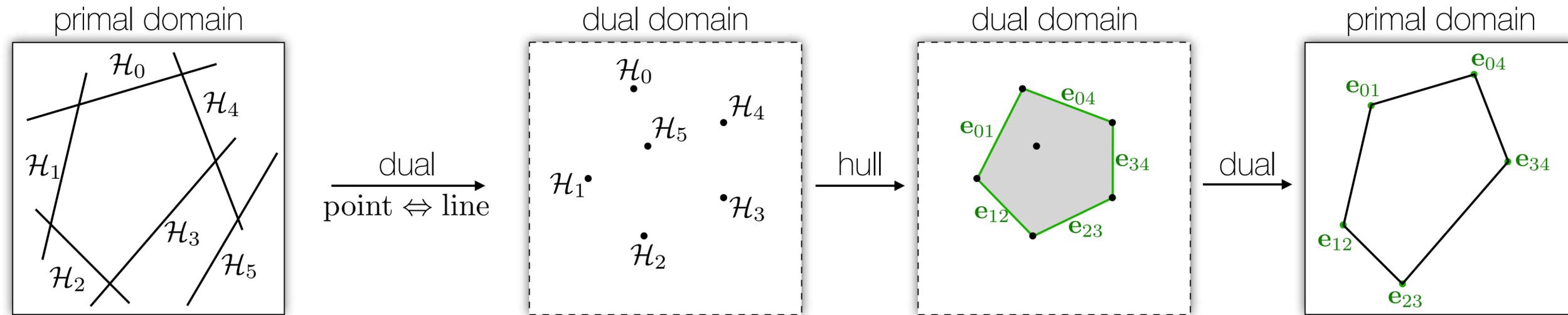
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{approx}}(\omega) = \mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \sim \mathbb{R}^2} \|\mathcal{O}_\omega(\mathbf{x}) - \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{x})\|^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{decomp}}(\omega) = \text{convexes should not overlap}$$

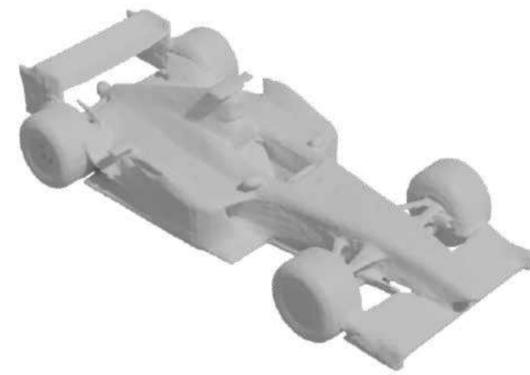
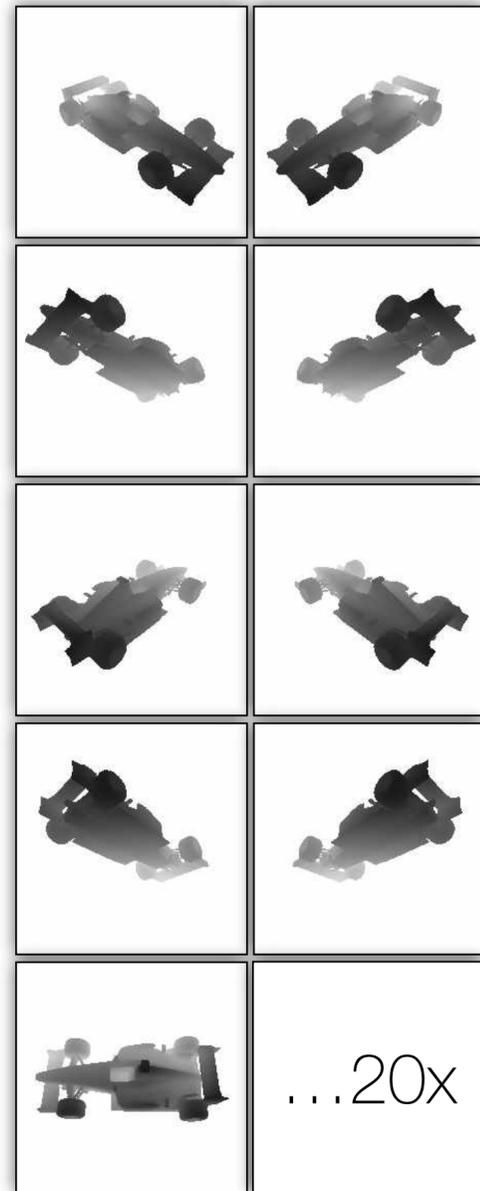
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{unique}}(\omega) = \text{only one way to represent a convex}$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{merged}}(\omega) = \text{prevents vanishing gradients}$$

Polygonal meshes @ inference time



Multi view reconstruction – {Depth} → 3D



Ground Truth
Mesh



SIF
[Genova et al. 2019]



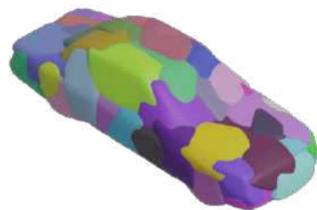
CvxNet
[Deng et al. 2020]



OccNet
[Mescheder et al. 2019]

Category	F-Score		
	OccNet	SIF	CvxNet
airplane	79.52	71.40	84.68
bench	71.98	58.35	77.68
cabinet	71.31	59.26	76.09
car	69.64	56.58	77.75
chair	63.14	42.37	65.39
display	63.76	56.26	71.41
lamp	51.60	35.01	51.37
speaker	58.09	47.39	60.24
rifle	78.52	70.01	83.63
sofa	69.66	55.22	75.44
table	68.80	55.66	71.73
phone	85.60	81.82	89.28
vessel	66.48	54.15	70.77
mean	69.08	59.02	73.49

Single view reconstruction (SVR)



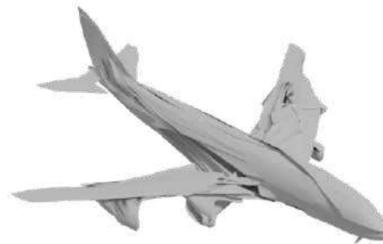
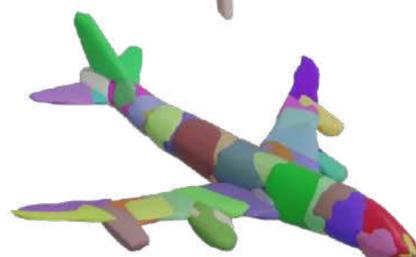
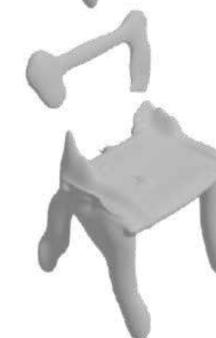
N/A



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Input Image

Ground Truth
Mesh

CvxNet
[Deng et al. 2020]

AtlasNet
[Groueix et al. 2019]

OccNet
[Mescheder et al. 2019]

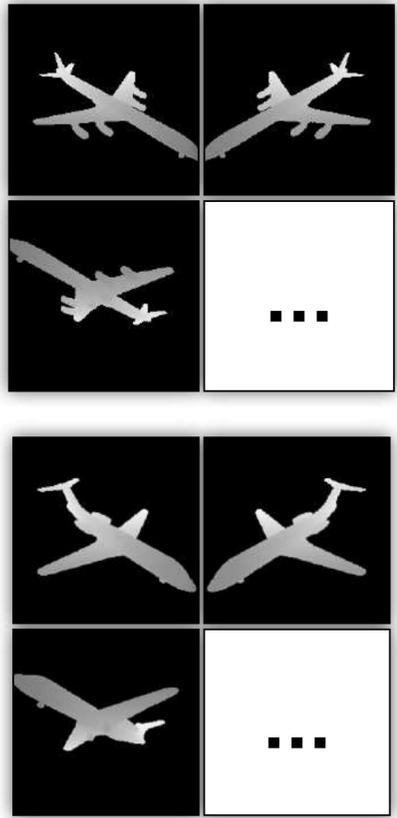
Structured Implicits
[Genova et al. 2019]

Volumetric Primitives
[Tulsiani et al. 2017]

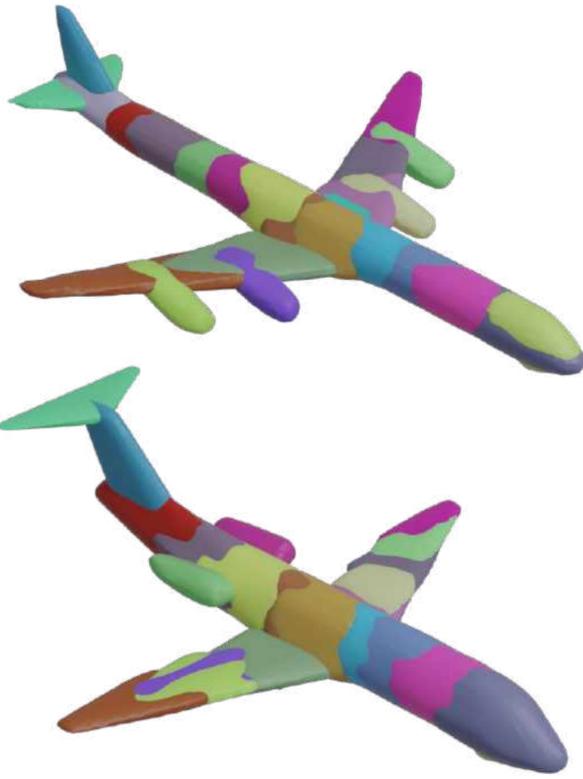
Applications: Retrieval & Correspondence

Object A
Object B

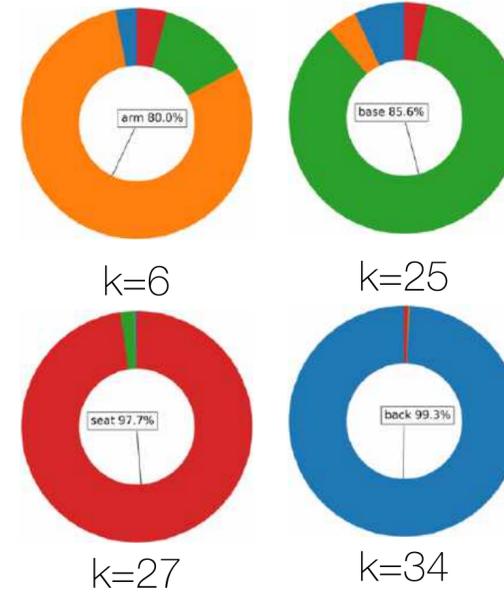
Input



CvxNet



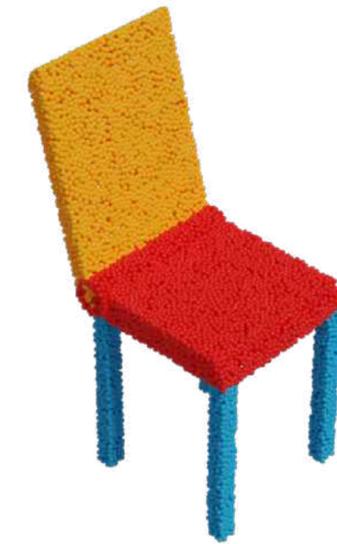
Selection



Part	Accuracy		
	CvxNet	BAE	BAE*
back	91.50%	86.36%	91.81%
arm	38.94%	65.75%	71.32%
base	71.95%	88.46%	91.75%
seat	90.63%	73.66%	92.91%



Retrieved Model



Ground Truth

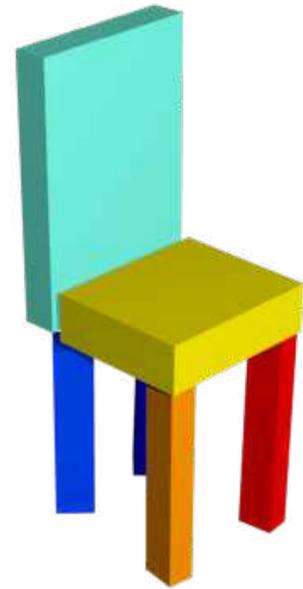


CvxNet

Shape approximation – comparisons



Ground Truth
Mesh



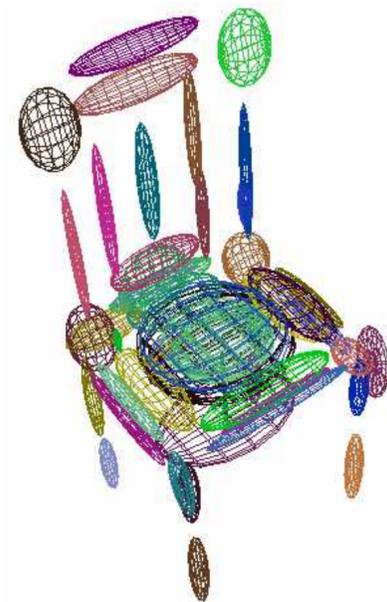
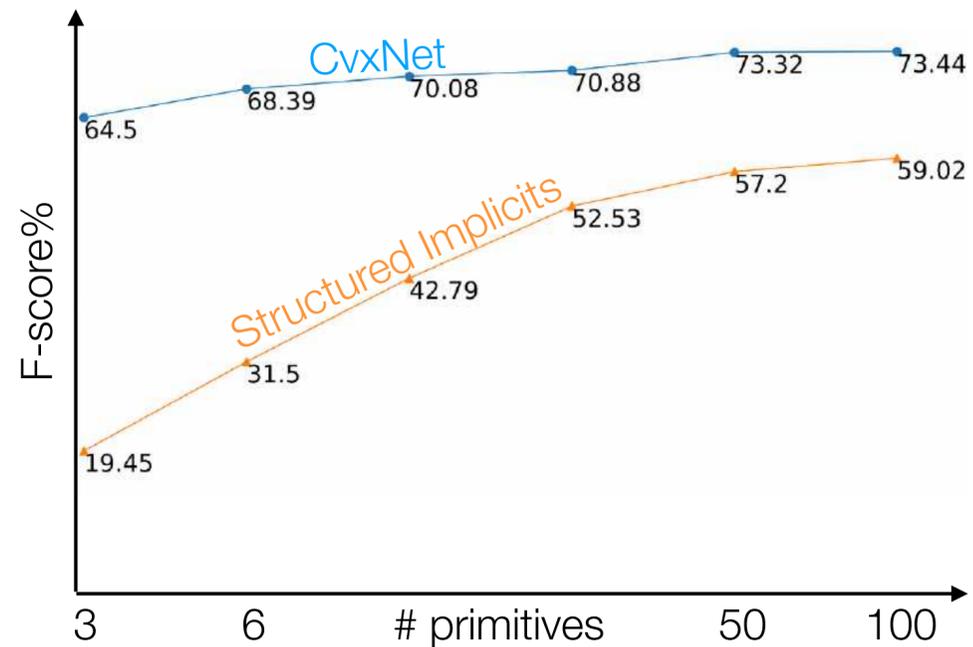
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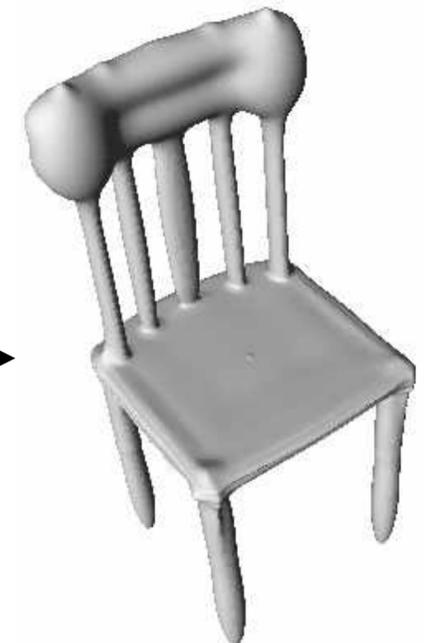
«union»



Structured Implicits
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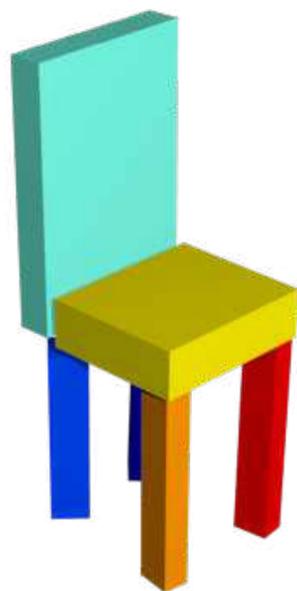
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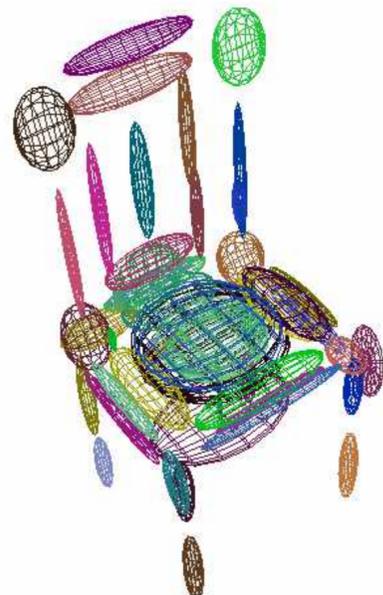
Shape approximation – quality v.s. budget



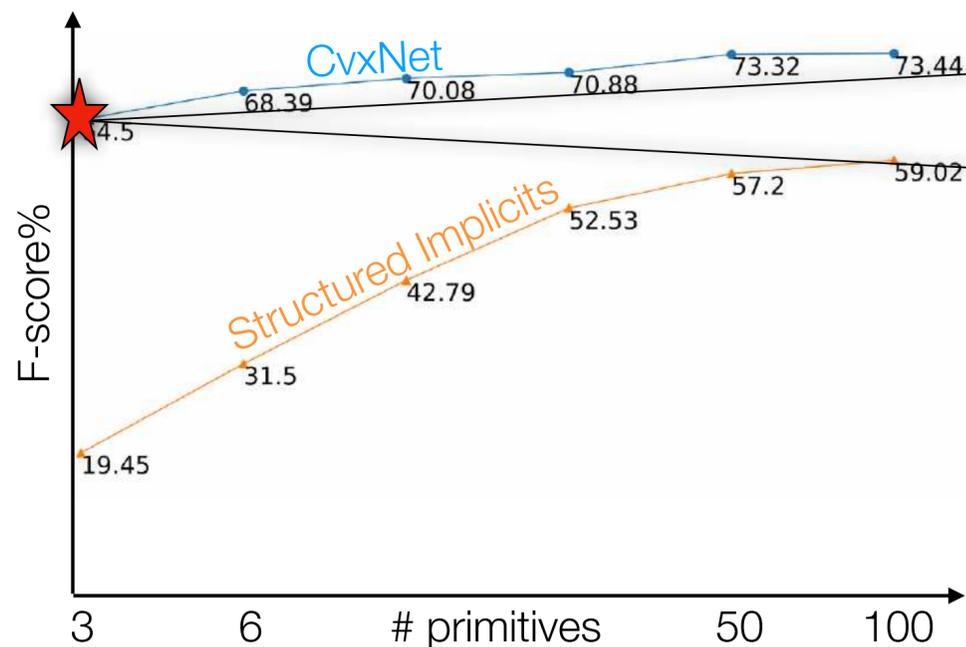
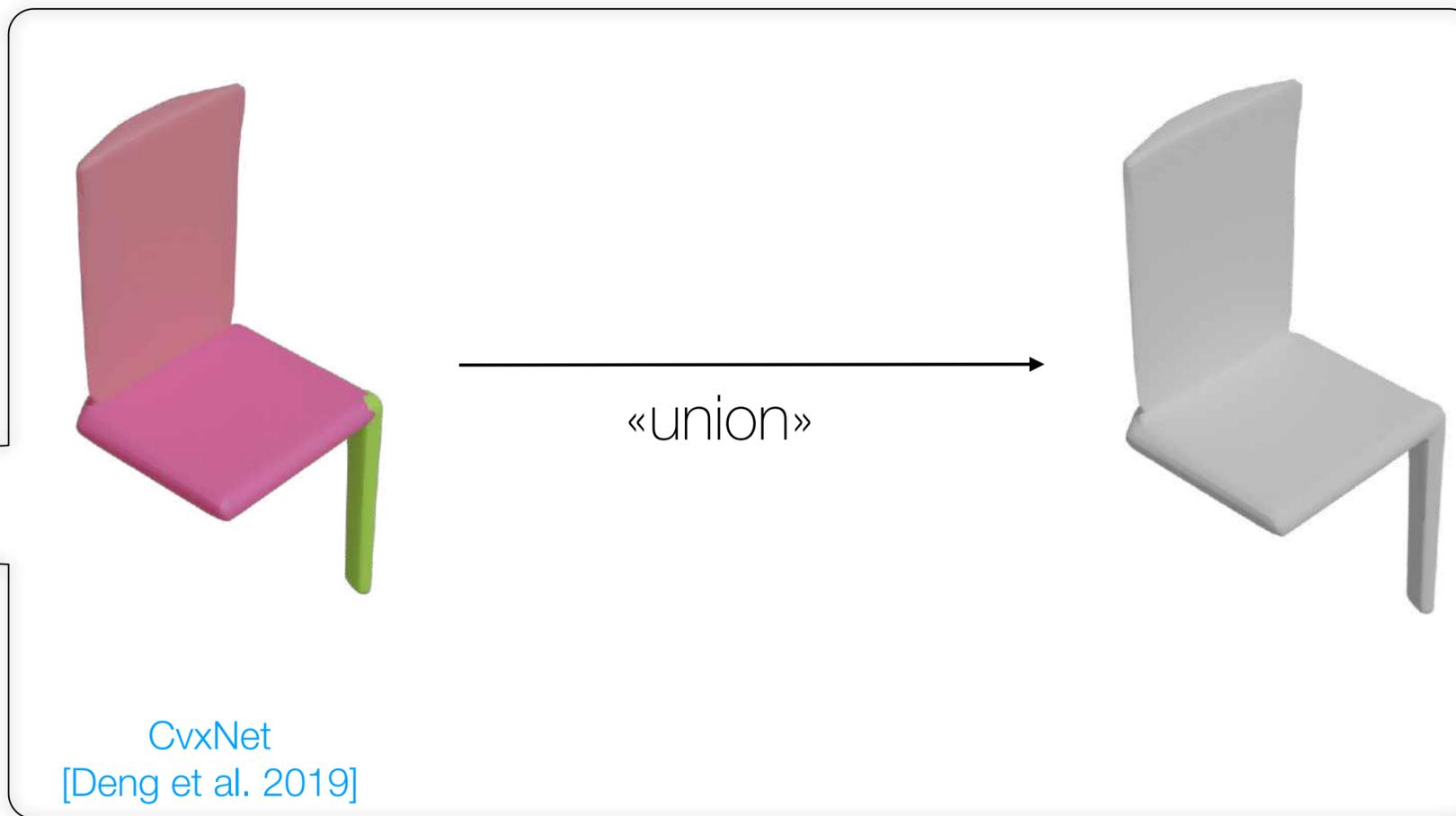
Ground Truth Mesh



Volumetric Primitives [Tulsiani et al. 2017]



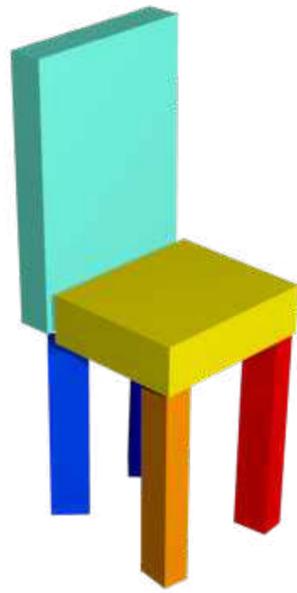
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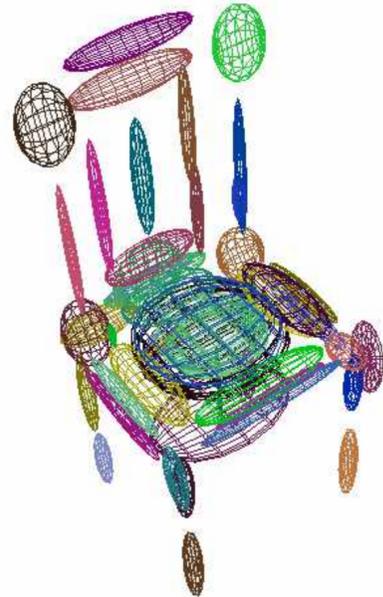
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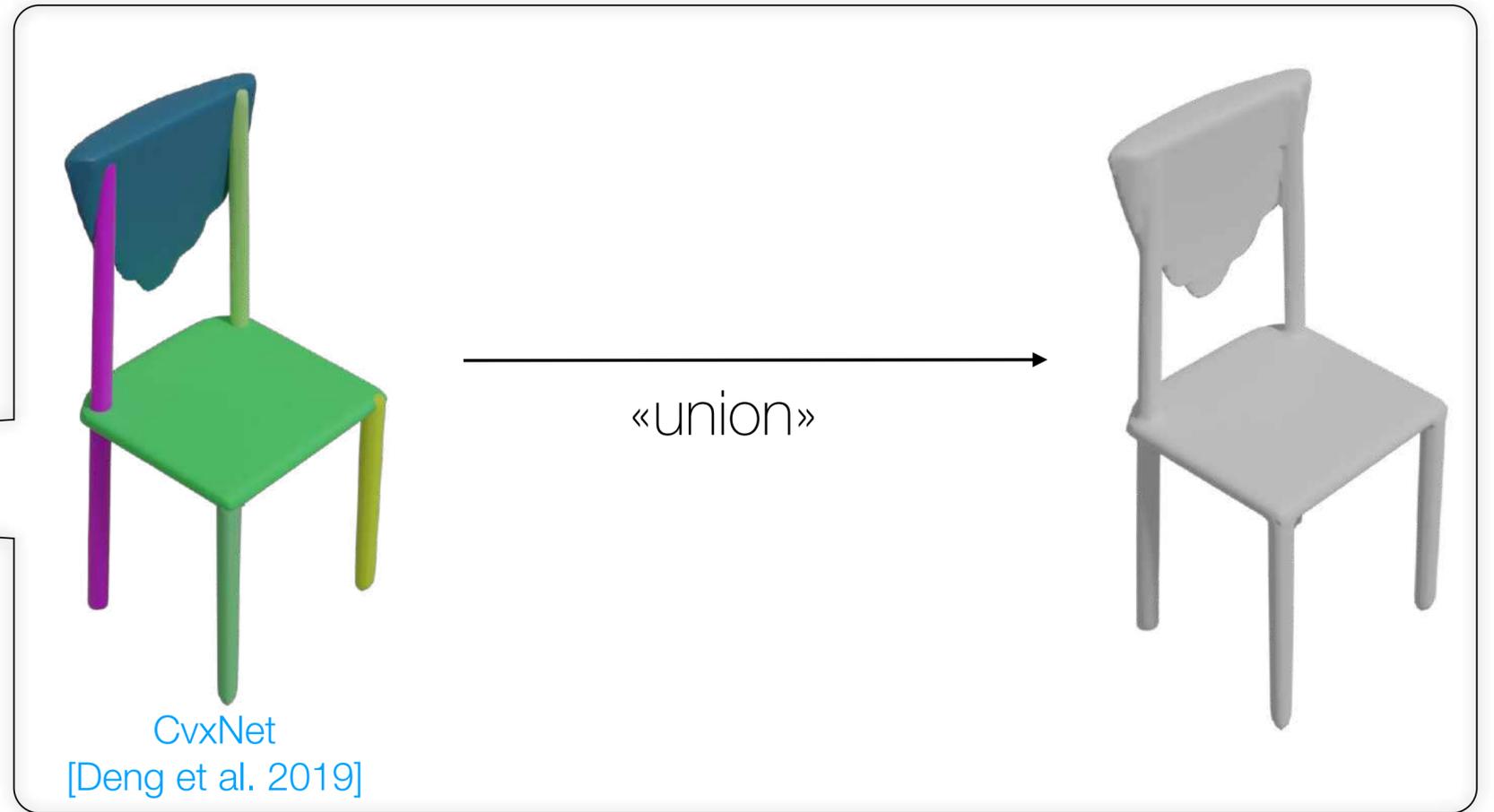
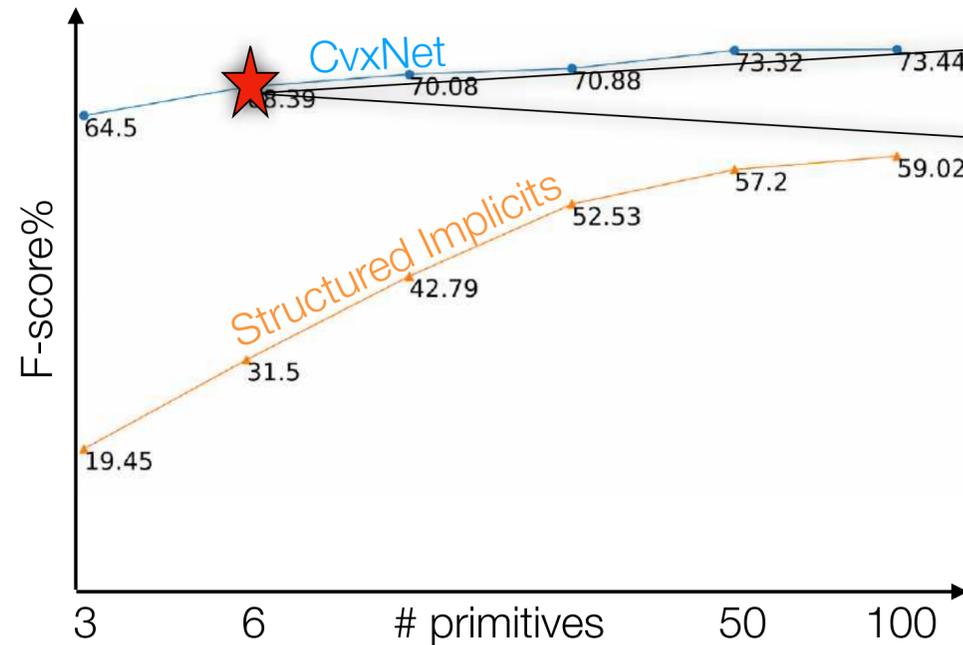
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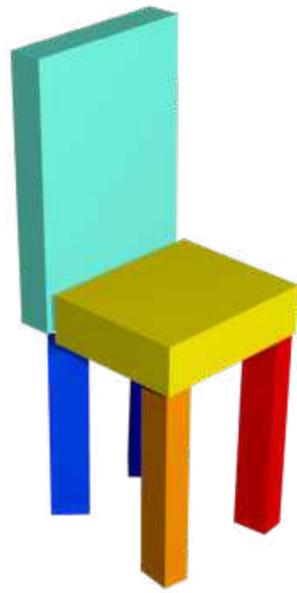
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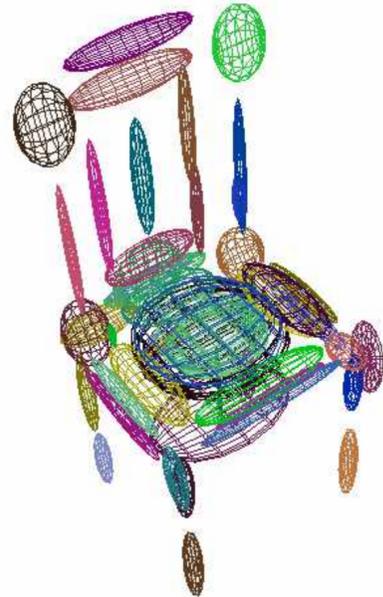
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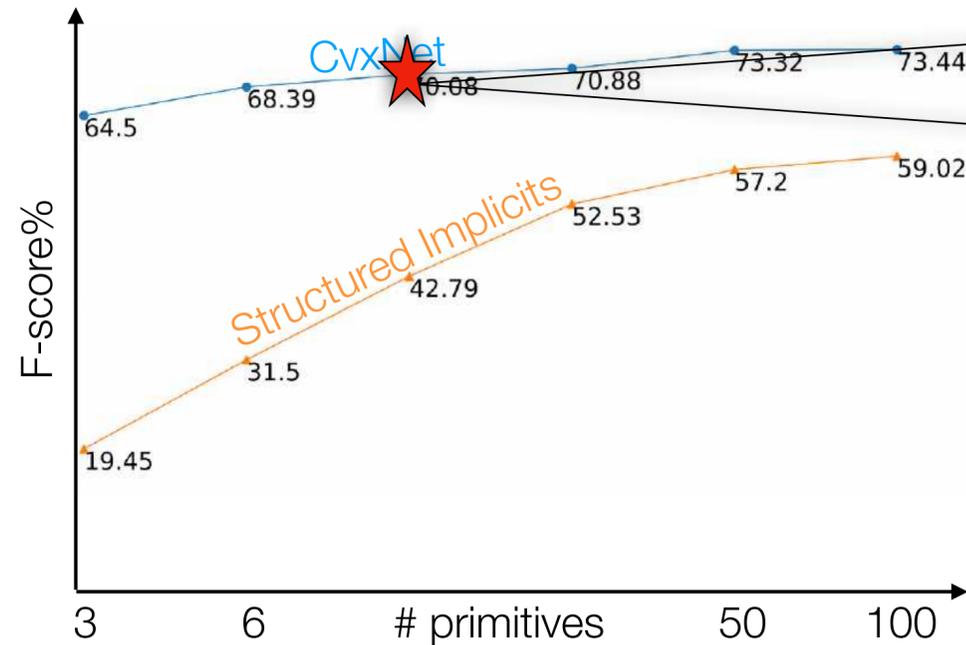
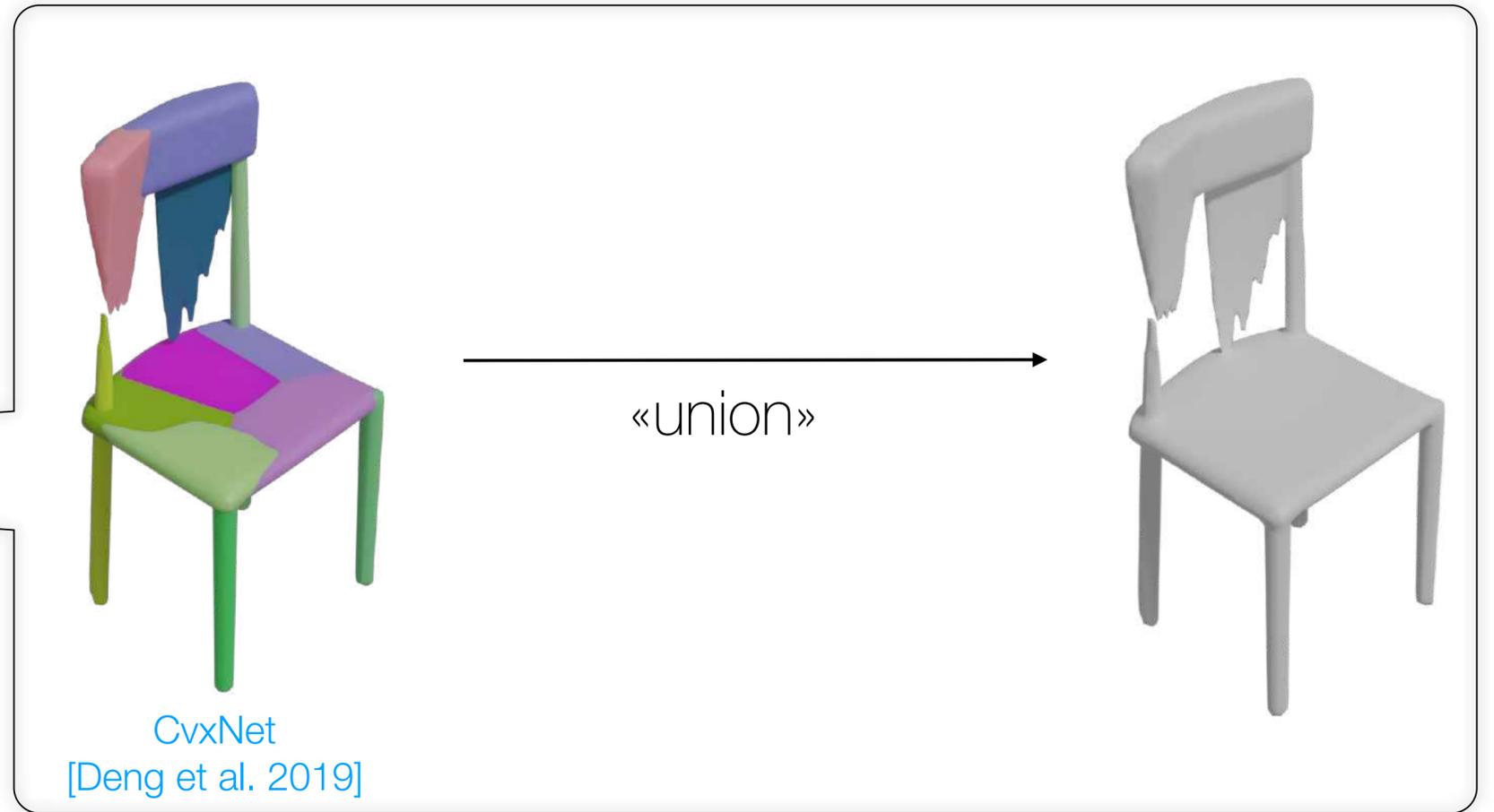
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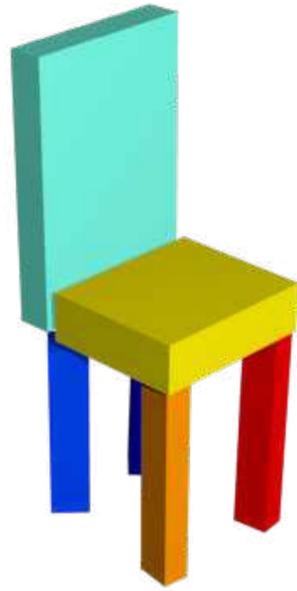
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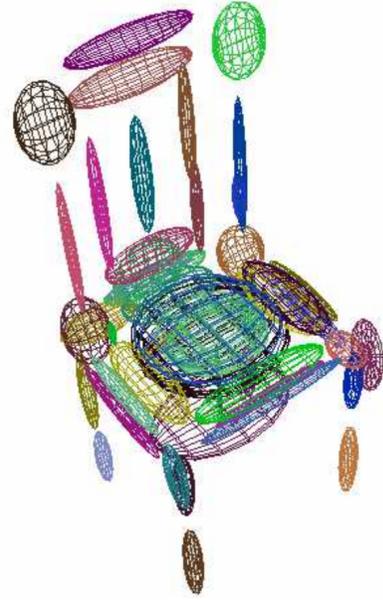
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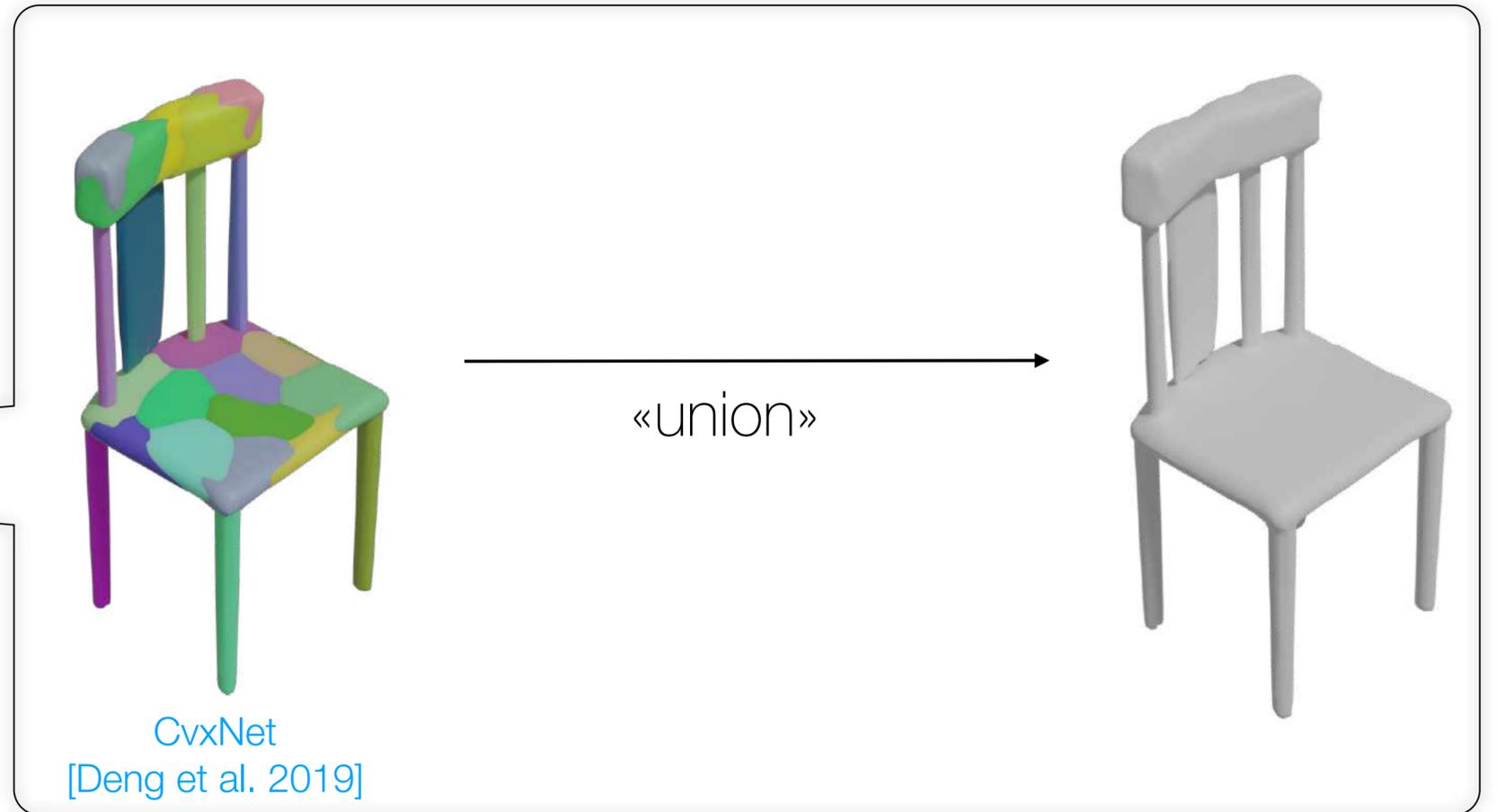
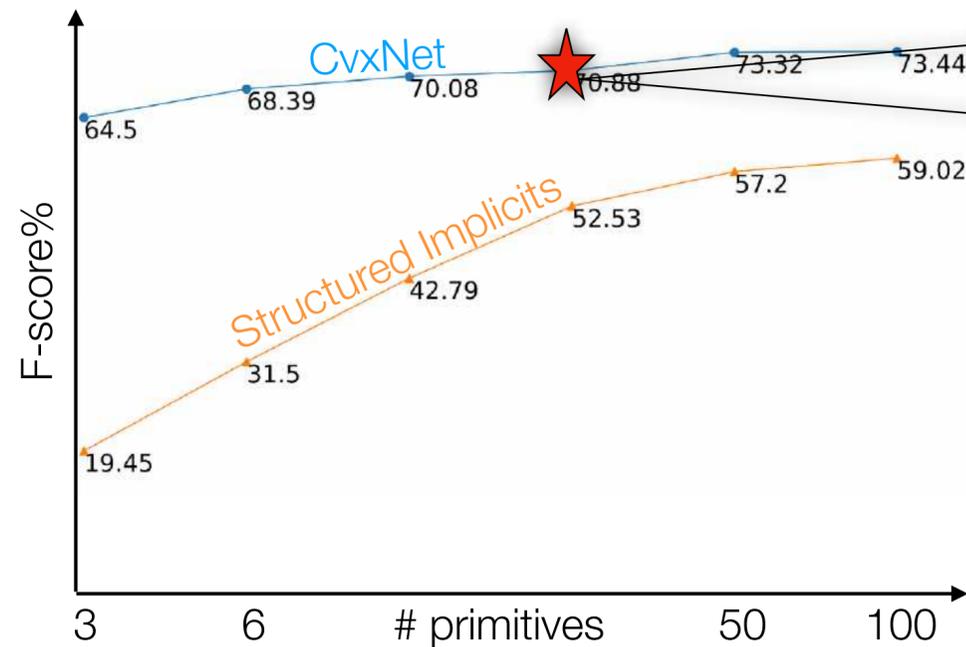
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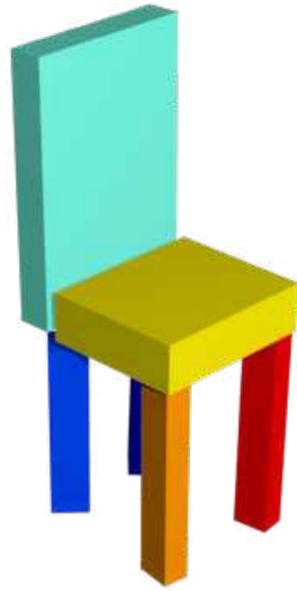
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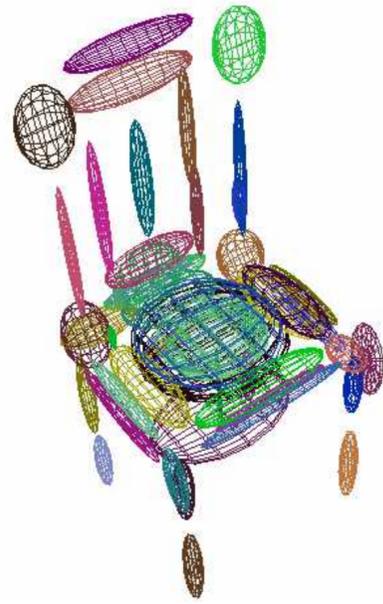
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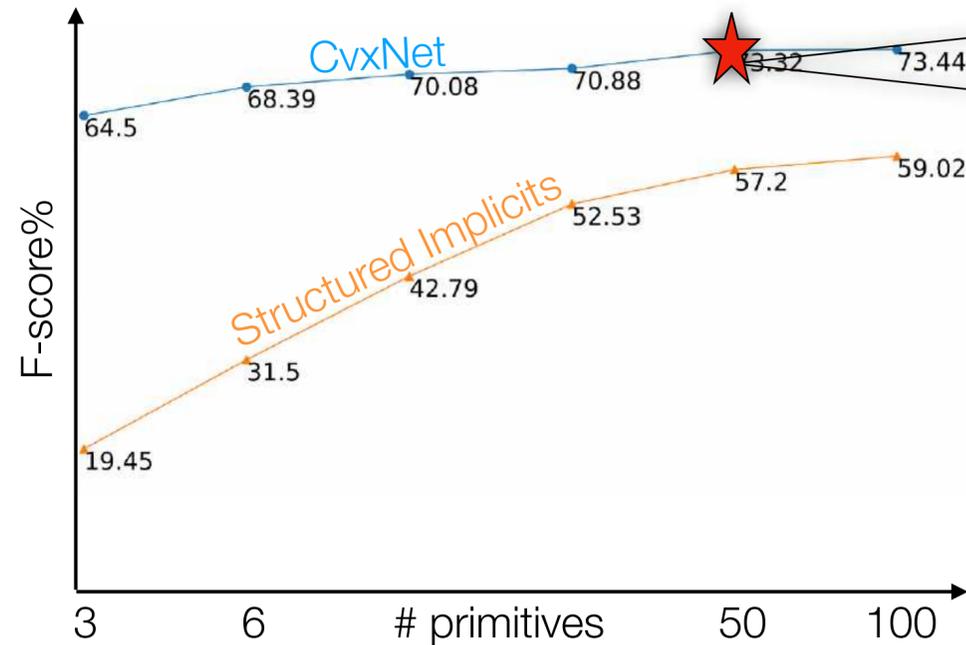
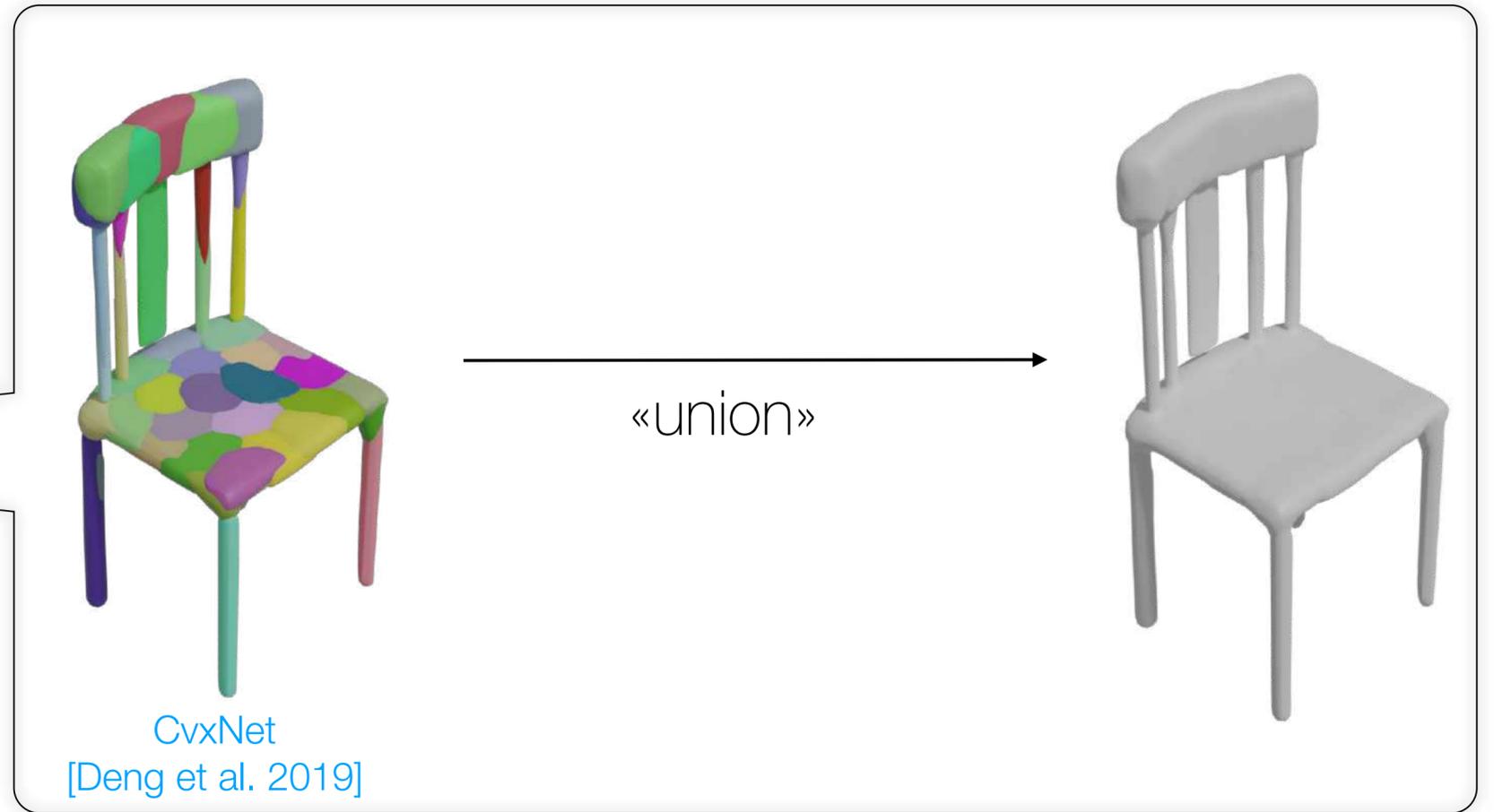
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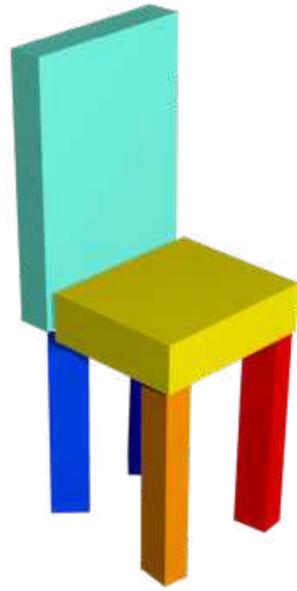
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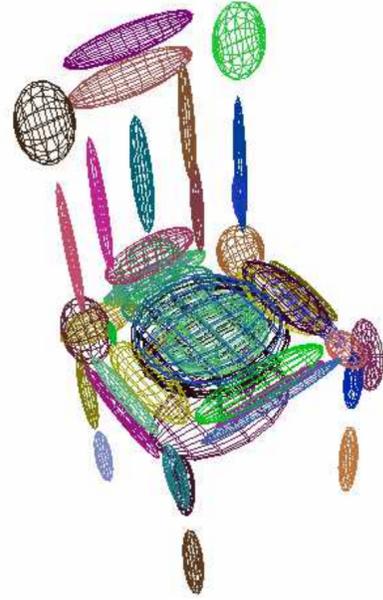
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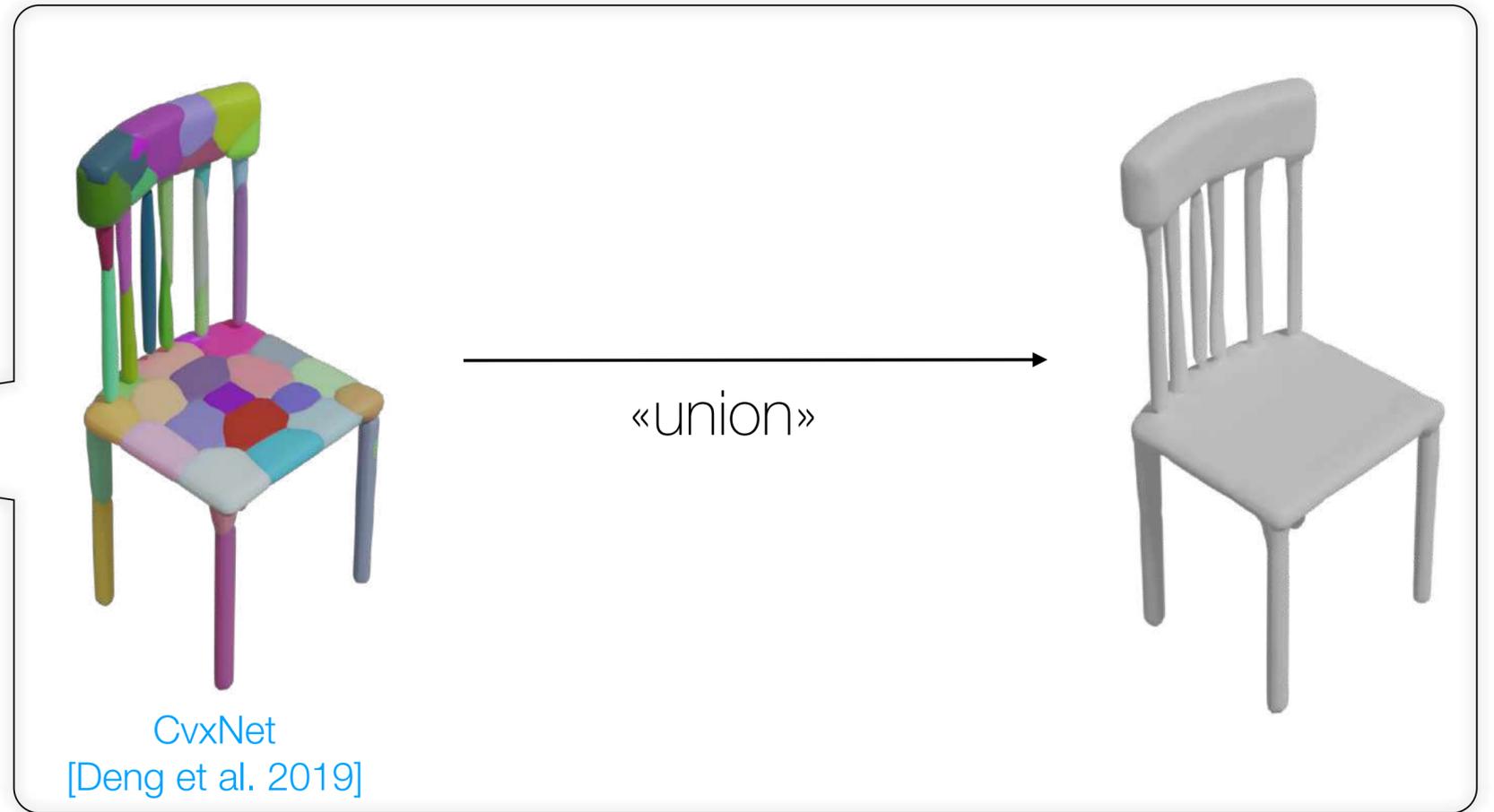
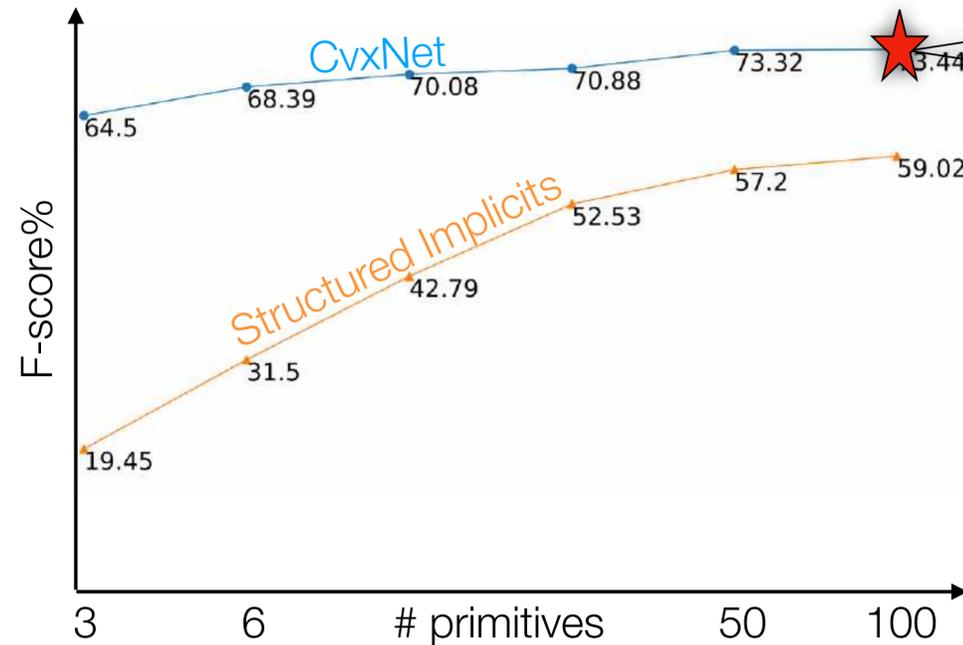
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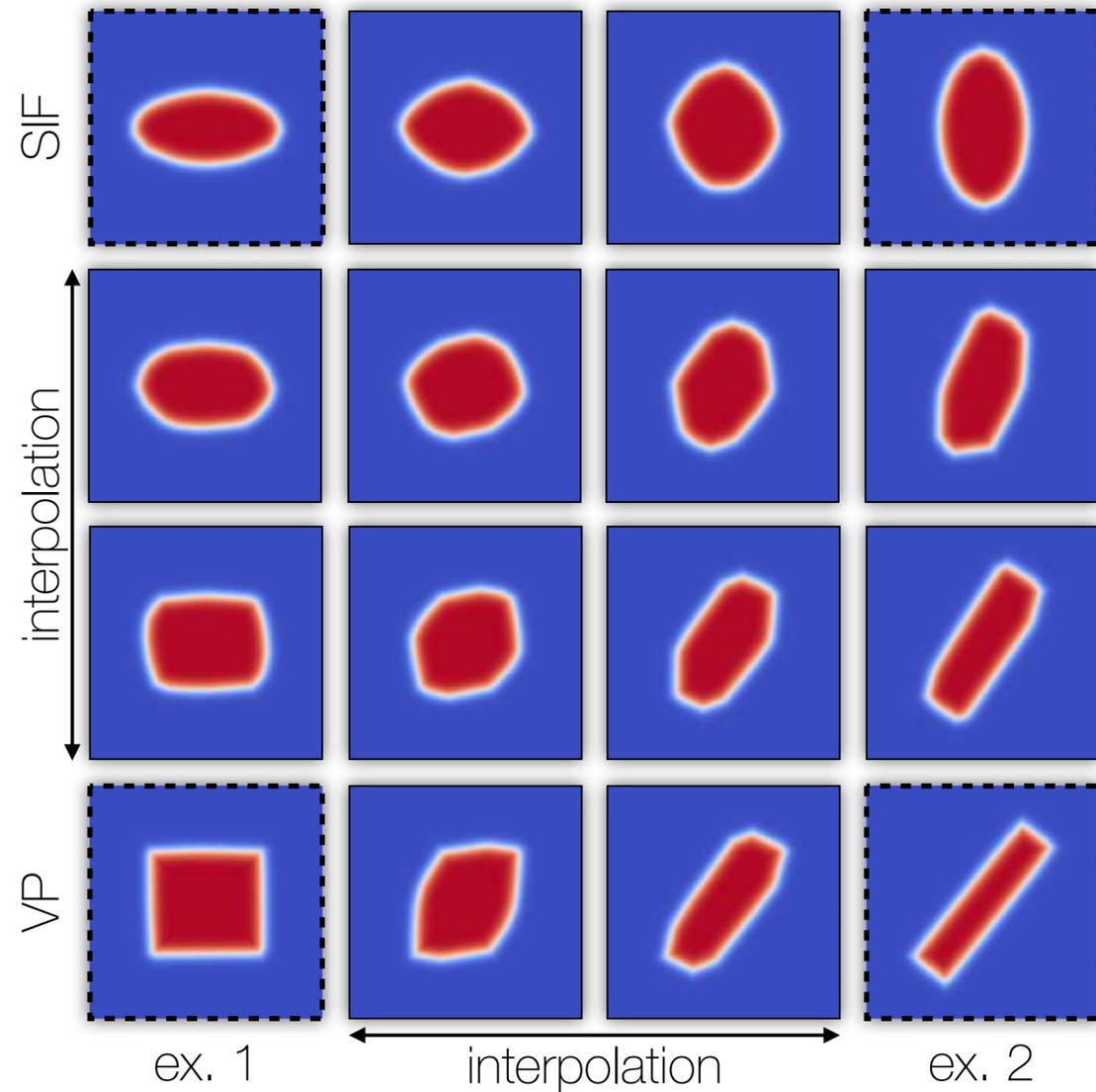
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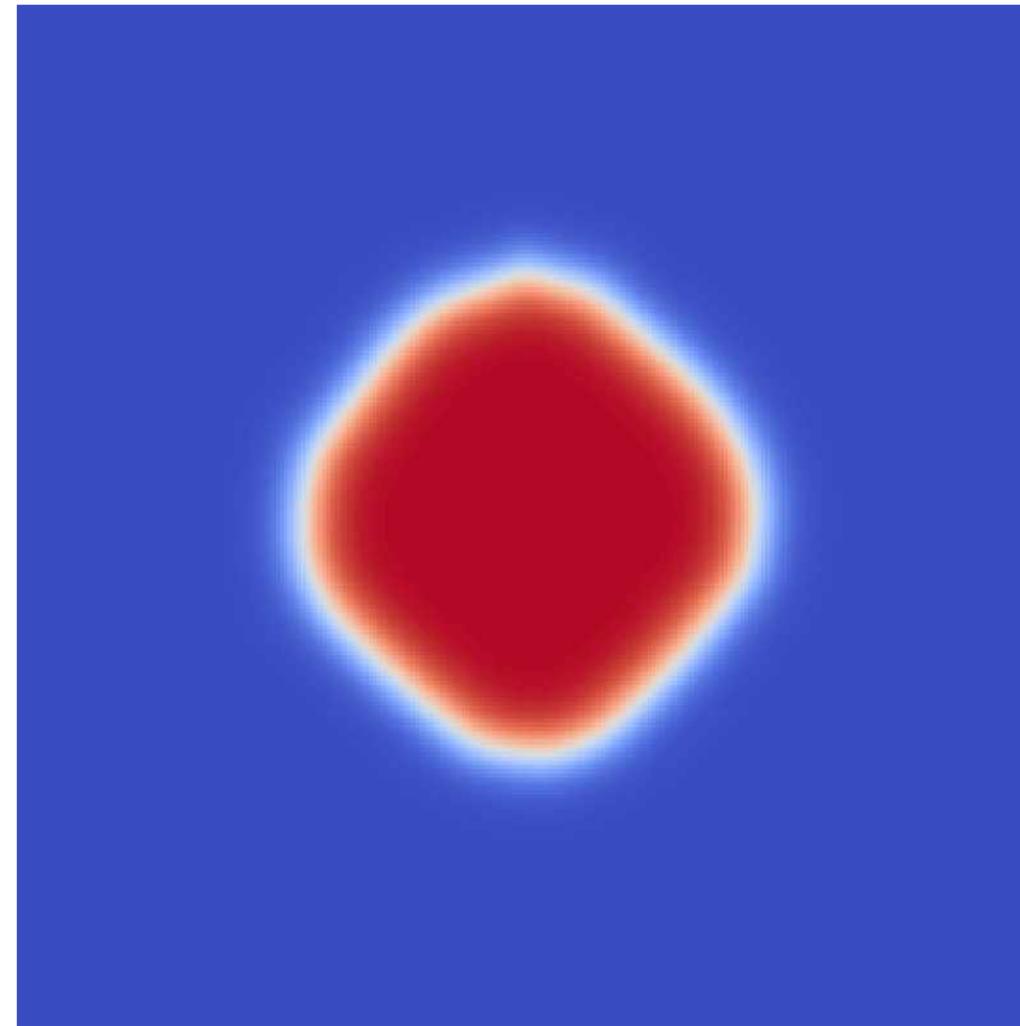
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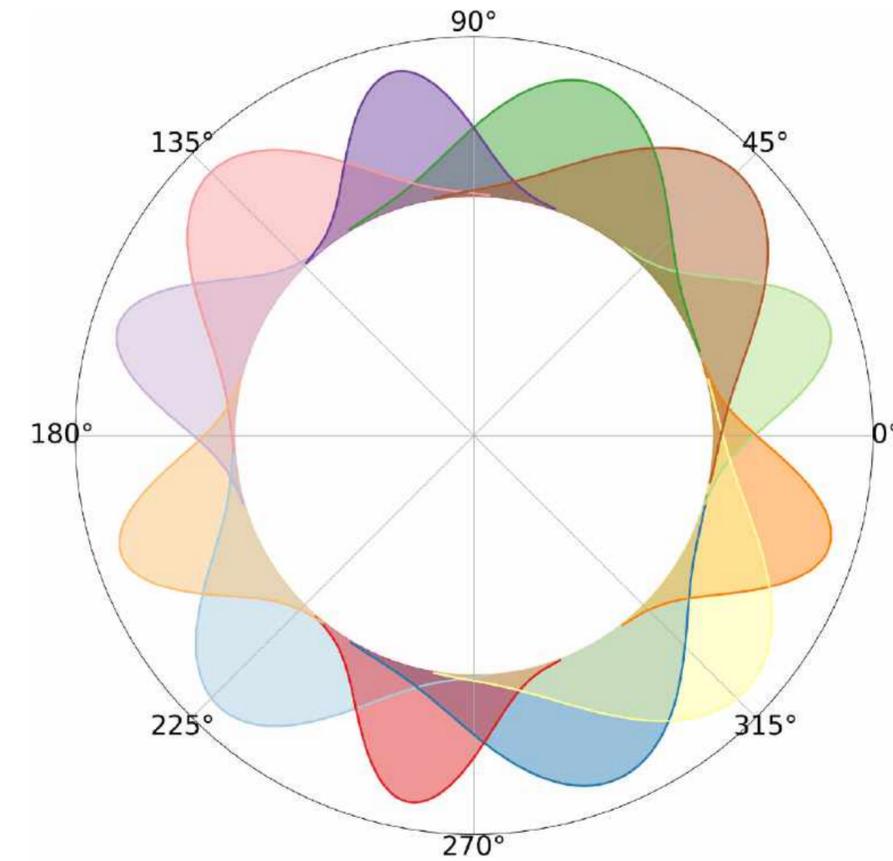
Explore the shape space of primitives



Bilinear Interpolation

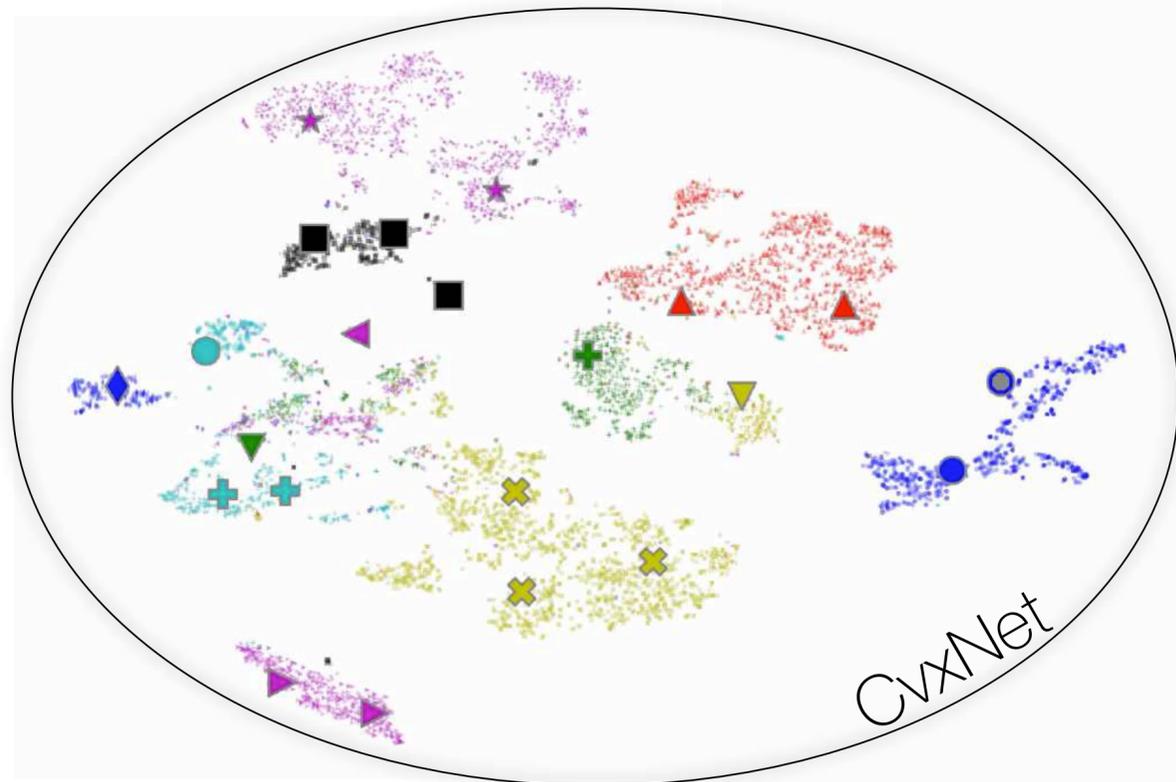
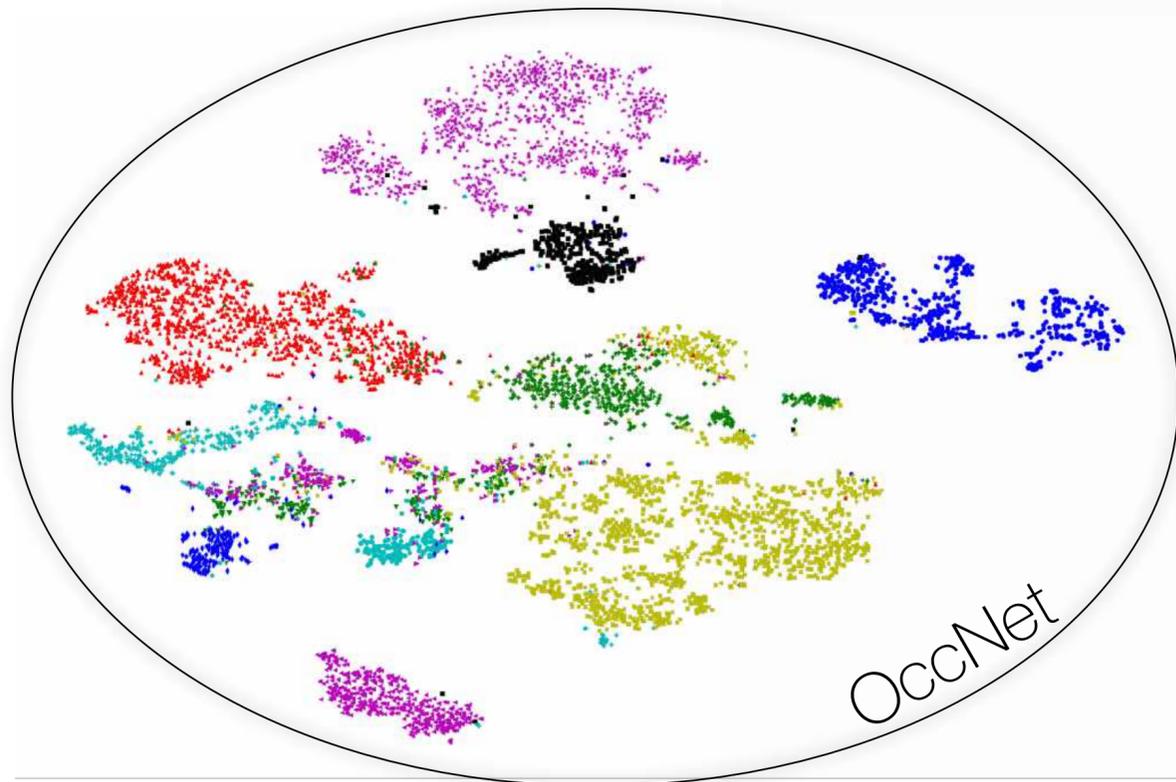


Linear Interpolation



Correlation of Hyperplanes

- airplane
- ▼ bench
- ▼ cabinet
- * car
- ▲ chair
- display
- + lamp
- ◀ speaker
- ▶ rifle
- + sofa
- × table
- ◆ telephone
- vessel



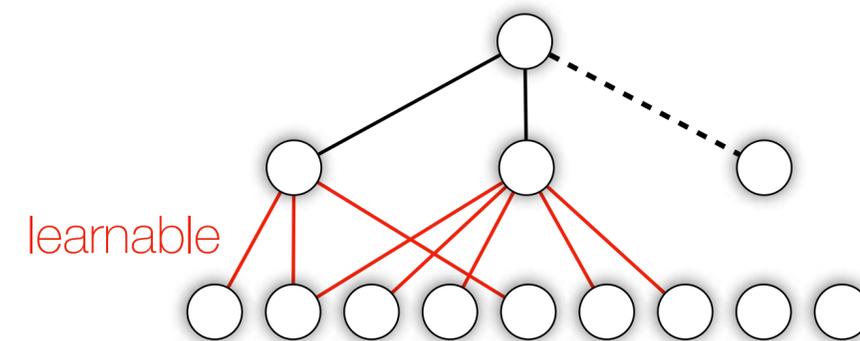
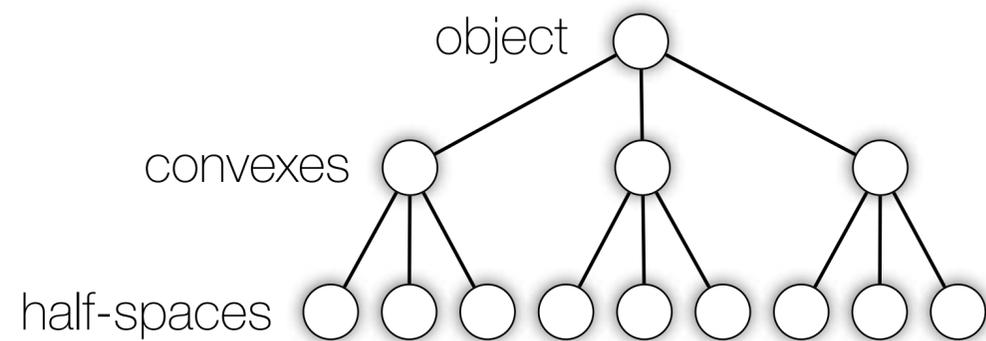
Related work @ CVPR 2020



Deng et al. «CvxNet»
smooth convexes, **fixed** graph



Chen et al. «BSP-Net»
graph learning, **sharp** details



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