Category Specific Object Reconstruction from a Single Image Team ID - 6

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Pose Annotation Tool:

The algorithm needs annotated data and we are using the following to annotate the instances in the data set and set model viewpoint using Anchor Points

Using the pose annotation tool:

- Load CAD model The CAD models define the geometry of the object category. There are multiple CAD models for one category in order to capture the intra-class variability.
- Open the directory containing the images to be annotated
- Open the directory containing the bounding box annotation of the objects to be annotated
- Choose one CAD model and align coarse viewpoint
- Annotate the anchor points
- Save the annotation

Anchor Points:

From the CAD model, we want to find the closest model to the image instance. After selecting that model, we look for some 'special points' (specified in the CAD model, which represent the shape and pose of the model) caller Anchor Points.

We match these points to the image with the bounding box. These points can be visible or truncated or occluded etc., therefore we need many Anchor Points to get the annotation.

Table 1. Statuses of an anchor point.

Status	Explanation	Action See Annotate the anchor point in the image by using the button "Label Anchor Point".	
Visible	The anchor point is visible from the coarse viewpoint.		
Self-occluded	The anchor point is occluded due to self- occlusion of the object.	Click the radio button "Self-occluded".	
Occluded-by	The anchor point is occluded by other objects. For example, a portion of a car is occluded by a tree.	Click the radio button "Occluded-by".	
Truncated	The anchor point is outside the image border.	Click the radio button "Truncated".	
Unknown	The anchor point does not belong to any of the above statuses.	Click the radio button "Unknown".	

The following are a few screenshots while using the annotation tool for a few classes in the dataset - PASCAL 3D+.









