SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

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1. IMPLEMENTATION DETAILS

The backbone of ParaSurRe is adopted from VolSDF[1], which use two networks f_{ϕ} and f_{θ} to represent radiance and Signed Distance Function (SDF) respectively (Fig. 1). We follow InstantNGP[2] and parameterize both f_{θ} and f_{ϕ} by multi-resolution feature grids and a 3-layer MLP. For each input coordinates, we interpolate multi-level features from multi-resolution feature grids, and then concatenate them and send into a shallow MLP to get SDF or radiance, as shown in Fig. 2. For SDF hash table, we set max grid level L to 8, the numbers of features per level l to 4, the coarsest resolution N_c to 16, and the finest resolution N_f to 2048. For radiance hash table, we set max grid level L to 16, the numbers of features per level l to 2, the coarsest resolution N_c to 16, and the finest resolution N_f to 2048. Density $\sigma(x)$ is modeled by a transformation of output SDF d(x):

$$\sigma(x) = \alpha \Phi_{\beta}(-d(x)) \tag{1}$$

where Φ_{β} is the Cumulative Distribution Function(CDF) of the Laplace distribution with β scale and zero mean, and α, β are learnable parameters. In practice, $\alpha = \frac{1}{\beta}$. Since Para-SurRe trains in parallel, each cluster has its own learned β . To convert fused SDF to density, we compute the average of all β in different clusters and use the same transformation in Equation 1 to get density prediction. Our networks are implemented in PyTorch with Adam optimizer. In practice, to parameterize rotation R, we use the axis-angle representation $\phi = \alpha \omega$, where α denotes rotation angle and ω denotes rotation axis.

2. EVALUATION OF POSES

As mentioned in the main paper, the estimated camera trajectory are up to a 3D similarity transformation $P \in Sim(3)$.

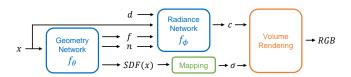


Fig. 1. Overview of the network architecture of the backbone of ParaSurRe. Our backbone is adopted from VolSDF[1].

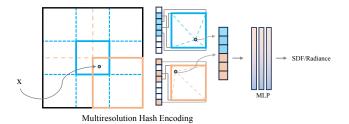


Fig. 2. Network architecture of multi-resolution feature grid.

T comprises three parameters: (s, R, T), where $R \in SO(3)$ represents rotation, $P \in R^3$ is for translation, and $s \in R$ denotes scale. We use Procrustes analysis to compute P and align estimated camera coordinates systems to ground truth camera coordinates systems. After alignment, we measure rotation distance with mean rotation error in Equation 2:

$$\theta_{error} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} \arccos(trace(R_i^{-1} R_i^{gt}))$$
 (2)

where N is the number of cameras, and R_i , R_i^{gt} are the estimated rotation matrix and ground truth rotation matrix respectively. In terms of translation, we use the ATE RMSE in Equation 3 to measure translation error:

$$t_{error} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} ||T_i - T_i^{gt}||$$
 (3)

where T_i , T_i^{gt} are the aligned translation and ground truth translation respectively.

In terms of final pose estimation, the feature matching algorithm has an impact on the final result. To make a fair comparison with Colmap[3], we use the default image matching algorithm in Colmap[3] to build scene graph. Meanwhile, note that registration order in incremental SFM also influences the final pose accuracy, we simply use the sequence order provided by Colmap[3] for fair comparison, same as default setting of Level-S²fM[4].

3. ADDITIONAL RESULTS

We report more pose estimation results of Colmap, Level-S²fM[4] and ParaSurRe on DTU[5] and BlendedMVS[6], as

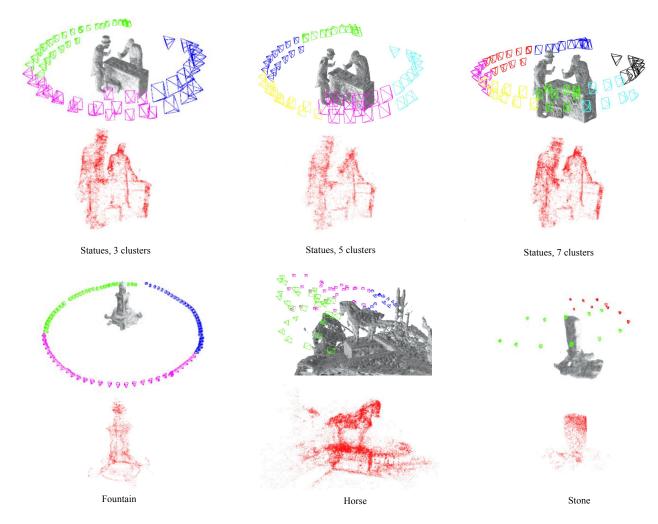


Fig. 3. Qualitative results for surface reconstruction and pose estimation of ParaSurRe. For each scene, we show the corresponding fused surface with cameras, and point clouds.

shown in Table 1 and Table 2. We also report more qualitative results for ParaSurRe in Fig. 3, where point clouds, cameras, and meshes are visualized. Different-colored cameras are located in separate clusters.

Scan	Rotation/Translation Error			
	Colmap	LevelS2FM	ParaSurRe	
65	0.684/0.410	0.741/2.063	0.666/1.412	
106	0.618/0.332	0.386/0.898	0.199/0.706	
114	0.419/0.655	0.163/0.605	0.434/1.693	
122	0.636/0.327	0.247/0.501	0.207/0.638	
Mean	0.589/0.431	0.384/1.017	0.376/1.112	

Table 1. Pose estimation results on DTU dataset. The best and second-best results are highlighted in purple and cyan respectively.

Scenes	Rotation/Translation Error			
Section	Colmap	LevelS2FM	ParaSurRe	
Fountain	3.555/0.031	1.500/0.022	2.857/0.089	
Stone	0.661/0.034	0.806/0.106	0.705/0.015	
Statues	1.198/0.004	0.278/0.005	0.909/0.036	
Horse	0.326/0.007	0.576/0.042	1.120/0.037	
Mean	1.435/0.019	0.790/0.044	1.398/0.043	

Table 2. Pose estimation results on BlendedMVS dataset. The best and second-best results are highlighted in purple and cyan respectively.

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