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# PVO: Panoptic Visual Odometry

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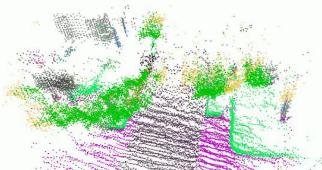
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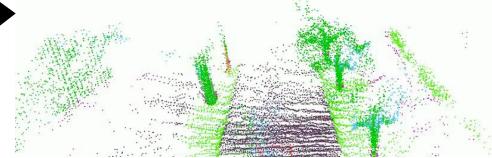


# What can we do with PVO?

VKITTI2 Seq 01



VKITTI2 Seq 02



VKITTI2 Seq 20



Monocular Videos

Panoptic 3D map with Pose

PVO Running Demo

Motion Control



Copy & Paste A Car



Move A Car to New Scene



Original Video

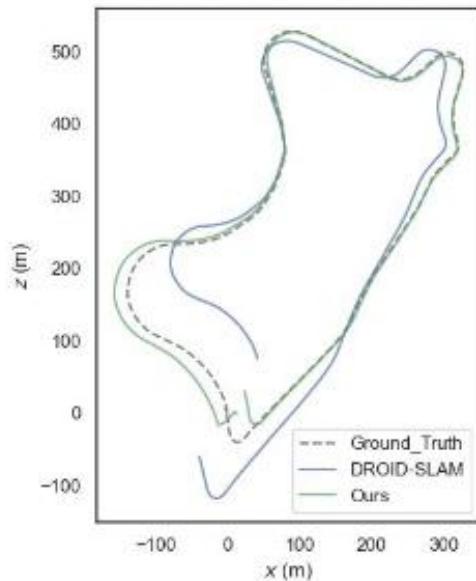
Edited Video

Video Editing

# Related Work

## Visual Odometry (VO)

- Input: monocular video
- Output: camera trajectory
- **should recognize** the dynamic objects of the video.



## Video Panoptic Segmentation (VPS)

- Input: monocular video
- Output: consistent video segmentation
- **does not explicitly** distinguish dynamic or not



**Problem: without recognizing their relevance**

# DROID-SLAM

## Pros

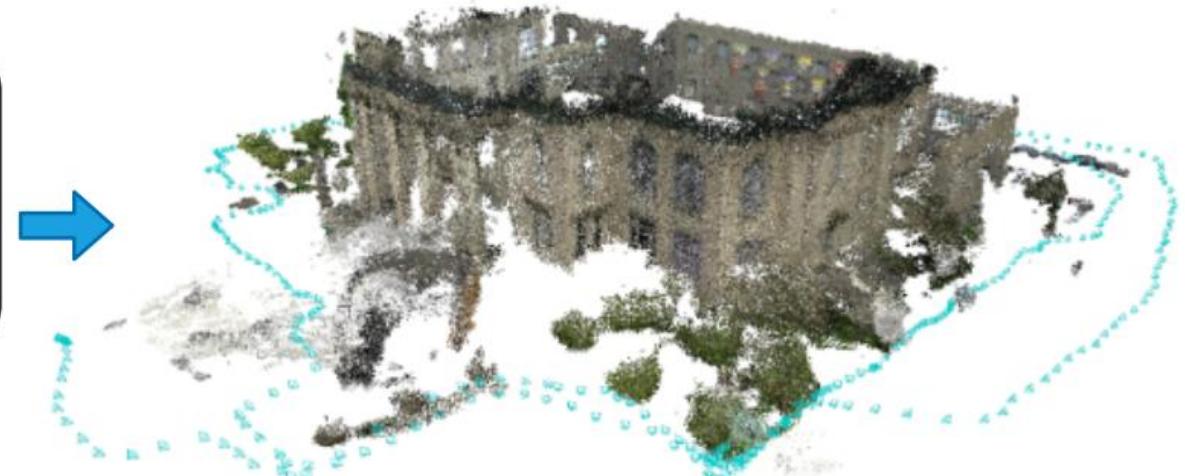
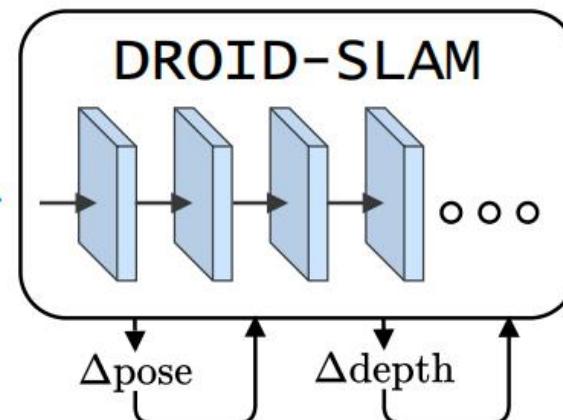
- **Accurate:** more accurate than prior work
- **Robust:** few catastrophic failures
- **Generalizable:** trained on synthetic monocular input, generalizes to real monocular, stereo, RGB-D

## Cons

- not good enough in **dynamic** scenes
- not robust in indoor scenes
- more memory consumption and loop-closure in long sequences



Monocular, Stereo or RGB-D Video



DROID-SLAM[Teed et al., 2021]

# DROID-SLAM

- RAFT

- Feature Extraction
- Computing visual similarity
  - Correlation Pyramid

$$\mathbf{C}(g_\theta(I_1), g_\theta(I_2)) \in \mathbb{R}^{H \times W \times H \times W} \quad C_{ijkl} = \sum_h g_\theta(I_1)_{ijh} \cdot g_\theta(I_2)_{klh}$$

- Correlation Lookup

$$\mathbf{x}' = (u + f^1(u), v + f^2(v)) \quad \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}')_r = \{\mathbf{x}' + \mathbf{d}\mathbf{x} \mid \mathbf{d}\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{Z}^2, \|\mathbf{d}\mathbf{x}\|_1 \leq r\}$$

- Iterative Updates

$$\mathbf{f}_{k+1} = \Delta\mathbf{f} + \mathbf{f}_{k+1} \quad \mathbf{f}_k \rightarrow \mathbf{f}^*$$

- Supervision  $\mathcal{L} = \sum_{i=1}^N \gamma^{N-i} \|\mathbf{f}_{gt} - \mathbf{f}_i\|_1$

- Updates Operator

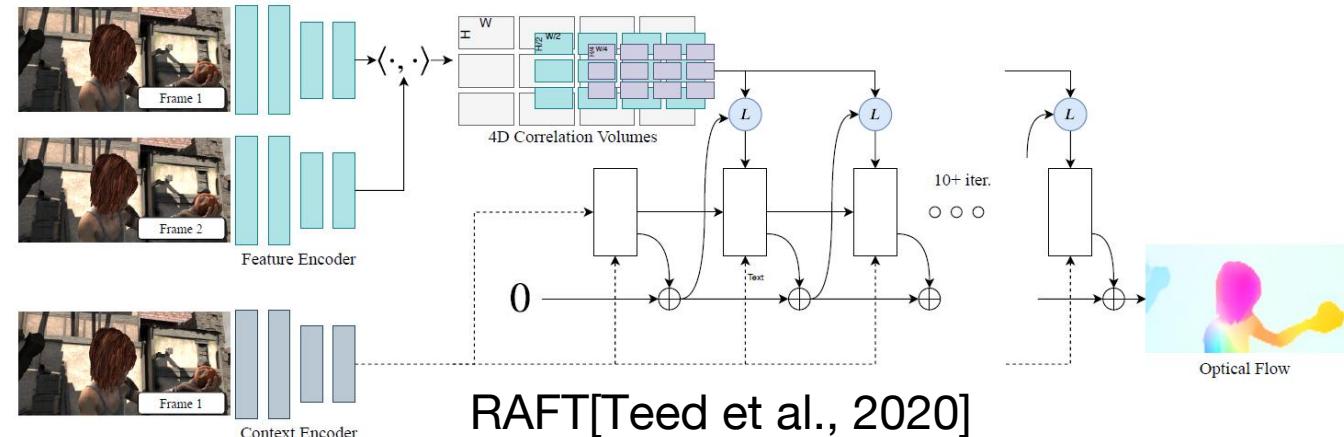
- correspondence:  $\mathbf{p}_{ij} = \Pi_c(\mathbf{G}_{ij} \circ \Pi_c^{-1}(\mathbf{p}_i, \mathbf{d}_i)), \quad \mathbf{p}_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}^{H \times W \times 2}$

- update:  $\mathbf{p}_{ij}^* = \mathbf{r}_{ij} + \mathbf{p}_{ij} \quad \mathbf{w}_{ij} \in \mathbb{R}_+^{H \times W \times 2}$

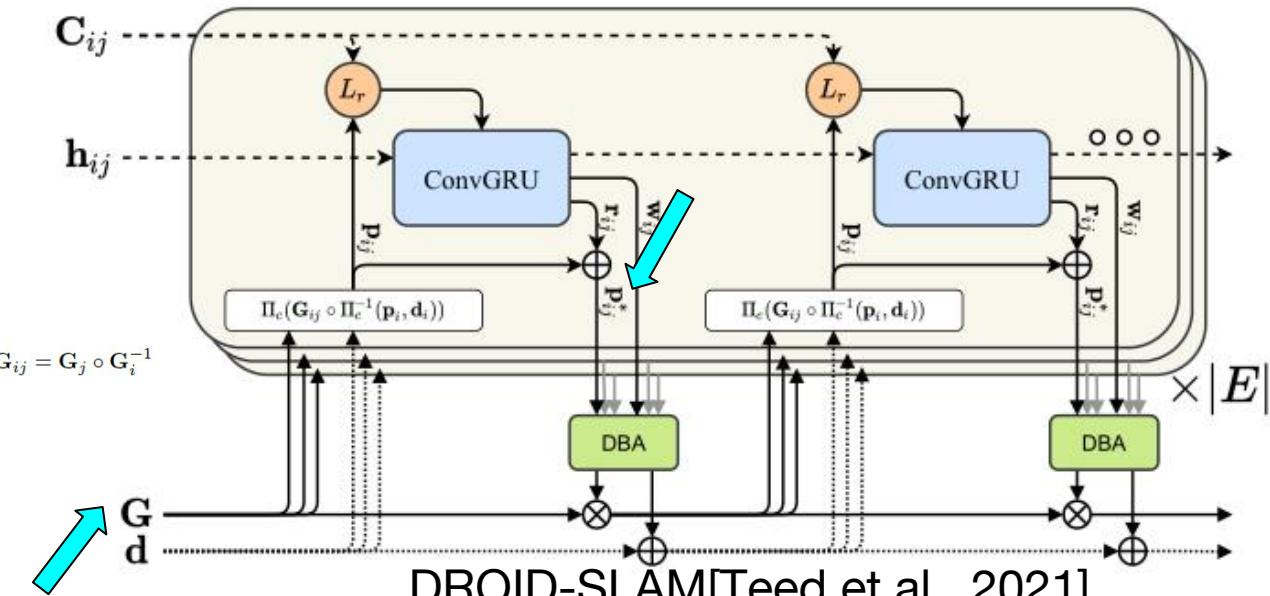
- dense BA:  $E(\mathbf{G}', \mathbf{d}') = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}} \|\mathbf{p}_{ij}^* - \Pi_c(\mathbf{G}'_{ij} \circ \Pi_c^{-1}(\mathbf{p}_i, \mathbf{d}'_i))\|_{\Sigma_{ij}}^2 \quad \Sigma_{ij} = \text{diag } \mathbf{w}_{ij}.$

- training loss: pose, flow, depth loss

- **Problem: dynamic objects lead to ambiguity in optical flow estimation**
- **No correlation constraint on the weights of the pixels of each instance.**



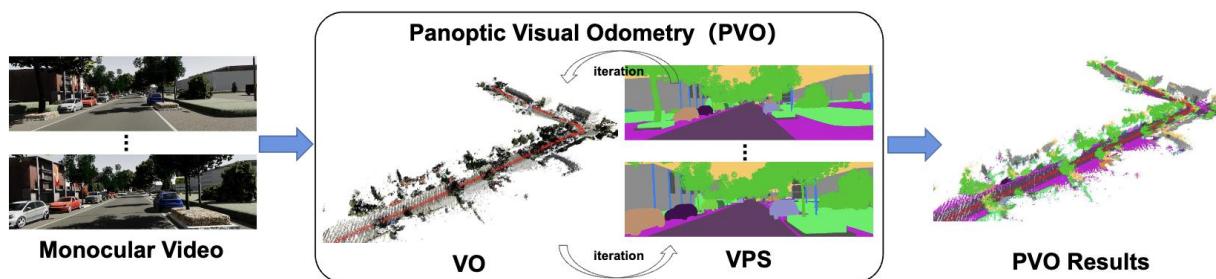
RAFT[Teed et al., 2020]



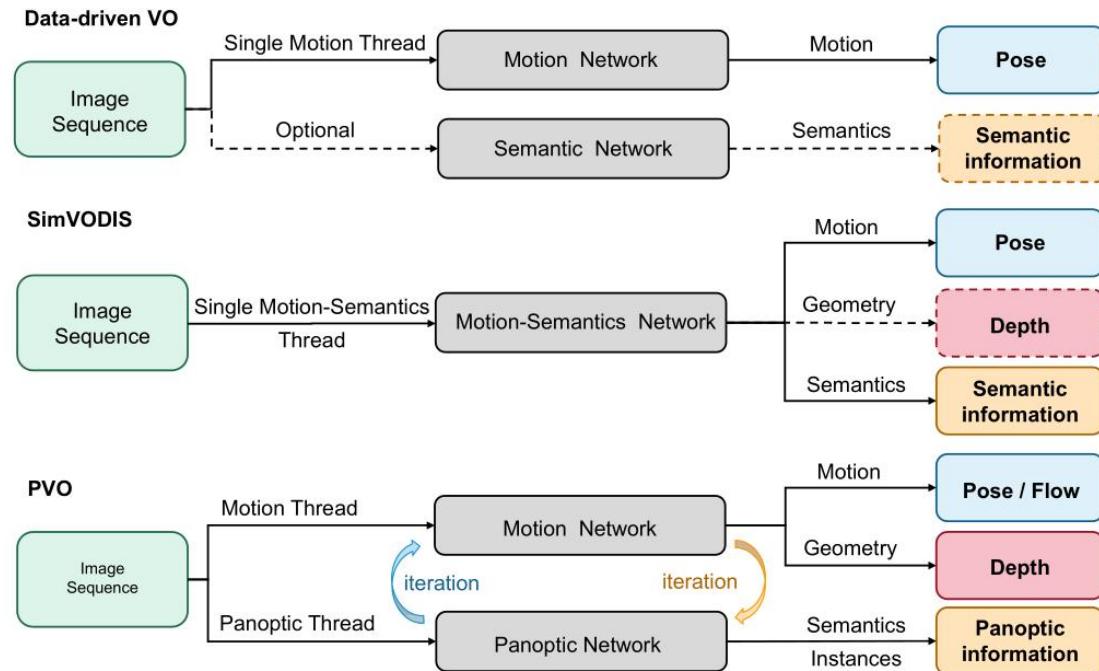
DROID-SLAM[Teed et al., 2021]

# Other Hybrid Methods vs. PVO

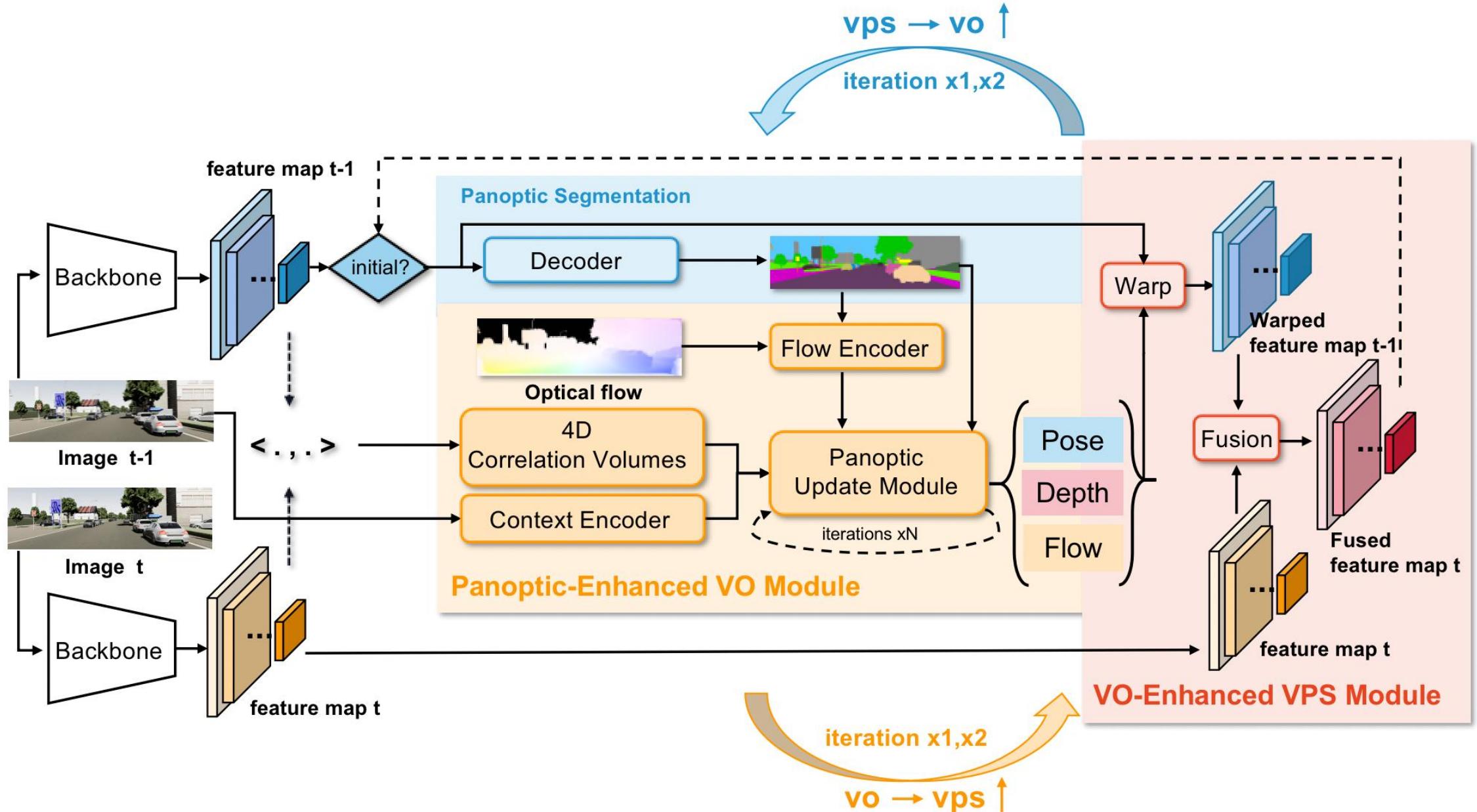
- motion-semantics network:
  - loss functions may contradict each other.
- PVO:
  - **Unify VPS and VO** to model the scene comprehensively



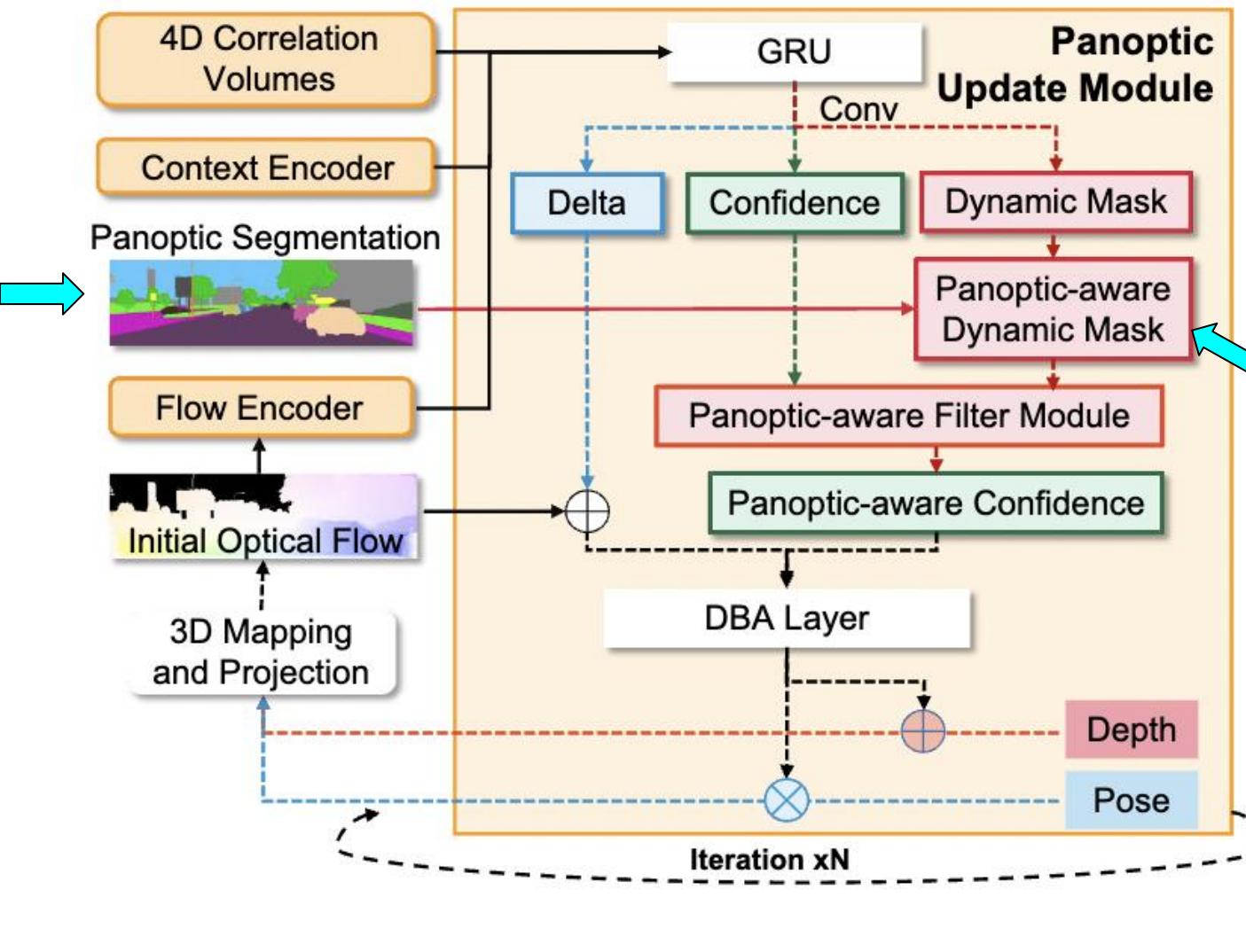
- Mutually beneficial through **recurrent iterative optimization**
- VPS helps VO: adjust weight for stuff and thing
- VO helps VPS: tracking and fusion **from 2D to 3D**



# PVO Pipeline



# Panoptic-Enhanced VO Module



- Panoptic-Aware Dynamic Mask
  - stuff-->static
  - thing with high dynamic probability --> dynamic (each instance)
$$\mathbf{w}_{\mathbf{p}_{ij}} = \text{sigmoid}(\mathbf{w}_{ij} + (1 - \mathbf{M}_{\mathbf{d}_{ij}}) \cdot \eta)$$
- Panoptic-Aware Confidence
  - remove dynamic interference
  - keep the static feature

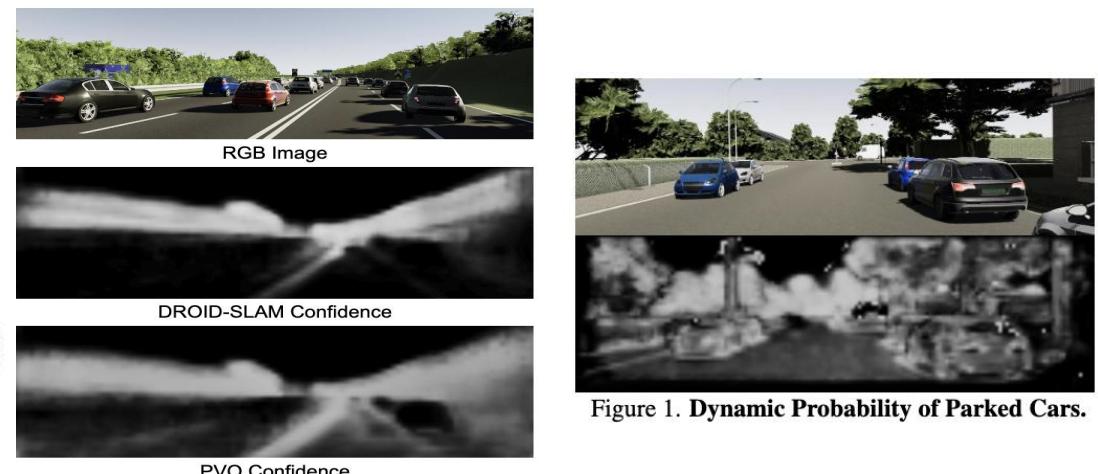
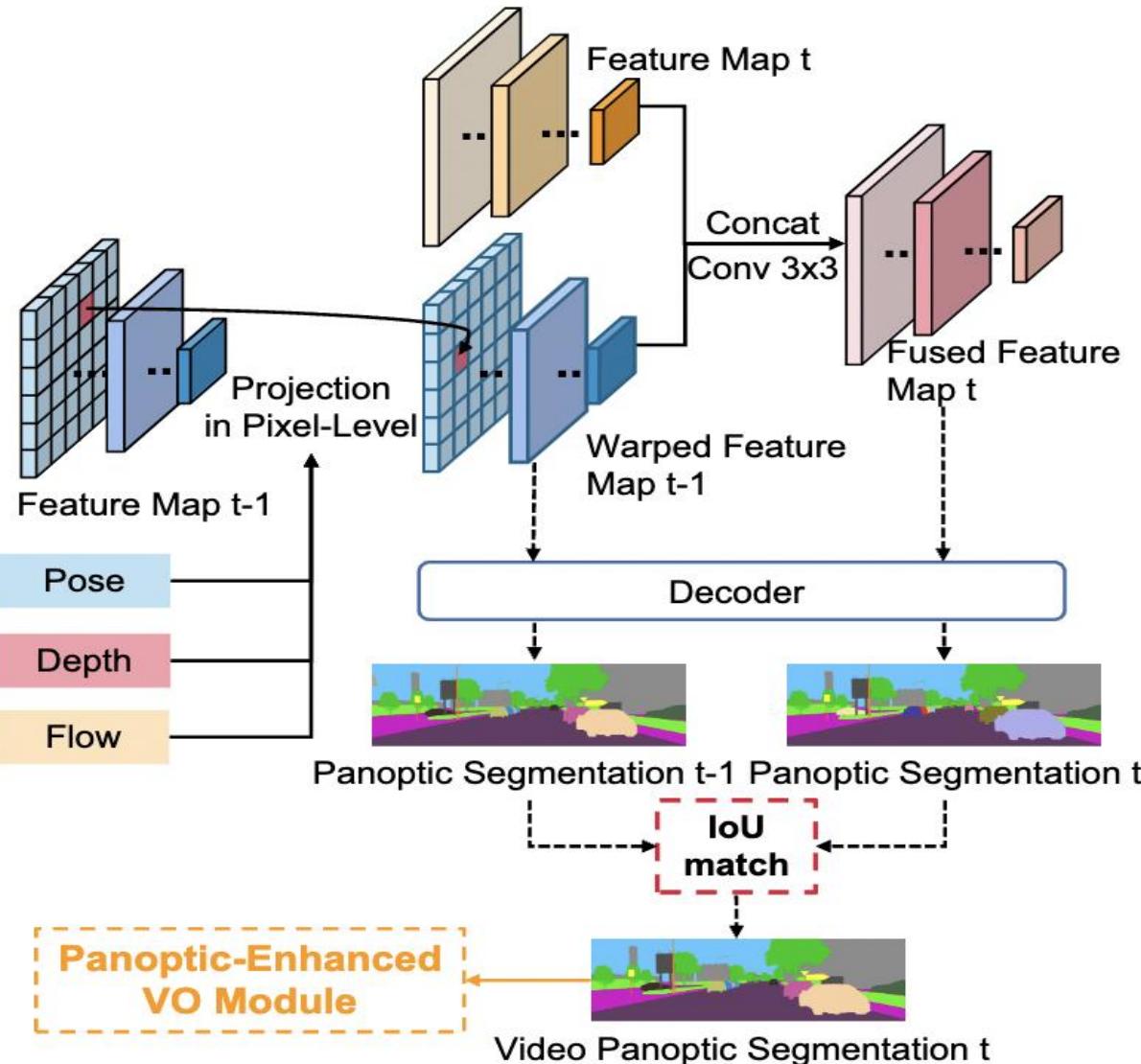


Figure 1. Dynamic Probability of Parked Cars.

# VO-Enhanced VPS Module



- VO-Aware Online Fusion

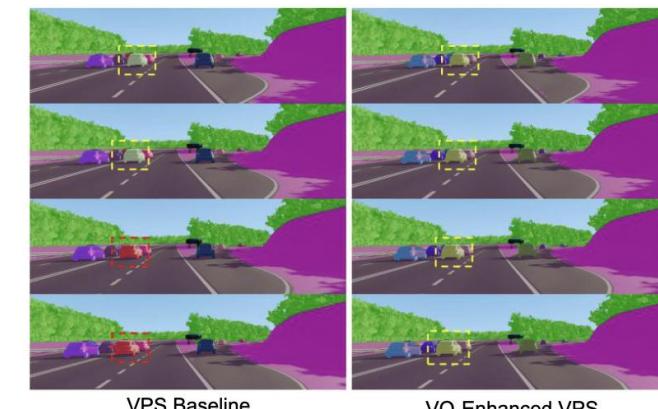
**Feature Alignment Loss [24].** We employ a feature alignment loss to minimize the distance between  $\mathbf{z}_t^*$  and  $\hat{\mathbf{z}}_t$  in latent space:

$$\mathcal{L}_{fea} = \|\mathbf{z}_t^* - \hat{\mathbf{z}}_t\|_1 \quad (10)$$

where  $\mathbf{z}_t^*$  denotes the average feature of the same pixel warped from different images to the same image.

**Segmentation Consistent Loss.** Additionally, we add a segmentation loss that minimizes the logit differences of query pixels  $\mathbf{p}$  decoded using different features  $\mathbf{z}_t^*$  and  $\hat{\mathbf{z}}_t$ :

$$\mathcal{L}_{seg} = \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{P}} \|\mathbf{g}_{\theta_d}(\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{z}_t^*) - \mathbf{g}_{\theta_d}(\mathbf{p}, \hat{\mathbf{z}}_t)\|_1 \quad (11)$$



Robust in occlusion case

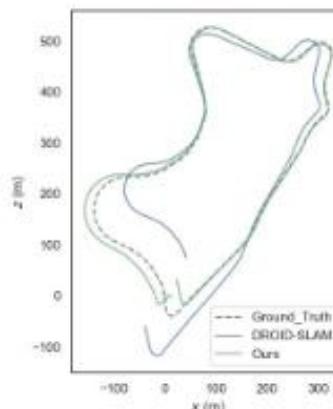
# SOTA VO Results

## VKITTI2

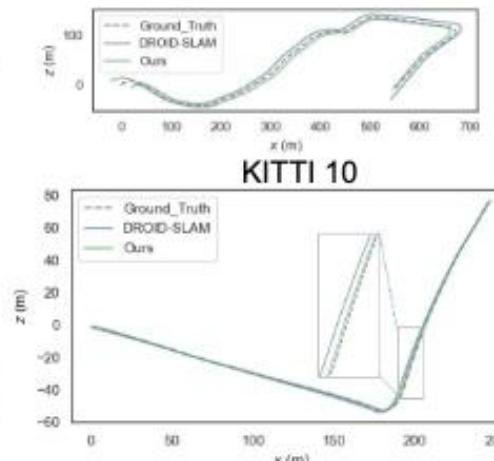
- Robust in Dynamic Scene

Monocular	01	02	06	18	20	Avg
DROID-SLAM [34]	1.091	<b>0.025</b>	0.113	1.156	8.285	2.134
Ours (VPS->VO w/o filter)	0.384	0.061	0.116	0.936	5.375	1.374
Ours (VPS->VO)	0.374	0.057	0.113	0.960	3.487	0.998
Ours (VPS->VO x2)	0.371	0.057	0.113	0.954	3.135	0.926
Ours (VPS->VO x3)	<b>0.369</b>	0.055	<b>0.113</b>	<b>0.822</b>	<b>3.079</b>	<b>0.888</b>
DROID-SLAM's runtime (FPS)	5.73	12.67	19.96	7.08	10.20	11.13
Ours' runtime (FPS)	4.45	9.69	14.52	6.22	8.10	8.60

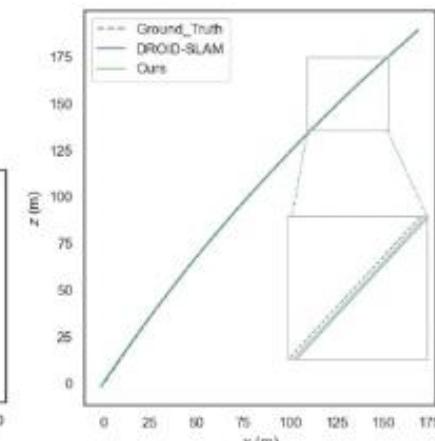
- Trajectory Comparison



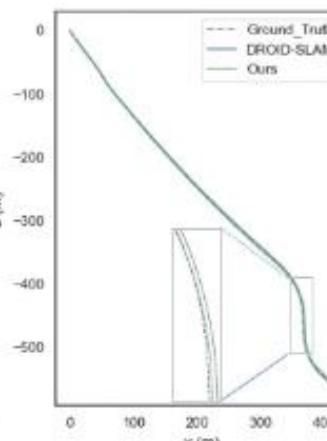
KITTI 09



KITTI 10



VKITTI2 01



VKITTI2 18

## TUM RGBD Dynamic

- Outperform DROID-SLAM

Sequences	Trans. RMSE of trajectory alignment [m]				
	DVO SLAM [16]	ORB-SLAM2 [28]	PointCorr [6]	DROID-SLAM [34]	Ours
slightly dynamic	fr2/desk-person	0.104	<b>0.006</b>	<u>0.008</u>	0.017
	fr3/sitting-static	0.012	0.008	0.010	<u>0.007</u>
	fr3/sitting-xzy	0.242	<u>0.010</u>	<b>0.009</b>	0.016
	fr3/sitting-rpy	0.176	<u>0.025</u>	<b>0.023</b>	0.029
	fr3/sitting-halfsphere	0.220	0.025	<u>0.024</u>	0.026
highly dynamic	fr3/walking-static	0.752	0.408	<u>0.011</u>	0.016
	fr3/walking-xzy	1.383	0.722	0.087	<u>0.019</u>
	fr3/walking-rpy	1.292	0.805	0.161	<u>0.059</u>
	fr3/walking-halfsphere	1.014	0.723	<b>0.035</b>	0.312
					0.221

VKITTI2 20

# SOTA VPS Results

- Ablation study on VKITTI2

Methods on <b>VKITTI2</b>	Temporal window size				VPQ
	k = 0	k = 5	k = 10	k = 15	
VPS baseline	58.24 / 60.11 / 57.93	55.50 / 53.78 / 56.28	54.13 / 50.29 / 55.53	53.65 / 48.53 / 55.46	54.90 / 51.95 / 56.05
VPS baseline + w/fusion	59.16 / 67.00 / 56.91	56.27 / 60.98 / 54.96	54.96 / 57.74 / 54.18	54.58 / 55.97 / 54.19	55.81 / 59.23 / 54.85
Ours (VO->VPS + w/o fusion)	58.24 / 60.11 / 57.93	55.67 / 54.44 / 56.28	54.29 / 50.91 / 55.53	53.83 / 49.22 / 55.46	55.04 / 52.48 / 56.05
Ours (VO->VPS + w/fusion + w/o fea loss)	58.51 / 64.07 / 56.97	55.62 / 58.53 / 54.86	54.29 / 55.15 / 54.13	53.94 / 53.40 / 54.19	55.14 / 56.62 / 54.81
Ours (VO->VPS + w/fusion + w/o seg loss)	58.73 / 65.05 / 56.95	55.83 / 59.34 / 54.89	54.51 / 56.01 / 54.15	54.15 / 54.26 / 54.19	55.37 / 57.49 / 54.82
Ours (VO->VPS)	59.18 / 67.00 / 56.94	56.25 / 61.00 / 54.93	54.94 / 57.77 / 54.15	54.57 / 56.01 / 54.17	55.80 / 59.25 / 54.83
Ours (VO->VPS + w/o depth) x2	59.17 / 66.87 / 56.95	56.39 / 61.45 / 56.25	55.04 / 58.15 / 54.15	54.72 / 56.46 / 54.22	55.89 / 59.57 / 54.83
Ours (VO->VPS) x2	<b>59.18</b> / 67.00 / 56.94	<b>56.42</b> / 61.67 / 54.93	<b>55.10</b> / 58.40 / 54.15	<b>54.84</b> / 56.67 / 54.17	<b>55.94</b> / 59.77 / 54.83

- VPS on Cityscapes, VIPER

Methods on <b>Cityscapes-VPS val</b>	Temporal window size				VPQ	FPS
	k = 0	k = 5	k = 10	k = 15		
VPSNet-Track	63.1 / 56.4 / 68.0	56.1 / 44.1 / 64.9	53.1 / 39.0 / 63.4	51.3 / 35.4 / 62.9	55.9 / 43.7 / 64.8	4.5
VPSNet-FuseTrack	64.5 / 58.1 / 69.1	57.4 / 45.2 / 66.4	54.1 / 39.5 / 64.7	52.2 / 36.0 / 64.0	57.2 / 44.7 / 66.6	1.3
SiamTrack	64.6 / 58.3 / 69.1	57.6 / 45.6 / 66.6	54.2 / 39.2 / 65.2	52.7 / 36.7 / 64.6	57.3 / 44.7 / 66.4	4.5
PanopticFCN [22] + Ours	<b>65.6</b> / 60.0 / 69.7	<b>57.8</b> / 45.7 / 66.6	54.3 / 39.5 / 65.1	52.1 / 35.4 / 64.3	<b>57.5</b> / 45.1 / 66.4	5.1
VPSNet-FuseTrack + Ours	65.0 / 59.0 / 69.4	57.6 / 45.0 / 66.7	<b>54.4</b> / 39.1 / 65.6	<b>52.8</b> / 35.8 / 65.2	<b>57.5</b> / 44.7 / 66.7	1.1

Methods on <b>VIPER</b>	Temporal window size				VPQ	FPS
	k = 0	k = 5	k = 10	k = 15		
VPSNet-Track	48.1 / 38.0 / 57.1	49.3 / 45.6 / 53.7	45.9 / 37.9 / 52.7	43.2 / 33.6 / 51.6	46.6 / 38.8 / 53.8	5.1
VPSNet-FuseTrack	49.8 / 40.3 / 57.7	51.6 / 49.0 / 53.8	47.2 / 40.4 / 52.8	45.1 / 36.5 / 52.3	48.4 / 41.6 / 53.2	1.6
SiamTrack	51.1 / 42.3 / 58.5	<b>53.4</b> / 51.9 / 54.6	49.2 / 44.1 / 53.5	47.2 / 40.3 / 52.9	50.2 / 44.7 / 55.0	5.1
PanopticFCN [22] + Ours	<b>54.6</b> / 50.3 / 57.9	51.7 / 44.5 / 57.3	<b>50.5</b> / 41.8 / 57.2	<b>49.1</b> / 38.9 / 56.9	<b>51.5</b> / 43.9 / 57.3	3.6

# Qualitative Results

VKITTI2 Seq 01



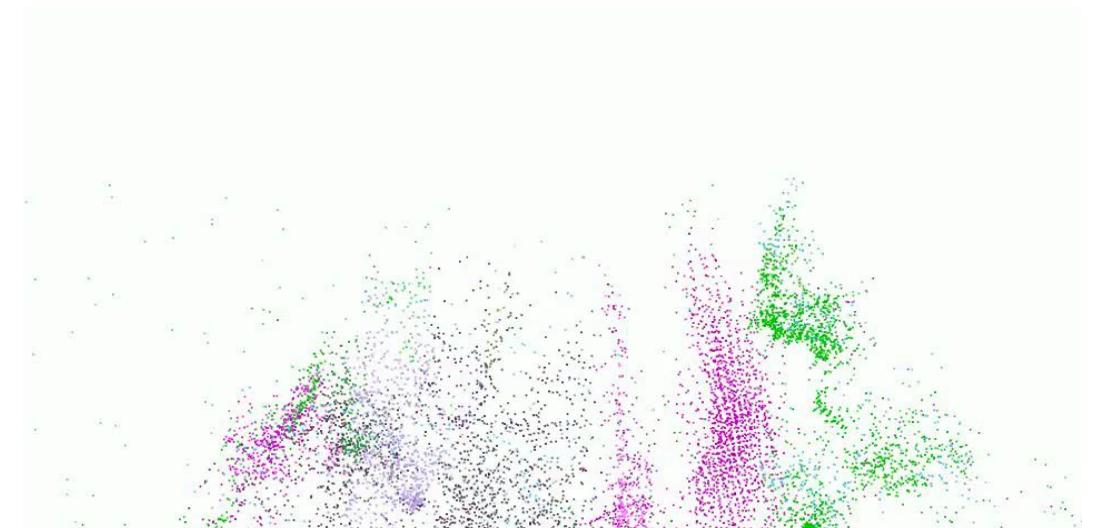
Monocular Video



VPS Result



VO Result



Final PVO Result

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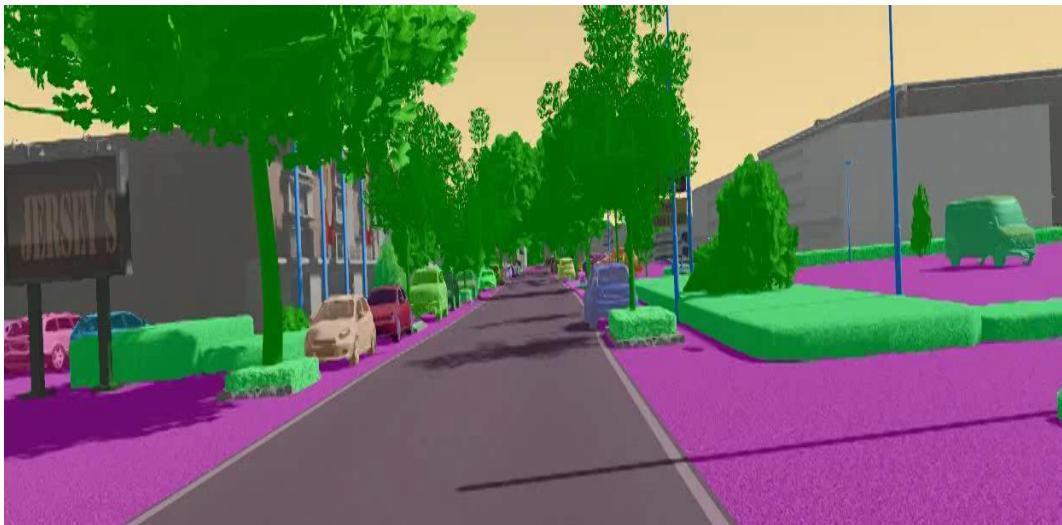
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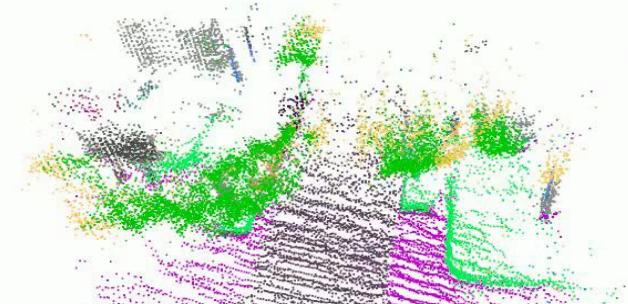
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VO Result

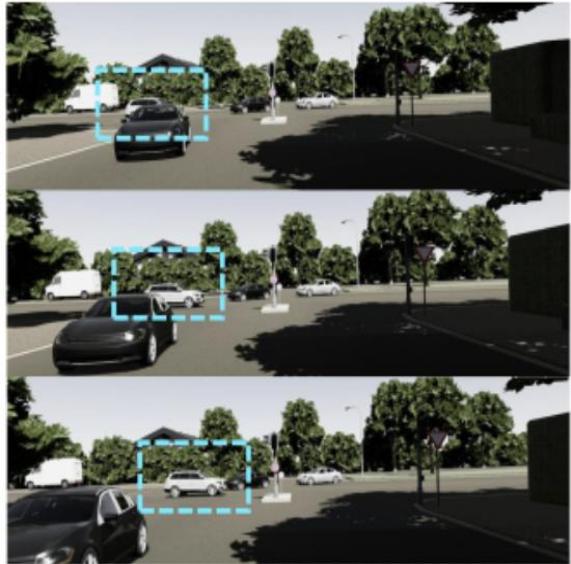


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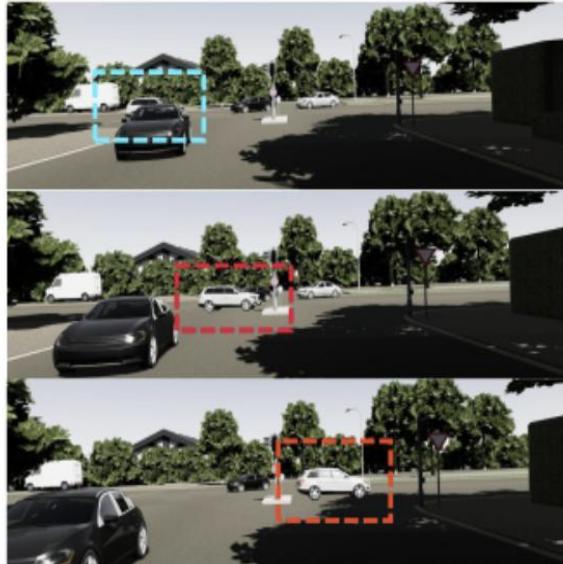


Final PVO Result

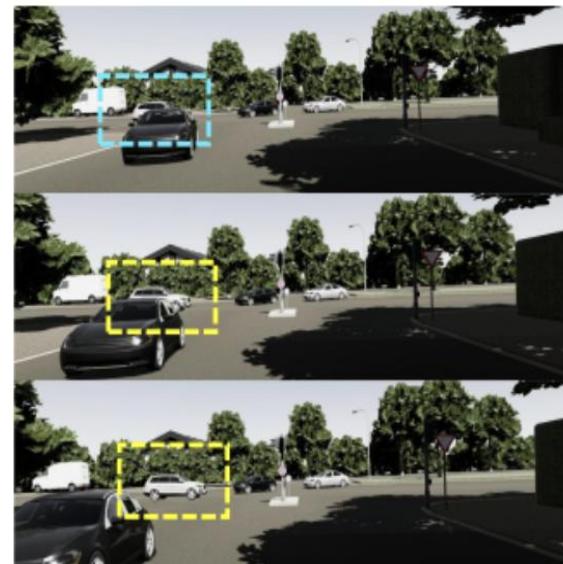
# Video Editing Applications



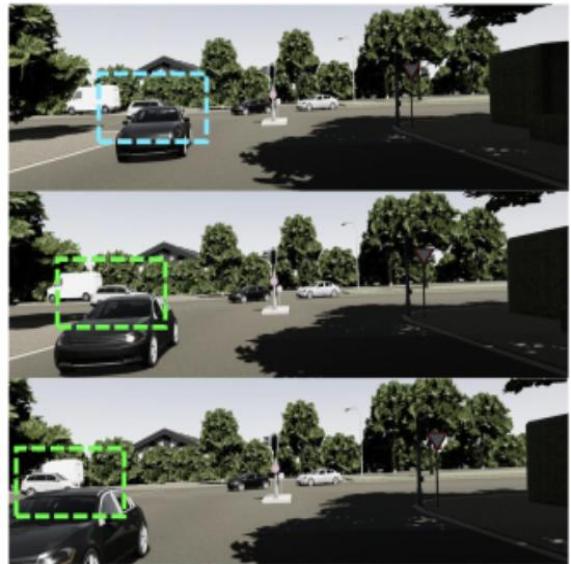
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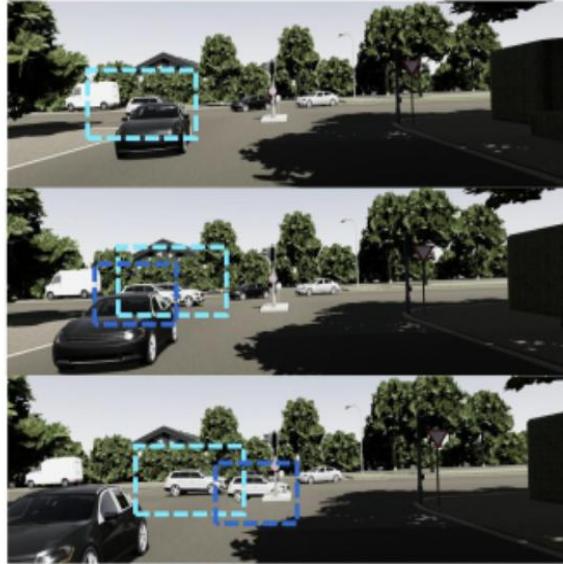
(b) Speed up



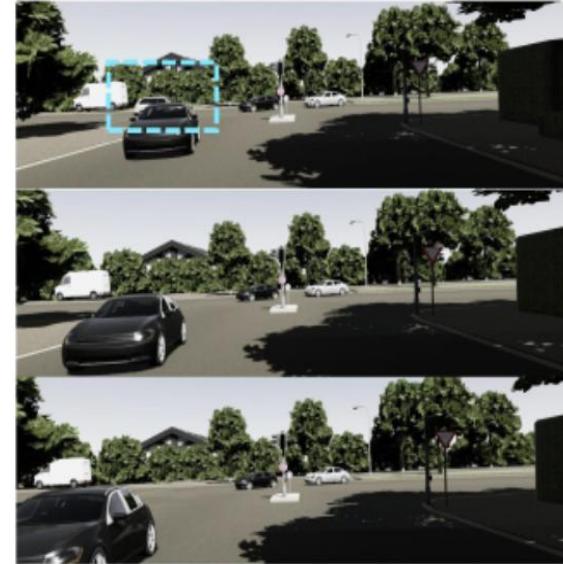
(c) Slow down



(d) Reverse

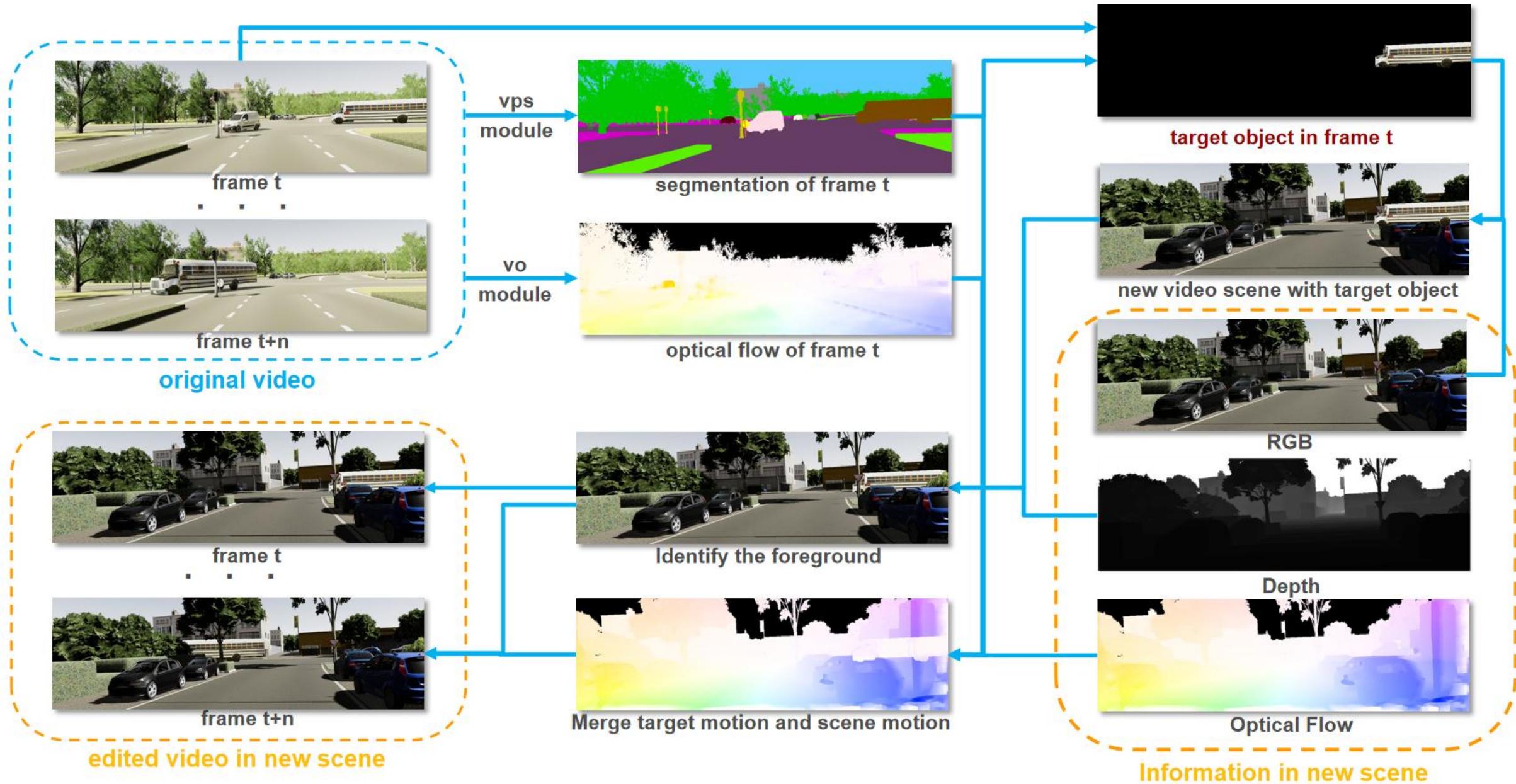


(e) Copy & paste



(f) Delete

# Video editing pipeline for motion control with PVO



# Copy the moving objects from original video to new moving video

Original Video



Baseline Edited Video



PVO Edited Video



# Multi-Instance Motion Control

Original Video



PVO Edited Video



# Copy and Paste a car

Original Video

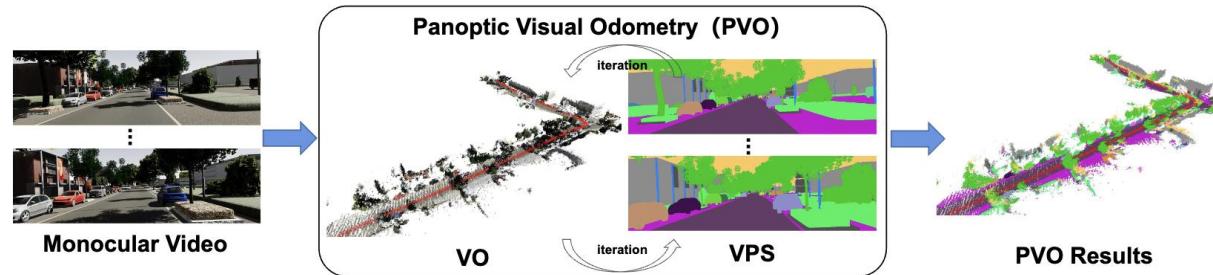


PVO Edited Video

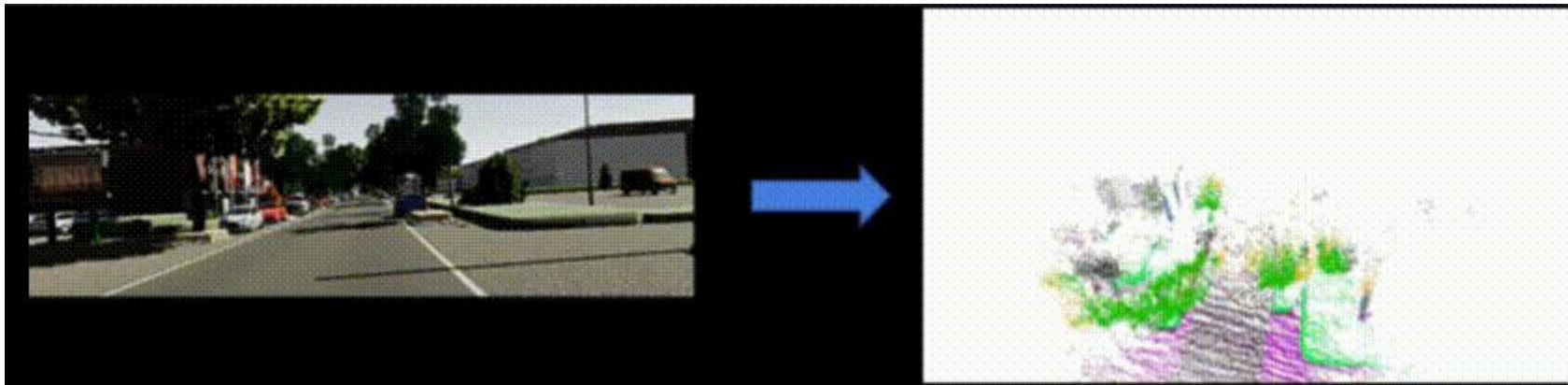


# Take-home message

- PVO can **unify VO and VPS**, and make them mutually reinforcing by **recurrent iterative optimization**



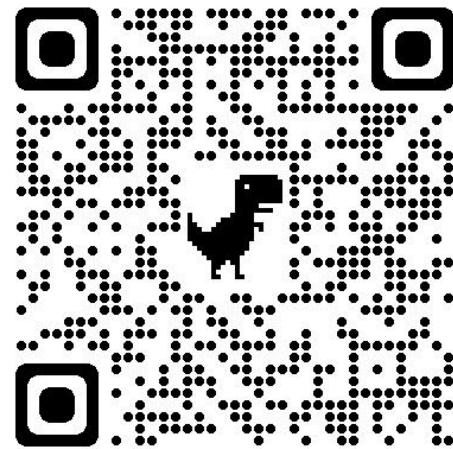
- PVO can perform robustly than DROID-SLAM in **dynamic scenes**
- PVO can be applied to video editing for **motion control**.
- Future work:
  - **Loop closure** in SLAM
  - **Low-cost SLAM**
  - Apply PVO to **AutoDriving Simulation**.



Thank you for your watching!



code: <https://github.com/zju3dv/pvo>



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