

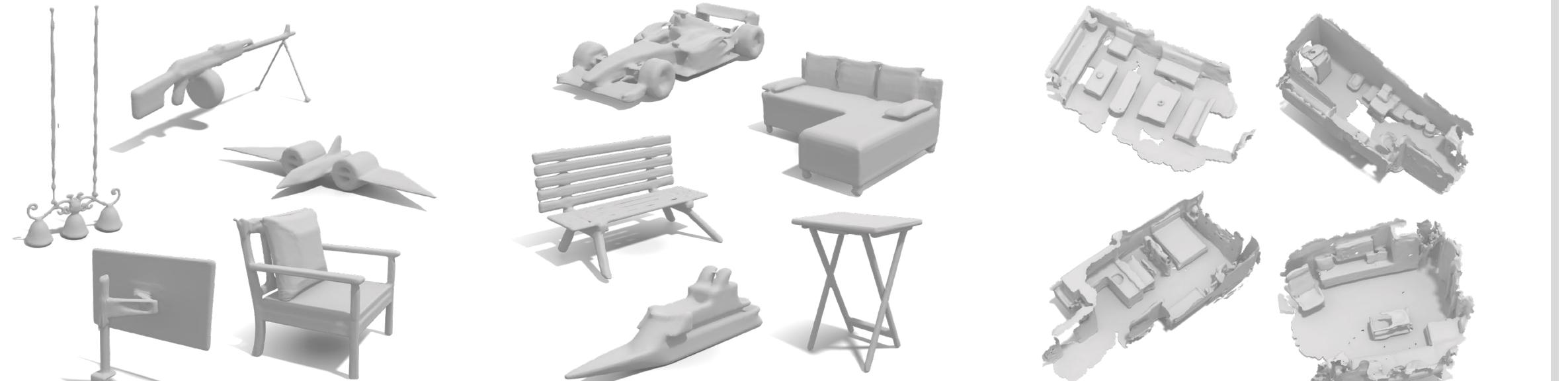
Neural Fields as Learnable Kernels for 3D Reconstruction

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Surface Reconstruction from Sparse Point Clouds


In-category (ShapeNet^[1] to ShapeNet^[1]) Out-of-category (chair to other) Generalization (ShapeNet^[1] to ScanNet^[2])

Kernel Ridge Regression

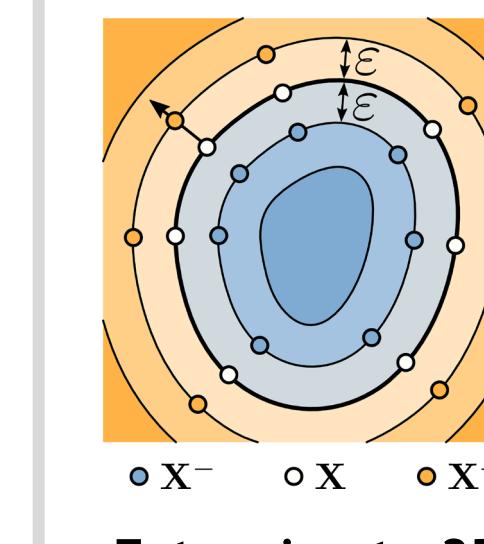
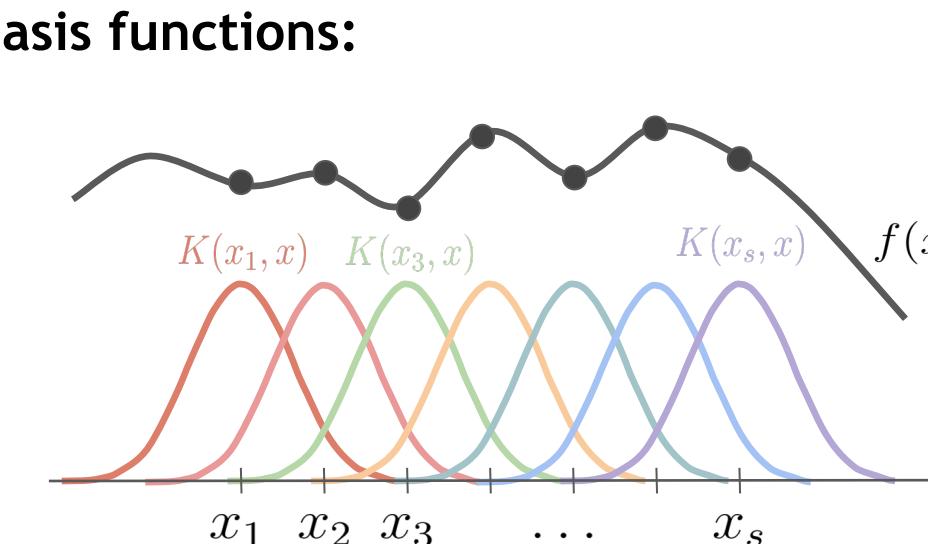
Implicit function as a sum of basis functions:

$$f(x; \theta) = \sum_{j=1}^s \alpha_j K_\infty(x_j, x)$$

$$(K + \lambda I)\alpha = y$$

Solution that minimizes:

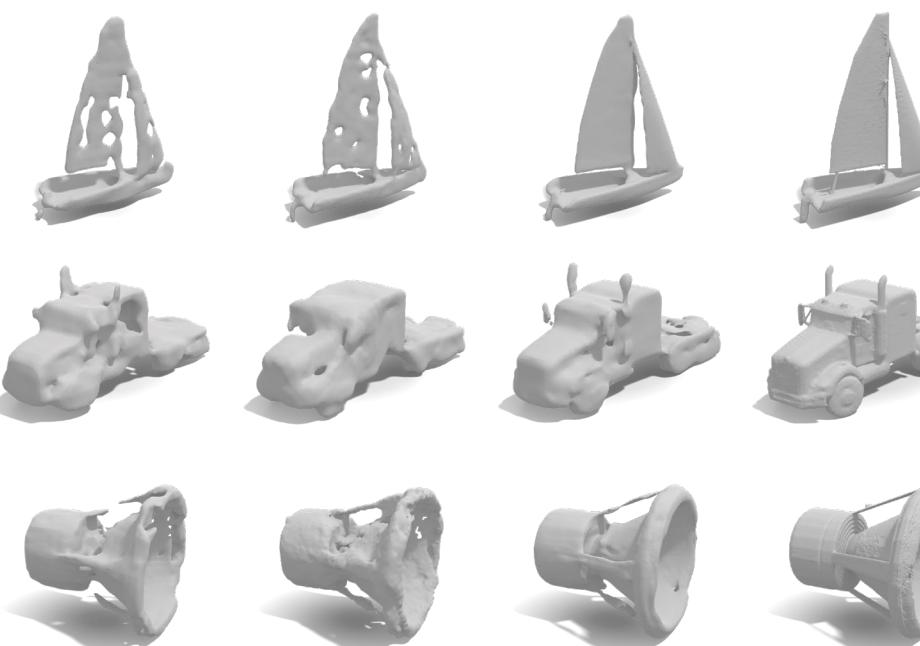
$$\|f\|_K$$



Extension to 3D

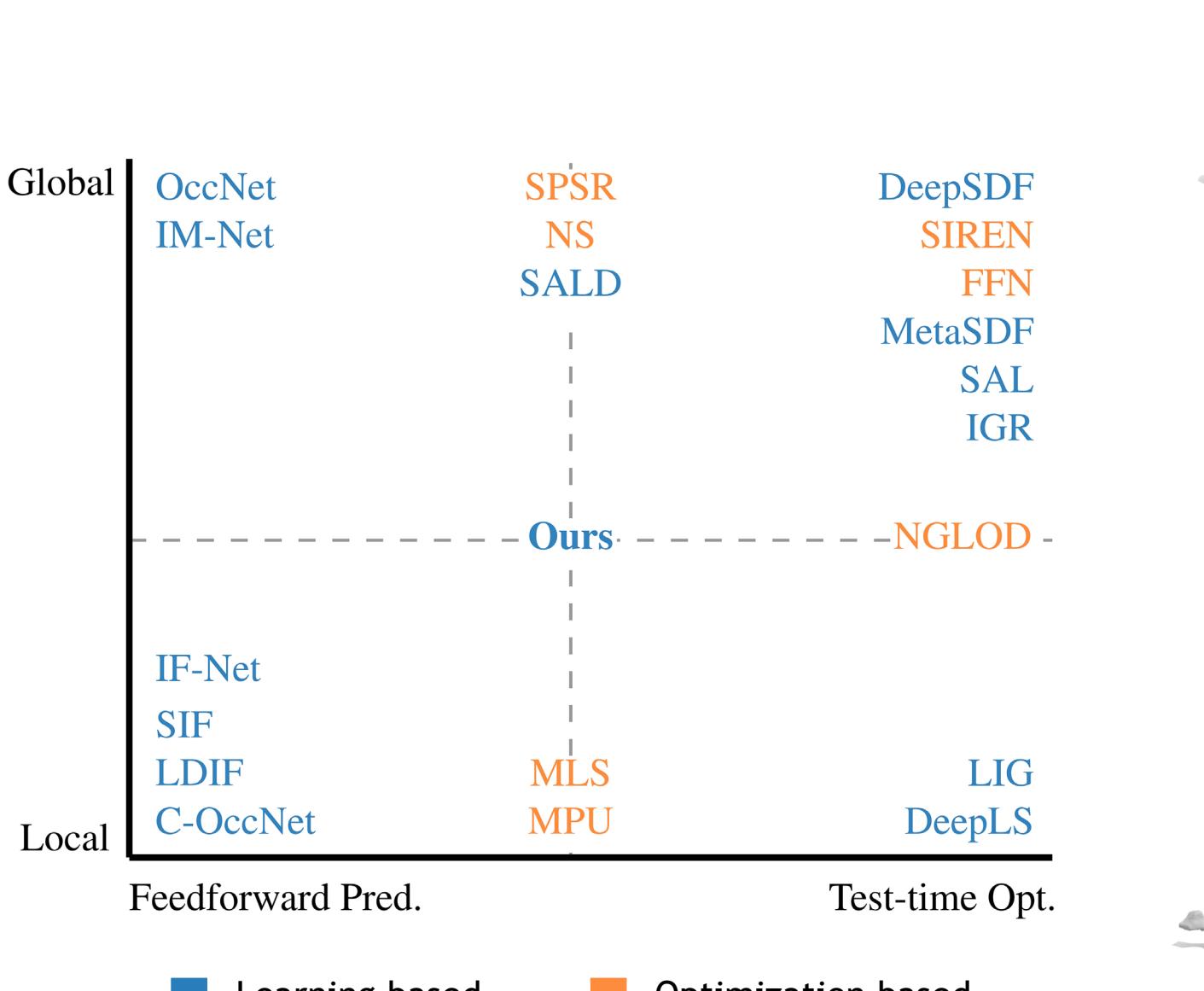
Generalization Performance

Half Categories to Other half

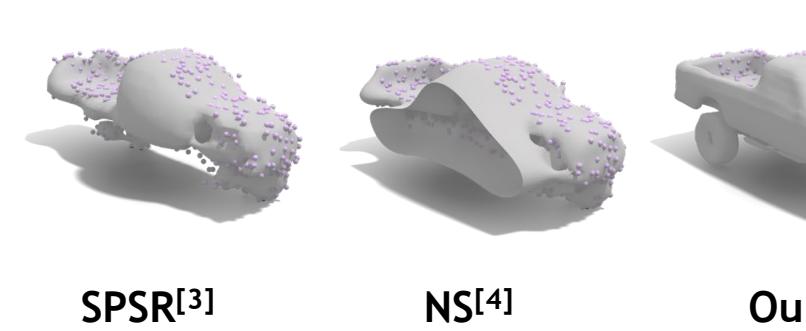

C-OccNet^[6] SAP^[8] Ours GT

	IoU ↑	Chamfer ↓	Normal C. ↑
OccNet	0.572 (-38.6%)	0.143 (0.076)	0.824 (-10.4%)
C-OccNet	0.785 (-6.9%)	0.061 (0.013)	0.912 (-2.0%)
LIG	0.518 (N.A.)	0.112 (N.A.)	0.536 (N.A.)
NS	0.869 (0.0%)	0.049 (0.000)	0.924 (0.0%)
SAP	0.855 (-2.0%)	0.036 (0.004)	0.929 (-1.7%)
Ours	0.939 (-1.0%)	0.028 (0.003)	0.939 (-0.9%)
Ours w/o norm.	0.897 (-3.3%)	0.033 (0.004)	0.922 (-1.6 %)

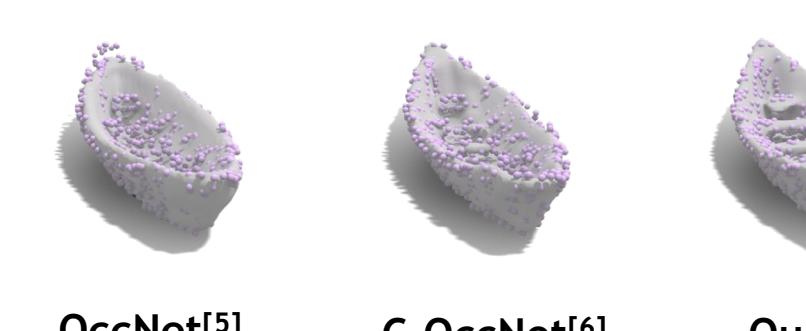
Prior Work



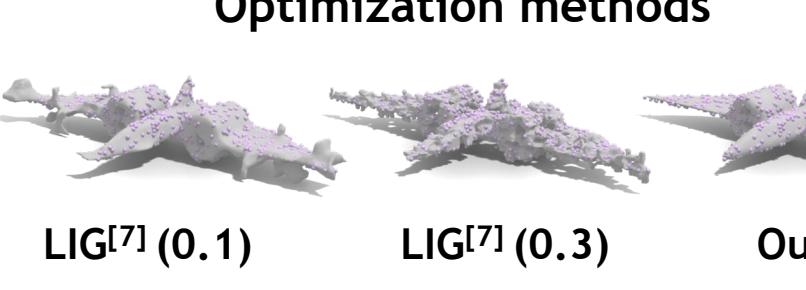
Data free methods



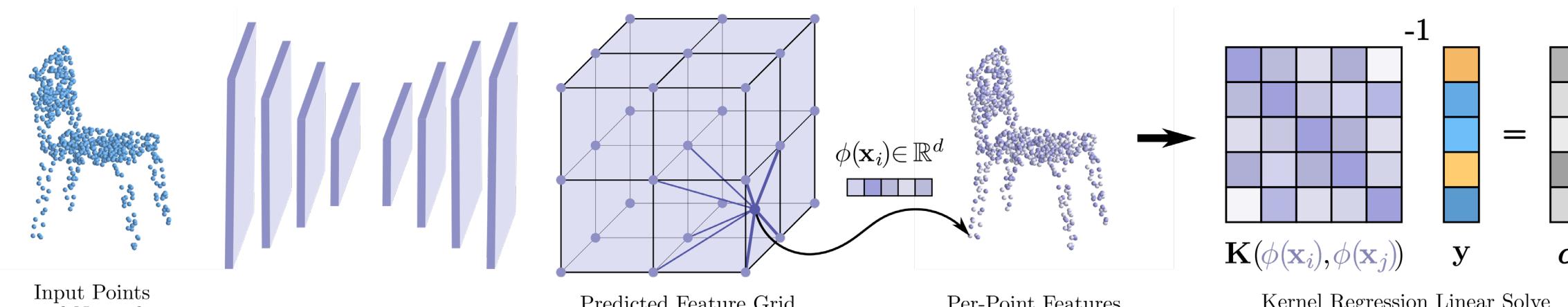
Feed-forward methods



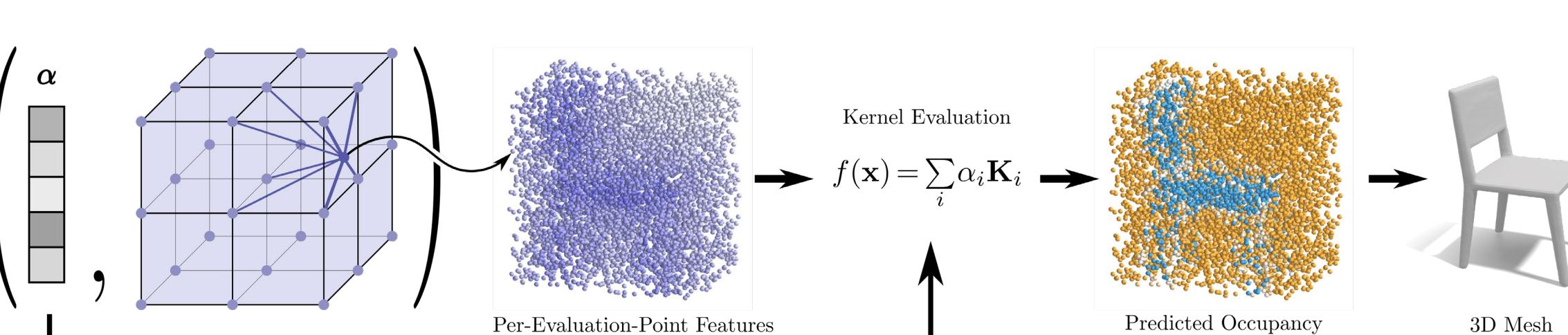
Optimization methods



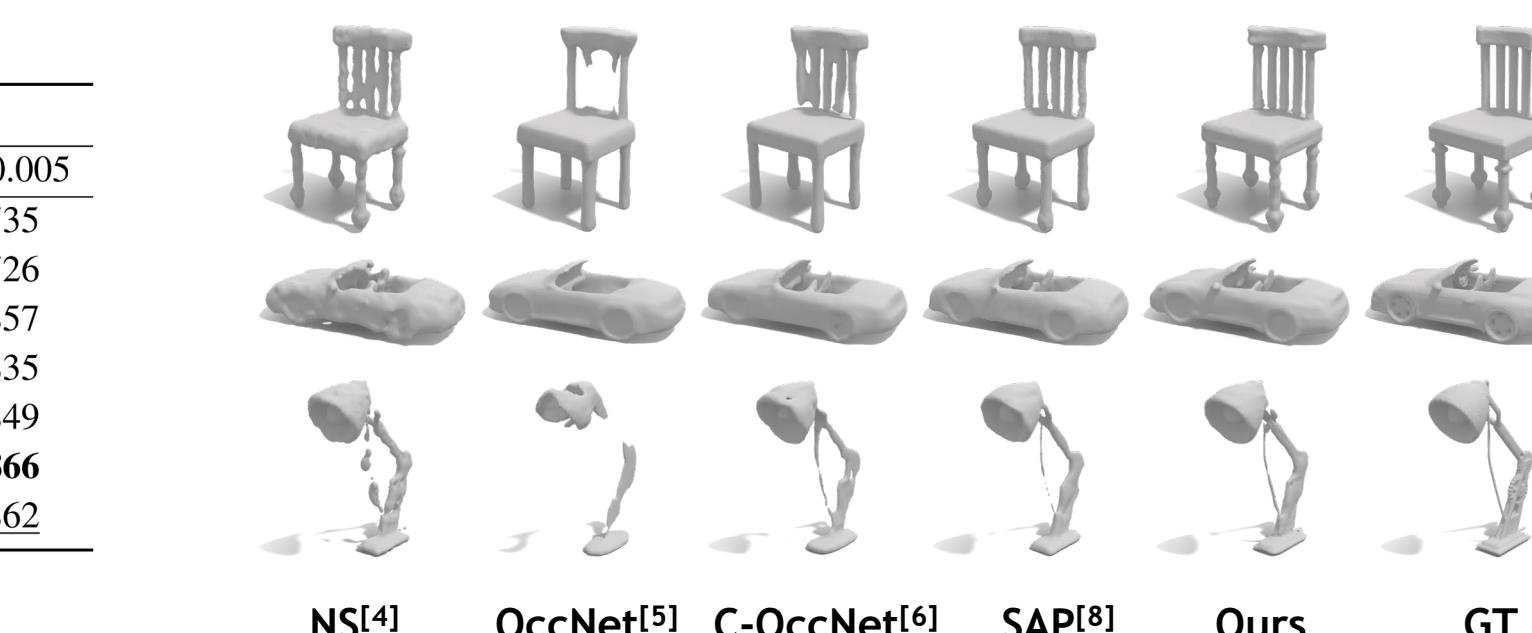
Prediction:



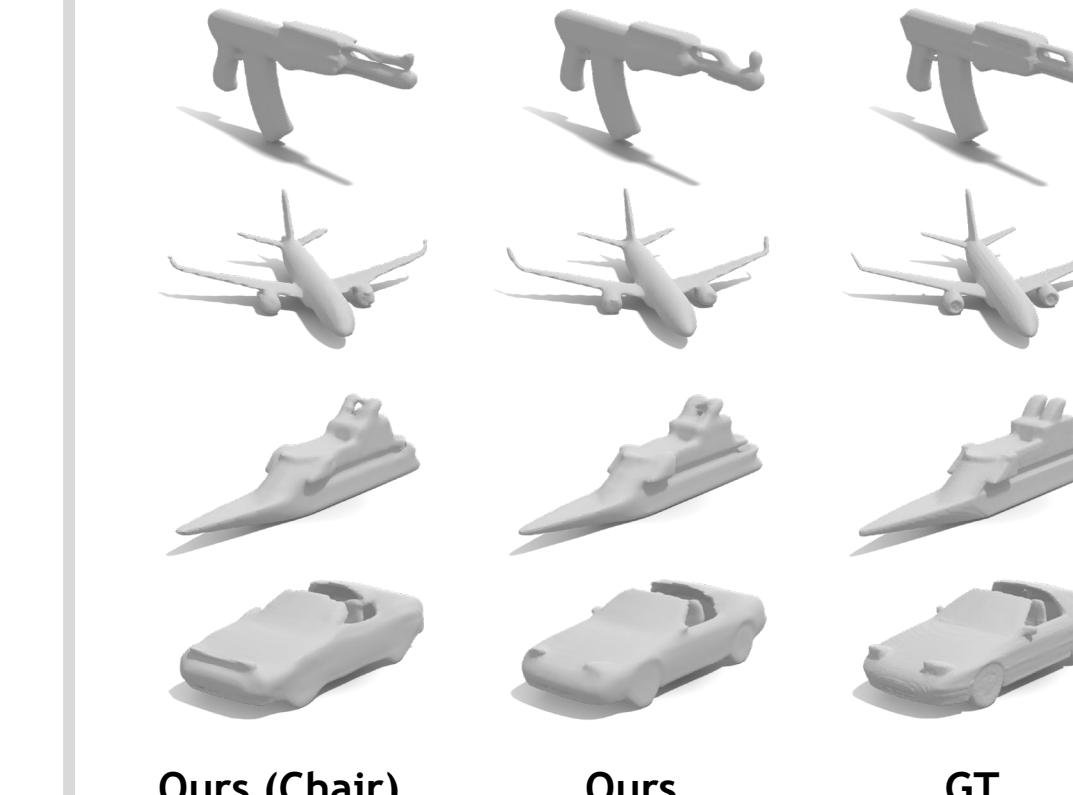
Evaluation:



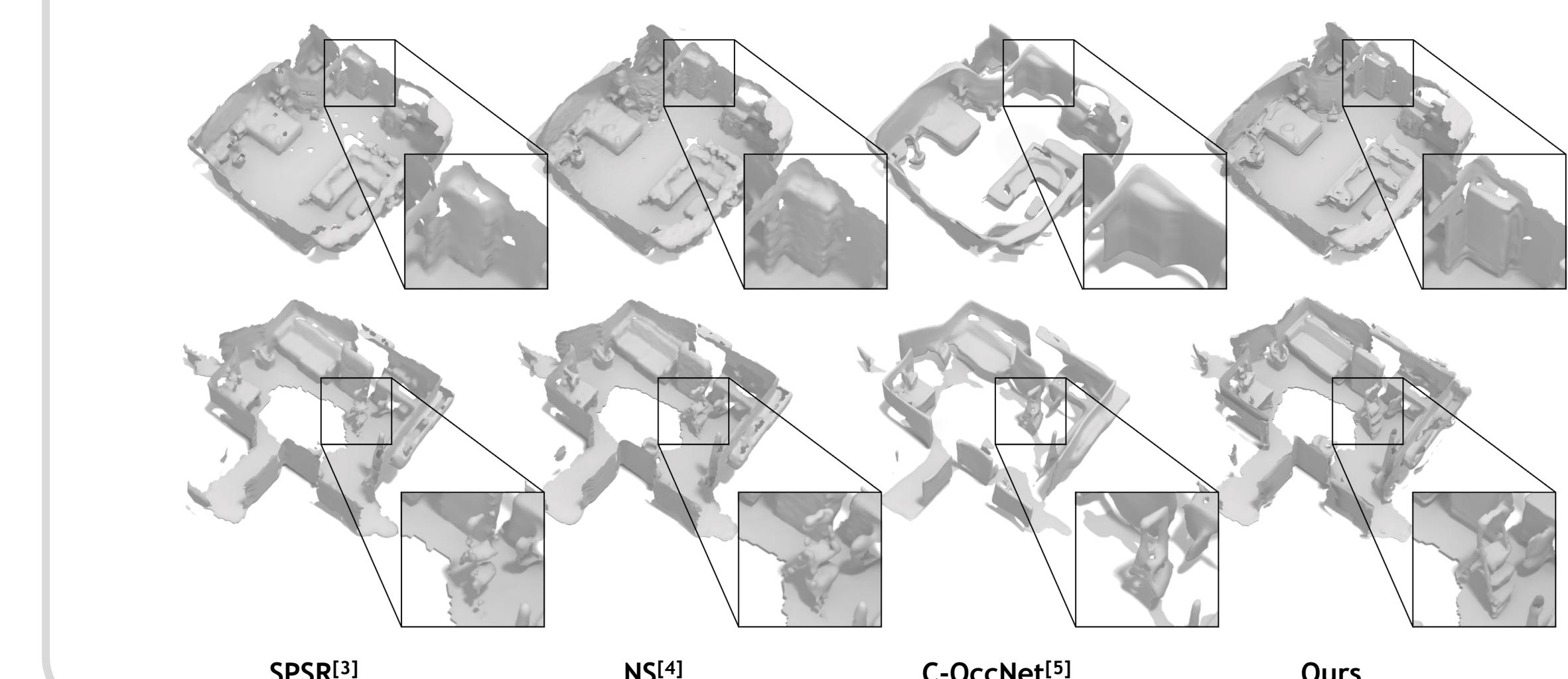
In-Category Reconstruction


NS^[4] OccNet^[5] C-OccNet^[6] SAP^[8] Ours GT

Chair to Other Categories



Generalization from ShapeNet^[1] to ScanNet^[2]



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