

Appendix

A Additional ACDC Details

A.1 Offline Dataset Generation

Cousins creation requires a large-scale asset set. We adopt BEHAVIOR-1K [4], which includes over 10,000 object assets. The goal of this stage is to preprocess the whole asset set for later usage. Since objects may have occlusion in the input image, common approaches that can estimate the scale and orientation of real objects such as point cloud registration [84, 85] and monocular pose estimation methods [86] are not feasible because these generally require two complete, unobstructed point clouds for a given object. Instead, we choose to represent each asset as a set of visual 2D images, under the expectation that we will use a visual encoder (such as DINOv2) downstream to match geometric correspondences between objects. For our given dataset, we rotate each asset \mathbf{a}_i in the whole asset set and take snapshots from a fixed camera pose \mathbf{P}_{sim} , resulting in a set of images $\{\mathbf{i}_{is}\}_{s=1}^{N_{snap}}$ and representative snapshot \mathbf{I}_i . Each asset \mathbf{a}_i is pre-annotated with its own semantically-meaningful category \mathbf{t}_i . This results in asset tuples $\{\mathbf{a}_i = (\mathbf{t}_i, \mathbf{I}_i, \{\mathbf{i}_{is}\}_{s=1}^{N_{snap}})\}_{i=1}^{N_{assets}}$, where N_{assets} is the total number of assets included in the BEHAVIOR-1K dataset. Note that this stage occurs once offline, and can be cached when running ACDC.

A.2 Mounting Type

We observe that scene objects often serve different semantic roles and fall under different pose distributions depending on whether an object is fixed with respect to the room. Therefore, as mentioned in Section 2.1, we leverage this inductive bias and prompt GPT to determine if an object is mounted on a wall or not. This distinction helps address a key limitation with our one-shot approach: because of heavy occlusion resulting from a single camera view, objects such as televisions or cabinets that are mounted to walls may only have its frontal face observed from a single camera view, resulting in an insufficient extracted point cloud that does not fully capture its underlying volumetric depth. television or a cabinet fixed on a wall, a frontal view image may only cover the frontal face of the mounted object.

We mitigate this limitation by prompting GPT to classify each object into one of three semantic categories: (1) **Wall Mounted**: An object is fixed on a wall with nothing closely beneath it; (2) **On Floor or On Another Object**: An object is placed on the floor, or on another object, but the object does not touch a wall; (3) **Mixture**: An object is not mounted on a wall, but one of its face touches a wall, like a bookshelf putting on the floor but touches the wall behind it, or a microwave oven putting on a cabinet but its back face touches the wall behind it. In cases (1) and (3), we also require GPT to specify the specific wall on which the object is mounted by feeding all masked walls in the input image generated by Grounded-SAM. Please see Appendix A.3 for how objects with different mounting types are processed.

A.3 Generated Scene Post-Processing

After putting all assets in the correct position in the **Simulated scene generation** stage described in Section 2.1, we post-process each asset for a physically plausible scene. For each asset i , we should have its bounding center position \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} , bounding box’s top-right vertex position \mathbf{p}_i^{TR} , and bounding box’s bottom-left vertex position \mathbf{p}_i^{BL} . First, we sort all assets from low to high by sorting \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} in ascending order, and project each asset’s 3D bounding box to the x-y plane, resulting in a 2D polygon $poly_i$ for each asset i . We then infer “on top” relationships from our sorted asset list. For each asset i , we search over all assets with lower \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} to determine another asset j right beneath it. Whenever the overlapped area between the lower asset j ’s projected 2D polygon $poly_j$ and the current asset’s projected 2D polygon $poly_i$ exceeds 70% of the area of either one of the 2D polygons, i.e., $area(intersect(poly_i, poly_j)) > 0.7 \cdot \min(area(poly_i), area(poly_j))$, we determine that the higher asset i is on top of the lower asset j , and the lower asset j is beneath the higher asset i .

Intuitively, this checks for vertical spatial alignment between two objects. If no matching asset is found, the asset is regarded as being on top of the floor. After all assets have been evaluated in this way, each asset should have another asset or floor beneath it after performing the above searching.

Next, we post-process all assets based on their mounting type: For an asset i with mounting type (1) (Wall Mounted), we first adjust its scale and orientation, and then adjust its position. Since asset i is mounted on a wall, we determine the face of asset i that should be adjusted such that it becomes parallel to the wall. First, we fit a plane to the wall from its corresponding extracted point cloud. We then compute the minimum rotation that aligns either the object’s local x or y axis with the normal vector of the wall plane. Finally, we compute the distance between \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} and the wall, and rescale and translate asset i in the x-y plane such that the object’s rear face is co-planar with the wall plane and object’s front face maintains its same position. Finally, we de-penetrate this object from others by adjusting \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} ’s z value: We increase \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} by $z(\mathbf{p}_j^{TR}) - z(\mathbf{p}_i^{BL})$, if $z(\mathbf{p}_j^{TR}) > z(\mathbf{p}_i^{BL})$, where $z(\cdot)$ if the z coordinate of a 3D vector, and j is the index of the asset beneath asset i , and then fix asset i on the wall that GPT selected for asset i . When $z(\mathbf{p}_j^{TR}) \leq z(\mathbf{p}_i^{BL})$, we directly fix asset i on the wall without adjusting its position.

For an asset i with mounting type (2) (On Floor or On Another Object), we similarly de-penetrate by placing asset i on top of asset j by adjusting \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} by $|z(\mathbf{p}_j^{TR}) - z(\mathbf{p}_i^{BL})|$. For an asset i with mounting type (3) (Mixture), we adjust the orientation and scale in the same way as assets with mounting type (1), and then adjust \mathbf{p}_i^{cen} in the same way as assets with mounting type (2).

Finally, we check for collisions between the collision meshes of each pair of placed assets and adjust their positions in the x-y plane to avoid any overlap.

A.4 Skill Definition

In order to bootstrap automated demonstration collection, we define a library of analytical and sampling-based skills that can be chained together to solve long-horizon tasks, such as the **Putting Away Bowl** task. For collision-free motion planning, we leverage CuRobo [87]. For sampling-based grasp generation, we leverage Grasp Pose Generator (GPG) [88] [89] based on a given object’s sampled point cloud from its analytical mesh. Below, we briefly describe the high-level implementation of each skill:

Open. This skill consists of five steps: **Approach**, which computes a collision-free trajectory towards a point offset in front of the desired handle to articulate, **Converge**, which computes an open-loop straight-line trajectory to the actual grasping point on the handle, **Grasp**, which closes the gripper to grasp the handle, **Articulate**, which computes an open-loop analytical trajectory to articulate the link, and **Ungrasp**, which opens the gripper to release the handle.

For a given articulated object, we leverage ground-truth knowledge of its geometric affordances to compute a corresponding trajectory. Given a specific articulated asset \mathbf{a} and desired link to articulate \mathbf{l} , we first infer the link’s corresponding handle location by shooting rays towards the link and define the mean handle location as mean location over the rays with the shortest distance. This assumes that the most protruding geometric feature corresponds to the handle. Given handle location, we inspect \mathbf{l} ’s parent link \mathbf{j} ’s properties, determining its type (prismatic or revolute) and pose with respect to the handle. Given this information, we can compute a desired analytical trajectory for the handle to open link \mathbf{l} . This can easily be transformed into the robot frame, and offset according to the robot’s end-effector size.

Close. This implementation is nearly identical to **Open**, though for computing the desired articulation trajectory, the start / end points are reversed.

Pick. This skill consists of three steps: **Move**, which computes a collision-free trajectory towards a sampled grasping point, **Grasp**, which closes the gripper to grasp the object, and **Lift**, which computes an open-loop trajectory to lift the object slightly.

701 Note that during the **Move** phase, we sample grasping points that are both feasible, collision-free,
 702 and minimize robot gripper orientation changes to avoid bad robot configurations.

703 **Place.** This skill consists of three steps: **Move**, which computes a collision-free trajectory towards
 704 a sampled placement pose, **Ungrasp**, which opens the gripper to release the object, and **Lift**, which
 705 computes an open-loop trajectory to lift the gripper slightly.

706 This skill assumes that an object is already grasped prior to its execution. We assume the desired
 707 placement pose is a kinematic predicate relative to another scene object, e.g.: `inside(cabinet)`.
 708 Given this predicate, we use rejection sampling to sample collision-free poses for the robot’s end-
 709 effector and grasped object that satisfy the given predicate, prioritizing poses that minimize end-
 710 effector rotation.

711 A.5 Demonstration Collection

712 We use fully automated demonstrations using our programmatic skills defined above. For the **Door**
 713 **Opening** and **Drawer Opening** tasks, this simply consists of executing the **Open** skill. For the
 714 **Putting Away Bowl** task, this consists of a **Open, Pick, Place, Close** sequence. We use rejection
 715 sampling so that our resulting dataset only includes successes, that is, if any skill execution fails
 716 midway, we do not save that episode. This allows us to significantly increase the randomization
 717 range between episodes without being limited by poor edge cases.

718 Across all tasks, we randomize the agent’s pose as well as scene objects’ poses and scales between
 719 episodes.

720 A.6 Using DINOv2 for Digital Cousin Matching

721 For a given input image \mathbf{x} and set of candidate matching images $\{\mathbf{i}_j\}_{j=1}^N$, we define the top-1
 722 matched candidate through a DINOv2-based voting system. First, we pass both input image \mathbf{x} and
 723 all candidate images $\{\mathbf{i}_j\}_{j=1}^N$ through DINOv2, retrieving their feature patches \mathbf{e} and $\{\mathbf{f}_j\}_{j=1}^N$, re-
 724 spectively. Next, we compute the nearest neighbor (defined as the L2-norm) in the DINOv2 feature
 725 embedding space for each pixel in \mathbf{e} over all pixels across all candidate feature embeddings $\{\mathbf{f}_j\}_{j=1}^N$,
 726 and record the running count of nearest neighbors across all candidates $j \in \{1, \dots, N\}$. The top-
 727 1 matched candidate is then the candidate with the highest count of per-pixel nearest neighbors –
 728 i.e.: the candidate image \mathbf{i}_j that has the highest number of closest visual feature correspondences to
 729 input image \mathbf{x} . For top-k matched candidates, we repeat the process iteratively, selecting the top-
 730 1 each time and subsequently removing the selected \mathbf{i}_j during proceeding iterations. We leverage
 731 GPU-accelerated nearest neighbor computations using the open-source faiss [90] package.

732 Given a matched pair of images \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{i}_j , we define the DINOv2 embedding distance as the average
 733 nearest neighbor L2-distance between each pixel in corresponding input feature map \mathbf{e} and all pixels
 734 in corresponding matched feature map \mathbf{f}_j . Note that we exclude the largest 10% of nearest neighbor
 735 distances in this calculation, as we find empirically that the sorted results across matched candidates
 736 are more salient with these outliers removed.

737 A.7 Additional Real-to-Sim Details

738 In this subsection, we provide additional implementation details of ACDC real-to-sim pipeline:

739 **Depth image and point cloud processing.** One key design decision in ACDC is our decision to
 740 use synthetic depth via Depth-Anything [14], instead of a dedicated depth camera. This decision is
 741 guided by our observation that it performs more consistently on reflective surfaces. However, this
 742 synthetic depth approach still generates artifacts occurring near object boundaries and the image
 743 periphery, and so to mitigate this issue we post-process the output of Depth-Anything by cropping
 744 to the center 90% of a given image and applying an erosion kernel to segmented object masks \mathbf{m}_i .

To further remove noise in object point clouds, we apply DBSCAN clustering [91] on each object point cloud \mathbf{p}_i to filter out noisy points.

Orientation Refinement. DINO performs a rough estimation of asset orientations, which for most objects the orientation is sufficiently accurate. However, ACDC additionally provides an option to further refine the orientation refinement based on an object’s extracted point cloud. By computing the z-aligned minimum bounding box of the given point cloud, we can apply an additional z-rotation to DINO’s outputted estimated orientation so that the matched asset’s canonical xy-axes aligns with the computed minimum bounding box frame. We find this is especially useful for object’s that have sharp geometric boundaries, such as furniture objects.

Heuristics for articulated objects. In this project, articulated objects refer to those with doors (revolute) and drawers (prismatic). To ensure the selected digital cousins of an articulated object are also articulated, so that door opening or drawer opening demos can be collected on all digital cousins, we propose to search digital cousins for articulated objects only among articulated assets. Because we have ground-truth information for all of our dataset assets, we know *a priori* which assets are articulated. During the **Real-world extraction** stage, we additionally prompt GPT to determine whether objects are articulated.

An optional heuristics is to apply a door/drawer count threshold on digital cousin creation of articulated objects. During the **Offline Dataset Generation** stage, we can count the number of doors (revolute joints) and drawers (prismatic joints). When creating cousins, we only search among assets with “similar” number of drawers and doors. This threshold is open to users to set. In all of our real-to-sim results, we set the threshold to 2 in the nearest cousin selection too guarantee affordance preservation, but do not apply this heuristic to the rest of the scenes.

GPT API Usage. We use GPT-4o for the real-to-sim pipeline, but experiments in Section 3.1 and Appendix B.1 are done by GPT-4v, as GPT-4o was not released at the time.

B Additional Experimental Details

B.1 Ablation Study

In this subsection, we extend Section 3.1 of our main paper by conducting an ablation study on the real-to-sim pipeline in a sim-to-sim setting. We seek to evaluate whether DINO is sufficient for digital cousin matching, or if applying GPT to finetune DINO’s selections can result in improved performance. Our quantitative and qualitative results cover the following comparisons: (a) DINO Model Selection & GPT Orientation Selection; (b) DINO Model Selection & DINO Orientation Selection; (c) GPT Model Selection & GPT Orientation Selection; (d) GPT Model Selection & DINO Orientation Selection.

DINO Model Selection involves selecting an asset \mathbf{A}_c as the best digital cousin of an object based solely on the DINOv2 embedding distances between the masked object RGB \mathbf{x}_i and all assets’ representative model snapshots \mathbf{I}_j within the nearest k_{cat} categories. While DINO Model Selection generally yields reasonable results, the default scale when capturing representative model snapshots can affect the selection of the best digital cousin. To refine this process, we propose **GPT Model Selection**, which first uses DINOv2 embedding distances to select k_{model} candidate models and then prompts GPT to choose the best one, with $k_{model} = 10$ in practice.

To select the best orientation \mathbf{q}_c of \mathbf{A}_c , we first identify k_{ori} candidate orientations based on DINOv2 embedding distances between \mathbf{x}_i and all snapshots $\{\mathbf{i}_{is}\}_{s=1}^{N_{snap}}$ of the selected digital cousin \mathbf{A}_c . **DINO Orientation Selection** involves reorienting the asset \mathbf{A}_c , rescaling it, placing it in the scene as described in Section 2.1, normalizing its bounding box, and retaking a snapshot with the same relative position to the viewer camera as detailed in Appendix A.1. The best orientation \mathbf{q}_c is then selected based on DINOv2 embedding distances with the retaken snapshots and \mathbf{x}_i . However, orientation can be defined for objects within the same category based on key features, even

Input Scene	ACDC Output	Scale (m)	Cat.	Mod.	L2 Dist (cm) ↓	Ori. Diff. ↓	Bbox IoU ↑	Ori. Bbox IoU ↑
		3.68	(a)	5/5	5.27 ± 2.85	0.07 ± 0.07	0.75 ± 0.14	0.64 ± 0.07
			(b)	5/5	5.27 ± 2.85	0.07 ± 0.07	0.75 ± 0.14	0.64 ± 0.07
			(c)	5/5	5.27 ± 2.85	0.07 ± 0.07	0.75 ± 0.14	0.64 ± 0.07
			(d)	5/5	5.27 ± 2.85	0.07 ± 0.07	0.75 ± 0.14	0.64 ± 0.07
		3.42	(a)	6/6	4.79 ± 1.52	0.07 ± 0.03	0.54 ± 0.32	0.52 ± 0.28
			(b)	4/6	4.85 ± 1.52	0.08 ± 0.01	0.54 ± 0.32	0.52 ± 0.28
			(c)	6/6	4.87 ± 1.83	0.12 ± 0.13	0.54 ± 0.31	0.53 ± 0.28
			(d)	6/6	5.03 ± 1.53	0.10 ± 0.11	0.54 ± 0.32	0.52 ± 0.29
		2.91	(a)	6/6	5.51 ± 2.71	0.03 ± 0.00	0.64 ± 0.16	0.60 ± 0.17
			(b)	4/6	5.97 ± 2.56	0.03 ± 0.00	0.64 ± 0.16	0.60 ± 0.17
			(c)	6/6	7.13 ± 4.77	0.16 ± 0.19	0.54 ± 0.24	0.51 ± 0.21
			(d)	5/6	5.60 ± 2.92	0.10 ± 0.10	0.65 ± 0.18	0.60 ± 0.17
		3.54	(a)	5/5	6.47 ± 2.79	0.04 ± 0.01	0.64 ± 0.23	0.65 ± 0.28
			(b)	2/5	6.83 ± 3.20	0.03 ± 0.01	0.63 ± 0.24	0.64 ± 0.30
			(c)	5/5	6.51 ± 2.77	0.03 ± 0.01	0.64 ± 0.22	0.60 ± 0.20
			(d)	3/5	6.90 ± 3.21	0.03 ± 0.01	0.62 ± 0.24	0.58 ± 0.22
		3.24	(a)	5/6	6.64 ± 3.34	0.24 ± 0.20	0.57 ± 0.21	0.58 ± 0.15
			(b)	3/6	5.92 ± 3.32	0.06 ± 0.03	0.69 ± 0.14	0.66 ± 0.14
			(c)	5/6	6.00 ± 3.79	0.06 ± 0.05	0.68 ± 0.14	0.65 ± 0.14
			(d)	5/6	5.33 ± 3.77	0.04 ± 0.03	0.69 ± 0.15	0.67 ± 0.15
		4.17	(a)	8/8	7.81 ± 4.87	0.05 ± 0.00	0.65 ± 0.18	0.64 ± 0.17
			(b)	3/8	7.91 ± 5.04	0.05 ± 0.00	0.65 ± 0.19	0.64 ± 0.16
			(c)	8/8	7.94 ± 5.01	0.05 ± 0.00	0.66 ± 0.17	0.63 ± 0.17
			(d)	6/8	7.94 ± 5.01	0.05 ± 0.00	0.66 ± 0.17	0.63 ± 0.17
		6.89	(a)	12/12	7.27 ± 5.51	0.46 ± 0.50	0.54 ± 0.30	0.55 ± 0.25
			(b)	6/12	6.31 ± 4.78	0.24 ± 0.49	0.64 ± 0.26	0.62 ± 0.25
			(c)	12/12	6.15 ± 4.50	0.25 ± 0.47	0.67 ± 0.22	0.62 ± 0.20
			(d)	11/12	5.96 ± 4.35	0.05 ± 0.04	0.70 ± 0.18	0.63 ± 0.18
		10.23	(a)	15/15	17.40 ± 9.05	0.17 ± 0.17	0.49 ± 0.20	0.50 ± 0.19
			(b)	12/15	17.01 ± 9.34	0.15 ± 0.14	0.51 ± 0.20	0.50 ± 0.20
			(c)	15/15	17.16 ± 9.31	0.16 ± 0.17	0.51 ± 0.22	0.51 ± 0.21
			(d)	15/15	17.09 ± 9.26	0.11 ± 0.10	0.55 ± 0.21	0.53 ± 0.21

Table 2: Quantitative evaluation of scene reconstruction using our ACDC method in a sim-to-sim scenario. This table is an extension of Table 1 in the main paper. ‘Cat.’ indicates the ratio of correctly categorized objects to the total number of objects in the scene. ‘Mod.’ shows the ratio of correctly modeled objects to the total number of objects in the scene. ‘L2 Dist’ provides the mean and standard deviation of the Euclidean distance between the centers of the bounding boxes in the input and reconstructed scenes. ‘Ori. Diff.’ represents the mean and standard deviation of the orientation magnitude difference of each non-uniformly symmetric object. ‘Bbox IoU’ presents the Intersection over Union (IoU) for axis-aligned 3D bounding boxes. ‘Ori. Bbox IoU’ displays the IoU for oriented 3D bounding boxes.

under different scales. For example, a taller cabinet can be considered to have the same orientation as a shorter cabinet if their frontal faces align. Motivated by this, we propose **GPT Orientation Selection**, where GPT is prompted to directly select the best orientation among the k_{ori} candidate orientations, with $k_{ori} = 4$ in practice.

Table 2 presents a quantitative evaluation of our ACDC in the sim-to-sim setting, while Fig. 6 provides qualitative visualizations of the output scenes for each pipeline. To ensure diversity at the object level, no model is present in more than one test scene.

Based on the category and model matching accuracy, we observe that prompting GPT to select the nearest neighbor from a list of candidates outperforms pure DINOv2 embedding distance selection. This advantage likely stems from DINO being influenced by factors such as lighting conditions, occlusions, and changes in object scale and orientation. In contrast, GPT focuses better on geometry matching given proper prompting, which is crucial in our real-to-sim setting where an exact digital twin of an object is not always available in the simulator. Although GPT occasionally selects an incorrect model, such as the bookshelf in the sixth row of Fig. 6, it still chooses a reasonable substitute that can be appropriately scaled, oriented, and positioned to represent the target object.

Comparing (d) with (c), and (b) with (a) in terms of orientation difference and IoU-related metrics, we find that the performance of GPT Orientation Selection and DINO Orientation Selection is generally comparable. This represents a trade-off between time and robustness. Prompting GPT to

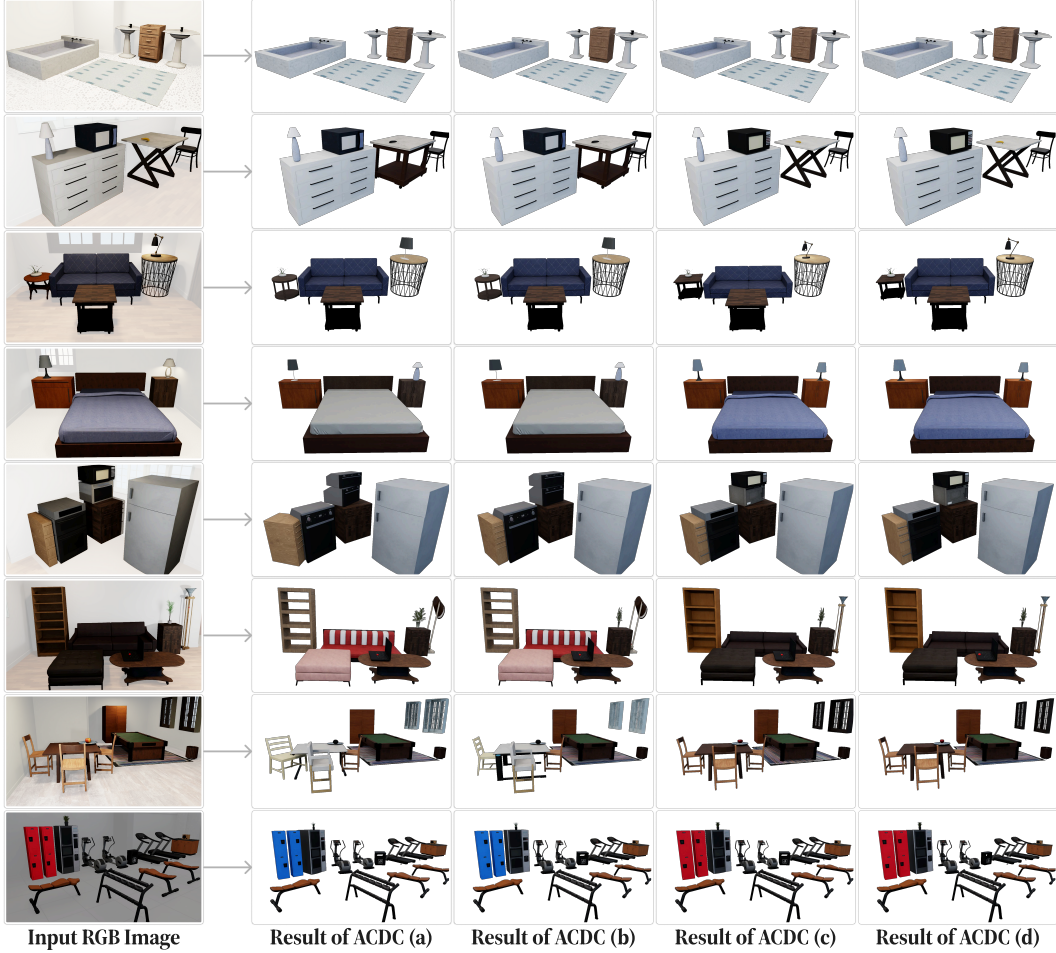


Figure 6: **Qualitative ACDC sim-to-sim scene reconstruction results.** Overall, pipeline (d) gives the best scene reconstruction results, while pipeline (c) balances inference time and reconstruction quality.

810 select the best orientation takes less than 10 seconds per object, whereas the DINO-based method,
811 which involves rescaling, reorienting assets, taking snapshots, and computing DINO scores, takes
812 about 60 seconds per object but is more robust and accurate. Given that orientation will be ran-
813 domized during policy training, we recommend GPT Orientation Selection for practical use. For all
814 real-to-sim results, we adopt GPT Orientation Selection.

815 When comparing (b) with (d), the differences in orientation difference and IoU metrics are minimal,
816 indicating that ACDC can reconstruct high-quality scenes even when the assets in the simulated
817 scene are close approximations (cousins) rather than exact replicas (twins) of the target objects.

818 Finally, examining the L2 Dist column in Table 2, we see that ACDC places each asset very close to
819 the ground truth position. The average L2 distance errors are less than 10 cm for the first seven test
820 scenes, and is only 17 cm for the eighth scene whose scale is 10.23 m.

821 B.2 Real-to-Sim Scene Generation: Additional Results

822 Additional qualitative results of our ACDC real-to-sim cousin creation and scene reconstruction
823 pipeline are presented in Fig. 7. For multi-view visualizations, please refer to our accompanying
824 video and website.

825 Our ACDC real-to-sim pipeline has the potential to create cousins and reconstruct scenes from a
826 single RGB image without requiring ground truth camera intrinsics. We employ the Paramnet-



Figure 7: **Qualitative ACDC real-to-sim scene reconstruction results.** Multiple cousins are shown with a robot collecting demonstrations. Images cropped by dashed squares are input RGB images.

360Cities-edina-uncentered model from PerceptiveFields [92] to estimate camera intrinsic matrix \mathbf{K} from the input RGB image. Fig. 8 presents the ACDC real-to-sim scene reconstruction results using the estimated \mathbf{K} . This capability may enable large-scale demonstration collection in the future by leveraging in-the-wild web images that lack ground truth camera intrinsics.

B.3 Policy Training Details

We train robot policies using the demonstrations collected (see Appendix A.5. Our action space is delta end-effector actions, expressed as a 6-dimensional (dx, dy, dz) delta position and (dax, day, daz) delta axis-angle orientation command. The commands are then executed via Inverse Kinematics (IK). Our observation space consists of {end-effector position, end-effector orientation, end-effector gripper joint state} proprioception, and a unified point cloud.

The point cloud is computed by first converting all depth images into a single point cloud with a unified frame (in our case, the robot frame), with all non-task relevant objects such as the robot



Figure 8: Qualitative ACDC real-to-sim scene reconstruction results **without ground truth camera intrinsics K** . Images cropped by dashed squares are input RGB images.

839 and background masked out. For the real-world setting, we efficiently mask out and track all non-
840 task relevant objects using XMem [93], allowing us to align the sim- and real-world point clouds.
841 We then additionally add a pre-computed point cloud representation of the robot’s gripper fingers,
842 placed at the known ground-truth location using the robot’s onboard proprioception and forward
843 kinematics. In addition to the (x, y, z) per-point values, we additionally add a fourth binary value
844 $e \in \{0, 1\}$, classifying whether that point belongs to either the scene or the robot’s gripper fingers.
845 Finally, we downsample the point cloud to a fixed size using farthest point sampling (FPS). Note
846 that with the exception of the **Putting Away Bowl** task, the point cloud is generated from a single,
847 over-the-shoulder camera. In the **Putting Away Bowl** task, we additionally add another over-the-
848 shoulder camera on the other side of the robot, as well as a wrist camera, since this task exhibits
849 much heavier occlusion during different stages compared to the other tasks.

850 All of our policies are trained using Behavioral Cloning with an RNN to capture the prior history
851 of actions and a GMM to capture the distribution over demonstrations. We use a 2-layer, 512-
852 dimension PointNet [94] encoder to encode our raw point cloud observations, which undergo further

random {downsampling, translation, noise jitter} before being passed to the actor network. We also convert the binary e value into a 128-dimensional learned embedding, to better enable the network to differentiate useful features between the robot fingers and the scene. Our policies use an RNN horizon of 10, RNN hidden dimension 512, are optimized using AdamW [95].

During evaluation, we take the best performing checkpoint for a given run and evaluate it 100 times. These results are then aggregated across multiple runs to give us our finalized results.

B.4 Sim-to-Sim Policy Learning with Digital Cousins

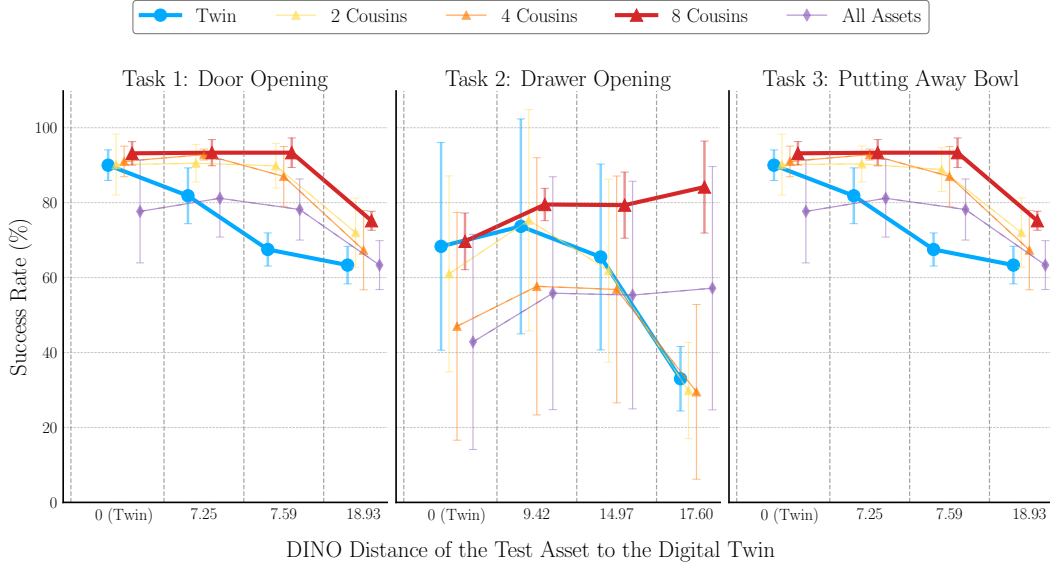


Figure 9: Average success rates (with standard deviations) of policies trained on demonstrations collected from the exact twin, different numbers of cousins, and all assets in the three nearest categories. Success rates are reported for three tasks: Door Opening, Drawer Opening, and the composite task of Putting Away Bowl. Policies are tested on four assets (from left to right in each line plot): the exact digital twin, the second unseen cousin, the sixth unseen cousin, and a more dissimilar asset, to quantify out-of-domain generalization ability. The DINO embedding distance to the digital twin is used as the quantitative metric to rank assets and select cousins. Error bars indicate the standard deviation, reflecting the stability of policy training.

Task	DINO Dist.	Twin	2 Cousins	Training Models 4 Cousins	8 Cousins	All Assets
Door Opening	0	96 92 91 91 87 83	100 96 95 92 90 74	95 94 94 92 87 84	97 95 95 94 90 88	94 93 86 67 66 60
	7.25	91 67 87 81 83 82	95 91 96 86 93 82	91 95 94 93 93 91	95 91 88 99 95 92	96 89 88 71 75 68
	7.59	69 60 66 65 73 72	98 85 93 87 95 81	76 91 77 95 96 87	91 96 98 91 87 97	86 83 88 65 73 74
	18.93	58 63 72 64 66 57	74 80 85 57 71 65	47 68 62 78 77 72	80 72 73 75 75 76	72 68 68 53 60 59
Drawer Opening	0	87 86 85 73 71 8	85 80 72 69 53 7	81 67 63 61 7 3	84 73 71 65 63 62	73 68 58 51 6 1
	9.42	87 91 89 80 85 10	85 86 95 93 83 10	92 73 75 86 8 12	86 78 81 82 78 72	73 80 79 79 12 12
	14.97	81 80 78 56 84 14	60 61 88 84 65 13	91 76 71 73 16 14	90 84 86 69 81 66	76 67 82 81 16 10
	17.6	38 36 45 30 32 17	37 35 41 42 13 11	79 32 20 23 15 8	97 88 94 74 90 62	81 75 84 80 8 15
Putting Away Bowl	0	33 14 14 11 9	-	-	11 10 9 8 5	-
	14.17	0 0 0 0 0	-	-	10 8 1 4 3	-
	14.44	3 0 0 0 0	-	-	31 14 24 31 19	-
	17.73	0 0 0 0 0	-	-	0 0 0 0 0	-

Table 3: Success rates (%) of all policies used in Fig. 4 and Fig. 9. “DINO Dist.” shows the DINOv2 embedding distances between test assets and the original digital twin.

As an extension of Fig. 4, Fig. 9 presents the average and standard deviations of success rates of policy rollouts on the original digital twin and multiple unseen assets. The success rates of all runs used to generate Fig. 4 and Fig. 9 are detailed in Table 3. For each training set, we train policies with different hyperparameters and select the best two combinations based on the rollout success rate on

864 the original digital twin asset. We then train policies using these best two combinations with three
865 different seeds, resulting in six policies. The results reported in Fig. 4, Fig. 9, and Table 3 are based
866 on these six policies. We note that for the third **Putting Away Bowl** task, we only evaluate on five
867 runs due to resource constraints.

868 An unexpected behavior is observed in the **Drawer Opening** task, where the 4-cousin policies per-
869 form sub-optimally. We believe this is due to the limited number of cabinets with drawers available
870 for cousin selection. Among the four cousins, the first two are geometrically similar, as are the last
871 two, but there is a significant similarity gap between the second and third cousins. This is partially
872 illustrated by their DINO embedding distances to the digital twin: 7.78, 9.32, 14.10, and 14.90. The
873 demonstrations collected on these four assets may not form a high-quality distribution for training.
874 In contrast, the 4-cousin policy in the **Door Opening** task yield decent results, likely because there
875 are more than 40 assets available for cousin selection, allowing ACDC to form a relatively narrower
876 distribution. The geometric similarities between the four cousins in the **Door Opening** task are more
877 continuous in terms of DINO similarity to the digital twin, with DINO distances being 6.49, 7.51,
878 8.13, and 9.66. However, 8-cousin policies still performed well in this relatively limited category,
879 much better than all-assets policies and twin policies. A key takeaway is that: (1) when there are a
880 sufficient number of assets to choose cousins from, all cousin policies can outperform twin policies
881 on held-out cousins, and (2) more cousins should be found when the number of available assets is
882 relatively small for the target category.

883 **Digital Cousins Improve Policy Training Stableness.** Comparing the standard deviation of poli-
884 cies trained on the digital twin, 8 digital cousins, and all assets in Fig. 9, we find that all-assets
885 policies are the most unstable, followed by twin policies, while 8-cousin policies are the most sta-
886 ble. This highlights another advantage of training digital cousin policies: the policy training process
887 on demonstrations collected from a set of high-quality cousins can be more stable, i.e., more robust
888 against different random seeds and requiring less tuning.

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