

Synergistic Bleeding Region and Point Detection in Laparoscopic Surgical Videos

〈 Supplementary Material 〉

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A. Overview

We summarize the supplementary material from the following aspects:

Section B: SurgBlood Dataset: More data exhibitions for SurgBlood dataset.

Section C: Exploring SAM 2 for Multi-Task Learning: Performance Comparison of SAM2 Variants and BloodDet.

Section D: Ablation Studies: We implement more ablation experiments to improve the performance of BloodDet, including 1) Ablations for different numbers of input frames. 2) Performance on different scale versions from SAM 2. 3) Ablations for frozen PWC-Net.

Section E: Pseudocode for BloodDet: We provide the pseudocode for bidirectional guidance of BloodDet.

Section F: More Comparison Experiments: We further conduct the fine-grained attribute-level experiment on SurgBlood dataset and generalization experiment on Rabbani *et al.* [11] dataset.

Section G: Additional Visual Results: We provide additional visual comparisons of BloodDet and other methods.

B. SurgBlood Dataset

B.1. More Data Visualization

The video data source in SurgBlood is from our partner hospitals, which contains 95 video clips of laparoscopic surgery from 42 patients who required cholecystectomy. To facilitate a more comprehensive understanding and analysis of SurgBlood, we divide the bleeding scenes into four categories according to specific tissues: Gallbladder, Cystic triangle, Vessel, and Gallbladder bed. Fig. 1 shows more sequential frames of bleeding scenes for different tissue locations as well as region-level and point-level annotations. As can be seen, the diverse bleeding tissues and types fully reflect the great challenges posed by bleeding detection in real laparoscopic surgery videos.

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C. Exploring SAM 2 for Multi-Task Learning

In Table 1, we explore various SAM 2 configurations for performing two related tasks: bleeding region detection and bleeding point localization. We first maintain the original SAM 2 setting and train it only for the region detection task. The results show that full fine-tuning performs better than decoder-only fine-tuning. Next, following classical multi-task architectures in medical image analysis [4, 9, 10], we extend SAM 2 by adding a point prediction head to enable dual-task learning. When we freeze the trained region detection network and fine-tune only the point head, the point detection accuracy remains unsatisfactory. However, jointly fine-tuning both tasks improves point detection but significantly degrades segmentation performance, suggesting that simply adding an auxiliary head leads to task interference. To mitigate this issue, we further adopt a dual-branch design with shallow feature sharing, which alleviates the performance drop in region detection but still fails to fully recover the single-task accuracy. These observations motivate us to develop BloodDet, a more effective multi-task framework that achieves superior performance on both bleeding region and point detection simultaneously.

D. Ablation Studies

D.1. Different Numbers of Input Frames

As shown in Table 2, when the number of input frames increases from 2 to 8, the IoU and PCK-2% metrics improve by 10.26% and 8.74%, respectively. This finding confirms the effectiveness of leveraging long-term temporal information. Beyond eight frames, the performance of BloodDet shows no further significant improvement. Finally, we select to input eight consecutive frames to make our method achieve the optimal performance.

D.2. Baselines for Different SAM 2 Models

We also conduct an ablation study to assess the image encoder of our framework based on different scale models of

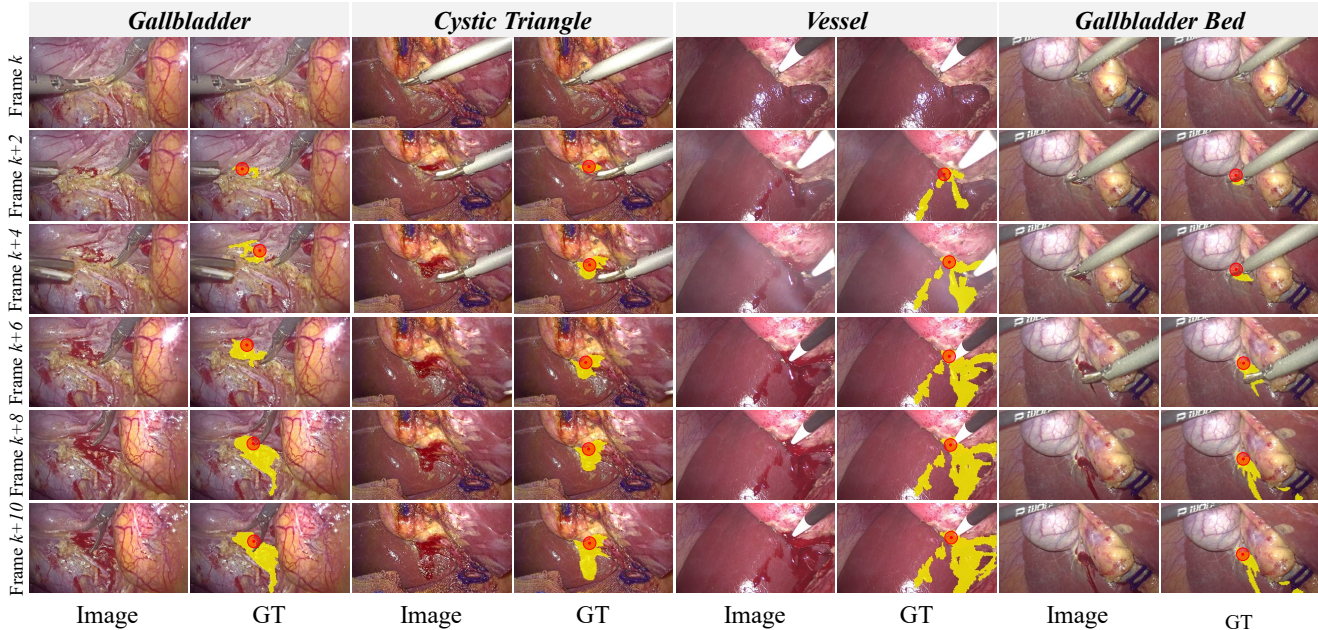


Figure 1. Examples of annotations for bleeding regions and points in SurgBlood. Zoom in for details.

Table 1. Comparison between BloodDet and different SAM2 settings in single-task and multi-task scenarios.

Setting	Methods	IoU \uparrow	Dice \uparrow	PCK-2% \uparrow	PCK-5% \uparrow	PCK-10% \uparrow
Single-task Single-branch	SAM2 (Full-Tuning)	63.51	77.68	-	-	-
	SAM2 (Tuning decoder only)	55.59	71.46	-	-	-
Dual-task Single-branch (dual head)	SAM2* (Frozen Segment, Tuning point-head only)	63.51	77.68	3.13	19.11	47.94
	SAM2 \dagger (Full-Tuning)	50.93	67.49	12.35	41.68	71.99
Dual-task Dual-branch (shallow feature sharing)	SAM2* (Full-Tuning)	56.22	71.98	13.18	45.14	75.78
	BloodDet (Full-Tuning)	64.88	78.70	18.62	55.85	83.69

Table 2. Ablation for the number of input consecutive frames on BloodDet for bleeding region and point detection.

Number	IoU \uparrow	Dice \uparrow	PCK-2% \uparrow	PCK-5% \uparrow	PCK-10% \uparrow
2	54.62	70.65	9.88	32.95	70.68
4	58.93	74.16	8.40	38.39	72.98
8	64.88	78.70	18.62	55.85	83.69
10	65.63	79.25	13.51	54.70	85.34

SAM 2 on bleeding region and bleeding point detection. As illustrated in Table 3, the performance of SAM 2_tiny is noticeably worse than that of SAM 2_small and SAM 2_base. Moreover, although SAM 2_small and SAM 2_base perform similarly in detecting bleeding regions, SAM 2_base provides a clear advantage in the detection of bleeding points, *e.g.*, with a 5.04% improvement in PCK-2% score. To ensure the accuracy of bleed point detection, we ultimately decided to build our backbone based on SAM 2_base to fulfill surgeons' needs for bleeding point assisted detection.

Table 3. Performance of BloodDet based on different scale models of SAM 2 on the SurgBlood test set.

Models	IoU	Dice	PCK-2%	PCK-5%	PCK-10%	# Params
SAM 2_tiny	62.91	77.23	8.07	40.53	74.14	49.7M
SAM 2_small	64.10	77.69	13.58	46.56	78.13	56.8M
SAM 2_base	64.88	78.70	18.62	55.85	83.69	91.6M

D.3. Ablations for Frozen PWC-Net

We also conduct ablation experiments to evaluate the impact of fine-tuning PWC-Net [13] with optical flow estimation on bleeding region and point detection tasks. As shown in Table 4, although the fine-tuned model achieved comparable performance in bleeding region detection, its performance on bleeding point detection decreased. One possible reason is that in point memory modeling, the operation of the optical flow model with the reverse bleeding mask causes the network to tend toward region-level motion

Table 4. Effect of frozen PWC-Net [13] on BlooDet for bleeding region and point detection with SAM 2_tiny backbone.

Frozen	IoU \uparrow	Dice \uparrow	PCK-2% \uparrow	PCK-5% \uparrow	PCK-10% \uparrow	Tune Params \downarrow
✓	54.62	70.65	9.88	32.95	70.68	49.7M
✗	54.57	70.41	8.22	30.45	67.66	59.1M

estimation, thereby weakening the fine-grained pixel displacement estimation for accurate bleeding point localization. Moreover, fine-tuning PWC-Net resulted in approximately a 19% increase in number of tunable parameters. Thus, we prefer to keep PWC-Net frozen during training.

Algorithm 1: Synergistic Bleeding Region and Point Detection in BlooDet

Input: Video frames V , maximum number of iterations K, T
Output: Parameters θ, ϑ for mask and point branches, and α for feature encoder.
Initialize α with pre-trained SAM 2;
for $k \leftarrow 1$ **to** K **do**
 for video frame $I_k \in V$ **do**
 $F_k \leftarrow \alpha(I_k)$
 // **Mask Branch**
 $F_{mask}^k \leftarrow \text{MemoryModeling}(F_k, M_{k-1}^m)$;
 edge_prompts $E_m^k \leftarrow \text{EdgeGenerator}(F_{mask}^k)$;
 multi_prompts $\leftarrow (E_m^k, \text{point_prompts } P_m^{k-1})$;
 predict_mask $M_k \leftarrow$
 MaskDecoder(multi_prompts, F_{mask}^k);
 $M_k^m, M_k \leftarrow \text{UpdateMemory}(F_k, M_k)$;
 // **Point Branch**
 OpticalFlow $O_k \leftarrow \text{OpticalFlowEstimation}(I_k)$;
 $F_{point}^k \leftarrow$
 MemoryModeling($F_k, M_k, M_k^m, O_k, M_{k-1}^p$);
 predict_points $P_m^k \leftarrow \text{PointDecoder}(F_{point}^k)$;
 $M_k^p \leftarrow \text{UpdateMemory}(P_m^k)$;
 // **Cross-Task Alternating Learning**
 for $t \leftarrow 1$ **to** T **do**
 $\theta^{(t+1)} = \theta^{(t)} - \eta_\theta \nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}_m(\theta^{(t)}(\vartheta^{(t)}))$;
 $\vartheta^{(t+1)} = \vartheta^{(t)} - \eta_\vartheta \nabla_{\vartheta} \mathcal{L}_p(\vartheta^{(t)}(\theta^{(t+1)}))$;
 end
 end
end
return $\theta, \vartheta, \alpha$;

E. Pseudocode for BlooDet

We outline the training procedure for our synergistic bleeding region and point detection framework in Algorithm 1. Given video frames V , our model iteratively updates tuned parameters over T steps. Each frame I_k is encoded into features F_k via the shared encoder θ . Mask branch utilizes an edge generator to obtain mask prompt embedding E_m^k and combines point prompt P_m^k from point branch to generate bleeding mask and update mask memory modeling.

Table 5. Comparison on Rabbani *et al.* [11] dataset. Scores are reported as mean \pm standard deviation. \dagger and $*$ denote region- and point-level models with an additional point/region prediction head for dual-task learning.

Methods	Volumes	IoU \uparrow	Dice \uparrow	Params \downarrow
Swin-UNet\dagger [1]	ECCV'22	24.96 \pm 0.14	39.95 \pm 0.23	27.2M
SAM\dagger [7]	ICCV'23	33.58 \pm 0.11	49.61 \pm 0.19	93.9M
MemSAM\dagger [5]	CVPR'24	34.25 \pm 0.21	50.81 \pm 0.25	133.5M
STDDNet\dagger [2]	ICCV'25	26.92 \pm 0.17	42.42 \pm 0.24	38.2M
SAM 2\dagger [12]	ICLR'25	35.06 \pm 0.16	52.08 \pm 0.22	81.0M
HRNet* [14]	CVPR'19	28.98 \pm 0.13	44.93 \pm 0.18	63.6M
SimCC* [8]	ECCV'22	34.83 \pm 0.20	51.75 \pm 0.25	66.3M
GTPT* [15]	ECCV'24	23.84 \pm 0.12	38.51 \pm 0.23	16.7M
D-CeLR* [3]	ECCV'24	27.15 \pm 0.14	42.71 \pm 0.19	53.4M
CalibratedSL* [6]	TMI'25	31.66 \pm 0.17	48.09 \pm 0.21	6.6M
PAINet [4]	MICCAI'23	33.71 \pm 0.11	49.93 \pm 0.18	13.6M
PitSurgRT [9]	IJCARS'24	31.41 \pm 0.15	47.81 \pm 0.20	67.3M
ConsistNet [10]	IJCARS'25	36.40 \pm 0.16	53.37 \pm 0.19	143.5M
BlooDet (Ours)	-	39.31 \pm 0.12	56.43 \pm 0.14	91.6M

Point branch uses the prediction mask M and mask memory feature M^m from the mask branch to predict the bleeding point. After each forward process, losses for mask \mathcal{L}_{mask} , point \mathcal{L}_{point} , edge \mathcal{L}_{edge} , and confidence score \mathcal{L}_{score} are computed to update model parameters.

F. More Comparison Experiments

F.1. Generalization Evaluation on Rabbani

To further evaluate the generalization ability of our method, we also conduct zero-shot testing on the public dataset released by Rabbani *et al.* [11] using pre-trained models from SurgBlood. This dataset consists of 751 frames extracted from gynecologic laparoscopic surgery videos, each containing active bleeding regions rather than continuous video clips. To ensure a fair comparison with video-based models, we replicated each static frame into an 8-frame clip during evaluation. As shown in Table 5, our method demonstrates superior generalization performance on this dataset compared to existing approaches.

F.2. Fine-grained evaluation on SurgBlood

According to the bleeding types of surgical video clips in the SurgBlood dataset, we also provide the performance of our model and other models on four bleeding types by tissue location: gallbladder, cystic triangle, vessel, and gallbladder bed. As shown in Table 6, BlooDet has a clear advantage in most of the attributes and ranks ahead in terms of both bleeding region and point metrics, *e.g.*, achieving 72.34 and 36.00 scores on IoU and PCK-2% metrics. The fine-grained results further illustrate that our framework exhibits robust performance across various types of bleeding.

Table 6. Results of SurgBlood and other methods for four types on SurgBlood test set. † and * denote region- and point-level models with an additional point/region prediction head for dual-task learning.

Types	Methods	Volumes	Bleeding Region Metrics		Bleeding Point Metrics			Params ↓
			IoU ↑	Dice ↑	PCK-2% ↑	PCK-5% ↑	PCK-10% ↑	
Gallbladder	Swin-UNet† [1]	ECCV'22	47.51	64.42	0.00	5.71	22.86	27.2M
	SAM† [7]	ICCV'23	44.70	61.78	2.86	14.29	52.86	93.7M
	MemSAM† [5]	CVPR'24	56.15	71.92	2.86	27.86	64.29	133.3M
	STDDNet† [2]	ICCV'25	26.83	42.31	0.71	1.43	20.00	38.2M
	SAM 2† [12]	ICLR'25	61.91	76.47	20.00	57.14	88.57	81.0M
	HRNet* [14]	CVPR'19	53.53	69.73	0.71	11.43	35.71	63.6M
	SimCC* [8]	ECCV'22	49.45	66.17	6.43	30.00	54.29	66.3M
	GTPT* [15]	ECCV'24	46.53	63.51	0.71	2.86	16.43	16.7M
	D-CeLR* [3]	ECCV'24	50.10	66.76	0.71	15.71	56.43	53.4M
	CalibratedSL* [6]	TMI'25	39.34	56.46	2.14	12.14	45.71	6.6M
	PAINet [4]	MICCAI'23	56.41	72.13	7.85	25.71	70.71	13.6M
	PitSurgRT [9]	IJCARS'24	47.39	64.30	0.71	3.57	24.28	67.3M
	ConsisTNet [10]	IJCARS'25	43.36	60.49	12.86	45.00	85.00	143.5M
	SurgBlood (Ours)	-	62.46	76.90	25.71	67.85	91.42	91.6M
	Cystic triangle	Swin-UNet† [1]	ECCV'22	61.72	76.33	4.00	28.00	70.00
SAM† [7]		ICCV'23	55.23	71.16	4.00	23.00	63.00	93.7M
MemSAM† [5]		CVPR'24	61.29	76.00	2.00	20.00	63.00	133.3M
STDDNet† [2]		ICCV'25	45.00	62.07	0.00	19.00	65.00	38.2M
SAM 2† [12]		ICLR'25	70.69	82.83	16.00	75.00	91.00	81.0M
HRNet* [14]		CVPR'19	66.44	79.84	3.00	17.00	50.00	63.6M
SimCC* [8]		ECCV'22	69.61	82.08	2.00	10.00	35.00	66.3M
GTPT* [15]		ECCV'24	66.36	79.78	3.00	53.00	71.00	16.7M
D-CeLR* [3]		ECCV'24	60.49	75.38	3.00	31.00	75.00	53.4M
CalibratedSL* [6]		TMI'25	61.90	76.46	6.00	31.00	71.00	6.6M
PAINet [4]		MICCAI'23	66.43	79.83	0.00	2.00	16.00	13.6M
PitSurgRT [9]		IJCARS'24	64.32	78.28	4.00	14.00	55.00	67.3M
ConsisTNet [10]		IJCARS'25	60.81	75.63	6.00	49.00	86.00	143.5M
SurgBlood (Ours)		-	72.34	83.95	36.00	80.00	95.00	91.6M
Vessel		Swin-UNet† [1]	ECCV'22	23.09	37.51	6.67	26.67	43.33
	SAM† [7]	ICCV'23	27.95	43.68	6.67	33.33	76.67	93.7M
	MemSAM† [5]	CVPR'24	36.88	53.88	6.67	46.67	73.33	133.3M
	STDDNet† [2]	ICCV'25	38.86	55.97	3.33	26.67	60.00	38.2M
	SAM 2† [12]	ICLR'25	48.37	65.20	26.66	56.66	70.00	81.0M
	HRNet* [14]	CVPR'19	33.76	50.47	0.00	10.00	36.67	63.6M
	SimCC* [8]	ECCV'22	37.81	54.88	0.00	23.33	53.33	66.3M
	GTPT* [15]	ECCV'24	15.93	27.49	0.00	3.33	20.00	16.7M
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	PitSurgRT [9]	IJCARS'24	26.98	42.50	3.33	30.00	60.00	67.3M
	ConsisTNet [10]	IJCARS'25	37.66	54.72	13.33	60.00	80.00	143.5M
	SurgBlood (Ours)	-	55.62	71.48	33.33	63.33	80.00	91.6M
	Gallbladder bed	Swin-UNet† [1]	ECCV'22	28.64	44.53	1.19	8.01	32.94
SAM† [7]		ICCV'23	39.81	56.94	2.08	20.47	52.23	93.7M
MemSAM† [5]		CVPR'24	51.68	68.14	7.12	35.61	64.99	133.3M
STDDNet† [2]		ICCV'25	52.25	68.63	2.08	16.02	49.55	38.2M
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G. Additional Visual Results

We exhibit more visualization results of our framework and other task-related methods, *i.e.*, PAINet [4], PitSurgRT [9], and SAM 2[†] [12], on the SurgBlood test set. As shown in Fig. 2 and Fig. 3, BloodDet provides better performance compared to other competitors and has a high degree of consistency with ground-truth for bleeding region and bleeding point detection. This further shows the robustness and accuracy of our method.

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Figure 2. Additional visual results of bleeding region and point detection on SurgBlood test set.

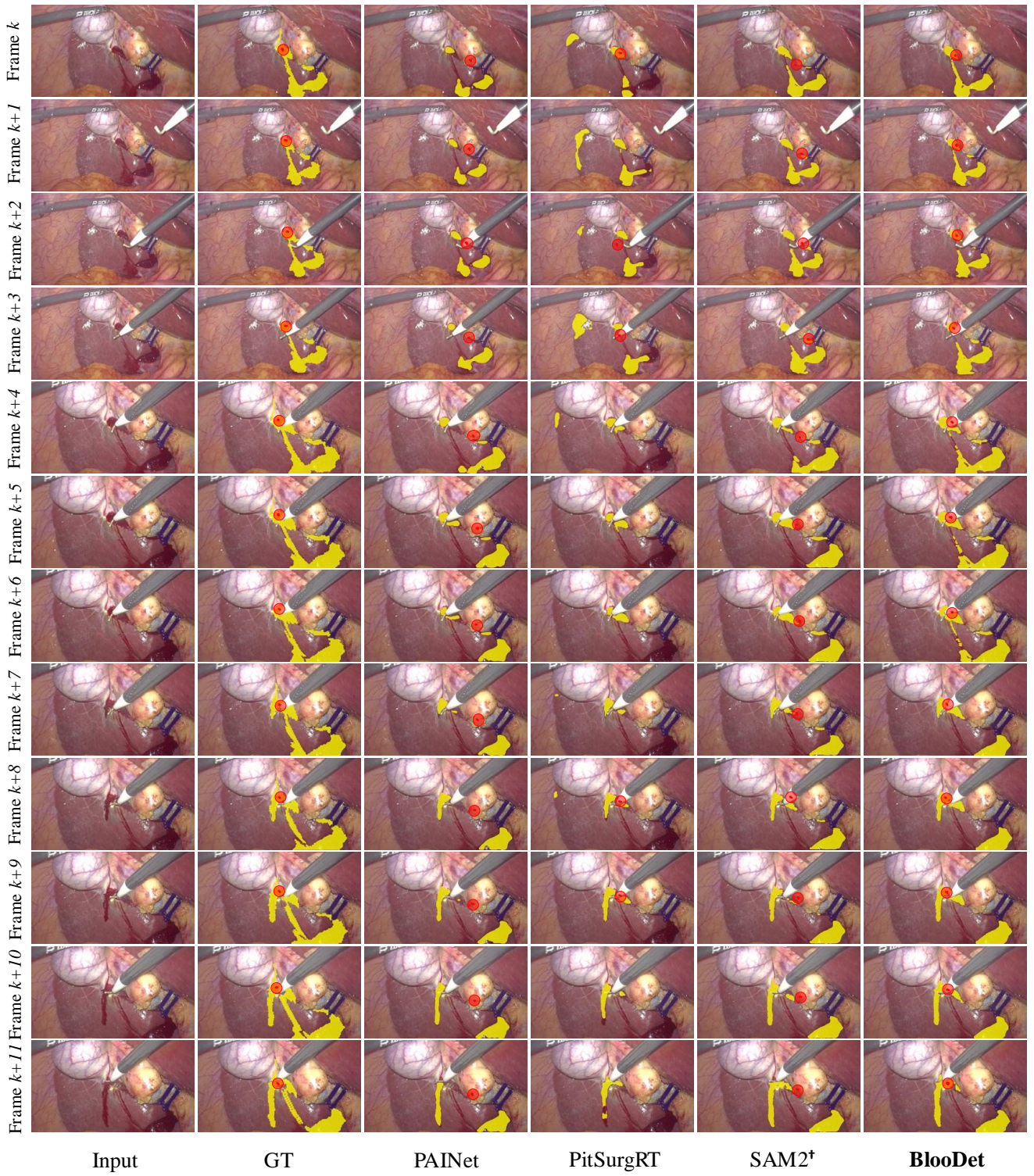


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