# Surgical Phase and Instrument Recognition: How to identify appropriate Dataset Splits (Supplementary Information) 

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## 1 User study

The following Table 1 shows tasks from the user study of the presented visualization framework.

Table 1 List of tasks to be solved by study participants using the visualization framework.

| ID | Description |
| :--- | :--- |
| T1 | Which phase has the most frames? |
| T2 | Which two phases have the largest proportion of idle frames? |
| T3 | Which instruments co-occur with the Clipper? |
| T4 | Which phase is not represented in all dataset splits? |
| T5 | Which phases are not present in all surgeries? |
| T6 | Which phase transitions are not present in the training set? |
| T7 | In which phase are the Scissors used most often? |
| T8 | Which surgeries end in the Cleaning coagulation phase? |
| T9 | Which instrument combination is not present in the training set? |
| T10 | In which phase do Bipolar, Irrigator and SpecimenBag co-occur? |

Table 2 shows the dataset split of the Cholec80 dataset that has been used in the user study.

Table 2 Split of the Cholec 80 dataset that was used in the user study.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,11,12,14,15,16,18,20,21,24,25,26$, |
| Training | $27,28,30,31,34,35,39,40,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50$, |
|  | $51,52,53,54,55,56,58,59,61,62,63,65,67,68,69,71,72$, |
|  | $73,75,76,77,80$ |
| Validation | $17,36,37,41,57,60,64,66,70,74,78,79$ |
| Test | $10,13,19,22,23,29,32,33,38$ |

Three statements from the SUS questionnaire that received the most positive rating.

- Q4: I think that I would need the support of a technical person to be able to use this system (mean 1.2)
- Q5: I found the various functions in this system were well integrated (mean 4.5)
- Q6: I thought there was too much inconsistency in this system (mean 1.4)

Conversely, we report three statements that were rated least favorably.

- Q3: I thought the system was easy to use (mean 3.9)
- Q7: I would imagine that most people would learn to use this system very quickly (mean 3.9)
- Q10: I needed to learn a lot of things before I could get going with this system (mean 2.1)

Figure 1 shows the user study results for each task. Overall, the majority of the tasks were completed successfully by $\geq 80 \%$ of participants. The tasks T2 and T6 represent exceptions with the overall worst completion rate, solved correctly by $30 \%$ and $40 \%$ of participants respectively.


Fig. 1 Overall task completion percentage with the corresponding $95 \%$-confidence intervals.

## 2 Instrument co-occurrences

The following Tables 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 provide detailed information on instrument co-occurrences in different datasets and splits.

Table 3 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the Cholec80 dataset with the 40/-/40 split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Test |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Grasper, Hook | 33187 | 24258 |
| Grasper, Irrigator | 2089 | 1379 |
| Grasper, Bipolar | 1552 | 1857 |
| Grasper, Clipper | 2172 | 1150 |
| Grasper, Scissors | 979 | 681 |
| Grasper, SpecimenBag | 3541 | 4031 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, Irrigator | 503 | 154 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator | 229 | 275 |
| Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 127 | 121 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 339 | 145 |
| Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 292 | 193 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 195 | 81 |
| Grasper, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 533 | 242 |
| Grasper, Clipper, Irrigator | 12 | 0 |
| Clipper, Irrigator | 4 | 0 |
| Grasper, Clipper, SpecimenBag | 1 | 0 |
| Grasper, Scissors, SpecimenBag | 28 | 4 |
| Hook, Irrigator | 57 | 474 |
| Grasper, Hook, Irrigator | 136 | 64 |
| Bipolar, Scissors | 76 | 0 |
| Grasper, Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 42 |
| Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 1 |
| Scissors, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 0 | 1 |
| Grasper, Scissors, Irrigator | 0 | 2 |

Table 4 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the Cholec80 dataset with the $32 / 8 / 40$ split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Validation | Test |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Grasper, Hook | 26942 | 6245 | 24258 |
| Grasper, Irrigator | 1665 | 424 | 1379 |
| Grasper, Bipolar | 1290 | 262 | 1857 |
| Grasper, Clipper | 1595 | 577 | 1150 |
| Grasper, Scissors | 788 | 191 | 681 |
| Grasper, SpecimenBag | 2904 | 637 | 4031 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, Irrigator | 503 | 0 | 154 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator | 229 | 0 | 275 |
| Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 120 | 7 | 121 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 287 | 52 | 145 |
| Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 281 | 11 | 193 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 195 | 0 | 81 |
| Grasper, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 448 | 85 | 242 |
| Grasper, Clipper, Irrigator | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Clipper, Irrigator | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Grasper, Clipper, SpecimenBag | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Grasper, Scissors, SpecimenBag | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Hook, Irrigator | 57 | 0 | 4 |
| Grasper, Hook, Irrigator | 136 | 0 | 474 |
| Bipolar, Scissors | 76 | 0 | 64 |
| Grasper, Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 |  |
| Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| Scissors, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Grasper, Scissors, Irrigator | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Table 5 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the Cholec 80 dataset with the $40 / 8 / 32$ split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Validation | Test |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Grasper, Hook | 33187 | 5765 | 18493 |
| Grasper, Irrigator | 2089 | 309 | 1070 |
| Grasper, Bipolar | 1552 | 415 | 1442 |
| Grasper, Clipper | 2172 | 321 | 829 |
| Grasper, Scissors | 979 | 232 | 449 |
| Grasper, SpecimenBag | 3541 | 965 | 3066 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, Irrigator | 503 | 47 | 107 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator | 229 | 66 | 209 |
| Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 127 | 15 | 106 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 339 | 9 | 136 |
| Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 292 | 47 | 146 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 195 | 4 | 77 |
| Grasper, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 533 | 39 | 203 |
| Grasper, Clipper, Irrigator | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Clipper, Irrigator | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Grasper, Clipper, SpecimenBag | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Grasper, Scissors, SpecimenBag | 28 | 0 | 0 |
| Hook, Irrigator | 57 | 474 | 4 |
| Grasper, Hook, Irrigator | 136 | 64 | 0 |
| Bipolar, Scissors | 76 | 0 | 0 |
| Grasper, Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hook, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 | 42 |
| Scissors, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Grasper, Scissors, Irrigator | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Table 6 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the CATARACTS dataset with the $25 / 5 / 20$ split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Validation | Test |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Bonn forceps, secondary incision knife | 38 | 10 | 30 |
| phacoemulsifier handpiece, micromanipulator | 1977 | 326 | 1754 |
| irrigation/aspiration handpiece, micromanipulator | 256 | 69 | 469 |
| biomarker, Mendez ring | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Bonn forceps, primary incision knife | 43 | 11 | 27 |
| vitrectomy handpiece, micromanipulator | 280 | 0 | 59 |
| Bonn forceps, implant injector | 0 | 1 | 3 |
| viscoelastic cannula, micromanipulator | 52 | 0 | 12 |
| hydrodissection canula, micromanipulator | 4 | 0 | 3 |
| Bonn forceps, Troutman forceps | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Troutman forceps, suture needle | 6 | 8 | 5 |
| Bonn forceps, Troutman forceps, suture needle | 5 | 6 | 0 |
| Bonn forceps, suture needle | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Bonn forceps, phacoemulsifier handpiece | 5 | 0 | 13 |
| capsulorhexis forceps, micromanipulator | 6 | 0 | 23 |
| Bonn forceps, needle holder, suture needle | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| needle holder, suture needle | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| capsulorhexis forceps, Vannas scissors | 7 | 9 | 0 |
| Bonn forceps, capsulorhexis forceps, suture needle | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| capsulorhexis cystotome, Bonn forceps | 57 | 0 | 3 |
| Troutman forceps, micromanipulator | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| capsulorhexis forceps, suture needle | 4 | 0 | 0 |

Table 7 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the CaDIS dataset with the 19/3/3 split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Validation | Test |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Bonn Forceps, Secondary Knife, Secondary Knife Handle | 37 | 8 | 5 |
| Secondary Knife, Secondary Knife Handle | 69 | 4 | 10 |
| Bonn Forceps, Primary Knife | 113 | 9 | 30 |
| Capsulorhexis Cystotome, Capsulorhexis Cystotome Handle | 60 | 11 | 13 |
| Phacoemulsifier Handpiece, Phacoemulsifier Handpiece Handle | 9 | 3 | 0 |
| Phacoemulsifier Handpiece, Micromanipulator, Phacoemulsifier Handpiece Handle | 46 | 4 | 7 |
| Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece, Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece Handle | 56 | 7 | 21 |
| Lens Injector, Lens Injector Handle | 19 | 13 | 8 |
| Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece, Micromanipulator, Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece Handle | 10 | 0 | 6 |
| Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece, Micromanipulator | 48 | 29 | 10 |
| Rycroft Cannula, Rycroft Cannula Handle | 52 | 18 | 14 |
| Bonn Forceps, Secondary Knife | 75 | 10 | 20 |
| Phacoemulsifier Handpiece, Micromanipulator | 239 | 42 | 44 |
| Primary Knife, Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece, Micromanipulator | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Bonn Forceps, Capsulorhexis Forceps | 12 | 0 | 9 |
| Irrigation/Aspiration Handpiece, Capsulorhexis Forceps | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Micromanipulator, Capsulorhexis Forceps | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Bonn Forceps, Phacoemulsifier Handpiece | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Bonn Forceps, Phacoemulsifier Handpiece, Phacoemulsifier Handpiece Handle | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Hydrosdissection Cannula, Micromanipulator | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Capsulorhexis Cystotome, Bonn Forceps | 23 | 0 | 0 |
| Primary Knife, Lens Injector | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Viscoelastic Cannula, Micromanipulator | 24 | 0 | 0 |
| Viscoelastic Cannula, Capsulorhexis Forceps | 12 | 0 | 0 |

Table 8 Number of frames for each instrument co-occurrence of the M2CAI-tool dataset with the $10 /-/ 5$ split.

| Instrument combination | Training | Test |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Grasper, Hook | 6279 | 3814 |
| Grasper, Clipper | 275 | 177 |
| Grasper, Scissors | 141 | 83 |
| Grasper, SpecimenBag | 1140 | 373 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 17 | 47 |
| Grasper, Bipolar | 351 | 193 |
| Grasper, Irrigator | 409 | 63 |
| Grasper, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 126 | 1 |
| Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 26 | 1 |
| Grasper, Scissors, SpecimenBag | 4 | 0 |
| Grasper, Scissors, Irrigator | 2 | 0 |
| Bipolar, SpecimenBag | 12 | 2 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator, SpecimenBag | 4 | 0 |
| Bipolar, Irrigator | 1 | 28 |
| Grasper, Bipolar, Irrigator | 0 | 8 |

## 3 Improved dataset splits

The following Tables $9,10,11,12,13,14,15$ define improved dataset splits that are proposed as part of this work.

Table 9 Improved 40/-/40 split of the Cholec80 dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,17,18,19$, |
| Training | $20,21,22,23,24,25,26,27,28,30,31,34,35,36,37,39,40$, |
|  | $58,66,71,78$ |
| Test | $29,32,33,38,41,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50,51,52,53$, |
|  | $54,55,56,57,59,60,61,62,63,64,65,67,68,69,70,72,73$, |
|  | $74,75,76,77,79,80$ |

Table 10 Improved 32/8/40 split of the Cholec80 dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Training | $1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,15,16,17,18,19,20,21$, |
| Validation | $22,24,25,26,27,28,30,31,37,41,57,60$ |
| Test | $14,33,34,35,36,38,39,40$ |
|  | $23,29,32,42,43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50,51,52,53,54,55$, |
|  | $56,58,59,61,62,63,64,65,66,67,68,69,70,71,72,73,74$, |

Table 11 Improved 40/8/32 split of the Cholec80 dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
|  | $1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,13,15,16,17,18,19,20,21$, |
| Training | $22,24,25,26,27,28,30,31,34,35,36,37,39,40,43,46,47$, |
|  | $48,60,70$ |
| Validation | $14,33,38,41,42,44,45,57$ |
| Test | $23,29,32,49,50,51,52,53,54,55,56,58,59,61,62,63,64$, |
|  | $65,66,67,68,69,71,72,73,74,75,76,77,78,79,80$ |

Table 12 Improved 25/5/20 split of the CATARACTS dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Training | $14,26,27,28,29,30,31,32,33,34,36,37,38,39,40,41,42$, |
| Validation | $43,44,45,46,47,48,49,50$ |
| Test | $1,7,16,19,35$ |

Table 13 Improved 19/3/3 split of the CaDIS dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Training | $1,2,3,4,6,7,8,9,10,11,13,14,15,17,18,20,23,24,25$ |
| Validation | $5,16,19$ |
| Test | $12,21,22$ |

Table 14 Improved 27/-/14 split of the M2CAI-workflow dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Training | train1, train2, train3, train4, train5, train6, train7, train8, |
|  | train9, train11, train12, train13, train14, train15, train16, |
|  | train17, train18, train19, train20, train21, train22, train23, |
| Test | train24, train25, train26, train27, test11, test6, test7, test8, |
|  | train10, test1, test2, test3, test4, test5, test, test10, test12, test13, test14, |
|  | test9, |

Table 15 Improved 10/-/5 split of the M2CAI-tool dataset.

| Set | File IDs |
| :--- | :--- |
| Training | $1,2,3,4,5,7,8,9,10,14$ |
| Test | $6,11,12,13,15$ |

