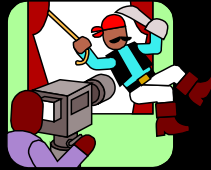


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Topic 2 of Part II Calibration

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- Calibration: Find the intrinsic and extrinsic parameters
 - Problem and assumptions
 - Direct parameter estimation approach
 - Projection matrix approach

- Direct Parameter Estimation Approach
 - Basic equations (from Lecture 5)
 - Homogeneous System
 - Estimating the Image center using vanishing points
 - SVD (Singular Value Decomposition)
 - Focal length, Aspect ratio, and extrinsic parameters
 - Discussion: Why not do all the parameters together?

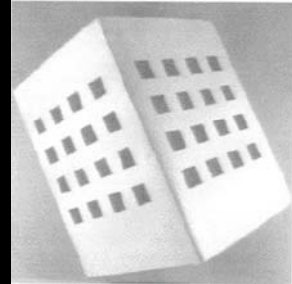
- Projection Matrix Approach (...after-class reading)
 - Estimating the projection matrix M
 - Computing the camera parameters from M
 - Discussion

- Comparison and Summary
 - Any difference?

3D Computer Vision
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Problem and Assumptions

- Given one or more images of a calibration pattern,
- Estimate
 - The intrinsic parameters
 - The extrinsic parameters, or
 - BOTH
- Issues: Accuracy of Calibration
 - How to design and measure the calibration pattern
 - Distribution of the control points to assure stability of solution – *not coplanar*
 - Construction tolerance one or two order of magnitude smaller than the desired accuracy of calibration
 - e.g. 0.01 mm tolerance versus 0.1mm desired accuracy
 - How to extract the image correspondences
 - Corner detection?
 - Line fitting?
 - Algorithms for camera calibration given both 3D-2D pairs
- Alternative approach: 3D from un-calibrated camera



3D Computer Vision
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Camera Model

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- Coordinate Systems
 - Frame coordinates (x_{im}, y_{im}) pixels
 - Image coordinates (x, y) in mm
 - Camera coordinates (X, Y, Z)
 - World coordinates (X_w, Y_w, Z_w)
 - Camera Parameters
 - Intrinsic Parameters (of the camera and the frame grabber): link the **frame coordinates** of an image point with its corresponding **camera coordinates**
 - Extrinsic parameters: define the location and orientation of the **camera coordinate system** with respect to the **world coordinate system**

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Linear Version of Perspective Projection**

World to Camera

- Camera: $P = (X, Y, Z)^T$
- World: $P_w = (X_w, Y_w, Z_w)^T$
- Transform: R, T

$$P = RP_w + T = \begin{pmatrix} r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x \\ r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y \\ r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R_1^T P_w + T_x \\ R_2^T P_w + T_y \\ R_3^T P_w + T_z \end{bmatrix}$$

Camera to Image

- Camera: $P = (X, Y, Z)^T$
- Image: $p = (x, y)^T$
- Not linear equations

$$(x, y) = \left(f \frac{X}{Z}, f \frac{Y}{Z} \right)$$

Image to Frame

- Neglecting distortion
- Frame $(x_{im}, y_{im})^T$

$$x = -(x_{im} - o_x)s_x$$

$$y = -(y_{im} - o_y)s_y$$

World to Frame

- $(X_w, Y_w, Z_w)^T \rightarrow (x_{im}, y_{im})^T$
- Effective focal lengths
 - $f_x = f/s_x, f_y = f/s_y$

$$x_{im} - o_x = -f_x \frac{r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

$$y_{im} - o_y = -f_y \frac{r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Direct Parameter Method**

Extrinsic Parameters

- R , 3x3 rotation matrix
 - Three angles α, β, γ
- T , 3-D translation vector

$$x' = x_{im} - o_x = -f_x \frac{r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

$$y' = y_{im} - o_y = -f_y \frac{r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

Intrinsic Parameters

- f_x, f_y : effective focal length in pixel
 - $\alpha = f_x/f_y = s_y/s_x$, and f_x
- (o_x, o_y) : **known image center** $\rightarrow (x, y)$ known
- k_1 , radial distortion coefficient: **neglect it in the basic algorithm**

Same Denominator in the two Equations

- Known: (X_w, Y_w, Z_w) and its (x, y)
- Unknown: $r_{pq}, T_x, T_y, f_x, f_y$

$$f_y (r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y) / y' = f_x (r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x) / x'$$

$$x' f_y (r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y) = y' f_x (r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x)$$



- Linear Equation of 8 unknowns $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, \dots, v_8)$

- Aspect ratio: $\alpha = fx/fy$

- Point pairs, $\{(X_i, Y_i, Z_i) \leftrightarrow (x_i, y_i)\}$ drop the ' and subscript "w"

$$x'(r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y) = y'\alpha(r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x)$$



$$x_i X_i r_{21} + x_i Y_i r_{22} + x_i Z_i r_{23} + x_i T_y - y_i X_i (\alpha r_{11}) - y_i Y_i (\alpha r_{12}) - y_i Z_i (\alpha r_{13}) - y_i (\alpha T_x) = 0$$



$$x_i X_i v_1 + x_i Y_i v_2 + x_i Z_i v_3 + x_i v_4 - y_i X_i v_5 - y_i Y_i v_6 - y_i Z_i v_7 - y_i v_8 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} & (v_1, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_6, v_7, v_8) \\ & = (r_{21}, r_{22}, r_{23}, T_y, \alpha r_{11}, \alpha r_{12}, \alpha r_{13}, \alpha T_x) \end{aligned}$$



- Homogeneous System of N Linear Equations

- Given N corresponding pairs $\{(X_i, Y_i, Z_i) \leftrightarrow (x_i, y_i)\}, i=1,2,\dots,N$
- 8 unknowns $\mathbf{v} = (v_1, \dots, v_8)^T$, 7 independent parameters

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$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 X_1 & x_1 Y_1 & x_1 Z_1 & x_1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ x_2 X_2 & x_2 Y_2 & x_2 Z_2 & x_2 & -y_2 X_2 & -y_2 Y_2 & -y_2 Z_2 & -y_2 \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ x_N X_N & x_N Y_N & x_N Z_N & x_N & -y_N X_N & -y_N Y_N & -y_N Z_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix}$$

- The system has a nontrivial solution (up to a scale)
 - IF $N \geq 7$ and N points are not coplanar $\Rightarrow \text{Rank}(\mathbf{A}) = 7$
 - Can be determined from the SVD of A

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Homogeneous System

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■ Singular Value Decomposition:

- Any $m \times n$ matrix can be written as the product of three matrices

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^T$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ a_{m1} & a_{m2} & a_{mn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_{11} & u_{12} & \dots & u_{1m} \\ u_{21} & u_{22} & \dots & u_{2m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ u_{m1} & u_{m2} & \dots & u_{mm} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \sigma_n \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v_{11} & v_{21} & \dots & v_{n1} \\ v_{12} & v_{22} & \dots & v_{n2} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ v_{1n} & v_{2n} & \dots & v_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Note: In the original image, the first column of U and the first row of V are highlighted in yellow, with arrows pointing to labels \mathbf{u}_1 and \mathbf{v}_1 respectively.

- Singular values σ_i are fully determined by A
 - D is diagonal: $d_{ij} = 0$ if $i \neq j$; $d_{ii} = \sigma_i$ ($i=1,2,\dots,n$)
 - $\sigma_1 \geq \sigma_2 \geq \dots \geq \sigma_n \geq 0$
- Both U and V are not unique
 - Columns of each are mutual orthogonal vectors



■ 1. Singularity and Condition Number

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^T$$

- $n \times n$ A is nonsingular IFF all singular values are nonzero
- Condition number : degree of singularity of A $C = \sigma_1 / \sigma_n$
 - A is ill-conditioned if $1/C$ is comparable to the arithmetic precision of your machine; almost singular

■ 2. Rank of a square matrix A

- Rank (A) = number of nonzero singular values

■ 3. Inverse of a square Matrix

- If A is nonsingular $\mathbf{A}^{-1} = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{D}^{-1}\mathbf{U}^T$
- In general, the pseudo-inverse of A $\mathbf{A}^+ = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{D}_0^{-1}\mathbf{U}^T$

■ 4. Eigenvalues and Eigenvectors (questions)

- Eigenvalues of both $\mathbf{A}^T\mathbf{A}$ and $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^T$ are σ_i^2 ($\sigma_i > 0$)
- The columns of U are the eigenvectors of $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^T$ ($m \times m$) $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{u}_i = \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{u}_i$
- The columns of V are the eigenvectors of $\mathbf{A}^T\mathbf{A}$ ($n \times n$) $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{v}_i = \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{v}_i$

$$\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{b}$$

■ Least Square

- Solve a system of m equations for n unknowns \mathbf{x} ($m \geq n$)
- A is a $m \times n$ matrix of the coefficients
- \mathbf{b} ($\neq 0$) is the m -D vector of the data
- Solution:

$$\underbrace{\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b}}_{n \times n \text{ matrix}} \implies \mathbf{x} = \underbrace{(\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A})^+}_{\text{Pseudo-inverse}} \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b}$$

- How to solve: compute the pseudo-inverse of $A^T A$ by SVD
 - $(A^T A)^+$ is more likely to coincide with $(A^T A)^{-1}$ given $m > n$
 - Always a good idea to look at the condition number of $A^T A$

$$\mathbf{Ax} = \mathbf{0}$$

■ Homogeneous System

- m equations for n unknowns \mathbf{x} ($m \geq n-1$)
- Rank $(A) = n-1$ (by looking at the SVD of A)
- A non-trivial solution (up to an arbitrary scale) by SVD:
- Simply proportional to the eigenvector corresponding to the only zero eigenvalue of $A^T A$ ($n \times n$ matrix)

$$\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{v}_i = \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{v}_i$$

■ Note:

- All the other eigenvalues are positive because Rank $(A) = n-1$
- For a proof, see Textbook p. 324-325
- In practice, the eigenvector (i.e. \mathbf{v}_n) corresponding to the minimum eigenvalue of $A^T A$, i.e. σ_n^2



■ Problem Statements

- Numerical estimate of a matrix A whose entries are not independent
- Errors introduced by noise alter the estimate to \hat{A}

■ Enforcing Constraints by SVD

- Take orthogonal matrix A as an example
- Find the closest matrix to \hat{A} , which satisfies the constraints exactly

- SVD of \hat{A}

$$\hat{A} = UDV^T$$

- Observation: $D = I$ (all the singular values are 1) if A is orthogonal
- Solution: changing the singular values to those expected

$$A = UIV^T$$



■ Homogeneous System of N Linear Equations

$$Av = 0$$

- Given N corresponding pairs $\{(X_i, Y_i, Z_i) \leftrightarrow (x_i, y_i)\}$, $i=1,2,\dots,N$
- 8 unknowns $v = (v_1, \dots, v_8)^T$, **7 independent parameters**

■ The system has a nontrivial solution (up to a scale)

- IF $N \geq 7$ and N points are not coplanar \Rightarrow Rank(A) = 7
- Can be determined from the SVD of A
- Rows of V^T : eigenvectors $\{e_i\}$ of $A^T A$

$$A = UDV^T$$

- Solution: **the 8th row e_8 corresponding to the only zero singular value $\lambda_8=0$**

$$\bar{v} = ce_8$$

■ Practical Consideration

- The errors in localizing image and world points may make the rank of A to be maximum (8)
- In this case select the eigenvector corresponding to the smallest eigenvalue.

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Scale Factor and Aspect Ratio**

- Equations for scale factor γ and aspect ratio α

$$\bar{\mathbf{v}} = \gamma (r_{21}, r_{22}, r_{23}, T_y, \alpha r_{11}, \alpha r_{12}, \alpha r_{13}, \alpha T_x)$$

v_1 v_2 v_3 v_4 v_5 v_6 v_7 v_8

- Knowledge: R is an orthogonal matrix

$$\mathbf{R}_i^T \mathbf{R}_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } i=j \\ 0 & \text{if } i \neq j \end{cases}$$

$$\mathbf{R} = (r_{ij})_{3 \times 3} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1^T \\ \mathbf{R}_2^T \\ \mathbf{R}_3^T \end{bmatrix}$$

- Second row ($i=j=2$):

$$r_{21}^2 + r_{22}^2 + r_{23}^2 = 1 \implies |\gamma| = \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2} \implies |\gamma|$$

- First row ($i=j=1$)

$$r_{11}^2 + r_{12}^2 + r_{13}^2 = 1 \implies \alpha |\gamma| = \sqrt{v_5^2 + v_6^2 + v_7^2}$$

} α

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Rotation R and Translation T**

- Equations for first 2 rows of R and T given α and $|\gamma|$

$$\bar{\mathbf{v}} = s |\gamma| (r_{21}, r_{22}, r_{23}, T_y, \alpha r_{11}, \alpha r_{12}, \alpha r_{13}, \alpha T_x)$$

- First 2 rows of R and T can be found up to a common sign s (+ or -)

$$s\mathbf{R}_1^T, s\mathbf{R}_2^T, sT_x, sT_y$$

- The third row of the rotation matrix by vector product

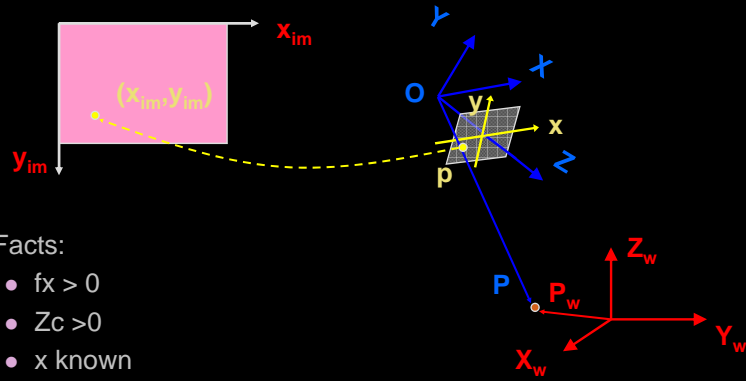
$$\mathbf{R}_3^T = \mathbf{R}_1^T \times \mathbf{R}_2^T = s\mathbf{R}_1^T \times s\mathbf{R}_2^T$$

- Remaining Questions :

- How to find the sign s ?
- Is R orthogonal?
- How to find T_z and f_x, f_y ?

$$\mathbf{R} = (r_{ij})_{3 \times 3} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1^T \\ \mathbf{R}_2^T \\ \mathbf{R}_3^T \end{bmatrix}$$

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Find the sign s**



- Facts:
 - $f_x > 0$
 - $Z_c > 0$
 - x known
 - X_w, Y_w, Z_w known
- Solution
 - ⇒ Check the sign of X_c
 - ⇒ Should be opposite to x

$$x = -f_x \frac{X_c}{Z_c} = -f_x \frac{r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

$$y = -f_y \frac{Y_c}{Z_c} = -f_y \frac{r_{21}X_w + r_{22}Y_w + r_{23}Z_w + T_y}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

3D Computer Vision and Video Computing **Rotation R : Orthogonality**

- Question:
 - First 2 rows of R are calculated without using the mutual orthogonal constraint

$$\mathbf{R} = (r_{ij})_{3 \times 3} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1^T \\ \mathbf{R}_2^T \\ \mathbf{R}_3^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{R}}^T \hat{\mathbf{R}} = \mathbf{I}?$$

$$\mathbf{R}_3^T = \mathbf{R}_1^T \times \mathbf{R}_2^T = s \mathbf{R}_1^T \times s \mathbf{R}_2^T$$

- Solution:
 - Use SVD of estimate R

$$\hat{\mathbf{R}} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{V}^T \quad \longrightarrow \quad \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{I} \mathbf{V}^T$$

Replace the diagonal matrix D with the 3x3 identity matrix

Solution

- Solve the system of N linear equations with two unknown
 - Tx, fx

$$x = -f_x \frac{r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x}{r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w + T_z}$$

$$xT_z + \underbrace{(r_{11}X_w + r_{12}Y_w + r_{13}Z_w + T_x)}_{a_{i1}} f_x = -x \underbrace{(r_{31}X_w + r_{32}Y_w + r_{33}Z_w)}_{b_i}$$

- Least Square method

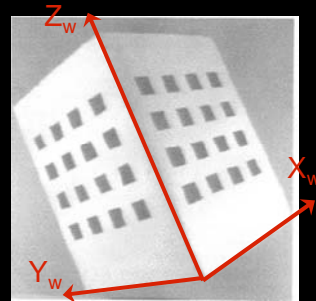
$$\begin{pmatrix} \hat{T}_z \\ \hat{f}_x \end{pmatrix} = (\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A})^{-1} \mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{b}$$

$$\mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} T_z \\ f_x \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{b}$$

- SVD method to find inverse

Algorithm (p130-131)

- Measure N 3D coordinates (Xi, Yi, Zi)
- Locate their corresponding image points (xi, yi) - Edge, Corner, Hough
- Build matrix A of a homogeneous system Av = 0
- Compute SVD of A, solution v
- Determine aspect ratio α and scale |γ|
- Recover the first two rows of R and the first two components of T up to a sign
- Determine sign s of γ by checking the projection equation
- Compute the 3rd row of R by vector product, and enforce orthogonality constraint by SVD
- Solve Tz and fx using Least Square and SVD, then fy = fx / α



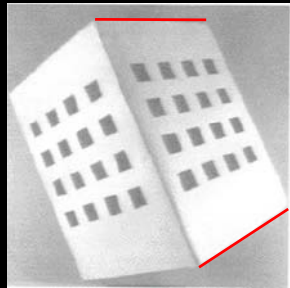
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- Questions
 - Can we select an arbitrary image center for solving other parameters?
 - **How to find the image center (ox,oy)?**
 - How about to include the radial distortion?
 - Why not solve all the parameters once ?
 - How many unknown with ox, oy? --- 20 ??? – projection matrix method

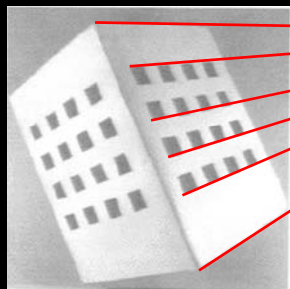
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 - Due to perspective, all parallel lines in 3D space appear to meet in a point on the image - the vanishing point, which is the common intersection of all the image lines



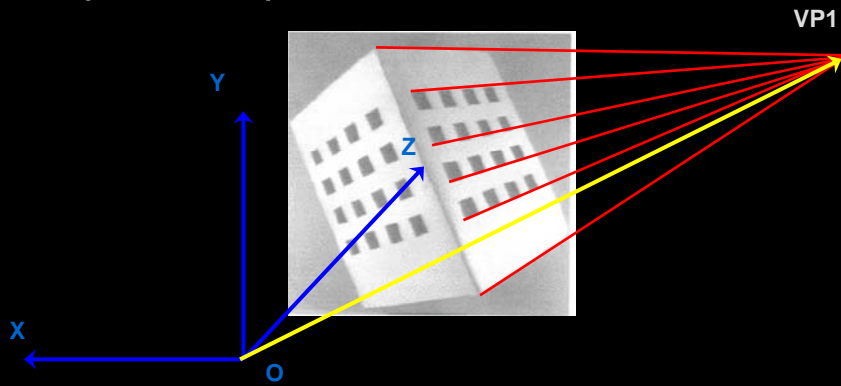
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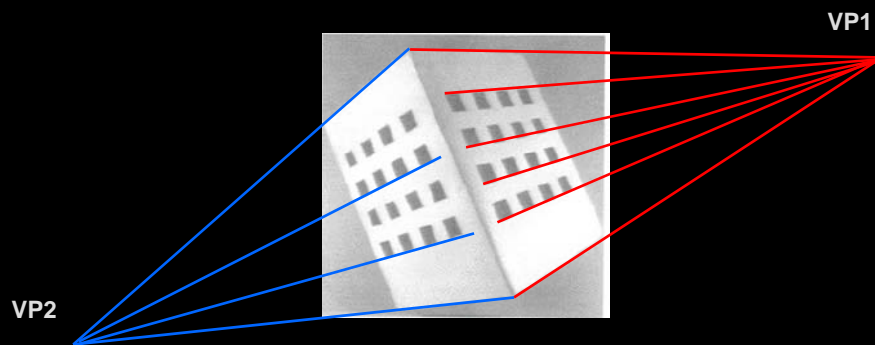
3D Computer Vision
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- Vanishing points:
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- Important property:
 - **Vector OV (from the center of projection to the vanishing point) is parallel to the parallel lines**



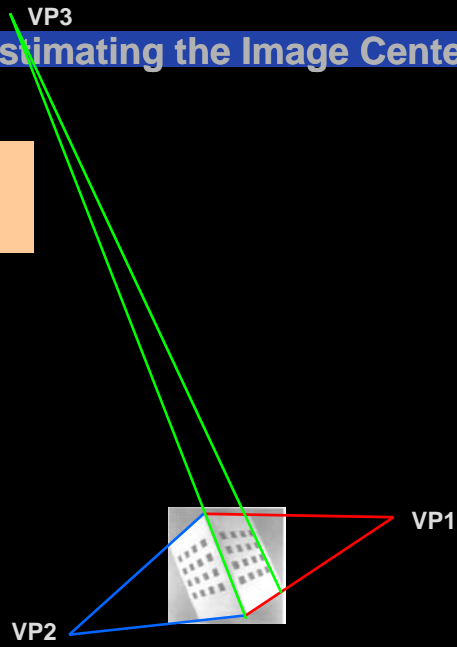
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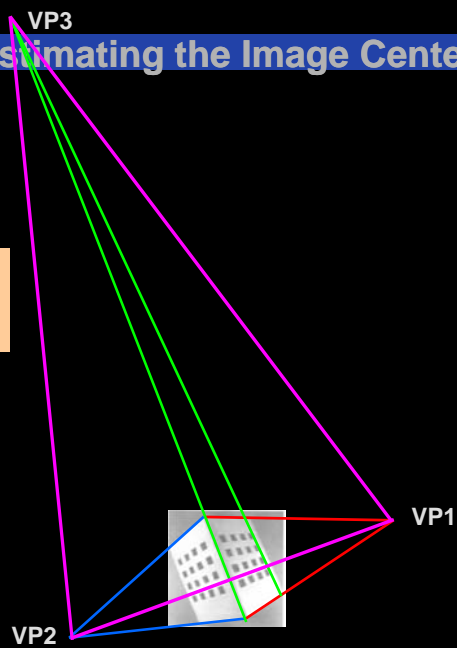
Orthocenter Theorem:

- Input: three mutually orthogonal sets of parallel lines in an image
- T: a triangle on the image plane defined by the three vanishing points
- Image center = orthocenter of triangle T
- Orthocenter of a triangle is the common intersection of the three altitudes



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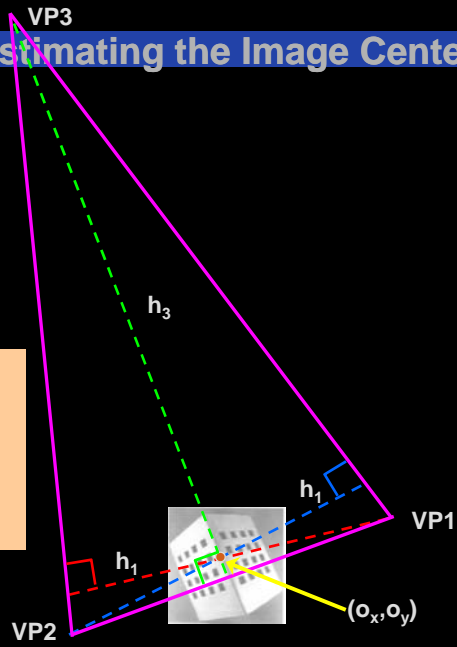
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 - Input: three mutually orthogonal sets of parallel lines in an image
 - T: a triangle on the image plane defined by the three vanishing points

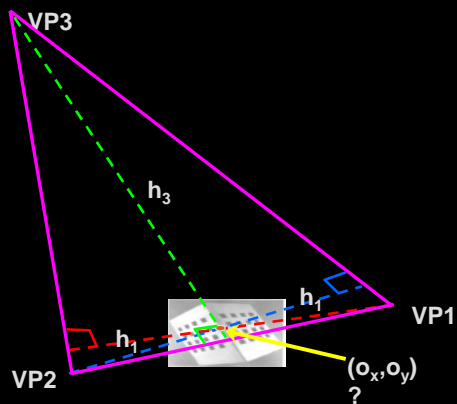
- Image center = orthocenter of triangle T
- Orthocenter of a triangle is the common intersection of the three altitudes

- Orthocenter Theorem:
 - WHY?



- Assumptions:
 - Known aspect ratio
 - Without lens distortions

- Questions:
 - Can we solve both aspect ratio and the image center?
 - How about with lens distortions?

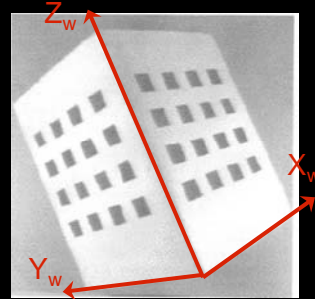


3D Computer Vision
and Video **Direct parameter Calibration Summary**

Algorithm (p130-131)

0. Estimate image center (and aspect ratio)

1. Measure N 3D coordinates (X_i, Y_i, Z_i)
2. Locate their corresponding image (x_i, y_i) - Edge, Corner, Hough
3. Build matrix A of a homogeneous system $Av = 0$
4. Compute SVD of A, solution v
5. Determine aspect ratio α and scale $|\gamma|$
6. Recover the first two rows of R and the first two components of T up to a sign
7. Determine sign s of γ by checking the projection equation
8. Compute the 3rd row of R by vector product, and enforce orthogonality constraint by SVD
9. Solve Tz and f_x using Least Square and SVD, then $f_y = f_x / \alpha$



3D Computer Vision
and Vi **Remaining Issues and Possible Solution**

- Original assumptions:
 - Without lens distortions
 - Known aspect ratio when estimating image center
 - Known image center when estimating others including aspect ratio
- New Assumptions
 - Without lens distortion
 - Aspect ratio is approximately 1, or $\alpha = f_x/f_y = 4:3$; image center about $(M/2, N/2)$ given a $M \times N$ image
- Solution (?)
 1. Using $\alpha = 1$ to find image center (o_x, o_y)
 2. Using the estimated center to find others including α
 3. Refine image center using new α ; if change still significant, go to step 2; otherwise stop

➡ **Projection Matrix Approach**

- Homework #3 online, due October 25 before class

Linear Matrix Equation of perspective projection

Projective Space

- Add fourth coordinate
 - $P_w = (X_w, Y_w, Z_w, 1)^T$
- Define $(u, v, w)^T$ such that
 - $u/w = x_{im}, v/w = y_{im}$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{im} \\ y_{im} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} u/w \\ v/w \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ w \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{M}_{int} \mathbf{M}_{ext} \begin{pmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ Z_w \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

3x4 Matrix \mathbf{E}_{ext}

- Only extrinsic parameters
- World to camera

$$\mathbf{M}_{ext} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & T_x \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & T_y \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & T_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R}_1^T & T_x \\ \mathbf{R}_2^T & T_y \\ \mathbf{R}_3^T & T_z \end{bmatrix}$$

3x3 Matrix \mathbf{E}_{int}

- Only intrinsic parameters
- Camera to frame

$$\mathbf{M}_{int} = \begin{bmatrix} -f_x & 0 & o_x \\ 0 & -f_y & o_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Simple Matrix Product! Projective Matrix $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{M}_{int} \mathbf{M}_{ext}$

- $(X_w, Y_w, Z_w)^T \rightarrow (x_{im}, y_{im})^T$
- Linear Transform from projective space to projective plane
- \mathbf{M} defined up to a scale factor – 11 independent entries

- World – Frame Transform
 - Drop “im” and “w”
 - N pairs $(x_i, y_i) \leftrightarrow (X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$
 - Linear equations of m

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_i \\ v_i \\ w_i \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \\ Z_i \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$Am = 0$$

$$x_i = \frac{u_i}{w_i} = \frac{m_{11}X_i + m_{12}Y_i + m_{13}Z_i + m_{14}}{m_{31}X_i + m_{32}Y_i + m_{33}Z_i + m_{34}}$$

$$y_i = \frac{v_i}{w_i} = \frac{m_{21}X_i + m_{22}Y_i + m_{23}Z_i + m_{24}}{m_{31}X_i + m_{32}Y_i + m_{33}Z_i + m_{34}}$$

- 3x4 Projection Matrix M
 - Both intrinsic (4) and extrinsic (6) – 10 parameters

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} -f_x r_{11} + o_x r_{31} & -f_x r_{12} + o_x r_{32} & -f_x r_{13} + o_x r_{33} & -f_x T_x + o_x T_z \\ -f_y r_{21} + o_y r_{31} & -f_y r_{22} + o_y r_{32} & -f_y r_{23} + o_y r_{33} & -f_y T_y + o_y T_z \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & T_z \end{bmatrix}$$

- World – Frame Transform
 - Drop “im” and “w”
 - N pairs $(x_i, y_i) \leftrightarrow (X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$

$$x_i = \frac{u_i}{w_i} = \frac{m_{11}X_i + m_{12}Y_i + m_{13}Z_i + m_{14}}{m_{31}X_i + m_{32}Y_i + m_{33}Z_i + m_{34}}$$

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- Linear equations of m
 - 2N equations, 11 independent variables
 - N >= 6, SVD => m up to a unknown scale

$$Am = 0$$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1 X_1 & -x_1 Y_1 & -x_1 Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \end{bmatrix}$$

$$m = [m_{11} \ m_{12} \ m_{13} \ m_{14} \ m_{21} \ m_{22} \ m_{23} \ m_{24} \ m_{31} \ m_{32} \ m_{33} \ m_{34}]^T$$

3D Computer Vision
and Video Computing **Step 2: Computing camera parameters**

- 3x4 Projection Matrix M
 - Both intrinsic and extrinsic

$$\hat{\mathbf{M}} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{q}_1 & q_{41} \\ \mathbf{q}_2 & q_{42} \\ \mathbf{q}_3 & q_{43} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} -f_x r_{11} + o_x r_{31} & -f_x r_{12} + o_x r_{32} & -f_x r_{13} + o_x r_{33} & -f_x T_x + o_x T_z \\ -f_y r_{21} + o_y r_{31} & -f_y r_{22} + o_y r_{32} & -f_y r_{23} + o_y r_{33} & -f_y T_y + o_y T_z \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & T_z \end{bmatrix}$$

- From \mathbf{M}^\wedge to parameters (p134-135)
 - Find scale $|\gamma|$ by using unit vector \mathbf{R}_3^\top
 - Determine T_z and sign of γ from m_{34} (i.e. q_{43})
 - Obtain \mathbf{R}_3^\top
 - Find (O_x, O_y) by dot products of Rows q_1, q_3, q_2, q_3 , using the orthogonal constraints of R
 - Determine f_x and f_y from q_1 and q_2 (Eq. 6.19) Wrong???
 - All the rests: $\mathbf{R}_1^\top, \mathbf{R}_2^\top, T_x, T_y$
 - Enforce orthogonality on R?

$$\hat{\mathbf{M}} = \gamma \mathbf{M}$$

3D Computer Vision
and Video Computing **Comparisons**

- Direct parameter method and Projection Matrix method
- Properties in Common:
 - Linear system first, Parameter decomposition second
 - Results should be exactly the same
- Differences
 - Number of variables in homogeneous systems
 - Matrix method: All parameters at once, 2N Equations of 12 variables
 - Direct method in three steps: N Equations of 8 variables, N equations of 2 Variables, Image Center – maybe more stable
 - Assumptions
 - Matrix method: simpler, and more general; sometime projection matrix is sufficient so no need for parameter decomposition
 - Direct method: Assume known image center in the first two steps, and known aspect ratio in estimating image center



- Pick up a well-known technique or a few
- Design and construct calibration patterns (with known 3D)
- Make sure what parameters you want to find for your camera
- Run algorithms on **ideal** simulated data
 - You can either use the data of the real calibration pattern or using computer generated data
 - Define a virtual camera with known intrinsic and extrinsic parameters
 - Generate 2D points from the 3D data using the virtual camera
 - Run algorithms on the 2D-3D data set
- Add **noises** in the simulated data to test the robustness
- Run algorithms on the **real data** (images of calibration target)
- If successful, you are all set
- Otherwise:
 - Check how you select the **distribution** of control points
 - Check the **accuracy** in 3D and 2D localization
 - Check the **robustness** of your algorithms again
 - Develop your own algorithms → **NEW METHODS?**



- 3D reconstruction using two cameras

Stereo Vision & project discussions

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