

# Geometry for Graphics and Vision

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## Computer Graphics

# Geometries

- **Euclidean Geometry**
- **Projective Geometry**

*The Euclidean Space*

# Euclidean Space

## Definitions

### Properties

- N-Dimensional Vector Space ( $N = 2, 3$ )
- Inner Product
- Natural Coordinate System

### Tools

- Linear Algebra

# Elements and Operations

- **Vector Type**

- Constructor / Destructor      $x = [x_1, x_2]$

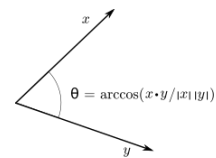
- **Vector Operations**

- Add      $v + w = [v_1 + w_1, v_2 + w_2]$
- Scale      $\lambda x = [\lambda x_1, \lambda x_2]$

- **Null Vector**      $[0,0]$

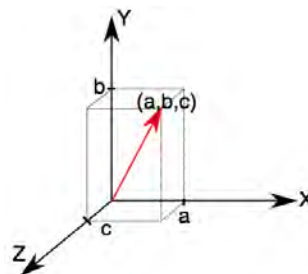
# Metric Properties

- **Inner Product**  $a \cdot b = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i b_i = a_1 b_1 + \dots + a_n b_n$
- **Length and Distance**  $\|a\| = \sqrt{a^2}$   
 $\|a - b\|$
- **Angle**  
 $a \cdot b = \|a\| \|b\| \cos \theta$
- **Unity Vectors**  $\hat{b} = b / \|b\|$



# Coordinates and Bases

- **Canonical Basis**
- **Coordinate Frame**



# Euclidean Transformations

## Linear Operators

$$T: \mathbf{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbf{R}^n$$

- Definition

$$\begin{aligned} T(u + v) &= T(u) + T(v) \\ T(\lambda v) &= \lambda T(v) \end{aligned}$$

- Invertible
- Linear Invariance
  - Subspaces  $\rightarrow$  Subspaces  
(lines  $\rightarrow$  lines)  
(origin  $\rightarrow$  origin)
- Examples
  - Scaling
  - Rotation
  - Shear

## Matrix Representation

- $M$  - Matrix  $n \times n$
- Isomorphism
  - Algebra of Linear Operators
  - Algebra of Matrices
- $T \leftrightarrow M$

$$x' = T(x)$$

$$v \rightarrow Mv$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} ax + by \\ cx + dy \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix}$$

# Isometries

- Metric Preserving
  - $\|T v\| = \|v\|$
  - Invertible
  - Orthonormal Matrix
  - Transformations
    - Rotation
    - Mirror
- **OBS: Translation**
  - Is a Isometry
  - But Cannot be Represented by a Matrix
  - Not a Linear Transformation

# Affine Transformations

$$A(x) = M(x) + t$$

Preserve

- Ratios
- Proportions

Transformations

- Linear Transformations
- Translations

*OBS: Matrix is not sufficient*

# Operations: Assessment & Discussion

## **Properties of Affine Transformations**

- Concepts
  - Congruency
  - Similarity
- Transformations
  - Rigid Motions (Isometry)
  - Uniform Scaling (angle)
- Invariant
  - Angles
  - Parallelism

## **Natural Operations for Modeling**

***No Unified Representation***      $v \rightarrow Mv + t$

*The Projective Space*

# Projective Space (2D)

## Model of Projective Plane

- Point in Real 2D Projective Space

$$p \in \mathbb{RP}^2$$

$$p = (\lambda x_1, \lambda x_2, \lambda x_3) : \lambda \neq 0$$

- Equivalence Relation

$$p = (x_1, x_2, x_3) \equiv \lambda p$$

$$\mathbb{RP}^2 := \mathbb{R}^3 - \{(0, 0, 0)\}$$



## 3D Projective Transformations

### Properties

- Linear Operator in  $\mathbb{R}^4$

$$T : \mathbb{R}^4 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^4$$

- $T$  given by  $M$

$$M, \text{ matrix } 4 \times 4$$

- Projective Transformation Induced by  $T$

$$T(p) = M p$$

- Note

$$T(p) = \lambda T(p), \lambda \neq 0$$



# Anatomy of a Matrix

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} A & T \\ P & S \end{pmatrix}$$

*A* - Linear Block [3 x 3]

*T* - Translation Block [3 x 1]

*P* - Perspective Block [1 x 3]

*S* - Scaling Block [1 x 1]

# Basic Transformations

- **Identity**
- **Scaling**
- **Translation**
- **Perspective**
- **Rotation**

# Scaling

- **Uniform / Non-Uniform**

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & k & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- *OBS: Identity*  $a = f = k = 1$

# Translation

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & d \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & h \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & l \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Perspective

- **Viewing Transformation**

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ m & n & p & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Rotation

- **Multiple Representations**

- Orthogonal Matrix with determinant 1 :  $M_{3 \times 3}$
- Euler Angles :  $R_x(\theta)R_y(\phi)R_z(\gamma)$
- Rotation Axis / Angle :  $(\theta, \hat{x}, \hat{y}, \hat{z})$
- Quaternion :  $q = q_0 + iq_1 + jq_2 + kq_3$
- Rotor (Geometric Algebra) :  $R \in \text{Spin}(V)$

- **Conversion btw Representations**

- **Computation / Derivatives**

- Exponential Map

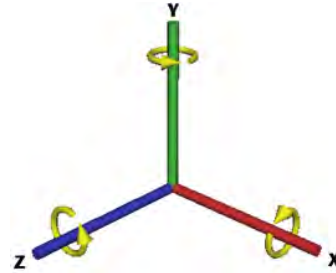
# Standard Rotations

- **Euler Angles - Rotation Matrices**

$$R_x(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ 0 & \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_y(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R_z(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



OBS: Gimbal Lock

# Other Transformations

- **Mirror**
- **Shear**
- **Skew**

# Computer Vision

## Topics



- Projective Geometry
- Camera Calibration


# Projective Geometry

- Camera
  - Projection  
3D => 2D
- Types of Projection
  - Orthographic (Affine)
  - Perspective
  - Etc..

## Vision Problems

- Basic Equation

(correspondence)  $u \in I \subset \mathbb{R}^2$ ,  $x \in \mathbb{R}^3$


$$u = Px$$

- Camera Calibration

$$u = \textcircled{P}x$$

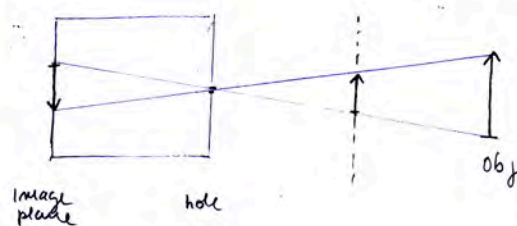
- Shape Reconstruction

$$u = P\textcircled{x}$$

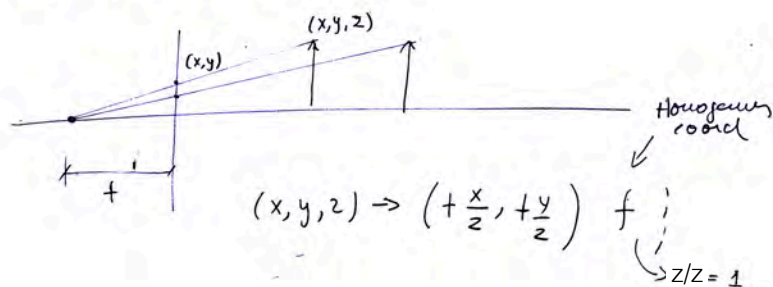
## Variants of the Problem

- One Image
- Many Images
- Depth Image..

## Pinhole Camera



- perspective projection



# Projective / Affine Geometry

- Perspective Transformation

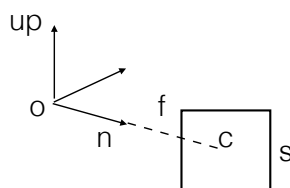
$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/f & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z/f \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \left( f \frac{x}{z}, f \frac{y}{z} \right) \\ \Rightarrow (u, v)$$

- Weak Perspective :  $f \rightarrow \infty$   
(parallel projection)

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \quad - \text{ Affine Geometry}$$

# Vision / Graphics

- Camera Model



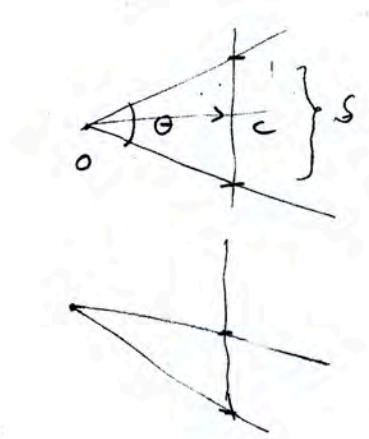
- Camera Parameters

- Position: o
- Orientation: up , n
- Focal Distance: f
- Image Center: c
- Image Size: s

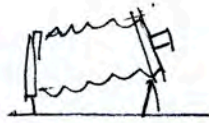


# Field of View

- Pinhole Camera



- View Camera



# Camera Transformation

$$\begin{array}{ccccccc}
 & \text{division} & & \text{translate} & \text{projection} & & \text{position} \\
 & & & \text{scale} & \text{orientation} & & \\
 u = w_d & \underbrace{TS P} & \underbrace{RT} & x \\
 \text{pixel} & \text{normalized} & \text{eye} & \text{world}
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 u = K & \left[ R \mid T \right] & x \\
 \text{intrinsic} & \text{extrinsic} &
 \end{array}$$

$$\underbrace{
 \begin{array}{cc}
 \text{focal} & \text{center} \\
 \begin{bmatrix} f_u & 0 & c_u \\ 0 & f_v & c_v \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} & 
 \begin{bmatrix} 3 \times 3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} & 
 \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \times \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} \\
 & \text{orientation} & \text{position}
 \end{array}
 }_{3 \times 4}$$

OBS:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & d \\ e & f & g & h \\ i & j & k & \textcircled{1} \end{bmatrix}$$

12 parameters (general)

projective transform (scale - normalization)

PS: Compare with CG

## Fundamental Equation

$$u = Px$$

2D pt      camera projection      3D pt

$$u = [KA]x$$

intrinsic (projection)      extrinsic (affine)

# Variants

- Single View
  - Many Points, One Camera

$$u_i = Px_i$$

- Multi View
  - Many Points, Various Cameras (i.e., Images)

$$u_{ik} = P_k x_i$$

# Strategy

- Correspondence
  - Key Assumption

## I. Single View (*pattern recognition*)

Given 3D object and image,  
Find pairs  $(u_i, x_i)$

## II. Multi View (*feature matching / tracking*)

Given N images,  
Find pairs  $(u_i, u_j)_{i \leftrightarrow j}$

# Camera Calibration

*Calibration, Calibration, Calibration,....*

- Inverse Problem

$$u_{ik} = P_k x_i$$

$\longrightarrow$

*assuming correspondences  
compute  $\mathbf{x}$  and/or  $\mathbf{P}$*

- OBS: Graphics is Direct Problem

$$P\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{u}$$

# Single View Metrology

$$u_i = P x_i$$

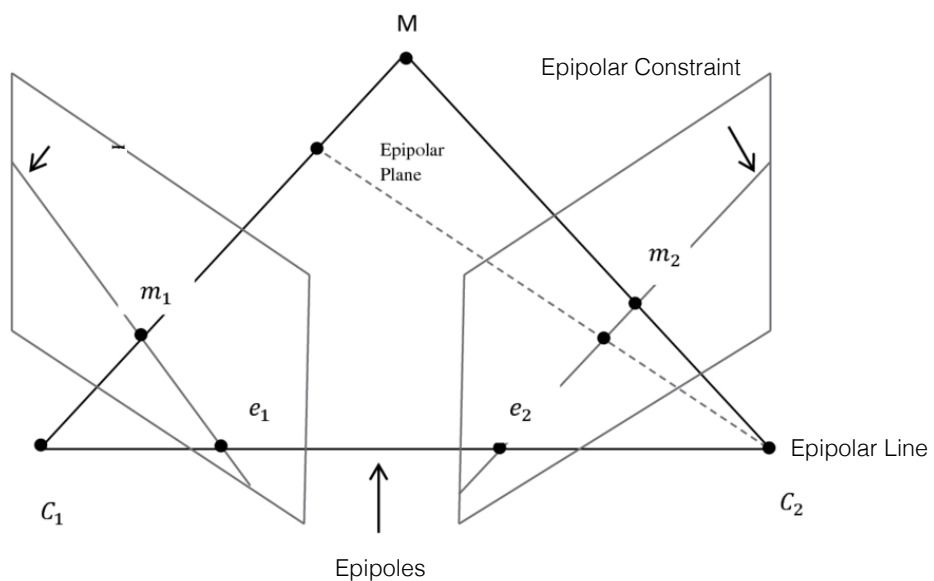
- Problems
  - **Camera Calibration:**  
Given  $(u_i, x_i)$ , find  $P$
  - **Single View Reconstruction:**  
Given  $(\bar{u}\bar{v})_i$ , find  $P$
- Concepts
  - Absolute Conic

# Multi View Metrology

$$u_{ik} = P_k x_i = [K_k A_k] x_i$$

- Problems
  - **Stereo Reconstruction:**  
Given  $(u_{i0})$  and  $P_0, P_1$   
find  $(u_{i1})$
  - **Structure from Motion (SFM):**  
Given  $(u_i, u_j)_{i \leftrightarrow j}$  and  $K_k$   
find  $A_k, x_{i \leftrightarrow j}$
  - **Self Calibration:**  
Given  $(u_i, u_j)_{i \leftrightarrow j}$ ,  
find  $P_k = [KA]_k$

## Epipolar Geometry



# Concepts

- Fundamental Matrix

( $K$  unknown)

$$x'^T F x = 0$$

8 pt Algorithm  
(self calibration)

- Essential Matrix

( $K$  known)

$$E = \boxed{x'^T F x}$$

↓  
*metric object*

5 pt Algorithm  
(SFM)