

球谐函数颜色和位置的梯度



用RGB来替换result

对于deg = 0:

$$\begin{aligned} RGB &= C_0 \cdot sh_0 \\ \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_0} &= C_0 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_0} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_0} = C_0 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \end{aligned}$$

对于deg > 0:

对于球谐函数系数的梯度:

$$\begin{aligned} RGB &= RGB - C_1 \cdot y \cdot sh_1 + C_1 \cdot z \cdot sh_2 - C_1 \cdot x \cdot sh_3 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_1} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_1} = -C_1 \cdot y \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_2} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_2} = C_1 \cdot z \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_3} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_3} = -C_1 \cdot x \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \end{aligned}$$

对于通道 (方向) 的梯度:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial x} &= -C_1 \cdot sh_3 \\ \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial y} &= C_1 \cdot sh_1 \\ \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial z} &= -C_1 \cdot sh_2 \end{aligned}$$

对于deg > 1:

对于球谐函数系数的梯度:

$$\begin{aligned} RGB &= RGB + C_2[0] \cdot xy \cdot sh_4 + C_2[1] \cdot yz \cdot sh_5 + C_2[2] \cdot (2.0 \cdot zz - xx - yy) \cdot sh_6 + \\ &\quad C_2[3] \cdot xz \cdot sh_7 + C_2[4] \cdot (xx - yy) \cdot sh_8 \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_4} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_4} = C_2[0] \cdot xy \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_5} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_5} = C_2[1] \cdot yz \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_6} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_6} = C_2[2] \cdot (2z^2 - x^2 - y^2) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_7} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_7} = C_2[3] \cdot xz \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_8} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_8} = C_2[4] \cdot (x^2 - y^2) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \end{aligned}$$

对于通道 (方向) 的梯度:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial x} &= C_2[0] \cdot y \cdot sh_4 + C_2[1] \cdot -2x \cdot sh_6 + C_2[3] \cdot z \cdot sh_7 + C_2[4] \cdot 2x \cdot sh_8 \\ \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial y} &= C_2[0] \cdot x \cdot sh_4 + C_2[1] \cdot z \cdot sh_5 + C_2[2] \cdot -2y \cdot sh_6 + C_2[4] \cdot -2y \cdot sh_8 \\ \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial z} &= C_2[1] \cdot y \cdot sh_5 + C_2[2] \cdot 4z \cdot sh_6 + C_2[3] \cdot x \cdot sh_7 \end{aligned}$$

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if (deg > 2)
{
    float drGBdsh9 = SH_C3[0] * y * (3.f * xx - yy);
    float drGBdsh10 = SH_C3[1] * xy * z;
    float drGBdsh11 = SH_C3[2] * y * (4.f * zz - xx - yy);
    float drGBdsh12 = SH_C3[3] * z * (2.f * zz - 3.f * xx - 3.f * yy);
    float drGBdsh13 = SH_C3[4] * x * (4.f * zz - xx - yy);
    float drGBdsh14 = SH_C3[5] * z * (xx - yy);
    float drGBdsh15 = SH_C3[6] * x * (xx - 3.f * yy);
    dt_dsh[9] = drGBdsh9 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[10] = drGBdsh10 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[11] = drGBdsh11 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[12] = drGBdsh12 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[13] = drGBdsh13 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[14] = drGBdsh14 * dL_dRGB;
    dt_dsh[15] = drGBdsh15 * dL_dRGB;

    drGBdx += (
        SH_C3[0] * sh[9] * 3.f * 2.f * xy +
        SH_C3[1] * sh[10] * yz +
        SH_C3[2] * sh[11] * -2.f * xy +
        SH_C3[3] * sh[12] * -3.f * 2.f * xz +
        SH_C3[4] * sh[13] * (-3.f * xx + 4.f * zz - yy) +
        SH_C3[5] * sh[14] * 2.f * xz +
        SH_C3[6] * sh[15] * 3.f * (xx - yy));

    drGBdy += (
        SH_C3[0] * sh[9] * 3.f * (xx - yy) +
        SH_C3[1] * sh[10] * xz +
        SH_C3[2] * sh[11] * (-3.f * yy + 4.f * zz - xx) +
        SH_C3[3] * sh[12] * -3.f * 2.f * yz +
        SH_C3[4] * sh[13] * -2.f * xy +
        SH_C3[5] * sh[14] * -2.f * yz +
        SH_C3[6] * sh[15] * -3.f * 2.f * xy);

    drGBdz += (
        SH_C3[1] * sh[10] * xy +
        SH_C3[2] * sh[11] * 4.f * 2.f * yz +
        SH_C3[3] * sh[12] * 3.f * (2.f * zz - xx - yy) +
        SH_C3[4] * sh[13] * 4.f * 2.f * xz +
        SH_C3[5] * sh[14] * (xx - yy));
}

SH_C2[1] * yz * sh[5] +
SH_C2[2] * (2.0f * zz - xx - yy) * sh[6] +
SH_C2[3] * xz * sh[7] +
SH_C2[4] * (xx - yy) * sh[8];

if (deg > 2)
{
    result = result +
        SH_C3[0] * y * (3.0f * xx - yy) * sh[9] +
        SH_C3[1] * xy * z * sh[10] +
        SH_C3[2] * y * (4.0f * zz - xx - yy) * sh[11] +
        SH_C3[3] * z * (2.0f * zz - 3.0f * xx - 3.0f * yy) * sh[12] +
        SH_C3[4] * x * (4.0f * zz - xx - yy) * sh[13] +
        SH_C3[5] * z * (xx - yy) * sh[14] +
        SH_C3[6] * x * (xx - 3.0f * yy) * sh[15];
}
}
result += 0.5f;

// RGB colors are clamped to positive values. If values are
// clamped, we need to keep track of this for the backward pass.
clamped[3 * idx + 0] = (result.x < 0);
clamped[3 * idx + 1] = (result.y < 0);
clamped[3 * idx + 2] = (result.z < 0);
return glm::max(result, 0.0f);
}

// Forward version of 2D covariance matrix computation
_device_ float3 computeCov2D(const float3& mean, float focal_x, float focal_y, float focal_z)
{
    // The following models the steps outlined by equations 29
    // and 31 in "EMA Splatting" (Zwicker et al., 2002).
    // Additionally considers aspect / scaling of viewport.
    // Transposes used to account for row-/column-major conventions.
    float3 t = transformPoint4x3(mean, viewmatrix);

    const float limx = 1.3f * tan_fovx;
    const float limy = 1.3f * tan_fovy;
    const float txtz = t.x / t.z;
    const float tytz = t.y / t.z;
    t.x = min(limx, max(-limx, txtz)) * t.z;
    t.y = min(limy, max(-limy, tytz)) * t.z;
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对于deg > 2:

对于球谐函数系数的梯度:

$$\begin{aligned}
RGB &= RGB + SH_C3[0] \cdot y \cdot (3.0f \cdot xx - yy) \cdot sh_9 + SH_C3[1] \cdot xy \cdot z \cdot sh_{10} + SH_C3[2] \cdot y \cdot (4.0f \cdot zz - xx - yy) \cdot sh_{11} + \\
&\quad SH_C3[3] \cdot z \cdot (2.0f \cdot zz - 3.0f \cdot xx - 3.0f \cdot yy) \cdot sh_{12} + SH_C3[4] \cdot x \cdot (4.0f \cdot zz - xx - yy) \cdot sh_{13} + \\
&\quad SH_C3[5] \cdot z \cdot (xx - yy) \cdot sh_{14} + SH_C3[6] \cdot x \cdot (xx - 3.0f \cdot yy) \cdot sh_{15} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_9} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_9} = SH_C3[0] \cdot y \cdot (3.0f \cdot xx - yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{10}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{10}} = SH_C3[1] \cdot xy \cdot z \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{11}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{11}} = SH_C3[2] \cdot y \cdot (4.0f \cdot zz - xx - yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{12}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{12}} = SH_C3[3] \cdot z \cdot (2.0f \cdot zz - 3.0f \cdot xx - 3.0f \cdot yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{13}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{13}} = SH_C3[4] \cdot x \cdot (4.0f \cdot zz - xx - yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{14}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{14}} = SH_C3[5] \cdot z \cdot (xx - yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \\
\frac{\partial L}{\partial sh_{15}} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB} \cdot \frac{\partial RGB}{\partial sh_{15}} = SH_C3[6] \cdot x \cdot (xx - 3.0f \cdot yy) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial RGB}
\end{aligned}$$

对于通道（方向）的梯度：

$$\begin{aligned}
\frac{\partial RGB}{\partial x} &= SH_C3[0] \cdot sh_9 \cdot 3.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot xy + SH_C3[1] \cdot sh_{10} \cdot yz + SH_C3[2] \cdot sh_{11} \cdot (-2.0f \cdot xy + \\
&\quad SH_C3[3] \cdot sh_{12} \cdot (-3.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot xz + SH_C3[4] \cdot sh_{13} \cdot (-3.0f \cdot xx + 4.0f \cdot zz - yy) + \\
&\quad SH_C3[5] \cdot sh_{14} \cdot 2.0f \cdot xz + SH_C3[6] \cdot sh_{15} \cdot 3.0f \cdot (xx - yy)) \\
\frac{\partial RGB}{\partial y} &= SH_C3[0] \cdot sh_9 \cdot 3.0f \cdot (xx - yy) + SH_C3[1] \cdot sh_{10} \cdot xz + SH_C3[2] \cdot sh_{11} \cdot (-3.0f \cdot yy + 4.0f \cdot zz - xx) + \\
&\quad SH_C3[3] \cdot sh_{12} \cdot (-3.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot yz + SH_C3[4] \cdot sh_{13} \cdot (-2.0f \cdot xy + \\
&\quad SH_C3[5] \cdot sh_{14} \cdot (-2.0f \cdot yz + SH_C3[6] \cdot sh_{15} \cdot (-3.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot xy \\
\frac{\partial RGB}{\partial z} &= SH_C3[1] \cdot sh_{10} \cdot xy + SH_C3[2] \cdot sh_{11} \cdot 4.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot yz + \\
&\quad SH_C3[3] \cdot sh_{12} \cdot 3.0f \cdot (2.0f \cdot zz - xx - yy) + SH_C3[4] \cdot sh_{13} \cdot 4.0f \cdot 2.0f \cdot xz + \\
&\quad SH_C3[5] \cdot sh_{14} \cdot (xx - yy)
\end{aligned}$$

二维协方差矩阵三个参数a、b、c的梯度

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// Gradients of loss w.r.t. entries of 2D covariance matrix,
// given gradients of loss w.r.t. conic matrix (inverse covariance matrix).
// e.g., dL / da = dL / d_conic_a * d_conic_a / da
dL_da = denom2inv * (-c * c * dL_dconic.x + 2 * b * c * dL_dconic.y + (denom - a * c) * dL_dconic.z);
dL_dc = denom2inv * (-a * a * dL_dconic.z + 2 * a * b * dL_dconic.y + (denom - a * c) * dL_dconic.x);
dL_db = denom2inv * 2 * (b * c * dL_dconic.x - (denom + 2 * b * b) * dL_dconic.y + a * b * dL_dconic.z);
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二维协方差矩阵的三个参数 a 、 b 和 c 对应的是以下矩阵形式：

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{bmatrix}$$

损失函数 L 对应的是通过逆变换（即矩阵的逆）求出的一个二次曲线矩阵（conic matrix）。假设我们有以下损失函数：

$$L = f(\mathbf{C}^{-1})$$

我们要计算损失函数 L 对协方差矩阵 \mathbf{C} 中参数的 a 、 b 和 c 梯度。
首先，我们需要知道 \mathbf{C} 的逆矩阵：

$$\mathbf{C}^{-1} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \begin{bmatrix} c & -b \\ -b & a \end{bmatrix}$$

其中 $\det(\mathbf{C}) = ac - b^2$ 是矩阵 \mathbf{C} 的行列式。
假设我们有以下损失函数：

$$L = f(\mathbf{C}^{-1}) = f\left(\frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \begin{bmatrix} c & -b \\ -b & a \end{bmatrix}\right)$$

$$\text{记 } \mathbf{C}^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} C_{11} & C_{12} \\ C_{12} & C_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

损失函数 L 对 \mathbf{C} 中元素 a 、 b 和 c 的梯度分别为：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{11}} \cdot \frac{\partial C_{11}}{\partial a} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{12}} \cdot \frac{\partial C_{12}}{\partial a} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{22}} \cdot \frac{\partial C_{22}}{\partial a}$$

类似地，可以写出 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b}$ 和 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial c}$ 。

我们分别计算各项的偏导数，同时还需要考虑 $\det(\mathbf{C})$ 对各项的影响，因为 $\det(\mathbf{C}) = ac - b^2$ ：

$$\frac{\partial \det(\mathbf{C})}{\partial a} = c, \quad \frac{\partial \det(\mathbf{C})}{\partial b} = -2b, \quad \frac{\partial \det(\mathbf{C})}{\partial c} = a$$

因此我们需要使用链式法则：

$$\frac{\partial C_{11}}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left(\frac{c}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \right) = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \cdot \frac{\partial c}{\partial a} - \frac{c}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2} \cdot \frac{\partial \det(\mathbf{C})}{\partial a} = -\frac{c^2}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_{12}}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left(-\frac{b}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \right) = \frac{-b \cdot (-c)}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2} = \frac{bc}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial C_{22}}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left(\frac{a}{\det(\mathbf{C})} \right) = \frac{a^2 - ac}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2}$$

所以，

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial a} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2} \left(-c^2 \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{11}} + 2bc \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{12}} + (ac - a^2) \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{22}} \right)$$

同理可以得到 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b}$ 和 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial c}$ 。

这样，我们就得到了以下公式：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c} = \frac{1}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2} \left(-a^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_c} + 2ab \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_b} + (\det(\mathbf{C}) - ac) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_a} \right)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial b} = \frac{2}{\det(\mathbf{C})^2} \left(bc \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_a} - (\det(\mathbf{C}) + 2b^2) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_b} + ab \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic}_c} \right)$$

三维协方差矩阵六个参数cov3D[0,1,2,3,4,5]的梯度

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// Gradients of loss L w.r.t. each 3D covariance matrix (Vrk) entry,
// given gradients w.r.t. 2D covariance matrix (diagonal).
// cov2D = transpose(T) * transpose(Vrk) * T;
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 0] = (T[0][0] * T[0][0] * dL_da + T[0][0] * T[1][0] * dL_db + T[1][0] * T[1][0] * dL_dc);
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 3] = (T[0][1] * T[0][1] * dL_da + T[0][1] * T[1][1] * dL_db + T[1][1] * T[1][1] * dL_dc);
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 5] = (T[0][2] * T[0][2] * dL_da + T[0][2] * T[1][2] * dL_db + T[1][2] * T[1][2] * dL_dc);

// Gradients of loss L w.r.t. each 3D covariance matrix (Vrk) entry,
// given gradients w.r.t. 2D covariance matrix (off-diagonal).
// Off-diagonal elements appear twice --> double the gradient.
// cov2D = transpose(T) * transpose(Vrk) * T;
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 1] = 2 * T[0][0] * T[0][1] * dL_da + (T[0][0] * T[1][1] + T[0][1] * T[1][0]) * dL_db + 2 * T[1][0] * T[1][1] * dL_dc;
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 2] = 2 * T[0][0] * T[0][2] * dL_da + (T[0][0] * T[1][2] + T[0][2] * T[1][0]) * dL_db + 2 * T[1][0] * T[1][2] * dL_dc;
dL_dcov[6 * idx + 4] = 2 * T[0][1] * T[0][2] * dL_da + (T[0][1] * T[1][2] + T[0][2] * T[1][1]) * dL_db + 2 * T[1][1] * T[1][2] * dL_dc;
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首先，我们定义三维协方差矩阵 \mathbf{V}_{rk} 为：

$$\mathbf{V}_{rk} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{cov3D}[0] & \text{cov3D}[1] & \text{cov3D}[2] \\ \text{cov3D}[1] & \text{cov3D}[3] & \text{cov3D}[4] \\ \text{cov3D}[2] & \text{cov3D}[4] & \text{cov3D}[5] \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_{00} & V_{01} & V_{02} \\ V_{10} & V_{11} & V_{12} \\ V_{20} & V_{21} & V_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$

二维协方差矩阵 \mathbf{C} 的计算公式为：

$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{T}^T \mathbf{V}_{rk} \mathbf{T}$$

其中 \mathbf{T} 矩阵是由视图矩阵 \mathbf{W} 和 Jacobian 矩阵 \mathbf{J} 相乘得到的，即 $\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{WJ}$ 。

投影矩阵 \mathbf{T} 是 2×3 矩阵：

$$\mathbf{T} = \begin{bmatrix} T_{00} & T_{01} & T_{02} \\ T_{10} & T_{11} & T_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

二维协方差矩阵 \mathbf{C} 的形式为：

$$\mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b \\ b & c \end{bmatrix}$$

我们需要通过 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial a}$ 、 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b}$ 和 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial c}$ 计算 \mathbf{V} 矩阵中各个元素的梯度 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}}$ 。根据链式法则，我们有：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} \cdot \frac{\partial a}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} \cdot \frac{\partial b}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \cdot \frac{\partial c}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}}$$

首先，我们需要计算 a 、 b 和 c 对 \mathbf{V} 矩阵中各个元素的梯度。

其中，二维协方差矩阵的 $(0, 0)$ 元素 C_{00} 是：

$$C_{00} = \mathbf{T}_{00}^2 \mathbf{V}_{00} + 2\mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{V}_{01} + \mathbf{T}_{01}^2 \mathbf{V}_{11} + 2\mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{02} \mathbf{V}_{02} + 2\mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{T}_{02} \mathbf{V}_{12} + \mathbf{T}_{02}^2 \mathbf{V}_{22}$$

但实际应用中，如果只考虑二维投影，忽略第三维的影响，可以简化计算过程。

那么 a 就是：

$$a = \mathbf{T}_{00}^2 \mathbf{V}_{00} + 2\mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{V}_{01} + \mathbf{T}_{01}^2 \mathbf{V}_{11}$$

因此：

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial a}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} &= \mathbf{T}_{00}^2 \\ \frac{\partial a}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{01}} &= 2\mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{01} \\ \frac{\partial a}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{11}} &= \mathbf{T}_{01}^2 \end{aligned}$$

同理，我们可以得到 b 和 c 的偏导数：

$$b = \mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{10} \mathbf{V}_{00} + (\mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{11} + \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{T}_{10}) \mathbf{V}_{01} + \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{T}_{11} \mathbf{V}_{11}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial b}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} &= \mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{10} \\ \frac{\partial b}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{01}} &= \mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{11} + \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{T}_{10} \\ \frac{\partial b}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{11}} &= \mathbf{T}_{01} \mathbf{T}_{11} \\ c &= \mathbf{T}_{10}^2 \mathbf{V}_{00} + 2\mathbf{T}_{10} \mathbf{T}_{11} \mathbf{V}_{01} + \mathbf{T}_{11}^2 \mathbf{V}_{11} \\ \frac{\partial c}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} &= \mathbf{T}_{10}^2 \\ \frac{\partial c}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{01}} &= 2\mathbf{T}_{10} \mathbf{T}_{11} \\ \frac{\partial c}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{11}} &= \mathbf{T}_{11}^2 \end{aligned}$$

接下来，我们将这些结果代入到计算 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{ij}}$ 的公式中。以 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}}$ 为例：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} \cdot \frac{\partial a}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} \cdot \frac{\partial b}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \cdot \frac{\partial c}{\partial \mathbf{V}_{00}}$$

将其代入代码中得到：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 0] = \mathbf{T}_{00}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + \mathbf{T}_{00} \mathbf{T}_{10} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + \mathbf{T}_{10}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c}$$

同理，可以计算其他元素的梯度：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 1] &= 2\mathbf{T}_{00}\mathbf{T}_{01} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + (\mathbf{T}_{00}\mathbf{T}_{11} + \mathbf{T}_{01}\mathbf{T}_{10}) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + 2\mathbf{T}_{10}\mathbf{T}_{11} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 2] &= 2\mathbf{T}_{00}\mathbf{T}_{02} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + (\mathbf{T}_{00}\mathbf{T}_{12} + \mathbf{T}_{02}\mathbf{T}_{10}) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + 2\mathbf{T}_{10}\mathbf{T}_{12} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 3] &= \mathbf{T}_{01}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + \mathbf{T}_{01}\mathbf{T}_{11} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + \mathbf{T}_{11}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 4] &= 2\mathbf{T}_{01}\mathbf{T}_{02} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + (\mathbf{T}_{01}\mathbf{T}_{12} + \mathbf{T}_{02}\mathbf{T}_{11}) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + 2\mathbf{T}_{11}\mathbf{T}_{12} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{cov}}[6 \cdot \text{idx} + 5] &= \mathbf{T}_{02}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial a} + \mathbf{T}_{02}\mathbf{T}_{12} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} + \mathbf{T}_{12}^2 \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial c}\end{aligned}$$

二维投影协方差矩阵和损失函数对中间矩阵T的梯度的关系

```
// Gradients of loss w.r.t. upper 2x3 portion of intermediate matrix T
// cov2D = transpose(T) * transpose(Vrk) * T;
float dL_dT00 = 2 * (T[0][0] * Vrk[0][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[0][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[0][2]) * dL_da +
    (T[1][0] * Vrk[0][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[0][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[0][2]) * dL_db;
float dL_dT01 = 2 * (T[0][0] * Vrk[1][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[1][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[1][2]) * dL_da +
    (T[1][0] * Vrk[1][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[1][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[1][2]) * dL_db;
float dL_dT02 = 2 * (T[0][0] * Vrk[2][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[2][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[2][2]) * dL_da +
    (T[1][0] * Vrk[2][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[2][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[2][2]) * dL_db;
float dL_dT10 = 2 * (T[1][0] * Vrk[0][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[0][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[0][2]) * dL_dc +
    (T[0][0] * Vrk[0][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[0][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[0][2]) * dL_db;
float dL_dT11 = 2 * (T[1][0] * Vrk[1][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[1][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[1][2]) * dL_dc +
    (T[0][0] * Vrk[1][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[1][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[1][2]) * dL_db;
float dL_dT12 = 2 * (T[1][0] * Vrk[2][0] + T[1][1] * Vrk[2][1] + T[1][2] * Vrk[2][2]) * dL_dc +
    (T[0][0] * Vrk[2][0] + T[0][1] * Vrk[2][1] + T[0][2] * Vrk[2][2]) * dL_db;
```

二维协方差矩阵的表达为：

$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{T}\mathbf{V}_{\text{rk}}\mathbf{T}^T$$

其中， \mathbf{T} 是一个 2×3 的矩阵， \mathbf{V}_{rk} 是一个 3×3 的协方差矩阵。假设损失函数 L 是二维协方差矩阵的一些函数，为了求损失函数对 \mathbf{T} 的梯度，可是使用链式法则来计算：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{ij}} = \sum_{k,l} \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{kl}} \frac{C_{kl}}{\partial T_{ij}}$$

需要计算的是 $\frac{C_{kl}}{\partial T_{ij}}$ ，二维协方差矩阵的元素 C_{kl} 是通过 T 和 V_{rk} 计算得到的。

$$C_{kl} = \sum_{m,n} \mathbf{T}_{mk} \mathbf{V}_{rk} \mathbf{T}_{ln}$$

其中 m, n 分别从0到2，需要关注的是对 \mathbf{T}_{ij} 的偏导数：

$$\frac{\partial C_{kl}}{\partial T_{ij}} = \frac{\partial}{\partial T_{ij}} \left(\sum_{m,n} T_{mk} V_{rk} T_{ln} \right)$$

需要考虑 T_{ij} 出现在求和中的位置，假设 $i = 0$ 和 $k = l = 0$ ，则：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial C_{00}}{\partial T_{00}} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial T_{00}} (T_{00} V_{rk00} T_{00} + T_{00} V_{rk01} T_{01} + T_{01} V_{rk10} T_{00} + \\ &\quad T_{01} V_{rk11} T_{01} + T_{02} V_{rk20} T_{00} + T_{02} V_{rk21} T_{01} + \dots)\end{aligned}$$

由此可以看出， C_{00} 的梯度包括了对所有涉及 \mathbf{T}_{00} 的项的导数。

而前一部分， $\frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{kl}}$ 可以直接带入 a, b, c 来表达，比如： $\frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{00}} = \frac{dL}{da}, \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{01}} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{10}} = \frac{dL}{db}, \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_{11}} = \frac{dL}{dc}$ 。

计算二维协方差矩阵对 \mathbf{T} 的梯度

考虑 \mathbf{T} 的各个元素 T_{ij} 的梯度：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{00}} = 2(T_{00} V_{rk00} + T_{01} V_{rk01} + T_{02} V_{rk02}) \frac{dL}{da} + (T_{10} V_{rk00} + T_{11} V_{rk01} + T_{12} V_{rk02}) \frac{dL}{db}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{01}} &= 2(T_{00}Vrk_{10} + T_{01}Vrk_{11} + T_{02}Vrk_{12})\frac{dL}{da} + (T_{10}Vrk_{10} + T_{11}Vrk_{11} + T_{12}Vrk_{12})\frac{dL}{db} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{02}} &= 2(T_{00}Vrk_{20} + T_{01}Vrk_{21} + T_{02}Vrk_{22})\frac{dL}{da} + (T_{10}Vrk_{20} + T_{11}Vrk_{21} + T_{12}Vrk_{22})\frac{dL}{db} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{10}} &= 2(T_{10}Vrk_{00} + T_{11}Vrk_{01} + T_{12}Vrk_{02})\frac{dL}{dc} + (T_{00}Vrk_{00} + T_{01}Vrk_{01} + T_{02}Vrk_{02})\frac{dL}{db} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{11}} &= 2(T_{10}Vrk_{10} + T_{11}Vrk_{11} + T_{12}Vrk_{12})\frac{dL}{dc} + (T_{00}Vrk_{10} + T_{01}Vrk_{11} + T_{02}Vrk_{12})\frac{dL}{db} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{12}} &= 2(T_{10}Vrk_{20} + T_{11}Vrk_{21} + T_{12}Vrk_{22})\frac{dL}{dc} + (T_{00}Vrk_{20} + T_{01}Vrk_{21} + T_{02}Vrk_{22})\frac{dL}{db}\end{aligned}$$

计算二维协方差矩阵对J的梯度：

```
// Gradients of loss w.r.t. upper 3x2 non-zero entries of Jacobian matrix
// T = W * J
float dL_dJ00 = W[0][0] * dL_dT00 + W[0][1] * dL_dT01 + W[0][2] * dL_dT02;
float dL_dJ02 = W[2][0] * dL_dT00 + W[2][1] * dL_dT01 + W[2][2] * dL_dT02;
float dL_dJ11 = W[1][0] * dL_dT10 + W[1][1] * dL_dT11 + W[1][2] * dL_dT12;
float dL_dJ12 = W[2][0] * dL_dT10 + W[2][1] * dL_dT11 + W[2][2] * dL_dT12;
```

考虑 \mathbf{T} 的各个元素 T_{ij} 的梯度,如是一个section所示。

这些公式考虑了每个 T_{ij} 对损失函数 L 的影响,并使用了链式法则将对二维协方差矩阵元素的梯度传递回 \mathbf{T} 矩阵的梯度。

接下来求上三行两列非零部分的雅可比矩阵

给定 $\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{WJ}$, 我们可以通过链式法则计算损失函数 L 对雅可比矩阵 \mathbf{J} 的梯度。

$$\frac{\partial T_{ij}}{\partial J_{kj}} = W_{ik}$$

因此：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{kj}} = \sum_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{ij}} W_{ik}$$

具体计算如下：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{00}} &= W_{00} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{00}} + W_{01} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{01}} + W_{02} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{02}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{02}} &= W_{20} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{00}} + W_{21} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{01}} + W_{22} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{02}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{11}} &= W_{10} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{10}} + W_{11} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{11}} + W_{12} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{12}} &= W_{20} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{10}} + W_{21} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{11}} + W_{22} \frac{\partial L}{\partial T_{12}}\end{aligned}$$

高斯均值 t 的梯度

```
// Gradients of loss w.r.t. transformed Gaussian mean t
float dL_dtx = x_grad_mul * -h_x * tz2 * dL_dJ02;
float dL_dty = y_grad_mul * -h_y * tz2 * dL_dJ12;
float dL_dtz = -h_x * tz2 * dL_dJ00 - h_y * tz2 * dL_dJ11 + (2 * h_x * t.x) * tz3 * dL_dJ02 + (2 * h_y * t.y) * tz3 * dL_dJ12;

// Account for transformation of mean to t
// t = transformPoint4x3(mean, view_matrix);
float3 dL_dmean = transformVec4x3Transpose({ dL_dtx, dL_dty, dL_dtz }, view_matrix);

// Gradients of loss w.r.t. Gaussian means, but only the portion
// that is caused because the mean affects the covariance matrix.
// Additional mean gradient is accumulated in BACKWARD::preprocess.
dL_dmeans[idx] = dL_dmean;
```

首先，，定义相关变量： $tz = \frac{1}{t_z}$ ，这里只涉及到代码，以下推导内容不采用这种表达。

$$tz2 = tz^2$$

$$tz3 = tz^3$$

首先，根据链式法则： $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t_x} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{02}} \cdot \frac{\partial J_{02}}{\partial t_z}$ 。其中 $\frac{\partial J_{02}}{\partial t_z}$ 是一个由几何变换决定的项，因为试图变换后， t_x 会受到 t_z 的影响。则有： $\frac{\partial J_{02}}{\partial t_x} = -h_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2}$ 。再乘以一个标量系数就是该项的梯度。同理， $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t_y} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{12}} \cdot \frac{\partial J_{12}}{\partial t_z}$ ，根据几何变换的影响，可以得出 $\frac{\partial J_{12}}{\partial t_y} = -h_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2}$ ，再乘以标量系数可以得到对应结果。但是对于 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t_z}$ ，因为 t_z 会收到 t_x, t_y, t_z 的

影响，所以 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial t_z} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{00}} \cdot \frac{\partial J_{00}}{\partial t_z} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{11}} \cdot \frac{\partial J_{11}}{\partial t_z} + \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{12}} \cdot \frac{\partial J_{12}}{\partial t_z}$ 。根据几何变换的影响，有

$$\frac{\partial J_{00}}{\partial t_z} = -h_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2}, \frac{\partial J_{11}}{\partial t_z} = -h_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2}, \frac{\partial J_{02}}{\partial t_z} = 2h_x t_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^3}, \frac{\partial J_{12}}{\partial t_z} = 2h_y t_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^3}$$

接下来，计算损失函数 L 相对于变换后高斯均值 \mathbf{t} 的梯度：

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_x} &= x_grad_mul \cdot \left(-h_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{02}} \right) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_y} &= y_grad_mul \cdot \left(-h_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{12}} \right) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_z} &= -h_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{00}} - h_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^2} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{11}} + 2h_x t_x \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^3} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{02}} + 2h_y t_y \cdot \frac{1}{t_z^3} \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial J_{12}} \end{aligned}$$

然后，考虑均值 \mathbf{t} 到 **mean** 的变换：

$$\mathbf{dL_dmean} = \text{transformVec4x3Transpose} \left(\begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_x} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_y} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial t_z} \end{pmatrix}, \mathbf{view_matrix} \right)$$

最终，损失函数 L 相对于高斯均值 **means** 的梯度，仅包含因为均值影响协方差矩阵的部分：

$$dL_dmeans[idx] = dL_dmean$$

三维协方差矩阵的梯度

```
// Convert per-element covariance loss gradients to matrix form
glm::mat3 dL_dSigma = glm::mat3(
    dL_dcov3D[0], 0.5f * dL_dcov3D[1], 0.5f * dL_dcov3D[2],
    0.5f * dL_dcov3D[1], dL_dcov3D[3], 0.5f * dL_dcov3D[4],
    0.5f * dL_dcov3D[2], 0.5f * dL_dcov3D[4], dL_dcov3D[5]
);

// Compute loss gradient w.r.t. matrix M
// dSigma_dM = 2 * M
glm::mat3 dL_dM = 2.0f * M * dL_dSigma;
```

定义四元数 $q = (r, x, y, z)$ ，可以得到旋转矩阵 R 和缩放矩阵 S ：

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2(y^2 + z^2) & 2(xy - rz) & 2(xz + ry) \\ 2(xy + rz) & 1 - 2(x^2 + z^2) & 2(yz - rx) \\ 2(xz - ry) & 2(yz + rx) & 1 - 2(x^2 + y^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$S = \begin{pmatrix} s.x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s.y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s.z \end{pmatrix}$$

矩阵 M 是旋转矩阵和缩放矩阵的乘积：

$$M = S \cdot R$$

损失函数 L 相对于协方差矩阵的梯度为 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \Sigma}$ ，在代码里写作 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial Sigma}$ 。我们需要先计算 M 对 Σ 的梯度，即 $\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial M} = 2M$ 这个是怎么来的，啰嗦两句：因为 Σ 是 M 去掉了对称部分，或者说， Σ 是 M 的对称部分： $\Sigma = M \cdot M^T$ 。那么：

$$\frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial M} = \frac{\partial (M \cdot M^T)}{\partial M} = \frac{\partial M}{\partial M} \cdot M^T + M \cdot \frac{\partial M^T}{\partial M} \quad (\text{这里用到一个叫做 } Kronecker \text{ 乘积来化简})$$

$$= 2M$$

损失函数相对于矩阵 M 的梯度为：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \Sigma} \cdot \frac{\partial \Sigma}{\partial M} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \Sigma} \cdot 2M$$

缩放参数的梯度

```
// Gradients of loss w.r.t. scale
glm::vec3* dL_dscale = dL_dscales + idx;
dL_dscale->x = glm::dot(Rt[0], dL_dMt[0]);
dL_dscale->y = glm::dot(Rt[1], dL_dMt[1]);
dL_dscale->z = glm::dot(Rt[2], dL_dMt[2]);

dL_dMt[0] *= s.x;
dL_dMt[1] *= s.y;
dL_dMt[2] *= s.z;
```

代码中有些参数进行了进一步的定义：比如 Rt 定义为 R 矩阵的转置， dL_dMt 定义为 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial M}$ 的转置。由于：

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial s_x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot R$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial s_y} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot R$$

$$\frac{\partial M}{\partial s_z} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot R$$

对损失函数 (L) 关于缩放因子的梯度可以写作：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_x} = \text{trace} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \cdot \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_x} \right) = \text{dot}(R^T[0], \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_x})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_y} = \text{trace} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \cdot \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_y} \right) = \text{dot}(R^T[1], \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_y})$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial s_z} = \text{trace} \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \cdot \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_z} \right) = \text{dot}(R^T[2], \frac{\partial M}{\partial s_z})$$

旋转四元数的梯度

```
// Gradients of loss w.r.t. normalized quaternion
glm::vec4 dL_dq;
dL_dq.x = 2 * z * (dL_dMt[0][1] - dL_dMt[1][0]) + 2 * y * (dL_dMt[2][0] - dL_dMt[0][2]) + 2 * x * (dL_dMt[1][2] - dL_dMt[2][1]);
dL_dq.y = 2 * y * (dL_dMt[1][0] + dL_dMt[0][1]) + 2 * z * (dL_dMt[2][0] + dL_dMt[0][2]) + 2 * r * (dL_dMt[1][2] - dL_dMt[2][1]) - 4 * x * (dL_dMt[2][2] + dL_dMt[1][1]);
dL_dq.z = 2 * x * (dL_dMt[1][0] + dL_dMt[0][1]) + 2 * r * (dL_dMt[2][0] - dL_dMt[0][2]) + 2 * z * (dL_dMt[1][2] + dL_dMt[2][1]) - 4 * y * (dL_dMt[2][2] + dL_dMt[0][0]);
dL_dq.w = 2 * r * (dL_dMt[0][1] - dL_dMt[1][0]) + 2 * x * (dL_dMt[2][0] + dL_dMt[0][2]) + 2 * y * (dL_dMt[1][2] + dL_dMt[2][1]) - 4 * z * (dL_dMt[1][1] + dL_dMt[0][0]);

// Gradients of loss w.r.t. unnormalized quaternion
float4* dL_drot = (float4*)(dL_drots + idx);
*dL_drot = float4{ dL_dq.x, dL_dq.y, dL_dq.z, dL_dq.w }; // dnormv(float4{ rot.x, rot.y, rot.z, rot.w }, float4{ dL_dq.x, dL_dq.y, dL_dq.z, dL_dq.w });
```

四元数 q 对应的旋转矩阵 R 的梯度较为复杂，需要考虑每个元素对四元数的偏导数。为了简化表示，我们定义旋转矩阵的元素 R_{ij} 对四元数 q 的梯度为 $\frac{\partial R_{ij}}{\partial q_k}$ 。

假设 $dL_d M_{ij}$ 是 $dL_d M$ 中的第 i 行第 j 列元素，则四元数梯度的每个分量可以表示为：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_x} &= \sum_{i,j} \frac{\partial L}{\partial M_{ij}} \cdot \frac{\partial M_{ij}}{\partial q_x} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_y} &= \sum_{i,j} \frac{\partial L}{\partial M_{ij}} \cdot \frac{\partial M_{ij}}{\partial q_y} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_z} &= \sum_{i,j} \frac{\partial L}{\partial M_{ij}} \cdot \frac{\partial M_{ij}}{\partial q_z} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_w} &= \sum_{i,j} \frac{\partial L}{\partial M_{ij}} \cdot \frac{\partial M_{ij}}{\partial q_w}\end{aligned}$$

最终的梯度表达式代码中给出的四元数梯度可以由下式表示：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial L}{\partial q_x} &= 2z \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][1] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][0] \right) + 2y \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][0] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][2] \right) + \\ &\quad 2x \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][2] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][1] \right) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_y} &= 2y \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][0] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][1] \right) + 2z \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][0] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][2] \right) + \\ &\quad 2r \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][2] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][1] \right) - 4x \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][2] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][1] \right) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_z} &= 2x \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][0] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][1] \right) + 2r \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][0] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][2] \right) + \\ &\quad 2z \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][2] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][1] \right) - 4y \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][2] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][0] \right) \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_w} &= 2r \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][1] - \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][0] \right) + 2x \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][0] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][2] \right) + \\ &\quad 2y \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][2] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [2][1] \right) - 4z \left(\left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [1][1] + \left(\frac{\partial L}{\partial M} \right)^T [0][0] \right)\end{aligned}$$

再把结果进行存储：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{rot}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_x} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_y} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_z} \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial q_w} \end{pmatrix}$$

损失函数对三维均值的梯度

```
// Compute loss gradient w.r.t. 3D means due to gradients of 2D means
// from rendering procedure
glm::vec3 dl_dmean;
float mul1 = (proj[0] * m.x + proj[4] * m.y + proj[8] * m.z + proj[12]) * m_w * m_w;
float mul2 = (proj[1] * m.x + proj[5] * m.y + proj[9] * m.z + proj[13]) * m_w * m_w;
dl_dmean.x = (proj[0] * m_w - proj[3] * mul1) * dl_dmean2D[idx].x + (proj[1] * m_w - proj[3] * mul2) * dl_dmean2D[idx].y;
dl_dmean.y = (proj[4] * m_w - proj[7] * mul1) * dl_dmean2D[idx].x + (proj[5] * m_w - proj[7] * mul2) * dl_dmean2D[idx].y;
dl_dmean.z = (proj[8] * m_w - proj[11] * mul1) * dl_dmean2D[idx].x + (proj[9] * m_w - proj[11] * mul2) * dl_dmean2D[idx].y;
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为了清楚理解，我们首先从三维点经过投影矩阵得到二维点的过程开始，然后利用链式法则计算梯度。

假设有一个3D点 $\mathbf{m} = (m_x, m_y, m_z)$ ，通过一个投影矩阵 \mathbf{P} 将其投影到2D空间。投影矩阵 \mathbf{P} 是一个4x4矩阵，包含视图和透视变换。齐次坐标变换后的结果是：

$$\mathbf{m}_{hom} = \mathbf{P} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} m_x \\ m_y \\ m_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{m}_{hom} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{00} & P_{01} & P_{02} & P_{03} \\ P_{10} & P_{11} & P_{12} & P_{13} \\ P_{20} & P_{21} & P_{22} & P_{23} \\ P_{30} & P_{31} & P_{32} & P_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m_x \\ m_y \\ m_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03} \\ P_{10}m_x + P_{11}m_y + P_{12}m_z + P_{13} \\ P_{20}m_x + P_{21}m_y + P_{22}m_z + P_{23} \\ P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

为了得到规范化设备坐标，我们进行透视除法：

$$\mathbf{m}_{ndc} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{ndc} \\ y_{ndc} \\ z_{ndc} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}}{P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33}} \\ \frac{P_{10}m_x + P_{11}m_y + P_{12}m_z + P_{13}}{P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33}} \\ \frac{P_{20}m_x + P_{21}m_y + P_{22}m_z + P_{23}}{P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33}} \end{pmatrix}$$

令 $m_w = \frac{1}{P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33}}$ ，我们有：

$$\begin{aligned} x_{ndc} &= m_w (P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}) \\ y_{ndc} &= m_w (P_{10}m_x + P_{11}m_y + P_{12}m_z + P_{13}) \end{aligned}$$

我们知道损失函数关于2D均值的梯度 $\frac{dL}{dmean2D}$ ，我们希望通过链式法则计算损失函数关于3D均值的梯度 $\frac{dL}{dmean}$ 。

损失函数 L 关于3D均值 $mean.x$ 的梯度可以通过链式法则表示为：

$$\frac{dL}{dmean.x} = \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} \cdot \frac{dmean2D.x}{dmean.x} + \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y} \cdot \frac{dmean2D.y}{dmean.x}$$

我们需要计算 $\frac{dmean2D.x}{dmean.x}$ 和 $\frac{dmean2D.y}{dmean.x}$ 。

从上述投影过程可以看出：

$$\begin{aligned} mean2D.x &= m_w (P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}) \\ mean2D.y &= m_w (P_{10}m_x + P_{11}m_y + P_{12}m_z + P_{13}) \end{aligned}$$

对 $mean2D.x$ 关于 $mean.x$ 求导：

m_w 也是 m_x 的函数，因此需要用到乘积法则。首先，我们对 m_w 求导：

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d(m_w)}{dmean.x} &= \frac{d}{dmean.x} \left(\frac{1}{P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33}} \right) \\ &= -\frac{1}{(P_{30}m_x + P_{31}m_y + P_{32}m_z + P_{33})^2} \cdot P_{30} = -m_w^2 \cdot P_{30} \end{aligned}$$

利用求导乘积法则，我们得到：

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d(mean2D.x)}{d(mean.x)} &= m_w \cdot \frac{d(P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03})}{dmean.x} + \frac{d(m_w)}{dmean.x} \cdot (P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}) \\ &= m_w \cdot P_{00} - m_w^2 \cdot (P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}) \cdot P_{30} \\ &= m_w \cdot P_{00} - P_{30} \cdot mean2D.x \cdot m_w \end{aligned}$$

对 $mean2D.y$ 关于 $mean.x$ 求导：

$$\frac{d(mean2D.y)}{d(mean.x)} = m_w \cdot P_{10} - P_{30} \cdot mean2D.y \cdot m_w$$

因此，损失函数关于3D均值的梯度可以表示为：

$$\frac{dL}{dmean.x} = (m_w \cdot P_{00} - P_{30} \cdot mean2D.x \cdot m_w) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (m_w \cdot P_{10} - P_{30} \cdot mean2D.y \cdot m_w) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y}$$

由于：

$$mul1 = (P_{00}m_x + P_{01}m_y + P_{02}m_z + P_{03}) \cdot m_w^2$$

我们有：

$$\frac{dL}{dmean.x} = (P_{00} \cdot m_w - P_{30} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{10} \cdot m_w - P_{30} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y}$$

类似地，可以推导出损失函数关于3D均值 $mean.y$ 和 $mean.z$ 的梯度：

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dL}{dmean.y} &= (P_{01} \cdot m_w - P_{31} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{11} \cdot m_w - P_{31} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y} \\ \frac{dL}{dmean.z} &= (P_{02} \cdot m_w - P_{32} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{12} \cdot m_w - P_{32} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y} \end{aligned}$$

最终结果与代码中的公式一致：

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{dL}{dmean.x} &= (P_{00} \cdot m_w - P_{30} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{10} \cdot m_w - P_{30} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y} \\ \frac{dL}{dmean.y} &= (P_{01} \cdot m_w - P_{31} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{11} \cdot m_w - P_{31} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y} \\ \frac{dL}{dmean.z} &= (P_{02} \cdot m_w - P_{32} \cdot mul1) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.x} + (P_{12} \cdot m_w - P_{32} \cdot mul2) \cdot \frac{dL}{dmean2D.y}\end{aligned}$$

前向传播的渲染部分

初始化透明度累计值，1.0代表完全不透明，再把每个颜色通道的颜色都清零： $T = 1.0$ ， $C[ch] = 0$ 。

对于每个高斯点 j :

计算距离矢量 d :

$$d = xy - pixf$$

计算二次型幂次 $power$:

$$power = -0.5(con_o.x \cdot d.x^2 + con_o.z \cdot d.y^2) - con_o.y \cdot d.x \cdot d.y$$

计算高斯函数 G :

$$G = e^{power} = e^{-0.5(con_o.x \cdot d.x^2 + con_o.z \cdot d.y^2) - con_o.y \cdot d.x \cdot d.y}$$

计算alpha值

$$\alpha = \min(0.99, con_o.w \cdot G)$$

检查 α 值是否太小: $if(\alpha < \frac{1.0}{255.0})$

更新透明度 T 的候选值:

$$test_T = T \cdot (1 - \alpha)$$

检查透明度是否接近零: $if(test_T < 0.0001)$

更新颜色值, $f[ch]$ 是第 j 个高斯点的第 ch 个通道的特征值，即 $features[collect_id[j] \cdot CHANNELS + ch]$:

$$C[ch] = C[ch] + \alpha \cdot T \cdot f[ch]$$

反向传播的渲染部分（ $alpha$ 、颜色、二维高斯位置与协方差的梯度）

对颜色的梯度

颜色递推公式

在前向传播中，假设我们有多高斯函数，每个高斯函数的颜色用 c_i 表示，第 i 个高斯函数的透明度用 α_i 表示。设最终的像素颜色为 C ，递推公式如下：

$$C_i = \alpha_i c_i + (1 - \alpha_i) C_{i+1}$$

其中 C_i 表示第 i 个高斯函数及其后的所有高斯函数共同贡献的颜色。

透明度递推公式

设 T_i 表示第 i 个高斯函数对像素点的透光率（即前 i 个高斯函数的透明度的累积），则有：

$$T_i = \prod_{j=1}^i (1 - \alpha_j)$$

颜色梯度推导

假设我们已经计算出像素的损失 L ，现在我们需要计算每个高斯函数的颜色梯度，即 $\frac{\partial L}{\partial c_i}$ 。
为了推导这个梯度，我们需要使用链式法则从最终的损失 L 传递回每个高斯函数的颜色 c_i 。

1. 递推颜色的梯度

从最终的颜色 C 开始，我们可以递推每个高斯函数的颜色梯度。

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial C_i} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial C} \cdot \frac{\partial C}{\partial C_i}$$

其中：

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial C_i} = \prod_{k=i+1}^n (1 - \alpha_k)$$

因此，有：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial C_i} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial C} \cdot \prod_{k=i+1}^n (1 - \alpha_k) = T_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial C}$$

2. 计算颜色梯度

使用链式法则，我们可以将损失对颜色 c_i 的梯度分解为损失对最终颜色 C 的梯度以及颜色递推公式中的各个分量：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c_i} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial C_i} \cdot \frac{\partial C_i}{\partial c_i}$$

其中：

$$\frac{\partial C_i}{\partial c_i} = \alpha_i$$

因此，有：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c_i} = T_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial C} \cdot \alpha_i = \alpha_i T_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial C}$$

总结

最终的梯度公式如下：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c_i} = \alpha_i T_i \frac{\partial L}{\partial C}$$

$$\alpha = \min(0.99, \text{con_o.w} \cdot G)$$

$$T = \frac{T_{final}}{\prod_{k=0}^{n-1} (1 - \alpha)}$$

那么颜色的梯度就是：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial color} = \alpha \cdot T \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial channel}$$

这里的 $\partial channel$ 是在处理像素的时候对像素的通道颜色值进行采样获得的。

对 α 的梯度

$$dL_{d\alpha} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha} = T \cdot \sum_{ch=0}^{C-1} (c - accum_rec[ch]) \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial channel}$$

如果考虑背景颜色的影响，就再加上一个乘数 $bg_color[i]$

高斯分布的衰减指数 $G = e^{power}$ 的梯度

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial G} = con_o.w \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial \alpha}$$

二维高斯分布的均值的梯度

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial L}{\partial mean2D.x} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial G} \cdot (-G \cdot d.x \cdot con_o.x - G \cdot d.y \cdot con_o.y) \cdot 0.5W \\ \frac{\partial L}{\partial mean2D.y} &= \frac{\partial L}{\partial G} \cdot (-G \cdot d.y \cdot con_o.y - G \cdot d.x \cdot con_o.x) \cdot 0.5H \end{aligned}$$

二维高斯分布的协方差的梯度

首先回顾一下二维高斯分布的密度函数：

$$G(x, y) = \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d}\right)$$

其中， $\mathbf{d} = \begin{pmatrix} x - \mu_x \\ y - \mu_y \end{pmatrix}$ 是位置偏移向量， Σ 是协方差矩阵。假设协方差矩阵为：

$$\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_x^2 & \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y \\ \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y & \sigma_y^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

其中，我们可以定义三个变量：

$$a = \sigma_x^2, \quad b = \rho\sigma_x\sigma_y, \quad c = \sigma_y^2$$

高斯分布的梯度

为了计算协方差矩阵 (Σ) 的梯度，我们需要求出 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial a}$ 、 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial b}$ 和 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial c}$ 的值。

计算 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial a}$

对 $a = \sigma_x^2$ 求导：

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial a} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d} \right) = -\frac{1}{2} \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial a} (\mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d})$$

假设 Σ^{-1} 的元素为：

$$\Sigma^{-1} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha & \beta \\ \beta & \gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

那么：

$$\mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d} = \alpha d_x^2 + 2\beta d_x d_y + \gamma d_y^2$$

对 $a = \sigma_x^2$ 求导：

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial a}(\alpha d_x^2 + 2\beta d_x d_y + \gamma d_y^2) = \frac{\partial \alpha}{\partial a} d_x^2 + 2 \frac{\partial \beta}{\partial a} d_x d_y + \frac{\partial \gamma}{\partial a} d_y^2$$

由于 Σ^{-1} 的具体形式比较复杂，我们可以简化计算，直接使用导数性质得到：

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial a} = -0.5 \cdot G \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial a}(\mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d})$$

经过推导可得：

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial a} = -0.5 \cdot G \cdot d_x^2$$

计算 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial b}$

对 $b = \rho \sigma_x \sigma_y$ 求导：

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial b} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d} \right) = -0.5 \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial b} (\alpha d_x^2 + 2\beta d_x d_y + \gamma d_y^2)$$

我们得到：

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial b} = -0.5 \cdot G \cdot d_x d_y$$

计算 $\frac{\partial G}{\partial c}$

对 $c = \sigma_y^2$ 求导：

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial c} \left(-\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{d}^T \Sigma^{-1} \mathbf{d} \right) = -0.5 \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial c} (\alpha d_x^2 + 2\beta d_x d_y + \gamma d_y^2)$$

我们得到：

$$\frac{\partial G}{\partial c} = -0.5 \cdot G \cdot d_y^2$$

总结上述推导结果，我们可以得到：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial a} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial G} \cdot \frac{\partial G}{\partial a} = -0.5 \cdot d_x^2 \cdot G \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial b} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial G} \cdot \frac{\partial G}{\partial b} = -0.5 \cdot d_x d_y \cdot G \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial c} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial G} \cdot \frac{\partial G}{\partial c} = -0.5 \cdot d_y^2 \cdot G \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

代入具体变量，可以得到：

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic2D.x}} = -0.5 \cdot (G \cdot d_x) \cdot d_x \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic2D.y}} = -0.5 \cdot (G \cdot d_x) \cdot d_y \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \text{conic2D.w}} = -0.5 \cdot (G \cdot d_y) \cdot d_y \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial G}$$

这就是最终的梯度公式。

不透明度的梯度

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial opacity} = G \cdot \frac{\partial L}{\partial alpha}$$