

Projective Geometry

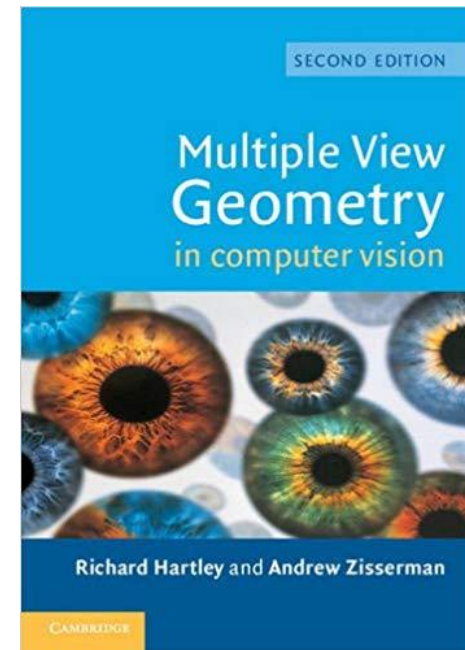
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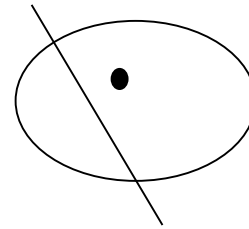
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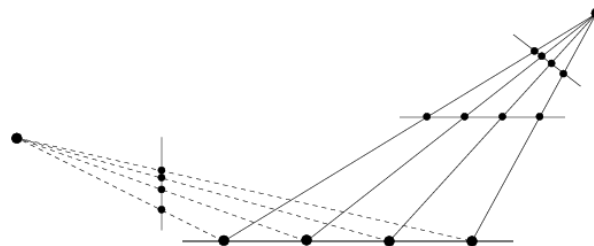
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Projective 2D Geometry

- Points, lines & conics
- Transformations & invariants



- 1D projective geometry and the cross-ratio



Homogeneous Coordinates

- Homogeneous representation of lines

$$ax + by + c = 0 \quad (a, b, c)^T$$

$$(ka)x + (kb)y + kc = 0, \forall k \neq 0 \quad (a, b, c)^T \sim k(a, b, c)^T$$

equivalence class of vectors, any vector is representative

- Homogeneous representation of points

$$\mathbf{x} = (x, y)^T \text{ on } l = (a, b, c)^T \text{ if and only if } ax + by + c = 0$$

$$(x, y, 1)(a, b, c)^T = (x, y, 1)l = 0 \quad (x, y, 1)^T \sim k(x, y, 1)^T, \forall k \neq 0$$

The point \mathbf{x} lies on the line l if and only if $\mathbf{x}^T l = l^T \mathbf{x} = 0$

Homogeneous coordinates $(x_1, x_2, x_3)^T$ but only 2DOF

Inhomogeneous coordinates $(x, y)^T$

The point $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, x_3)^T$ represent the point $(x_1/x_3, x_2/x_3)^T$ in \mathbb{R}^2

Points and Lines

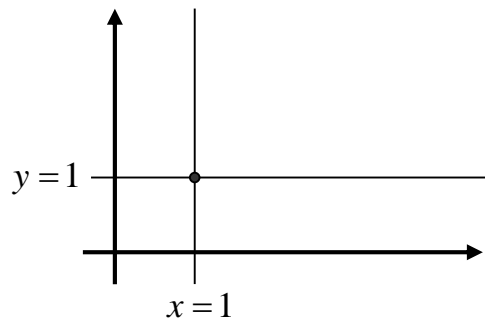
- Intersections of lines

The intersection of two lines l and l' is $x = l \times l'$

- Line joining two points

The line through two points x and x' is $l = x \times x'$

Example

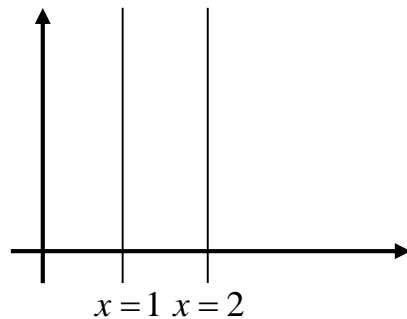


Ideal Points and the Line at Infinity

- Intersections of parallel lines

$$l = (a, b, c)^T \text{ and } l' = (a, b, c')^T \quad l \times l' = (b, -a, 0)^T$$

Example



$(b, -a)$ tangent vector (line's direction)
 (a, b) normal direction

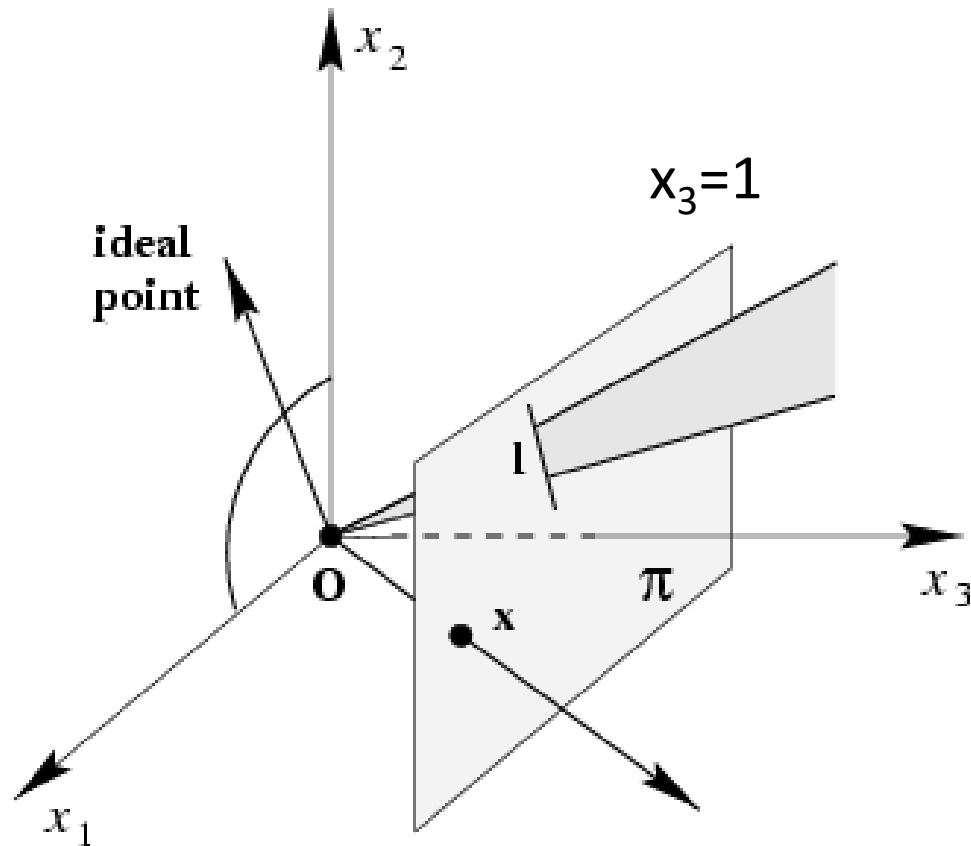
Ideal points $(x_1, x_2, 0)^T$

Line at infinity $l_\infty = (0, 0, 1)^T$

$$\mathbf{P}^2 = \mathbf{R}^2 \cup l_\infty$$

Note that in \mathbf{P}^2 there is no distinction between ideal points and others

A Model for the Projective Plane



exactly one line through two points

exactly one point at intersection of two lines

Duality

$$\begin{array}{ccc} x & \longleftrightarrow & l \\ x^T l = 0 & \longleftrightarrow & l^T x = 0 \\ x = l \times l' & \longleftrightarrow & l = x \times x' \end{array}$$

- Duality principle:

To any theorem of 2-dimensional projective geometry there corresponds a dual theorem, which may be derived by interchanging the role of points and lines in the original theorem

Conics

Curve described by 2nd-degree equation in the plane

$$ax^2 + bxy + cy^2 + dx + ey + f = 0$$

or *homogenized* $x \mapsto \frac{x_1}{x_3}, y \mapsto \frac{x_2}{x_3}$

$$ax_1^2 + bx_1x_2 + cx_2^2 + dx_1x_3 + ex_2x_3 + fx_3^2 = 0$$

or in matrix form

$$\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{C} \mathbf{x} = 0 \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{C} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b/2 & d/2 \\ b/2 & c & e/2 \\ d/2 & e/2 & f \end{bmatrix}$$

symmetric

5DOF: $\{a : b : c : d : e : f\}$

Five Points Define a Conic

For each point the conic passes through

$$ax_i^2 + bx_iy_i + cy_i^2 + dx_i + ey_i + f = 0$$

or

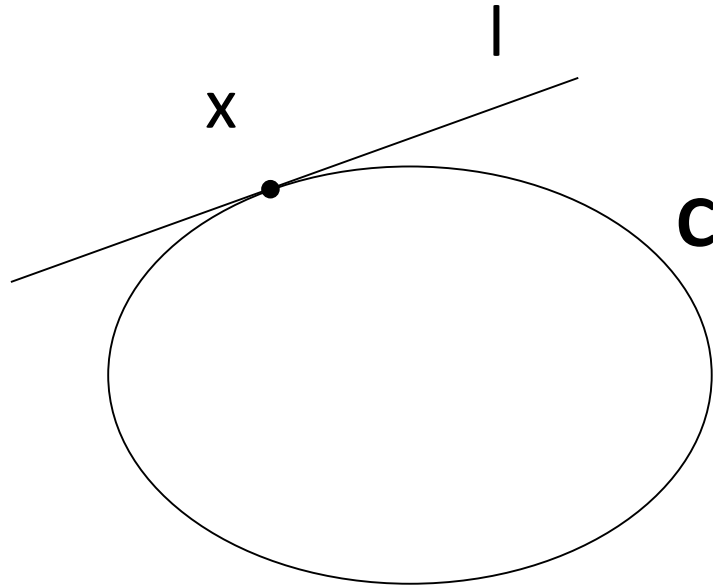
$$(x_i^2, x_iy_i, y_i^2, x_i, y_i, f)\mathbf{c} = 0 \quad \mathbf{c} = (a, b, c, d, e, f)^\top$$

stacking constraints yields

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1^2 & x_1y_1 & y_1^2 & x_1 & y_1 & 1 \\ x_2^2 & x_2y_2 & y_2^2 & x_2 & y_2 & 1 \\ x_3^2 & x_3y_3 & y_3^2 & x_3 & y_3 & 1 \\ x_4^2 & x_4y_4 & y_4^2 & x_4 & y_4 & 1 \\ x_5^2 & x_5y_5 & y_5^2 & x_5 & y_5 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{c} = 0$$

Tangent Lines to Conics

The line l tangent to C at point x on C is given by $l=Cx$

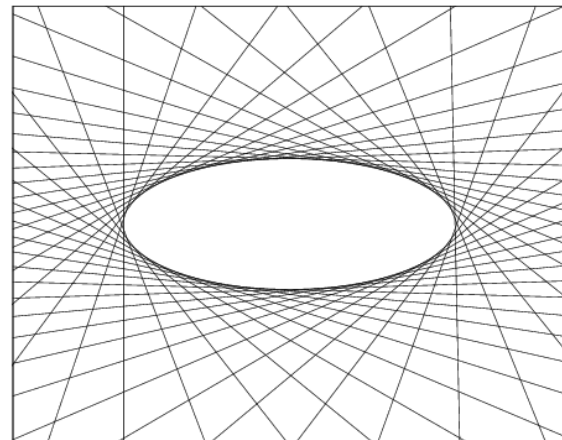
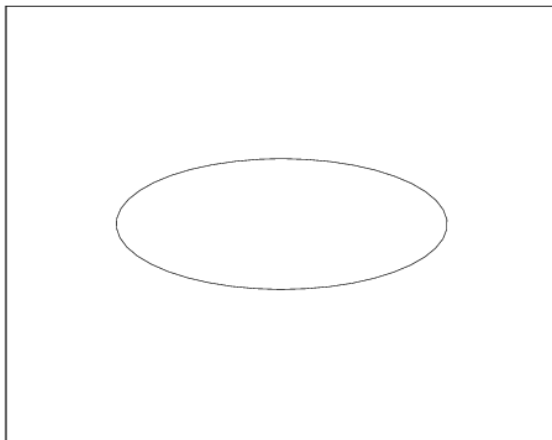


Dual Conics

A line tangent to the conic \mathbf{C} satisfies $\mathbf{1}^T \mathbf{C}^* \mathbf{1} = 0$

In general (\mathbf{C} full rank): $\mathbf{C}^* = \mathbf{C}^{-1}$

Dual conics = line conics = conic envelopes



Projective Transformations

Definition:

A *projectivity* is an invertible mapping h from P^2 to itself such that three points x_1, x_2, x_3 lie on the same line if and only if $h(x_1), h(x_2), h(x_3)$ do.

Theorem:

A mapping $h: P^2 \rightarrow P^2$ is a projectivity if and only if there exist a non-singular 3×3 matrix \mathbf{H} such that for any point in P^2 represented by a vector \mathbf{x} it is true that $h(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{x}$

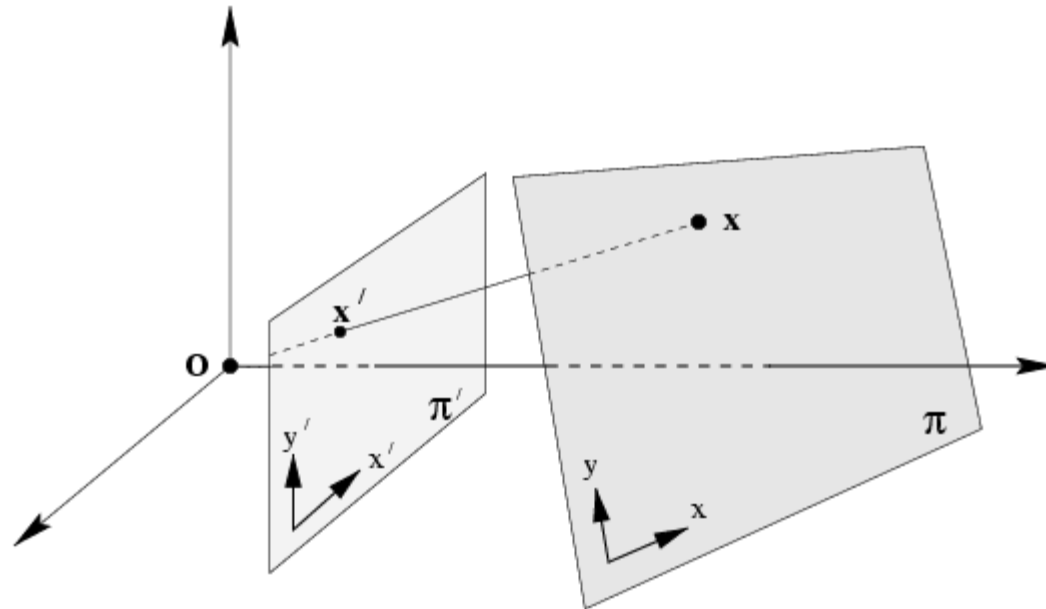
Definition: Projective transformation

$$\begin{pmatrix} x'_1 \\ x'_2 \\ x'_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{or} \quad \mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{x}$$

8DOF

projectivity=collineation=projective transformation=homography 14

Mapping between Planes



central projection may be expressed by $x' = Hx$
(application of theorem)

Removing Projective Distortion



select four points in a plane with know coordinates

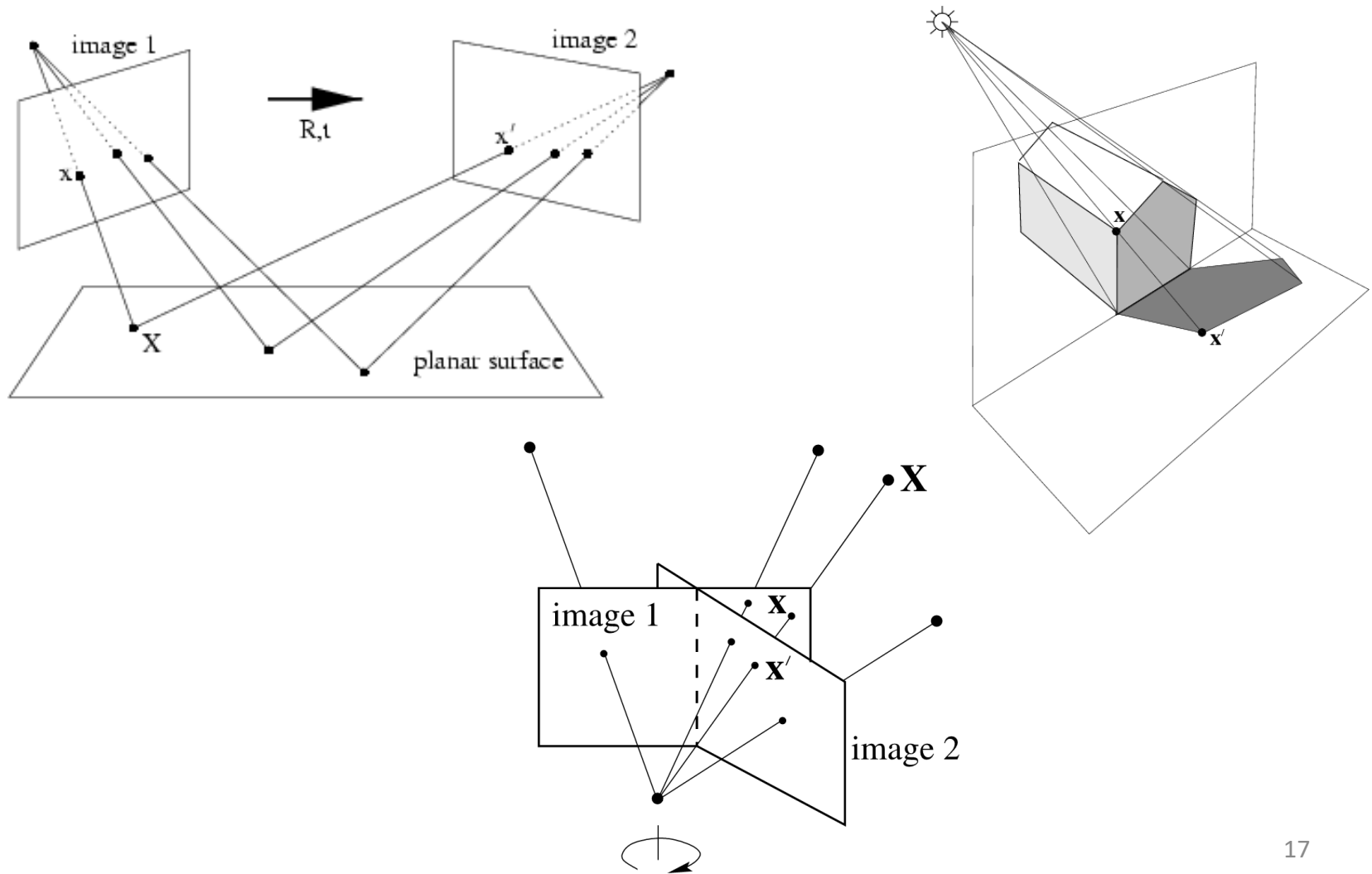
$$x' = \frac{x'_1}{x'_3} = \frac{h_{11}x + h_{12}y + h_{13}}{h_{31}x + h_{32}y + h_{33}} \quad y' = \frac{x'_2}{x'_3} = \frac{h_{21}x + h_{22}y + h_{23}}{h_{31}x + h_{32}y + h_{33}}$$

$$x'(h_{31}x + h_{32}y + h_{33}) = h_{11}x + h_{12}y + h_{13} \quad (\text{linear in } h_{ij})$$
$$y'(h_{31}x + h_{32}y + h_{33}) = h_{21}x + h_{22}y + h_{23}$$

(2 constraints/point, 8DOF \Rightarrow 4 points needed)

Remark: no calibration at all necessary

More Application Examples



Transformation of Lines and Conics

For a point transformation

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{x}$$

Transformation for lines

$$\mathbf{l}' = \mathbf{H}^{-\top} \mathbf{l}$$

Transformation for conics

$$\mathbf{C}' = \mathbf{H}^{-\top} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{H}^{-1}$$

Transformation for dual conics

$$\mathbf{C}'^* = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{C}^* \mathbf{H}^{\top}$$

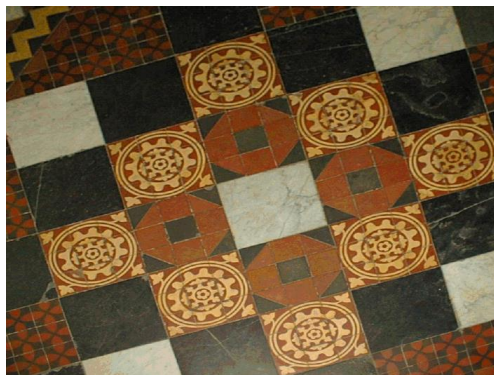
A Hierarchy of Transformations

- Projective linear group
- Affine group (last row $(0,0,1)$)
- Euclidean group (upper left 2×2 orthogonal)
- Oriented Euclidean group (upper left 2×2 det 1)

Alternative, characterize transformation in terms of elements or quantities that are preserved or *invariant*
e.g. Euclidean transformations leave distances unchanged



Similarity



Affine



Projective

Class I: Isometries

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & t_x \\ \varepsilon \sin \theta & \cos \theta & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \varepsilon = \pm 1$$

orientation preserving: $\varepsilon = 1$ **(Euclidean transform)**

orientation reversing: $\varepsilon = -1$

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H}_E \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^\top & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{R}^\top \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{I}$$

3DOF (1 rotation, 2 translation), can be computed from 2 point correspondences

special cases: pure rotation, pure translation

Invariants: length, angle, area

Class II: Similarities

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s \cos \theta & -s \sin \theta & t_x \\ s \sin \theta & s \cos \theta & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H}_s \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} s\mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^\top & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{R}^\top \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{I}$$

4DOF (1 scale, 1 rotation, 2 translation),
can be computed from 2 point correspondences
also known as *equi-form* (shape preserving)

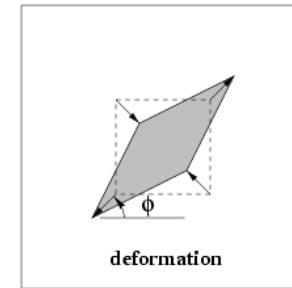
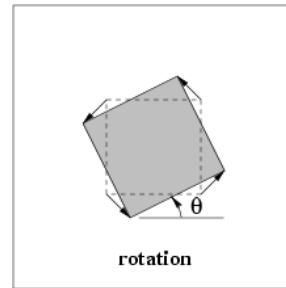
Invariants: ratios of length, angle, ratios of areas, parallel lines

Class III: Affine Transformations

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & t_x \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H}_A \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^\top & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x}$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{R}(\theta)\mathbf{R}(-\phi)\mathbf{D}\mathbf{R}(\phi) \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



6DOF (2 scale, 2 rotation, 2 translation),
can be computed from 3 point correspondences
non-isotropic scaling! (2DOF: scale ratio and orientation)

Invariants: parallel lines, ratios of parallel lengths, ratios of areas

Class VI: Projective Transformations

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{v}^\top & v \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2)^\top$$

8DOF (2 scale, 2 rotation, 2 translation, 2 line at infinity)

can be computed from 4 point correspondences

Action non-homogeneous over the plane

Invariants: cross-ratio of four points on a line, (ratio of ratio)

Action of Affinities and Projectivities on Line at Infinity

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{t} \\ 0^\top & v \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line at infinity stays at infinity, but points move along line

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{t} \\ v^\top & v \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{A} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix} \\ v_1 x_1 + v_2 x_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Line at infinity becomes finite, allows to observe vanishing points, horizon

Decomposition of Projective Transformations

$$\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H}_S \mathbf{H}_A \mathbf{H}_P = \begin{bmatrix} s\mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I} & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{v}^T & v \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{v}^T & v \end{bmatrix}$$

S: similarity

A: Affine

P: Projective

$$\mathbf{A} = s\mathbf{R}\mathbf{K} + \mathbf{t}\mathbf{v}^T$$

decomposition unique (if chosen $s > 0$)

\mathbf{K} upper-triangular, $\det \mathbf{K} = 1$

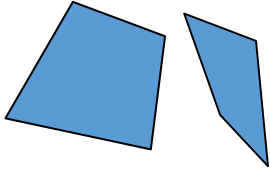
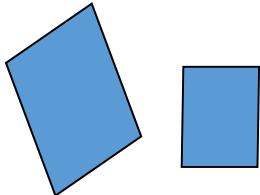
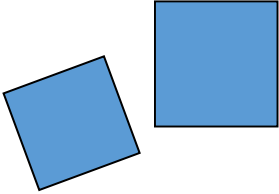
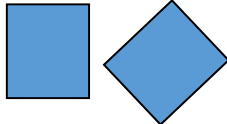
Example:

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} 1.707 & 0.586 & 1.0 \\ 2.707 & 8.242 & 2.0 \\ 1.0 & 2.0 & 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} 2\cos 45^\circ & -2\sin 45^\circ & 1.0 \\ 2\sin 45^\circ & 2\cos 45^\circ & 2.0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Summary of Transformations

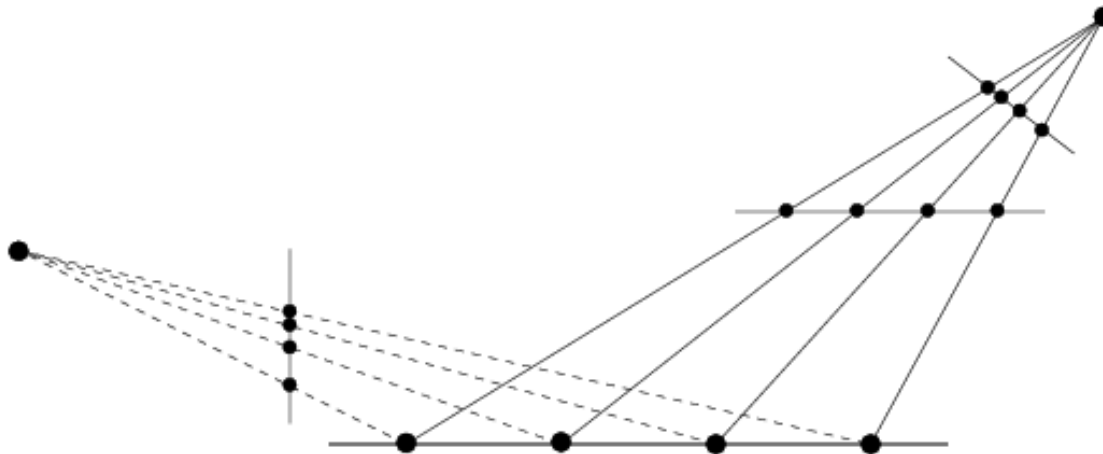
Invariant Properties

Projective 8dof	$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix}$		<p>Concurrency, collinearity, order of contact (intersection, tangency, inflection, etc.), cross ratio</p>
Affine 6dof	$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & t_x \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$		<p>Parallellism, ratio of areas, ratio of lengths on parallel lines (e.g midpoints), linear combinations of vectors (centroids). The line at infinity l_∞</p>
Similarity 4dof	$\begin{bmatrix} sr_{11} & sr_{12} & t_x \\ sr_{21} & sr_{22} & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$		<p>Ratios of lengths, angles. The circular points I,J</p>
Euclidean 3dof	$\begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & t_x \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$		<p>lengths, areas.</p>

Cross Ratio

$$Cross(\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2, \bar{x}_3, \bar{x}_4) = \frac{|\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_2| |\bar{x}_3, \bar{x}_4|}{|\bar{x}_1, \bar{x}_3| |\bar{x}_2, \bar{x}_4|} \quad |\bar{x}_i, \bar{x}_j| = \det \begin{bmatrix} x_{i1} & x_{j1} \\ x_{i2} & x_{j2} \end{bmatrix}$$

Invariant under projective transformations



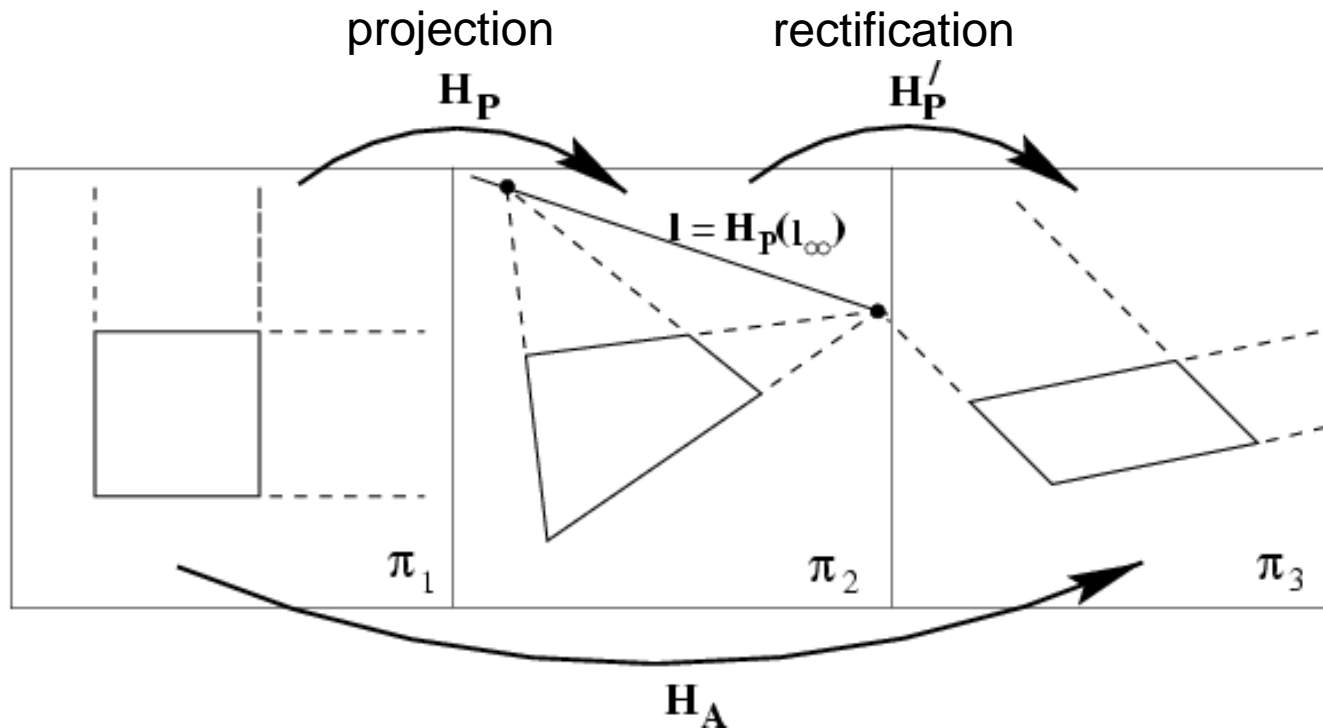
The Line at Infinity

$$\mathbf{l}'_{\infty} = \mathbf{H}_A^{-T} \mathbf{l}_{\infty} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}^{-T} & \mathbf{0} \\ -\mathbf{t}^T \mathbf{A}^{-T} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{l}_{\infty}$$

The line at infinity \mathbf{l}_{∞} is a fixed line under a projective transformation \mathbf{H} if and only if \mathbf{H} is an affinity

Note: not fixed pointwise

Affine Properties from Images

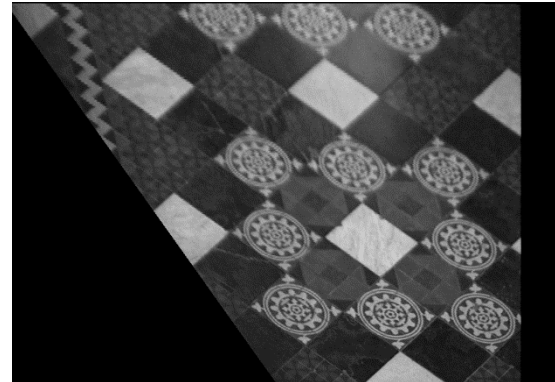
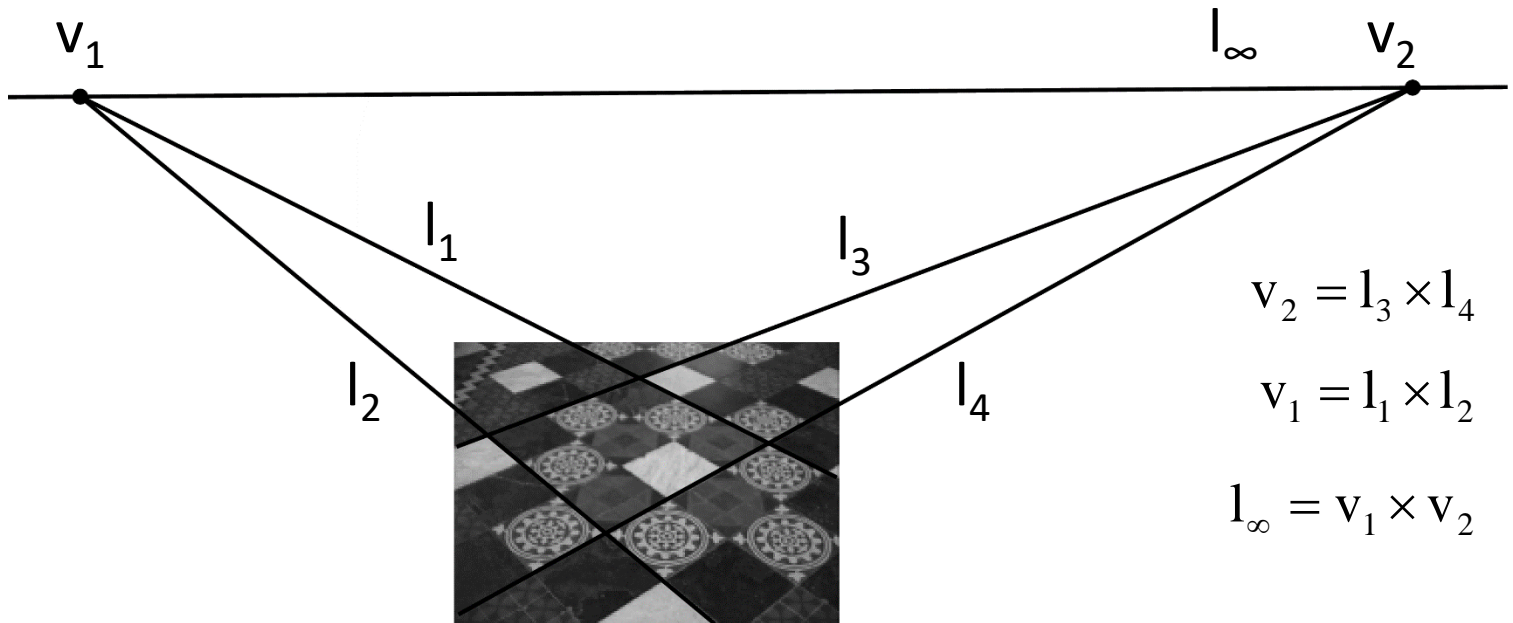


$$H'_P = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ l_1 & l_2 & l_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

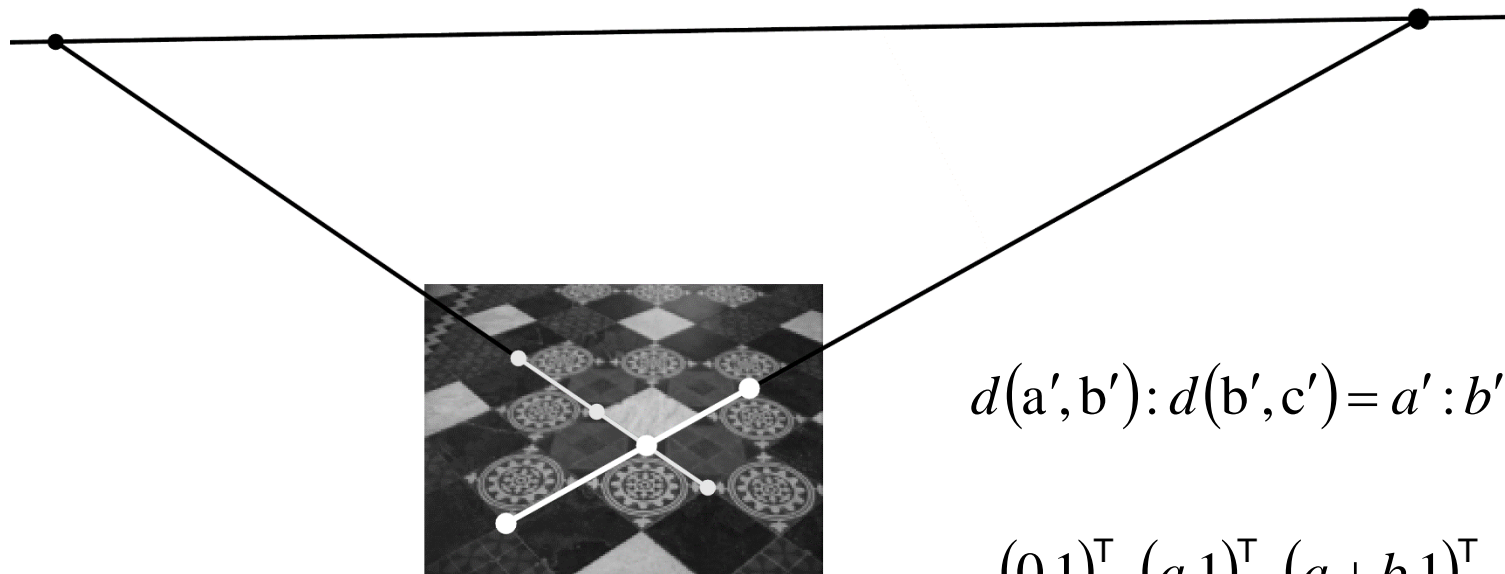
$$l = [l_1 \quad l_2 \quad l_3]^T, l_3 \neq 0$$

$$H'^{-T}_P(l_1, l_2, l_3)^T = (0, 0, 1)^T = l_\infty$$

Affine Rectification



Distance Ratios



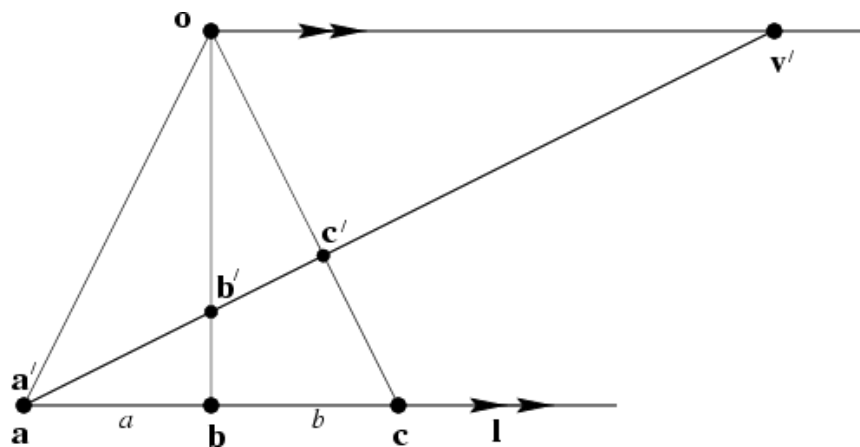
$$d(a', b') : d(b', c') = a' : b'$$

$$(0, 1)^T, (a, 1)^T, (a + b, 1)^T$$

$$\downarrow \mathbf{H}$$

$$a', b', c'$$

$$v' = \mathbf{H}(1, 0)^T$$



The Circular Points

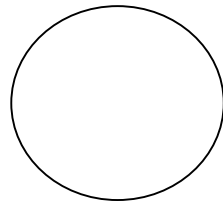
$$I = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad J = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$I' = \mathbf{H}_s I = \begin{bmatrix} s \cos \theta & -s \sin \theta & t_x \\ s \sin \theta & s \cos \theta & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = s e^{i\theta} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ i \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = I$$

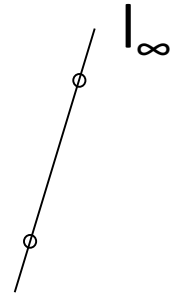
The circular points I, J are fixed points under the projective transformation \mathbf{H} iff \mathbf{H} is a similarity

The Circular Points

“circular points”



$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 + dx_1x_3 + ex_2x_3 + fx_3^2 = 0$$
$$x_3 = 0$$



$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 = 0$$

$$I = (1, i, 0)^\top$$

$$J = (1, -i, 0)^\top$$

Algebraically, encodes orthogonal directions

$$I = (1, 0, 0)^\top + i(0, 1, 0)^\top$$

Conic Dual to the Circular Points

$$\mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* = \mathbf{I}\mathbf{J}^{\top} + \mathbf{J}\mathbf{I}^{\top} \quad \mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* = \mathbf{H}_S \mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* \mathbf{H}_S^{\top}$$

The dual conic \mathbf{C}_{∞}^* is fixed conic under the projective transformation \mathbf{H} iff \mathbf{H} is a similarity

Angles

Euclidean: $\mathbf{l} = (l_1, l_2, l_3)^\top$ $\mathbf{m} = (m_1, m_2, m_3)^\top$

$$\cos \theta = \frac{l_1 m_1 + l_2 m_2}{\sqrt{(l_1^2 + l_2^2)(m_1^2 + m_2^2)}}$$

Projective: $\cos \theta = \frac{\mathbf{l}^\top \mathbf{C}_\infty^* \mathbf{m}}{\sqrt{(\mathbf{l}^\top \mathbf{C}_\infty^* \mathbf{l})(\mathbf{m}^\top \mathbf{C}_\infty^* \mathbf{m})}}$

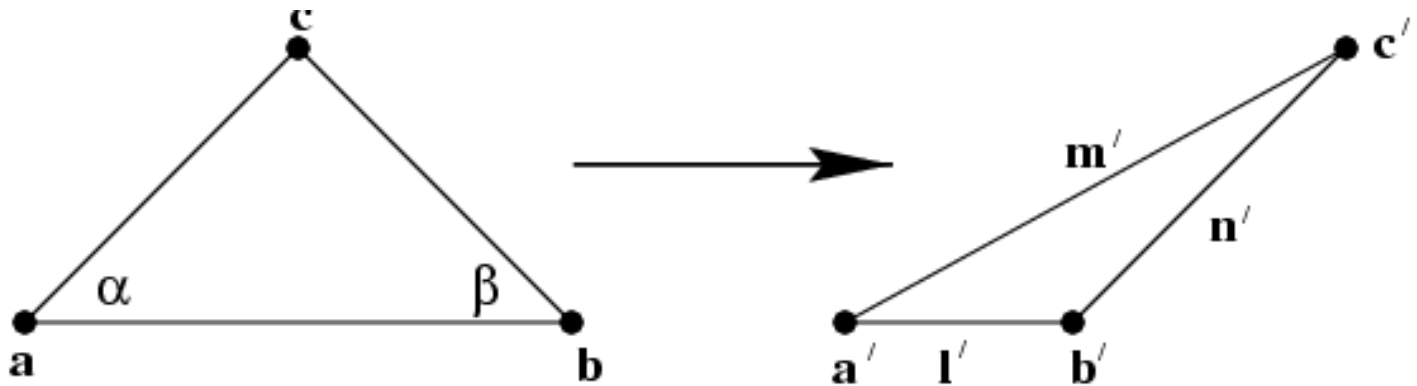
(This equation is Invariant to projective transform)

$$\mathbf{l}^\top \mathbf{C}_\infty^* \mathbf{m} = 0 \quad \text{If orthogonal}$$

Length Ratios

$$\frac{d(b,c)}{d(a,c)} = \frac{\sin \alpha}{\sin \beta}$$

$\cos \alpha$ and $\cos \beta$ can be derived with the equations in the previous page



Metric Properties from Images

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{C}_{\infty}^{*'} &= (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A \mathbf{H}_S) \mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A \mathbf{H}_S)^{\top} \\ &= (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A) \mathbf{H}_S \mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* \mathbf{H}_S^{\top} (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A)^{\top} \\ &= (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A) \mathbf{C}_{\infty}^* (\mathbf{H}_P \mathbf{H}_A)^{\top} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{K}^{\top} & \mathbf{K}^{\top} \mathbf{v} \\ \mathbf{v}^{\top} \mathbf{K} & \mathbf{v}^{\top} \mathbf{v} \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

Rectifying transformation from SVD

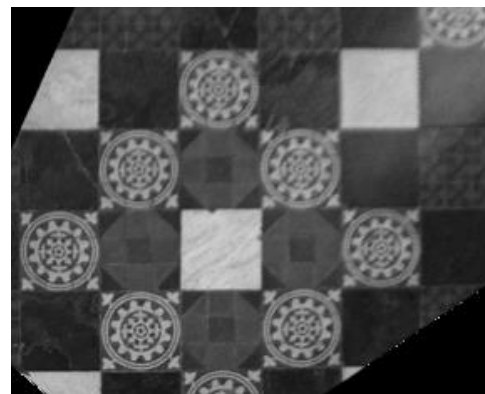
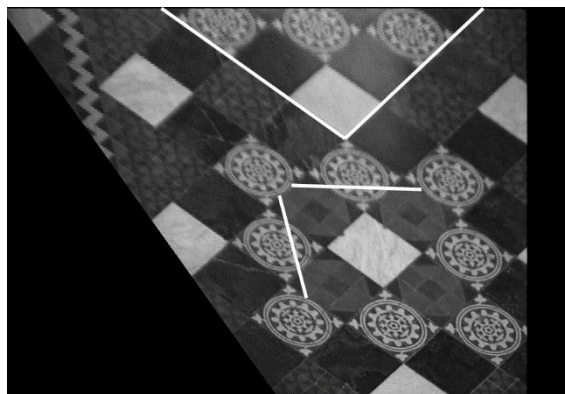
$$\mathbf{C}_{\infty}^{*'} = \mathbf{U} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{U}^{\top} \quad \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{U}$$

Metric from Affine

Suppose an image has been affinely rectified ($\mathbf{v}=0$)

$$(l'_1 \quad l'_2 \quad l'_3) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K}\mathbf{K}^\top & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m'_1 \\ m'_2 \\ m'_3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

$$(l'_1 m'_1, l'_1 m'_2 + l'_2 m'_1, l'_2 m'_2)(k_{11}^2 + k_{12}^2, k_{22}k_{12}, k_{22}^2)^\top = 0$$



Metric from Projective

$$\mathbf{l}^\top \mathbf{C}_\infty^* \mathbf{m} = 0 \quad \left(l'_1 \quad l'_2 \quad l'_3 \right) \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{K}^\top & \mathbf{K}^\top \mathbf{v} \\ \mathbf{v}^\top \mathbf{K} & \mathbf{v}^\top \mathbf{v} \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m'_1 \\ m'_2 \\ m'_3 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

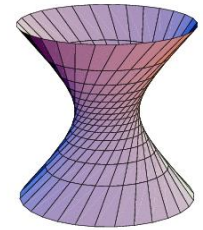
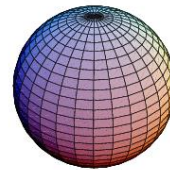
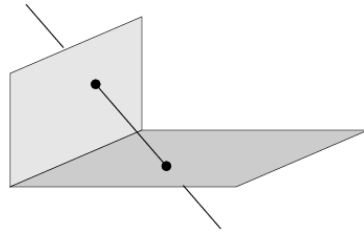
$$(l'_1 m'_1, 0.5(l'_1 m'_2 + l'_2 m'_1), l'_2 m'_2, 0.5(l'_1 m'_3 + l'_3 m'_1), 0.5(l'_2 m'_3 + l'_3 m'_2), l'_3 m'_3) \mathbf{c} = 0$$

$$\mathbf{c} = (a, b, c, d, e, f)^\top$$

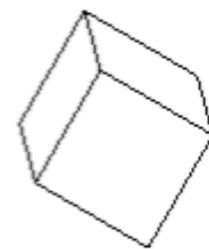
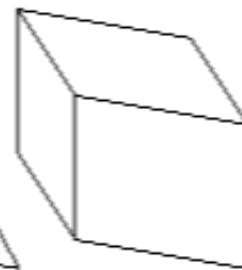
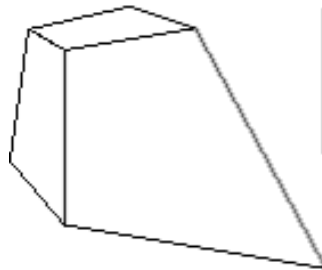


Projective 3D Geometry

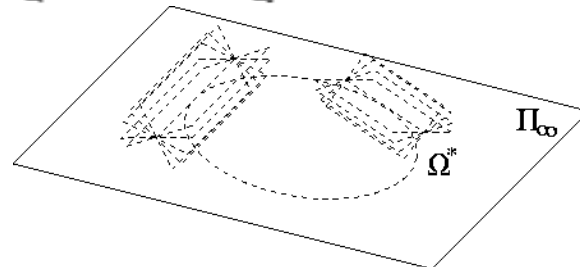
- Points, lines, planes and quadrics



- Transformations



- Π_∞ , ω_∞ and Ω_∞



3D Points

3D point

$$(X, Y, Z)^T \text{ in } \mathbf{R}^3$$

$$\mathbf{X} = (X_1, X_2, X_3, X_4)^T \text{ in } \mathbf{P}^3$$

$$\mathbf{X} = \left(\frac{X_1}{X_4}, \frac{X_2}{X_4}, \frac{X_3}{X_4}, 1 \right)^T = (X, Y, Z, 1)^T \quad (X_4 \neq 0)$$

projective transformation

$$\mathbf{X}' = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{X} \quad (4 \times 4 - 1 = 15 \text{ dof})$$

Dual: points \leftrightarrow planes, lines \leftrightarrow lines

Planes

3D plane

$$\pi_1 X + \pi_2 Y + \pi_3 Z + \pi_4 = 0$$

$$\pi_1 X_1 + \pi_2 X_2 + \pi_3 X_3 + \pi_4 X_4 = 0$$

$$\pi^\top X = 0$$

Transformation

$$X' = H X$$

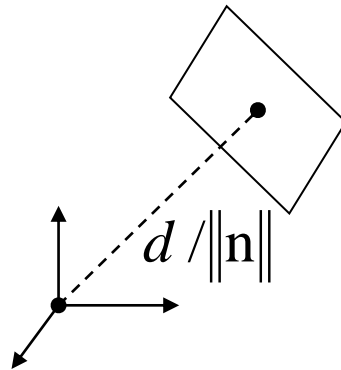
$$\pi' = H^{-\top} \pi$$

Euclidean representation

$$n \cdot \tilde{X} + d = 0 \quad n = (\pi_1, \pi_2, \pi_3)^\top \quad \tilde{X} = (X, Y, Z)^\top$$

$$\pi_4 = d$$

$$X_4 = 1$$



Planes from Points

Solve π from $X_1^\top \pi = 0$, $X_2^\top \pi = 0$ and $X_3^\top \pi = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1^\top \\ X_2^\top \\ X_3^\top \end{bmatrix} \pi = 0 \quad \left(\text{solve } \pi \text{ as right nullspace of } \begin{bmatrix} X_1^\top \\ X_2^\top \\ X_3^\top \end{bmatrix} \right)$$

Or implicitly from coplanarity condition

$$\det \begin{bmatrix} X_1 & (X_1)_1 & (X_2)_1 & (X_3)_1 \\ X_2 & (X_1)_2 & (X_2)_2 & (X_3)_2 \\ X_3 & (X_1)_3 & (X_2)_3 & (X_3)_3 \\ X_4 & (X_1)_4 & (X_2)_4 & (X_3)_4 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$X_1 D_{234} - X_2 D_{134} + X_3 D_{124} - X_4 D_{123} = 0$$

$$\pi = (D_{234}, -D_{134}, D_{124}, -D_{123})^\top$$

Points from Planes

Solve X from $\pi_1^\top X = 0$, $\pi_2^\top X = 0$ and $\pi_3^\top X = 0$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \pi_1^\top \\ \pi_2^\top \\ \pi_3^\top \end{bmatrix} X = 0 \quad (\text{solve } X \text{ as right nullspace of } \begin{bmatrix} \pi_1^\top \\ \pi_2^\top \\ \pi_3^\top \end{bmatrix})$$

Points and Planes

- Projective transformation

Under the point transformation $\mathbf{X}' = H\mathbf{X}$, a plane transforms as $\boldsymbol{\pi}' = H^{-T}\boldsymbol{\pi}$

- Parametrized points on a plane

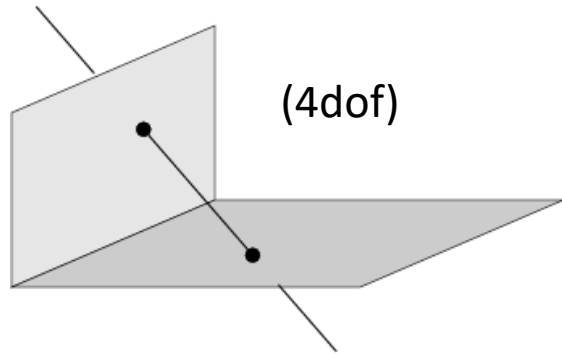
Representing a plane $\boldsymbol{\pi} = (a, b, c, d)^T$ by its span

$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{x}$ \mathbf{x} is a 3-vector parameter (a point on the projective plane)

$$\boldsymbol{\pi}^T \mathbf{M} = 0$$

$$\text{M is not unique } \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} p \\ \mathbf{I}_{3 \times 3} \end{bmatrix} \quad p = \left(-\frac{b}{a}, -\frac{c}{a}, -\frac{d}{a} \right)$$

Lines



Defined as the join of two points A, B

$$W = \begin{bmatrix} A^\top \\ B^\top \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda A + \mu B$$

(Dual) Defined as the intersection of two planes P, Q

$$W^* = \begin{bmatrix} P^\top \\ Q^\top \end{bmatrix} \quad \lambda P + \mu Q$$

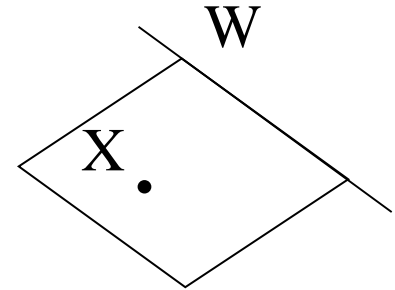
$$W^* W^\top = W W^{*\top} = 0_{2 \times 2}$$

Example: X-axis

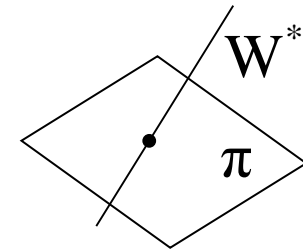
$$W = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad W^* = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Points, Lines and Planes

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{W} \\ \mathbf{X}^\top \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{M} \pi = 0$$



$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{W}^* \\ \pi^\top \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{M} X = 0$$



Plücker Matrices

Plücker matrix (4x4 skew-symmetric homogeneous matrix)

$$l_{ij} = A_i B_j - B_i A_j$$

$$L = AB^T - BA^T$$

1. L has rank 2 $LW^{*T} = 0_{4 \times 2}$
2. 4dof
3. generalization of $l = x \times y$
4. L independent of choice A and B
5. Transformation $L' = HLH^T$

Example: X-axis

$$L = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Plücker Matrices

Dual Plücker matrix L^*

$$L^* = PQ^T - QP^T$$

$$L^{*'} = H^{-T} L H^{-1}$$

Correspondence

$$l_{12} : l_{13} : l_{14} : l_{23} : l_{42} : l_{34} = l_{34}^* : l_{42}^* : l_{23}^* : l_{14}^* : l_{13}^* : l_{12}^*$$

Join and incidence

$$\pi = L^* X \quad (\text{plane through point and line})$$

$$L^* X = 0 \quad (\text{point on line})$$

$$X = L\pi \quad (\text{intersection point of plane and line})$$

$$L\pi = 0 \quad (\text{line in plane})$$

$$[L_1, L_2, \dots]\pi = 0 \quad (\text{coplanar lines})$$

Quadrics and Dual Quadrics

$$X^T Q X = 0 \quad (Q : 4 \times 4 \text{ symmetric matrix})$$

1. 9 d.o.f.
2. in general 9 points define quadric
3. $\det Q = 0 \leftrightarrow$ degenerate quadric
4. Polar plane $\pi = QX$
5. (plane \cap quadric)=conic $C = M^T Q M \quad \pi : X = Mx$
6. transformation $Q' = H^{-T} Q H^{-1}$

$$Q = \begin{bmatrix} \bullet & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \\ \circ & \bullet & \bullet & \bullet \\ \circ & \circ & \bullet & \bullet \\ \circ & \circ & \circ & \bullet \end{bmatrix}$$

Q^* : dual quadric, equations on planes

$$\pi^T Q^* \pi = 0$$

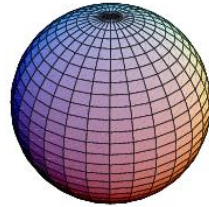
1. relation to quadric $Q^* = Q^{-1}$ (non-degenerate)
2. transformation $Q'^* = H Q^* H^T$

Quadric Classification

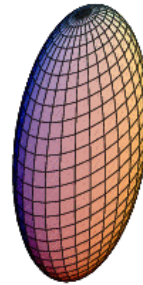
Rank	Sign.	Diagonal	Equation	Realization
4	4	(1,1,1,1)	$X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2 + 1 = 0$	No real points
	2	(1,1,1,-1)	$X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2 = 1$	Sphere
	0	(1,1,-1,-1)	$X^2 + Y^2 = Z^2 + 1$	Hyperboloid (1S)
3	3	(1,1,1,0)	$X^2 + Y^2 + Z^2 = 0$	Single point
	1	(1,1,-1,0)	$X^2 + Y^2 = Z^2$	Cone
2	2	(1,1,0,0)	$X^2 + Y^2 = 0$	Single line
	0	(1,-1,0,0)	$X^2 = Y^2$	Two planes
1	1	(1,0,0,0)	$X^2 = 0$	Single plane

Quadric Classification

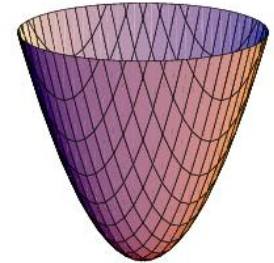
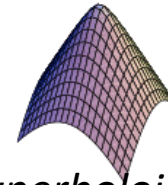
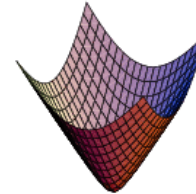
Projectively equivalent to *sphere*:



sphere

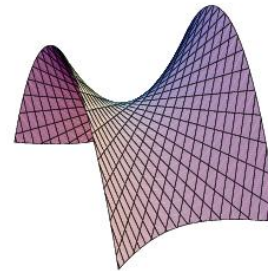
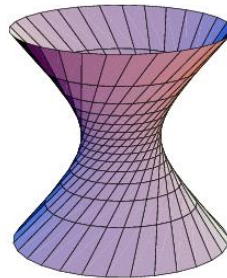


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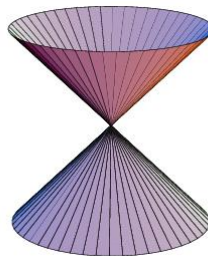
hyperboloid of two sheets
paraboloid

Ruled quadrics: (contain straight line)

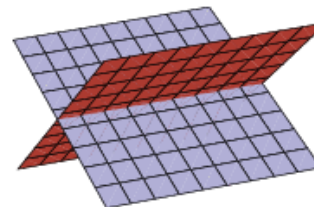


hyperboloids of one sheet

Degenerate ruled quadrics:

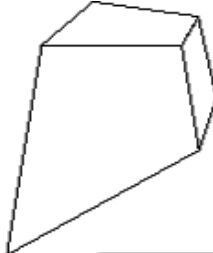
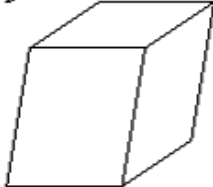
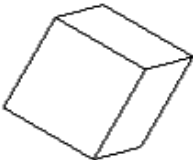
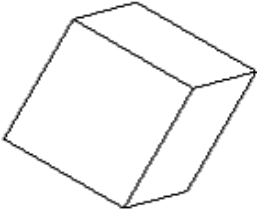
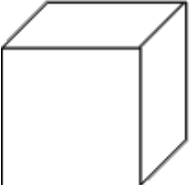


cone



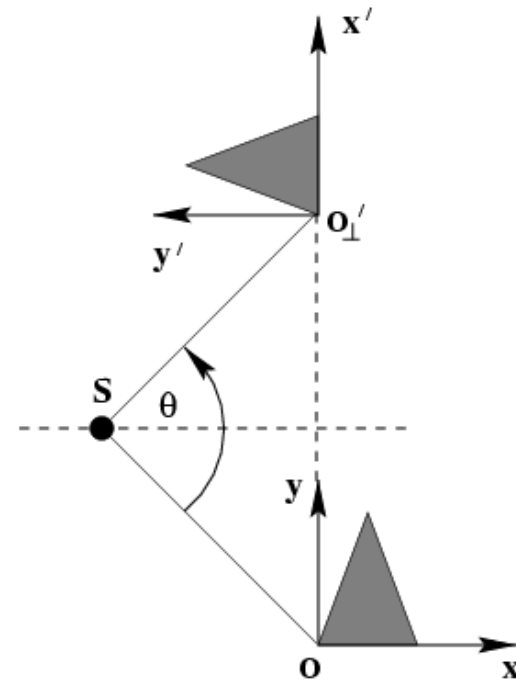
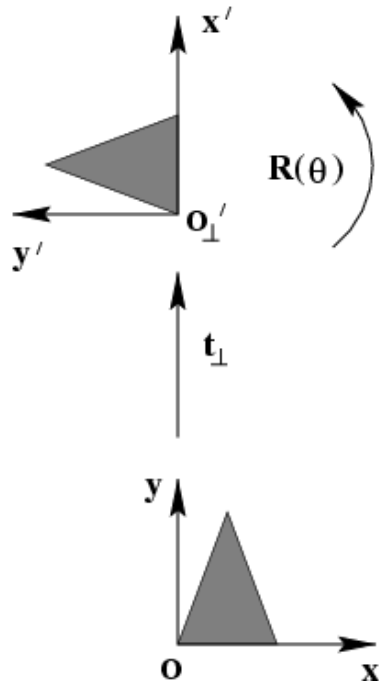
two planes

Hierarchy of Transformations

			<u>Invariant Properties</u>
	Projective 15dof	$\begin{bmatrix} A & t \\ v^T & v \end{bmatrix}$	 Intersection and tangency
5 for affine scaling	Affine 12dof	$\begin{bmatrix} A & t \\ 0^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	 Parallellism of planes, Volume ratios, centroids, The plane at infinity π_∞
3 for rotation 3 for translation 1 for isotropic scaling	Similarity 7dof	$\begin{bmatrix} sR & t \\ 0^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	 The absolute conic Ω_∞
	Euclidean 6dof	$\begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	 Volume 

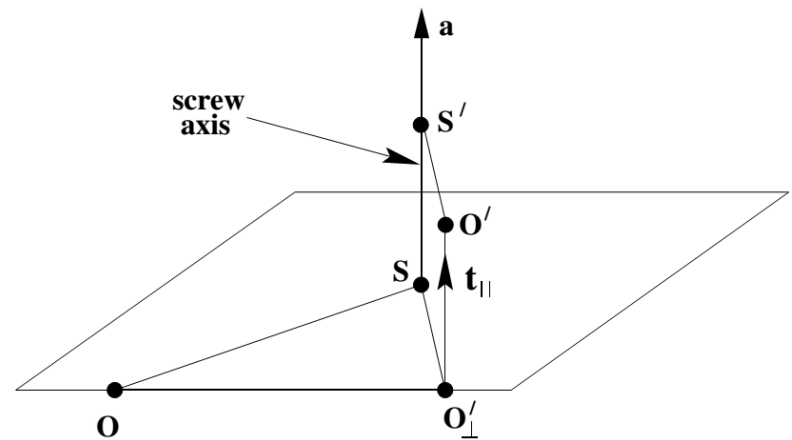
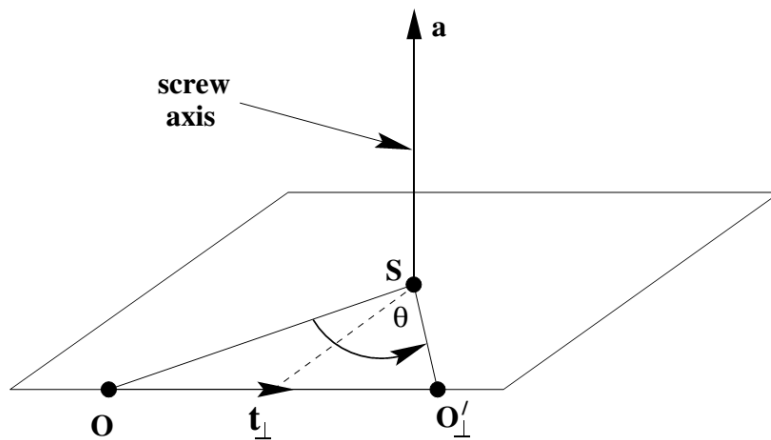
Screw Decomposition

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screw axis // rotation axis

$$\mathbf{t} = \mathbf{t}_{\parallel} + \mathbf{t}_{\perp}$$

The Plane at Infinity

$$\pi'_\infty = \mathbf{H}_A^{-T} \pi_\infty = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}^{-T} & 0 \\ -\mathbf{A} \mathbf{t} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \pi_\infty$$

The plane at infinity π_∞ is a fixed plane under a projective transformation H iff H is an affinity

1. canonical position $\pi_\infty = (0,0,0,1)^T$
2. contains directions $\mathbf{D} = (X_1, X_2, X_3, 0)^T$
3. two planes are parallel \Leftrightarrow line of intersection in π_∞
4. line // line (or plane) \Leftrightarrow point of intersection in π_∞