

# Camera transformations

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constraints

- ~~geom in canonical view~~
- camera uses orthog projection
- ~~looking in  $-z$~~

Define

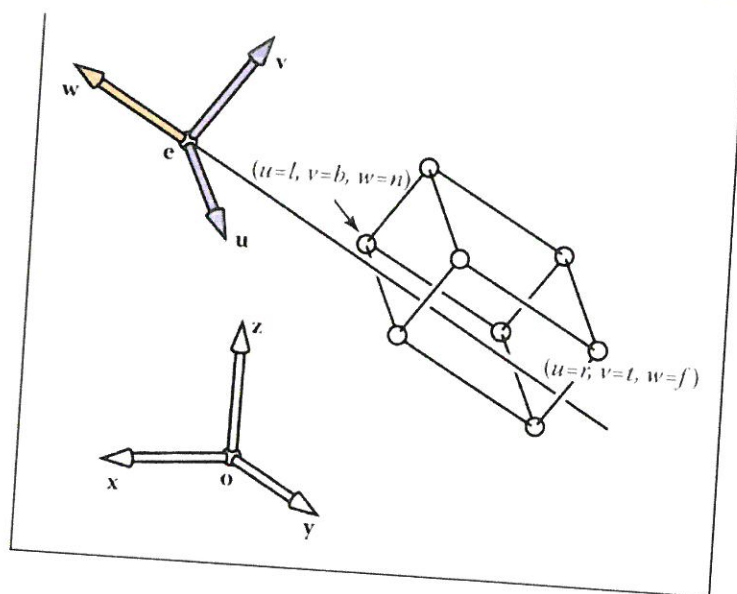
- $e$ : eye position
- $g$ : gaze direction
- $t$ : viewer up direction

What we want:

$$w = \frac{-g}{\|g\|}$$

$$u = \frac{t \times w}{\|t \times w\|}$$

$$v = w \times u$$



I can write the coordinates  
of everything in the view box  
as

$$M_{cam} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x & u_y & u_z & 0 \\ v_x & v_y & v_z & 0 \\ w_x & w_y & w_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -e_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -e_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -e_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

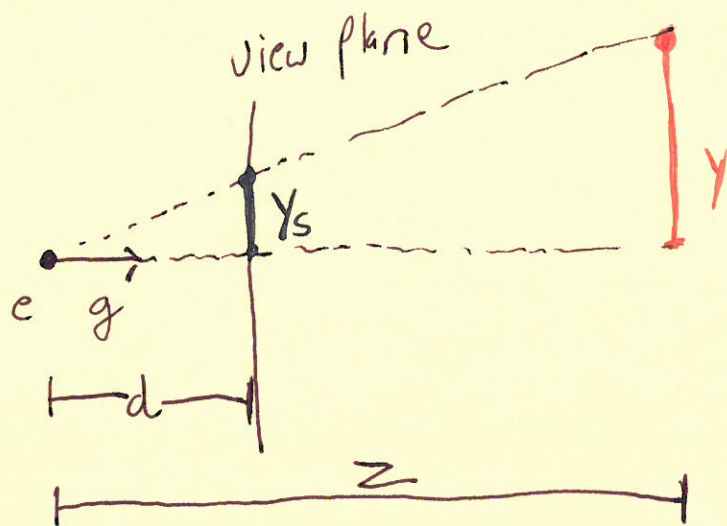
Remember

$M_{up}$  is the viewport matrix

perform trans ~~w~~

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{pixel} \\ y_{pixel} \\ z_{norm} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = M_{up} V_{orth} V_{cam} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Projective Transformations



$$y_s = \frac{d}{z} y \quad \leftarrow \text{we can't generalize this w/ affine transformations}$$

Define transformation

homogeneous coordinate  $\rightarrow$  cartesian coordinate

$$(x, y, z, w) \rightarrow (\cancel{x}/w, y/w, z/w)$$



linear trans

$$x' = a_1x + b_1y + c_1z$$

affine transformations

$$x' = a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1$$

with  $w$  as denom

$$x' = \frac{a_1x + b_1y + c_1z + d_1}{ex + fy + gz + h} = \tilde{w}$$

$$y' = \frac{a_2x + b_2y + c_2z + d_2}{ex + fy + gz + h} = \tilde{w}$$

$$z' = \dots$$

as a matrix

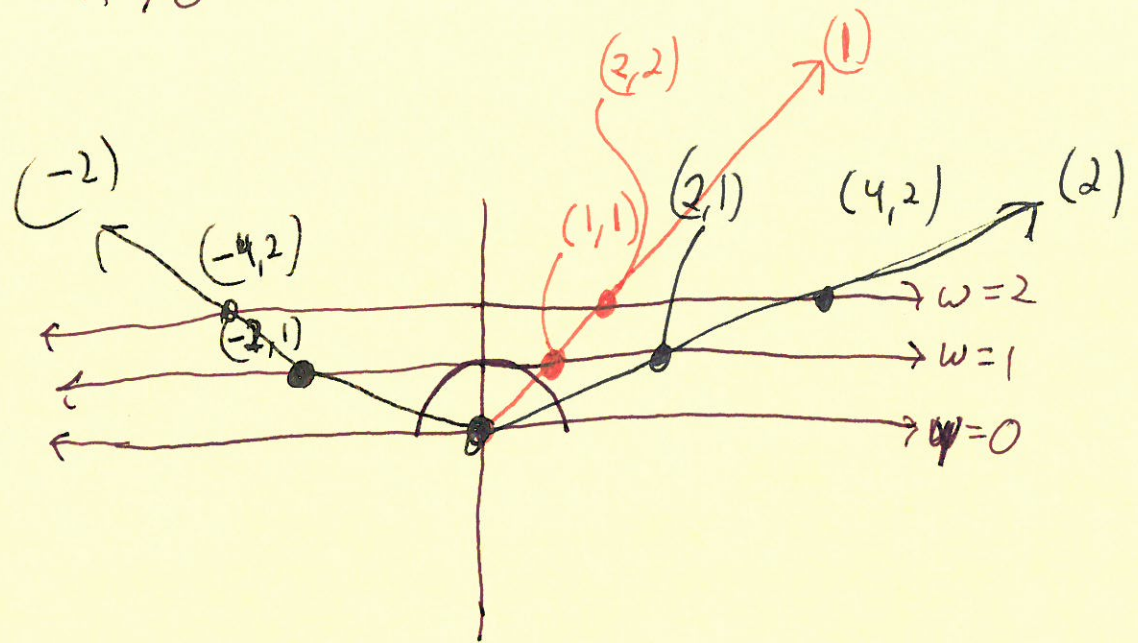
$$\begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ \tilde{w} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 & d_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & d_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 & d_3 \\ e & f & g & h \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{and } \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x}/\tilde{w} \\ \tilde{y}/\tilde{w} \\ \tilde{z}/\tilde{w} \end{bmatrix}$$

called a "projective transformation"

for Cartesian coordinate  $x$

$$x \sim \alpha x \quad \forall x \neq 0$$



perspective projection

"toy example"

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_s \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y_s = \frac{d}{z} y$$

"official matrix"

$z = h \equiv$  near plane

$z = f \equiv$  far plane

$h < 0$  (looking in  $-z$  direction)

$$P = \begin{bmatrix} n & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & n+f & -fn \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

brings  $z$  coordinate along for the ride for surface ordering

perspective transform

$$\begin{bmatrix} h & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & n+f & -fn \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} nx \\ ny \\ (n+f)z - fn \\ z \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \frac{nx}{z} \\ \frac{ny}{z} \\ n+f - \frac{fn}{z} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Lets put this together

$$M_{\text{per}} = M_{\text{ort}} P$$

Camera :

w/o perspective :  $M_1 = M_{\text{up}} M_{\text{orth}} M_{\text{cam}}$

w/ perspective :  $M_2 = M_{\text{up}} \underbrace{M_{\text{orth}} P}_{M_{\text{per}}} M_{\text{cam}}$

$$M_{\text{per}}^{(GL)} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2|n|}{r-l} & 0 & \frac{r+l}{r-l} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2|n|}{t-b} & \frac{t+b}{t-b} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{|n|+|f|}{|n|-|f|} & \frac{2|f||n|}{|n|-|f|} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$