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# Computer Vision II: Multiple View Geometry

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### Problem 1 Linear Algebra (24 credits)

$\det \neq 0$

a) Which of the following sets of vectors is linearly independent?

(6 credit(s))

- $B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  dependent  $a_1 \cdot v_1 + a_2 \cdot v_2 + a_3 \cdot v_3 = 0$   
只有零解  $a_1 = a_2 = a_3 = 0$
- $B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 4 \\ -5 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$   $-8 - 20 - 25 - 10 - 40 + 30 = -72 \neq 0$
- $B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -7 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$   $-4 - 2 - 21 + 1 + 14 + 12 = 0$
- $B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 5 \\ 9 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 8 \\ 12 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -6 \\ -2 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$   $24 - 480 - 144 + 648 + 32 - 80 = 0$

b) Which of the following vectors in addition to the set of vectors  $B = \left\{ \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -2 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ -3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right\}$  spans  $\mathbb{R}^3$ ?

(3 credit(s))

- $\begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ -1 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$   $\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$
- The given set of vectors spans  $\mathbb{R}^3$   $-4 + 1 + 6 + 4 - 1 - 6 = 0$
- A set of 4 vectors in  $\mathbb{R}^3$  cannot span  $\mathbb{R}^3$
- $\begin{pmatrix} 15 \\ -25 \\ 15 \end{pmatrix}$

c) Which of the following statements is incorrect?

(4 credit(s))

- In general, for a matrix  $B \in GL(n+1)$ ,  $\det(B) \neq 1$
- In general, for a matrix  $B \in SE(n)$ ,  $\det(B) \neq 1$
- $SO(3) \subset O(3)$
- $A(n) \subset \mathbb{R}^{n+1 \times n+1}$
- $SE(3) \subset A(3)$

无零特征值

d) Which of the following is **false** given a full rank symmetric matrix  $B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ ?

(4 credit(s))

- The eigenvalues of  $B$  are always positive 可能有负值
- $B$  is positive semidefinite if the minimum eigenvalue is 0
- If  $B$  is positive definite the minimum eigenvalue is greater than 0
- The singular values of  $B$  are always positive 对称矩阵的奇异值就是其特征值的绝对值
- When  $B$  is positive definite, if the singular value decomposition of  $B$  is  $svd(B) = U\Sigma V'$ , then  $U = V$

$$\Lambda = \Sigma$$

对称矩阵 SVD = 特征值分解

$$B = Q \Lambda Q^{-1} = U \Sigma V'$$

$$U = V$$

- e) Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be a symmetric matrix with eigen values ordered as  $\lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots > \lambda_{n-1} \geq \lambda_n$  with corresponding eigen vectors  $v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{n-1}, v_n$ . Write down the solution for the optimization problem

$$\min_{\|x\|=1} x^T A x, \quad x \text{ 可以是正交 } v \text{ 但 } \min x^T A x \text{ 有 } 16 \text{ 个唯一解, 行名相消} \quad (1.1)$$

where  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . Be as specific as possible. Further, when is the solution to this problem unique and what is the solution in this case? (writing the final equations is sufficient) (4 credit(s))

$A = V \Lambda V^T$ symmetric $V^T V = I$ orthogonal
$x := V y \quad y = V^T x$
$\ y\ ^2 = \ V^T x\ ^2 = (V^T x)^T V^T x = x^T x = \ x\ ^2 = 1 \Rightarrow \ y\ =1$
$\min x^T A x = \min (V y)^T V \Lambda V^T V y = y^T V^T V \Lambda V^T V y = \min y^T \Lambda y = \min \sum_{i=1}^n \lambda_i y_i^2 = \lambda_n$
$\lambda_n$ is the smallest eigenvalue $x = V y$ the corresponding eigenvector
$\text{if } \lambda_n \text{ is simple (multiplicity one), the solution is unique}$

- f) A vector  $v \in \mathbb{R}^3$  is translated by a vector  $T_1 \in \mathbb{R}^3$ , then rotated by a matrix  $R \in SO(3)$ , and finally translated by a vector  $T_2 \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Let the transformed vector be  $v' \in \mathbb{R}^3$ . Write down the equation in homogeneous coordinate system to obtain  $v'$  from  $v$ . (writing the final equation is sufficient, no need to show intermediate steps) (3 credit(s))

$$\begin{bmatrix} v' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} R & T_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} I & T_1 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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## Problem 2 Image Formation (20 credits)

For this problem by a ‘canonically oriented camera’, we mean that the camera origin is at  $[0, 0, 0]$ , with respect to the world coordinate system, the camera’s rotation is given by  $R = \mathbb{I}_{3 \times 3}$ , and the camera’s optical axis points along positive direction of z-axis

For the next two subproblems, consider the following setting:

A 3D point is given in the world coordinate system as  $P = [\frac{1}{2}, \frac{3}{2}, 1]^\top$ . The point is observed by a camera which is canonically oriented. The intrinsic parameter matrix  $K$  of the camera is given by

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 200 & 0 & 500 \\ 0 & 200 & 500 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}. \quad \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{3}{2} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 100 + 500 \\ 300 + 500 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

a) Where is the point  $P$  observed on the image captured by the given camera?

(3 credit(s))

- $[u, v] = [250, 400]$
- $[u, v] = [300, 400]$
- $[u, v] = [600, 800]$
- The given point is not observed in the image
- $[u, v] = [500, 500]$

b) Where is the depth of the point  $P$  as observed by the given camera?

(2 credit(s))

- 0
- 1
- 2
- 1
- $\frac{1}{2}$

A 3D point is given in the world coordinate system as  $P = [1, 2, -3]^\top$ . The point is observed by a camera which is canonically oriented. The intrinsic parameter matrix  $K$  is given by

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 125 & 0 & 250 \\ 0 & 125 & 250 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

c) Where is the point  $P$  observed on the image captured by this camera?

(3 credit(s))

- $[u, v] = [625, 500]$
- The given point is not observed in the image
- $[u, v] = [125, 250]$
- $[u, v] = [250, 250]$
- $[u, v] = [250, 125]$

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For the next four subproblems, consider the following setting.

The 3D points  $X_1 = [1, 2, 5]^\top$ , and  $X_2 = [-1, 1, 5]^\top$  in the world coordinate system, appear in the image at pixel coordinates  $x_1 = [315, 360]^\top$  and  $x_2 = [185, 280]^\top$ , respectively. The image is captured by a camera which is canonically oriented. Assuming a perspective pinhole camera with no skew, the intrinsic matrix is given by

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} f_x & 0 & o_x \\ 0 & f_y & o_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

$$\frac{f_x \cdot x}{z} + o_x = 315$$

$$\frac{f_x \cdot 1}{5} + o_x = 315$$

$$-\frac{f_x}{5} + o_x = 185$$

(3 credit(s))

$$f_x + 5 \cdot o_x = 1575$$

$$-f_x + 5 \cdot o_x = 925$$

$$10 \cdot o_x = 2500$$

$$o_x = 250$$

$$-f_x + 1250 = 925$$

$$f_x = 325$$

What are the values of the intrinsic camera parameters?

d) What is the value of  $f_x$ ?

- $f_x = 325$
- $f_x = 250$
- $f_x = 125$
- $f_x = 225$
- $f_x = 180$

$$\frac{2f_y}{5} + o_y = 360$$

$$\frac{f_y}{5} + o_y = 280$$

$$2f_y + 5 \cdot o_y = 1800$$

$$f_y + 5 \cdot o_y = 1400$$

(3 credit(s))

$$f_y = 400$$

$$o_y = 200$$

e) What is the value of  $f_y$ ?

- $f_y = 400$
- $f_y = 160$
- $f_y = 100$
- $f_y = 200$
- $f_y = 500$

f) What is the value of  $o_x$ ?

(3 credit(s))

- $o_x = 300$
- $o_x = 250$
- $o_x = 200$
- $o_x = 400$
- $o_x = 150$

g) What is the value of  $o_y$ ?

(3 credit(s))

- $o_y = 400$
- $o_y = 150$
- $o_y = 250$
- $o_y = 200$
- $o_y = 300$

### Problem 3 Perspective projection (8 credits)

a) Which of the following statements is wrong?

(3 credit(s))

- The coefficients in the intrinsic parameters matrix model linear distortions in the transformation to pixel coordinates
- Image, preimage and coimage uniquely determine one another
- The coimage of a line is the subspace in  $R^3$  that is the orthogonal complement of its preimage
- A preimage of a line in the image plane is the largest set of 3D points that give an image equal to the given line
- There exists a unique representation for the two-dimensional projective space  $P^2$

b) Consider the radial distortion model

$$x_d = g(r) \frac{x}{\|x\|}, \quad \frac{x_d}{g(r)} \frac{\|x\|}{\|x\|} = x$$

$$\frac{x_d}{s \log(1 + \frac{r}{k})} \frac{\|x\|}{\|x\|} = x$$

$$\frac{r_d}{s \log(1 + \frac{r}{k})} = 1$$

$$r_d = s \log(1 + \frac{r}{k}) \quad (3.1)$$

which maps coordinates  $x \in \mathbb{R}^2$  in the normalized image plane to distorted coordinates  $x_d \in \mathbb{R}^2$ . The factor  $g(r)$  depends on the radius  $r = \|x\|$  and is given as

$$g(r) = s \log(1 + \frac{r}{k}), \quad r_d = \log(1 + \frac{r}{k}) \quad (3.2)$$

where,  $s \in \mathbb{R}^+$ , and  $k \in \mathbb{R}^+$  are model parameters. Choose the function  $f$  such that the inverse distortion can be written as

$$x = f(r_d) \frac{x_d}{\|x_d\|}, \quad \exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) = 1 + \frac{r}{k} \quad (3.3)$$

where,  $r_d = \|x_d\|$ .

(5 credit(s))

- $f(r_d) = \frac{\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) - 1}{k}$
- There is no such function  $f$
- $f(r_d) = \frac{1 - \exp(\frac{r_d}{s})}{k}$
- $f(r_d) = \frac{\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) - 1}{k}$
- $f(r_d) = k(\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) - 1)$

$$k(\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) - 1) = r$$

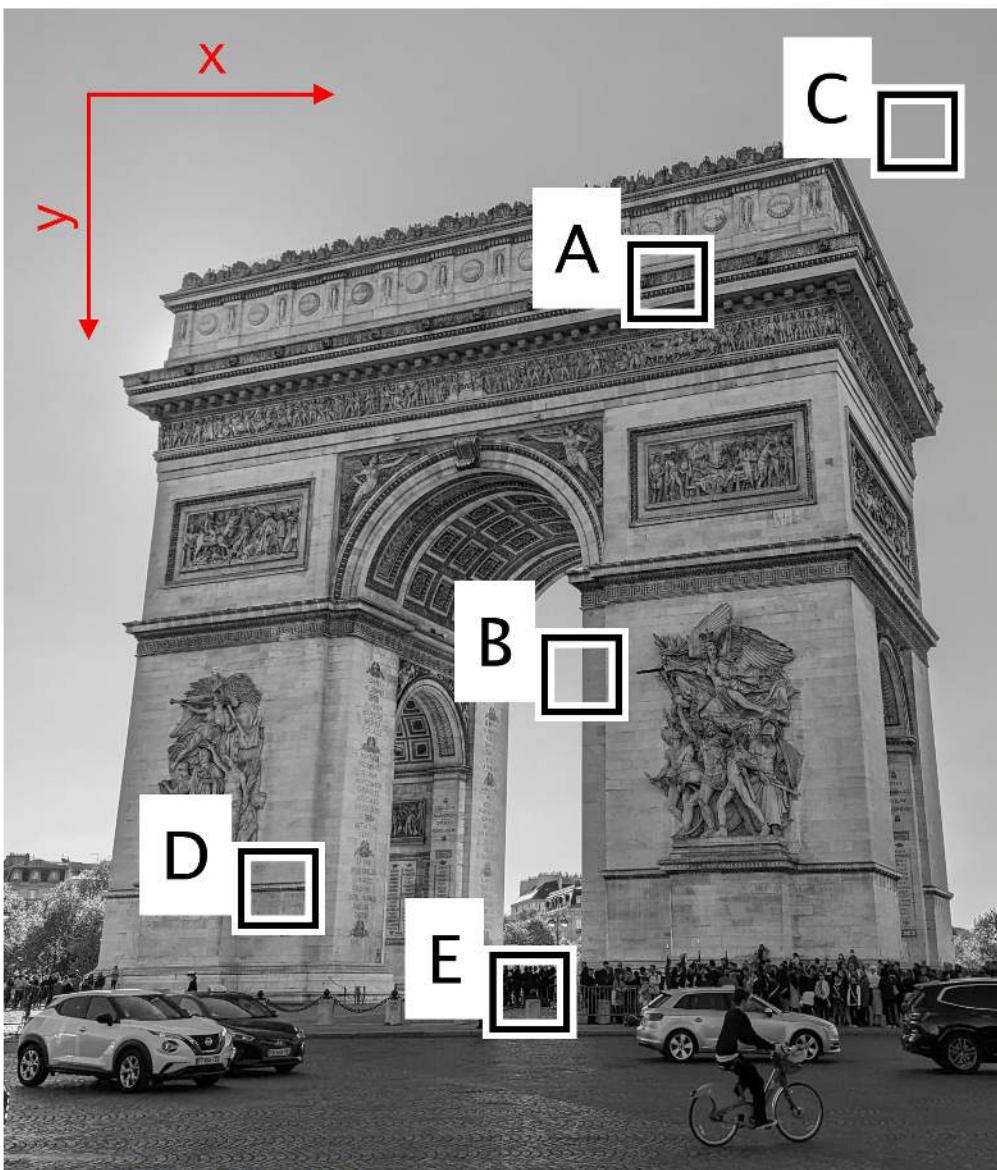
$$x = \frac{x_d}{s \log(\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}))} \cdot \|x\|$$

$$x = \frac{x_d}{r_d} \cdot \|x\| = \frac{x_d}{\|x_d\|} \cdot r$$

$$= k(\exp(\frac{r_d}{s}) - 1) \frac{x_d}{\|x_d\|}$$

## Problem 4 Lucas-Kanade Algorithm: The Structure Tensor (17 credits)

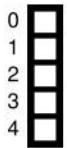
The black and white boxes in the image below are annotations used within this exercise and were not present in the image used to calculate the structure tensors.



In Equation 4.1 you are given the eigenvalues  $\lambda_i^{(1)}, \dots, \lambda_i^{(5)}$  and eigenvectors  $v_i^{(1)}, \dots, v_i^{(5)}$  for five structure tensors  $M^{(1)}, \dots, M^{(5)}$ . For each tensor you have to choose the corresponding image patch A – E. The neighborhood used to compute the structure tensor  $W(x)$  is set to be the same as the inside of the corresponding annotation box. A uniform weight is used throughout the window. There is a one-to-one correspondence between tensors and patches. (To obtain readable numbers, the values below are scaled and rounded.)

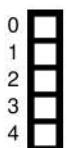
E	$M^{(1)} :$	$\lambda_1^{(1)} = 4.84, \lambda_2^{(1)} = 3.22$	$v_1^{(1)} = (-0.99, -0.16)^\top, v_2^{(1)} = (0.16, -0.99)^\top$
D	$M^{(2)} :$	$\lambda_1^{(2)} = 2.84, \lambda_2^{(2)} = 0.05$	$v_1^{(2)} = (0.05, 1.00)^\top, v_2^{(2)} = (-1.00, 0.05)^\top$
C	$M^{(3)} :$	$\lambda_1^{(3)} = 0.00, \lambda_2^{(3)} = 0.00$	$v_1^{(3)} = (-1.00, 0.06)^\top, v_2^{(3)} = (-0.06, -1.00)^\top$
A	$M^{(4)} :$	$\lambda_1^{(4)} = 7.26, \lambda_2^{(4)} = 1.74$	$v_1^{(4)} = (0.27, 0.96)^\top, v_2^{(4)} = (-0.96, 0.27)^\top$
B	$M^{(5)} :$	$\lambda_1^{(5)} = 0.90, \lambda_2^{(5)} = 0.07$	$v_1^{(5)} = (-1.00, -0.00)^\top, v_2^{(5)} = (0.00, -1.00)^\top$

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a) Choose the correct image patch for the structure tensor  $M^{(1)}$  and explain your choice. (4 credit(s))

E , for both direction  $v_1, v_2$  the eigenvalue  $\lambda_1$ , and  $\lambda_2$  are relatively large, this means the patch has large intensity variation on  $v_1, v_2$  direction



b) Choose the correct image patch for the structure tensor  $M^{(2)}$  and explain your choice. (4 credit(s))

D , in direction  $v_1$ , it has large  $\lambda_1$ , means  $v_1$  is dominant direction, edge is detected which is orthogonal to direction  $v_1$ .

c) Choose the correct image patch for the structure tensor  $M^{(3)}$ . (3 credit(s))

- D
- A
- C
- B
- E

d) Choose the correct image patch for the structure tensor  $M^{(4)}$ . (3 credit(s))

- D
- A
- B
- C
- E

e) Choose the correct image patch for the structure tensor  $M^{(5)}$ . (3 credit(s))

- A
- C
- B
- E
- D

## Problem 5 Essential and Fundamental Matrix (34 credits)

In this problem, given two vectors  $a$  and  $b$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , we write the cross product  $a \times b = \hat{a}b$ .

- a) By denoting the projections of a point  $X$  onto two images  $S_1$  and  $S_2$  by  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ , the camera rotation and translation that maps  $S_1$  to  $S_2$  by  $R$  and  $T$  respectively, state the epipolar constraint. (2 credit(s))

	0
	1
	2

$$x_2^T T R x_1 = 0$$

- b) Give a geometrical interpretation of the epipolar constraint. (2 credit(s))

vector  $\vec{o_1 x}$ ,  $\vec{o_2 x}$  and  $\vec{o_2 x}$  are on the same plane, i.e. triple product of these vectors is zero. and volume of the parallelepiped

$$\text{volume} = x_2^T (T R x_1) = 0$$

proportional  $\vec{o_1 x}$   $\vec{o_2 x}$   $\vec{o_2 x}$

	0
	1
	2

- c) State the formula for the fundamental matrix  $F$  using the essential matrix  $E$  and the intrinsic parameter matrix  $K$ . (2 credit(s))

$$F = K^{-T} E K^{-1}$$

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	1
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- d) State the epipolar constraint for uncalibrated cameras by using the fundamental matrix  $F$  and the image coordinates  $x'_1, x'_2$  associated to the metric coordinates  $x_1, x_2$  via the calibration matrix. (2 credit(s))

	0
	1
	2

$$x_2'^T F x_1' = x_2^T K^{-T} E K^{-1} x_1' = 0$$

$x'$  像素坐标  $(u, v, 1)^T$   
 $x$  世界坐标  $(x, y, z)^T$

$$x' = K \cdot x$$

$$x = K^{-1} x' \rightarrow x_2^T F x_1 = x_2'^T F x_1$$

- e) Assume that we have a camera with motion constrained to the  $XZ$ -plane, i.e. the camera center can only be moved to locations of the form  $O = [t_1, 0, t_2]$  for  $t_1, t_2 \in \mathbb{R}$ , and the rotation is constrained to a rotation around the  $Y$ -axis (both in world coordinates). For  $a, b, c, d, e, f \in \mathbb{R}$ , which form does the essential matrix  $E$  take for any two poses of this constrained camera? (4 credit(s))

$E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & a \\ 0 & 0 & b \\ c & d & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & b \\ c & d & 0 \\ e & 0 & f \end{bmatrix}$

- $E$  does not have a special structure, all entries can be non-zero

$E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & 0 \\ b & 0 & c \\ 0 & d & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$E = \begin{bmatrix} a & 0 & b \\ 0 & c & d \\ e & f & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & a & b \\ c & 0 & 0 \\ d & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

$$T = \begin{pmatrix} t_1 \\ 0 \\ t_2 \end{pmatrix} \quad \tilde{T} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -t_2 & 0 \\ t_2 & 0 & -t_1 \\ 0 & t_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_y = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$E = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & -t_2 & 0 \\ f_2 \cos \theta + t_1 \sin \theta & 0 & f_2 \sin \theta - t_1 \cos \theta \\ 0 & t_1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

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Sample Solution

In the following questions, we denote a camera matrix  $P = K[R|t]$  with  $K$  its intrinsic parameter matrix,  $R \in SO(3)$ ,  $t \in \mathbb{R}^3$ .  $P$  maps point coordinates  $X$  to image coordinates  $x'$  via  $PX \sim x'$ . A given pair of camera matrices  $(P, P')$  such that  $P = [I|0]$  and  $P' = [A|a]$  (with  $K = K' = 1$ ), is said to be canonical, with  $I$  the identity matrix. Questions f) and g) are linked together.

- f) Let  $F$  be a non-zero matrix and  $(P, P')$  a camera pair. Show that if  $P'^T F P$  is skew-symmetric, then  $F$  is the fundamental matrix corresponding to the pair  $(P, P')$ . (4 credit(s))

	0
	1
	2
	3
	4

Fundamental Matrix with epipolar constraint  $x_2'^T F x_1' = 0$

$$x_1' = P X_1, \quad x_2' = P' X_2$$

$$(P' X_2)^T F P X_1 = X_2'^T P'^T F P X_1$$

if  $P'^T F P$  is skew symmetric  
 $\Rightarrow P'^T F P = -(P'^T F P)^T$

$$X_2'^T M X_1 = (X_2'^T M X_1)^T : \text{scalar}$$

$$= X_1'^T M^T X_2 = -X_2'^T M X_1$$

$$\Rightarrow X_2'^T P'^T F P X_1 = 0 \Rightarrow F \text{ is Fundamental Matrix}$$

- g) Let  $F$  be any matrix in  $\mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$  and  $S$  any skew-symmetric matrix in  $\mathbb{R}^{3 \times 3}$ . Let  $(P, P')$  be the pair of camera matrices that satisfies  $P = [I|0]$  and  $P' = [SF|e']$  where  $e'$  is the epipole such that  $e'^T F = 0$ . We assume that  $P'$  is valid (has rank 3). Prove that  $F$  is the fundamental matrix corresponding to the pair  $(P, P')$ . (4 credit(s))

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	2
	3
	4

$$x_2'^T F x_1' \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \quad x_2' = P' X_2, \quad x_1' = P X_1 \quad \Rightarrow \quad X_2'^T P'^T F P X_1 \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \quad \text{Prove}$$

$$x_2' = [SF|e'] X_2 = SFX_2 + e' \quad \Rightarrow (SFX_2 + e')^T F X_1$$

$$x_1' = X_1$$

$$X_2'^T F S^T F X_1 = (X_2'^T F^T S^T F X_1)^T - S^T S \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$= X_1'^T F^T S^T F X_2 \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$= -X_2'^T F^T S^T F X_1 \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

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Sample

Questions h) to k) are linked together. The goal is to prove the following theorem:

**Theorem 1** Let  $F$  be a matrix and let  $(P_1, P'_1), (P_2, P'_2)$  be two canonical pairs of camera matrices such that  $F$  is the fundamental matrix corresponding to both pairs,  $P_1 = P_2 = [I|0]$ ,  $P'_1 = [A_1|a_1]$  and  $P'_2 = [A_2|a_2]$ . Then there exists a non-singular  $4 \times 4$  matrix  $H$  such that  $P_2 \sim P_1 H$  and  $P'_2 \sim P'_1 H$ .

$$\underbrace{P = K[R|t]}_{3 \times 4}$$

$$F = \hat{e}' P_2 P_1^+$$

$\hat{e}'$ : epipolar in second image  
 $P_1^+$ : pseudo inverse of  $P_1$ , (2 credit(s))

0 h) Show that  $\hat{a}_1 A_1 = \hat{a}_2 A_2$ .

$$P_1 = P_2 = [I|0] \quad P'_1 = [A_1|a_1] \quad P'_2 = [A_2|a_2]$$

$$\text{for } (P_1, P'_1), F_1 = \hat{a}_1 A_1 \quad \text{for } (P_2, P'_2), F_2 = \hat{a}_2 A_2$$

$$\begin{aligned} F_1 &= F_2 \\ \hat{a}_1 A_1 &\sim \hat{a}_2 A_2 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{cases} \text{FTA} \\ \text{for } (P_1, P'_1) \end{cases} \quad F = K^{-T} E K^{-1} = K^{-T} \hat{T} R K$$

$$P = K[R|t]$$

$$K_r = I \quad R = A_1 \quad \hat{T} = \hat{a}_1$$

i) Show that  $a_2 = ua_1$  for some non-zero constant scalar  $u$ .

(4 credit(s))

$$\hat{a}_1 A_1 = \hat{a}_2 A_2$$

$$[A_2|a_2] \sim [A_1|a_1] \cdot H$$

$$\hat{a}_1 A_1 \cdot x = \hat{a}_2 A_2 \cdot x$$

$$\sim [A_1|a_1] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} M & v \\ w^T & u \end{bmatrix}$$

$$a_1 \times (A_1 x) = a_2 \times (A_2 x)$$

$$\sim [A_1 M + a_1 w^T \quad A_1 \cdot v + u a_1]$$

$$a_1 = u a_2$$

$$a_2 \sim A_1 \cdot v + u a_1 = \lambda a_1 + M a_1 = u a_1$$

j) Show that  $A_2 = u^{-1}(A_1 + a_1 v^T)$  for some non-zero 3-vector  $v$ .

(3 credit(s))

$$A_2 = A_1 M + a_1 w^T$$

k) Conclude. Hint: Use the matrix  $H = \begin{pmatrix} u^{-1} I & 0 \\ u^{-1} v^T & u \end{pmatrix}$ .

(5 credit(s))

## Problem 6 Bundle Adjustment and Optimization (17 credits)

a) Consider the minimization problem

$$\Delta x^* = \arg \min_{\Delta x} \|r(x + \Delta x)\|^2 + \lambda \Delta x^\top D^\top D \Delta x. \quad (6.1)$$

	0
	1
	2
	3

By using the Taylor approximation at first-order and by denoting the Jacobian of the residual  $r$  by  $J$ , express  $\Delta x^*$ . (writing the final equation is sufficient) (3 credit(s))

$$\begin{aligned} \|r(x) + J\Delta x\|^2 &= (r(x) + J\Delta x)^\top (r(x) + J\Delta x) = r(x)^\top r(x) + \Delta x^\top J^\top r(x) + r(x)^\top J \Delta x + \Delta x^\top J^\top J \Delta x \\ \frac{\partial}{\partial \Delta x} &= 2r(x)^\top J + 2J^\top J \Delta x + 2\lambda D^\top D \Delta x \stackrel{!}{=} 0 \\ (J^\top J + \lambda D^\top D) \Delta x &= -r(x)^\top J \\ \Delta x &= -(J^\top J + \lambda D^\top D)^{-1} r(x)^\top J \end{aligned}$$

b) Let  $A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$  be a symmetric square matrix and  $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ . The eigenvalues of  $A$  are ordered as  $0.8 = \lambda_1 \geq \lambda_2 \geq \dots \geq \lambda_n = 0.4$ . What is the value of  $a^*$  in the following optimization problem?

$$a^* = \min_{\|x\|=1} \langle 2x, -Ax + x \rangle \quad (6.2)$$

$$= \min_{\|x\|=1} 2x^\top (-Ax + x) \quad (5 \text{ credit(s)})$$

- 7.6
- 9.4
- 2.4
- 0.4
- None of the other values

$$= -2x^\top Ax + \underbrace{2x^\top x}_{=1} = -1.6 + 2 = 0.4$$

c) Which of the following statements is wrong? (2 credit(s))

- Bundle adjustment type cost functions are typically minimized by nonlinear least squares algorithms ✓
- Direct methods tend to be more robust to noise ✓
- Bundle adjustment jointly estimates the pose and the landmark updates ✓
- Direct methods provide a sparse geometric reconstruction of the scene scattered
- Bundle adjustment problem needs to be initialized ✓

— The problem continues on the next page —

$$\text{normalized : } \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x}{z} \\ \frac{y}{z} \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{homogeneous : } \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Consider the bundle adjustment energy for two views

$$E(R, T, X_1, \dots, X_N) = \sum_{j=1}^N \|\tilde{x}_1^j - \pi(X_j)\|^2 + \|\tilde{x}_2^j - \pi(R, T, X_j)\|^2. \quad (6.3)$$

We denote by  $\tilde{x}_i^j \in \mathbb{R}^2$  the observed position of point  $j$  in image  $i$ . Note that these points are not in homogeneous coordinates. For this exercise we assume that we are working in normalised image coordinates.

0 d) Does equation 6.3 define a direct approach? Why / Why not? (2 credit(s))

no, because equation 6.3 want to minimize the reprojection error between a 3D Point and its 2D projected point. It's based on the extrated feature points  $\tilde{x}_i^j \in \mathbb{R}^2$ , so it's a feature based method not direct,

0 e) What does the term  $\pi(R, T, X_j)$  represent? Describe all the steps involved in evaluating it. (3 credit(s))

$\pi(R, T, X_j)$  represent the perspective projection of  $X_j$  after rotation and translation

$$X_c = RX_j + T$$

$$\pi(R, T, X_j) = \pi(RX_j + T) = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{x_c}{z_c} \\ \frac{y_c}{z_c} \end{pmatrix} \quad X_c = \begin{pmatrix} x_c \\ y_c \\ z_c \end{pmatrix}$$

0 f) Why is  $\pi(X_j)$  in the first term in the summation of equation 6.3 not depending on the pose parameters? (2 credit(s))

cause in the first term the camera didn't move,  $P = [I | 0]$

no rotation and translation  $\pi(X_j) = \begin{pmatrix} X_j^{(1)} \\ X_j^{(2)} \\ X_j^{(3)} \end{pmatrix}$  in canonical form

**Additional space for solutions—clearly mark the (sub)problem your answers are related to and strike out invalid solutions.**

