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**Lab 6,7  
(due on 21<sup>st</sup> Oct 2018 Sunday 2359hrs)**

**Objectives:**

- To revise the camera projection models that we had learned in class
- To practice how to represent **rotation** in various ways, including the use of quaternions
- To practice how to compute a homography matrix

Write a Matlab program to do the following:

**Q1 Define the 3D Shape**

Define a 8x3 array (matrix) to store the following shape points:

```
(-1  -1  -1)
( 1  -1  -1)
( 1   1  -1)
(-1   1  -1)
(-1  -1   1)
( 1  -1   1)
( 1   1   1)
(-1   1   1)
```

*program statements:*

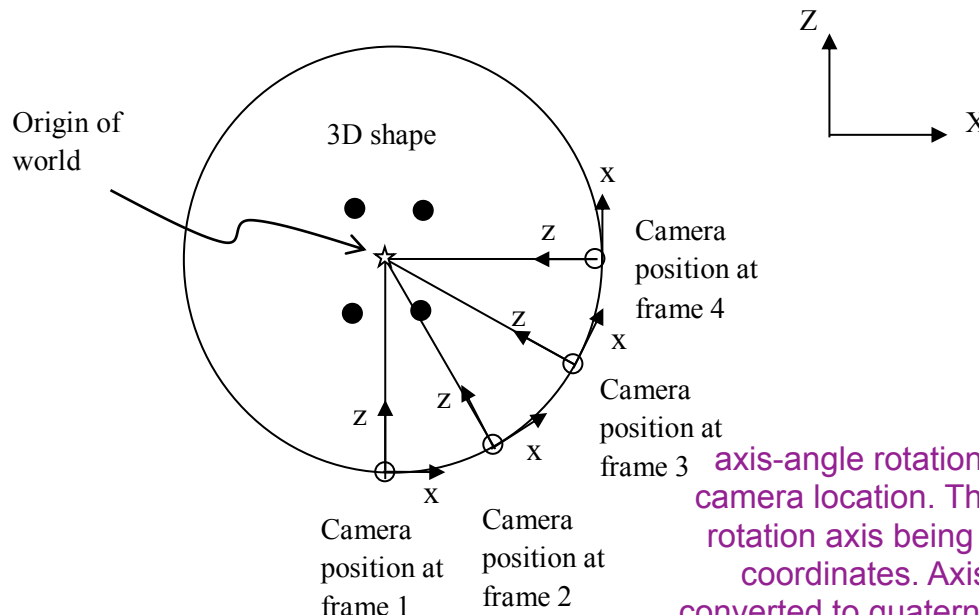
```
pts = zeros(8, 3);
pts(1, :) = [-1  -1  -1];
pts(2,:) = [1   -1  -1];
and so on.
```

Run the codes and print out the coordinates of the points to make sure you have defined them correctly.

## Q2 Define the Camera Translation

Continuing from the codes written so far, define the positions of camera for 4 frames. The camera is assumed to start from the position (0, 0, -5). It is supposed to move along a circular arc, on the XZ plane, at 30 degrees intervals from frame to frame.

negative degree according to the right hand rule (thumb is the axis of rotation)



axis-angle rotation to obtain the new camera location. This is a rotation, with rotation axis being Y axis of the world coordinates. Axis rotation can be converted to quaternion rotation to obtain the final camera location wrt the world coordinate.

Use quaternion multiplication to rotate the camera initial position (i.e. (0, 0, -5) ) with respect to the Y-axis (direction of Y-axis is "into" paper) to obtain the camera locations for frames 2, 3 and 4. Note that the axis of rotation is Y-axis, angle of rotation is -30 degrees. Be careful to convert angles to radians because matlab cosine and sine functions take input in radians. In matlab,  $\pi$  is "pi".

Print the locations of the camera in all 4 frames, using the following statements:

```
cam_pos = zeros(4, 3);
```

```
cam_pos(1, :) = [0 0 -5];
```

```
%--- use quaternion multiplication to rotate the first position to obtain the positions for
```

```
%-- frames 2, 3, and 4. Store the results in the array cam_pos. Then use the
```

```
%-- following statements to print out the resultant positions
```

```
disp('camera location 1');
```

```
cam_pos(1,:)
```

and so on.

when did we use row vector for rotation??

the angle is negative here  
according to the right hand rule

Rotation angle is changed from negative to positive because the rotation matrix is a column vector but we use it as the row vector in the computation, thus we are using its transpose. As for rotation matrix the transpose is its inverse, for its inverse matrix, it means the rotation angle is reversed, thus become positive rotation angle.

### Q3 Define the Camera Orientation

Let the orientation of the camera at the first frame be  $I$ , the identity matrix. For the next three frames, we will rotate the camera by an increment of  $-30$  degrees at each step. The axis of rotation is the Y-axis. Note that by doing so, we also want the camera Z-axis to always point towards the origin of the world coordinate system (we are doing this for ease of lab simulation. In the real world, the camera can have arbitrary movement).

We want to obtain the 3x3 matrix representing the orientation of the camera at each of the other three frames. To be specific, for each of the 3x3 matrix, the first row represents the X-axis direction, the second row represents the Y-axis direction, and the third row represents the Z-axis direction, all with respect to the world coordinate system.

roll, pitch, yaw to represent a rotation matrix

Using the roll, pitch and yaw representation, obtain the 3x3 matrix representing the orientation of the camera. Call this matrix **rpymat<sub>i</sub>**, where *i* is the frame number.

Print the results using the following statements:

```
disp('using roll, pitch and yaw representation for rotation, the computed matrices are : ');
```

```
rpymat_1
```

```
rpymat_2
```

```
rpymat_3
```

```
rpymat_4
```

quaternion to represent a rotation matrix

Using a 3x3 rotation matrix with its elements given by the entries of a quaternion, obtain the 3x3 matrix representing the orientation of the camera. Call this matrix **quatmat<sub>i</sub>**, where *i* is the frame number. Print the results using the following statements:

```
disp('using quaternion representation for rotation, the computed matrices are : ');
```

```
quatmat_1
```

```
quatmat_2
```

```
quatmat_3
```

```
quatmat_4
```

rotation matrix coordinates  
are wrt world coordinates

Verify that **rpymat<sub>i</sub>** is equal to **quatmat<sub>i</sub>** by computing **rpymat<sub>i</sub> - quatmat<sub>i</sub>**.

translation + rotation + 3D point = 2D camera point

#### **Q4 Projecting the 3D Shape onto Camera Image Planes**

Using the 3D shape points defined in Q1, and the camera translation and orientation for the four frames defined in Q2 and Q3, project the 3D shape points onto the image planes for all the four frames. You need to do both the projection models that we had studied in class i.e. orthographic and perspective.

Use the following values for the various parameters:

$$u_0 = 0, \quad v_0 = 0$$

$$(\beta_u = 1, \quad \beta_v = 1) \quad i.e. \quad (k_u = 1, \quad k_v = 1)$$

$$foal \ length = 1$$

Save the projected points into the matrices  $U$  and  $V$ : with camera location, rotation matrix, 3D scene point, we can project the 3D point onto camera image plane wrt the camera coordinates

```
nframes = 4;           % number of frames
npts = size(pts,1);     % number of 3D points
U = zeros(nframes, npts); % array holding the image coordinates (horizontal)
V = zeros(nframes, npts); % array holding the image coordinates (vertical)
```

Display your results in **2 figures** – one figure for each projection model. Since there are four frames (images) for each projection models, you need to use the subplot to squeeze 4 plots into one single figure. Use the following program statements to plot the results:

```
% repeat the following for each of the 2 projection models figure;
for fr = 1 : nframes
    subplot(2,2,fr), plot(U(fr,:), V(fr,:), '*');
    for p = 1 : npts
        text(U(fr,p)+0.02, V(fr,p)+0.02, num2str(p));
    end
end
```

#### **Q5 Homography**

Using the points defined in Q1, specifically the first 4 points, compute a homography matrix mapping these points to their image points on camera frame-3.

Normalize your homography matrix such that the element  $h_{33} = 1$ .

Take several points on the same flat plane with the same camera, we are able to find out the homography matrix that maps 3D points on that plane (or in this case 2D points as they are on the plane) to points on the camera image plane wrt the camera coordinates.

### **Submission Instruction**

Submit the following to IVLE by the due date:

1. The softcopy of your Matlab program.
2. The softcopy of the 2 figures (orthographic projection and perspective projection)
3. A softcopy document showing the 3x3 homography matrix, with  $h_{33}$  element normalized to 1.

Please put your files in a folder and submit the folder. Use the following convention to name your folder:

StudentNumber\_yourName\_Lab#. For example, if your student number is A1234567B, and your name is Chow Yuen Fatt, for this assignment, your file name should be A1234567B\_ChowYuenFatt\_Lab6n7.