

## **Computer Vision II: Multiple View Geometry (IN2228)**

Chapter 04 Camera Calibration

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#### **Announcement**

Today, we will have the **exercise session** about "Representing a Moving Scene" (Chapter 02)

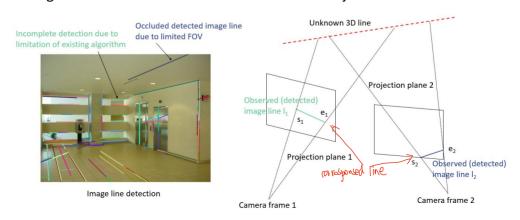
- ✓ Time: from 16:00 to 18:00
- ✓ Room: 102, Hörsaal 2, "Interims I" (5620.01.102)





#### Normal of Projection Plane

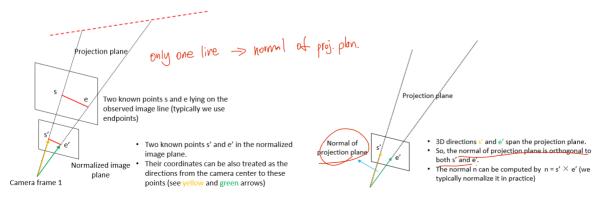
> Basic Configuration of 2D Line Detection and 3D Line Projection





#### Normal of Projection Plane

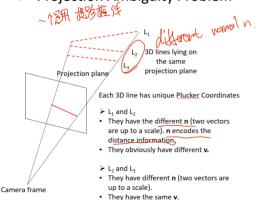
Computation Based on the Normalized Image Plane

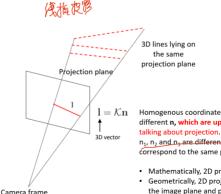




#### Normal of Projection Plane

Projection Ambiguity Problem





Homogenous coordinates do not consider scale. So. different n, which are up to a scale, are equivalent when

3D lines lying on

the same

projection plane

n<sub>1</sub>, n<sub>2</sub> and n<sub>3</sub> are different, but only up to scale. So, they correspond to the same projection.

- Mathematically, 2D projection is only determined by n.
- Geometrically, 2D projection is the intersection between the image plane and projection plane parametrized by the normal (the fourth dimension of projection plane equals 0 since it passes through the origin).



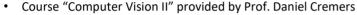
#### Normal of Projection Plane

- > Reference papers
- ✓ For conclusions:
- [1] Guoxuan Zhang, Jin Han Lee, Jongwoo Lim, and Il Hong Suh, "Building a 3-D Line-Based Map Using Stereo SLAM", IEEE TRO, 2015.
- ✓ For derivations:
- [2] A. Bartoli and P. Sturm, "The 3D line motion matrix and alignment of line reconstructions," in IEEE CVPR, 2001.
- ✓ For applications:
- [3] A. Bartoli and P. Sturm, "Structure from motion using lines: Representation, triangulation and bundle adjustment," *CVIU*, 2005.



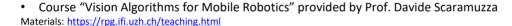
#### Clarification

#### Reference Materials of this course

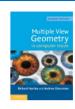


Materials: <a href="https://cvg.cit.tum.de/teaching/ss2022/mvg2022">https://cvg.cit.tum.de/teaching/ss2022/mvg2022</a>

Video: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLTBdjV\_4f-EJn6udZ34tht9EVIW7lbeo4



- Book "Multiple View Geometry in Computer Vision": R. Hartley and A. Zisserman Link: https://www.robots.ox.ac.uk/~vgg/hzbook/
- Book "An Invitation to 3D Vision": Y. Ma, S. Soatto, J. Kosecka, S.S. Sastry Link: <a href="https://www.eecis.udel.edu/~cer/arv/readings/old\_mkss.pdf">https://www.eecis.udel.edu/~cer/arv/readings/old\_mkss.pdf</a>
- Academic papers in computer vision, robotics, and computer graphics
   Dominant venues: ICCV, CVPR, ECCV, TPAMI, IJCV, TIP + IJRR, TRO, ICRA, IROS, RSS + SIGGRAPH







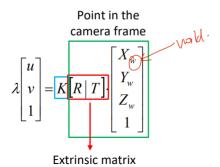


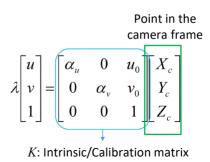
## **Today's Outline**

- Overview of Calibration
- > Tsai's Method: From 3D Objects
- Zhang's Method: From Planar Grids
- Image Undistortion



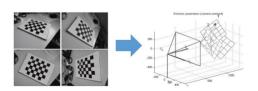
- Definition
- ✓ Calibration is the process to determine
- The extrinsic parameters (R, T) of a camera.
- The intrinsic parameters (K plus lens distortion)



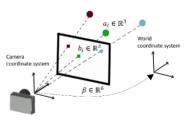




- Organization
- ✓ In this chapter, we will focus on "simultaneous" calibration of extrinsic and intrinsic parameters.
- ✓ Estimation of extrinsic parameters with "known" intrinsic parameters (camera localization) will be introduced in the Chapter 07 "3D-2D Geometry".



Camera calibration



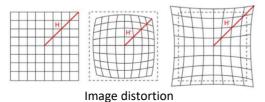
Camera localization





- Organization
- ✓ We will temporarily neglect the lens distortion and see later how it can be determined.







Barrel distortion



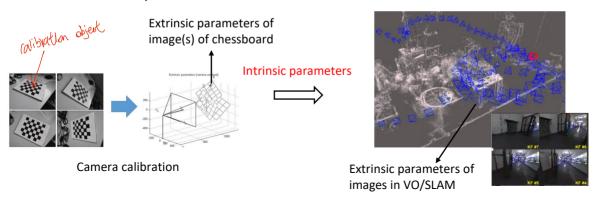
Corrected

**Image Undistortion** 





- Practical Application Scenario
- ✓ We first calibrate a camera and only **save its intrinsic parameters**. Then we use this camera to run VO/SLAM.





- ➤ An Example of Intrinsic and Distortion Parameters
- ✓ Most widely-used SLAM datasets, e.g., TUM RGBD dataset provide intrinsic parameters calibrated beforehand (calibration will be introduced later).

#### CALIBRATION OF THE COLOR CAMERA

We computed the intrinsic parameters of the RGB camera from the rgbd dataset freiburg1/2 rgb calibration.bag.

Camera	fx	fy	cx	су	d0	d1	d2	d3	d4
(ROS default)	525.0	525.0	319.5	239.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Freiburg 1 RGB	517.3	516.5	318.6	255.3	0.2624	-0.9531	-0.0054	0.0026	1.1633
Freiburg 2 RGB	520.9	521.0	325.1	249.7	0.2312	-0.7849	-0.0033	-0.0001	0.9172
Freiburg 3 RGB	535.4	539.2	320.1	247.6	0	0	0	0	0

Note that both the color and IR images of the Freiburg 3 sequences have already been undistorted, therefore the distortion parameters are all zero. The original distortion values can be found in the tgz file.

Note: We recommend to use the ROS default parameter set (i.e., without undistortion), as undistortion of the preregistered depth images is not trivial. Image resolution: 640\*480 pixels

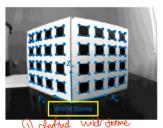
https://cvg.cit.tum.de/data/datasets/rgbd-dataset/file formats



Overview



- ✓ Tsai's method [1] consists of **measuring** the 3D position of  $n \ge 6$  3D control points on a 3D calibration target and the 2D coordinates of their projections in the image.
- ✓ Tsai's method is based on only a single image.

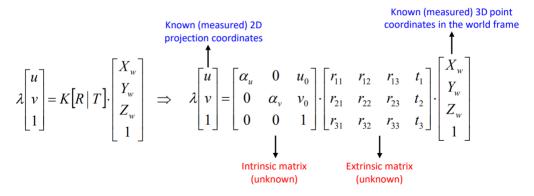


Through the prior knowledge about the size of each square (e.g., 5 cm), we can obtain the coordinates of each 3D point.

[1] R. Tsai. A versatile camera calibration technique for high-accuracy 3D machine vision metrology using off-the-shelf TV cameras and lenses. IEEE Journal of Robotics and Automation, 3(4):323–344, 1987.



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Direct linear transform (DLT) rewrites the perspective projection equation below as a homogeneous linear equation and solves it by standard methods.







- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Rewrite the perspective equation for a generic 3D-2D point correspondence

$$\lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{u} & 0 & u_{0} \\ 0 & \alpha_{v} & v_{0} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_{1} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_{2} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_{w} \\ Y_{w} \\ Z_{w} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \implies \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{u}r_{11} + u_{0}r_{31} & \alpha_{u}r_{12} + u_{0}r_{32} & \alpha_{u}r_{13} + u_{0}r_{33} & \alpha_{u}t_{1} + u_{0}t_{3} \\ \alpha_{v}r_{21} + v_{0}r_{31} & \alpha_{v}r_{22} + v_{0}r_{32} & \alpha_{v}r_{23} + v_{0}r_{33} & \alpha_{v}t_{2} + v_{0}t_{3} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_{3} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_{w} \\ Y_{w} \\ Z_{w} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & m_{14} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & m_{24} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & m_{34} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ Z_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
We first compute this matrix as a whole and decompose it back into intrinsic and extrinsic matrices later



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Rewrite the perspective equation for a generic 3D-2D point correspondence

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$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1^T \\ m_2^T \\ m_3^T \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ Z_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where } m_i^T \text{ is the } i\text{-th row of M}$$



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Conversion back from homogeneous coordinates to pixel coordinates leads to

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_1^T \\ m_2^T \\ m_3^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ Z_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow P \qquad \begin{bmatrix} u \\ u \\ v \\ = \frac{\lambda u}{\lambda} = \frac{m_1^T \cdot P}{m_3^T \cdot P} \\ v \\ = \frac{\lambda v}{\lambda} = \frac{m_2^T \cdot P}{m_3^T \cdot P} \\ \Rightarrow \underbrace{(m_1^T - u_i m_3^T) \cdot P = 0}_{(m_2^T - v_i m_3^T) \cdot P = 0}$$

Divided by scale  $\boldsymbol{\lambda}$ 





- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ By re-arranging the terms, we obtain

Known coefficient matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} P_1^{\mathsf{T}} & 0^{\mathsf{T}} & -u_1 P^{\mathsf{T}} \\ 0^{\mathsf{T}} & P_1^{\mathsf{T}} & -v_1 P^{\mathsf{T}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_1^{\mathsf{T}} & P_1^{\mathsf{T}} & P_1^{\mathsf{T}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_1^{\mathsf{T}} & P_1^{\mathsf{T$$

Linear system w.r.t. the elements of unknown M matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} P_1 \\ P_2 \\ P_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \qquad \begin{pmatrix} P_1 \\ P_2 \\ P_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Column vector

 $\checkmark$  For n points, we can stack all these equations into a big matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} P_1^{\mathrm{T}} & 0^{\mathrm{T}} & -u_1 P_1^{\mathrm{T}} \\ 0^{\mathrm{T}} & P_1^{\mathrm{T}} & -v_1 P_1^{\mathrm{T}} \\ & \vdots & \\ P_n^{\mathrm{T}} & 0^{\mathrm{T}} & -u_n P_n^{\mathrm{T}} \\ 0^{\mathrm{T}} & P_2^{\mathrm{T}} & -v_n P_n^{\mathrm{T}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} m_1 \\ m_2 \\ m_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Final homogenous linear system

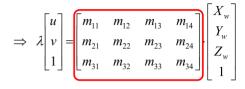
$$\begin{pmatrix} X_{w}^{1} & Y_{w}^{1} & Z_{w}^{1} & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -u_{1}X_{w}^{1} & -u_{1}Y_{w}^{1} & -u_{1}Z_{w}^{1} & -u_{1} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_{w}^{1} & Y_{w}^{1} & Z_{w}^{1} & 1 & -v_{1}X_{w}^{1} & -v_{1}Y_{w}^{1} & -v_{1}Z_{w}^{1} & -v_{1} \\ \vdots & & & & \vdots \\ X_{w}^{n} & Y_{w}^{n} & Z_{w}^{n} & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -u_{n}X_{w}^{n} & -u_{n}Y_{w}^{n} & -u_{n}Z_{w}^{n} & -u_{n} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_{w}^{n} & Y_{w}^{n} & Z_{w}^{n} & 1 & -v_{n}X_{w}^{n} & -v_{n}Y_{w}^{n} & -v_{n}Z_{w}^{n} & -v_{n} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{m_{1} \atop m_{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{Q} \cdot \mathbf{M} = \mathbf{0}$$

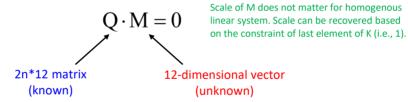
$$\mathbf{Q} \text{ (this matrix is known)}$$

$$\mathbf{M} \text{ (this matrix is unknown)}$$



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Solving the linear system





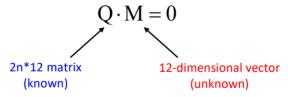
#### Minimal solution

- $Q(2n \times 12)$  should have rank 12 to have a unique non-zero solution of vector M.
- Q ( $2n \times 12$ ) should have rank 11 to have a unique (up-to-scale) non-zero solution of vector M.
- Because each 3D-to-2D point correspondence provides 2 independent equations, then 6 point correspondences are needed.





- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Solving the linear system



#### Over-determined solution

- For  $n \ge 6$  points, a solution is the Least-Squares solution, which minimizes the sum of squared residuals,  $||QM||^2$ , subject to the constraint  $||M||^2 = 1$  (explain this constraint later).
- It can be solved through Singular Value Decomposition (SVD).



- Solving Problem Based on DLT
- ✓ Solving the linear system

$$Q \cdot M = 0$$

- Why do we need to add the constraint  $||M||^2 = 1$ ? **Zero vector** is an obvious solution.
- How can we apply SVD to computing least-squares solution?

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{\Sigma} \mathbf{V}$$

Optimal solution  $b^{\boldsymbol{\ast}}$  is the column of V corresponding to the smallest singular value.



- Camera Parameter Recovery
- ✓ Recover the intrinsic and extrinsic parameters Recap on definition of M matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & \alpha_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_1 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_2 \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ Z_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

known 
$$M = K(R \mid T)$$
 Unknown

$$\begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & m_{14} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & m_{24} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & m_{34} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & \alpha_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_1 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_2 \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Camera Parameter Recovery
- ✓ Enforcing the orthogonality constraint
- We are not enforcing the constraint that **R** is orthogonal, i.e.,  $\mathbf{R} \cdot \mathbf{R}^T = \mathbf{I}$
- We can use the so-called QR factorization of M, which decomposes M into a R (orthogonal), T, and an upper triangular matrix (i.e., K)
- Orthogonality is inherently satisfied

$$Q^{\mathsf{T}} = Q^{-1}$$

$$A = QR$$

Case of square matrix

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_{1,1} & u_{1,2} & u_{1,3} & \dots & u_{1,n} \\ & u_{2,2} & u_{2,3} & \dots & u_{2,n} \\ & & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\ & & & \ddots & u_{n-1,n} \\ 0 & & & u_{n,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

- 我们可以使用所谓的*MM*的QR分解法、将*TMM*分解为  $- \uparrow RR$ (正交), $T和 - \uparrow L =$ 角矩阵(即KK)。
- 正交性本质上得到了满足
- Case of non-square matrix





- Practical Setup
- ✓ Use many more than 6 points (ideally more than 20) and non coplanar.
- ✓ Corners can be detected with accuracy < 0.1 pixels (will be introduced in Chapter 05 "Correspondence Estimation").



**Keypoint detection** 





Distortion can be also considered



- > A Simpler Setup
- ✓ Zhang's method [2] relies on 3D coplanar points.

A single image



Multiview images

Tsai calibration object (left), Zhang calibration object (right)

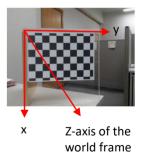
[2] Z. Zhang. A flexible new technique for camera calibration. IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, 22(11):1330–1334, 2000.



- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ As in Tsai's method, we start by neglecting the radial distortion.
- ✓ Zhang's method the points are all coplanar, i.e.,  $Z_w = 0$ .

$$\lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = K[R \mid T] \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \underbrace{2w} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & \alpha_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_1 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_2 \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_3 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$







- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Rewriting Equations

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{u} & 0 & u_{0} \\ 0 & \alpha_{v} & v_{0} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_{1} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_{2} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & t_{3} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_{w} \\ Y_{w} \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Rewriting Equations

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This matrix is called Homography
$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_1^T \\ h_2^T \\ h_3^T \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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where  $h_i^{\rm T}$  is the i-th row of H

- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Conversion back from homogeneous coordinates to pixel coordinates

$$\Rightarrow \lambda \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_1^T \\ h_2^T \\ h_3^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_w \\ Y_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow P$$

$$u = \frac{\lambda u}{\lambda} = \frac{h_1^T \cdot P}{h_3^T \cdot P}$$

$$v = \frac{\lambda v}{\lambda} = \frac{h_2^T \cdot P}{h_2^T \cdot P} \Rightarrow (h_1^T - u_i h_3^T) \cdot P_i = 0$$

$$(h_2^T - v_i h_3^T) \cdot P_i = 0$$

Homogeneous coordinates

$$u = \frac{\lambda u}{\lambda} = \frac{h_1^{\mathsf{T}} \cdot P}{h_3^{\mathsf{T}} \cdot P}$$

$$v = \frac{\lambda v}{\lambda} = \frac{h_2^{\mathsf{T}} \cdot P}{h_3^{\mathsf{T}} \cdot P} \implies$$

$$(h_1^{\mathsf{T}} - u_i h_3^{\mathsf{T}}) \cdot P_i = 0$$
$$(h_2^{\mathsf{T}} - v_i h_3^{\mathsf{T}}) \cdot P_i = 0$$

The i-th observed 3D-2D correspondence



- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Re-arranging the terms

Linear system w.r.t. elements of homography



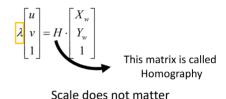
- Solving Problem based on DLT
- $\checkmark$  For n points (from a single view), we can stack all these equations into a big matrix

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Q (this matrix is known) H (this matrix is unknown)



- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Solving the linear system



$$\mathbf{Q} \cdot \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{0}$$

#### Minimal solution

- Q (2 $n \times 9$ ) should have rank 8 to have a unique (up to a scale) non-trivial solution H (properties of Homography will be introduced in the future)
- · Each point correspondence provides 2 independent equations
- Thus, a minimum of 4 non-collinear points is required





- Solving Problem based on DLT
- ✓ Solving the linear system

$$\mathbf{Q} \cdot \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{0}$$

#### Solution for $n \ge 4$ points

• It can be solved through Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) (same considerations as before)

$$rg \min_{b} \quad \left\|Ab\right\|_{2}^{2}$$
 subject to  $\left\|b\right\|_{2} = 1$ 

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{\Sigma} \mathbf{V}$$

Optimal solution b\* is the column of V corresponding to the smallest singular value.



- > Camera Parameter Recovery: Overview
- $\checkmark$  K, R, T can be recovered by decomposition of H

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & \alpha_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & t_1 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & t_2 \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & t_3 \end{bmatrix}$$
Up to scale

To  $\frac{1}{r_{12}}$   $\frac{1}{t_1}$   $\frac{1}{r_{22}}$   $\frac{1}{t_2}$   $\frac{1}{t_3}$   $\frac{1}{t_$ 

- Different from Tsai's method, the decomposition of *H* into *K*, *R*, *T* requires multiple views (introduced later).
- In practice the more views the better, e.g., 20-50 views spanning the entire field of view of the camera for the best calibration results.



Camera Parameter Recovery: Overview 
$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11} & h_{12} & h_{13} \\ h_{21} & h_{22} & h_{23} \\ h_{31} & h_{32} & h_{33} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & \alpha_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & t_1 \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & t_2 \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & t_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- $\checkmark$  Each view j has a different homography  $H^j$  (and so a different  $R^j$  and  $T^j$ ). However, K is the same for all views\*
- $\checkmark$  Estimate the homography  $H_i$  for each *i*-th view using the DLT algorithm.

$$\begin{bmatrix} h_{11}^{j} & h_{12}^{j} & h_{13}^{j} \\ h_{21}^{j} & h_{22}^{j} & h_{23}^{j} \\ h_{31}^{j} & h_{33}^{j} & h_{33}^{j} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_{u} & 0 & u_{0} \\ 0 & \alpha_{v} & v_{0} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} r_{11}^{j} & r_{12}^{j} & t_{1}^{j} \\ r_{21}^{j} & r_{22}^{j} & t_{2}^{j} \\ r_{31}^{j} & r_{32}^{j} & t_{3}^{j} \end{bmatrix}$$

Each view corresponds to a homography

<sup>\*</sup> In our slides, we also denote intrinsic matrix by M.





- Intrinsic matrix Camera Parameter Recovery: Details  $H = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{h}_1 & \mathbf{h}_2 & \mathbf{h}_3 \end{bmatrix} = sM \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & r_3 \end{bmatrix}$
- ✓ First step: Determine intrinsic matrix M of camera from a set of known homographies.
- Idea: Use the prior constraints of rotation to derive formulas w.r.t. only unknown intrinsic parameters.

We first express columns of rotation by unknown intrinsic parameters

$$r_1 = \lambda M^{-1} h_1$$
  $r_2 = \lambda M^{-1} h_2$   $t = \lambda M^{-1} h_3$   $\lambda = s^{-1}$ 





Intrinsic matrix
Known

 $\blacktriangleright$  Camera Parameter Recovery: Details  $H = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{h}_1 & \mathbf{h}_2 & \mathbf{h}_3 \end{bmatrix} = sM \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & t \end{bmatrix}$ 

- ✓ First step: Determine intrinsic matrix *M* of camera from a set of known homographies.
- We then enforce the constraints of columns w.r.t. rotation

First constraint w.r.t. only M

$$r_1 = \lambda M^{-1} h_1$$

$$r_2 = 0$$

$$r_1 = \lambda M^{-1} h_2$$

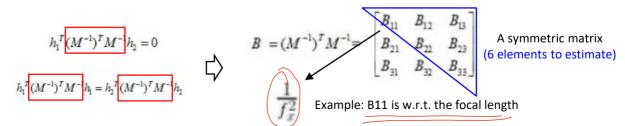
$$h_1^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_2 = 0$$

Second constraintw.r.t. only M

$$\|r_1\| = \|r_2\| = 1 \qquad r_1^T r_1 = r_2^T r_2 \qquad r_1 = \lambda M^{-1} h_1 \qquad h_1^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_1 = h_2^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_2$$



- Camera Parameter Recovery: Details
- ✓ First step: Determine intrinsic matrix *M* of camera from a set of known homographies.
- We define a matrix B w.r.t. the unknown intrinsic parameters of M
- Instead of directly solving M, we firsts estimate B



If we solved matrix B based on Homography, we can extract intrinsic parameters from B

- Camera Parameter Recovery: Details
- ✓ First step: Determine intrinsic matrix M of camera from a set of known homographies.
- Each homography  $H_i \sim K * [r_1, r_2, t]$  provides two linear equations in the 6 entries of the matrix

$$B = (M^{-1})^T M^{-1}$$

$$h_1^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_2 = 0$$

$$h_1^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_1 = h_2^T (M^{-1})^T M^{-1} h_2^T$$

$$h_{i}^{T}Bh_{j} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{i1}h_{j1} \\ h_{i1}h_{j2} + h_{i2}h_{j1} \\ h_{i2}h_{j2} \\ h_{i3}h_{j1} + h_{i1}h_{j3} \\ h_{i3}h_{j2} + h_{i2}h_{j3} \\ h_{i3}h_{j3} \end{bmatrix}_{B_{23}}^{T} \begin{bmatrix} B_{11} \\ B_{12} \\ B_{22} \\ B_{13} \\ B_{23} \\ B_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

Vectors h1 and h2 are known

- Stack 2N equations from N views, to yield a linear system Ab = 0. Solve for b (i.e., B) using the Singular Value Decomposition (SVD).
- Typically, we need more than 3 views (each view provides two constraints).





Camera Parameter Recovery: Details

Intrinsic matrix

Known
$$V = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{h}_1 & \mathbf{h}_2 & \mathbf{h}_3 \end{bmatrix} = sM \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & t \end{bmatrix}$$

Second step: The extrinsic parameters for each view can be computed using M:

Compute each column

Sometime these rotation metrics not orthogonal 
$$r_1 = \lambda M^{-1}h_1$$
  $r_2 = \lambda M^{-1}h_2$   $r_3 = r_1 \times r_2$   $t = \lambda M^{-1}h_3$ 

• Finally, build  $R_i = (r_1, r_2, r_3)$  and enforce rotation matrix constraints.

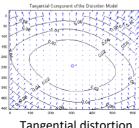
 $||r_1|| = ||\lambda M^{-1}h_1|| = 1$ Constraint on scale

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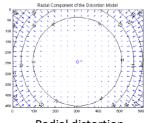
Projecting the result from the matrix space onto the SO(3) manifold



- Recap on Type of Distortion
- ✓ Radial Distortion occurs when light rays **bend more** near the edges of a lens than they do at its optical center.
- ✓ Tangential Distortion: if the lens is misaligned (not perfectly parallel to the image sensor), a tangential distortion occurs.



Tangential distortion



Radial distortion





Introducing Distortion Model into Perspective Projection

 $\checkmark$  From world frame to camera frame  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = R \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix} + t$ 

✓ From camera frame to image (distortion-free case)

$$x' = x/z$$
 $y' = y/z$ 
 $u = f_x * x' + c_x$ 
 $v = f_y * y' + c_y$ 

(Non-homogenous coordinates)





- > Introducing Distortion Model into Perspective Projection
- ✓ Adding the distortion coefficients
- ullet  $k_n$  coefficients will describe radial distortion
- $p_n$  coefficients will describe tangential distortion

This expression is not unique

$$x' = x/z$$
 $y' = y/z$ 
 $u = f_x * x' + c_x$ 
 $v = f_y * y' + c_y$ 

Distortion-free model

$$x''=x'\frac{1+k_1r^2+k_2r^4+k_3r^6}{1+k_4r^2+k_5r^4+k_6r^6}+2p_1x'y'+p_2$$
 
$$y''=y'\frac{1+k_1r^2+k_2r^4+k_3r^6}{1+k_4r^2+k_5r^4+k_6r^6}+p_1(r^2+2y'^2)+2p_2x'y'$$
 where  $r^2=x'^2+y'^2$  Distortion model

 $egin{aligned} u &= f_x * x'' + c_x \ v &= f_y * y'' + c_y \end{aligned}$ 



Joint Estimation

Given the object points and image points (detected chessboard corners), we conduct the following steps (Zhang's method).

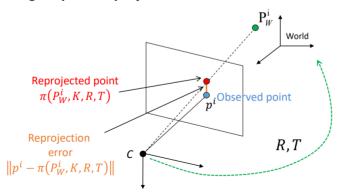
- Compute the initial intrinsic parameters. The distortion coefficients are all set to zeros initially.
- Estimate the initial extrinsic parameters as if the intrinsic parameters have been already known.
- Run the gradient descent algorithm to minimize the reprojection error to jointly optimize/estimate
  intrinsic, extrinsic, and distortion parameters.
   给出物体点和图像点(检测到的棋盘角),我们进行以下步骤(张的方法)。
- 计算初始内在参数。失真系数最初都被设置为零。
- 估计初始外在参数,就像已经知道内在参数一样。
- 运行梯度下降算法,使重投影误差最小,以共同优化/估计内在参数、外在参数和失真参数。



#### Joint Estimation

重投误差是指观察到的图像点与重投到相机帧上的相应三维点之间的欧氏距离(以像素计)。

Reprojection error is the Euclidean distance (in pixels) between an **observed image point** and the corresponding **3D point reprojected** onto the camera frame.





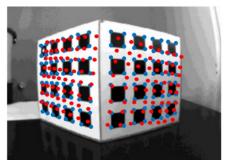
Joint Estimation

The calibration parameters K, R, T determined by the DLT can be refined by minimizing

the following cost/objective function

$$K, R, T, lens \ distortion =$$

$$argmin_{K,k_1,R,T} \sum_{i=1}^{n} ||p^i - \pi(P_W^i, K, k_1, R, T)||^2$$



 Control points (observed points) • Reprojected points  $\pi(P_W^i, K, R, T)$ 

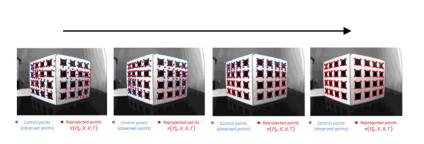


Joint Estimation

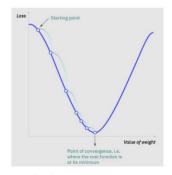
$$K, R, T, lens \ distortion =$$

$$argmin_{K,k_1,R,T} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left\| p^i - \pi(P_W^i, K, k_1, R, T) \right\|^2$$

The cost function can be minimized using gradient descent algorithm (details will be introduced in Chapter 11: Bundle Adjustment and Optimization).



Reprojection error is minimized iteratively



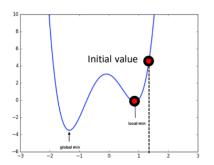
Derivative computation

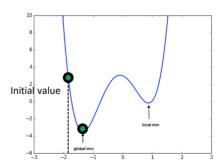


Joint Estimation

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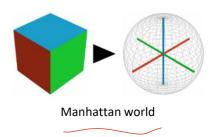
Global optimum finding



Line-based Undistortion

If we only have a single image obtained in a Man-made environment (Manhattan world), can we still manage to undistort an image?

	Constraint	Parameters to estimate
Multiple images with points	Multi-view constraint	Intrinsic parameters Distortion parameters Extrinsic parameters
Single image with lines in Manhattan world	Structural regularity constraint	Intrinsic parameters Distortion parameters Vanishing points





- Line-based Undistortion
- ✓ Recap on explicit distortion model

We use the explicit model with respect to a single radial distortion parameter r (instead of the polynomial model) to convert the distorted point (x',y') to the original point (x,y)

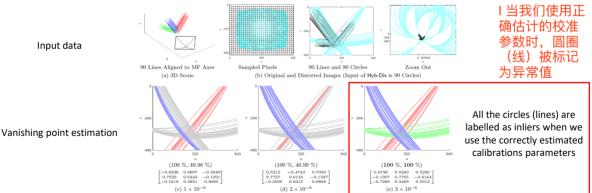
$$\begin{cases} x' = c_x + (x - c_x) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1 + 4 \cdot r \cdot d} - 1}{2 \cdot r \cdot d} \\ y' = c_y + (y - c_y) \cdot \frac{\sqrt{1 + 4 \cdot r \cdot d} - 1}{2 \cdot r \cdot d} \\ d = (x - c_x)^2 + (y - c_y)^2 \end{cases}$$



Line-based Undistortion

我们利用可靠的校准(本征+失真)参数导致的消失点使离群线的数量最大化这一事实。

We leverage the fact that reliable calibration (intrinsic+distortion) parameters lead to the vanishing points maximizing the number of inlier lines.



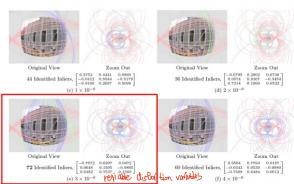




Line-based Undistortion

We aim to find the optimal calibration parameters to estimate vanishing points that maximize the number of inlier lines.







# Summary

- Overview of Calibration
- > Tsai's Method: From 3D Objects
- Zhang's Method: From Planar Grids
- Image Undistortion



Thank you for your listening! If you have any questions, please come to me :-)