

# Camera\_Calibration

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## 1 Camera Calibration Methods

```
[607]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import cv2
import glob
import sys
import os

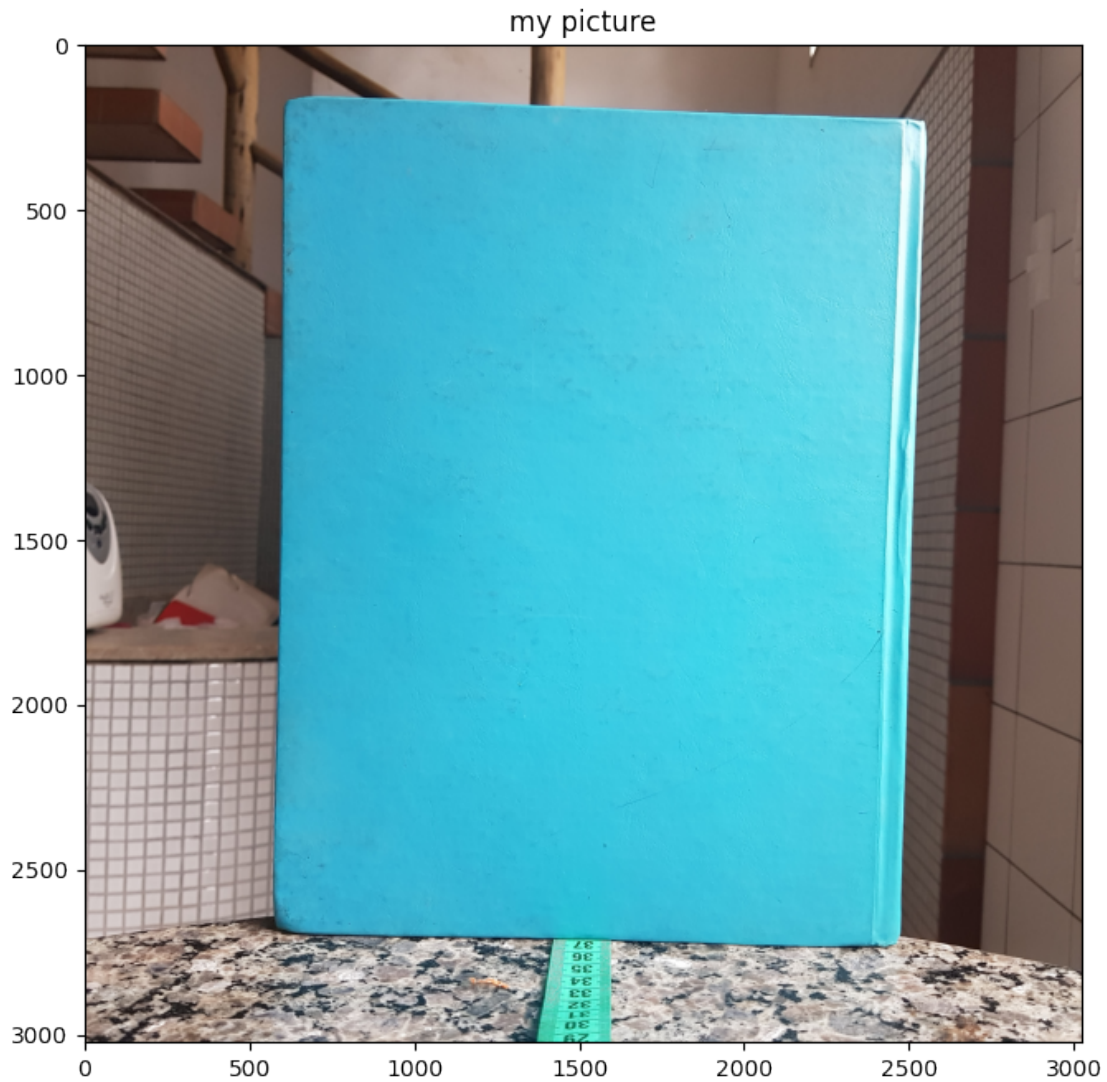
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = [12, 8]
plt.rcParams['figure.dpi'] = 100 # 200 e.g. is really fine, but slower
```

### 1.1 Naive

```
[608]: image = cv2.imread("Livro.jpg")

gray = cv2.cvtColor(image, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)

plt.imshow(gray)
plt.title('my picture')
plt.show()
```



The image above have:

width=3021px

height=3021px

The book in the image have:

width=1938px

height=2542px

The real size of the book is:

width=22.85cm

height=28.4cm

And its center is located about 37cm from the camera position.

That being, we can approximate:

```
fx = 37*(1938/22.85)
```

```
[609]: fx = 37*(1938/22.85)
      fx
```

```
[609]: 3138.1181619256013
```

```
[610]: fy = 37*(2542/28.4)
      fy
```

```
[610]: 3311.760563380282
```

```
[611]: cx = 3021/2
      cx
```

```
[611]: 1510.5
```

```
[612]: cy = 3021/2
      cy
```

```
[612]: 1510.5
```

## 1.2 Octave

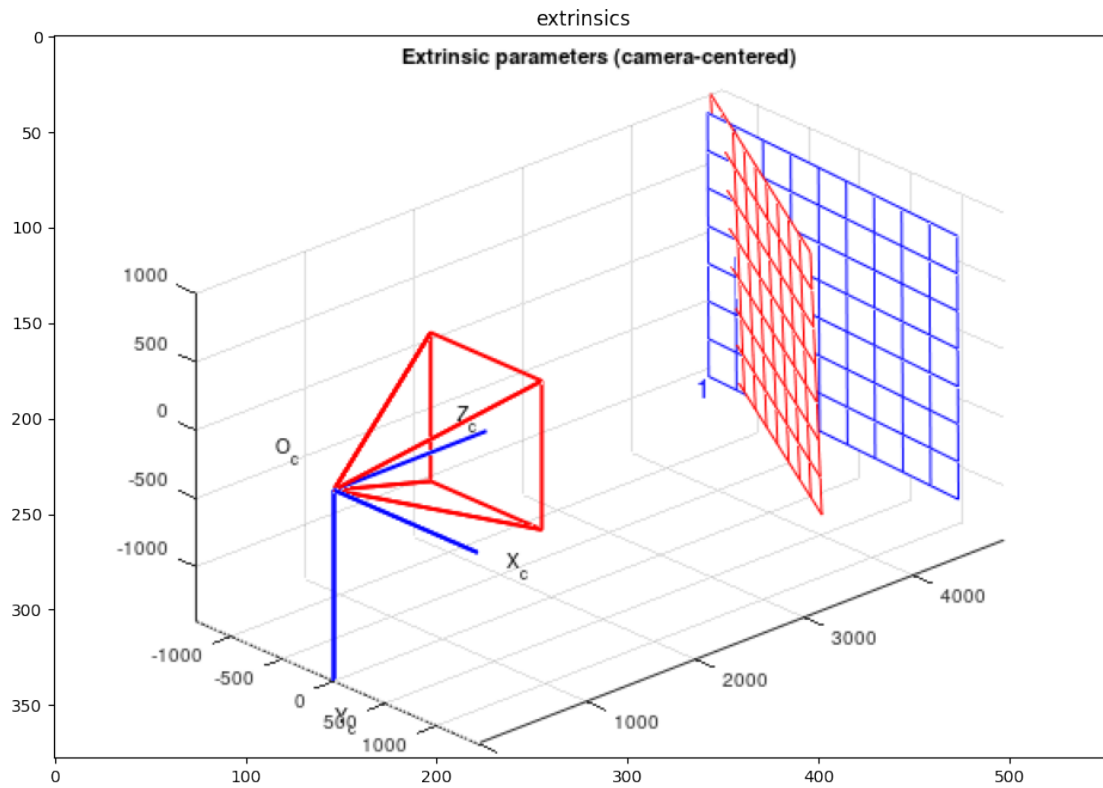
Using the Octave Calibration Toolbox ([https://github.com/nghiaho12/camera\\_calibration\\_toolbox\\_octave](https://github.com/nghiaho12/camera_calibration_toolbox_octave)) we obtain:

```
[642]: octave1 = cv2.imread("octave1.png")
      octave2 = cv2.imread("octave2.png")
      image1 = cv2.imread("image1.jpg")
      image1 = cv2.rotate(image1, cv2.cv2.ROTATE_90_CLOCKWISE)

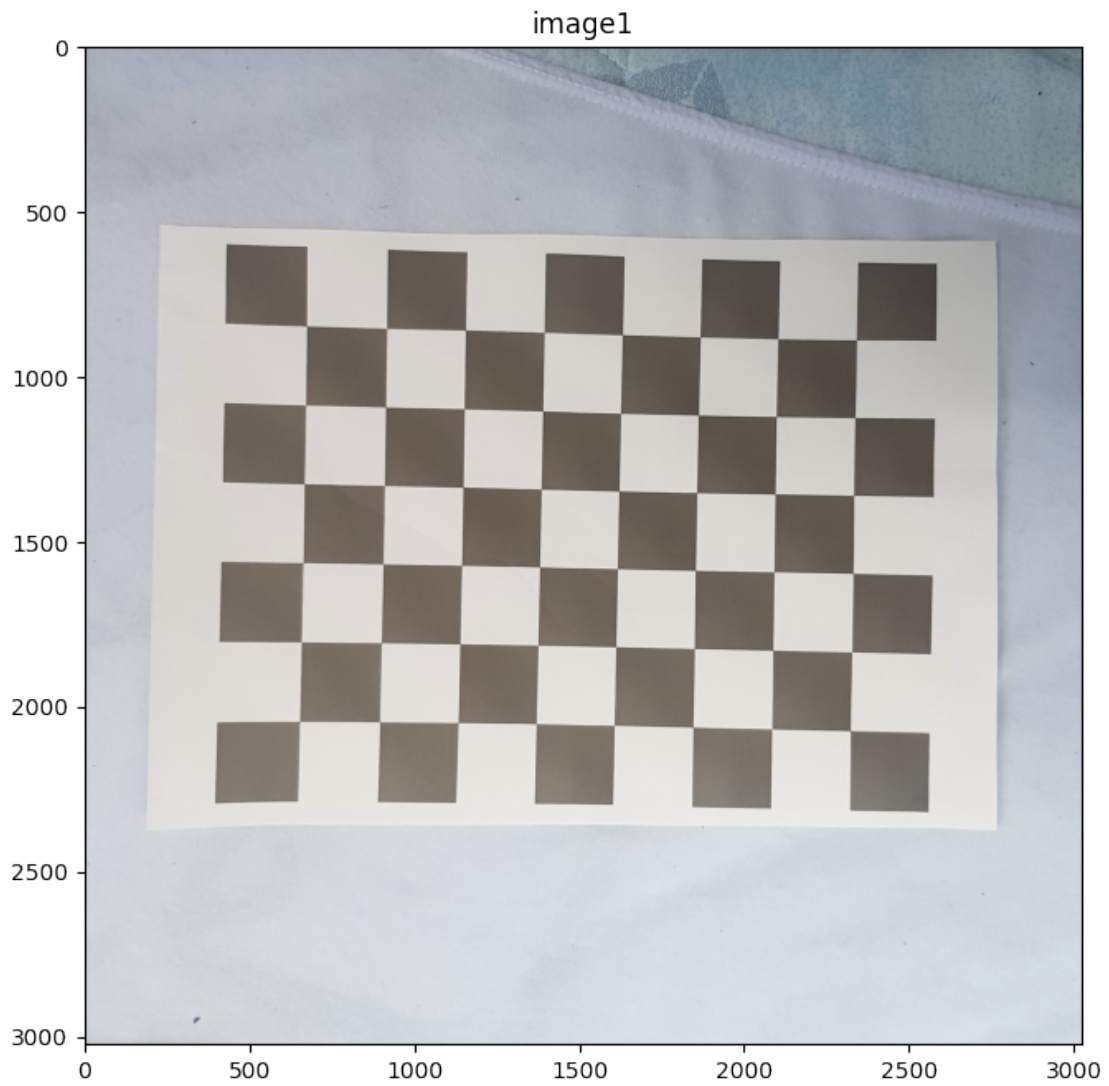
      octave3 = cv2.imread("octave3.png")
      octave4 = cv2.imread("octave4.png")
      octave5 = cv2.imread("octave5.png")

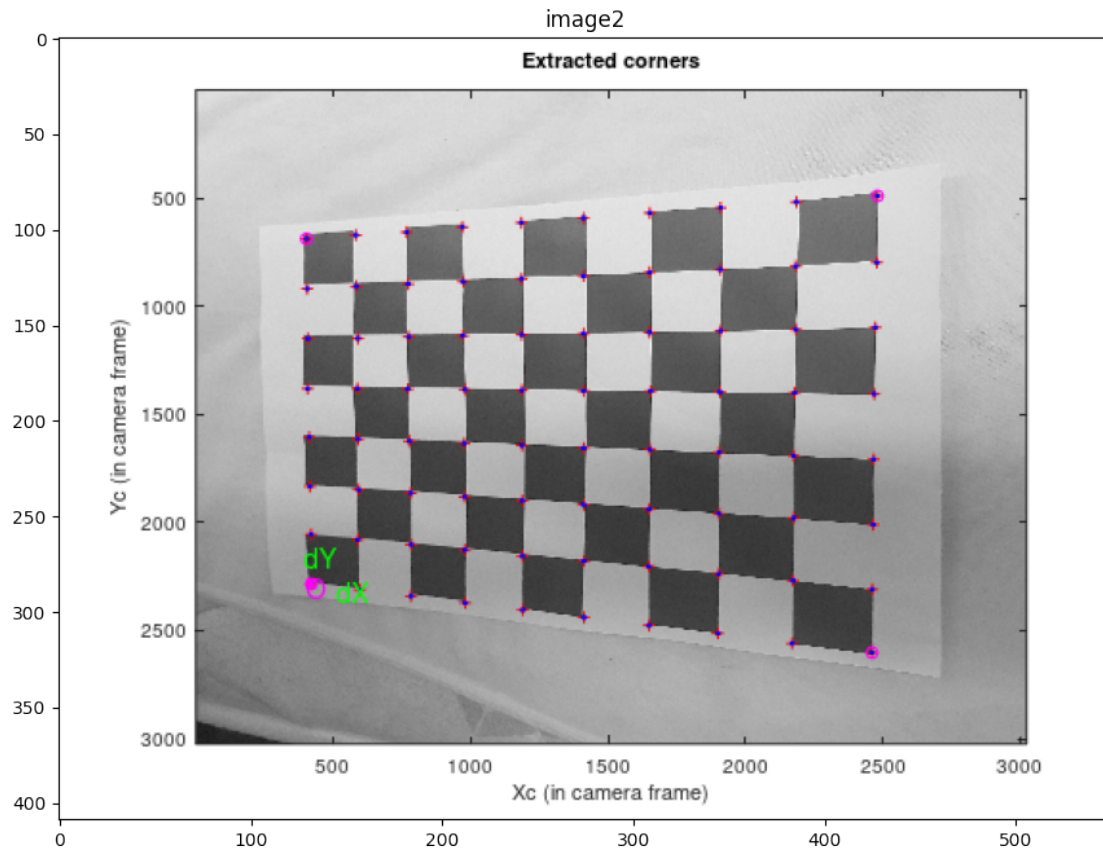
      octave1_d = cv2.cvtColor(octave1, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
      octave2_d = cv2.cvtColor(octave2, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
      octave3_d = cv2.cvtColor(octave3, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
      octave4_d = cv2.cvtColor(octave4, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
      octave5_d = cv2.cvtColor(octave5, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
```

```
[643]: plt.imshow(octave1_d)
      plt.title('extrinsics')
      plt.show()
```

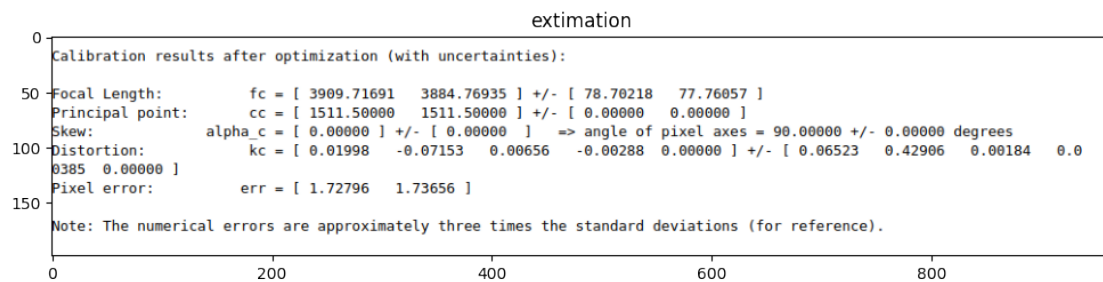


```
[644]: plt.title('image1')
plt.imshow(image1)
plt.show()
plt.title('image2')
plt.imshow(octave2_d)
plt.show()
```





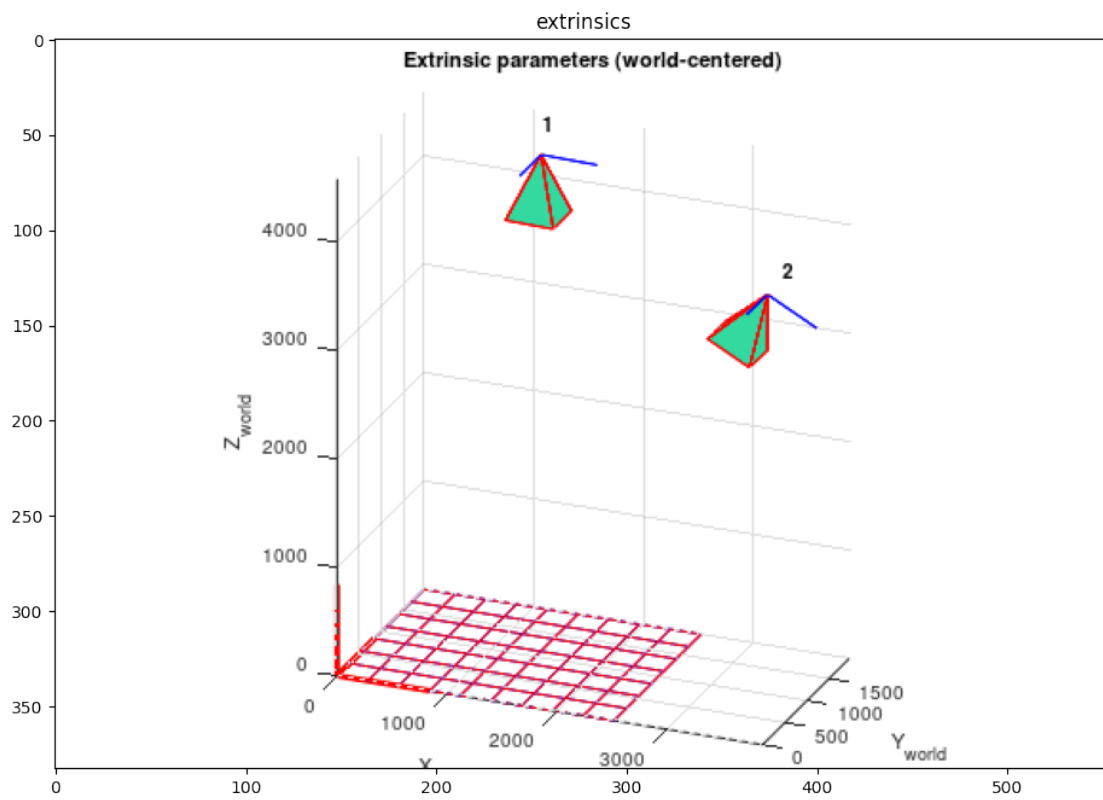
```
[645]: plt.imshow(octave3_d)
plt.title('extimation')
plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20))
plt.show()
```



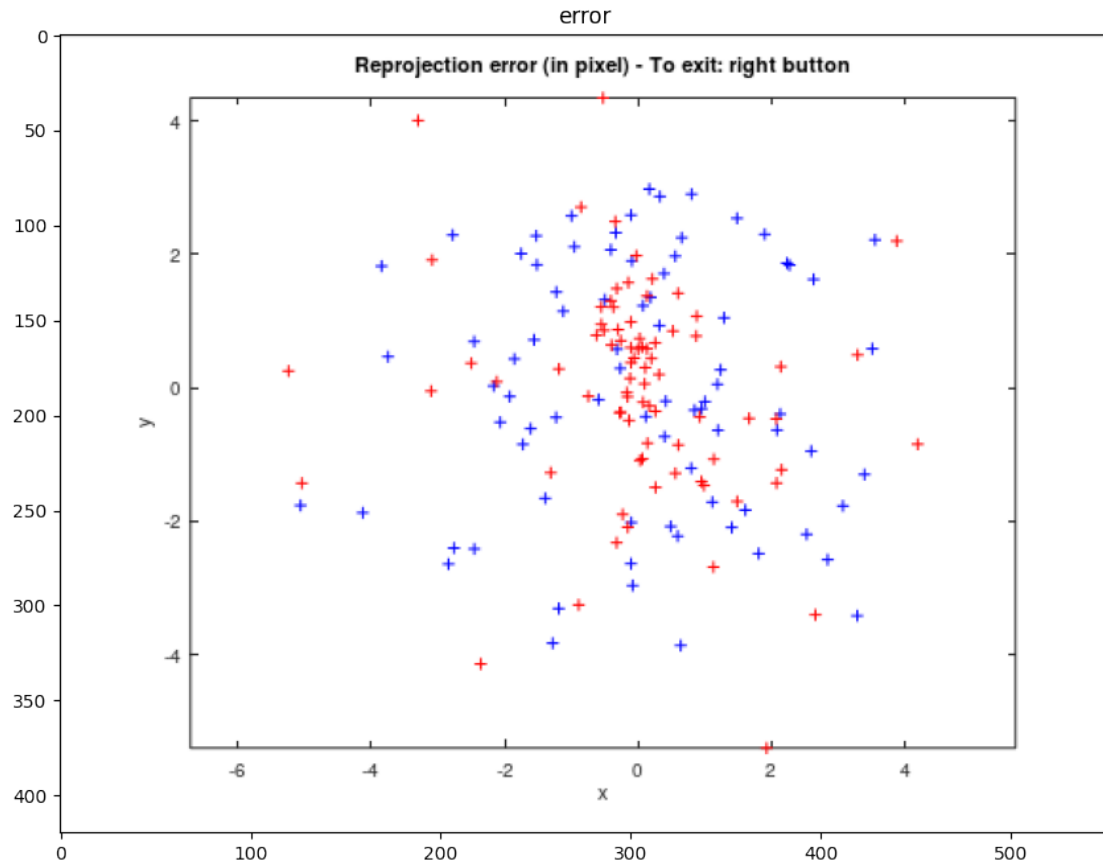
<Figure size 2000x2000 with 0 Axes>

```
[646]: plt.imshow(octave4_d)
plt.title('extrinsics')
```

```
plt.show()
```



```
[647]: plt.imshow(octave5_d)
plt.title('error')
plt.show()
```



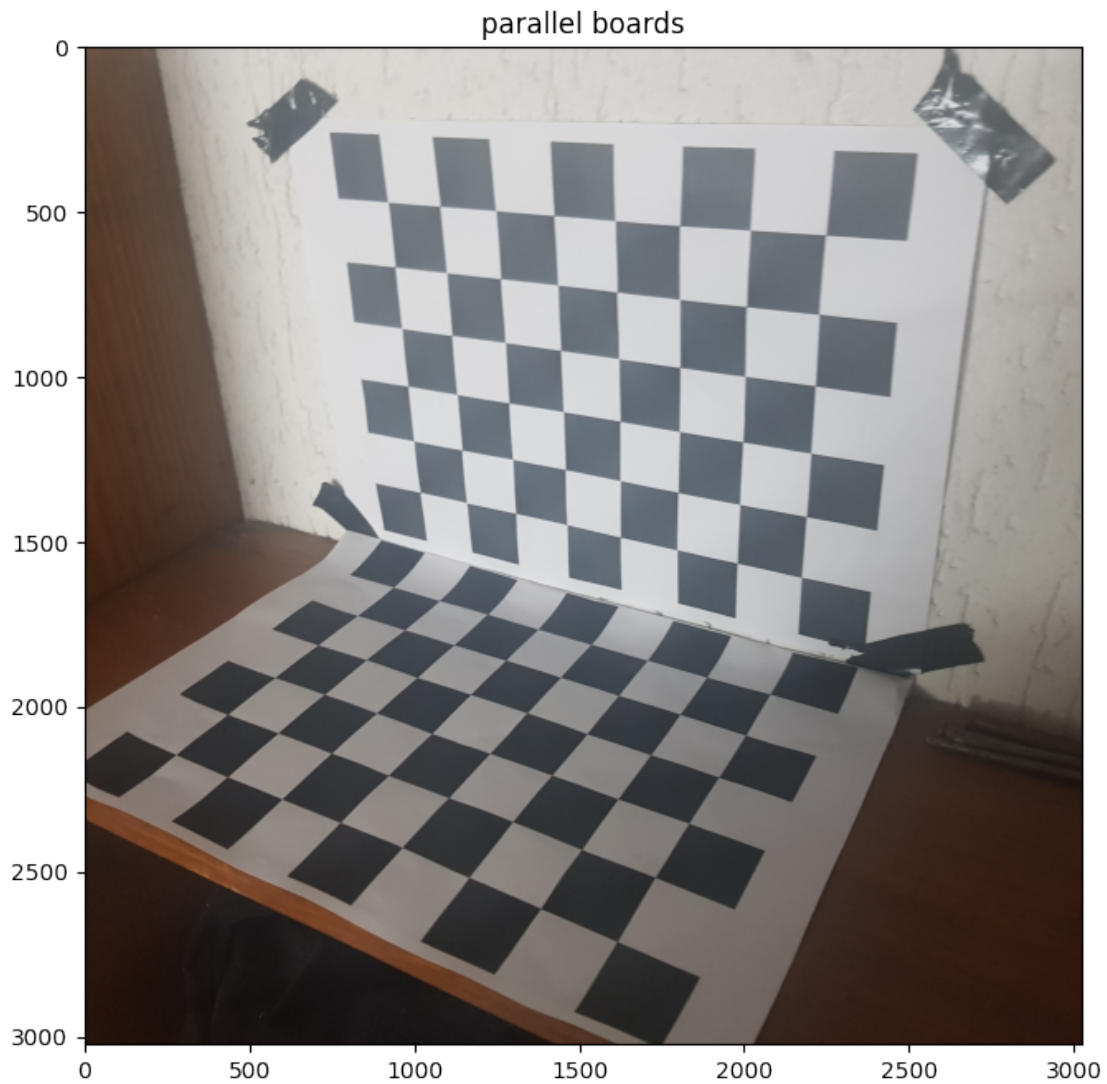
so we obtain  $f_x = 3909$  and  $f_y = 3884$  using Octave

### 1.3 Python

We are gonna use the following image for our calibration

```
[677]: parallel_boards = cv2.imread("image7.jpg")
parallel_boards = cv2.cvtColor(parallel_boards, cv2.COLOR_BGR2RGB)
plt.imshow(parallel_boards)
plt.title('parallel boards')
plt.show()
```





The image points are:

```
[649]: image_points = [  
    [748, 2140],  
    [884, 2020],  
    [1008, 1912],  
    [1120, 1812],  
  
    [924, 2204],  
    [1056, 2084],  
    [1168, 1964],  
    [1276, 1860],  
  
    [1104, 2272],
```

```

[1232, 2140],
[1342, 2020],
[1444, 1912],

[1300, 2349],
[1419, 2211],
[1525, 2083],
[1621, 1966],

[1296, 1252],
[1286, 1080],
[1274, 898],
[1262, 706],

[1460, 1284],
[1452, 1108],
[1446, 922],
[1428, 724],

[1625, 1318],
[1624, 1138],
[1621, 946],
[1614, 746],

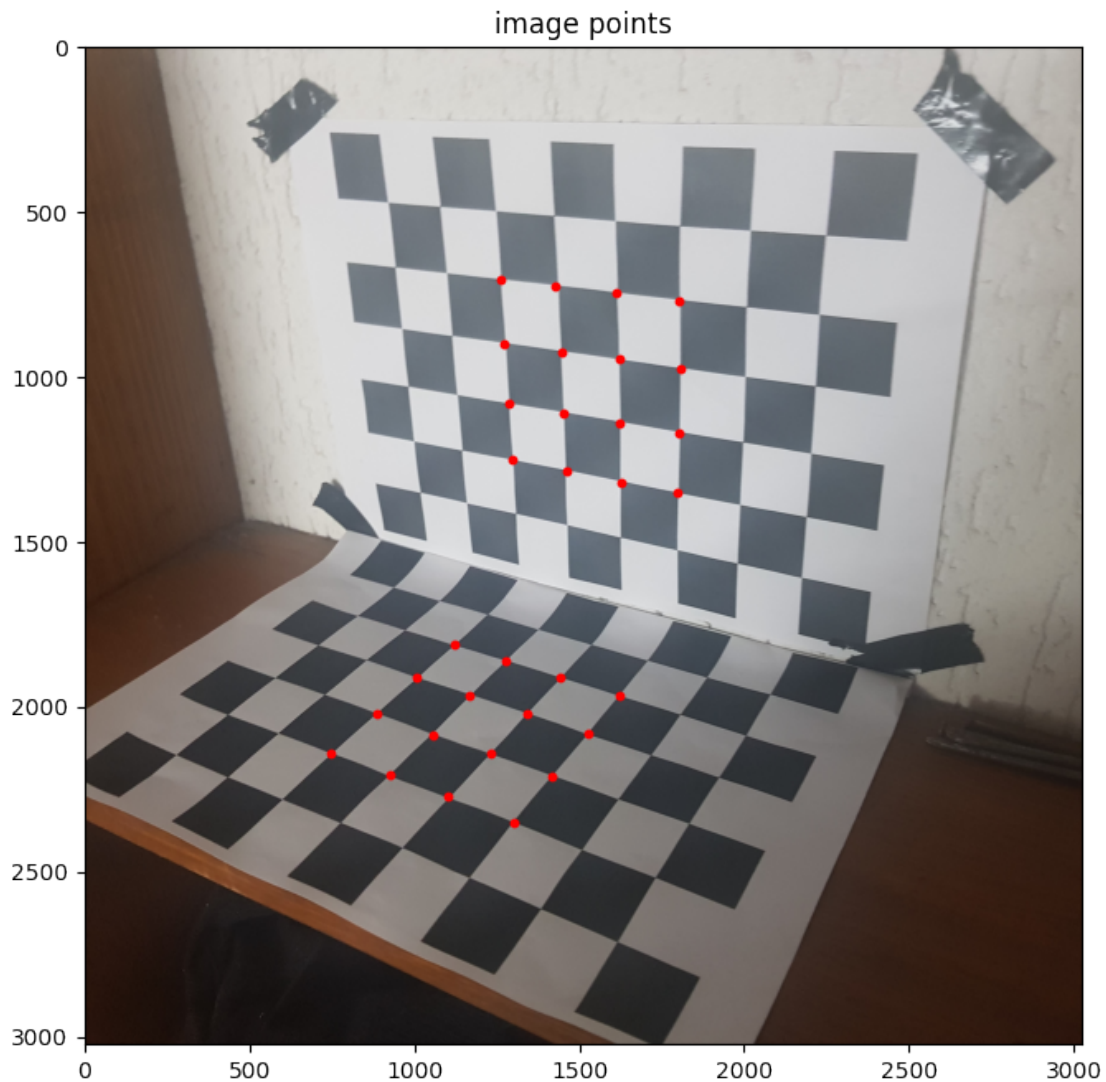
[1800, 1352],
[1803, 1168],
[1806, 974],
[1805, 768],
]

x = []
y = []

for i in range(len(image_points)):
    x.append(image_points[i][0])
    y.append(image_points[i][1])

plt.imshow(parallel_boards)
plt.title('image points')
plt.scatter(x=x, y=y, c='r', s=10)
plt.show()

```



The world points, using the first point as the (0,0,0) and units in mm are:

```
[650]: #margin = -23  
margin = 7  
  
world_points = [  
    [0, 0, 0],  
    [0, 28, 0],  
    [0, 56, 0],  
    [0, 84, 0],  
  
    [28, 0, 0],  
    [28, 28, 0],  
    [28, 56, 0],
```

```

[28, 84, 0],

[56, 0, 0],
[56, 28, 0],
[56, 56, 0],
[56, 84, 0],

[84, 0, 0],
[84, 28, 0],
[84, 56, 0],
[84, 84, 0],

[0, 140, 0 + 54 + margin],
[0, 140, 28 + 54 + margin],
[0, 140, 54 + 54 + margin],
[0, 140, 84 + 54 + margin],

[28, 140, 0 + 54 + margin],
[28, 140, 28 + 54 + margin],
[28, 140, 54 + 54 + margin],
[28, 140, 84 + 54 + margin],

[54, 140, 0 + 54 + margin],
[54, 140, 28 + 54 + margin],
[54, 140, 54 + 54 + margin],
[54, 140, 84 + 54 + margin],

[84, 140, 0 + 54 + margin],
[84, 140, 28 + 54 + margin],
[84, 140, 54 + 54 + margin],
[84, 140, 84 + 54 + margin],
]

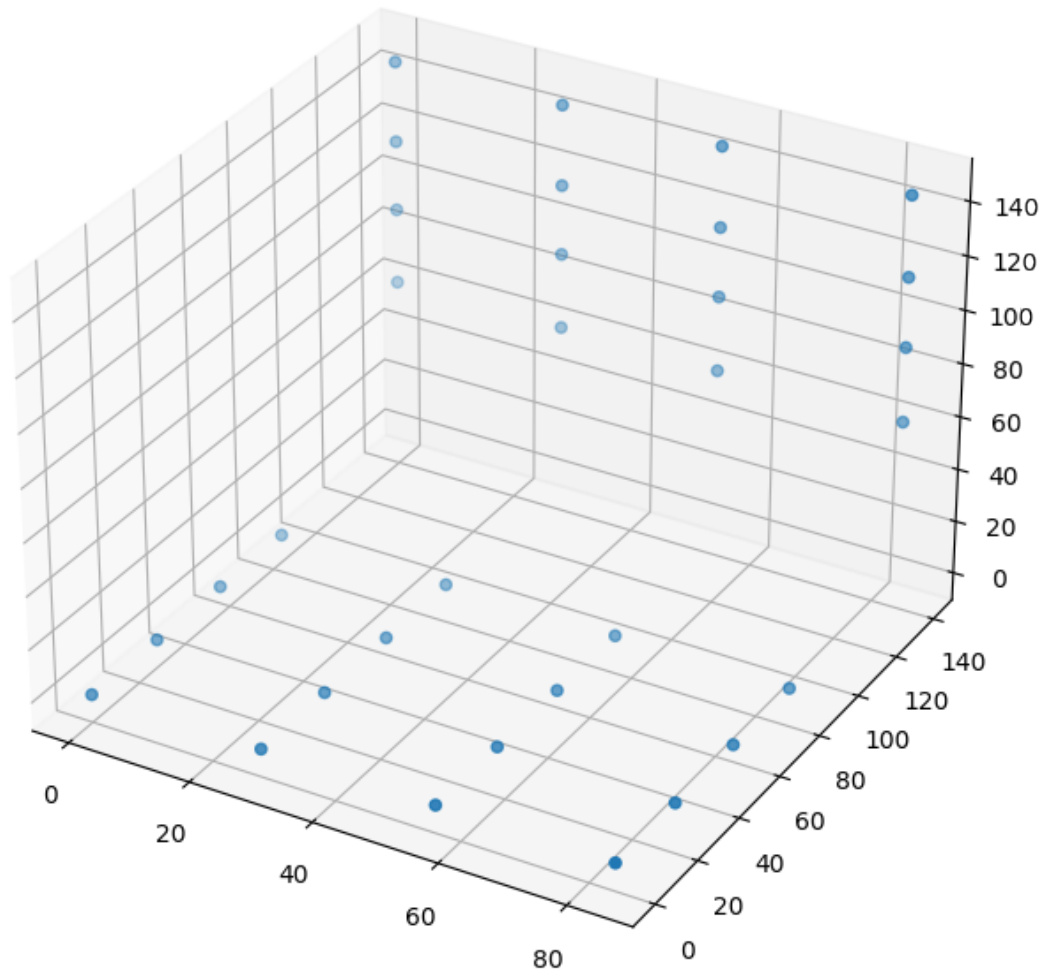
x = []
y = []
z = []

for i in range(len(world_points)):
    world_points[i] = [world_points[i][0], world_points[i][1],
↪world_points[i][2]]
    x.append(world_points[i][0])
    y.append(world_points[i][1])
    z.append(world_points[i][2])

ax = plt.axes(projection='3d')

ax.scatter3D(x, y, z);

```



Building the Matrix A as describen in the book by Trucco and Verry, and taking its SVD we have:

```
[664]: A = []

def build_line(image_points, world_points, i):
    return [
        image_points[i][0]*world_points[i][0],
        image_points[i][0]*world_points[i][1],
        image_points[i][0]*world_points[i][2],
        image_points[i][0],
        -1*image_points[i][1]*world_points[i][0],
        -1*image_points[i][1]*world_points[i][1],
        -1*image_points[i][1]*world_points[i][2],
        -1*image_points[i][1],
```

```

    ]

    for i in range(len(image_points)):
        A.append(build_line(image_points, world_points, i))

    SVD = np.linalg.svd(A, full_matrices=True)

```

```
[665]: v = SVD[2][SVD[1].argmin()]
```

The minimum eigen value is

```
[678]: min(SVD[1])
```

```
[678]: 21.962894235209138
```

The corresponding eigen vector is:

```
[679]: v
```

```
[679]: array([-1.26663782e-04, -4.31845159e-04, -3.53728068e-03,  9.43094446e-01,
            2.17897154e-03,  2.69185466e-03, -2.99920859e-04,  3.32487694e-01])
```

The gamma parameter, given by Trucco and Verri, is given by:

```
[680]: y = np.sqrt(v[0]**2 + v[1]**2 + v[2]**2)
y
```

```
[680]: 0.0035657942450506293
```

The alpha\*gamma parameter, given by Trucco and Verri, is given by:

```
[669]: ay = np.sqrt(v[4]**2 + v[5]**2 + v[6]**2)
ay
```

```
[669]: 0.0034761977784463077
```

The alpha(aspect ratio) parameter is given by:

```
[670]: a = ay/y
a
```

```
[670]: 0.9748733492604957
```

The rows of the intrinsic matrix can be recovered by:

```
[671]: r = np.zeros((3,3))

r[1,0] = v[0]/y
r[1,1] = v[1]/y

```

```

r[1,2] = v[2]/y

Ty      = v[3]/y

r[0,0] = v[4]/ay
r[0,1] = v[5]/ay
r[0,2] = v[6]/ay

Tx      = v[7]/ay

l0 = [r[0,0], r[0,1], r[0,2]]
l1 = [r[1,0], r[1,1], r[1,2]]

l3 = np.cross(l0, l1)

r[2,0] = l3[0]
r[2,1] = l3[1]
r[2,2] = l3[2]

print(r)

print("Tx=",Tx,"Ty", Ty)

```

```

[[ 0.62682611  0.77436752 -0.08627842]
 [-0.0355219  -0.12110771 -0.99200359]
 [-0.77862434  0.62487853 -0.04840647]]
Tx= 95.64694402485662 Ty 264.4836974021597

```

[672]: `print(image_points[0][0]*(r[0,0]*world_points[0][0] + r[0,1]*world_points[0][1] + r[0,2]*world_points[0][2] + Tx))`

```
71543.91413059275
```

Because the value is positive we need to invert the values of the first two rows of r and Tx and Ty

[673]:

```

r[0,0] = -1 * r[0,0]
r[0,1] = -1 * r[0,1]
r[0,2] = -1 * r[0,2]
r[1,0] = -1 * r[1,0]
r[1,1] = -1 * r[1,1]
r[1,2] = -1 * r[1,2]

Tx = -1*Tx
Ty = -1*Ty
print(r)

```

```

[[-0.62682611 -0.77436752  0.08627842]
 [ 0.0355219   0.12110771  0.99200359]

```

```
[-0.77862434  0.62487853 -0.04840647]]
```

The Tz and fx parameters of the third row can be approximated by:

```
[674]: def build_A_line(image_points, world_points, r, i):
        return [
            image_points[i][0], (r[0,0]*world_points[i][0] +
            ↪r[0,1]*world_points[i][1] + r[0,2]*world_points[i][2] + Tx),
            ]

A = []
b = []

for i in range(len(image_points)):
    A.append(build_A_line(image_points, world_points, r, i))

A = np.reshape(A,(len(image_points),2))

def build_b_line(image_points, world_points, r, i):
    return [
        -1*image_points[i][0]*(r[2,0]*world_points[i][0] +
        ↪r[2,1]*world_points[i][1] + r[2,2]*world_points[i][2]),
        ]

for i in range(len(image_points)):
    b.append(build_b_line(image_points, world_points, r, i))

C = np.matmul(np.matmul(np.linalg.inv(np.matmul(A.T,A)),A.T), b)

print("Tz =", C[0])
print("fx =", C[1])
fx = C[1][0]
Tz = C[0]
```

```
Tz = [508.28775991]
```

```
fx = [3861.17492679]
```

And fy is given by:

```
[675]: fy = fx/a
        fy
```

```
[675]: 3960.693899077562
```

As we can see, the focal length in the x direction (~3960, ~3861) is very close from the value found by octave (~3909, ~3884)

```
[676]: print("fy = ", fy, "fx = ", fx)
```



`fy = 3960.693899077562 fx = 3861.1749267893547`

### **1.3.1 Conclusions**

The difference, and the margin of error in the Octave can be explained by little distortions and the fact that the points where all collected from a check board printed in a piece of paper that can suffer from small undulations on its surface.

The most error prone of all the methods addressed was the naive method, and the one that give the bigger difference in absolute value when compared to all the other methods.