

# Lecture 16

## Camera Calibration + Homographies 1

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## Recall lecture 14: Camera Model

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# Recall lecture 14: Camera Model

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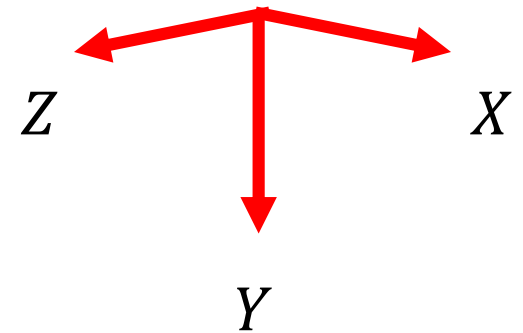
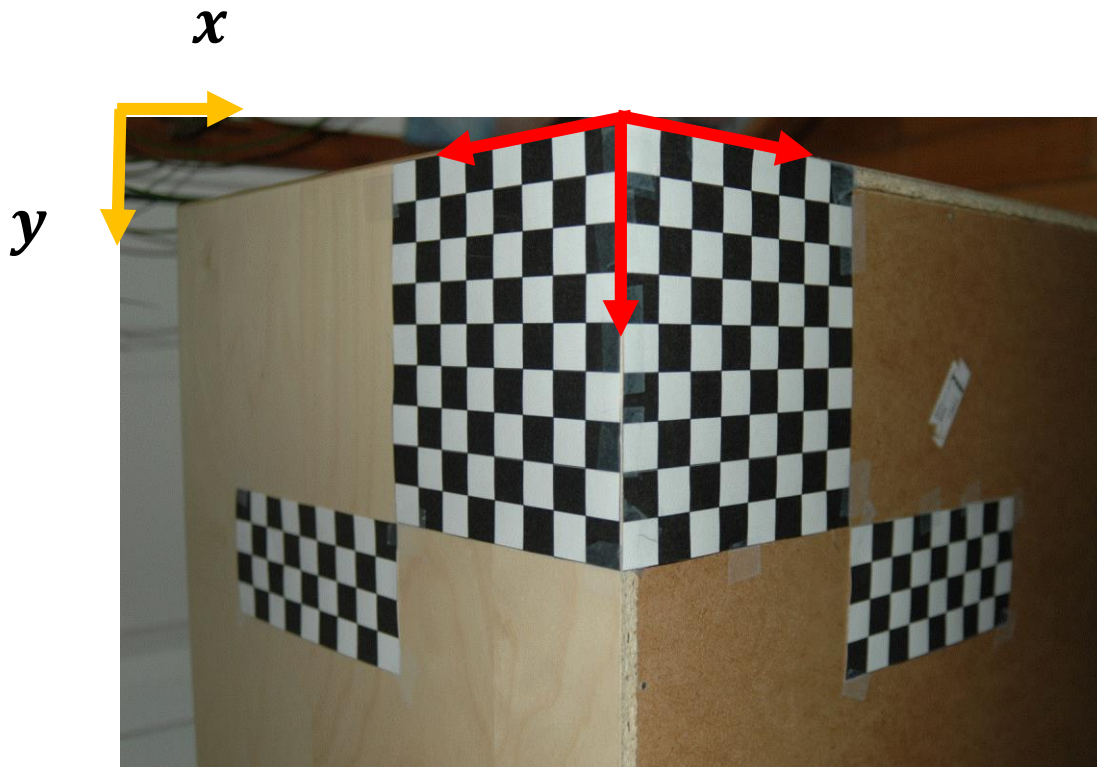
$$\mathbf{K} = \begin{bmatrix} \alpha_x & s & p_x \\ 0 & \alpha_y & p_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We would like to estimate  $\mathbf{P}$ , and then factor it.

Suppose we have an object with *identifiable points* measured at 3D positions  $(X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$  in some scene coordinate system and labelled corresponding pixels  $(x_i, y_i)$  for  $i=1, \dots, N$  in an image.

e.g. corner points of the squares in the checkerboard below.

Compute a projection matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  that best fits these data  $\{X_i, Y_i, Z_i, x_i, y_i\}$ .  
This problem is called *camera calibration*.



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We will solve it using least squares. How ?

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From previous slide:

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Stack the  $N$  pairs of equations (corresponding to the  $N$  points) :

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1X_1 & -x_1Y_1 & -x_1Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1X_1 & -y_1Y_1 & -y_1Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_NX_N & -x_NY_N & -x_NZ_N & -x_N \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & -y_NX_N & -y_NY_N & -y_NZ_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ P_{14} \\ \vdots \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$2N \times 12$$



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This is of the familiar form  $\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x} \approx 0$ , where  $\mathbf{A}$  is an  $2N \times 12$  data matrix, and  $\mathbf{x}$  is a vector of  $P_{ij}$  values.

**Solution: ?**

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1 X_1 & -x_1 Y_1 & -x_1 Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_N X_N & -x_N Y_N & -x_N Z_N & -x_N \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & -y_N X_N & -y_N Y_N & -y_N Z_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ P_{14} \\ \vdots \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Choose the  $\mathbf{x}$  vector that minimizes  $\|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\|$  subject to  $\|\mathbf{x}\| = 1$ .

Solution: take the eigenvector of  $\mathbf{A}^T \mathbf{A}$  with the smallest eigenvalue.

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1 X_1 & -x_1 Y_1 & -x_1 Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_N X_N & -x_N Y_N & -x_N Z_N & -x_N \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & -y_N X_N & -y_N Y_N & -y_N Z_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ P_{14} \\ \vdots \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} & P_{13} & P_{14} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} & P_{23} & P_{24} \\ P_{31} & P_{32} & P_{33} & P_{34} \end{bmatrix}$$

ASIDE:  $\| \mathbf{P} \| = \sqrt{\sum_{ij} P_{ij}^2}$  is called the *Frobenius norm* of matrix  $\mathbf{P}$ .

# How to improve the estimate of $\mathbf{P}$ ?

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1 X_1 & -x_1 Y_1 & -x_1 Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_N X_N & -x_N Y_N & -x_N Z_N & -x_N \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & -y_N X_N & -y_N Y_N & -y_N Z_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ P_{14} \\ \vdots \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

What are the units of  $(X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$  and  $(x_i, y_i)$  ?

Image and scene position values have noise.

The magnitudes of values in different columns can vary *a lot*!  
Columns with largest values will dominate the estimate.

# Data Normalization

$$(\bar{x}, \bar{y}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i, y_i)$$

$$(\bar{X}, \bar{Y}, \bar{Z}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$$

$$\sigma_1^2 = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})^2 + (y_i - \bar{y})^2$$

$$\sigma_2^2 = \frac{1}{3N} \sum_{i=1}^N (X_i - \bar{X})^2 + (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2 + (Z_i - \bar{Z})^2$$

Normalize so that the mean and standard deviation are 0 and 1, respectively.

$$(x_i, y_i) \rightarrow \left( \frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{\sigma_1}, \frac{y_i - \bar{y}}{\sigma_1} \right)$$

$$(X_i, Y_i, Z_i) \rightarrow \left( \frac{X_i - \bar{X}}{\sigma_2}, \frac{Y_i - \bar{Y}}{\sigma_2}, \frac{Z_i - \bar{Z}}{\sigma_2} \right)$$

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$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1/\sigma_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/\sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\bar{x} \\ 0 & 1 & -\bar{y} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{M}_1}$$

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Solve the least squares problem using these normalized coordinates, namely estimate  $\mathbf{P}_{normalized}$ .

$$\mathbf{M}_1 \begin{bmatrix} w_i x_i \\ w_i y_i \\ w_i \end{bmatrix} \approx \mathbf{P}_{normalized} \mathbf{M}_2 \begin{bmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \\ Z_i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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Finally, we want a matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  that is in terms of the original data. Left multiplying by  $\mathbf{M}_1^{-1}$ , we see what we want:

$$\mathbf{P} \equiv \mathbf{M}_1^{-1} \mathbf{P}_{normalized} \mathbf{M}_2$$

Experiments have shown that this normalization technique can give much better results *in practice*.



# ASIDE: Another least squares formulation...

$$\begin{bmatrix} w_i x_i \\ w_i y_i \\ w_i \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} & P_{13} & P_{14} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} & P_{23} & P_{24} \\ P_{31} & P_{32} & P_{33} & P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \\ Z_i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

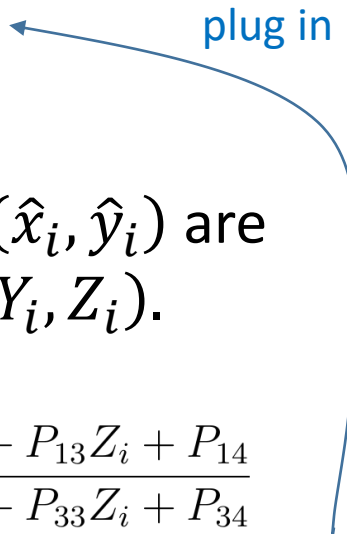
The above model gave us:

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_1 X_1 & -x_1 Y_1 & -x_1 Z_1 & -x_1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_1 & Y_1 & Z_1 & 1 & -y_1 X_1 & -y_1 Y_1 & -y_1 Z_1 & -y_1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x_N X_N & -x_N Y_N & -x_N Z_N & -x_N \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & X_N & Y_N & Z_N & 1 & -y_N X_N & -y_N Y_N & -y_N Z_N & -y_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} \\ P_{12} \\ P_{13} \\ P_{14} \\ \vdots \\ P_{31} \\ P_{32} \\ P_{33} \\ P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

One issue with problem formulation is that it is unclear how to *interpret* the error in terms of the geometry of the situation, namely the 3D points  $(X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$  and the image pixel positions  $(x_i, y_i)$ .

*What are we minimizing here ?!*

(ASIDE: continued) A more geometrically *meaningful* way to set up the problem is to minimize:

$$error = \sum_i (x_i - \hat{x}_i)^2 + (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$


plug in

where  $(x_i, y_i)$  are the measured image positions and  $(\hat{x}_i, \hat{y}_i)$  are the *predicted positions* for any  $\mathbf{P}$  and scene point  $(X_i, Y_i, Z_i)$ .

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{w}_i \hat{x}_i \\ \hat{w}_i \hat{y}_i \\ \hat{w}_i \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} & P_{13} & P_{14} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} & P_{23} & P_{24} \\ P_{31} & P_{32} & P_{33} & P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \\ Z_i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{aligned} \hat{x}_i &= \frac{P_{11}X_i + P_{12}Y_i + P_{13}Z_i + P_{14}}{P_{31}X_i + P_{32}Y_i + P_{33}Z_i + P_{34}} \\ \hat{y}_i &= \frac{P_{21}X_i + P_{22}Y_i + P_{23}Z_i + P_{24}}{P_{31}X_i + P_{32}Y_i + P_{33}Z_i + P_{34}} \end{aligned}$$

This defines a *non-linear* least squares problem. How to solve it? One can make a linear approximation of this *error* (linear in the  $P_{ij}$ ) which is of the form  $\| \mathbf{A} \mathbf{u} - \mathbf{b} \|^2$  and then apply a least squares method, and iterate similar to Lucas-Kanade.

# Finally...

Having solved for a matrix  $\mathbf{P}$  one can then factor it using linear algebra techniques.

(In an Appendix in the lecture notes, I have provided details on how to compute this factorization, for those who are interested.)

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# Summary of Camera Calibration

- For each scene point and corresponding image point, rewrite the following as two equations:

$$\begin{bmatrix} w_i x_i \\ w_i y_i \\ w_i \end{bmatrix} \approx \begin{bmatrix} P_{11} & P_{12} & P_{13} & P_{14} \\ P_{21} & P_{22} & P_{23} & P_{24} \\ P_{31} & P_{32} & P_{33} & P_{34} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X_i \\ Y_i \\ Z_i \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Stacking these  $2N$  equations into a matrix and solve using least squares.
- Normalization of the data points gives better performance in practice.
- There are other ways to set up and solve the problem, e.g. non-linear least squares.

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# Recall (lecture 13): Homogeneous Coordinates in 2D

Translation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x + T_x \\ y + T_y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & T_x \\ 0 & 1 & T_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta \\ x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Recall (lecture 13): Homogeneous Coordinates in 2D

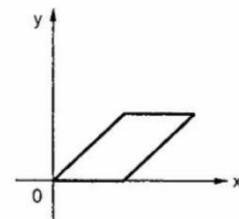
scaling

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x x \\ \sigma_y y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_X & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_Y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

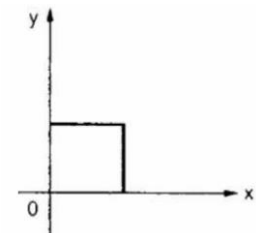
shear

$$\begin{bmatrix} x + sy \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & s & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Recall motion field of  
ground plane from  
last lecture



(b) Object after x shear



(a) Original object

# Affine (2D) transformation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & T_x \\ 0 & 1 & T_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

translation

$$\begin{bmatrix} \sigma_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

scaling

$$\begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

rotation

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

reflection

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & s & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

shear

If we multiply such matrices, we always obtain a matrix of the form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{0} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Note the two elements in bottom row that have value 0.

The resulting mapping is called a 2D *affine* transformation.  
It is invertible. (if scaling coefficients are non-zero 0).



# Homography

Any  $3 \times 3$  *invertible* matrix that maps between 2D “homogeneous points” is called a *homography*.

$$\mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} H_{11} & H_{12} & H_{13} \\ H_{21} & H_{22} & H_{23} \\ H_{31} & H_{32} & H_{33} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} wx' \\ wy' \\ w \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{H} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

A *homography* is more general than an affine transform.  
In particular, it can capture perspective effects. (Very cool.)

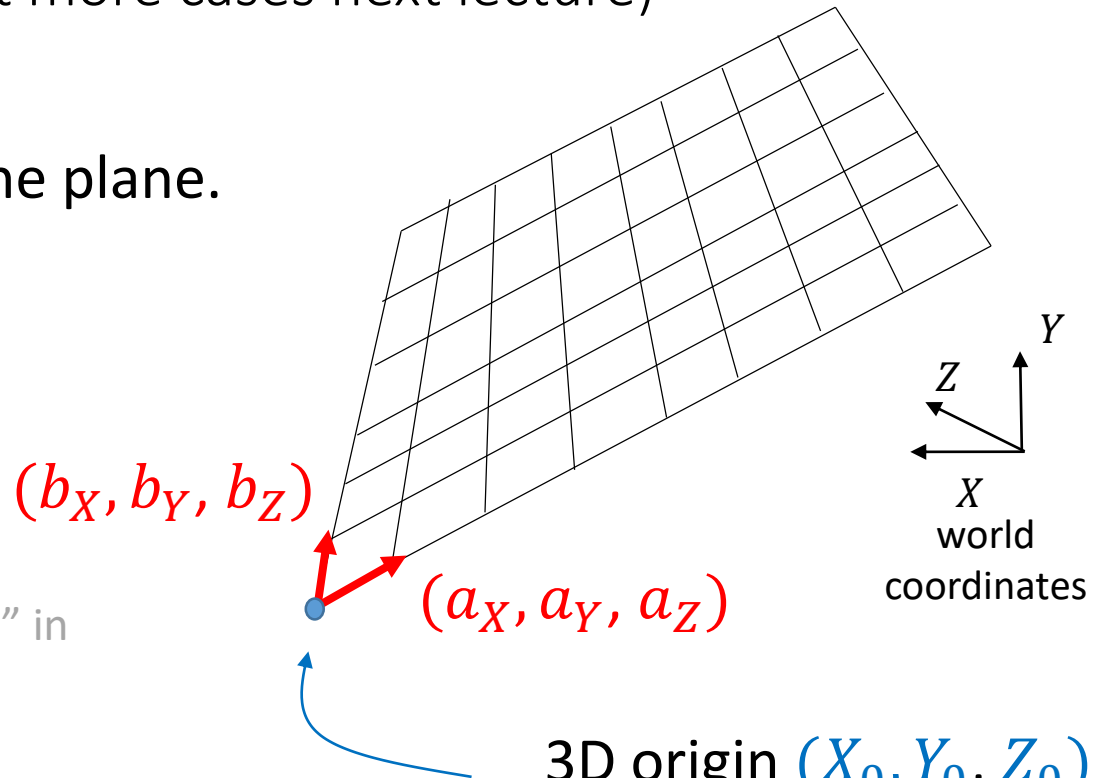
# Case 1

(we'll look at more cases next lecture)

Suppose we have a scene plane.

(This is used in “texture mapping” in computer graphics)

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_X & b_X & X_0 \\ a_Y & b_Y & Y_0 \\ a_Z & b_Z & Z_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

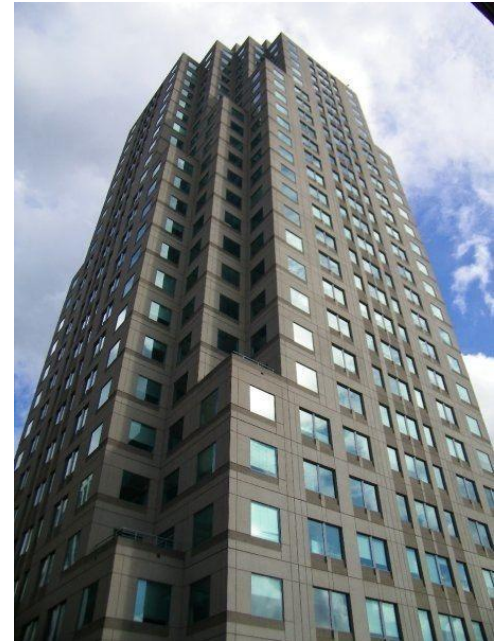


3D origin  $(X_0, Y_0, Z_0)$   
corresponds to  
 $(s, t) = (0, 0)$ .

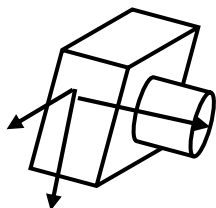
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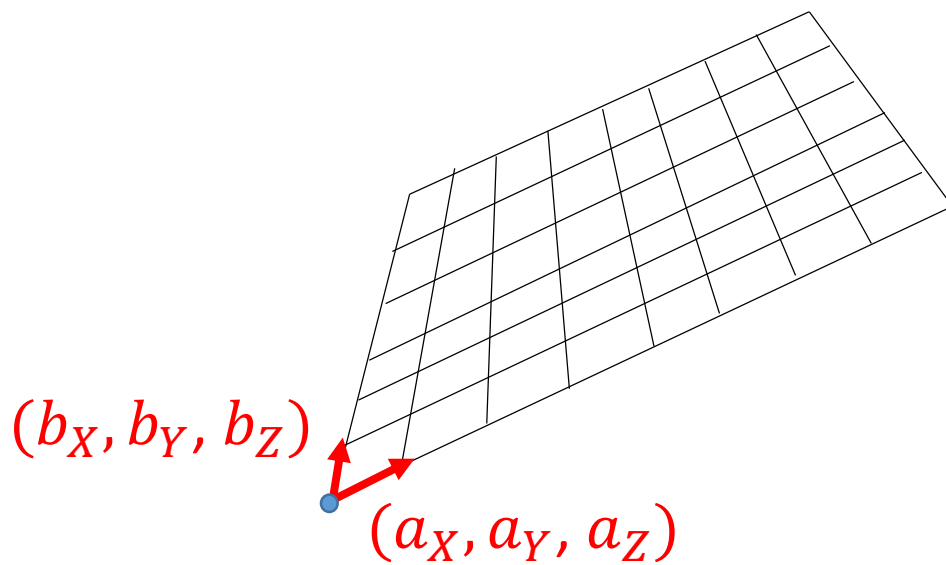
Ground plane + horizon



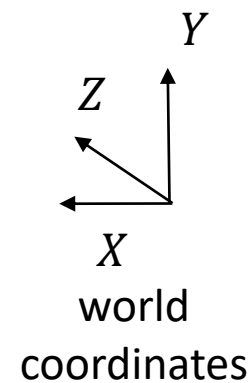
3 point perspective



Camera with  
projection  
matrix  $\mathbf{P}$

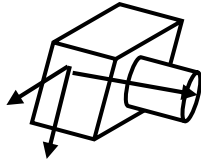


$$\begin{array}{c} \begin{bmatrix} wx \\ wy \\ w \end{bmatrix} \\ 3 \times 1 \end{array} = \underbrace{\begin{array}{c} \mathbf{P} \\ 3 \times 4 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \begin{bmatrix} a_x & b_x & X_0 \\ a_y & b_y & Y_0 \\ a_z & b_z & Z_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ 4 \times 3 \end{array}}_{\mathbf{H}_{3 \times 3}} \begin{array}{c} \begin{bmatrix} s \\ t \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ 3 \times 1 \end{array}$$

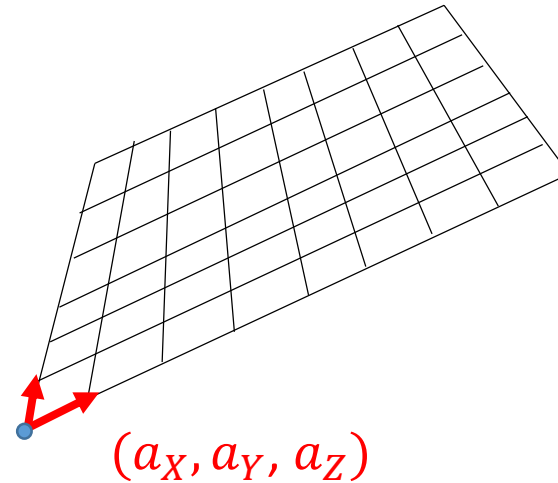


$$\mathbf{H}_{3 \times 3}$$

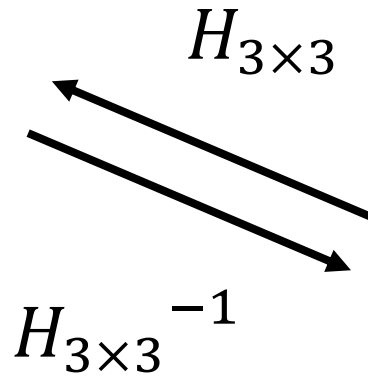
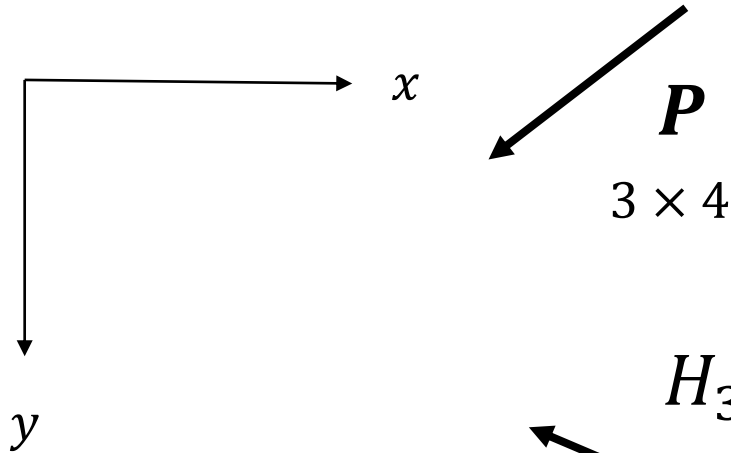
Camera with  
projection  
matrix  $\mathbf{P}$



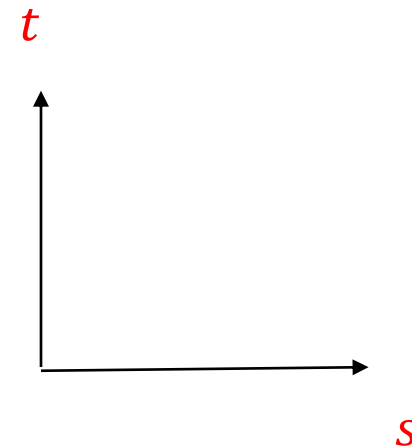
$(b_X, b_Y, b_Z)$



$Z$   
 $Y$   
 $X$   
world  
coordinates



$4 \times 3$   
("texture mapping")



When is  $H$  not invertible?

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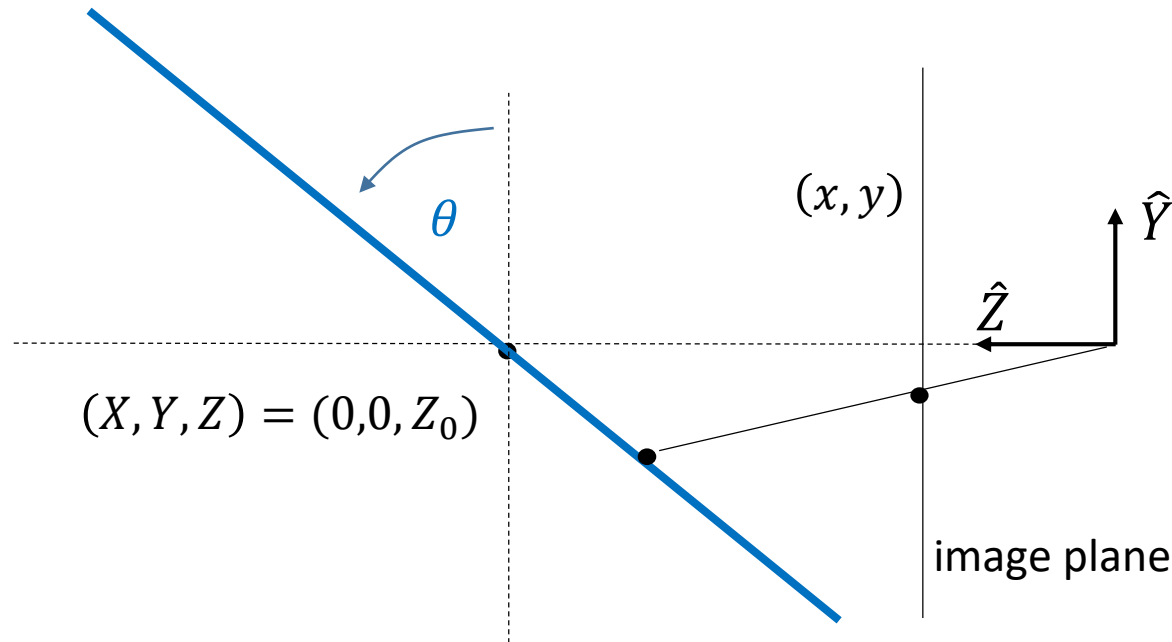


What is the homography that maps positions on the ground plane to positions in the image (or vice-versa) ?



What is the homography that maps points on *one plane* of the building façade to positions in the image (or vice-versa) ?

# Exercise (see PDF)



Suppose a plane  $Z = 0$  is rotated by  $\theta$  degrees about the  $X$  axis, and the origin is then translated to  $(0, 0, Z_0)$ .

What is the homography that maps 3D points  $\mathbf{X}(s, t)$  on this scene plane to points  $(x, y)$  in the image plane and vice-versa ?

# Next lecture: more on homographies

- Case 2 : Suppose we have two different cameras looking at the same plane in the scene. What is the homography mapping pixels in one image to the other image?
- Case 3 : Suppose we have one camera and we rotate it to obtain a second image. What is the homography needed to distort one image so that it aligns with the other?
- Case 4 : Suppose we have two cameras looking at a non-planar 3D scene. How can we “rectify” the cameras ?
- How to find matching points in two images ?