$$ilde{p_l} = ilde{p_r} = egin{bmatrix} 0 \ 0 \ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that, $\ ilde{p_r}^T F \, ilde{p_l} = 0$

$$egin{bmatrix} [0 & 0 & 1] egin{bmatrix} f_{11} & f_{12} & f_{13} \ f_{21} & f_{22} & f_{23} \ f_{31} & f_{32} & f_{33} \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} 0 \ 0 \ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$egin{aligned} p_l &= [u_l & v_l & 1] \ p_r &= [u_r & v_r & 1] \ t &= egin{bmatrix} t_1 \ 0 \ 0 \end{bmatrix} \ R &= I_{3x3} \end{aligned}$$

Essential Matrix, $E = [t_{\times}]R$

$$\Rightarrow E = egin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -t_1 \\ 0 & t_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} egin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
 $\Rightarrow E = egin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -t_1 \\ 0 & t_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

We know that epipolar line, $l_l = p_r^T E$

$$egin{aligned} \Rightarrow [u_r & v_r & 1] egin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \ 0 & 0 & -t_1 \ 0 & t_1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \ \ \Rightarrow l_l = [0 & t_1 & -v_r t_1] \end{aligned}$$

 \Rightarrow Epipolar line in the Left Camera is, $y = v_r$...1

Similarly, Epipolar line in the Right Camera is, $y = v_l$...2

From Equations, 1 & 2, the two cameras have epipolar lines parallel to the X-axis

$$egin{aligned} ext{At timestamp t1}, \ p_1 &= KR_1P + KT_1 \ &\Rightarrow P = R_1^{-1}K^{-1}p_1 - R_1^{-1}T_1 \ ext{At timestamp t2}, \ p_2 &= KR_2P + KT_2 \ &\Rightarrow p_2 = (KR_2R_1^TK^{-1})p_1 + (-KR_2R_1^TT_1 + KT_2) \ &\Rightarrow R_{rel} &= KR_2R_1^TK^{-1} \ T_{rel} &= -KR_2R_1^TT_1 + KT_2 \ E &= [T_{rel imes}]R_{rel} \ F &= (K^{-1})^TEK^{-1} \ &\Rightarrow F &= (K^{-1})^T[T_{rel imes}]R_{rel}K^{-1} \end{aligned}$$

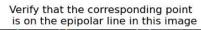
The transformation between the object and its mirror image is pure translation (planar object).

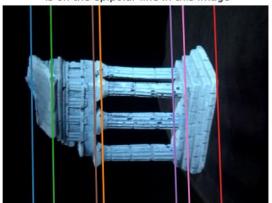
$$egin{aligned} \Rightarrow R_{rel} = I_{3 imes 3} \ T_{rel} = [t_x \quad t_y \quad t_z] \ F = (K^{-1})^T E K^{-1} \ F = (K^{-1})^T egin{bmatrix} 0 & -t_z & t_y \ t_z & 0 & -t_x \ -t_y & t_x & 0 \end{bmatrix} K^{-1} \ F^T = (K^{-1})^T egin{bmatrix} 0 & t_z & -t_y \ -t_z & 0 & t_x \ t_y & -t_x & 0 \end{bmatrix} K^{-1} \ egin{subarray}{c} \Rightarrow F = -F^T \end{aligned}$$

Therefore, Fundamental matrix is skew-symmetric

Select a point in this image







Fundamental Matrix [[9.78833287e-10 -1.32135929e-07 1.12585666e-03]

[-5.73843315e-08 2.96800276e-09 -1.17611996e-05]

[-1.08269003e-03 3.04846703e-05 -4.47032655e-03]]

See Code

Consider pts1 corresponding to left and pts2 corresponding to right image

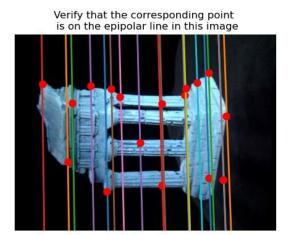
$$A_i = egin{bmatrix} y_{li}m_{l3}^T - m_{l2}^T \ m_{l1}^T - x_{li}m_{l3}^T \ y_{ri}m_{r3}^T - m_{r2}^T \ m_{r1}^T - x_{ri}m_{r3}^T \end{bmatrix}$$

Where m_{li} and m_{ri} are rows in left and right camera projection matrices respectively

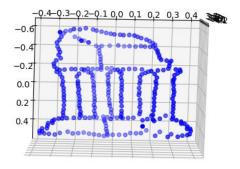
See code

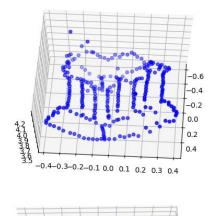
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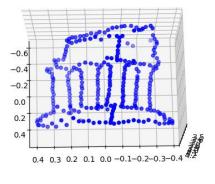


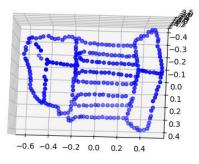


Function epipolarMatchGUI in the helper.py has been modified a bit to save the output q4_1.npz









Without Ransac, result from some_corresp_noisy.npz:





Verify that the corresponding point is on the epipolar line in this image

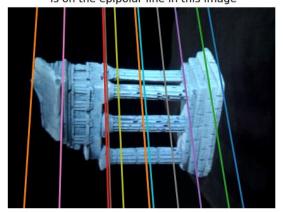


RANSAC:

Select a point in this image



Verify that the corresponding point is on the epipolar line in this image



Cost function - pr^T * F * pl has been used

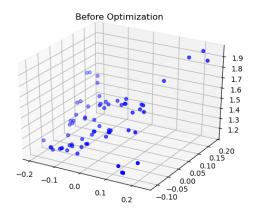
Number of inliers: 140

As the number of iterations increases, the accuracy of the fundamental matrix improves.

With the increase in the tolerance, more number of points are included, which also improves the accuracy of F, but only up to a limit. After which, the noise gets counted as inliers and the accuracy deteriorates.

See Code

Sol 5.3 Initial Reprojection error: 2065.14



Reprojection error after optimization: 59.36

