

Q4)

Vanishing points are not affected by camera translation. So, the vector \mathbf{t} cannot be inferred from the given information.

a) Assume all intrinsic parameters are known.

Let (p_x, p_y) and (q_x, q_y) are optical centres of the cameras P and Q respectively. For the vanishing points, the direction vectors the lines in coordinate system of camera P would respectively be

$$p_1 = ((p_{1x} - p_x) * s_p, (p_{1y} - p_y) * s_p, f_p),$$

$$p_2 = ((p_{2x} - p_x) * s_p, (p_{2y} - p_y) * s_p, f_p), p_3 = ((p_{3x} - p_x) * s_p, (p_{3y} - p_y) * s_p, f_p).$$

Similarly for the coordinate system of camera Q, the direction vectors are

$$q_1 = ((q_{1x} - q_x) * s_q, (q_{1y} - q_y) * s_q, f_q), q_2 = ((q_{2x} - q_x) * s_q, (q_{2y} - q_y) * s_q, f_q)$$

and $q_3 = ((q_{3x} - q_x) * s_q, (q_{3y} - q_y) * s_q, f_q)$. Normalize these 6 direction vectors. These normalized direction vectors satisfy the equation :

$$(p_1 | p_2 | p_3) = \mathbf{R}(q_1 | q_2 | q_3).$$

From this equation, if solvable, we can determine the rotation matrix \mathbf{R} .

b) If s_p, f_p parameters are not known. The direction vectors p_1, p_2, p_3 are mutually perpendicular to each other. So, $p_1 \cdot p_2 = 0$. Therefore,

$$(p_{1x} - p_x)(p_{2x} - p_x)s_p^2 + (p_{1y} - p_y)(p_{2y} - p_y)s_p^2 + f_p^2 = 0$$

If (p_x, p_y) is known, then we can get the value of $\frac{s_p}{f_p}$. Similarly, we can also find the value of $\frac{s_q}{f_q}$.