

Q 1.1

Using the fundamental matrix estimation,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x'_m & y'_m & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_1 & f_2 & f_3 \\ f_4 & f_5 & f_6 \\ f_7 & f_8 & f_9 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_m \\ y_m \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

which translates into

$$\begin{aligned} x_m x'_m f_1 + x_m y'_m f_2 + x_m f_3 + \\ y_m x'_m f_4 + y_m y'_m f_5 + y_m f_6 + \\ x'_m f_7 + y'_m f_8 + f_9 = 0 \end{aligned}$$

where f_9 is the F_{33} element of the fundamental matrix.

Since (0,0) coincides with the principal point, one such point satisfies the above equation:

$$x_m = 0 \quad y_m = 0 \quad x'_m = 0 \quad y'_m = 0$$

Putting these values in the above equation,

$$f_9 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad F_{33} = 0$$

Q 1.2

Since the second camera differs from the first by a pure translation that is parallel to x-axis,

$$R = I$$
$$t = (T, 0, 0)$$

$$E = t \times R = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -T \\ 0 & T & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x^T E x' = 0$$

$$(u \ v \ 1) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -T \\ 0 & T & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} u' \\ v' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$(u \ v \ 1) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ -T \\ T v' \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow Tv = Tv'$$

Therefore, the y coordinate is always the same. Hence, the epipolar lines are horizontal.

Q 1.3

Let us consider two timestamps t_1 and t_2 ,

$$x_1' = R_1 (x - t_1)$$

$$x_2' = R_2 (x - t_2)$$

Replacing the value of x , we get,

$$\Rightarrow x_2' = R_2 R_1^T (x_1' - R_1(t_2 - t_1))$$

Hence,

$$R_{rel} = R_2 R_1^T$$

$$T_{rel} = R_1(t_2 - t_1)$$

$$E = R[t_x]$$

$$\text{Let } T_{rel} = \begin{bmatrix} txrel \\ tyrel \\ tzrel \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E = R_{rel} [T_{rel}] = R_2 R_1^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -tzrel & tyrel \\ txrel & 0 & -txrel \\ -tyrel & txrel & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F = K'^T E K^{-1}$$

$$F = K'^T R_{rel} [T_{rel}] K^{-1} = K'^T R_2 R_1^T \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -tzrel & tyrel \\ txrel & 0 & -txrel \\ -tyrel & txrel & 0 \end{bmatrix} K^{-1}$$

Q 1.4

Let P_1 and P_2 be the vectors from camera C to the real object P and its reflection P' respectively.

Therefore, we get

$$P_1 + T = P_2$$

$$P_1 = P_2 - T$$

Since P_1 , P_2 and T are coplanar,

$$(P_2 - T)^T T \times P_2 = 0$$

$$(P_2 - T)^T [t_x] P_2 = 0$$

$$\text{where } [t_x] = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -Tz & Ty \\ Tz & 0 & -Tx \\ -Ty & Tx & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore,

$$P_1^T [t_x] P_2 = 0$$

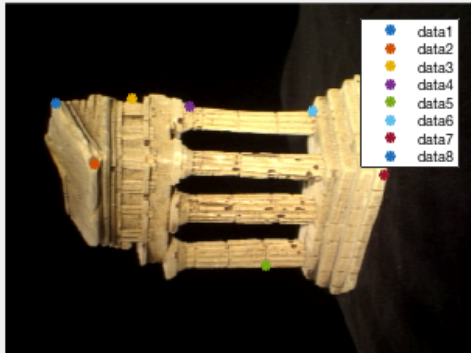
$$\text{Since } P_1^T E P_2 = 0, E = [t_x]$$

$$F = K^{-T} E K^{-1}$$

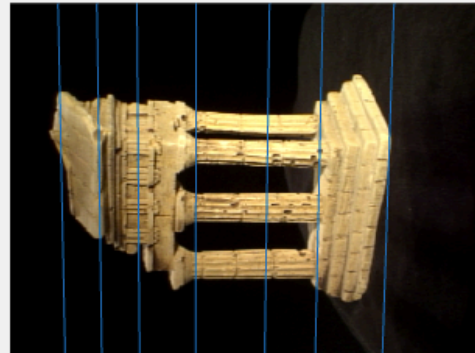
$$F^T = K^{-T} E^T K^{-1} = -K^{-T} E K^{-1} = -F$$

Since $F^T = -F$, the two images of the object are related by a skew-symmetric fundamental matrix.

Q 2.1



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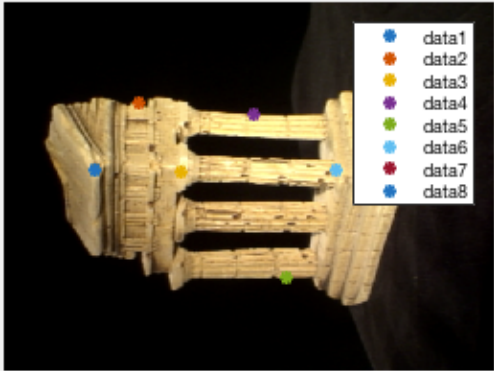


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F =

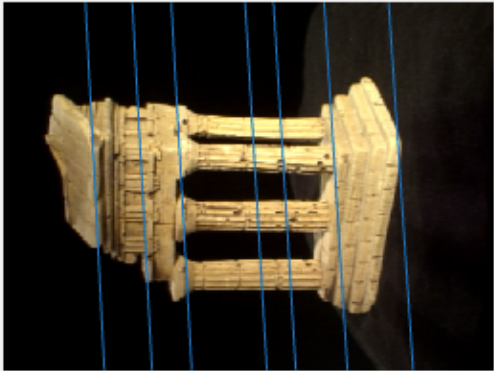
-0.0000	-0.0000	-0.0011
-0.0000	0.0000	0.0000
0.0011	-0.0000	-0.0042

Q 2.2



data1
data2
data3
data4
data5
data6
data7
data8

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$F\{1\}$

ans =

-0.0000	0.0000	-0.0014
0.0000	-0.0000	0.0001
0.0014	-0.0001	0.0040

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E =

-0.0520	0.4314	-2.1412
0.1270	-0.0282	0.1256
2.1450	-0.0511	0.0017

Q 3.2

A is represented by the following equation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} y\mathbf{p}_3^\top - \mathbf{p}_2^\top \\ \mathbf{p}_1^\top - x\mathbf{p}_3^\top \\ y'\mathbf{p}_3'^\top - \mathbf{p}_2'^\top \\ \mathbf{p}_1'^\top - x'\mathbf{p}_3'^\top \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{0}$$

In Matlab,

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A = [p1(i,2)*C1(3,:)-C1(2,:);C1(1,:)-p1(i,1)*C1(3,:);p2(i,2)*C2(3,:)-C2(2,:);C2(1,:)-  
p2(i,1)*C2(3,:)]
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Q 3.3

C2 =

1.0e+03 *

1.5219	0.0205	0.2938	0.0436
0.0589	1.5365	-0.1585	1.5710
0.0000	0.0003	0.0010	0.0002

error1 =

987.5777

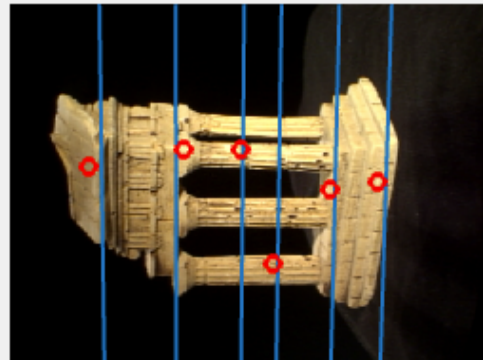
error2 =

945.3894

Q 4.1



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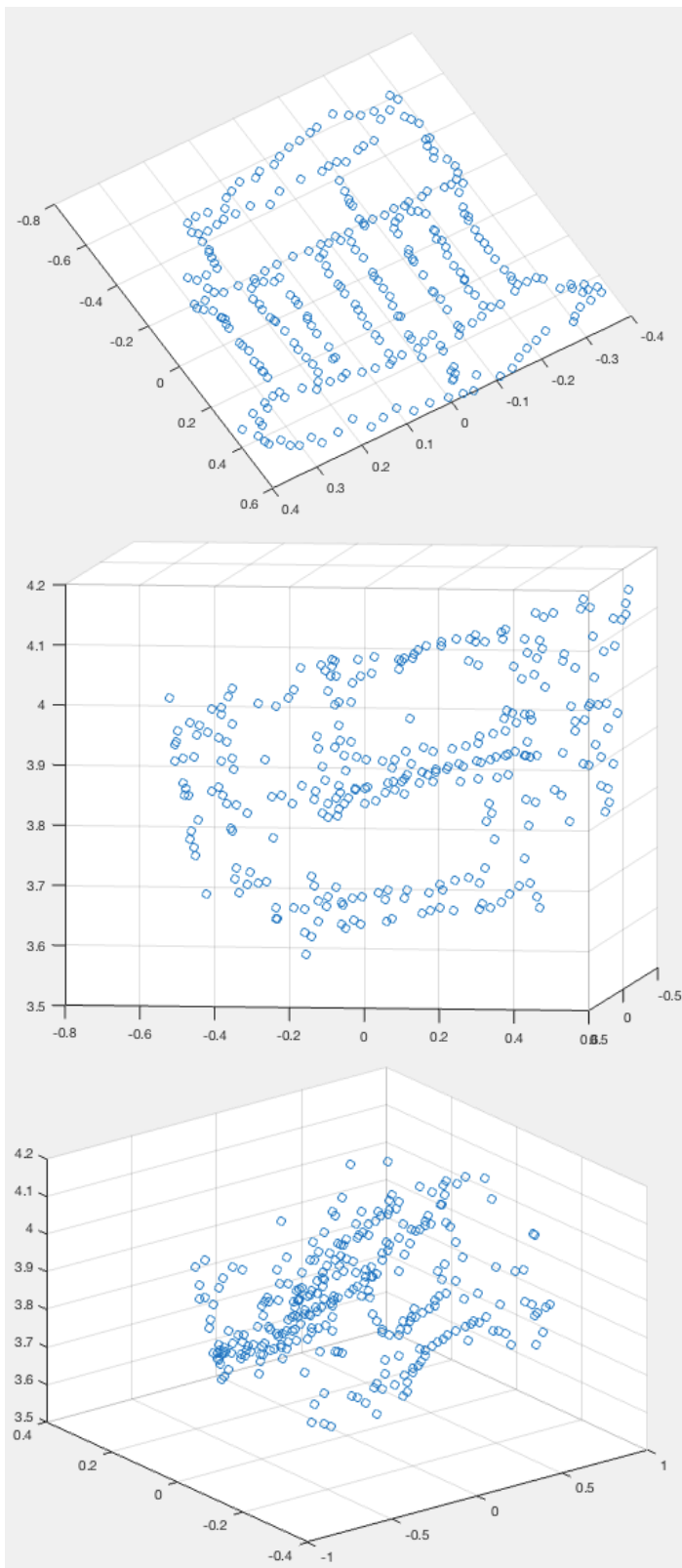
coordsIM1 =

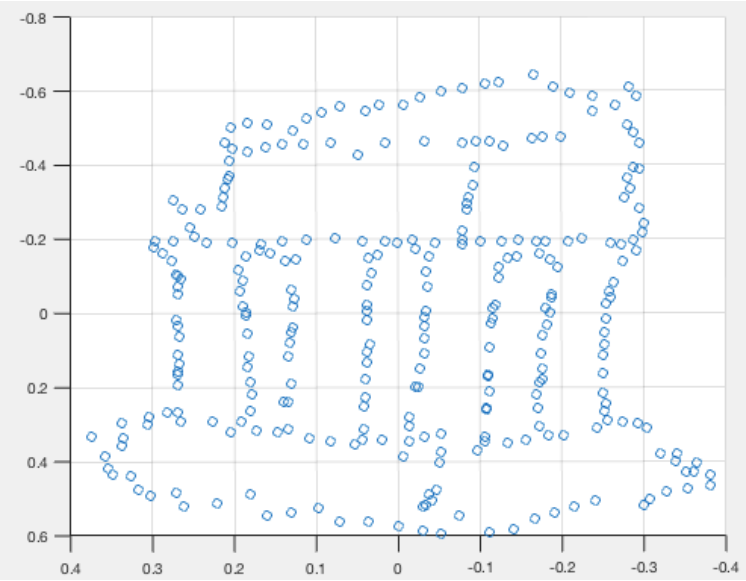
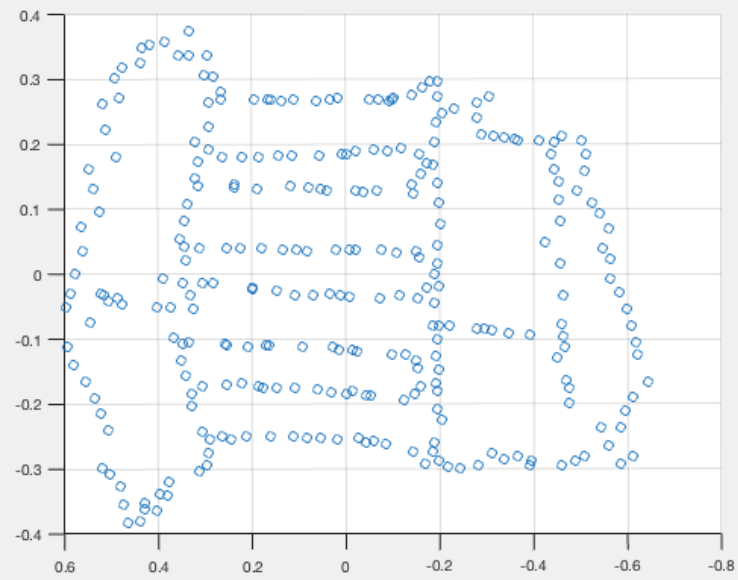
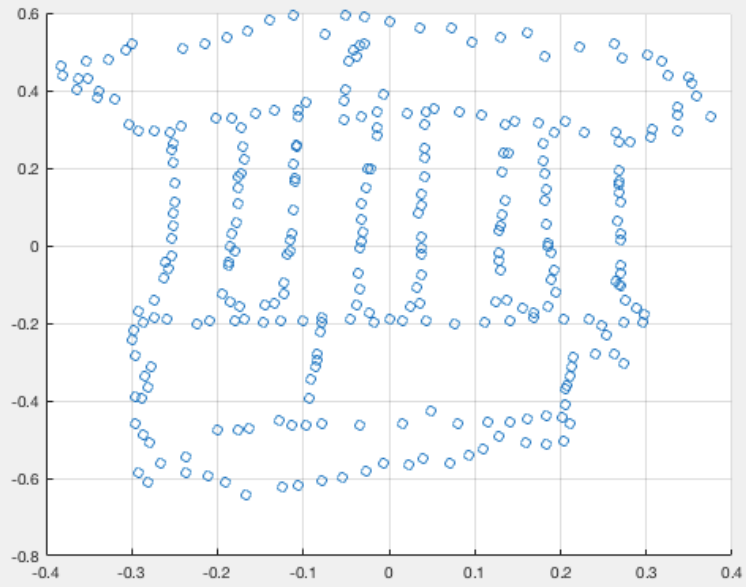
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123.6746 217.6429
222.7222 215.1032
436.0556 230.3413
504.6270 243.0397
311.6111 210.0238
364.9444 352.2460
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coordsIM2 =

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107 217
233 195
428 248
491 238
309 196
353 347
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Q 4.2



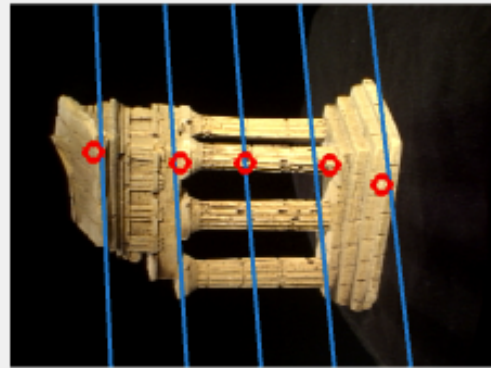


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Output from RANSAC with noisy correspondence

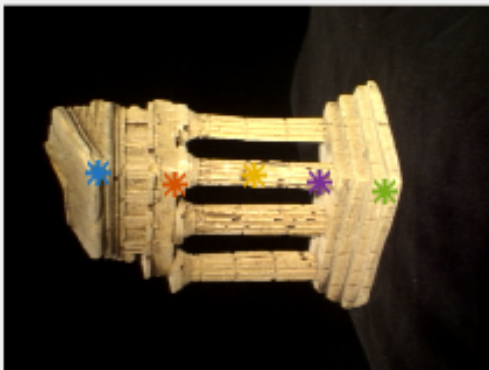


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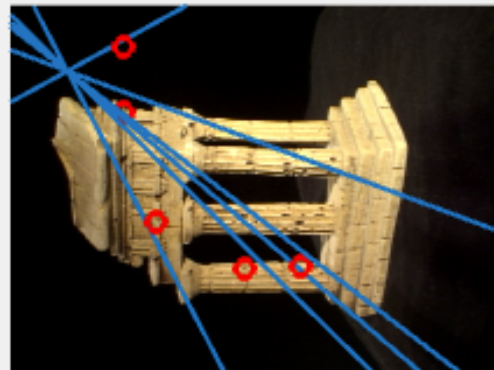


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Output from Eightpoint



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As it can be observed, output from RANSAC is much better than eightpoint.

For RANSAC, the metric for computing error used is the distance between the point and the mapped epipolar line found using sevenpoint for each F. The threshold used for inliers is 0.03 and the loop is run for 75% inliers. Since RANSAC has mostly correct matches, it gives a better result.

Q5.2

See code

Case tested:

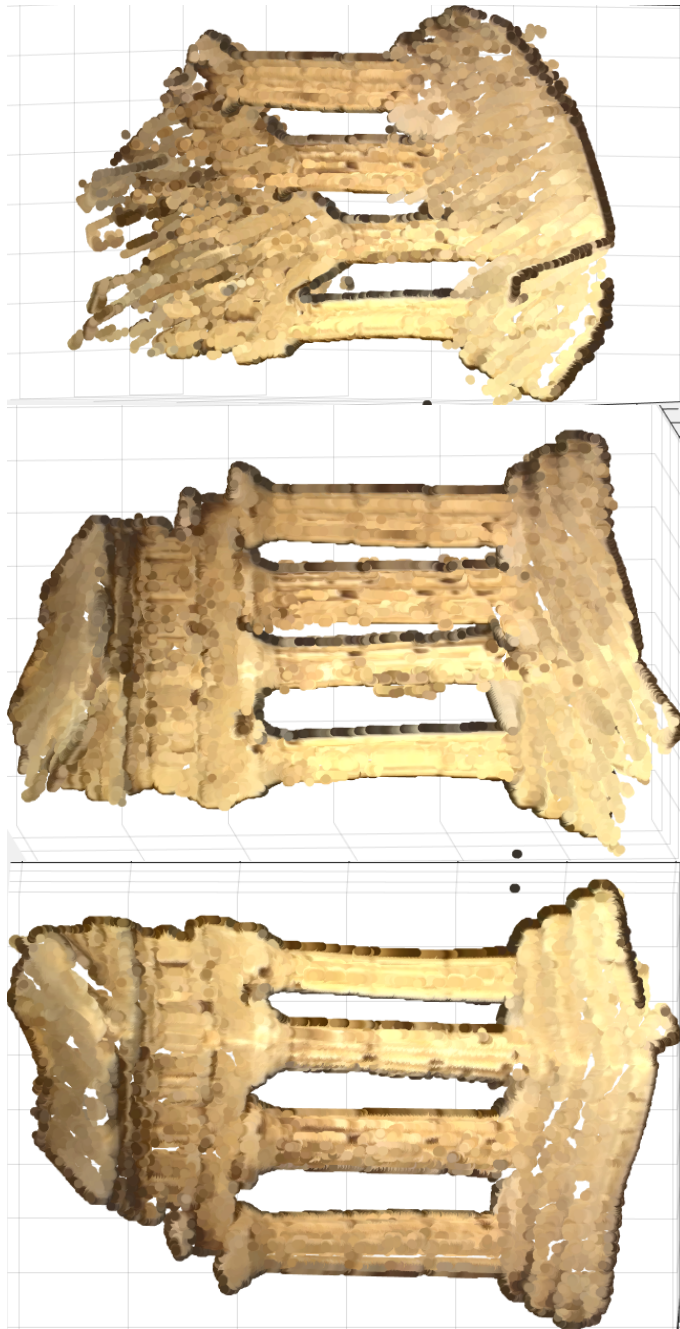
$r = [2 \ 1 \ 2]$

$R =$

-0.1056	0.5363	0.8374
0.3481	-0.7689	0.5363
0.9315	0.3481	-0.1056

Verified with the in-built functions `rotationMatrixToVector()` and `rotationVectorToMatrix()`

Q 6.1



These images were taken using 3-D Point Cloud Processing in the Computer Vision System Toolbox in Matlab. (<http://www.mathworks.com/help/vision/examples/structure-from-motion-from-two-views.html>)

The key idea is to generate more points for the 3D reconstruction of the image and record each pixel value. The output P of triangulation along with the pixels are sent to the `pointCloud` function which generates the given plots.