

Geometry

From 3D to 2D
and
From 2D to 3D



Geometry

- The projection of 3D scenes into 2D images
- Recovering the 3D scene from 2D images
- Calibration
- Structure from motion
- Mathematical tools:
 - Algebra
 - Projective geometry

3D Reconstruction

- 3D shape of a scene:
 - Object recognition
 - Navigation
 - Graphics applications,...



Image Formation

- Radiometric:
The point color
- Geometric:
The point location

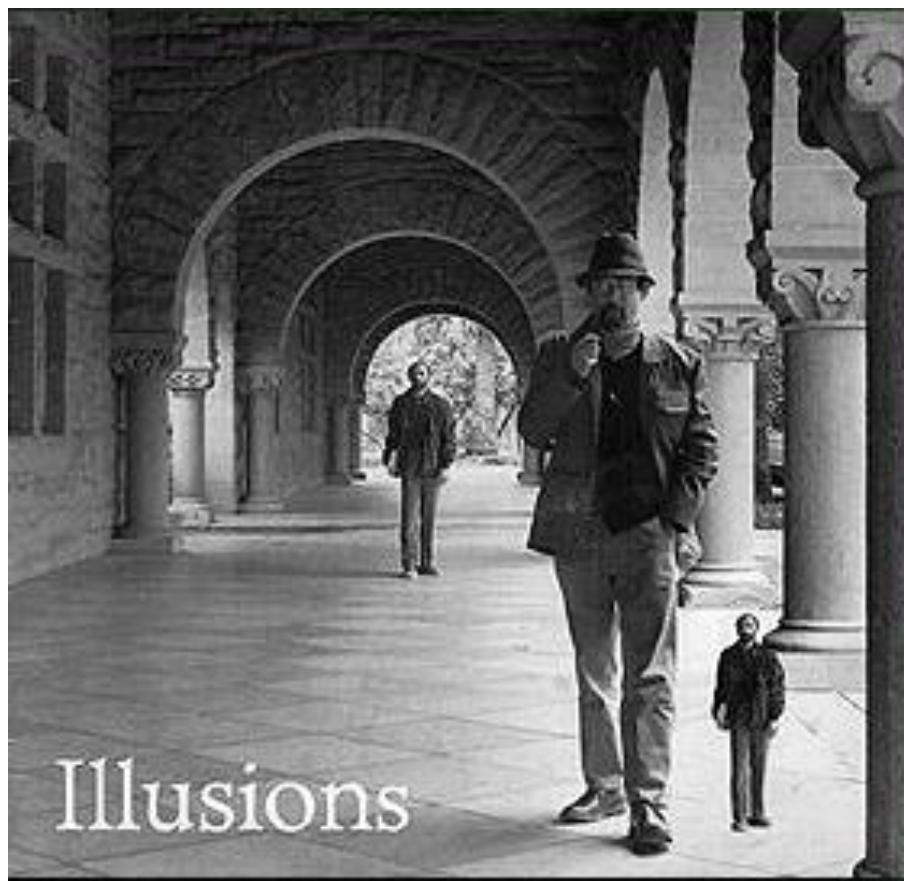


Geometry:

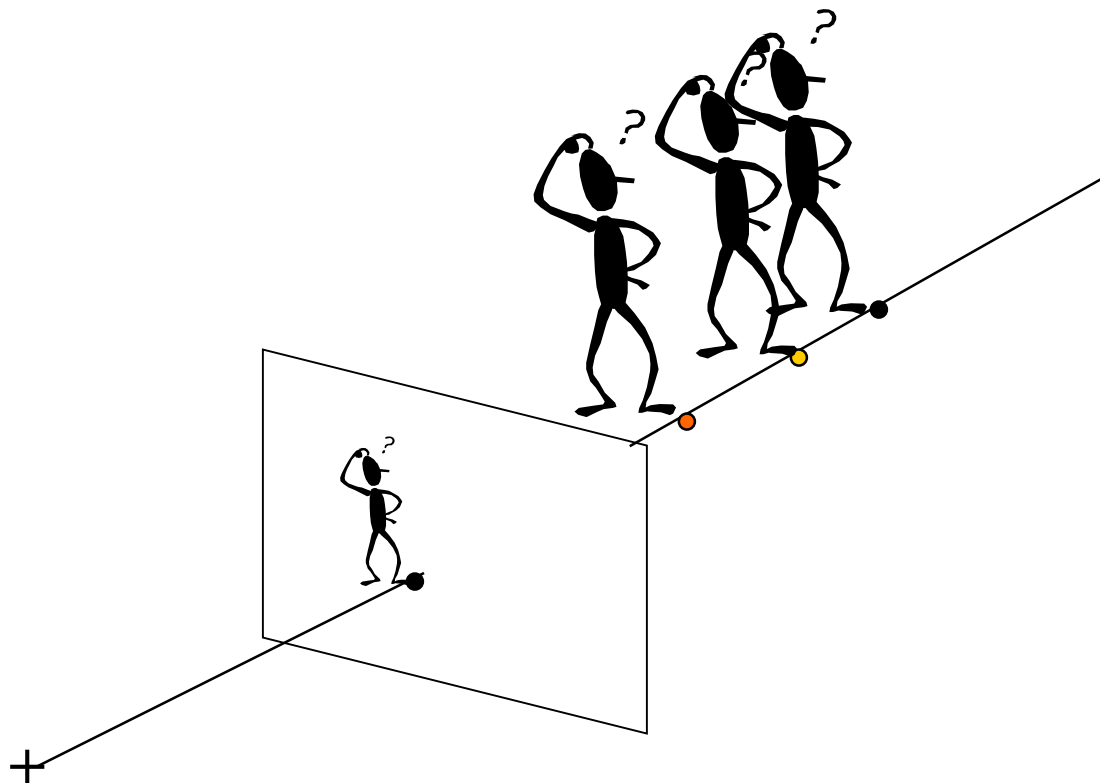
What determines the location of the projection of an object point in the image?

- The point location with respect to the camera
- The camera optics

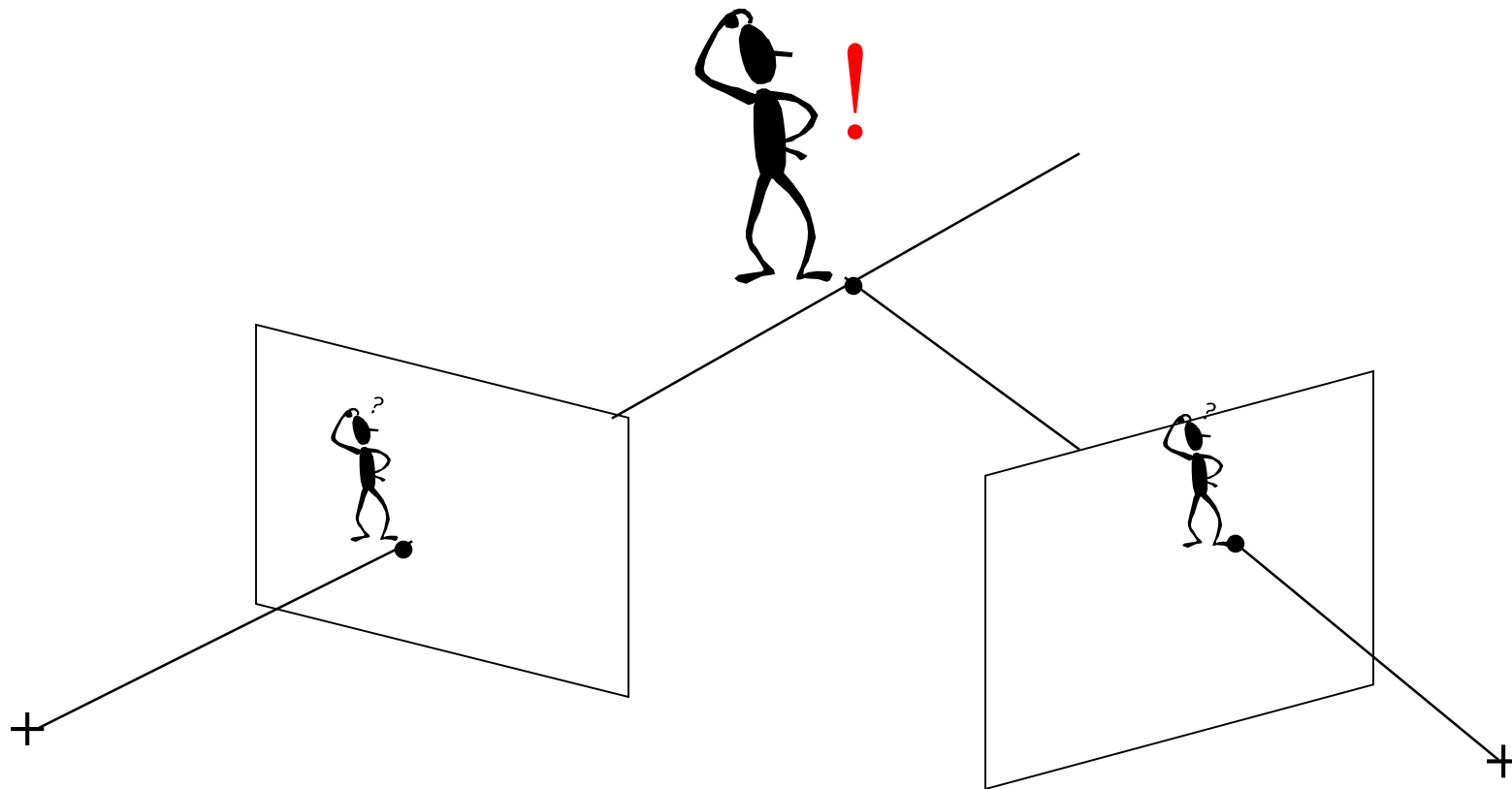
Ambiguity: 3D Shape from a Single Image:



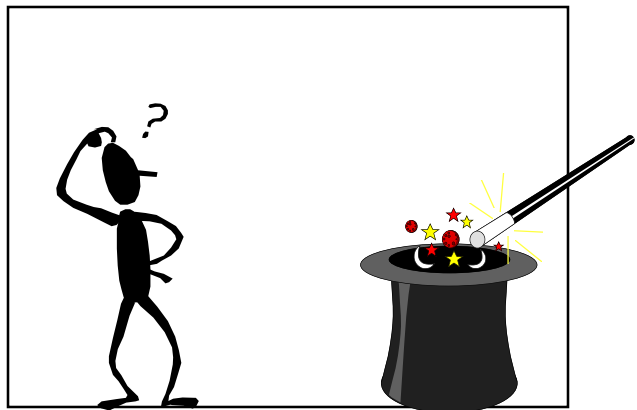
3D Shape from a Single Image



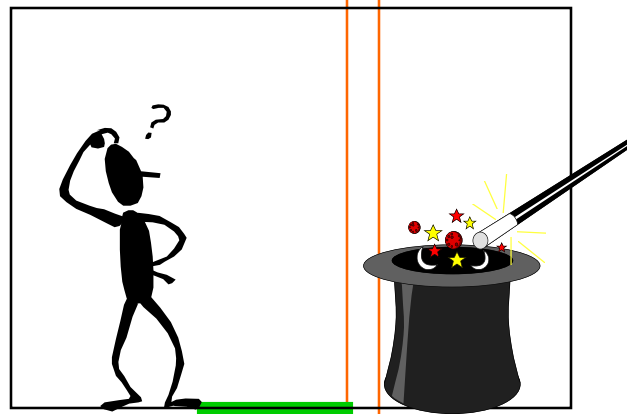
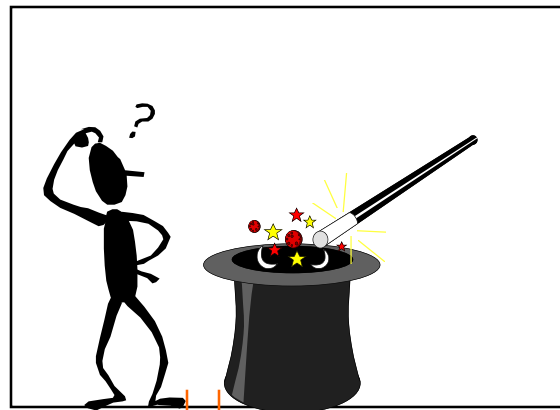
Two Images



Left image



Right image

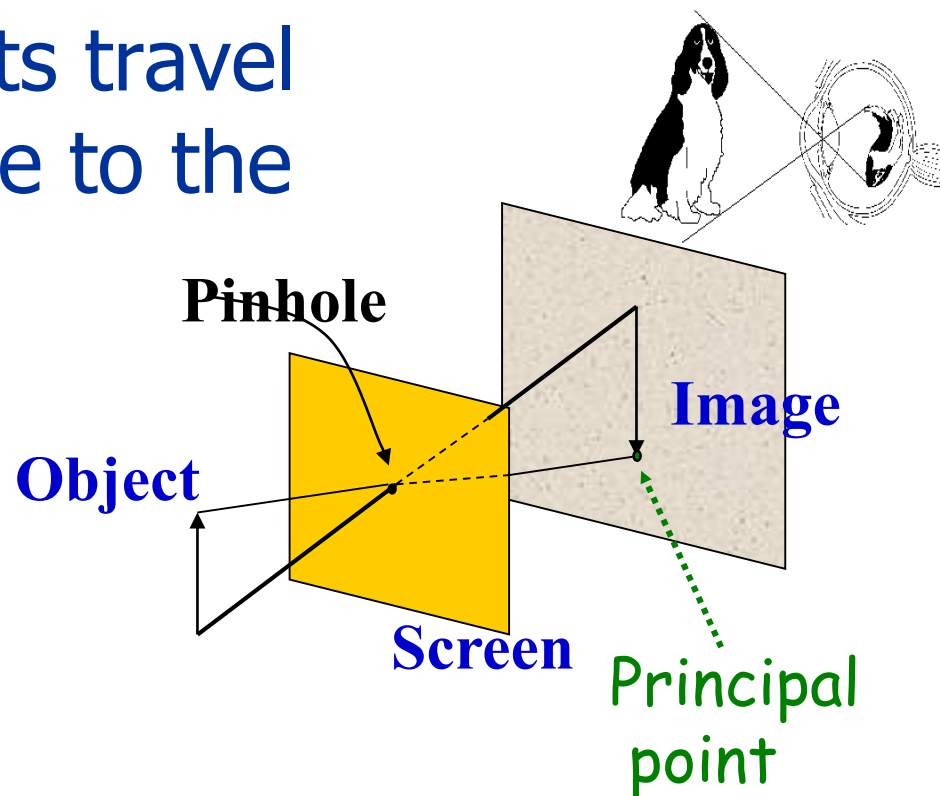


Disparity

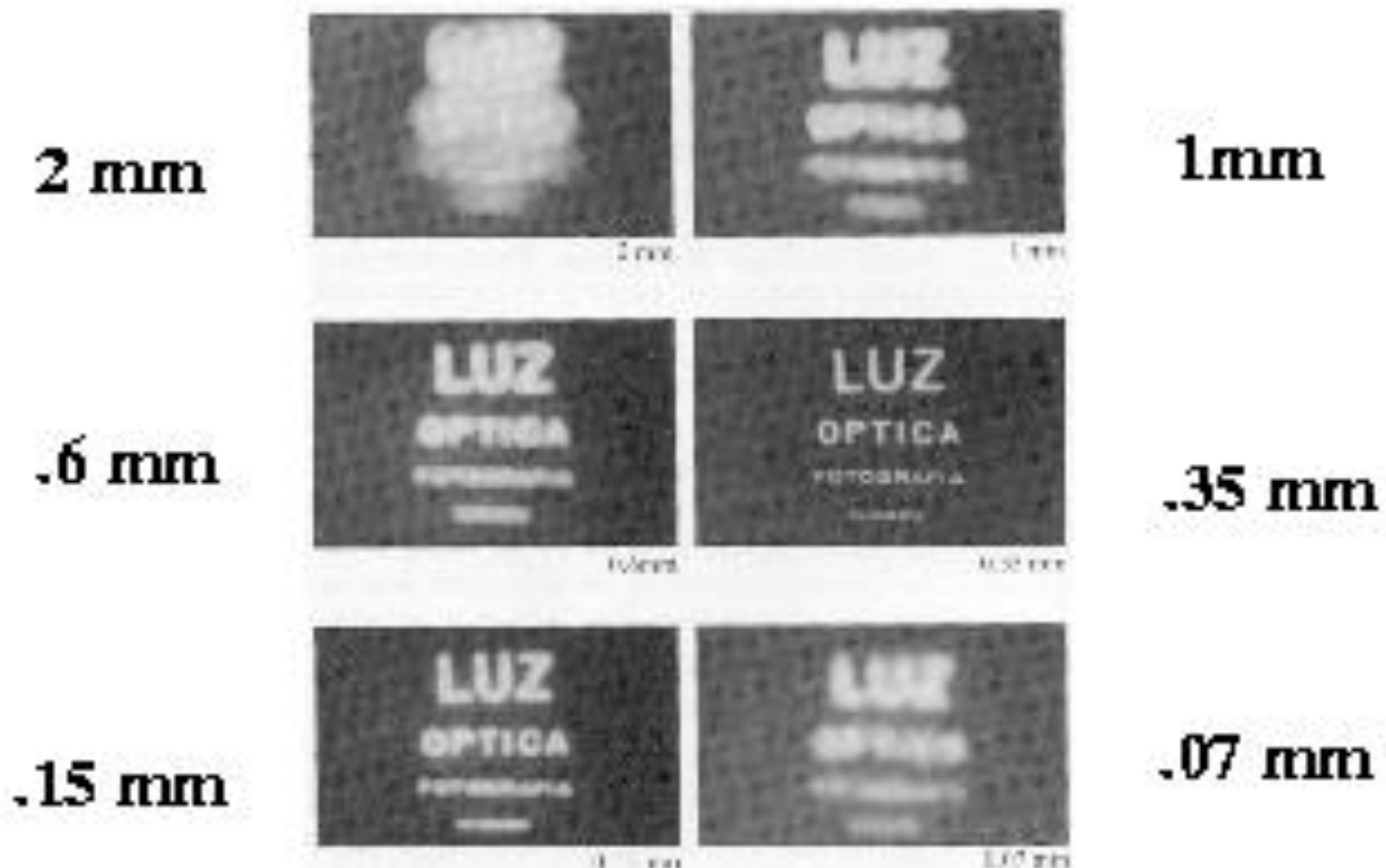
Left image

The Pinhole Camera

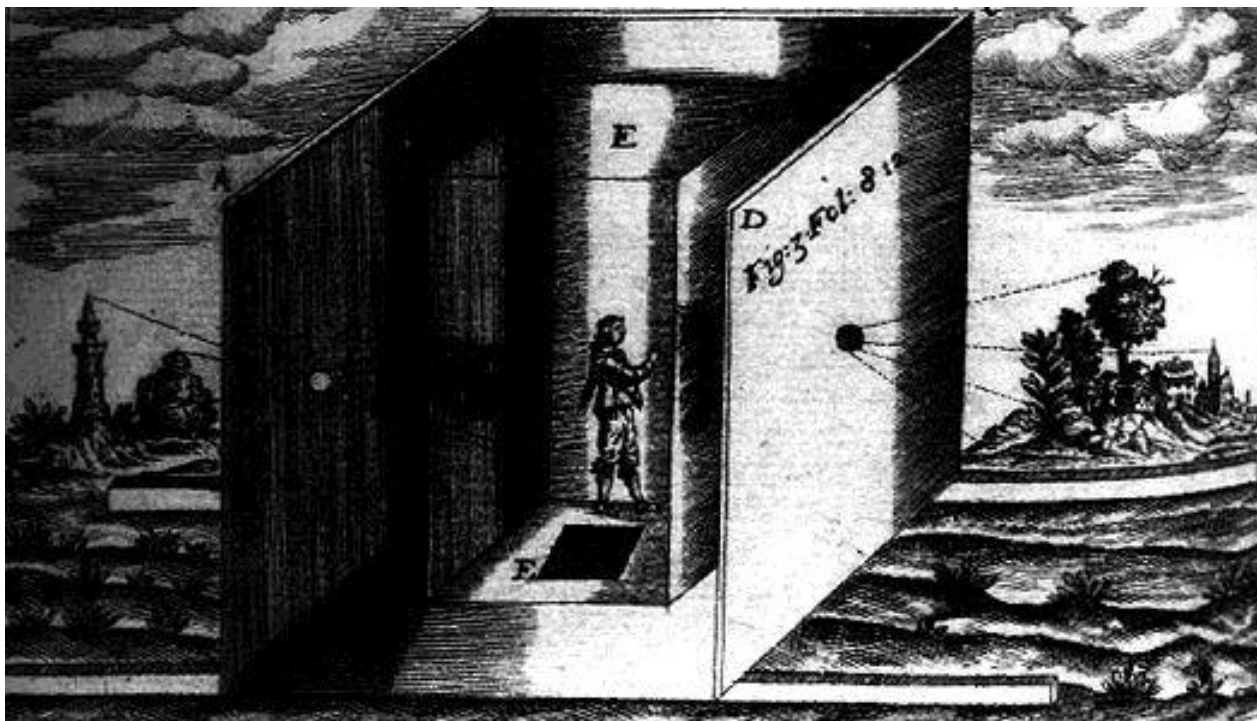
- Infinitesimally small aperture.
- Straight rays of lights travel through the aperture to the image plane
- Each scene point projects to a single image point



Pinhole Camera Images with Variable Aperture



Camera Obscura



מצלמות



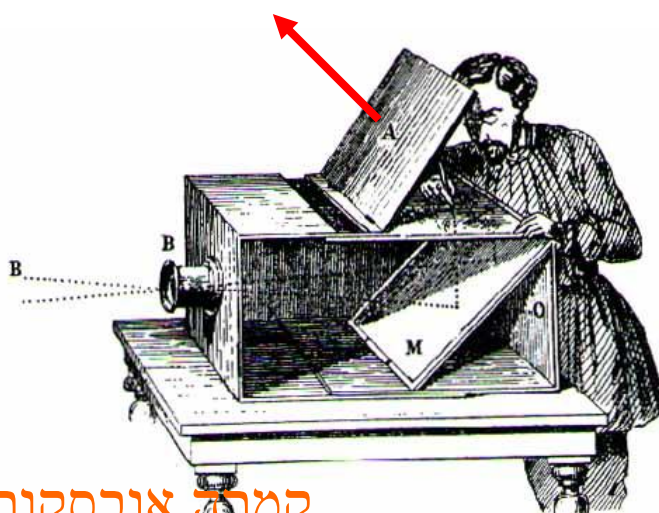
מצלמות של פעם



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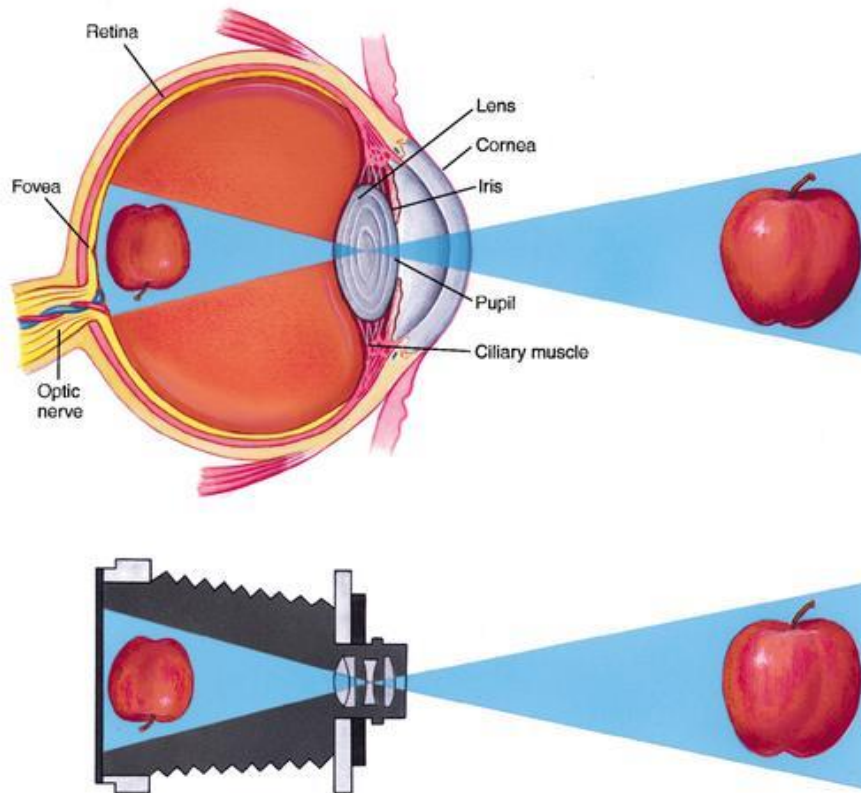


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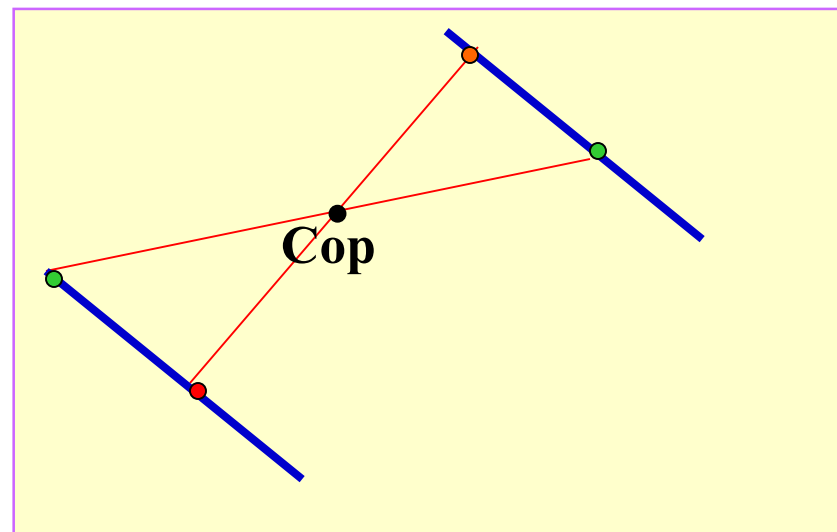
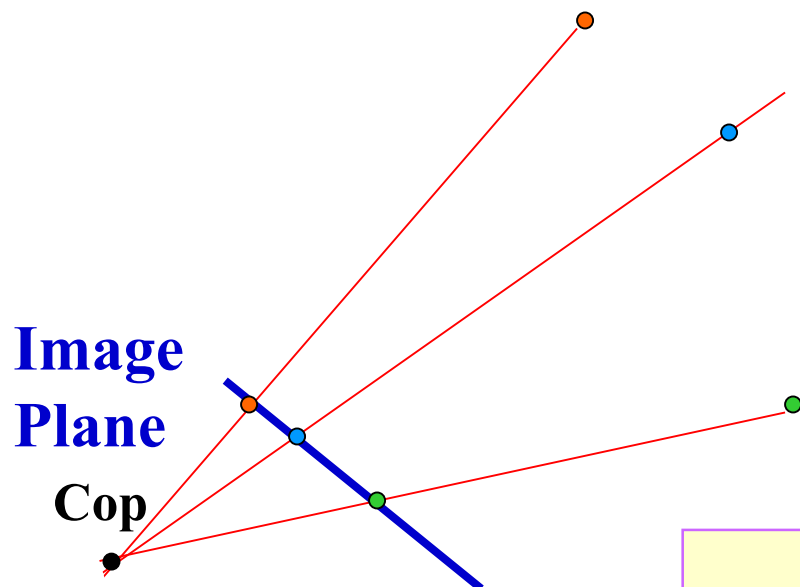
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The Camera and the Eye

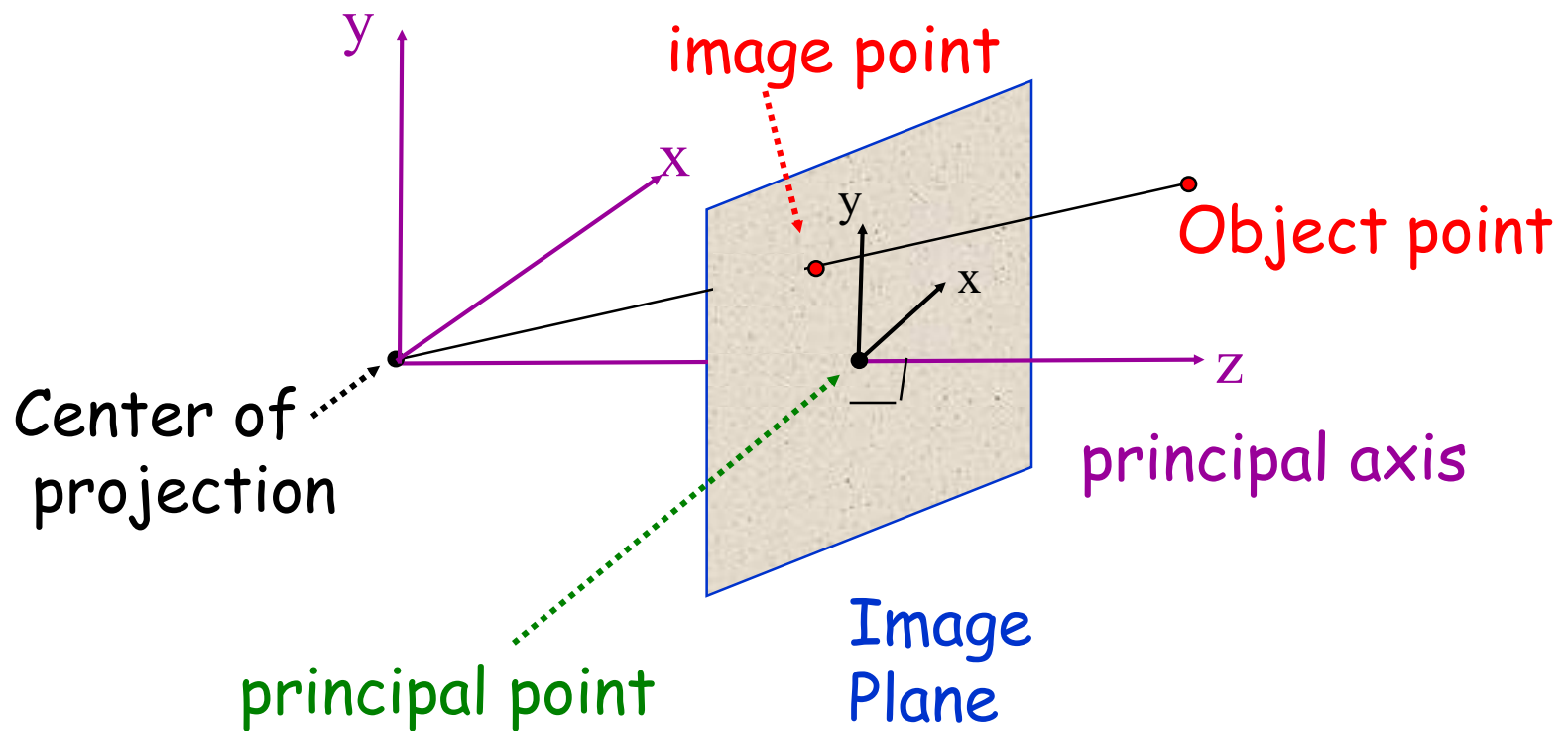


First photograph: 1829 J. Nicéphore Niépce

The Image Plane



Pinhole Camera Geometry



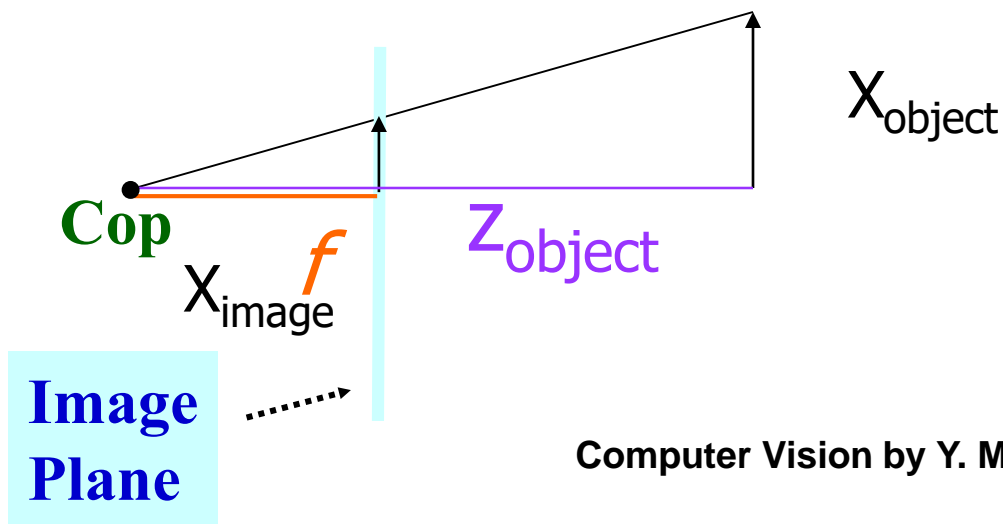
Perspective Projection

$$\frac{z_{object}}{x_{object}} = \frac{f}{x_{image}}$$



$$x_{image} = \frac{f}{z_{object}} x_{object}$$

f: the focal length



Perspective Projection

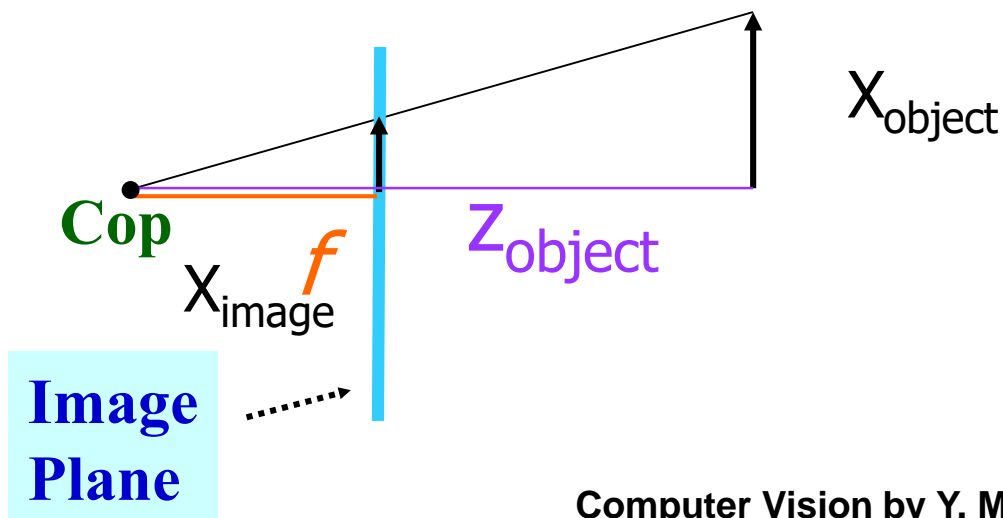
$$\frac{z_{object}}{x_{object}} = \frac{f}{x_{image}}$$

$$\frac{z_{object}}{y_{object}} = \frac{f}{y_{image}}$$



$$x_{image} = \frac{f}{z_{object}} x_{object}$$

$$y_{image} = \frac{f}{z_{object}} y_{object}$$

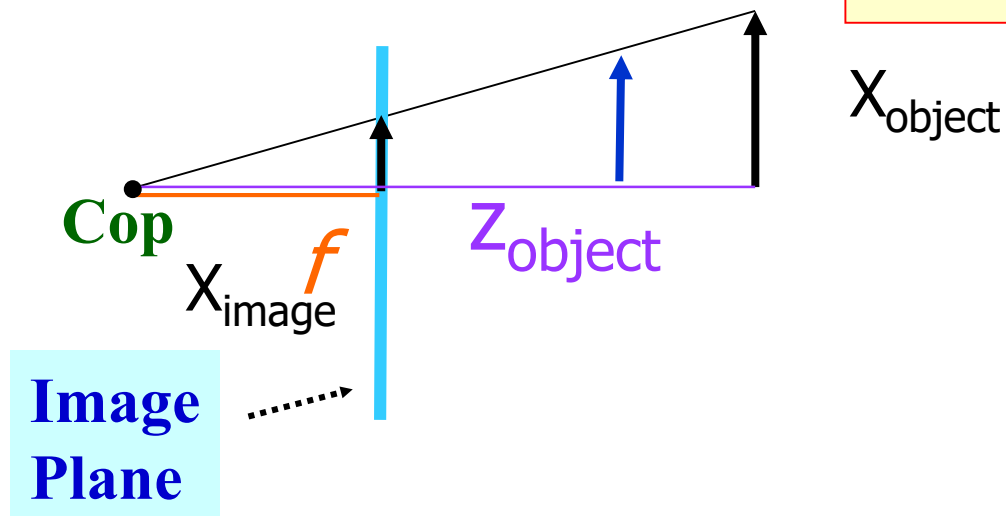


Perspective Projection

No information about
the distance

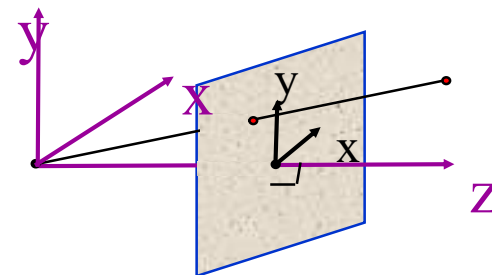
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Pinhole Camera: Algebra

- Setting coordinate systems:
 - The camera coordinates system
 - The image coordinate system



- Euclidean projection:

$$x_{image} = \frac{f}{z_{object}} x_{object} ; \quad y_{image} = \frac{f}{z_{object}} y_{object}$$

- In world coordinate system (using projective algebra):

$$\tilde{p} = M\tilde{P}$$

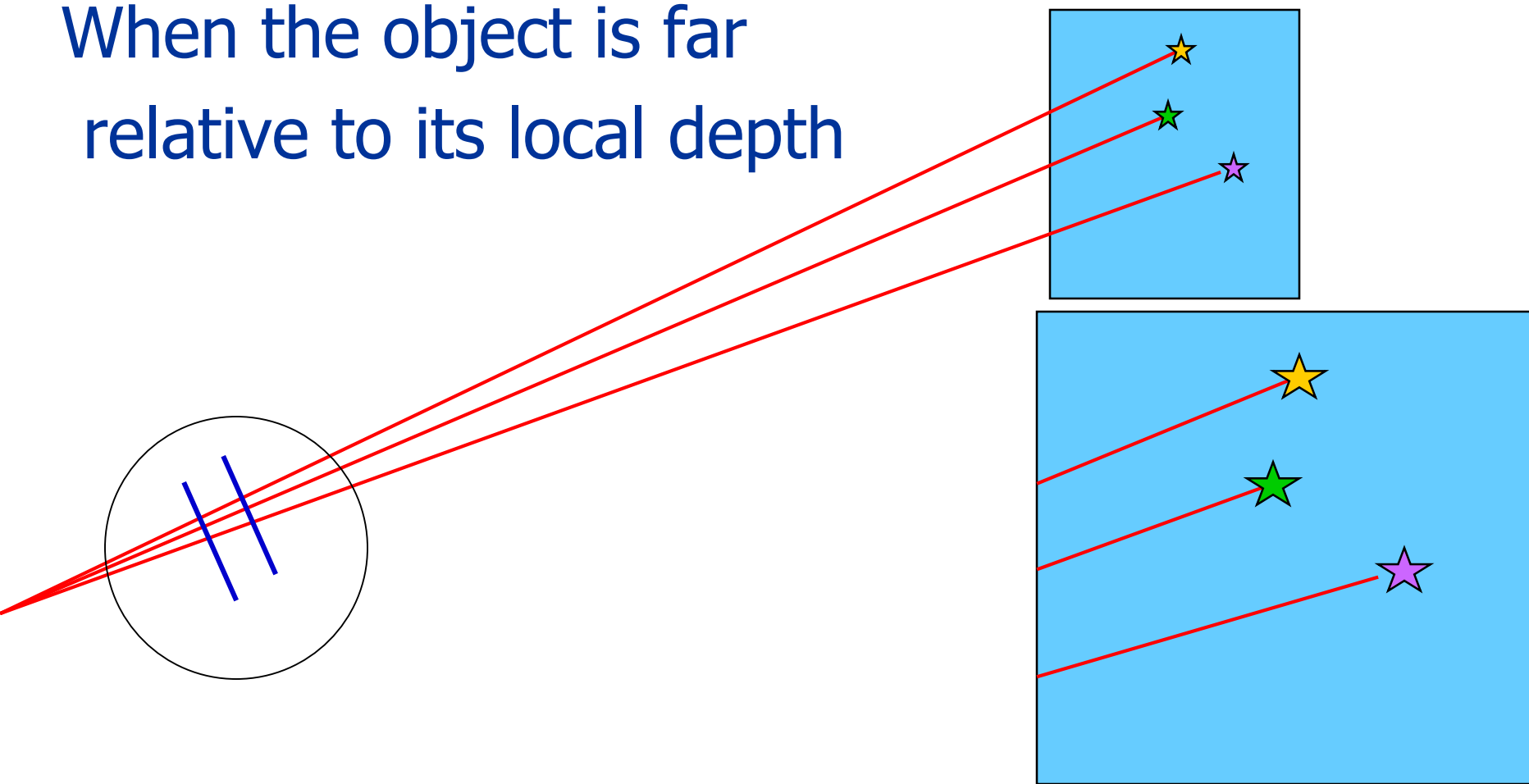


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where M is a 3×4 matrix, \tilde{p} and \tilde{P}

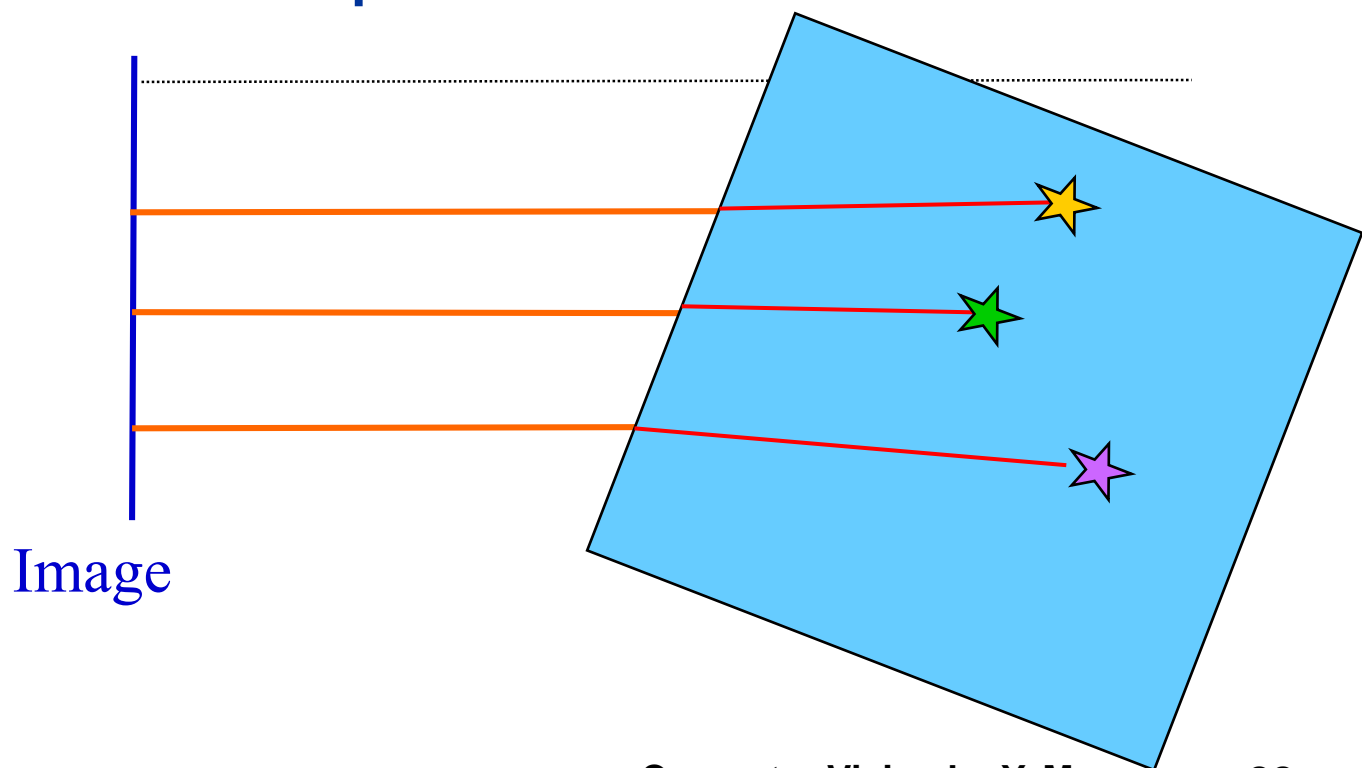
Orthographic:

When the object is far
relative to its local depth



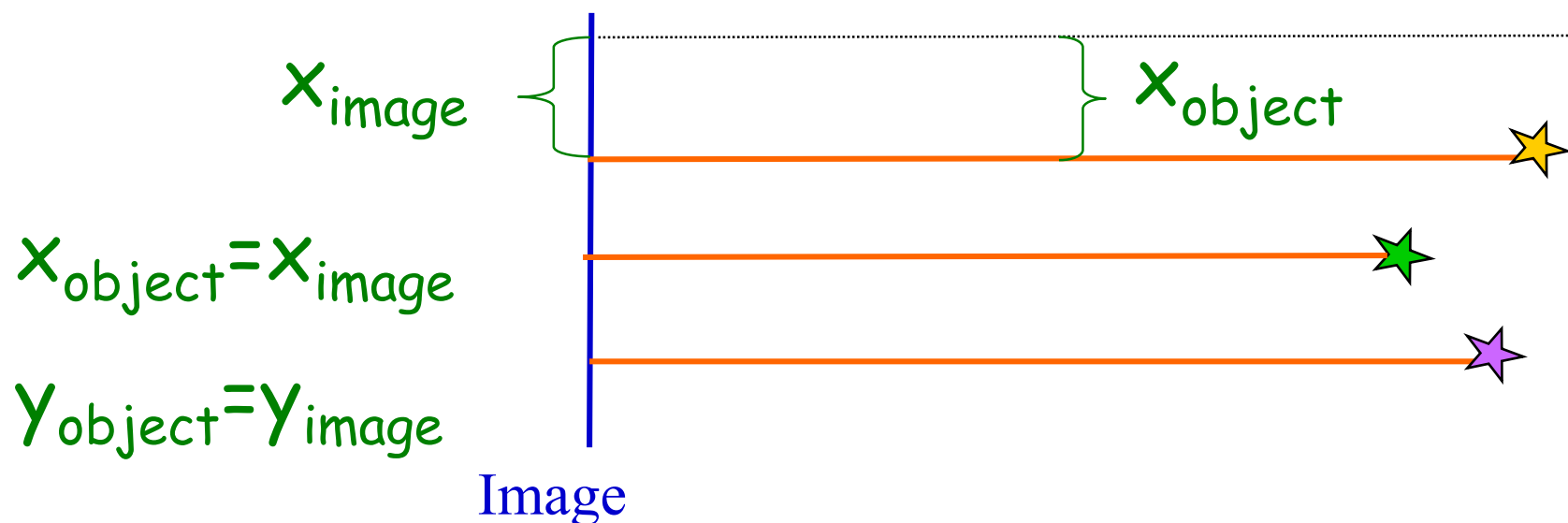
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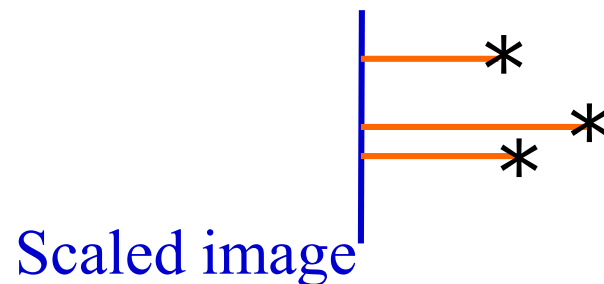
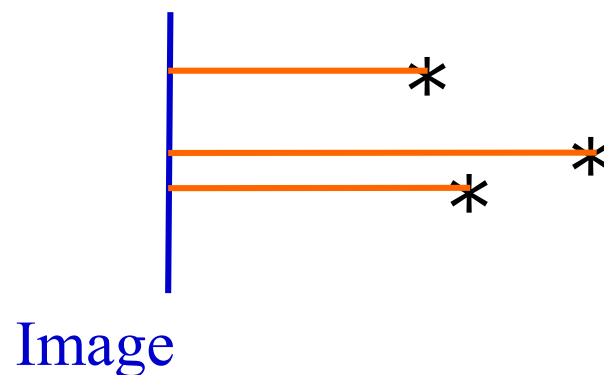
Paraperspective

Orthographic + scaling s

$$X_{\text{object}} = s X_{\text{image}}$$

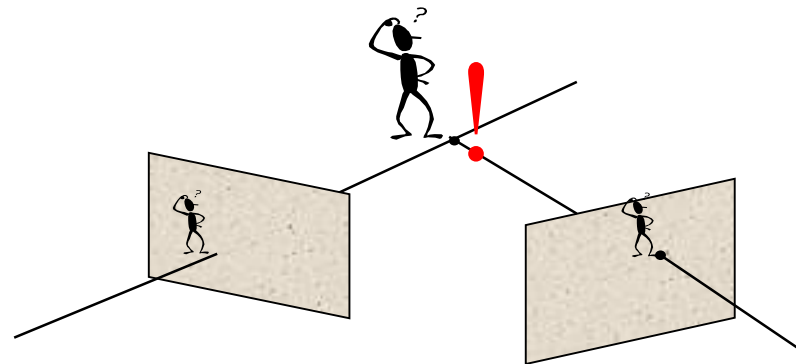
$$Y_{\text{object}} = s Y_{\text{image}}$$

s is fixed for the whole image



Stereo Vision

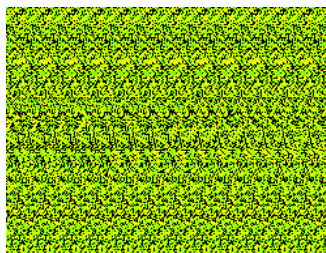
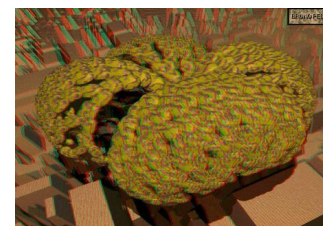
- Output: the 3D shape of the scene
- Input: two images from two viewpoints
- The human visual system uses stereo vision
- Many industrial applications



A Single Image Stereo Pair

Red/Green Image:

The images of the two eyes are separated by colors

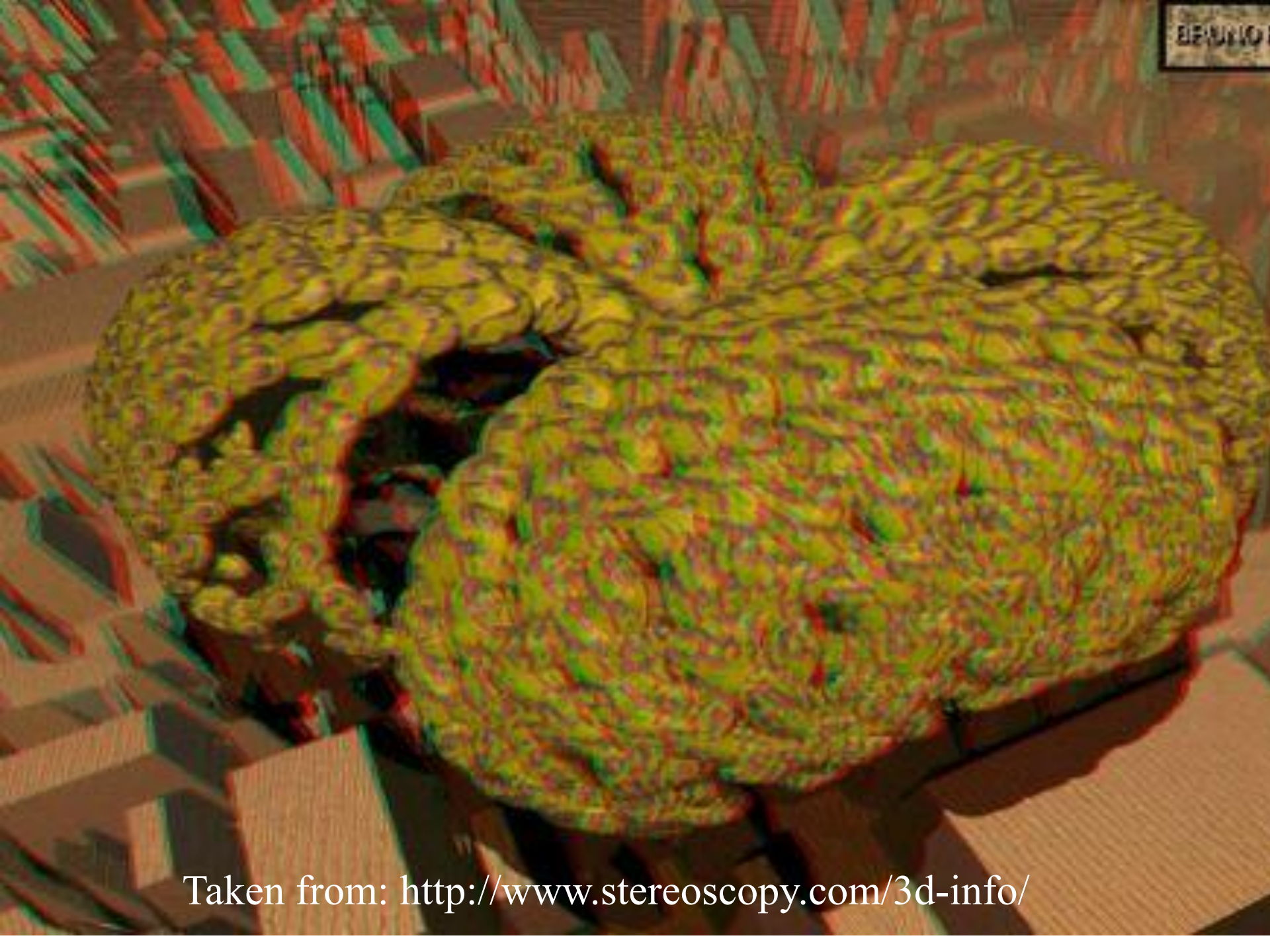


Magic Eye:

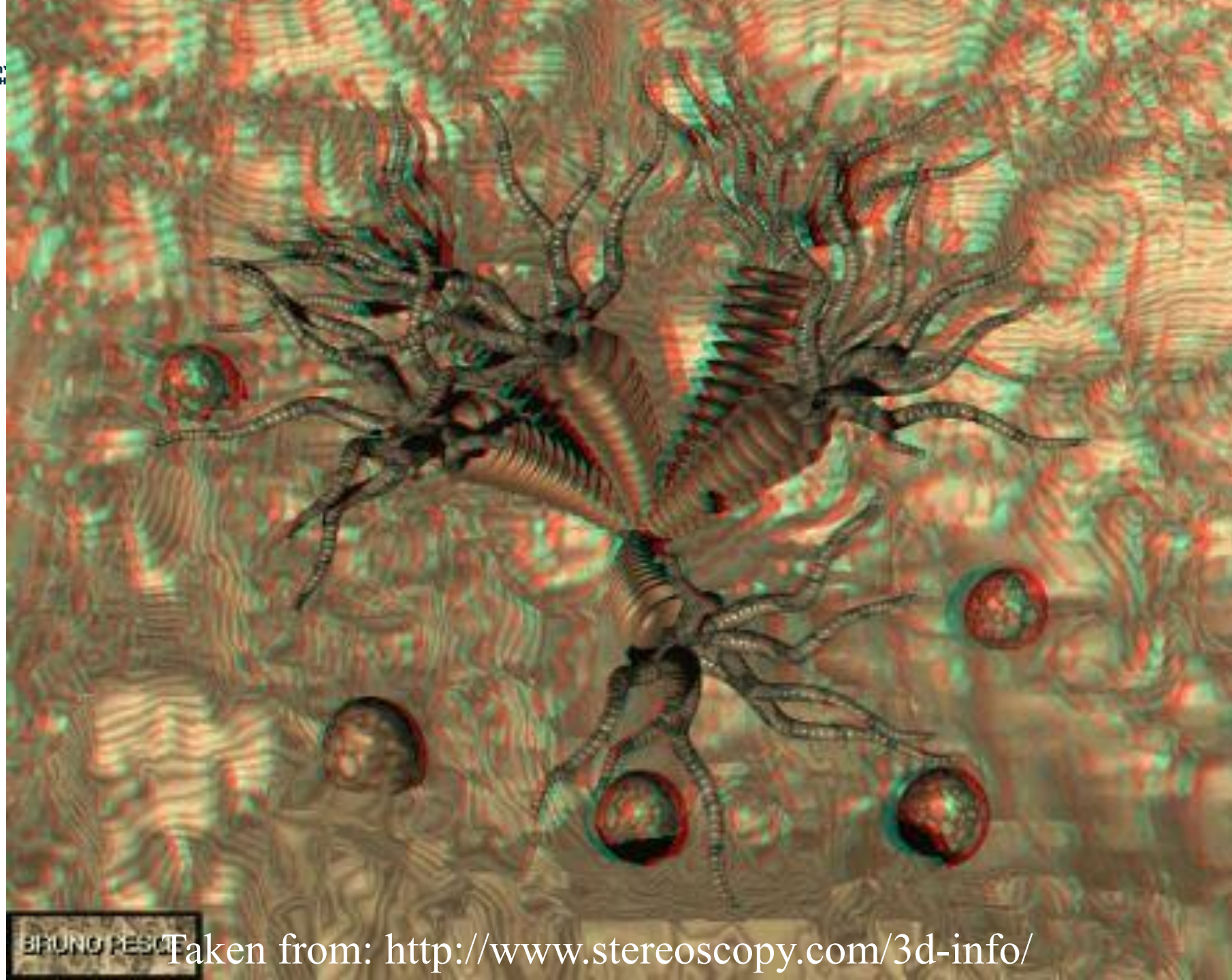
Using frequencies to separate the two eyes' images.



Taken from: <http://www.stereoscopy.com/3d-info/>

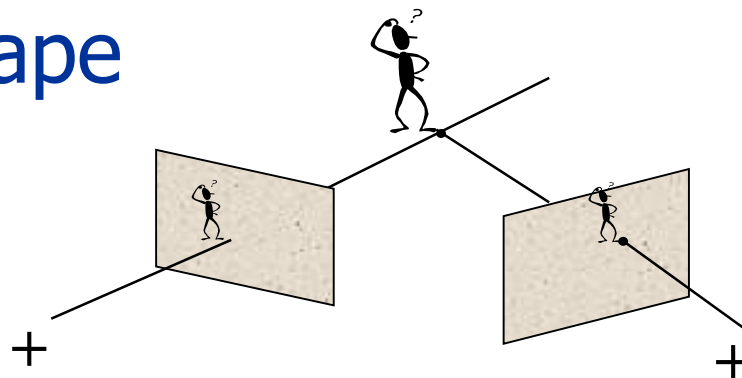


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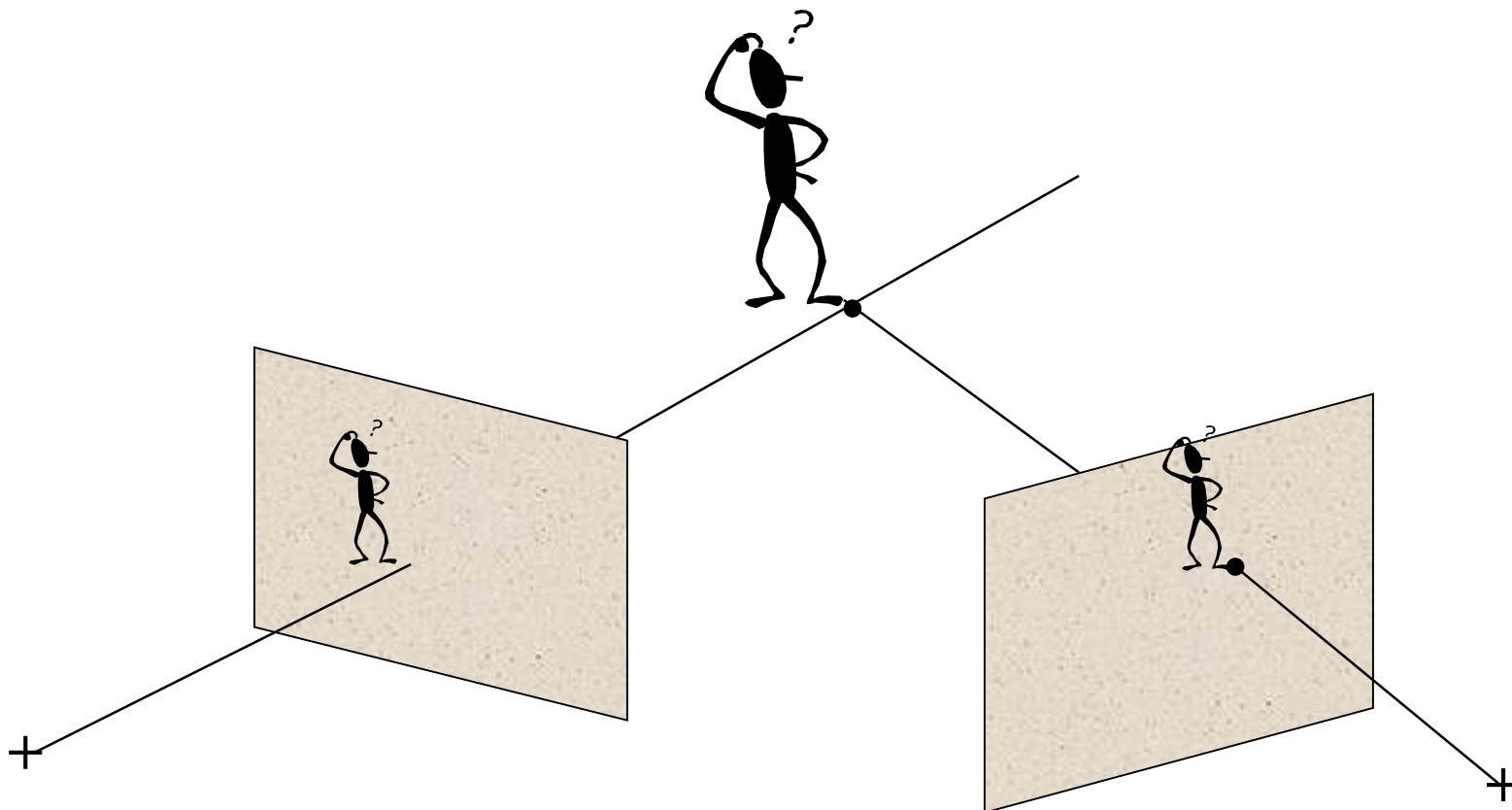


Stereo: Main Issues

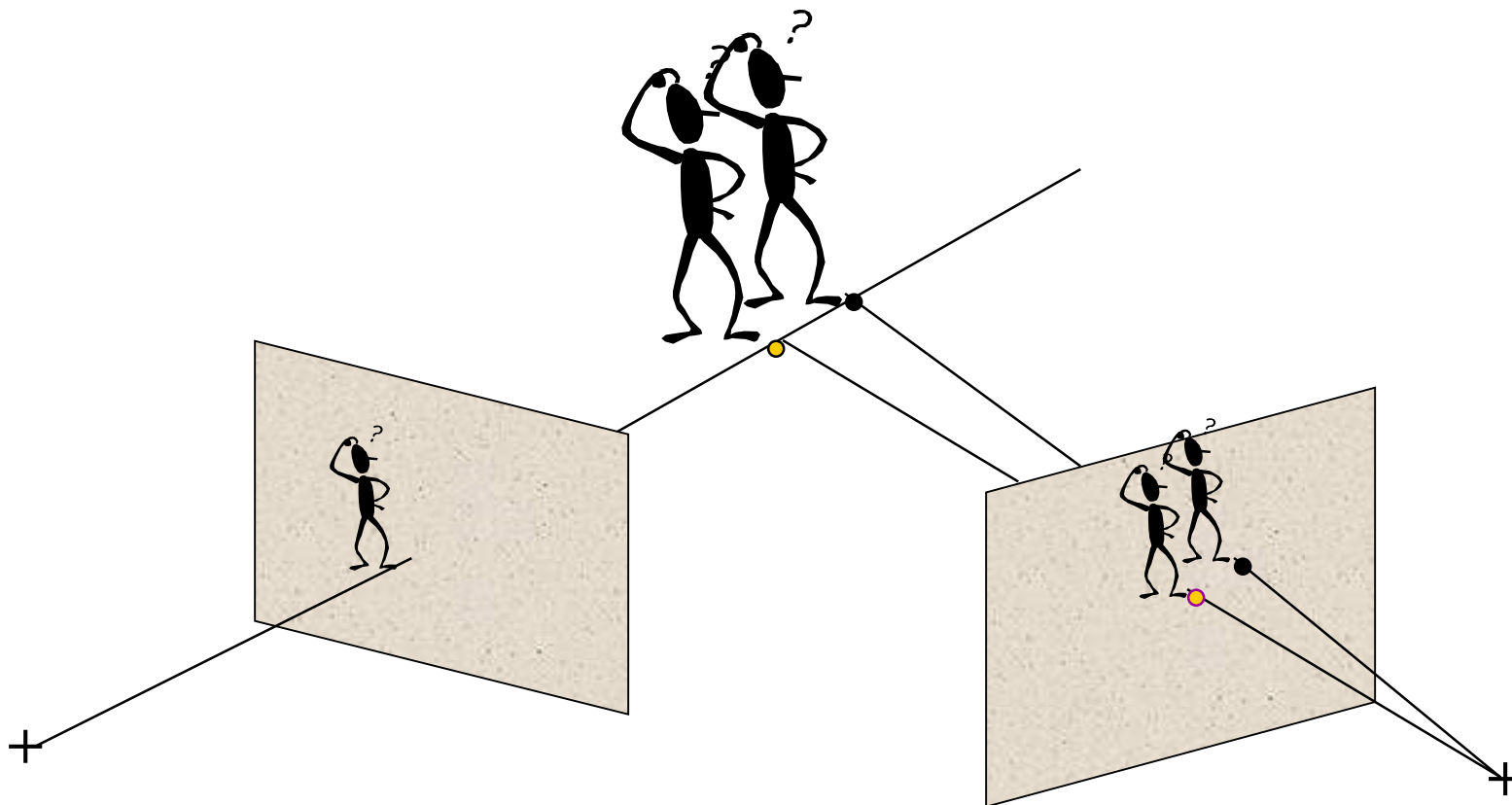
- Determine the point **correspondence** between the two images
- Based on point correspondence and the calibrated cameras: **reconstruct** the 3D geometry of the shape
- Camera **calibration**



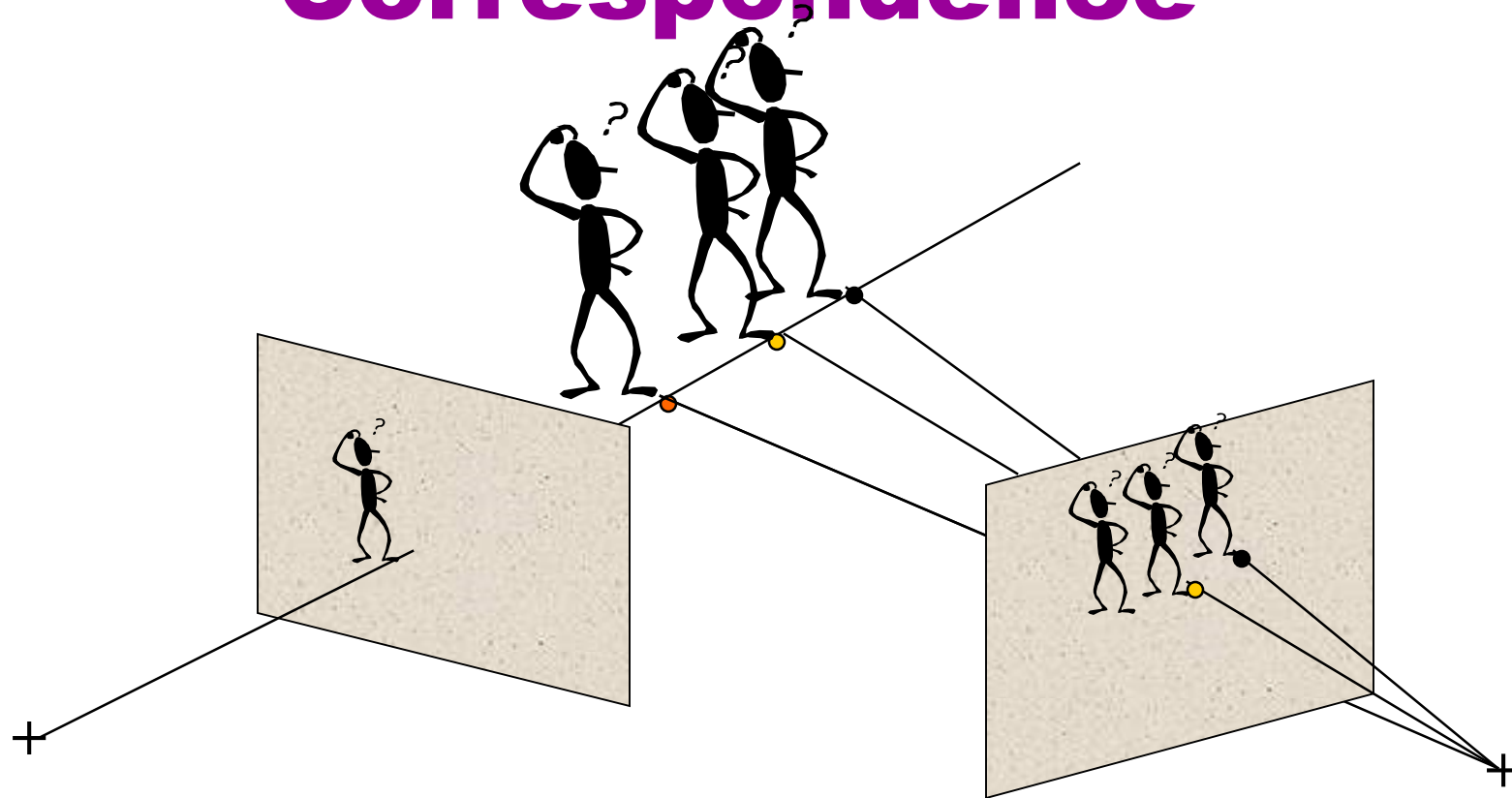
Correspondence



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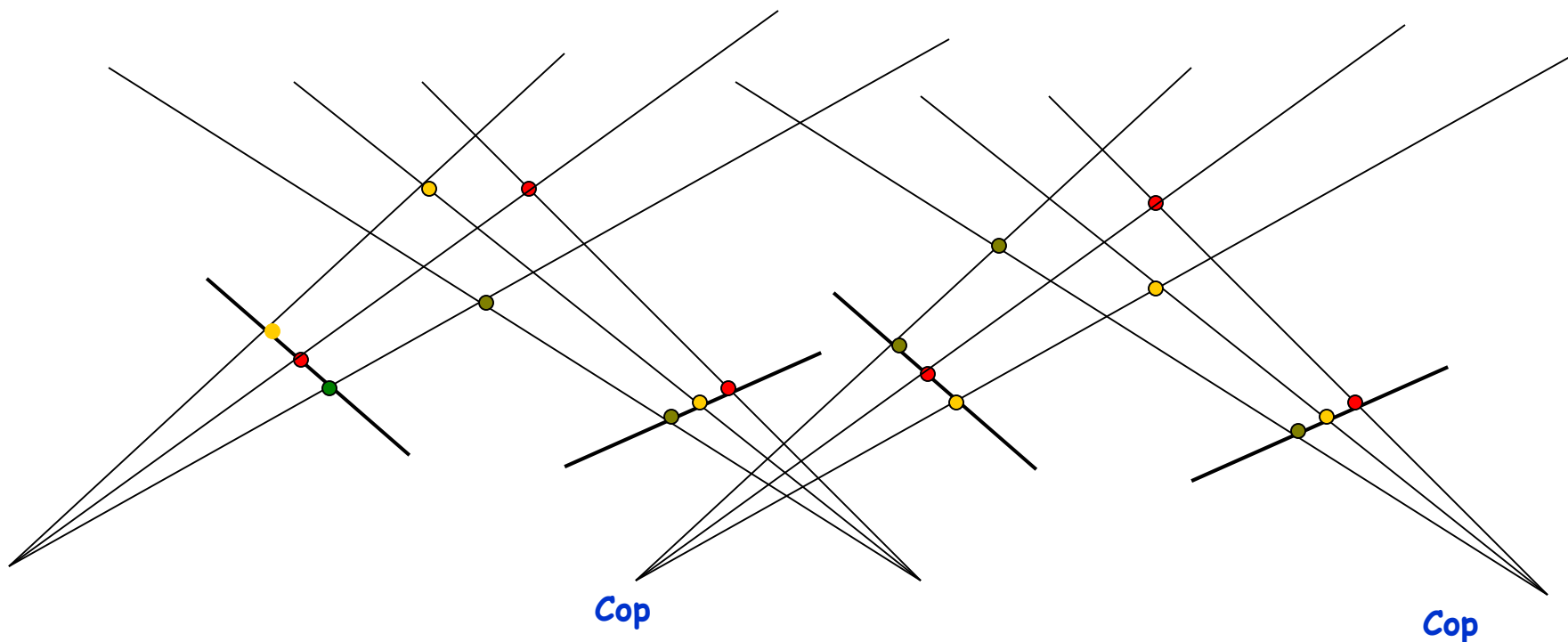


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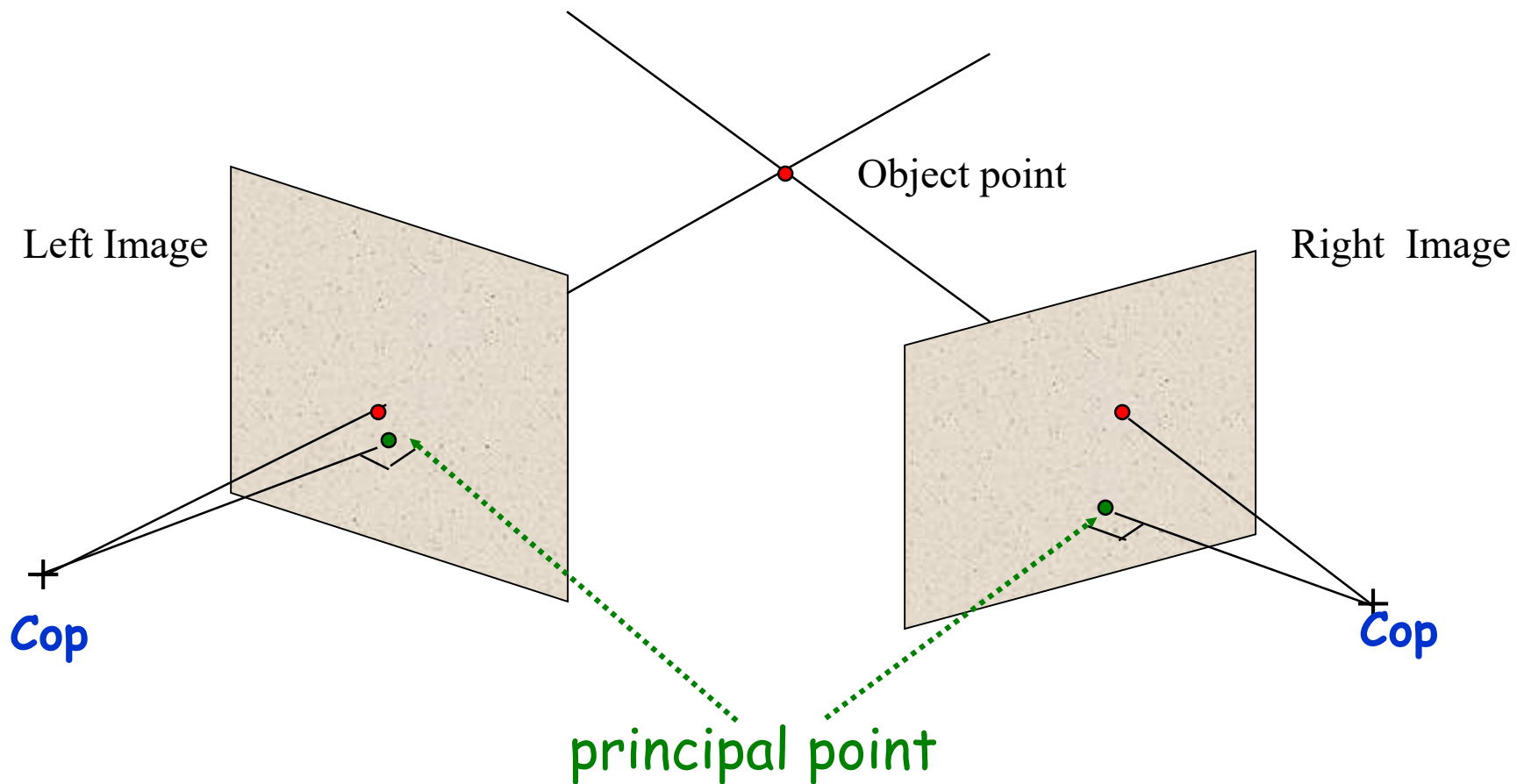


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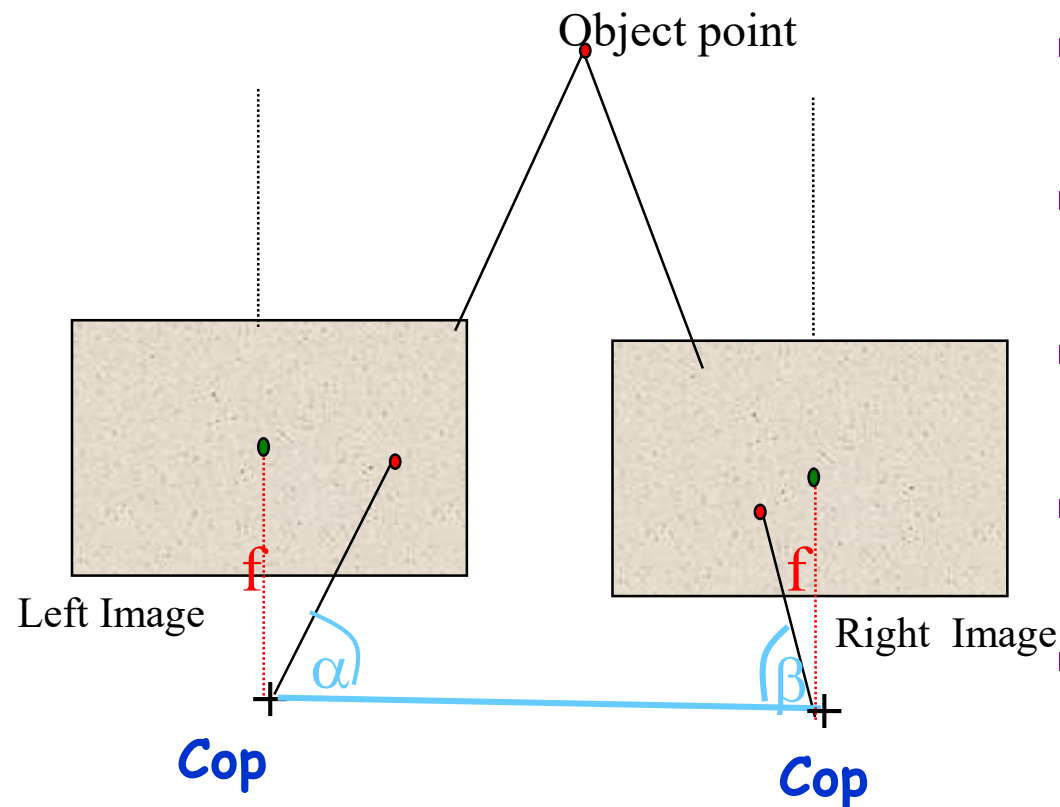
Ambiguous correspondence occurs often



Triangulation



A Simple Stereo System



- The two camera planes are coplanar
- The two optical axes are parallel
- The two focal lengths are identical
- The fixation point lies at infinity
- The correspondence is given

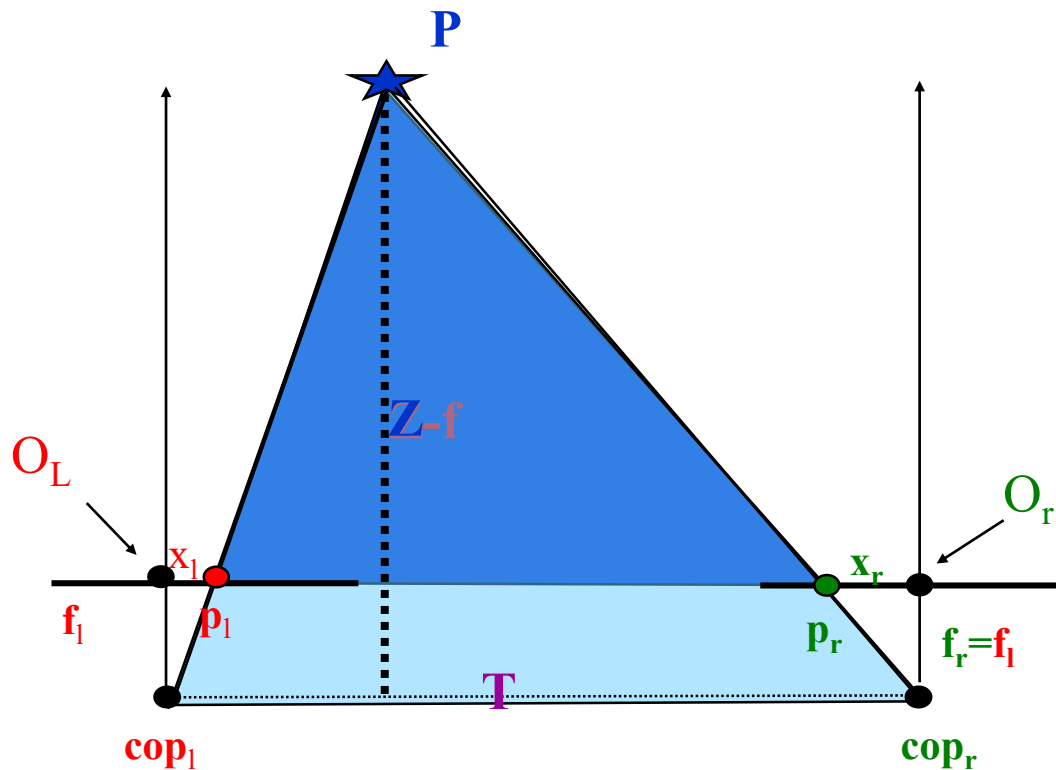
Computing the Depth from Disparity

$$\frac{T + x_r - x_l}{z - f} = \frac{T}{z}$$

The disparity:

$$d = x_l - x_r$$

$$z = f \frac{T}{d}$$

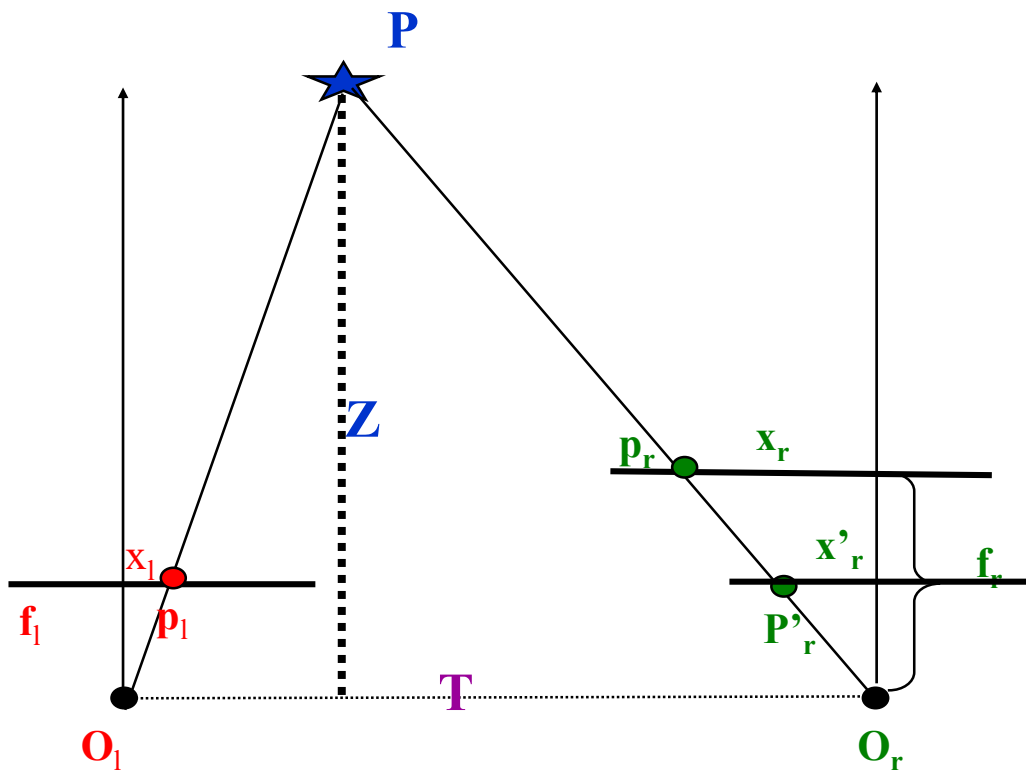


Different focal length

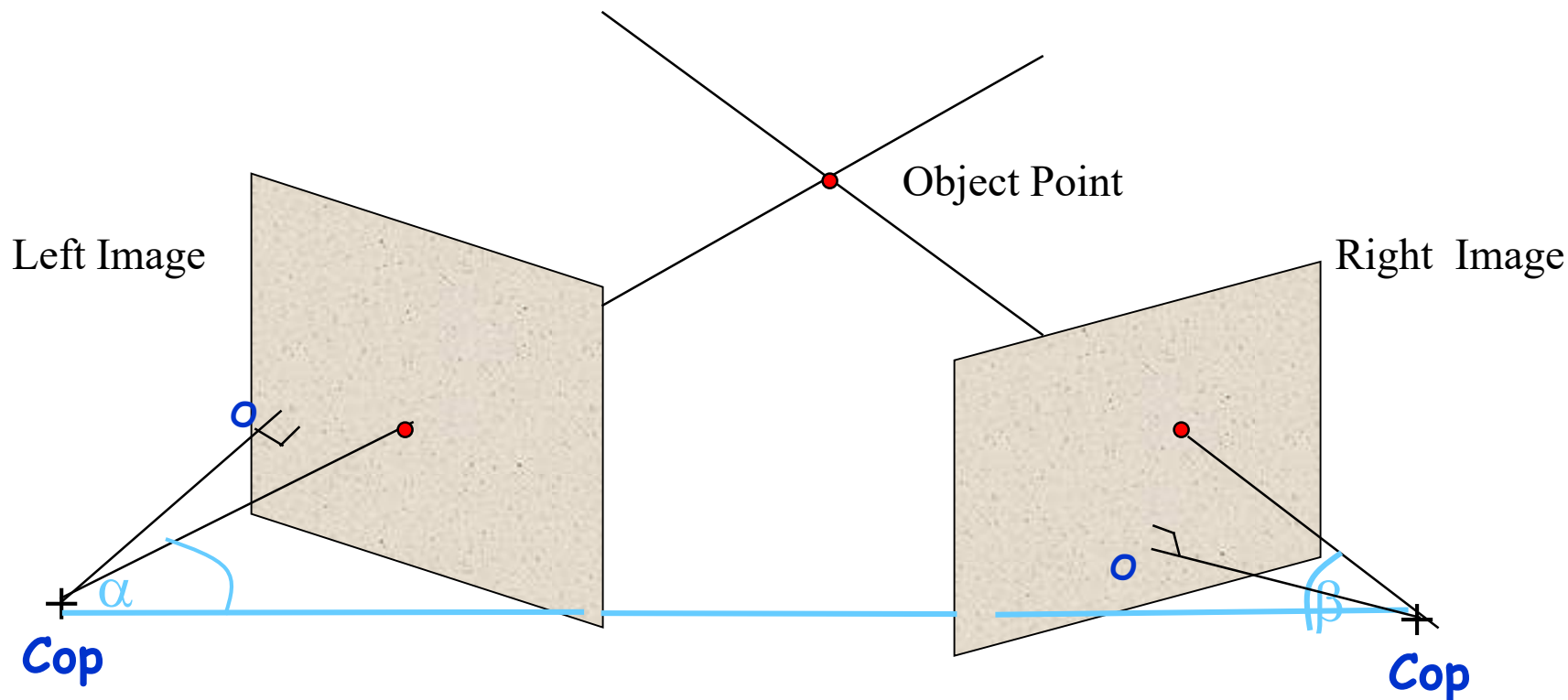
The disparity:

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$$z = f \frac{T}{d}$$

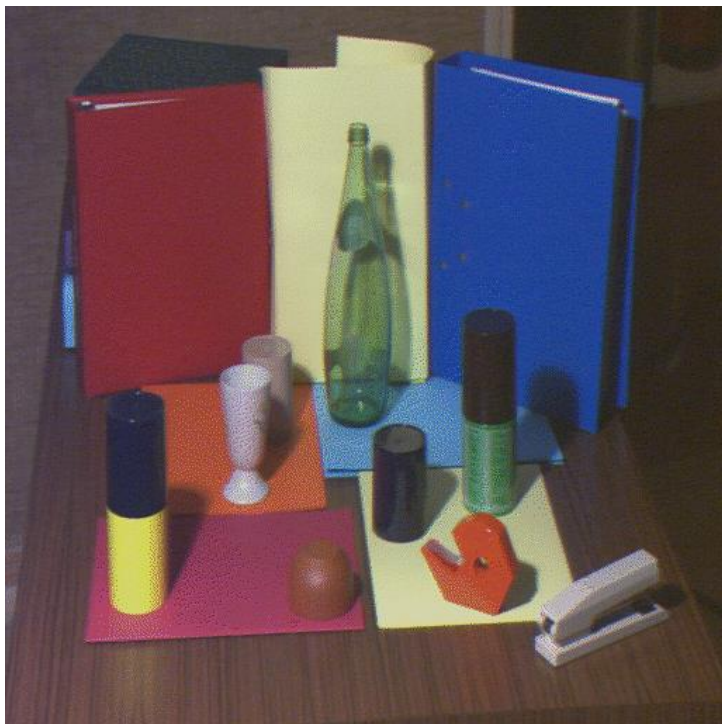


General Case Triangulation

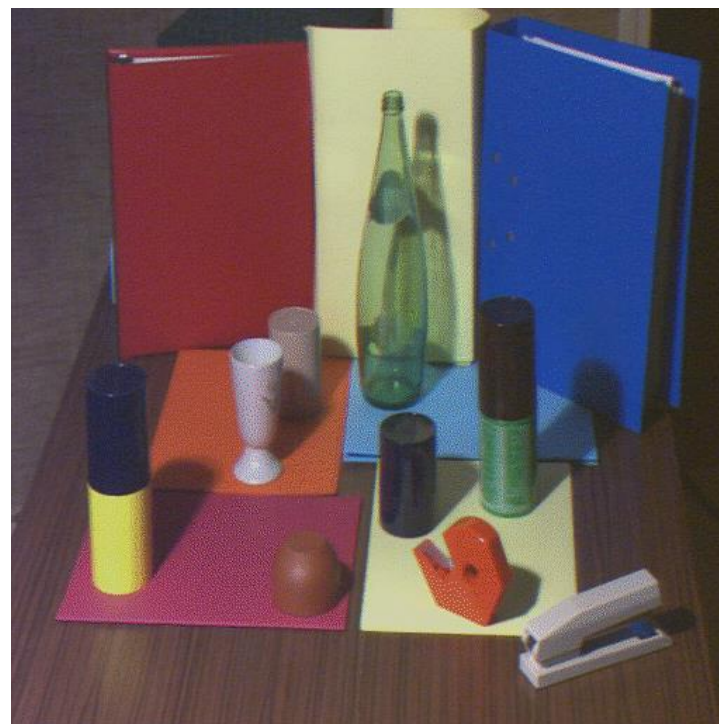


Possible to use trigonometry but next class we will use projective geometry

A Stereo Pair

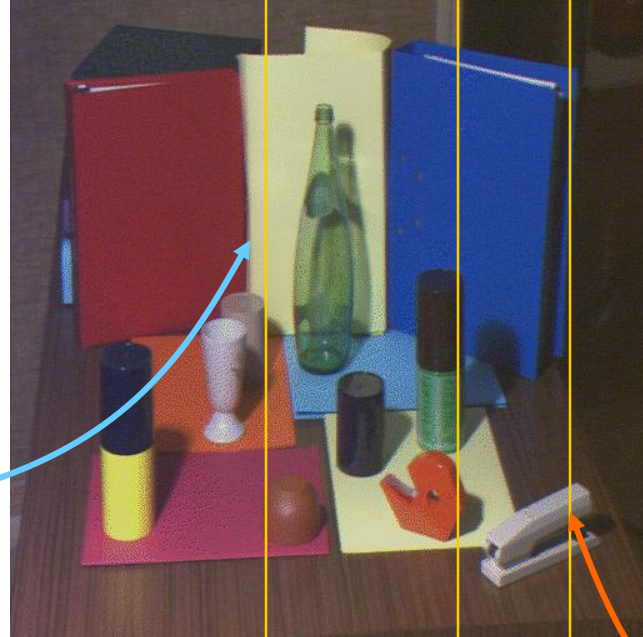


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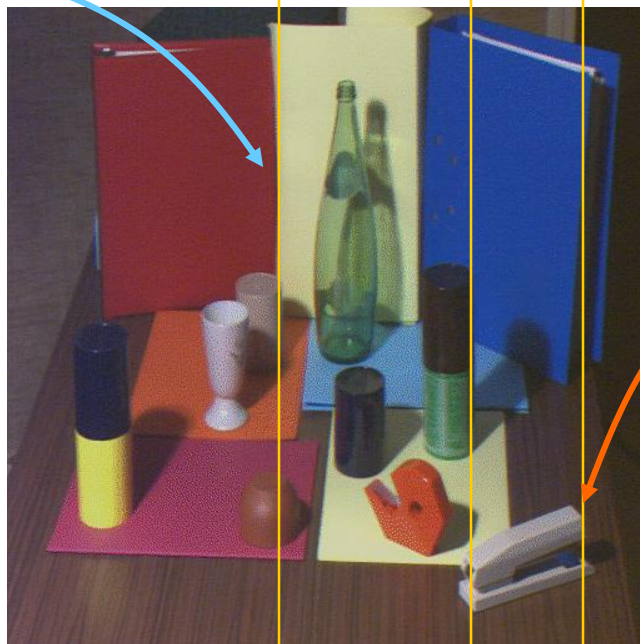


Right image

Left image



Right image



Disparity:

change of
location
between
left and
right
images.

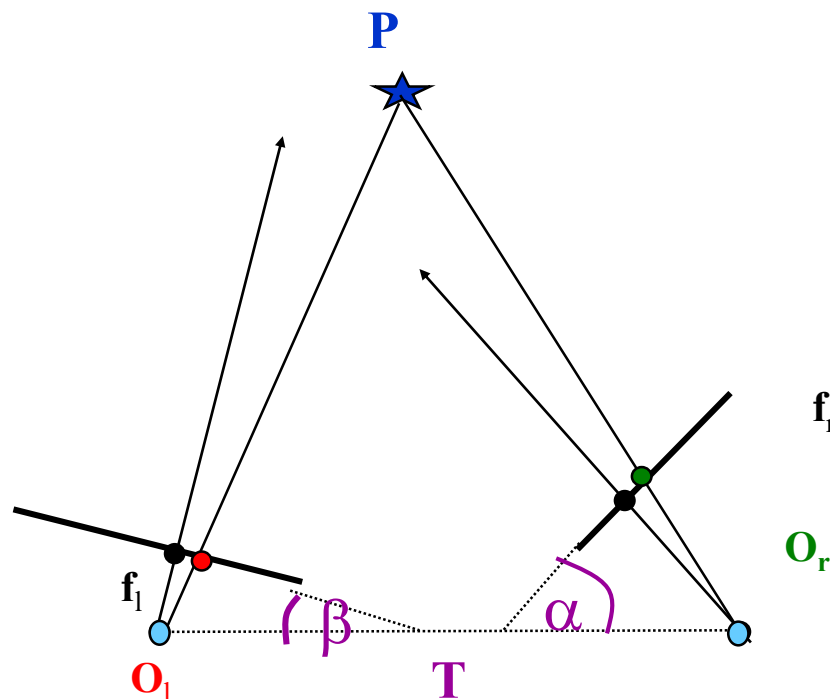
The Parameters of a Stereo System

Intrinsic parameters:

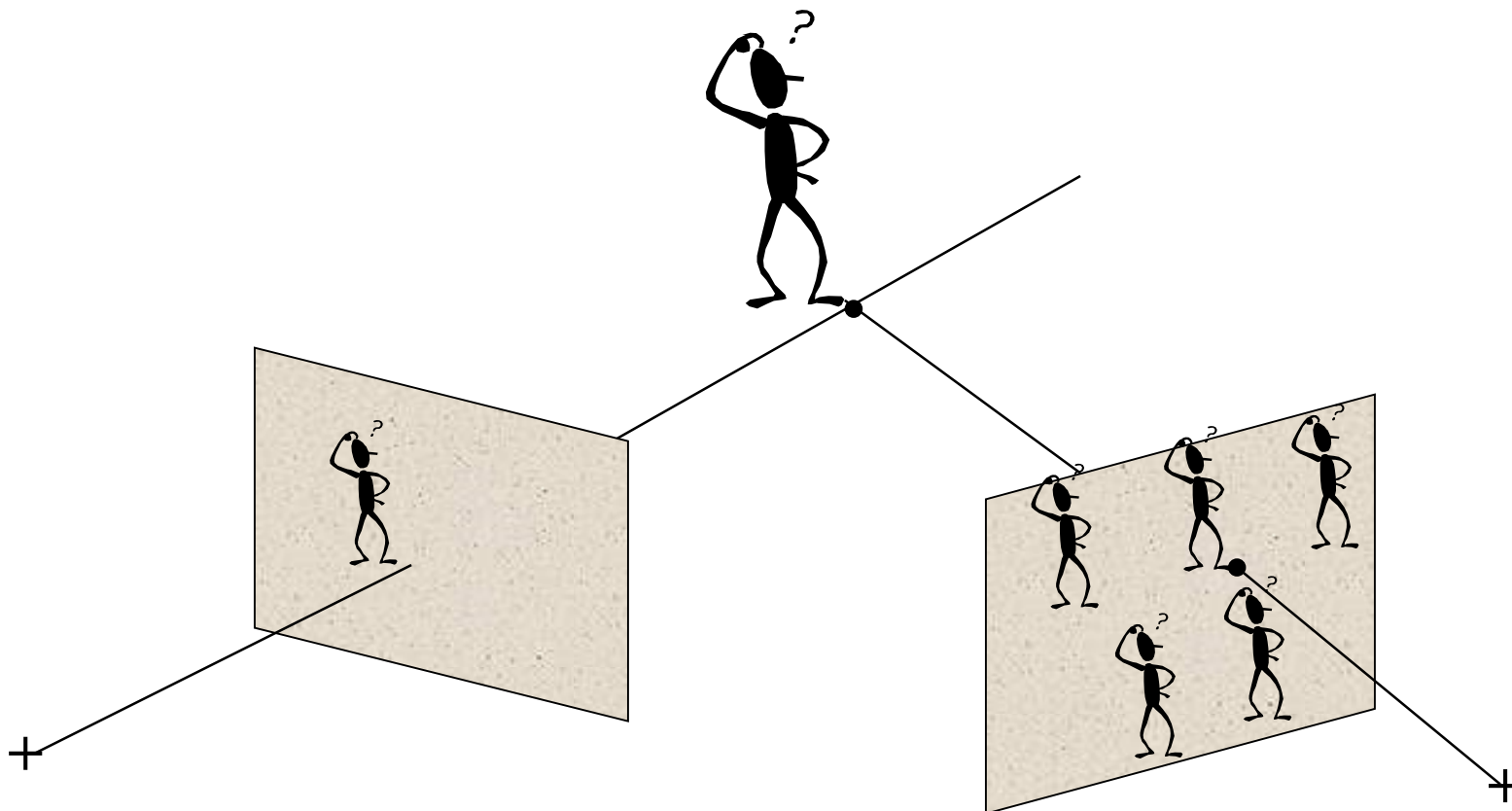
- Focal length
- Principal point
- Scaling

Extrinsic parameters

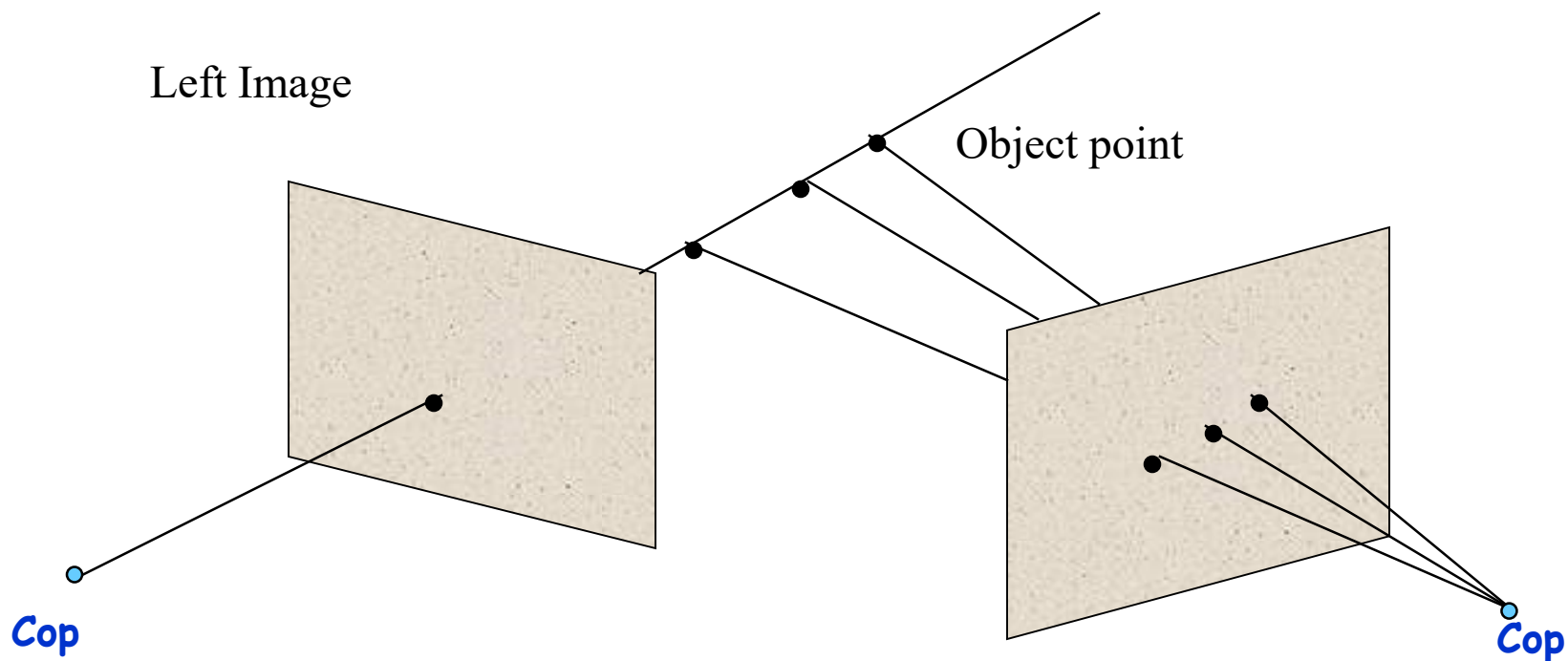
- The relative position and orientation of the two cameras



Back to Correspondence

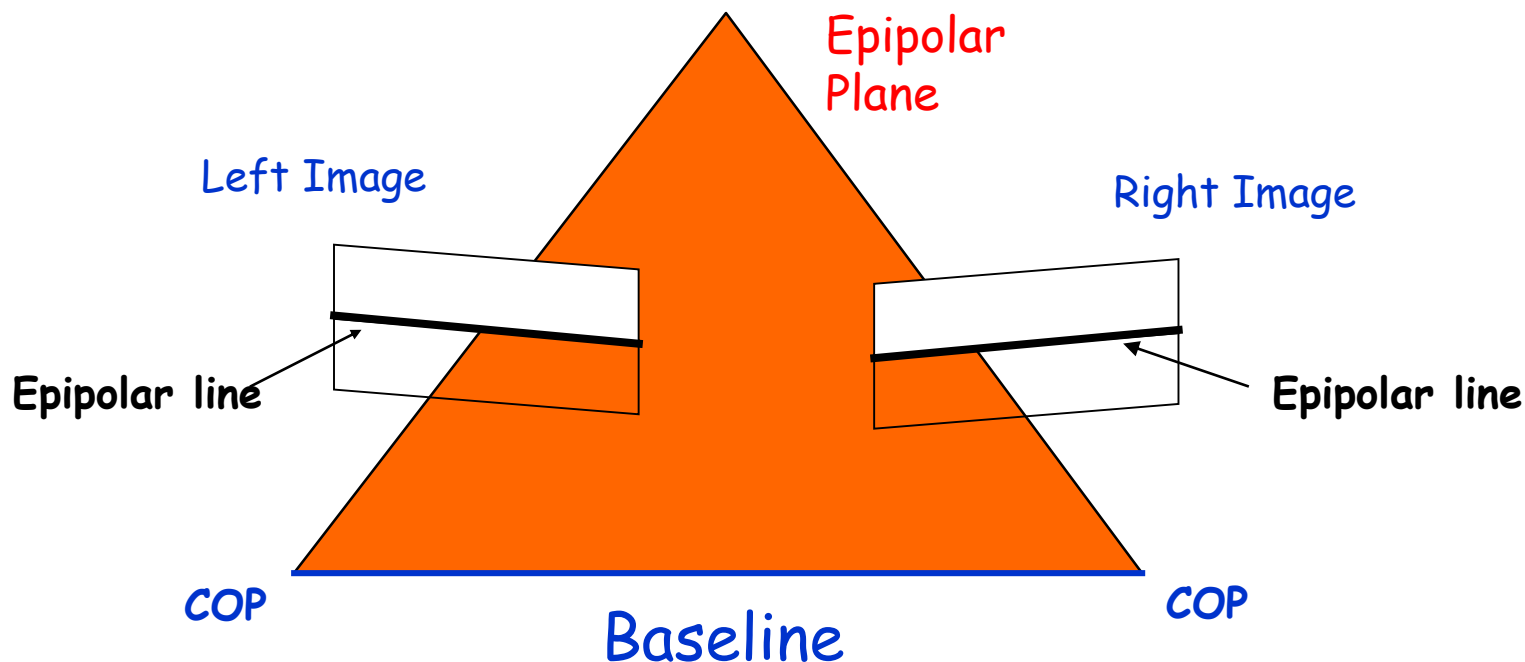


Epipolar Lines

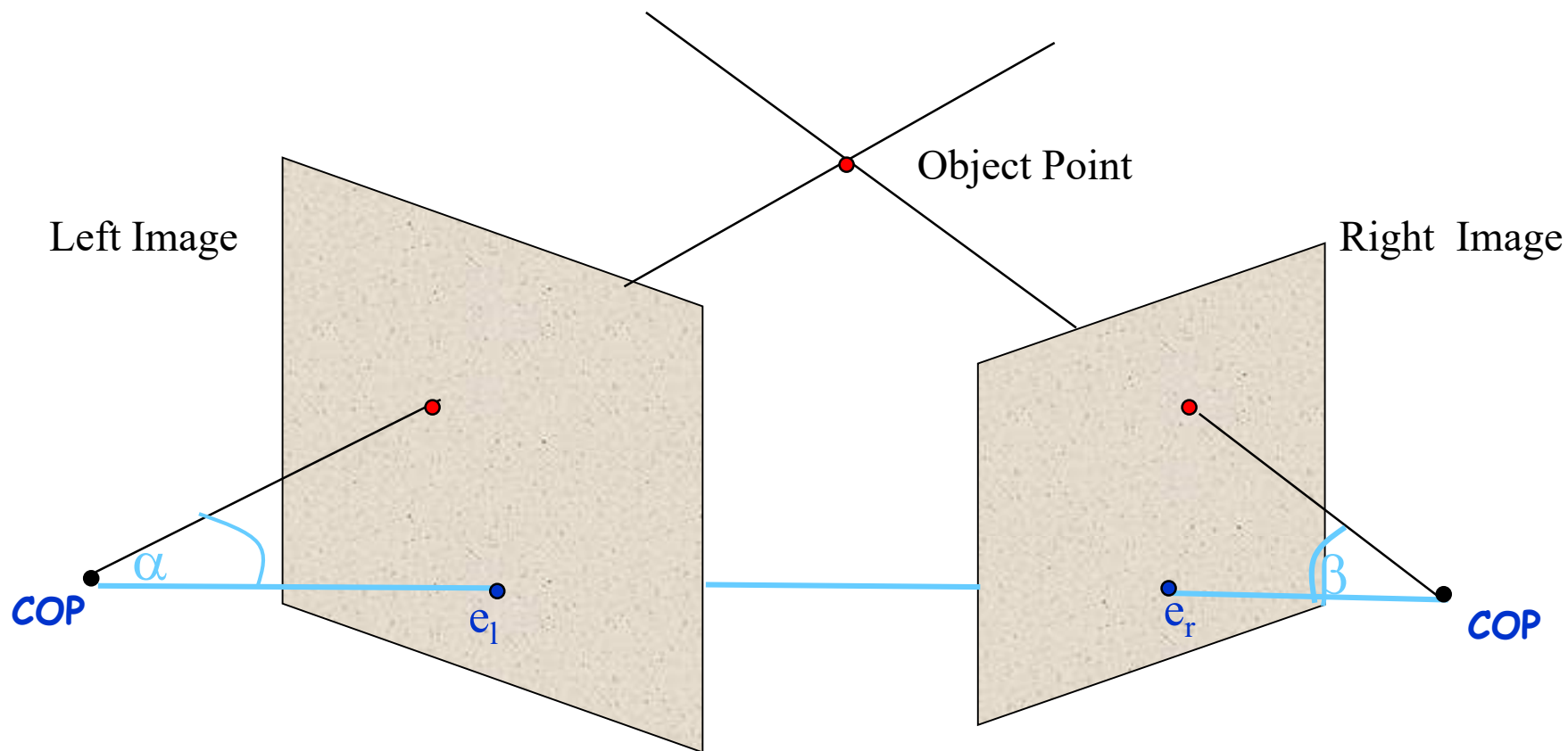


Epipolar Geometry

A pair of corresponding points must lay on corresponding epipolar lines



The epipole points are e_l and e_r



Epipole

- The **Epipole** is the projection of the *cop* of the other camera
- Except for the epipole, only one epipolar line goes through any image point
- All the epipolar lines go through the epipole

Epipole

- What happens when the two camera planes are parallel?

Next

- Formulation using projective geometry:
 - Stereo, triangulation, and calibration
- Other applications of Epipolar Geometry
- Homography
- More than 2 images