# Adding compensation for radial distortion

Use already implemented Zhang procedure to obtain an estimation of camera parameters for each image we have at our disposal.

```
% load checkerboard images and
% obtain results of Zhang procedure
clear data
folder = 'images';
% call the function which implements Zhang procedure
data = zhangMethod(folder, [12,13]);

Data loaded and points detected
Checking the number of keypoints...
Estimating camera parameters for each image...
Everything done.

n = length(data); % number of images
```

#### Reprojection error

As we have already seen, if we perform projection using the obtained projection matrix, we get a significant error.

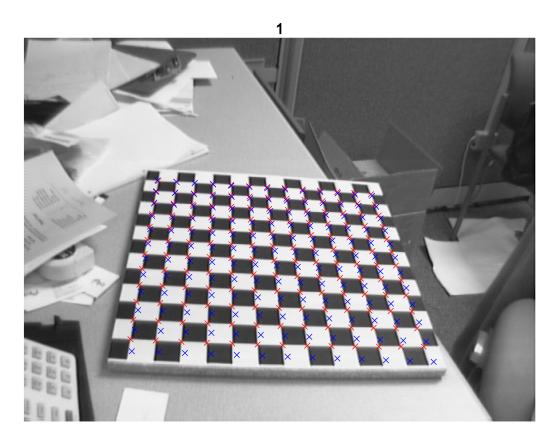
Let's see it clearly on the first image. We measure the reprojection error as the distance between the estimated and the measured projections.

```
idx = 1; % choose first image
XYpixel = data(idx).XYpixel;
XYmm = data(idx).XYmm;
error = 0;
figure
imshow(data(idx).I, 'initialmagnification',200);
title(num2str(idx))
hold on
for i=1:length(XYpixel)
    % coordinates of point in mm
    Xmm=XYmm(i,1);
    Ymm=XYmm(i,2);
    m = [Xmm; Ymm; 0; 1];
    P = data(idx).P;
    estimated_u = (P(1,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
    estimated_v = (P(2,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
```

```
% measure error wrt points detected on keyboard by
% detectCheckerboardPoints function
Xpixel=XYpixel(i,1);
Ypixel=XYpixel(i,2);
eu = estimated_u - Xpixel; % error on u
ev = estimated_v - Ypixel; % error on v

error = error + eu^2 + ev^2;

scatter(Xpixel,Ypixel, 'x', 'r');
scatter(estimated_u,estimated_v, 'x', 'b');
end
```



```
fprintf("Obtained reprojection error is: %d", error);
```

Obtained reprojection error is: 1.324210e+04

Compute the reprojection error for each image and save it in data structure.

```
for i=1:n
  error = 0;
  XYpixel = data(i).XYpixel;
  XYmm = data(i).XYmm;
```

```
for j=1:length(XYpixel)
       % coordinates of point in mm
       Xmm=XYmm(j,1); % x
       Ymm=XYmm(j,2); % y
       m = [Xmm; Ymm; 0; 1];
        P = data(i).P;
        estimated_u = (P(1,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
        estimated_v = (P(2,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
       % measure error wrt points detected on keyboard by
       % detectCheckerboardPoints function
       Xpixel=XYpixel(j,1);
       Ypixel=XYpixel(j,2);
       eu = estimated_u - Xpixel; % error on u
        ev = estimated v - Ypixel; % error on v
        error = error + eu^2 + ev^2;
    end
    data(i).error = error;
end
```

### Compensate radial distortion

Now we apply the procedure for radial distortion compensation in order to obtain a new estimation of P for each image and, most importantly, the radial distortion parameters k1 and k2, which are needed for the representation of undistorted image.

```
[newData, k] = radialDistortionCompensation(data);
```

```
iteration 1
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.95.
k1 -5.206692e-02 k2 -1.577308e-02
iteration 2
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.8.
k1 -9.116042e-02 k2 -2.974227e-02
iteration 3
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.6.
k1 -1.217837e-01 k2 -3.242207e-02
iteration 4
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.43.
k1 -1.467338e-01 k2 -2.200706e-02
iteration 5
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.31.
k1 -1.675460e-01 k2 -1.785890e-03
iteration 6
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.23.
k1 -1.849995e-01 k2 2.303091e-02
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.18.
k1 -1.995635e-01 k2 4.805182e-02
iteration 8
```

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.14. k1 -2.116347e-01 k2 7.079293e-02 iteration 9 lsgr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.11. k1 -2.215931e-01 k2 9.035693e-02 iteration 10 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.097. k1 -2.297878e-01 k2 1.067171e-01 iteration 11 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.084. k1 -2.365222e-01 k2 1.201963e-01 iteration 12 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.074. k1 -2.420519e-01 k2 1.312081e-01 iteration 13 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.067. k1 -2.465890e-01 k2 1.401543e-01 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.062. k1 -2.503092e-01 k2 1.473922e-01 iteration 15 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.058. k1 -2.533576e-01 k2 1.532283e-01 iteration 16 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.055. k1 -2.558541e-01 k2 1.579209e-01 iteration 17 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.054. k1 -2.578979e-01 k2 1.616851e-01 iteration 18 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.052.

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.052. k1 -2.595707e-01 k2 1.646987e-01

iteration 19

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.051. k1 -2.609399e-01 k2 1.671080e-01

iteration 20

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.051. k1 -2.620610e-01 k2 1.690322e-01

iteration 21

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.629796e-01 k2 1.705684e-01

iteration 22

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.637330e-01 k2 1.717952e-01

iteration 23

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.643517e-01 k2 1.727756e-01

iteration 24

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.648605e-01 k2 1.735603e-01

iteration 25

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.652798e-01 k2 1.741897e-01

iteration 26

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.656261e-01 k2 1.746959e-01

iteration 27

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.659127e-01 k2 1.751045e-01

iteration 28

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.661506e-01 k2 1.754355e-01

iteration 29

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.663485e-01 k2 1.757050e-01 iteration 30 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.665136e-01 k2 1.759253e-01 iteration 31 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.666517e-01 k2 1.761064e-01 iteration 32 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.667675e-01 k2 1.762560e-01 iteration 33 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.668649e-01 k2 1.763802e-01 iteration 34 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.669470e-01 k2 1.764838e-01 iteration 35 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.670164e-01 k2 1.765707e-01 iteration 36 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.670752e-01 k2 1.766438e-01 iteration 37 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.671250e-01 k2 1.767056e-01 iteration 38 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.671673e-01 k2 1.767581e-01 iteration 39 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.672034e-01 k2 1.768027e-01 iteration 40 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.672341e-01 k2 1.768407e-01 iteration 41 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.672603e-01 k2 1.768732e-01 iteration 42 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.672826e-01 k2 1.769010e-01 iteration 43 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673018e-01 k2 1.769249e-01 iteration 44 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673181e-01 k2 1.769453e-01 iteration 45 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673321e-01 k2 1.769629e-01 iteration 46 lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673441e-01 k2 1.769780e-01 iteration 47 k1 -2.673543e-01 k2 1.769910e-01 iteration 48

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673631e-01 k2 1.770021e-01

iteration 49

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673706e-01 k2 1.770117e-01

iteration 50

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.673771e-01 k2 1.770199e-01

iteration 51

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.673826e-01 k2 1.770270e-01

iteration 52

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.673873e-01 k2 1.770331e-01

iteration 53

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.673913e-01 k2 1.770383e-01

iteration 54

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.673948e-01 k2 1.770427e-01

iteration 55

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.673978e-01 k2 1.770466e-01

iteration 56

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674003e-01 k2 1.770499e-01

iteration 57

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674025e-01 k2 1.770527e-01

iteration 58

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674043e-01 k2 1.770551e-01

iteration 59

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674059e-01 k2 1.770572e-01

iteration 60

lsgr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674073e-01 k2 1.770589e-01

iteration 61

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674085e-01 k2 1.770605e-01

iteration 62

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674095e-01 k2 1.770618e-01

iteration 63

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674103e-01 k2 1.770629e-01

iteration 64

lsgr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674110e-01 k2 1.770638e-01

iteration 65

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674117e-01 k2 1.770646e-01

iteration 66

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674122e-01 k2 1.770653e-01

iteration 67

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674127e-01 k2 1.770659e-01

iteration 68

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674131e-01 k2 1.770664e-01

iteration 69

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674134e-01 k2 1.770669e-01

iteration 70

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674137e-01 k2 1.770673e-01

iteration 71

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674139e-01 k2 1.770676e-01

iteration 72

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05. k1 -2.674141e-01 k2 1.770678e-01

iteration 73

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674143e-01 k2 1.770681e-01

iteration 74

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674145e-01 k2 1.770683e-01

iteration 75

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674146e-01 k2 1.770684e-01

iteration 76

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674147e-01 k2 1.770686e-01

iteration 77

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674148e-01 k2 1.770687e-01

iteration 78

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674149e-01 k2 1.770688e-01

iteration 79

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674149e-01 k2 1.770689e-01

iteration 80

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674150e-01 k2 1.770690e-01

iteration 81

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674151e-01 k2 1.770691e-01

iteration 82

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674151e-01 k2 1.770691e-01

iteration 83

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674151e-01 k2 1.770692e-01

iteration 84

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674152e-01 k2 1.770692e-01

iteration 85

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674152e-01 k2 1.770692e-01

iteration 86

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674152e-01 k2 1.770693e-01

iteration 87

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674152e-01 k2 1.770693e-01

iteration 88

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770693e-01

iteration 89

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770693e-01

iteration 90

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770694e-01

iteration 91

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770694e-01

iteration 92

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770694e-01

iteration 93

lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.

```
iteration 94
lsqr converged at iteration 2 to a solution with relative residual 0.05.
k1 - 2.674153e - 01 \quad k2 \quad 1.770694e - 01
k1 = k(1); \quad k2 = k(2);
```

### **Undistorted image visualization**

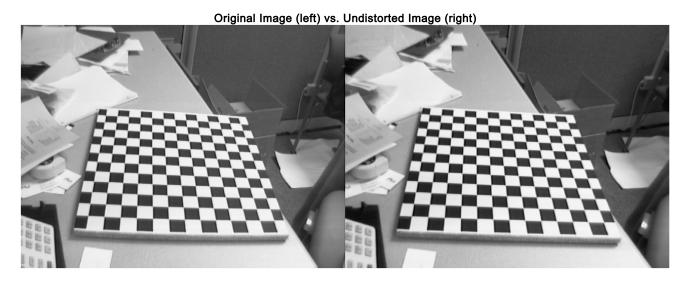
k1 -2.674153e-01 k2 1.770694e-01

We can obtain an undistorted visualization of our image through the use of radial distortion parameters  $k_1$  and  $k_2$ .

```
% compute undistorted representation for image 1 and plot it beside the
% distorted one
idx = 1;
originalImg = data(idx).I;
undistortedImg = originalImg;
K = newData(idx).K;
u0 = K(1,3);
v0 = K(2,3);
alpha_u = K(1,1);
theta = acot(K(1,2)/alpha_u); % skew angle between u and v axes
alpha_v = K(2,2)*sin(theta);
for u=1:size(originalImg,1)
    for v=1:size(originalImg,2)
        % find the distorted corresponding coordinates of (u,v)
        rd = ((u-u0)/alpha_u)^2 + ((v-v0)/alpha_v)^2;
        uhat = (u - u0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + u0;
        vhat = (v - v0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + v0;
        % image undistortion algorithm can produce noninteger values of (u,v)
        % for this reason interpolation is needed
        % find the four neighboring pixels and the distance from the
        % top-left one wrt to u and v axes
        p1 = [floor(uhat); floor(vhat)]; % top left pixel
        p2 = [ceil(uhat); floor(vhat)]; % top right pixel
        p3 = [floor(uhat); ceil(vhat)]; % bottom left pixel
        p4 = [ceil(uhat); ceil(vhat)]; % bottom right pixel
        delta_u = (uhat - p1(1));
        delta v = (vhat - p1(2));
        I = originalImg;
        out_pixel = I(p1(1), p1(2))*(1 - delta_u)*(1-delta_v) + ...
                I(p2(1), p2(2))*delta_u*(1-delta_v) + ...
                I(p3(1), p3(2))*(1-delta_u)*delta_v + ...
```

```
I(p4(1), p4(2))*delta_u*delta_v;
    undistortedImg(u, v) = out_pixel;
    end
end

% plot the two images one beside the other
figure;
imshowpair(originalImg,undistortedImg,'montage');
title('Original Image (left) vs. Undistorted Image (right)');
```



## Recompute reprojection error

Now we show on distorted image the representation of checkerboard points and their reprojections obtained by using the newly estimated projection matrix P and adding compensation for radial distortion using k1 and k2.

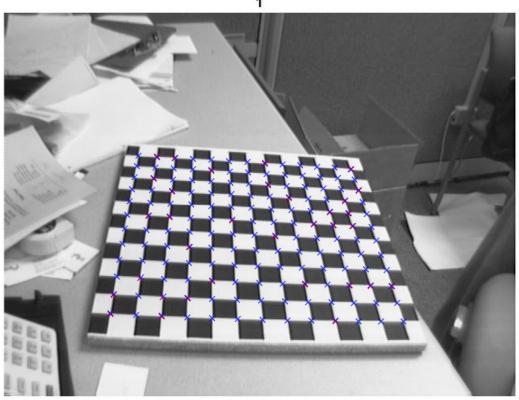
```
idx = 1; % choose first image
XYpixel = data(idx).XYpixel;
XYmm = data(idx).XYmm;

K = newData(idx).K; % camera intrinsics
P = newData(idx).P; % camera extrinsics

u0 = K(1,3);
v0 = K(2,3);
alpha_u = K(1,1);
theta = acot(K(1,2)/alpha_u); % skew angle between u and v axes
alpha_v = K(2,2)*sin(theta);
error = 0; % initial error
```

```
figure
imshow(data(idx).I, 'initialmagnification',200);
title(num2str(idx))
hold on
for i=1:length(XYpixel)
   % coordinates of point in mm
   Xmm=XYmm(i,1);
   Ymm=XYmm(i,2);
   m = [Xmm; Ymm; 0; 1];
   % ideal projection
    u = (P(1,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
    V = (P(2,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
   % compensating radial distortion through the use of k1 and k2
   % in order to obtain uhat and vhat
    rd = ((u-u0)/alpha_u)^2 + ((v-v0)/alpha_v)^2;
    uhat = (u - u0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + u0;
    vhat = (v - v0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + v0;
   % now check the difference with points obtain on the keyboard
   % thorugh 'detectCheckerboardPoints' function and measure the error
   Xpixel=XYpixel(i,1);
   Ypixel=XYpixel(i,2);
    eu = uhat - Xpixel; % error on u
    ev = vhat - Ypixel; % error on v
    error = error + eu^2 + ev^2;
    scatter(Xpixel, Ypixel, 'x', 'r');
    scatter(uhat, vhat, 'x', 'b');
end
```





```
fprintf("Obtained reprojection error is: %d", error);
```

Obtained reprojection error is: 7.210507e+00

Finally, we compute again the reprojection error for each image and we compare them with the previous ones.

```
for i=1:n
    error = 0;
   XYpixel = data(i).XYpixel;
   XYmm = data(i).XYmm;
    P = newData(i).P; % camera extrinsics
   for j=1:length(XYpixel)
        % coordinates of point in mm
        Xmm=XYmm(j,1);
        Ymm=XYmm(j,2);
        m = [Xmm; Ymm; 0; 1];
        % ideal projection
        u = (P(1,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
        V = (P(2,:)*m)/(P(3,:)*m);
```

```
% compensating radial distortion through the use of k1 and k2
% in order to obtain uhat and vhat
rd = ((u-u0)/alpha_u)^2 + ((v-v0)/alpha_v)^2;

uhat = (u - u0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + u0;
vhat = (v - v0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + v0;

% now check the difference with points obtain on the keyboard
% thorugh 'detectCheckerboardPoints' function and measure the error
Xpixel=XYpixel(j,1);
Ypixel=XYpixel(j,2);
eu = uhat - Xpixel; % error on u
ev = vhat - Ypixel; % error on v

error = error + (eu^2 + ev^2);

end
newData(i).error = error;
end
```

Compare the errors with the previous ones.

```
% stack all the errors in two arrays and show them in table.
e1 = zeros(n,1); e2 = zeros(n,1);
for i=1:n
    e1(i) = data(i).error;
    e2(i) = newData(i).error;
end
varNames = {'error before compensation', 'error after compensation'};
table(e1, e2, 'VariableNames', varNames)
```

ans =  $20 \times 2$  table

	error before compensation	error after compensation
1	1.3242e+04	7.2105
2	3.7657e+03	13.6627
3	1.7748e+03	6.9512
4	1.2950e+03	9.1192
5	1.5729e+03	8.3466
6	2.5793e+03	8.2850
7	735.4847	8.9170
8	8.9451e+03	18.1028
9	7.2403e+03	20.6533
10	657.3862	23.3672
11	3.9306e+03	38.3506

	error before compensation	error after compensation
12	8.5224e+03	20.2210
13	2.2743e+03	41.5716
14	6.6372e+03	17.3535
	:	

Save the results of comparison between orginal and undistorted image in 'radial\_compensation' folder for each one of the images used.

```
folder = 'radial_compensation';
K = newData(idx).K;
u0 = K(1,3);
v0 = K(2,3);
alpha u = K(1,1);
theta = acot(K(1,2)/alpha_u); % skew angle between u and v axes
alpha_v = K(2,2)*sin(theta);
for idx=1:n
    figure('visible','off');
    originalImg = data(idx).I;
    undistortedImg = originalImg;
    for u=1:size(originalImg,1)
        for v=1:size(originalImg,2)
            % find the distorted corresponding coordinates of (u,v)
            rd = ((u-u0)/alpha_u)^2 + ((v-v0)/alpha_v)^2;
            uhat = (u - u0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + u0;
            vhat = (v - v0)*(1 + k1*rd + k2*rd^2) + v0;
            % image undistortion algorithm can produce noninteger values of (u,v)
            % for this reason interpolation is needed
            % find the four neighboring pixels and the distance from the
            % top-left one wrt to u and v axes
            p1 = [floor(uhat); floor(vhat)]; % top left pixel
            p2 = [ceil(uhat); floor(vhat)]; % top right pixel
            p3 = [floor(uhat); ceil(vhat)]; % bottom left pixel
            p4 = [ceil(uhat); ceil(vhat)]; % bottom right pixel
            % the intensity of I(u,v) in the undistorted image is the one of
            % (uhat, vhat) in the distorted image
            delta u = (uhat - p1(1));
            delta_v = (vhat - p1(2));
            I = originalImg;
```