Implementation: get_plane_sweep_homographies()

- 1. Retrieve relative rotation R, and other camera's center coordinates C using relative pose matrix, with formula given in lecture 11 slide 65
- 2. Defining plane norm as $n = (0, 0, 1)^T$, we compute the homography with formula in slide 68 for each inverse depth

Implementation: compute_plane_sweep_volume()

- 1. Iterate through all images to find reference image I_{ref} by comparing their pose matrix with the input reference camera pose
- 2. For each image I_i, compute the relative pose w.r.t I_{ref} using **concat_extrinsic_matrix()**, then compute the homography H_{i,d} relating I_i and I_{ref} using **get plane sweep homographies()** for the input range of depths d
- 3. For each depth, we warp the pixels on I_i to I_{ref} and determine the mask that corresponds to the valid boundary of the warped image, by finding pixels in the transformed image with non-zero value for all 3 channels
- 4. With the mask in step 3, compute the absolute difference between I_i and I_{ref} for the valid pixels averaged across RGB channels and collect the variance in ps_volume
- 5. With the mask in step 3, accumulate the number of images that are warped onto a certain pixel by adding 1 to the corresponding pixel where the mask is True

Implementation: compute_depths()

- 1. Using **np.argmin()** on ps_volume, we get the depth index that corresponds to the lowest variance
- 2. We apply the index matrix from step 1 to find the inverse depth image by applying it on the inv_depths array

Implementation: post_process()

- 1. Find the 10th percentile among the accumulator count values using **np.percentile()**, and disregard depth estimates with observations less than or equals to this threshold
- 2. Compute the depth image after removing points with insufficient observations, for points with observations less than the threshold computed in step 1
- 3. Apply median filtering on the depth image from step 2 to remove salt and pepper noise
- 4. Compute the difference between the original and the filtered depth image, and retrieve the 95th percentile of the change in depth values to be used as a threshold (for step 5)
- 5. As median filtering was used, it is highly likely for depth values to change. Thus, we consider depth value change that is less than the threshold value computed in step 4 to be a valid pixel

Implementation: unproject_depth_map()

- 1. Using np.meshgrid(), retrieve all pixel coordinates
- 2. Convert pixel coordinates to homogeneous coordinates
- 3. For homogeneous pixel coordinate $(u, w, 1)^T$ and depth value Z for the specific pixel, we compute unprojected point as $Z^*K^{-1}(u,w,1)^T$ (Source: Piazza forum)
- 4. Compute unprojected point coordinates for all pixel values with step 3
- 5. If mask is present, we remove invalid points and their respective RGB values from the xyz and rgb array