

Rigid motions in central projection

Here we study rigid motions in central projection coordinates.

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Suppose now we have a K -rigid motion

$$\begin{bmatrix} \underline{x} \\ \underline{y} \\ \underline{z} \end{bmatrix} = M \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

of K -geometry, given by a K -orthogonal matrix

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} \end{bmatrix}.$$

Let's convert this K -rigid motion to a rigid motion in central projection coordinates. This new rigid motion will not necessarily be a mapping defined by a matrix, so we'll have to use some new notation.

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} (x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 & \xleftarrow{\cdot\lambda} & (x_c, y_c, 1) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \times \{1\} & \longleftrightarrow & (x_c, y_c) \in \mathbb{R}^2 \\ \downarrow M \cdot & & \downarrow \mu_{c'} = ? & & \downarrow \mu_c = ? \\ (\underline{x}, \underline{y}, \underline{z}) & \xleftarrow{\cdot\lambda} & (\underline{x}_c, \underline{y}_c, 1) & \longleftrightarrow & (\underline{x}_c, \underline{y}_c) \end{array}$$

Problem 1 Using the diagram above, explain why the formula for $(\underline{x}_c, \underline{y}_c) = \mu_c(x_c, y_c)$ is

$$\mu_c(x_c, y_c) = \left(\frac{m_{11}x_c + m_{12}y_c + m_{13}}{m_{31}x_c + m_{32}y_c + m_{33}}, \frac{m_{21}x_c + m_{22}y_c + m_{23}}{m_{31}x_c + m_{32}y_c + m_{33}} \right).$$

From K -rigid motions to rigid motions in central projection

Now let's use our new tool to convert K -rigid motions to rigid motions in central projection.

Problem 2 For any K , consider the K -rigid motion of K -geometry

$$M_\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta & 0 \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

Can you describe geometrically what this mapping is doing to the points in central projection?

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Problem 4 Assuming $K > 0$, consider the K -rigid motion of the R -sphere

$$N_\psi = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \psi & 0 & -R \cdot \sin \psi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ R^{-1} \cdot \sin \psi & 0 & \cos \psi \end{bmatrix}.$$

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Convert this to a rigid motion in central projection.

Problem 6 Assuming $K < 0$, consider the K -rigid motion of the K -surface

$$N_\psi = \begin{bmatrix} \cosh \psi & 0 & |K|^{-1/2} \cdot \sinh \psi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ |K|^{1/2} \cdot \sinh \psi & 0 & \cosh \psi \end{bmatrix}$$

Can you describe geometrically what this mapping is doing to the points in central projection?

Problem 7 Assuming $K < 0$, consider the K -rigid motion of the K -surface

$$N_\psi = \begin{bmatrix} \cosh \psi & 0 & |K|^{-1/2} \cdot \sinh \psi \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ |K|^{1/2} \cdot \sinh \psi & 0 & \cosh \psi \end{bmatrix}$$

Convert this to a rigid motion in central projection.

Problem 8 *Summarize the results from this section. In particular, indicate which results follow from the others.*
