

HW6

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1 Q1

SVD-decomposition of $D^T D$

$$D^T D = \sum_{i=1}^4 \sigma_i^2 u_i u_i^T = \sigma_{max}^2 u_0 u_0^T + \dots + \sigma_{min}^2 u_4 u_4^T \quad (1)$$

where u_i, u_j are orthogonal.

Assume y' has basis of $[u_1, u_2, u_3, u_4]$. Then y' can be represented as

$$y' = \sum_{i=1}^4 k_i u_i = u_4 + v \quad (2)$$

where k_i is a constant coefficient, and v is orthogonal to u_4 . v can be represented as

$$v = \sum_{i=1}^3 k_i u_i \quad (3)$$

Then,

$$\|Dy'\|_2^2 = y'^T D^T D y' = \sigma_{max}^2 k_0^2 u_0^T u_0 u_0^T u_0 + \dots + \sigma_{min}^2 k_4^2 u_4^T u_4 u_4^T u_4 = \sigma_{max}^2 k_0^2 + \dots + \sigma_{min}^2 k_4^2 \quad (4)$$

As we know, $\|y'\| = 1$ and $\sum_i k_i^2 = 1$, then when $k_4 = 1$ the Equation 4 observes the minimum. ($\sigma_4 < \sigma_3$)

If $y = u_4$ is the optimum, then

$$\|Dy\|_2^2 = y^T D^T D y = \sigma_{min}^2 k_4^2 u_4^T u_4 u_4^T u_4 = \sigma_{min}^2 k_4^2 \quad (5)$$

That is,

$$y'^T D^T D y' \geq y^T D^T D y$$

2 Q2

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21:17:45: Starting /home/meng7/HW6/build/estimate_depth...
ground truth:
-2.9477 -0.330799  8.43792
your result:
-2.9477 -0.330799  8.43792
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Figure 1: Result of Q2

As we have the transformation matrix in the k_{th} frame $P_{cw,k} \in R^{3 \times 4}$,

$$\forall k, z_k x_k = P_k y \quad (6)$$

where z_k is the depth information of the observation, x_k is the observation in the $2D$ normalized plane in the k_{th} frame, and y is the unknown $3D$ point in the world coordinate.

The depth information can be represented as

$$z_k = P_{k,3}^T y \quad (7)$$

where $P_{k,i}$ represents the i_{th} row in the transformation matrix of the k_{th} frame.

Then, we have,

$$Dy = \begin{bmatrix} u_1 P_{1,3}^T - P_{1,1}^T \\ v_1 P_{1,3}^T - P_{1,2}^T \\ \vdots \\ u_n P_{n,3}^T - P_{n,1}^T \\ v_n P_{n,3}^T - P_{n,2}^T \end{bmatrix} y = 0 \quad (8)$$

Then, use the method mentioned in Q1 to solve Equation 8.