

1.1

Given their principal axes intersect at a point.

$$p1 = [0 \ 0 \ 1]$$

$$p2 = [0 \ 0 \ 1]$$

The fundamental matrix, equation should satisfy,

$$p1^T F p2 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } [0 \ 0 \ 1] \begin{bmatrix} F_{11} & F_{12} & F_{13} & 0 \\ F_{21} & F_{22} & F_{23} & 0 \\ F_{31} & F_{32} & F_{33} & 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } 0 \ 0 \ 1 \begin{bmatrix} F_{13} \\ F_{23} \\ F_{33} \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\text{or, } F_{13} \cdot 0 + F_{23} \cdot 0 + F_{33} \cdot 1 = 0$$

$$\text{or, } F_{33} = 0$$

1.2

Given translation is parallel to x-axis. It will be of form-

$$\begin{matrix} t \\ t_x=0 \\ 0 \end{matrix}$$

writing in skew-symmetric form, we have

$$\begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ t_x=0 & 0 & -t \\ 0 & t & 0 \end{matrix}$$

Since there is no rotation, the rotation matrix will be identity

$$\begin{matrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ R=0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

We have, Essential matrix,  $E = t_x R$

$$\begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ E=0 & 0 & -t \\ 0 & t & 0 \end{matrix}$$

For the points  $[x_1 \ y_1 \ 1]$  and  $[x_2 \ y_2 \ 1]$  in the two cameras,

Epipolar lines will satisfy

$$\begin{matrix} x_2 \\ [x_1 \ y_1 \ 1] E y_2 = 0 \\ 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} 0 & 0 & 0 & x_2 \\ \text{Or, } x_1 \ y_1 \ 1 & 0 & 0 & -t & y_2 & = 0 \\ 0 & t & 0 & 1 \end{matrix}$$

$$\text{Or, } t(y_1 - y_2) = 0$$

$$\text{Or, } y_1 = y_2$$

Hence, epipolar lines are parallel to x axis.

1.3

Extrinsic matrix for Camera 1,  $U_1 = [R_1 \ t_1]$

Extrinsic matrix for Camera 2,  $U_2 = [R_2 \ t_2]$

Relative extrinsics for camera 2 with respect to camera 1,

$$U_{rel} = U_1^{-1} U_2$$

$$= [R_1 \ t_1]^{-1} [R_2 \ t_2]$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} R_1^{-1} R_2 & R_1^{-1} t_1 - R_1^{-1} t_2 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Therefore } R_{rel} = R_1^{-1} R_2$$

$$\text{And } t_{rel} = R_1^{-1} t_1 - R_1^{-1} t_2$$

$$\text{Essential Matrix, } E = t_{rel} \times R_{rel}$$

$$\text{Fundamental Matrix, } F = KE = K t_{rel} \times R_{rel}$$

1.4

Let  $K$ ,  $R$  and  $t$  be the intrinsic matrix, rotation matrix and translation vector respectively.

There is no rotation (the second image is reflection from the plane mirror)

The rotation matrix is therefore.

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{and } t = \begin{bmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \\ t_z \end{bmatrix}$$

The essential matrix,  $E = [t]R$

$$E = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -t_y & -t_z \\ t_y & 0 & -t_x \\ t_z & t_x & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$E^T = -E$ . Hence,  $E$  is a skew symmetric matrix.

The fundamental matrix,  $F = KE$ , which therefore is also a skew symmetric matrix.

The points should satisfy.

$$P_1^T F P_2 = 0$$

Hence, points are separated by skew symmetric fundamental matrix

## 2.1

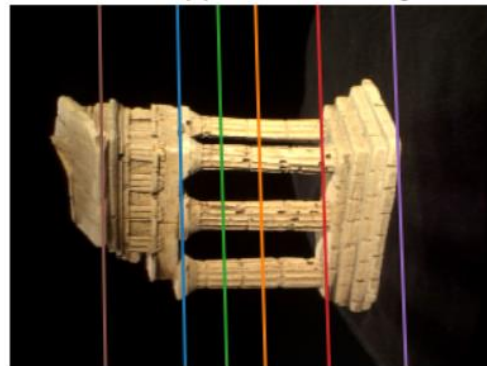
The fundamental matrix:

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In [8]: f
Out[8]:
array([[ 9.80213863e-10, -1.32271663e-07,  1.12586847e-03],
       [-5.72416248e-08,  2.97011941e-09, -1.17899320e-05],
       [-1.08270296e-03,  3.05098538e-05, -4.46974798e-03]])
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Select a point in this image



Verify that the corresponding point is on the epipolar line in this image



3.1

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In [37]: e
Out[37]:
array([[ 2.26587821e-03, -3.06867395e-01,  1.66257398e+00],
       [-1.32799331e-01,  6.91553934e-03, -4.32775554e-02],
       [-1.66717617e+00, -1.33444257e-02, -6.72047195e-04]])
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### 3.2

For a set of points in the cameras,  $i=1,2,...N$  and  $j=1,2,...N$   $-(u_i, v_i)$  and  $(u_j, v_j)$  and  $w_i$  be the corresponding 3D point.

Let  $M_1$  and  $M_2$  be the camera projection matrices for the two cameras.

Let  $M_1^k$  and  $M_2^k$  represent the  $k^{th}$  of the two matrices.

We have,

$$u_i = M_1^1 w_i / M_1^3$$

$$\text{and, } v_i = M_1^2 w_i / M_1^3$$

Similarly,

$$u_j = M_2^1 w_j / M_2^3$$

$$\text{and, } v_j = M_2^2 w_j / M_2^3$$

Arranging the above equations, we get

$$(M_1^3 u_i - M_1^1) w_i = 0,$$

$$(M_1^3 v_i - M_1^2) w_i = 0,$$

$$(M_2^3 u_j - M_2^1) w_j = 0,$$

$$\text{and, } (M_2^3 v_j - M_2^2) w_j = 0$$

These can be represented in the following form:

$$A_i w_i = 0$$

$$\text{Where, } A_i = \begin{bmatrix} M_1^3 u_i - M_1^1 \\ M_1^3 v_i - M_1^2 \\ M_2^3 u_j - M_2^1 \\ M_2^3 v_j - M_2^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Each row of  $A_i$  is a  $1 \times 4$  vector.

### 3.3

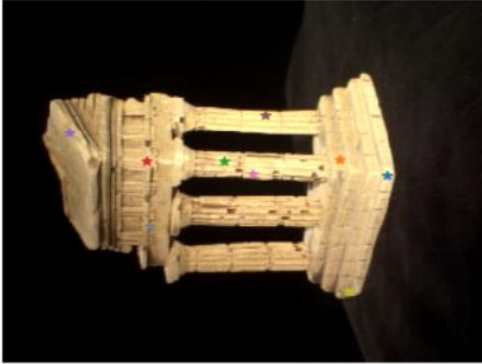
Correct M

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In [43]: a['M']  
Out[43]:  
array([[ 0.99942697,  0.03331533,  0.00598477, -0.02599827],  
       [-0.03372859,  0.96531605,  0.25889634, -1.          ],  
       [ 0.00284802, -0.25894984,  0.96588657,  0.07961991]])
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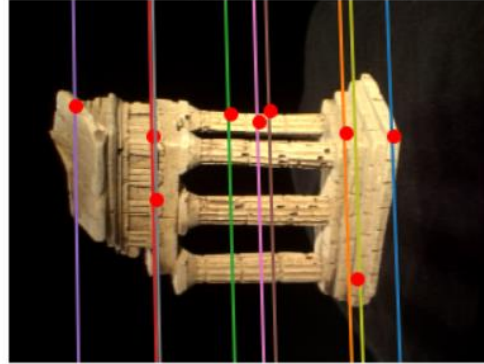


4.1

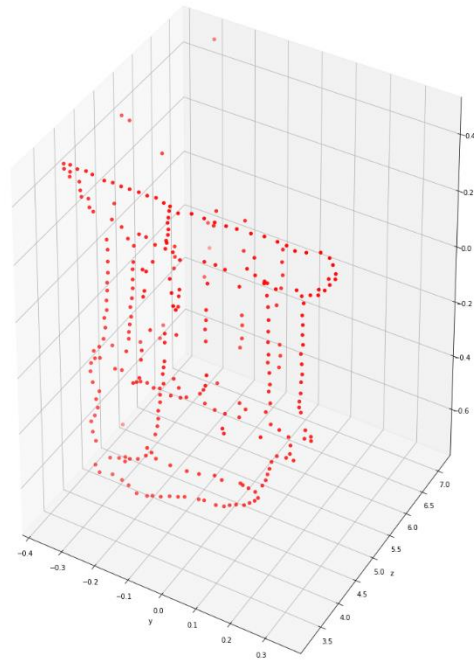
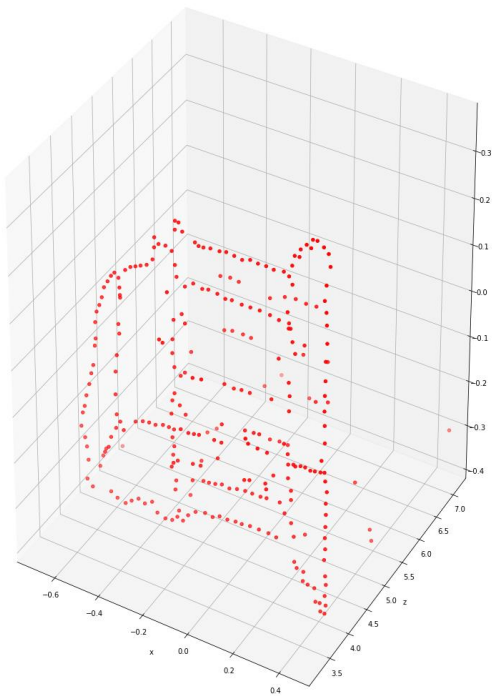
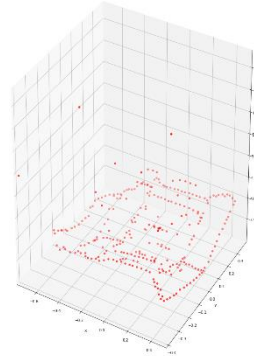
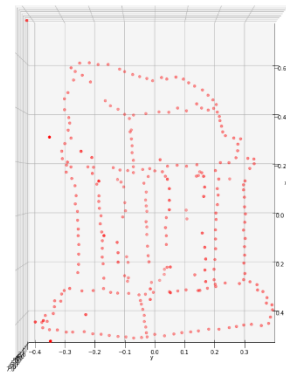
Select a point in this image

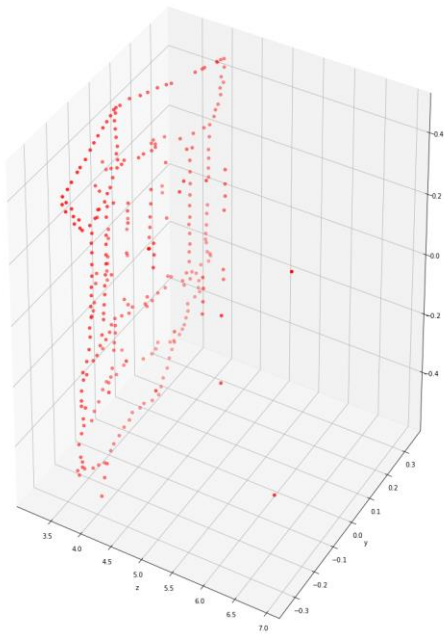


Verify that the corresponding point  
is on the epipolar line in this image



4.2



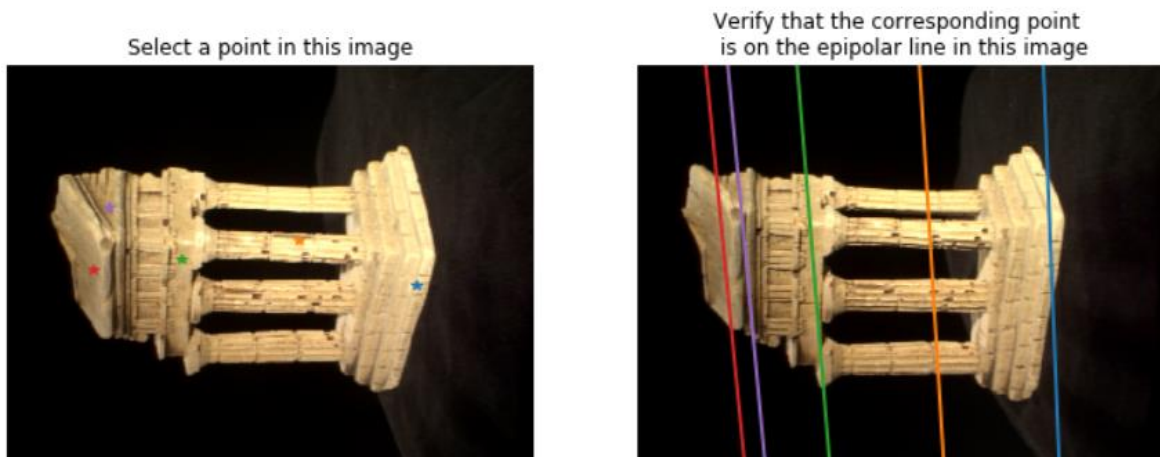


### 5.1

I calculated tolerance as the distance between the correspondence on right image and the epipolar line computed by the fundamental matrix. The points that were closer than the tolerance value were saved as inliers. The fundamental matrix with the maximum number of inliers was chosen to be the final fundamental matrix. The hyperparameters are the number of iterations and the tolerance value. I got the most optimal result for  $\text{tol}=0.8$  and number of iteration=200

The performance improves by increasing the number of iteration but converges after 200, after which no improvement is observed. By increasing the tolerance value, some noise is also calculated as inliers and the result isn't good. Performance declines as well on decreasing the tolerance as the algorithm misses out on some of the inliers.

Compared to the result in Q2, the epipolar lines are not exactly vertical. This can be attributed to the noisy set of correspondences.



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5.2

Implemented in Code