

# Viewing

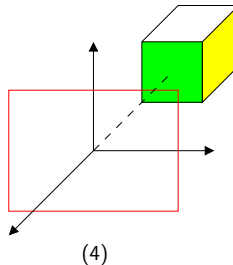
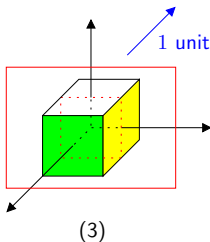
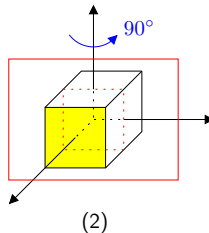
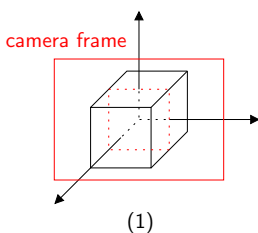
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# Look at Objects in a Different Angle

- Recall that by default, the camera frame is at the origin and look into the direction of  $-z$ -axis.
- Suppose we want to look at the left side of a cube where its center of mass is at the origin with the distance of 1 unit away from its center of mass. We can achieve this in one of two ways:
  - 1 Rotate the cube about  $y$ -axis for 90 degrees and move the cube 1 unit in the direction of the  $-z$ -axis, or
  - 2 Move the camera to the point  $(-1, 0, 0)$  and rotate the object from about  $y$ -axis for 90 degree using the point  $(-1, 0, 0)$  as the fixed point

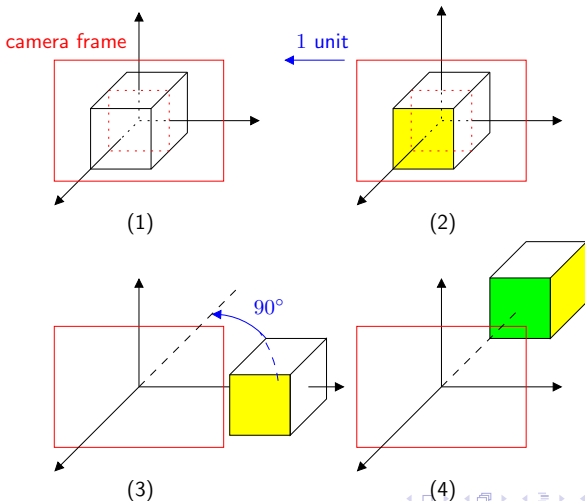
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- Rotate the cube about y-axis for 90 degrees and move the cube 1 unit in the direction of the -z-axis, or



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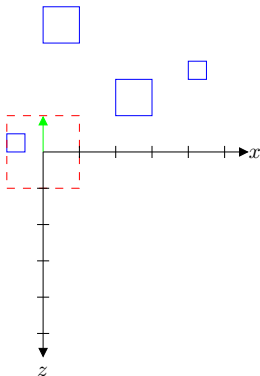
- Note that we achieve the same result in both case by applying two transformation:
  - First case: Rotate and Translate **TR**
  - Second case: Translate and Rotate **RT**
- In both case, rotations are identical:
  - We rotate about y-axis for  $90^\circ$  using the origin as the fixed point
- However, the translations are not the same:
  - In the first case, we push the cube along the z-axis
  - In the second case, we move the frame along the -x-axis

# Camera Frame

- You can think of viewing as
  - 1 rotate objects to the desired angle, and
  - 2 move the object to the desired locationor
  - 1 move your camera in the object frame to a desired location, and
  - 2 point the camera into the desired direction.
- Note that a camera frame is a frame which can be defined by three vectors (axes)  $u$ ,  $v$ , and  $n$ .
- What we need is to convert all vertices in object frame (defined by axes  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$ ) into the camera frame.
- This is the same as change in coordinate discussed in Chapter 3

# Camera Frame

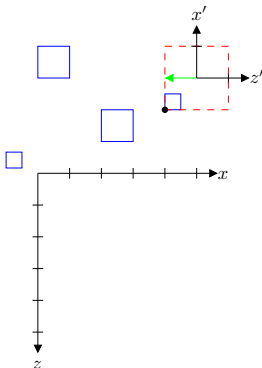
- Consider the top view of a world frame



- We only see a small cube on the left because of the OpenGL canonical view volume
  - $x = \pm 1$ ,  $y = \pm 1$ , and  $z = \pm 1$

# Camera Frame

- Suppose we want to look at this world from the point  $(5, 0, -3)$  into the negative  $x$  direction



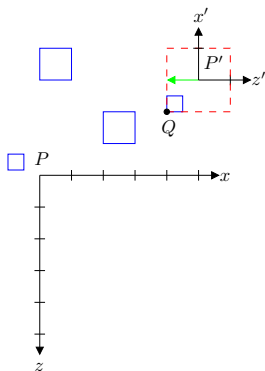
- We should only see a small cube on the left because it is the only object in the OpenGL canonical view volume
- The bottom left of the cube is at  $(4, 0, -2)$  in the world frame but it is at  $(-1, 0, -1)$  in the camera frame



# Camera Frame

- We need to transform all vertices in the world frame into the camera frame
- After the transformation, any objects lie inside  $x = \pm 1$ ,  $y = \pm 1$ , and  $z = \pm 1$  can be seen
- We need to use change of frame discussed in Chapter 3

# Camera Frame



- From the above picture, we have

$$x' = (0)x + (0)y + (-1)z$$

$$y' = (0)x + (1)y + (0)z$$

$$z' = (1)x + (0)y + (0)z$$

$$P' = (5)x + (0)y + (-3)z + P$$

# Change of Frame

- This is equivalent to the following matrix representation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ P' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix}$$

- In other words,

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ P' \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{M} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{where} \quad \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Change of Frame

- A point  $Q$  can be represented in  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  basis vectors as

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= ax + by + cz + P \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

- Similarly, the same point  $Q$  can be represented in  $x'$ ,  $y'$ , and  $z'$  basis vector as

$$\begin{aligned} Q &= a'x' + b'y' + c'z' + P' \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} a' & b' & c' & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ P' \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

# Change of Frame

- So, we have

$$\begin{bmatrix} a' & b' & c' & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ P' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a' & b' & c' & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{M} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} a' & b' & c' & 1 \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} a & b & c & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{M}^T \begin{bmatrix} a' \\ b' \\ c' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1} \mathbf{M}^T \begin{bmatrix} a' \\ b' \\ c' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = (\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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# Change of Frame

- The matrix  $(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1}$  is a transformation matrix that changes a representation in world frame to a representation in camera frame
- From previous example,

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 5 & 0 & -3 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \rightsquigarrow (\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The point  $Q = (4, 0, -2)$  in the world frame becomes

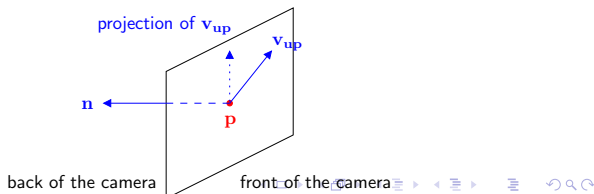
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & -1 & -3 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & -5 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 0 \\ -2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- However, a camera frame is not easy to define
  - Need to find  $x'$ ,  $y'$ , and  $z'$  axes according to the world frame

# Camera Frame

- Traditionally a camera frame is defined by three elements:
  - View Reference Point (VRP)** specifies the position of the camera in the object frame
  - View-Plane Normal (VPN)** is a vector that specifies the orientation of the back of the camera as plane's normal
  - View-Up Vector (VUP)** vector, where its projection to the view plane specifies the up direction of the camera
- We need to derive the camera frame from VRP ( $\mathbf{p}$ ), VPN ( $\mathbf{n}$ ), and VUP ( $\mathbf{v}_{up}$ ) where

$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} n_x \\ n_y \\ n_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and } \mathbf{v}_{up} = \begin{bmatrix} v_{up_x} \\ v_{up_y} \\ v_{up_z} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Camera Frame

- We can consider the VRP as the origin of the camera frame
- Since  $n$  is the plane's normal, we can use this as an axis of the camera frame
- We need two more orthogonal vectors  $u$  and  $v$  to define the frame which can be derived from  $\mathbf{n}$  and  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}$ .
- Again, our goal is to change from the original  $x, y, z$  axes to  $u, v, n$  axes.
- We need a **model-view matrix**  $\mathbf{V}$  that can be used to change a coordinate of  $\mathbf{p}$  in object frame  $(x, y, z)$  to a coordinate  $\mathbf{p}'$  in camera frame  $(u, v, n)$

$$\mathbf{p}' = \mathbf{V}\mathbf{p}$$



- Change of origin can be handled by the translation matrix  $\mathbf{T}$
- Thus, our model-view matrix becomes

$$\mathbf{V} = \mathbf{T}_1\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{T}_2$$

where  $\mathbf{R}$  is a rotation matrix

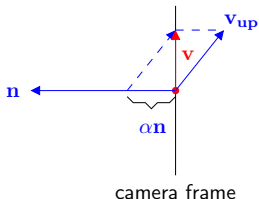
- Note that the rotation matrix  $\mathbf{R}$  will be the same in both case but not the translation matrices  $\mathbf{T}$  are not the same
- We are going to consider the second case:
  - 1 move your camera in the object frame to a desired location, and
  - 2 point the camera into the desired direction.

# Camera Frame

- Let's  $\mathbf{v}$  be the projection of  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}$  to the view plane
- Since  $\mathbf{v}$  will be another axis,  $\mathbf{v}$  must be orthogonal to  $\mathbf{n}$ .  
According to the dot-product, we have

$$\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{v} = 0$$

- Consider the situation below



- $\mathbf{v}$  is a linear combination of  $\mathbf{n}$  and  $\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}$ :

$$\mathbf{v} = \alpha\mathbf{n} + \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}$$

- We have

$$\mathbf{v} = \alpha \mathbf{n} + \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}$$

$$\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{n} = (\alpha \mathbf{n} + \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}}) \cdot \mathbf{n}$$

$$0 = \alpha \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n} + \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} \cdot \mathbf{n}$$

$$-\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} \cdot \mathbf{n} = \alpha \mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n}$$

$$-\frac{\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} \cdot \mathbf{n}}{\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n}} = \alpha$$

- Therefore

$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} - \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} \cdot \mathbf{n}}{\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n}} \mathbf{n}$$

- For the third axis ( $\mathbf{u}$ ) can be obtained by the cross-product

$$\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{n}$$

# Camera Frame

- Now we have three axes that define the camera frame

$$\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \\ u_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{v} = \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{and } \mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} n_x \\ n_y \\ n_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Note that these vectors are not always be unit vectors. We need to normalize them:

$$\mathbf{u}' = \frac{\mathbf{u}}{|\mathbf{u}|} = \frac{1}{|\mathbf{u}|} \begin{bmatrix} u_x \\ u_y \\ u_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u'_x \\ u'_y \\ u'_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v}' = \frac{\mathbf{v}}{|\mathbf{v}|} = \frac{1}{|\mathbf{v}|} \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} v'_x \\ v'_y \\ v'_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{n}' = \frac{\mathbf{n}}{|\mathbf{n}|} = \frac{1}{|\mathbf{n}|} \begin{bmatrix} n_x \\ n_y \\ n_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} n'_x \\ n'_y \\ n'_z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Camera Frame

- From a Chapter 3 slide, in homogeneous coordinate, we have

$$u' = u'_x x + u'_y y + u'_z z$$

$$v' = v'_x x + v'_y y + v'_z z$$

$$n' = n'_x x + n'_y y + n'_z z$$

$$Q_0 = P_0$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{bmatrix} u' \\ v' \\ n' \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u'_x & u'_y & u'_z & 0 \\ v'_x & v'_y & v'_z & 0 \\ n'_x & n'_y & n'_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{M} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

where

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} u'_x & u'_y & u'_z & 0 \\ v'_x & v'_y & v'_z & 0 \\ n'_x & n'_y & n'_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Note that we do not include translation of the origin, it will be handle by a translation matrix

# Camera Frame

- Recall that  $(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1}$  is a matrix that take us from object frame to camera frame
- Thus we have

$$\mathbf{R} = (\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1}$$

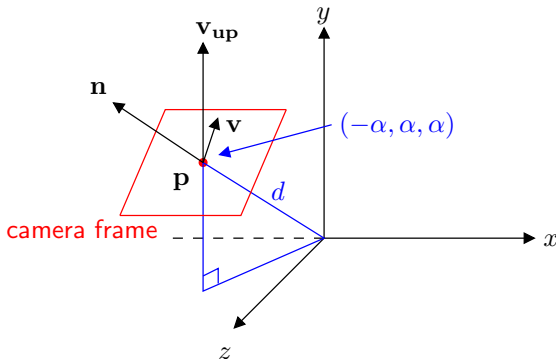
- Since  $\mathbf{M}^T$  is a rotation matrix, as discussed in previous chapter, its inverse is simply its transpose. Therefore

$$\mathbf{R} = (\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1} = (\mathbf{M}^T)^T = \mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} u'_x & u'_y & u'_z & 0 \\ v'_x & v'_y & v'_z & 0 \\ n'_x & n'_y & n'_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example

## Problem

Suppose we want to move the camera to a point  $(-\alpha, \alpha, \alpha)$  such that the distance from the center of the camera frame to the origin is  $d$ . Then orient the camera to point to the origin. What would be the view-model matrix?



# Example

- First we need to find the view reference point by simply solve  $\sqrt{(-\alpha)^2 + \alpha^2 + \alpha^2} = d$  which gives us  $\alpha = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}d$ . Thus we have

$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} -d/\sqrt{3} \\ d/\sqrt{3} \\ d/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Since  $\mathbf{n}$  is in the same direction from the origin to the VRP,  $\mathbf{n}$  can simply be a vector:

$$\mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- We use y-axis as a reference to the up direction of the camera, therefore the VUP can simply be

$$\mathbf{v}_{up} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Example

- Recall that

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} - \frac{\mathbf{v}_{\text{up}} \cdot \mathbf{n}}{\mathbf{n} \cdot \mathbf{n}} \mathbf{n} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{(0)(-1) + (1)(1) + (0)(1) + (0)(0)}{(-1)(-1) + (1)(1) + (1)(1) + (0)(0)} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{3} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 2/3 \\ -1/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

- Note that  $|\mathbf{v}| = \sqrt{(1/3)^2 + (2/3)^2 + (-1/3)^2} = \sqrt{6}/3$ , thus

$$\mathbf{v}' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}/3} \begin{bmatrix} 1/3 \\ 2/3 \\ -1/3 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{6} \\ 2/\sqrt{6} \\ -1/\sqrt{6} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example

- Recall that  $\mathbf{u} = \mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{n}$  and

$$\mathbf{v} \times \mathbf{n} = \begin{bmatrix} v_y n_z - v_z n_y \\ v_z n_x - v_x n_z \\ v_x n_y - v_y n_x \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} (2/3)(1) - (-1/3)(1) \\ (-1/3)(-1) - (1/3)(1) \\ (1/3)(1) - (2/3)(-1) \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{u}$$

- $|\mathbf{u}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 0^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{2}$ , thus

$$\mathbf{u}' = \frac{\mathbf{u}}{|\mathbf{u}|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Note that  $|\mathbf{n}| = \sqrt{1^2 + 1^2 + 1^2} = \sqrt{3}$ , thus

$$\mathbf{n}' = \frac{\mathbf{n}}{|\mathbf{n}|} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example

- This is the same as change of frame where we change from the original bases  $x$ ,  $y$ , and  $z$  to a new bases  $u$ ,  $v$ , and  $n$  where

$$u' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}x + (0)y + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}z$$

$$v' = \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}x + \frac{2}{\sqrt{6}}y - \frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}z$$

$$n' = -\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}x + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}y + \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}z$$

$$Q_0 = -\frac{d}{\sqrt{3}}x + \frac{d}{\sqrt{3}}y + \frac{d}{\sqrt{3}}z + P_0$$

which is equivalent to

$$\begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \\ n \\ Q_0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} & 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 \\ -d/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P_0 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{M} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ P_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

where

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{6} & 0 \\ -1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 1/\sqrt{3} & 0 \\ -d/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Example

- Recall that  $(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1}$  is a matrix that translate points in the bases  $x, y, z$  to the bases  $u', v', n'$
- From the matrix  $\mathbf{M}$  we have

$$\mathbf{M}^T = \begin{bmatrix} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{3} & -d/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The augmented matrix of  $\mathbf{M}^T$  is as follows:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{3} & -d/\sqrt{3} & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/\sqrt{2} & -1/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- Subtract row 3 by row 1:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 1/\sqrt{6} & -1/\sqrt{3} & -d/\sqrt{3} & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{3} & 2d/\sqrt{3} & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

# Example

- Subtract row 1 by  $(1/2)$  times row 2:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -\sqrt{3}/2 & -d\sqrt{3}/2 & 1 & -1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2/\sqrt{6} & 2/\sqrt{3} & 2d/\sqrt{3} & -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- Add row 3 by row 2:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & -\sqrt{3}/2 & -d\sqrt{3}/2 & 1 & -1/2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{3} & d\sqrt{3} & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- Add row 1 by  $(1/2)$  times row 3:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 1/\sqrt{3} & d/\sqrt{3} & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{3} & d\sqrt{3} & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

# Example

- Subtract row 2 by  $(1/3)$  times row 3:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 0 & 0 & 1/3 & 2/3 & -1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{3} & d\sqrt{3} & -1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- Subtract row 3 by  $d\sqrt{3}$  times row 4:

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1/\sqrt{2} & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 & 1/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 2/\sqrt{6} & 0 & 0 & 1/3 & 2/3 & -1/3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sqrt{3} & 0 & -1 & 1 & 1 & -d\sqrt{3} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

- Multiply row 1 by  $\sqrt{2}$ , multiply row 2 by  $\sqrt{6}/2$ , and multiply row 3 by  $1/\sqrt{3}$ :

$$\left[ \begin{array}{cccc|cccc} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{2}/2 & 0 & \sqrt{2}/2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \sqrt{6}/6 & \sqrt{6}/3 & -\sqrt{6}/6 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & -\sqrt{3}/3 & \sqrt{3}/3 & \sqrt{3}/3 & -d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{array} \right]$$

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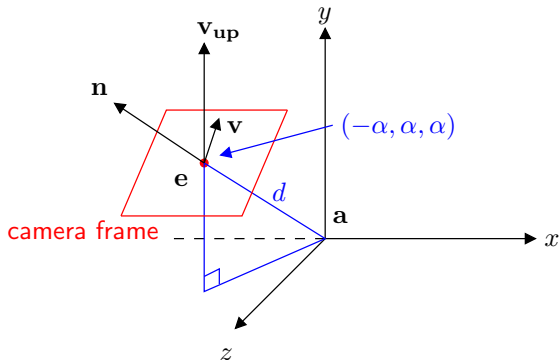
- We have

$$(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1} = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}/2 & 0 & \sqrt{2}/2 & 0 \\ \sqrt{6}/6 & \sqrt{6}/3 & -\sqrt{6}/6 & 0 \\ -\sqrt{3}/3 & \sqrt{3}/3 & \sqrt{3}/3 & -d \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- The matrix  $(\mathbf{M}^T)^{-1}$  can be used to change coordinates of vertices defined in the bases  $x, y, z$  to coordinates in bases  $u, v, n$ .

# Look At

- It may be simpler to visualize the way we look at the object



- Our eyes are at the point  $e$  and look at the point  $a$  with the up direction is indicated by  $\mathbf{v}_{up}$  vector.
- We can use the same idea to construct the model-view matrix



# Look At

- The view-plane normal  $\mathbf{vpn}$  is simply the vector  $\mathbf{e} - \mathbf{a}$  which can be normalized to

$$\mathbf{n} = \frac{\mathbf{vpn}}{|\mathbf{vpn}|}$$

- The normalized  $\mathbf{u}$  can be calculated by

$$\mathbf{u} = \frac{\mathbf{v_{up}} \times \mathbf{n}}{|\mathbf{v_{up}} \times \mathbf{n}|}$$

- Similarly, the normalized  $\mathbf{v}$  vector can be calculated by

$$\mathbf{v} = \frac{\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{u}}{|\mathbf{n} \times \mathbf{u}|}$$

- Finally, the view-reference point (VRP) is simply the eye point  $\mathbf{e}$
- Use  $\mathbf{u}$ ,  $\mathbf{v}$ ,  $\mathbf{n}$ , and  $\mathbf{p}$  to construct the model-view matrix as discussed earlier

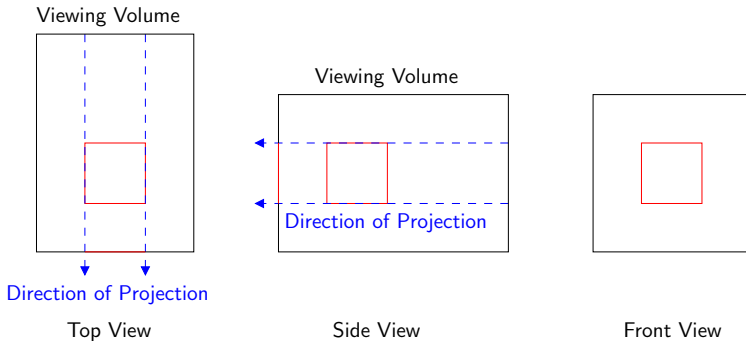
# Look At

- You should implement a function named `look_at` that returns a model-view matrix based on camera's position and orientation:

```
mat4 look_at(GLfloat eyex, GLfloat eyey, GLfloat eyez,  
             GLfloat atx, GLfloat aty, GLfloat atz,  
             GLfloat upx, GLfloat upy, GLfloat upz);
```

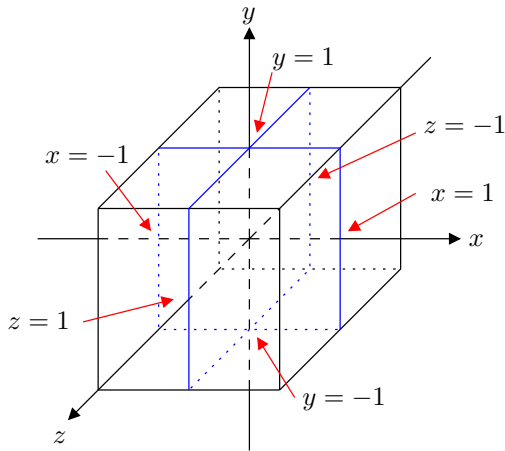
# Parallel Projections

- Orthogonal Projection



# Canonical View Volume

- OpenGL **canonical view volume** is a cube defined by the planes  $x = \pm 1$ ,  $y = \pm 1$ , and  $z = \pm 1$ .

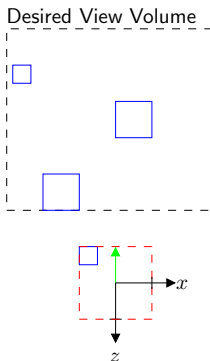


# Canonical View Volume

- OpenGL canonical view volume can be defined by six variables:
  - `left` = -1.0
  - `right` = 1.0
  - `bottom` = -1.0
  - `top` = 1.0
  - `near` = 1.0
  - `far` = -1.0
- **Note** that textbook uses `near` = -1.0 and `far` = 1.0
  - It is up to you how you want to define `near` and `far`
  - Your implementation must follow your definitions of `near` and `far`
  - For our discussion, in case of canonical view volume, `near` will be 1.0 and `far` will be -1.0

# Orthogonal-Projection Matrices

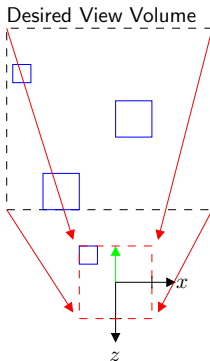
- Generally we want to define our own viewing volume as shown below:



- This is the same as zooming in and out

# Orthogonal-Projection Matrices

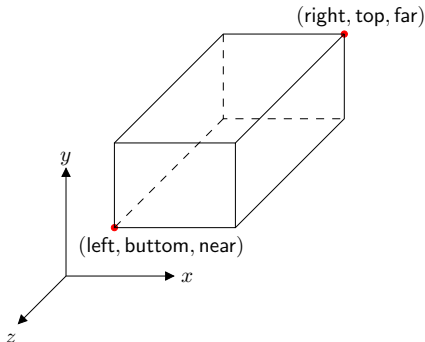
- A general idea is to translate and scale our desired view volume to fit into the OpenGL canonical view volume



- But first, we need a way to define a desired view volume

# Orthogonal-Projection Matrices

- Generally we want to define our own viewing volume as shown below:



- The viewing volume above is defined by two points  $(\text{left}, \text{bottom}, \text{near})$  and  $(\text{right}, \text{top}, \text{far})$ .



# Orthogonal-Projection Matrices

- All variables simply associated with actual camera frame coordinates  $(x, y, z)$
- Our goal is to fit user-defined view volume into the OpenGL canonical view volume
- This can be achieved by
  - 1 Translate the center of mass of the user-defined view volume to the center of mass of canonical view volume (origin)
  - 2 Scale the user-defined view volume to fit into the OpenGL canonical view volume

# Translating the Center of Mass

- Let  $(x, y, z)$  be the center of mass of the user-defined viewing volume. We have

$$x = \text{left} + \frac{\text{right} - \text{left}}{2} = \frac{2\text{left} + \text{right} - \text{left}}{2} = \frac{\text{right} + \text{left}}{2}$$

$$y = \text{bottom} + \frac{\text{top} - \text{bottom}}{2} = \frac{2\text{bottom} + \text{top} - \text{bottom}}{2} = \frac{\text{top} + \text{bottom}}{2}$$

$$z = \text{far} + \frac{\text{near} - \text{far}}{2} + \frac{2\text{far} + \text{near} - \text{far}}{2} = \frac{\text{near} + \text{far}}{2}$$

- Thus, the translation matrix  $\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{T}(-x, -y, -z)$  is as follows:

$$\mathbf{T} = \mathbf{T}(-x, -y, -z) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{\text{right} + \text{left}}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{\text{top} + \text{bottom}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{\text{near} + \text{far}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Scaling the View Volume

- Next, we need to scale it to fit into the OpenGL viewing volume
- The width of the OpenGL viewing volume is 2.0 and the width of the user-defined viewing volume is  $\text{right} - \text{left}$
- Thus, we need to scale it by the factor of  $\frac{2}{\text{right} - \text{left}}$
- Same for height and depth which are  $\frac{2}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}}$  and  $\frac{2}{\text{near} - \text{far}}$ , respectively.
- Thus, the scaling matrix  $S$  is as follows:

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{\text{near} - \text{far}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Orthogonal-Projection Matrices

- Since we need to translate and then scale, our projection matrix  $\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{ST}$

$$\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{ST} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\text{right}-\text{left}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2}{\text{top}-\text{bottom}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{\text{near}-\text{far}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -\frac{\text{right}+\text{left}}{2} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -\frac{\text{top}+\text{bottom}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -\frac{\text{near}+\text{far}}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\text{right}-\text{left}} & 0 & 0 & -\frac{\text{right}+\text{left}}{\text{right}-\text{left}} \\ 0 & \frac{2}{\text{top}-\text{bottom}} & 0 & -\frac{\text{top}+\text{bottom}}{\text{top}-\text{bottom}} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{\text{near}-\text{far}} & -\frac{\text{near}+\text{far}}{\text{near}-\text{far}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- It is a good idea to have a function named `ortho` that returns a orthogonal-projection matrix  $\mathbf{N}$

```
mat4 ortho(GLfloat left, GLfloat right,  
           GLfloat bottom, GLfloat top,  
           GLfloat near, GLfloat far);
```

- OpenGL original orthogonal-projection matrix is

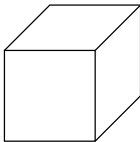
```
ortho(-1.0, 1.0, -1.0, 1.0, 1.0, -1.0);
```

# Oblique Projection

- In orthogonal projection, if we look directly at the front of the cube we have no idea that it is a cube



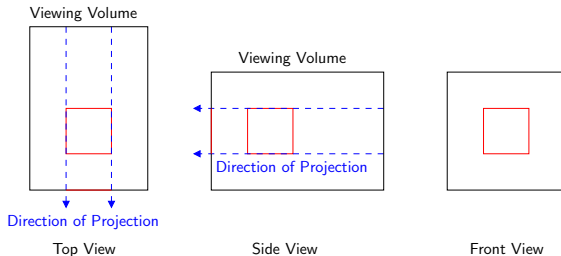
Orthogonal



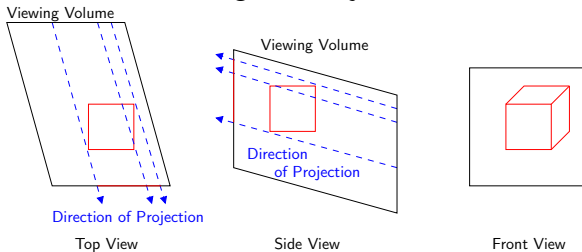
Oblique

- Oblique projection is very useful (we use it all the time)
- Generally, our view is orthogonal to the projection plane
- Oblique effect can be seen if we look at the projection plane in a angle
  - Angle that the projector make with the projection plane

# Oblique Projection



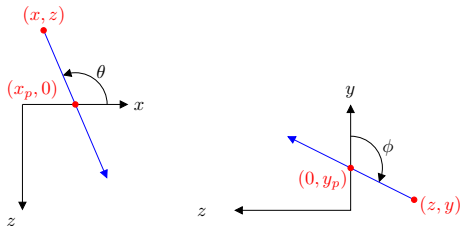
## Orthogonal Projection



## Oblique Projection

# Oblique Projection

- Consider the top view and the side view of a point  $(x, y, z)$



- We need to find a formula to translate the point  $(x, z)$  to  $(x_p, 0)$  and from  $(z, y)$  to  $(0, y_p)$

$$\tan \theta = \frac{z}{x_p - x} \text{ and } \tan \phi = \frac{z}{y_p - y}$$

therefore,

$$x_p = x + z \cot \theta \text{ and } y_p = y + z \cot \phi$$

- Note that the value of  $z$  in the above picture is less than 0 which corresponds to the value of  $\tan \theta$  and  $\tan \phi$  when  $\theta$  and  $\phi$  are greater than  $90^\circ$  and  $1/\tan \theta = \cot \theta$ .

# Oblique Projection

- The value of  $x$  and  $y$  are changed based on the value of  $z$  and angles which is equivalent to

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cot \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \cot \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

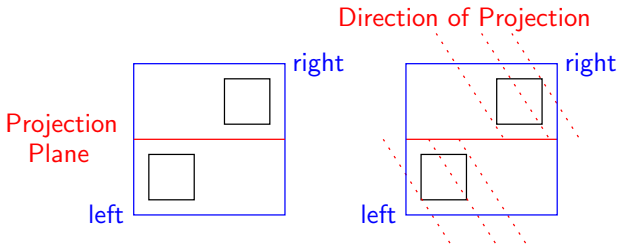
which is equivalent to

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{M}_{\text{orth}} \mathbf{H}(\theta, \phi) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \cot \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \cot \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Oblique Projection

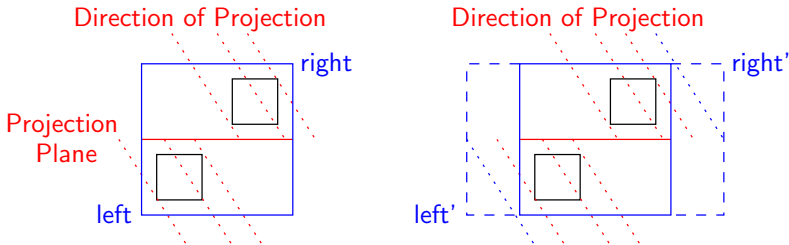
- Let's consider the top view of two cubes in a view volume:



- From the above situation:
  - we can only see half of the front of the cube in the front.
  - we can only see half of the right side of the cube in the back.
- We need to change the view volume a little bit

# Oblique Projection

- The original view volume can be changed by the same shear



- From the above picture

$$\text{left}' = \text{left} + \text{near} \cot \theta$$

$$\text{right}' = \text{right} + \text{far} \cot \theta$$

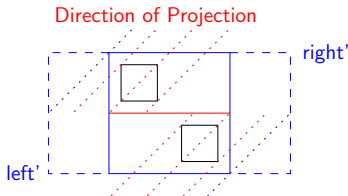
- Similarly,

$$\text{bottom}' = \text{bottom} + \text{near} \cot \phi$$

$$\text{top}' = \text{top} + \text{far} \cot \phi$$

# Oblique Projection

- However,  $\text{near}'$  and  $\text{far}'$  is different if the direction of projection  $\theta < 90$  change as shown below



- In the above case,  $\text{left}'$  depends on the value of  $\text{far}$  and  $\text{right}'$  depends on the value of  $\text{near}$

$$\text{left}' = \text{left} + \text{far} \cot \theta$$

$$\text{right}' = \text{right} + \text{near} \cot \theta$$

- Similarly,

$$\text{bottom}' = \text{bottom} + \text{far} \cot \phi$$

$$\text{top}' = \text{top} + \text{near} \cot \phi$$

# Model View and Projection Matrices in OpenGL

- Similarly to transformation matrix, model view and projection matrices will be sent to the vertex shader as two uniform variables of type `mat4`

```
#version 130

in vec4 vPosition;
in vec4 vColor;
out vec4 color;

uniform mat4 model_view_matrix;
uniform mat4 projection_matrix;

void main()
{
    color = vColor;
    gl_Position = projection_matrix * model_view_matrix * vPosition;
}
```

- **Note** that we apply the model view matrix first

# Model View and Projection Matrices in OpenGL

- In the `init()` function, we need to locate those variables in the vertex shader:

```
model_view_location = glGetUniformLocation(program,  
                                           "model_view_matrix");  
projection_location = glGetUniformLocation(program,  
                                           "projection_matrix");
```

where `model_view_location` and `projection_location` are global variables of type `GLuint`

- As usual, simply send both matrices to the vertex shader before drawing:

```
glClear(...);  
  
glUniformMatrix4fv(model_view_location, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                   (GLfloat *) &model_view);  
glUniformMatrix4fv(projection_location, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                   (GLfloat *) &projection);  
  
glDrawArrays(...);  
glutSwapBuffers();
```

# Model View and Projection Matrices in OpenGL

- The model view matrix is the matrix generated by the `look_at()` function

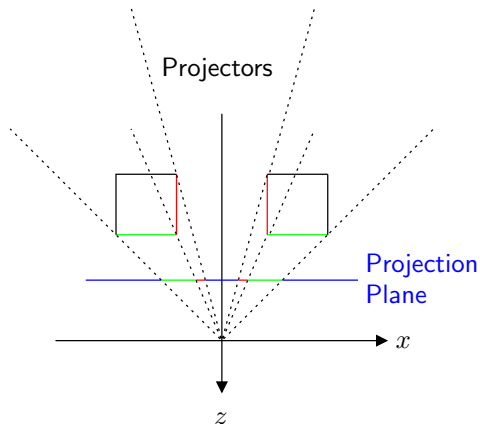
```
mat4 look_at(GLfloat eyex, GLfloat eyey, GLfloat eyez,  
             GLfloat atx, GLfloat aty, GLfloat atz,  
             GLfloat upx, GLfloat upy, GLfloat upz);
```

- In case of orthographic projection, the projection matrix is the matrix generated by the `ortho()` function

```
mat4 ortho(GLfloat left, GLfloat right,  
           GLfloat bottom, GLfloat top,  
           GLfloat near, GLfloat far);
```

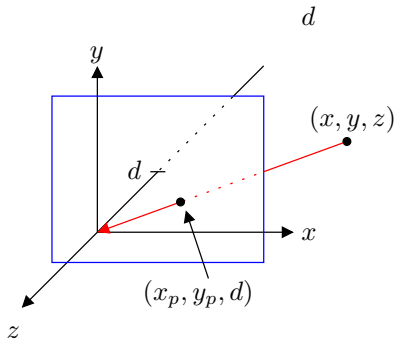
# Perspective Projections

- Consider the situation where the center of projection is at the origin:



# Simple Perspective Projection

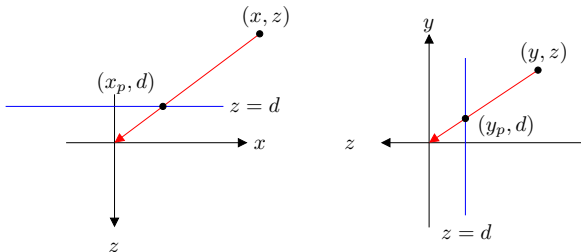
- All projectors pass through the origin
- Projection plane is at the plane  $z = d$  where  $d < 0$
- A point  $(x, y, z)$  is projected to the point  $(x_p, y_p, d)$





# Simple Perspective Projection

- Consider the top view and the side view



- From above, we have

$$\frac{x}{z} = \frac{x_p}{d} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad x_p = \frac{x}{z/d}$$

and

$$\frac{y}{z} = \frac{y_p}{d} \quad \rightsquigarrow \quad y_p = \frac{y}{z/d}$$

- Note that the value of  $x_p$  and  $y_p$  depend on  $z$ . The further the object from the origin, the smaller it appears

# Simple Perspective Projection

- All points are moved to the plane  $z = d$ .
  - We lost all  $z$  values which causes problem with hidden-surface removal.
- Instead of representing a point by  $(x, y, z, 1)$ , use  $(wx, wy, wz, w)$  instead.
  - To obtain the original point, simply divided by  $w$  ( $w \neq 0$ )
- Consider the matrix  $\mathbf{M}$  and a point  $\mathbf{p}$  as follows:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/d & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

we have

$$\mathbf{Mp} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/d & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ z/d \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{q}$$

- Note that the fourth component of  $\mathbf{q}$  is not 1.

# Simple Perspective Projection

- But if we multiply  $\mathbf{q}$  by  $\frac{1}{z/d}$ , we have

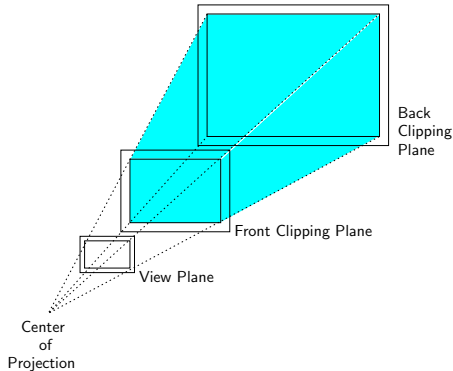
$$\frac{1}{z/d}\mathbf{q} = \frac{1}{z/d} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ z/d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{x}{z/d} \\ \frac{y}{z/d} \\ d \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_p \\ y_p \\ d \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

which is what we want as discussed earlier.

- By using this method, we need to perform **perspective division** at the end to obtain the correct representation of points.
- **Note** that OpenGL already support homogeneous coordinates where the fourth component are not 1

# Viewing Volume

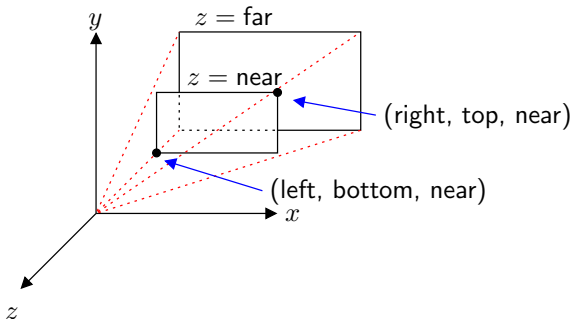
- Consider a viewing volume in a perspective projection



- The above viewing volume is a frustum
- We want a way to specify a viewing volume as a frustum

# Specification of a Frustum

- Consider a viewing volume below:

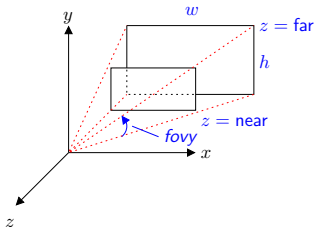


- We can specify a frustum using six values, left, right, bottom, top, near, and far.
- It is a good idea to have a function that returns a perspective model-view matrix defined in a form of a frustum:

```
mat4 frustum(GLfloat left, GLfloat right, GLfloat bottom,
             GLfloat top, GLfloat near, GLfloat far);
```

# Field of View

- Often time, we define the specification of perspective viewing as a field of view



- This field of view can be defined by four variables:

```
mat4 perspective(GLfloat fovy, GLfloat aspect,  
                GLfloat near, GLfloat far);
```

where

- $\text{fovy}$  is an angle between top and bottom planes
- $\text{aspect}$  is a ratio between the width and the height of view volume
- It is pretty straightforward to convert field of view into frustum.

# Perspective Normalization

- Recall that our simple perspective-projection matrix

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/d & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

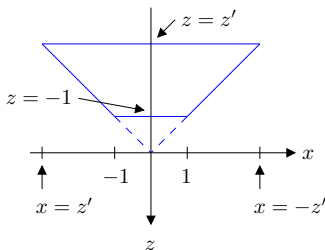
- If the projection plane is at  $z = -1$  ( $d = -1$ ) we have:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

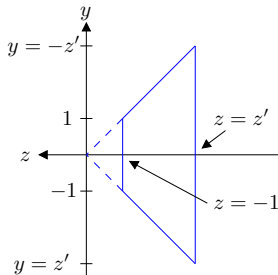
- We need to define a clipping volume

# Perspective Normalization

- Let's consider a simple clipping volume as shown below:



Top View



Side View

- The left and the right planes of the frustum is defined by  $x = z$  and  $x = -z$
- Similarly, the top and the bottom planes is defined by  $y = -z$  and  $y = z$



# Perspective Normalization

- Recall that a point  $(x, y, z)$  is projected to a new point  $(x_p, y_p, d)$  where

$$x_p = \frac{x}{z/d} \text{ and } y_p = \frac{y}{z/d}$$

- Since  $d = -1$ , we have  $x_p = -x/z$  and  $y_p = -y/z$
- Any point  $(x, y, z)$  where  $-z \leq x \leq z$  and  $-z \leq y \leq z$  get projected to  $(x_p, y_p, -1)$  where  $-1 \leq x_p \leq 1$  and  $-1 \leq y_p \leq 1$  (canonical view volume)
- But we have to deal with near and far

# Perspective Projection Matrices

- Consider the matrix

$$\mathbf{N} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- This matrix transform a point  $p = (x, y, z, 1)$  to and new point  $q = (x', y', z', w')$

$$\mathbf{N}p = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \alpha & \beta \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \alpha z + \beta \\ -z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ w' \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{q}$$

- Multiply  $\mathbf{q}$  by  $1/w'$  we have

$$\frac{1}{w'}\mathbf{q} = -\frac{1}{z} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \alpha z + \beta \\ -z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -x/z \\ -y/z \\ -(\alpha + \beta/z) \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x'' \\ y'' \\ z'' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Perspective Projection Matrices

- Note that  $x''$  and  $y''$  are what we need
- However, we need to find the right value for  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  such that
  - For a point where  $z = \text{near}$ , it is changed to  $z'' = 1$ , and
  - for a point where  $z = \text{far}$ , it is changed to  $z'' = -1$to fit in OpenGL canonical view volume
- So, we have

$$1 = -\left(\alpha + \frac{\beta}{\text{near}}\right) \text{ and } -1 = -\left(\alpha + \frac{\beta}{\text{far}}\right)$$

- Let's solve the above equations to find the value of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  in terms of near and far

$$\begin{aligned} 1 &= -\left(\alpha + \frac{\beta}{\text{near}}\right) \\ &= -\alpha - \frac{\beta}{\text{near}} \\ \alpha &= -1 - \frac{\beta}{\text{near}} \end{aligned}$$

# Perspective Projection Matrices

- Substitute the value of  $\alpha$

$$\begin{aligned}-1 &= -\left(-1 - \frac{\beta}{\text{near}}\right) + \frac{\beta}{\text{far}} \\&= 1 + \frac{\beta}{\text{near}} - \frac{\beta}{\text{far}} \\&= 1 + \beta\left(\frac{1}{\text{near}} - \frac{1}{\text{far}}\right) \\&= 1 + \beta\frac{\text{far} - \text{near}}{\text{near} \times \text{far}} \\-2 &= \beta\frac{\text{far} - \text{near}}{\text{near} \times \text{far}} \\\beta &= -\frac{2 \times \text{near} \times \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}}\end{aligned}$$

- Recall the value of  $\alpha$

$$\begin{aligned}\alpha &= -1 - \frac{\beta}{\text{near}} \\&= -1 + \frac{2 \times \text{near} \times \text{far}}{(\text{far} - \text{near}) \times \text{near}} \\&= -1 + \frac{2 \times \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}} = \frac{-\text{far} + \text{near} + (2 \times \text{far})}{\text{far} - \text{near}} = \frac{\text{near} + \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}}\end{aligned}$$

# Perspective Projection Matrix

- Thus, our matrix  $\mathbf{N}$  becomes

$$\mathbf{N} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{near+far}{far-near} & -\frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

- This matrix should take any points at  $z = near$  to  $z = 1.0$  and  $z = far$  to  $z = -1.0$  (canonical view volume)

# Perspective Projection Matrix

- Let's check for a point  $(x, y, near)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{N} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{near+far}{far-near} & -\frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{near+far}{far-near} near - \frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ -near \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{(near \times near) + (near \times far) - 2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ -near \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{(near \times near) - (near \times far)}{far-near} \\ -near \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{near(near-far)}{far-near} \\ -near \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ -near \\ -near \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

- Once you divide by  $-near$ , you get the  $z$  component to be 1.0 as expected.

# Perspective Projection Matrix

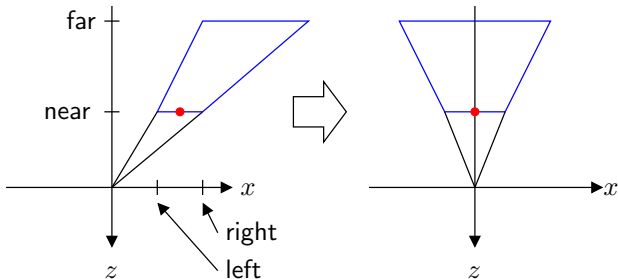
- Let's check for a point  $(x, y, far)$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{N} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ far \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{near+far}{far-near} & -\frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ far \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{near+far}{far-near} far - \frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ -far \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{(near \times far) + (far \times far) - 2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ -far \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{(far \times far) - (near \times far)}{far-near} \\ -far \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ \frac{far(far-near)}{far-near} \\ -far \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ far \\ -far \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

- Once you divide by  $-far$ , you get the  $z$  component to be  $-1.0$  as expected.

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- A view volume in a form of a frustum does not have to be a symmetric frustum
- We need to shear it into a symmetric one (see the top view of a frustum)

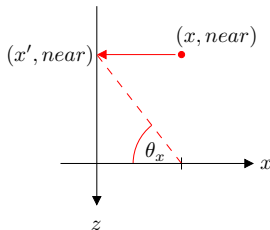


- This can be done by shearing the center of the near plane of the frustum to  $x = 0$
- Similarly, we need to shear the center of the near plane of the frustum to  $y = 0$



# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Consider the top view



- From the image above,  $z_0 = 0$ , we have

$$\tan \theta_x = \frac{z - z_0}{x' - x} = \frac{\text{near} - 0}{x' - x}$$

- If  $x = \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{2}$  and  $x' = 0$ , we have

$$\tan \theta_x = \frac{\text{near}}{0 - \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{2}} = \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{left} + \text{right}} \rightsquigarrow \cot \theta_x = \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{-2 \times \text{near}}$$

- Thus, we have

$$\theta_x = \cot^{-1} \left( \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{-2 \times \text{near}} \right)$$

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Similarly,

$$\phi_y = \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{bottom + top}{-2 \times near}\right)$$

- The required shear matrix is

$$\begin{aligned}\mathbf{H}_z(\theta_x, \phi_y) &= \mathbf{H}_z\left(\cot^{-1}\left(\frac{left + right}{-2 \times near}\right), \cot^{-1}\left(\frac{bottom + top}{-2 \times near}\right)\right) \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{left+right}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{bottom+top}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- The point  $(left, y, near)$  is moved to

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{left+right}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{bottom+top}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} left \\ y \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} left + \frac{left+right}{-2 \times near} near \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2 \times near} near \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} left + \frac{left+right}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2left+left+right}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{right-left}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

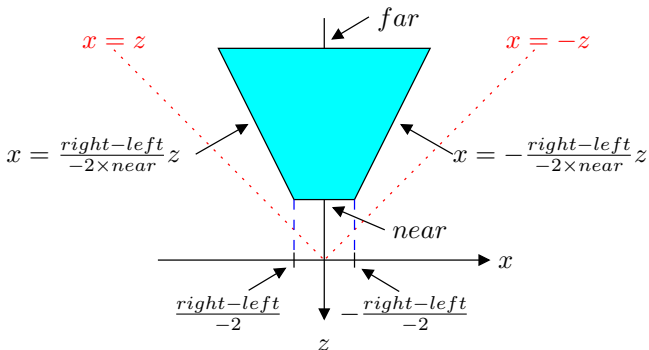
# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- The point  $(right, y, near)$  is moved to

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{left+right}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{bottom+top}{-2 \times near} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} right \\ y \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} right + \frac{left+right}{-2 \times near} near \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2 \times near} near \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} right + \frac{left+right}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2right+left+right}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{right-left}{-2} \\ y + \frac{bottom+top}{-2} \\ near \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Let's look at the top view of the frustum after shearing:



- We need to scale the frustum so that its sides are  $x = \pm z$
- Similarly, the sides of the frustum are  $y = \pm \frac{top-bottom}{-2 \times near}$  which must be scaled to  $y = \pm z$ .

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- This corresponds to the scaling matrix

$$S\left(\frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}}, \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}}, 1\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Recall that we have to perform the following:
  - shear the frustum (**H**)
  - scale the frustum (**S**)
  - fit the frustum into canonical view volume (**N**)in that order
- Thus, our desired perspective projection matrix  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{NSH}$

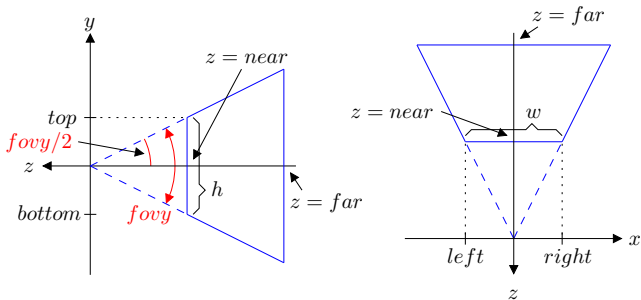
# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Our final perspective projection matrix

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{P}' = \mathbf{SH} &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{-2 \times \text{near}} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & \frac{\text{bottom} + \text{top}}{-2 \times \text{near}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & \frac{\text{bottom} + \text{top}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{NP}' &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\text{near} + \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}} & -\frac{2 \times \text{near} \times \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & \frac{\text{bottom} + \text{top}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 &= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 & \frac{\text{left} + \text{right}}{\text{right} - \text{left}} & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{-2 \times \text{near}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & \frac{\text{bottom} + \text{top}}{\text{top} - \text{bottom}} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{\text{near} + \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}} & -\frac{2 \times \text{near} \times \text{far}}{\text{far} - \text{near}} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- As mentioned earlier, a perspective projection matrix defined by a field of view can be converted into a frustum.
- Consider a side view of a frustum defined by a field of view:



- From above image, we can conclude the following:
  - $\text{bottom} = -\text{top}$  and also  $\text{left} = -\text{right}$
  - $\text{top} = \text{near} \times \tan(\text{fovy}/2)$
  - $\text{right} = \text{top}/\text{aspect}$



# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Thus, our perspective projection matrix becomes:

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{NSH} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{near}{right} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{near}{top} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{near+far}{far-near} & -\frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$
$$= \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{\cot(fovy/2)}{aspect} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -\cot(fovy/2) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{near+far}{far-near} & -\frac{2 \times near \times far}{far-near} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

# OpenGL Perspective Transformation

- Note that we need to incorporate our model view and projection matrices into our vertex shader
- Thus, our current vertex shader becomes:

```
in vec4 vPosition;  
in vec4 vColor;  
out vec4 color;  
uniform mat4 model_view;  
uniform mat4 projection;  
void main()  
{  
    gl_Position = projection * model_view * vPosition / vPosition.w;  
    color = vColor;  
}
```

# OpenGL Hidden Surface Removal

- Enable depth buffer and hidden-surface removal:

```
glutInitDisplayMode(GLUT_DOUBLE | GLUT_RGB | GLUT_DEPTH);  
glEnable(GL_DEPTH_TEST);
```

- Need to clear depth buffer before rendering:

```
glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT | GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);
```

- Tell OpenGL not to render a surface if its normal points away from the viewer:

```
glEnable(GL_CULL_FACE);
```