Large-Scale, Real-Time 3D Image Reconstruction Using Multi-View Stereo Algorithms

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Progress & Challenges

- Successfully got my code running on the NVIDIA graphics card (GeForce 9800 GX2).
 - Inititally, I was only able to run my program using the OpenGL implementation.
 - Discovered issues with my CUDA library installation and linking. Fixing the issues allowed me to run my code using the CUDA libraries.
 - Significant improvements in execution time of SIFT on current computer set-up:

CPU: ~8.8s | OpenGL: ~5.4s | CUDA: ~3.5s

Progress & Challenges

- Have been working on replacing ANN library with KNN CUDA library.
 - Challenge has been figuring out how to rewrite the code to utilize the same inputs as KeyMatchFull and ANN and produce the same outputs.

Goals for the next three weeks

- Replace ANN/KeyMatchFull with KNN CUDA. This will take up a large chunk of time due to how the Bundler software is designed.
- Parallelize SiftGPU, KNN CUDA, and/or PMVS2, depending on amount of time
 I have.

Culture

Tamsui Old Street





A-Gei (front bowl), specialty dish originating from Tamsui

Bali Wharf/Old Street





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