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Computer Graphics and Geometric Modeling

Transformation and Viewing

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Topics

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- Affine Transformation & Homogenous Transformations
- Transformation of 3D models
- Viewing in 3D

Goals of this class:

- Understanding the transformation processes in Computer Graphics
- Transform 3D models in 3D space
- Create and move a virtual camera in 3D space

Affine Transformations & Homogenous Transformations

Affine Transformations

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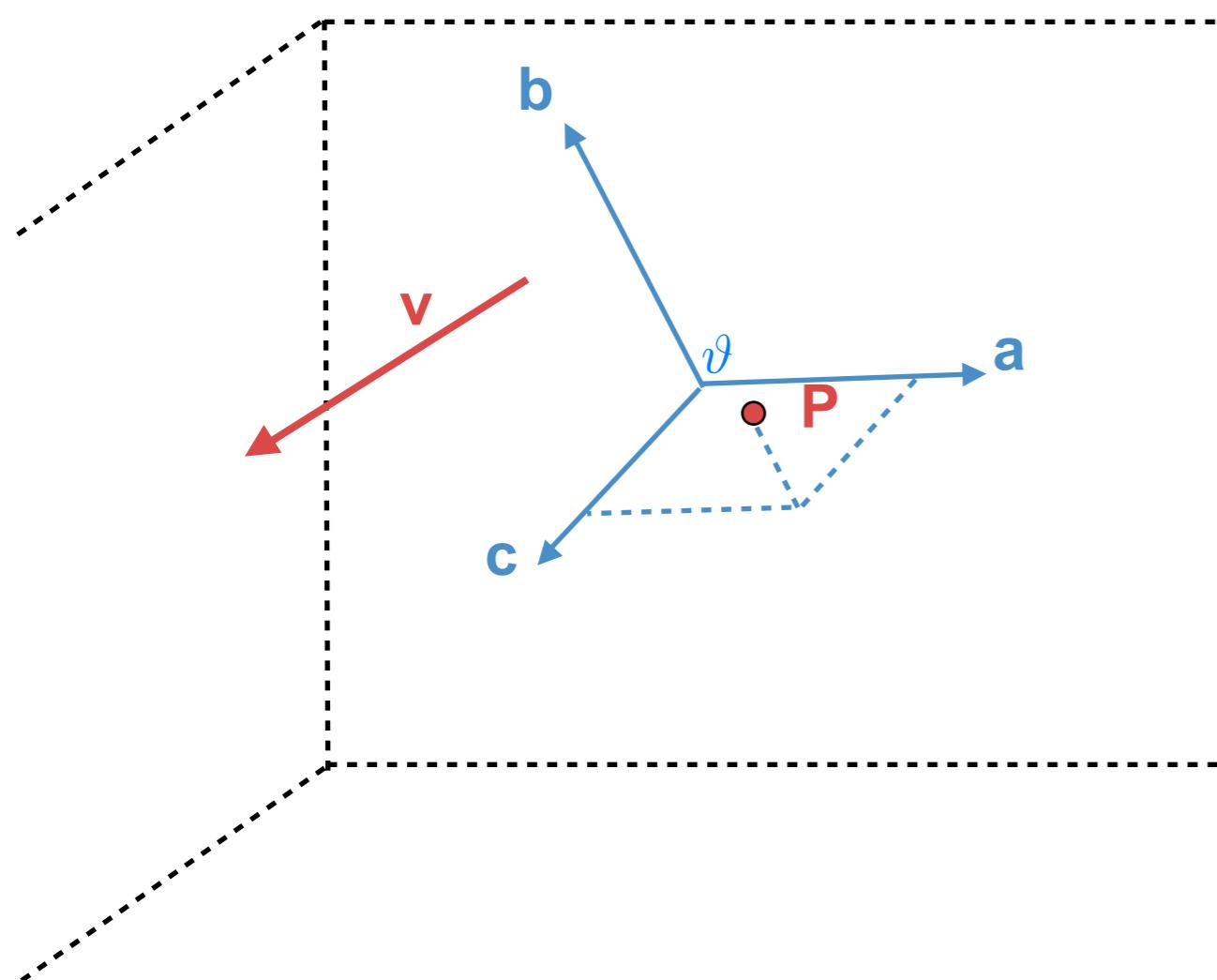
- Affine transformations are all mathematical transformations that preserve the geometrical structure of objects (point remains a point, a line a line, etc.)
- Cornerstone of computer graphics
- Lead to disasters and bugs because points and vectors are not the same!
- A point P has only a location, but no size and direction.
- A vector \mathbf{v} has a direction and a size, but it has no location.

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{pmatrix}$$

- Problems occur when points and vectors are transformed between coordinate systems

Coordinate Systems and Coordinate Frames

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ϑ : origin of the coordinate frame

a, b, c : coordinate frame vectors

v : vector

P : point in coordinate frame

a coordinate frame consists of an origin ϑ and three mutually perpendicular vectors a, b, c .

A vector in this coordinate frame is defined as:

$$v = v_1 \mathbf{a} + v_2 \mathbf{b} + v_3 \mathbf{c}$$

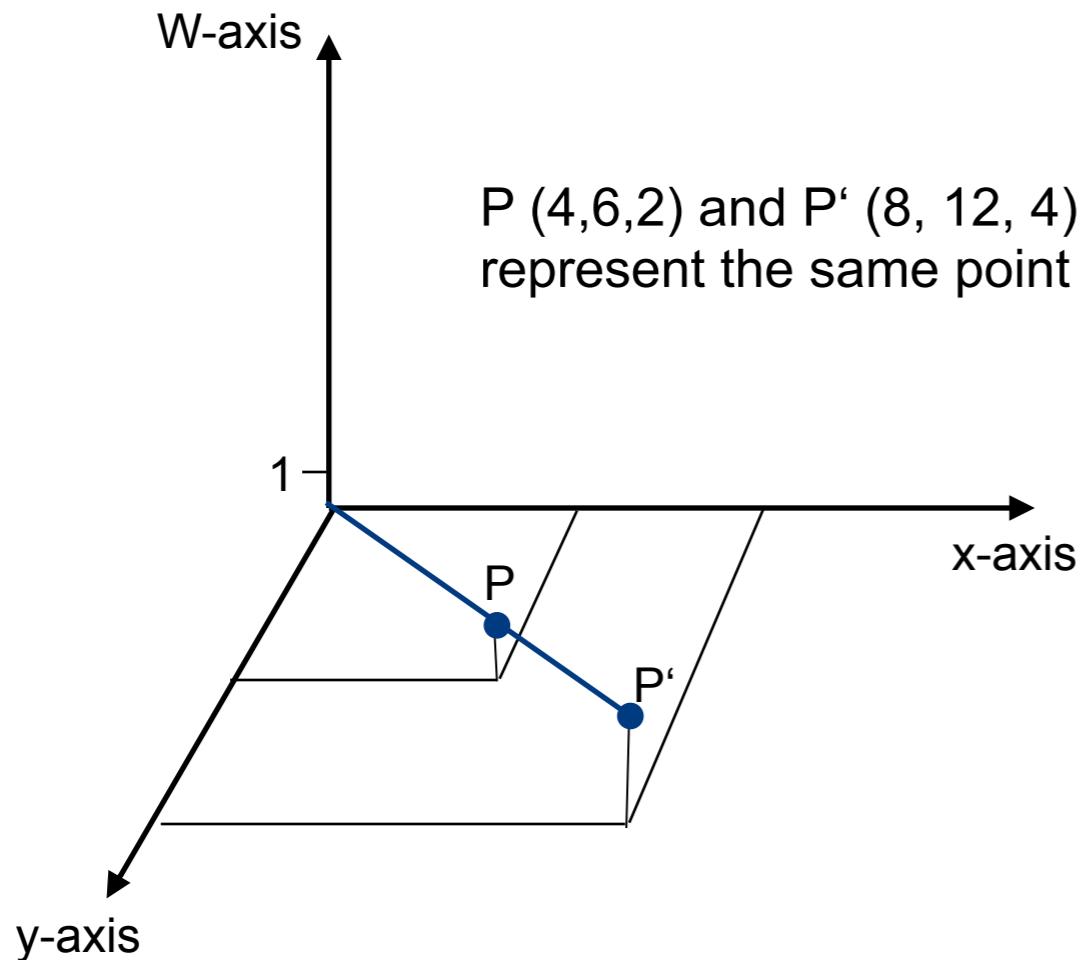
A point in this coordinate systems is defined as:

$$P = \vartheta + p_1 \mathbf{a} + p_2 \mathbf{b} + p_3 \mathbf{c}$$

The basic idea is to make the origin of each coordinate system explicit.

Homogenous Coordinate System - Projective Transformation

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The homogeneous coordinate system or projective transformation or projective space is a geometric coordinate system to represent projective information. The advantage is that the coordinates of points and vectors can be represented using a unique matrix. A scaling parameter w

$$H(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{x}{w}, \frac{y}{w}, \frac{z}{w}, 1 \right)$$

which also allows to distinguish points from vectors

- if $w = 0$: the matrix is a vector
- if $w = 1$: the matrix is a point

Same matrix for every transformation, here, in 2D space

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} m_{0,0} & m_{0,1} & m_{0,2} \\ m_{1,0} & m_{1,1} & m_{1,2} \\ m_{2,0} & m_{2,1} & w \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Transformation of homogenous coordinates in cartesian coordinates

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_k \\ y_k \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{x_h}{W} \\ \frac{y_h}{W} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Homogenous Coordinate System - Projective Transformation

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The homogenous representation of a vector and a point use the same set of underlying attributes a , b , c , and ϑ .

For a vector:

$$\mathbf{v} = (\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, \vartheta) \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 & \vartheta_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & \vartheta_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 & \vartheta_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

For a point:

$$P = (\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, \vartheta) \begin{pmatrix} P_1 \\ P_2 \\ P_3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} a_1 & b_1 & c_1 & \vartheta_1 \\ a_2 & b_2 & c_2 & \vartheta_2 \\ a_3 & b_3 & c_3 & \vartheta_3 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_1 \\ P_2 \\ P_3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- A 0 and 1 are used to distinguish a vector and a point
- Same notation for different representation of points and vectors
- Simplifies the maths.

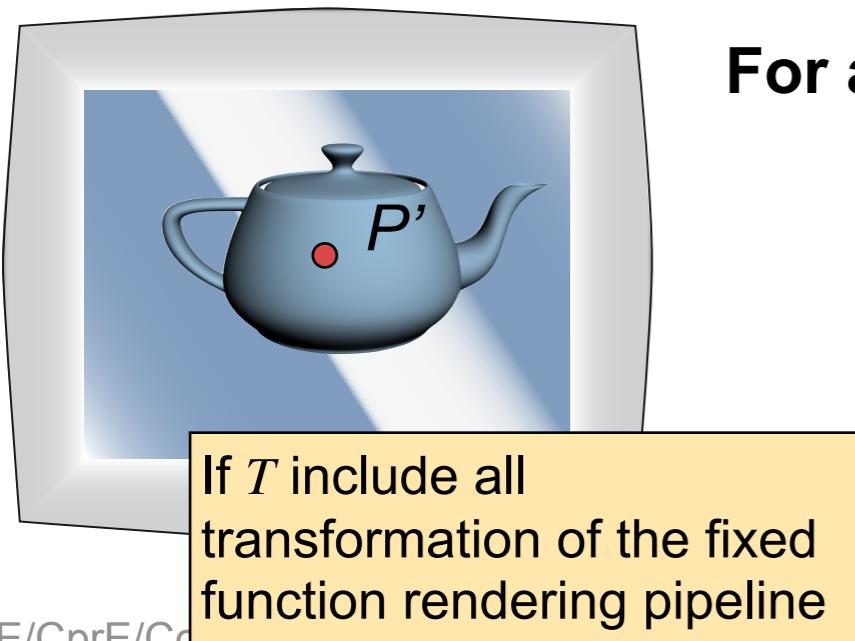
Transformation in 3D

The Homogenous Matrix

The homogenous matrix is used in computer graphics to transform objects in 3D space. It is a 4×4 matrix, which elements represent translations, rotations, and the scale factor of an object.

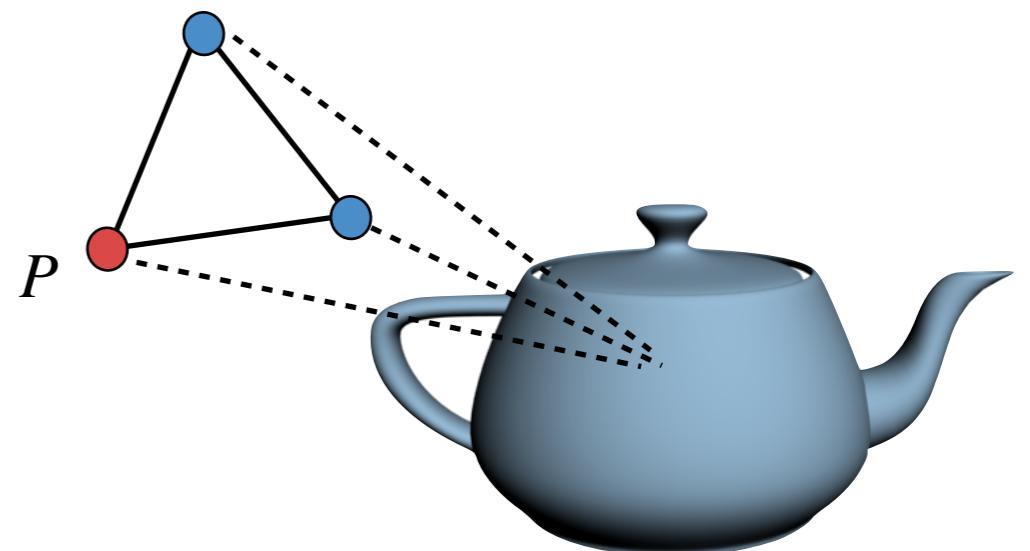
$$T := \begin{bmatrix} \text{Scale} & \text{Rotation} & \text{Translation} \\ \begin{matrix} r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & r_{14} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & r_{24} \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & r_{34} \\ r_{41} & r_{42} & r_{43} & r_{44} \end{matrix} \end{bmatrix}$$

with $r_{44} = w$



For all transformations:

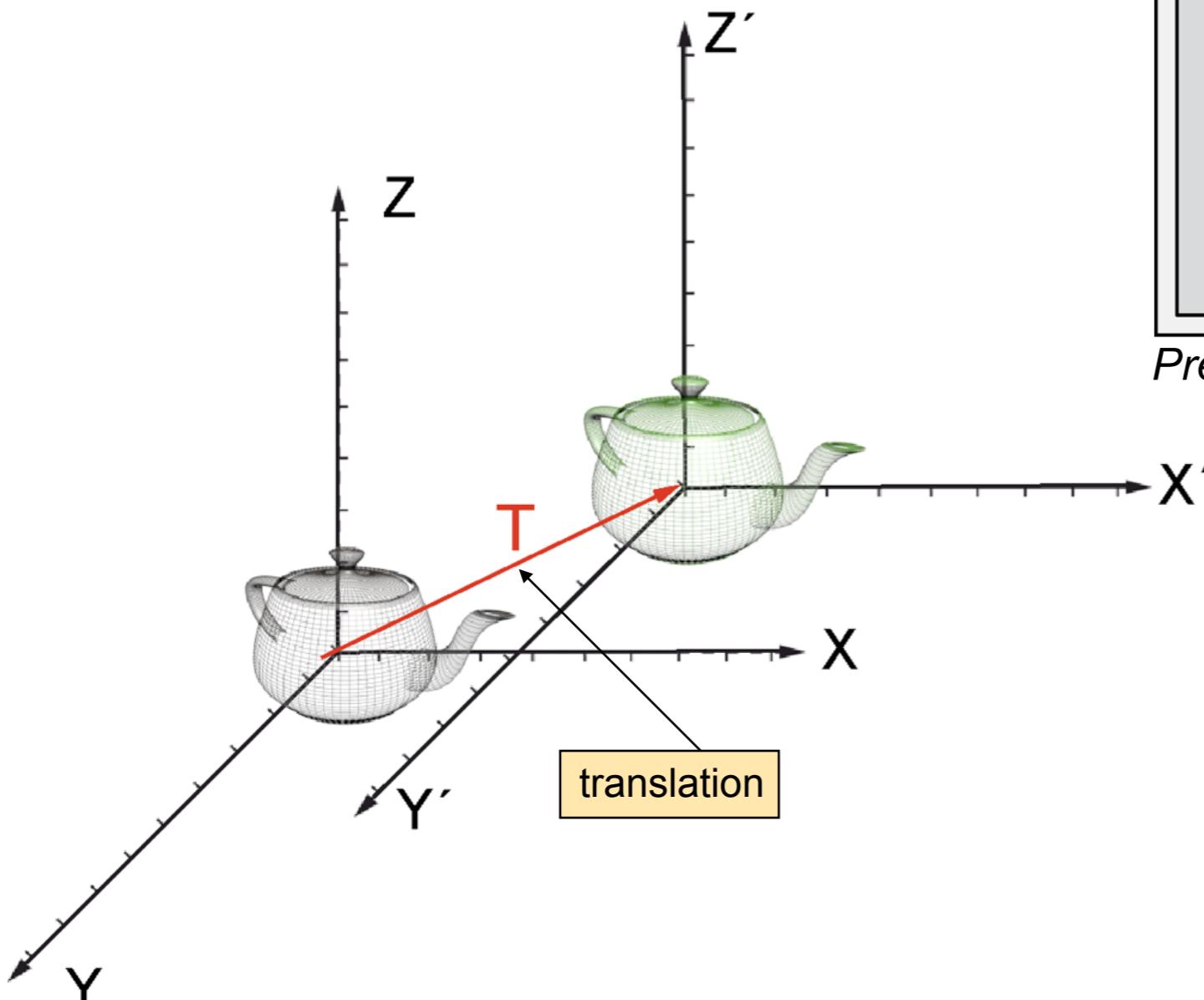
$$P' = T \cdot P$$



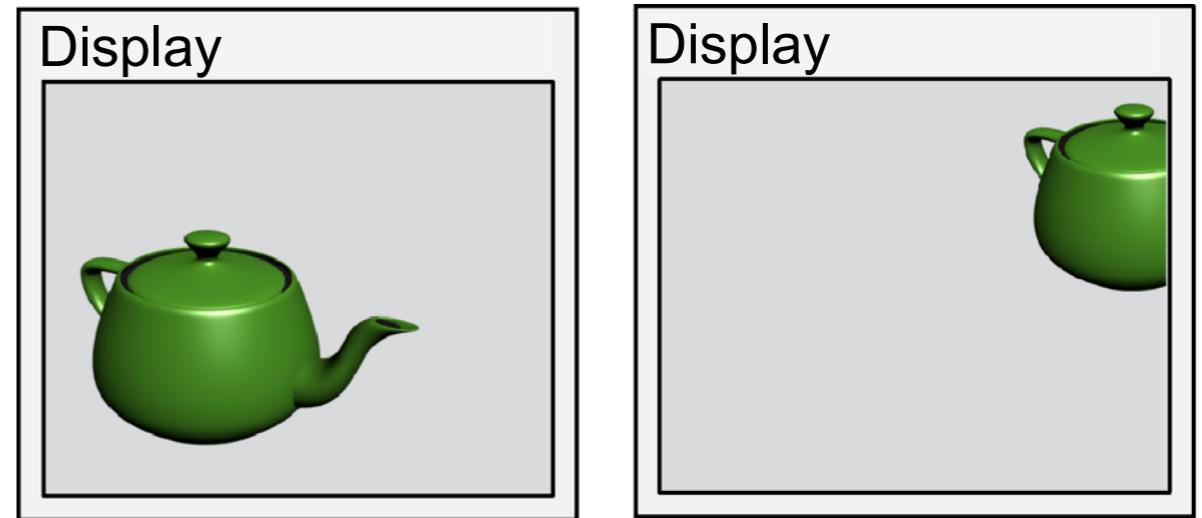
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Translation

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Translation of a 3D object in 3D space



Presentation of a translated model on screen

Translation of a point $P(x, y, z)$ by T

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

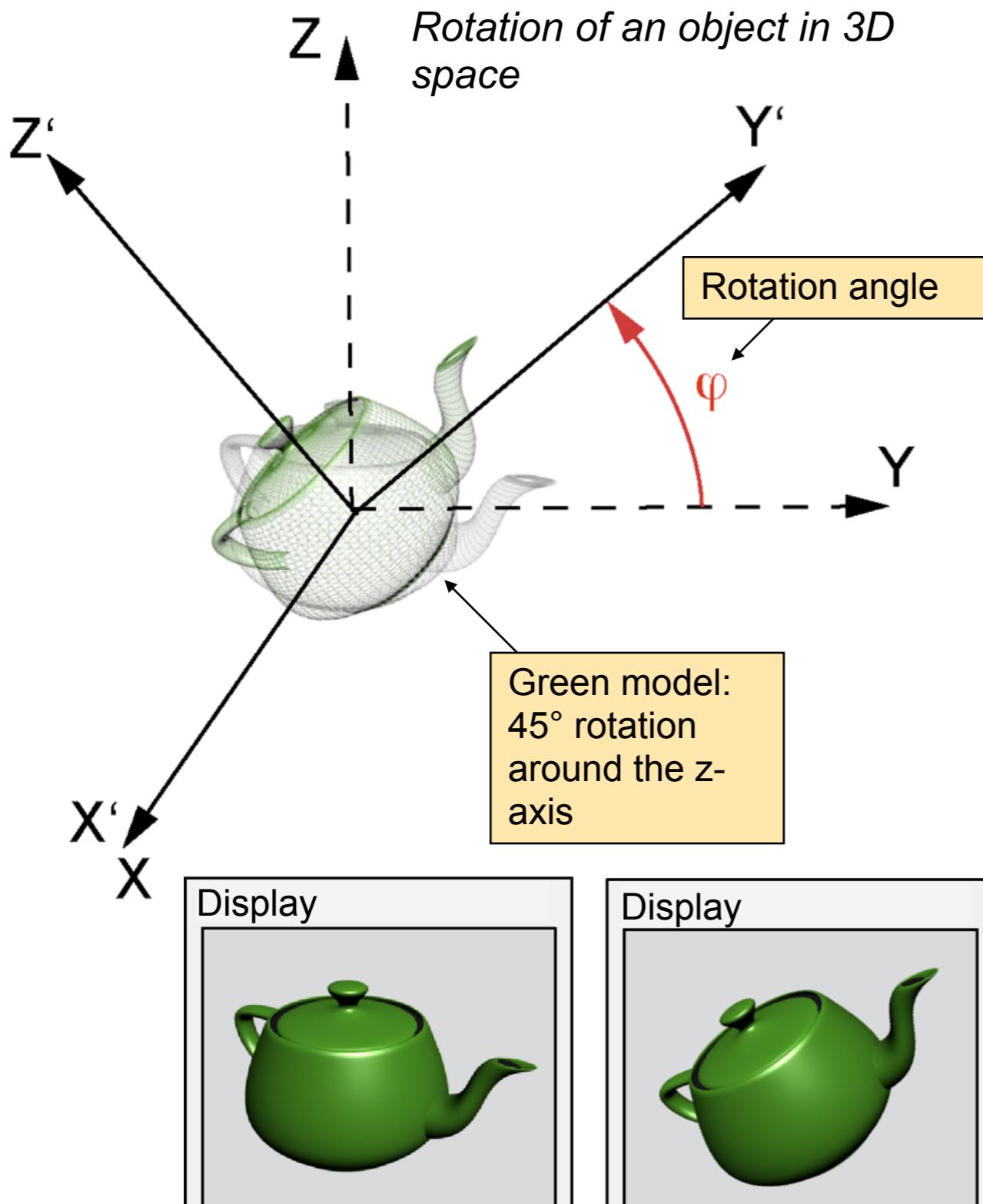
$$P' = T(t_x, t_y, t_z) \cdot P \quad \text{with}$$

$$T(t_x, t_y, t_z) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

3D-Transformation

Rotation

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Presentation of a rotated model on screen

Rotation around the x-axis

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\varphi) & -\sin(\varphi) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(\varphi) & \cos(\varphi) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P' = R_x(\varphi) \cdot P$$

Rotation around the y-axis

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\varphi) & 0 & \sin(\varphi) & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin(\varphi) & 0 & \cos(\varphi) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P' = R_y(\varphi) \cdot P$$

Rotation around the z-axis

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\varphi) & -\sin(\varphi) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\varphi) & \cos(\varphi) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

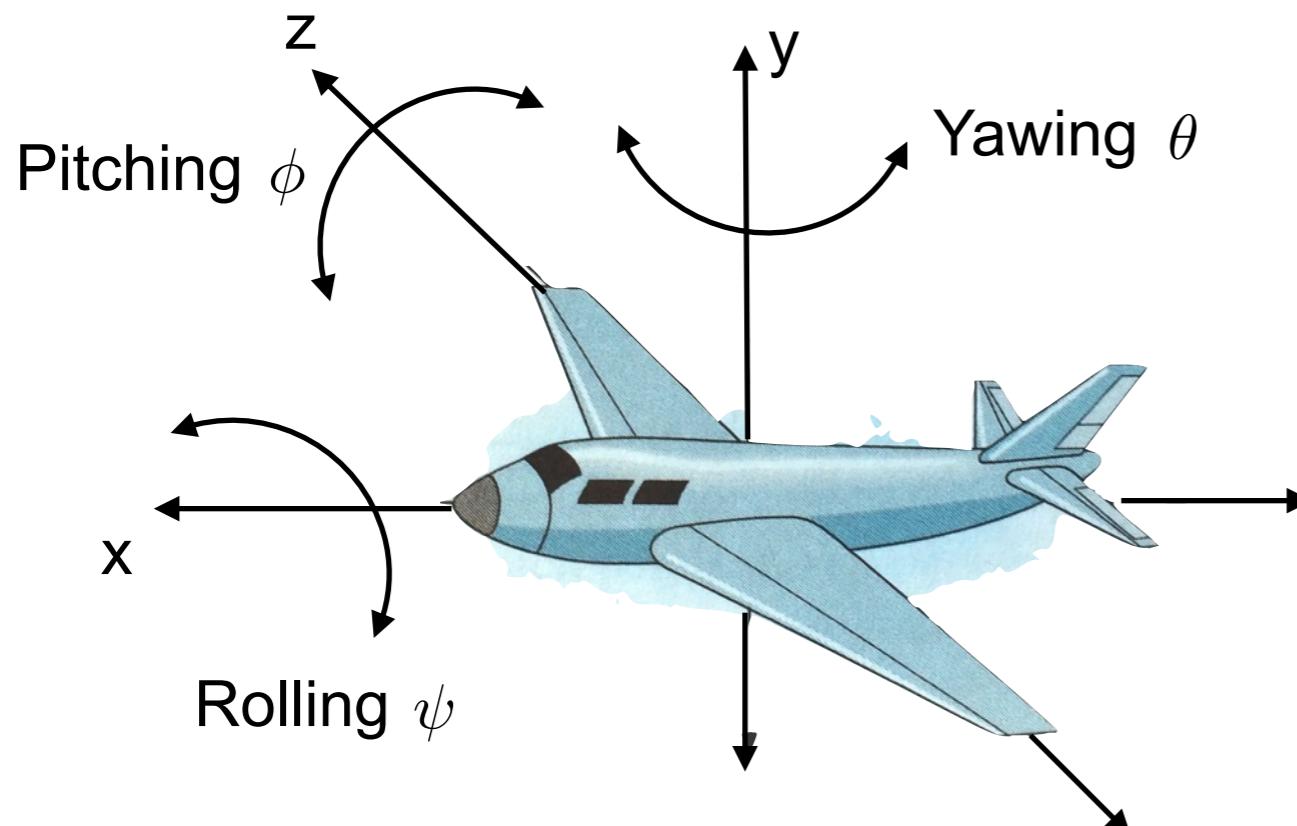
$$P' = R_z(\varphi) \cdot P$$

3D-Transformation

Euler Angles

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Euler angles are a mechanism for creating a rotation through the sequence of three simple rotations:



$$\mathbf{M} = R_{yz}(\psi) \ R_{zx}(\theta) \ R_{xy}(\phi)$$

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \psi & -\sin \psi \\ 0 & \sin \psi & \cos \psi \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi & 0 \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

3D-Transformation

Euler Angles

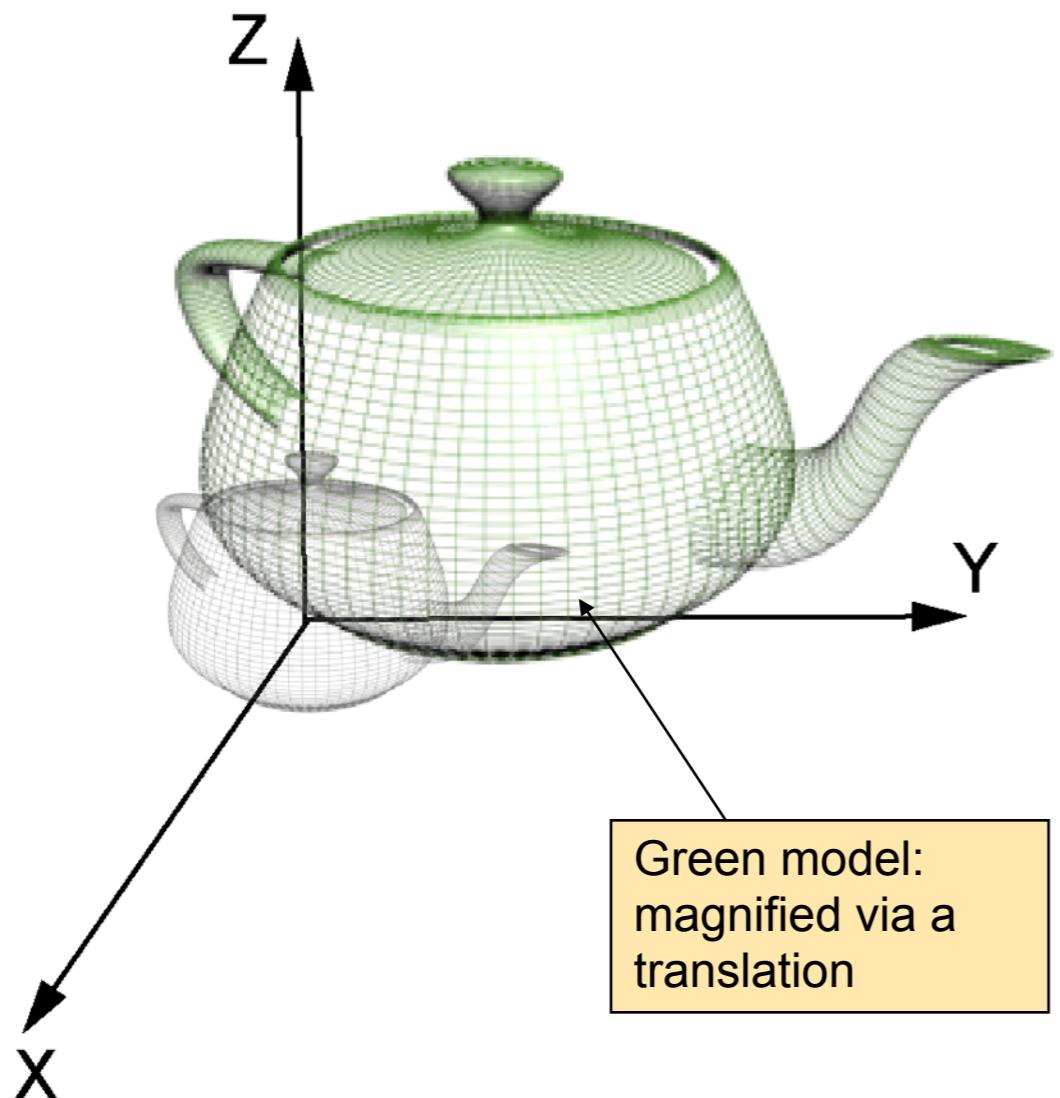
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In homogenous coordinate system:

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \psi & -\sin \psi & 0 \\ 0 & \sin \psi & \cos \psi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta & 0 & \sin \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin \theta & 0 & \cos \theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \cos \phi & -\sin \phi & 0 & 0 \\ \sin \phi & \cos \phi & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

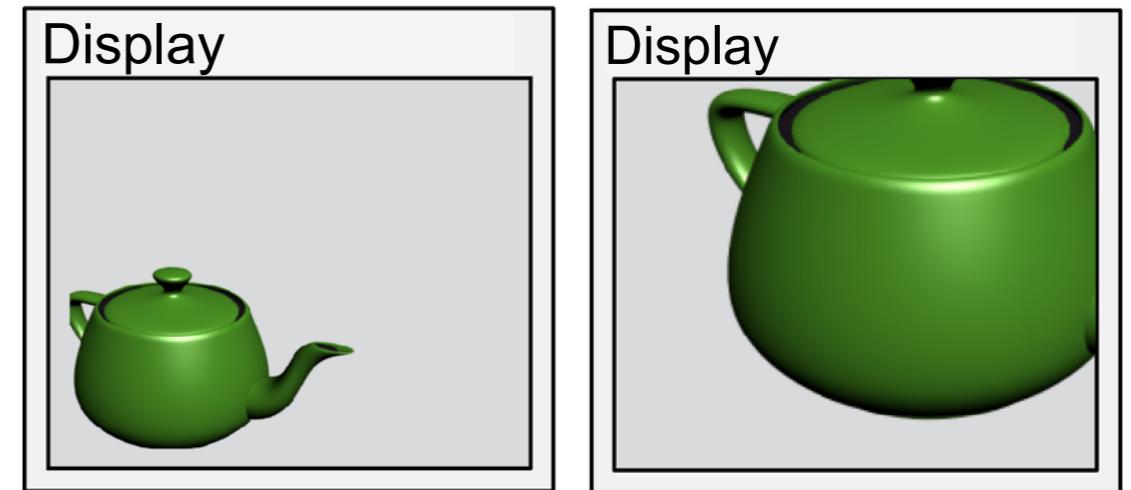
3D-Transformation

Scaling



Scale of an object in 3D space

Every scaling incorporates a translation, if the 3D model is not at coordinate system origin.



Presentation of a scaled model on screen

Scaling of a point $P(x, y, z)$ by the scaling factor S

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P' = S(s_x, s_y, s_z) \cdot P \quad \text{with}$$

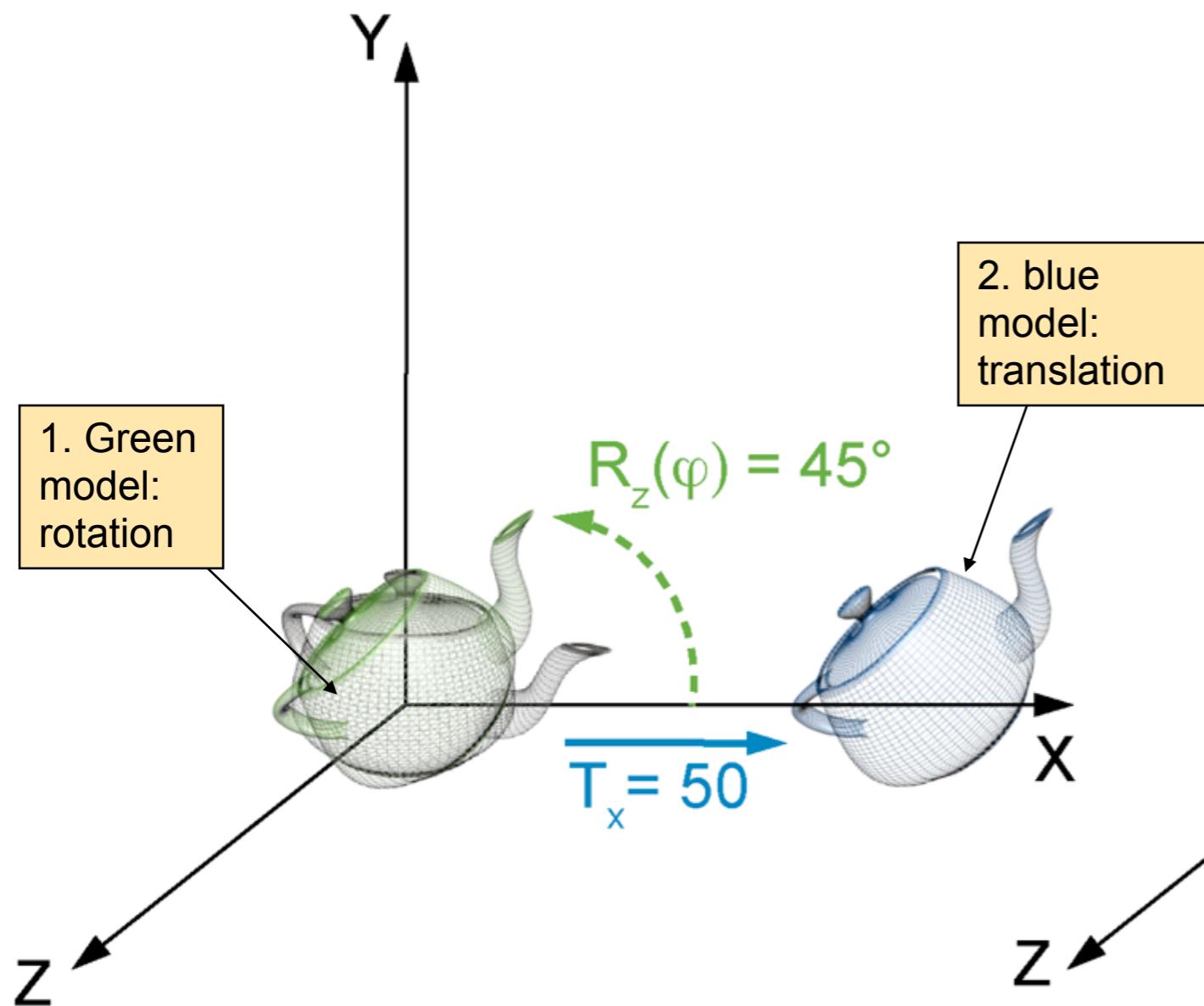
$$S(s_x, s_y, s_z) = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Sequence of Transformation

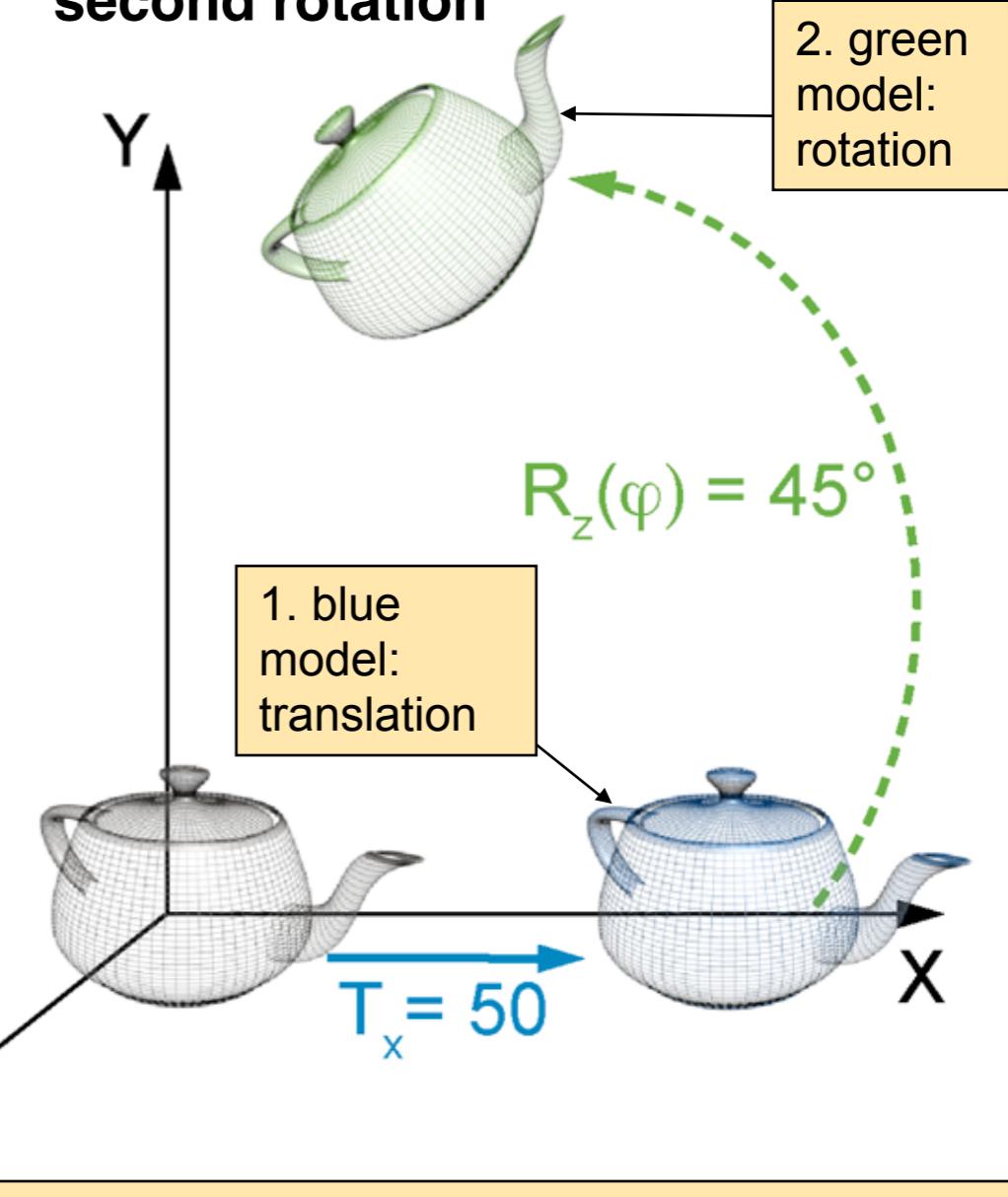
World Coordinates

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First rotation,
second translation



First translation,
second rotation

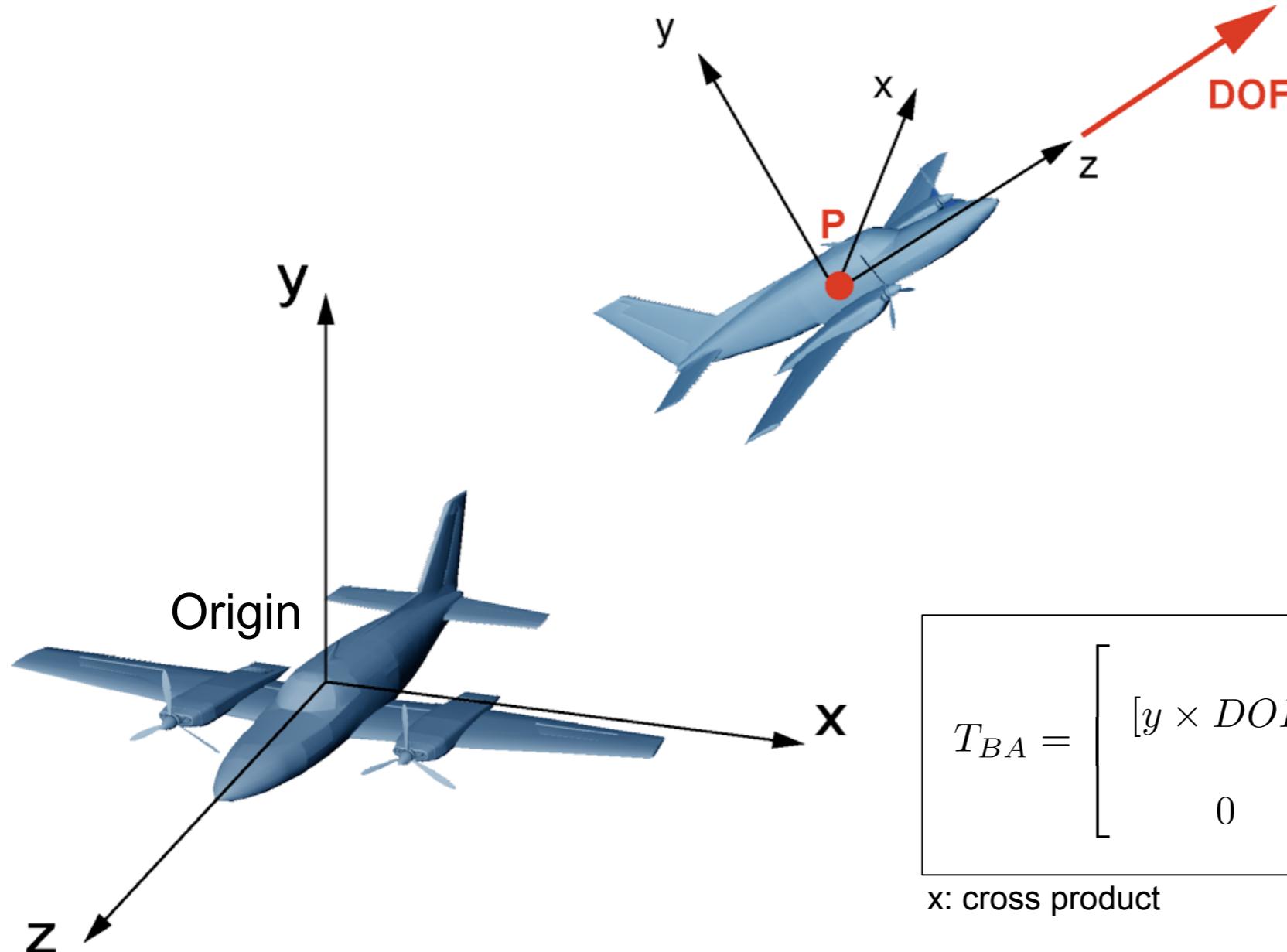


The final output and the sequence of transformation depends on the sequence of matrix multiplications:

$$P' = T_x \cdot R_z \cdot P \quad \text{vs.} \quad P' = R_z \cdot T_x \cdot P$$

Transformation of Coordinate Systems

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$$T_{BA} = \begin{bmatrix} [y \times DOF] & |DOF \times [y \times DOF]| & |DOF| & P_x \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & P_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & P_z \end{bmatrix}$$

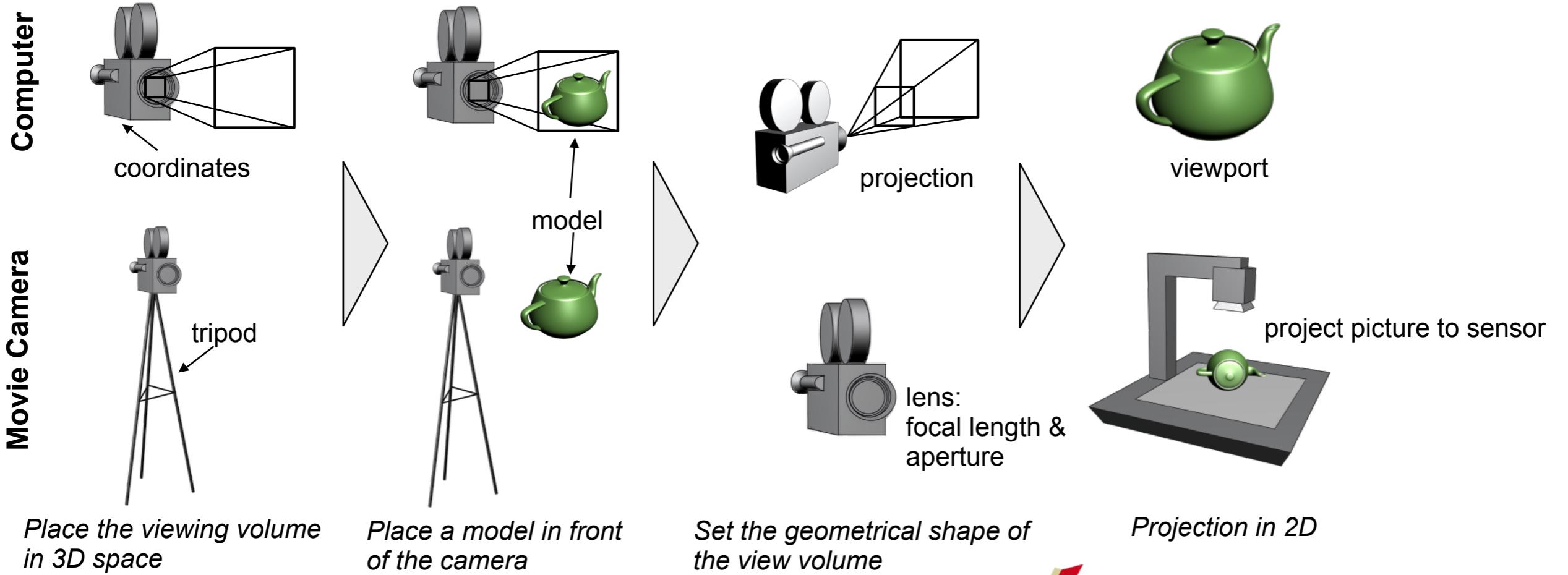
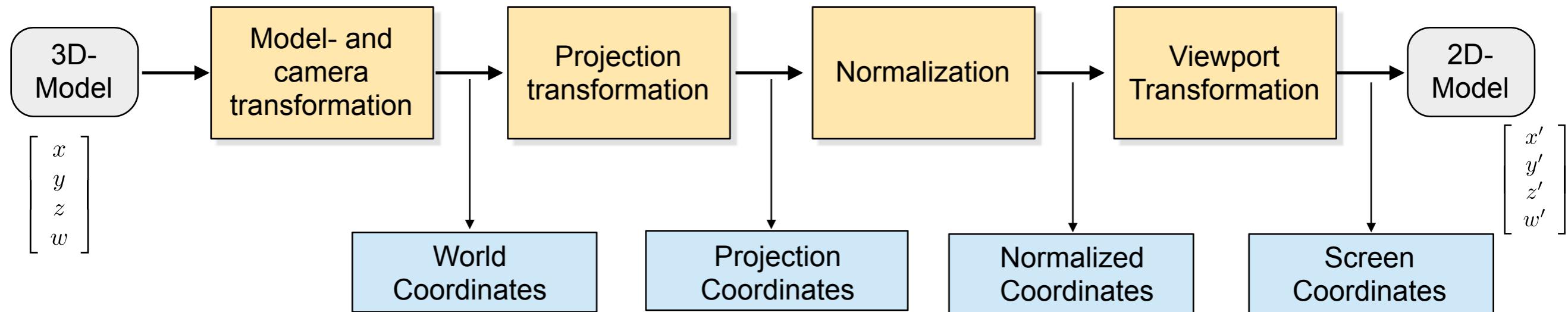
x: cross product

*Translation of a airplane to the point P with alignment DOF
(DOF.: Direction of Flight)*

Viewing in OpenGL

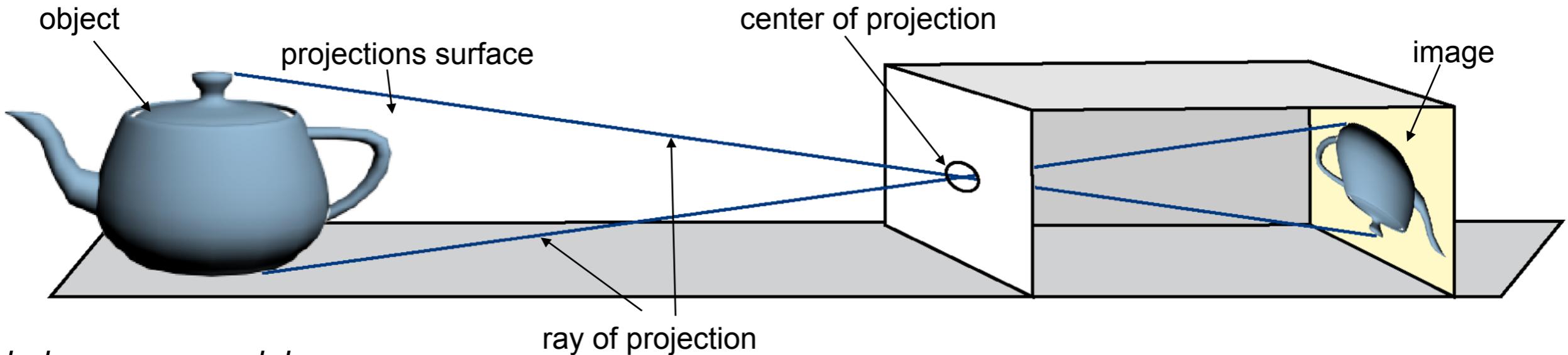
Viewing in 3D

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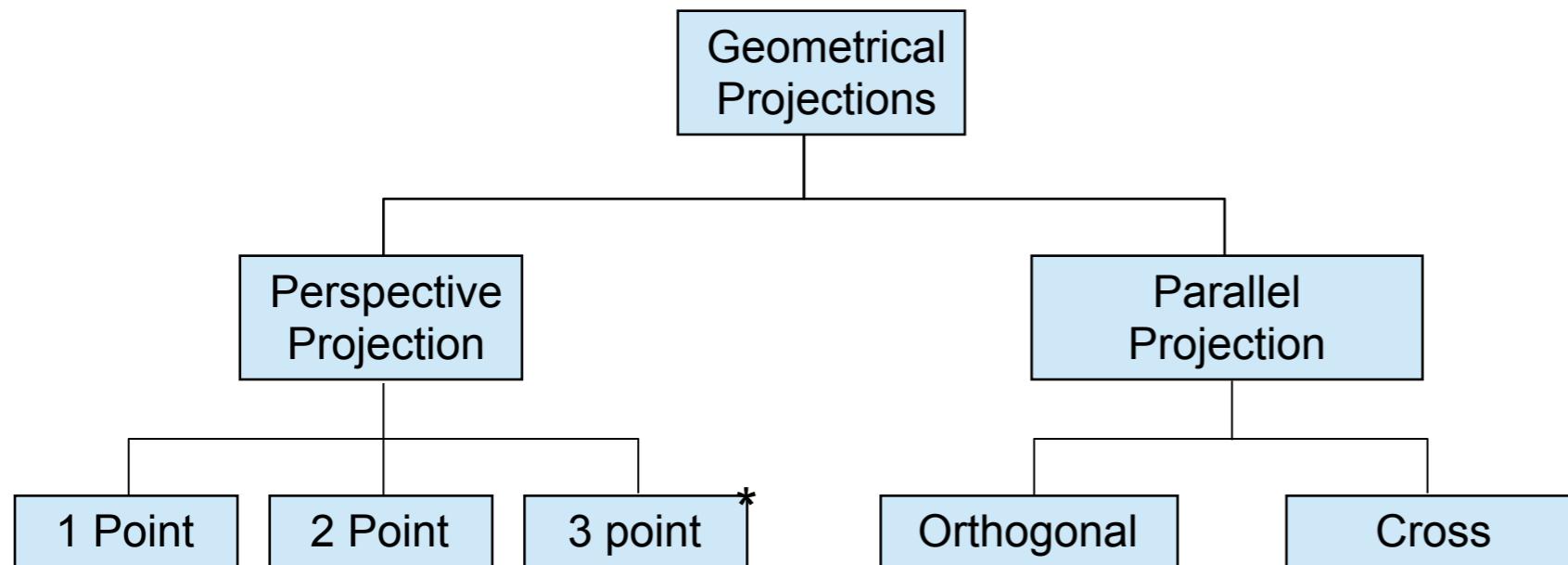


Camera Model

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Pinhole camera model



Geometric projections in Computer Graphics

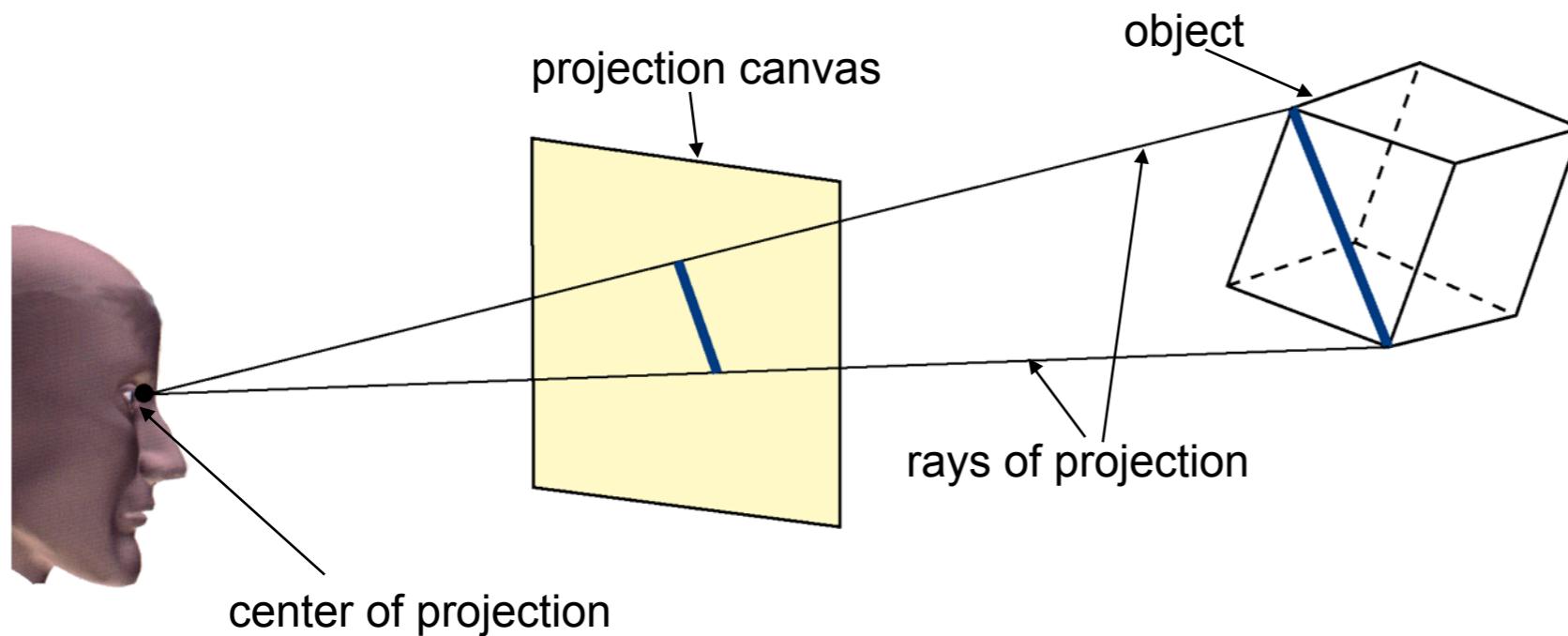
In computer graphics (CG), a projection is considered of a 3-dimensional object onto a 2-dimensional canvas. Therefore, CG uses so called **geometric projections**, which calculate 2D surface coordinates for a 3D object.

Affine Transformation:
A affine projection is a linear 3D transformation (rotation and translation), which preserves the ratio and geometric structure of all lines in the image, but not the length of lines.

* number of vanishing points

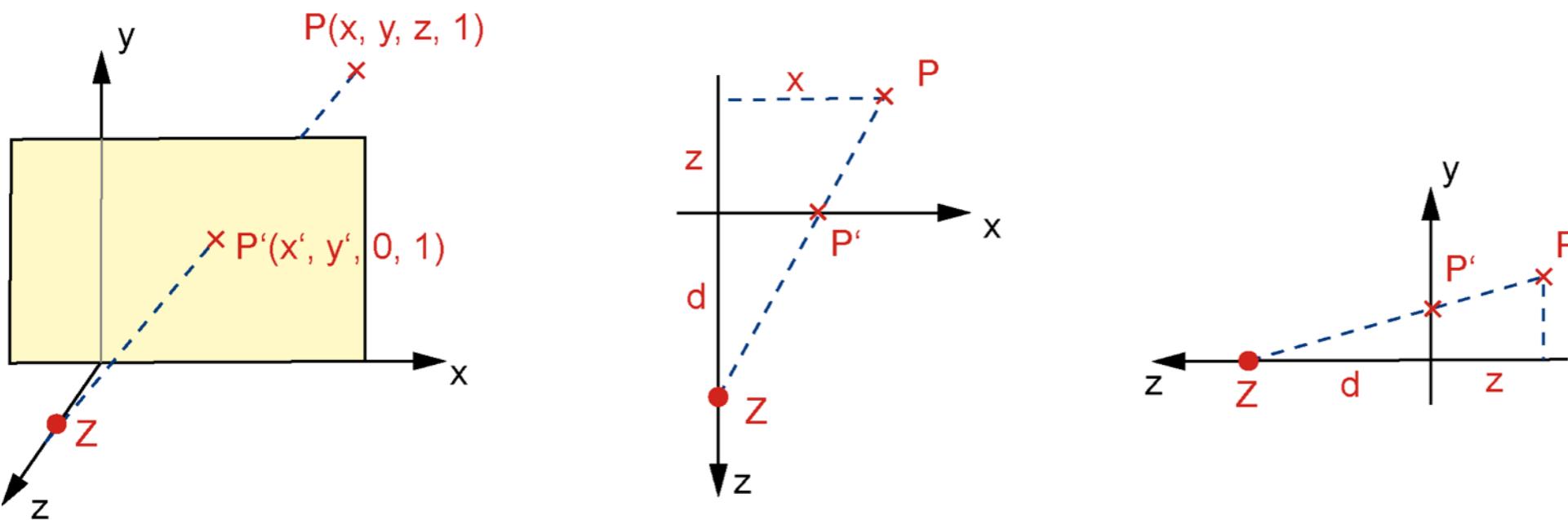
Perspective Projection

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perspective projection

A perspective projection maps all objects realistically to a 2D surface. It correlates with the human viewing. But, it is not an affine projection: dimensions, aspect ratios, and angles are changed during the projection.

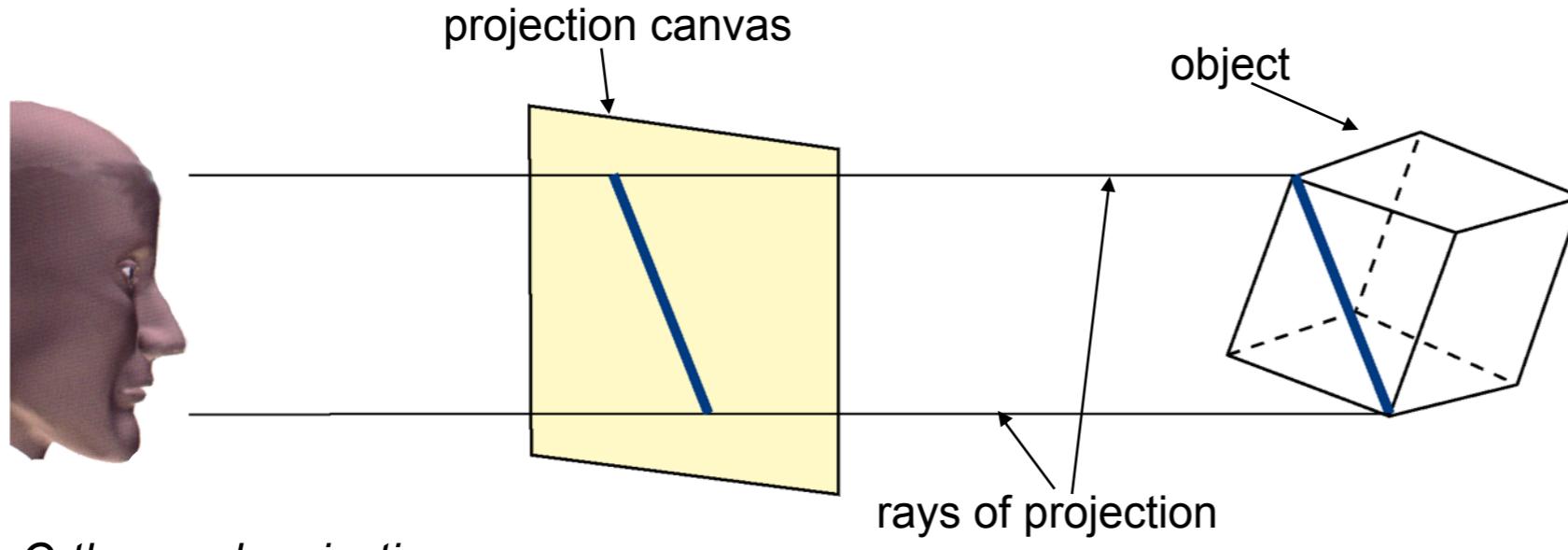


Concept of the perspective projection

$$x' = \frac{d \cdot x}{z + d}$$
$$y' = \frac{d \cdot y}{z + d}$$
$$z' = 0$$

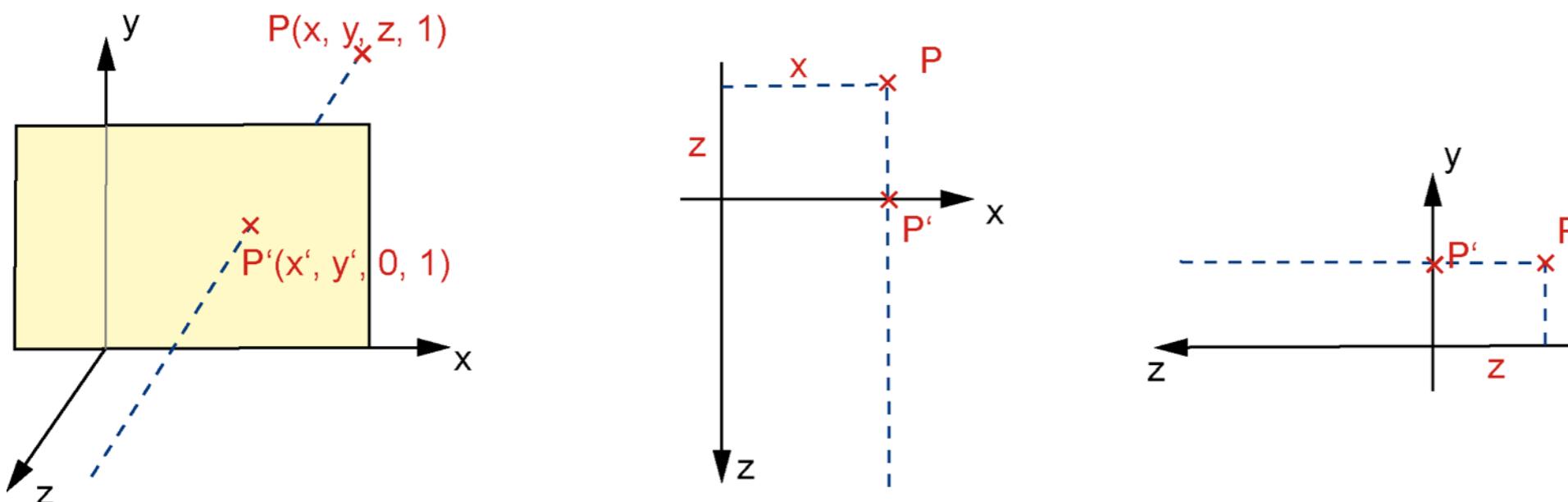
Orthogonal Projection

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Orthogonal projection

From a mathematical point of view, a parallel projection is a theoretical projection where the rays of projections vanish at a vanishing point at infinite distance. Thus, the projection rays are considered as parallel.
The projection is an affine projection: aspect ratios, distances, and angles are kept.

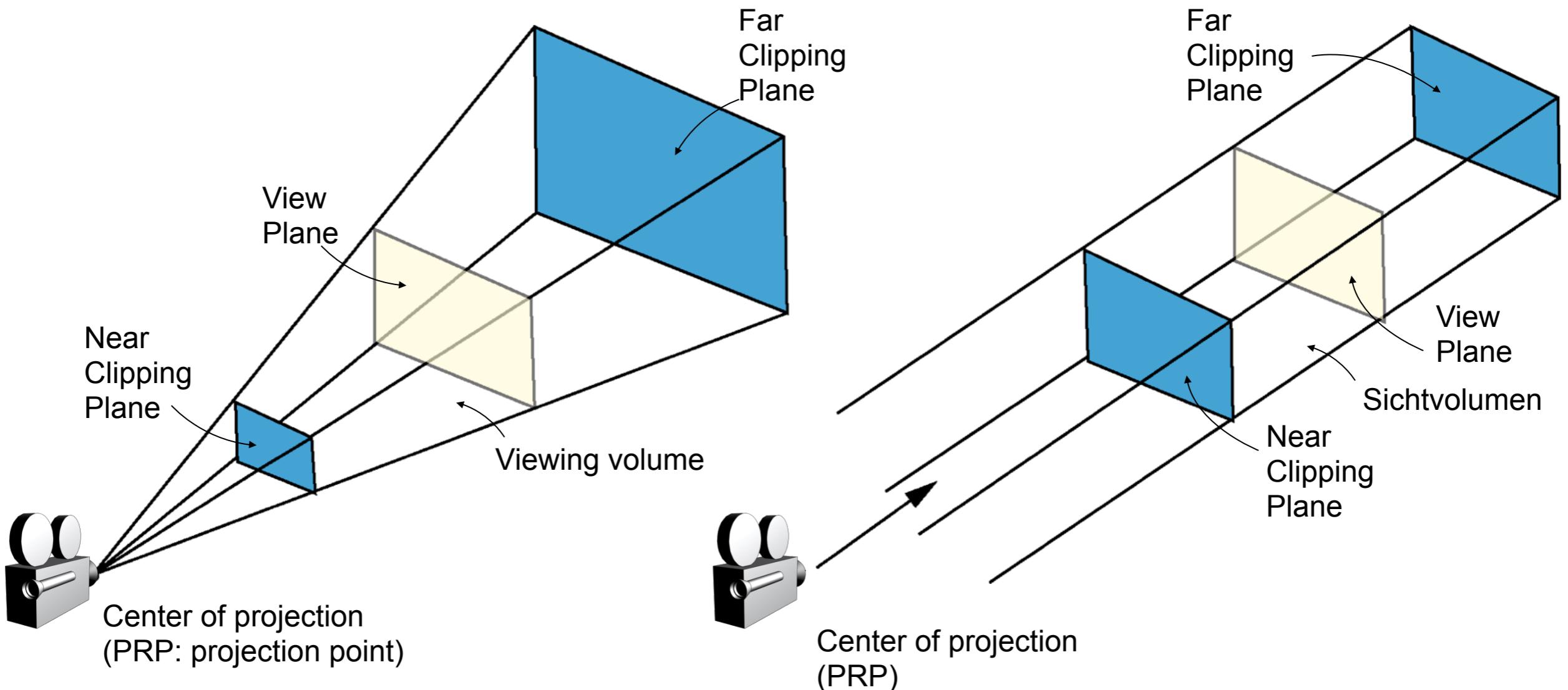


Concept of orthogonal projection

$$\begin{aligned}x' &= x \\y' &= y \\z' &= 0\end{aligned}$$

Viewing Volume

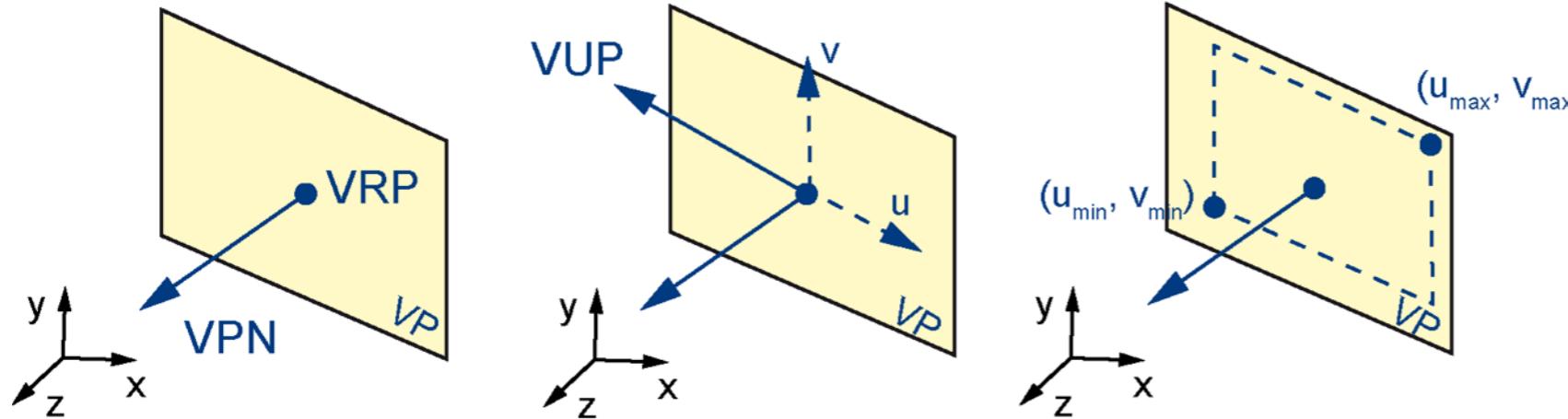
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The viewing volume of a perspective and an orthogonal projection.

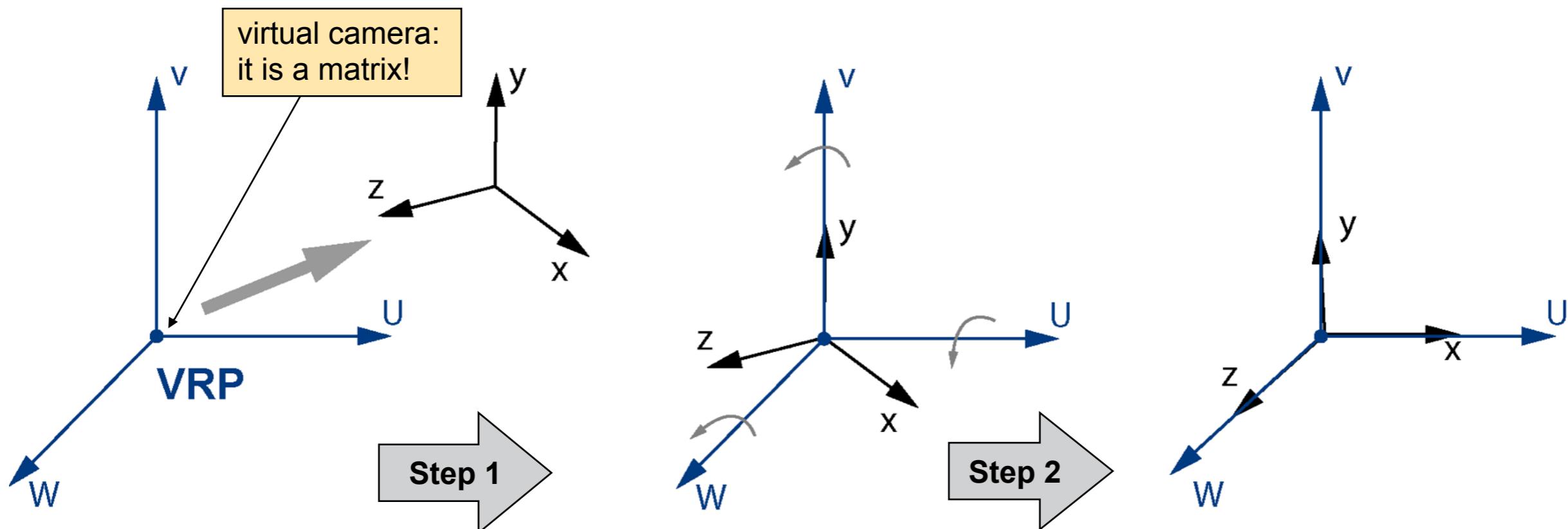
Camera Coordinates & View Transformation

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- VP: View Plane
- VRP: View Reference Point (camera eye point)
- VUP: View Up Vector
- VPN: View Plan Normal Vector (look at vector)

Coordinates of a view reference frame, the virtual camera in the scene.



The view transformation: from 3D model to 2D projection

View Transformations

Step 1: Displacement of the camera VRP into the origin.

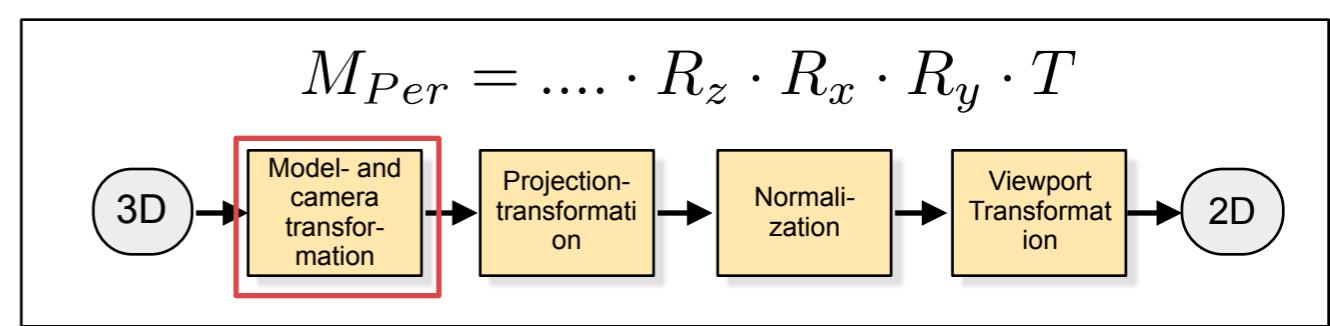
$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -vRP_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -vRP_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -vRP_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2.1: Rotation around the z- and x-axis. Projection normal vector and viewing direction should meet.

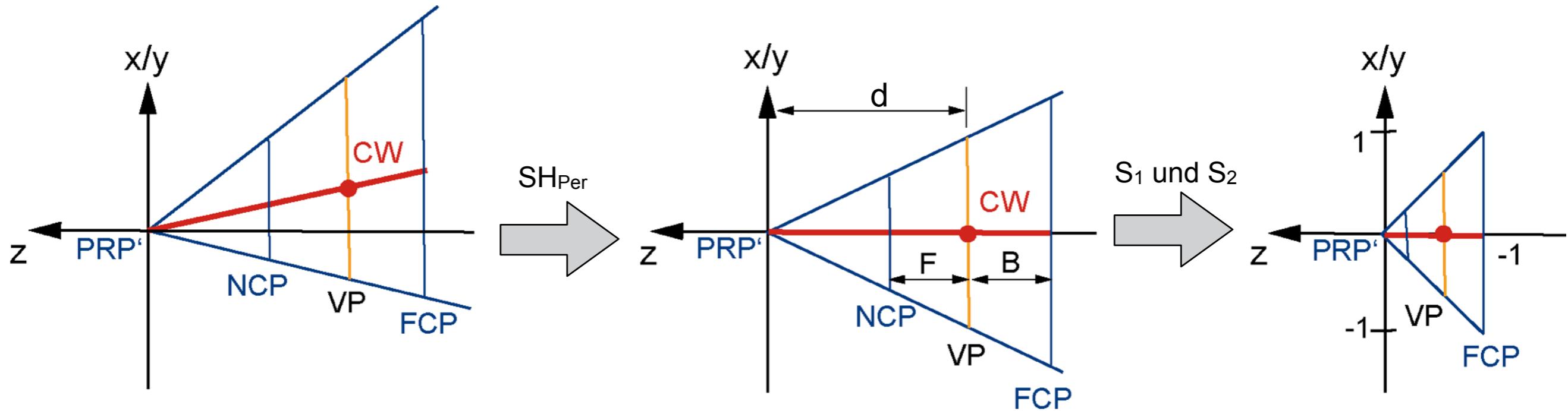
$$R_y = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{vpn_z}{p} & 0 & -\frac{vpn_x}{p} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ \frac{vpn_x}{p} & 0 & \frac{vpn_z}{p} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad R_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & p & -vpn_y & 0 \\ 0 & vpny & p & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Step 2.2: Rotation around the y-axis. All axis of the camera should align with the origin.

$$R_z = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{vup'_y}{q} & -\frac{vup'_x}{q} & 0 & 0 \\ -\frac{vup'_x}{q} & \frac{vup'_y}{q} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



View Transformations



Perspective projection: shearing of the view volume

Shearing: this aligns the center line of the view volume, which crosses the center of the view window (CW), with the world coordinate axis of the view direction.

Perspective projection: mapping of the view volume into a canonical view volume

The **canonical view volume** is a unit volume, which contains all the information of the entire visible scene. It is a frustum of a pyramid for a perspective projection.

NCP: near clipping plane

VP: view plane

FC: far clipping plane

PRP: projection reference point

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Step 3: shearing of the view volume

$$SH_{Per} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -\frac{vrp'_x + \frac{1}{2}(u_{min}+u_{max})}{vrp'_z} & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -\frac{vrp'_y + \frac{1}{2}(v_{min}+v_{max})}{vrp'_z} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

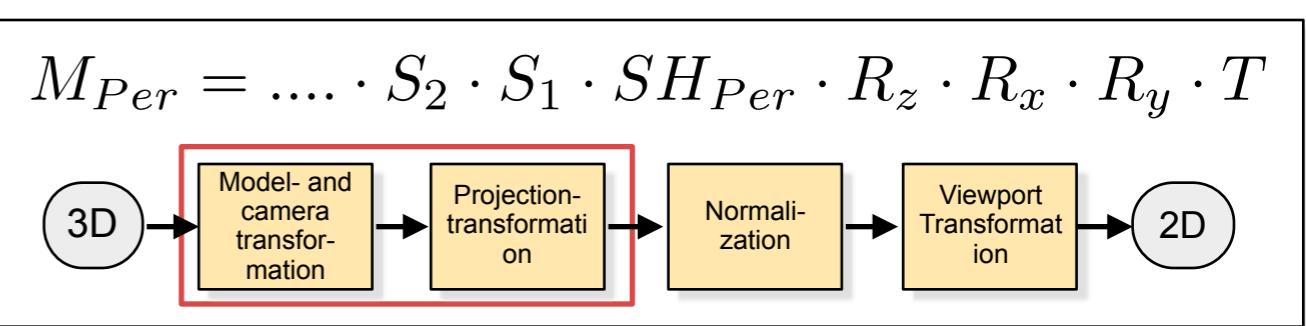
Step 4: projection of the view volume into a canonical view frustum

$$S_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2 \cdot d}{u_{max}-u_{min}} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2 \cdot d}{v_{max}-v_{min}} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$S_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{1}{d+B} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{1}{d+B} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{1}{d+B} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

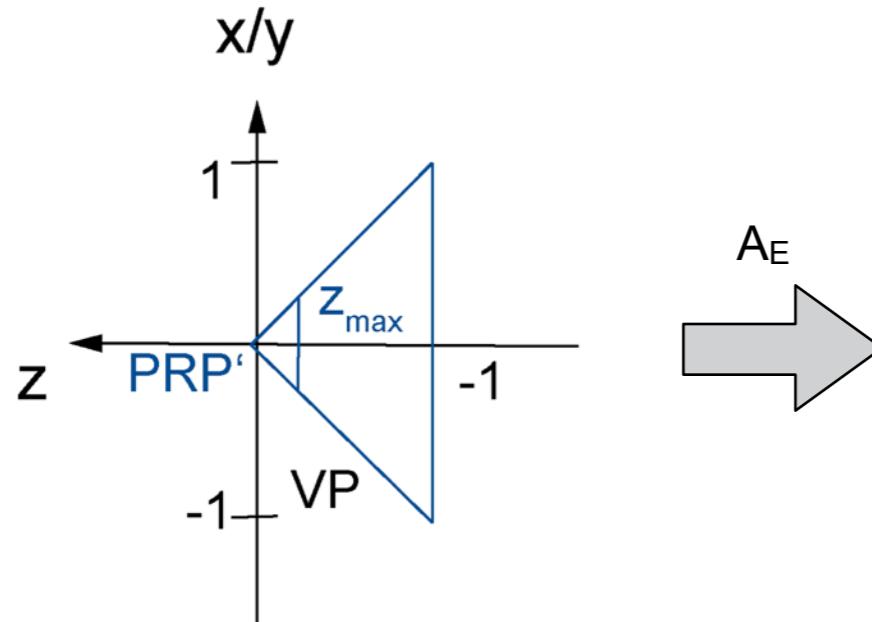
d : distance virtual camera - View Plan

B : distance View Plan - Far Clipping Plane

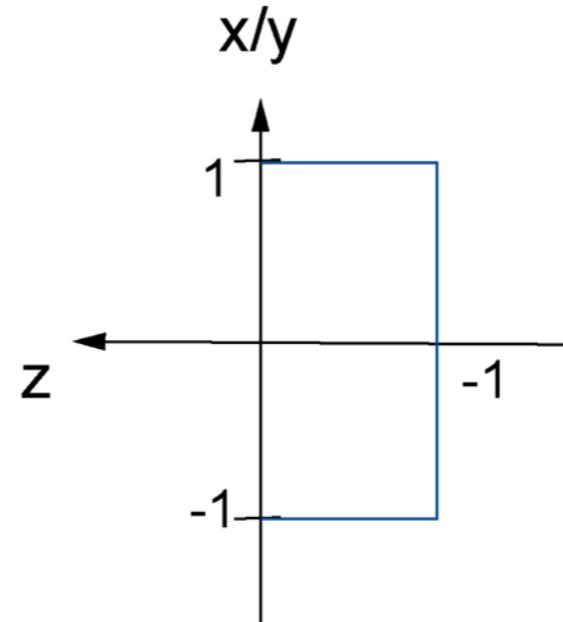


Normalization

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Open the frustum to a cuboid

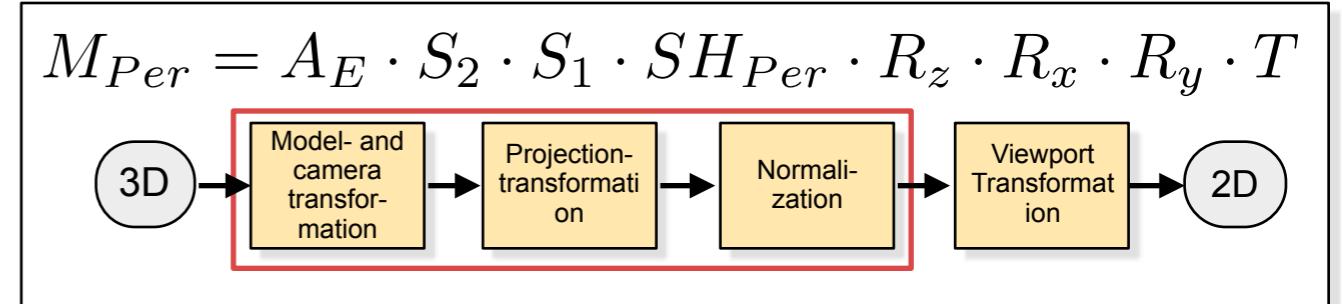


The normalization step transfers all data inside the frustum of a pyramid into a unit cuboid with edge dimensions
 $-1 \leq x \leq 1, -1 \leq y \leq 1$, and $0 \leq z \leq -1$.

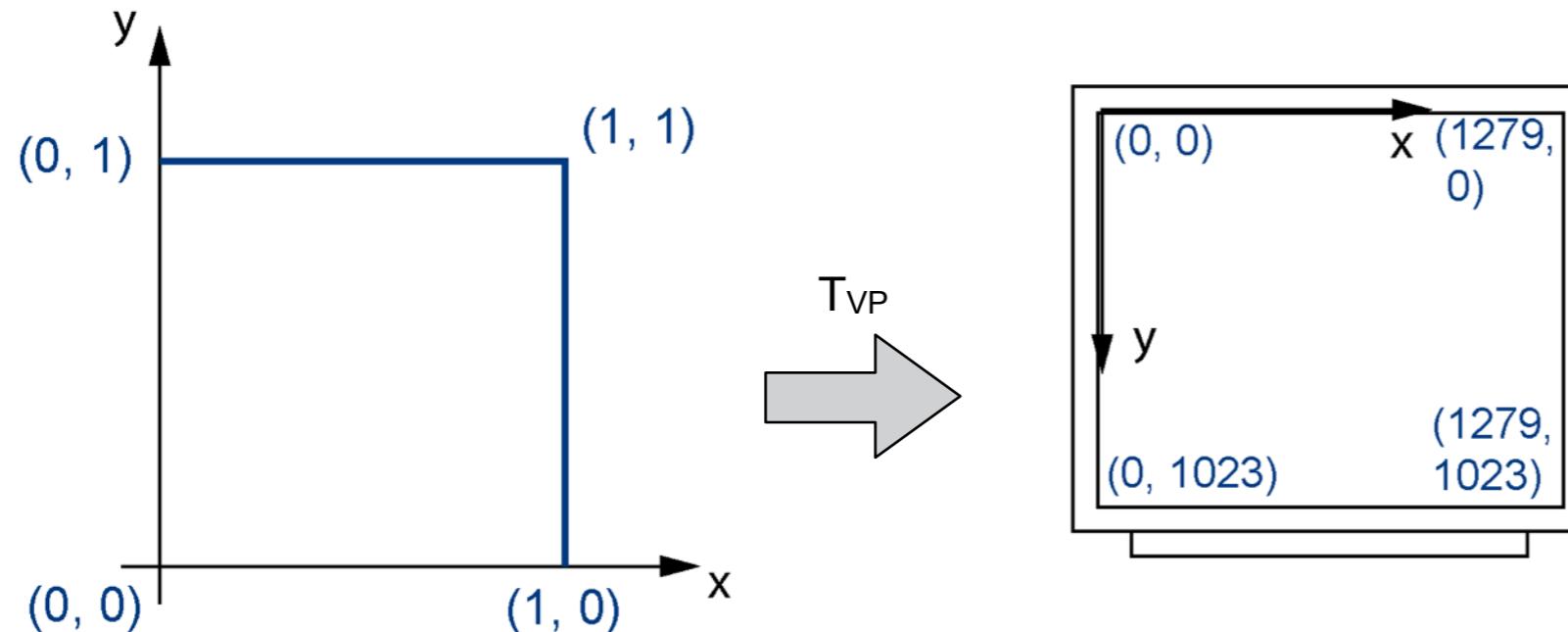
Step 5: open the frustum of a pyramid to a cuboid

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{-1}{1+t_{max}} & \frac{z_{max}}{1+t_{max}} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ with } z_{max} = \frac{d-F}{d+B} \text{ und } z_{max} \neq -1$$

$$A_E = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{1}{1} & 0 & \frac{1}{1} & 0 \\ 0 & -\frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{1} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{-1}{1+t_{max}} & \frac{z_{max}}{1+t_{max}} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



Viewport-Transformation

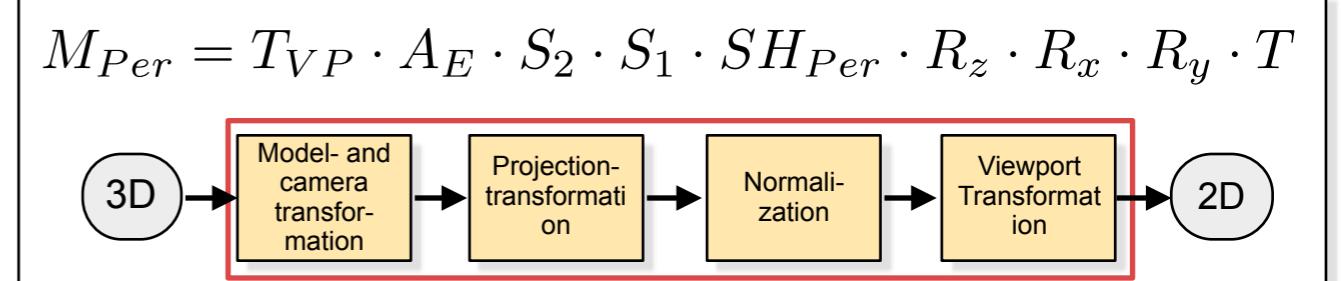


The viewport transformation maps the visual data in the unit cuboid to the pixel ranges in x and y of the screen.

Transformation of unit coordinates into screen coordinates. The example screen has a resolution of 1280 x 1024 pixels

Step 6: presentation of a 3-dimensional unit cuboid on a 2D screen

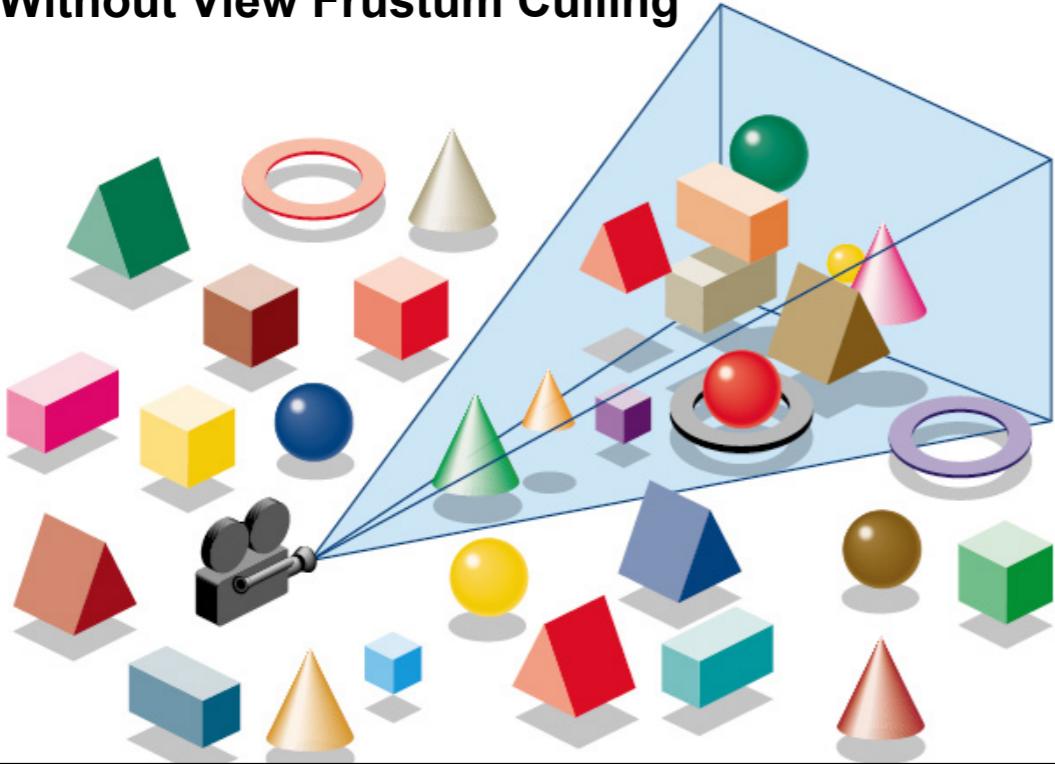
$$T_{VP} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{max} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -y_{max} & 0 & y_{max} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



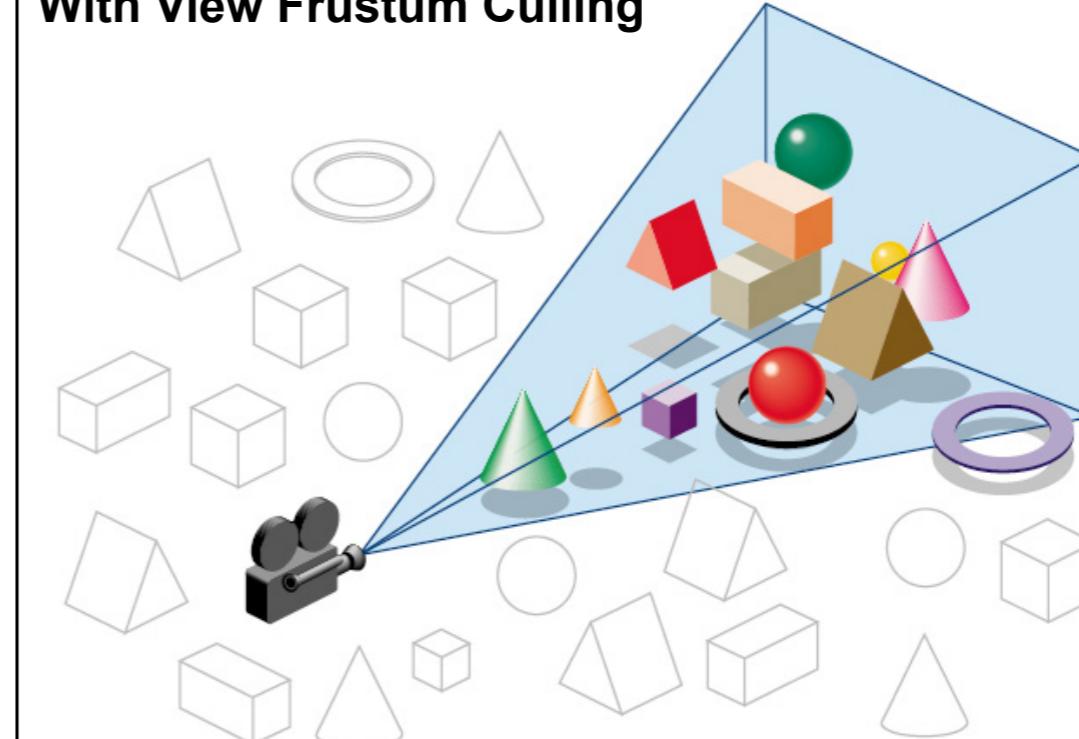
Culling Operations

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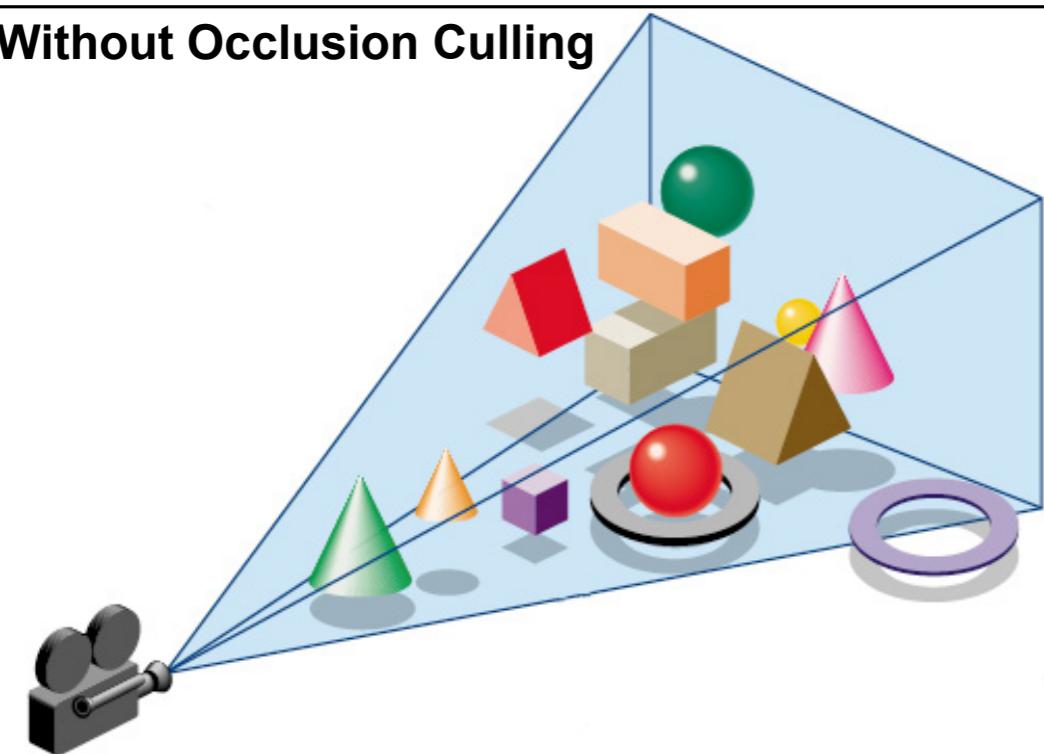
Without View Frustum Culling



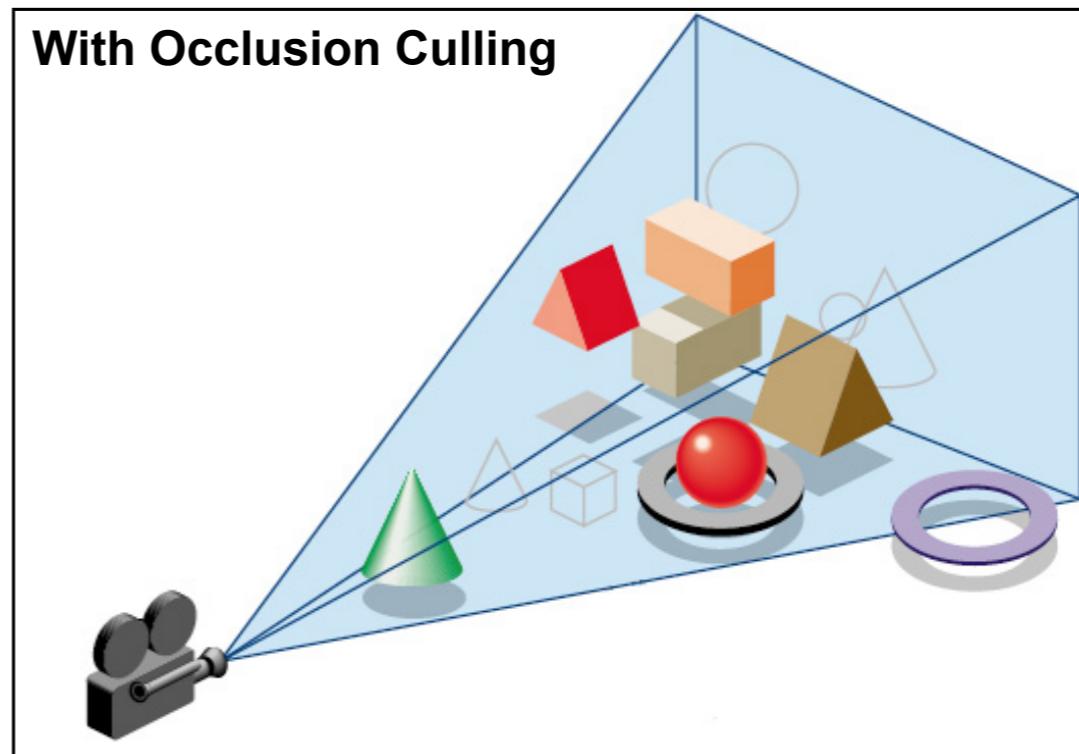
With View Frustum Culling



Without Occlusion Culling



With Occlusion Culling

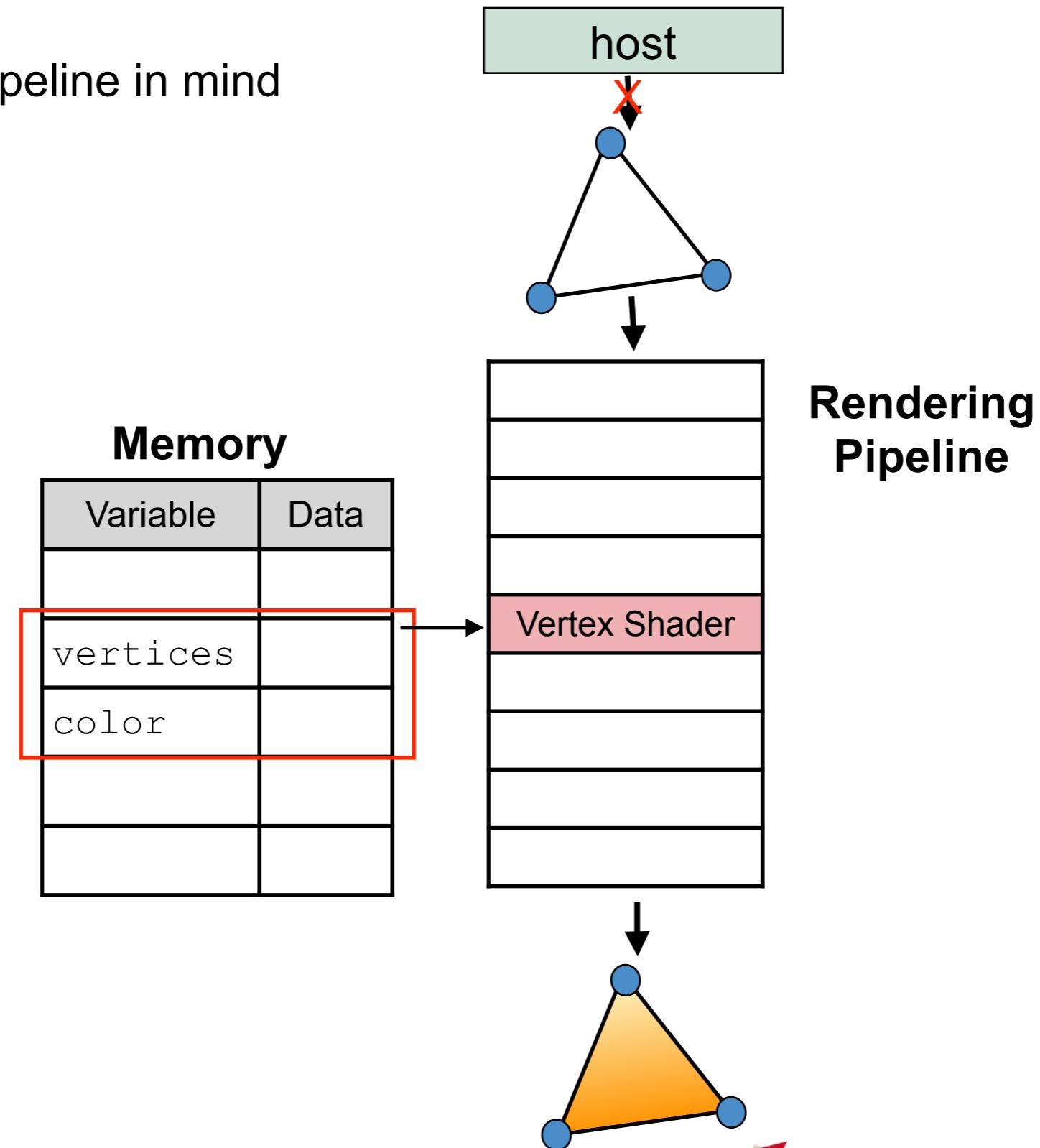


Viewing and Transformation in OpenGL

Pipeline model

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Keep the rendering pipeline in mind



Example Shader Code

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Shader source code that you can find in our example programs

```
static const string vs_string =
"#version 410 core
"
"uniform mat4 projectionMatrix;
"uniform mat4 viewMatrix;
"uniform mat4 modelMatrix;
"in vec3 in_Position;
"
"in vec3 in_Color;
"out vec3 pass_Color;
"
"void main(void)
"{
"    gl_Position = projectionMatrix * viewMatrix * modelMatrix * vec4(in_Position, 1.0);  \n"
"    pass_Color = in_Color;
"}\n";
```

Example Shader Code

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The matrices are defined as uniform variables

- uniform: qualifier to declare the variable as a shared variable, shared between host computer and graphics card.
 - mat4: a GLSL 4x4 matrix

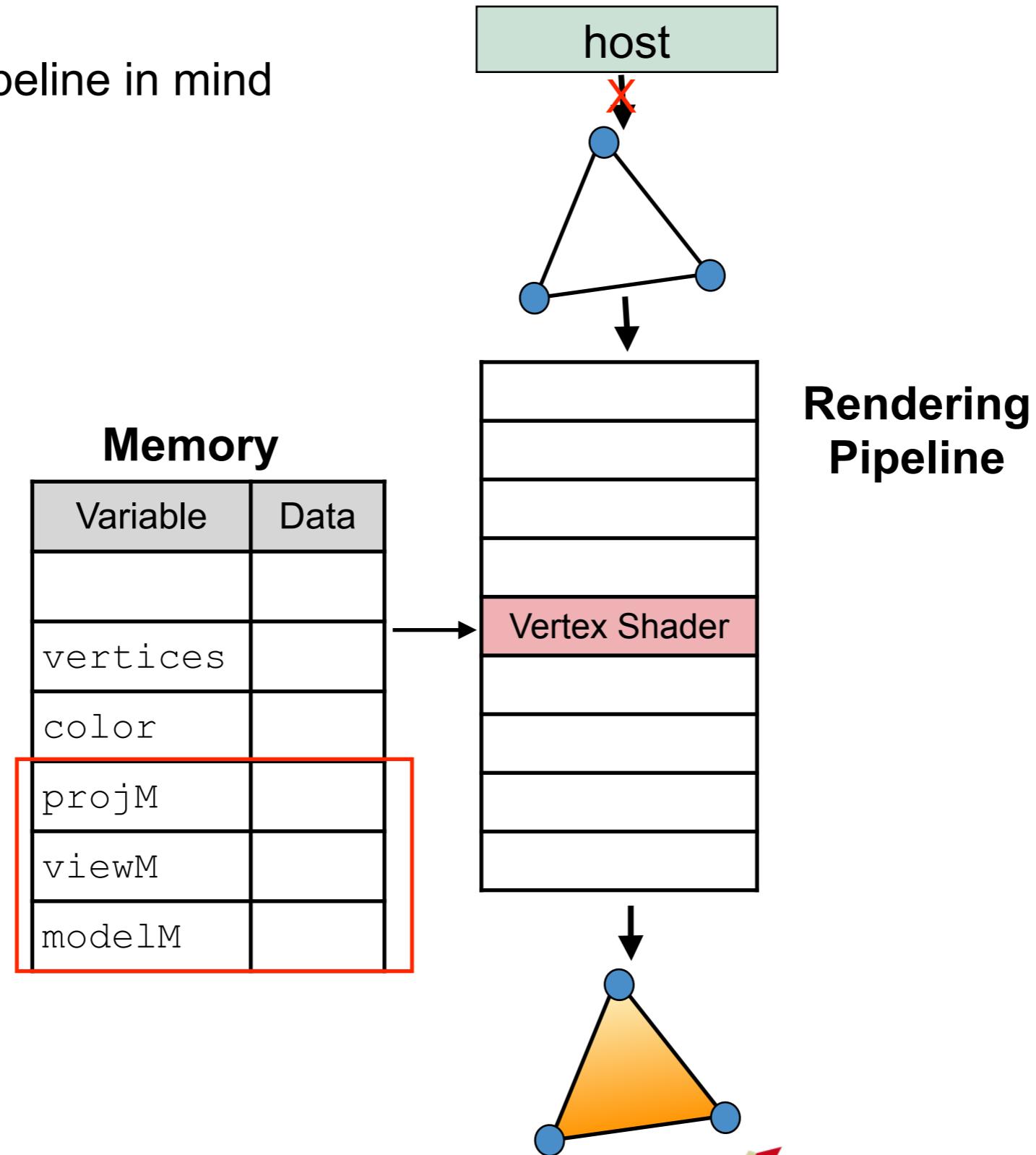
$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{01} & r_{02} & r_{03} & t_x \\ r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_y \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_z \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Model matrix:** the matrix that we use to transform the 3D model from local coordinates to global coordinates
- **View matrix:** the matrix we use to transform the camera
- **ModelView matrix:** the product of both, since in computer graphics, it does not matter whether one move the camera or the model.
- **Projection matrix:** the projection from 3D to a 2D point.

Pipeline model

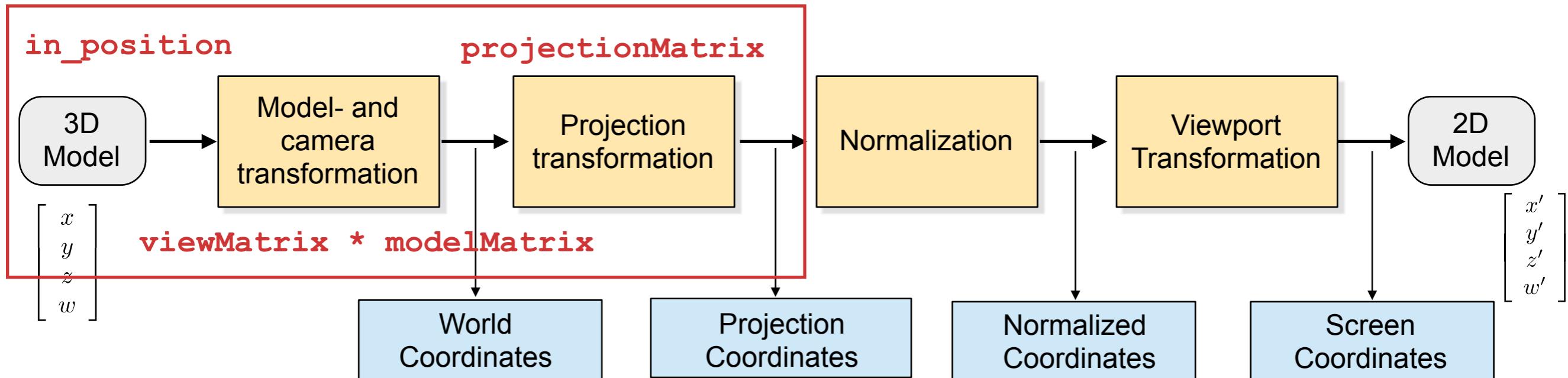
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Keep the rendering pipeline in mind

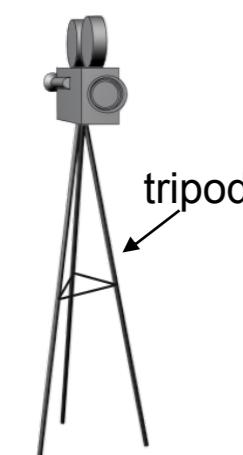
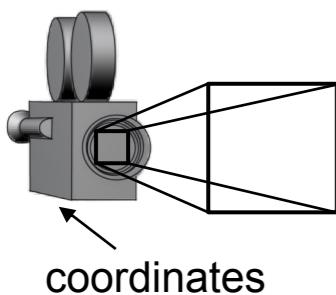


Viewing in 3D

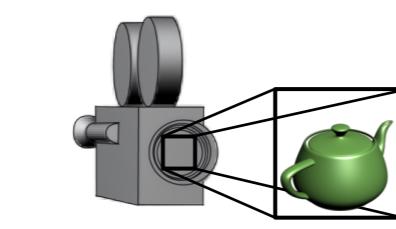
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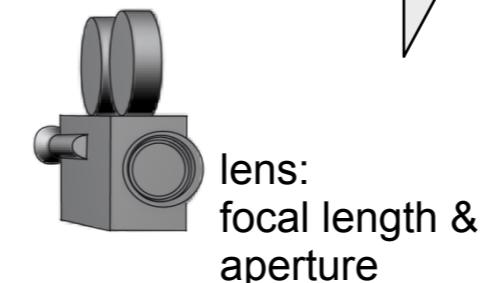
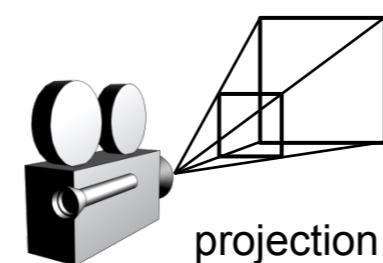
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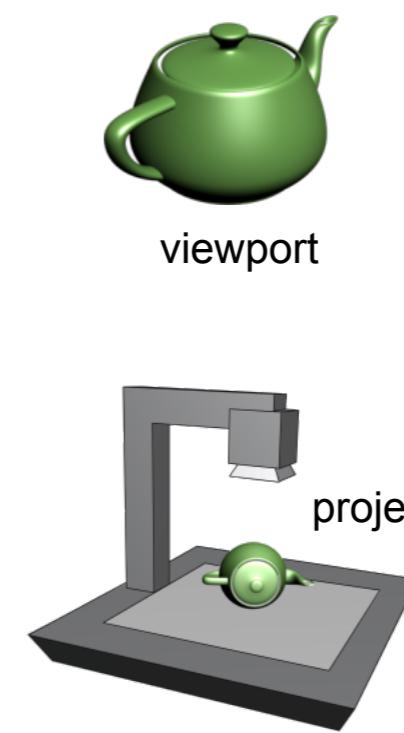
Place the viewing volume
in 3D space



Place a model in front
of the camera



Set the geometrical shape of
the view volume



Projection in 2D

Example Shader Code

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```
static const string vs_string =
"#version 410 core
"
"uniform mat4 projectionMatrix;
"uniform mat4 viewMatrix;
"uniform mat4 modelMatrix;
"in vec3 in_Position;
"
"in vec3 in_Color;
"out vec3 pass_Color;
"
"void main(void)
"{
"    gl_Position = projectionMatrix * viewMatrix * modelMatrix * vec4(in_Position, 1.0); \n"
"    pass_Color = in_Color; \n"
"} \n";
```

This is the modelview
projection calculation

- `gl_Position`: the built-in *varying* variable to pass the position information to the next step.
Note, `gl_Position` is a vector with 4 elements [x, y, z, 1]

GLM Transformation Matrix



We use the glm transformation matrix

glm::mat4

to represent a 4x4 matrix.

$$\mathbf{M} = \begin{bmatrix} r_{01} & r_{02} & r_{03} & t_x \\ r_{11} & r_{12} & r_{13} & t_y \\ r_{21} & r_{22} & r_{23} & t_z \\ r_{31} & r_{32} & r_{33} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Glm include files:

```
#include <glm/glm.hpp>
#include <glm/gtc/matrix_transform.hpp>
```

in our example code:

```
glm::mat4 projectionMatrix; // Store the projection matrix
glm::mat4 viewMatrix; // Store the view matrix
glm::mat4 modelMatrix; // Store the model matrix
```

GLM Vector 3

We use the glm transformation matrix

glm::vec3

to represent a vector of size 3, and

glm::vec4

to represent a vector of size 4
(homogenous space)

$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Example:

```
glm::vec3 p = glm::vec3(0.0f, 1.0f, 0.0f);
```

Transformations

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Translation

```
detail::tmat4x4< T > translate (T x, T y, T z)
```

Parameters:

- x, y, z: Specify the x, y, and z coordinates of a translation vector.

Rotation

```
detail::tmat4x4< T > rotate (T angle, T x, T y, T z)
```

Parameters:

- angle: Specifies the angle of rotation, in degrees.
- x, y, z: Specify the x, y, and z coordinates of a vector, respectively.

Scaling

```
detail::tmat4x4< T > scale (T x, T y, T z)
```

Parameters:

- x, y, z: Specify scale factors along the x, y, and z axes, respectively.

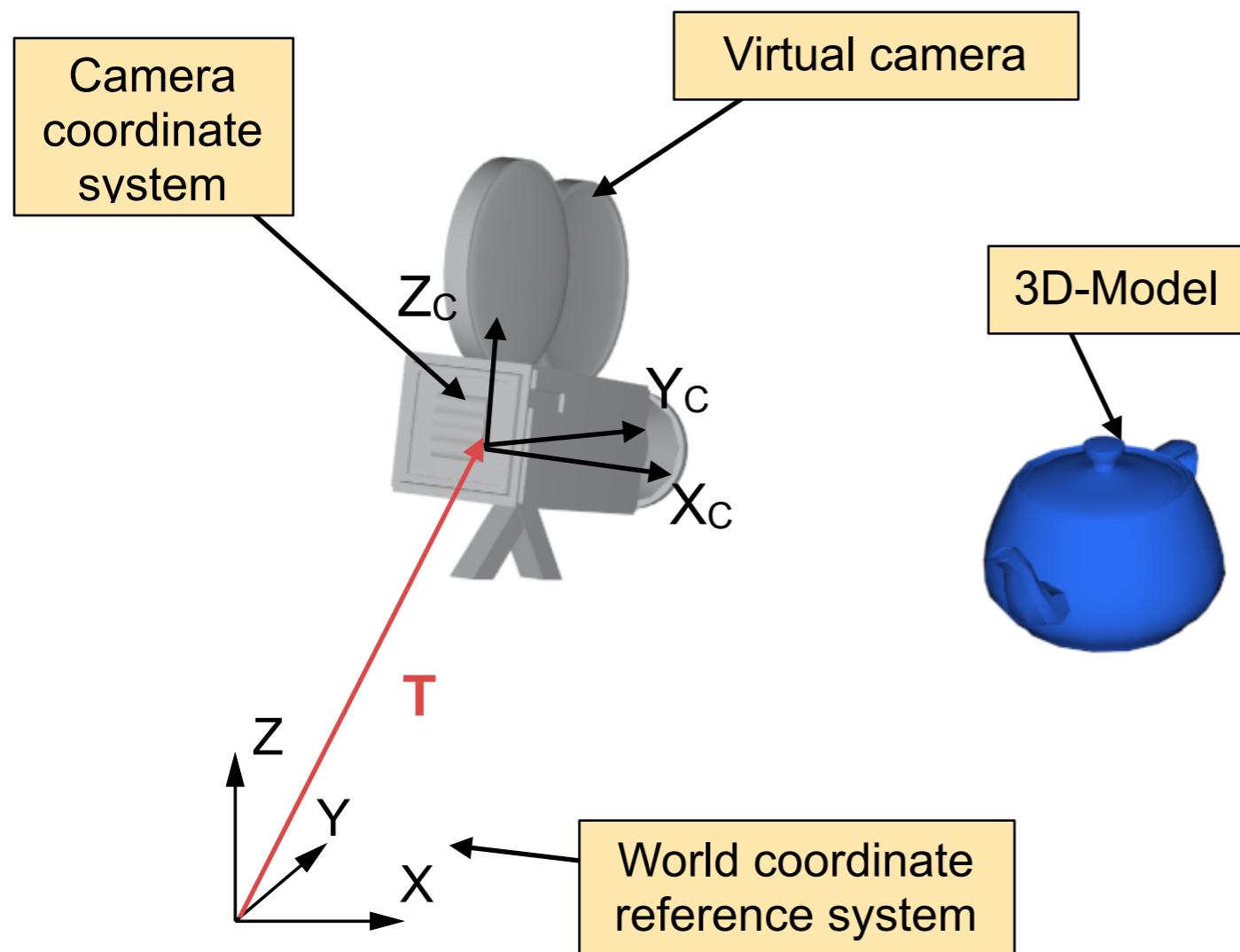
Datatype:

```
detail::tmat4x4< T > this is a glm::mat4
```

Viewing in OpenGL

To Do:

1. Set a projection with `glm::perspective`
2. Locate and align the virtual camera with `glm::lookAt`



Set a Projection

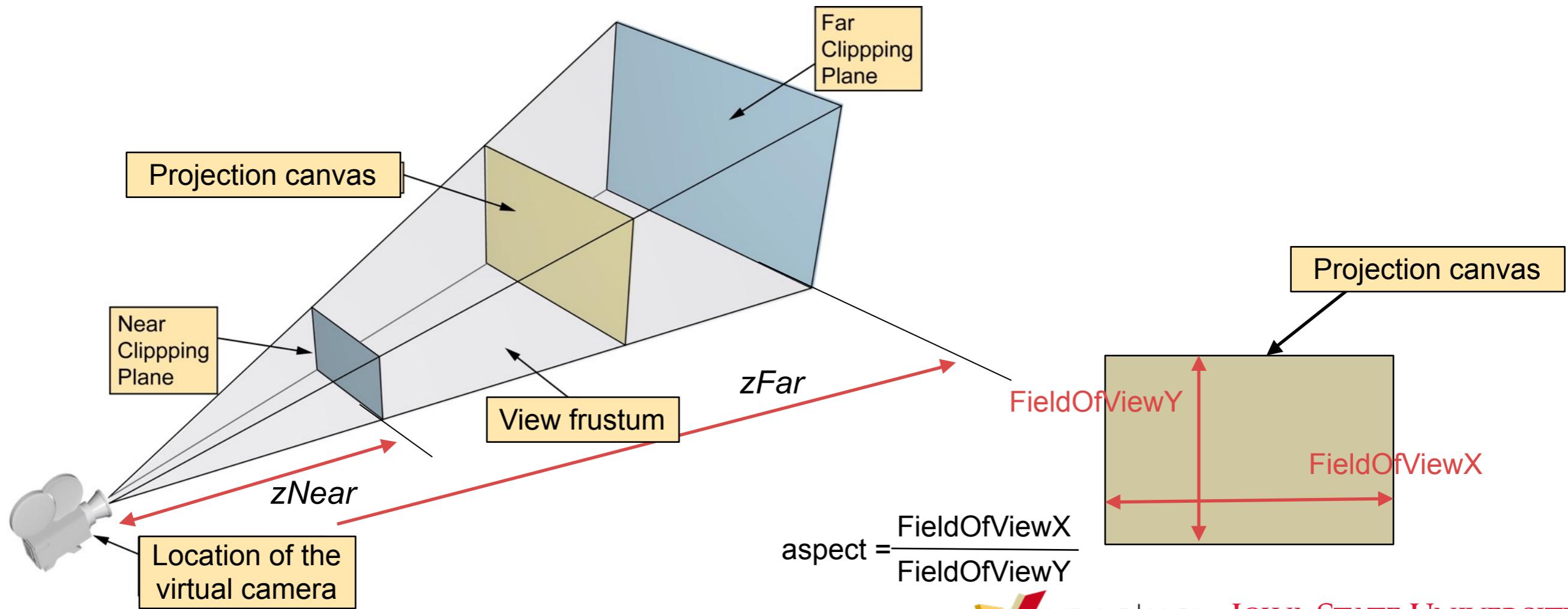
Set a Projection

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```
glm::mat4 perspective (T const &fovy, T const &aspect, T const &near, T const &far)
```

Parameters:

- fovy: Specifies the field of view angle, in degrees, in the y direction.
- aspect: Specifies the aspect ratio that determines the field of view in the x direction. The aspect ratio is the ratio of x (width) to y (height).
- zNear: Specifies the distance from the viewer to the near clipping plane (always positive).
- zFar: Specifies the distance from the viewer to the far clipping plane (always positive).



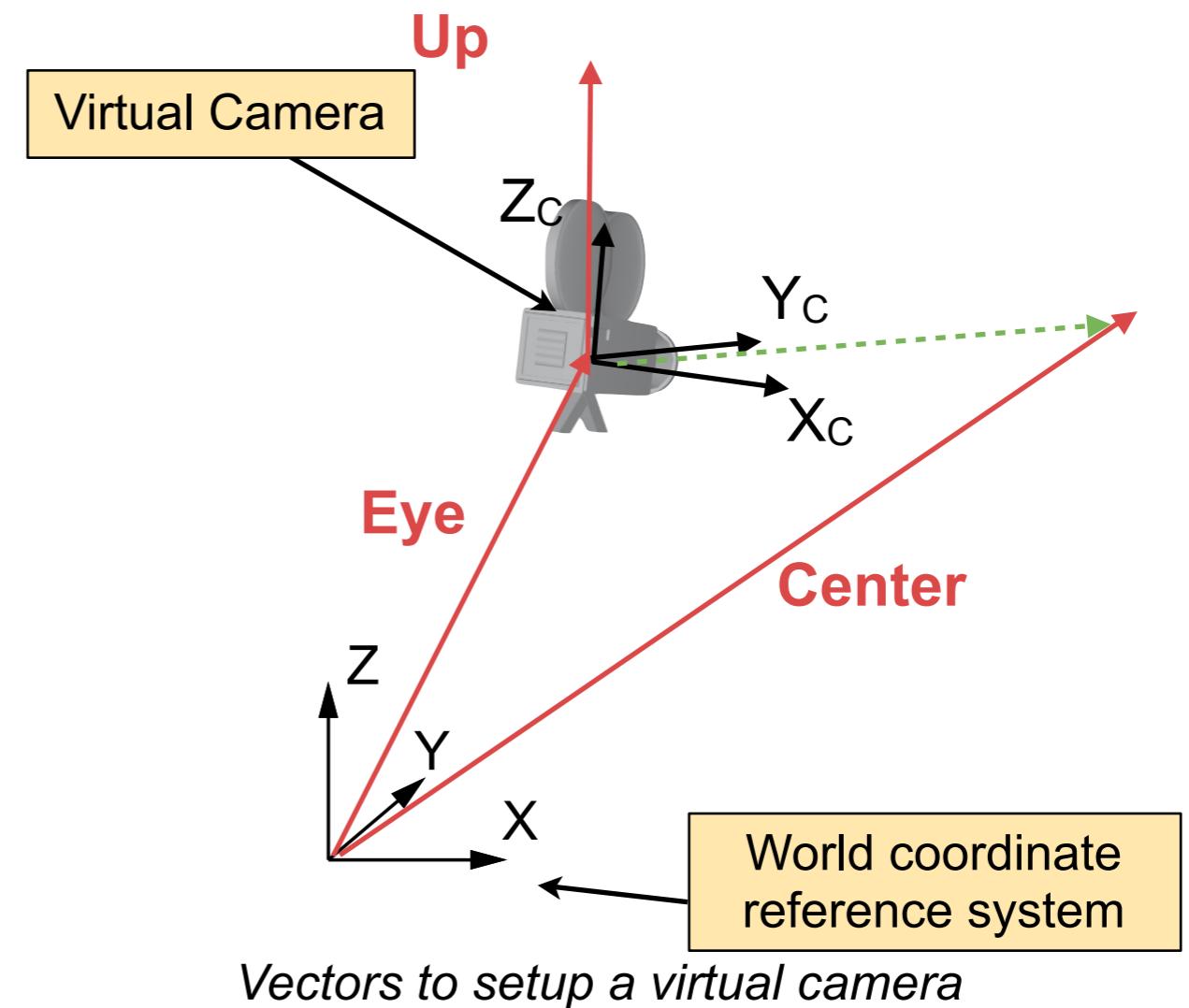
Camera Location and Orientation

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```
glm::mat4 lookAt (  
detail::tvec3< T > const &eye,  
detail::tvec3< T > const &center,  
detail::tvec3< T > const &up)
```

Parameters:

- eye: Specifies the position of the eye.
- center
Specifies the position of the point to look to.
- up: Specifies the direction of the up vector.



Example

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Global defined coordinates

```
glm::mat4 projectionMatrix; // Store the projection matrix  
glm::mat4 viewMatrix; // Store the view matrix  
glm::mat4 modelMatrix; // Store the model matrix
```

Init part of the program

Example and Structure

Global

```
glm::mat4 projectionMatrix; // Store the projection matrix
glm::mat4 viewMatrix; // Store the view matrix
glm::mat4 modelMatrix; // Store the model matrix

int main(int argc, const char * argv[])
{
```

Program init

```
projectionMatrix = glm::perspective(1.57f, (float)800 / (float)600, 0.1f,
100.f);

modelMatrix = glm::translate(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);

viewMatrix = glm::lookAt( glm::vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 1.5f),
glm::vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f),
glm::vec3(0.0f, 1.0f, 0.0f));
```

main loop

```
}
```

Global variables can be accessed at any location in your program.
(qualifier **extern** is required in different files)

Question

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What do I have to do if I have two or more models and all models should be placed at a different location?

Solutions

- Multiple model variables
- Change the content before you change the content.

Example and Structure

```
int main(int argc, const char * argv[])
```

```
{
```

Program init

```
while
```

Clear the window

```
// Enable the shader program
```

```
glUseProgram(program);
```

```
glBindVertexArray(vaoID[0]);  
modelMatrix = glm::translate(0.0f  
[ something more ]  
glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLE_STRIP, 0, 16);
```

```
glBindVertexArray(vaoID[1]);  
modelMatrix = glm::translate(5, 9f  
[ something more ]  
glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLE, 0, 16);
```

```
glUseProgram(0);
```

Swap buffers

We change the values before we render the object.
To save memory, keep one variable if you can live with one.

[something more] :
copy the data to your GPU

Uniform Variables

```
GLint glGetUniformLocation( GLuint program, const GLchar *name);
```

Returns the location of a uniform variable

Parameters:

- program: Specifies the program object to be queried.
- name: string containing the name of the uniform variable

Example:

```
int projectionMatrixLocation = glGetUniformLocation(program, "projectionMatrix");
int viewMatrixLocation = glGetUniformLocation(program, "viewMatrix");
int modelMatrixLocation = glGetUniformLocation(program, "modelMatrix");
```

```
static const string vs_string =
"#version 410 core
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"uniform mat4 projectionMatrix;
uniform mat4 viewMatrix;
uniform mat4 modelMatrix;
in vec3 in_Position;
"
"in vec3 in_Color;
out vec3 pass_Color;
"
```

The names must
be equal

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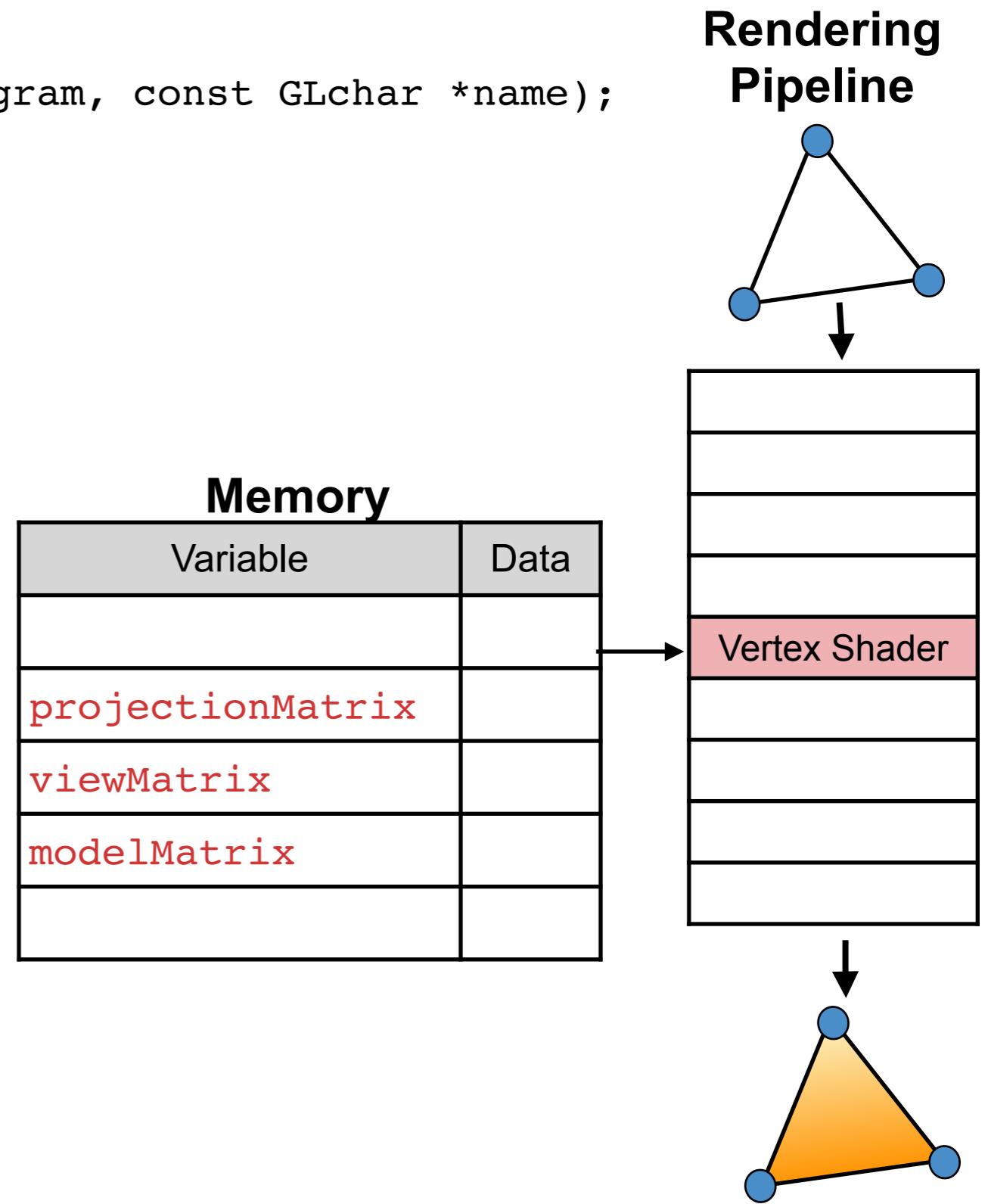
program: the shader
program variable

Uniform Variables

```
GLint glGetUniformLocation( GLuint program, const GLchar *name );
```

Returns the location of a uniform variable

- This function only creates the memory
- The data field remains empty



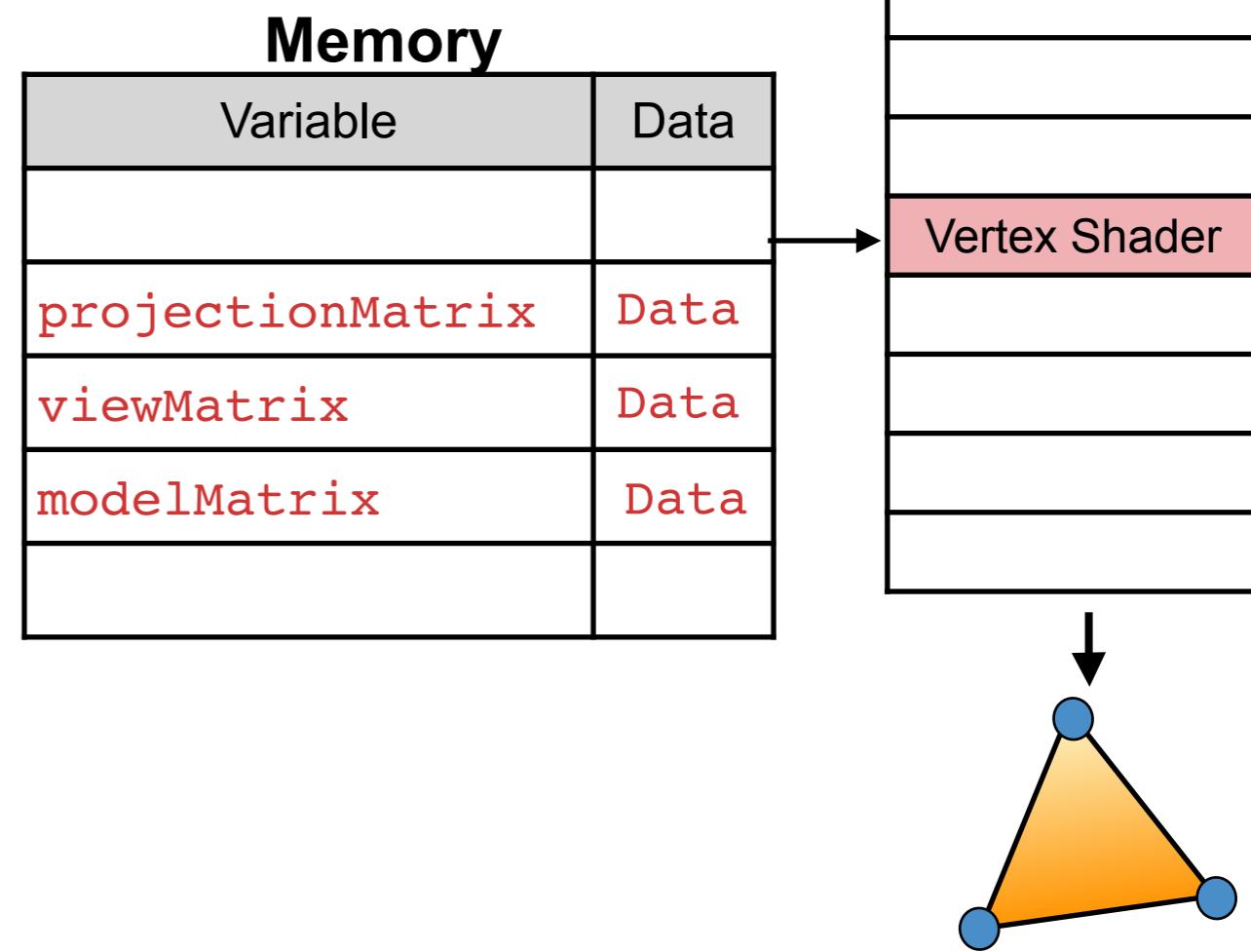
glUniformMatrix4fv

Copies the data into the graphics memory

```
void glUniformMatrix4fv( GLint location,  
GLsizei count,  
GLboolean transpose,  
const GLfloat *value);
```

Parameters:

- location: Specifies the location of the uniform value to be modified.
- count: Specifies the number of matrices that are to be modified.
- transpose: Must be GL_FALSE.
- value: Specifies a pointer to an array of count values that will be used to update the specified uniform variable.



Example



```
glUniformMatrix4fv(projectionMatrixLocation, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                    &projectionMatrix[0][0]);  
  
glUniformMatrix4fv(viewMatrixLocation, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                    &viewMatrix[0][0]);  
  
glUniformMatrix4fv(modelMatrixLocation, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                    &modelMatrix[0][0]);
```

Example and Structure

```
int main(int argc, const char * argv[])
```

```
{
```

```
    glUniformMatrix4fv(projectionMatrixLocation, 1, GL_FALSE,  
                        &projectionMatrix[0][0]);
```

```
[..also the others.]
```

```
while
```

```
    Clear the window
```

```
// Enable the shader program
```

```
glUseProgram(program);
```

```
    glBindVertexArray(vaoID[0]);
```

```
    modelMatrix = glm::translate(0.0f
```

```
    glUniformMatrix4fv(.....
```

```
    glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLE_STRIP, 0, 16);
```

```
    glBindVertexArray(vaoID[1]);
```

```
    modelMatrix = glm::translate(5, 9f
```

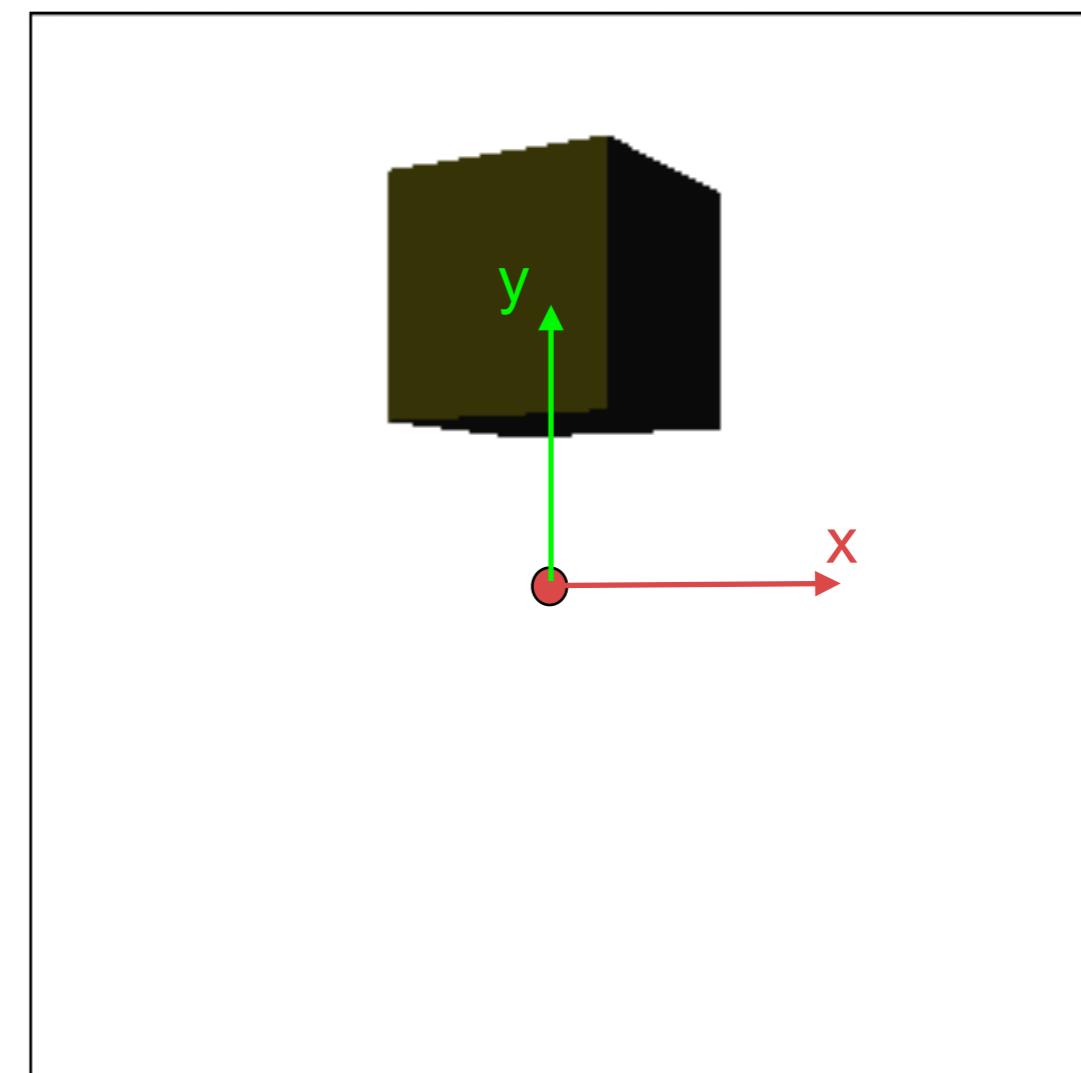
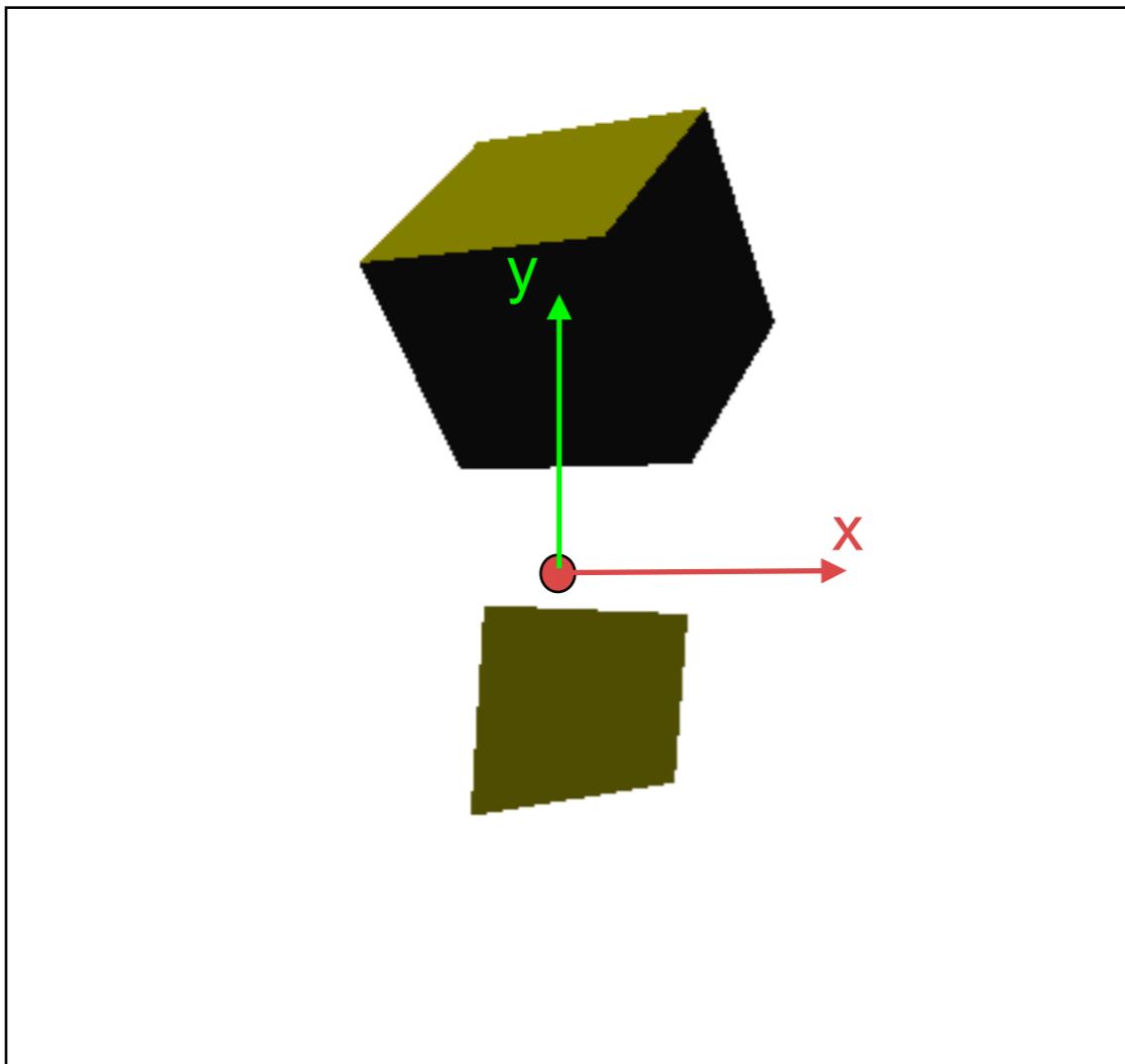
```
    glUniformMatrix4fv(.....
```

```
    glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLE, 0, 16);
```

```
    glUseProgram(0);
```

```
Swap buffers
```

A lot of things to remember, but we will practice on Thursday



Questions ?

Thank you!

Questions

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