

# Outline

- Block matrix multiplication
- 8-point algorithm
- Factorization

# Block matrix multiplication

# Block matrix

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{11} & \mathbf{A}_{12} & \cdots & \mathbf{A}_{1s} \\ \mathbf{A}_{21} & \mathbf{A}_{22} & \cdots & \mathbf{A}_{2s} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{A}_{q1} & \mathbf{A}_{q2} & \cdots & \mathbf{A}_{qs} \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{B}_{11} & \mathbf{B}_{12} & \cdots & \mathbf{B}_{1r} \\ \mathbf{B}_{21} & \mathbf{B}_{22} & \cdots & \mathbf{B}_{2r} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{B}_{s1} & \mathbf{B}_{s2} & \cdots & \mathbf{B}_{sr} \end{bmatrix}$$

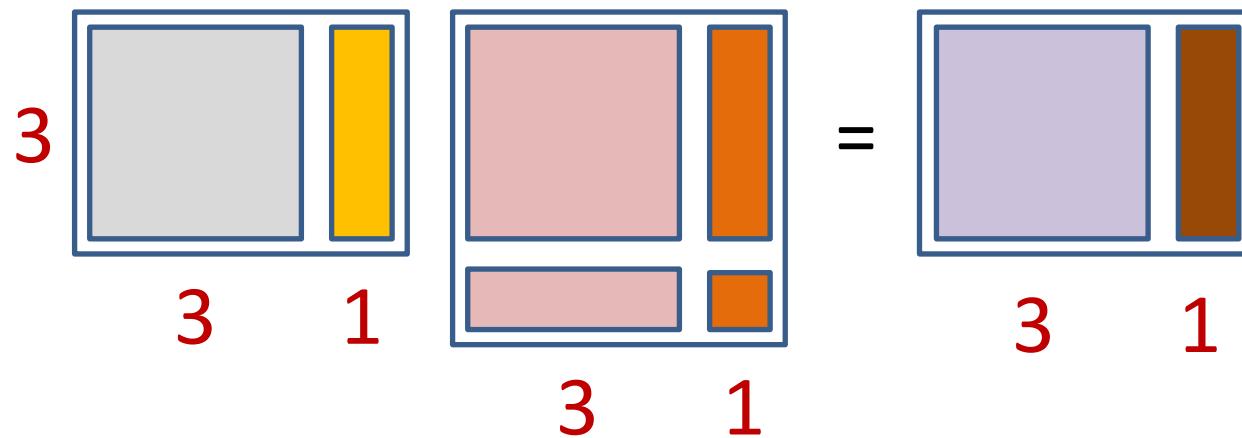
$$\mathbf{C} = \mathbf{AB}$$

$$\mathbf{C}_{\alpha\beta} = \sum_{\gamma=1}^s \mathbf{A}_{\alpha\gamma} \mathbf{B}_{\gamma\beta}$$

Just treat them as elements.

# Problem 1

- $MH = [A, b] \begin{bmatrix} H_1, H_2 \\ H_3, H_4 \end{bmatrix} = [I_3, 0]$



$$\rightarrow AH_1 + bH_3 = I_3$$

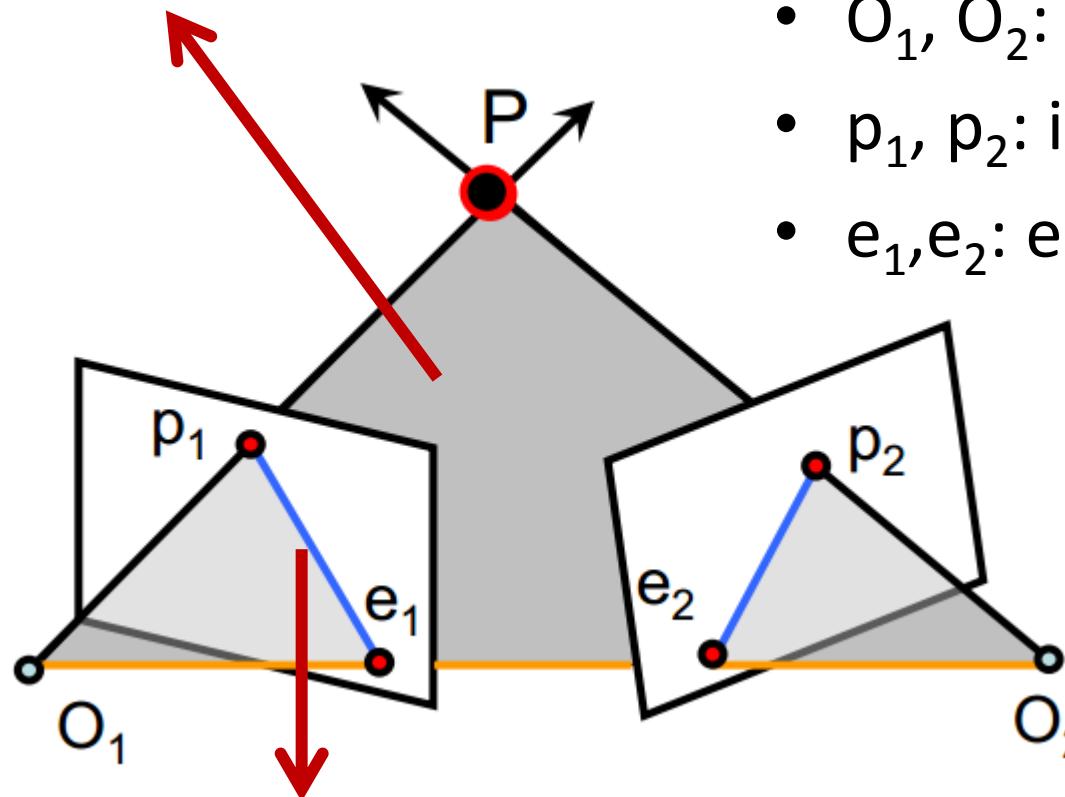
$$\rightarrow AH_2 + bH_4 = 0$$

How to choose  $H_3$  and  $H_4$ ?

# 8-point algorithm

# Epipolar geometry

epipolar plane



- $P$ : object
- $O_1, O_2$ : center of camera
- $p_1, p_2$ : image point
- $e_1, e_2$ : epipole

epipolar line

# Fundamental matrix $F$

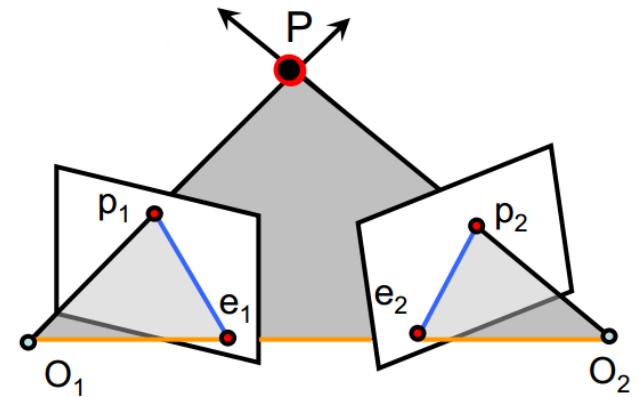
$$\mathbf{p}_1^T \cdot F \mathbf{p}_2 = 0$$

- $F$  is rank 2
  - why?  $F = K^{-T} [T_x] R K'^{-1}$ , and  $T_x$  is rank 2.
  - Use SVD to ensure this property.
- $F$  has 7 dof
  - 8 independent ratio due to scaling.
  - $\det F = 0 \rightarrow 7$  dof
- Transpose
  - $F$  for cameras  $(O_1, O_2)$  iff  $F^T$  for cameras  $(O_2, O_1)$

# Fundamental matrix $F$ (cont'd)

$$p_1^T \cdot F p_2 = 0$$

- Epipolar lines:  $l_1 = Fp_2$ ,  $p_1^T \cdot l_1 = 0$ 
  - 2D line:  $\bar{x} \cdot \tilde{l} = ax + by + c = 0$ .
- Epipole:  $\forall p_2$ ,  $e_1^T(Fp_2) = 0$ 
  - $e_1$  is left null vector of  $F$
  - Similarly,  $\forall p_1$ ,  $(p_1^T F)e_2 = 0$ ,  
so  $e_2$  is right null vector of  $F$
- Correlation: for epipolar line pair  $l$  and  $l'$ , any point  $p$  on  $l$  is mapped to  $l'$  (no inverse)



# Computation of $F$

$$\mathbf{p}_1^T \cdot F \mathbf{p}_2 = 0$$

$$(u, v, 1) \begin{pmatrix} F_{11} & F_{12} & F_{13} \\ F_{21} & F_{22} & F_{23} \\ F_{31} & F_{32} & F_{33} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u' \\ v' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

For each pair of corresponding points  $(u', v', 1), (u, v, 1)$ :

**8-point algorithm!**

$$\begin{pmatrix} F_{11} \\ F_{12} \\ F_{13} \\ F_{21} \\ F_{22} \\ F_{23} \\ F_{31} \\ F_{32} \\ F_{33} \end{pmatrix} = 0$$

# Numerical error

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_1 u_1' & u_1 v_1' & u_1 & v_1 u_1' & v_1 v_1' & v_1 & u_1' & v_1' & 1 \\ u_2 u_2' & u_2 v_2' & u_2 & v_2 u_2' & v_2 v_2' & v_2 & u_2' & v_2' & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ u_n u_n' & u_n v_n' & u_n & v_n u_n' & v_n v_n' & v_n & u_n' & v_n' & 1 \\ \sim 10000 & \sim 10000 & \sim 100 & \sim 10000 & \sim 10000 & \sim 100 & \sim 100 & \sim 100 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} f_{11} \\ f_{12} \\ f_{13} \\ f_{21} \\ f_{22} \\ f_{23} \\ f_{31} \\ f_{32} \\ f_{33} \end{bmatrix} = 0$$



Orders of magnitude difference  
between column of data matrix  
→ least-squares yields poor results

# Normalized 8-point algorithm

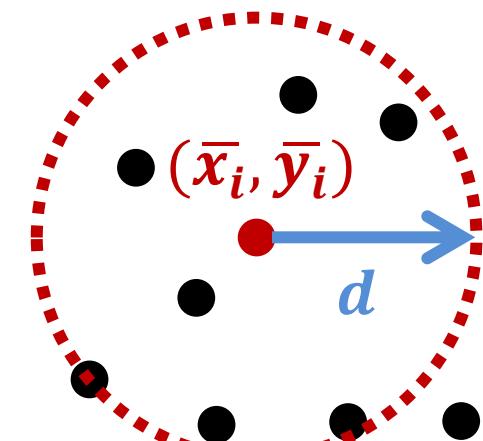
- Normalize:  $q_i = Tp_i, q'_i = T'p'_i$
- 8-point algorithm to solve  $F$  from  
 $q_i^T F_q q'_i = 0$  → SVD!
- Force  $F_q$  to have rank 2 → SVD!
- De-normalize  $F_q$  to get  $F$   
 $F = T^T F_q T'$

# Normalizing data points

- Goal
  - Mean: 0
  - Average distance to the mean:  $\sqrt{2}$
- Intuitively, we want  $q_i = (p_i - \bar{p}_i) \frac{\sqrt{2}}{d}$ 
  - $\bar{x}_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i x_i$ ,  $\bar{y}_i = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i y_i$ ,
  - $d = \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \sqrt{(x_i - \bar{x}_i)^2 + (y_i - \bar{y}_i)^2}$

$$\bullet q_i = \begin{bmatrix} \sqrt{2}/d & 0 & -\bar{x}\sqrt{2}/d \\ 0 & \sqrt{2}/d & -\bar{y}\sqrt{2}/d \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} p_i$$

3x1      3x1



# Use SVD on least square problem

- Solve over-determined  $Ax = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} & \min |Ax|^2 \\ & \text{s. t. } |x|^2 = 1 \end{aligned}$$

From SVD,  $A = U\Sigma V^T$ , want to minimize

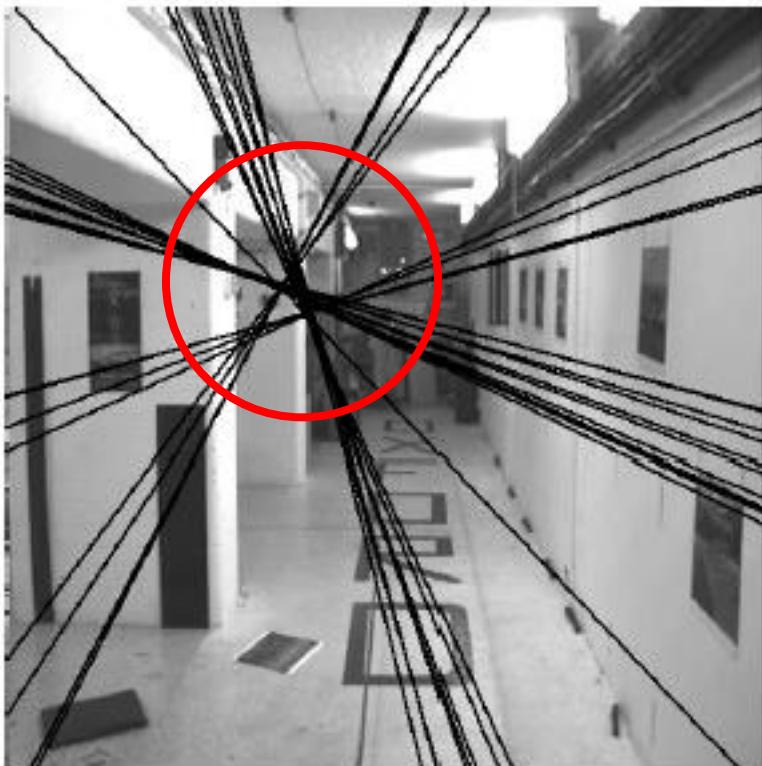
$$\begin{aligned} & |Ax|^2 \\ &= x^T A^T A x \\ &= x^T (U\Sigma V^T)^T (U\Sigma V) x \\ &= x^T V \Sigma^T U^T U \Sigma V^T x \\ &= x^T V \Sigma^T \Sigma V^T x \\ &= \sum_k \sigma_k^2 (v_k^T x)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Choose  $x$  to be  $v_k$  corresponding to smallest  $\sigma_k$

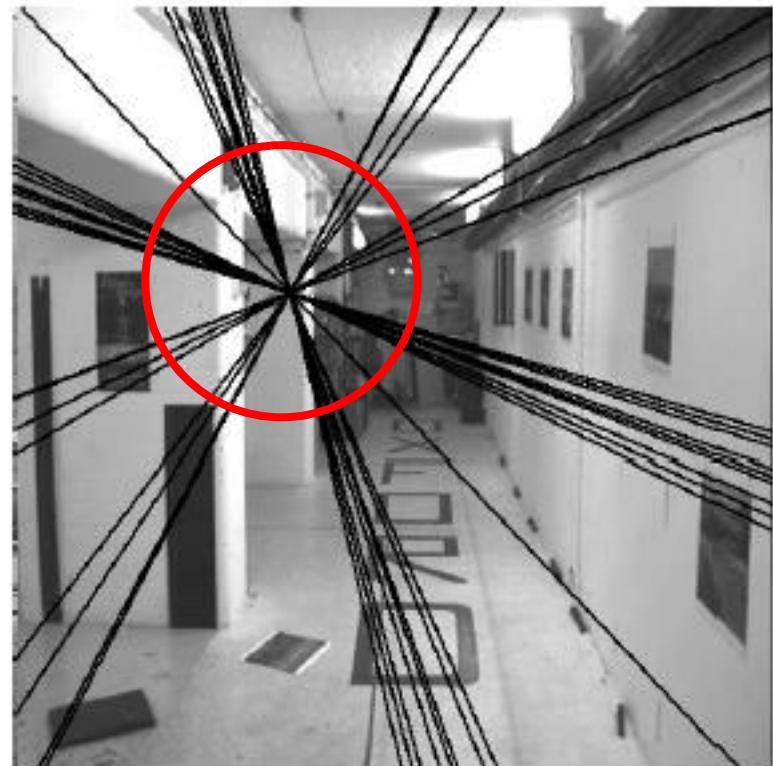
# Use SVD to reduce rank

- $A = U\Sigma V^T = U \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1 & \cdots & \cdots \\ \vdots & \sigma_2 & \vdots \\ \dots & \dots & \ddots \end{bmatrix} V^T = \sum_i \sigma_i u_i v_i^T$
- Intuition: only retain  $k$  components
  - Gives best rank  $k$  approximation of  $A$
- For formal proof, see Eckart-Young theorem

# Enforcing rank 2 on $F$



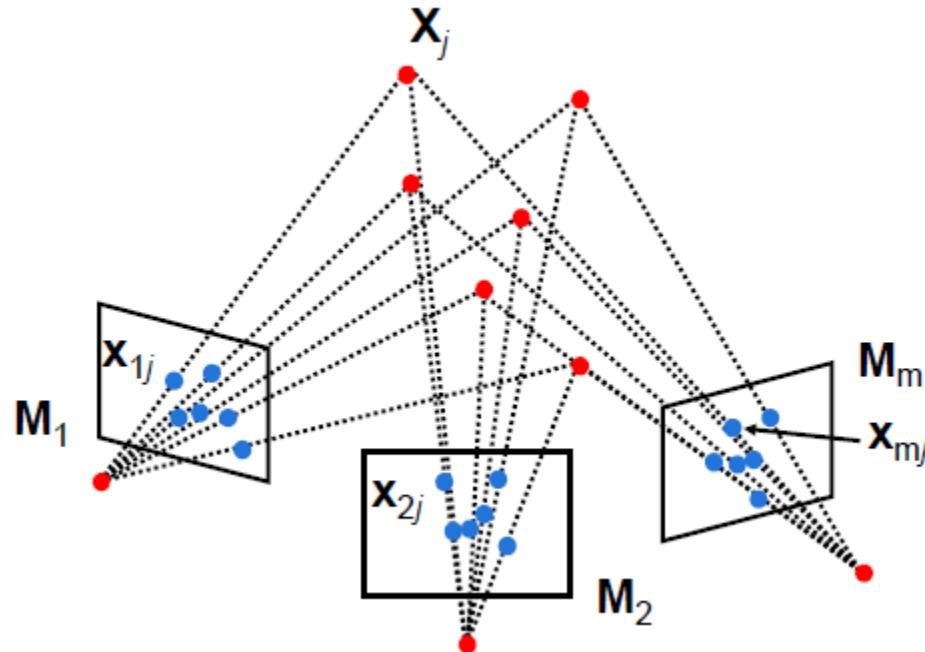
Non-singular  $F$



Singular  $F$

# Factorization

# Structure From Motion

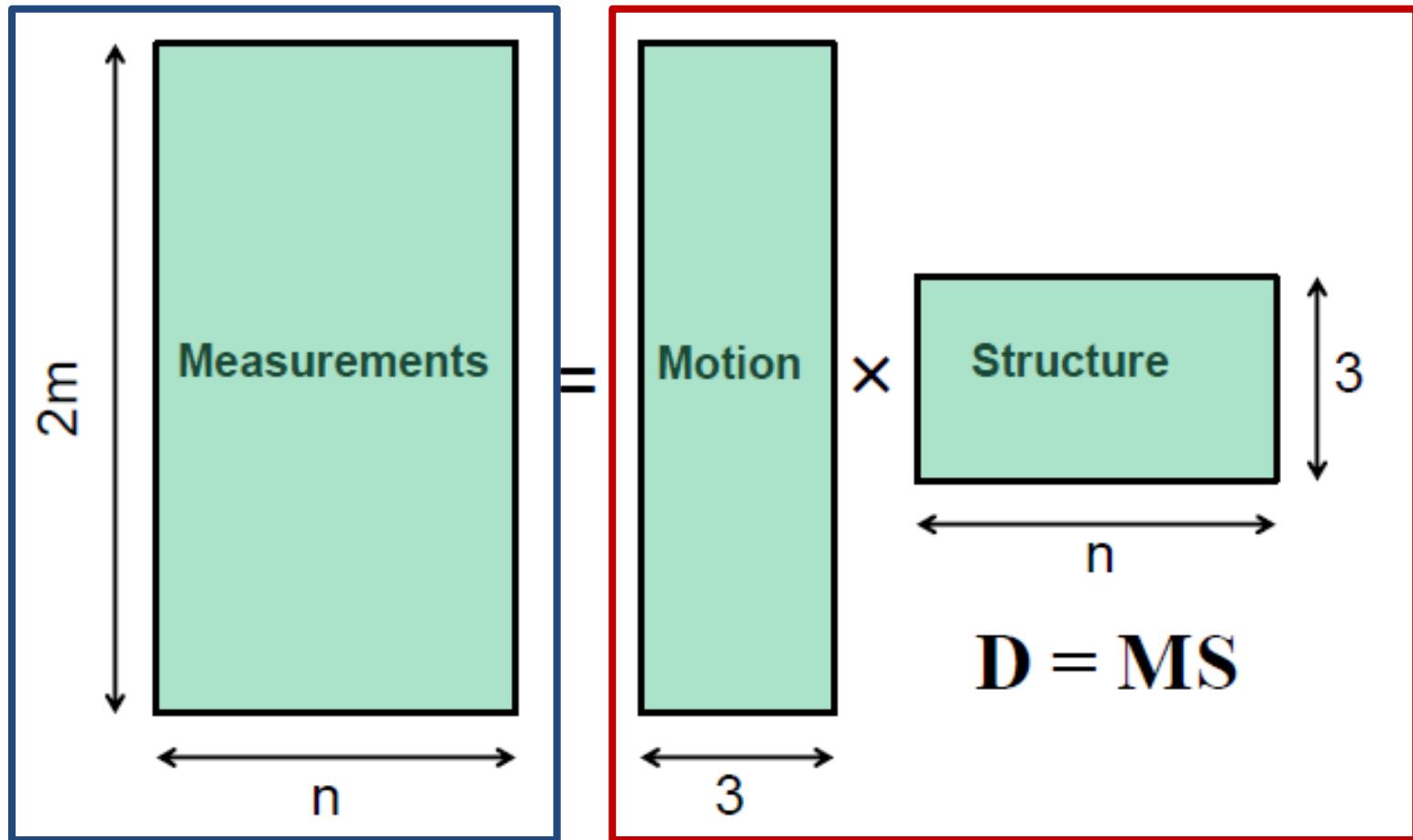


$$\underline{\mathbf{x}_{ij}} = \underline{\mathbf{M}_i \mathbf{X}_j}, \quad i = 1, \dots, m, \quad j = 1, \dots, n$$

known

solve for

# Factorization

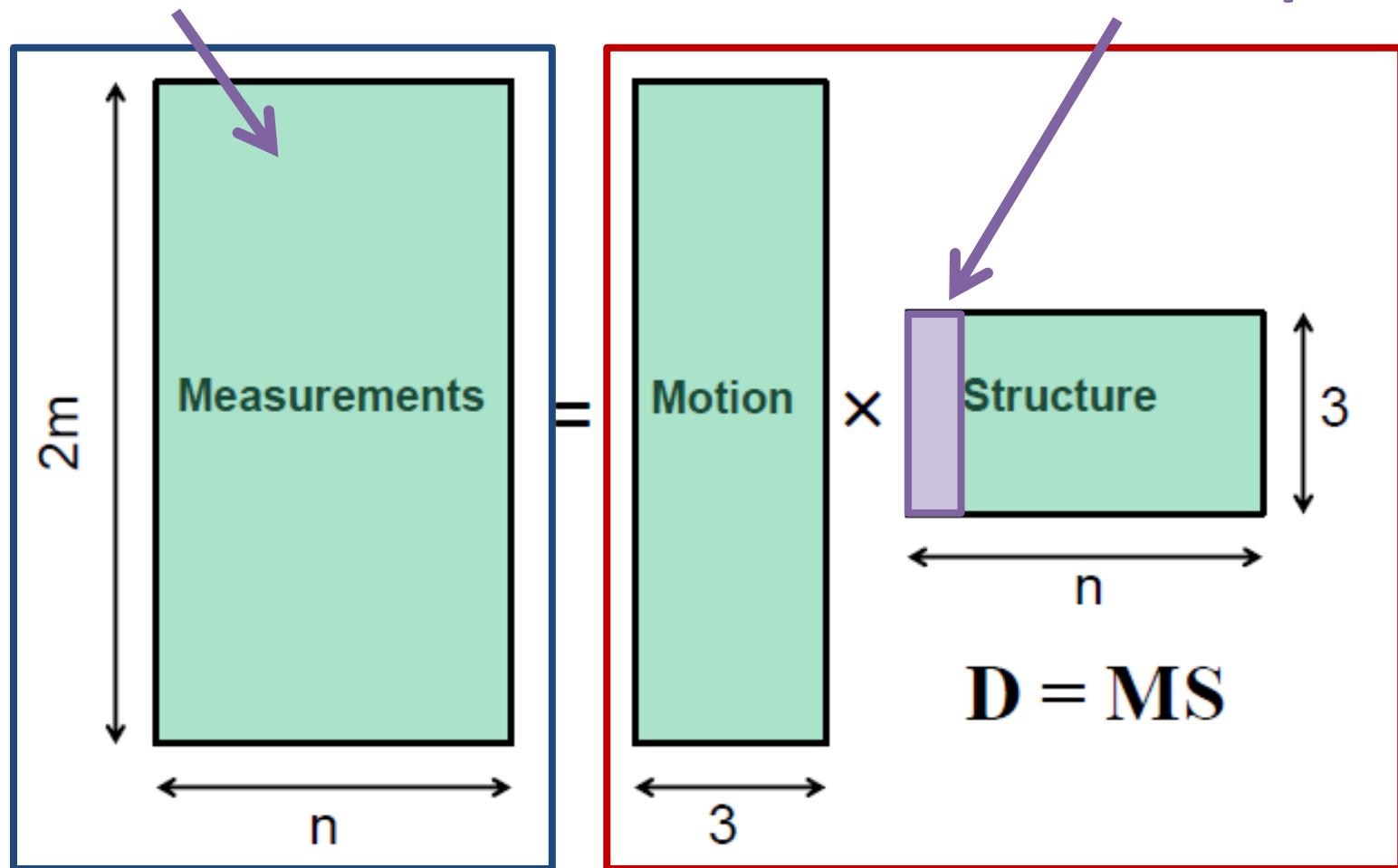


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solve for

(1)  $\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{ij} = \mathbf{x}_{ij} - \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \mathbf{x}_{ik}$  Factorization

(3) Columns are the 3D points



(2) SVD

# Factorization

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