

## • 3D projective geometry ( $p^3$ )

↳ Generalizations of  $p^2$  space e.g.  $\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \in p^2 \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \in p^3$

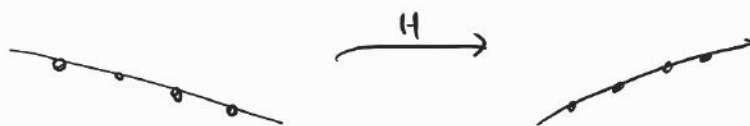
additional properties e.g. two lines may not intersect at 3D projective space

## • Points in $p^3$

homogenous:  $x = (x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4)^T$   $x_4 \neq 0$  (if  $x_4 = 0$ , points of infinity)  
inhomogenous:  $x = \left( \frac{x_1}{x_4}, \frac{x_2}{x_4}, \frac{x_3}{x_4} \right)^T$

$x' = Hx$  :  $4 \times 4$  linear transformation matrix  $\therefore 15$  dof

mapping  $H$  is a collineation (as  $p^2$ ) : lines (collinear points) map to lines



$\therefore$  preserves incidence relations e.g. intersection of line and plane

## • Planes in $p^3$

homogenous:  $\pi_1 x_1 + \pi_2 x_2 + \pi_3 x_3 + \pi_4 x_4 = 0$  /  $\pi^T x = 0$   
inhomogenous:  $\pi_1 x + \pi_2 y + \pi_3 z + \pi_4 = 0$

plane  $\pi: (\pi_1, \pi_2, \pi_3, \pi_4)$

$\therefore$  Dot product of plane  $\pi$  and point  $x$  equals zero implies  $x$  is in  $\pi$   
(analogous to  $l^T x = 0$  in  $p^2$ )

+ plane and point are duality (interchangeable in 3D)

3dof :  $\{\pi_1 : \pi_2 : \pi_3 : \pi_4\}$  ratio

$(\pi_1, \pi_2, \pi_3)^T$  defines normal vector

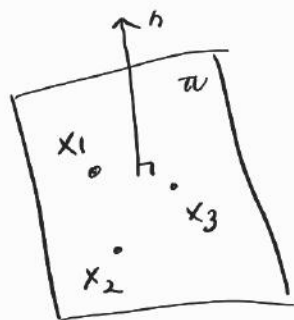
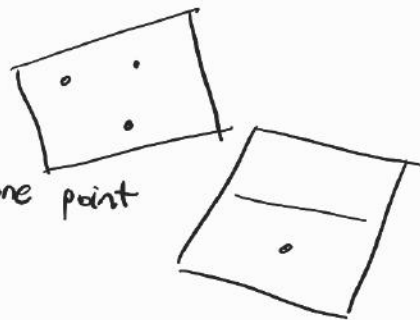
$\Rightarrow n \cdot x + d = 0$  where  $x = (x, y, z)^T$ ,  $\pi_4 = d$

$\uparrow$   $\frac{d}{\|n\|}$  is distance of plane from origin

$x' = Hx \rightarrow \pi' = H^{-T} \pi$  for plane transformation (proof: use  $\pi^T x = 0$ )

## • Join and Incidence Relations

(i) Plane is uniquely defined  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{not collinear three points} \\ \text{not incident one line and one point} \end{array} \right.$



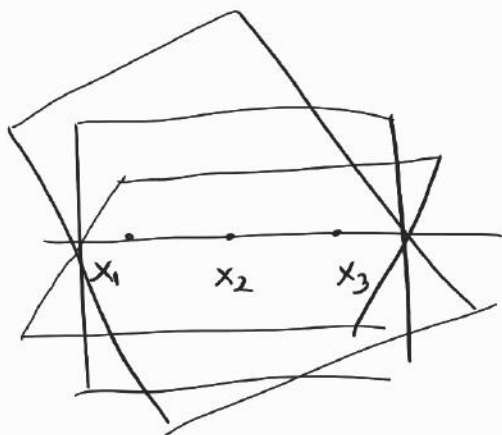
$$\text{Since } \pi^T x_1 = \pi^T x_2 = \pi^T x_3 = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_1^T \\ x_2^T \\ x_3^T \end{bmatrix} \pi = 0$$

obtained uniquely (up-to-scale)  
1D right null space

( $\because Ax=0, A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \rightarrow \dim(\text{right null space}) = n - \text{rank}(A)$ )

$\uparrow$   $3 \times 4$  matrix where each incidence relations are linearly independent  
 $\therefore$  rank 3 matrix



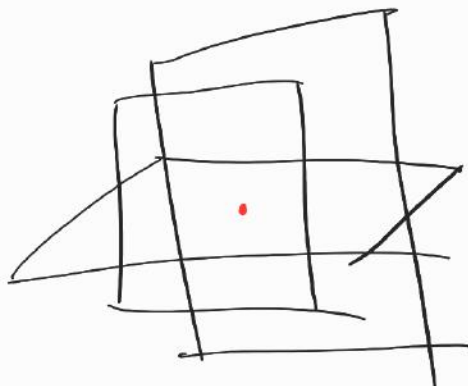
if  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  are collinear,  $[x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3]^T$  has rank = 2  
 $\therefore$  2D right null space

(ii) Three distinct planes intersect at unique point

$$\text{Since } \pi_1^T x = \pi_2^T x = \pi_3^T x = 0, \quad \begin{bmatrix} \pi_1^T \\ \pi_2^T \\ \pi_3^T \end{bmatrix} x = 0$$

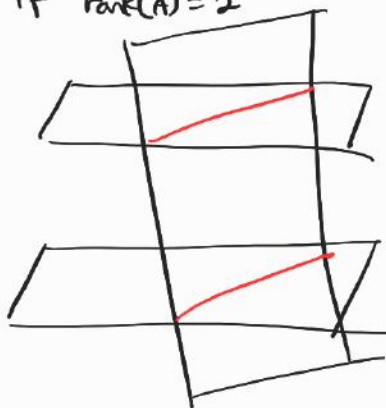
(A)

if  $\text{rank}(A) = 3$



intersect at unique point

if  $\text{rank}(A) = 2$



Some planes are parallel  
 $\therefore$  intersection of line/line pairs

if  $\text{rank}(A) = 1$



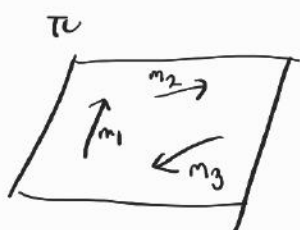
All planes are parallel

- Parameterized points on a plane

if point  $x$  is on plane  $\pi$ ,

$$X = Mx = \begin{bmatrix} | & | & | \\ m_1 & m_2 & m_3 \\ | & | & | \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = x_1 m_1 + x_2 m_2 + x_3 m_3$$

(i.e. linear combination of  $m_1, m_2, m_3$   
&  $x_1, x_2, x_3$  parameterize point  $x$ )



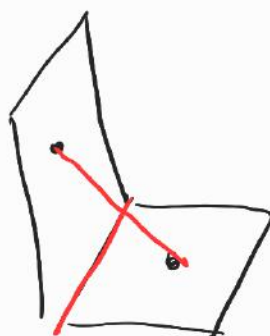
$$\therefore \pi^T M = 0$$

\*  $M$  is not unique

- (iii) Two distinct planes intersect at unique line

- Lines in  $P^3$

defined by  $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{intersection of two planes} \\ \text{join of two points} \end{array} \right.$



4 dof  
(2 dof  $(x, y)$   
per point)

4 dof  $\rightarrow$  5d homogeneous vector? Awkward representations in 3D space

- Repl** Null space and span representation

if point  $A, B$  are non-coincident, for  $w \in \mathbb{A}^{2 \times 4}$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} A^T \\ B^T \end{bmatrix}, \text{ span of row space defines line connecting } A, B$$



(i) span of  $w^T$  is pencil of points (=line)  $\mu A + \lambda B$

$$\text{if } \mu A = A' \text{ and } \lambda B = B', \quad w' = \begin{bmatrix} A'^T \\ B'^T \end{bmatrix}, \text{ then } \text{span}(w) = \text{span}(w')$$

(ii) span of 2d null space ( $w x = 0 \rightarrow$  set of  $x$ ) is pencil of planes

$$\text{if } p, q \text{ are basis of null space, then } w p = \begin{bmatrix} A^T \\ B^T \end{bmatrix} p = 0$$

since  $A^T p = B^T p = 0$  (incidence relationships),  $p$  contains  $A$  and  $B$

similarly  $A^T q = B^T q = 0 \quad \therefore \overline{AB}$  is plane intersection of  $p$  and  $q$

$\Rightarrow \mu p + \lambda q$  are plane of pencil w/  $\overline{AB}$  axis

\* Duality of line and plane

$$w^* = \begin{bmatrix} p^T \\ q^T \end{bmatrix} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \text{Span of } w^{*T} \text{ is pencil of planes } w^T + \lambda q \\ \text{Span of 2d null space of } w^* \text{ is pencil of points} \end{array} \right.$$

$$\therefore w^* w^T = w w^{*T} = 0$$

• Plane = point + line

Null-space of  $M = \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x^T \end{bmatrix}$  defines a plane containing line  $w$  and point  $x$

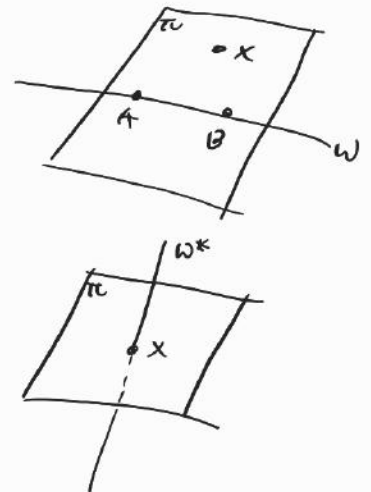
$$\therefore M = \begin{bmatrix} w \\ x^T \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} p^T \\ q^T \\ x^T \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow Mx = 0$$

↑ Duality

• Point = plane and line intersection

Null-space of  $M = \begin{bmatrix} w^* \\ \pi^T \end{bmatrix}$  defines an intersection point  $x$

$$\therefore M = \begin{bmatrix} w^* \\ \pi^T \end{bmatrix} \equiv \begin{bmatrix} p^T \\ q^T \\ \pi^T \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow Mx = 0$$



• Rep2 Plucker Line Coordinates

$$L = \{ \underbrace{l_{12}, l_{13}, l_{14}}_{d = B - A \text{ (direction)}}, \underbrace{l_{23}, l_{24}, l_{34}}_{m = A \times B \text{ (momentum)}} \} \quad 6 \text{ non-zero elements}$$

if  $L = \overline{AB}$ ,  $\hat{L} = \overline{\hat{A}\hat{B}}$  are coplanar.

$$\det(A, B, \hat{A}, \hat{B}) = d^T \hat{m} + m^T \hat{d} = 0$$

↓  $\hookrightarrow \because d \text{ or } \hat{d} \perp m \text{ or } \hat{m}$

$\because$  They have some expressions

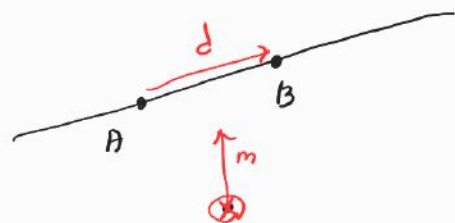
↑ duality

if  $L$  (intersection of plane  $P, Q$ ) and  $\hat{L}$  intersects,

$$\det(P, Q, \hat{P}, \hat{Q}) = 0$$

if  $L$  (intersection of plane  $P, Q$ ) and  $\hat{L}$  (join of points  $A, B$ ) intersects,

$$P^T A Q^T B - Q^T A P^T B = 0$$





## • Quadrics and dual Quadrics

↳ surface in  $p^3$  defined by  $x^T Q x = 0$  where  $Q$  is  $4 \times 4$  symmetric matrix  
(holds similar property of conic in  $p^2$  e.g.  $x^T C x = 0$ )

if quadric surface  $Q$  is not distinguished, it is referred as quadric  $Q$

## • Properties

1) 9 dof  $\because 4 \times 4$  symmetric (10) - scale (1)

2) 9 points in general define a conic

3) if  $Q$  is singular ( $\text{rank}(Q) < 4$ ), quadric is degenerate

(can be defined by fewer points)

4) intersection of plane  $\pi$  and quadric  $Q$  is conic  $C$

As point  $X$  in  $\pi$  can be parameterized  $X = \pi x$ ,

$$x^T Q x = x^T M^T Q M x = 0 \quad \therefore C = M^T Q M$$

5) for point transformation  $X' = HX$ , quadric transforms  $Q' = H^{-T} Q H^{-1}$

$$\therefore x'^T Q' x' = (x^T H^T) Q' (Hx) = x^T (H^T Q' H) x = x^T Q x = 0$$

$$H^T Q' H = Q \Rightarrow Q' = H^{-T} Q H^{-1}$$

6) Dual of quadric is also quadric

Dual quadric is defined by plane (vs. dual conic defined by line)

$$\pi^T Q^* \pi = 0 \quad \text{where } Q^* \text{ is adjoint } Q \text{ or } Q^{-1} \text{ (if invertible)}$$

7) for point transformation  $X' = HX$ , dual quadric transforms  $Q^* = H Q^* H^T$

## • Types of quadric

Ellipsoid, Hyperboloid, Elliptic paraboloid, Hyperbolic paraboloid :  $\text{Rank}(Q) = 4$

Elliptic Cone :  $\text{Rank}(Q) = 3 \therefore$  degenerate

## • 3D hierarchy of transformations

(i) projective  $\begin{bmatrix} A & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  15 dof

(ii) Affine  $\begin{bmatrix} A & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  12 dof

3D rigid body motion

$R \in \text{SO}(3)$

↓

(iii) Similarity  $\begin{bmatrix} sR & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  7 dof

(iv) Euclidean  $\begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$  6 dof