Camera Calibration through Camera Projection Loss

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What is Camera Calibration?

Why do we need it?

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def image_to_camera(self, u, v, disparity):
   xCam = (self.intrinsic.fx * self.extrinsic.baseline) / disparity
   yCam = - (xCam / self.intrinsic.fx) * (u - self.intrinsic.u0)
   zCam = (xCam / self.intrinsic.fy) * (self.intrinsic.vO - v)
   return [xCam, yCam, zCam]
 def image_to_world(self, u, v, disparity):
   [xCam, yCam, zCam] = self.image_to_camera(u, v, disparity)
   yWorld = yCam + self.extrinsic.y
   xWorld = xCam * math.cos(self.extrinsic.pitch) + zCam * \
      math.sin(self.extrinsic.pitch) + self.extrinsic.x
   zWorld = - xCam * math.sin(self.extrinsic.pitch) + zCam * \
      math.cos(self.extrinsic.pitch) + self.extrinsic.z
   return [xWorld, yWorld, zWorld]
```

Can mathematical equations help CNNs?

Paper	Input	Parameters					
[24]	RGB Image	Tilt, Roll, Focal length, Radial distortion					
[52]	RGB Image, Projected Radar Data	Tilt, Pan, Roll					
[116]	RGB Image, Raw LiDAR point cloud	Rotation, Translation					
[29]	Stereo Image pair	Fundamental Matrix					
	RGB Image pair	Rotation, Translation					
	RGB Image	Focal length, Distortion					
[0], 173, 179, 126, 40]	RGB Image	Rotation, Translation					
	RGB Image	Tilt, Roll, Focal length					
	RGB Image	Focal length					
[33]	Head Detections, Focal length	Rotation, Translation					
	RGB Image	Focal length, Position, Orientation					
[30]	Putative matches Fundamental Matrix						
Table 1: Overview of some recent configurations for different aspects of Camera Calibration							

How to embed an equation in a CNN?

def add_layer(tensor):
 return tensor[0] + tensor[1]

def mul_layer(tensor):
 return tensor[0] * tensor[1]

def div_layer(tensor):
 return tensor[0] / tensor[1]

def sub_layer(tensor):
 return tensor[0] - tensor[1]

Equation in Python

xCam = (self.intrinsic.fx * self.extrinsic.baseline) / disparity

Equivalent Lambda layer representation

mul_1 = Lambda(mul_layer)([pred_fx, pred_baseline])

xCam = Lambda(div_layer, name='xCam')([mul_1, pred_disparity])

Where to get data for training?

CARLA using Town 2 for training while Town 1 for testing having 24 episodes each.

Reason: 48 Camera Configurations without spending a penny on actual equipment.



Table 1

Average [1]

Deep-Homo [7]

images.

MTL-Baseline (Ours)

MTL-CPL-U (Ours)

MTL-CPL-A (Ours)

MTL-CPL-U-TL (Ours)

MTL-CPL-A-TL (Ours)

 $f_{\mathbf{x}}$

72.44

28.51

20.90

38.36

4.79

2.50

21.92

 f_y 72.44

28.52

23.98

58.19

4.22

382.20

128.92

 u_0

40.27

1.01

14.63

46.02

4.12

35.70

185.29

Table showing MAE in predicted parameters on synthetic test set comprising of 23,796

 v_0

40.27

1.02

13.95

46.11

3.97

3.91

31.95

b

12.53

1.51

1.06

2.79

0.65

0.47

0.65

d

21.34

0.17

1.35

11.87

0.25

20.89

2.14

 t_{x}

12.53

1.51

0.89

2.80

2.42

0.18

0.10

 θ_p

89.68

22.48

20.02

107.89

5.69

9.75

2.53

 t_z

12.73

1.23

1.01

1.44

2.42

0.19

0.17

 t_u

12.90

1.32

1.01

1.11

0.62

0.39

1.96

Will the proposed approach work on real data without training?

Table 2 Table showing MAE in predicted parameters on Tsinghua-Daimler test set comprising of 2,914 images. For this experiment, we just did a forward pass without any transfer learning or training.

	f_x	f_y	u_0	v_0	b	d	t_{x}	t_y	$t_{\mathcal{Z}}$	θ_p
Deep-Homo [7]	2206.58	2205.52	986.60	474.45	2.39	6.43	0.60	3.35	0.81	64.66
MTL-Baseline (Ours)	1831.53	1803.43	759.84	436.34	19.48	35.79	12.34	16.27	14.77	498.59
MTL-CPL-U (Ours)	1355.94	1790.74	3680.99	3919.11	58.00	1223.16	15.54	2.22	0.25	3861.55
MTL-CPL-A (Ours)	2208.87	2206.74	987.81	475.70	3.01	6.44	3.07	3.14	0.97	51.65
MTL-CPL-U-TL (Ours)	2166.18	4160.66	896.35	470.40	2.22	27.04	2.12	3.45	1.08	30.88

474.32

2.74

27.81

1.26

4.58

2.13

29.04

MTL-CPL-A-TL (Ours)

3341.94

2215.48

985.91

Conclusion

Questions