



# Digital Image Processing Projective Geometry

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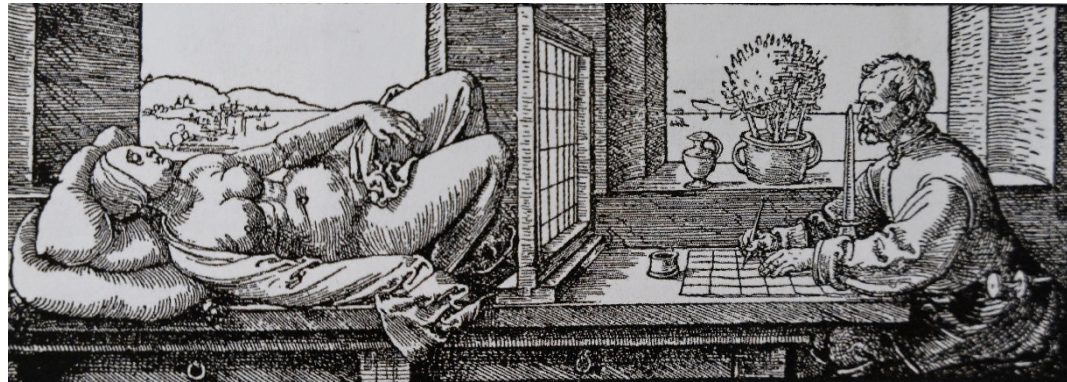
Matlab Code:

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## PROJECTIVE GEOMETRY

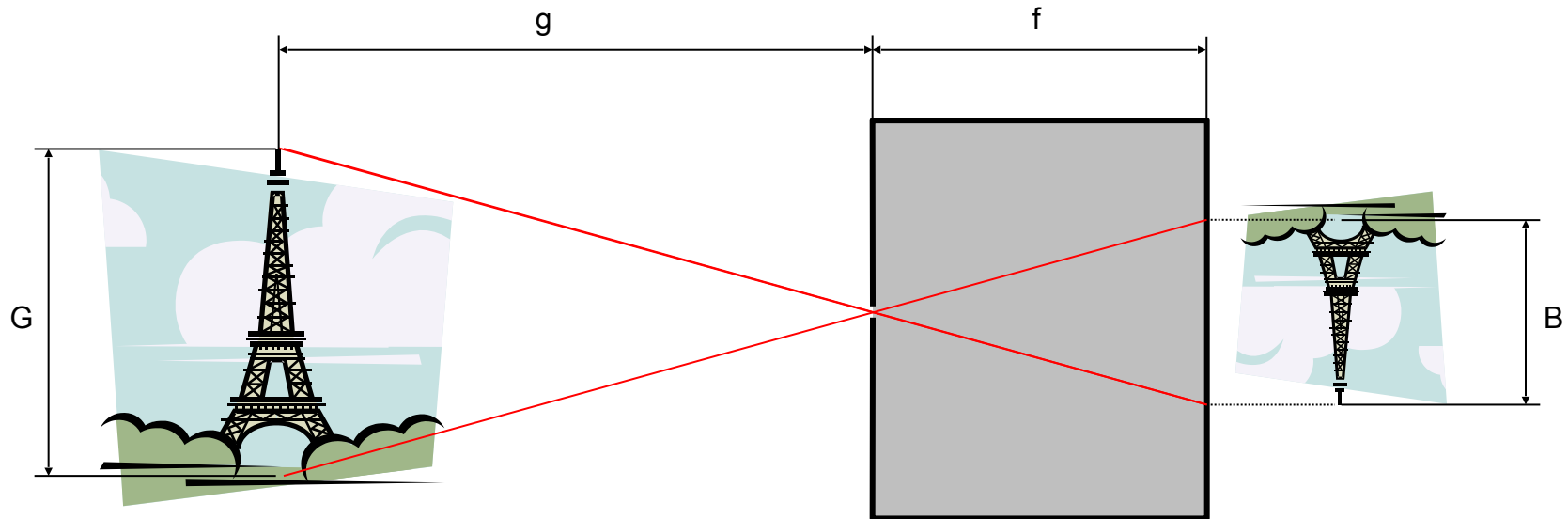
- Pinhole camera model
- 2D image plane  $\rightarrow$  2D image plane via a single point
  - Euclidian, Affine, Projective mapping
- 3D object space  $\rightarrow$  2D image plane via a single point
- Define and evaluate Homography parameter set = camera calibration



Albrecht Dürer – Draughtsman Drawing a Recumbent Woman, ca. 1527



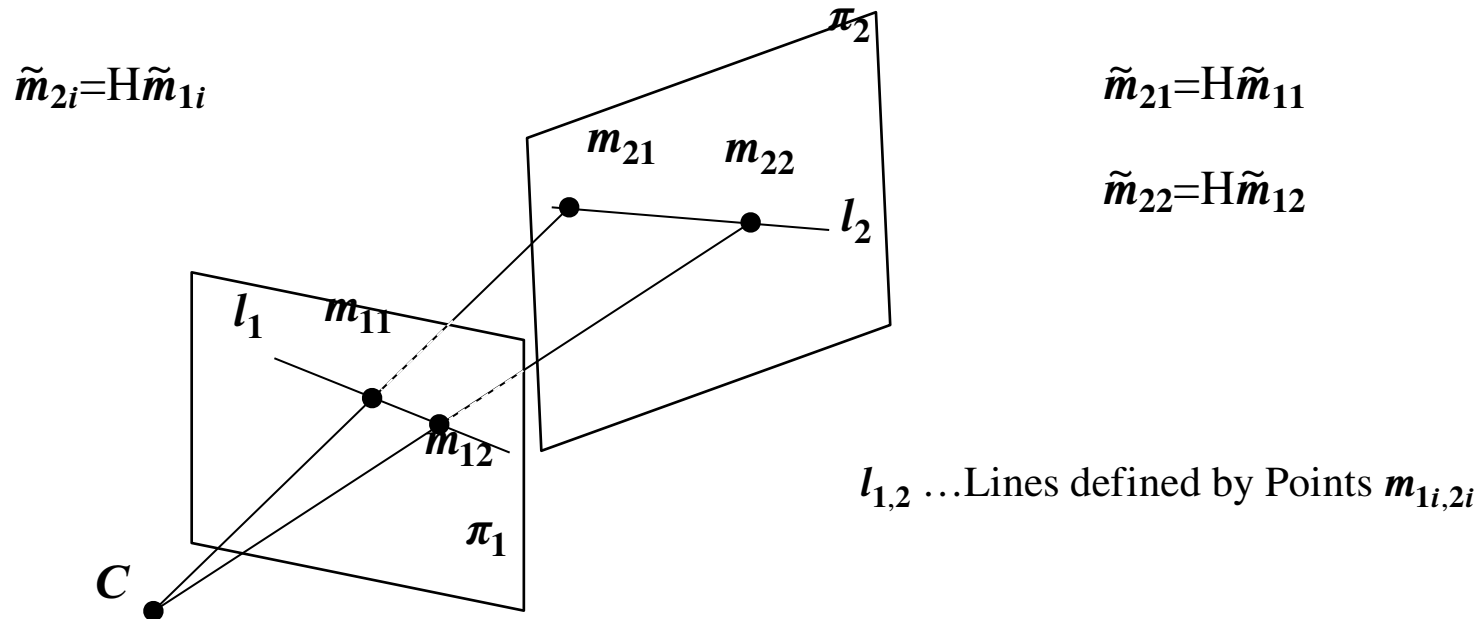
## Pinhole Camera Model



- Pinhole – all rays are crossing a certain point
  - central projection from the object space to the image space (plane!)



## Homography in P<sup>2</sup>



C ... center point

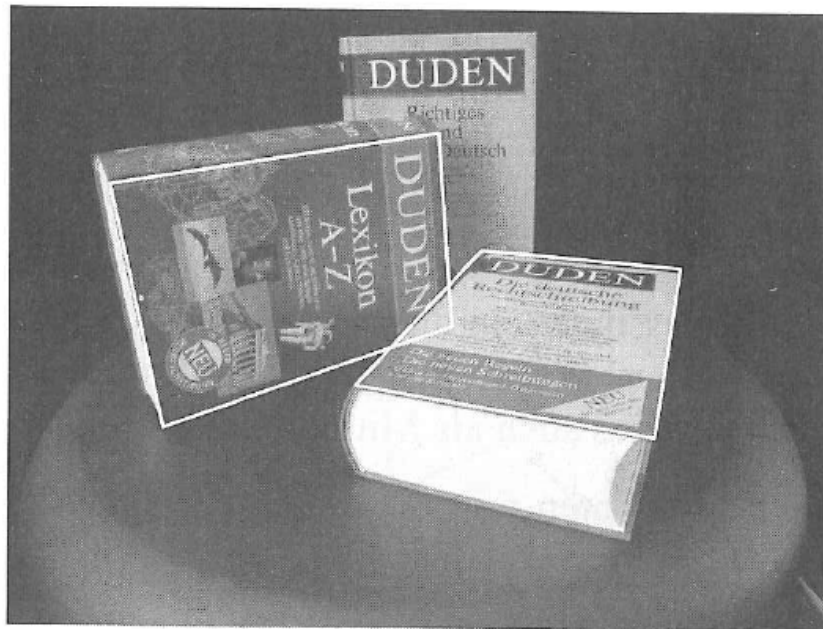
$$\tilde{l}_2 = \tilde{m}_{21} \times \tilde{m}_{22} = H \tilde{m}_{11} \times H \tilde{m}_{12} = H^* (\tilde{m}_{11} \times \tilde{m}_{12}) = \det(H) H^{-T} \tilde{l}_1$$

$$\tilde{l}_2 = H^{-T} \tilde{l}_1$$

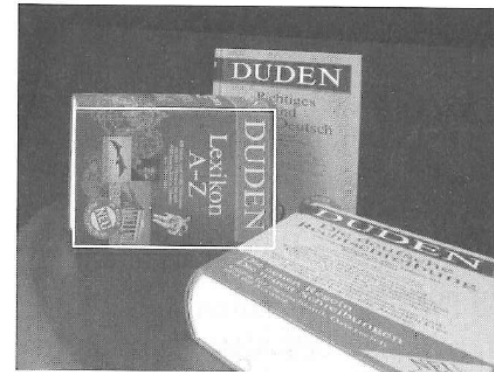


## Homography in P<sup>2</sup>

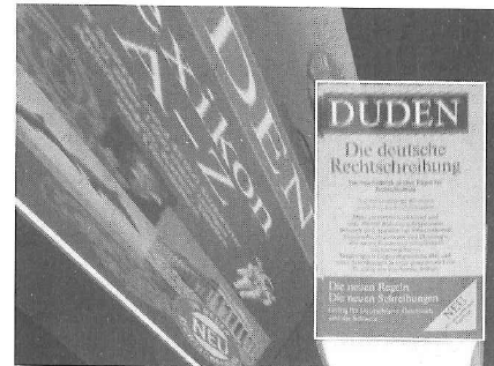
$$\tilde{m}_{2i} = H \tilde{m}_{1i}$$



$H_1$



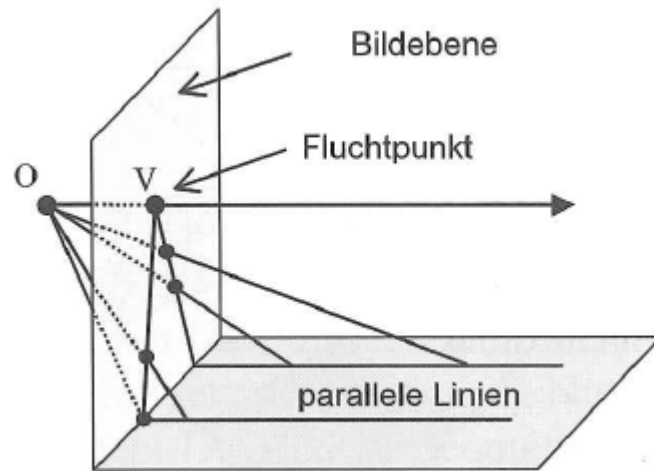
$H_2$



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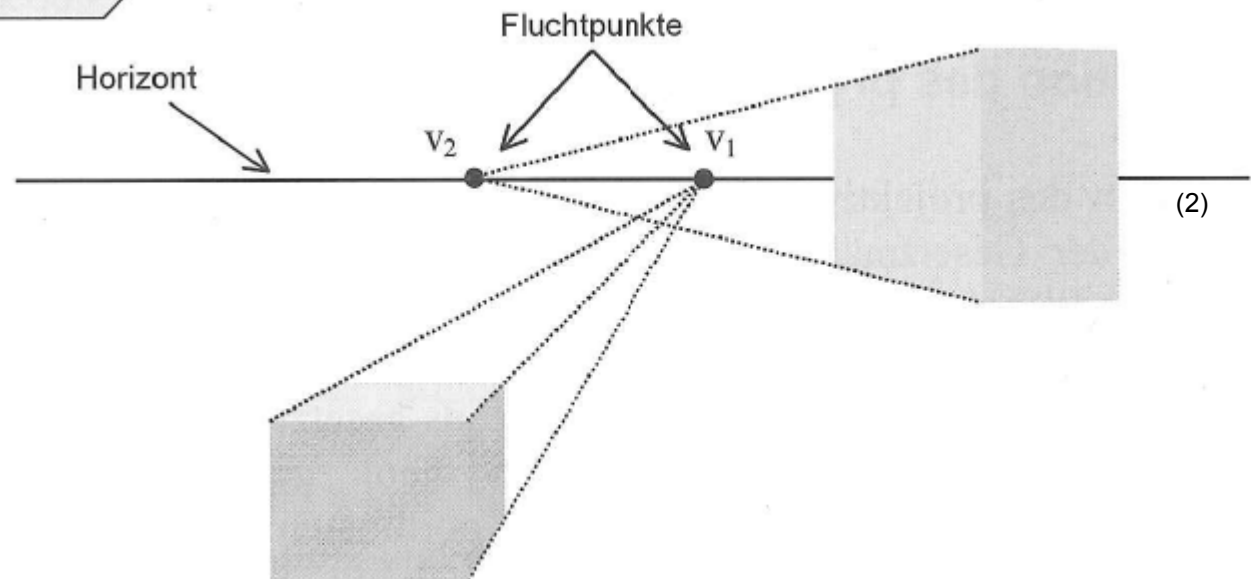


## Features



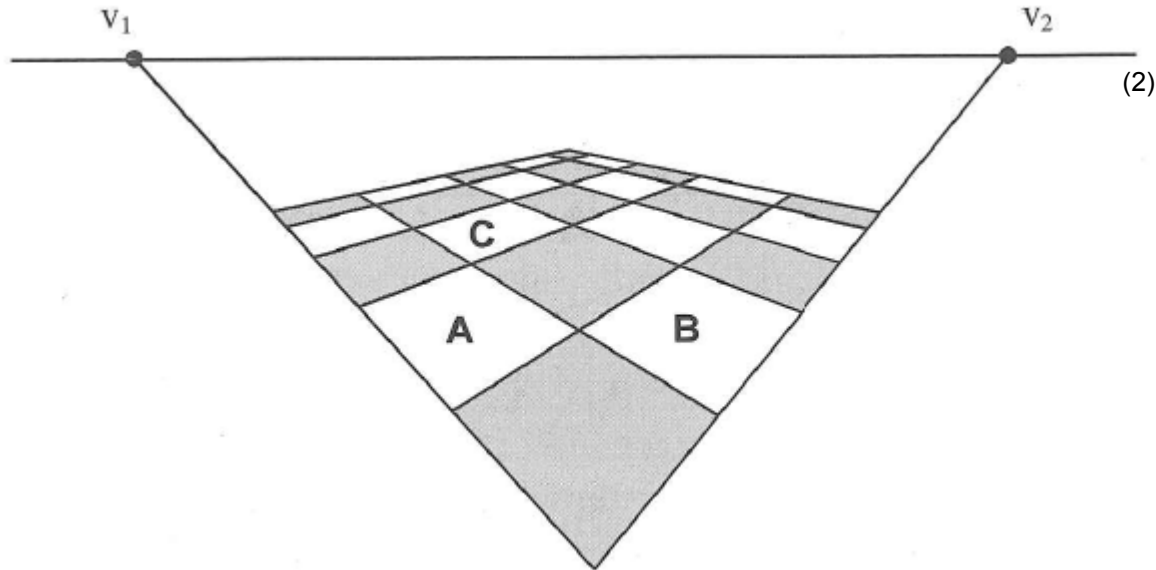
Vanishing point (*Fluchtpunkt*)

Absolut Conic (*hier Horizont*)





## Features



Perspective projection leads to variant geometrical features (lengths, areas) – in the original plane the areas A, B, and C are equal in size.





## Features

## Hierarchy of Transformations:

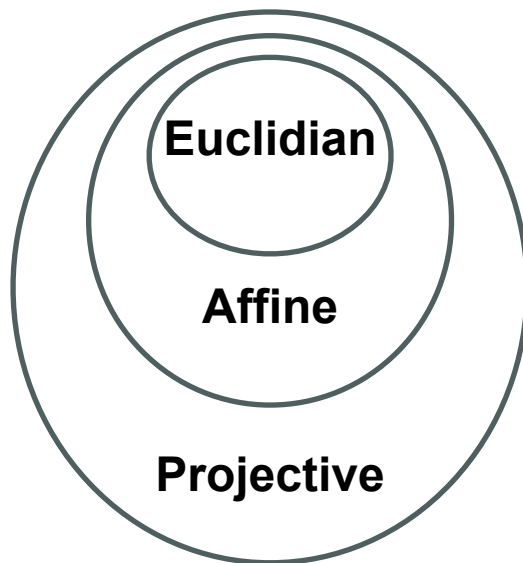


Tabelle 2.3. Hierarchie der Transformationen

Transformationen	Matrix	Freiheitsgrade 2-D	Freiheitsgrade 3-D
Euklidisch	$\begin{bmatrix} R & t \\ 0^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	3	6
Affin	$\begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ 0^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$	6	12
Projektiv	$\begin{bmatrix} A & b \\ v^T & v \end{bmatrix}$	8	15

Tabelle 2.4. Transformationen und Invarianten im euklidischen, affinen und projektiven Raum

Geometrie	euklidisch	affin	projektiv
Anzahl der Komponenten bis auf Skalierungsfaktor	n nein	n nein	n+1 ja
<b>Transformationen</b>			
Rotation, Translation	✓	✓	✓
Skalierung, Scherung		✓	✓
Perspekt. Projektion			✓
<b>Invarianten</b>			
Länge, Winkel	✓		
Verhältnisse, Parallelität	✓	✓	
Incidence, Kreuzverhältnis	✓	✓	✓

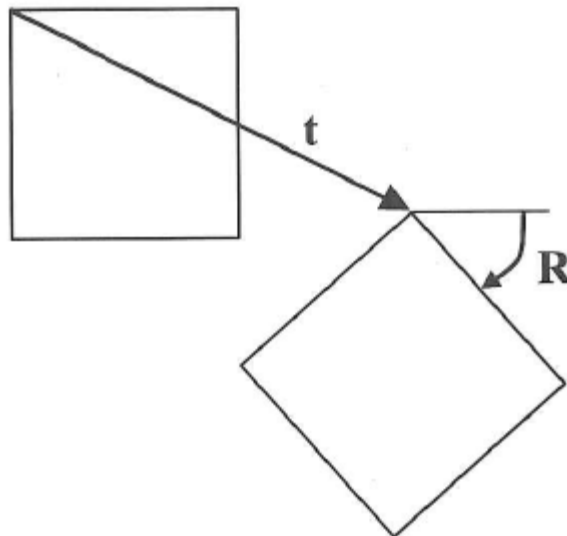
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## Euclidean Mapping – 2D

$$\mathbf{m}_2 = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{m}_1 + \mathbf{t}$$
$$\tilde{\mathbf{m}}_2^3 = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{\mathbf{m}}_1^3$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} X_2 \\ Y_2 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{R} \begin{bmatrix} X_1 \\ Y_1 \end{bmatrix} + \mathbf{t}, \quad \text{mit } \mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \varphi & \sin \varphi \\ -\sin \varphi & \cos \varphi \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{und } \mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \end{bmatrix}$$



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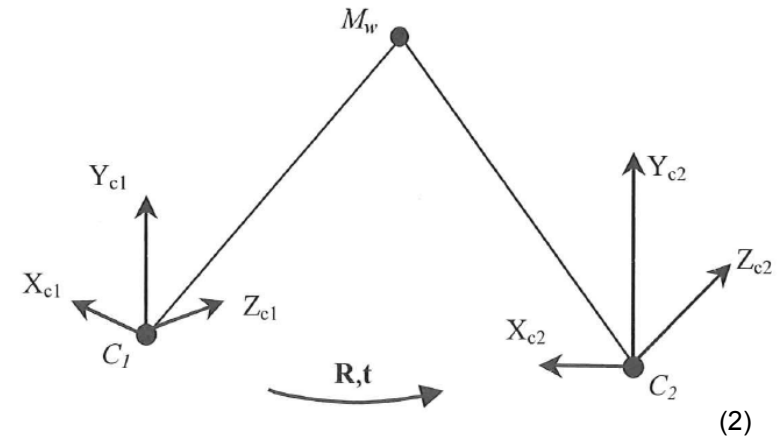


## Euclidean Mapping – 3D – transformation of coordinate systems

$$\tilde{\mathbf{m}}_2^3 = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{\mathbf{m}}_1^3$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{m}}_i^3 = [X_i \quad Y_i \quad Z_i \quad 1]^T$$

$$M_{c1} = \mathbf{I} \cdot M_w \quad M_{c2} = \mathbf{R}M_w + \mathbf{t}$$



$$M_w = \mathbf{R}^T (M_{c2} - \mathbf{t}) \Rightarrow M_{c1} = \mathbf{R}^T (M_{c2} - \mathbf{t})$$

W ... world coordinate

C ... center point



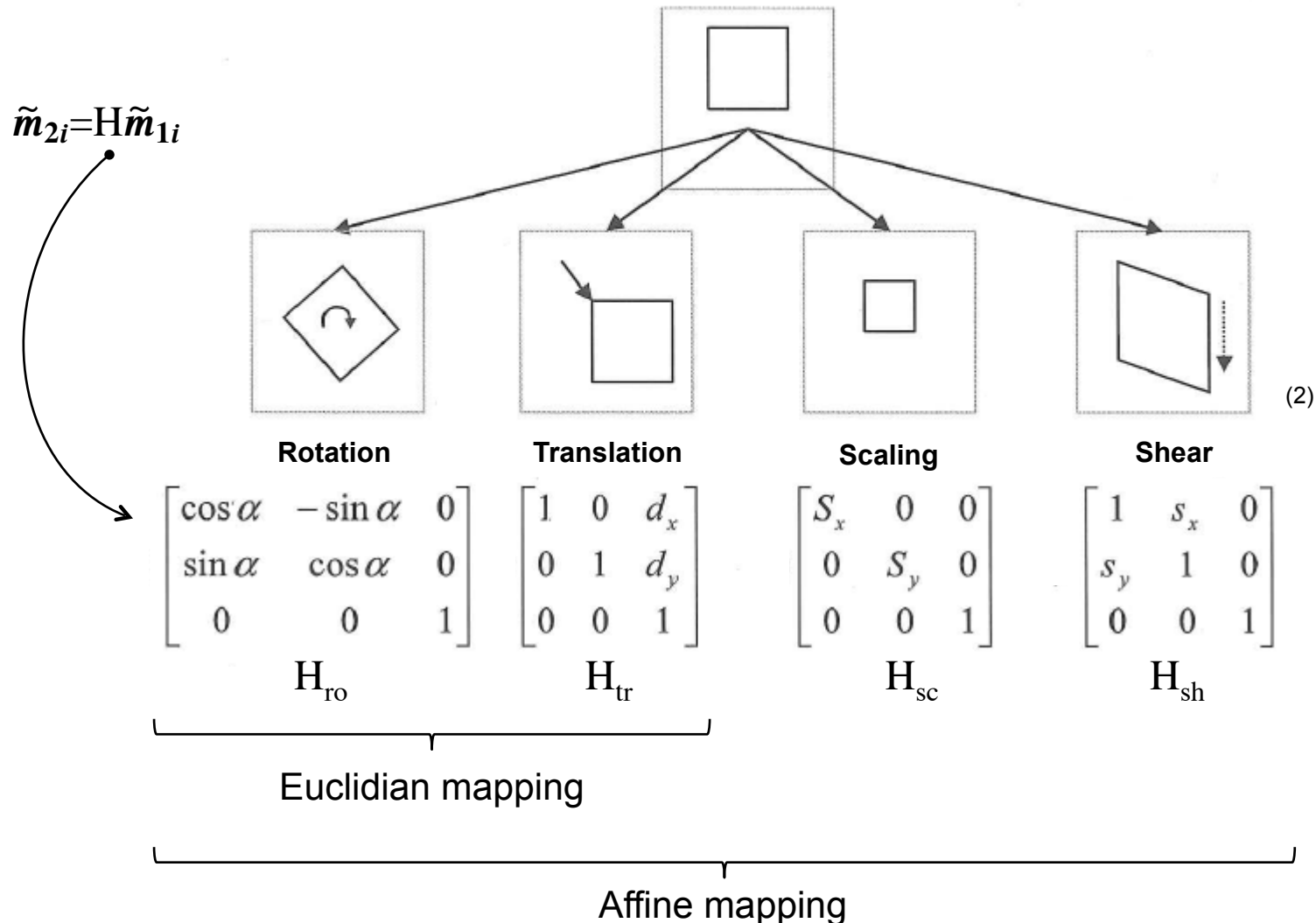
## Affine Mapping

$$\mathbf{m}_2^n = \mathbf{A}^n \mathbf{m}_1^n + \mathbf{b}^n \qquad \tilde{\mathbf{m}}_2^n = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}^n & \mathbf{b}^n \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \tilde{\mathbf{m}}_1^n$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_2 \\ y_2 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A} & \mathbf{b} \\ \mathbf{0}^T & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ y_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$



## Affine Mapping as a subgroup of Projective Mapping





## Affine Mapping as a subgroup of Projective Mapping

$$\tilde{m}_{2i} = H \tilde{m}_{1i}$$

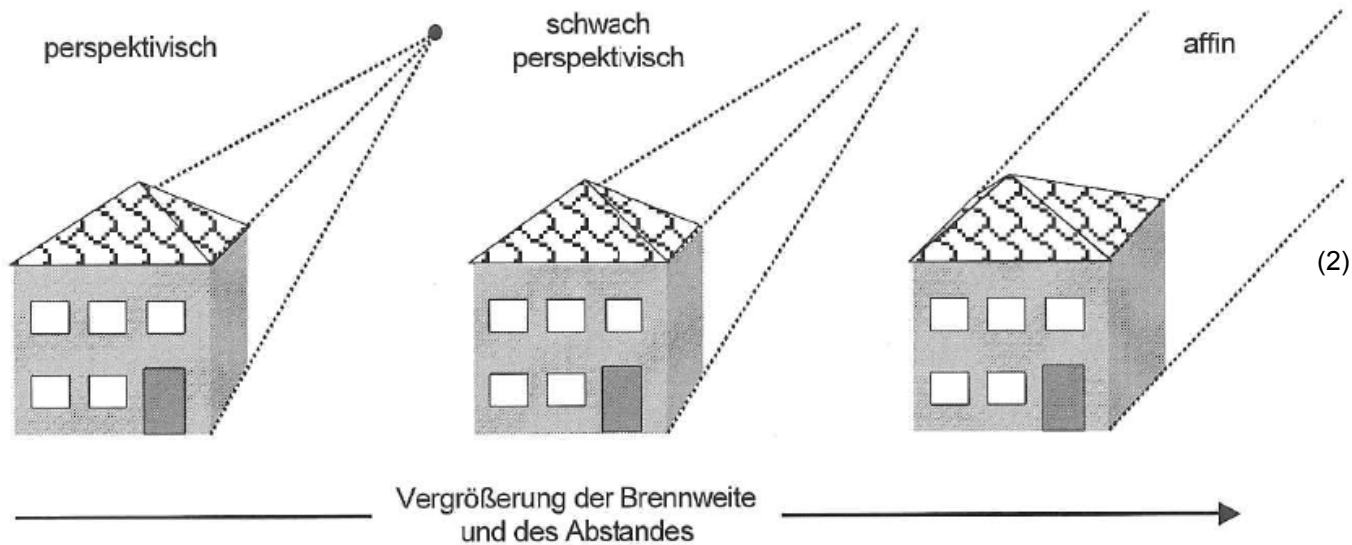
$$H = H_{ro} \cdot H_{tr} \cdot H_{sc} \cdot H_{sh}$$

$$H = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\alpha S_x - \sin\alpha S_y s_y & \cos\alpha S_x s_x - \sin\alpha S_y & \cos\alpha d_x - \sin\alpha d_y \\ \sin\alpha S_x + \cos\alpha S_y s_y & \sin\alpha S_x s_x + \cos\alpha S_y & \cos\alpha d_y + \sin\alpha d_x \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



## Homography in P<sup>2</sup>

$$\tilde{m}_{2i} = H \tilde{m}_{1i}$$





**Camera Calibration** – get  $H$  values for the specific camera setup

## **Pinhole camera model**

- External transformation
- Perspective transformation
- Internal transformation

## **Normalized coordinates**

## **Approximation**

## **Calibration by**

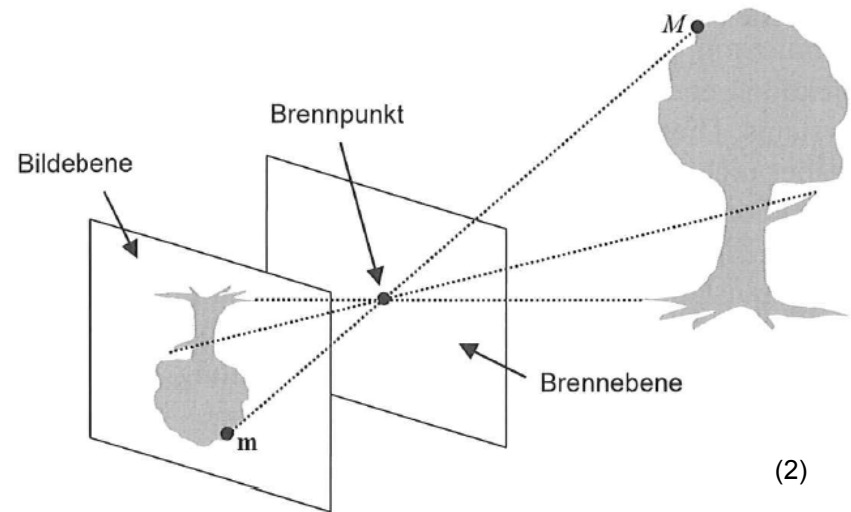
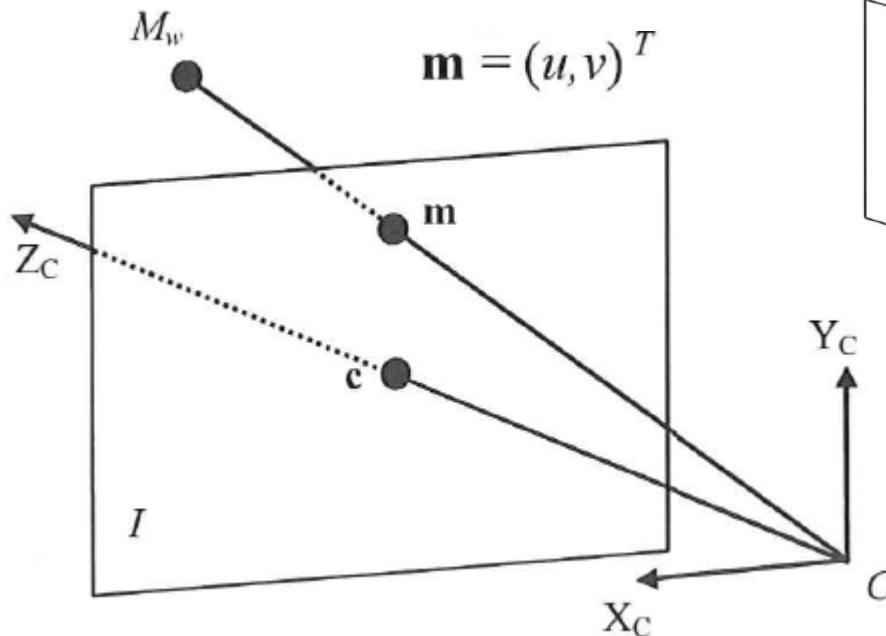
- planes
- vanishing points





## Pinhole Camera Model

$$M_w = (X_w, Y_w, Z_w)^T$$



### Transformation $M_w$ to $m$

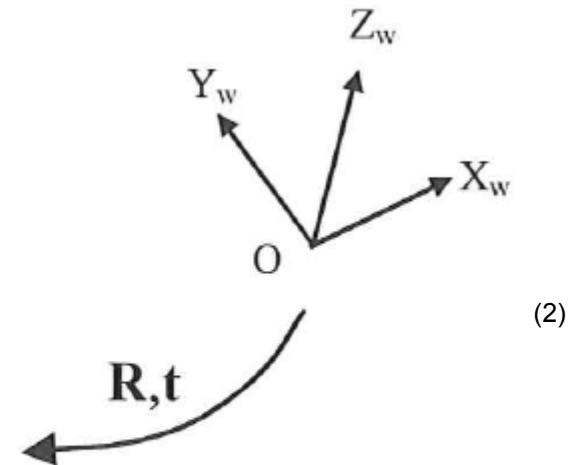
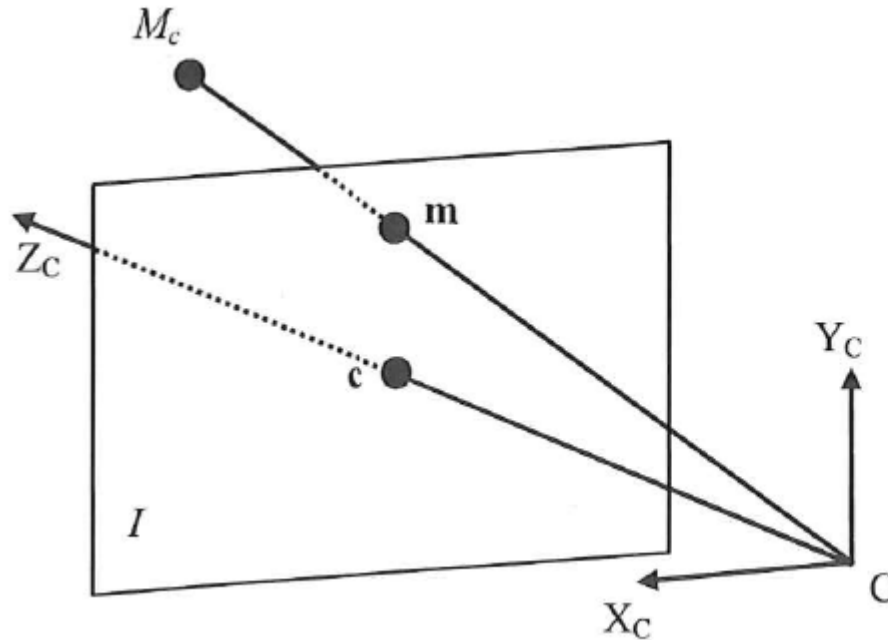
1. Extern – *camera positioning*
2. Perspective – *lens*
3. Intern – *sensor chip*

W ... world coordinate index  
 M ... point in real world  
 C ... center point  
 u, v ... coordinate within  
           plane I (sensor plane)  
 c ... center coordinate =  
           principal camera point  
 m ... point in sensor plane



## 1/3 External Transformation – camera positioning

$$M_c = \mathbf{R} M_w + \mathbf{t}$$



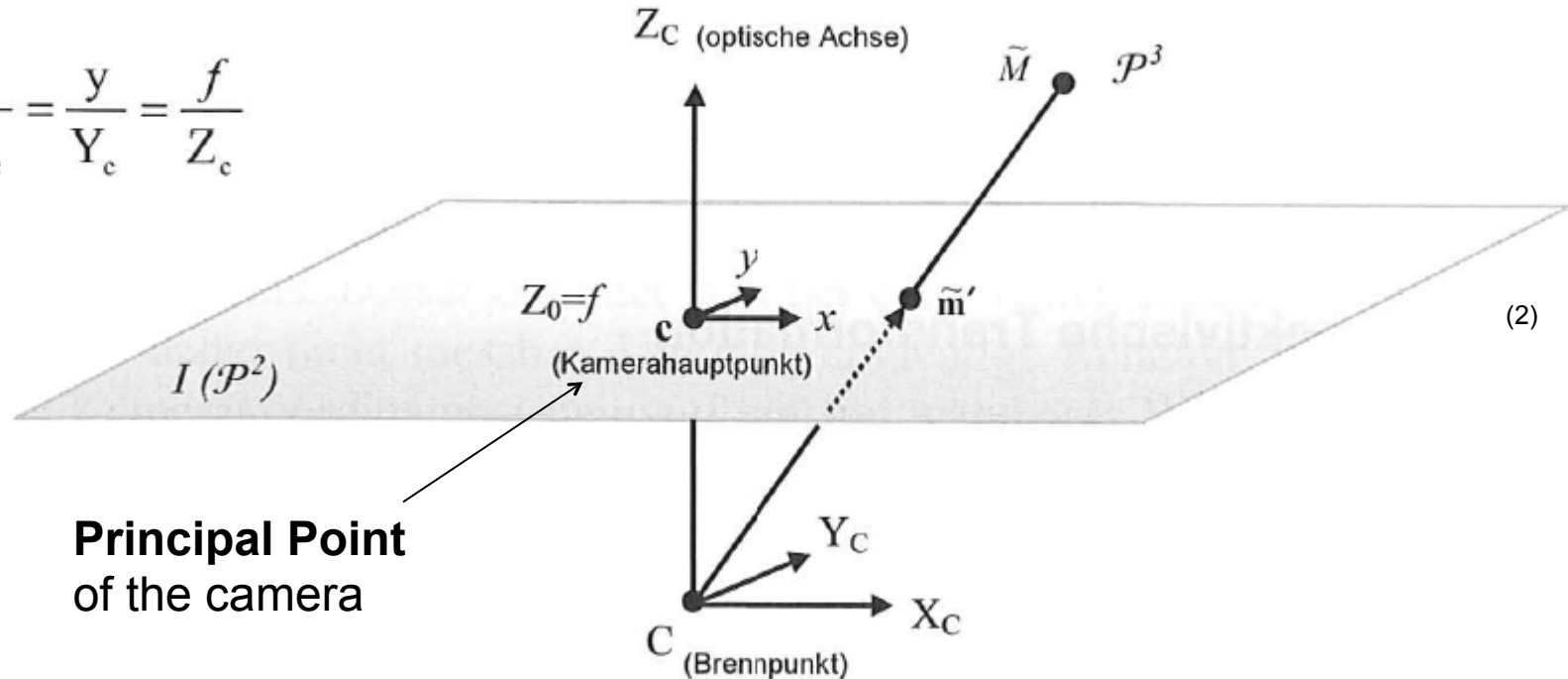
$$\tilde{M}_c = \mathbf{D} \tilde{M}_w \quad \text{mit} \quad \mathbf{D} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \\ \mathbf{0}_3^T & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

**Extrinsic Matrix**



## 2/3 Perspective Transformation - *lens*

$$\frac{x}{X_c} = \frac{y}{Y_c} = \frac{f}{Z_c}$$



$$\begin{bmatrix} U \\ V \\ S \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_c \\ Y_c \\ Z_c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \text{ mit } x = U/S, \ y = V/S \text{ für } S \neq 0$$



## 2/3 Perspective Transformation - *lens*

$$\begin{bmatrix} U \\ V \\ S \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} X_c \\ Y_c \\ Z_c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \quad \text{mit } \underbrace{x = U/S, \quad y = V/S}_{\text{Points at the image plane of the camera}} \quad \text{für } S \neq 0$$

$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}}' = \mathbf{P}'\tilde{\mathbf{M}}_c \quad \text{mit } \mathbf{P}' = \begin{bmatrix} f & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{und } s = S$$

### Perspective Projection Matrix

$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}}' = \mathbf{P}' \mathbf{D} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w$$

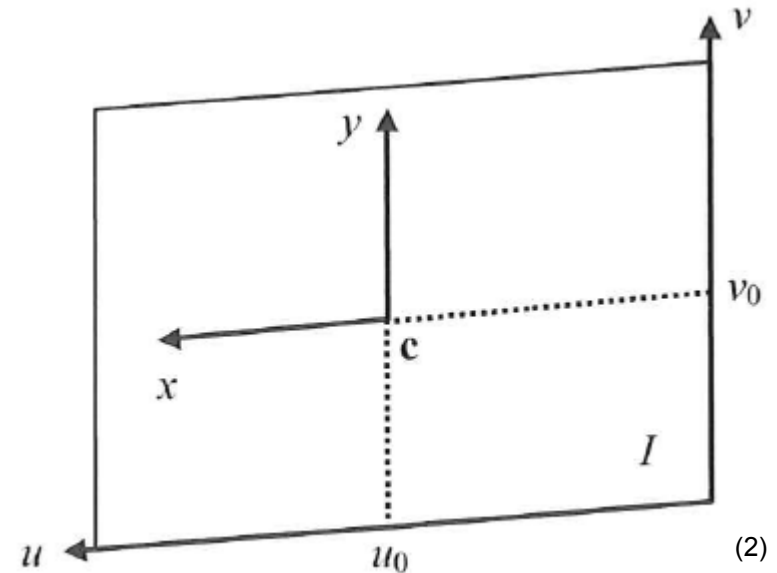
$\mathbf{D}$  .. Extrinsic Matrix

Additional correction of lens distortion (barrel/pillow) necessary!



## 3/3 Internal Transformation – *sensor chip*

$$\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{H}\tilde{\mathbf{m}}' \quad \text{mit} \quad \mathbf{H} = \begin{bmatrix} k_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & k_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{P}'\tilde{\mathbf{M}}_c \quad \text{mit} \quad \mathbf{P}_{\text{neu}} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{P}' = \begin{bmatrix} fk_u & 0 & u_0 & 0 \\ 0 & fk_v & v_0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



## Normalized Coordinates

Normalized coordinates

→ image plane has the distance  $f = 1$  to the origin coordinate system

$$\mathbf{P}_N = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad s\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{P}'\tilde{M}_c \quad \text{mit} \quad \mathbf{P}_{\text{neu}} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{P}' = \begin{bmatrix} fk_u & 0 & u_0 & 0 \\ 0 & fk_v & v_0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_{\text{neu}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{P}_N \quad \text{with} \quad \mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} a_u & 0 & u_0 \\ 0 & a_v & v_0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad a_u = fk_u, a_v = fk_v$$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{A}\tilde{\mathbf{m}}'$$

**Intrinsic Matrix**



## Normalized Coordinates

$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \underbrace{\mathbf{A}\tilde{\mathbf{m}}'}_{\text{intern}} = \mathbf{A} \cdot \underbrace{\mathbf{P}_N \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_c}_{\text{perspek- tivisch}} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{P}_N \cdot \underbrace{\mathbf{D} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w}_{\text{extern}} = \mathbf{A} [\mathbf{R} \ \mathbf{t}] \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w = \mathbf{P} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w$$

with  $\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{A} [\mathbf{R} \ \mathbf{t}]$

$$u = \frac{q_{11}X_w + q_{12}Y_w + q_{13}Z_w + q_{14}}{q_{31}X_w + q_{32}Y_w + q_{33}Z_w + q_{34}}$$

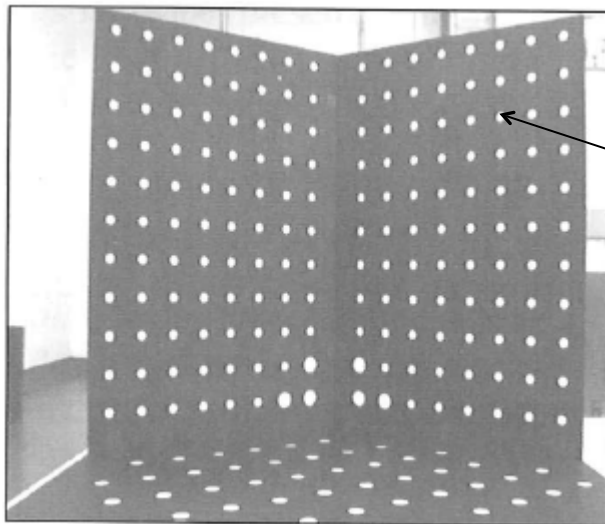
$$v = \frac{q_{21}X_w + q_{22}Y_w + q_{23}Z_w + q_{24}}{q_{31}X_w + q_{32}Y_w + q_{33}Z_w + q_{34}}$$



## Approximation

$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{P}\tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w, \quad \text{mit } \mathbf{P} = \mathbf{A} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_u \mathbf{r}_1^T + u_0 \mathbf{r}_3^T & a_u t_x + u_0 t_z \\ a_v \mathbf{r}_2^T + v_0 \mathbf{r}_3^T & a_v t_y + v_0 t_z \\ \mathbf{r}_3^T & t_z \end{bmatrix}$$

e.g., by using a calibration piece with exactly known 3D measuring points:



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The camera plane/pixel positions of the points must be determined (e.g., COG – center of gravity – of the white circle areas)





## Approximation

Ignoring lens distortion and taking a linear model a proper accuracy can be worked out by approximation of the parameters:

$$s\tilde{\mathbf{m}} = s \begin{pmatrix} u \\ v \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \mathbf{P} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{q}_1^T & q_{14} \\ \mathbf{q}_2^T & q_{24} \\ \mathbf{q}_3^T & q_{34} \end{pmatrix} \tilde{\mathbf{M}}_w$$

with  $\mathbf{m} = (u, v)^T$

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathbf{q}_1 - u \cdot \mathbf{q}_3)^T \cdot \mathbf{M} + q_{14} - u \cdot q_{34} &= 0 \\ (\mathbf{q}_2 - v \cdot \mathbf{q}_3)^T \cdot \mathbf{M} + q_{24} - v \cdot q_{34} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

using N measuring points  $\rightarrow$  2N homogenous linear equations  $\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{x} = 0$

$\mathbf{A}$  is 2Nx12-matrix;  $\mathbf{x}$  has the dimension 12x1:  $\mathbf{x} = [\mathbf{q}_1^T, q_{14}, \mathbf{q}_2^T, q_{24}, \mathbf{q}_3^T, q_{34}]^T$



## Approximation

Because  $\mathbf{q}_3$  contains the last line of the rotation matrix, the following additional condition appears for excluding trivial solutions:

$$\|\mathbf{q}_3\| = 1$$

$$\|\mathbf{A} \cdot \mathbf{x}\| \rightarrow \min$$

- Determining Eigenvektoren of a 3x3 matrix
- Inverting a 9x9 matrix

The results are:

- ✓ Components of the projective matrix implicit including
  - ✓ Intrinsic and
  - ✓ Extrinsic parameters.



## Calibration by Planes / by Vanishing Points

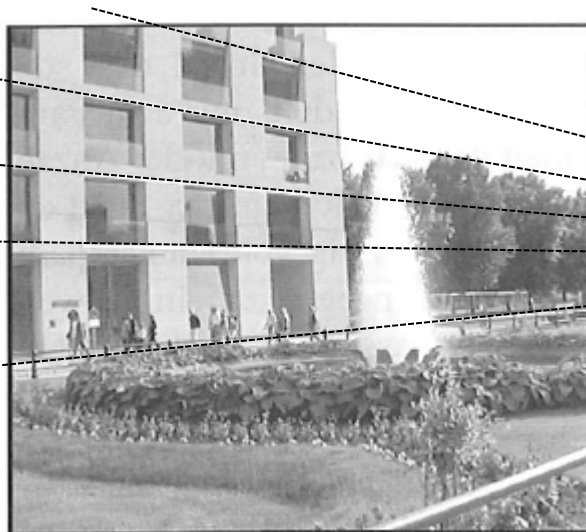
### Planes

- At least three plane squares at planes which are not parallel are needed for calculating the essential homograph parameters

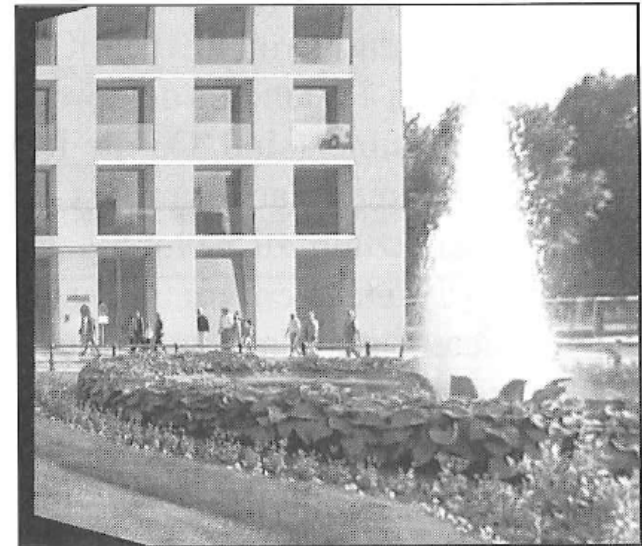
### Vanishing points

- at least five conjugated pairs of vanishing points (= five vanishing lines) are needed for calculating the essential homograph parameters

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Vanishing  
point





## Conference Paper – SPIE 2004

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### Camera Calibration, Data Segmentation, and Fitting Approaches for a Visual Edge Inspection System

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#### ABSTRACT

The design of edges is very important for many components. In this paper we therefore present a light-sectioning based measurement head, which is suitable for the edge inspection of different workpieces. Beyond the design we also present a new calibration technique for its camera. The calibration is mainly based on several perspective projections, which are successively executed. In each step, the linear system of homogeneous equations is solved by using singular value decomposition. Each mapping is therefore obtained in the least squares sense. Because of the novel design of the calibration device, a high number of reference points can be used for the description of these mappings.

The inspection of a workpiece detail implicates a large amount of data, some of which is useless. To extract the data essential for the fitting routines, a special correlation/regression based template matching is proposed.