

ASSIGNMENT 6

15663 Computational Photography Fall 2023
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1 Implementing structured-light triangulation (100 points)

1.1 Video processing (25 points)

Per-frame shadow edge estimation For each frame t , you need to estimate the lines $\lambda_h(t)$ and $\lambda_v(t)$, running along the right shadow edges on the unobstructed horizontal and vertical planar regions, respectively.

For the vertical planar region, we chose (250, 0) as the upper-left corner and (800, 300) as the bottom-right corner. For the horizontal planar region, we chose (200, 660) as the upper-left corner and (830, 768) as the bottom-right corner. The regions are shown below:

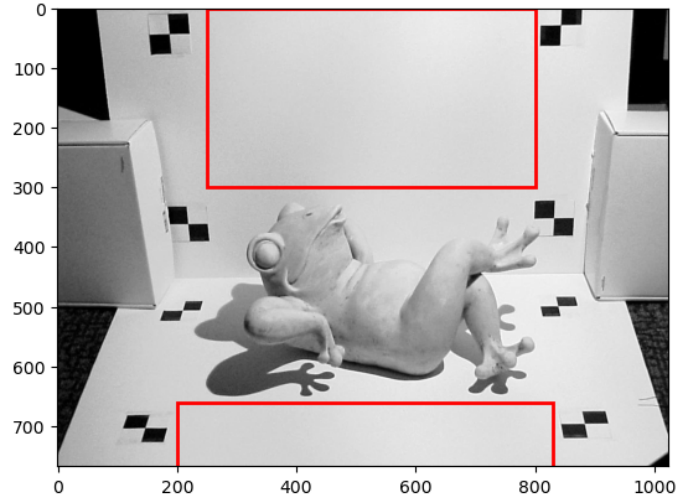


Figure 1: Caption

Visualization of the shadow edge estimates:

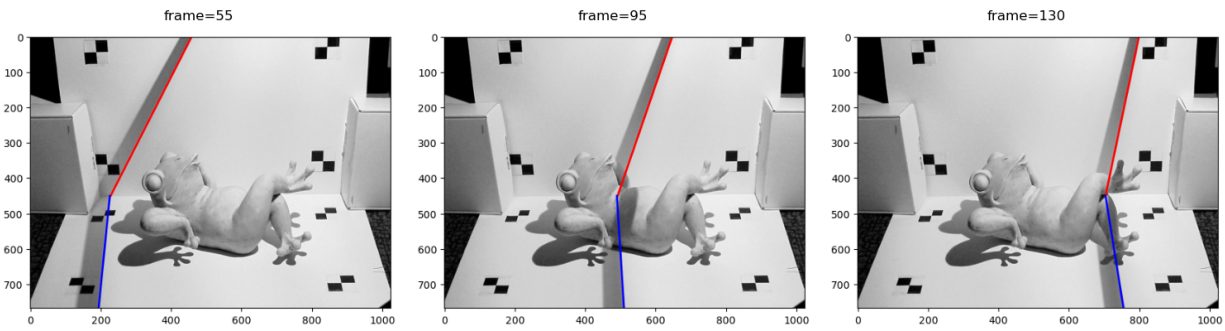


Figure 2: Caption

Per-pixel shadow time estimation To perform 3D reconstruction, you need to also estimate the per-pixel shadow times. For each pixel (x, y) , you can estimate its shadow time $t_{shadow}(x, y)$ by finding the zero-crossing of the difference image $\Delta I(x, y, t)$ as a function of time t .

Visualization of the per-pixel shadow time estimates:

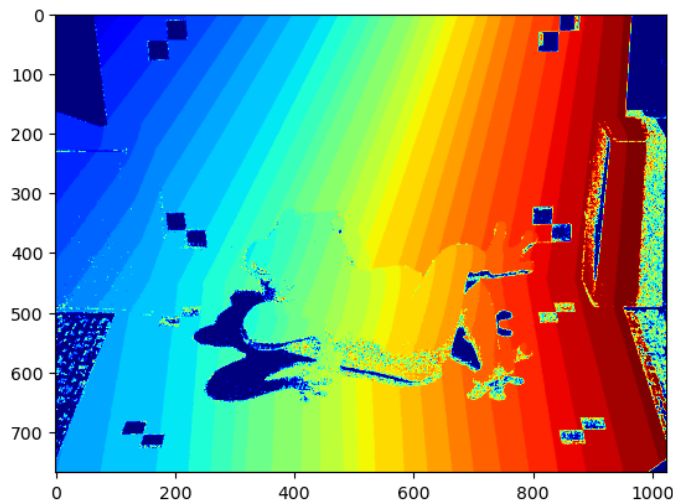


Figure 3: Caption

2 Intrinsic and extrinsic calibration (50 points)

Intrinsic calibration The resulting camera intrinsic parameters are saved in `./result/camera/intrinsic_calib.npz`.

Calibration of ground planes The resulting camera extrinsic parameters are save in `./result/camera/extrinsic_calib.npz`.

Calibration of shadow lines The 3D points $P1$, $P2$, $P3$ and $P4$ are saved in `./result/camera/reconstructed_points.npz`.

Calibration of shadow planes The estimated shadow plane parameters ($P1$ and \hat{n} are saved in `./result/camera/shadow_planes.npz`

2.1 Reconstruction (25 points)

First, crop the part of the image you want to reconstruct. Then, for each pixel $p = (x, y)$ in this rectangle, fetch its shadow time $t_{shadow}(x, y)$. Next, fetch the shadow plane $S(t_{shadow}(x, y))$ for that frame. Back-project the pixel p into a 3D ray r . Finally, intersect this ray with the shadow plane $S(t_{shadow}(x, y))$. The resulting intersection point P is the reconstructed 3D point corresponding to pixel p .

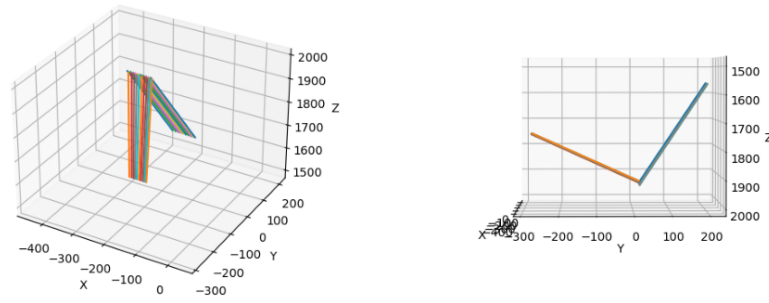


Figure 4: Caption

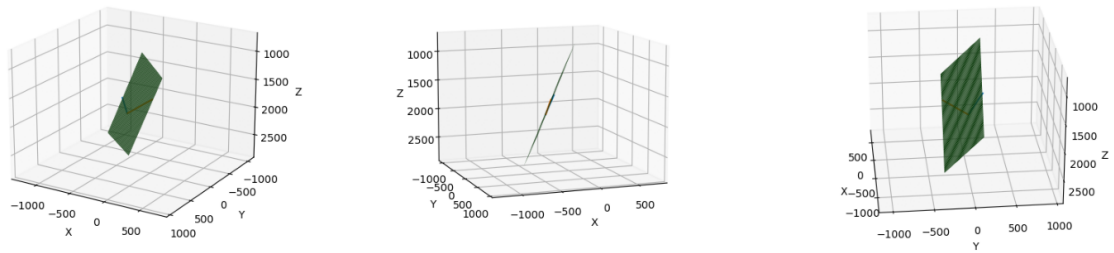


Figure 5: Caption

Repeat this process for all pixels in your cropped image, to recover a 3D point cloud.

The reconstruction results for the frog sequence:



Figure 6: Caption

3 Build your own 3D scanner (100 points)

Object 1

Object 2