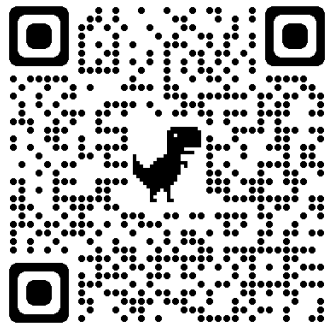


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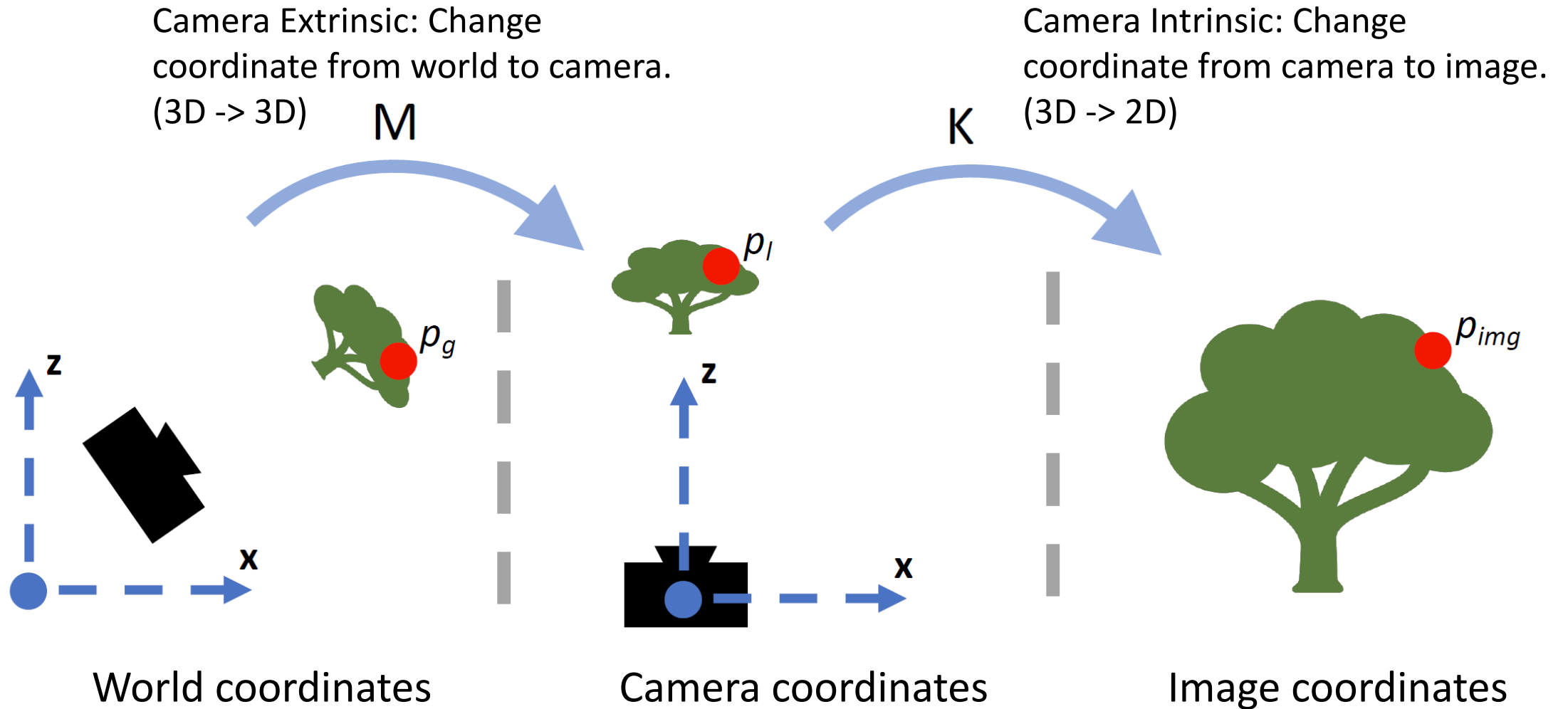
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Coordinate frames



A camera is a mapping between the 3D world and a 2D image

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{P} \mathbf{X}$$

2D image
point

camera
matrix

3D world
point

$$\begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & p_4 \\ p_5 & p_6 & p_7 & p_8 \\ p_9 & p_{10} & p_{11} & p_{12} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

homogeneous
image
3 x 1

Camera
matrix
3 x 4

homogeneous
world point
4 x 1

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{K} \mathbf{R} [\mathbf{I} | -\mathbf{C}]$$

3×3 3×3 3×3 3×1
 intrinsics 3D rotation identity 3D translation

$$\mathbf{P} = \mathbf{K} [\mathbf{R} | \mathbf{t}]$$

$$\mathbf{t} = -\mathbf{R}\mathbf{C}$$

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} f & 0 & p_x \\ 0 & f & p_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & r_3 & | & t_1 \\ r_4 & r_5 & r_6 & | & t_2 \\ r_7 & r_8 & r_9 & | & t_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

intrinsic
parameters

extrinsic
parameters

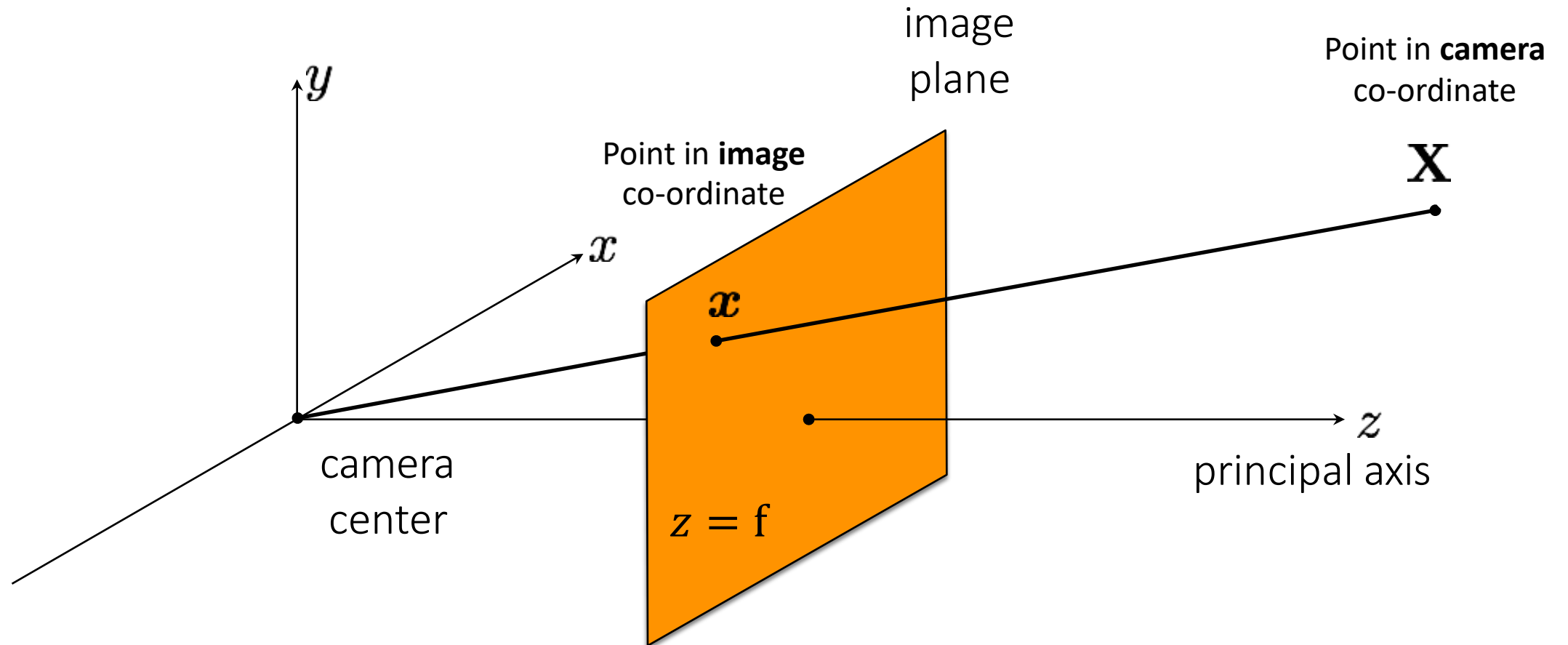
$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} r_1 & r_2 & r_3 \\ r_4 & r_5 & r_6 \\ r_7 & r_8 & r_9 \end{bmatrix}$$

3D rotation

$$\mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} t_1 \\ t_2 \\ t_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

3D translation

The (rearranged) pinhole camera



$$(x, y, z) \rightarrow \left(f \frac{x}{z}, f \frac{y}{z}, f\right)$$

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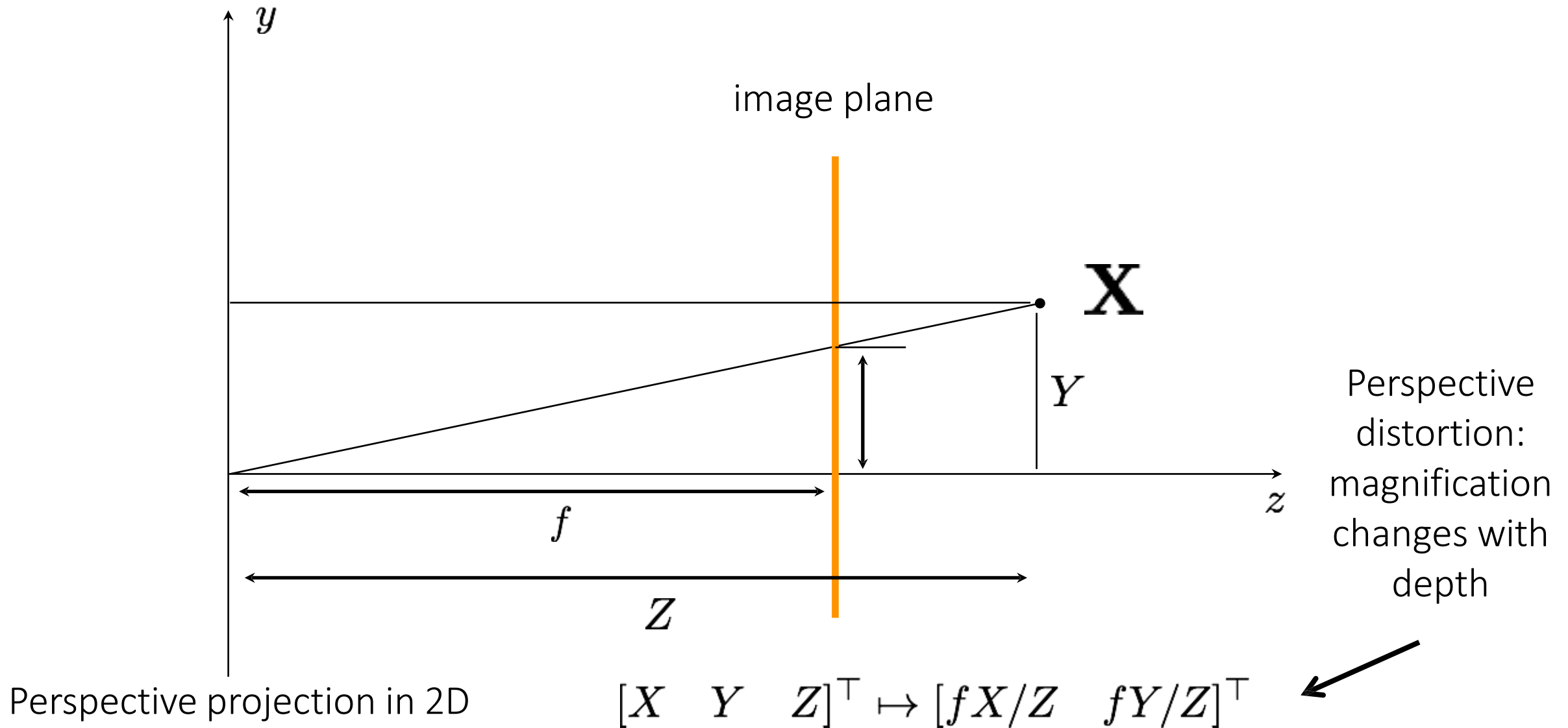
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The 2D view of the (rearranged) pinhole camera



Perspective distortion



long focal length



mid focal length



short focal length

Perspective distortion





<http://petapixel.com/2013/01/11/how-focal-length-affects-your-subjects-apparent-weight-as-seen-with-a-cat/>

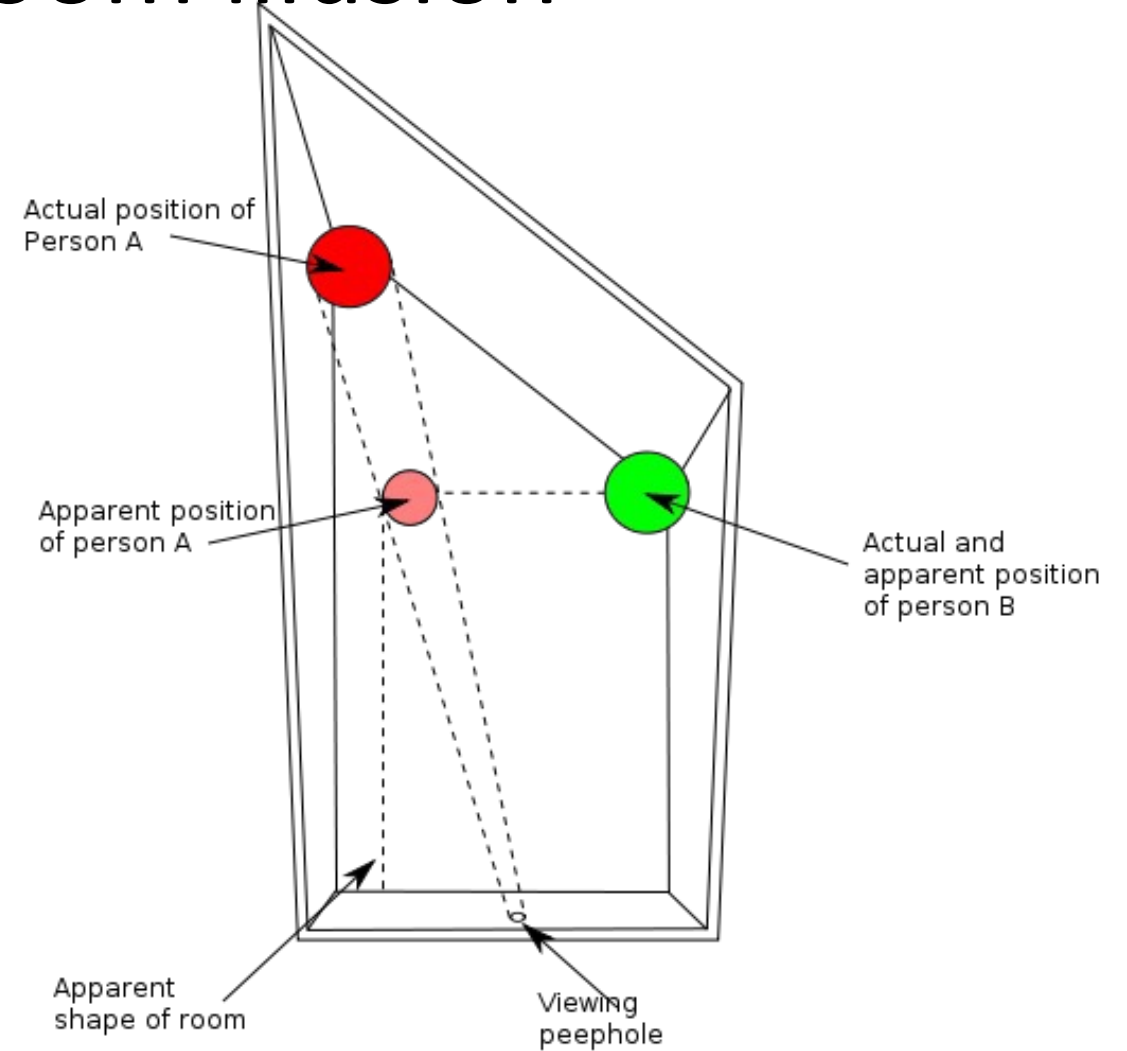
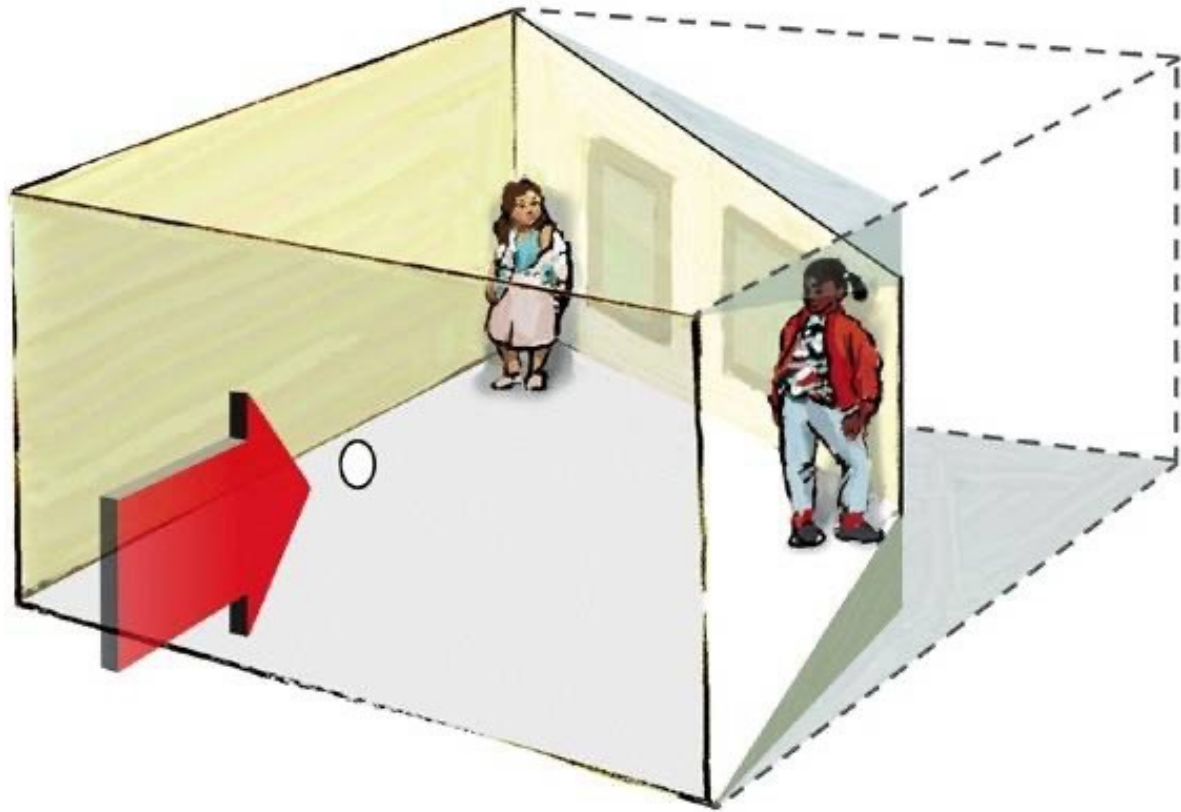
Forced perspective



The Ames room illusion



The Ames room illusion





Dolly Zoom aka Vertigo Effect





Fredo Durand

Forced Perspective in displays



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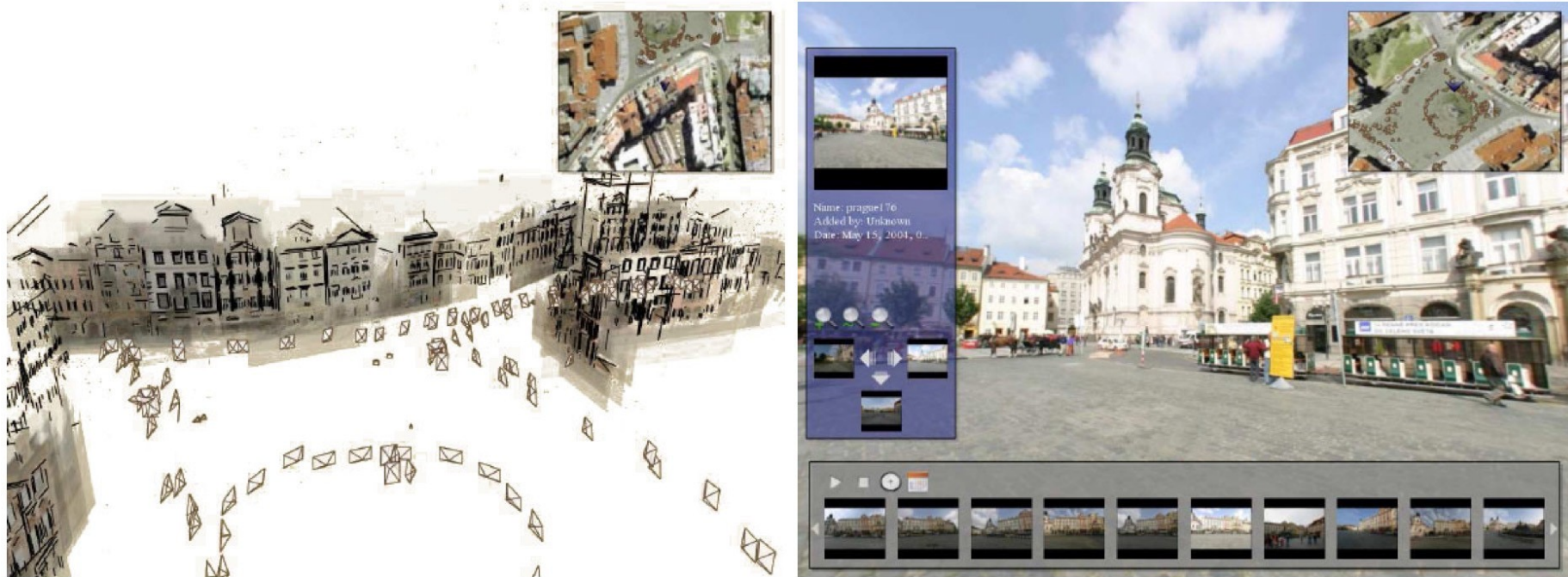
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- Vanishing Points and Lines

Pose Estimation



Given a single image,
estimate the exact position of the photographer
+ the intrinsics of the camera (focal length)

Geometric camera calibration

Given a set of matched points

$$\{\mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{x}_i\}$$

point in 3D
space

point in the
image

Same setup as homography estimation
(slightly different derivation here)

and camera model

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{X}; \mathbf{p}) = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{X}$$

projection
model

parameters

Camera
matrix

Find the (pose) estimate of

P

We'll use a perspective camera
model for pose estimation

Mapping between 3D point and image points

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & p_4 \\ p_5 & p_6 & p_7 & p_8 \\ p_9 & p_{10} & p_{11} & p_{12} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ Y \\ Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} & \mathbf{p}_1^\top & \text{---} \\ \text{---} & \mathbf{p}_2^\top & \text{---} \\ \text{---} & \mathbf{p}_3^\top & \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} | \\ \mathbf{X} \\ | \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x' = \frac{\mathbf{p}_1^\top \mathbf{X}}{\mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X}} \quad y' = \frac{\mathbf{p}_2^\top \mathbf{X}}{\mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X}}$$

(non-linear relation between coordinates)

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Make them linear with algebraic manipulation...

$$\mathbf{p}_2^\top \mathbf{X} - \mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X} y' = 0$$

$$\mathbf{p}_1^\top \mathbf{X} - \mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X} x' = 0$$

Now we can setup a system of linear equations
with multiple point correspondences

$$\mathbf{p}_2^\top \mathbf{X} - \mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X} y' = 0$$

$$\mathbf{p}_1^\top \mathbf{X} - \mathbf{p}_3^\top \mathbf{X} x' = 0$$

In matrix form ...

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}^\top & \mathbf{0} & -x' \mathbf{X}^\top \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{X}^\top & -y' \mathbf{X}^\top \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 \\ \mathbf{p}_2 \\ \mathbf{p}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

For N points ...

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1^\top & \mathbf{0} & -x' \mathbf{X}_1^\top \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{X}_1^\top & -y' \mathbf{X}_1^\top \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{X}_N^\top & \mathbf{0} & -x' \mathbf{X}_N^\top \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{X}_N^\top & -y' \mathbf{X}_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_1 \\ \mathbf{p}_2 \\ \mathbf{p}_3 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

*How do we solve
this system?*

Solve for camera matrix by **SVD!**

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{x}\|^2 \text{ subject to } \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 = 1$$

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1^\top & \mathbf{0} & -x' \mathbf{X}_1^\top \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{X}_1^\top & -y' \mathbf{X}_1^\top \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ \mathbf{X}_N^\top & \mathbf{0} & -x' \mathbf{X}_N^\top \\ \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{X}_N^\top & -y' \mathbf{X}_N^\top \end{bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Solution \mathbf{x} is the column of \mathbf{V} corresponding to smallest singular value of

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^\top$$

Equivalently, solution \mathbf{x} is the Eigenvector corresponding to smallest Eigenvalue of

$$\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{A}$$

Now we have:

$$\mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & p_4 \\ p_5 & p_6 & p_7 & p_8 \\ p_9 & p_{10} & p_{11} & p_{12} \end{bmatrix}$$

How do you get the intrinsic and extrinsic parameters from the projection matrix?

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

$$\mathbf{P} = \left[\begin{array}{ccc|c} p_1 & p_2 & p_3 & p_4 \\ p_5 & p_6 & p_7 & p_8 \\ p_9 & p_{10} & p_{11} & p_{12} \end{array} \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{P} &= \mathbf{K}[\mathbf{R}|\mathbf{t}] \\ &= \mathbf{K}[\mathbf{R} | -\mathbf{R}\mathbf{c}] \\ &= [\mathbf{M} | -\mathbf{M}\mathbf{c}] \end{aligned}$$

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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Let } \mathbf{v} &= \begin{bmatrix} c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ \text{Then } \mathbf{P}\mathbf{v} &= \mathbf{M}\mathbf{c} - \mathbf{M}\mathbf{c} = 0 \end{aligned}$$

Find the camera center \mathbf{C}

What is the projection of the camera center?

Find intrinsic \mathbf{K} and rotation \mathbf{R}

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

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Find the camera center \mathbf{C}

$$\mathbf{P}\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{0}$$

How do we compute the camera center from this?

Find intrinsic \mathbf{K} and rotation \mathbf{R}

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

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Find the camera center \mathbf{C}

$$\mathbf{P}\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{0}$$

SVD of \mathbf{P} !

\mathbf{c} is the singular vector corresponding to the smallest singular value

Find intrinsic \mathbf{K} and rotation \mathbf{R}

Note that we will have \mathbf{c} as 4D homogenous coordinate. You will need to convert this to 3D heterogenous coordinate.

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

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$$\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{K}\mathbf{R}$$

Any useful properties of \mathbf{K} and \mathbf{R} we can use?

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

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Find the camera center \mathbf{C}

$$\mathbf{P}\mathbf{c} = \mathbf{0}$$

SVD of \mathbf{P} !

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Find intrinsic \mathbf{K} and rotation \mathbf{R}

$$\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{K}\mathbf{R}$$

↑ ↑
right upper triangle orthogonal

How do we find K and R ?

Decomposition of the Camera Matrix

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SVD of \mathbf{P} !

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QR decomposition

Geometric camera calibration

Given a set of matched points

$$\{\mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{x}_i\}$$

point in 3D space point in the image

Where do we get these matched points from?

and camera model

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{X}; \mathbf{p}) = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{X}$$

projection model

parameters

Camera matrix

Find the (pose) estimate of

\mathbf{P}

We'll use a **perspective** camera model for pose estimation

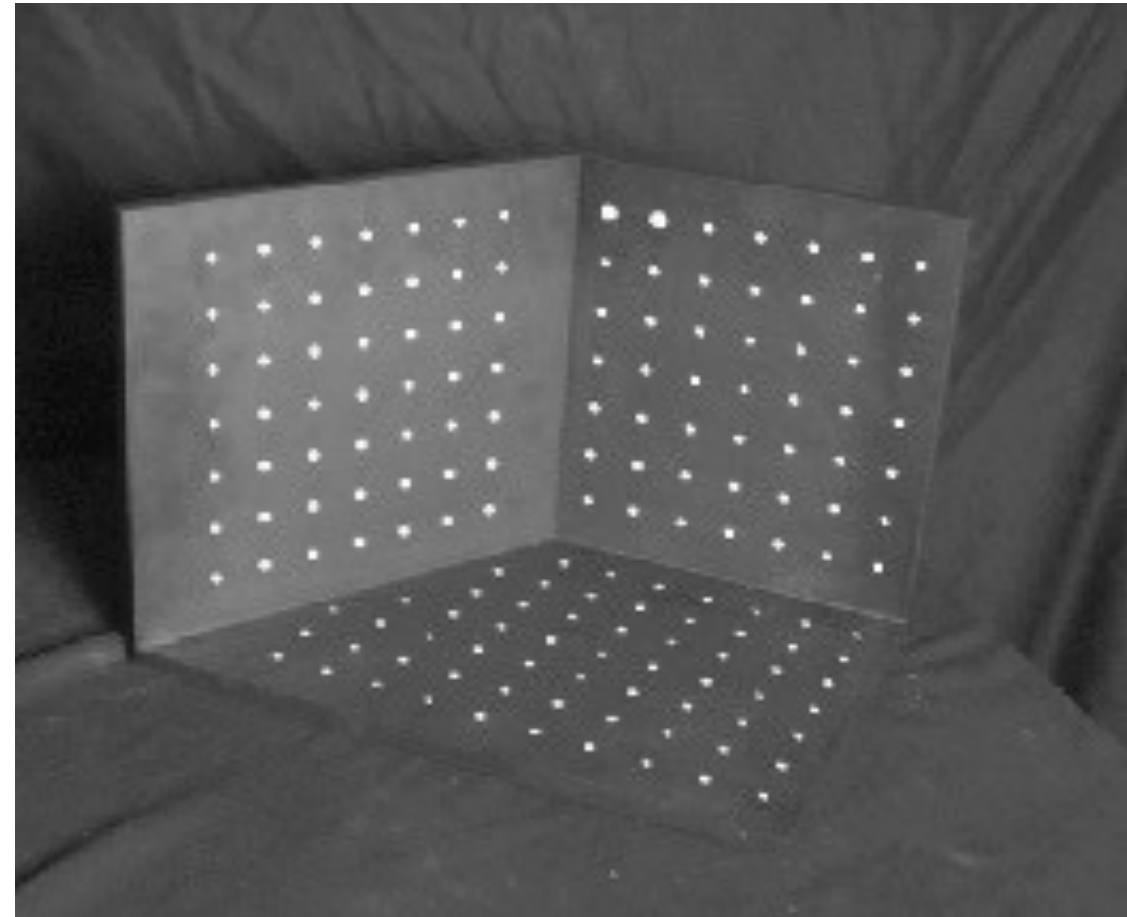
Calibration using a reference object

Place a known object in the scene:

- identify correspondences between image and scene
- compute mapping from scene to image

Issues:

- must know geometry very accurately
- must know 3D->2D correspondence



Geometric camera calibration (how to solve in practice)

- Step 1: Use SVD to find P from N pairs of x_i and X_i .
- Step 2: Decompose P to obtain individual elements: K (intrinsics), R (rotation), t (translation).
- Step 3: Formulate a non-linear optimization to obtain optimal set of (K,R,t) that minimizes the re-projection error:

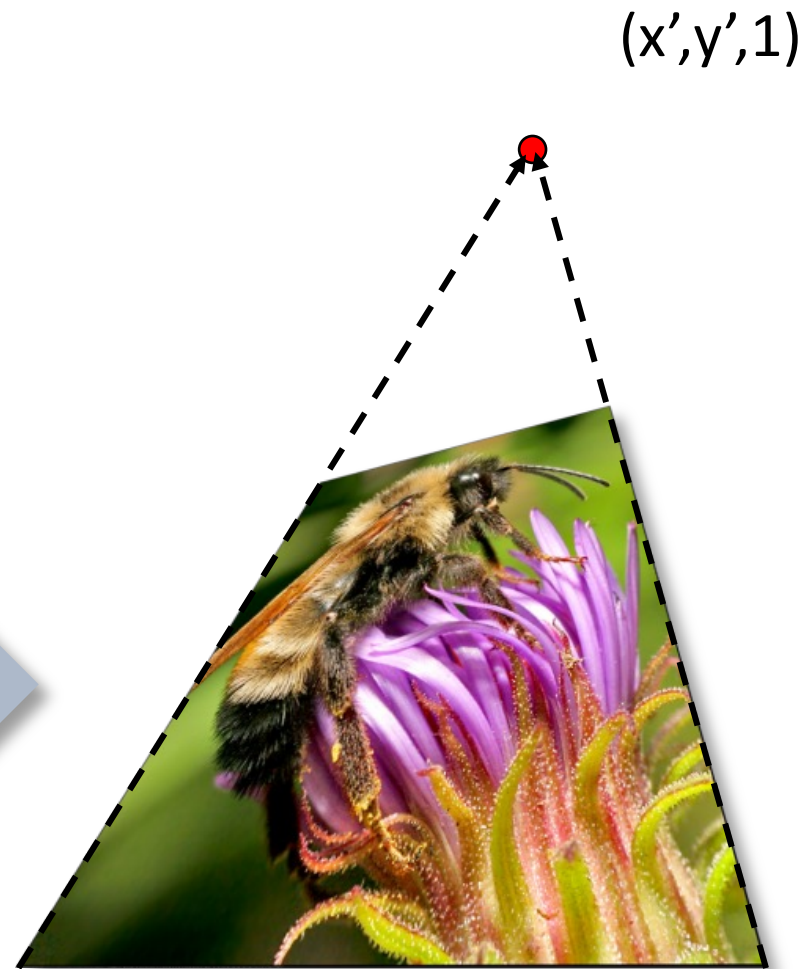
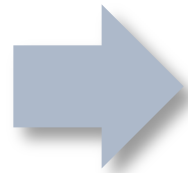
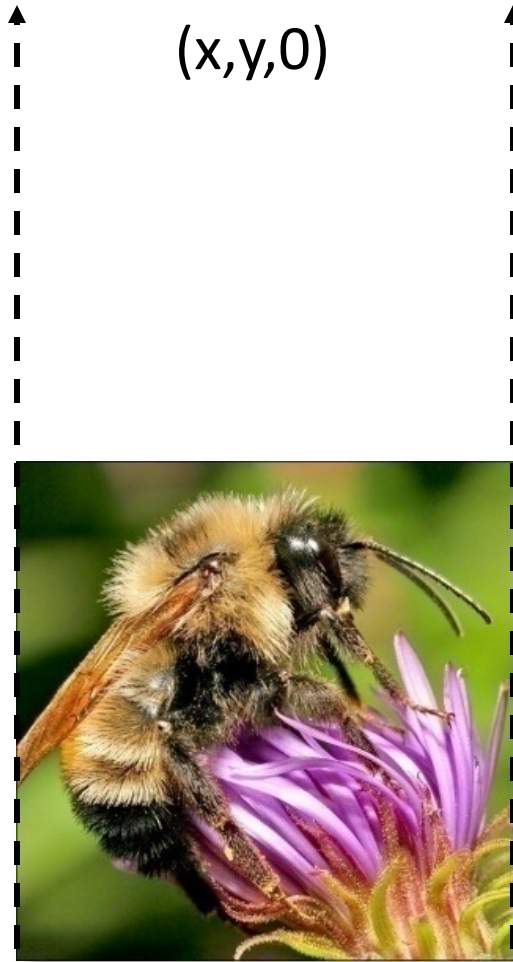
$$|| x_i - K^*R^*(X_i-t) ||$$

Initialize the optimization with (K,R,t) obtained from Step 2.

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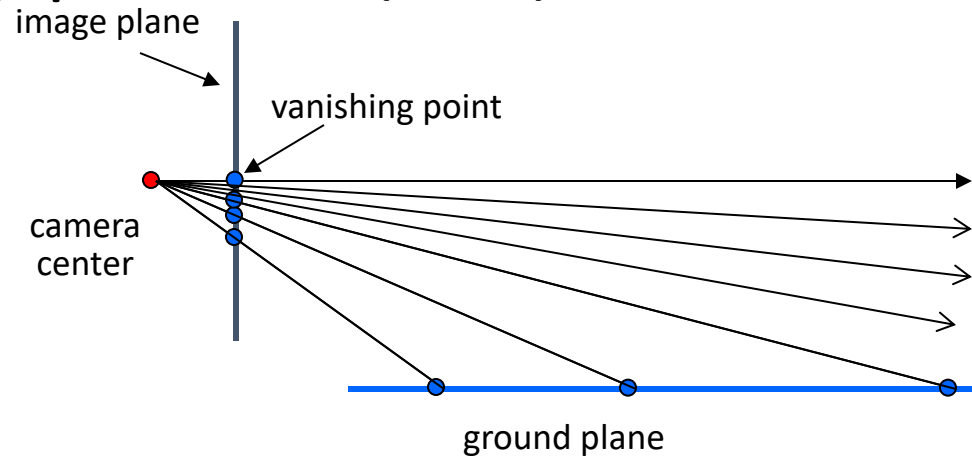
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- **Vanishing Points and Lines**

Points at infinity



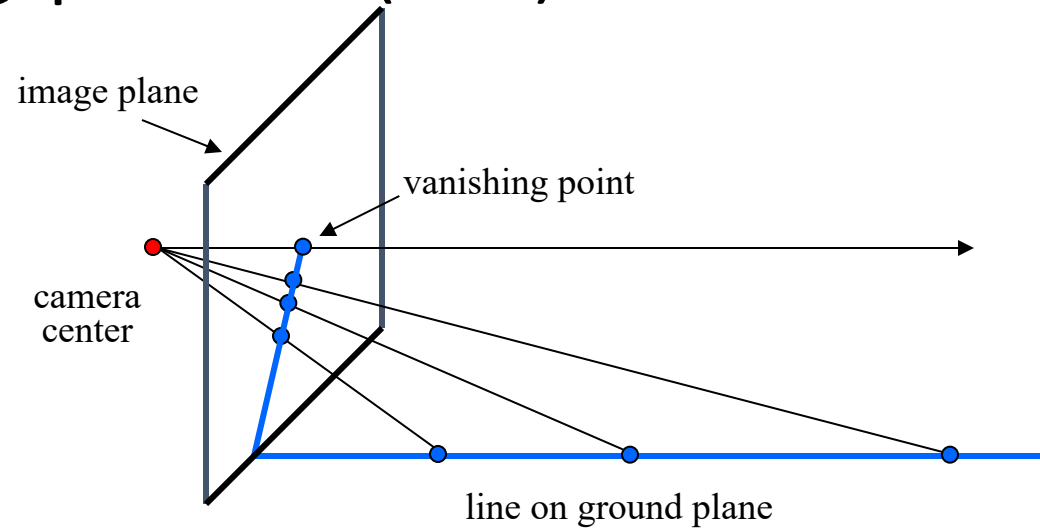


Vanishing points (1D)

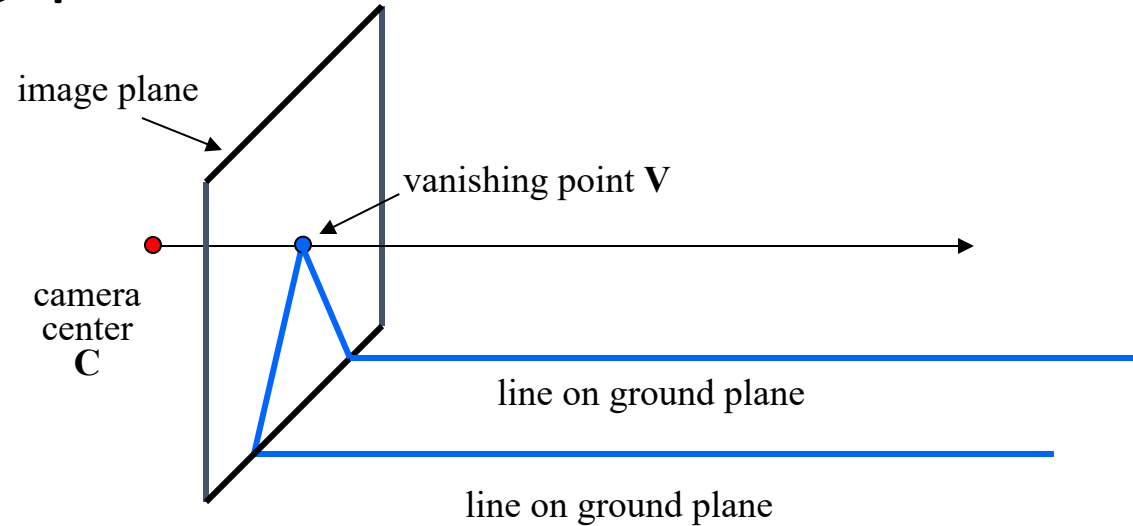


- Vanishing point
 - projection of a point at infinity
 - can often (but not always) project to a finite point in the image

Vanishing points (2D)



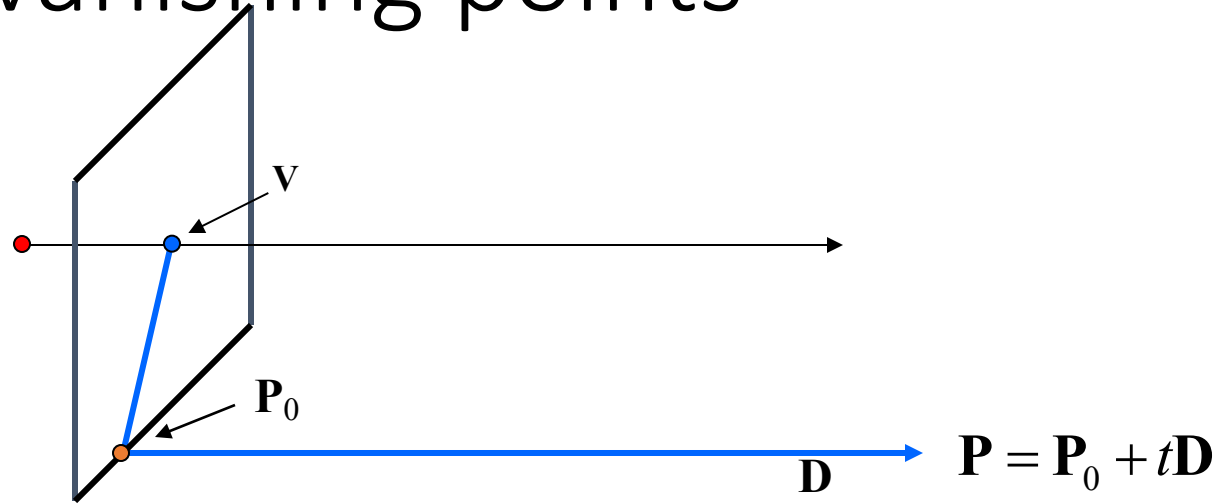
Vanishing points



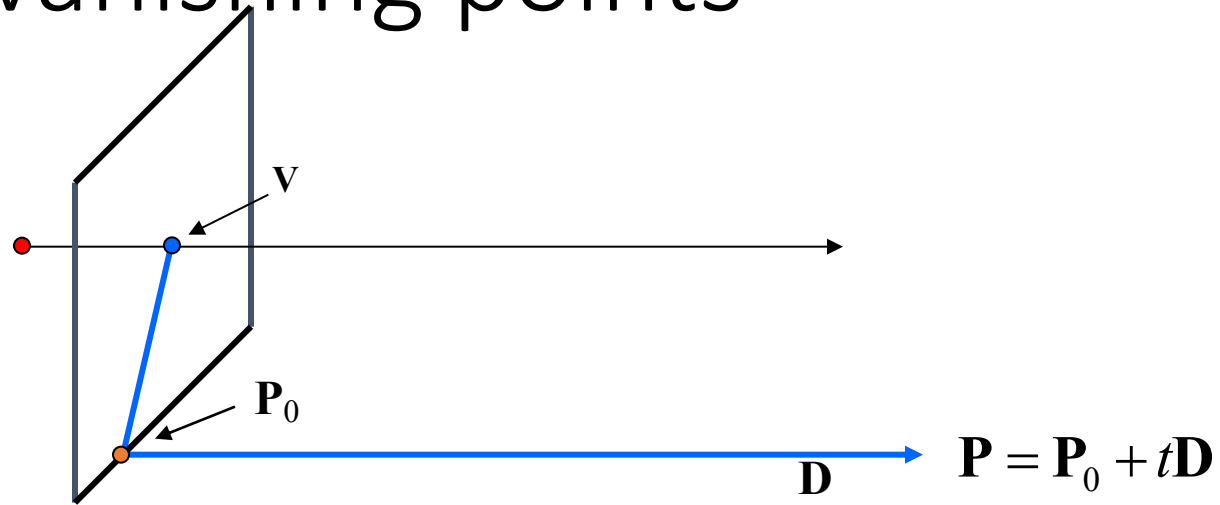
- **Properties**

- Any two parallel lines (in 3D) have the same vanishing point v
- The ray from C through v is parallel to the lines
- An image may have more than one vanishing point
 - in fact, every image point is a potential vanishing point

Computing vanishing points



Computing vanishing points



$$\mathbf{P}_t = \begin{bmatrix} P_X + tD_X \\ P_Y + tD_Y \\ P_Z + tD_Z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \cong \begin{bmatrix} P_X / t + D_X \\ P_Y / t + D_Y \\ P_Z / t + D_Z \\ 1/t \end{bmatrix}$$

• Properties

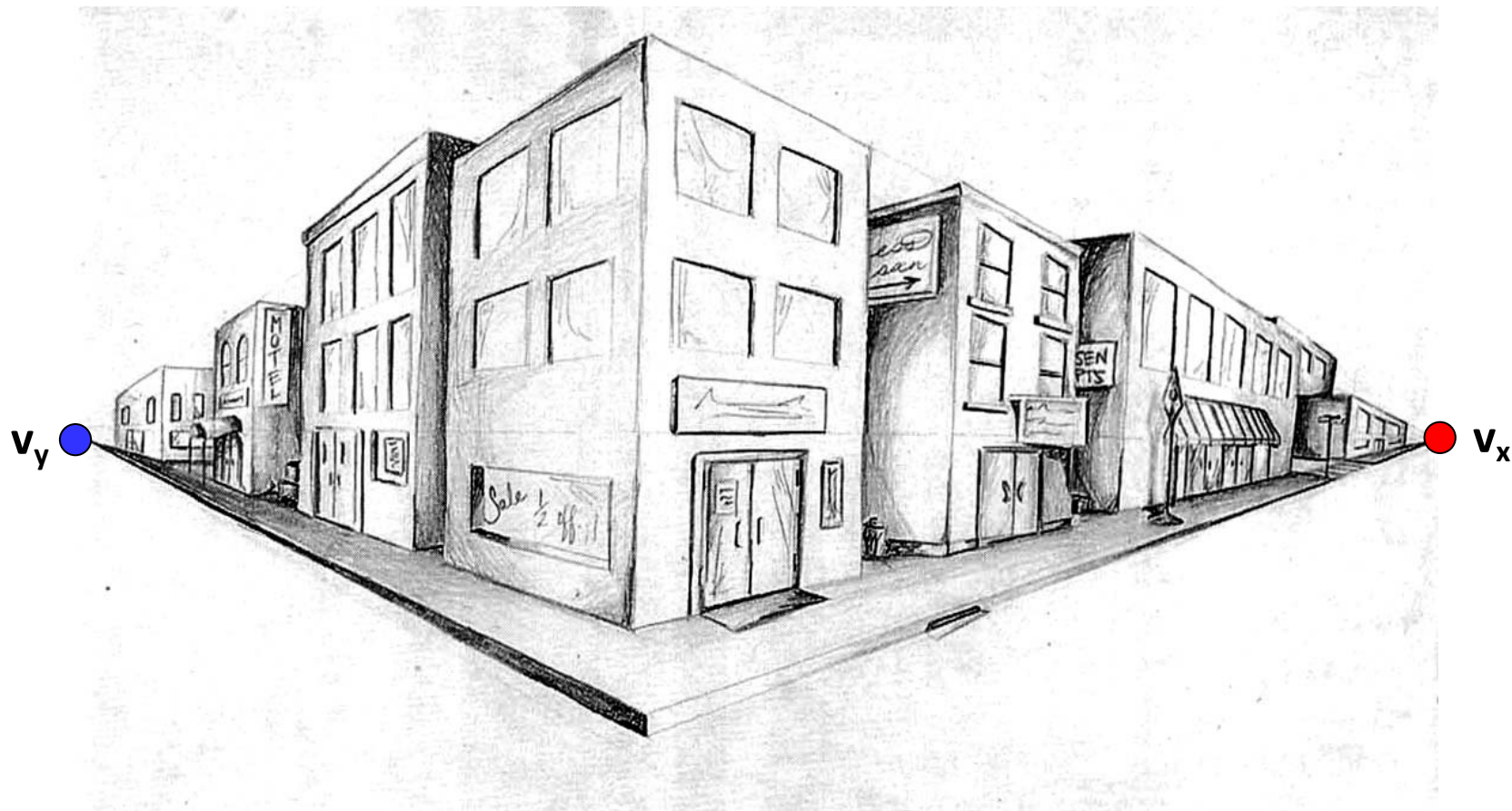
$$\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{IIP}_\infty$$

- \mathbf{P}_∞ is a point at *infinity*, \mathbf{v} is its projection
- Depends only on line *direction*
- Parallel lines $\mathbf{P}_0 + t\mathbf{D}$, $\mathbf{P}_1 + t\mathbf{D}$ intersect at \mathbf{P}_∞

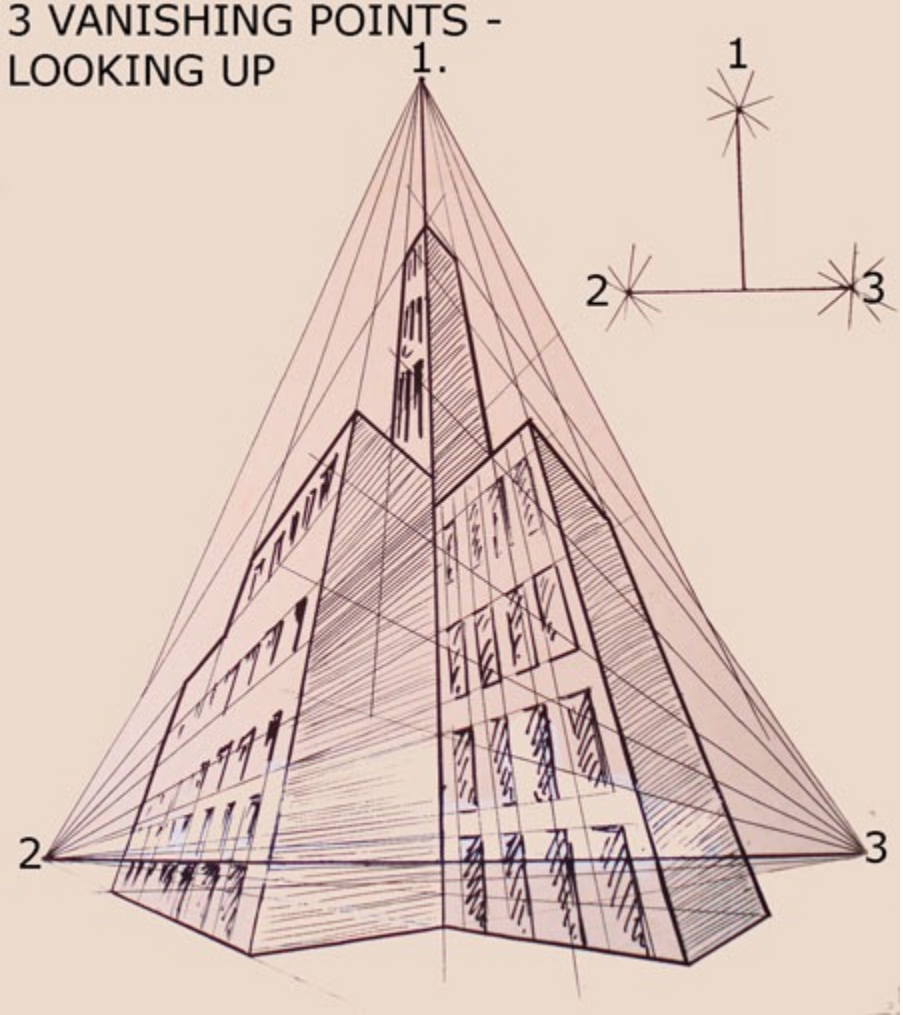
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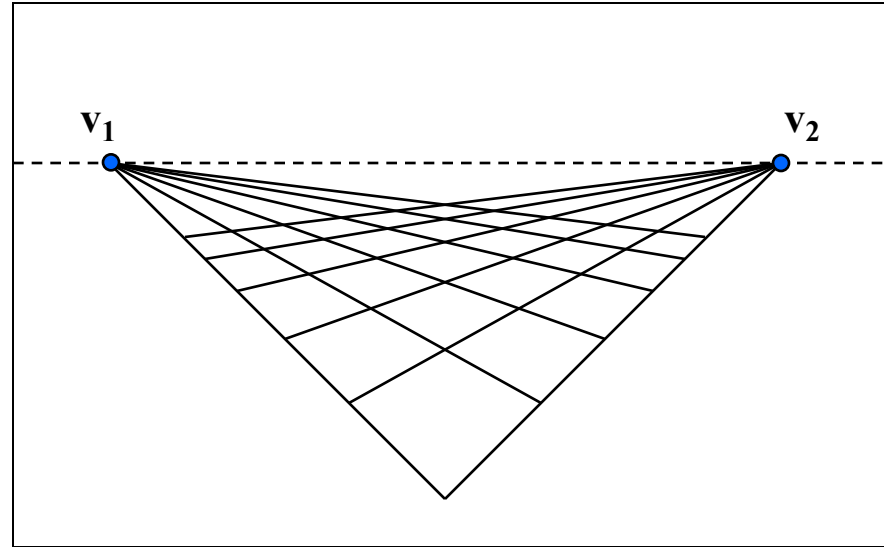
Two-point perspective



Three-point perspective

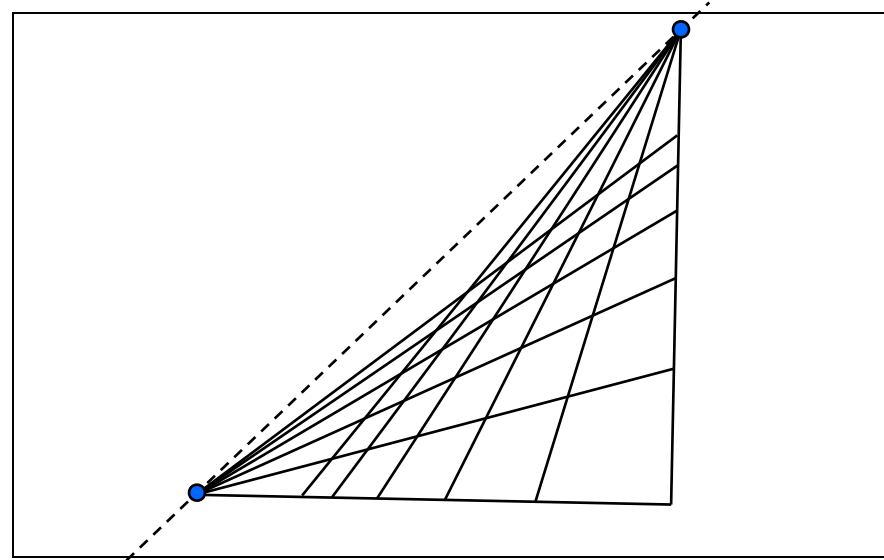


Vanishing lines



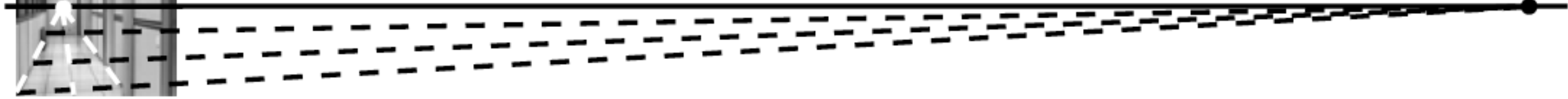
- Multiple Vanishing Points
 - Any set of parallel lines on the plane define a vanishing point
 - The union of all of these vanishing points is the *horizon line*
 - also called *vanishing line*
 - Note that different planes (can) define different vanishing lines

Vanishing lines

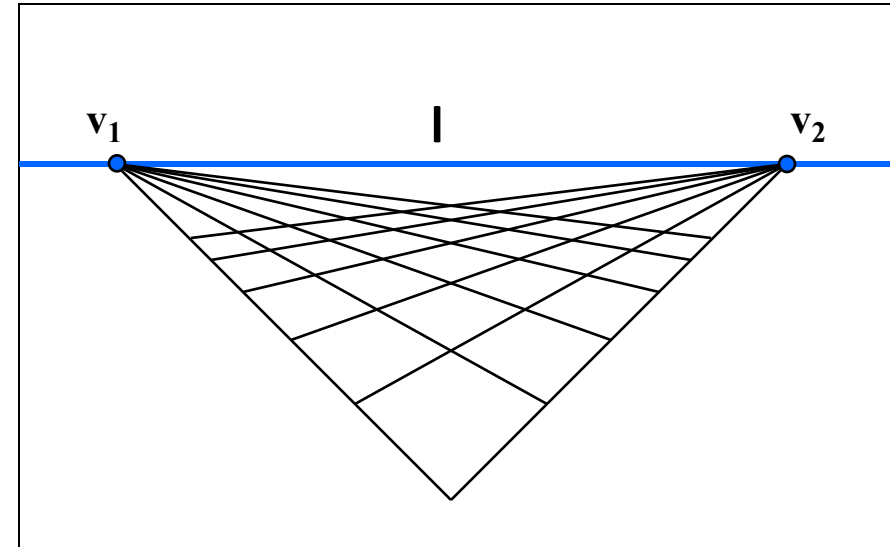
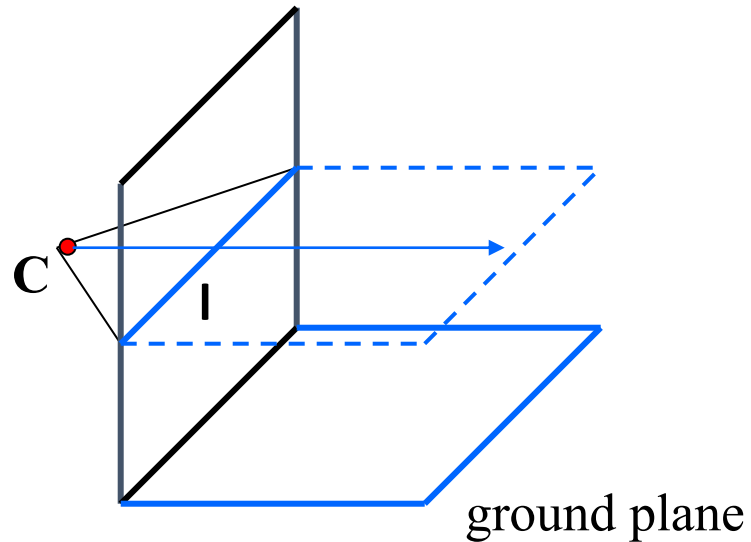


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Vanishing Lines



Computing vanishing lines



- **Properties**

- I is intersection of horizontal plane through **C** with image plane
- Compute I from two sets of parallel lines on ground plane
- All points at same height as **C** project to I
 - points higher than C project above I
- Provides way of comparing height of objects in the scene

Is this parachuter higher or lower than the person taking this picture?



Perspective cues



Perspective cues



Slide Credits

- [CS5670, Introduction to Computer Vision](#), **Cornell Tech**, by **Noah Snavely**.
- [CS 194-26/294-26: Intro to Computer Vision and Computational Photography](#), **UC Berkeley**, by **Angjoo Kanazawa**.
- [CS 16-385: Computer Vision](#), **CMU**, by **Matthew O'Toole**

Additional Reading

- Multiview Geometry, Hartley & Zisserman, Chapter 6.1, 6.2.

Related Readings from the past

- Multiview Geometry, Hartley & Zisserman, Chapter 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6, 2.7, 3.1, 3.2, 4.1, 4.2