

# 3D Computer Vision

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## Examples

Assuming orthogonal raster, unit aspect (ORUA):  $\theta = \pi/2$ ,  $a = 1$

$$\boldsymbol{\omega} \simeq \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -u_0 \\ 0 & 1 & -v_0 \\ -u_0 & -v_0 & f^2 + u_0^2 + v_0^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

### Ex 1:

Assuming ORUA and known  $\mathbf{m}_0 = (u_0, v_0)$ , two finite orthogonal vanishing points give  $f$

$$\mathbf{v}_1^\top \boldsymbol{\omega} \mathbf{v}_2 = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad f^2 = |(\mathbf{v}_1 - \mathbf{m}_0)^\top (\mathbf{v}_2 - \mathbf{m}_0)|$$

in this formula,  $\mathbf{v}_{1,2}$ ,  $\mathbf{m}_0$  are Cartesian (not homogeneous)!

### Ex 2:

Non-orthogonal vanishing points  $\mathbf{v}_i$ ,  $\mathbf{v}_j$ , known angle  $\phi$ :  $\cos \phi = \frac{\mathbf{v}_i^\top \boldsymbol{\omega} \mathbf{v}_j}{\sqrt{\mathbf{v}_i^\top \boldsymbol{\omega} \mathbf{v}_i} \sqrt{\mathbf{v}_j^\top \boldsymbol{\omega} \mathbf{v}_j}}$

- leads to polynomial equations
- e.g. ORUA and  $u_0 = v_0 = 0$  gives

$$(f^2 + \mathbf{v}_i^\top \mathbf{v}_j)^2 = (f^2 + \|\mathbf{v}_i\|^2) \cdot (f^2 + \|\mathbf{v}_j\|^2) \cdot \cos^2 \phi$$

## ► Camera Orientation from Two Finite Vanishing Points

**Problem:** Given  $\mathbf{K}$  and two vanishing points corresponding to two known orthogonal directions  $\mathbf{d}_1, \mathbf{d}_2$ , compute camera orientation  $\mathbf{R}$  with respect to the plane.

- 3D coordinate system choice, e.g.:

$$\mathbf{d}_1 = (1, 0, 0), \quad \mathbf{d}_2 = (0, 1, 0)$$

- we know that

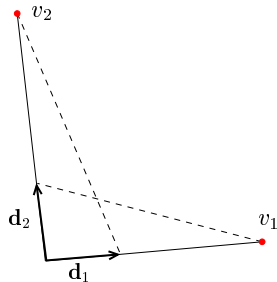
$$\mathbf{d}_i \simeq \mathbf{Q}^{-1} \mathbf{v}_i = (\mathbf{K}\mathbf{R})^{-1} \mathbf{v}_i = \mathbf{R}^{-1} \underbrace{\mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{v}_i}_{\mathbf{w}_i}$$

$$\mathbf{R}\mathbf{d}_i \simeq \mathbf{w}_i$$

- knowing  $\mathbf{d}_{1,2}$  we conclude that  $\mathbf{w}_i / \|\mathbf{w}_i\|$  is the  $i$ -th column  $\mathbf{r}_i$  of  $\mathbf{R}$
- the third column is orthogonal:  $\mathbf{r}_3 \simeq \mathbf{r}_1 \times \mathbf{r}_2$

$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\mathbf{w}_1}{\|\mathbf{w}_1\|} & \frac{\mathbf{w}_2}{\|\mathbf{w}_2\|} & \frac{\mathbf{w}_1 \times \mathbf{w}_2}{\|\mathbf{w}_1 \times \mathbf{w}_2\|} \end{bmatrix}$$

- we have to care about the signs  $\pm \mathbf{w}_i$  (such that  $\det \mathbf{R} = 1$ )



some suitable scenes



# Application: Planar Rectification

**Principle:** Rotate camera (image plane) parallel to the plane of interest.



$$\underline{\mathbf{m}} \simeq \mathbf{KR} [\mathbf{I} \quad -\mathbf{C}] \underline{\mathbf{X}}$$

$$\underline{\mathbf{m}}' \simeq \mathbf{K} [\mathbf{I} \quad -\mathbf{C}] \underline{\mathbf{X}}$$

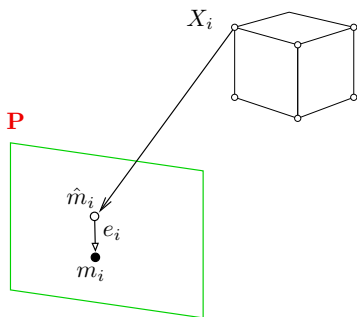
$$\underline{\mathbf{m}}' \simeq \mathbf{K}(\mathbf{KR})^{-1} \underline{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{KR}^\top \mathbf{K}^{-1} \underline{\mathbf{m}} = \mathbf{H} \underline{\mathbf{m}}$$

- $\mathbf{H}$  is the rectifying homography
- both  $\mathbf{K}$  and  $\mathbf{R}$  can be calibrated from two finite vanishing points
- not possible when one of them is (or both are) infinite
- without ORUA we would need 4 additional views to calibrate  $\mathbf{K}$  as on  $\rightarrow 54$

assuming ORUA  $\rightarrow 57$

## ► Camera Resection

Camera calibration and orientation from a known set of  $k \geq 6$  reference points and their images  $\{(X_i, m_i)\}_{i=1}^6$ .

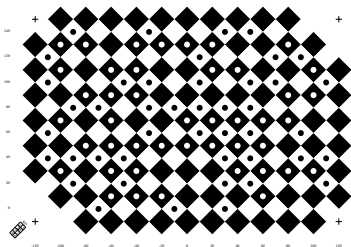


- $X_i$  are considered exact
- $m_i$  is a measurement subject to detection error

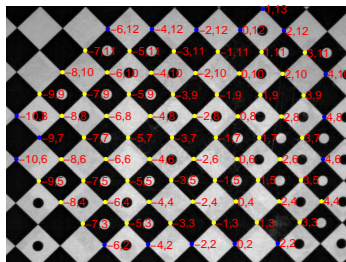
$$\mathbf{m}_i = \hat{\mathbf{m}}_i + \mathbf{e}_i \quad \text{Cartesian}$$

- where  $\lambda_i \hat{\mathbf{m}}_i = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{X}_i$

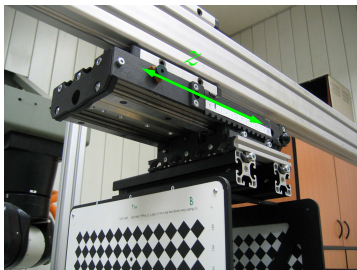
# Resection Targets



calibration chart



automatic calibration point detection  
based on a distributed bitcode ( $2 \times 4 = 8$  bits)



resection target with translation stage

- target translated at least once
- by a calibrated (known) translation
- $X_i$  point locations looked up in a table based on their bitcode

## ► The Minimal Problem for Camera Resection

**Problem:** Given  $k = 6$  corresponding pairs  $\{(X_i, m_i)\}_{i=1}^k$ , find  $\mathbf{P}$

$$\lambda_i \underline{\mathbf{m}}_i = \mathbf{P} \underline{\mathbf{X}}_i, \quad \mathbf{P} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{q}_1^\top & q_{14} \\ \mathbf{q}_2^\top & q_{24} \\ \mathbf{q}_3^\top & q_{34} \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{aligned} \underline{\mathbf{X}}_i &= (x_i, y_i, z_i, 1), \quad i = 1, 2, \dots, k, \quad k = 6 \\ \underline{\mathbf{m}}_i &= (u_i, v_i, 1), \quad \lambda_i \in \mathbb{R}, \lambda_i \neq 0, |\lambda_i| < \infty \end{aligned}$$

easily modifiable for infinite points  $X_i$  but be aware of  $\rightarrow 64$

expanded:  $\lambda_i u_i = \mathbf{q}_1^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{14}, \quad \lambda_i v_i = \mathbf{q}_2^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{24}, \quad \lambda_i = \mathbf{q}_3^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{34}$

after elimination of  $\lambda_i$ :  $(\mathbf{q}_3^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{34})u_i = \mathbf{q}_1^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{14}, \quad (\mathbf{q}_3^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{34})v_i = \mathbf{q}_2^\top \mathbf{X}_i + q_{24}$

Then

$$\mathbf{A} \mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}_1^\top & 1 & \mathbf{0}^\top & 0 & -u_1 \mathbf{X}_1^\top & -u_1 \\ \mathbf{0}^\top & 0 & \mathbf{X}_1^\top & 1 & -v_1 \mathbf{X}_1^\top & -v_1 \\ \vdots & & & & \vdots & \\ \mathbf{X}_k^\top & 1 & \mathbf{0}^\top & 0 & -u_k \mathbf{X}_k^\top & -u_k \\ \mathbf{0}^\top & 0 & \mathbf{X}_k^\top & 1 & -v_k \mathbf{X}_k^\top & -v_k \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{q}_1 \\ q_{14} \\ \mathbf{q}_2 \\ q_{24} \\ \mathbf{q}_3 \\ q_{34} \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0} \quad (9)$$

- we need 11 independent parameters for  $\mathbf{P}$
- $\mathbf{A} \in \mathbb{R}^{2k, 12}$ ,  $\mathbf{q} \in \mathbb{R}^{12}$
- 6 points in a general position give  $\text{rank } \mathbf{A} = 12$  and there is no (non-trivial) null space
- drop one row to get rank-11 matrix, then the basis vector of the null space of  $\mathbf{A}$  gives  $\mathbf{q}$

## ► The Jack-Knife Solution for $k = 6$

- given the 6 correspondences, we have 12 equations for the 11 parameters
- can we use all the information present in the 6 points?

### Jack-knife estimation

1.  $n := 0$
2. for  $i = 1, 2, \dots, 2k$  do
  - a) delete  $i$ -th row from  $\mathbf{A}$ , this gives  $\mathbf{A}_i$
  - b) if  $\dim \text{null } \mathbf{A}_i > 1$  continue with the next  $i$
  - c)  $n := n + 1$
  - d) compute the right null-space  $\mathbf{q}_i$  of  $\mathbf{A}_i$
  - e)  $\hat{\mathbf{q}}_i := \mathbf{q}_i$  normalized to  $q_{34} = 1$  and dimension-reduced
3. from all  $n$  vectors  $\hat{\mathbf{q}}_i$  collected in Step 2.e compute

$$\mathbf{q} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\mathbf{q}}_i, \quad \text{var}[\mathbf{q}] = \frac{n-1}{n} \text{diag} \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{\mathbf{q}}_i - \mathbf{q})(\hat{\mathbf{q}}_i - \mathbf{q})^\top$$

regular for  $n \geq 11$   
variance of the sample mean

- have a solution + an error estimate, per individual elements of  $\mathbf{P}$  (except  $P_{34}$ )
- at least 5 points must be in a general position ( $\rightarrow 64$ )
- large error indicates near degeneracy
- computation not efficient with  $k > 6$  points, needs  $\binom{2k}{11}$  draws, e.g.  $k = 7 \Rightarrow 364$  draws
- better error estimation method: decompose  $\mathbf{P}_i$  to  $\mathbf{K}_i, \mathbf{R}_i, \mathbf{t}_i$  ( $\rightarrow 33$ ), represent  $\mathbf{R}_i$  with 3 parameters (e.g. Euler angles, or in exponential map representation  $\rightarrow 144$ ) and compute the errors for the parameters
- even better: use the SE(3) Lie group for  $(\mathbf{R}_i, \mathbf{t}_i)$  and average its group-theoretic representations (the procedure is iterative)



e.g. by 'economy-size' SVD  
assuming finite cam. with  $P_{3,4} = 1$



## ► Degenerate (Critical) Configurations for Camera Resection

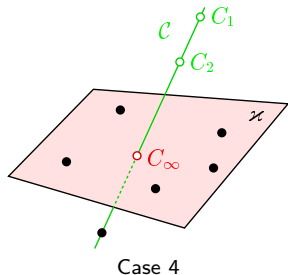
Let  $\mathcal{X} = \{X_i; i = 1, \dots\}$  be a set of points and  $\mathbf{P}_1 \neq \mathbf{P}_j$  be two regular (rank-3) cameras. Then two configurations  $(\mathbf{P}_1, \mathcal{X})$  and  $(\mathbf{P}_j, \mathcal{X})$  are image-equivalent if

$$\mathbf{P}_1 \underline{\mathbf{X}}_i \simeq \mathbf{P}_j \underline{\mathbf{X}}_i \quad \text{for all } X_i \in \mathcal{X}$$

i.e. there is a non-trivial set of other cameras that see the same image

### Results

- importantly: If all calibration points  $X_i \in \mathcal{X}$  lie on a plane  $\varkappa$  then camera resection is non-unique and all image-equivalent camera centers lie on a spatial line  $\mathcal{C}$  with the  $C_\infty = \varkappa \cap \mathcal{C}$  excluded  
 this also means we cannot resect if all  $X_i$  are infinite
- and more: by adding points  $X_i \in \mathcal{X}$  to  $\mathcal{C}$  we gain nothing
- there are additional image-equivalent configurations, see next

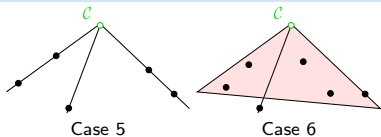


Proof sketch: If  $\mathbf{Q}, \mathbf{T}$  are suitable homographies then  $\mathbf{P}_1 \simeq \mathbf{Q}\mathbf{P}_0\mathbf{T}$ , where  $\mathbf{P}_0$  is canonical and the analysis can be made with  $\hat{\mathbf{P}}_j \simeq \mathbf{Q}^{-1}\mathbf{P}_j$

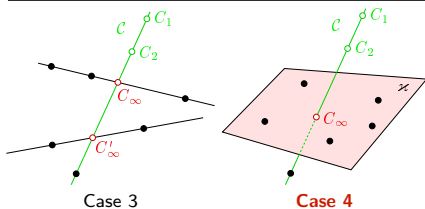
$$\mathbf{P}_0 \underbrace{\underline{\mathbf{T}}\underline{\mathbf{X}}_i}_{\underline{\mathbf{Y}}_i} \simeq \hat{\mathbf{P}}_j \underbrace{\underline{\mathbf{T}}\underline{\mathbf{X}}_i}_{\underline{\mathbf{Y}}_i} \quad \text{for all } Y_i \in \mathcal{Y}$$

see [H&Z, Sec. 22.1.2] for a full prof

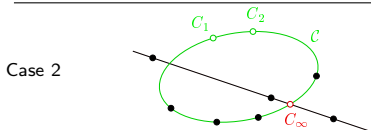
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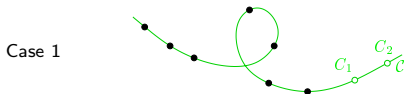
- points lie on three optical rays or one optical ray and one optical plane
- cameras  $C_1, C_2$  co-located at point  $C$
- Case 5: camera sees 3 isolated point images
- Case 6: cam. sees a line of points and an isolated point



- points lie on a line  $C$  and
  1. on two lines meeting  $C$  at  $C_\infty, C'_\infty$
  2. or on a plane meeting  $C$  at  $C_\infty$
- cameras lie on a line  $C \setminus \{C_\infty, C'_\infty\}$
- Case 3: camera sees 2 lines of points
- Case 4: **dangerous!**



- points lie on a planar conic  $C$  and an additional line meeting  $C$  at  $C_\infty$
- cameras lie on  $C \setminus \{C_\infty\}$  not necessarily an ellipse
- Case 2: camera sees 2 lines of points



- points and cameras all lie on a twisted cubic  $C$
- Case 1: camera sees points on a conic  
dangerous but unlikely to occur

## ► Three-Point Exterior Orientation Problem (P3P)

Calibrated camera rotation and translation from Perspective images of 3 reference Points.

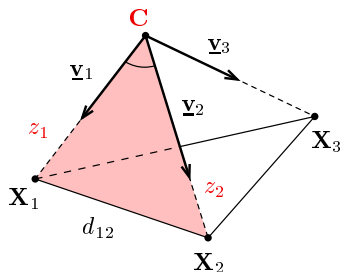
**Problem:** Given  $\mathbf{K}$  and three corresponding pairs  $\{(m_i, X_i)\}_{i=1}^3$ , find  $\mathbf{R}$ ,  $\mathbf{C}$  by solving

$$\lambda_i \underline{\mathbf{m}}_i = \mathbf{K}\mathbf{R}(\mathbf{X}_i - \mathbf{C}), \quad i = 1, 2, 3 \quad \mathbf{X}_i \text{ Cartesian}$$

1. Transform  $\underline{\mathbf{v}}_i \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{K}^{-1}\underline{\mathbf{m}}_i$ . Then

$$\lambda_i \underline{\mathbf{v}}_i = \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{X}_i - \mathbf{C}). \quad (10)$$

2. If there was no rotation in (10), the situation would look like this



3. and we could shoot 3 lines from the given points  $\mathbf{X}_i$  in given directions  $\underline{\mathbf{v}}_i$  to get  $\mathbf{C}$
4. given  $\mathbf{C}$  we could solve (10) for  $\lambda_i$

## ► P3P cont'd

### If there is rotation $\mathbf{R}$

1. Eliminate  $\mathbf{R}$  by taking

rotation preserves length:  $\|\mathbf{R}\mathbf{x}\| = \|\mathbf{x}\|$

$$|\lambda_i| \cdot \|\mathbf{v}_i\| = \|\mathbf{X}_i - \mathbf{C}\| \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} z_i \quad (11)$$

2. Consider only angles among  $\mathbf{v}_i$  and apply the Cosine Law per triangle  $(\mathbf{C}, \mathbf{X}_i, \mathbf{X}_j)$   $i, j = 1, 2, 3, i \neq j$

$$d_{ij}^2 = z_i^2 + z_j^2 - 2 z_i z_j c_{ij},$$

$$z_i = \|\mathbf{X}_i - \mathbf{C}\|, \quad d_{ij} = \|\mathbf{X}_j - \mathbf{X}_i\|, \quad c_{ij} = \cos(\angle \mathbf{v}_i \mathbf{v}_j)$$

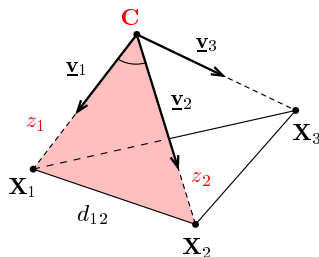
4. Solve the system of 3 quadratic eqs in 3 unknowns  $z_i$

[Fischler & Bolles, 1981]

there may be no real root

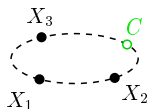
there are up to 4 solutions that cannot be ignored (verify on additional points)

5. Compute  $\mathbf{C}$  by trilateration (3-sphere intersection) from  $\mathbf{X}_i$  and  $z_i$ ; then  $\lambda_i$  from (11)
6. Compute  $\mathbf{R}$  from (10) we will solve this problem next  $\rightarrow 70$



Similar problems (P4P with unknown  $f$ ) at <http://aag.ciirc.cvut.cz/minimal/> (papers, code)

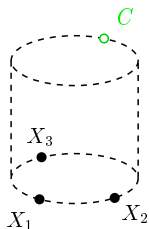
## Degenerate (Critical) Configurations for Exterior Orientation



**no solution**

1.  $C$  cocyclic with  $(X_1, X_2, X_3)$

camera sees points on a line



**unstable solution**

- center of projection  $C$  located on the orthogonal circular cylinder with base circumscribing the three points  $X_i$

unstable: a small change of  $X_i$  results in a large change of  $C$

can be detected by error propagation

**degenerate**

- camera  $C$  is coplanar with points  $(X_1, X_2, X_3)$  but is not on the circumscribed circle of  $(X_1, X_2, X_3)$

camera sees points on a line

- additional critical configurations depend on the quadratic equations solver

[Haralick et al. IJCV 1994]

## ► Populating A Little ZOO of Minimal Geometric Problems in CV

problem	given	unknown	slide
camera resection	6 world–image correspondences $\{(X_i, m_i)\}_{i=1}^6$	<b>P</b>	→62
exterior orientation	<b>K</b> , 3 world–image correspondences $\{(X_i, m_i)\}_{i=1}^3$	<b>R, C</b>	→66
<b>next:</b> relative orientation	3 world–world correspondences $\{(X_i, Y_i)\}_{i=1}^3$	<b>R, t</b>	→70

- camera resection and exterior orientation are similar problems in a sense:
  - we do resectioning when our camera is uncalibrated
  - we do orientation when our camera is calibrated
- relative orientation involves no camera (see next)
- more problems to come

it is a recurring problem in 3D vision

## ► The Relative Orientation Problem

**Problem:** Given point triples  $(X_1, X_2, X_3)$  and  $(Y_1, Y_2, Y_3)$  in a general position in  $\mathbf{R}^3$  such that the correspondence  $X_i \leftrightarrow Y_i$  is known, determine the relative orientation  $(\mathbf{R}, \mathbf{t})$  that maps  $\mathbf{X}_i$  to  $\mathbf{Y}_i$ , i.e.

$$\mathbf{Y}_i = \mathbf{R}\mathbf{X}_i + \mathbf{t}, \quad i = 1, 2, 3.$$

**Applies to:**

- 3D scanners
- merging partial reconstructions from different viewpoints
- generalization of the last step of P3P

**Obs:** Let the centroid be  $\bar{\mathbf{X}} = \frac{1}{3} \sum_i \mathbf{X}_i$  and analogically for  $\bar{\mathbf{Y}}$ . Then

$$\bar{\mathbf{Y}} = \mathbf{R}\bar{\mathbf{X}} + \mathbf{t}.$$

Therefore

$$\mathbf{Z}_i \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} (\mathbf{Y}_i - \bar{\mathbf{Y}}) = \mathbf{R}(\mathbf{X}_i - \bar{\mathbf{X}}) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{R}\mathbf{W}_i$$

If all dot products are equal,  $\mathbf{Z}_i^\top \mathbf{Z}_j = \mathbf{W}_i^\top \mathbf{W}_j$  for  $i, j = 1, 2, 3$ , we have

$$\mathbf{R}^* = [\mathbf{W}_1 \quad \mathbf{W}_2 \quad \mathbf{W}_3]^{-1} [\mathbf{Z}_1 \quad \mathbf{Z}_2 \quad \mathbf{Z}_3]$$

**Poor man's solver:**

- normalize  $\mathbf{W}_i, \mathbf{Z}_i$  to unit length, use the above formula, and then find the closest rotation matrix
- but this is equivalent to a non-optimal objective

it ignores errors in vector lengths

# An Optimal Algorithm for Relative Orientation

We setup a minimization problem

$$\mathbf{R}^* = \arg \min_{\mathbf{R}} \sum_{i=1}^3 \|\mathbf{z}_i - \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i\|^2 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \mathbf{R}^\top \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{I}, \quad \det \mathbf{R} = 1$$

$$\arg \min_{\mathbf{R}} \sum_i \|\mathbf{z}_i - \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i\|^2 = \arg \min_{\mathbf{R}} \sum_i \left( \|\mathbf{z}_i\|^2 - 2\mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i + \|\mathbf{w}_i\|^2 \right) = \dots = \arg \max_{\mathbf{R}} \sum_i \mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i$$

**Obs 1:** Let  $\mathbf{A} : \mathbf{B} = \sum_{i,j} a_{ij}b_{ij}$  be the dot-product (Frobenius inner product) over real matrices. Then

$$\mathbf{A} : \mathbf{B} = \mathbf{B} : \mathbf{A} = \text{tr}(\mathbf{A}^\top \mathbf{B}) = \text{vec}(\mathbf{A})^\top \text{vec}(\mathbf{B}) = \mathbf{a} \cdot \mathbf{b}$$

**Obs 2:** (cyclic property for matrix trace)

$$\text{tr}(\mathbf{ABC}) = \text{tr}(\mathbf{CAB})$$

**Obs 3:** ( $\mathbf{z}_i, \mathbf{w}_i$  are vectors)

$$\mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i = \text{tr}(\mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i) \stackrel{\text{O2}}{=} \text{tr}(\mathbf{w}_i \mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}) \stackrel{\text{O1}}{=} (\mathbf{z}_i \mathbf{w}_i^\top) : \mathbf{R} = \mathbf{R} : (\mathbf{z}_i \mathbf{w}_i^\top)$$

- Then we can factor the  $\mathbf{R}$  out of the sum

$$\sum_i \mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w}_i = \mathbf{R} : \left( \sum_i \mathbf{z}_i \mathbf{w}_i^\top \right) \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \mathbf{R} : \mathbf{M}$$

- Consider the SVD of  $\mathbf{M}$ :  $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^\top$ . Then

$$\mathbf{R} : \mathbf{M} = \mathbf{R} : (\mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^\top) \stackrel{\text{O1}}{=} \text{tr}(\mathbf{R}^\top \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}\mathbf{V}^\top) \stackrel{\text{O2}}{=} \text{tr}(\mathbf{V}^\top \mathbf{R}^\top \mathbf{U}\mathbf{D}) \stackrel{\text{O1}}{=} (\mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{R}\mathbf{V}) : \mathbf{D}$$



We are solving

$$\mathbf{R}^* = \arg \max_{\mathbf{R}} \sum_i \mathbf{z}_i^\top \mathbf{R} \mathbf{W}_i = \arg \max_{\mathbf{R}} (\mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{R} \mathbf{V}) : \mathbf{D}$$

**A particular solution is found as follows:**

- $\mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{R} \mathbf{V}$  must be (1) orthogonal, and closest to: (2) diagonal and (3) positive definite  $\mathbf{D}$
- Since  $\mathbf{U}$ ,  $\mathbf{V}$  are orthogonal matrices then the solution to the problem is among  $\mathbf{R}^* = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{S} \mathbf{V}^\top$ , where  $\mathbf{S}$  is diagonal and orthogonal, i.e. one of

$$\pm \text{diag}(1, 1, 1), \quad \pm \text{diag}(1, -1, -1), \quad \pm \text{diag}(-1, 1, -1), \quad \pm \text{diag}(-1, -1, 1)$$

- $\mathbf{U}^\top \mathbf{V}$  is not necessarily positive definite
- We choose  $\mathbf{S}$  so that  $(\mathbf{R}^*)^\top \mathbf{R}^* = \mathbf{I}$

**Alg:**

1. Compute matrix  $\mathbf{M} = \sum_i \mathbf{z}_i \mathbf{W}_i^\top$ .
2. Compute SVD  $\mathbf{M} = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{D} \mathbf{V}^\top$ .
3. Compute all  $\mathbf{R}_k = \mathbf{U} \mathbf{S}_k \mathbf{V}^\top$  that give  $\mathbf{R}_k^\top \mathbf{R}_k = \mathbf{I}$ .
4. Compute  $\mathbf{t}_k = \tilde{\mathbf{Y}} - \mathbf{R}_k \tilde{\mathbf{X}}$ .

- The algorithm can be used for more than 3 points
- Triple pairs can be pre-filtered based on motion invariants (lengths, angles)
- Can be used for the last step of the exterior orientation (P3P) problem →66

Thank You





