

# CS 395/495-26: Spring 2002

## IBMR: Week 5 A

### Finish Chapter 2: 3D Projective Geometry + Applications

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### Project 2 Hints

- 4 point correspondence:
  - Book shows:  $x^i (h_{31} x + h_{32} y + h_{33}) = (h_{11} x + h_{12} y + h_{13})$
  - $y^i (h_{31} x + h_{32} y + h_{33}) = (h_{11} x + h_{12} y + h_{13})$
  - Rearrange: known vector (dot) unknown vector
- stack, solve for null space...
- Hint Files
  - Added 'max' commands, examples
  - Make, test your own H matrices!

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & -x^2 & -x^2 & -x^2 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & x & y & 1 & -y^2 & -y^2 & -y^2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} h_{11} \\ h_{12} \\ h_{13} \\ h_{21} \\ h_{22} \\ h_{23} \\ h_{31} \\ h_{32} \\ h_{33} \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

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### Quadrics Summary

- Quadrics are the 'x<sup>2</sup> family' in P<sup>3</sup>:
- Point Quadric:  $\mathbf{x}^T \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{x} = 0$
  - Plane Quadric:  $\boldsymbol{\pi}^T \mathbf{Q}^* \boldsymbol{\pi} = 0$
  - Transformed Quadrics:
    - Point Quadric:  $\mathbf{Q}' = \mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{H}$
    - Plane Quadric:  $\mathbf{Q}^* = \mathbf{H} \mathbf{Q}^* \mathbf{H}^T$
  - Symmetric Q, Q\* matrices:
    - 10 parameters but 9 DOF; 9 points or planes
    - (or less if degenerate...)
    - 4x4 symmetric, so SVD(Q) = USU<sup>T</sup>



Ellipsoid: 1 of 8 quadric types

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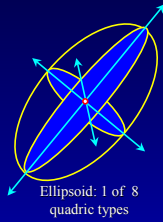
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## Quadrics Summary

- $SVD(Q) = USU^T$ :
  - $U$  columns are quadric's **axes**
  - $S$  diagonal elements: **scale**
- On  $U$  axes, write any quadric as:
 
$$au_1^2 + bu_2^2 + cu_3^2 + d = 0$$
- Classify quadrics by
  - sign of  $a, b, c, d$ : ( $>0, 0, <0$ )
- Book's method:
  - scale  $a, b, c, d$  to  $(+1, 0, -1)$
  - classify by  $Q$ 's **rank** and  $(a+b+c+d)$




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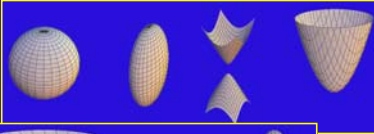
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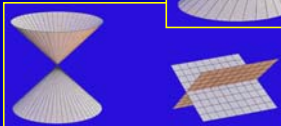
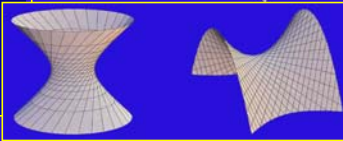
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## Quadrics Summary

All **Unruled** Quadrics are Rank 4: (See page 55)



BUT **Some** Rank 4 quadrics are **Ruled**:



and **All** degenerate quadrics (Rank<4) are **Ruled** (or Conic)

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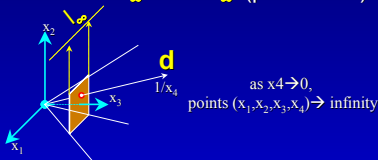
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## $P^3$ 's Familiar Weirdnesses

- The plane at infinity:  $\pi_\infty = (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)^T$   
(this is the 2D set of all...)
- 'Ideal Points' at infinity:  $d = p_\infty = (x_1 \ x_2 \ x_3 \ 0)^T$   
– (Also called 'direction'  $d$  in book)
- Parallel Planes intersect at a line within  $\pi_\infty$
- Parallel Lines intersect at a point within  $\pi_\infty$
- Any plane  $\pi$  intersects  $\pi_\infty$  at line  $l_\infty$  (put  $\pi$  in  $P^2$ )




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## P<sup>3</sup>'s Familiar Weirdnesses

- The plane at infinity:  $\pi_\infty = (0 \ 0 \ 0 \ 1)^T$
- Only  $H_p$  transforms  $\pi_\infty$  (stays  $\pi_\infty$  for  $H_S H_A$ )
  - Recall  $\pi^* = H^T \pi$
  - Careful!**  $H_S$ , and  $H_A$  and move points within  $\pi_\infty$
- Both  $H_p$  and  $\pi_\infty$  have 3DOF
  - use one to find the other:
    - Find  $\pi_\infty^*$  in image space; use  $\pi_\infty$  in world-space to find  $H_p$
    - Find directions in  $\pi_\infty$  with known angles in  $P^3$

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## New Weirdness: Absolute Conic $\Omega_\infty$

- WHY** learn  $\Omega_\infty$ ? Similar to  $C_\infty$  for  $P^2$ ...
  - Angles from directions ( $d_1, d_2$ ) or planes ( $\pi_1, \pi_2$ )
  - $\pi_\infty$  has 3DOF for  $H_p$ ;  $\Omega_\infty$  has 5DOF for  $H_A$
- $\Omega_\infty$  Requires TWO equations:
 

$\Omega_\infty$ : $x_1^2 + x_2^2 + x_3^2 = 0,$	or '2D point conic where $C = I$ '
$x_4 = 0,$	or 'all points are on $\pi_\infty$ '
- $\Omega_\infty$  is **complex** 2D Point Conic on the  $\pi_\infty$  plane *(mmm)*
- Recall plane at infinity  $\pi_\infty = [0, 0, 0, 1]^T$  holds 'directions'  $d = [x_1, x_2, x_3, 0]^T$

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- Only  $H_A H_p$  transforms  $\Omega_\infty$  (stays  $\Omega_\infty$  for  $H_S$ )
- All circles (in any  $\pi$ ) intersect  $\Omega_\infty$  circular pts.
  - (recall: circular pts. hold 2 axes:  $x \pm iy$ )
- All spheres (in  $P^3$ ) intersect  $\pi_\infty$  at all  $\Omega_\infty$  pts.

(not clear what this reveals to us)

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## New Weirdness: Absolute Conic $\Omega_\infty$

$\Omega_\infty$  measures angles between Directions ( $d_1, d_2$ )

- World-space  $\Omega_\infty$  is  $I_{3 \times 3}$  (ident. matrix) within  $\pi_\infty$
- Image-space  $\Omega_\infty'$  is transformed (How? as part of  $\pi_\infty'$ )
- Euclidean world-space angle  $\theta$  is given by:

$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{(d_1^T \Omega_\infty' d_2)}{\sqrt{(d_1^T \Omega_\infty' d_1) (d_2^T \Omega_\infty' d_2)}}$$

- Directions  $d_1, d_2$  are orthogonal iff  $d_1^T \Omega_\infty' d_2 = 0$

- ???! What is  $\Omega_\infty$  in  $P^3$ ? Perhaps

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad ? \text{ but....}$$

(do not change)

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## Absolute Dual Quadric $Q_\infty^*$

Exact Dual to Absolute Conic  $\Omega_\infty$  in plane  $\pi_\infty$

- Any conic in a plane = a degenerate quadric
  - (even though plane  $\pi_\infty$  consists of all points at infinity)
  - (even though conic  $\Omega_\infty$  has no real points, all 'outer limits' of  $\pi_\infty$ )

$Q_\infty^*$  is a Plane Quadric that matches  $\Omega_\infty$

- Defined by tangent planes  $\pi$  (e.g.  $\pi^T Q_\infty^* \pi = 0$ )
- Conic  $\Omega_\infty$  is on the 'rim' of quadric  $Q_\infty^*$

- In world space,  $Q_\infty^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$

- Image space: **8DOF** (same as  $\Omega_\infty'$ )

(up to similarity)

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## Absolute Dual Quadric $Q_\infty^*$

- In world space,  $Q_\infty^* = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \quad \pi_\infty = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

-  $Q_\infty^*$  always has infinity plane  $\pi_\infty$  as tangent  
 $Q_\infty^* \pi_\infty = 0$  and  $Q_\infty^* \pi_\infty' = 0$

- Find angles between planes  $\pi_1, \pi_2$  with  $Q_\infty^*$ :

$$\cos(\theta) = \frac{(\pi_1^T Q_\infty^* \pi_2)}{\sqrt{(\pi_1^T Q_\infty^* \pi_1) (\pi_2^T Q_\infty^* \pi_2)}}$$

- Can test for  $\perp$  planes  $\pi_1, \pi_2$ :  $\pi_1^T Q_\infty^* \pi_2 = 0$

End of Chapter 2. Now what?

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## Absolute Dual Quadric $Q_{\infty}^*$

How can we find  $Q_{\infty}^*$  ?

- From  $\perp$  plane pairs (flatten, stack, null space...)

How can we use it?

- Transforms: " $Q_{\infty}^*$  fixed iff H is a similarity" means  
Changes  $Q_{\infty}^*$  to  $Q_{\infty}^*$  unless H is a similarity  
(Recall that  $Q_{\infty}^* = H Q_{\infty}^* H^T$ )
- **THUS** known  $Q_{\infty}^*$  can solve for  $H_A H_P$ 
  - $Q_{\infty}^*$  is symmetric, so  $SVD()=USU^T$ ; so by inspection:  $H=U$

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## What else can we DO in $P^3$ ?

**View Interpolation!** Find H (or its parts:  $H_S H_A H_P$ )

- By  $\perp$  Plane Pairs ( $\pi_1^T Q_{\infty}^* \pi_2 = 0$ )...
  - Find  $Q_{\infty}^*$  by flatten/stack/null space method
  - Find  $H_A H_P$  from  $Q_{\infty}^* \rightarrow Q_{\infty}^*$  relation  
(symmetric, so use SVD)
- By Point (or Plane) Correspondence
  - Can find full H (15DOF) in  $P^3$  with 5 pts (planes)
  - Just extend the  $P^3$  method (see Project 2)

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## But what can we DO in $P^3$ ?

**View Interpolation!** Find H (or its parts:  $H_S H_A H_P$ )

- By Parallel Plane pairs (they intersect at  $\pi'_{\infty}$ )
  - Find  $\pi'_{\infty}$  by flatten/stack/null space method,
  - Solve for  $H_P$  using  $H_P^T \pi_{\infty} = \pi'_{\infty}$
- By  $\perp$  Direction Pairs ( $d_1 \cdot \Omega'_{\infty} \cdot d_2 = 0$ )...
  - Find  $\Omega'_{\infty}$  from flatten/stack/null space method,
  - Find  $H_A$  from  $\Omega_{\infty} \rightarrow \Omega'_{\infty}$  relation  
(symmetric, so use SVD...)

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## What can we DO in $P^3$ ?

### Open questions to ponder:

- Can you do line-correspondence in  $P^2$ ? in  $P^3$ ?
- How would you find angle between two lines whose intersection is NOT the origin?
- Can you find  $H$  from known angles,  $\theta \neq 90^\circ$ ?
- How can we adapt  $P^2$  'vanishing point' methods to  $P^3$ ?
- How might you find  $H$  using twisted cubics?  
using the Screw Decomposition?
- Given full 3D world-space positions for pixels ('image+depth), what  $H$  matrix would you use to 'move the camera to a new position'?
- What happens to the image when you change the projective transformations  $H$  (bottom row)?

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**END**

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