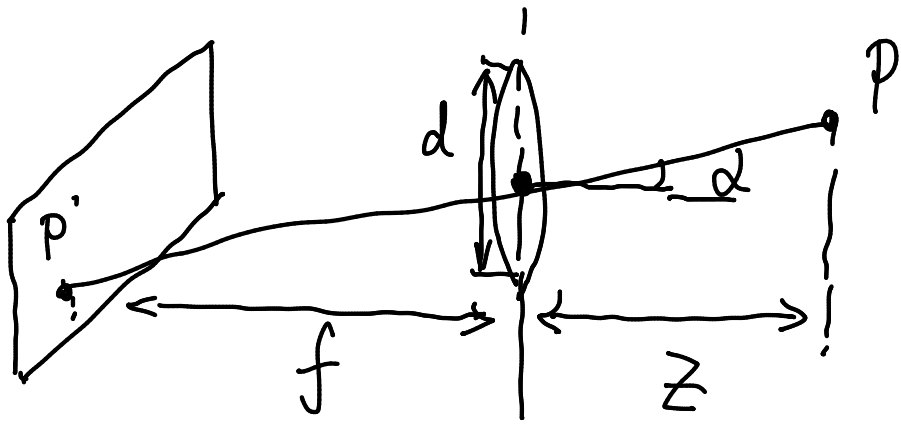


lect 5 Illumination & Photometric Stereo

Irradiance



L : Radiance emitted from P to P'

E : Irradiance on the film per square meter.

$$E = \left[\frac{\pi}{4} \frac{d^2}{f} \cdot \cos^4 \alpha \right] L$$

area of lens

Reflection:

1. Lambert's Law.

$$B = P (N^T \cdot S)$$

Diffuse reflection

N : Normal Vector of the point

P : fraction of reflection radiance

S : light source vector.

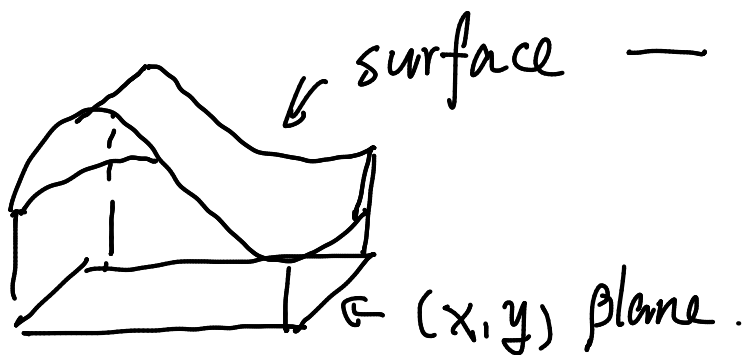
B : power reflect

2. Specular Reflection
镜面.

Photometric Stereo

Surface Model. Monge Patch

$f(x, y)$ is the height at location (x, y) .



Target:

Get the $f(x, y)$ based on

{ Light Source Vector S_j
Image Pixel $I_j(x, y)$

Step 1

Assumption.

Lambertian Model:

$$I_j(x, y) = k \rho(x, y) \left(\underbrace{N(x, y)^T}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Surface Norm}}} \cdot \underbrace{S_j}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{3x1}}} \right)$$

$$= \rho(x, y) \cdot N(x, y)^T \cdot k \cdot S_j$$

$$= \underbrace{\rho(x, y)}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{a scalar}}} \cdot \underbrace{N(x, y)^T}_{1 \times 3} \cdot \underbrace{k \cdot S_j}_{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{Surface Norm}}} = \underbrace{g(x, y)^T}_{1 \times 3} \cdot \underbrace{V_j}_{3 \times 1}$$

$$= g(x, y)^T \cdot V_j$$

$g(x,y)^T$ is closely related to surface $f(x,y)$. has nothing to do with light. So, we have n images of different light source.

$$\begin{bmatrix} I_1(x,y) \\ I_2(x,y) \\ \vdots \\ I_n(x,y) \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} V_1^T \\ V_2^T \\ \vdots \\ V_n^T \end{bmatrix} g(x,y)$$

$n \times 1$ $n \times 3$ 3×1

$$\Rightarrow g(x,y) = \begin{bmatrix} V_1^T \\ \vdots \\ V_n^T \end{bmatrix}^\dagger \begin{bmatrix} I_1(x,y) \\ \vdots \\ I_n(x,y) \end{bmatrix}$$

Recall

$$g(x,y)^T = \underbrace{\rho(x,y)}_{\text{Scalar}} \cdot \underbrace{N(x,y)^T}_{\text{Unit Norm}}$$

$N(x,y)$ is a 3-D Normal Vect.
It has 2-DoF.

So

$\rho(x,y)$ is a scalar, having 1-DoF
In all, there are 3-DoF.

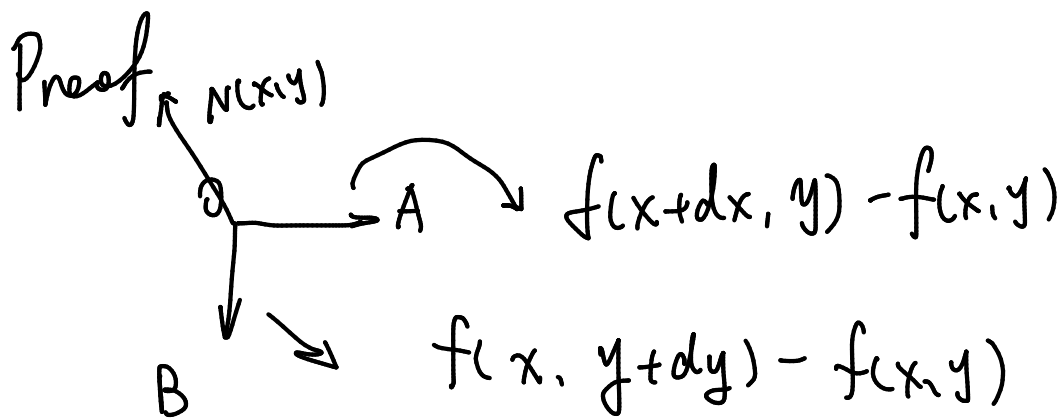
$$\rho(x,y) = \|g(x,y)\|_2$$

$$N(x,y) = \frac{g(x,y)}{\|g(x,y)\|_2}$$

Step 2.

We need to compute the surface $f(x, y)$

$$N(x, y) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{f_x^2 + f_y^2 + 1}} \begin{bmatrix} -f_x \\ -f_y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



$$\vec{OA} = [dx, 0, f_x]^T \quad \vec{OB} = [0, dy, f_y]^T$$

$$\text{let } N(x, y) = [a, b, c]^T$$

$$\therefore N(x, y)^T \vec{OA} = N(x, y)^T \vec{OB} = 0$$

$$\therefore \begin{cases} a dx + c f_x = 0 \\ b dy + c f_y = 0 \end{cases} \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{a}{c} = - \frac{f_x}{dx} \xrightarrow{dx \rightarrow 0} - \frac{\partial}{\partial x} f(x, y) \\ \frac{b}{c} = - \frac{f_y}{dy} \xrightarrow{dy \rightarrow 0} - \frac{\partial}{\partial y} f(x, y) \end{cases}$$

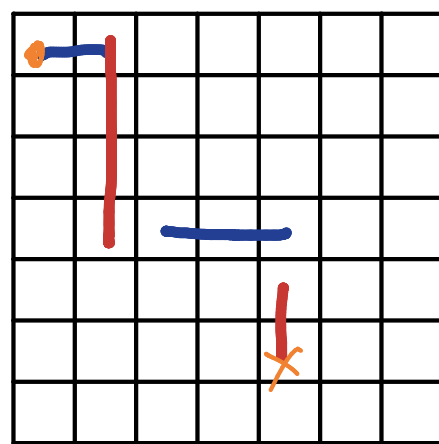
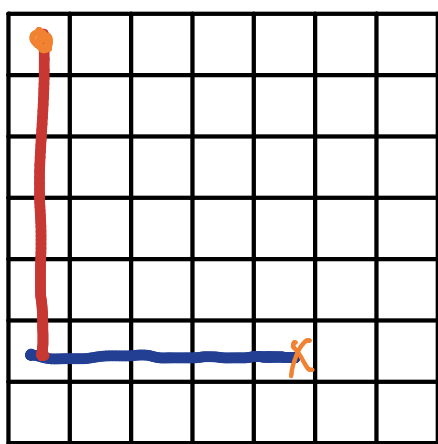
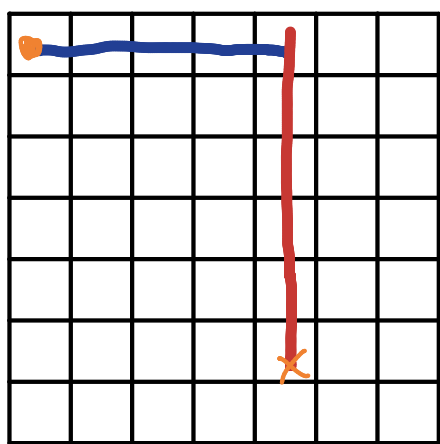
Step 3

Now, we know $f_x = -\frac{g^{(1)}(x,y)}{g^{(3)}(x,y)}$ $f_y = -\frac{g^{(2)}(x,y)}{g^{(3)}(x,y)}$

we can use "Integration" to recover $f(x,y)$.

Technically, if $\frac{\partial^2}{\partial x \partial y} f(x,y) = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial y \partial x} f(x,y)$, then $f(x,y)$ is continuous. But, our recovered f_x, f_y may be prone to noise.

So, we may need to integrate via different paths and get the average



Three different paths.

Also, It's true that

$$f(x,y) = \iint f(x,y) + C$$

but because the surface is continuous, we don't really care the constant C .

If we know $N(x,y)$, Image Pixel. $I(x,y)$ can be

$$I(x,y) = N(x,y) \cdot S(x,y) + A$$

For points on the occluding contour,

$$[I(x,y)] = [N_x, N_y, 1] \begin{bmatrix} S_x \\ S_y \\ A \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{because } N_z = 0$$

Limitations

- ① This model use orthographic camera model, and assume lights are all parallel lights, doesn't consider projection
- ② Reflection model and light source model is too simple
- ③ No shadow
- ④ No Inter-reflection
- ⑤ No missing data
- ⑥ Integration path may affect the final result.