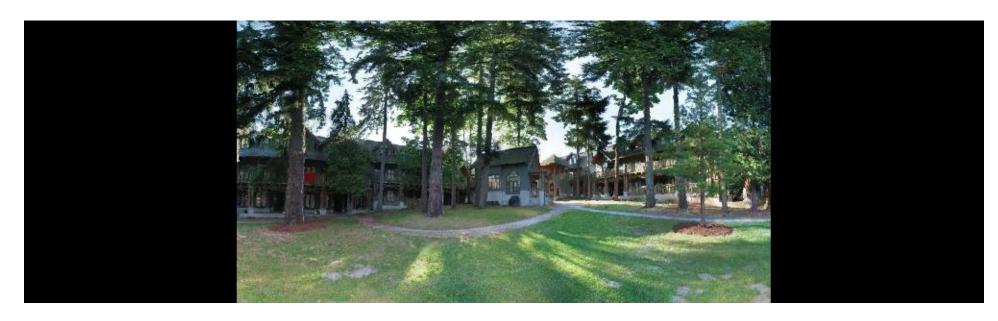
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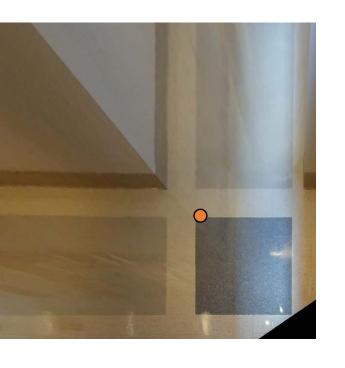
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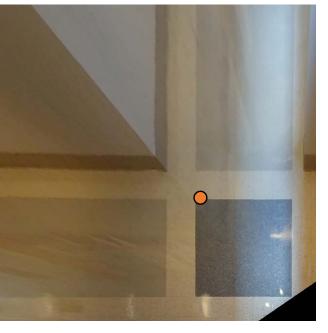


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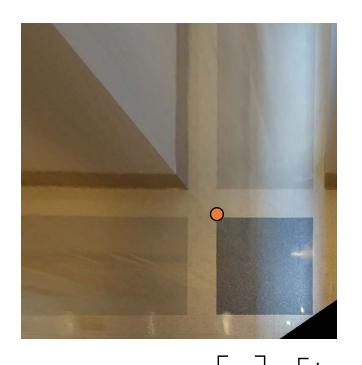




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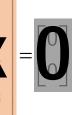


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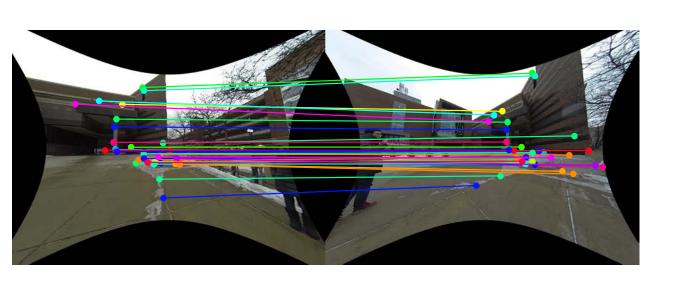
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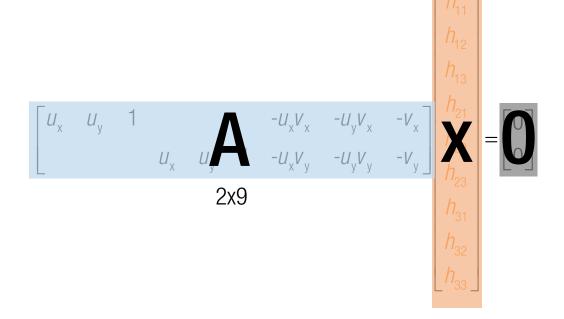
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$$2x9$$

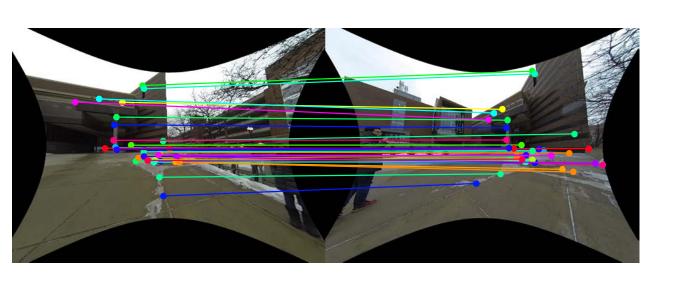


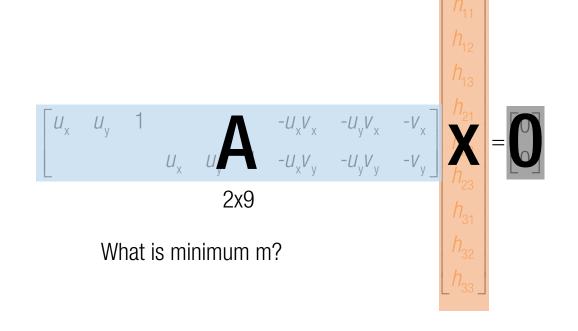
#### **Linear System for Homography Matrix**





### **How Many Correspondences?**







Homography computation

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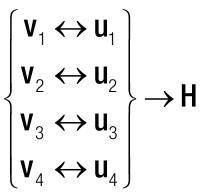
 $\begin{cases}
\mathbf{V}_{1} \longleftrightarrow \mathbf{U}_{1} \\
\mathbf{V}_{2} \longleftrightarrow \mathbf{U}_{2} \\
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\mathbf{V}_{4} \longleftrightarrow \mathbf{U}_{4}
\end{cases} \longrightarrow \mathbf{H}$ 

Homography computation

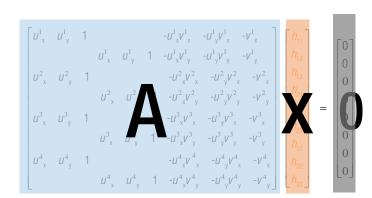
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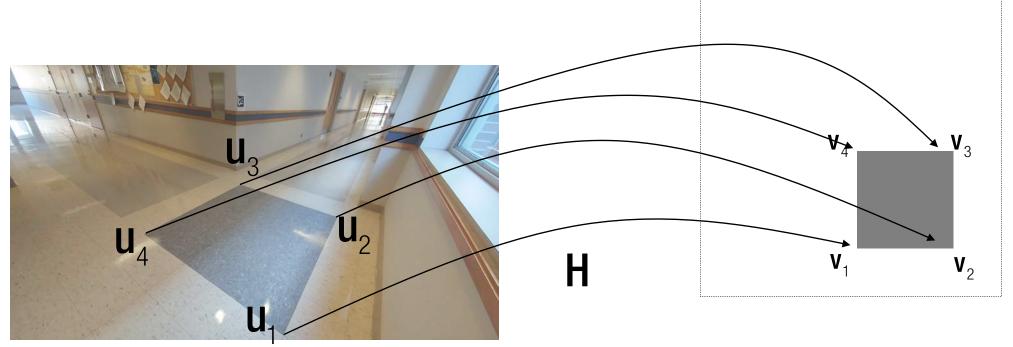
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Homography computation



[u,d,v] = svd(A); X = v(:,end)/v(end,end);H = reshape(X,3,3)';

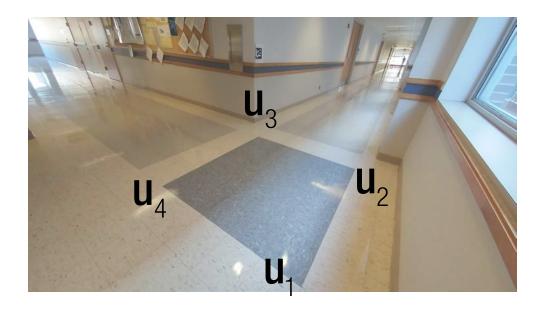


The image can be rectified as if it is seen from top view.



#### RectificationViaHomography.m

```
u = [u1'; u2'; u3'; u4'];
v = [v1'; v2'; v3'; v4'];
% Need at least non-colinear four points
H = ComputeHomography(v, u);
im_warped = ImageWarping(im, inv(H));
```



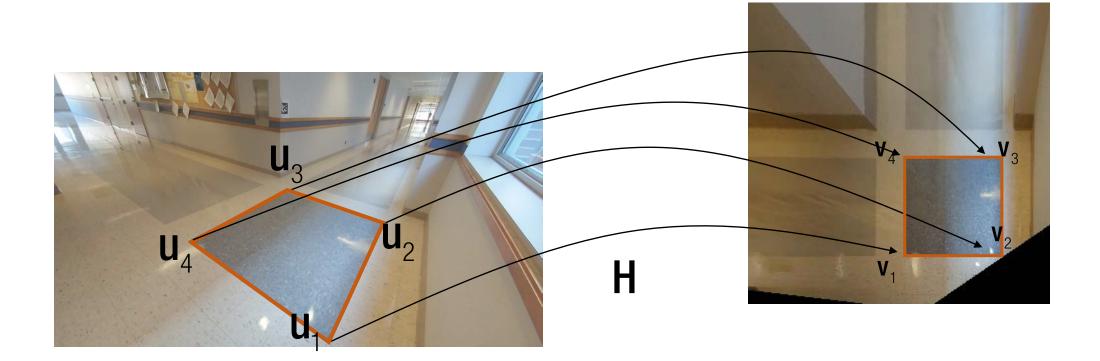
#### Cf) ImageWarpingEuclidean.m

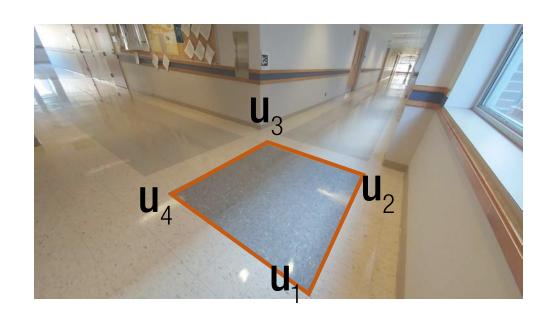
$$u_x = H(1,1)*v_x + H(1,2)*v_y + H(1,3);$$
  
 $u_y = H(2,1)*v_x + H(2,2)*v_y + H(2,3);$ 

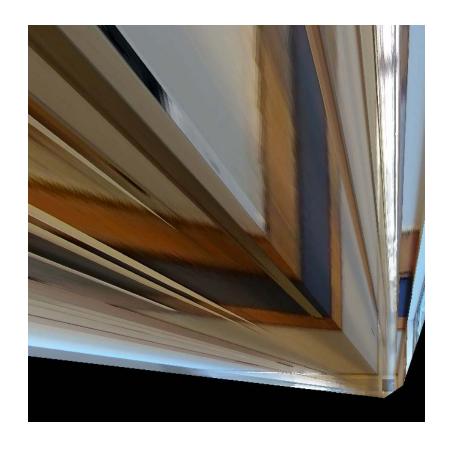
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#### ImageWarping.m











### **Local Patch**



## **Local Patch (Orientation)**





## Local Patch (Scale)



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### **Image Features**



slides from A. Efros, Steve Seitz and Rick Szeliski

### Today's lecture

- Feature <u>detectors</u>
  - scale invariant Harris corners
- Feature <u>descriptors</u>
  - patches, oriented patches

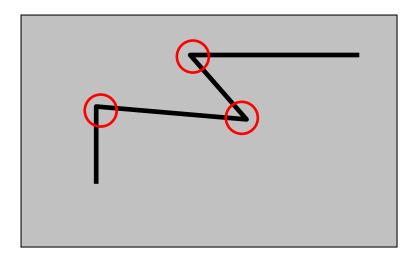
- Reading:
- Multi-image Matching using Multi-scale image patches, CVPR 2005

#### More motivation...

- Feature points are used for:
  - Image alignment (homography, fundamental matrix)
  - 3D reconstruction
  - Motion tracking
  - Object recognition
  - Indexing and database retrieval
  - Robot navigation
  - ... other

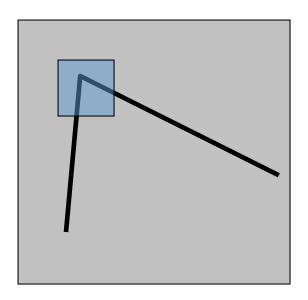
#### Harris corner detector

• C.Harris, M.Stephens. "A Combined Corner and Edge Detector". 1988

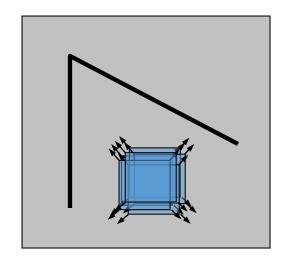


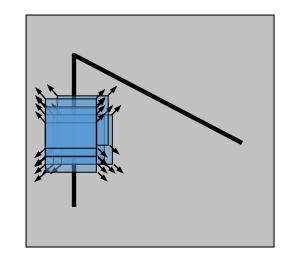
#### The Basic Idea

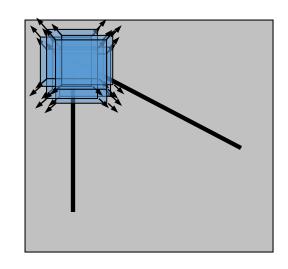
- We should easily recognize the point by looking through a small window
- Shifting a window in any direction should give a large change in intensity



#### Harris Detector: Basic Idea







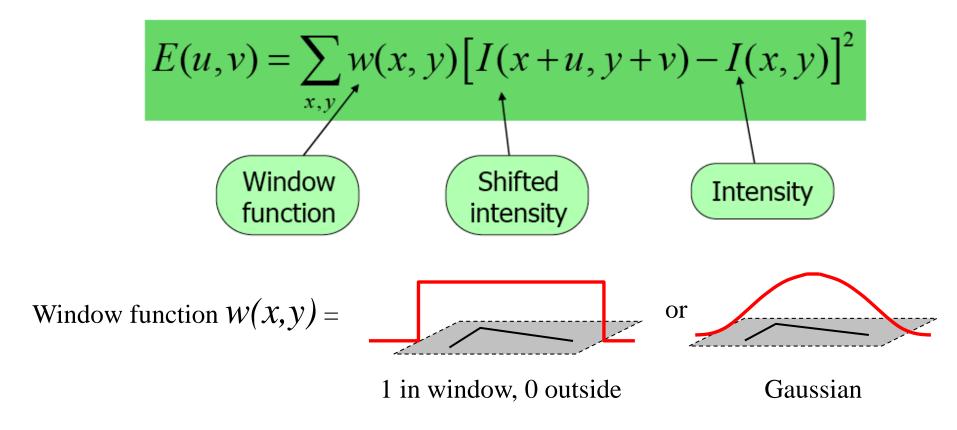
"flat" region: no change in all directions

"edge": no change along the edge direction

"corner": significant change in all directions

#### **Harris Detector: Mathematics**

Change of intensity for the shift [u,v]:

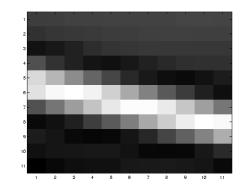


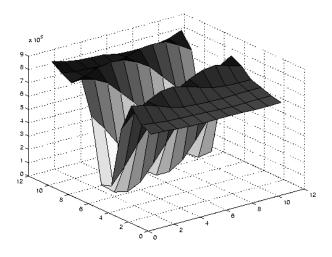
# Edge



#### Sum of squared differences

#### Err(u,v)

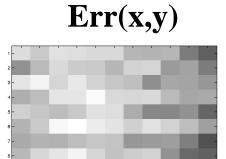


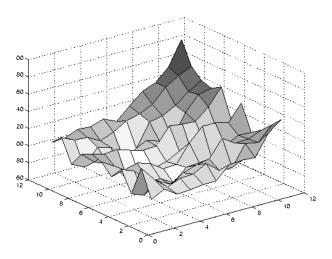


### Low texture region

#### Sum of squared differences



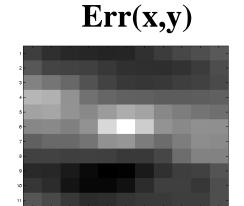


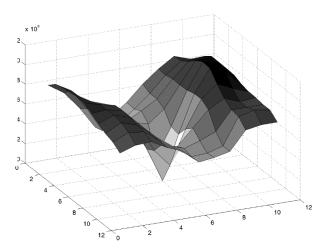


### High textured region

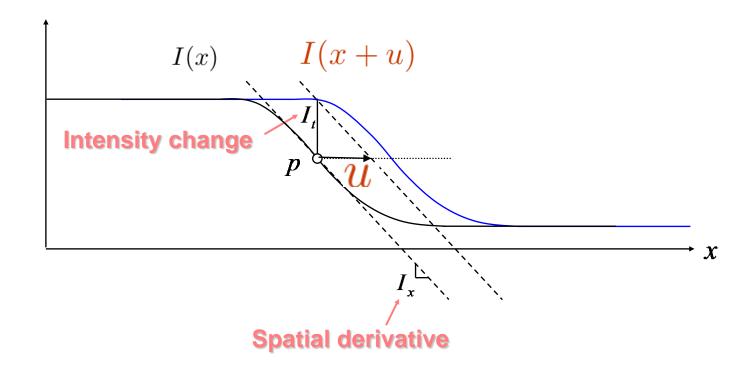
#### Sum of squared differences







We can treat I(x+u,y+v) as image moved slightly. The change in intensity can be predicted:



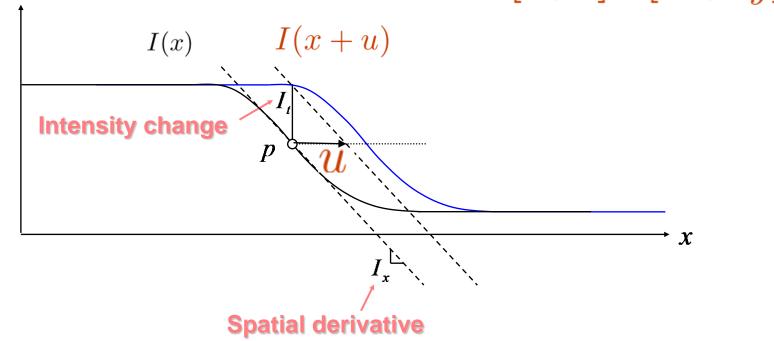
$$I(x+u) - I(x) = u \times I_x$$

intensity change in 1D:

$$I(x+u) - I(x) = u \times I_x$$

intensity change in 2D:

$$I(x+u,y+v) - I(x,y) = u \times I_x + v \times I_y$$
$$= [u,v] \cdot [I_x; I_y]$$



#### **Harris Detector: Mathematics**

For small shifts  $[\mathcal{U}, \mathcal{V}]$  we have a *bilinear* approximation:

$$E(u,v) \cong \begin{bmatrix} u,v \end{bmatrix} \quad M \quad \begin{bmatrix} u \\ v \end{bmatrix}$$

where M is a  $2\times2$  matrix computed from image derivatives:

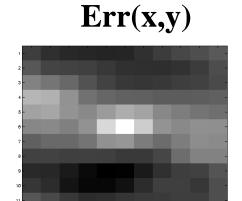
$$M = \sum_{x,y} w(x,y) \begin{bmatrix} I_x^2 & I_x I_y \\ I_x I_y & I_y^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

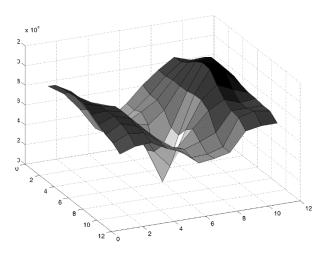
$$A^{T}A = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_{i=1}^{T} I_{x} I_{x} & \sum_{i=1}^{T} I_{x} I_{y} \\ \sum_{i=1}^{T} I_{x} I_{y} & \sum_{i=1}^{T} I_{y} I_{y} \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^{T} \begin{bmatrix} I_{x} \\ I_{y} \end{bmatrix} [I_{x} I_{y}] = \sum_{i=1}^{T} \nabla I(\nabla I)^{T}$$

# High textured region

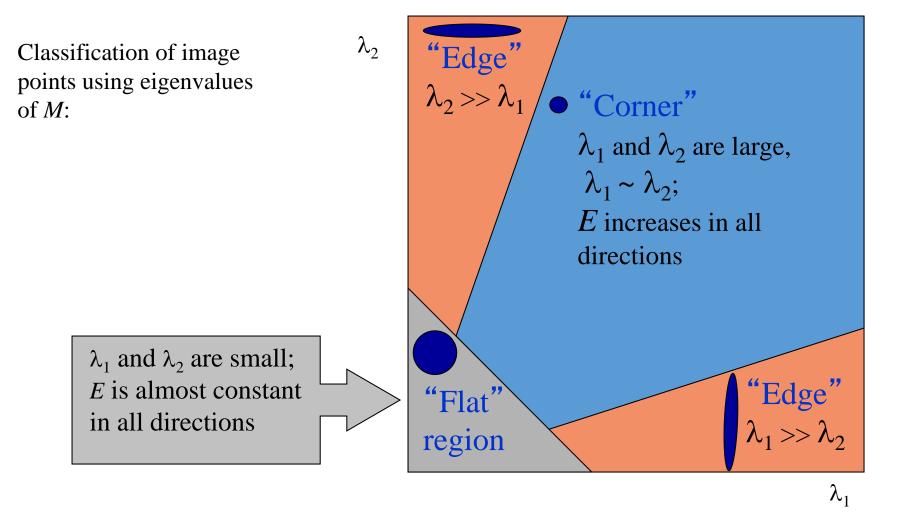
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#### **Harris Detector: Mathematics**



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Measure of corner response:

$$R = \frac{\det M}{\operatorname{Trace} M}$$

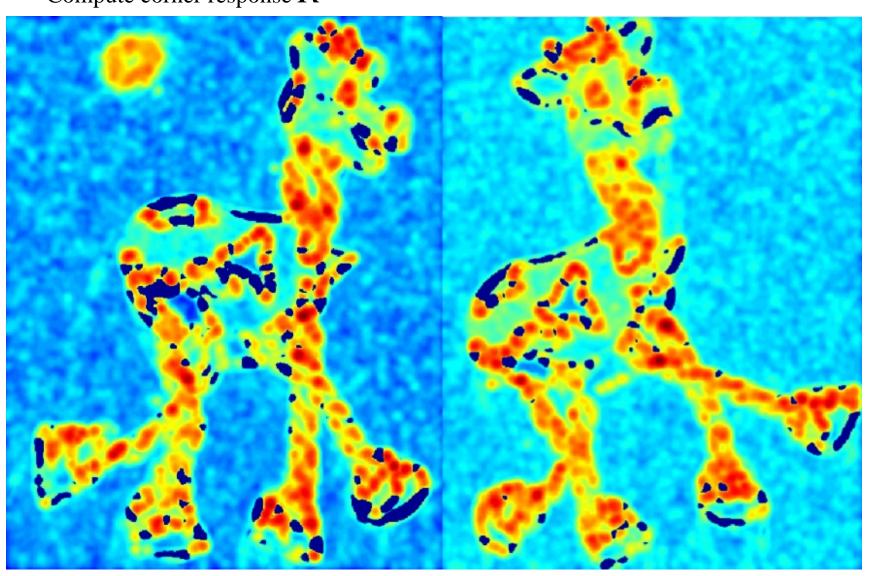
$$\det M = \lambda_1 \lambda_2$$
$$\operatorname{trace} M = \lambda_1 + \lambda_2$$

#### **Harris Detector**

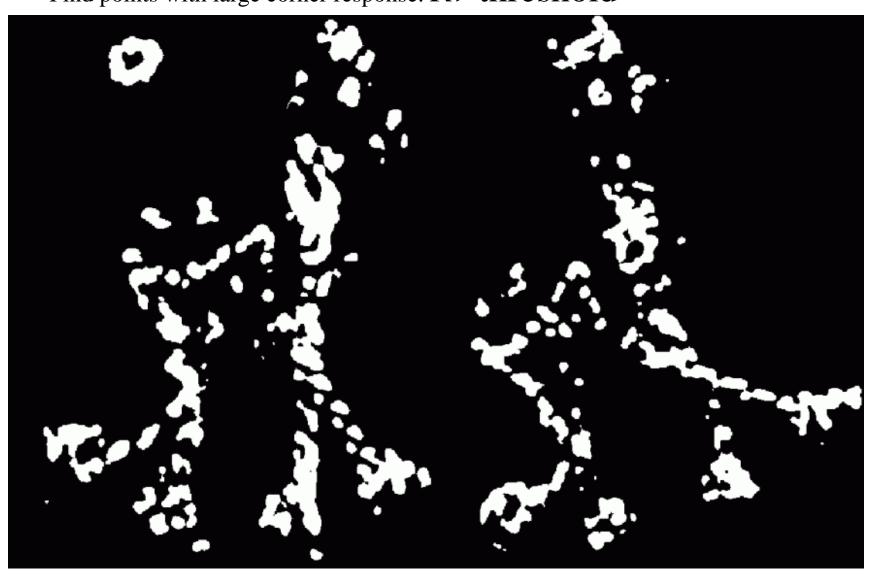
- The Algorithm:
  - Find points with large corner response function R (R > threshold)
  - Take the points of local maxima of *R*



Compute corner response  ${\it R}$ 



Find points with large corner response: R >threshold



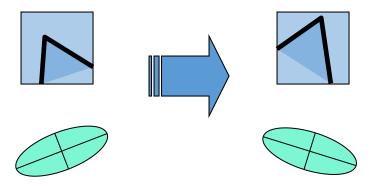
Take only the points of local maxima of  ${\it R}$ 





### Harris Detector: Some Properties

Rotation invariance



Ellipse rotates but its shape (i.e. eigenvalues) remains the same

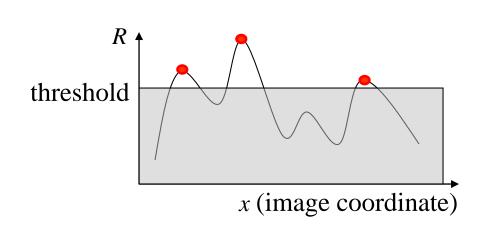
Corner response R is invariant to image rotation

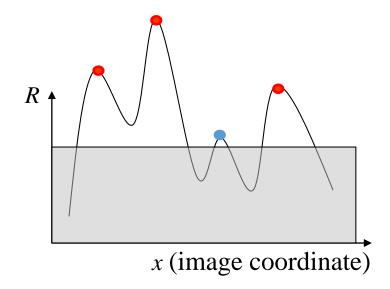
## **Harris Detector: Some Properties**

• Partial invariance to *affine intensity* change

✓ Only derivatives are used => invariance to intensity shift  $I \rightarrow I + b$ 

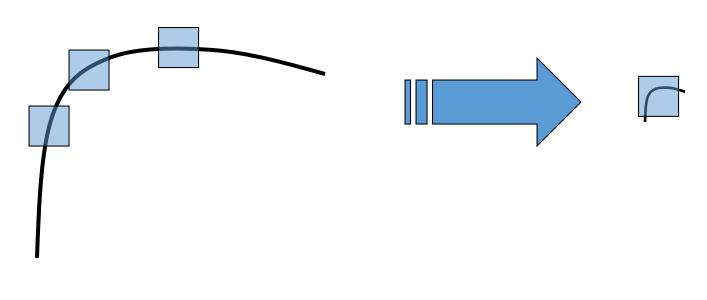
✓ Intensity scale:  $I \rightarrow a I$ 





## **Harris Detector: Some Properties**

• But: non-invariant to *image scale*!

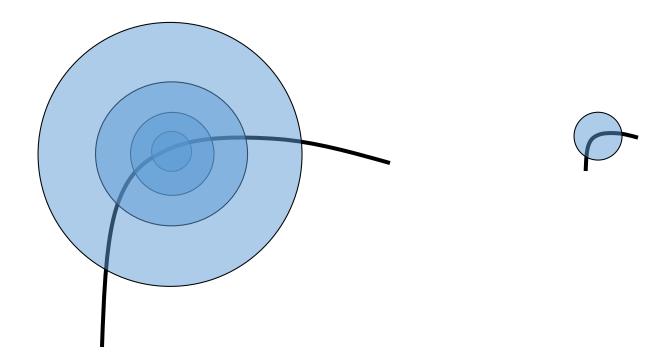


All points will be classified as edges

Corner!

#### **Scale Invariant Detection**

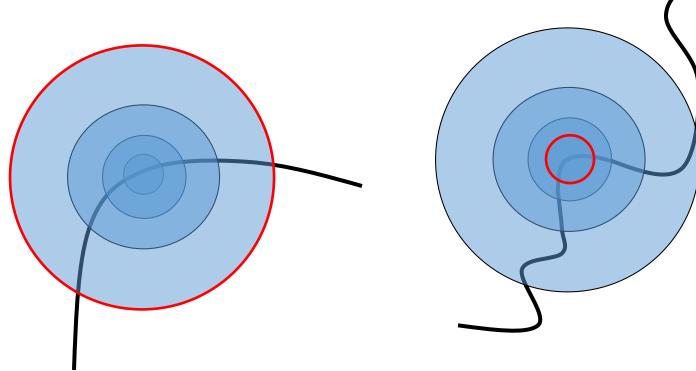
- Consider regions (e.g. circles) of different sizes around a point
- Regions of corresponding sizes will look the same in both images



### **Scale Invariant Detection**

• The problem: how do we choose corresponding circles *independently* in each image?

• Choose the scale of the "best" corner



### **Feature selection**

• Distribute points evenly over the image



#### **Adaptive Non-maximal Suppression**

- Desired: Fixed # of features per image
  - Want evenly distributed spatially...
  - Search over non-maximal suppression radius [Brown, Szeliski, Winder, CVPR'05]



(a) Strongest 250



(b) Strongest 500



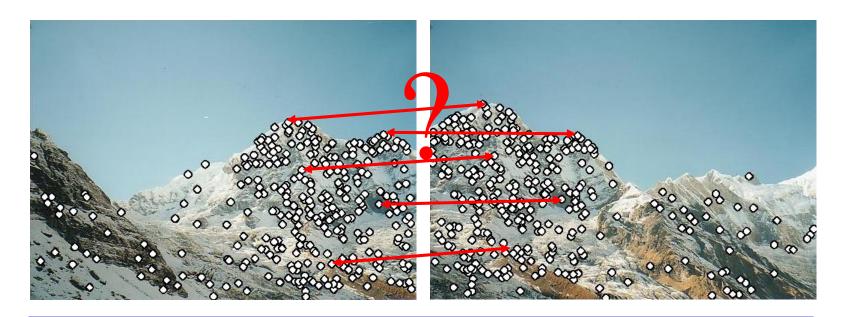
(c) ANMS 250, r = 24



(d) ANMS 500, r = 16

### Feature descriptors

- We know how to detect points
- Next question: How to match them?



Point descriptor should be:

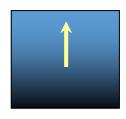
1. Invariant

2. Distinctive

## **Descriptors Invariant to Rotation**

Find local orientation

Dominant direction of gradient





• Extract image patches relative to this orientation

#### **Multi-Scale Oriented Patches**

- Interest points
  - Multi-scale Harris corners
  - Orientation from blurred gradient
  - Geometrically invariant to rotation
- Descriptor vector
  - Bias/gain normalized sampling of local patch (8x8)
  - Photometrically invariant to affine changes in intensity
- [Brown, Szeliski, Winder, CVPR'2005]

### **Descriptor Vector**

- Orientation = blurred gradient
- Rotation Invariant Frame
  - Scale-space position (x, y, s) + orientation  $(\theta)$



### **Detections at multiple scales**

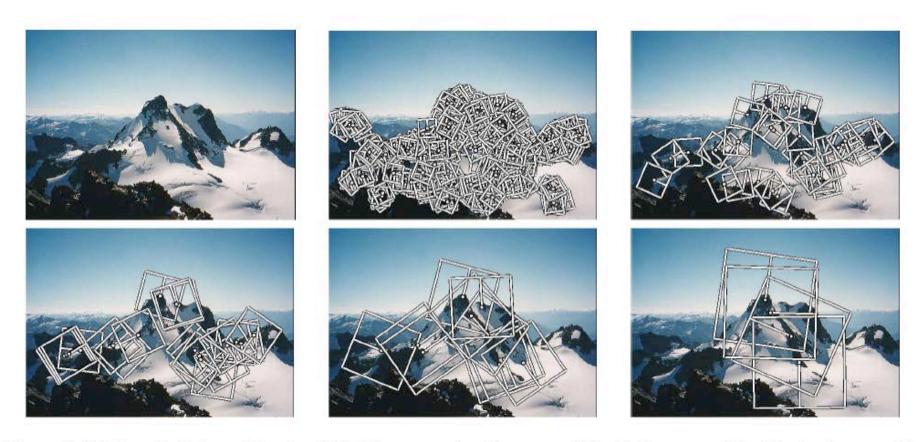


Figure 1. Multi-scale Oriented Patches (MOPS) extracted at five pyramid levels from one of the Matier images. The boxes show the feature orientation and the region from which the descriptor vector is sampled.

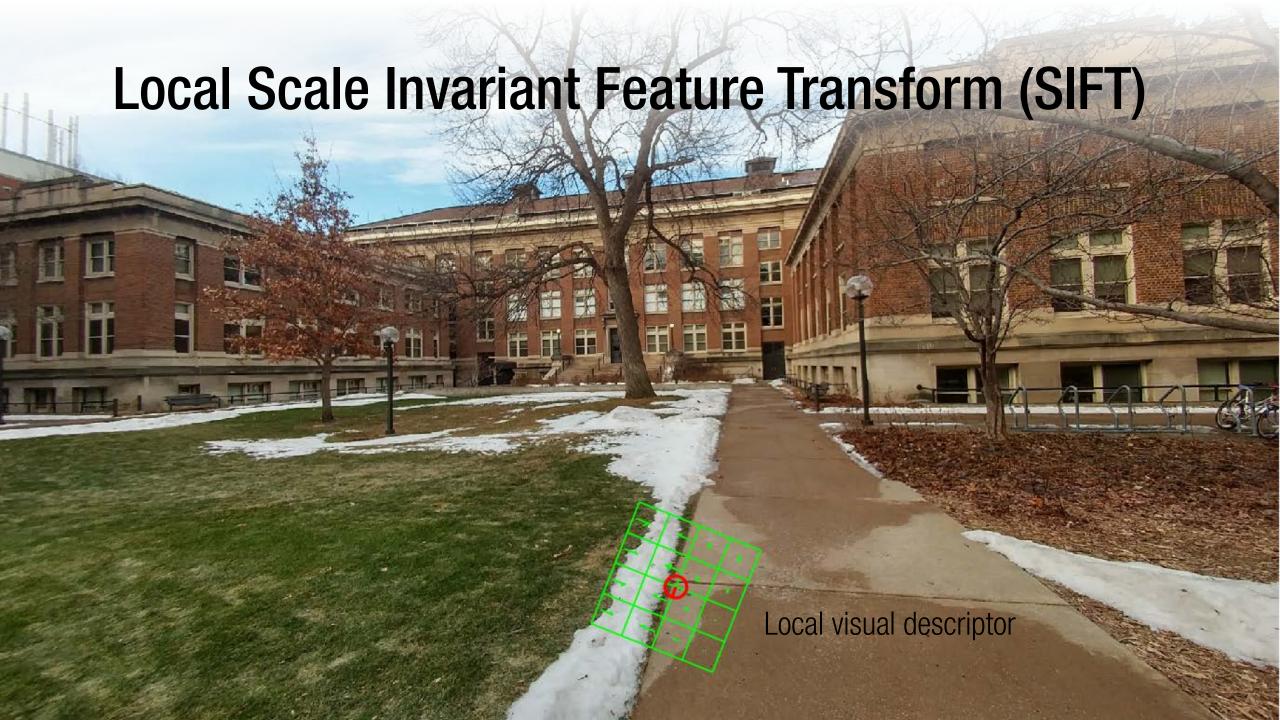
# Local Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)



#### **Desired properties:**

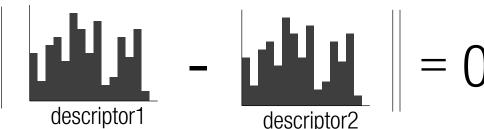
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## **Local Scale Invariant Feature Transform (SIFT)**





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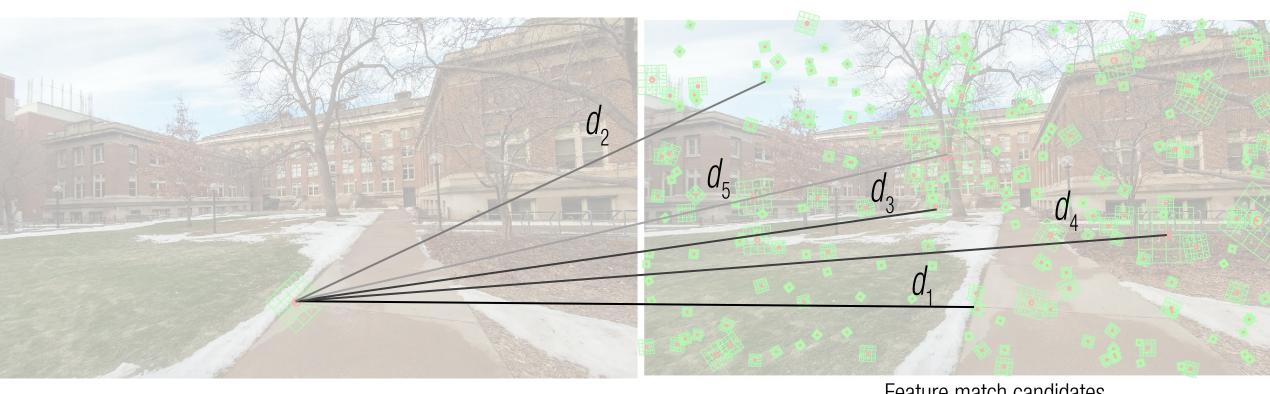






Feature match candidates

# **Nearest Neighbor Search**

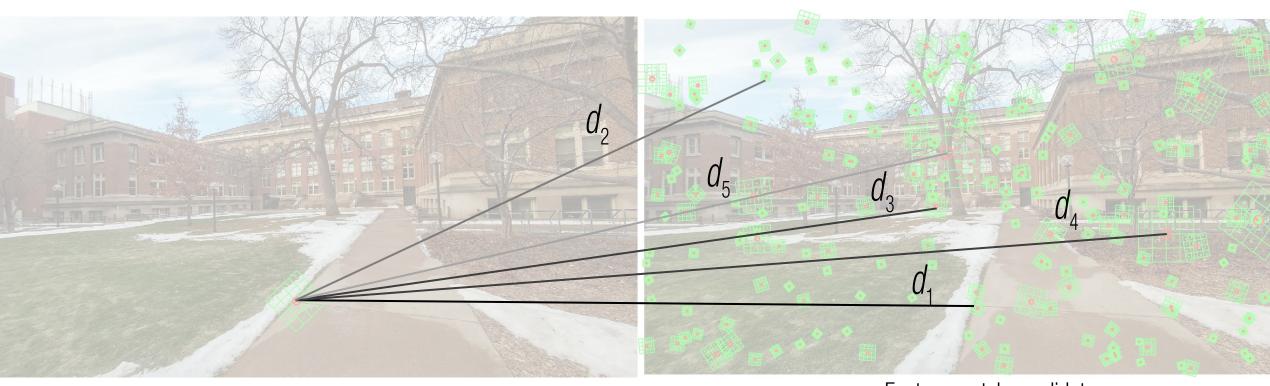






Feature match candidates

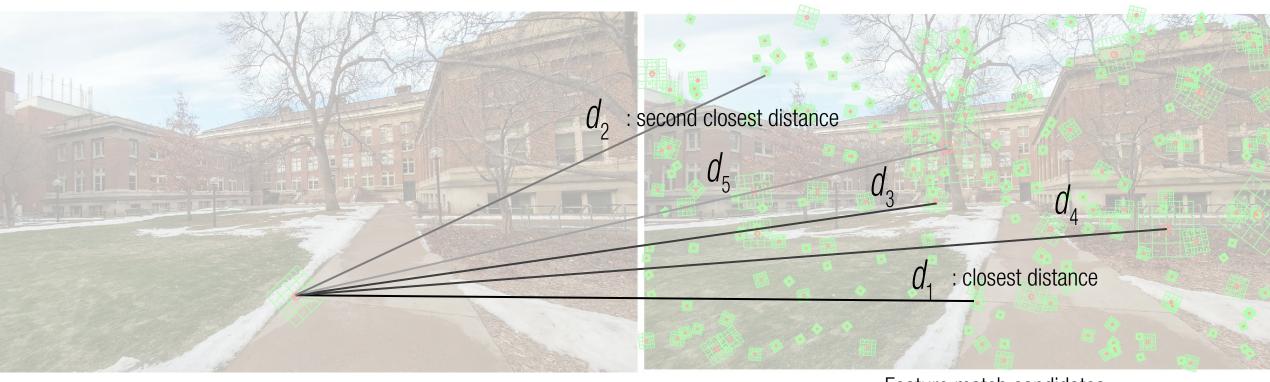
# **Nearest Neighbor Search**



**Discriminativity**: how is the feature point unique?

Feature match candidates

### **Nearest Neighbor Search w/ Ratio Test**

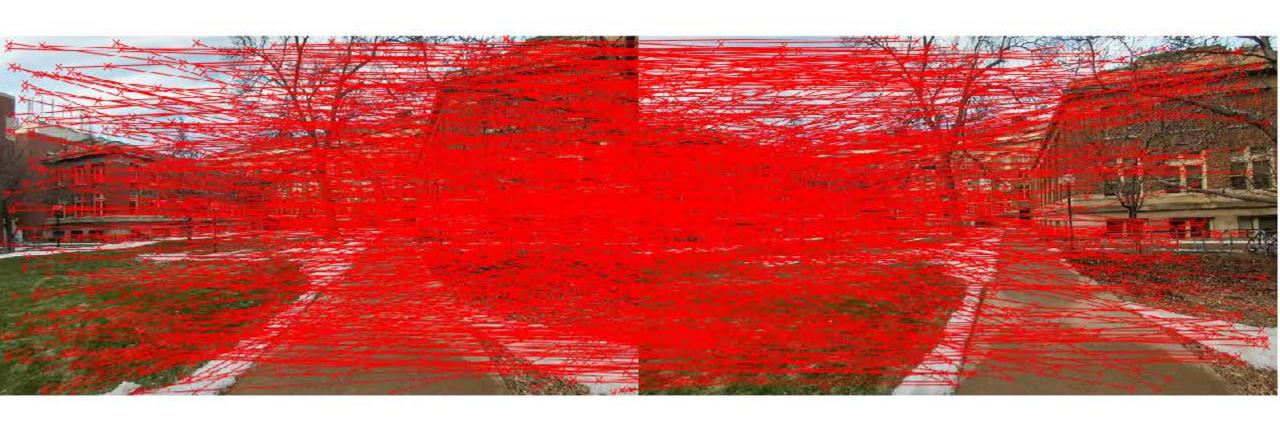


**Discriminativity**: how is the feature point unique?

$$\frac{d_1}{d_2} < 0.7$$

Feature match candidates

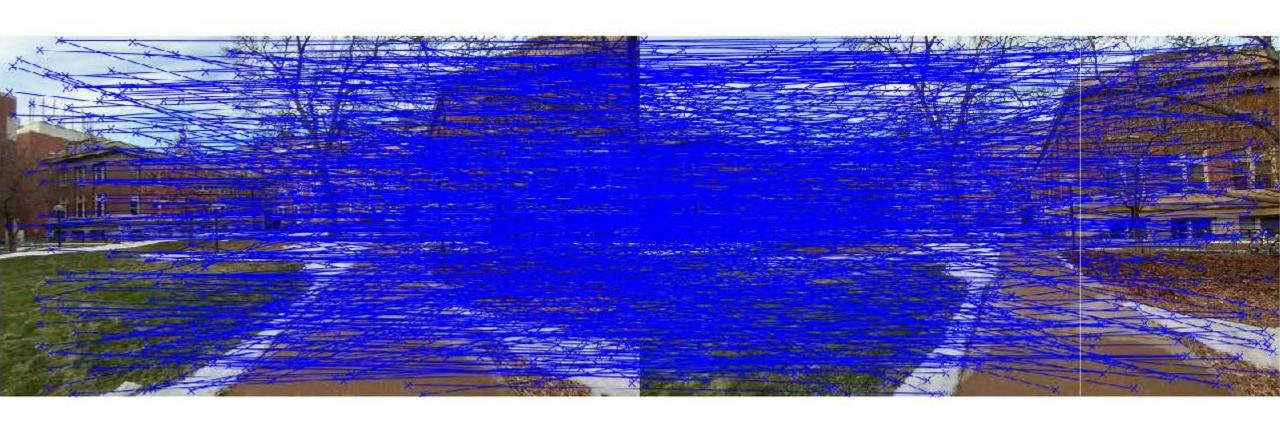
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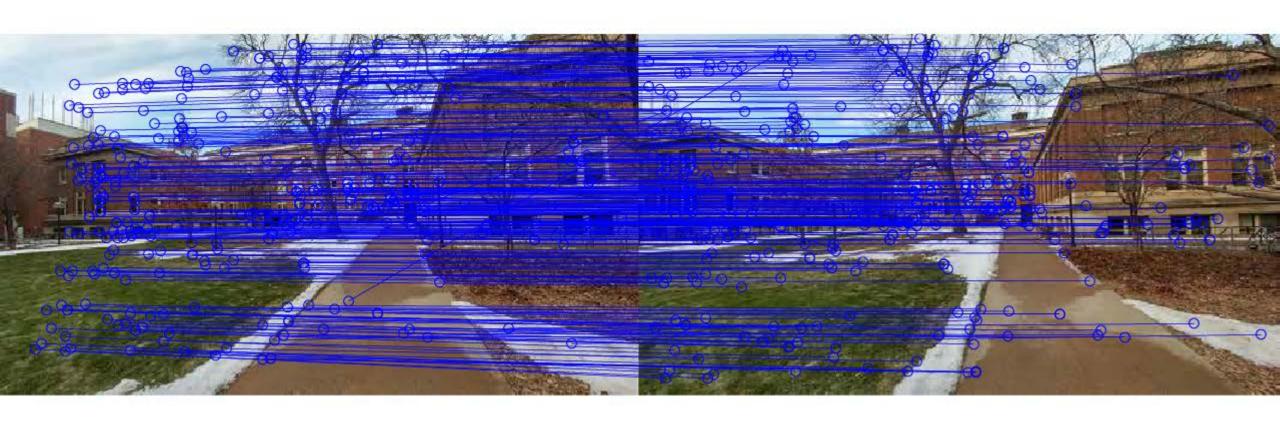
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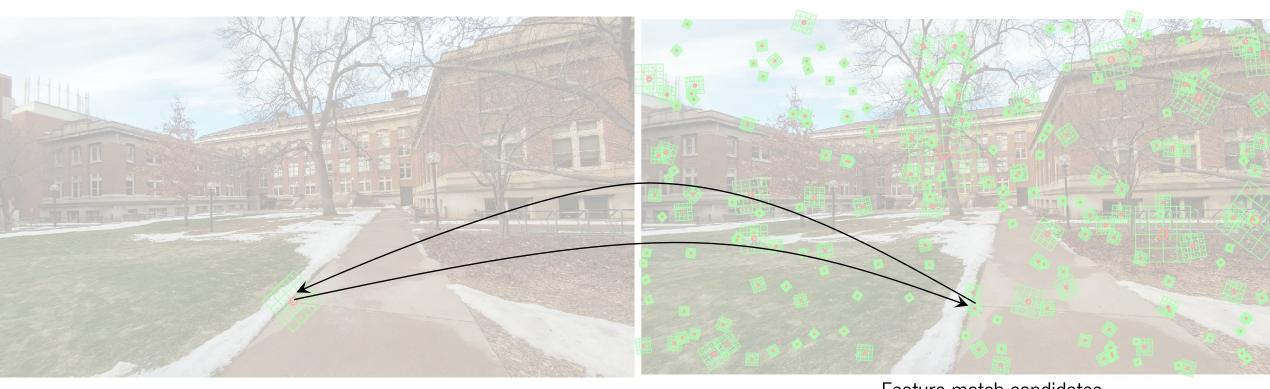
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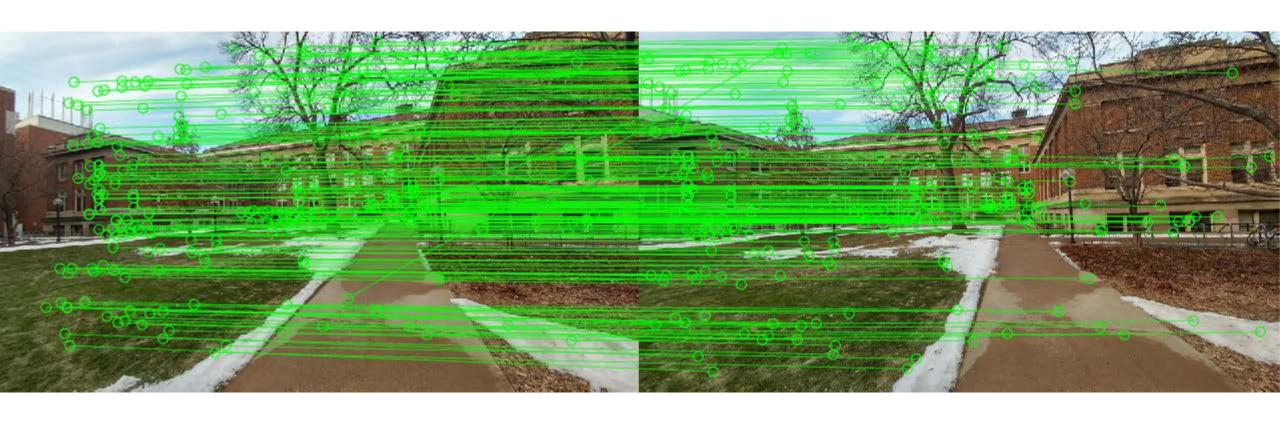
# **Bi-directional Consistency Check**



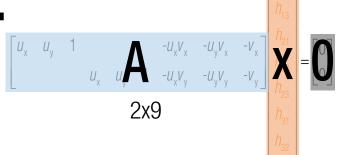
**Consistency**: would a feature match correspond to each other?

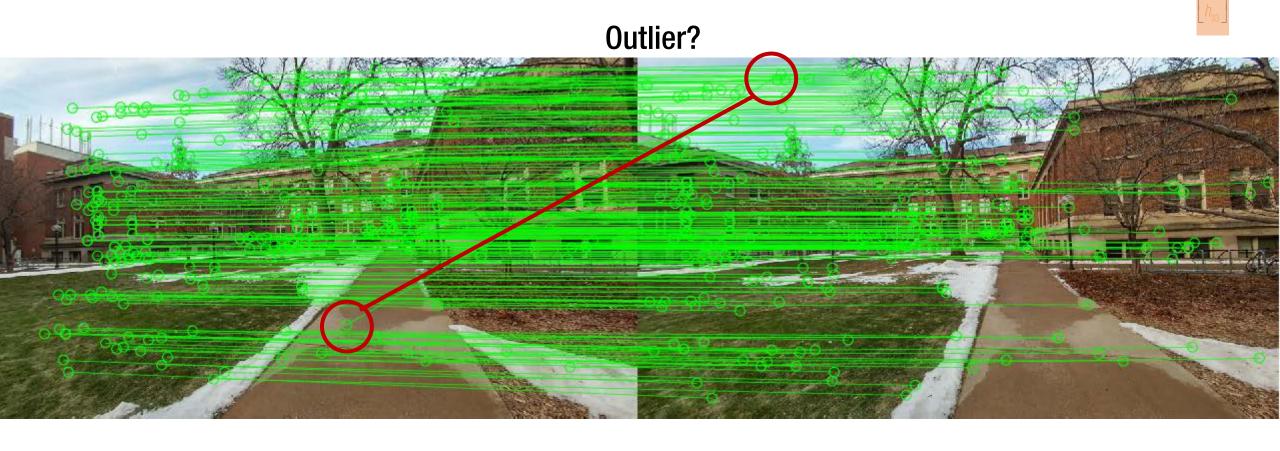
Feature match candidates

# **Bi-directional Consistency Check**



# RANSAC: Random Sample Consensus: Linear Least Squares



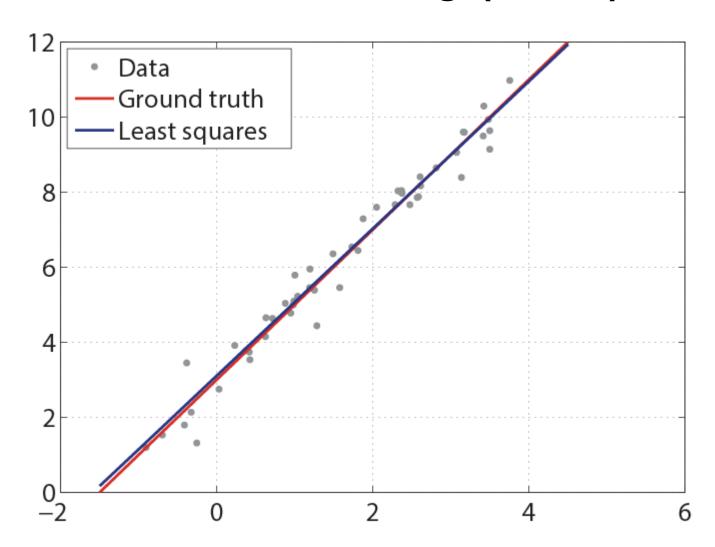


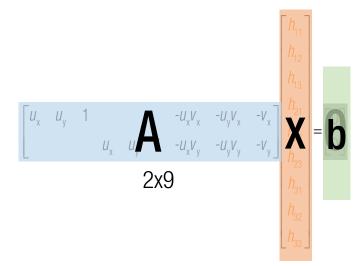
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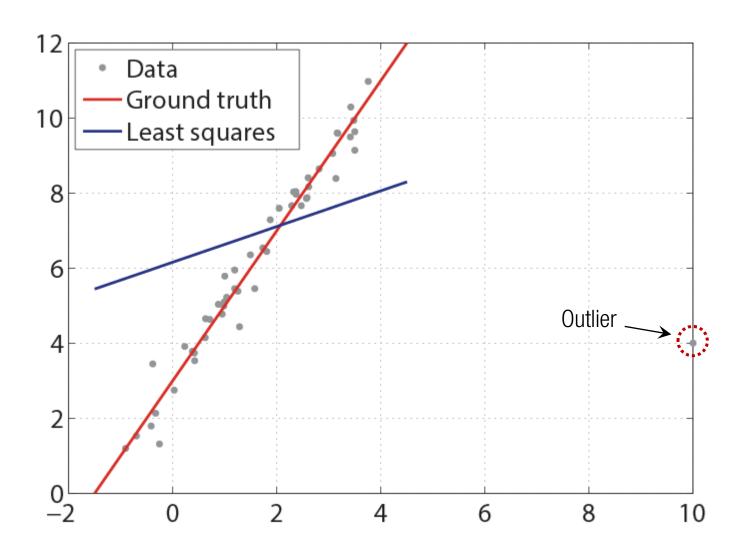


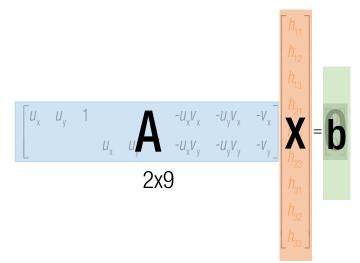
# Recall: Line Fitting (Ax=b)

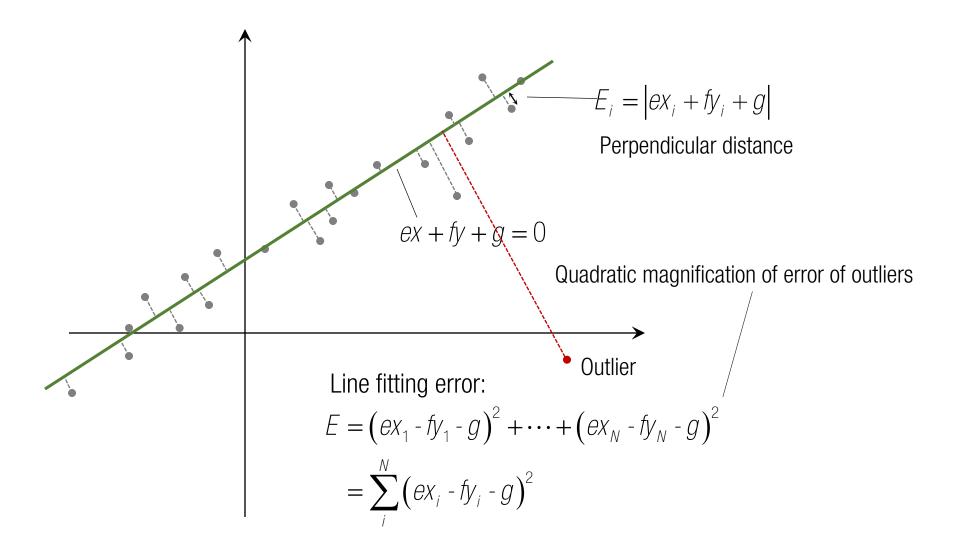


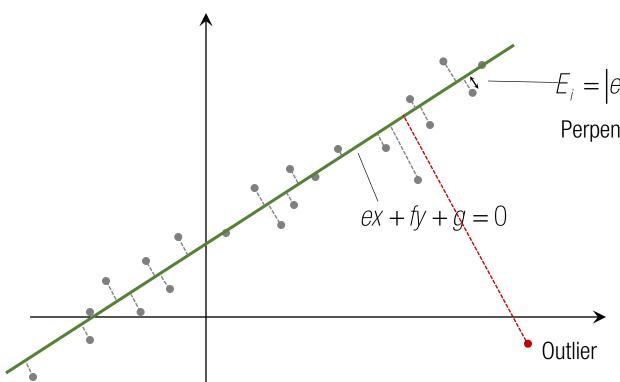


## **Outlier**







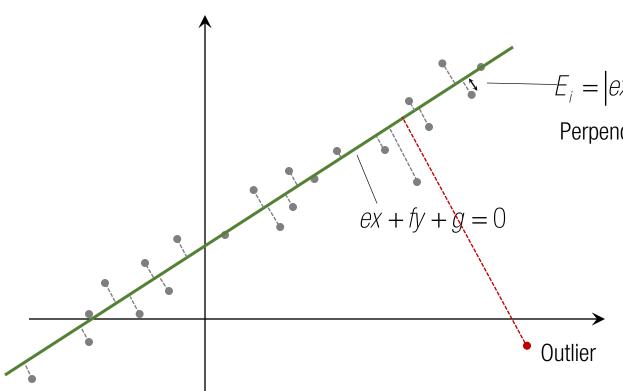


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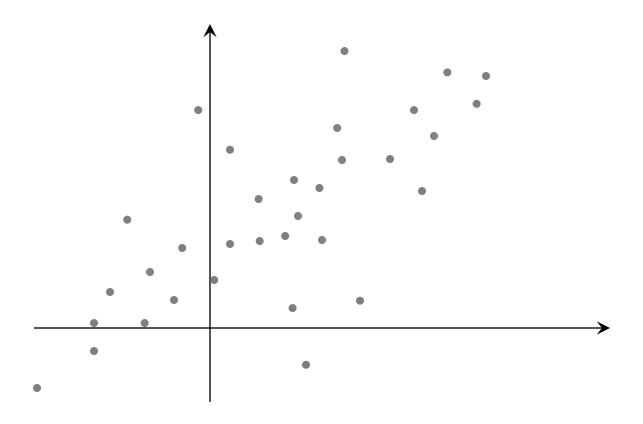
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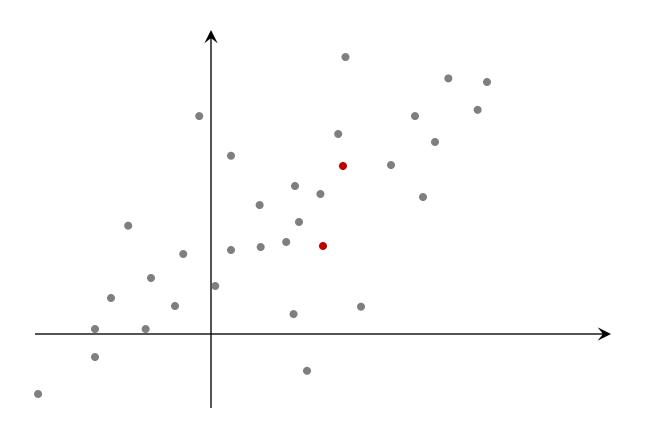
#### Assumptions:

- 1. Majority of good samples agree with the underlying model (good apples are same and simple.).
- 2. Bad samples does not consistently agree with a single model

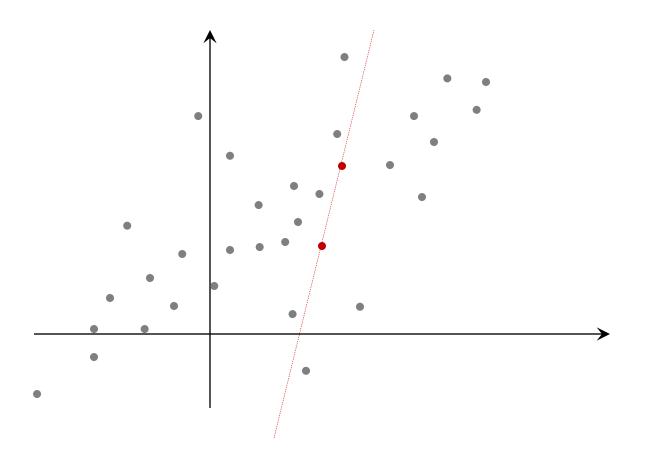
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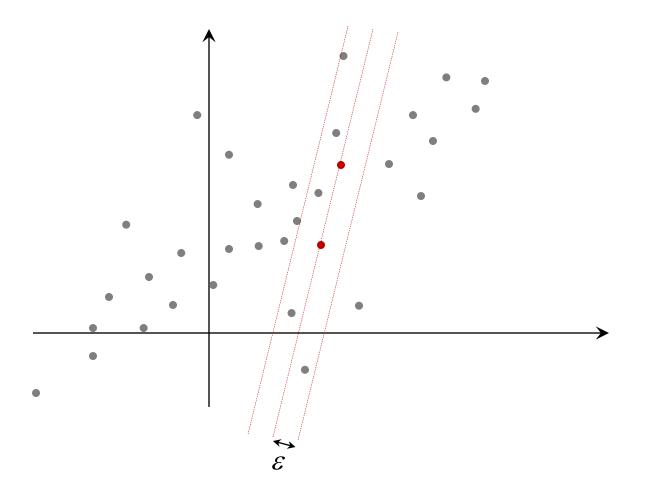


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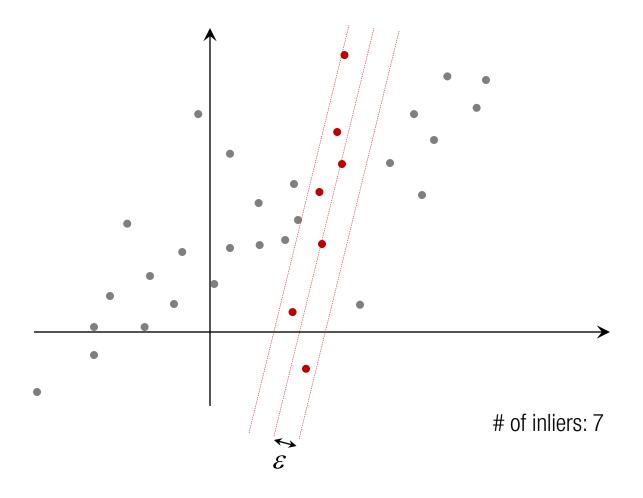
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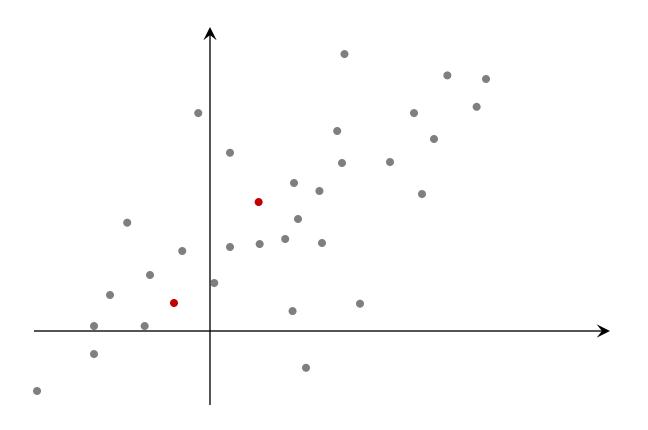


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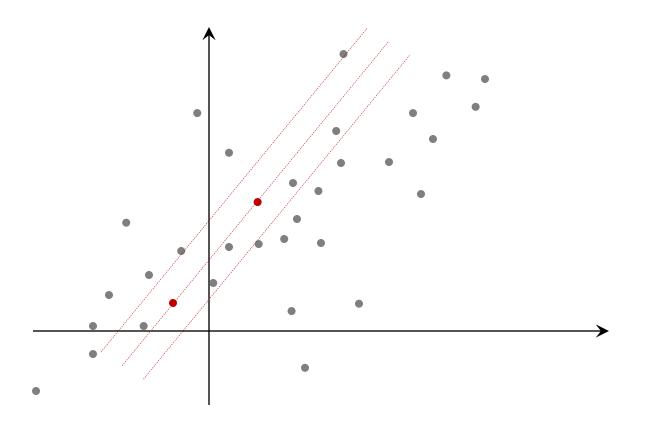
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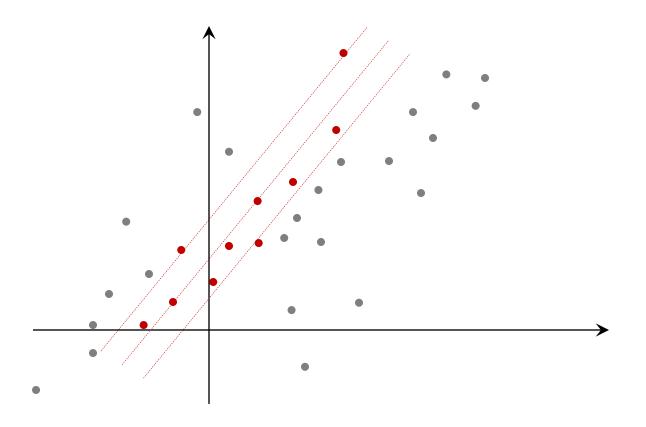


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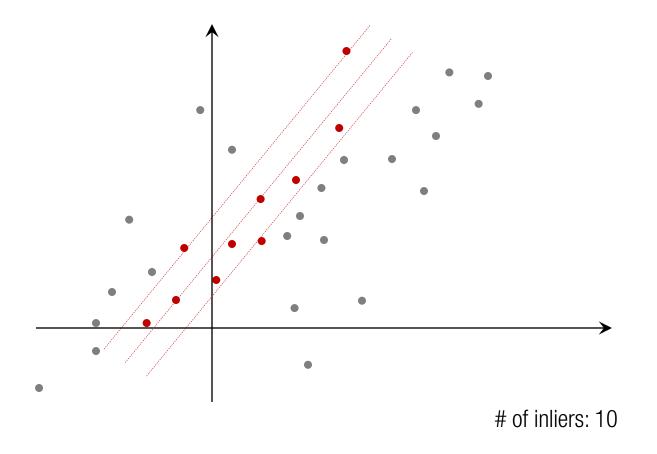


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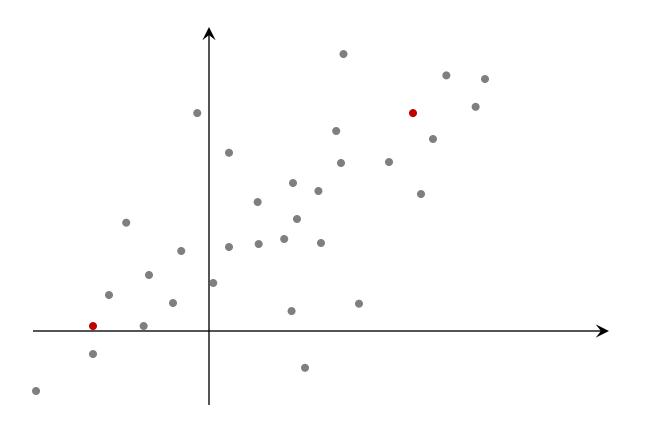
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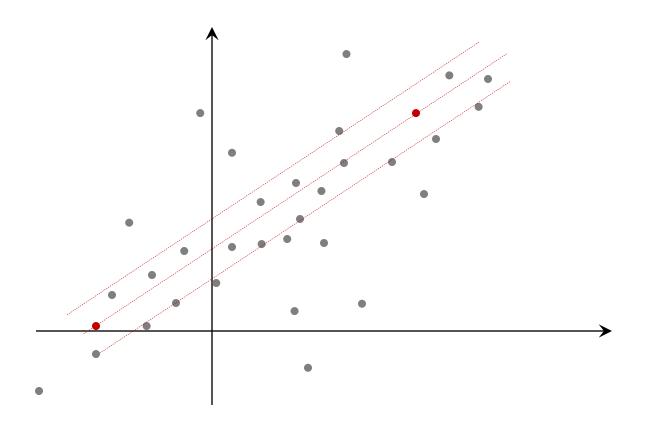
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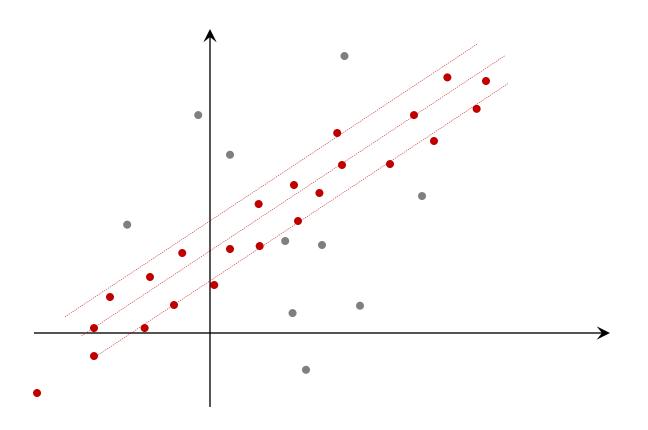
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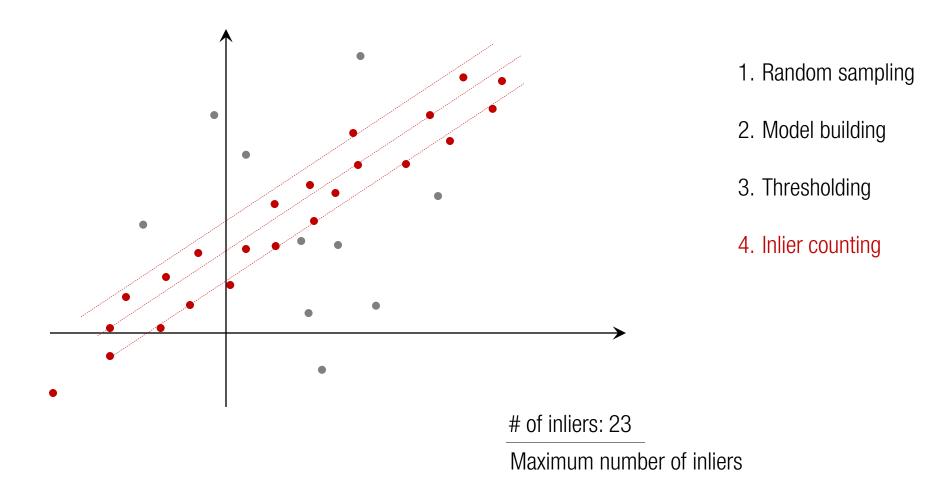
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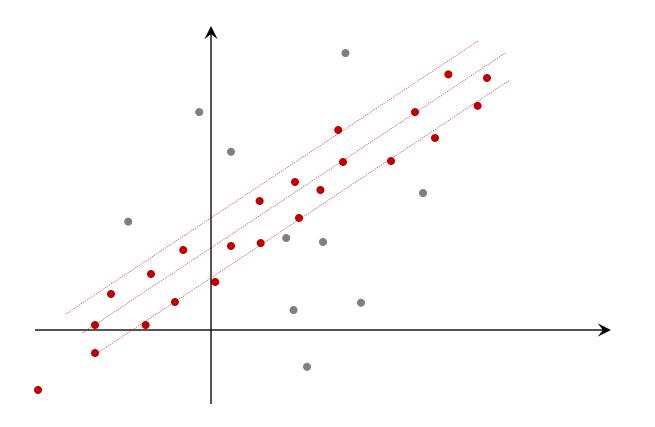
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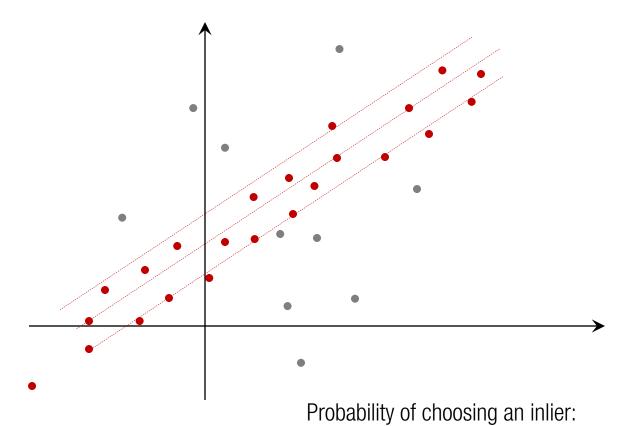


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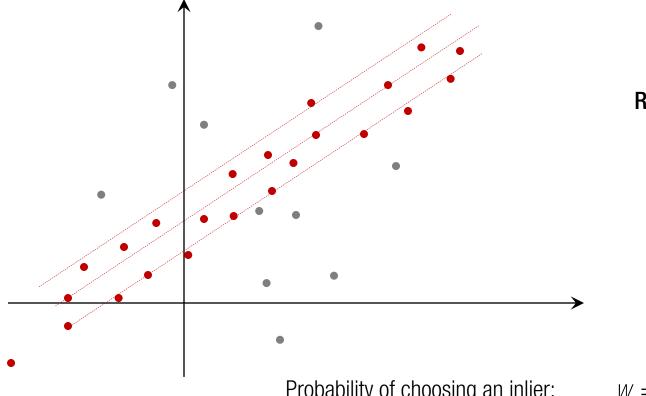


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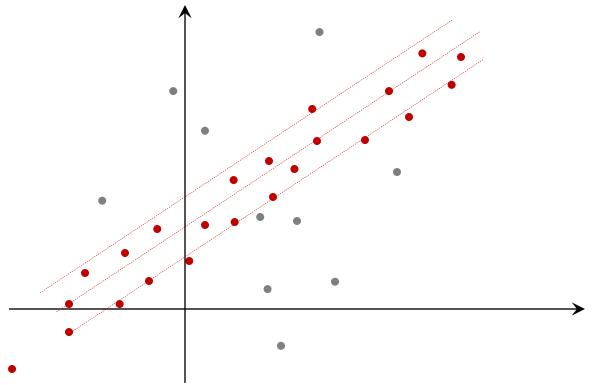


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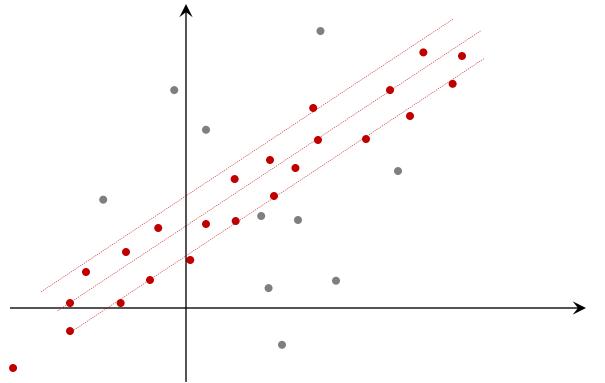


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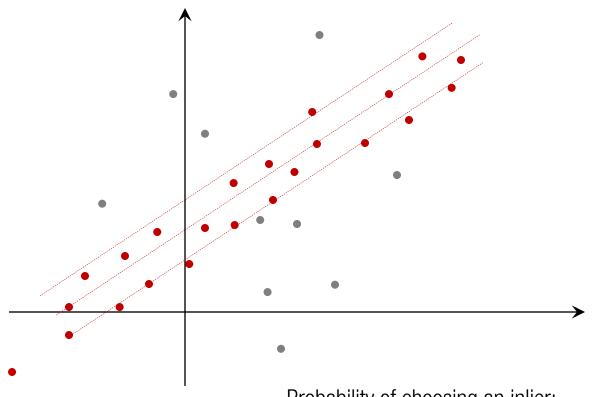
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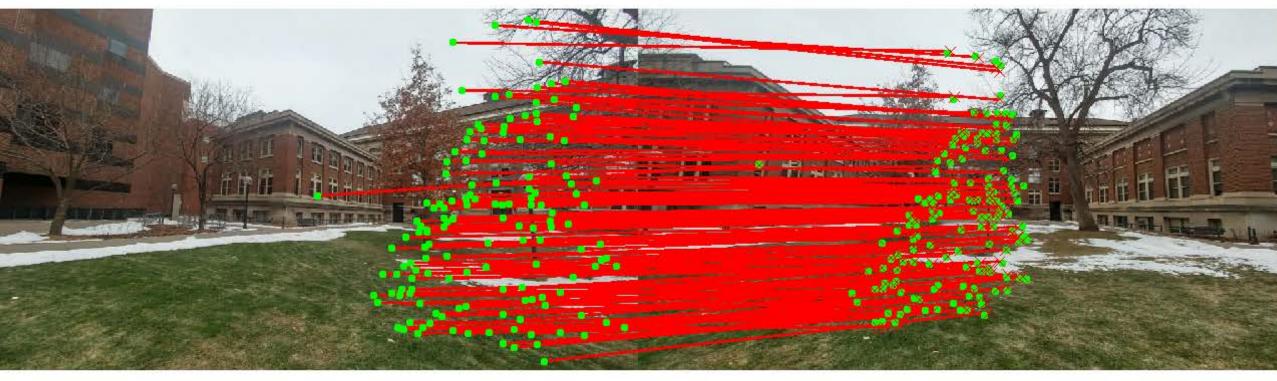
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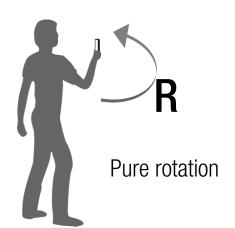
 $\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{H}\mathbf{u}$ 

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Inlier evaluation



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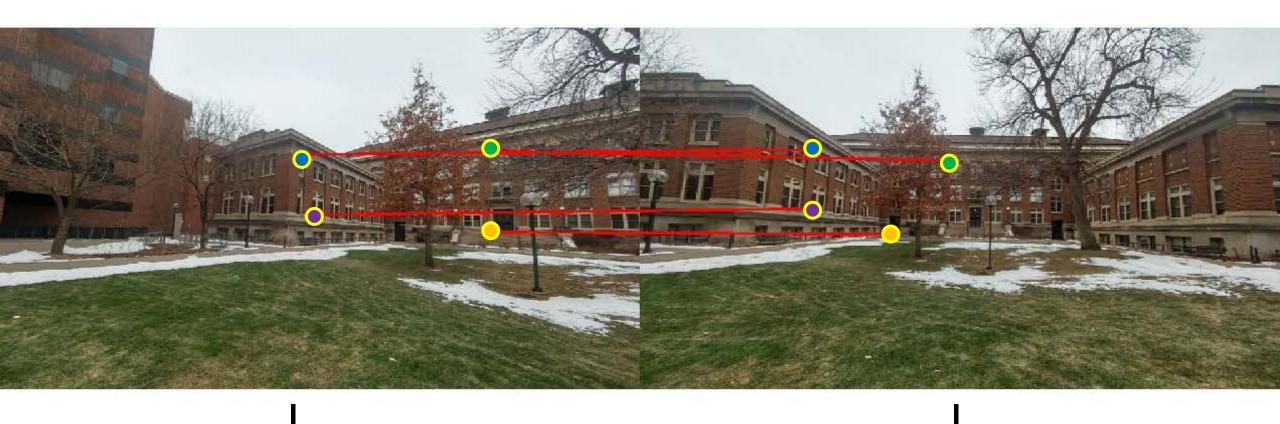


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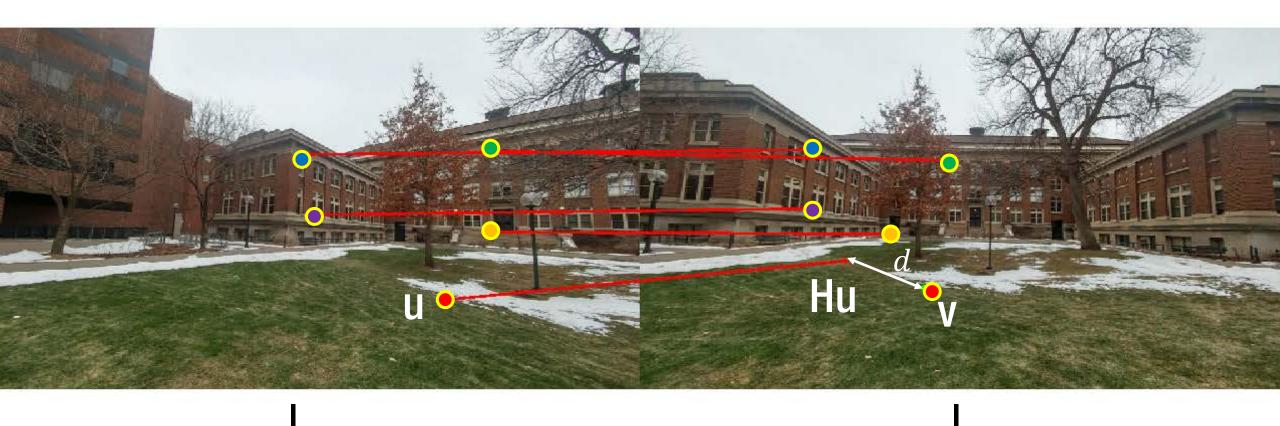
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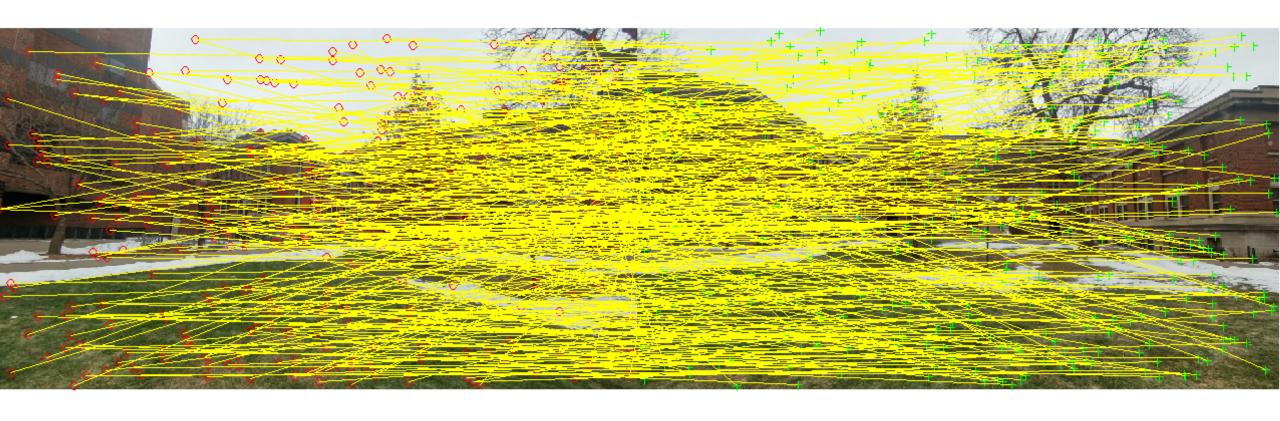
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If the correspondence is bad, the computed homography will fit the four points still perfectly, but how do we know it is wrong?



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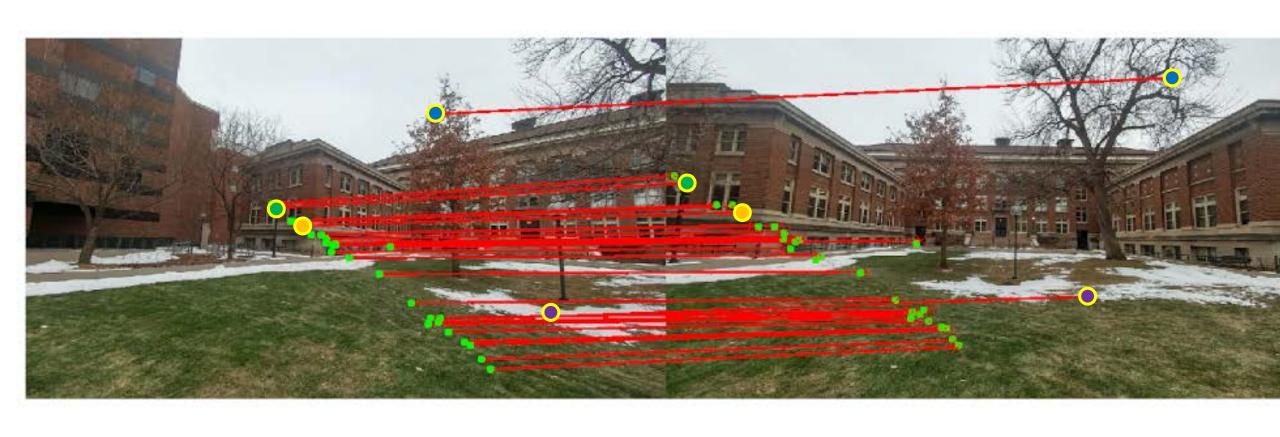




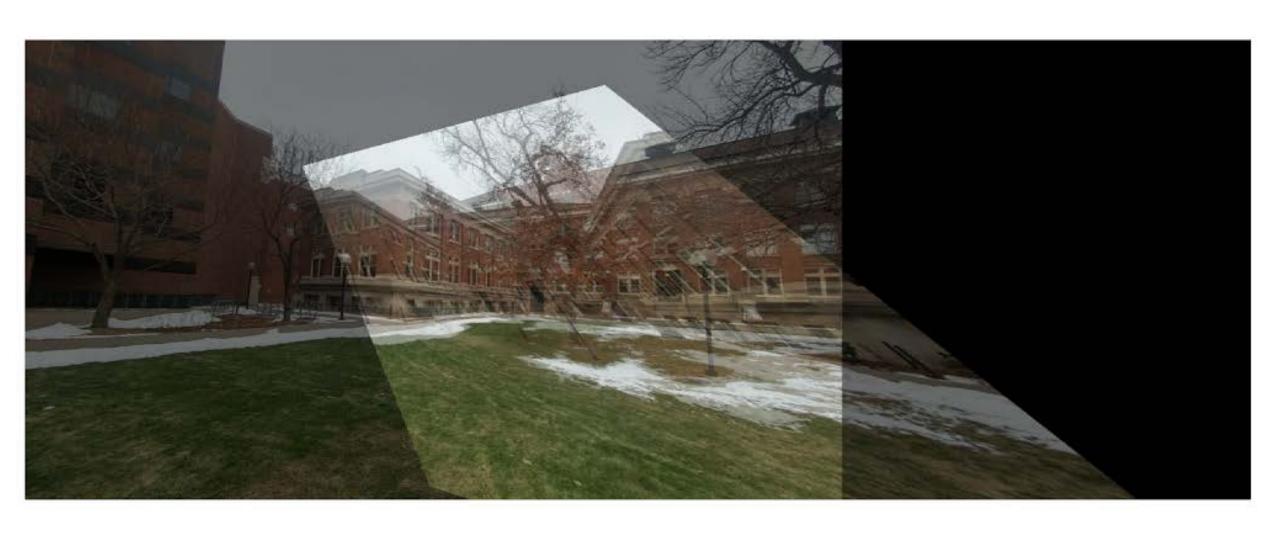
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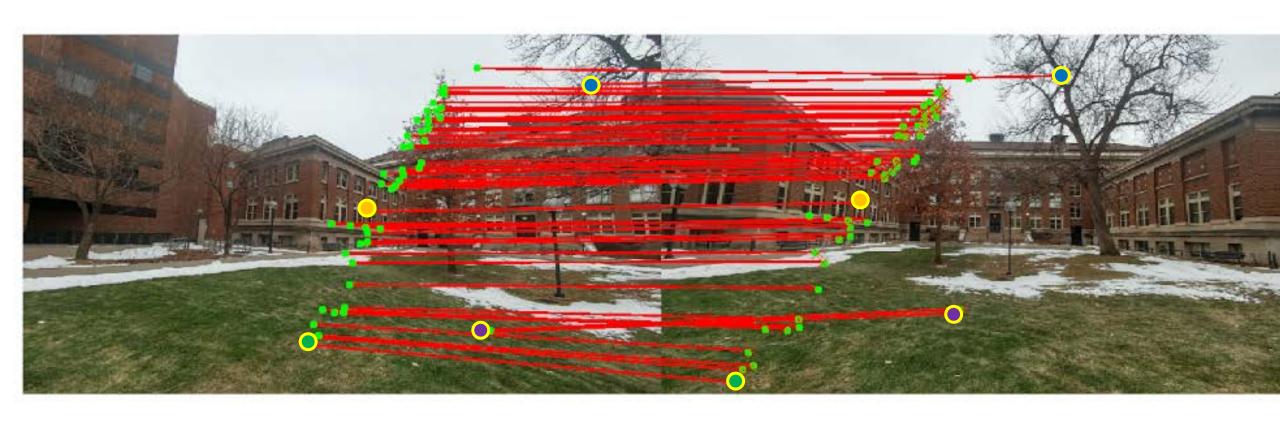
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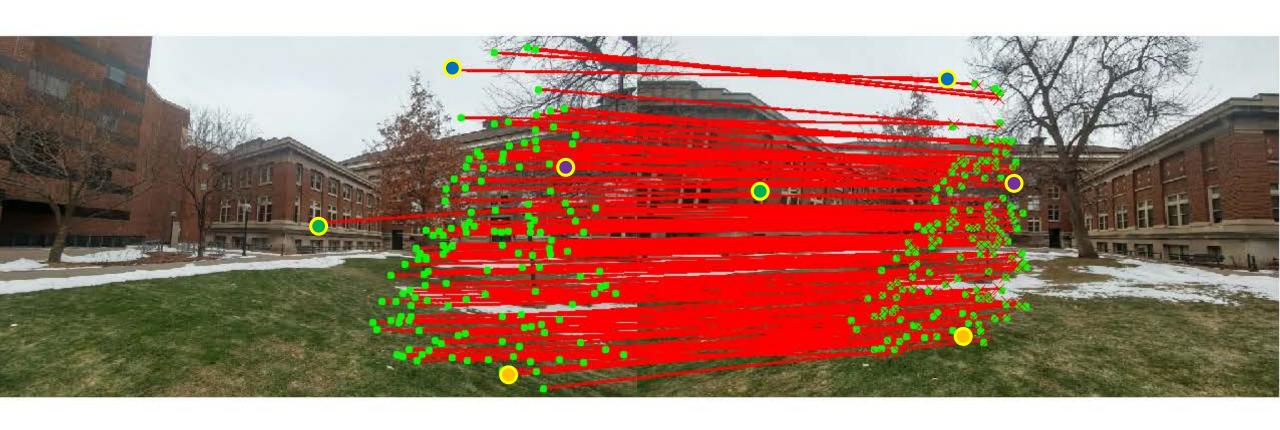
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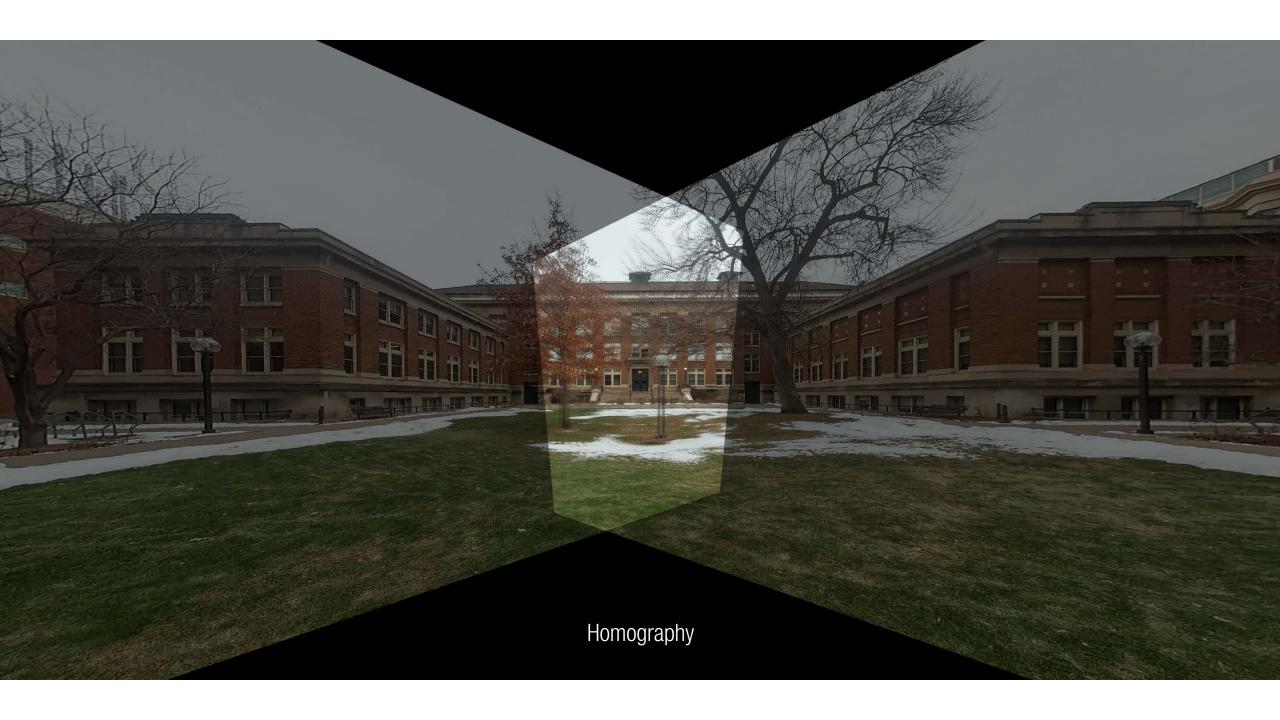
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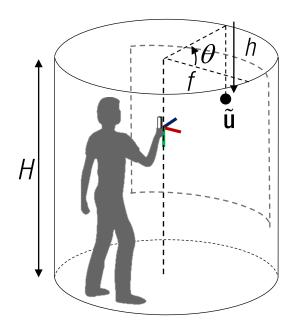
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Euclidean Transform (Translation)







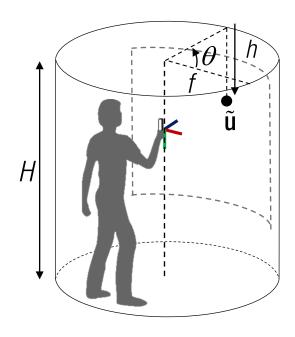
First camera:

Point on cylindrical surface:  $[h, \theta]$ 

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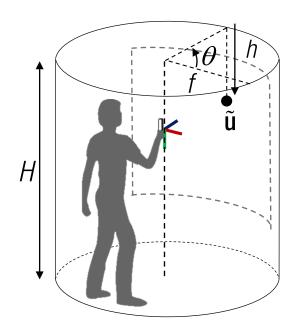
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