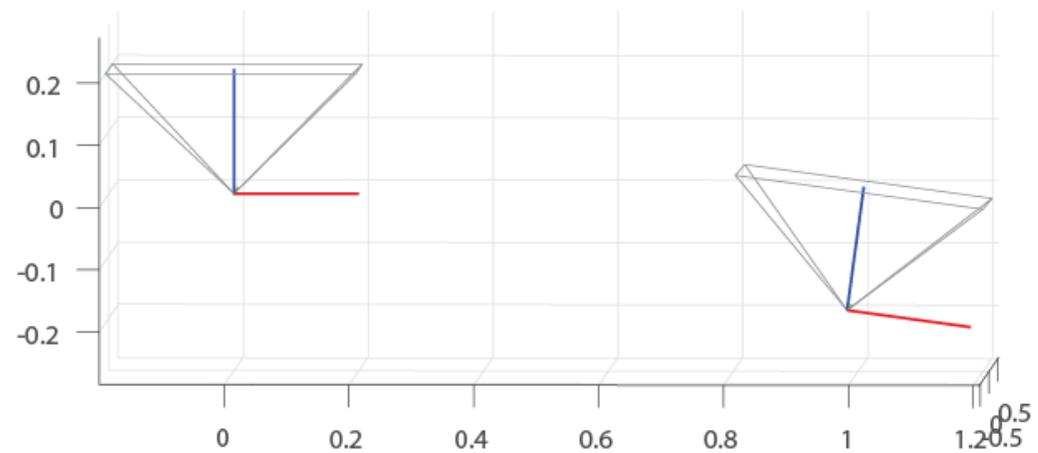
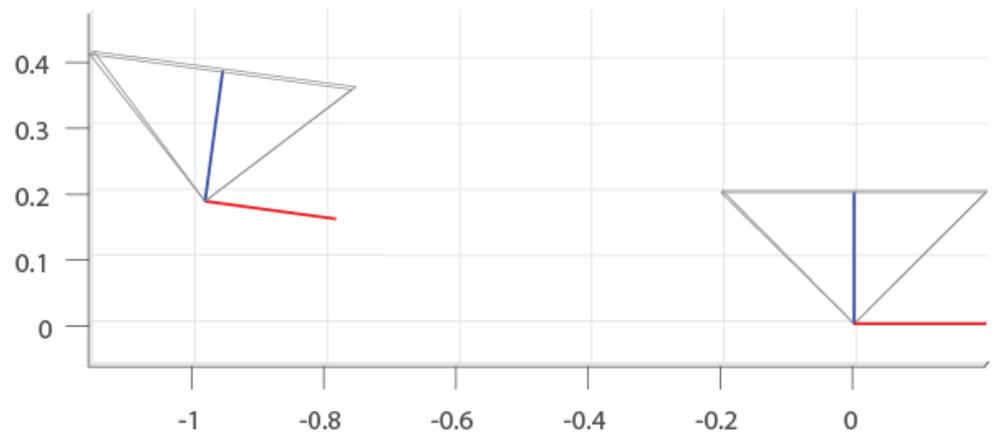
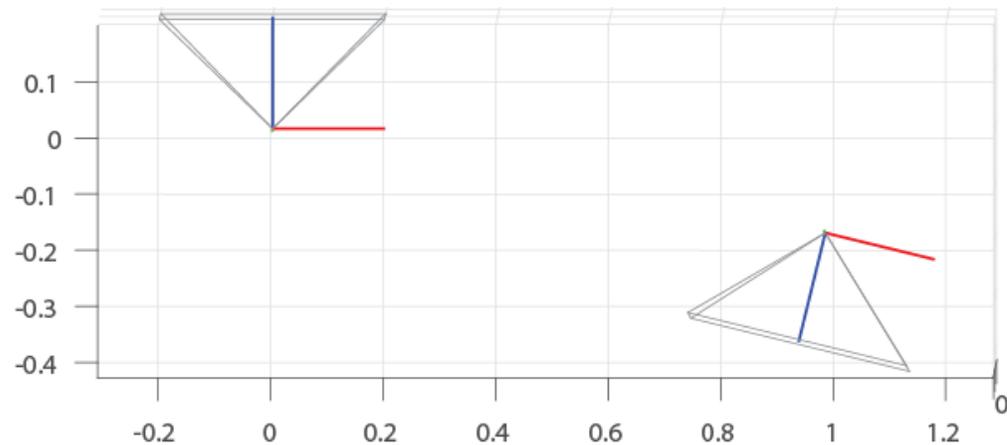
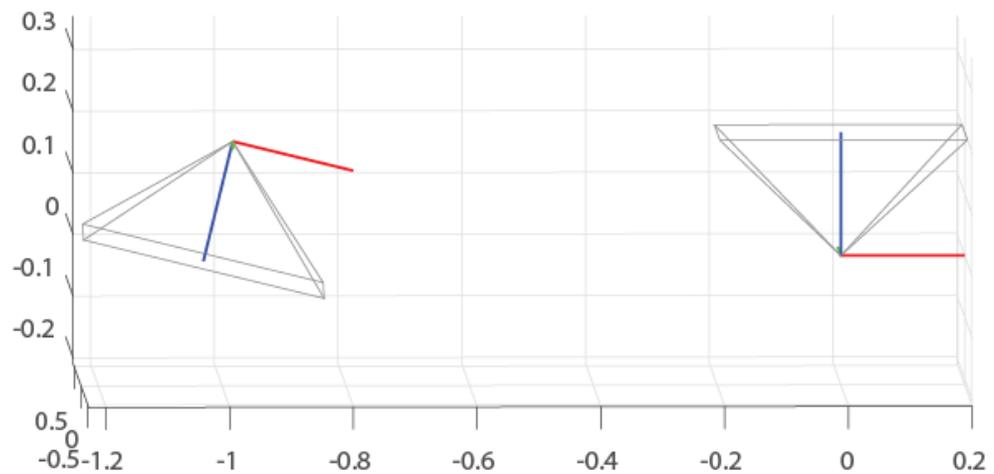
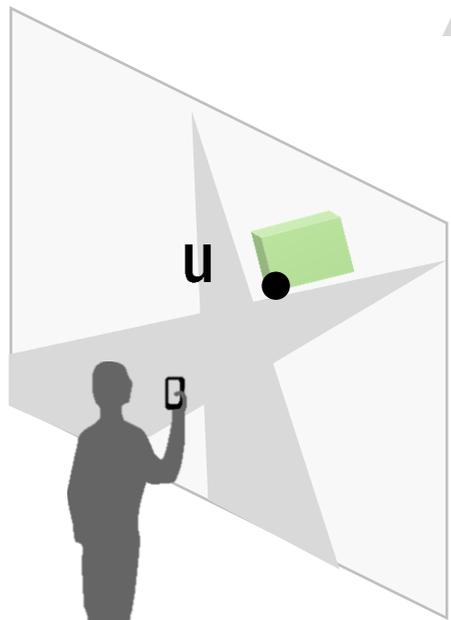
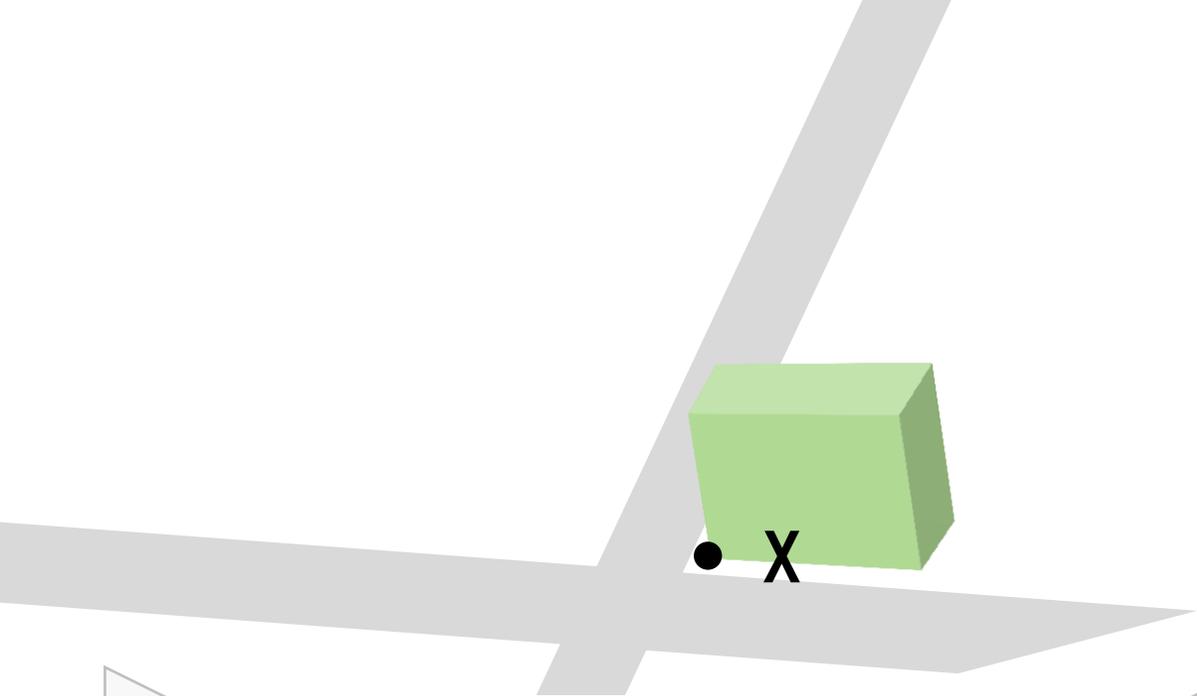


# Triangulation

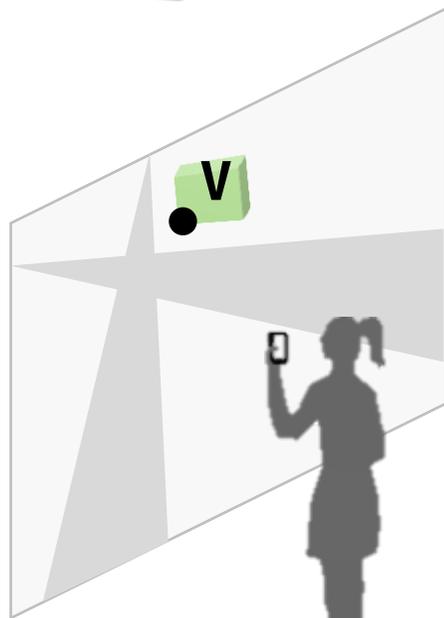


# How to Disambiguate?

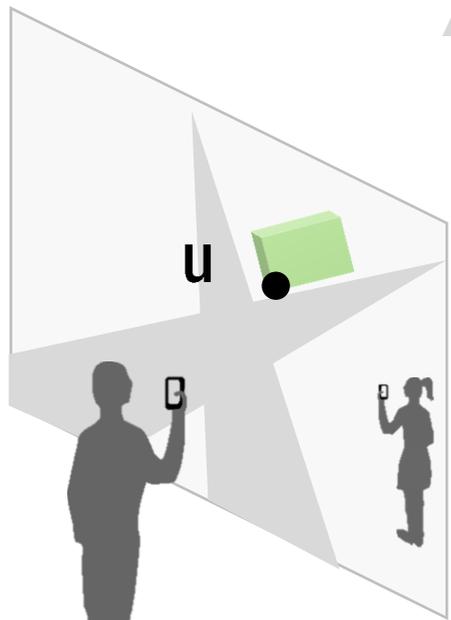
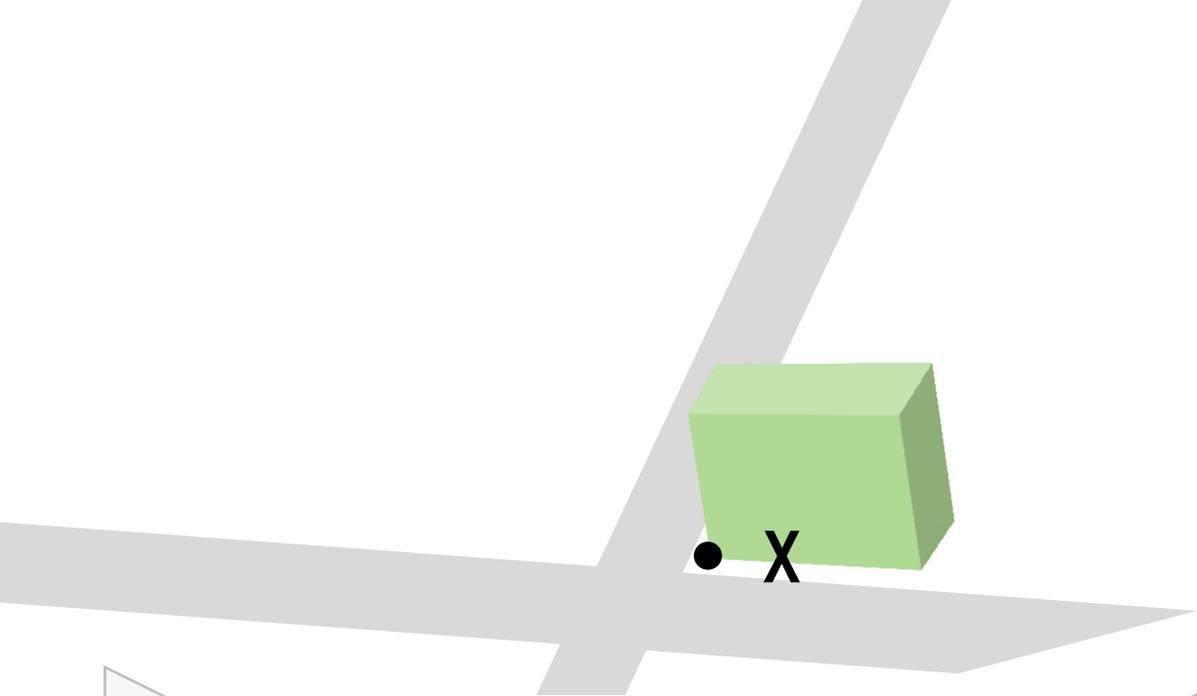




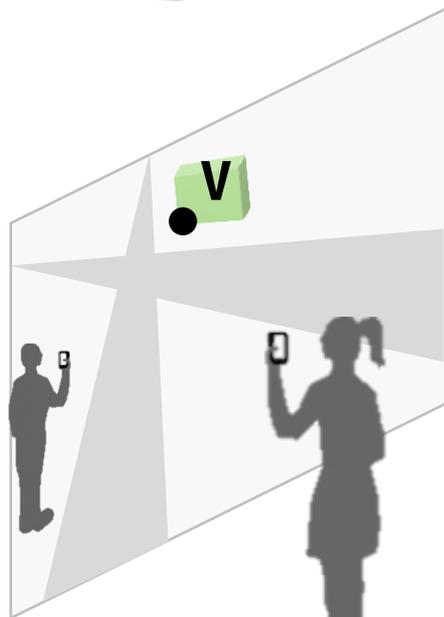
Bob  $P_{\text{bob}} = K \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 1} \end{bmatrix}$



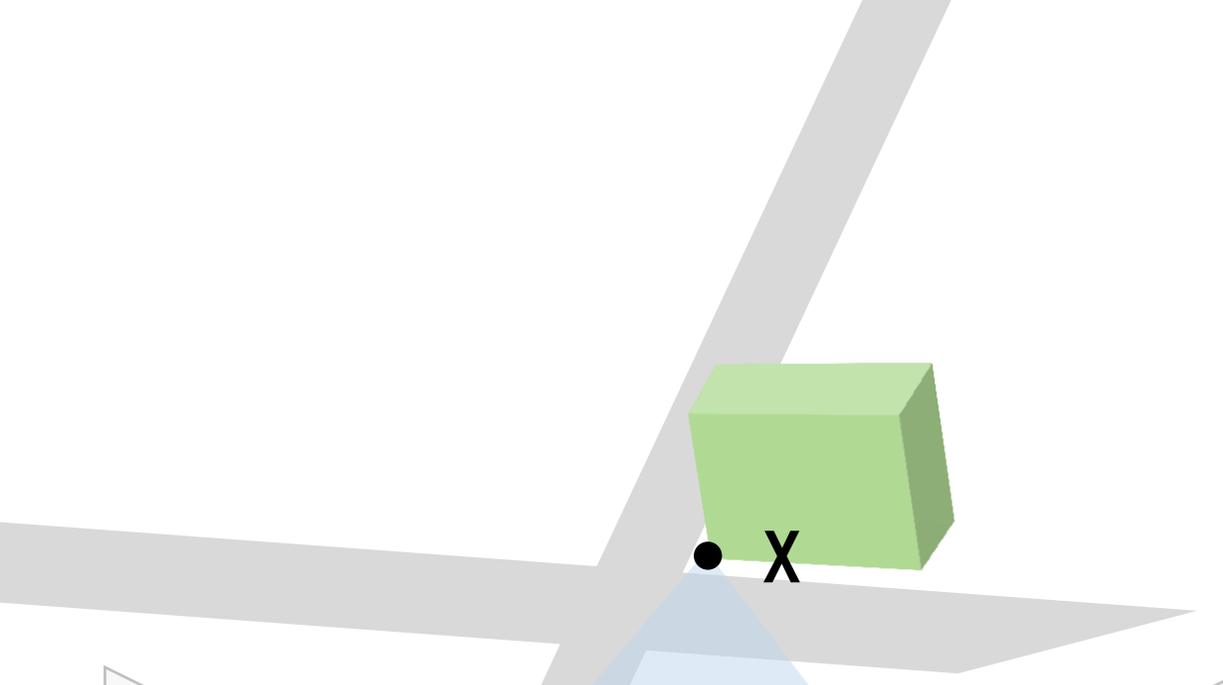
$P_{\text{alice}} = K \begin{bmatrix} R & \mathbf{t} \end{bmatrix}$  Alice



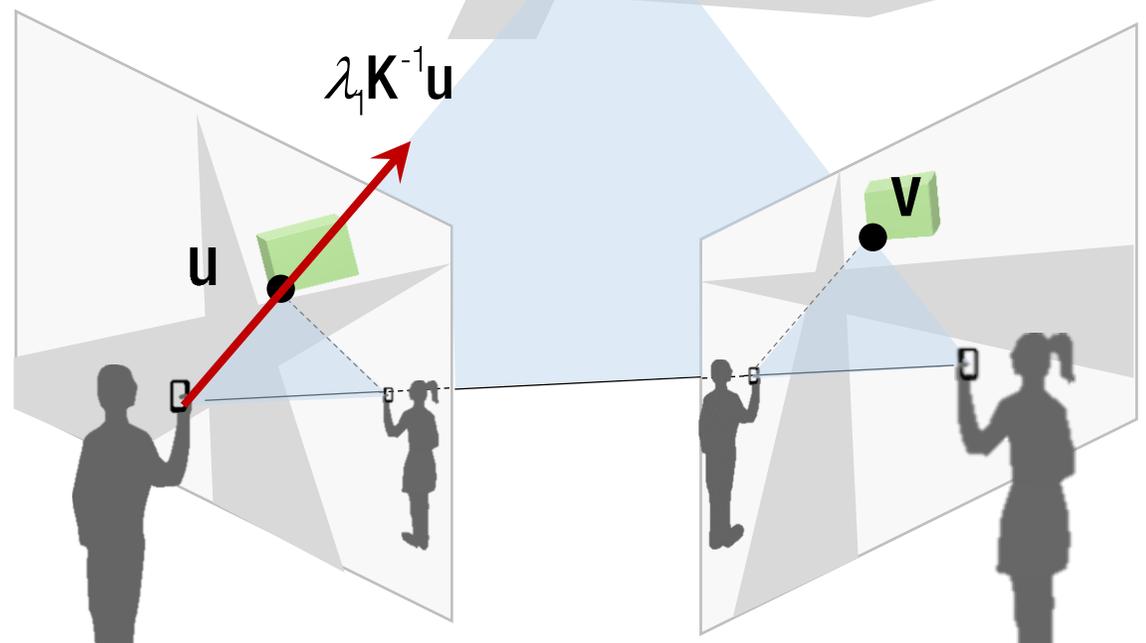
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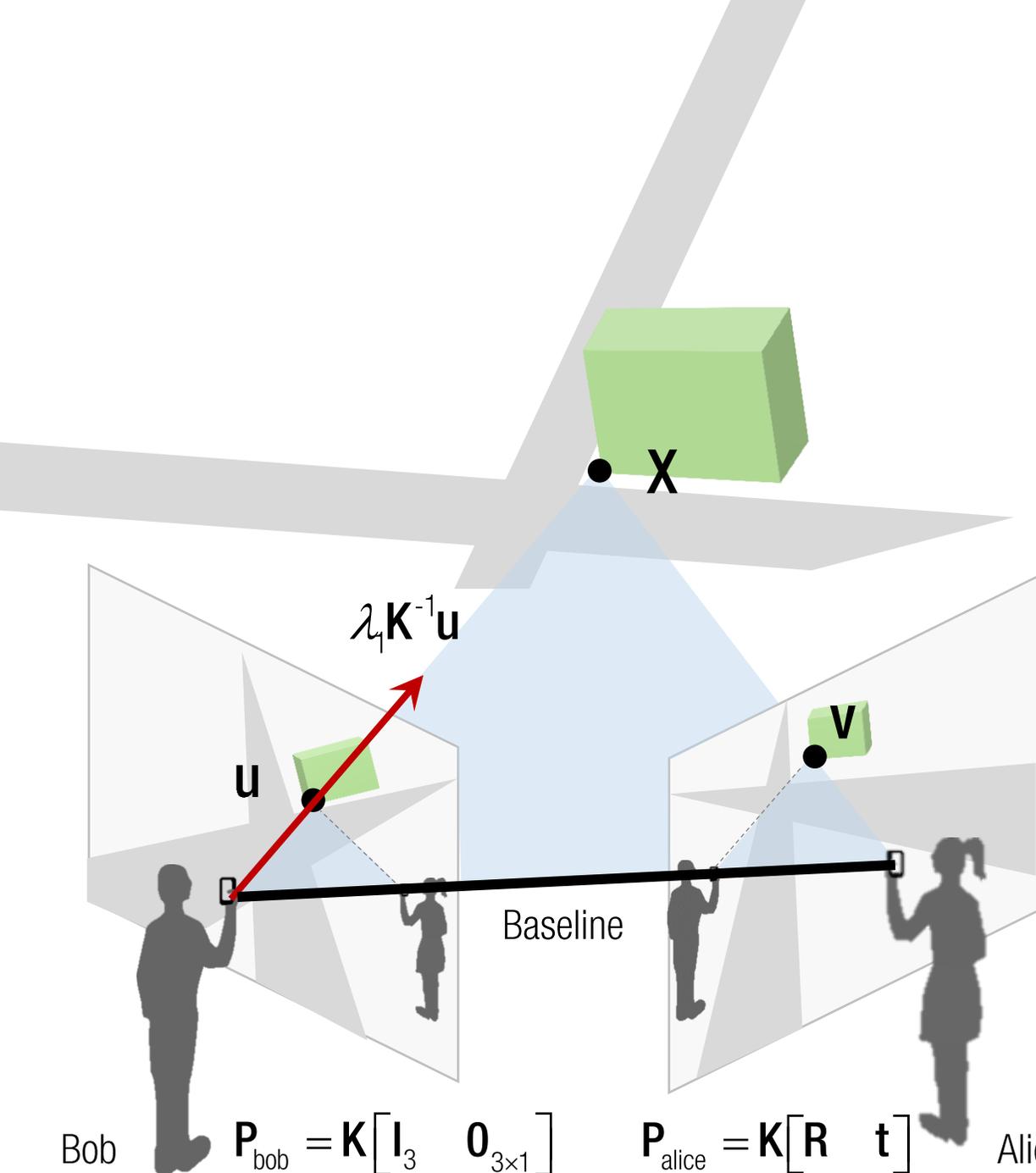
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$\rightarrow \lambda_1 K^{-1} u$

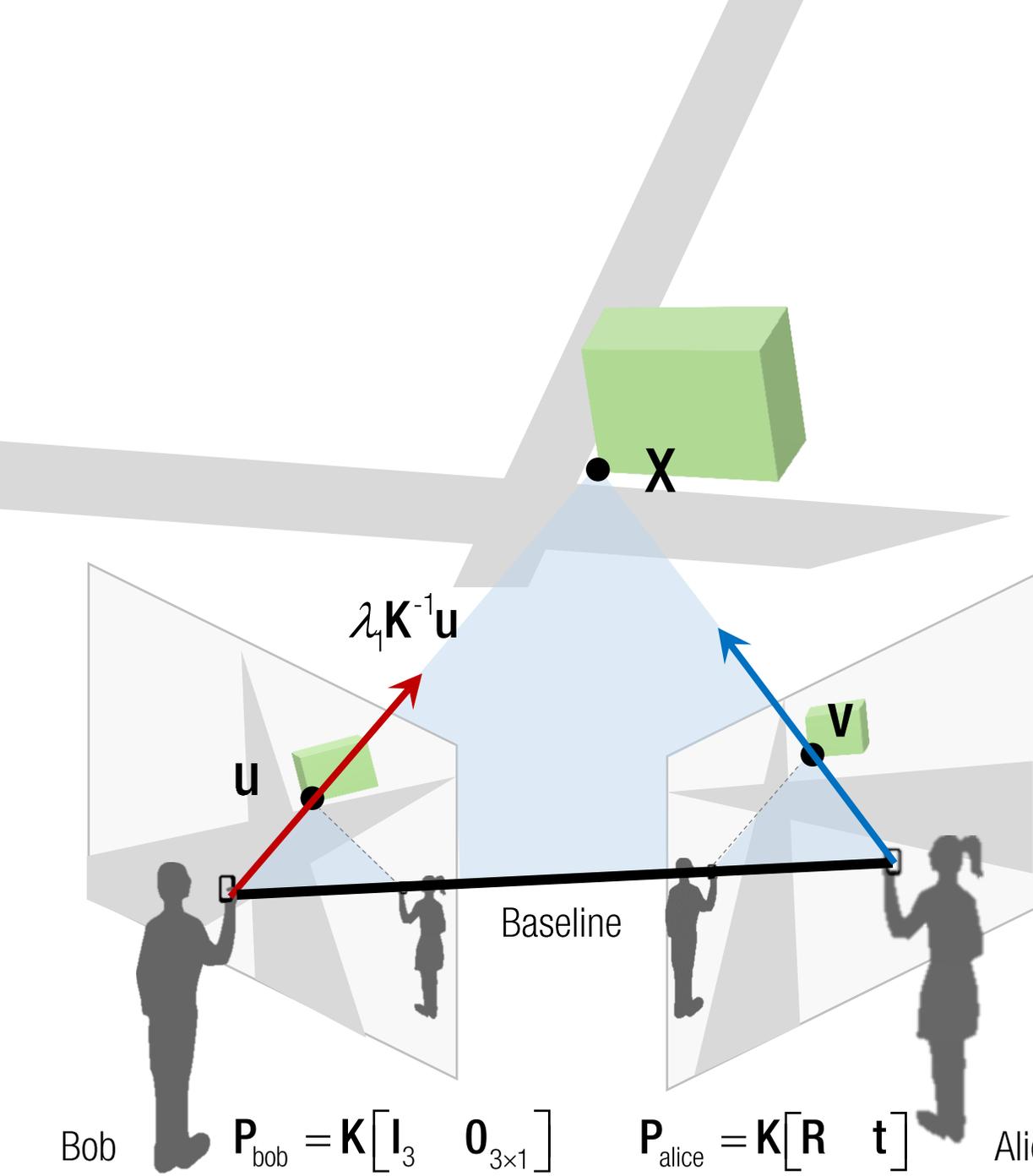


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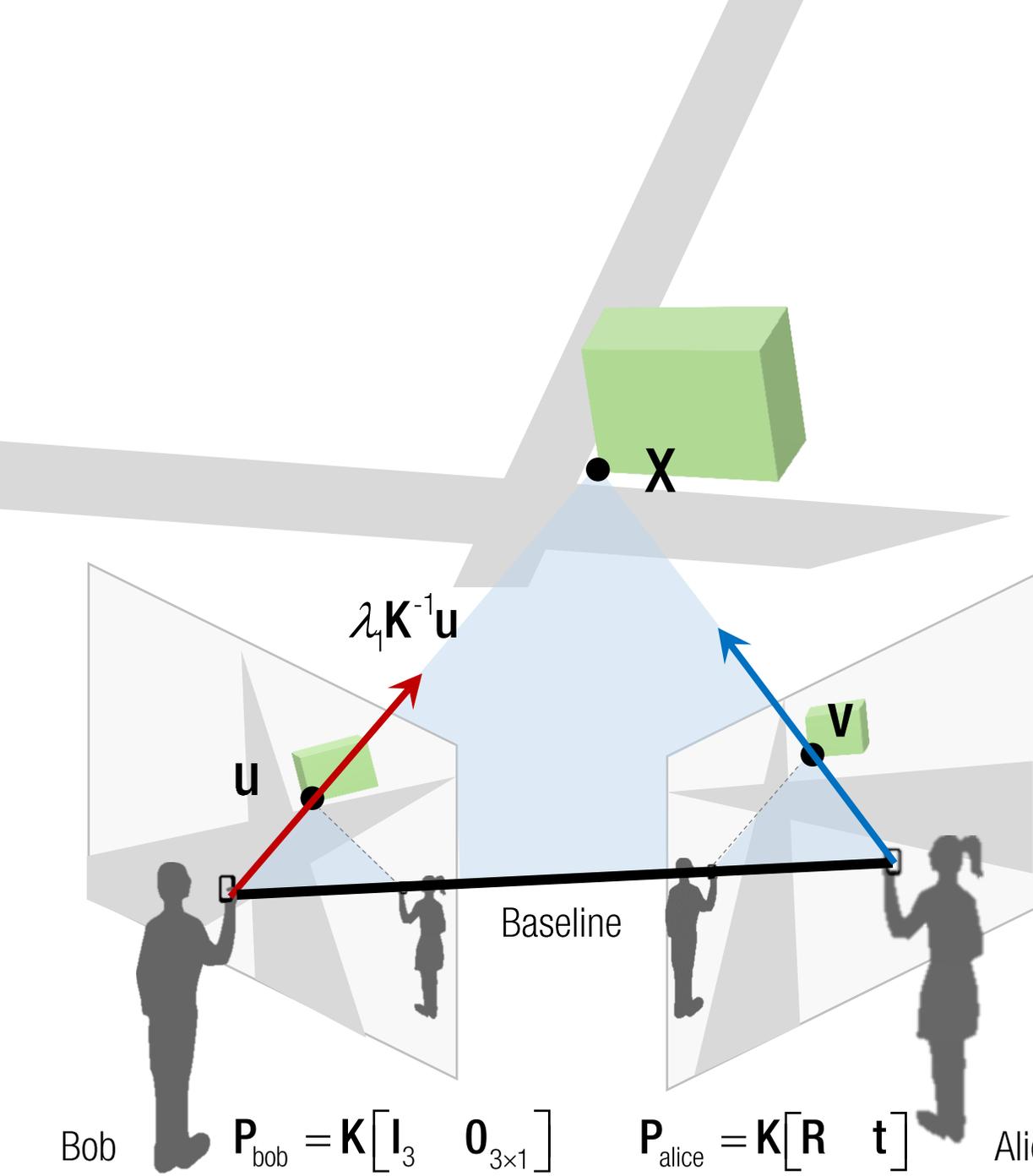
$\rightarrow \lambda K^{-1}u$   
 $\text{---} \frac{-R^T t}{\text{Alice's camera location}}$

Bob  $P_{\text{bob}} = K \begin{bmatrix} I_3 & 0_{3 \times 1} \end{bmatrix}$       $P_{\text{alice}} = K \begin{bmatrix} R & t \end{bmatrix}$  Alice



- $\lambda_1 \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{u}$
- $-\mathbf{R}^T \mathbf{t}$   
Alice's camer location
- $\lambda_2 \mathbf{R}^T \mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{v} - \mathbf{R}^T \mathbf{t}$   
Direction Alice's camer location

Bob  $\mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} = \mathbf{K} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{I}_3 & \mathbf{0}_{3 \times 1} \end{bmatrix}$       $\mathbf{P}_{\text{alice}} = \mathbf{K} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \end{bmatrix}$  Alice



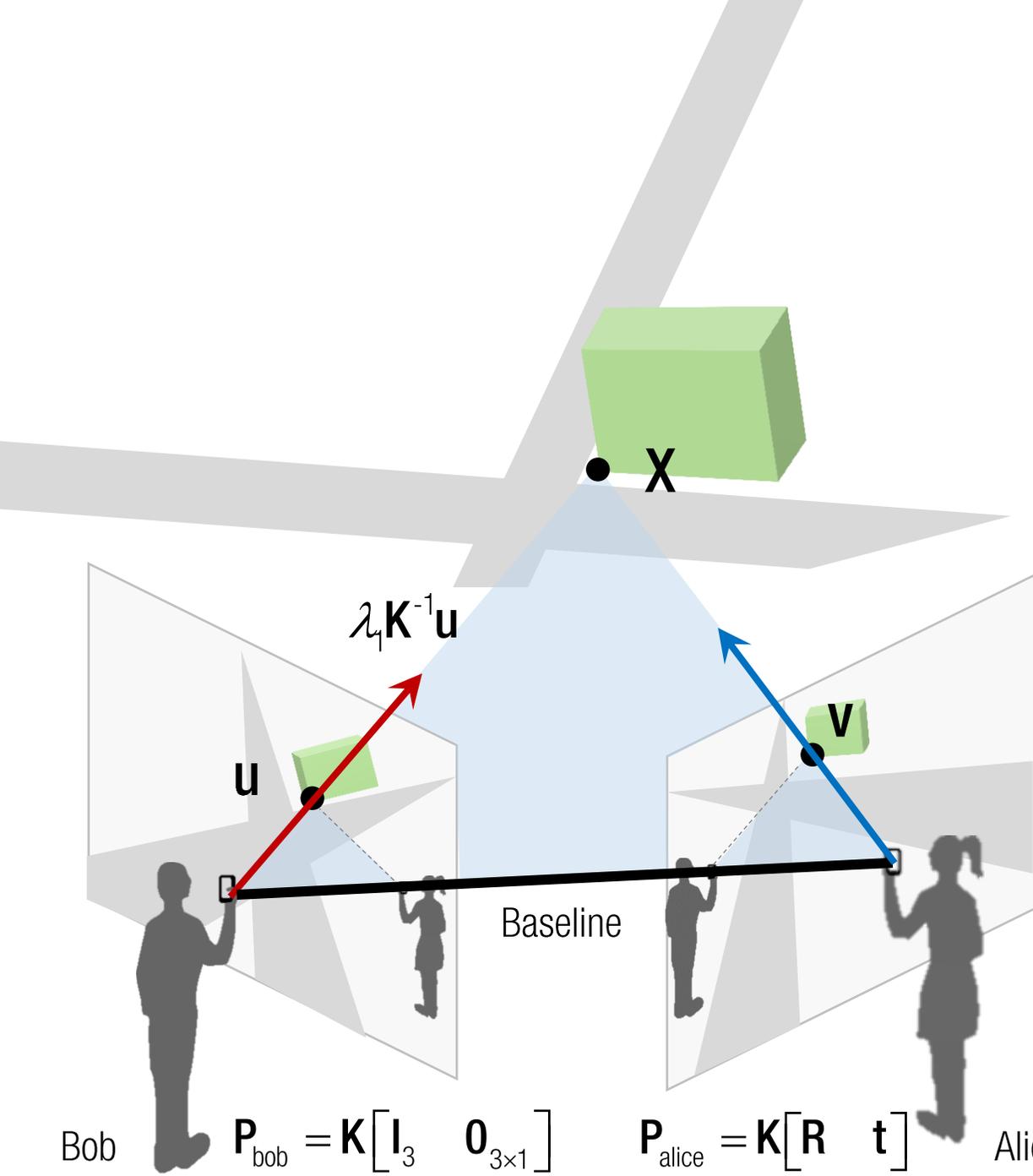
→  $\lambda_1 K^{-1} u$

—  $-R^T t$   
Alice's camer location

→  $\lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v - R^T t$   
Direction Alice's camer location

$X = \lambda_1 K^{-1} u = \lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v - R^T t$   
3D point

# of unknowns: 2  
# of equations: 3



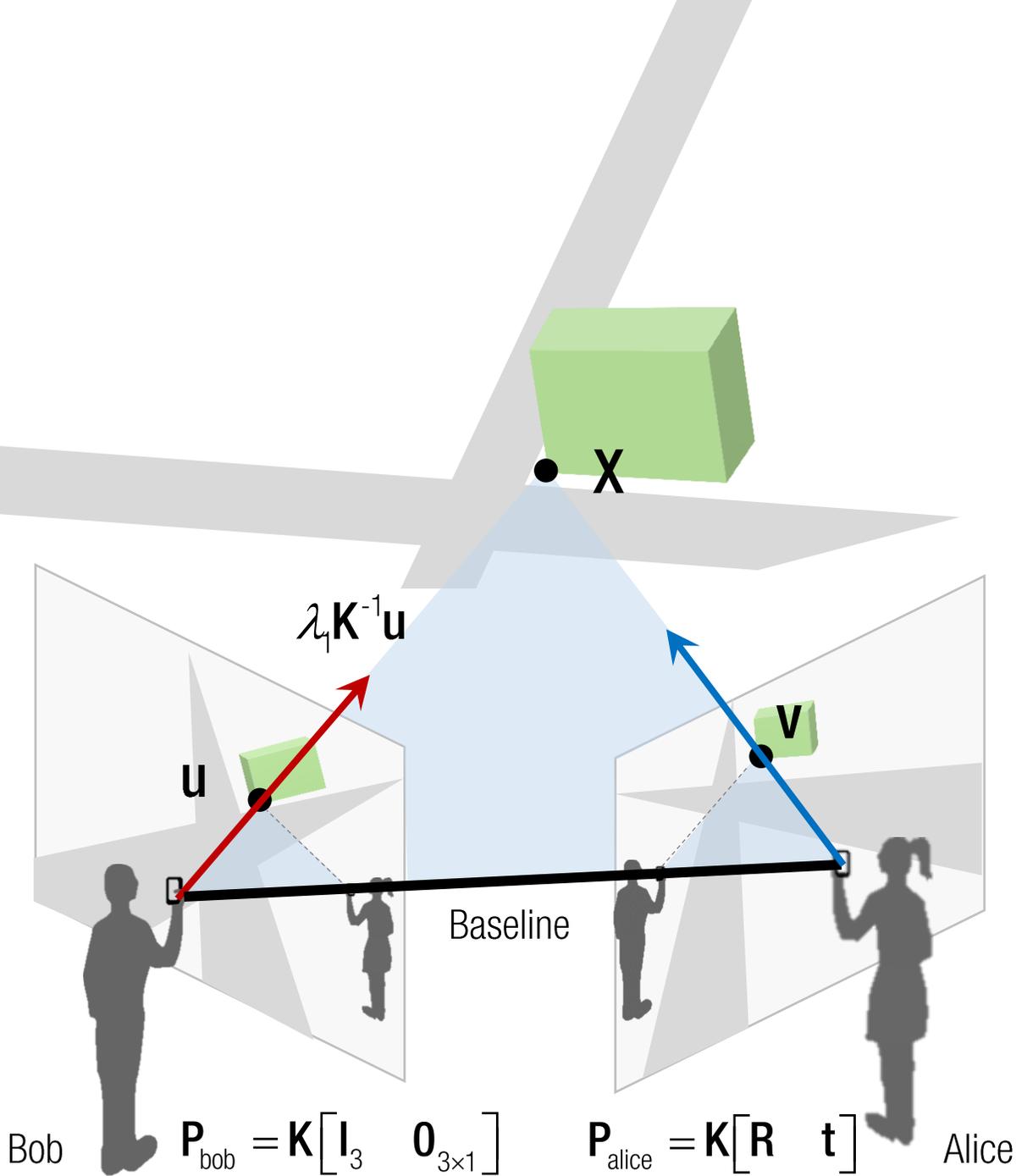
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Alice's camer location

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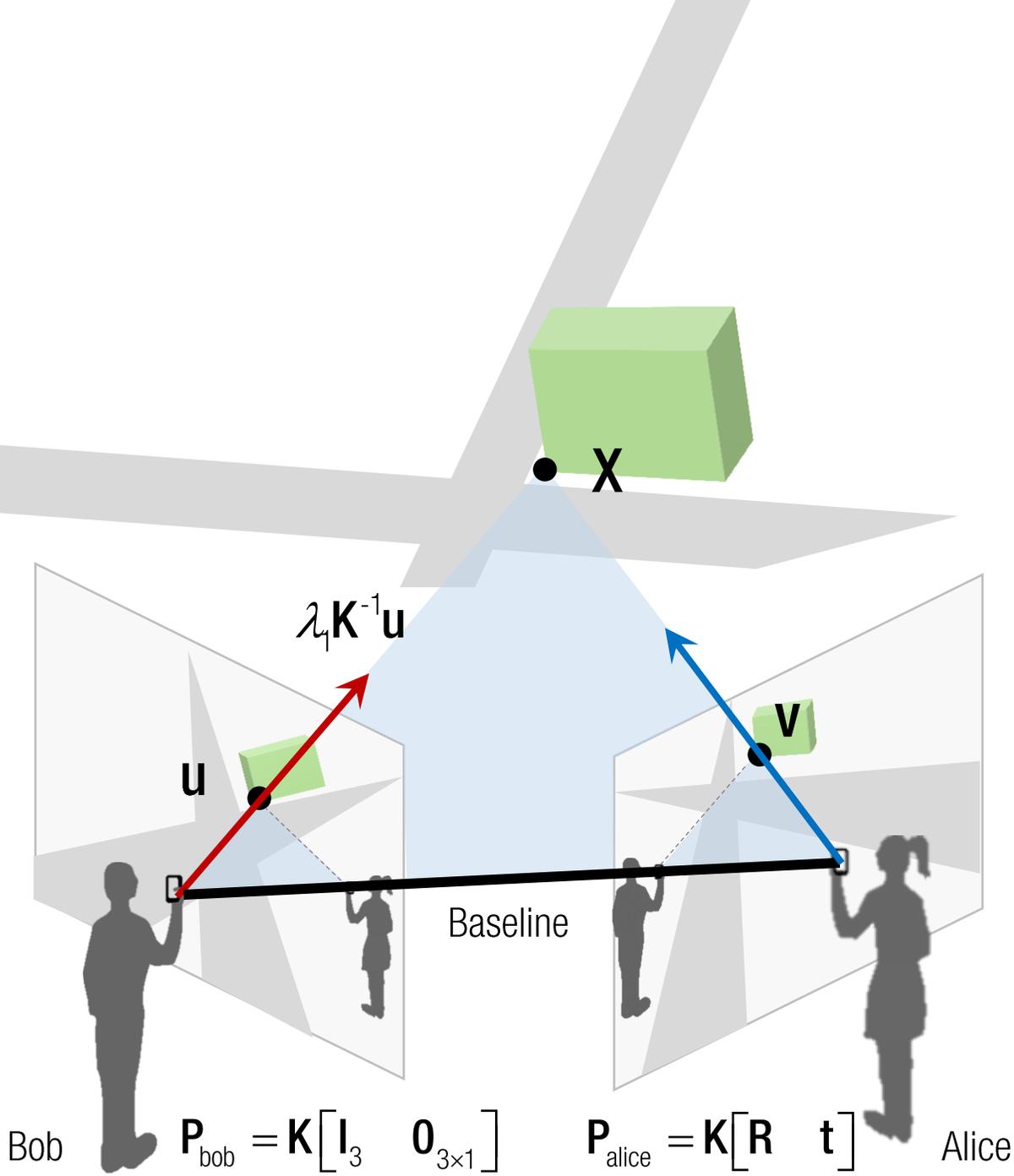
Direction Alice's camer location

$X = \lambda_1 K^{-1} u = \lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v - R^T t$

3D point

→  $\lambda_1 K^{-1} u - \lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v = -R^T t$

→  $\begin{bmatrix} K^{-1} u & -R^T K^{-1} v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} = -R^T t$



→  $\lambda_1 K^{-1} u$

—  $-R^T t$

Alice's camer location

→  $\lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v - R^T t$

Direction Alice's camer location

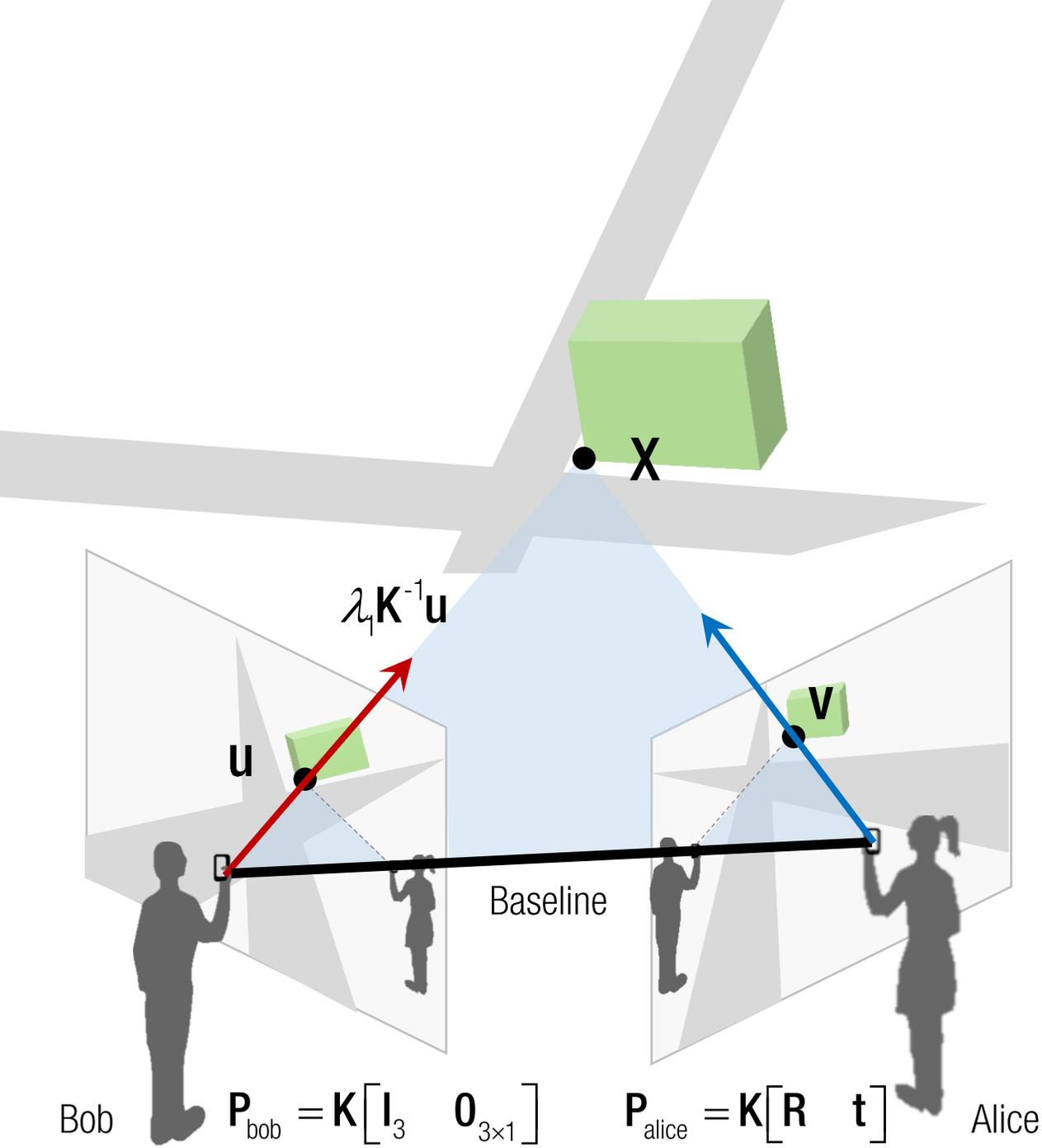
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3D point

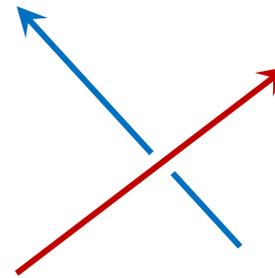
→  $\lambda_1 K^{-1} u - \lambda_2 R^T K^{-1} v = -R^T t$

→  $\begin{bmatrix} K^{-1} u & A R^T K^{-1} v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ x \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} = -R^T t$

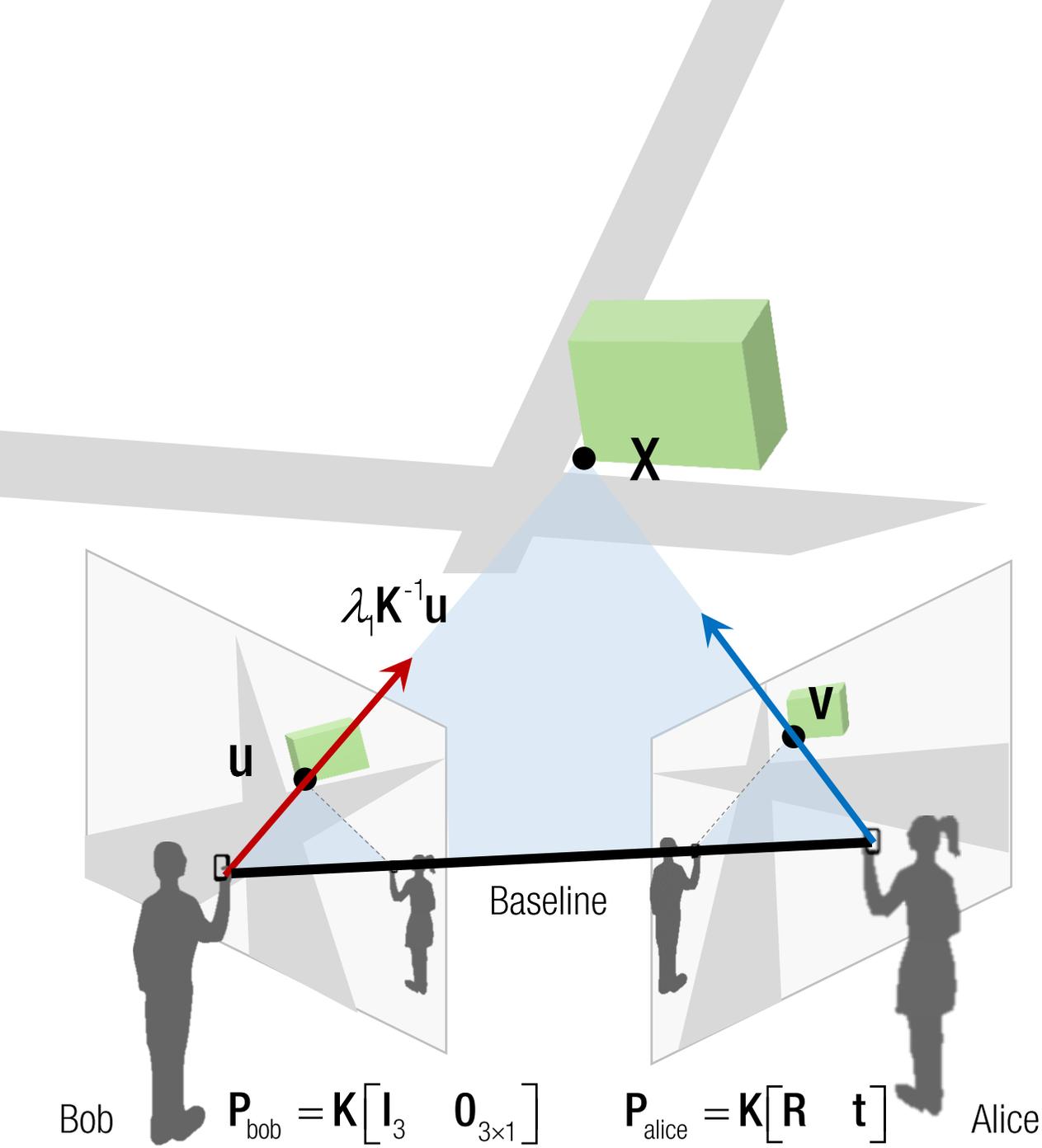
3x2



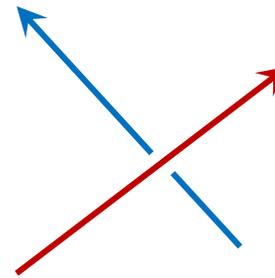
What if two does not meet at a point?



$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} K^{-1}u & AR^TK^{-1}v \end{bmatrix}_{3 \times 2} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ x \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -R^T t \end{bmatrix}$$



What if two does not meet at a point?

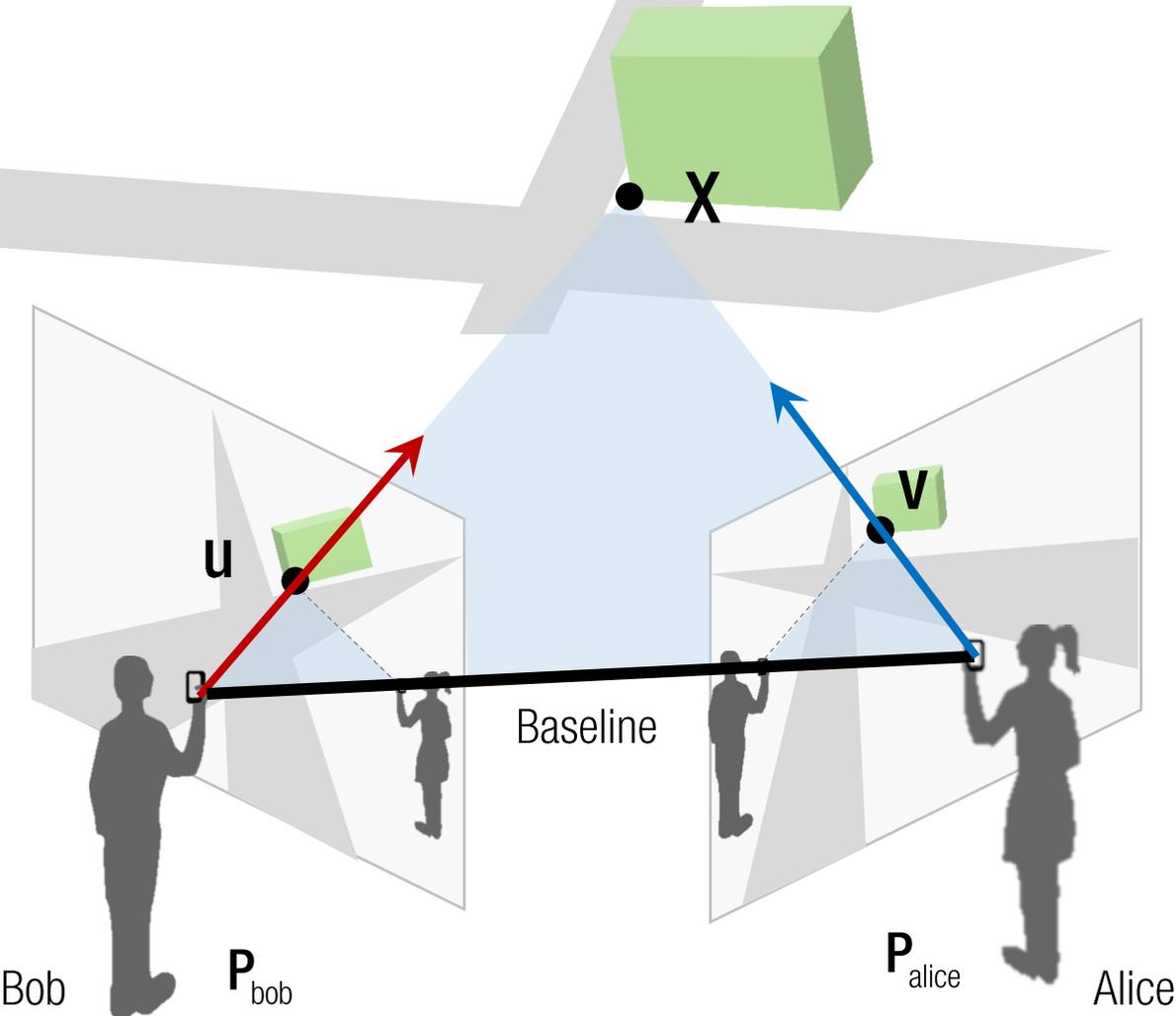


Least square solution finds *somewhere* in the middle.

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} K^{-1}u & A R^T K^{-1}v \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ x \\ \lambda_2 \end{bmatrix} = -R^T t$$

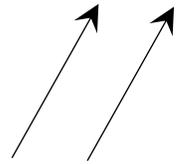
3x2

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



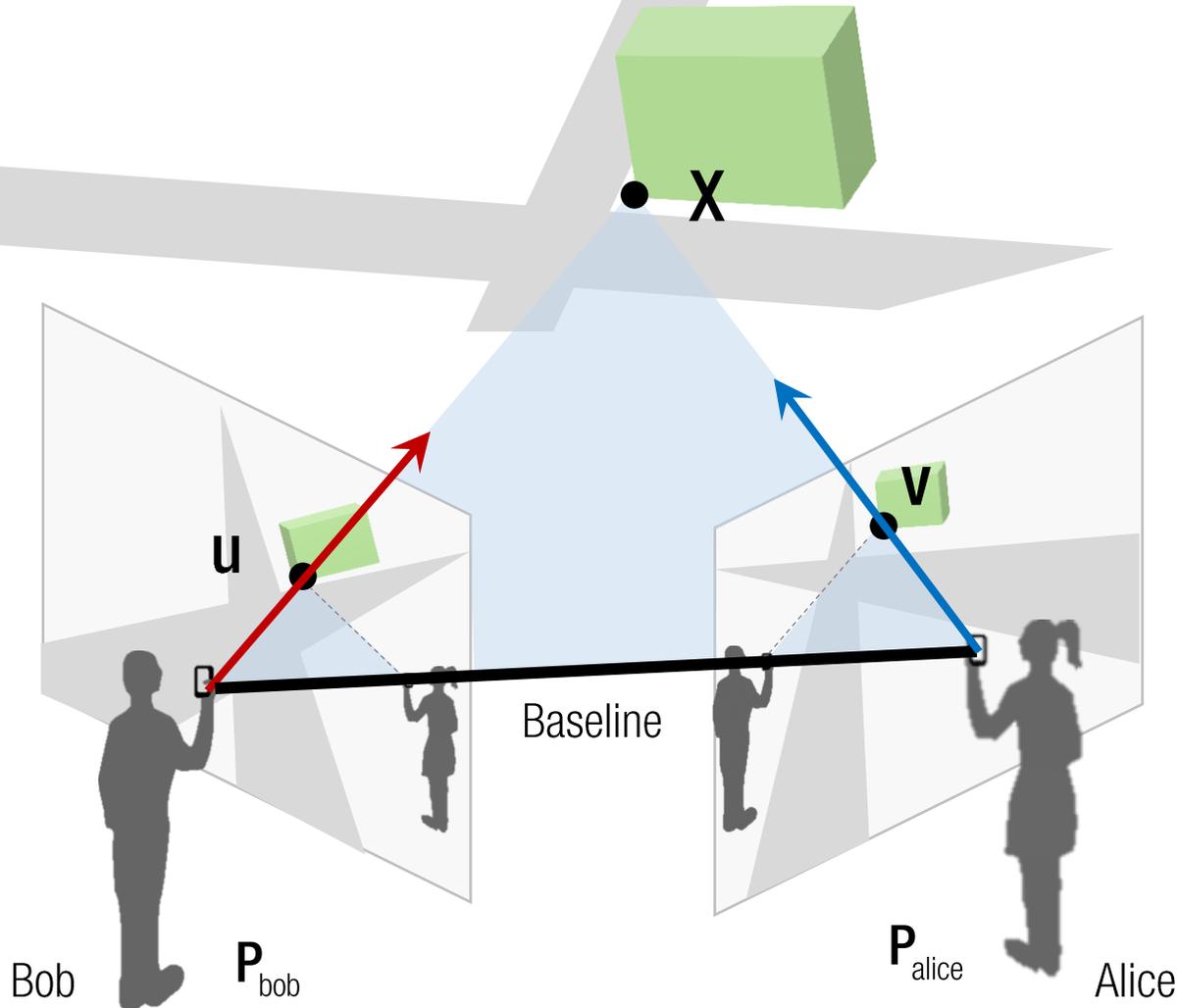
Two 3D vectors are parallel.

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

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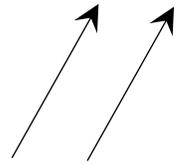
Skew-symmetric matrix

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Two 3D vectors are parallel.

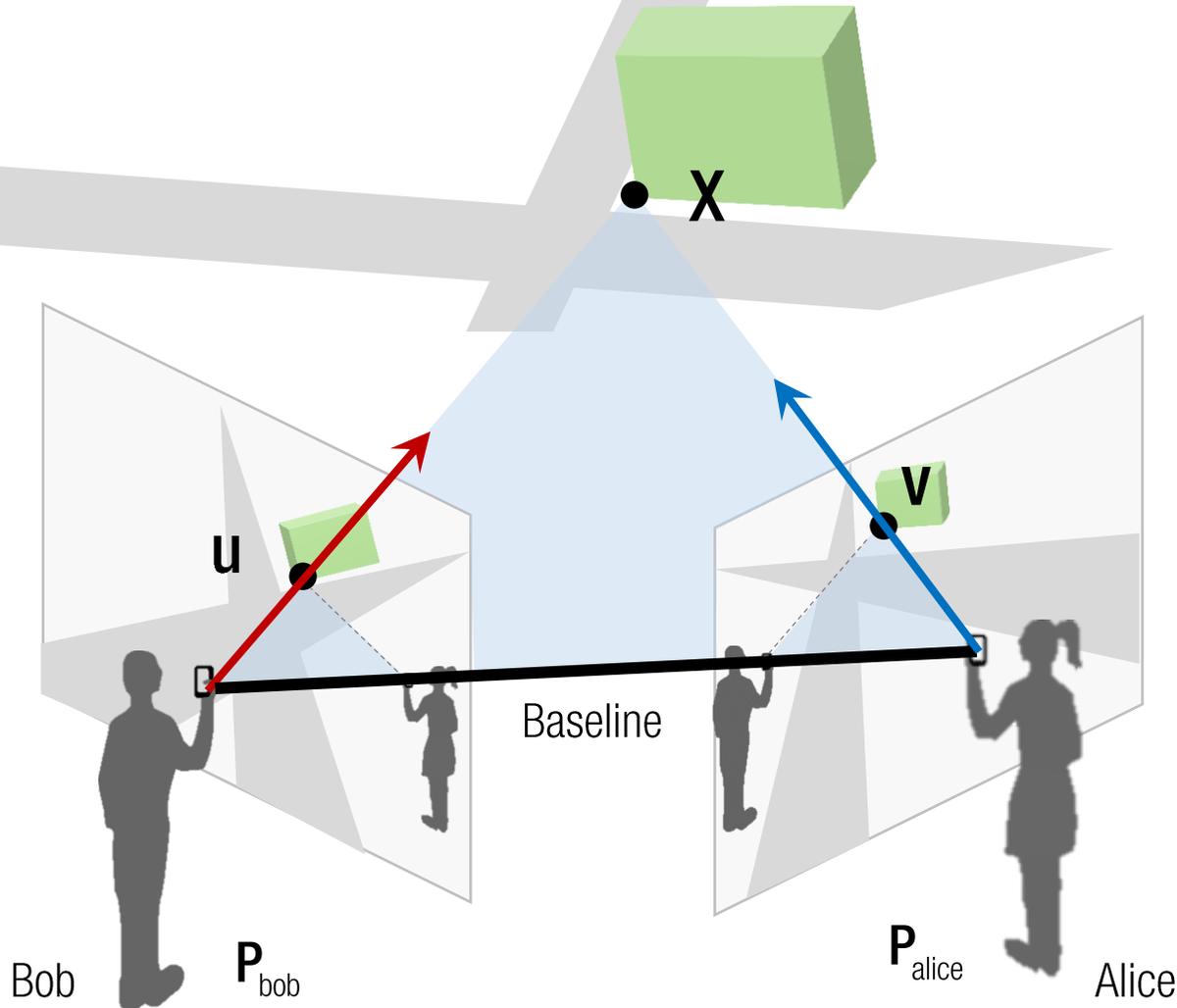
$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

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Skew-symmetric matrix

- : Knowns
- : Unknowns

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = P_{bob} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Two 3D vectors are parallel.

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{bob} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

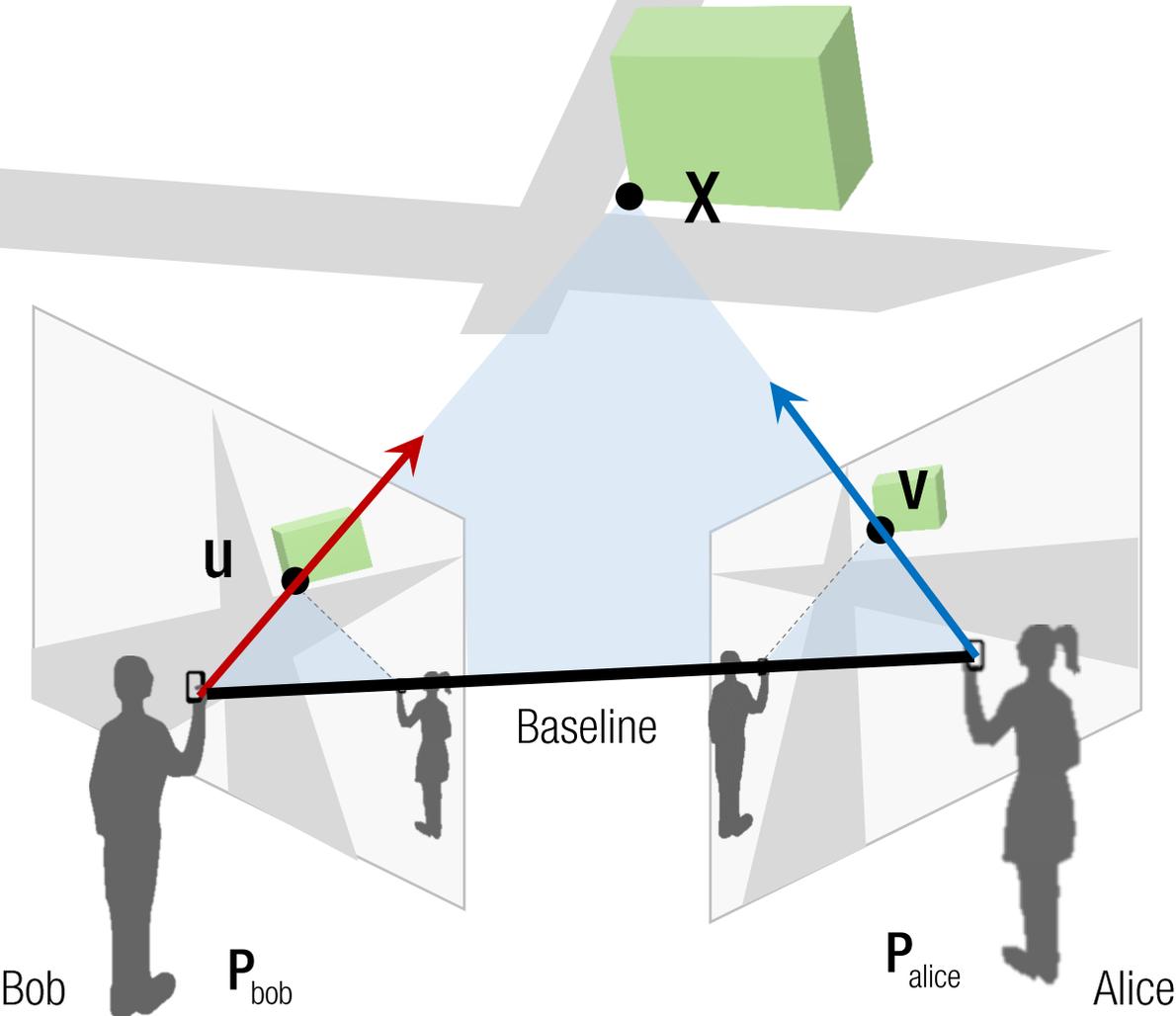
$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{matrix} P_{bob} \\ \times \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

3x4

: Knowns  
 : Unknowns

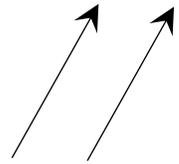
Can we solve for  $X$ ? (single view reconstruction)  
 Why not?

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = P_{bob} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Two 3D vectors are parallel.

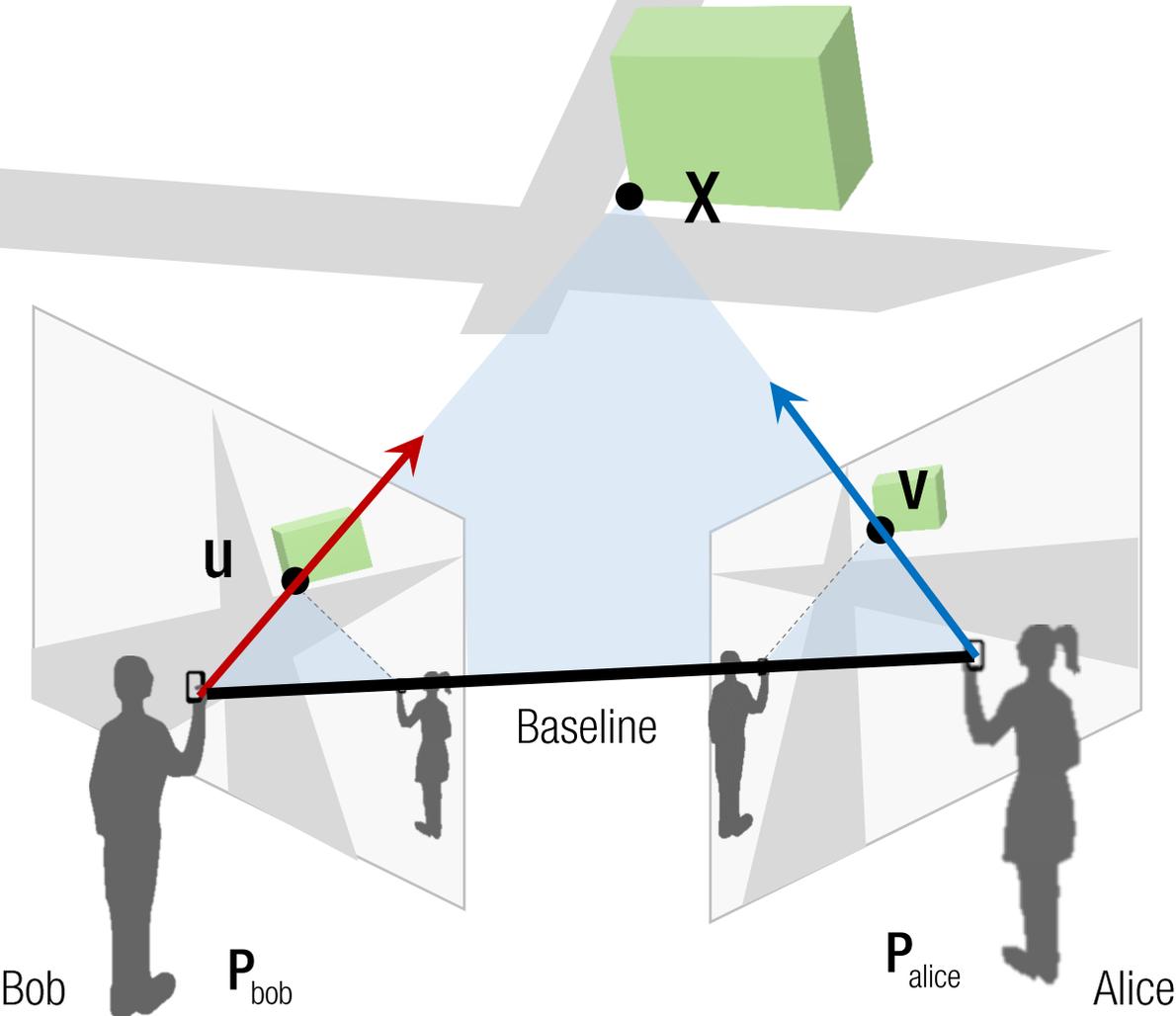
$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{bob} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \begin{matrix} P_{bob} \\ \times \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

2x4

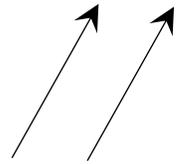
- : Knowns
- : Unknowns

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Two 3D vectors are parallel.

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

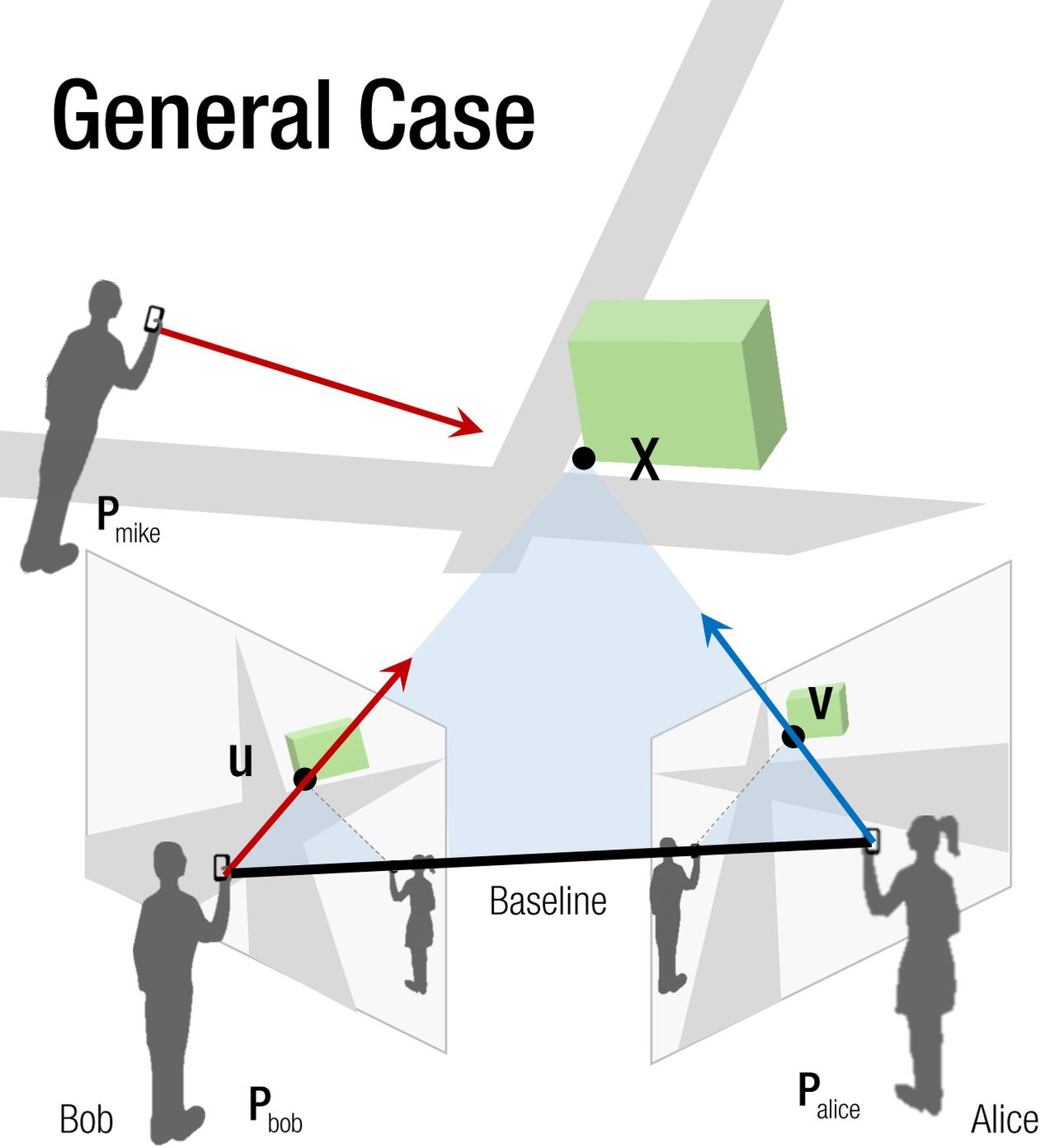
$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \mathbf{P}_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{X} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{0}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{v} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times \mathbf{P}_{\text{alice}}$$

4x4

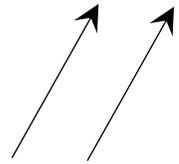
- : Knowns
- : Unknowns

# General Case



General camera pose

$$\lambda_1 \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = P_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



Two 3D vectors are parallel.

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} u \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{\text{bob}} \begin{bmatrix} X \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} v \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{\text{alice}}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \times P_{\text{mike}}$$

- : Knowns
- : Unknowns



Download **Triangulation.m** and **triangulation.mat** files

```
function Triangulation
%% Data loading
load('triangulation.mat');
```

```
% (C1, R1) and (C2, R2) are camera center and orientation of camera 1 and 2, respectively.
% u and v are Nx2 correspondences
```

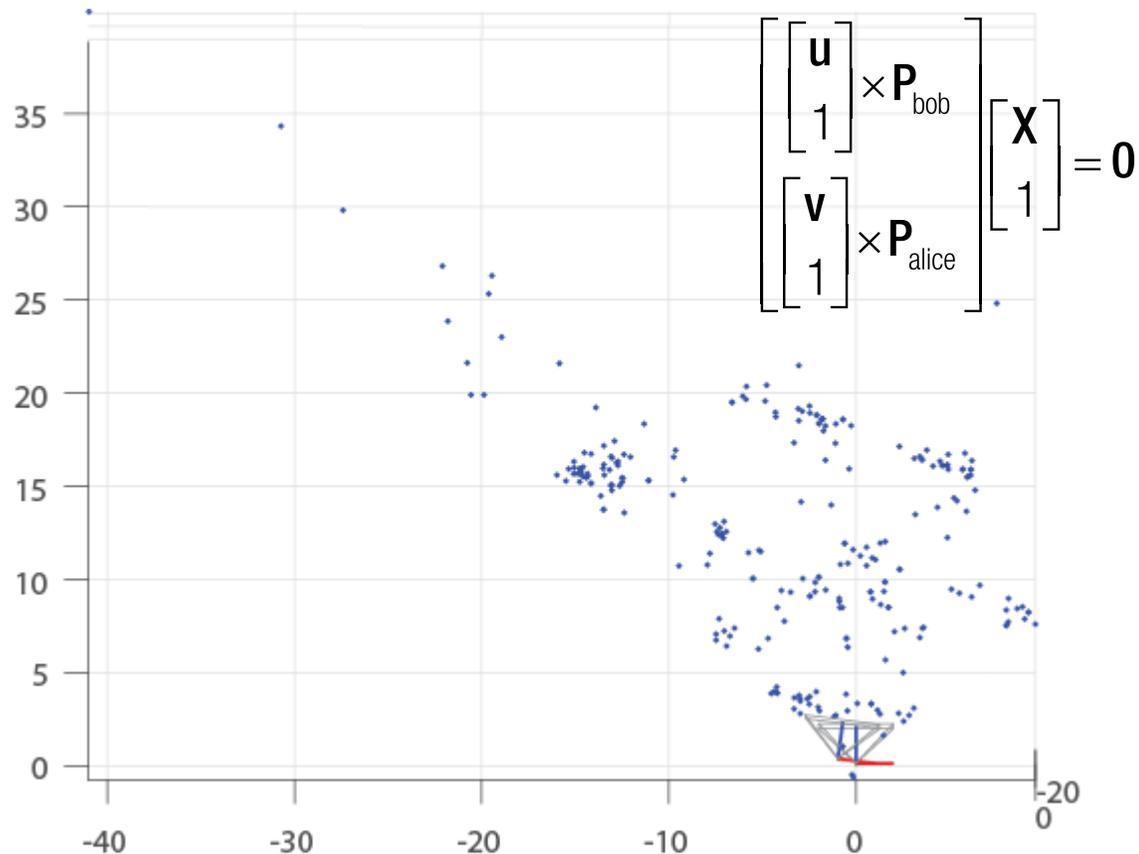
```
%% Camera matrix build
K = [700/2 0 960/2;
     0 700/2 540/2;
     0 0 1];
```

```
% Build camera matrix 1 and 2
% P1
% P2
```

Fill out

```
%% Triangulation
% Go to each correspondence and compute the 3D point X (3xN) matrix
for i = 1 : size(u,1)
    % Construct A matrix
    % Solve linear least squares to get 3D point
    % X(:,i) = point_3d;
end
```

Fill out



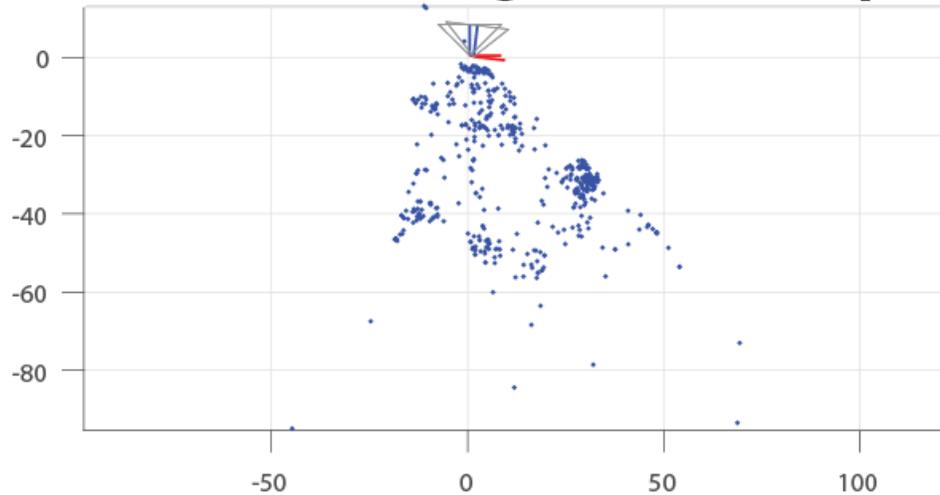
# Camera Pose Disambiguation (Cheirality)

Cheirality condition:

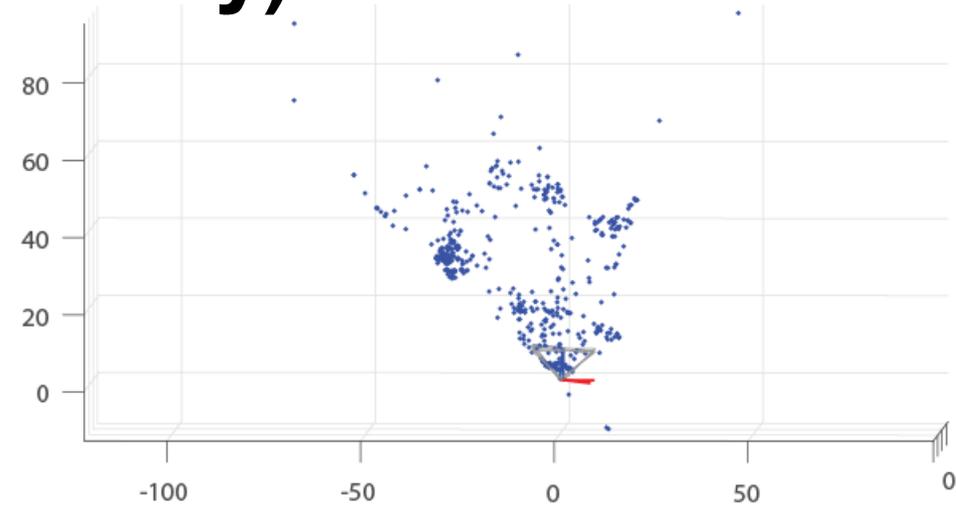
$$\mathbf{r}_3^T (\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{C}) > 0$$

where

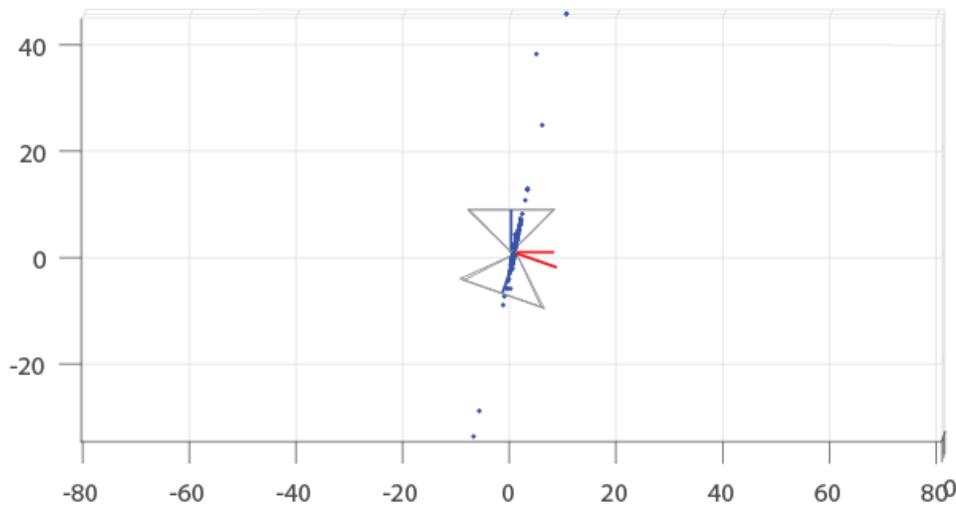
$$\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{r}_1^T \\ \mathbf{r}_2^T \\ \mathbf{r}_3^T \end{bmatrix}$$



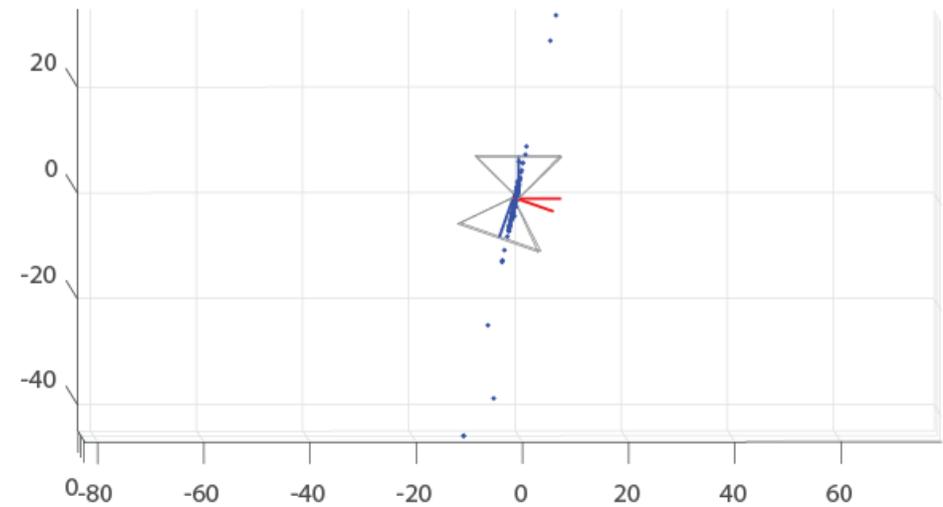
(a) nValid = 10



(b) nValid = 488



(c) nValid = 0

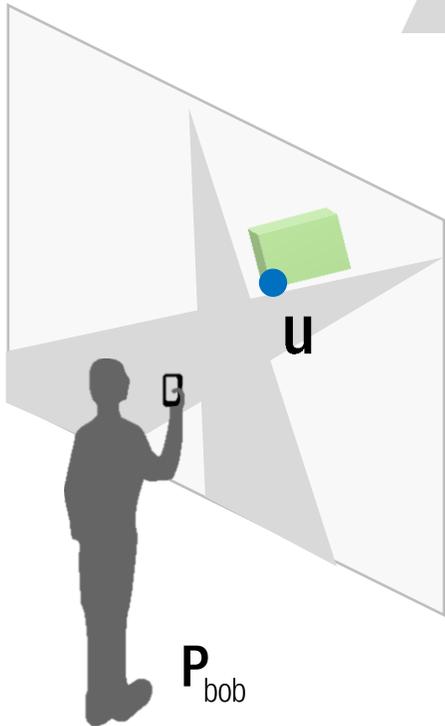


(d) nValid = 0

# Geometric Verification: Reprojection Error

Image feature measurement, e.g. SIFT detection:

$u$



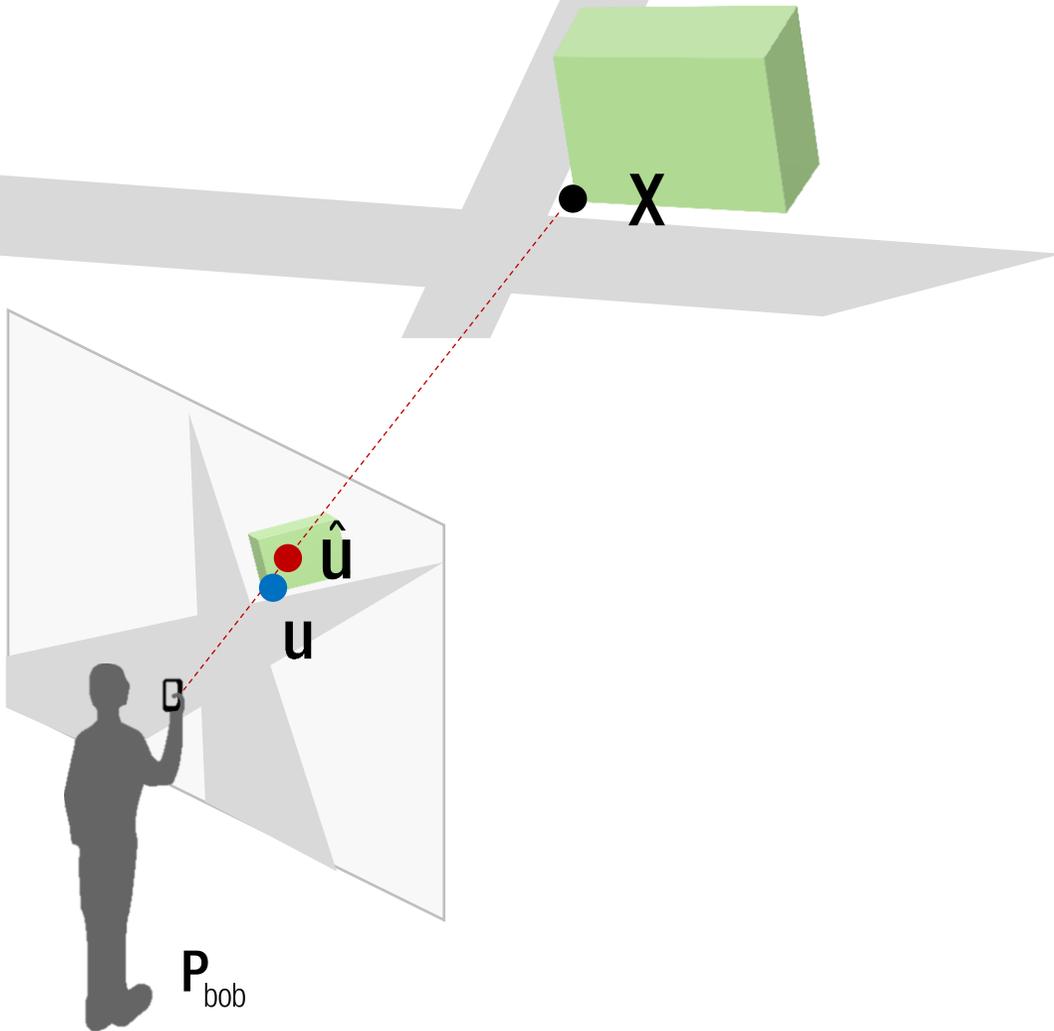
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$$\lambda \hat{u} = \mathbf{P}X$$



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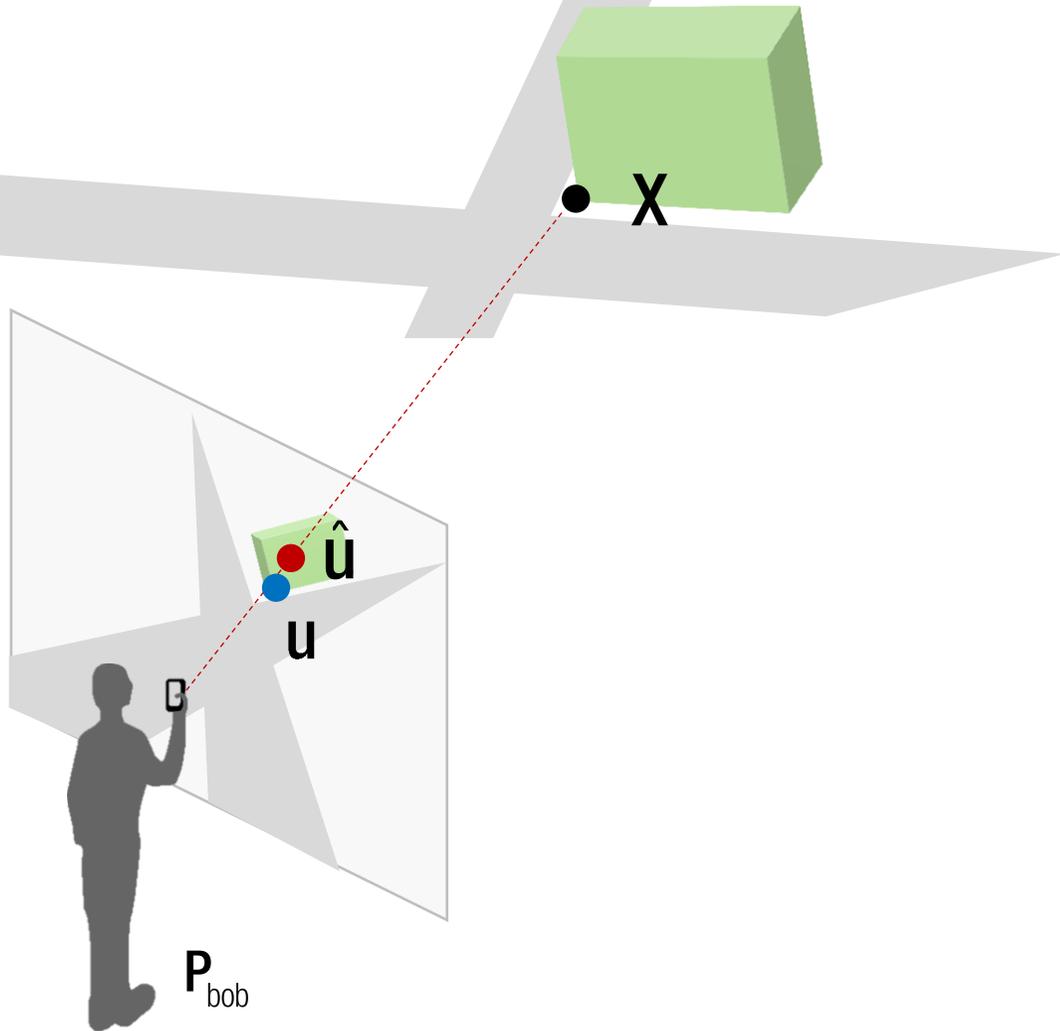


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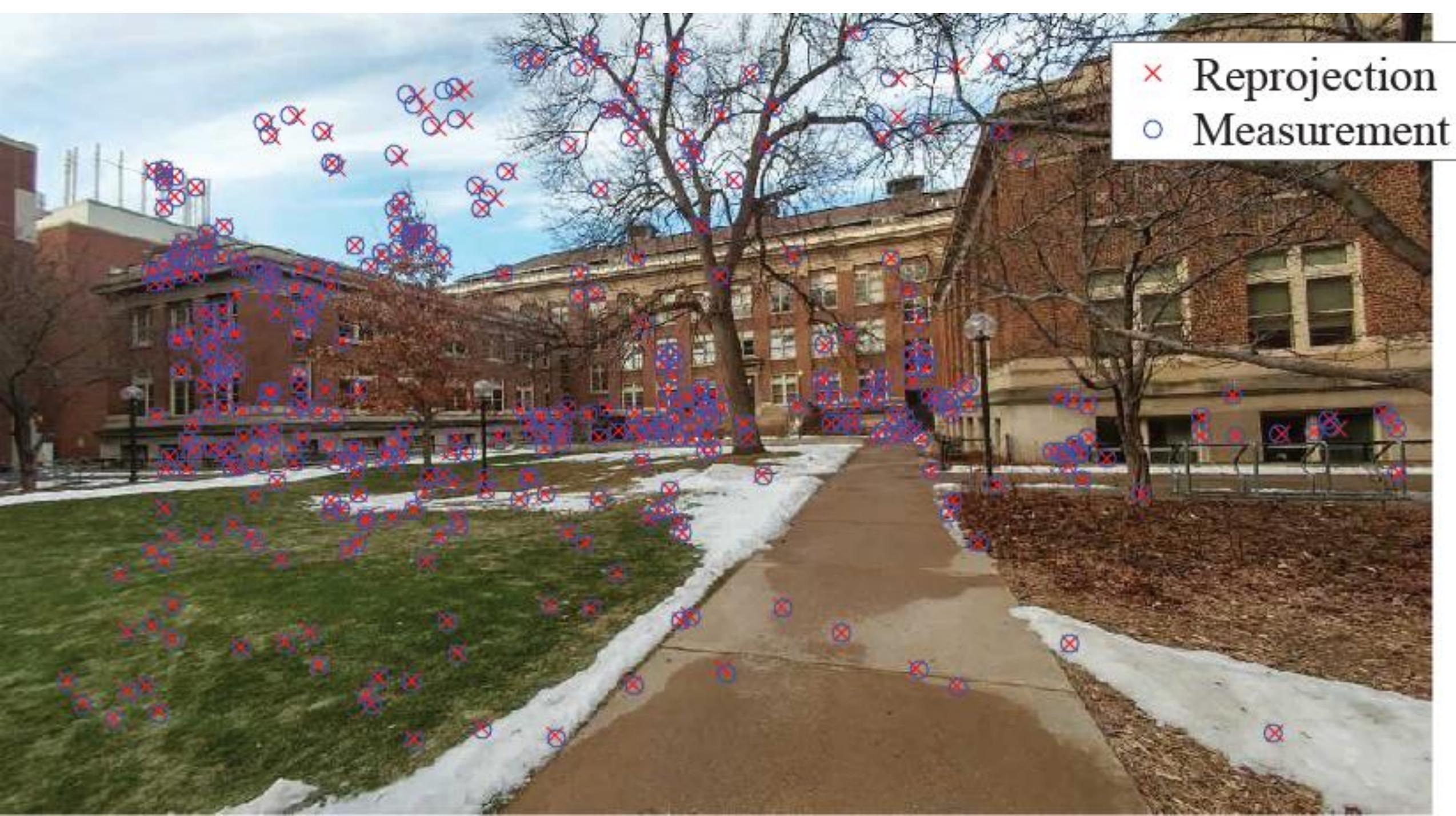
3D point projection, or reprojection:

$$\lambda \hat{u} = \mathbf{P}X$$

Reprojection error (geometric error):

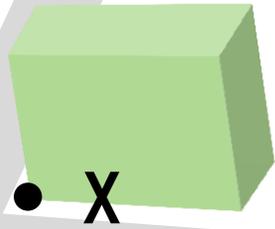
$$e = \|\hat{u} - u\|$$



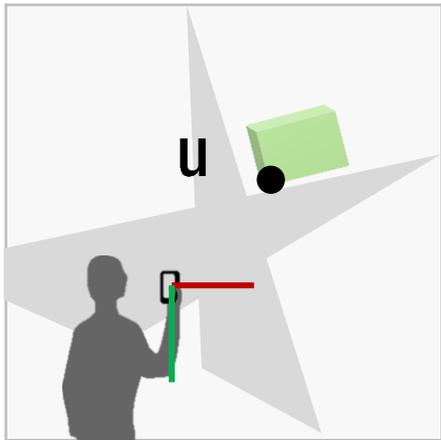


× Reprojection  
○ Measurement

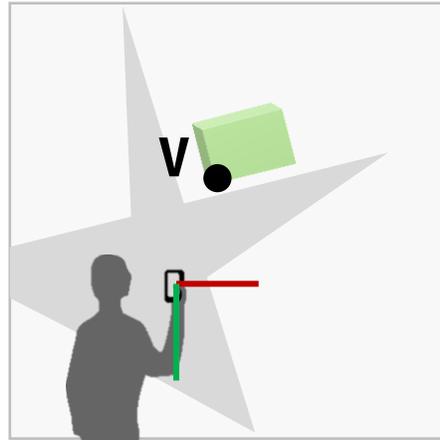
# Special Case: Stereo



- Same orientation

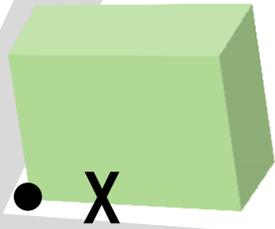


Bob

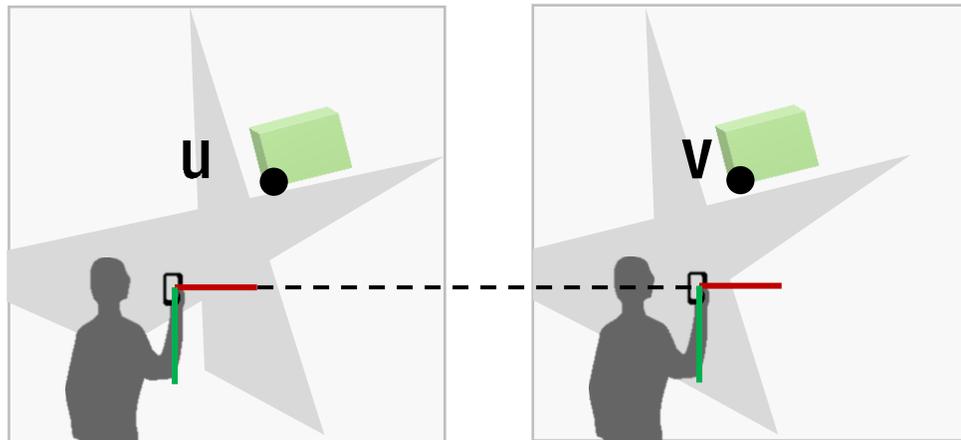


Mike

# Special Case: Stereo



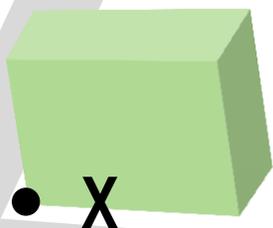
- Same orientation
- Alignment between X axis and baseline



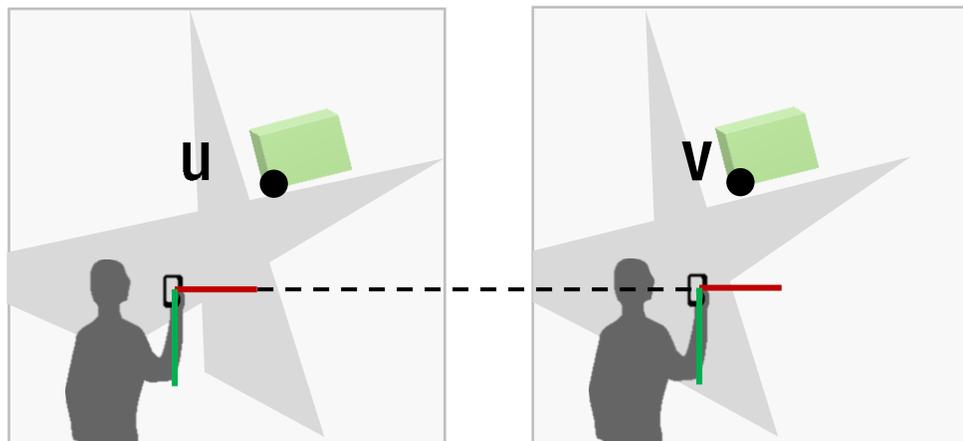
Bob

Mike

# Special Case: Stereo



- Same orientation
- Alignment between X axis and baseline

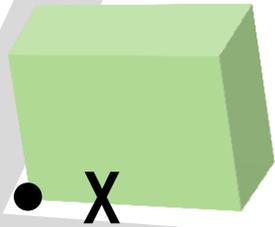


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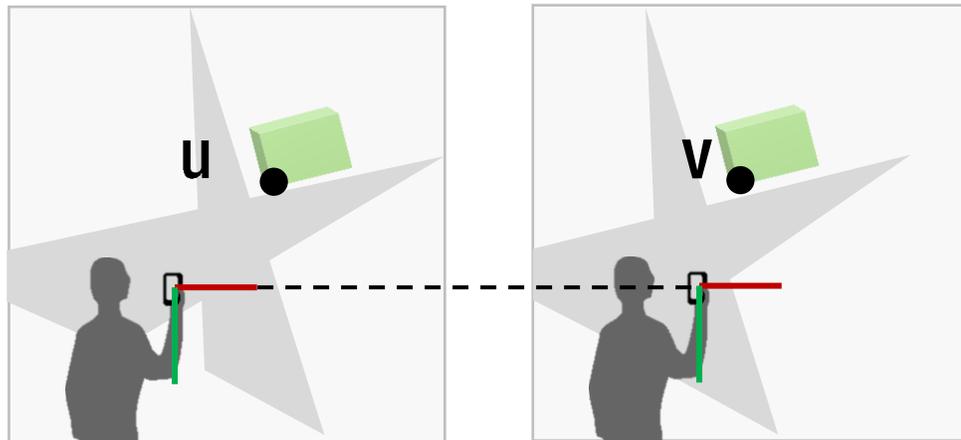
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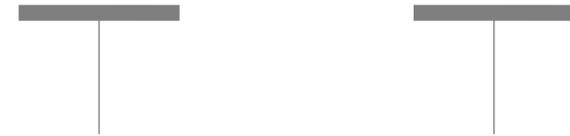


- Same orientation
- Alignment between X axis and baseline



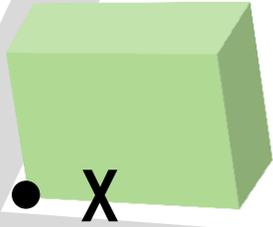
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Mike

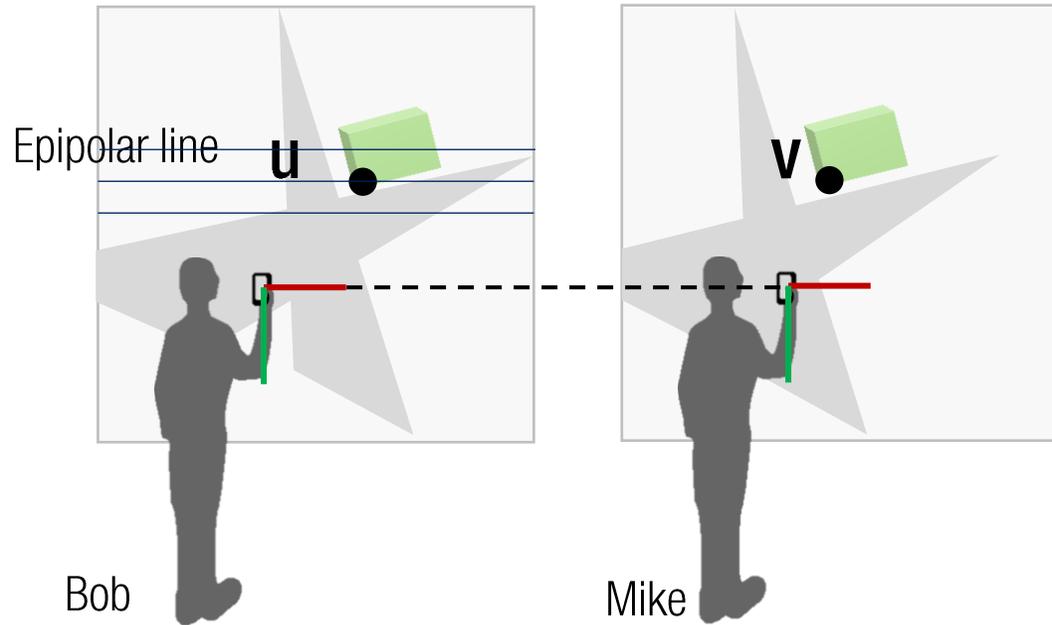


Top view

# Special Case: Stereo



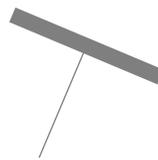
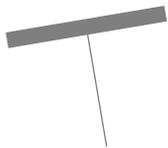
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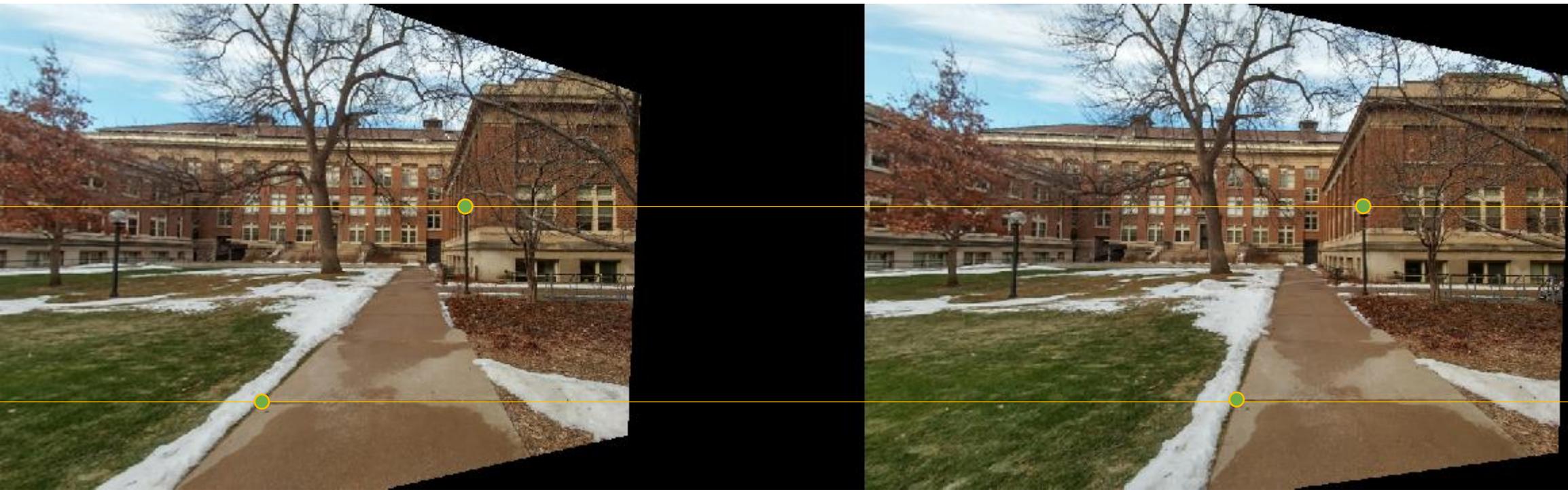
Epipole?  
Point at infinity



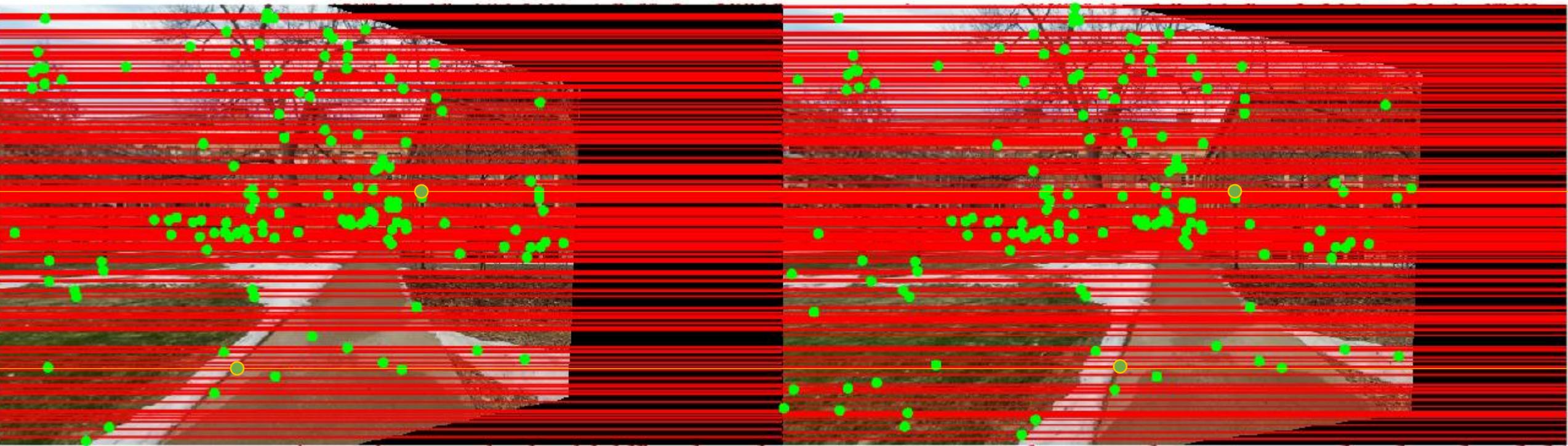
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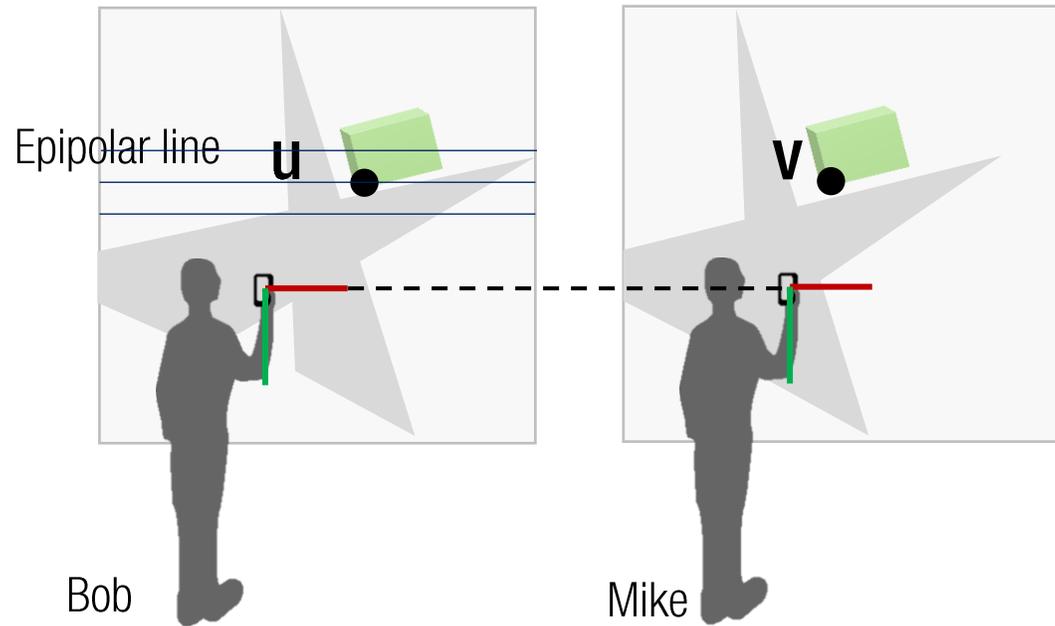
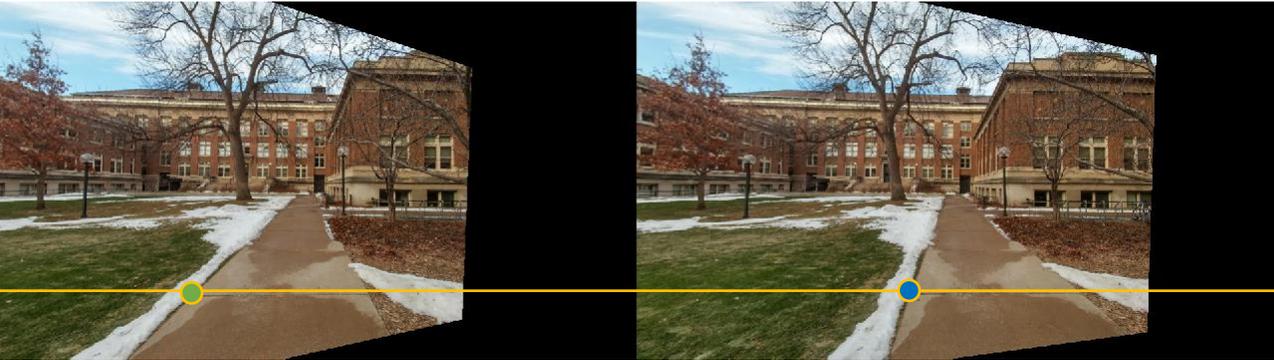
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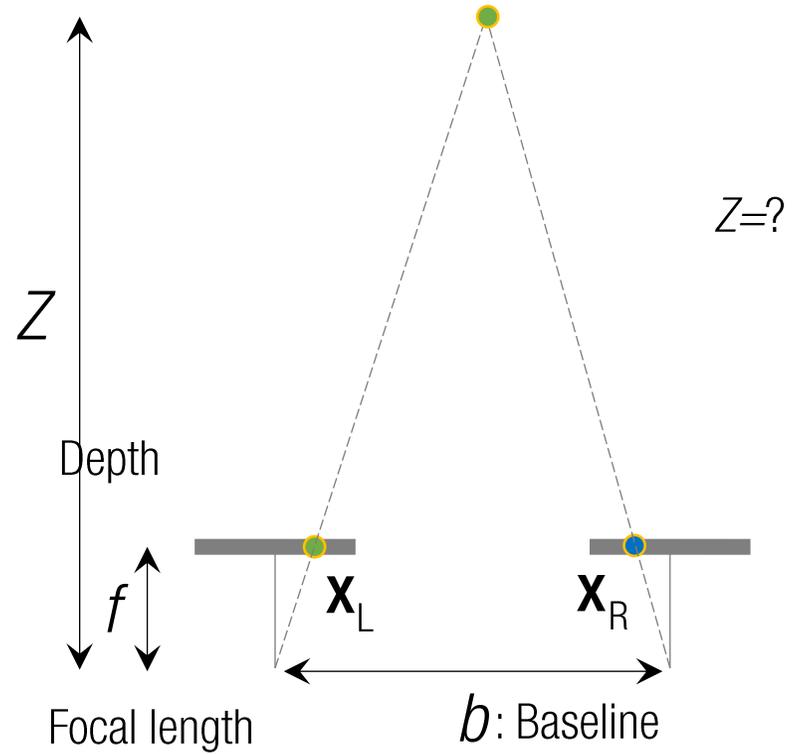
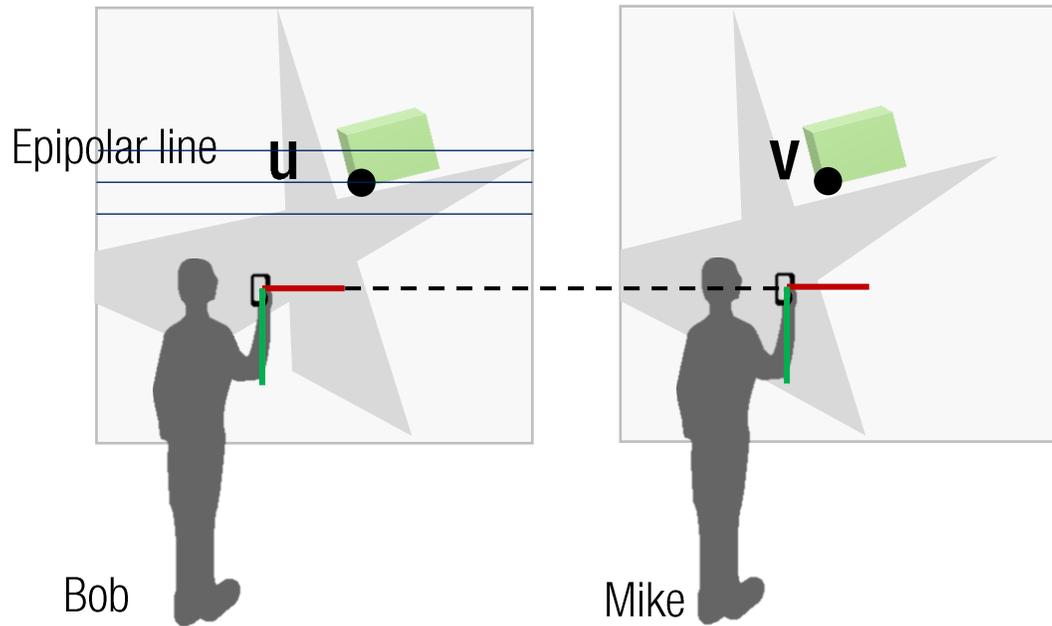
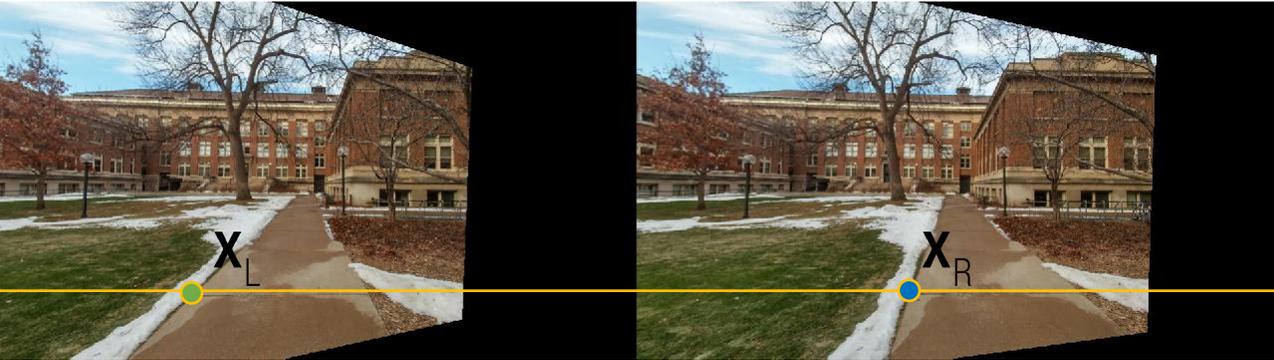
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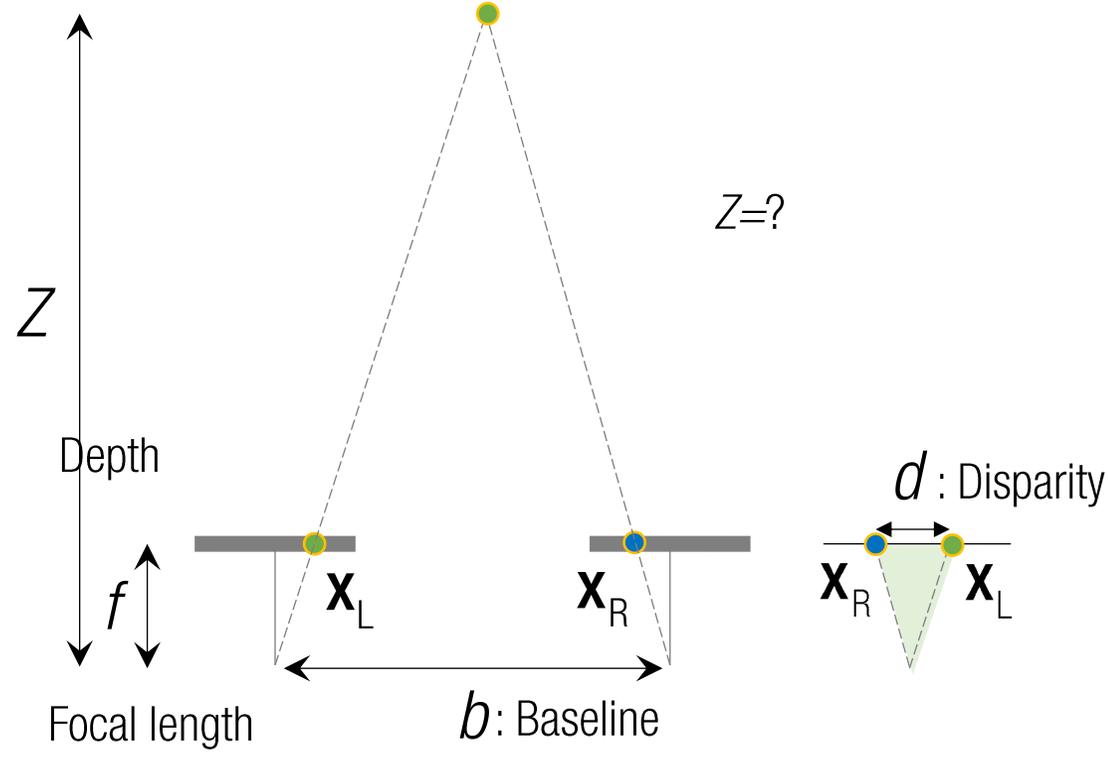
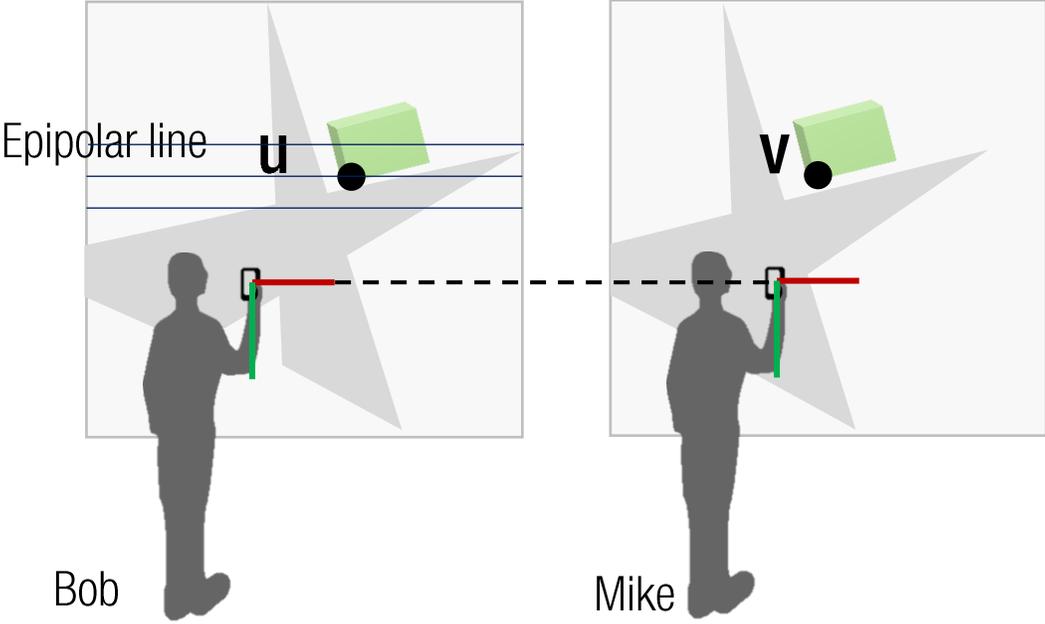
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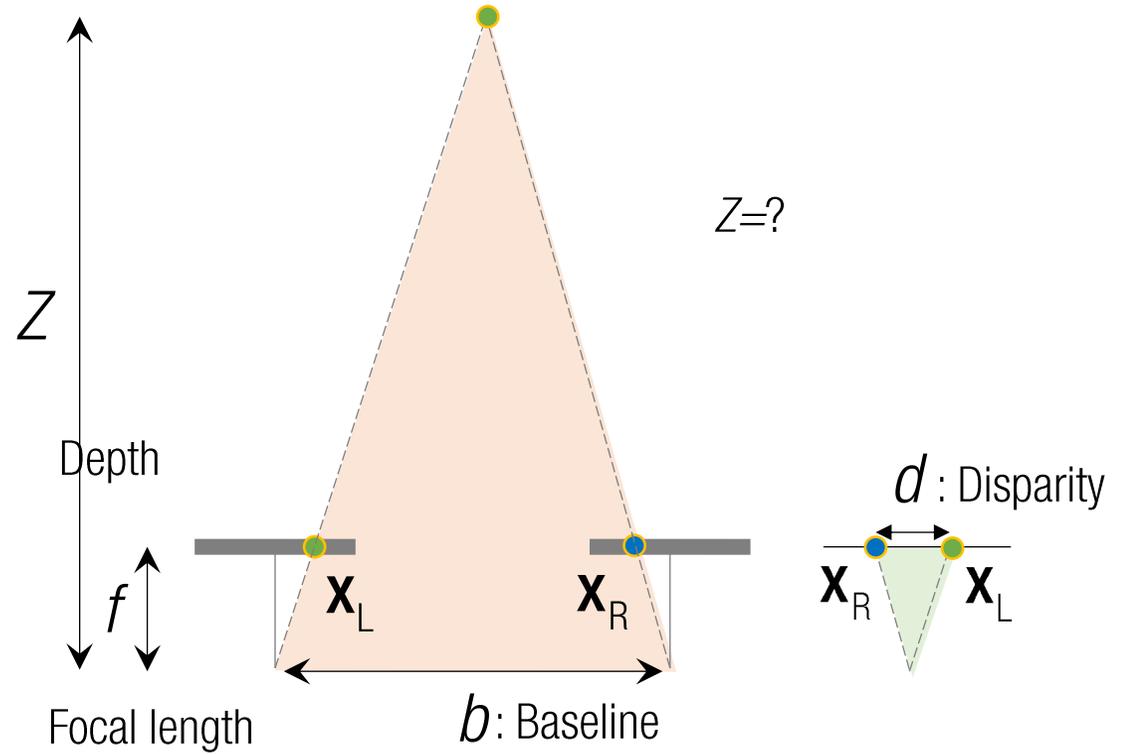
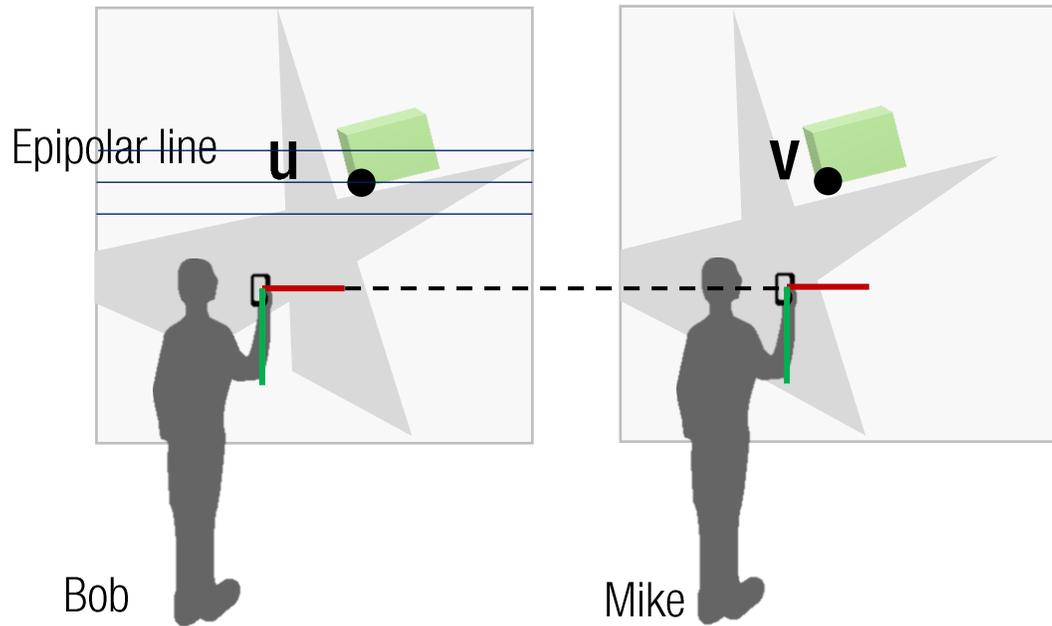
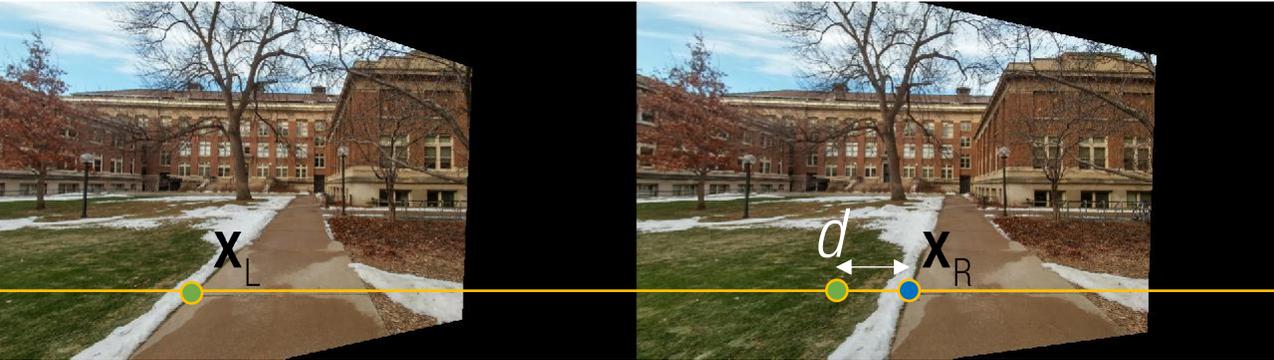
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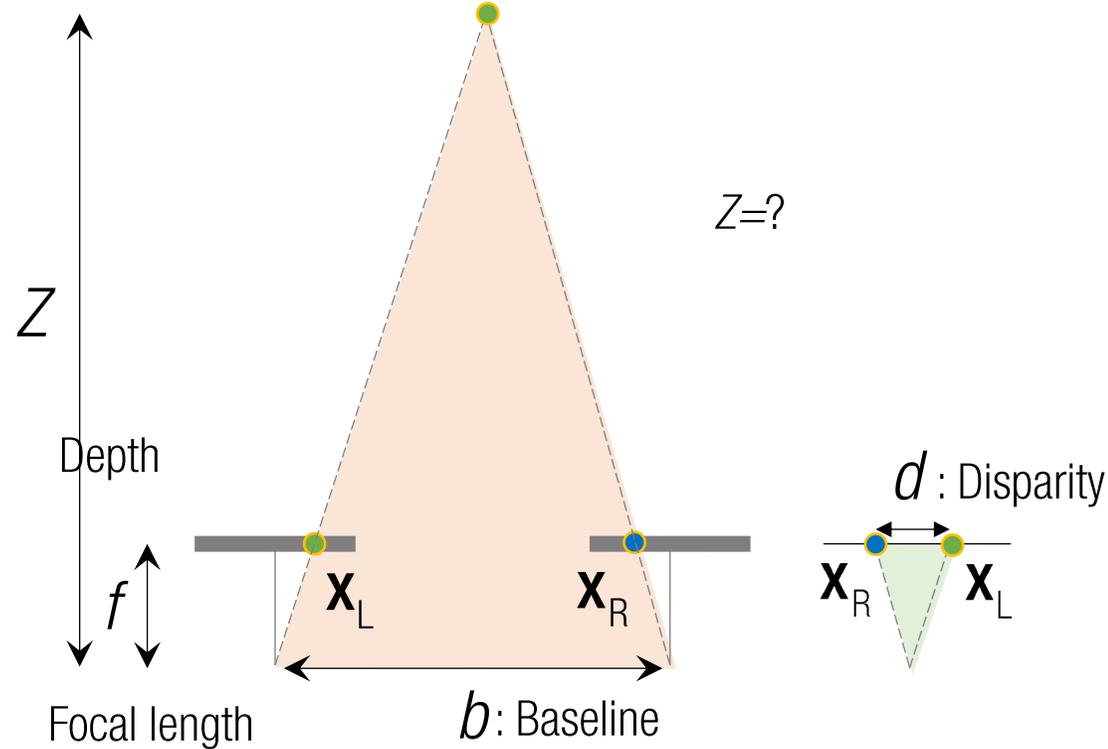
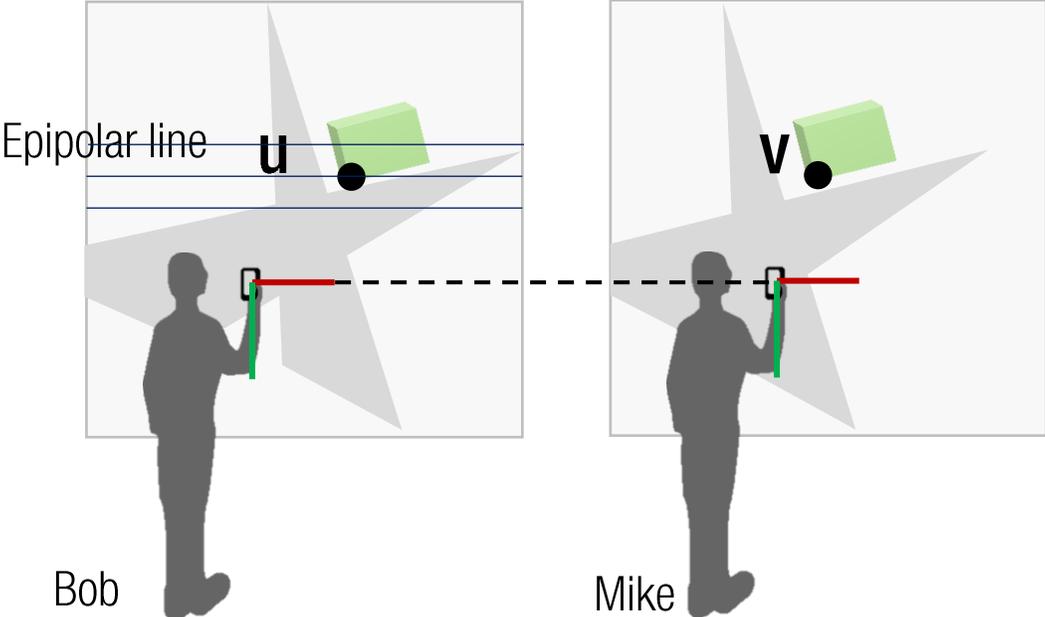
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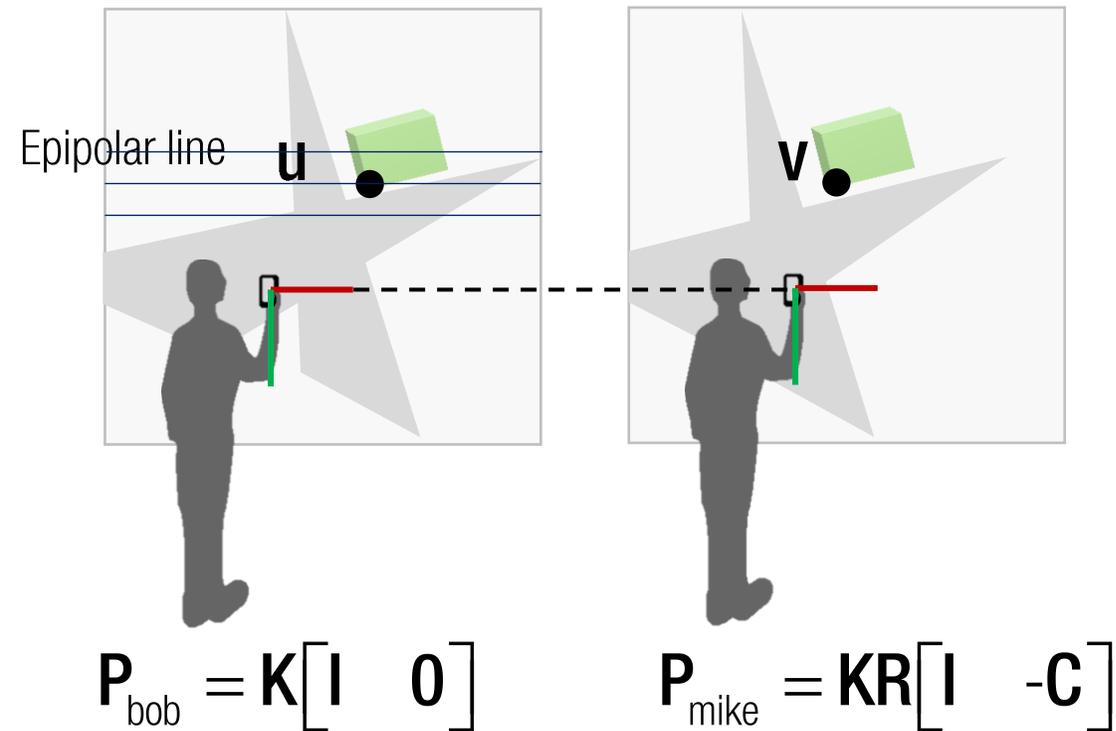
Two triangles are similar.

$$\frac{Z}{b} = \frac{f}{d} \rightarrow Z = b \frac{f}{d}$$

# Stereo Rectification



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- Same orientation

$$R_{\text{rect}} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{r}_x^T \\ \mathbf{r}_y^T \\ \mathbf{r}_z^T \end{bmatrix}$$

- Alignment between X axis and baseline

$$\mathbf{r}_x = \frac{\mathbf{C}}{\|\mathbf{C}\|}$$

$$\mathbf{r}_z = \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_z - (\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_z \cdot \mathbf{r}_x) \mathbf{r}_x}{\|\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_z - (\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_z \cdot \mathbf{r}_x) \mathbf{r}_x\|}$$

: Orthogonal projection

$$\mathbf{r}_y = \mathbf{r}_z \times \mathbf{r}_x$$

where  $\tilde{\mathbf{r}}_z = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$

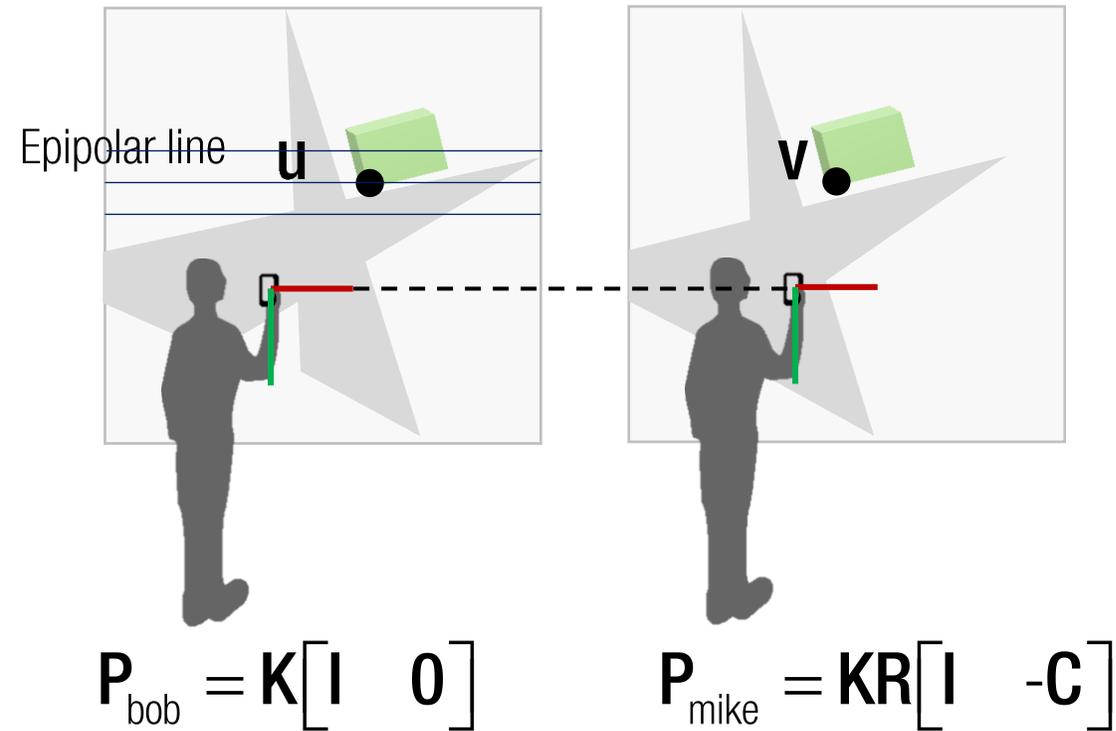
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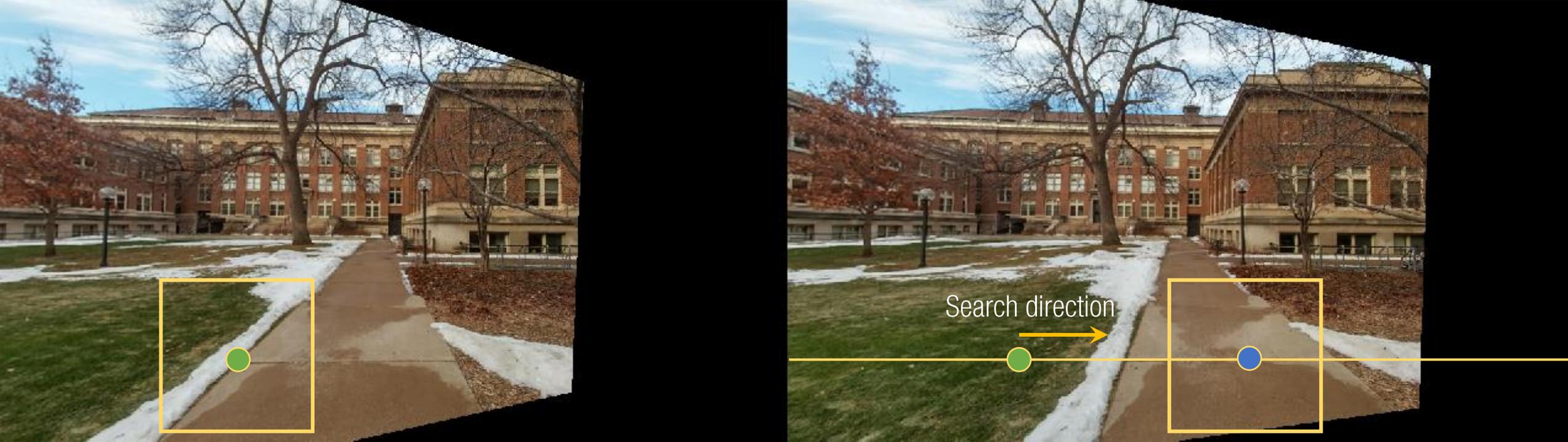
Homography by pure rotation:  $\mathbf{R}_{\text{rect}}$

$$\mathbf{H}_{\text{bob}} = \mathbf{K} \mathbf{R}_{\text{rect}} \mathbf{K}^{-1}$$

$$\mathbf{H}_{\text{mike}} = \mathbf{K} \mathbf{R}_{\text{rect}} \mathbf{R}^T \mathbf{K}^{-1}$$



# Dense Feature Matching using SIFT Flow



Find a minimum distance over the epipolar line



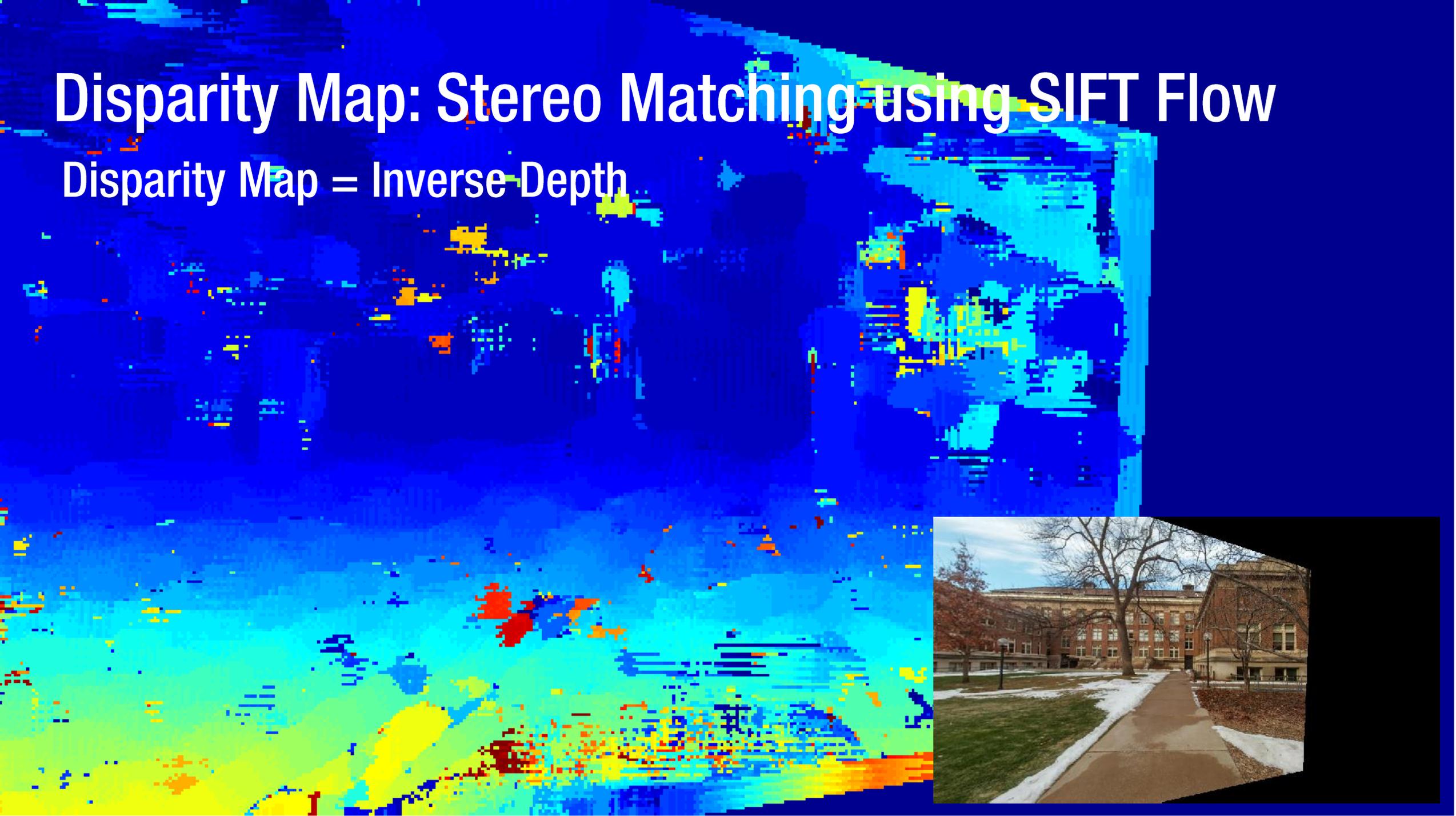
descriptor1



descriptor2

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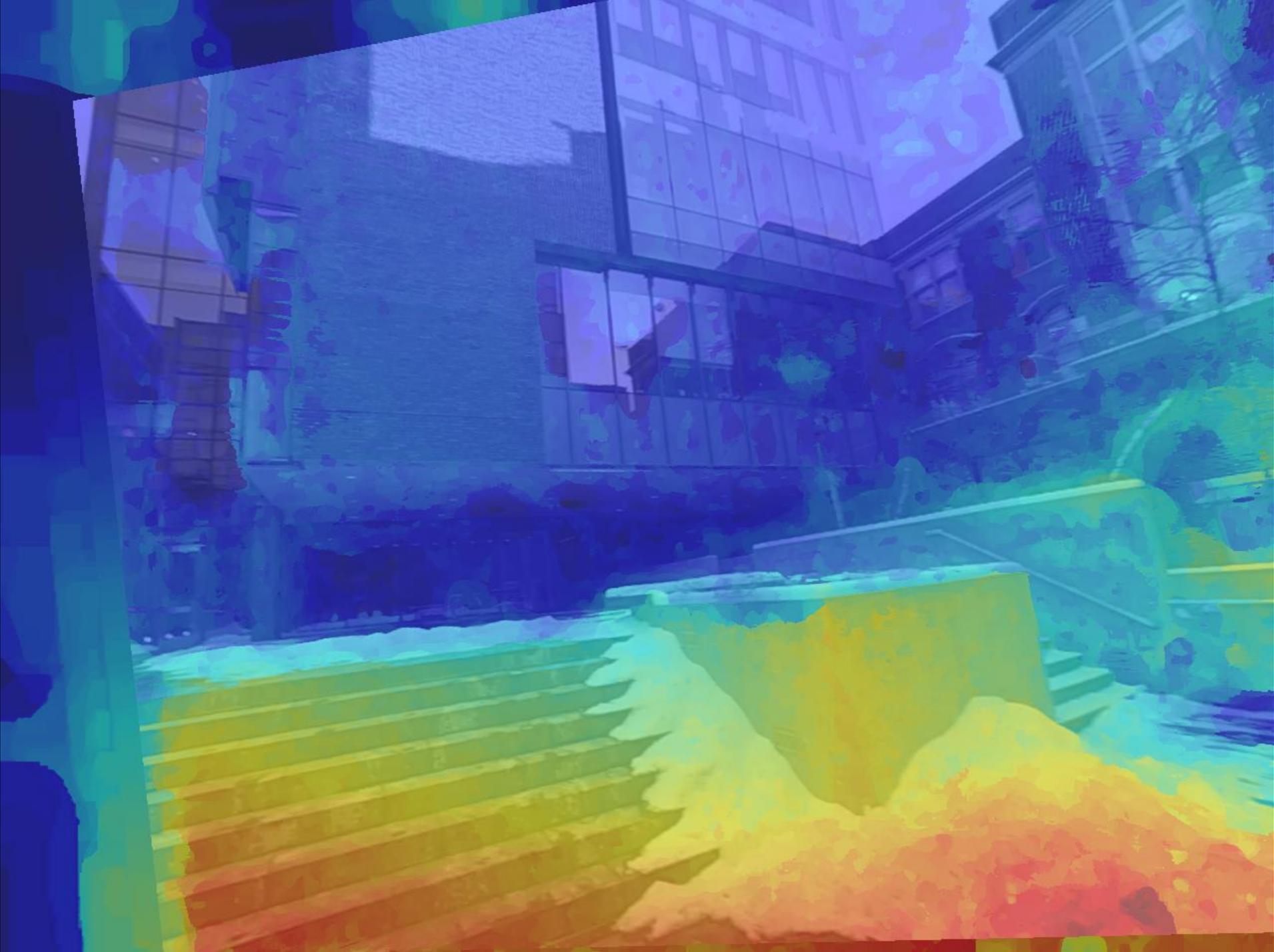


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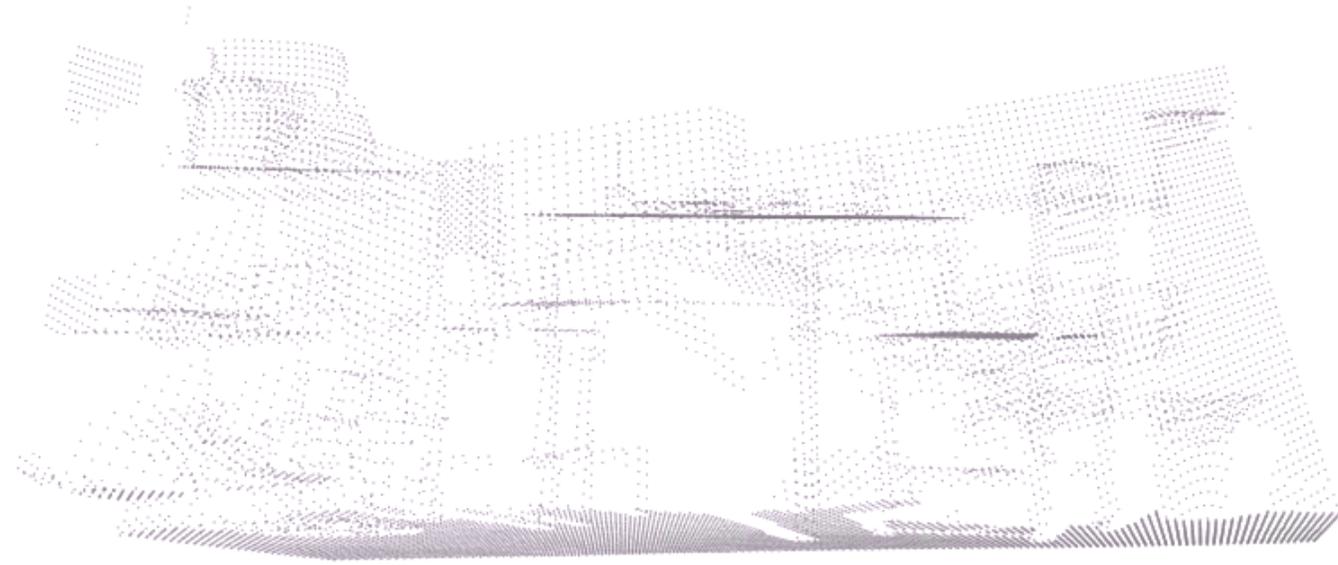
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# EgoMotion Dataset (outdoor)



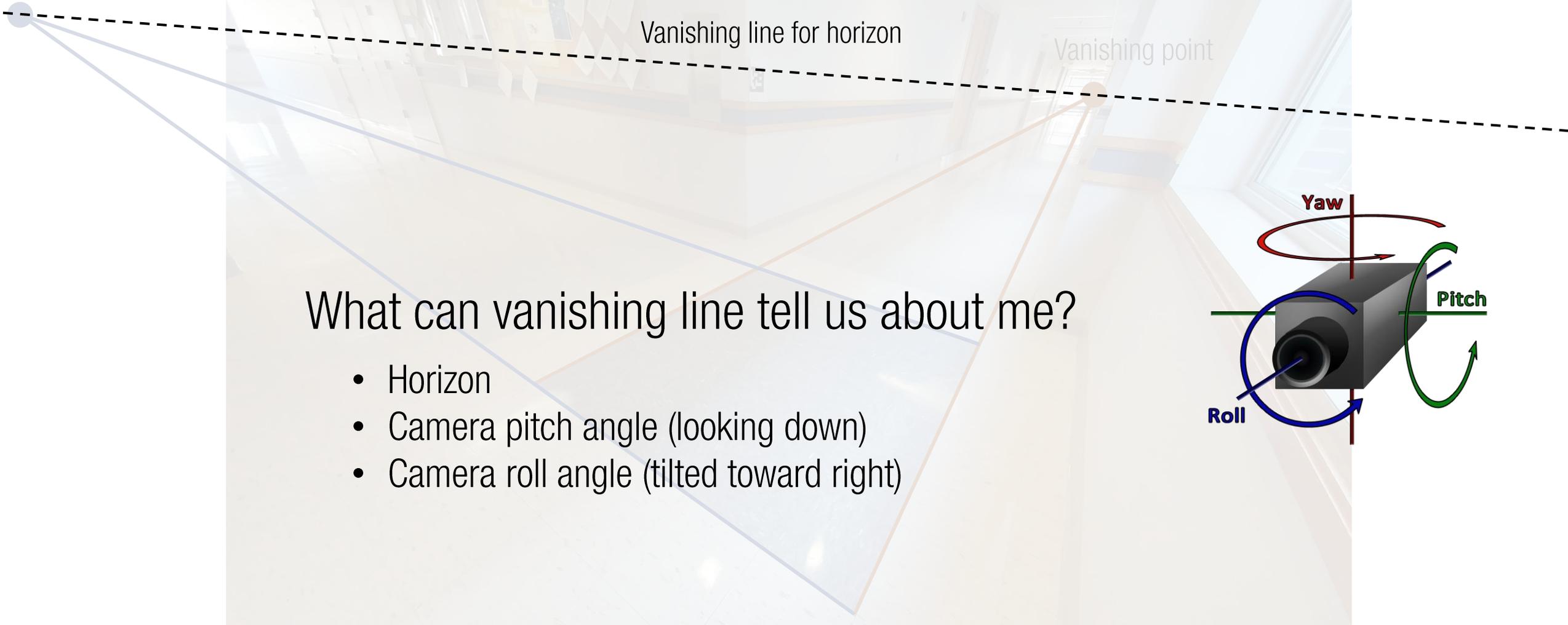
# Dense Reconstruction using a Monocular Camera



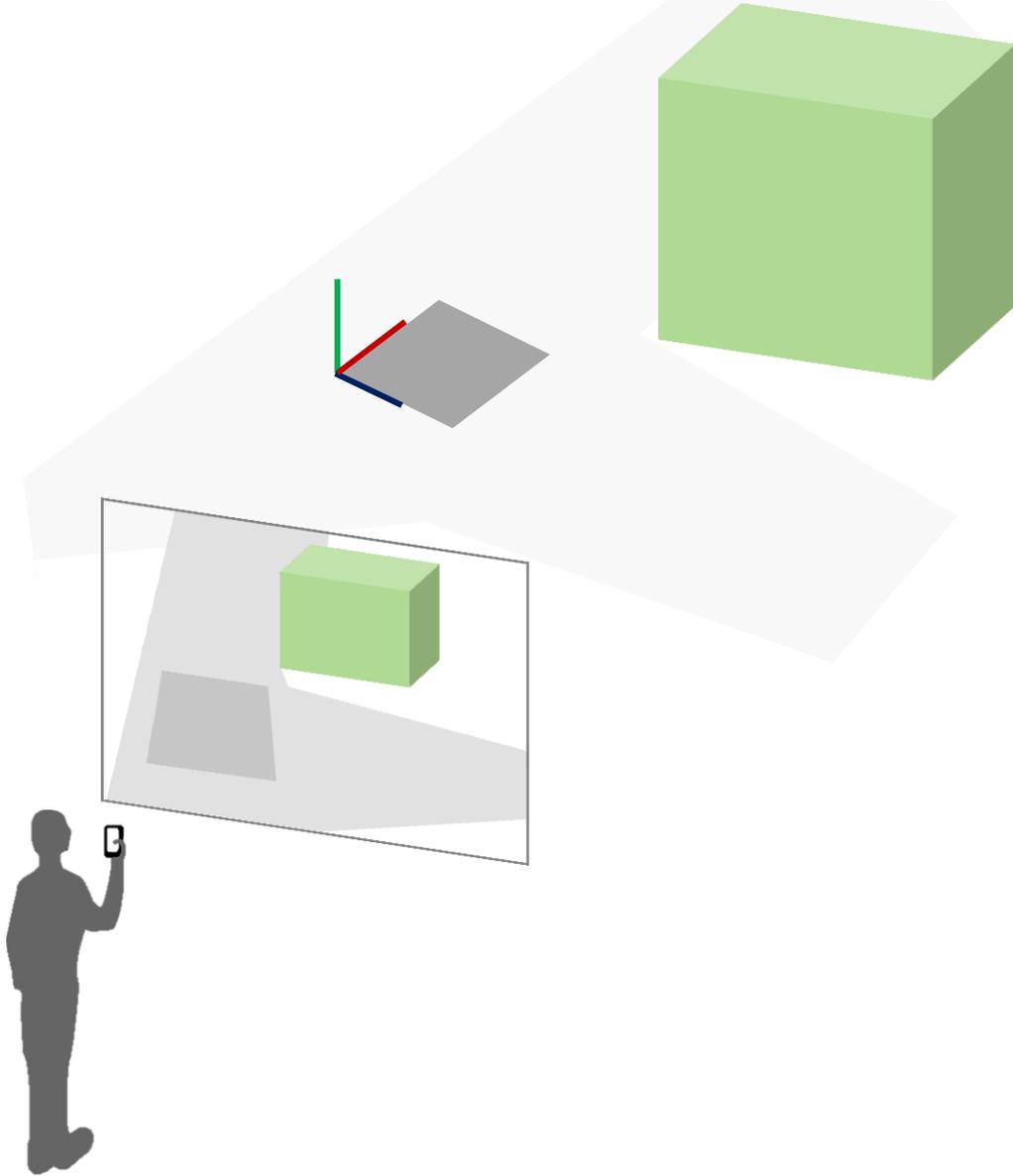
# Where am I? Perspective-n-Point



# Recall: Vanishing Line

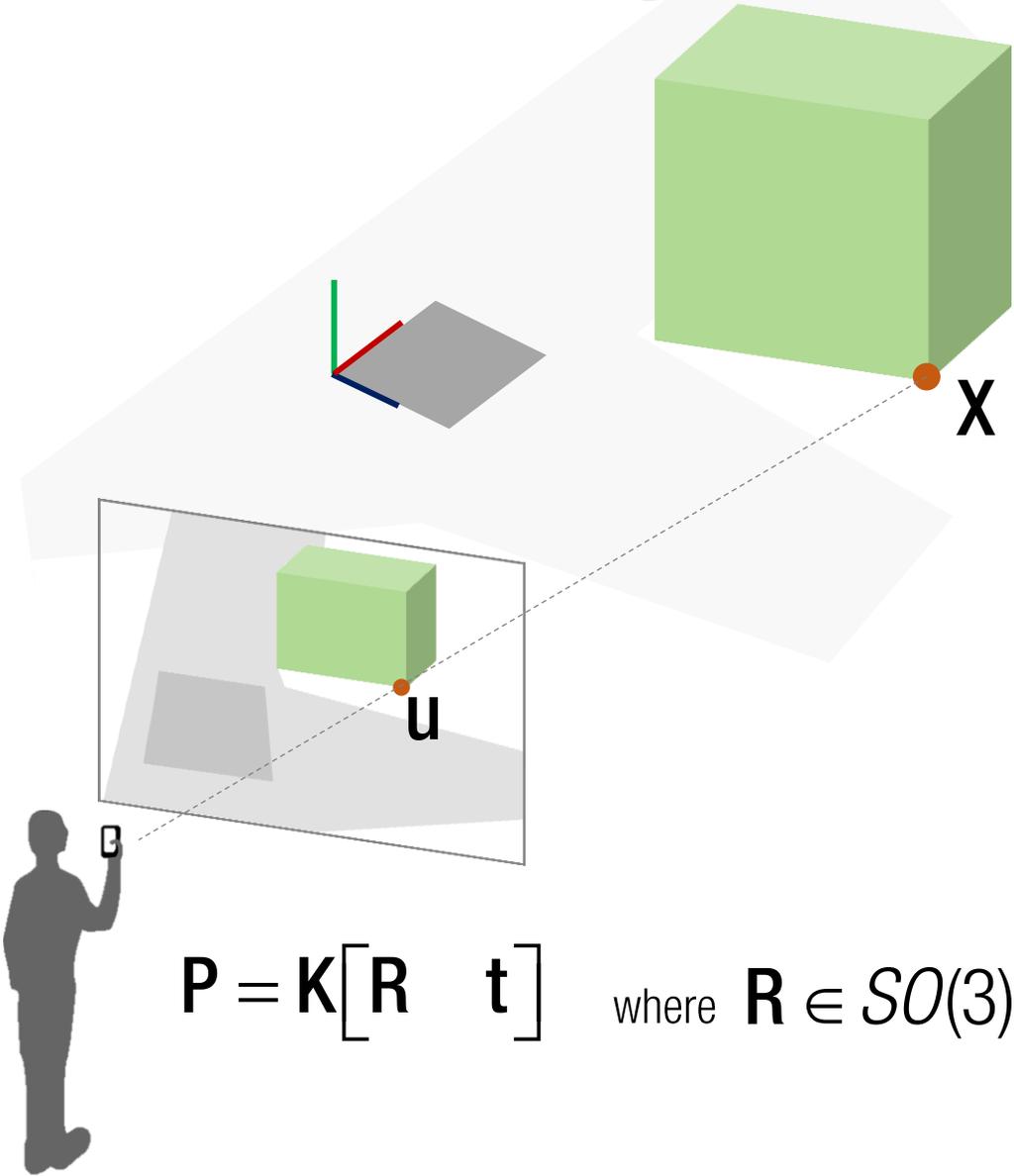


# What can 3D scene points tell us about?



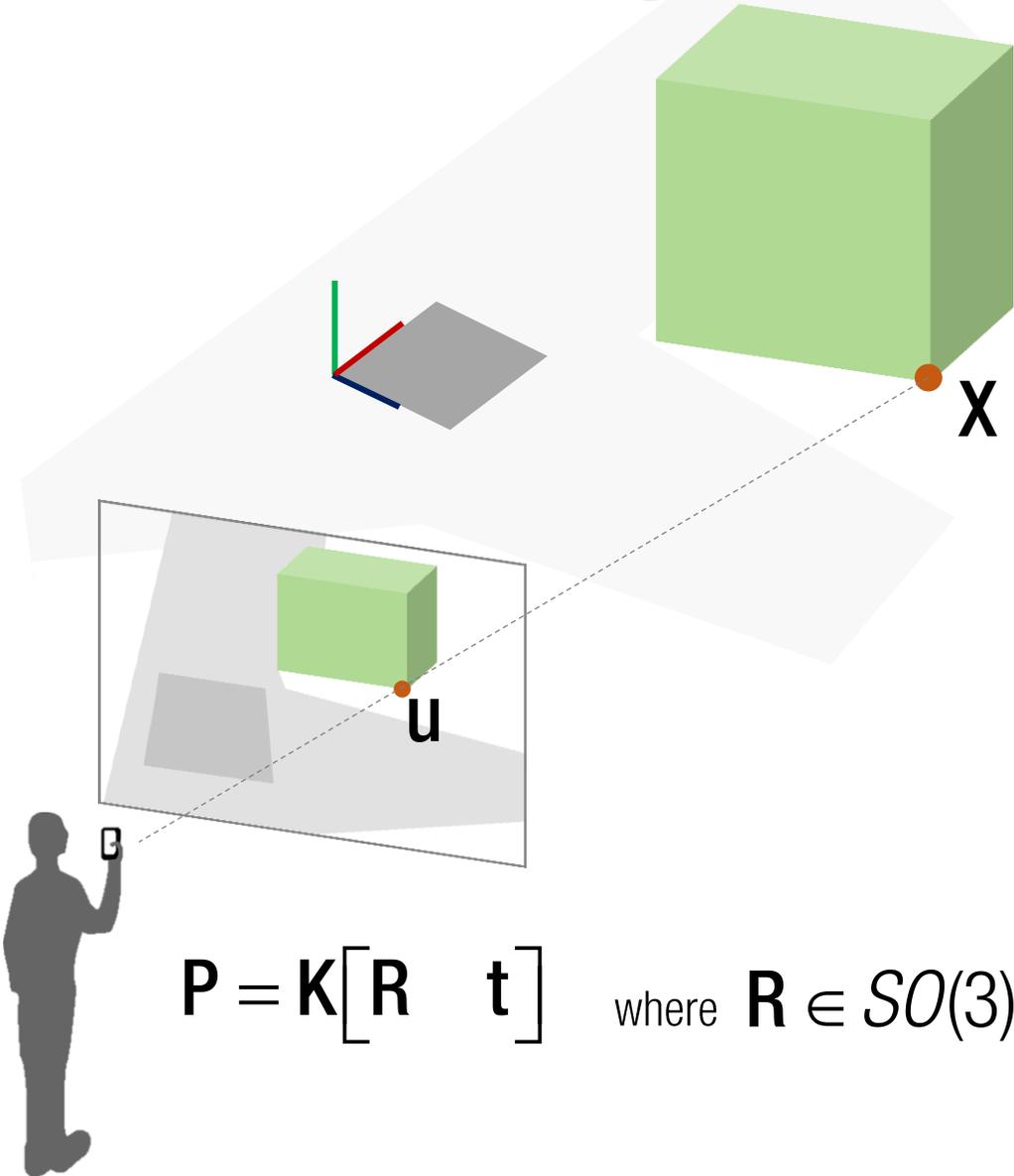
<http://www.wired.com/gadgetlab/2010/07/camera-software-lets-you-see-into-the-past/>

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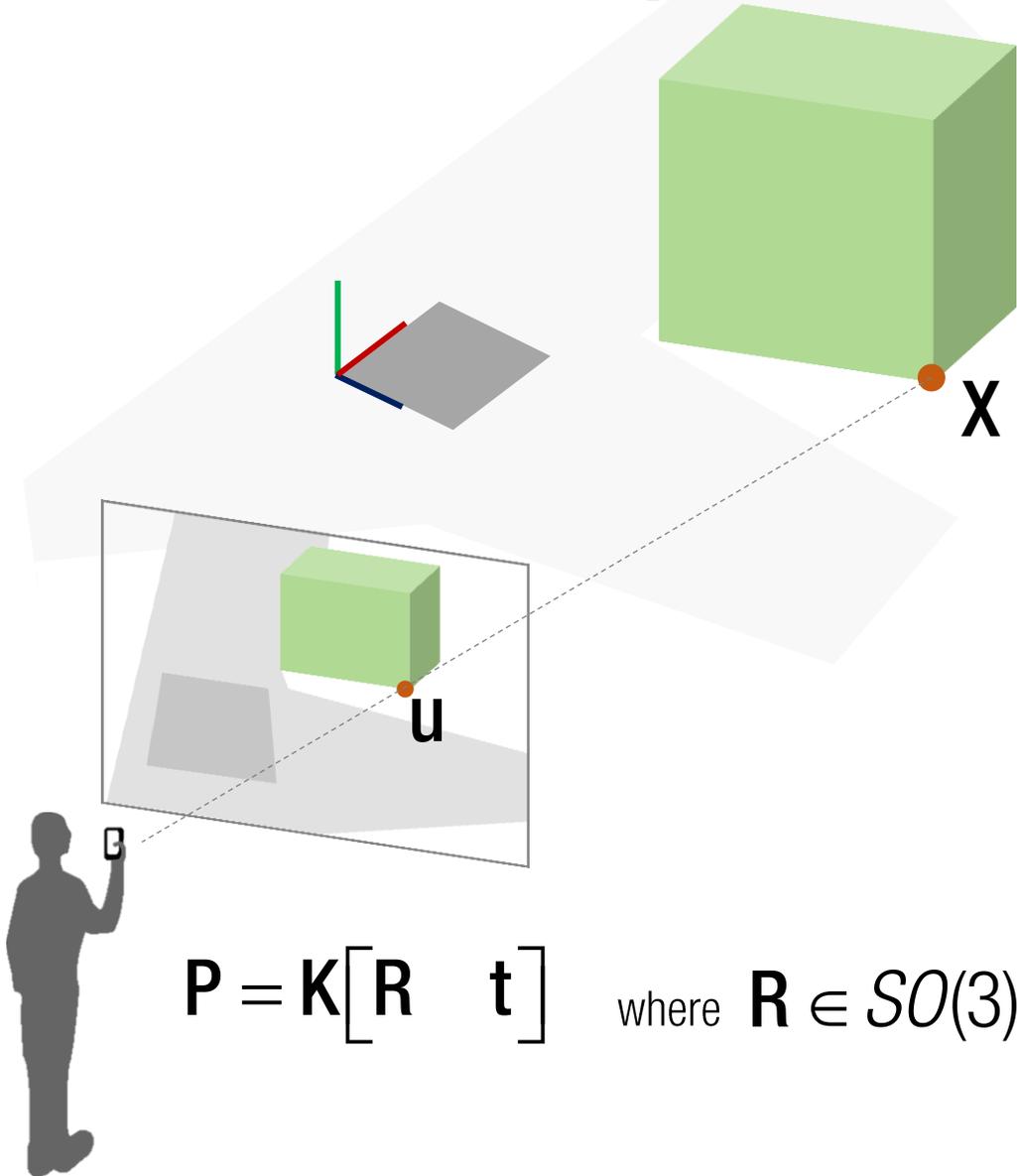


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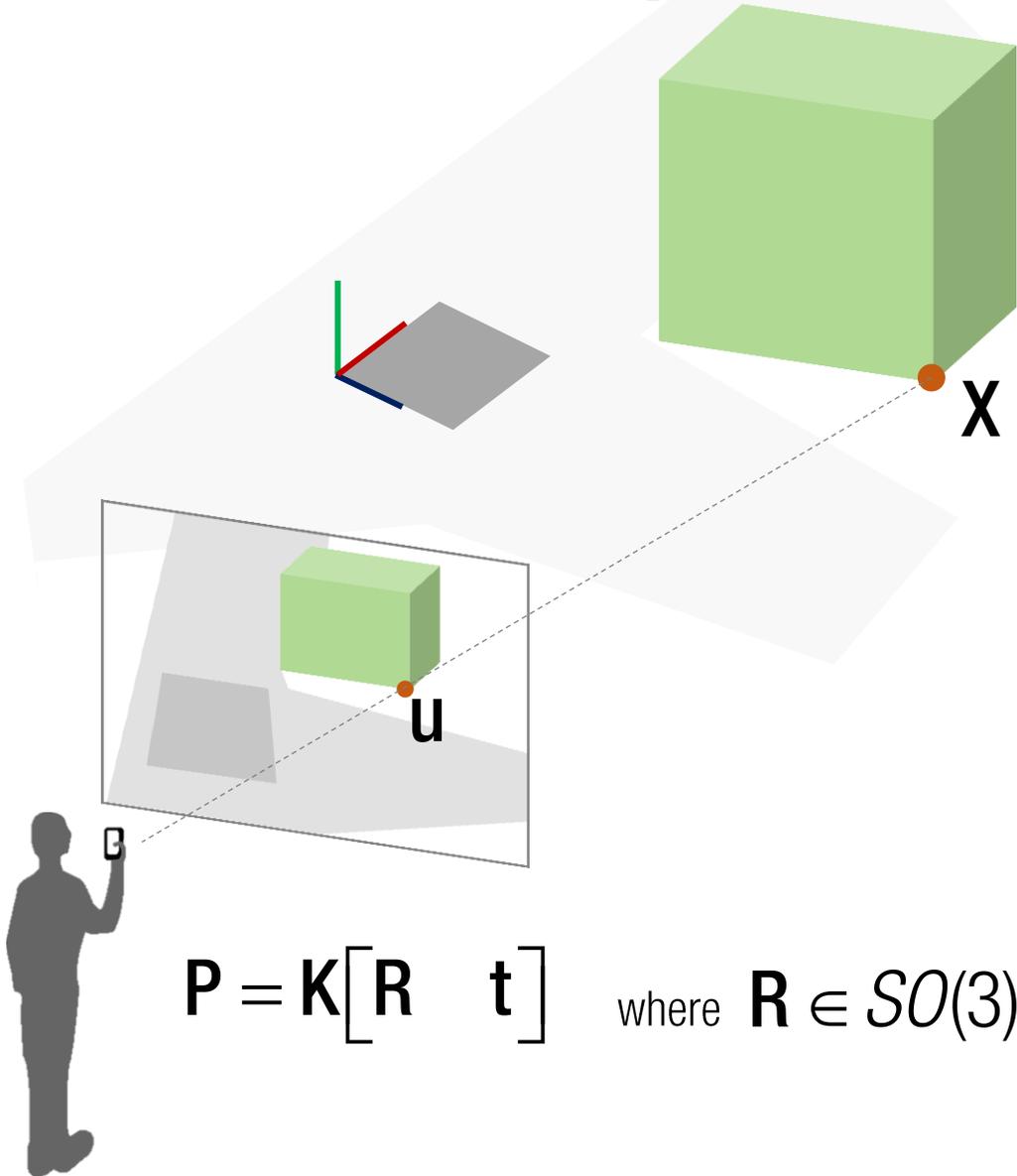
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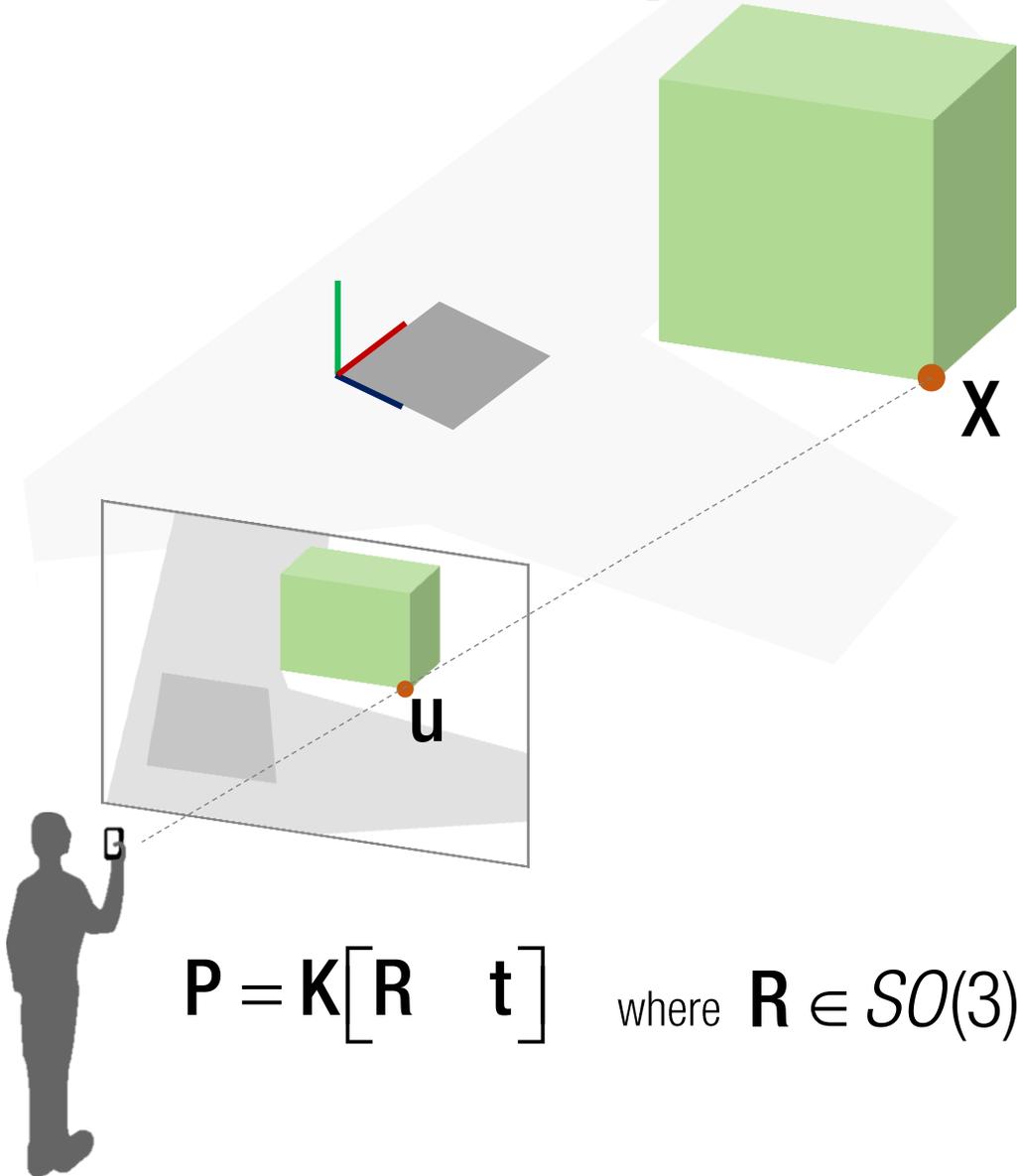
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# of unknowns: 11 = 12 (3x4 matrix) - 1 (scale)

# of equations per correspondence: 2

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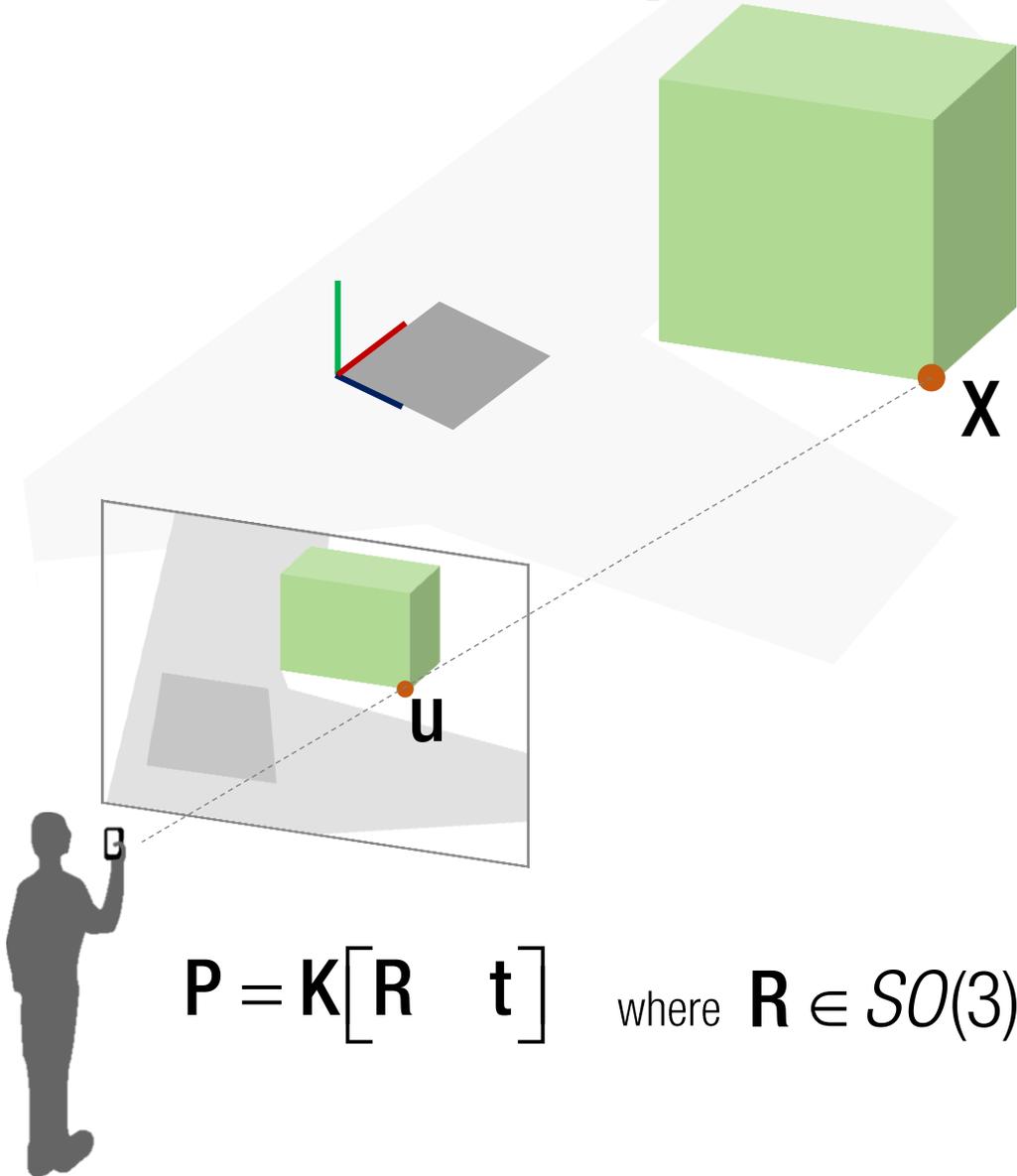
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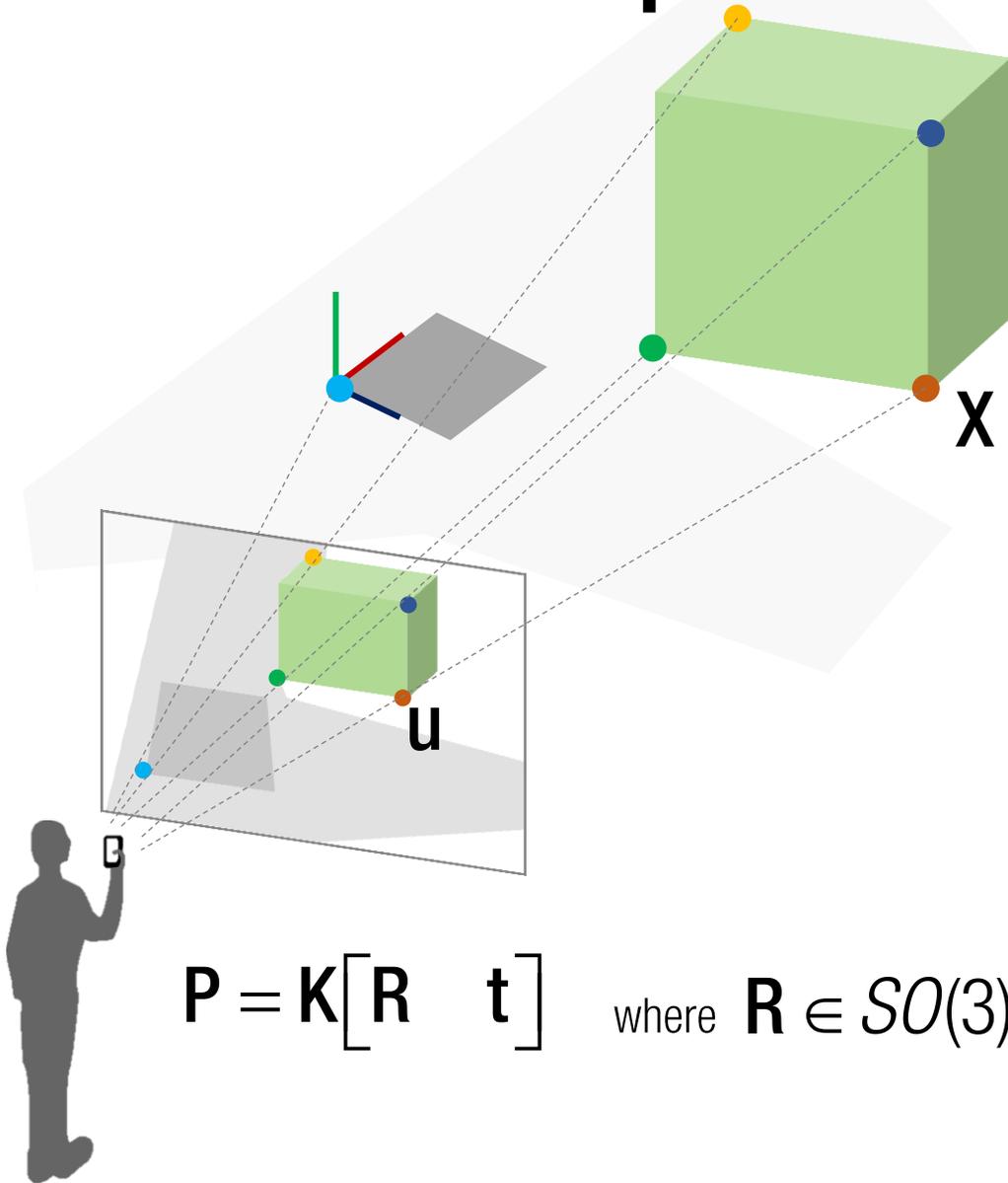
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$$\begin{bmatrix} X & Y & Z & 1 & -u^x X & -u^x Y & -u^x Z & -u^x \\ & X & Y & Z & 1 & -u^y X & -u^y Y & -u^y Z & -u^y \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \rho_{11} \\ \rho_{12} \\ \rho_{13} \\ \rho_{14} \\ \rho_{21} \\ \rho_{22} \\ \rho_{23} \\ \rho_{24} \\ \rho_{31} \\ \rho_{32} \\ \rho_{33} \\ \rho_{34} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

2x12

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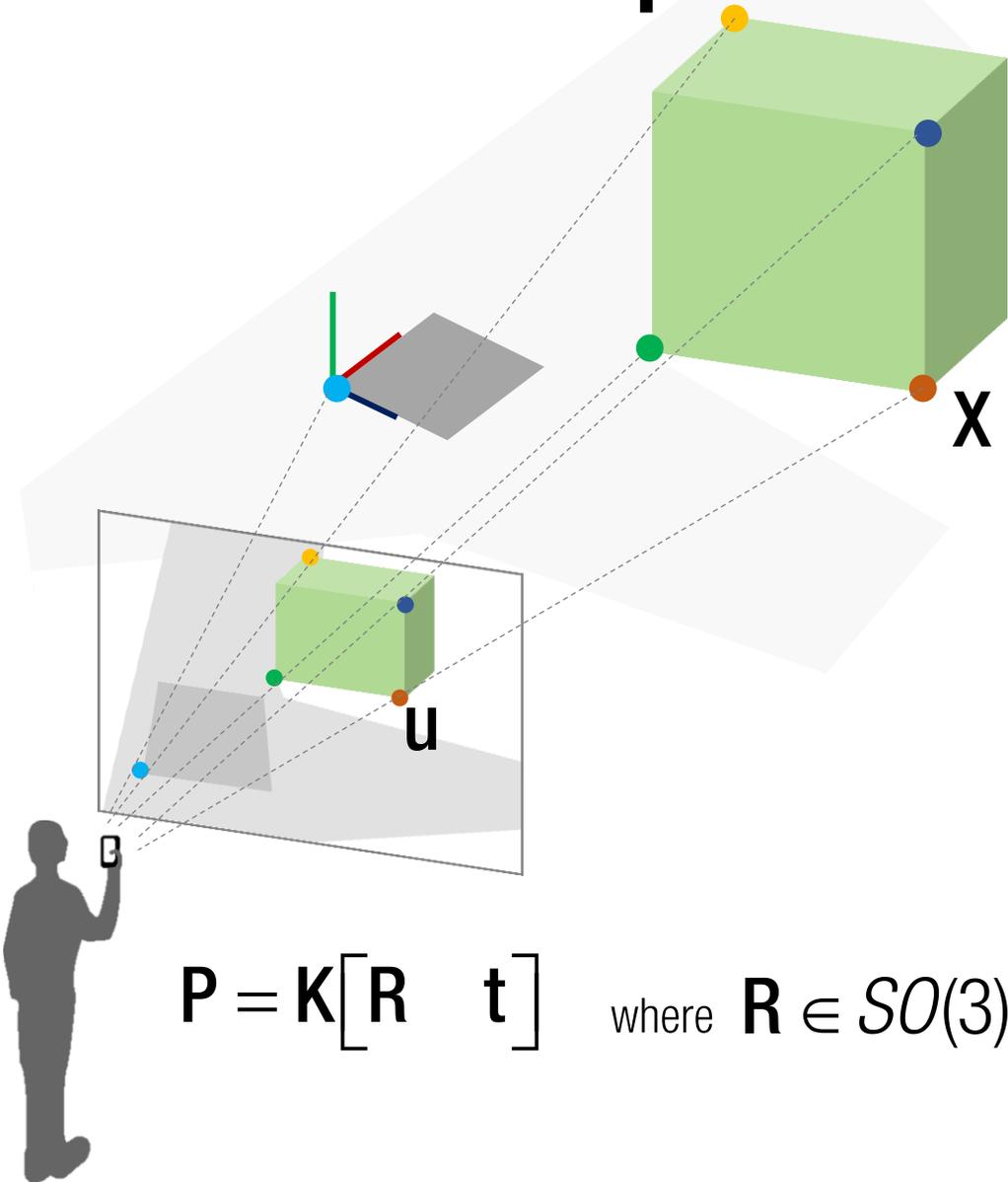
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 \vdots & \vdots \\
 X_m & Y_m & Z_m & 1 & & & & & -u_m^x X & -u_m^x Y & -u_m^x Z & -u_m^x \\
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$2m \times 12$

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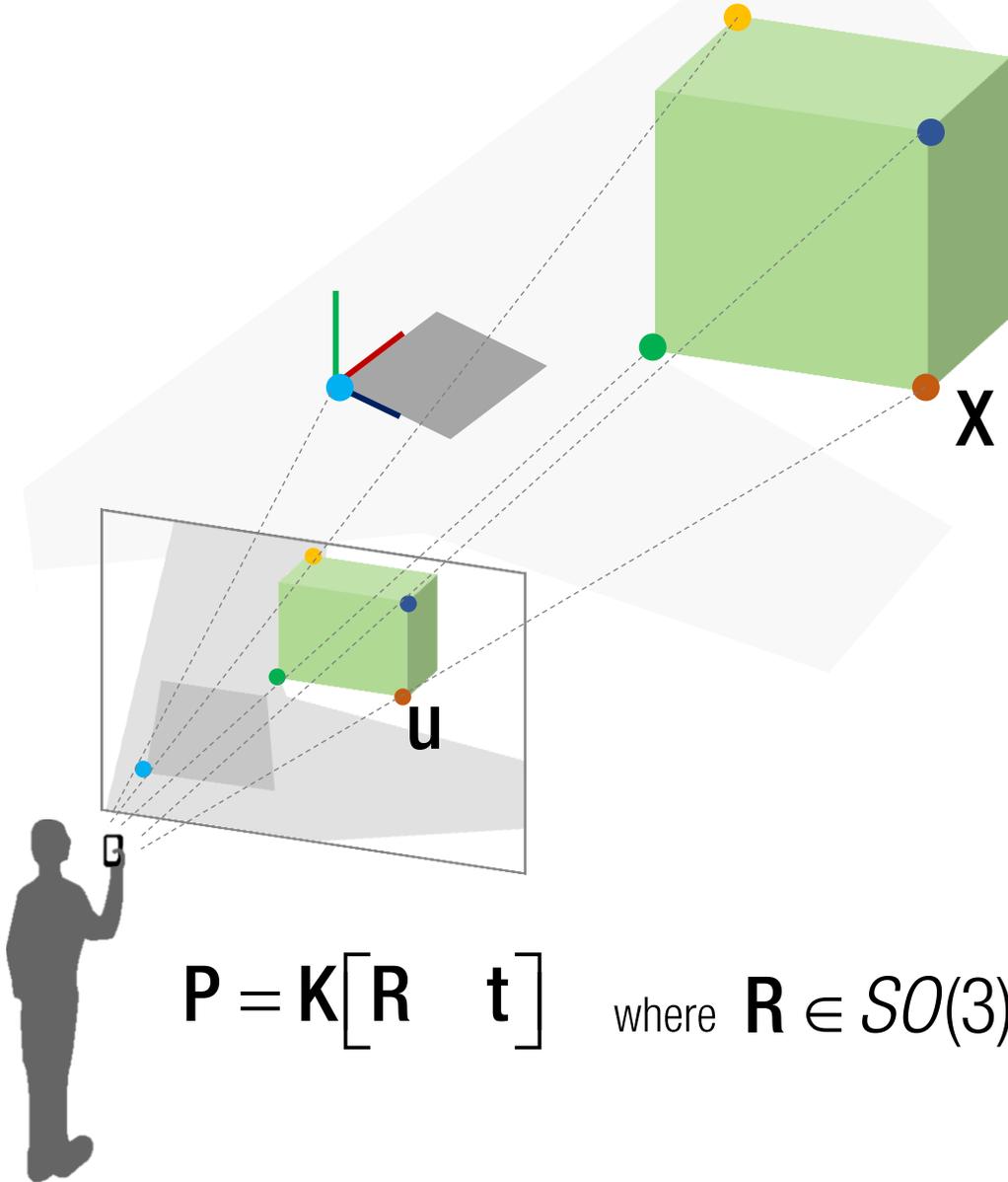
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# Camera Pose Estimation

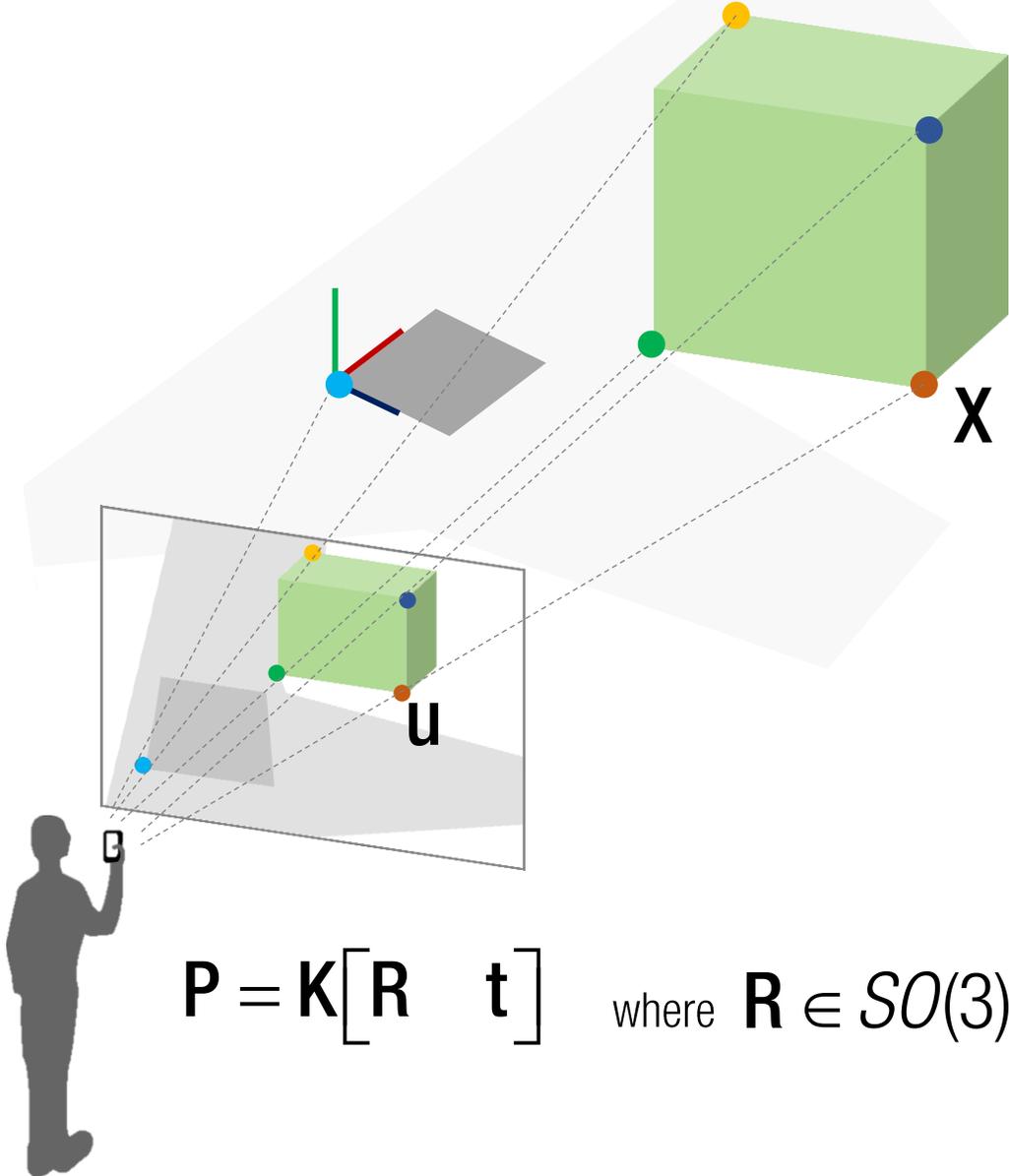


If  $K$  is given,

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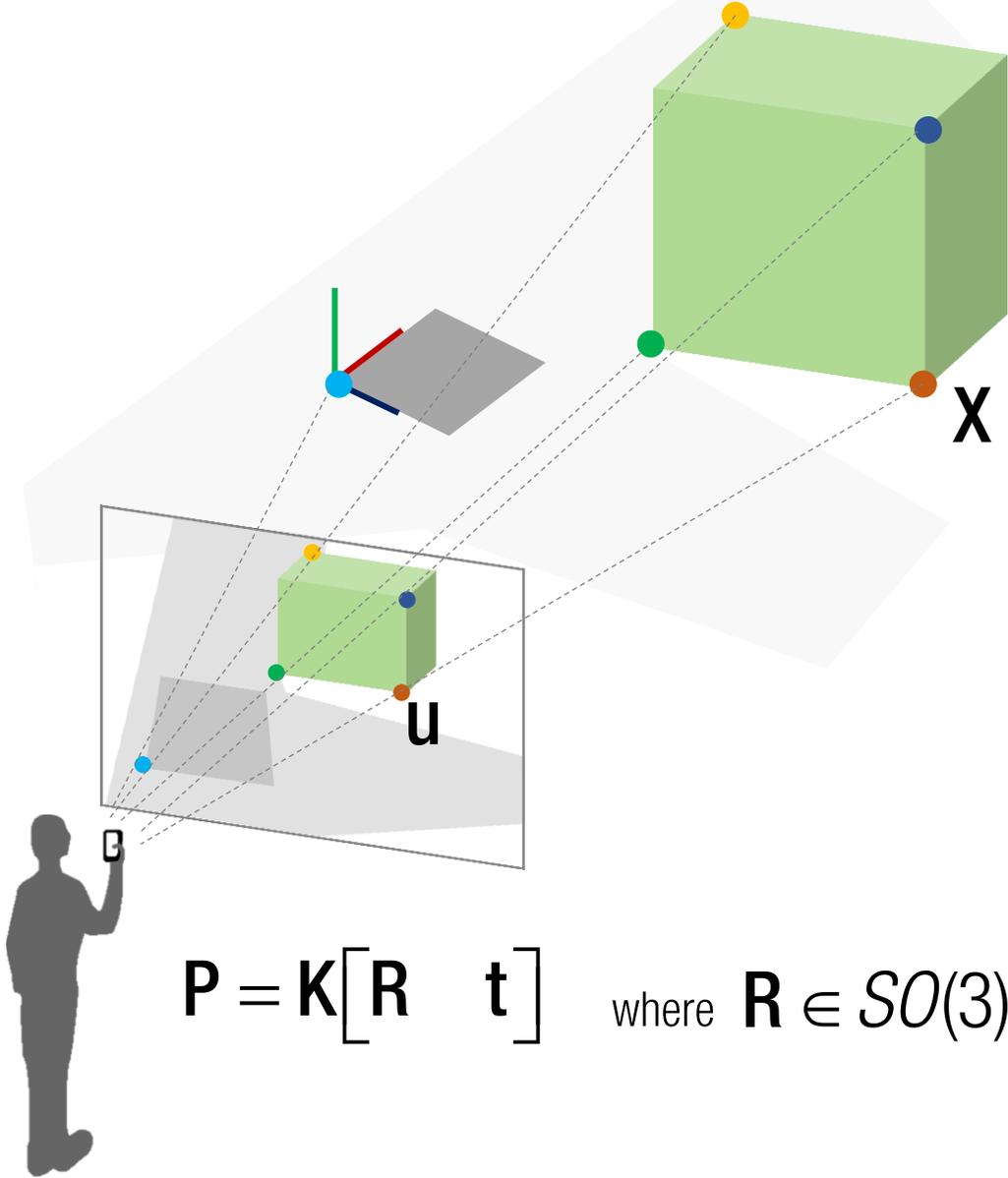


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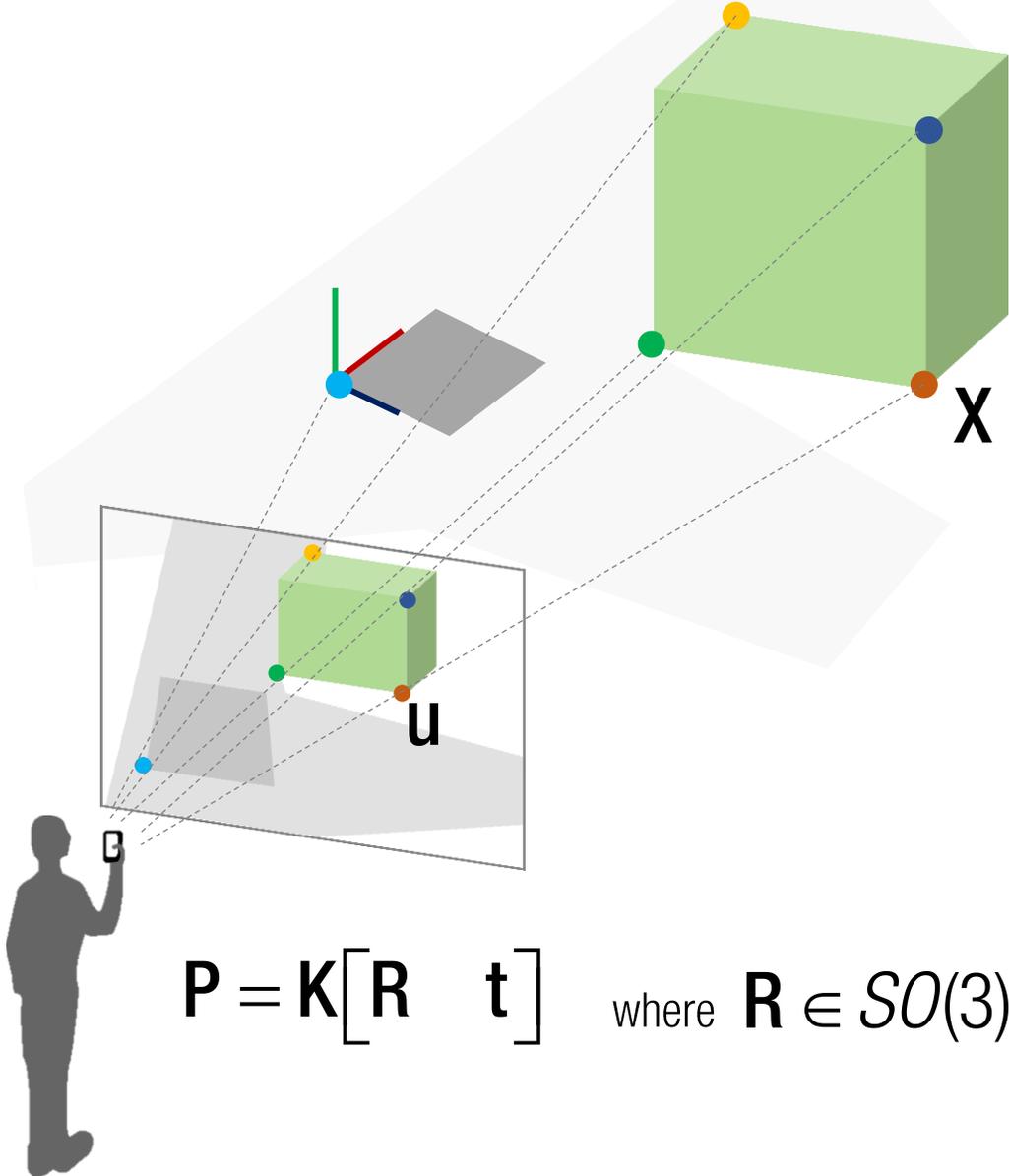
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$$K^{-1} [p_1 \ p_2 \ p_3] = U \begin{bmatrix} d_{11} & & \\ & d_{22} & \\ & & d_{33} \end{bmatrix} V^T$$

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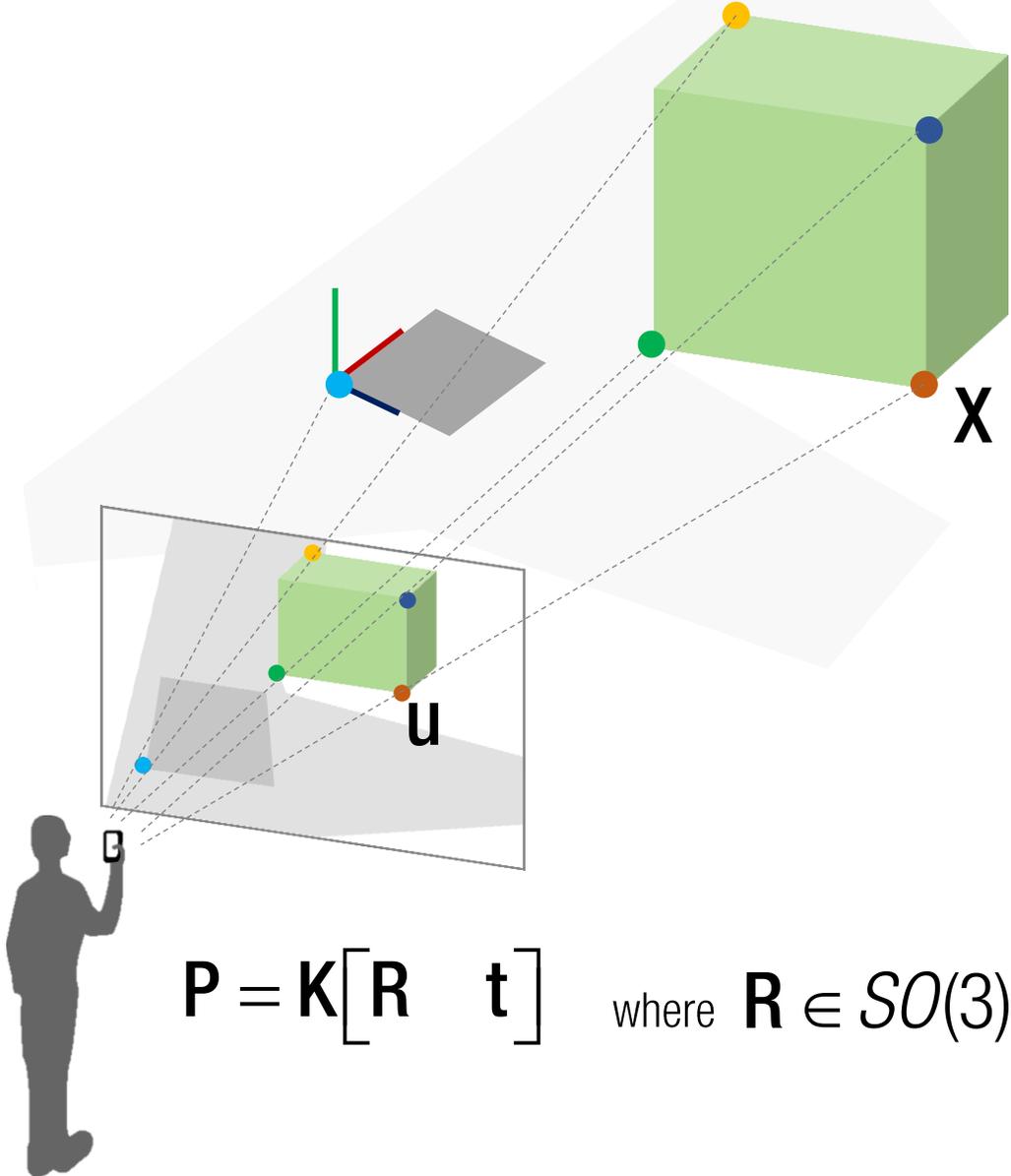
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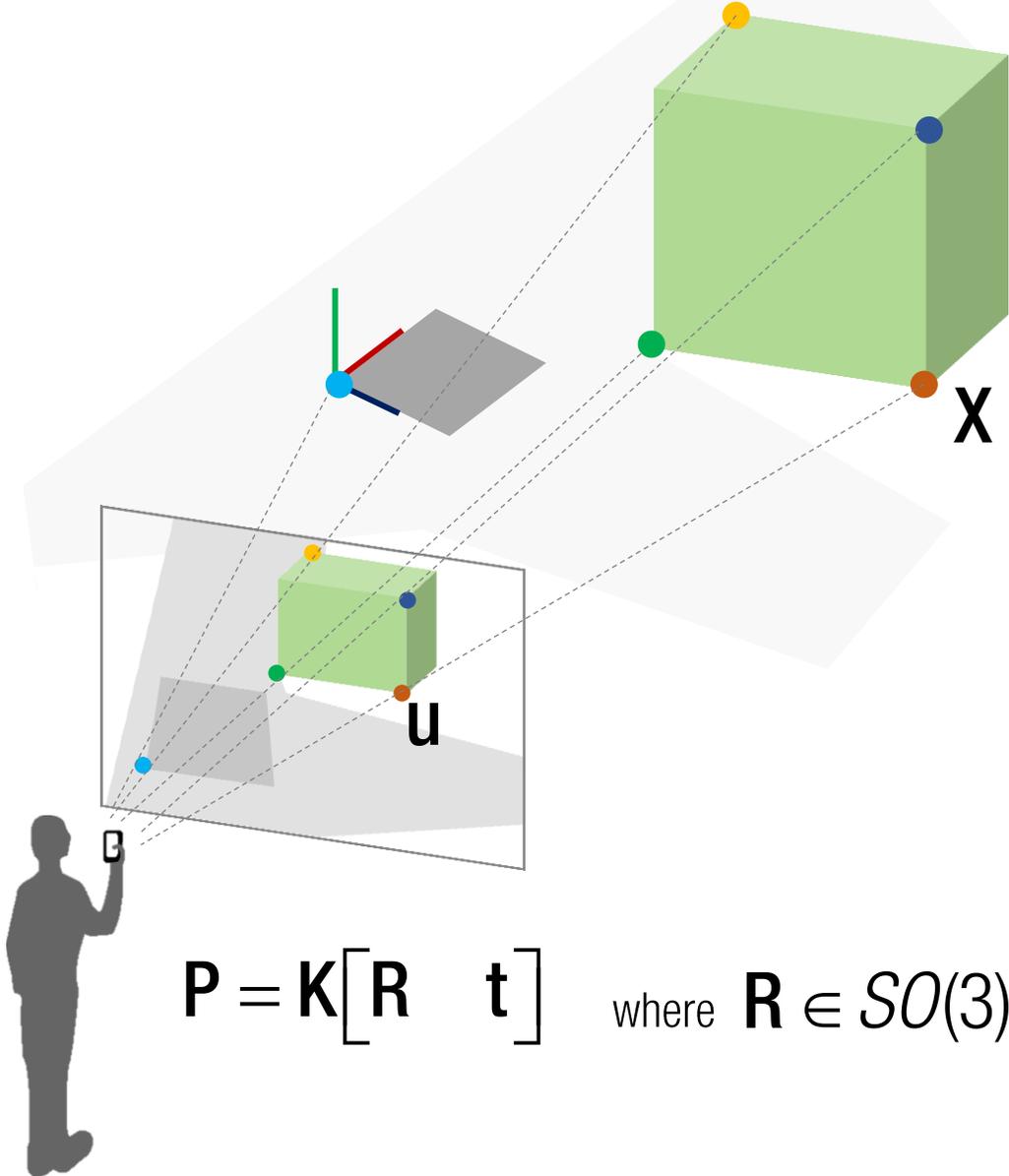
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$$\longrightarrow \mathbf{t} = \frac{\mathbf{K}^{-1} \mathbf{p}_4}{d_{11}} \quad : \text{Translation and scale recovery}$$

# Camera Pose Estimation



```
function [R t] = LinearPnP(X, u, K)
A = [];
for i = 1 : size(X,1)
    %% Build A matrix here
End
```

```
[u d v] = svd(A);
P = v(:,end);
P = [P(1:4)'; P(5:8)'; P(9:12)'];
R = inv(K)*P(:,1:3);
t = inv(K)*P(:,4);
```

```
% SVD clean up
[u d v] = svd(R);
R = u * v';
t = t/d(1,1);
```

```
if det(R) < 0
    R = -R;
    t = -t;
end
```

$$R = UV^T$$

$$\mathbf{t} = \frac{K^{-1} \mathbf{p}_4}{d_{11}}$$

# RANSAC Camera Pose Estimation

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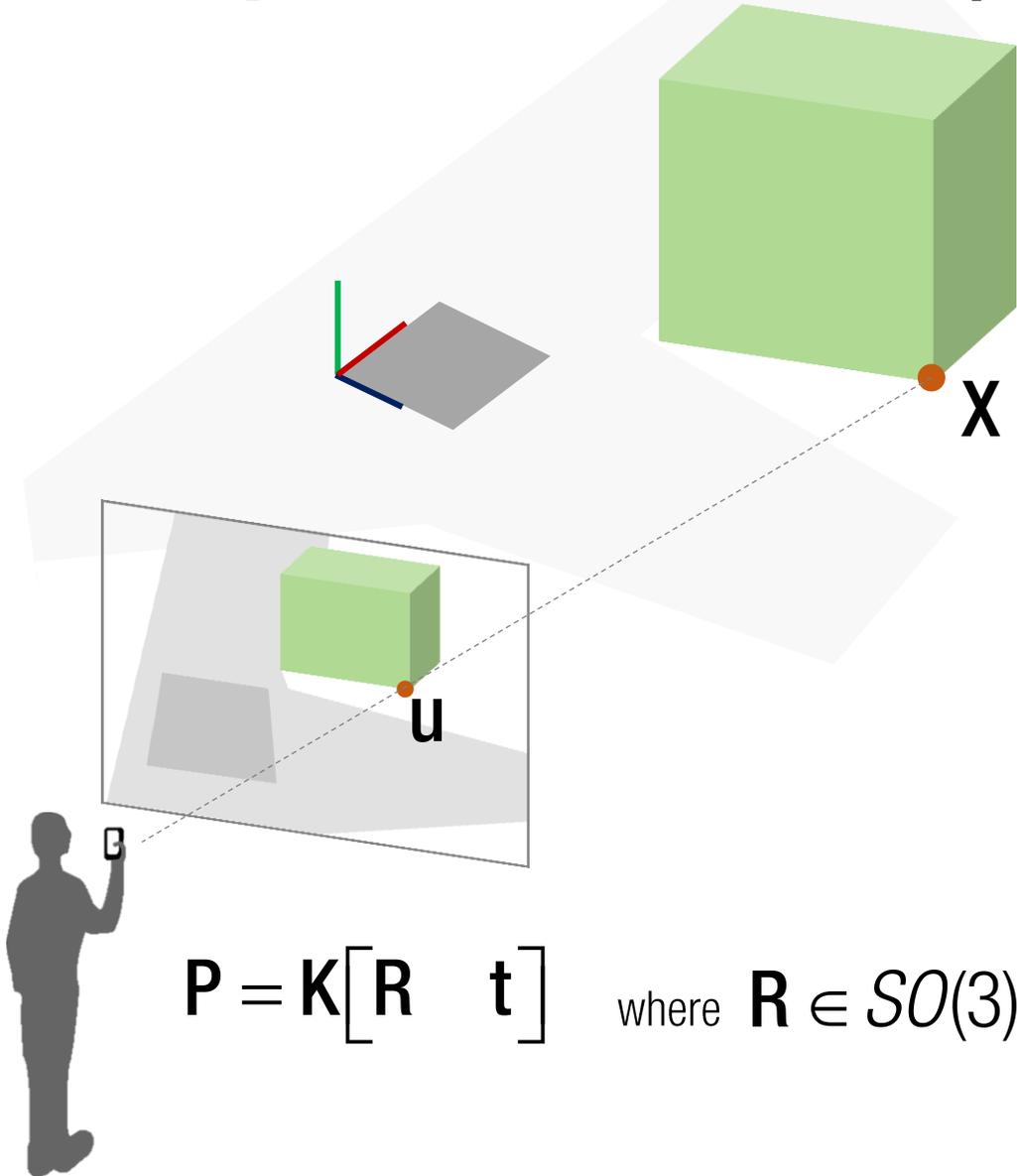
## Algorithm 1 PnP RANSAC

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1:  $nInliers \leftarrow 0$ 
2: for  $i = 1 : M$  do
3:   Choose 6 correspondences,  $\mathbf{X}_r$  and  $\mathbf{w}_r$ , randomly from  $\mathbf{X}$  and  $\mathbf{w}$ .
4:    $[\mathbf{R}_r, \mathbf{t}_r] = \text{LinearPnP}(\mathbf{X}_r, \mathbf{w}_r, \mathbf{K})$ 
5:   Compute the number of inliers,  $n_r$ , with respect to  $\mathbf{R}_r, \mathbf{t}_r$ .
6:   if  $n_r > nInliers$  then
7:      $nInliers \leftarrow n_r$ 
8:      $\mathbf{R} = \mathbf{R}_r$  and  $\mathbf{t} = \mathbf{t}_r$ 
9:   end if
10: end for
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# Perspective-3-Point (P3P)



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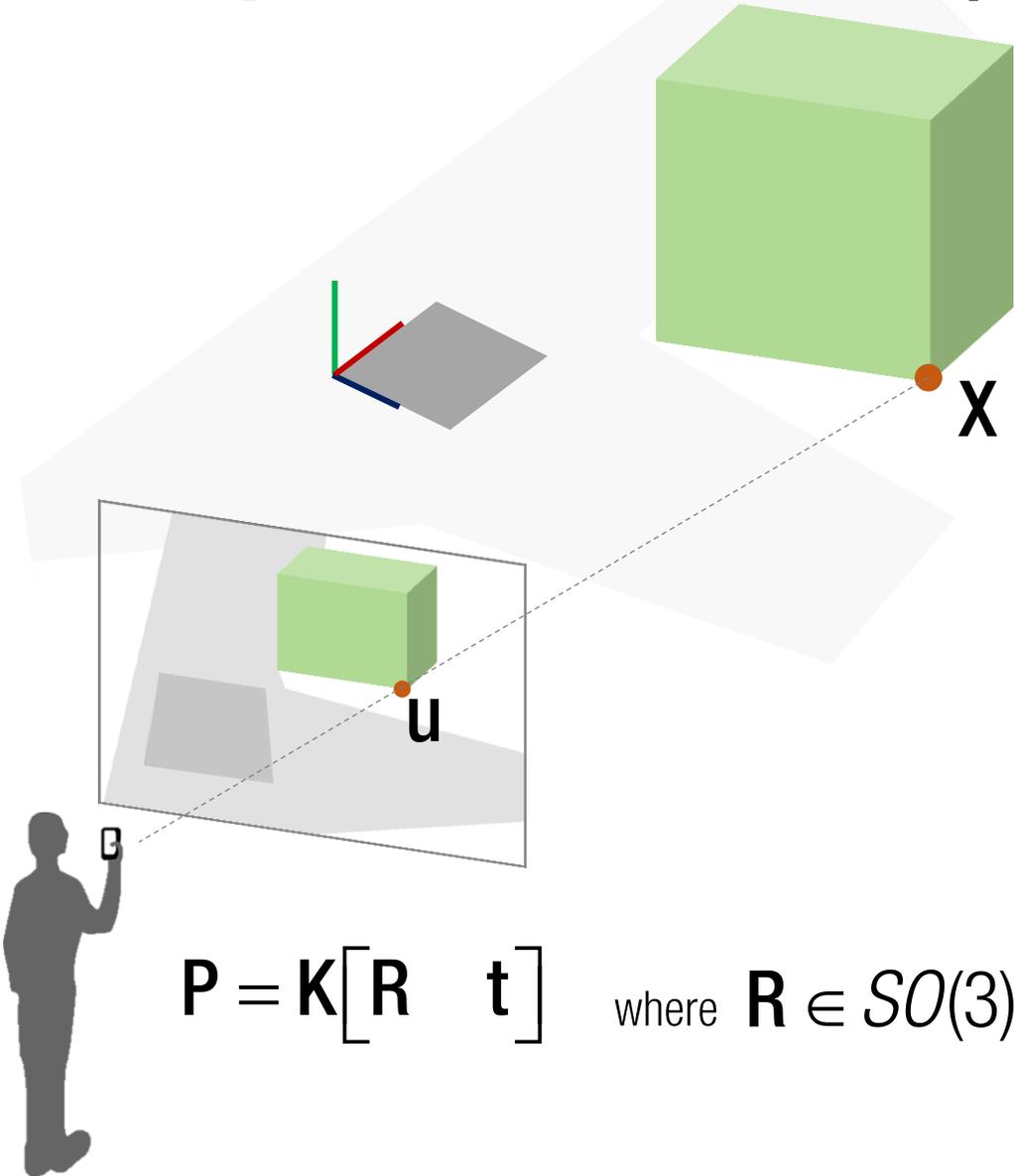
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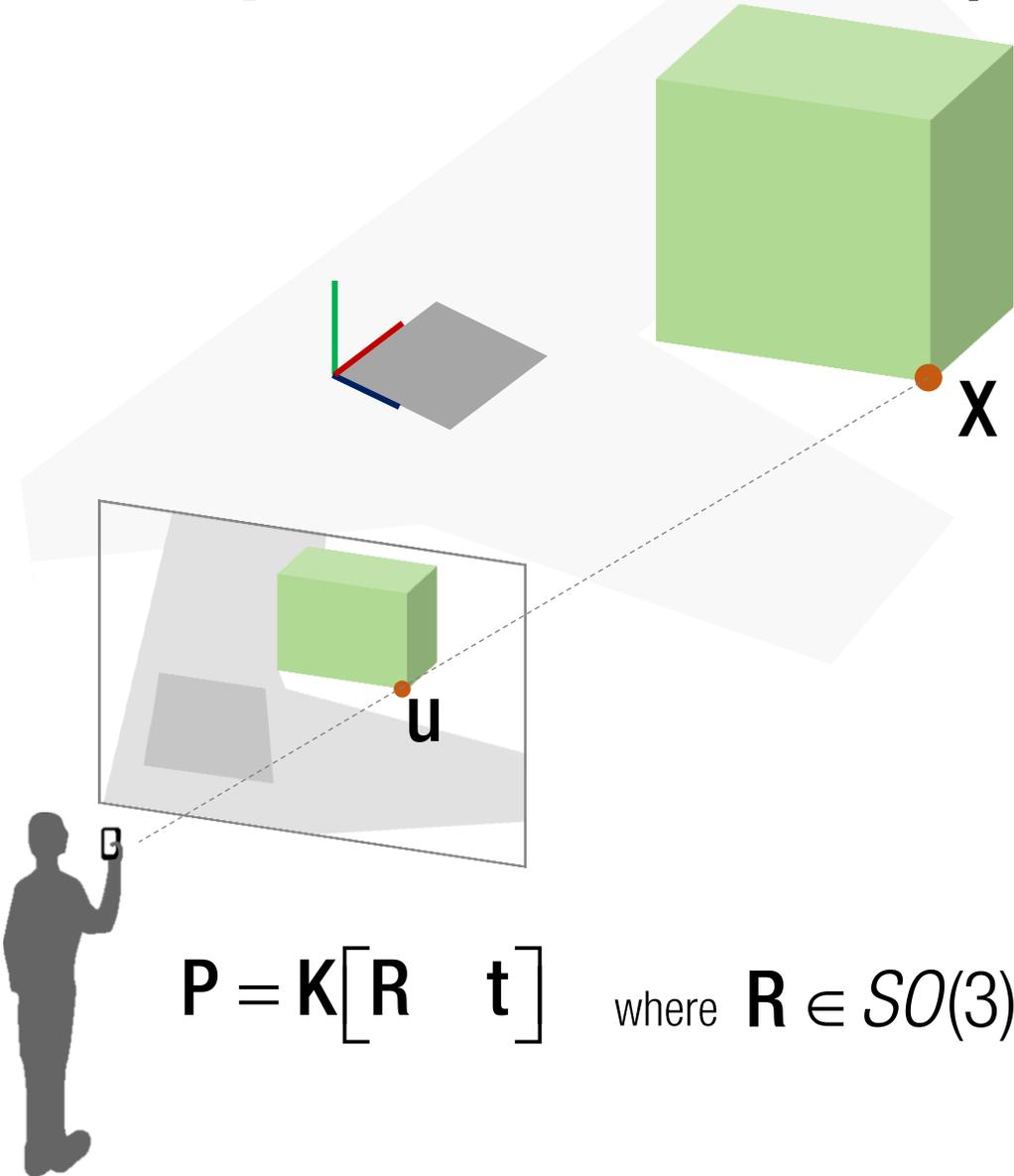
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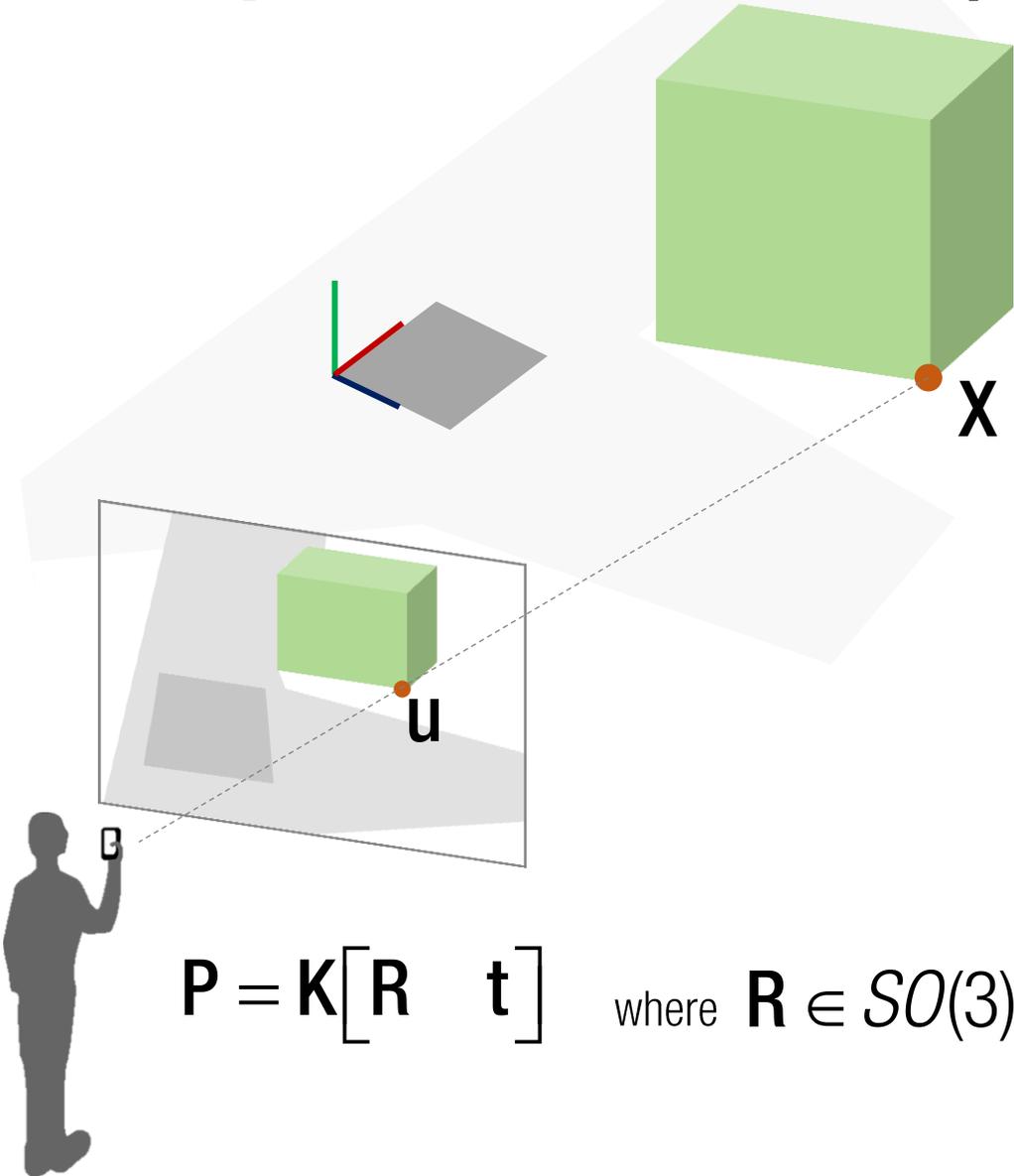
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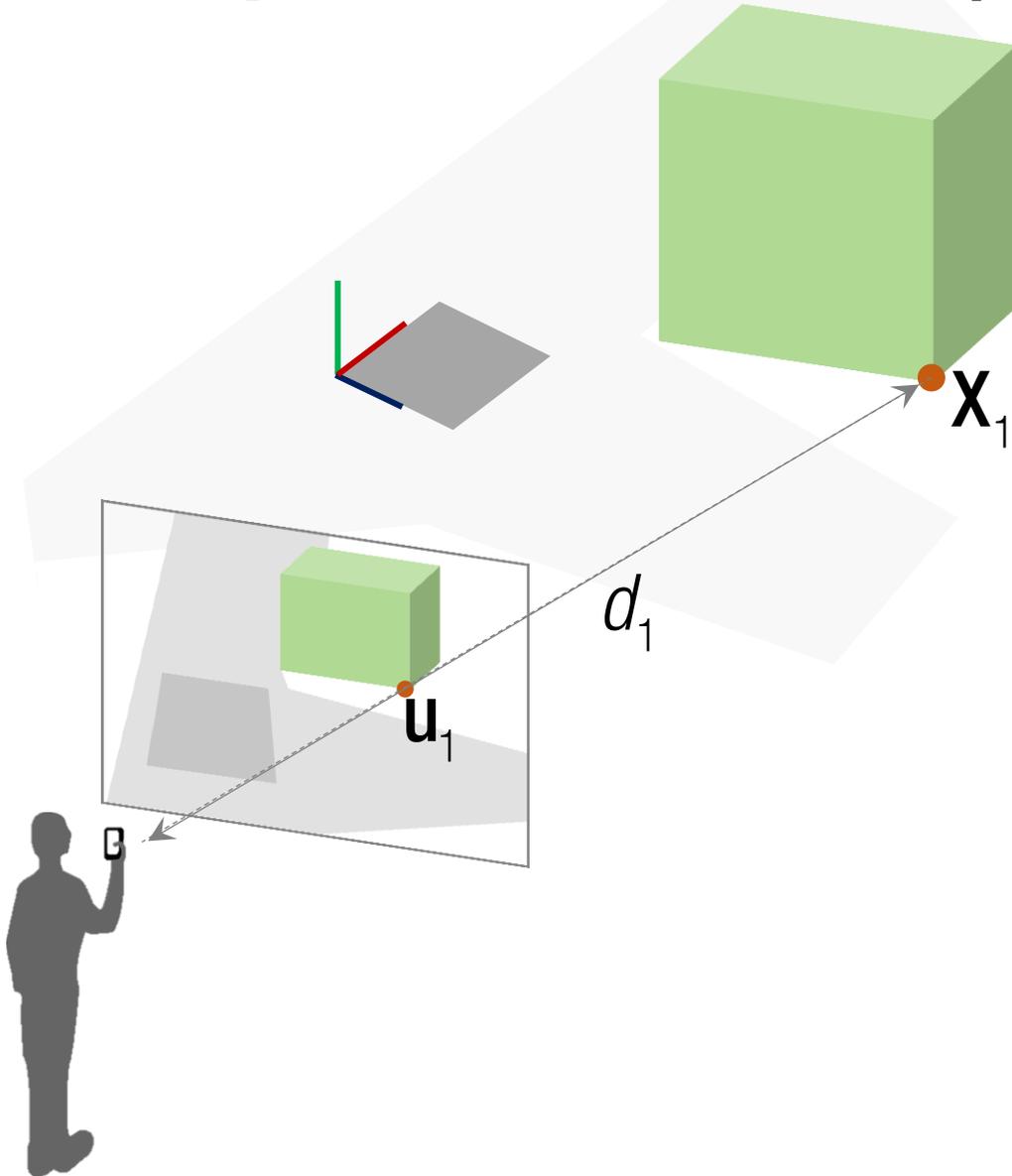
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3 correspondences should be enough.

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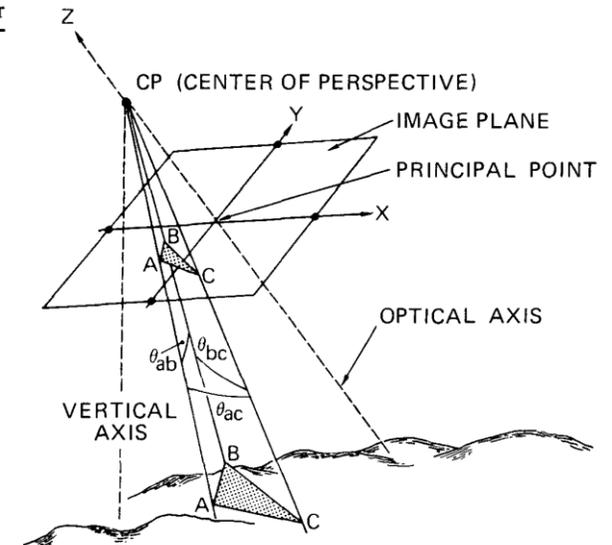
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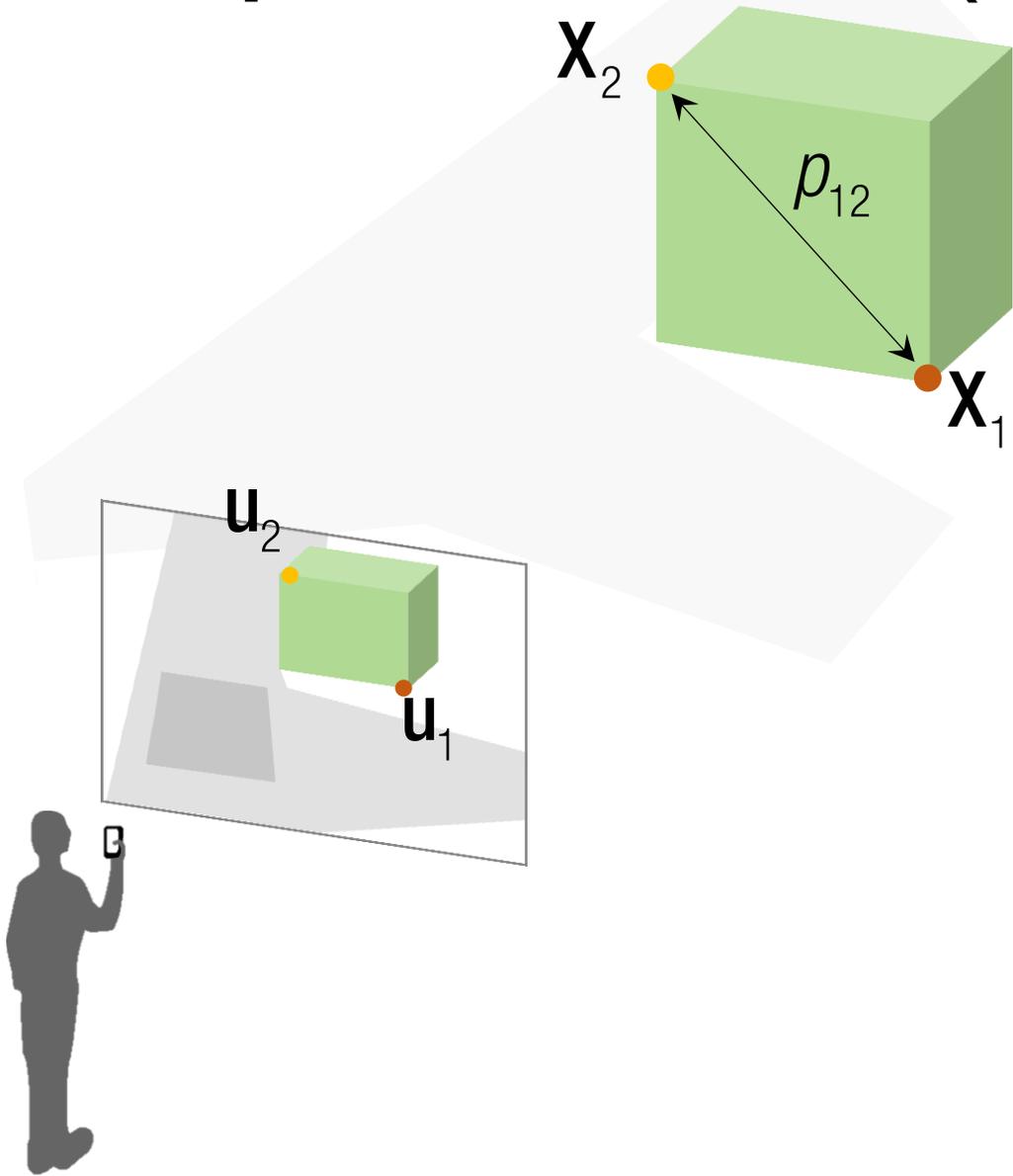
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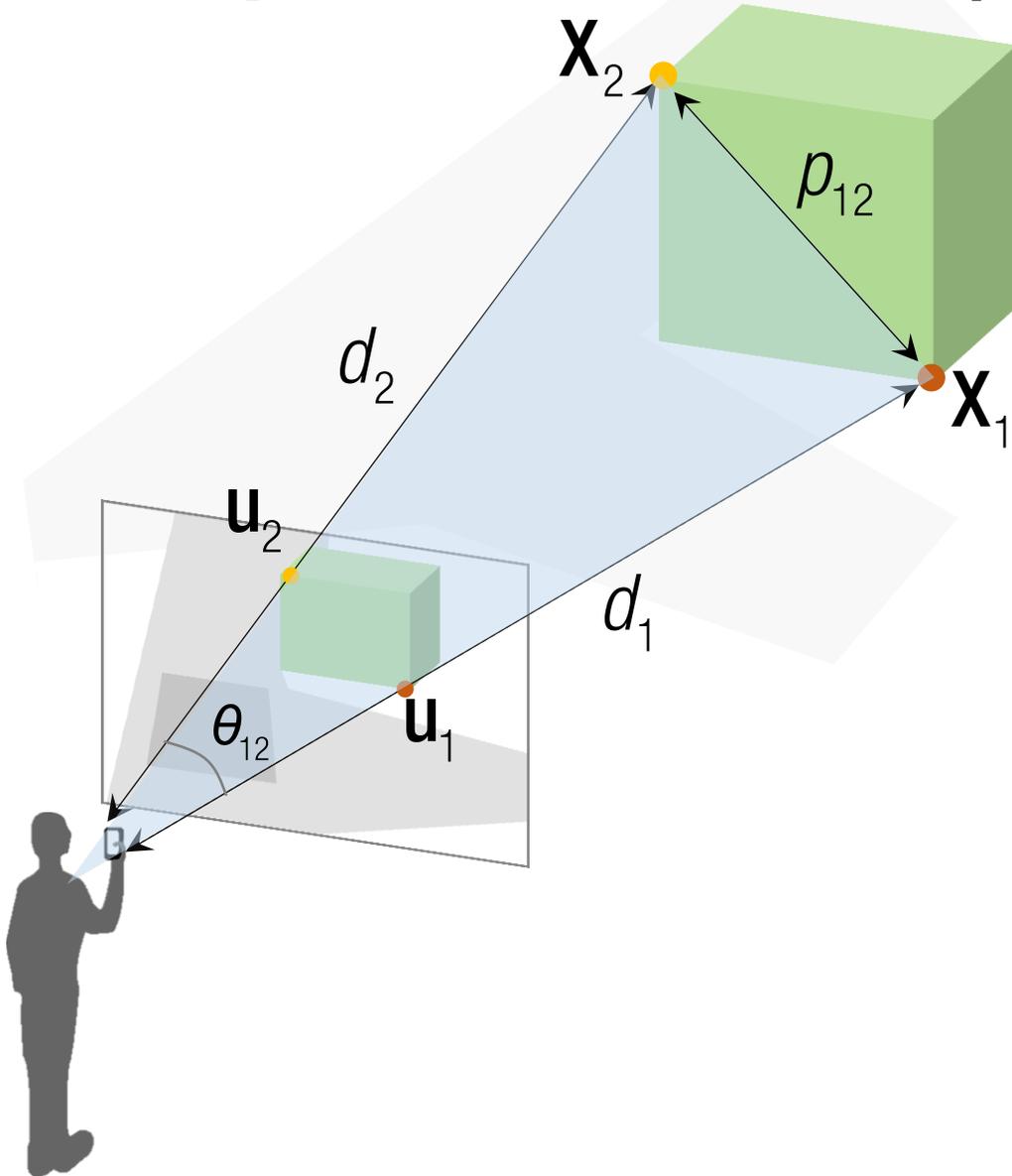
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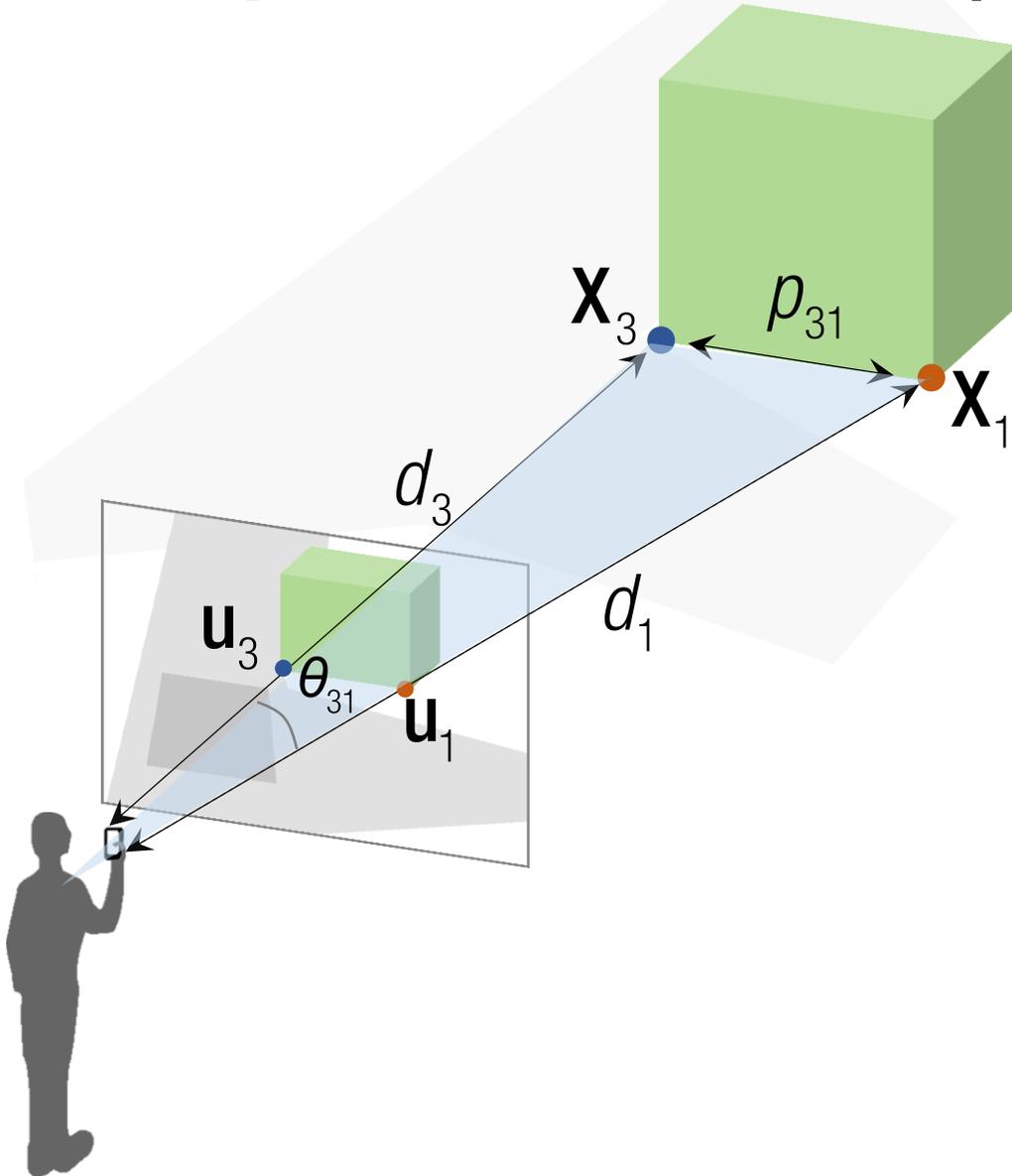
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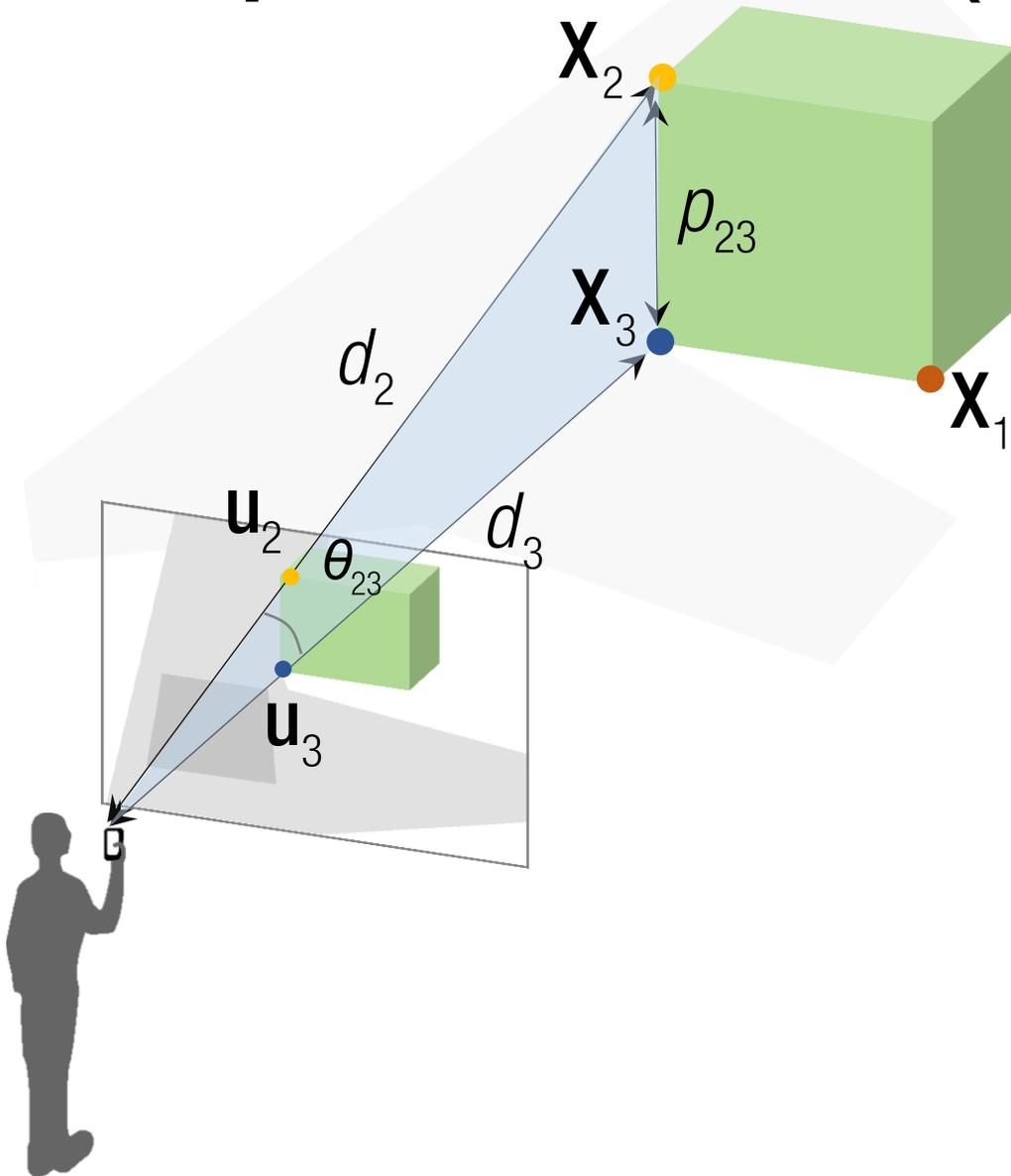


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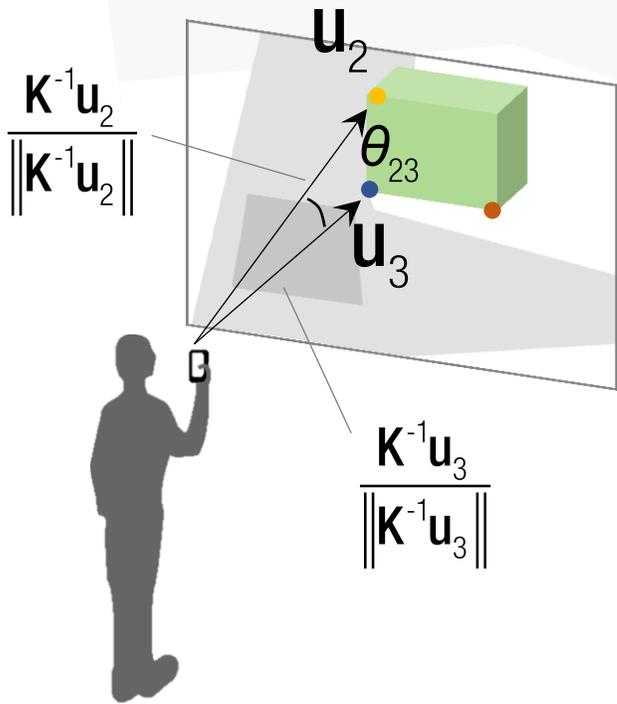
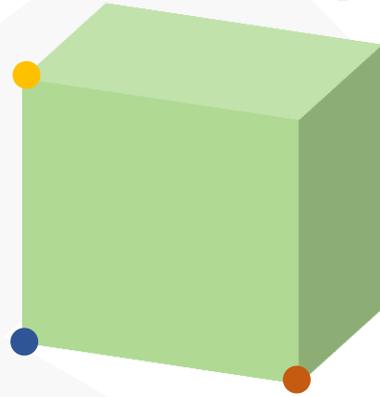
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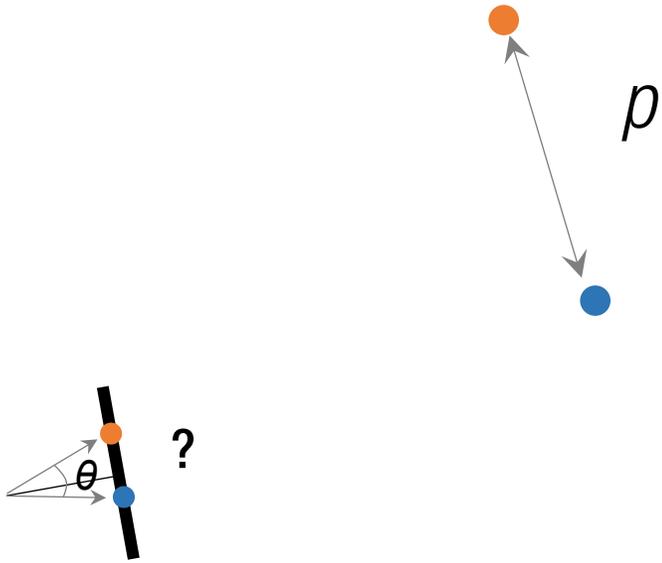
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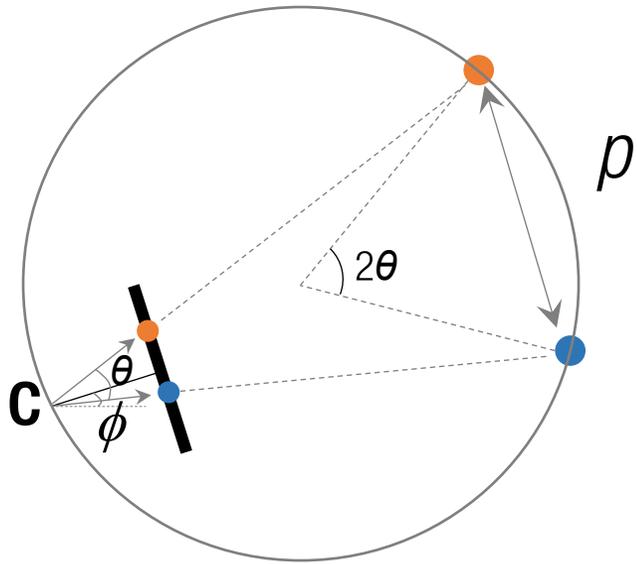
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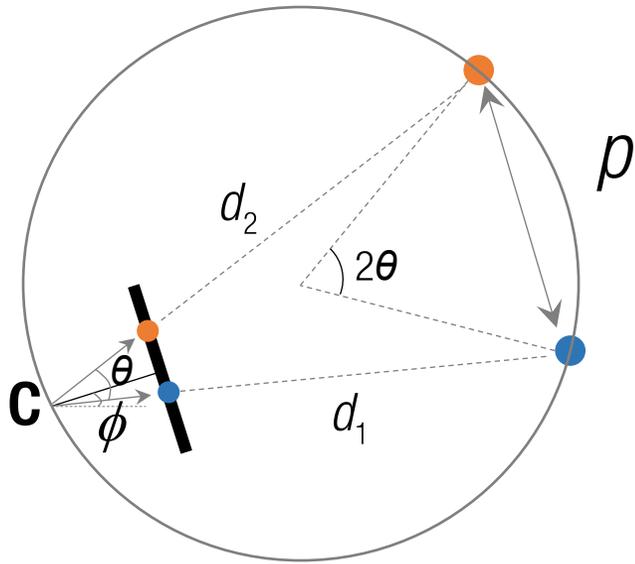


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Property of inscribed angle

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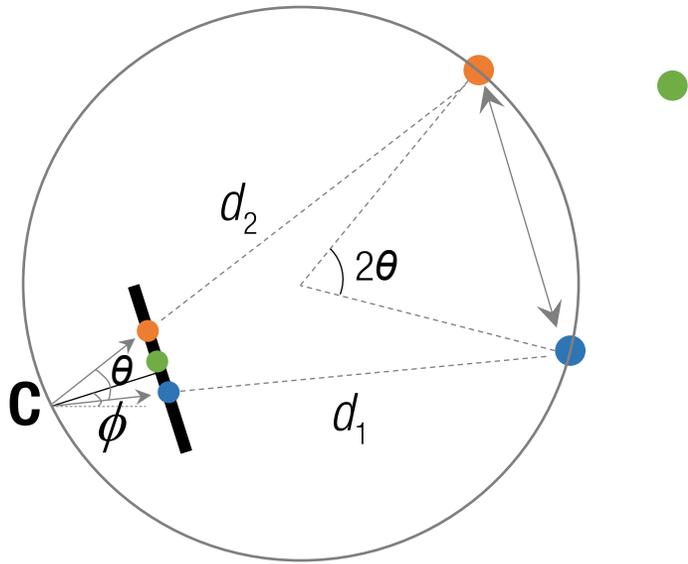


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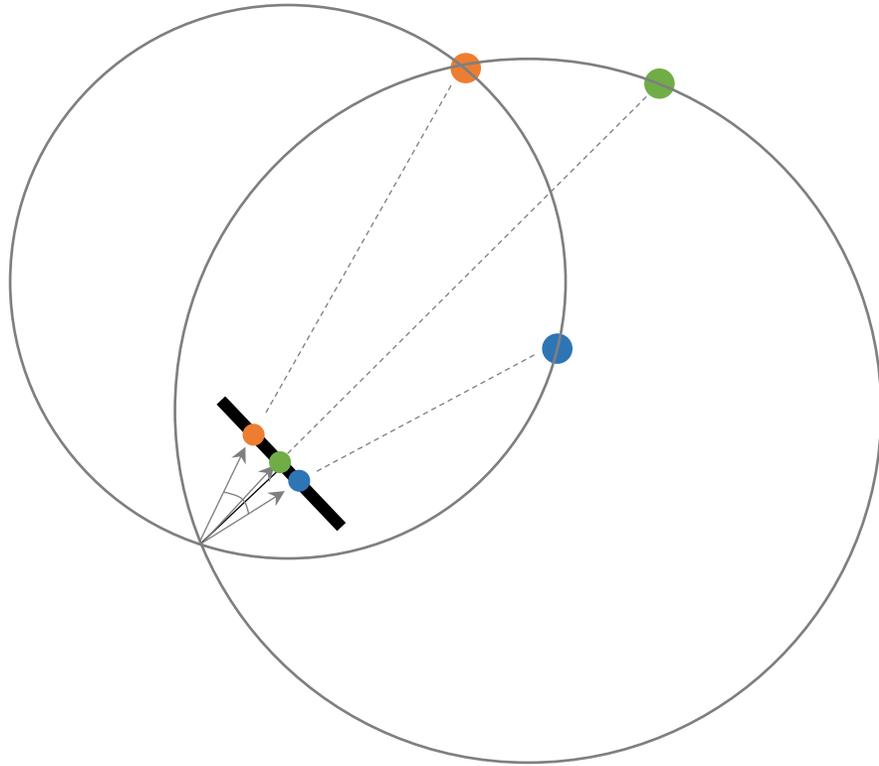
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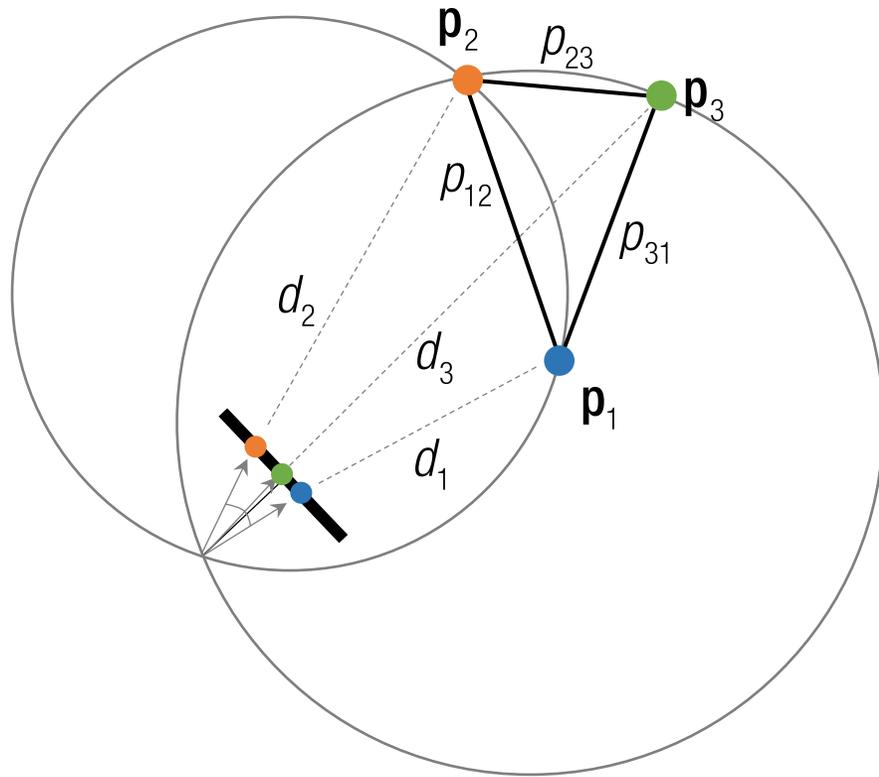


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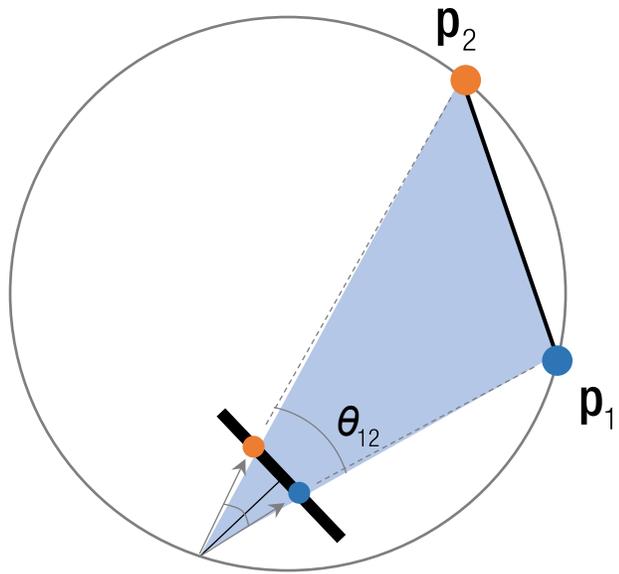
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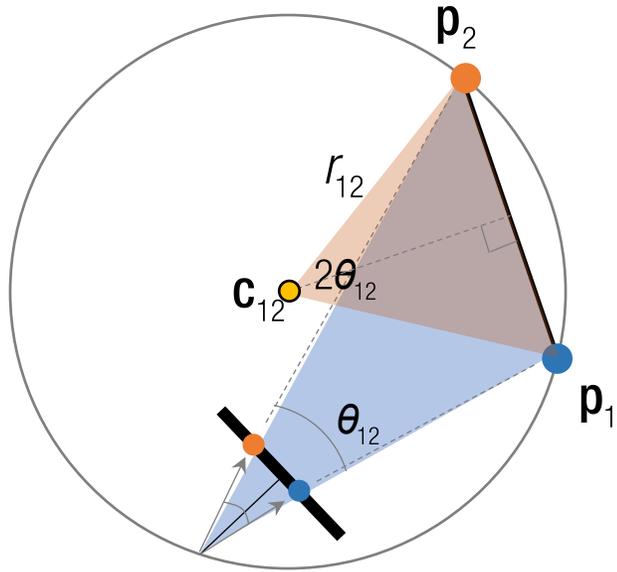
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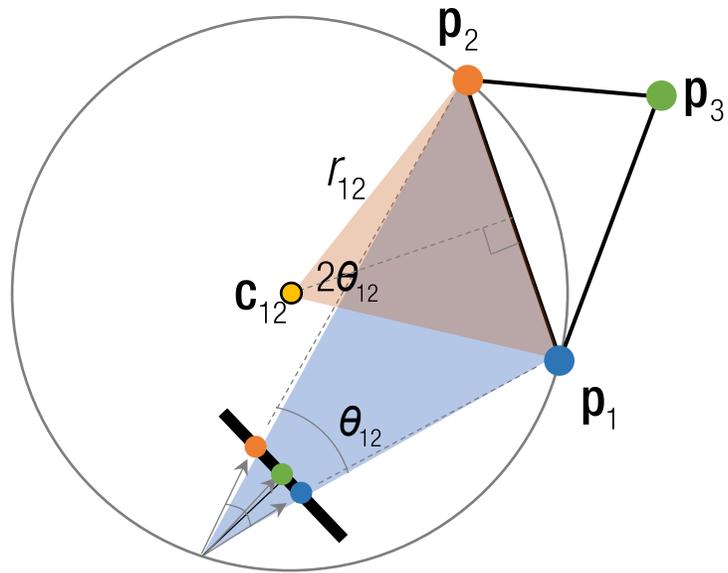
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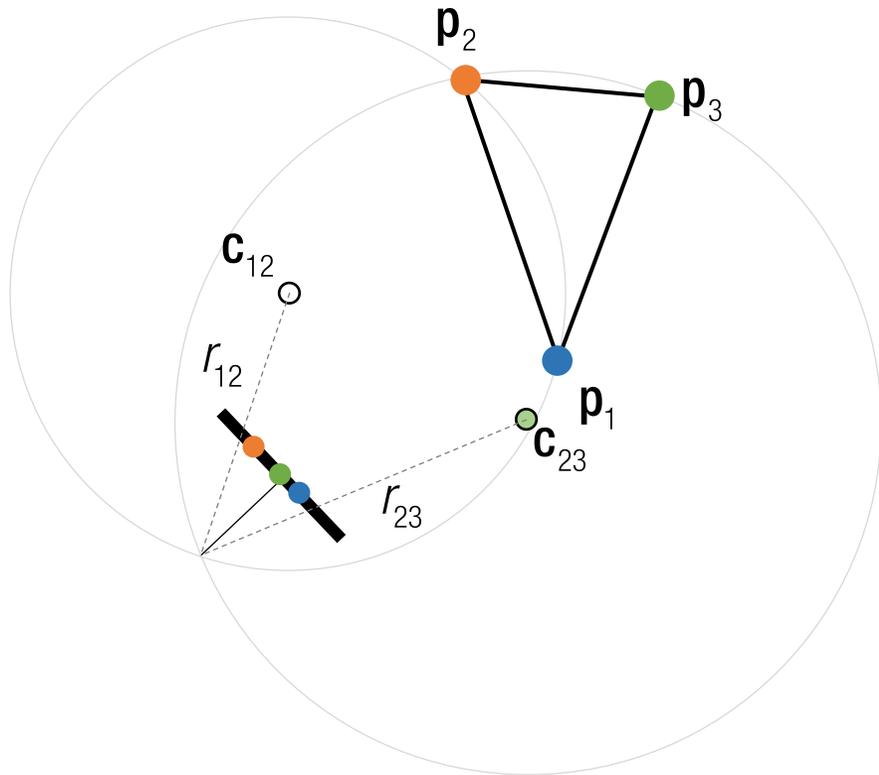


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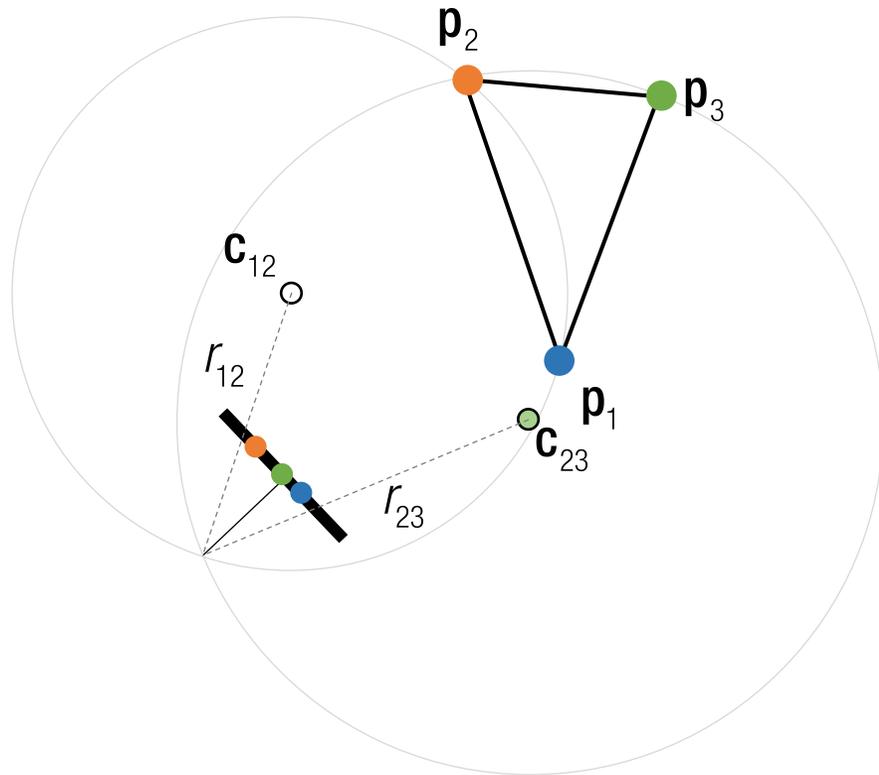
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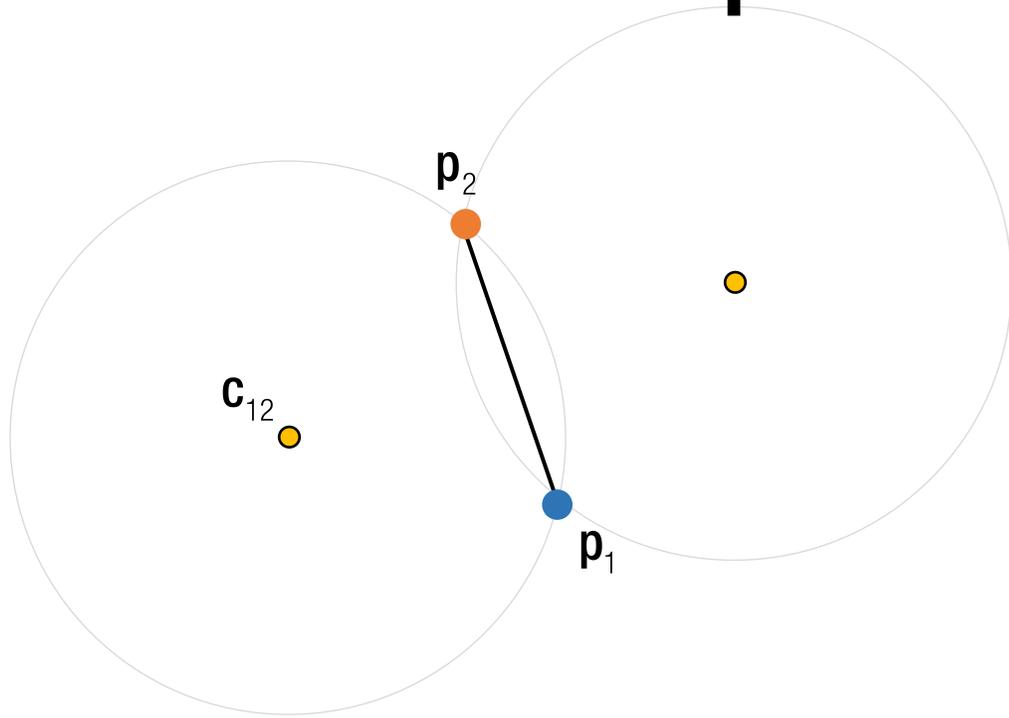
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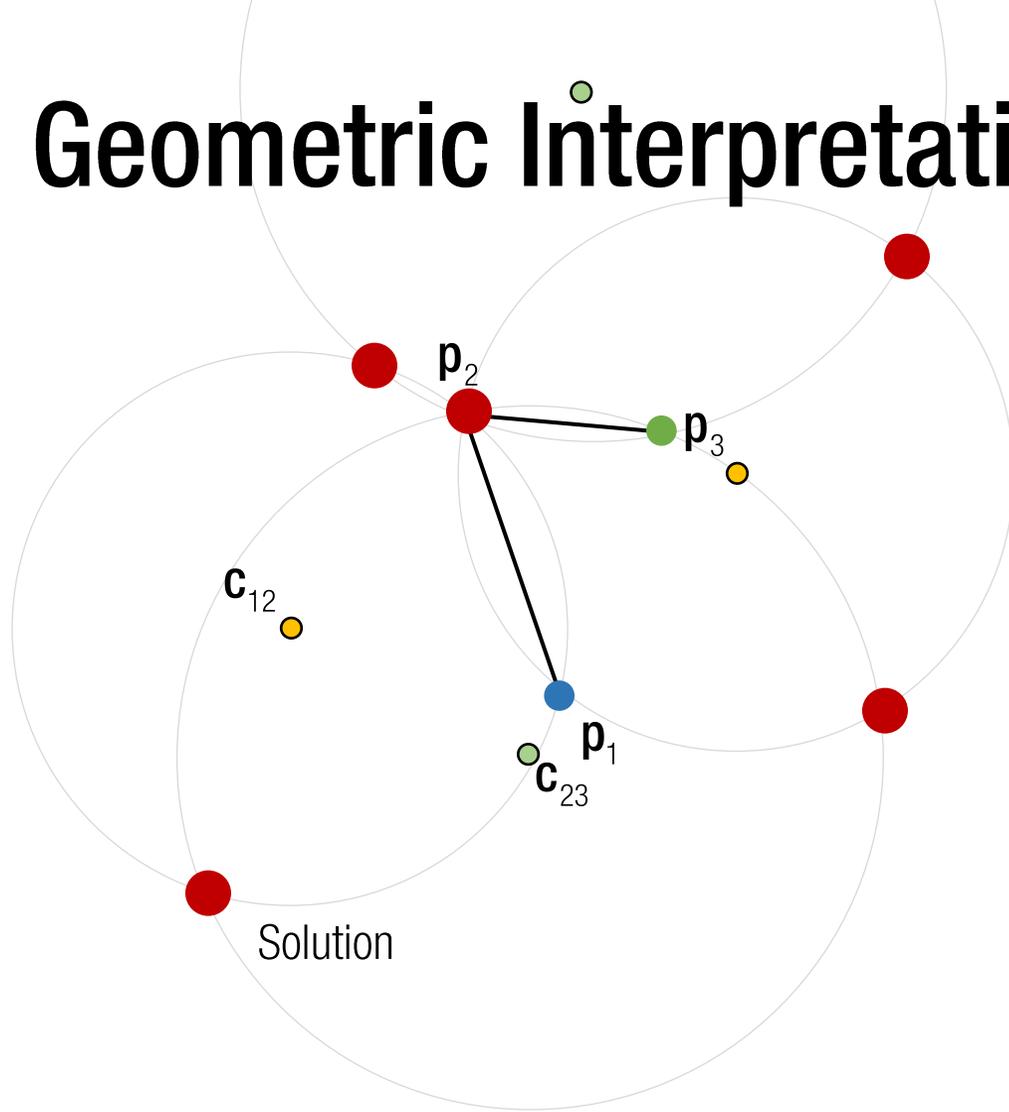


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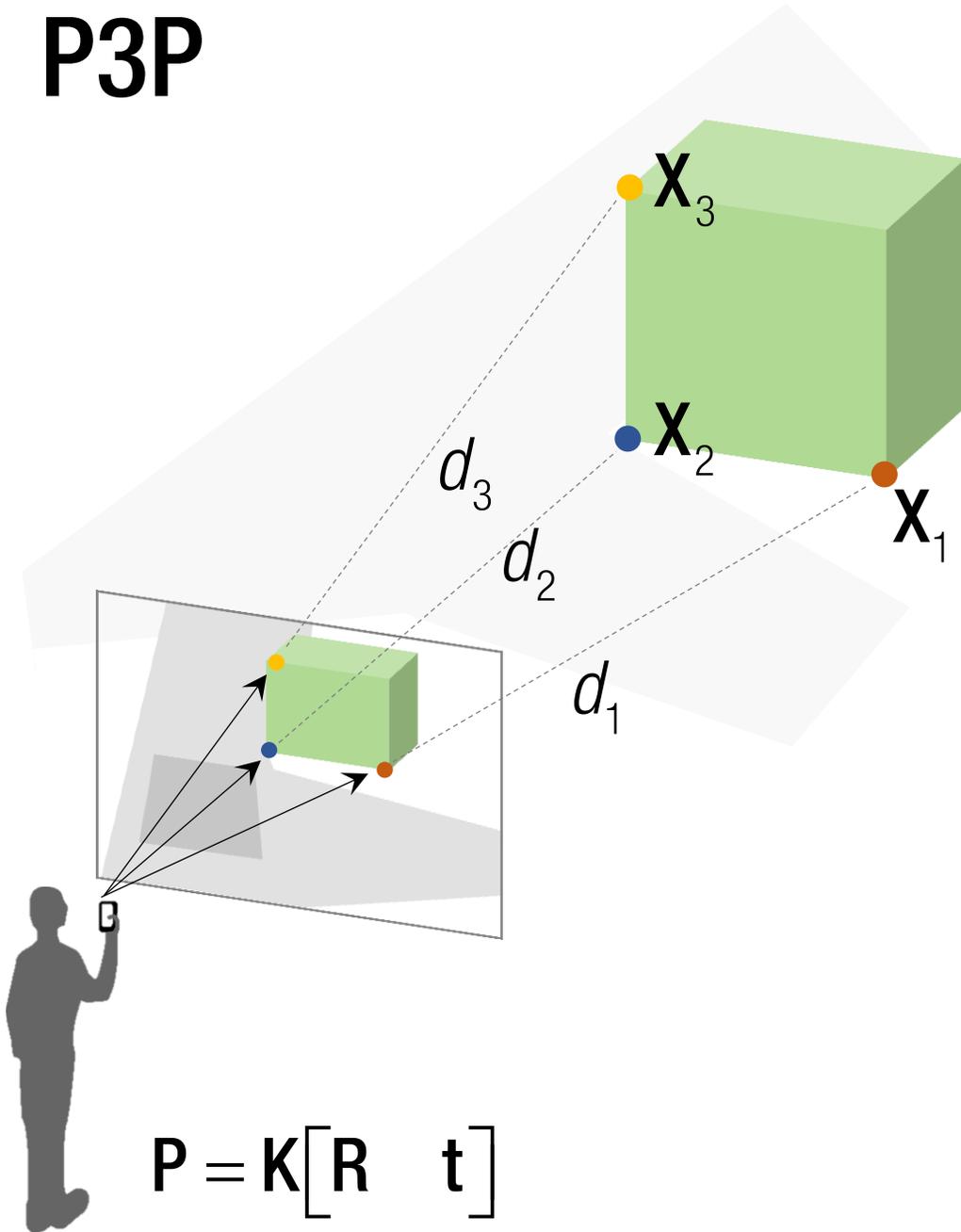
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4 combinations of circle centers

→ 4 solutions except for  $\mathbf{p}_2$  ( $\mathbf{p}_2$  is counted four times.).

# P3P



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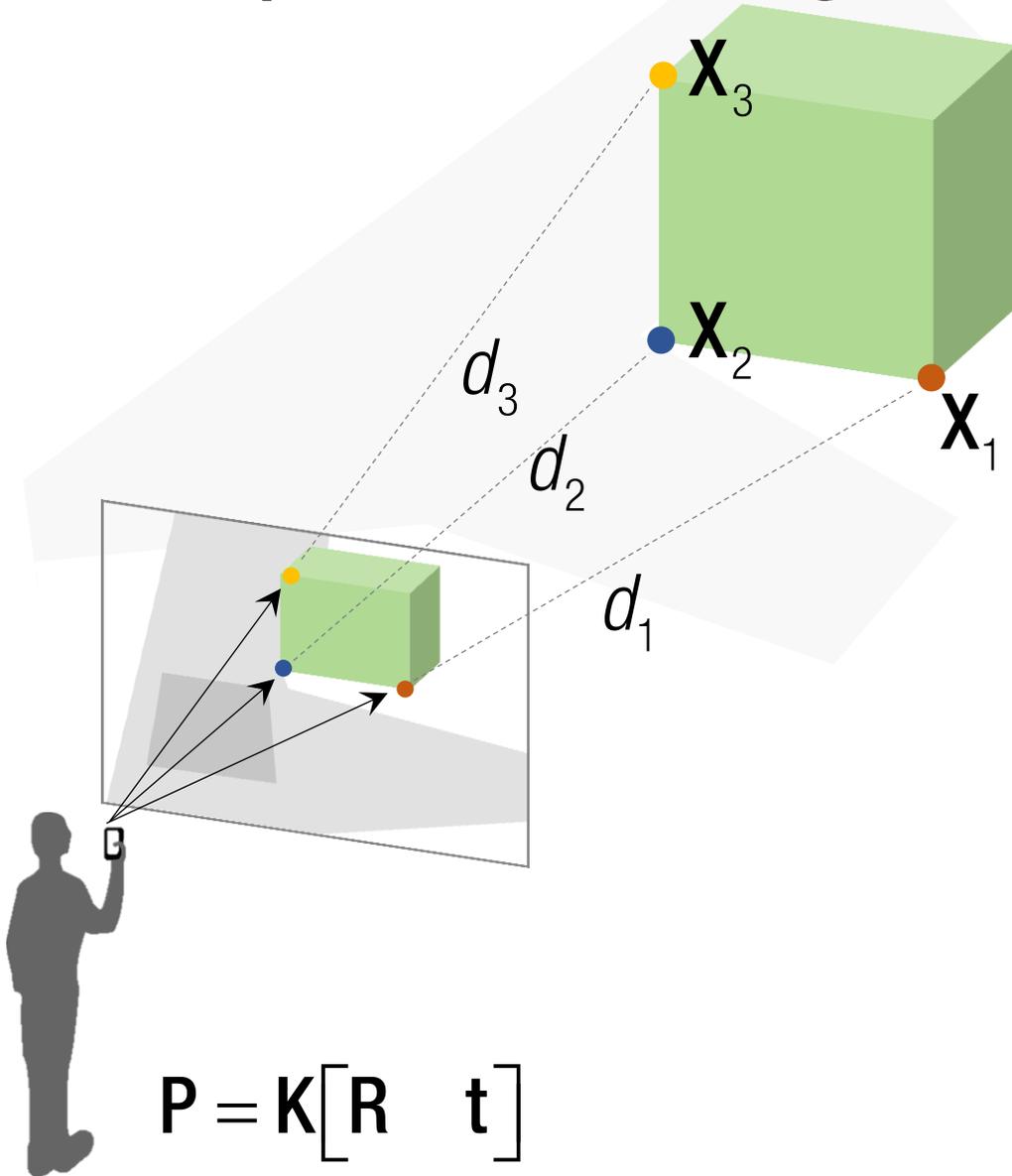
3 equations

The number of possible solutions:  $8 = 2 \times 2 \times 2$

$$d_1 > 0 \quad d_2 > 0 \quad d_3 > 0 \quad : 4 = 2 \times 2 \times 2 / 2$$

→ requires additional fourth point to verify the solution.

# P3P (4<sup>th</sup> order Polynomial)



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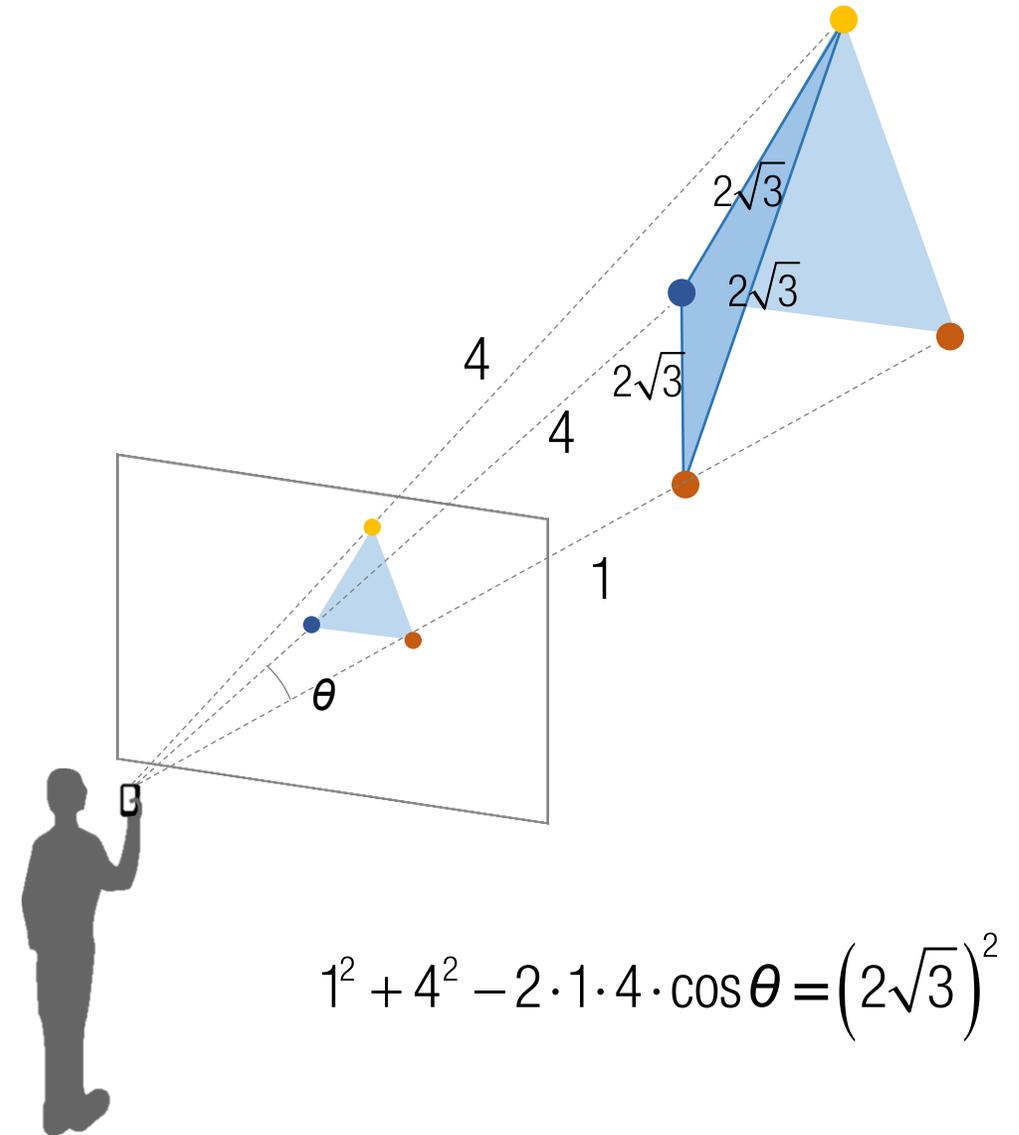
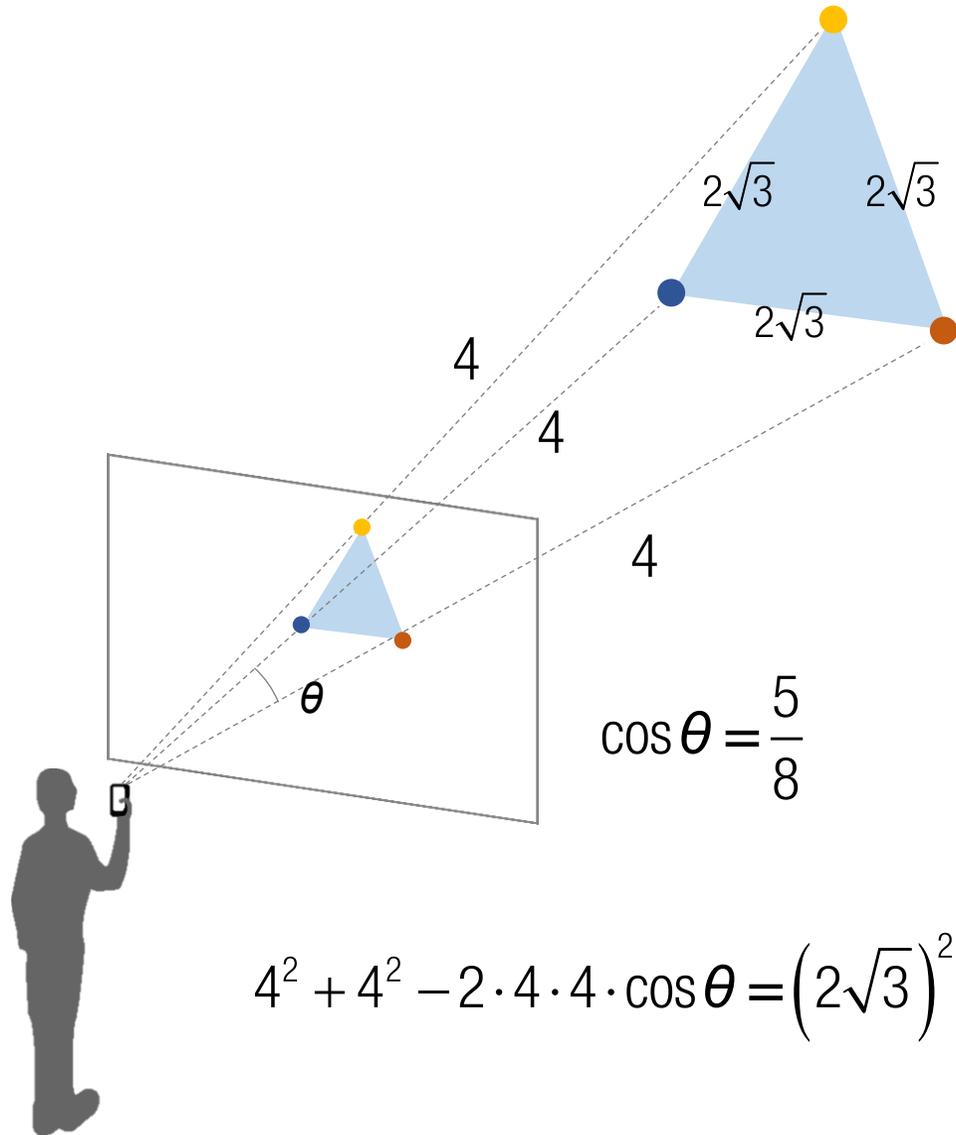
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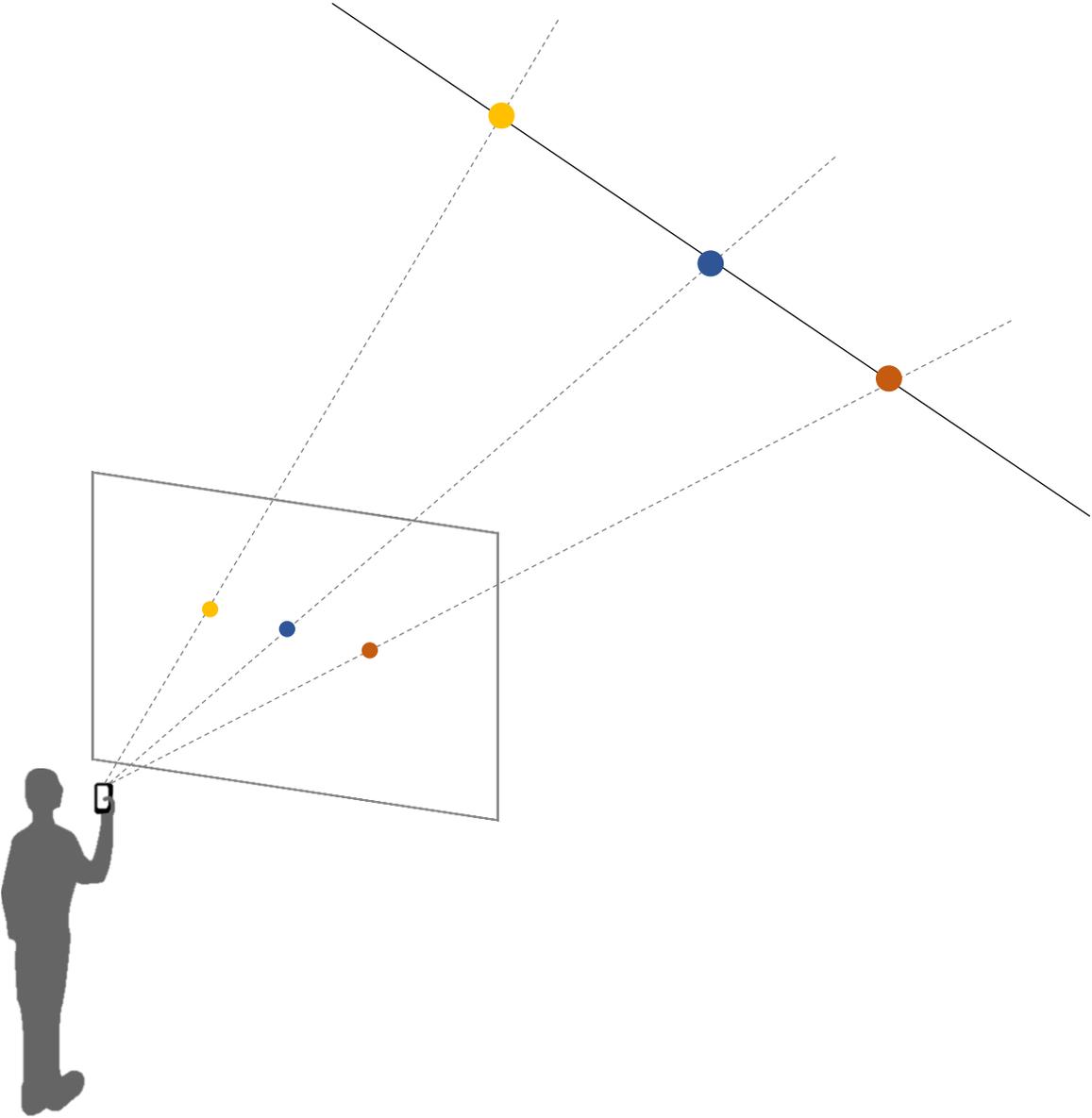
$$\rightarrow a_4 y^4 + a_3 y^3 + a_2 y^2 + a_1 y + a_0 = 0$$

Closed form solutions exist.

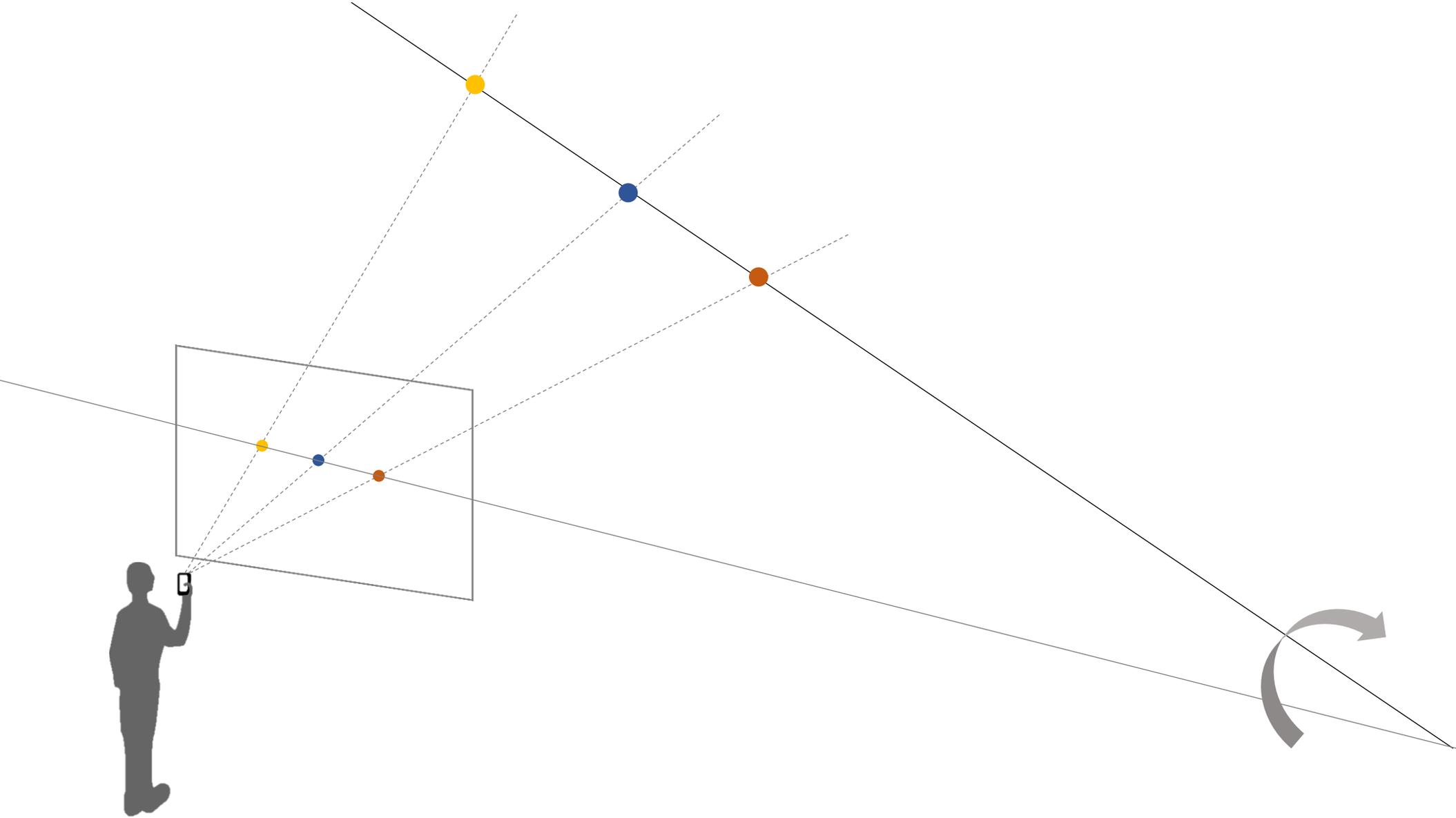
# Four Solution Example



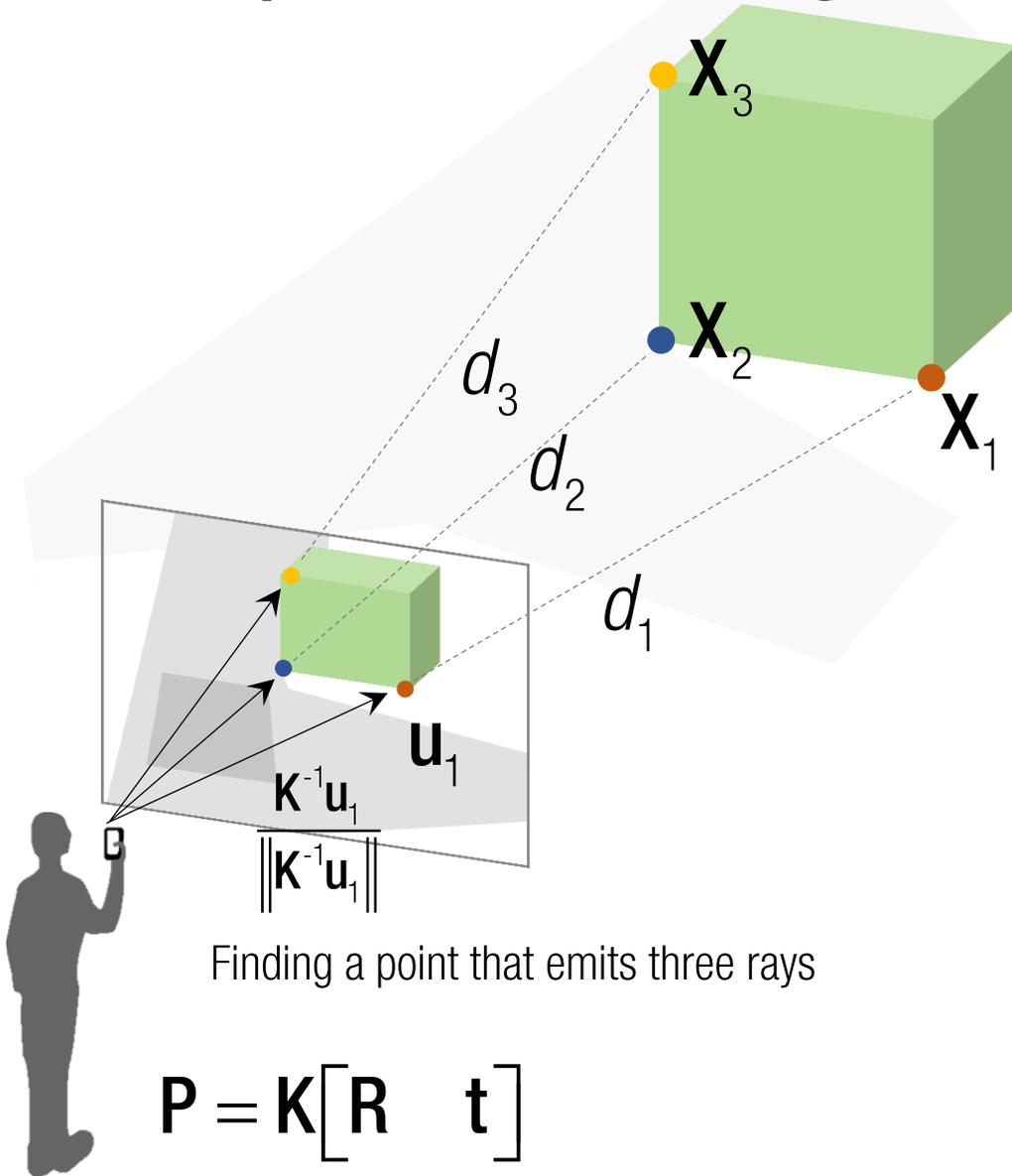
# Ambiguity



# Ambiguity (Colinear points)



# P3P (4<sup>th</sup> order Polynomial)



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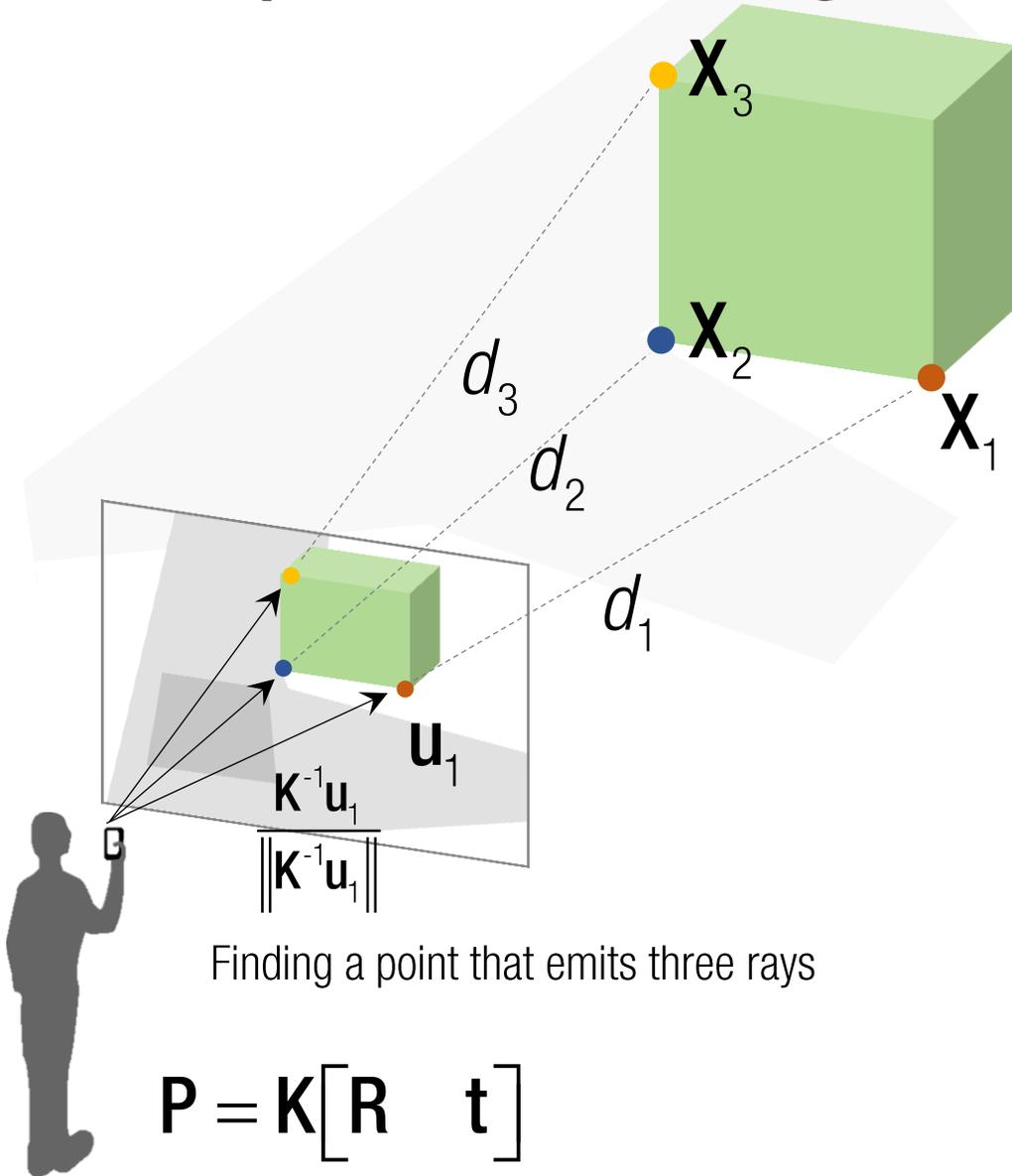
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→ Compute  $\mathbf{t}$  using  $\mathbf{X}_1, \mathbf{X}_2, \mathbf{X}_3, d_1, d_2,$  and  $d_3$ .

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$$\rightarrow [\tilde{\mathbf{X}}_1 \quad \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_2 \quad \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_3] = R[\mathbf{X}_1 \quad \mathbf{X}_2 \quad \mathbf{X}_3]$$

Rotation matrix computation

$$\text{where } \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_1 = d_1 \frac{\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_1}{\|\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_1\|} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_2 = d_2 \frac{\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_2}{\|\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_2\|} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{X}}_3 = d_3 \frac{\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_3}{\|\mathbf{K}^{-1}\mathbf{u}_3\|}$$