

# CS451 More Transforms

Quaternion/Dual Quaternion and Projections

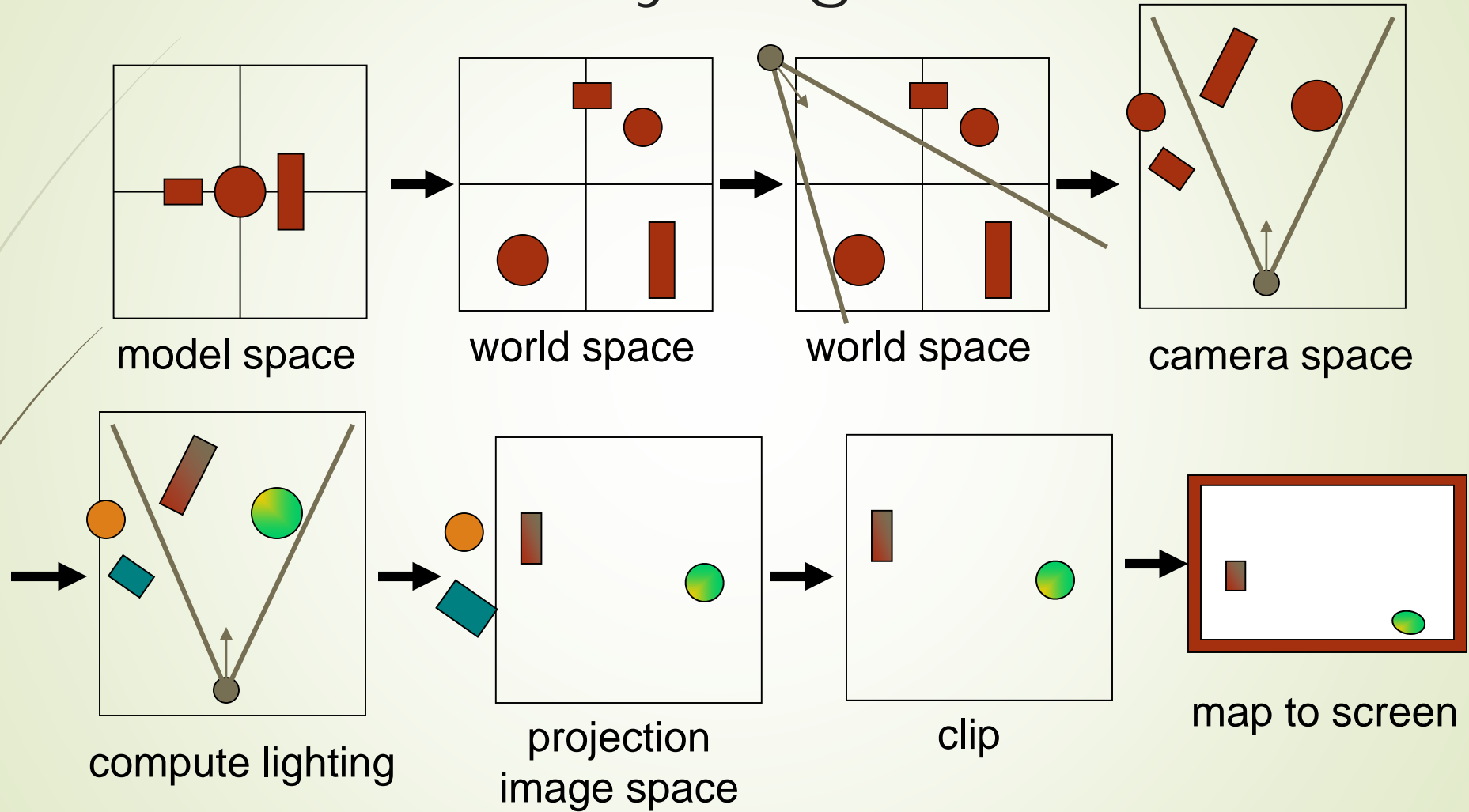
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# The Geometry stage

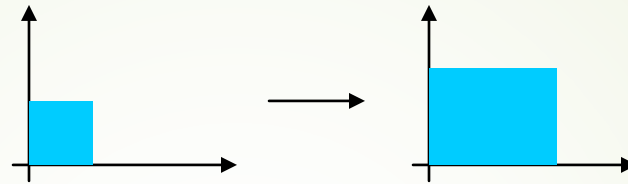


# The Rasterization stage

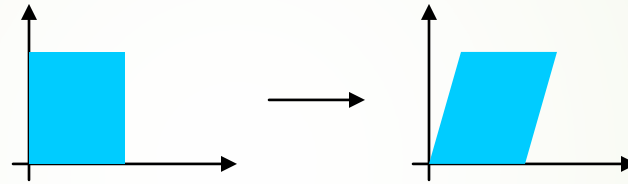
- Scan-conversion
  - Find out which pixels are inside the primitive
- Texturing
  - Put images on triangles
- Interpolation over triangle
- Z-buffering
  - Make sure that what is visible from the camera really is displayed
- Double buffering
- ...

# Review basic transforms

- Scaling



- Shear



- Rigid-body: rotation then translation

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{TR}$$

- Concatenation of matrices

- Not commutative, i.e.,  $\mathbf{RT} \neq \mathbf{TR}$
- In  $\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{TR}$ , the rotation is done first

Q1: How to scale long an arbitrary direction?

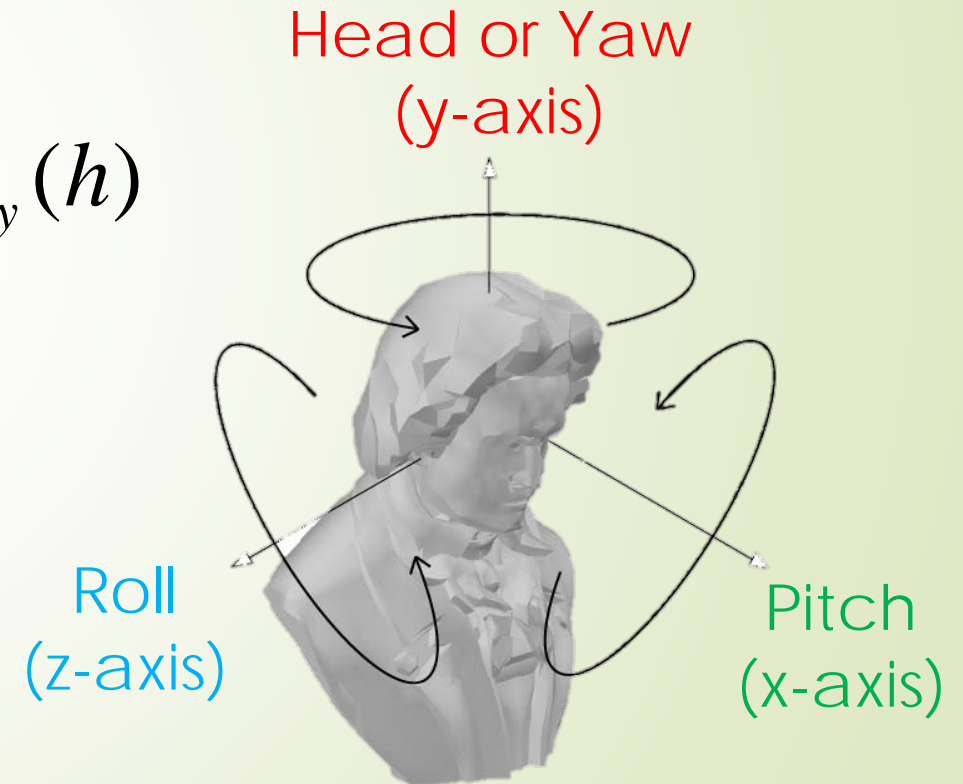
Q2: How do you scale a translated, rotated shape?

# The Euler Transform

- Assume the view looks down the negative z-axis, with up in the y-direction, x to the right

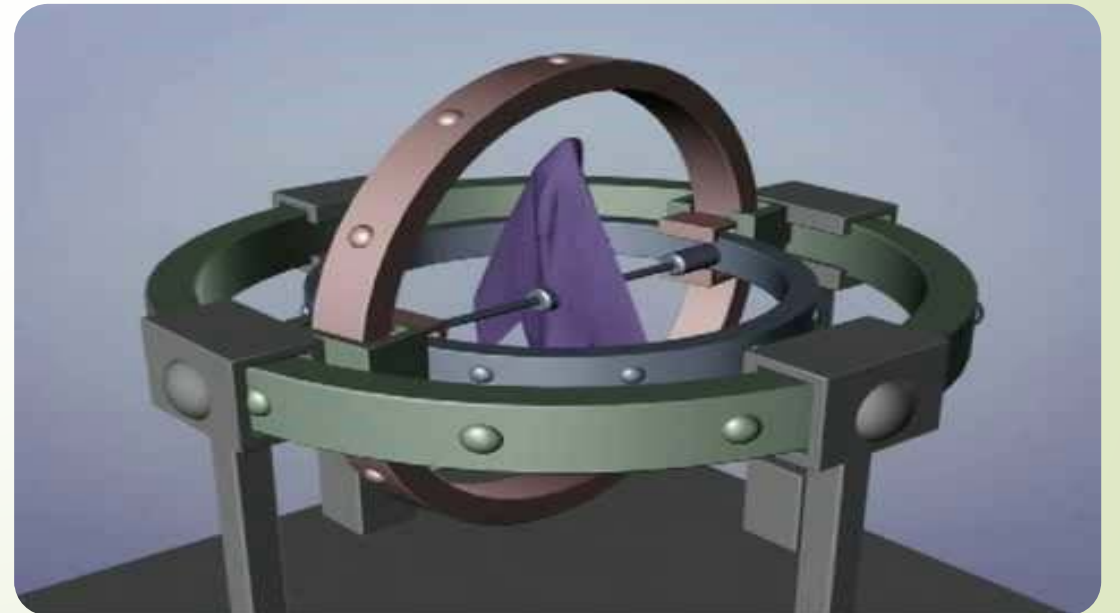
$$\mathbf{E}(h, p, r) = \mathbf{R}_z(r)\mathbf{R}_x(p)\mathbf{R}_y(h)$$

- $h$ =head (yaw)
- $p$ =pitch
- $r$ =roll



# Gimbal Lock

- Euler Transform is a hierarchical system
  - XYZ or ZYX or ... Indicates the order of rotation
  - there are 6 different combinations (or 12 if something like XYX is allowed)
- Gimbal lock can occur
  - The top and the bottom of the hierarchy overlaps
  - loses one degree of freedom
  
- Can also be explained using Matrix



By The Guerrilla CG Project



# Quaternions

$$\mathbf{q} = (q_w, \mathbf{q}_v) = (w, x\mathbf{i}, y\mathbf{j}, z\mathbf{k})$$

- Extension of **imaginary** numbers
- Avoids *gimbal lock* that the Euler could produce
- Focus on unit quaternion:

$$n(\mathbf{q}) = w^2 + x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1$$

- A example of unit quaternion is:

$$\mathbf{q} = (\cos \phi, \sin \phi \mathbf{u}_q) \quad \text{where } \|\mathbf{u}_q\| = 1$$

# Quaternions Basic Operations

- Given a quaternion  $\mathbf{q}=(w,\mathbf{v})$
- Scalar multiplication  $s\mathbf{q} = (sw, s\mathbf{v})$
- Addition  $\mathbf{q}_1+\mathbf{q}_2 = (w_1+w_2, \mathbf{v}_1+\mathbf{v}_2)$
- **Multiplication**  $\mathbf{q}_1\mathbf{q}_2 = ( (w_1w_2 - \mathbf{v}_1\mathbf{v}_2), w_1\mathbf{v}_2+w_2\mathbf{v}_1+(\mathbf{v}_1\times\mathbf{v}_2) )$
- Conjugate  $\mathbf{q}^* = (w, -\mathbf{v})$
- Norm  $\|\mathbf{q}\| = \sqrt{\mathbf{q}\mathbf{q}^*}$
- Normalization  $\mathbf{q}_n = \mathbf{q}/\|\mathbf{q}\|$

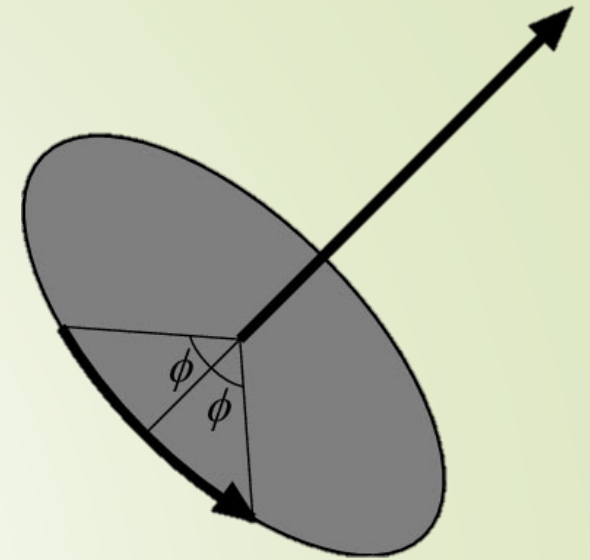


# Rotation Quaternions

- Represents a rotation of  $\phi$  radians around  $\mathbf{v}$

$$\mathbf{q} = \left( \cos \frac{\phi}{2}, \sin \frac{\phi}{2} \bullet \mathbf{v} \right)$$

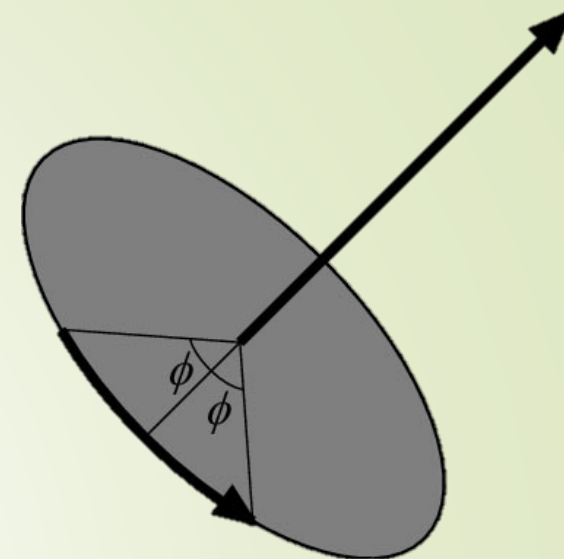
- Compact (4 components)
- Can show that  $(0, p') = q(0, p)q^*$
- Rotation can be applied in the way similar to matrix
  - $(0, p') = q_3 q_2 q_1 (0, p) q_1^* q_2^* q_3^*$
- Try to rotate vector  $(1, 1, 1)$  around Y-axis for 180 degree



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- That is: a unit quaternion represent a rotation as a rotation axis and an angle
  - In OpenGL: `glRotatef(ux,uy,uz,angle);`
- Read the quaternion code from PA03 for more details
  - [mathtool/quaternion.h](#)

# Rotation Matrix vs. Rotation Quaternion

- Why should (or should not) you use matrix?
- Why should (or should not) you use quaternion?

# Dual Quaternion

- Dual number  $z = r + d\varepsilon$  where  $\varepsilon \neq 0$  but  $\varepsilon^2 = 0$ 
  - Add  $z_A + z_B = (r_A + d_A\varepsilon) + (r_B + d_B\varepsilon) = (r_A + r_B) + (d_A + d_B)\varepsilon$
  - Multiply  $z_A z_B = (r_A + d_A\varepsilon)(r_B + d_B\varepsilon) = (r_A r_B) + (r_B d_A + r_A d_B)\varepsilon + (d_A d_B)\varepsilon^2$
- Dual quaternion  $Q = \mathbf{q}_r + \mathbf{q}_d\varepsilon$ 
  - Represent both rotation  $\mathbf{q}_r$  and translation  $\mathbf{q}_d$
  - Scalar Multiplication  $sQ = s\mathbf{q}_r + s\mathbf{q}_d\varepsilon$
  - Addition  $Q_1 + Q_2 = (\mathbf{q}_{r1} + \mathbf{q}_{r2}) + (\mathbf{q}_{d1} + \mathbf{q}_{d2})\varepsilon$
  - Multiplication  $Q_1 Q_2 = (\mathbf{q}_{r1} \mathbf{q}_{r2}) + (\mathbf{q}_{r1} \mathbf{q}_{d2} + \mathbf{q}_{d1} \mathbf{q}_{r2})\varepsilon$
  - Conjugate  $Q^* = \mathbf{q}_r^* + \mathbf{q}_d^* \varepsilon$
  - Norm  $\|Q\| = QQ^*$

# Dual Quaternion (Cont.)

**Question:** Can you show that  $\mathbf{Q}_r$ ,  $\mathbf{Q}_d$  and  $\mathbf{Q}$  are unit dual quaternion?

- Transformation dual quaternion
  - Given a rotation quaternion  $\mathbf{q}_r = (\cos(\theta/2), \sin(\theta/2)\mathbf{v})$
  - Given a translation vector  $\mathbf{t} = (t_x, t_y, t_z)$
  - Rotation only dual quaternion  $\mathbf{Q}_r = \mathbf{q}_r + (0,0,0,0)\epsilon$
  - Translation only dual quaternion  $\mathbf{Q}_d = (1,0,0,0) + (0, t_x/2, t_y/2, t_z/2)\epsilon$
  - Combine both Rotation and Translation  $\mathbf{Q} = \mathbf{Q}_d \mathbf{Q}_r$
- Using dual quaternion to perform rigid transform
  - Similar to using quaternion, we use dual quaternion as
    - $p' = \mathbf{Q} p \mathbf{Q}^*$
    - Here  $p$  is first rotated and then translated to produce  $p'$

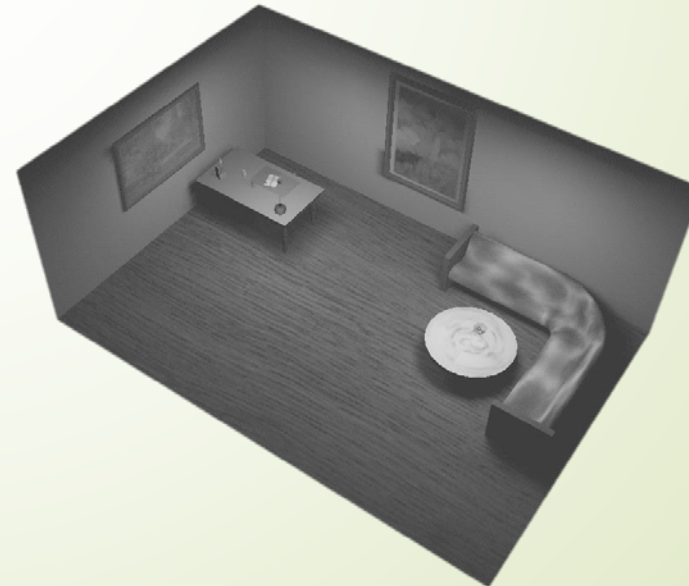
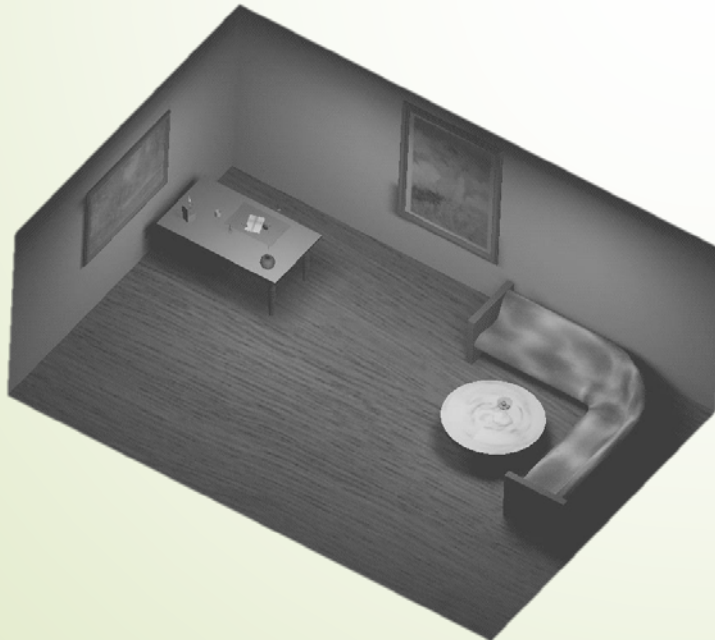
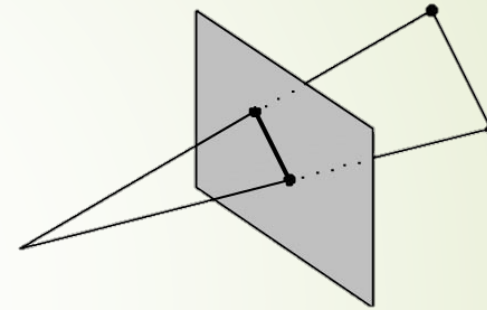
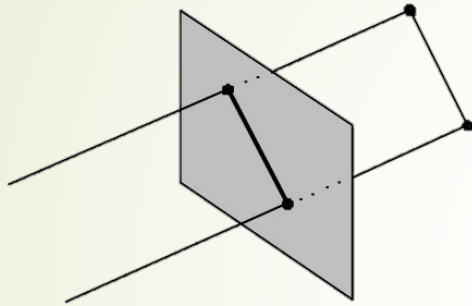
# Create Dual Quaternion

- Given a rotation angle  $\theta$  and a rotation vector  $\mathbf{v}$  and a translation vector  $\mathbf{t}$
- We first construct a rotation quaternion
  - $\mathbf{q}_r = (\cos(\theta/2), \sin(\theta/2)\mathbf{v})$
- Then we construct the second quaternion to represent translation
  - $\mathbf{q}_d = (0, \mathbf{t}/2) \mathbf{q}_r$
  - Why?
- Finally,  $\mathbf{Q} = (\mathbf{q}_r, \mathbf{q}_d \epsilon)$
- **Question:** How do you convert dual quaternion  $\mathbf{Q}$  to get the rotational quaternion and translational vector  $\mathbf{t}$



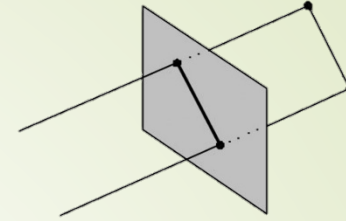
# Projections

- Orthogonal (parallel) and Perspective



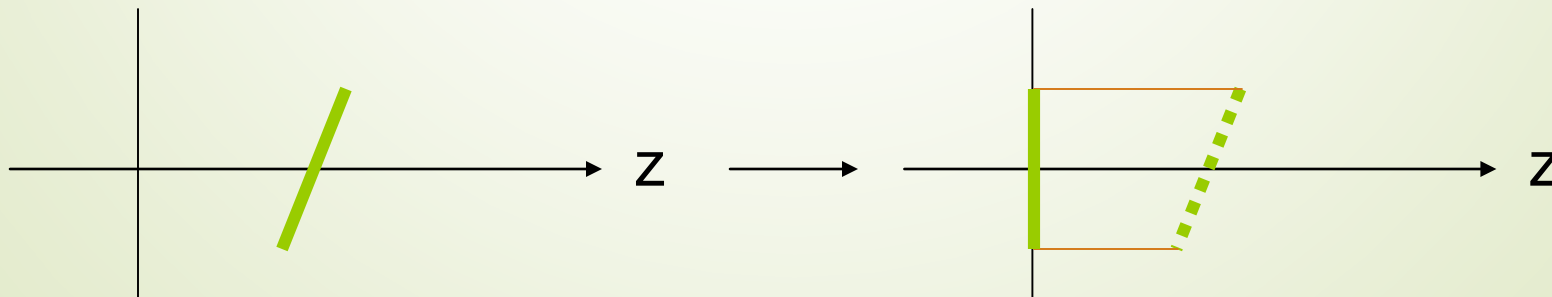


# Orthogonal projection

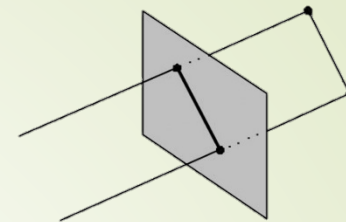


- Simple, just skip one coordinate
  - Say, we're looking along the z-axis
  - Then drop z, and render

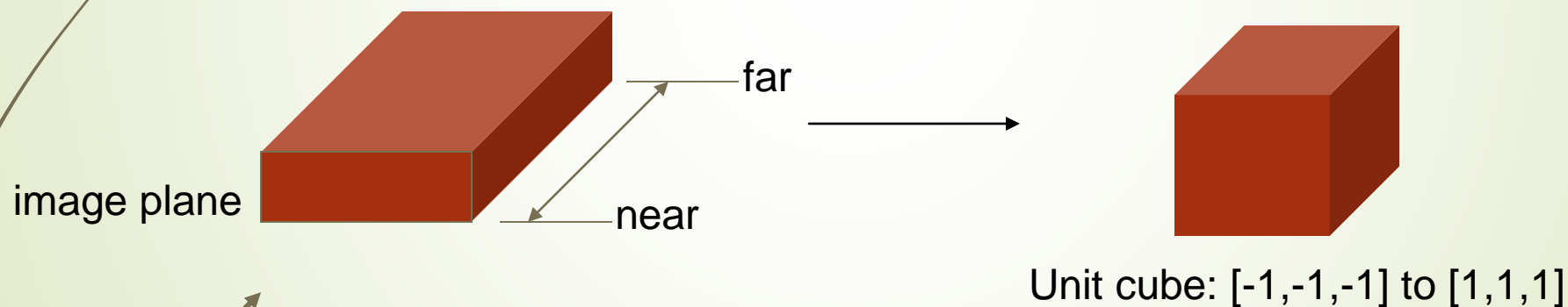
$$\mathbf{M}_{ortho} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{M}_{ortho} \begin{pmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ p_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



# Orthogonal projection

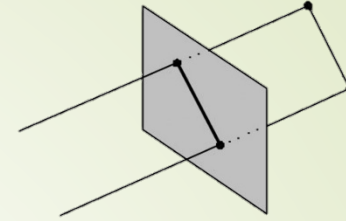


- Not invertible! (determinant is zero)
- For Z-buffering
  - It is not sufficient to project to a plane
  - Rather, we need to "project" to a box

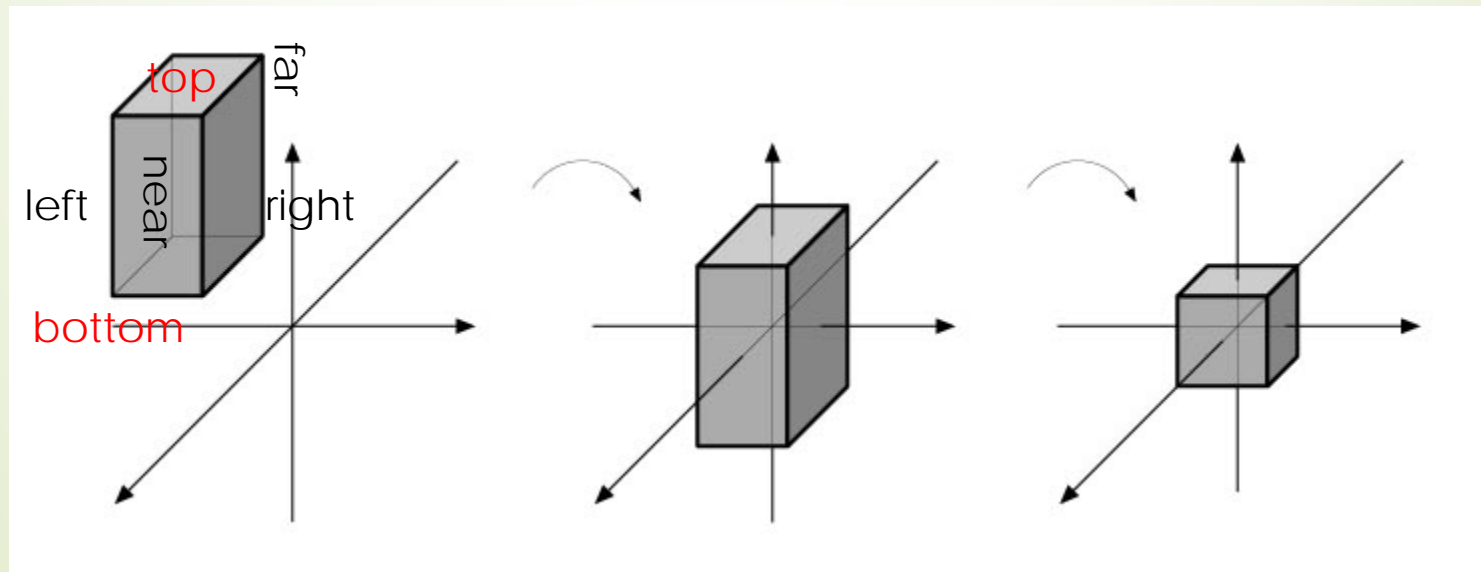


- Unit cube is also used for perspective proj.
- Simplifies clipping

# Orthogonal projection



- The "unitcube projection" is invertible
- Simple to derive
  - a translation followed by a scale



# What about those homogenous coordinates?

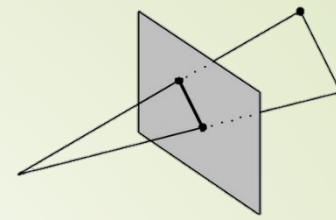
- $p_w=0$  for vectors, and  $p_w=1$  for points
- What if  $p_w$  is **not** 1 or 0?
- Solution is to divide all components by  $p_w$

$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} p_x & p_y & p_z & p_w \end{pmatrix}^T$$

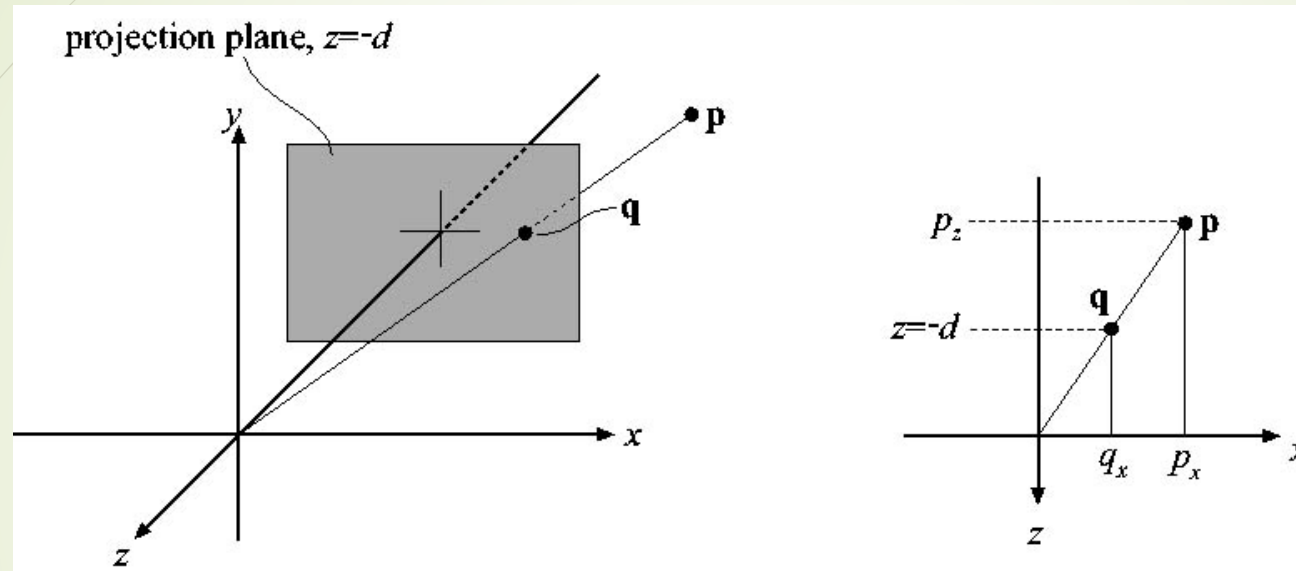
$$\mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} p_x / p_w & p_y / p_w & p_z / p_w & 1 \end{pmatrix}^T$$

- Gives a point again!
- Can be used for projections, as we will see

# Perspective projection



$d > 0$

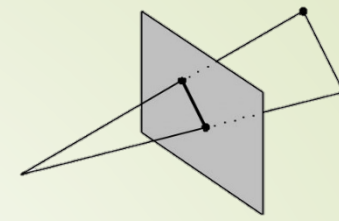


$$\frac{q_x}{p_x} = \frac{-d}{p_z} \Rightarrow q_x = -d \frac{p_x}{p_z}$$

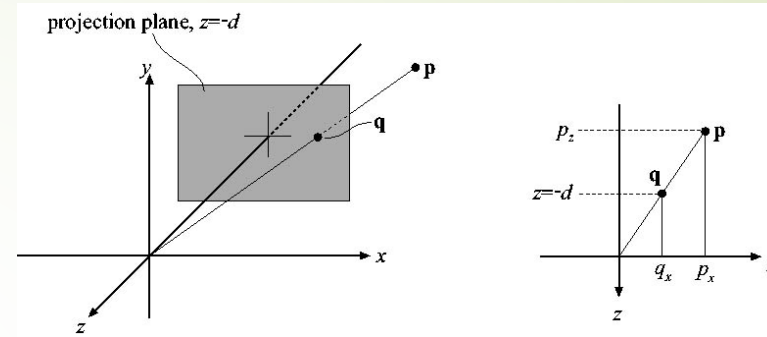
$$\text{For } y: q_y = -d \frac{p_y}{p_z}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_p = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/d & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

# Perspective projection



$$\mathbf{P}_p = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/d & 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{P}_p \mathbf{p} = ?$$

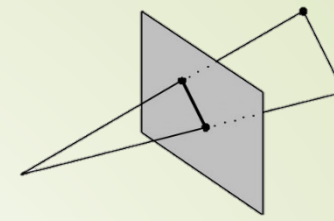


$$\mathbf{P}_p \mathbf{p} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1/d & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ p_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} p_x \\ p_y \\ p_z \\ -p_z/d \end{pmatrix} \Rightarrow \mathbf{q} = \begin{pmatrix} -dp_x/p_z \\ -dp_y/p_z \\ -dp_z/p_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -dp_x/p_z \\ -dp_y/p_z \\ -d \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

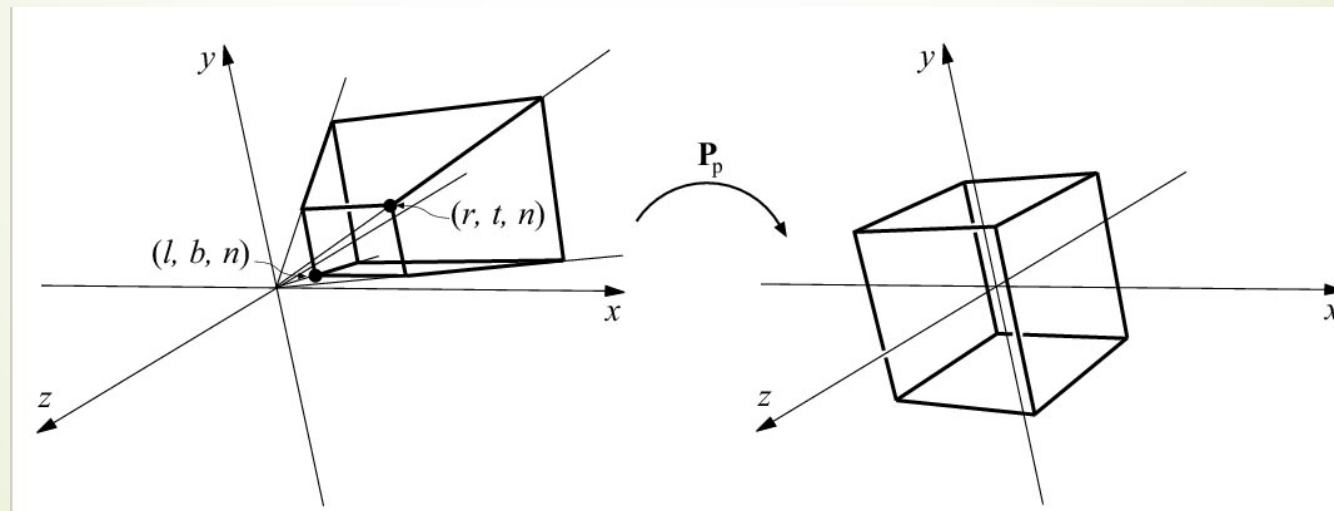
$$q_x = -d \frac{p_x}{p_z} \quad q_y = -d \frac{p_y}{p_z}$$

- The "arrow" is the homogenization process

# Perspective projection



- Again, the determinant is 0 (not invertible)
- To make the rest of the pipeline the same as for orthogonal projection:
  - project into unit-cube



- Not much different from  $P_p$
- Do not collapse z-coord to a plane