

# CMP205: Computer Graphics



## Lecture 5: Viewing and Projection

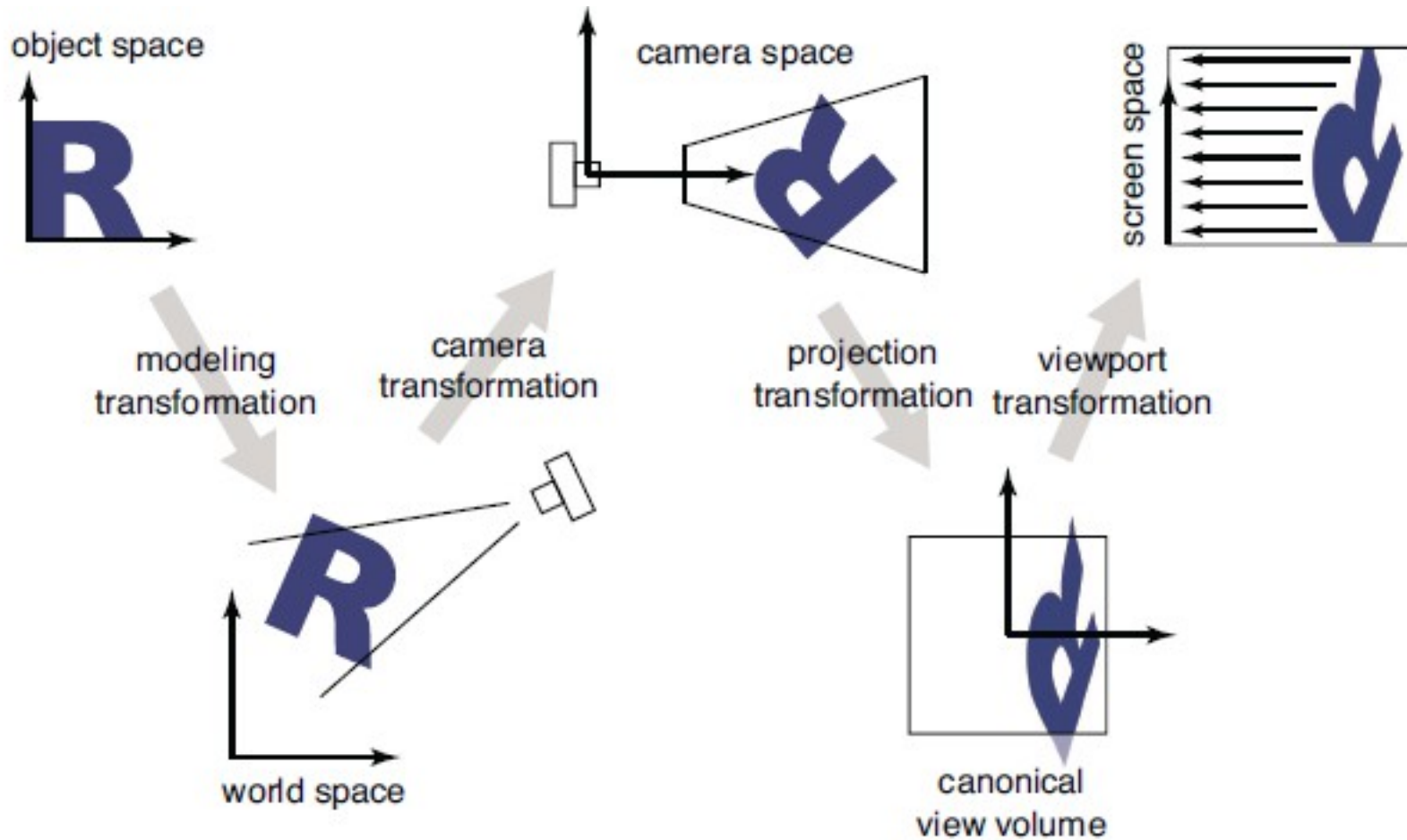
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# Agenda

- Viewing
- Projections
  - Orthographic
  - Perspective
- Transformations Pipeline

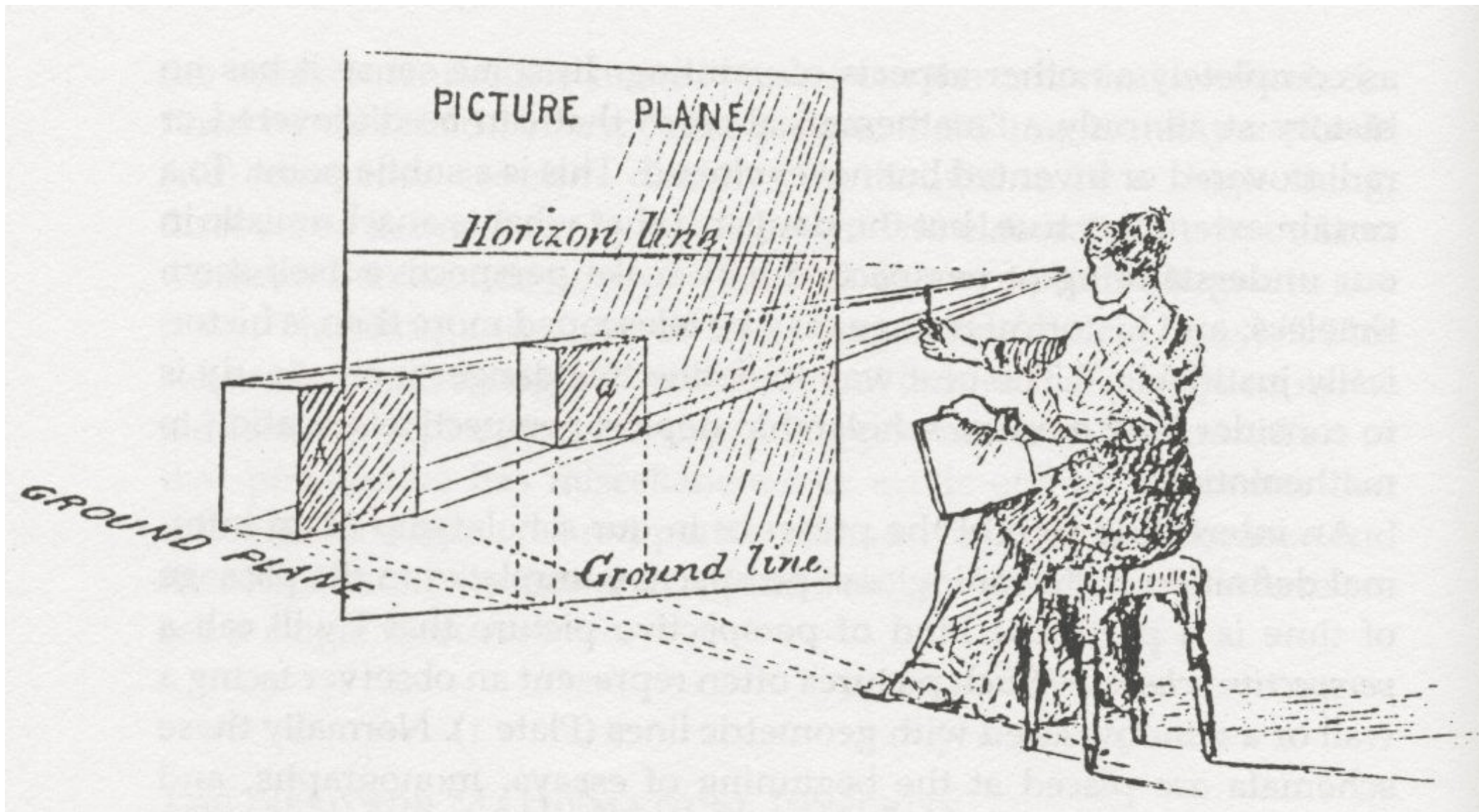
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# 3D Viewing



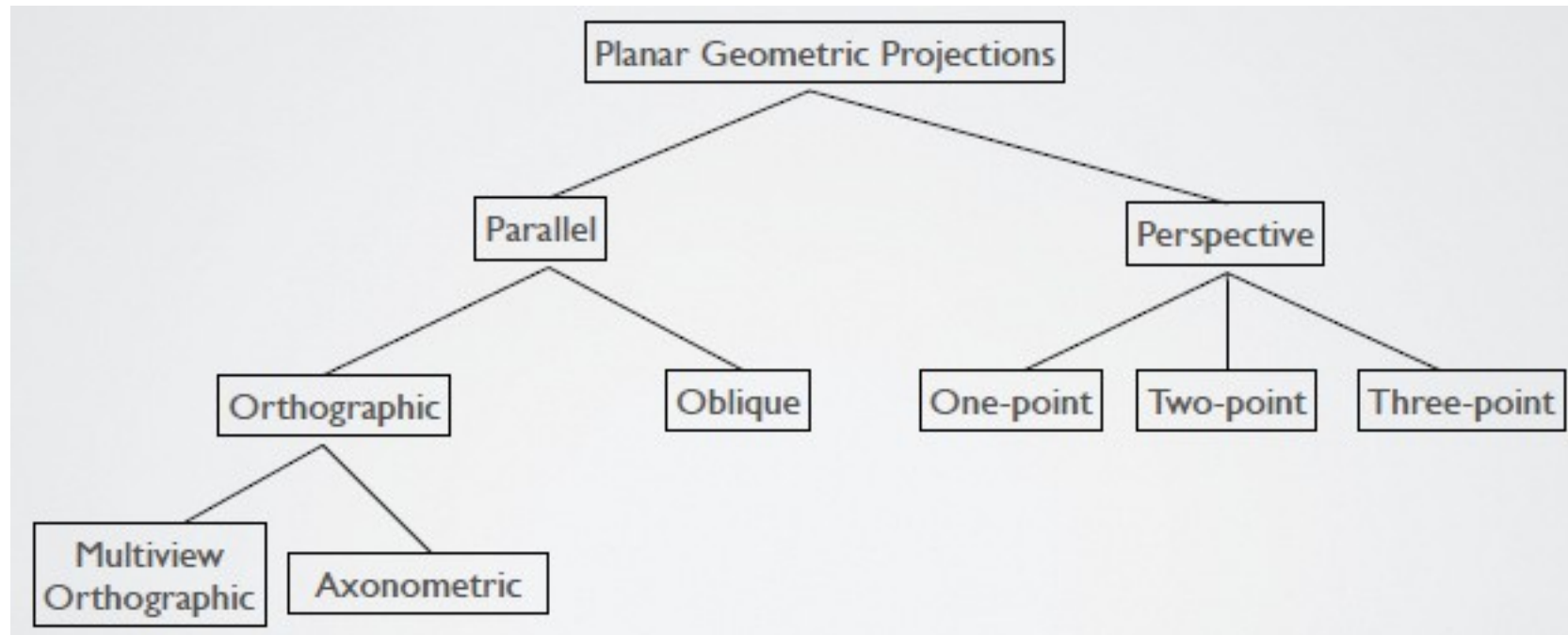
Convert from 3D points in space to 2D points on screen

# Projections

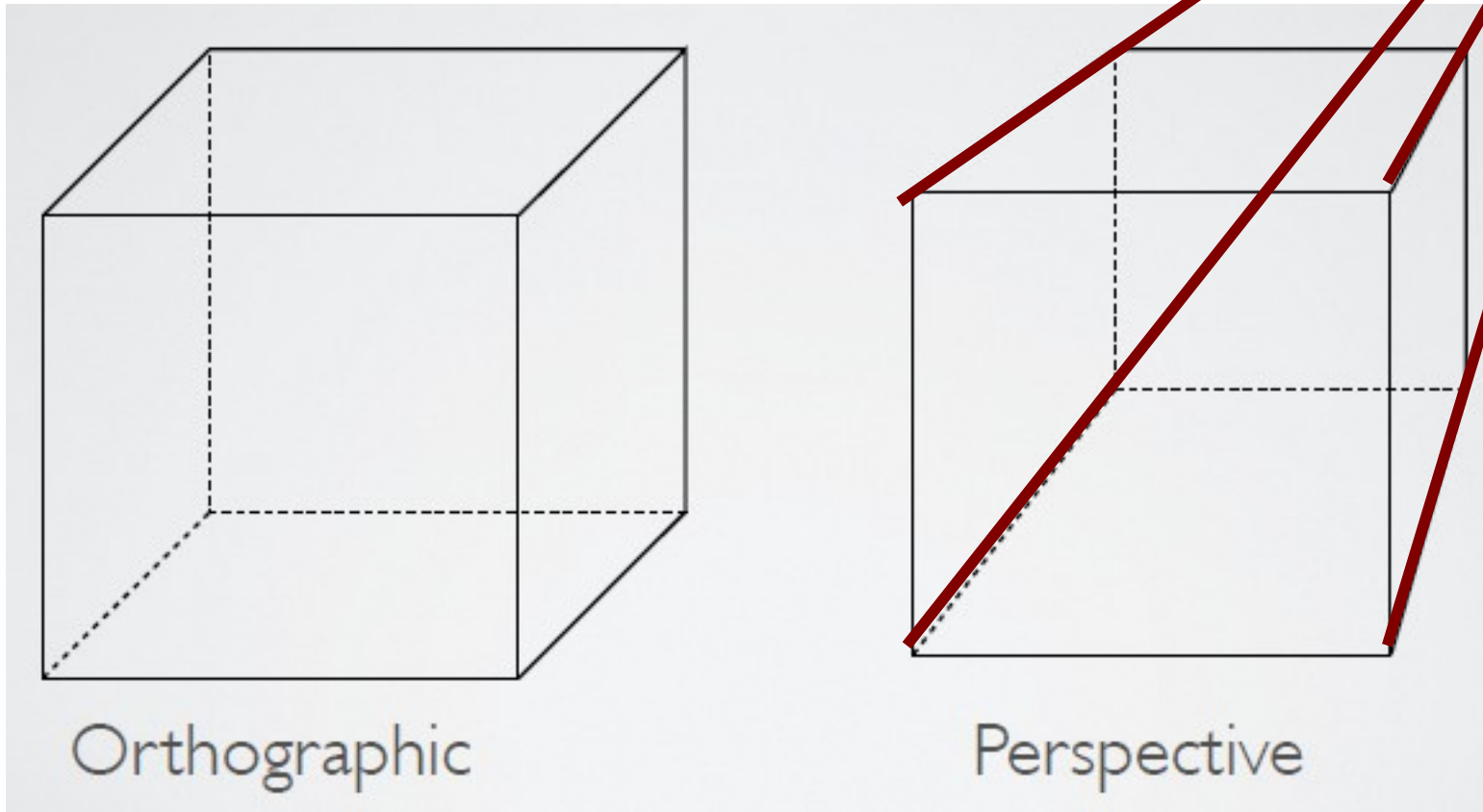


Project points in the world onto a plane

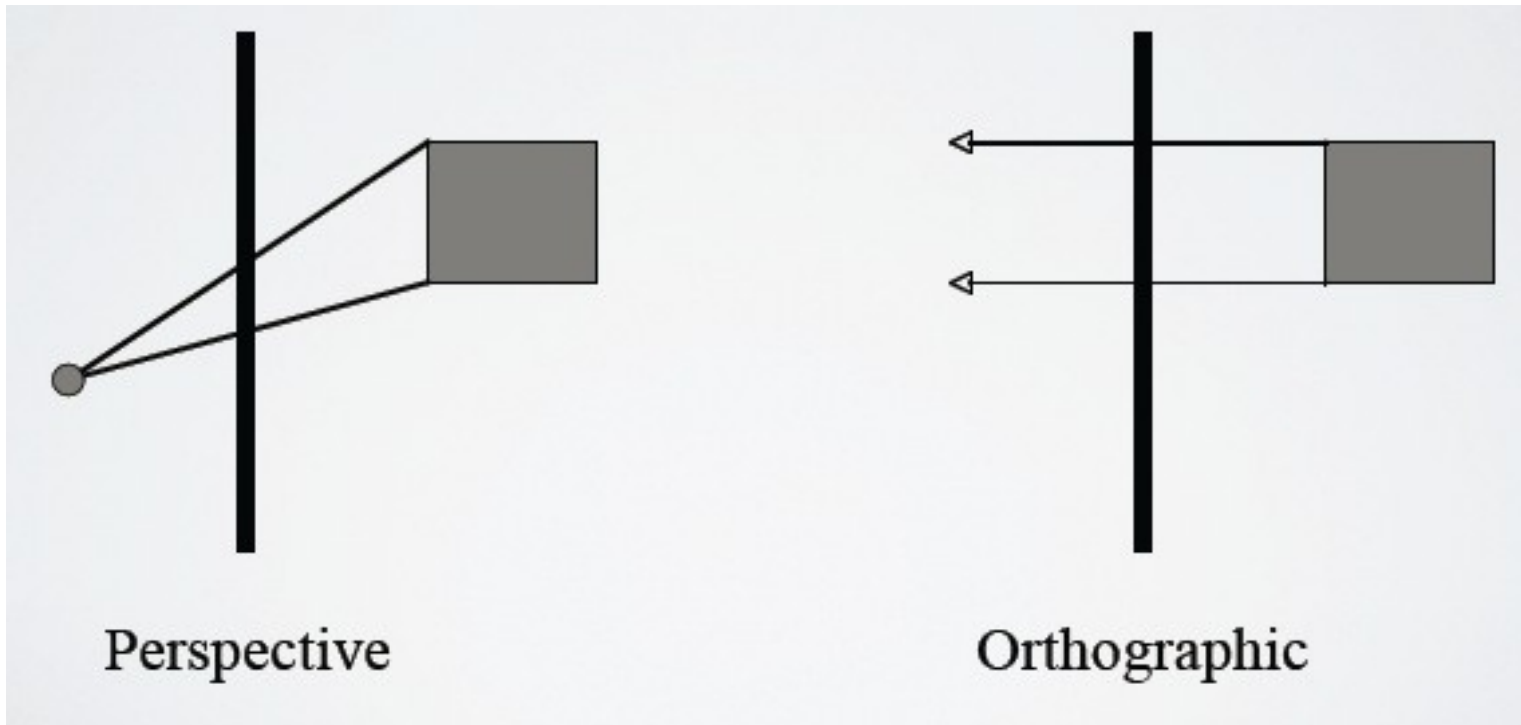
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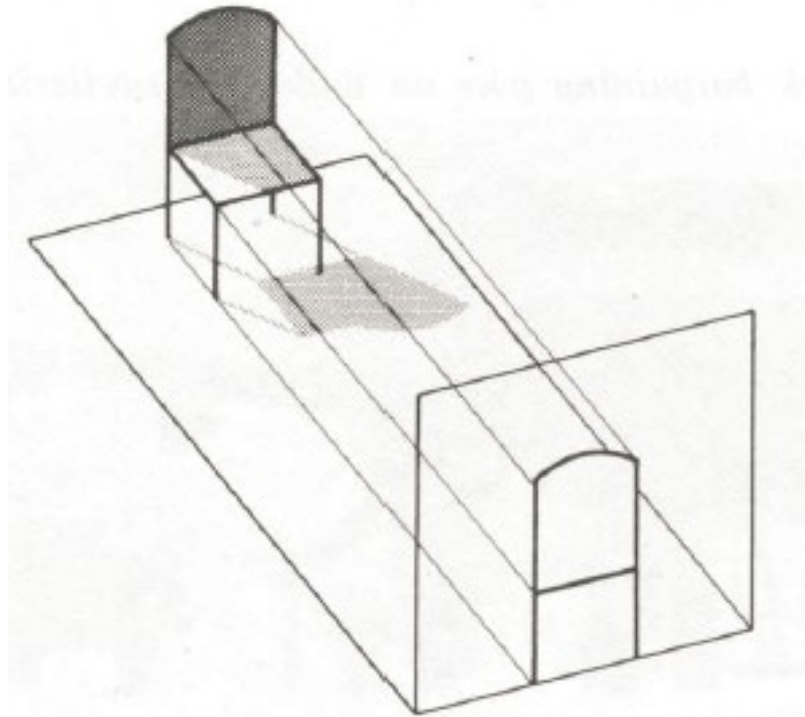
# Projections



# Projections in 2D



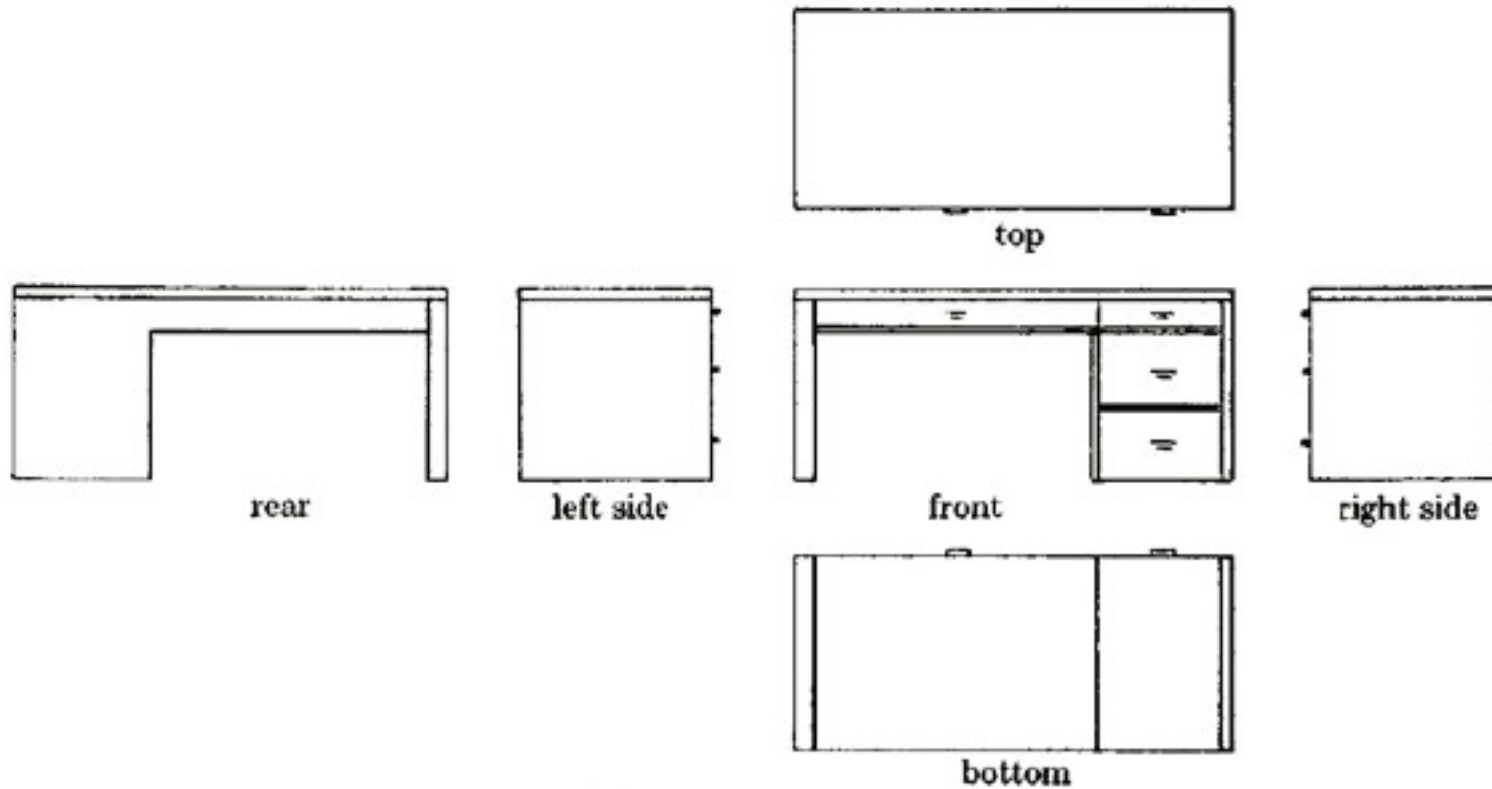
# Orthographic Projection



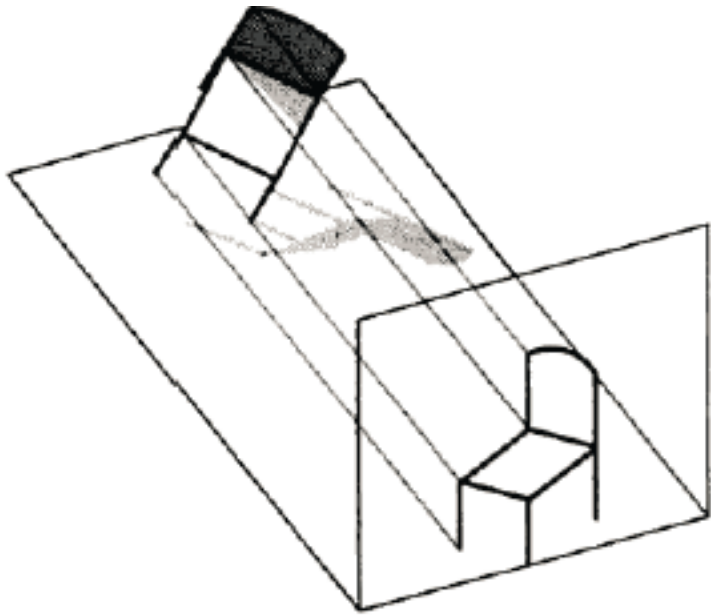
- Projection plane parallel to a Coordinate plane
- Projection direction perpendicular to projection plane



# Multiview Orthographic

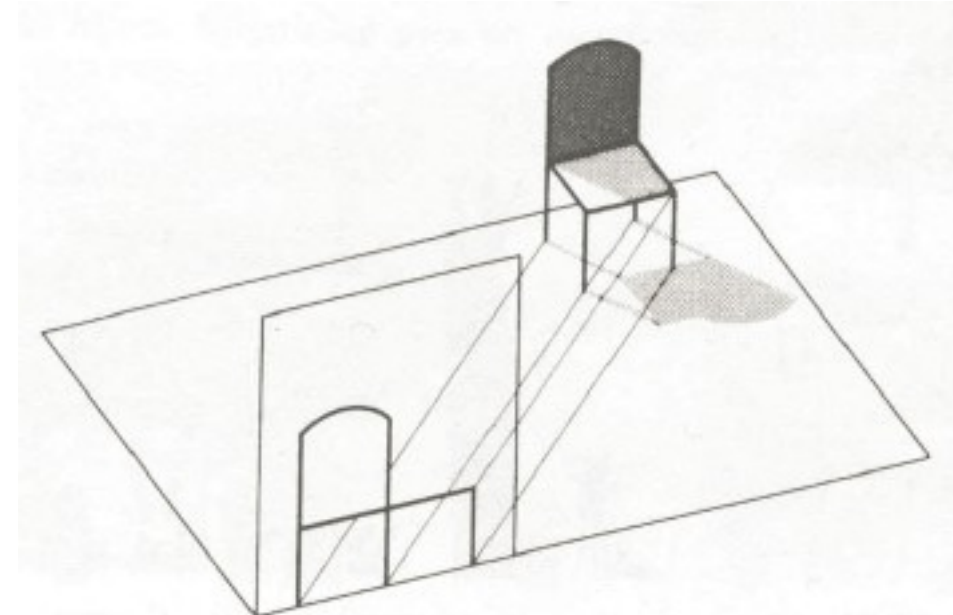


# Off-Axis Projections



Axonometric Projection

Projection plane not parallel to coordinate planes



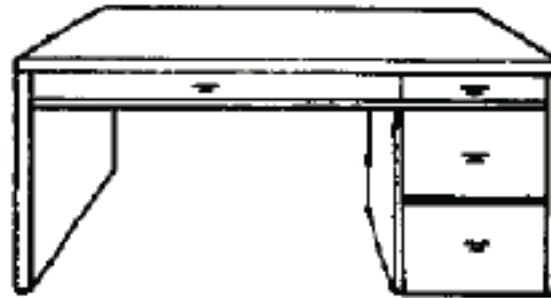
Oblique Projection

Projection lines not perpendicular to projection plane

# Perspective Projection

## One-Point Perspective

Projection plane parallel to a coordinate plane



**one-point**

## Two-Point Perspective

Projection plane parallel to a coordinate axis



**two-point**

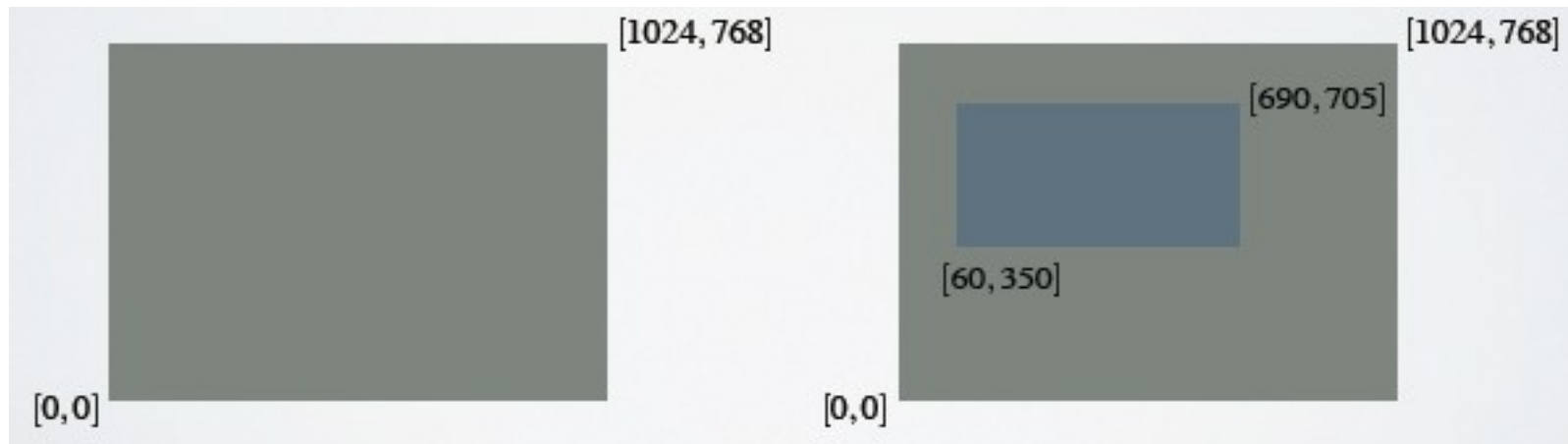
## Three-Point Perspective

Projection plane not parallel to any coordinate axes



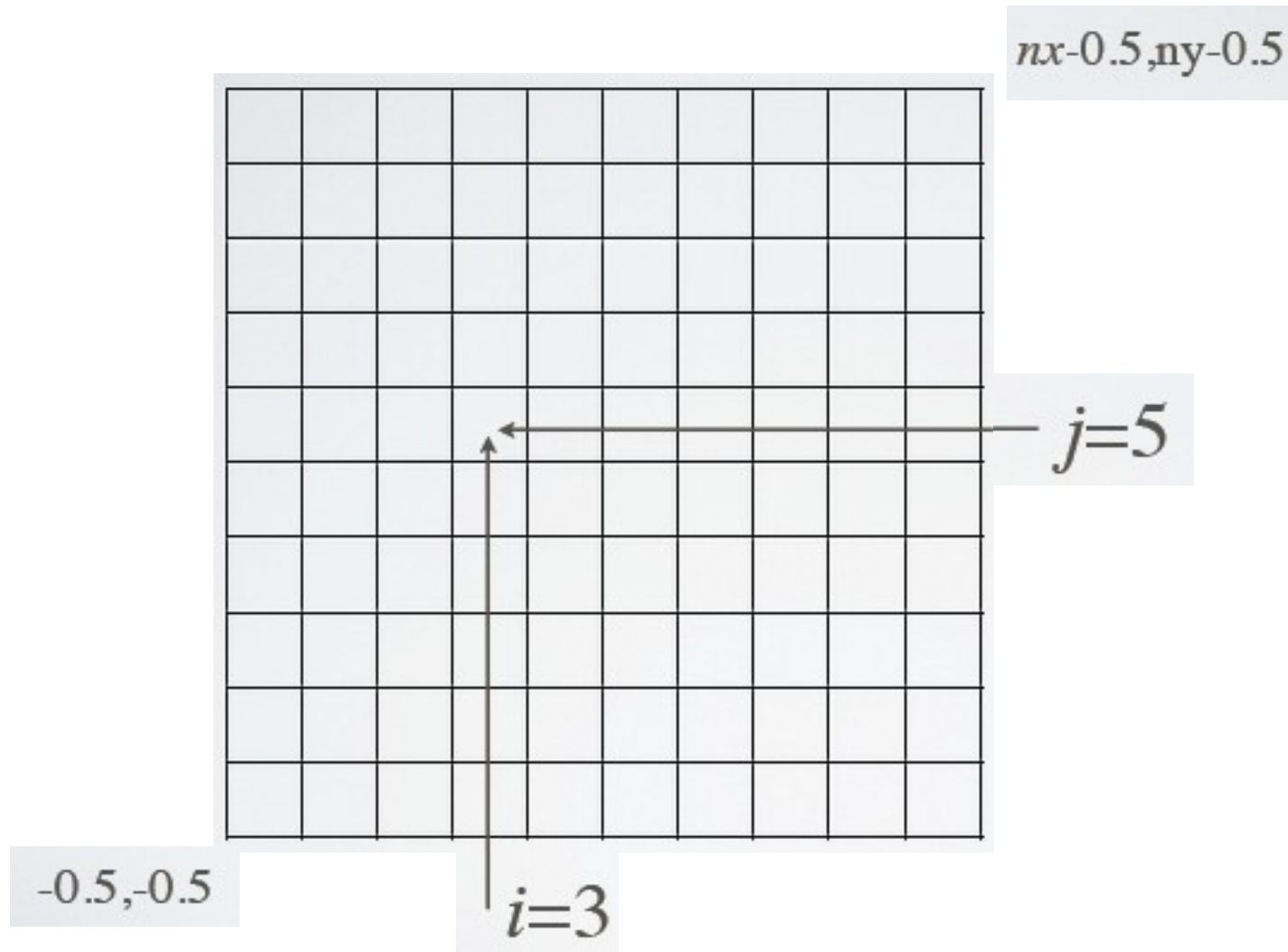
**three-point**

# Screen Space



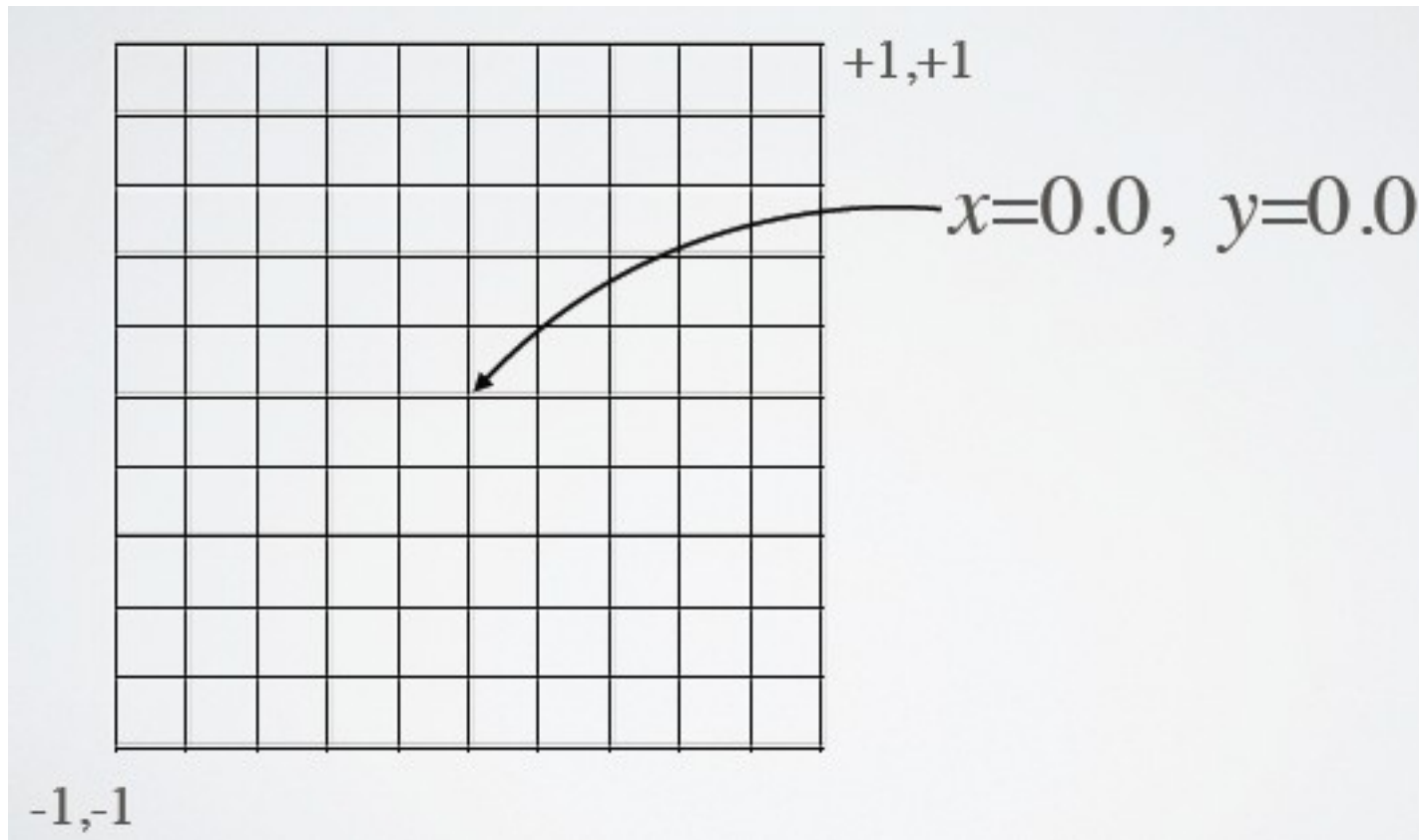
Viewport

# Screen Space

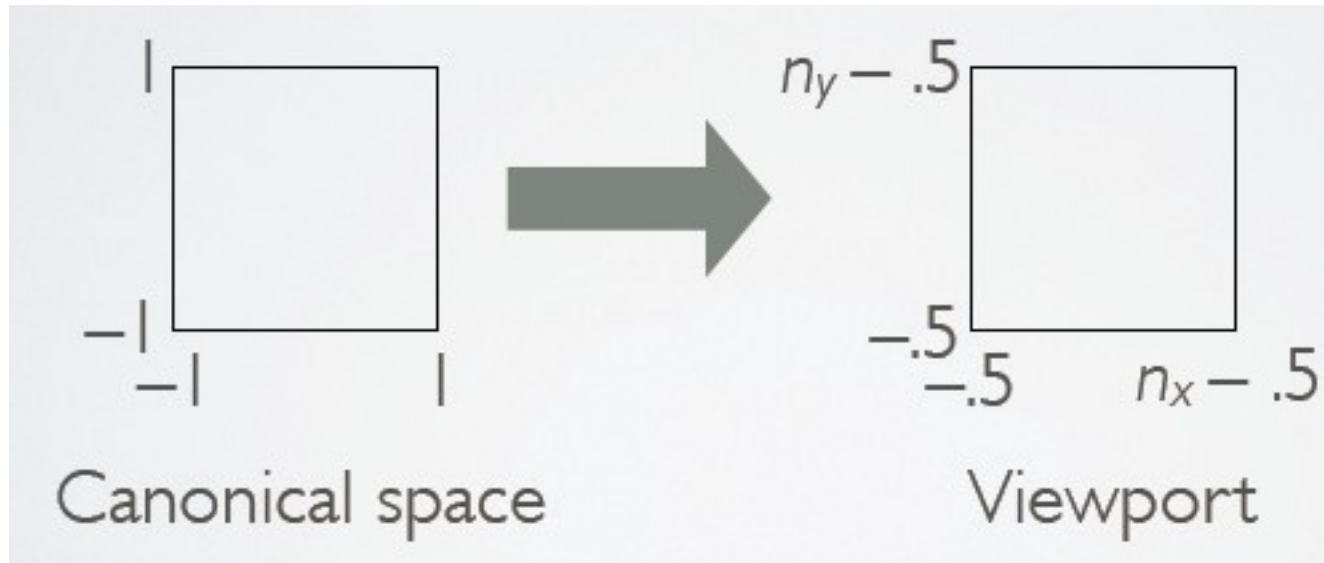


Screen of width  $n_x$  and height  $n_y$  pixels

# 2D Canonical View Space

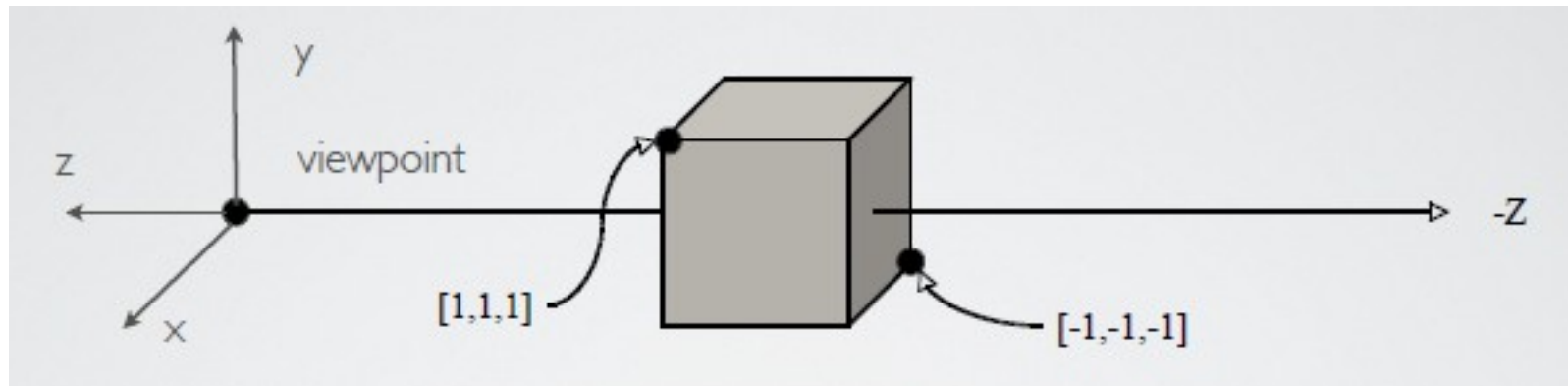
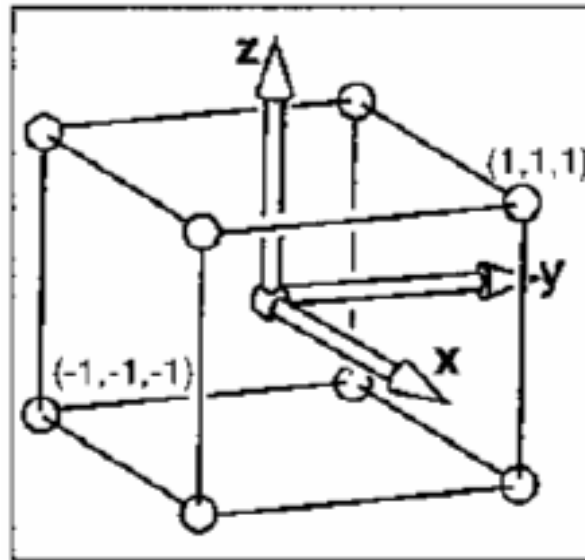


# 2D Viewport Transformation



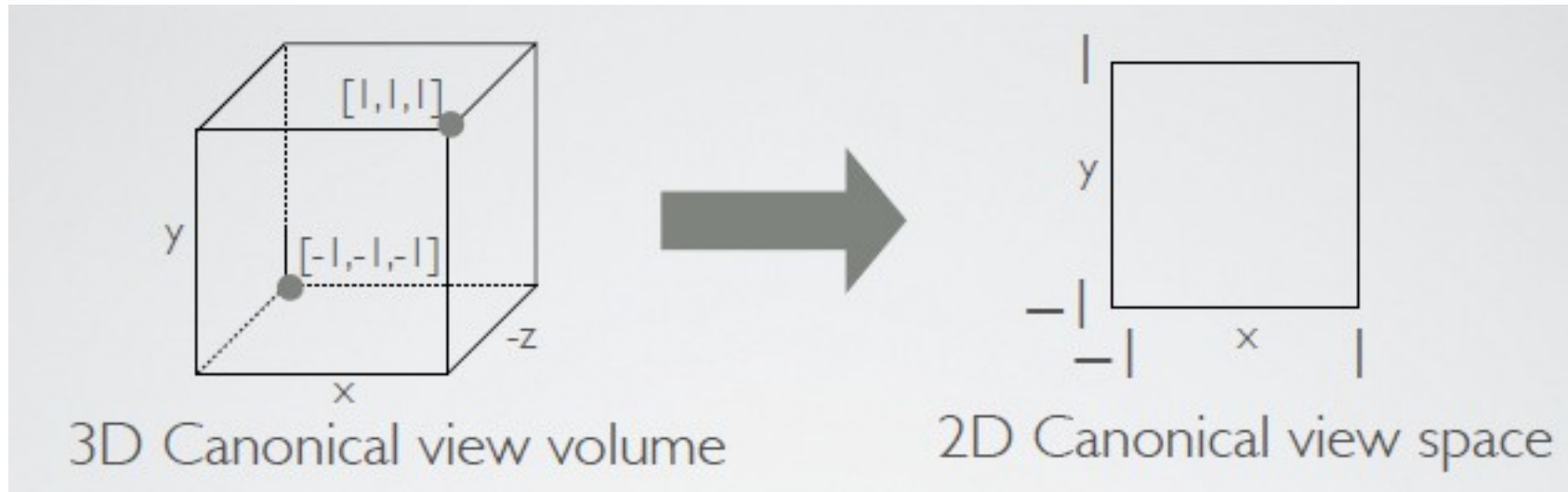
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{screen} \\ y_{screen} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{n_x}{2} & 0 & \frac{n_x - 1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{n_y}{2} & \frac{n_y - 1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{canonical} \\ y_{canonical} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# 3D Canonical View Volume





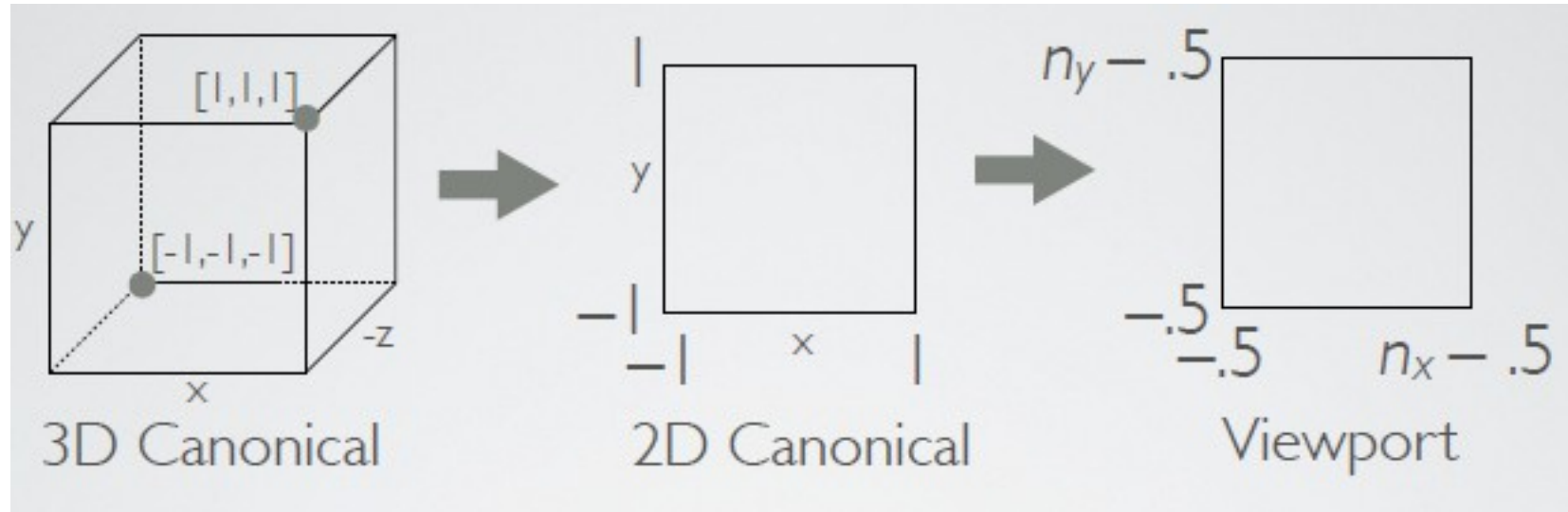
# 3D Viewport Transformation



$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{canonical} \\ y_{canonical} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{canonical} \\ y_{canonical} \\ z_{canonical} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

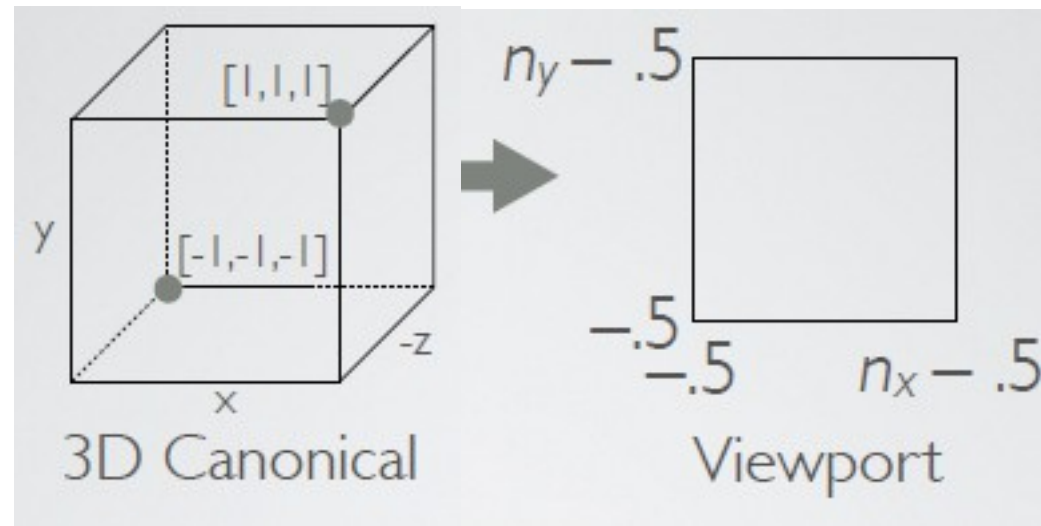
Drop z-coordinate

# 3D Viewport Transformation



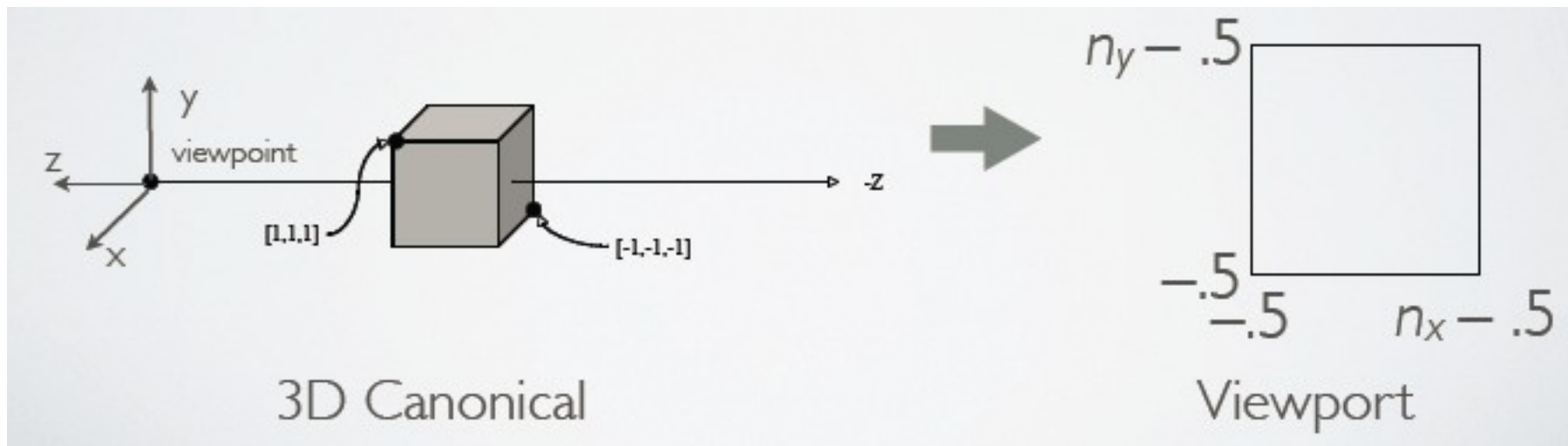
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# 3D Viewport Transformation



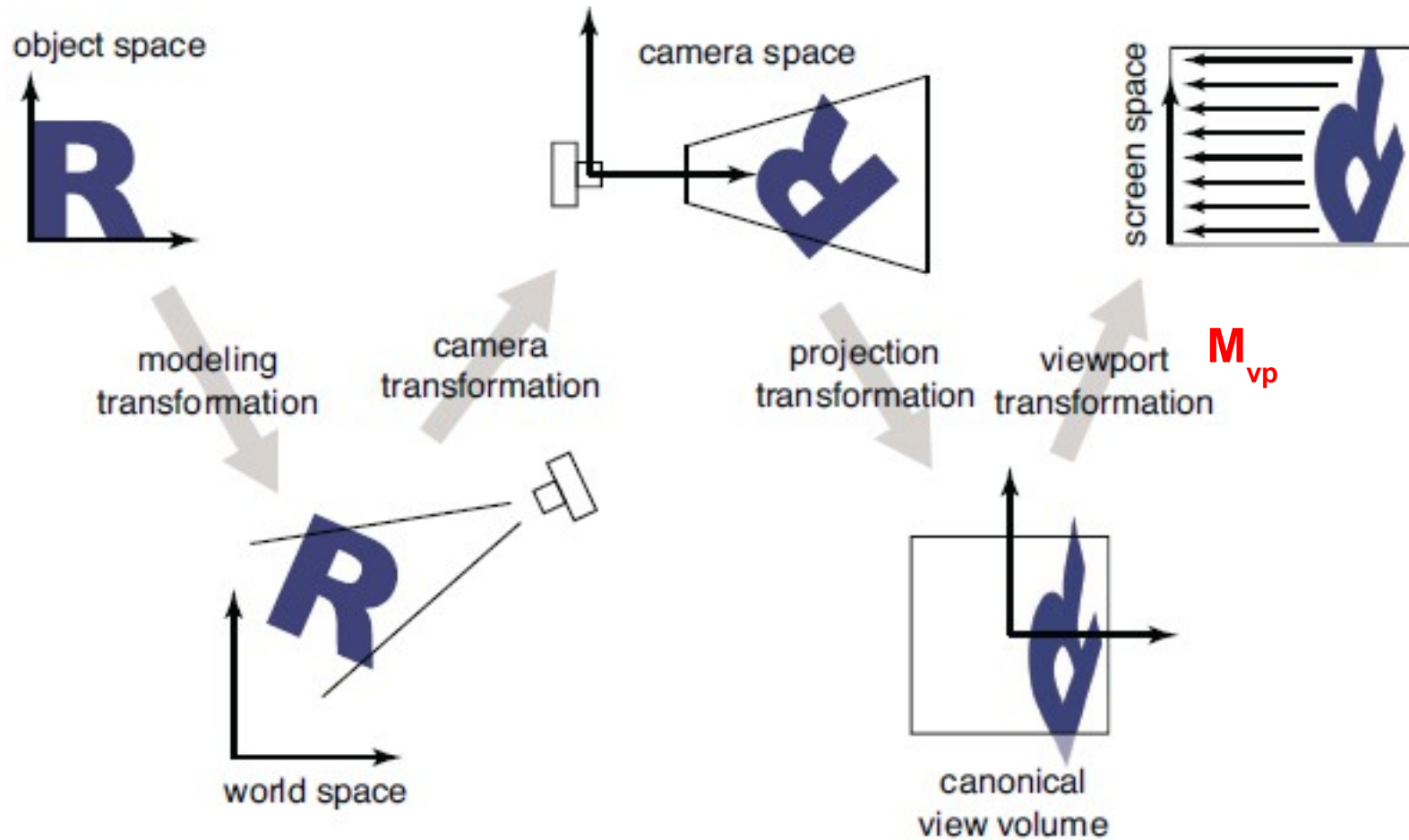
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# 3D Viewport Transformation

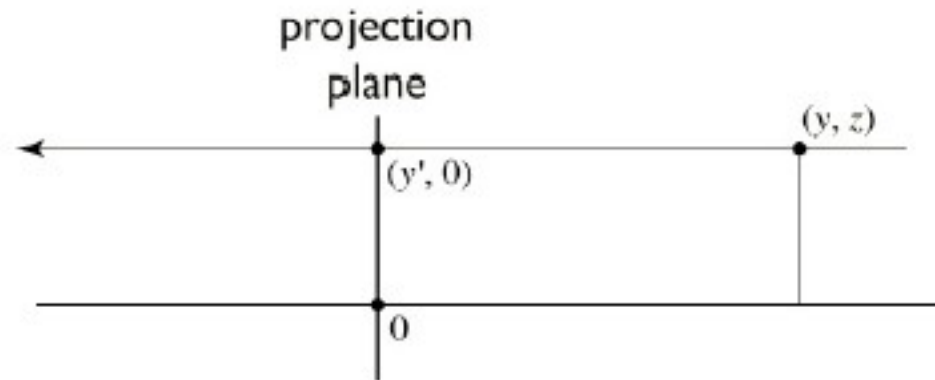


$$\mathbf{M}_{vp} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{n_x}{2} & 0 & 0 & \frac{n_x - 1}{2} \\ 0 & \frac{n_y}{2} & 0 & \frac{n_y - 1}{2} \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# 3D Viewport Transformation



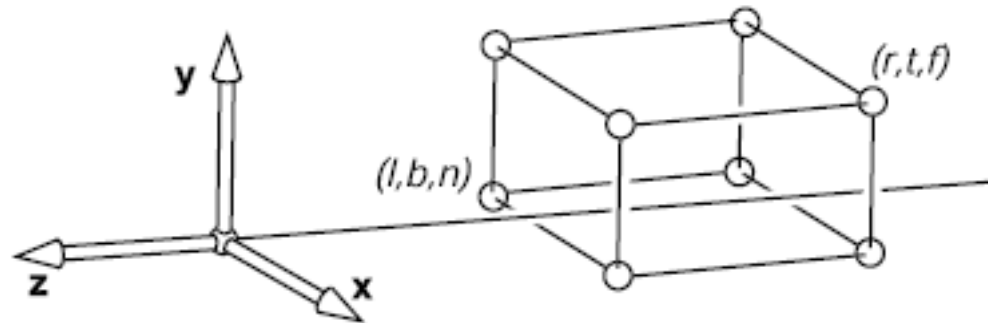
# Orthographic Projection



$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Drop z-coordinate

# Orthographic Projection

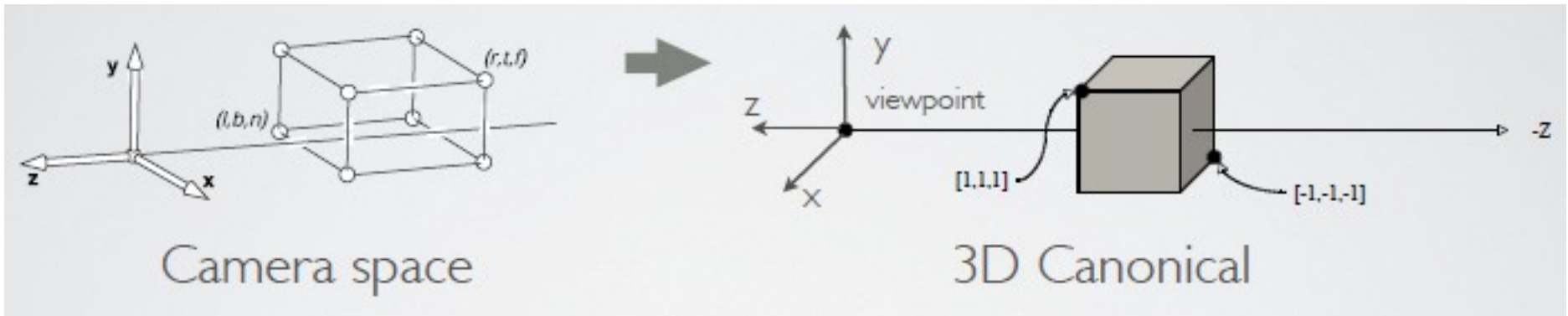


General View Volume

How do we transform this view volume to the canonical view volume?

Windowing Transform !

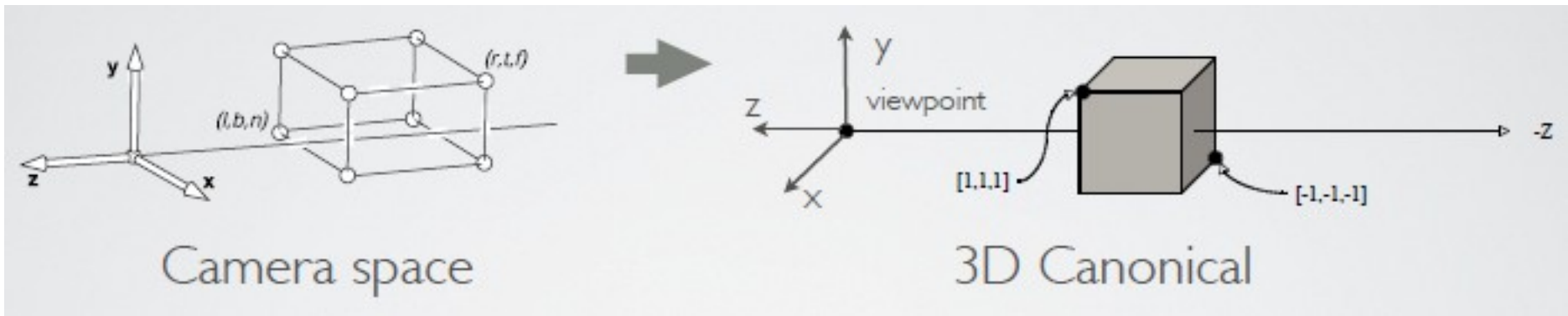
# Orthographic Projection



$$M_{orth} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{r-l} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{2}{t-b} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{n-f} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{-(l+r)}{2} \\ \frac{-(b+t)}{2} \\ \frac{-(n+f)}{2} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

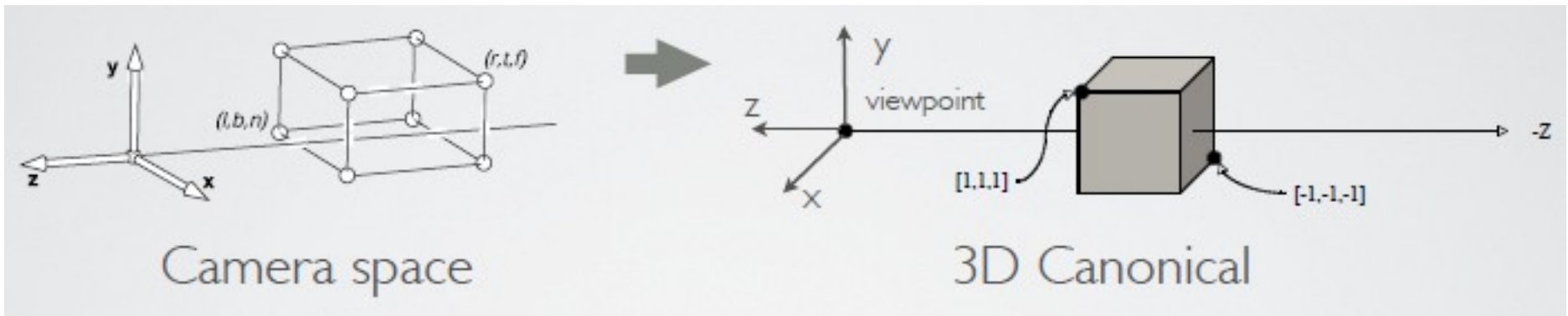


# Orthographic Projection



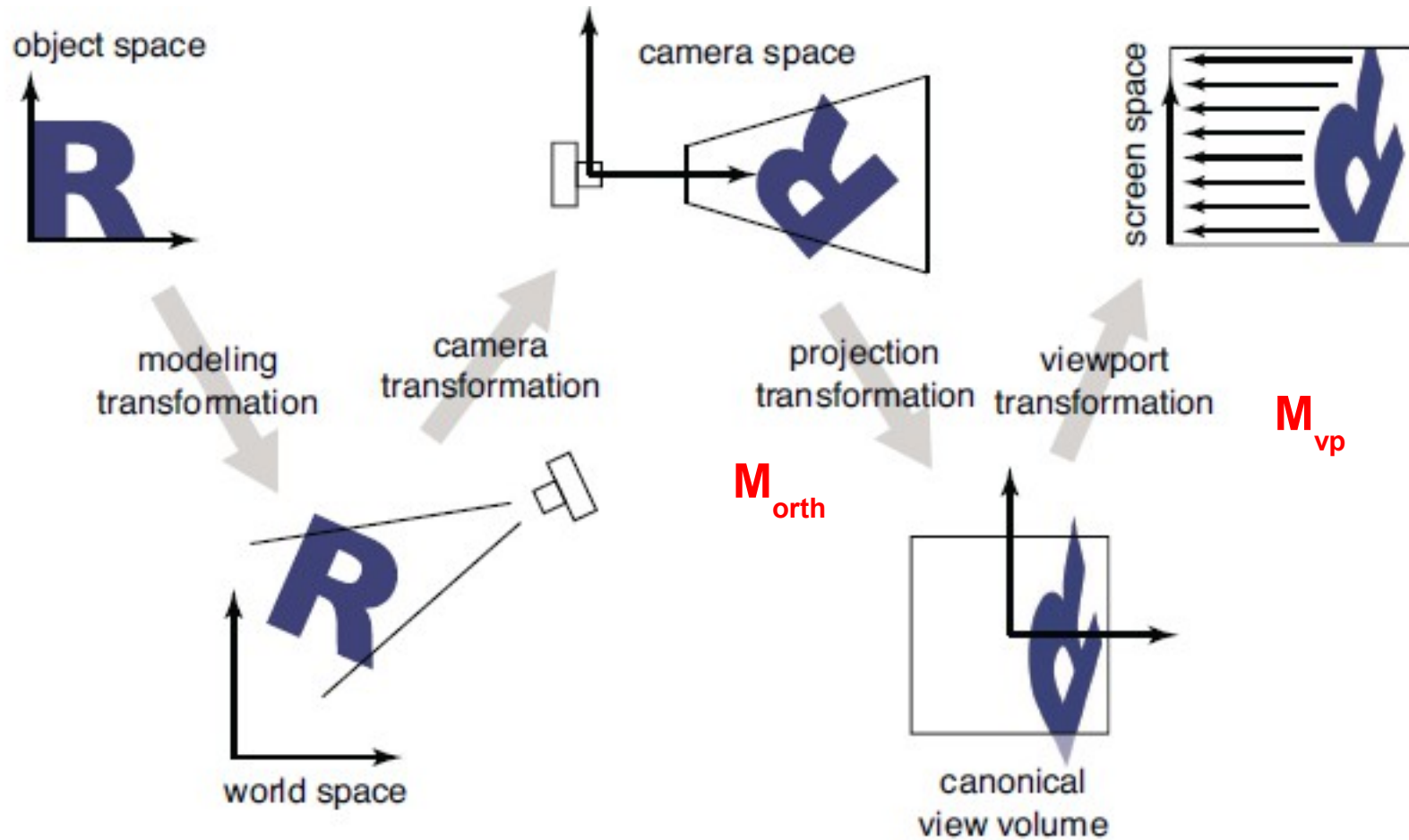
$$M_{orth} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{r-l} & 0 & 0 & \frac{-r+l}{r-l} \\ 0 & \frac{2}{t-b} & 0 & \frac{-t+b}{t-b} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{n-f} & \frac{-n+f}{n-f} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Orthographic Projection



$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{canonical} \\ y_{canonical} \\ z_{canonical} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{r-l} & 0 & 0 & \frac{-r+l}{r-l} \\ 0 & \frac{2}{t-b} & 0 & \frac{-t+b}{t-b} \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{2}{n-f} & \frac{-n+f}{n-f} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_{cam} \\ y_{cam} \\ z_{cam} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Orthographic Projection



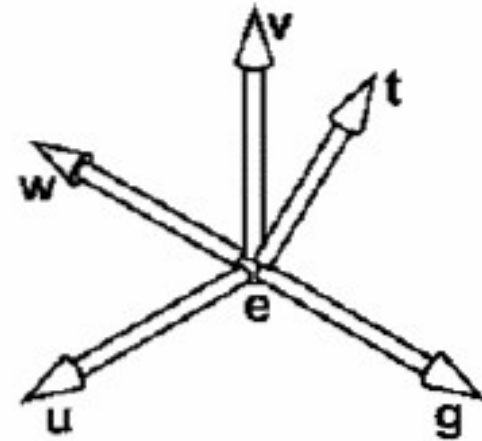
# Arbitrary Views

Camera position/direction

$e$  : eye position

$g$  : gaze direction

$t$  : view up vector



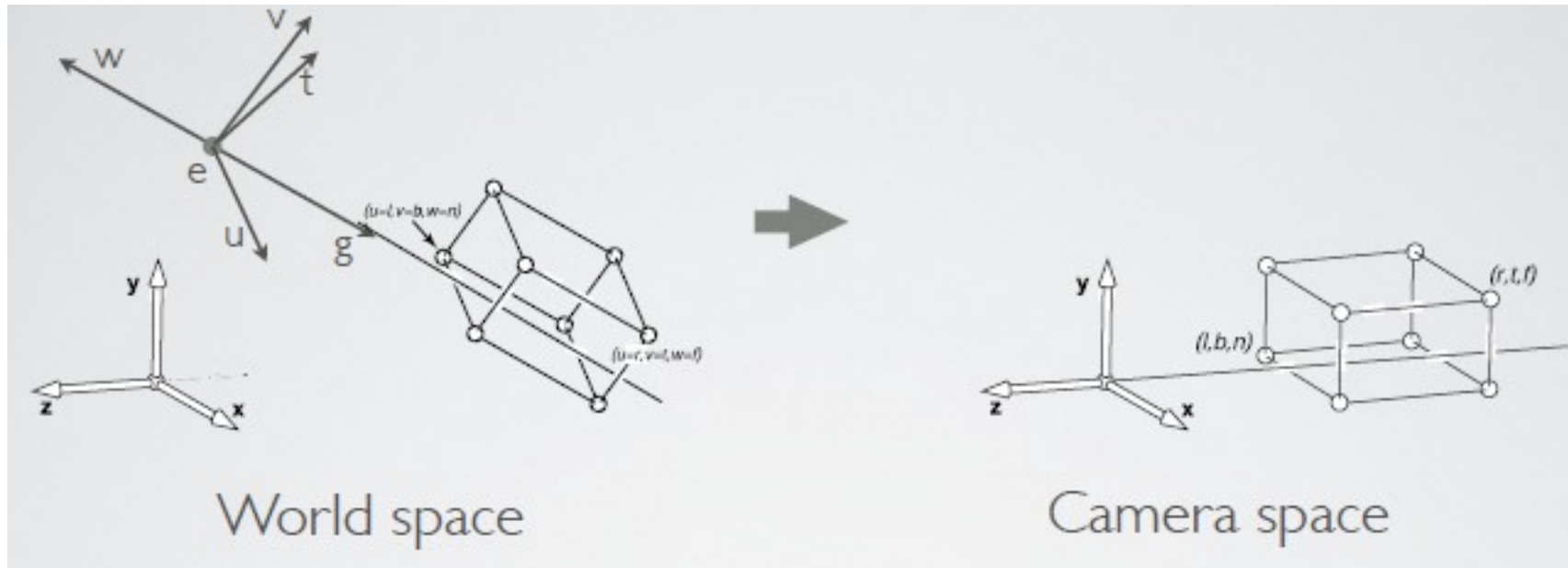
Construct a coordinate system

$$w = \frac{-g}{\|g\|}$$

$$u = \frac{-t \times w}{\|t \times w\|}$$

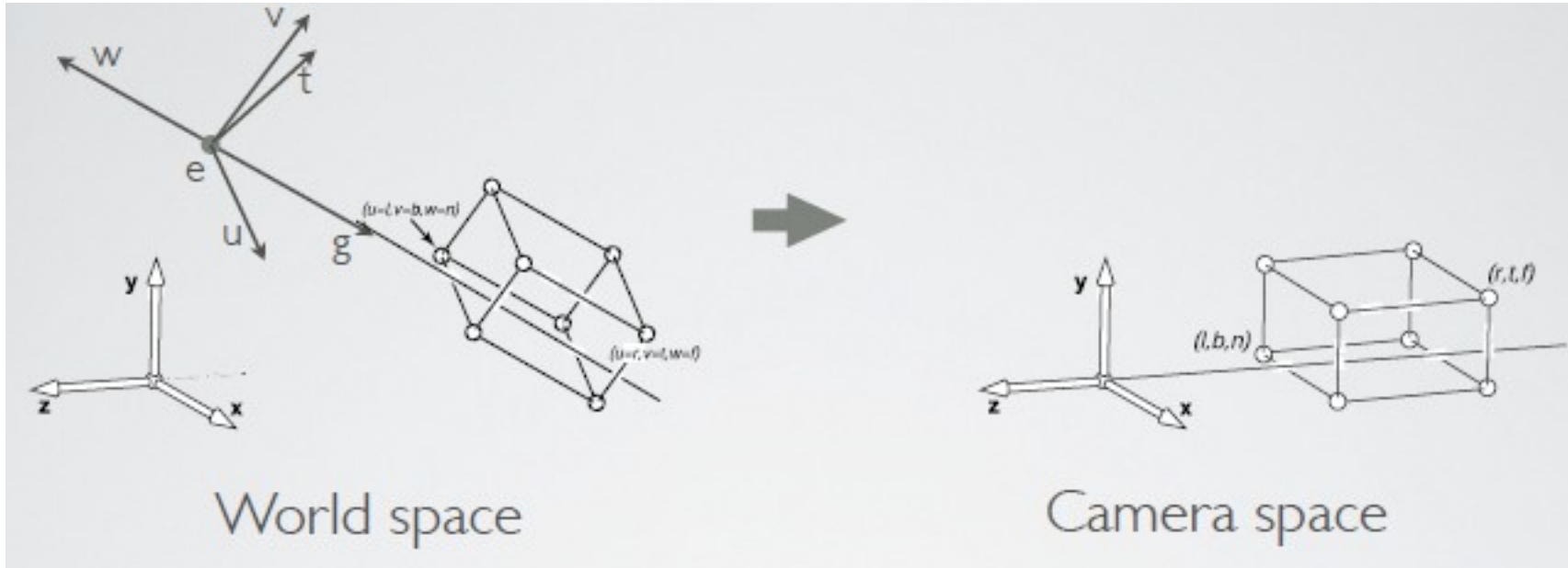
$$v = w \times u$$

# Camera Transformation



Convert from World Coordinates to Camera Coordinates

# Camera Transformation

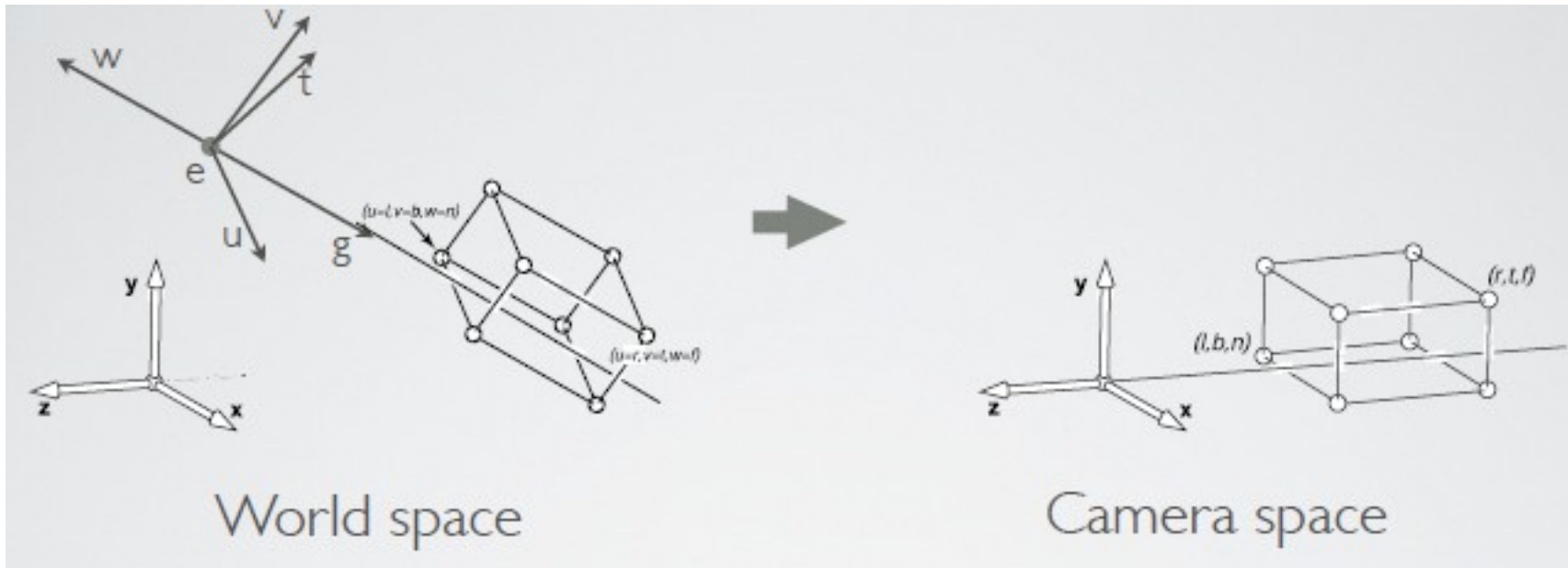


$$\mathbf{M}_{cam} = \begin{bmatrix} x_u & y_u & z_u & 0 \\ x_v & y_v & z_v & 0 \\ x_w & y_w & z_w & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -x_e \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -y_e \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -z_e \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u & v & w & e \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^{-1}$$

Aligns Camera Coordinates  
with World Coordinates

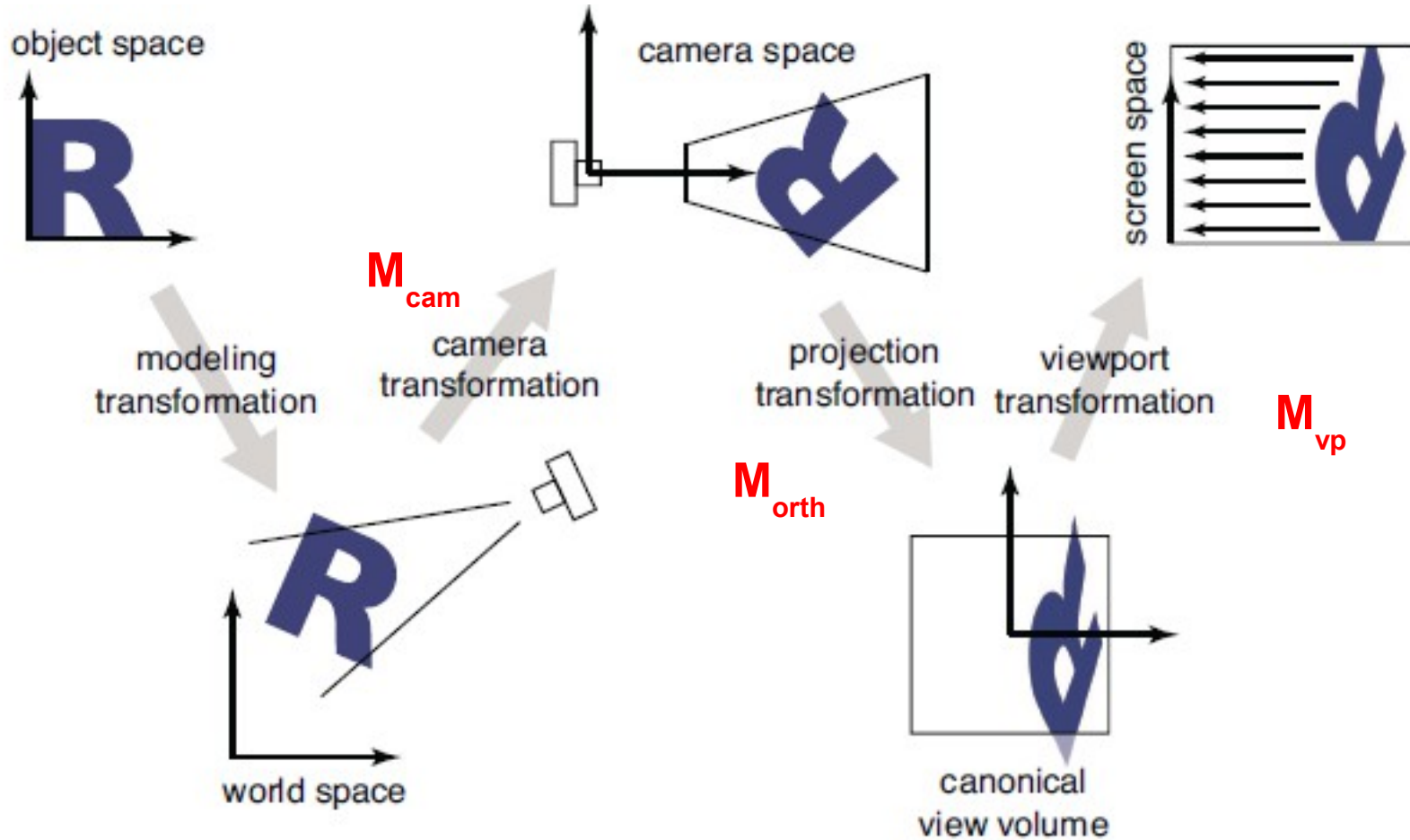
Moves Camera to  
World Origin

# Camera Transformation



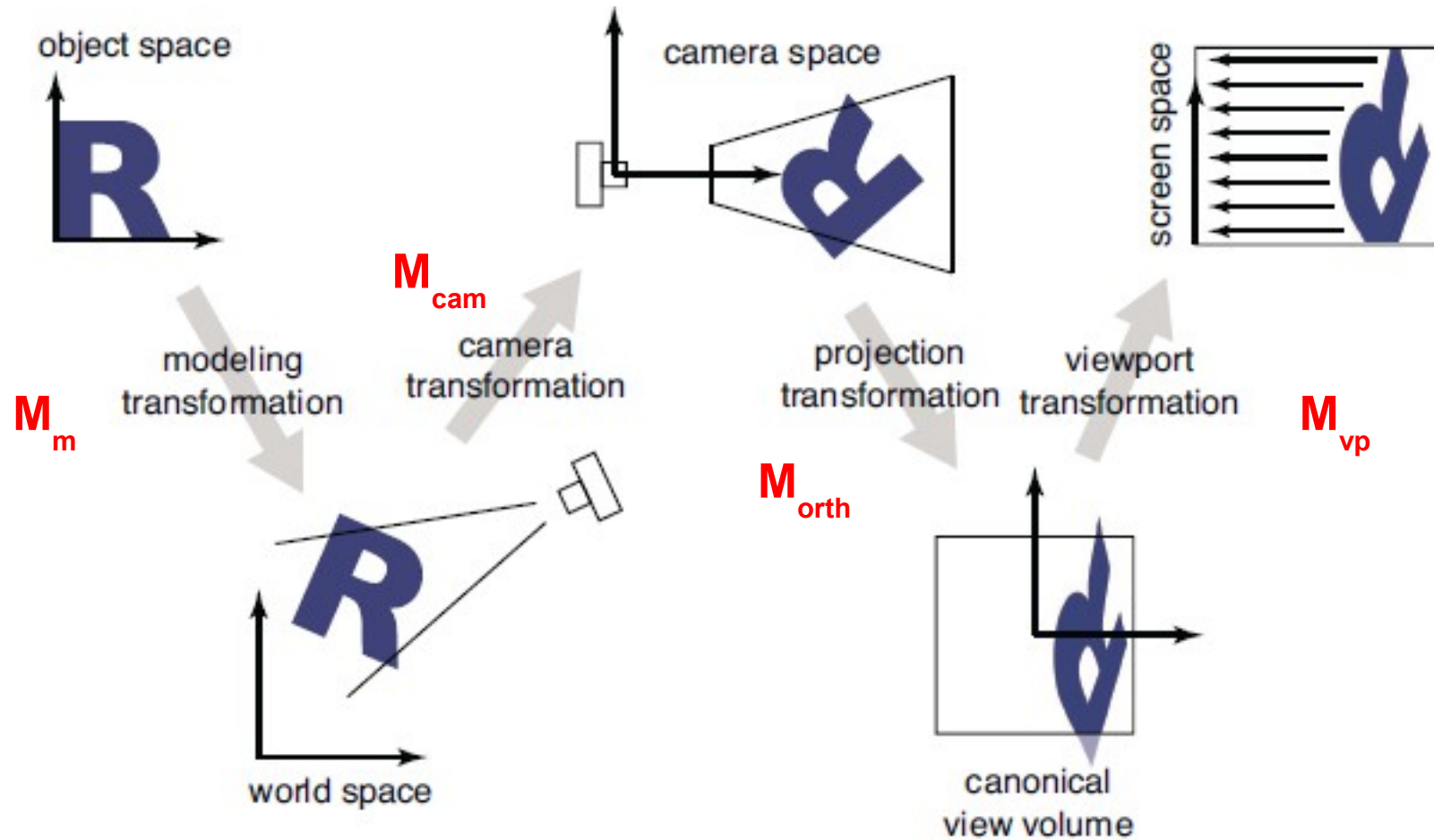
$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{cam} \\ y_{cam} \\ z_{cam} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_u & y_u & z_u & 0 \\ x_v & y_v & z_v & 0 \\ x_w & y_w & z_w & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -x_e \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -y_e \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -z_e \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_w \\ y_w \\ z_w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Camera Transformation





# Modeling Transformation

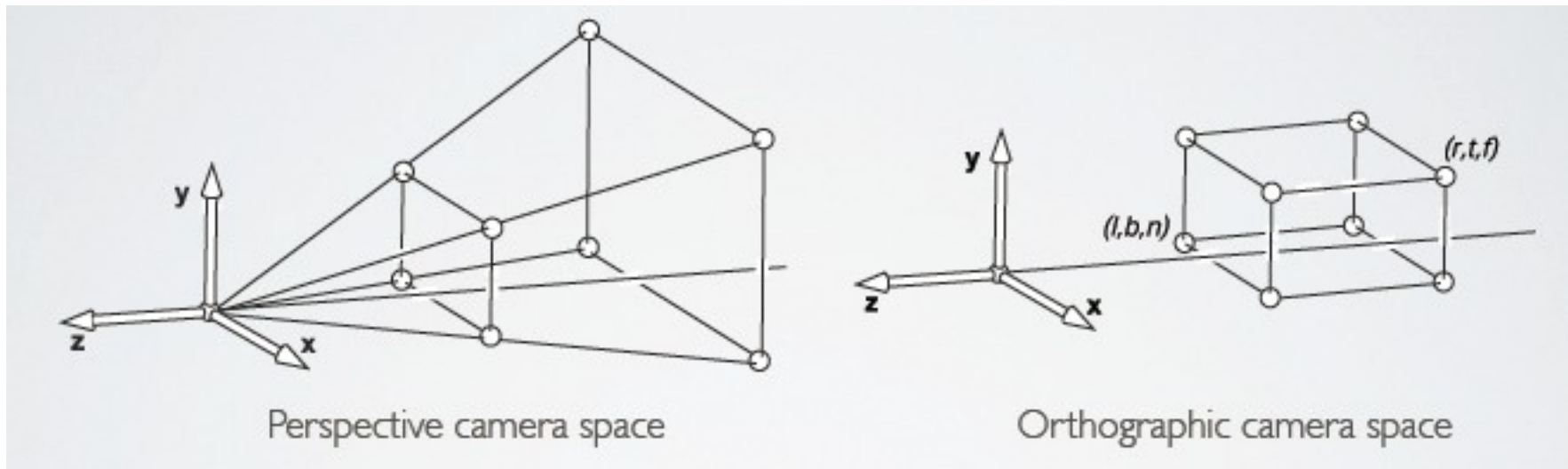


# Orthographic Transformation

- Start with point in Object coordinates
- Convert to World Coordinates:  $M_m$
- Convert to Camera Coordinates:  $M_{cam}$
- Perform Orthographic Projection:  $M_{orth}$
- Convert to Screen Coordinates:  $M_{vp}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ z_c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = M_{vp} M_{orth} M_{cam} M_m \begin{bmatrix} x_o \\ y_o \\ z_o \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Perspective Projection



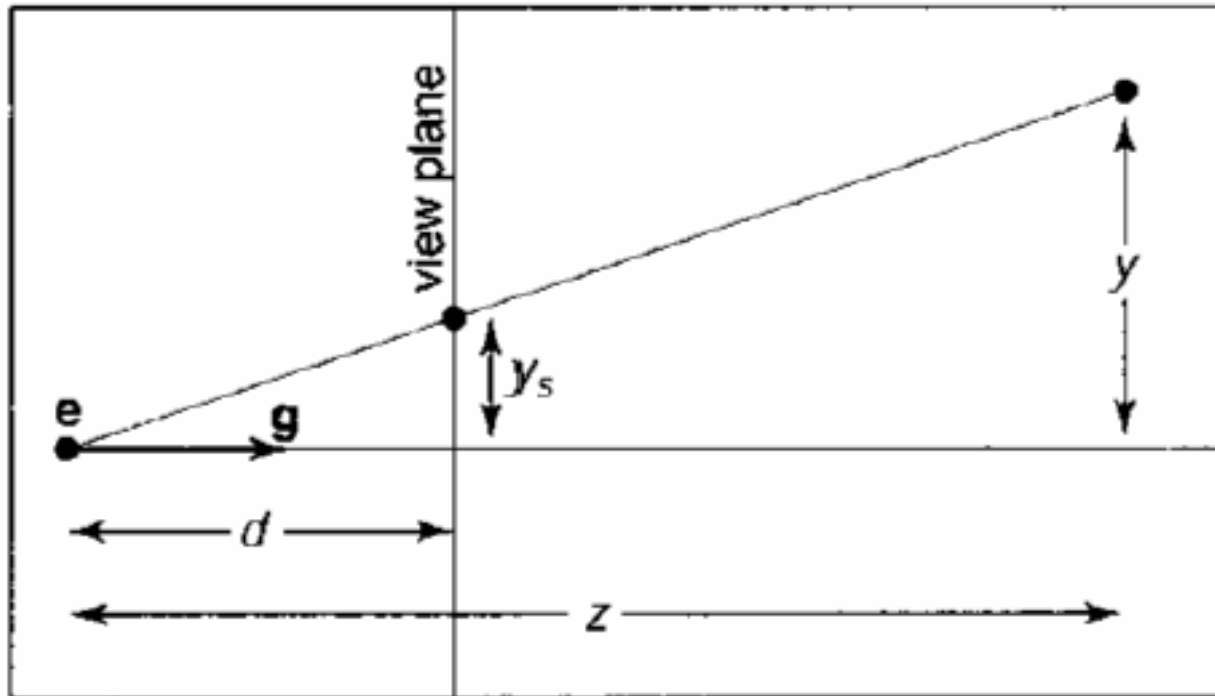
Perspective View Volume: Frustum

Orthographic View Volume

Projection lines go through the camera center !

Want to map the perspective view frustum onto the orthographic view volume

# Perspective Projection



Similar Triangles

$$\frac{y_s}{d} = \frac{y}{z}$$

$$y_s = \frac{dy}{z}$$

How do we perform division?

# Perspective Projection

Homogeneous Coordinates

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} wx \\ wy \\ wz \\ w \end{bmatrix}$$

Allow any  $w$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ w \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} x/w \\ y/w \\ z/w \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Divide by  $w$  to go back

What if  $w$  is zero?

# Perspective Projection

$$y_s = \frac{dy}{z} \quad \& \quad x_s = \frac{dx}{z}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} dx/z \\ dy/z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} dx \\ dy \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

What about  $z_s$  ?

# Perspective Projection

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ z_s \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$z_s = 1$$

Z coordinate is lost ! How do we preserve it?

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ z_s \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Perspective Projection

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ z_s \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \sim \begin{bmatrix} \tilde{x} \\ \tilde{y} \\ \tilde{z} \\ z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} d & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & d & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a & b \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{z} = az + b \quad \& \quad z_s = \frac{az + b}{z}$$

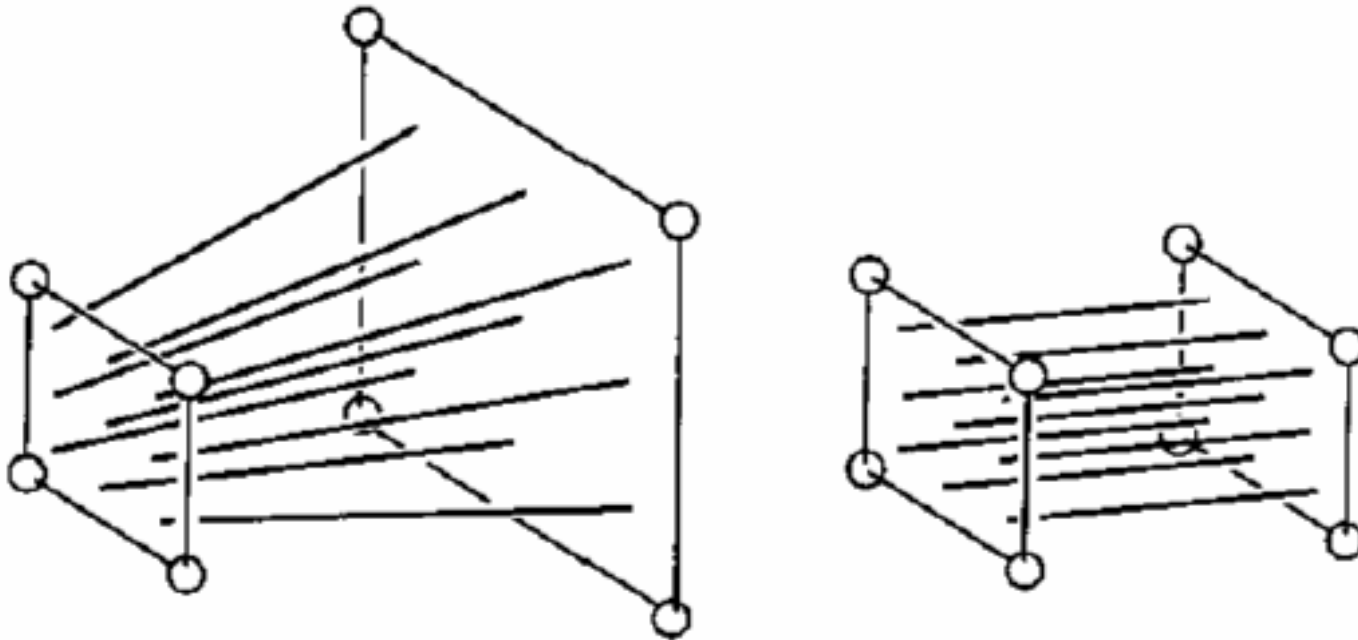
Set  $d = n$  and find  $a$  &  $b$  such that:

- when  $z = n$  we get  $z_s = n$
- when  $z = f$  we get  $z_s = f$

$$a = n + f \quad \& \quad b = -fn$$



# Perspective Projection



$$P = \begin{bmatrix} n & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & n & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & n+f & -fn \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Maps lines through the origin to lines parallel to z-axis preserving the point at z=n

# Perspective Transformation

- Start with point in Object coordinates
- Convert to World Coordinates:  $M_m$
- Convert to Camera Coordinates:  $M_{cam}$
- Perform Perspective Projection:  $P$
- Perform Orthographic Projection:  $M_{orth}$
- Convert to Screen Coordinates:  $M_{vp}$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_s \\ y_s \\ z_c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = M_{vp} M_{orth} P M_{cam} M_m \begin{bmatrix} x_o \\ y_o \\ z_o \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Drawing Lines

Compute  $M = M_{vp} M_{orth} PM_{cam} M_m$

For each line segment  $(a, b)$

$p = Ma$

$q = Mb$

$drawline(xp/hp, yp/hp, xq/hq, yq/hq)$

# Recap

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