



# The Principle of Photogrammetry

•Assumes the camera produces a perfect central projection,

•There must be no deviation of light rays passing through the lens of the camera,

•The image medium at the focal plane of the camera must be a rigid, planar surface,

•The mathematical relationship between the object and the image is known as the principle of collinearity,

•The principle of collinearity embraces the six degrees of freedom of the camera: three translations and three rotations,

•Departures from the central projection can be modelled as systematic errors in the collinearity condition.

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Its most important feature is the fact, that the objects are measured without beingtouched. Therefore, the term "remote sensing" is used by some authors instead of "photogrammetry". "Remote sensing" is a rather young term, which was originally confined to working with aerial photographs and satellite images. Today, it includes also photogrammetry, although it is still associated rather with "image interpretation".

Principally, photogrammetry can be divided into:

- **1.** Depending on the lense-setting:
- •Far range photogrammetry (with camera distance setting to indefinite),
- •Close range photogrammetry (with camera distance settings to finite values).
- 2. Another grouping can be:
- •Aerial photogrammetry (which is mostly far range photogrammetry),
- •Terrestrial Photogrammetry (mostly close range photogrammetry).

The applications of photogrammetry are widely spread. Principally, it is utilized for object interpretation (What is it? Type? Quality? Quantity) and object measurement (Where is it? Form? Size?). Aerial photogrammetry is mainly used to produce topographical or thematical maps and digital terrain models. Among the users of close-range photogrammetry are architects and civil engineers (to supervise buildings, document their current state, deformations or damages), archaeologists, surgeons (plastic surgery) or police departments (documentation of traffic accidents and crime scenes), just to mention a few.























# **Photogrammetric Processing Techniques**



Analytical: Single or pairs of photographs are placed in an X-Y measuring stage which digitally records image coordinates. Mono or stereo comparators are manually driven whilst analytical plotters are semiautomated. Recorded measurements are computer processed and the information registered in a CAD database.

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# **PHOTOGRAPHING DEVICES; CAMERAS**

A photographic image is a "central perspective". This implies, that every light ray, which reached the film surface during exposure, passed through the camera lens (which is mathematically considered as a single point, the so called "perspective center"). In order to take measurements of objects from photographs, the ray bundle must be reconstructed. Therefore, the internal geometry of the used camera (which is defined by the focal length, the position of the principal point and the lens distortion) has to be precisely known. The focal length is called "principal distance", which is the distance of the projection center from the image plane's principal point.

Depending on the availability of this knowledge, the photogrammetrist devides photographing devices into three categories:

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# **Metric Cameras**

They have stable and precisely known internal geometries and very low lens distortions. Therefore, they are very expensive devices. The principal distance is constant, which means, that the lens cannot be sharpened when taking photographs. As a result, metric cameras are only usable within a limited range of distances towards the object. The image coordinate system is defined by (mostly) four fiducial marks, which are mounted on the frame of the camera. Terrestrial cameras can be combined with tripods and theodolites. Aerial metric cameras are built into aeroplanes mostly looking straight downwards. Today, all of them have an image format of 23 by 23 centimeters.

# **Stereometric Camera**

If an object is photographed from two different positions, the line between the two projection centers is called "base". If both photographs have viewing directions, which are parallel to each other and in a right angle to the base (the so called "normal case"), then they have similar properties as the two images of our retinas. Therefore, the overlapping area of these two photographs (which are called a "stereopair") can be seen in 3D, simulating man's stereoscopic vision.

In practice, a stereopair can be produced with a single camera from two positions or using a stereometric camera. A stereometric camera in principle consists of two metric cameras mounted at both ends of a bar, which has a precisely measured length (mostly 40 or 120 cm). This bar is functioning as the base. Both cameras have the same geometric properties. Since they are adjusted to the normal case, stereopairs are created easily.



# **Digital Cameras**



Photography can be taken with a variety of cameras; however, the result must be digital image files. Digital cameras work the best for schedule and efficiency, with no loss of accuracy. The resolution of the cameras defines the field procedures to be used, not the final accuracy. Generally, lower cost, lower resolution cameras take more labor to get the same accuracy as higher resolution cameras. Vexcel can assist in determining the best camera for your particular needs.

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# CAMERAS IN TERRESTRIAL PHOTOGRAMMETRY

Two basic camera types are employed in terrestrial photogrammetry. These are; metric cameras and non metric cameras.

Metric cameras are designed and calibrated specifically for photogrammetric measurement. It has a known and stable interior orientation and is usually a fixed-focus camera. They also contains fidicual marks with which to recover the interior orientation.

Nonmetric cameras are represented by a variety of fairly highquality hand-held cameras used by amateur and professional photographers to take good pictorial quality.

# TERRESTRIAL METRIC CAMERAS

The photographs for terrestrial potogrammetry are usually taken with the cameras in fixed positions, the elements of outer orientation being frequently determined by field survey. Photographs at large distances, camera to object, are only used in special cases, for example for topographic surveys by expeditions and for glaciological research. Detail photographs in hilly areas, e.g. for the constructions of hydroelectric power stations of for quarry surveys, border on close-range photogrammetry in which the camera is focused on finite distances and the depth of field has to be considered.

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# GENERAL DESIGN OF TERRESTRIAL METRIC CAMERAS: *Stereometric Camera*

Stereometric Camera consist of two cameras fixed relative to each other in the normal case with, usually, a fixed base. The most common base is 120 cm, for object distances is from 5 to 25 m. They are designed for those cases where a simple photogrammetric arrangement is suitable., for example traffic accident or simple surveys of building facades. Fixed-base cameras baselengths of 40 cm and 200 cm also exist.



CM Systematic diagram of a stereometric camera.



























# **Operational Procedures**

Procedures for all of the above-discussed types of surveys well established photogrammetric are and documented. Independent stereopairs of photographs are taken either horizontally, vertically or at some inclination using the camera(s) most suitable for the individual project. Base-to-distance ratio is kept rather small (1/5 to 1/15). External controls are kept as simple as possible (such as number of distances and checks on the levelling bubbles of the camera). In case of complex object, however, a network of reference points is necessary. Camera stations are normally located on the ground, on scaffoldings, on nearby buildings, on a hydraulic lift truck or even in helicopters, which are sometimes used to take horizontal photographs of the upper portions of tall buildings.

## BIOSTEREOMETRICS (BIOMEDICAL AND BIOENGINNERING APPLICATIONS OF PHOTOGRAMMETRY)

The study of biological form is one of the most engaging subjects in the history of human thought, which is hardly surprising considering the immense variety of living things. As new measurement techniques and experimental strategies have appeared, new fields of inquiry have been launched and more minds have become absorbed with the riddle of biological form. Discovery of the microscope and X-rays prompted the development of microbiology and radiology, respectively. More recently advances in electronics, photo optics, computers and related technologies have helped to expand the frontiers of morphological research. Growing interest in the stereometric analysis of biological form typifies this trend.

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# INDUSTRIAL PHOTOGRAMMETRY

Photogrammetry has been applied in numerous industrial fields and the potentially for further expansion and growth is seemingly limitless. Industrial photogrammetry has been described as "application of photogrammetry in building construction, civil engineering, mining, vehicle and machine construction, metallurgy, ship building and traffic, with their fundamentals and border subjects, including the the phases of research, planning, production engineering, manufacture testing, monitoring, repair and reconstruction. Objects measured by photogrammetric techniques may be solid, liquid or gaseous bodies or physical phenomena, whether stationary or moving, that allow of being photographed" by Meyer (1973).







# **OLD CITY SILHOUETTE OF ISTANBUL**



In this study, it has been intended to obtain a 1:500 scaled silhouette of old Ystanbul in order to protect the historical structure. For this purpose, the photographs were taken from the arbitrary points on board of a sea craft. The control points were marked along the UMK10/1318 shore. Photogrammetric camera has been used to take photographs and Digital **Photogrammetric** System (PICTRAN )was used for evaluation.



The Haghia Sophia in Istanbul belongs with its unique dome construction to the outstanding and extraordinary architectural structures in the whole world. Build between 532 and 537 during the Byzantine Impair Justinian (527-565), it reflects the sum of all experiences and knowledge of the classical antiquity and it is one of the important monuments of the world heritage. Haigha Sophia considered as the first and the last unique application in its architecture, terms of magnificence and functionality has been inspiration for Ottoman mosque on the basis of giving opinion, and is product of synthesis of west and east. The art is one of the wonders of the world remained until now.

# Hagia Sophia Photogrammetric Record of a World Cultural Heritage







# SOÐUKÇE<sup>a</sup>ME SOKAÐI (GOLD FOUNTAIN STREET)



On appoaching the Imperial Gate leading into the outer courtyard of Topkapi Palace one's attention is immediately attracted by the row of old Istanbul houses in the street running off the left. This narrow between street the palace walls and Ayasofya is known as the "Street of the Cool Fountain".

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#### SOĐUKÇE<sup>a</sup>ME SOKAĐI

The houses built against the palace valls form part of a complex that includes the fountain dated 1810 that gives the street its name and a cistern forming part of the chain of great water depots from the Roman period, the whole reflecting the character of a city that has served capital as of three great empires.



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# Obtaining of Facade Plan of Dolmabahçe Palace by Digital Photogrammetric Techniques



The aim of the project was to make facade plans of Dolmabahçe Palace with a scale of 1/100, 1/50, 1/20 and 1/10. A preliminary study was done and control points were signalized. By the help of surveying methods, ground control points coordinates were measured. Photographs were taken due to a Study Plan, and were scanned. done Evaluation was using digital photogrammetric software, PICTRAN. After interior and exterior orientation, points were measured on oriented photographs, and bundle adjustment was used. Information produced in Pictran was transferred into AUTOCAD system. Cross-section plans were obtained by conventional methods.







This attractive part of the Bosphorus on the Asian shore is mentioned by Byzantine historians, and in Ottoman times became one of the imperial parks known as Kandil Bahçesi Garden). (Lantern Sultan Murad IV (1623-1640) was particularly fond of Küçüksu and gave it the name Gümü<sup>o</sup> Selvi (Silver Cypress), and in several sources from the I7th century onwards the name Baðçe-i Göksu is used.







The only survivor of wood-built the old, waterside residences the Amcazade Hüseyin Pa<sup>°</sup>a Mansion coast on the at Kanlýca. In fact only a part of this great mansion, the Tshaped reception room with its great windows overlooking Bosphorus, the remains.







# Photogrammetric and Geodetic Map Revision for Boðazkale Archaeological Excavation Field



The aim of the project is to revise the map of Boðazkale Archaeological Excavation Field by means of geodetic and photogrammetric methods. According to the plan which is prepared for taking photographs; a preliminary study done at Boðazkale Archaeological Field. Control points are painted on the rocks. Photographs were taken by SMK 120 stereo photogrammetric camera. Photographs are evaluated at Ý.T.Ü. Engineering Faculty Photogrammetry Laboratory by means of B8S analytical photogrammetric instrument. A PC based Digital photogrammetric software PICTRAN was used for evaluation.





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# Architectural Photogrammetric Work At Historical Galatasaray Post Office



In this study, it has been obtained data for architechtural CAD drawing with 1/20 and 1/50 scale by means of **Digital Close Photogrammetric** Range techniques at historical Post Office of Galatasarav Pictran D - B buildina. were used for software Digital **Photogrammetric** Software evaluation. Rollei 6008 Metric Camera were used for taking photos with focus 40 mm lens.

The control points were market on the building side with slycon. AutoCAD R14 were used for drawing the plans for architechtural work. These products will use for restoration and reconstruction of the historical Galatasaray Post Office building in Istanbul city.

