

A benchmark data generation tool using walking simulation and virtualized reality models for evaluating AR visual tracking

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Research background : Camera parameter estimation for AR/MR



ARToolKit
(Kato, et al, IWAR99)



DTAM(*)
(R. A. Newcombe, et al, ICCV2011)

Ground truth data of camera parameters and feature points are needed for benchmarking.

TrakMark~

Benchmark Test Schemes for AR/MR Geometric Registration and Tracking Methods



Blu-ray Data discs
(We have distributed about
220 discs in ISMAR2011)



TrakMark2011
(in conjunction with ISMAR2011)

Packages in TrakMark (Open data)

Film
Studio
Package



NAIST
Campus
Package



Conference
Venue
Package

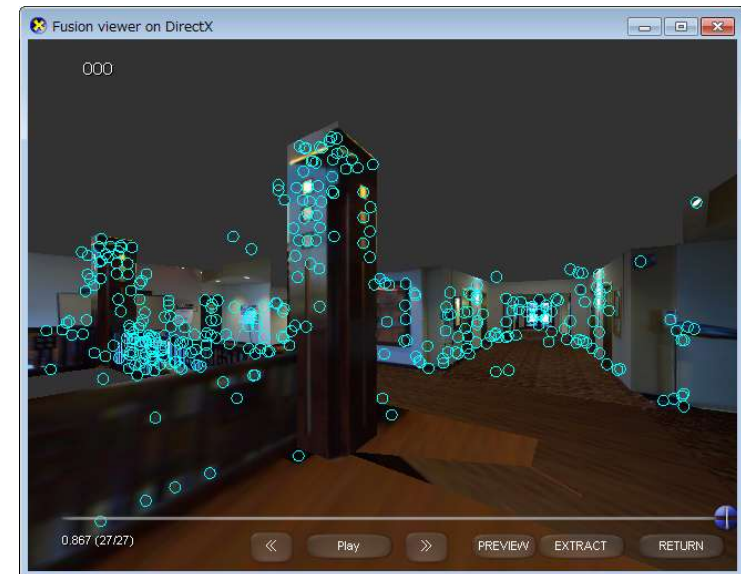
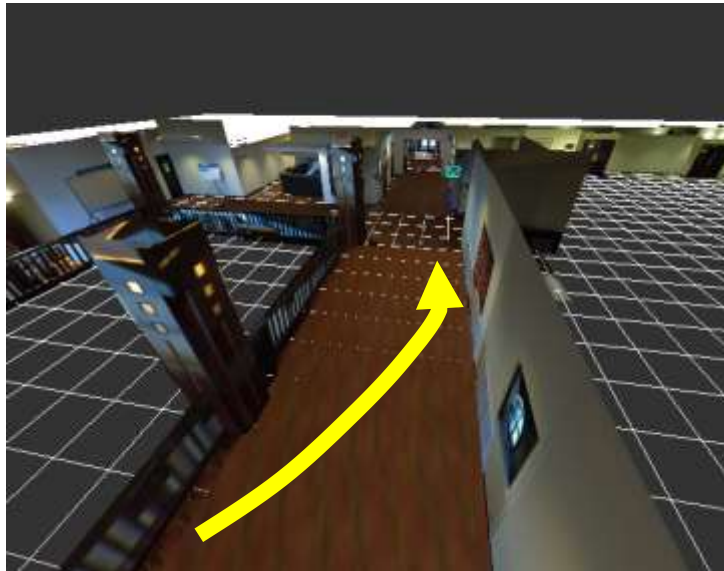


Objective

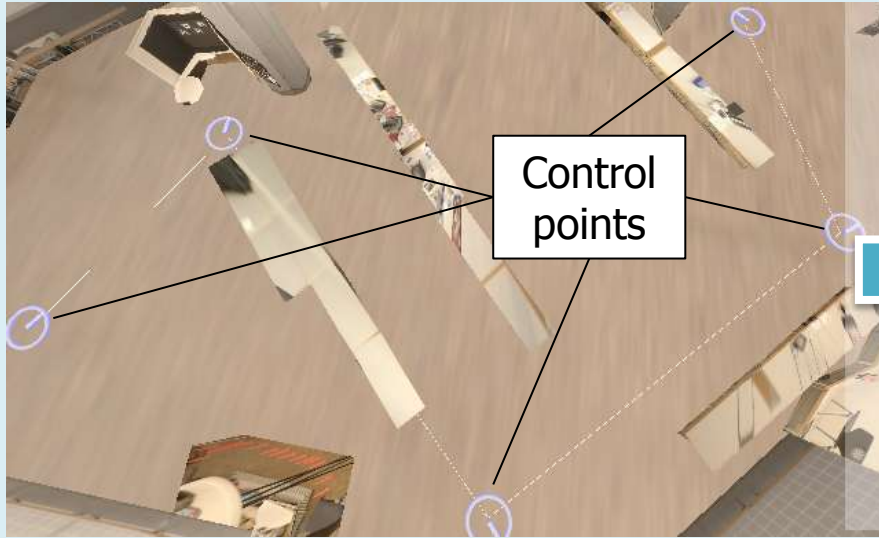
Developing a tool to generate data sets for benchmark using virtualized reality models

Merits of using virtualized reality models

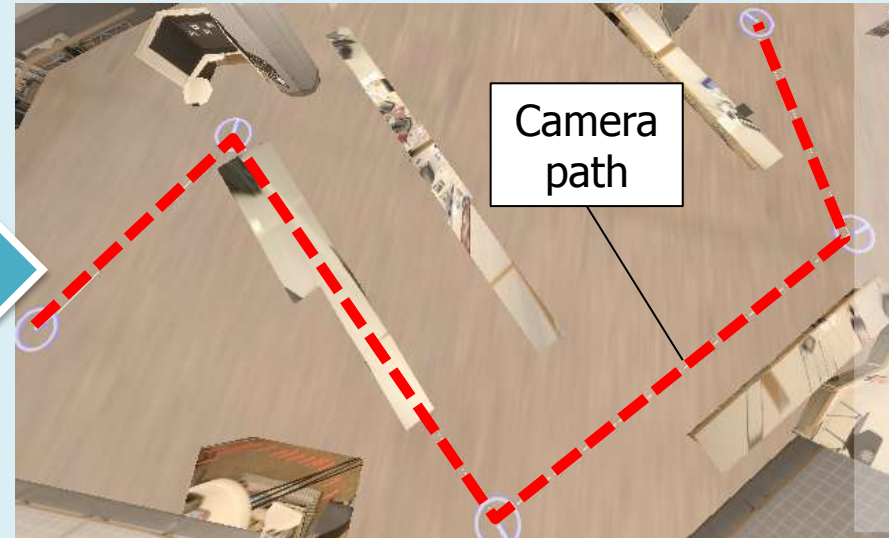
- ✓ Making ground truth data
- ✓ Any camera path and any feature points



Outline of the tool



The user sets control points on the ground plane.



Camera path is automatically generated with linear interpolation.



Generated images
(Extrinsic camera parameters are available)



Generated interest points
(2D-3D correspondence of points are available)

A benchmark data generation tool



Problem

How to efficiently set walking movement?



Sample movies

(head mounted camera and hand held camera camera)



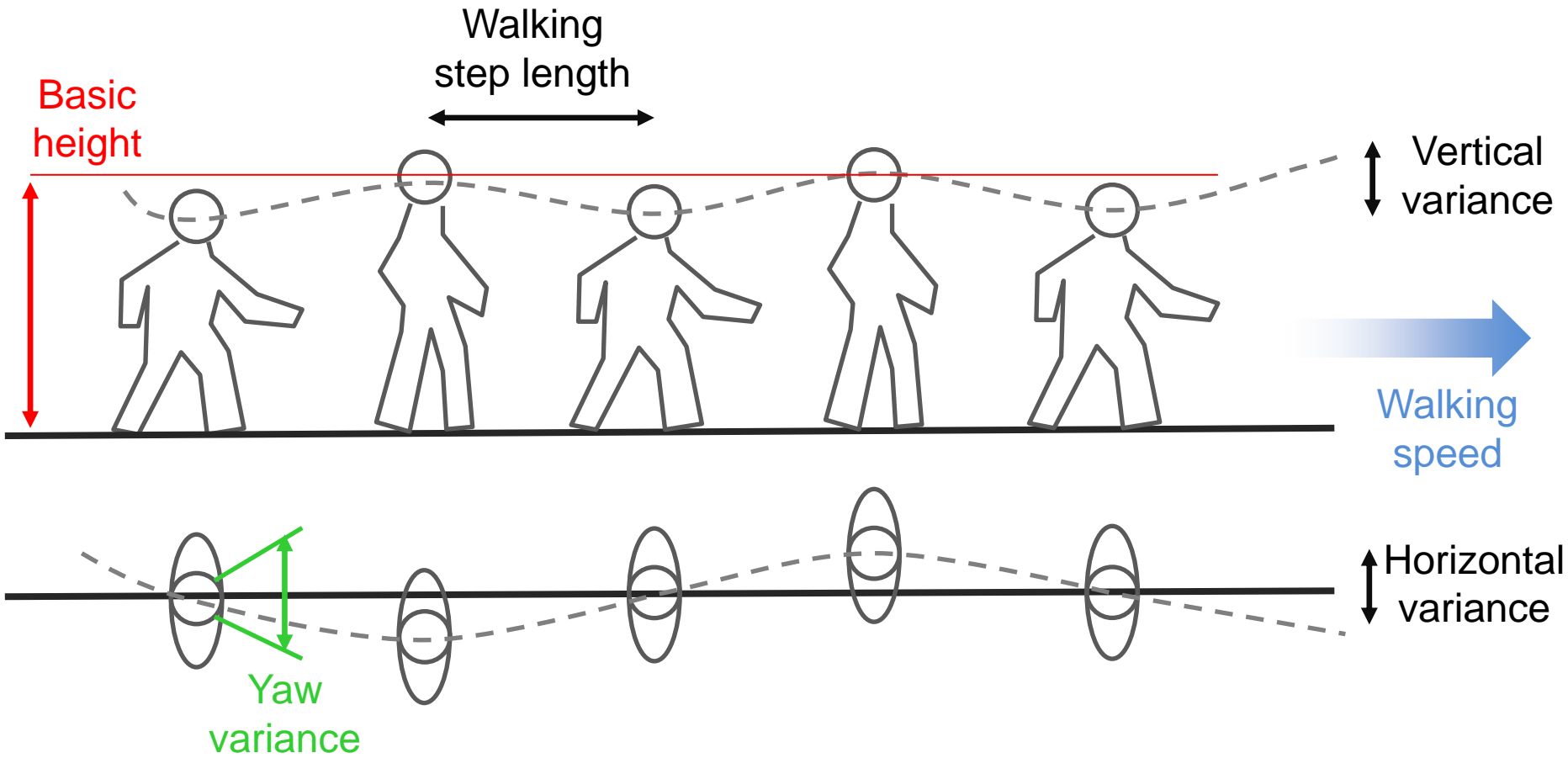
Head Mounted Camera



Hand Held Camera

Our approach

Parameterization of walking movement



For generating extrinsic camera parameters, interpolations between control points are used with these parameters.

Comparative result



Parameter settings

- Basic height
1600 [mm]
- Vertical variance
50 [mm]
- Horizontal variance
80 [mm]
- Yaw variance
1 [degree]
- Walking step length
650 [mm]
- Walking speed
900 [mm]



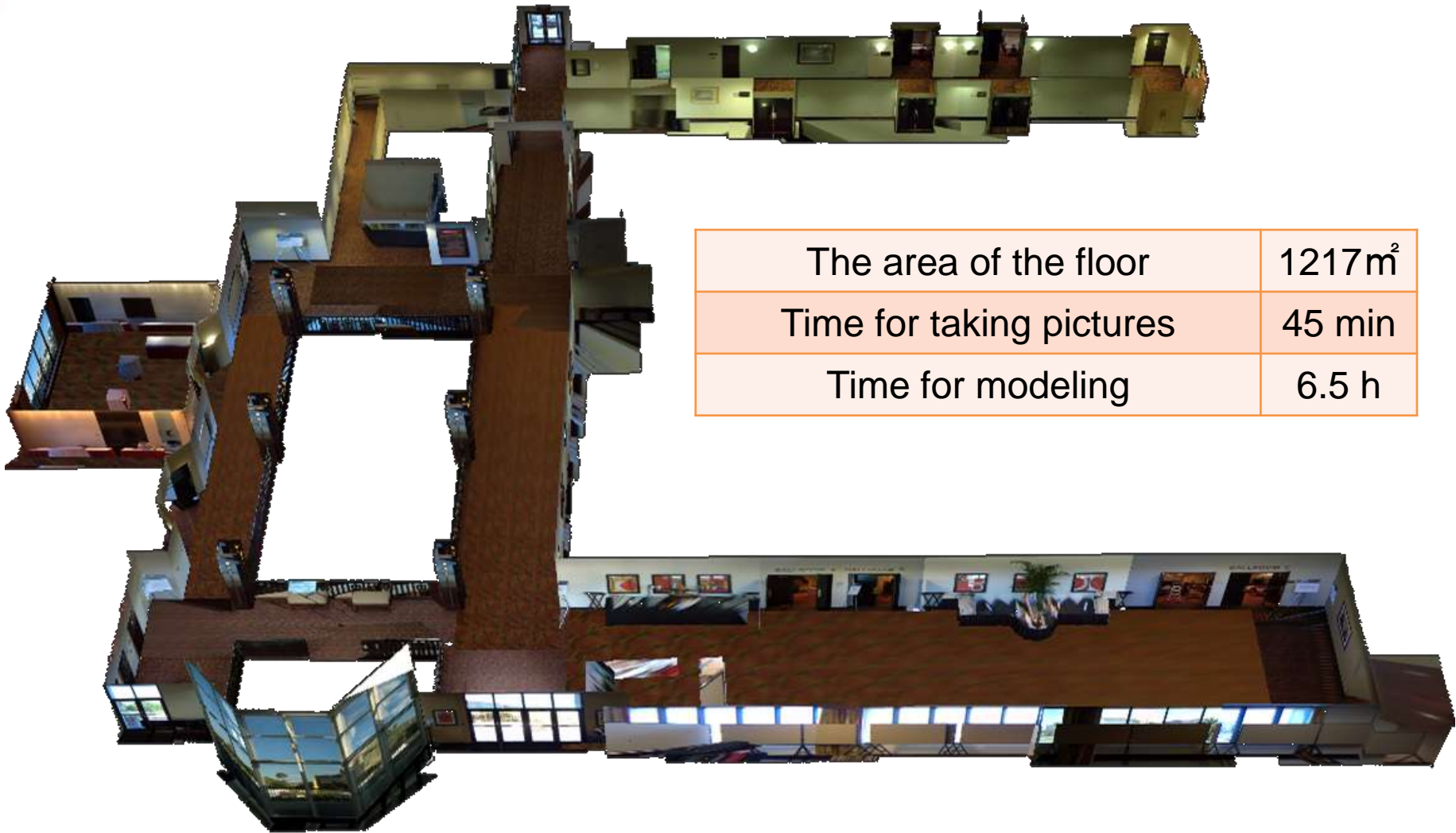
Output with linear interpolation



Output with walking motion

Demos...

A sample of virtualized reality model



The area of the floor

1217m²

Time for taking pictures

45 min

Time for modeling

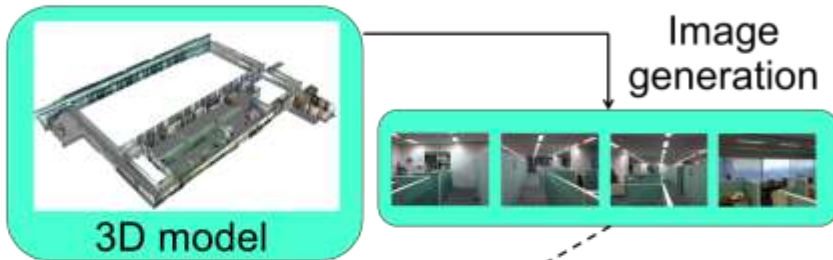
6.5 h

The Venue of ISMAR2009

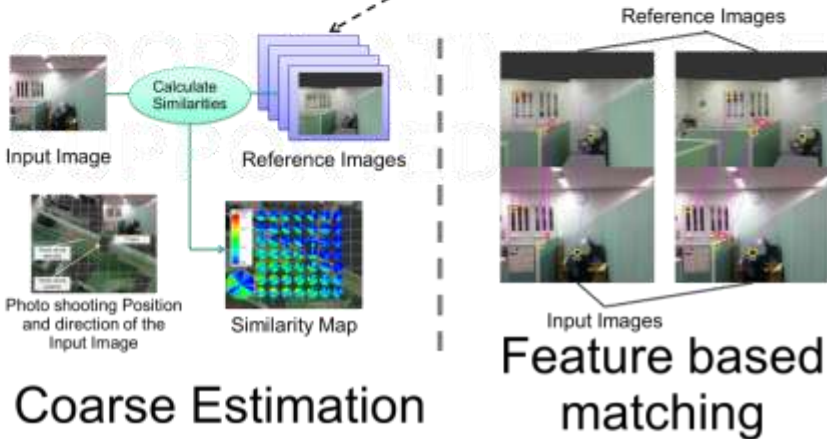
Model-utilization for related applications

3D MODEL for various applications

- 3D model for image based tracking



- 3D model for map matching



- 3D model for Augmented Virtuality



Yataimura (Food mall in Kesennuma)



ATC (Shopping mall in Osaka)



Applications

Simulations with depth data

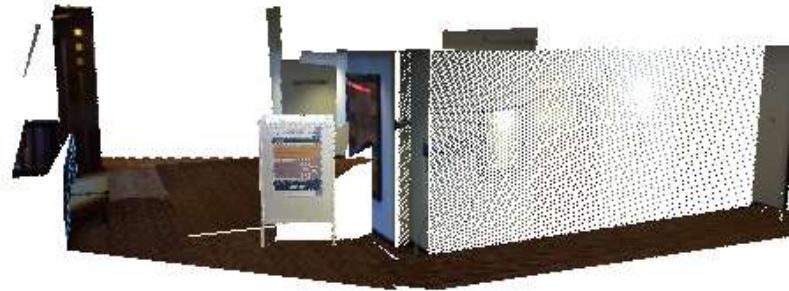
Mobile camera parameter estimation with stereo cameras in the environment.
(Hiroyoshi Tsuru et al, University of Tsukuba)

Stereo camera image



Depth data

Generated 3D Model



Matching



Mobile camera image

Estimated camera parameter

$$P_e$$

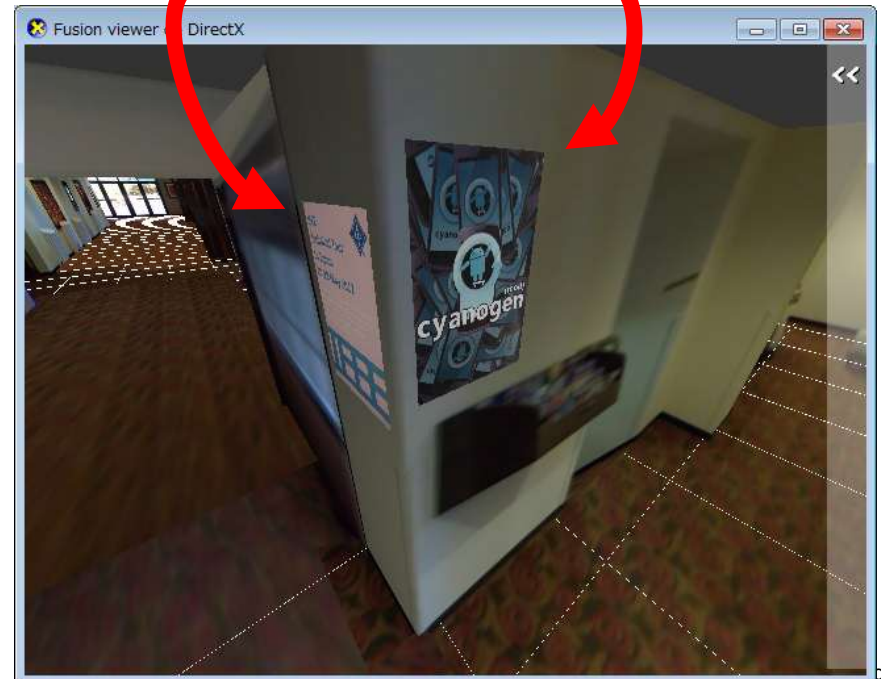
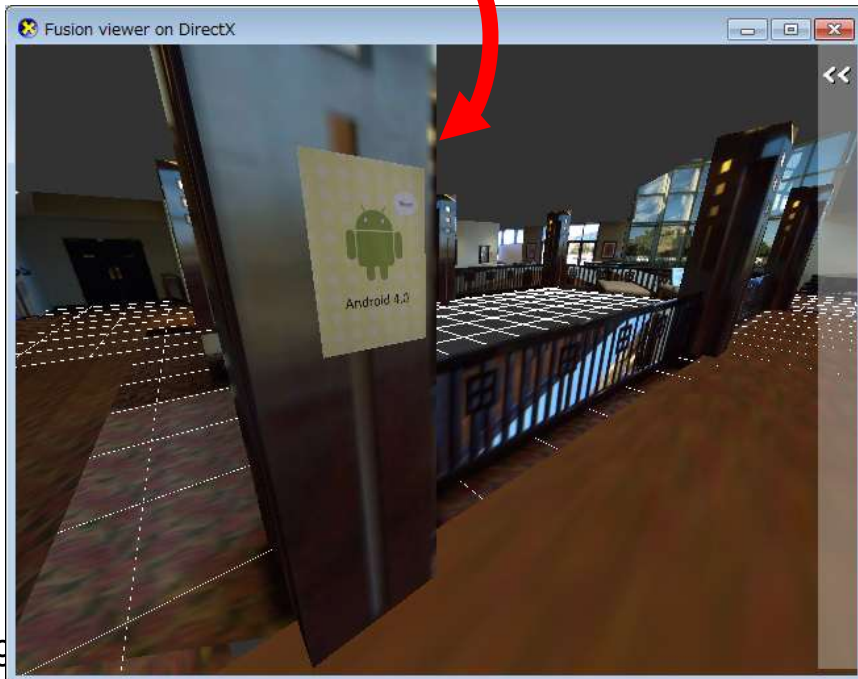
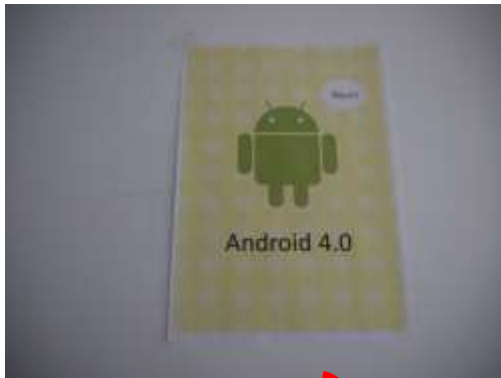
Evaluation

$$P_t$$

Camera parameter (Ground truth)

Simulations with additional contents

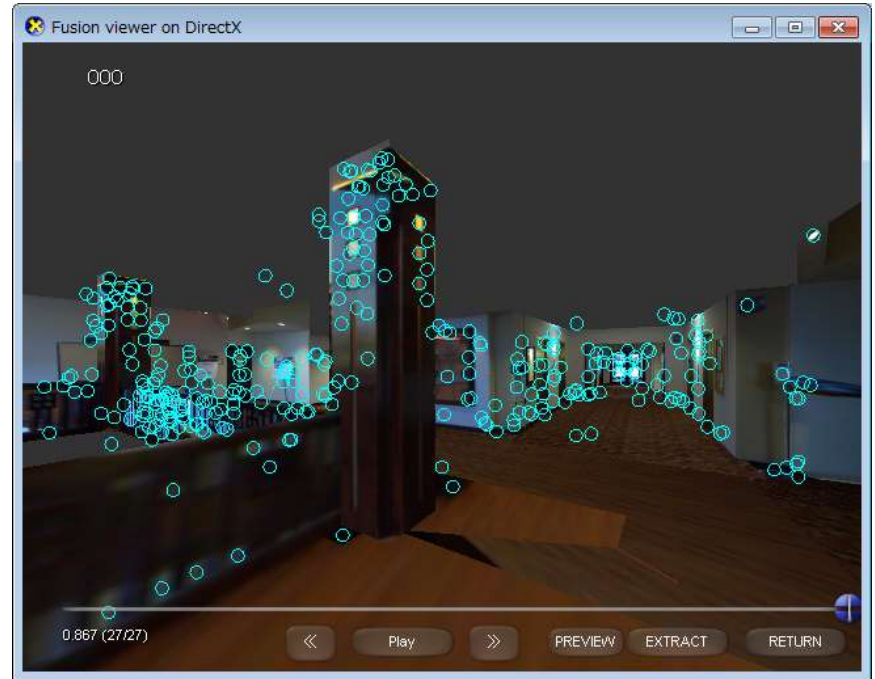
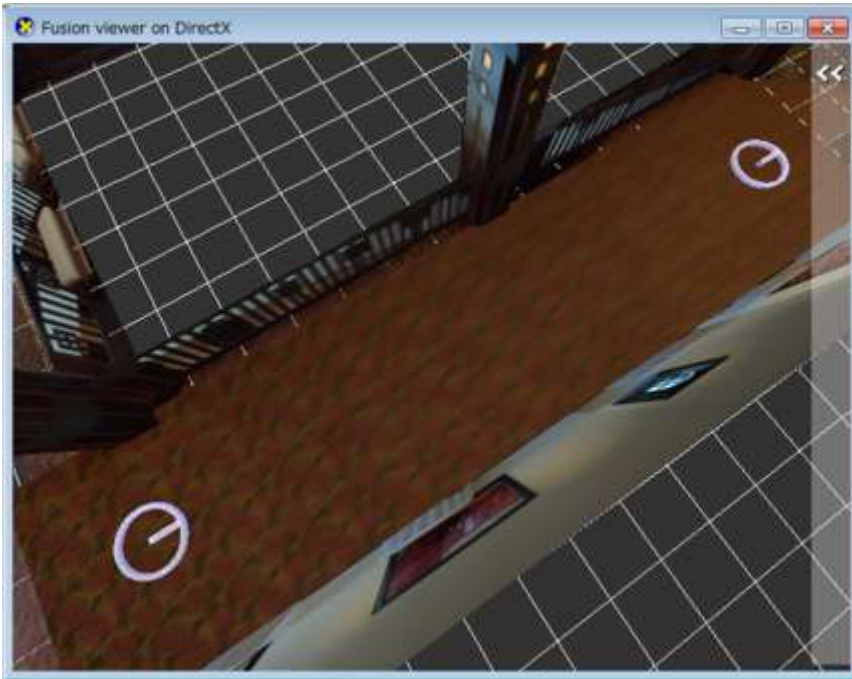
Camera parameter estimation with posters.
(Shiori Suetsugu et al, Ritsumeikan University)



Conclusion

The tool for generating benchmark data sets

- Using virtualized reality models
- Generating camera parameters with human walking motion
- Interest points generation
- Output of depth data



Future works

- Additional functions of the tool
 - Motion sensors' data for camera parameter generation
 - Introducing camera effects
 - Blurring, Defocus, Specular, ...
 - Additional object in model environment
 - Markers for visual tracking
 - Occluders (walking person, ...)

Future works

- How to distribute the data sets
 - Which format is better for 3D models?
 - How to distribute the tool ?
 - Good data sets generated by the tool are to be added in TrakMark data sets
 - Provisions of parameter sets (for example, camera parameters) are acceptable for the tool
 - Too many versions of the tool / data sets are to be prevented ...

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