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WEEK 7 PRESENTATION



The problem

- How do we accurately detect ego-motion using optical flow?
- What can we do now that we know how the camera has moved?
- How do we recognize gestures with the device?



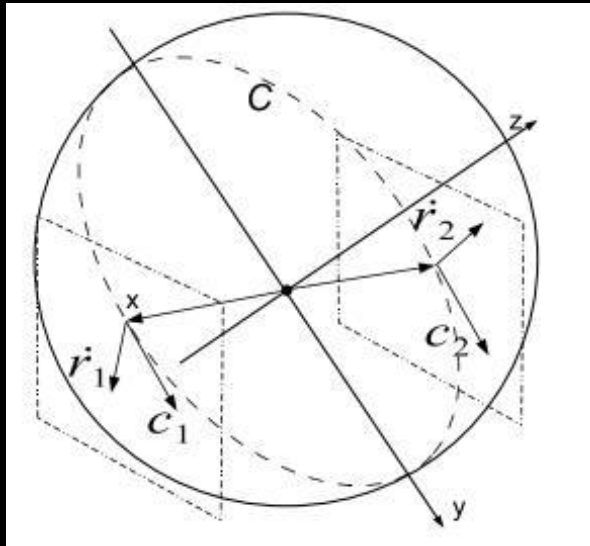
The literature

- Specifying Gestures by Example – Dean Rubine
- Directions of Egomotion from Antipodal Points - John Lim and Nick Barnes
- Estimation of the Epipole using Optical Flow at Antipodal Points - John Lim and Nick Barnes (ANU)

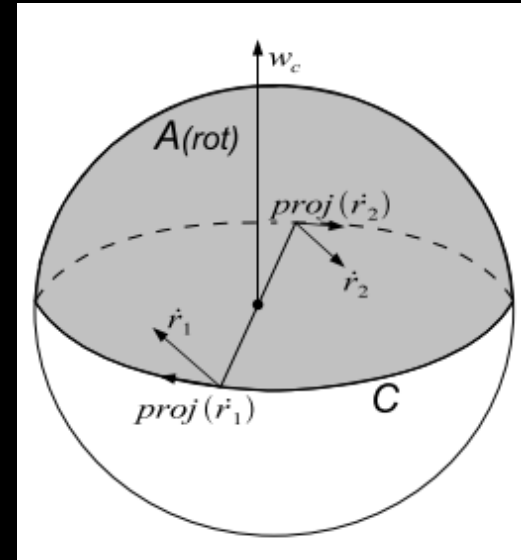
Rubine's Classifier

- We are given a series of **R** and **T**
- Choose features
 - We have 36 feature candidates
 - Eg. Total rotation, mean rotation, mean translation, etc...
- Now given the features, train using linear discriminator and test it
 - A caveat: requires pressing a button before gesture
- Utilize time-window approach from "Accelerometer-based User Interfaces for the Control of a Physically Simulated Character" by Takaaki Shiratori and Jessica Hogkins (CMU)

Antipodes



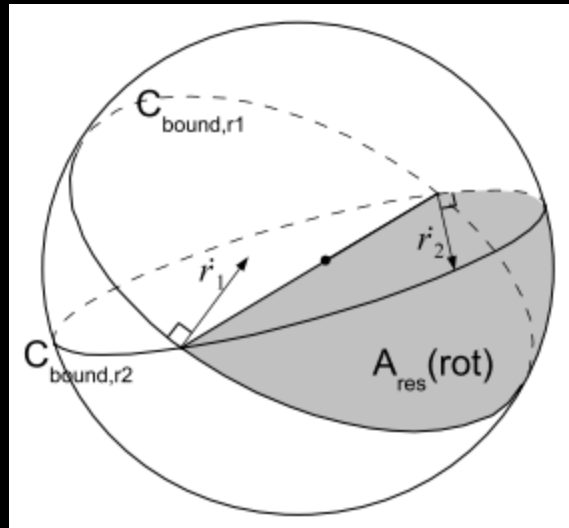
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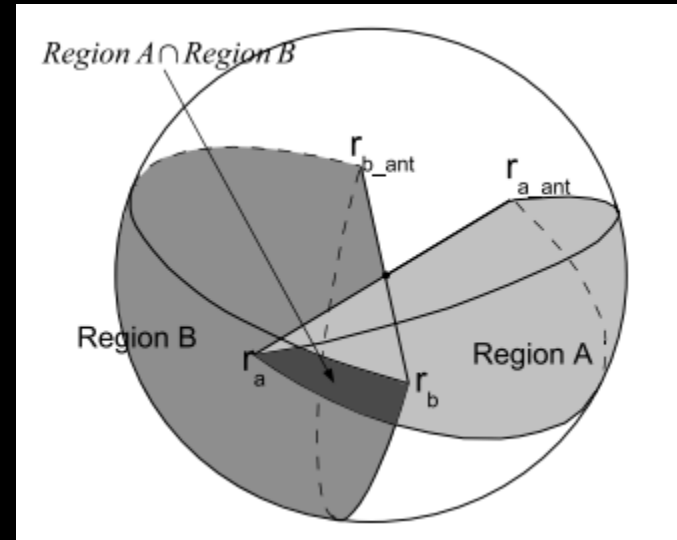
- Consider an image sphere

Antipodes

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- Simple model
- Recovers direction only
- Instantaneous



The future

- Match patterns in our gestures to synthetic data
 - Consider antipodes
 - Finish the classifier
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Questions?

