

# Viewing and OpenGL

EDA 221

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# Today

- Camera setup
- Viewing and Projection
- Modern OpenGL
  - Walkthrough of simple program

# Setup Camera Matrix

- LookAt function
  - Takes eye position, a position to look at and an up vector
  - Constructs the **View** matrix, i.e., a matrix that transforms geometry (in world space) into the camera's coordinate system (camera space)

```
mat4 View =  
    LookAt (eye.x, eye.y, eye.z, // Camera position  
           0.0, 0.0, 0.0,       // Center of interest  
           0.0f, 1.0f, 0.0f);  // Up-vector
```

# Task at Hand

- Setup an OpenGL camera
- Find matrix that transforms an arbitrary camera to the origin, looking along the negative  $z$  axis

# OpenGL convention

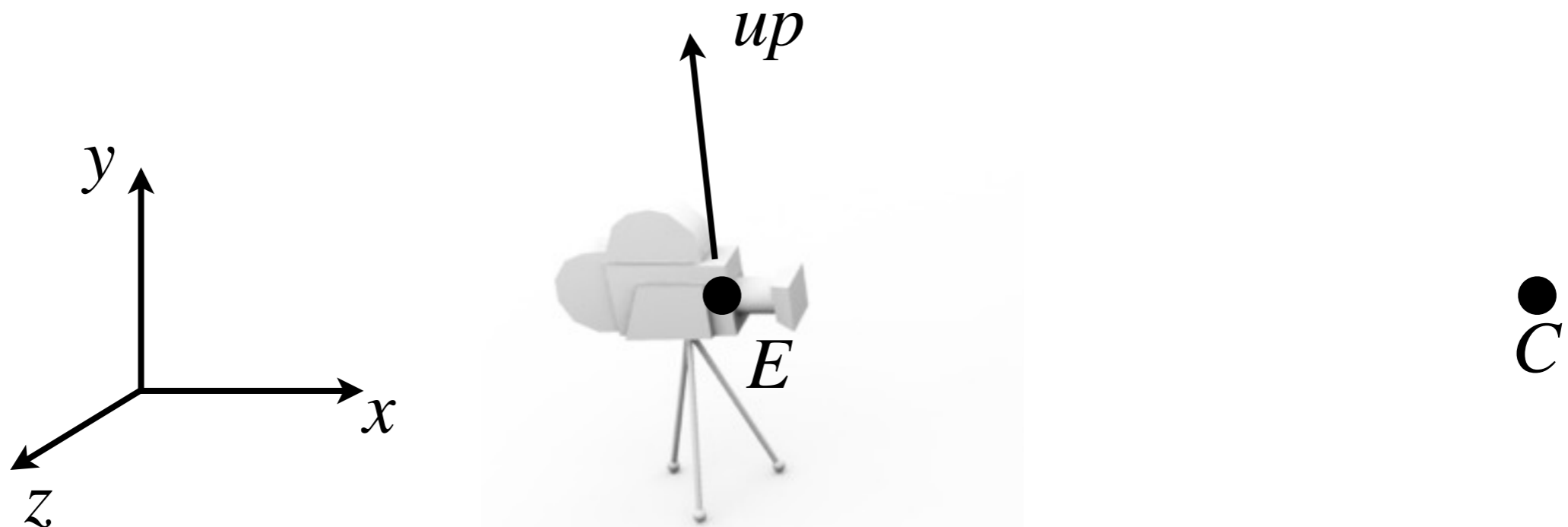
- In OpenGL: right-hand coordinate system, looking down  $-z$ .



# Camera Placement

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- Specify camera position ( $E$ ), center of interest ( $C$ ) and up-vector ( $up$ )



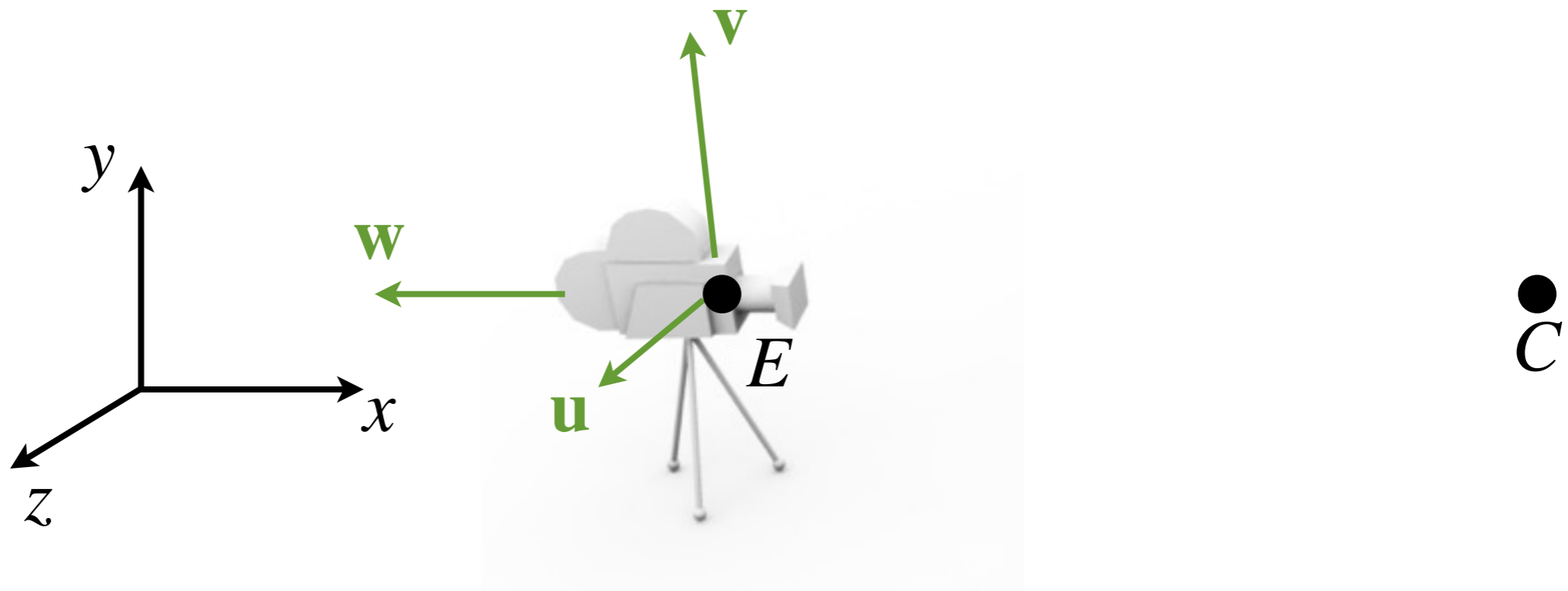
# Find orthonormal basis

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- OpenGL standard: camera looks along negative  $z$ . Choose  $\mathbf{w} = -(\mathbf{C} - \mathbf{E})$

$$\mathbf{a} = \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{C} \quad \mathbf{b} = \mathbf{up}$$

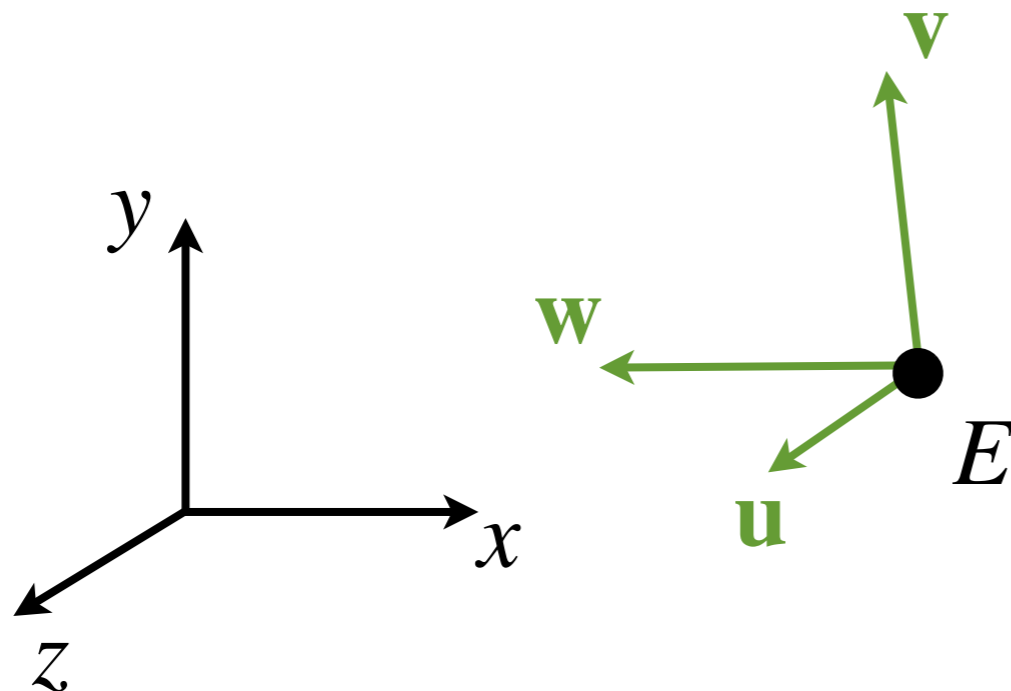
$$\mathbf{w} = \frac{\mathbf{a}}{|\mathbf{a}|} \quad \mathbf{u} = \frac{\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{w}}{|\mathbf{b} \times \mathbf{w}|} \quad \mathbf{v} = \mathbf{w} \times \mathbf{u}$$



# Find orthonormal basis

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- Now, we look for matrix that transforms basis  $\{\mathbf{u}, \mathbf{v}, \mathbf{w}\}$  to  $\{\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}, \mathbf{z}\}$
- Translation and rotation



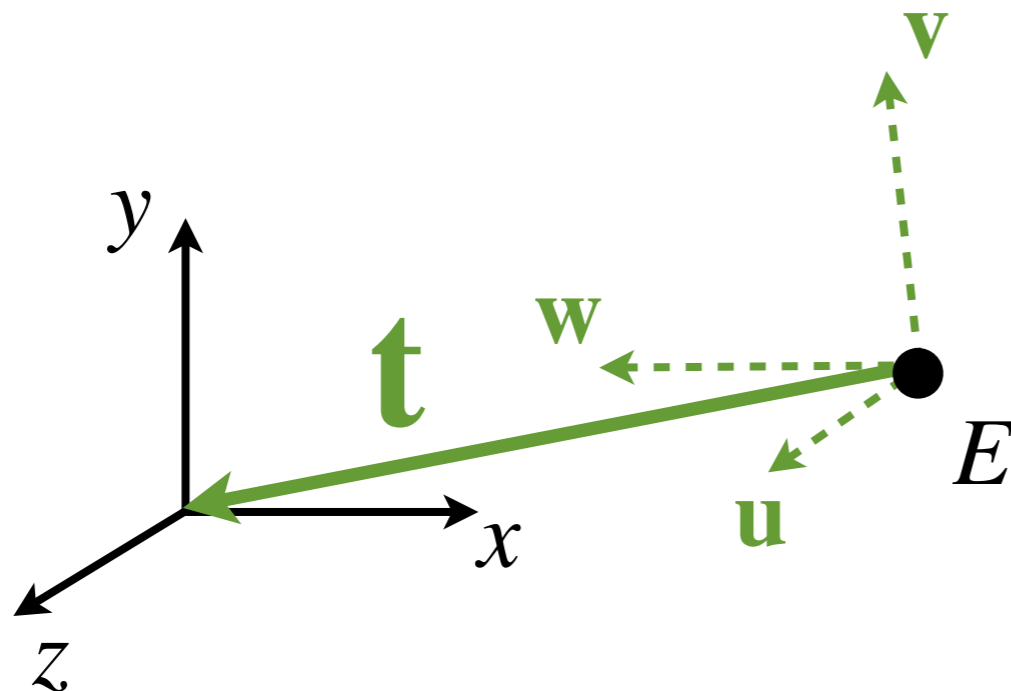


# Find orthonormal basis

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- Translate  $uvw$  frame so that the origin align with the  $xyz$  frame

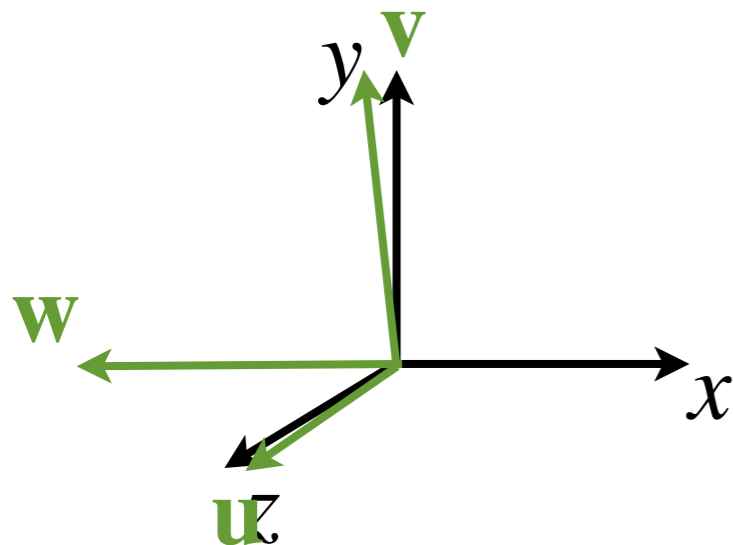
$$\mathbf{t} = \begin{bmatrix} -E_x \\ -E_y \\ -E_z \end{bmatrix}$$



# Find orthonormal basis

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

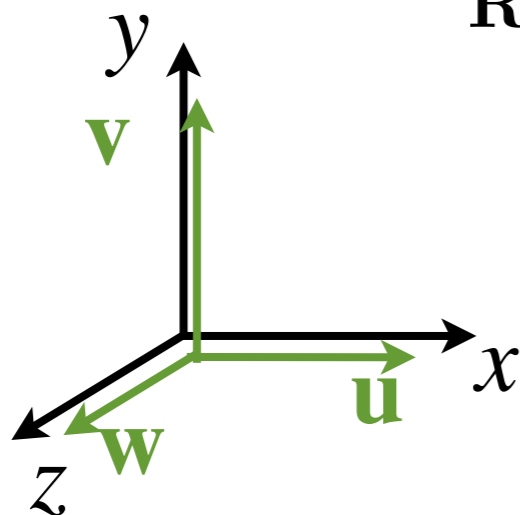
- Translate  $uvw$  frame so that the origin align with the  $xyz$  frame



# Find orthonormal basis

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- Then rotate  $uvw$  system so that the three axis align,  $\mathbf{u} // \mathbf{x}$ ,  $\mathbf{v} // \mathbf{y}$  and  $\mathbf{w} // \mathbf{z}$
- Rotation matrix given by  $\mathbf{R} = \begin{bmatrix} - & \mathbf{u} & - \\ - & \mathbf{v} & - \\ - & \mathbf{w} & - \end{bmatrix}$
- $\mathbf{R}$  rotates vectors  $uvw$  to  $xyz$



$$\mathbf{R}\mathbf{u} = \begin{bmatrix} - & \mathbf{u} & - \\ - & \mathbf{v} & - \\ - & \mathbf{w} & - \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} | \\ \mathbf{u} \\ | \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{u} \cdot \mathbf{u} \\ \mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{u} \\ \mathbf{w} \cdot \mathbf{u} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{x}$$

$$\mathbf{R}\mathbf{v} = \mathbf{y}, \quad \mathbf{R}\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{z}$$

# Camera Placement

Derivation from Ravi Ramamoorthi

- Combine the two transforms
- Move to center, and apply rotation

$$M = \begin{bmatrix} u_x & u_y & u_z & 0 \\ v_x & v_y & v_z & 0 \\ w_x & w_y & w_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -E_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -E_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -E_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotate Move to center

# Workflow

- OpenGL geometry workflow
  - Place camera in scene
  - Find **View** transform that moves camera to origin, looking along  $-z$ .
  - Place geometry in scene using **Model** (or **World**) transform
  - Setup camera **Projection** matrix (3D->2D)
  - Apply **ModelViewProjection** matrix to all geometry in the scene in vertex shader

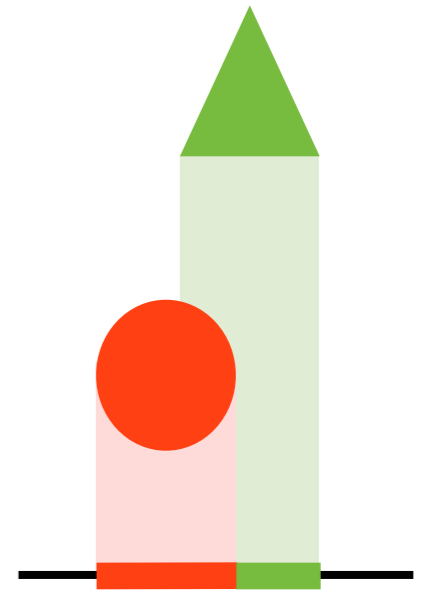
# Projection

- From 3D to a 2D image
  - Orthographic projection
  - Perspective projection
- Lines map to lines
  - Projective transform **does not** preserve parallel lines, angles or distances!
  - Demo: Nate Robins Tutors  
<http://user.xmission.com/~nate/tutors.html>

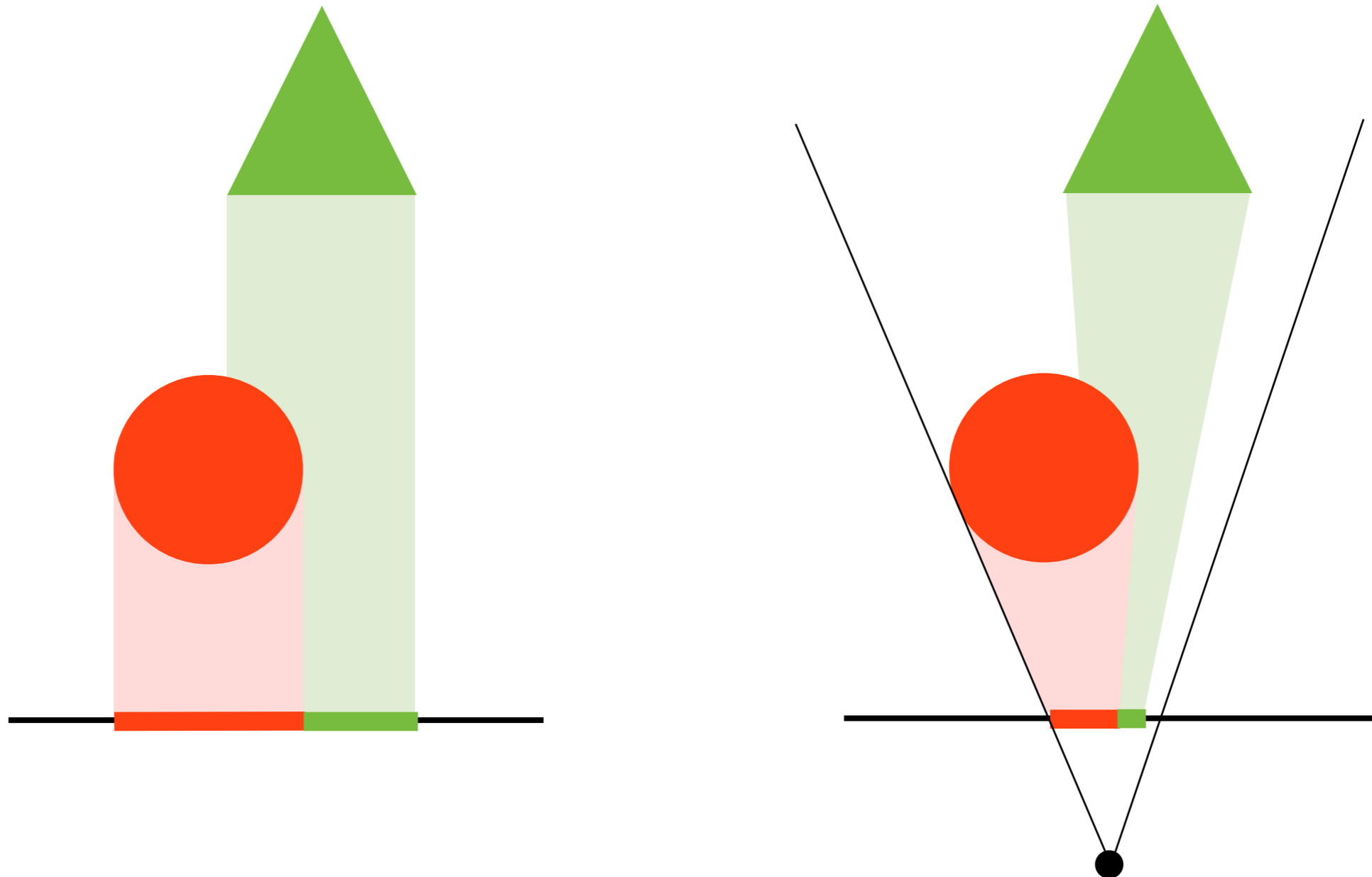
# Orthographic Projection

- Drop one coordinate
  - Project onto  $xy$  plane:  $(x,y,z) \rightarrow (x,y)$
  - Parallel lines remain parallel
  - In homogeneous coordinates:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_p \\ y_p \\ z_p \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

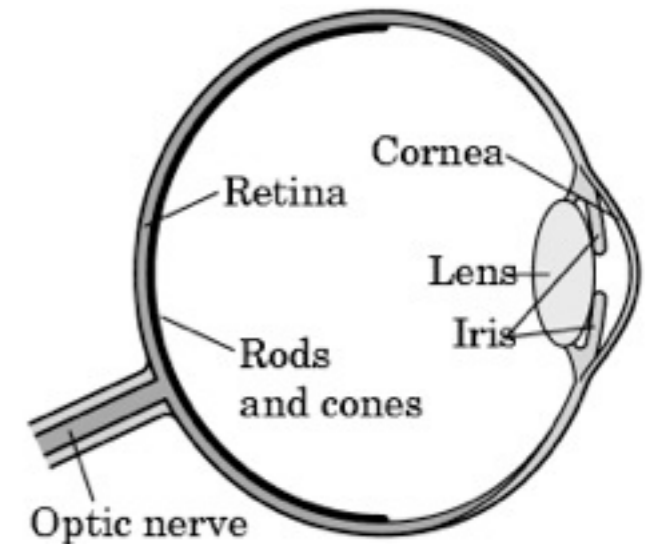
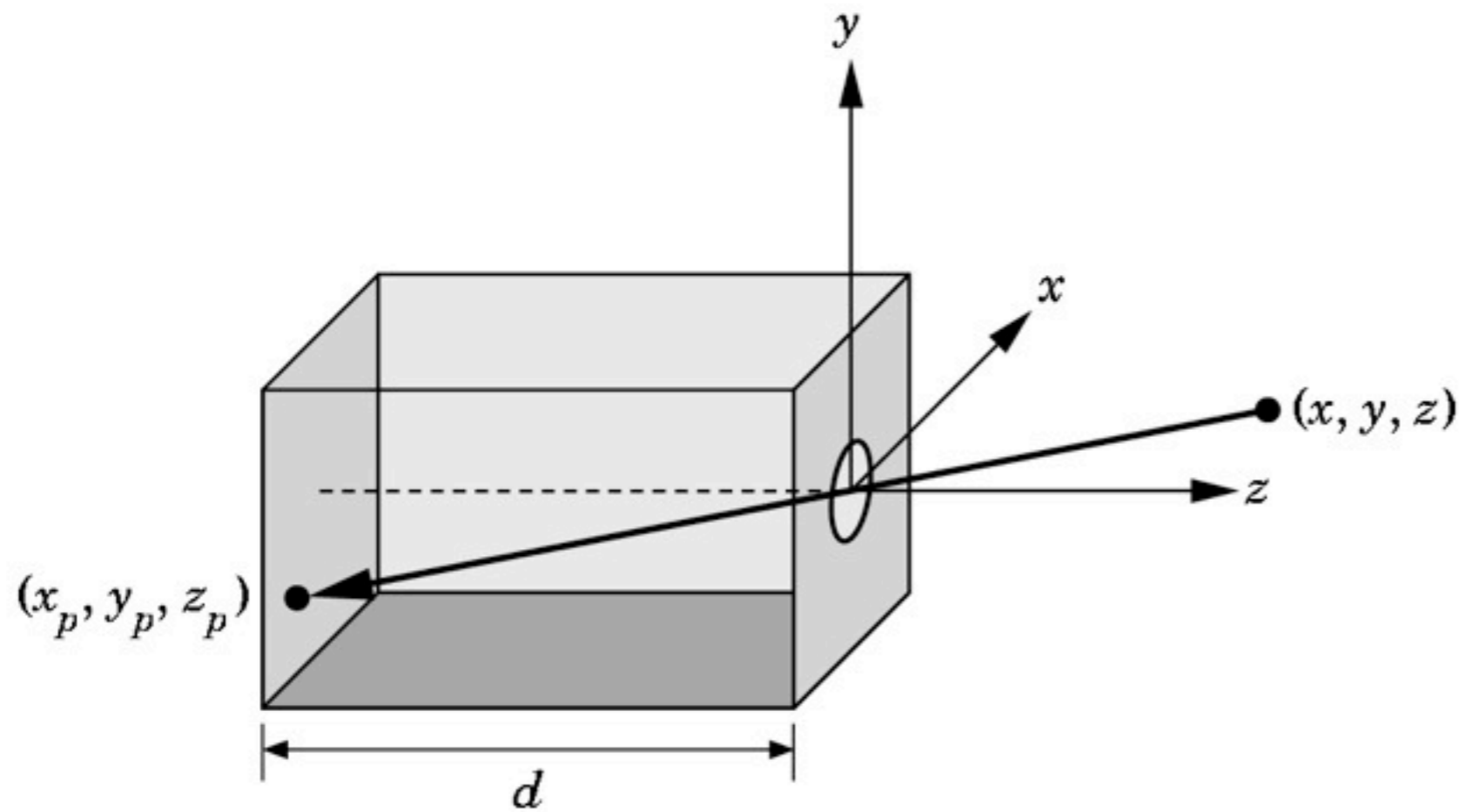


# Orthographic vs Perspective



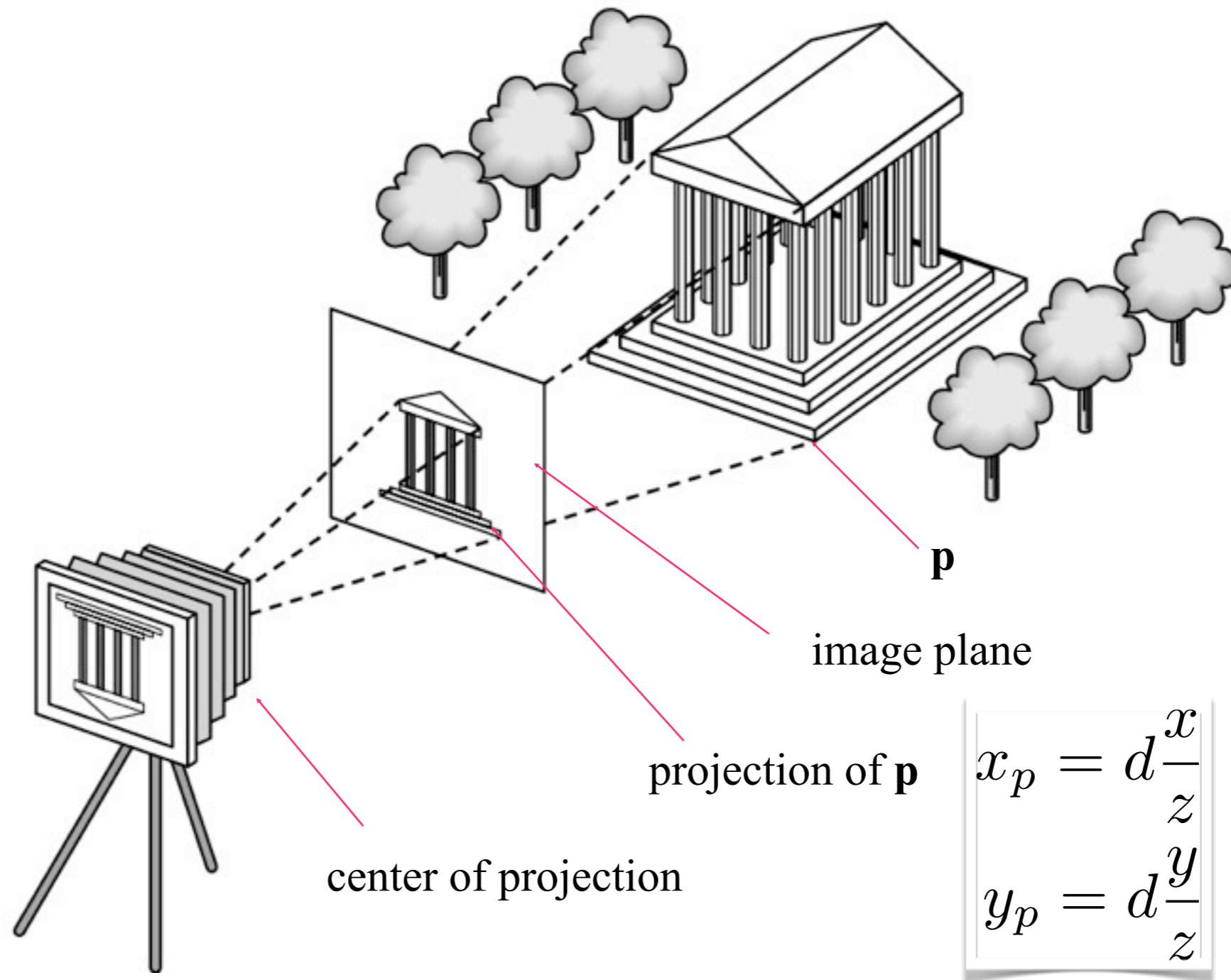


# Pinhole Camera



- Projection of a 3D point  $(x, y, z)$  on image plane:  $x_p = -d \frac{x}{z}$ ,  $y_p = -d \frac{y}{z}$

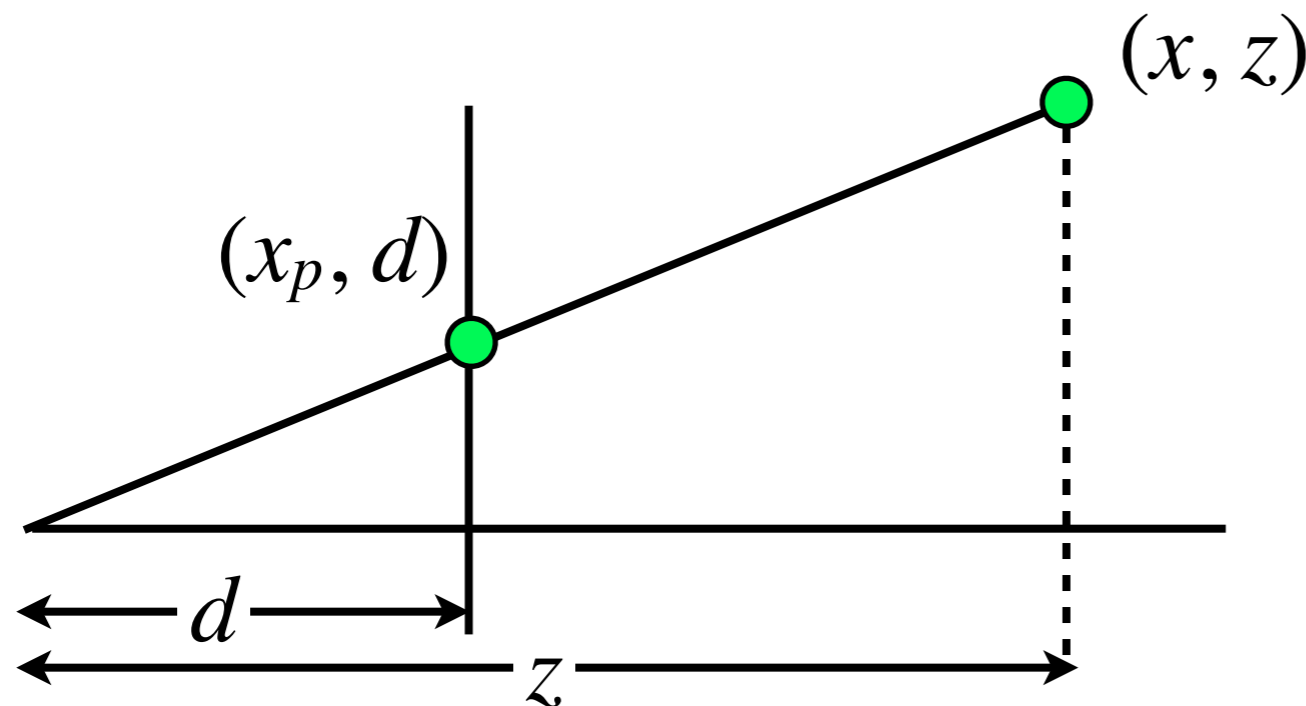
# Synthetic Camera Model



# Perspective Projection

- More realistic model - objects far away are smaller after projection

$$(x, y, z) \rightarrow \left(d \frac{x}{z}, d \frac{y}{z}\right)$$

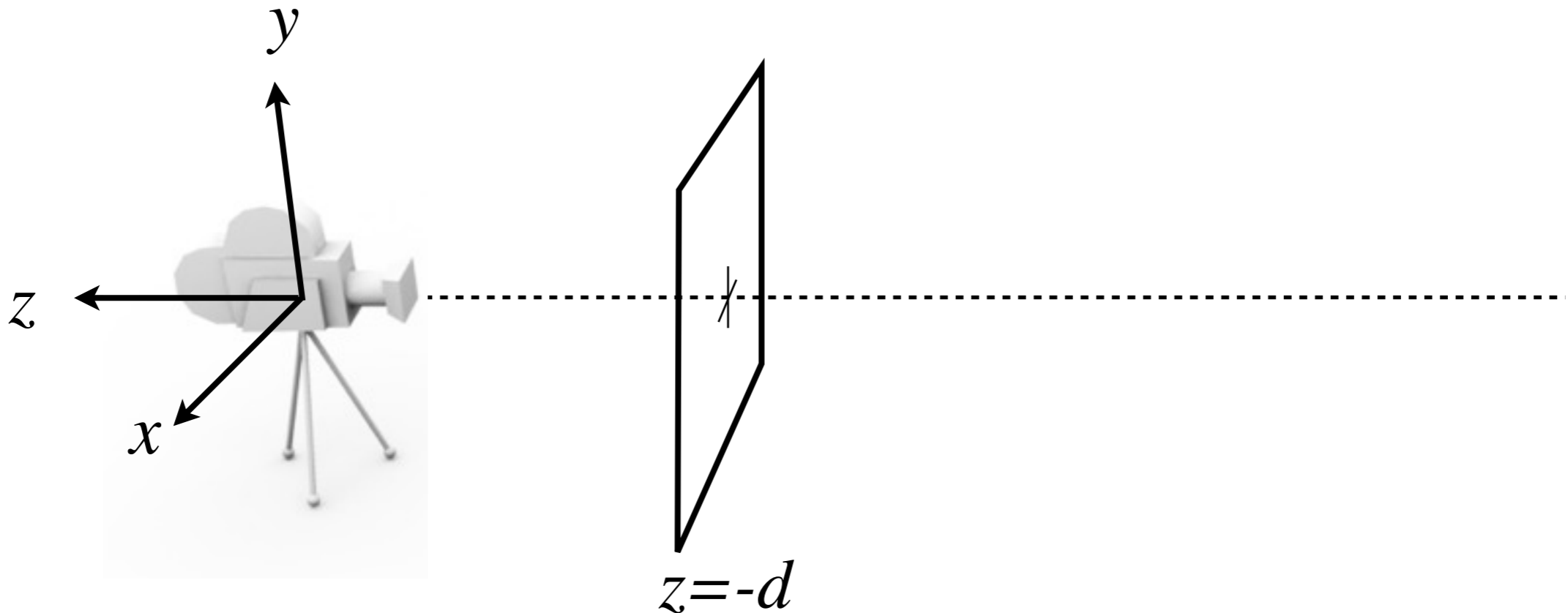


Equal triangles

$$\frac{x_p}{d} = \frac{x}{z}$$
$$x_p = d \frac{x}{z}$$

# OpenGL convention

- In OpenGL: right-hand coordinate system, looking down  $-z$ .
  - The image plane is placed at  $z = -d$
  - Visible geometry has negative  $z$ -values



# Homogeneous Coordinates

- Homogeneous coordinates only defined up to scale

$$(wx, wy, wz, w) = (x, y, z, 1)$$

- Normalize by dividing with  $w$
- Vector:  $\mathbf{v} = (x, y, z, 0)$ 
  - “Point at infinity”, pure direction
- Exploit this representation to express projection

# Perspective Projection on Matrix Form

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{1}{d} & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ -\frac{z}{d} \end{bmatrix}$$

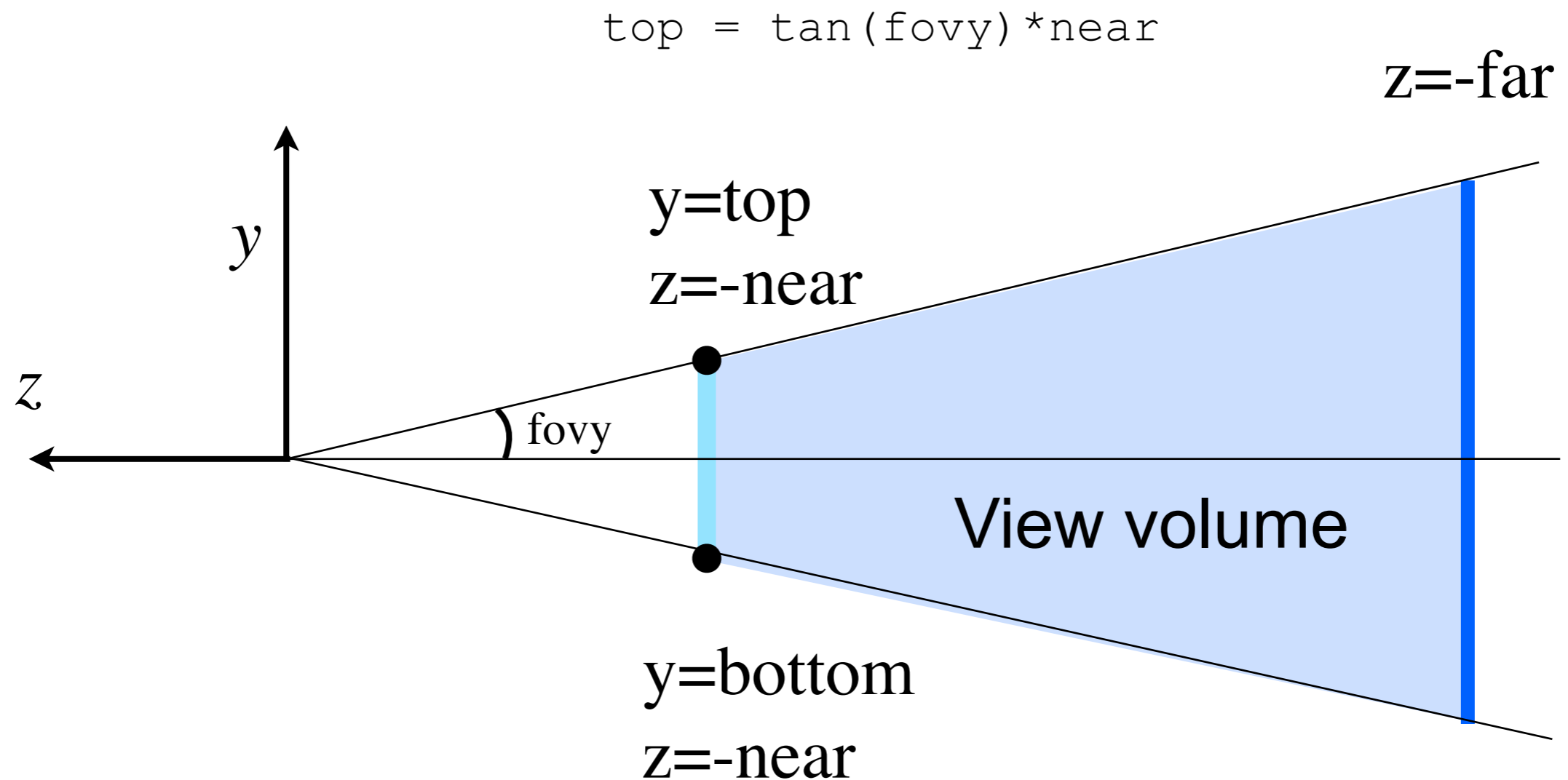
$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ -\frac{z}{d} \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\quad} \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{dx}{z} \\ -\frac{dy}{z} \\ z \\ -d \end{bmatrix}$$

projected point on  
image plane  $z = -d$

Divide by:  $-\frac{z}{d}$

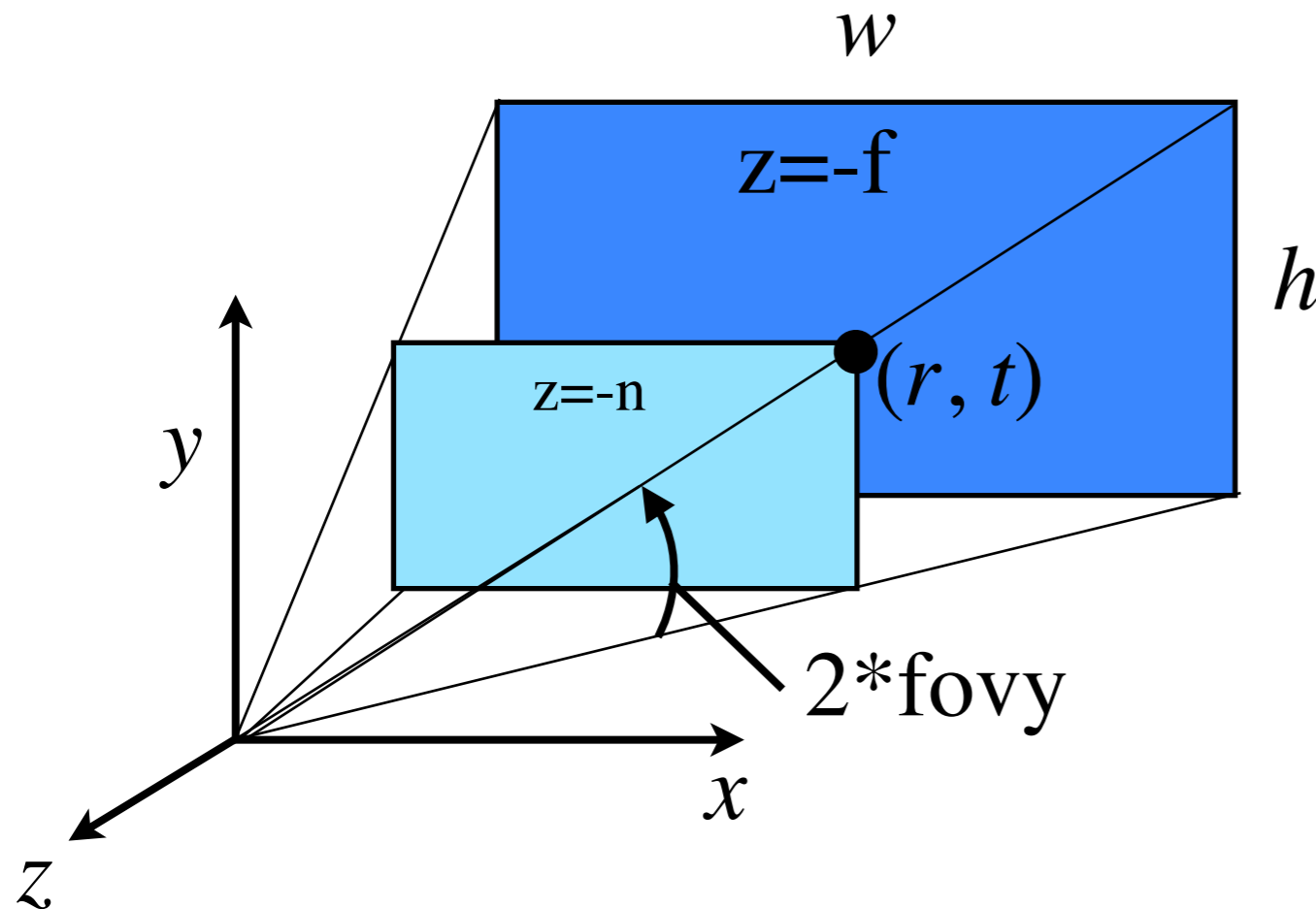
# Camera in OpenGL

- Perspective camera setup



# OpenGL Projection Matrix

```
mat4 proj = Perspective(fovy, aspect, n, f);
```

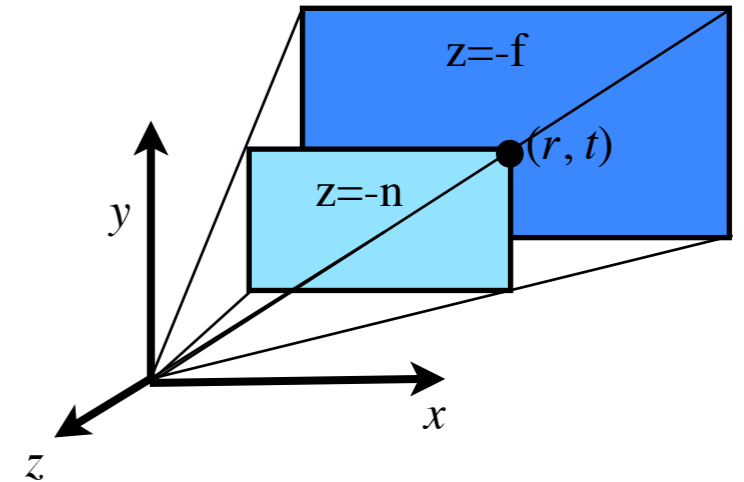


```
aspect = w/h  
t = tan(fovy) * n  
r = t * aspect
```

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{n}{r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{n}{t} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{f+n}{f-n} & \frac{-2fn}{f-n} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Examples



Point at upper right corner at near plane

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{n}{r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{n}{t} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{f+n}{f-n} & \frac{-2fn}{f-n} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} r \\ t \\ -n \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} n \\ n \\ -n \\ n \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

divide by w

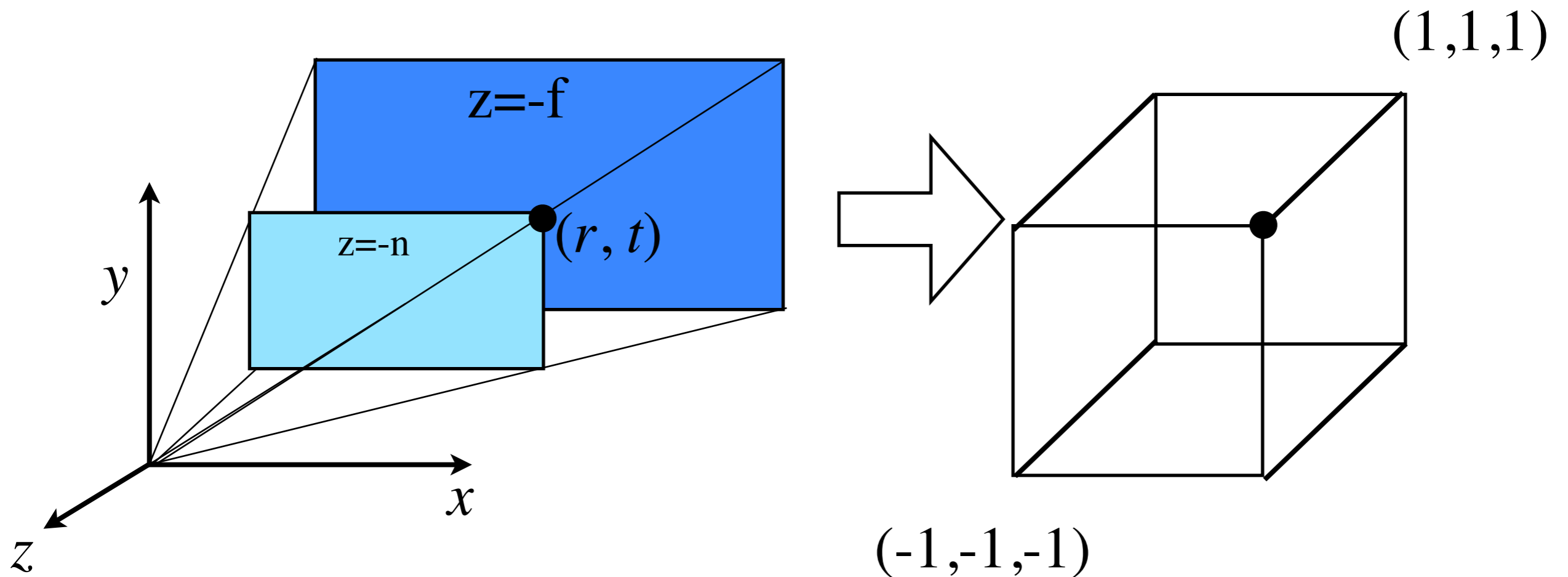
Point along view direction (-z) at far plane

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{n}{r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{n}{t} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{f+n}{f-n} & \frac{-2fn}{f-n} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ -f \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ f \\ f \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

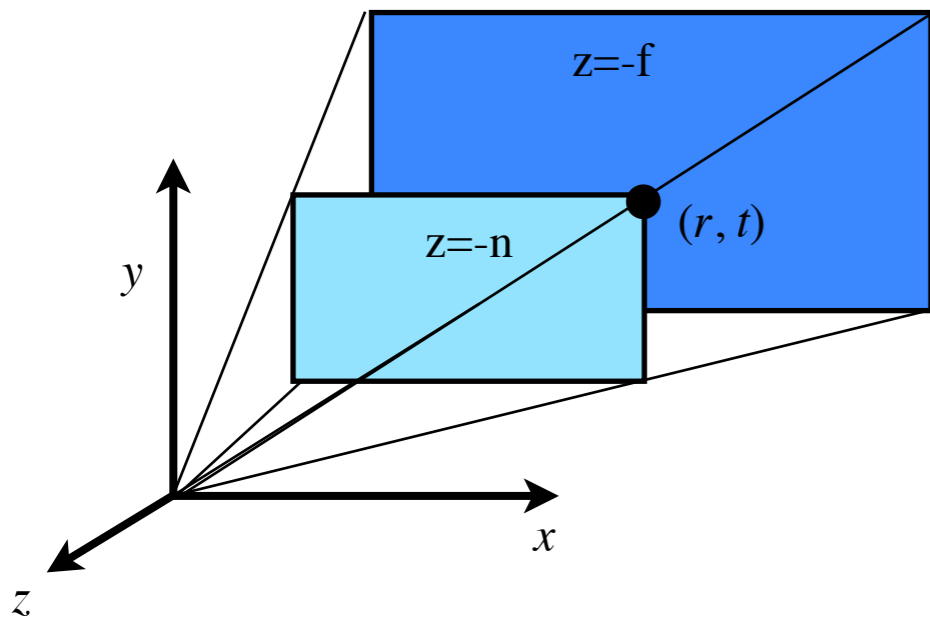
divide by w

# OpenGL Projection Matrix

- View frustum volume maps to a cube



# New Coordinate Spaces



$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{n}{r} & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{n}{t} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -\frac{f+n}{f-n} & \frac{-2fn}{f-n} \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_c \\ y_c \\ z_c \\ w_c \end{bmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{divide by } w} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{x_c}{w_c} \\ \frac{y_c}{w_c} \\ \frac{z_c}{w_c} \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Projection Matrix

Camera  
space

Clip  
space

NDC  
Normalized  
Device Coords

# Classification of Transforms

Translation

Rotation

**Rigid Body**

preserves angles  
and distances

Uniform Scaling

**Similarity**

preserves angles

Non-Uniform Scaling

Shear

Reflection

**Affine**

preserves  
parallel lines

Perspective

**Projective** preserves lines

**OpenGL**

# What is OpenGL?

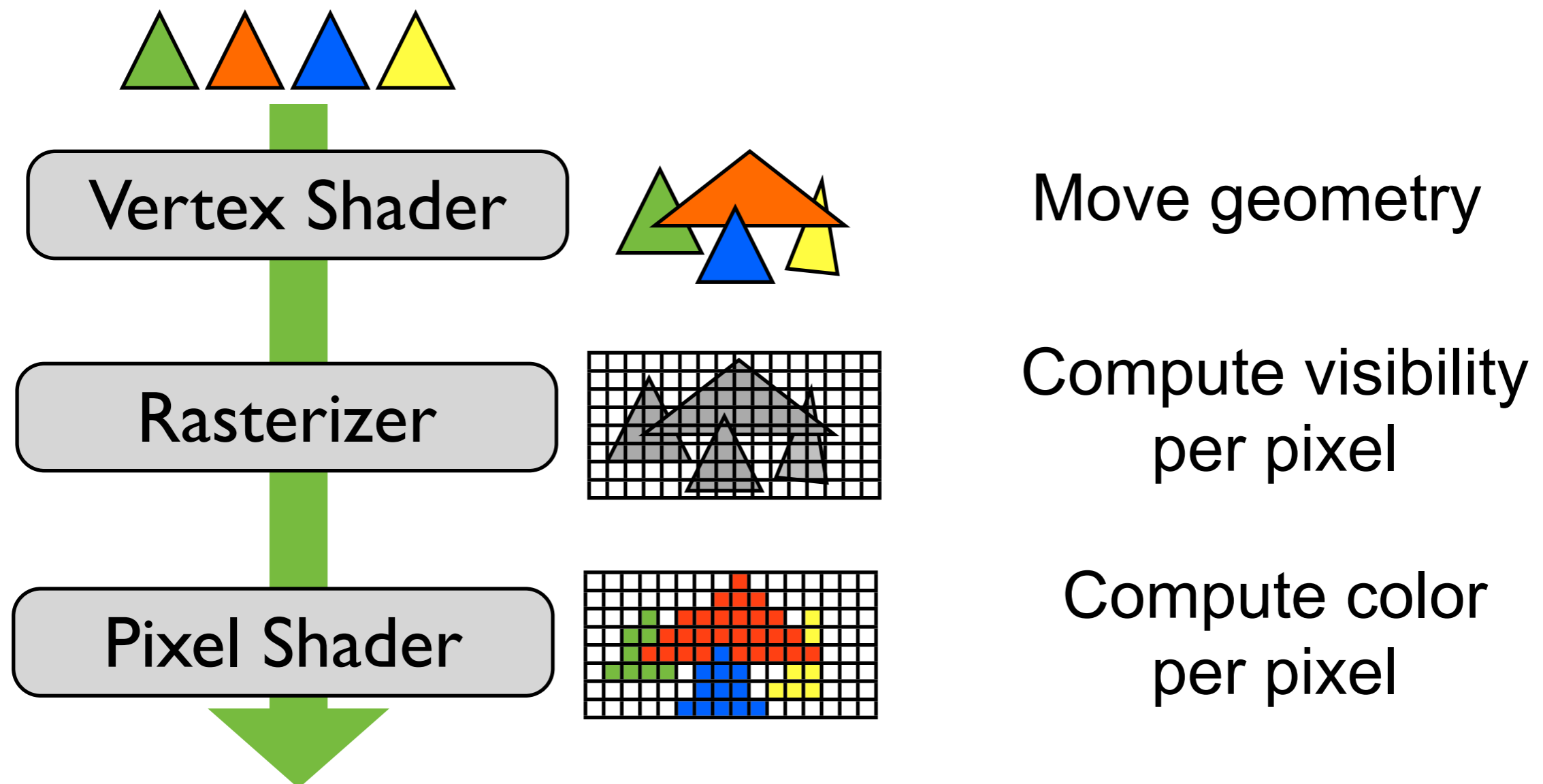
- OpenGL is a computer graphics rendering API
- High level API to graphics hardware
- Abstracts the graphics pipeline
- State machine
  - Input can either change the state or produce visible output

# Flavors of GL

- OpenGL
  - Desktop & laptop
- OpenGL ES
  - Phones & Tablets
  - Focus on energy efficiency (heat, battery life)
- WebGL
  - JavaScript implementation of OpenGL ES
  - Works in modern web-browsers

# Graphics Hardware

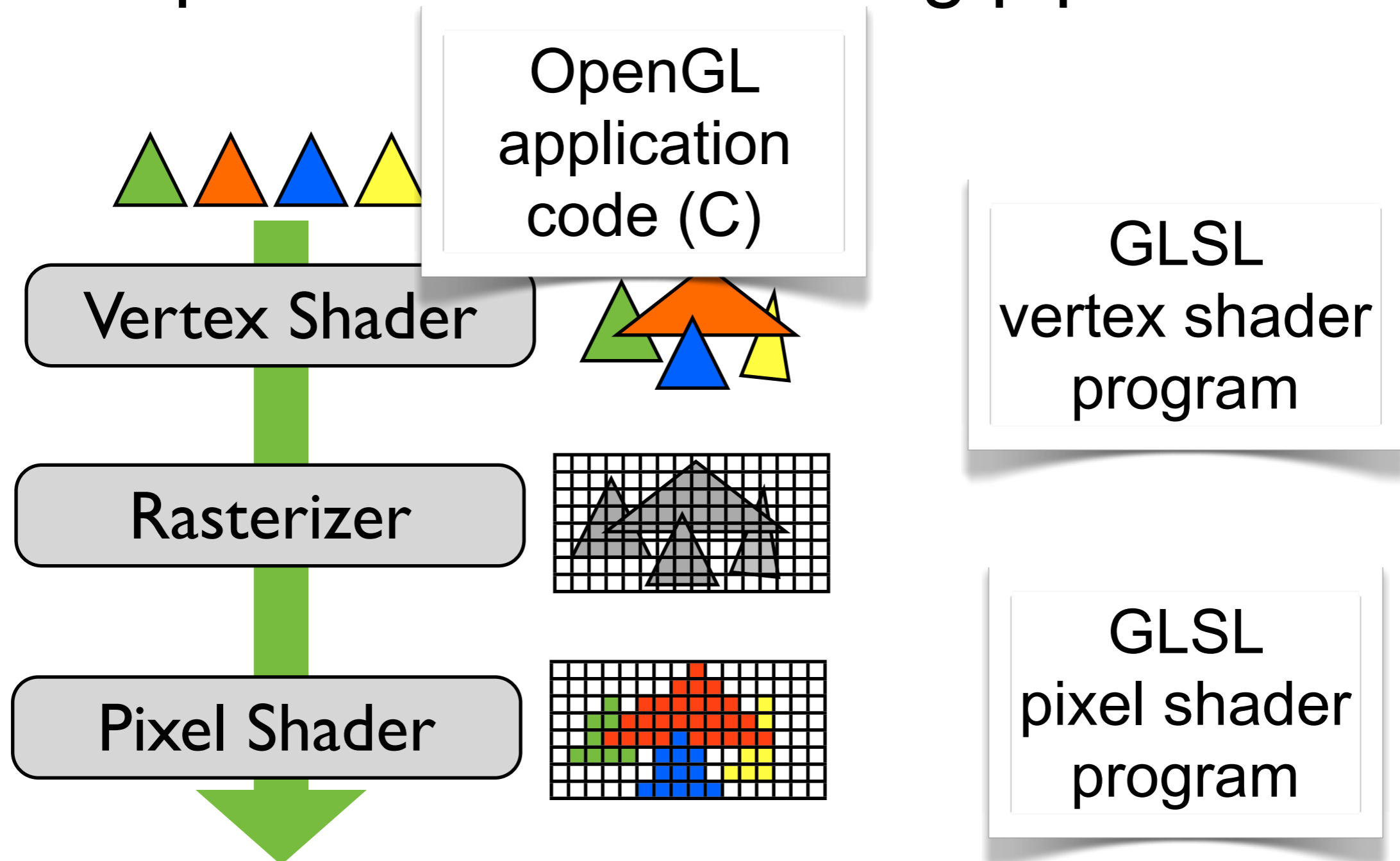
- Pipeline that accelerates the costly tasks of rendering





# Graphics Hardware

- Expresses the rendering pipeline



# OpenGL Programming

- Create shaders
- Create buffers and load data into them
  - Vertices, normals, transformation matrices, textures
- Connect buffers with shader variables
- Render to an on-screen window
  - Platform specific, or use GLUT

# Platform Independence

- Avoid OS window specific code
  - OpenGL render into a window, need to communicate with native windowing system
  - **GLUT**: open source lib for windowing ops.
- Different linkage mechanisms between OS:es
  - Library functions may look different on different platforms
  - **GLEW**: open source library hides this

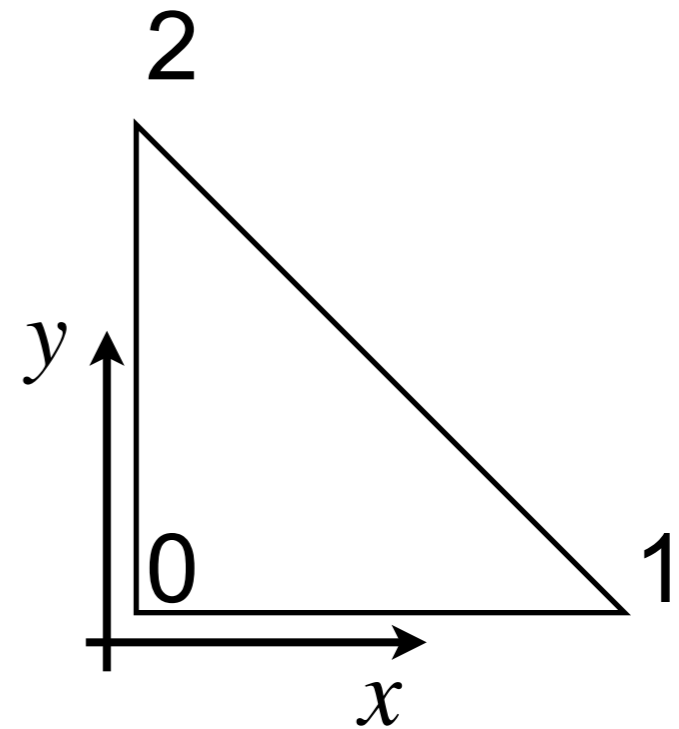
# Example setup code

- Render a triangle
  - Create triangle vertices
  - Create Vertex Buffer Object to hold vertex data
  - Write shaders that:
    - Positions the triangle (vertex shader)
    - Color the triangle (pixel shader)

# Create Geometry

```
struct vec4
{
    float x;
    float y;
    float z;
    float w;
};
```

```
vec4 points[3] =
{
    vec4(0,0,0,1), // vec 0
    vec4(1,0,0,1), // vec 1
    vec4(0,1,0,1), // vec 2
};
```



# Vertex Array Object (VAO)

- Store all data of a geometric object
  - Holds one or more buffers describing the object

```
GLuint vaoID;  
glGenVertexArrays(1, &vaoID); // generate vertex array  
                                // object name(s)  
  
glBindVertexArray(vaoID); // bind a specific vertex array  
                            // i.e., render a specific object
```

# Vertex Buffer Object

- Store vertex data in GL buffers

```
GLuint bufferID;  
glGenBuffers(1, &bufferID); // generate vertex array  
                             // object name(s)  
  
glBindBuffer(GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, bufferID); // vertex array  
  
glBufferData(GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, sizeof(points),  
             points, GL_STATIC_DRAW); // fill buffer  
                                     // with data
```

```
vec4 points[3] =  
{  
    vec4(0, 0, 0, 1),  
    vec4(1, 0, 0, 1),  
    vec4(0, 1, 0, 1),  
};
```

# Connect vertex array to shader

- Application vertex data enters GL pipeline through vertex shader
  - Load shaders
  - Get entry point in shader
  - Set pointer to uploaded buffer data

```
in vec4 vPosition;  
uniform mat4 MVP; //ModelViewProj  
  
void main()  
{  
    gl_Position = MVP * vPosition;  
}
```

```
GLuint posID = glGetAttribLocation( program, "vPosition" );  
glEnableVertexAttribArray( posID );  
glVertexAttribPointer( posID, 4, GL_FLOAT, GL_FALSE, 0, 0 );
```



# Passing variables to shaders

- Need to associate a shader variable with an OpenGL data source
  - Example:

```
GLint mat_idx = glGetUniformLocation( program, "MVP" );
GLfloat.mvp[16] = ...
glUniformMatrix4fv(mat_idx, 1, GL_TRUE,.mvp);
```

```
in vec4 vPosition;
uniform mat4 MVP; //ModelViewProj

void main()
{
    gl_Position = MVP * vPosition;
}
```

# Draw Geometry

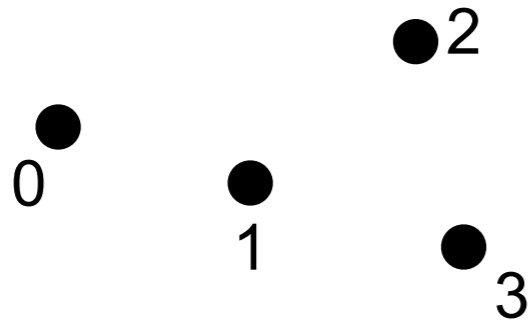
- Tell OpenGL to start rendering the triangle

primitive type      start index      number of indices

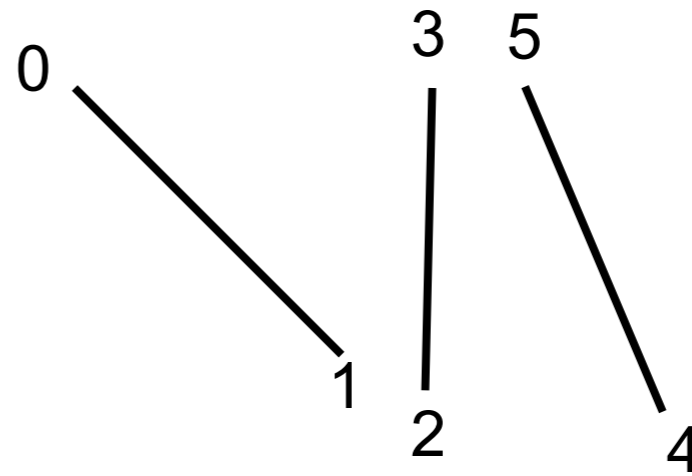
```
glDrawArrays ( GL_TRIANGLES, 0, 3 );
```

The diagram illustrates the parameters of the `glDrawArrays` function call. Three labels are positioned above the function call: 'primitive type' is above `GL_TRIANGLES`, 'start index' is above `0`, and 'number of indices' is above `3`. Three arrows point from each label to its corresponding argument in the function call.

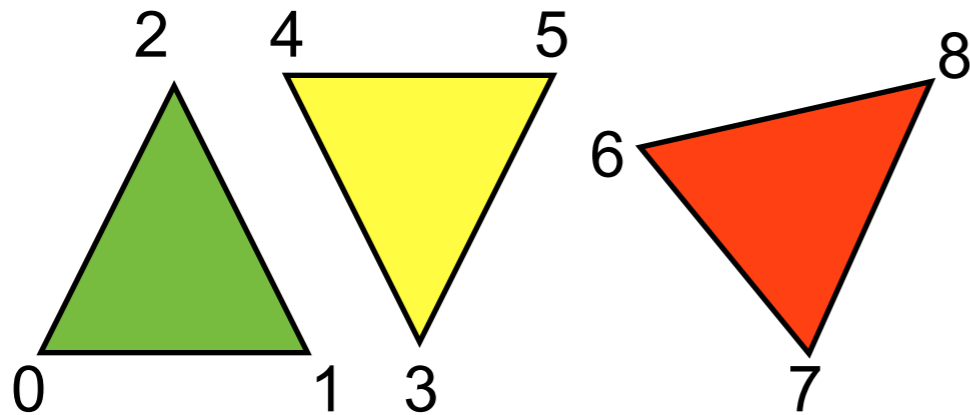
# Build primitives from vertices



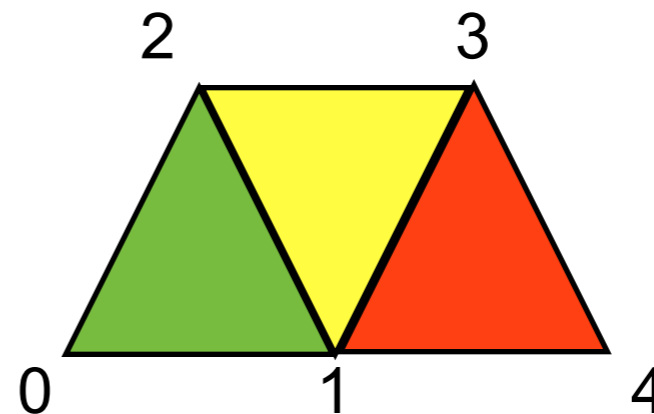
GL\_POINTS



GL\_LINES



GL\_TRIANGLES



GL\_TRIANGLE\_STRIP

# Transforms

- User constructs matrices in application code
- Pass them to the vertex shader
  - ```
GLint mat_idx = glGetUniformLocation( program, "MVP" );  
GLfloat.mvp[16] = ...  
glUniformMatrix4fv(mat_idx, 1, GL_TRUE,.mvp);
```
- Vertex shader applies matrices
  - Last matrix applied is the projection matrix
  - Output is a clip space position

# User input

- Callbacks for mouse and keyboard
  - See Assignment 4 for example code
  - Feel free to modify/add additional controls
  - GLUT has convenient callbacks for keyboard & mouse interactions

# Getting shaders into OpenGL

- Shaders need to be compiled and linked to form an executable shader program that runs on the graphics card

# Shader Setup

```
GLuint initShaders()
{
    GLuint vertexShaderID = glCreateShader(GL_VERTEX_SHADER);
    GLuint pixelShaderID = glCreateShader(GL_FRAGMENT_SHADER);

    const char* vs = textFileRead("simple.vert");
    const char* fs = textFileRead("simple.frag");
    glShaderSource(vertexShaderID, 1, &vs, NULL);
    glShaderSource(pixelShaderID, 1, &fs, NULL);
    delete [] vs;
    delete [] fs;

    glCompileShader(vertexShaderID);
    glCompileShader(pixelShaderID);

    GLuint program = glCreateProgram();
    glAttachShader(program, pixelShaderID);
    glAttachShader(program, vertexShaderID);

    glLinkProgram(program);
    glUseProgram(program);

    return program;
}
```

# **A complete OpenGL program in GLUT**



# Main

```
int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    GLenum err = glewInit(); // Init GLEW
    if (GLEW_VERSION_3_0) { printf("GL version 3 supported \n"); }

    glutInit(&argc, argv); // Init GLUT
    glutInitDisplayMode(GLUT_DEPTH | GLUT_DOUBLE | GLUT_RGBA);
    glutInitWindowPosition(100,100);
    glutInitWindowSize(512,512);
    glutCreateWindow("GLSL Test");

    // Set GLUT callbacks
    glutDisplayFunc(render);
    glutIdleFunc(render);
    glutReshapeFunc(resize);
    glutKeyboardFunc(processKeys);
    glutMouseFunc(processMouse);
    glutMotionFunc(processMouseActiveMotion);

    init(); // Create geometry and shaders
    glutMainLoop();
    cleanup();

    return 0;
}
```

# Init - Setup Geometry

```
void init()
{
    glClearColor(1.0,1.0,1.0,1.0);
    // Initialize shaders
    gShaderProgramID = initShaders();

    // Create geometry (one triangle)
    vec3 vertices[3];
    vertices[0] = vec3( -0.5f, -0.5f, 1.0f);
    vertices[1] = vec3(  0.5f, -0.5f, 1.0f);
    vertices[2] = vec3( -0.5f,  0.5f, 1.0f);

    // Create a vertex array object
    glGenVertexArrays( 1, &gVaoID );
    glBindVertexArray( gVaoID );

    // Create and initialize a buffer object
    glGenBuffers( 1, &gVboID );
    glBindBuffer( GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, gVboID );
    glBufferData( GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, sizeof(vertices), vertices, GL_STATIC_DRAW );

    // Initialize the vertex position attribute from the vertex shader
    GLuint pos = glGetAttribLocation( gShaderProgramID, "vPosition" );
    glEnableVertexAttribArray( pos );
    glVertexAttribPointer( pos, 3, GL_FLOAT, GL_FALSE, 0, BUFFER_OFFSET(0) );
}
```

# Resize

```
// If the size of the window changed,  
// call this to update the GL matrices  
void resize(int w, int h)  
{  
    if(h == 0) h = 1; // Prevent a divide by zero  
  
    // Calculate the projection matrix  
    float aspect = ((float)w) / h;  
    float fovy = 45.0f;  
    float near = 0.01f;  
    float far = 10.0f;  
    gProjectionMatrix = Perspective(fovy, aspect, near, far);  
  
    glViewport(0, 0, w, h); // Set the viewport to be the entire window  
}
```

# Render

```
void render()
{
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT | GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);

    // Calculate the view matrix
    vec3 at(0.0,0.0,0.0);
    vec3 up(0.0,1.0,0.0);
    mat4 View = LookAt(gEyePos, at, up );

    // Compute world matrix
    mat4 World = ...;

    // Compute ModelViewProjection matrix
    mat4 MVP = gProjectionMatrix*View*World;

    // Pass the modelview projection matrix to the shader
    GLuint.mvpID = glGetUniformLocation(gShaderProgramID,"MVP");
    glUniformMatrix4fv.mvpID, 1, GL_TRUE, (GLfloat*)MVP.getFloatArray());

    // draw a triangle
    glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLES, 0, 3);
    glutSwapBuffers();
}
```

# Input Handling

```
// Mouse and keyboard handling
void processKeys(unsigned char key, int x, int y)
{
    switch (key) {
        case 27:
            exit(0);
            break;
        case 'w': case 'W':
            gEyePos.z -= 0.1;
            break;
        case 's': case 'S':
            gEyePos.z += 0.1;
            break;
        default:
            break;
    }
}
```