Spatioangular Resolution Tradeoffs in Integral Photography

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Capturing parallax

Approaches:

- Multiple photographs
- Multiple cameras
- Spatially multiplexed viewpoints on one sensor
 - Admits to compact design
 - Can handle moving scenes

What are the multiplexing tradeoffs?



















[Nene and Nayar '98]



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[Ng et al. '05]













In-focus plane



















Upshot: Can get higher spatial resolution, but must do some vision to interpolate.







































Approach based on [Zitnick et al. '04] [Zitnick et al. '05]



















Advantages

- Optics external to camera
- Higher spatial res

Disadvantages

- Optics external to camera
- Need to address aberrations (e.g., with better optics)
- View interpolation can fail

Observation

 Synthetic aperture tolerates some view interpolation errors





