

3D4YOU

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Introduction



3D in the Cinema

- Increasing number of 3D productions
- First studios start to release all productions also in 3D
- Technology
 - Stereoscopic 3D
 - Glasses based
- Display sizes
 - Regular size
 - IMAX

3D in the Home

- Various displays available
- Various technologies
- Various input formats
- Various sizes





Content



- Display technologies
- Formats
- Capture technologies
- Conclusions





3D Displays - Glasses Based - Anaglyph















Samsung active shutter glasses stereoscopic 3D input



Panasonic (up to 103" prototype) active shutter glasses stereoscopic 3D input











Hyundai passive polarized glasses stereoscopic 3D input



JVC (up to 4k prototype) passive polarized glasses stereoscopic 3D input







Fraunhofer HHI Free2C, 2 views, tracked stereoscopic 3D input



Philips
WOWvx, 9 views
video+depth input
internal conversion to multiview





Alioscopy, 8 views, 42", HD Input: native format





Setred, 20", XGA Input: 2x Video+Depth













Spatial View, 46", HD





Tridelity, 57", HD







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ITRI

- > 50 views
- Format unknown

NHK

- 40x40 views
- Driven by Ultra High Vision projector





Stereoscopic 3D Formats





side-by-side



interleaved

- Standard format for 3D Cinema (+)
- Standard format for glasses-based consumer displays (+)
- No support for non-glasses-based multiview displays (-)
- Allows adjustment of zero-parallax (+)
- No scaling of depth (-)
 - No adjustment to display size
 - No personal preferences, kids mode
- No occlusion information
 - No motion parallax



Video + Depth









Video

+

Per-Pixel Depth Map

- Successful demonstrated by ATTEST project (2002-2004), MPEG-C Part 3
- Not the standard format for 3D Cinema (-)
- Depth-Image-Based-Rendering
 - Support for stereoscopic glasses-based consumer displays
 - Support for non-glasses-based multiview displays (+)
 - Allows scaling of depth (+)
 - Adjustment to display size
 - Personal preferences, kids mode
 - Views must be extrapolated (-)
- Allows adjustment for zero-parallax (+)
- No occlusion information (-)
 - Reduced quality of depth-image-based-rendering





Occlusions







Input: stereo image pair, cam 3 and 5





Processing: disparity estimation and calculation of depth for cam 3 and 5. Generation of virtual view for cam 4 using information from cam 3 or cam 5

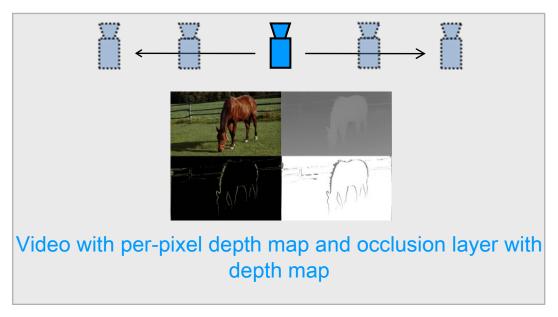


Original image from cam 4



Layered Depth Video - LDV



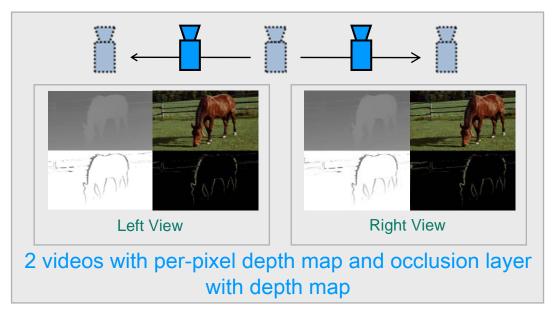


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 - Allows scaling of depth (+)
 - Views must be extrapolated (-)
- Allows adjustment for zero-parallax (+)
- Provides occlusion information (+)
 - Better quality of depth-image-based-rendering



Depth Enhanced Stereo (DES)



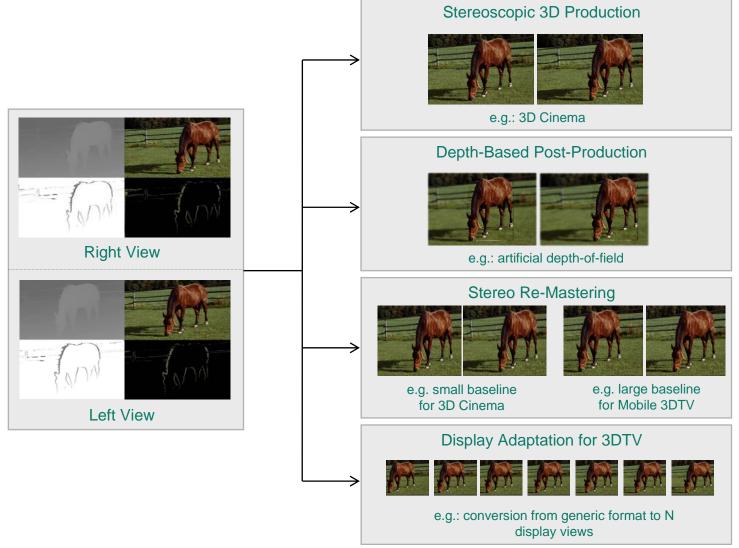


- Not the standard format for 3D Cinema (-)
- Easily usable for stereoscopic glasses-based consumer displays (+)
- Depth-Image-Based-Rendering
 - Support for non-glasses-based multiview displays (+)
 - Allows scaling of depth (+)
 - Views are interpolated or extrapolated
- Allows adjustment for zero-parallax (+)
- Provides excellent occlusion information (++)



Usage of Depth Enhanced Stereo (DES)

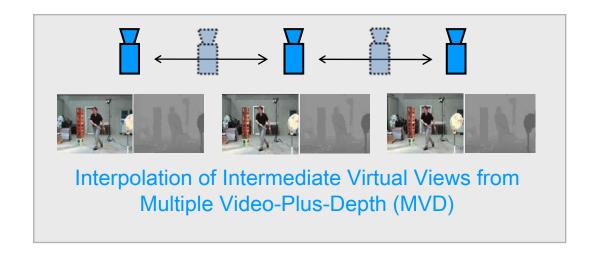






Multiple Video-Plus-Depth (MVD)





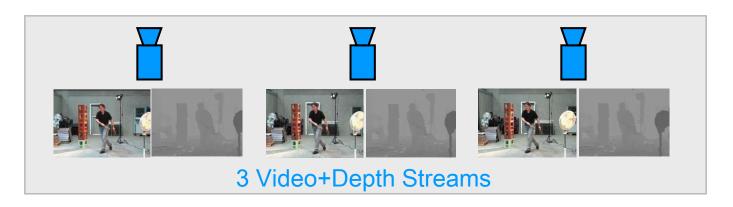
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 - Support for non-glasses-based multiview displays (+)
 - Allows scaling of depth (+)
 - Views are interpolated (+)
- Allows adjustment for zero-parallax (+)
- Provides good occlusion handling due to redundant information (+)



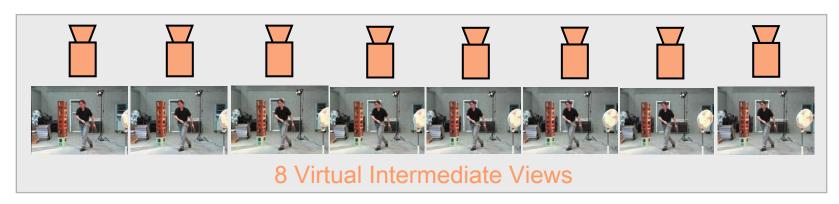
MVD Transmission and 3D Display Adaptation



Distribution Format



View Conversion by Image Based Rendering



3D-Display



Summary of Formats



Video plus Depth

1 video stream with associated depth map

Layered Depth Video (LDV)

Video plus depth enhanced with additional occlusion layer with depth information

Depth Enhanced Stereo (DES)

 2 video streams with depth map and additional occlusion layer with depth information

Multiple Video plus Depth (MVD)

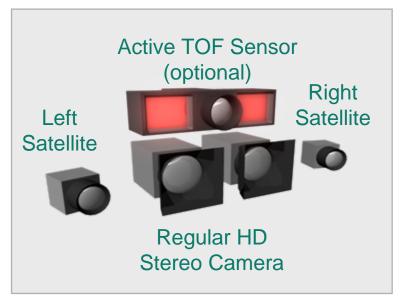
2 or more video streams with depth



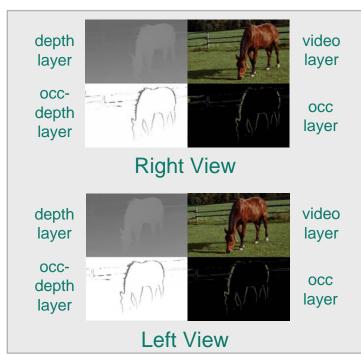


Capturing of Generic 3D Format





Conversion to Production Format



- Original stereoscopic footage keeps untouched
- Satellite cameras for robust disparity estimation
- Active TOF Sensor can help in un-textured areas



Conclusions



- Stereoscopic 3D is the de-facto standard from 3D-Cinema
 - Directly usable for glasses-based displays, but no scaling of depth
 - Not usable for non-glasses-based displays
- A 3D distribution format must be generic for all display types
 - Support for stereoscopic displays
 - Support for multi-view displays
- The complete production chain is involved
 - Cameras
 - Recording technology
 - Post-production
 - Delivery
- Computer vision solutions can be used for formats conversion
 - Estimation of depth maps
 - Generation of virtual views for multi-view and for adjustment of baseline

