Software for an Intra-Operative "Kinect" with a Flexible Endoscope

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Relevance

- "Depth cameras" have spurred the popularity and approachability of real-time 3D reconstruction
- 3D reconstruction based on images captured by endoscope
- Small laser allows for structured light approach with endoscope



Technical Approach



Deliverables

- Minimum
 - Rigid fixation method of camera to laser
 - Template for laser pattern in appropriate coordinates relative to camera
 - Code to compute depth map for camera's field of view**
 - Code to create 3D reconstruction of simple objects based on depth map**
- Expected
 - Code to create 3D reconstruction of complex objects based on depth map**
- Maximum
 - Code to track camera movement relative to static scene to stitch together static 3D reconstructions**

** Includes testing scripts to verify mm accuracy





Dependencies

Dependency	Plan for Resolving
Access to laser & camera	Resolved on 2/10
Access to lab space for storage/testing	Resolved on 2/17
Reliable fixation method for camera and laser	Work with Tae Soo Kim on 2/23
Development of testing setup	Work with Tae Soo Kim
3D reconstruction depends on calibration	Seek guidance from Dr. Reiter if problems arise
Camera tracking depends on 3D reconstruction	Seek guidance from Dr. Reiter if problems arise
Obtaining Tae Soo Kim's prior work	Reach out to Tae Soo Kim and Dr. Reiter to obtain
Obtaining calibration code	Dr. Reiter will reach out, otherwise we will develop code

Management Plan

- Weekly meeting with Dr. Reiter for updates and guidance
- Periodic meetings with Dr. Taylor for guidance
- Elli physical setup, writing scripts to test accuracy of code
- Shohini writing code to compute depth map and 3D reconstructions
- Elli & Shohini together data collection, code review



Reading List

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- 7. Patent application by Tae Soo Kim and Drs. Taylor and Reiter: http://www.freepatentsonline.com/y2016/0143509.html
- 8. SLAM algorithm: https://github.com/simondlevy/BreezySLAM



Questions?

