

Next-Generation and Ultimate 3D Display



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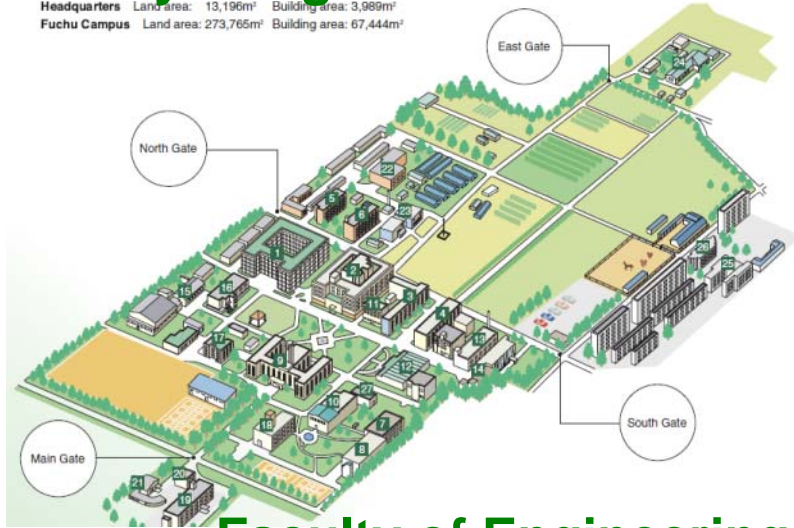
TUAT

Tokyo University of Agriculture and Technology <http://www.tuat.ac.jp>

Established in 1877, one of the national universities in Japan.

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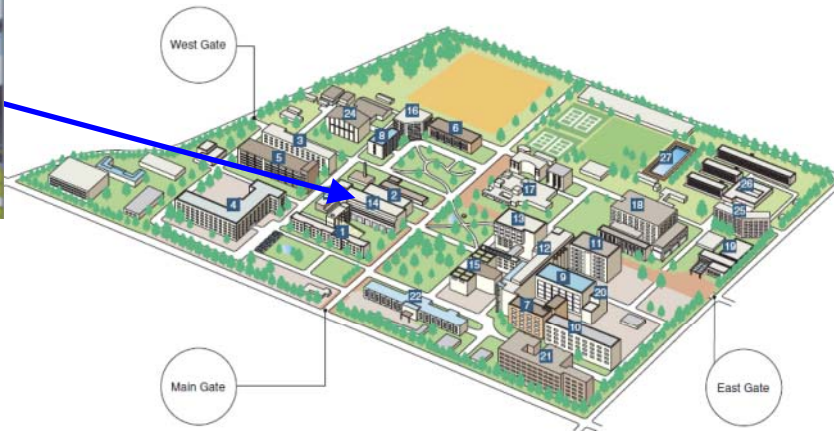


Faculty of Engineering: Koganei Campus

Land area: 159,835m² Building area: 93,512m²



We are here !



40 min from Tokyo Station

Undergraduate: 4,029
Master: 1,381
Doctor: 571
Faculty & Staff: 1,237
(2008)

Who am I ?



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IMID & SID

IMID 2002, invited

IMID 2005, invited

SID 2009, keynote

IMID 2009, invited

IMID 2010, keynote

3D display

2002 64-view / Projection

2004 72-view / Flat-panel

2004 128-view / QVGA

2005 30-view / Mobile

2006 72-view / VGA

2007 128-view / SVGA

2008 60-view / Time-multiplex

2009 36-view / Automobile

2009 256-view

Electronic Holography

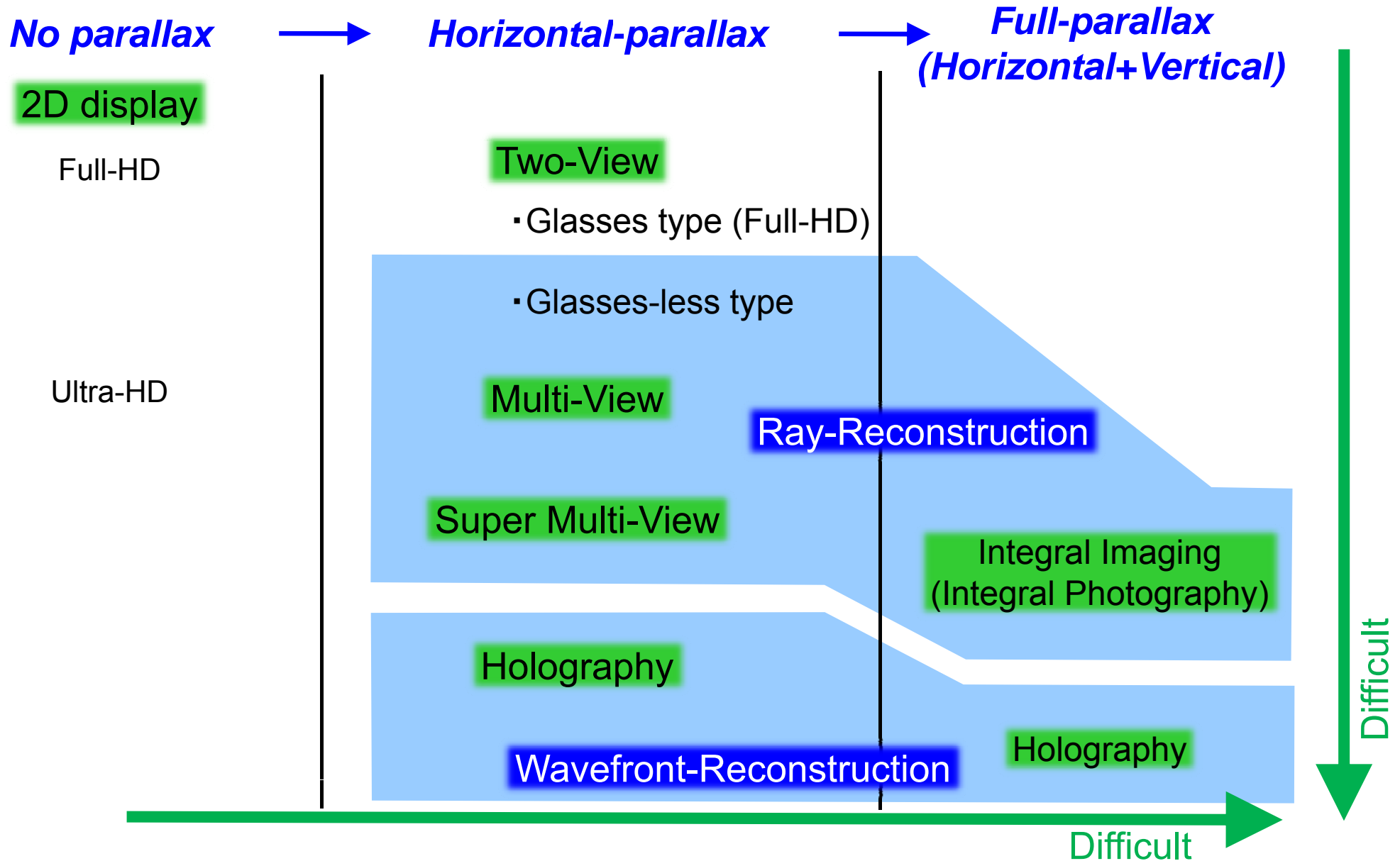
2007 15° / 1.0"

2008 15° / 3.5"

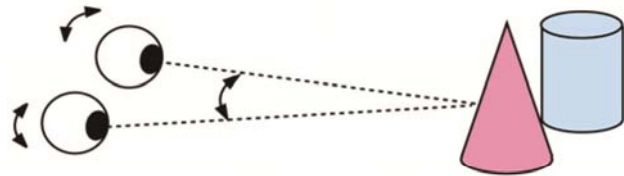
2010 15° / 4.2"

(viewing zone angle / screen size)

Classification of 3D Displays



3D Perception by Physiological Factors



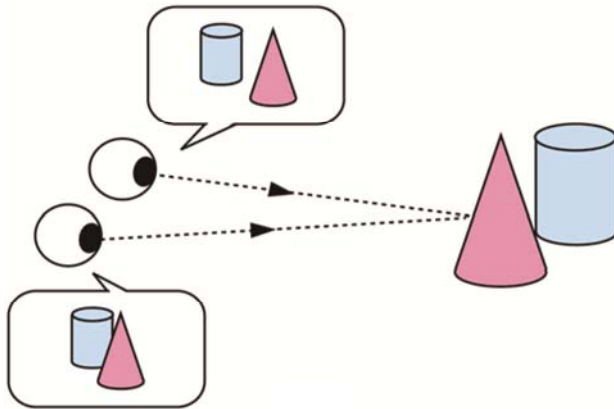
Vergence

the angle between the lines of sight of the left and right eyes



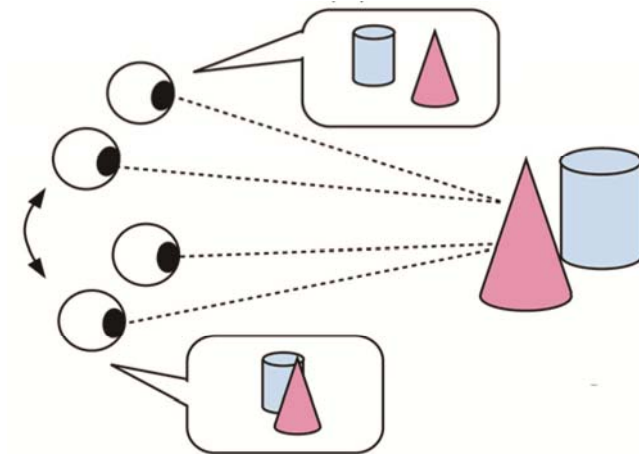
Accommodation

changing the focal length of the lenses in the eyes when focusing on an object



Binocular Disparity

the horizontal displacement in the retinal images between the left and right eyes



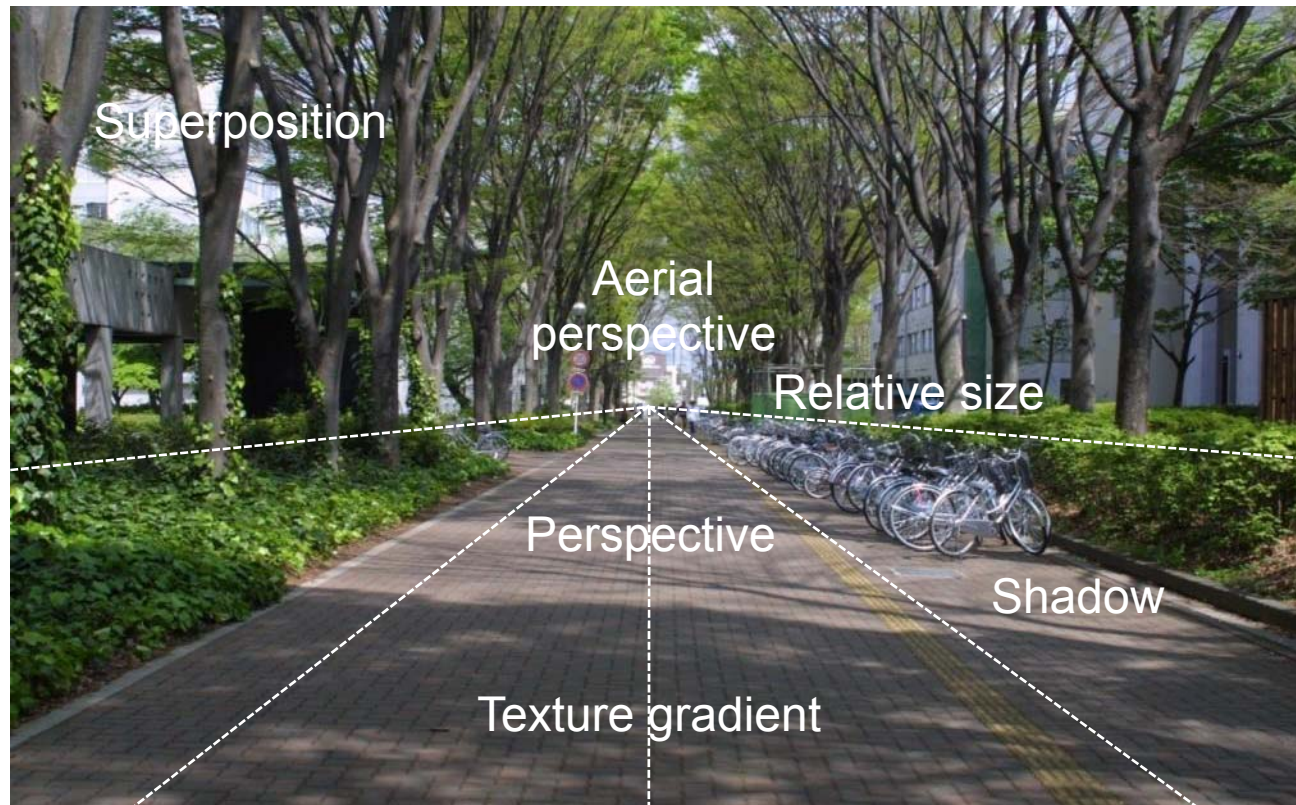
Motion parallax

a change in the retinal image due to the movement of the eyes

Harmony among these four factors is the key to developing comfortable 3D displays.

3D Perception by Psychological Factors ⁷

Relative Size, Perspective, Superposition, Texture Gradient, Shadow, Aerial Perspective, etc.

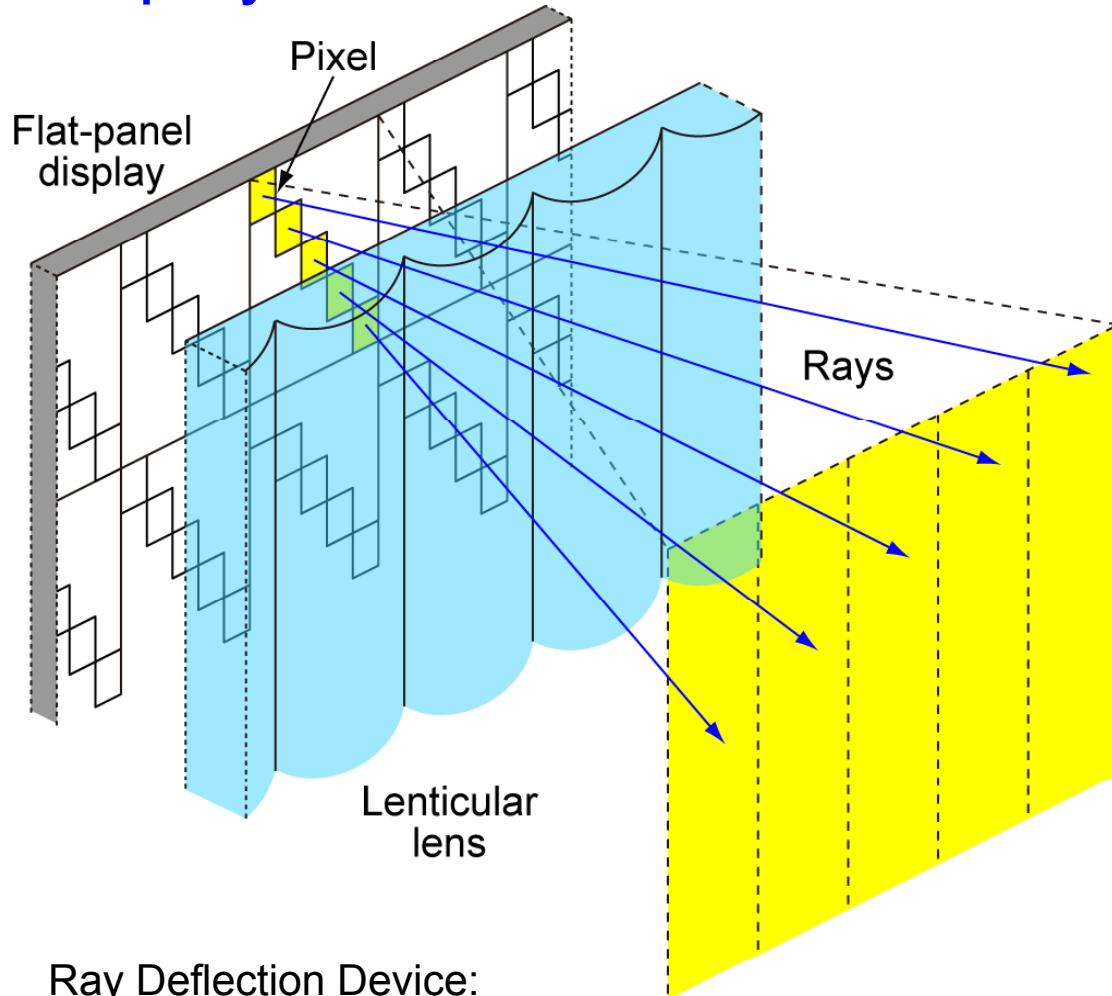


Psychological factors are important in the creation of effective 3D content.

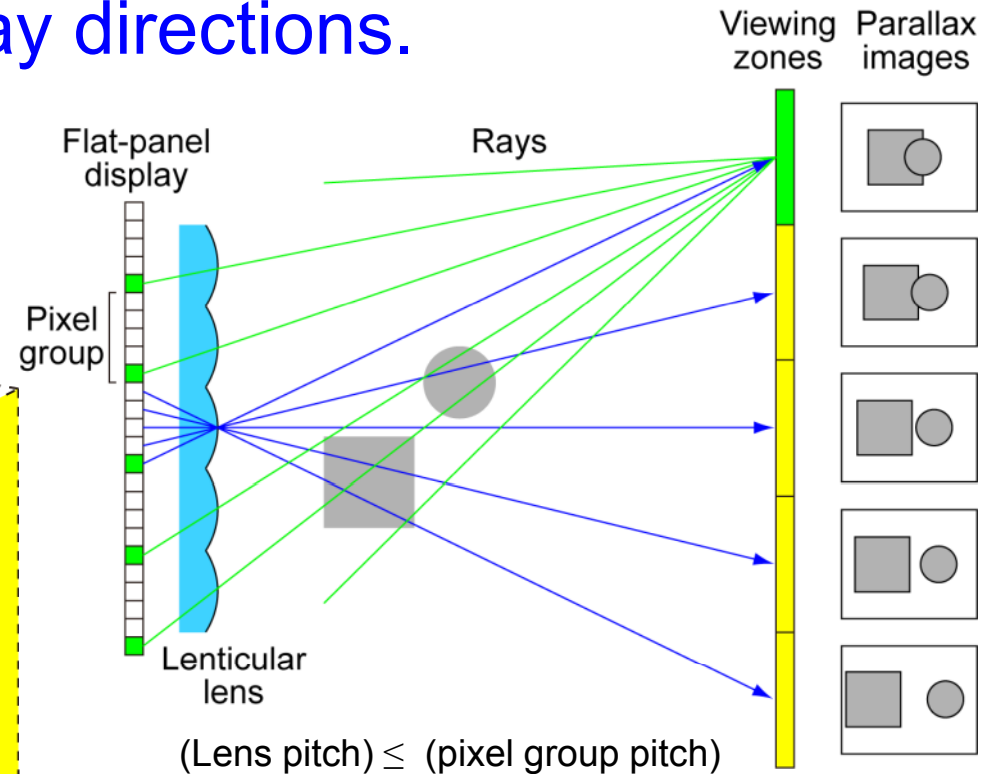
Ray-reconstruction: Horizontal-parallax-type

Multi-View Display

Display controls the horizontal ray directions.



Ray Deflection Device:
Lenticular Lens, Parallax Barrier



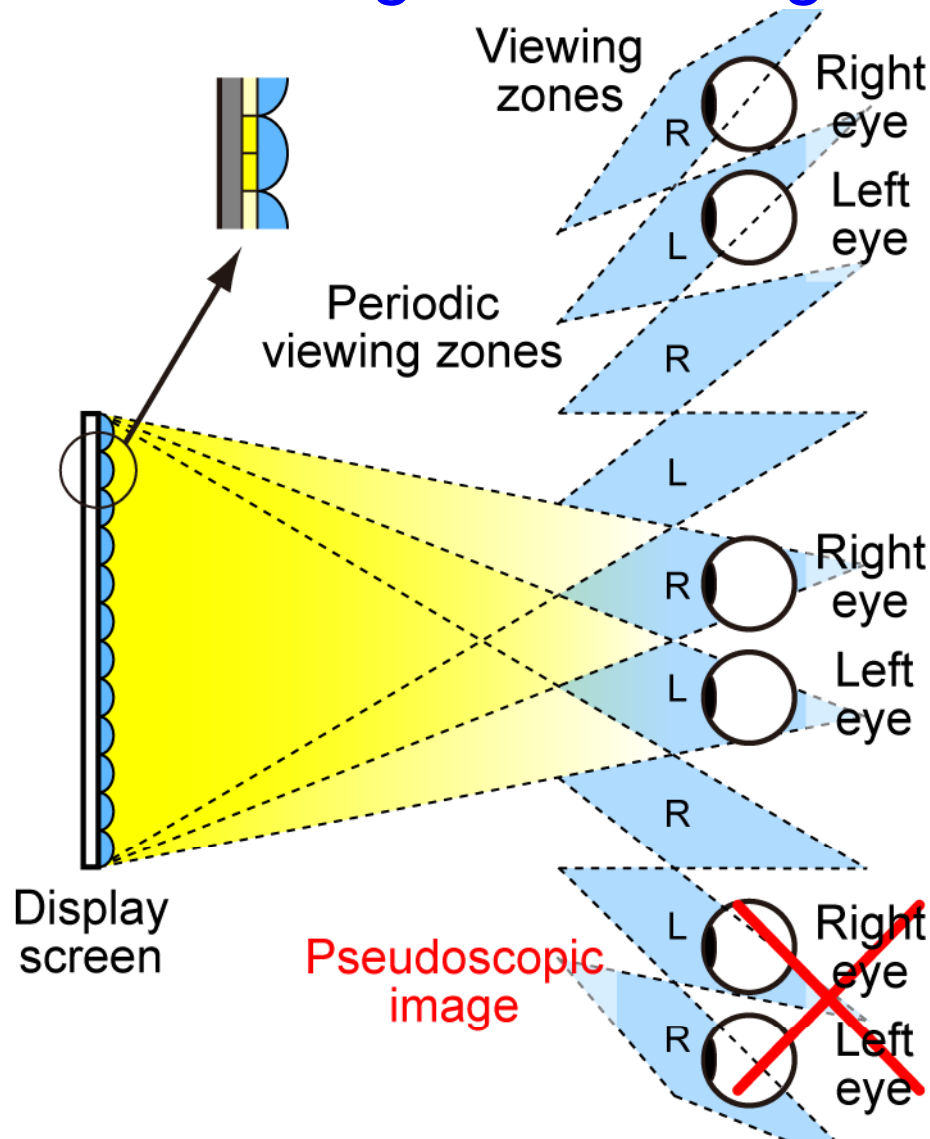
The rays converge at the viewing zones.

Parallax images are displayed with the converging rays.

A 3D image is reconstructed with rays that have true horizontal directions.

Glasses-free Two-view Display

Two viewing zones are generated for left and right eyes.



Glasses-free observation is possible, however, the observation position is limited.

Vergence	○
Binocular disparity	○
Accommodation	×
Motion parallax	×

The viewing zones appear periodically with typical 3D display systems.

- Multiple viewers
- Pseudoscopic image

Problem of Pseudoscopic images:

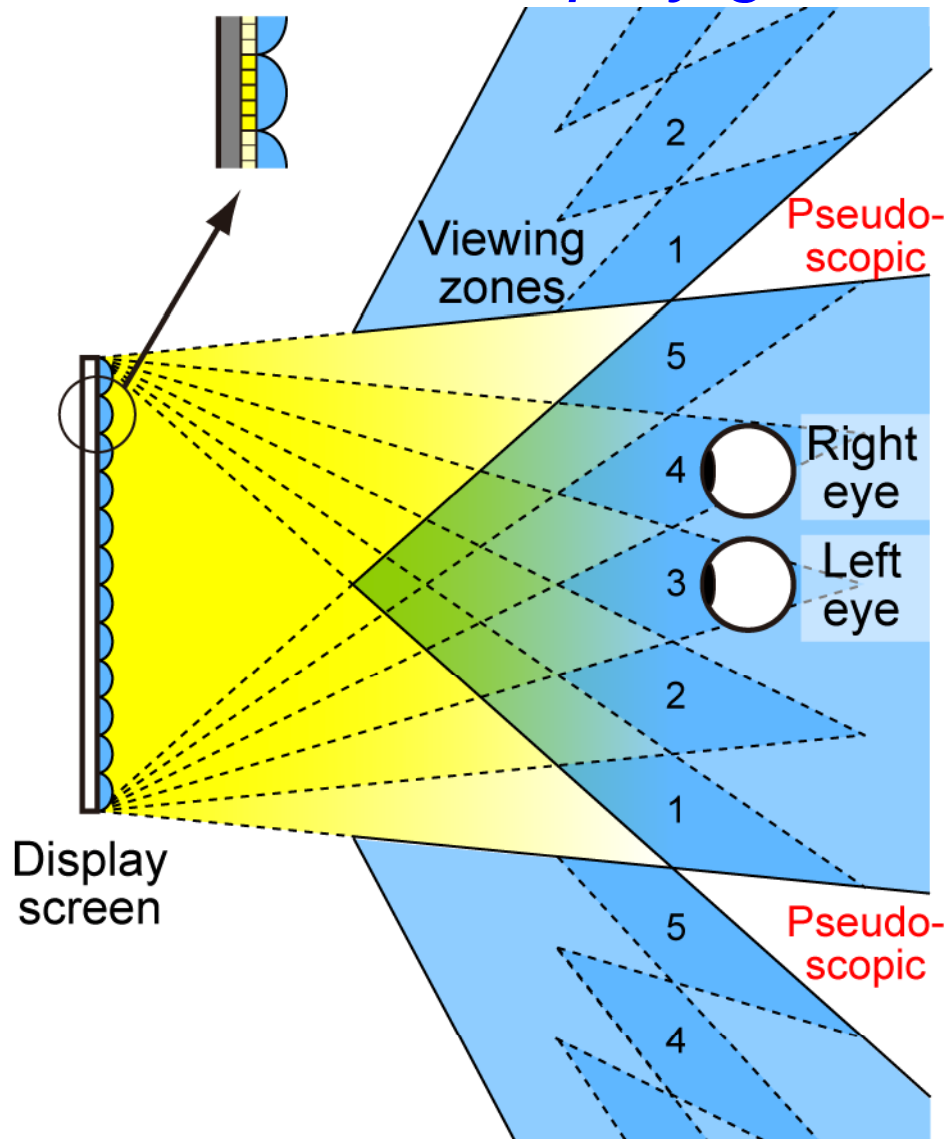
Unacceptable: TV, PC monitor

Acceptable: Mobile game, Mobile phone



Multi-view Display

A multi-view display generates more than two viewing zones.



The pitch of viewing zones is set to the inter-ocular distance (65 mm on average) or less.

Motion parallax is obtained.

Vergence	○
Binocular disparity	○
Accommodation	×
Motion parallax	Δ^*

Viewing position freedom also increases in the depth direction.

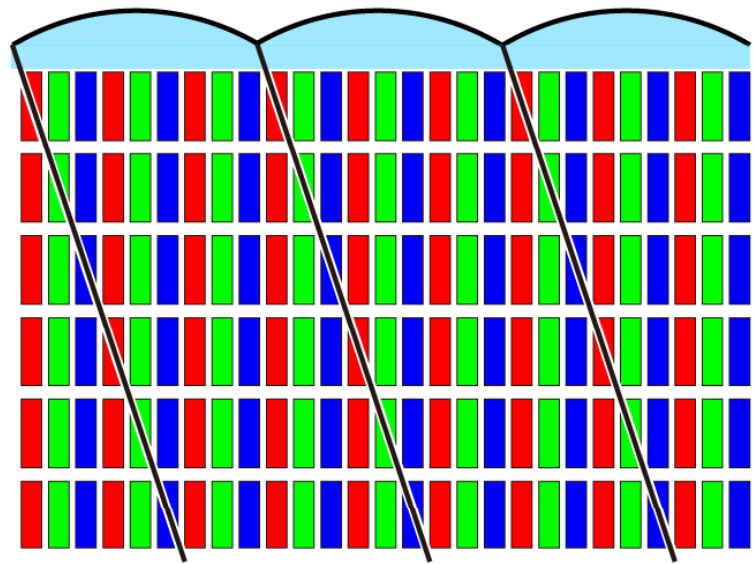
Probability of viewing pseudoscopic images decreases.

Probability: $1/n$
(n : number of views)

* Discontinuous motion parallax might reduce the presence and realism of 3D images.

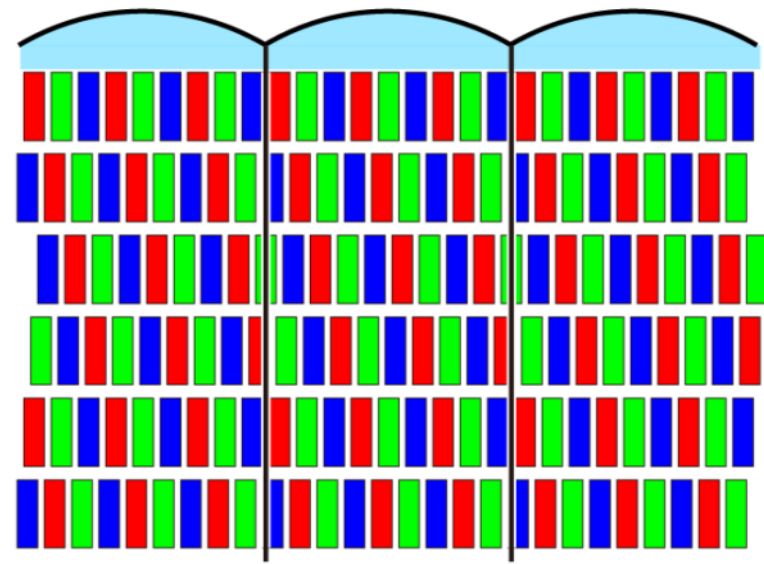
Flat-panel-type Multi-view Display

Slanted lenticular lens



Flat-panel display
RGB stripe arrangement

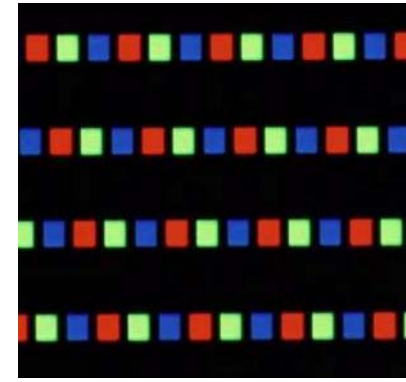
Straight lenticular lens



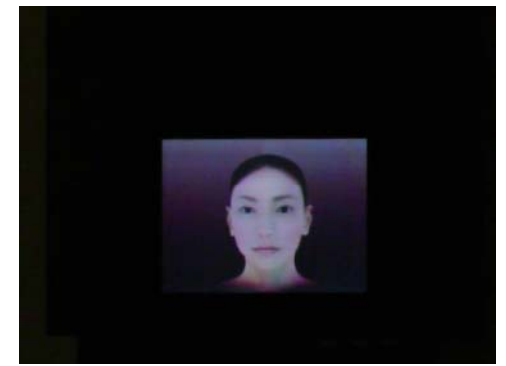
Flat-panel display
Slanted subpixel arrangement



Philips
9-view



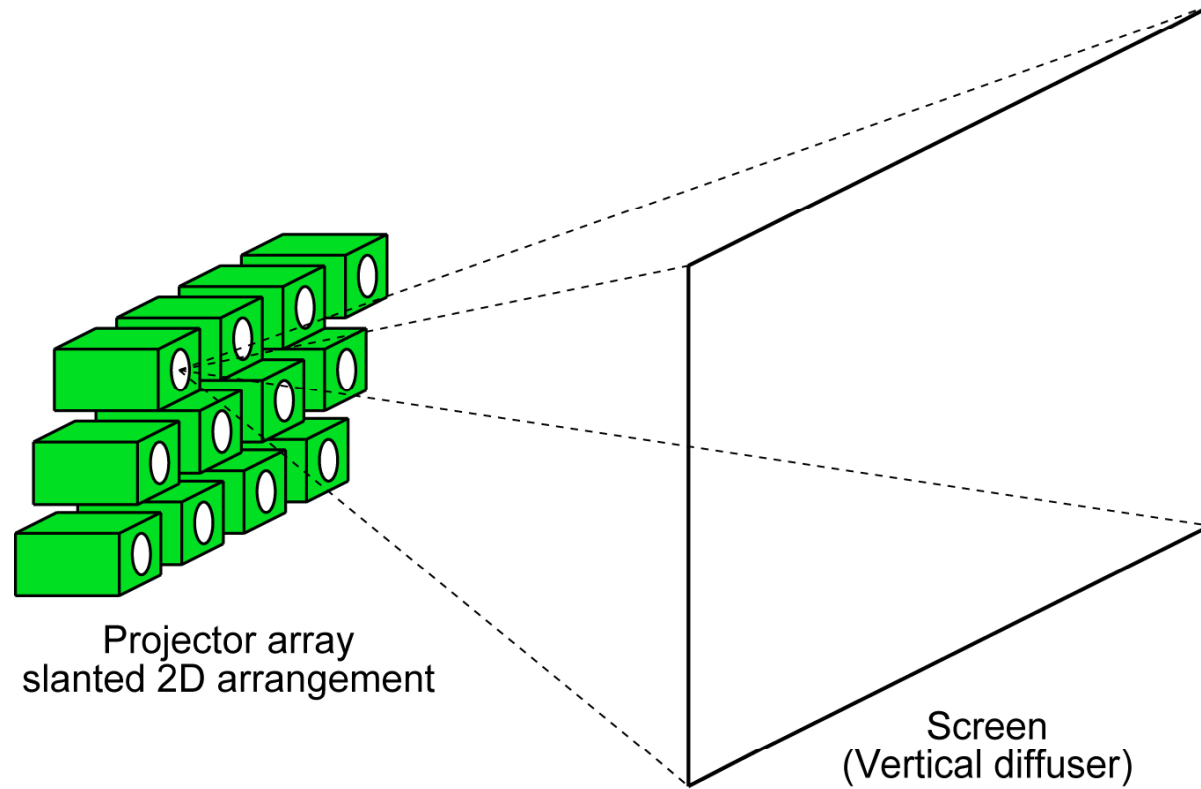
16-view display



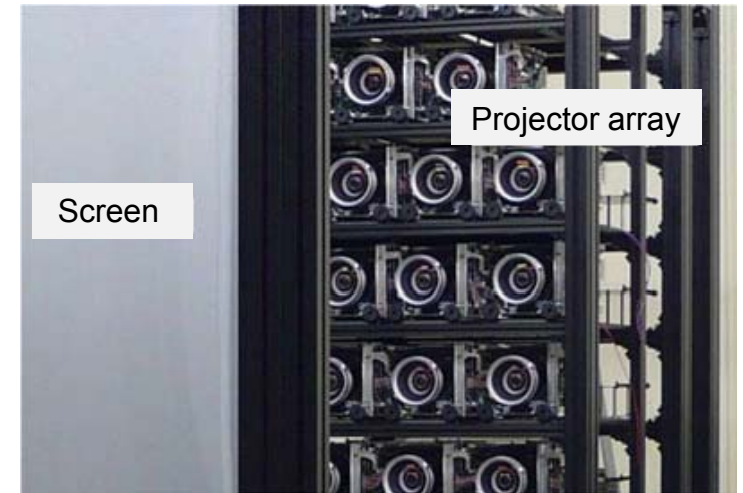
Seiko EPSON & TUAT Joint Development

C. van Berkel et al., Proc. SPIE 3012, 179 (1997) Y. Takaki, J. Soc. Inf. Display 18, 476 (2010)

Projection-type Multi-view Display



HoloVizio (Holografika)

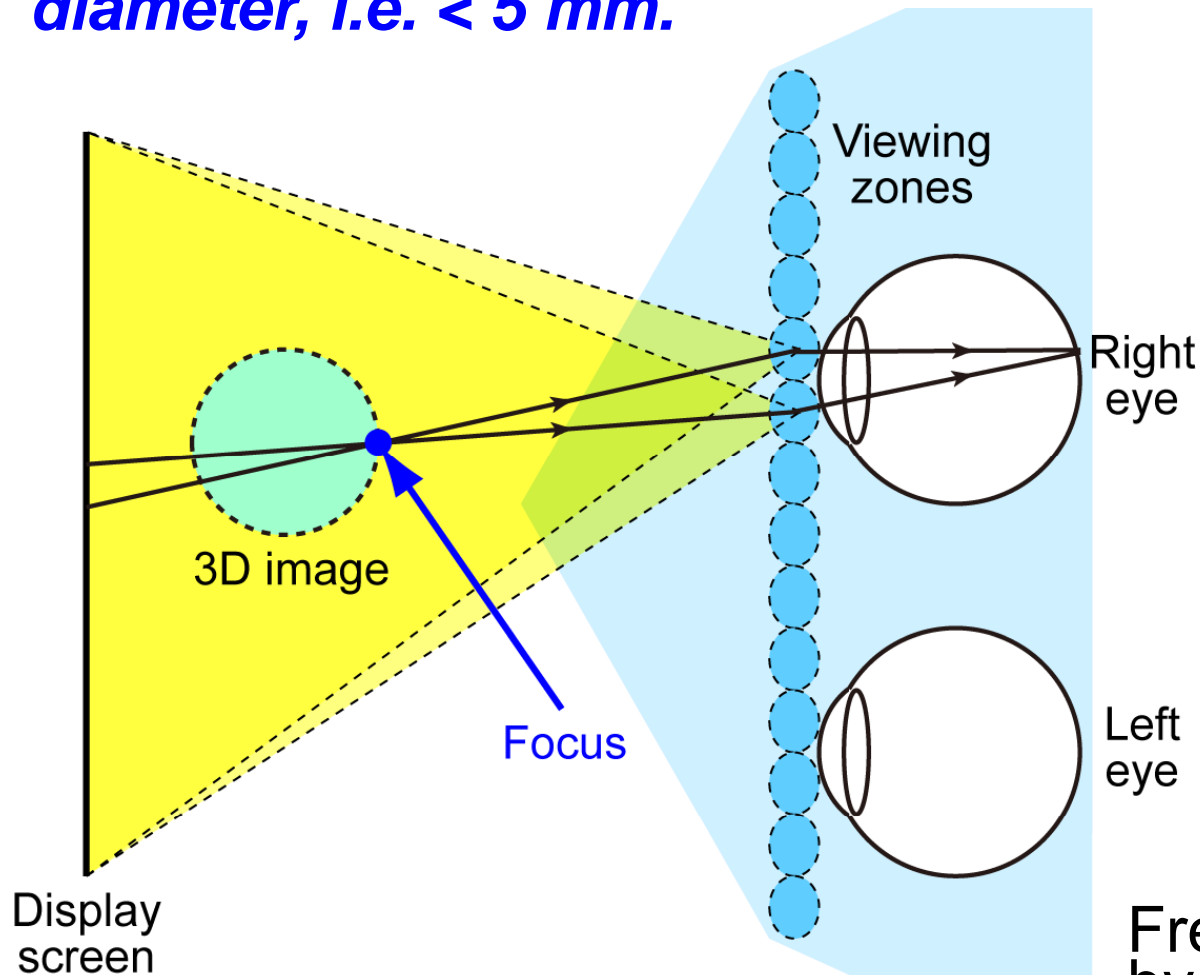


NICT, JAPAN, 2008

	Advantage	Disadvantage
Flat-panel System	Simple	Trade-off between resolution and number of views
Multi-projection System	Scalability	Complex

Super Multi-View Display

The interval of viewing zones is kept smaller than the pupil diameter, i.e. $< 5 \text{ mm}$.



Display screen

Required number of views:
> 50 ~ 100 (horizontal)

The fundamental idea:







“When two or more rays passing through the same point in space enter the pupil simultaneously, the eye focuses on that point.”

Extremely smooth motion parallax is obtained.

Vergence	○
Binocular disparity	○
Accommodation	○
Motion parallax	○

Free from visual fatigue caused by **“accommodation-vergence conflict.”**

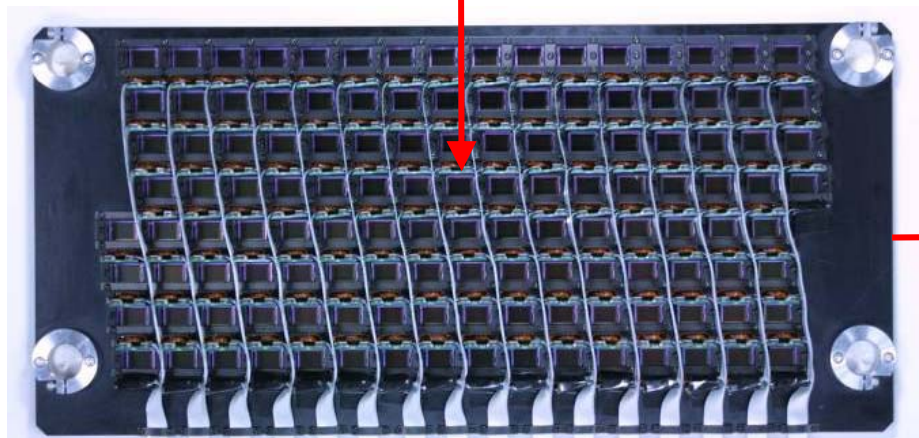
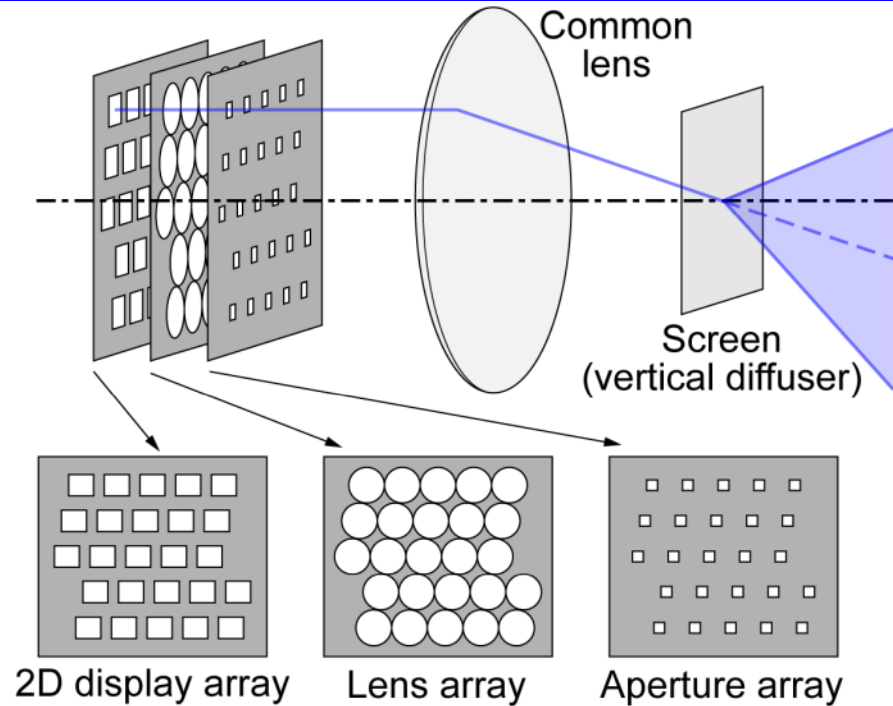
SMV(Super Multi-View) Displays

Number of views	64	128	128	72	72	30*
System type	Projection	Projection	Projection	Flat-panel	Flat-panel	Flat-panel
Horizontal ray angle pitch	0.34°	0.23°	0.28°	0.38°	0.38°	0.71°
Horizontal viewing angel	21.6°	29.6°	35.7°	27.6°	27.6°	21.2°
3D resolution	~QVGA	~QVGA	SVGA	320 × 400	640 × 400	256 × 128
Screen size	9.25"	13.2"	12.8"	22.2"	22.2"	7.2"
Photo						

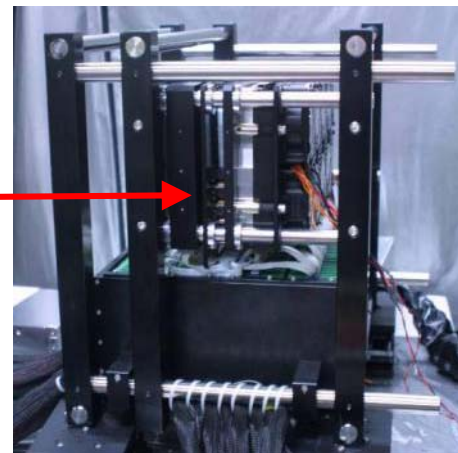
* Joint-development with NTT DoCoMo

128-view QVGA Display

0.44" color LCD
Resolution: ~QVGA
(SONY LCX033AK)



16×8 LCD Panels in
Modified 2D Arrangement



Optical Engine

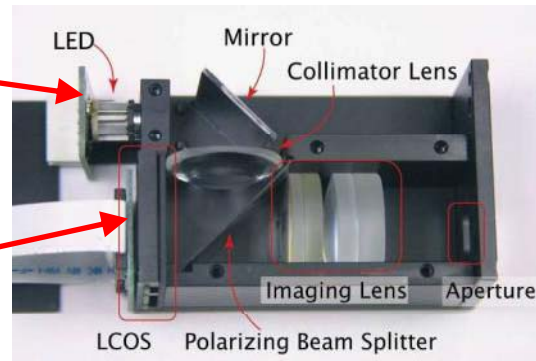


Display System

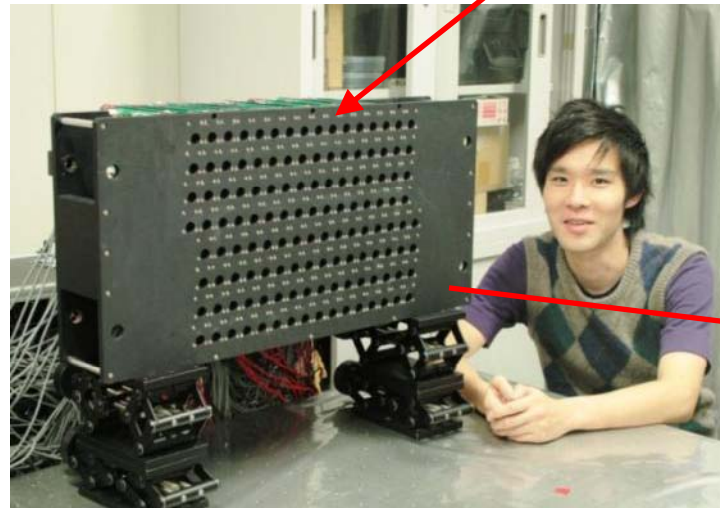
128-view SVGA Display

RGB LED
Nichia, NSSM016CT

0.49" LCOS
MD800(MicroDisplay Tec.)
Resolution : 800 × 600
Frame Rate: 180 Hz
(Field Sequential Color)



Small Projector Unit
26 × 38 × 63 mm³



16 × 8 Projector Units
in Modified 2D Arrangement



Display System

3D Images by 64-view QVGA Display



3D image with absolute depth position



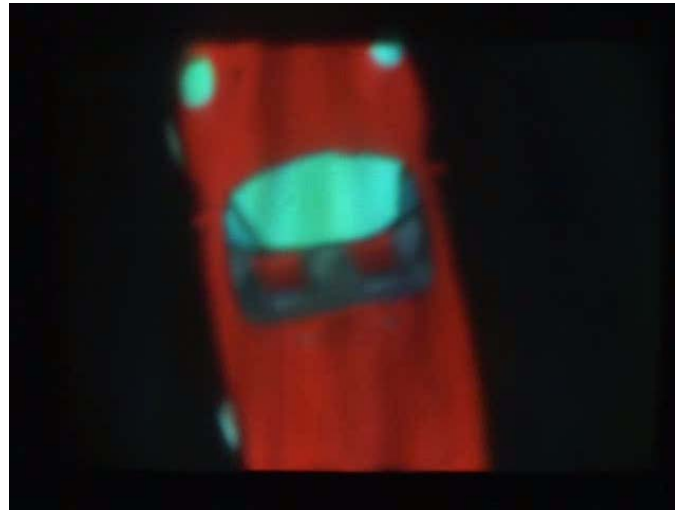
Wide observation depth range



Focus changes between body and wing

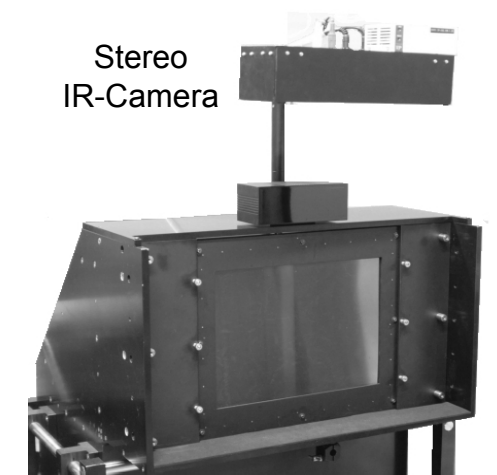
Y. Takaki, Proc. IEEE **94**, 654 (2006)

3D Images by 128-view QVGA Display



Interactive Manipulation of 3D images

PC Cluster for Real-Time 3D Image Generation



Fingertip Manipulation

3D Drawing by Fingertip

Fingertip Detection System

72-view Display

72-view Half-VGA Display

High-resolution LCD



Slanted lenticular lens



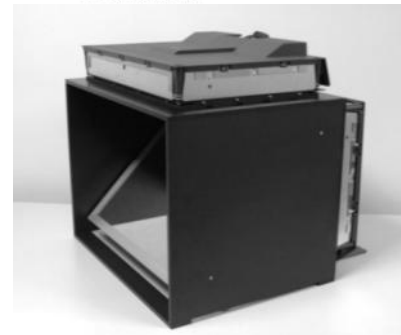
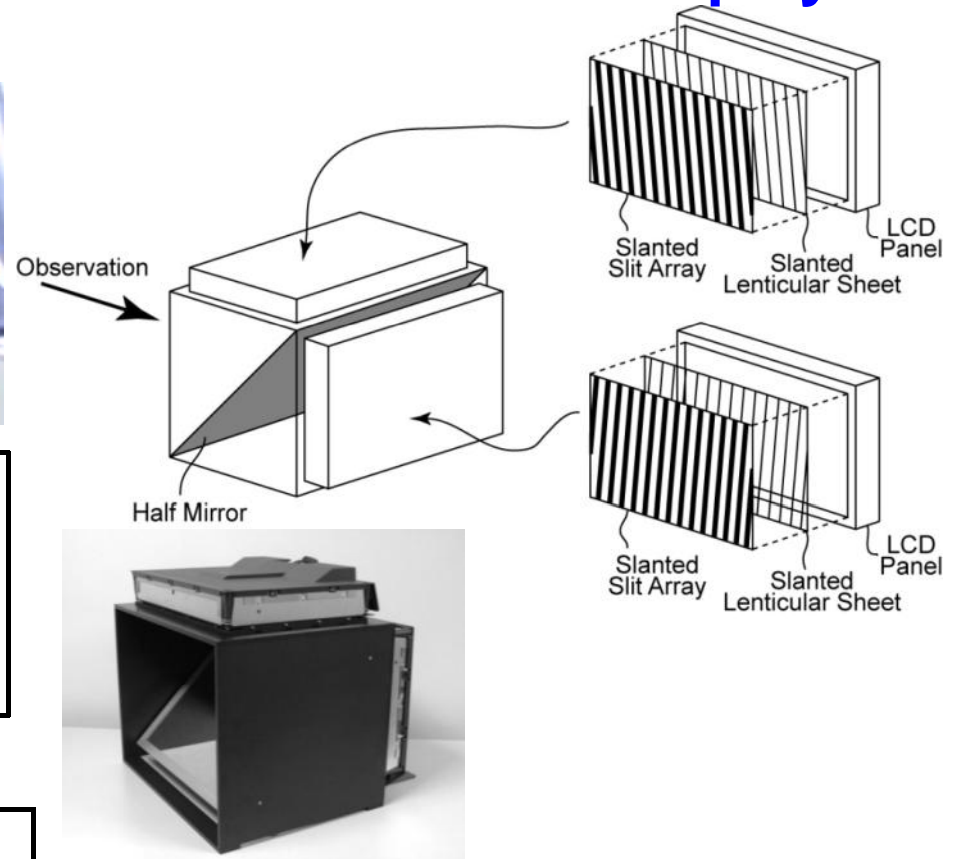
Resolution	3,840 × 2,400 (WQUXGA)
Pixel pitch	0.1245 mm
Screen	22.2"

Number of lenses	320
Lens pitch	1.494 mm
Slant angle	9.46°



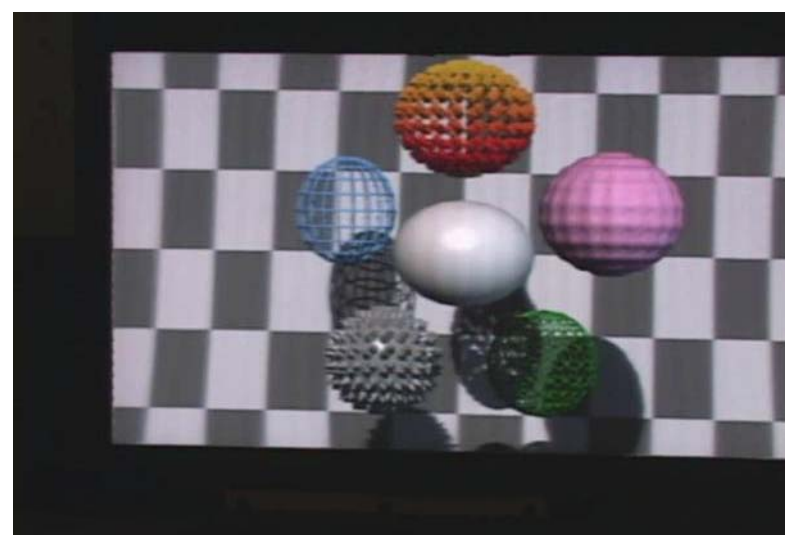
Number of views	72
3D resolution	320 × 400
Horizontal ray angle pitch	0.38°

72-view VGA Display

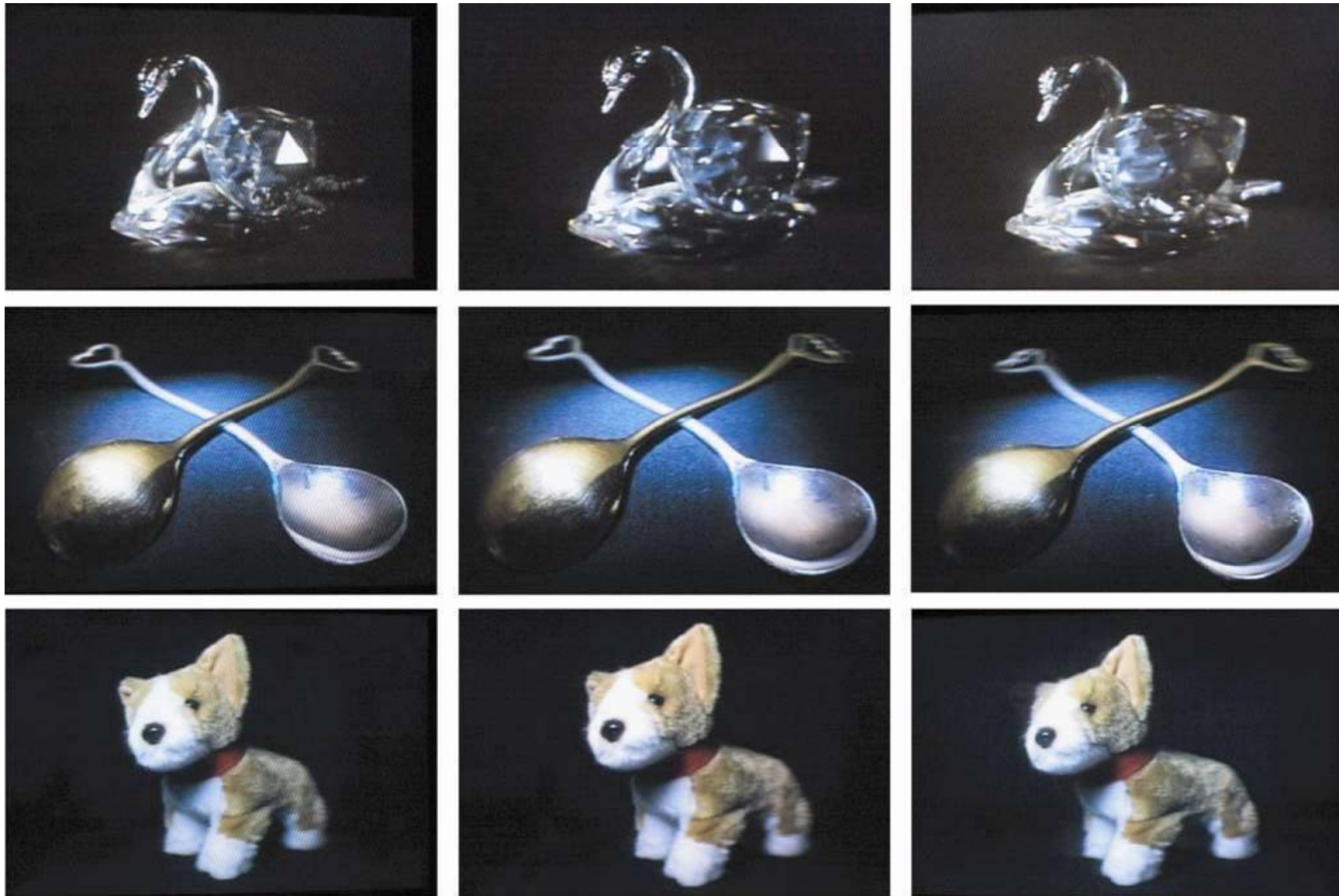


Number of views	72
3D resolution	640 × 400
Horizontal ray angle pitch	0.38°

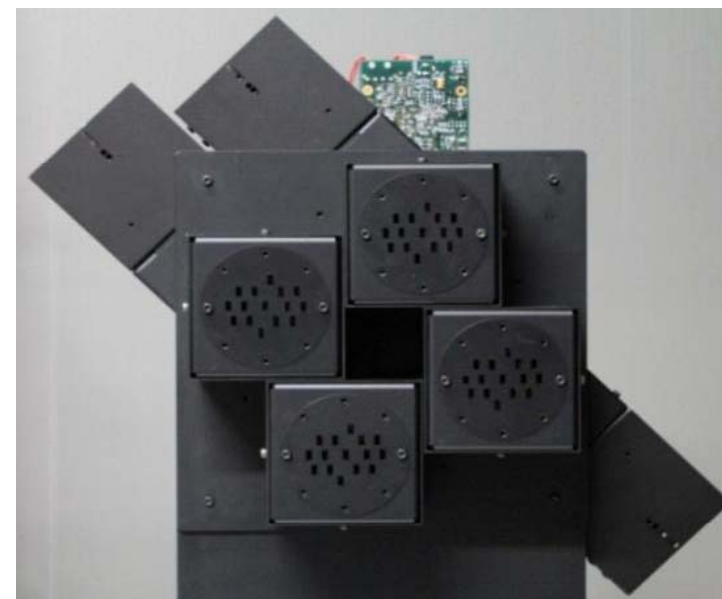
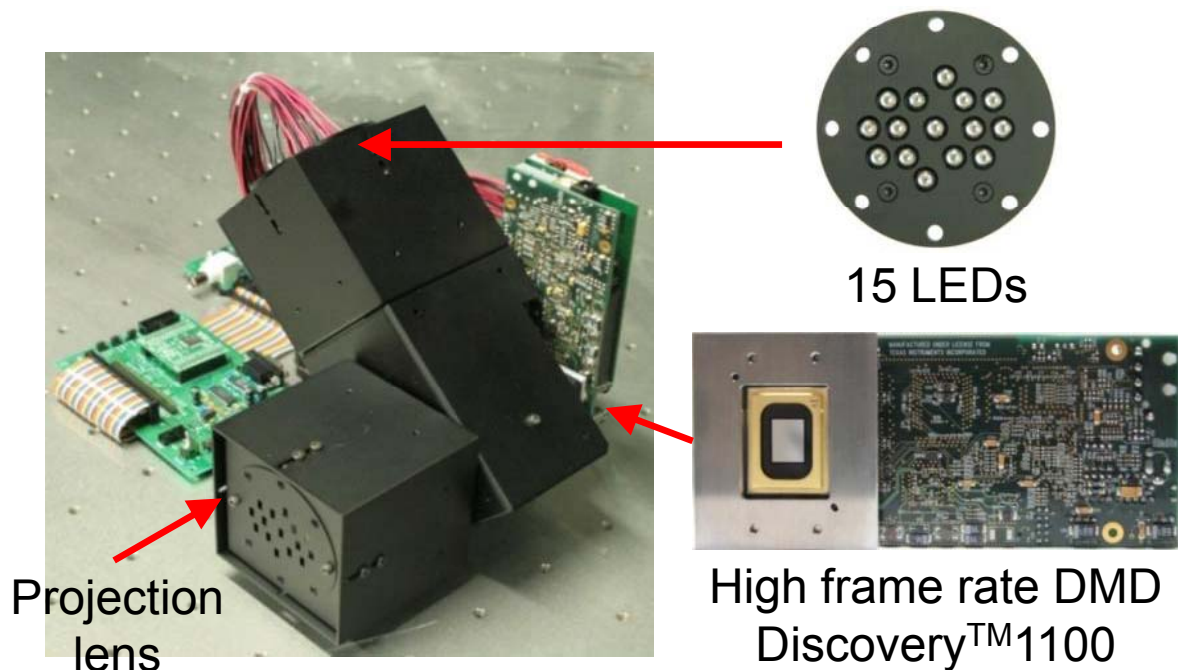
3D Images by 72-view Half-VGA Display



3D Images by 72-view VGA Display



Time-multiplexed Display Module



Time-multiplexed Display Module

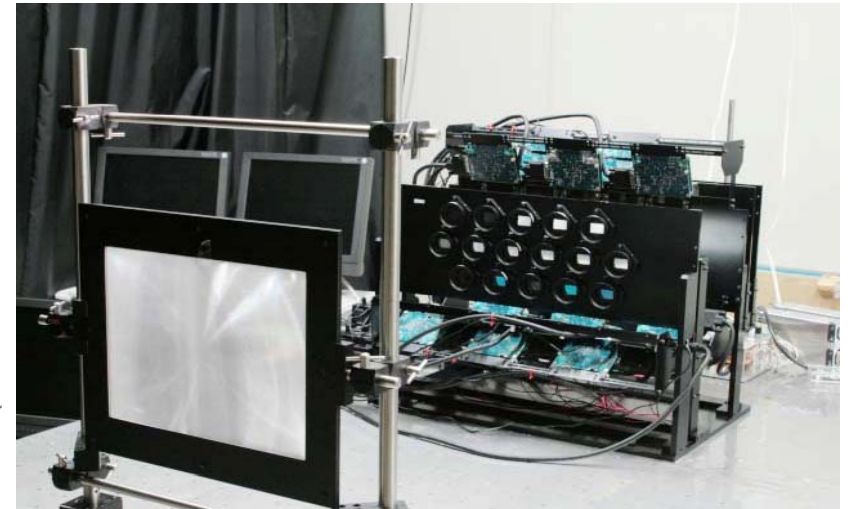
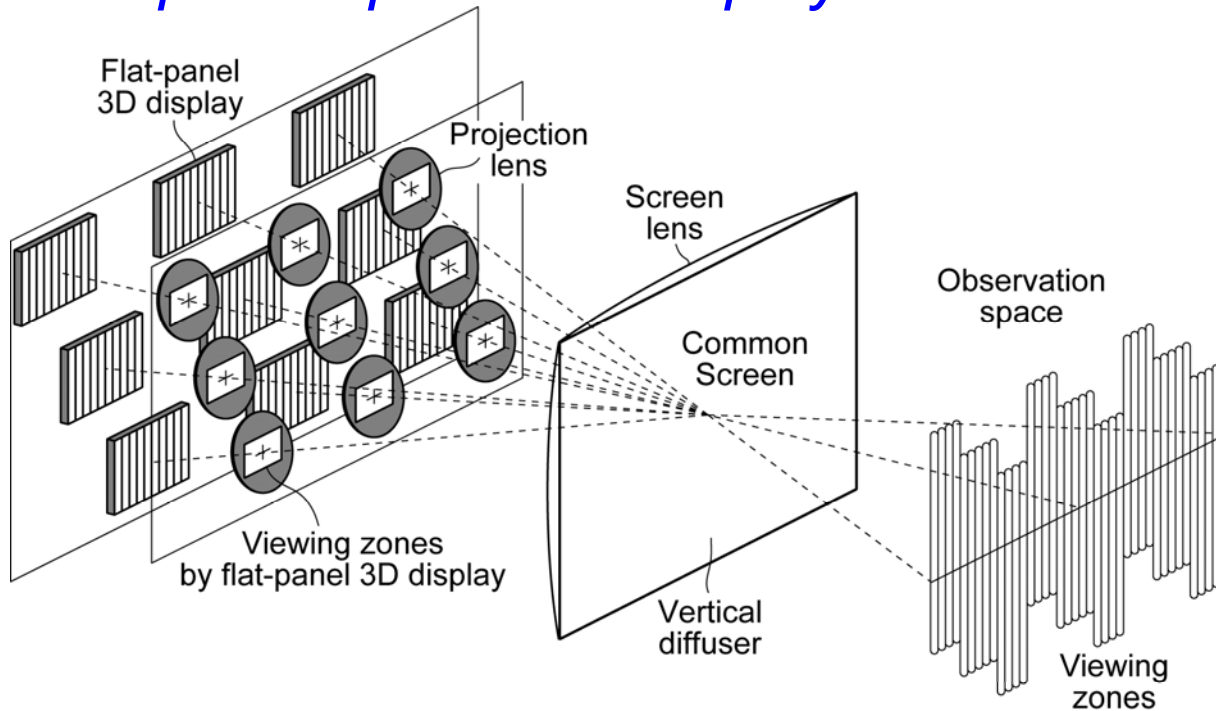
Optical Engine

Number of images	15
Resolution	XGA
Frame rate	60 fps
Number of gray levels	5 bits
Frame rate of DMD	900 fps
Number of LEDs	15

Number of images	60
Horizontal display angle pitch	0.31°
Horizontal viewing angle	18.3°
Resolution	XGA
Frame rate	60 fps
Number of modules	4

SMV256 (SMV Display with 256 Views) 23

Multiple flat-panel 3D displays are combined by multi projection system.

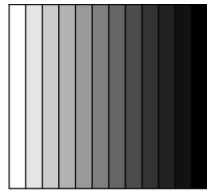


Number of views	256
3D resolution	256 × 192
Screen size	10.3 in.
Interval of views	1.31 mm
Number of flat-panel 3D displays	16
Number of views of flat-panel 3D displays	16

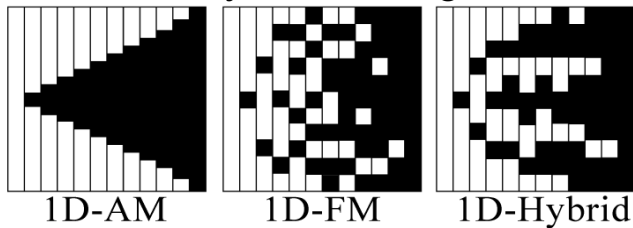
Y. Takaki et al., Opt. Express **18**, 8824 (2010)

Applications of SMV Technique

3D Print



Gray scale image



1D Screening Method

that can generate 48~60 images

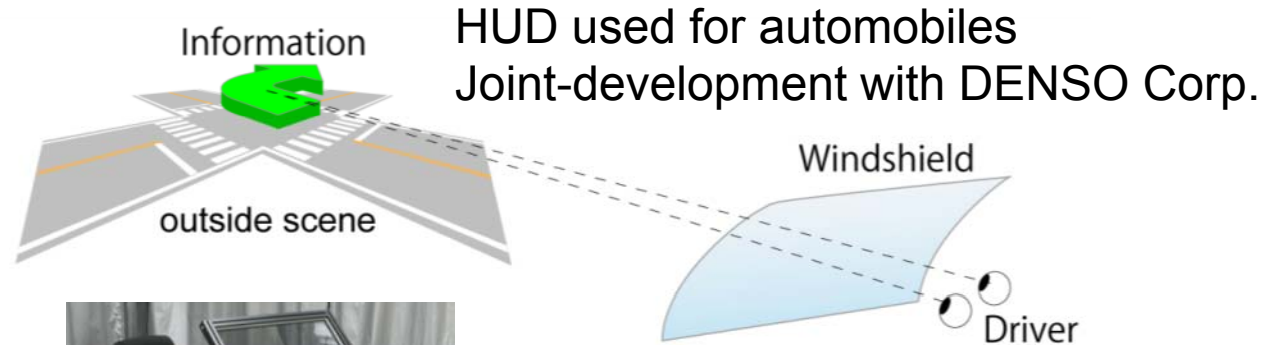


DynaCube 3D™

(Commercialized by DNP Co., Ltd.)

Jpn.J.Appl.Phys. 47, 5486 (2008)

SMV Windshield Display



HUD used for automobiles

Joint-development with DENSO Corp.



36-view SMV-WSD

Motion parallax is the last physiological cue to perceive the depth of long-distance 3D images.

Will be presented at Session "Auto stereoscopic display II" (Wednesday)

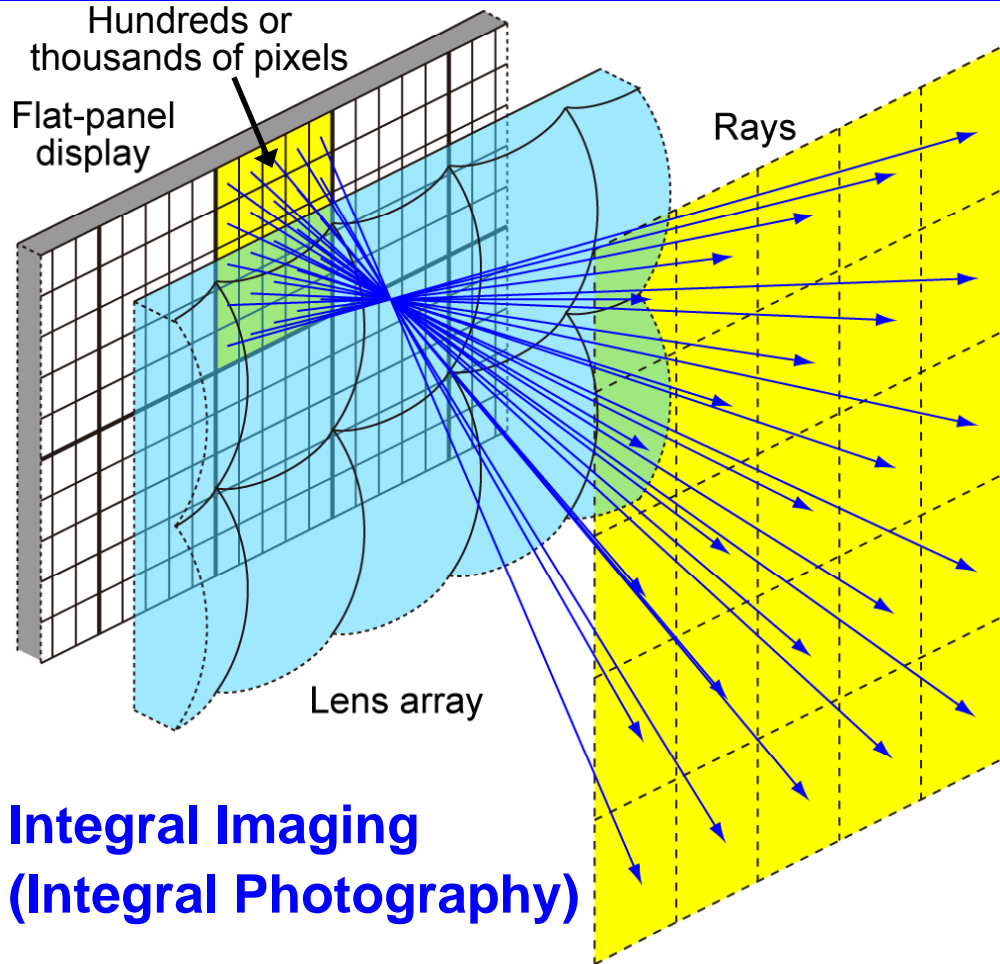


5 m



20 m

Ray reconstruction: Full-parallax-type

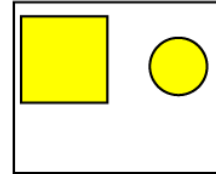


Integral Imaging (Integral Photography)

Full parallax (horizontal +vertical parallax) is provided.

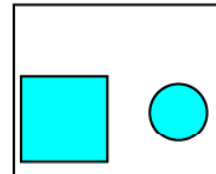
Extremely high resolution is required for the flat-panel display.

Upper left image



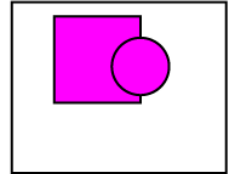
displayed by yellow pixels

Lower left image



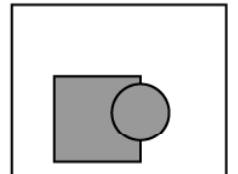
displayed by cyan pixels

Upper right image

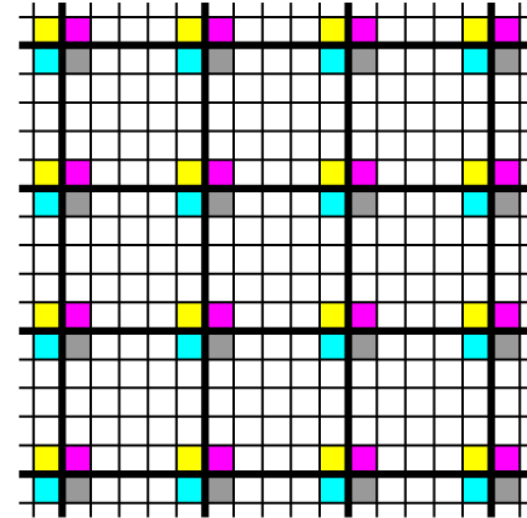


displayed by magenta pixels

Lower right image



displayed by gray pixels



Flat-panel display

Vergence ○

Binocular disparity ○

Accommodation ×*

Motion parallax Δ*

* ○ if SMV condition was satisfied.

Integral Imaging Display Systems

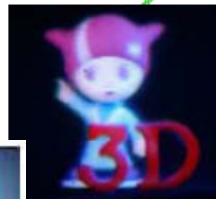
NHK

Developing as a future TV

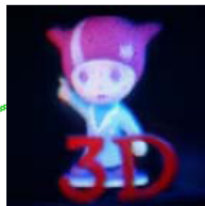


Lens Array
400 × 250

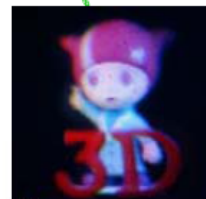
Super HD
Projector
7,680 × 4,320



左視点



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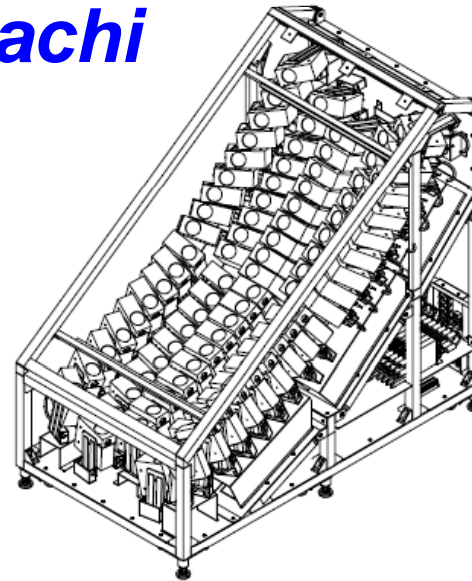


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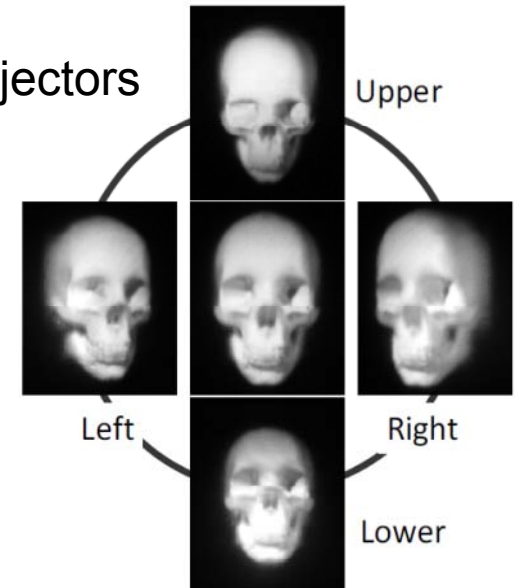


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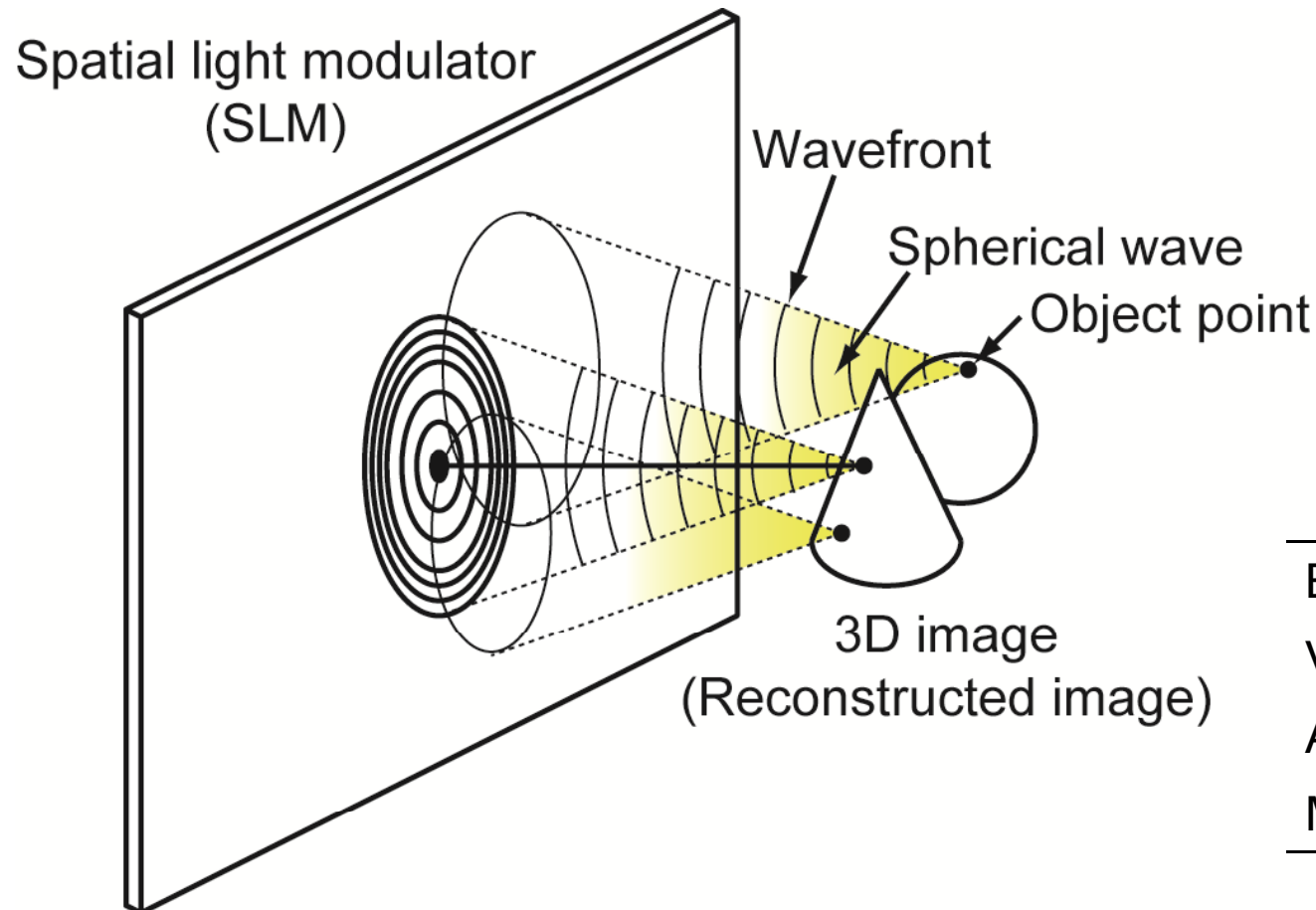
Projector array
93 Sets of SVGA Projectors



Wavefront Reconstruction: Holography

Holography is an ideal 3D display technique.

Because holography reconstructs the wavefront of light, physically accurate 3D images can be produced.



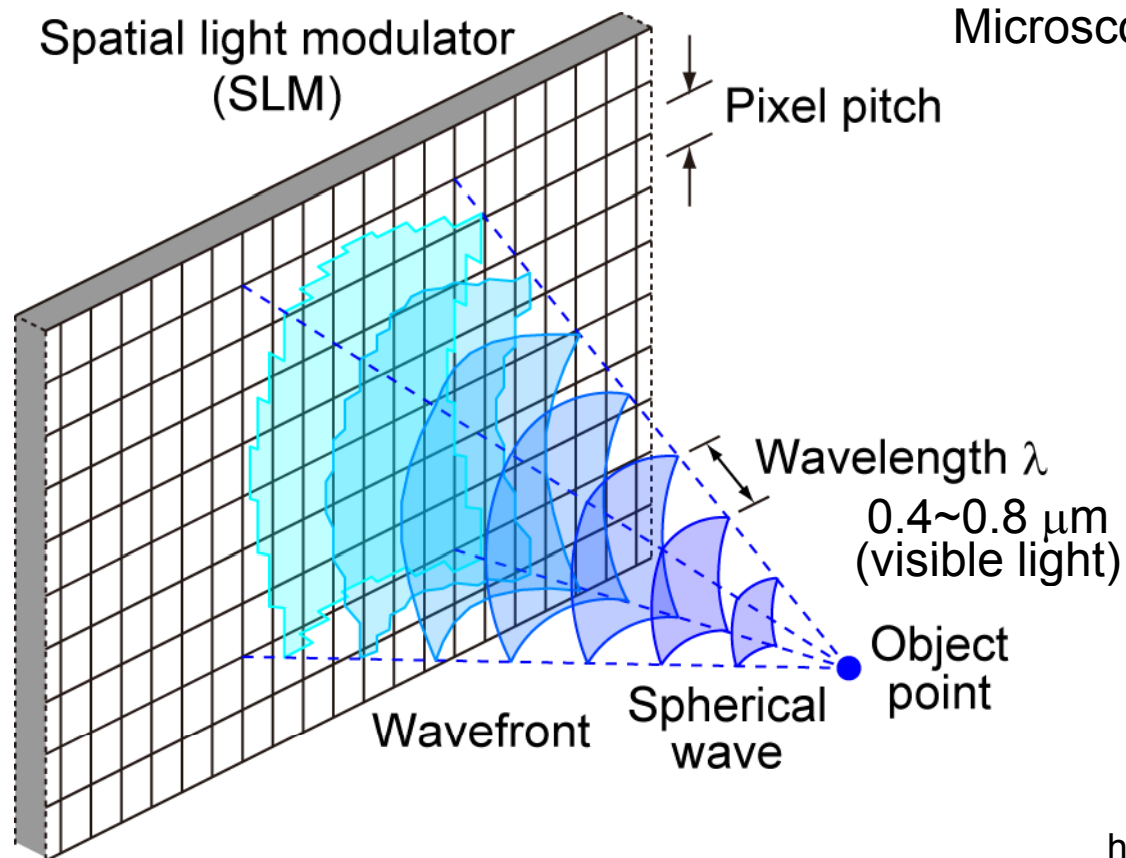
Binocular disparity ○

Vergence ○

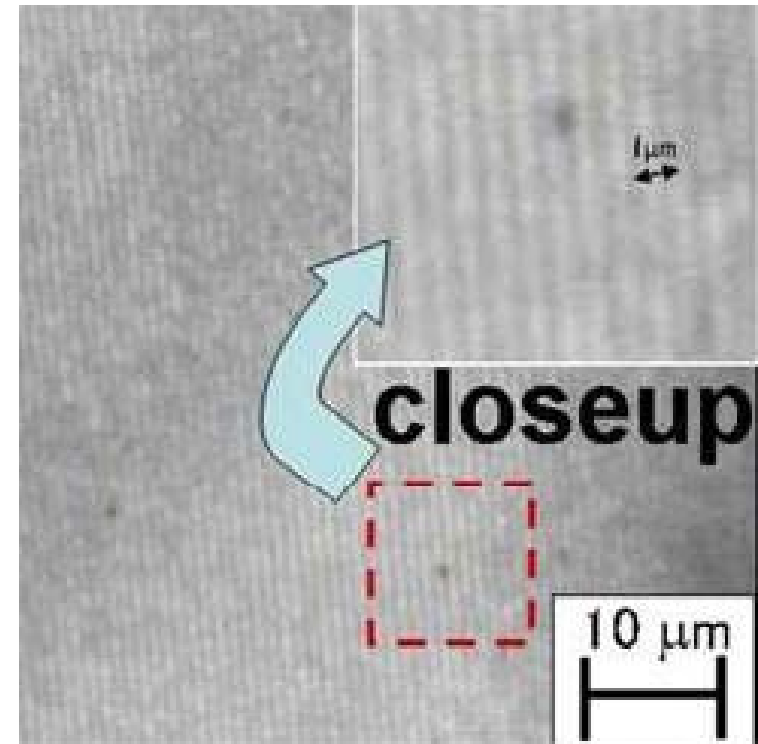
Accommodation ○

Motion parallax ○

Requirements for SLM



Microscopic image of optically recorded hologram



<http://www.maglab.eee.tut.ac.jp/research-magholo.html>

The pixel pitch of SLM needs to be $\sim 1 \mu\text{m}$.

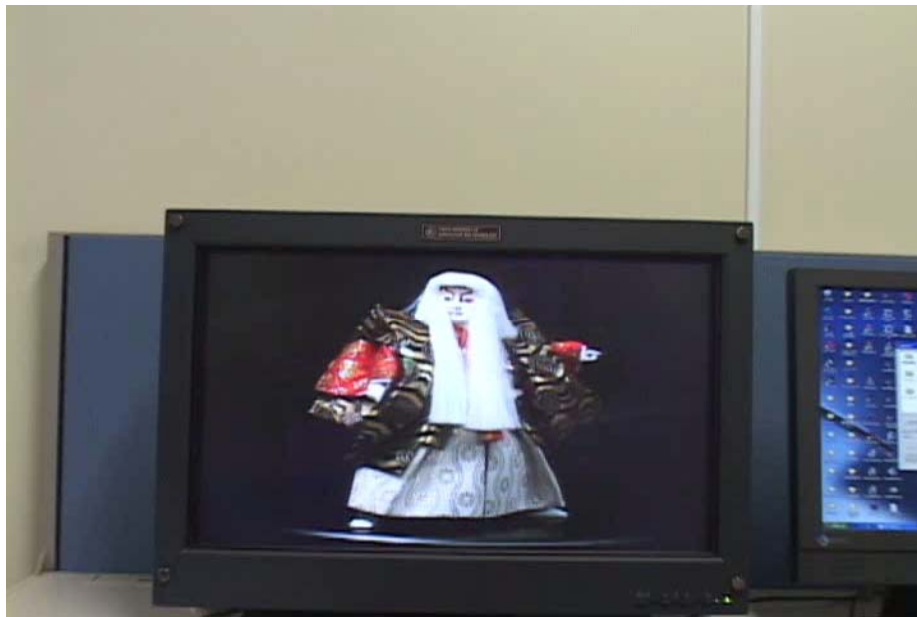
To increase the screen size, the number of pixels must be proportionally increased.

SLM requires an extremely high resolution.

Ray-reconstruction v.s. Wavefront-reconstruction

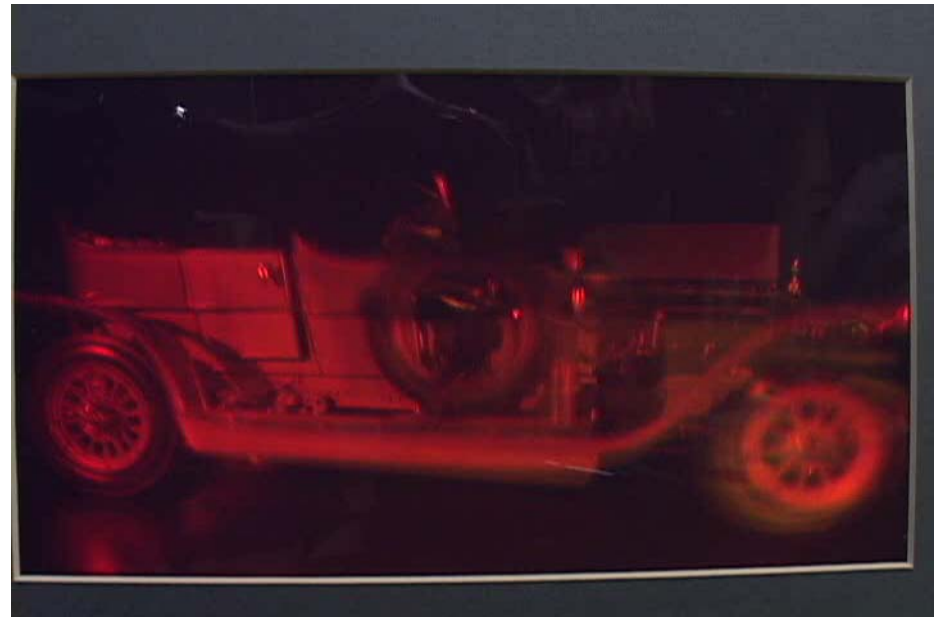
Holography has the potential to provide very sharp 3D images, because light converges to generate very small spots in space.

Ray-reconstruction



Lenticular display

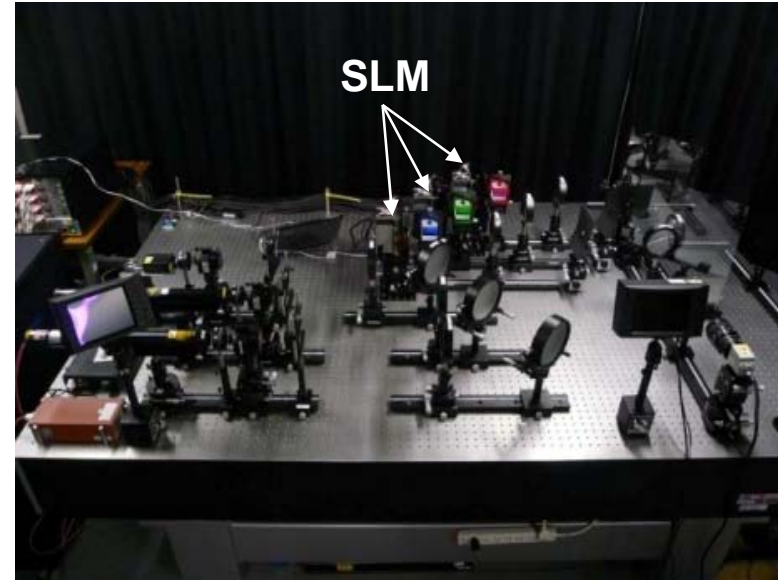
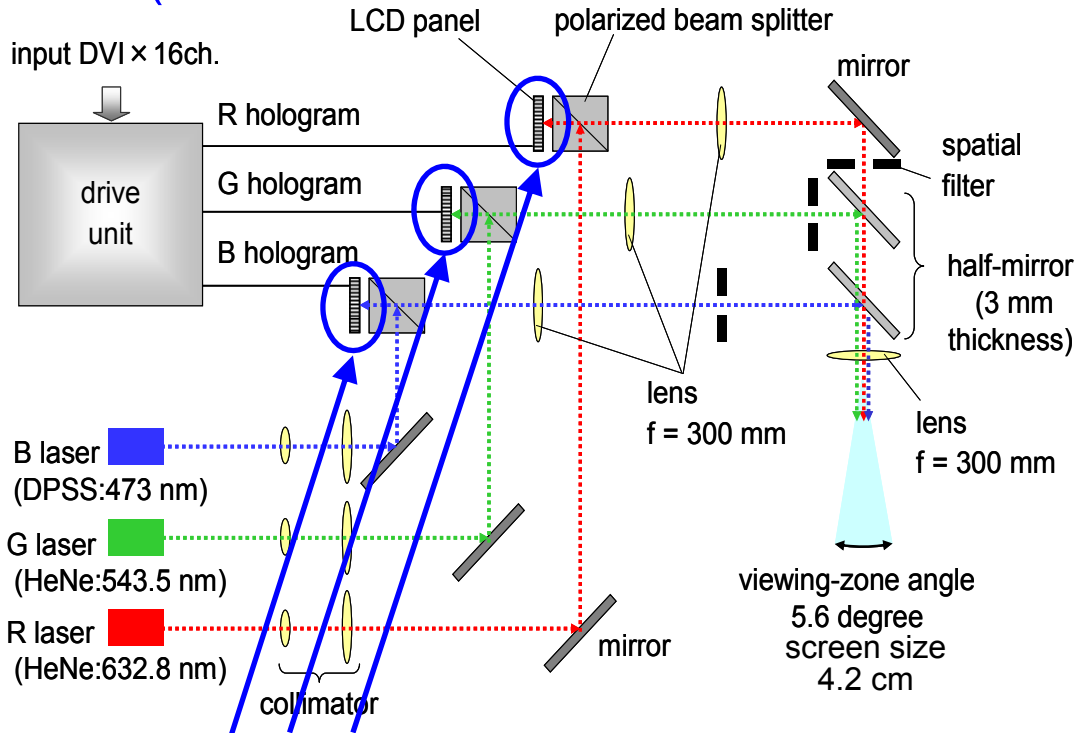
Wavefront-reconstruction



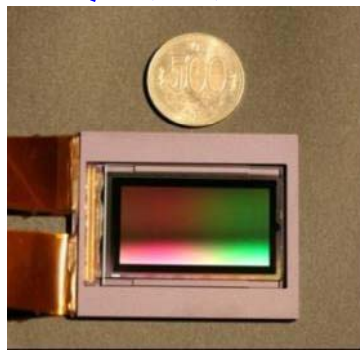
Optical hologram
Not electronic hologram

Electronic Holography Using 8k4k SLM

NICT (National Institute of Information and Communications Technology, Japan)



Experimental System



8k4k SLM

Pixel pitch: 4.8 μ m
Resolution: 7,680 \times 4,320

Viewing zone angle: 5.6°
Screen size: 1.7 inches

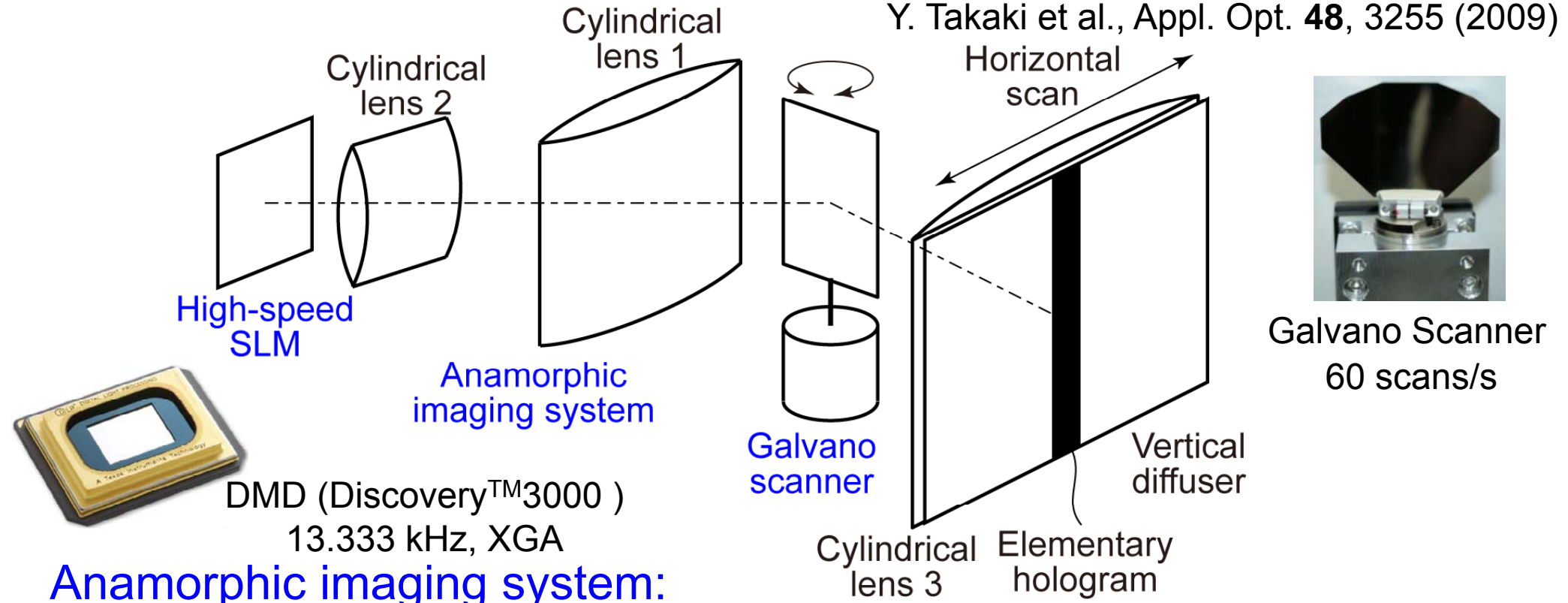


Color reconstructed image

Horizontal-parallax Holography

Horizontally Scanning Holography by TUAT

Y. Takaki et al., Appl. Opt. **48**, 3255 (2009)



Anamorphic imaging system:

Horizontal: reduce pixel pitch →

Vertical: increase image height

Horizontal Scanning:

Increase image width

Viewing zone angle increases

Pixel pitch: 2.5 μm
Viewing zone angle: 15°

Screen size enlarges

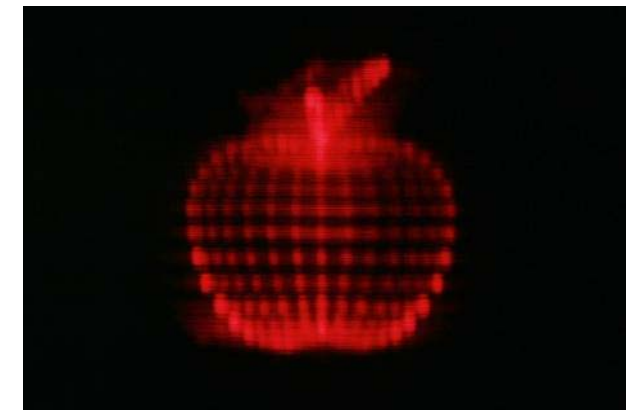
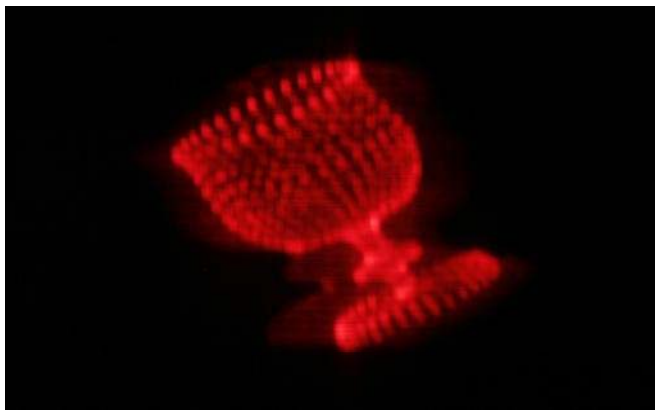
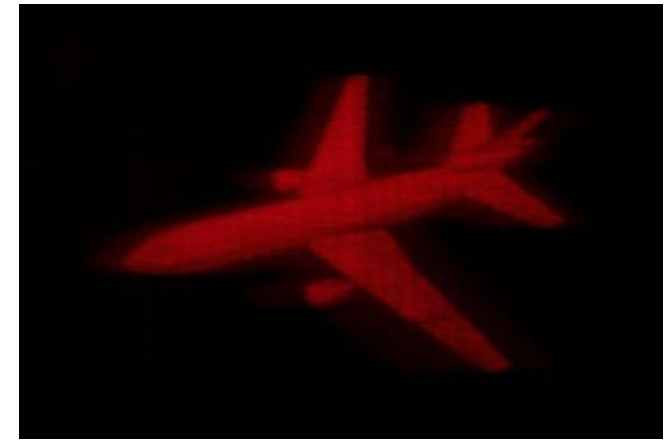
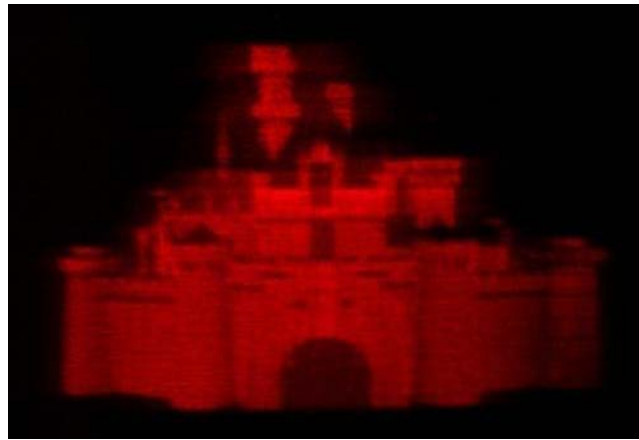
Screen size: 4.1 inches

Reconstructed Images

Viewing zone angle: 15°

Screen size: 4.1 inches

Frame rate: 60 Hz



Summary

Next-generation 3D displays should be glasses-free and reasonably satisfy physiological factors of human 3D perception.

The most promising technologies are multi-view, super multi-view, and integral imaging displays.

Holography, which produces physically accurate 3D images, provides the ultimate 3D display.

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