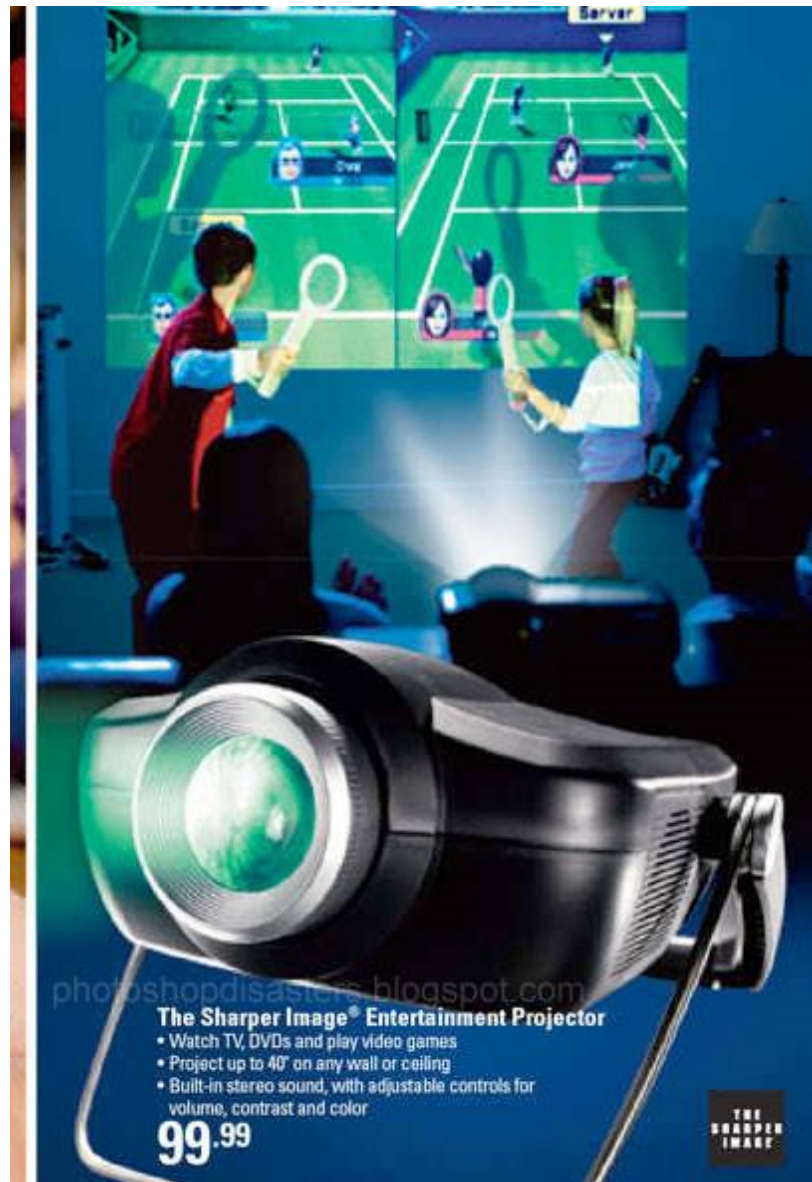




What is wrong with this picture?



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Recap from Lecture 2

Pinhole camera model

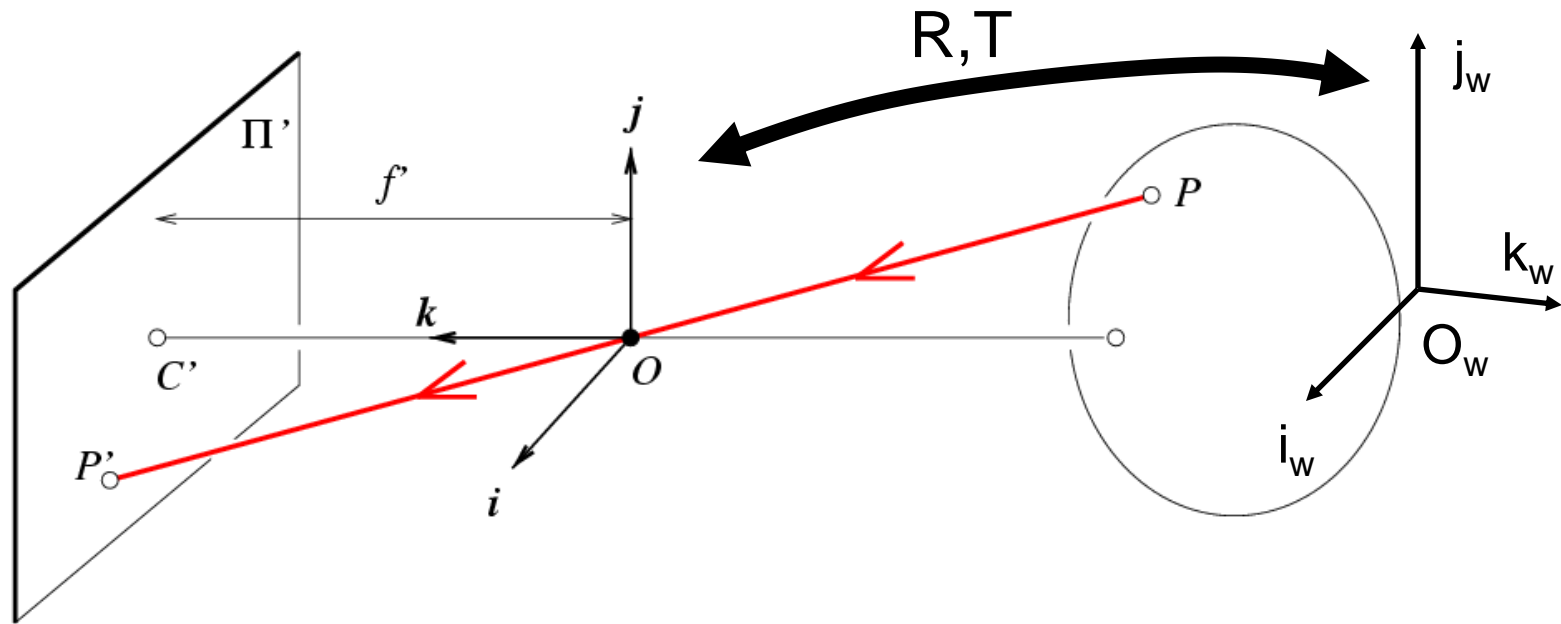
Perspective projections

Focal length and field of view

Remember to use your textbook:

Chapter 2 of Szeliski

Recap - Projection matrix



$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{K} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{R} & \mathbf{t} \end{bmatrix} \mathbf{X}$$

\mathbf{x} : Image Coordinates: $(u, v, 1)$

\mathbf{K} : Intrinsic Matrix (3×3)

\mathbf{R} : Rotation (3×3)

\mathbf{t} : Translation (3×1)

\mathbf{X} : World Coordinates: $(X, Y, Z, 1)$

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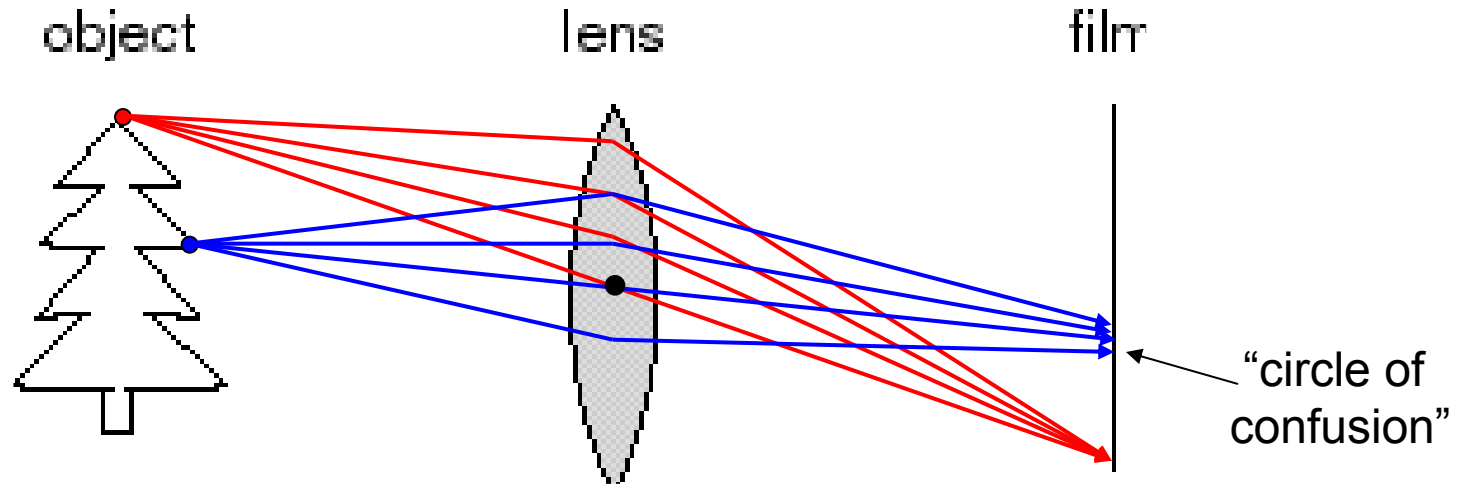
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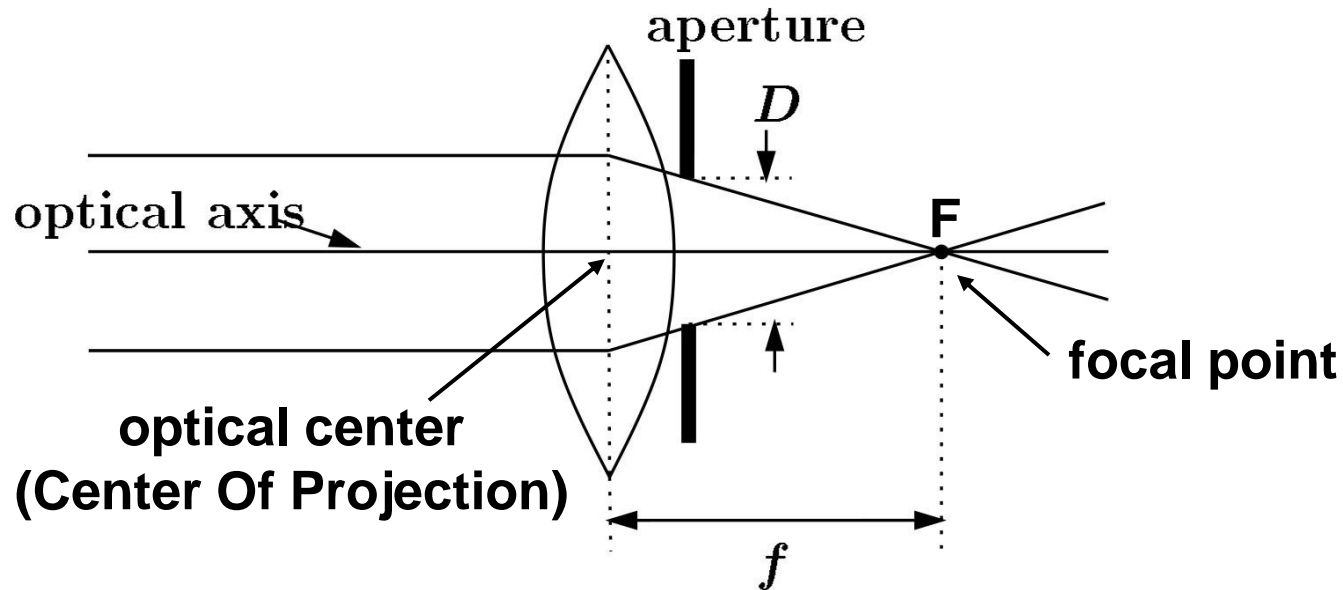
Adding a lens



A lens focuses light onto the film

- There is a specific distance at which objects are “in focus”
 - other points project to a “circle of confusion” in the image
- Changing the shape of the lens changes this distance

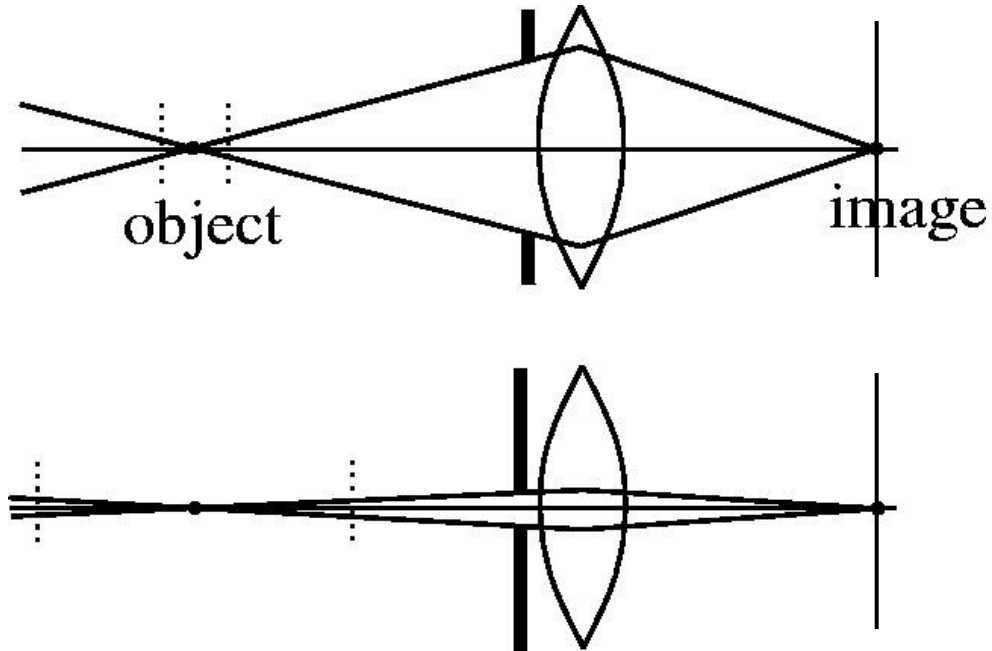
Focal length, aperture, depth of field



A lens focuses parallel rays onto a single focal point

- focal point at a distance f beyond the plane of the lens
- Aperture of diameter D restricts the range of rays

Depth of field



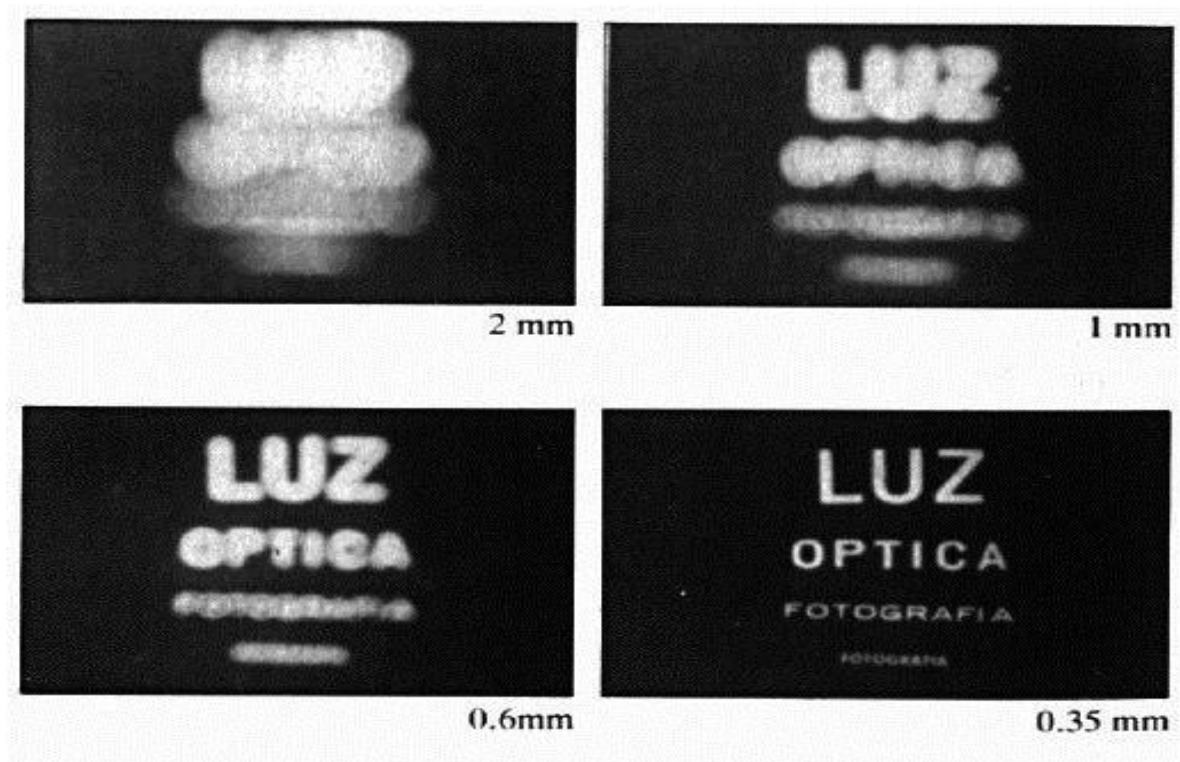
$f/5.6$



$f/32$

Changing the aperture size or focal length affects depth of field

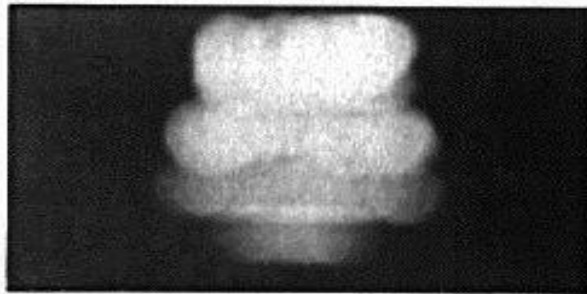
Shrinking the aperture



Why not make the aperture as small as possible?

- Less light gets through
- Diffraction effects

Shrinking the aperture



2 mm



1 mm



0.6mm



0.35 mm

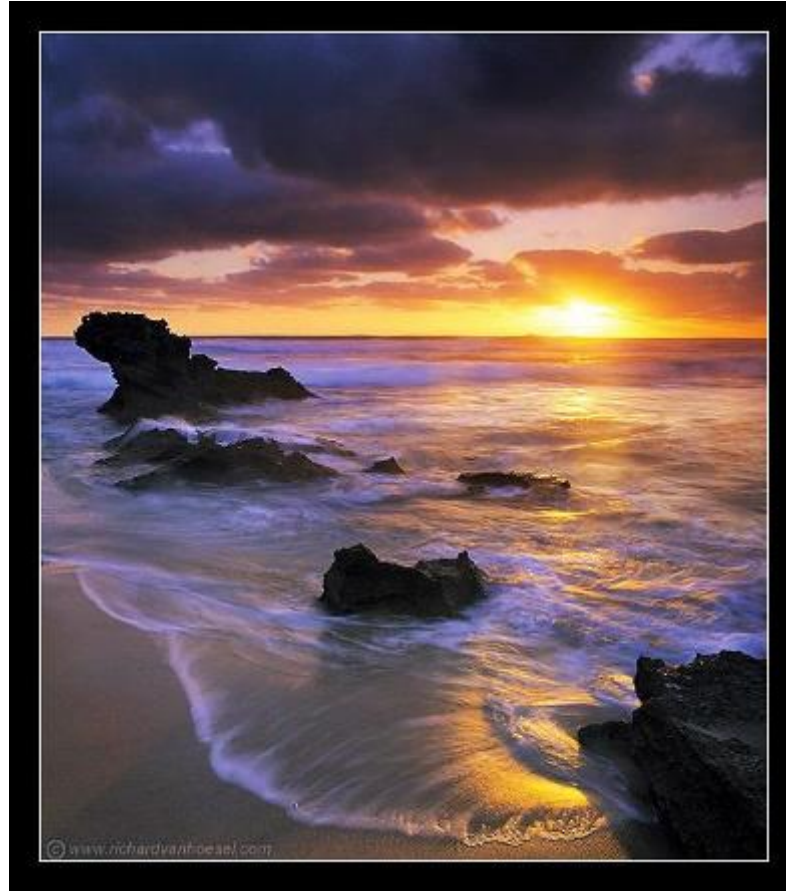


0.15 mm



0.07 mm

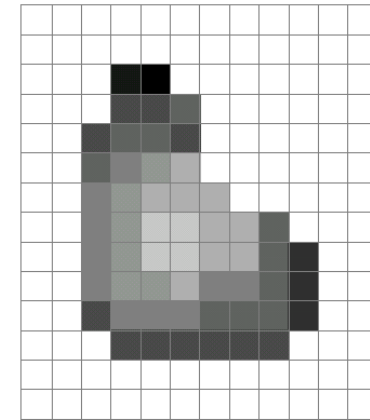
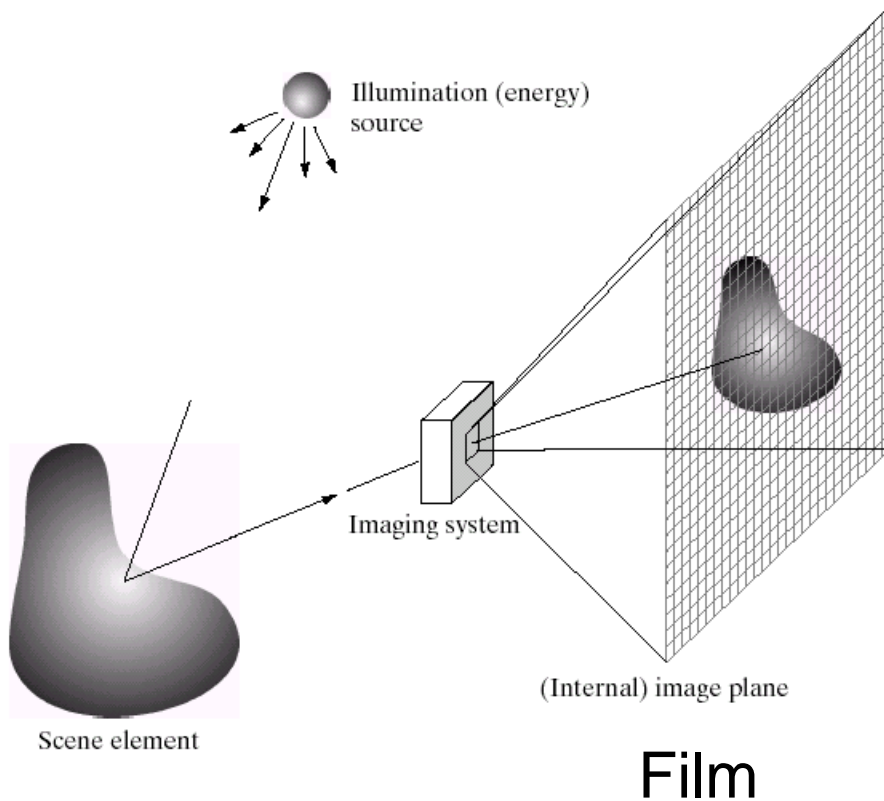
Capturing Light... in man and machine



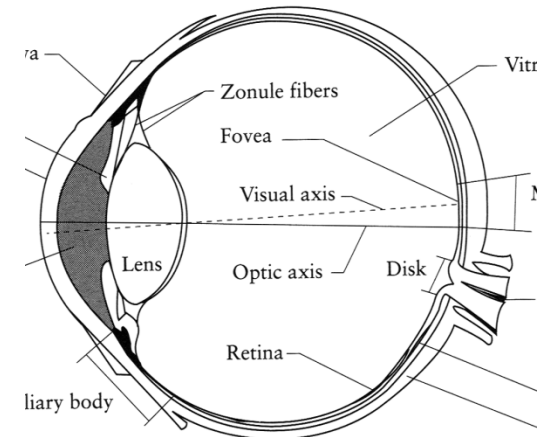
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James Hays, Brown, Fall 2013

Image Formation



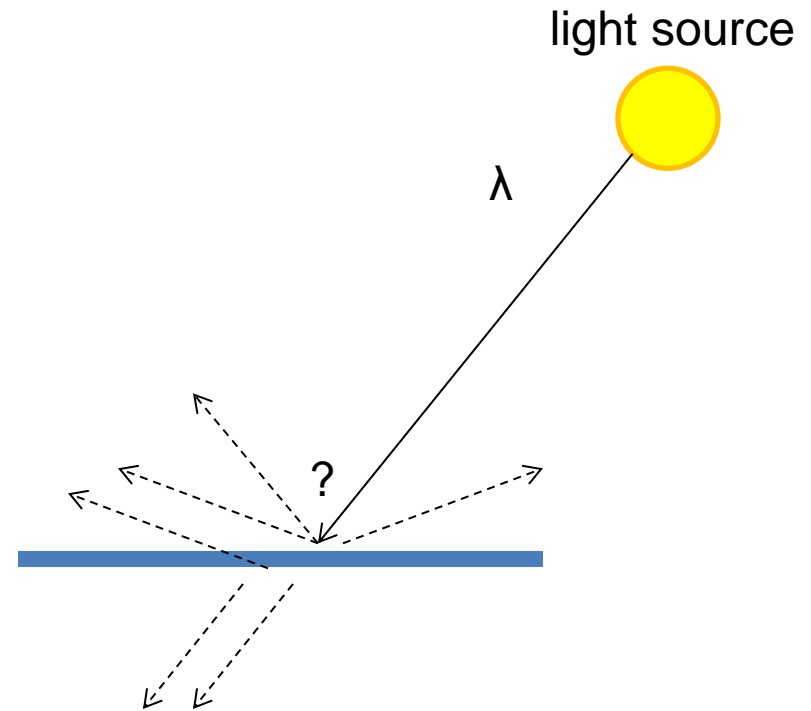
Digital Camera



The Eye

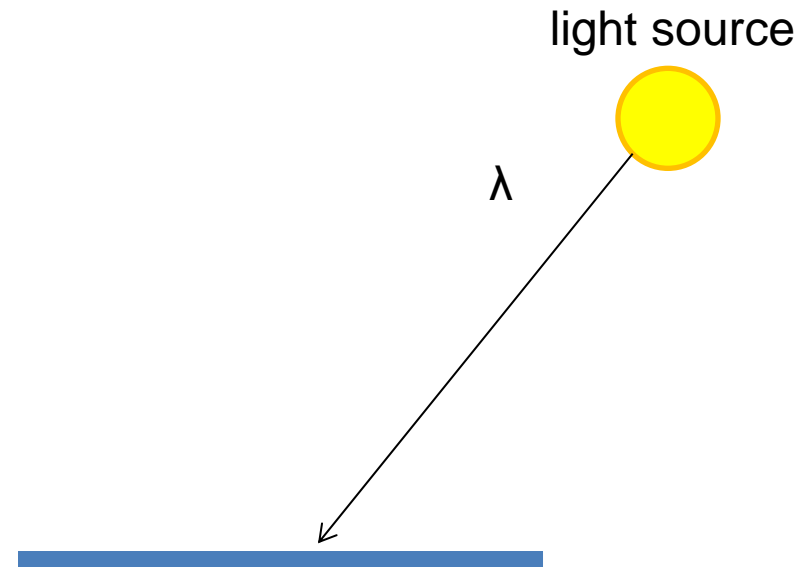
A photon's life choices

- Absorption
- Diffusion
- Reflection
- Transparency
- Refraction
- Fluorescence
- Subsurface scattering
- Phosphorescence
- Interreflection



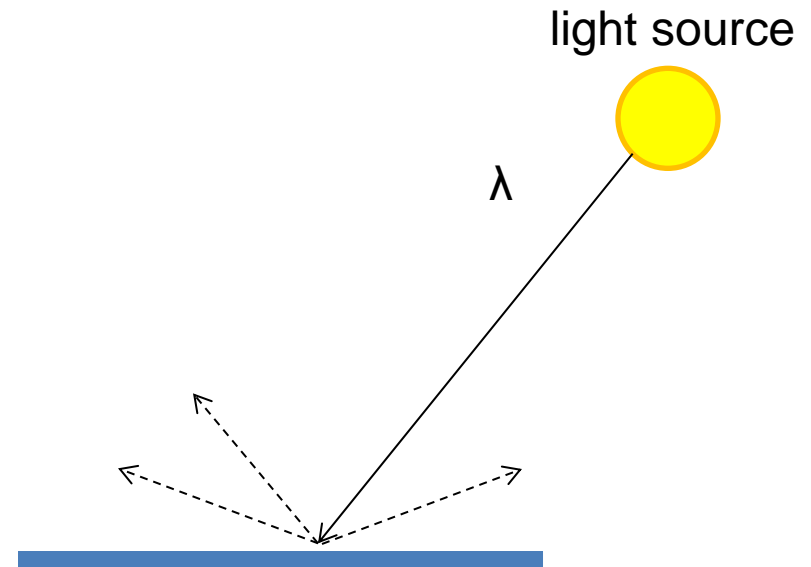
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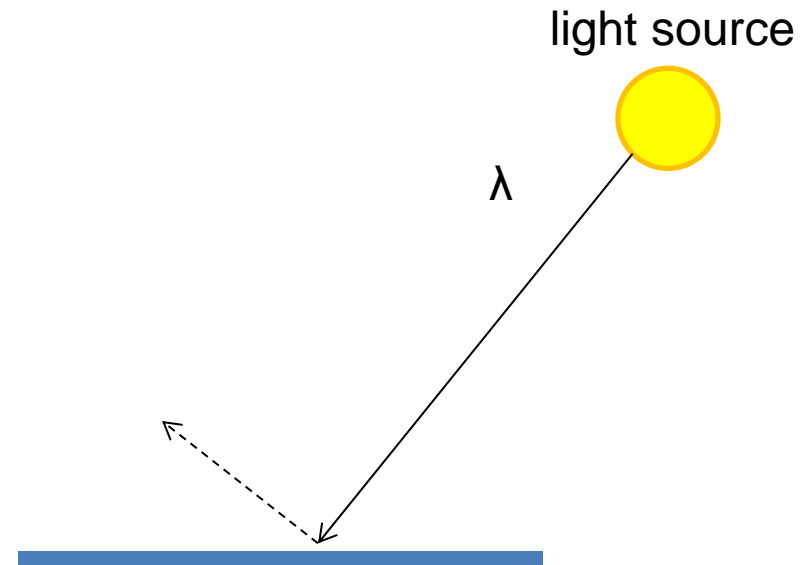
A photon's life choices

- Absorption
- **Diffuse Reflection**
- Reflection
- Transparency
- Refraction
- Fluorescence
- Subsurface scattering
- Phosphorescence
- Interreflection



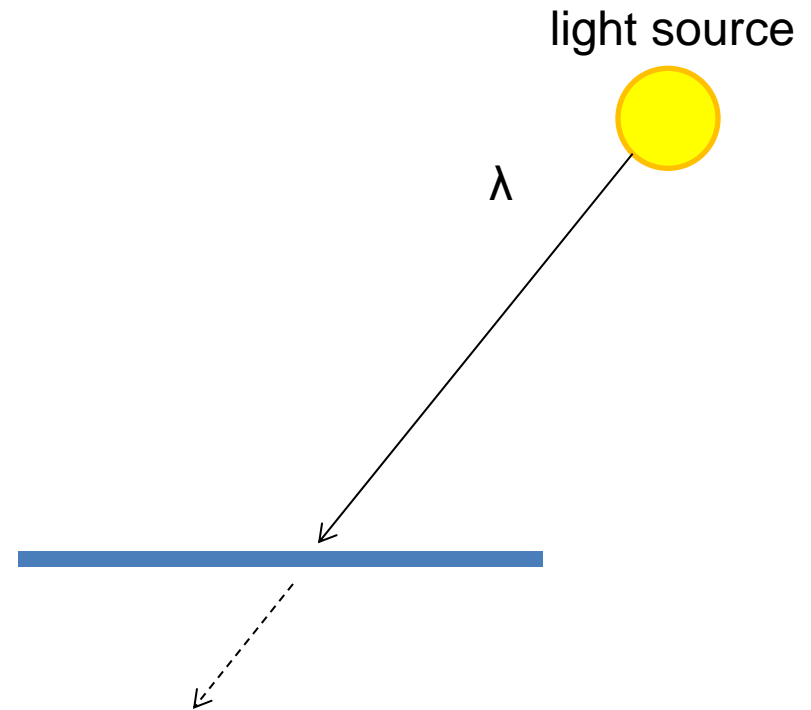
A photon's life choices

- Absorption
- Diffusion
- **Specular Reflection**
- Transparency
- Refraction
- Fluorescence
- Subsurface scattering
- Phosphorescence
- Interreflection



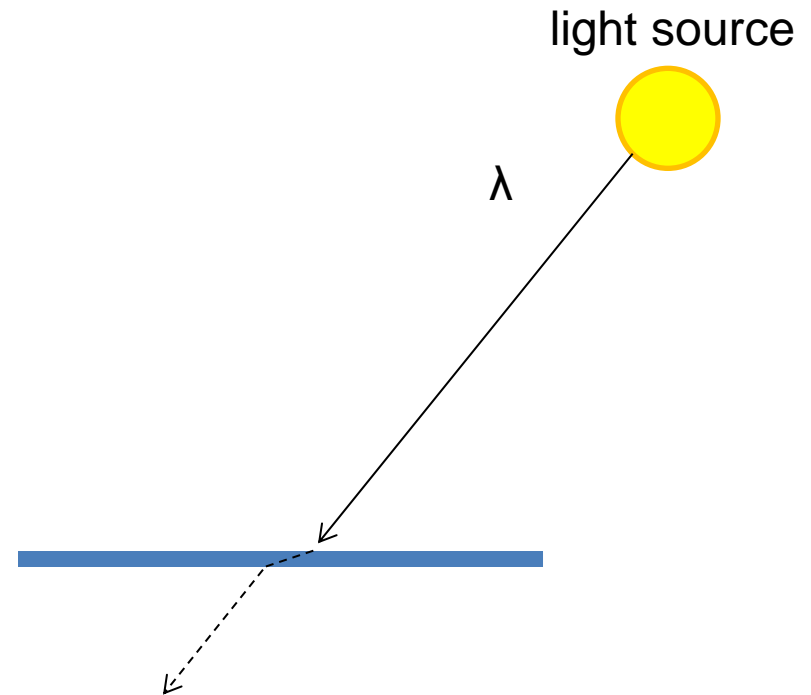
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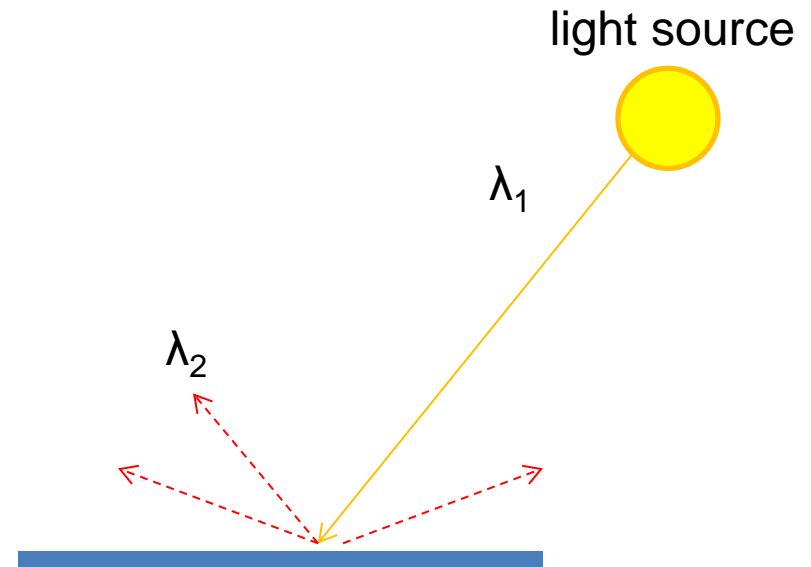
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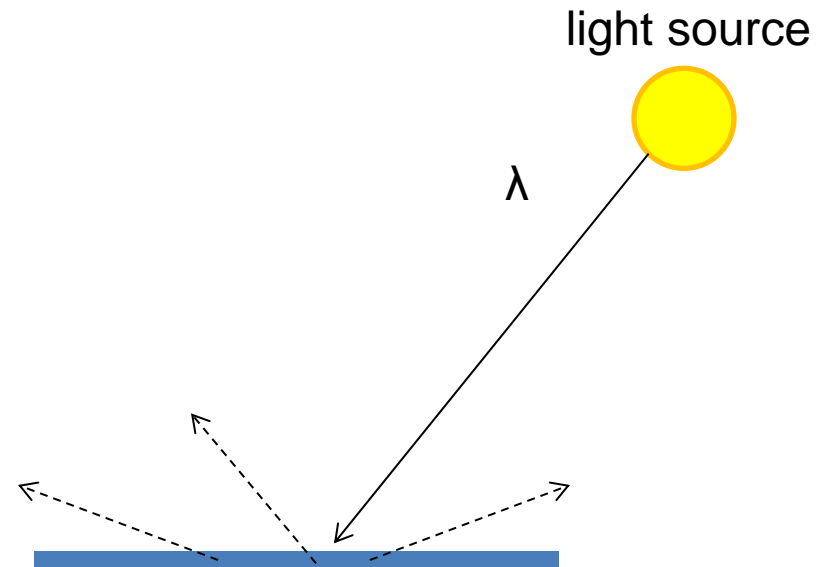
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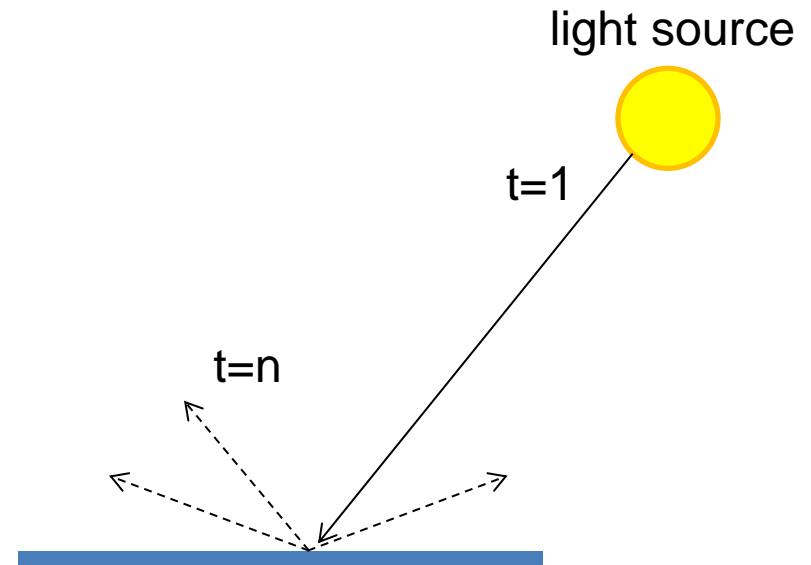
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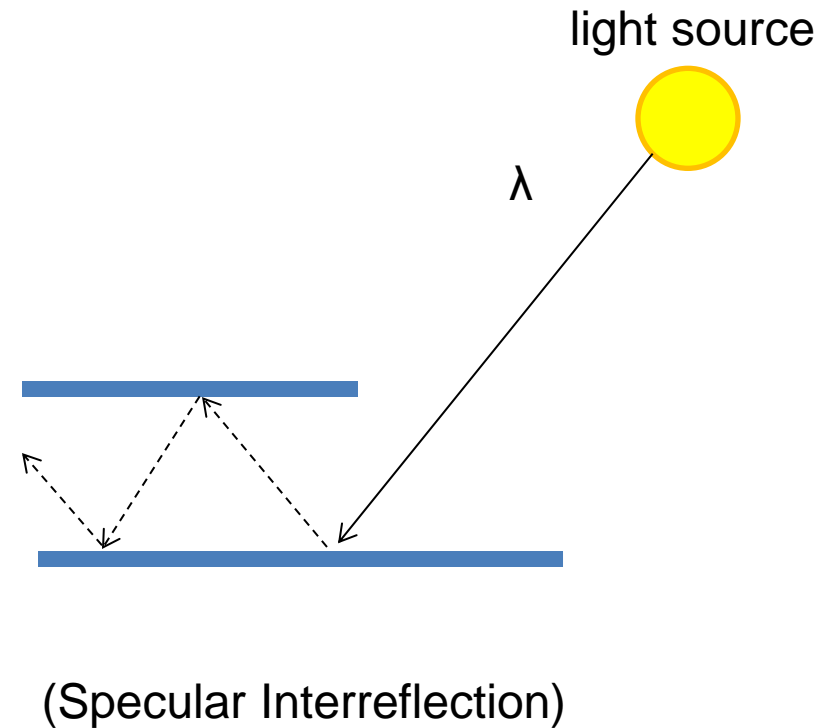
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- **Interreflection**



Lambertian Reflectance

- In computer vision, surfaces are often assumed to be ideal diffuse reflectors with no dependence on viewing direction.

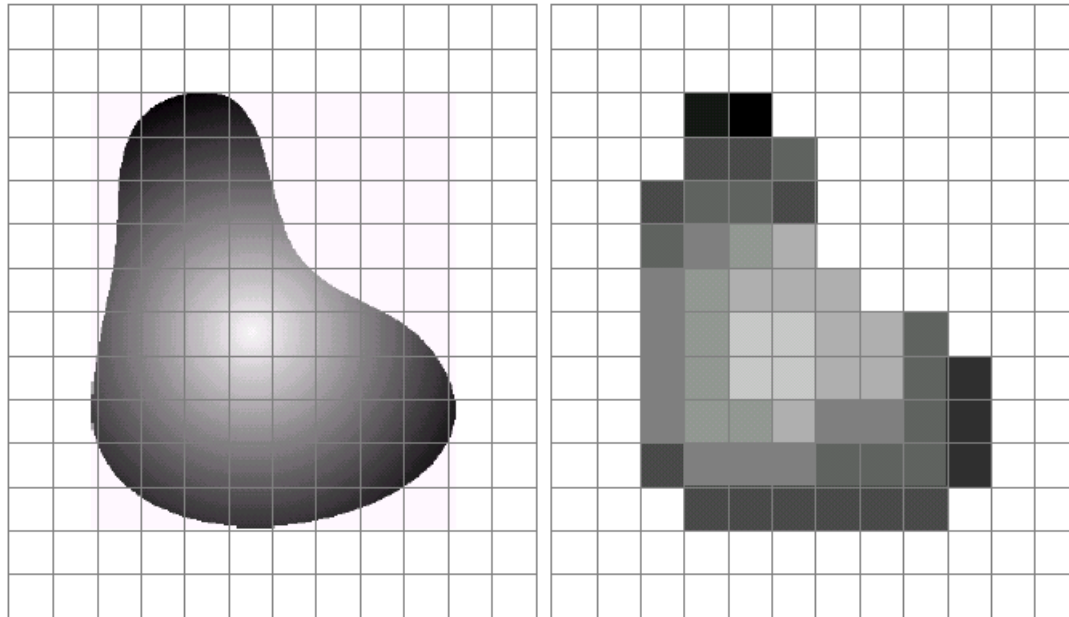
Digital camera



A digital camera replaces film with a sensor array

- Each cell in the array is light-sensitive diode that converts photons to electrons
- Two common types
 - Charge Coupled Device (CCD)
 - CMOS
- <http://electronics.howstuffworks.com/digital-camera.htm>

Sensor Array



a b

FIGURE 2.17 (a) Continuous image projected onto a sensor array. (b) Result of image sampling and quantization.



CMOS sensor

Sampling and Quantization

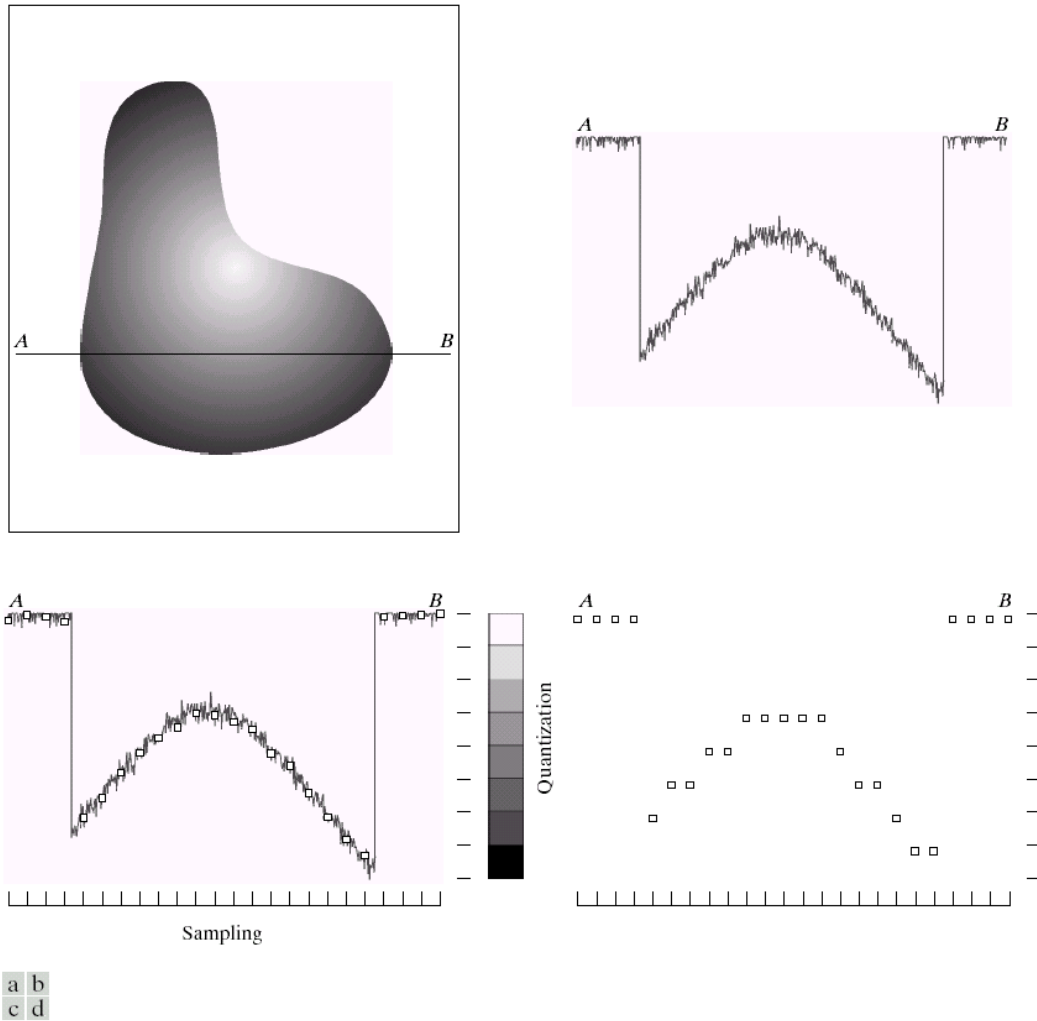
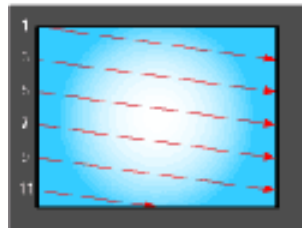
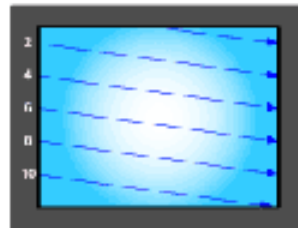


FIGURE 2.16 Generating a digital image. (a) Continuous image. (b) A scan line from *A* to *B* in the continuous image, used to illustrate the concepts of sampling and quantization. (c) Sampling and quantization. (d) Digital scan line.

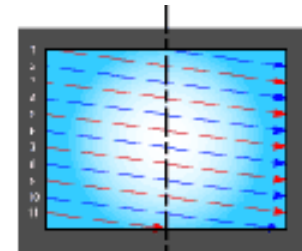
Interlace vs. progressive scan



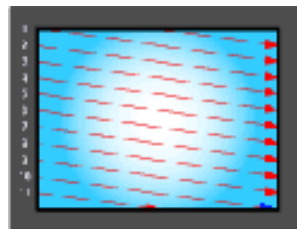
1st field: Odd field



2nd field: Even field



One complete frame
using interlaced scanning



One complete frame
using progressive scanning

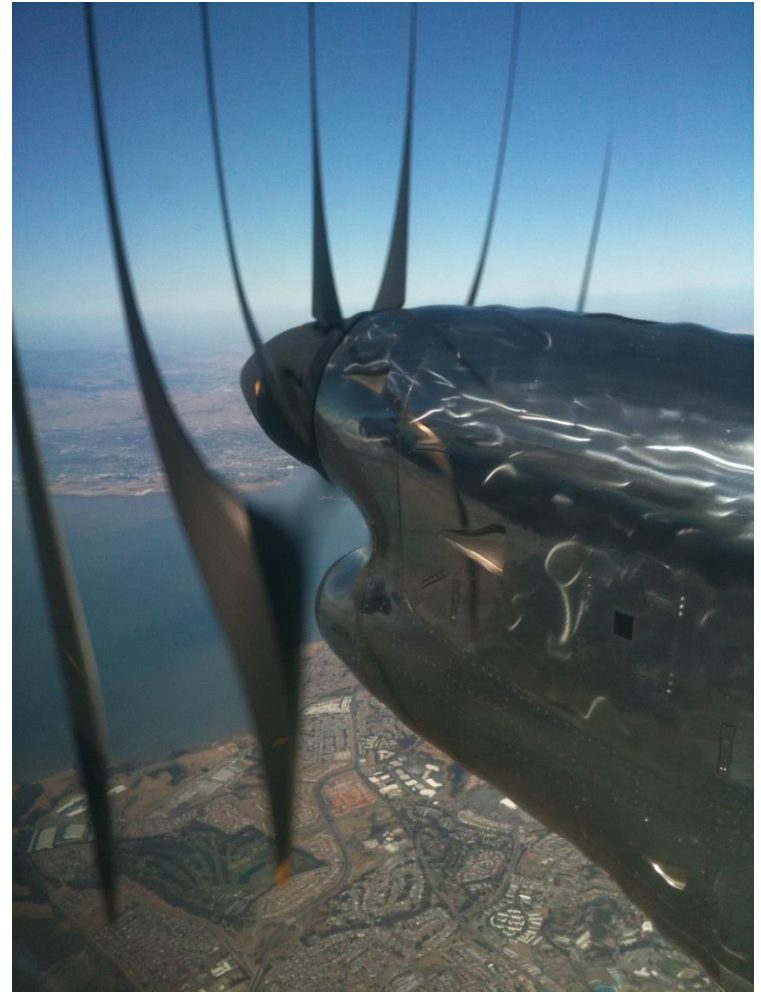
Progressive scan



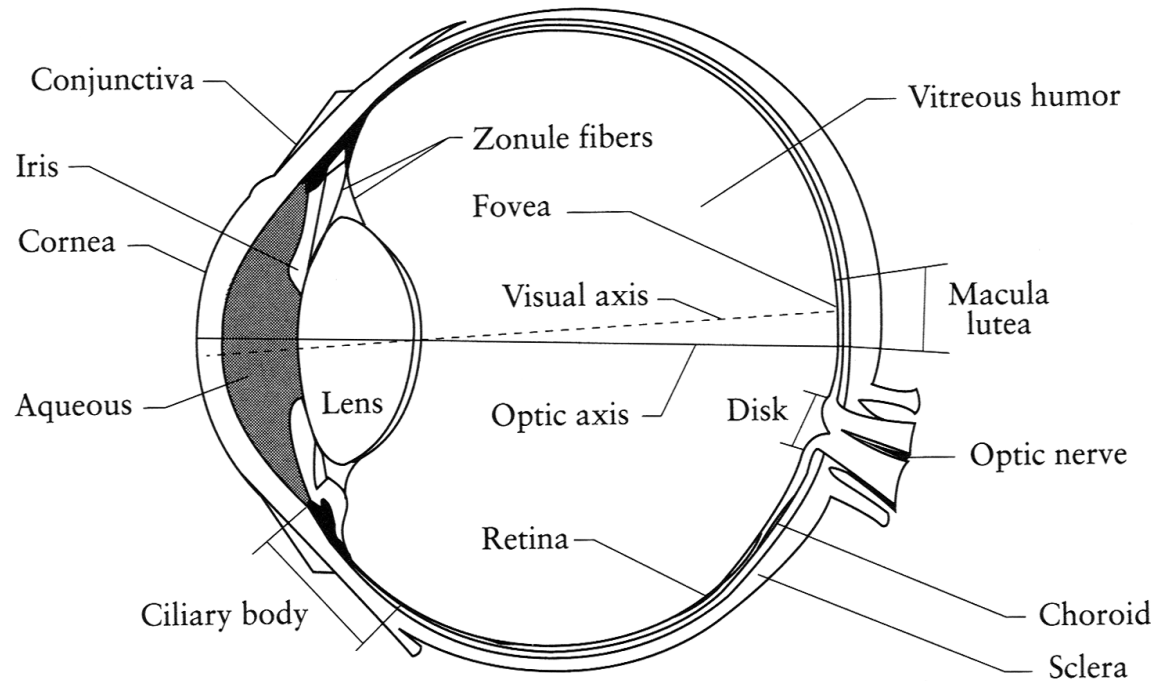
Interlace



Rolling Shutter



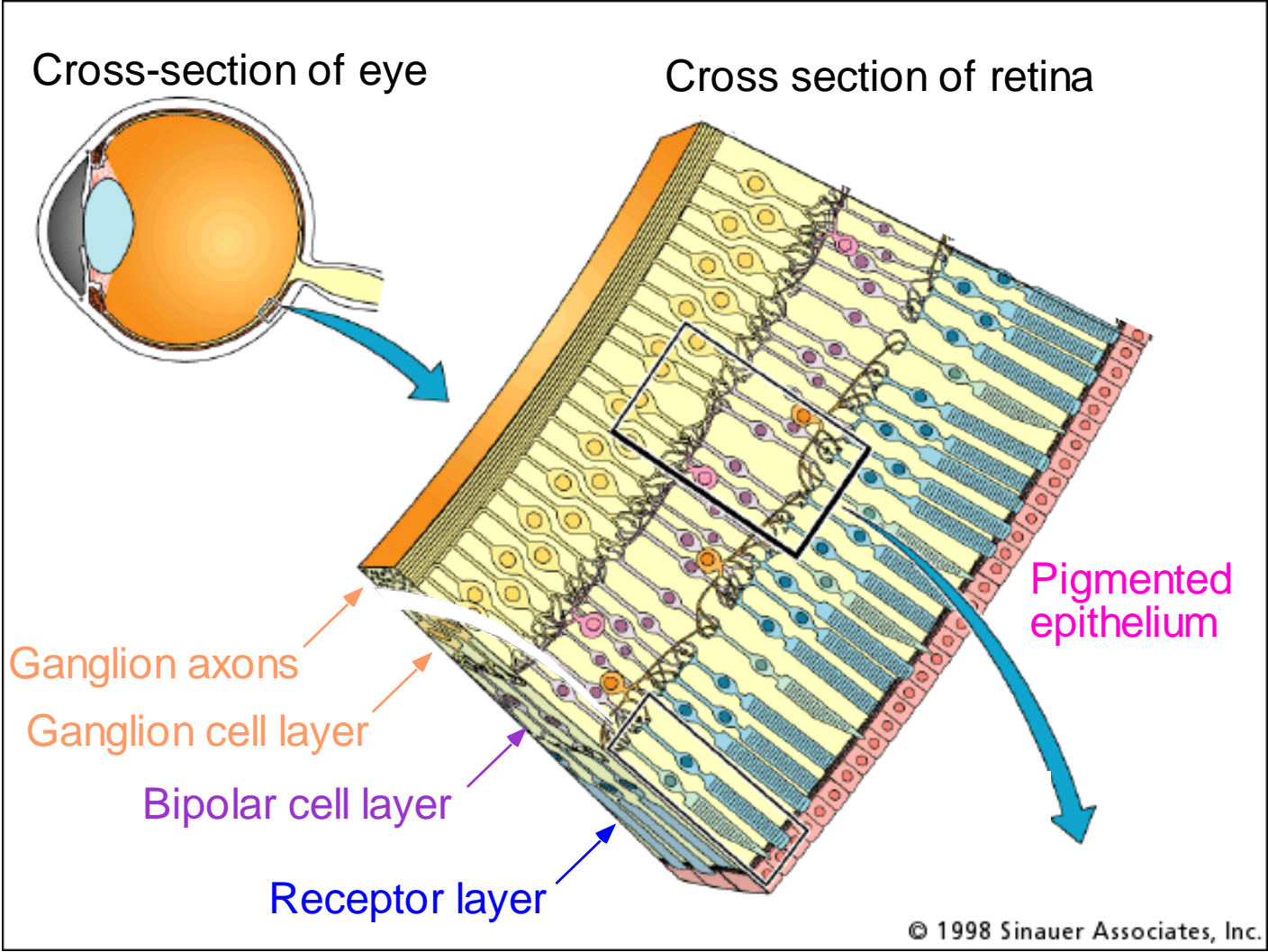
The Eye



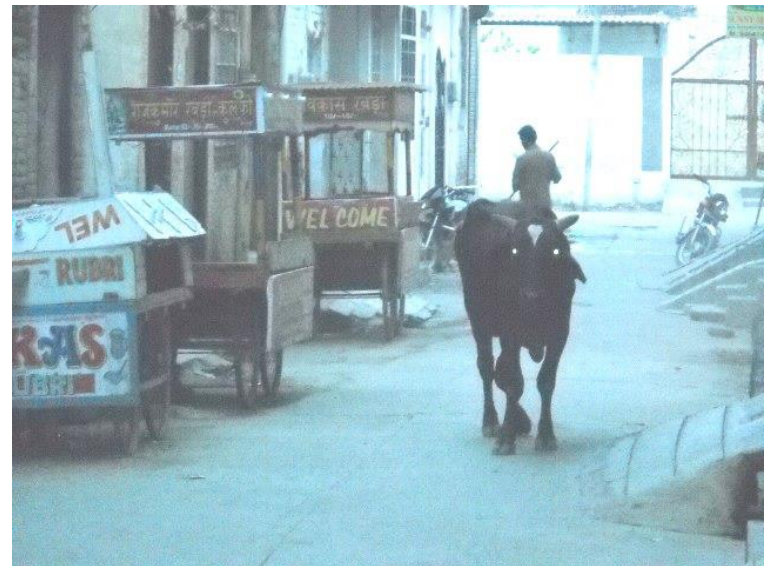
The human eye is a camera!

- **Iris** - colored annulus with radial muscles
- **Pupil** - the hole (aperture) whose size is controlled by the iris
- What's the "film"?
 - photoreceptor cells (rods and cones) in the **retina**

The Retina



What humans don't have: tapetum lucidum



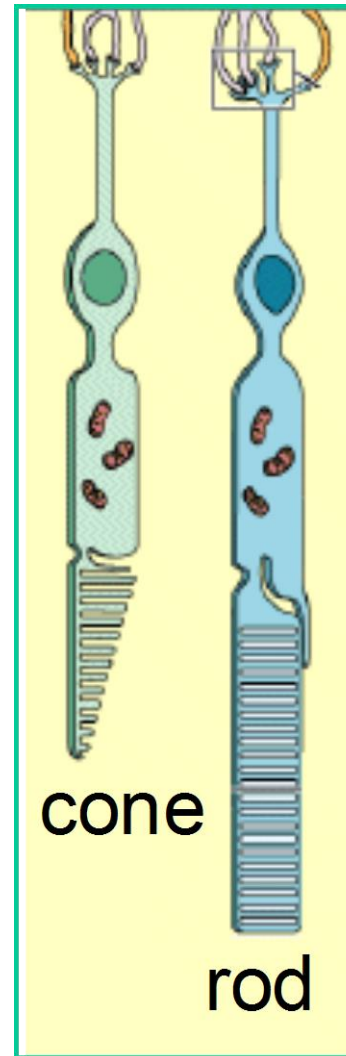
Two types of light-sensitive receptors

Cones

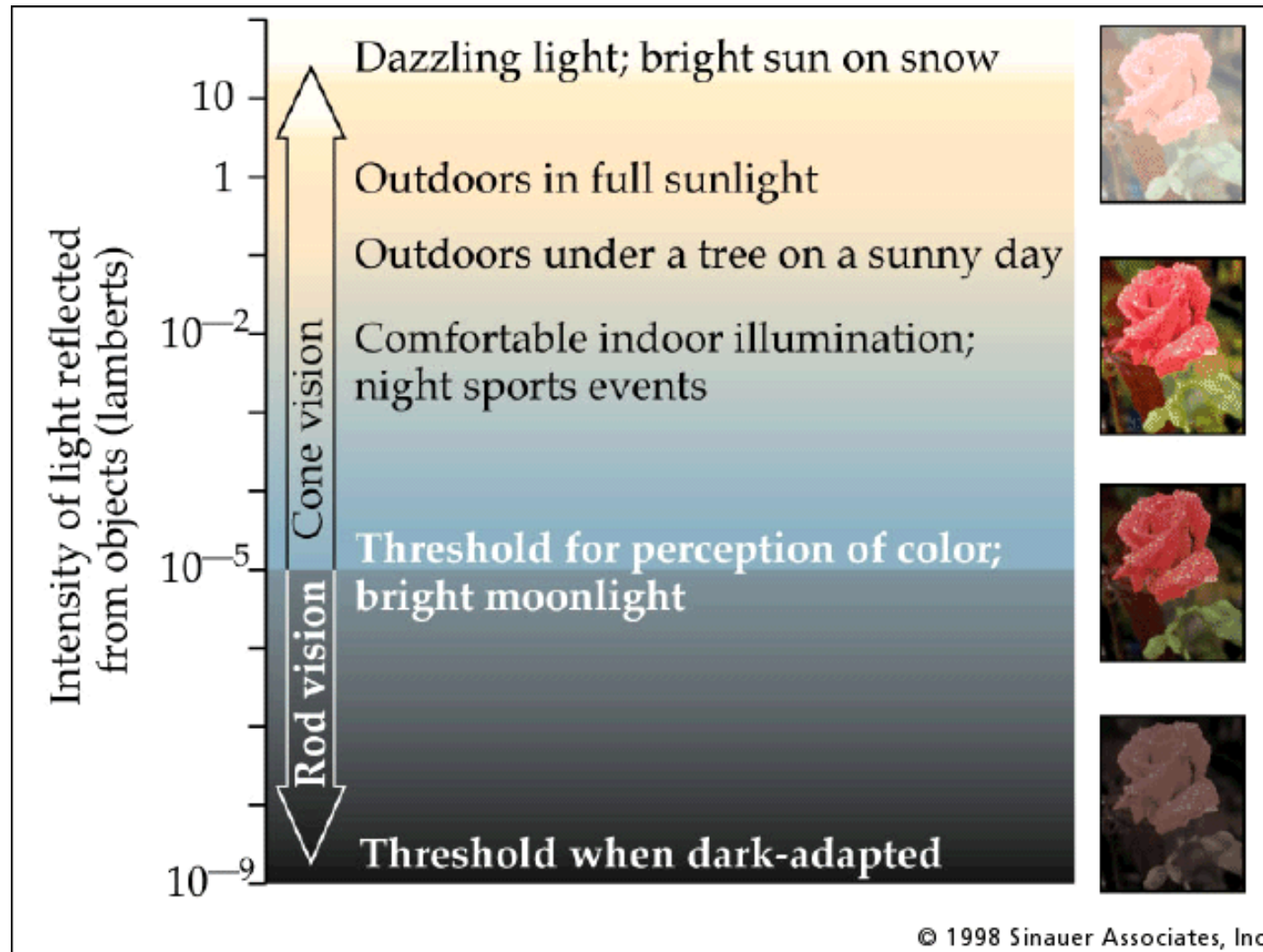
cone-shaped
less sensitive
operate in high light
color vision

Rods

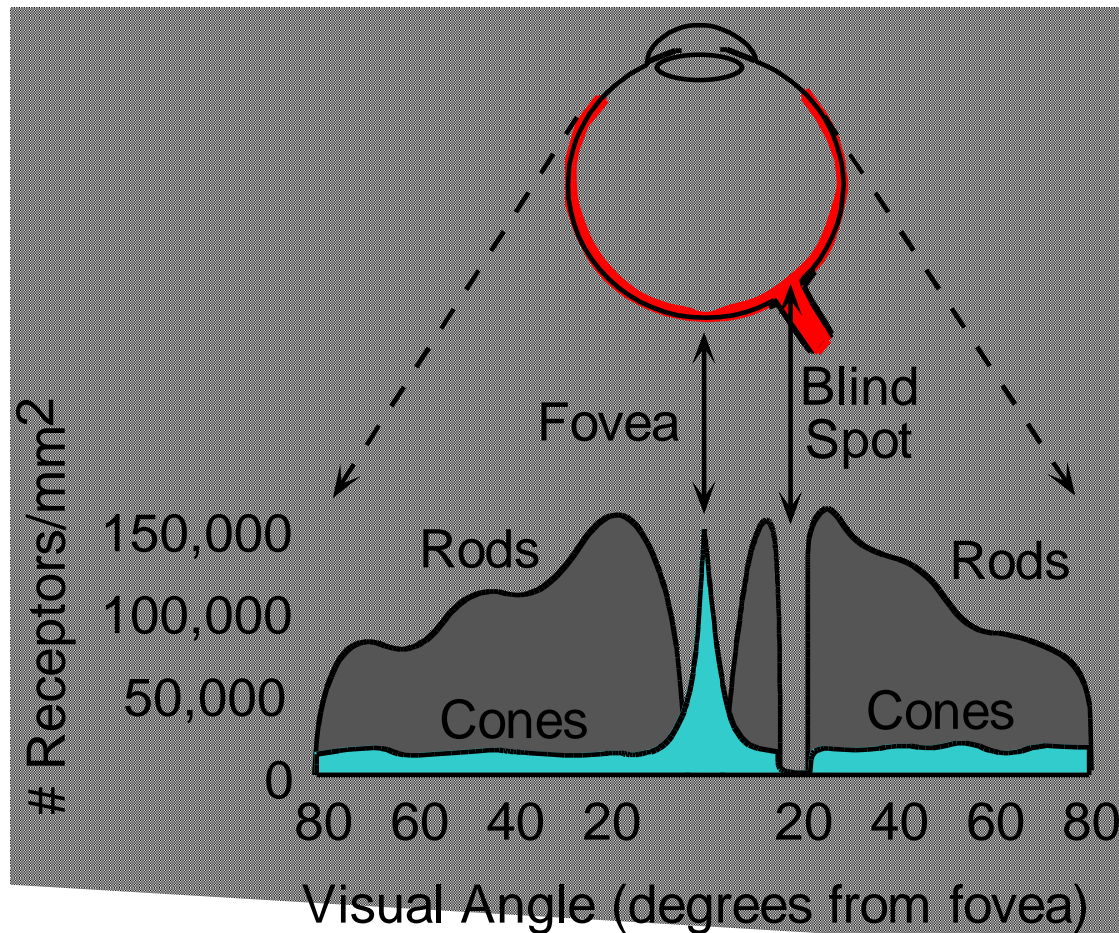
rod-shaped
highly sensitive
operate at night
gray-scale vision



Rod / Cone sensitivity



Distribution of Rods and Cones



Night Sky: why are there more stars off-center?

Averted vision: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Averted_vision

Eye Movements

Saccades

Can be consciously controlled. Related to perceptual attention. 200ms to initiation, 20 to 200ms to carry out. Large amplitude.

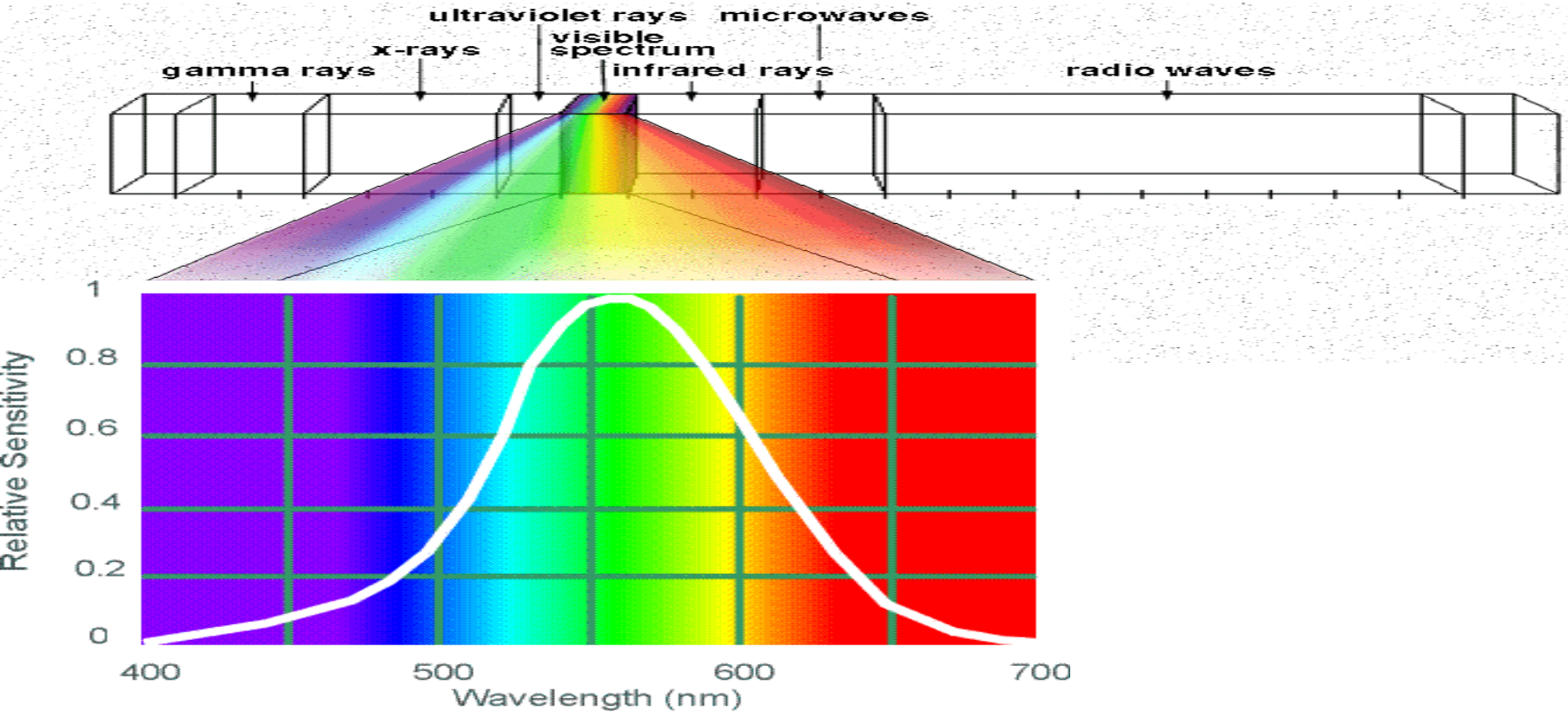
Microsaccades

Involuntary. Smaller amplitude. Especially evident during prolonged fixation. Function debated.

Ocular microtremor (OMT)

involuntary. high frequency (up to 80Hz), small amplitude.

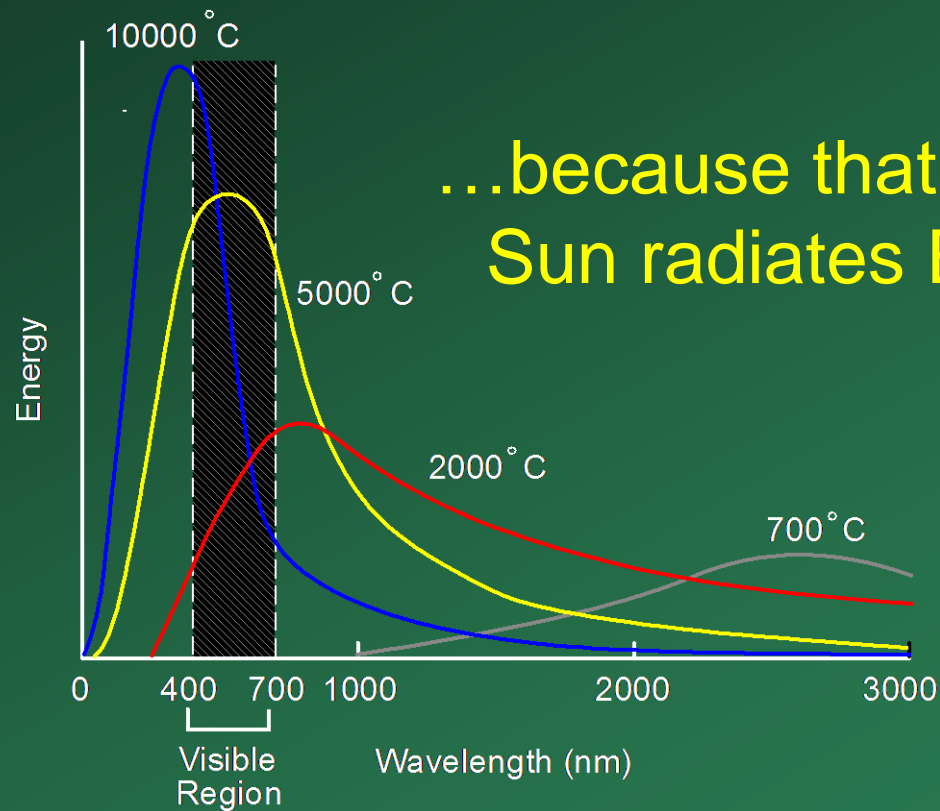
Electromagnetic Spectrum



Human Luminance Sensitivity Function

Visible Light

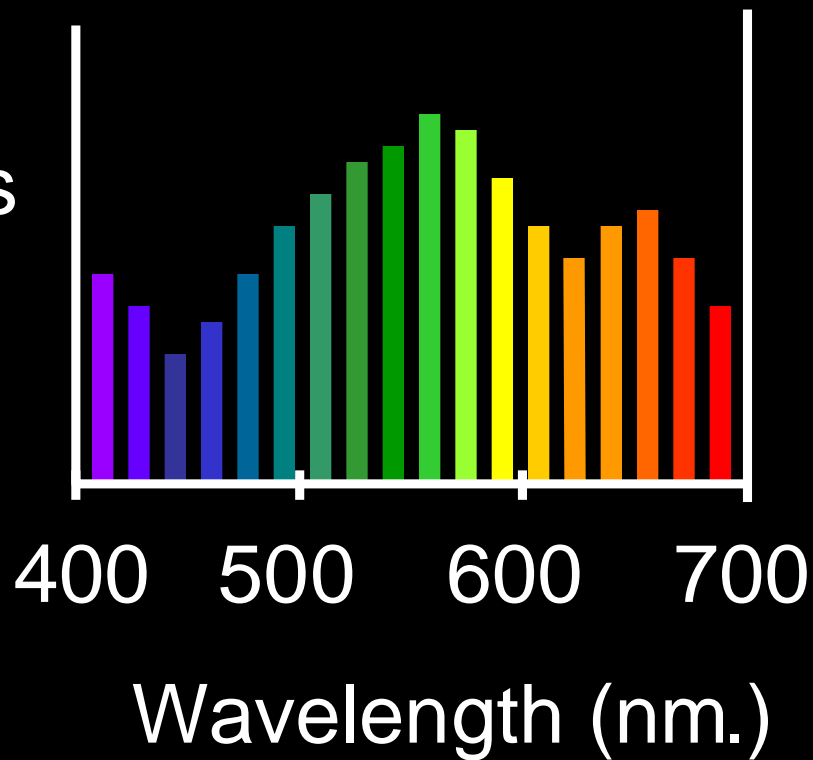
Why do we see light of these wavelengths?



The Physics of Light

Any patch of light can be completely described physically by its spectrum: the number of photons (per time unit) at each wavelength 400 - 700 nm.

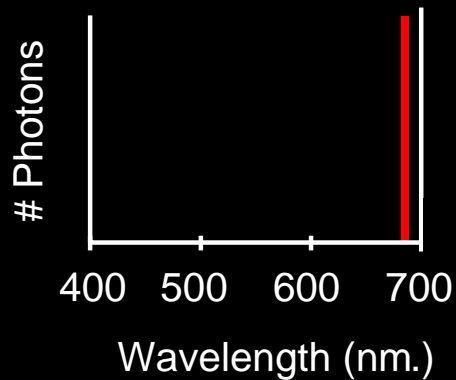
Photons
(per ms.)



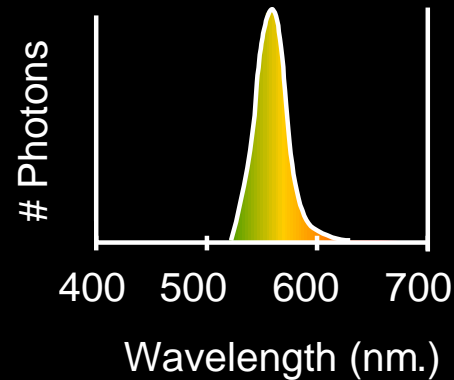
The Physics of Light

Some examples of the spectra of light sources

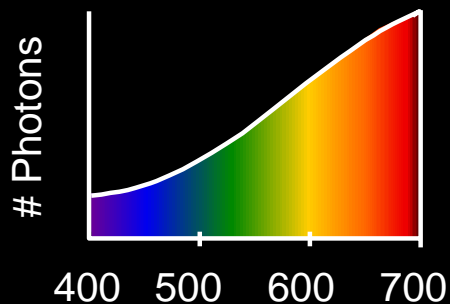
A. Ruby Laser



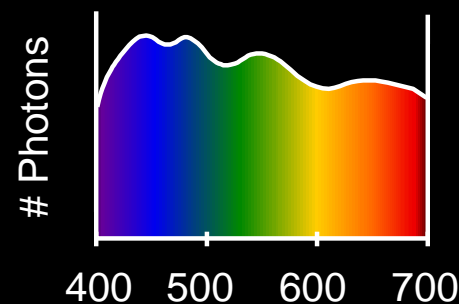
B. Gallium Phosphide Crystal



C. Tungsten Lightbulb



D. Normal Daylight

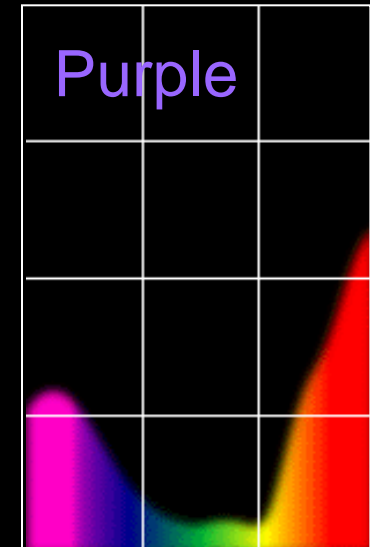
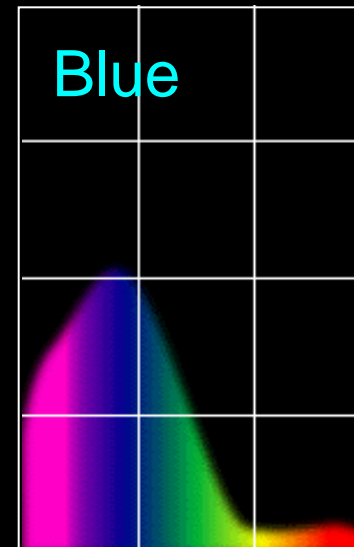
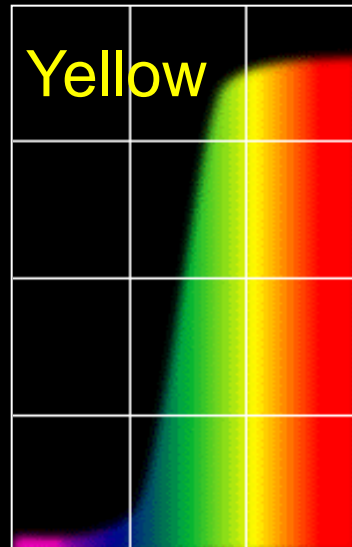
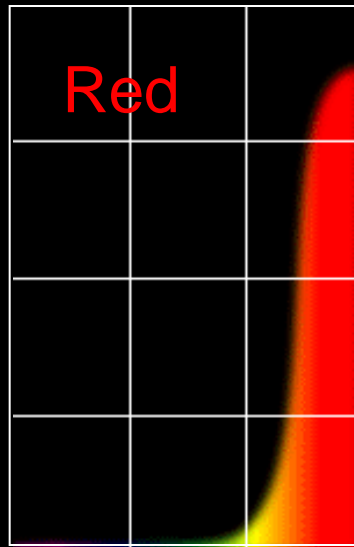


The Physics of Light

Some examples of the reflectance spectra of surfaces



% Photons Reflected



400

700

400

700

400

700

400

700

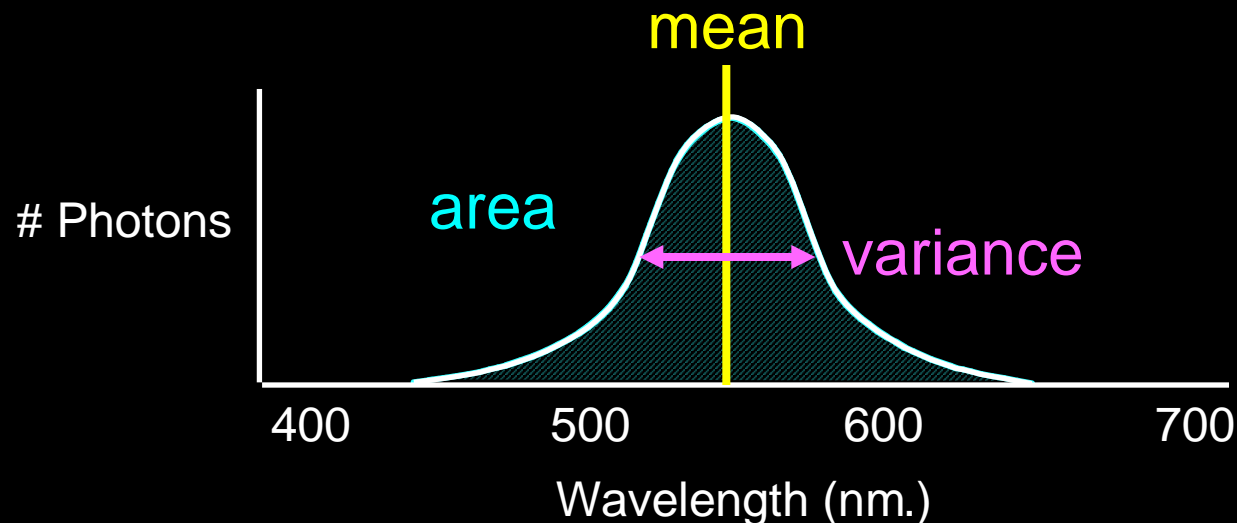
Wavelength (nm)

The Psychophysical Correspondence

There is no simple functional description for the perceived color of all lights under all viewing conditions, but

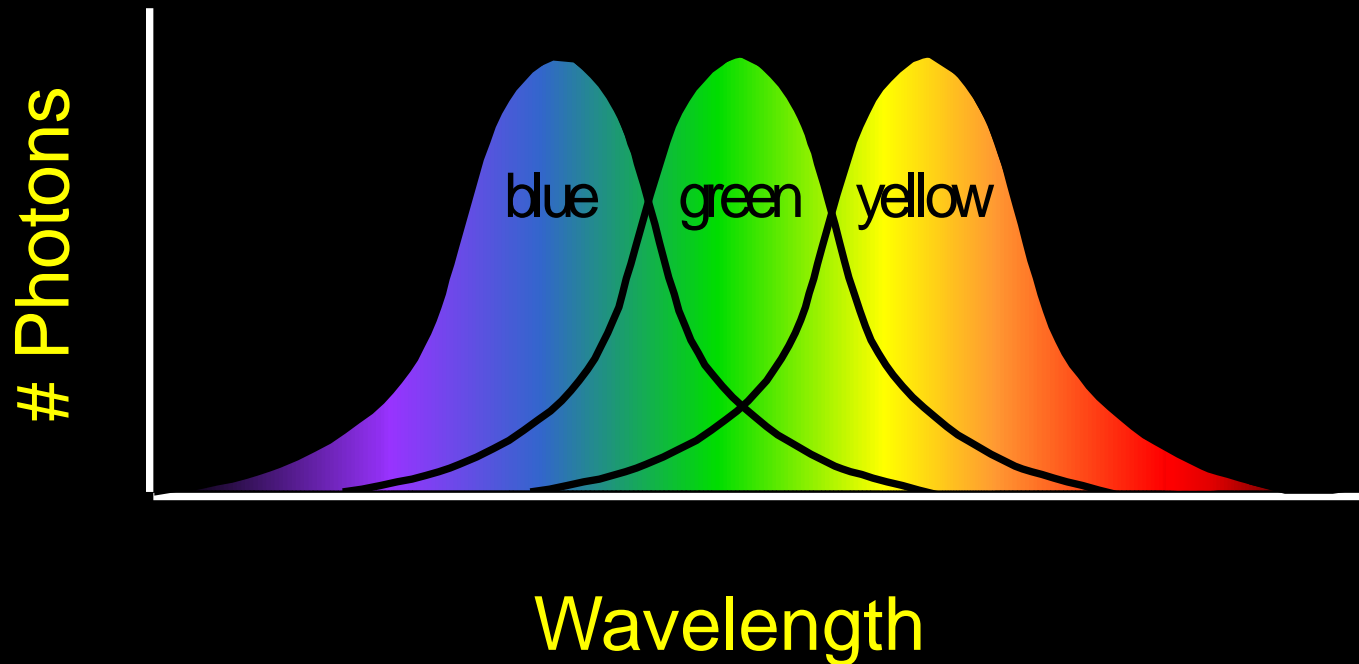
A helpful constraint:

Consider only physical spectra with normal distributions



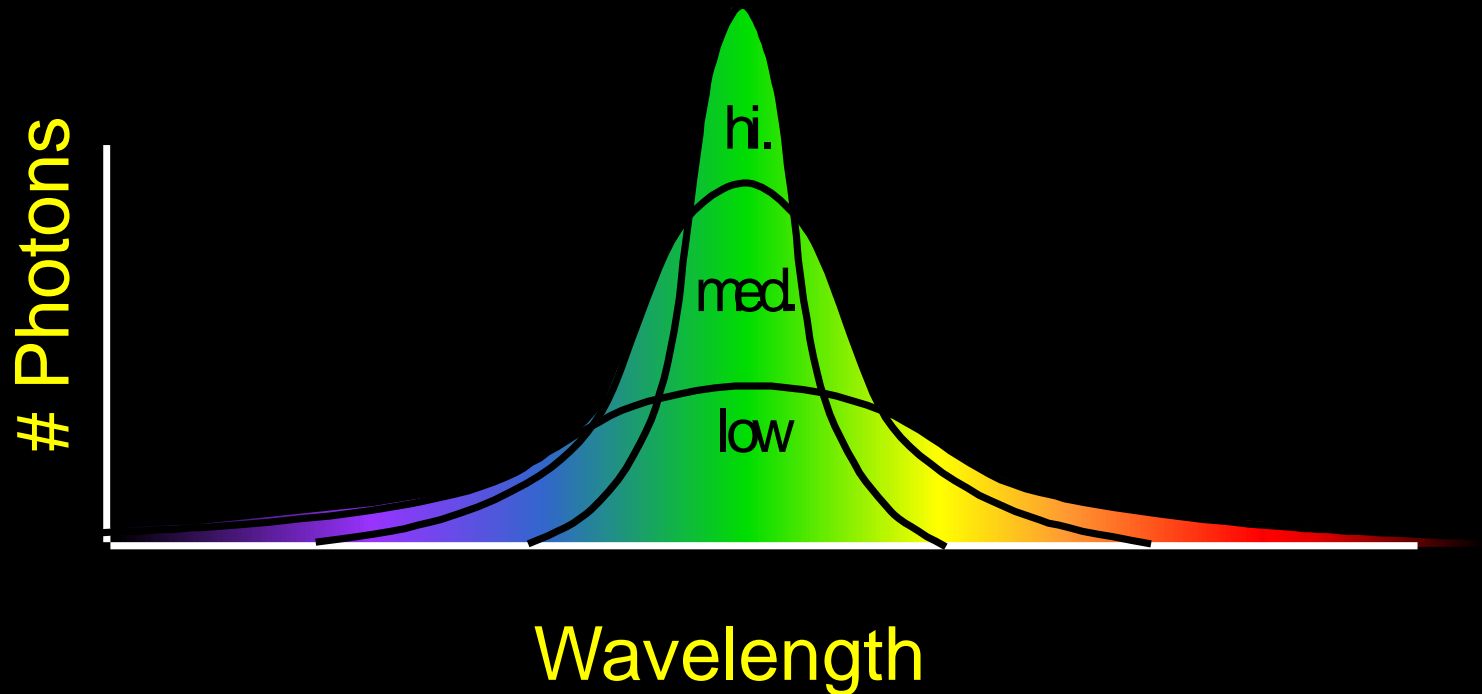
The Psychophysical Correspondence

Mean ↔ Hue



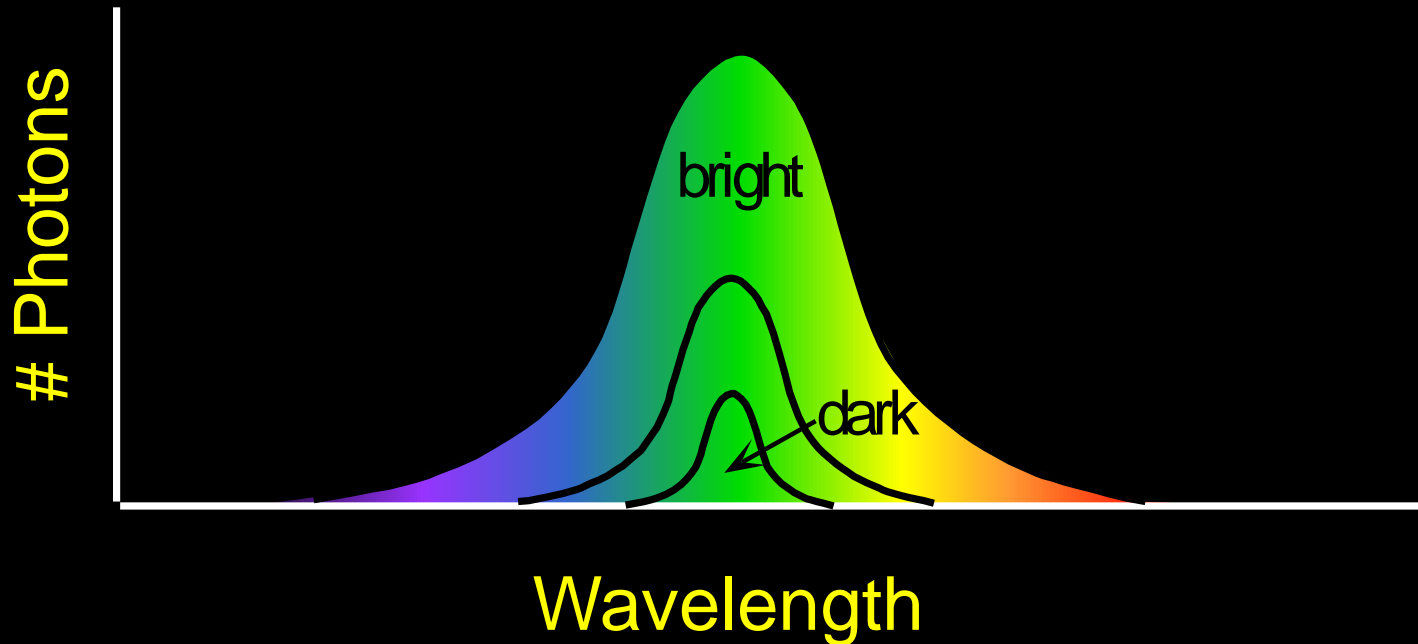
The Psychophysical Correspondence

Variance \longleftrightarrow Saturation



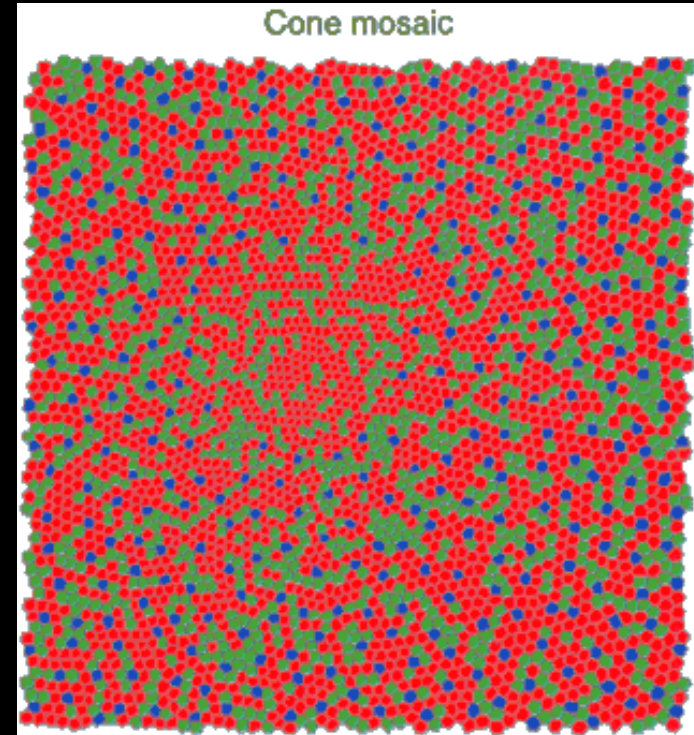
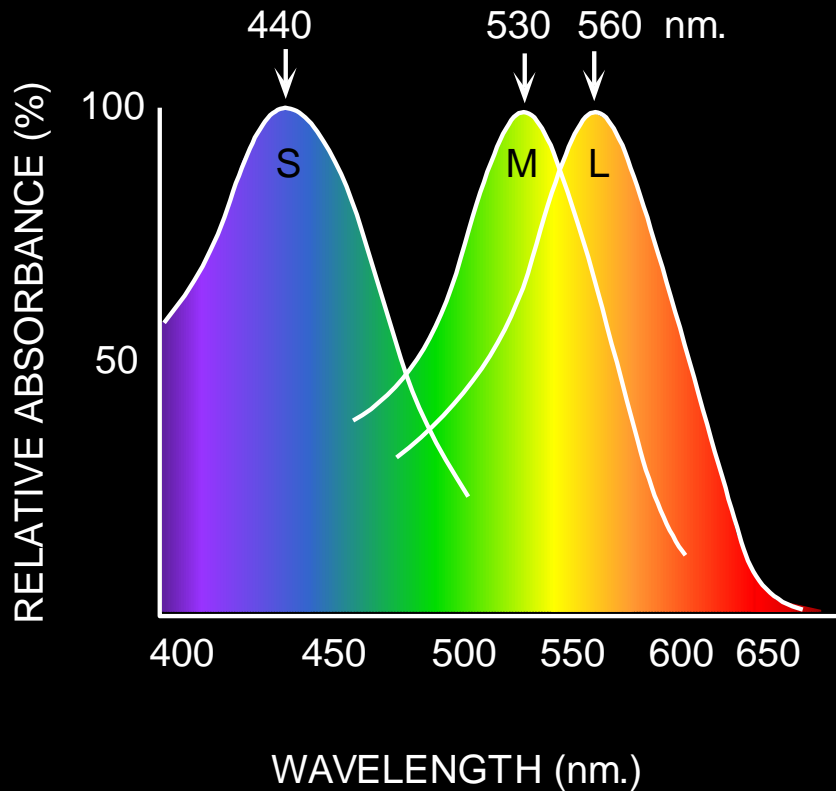
The Psychophysical Correspondence

Area \longleftrightarrow Brightness



Physiology of Color Vision

Three kinds of cones:

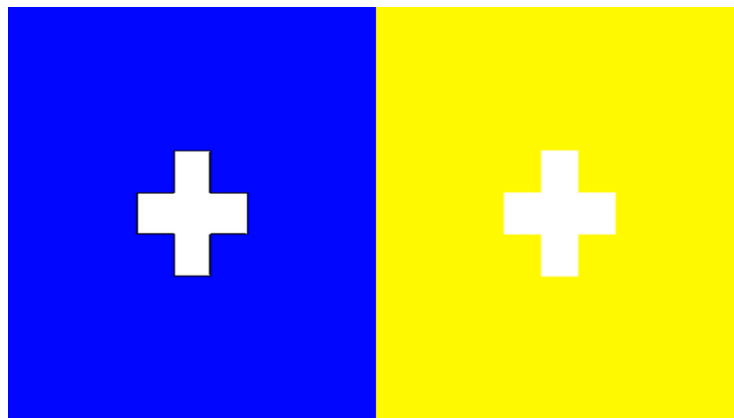
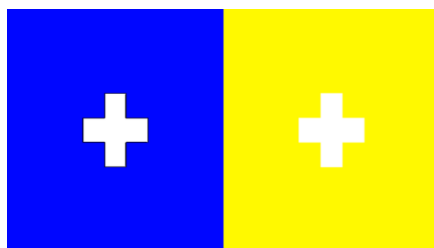


- Why are M and L cones so close?
- Why are there 3?

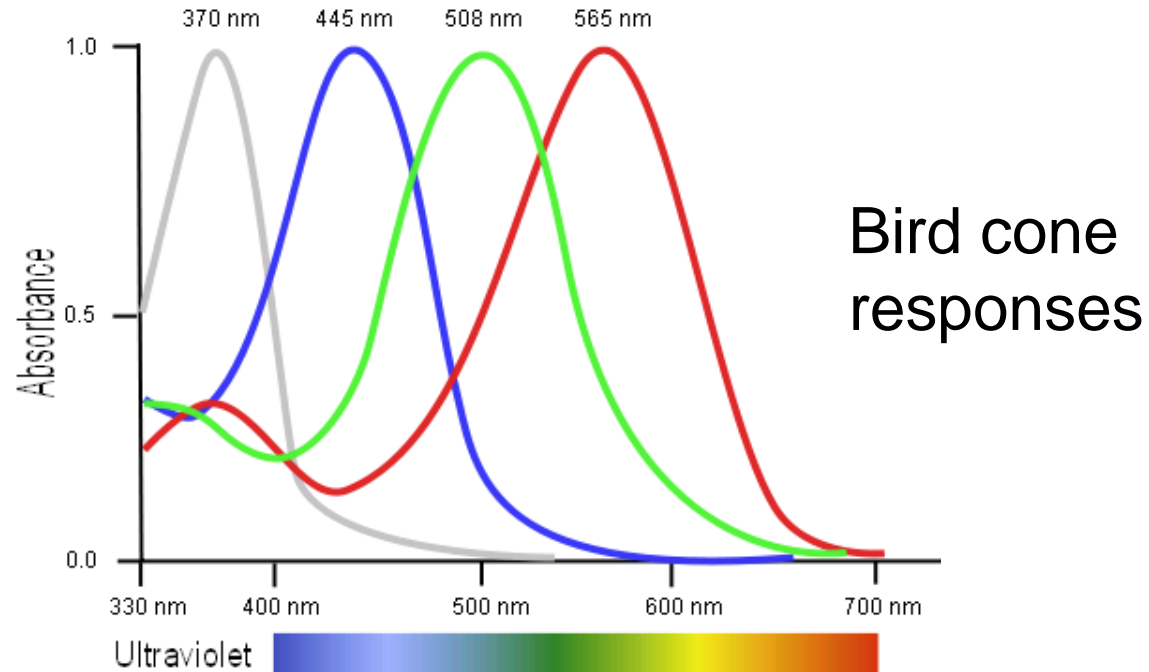
Impossible Colors

Can you make the cones respond in ways that typical light spectra never would?

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Impossible_colors



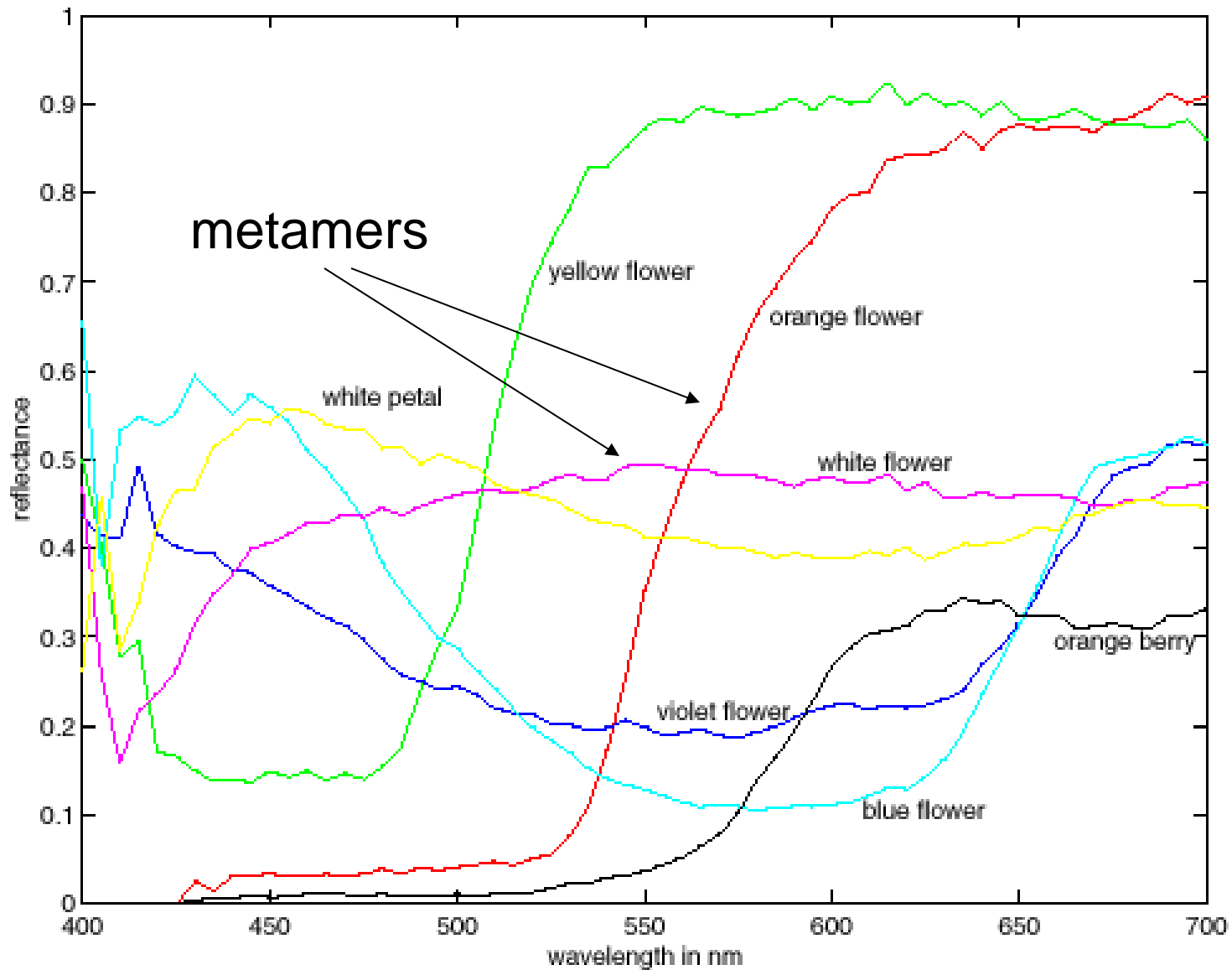
Tetrachromatism



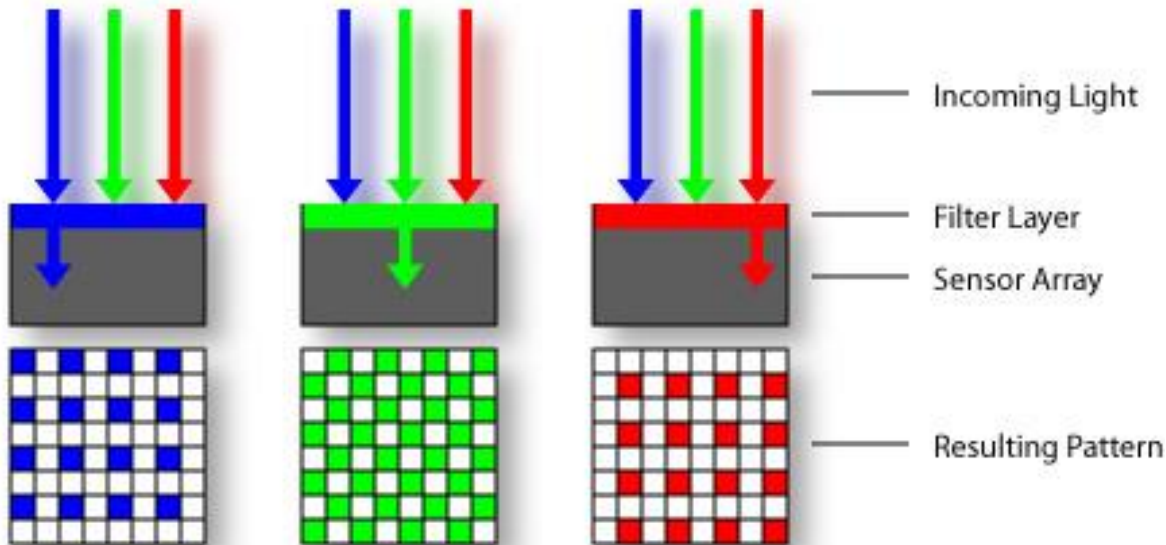
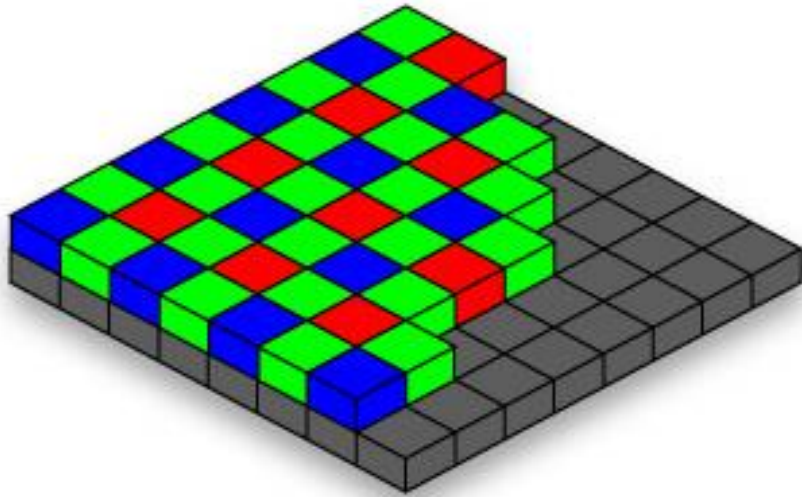
Most birds, and many other animals, have cones for ultraviolet light.

Some humans, mostly female, seem to have slight tetrachromatism.

More Spectra



Practical Color Sensing: Bayer Grid



Estimate RGB
at 'G' cells from
neighboring
values

Color Image

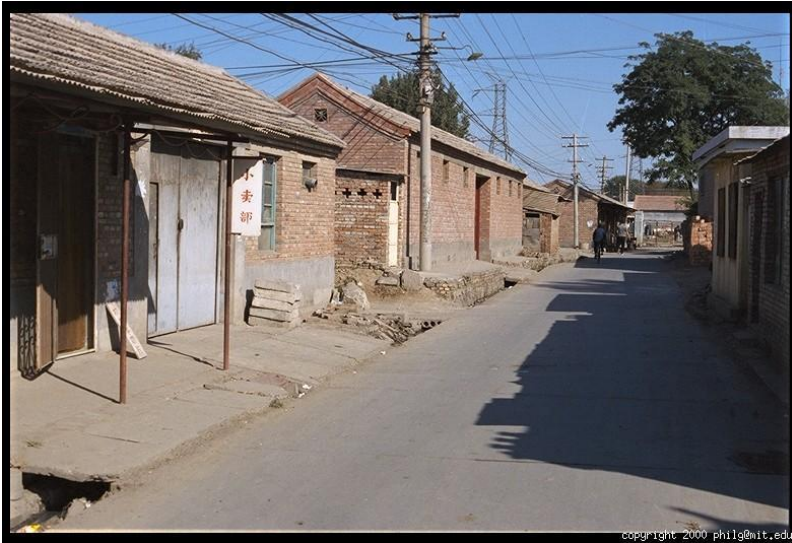
R



G

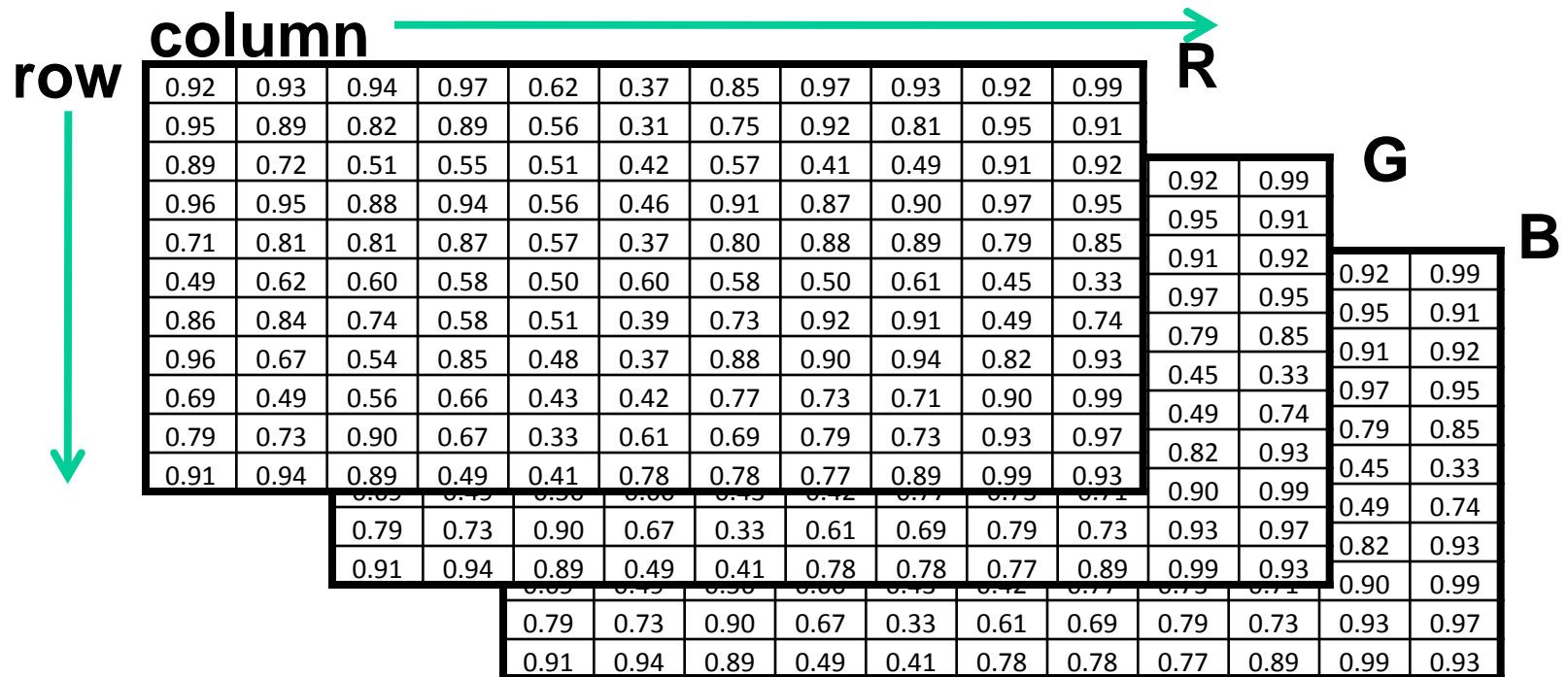


B



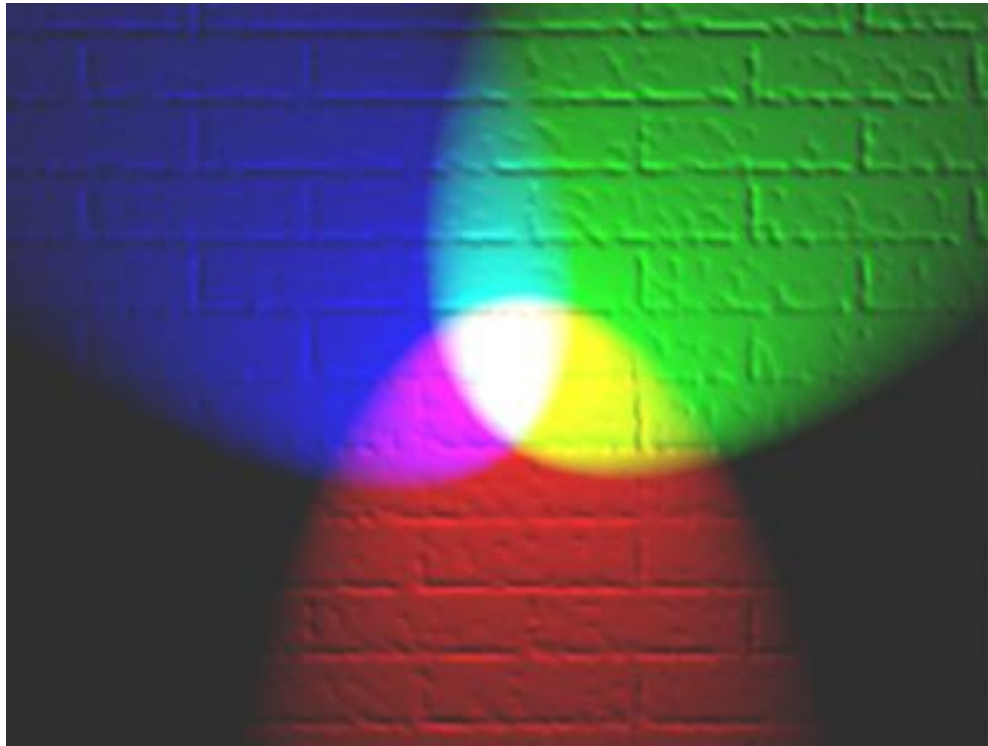
Images in Matlab

- Images represented as a matrix
- Suppose we have a NxM RGB image called “im”
 - $im(1,1,1)$ = top-left pixel value in R-channel
 - $im(y, x, b)$ = y pixels down, x pixels to right in the bth channel
 - $im(N, M, 3)$ = bottom-right pixel in B-channel
- `imread(filename)` returns a uint8 image (values 0 to 255)
 - Convert to double format (values 0 to 1) with `im2double`



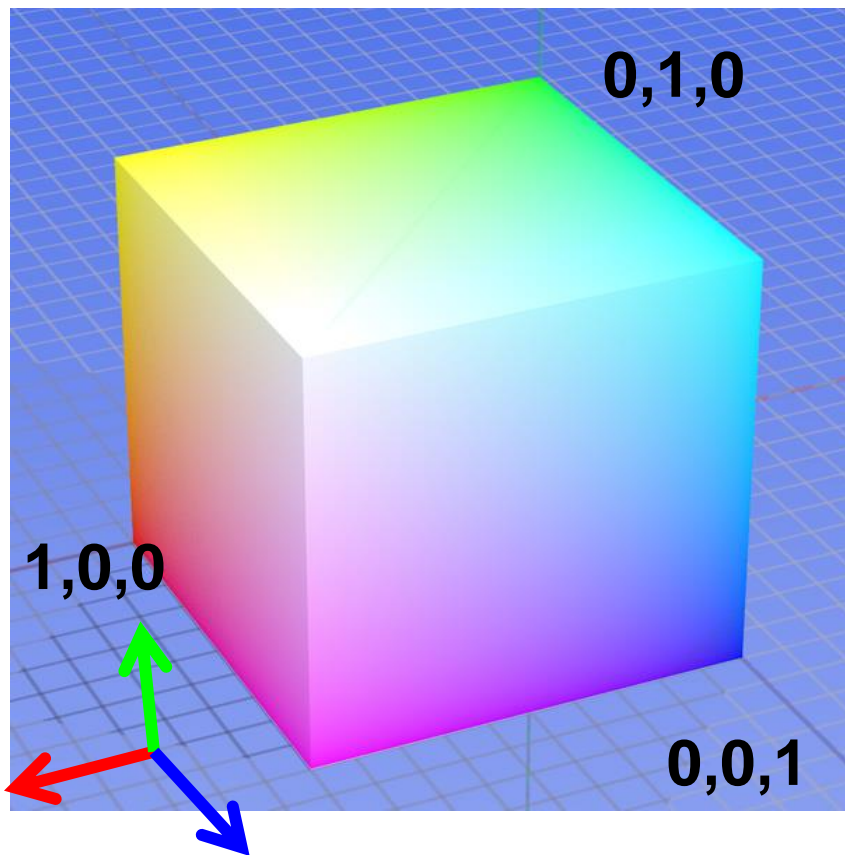
Color spaces

How can we represent color?



Color spaces: RGB

Default color space



R
(G=0,B=0)



G
(R=0,B=0)



B
(R=0,G=0)

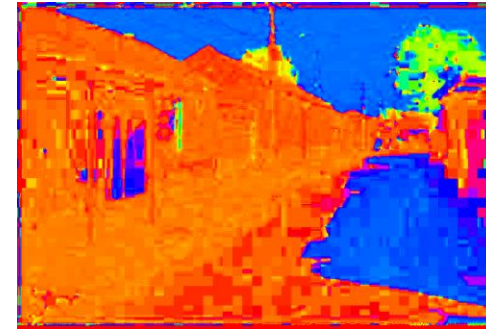
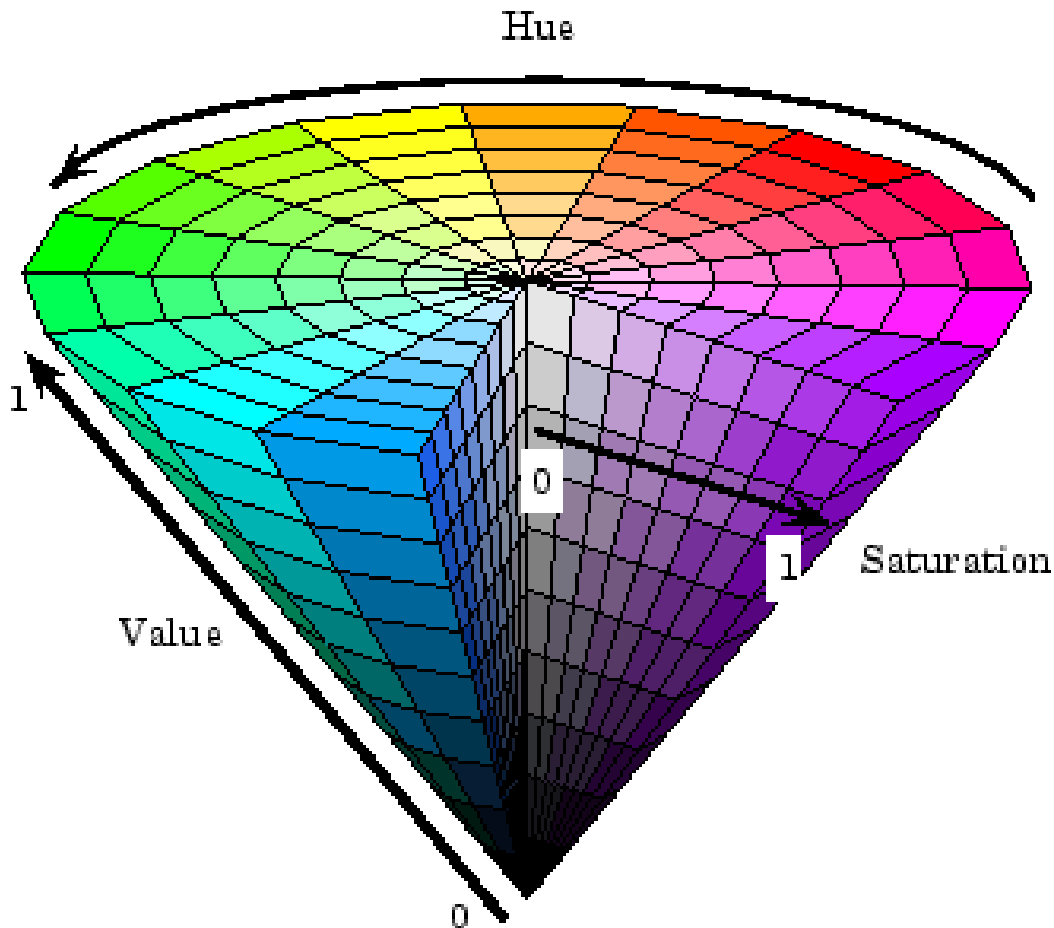
Some drawbacks

- Strongly correlated channels
- Non-perceptual

Color spaces: HSV



Intuitive color space



H
(S=1,V=1)



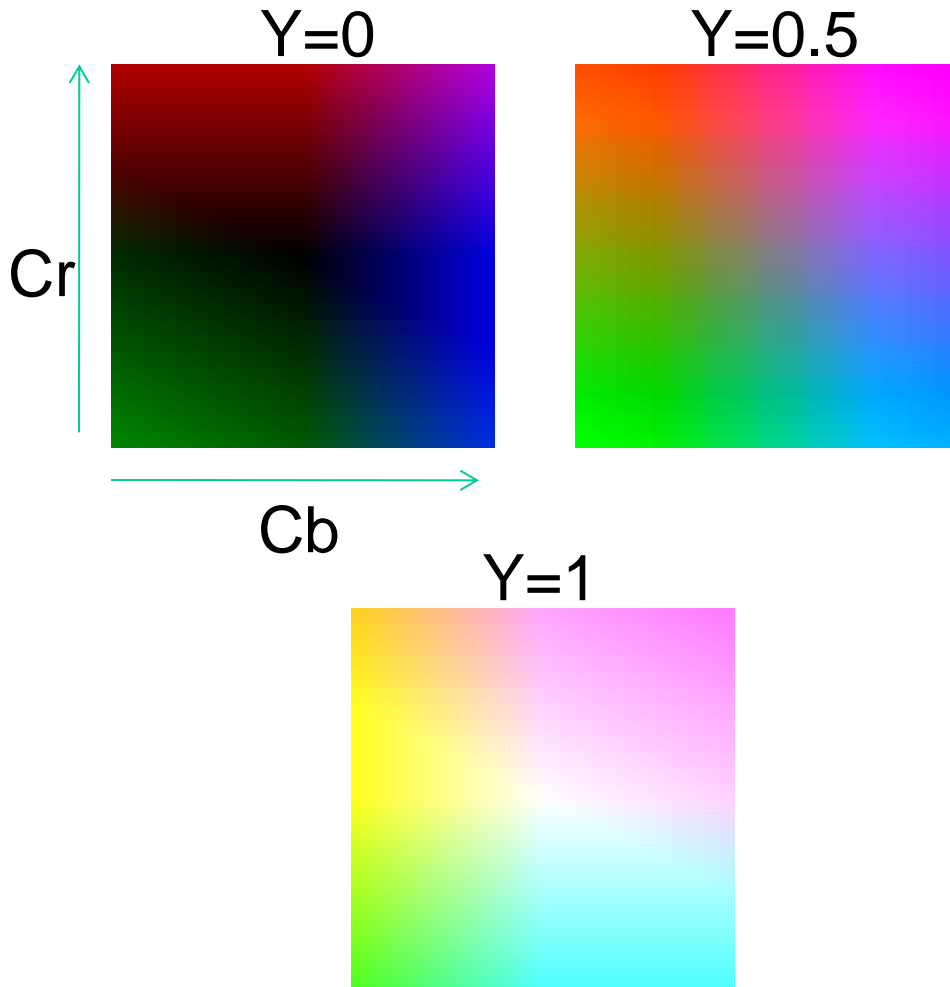
S
(H=1,V=1)



V
(H=1,S=0)

Color spaces: YCbCr

Fast to compute, good for compression, used by TV



Y
(Cb=0.5,Cr=0.5)



Cb
(Y=0.5,Cr=0.5)

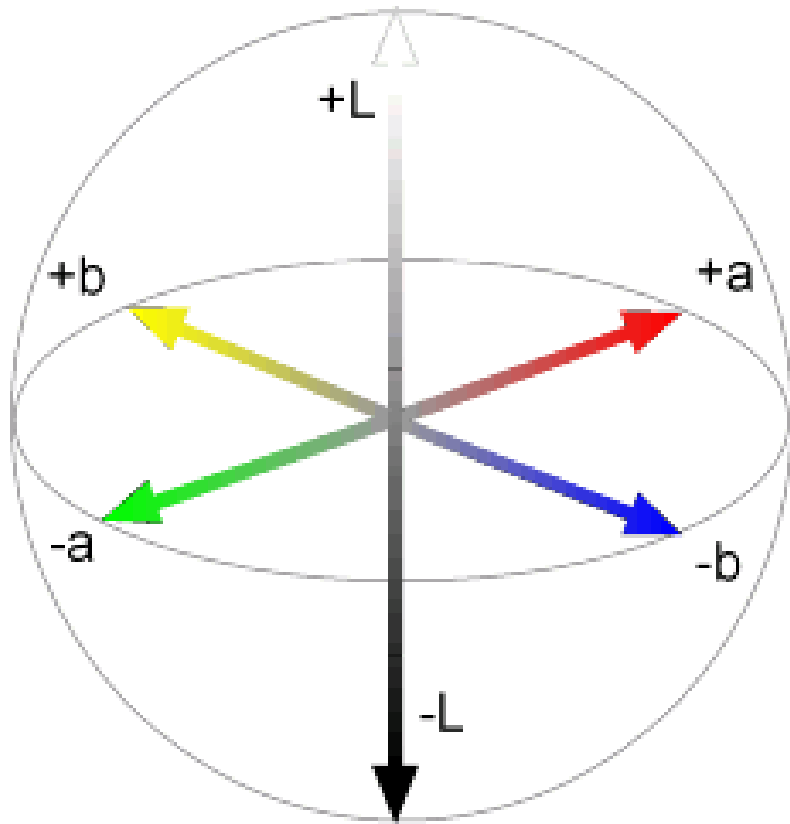


Cr
(Y=0.5,Cb=0.5)

Color spaces: $L^*a^*b^*$



“Perceptually uniform”* color space



L
($a=0, b=0$)



a
($L=65, b=0$)



b
($L=65, a=0$)

If you had to choose, would you rather go without luminance or chrominance?

If you had to choose, would you rather go
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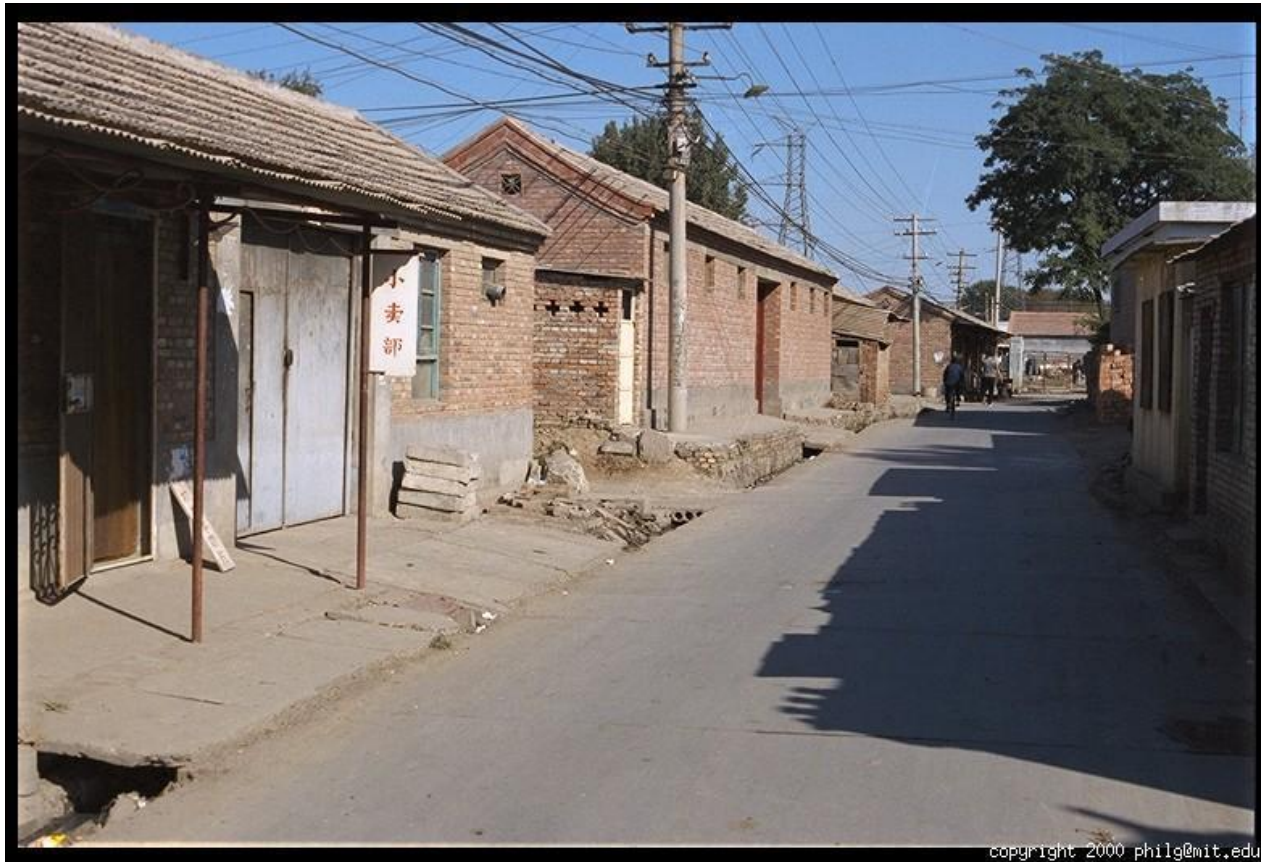
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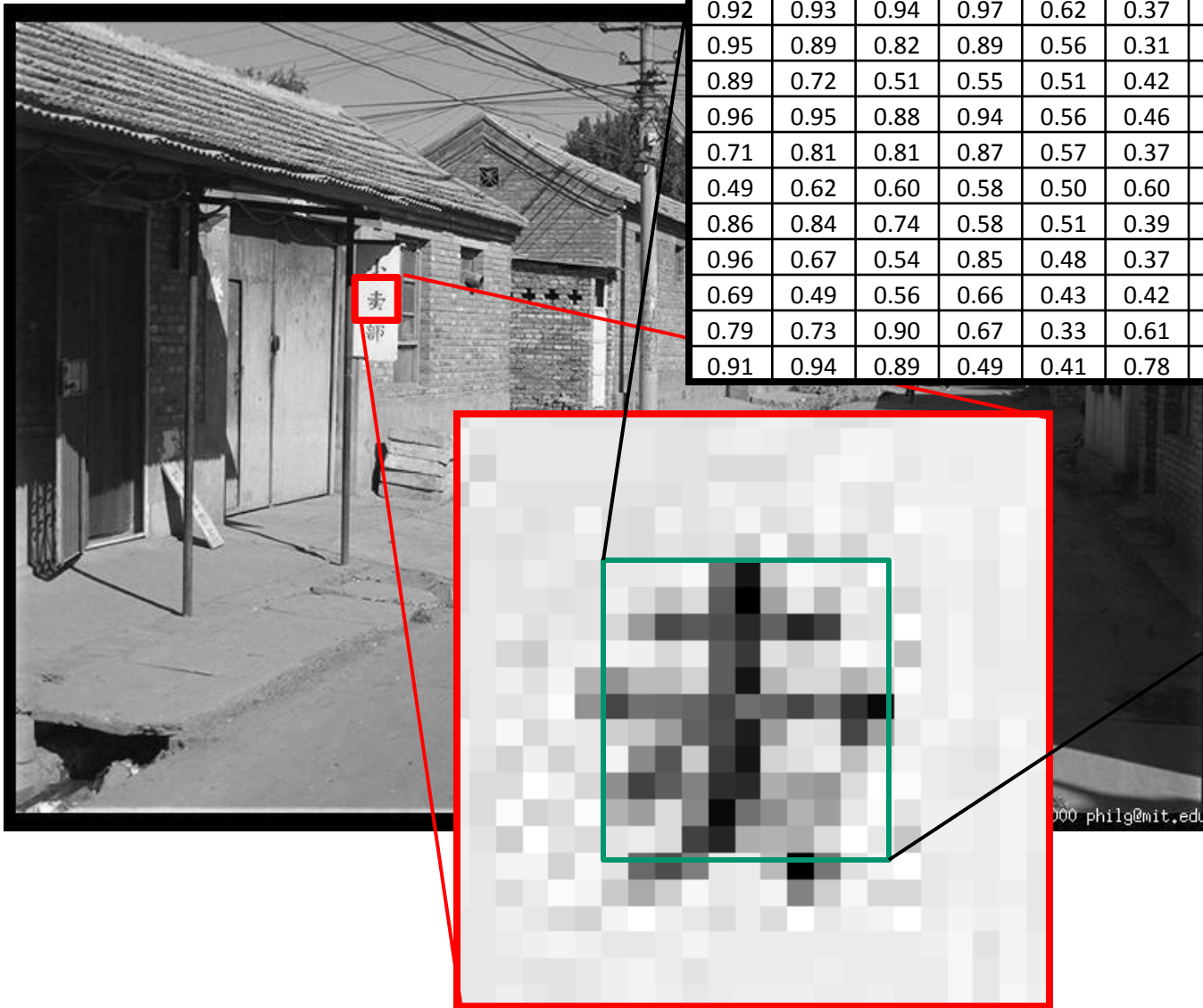
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Original image

Back to grayscale intensity



Next Lecture

Image Filtering - the core idea for project 1, and all of image processing.

Project 1 is much simpler than the remaining projects.