

A Workingman's Guide to 3D Video Editing

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Motivation for 3D

- Who is the target Market?
 - Is it essential to see it in 3D?
- How does 3D add value?
 - Feature Films
 - Stop Motion DSLR
 - Corporate Videos
 - Sports Clinics Golf, Football, Soccer
 - ESPN and Extreme Sports
 - Youtube



3D Distribution Chain & Delivery Format

- Market will dictate the delivery format
- No non-studio 3D Blu-ray creation tools (yet)
- Youtube
- Files
 - 3D viewers on PCs etc.



3D Acquisition

Existing Cameras & Rigs



- 3D cameras
 - Beginning to appear
- PSTechnik







Panasonic



3D Viewing Technologies

Anaglyph



3D TVsHDMI 1.4



Samsung

Panasonic

Acer



Mitsubishi

3D LCDs



Asus









Professional Production Overview



3D Production Technology

- Capturing Techniques
 - Rigs and Design
 - Side by side vs Top-bottom









http://www.pstechnik.de/en/3d-basics.php

3D Production Technology

- Content Ingest
 - Full frame left right to separate uncompressed files on SSD or HD

tapes





Right image

 Consumer formats often anamorphic combined left and right and compressed to single file on SSD









Shooting the Scene & Production Techniques for 3D

- How to Shoot
 - Full manual
 - Contrast
 - Separation
 - Distance to object
 - Ghosting
 - Captioning, high contrast
 - Rapid movement and panning



Workflow Considerations for 3D

- Overall workflow
 - Alternatives depending on content type, format etc
- Separate left+right footage
 - Clean, Mux, Edit
 - Synchronizing
- Combined left+right footage
 - Edit



3D Workflow Examples













Example #1 - Point and Shoot 3D







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- Consumer Camera
 - From Fuji FinePix REAL 3D, Panasonic
- Compressed content
- Fair Quality
- Accessible to everyone







Example #2 - HD Footage in 3D







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- HD Stereo Footage
 - From Panasonic P2, XDCam, HDCam, DSLR
- Full frame 1080P acquisition
- Sync'd and not Sync'd
- High Quality
- Cost (prohibitive to non-professional)





Example #3 - 2K and higher in 3D





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- 2K or 4K Stereo Footage
 - From Film scans, RED, ARRI Alexa, Genesis
 - DSLR (Stop Frame Animation)





- Minimum 10bit
- Sync'd
- Ultra High Quality
- Studio and Commercials



What's Next

- 3D is becoming pervasive
- 3D Cameras are beginning to appear at all levels
- 3D integrated into "new media" delivery formats
- GPU is a key element of the 3D video pipeline



Thank You

Questions ?

