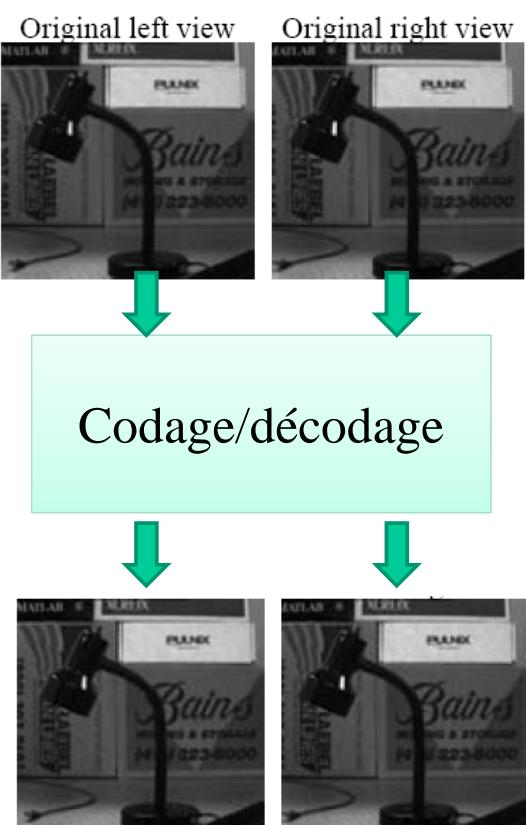


# TV3D un nouveau défi pour l'évaluation de la qualité perceptuelle ?

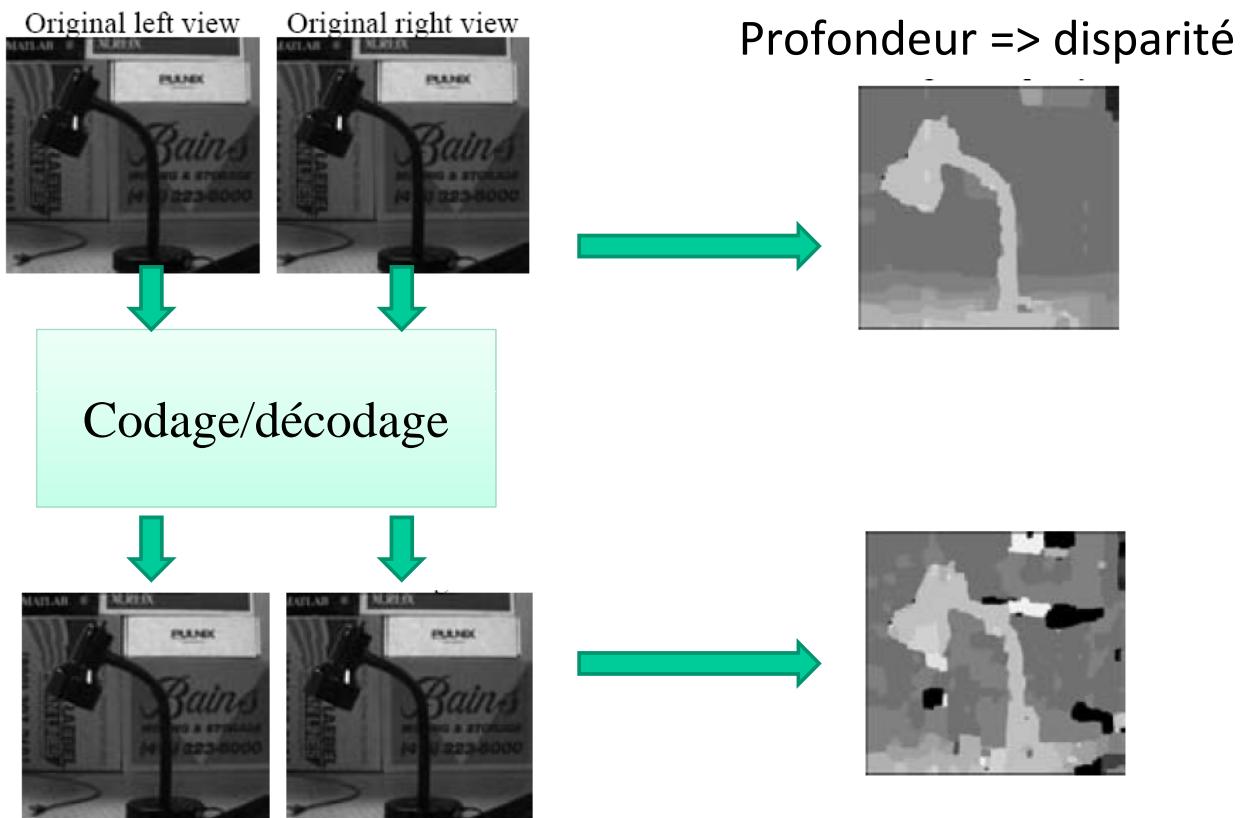
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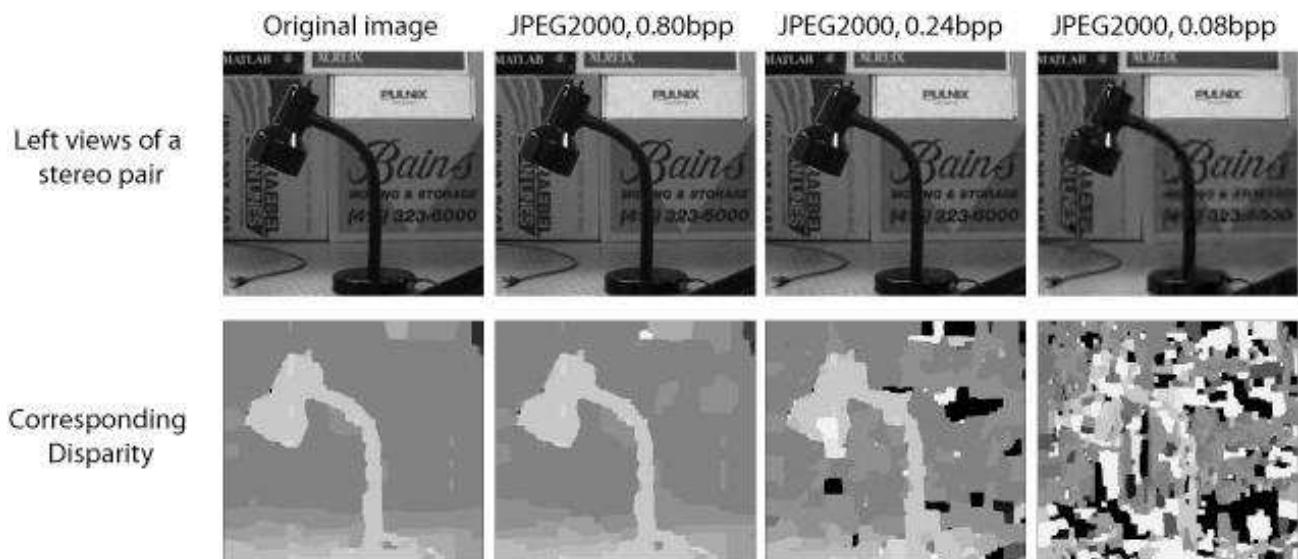
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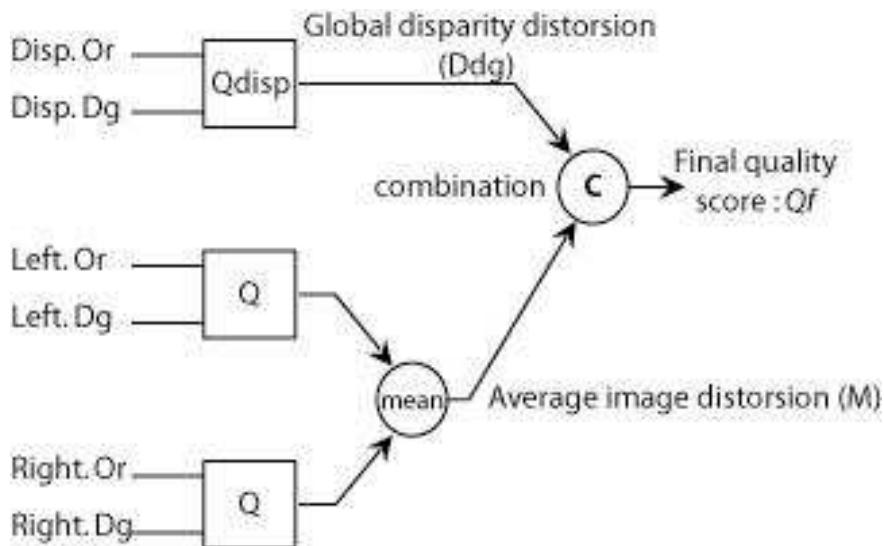
# Qualité d'images stéréo



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# Mesure objective de qualité



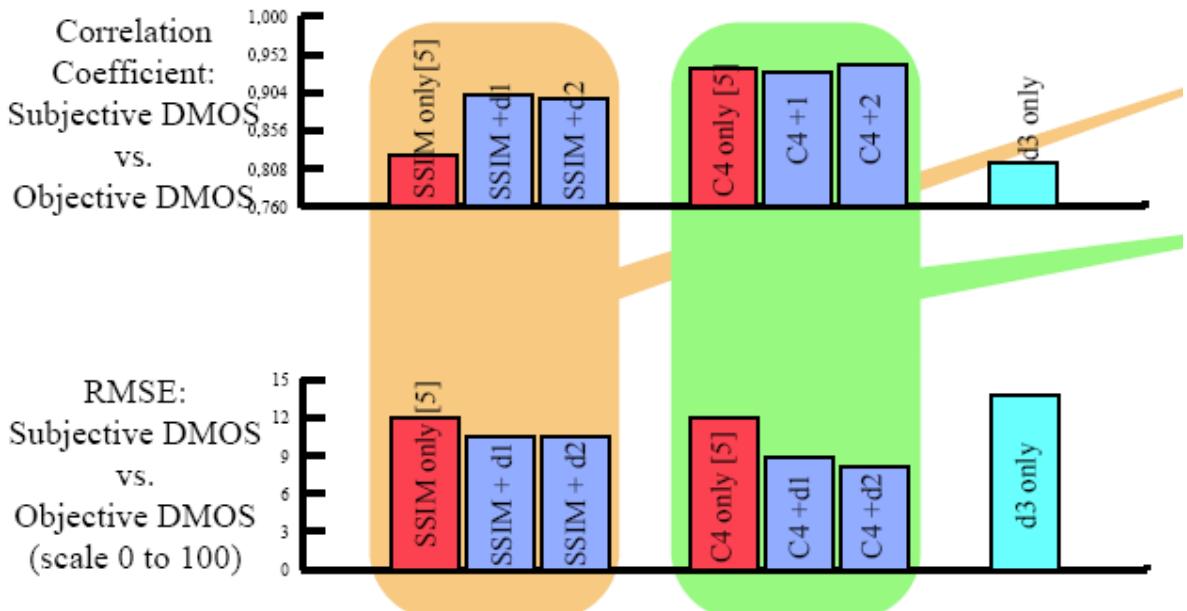
Quality of stereoscopic images, Alexandre Benoit, Patrick Le Callet, Patrizio Campisi and Romain Cousseau, *EURASIP Journal on Image and Video Processing, special issue on 3D Image and Video Processing, vol. 2008, Article ID 659024, 13 pages, doi:10.1155/2008/659024, 2008.*

# Evaluation subjective



Conditions Rec. ITU  
notation: qualité, SAMVIQ  
6 SCR  
10 HRC (JPEG, J2K)

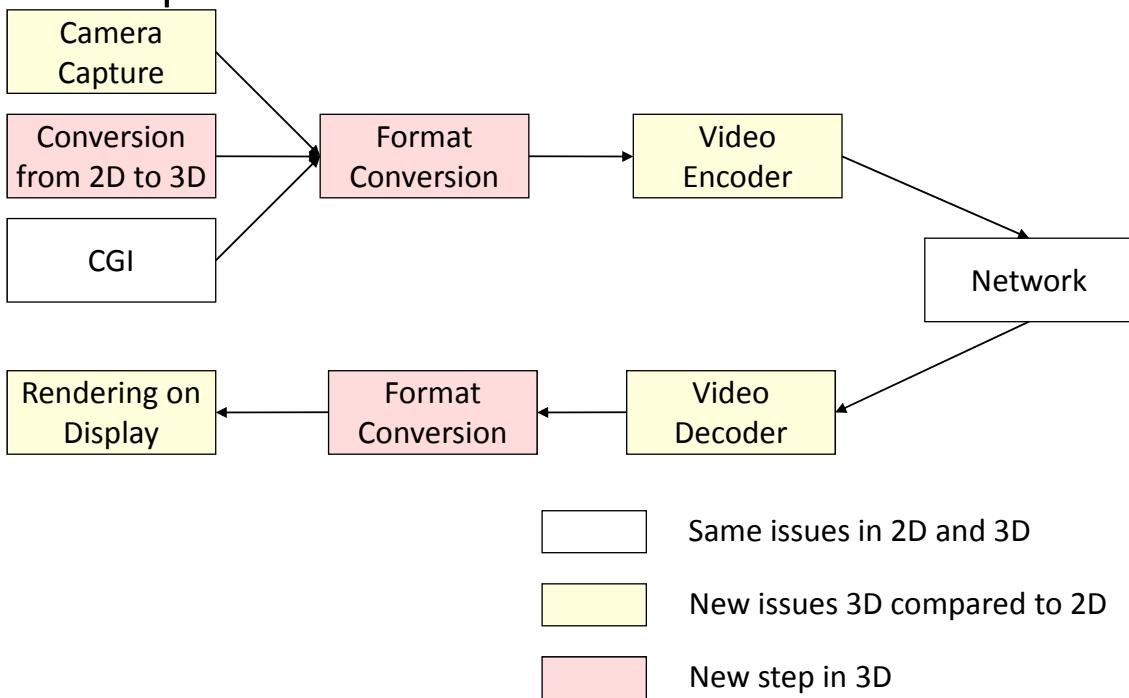
# Performances ?



## Qualité S-3D: nouvelles problématiques

Pour quelle condition ? => HRC ? Nouveaux artefacts ?

la diffusion E2E de contenu 3D est un défi ...qui n'est pas une simple extension du cas 2D



# Qualité S-3D: nouvelles problématiques

Qualité & 3D => que mesurer ?

la S-3D doit être acceptée par les observateurs pour être un succès.

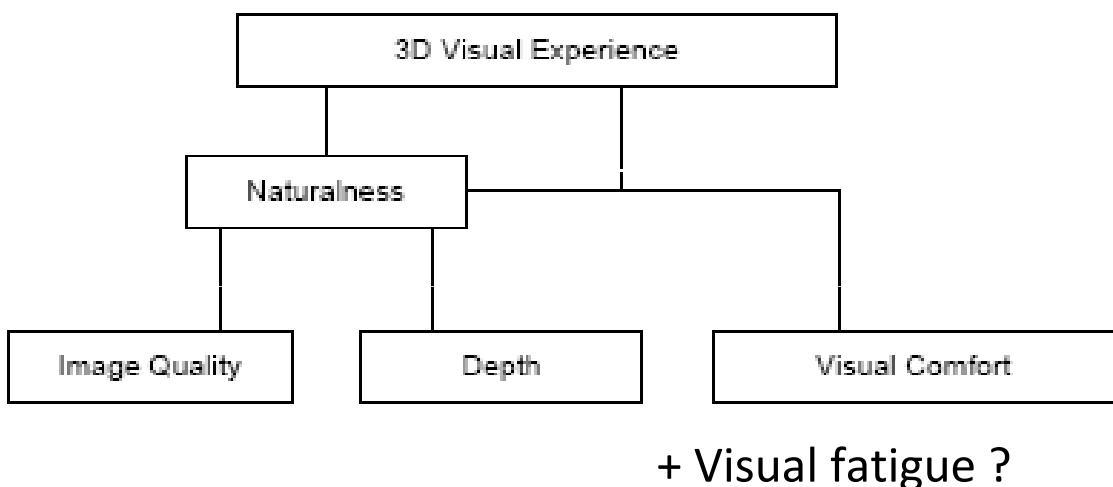
...certains prévoient déjà la mort

R. Ebert, "Why i hate 3-d (and you should too)," Newsweek, May 2010. [Online]. Available: <http://www.newsweek.com/2010/04/30/why-i-hate-3-d-and-you-should-too.html>

M. Kermode, "Come in number 3d, your time is up," BBC News, December 2009. [Online]. Available: <http://www.bbc.co.uk/blogs/markkermode/2009/12/come-in-number-3d-your-time-is.html>

## 3D Visual Experience (seuntiëns 2006)

Qualité & 3D => multidimensionnel



=> Vers la QoE, comment la mesurer avec des observateurs ....ensuite peut être objectivement

# Profondeur: La S-3D actuelle «trompe» notre perception

Binocular cues

binocular disparity and vergence

...but also monocular cues

accommodation, blur

Texture gradient, shadows

perspective, relative size

motion parallax



## Indices de profondeur...sensibilité

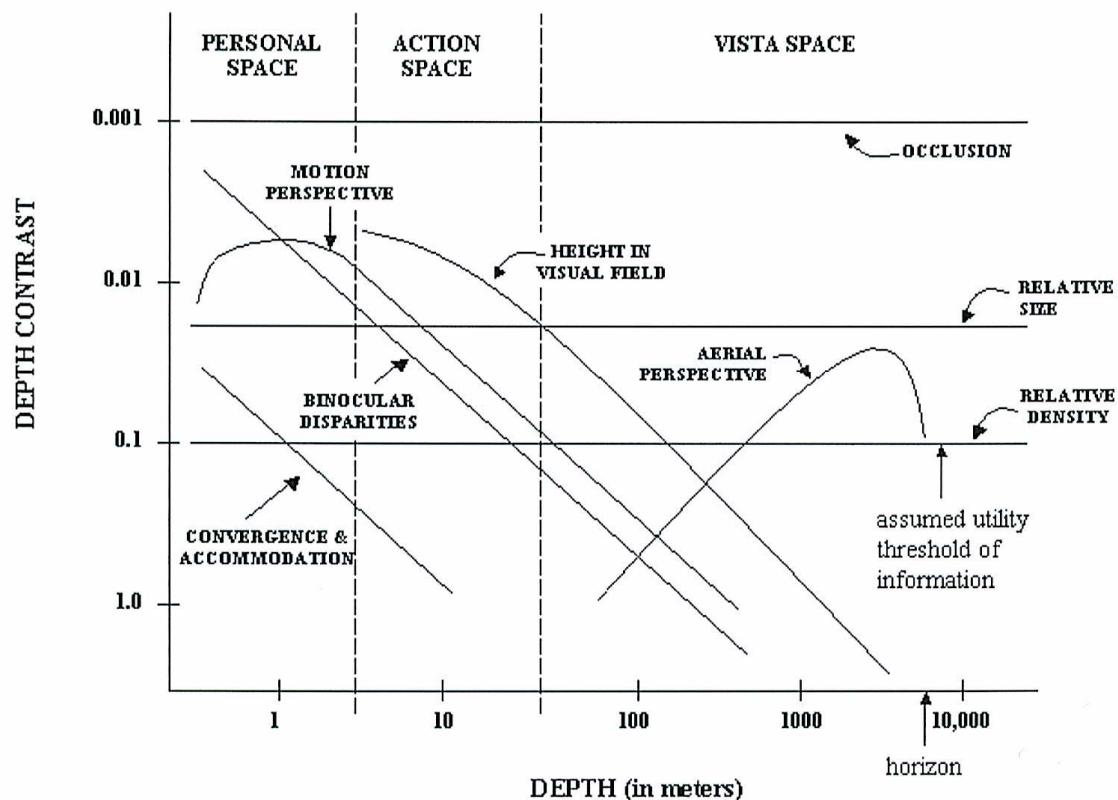


Figure adapted from Cutting & Vishton 1995

## La S-3D actuelle «trompe» notre perception

Combinaison des indices de profondeurs:  
corrélation vs ambiguïté ...

dominance d'indice  
réinterprétation d'indice

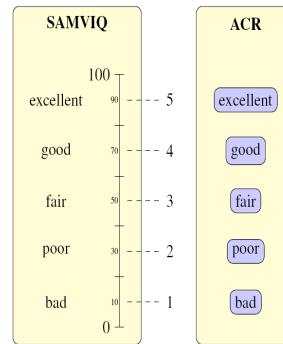
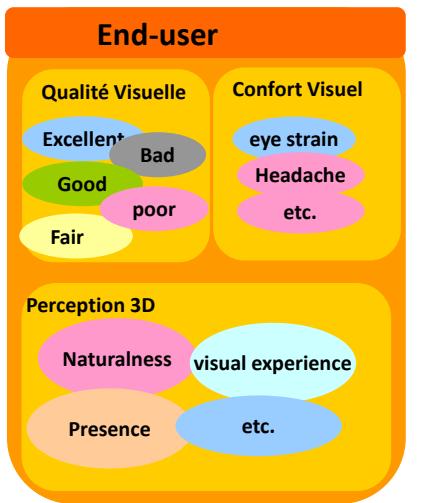
Question :

Cue enhancement without reliability with  
others => cognitive load ?

Mesurer la qualité d'expérience 3D

# Challenge: mesurer la QoE

Multidimensionnel: évaluation de plusieurs attributs



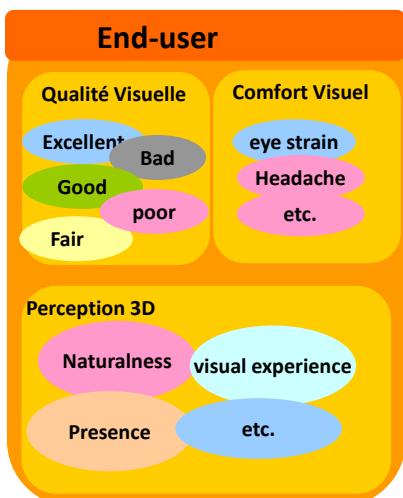
qualité visuelle

profondeur

confort visuel

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# Challenge: mesurer la QoE



questionnaires



optometry

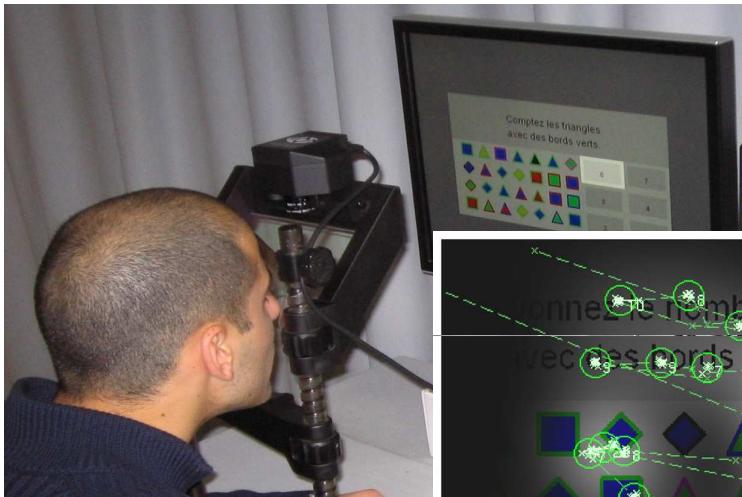


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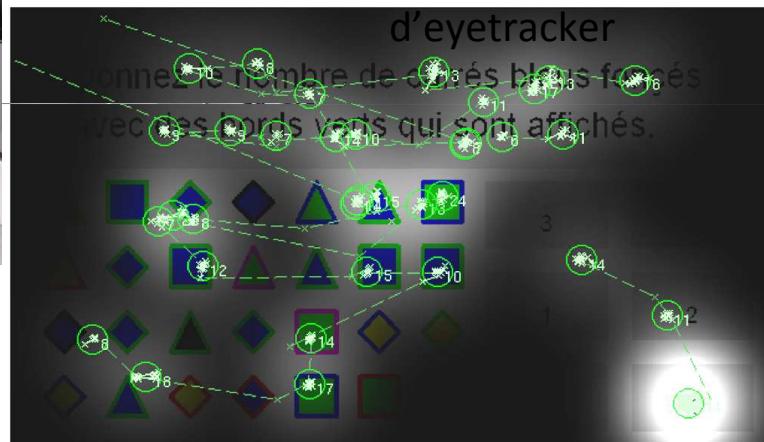
EEG - EMG

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# Impact sur la performance (pre et post 3D)



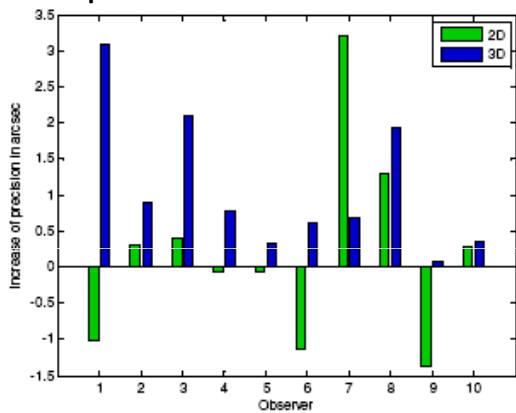
mesure de la performance:  
Question+réponse =>  
Utilisation



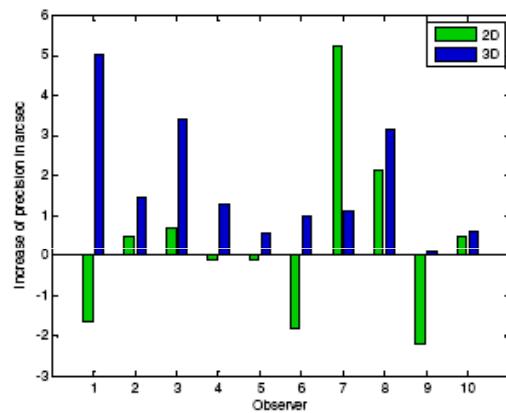
Influence of autostereoscopic 3D displays on subsequent task performance- Stereoscopic Displays and Applications 2010  
Marcus Barkowsky, Patrick Le Callet - IRCCyN

# Impact sur la performance (pre et post 3D)

mesure de la performance: expérience de psychophysique + optométrie



Accuracy increase for 75% correct detection [arcsec]



Accuracy increase for 92% correct detection [arcsec]

augmentation des performances alors que les observateurs rapportent des « symptômes » d'inconfort (questionnaire)

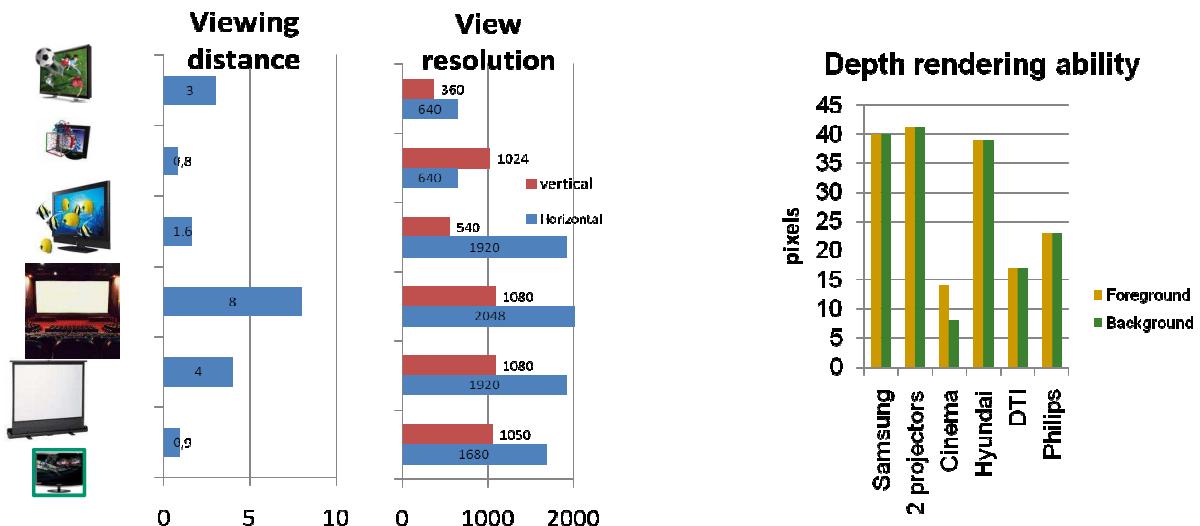
Is visual fatigue changing the perceived depth accuracy on an autostereoscopic display?  
Marcus Barkowsky, Romain Cousseau, Patrick Le Callet- Stereoscopic Displays and Applications 2011

# Challenge: les conditions de test

exemple: l'écran

en 2D on dispose d'écrans « transparents » (cas particulier LCD)

Mais c'est loin d'être le cas en S-3D !



New requirement of subjective video quality assessment methodologies for 3DTV - VPQM 2010  
Wei Chen, Jérôme Fournier, Marcus Barkowsky, Patrick Le Callet - , Orange labs R&D - IRCCyN

## Problème des écrans (2)

- Autres problèmes technologiques
  - Crosstalk
  - Flickering due to ambient lighting with shutter glasses
  - Post processing & rendering
- Problèmes „facteurs humains“
  - Fixed viewing distance necessary
  - Influence of training in 3D viewing

## Quelques questions et défis

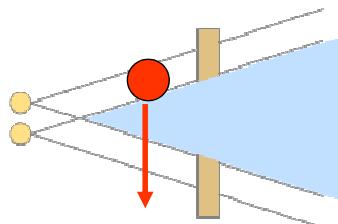
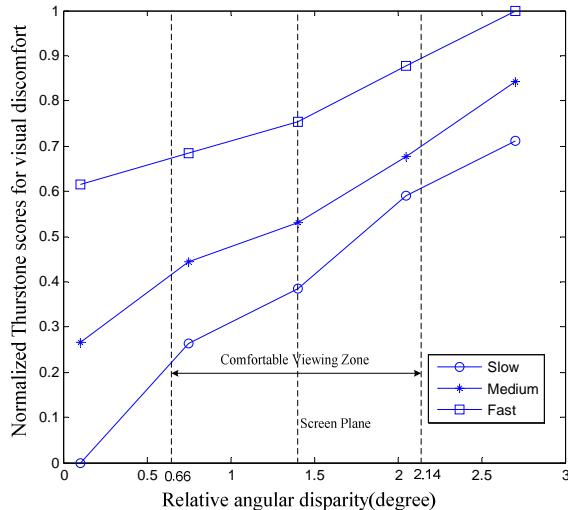
### Capture (1/2)

- Challenges in camera capturing:
  - Synchronization (shutter, zoom, focus, ...)
  - Camera alignment (toed-in, ...)
  - Camera calibration (geometry, color, focus, ...)

⇒ Relation avec la QoE ?

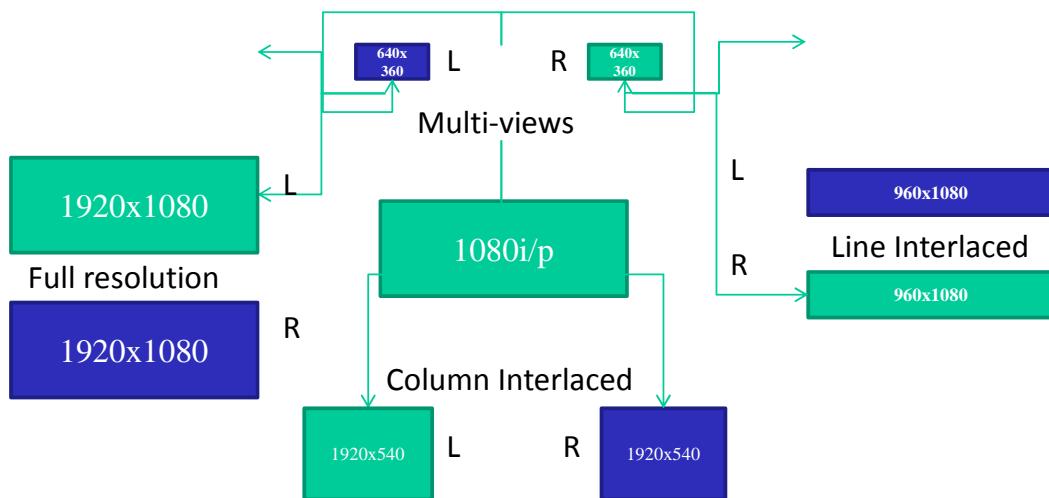
## Capture (2/2)

- Focus point different from viewer's attention
- Visual fatigue due to moving objects in the foreground of the display



STUDY ON VISUAL DISCOMFORT INDUCED BY STIMULUS MOVEMENT AT FIXED DEPTH ON STEREOSCOPIC DISPLAYS USING SHUTTER GLASSES J. Li, M. Barkowsky, J. Wang, and P. Le Callet, to appear in IEEE DSP 2011

## S-3D : la jungle des formats

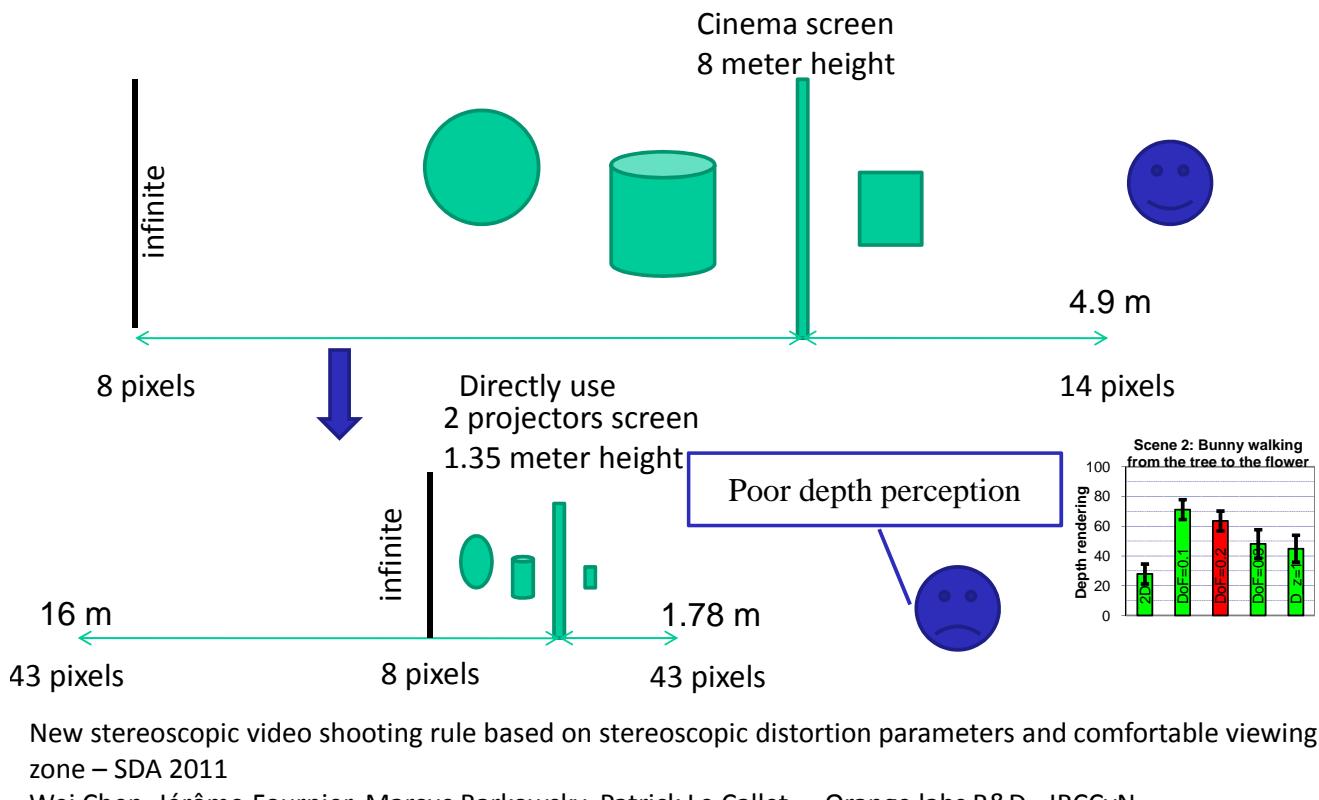


Perte de résolution=> perte de détails, gradients

Influence of depth rendering on the quality of experience for an autostereoscopic display. influence of depth rendering on the quality of experience for an autostereoscopic display.

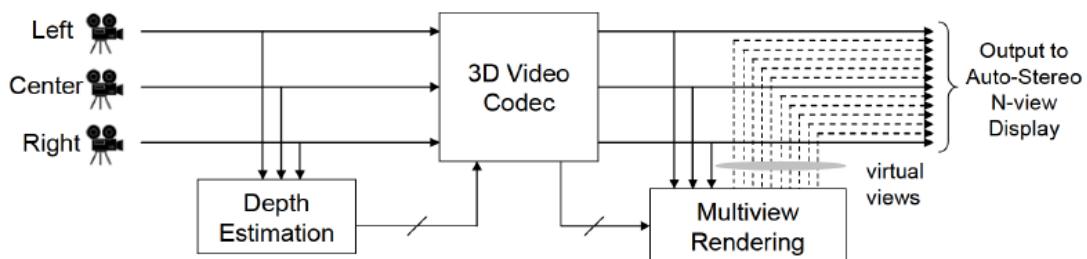
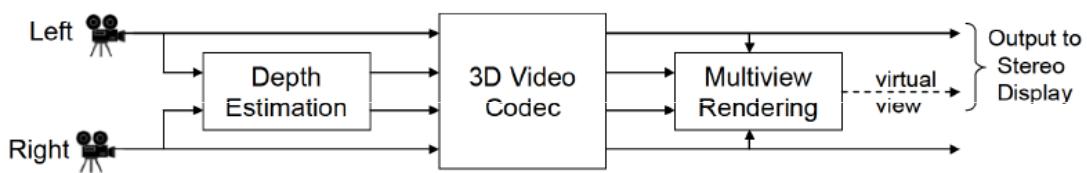
M . Barkowsky , R . Cousseau , P . Le Callet , IEEE International Workshop on Quality of Multimedia Experience, 2009

# 3D QoE: postprroduction de la salle cinema au home cinema ?

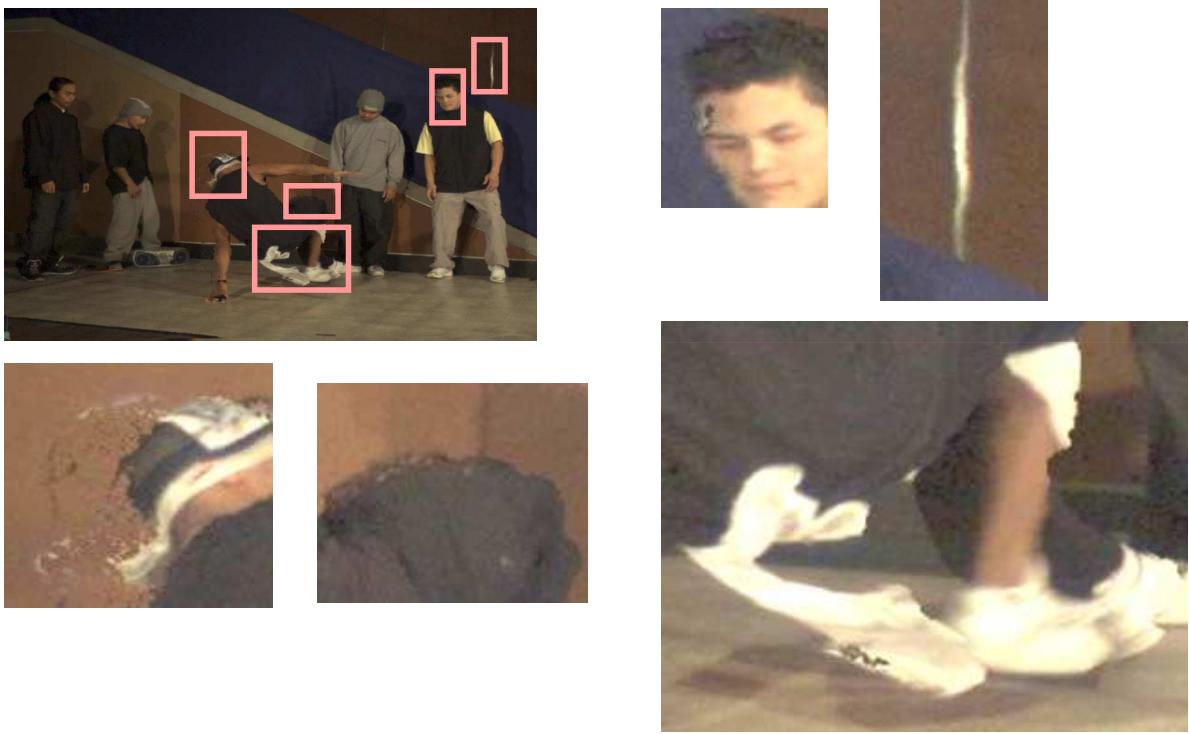


## Conversion (contexte FTV)

- Conversion avec pertes
  - Depth Image Based Rendering (DIBR)
  - Depth Estimation from single or multiple viewpoints



# DIBR: artefacts typiques



# DIBR: les métriques de qualité actuelles sont inutiles

|    | PSNR | SSIM  | MSSIM | VSNR  | VIF   | VIFP  | UQI   | IFC   | NQM  | WSNR | PSNR | hsvm | PSNR | hsv  |
|----|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| CC | 40.5 | -14.5 | -8.9  | -21.2 | -22.3 | -22.9 | -25.9 | -22.8 | 42.6 | 39.6 | 37.1 | 37.1 | 37.1 | 37.1 |

**Table 3.** Correlation coefficients between subjective and objective scores in percentage.

|           | PSNR | SSIM | MSSIM | VSNR | VIF  | VIFP | UQI  | IFC  | NQM  | WSNR | PSNR | hsvm | PSNR | hsv |
|-----------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| PSNR      |      | 83.9 | 79.6  | 87.3 | 77.0 | 70.6 | 53.6 | 71.6 | 95.2 | 98.2 | 99.2 | 99.0 |      |     |
| SSIM      | 83.9 |      | 96.7  | 93.9 | 93.4 | 92.4 | 81.5 | 92.9 | 84.9 | 83.7 | 83.2 | 83.5 |      |     |
| MSSIM     | 79.6 | 96.7 |       | 89.7 | 88.8 | 90.2 | 86.3 | 89.4 | 85.6 | 81.1 | 77.9 | 78.3 |      |     |
| VSNR      | 87.3 | 93.9 | 89.7  |      | 87.9 | 83.3 | 71.9 | 84.0 | 85.3 | 85.5 | 86.1 | 85.8 |      |     |
| VIF       | 77.0 | 93.4 | 88.8  | 87.9 |      | 97.5 | 75.2 | 98.7 | 74.4 | 78.1 | 79.4 | 80.2 |      |     |
| VIFP      | 70.6 | 92.4 | 90.2  | 83.3 | 97.5 |      | 85.9 | 99.2 | 73.6 | 75.0 | 72.2 | 72.9 |      |     |
| UQI       | 53.6 | 81.5 | 86.3  | 71.9 | 75.2 | 85.9 |      | 81.9 | 70.2 | 61.8 | 50.9 | 50.8 |      |     |
| IFC       | 71.6 | 92.9 | 89.4  | 84.0 | 98.7 | 99.2 | 81.9 |      | 72.8 | 74.4 | 73.5 | 74.4 |      |     |
| NQM       | 95.2 | 84.9 | 85.6  | 85.3 | 74.4 | 73.6 | 70.2 | 72.8 |      | 97.1 | 92.3 | 91.8 |      |     |
| WSNR      | 98.2 | 83.7 | 81.1  | 85.5 | 78.1 | 75.0 | 61.8 | 74.4 | 97.1 |      | 97.4 | 97.1 |      |     |
| PSNR_hsvm | 99.2 | 83.2 | 77.9  | 86.1 | 79.4 | 72.2 | 50.9 | 73.5 | 92.3 | 97.4 |      | 99.9 |      |     |
| PSNR_hsv  | 99.0 | 83.5 | 78.3  | 85.8 | 80.2 | 72.9 | 50.8 | 74.4 | 91.8 | 97.1 | 99.9 |      |      |     |

**Table 2.** Correlation coefficients between objective metrics in percentage.

Towards a new quality metric for 3D synthesized views assessment – en relecture IEEE trans. on CCSVt

Emilie Bosc, R.pépion, P. Le Callet, M. Köppel, P. Ndjiki-Nya, M. Pressigout, L. Morin

# Codage et transmission

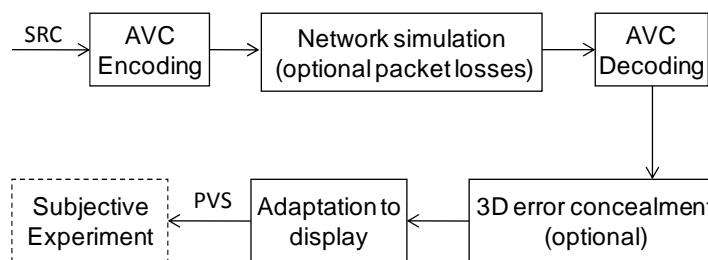
La grande tentation: Asymmetric stereoscopic conditions

asymmetric coding

Transmission impairment

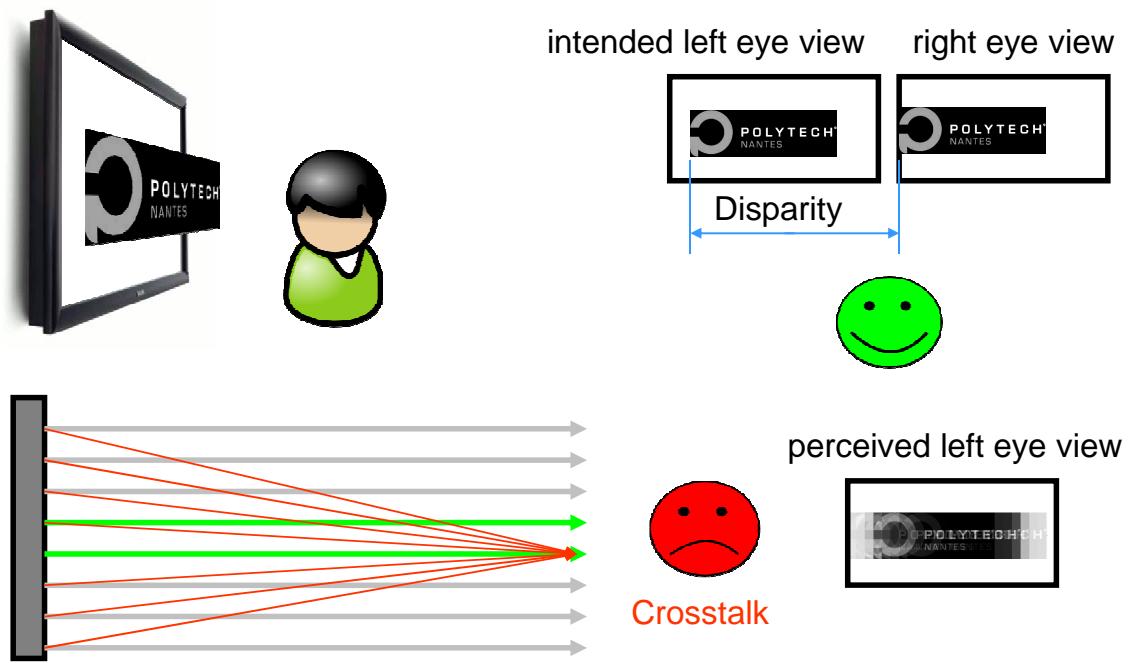
- Fusion binoculaire et rivalité
  - Codage Asymétrique réduit le débit à qualité visuelle équivalente mais stresse la rivalité binoculaire → visual fatigue
  - Problème à considérer dans le cas d'erreur de transmission

## Comparaison des stratégies d'error concealment



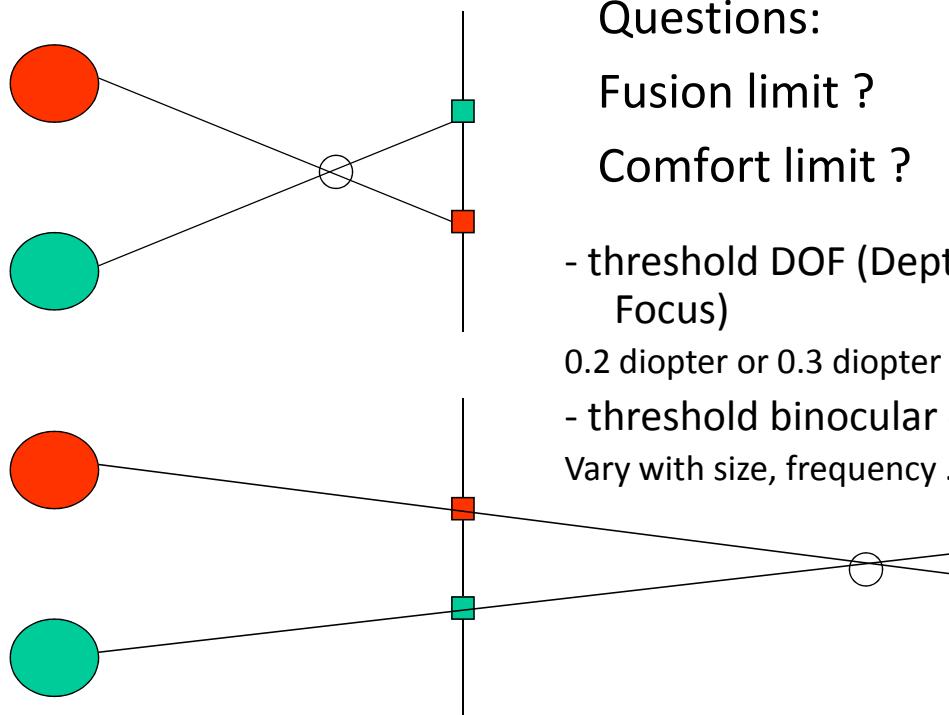
- ❖ 20 processes (HRCs), 200 PVS
  - ❖ Concealment method
    - A. H.264
    - B. Frame freezing
    - C. Reduced playback speed
    - D. Switch to 2D presentation
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- ✓ Best: Switch to 2D
  - ✓ Worst: Freeze, no big diff. D&C
  - ✓ Worst@ heavy burst H.264

# TV3D : crosstalk

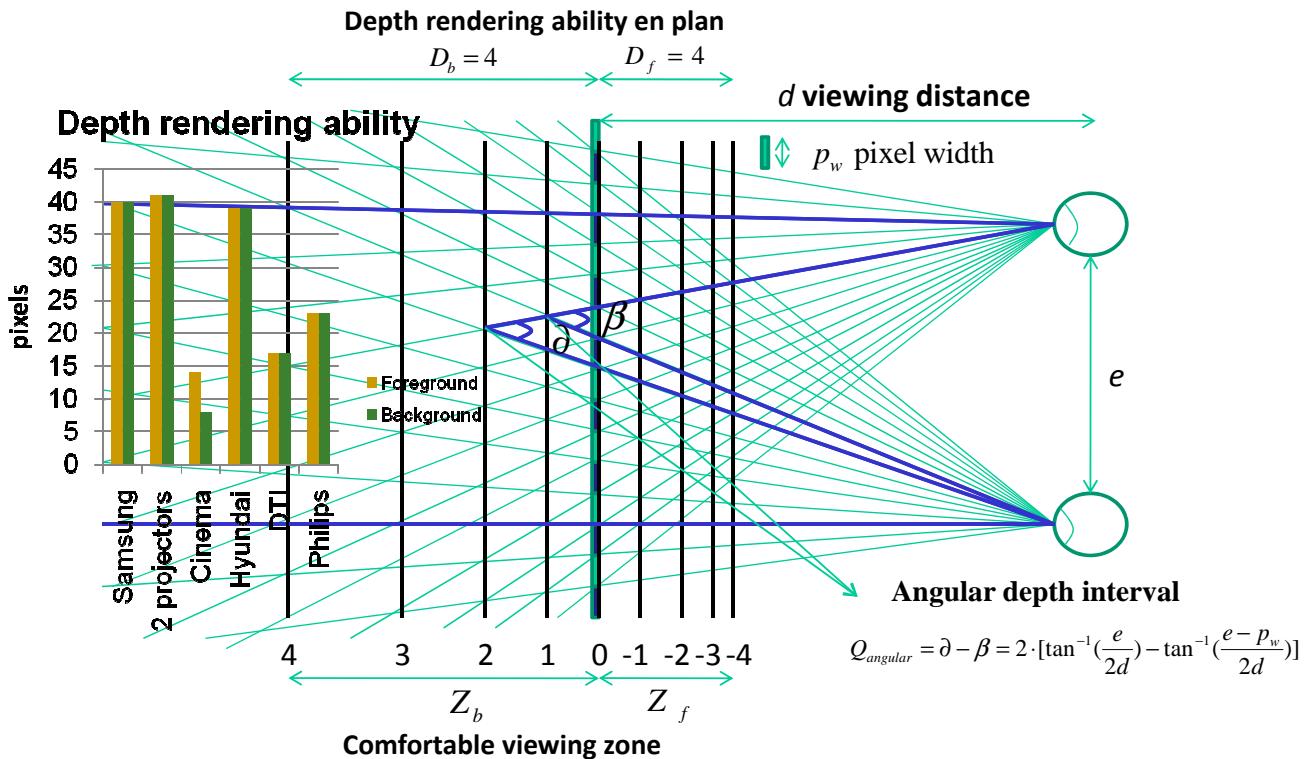


\*Crosstalk Measurement and Mitigation for Autostereoscopic Displays- SPIE 3D image processing 2010  
Marcus Barkowsky, Patrick Le Callet, Patrizio Campisi, Vito Rizzo- IRCCyN Lab, Nantes, Università degli Studi „Roma Tre“

## vergence/accommodation conflict



# depth rendering



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## vergence/accommodation : challenges and solutions ...

« Ramener » les ROI dans la zone de confort visuel

Problème des sous titrages, EPG ...

Filtrage pour limiter les ambiguïtés et faciliter la fusion binoculaire

Plus qu'en 2D, l'attention visuelle peut être très utile dans le contexte s-3D pour améliorer la QoE et en particulier le confort visuel

*The Importance of Visual Attention in Improving the 3D-TV Viewing Experience: Overview and New Perspectives - Q.Huynh-Thu, M.Barkowsky and P. Le Callet to appear in IEEE trans. On Broadcasting, 2011*

mais ... les mécanismes de l'attention visuelle associée au media s-3D sont encore mal connus

## Take away messages ...

- S-3D et évaluation subjective ...ce qui reste à définir
  - Display: exigences minimales et caractérisation
  - Standardisation des environnements de visualisation
  - Mesures fiables des différentes dimensions:
    - Profondeur, qualité globale, ...Depth impression
    - Confort, fatigue ...

## Take away messages ...

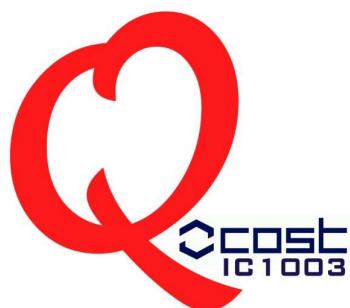
- Vers les métriques objectives
  - Besoin de données issues d'évaluations subjectives fiables
  - Considérer les nouveaux types d'artefacts liés au 3D
  - Modélisation des processus de fusion perceptuelle et mécanismes de haut niveau
  - Nécessité d'avoir accès au signal affiché (après algorithmes de rendu), modélisation d'écran

# VQEG (Video Quality Expert Group)

un groupe: 3DTV

Des activités:

- Testplan crosstalk
- Travail sur les méthodologies d'évaluation subjective

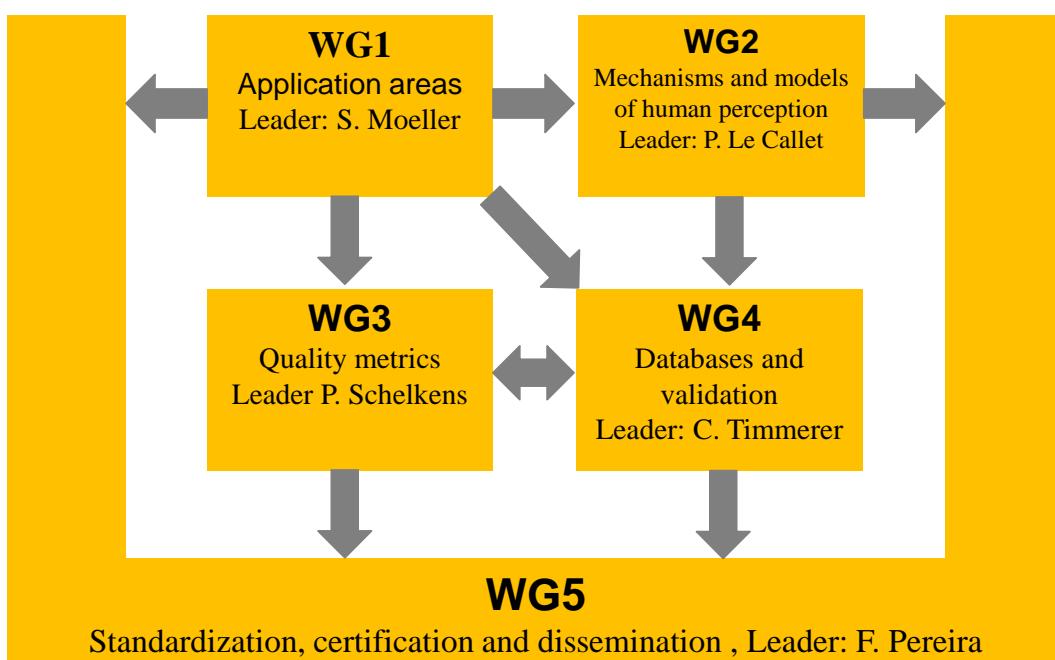


COST Action IC1003 - QUALINET  
European Network on Quality of Experience in  
Multimedia Systems and Services

# QUALINET objectives

- Coordination of multidisciplinary QoE research in Europe
- Strengthening dissemination efforts through already established, and new initiatives (QoMEX, special events, books, journals, ...)
- Strengthening interaction between academia and industry (industrial forum, STSM, ...)
- Strengthening educational efforts in QoE (summer schools, Ph.D. events, exchange of young researchers with STSM, ...)
- Coordinated contribution to international standards (ISO, ITU-T, VQEG, ...)
- Coordination between multimedia evaluation laboratory clusters at partner premises (cross-validation, reference laboratories...)
- Study and initiation of certification mechanisms for multimedia products and services (pilot projects with industrial partners, ...)
- Creation of a sustainable QUALINET beyond the period of funding

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