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- Presents a novel multi-baseline, multi-resolution stereo method, which varies the baseline and resolution proportionally to depth to obtain a reconstruction in which the depth error is constant
- In contrast to traditional stereo, in which the error grows quadratically with depth, which means that the accuracy in the near range far exceeds that of the far range
- By selecting an appropriate baseline and resolution (image pyramid), the algorithm computes a depthmap which has these properties:
 - the depth accuracy is constant over the reconstructed volume, by increasing the baseline to increase accuracy in the far range
 - the computational effort is spread evenly over the volume by reducing the resolution in the near range
 - the angle of triangulation is held constant w.r.t. depth
- Evaluates on self-recorded dataset