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# CS380: Computer Graphics Introduction

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# About the Instructor

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- **Notable recognitions**
  - **Co-chairs at ACM Symp. on Interactive 3D Graphics and Games**
  - **Test-of-time award at High Performance Graphics**
- **Interns/post.doc/collaborations at Disney, Adobe, AMD, Pixar**
- **Produced two professors on rendering (GIST) and related topics**



# Research: Scalable Ray Tracing, Image Search, Motion Planning

- Designing *scalable graphics and geometric algorithms* to efficiently handle massive models on commodity hardware



Photo-realistic rendering

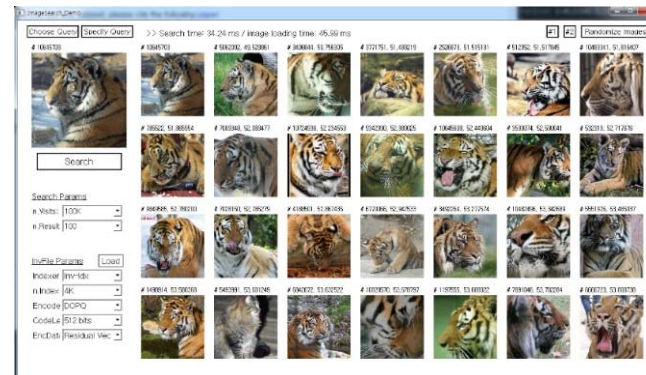


Image search



Motion planning

Paper and video: <https://sgvr.kaist.ac.kr/category/papers/paper-international/>

YouTube videos: <http://www.youtube.com/user/sglabkaist>

# Course Information of CS380

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**KLMS discussion page:**

**Use this one for sharing Q&A with other students, instead of personal communication (e.g., email) to TAs**

**KLMS: homework submissions**

**Course webpage:**

**<http://sglab.kaist.ac.kr/~sungeui/CG/>**

# Class Time

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- **Date: every MW**
  - **Time: 10:30am ~ 11:45am**
- **4 credit course**
  - **OpenGL courses will be given by TAs**

# TAs

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- TA email address: [cs380ta@gmail.com](mailto:cs380ta@gmail.com)
  - Use KLMS board first
- InKyu Ahn (안인규), MinCheol Kang (강민철)
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- HeeChan Shin (신희찬)
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- InYoung Cho (조인영), JaeYoon Kim (김재윤)
  - Office: E3-1, 3443호

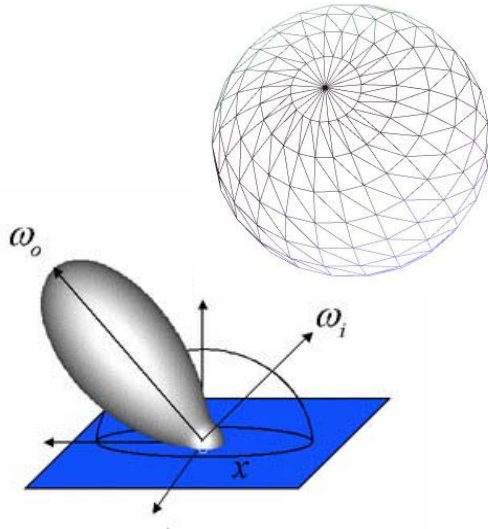
# Prerequisites

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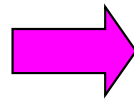
- **Basic knowledge of linear algebra**
  - E.g., matrix multiplication and inversion
- **Some level of programming skill**
  - Require you to know or self-study C-like language (e.g., C and C++)
- **If you are unsure, consult the instructor at the end of this class**
  - You can check the programming assignments of the prior homepage

# Overview

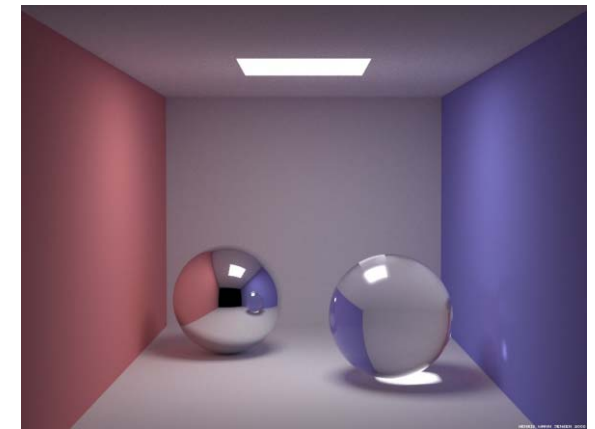
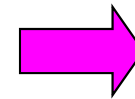
- We will discuss various parts of computer graphics



Modelling



Simulation & Rendering



Image

**Computer vision** inverts the process  
**Image processing** deals with images



# Application of Computer Graphics

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- **Games**
- **Movies and film special effects**
- **Product design and analysis**
- **Medical applications**
- **Scientific visualization**

# Games



2D game



3D shooting game

# Large-Scale Open World w/ High Quality Rendering

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- **Witcher 3**
  - **Used its own engine**



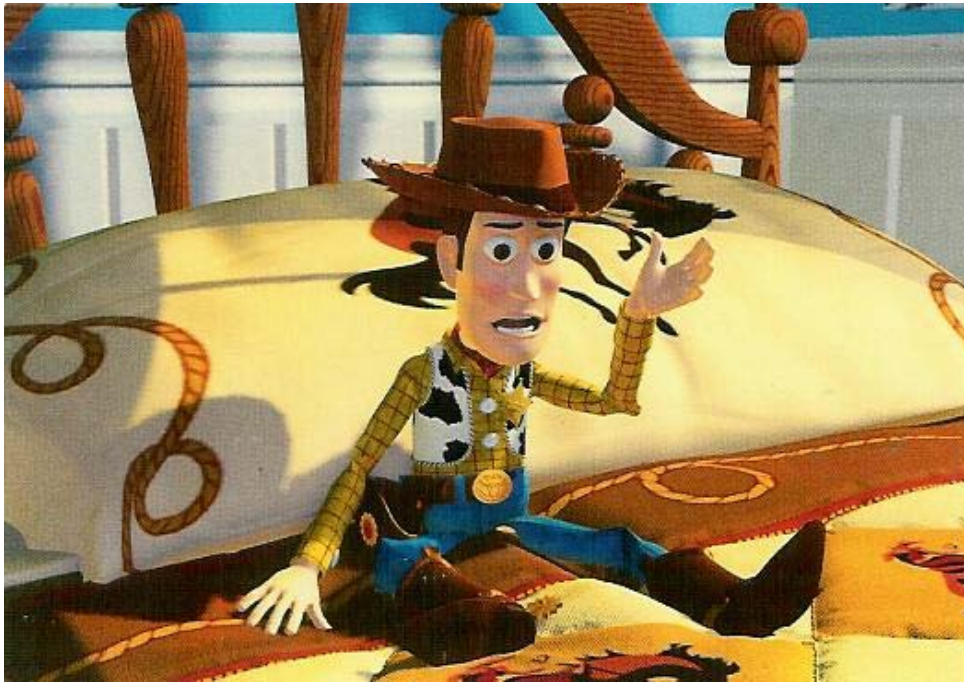
# High Quality Mobile Games

- Big game industry at Korea
- Lineage 2 – Revolution
  - Based on Unreal engine



# Movies and Film Special Effects

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**Toy story**



**Matrix**

# 3D Movies

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**Avatar**

# 3D TV

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**Samsung 3D TV**

# Head-Mounted Display (HMD) for VR

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# HoloLens for Augmented Reality (AR)



# Killer App. For AR

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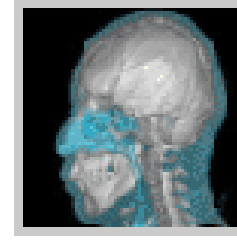
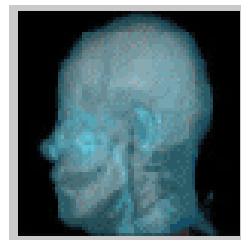
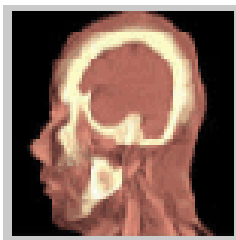
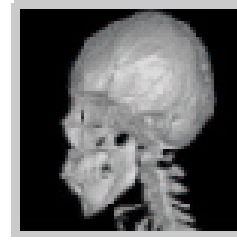
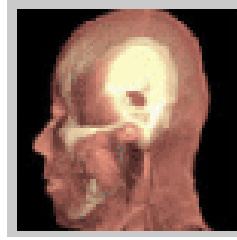
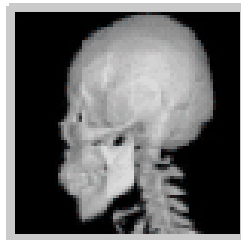
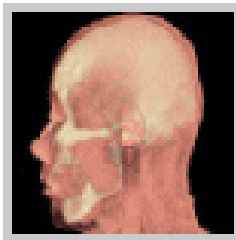
# Product Design and Analysis

- **Computer-aided design (CAD)**



# Medical Applications

- Visualizing data of CT, MRI, etc



# Medical Applications

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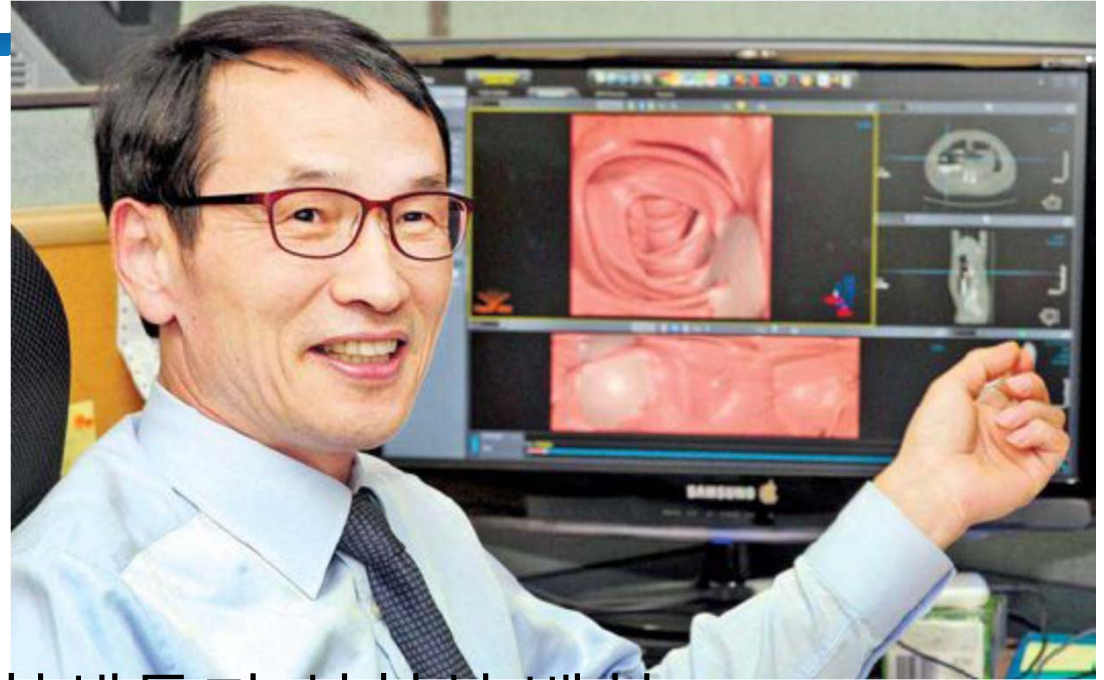
- Visualizing data of CT, MRI, etc



Wikipedia

**Mouse skull (CT)**

# Medical Applications



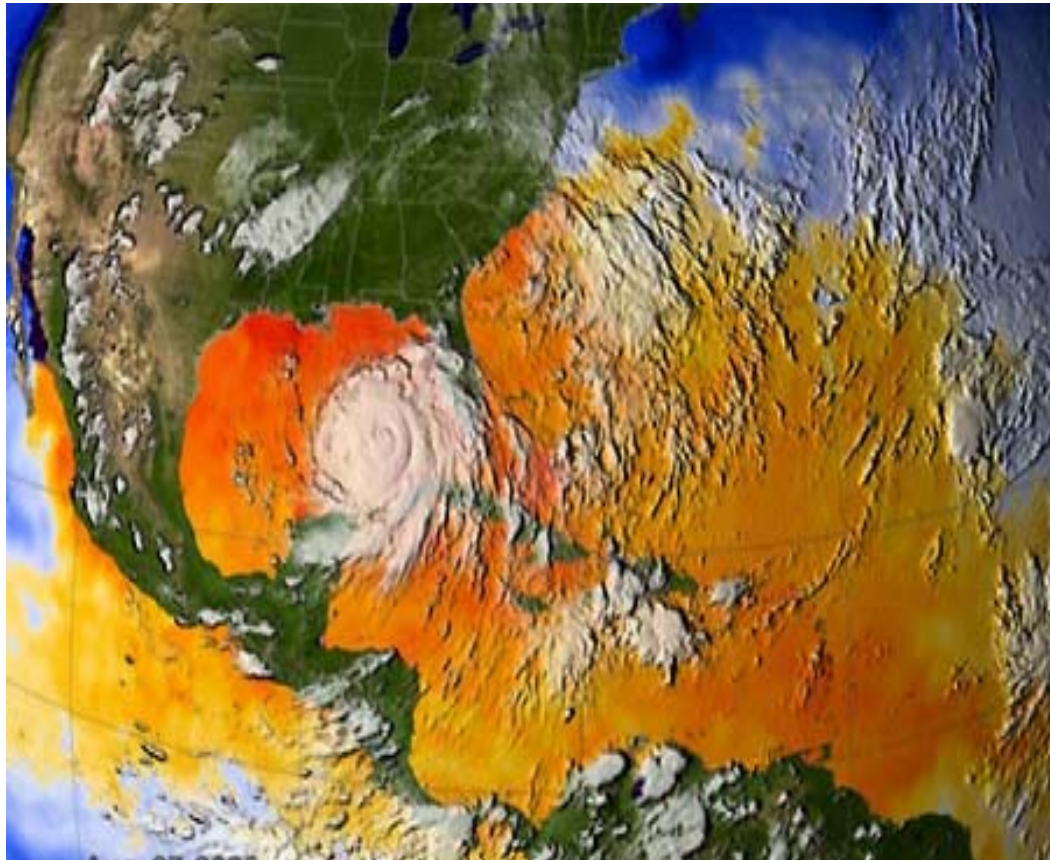
## 벤처 성공으로 유명세 타

... 신 교수는 1990년 대학원 학생들과 실험실 벤처 ‘3D메드’를 창업했다. 좋은 기술을 갖고 있었기 때문에 더 큰 벤처기업이 인수했고, 몇 년 전에 인수한 벤처기업이 코스닥 주식시장에 상장됐다. 당시 주식을 그대로 갖고 있었던 대학원생들은 꽤 돈을 벌었다고 한다. 기자가 넉넉하게 잡아 “몇 천만 원쯤 벌었나요”라고 물었더니 신 교수는 “집 한 채 샀지요”라고 에둘러 답했다....

# Scientific Applications

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- **Weather visualization**



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# Sound Rendering



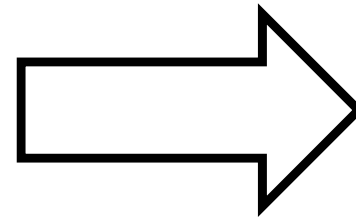
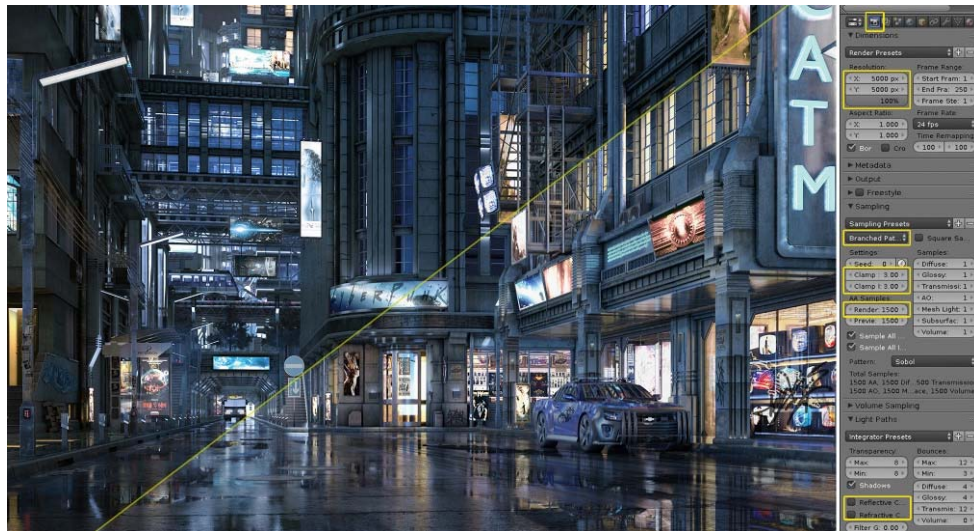


# Faithful Data Generation for Deep Learning

- Apply CG techniques for generating realistic data for deep learning, which require lots of data



GPU



Training data for learning



Realistic modeling, rendering & simulation

# Topics

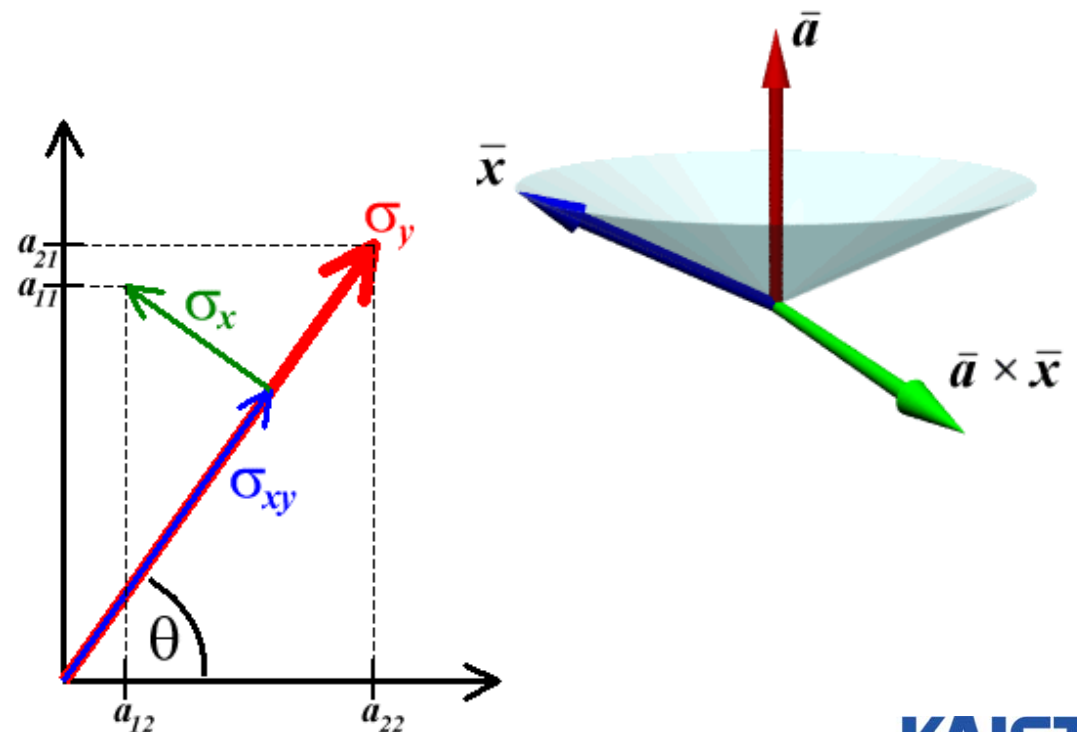
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- **Mathematical tools**
- **3D models and interaction**
- **Hidden surface removal**
- **Rasterization**
- **Lighting and shading**
- **Shadows**
- **Texture mapping**
- **Ray tracing**
- **Global illumination**
- **Curves and surfaces**
- **Simplification and levels of detail**
- **Collision detection**
- **Graphics hardware, etc**

# Mathematical Tools

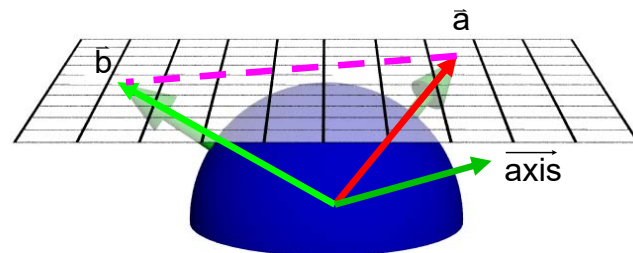
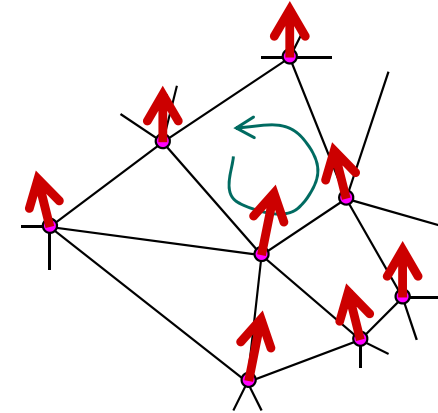
- Homogeneous coordinates
- Vectors
- Planes
- Frames
- Transformations

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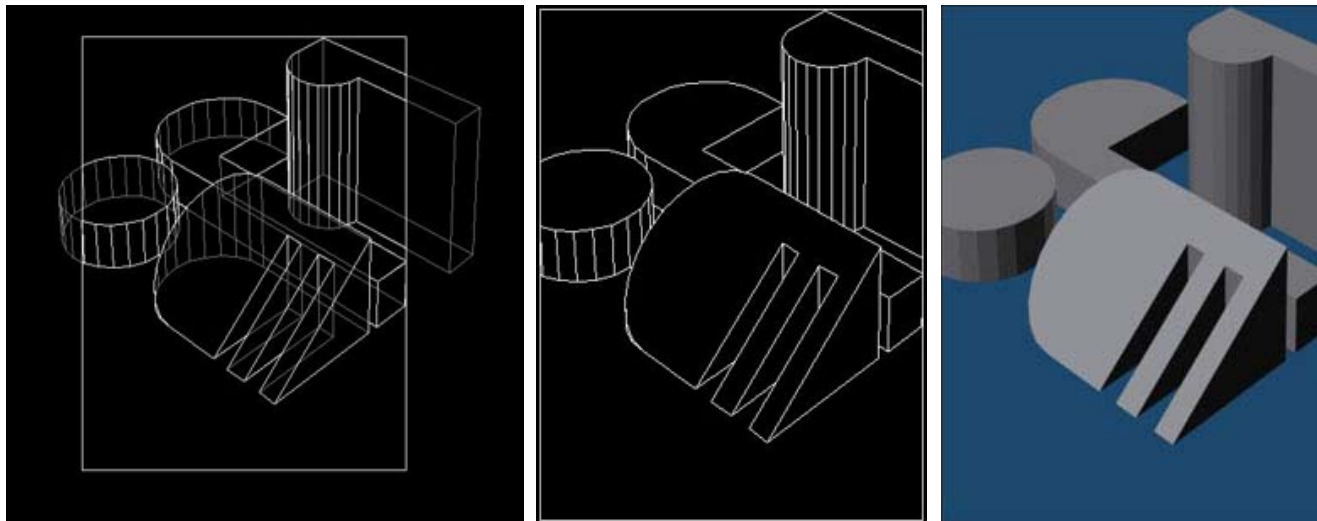
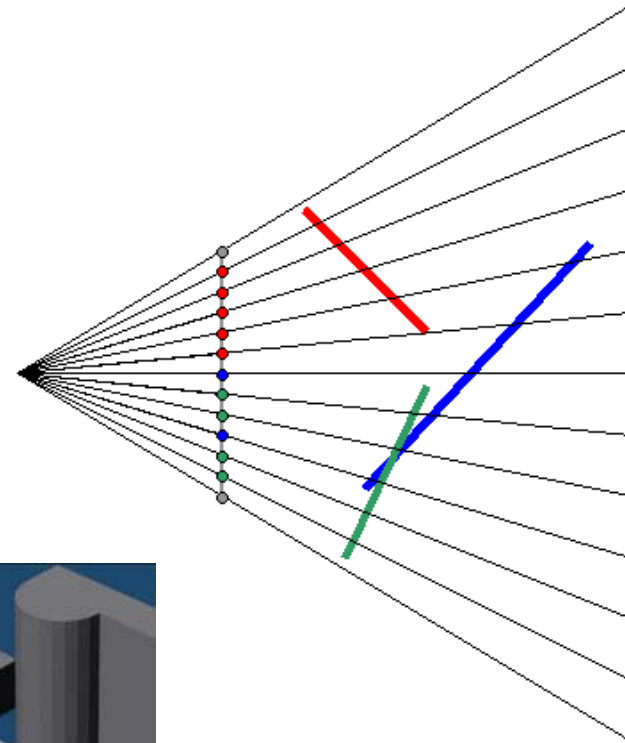
# 3D Models and Interaction

- Loading and view models
- Picking and selection
- Modeling a trackball
- Virtual reality (VR) is all about interaction



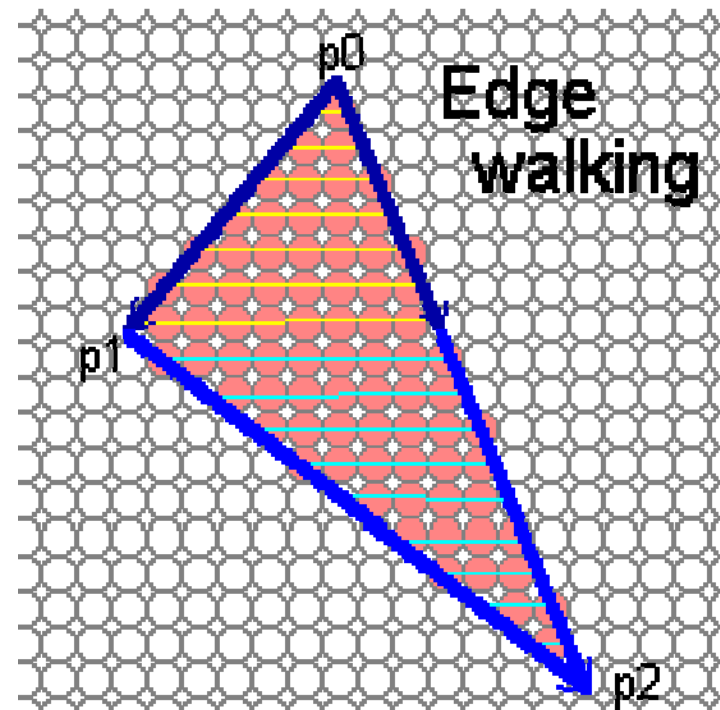
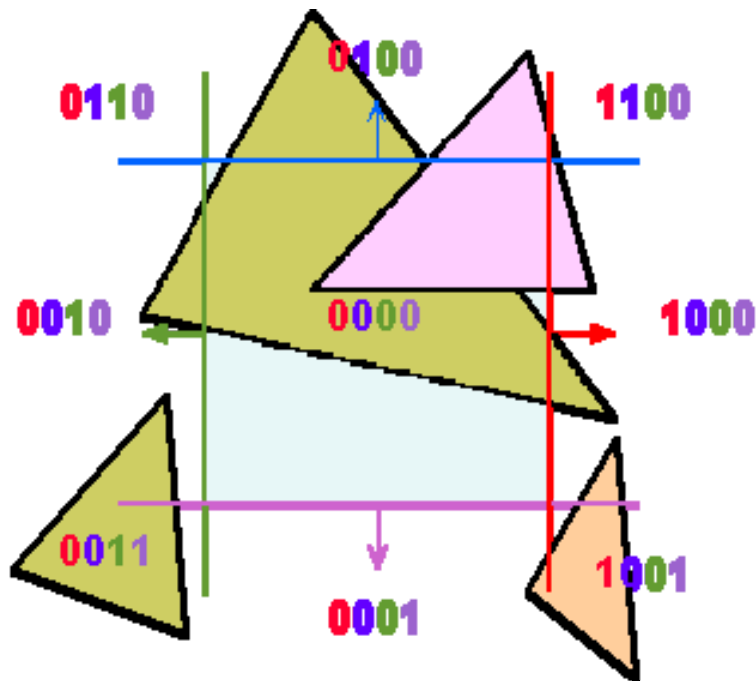
# Hidden Surface Removal

- **Classic problem**
- **BSP trees**
- **Ray casting**
- **Depth buffering**



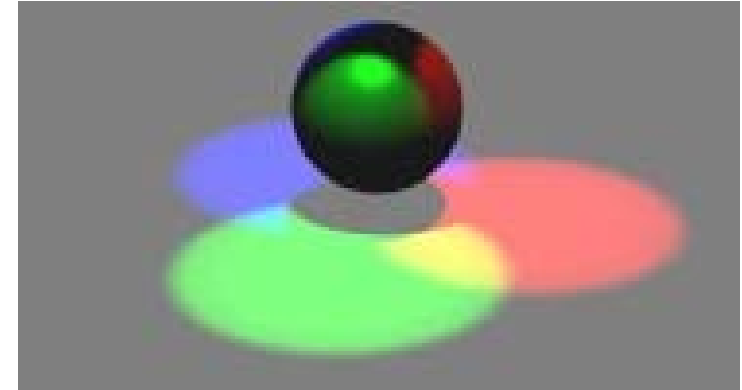
# Rasterization

- Clipping
- Scan conversion

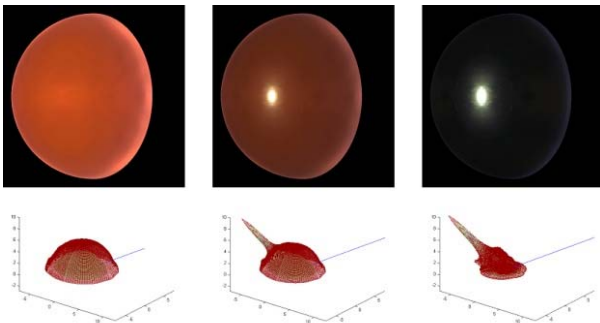
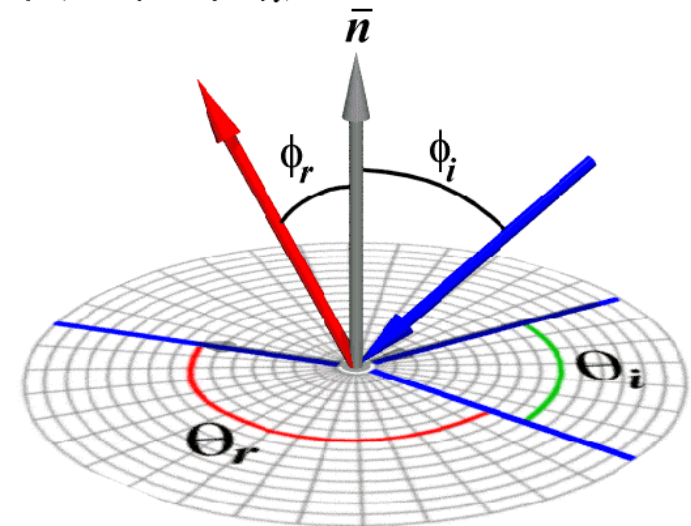


# Lighting and Shading

- Flat, gouraud, and phong shading
- Empirical and physically-based illumination models
- BRDFs

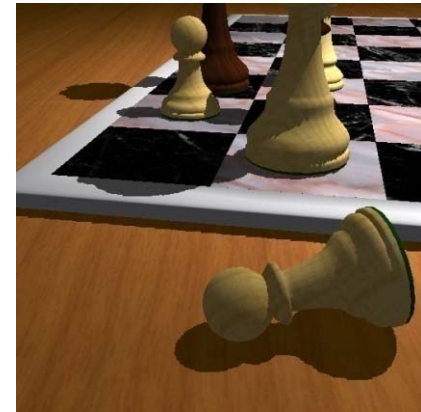
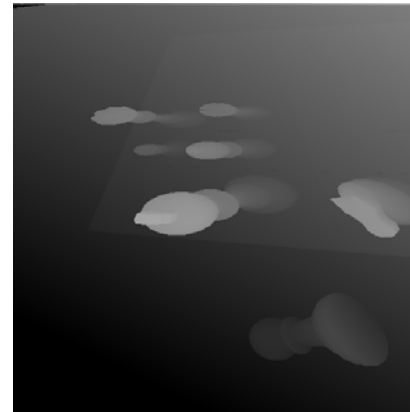


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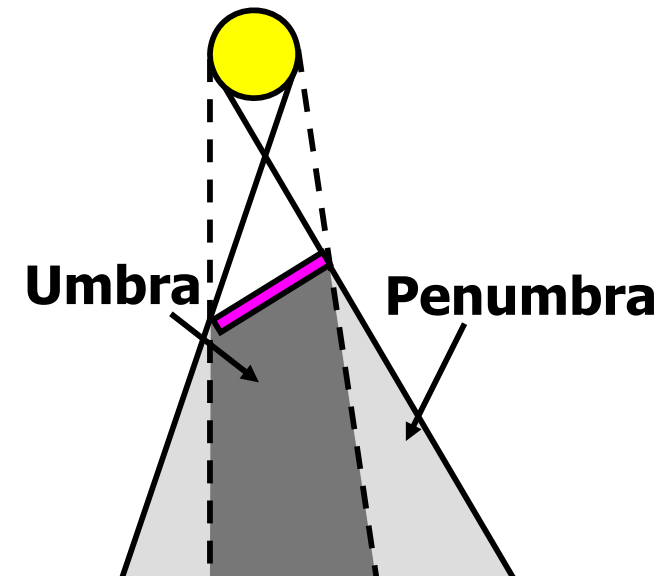
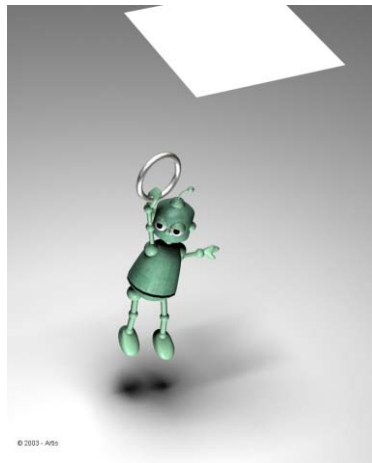
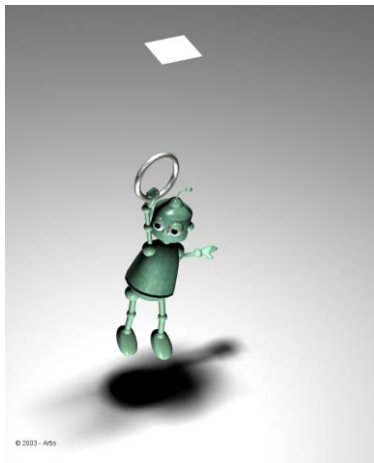
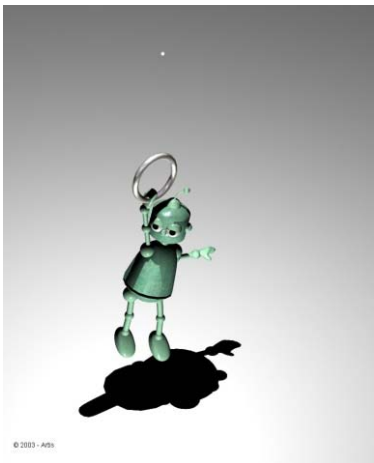


# Shadows

- Shadow volumes
- Shadow maps



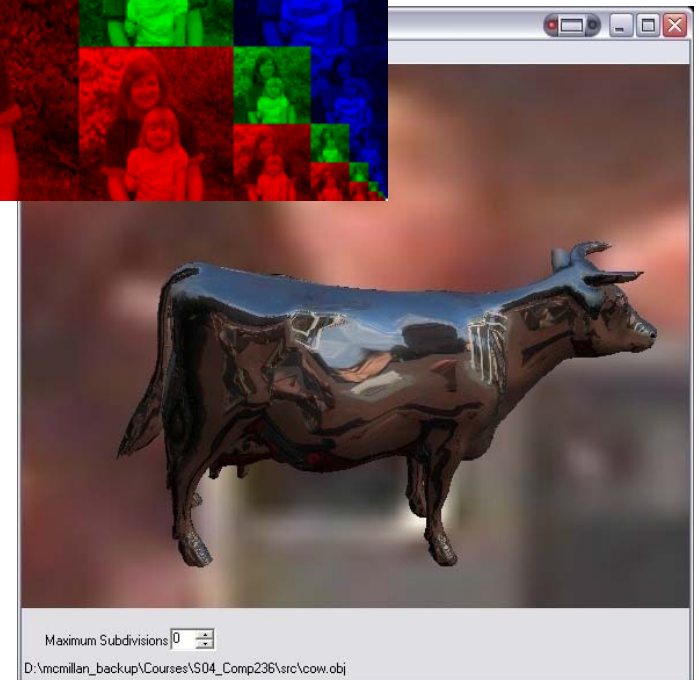
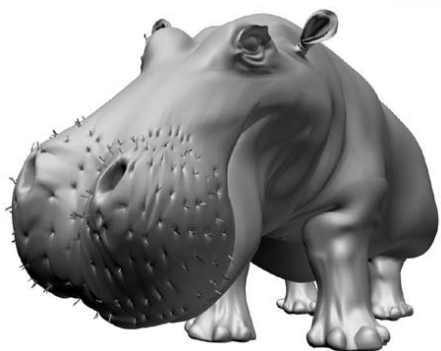
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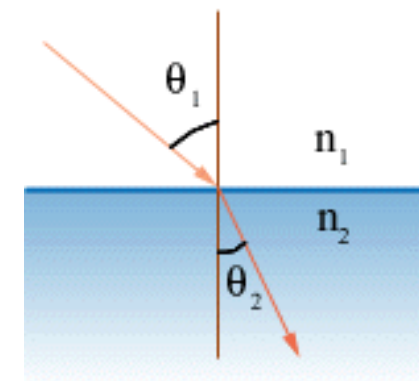
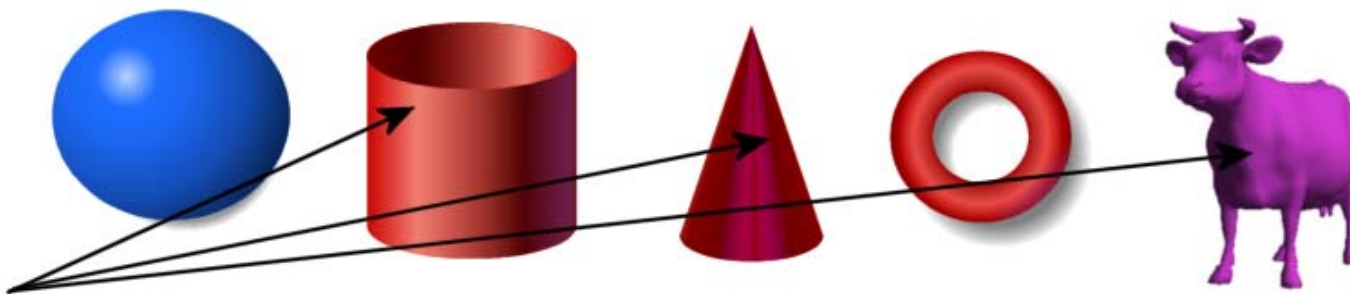
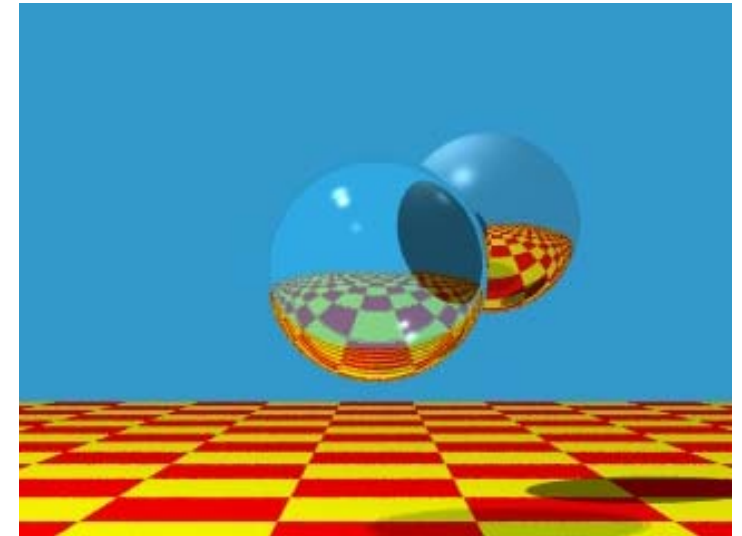
# Texture Mapping

- **Surface parameterization**
- **Mipmaps and filtering**
- **Reflection and environment mapping**



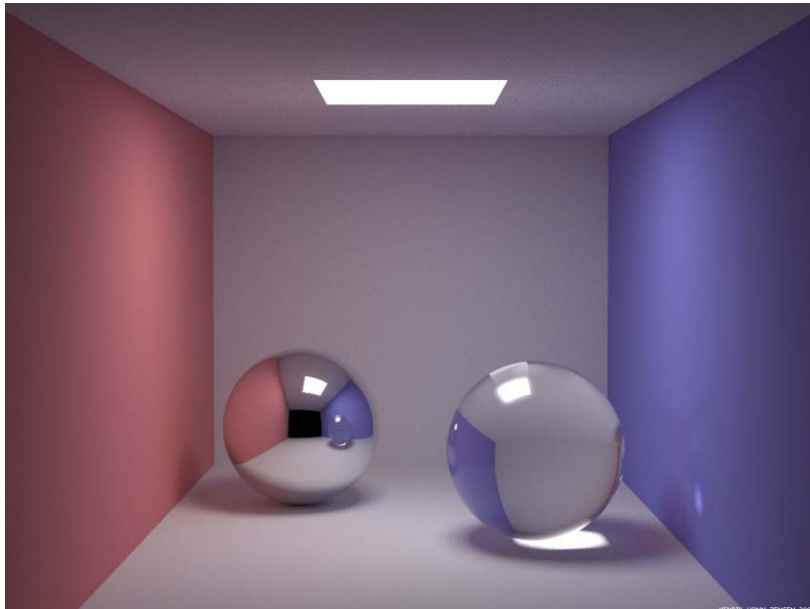
# Ray Tracing

- Object intersection
- Reflection and refraction
- Depth-of-field, motion blur, glossy reflections, soft shadows



# Global Illumination

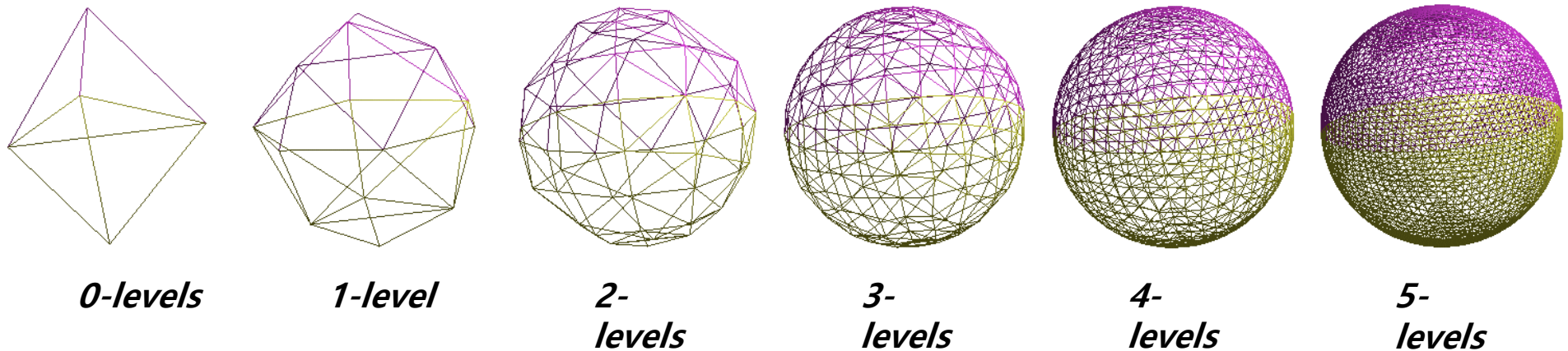
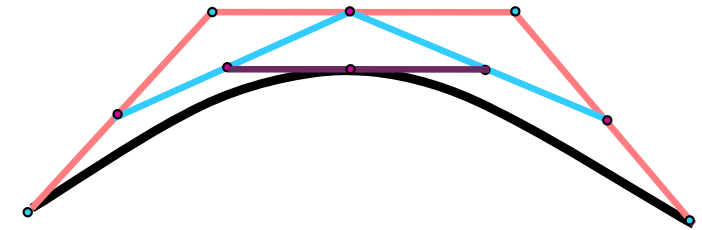
- **Rendering equation**
- **Path tracing, photon mapping, radiosity**



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# Curves and Surfaces

- Bezier curves and B-splines
- NURBS and subdivision surfaces
- Parametric solids

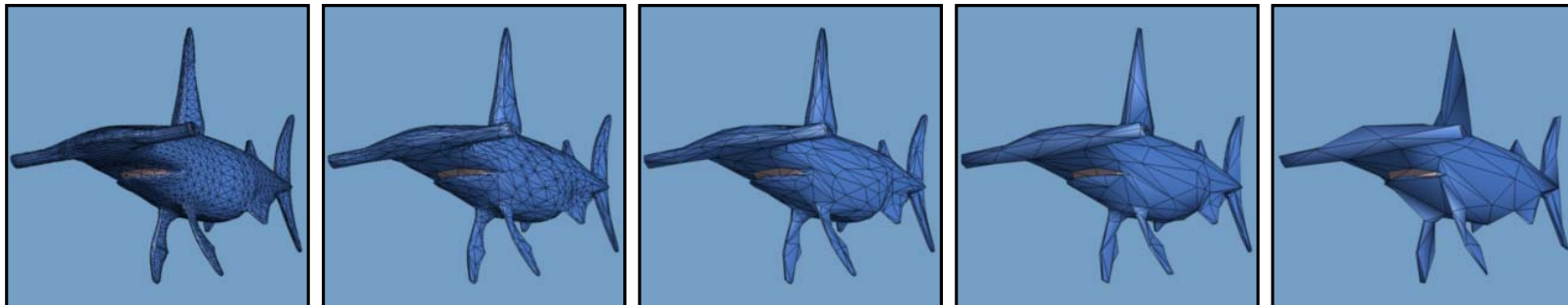
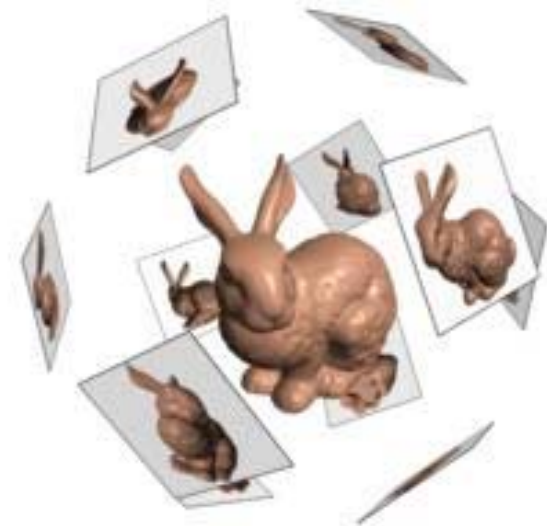


# Simplification and LOD

- Levels of detail
- Progressive meshes



82 million triangles

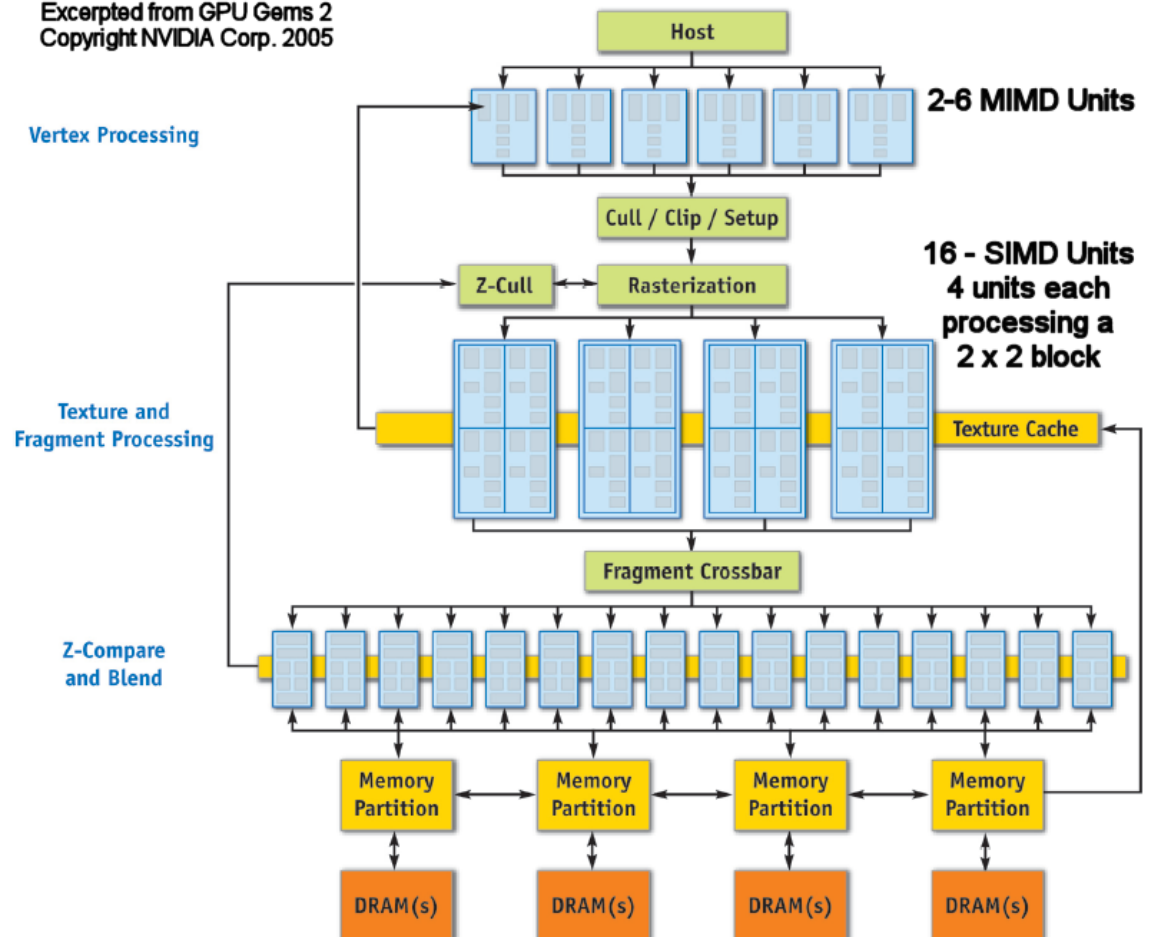


# Graphics Hardware

- History
- Architecture
- Shading languages
- Future



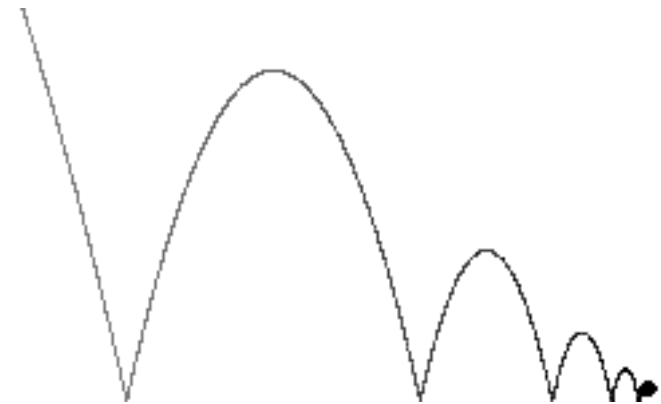
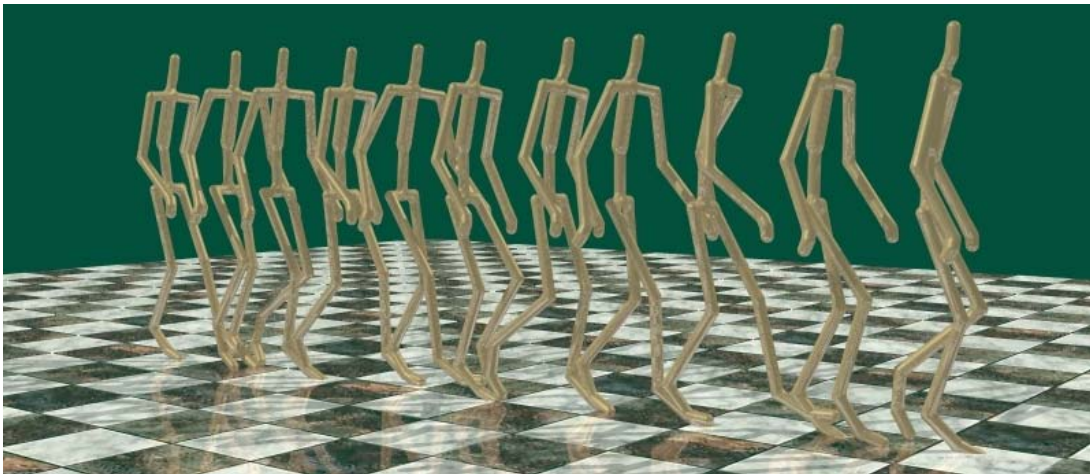
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# Animation

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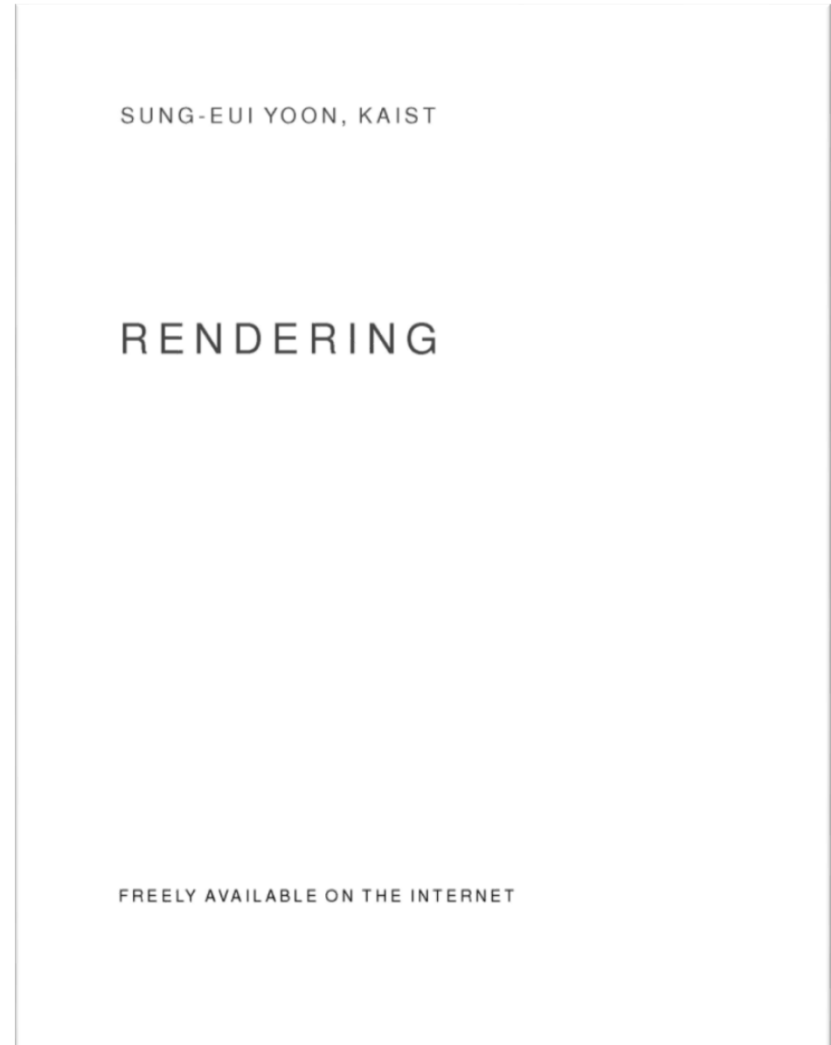
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- **Parameteric splines**
- **Motion capture**
- **Simulation**



# Textbook

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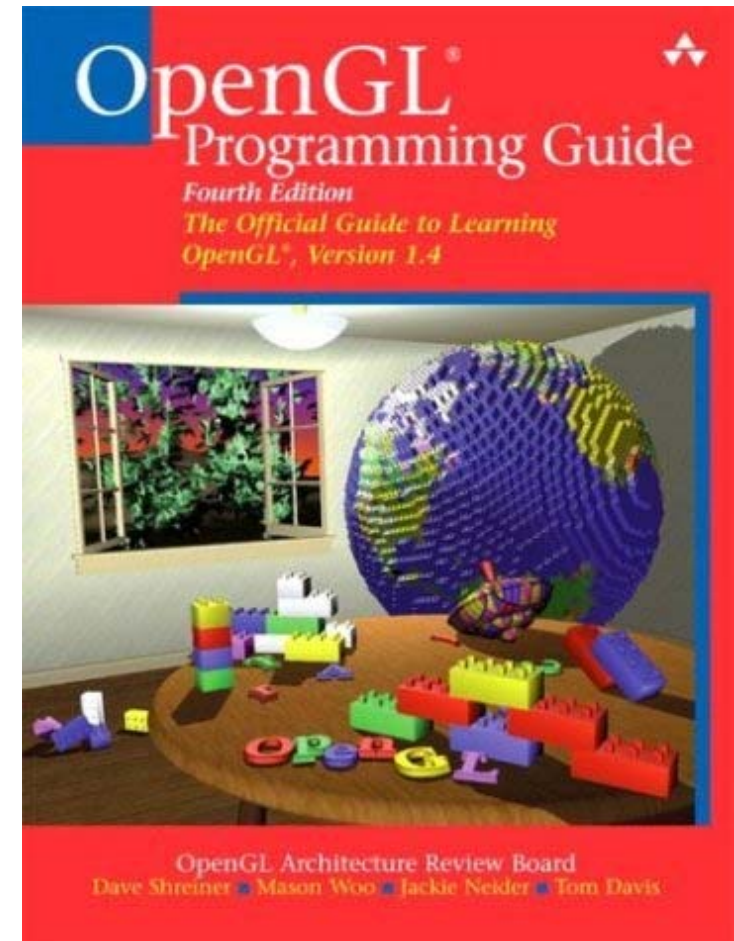
- **Rendering**
  - **Sung-eui Yoon**
  - **1<sup>st</sup> Edition, 2018**
  - **Freely available**





# Reference – OpenGL

- **OpenGL Programming Guide**
  - **Addison-Wesley Professional**
  - **Ver 4.3 is ordered to KAIST library**
- **Version 1.1 is available at internet and the course webpage**
- **Reference book is also available**

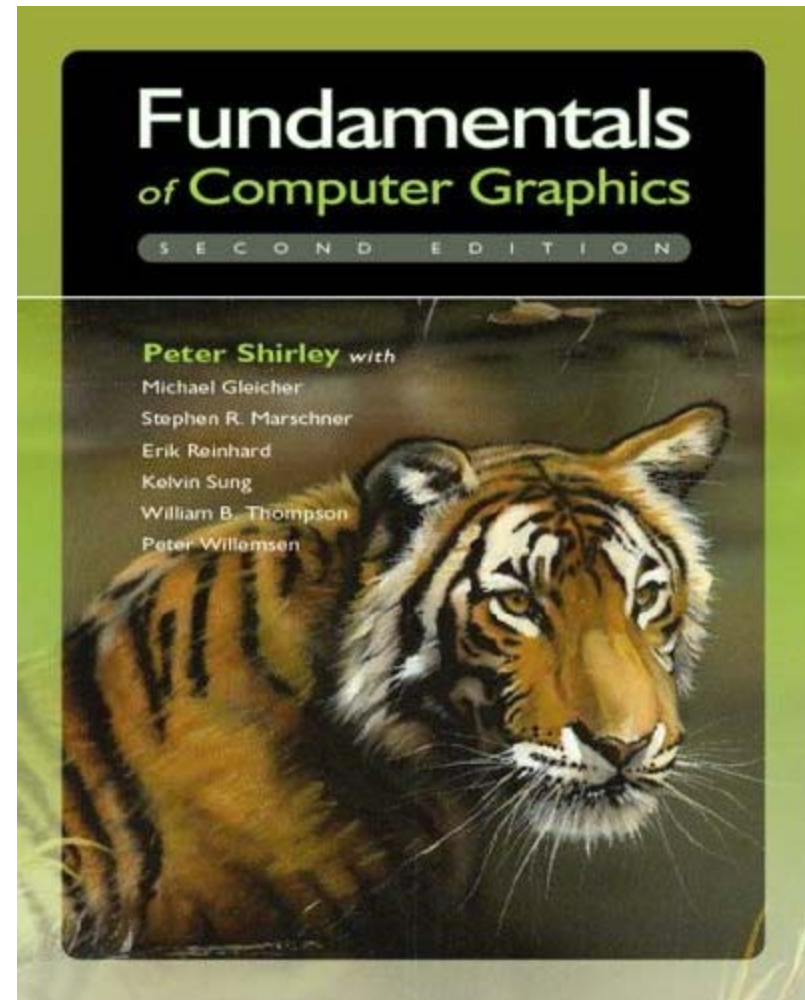


<http://www.glprogramming.com/blue>

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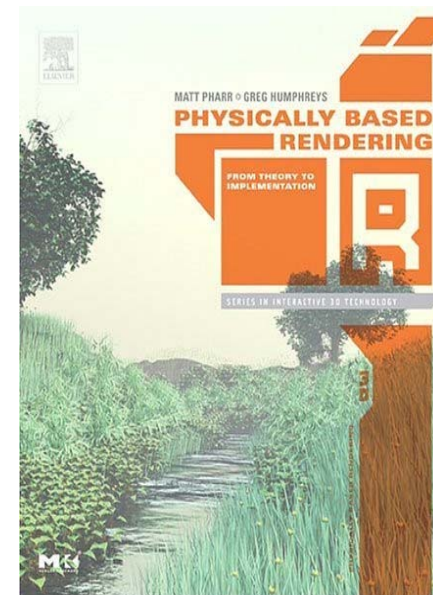
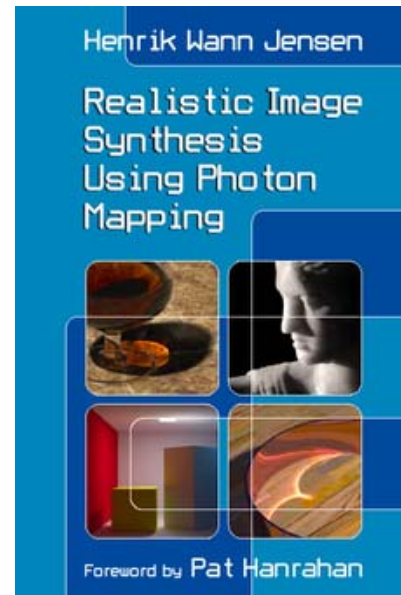
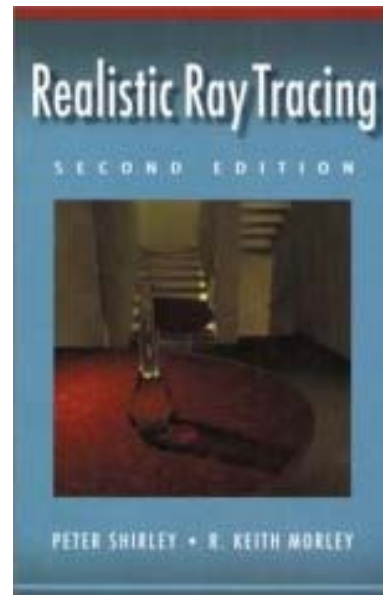
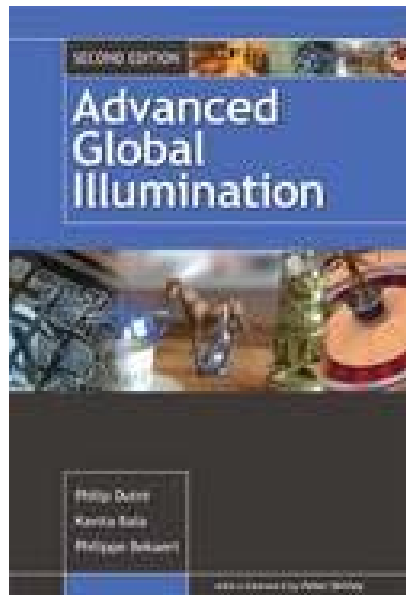
- **Fundamentals of Computer Graphics**
  - Peter Shirley et al.
  - AK Peters
  
- **Available at the KAIST library**



# Resource on Physically-based Rendering

- Reference

- **Physically based rendering, Matt Pharr et al.**
- **Advanced Global Illumination, Philip Dutre et al. 2<sup>nd</sup> edition**
- **Realistic Image Synthesis Using Photon Mapping, Henrik Jensen**
- **Realistic Ray Tracing, 2<sup>nd</sup> edition, Peter Shirley et al.**



# Other Reference

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- **Technical papers**
  - **Graphics-related conference (SIGGRAPH, etc)**
  - <http://kesen.huang.googlepages.com/>
- **Course homepages**
- **Google or Google scholar**



Google™

# Program Assignments (PAs) and Quiz

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- **6 or 7 PAs**
  - Viewing and manipulating 3D models with OpenGL
  - Rasterization and clipping
  - Texture mapping and lighting
  - Raytracing
  - Their difficulty is growing!
  - **Require you to know or self-study C/C++**
- **Quiz**
  - **We will frequently have quiz sessions, which also serve as attendance check**

# Homework for Each Class

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- **Go over the next lecture slides before the class**
  - **Just 10 min ~ 20 min for this should be okay**
- **Two video summary submission every week**
  - **Preparation for poster presentation**
- **Question submissions two times during the whole semester**

# Poster Presentation

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- **Related to research activity, which is useful for your long-term career**
- **Make a team of 2 persons**
- **Identify a paper and present poster presentation near the end of the semester**
  - **Discuss the paper among the team for better understanding**

# Grading

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- **Mid-term: 20%**  
**Final-term: 30%**  
**Quiz and assignments: 40%**  
**Poster presentation: 10%**
  
- **Late policy**
  - **No score for late submissions**
  - **Submit your work before the deadline!**



# Class Attendance Rule

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- **Late two times → count as one absence**
- **Every two absences → lower your grade (e.g., A- → B+)**
- **To check attendance, I'll call your names or take pictures**
- **If you are in situations where you should be late, notify earlier w/ proper certificate or official documents**

# Honor Code and Etiquette

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- **Collaboration encouraged, but *assignments must be your own work***
- **Cite any other's work if you use their codes**
  - **If you copy someone else's codes, you will get F**
  - **We will use a code copy checking tool to find any copy**
- **Classroom etiquette**
  - **Help you and your peer to focus on the class**
  - **Turn off cell phones**
  - **Arrive to the class on time**
  - **Avoid private conversations**
  - **Be attentive in class**

# Official Language in Class

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- **English**
  - **I'll give lectures in English**
  - **I may explain again in Korean if materials are unclear to you**
  - **You are also recommended to use English, but not required**

# Next Time...

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- **Screen & world space**
- **Basic OpenGL usage**



# About You

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- **Name**
- **What is your major?**
- **Previous graphics experience**
- **Any questions?**
- **Online submission within today**
  - <https://forms.gle/aHT8abgjaYAsV2wDA>
  - **You can also find the link at the course homepage**