

# COMP3320 Introduction to OpenGL

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# Object Colour

- The colour that an object reflects
- This can be simulated as a simple multiplication

```
vec3 light_colour = vec3(1.0f, 1.0f, 1.0f);  
vec3 object_colour = vec3(1.0f, 0.5f, 0.31f);  
// This is a component-wise multiplication  
vec3 result      = light_colour * object_colour;
```

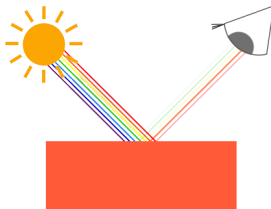


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# Basic Lighting

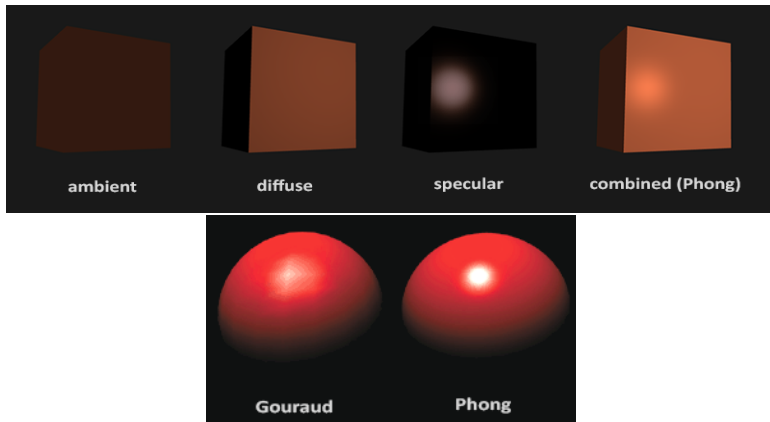


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# Basic Lighting

- Ambient: Background/global lighting. Results in objects being dimly lit when all other lights are turned off.
- Diffuse: Brightness of reflected light is dictated by how closely the fragments normal vector aligns with the light direction.
- Specular: Light is reflected about the fragments normal vector. Light appears brightest when the viewing direction most closely aligns with the reflected direction.

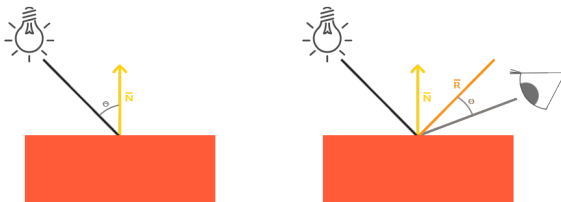


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# Basic Lighting Equations

- Ambient:

```
vec3 ambient = ambient_strength * light_colour;  
vec3 result  = ambient * object_colour;
```

- Diffuse:

```
vec3 norm          = normalize(frag_normal);  
vec3 light_dir     = normalize(light_pos - frag_pos);  
float diff_strength = max(dot(norm, light_dir), 0.0f);  
vec3 diffuse       = diff_strength * light_colour;  
vec3 result        = diffuse * object_colour;
```


# Non-Uniform Object Scaling

- If objects are not scaled uniformly then normals can point in strange directions
- To account for this use the inverse transpose of the model-view rotation matrix
- If  $H_m^v$  is a homogeneous transformation matrix that transforms vectors from model space to view space, then  $R_m^v$  is the top-left 3x3 corner of the model-view matrix and forms the rotation component of the transformation

$$H_m^v = \begin{bmatrix} R_m^v & \vec{r}_{MV}^v \\ \vec{0}_{1 \times 3} & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- To account for non-uniform object scaling we can multiply our vertex normals by

$$N_m^v = \left( (R_m^v)' \right)^T$$

- This is the inverse transpose of  $R_m^v$  and is known as  the normal matrix

# Basic Lighting Equations

- Specular:

```
vec3 norm      = normalize(frag_normal);  
vec3 light_dir  = normalize(frag_pos - light_pos);  
vec3 view_dir   = normalize(view_pos - frag_pos);  
vec3 reflect_dir = reflect(light_dir, norm);  
float strength  = pow(max(dot(view_dir, reflect_dir), 0.0f), 32.0f);  
vec3 specular   = 0.5f * strength * light_colour;  
vec3 result     = specular * object_colour;
```

Shininess

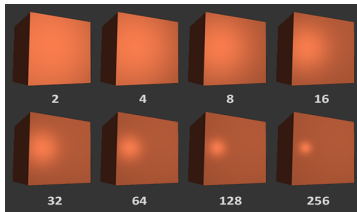
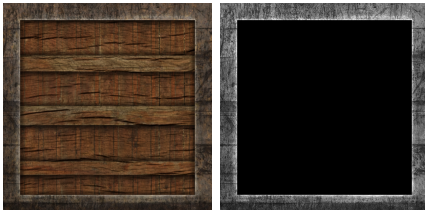


Figure: The effect of **strength** (the shininess factor) on the specular highlight. Images sourced from [learnopengl.com/Lighting/Basic-Lighting](http://learnopengl.com/Lighting/Basic-Lighting)

# Lighting Maps

- Use textures to provide object colour per fragment.
- Use textures to specify which areas of an object give specular reflections



- Use a single uniform to provide material properties per object

```
struct Material {  
    sampler2D diffuse;  
    sampler2D specular;  
    float shininess;  
};  
in vec2 texture_coordinates;  
uniform Material material;
```

- Use the equations as before, but sample the appropriate texture to get object\_colour.




# Types of Light

- Directional: Light source is very far away. When the light reaches the object light rays are basically parallel to each other.
- Point Light: A nearby light that illuminates equally in all directions.
- Spot Light: A nearby light that illuminates in a single direction.

# Light Attenuation

- Light intensity drops off over distance
- A common formula for attenuation is

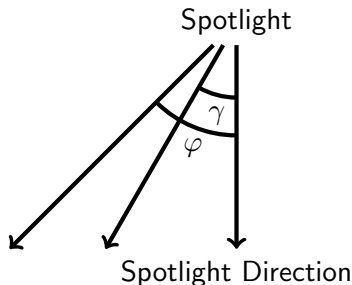
$$F_{att} = \frac{1}{K_c + K_l d + K_q d^2}$$

- $K_c$  represents a constant amount of attenuation regardless of distance
- $K_l$  represents a attenuation that is linearly proportional to distance
- $K_q$  represents a attenuation that is quadratically proportional to distance
- Use trial and error to find some good values or use some  pre-calculated values

# Spotlight Smoothing

- Represent spotlight as a cone
- If light stops at edge of cone there will be a hard line between light/no light
- Instead represent spotlight with two cones and fade spotlight intensity between them

$$I = \frac{\cos(\theta) - \cos(\gamma)}{\cos(\phi) - \cos(\gamma)}$$



# Types of Light

- Directional:

```
struct DirectionalLight {  
    vec3 direction;  
  
    vec3 ambient;  
    vec3 diffuse;  
    vec3 specular;  
};  
uniform DirectionalLight sun;
```

- Point Light:

```
struct PointLight {  
    vec3 position;  
  
    vec3 ambient;  
    vec3 diffuse;  
    vec3 specular;  
  
    float Kc;  
    float Kl;  
    float Kq;  
};
```

# Types of Light

- Spot Light:

```
struct SpotLight {  
    vec3 position;  
    vec3 direction;  
  
    vec3 ambient;  
    vec3 diffuse;  
    vec3 specular;  
  
    float Kc;  
    float Kl;  
    float Kq;  
  
    float phi;  
    float gamma;  
};  
uniform SpotLight torch;
```