

Homework 6

Lighting and Mesh display implementation:

Using the data structures for the MeshBuffer and TriangleBuffer from Homework5, write a program that will read in our Utah teapot data file. Your program should be able to switch between different implementations using command-line flags:

- 1) Display the teapot as a "wire" mesh (i.e. draw lines, rather than triangle primitives)
- 2) Display the teapot using flat shading (i.e. for a given primitive, the normals are the same for every vertex)
- 3) Display the teapot using Gouraud shading (i.e. each vertex is assigned the average of the normals of the primitives in which it is a part - this calculation should be in those data structures you wrote)

BONUS: 20 points - implement a mechanism (that can be triggered via some kind of GUI event) that allows the user to change the material properties

BONUS: 20 points - implement a mechanism to allow the user to move the model around with the mouse

(Please let me know in documentation, such as a README file, how to interact with your program, and what, if any, bonuses you've attempted!)