COSC 422 Assignment 2

Non-Photorealistic Rendering

Important Dates

• Due date:

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Friday, 24th September 11:55pm
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Drop-dead date with 15% penalty (3 marks):
 Friday, 1st October

OpenMesh

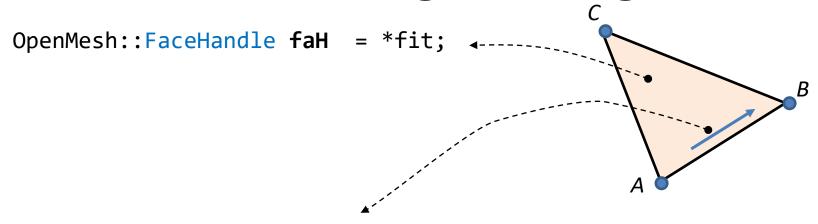
- You may use MeshViewer.cpp (Programming Exercise 11) to load mesh files using the OpenMesh library.
- Please use mesh models containing only triangles. Please do not use highly complex models (> 50,000 triangles)

Computing the element array for triangles:

Extending MeshViewer.cpp

- Modify the method shown on the previous slide to generate the element array for triangle adjacency primitives
- Render using GL_TRIANGLE_ADJACENCY primitive
 glDrawElements(GL_TRIANGLES_ADJACENCY, num_Elems, GL_UNSIGNED_SHORT, NULL);
- Include a function to load textures (loadTGA or DevIL)
- Add a geometry shader to the shader program object
- Include the necessary event callback functions

Processing a Triangle



```
OpenMesh::HalfedgeHandle heH = mesh.halfedge_handle(faH);
```

Handle for Vertex A:

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OpenMesh::VertexHandle veH1 = mesh.from_vertex_handle(heH);
```

Handle for Vertex B:

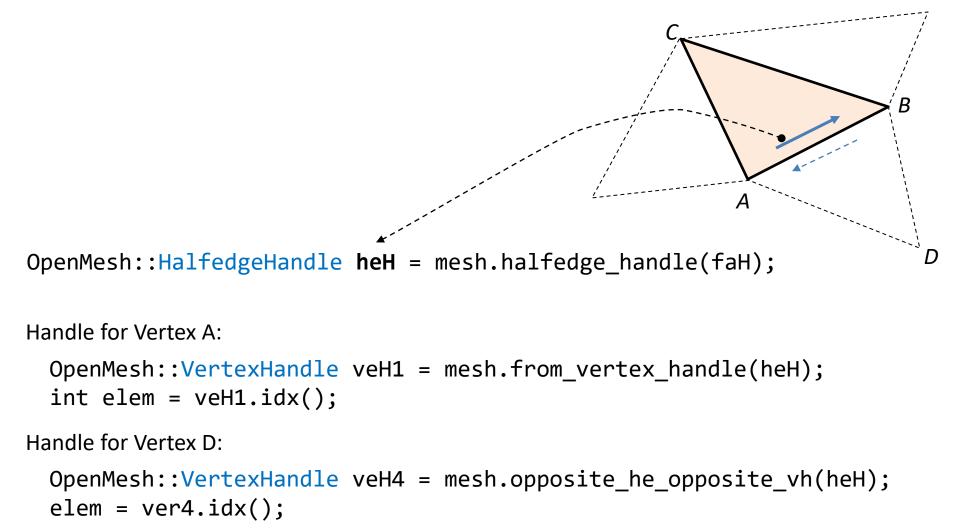
```
OpenMesh::VertexHandle veH2 = mesh.to_vertex_handle(heH);
```

Handle for Vertex C:

```
OpenMesh::VertexHandle veH3 = mesh.opposite_vh(heH);
```

Using the .idx() function on a vertex handle gives the index of that vertex.

Triangle Adjacency Primitive



Texture

Use three or four textures corresponding to a discretized set of shade levels

Shadow

-1 Texture0 0 Texture1 Texture2 +1

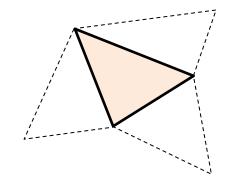
- Preferred size: 64x64
 - (comparable to the max projected area of a triangle)
- You may use any pattern (cross hatch, pen-and-ink, charcoal etc) suitable for a stylistic rendering of a mesh model. The textures could be procedurally generated or images of hand drawn patterns.

Hand drawn

or

Procedural

Geometry Shader



```
layout (triangles_adjacency) in;
layout (triangle_strip, max_vertices = 27) out;
```

- Input: 6 vertices in world coordinates (do not multiply vertex position by mvpMatrix in vertex shader)
- Assigns texture coordinates to the vertices of the main triangle.
- Outputs the diffuse term for each vertex of the main triangle
- Creates a triangle strip for silhouette edges and crease edges of the current primitive.

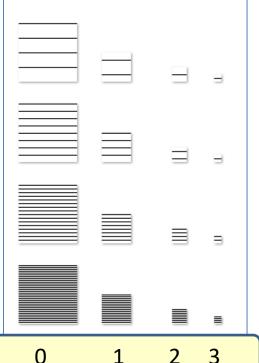
Extra Features

Texture Mipmaps

- Triangles on a mesh model can have varying sizes.
- Suggested mipmap sizes:

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64x64, 32x32, 16x16, 8x8. (Max mipmap level = 3)
```

loadTGA.h will need to be modified to include mipmap level

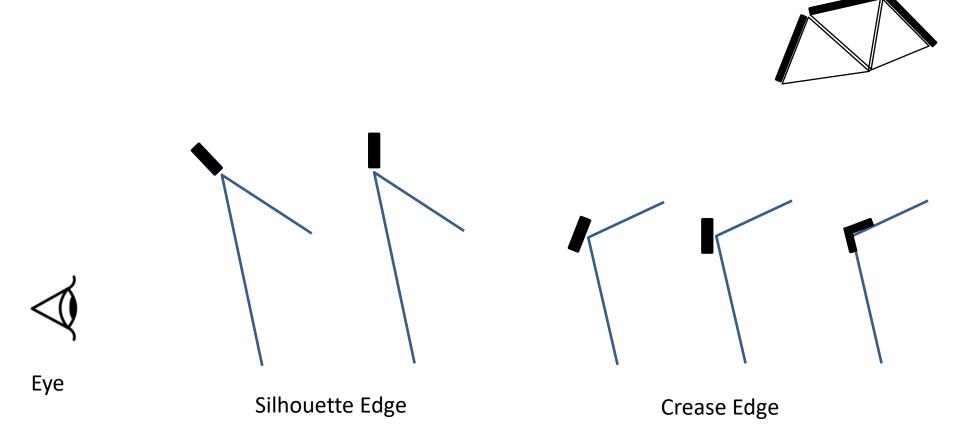


Mipmap Levels: 0 1 2 3

```
void loadTGA_mipmap(string filename, int level)
{
...
...
glTexImage2D(GL_TEXTURE_2D, level, 3, wid, hgt, 0, GL_RGB, GL_UNSIGNED_BYTE, imageData);
}
```

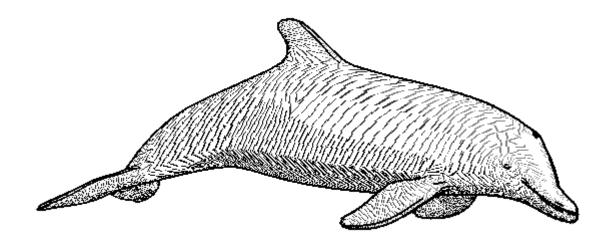
Edge Enhancement

• Methods for rendering silhouette and crease edges are discussed on Slides [6]:25-28. You may suggest suitable improvements of these methods or alternatives for enhancing rendering quality.



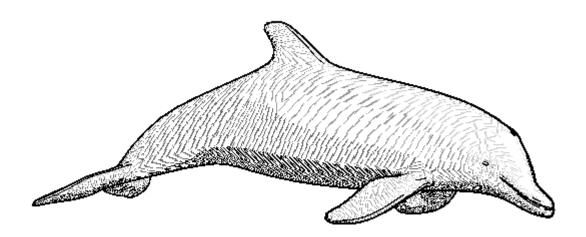
Local Curvature Estimation

 Approximate alignment of pencil stroke lines with the direction of local curvature by identifying the edge with the largest dihedral angle between adjacent triangles (Slide [6]:30).

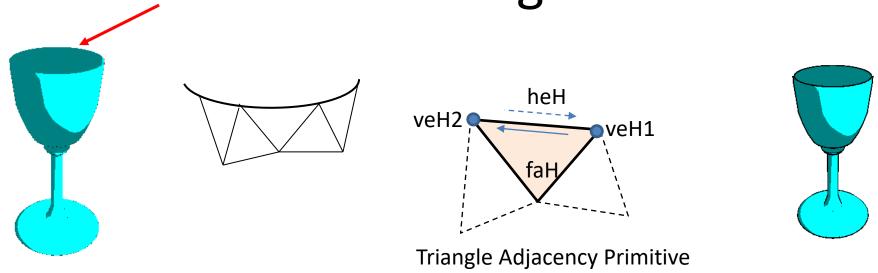


Texture Blending

The appearance of texture lines could be changed by methods such as intensity scaling, modulation and blending in the fragment shader.



Border Edges



• In the above example,

```
mesh.is_boundary(heH) == true
mesh.is_boundary(veH1) == true
mesh.is_boundary(veH2) == true
mesh.is_boundary(faH) == true
```

 Use a repeated index to represent the index of the missing vertex in the triangle adjacency primitive