

# **Simulation et Applications Interactives**

**Modeling and Geometric  
Deformation Techniques**

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# Course Outline

## 1. Modeling Techniques

- Revolve
- Extrude
- Loft

## 2. Geometric Deformation Techniques

- Key shape interpolation
- Warping
- Global deformations
- FFD (Free Form Deformations)

# **1. Modeling Techniques**

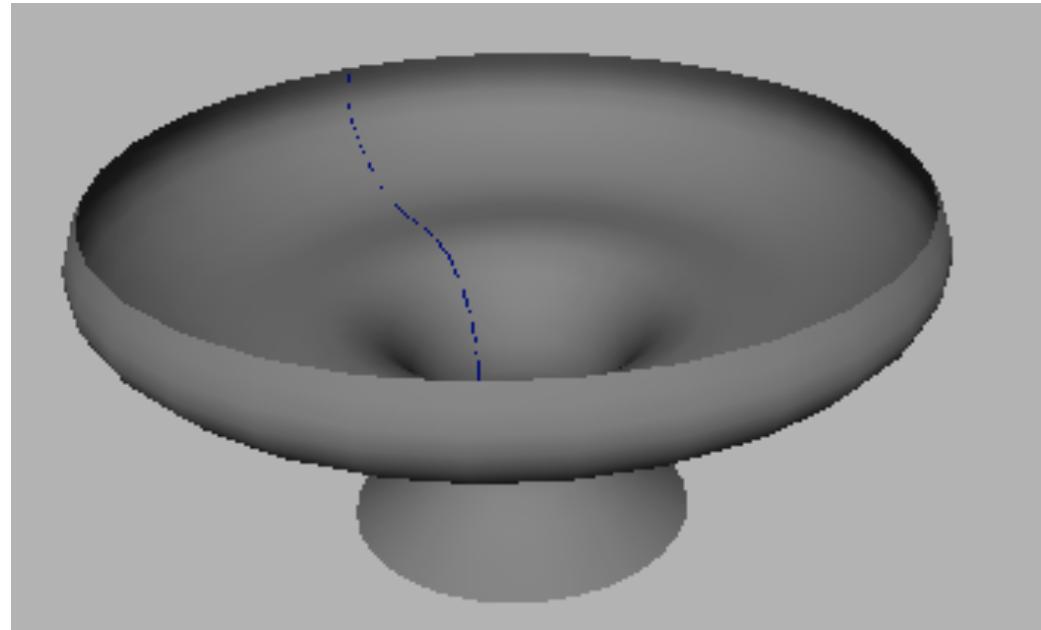
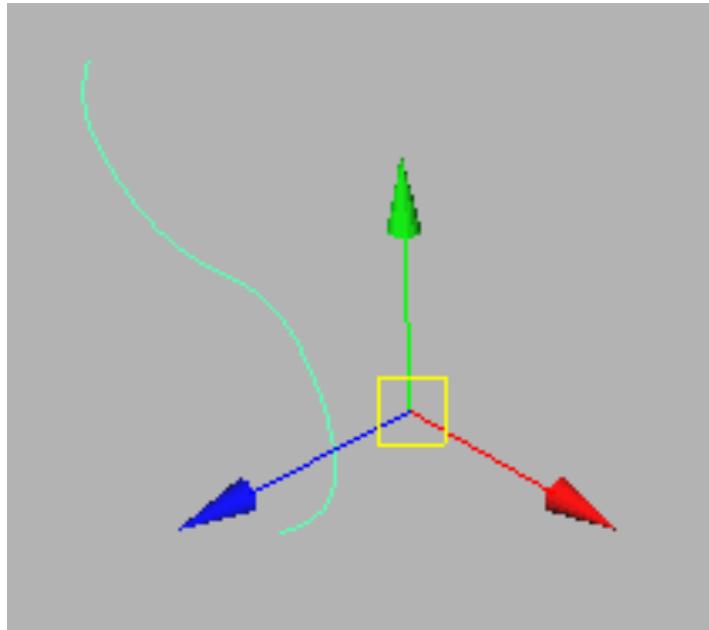
# Free Form Primitives

- **Free Form** means:
  - Any type of geometry
  - Any type of topology (sphere, donut)
- Free Form primitives are:
  - Revolve
  - Loft
  - Extrude / Sweep (general extrude)

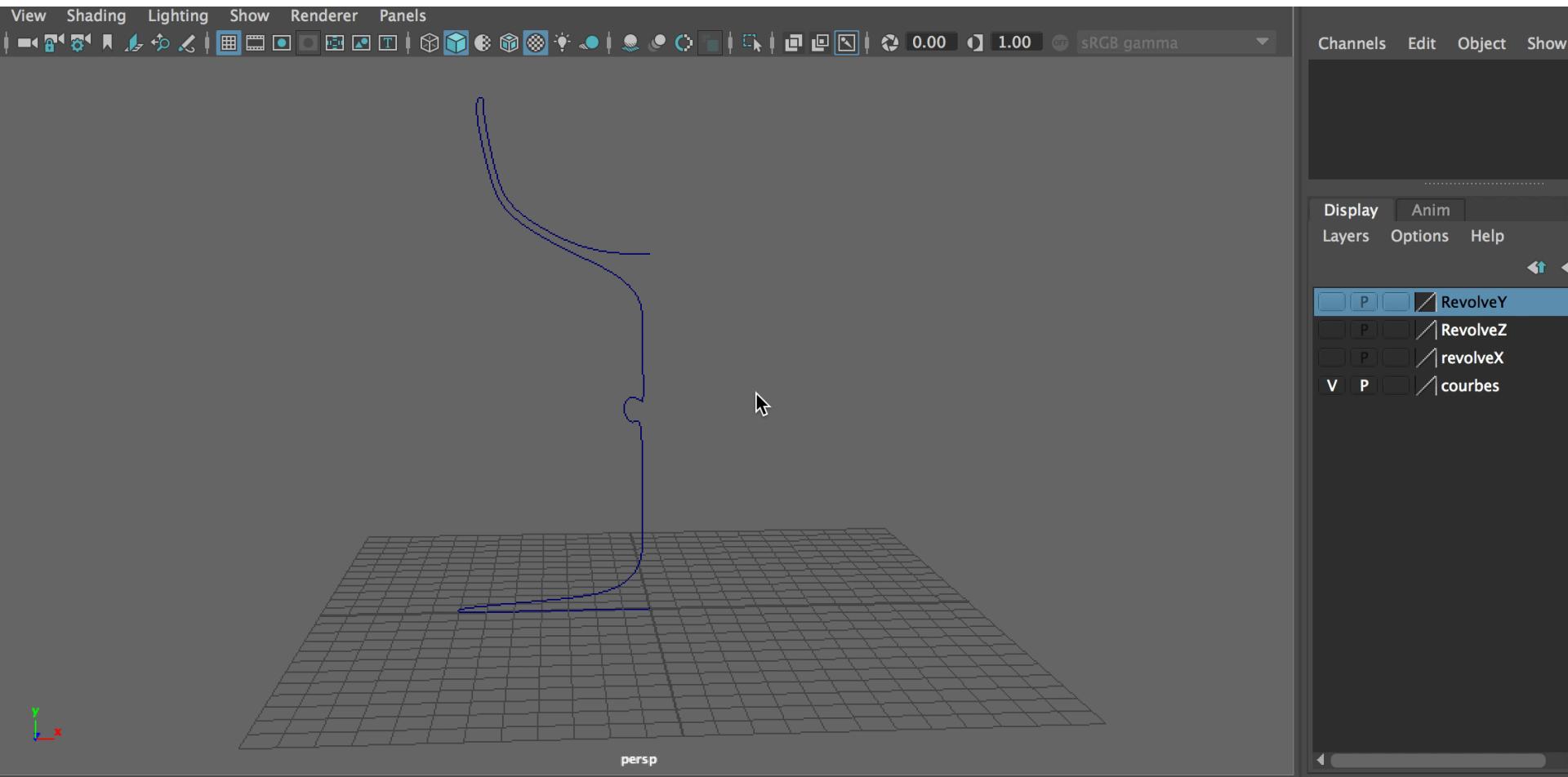


# Revolve

- Rotate a profile curve around an axis



# Revolve



# Revolve

## Around z-axis

- General parameterisation of the surface

$$x(\theta, t) = C_x(t) \cos \theta - C_y(t) \sin \theta$$

$$y(\theta, t) = C_x(t) \sin \theta + C_y(t) \cos \theta$$

$$z(\theta, t) = C_z(t)$$

with  $t$  the curve parameter that varies from 0 to 1

$C(t)$  the profile curve,

$\theta$  the rotation angle around the axis



# Revolve

## Around z-axis

- If profile curve in the x-z-plane

$$x(\theta, t) = C_x(t) \cos \theta$$

$$y(\theta, t) = C_x(t) \sin \theta$$

$$z(\theta, t) = C_z(t)$$

- If profile curve in the y-z plane

$$x(\theta, t) = -C_y(t) \sin \theta$$

$$y(\theta, t) = C_y(t) \cos \theta$$

$$z(\theta, t) = C_z(t)$$



# Revolve

## Around z-axis

- Example 1

$$C_x(t) = 0$$

$$C_y(t) = 5$$

$$C_z(t) = 10 \ t$$

# Revolve

## Around z-axis

- Example 2

$$C_x(t) = 0$$

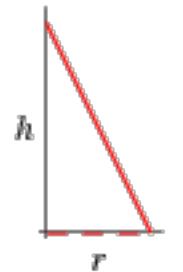
$$C_y(t) = 2 - t$$

$$C_z(t) = t$$

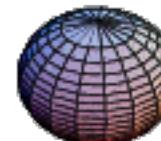
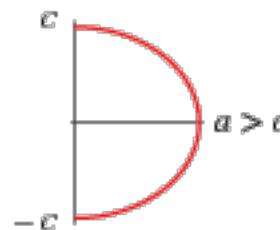
# Revolve

## Standard Surfaces

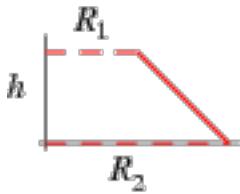
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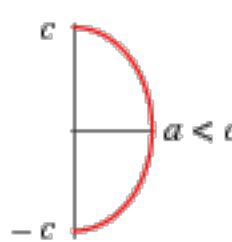
*oblate spheroid*



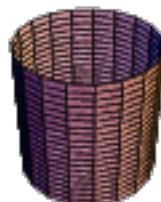
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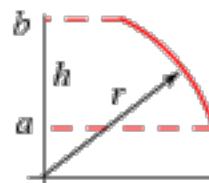
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*cylinder*

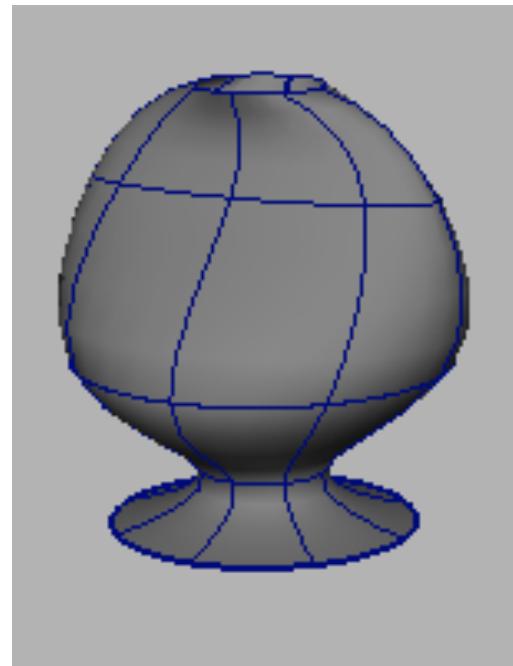
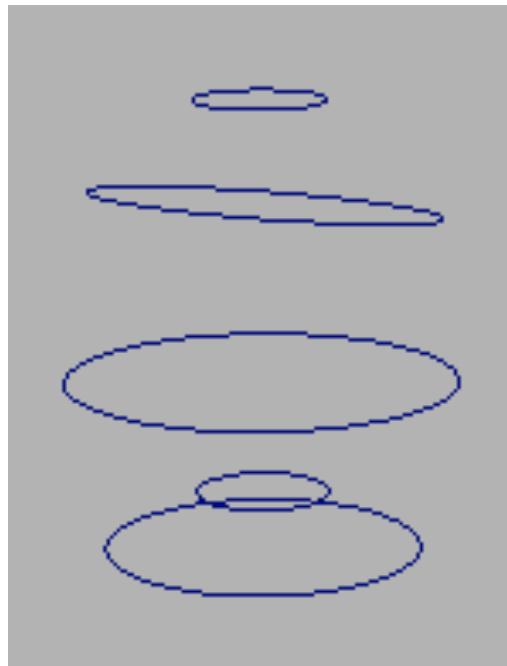


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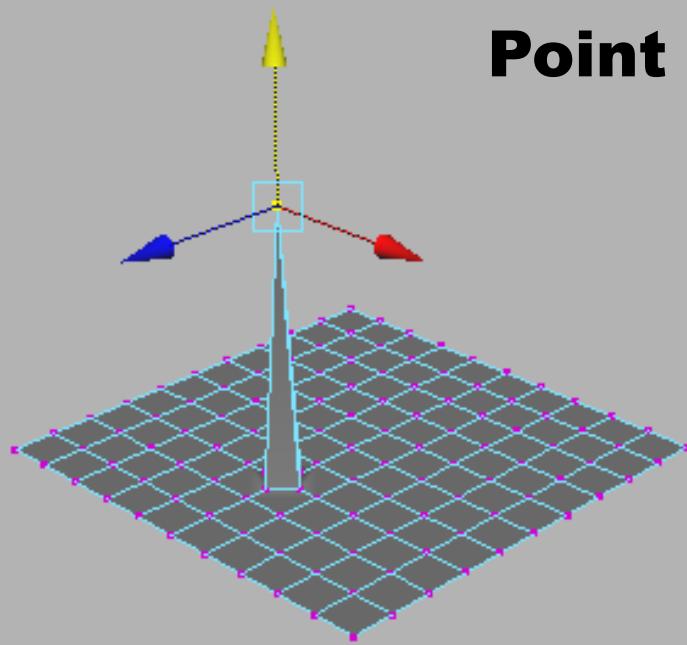
# Loft

- Creates a surface between two (or more) curves
- Need to have the same number of CPs on each curve

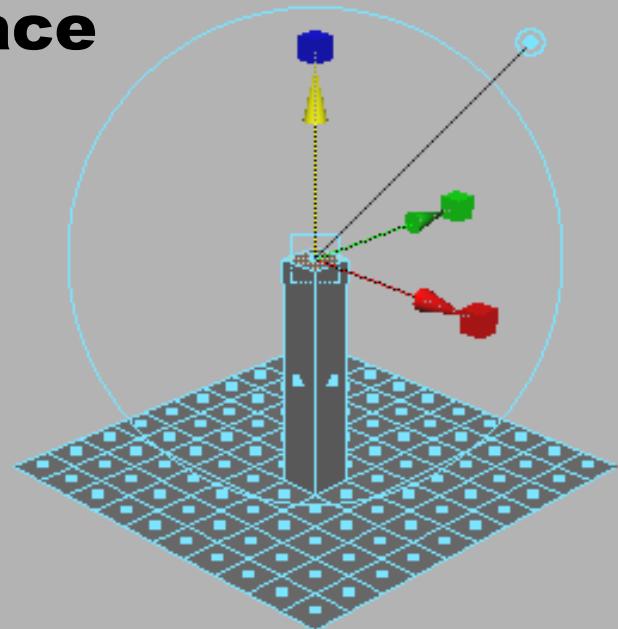


# Extrude

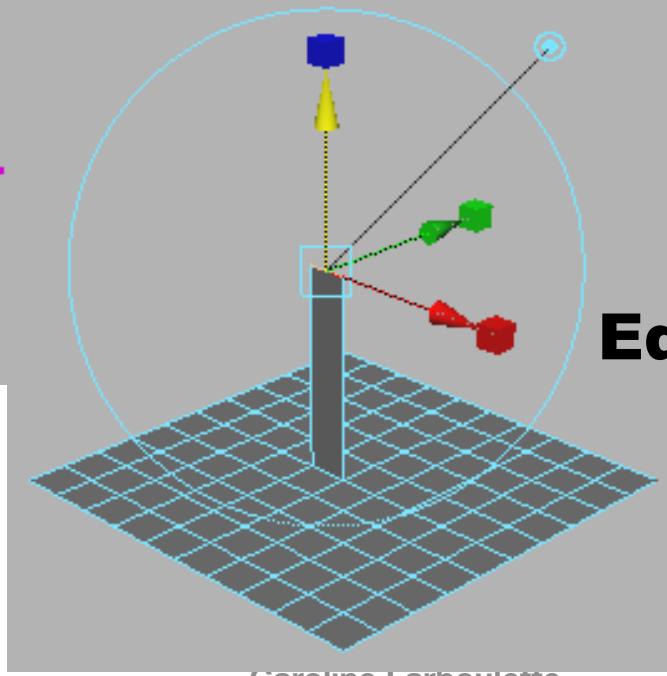
**Point**



**Face**



**Edge**



# Extrude

## Equation

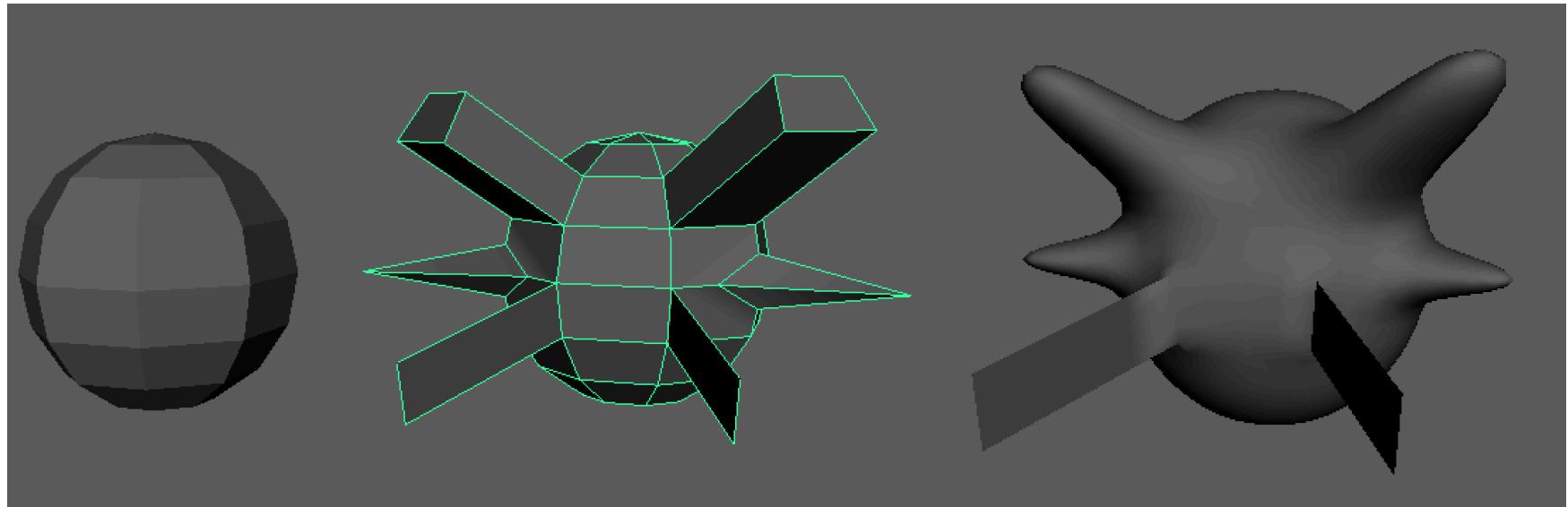
- Points displaced along direction  $\vec{n}$  for a given distance  $l$

$$P_{new} = P + \vec{n} * l$$

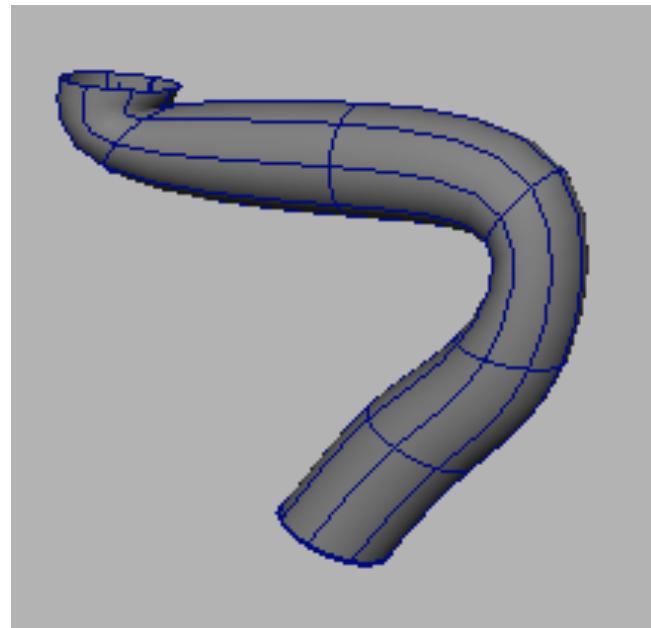
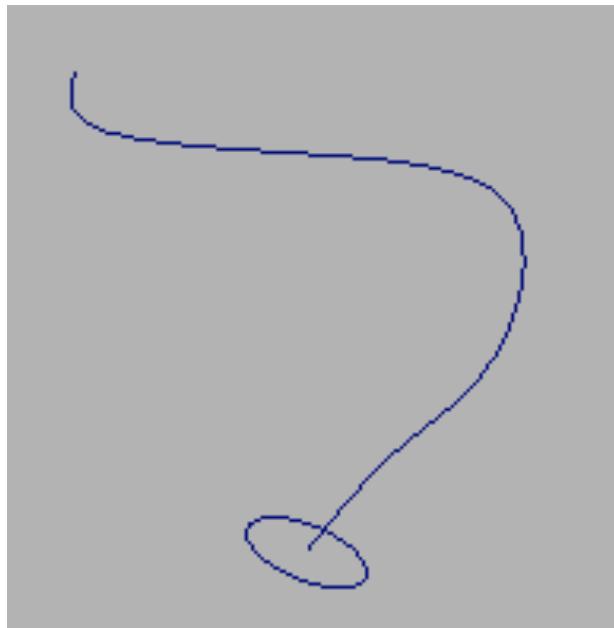


# Extrude

## Examples



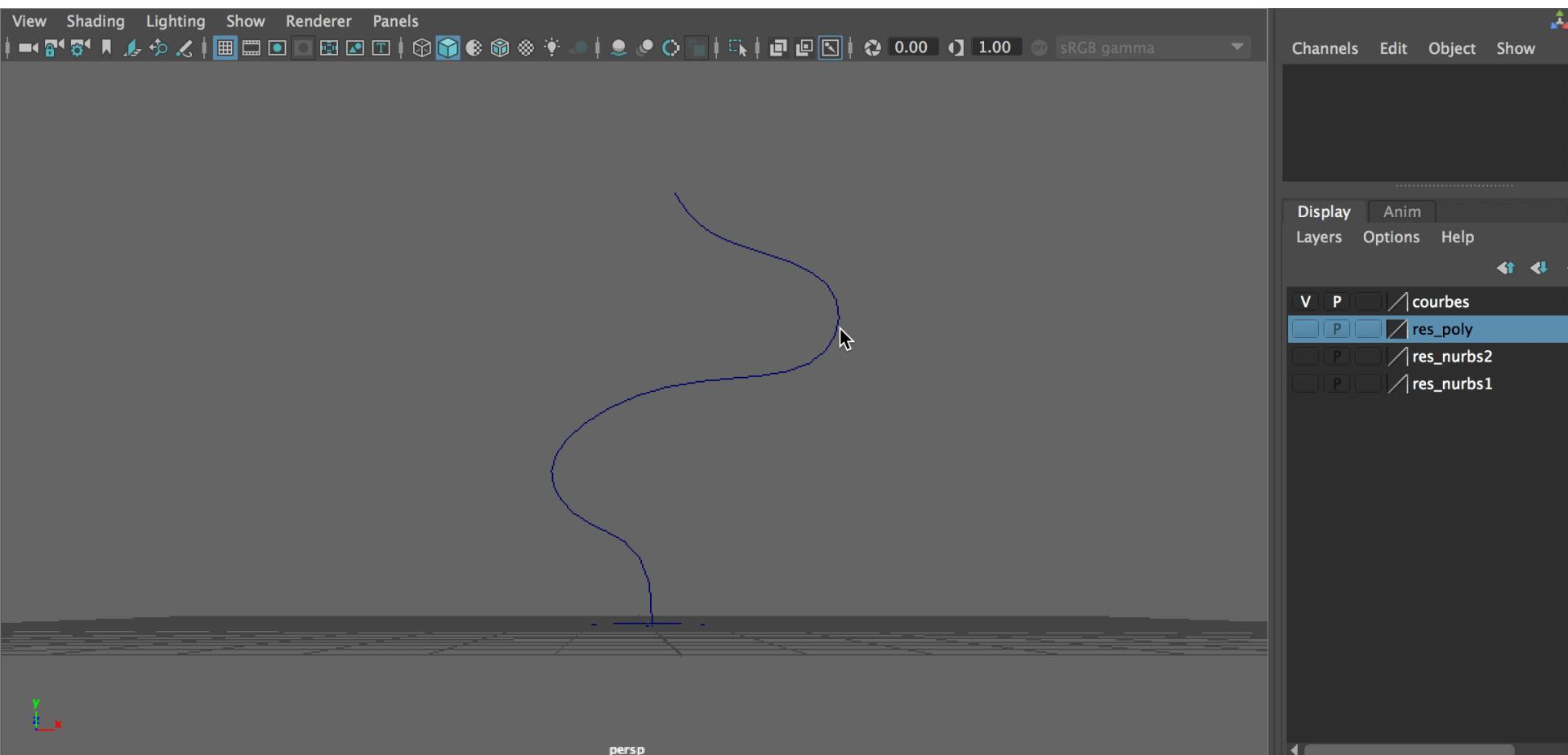
# Extrude Along Curve



# Sweep

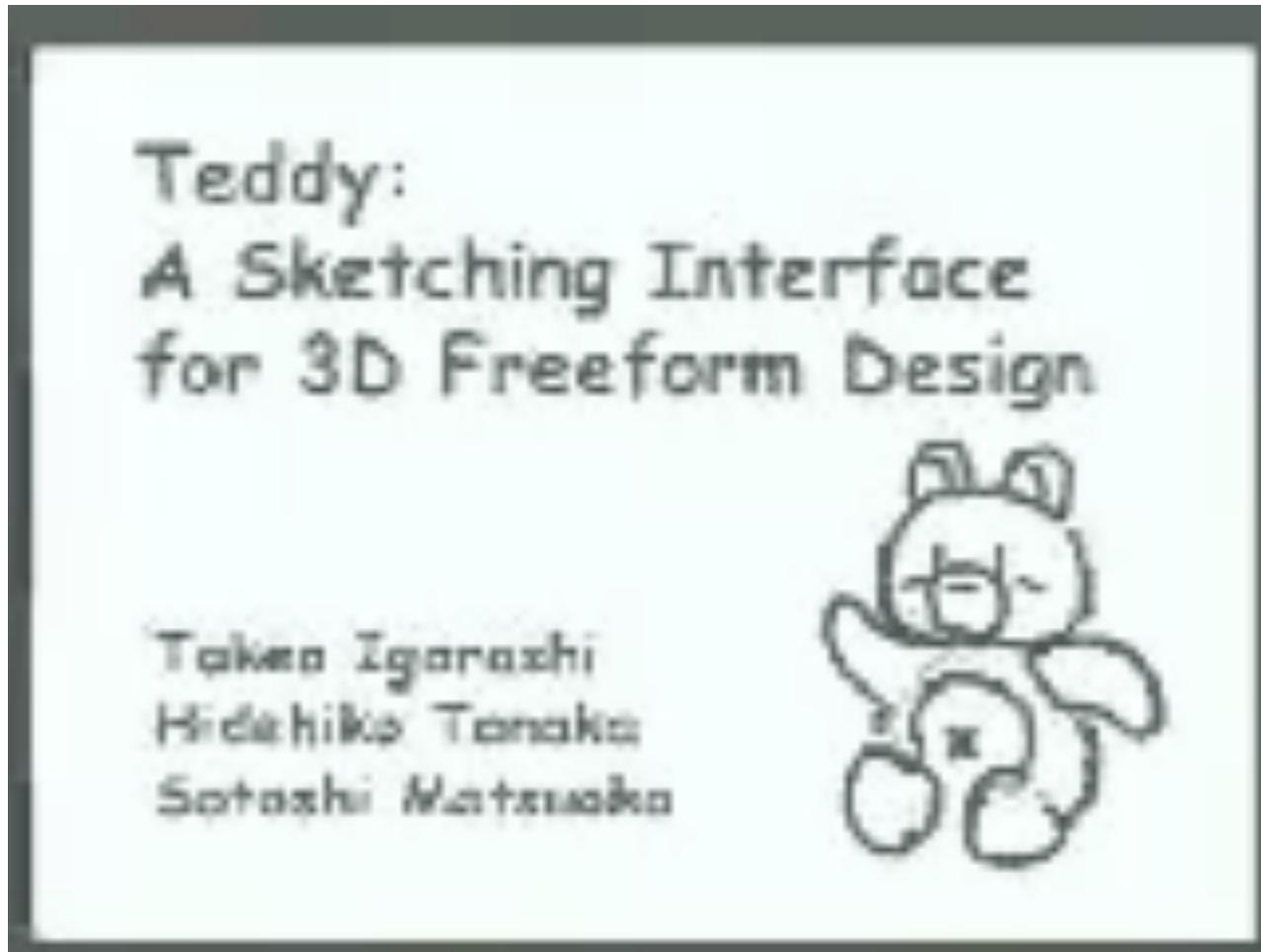
- Profile curve extruded along the path curve
- Profile curve undergoes transformations of rotation, scale...

# Extrude / Sweep



# Teddy (1999)

Takeo Igarashi



# Smooth Teddy (2003)

Takeo Igarashi

Smooth Meshes for  
Sketch-based Freeform Modeling



## **2. Geometric Deformation Techniques**

# Keyshape Interpolation

- Linear interpolation between 2 keyshapes

$$v_i^{interpolated}(t) = (1 - t) \cdot v_i^{neutral} + t \cdot v_i^{smile}$$

with  $0 \leq t \leq 1$  and for all vertices  $v_i$  of the mesh



neutral face



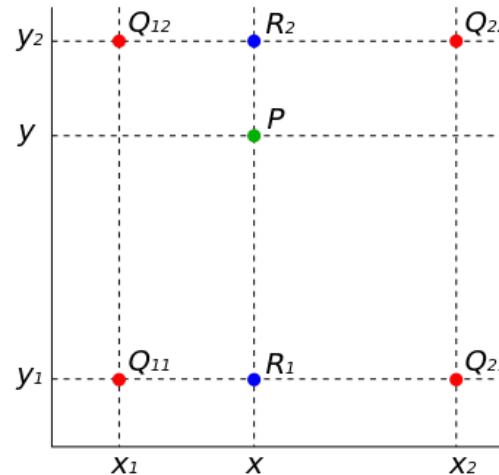
interpolated image



smiling face

# Keyshape Interpolation

- Cosine interpolation
  - Creates acceleration / deceleration effects at beginning and end of the interpolation
- Spline interpolation
- Bilinear interpolation to interpolate between 4 keyshapes



# Blendshapes

- Sum of interpolations

$$Shape(t) = Shape_0 + \sum_k w_k(t) \cdot Shape_k$$

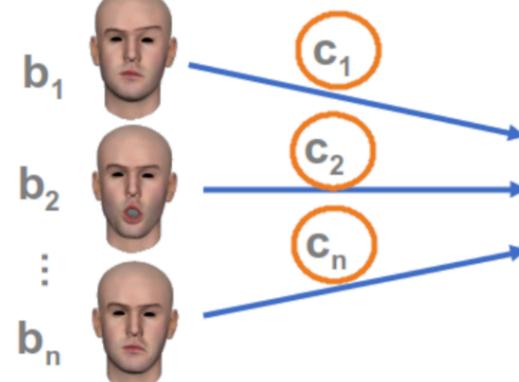
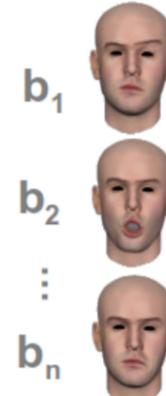
$w_k(t)$  varies from 0 to 1

Neutral Mesh



+

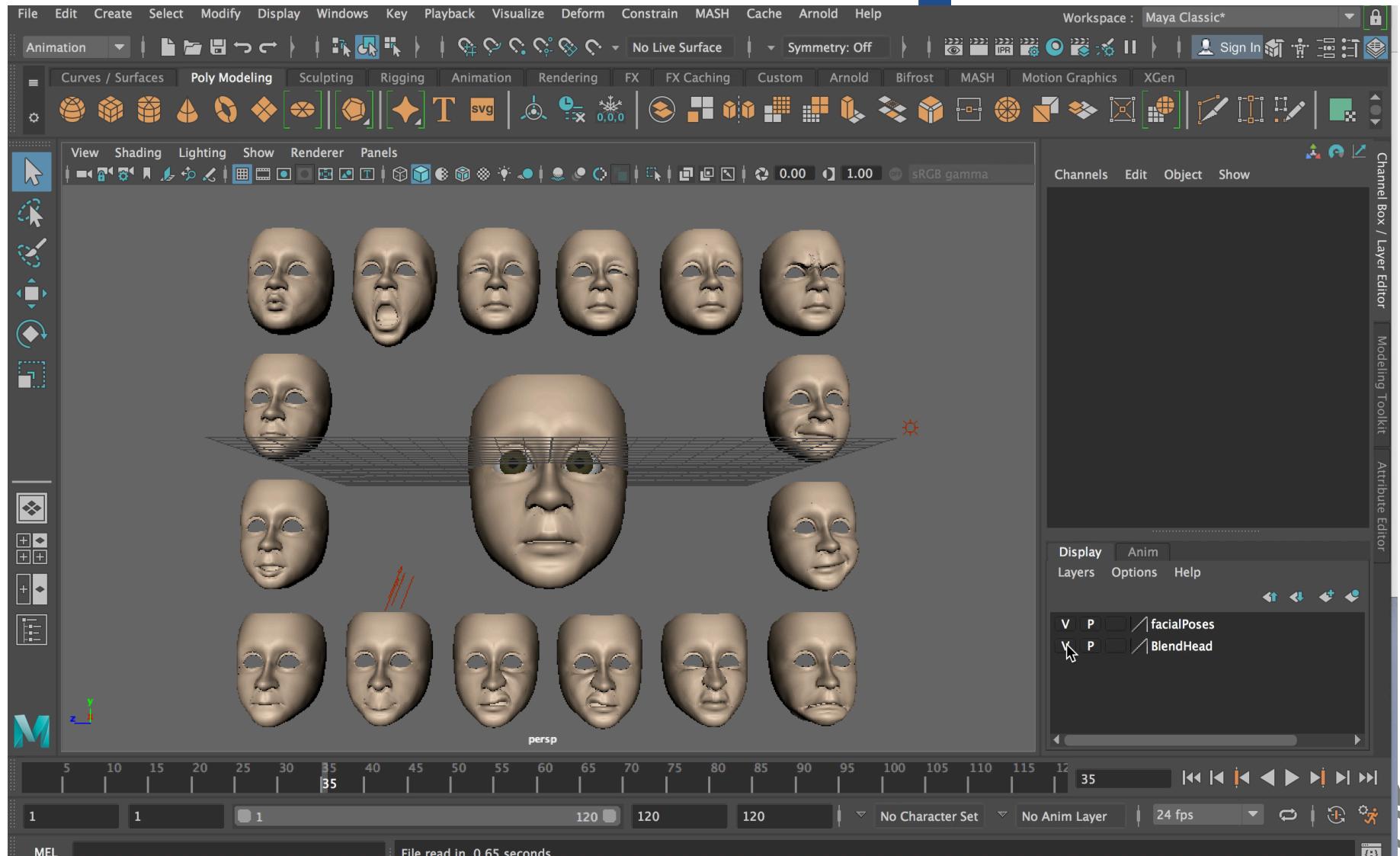
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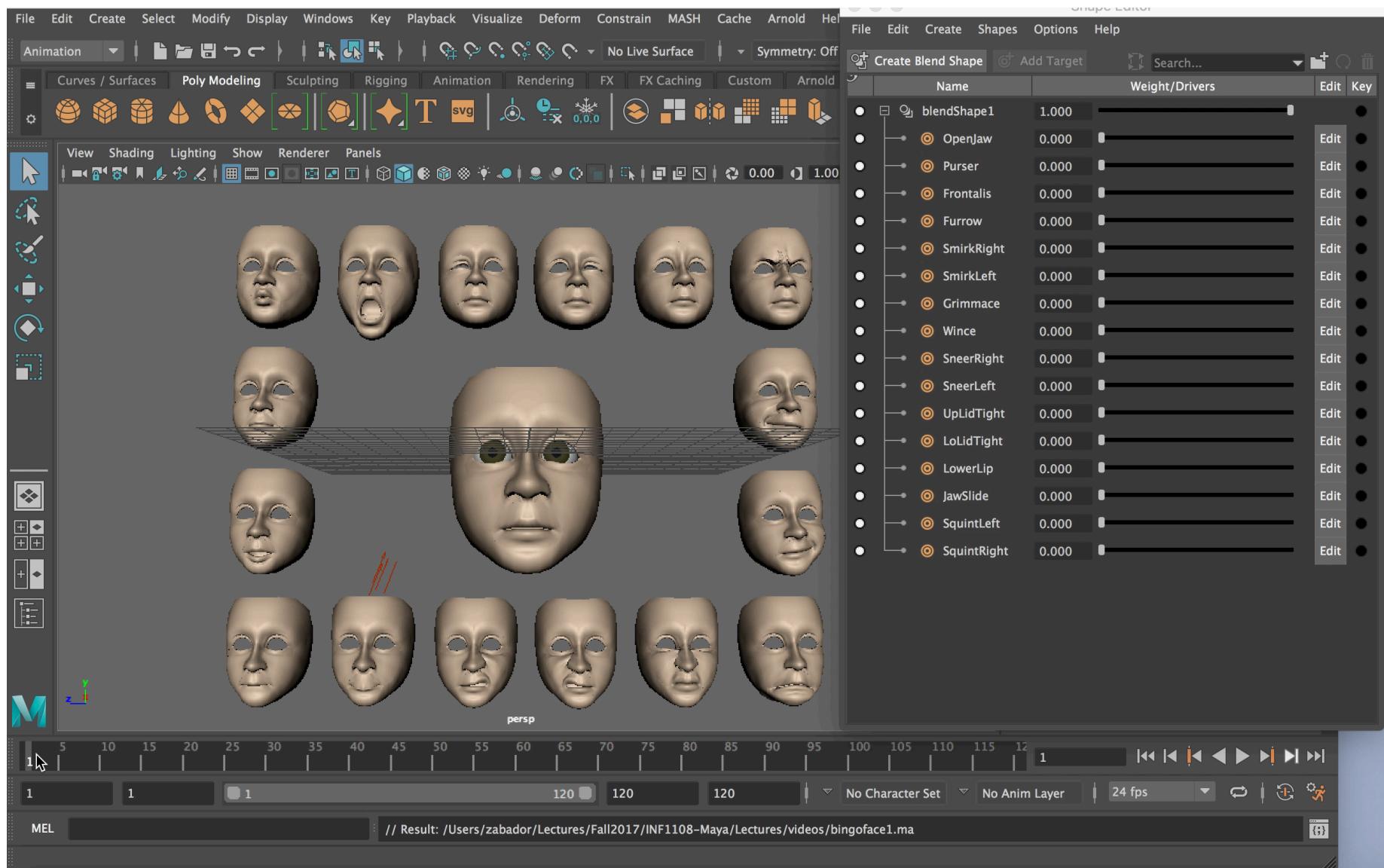
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# Blendshapes



# Blendshape Animation



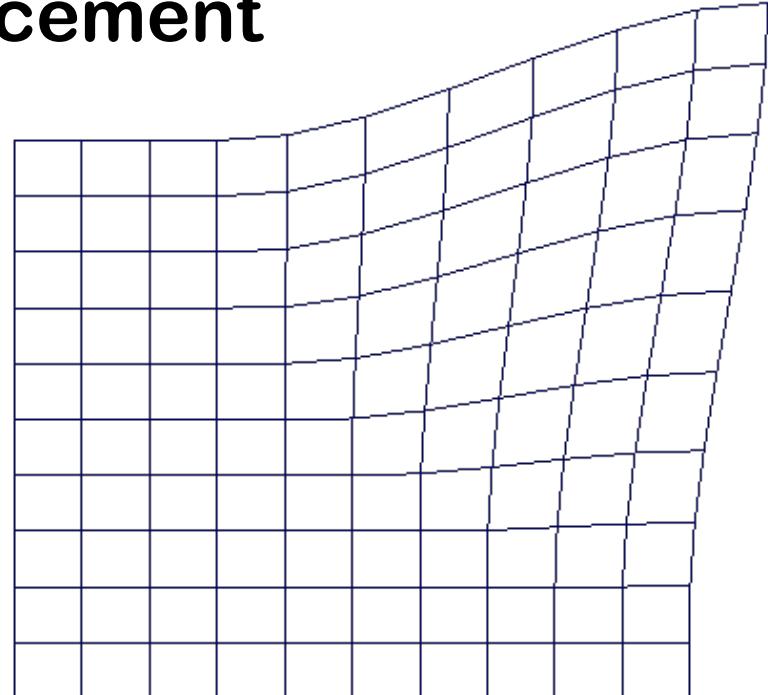
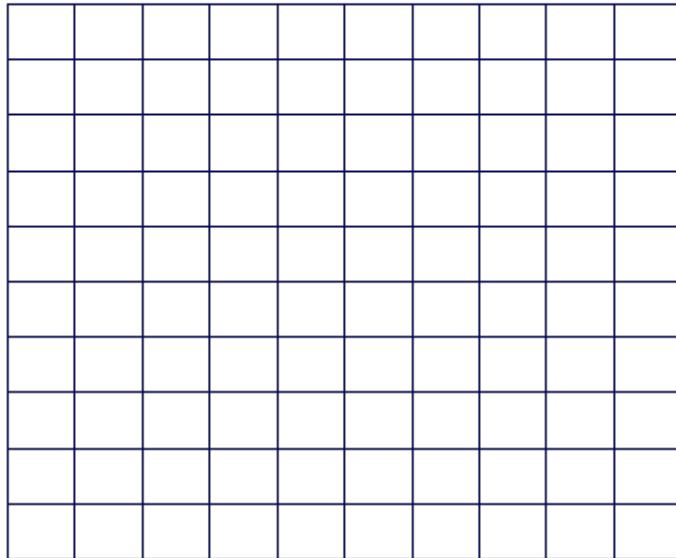
# Keyshape / Blendshape

## Interpolation

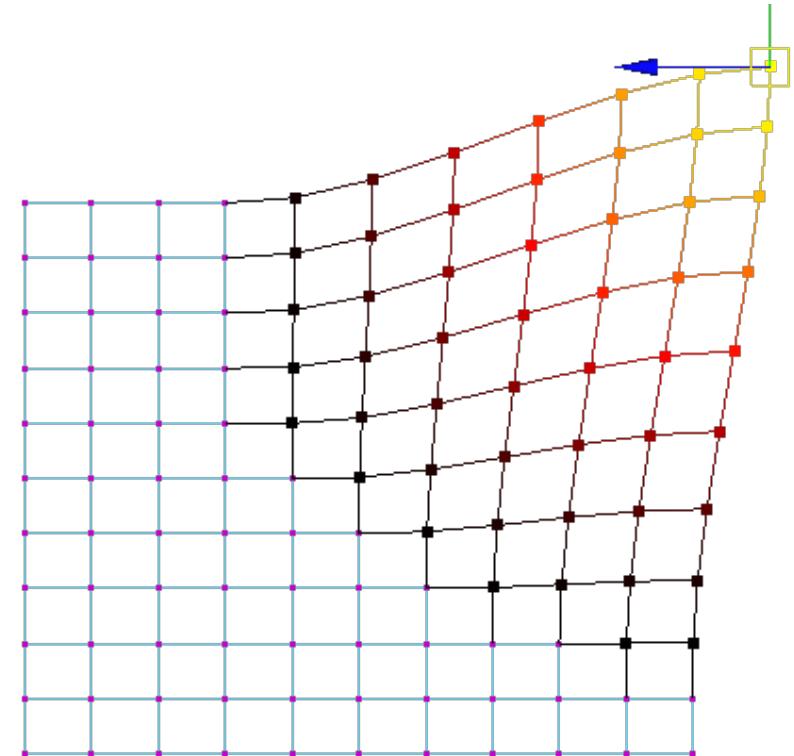
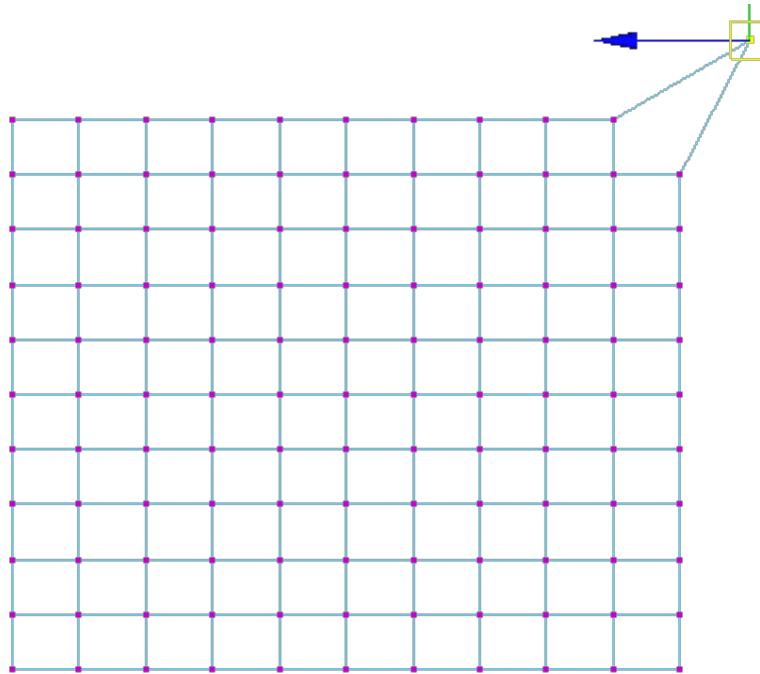
- Done on vertices, control points ...
- Memory consumption
- Artist dependant
  - Use of scanned or captured data
    - Noise and reconstruction problems
    - Results more accurate
- All degrees of liberty have to be covered
- Deformation must not be in opposition

# Warping

- Displace one vertex
- Propagates the displacement



# Without / With Warping



# Warping

- Displace one vertex
- Propagates the displacement
- Attenuation is function of a distance metric
  - Euclidean Distance
  - Geodesic Distance
  - Number of edges
  - ...

# Warping

## Example

$$S(i) = 1 - \left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right)^{k+1} \text{ for } k \geq 0$$

$$S(i) = 1 - \left(\frac{i}{n+1}\right)^{-k+1} \text{ for } k < 0$$

- $S(i)$  = scaling of the transformation applied
- $n$  = distance (number of edges)
- $k$  = some coefficient



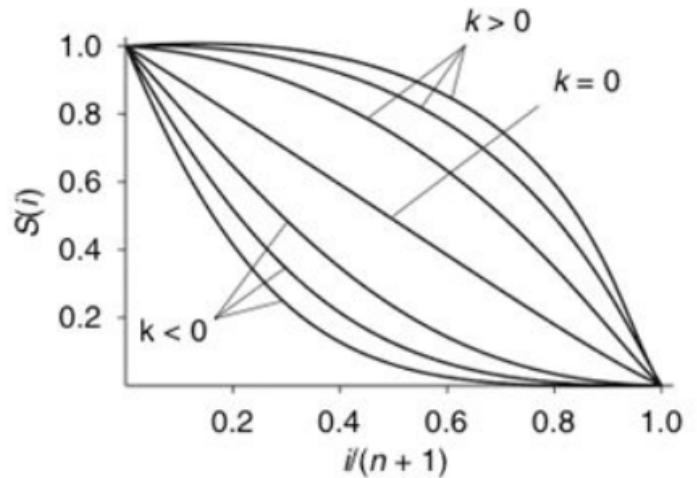
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- $k = 0$  : linear deformation
- $k > 0$  : more elastic deformation
- $k < 0$  : more rigid deformation



# Global Deformations

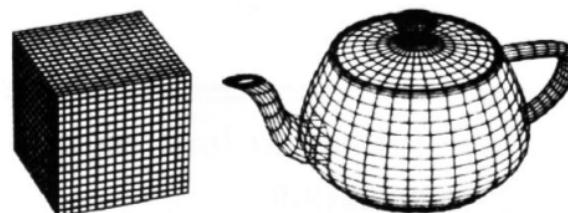
**Global and local deformations of solid primitives, Barr, SIGGRAPH '84**

- Traditional affine transformations  
(= linear transformations + translation)
  - Rotation, Translation, Scale
- Global deformations
  - Taper
  - Twist
  - Bend

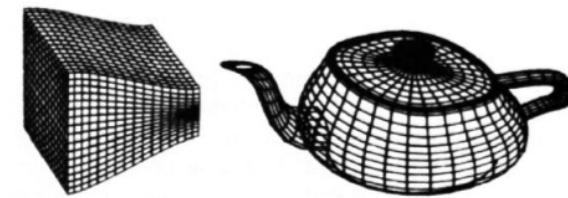


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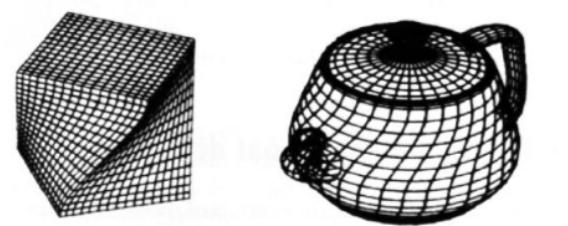
- original



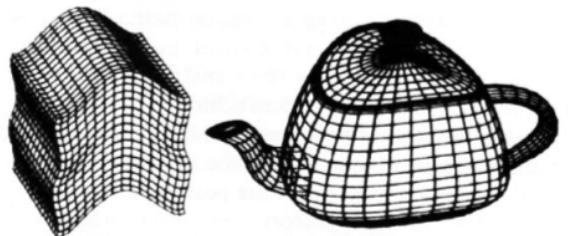
- tapering



- twisting



- bending



# Definition

$$X = F(x)$$

- $x$  : undeformed points
- $X$  : deformed points
- $F$  : transformation matrix



# Property

- Tangents and normals can also be transformed
- For tangents, you multiply by the Jacobian J

$$\frac{\partial X}{\partial u} = J \frac{\partial x}{\partial u}$$

- For normals, the transformation matrix is the inverse transpose of the Jacobian matrix J multiplied by  $\det J$

$$n^X = \det J J^{-1T} n^x$$



# Reminder

- Jacobian:

$$J_{ij} = \frac{\partial X_i}{\partial x_j}$$

- det:

$$\det \begin{vmatrix} a_1 & a_2 & a_3 \\ b_1 & b_2 & b_3 \\ c_1 & c_2 & c_3 \end{vmatrix} = (a_1b_2c_3 - a_1b_3c_2) + (b_1c_2a_3 - b_1a_2c_3) + (c_1a_2b_3 - c_1b_2a_3)$$



# Rotation and Translation

$$R_x T(\theta, t) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & t_y \\ 0 & \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & t_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Scaling

$$X = a_1 x$$

$$Y = a_2 y$$

$$Z = a_3 z$$

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

- **Det J = volume ratio between the two shapes**

$$\det J = a_1 a_2 a_3$$



# Scaling Normal Transformation Matrix

$$J^{-1T} = \begin{bmatrix} 1/a_1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1/a_2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1/a_3 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det J J^{-1T} = \begin{bmatrix} a_2 a_3 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & a_1 a_3 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & a_1 a_2 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Tapering Along z-axis

- Vertices transformation

$$X = f(z)x$$

$$Y = f(z)y$$

$$Z = z$$

$$Tz = \begin{bmatrix} f(z) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f(z) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



# Tapering

## Normal Transformation Matrix

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} f(z) & 0 & f'(z)x \\ 0 & f(z) & f'(z)y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\det J J^{-1T} = \begin{bmatrix} f(z) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f(z) & 0 \\ -f(z)f'(z)x & -f(z)f'(z)y & f(z)^2 \end{bmatrix}.$$

- $\det J = f(z)^2$  : **volumetric rate of expansion**



# Tapering Example

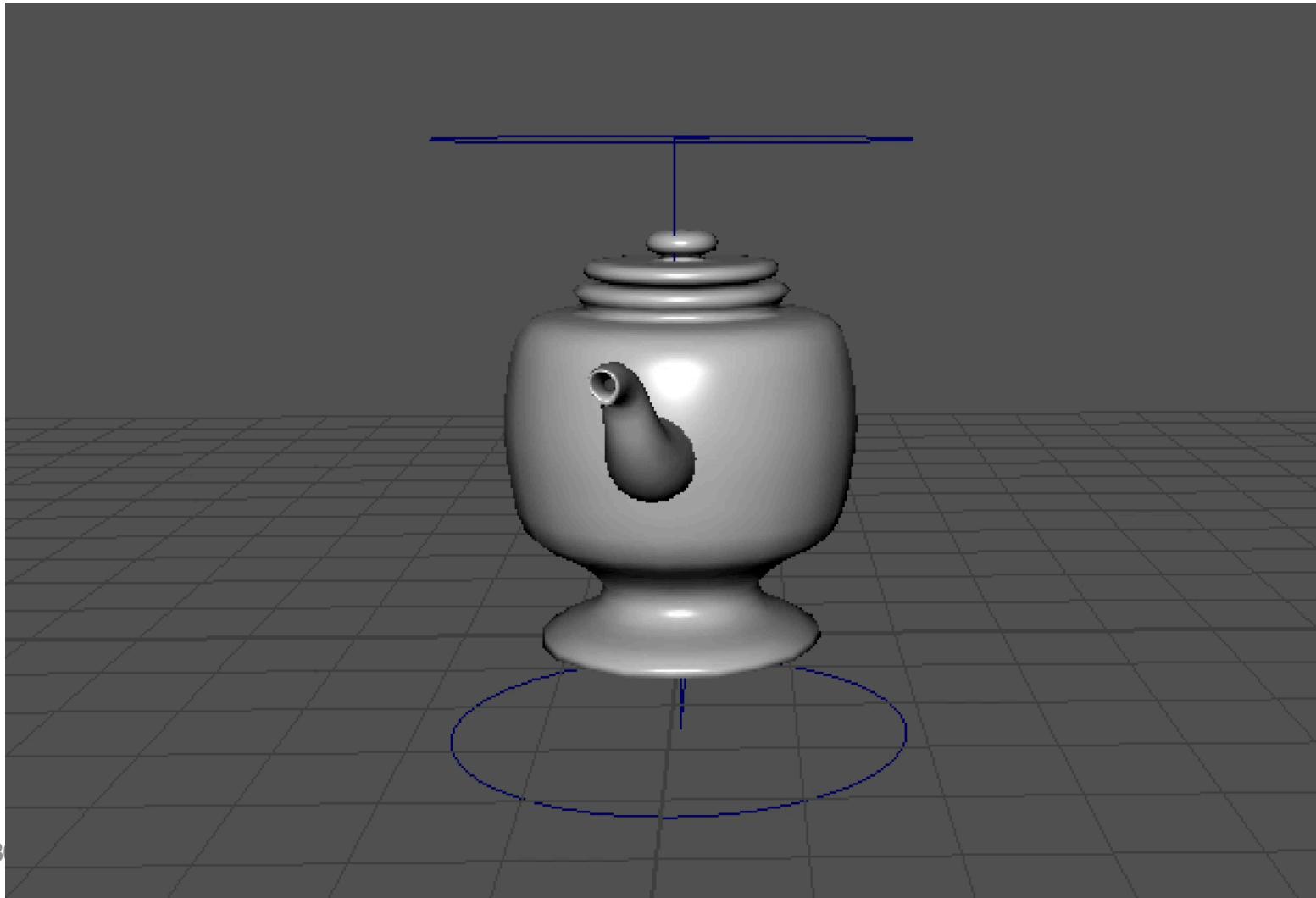
$$Tz = \begin{bmatrix} f(z) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & f(z) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- Cube centered over z-axis
- z varying from 0 to 1

$$f(z) = z$$



# Twisting Examples



# Twisting Around z-axis

- Let  $\theta = f(z)$

$$X = x \cos(\theta) - y \sin(\theta)$$

$$Y = x \sin(\theta) + y \cos(\theta)$$

$$Z = z$$

$$Tz = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

# Twisting Normal Transformation Matrix

$$J = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & -x \sin(\theta) f'(z) - y \cos(\theta) f'(z) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & x \cos(\theta) f'(z) - y \sin(\theta) f'(z) \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$



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**Volume does not change !**



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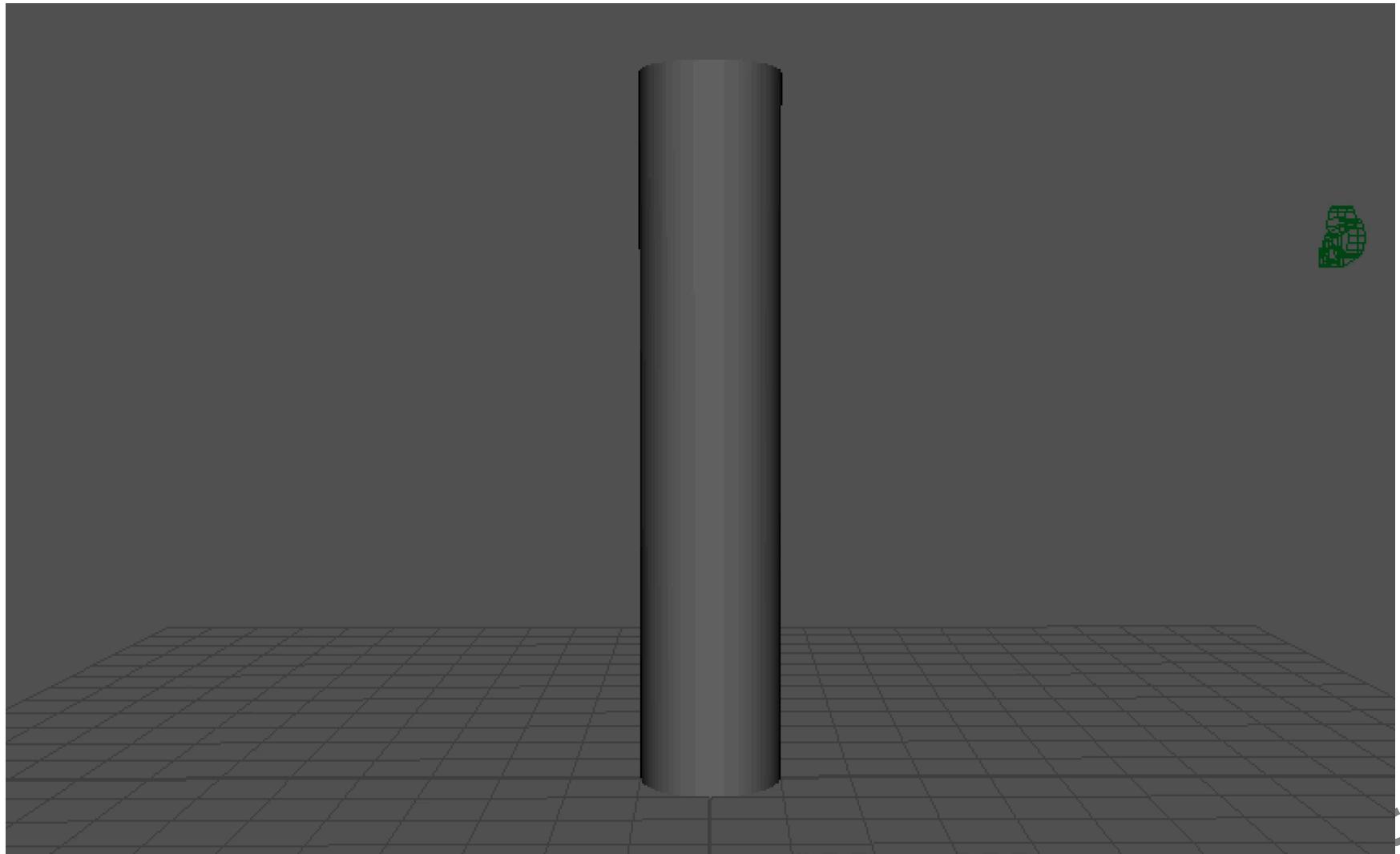
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• **Tnormals :**  $\det J J^{-1T} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ y f'(z) & -x f'(z) & 1 \end{bmatrix}$



# Bending Examples



# Bending Along y-axis

Bending angle:  $\theta = k(y - y_0)$

$$X = x$$

$$Y = y_0 - \sin(\theta)(z - 1/k)$$

$$Z = 1/k + \cos(\theta)(z - 1/k)$$

# FFD - Principle

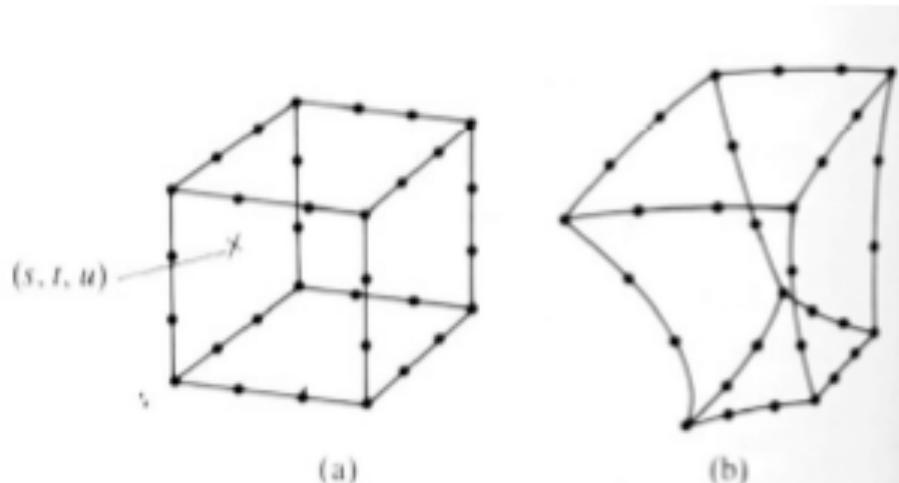
**Free Form Deformation of Solid Geometric Models, Sederberg & Parry, 1986**

- FFD = Free Form Deformations
- Local coordinate grid super-imposed over an object
- For each vertex, coordinates relative to this local grid are computed and registered
- The grid is then manipulated by the user
- Each vertex is mapped back into the modified grid -> modified global position

# FFD

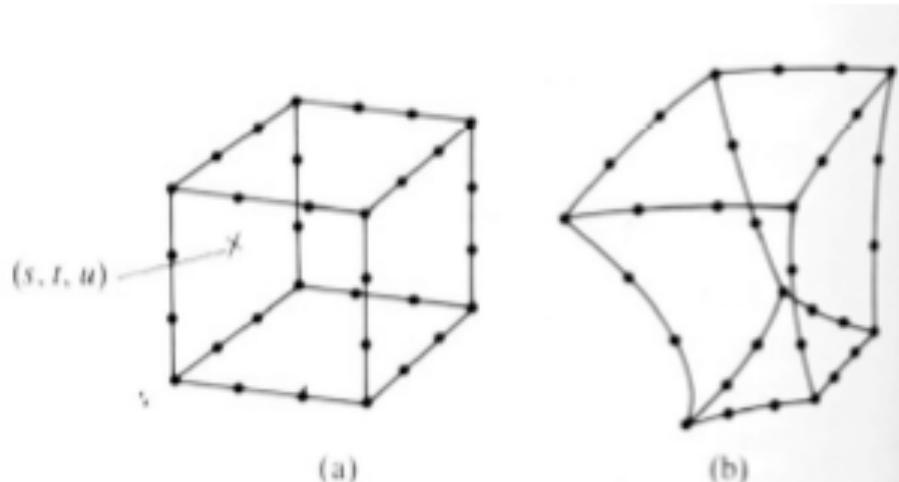
$$\forall u \in [0, 1], \forall v \in [0, 1], \forall w \in [0, 1]$$

$$Q(u, v, w) = \sum_{i=1}^l \sum_{j=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^n F_i(u) F_j(v) F_k(w) P_{ijk}$$



# Applying FFD

- For each point, compute its relative position in the cube  $(s, t, u)$
- Move the control points  $P_{ijk}$
- Compute the new position using the formula

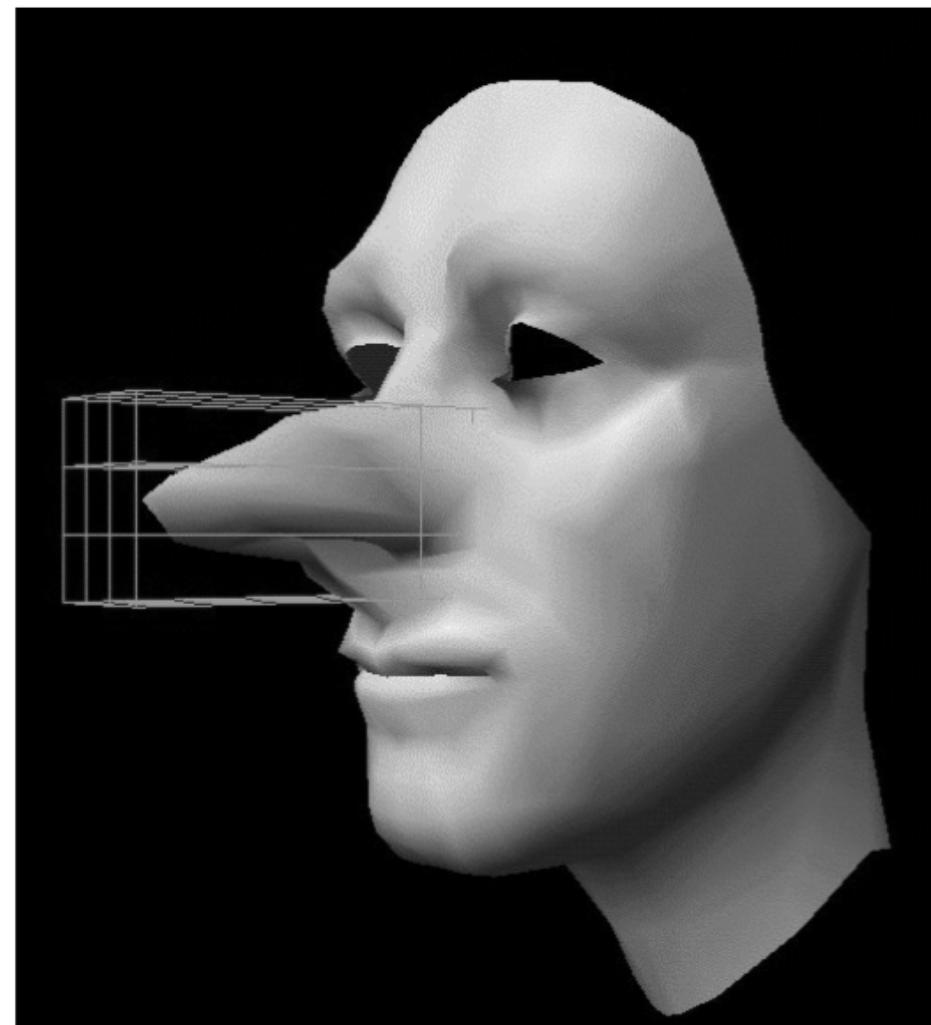
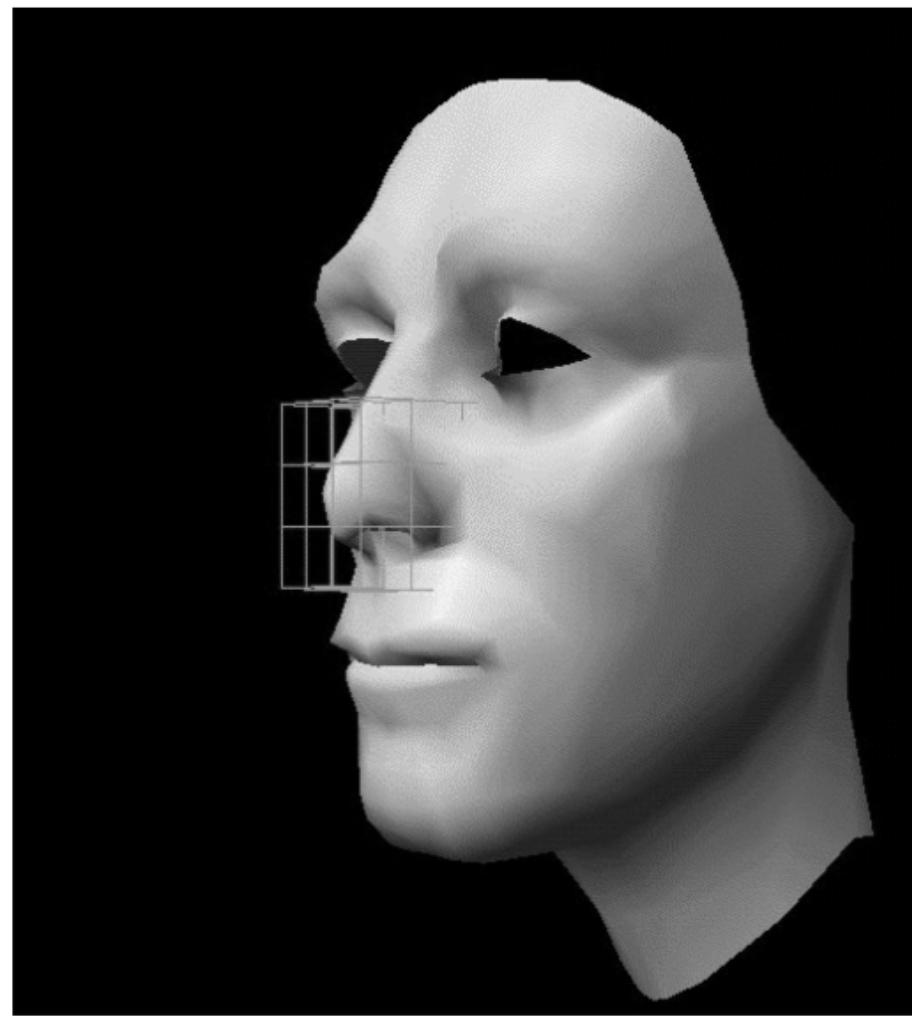


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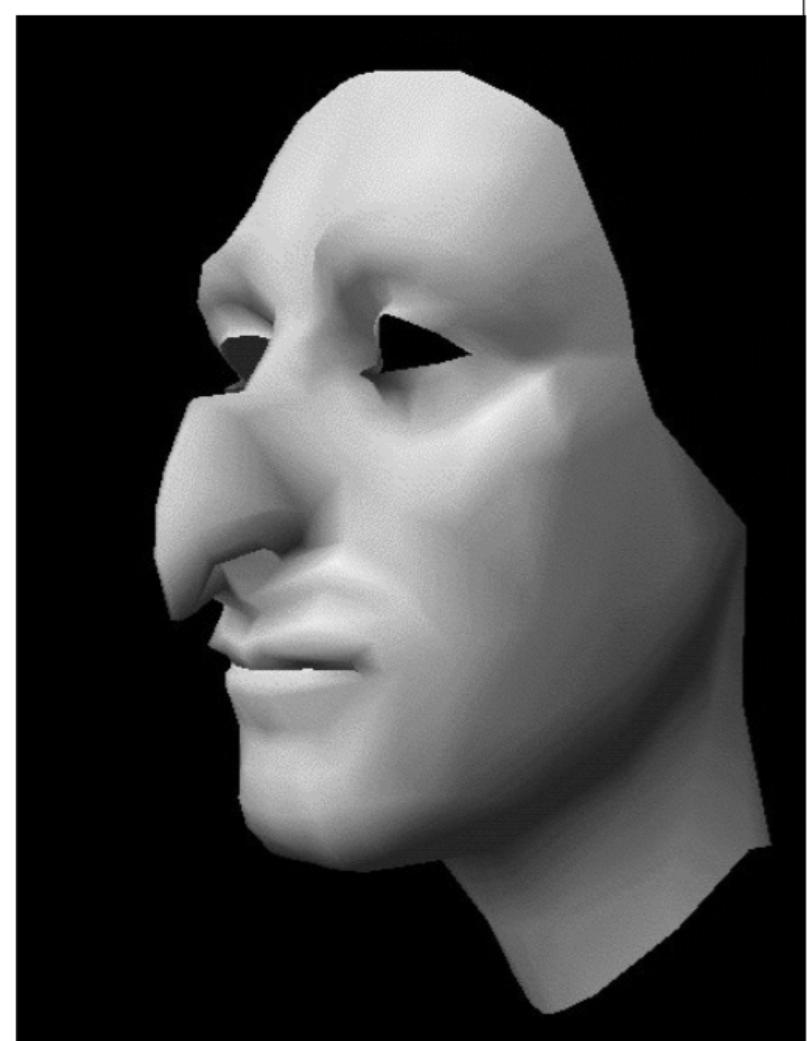
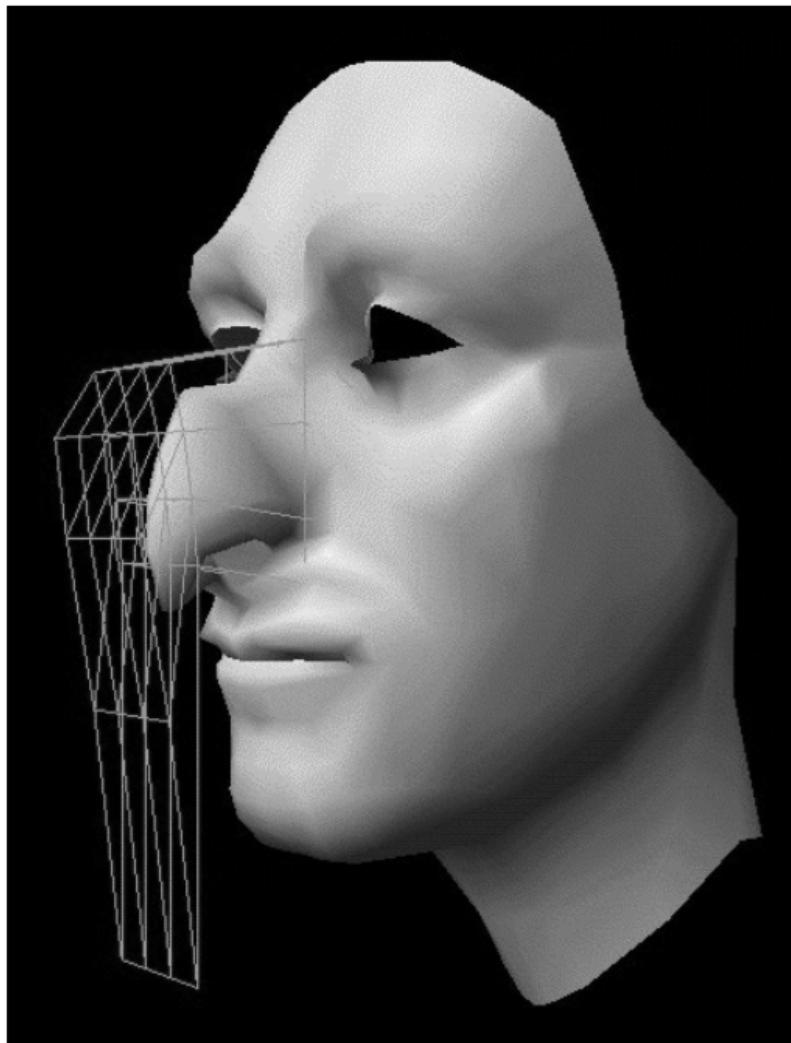
- High level control
- Ensures continuity of the deformed surface
- Deformation not always easy to control
  - Surfacic FFDs
    - Still indirect deformation
    - Closer to the manipulated surface
    - Very dependant of the control mesh and resolution



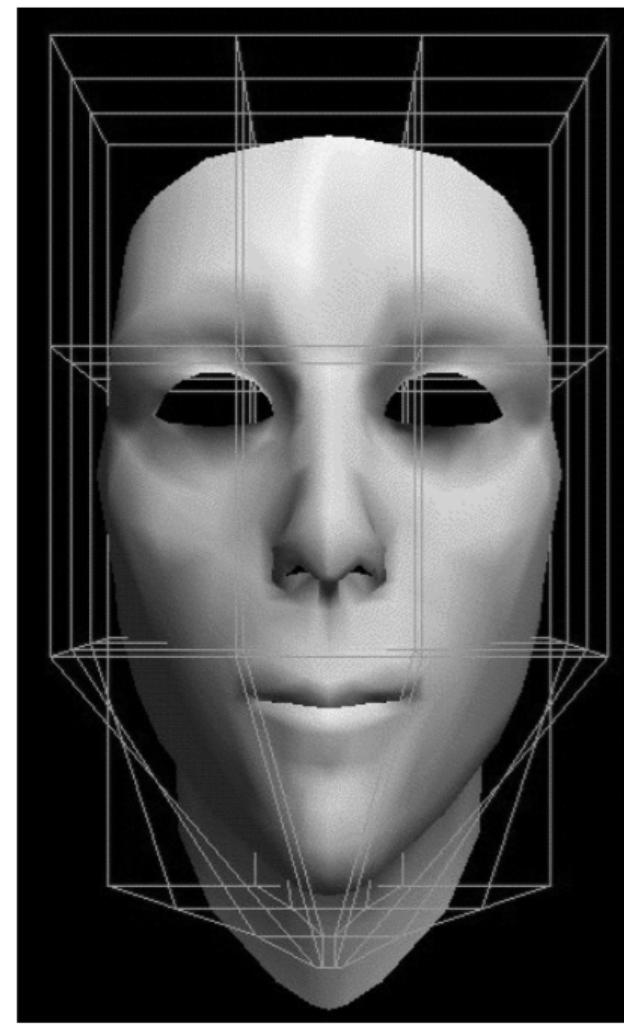
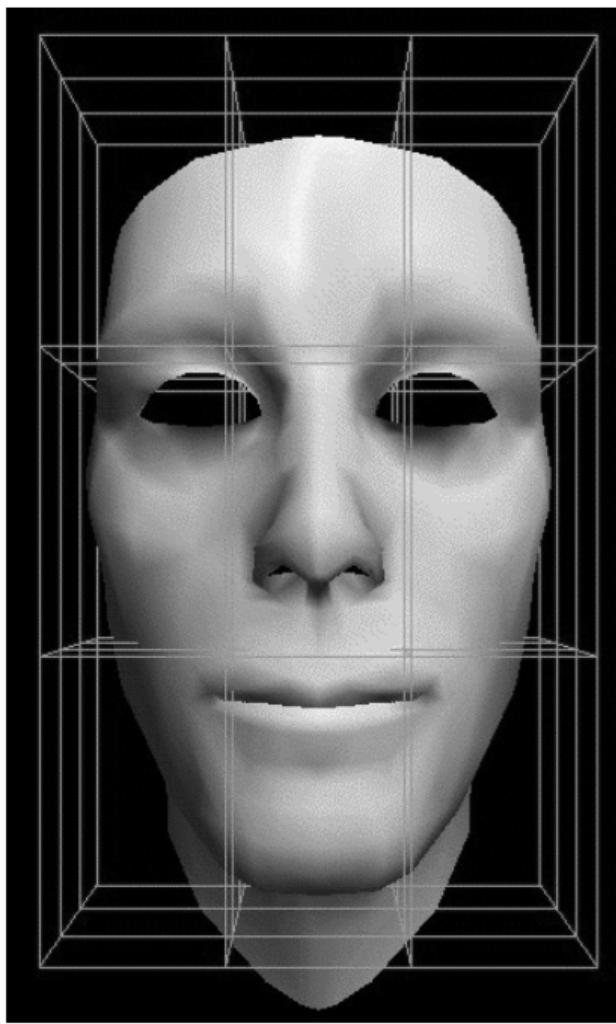
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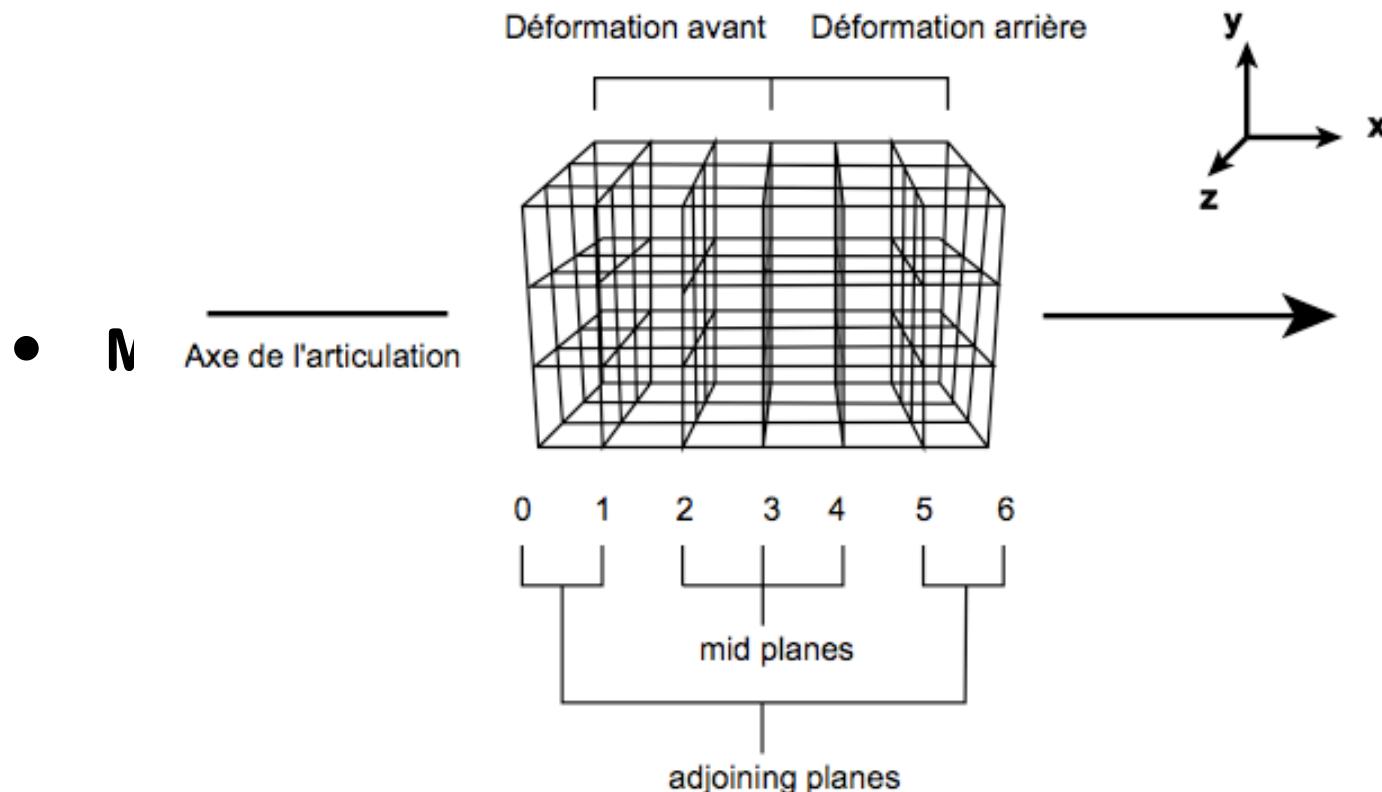
# FFD Example

- Video



# Muscles - FFDs

Layered construction for deformable animated characters,  
Chadwick et al., SIGGRAPH' 89)



# Muscles - FFDs

## Deformation of the belly

Muscle contraction (use contractibility eq)

1. Computation of the shortening R (depends on  $\theta$ )
2. Propagation of the shortening to the *mid-planes* (if  $x \searrow$ ,  $y \nearrow$  &  $z \nearrow$ )
3. Deformation of the *adjoining planes* to ensure continuity



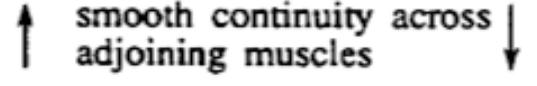
# Muscles - FFDs

## Deformation of the tendons

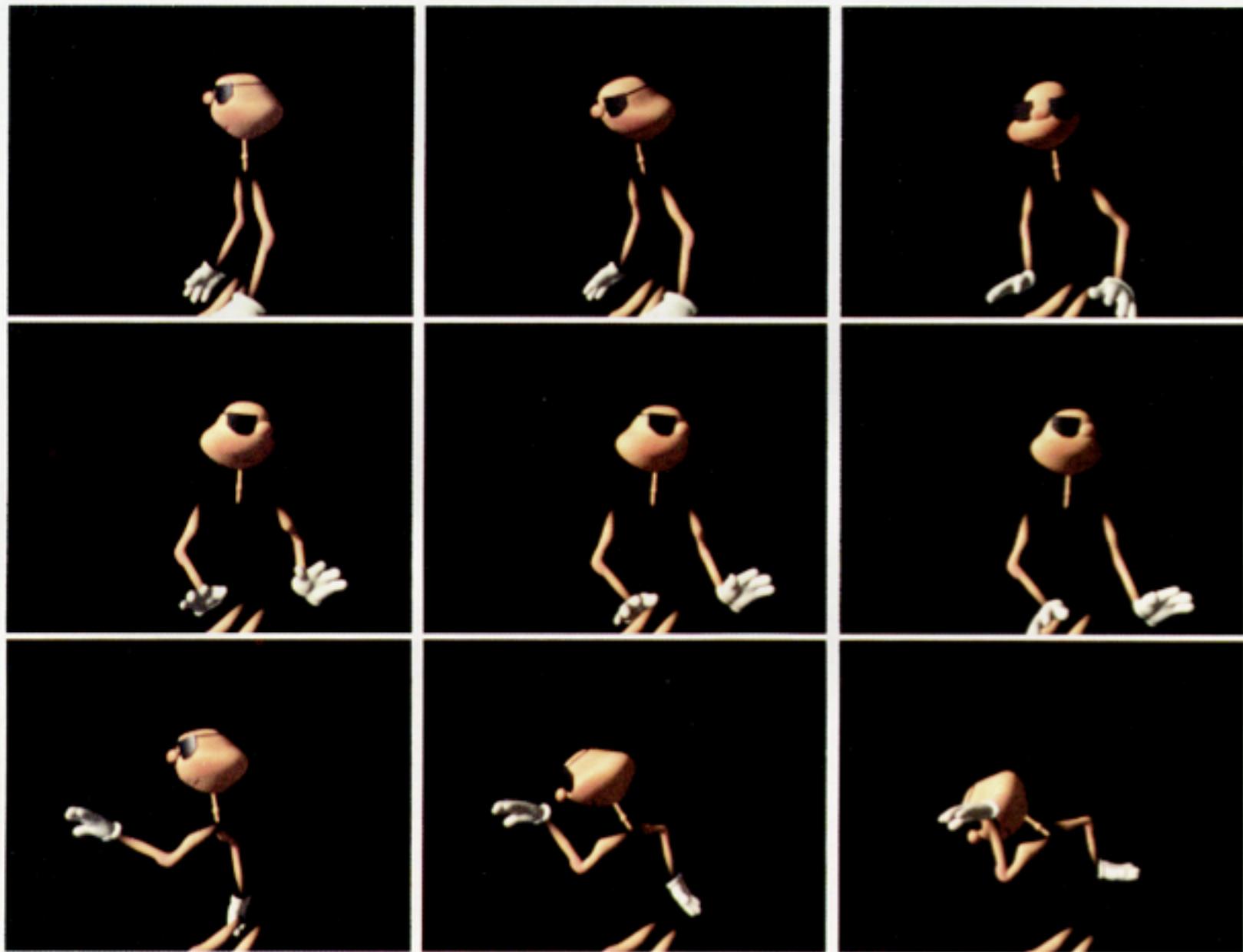
1. Compute  $\text{angle} = \text{rotation angle} / 2$
2. Move mid-planes 2 and 3 by  $\text{angle}$  around z and mid-plane 4 by  $-\text{angle}$
3. Slide adjoining planes away from mid-pl.
4. Rotate trailing deform by joint angle
5. Check for intersections and continuity C1
6. Scale if needed to maintain volume



# Result

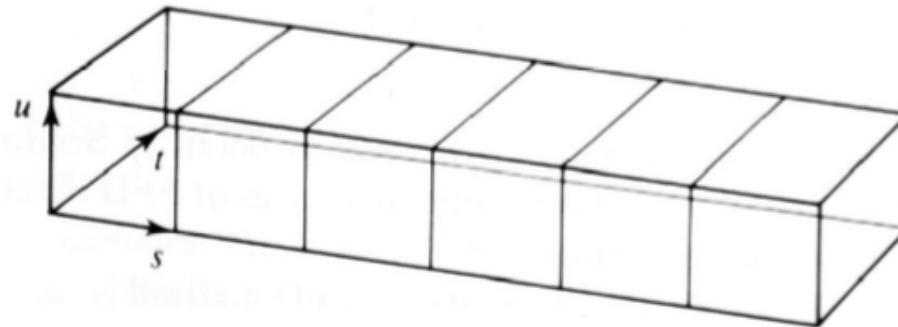
<p>skeleton: shoulder, elbow, forearm, wrist</p> 	<p>Arm Example Kinematic Muscle Deformation</p>
<p>muscle: bicep, elbow, forearm</p> 	<p>geometric skin</p> 
<p>flexor - tendon - flexor</p> 	
<p>smooth bend at elbow</p> <p>↑ smooth continuity across adjoining muscles ↓</p> 	
	
<p>crease forms at elbow</p> 	



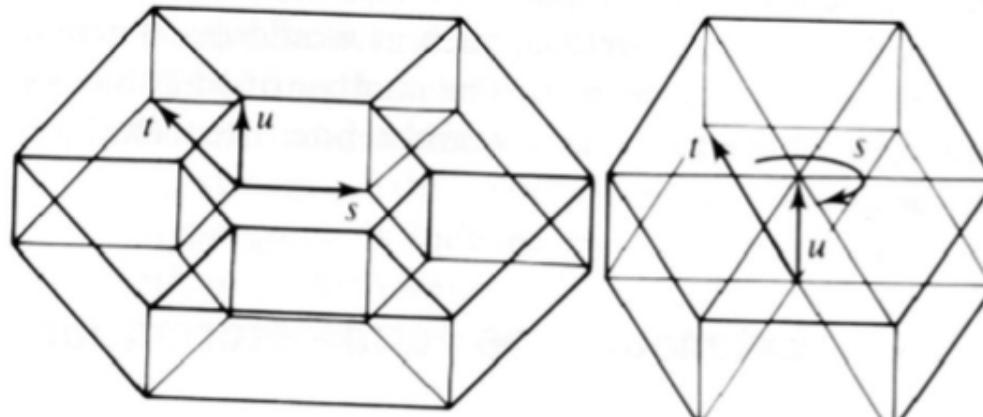


# Extended FFD

**Extended Free-From Deformation: A Sculpturing Tool for 3D Geometric Modeling, Coquillart, 1990**



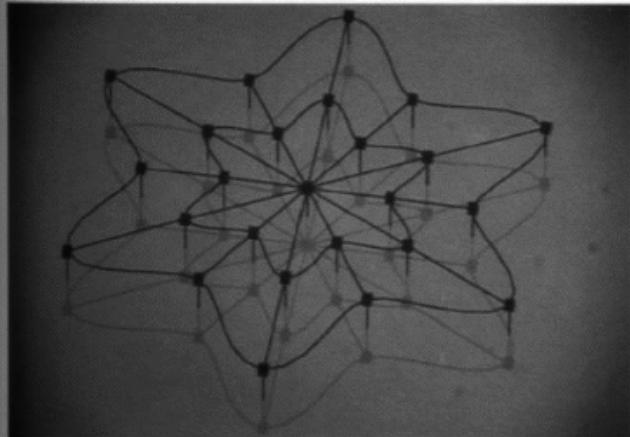
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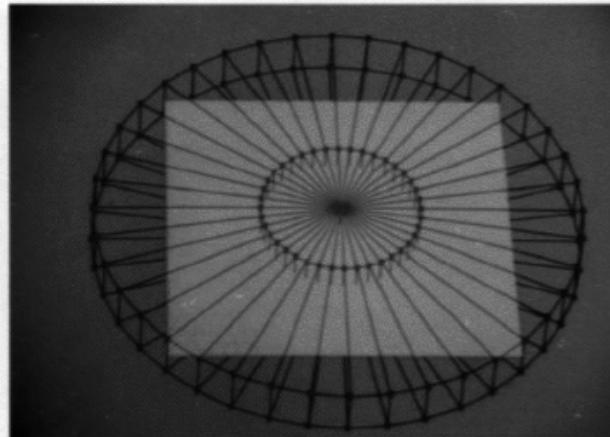
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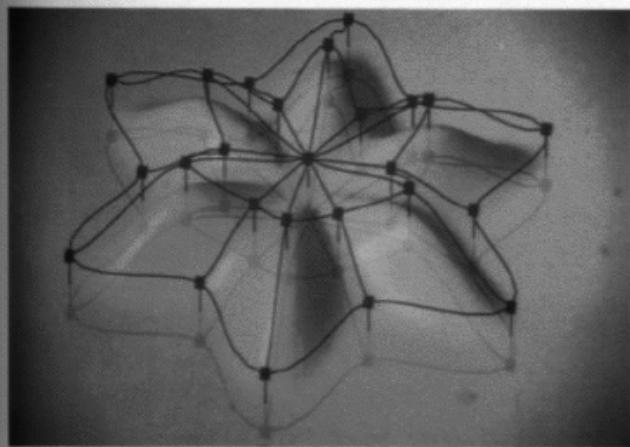
# Extending the Mesh



(a)



(a)



(b)



(b)

