

# Barycentric Coordinates for Closed Curves

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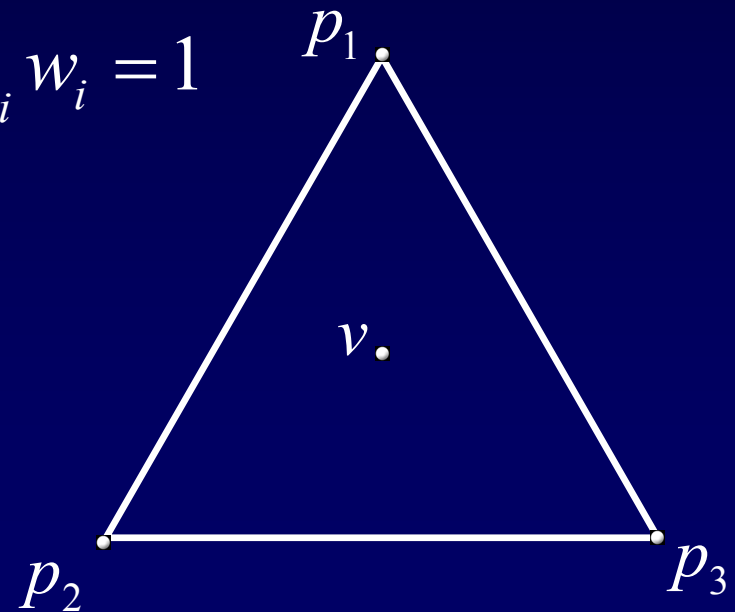
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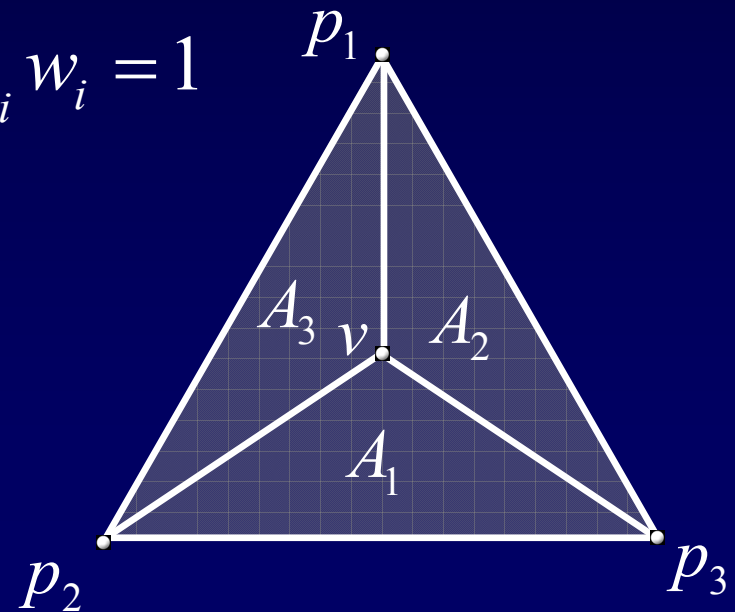
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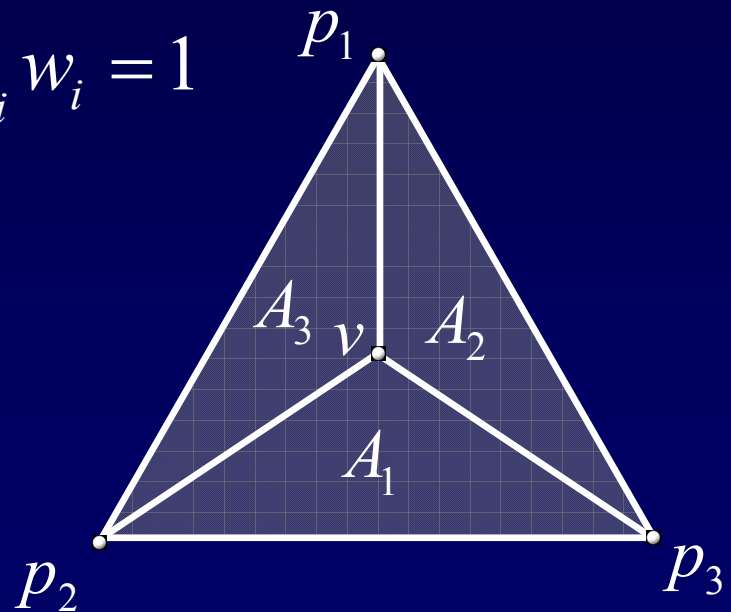
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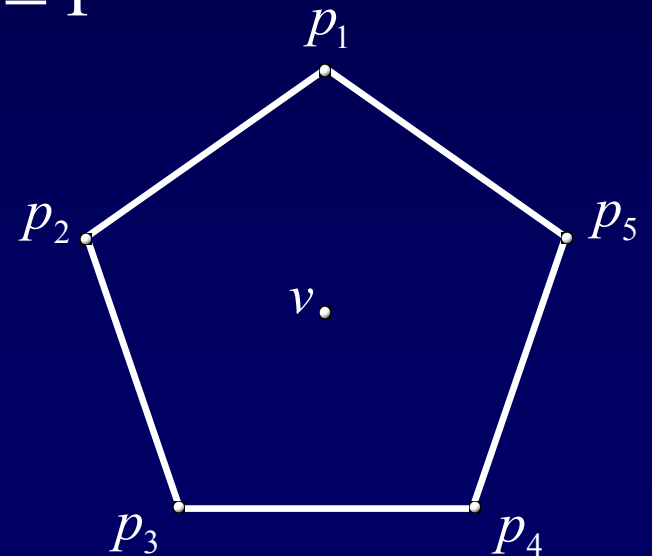
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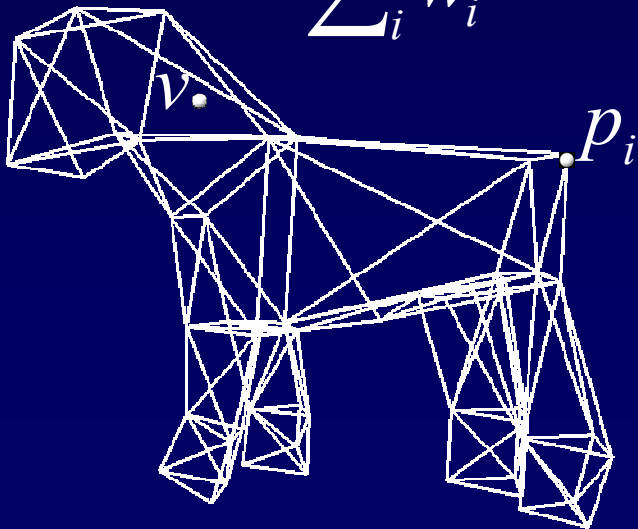


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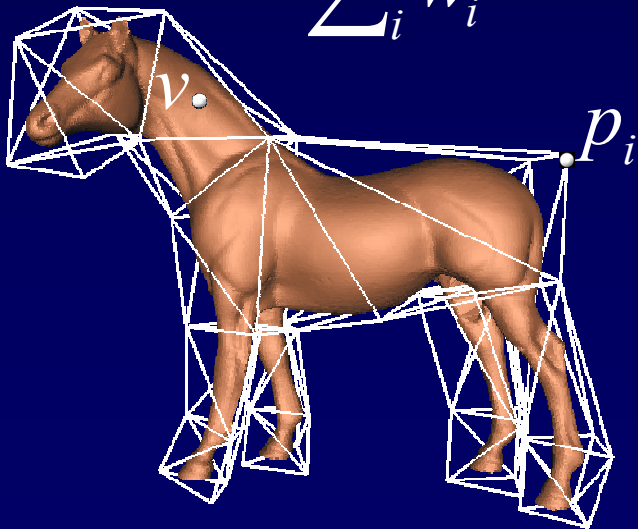


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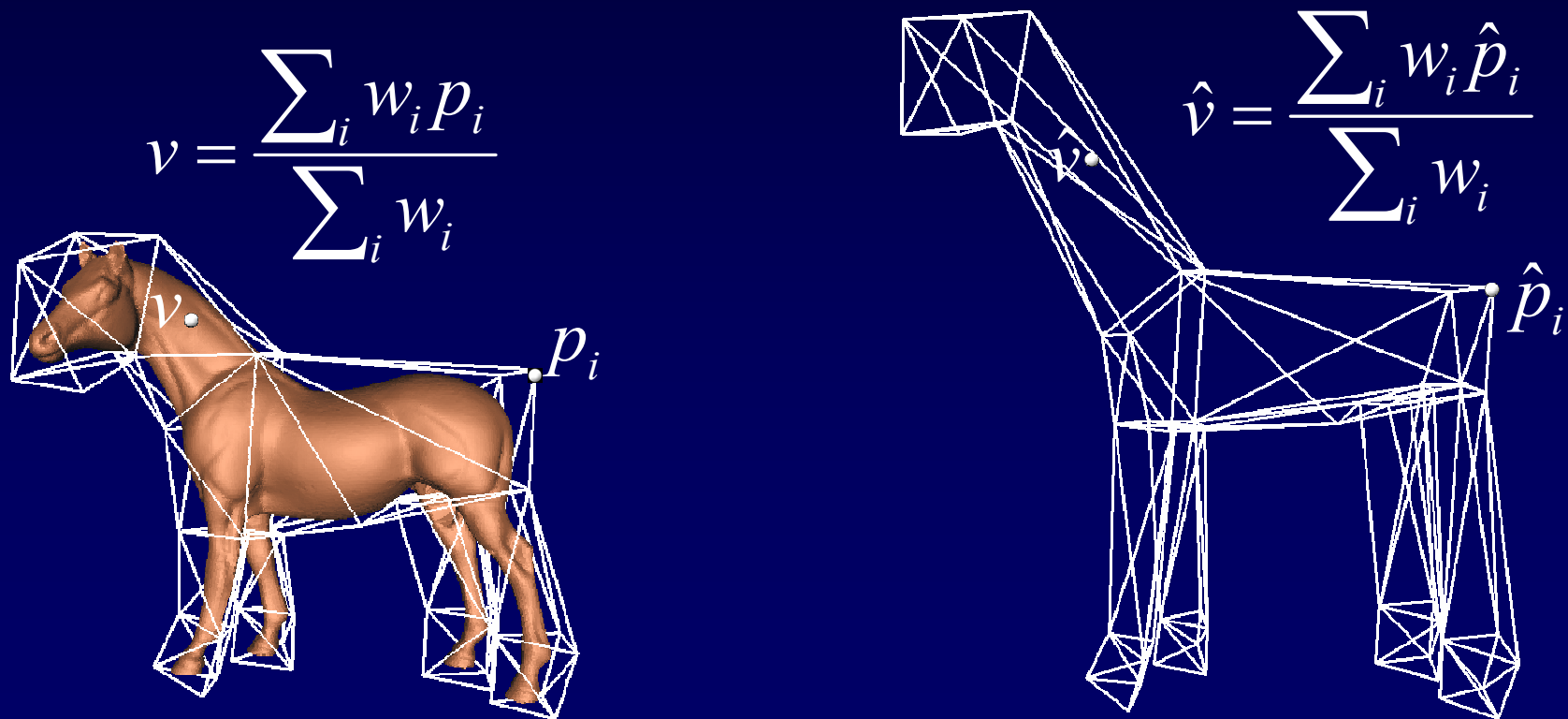
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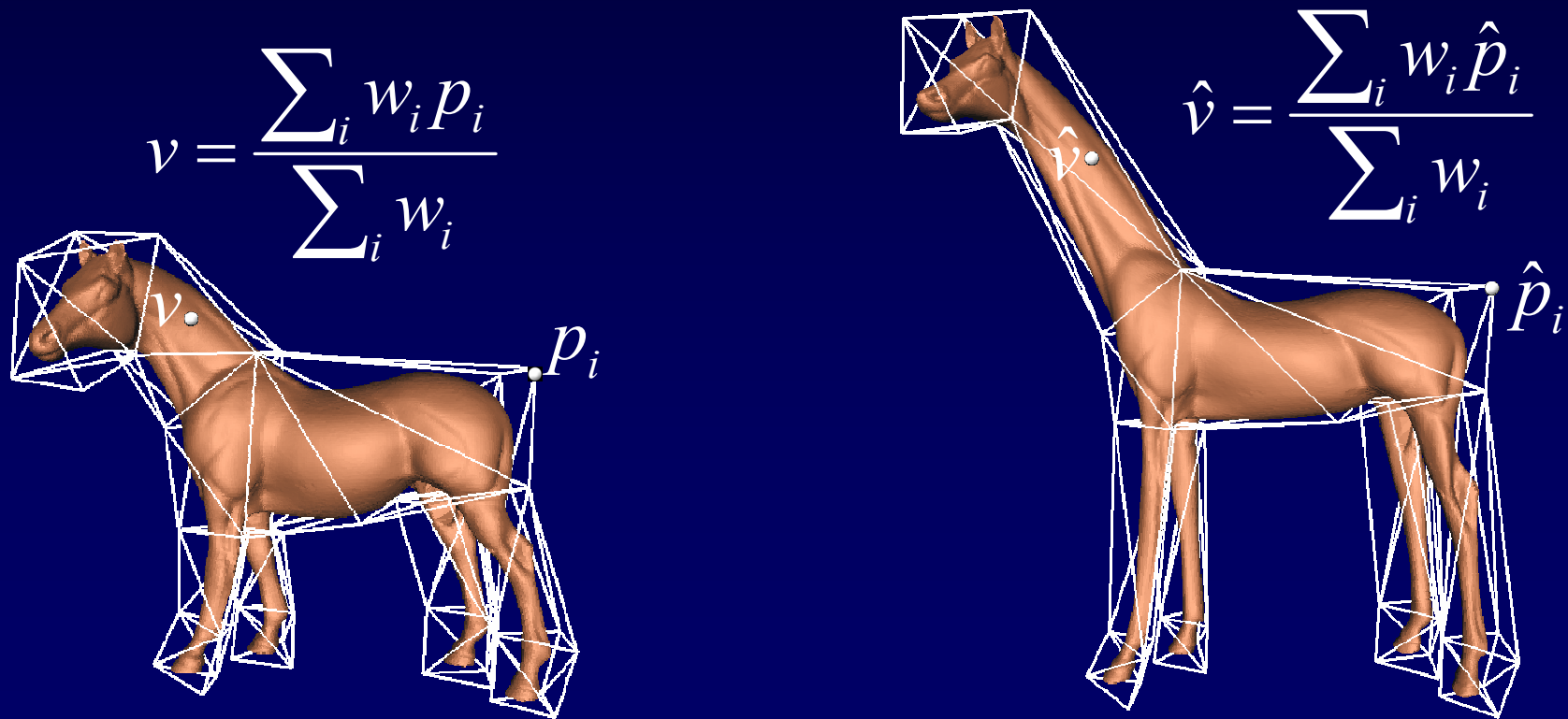




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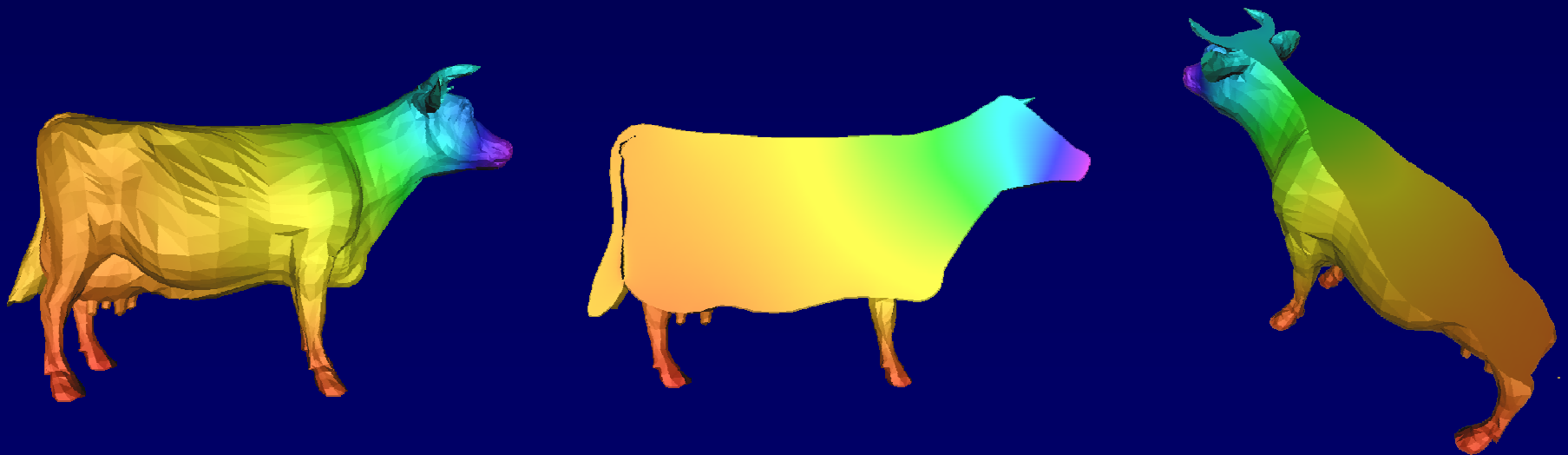
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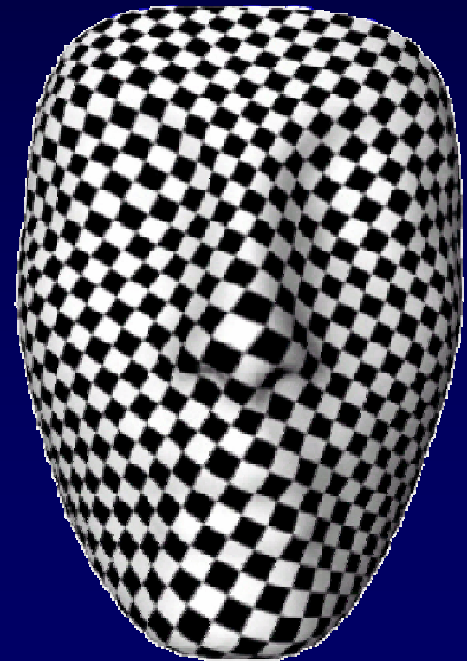


Image taken from [Desbrun et al 02]

# Previous Work

- Closed Polygons

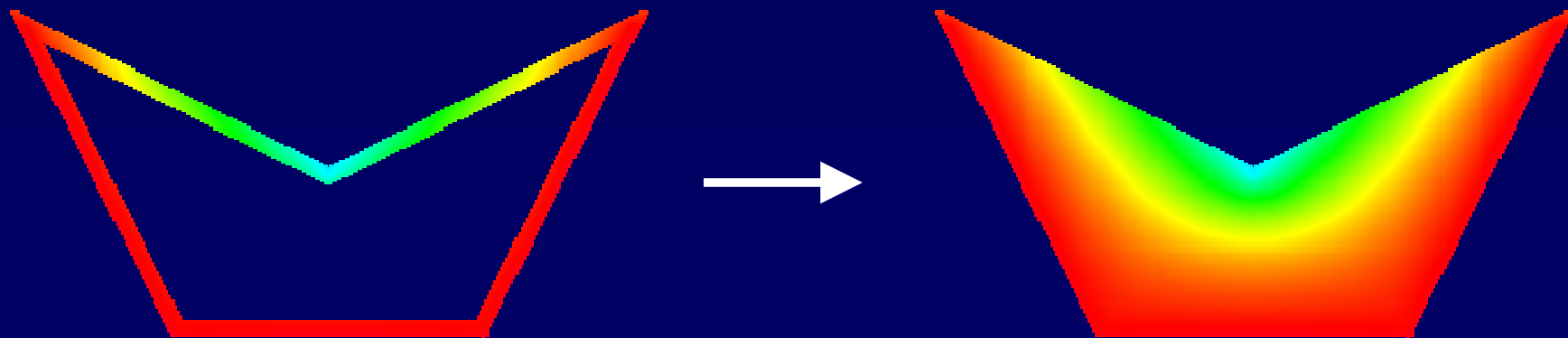
[Wachspress 75], [Floater 03], [Hormann 06]

- Closed Polyhedra

[Warren 96], [Floater et al 05], [Ju et al 05], [Ju et al 07]

- Smooth Convex Curves/Surfaces/...

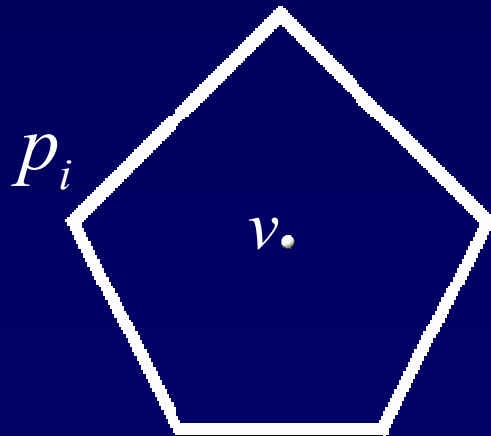
[Schaefer et al 03]



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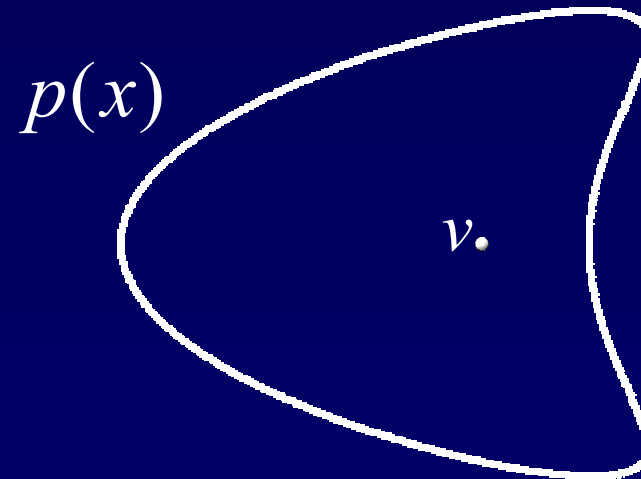
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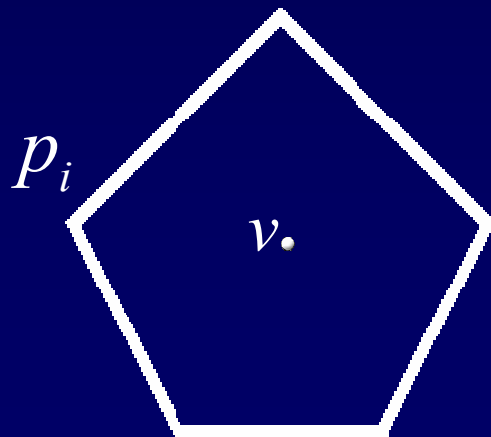


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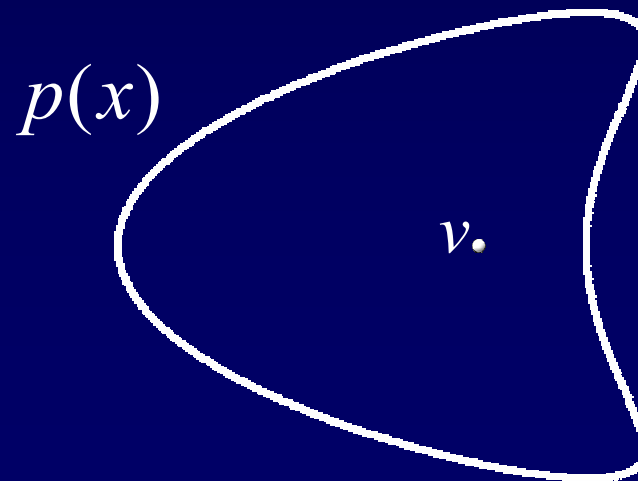
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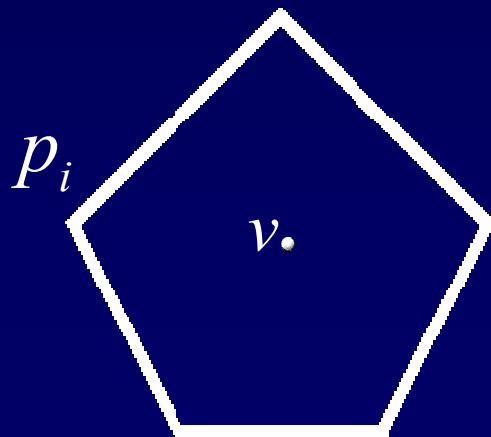
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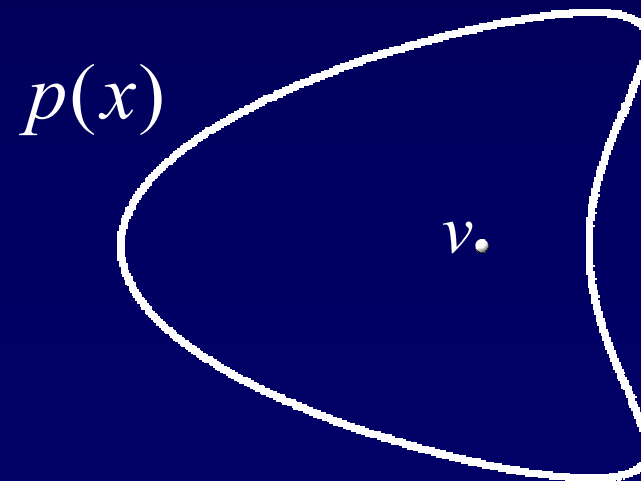


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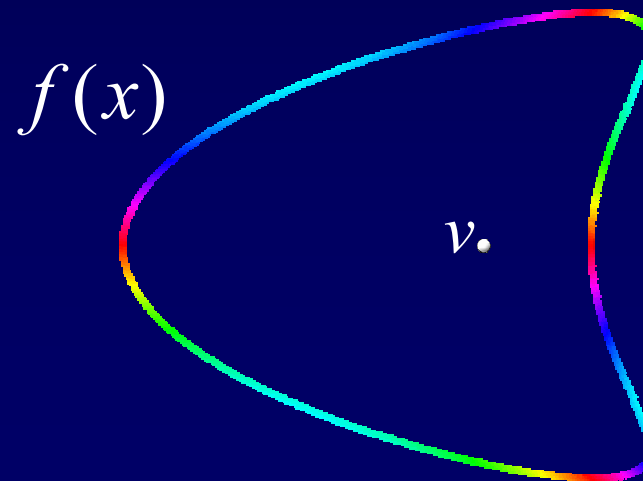
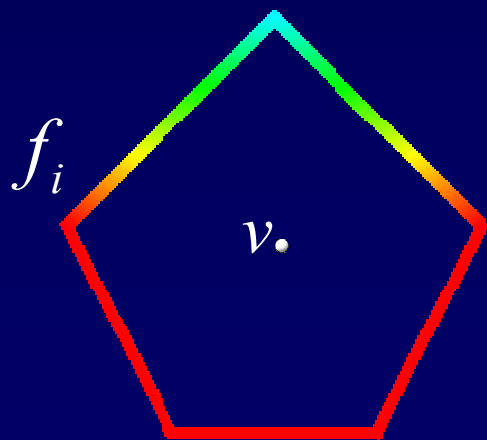
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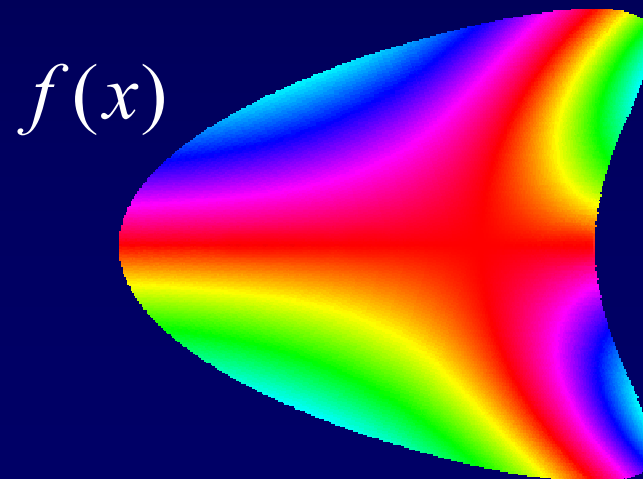
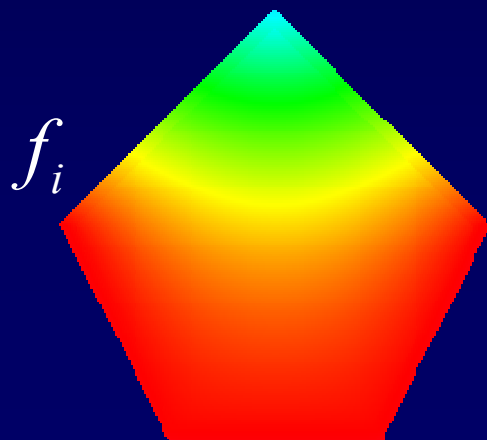
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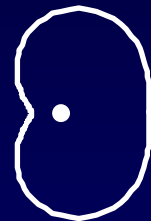
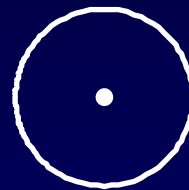
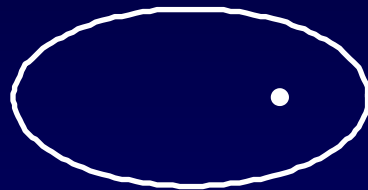
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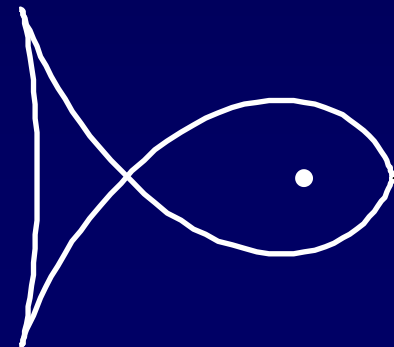
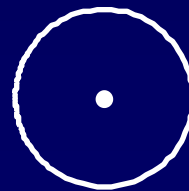
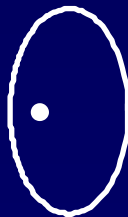
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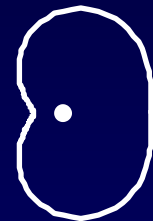
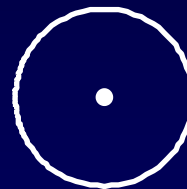
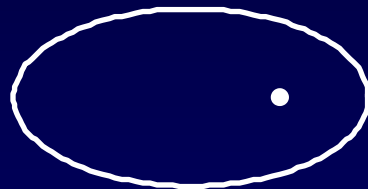


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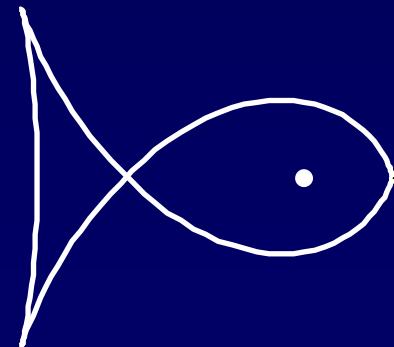
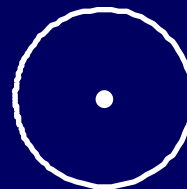
$$d(d(p(x))) = p(x)$$

as long as  $p(x) \cdot p^\perp(x) \neq 0$

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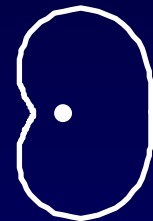
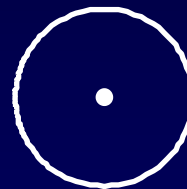
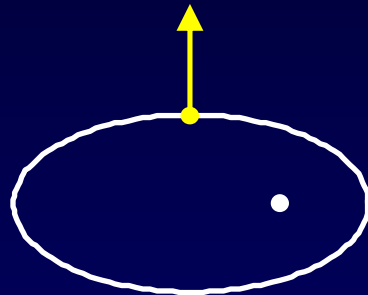
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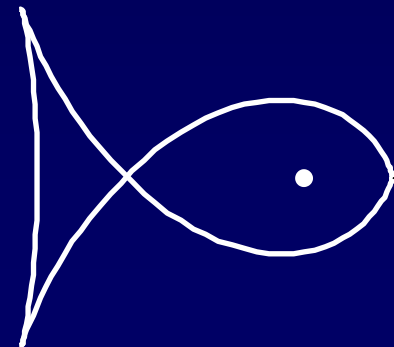
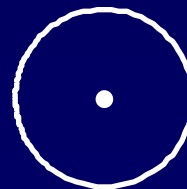
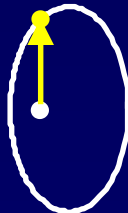
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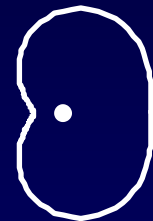
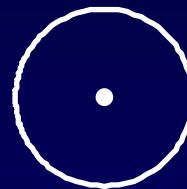
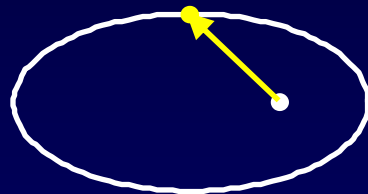
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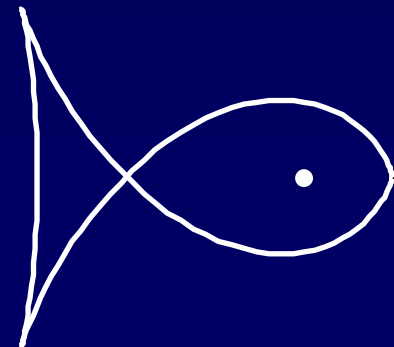
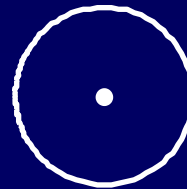
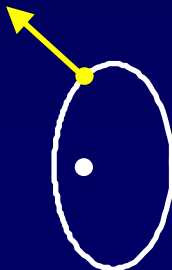
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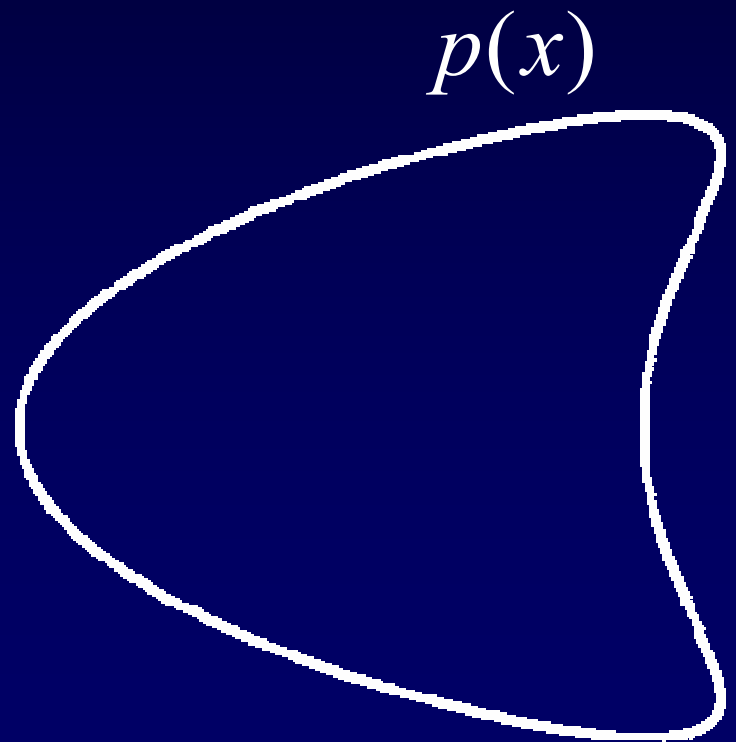
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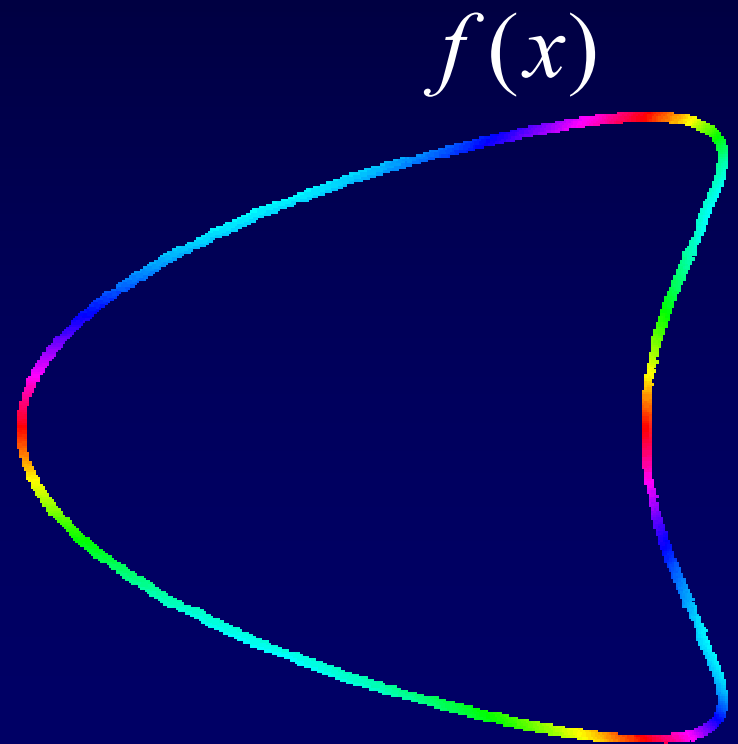


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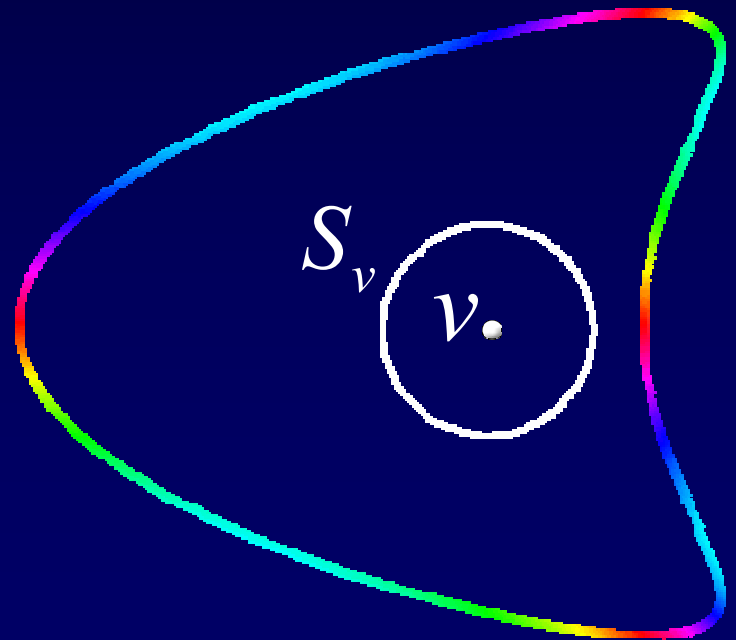
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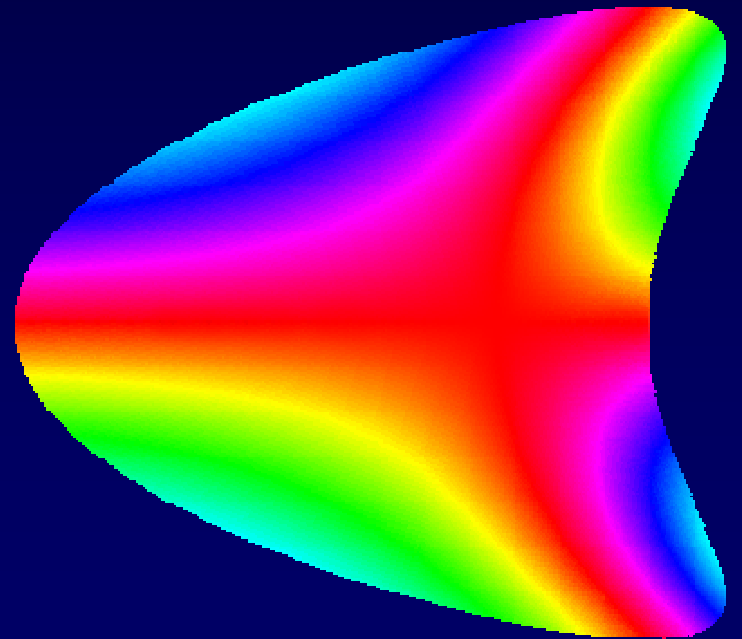
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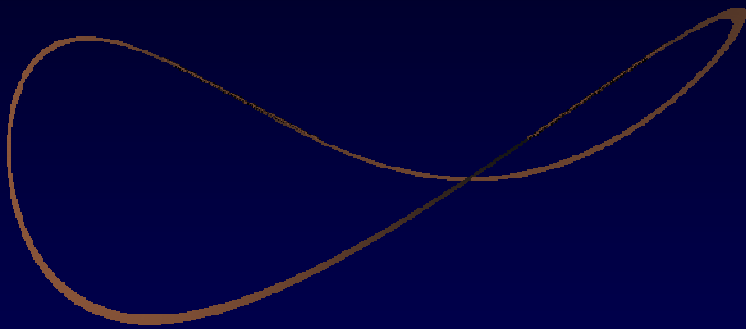
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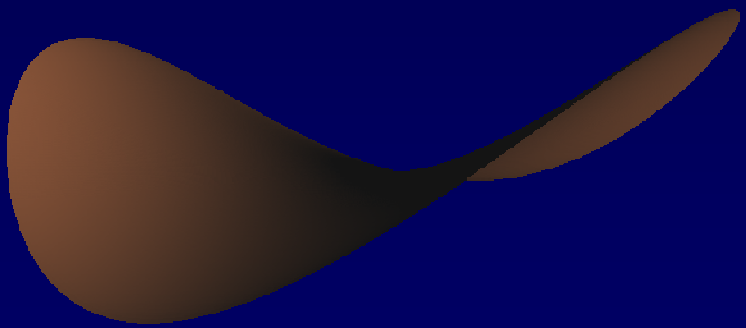
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- $k=0$ : continuous Wachspress [Schaefer et al 03]

$$\hat{f}(v) = \frac{\int_x \frac{f(x)\kappa(x)}{(n(x) \cdot (p(x) - v))^m} dP}{\int_x \frac{\kappa(x)}{(n(x) \cdot (p(x) - v))^m} dP}$$

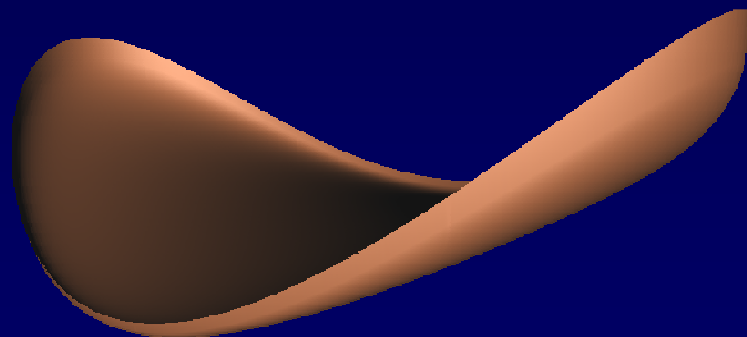
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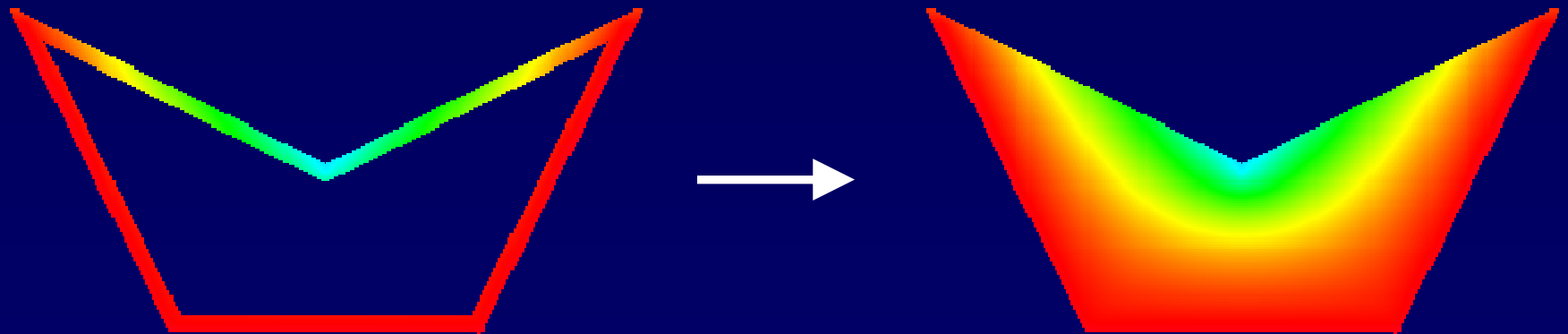
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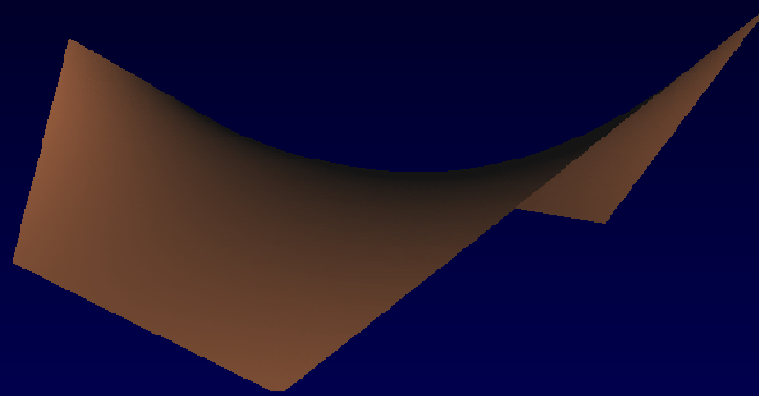
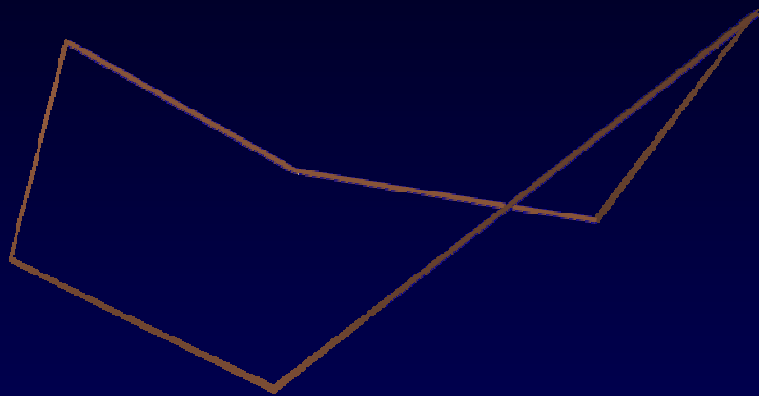
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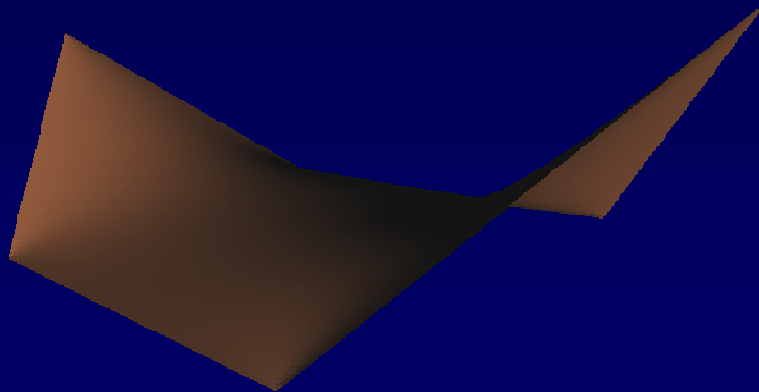
- Treat function  $p(x)$  and boundary data  $f(x)$  as piecewise linear functions
- $k=0$ : discrete Wachspress coordinates
- $k=1$ : discrete mean value coordinates
- $k=2$ : discrete harmonic coordinates



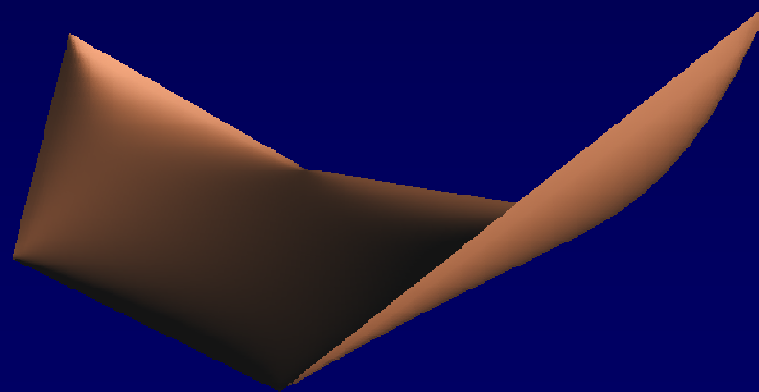
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# Conclusions

- New barycentric coordinates for curves/surfaces/...
- Reproduces all discrete barycentric coordinates
- Limited to shapes where  $\frac{p(x)-v}{a_v(x)} \cdot \left(\frac{p(x)-v}{a_v(x)}\right)^\perp \neq 0$

