

Alternatives to outline representations: Parametric fonts based on shape components

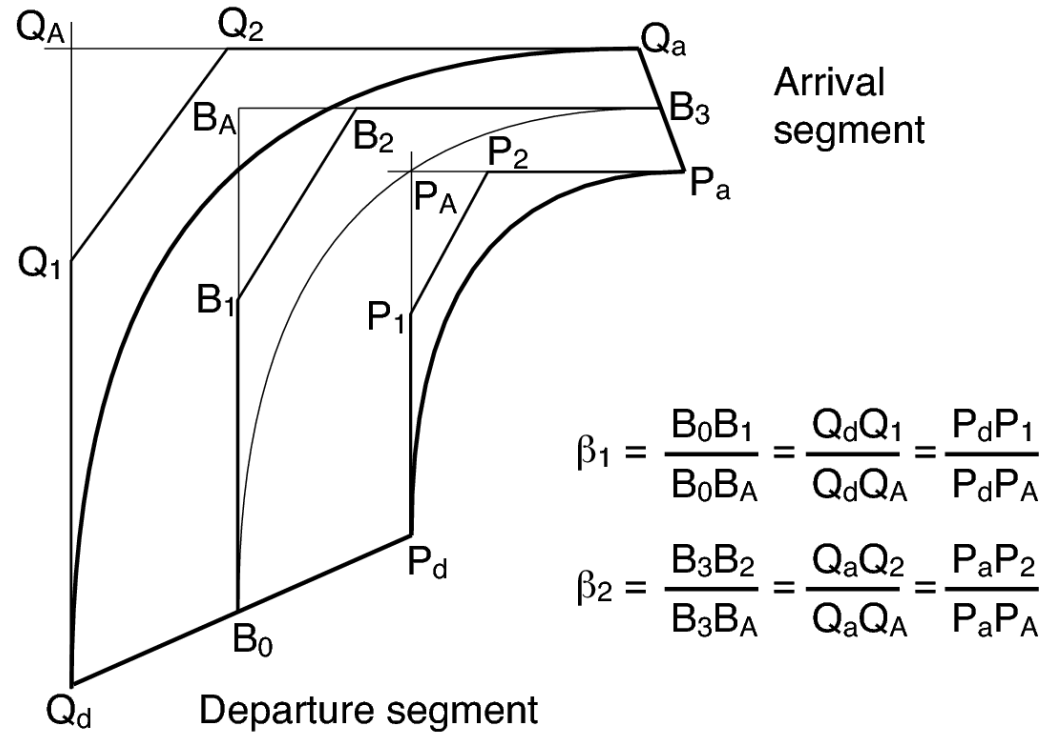
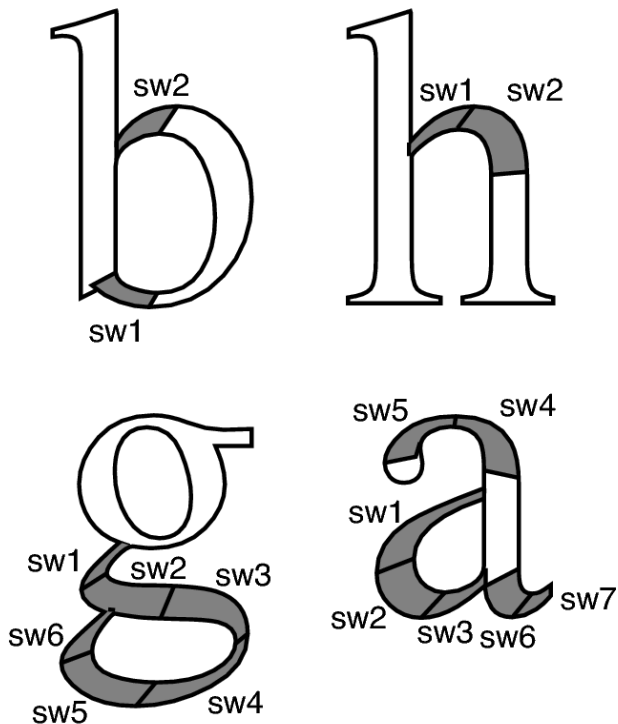
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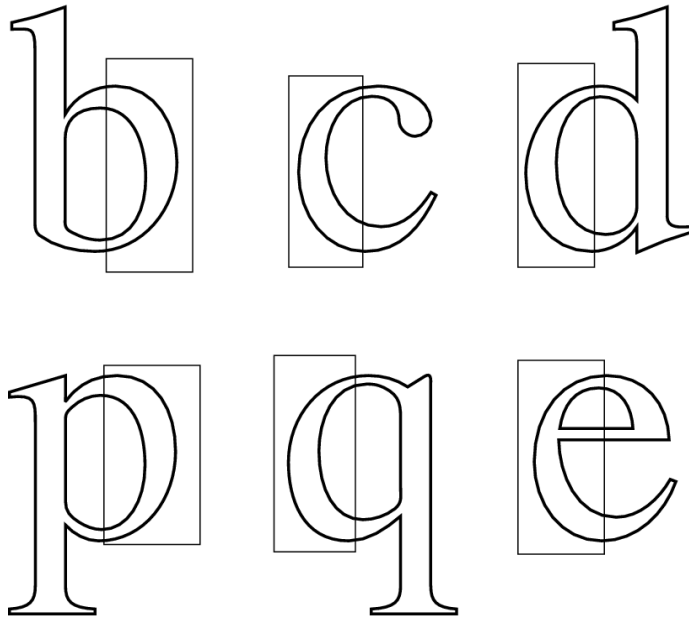
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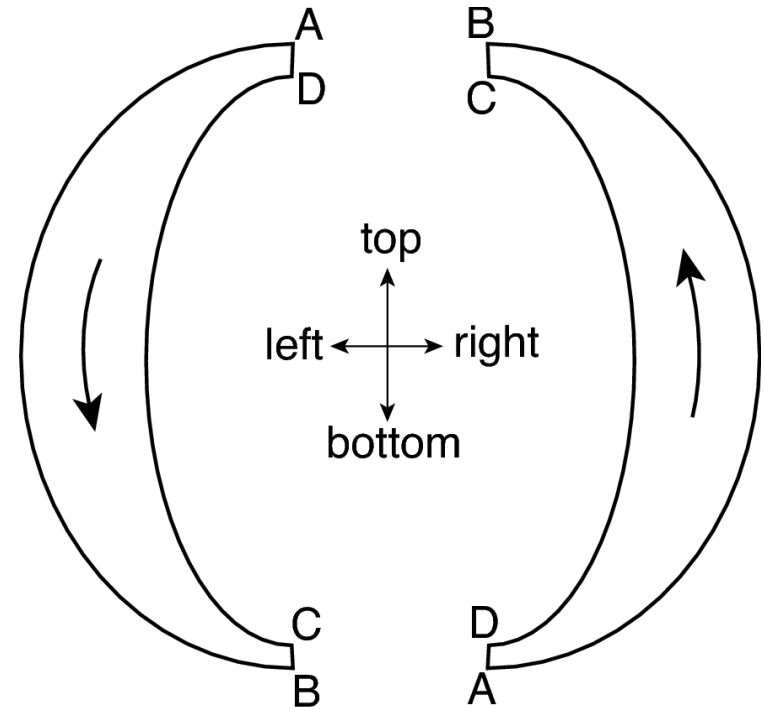


Source: PhD thesis of Changyuan Hu

The loop and half-loop components



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- Characters represented as a graph of components and their connections
- Parameter files
 - Local
 - single characters
 - Group
 - e.g. curve-to-stem junctions of “h, m, n, u” and “b, d, p, q”
 - Global
 - affect characters in the whole font, e.g. widths

Original:

abcde

Initial:

abcdee

Improved:

abcde

Original:

abcde

Initial:

abcde

Improved:

abcde

Original:

abcde

Initial:

abcde

Improved:

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Original:

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Initial:

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Partly corrected:

abcde

Corrected:

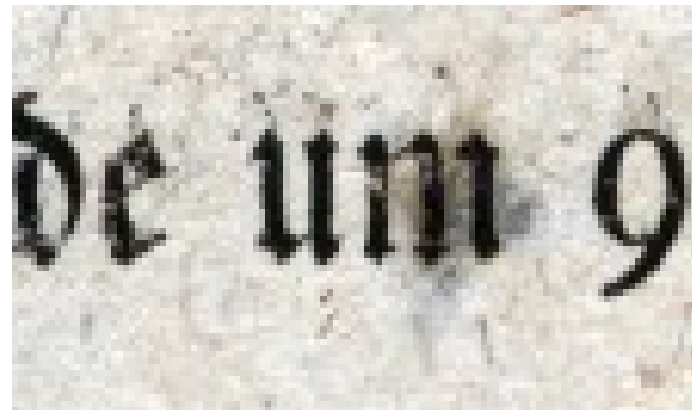
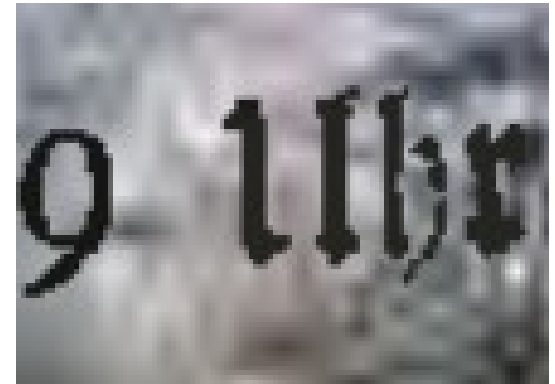
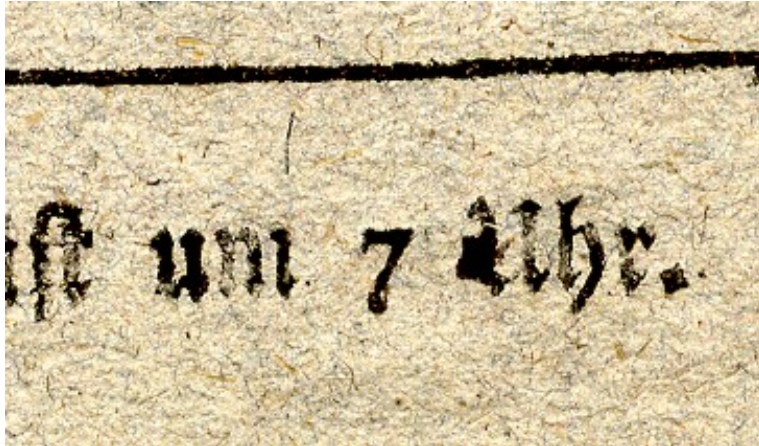
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Original:

abcde

Synthesized:

abcde



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Thank you!

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*Next Generation Typeface Representations:
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