

Shading

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§ Shading 1 (Illumination, Shading and Graphics Pipeline)

- Content =
- Visibility / occlusion
 - z-buffering
 - Shading
 - Illumination & Shading
 - Graphics Pipeline

1. Painter's algorithm

Paint from back to front. **overwrite** in the frame buffer

Exception:



impossible to paint with Painter's algorithm

2. Z-buffer

Idea:

- Store current min. Z -value for each sample (pixel)
- Needs an additional buffer for depth values
 - frame buffer stores color values
 - depth buffer (Z-buffer) stores depth.

IMPORTANT = suppose **Z is always positive**

smaller $Z \rightarrow$ closer

larger $Z \rightarrow$ further)

3. Z-buffer algorithm

During rasterization:

for each triangle T :

 for each sample (x, y, z) in T :

 if ($z < z_{\text{buffer}}[x, y]$)

 frame buffer $[x, y] = \text{rgb}$

$z_{\text{buffer}}[x, y] = z$

// update Z-buffer

 else

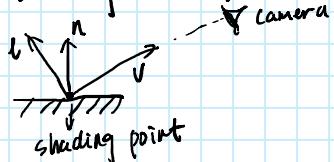
4. Complexity

$O(n)$ for n triangles (assume const coverage)

5. (Blinn-Phong Reflectance Model) Shading Model

Specular highlights } 高光
Diffuse reflection } 漫反射
Ambient lighting } 环境光

b. Shading is local



- View direction v
- surface normal n
- light direction l
- Surface parameters (color, shininess ...)

Notice shadows of shading

角色只考虑该点，不考虑其他物体遮挡 (local)

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7. Diffuse reflection.

Lambert's cosine law



光强 → 能量.

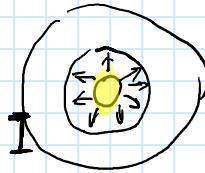
light per unit area
is proportional to $\cos\theta = \vec{l} \cdot \vec{n}$

Light Falloff

$$4\pi r^2 E(r) = \text{const.}$$

define intensity at $r=1$ is I

$$\text{then Intensity}(r) = I/r^2$$



Lambertian Shading

↓ independent of view direction \vec{v}

$$L_d = K_d (I/r^2) \max(0, \vec{n} \cdot \vec{l}) \rightarrow \text{cosine law}$$

↑
diffusely reflected light
reflected light

K_d decides the overall brightness

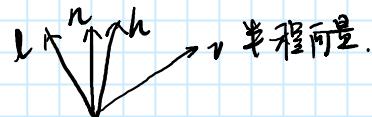
§ Shading 2 (Shading Pipeline and Texture Mapping)

1. Specular Term

\vec{v} close to mirror direction \Rightarrow half vector near normal



$$\vec{h} = \text{bisector}(\vec{v}, \vec{l}) = \frac{\vec{v} + \vec{l}}{\|\vec{v} + \vec{l}\|}$$



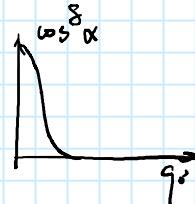
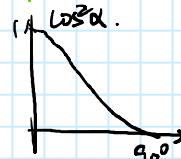
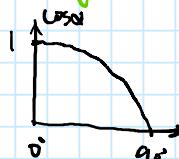
$$L_s = K_s (I/r^2) \max(0, \cos\alpha)^p$$

$$= K_s (I/r^2) \max(0, \vec{n} \cdot \vec{h})$$

specularly reflected light
coefficient

normally $p = 100 - 200$

$p > 1$, size of bright area.



2. Ambient Term

$$L_a = K_a I_a$$



reflect ambient light

ensure there's not a complete blank plane.

$$3. L = L_a + L_d + L_s$$

4. Shading Frequencies

→ Tint of shading

前面着色

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① Flat shading 顶面着色

- Triangle face is flat — one normal vector
- Not good for smooth surfaces



② Gouraud shading (高光渲染)

- Interpolated colors from vertices across triangles
- Each vertex has a normal vector - how?

③ Phong shading (法线)

- Interpolate normal vectors across each triangle
- Compute full shading model at each pixel.

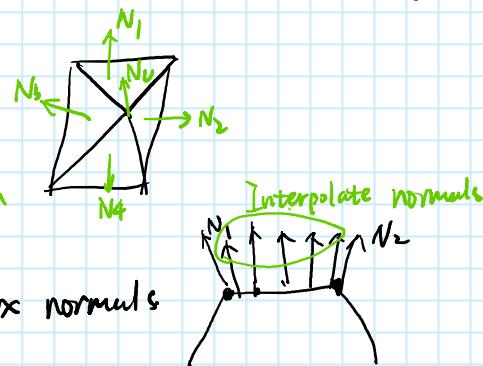
When Num Vertices ↑ Flat shading has similar effect as Phong shading

5. Define per-Vertex Normal Vectors

average surrounding face normals

$$N_v = \frac{\sum N_i}{|\sum N_i|}$$

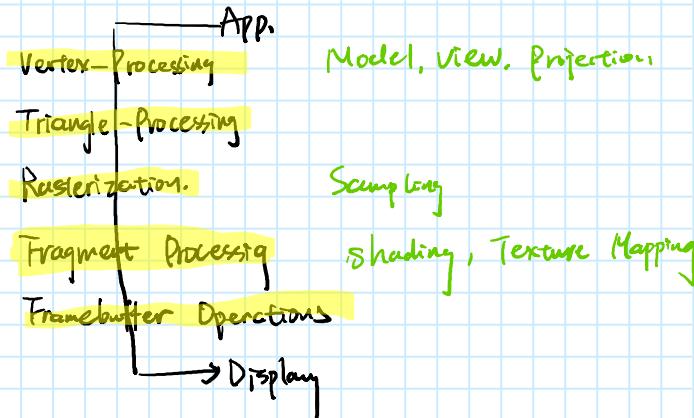
Modifications: add weights to each normal (area of each face)



Barycentric interpolation of vertex normals

↓
Introduced later

b. Graphics Pipeline (Real-time Rendering Pipeline)



T. Shader programs

- Program vertex and fragment processing stages
- Describe operation on a single vertex or fragment.

GLSL = shader Language. Thus, no need for loops

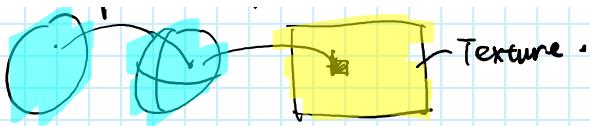
8. Shader Toy Program - Focus on shading

9 Texture Mapping

1. Surface of 3D objects are 2D

Map 3D surface to 2D





Map 3D to 2D

2. Texture Coordinates (u, v)



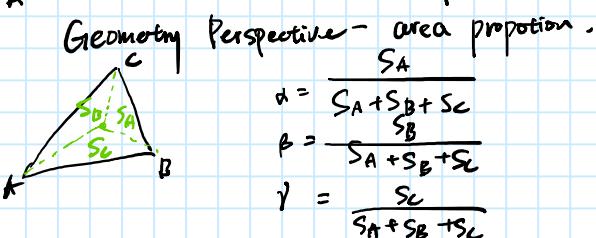
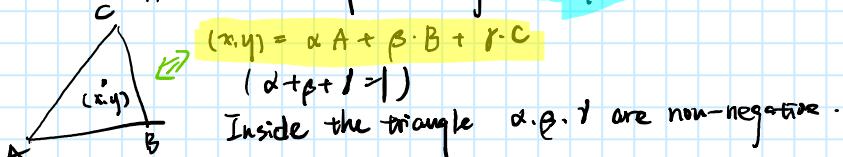
For convenient $(u, v) \in [0, 1]^2$

§ Shading 3 (Texture Mapping Cont.)

1. Vertices shading = **Interpolate** is key

2. Barycentric Coordinates

A coordinate for triangles (α, β, γ)



Formulas

$$\alpha = \frac{-(x_c - x_B)(y_c - y_B) + (y_c - y_B)(x_c - x_B)}{-(x_A - x_B)(y_c - y_B) + (y_A - y_B)(x_c - x_B)}$$

$$\beta = \dots$$

$$\gamma = 1 - \alpha - \beta$$

3. Interpolate values at vertices

$$V = \alpha V_A + \beta V_B + \gamma V_C$$

e.g. colors

Notice: Barycentric coordinates may change under projection.

Interpolation is applied **before** projection. in 3D space

4. Simple Texture Mapping = Diffuse Color

For each screen sample (x, y) =

(u, v) = evaluate texture coordinates at (x, y)

texcolor = texture.sample (u, v)

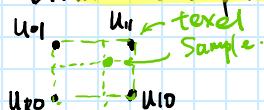
Set sample's color to texcolor

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Kd in Blinn Phong Model

5. Q1: What if texture is too small \Rightarrow Texture Magnification.

#define texel = pixel on texture

Bilinear Interpolation.



Linear Interpolation (1D)

$$\text{lerp}(x, v_0, v_1) = v_0 + (v_1 - v_0)x$$

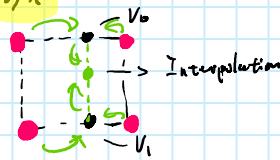
Two helper lerps

$$U_0 = \text{lerp}(S, U_{00}, U_{10})$$

$$U_1 = \text{lerp}(S, U_{01}, U_{11})$$

Final vertical lerp

$$f(x, y) = \text{lerp}(t, U_0, U_1)$$



Bilinear Interpolation = poor performance on thin edges

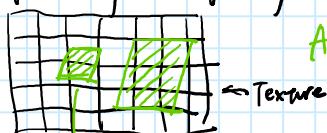


Bicubic Interpolation. = use near 16 texels to interpolate

b. Q_2 = What if texture is too large? \Rightarrow Even more severe problem

Point Query vs. Range Query

\uparrow equivalent to

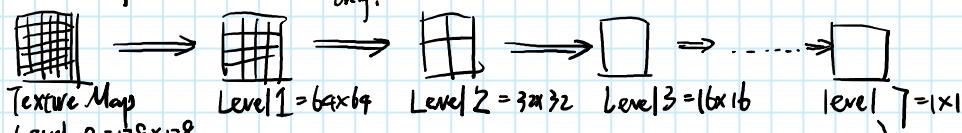


Aliasing

Screen. small screens can't cover enough information.

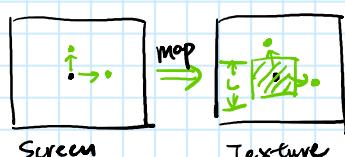
7. Mipmap

Allowing fast, approx., square range queries



总计算量为原图的 $\frac{4}{3}$

Computing Mipmap Level D



Suppose square on Screen \Rightarrow a square on Texture
假设 Texture 上的映射也是正方形 \uparrow Actually not!

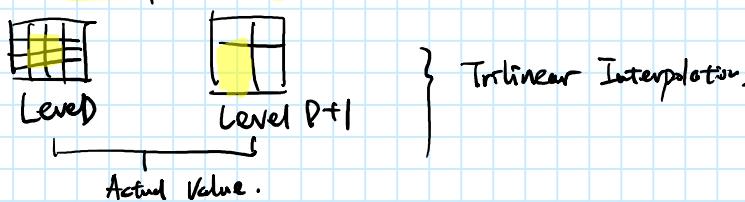
$$D = \log_2 L, \quad L = \max(\sqrt{(\frac{dx}{dt})^2 + (\frac{dy}{dt})^2}, \sqrt{(\frac{du}{dt})^2 + (\frac{dv}{dt})^2})$$

求出在 mipmap \rightarrow Level, $L \times L$ 为一个 texel

即 D 直接查 Level D 的 Mipmap 对应像素即可

What if D is not an integer?

\Rightarrow Interpolation!



8. Mipmap limitations =

Detail loss when distance is too far Overblur.

Why? = square, approx.

Solution: ① Anisotropic Filtering 各项异性过滤 R mipmap

Solution: ① Anisotropic Filtering 纹理过滤器 Ripmap

Overall
3 times
Computation
Amount:



← Vertically and Horizontally compressed Pictures

Expand from square to rectangles

Still not good enough if rectangles are aligned.



② EWAA Filtering

9. Application of textures

In GPUs, texture > memory + range query

Application → Environment Map



texture reflection Utah teapot.

环境光反射在无穷远处，只需记录方向信息即可

→ Environment Lighting

Spherical Map

将环境光信息放在球上，然后展开成平面信息

Cube Map



Map a sphere to six planes



→ 四方贴图

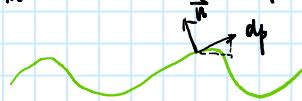
texture can store height information.

Bump / normal mapping



Suppose original surface normal $n(p) = (0, 0, 1)$

Derivative at P is $dp = c + [h(p+1) - h(p)]$
normal is then $n(p) = (-dp, 1)$, normalized



In 3D at

$$n(p) = (0, 0, 1)$$

$$n = (-dp/dv, -dp/dv, 1)$$

$$\frac{dp}{dv} = c_1 \times [h(v+1) - h(v)]$$

$$\frac{dp}{dv} = c_2 + [h(v+1) - h(v)]$$

A more modern approach - Displacement Mapping

在边界上会有更好的效果

Actually make changes
to geometry, move the vertices

Dynamic tessellation.

Displacement mapping requires large amount of triangles in the model.

DirectX use dynamic methods to test the right amount of triangles
thus, reducing computation

Displacement mapping is much faster than texture mapping.
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- 3D Procedural Noise
- provide precomputed shading