Shaders

Part 2



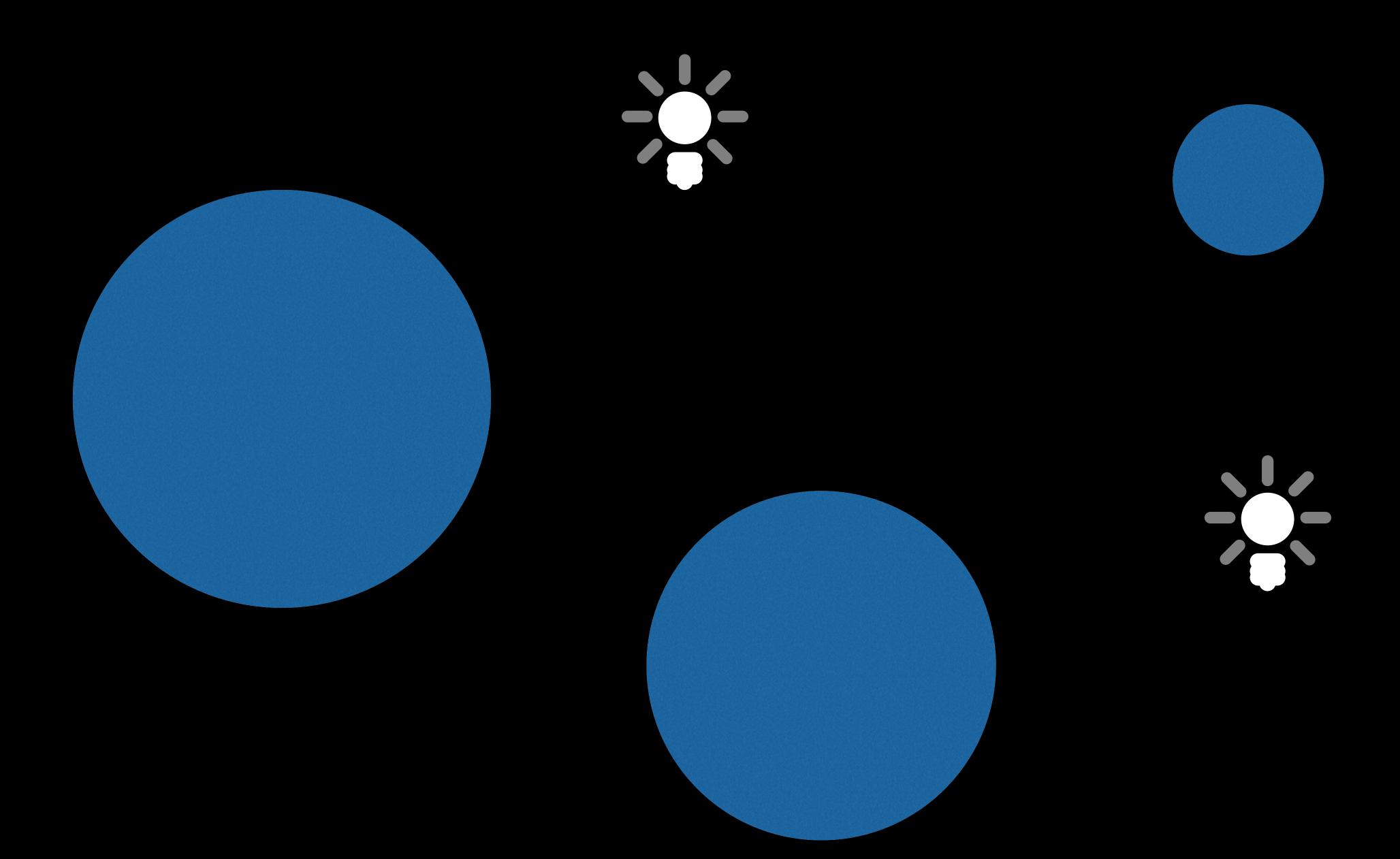
Lighting using shaders.



2D Lighting



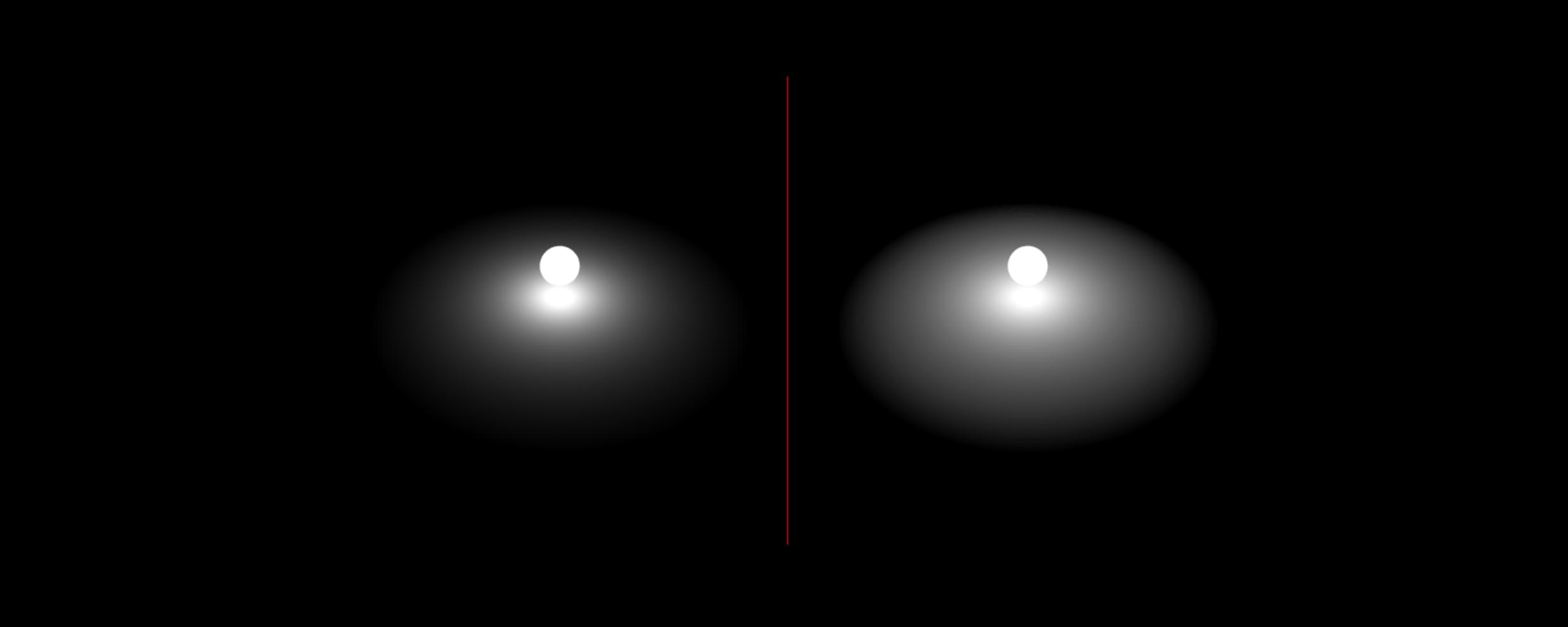




For each pixel, check its **distance to each light** and **increase its brightness** based on that light's **attenuation**.

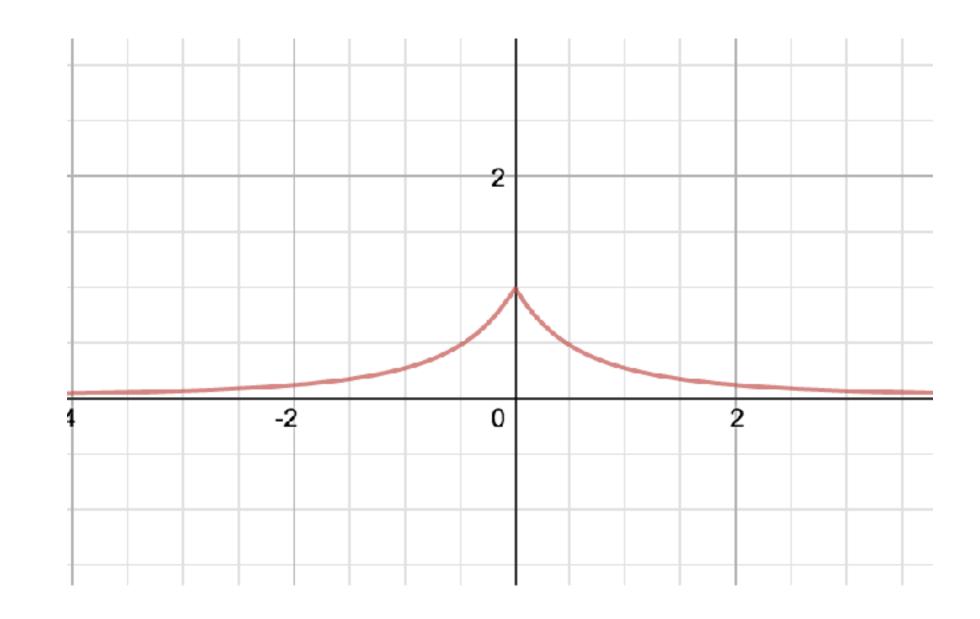
Light attenuation

Defines the decrease in brightness based on distance from the light.



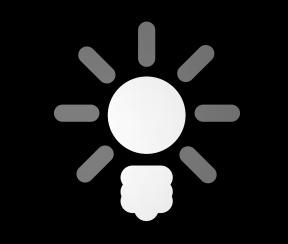
Light attenuation Basic attenuation function.

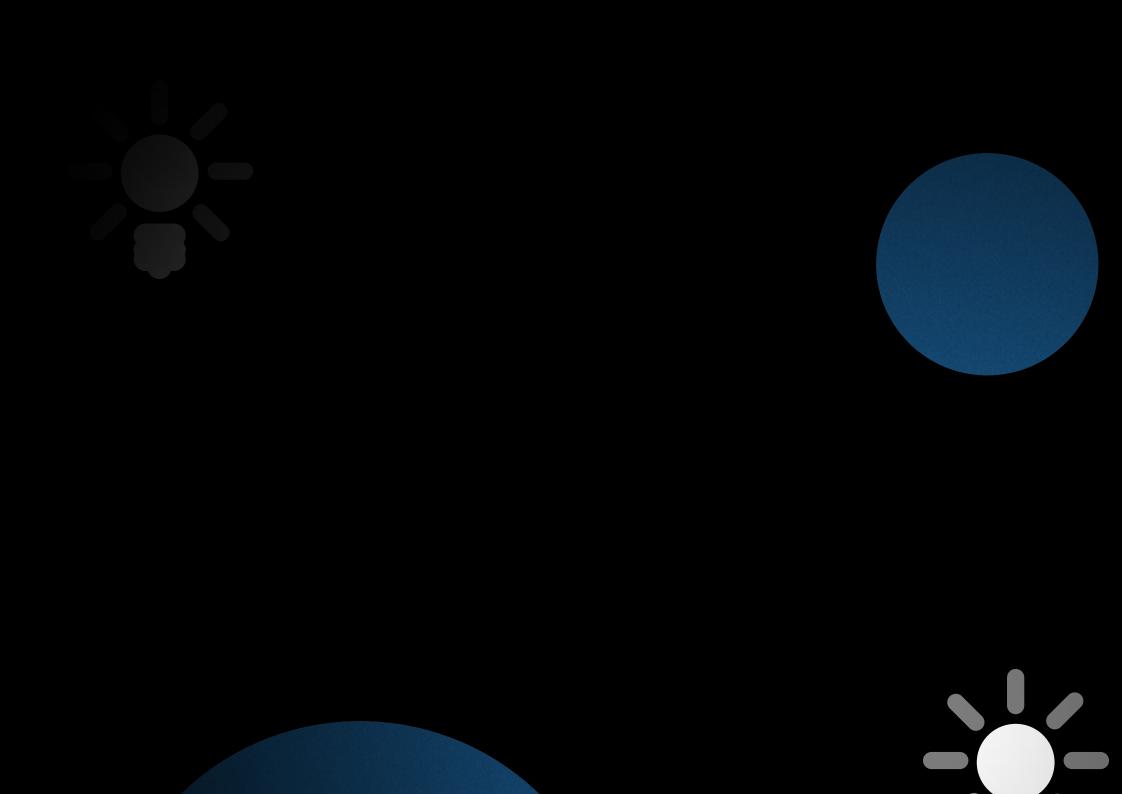
$$\frac{1}{1+a|x|+b|x|^2}$$



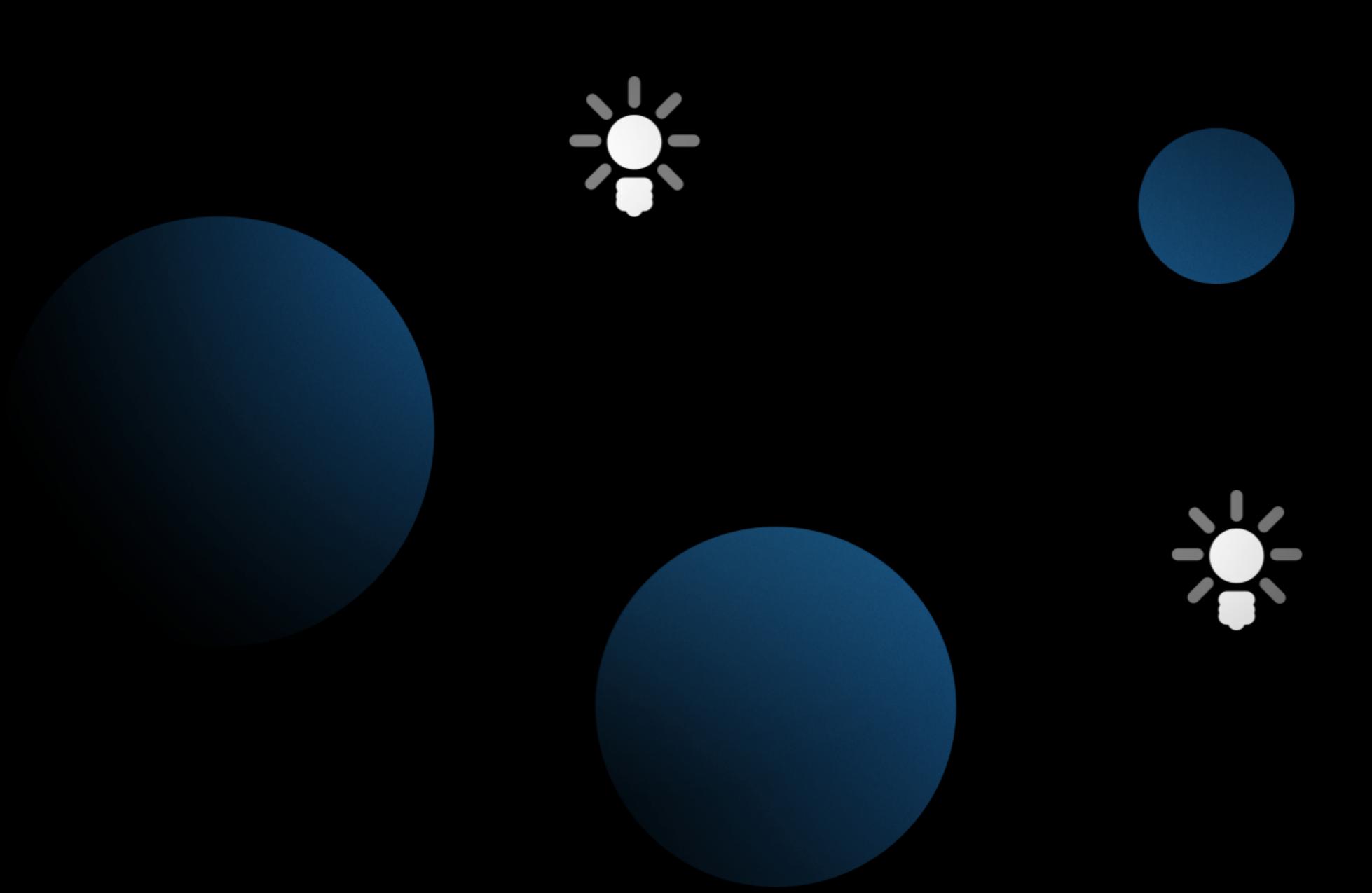
See how a and b values affect the attenuation graph:

https://www.desmos.com/calculator/nmnaud1hrw









Writing a 2D lighting GLSL shader.

Single light example

Vertex shader

```
attribute vec4 position;
attribute vec2 texCoord;
uniform mat4 modelMatrix;
uniform mat4 viewMatrix;
uniform mat4 projectionMatrix;
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec2 varPosition; < = = = = = =</pre>
void main()
    vec4 p = modelMatrix * position; < - - - - -</pre>
   texCoordVar = texCoord;
   gl_Position = projectionMatrix * viewMatrix * p;
```

Fragment shader

```
uniform sampler2D diffuse;
uniform vec2 lightPosition; < - - - - -
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec2 varPosition; < = = = = = =</pre>
float attenuate(float dist, float a, float b) {
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + a*dist + b*dist*dist);
void main()
    float brightness = attenuate(distance(lightPosition, varPosition), 4.0, 0.0); <
    vec4 textureColor = texture2D(diffuse, texCoordVar);
    gl_FragColor = textureColor * brightness;
    gl_FragColor.a = textureColor.a;
```

Multiple light example

Fragment shader

```
uniform sampler2D diffuse;
uniform vec2 lightPositions[6]; <-----
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec2 varPosition;
float attenuate(float dist, float a, float b) {
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + a*dist + b*dist*dist);
void main()
    float brightness = 0.0;
    for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
        brightness += attenuate(distance(lightPositions[i], varPosition), 5.0, 8.0);
   vec4 textureColor = texture2D(diffuse, texCoordVar);
    gl_FragColor = textureColor * brightness;
   gl_FragColor.a = textureColor.a;
```

Passing arrays to GLSL

Some GLSL **array types** and their corresponding C++ uniform **binding functions**.

```
float - glUniform1fv(location, count, array_pointer);
vec2 - glUniform2fv(location, count, array_pointer);
vec3 - glUniform3fv(location, count, array_pointer);
vec4 - glUniform4fv(location, count, array_pointer);
```

The count needs to match the array size in GLSL.

Pass in all light positions as a vec2 array.

```
GLint lightPositionsUniform = glGetUniformLocation(program.programID, "lightPositions");

// ----

GLfloat lightPositions[6 * 2];

for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
    lightPositions[i*2] = lights[i].x;
    lightPositions[(i*2)+1] = lights[i].y;
}

glUniform2fv(lightPositionsUniform, 6, lightPositions);</pre>
```

Color lighting

Same as before, but we add a **vec3** array for **light colors**.

Fragment shader

```
uniform sampler2D diffuse;
uniform vec2 lightPositions[6];
uniform vec3 lightColors[6];
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec2 varPosition;
float attenuate(float dist, float a, float b) {
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + a*dist + b*dist*dist);
void main()
    vec3 brightness = vec3(0.0, 0.0, 0.0);
    for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
        brightness += attenuate(distance(lightPositions[i], varPosition), 5.0, 8.0) * lightColors[i];
    vec4 textureColor = texture2D(diffuse, texCoordVar);
    gl_FragColor.xyz = textureColor.xyz * brightness;
    gl_FragColor.a = textureColor.a;
```

Pass in light positions as a vec2 array and light colors as vec3 array.

```
GLfloat lightPositions [6 * 2];
for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
    lightPositions[i*2] = lights[i].x;
    lightPositions[(i*2)+1] = lights[i].y;
glUniform2fv(lightPositionsUniform, 6, lightPositions);
GLfloat lightColors[6 * 3];
for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
    lightColors[i*3] = lights[i].r;
    lightColors[(i*3)+1] = lights[i].g;
    lightColors[(i*3)+2] = lights[i].b;
glUniform3fv(lightColorsUniform, 6, lightColors);
```

3D Lighting











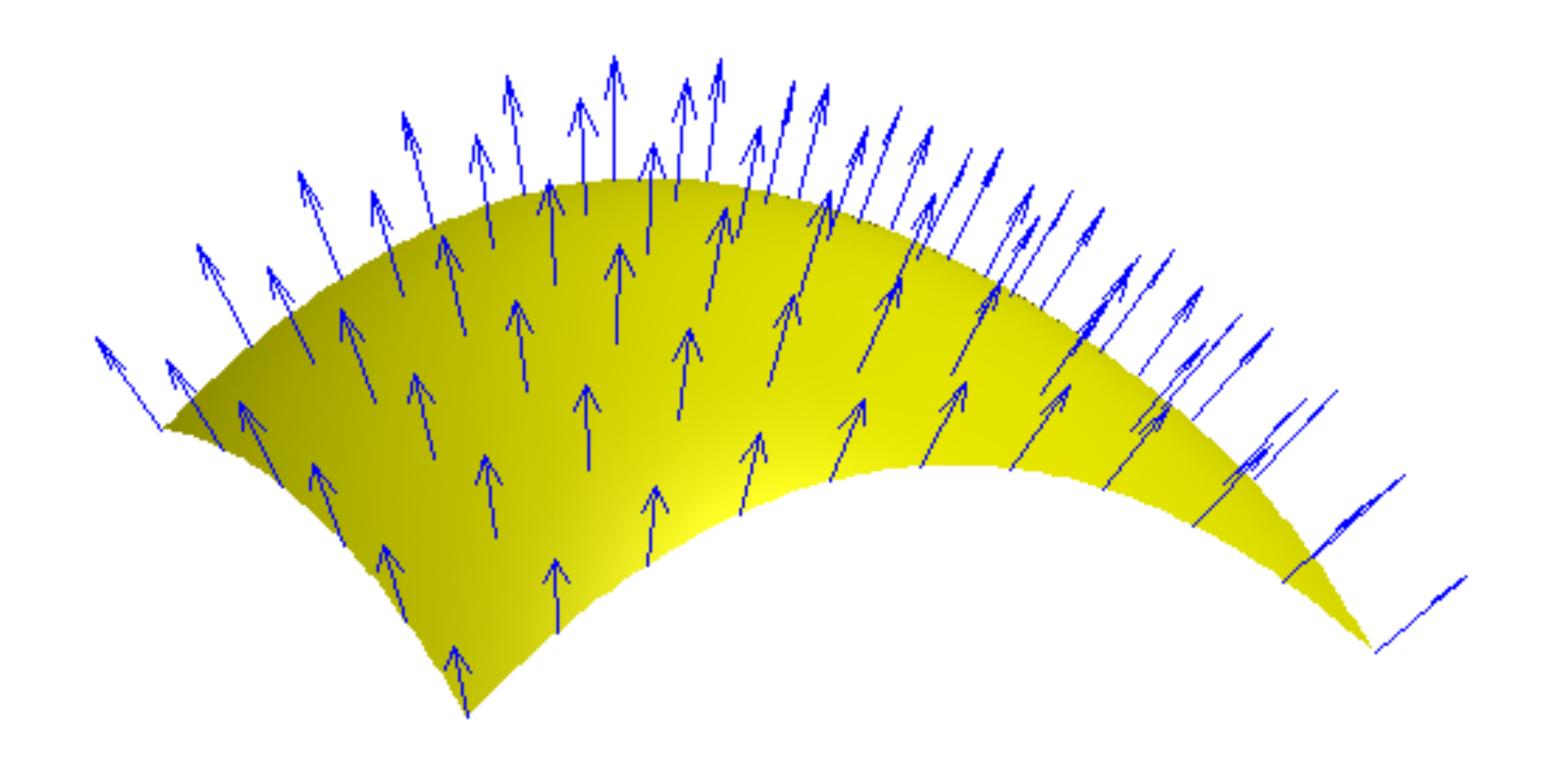
Moving into 3D

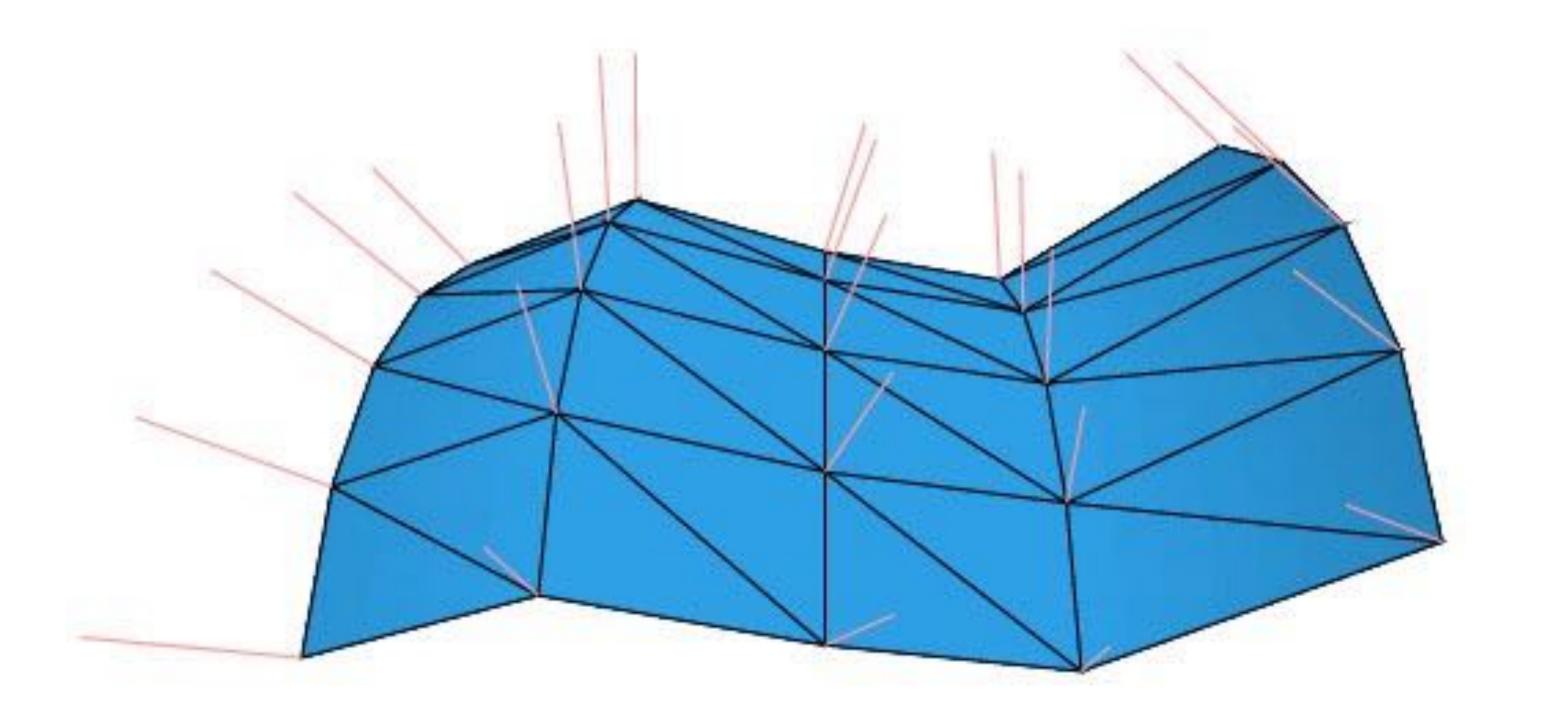
Pass in light positions as a vec3 array and light colors as vec3 array.

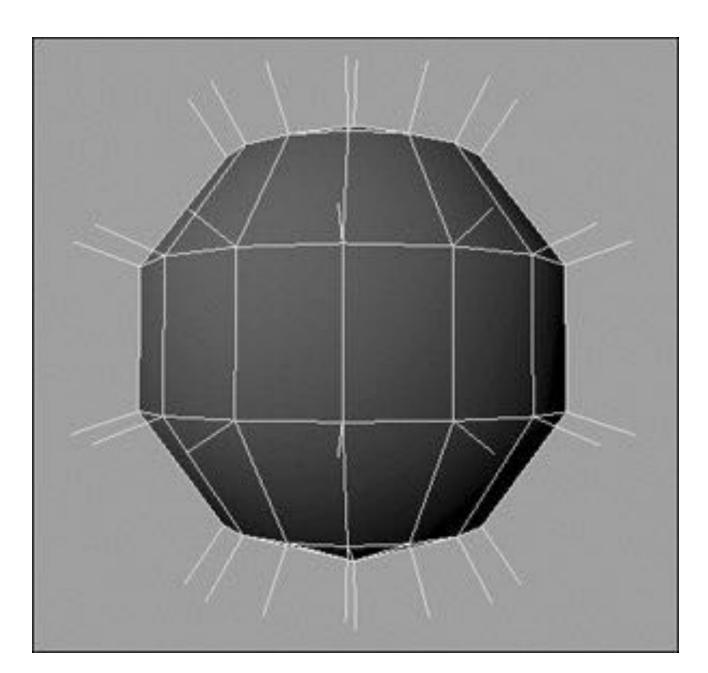
```
GLfloat lightPositions[6 * 3];
for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
    lightPositions[i*3] = lights[i].x;
    lightPositions[(i*3)+1] = lights[i].y;
    lightPositions[(i*3)+2] = lights[i].z;
glUniform3fv(lightPositionsUniform, 6, lightPositions);
GLfloat lightColors[6 * 3];
for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
    lightColors[i*3] = lights[i].r;
    lightColors[(i*3)+1] = lights[i].g;
    lightColors[(i*3)+2] = lights[i].b;
glUniform3fv(lightColorsUniform, 6, lightColors);
```

Surface normals.

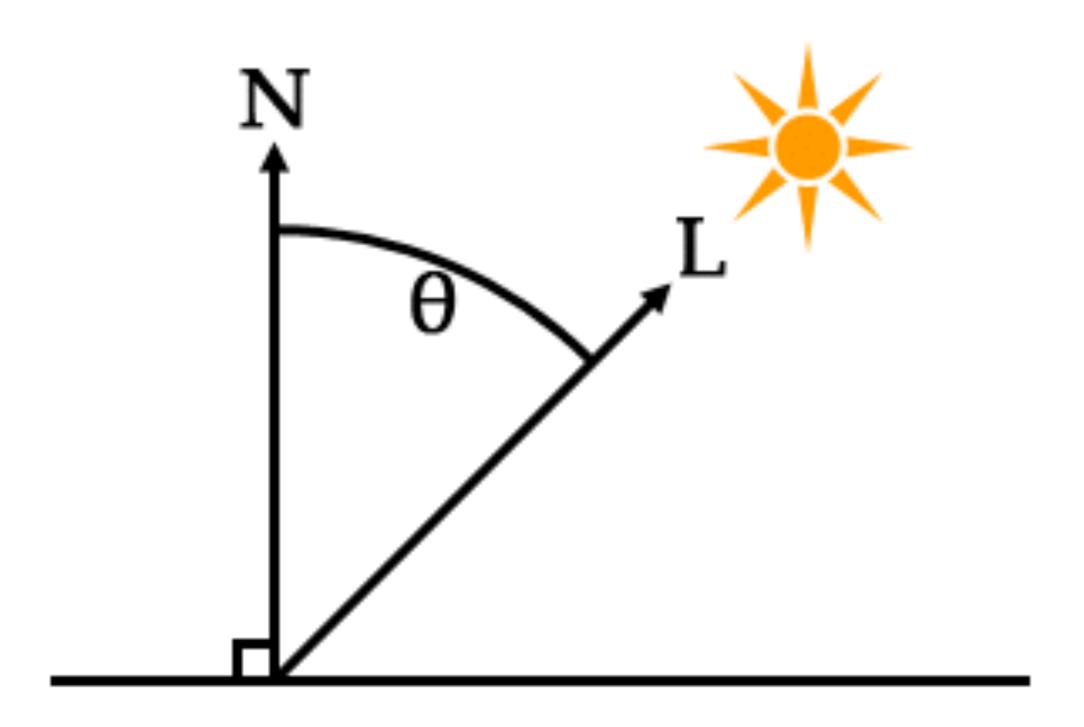
Same exact method as 2D lighting, except light positions are vec3 and we need to take the surface orientation into account.







Angle between surface normal and light direction defines how much the light affects that point on the surface.





Vertex shader

```
attribute vec4 position;
attribute vec3 normal;
attribute vec2 texCoord;
uniform mat4 modelMatrix;
uniform mat4 viewMatrix;
uniform mat4 projectionMatrix;
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec3 varPosition;
varying vec3 varNormal;
mat3 mat3_emu(mat4 m4) {
    return mat3
                m4[0][0], m4[0][1], m4[0][2],
                m4[1][0], m4[1][1], m4[1][2],
                m4[2][0], m4[2][1], m4[2][2]);
void main()
    vec4 p = modelMatrix * position;
    texCoordVar = texCoord;
    mat3 rotN = mat3_emu(modelMatrix);
    varNormal = normalize(rotN * normal);
    varPosition = vec3(p.x, p.y, p.z);
     gl_Position = projectionMatrix * viewMatrix * p;
```

Fragment shader

```
uniform sampler2D diffuse;
uniform vec3 lightPositions[6];
uniform vec3 lightColors[6];
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec3 varPosition;
varying vec3 varNormal;
float attenuate(float dist, float a, float b) {
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + a*dist + b*dist*dist);
void main()
    vec3 brightness = vec3(0.0, 0.0, 0.0);
    for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
        vec3 lightDir = normalize(lightPositions[i]-varPosition);
        float nDotL = dot(varNormal, lightDir);
        brightness += attenuate(distance(lightPositions[i], varPosition) / 4.0, 3.0, 5.0) * lightColors[i] * max(0.0, nDotL);
   vec4 textureColor = texture2D(diffuse, texCoordVar);
    if(textureColor.a == 0.0) {
        discard;
    gl_FragColor.xyz = textureColor.xyz * brightness;
    gl_FragColor.a = textureColor.a;
```

Setting normal attributes.

Get the normal attribute location.

```
GLuint normalAttribute = glGetAttribLocation(exampleProgram, "normal");
```

Pass an array of normals to the shader (one for each vertex).

```
glVertexAttribPointer(normalAttribute, 3, GL_FLOAT, false, 0, normals.data());
glEnableVertexAttribArray(normalAttribute);
```

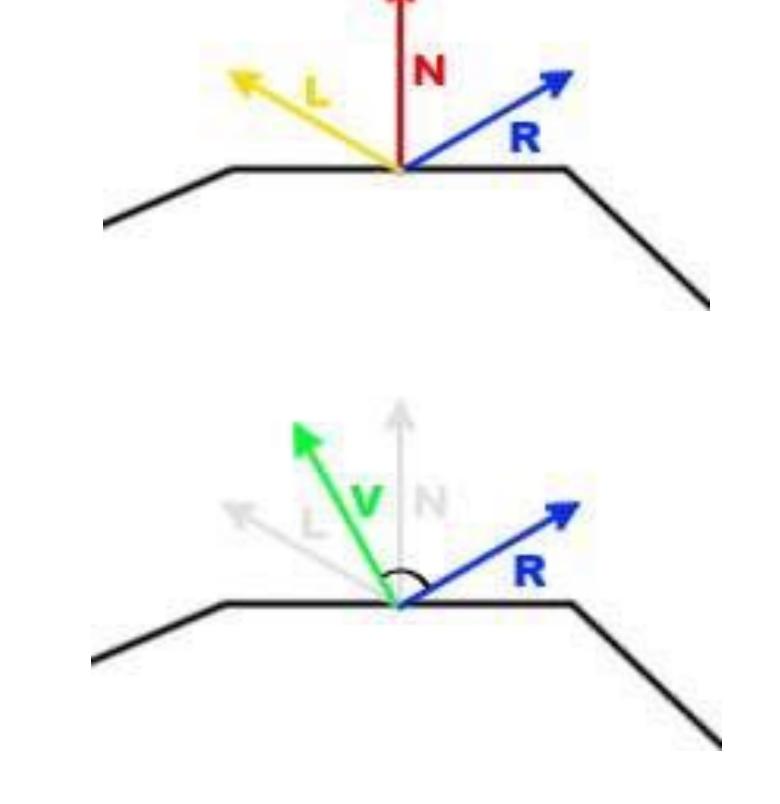
Specular highlights



Phong shading

Calculate the reflection vector of the light direction.

Compare it with the view direction.



The closer the reflected light vector is to the view direction, the more brightly it will be lit.

```
uniform sampler2D diffuse;
uniform vec3 lightPositions[6];
uniform vec3 lightColors[6];
varying vec2 texCoordVar;
varying vec3 varPosition;
varying vec3 varNormal;
uniform vec3 eyePosition;
float attenuate(float dist, float a, float b) {
    return 1.0 / (1.0 + a*dist + b*dist*dist);
void main()
    vec3 brightness = vec3(0.0, 0.0, 0.0);
    vec3 specular = vec3(0.0, 0.0, 0.0);
    for(int i=0; i < 6; i++) {
        vec3 lightDir = normalize(lightPositions[i]-varPosition);
        float nDotL = dot(varNormal, lightDir);
        vec3 lightReflection = -reflect(lightDir, varNormal);
        vec3 eyeDir = normalize(varPosition-eyePosition);
        float attenuation = attenuate(distance(lightPositions[i], varPosition) / 4.0, 1.0, 3.0);
        brightness += attenuation * lightColors[i] * max(0.0, nDotL);
        specular += attenuation * lightColors[i] * pow(max(0.0,dot(lightReflection, eyeDir)), 30.0);
    vec4 textureColor = texture2D(diffuse, texCoordVar);
    if(textureColor_a == 0.0) {
        discard;
    gl_FragColor.xyz = textureColor.xyz * brightness + specular; <
    gl_FragColor.a = textureColor.a;
```