

# Supplementary Material

## BRDF Models for Accurate and Efficient Rendering of Glossy Surfaces

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This document is supplementary to the paper "BRDF Models for Accurate and Efficient Rendering of Glossy Surfaces", submitted for publication in ACM Transactions on Graphics. In this text comparisons are made between the new proposed BRDF models and previous BRDF models, when fitted to 100 measured BRDFs. Listed below are the equations for all BRDF models used in the comparison. For a more detailed description of the models and their parameters see the paper. The rest of the document contains the parameters of the fitted BRDF models, as well as rendered sample images.

## 1 BRDF Models

- Smooth Surface Model,  $[K_d, A, B, C, \eta]$

$$\rho = \frac{K_d}{\pi} + G' Q' S(\|D_P\|). \quad (1)$$

where  $S(f) = \frac{A}{(1+Bf^2)^C}$ ,  $\|D_P\|$  is the length of the projected deviation vector,  $G' = 1$  and  $Q' = F(\theta_d; \eta)$  is the Fresnel factor\*,

- Microfacet Model,  $[K_d, A, B, C, \eta]$

$$\rho = \frac{K_d}{\pi} + \frac{S(\sqrt{1 - \langle \hat{H}, N \rangle}) F(\theta_h; \eta) G}{\langle L, N \rangle \langle V, N \rangle} \quad (2)$$

where  $S(f) = \frac{A}{(1+Bf^2)^C}$ ,  $G = \min(1, \frac{2\langle N, \hat{H} \rangle \langle N, V \rangle}{\langle V, \hat{H} \rangle}, \frac{2\langle N, \hat{H} \rangle \langle N, L \rangle}{\langle V, \hat{H} \rangle})$  and  $F(\theta_h; \eta)$  the Fresnel factor\*.

- Cook-Torrance,  $[K_d, K_s, m, \eta]$

$$\rho = \frac{K_d}{\pi} + K_s \frac{DF(\theta_h; \eta)G}{\langle L, N \rangle \langle V, N \rangle} \quad (3)$$

where  $D = \frac{1}{m^2 \cos^4(\theta_h)} e^{(-\frac{\tan(\theta_h)}{m})^2}$ ,  $G = \min(1, \frac{2\langle N, \hat{H} \rangle \langle N, V \rangle}{\langle V, \hat{H} \rangle}, \frac{2\langle N, \hat{H} \rangle \langle N, L \rangle}{\langle V, \hat{H} \rangle})$ , and  $F(\theta_h; \eta)$  the Fresnel factor\*.

- Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $[K_d, K_s, n, \eta]$

$$\rho = \frac{K_d}{\pi} + K_s \frac{(n+1)\langle N, \hat{H} \rangle^n F(\theta_h; \eta)}{8\pi \langle V, \hat{H} \rangle \max(\langle L, N \rangle, \langle V, N \rangle)} \quad (4)$$

where  $F(\theta_h; \eta)$  is the Fresnel factor\*.

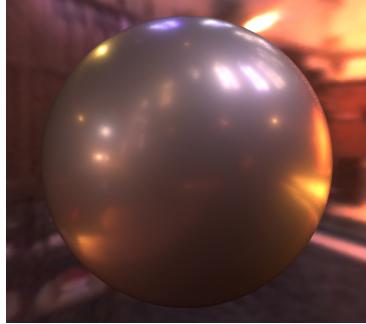
\* Fresnel factor from original Cook-Torrance model (see paper for details).

## 2 Material Name: alum-bronze

### Model Parameters

Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1062, K_s = 0.248103$ G: $K_d = 0.0815, K_s = 0.184284$ B: $K_d = 0.0556, K_s = 0.220735$ Common: $n = 6679.521974, \eta = 1.453599$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0793, K_s = 0.325054$ G: $K_d = 0.0624, K_s = 0.240923$ B: $K_d = 0.0448, K_s = 0.178030$ Common: $n = 394.219256, \eta = 2.065733$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1063, K_s = 0.058727$ G: $K_d = 0.0816, K_s = 0.043676$ B: $K_d = 0.0557, K_s = 0.052230$ Common: $m = 0.017044, \eta = 1.464929$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0804, K_s = 0.069074$ G: $K_d = 0.0633, K_s = 0.051050$ B: $K_d = 0.0455, K_s = 0.037656$ Common: $m = 0.067645, \eta = 2.153631$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0245, A = 51.714552$ G: $K_d = 0.0223, A = 37.932695$ B: $K_d = 0.0162, A = 27.373094$ Common: $B = 10482.133785, C = 0.816737, \eta = 2.236525$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0096, A = 164.167455$ G: $K_d = 0.0113, A = 120.726144$ B: $K_d = 0.0085, A = 86.665430$ Common: $B = 16711.814477, C = 0.663506, \eta = 1.560827$

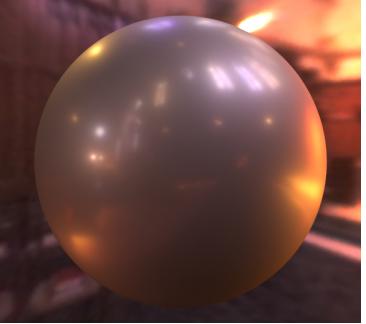
### Sample Images



Measured BRDF



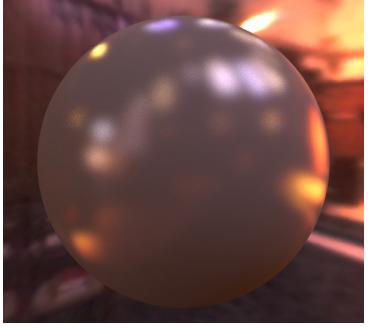
Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



Smooth Surface Model,  $E_2$



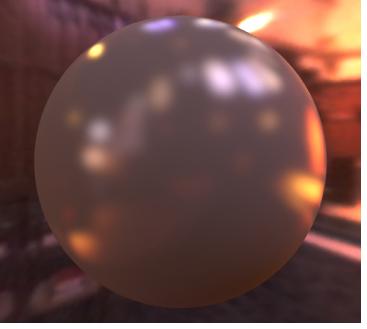
Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



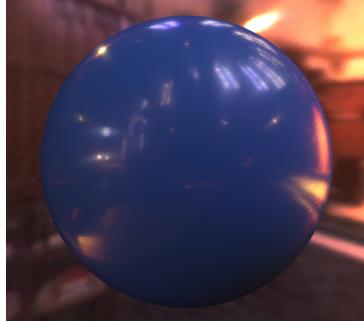
Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$

## 12 Material Name: blue-acrylic

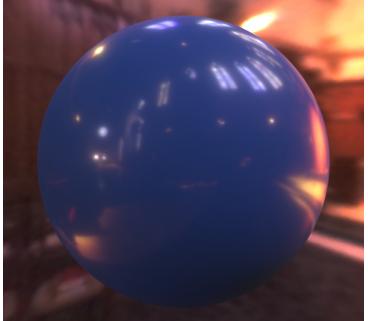
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Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0143, K_s = 0.058314$ G: $K_d = 0.0382, K_s = 0.052768$ B: $K_d = 0.1075, K_s = 0.050536$ Common: $n = 50547.645224, \eta = 2.581124$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0162, K_s = 0.285116$ G: $K_d = 0.0398, K_s = 0.255243$ B: $K_d = 0.1090, K_s = 0.246271$ Common: $n = 16885.918002, \eta = 1.287911$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0143, K_s = 0.014513$ G: $K_d = 0.0382, K_s = 0.013136$ B: $K_d = 0.1075, K_s = 0.012580$ Common: $m = 0.006278, \eta = 2.583033$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0162, K_s = 0.068770$ G: $K_d = 0.0399, K_s = 0.061563$ B: $K_d = 0.1090, K_s = 0.059387$ Common: $m = 0.010820, \eta = 1.293530$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0111, A = 1191.397279$ G: $K_d = 0.0351, A = 1099.257252$ B: $K_d = 0.1043, A = 1082.125405$ Common: $B = 255868.959838, C = 1.084736, \eta = 1.475061$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0123, A = 1094.259321$ G: $K_d = 0.0362, A = 1006.546586$ B: $K_d = 0.1054, A = 986.518119$ Common: $B = 72099.226713, C = 1.098781, \eta = 1.379266$

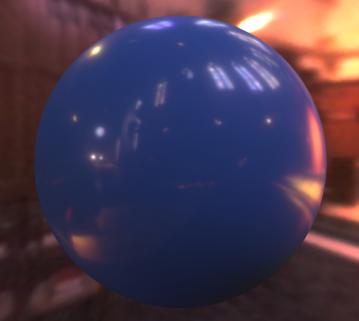
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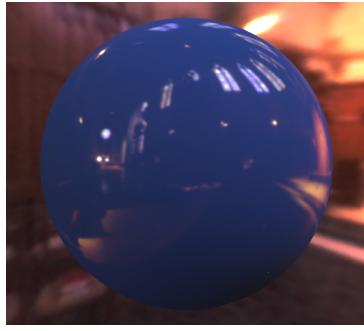
Measured BRDF



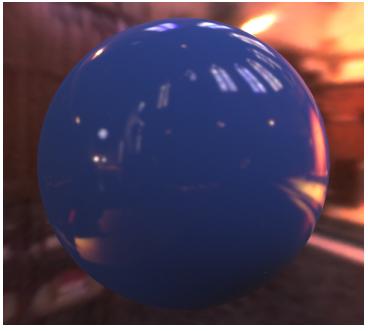
Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



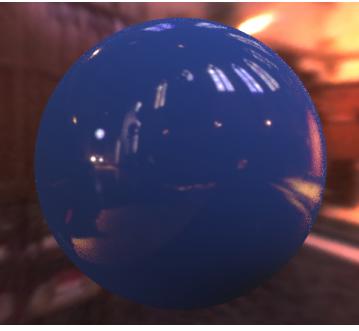
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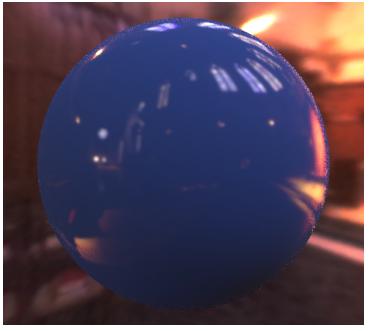
Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$

## 16 Material Name: blue-rubber

### Model Parameters

Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0387, K_s = 0.424162$ G: $K_d = 0.0774, K_s = 0.416356$ B: $K_d = 0.1578, K_s = 0.405205$ Common: $n = 27.514711, \eta = 1.366477$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0386, K_s = 0.430863$ G: $K_d = 0.0773, K_s = 0.425432$ B: $K_d = 0.1577, K_s = 0.415901$ Common: $n = 26.560227, \eta = 1.365934$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0395, K_s = 0.070089$ G: $K_d = 0.0782, K_s = 0.068735$ B: $K_d = 0.1586, K_s = 0.066841$ Common: $m = 0.237495, \eta = 1.396551$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0393, K_s = 0.071394$ G: $K_d = 0.0780, K_s = 0.070466$ B: $K_d = 0.1583, K_s = 0.068847$ Common: $m = 0.242822, \eta = 1.396140$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0354, A = 1.295714$ G: $K_d = 0.0741, A = 1.279542$ B: $K_d = 0.1546, A = 1.248921$ Common: $B = 37.265716, C = 1.565906, \eta = 1.448611$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0373, A = 13.700771$ G: $K_d = 0.0760, A = 13.512093$ B: $K_d = 0.1565, A = 13.165095$ Common: $B = 110.766772, C = 0.732365, \eta = 1.103071$

### Sample Images



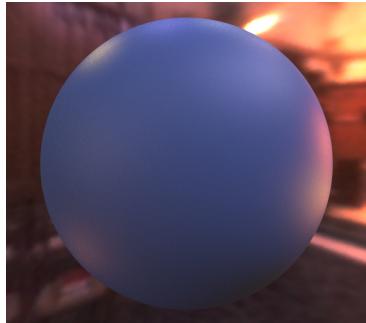
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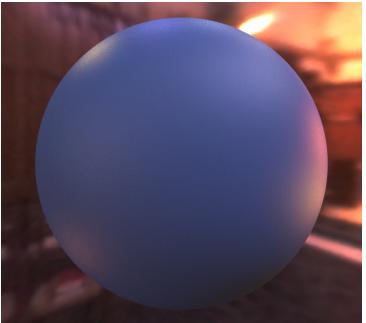
Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



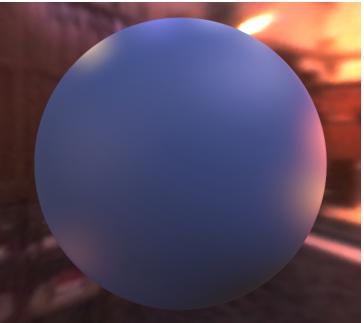
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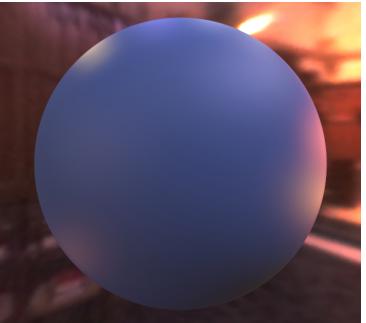
Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



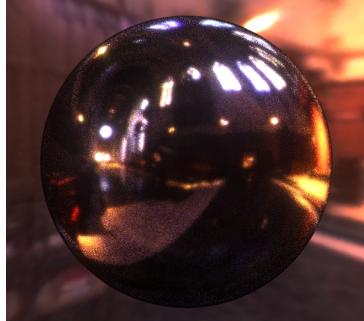
Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$

## 20 Material Name: chrome

### Model Parameters

Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0528, K_s = 0.136045$ G: $K_d = 0.0243, K_s = 0.165195$ B: $K_d = 0.0138, K_s = 0.177555$ Common: $n = 67364.121723, \eta = 9.445841$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0074, K_s = 0.998029$ G: $K_d = 0.0063, K_s = 0.765031$ B: $K_d = 0.0066, K_s = 0.682723$ Common: $n = 15228.047086, \eta = 1.754846$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.0522, K_s = 0.033449$ G: $K_d = 0.0216, K_s = 0.040634$ B: $K_d = 0.0084, K_s = 0.043689$ Common: $m = 0.005403, \eta = 9.457813$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0074, K_s = 0.240845$ G: $K_d = 0.0063, K_s = 0.184623$ B: $K_d = 0.0066, K_s = 0.164773$ Common: $m = 0.011447, \eta = 1.772839$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0027, A = 986.846723$ G: $K_d = 0.0025, A = 771.035507$ B: $K_d = 0.0031, A = 696.134589$ Common: $B = 64661.258846, C = 1.905420, \eta = 99.999413$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0036, A = 901.243371$ G: $K_d = 0.0033, A = 704.419890$ B: $K_d = 0.0038, A = 639.116218$ Common: $B = 14859.786129, C = 1.927413, \eta = 9.054819$

### Sample Images



Measured BRDF



Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



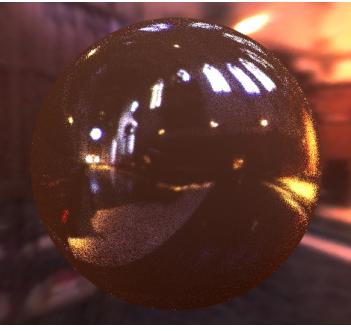
Smooth Surface Model,  $E_2$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



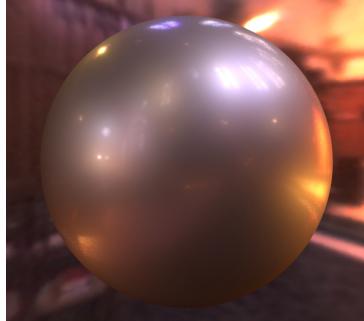
Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$

## 31 Material Name: gold-metallic-paint2

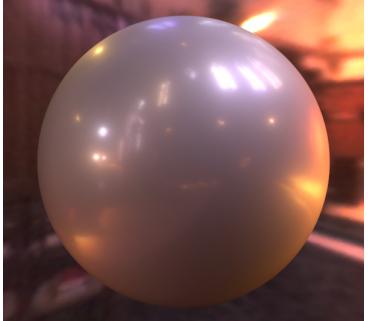
### Model Parameters

Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1549, K_s = 0.089858$ G: $K_d = 0.1292, K_s = 0.133079$ B: $K_d = 0.1043, K_s = 0.123281$ Common: $n = 75863.011892, \eta = 1.799335$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0714, K_s = 0.184258$ G: $K_d = 0.0593, K_s = 0.162357$ B: $K_d = 0.0438, K_s = 0.136076$ Common: $n = 96.245600, \eta = 8.845464$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1549, K_s = 0.022335$ G: $K_d = 0.1293, K_s = 0.033077$ B: $K_d = 0.1043, K_s = 0.030642$ Common: $m = 0.005121, \eta = 1.799976$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0796, K_s = 0.038340$ G: $K_d = 0.0665, K_s = 0.033729$ B: $K_d = 0.0498, K_s = 0.028234$ Common: $m = 0.130189, \eta = 8.972796$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 204.653573$ G: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 176.726904$ B: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 145.123515$ Common: $B = 1705396.839804, C = 0.621691, \eta = 8.599911$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 494.740747$ G: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 428.738092$ B: $K_d = 0.0000, A = 353.280662$ Common: $B = 933657.850195, C = 0.577413, \eta = 2.376167$

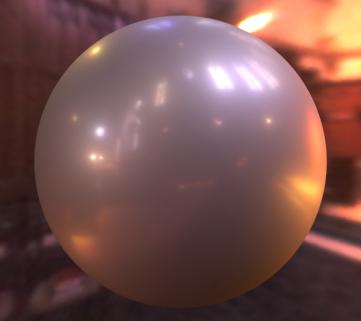
### Sample Images



Measured BRDF



Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



Smooth Surface Model,  $E_2$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$

### 33 Material Name: gold-paint

#### Model Parameters

Model	Fitting Metric	Model Parameters
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1737, K_s = 0.231051$ G: $K_d = 0.0979, K_s = 0.187356$ B: $K_d = 0.0326, K_s = 0.117487$ Common: $n = 39.260526, \eta = 4.991045$
Ashikhmin-Shirley	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.1709, K_s = 0.232451$ G: $K_d = 0.0965, K_s = 0.186871$ B: $K_d = 0.0331, K_s = 0.113838$ Common: $n = 37.772817, \eta = 5.143854$
Cook-Torrance	$E_1$	R: $K_d = 0.1805, K_s = 0.034931$ G: $K_d = 0.1032, K_s = 0.028448$ B: $K_d = 0.0355, K_s = 0.018077$ Common: $m = 0.202744, \eta = 7.321800$
Cook-Torrance	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.1774, K_s = 0.036304$ G: $K_d = 0.1017, K_s = 0.029288$ B: $K_d = 0.0358, K_s = 0.018048$ Common: $m = 0.206591, \eta = 7.233245$
Microfacet Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.1505, A = 1.010258$ G: $K_d = 0.0802, A = 0.811582$ B: $K_d = 0.0222, A = 0.504538$ Common: $B = 46.942557, C = 1.756670, \eta = 7.936110$
Smooth Surface Model	$E_2$	R: $K_d = 0.1111, A = 3.518634$ G: $K_d = 0.0499, A = 2.790004$ B: $K_d = 0.0055, A = 1.676939$ Common: $B = 30.415096, C = 0.870427, \eta = 1.916902$

#### Sample Images



Measured BRDF



Microfacet Model,  $E_2$



Smooth Surface Model,  $E_2$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_1$



Ashikhmin-Shirley,  $E_2$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_1$



Cook-Torrance,  $E_2$