

Computer Graphics

Lecture 2: Computer Graphics Workflows and Tools

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"Point de vue du Gras", first photograph by Niépce.
1826

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Steve Sasson's 1990 DyCam 1
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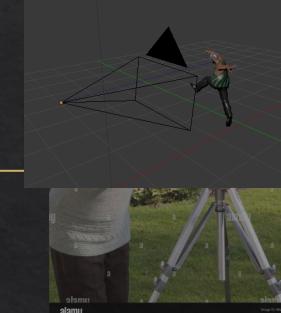
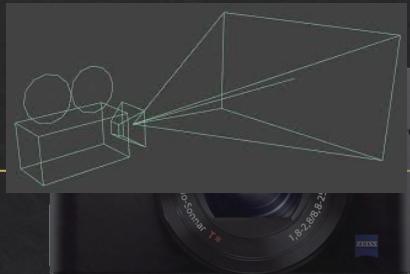
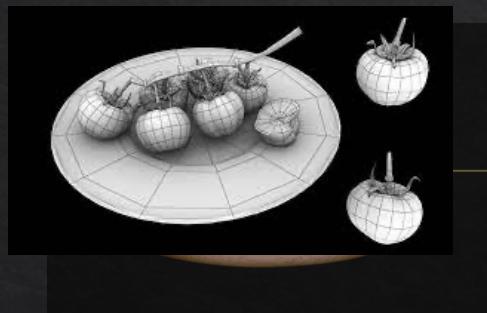
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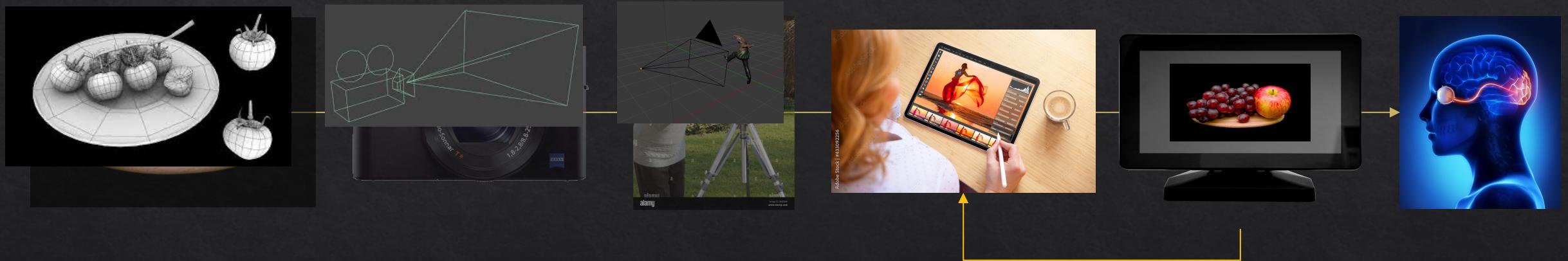


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Junior Asset Lookdev Artist |
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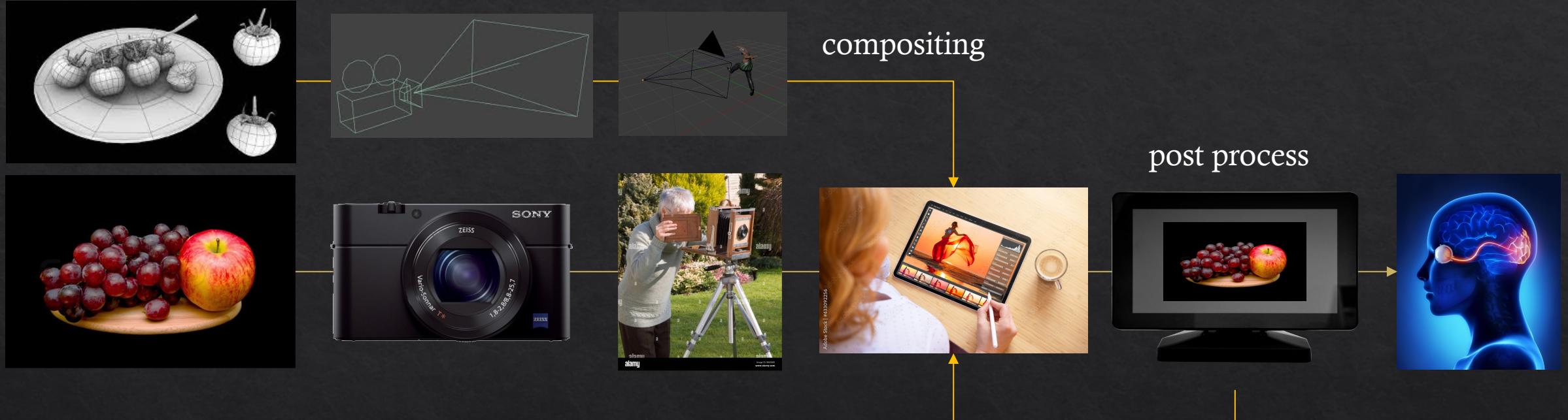


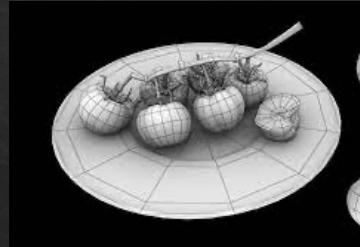


"Point de vue du Gras", rendered. Details [here](#)
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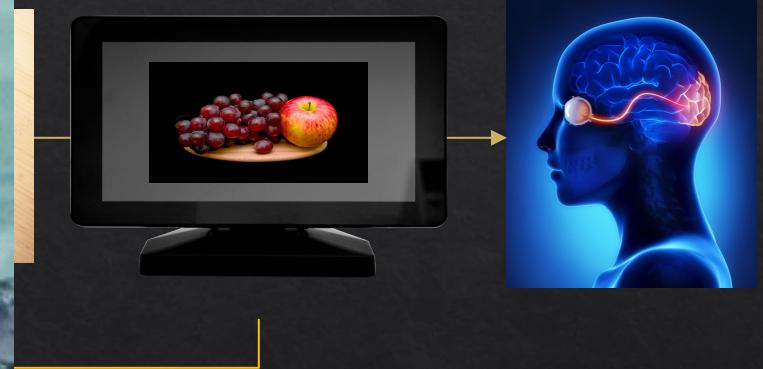
modelling animation viewing rendering





Avatar: Way of the Water, Weta digital
explained

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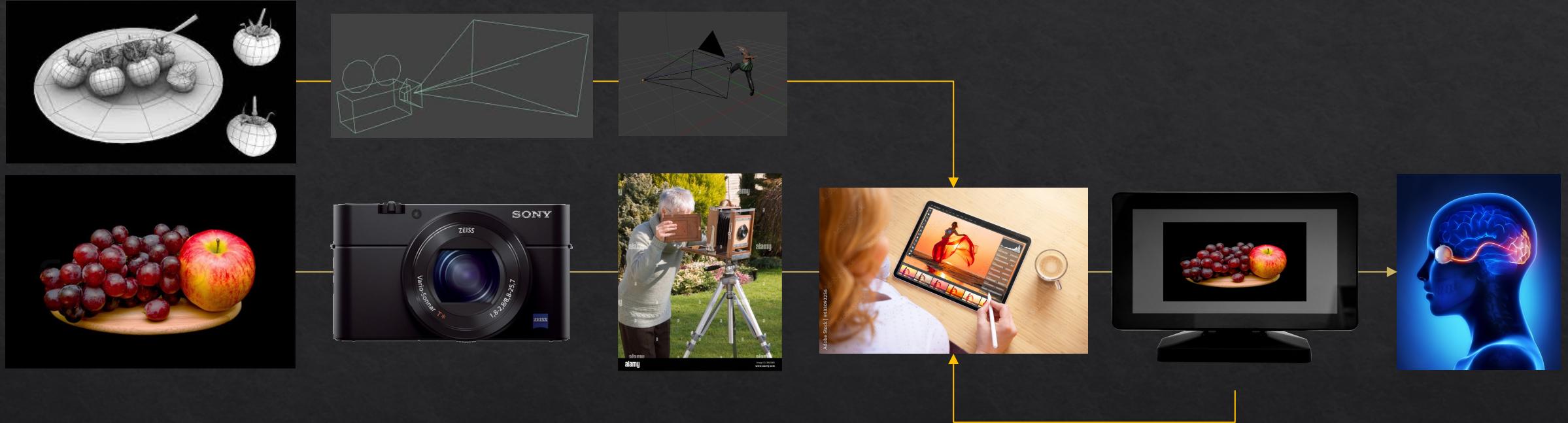
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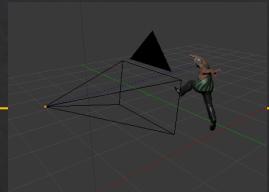
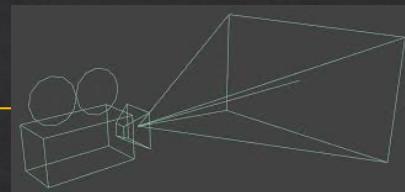
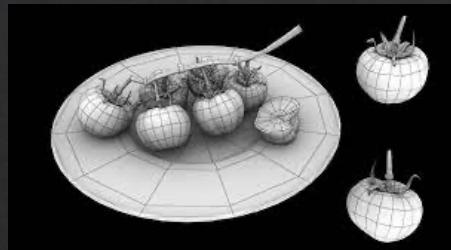
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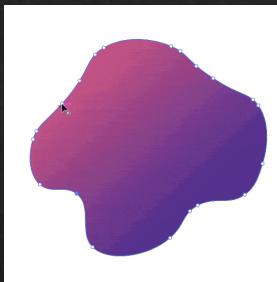
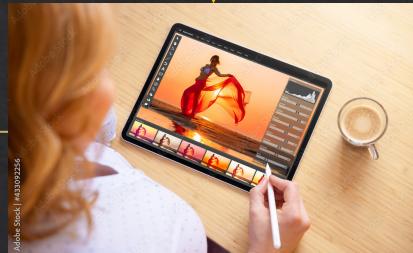
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stylistic



Flow around a hummingbird

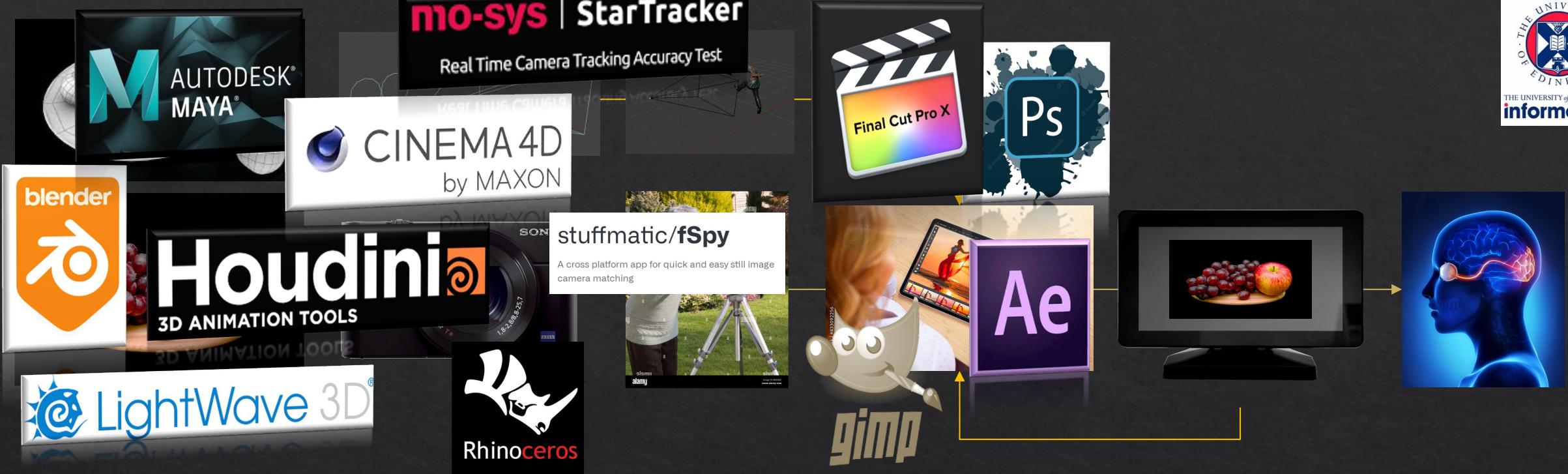
Data courtesy [Ren et al. 2016]



Ren, Y., Dong, H., Deng, X., & Tobalske, B. (2016). Turning on a dime: Asymmetric vortex formation in hummingbird maneuvering flight. *Physical Review Fluids*, 1(5), 050511.

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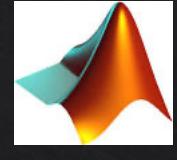
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Animator



Adobe illustrator



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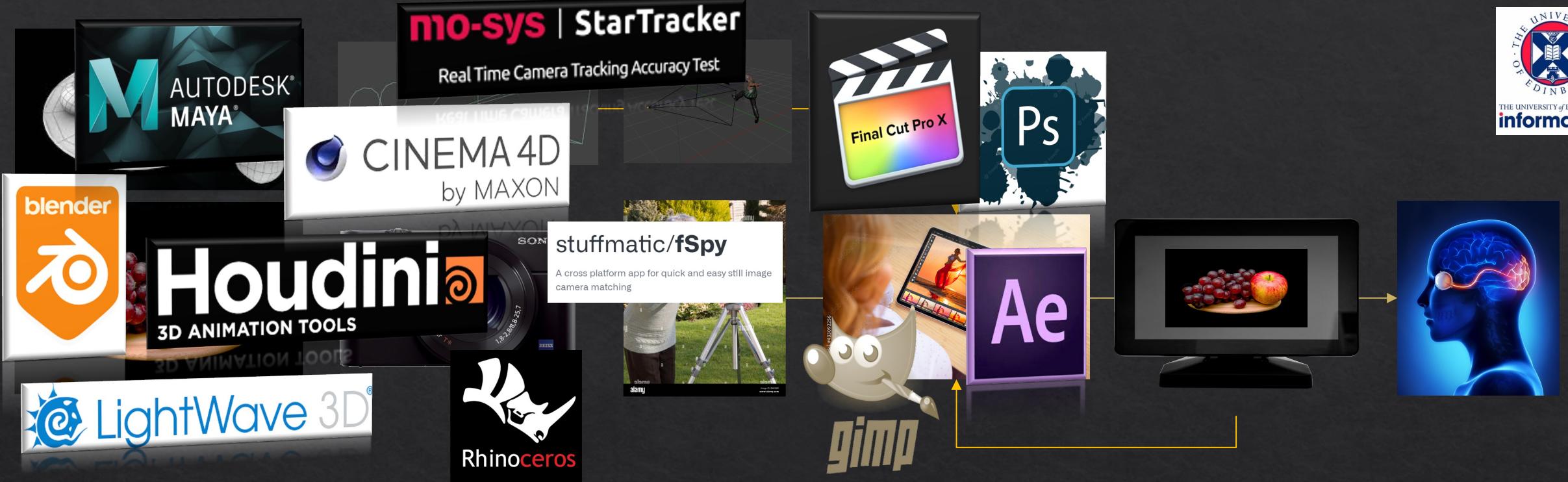


ParaView



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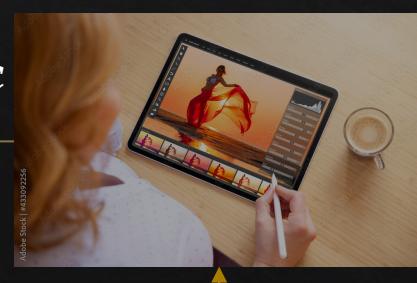
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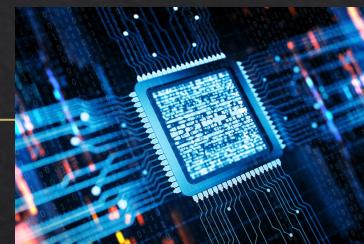


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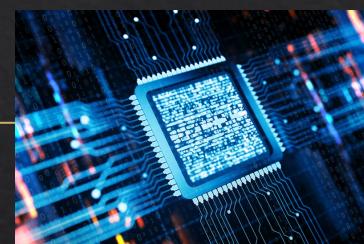


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computation (decode)



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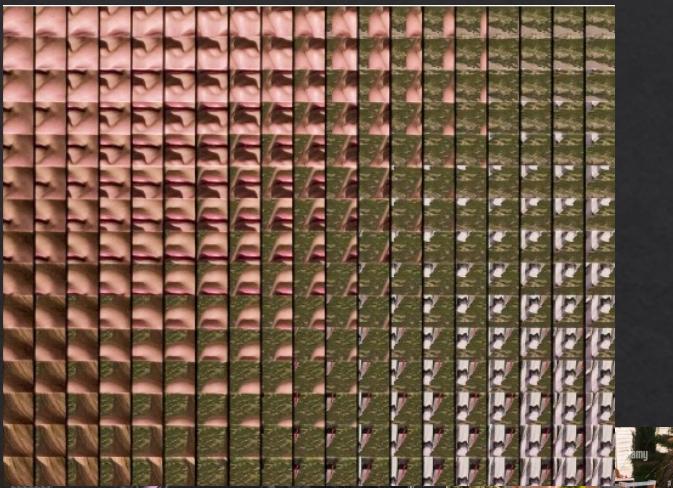


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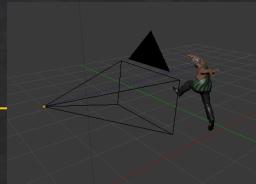
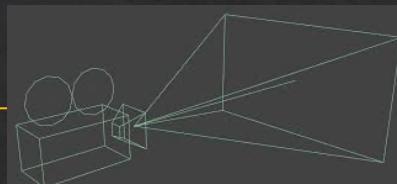
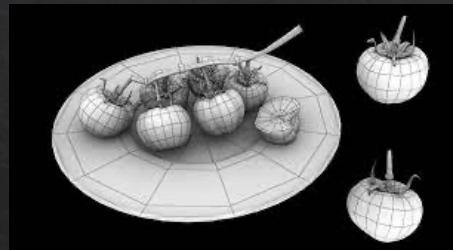
animation

viewing

rendering

compositing

post process



Rendering/Image Synthesis



Examples

Offline renderers

- PBRT
- RedShift
- Maxwell
- Corona
- V-Ray
- Arnold
- D5
- KeyShot
- Renderman
- Octane

Realtime rendering engines

- Unreal
 - C++
 - better suited to hi-fi graphics
- Unity
 - C#
 - more modular render system
 - bigger community
- Omniverse
 - AI content generation
 - advanced physics

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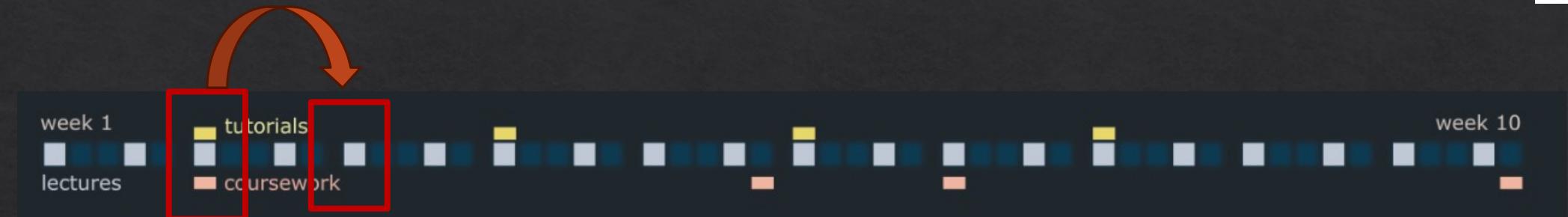
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Tutorials

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