EECE5698 Networked XR Systems

Lecture Outline for Today

- Open3D
- Depth Map Compression

Open3D

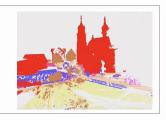
Applications

Scene reconstruction, color map optimization ...



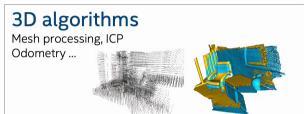
Open3D-ML

Models: RandLaNet, KPConv, PointTransformer, ... Datasets: SemanticKITTI, Toronto3D, S3DIS, ...



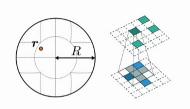
Visualization

Open3D viewer app, Scriptable GUI, Physically-based rendering, Web visualizer, TensorBoad integration.

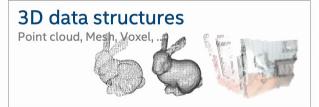


ML Ops

Continuous conv, Sparse conv, NMS, ...







Sensors & File I/O

Intel RealSense, Azure Kinect, ...
*.pcd, *.ply, *.stl, ...



.pcd

.obi

.stl

Compute core

Tensor, HashMap, NeighborSearch Optimized for CPU/GPU









CPU GPU

Tensor

HashMap

NeighborSearch

Open3D

- What will we use Open3D in this source for?
 - Loading and visualizing 3D models
 - Point clouds, Meshes
 - 3D Scene Reconstruction
 - Triangle Extraction
 - Texture Mapping
 - Mesh manipulation
 - Decimation
 - Normal estimation
 - Compression

Open3D Getting Started

Python quick start

```
# Install
pip install open3d  # or
pip install open3d-cpu  # Smaller CPU only wheel on x86_64 Linux (v0.17+)

# Verify installation
python -c "import open3d as o3d; print(o3d.__version__)"
```

Open3D Getting Started

• C++ quick start

Checkout the following links to get started with Open3D C++ API

- Download Open3D binary package: Release or latest development version
- Compiling Open3D from source
- Open3D C++ API

To use Open3D in your C++ project, checkout the following examples

- Find Pre-Installed Open3D Package in CMake
- Use Open3D as a CMake External Project

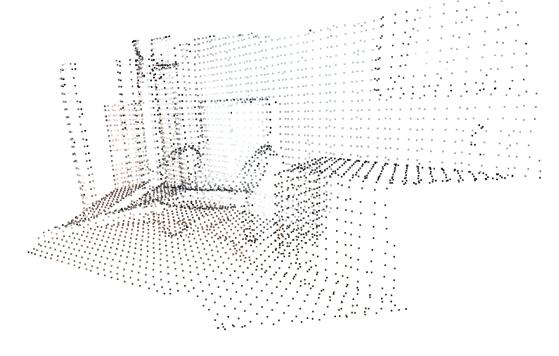
Open3D Point Cloud Visualization

Load a ply point cloud, print it, and render it PointCloud with 196133 points.
[[0.65234375 0.84686458 2.37898625] [0.65234375 0.84686458 2.37898625] [0.65234375 0.83884375 2.38485052] [0.66737998 0.33984375 2.37898025] [



Open3D Point Cloud Visualization

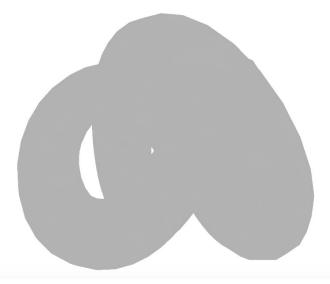
Downsample the point cloud with a voxel of 0.05



Down sampling

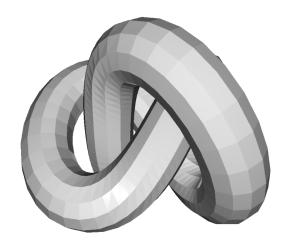
```
print("Testing mesh in Open3D...")
armadillo mesh = o3d.data.ArmadilloMesh()
mesh = o3d.io.read_triangle_mesh(armadillo_mesh.path)
knot_mesh = o3d.data.KnotMesh()
mesh = o3d.io.read triangle mesh(knot mesh.path)
print(mesh)
print('Vertices:')
print(np.asarray(mesh.vertices))
print('Triangles:')
print(np.asarray(mesh.triangles))
Testing mesh in Open3D...
[Open3D INFO] Downloading https://github.com/isl-org/open3d_downloads/releases/download/
[Open3D INFO] Downloaded to /home/runner/open3d data/download/KnotMesh/KnotMesh.ply
TriangleMesh with 1440 points and 2880 triangles.
Vertices:
[[ 4.51268387 28.68865967 -76.55680847]
 [ 7.63622284 35.52046967 -69.78063965]
 [ 6.21986008 44.22465134 -64.82303619]
 [-22.12651634 31.28466606 -87.37570953]
 [-13.91188431 25.4865818 -86.25827026]
 [ -5.27768707 23.36245346 -81.43279266]]
Triangles:
[[ 0 12 13]
        13
             1]
    1 13 141
 [1438 11 1439]
 [1439
        11
         0 142811
 [1439
```

Try to render a mesh with normals (exist: False) and colors (exist: False)



```
print("Computing normal and rendering it.")
mesh.compute_vertex_normals()
print(np.asarray(mesh.triangle_normals))
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([mesh])

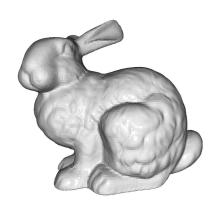
Computing normal and rendering it.
[[ 0.79164373 -0.53951444    0.28674793]
[ 0.8319824 -0.53303008    0.15389681]
[ 0.83488162 -0.09250101    0.54260136]
...
[ 0.16269924 -0.76215917 -0.6266118 ]
[ 0.52755226 -0.83707495 -0.14489352]
[ 0.56778973 -0.76467734 -0.30476777]]
```

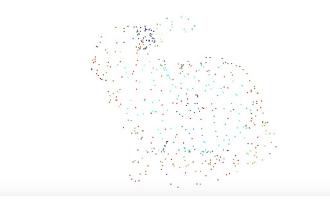


With Normals

```
bunny = o3d.data.BunnyMesh()
mesh = o3d.io.read_triangle_mesh(bunny.path)
mesh.compute_vertex_normals()

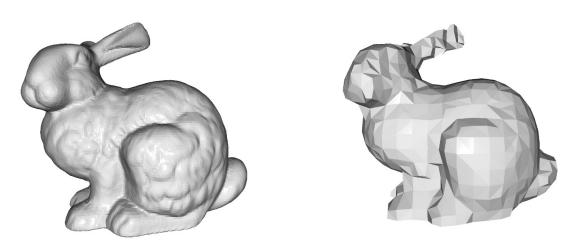
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([mesh])
pcd = mesh.sample_points_uniformly(number_of_points=500)
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([pcd])
```





Sampling Point Clouds from Mesh

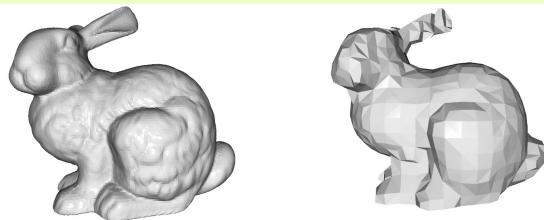
```
voxel_size = max(mesh_in.get_max_bound() - mesh_in.get_min_bound()) / 32
print(f'voxel_size = {voxel_size:e}')
mesh_smp = mesh_in.simplify_vertex_clustering(
    voxel_size=voxel_size,
    contraction=o3d.geometry.SimplificationContraction.Average)
print(
    f'Simplified mesh has {len(mesh_smp.vertices)} vertices and {len(mesh_smp.triangles)}
)
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([mesh_smp])
```



Mesh Simplification – Vertex clustering

```
mesh_smp = mesh_in.simplify_quadric_decimation(target_number_of_triangles=6500)
print(
    f'Simplified mesh has {len(mesh_smp.vertices)} vertices and {len(mesh_smp.triangles)})
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([mesh_smp])

mesh_smp = mesh_in.simplify_quadric_decimation(target_number_of_triangles=1700)
print(
    f'Simplified mesh has {len(mesh_smp.vertices)} vertices and {len(mesh_smp.triangles)})
o3d.visualization.draw_geometries([mesh_smp])
```



Mesh Simplification – Decimation

Open3D Mesh Reconstruction

Read a point cloud or depth before this function

Open3D Load and Save Viewpoints

```
def save_view_point(pcd, filename):
    vis = o3d.visualization.Visualizer()
    vis.create window()
    vis.add geometry(pcd)
    vis.run() # user changes the view and press "q" to terminate
    param = vis.get view control().convert to pinhole camera parameters()
    o3d.io.write pinhole camera parameters(filename, param)
    vis.destroy window()
def load_view_point(pcd, filename):
    vis = o3d.visualization.Visualizer()
    vis.create window()
    ctr = vis.get_view_control()
    param = o3d.io.read_pinhole_camera_parameters(filename)
    vis.add geometry(pcd)
    ctr.convert_from_pinhole_camera_parameters(param)
    vis.run()
    vis.destroy_window()
```

Open3D UV Maps

What is a UV Map?

[Ref: Wikipedia] UV mapping is the 3D modeling process of projecting a 2D image to a 3D model's surface for texture mapping. The letters "U" and "V" denote the axes of the 2D texture because "X", "Y", and "Z" are already used to denote the axes of the 3D object in model space. UV texturing permits polygons that make up a 3D object to be painted with color (and other surface attributes) from an ordinary image. The image is called a UV texture map.

How to add custom UV maps?

- UV Map coordinates (U, V) are stored as std::vector<Eigen::Vector2d> of length 3 x number of triangles. So, there is a set of 3 (U, V) coordinates for each triangle, each associated with it's vertices.
- One may assume the UV map, maps a texture image of height and width of length 1.0 to the geometry. So, the range of U and V is from 0.0 to 1.0 (both inclusive).

Open3D UV Maps

```
import open3d as o3d
import open3d.visualization.rendering as rendering

material = rendering.MaterialRecord()
material.shader = 'defaultUnlit'
material.albedo_img = o3d.io.read_image('/Users/renes/Downloads/uv1.png')
```

Example Texture Map



Open3D UV Maps

Box (map uv to each face = false)

```
box = o3d.geometry.TriangleMesh.create_box(create_uv_map=True)
o3d.visualization.draw({'name': 'box', 'geometry': box, 'material': material})
```



A1	A2	A3	14	A5	A6	A7	A8
B1	B2	B3	B4	B5	B6	B7	B8
C1	Á	B	C4	C5	56	C 7	C8
N	D2	D3	D4	ps	D6	D7	D8
E1	E2	E3	<u>5</u> 4	E5	E6	E7	E8
F1	F2	ø	F4	F5	F6	F7	F8
G1	G2	63	G4	G5	G6	G7	G8
H1	H2	Н3	H4	H5	Н6	H7	H8

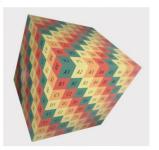


Box (map uv to each face = true)

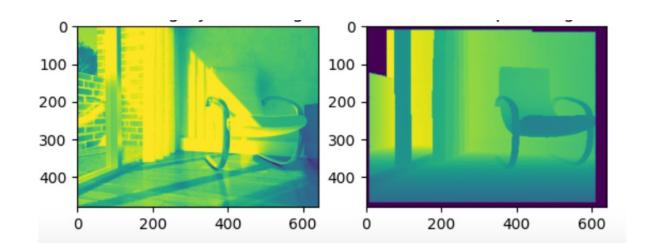
box = o3d.geometry.TriangleMesh.create_box(create_uv_map=True, map_texture_to_each_face=True
o3d.visualization.draw({'name': 'box', 'geometry': box, 'material': material})







Open3D Depth Map Viewer

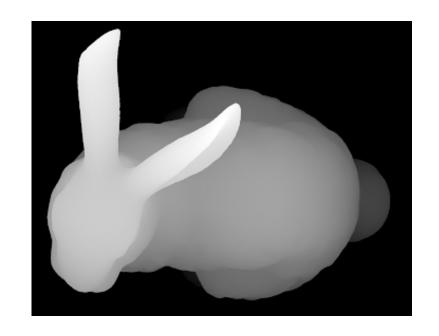


Depth Map Compression

- Why do we need depth compression?
 - For storage
 - For streaming over a network under lower bandwidths
 - For 3D scene reconstruction on client devices

Depth Map Compression

- How to compress depth?
 - Can we use similar ideas that we discussed in case of 2D video codecs?
 - Frame prediction
 - Transform coding & quantization
 - Entropy coding



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Depth Map Compression

- Why not just adopt standard video codecs?
 - They have been engineered for decades
 - Probably no need to reinvent similar algorithms if we can directly input the depth videos to color video codecs

Challenge

- Compression schemes for standard videos are highly tuned for color videos
- Considering human perception, e.g., by spending fewer bits on color than luminance information, and so forth.
- These insights do not apply to depth compression.

- Challenge
 - Bit-depth and channel inconsistency
 - Depth videos are single channeled
 - Bit-depth of depth videos is larger than color videos in general
 - Example: 8-bit videos can only store coarse-grained depth or short range (trade-off), so typically you need 16-bit or 24-bit or 32-bit-detphs for depth videos

 Can we convert the single channel large bit-depths to three channel small bit-depth?

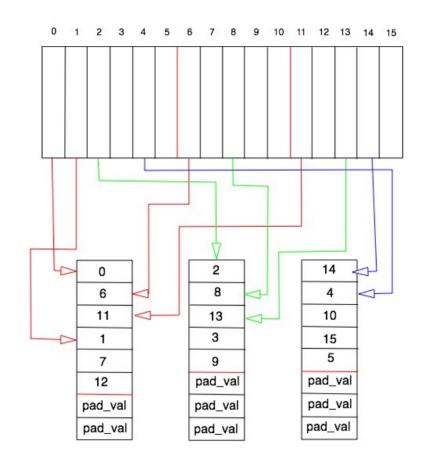




- Example: How do we pack a single 16 bit-depth depth map into a three channel 8 bit-depth depth map?
- Bit Multiplexing Method
 - Take a chunk of bits from 16 bits, insert them in each in 8-bit channel
 - E.g., first 6 MSB of 16-bits into first 6 MSB of first channel, subsequent 5 bits into first 5 MSB of second channel, last 5 bits into first 5 MSB of third channel
 - Pad with zeros for the remaining bits

- Example: How do we pack a single 16 bit-depth depth map into a three channel 8 bit-depth depth map?
- Bit Multiplexing Method
 - Take a chunk of bits from 16 bits, insert them in each in 8-bit channel
 - Problems?
 - Loss in MSBs can cause large depth discontinuities

- Example: How do we pack a single 16 bitdepth depth map into a three channel 8 bitdepth depth map?
- Interleaved Bit Multiplexing
 - Slightly better solution



- General Limitations
 - Lossy
- Lossless entropy coding
 - Fast Lossless Depth Image Compression, ISS'17
 - Skips frame prediction, transform and quantization to avoid depth discontinuities
 - Applies entropy coding
 - But only for images, not for video
 - Temporal RVL: A Depth Stream Compression Method, IEEE VR'20
 - For videos; computes deltas across frames

Lecture Summary

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