

Lecture 04

# Modelling & Transforms (Part 1)

# 3D Modelling

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- Process of developing an mathematical representation of a 3D object.
- **3D Model** (*or simply model*) refers to the geometric model enhanced with various other attributes (e.g. colour, texture, material reflectance, etc.)



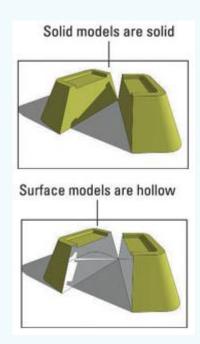
# 3D Model | Solid Model v.s. Surface Model

#### Solid Model

- Defines the <u>volume</u> of the object they represent
- Applications: Engineering and medical simulations
- Example: Voxel

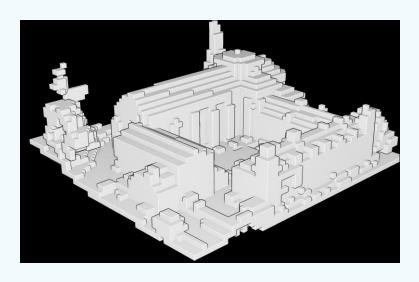
#### Surface Model

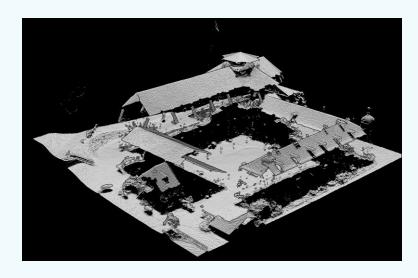
- Represents the <u>surface</u> (i.e. the object's boundary)
- Applications: Games and Film
- Example: Mesh, Point Cloud, etc.



**NOTE**: Both can create functionally identical objects. Differences between them lies in the operations (e.g. creation, editing, etc.) they support.

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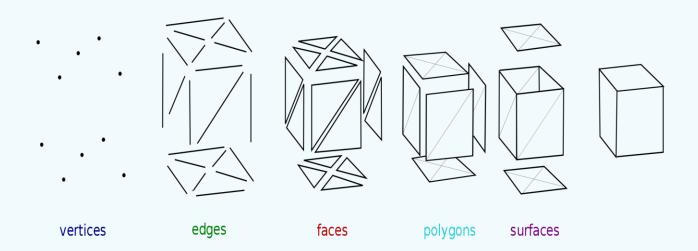


Voxel Point Cloud

# Mesh

## Mesh

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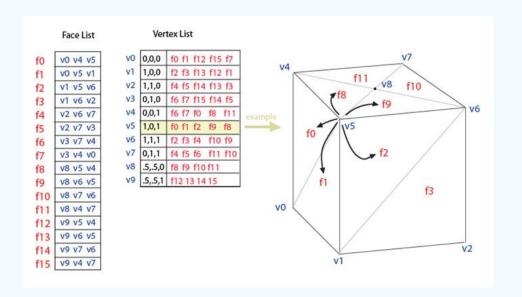
A collection of **vertices**, **edges**, and **faces** that defines the surface of an object.

Element	Definition
Vertex	A point (usually in 3D) along with other attributes (e.g. colour, normal vector, texture coordinates).
Edge	A connection between two vertices.
Face	A closed set of edges  Triangle face: 3 edges  Quadrilateral face: 4 edges

#### **Face-vertex meshes:**

#### **Description (Part 1):**

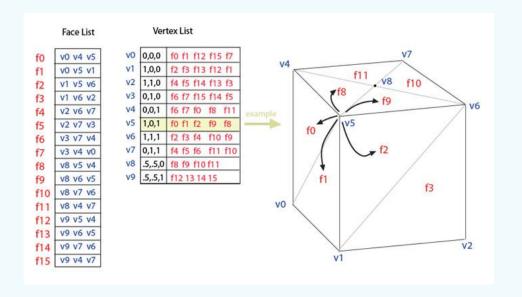
- Represent an object as a set of faces and a set of vertices.
- Most widely used representation, with builtin support in modern graphics hardware.



#### **Face-vertex meshes:**

#### **Description (Part 2):**

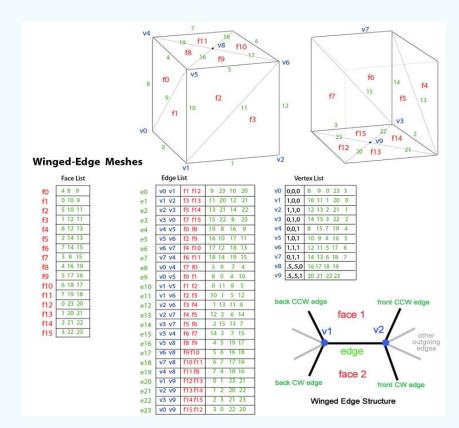
For rendering, the <u>face list</u> is usually transmitted to the GPU as a set of indices to the vertices, and the <u>vertex</u> <u>list</u> are sent to include all attributes (i.e. position/colour/normal).



### Winged-Edge meshes:

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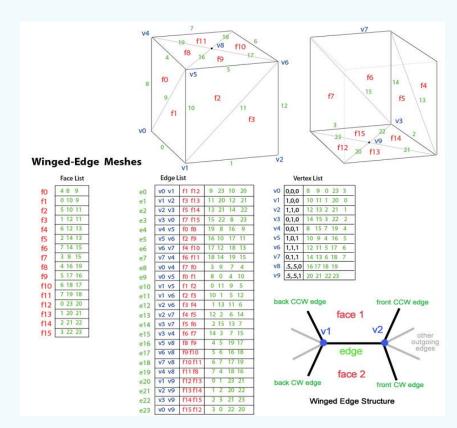
- Explicitly represent the vertices,
   faces, and edges of a mesh.
- Widely used in modelling software.



#### Winged-Edge meshes:

#### **Description (Part 2):**

- Strength:
  - Suited for dynamic geometry.
- Drawback:
  - Large storage requirements and increases complexity.



# File Formats

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#### Some of the many file formats for storing polygon mesh data:

File Suffix	Format Name	Description
.fbx	Autodesk Filmbox Format	<ul> <li>Proprietary.</li> <li>ASCII + Binary encodings.</li> <li>High interoperability between major third-party software.</li> <li><u>Data</u>: Geometry, appearance (colour and textures), skeletal animations, morphs.</li> <li><u>Industry</u>: Video game and film industry.</li> </ul>
.blend	Blender File Format	<ul> <li>Open source, binary-only format.</li> <li><u>Data</u>: scenes, objects, materials, textures, sounds, images, post-production effects.</li> </ul>
.dae	Digital Asset Exchange (COLLADA)	<ul> <li>A universal XML format designed to prevent incompatibility.</li> <li><u>Data</u>: Geometry, appearance (colour, material, textures), animations, kinematics, physics.</li> <li><u>Industry</u>: Video game and film industry.</li> </ul>

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File Suffix	Format Name	Description
.obj	Wavefront OBJ	<ul> <li>ASCII + Binary encodings (Only ASCII encoding is open source).</li> <li><u>Data</u>: objects, colour, textures (in a separate MTL file)</li> <li>Does not support animation.</li> <li>Industry: 3D graphics, 3D printing.</li> </ul>
.ply	Polygon File Format	<ul> <li>Binary + ASCII encodings</li> <li>Designed by the Stanford University.</li> </ul>
.stl	Stereolithography	<ul> <li><u>Data</u>: Geometry (triangular mesh)</li> <li>Does not support appearance, scene, and animations.</li> <li><u>Industry</u>: 3D printing, rapid prototyping, CAM.</li> </ul>

# Transformation (Part 1) [Introduction]

#### Transformation

A transformation is a **function** that maps a point (or vector) into another point (or vector).

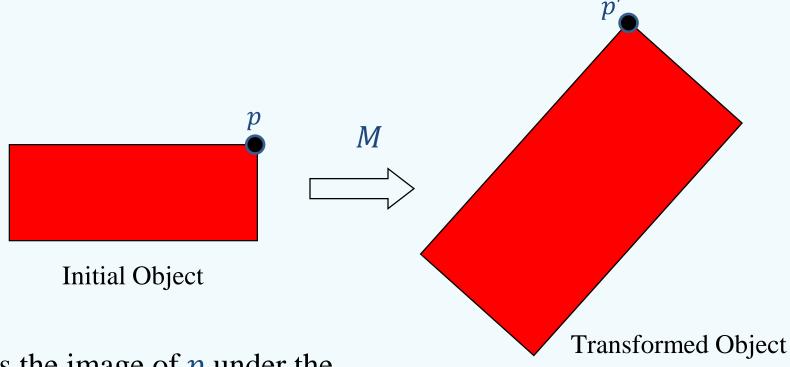
More formally, a transformation on  $\mathbb{R}^n$  is any mapping

$$M: \mathbb{R}^n \mapsto \mathbb{R}^n$$

such that  $p \in \mathbb{R}^n$  is mapped to a unique point, M(p), also in  $\mathbb{R}^n$ 

**NOTE:** n=2 means 2D Transformation, n=3 means 3D Transformation.

### Transformation



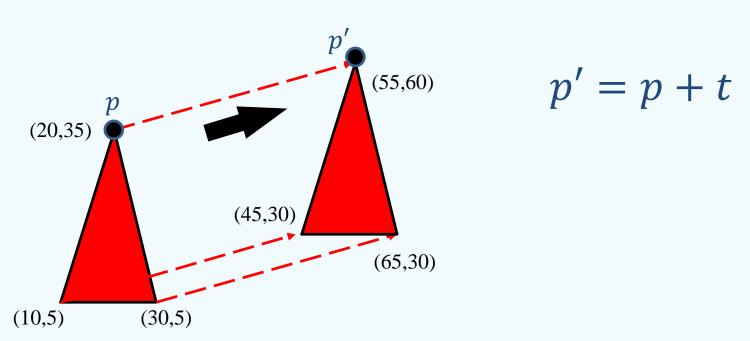
p' is the image of p under the transformation M.

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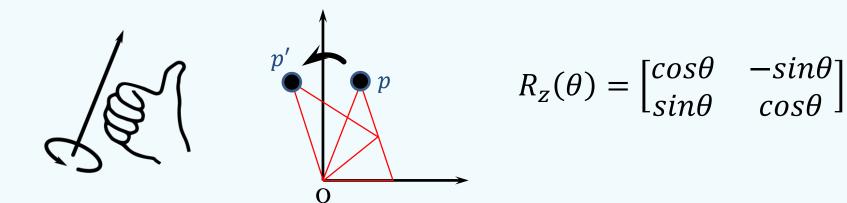
[ 2D Transformation ]

### 2D Translation

The process of moving a vector based on a translational vector.



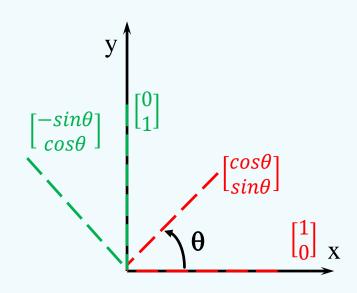
- A circular movement of an object around the Z-axis.
- The direction of rotation can be determined using the righthand rule.



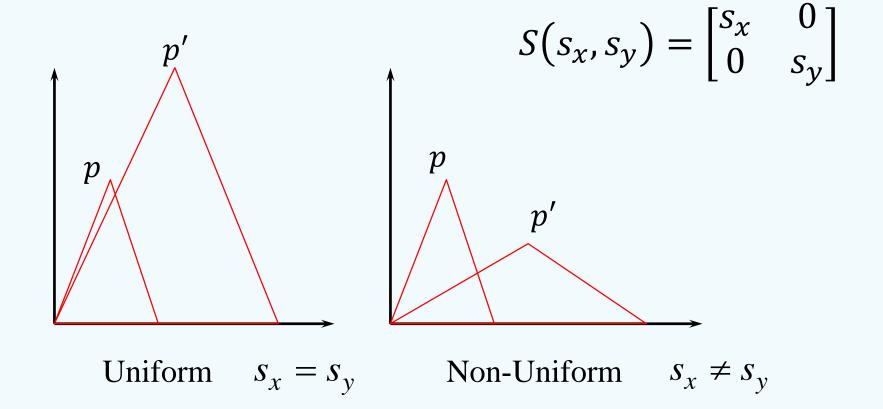
#### Proof of $R_z(\theta)$

Let 
$$R_z(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{bmatrix}$$
. 
$$R_z(\theta) \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \theta \\ \sin \theta \end{bmatrix}, R_z(\theta) \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin \theta \\ \cos \theta \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{split} R_z(\theta) &= \begin{bmatrix} r_{11} & r_{12} \\ r_{21} & r_{22} \end{bmatrix} \\ &= R_z(\theta)I_2 = R_z(\theta)\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} cos\theta & -sin\theta \\ sin\theta & cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \end{split}$$



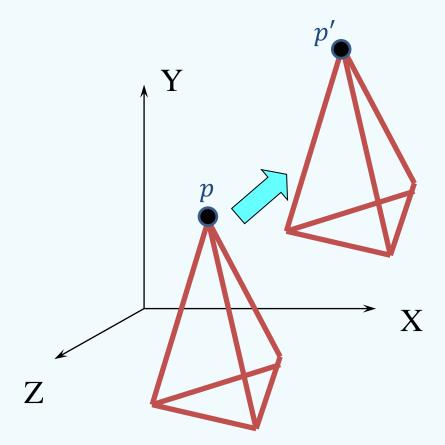
# 2D Scaling



# Transformation (Part 1)

[3D Transformation]

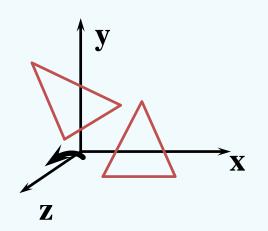
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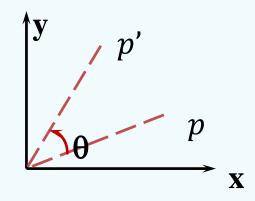


$$p' = p + t$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} x_t \\ y_t \\ z_t \end{bmatrix}$$

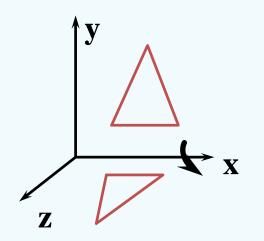
#### **Rotation About the Z-Axis**

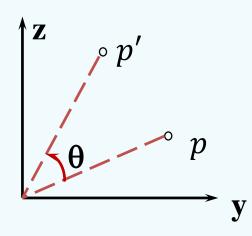




$$R_{z}(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0\\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0\\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

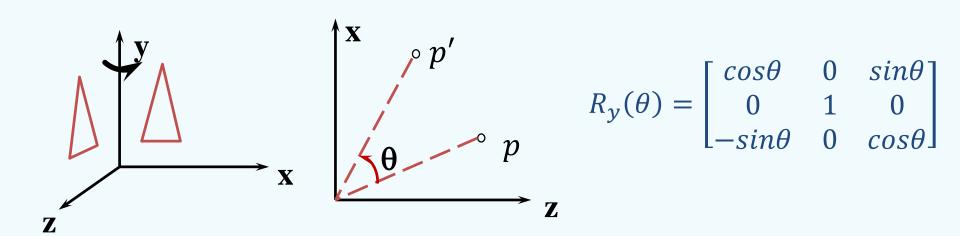
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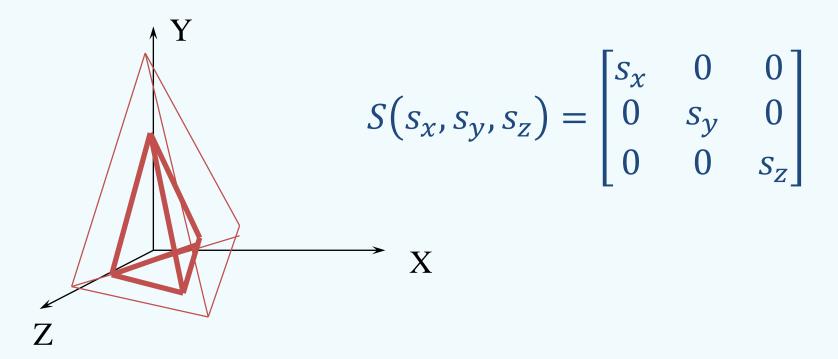


$$R_{x}(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ 0 & \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix}$$

#### **Rotation About the Y-Axis**



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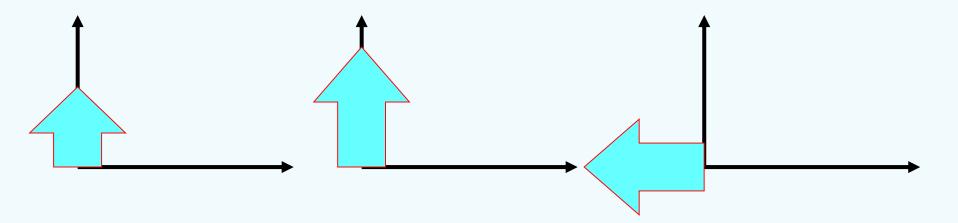


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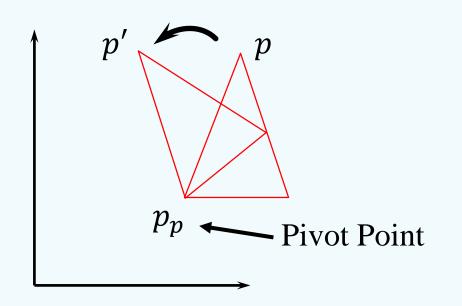
[ Concatenation of Transformation]

A series of transformations can be represented by the product of the corresponding individual transformation. For example:

$$p' = R_z(90^\circ)S(1,1.5)p$$



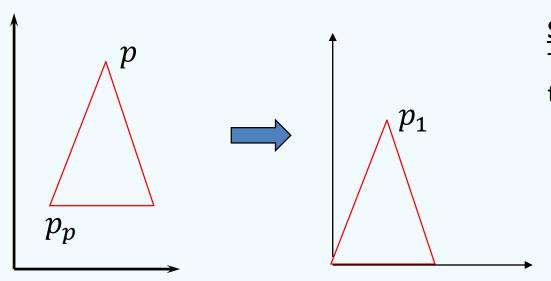
#### **Special Example 1: Rotation About a Pivot Point**



#### **Description:**

- Pivot point is the point of rotation
- Pivot point need not necessarily be on the object

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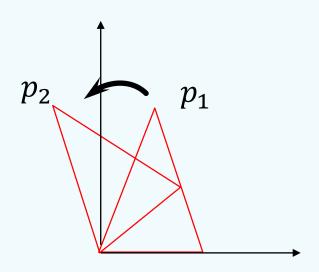


#### Step 1:

Translate the pivot point to the origin:

$$p_1 = p - p_p$$

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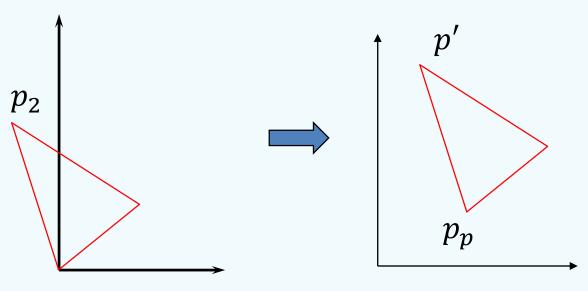


#### Step 2:

Rotate about the origin.

$$p_2 = R_z(\theta)p_1$$

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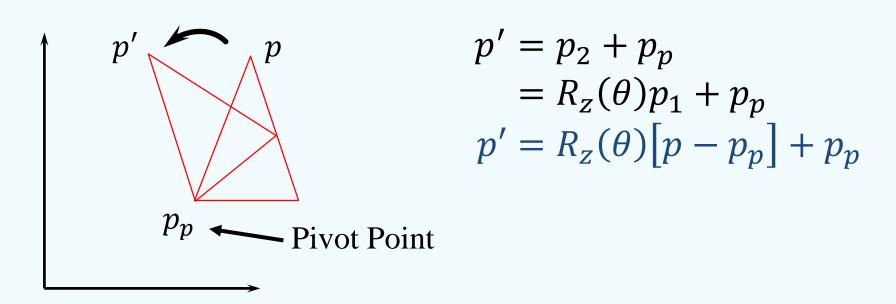


#### Step 3:

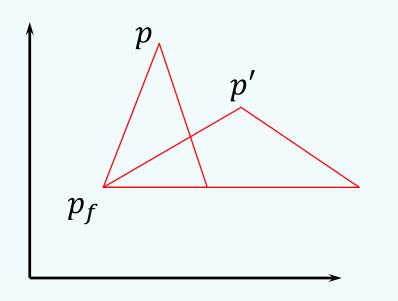
Translate the pivot point back to its original location.

$$p' = p_2 + p_p$$

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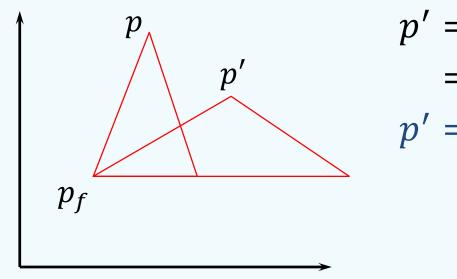
#### **Special Example 2: Scaling About a Fixed Point**



#### **Steps:**

- 1. Translate the fixed point  $(p_f)$  to origin.
- 2. Scale with respect to origin.
- 3. Translate the fixed point to its original position.

#### **Special Example 2: Scaling About a Fixed Point**



$$p' = p_2 + p_f$$
  
=  $S(s_x, s_y)p_1 + p_f$   
 $p' = S(s_x, s_y)[p - p_f] + p_f$ 

# Q & A

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