# Physically-Based Simulation Final Project: Paper Simulation

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### **Overview**

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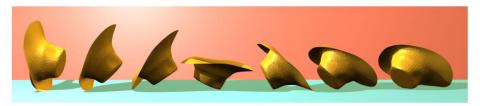


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• Stretching: Change of triangle areas

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Bending: Change of dihedral angles

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### **Automatic Differentiation**

**Newmark Time Stepping** 



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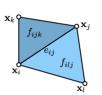
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Lecture slide 12 (Thin Shells)



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f flex_J(x1, y1, z1, x2, y2, z2, x3, y3, z3, x4, y4, z4, e_bar, theta_bar, h_bar):
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Implemented Newmark Integration Scheme

**Newmark Time Stepping** We adopt the Newmark scheme<sup>24</sup> for ODE integration,

$$\mathbf{x}_{i+1} = \mathbf{x}_i + \Delta t_i^2 \left( (1/2 - \beta) \ddot{\mathbf{x}}_i + \beta \ddot{\mathbf{x}}_{i+1} \right),$$
  

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[24] N. M. Newmark. A method of computation for structural dynamics. ASCE J. of the Engineering Mechanics Division, 85(EM 3):67–94, 1959.

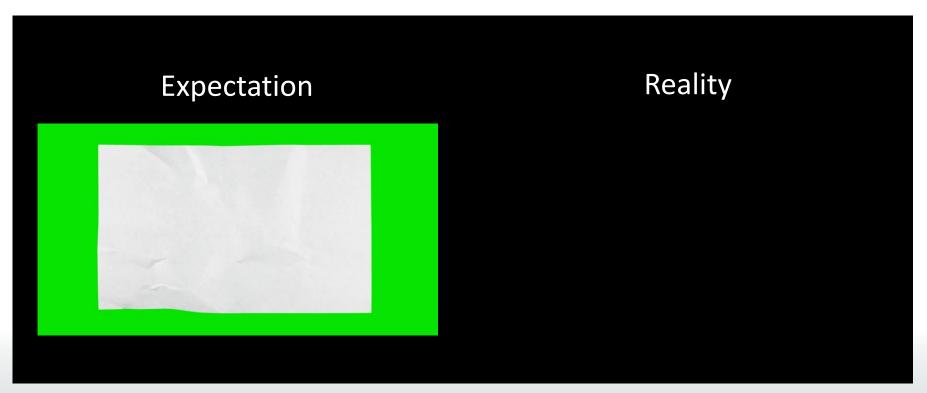


### **Targets**

- 1. Minimal Target: Membrane and flexure energies
- 2. Desired Target: A scrunched paper including self collision, basic rendering
- 3. Bonus Target: Friction effects, viscosity



### Demo



https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bn6mS2\_9tE4&ab\_channel=10thElementGraphics



# **Difficulties / Take-aways**

- 1. Don't use C Taichi Lang
- 2. Debugging

## Thanks for your attention!

