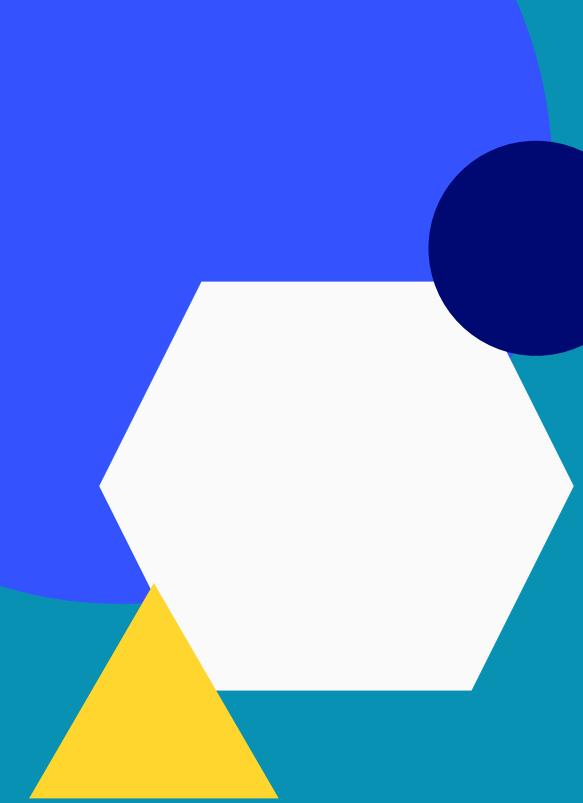


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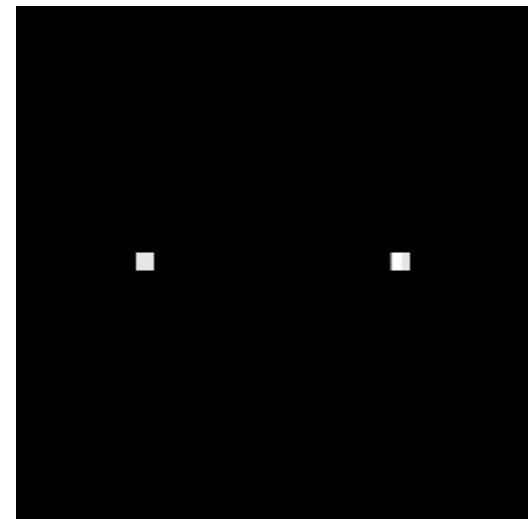
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课程回放地址：<https://www.bilibili.com/video/BV1ZK411H7Hc>

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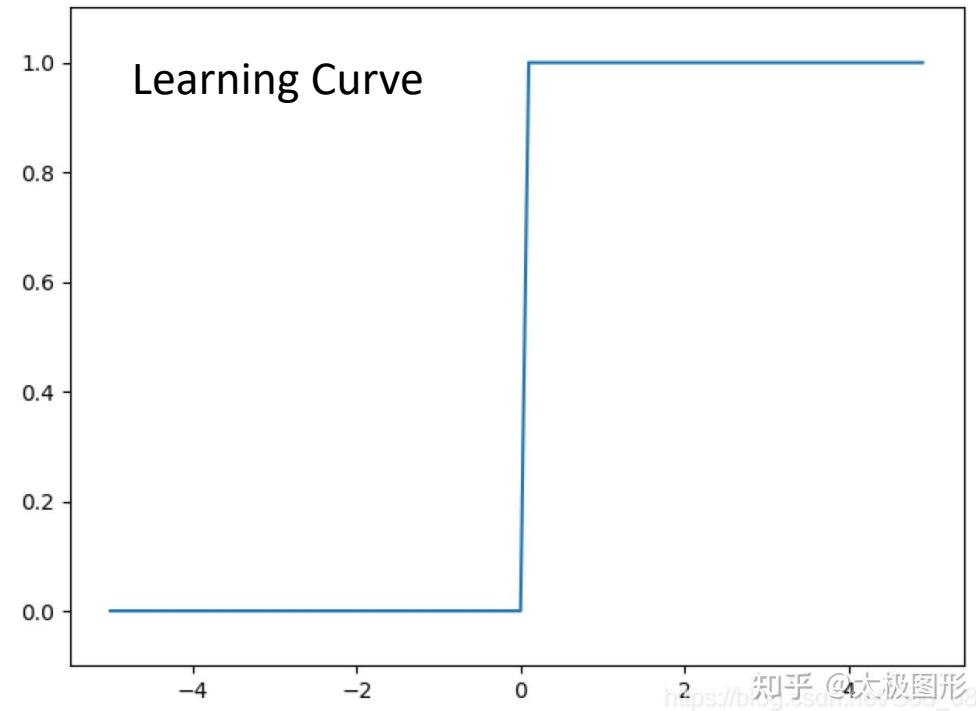
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The Taichi Graphics Course - S1

- A 0 to 1 course to learn graphics with Taichi.
- A Hands-on tutorial to code your first Taichi program.
- Cover basic ideas in rendering / simulation.

Syllabus

- 09/14: Intro <- We are here today 😊
- 09/22 (Wed.): Hello world: basis in Taichi
- 09/28: Metaprogramming and object-oriented programming
- 10/12: Advanced data types and data structures
- 10/19: Debugging and optimizing your Taichi code

Syllabus (cont'd)

- 10/26: Procedural Animation
- 11/02: Render 01: basis in ray tracing
- 11/09: Render 02: implement your first ray tracer

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- 11/16: Deformable 01: Spatial and temporal discretization
- 11/23: Deformable 02: Implicit time integration
- 11/30: Fluid 01: Lagrangian view
- 12/07: Fluid 02: Eulerian view
- 12/14: (Secret) Guest speaker

Homework and Final Project

- Optional homework assignments after each course.
 - Code on your local Taichi build or at [Taichi Zoo](#)
- Mandatory final project **if you want a certificate.**
 - Deadline **Jan. 3rd 2022**
 - Submit using a **private** repo at GitHub/Gitee. Invite tgc01@taichi.graphics to your repo
 - Small-scaled teamwork (≤ 3) is welcome, manage your Git commits with care
 - Release your final project at will, **after** the grading period
 - Gifts and job/intern opportunity await

Where shall I raise questions?

- Live
 - @微信群
- Forum
 - <https://forum.taichi.graphics/> - 太极图形课
- Office Hours
 - 19:00 – 20:00 Every **Thursday**
 - 10-20 mins for frequently asked questions
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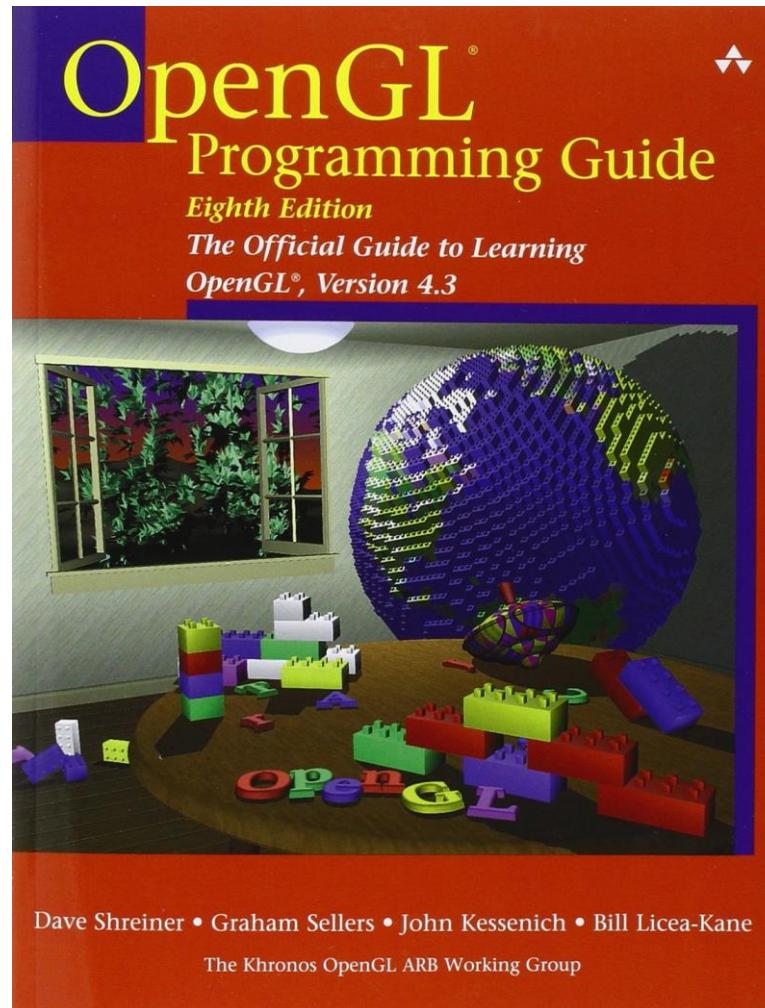
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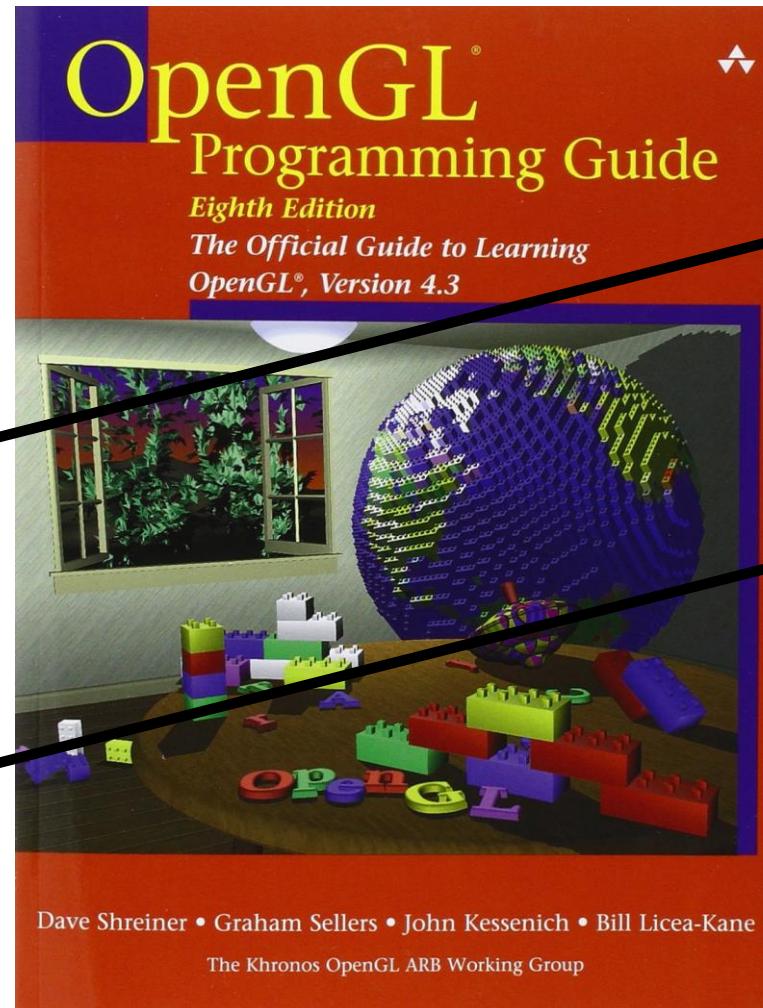


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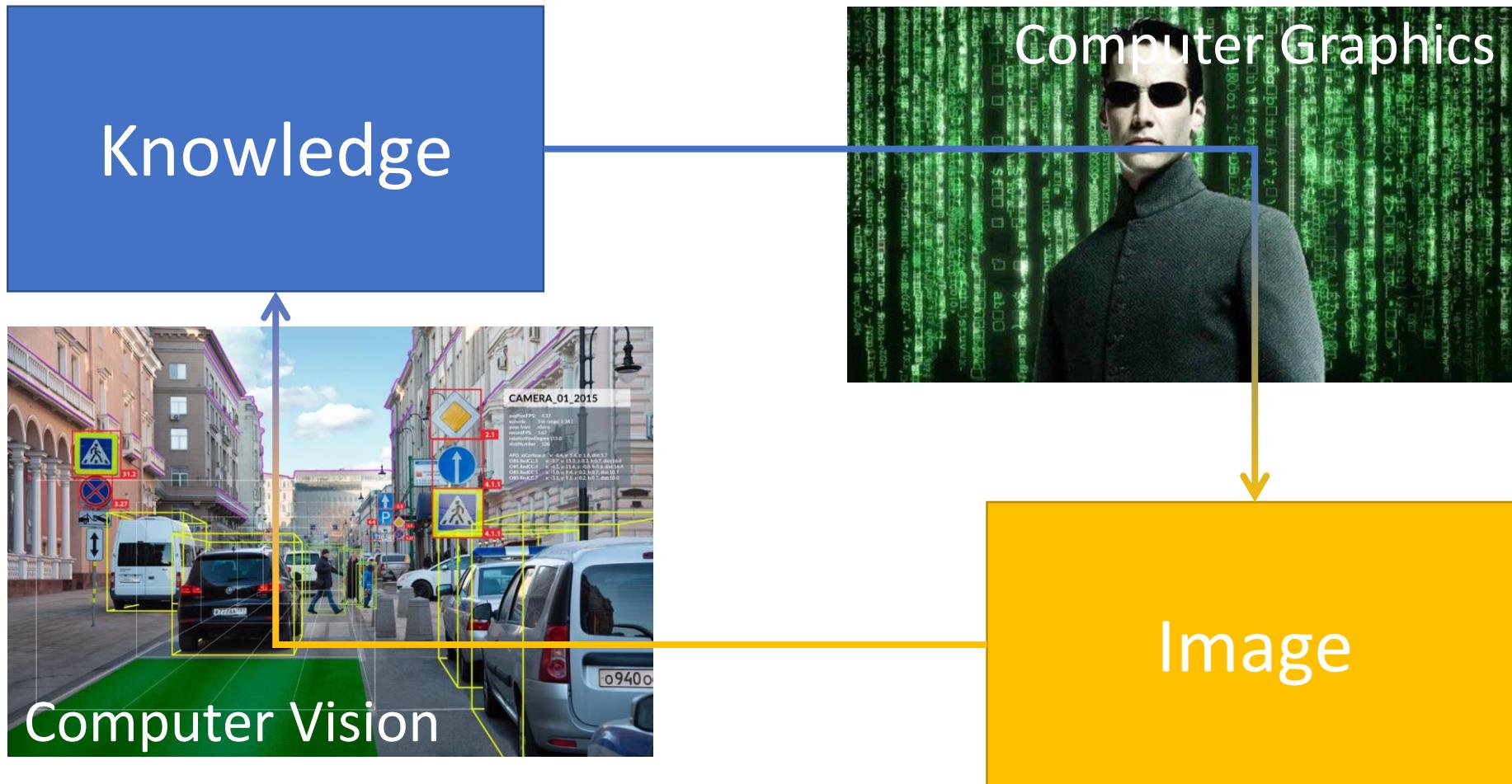
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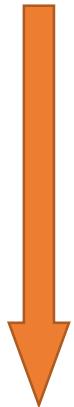
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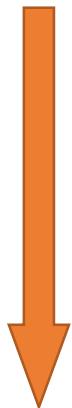


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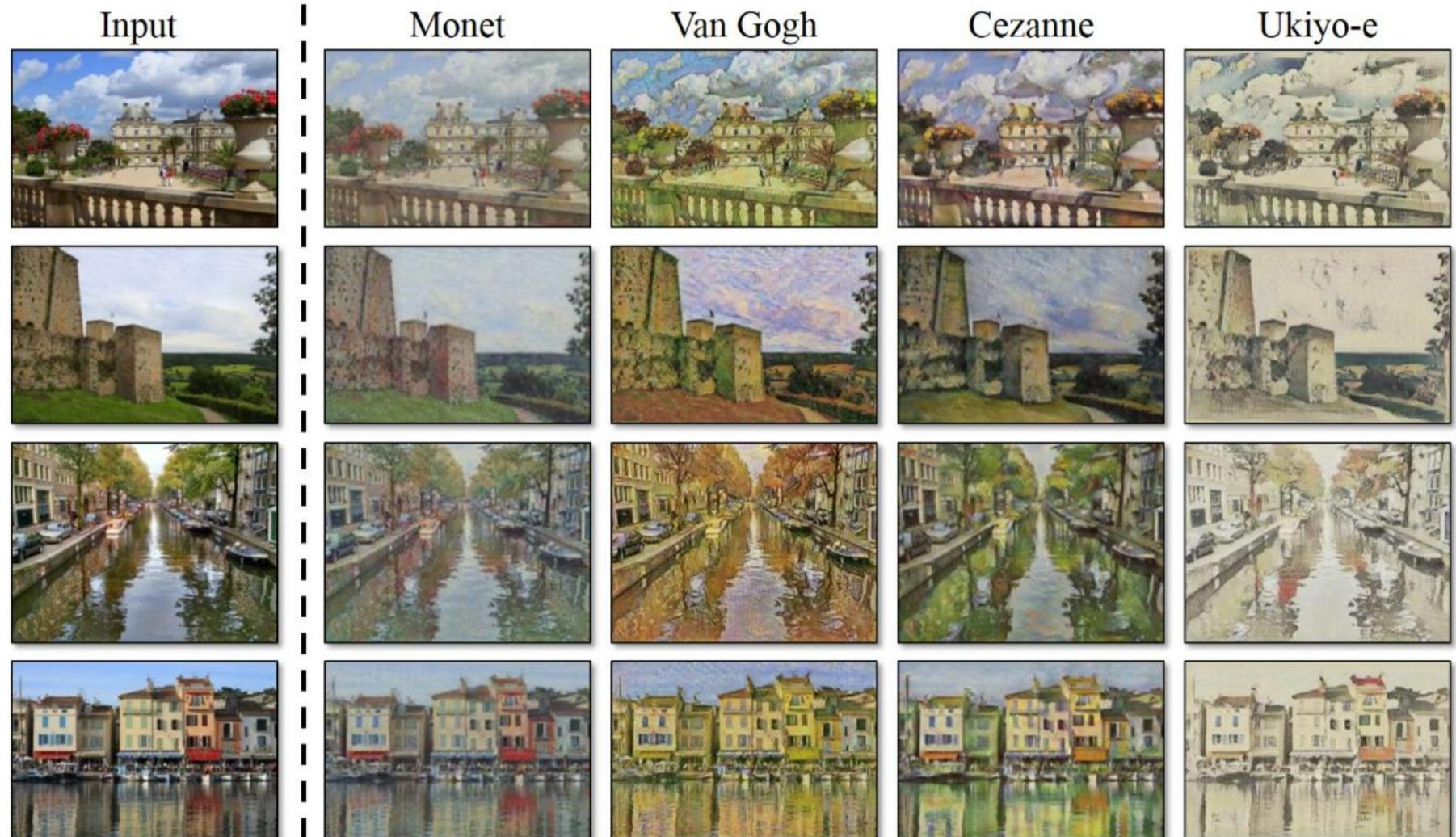
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We generate movies



[Frozen, 2013]

We generate movies



[哪吒之魔童降世, 2019]



[白蛇：缘起, 2019]



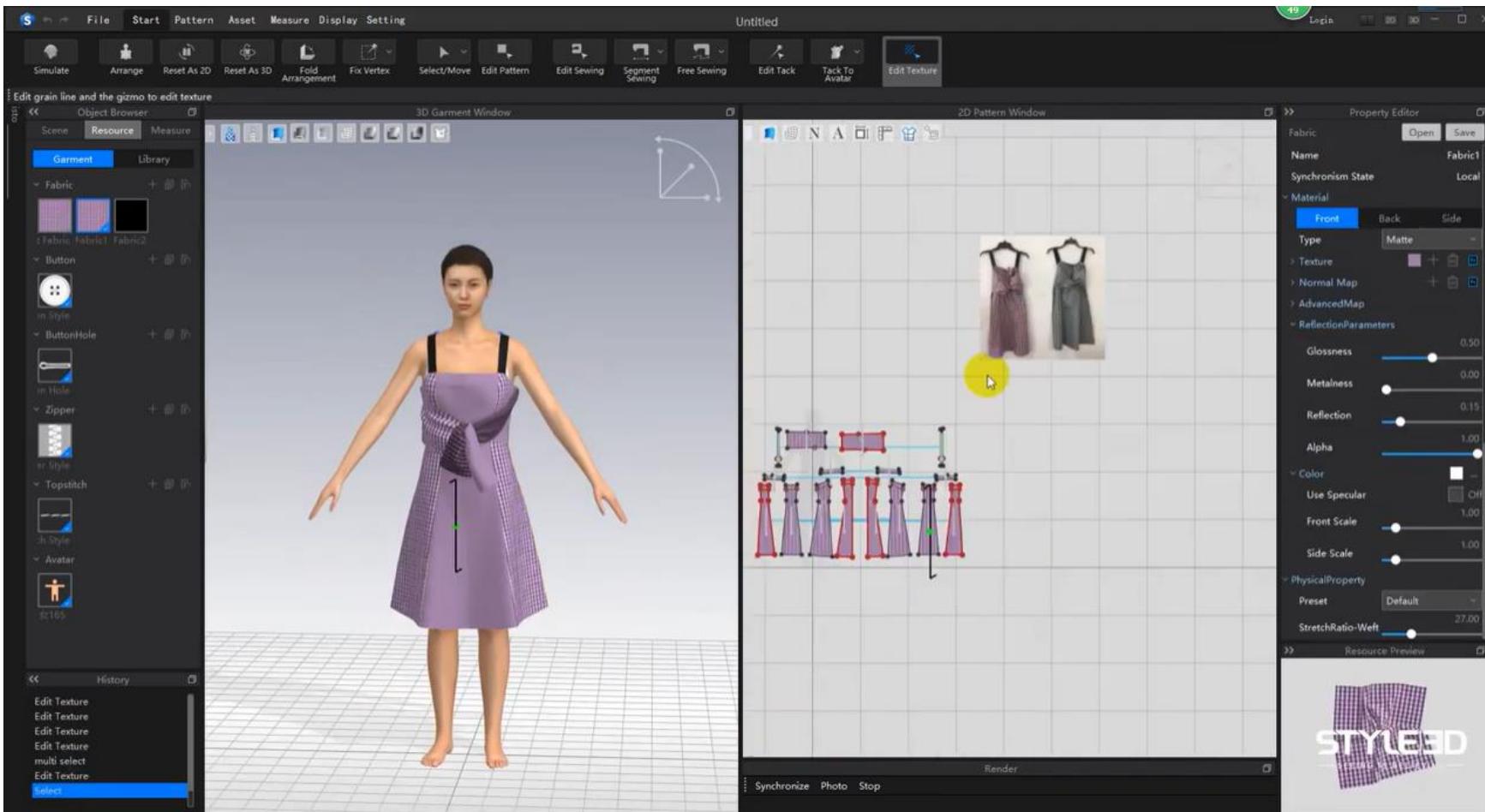
[青蛇：劫起, 2021]

We generate games



[黑神话：悟空, 2021]

We generate design tools



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We generate the **Reality** in the virtual space



[Microsoft HoloLens 2]

Maybe ultimately...



[Sword Art Online, 2012]

... but apparently we are not there yet. Why?

- Lack of virtual contents
 - lack of handy tools



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- Lack of virtual contents
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- Hard to code an efficient graphics program
 - Hard to reuse someone else's code
 - Performance highly depends on coding skills



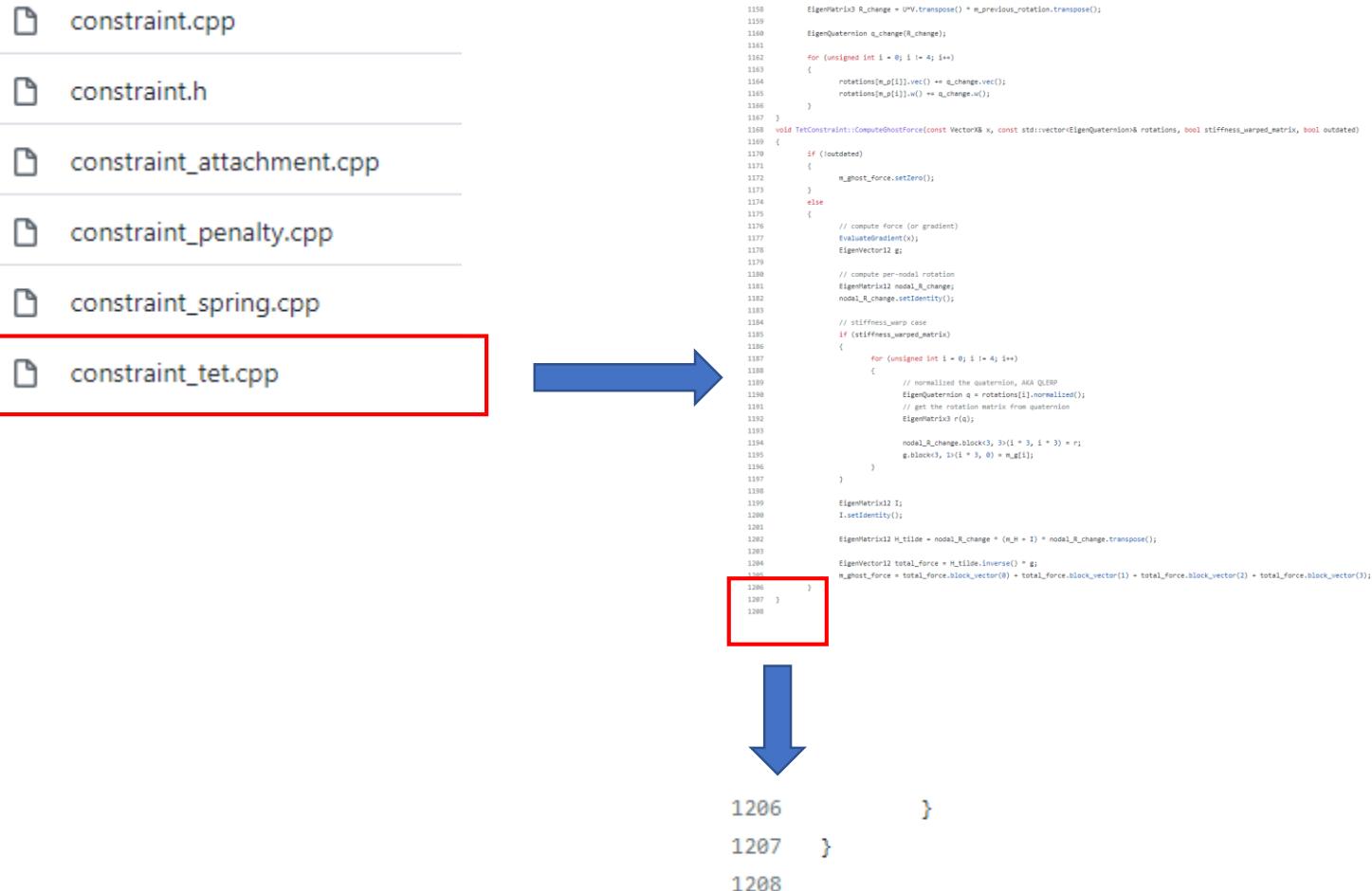
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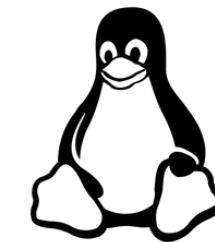
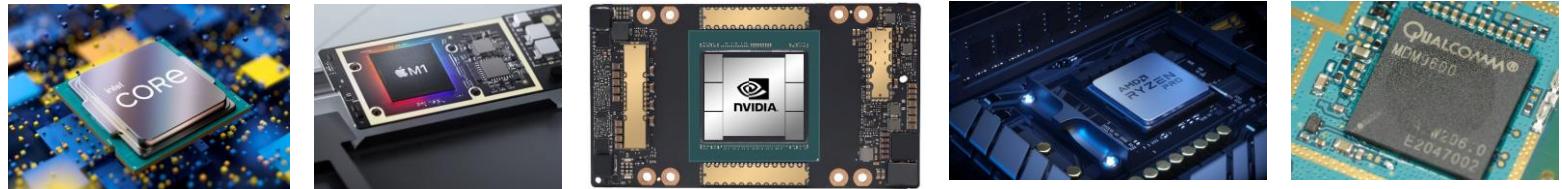
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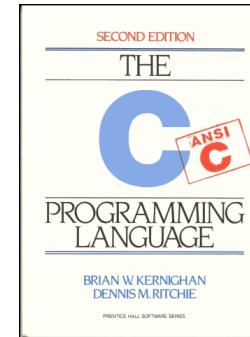
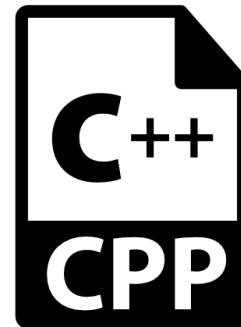
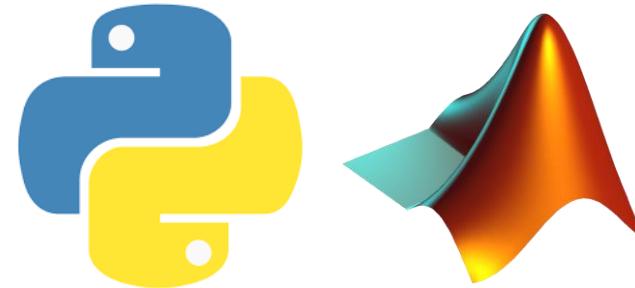
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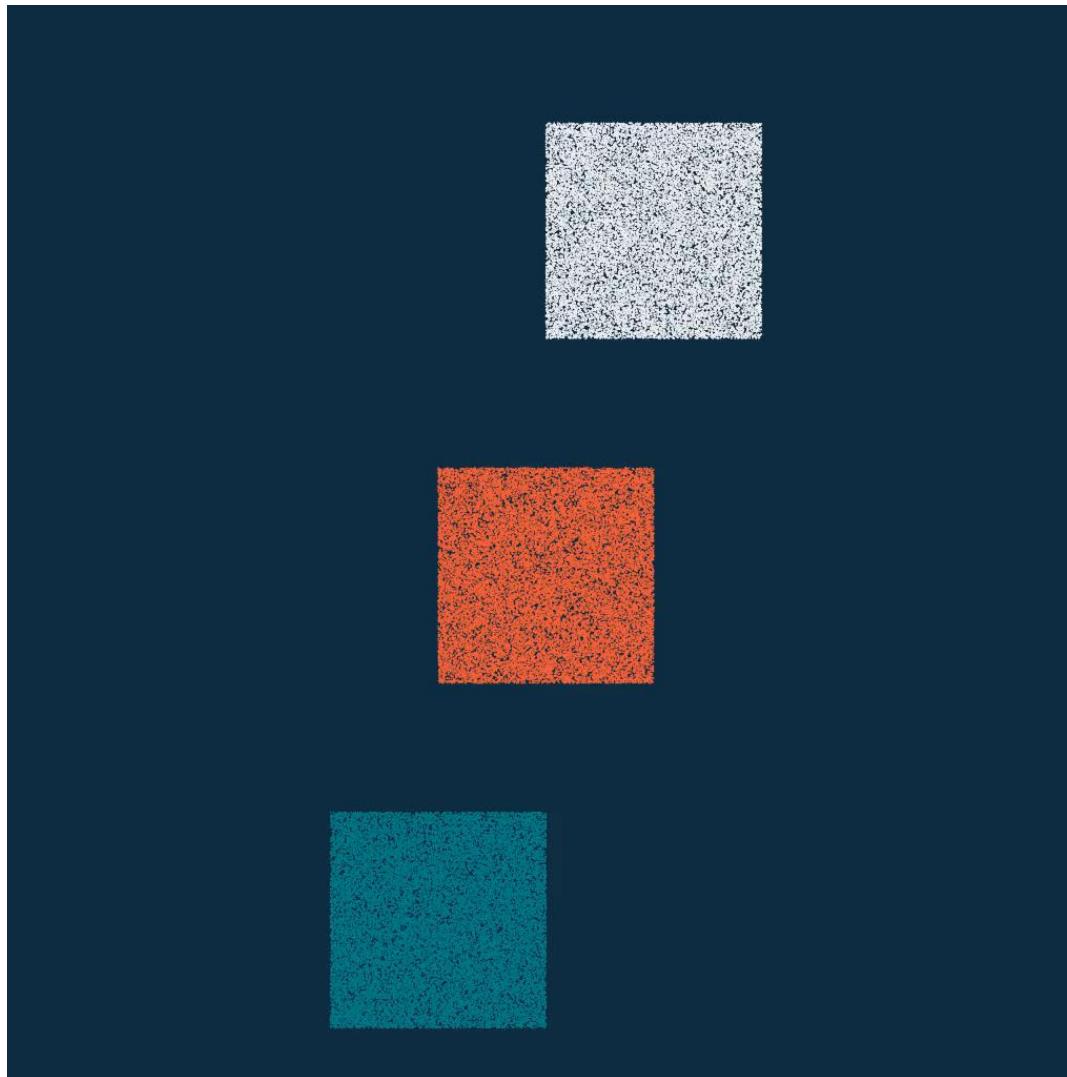
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```
#include <your-awesome-mpm-lib>

int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    AWESOME_LIB::run_mpm(argc, argv);
    return 0;
}
```



“99行《冰雪奇缘》”

```
import numpy as np
import taichi as ti

ti.init(arch=ti.gpu) # Try to run on GPU
quality = 1 # Use a larger value for higher-res simulations
n_particles = 9000 * quality**2, 128 * quality
dx, inv_dx = 1 / n_grid, float(n_grid)
dt = 1e-4 / quality
p_vol, p_rho = (dx * 0.5)**2, 1
p_mass = p_vol * p_rho
E, nu = 0.1e4, 0.2 # Young's modulus and Poisson's ratio
mu_0, lambda_0 = E / (2 * (1 + nu)), E * nu / (
    1 + nu) * (1 - 2 * nu) # Lame parameters
x = ti.Vector.field(2, dtype=float, shape=n_particles) # position
v = ti.Vector.field(2, dtype=float, shape=n_particles) # velocity
C = ti.Matrix.field(2, 2, dtype=float,
    shape=n_particles) # affine velocity field
F = ti.Matrix.field(2, 2, dtype=float,
    shape=n_particles) # deformation gradient
material = ti.field(dtype=int, shape=n_particles) # material id
Jp = ti.field(dtype=float, shape=n_particles) # plastic deformation
grid_v = ti.Vector.field(2, dtype=float,
    shape=(n_grid, n_grid)) # grid node momentum/velocity
grid_m = ti.field(dtype=float, shape=(n_grid, n_grid)) # grid node mass
```



```
@ti.kernel
def substep():
    for i, j in grid_m:
        grid_v[i, j] = [0, 0]
        grid_m[i, j] = 0
    for p in x: # Particle state update and scatter to grid (P2G)
        base = ([x[p] * inv_dx - 0.5].cast(int))
        fx = x[p] * inv_dx - base.cast(float)
        w = [0.5 * (1.5 - fx)**2, 0.75 - (fx - 1)**2, 0.5 * (fx - 0.5)**2]
        F[p] = ti.Matrix.identity(float, 2) +
            dt * C[p] @ F[p] # deformation gradient update
        h = ti.exp(
            10 *
            (1.0 -
             Jp[p])) # Hardening coefficient: snow gets harder when compressed
        if material[p] == 1: # jelly, make it softer
            h = 0.3
        mu, la = mu_0 * h, lambda_0 * h
        if material[p] == 0: # liquid
            mu = 0.0
        U, sig, V = ti.svd(F[p])
        J = 1.0
        for d in ti.static(range(2)):
            new_sig = sig[d, d]
            if material[p] == 2: # Snow
                new_sig = min(max(sig[d, d], 1 - 2.5e-2),
                               1 + 4.5e-3) # Plasticity
            Jp[p] *= sig[d, d] / new_sig
            sig[d, d] = new_sig
            J *= new_sig
        if material[p] == 0: # Reset deformation gradient to avoid numerical instability
            F[p] = ti.Matrix.identity(float, 2) * ti.sqrt(J)
        elif material[p] == 2:
            F[p] = U @ sig @ V.transpose()
        ) # Reconstruct elastic deformation gradient after plasticity
        stress = 2 * mu * (F[p] - U @ V.transpose()) @ F[p].transpose()
        stress += ti.Matrix.identity(float, 2) * la * J * (J - 1)
        stress = (-dt * p_vol * 4 * inv_dx * inv_dx) * stress
        affine = stress + p_mass * C[p]
        for i, j in ti.static(ti.ndrange(
            3, 3)): # Loop over 3x3 grid node neighborhood
            offset = ti.Vector([i, j])
            dpos = (offset.cast(float) - fx) * dx
            weight = w[i][0] * w[j][1]
            grid_v[base + offset] += weight * (p_mass * v[p] + affine @ dpos)
            grid_m[base + offset] += weight * p_mass
    for i, j in grid_m:
        if grid_m[i, j] > 0: # No need for epsilon here
            grid_v[i, j] = (1 / grid_m[i, j]) * grid_v[i, j] # Momentum to velocity
            grid_v[i, j][1] = 0 # Boundary conditions
            if i > n_grid - 3 and grid_v[i, j][0] > 0: grid_v[i, j][0] = 0
            if j < 3 and grid_v[i, j][1] < 0: grid_v[i, j][1] = 0
            if j > n_grid - 3 and grid_v[i, j][1] > 0: grid_v[i, j][1] = 0
    for p in x: # grid to particle (G2P)
        base = ([x[p] * inv_dx - 0.5].cast(int))
        fx = x[p] * inv_dx - base.cast(float)
        w = [0.5 * (1.5 - fx)**2, 0.75 - (fx - 1.0)**2, 0.5 * (fx - 0.5)**2]
        new_v = ti.Vector.zero(float, 2)
        new_C = ti.Matrix.zero(float, 2, 2)
        for i, j in ti.static(ti.ndrange(
            3, 3)): # loop over 3x3 grid node neighborhood
            dpos = ti.Vector([i, j]).cast(float) - fx
            g_v = grid_v[base + ti.Vector([i, j])]
            weight = w[i][0] * w[j][1]
            new_v += weight * g_v
            new_C += 4 * inv_dx * weight * g_v.outer_product(dpos)
        v[p], C[p] = new_v, new_C
        x[p] += dt * v[p] # advection
```



```
group_size = n_particles // 3

@ti.kernel
def initialize():
    for i in range(n_particles):
        x[i] = [
            ti.random() * 0.2 + 0.3 + 0.10 * (i // group_size),
            ti.random() * 0.2 + 0.05 + 0.32 * (i // group_size)]
    material[i] = i // group_size # 0: fluid 1: jelly 2: snow
    v[i] = ti.Matrix([0, 0])
    F[i] = ti.Matrix([[1, 0], [0, 1]])
    Jp[i] = 1

initialize()
gui = ti.GUI("Taichi MLS-MPM-99", res=512, background_color=0x112F41)
while not gui.get_event(ti.GUI.ESCAPE, ti.GUI.EXIT):
    for s in range(int(2e-3 // dt)):
        substep()
        gui.circles(x.to_numpy(),
                    radius=1.5,
                    palette=[0x068587, 0xED553B, 0xEEEEF0],
                    palette_indices=material)
    gui.show() # Change to gui.show(f'{frame:06d}.png') to write images to disk
```

Visualization



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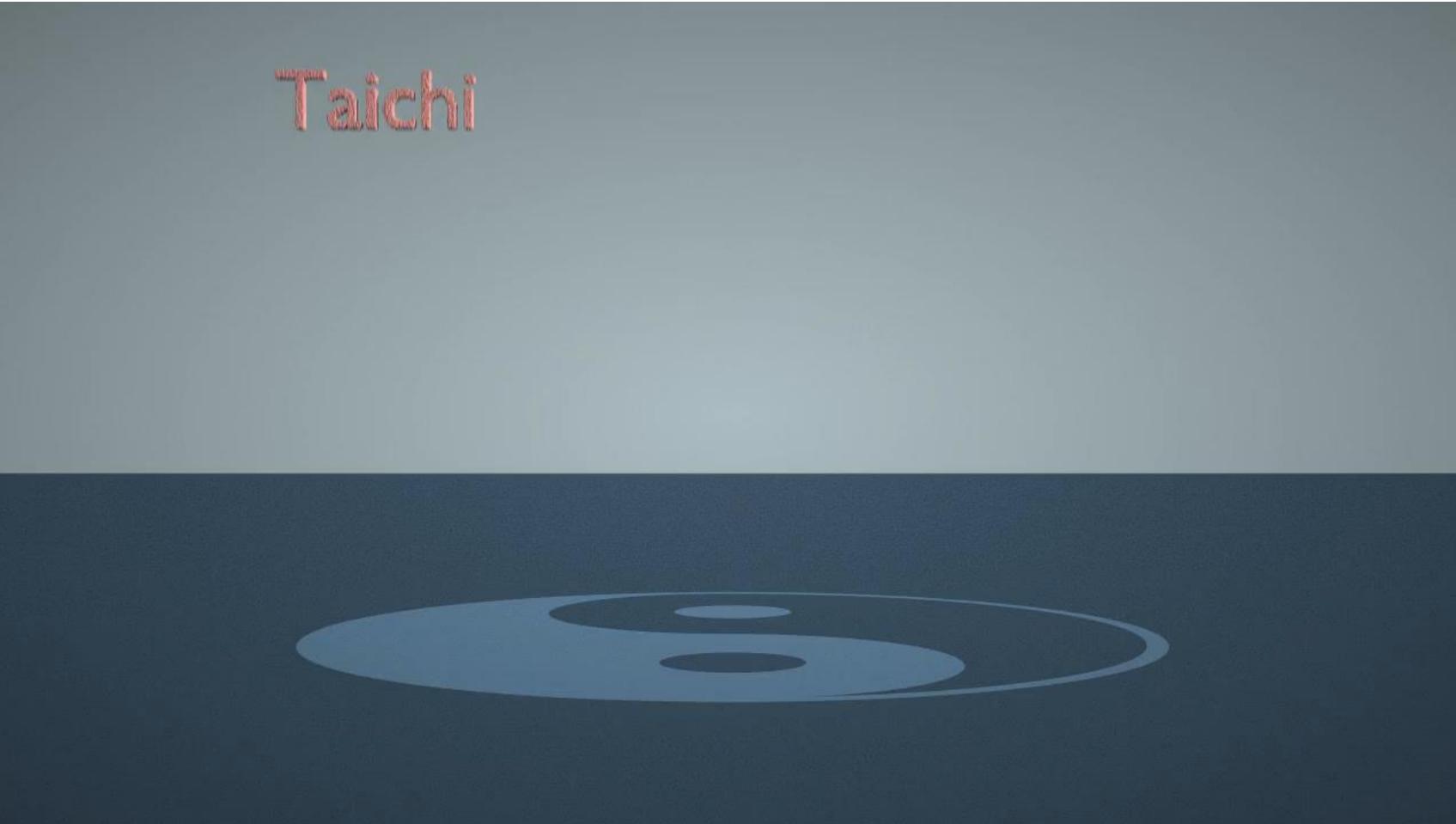
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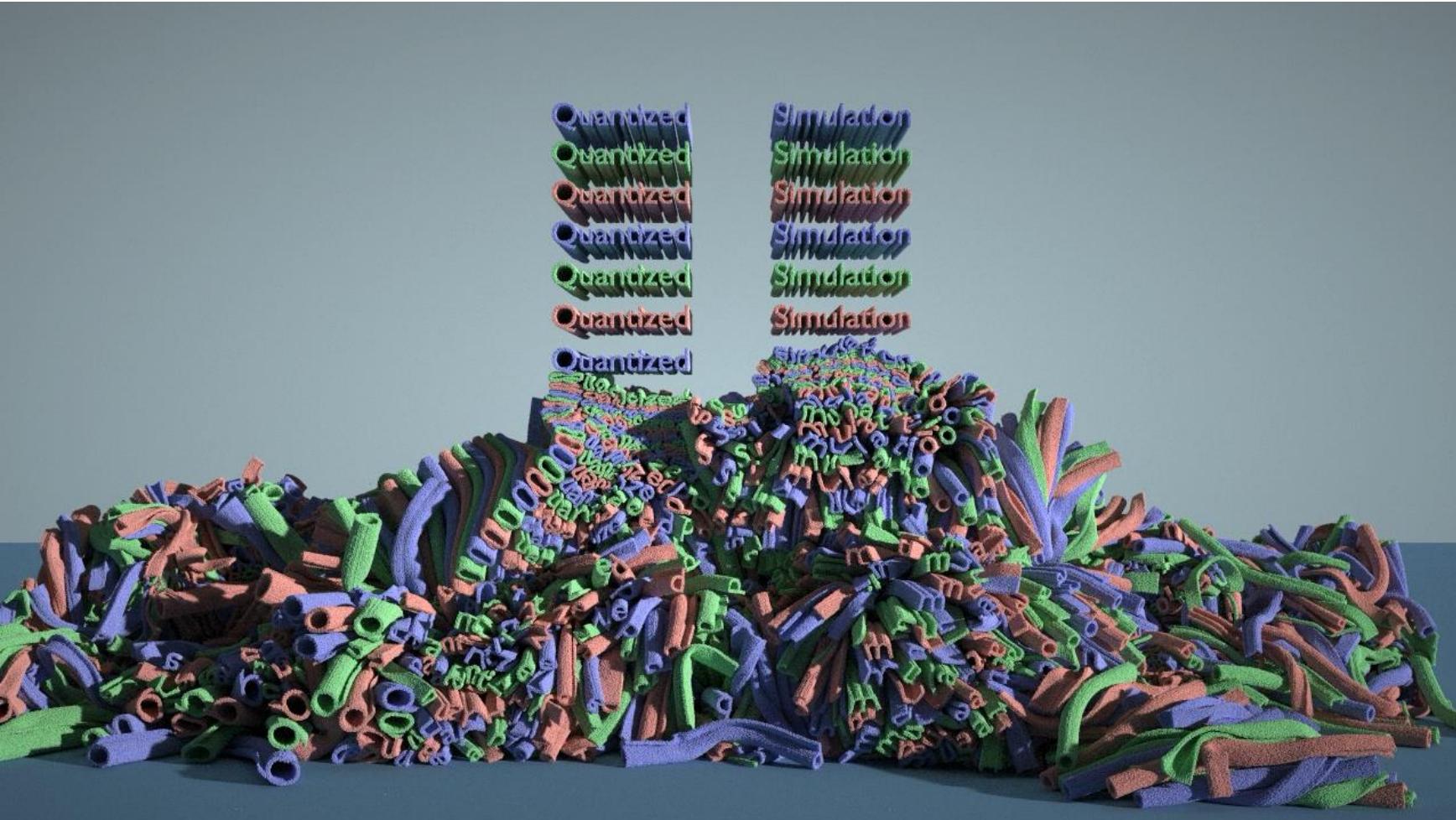
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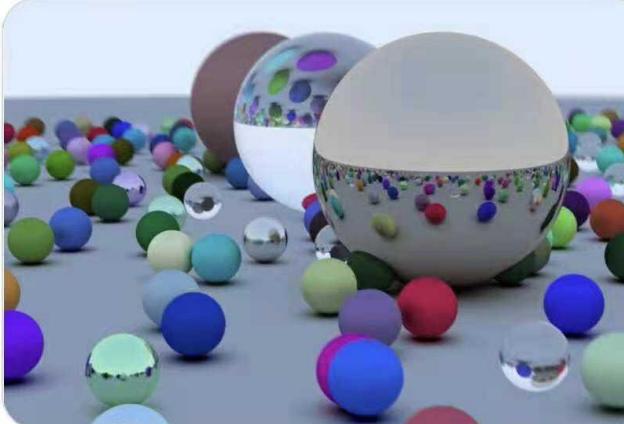


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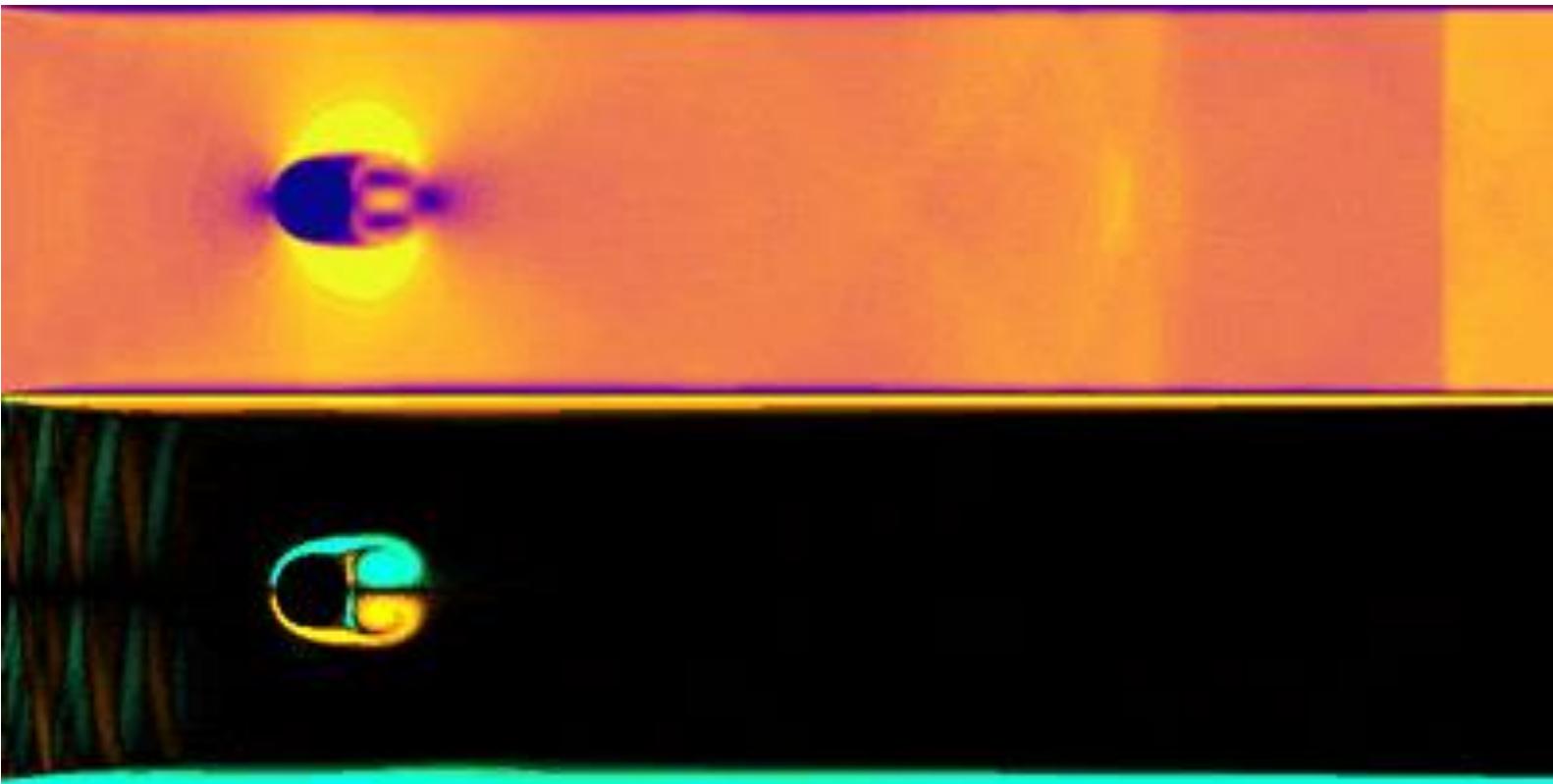
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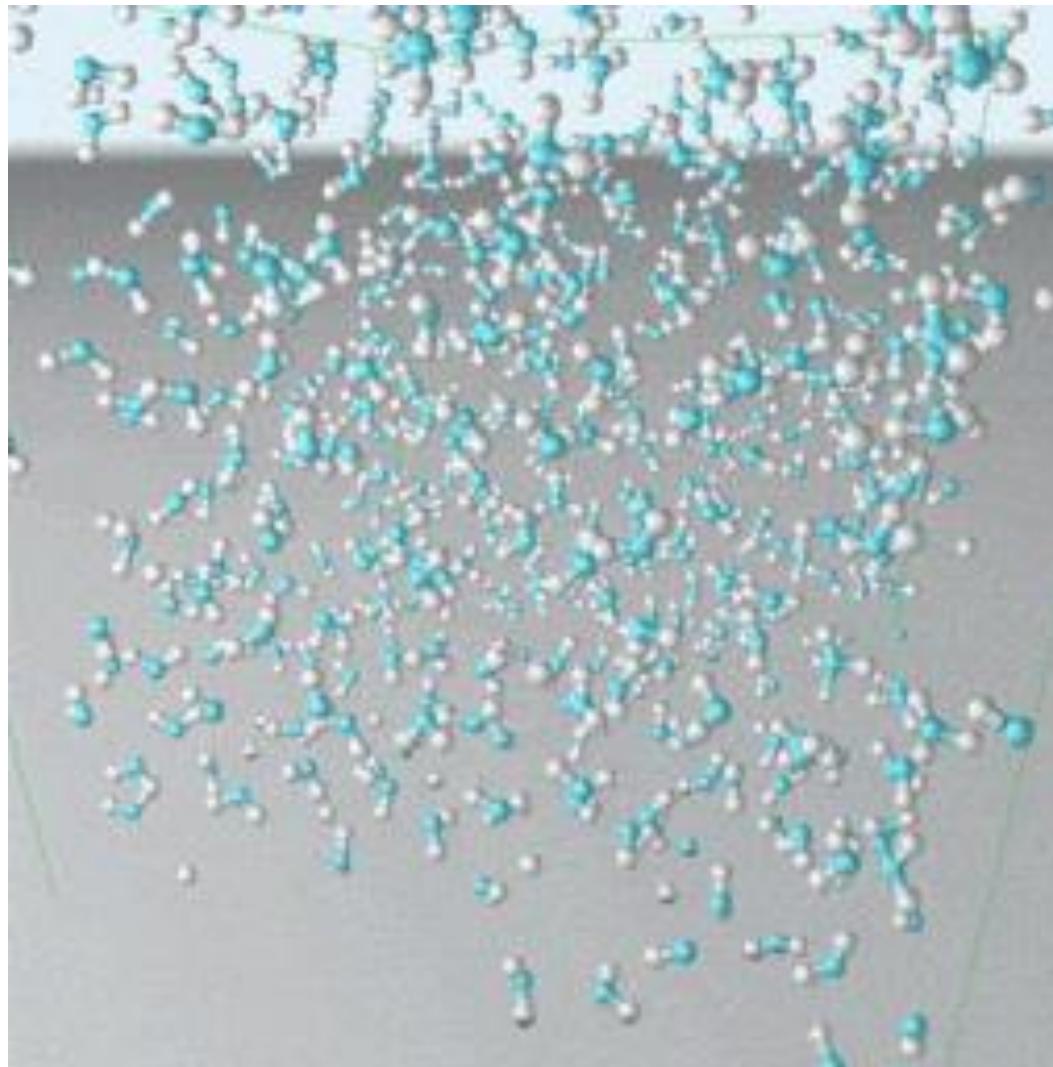


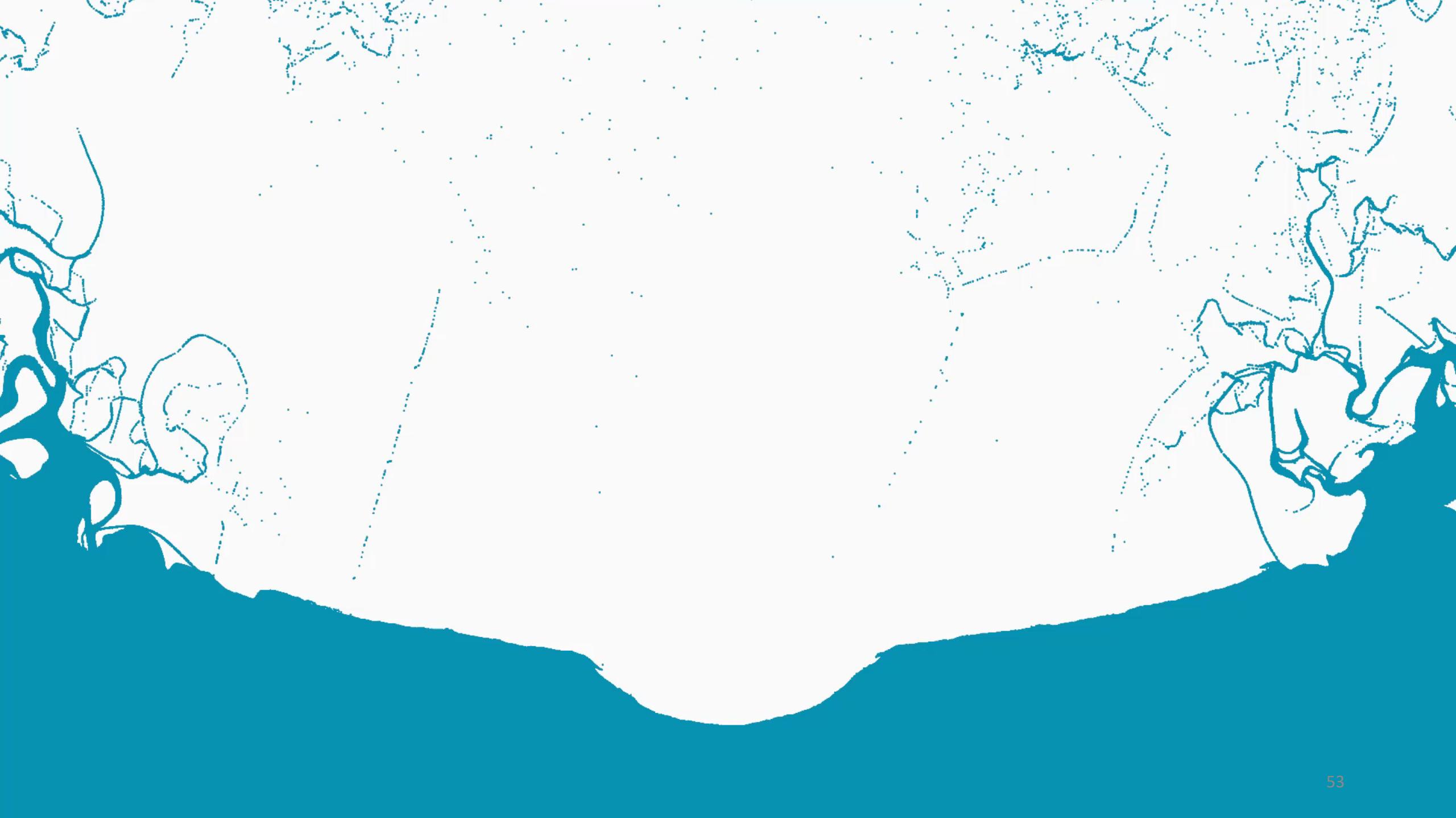
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Taichi Installation

Taichi Installation

- `Python3 -m pip install taichi`
- Support Windows/Mac/Linux
 - For Windows users, you may need to install **Microsoft Visual C++ Redistributable** if you haven't done so.
 - For MacOS users, you may need to update your OS to **10.15(Catalina)+**
 - For Ubuntu 19.04+ users, you may need to install **libtinfo5**
 - You may need to [build from source](#) otherwise... (Not recommended for first-time users)
- Currently, Taichi only supports Python 3.6/3.7/3.8/3.9 (64-bit).

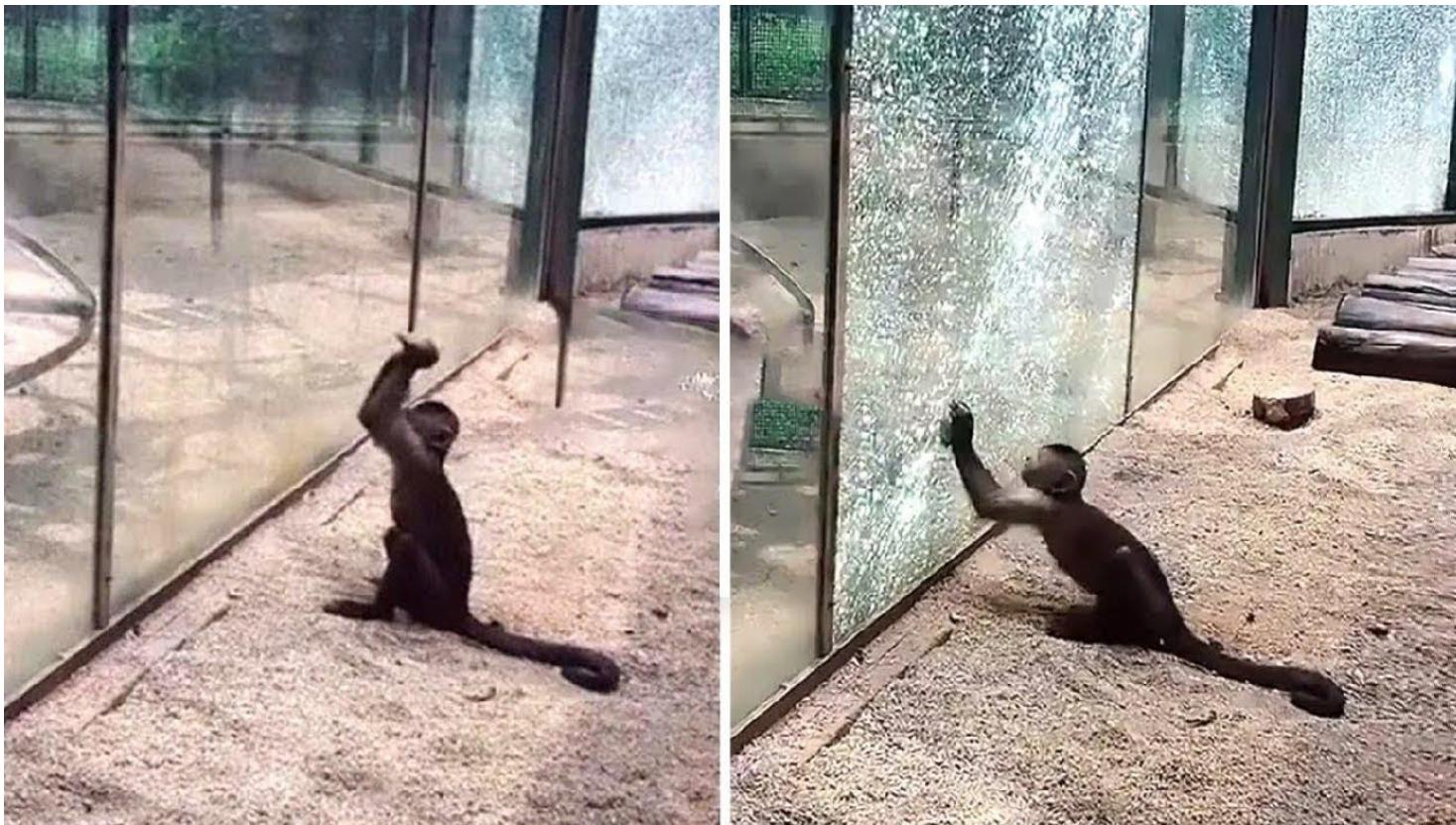
Taichi Zoo

- <https://zoo.taichi.graphics/>



Since Zoo is still in BETA...

- Raise your issues at <https://github.com/taichi-dev/taichi-zoo-issue-tracker>



Taichi Documentation

- <https://docs.taichi.graphics/docs/>

The screenshot shows the Taichi Documentation website at <https://docs.taichi.graphics/docs/>. The page has a header with the Taichi logo and navigation links for Docs, API, Explore, English, develop, and search. The main content area features a sidebar with 'Getting Started' links: Taichi Language Basic Concepts, Advanced Programming, Miscellaneous Topics, Contribution Guide, and Frequently Asked Questions. The main content area has a title 'Getting Started' and a sub-section 'Installation'. It includes a note about Python version support and system requirements for Ubuntu, Arch Linux, and Windows. Below this is a 'Hello, world!' section with code examples and a note about running the code.

Getting Started

- Taichi Language Basic Concepts >
- Advanced Programming >
- Miscellaneous Topics >
- Contribution Guide >
- Frequently Asked Questions

Getting Started

Welcome to the Taichi Language documentation!

Installation

To get started with the Taichi Language, simply install it with `pip`:

```
python3 -m pip install taichi
```

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There are a few of extra requirements depend on which operating system you are using:

[Ubuntu](#) [Arch Linux](#) [Windows](#)

On Ubuntu 19.04+, you need to install `libtinfo5`:

```
sudo apt install libtinfo5
```

Please refer to the [Installation Troubleshooting](#) section if you run into any issues when installing Taichi.

Hello, world!

We introduce the Taichi programming language through a very basic *fractal* example.

Running the Taichi code below using either `python3 fractal.py` or `ti example fractal` (you can find more information about the *Taichi CLI* in the [Command line utilities](#) section) will give you an animation of *Julia set*:

Questions?