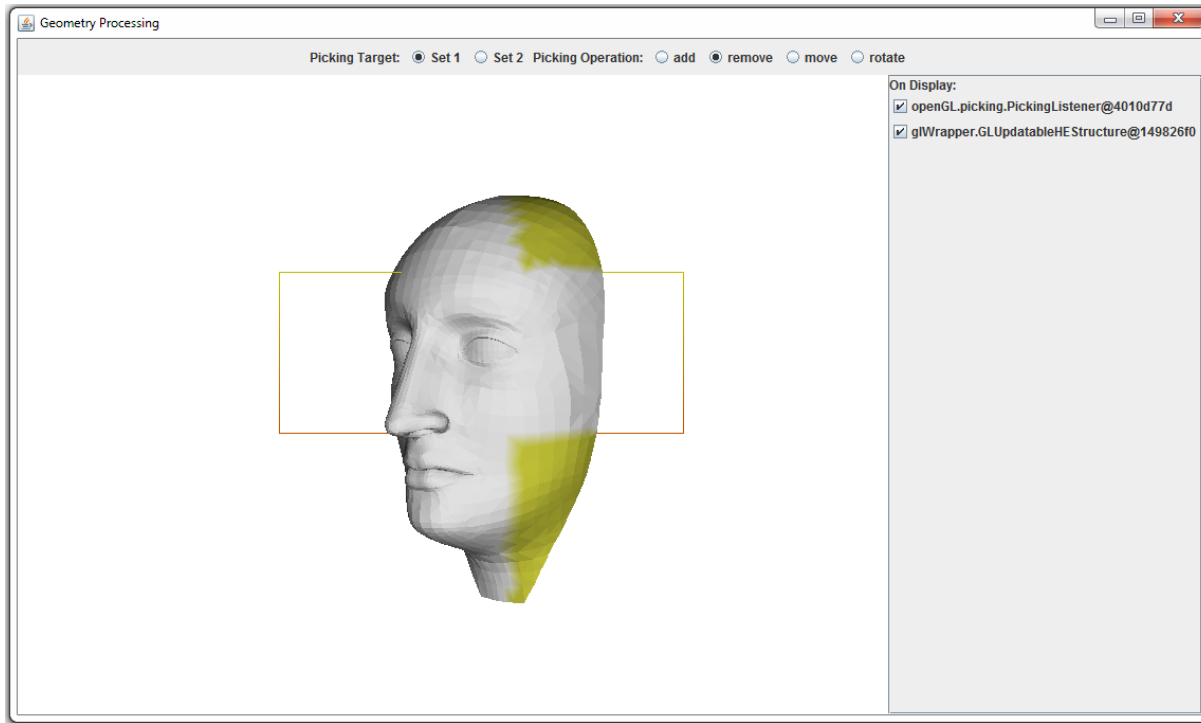


# Assignment 6

RAPS: As Rigid as Possible Surface  
Modeling



# Provided GUI



- Selection of picking mode
- Picking: ctrl + mouse dragging

# Algorithm overview

- Minimizing the Energy

$$E(S', R) = \sum_i \sum_{j \in N_i} w_{ij} ||(p'_i - p'_j) - R_i(p_i - p_j)||^2.$$

Under (user) constraint

$$p' = p_{constr}$$

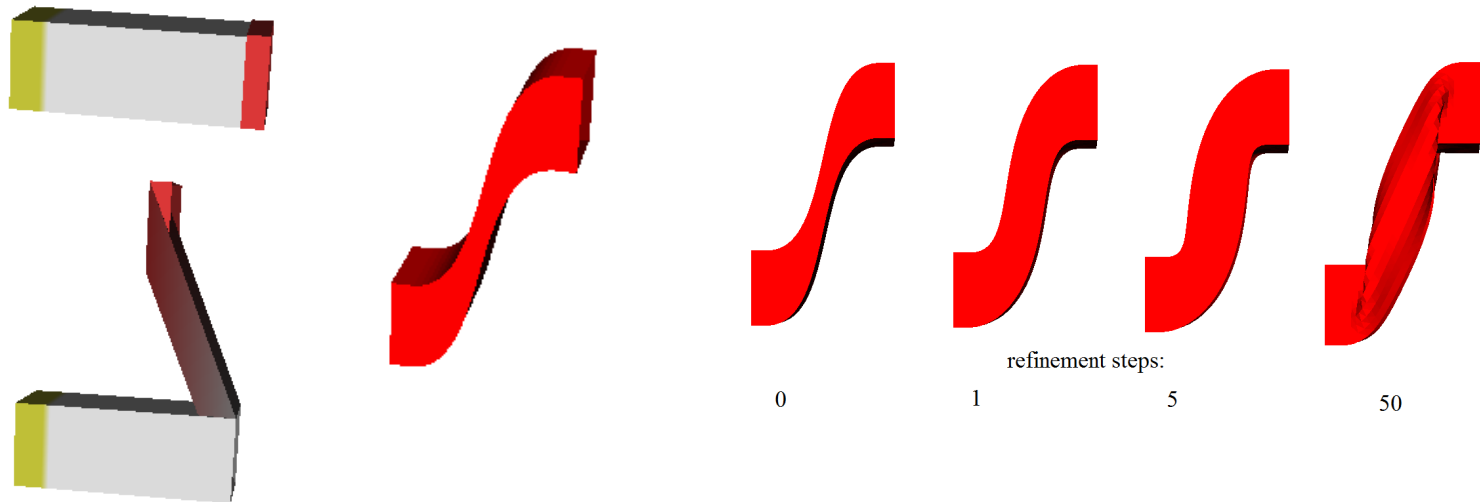
$S'$ : unknown deformed surface, positions  $p'$

$S$ : original surface, positions  $p$

$R_i$ : unknown per 1-neighborhood rotations.

# Algorithm overview

- Given: input mesh + user constraint
- $R_i = \text{id}$ , solve for optimal positions
- Do  $n$  refinement iterations:
  - Optimize Rotations
  - Optimize Positions



# Tasks

- Exercise 1: position optimization for fixed rotations ( $R_i = Id$ )
  - Amounts to solving

$$(L^T L + w^2 I|_{constr}) p' = L^T b + w^2 I|_{constr} p_{constr}$$

L: unnormalized cotan Laplacian, with zero rows on boundary

$W_{ij}$ : cotangent edge weights

W: constraint weight (e.g. = 100)

# Demo

# Tasks

- Exercise 2: rotation optimization, iterative refinement.
- Rotations can be found using a SVD decomposition [http://igl.ethz.ch/projects/ARAP/svd\\_rot.pdf](http://igl.ethz.ch/projects/ARAP/svd_rot.pdf)
  - Described also on the exercise sheet.



# Demo

# Implementation Issues

- Experience is not very interactive....
- Bottle Necks;
  - SVD decomposition
    - Paralelize/ implement on the GPU
  - Solution of linear system
    - Multiresolution approach
    - Cholesky factorization with optimal fill in
      - Can be good to ,invert' small sparse matrices (<5000x5000)
- In Java:
  - Only CPU paralelization simple
  - Did not find Cholesky implementation with fill in reduction

# Cholesky Factorization

- Idea: Linear systems with triangular matrices are easy to solve

Forward substitution

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & a_{n2} & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

algorithm:

$$\begin{aligned} x_1 &:= b_1/a_{11} \\ x_2 &:= (b_2 - a_{21}x_1)/a_{22} \\ x_3 &:= (b_3 - a_{31}x_1 - a_{32}x_2)/a_{33} \\ &\vdots \\ x_n &:= (b_n - a_{n1}x_1 - a_{n2}x_2 - \cdots - a_{n,n-1}x_{n-1})/a_{nn} \end{aligned}$$

Back substitution

$$\begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & \cdots & a_{1,n-1} & a_{1n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & \cdots & a_{n-1,n-1} & a_{n-1,n} \\ 0 & \cdots & 0 & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_{n-1} \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ \vdots \\ b_{n-1} \\ b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

algorithm:

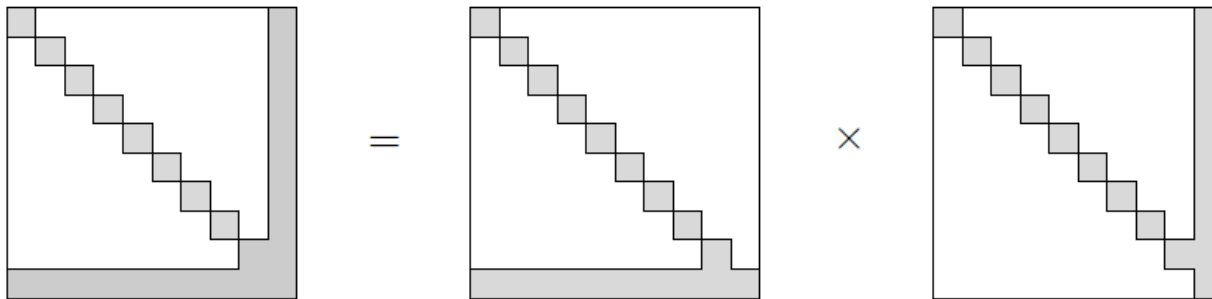
$$\begin{aligned} x_n &:= b_n/a_{nn} \\ x_{n-1} &:= (b_{n-1} - a_{n-1,n}x_n)/a_{n-1,n-1} \\ x_{n-2} &:= (b_{n-2} - a_{n-2,n-1}x_{n-1} - a_{n-2,n}x_n)/a_{n-2,n-2} \\ &\vdots \\ x_1 &:= (b_1 - a_{12}x_2 - a_{13}x_3 - \cdots - a_{1n}x_n)/a_{11} \end{aligned}$$

# Cholesky Factorization

- If a matrix is symmetric and positive definite

$$A = D D^T, \text{ where } D \text{ lower diag matrix}$$

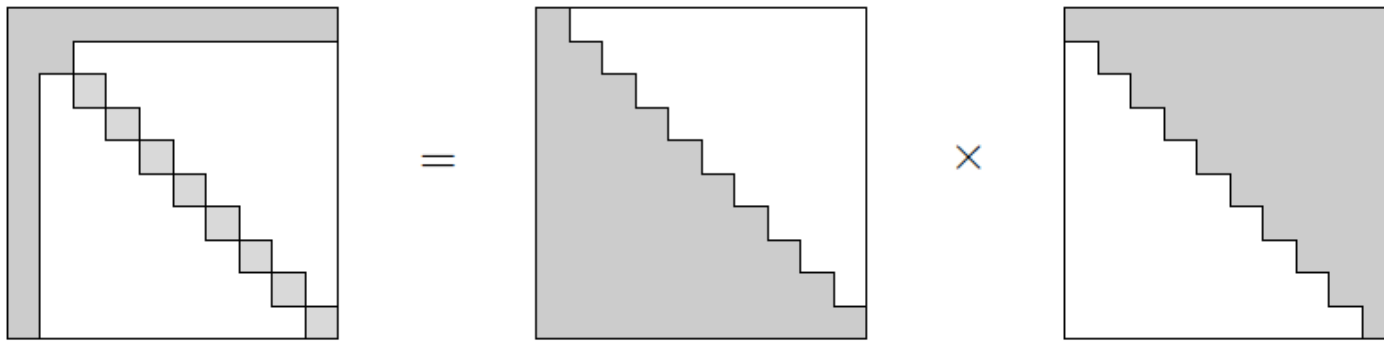
- If  $A$  is sparse,  $D$  tends to be sparse



- Forward & Backward substitution are fast!

# Cholesky Factorization

- But fill in depends on ordering....



- Fill-in reduction = Find an ordering that produces a sparse Cholesky Factorization.
- Optimal ordering: NP hard.

# Cholesky Factorization

- Provided in the class Cholesky.java
  - Without fill-in reduction => Provides only small speed up relative to iterative JMTSolver.
  - Is more reliable than the JMTSolver!
- Standard c++ libs: TAUCS/CHOLMOD

# Questions?



Basecode will be online in a jiffy (-:

# Cholesky Factorization Algorithm

partition matrices in  $A = LL^T$  as

$$\begin{aligned} \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & A_{21}^T \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} &= \begin{bmatrix} l_{11} & 0 \\ L_{21} & L_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} l_{11} & L_{21}^T \\ 0 & L_{22}^T \end{bmatrix} \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} l_{11}^2 & l_{11}L_{21}^T \\ l_{11}L_{21} & L_{21}L_{21}^T + L_{22}L_{22}^T \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

## algorithm

1. determine  $l_{11}$  and  $L_{21}$ :

$$l_{11} = \sqrt{a_{11}}, \quad L_{21} = \frac{1}{l_{11}}A_{21}$$

2. compute  $L_{22}$  from

$$A_{22} - L_{21}L_{21}^T = L_{22}L_{22}^T$$

this is a Cholesky factorization of order  $n - 1$