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GAMES 301: 第2讲

面向离散网格的参数化 概述与传统方法介绍

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Introduction

Mesh-based mappings

Discrete meshes

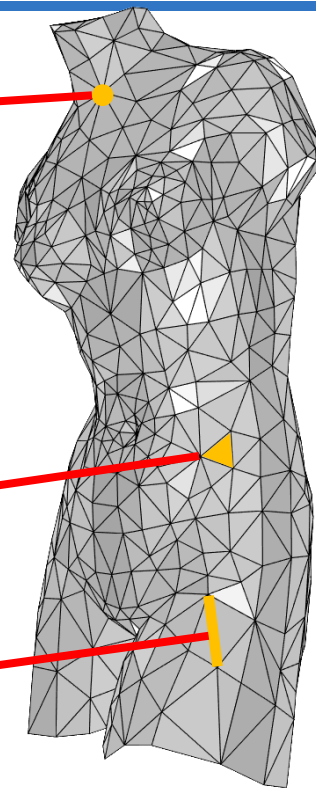
- Geometry
 - Vertex position
- Topology
 - Vertex
 - Edge
 - Facet
 - Element

$$\mathbf{v}_i = \begin{pmatrix} x_i \\ y_i \\ z_i \end{pmatrix} \in \mathcal{R}^3$$

$$V = \{\mathbf{v}_1, \dots, \mathbf{v}_{N_v}\}$$

$$\mathbf{f}_i: \mathbf{v}_{i,1}, \mathbf{v}_{i,2}, \mathbf{v}_{i,3}$$

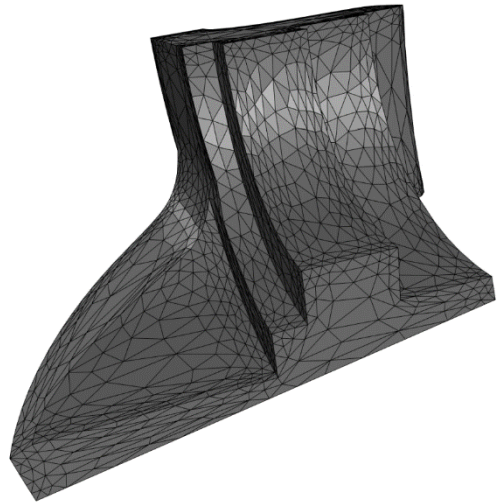
$$\mathbf{e}_j: \mathbf{v}_{j,1}, \mathbf{v}_{j,2}$$



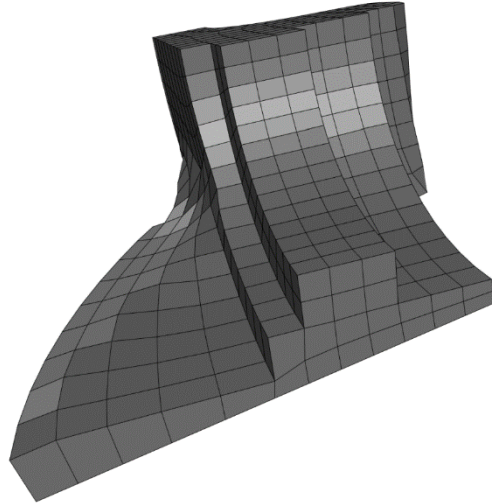
Triangle mesh



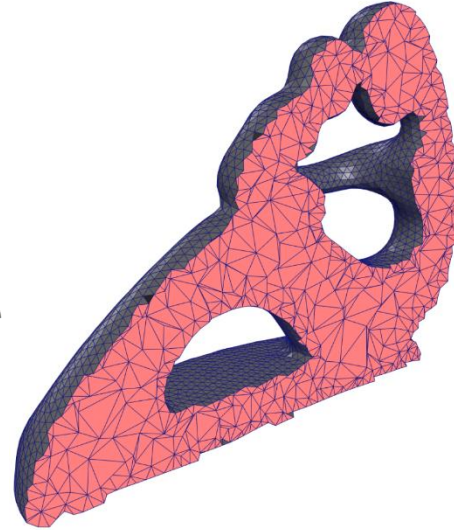
Discrete meshes



Triangle



Quad



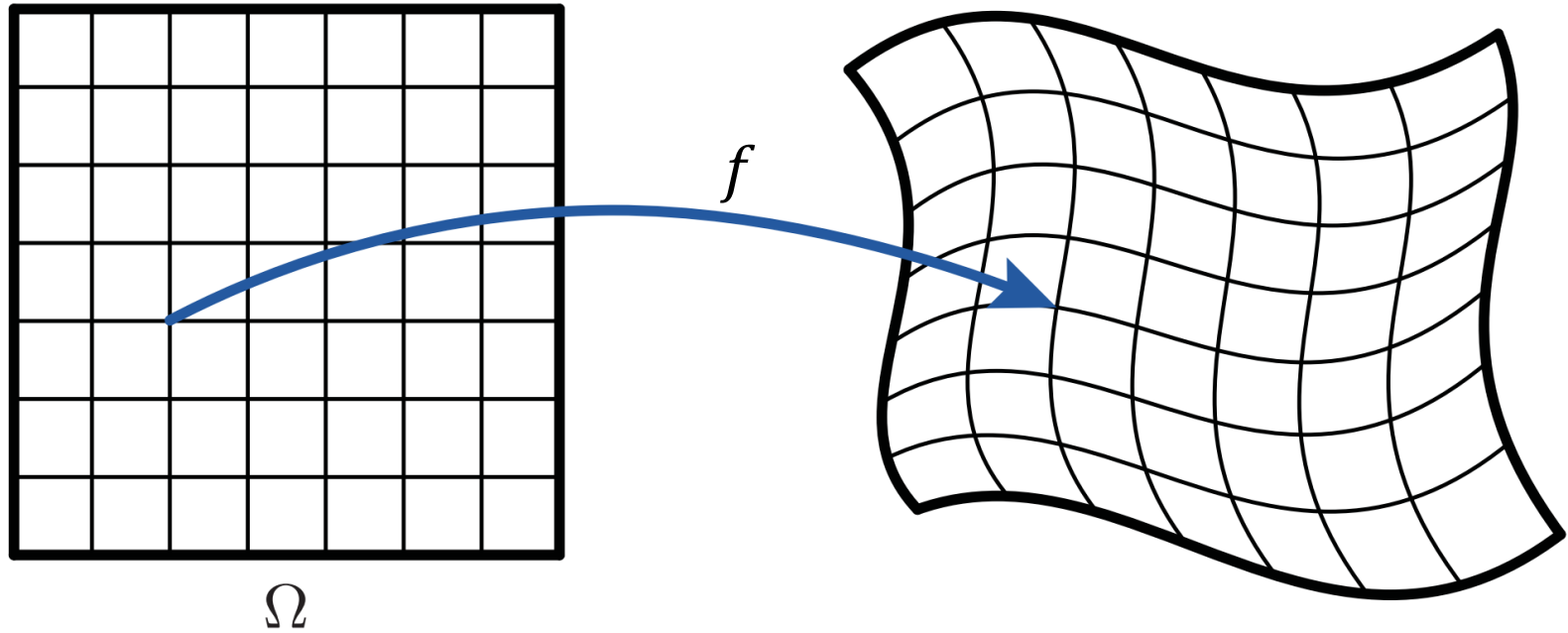
Tet



Hex

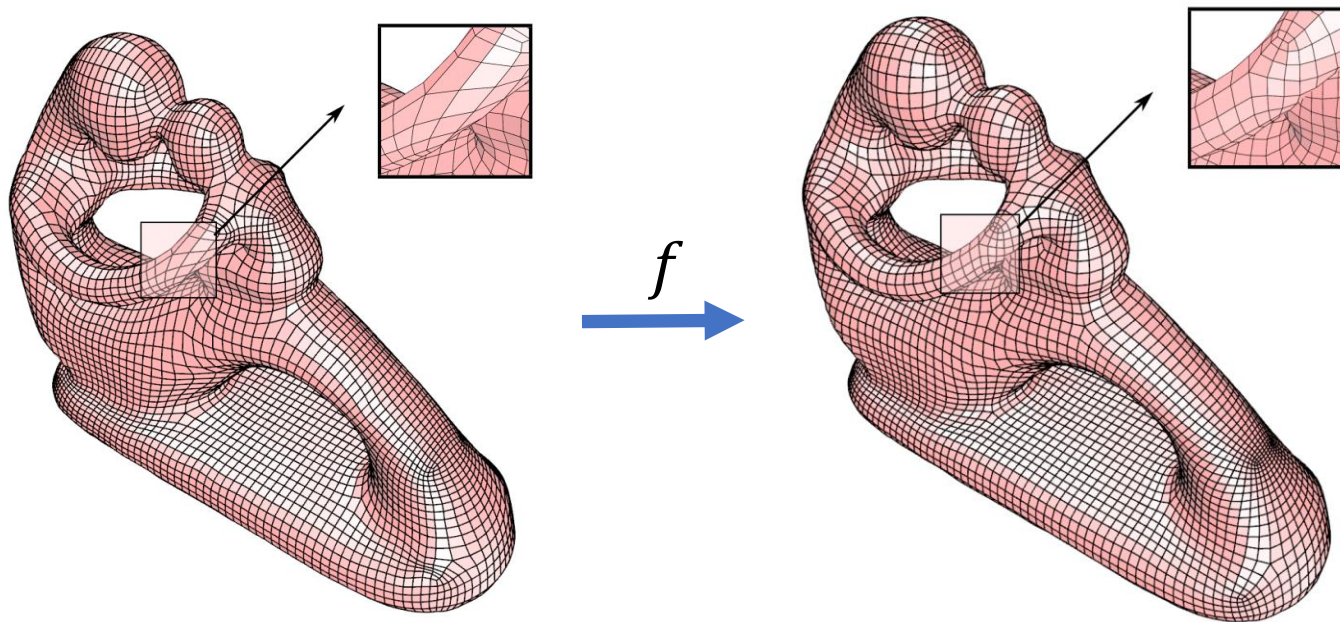


Mappings

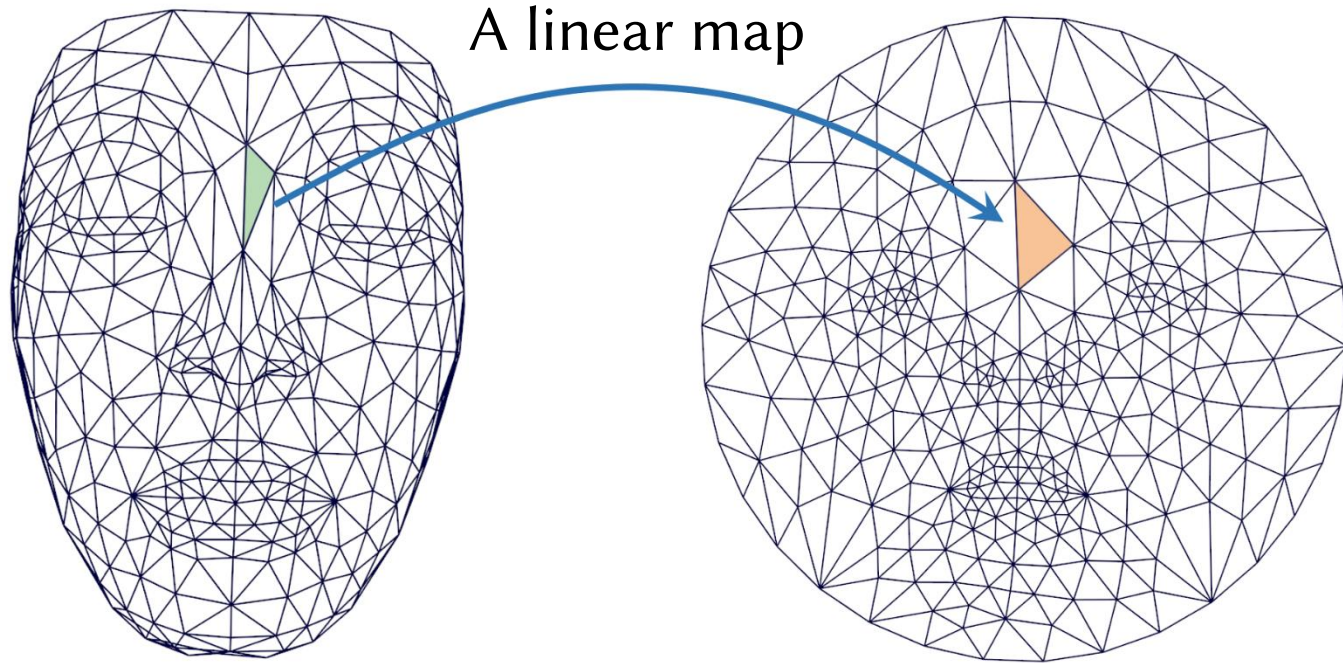


Variables

- Geometry
 - Vertex positions

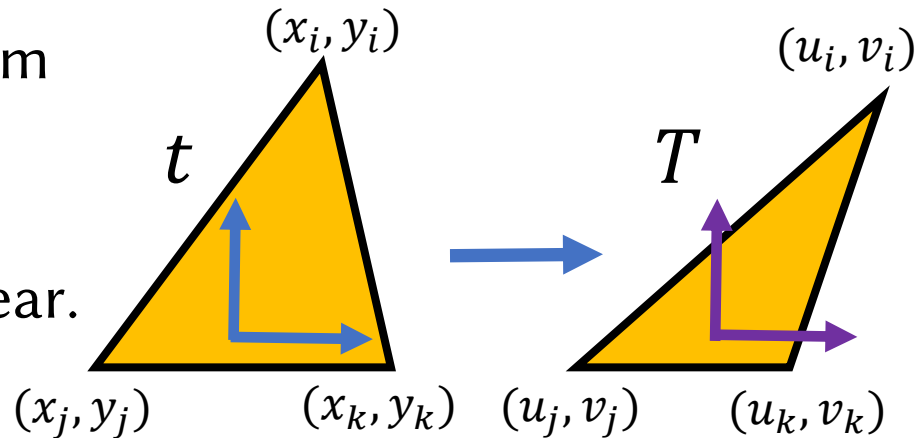


Piecewise mappings



Jacobian matrix

- Build a local coordinate system on input triangle t .
- The mapping is piecewise linear.
- J_t is 2×2 .



$$\begin{pmatrix} u_j - u_i & u_k - u_i \\ v_j - v_i & v_k - v_i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_j - x_i & x_k - x_i \\ y_j - y_i & y_k - y_i \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

$$f_t(\mathbf{x}) = J_t \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}_t$$

$$J_t = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$



Jacobian matrix

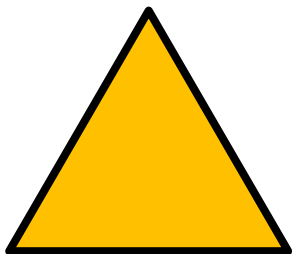
- Input tet: $(x_i, y_i, z_i), (x_j, y_j, z_j), (x_k, y_k, z_k), (x_l, y_l, z_l)$
- Output tet: $(u_i, v_i, w_i), (u_j, v_j, w_j), (u_k, v_k, w_k), (u_l, v_l, w_l)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} u_j - u_i & u_k - u_i & u_l - u_i \\ v_j - v_i & v_k - v_i & v_l - v_i \\ w_j - w_i & w_k - w_i & w_l - w_i \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x_j - x_i & x_k - x_i & x_l - x_i \\ y_j - y_i & y_k - y_i & y_l - y_i \\ z_j - z_i & z_k - z_i & z_l - z_i \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

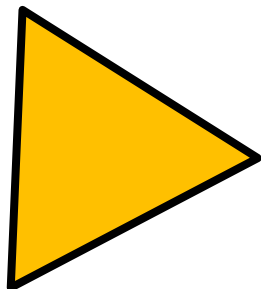


Distortion types

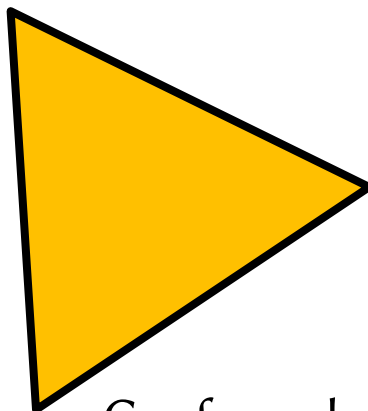
- Isometric mapping: rotation + translation
- Conformal mapping: similarity + translation
- Area-preserving mapping: area-preserving + translation
- Conformal + Area-preserving \Leftrightarrow Isometric



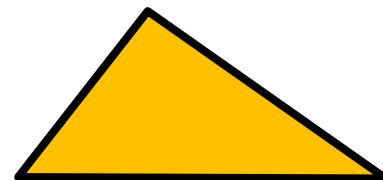
Source



Isometric



Conformal



Area-preserving



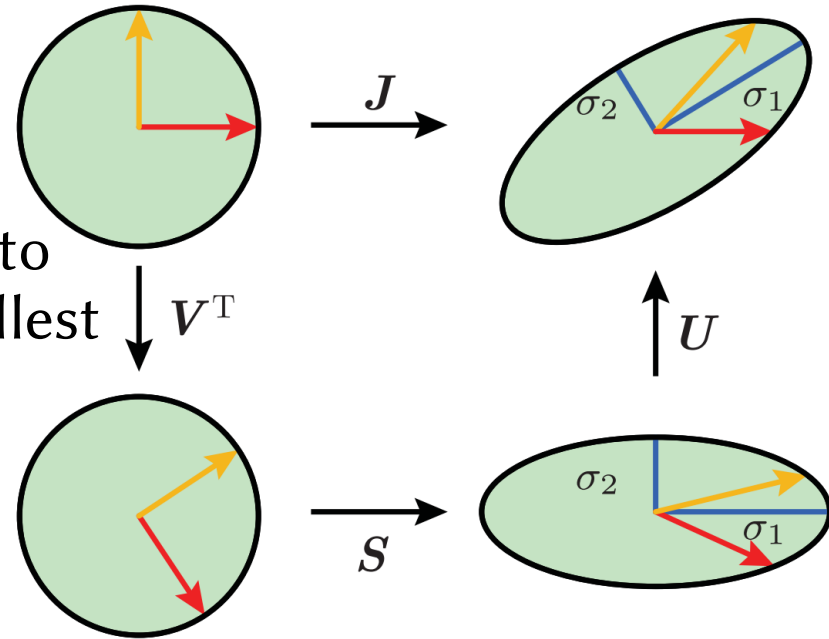
Signed singular value decomposition

- Signed singular value decomposition (SSVD):

$$J_t = U_t S_t V_t^T$$

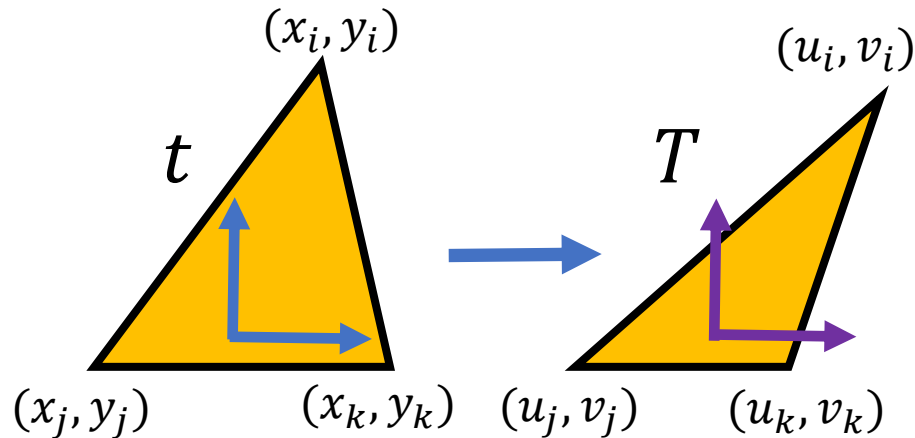
If $\det J_t > 0$, SSVD is SVD.

If $\det J_t \leq 0$, modifying U_t and V_t to be rotations matrices and the smallest singular value becomes negative.



Singular values

- Isometric mapping
 - $J_t \Rightarrow$ rotation matrix
 - $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = 1$
- Conformal mapping
 - $J_t \Rightarrow$ similar matrix
 - $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2$
- Area-preserving mapping
 - $\det J_t = 1$
 - $\sigma_1 \sigma_2 = 1$



$$f_t(\mathbf{x}) = J_t \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}_t$$

σ_1, σ_2 are the two singular values of J_t .



Common distortion metrics

- Conformal distortion
 - LSCM: $\sum_t \text{Area}(t)(\sigma_1 - \sigma_2)^2$
 - MIPS: $\sum_t \frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} + \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1}$
- Isometric distortion
 - ARAP: $\sum_t \text{Area}(t)((\sigma_1 - 1)^2 + (\sigma_2 - 1)^2)$
 - AMIPS: $\sum_t \left(\left(\frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} + \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1} \right) + \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_2 \sigma_1} + \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \right) \right)$
 - Symmetric Dirichlet: $\sum_t \text{Area}(t)(\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_1^{-2} + \sigma_2^2 + \sigma_2^{-2})$
- Area-preserving distortion:
 - $\sum_t \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_2 \sigma_1} + \sigma_2 \sigma_1 \right)$



Constraints – Flip-free

- Motivations

- No realistic material can be compressed to zero or even negative volume.
- Flipped elements correspond to physically impossible deformation.
- Inverted elements lead to invalidity for following applications, for example, remeshing.

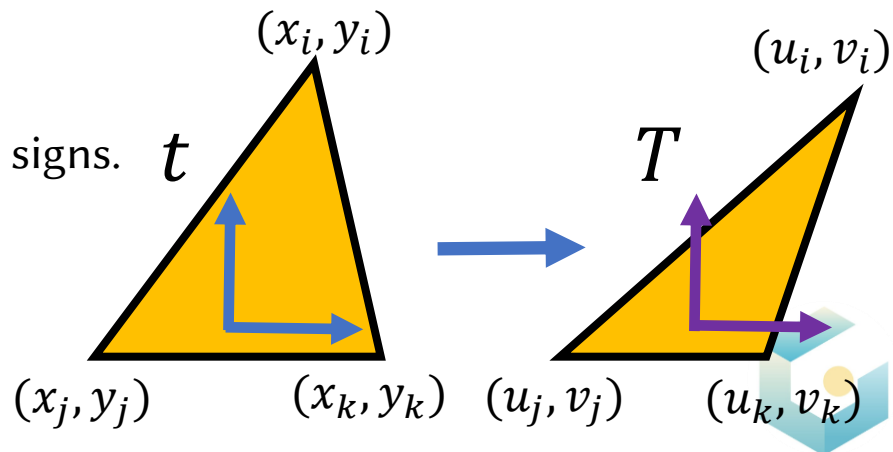
- Formulation

- Requirement:

- $\text{Area}(T)$ and $\text{Area}(t)$ have the same signs.

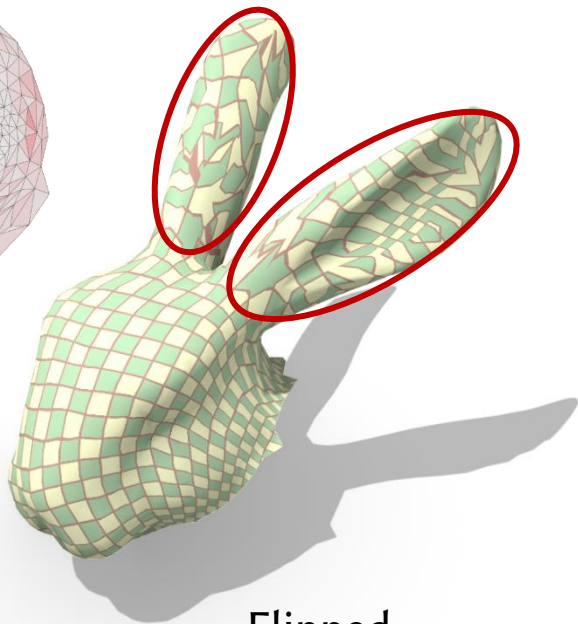
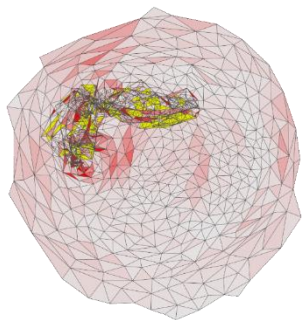
- $\det J_t > 0$

- $\det J_t = \text{Area}(T)/\text{Area}(t)$

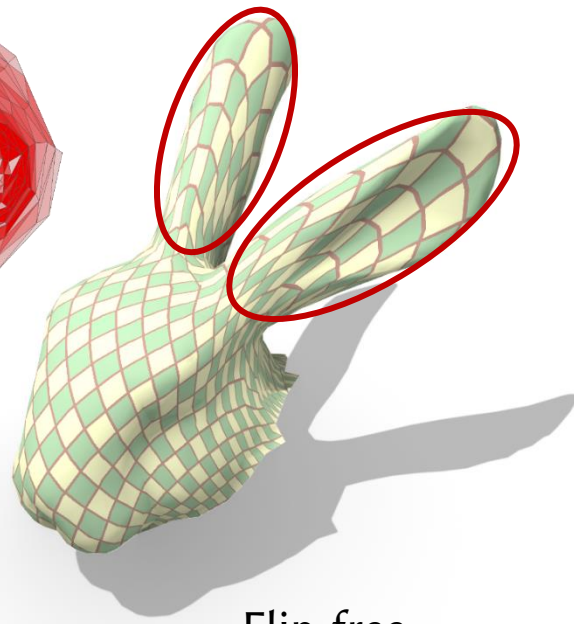
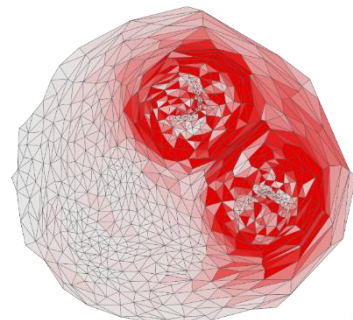


$$f_t(\mathbf{x}) = J_t \mathbf{x} + \mathbf{b}_t$$

Constraints – Flip-free



Flipped

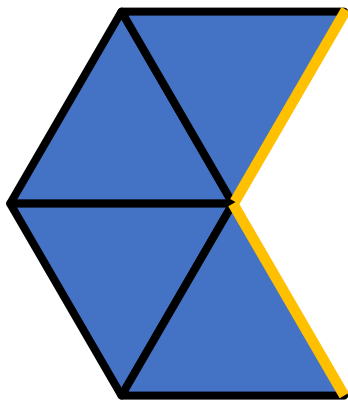


Flip-free

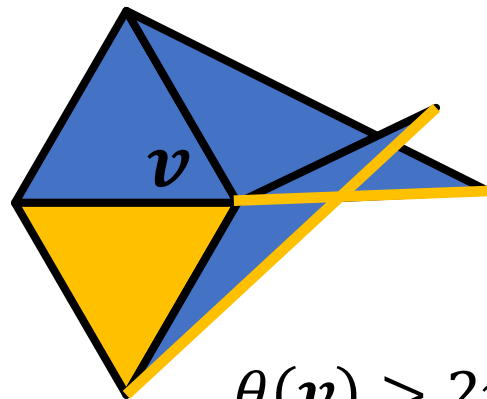


Constraints – Locally injective

- Flip-free condition.
- For boundary vertex, the mapping is locally bijective $\rightarrow \theta(v) < 2\pi$.



$$\theta(v) < 2\pi$$

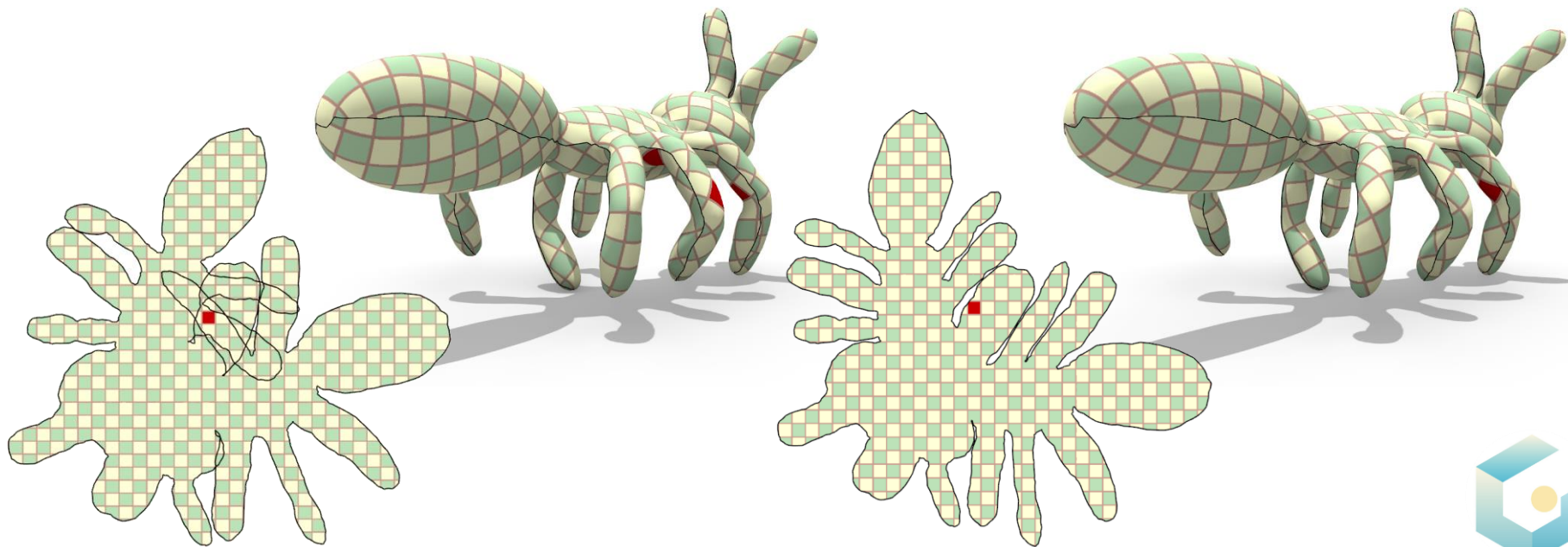


$$\theta(v) > 2\pi$$



Constraints – globally injective

- The mapped mesh does not self-intersect.
- Flip-free condition.



Intersected

Intersection-free



Formulation

- Constrained optimization problem
- Objectives: distortion + specific metrics
 - Close to a reference mesh
 - Close to the ideal geometric measurements
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- Constraints: basic requirements + specific constraints
 - Positional constraints
 - Boundary-aligned constraints
 - Seamless conditions
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Challenges

- Non-convex and nonlinear
- Constraints
 - Flip-free, $\det J_t > 0$
 - Assume $J_t = \begin{pmatrix} a & b \\ c & d \end{pmatrix}$, where a, b, c, d are linear functions of positions.
 - $\det J_t > 0 \rightarrow ad - bc > 0$, non-convex
- Objectives
 - MIPS: $\frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_2} + \frac{\sigma_2}{\sigma_1} = \frac{\sigma_1^2 + \sigma_2^2}{\sigma_1 \sigma_2} = \frac{\|J_t\|_F^2}{\det J_t}$
 - $\|J_t\|_F^2$ and $\det J_t$: quadratic polynomials.
 - MIPS: rational polynomial.

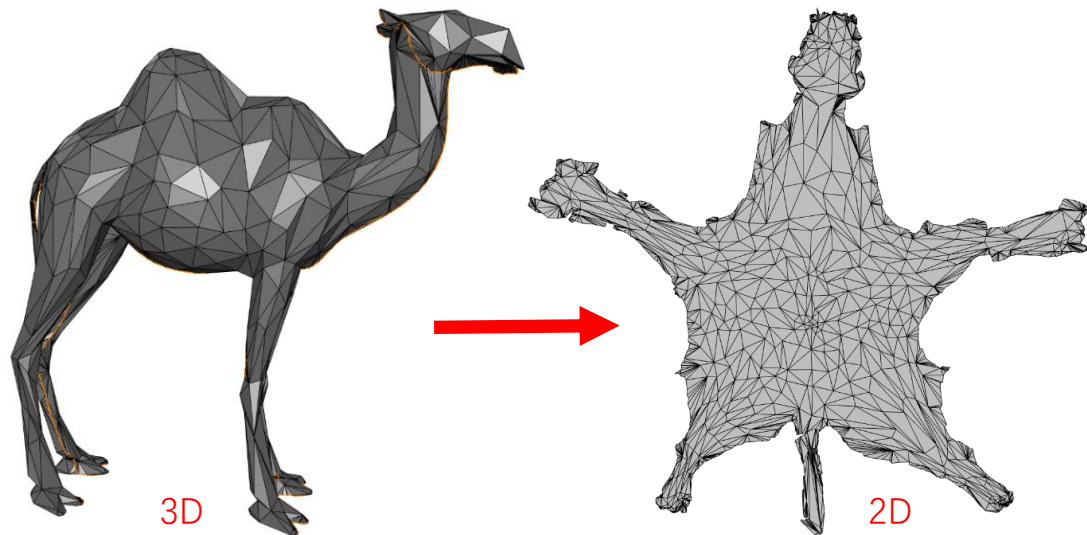


Introduction

Mesh parameterizations

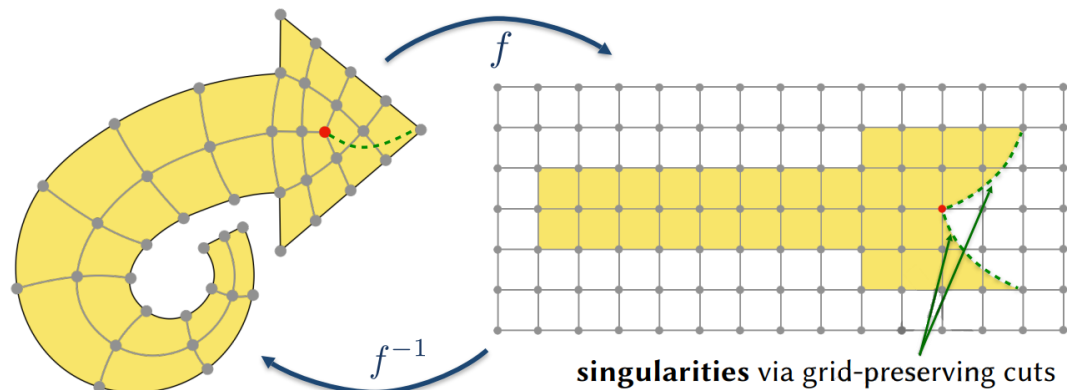
Definition

- A function that puts input surface in **one-to-one** correspondence with a 2D domain.
- Parameterization of a triangulated surface
 - all (u_i, v_i) coordinates associated with each vertex $\mathbf{v}_i = (x_i, y_i, z_i)^T$



Applications

- Texture mapping
- Surface correspondence
- Remshing
- Attribute transfer
- Material design
- Computational art design
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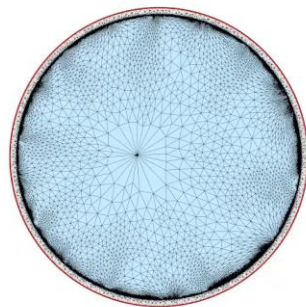


Formulation

- Objective: low distortion
- Constraints: globally injective

Heptoroid surface

0.25×playback
#V:15k, #F:26k



Tutte's embedding

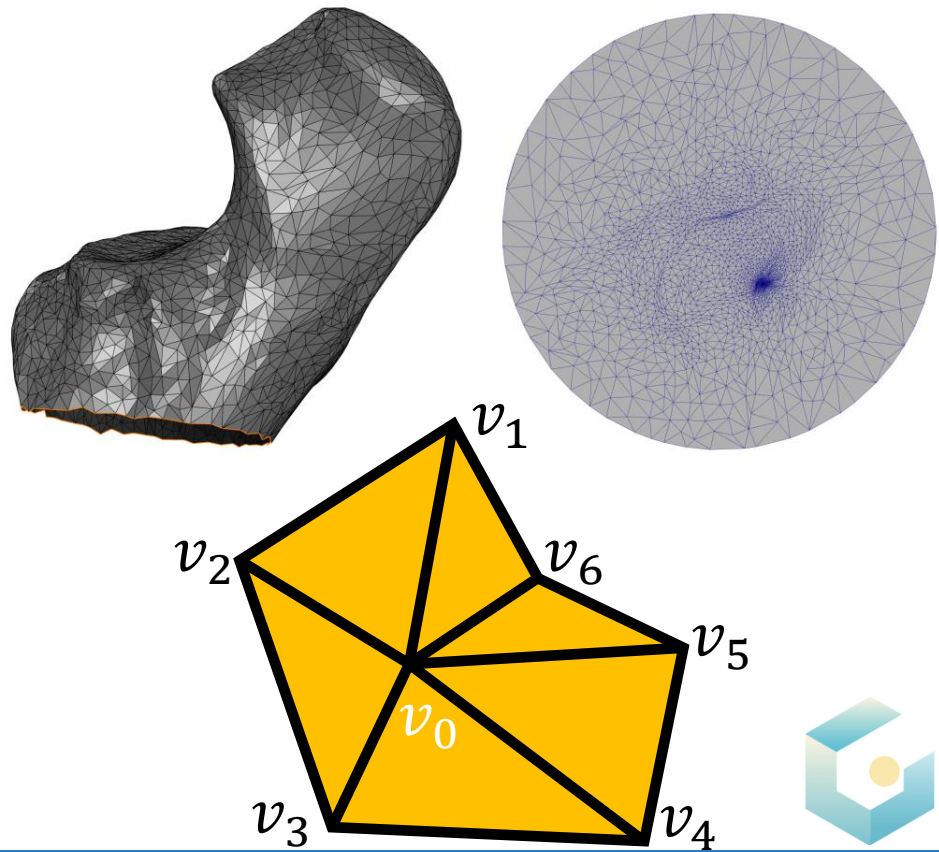
- 2D mappings on disk-topology meshes

Given a triangulated surface **homeomorphic to a disk**, if the (u, v) coordinates at the boundary vertices lie on **a convex polygon** in order, and if the coordinates of the internal vertices are **a convex combination** of their neighbors, then the (u, v) coordinates form a valid parameterization (**without self-intersections, globally injective**).



Tutte's embedding

- Homeomorphic to a disk.
- A convex polygon
 - circle, square,.....
- A convex combination
 - $\sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i v_i = v_0, \sum_{i=1}^k \lambda_i = 1$
 - Uniform Laplacian, mean value coordinate
- Solver: linear equation.



Representative methods

Only considering low distortion

Angle-based flattening (ABF)

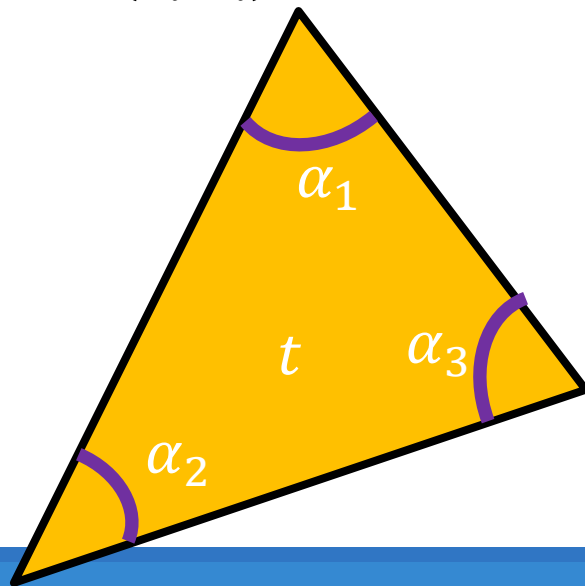
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Zayer R, Lévy B, Seidel H P. Linear angle based parameterization[C]//Fifth Eurographics Symposium on Geometry Processing-SGP 2007. Eurographics Association, 2007: 135-141.

Angle-Based Flattening (ABF)

- Key observation: the parameterized triangles are uniquely defined by all the angles at the corners of the triangles.
 - Find angles instead of (u_i, v_i) coordinates.
 - Use angles to reconstruct (u_i, v_i) coordinates.



Objective

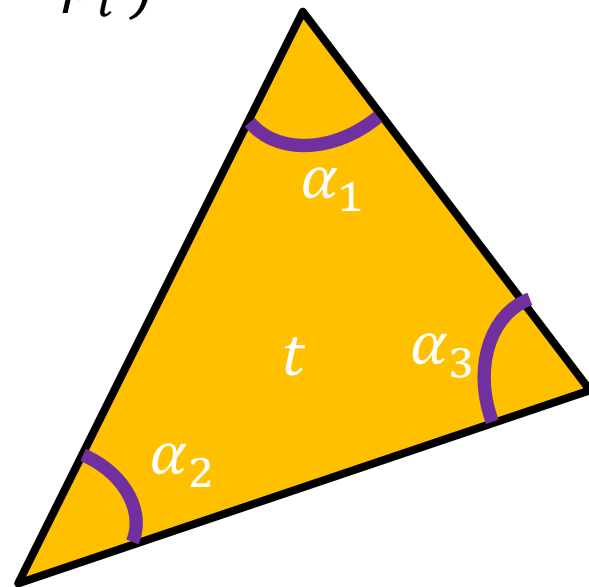
- Optimization goal:

$$E_{ABF} = \sum_t \sum_{i=1}^3 \omega_i^t (\alpha_i^t - \beta_i^t)^2$$

β_i^t : Optimal angles for α_i^t .

$$\beta_i^t = \begin{cases} \frac{\tilde{\beta}_i^t \cdot 2\pi}{\sum_i \tilde{\beta}_i^t}, & \text{Interior vertex} \\ \tilde{\beta}_i^t, & \text{Boundary vertex} \end{cases}$$

$$\omega_i^t = (\beta_i^t)^{-2}.$$



Constraints

- Positive resulting angles:

$$\alpha_i^t > 0$$

- The three triangle angles have to sum to π :

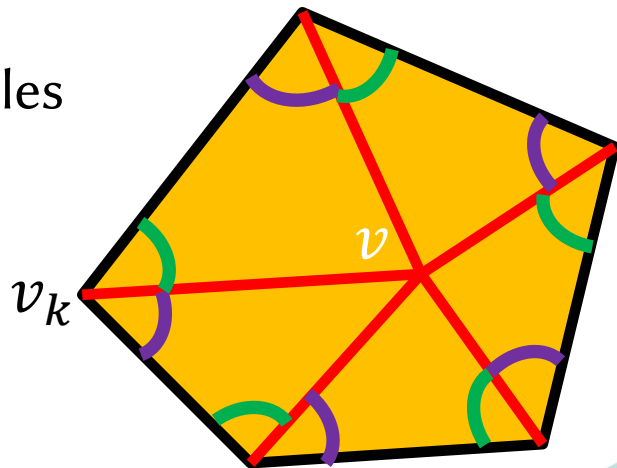
$$\alpha_1^t + \alpha_2^t + \alpha_3^t = \pi$$

- For each internal vertex, the incident angles have to sum to 2π :

$$\sum_{t \in \Omega(v)} \alpha_k^t = 2\pi$$

- Reconstruction constraints:

$$\prod_{t \in \Omega(v)} \sin \alpha_{k \oplus 1}^t = \prod_{t \in \Omega(v)} \sin \alpha_{k \ominus 1}^t$$



Linear ABF

- Reconstruction constraints are nonlinear and hard to solve.
- Initial estimation + estimation error

- $\alpha_i^t = \gamma_i^t + e_i^t$

$$\log\left(\prod_{t \in \Omega(v)} \sin \alpha_{k \oplus 1}^t\right) = \log\left(\prod_{t \in \Omega(v)} \sin \alpha_{k \ominus 1}^t\right)$$
$$\sum_{t \in \Omega(v)} \log(\sin \alpha_{k \oplus 1}^t) = \sum_{t \in \Omega(v)} \log(\sin \alpha_{k \ominus 1}^t)$$

- Taylor expansion:

$$\begin{aligned} \log(\sin \alpha_{k \oplus 1}^t) &= \log(\sin \gamma_{k \oplus 1}^t + e_{k \oplus 1}^t) \\ &= \log(\sin \gamma_{k \oplus 1}^t) + e_{k \oplus 1}^t \cot \gamma_{k \oplus 1}^t + \dots \end{aligned}$$

It is linear with estimation error.



Solver

- Set $\gamma_i^t = \beta_i^t$
- Problem:

$$\min_e E_{ABF} = \sum_t \sum_{i=1}^3 \omega_i^t (e_i^t)^2$$

subject to $Ae = b$

$$\Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} D & A^T \\ A & 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} e \\ \lambda \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ b \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow e = D^{-1}A^T(AD^{-1}A^T)^{-1}b$$



Reconstruct parameterization

- Greedy method.
 - Construct the triangles one by one using a depth-first traversal.
 - **Key:** for each triangle, given the position of two vertices and the angles, the position of the third vertex can be uniquely derived.
- Least squares method.
 - An angle-based least squares formulation
 - Solving a set of linear equations relating angles to coordinates.



Greedy method

- Choose a mesh edge $e^1 = (v_a^1, v_b^1)$.
- Project v_a^1 to $(0,0,0)$ and v_b^1 to $(\|e^1\|, 0,0)$.
- Push e^1 on the stack S .
- While S not empty, pop an edge $e = (v_a, v_b)$. For each face $f_i = (v_a, v_b, v_c)$ containing e :
 - If f_i is marked as **set**, continue.
 - If v_c is not projected, compute its position based on v_a, v_b and the face angles of f_i .
 - Mark f_i as **set**, push edge (v_b, v_c) and (v_a, v_c) on the stack.
- **Accumulate numerical error.**

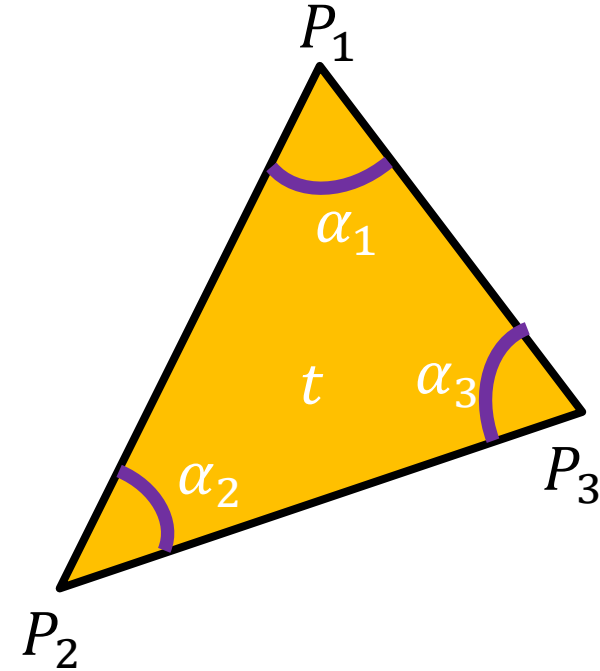


Least squares method

- The ratio of triangle edge lengths $\|\overrightarrow{P_1P_3}\|$ and $\|\overrightarrow{P_1P_2}\|$ is

$$\frac{\|\overrightarrow{P_1P_3}\|}{\|\overrightarrow{P_1P_2}\|} = \frac{\sin \alpha_2}{\sin \alpha_3}$$

$$\Rightarrow \overrightarrow{P_1P_3} = \frac{\sin \alpha_2}{\sin \alpha_3} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha_1 & -\sin \alpha_1 \\ \sin \alpha_1 & \cos \alpha_1 \end{pmatrix} \overrightarrow{P_1P_2}$$

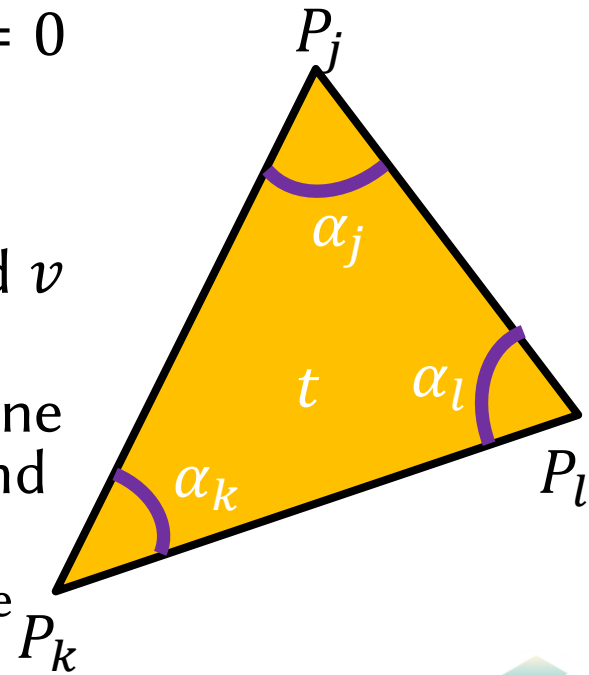


Least squares method

$$\forall t = (j, k, l), \quad M^t (P_k - P_j) + P_j - P_l = 0$$

$$M^t = \frac{\sin \alpha_k}{\sin \alpha_l} \begin{pmatrix} \cos \alpha_j & -\sin \alpha_j \\ \sin \alpha_j & \cos \alpha_j \end{pmatrix}$$

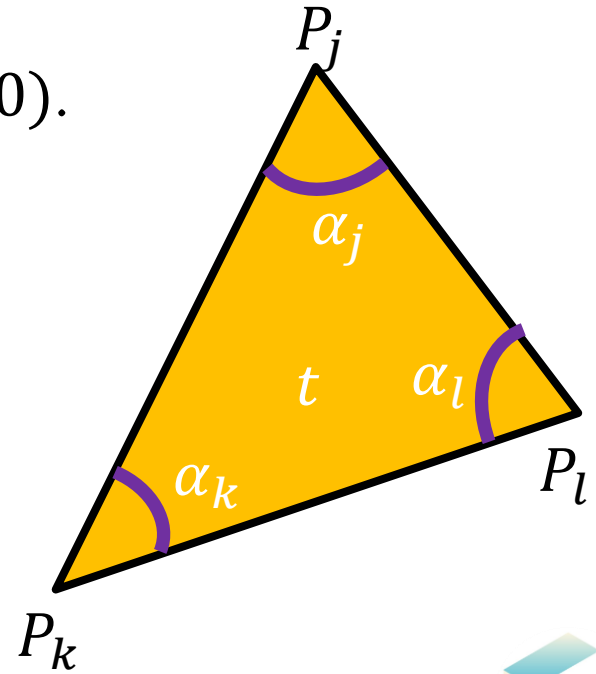
1. Two equations per triangle for the u and v coordinates of the vertices.
2. The angles of a planar triangulation define it uniquely up to **rigid transformation** and **global scaling**.
 - Introduce four constraints which eliminate these degrees of freedom.
 - Fix two vertices sharing a common edge.

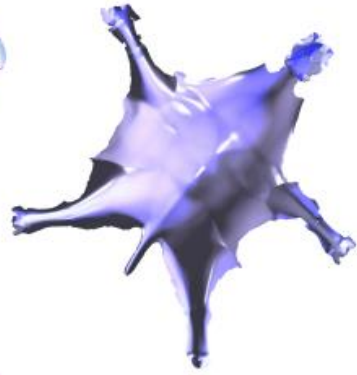


Least squares method

- Choose one edge $e^1 = (v_a^1, v_b^1)$.
- Project v_a^1 to $(0,0,0)$ and v_b^1 to $(\|e^1\|, 0,0)$.
- Solve following energy to compute positions of other vertices:

$$E = \sum_t \left\| M^t (P_k - P_j) + P_j - P_l \right\|^2$$





Least-Square conformal mapping (LSCM)

Lévy B, Petitjean S, Ray N, et al. Least squares conformal maps for automatic texture atlas generation[J]. ACM transactions on graphics (TOG), 2002, 21(3): 362-371.

Similar transforms

- 2D case: for one triangle t

$$\bullet J_t = \begin{pmatrix} a & -b \\ b & a \end{pmatrix} = s \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\bullet \Rightarrow \begin{cases} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} = -\frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \end{cases}$$

- Cauchy-Riemann Equations.

$$J_t = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial u}{\partial y} \\ \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \end{pmatrix}$$



LSCM (As-similar-as-possible)

- Energy

- $E_{LSCM} = \sum_t A_t \left(\left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial x} - \frac{\partial v}{\partial y} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial v}{\partial x} \right)^2 \right)$

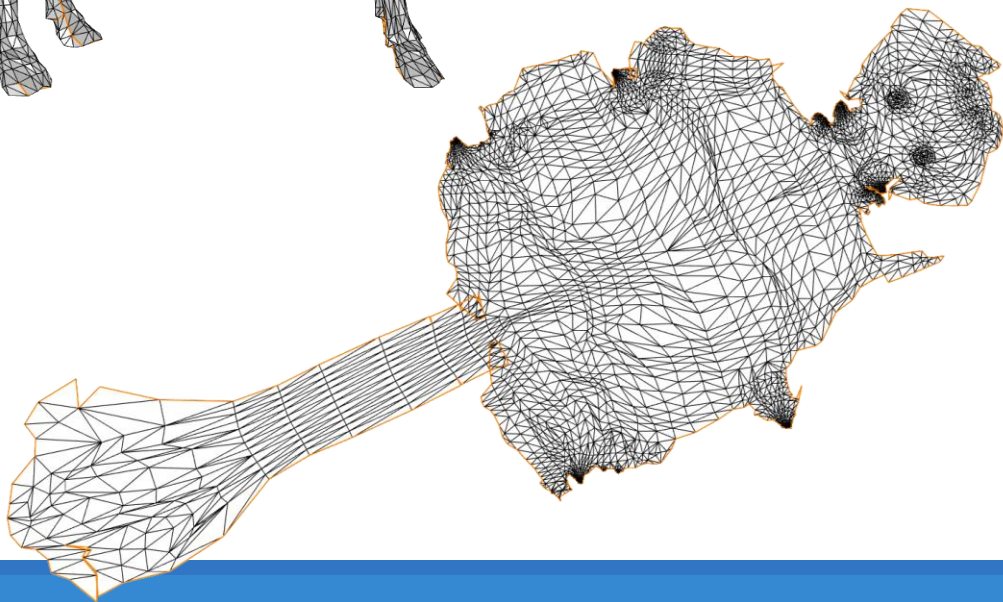
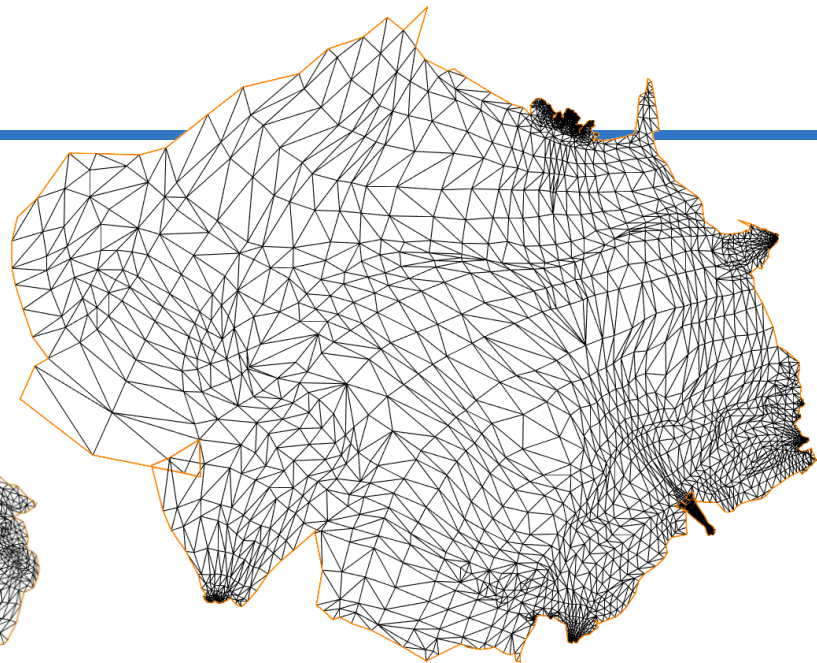
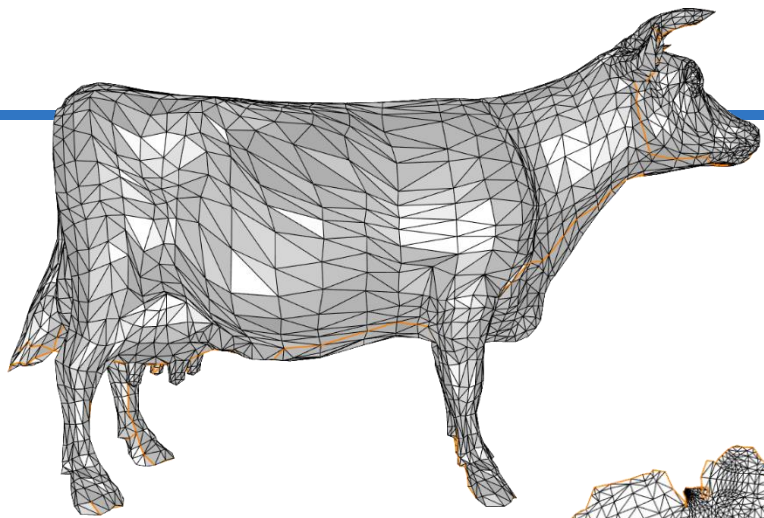
- Measuring non-conformality

- It is invariant with respect to arbitrary translations and rotations.

- E_{LSCM} does not have a unique minimizer.

- Fixing at least two vertices. Significantly affect the results.





As-rigid-as-possible (ARAP)

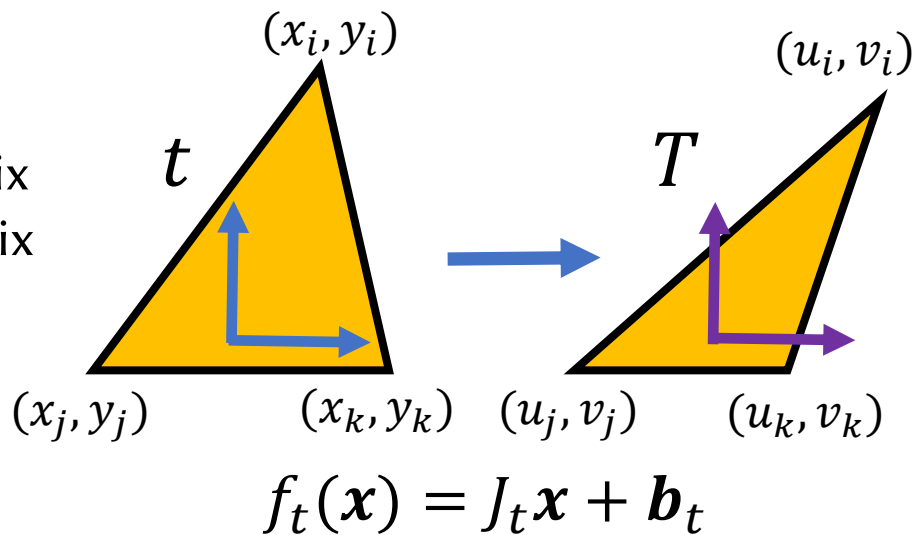
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Formulation

$$E(u, L) = \sum_t A_t \|J_t - L_t\|_F^2$$

L_t : target transformation

- Isometric mapping: rotation matrix
- Conformal mapping: similar matrix
- Variables:
 - 2D parameterization coordinate
 - Target transformations



Local-global solver

- Alternatively optimization
 - Local step:
 - Fix 2D parameterization coordinates, optimize target transformations.
 - Global step:
 - Fix target transformations, optimize 2D parameterization coordinates.
- **Global step:**
 - $E(u, L) = \sum_t A_t \|J_t - L_t\|_F^2$, quadratic energy
 - Linear system



Local step: Procrustes analysis

- Approximating one 2×2 matrix J_t as best we can by another 2×2 matrix L_t .
- $d(J_t, L_t) = \|J_t - L_t\|_F^2 = \text{trace}((J_t - L_t)^T (J_t - L_t))$
- Minimizing $d(J_t, L_t)$ through Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)
 - $J_t = U\Sigma V^T$, $\Sigma = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2 \end{pmatrix}$
 - Signed SVD: U and V are rotation matrices, σ_2 may be negative
 - Best rotation: UV^T
 - Best similar matrix: $U \begin{pmatrix} s & 0 \\ 0 & s \end{pmatrix} V^T$, $s = \frac{\sigma_1 + \sigma_2}{2}$



Local/Global Approach summary

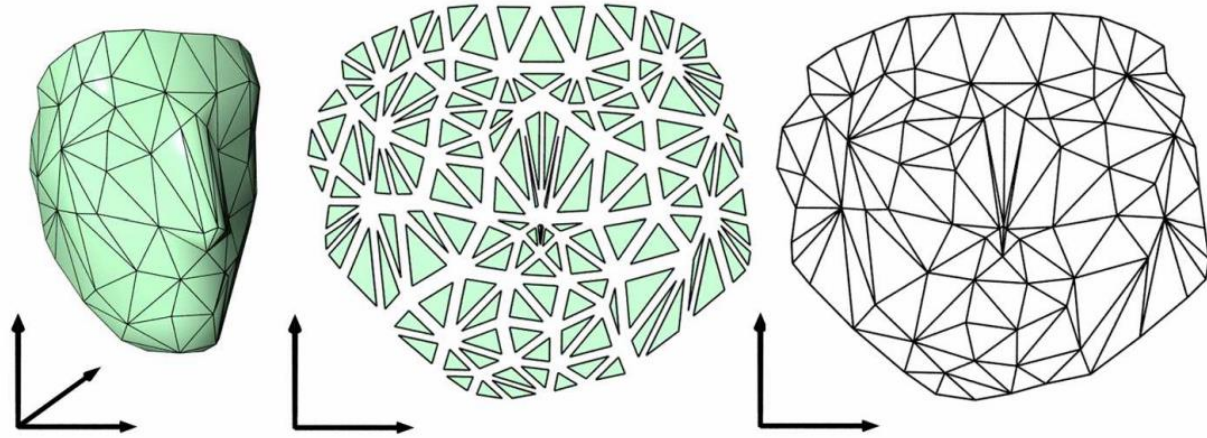


Figure 2: *Parameterizing a mesh by aligning locally flattened triangles. (Left) Original 3D mesh; (middle) flattened triangles; (right) 2D parameterization.*



Connection to singular values

- $E(u, L) = \sum_t A_t \|J_t - L_t\|_F^2$ and σ_t^1, σ_t^2 are the two singular values of J_t .

- Conformal

$$E(u) = \sum_t A_t (\sigma_t^1 - \sigma_t^2)^2$$

- Isometric

$$E(u) = \sum_t A_t \left((\sigma_t^1 - 1)^2 + (\sigma_t^2 - 1)^2 \right)$$





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