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# 参数化应用1 - Atlas生成

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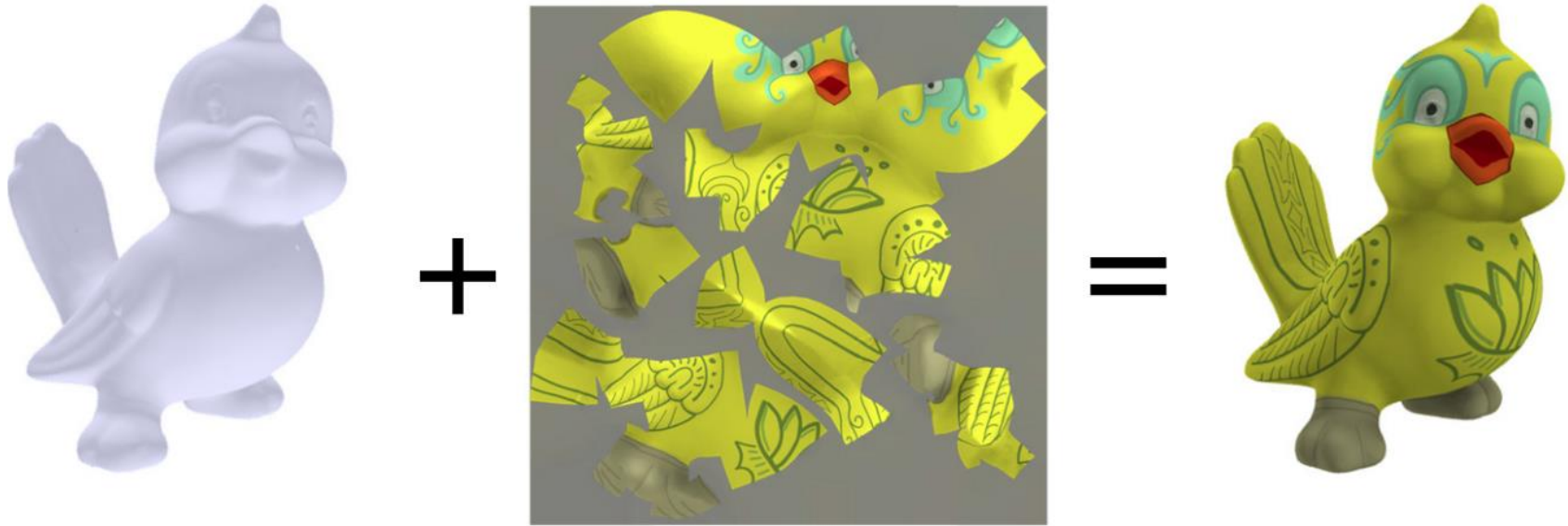
# Atlas generation

for scanned meshes

# Texture Mapping



- Texture mapping is a method for defining high frequency detail, surface texture, or color information on a computer-generated graphic or 3D model.





# Atlas



- Requires defining a **mapping** from the model space to the texture space.



# Generation process



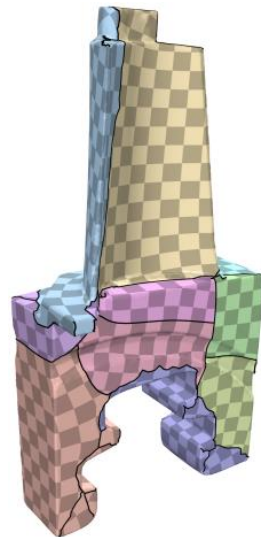
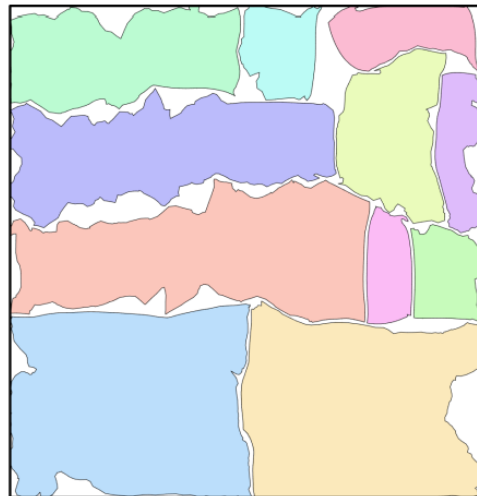
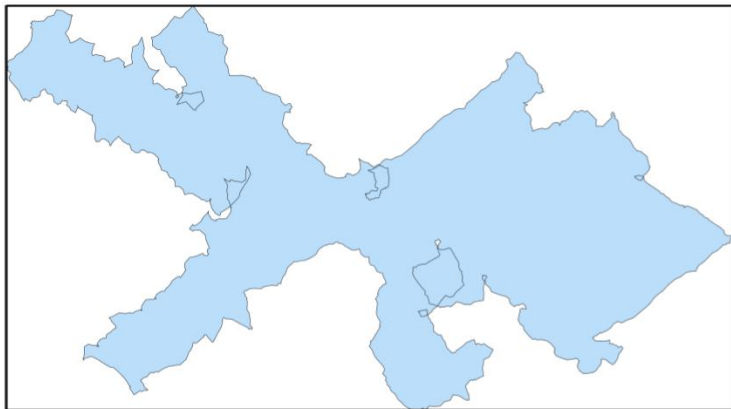
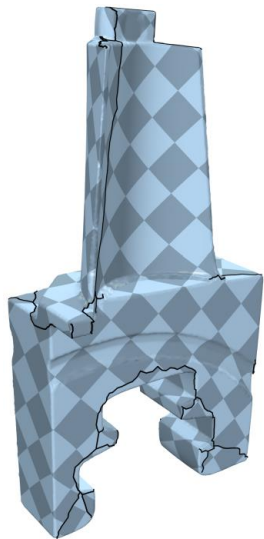
Mesh cutting



Parameterizations



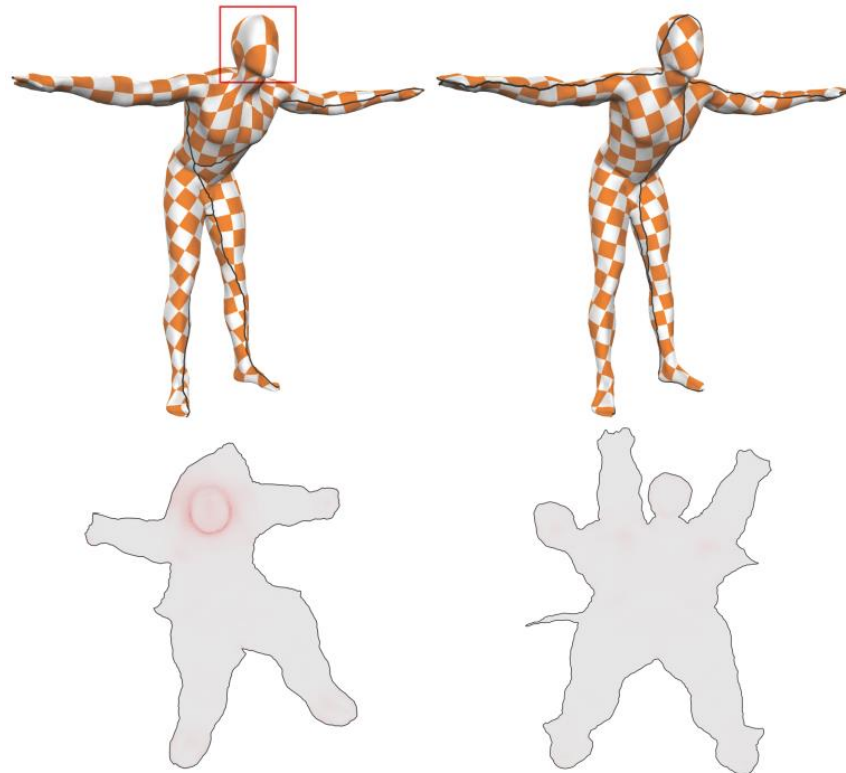
Packing



# Mesh Cutting



- Low distortion
- As short as possible length



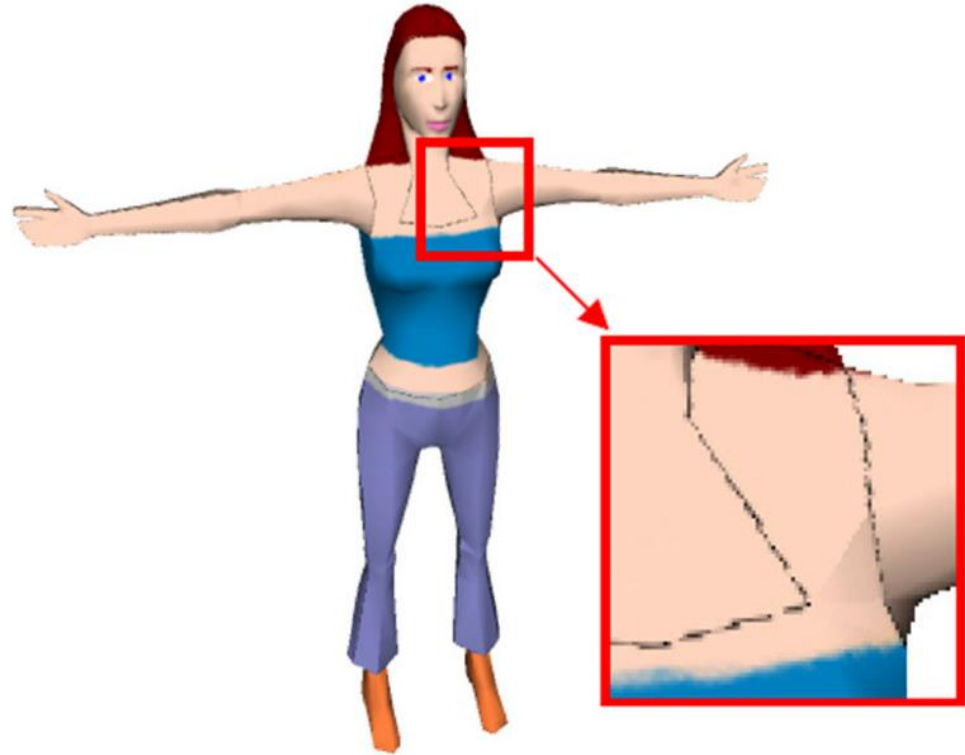
(a) (4.07/1.28/0.37)

(b) (4.78/1.13/0.12)

# Seams introduce filtering artifacts



High-resolution texture

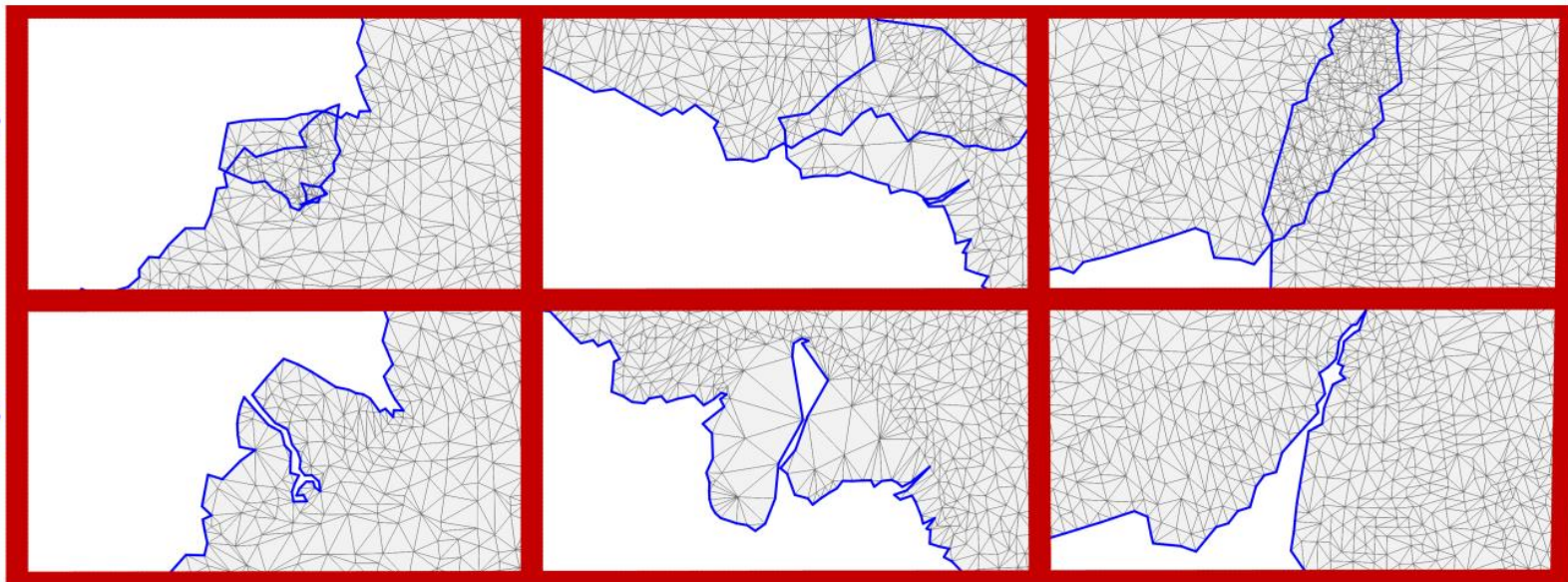
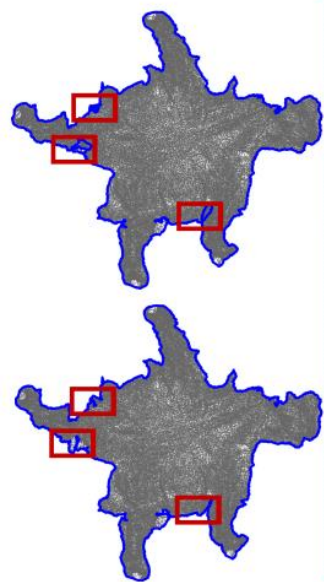




# Parameterizations



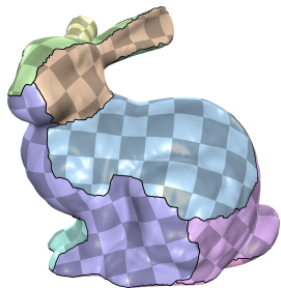
- Bijective
- Low isometric distortion



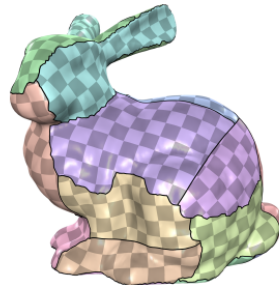
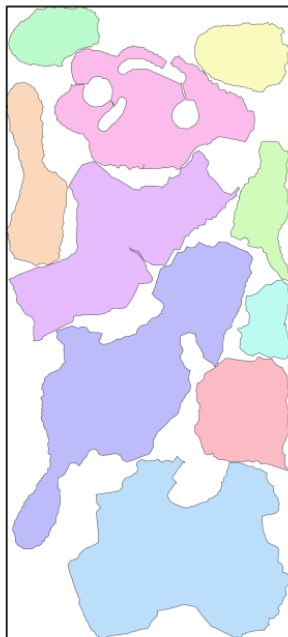
# Packing



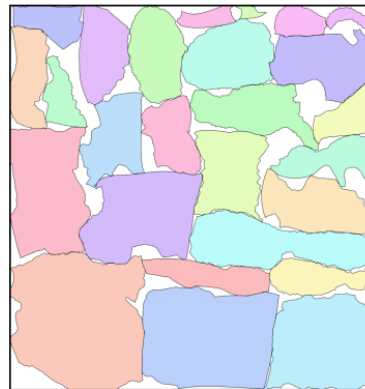
- High packing efficiency



PE = 66.0%  
BL = 16.30  
CN = 10



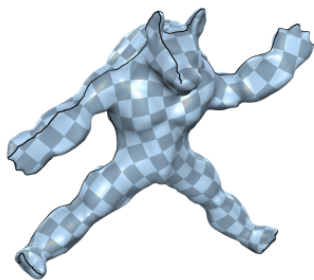
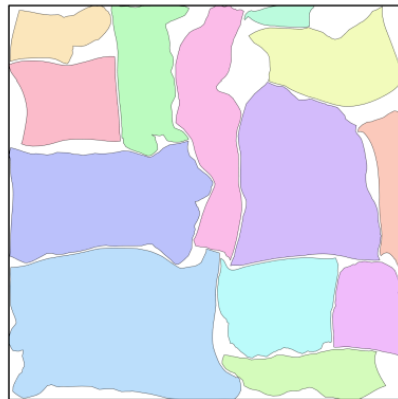
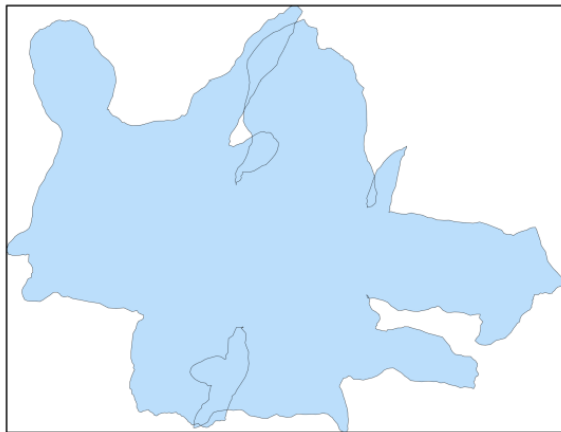
PE = 85.8%  
BL = 21.24  
CN = 26



# Packing



- High packing efficiency



BL = 6.34  
 $E_d = 1.040$

**Input**



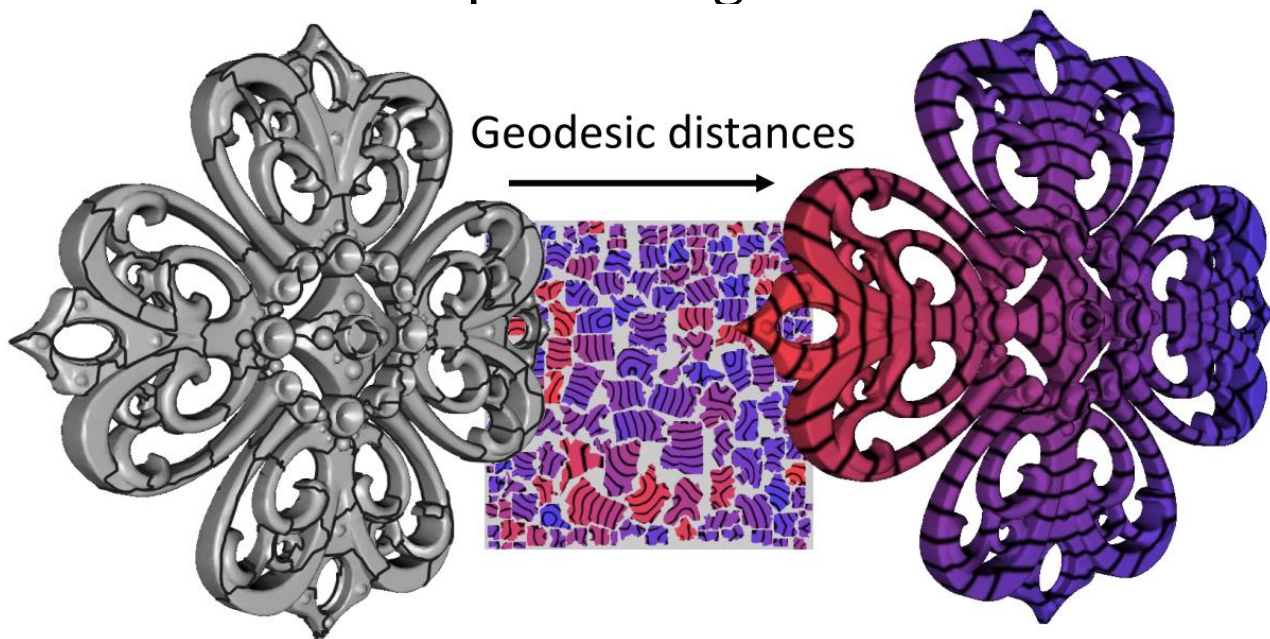
PE = 85.0%  
BL = 11.45  
CN = 13  
 $E_d = 1.030$

**Result**

# Applications



- Signal storage
- Geometric processing

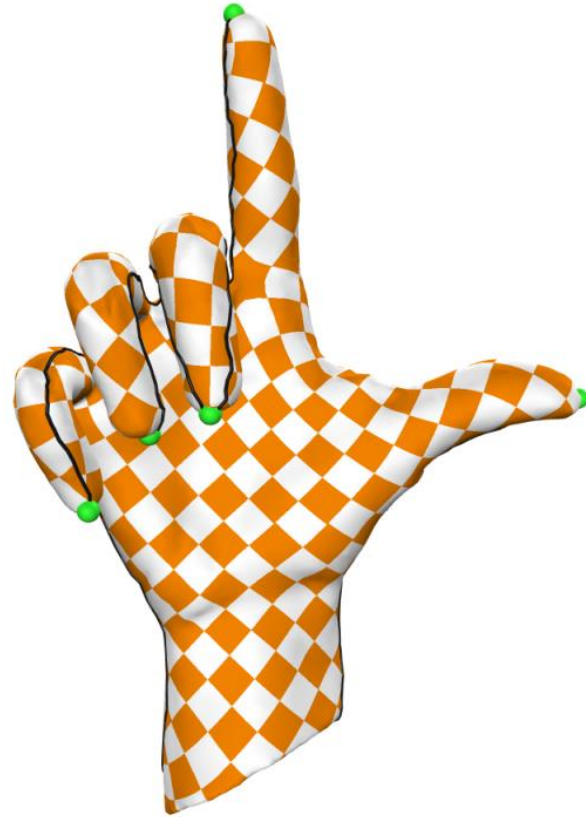
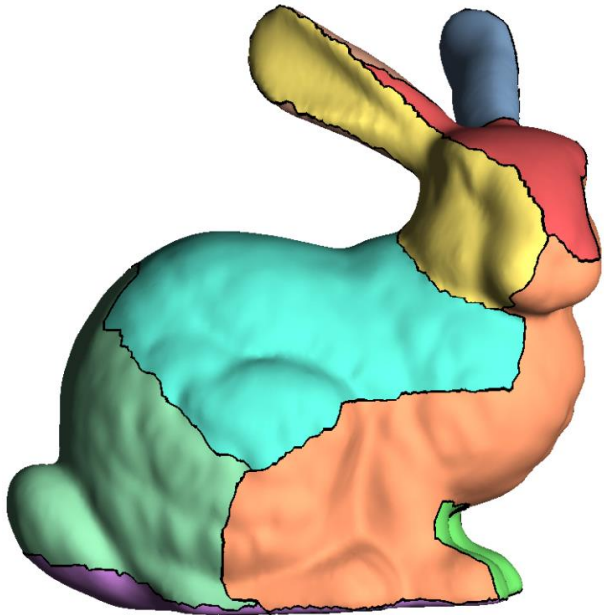


**Gradient-Domain Processing  
within a Texture Atlas**

# Mesh cutting



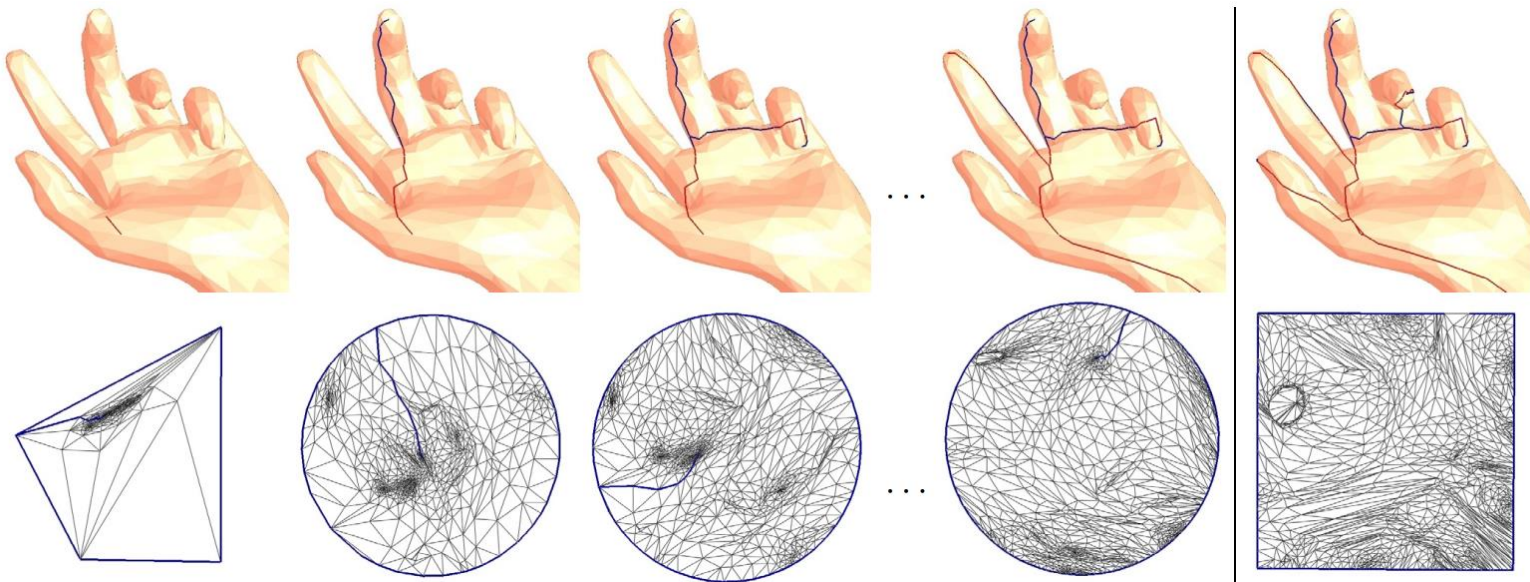
- Points  $\rightarrow$  Paths
- Segmentation



# Distortion points



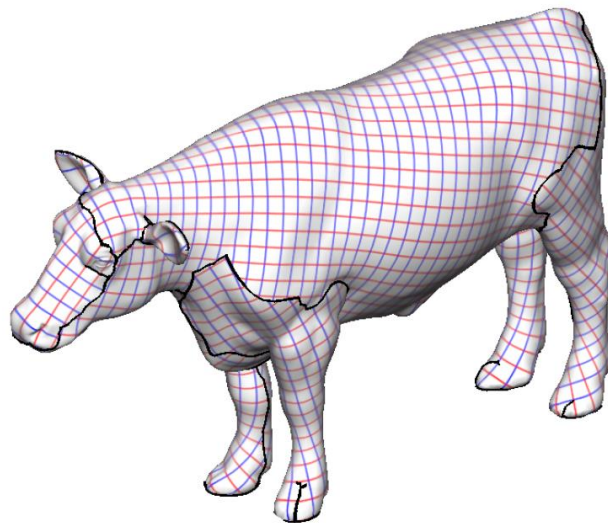
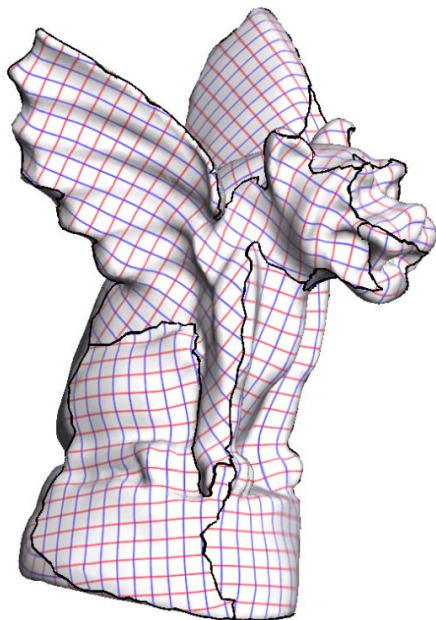
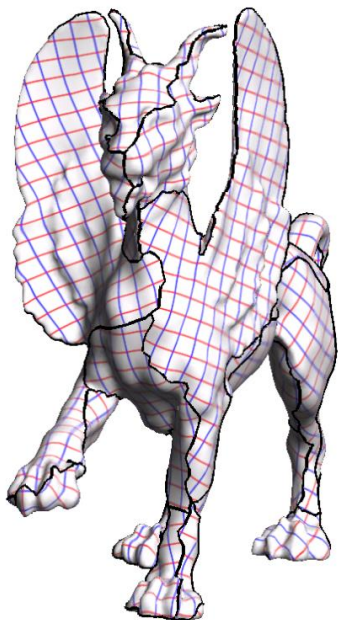
- Iterative method
  - Parameterize the mesh to the plane.
  - Add the point of greatest isometric distortion.



# Segmentation



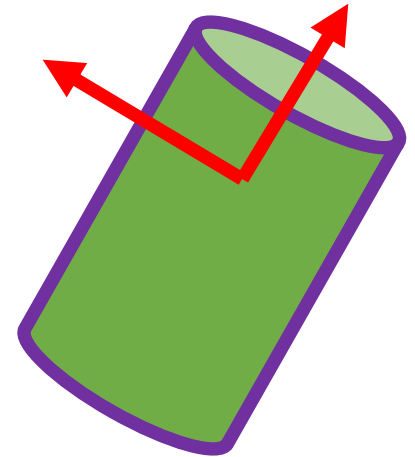
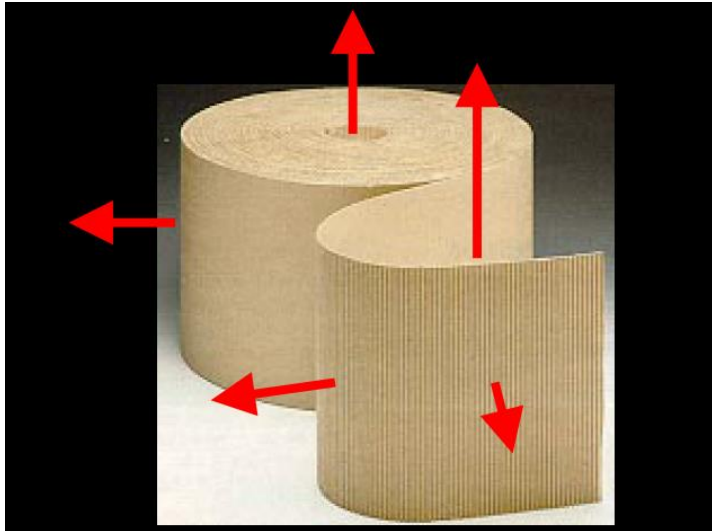
- Goal: mesh segmentation into compact charts that unfold with minimal distortion



# Proxy



- Developable surfaces of constant slope
- Constant angle between surface normal and axis
- Proxy:  $\langle axis, angle \rangle$ ,  $\langle N_c, \theta_c \rangle$





# Fitting error



- Measures how well triangle fits a chart

$$F(C, t) = (N_c \cdot n_t - \cos\theta_c)^2$$

- Combine with compactness

$$C(C, t) = \frac{\pi D(S_c, t)^2}{A_c}$$

- ✓  $S_c$  is the seed triangle of the given chart
- ✓  $D(S_c, t)$  is the length of the shortest path (inside the chart) between the two triangles
- ✓  $A_c$  is the area of chart  $C$
- Cost function

$$\text{Cost}(C, t) = A_t F(C, t)^\alpha C(C, t)^\beta$$

# Segmentation method

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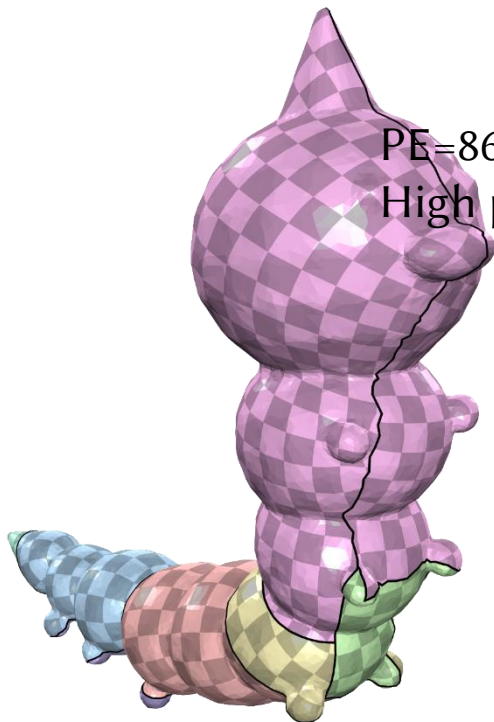
- Lloyd algorithm
  - 1. Select random triangles to act as seeds
  - 2. Grow charts around seeds using a greedy approach
  - 3. Find new proxy for each chart
  - 4. Repeat from step 2 until convergence
- K-means
- CVT

# Packing

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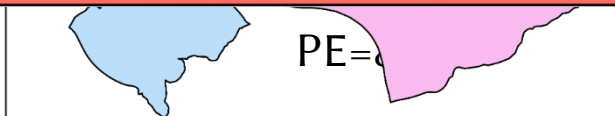
# Packing efficiency (PE)



PE=86.1%  
High pixel usage rate



PE=45.6%  
Low pixel usage rate



# Packing efficiency (PE)

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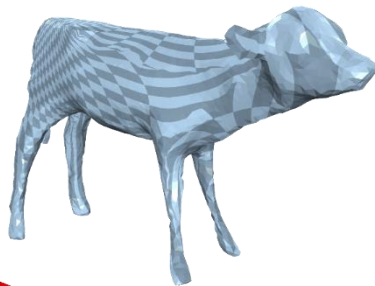
**Maximizing atlas packing efficiency is NP-hard!**

[Garey and Johnson 1979; Milenkovic 1999]

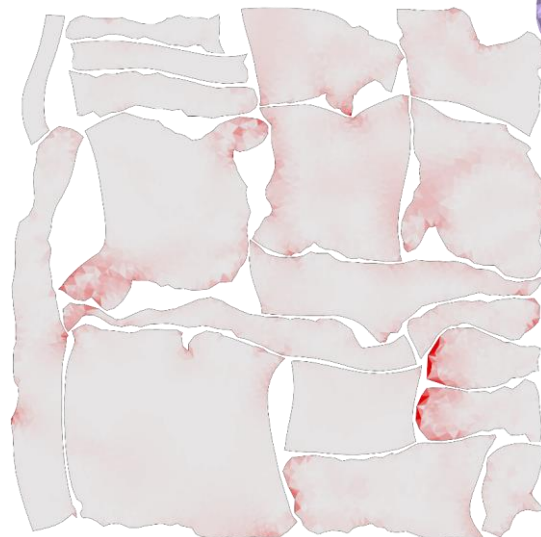
# Other requirements



- Low distortion



High Distortion



Low Distortion

# Other requirements

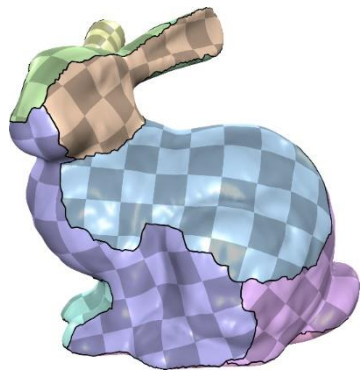
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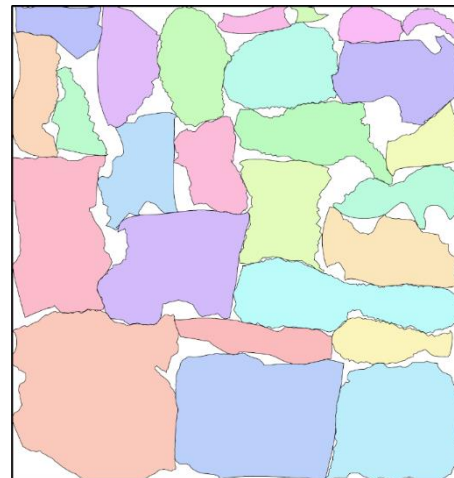
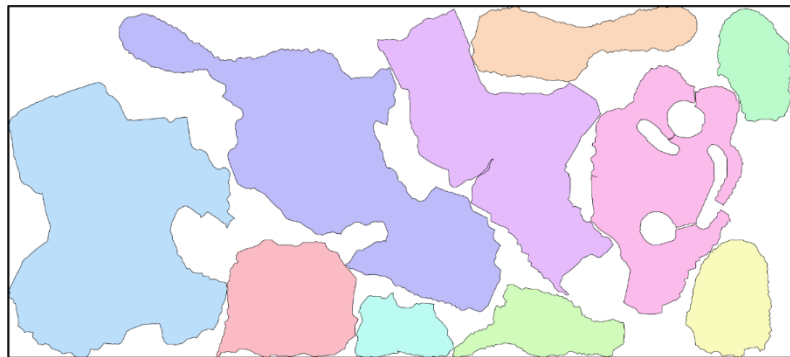
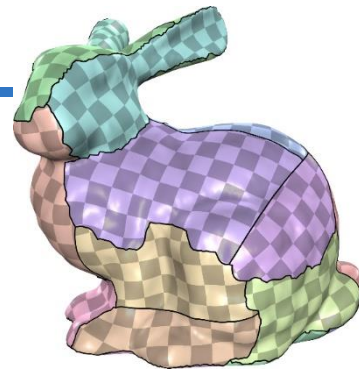
- Low distortion
  - [Golla et al. 2018; Liu et al. 2018; Shtengel et al. 2017; Zhu et al. 2018]
- Consistent orientation
  - [Floater 2003; Tutte 1963; Claiici et al. 2017; Hormann and Greiner 2000; Rabinovich et al. 2017; Schüller et al. 2013]
- Overlap free
  - [Jiang et al. 2017; Smith and Schaefer 2015]
- Low boundary length
  - [Li et al. 2018; Poranne et al. 2017; Sorkine et al. 2002]

**These methods do not consider PE!**

# Atlas refinement



Input



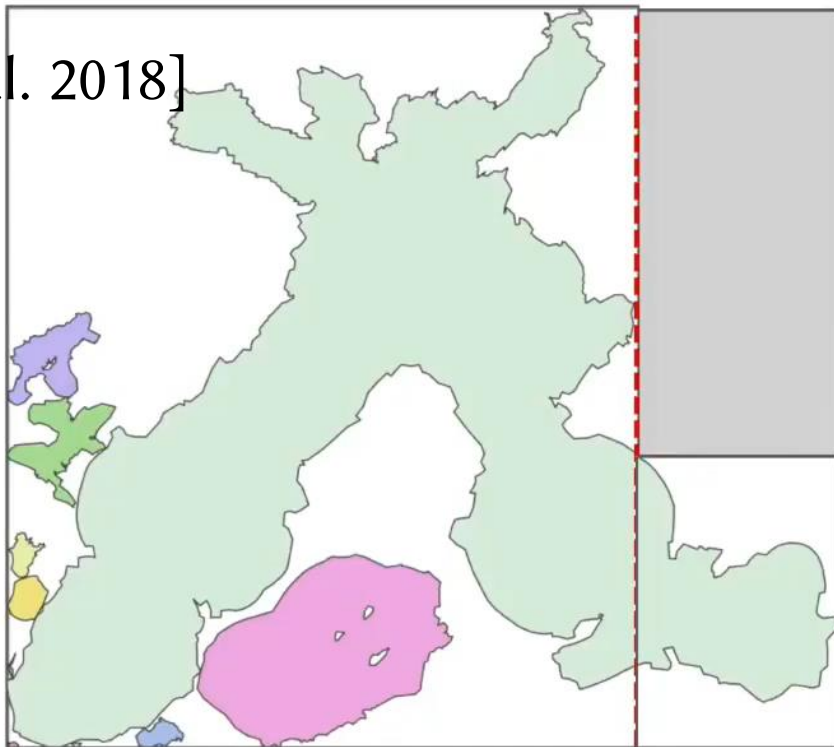
No overlap  
High PE



# Previous work

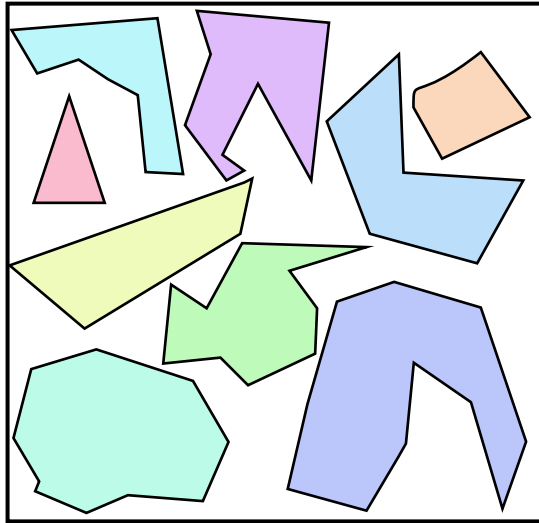


Box Cutter [Limper et al. 2018]

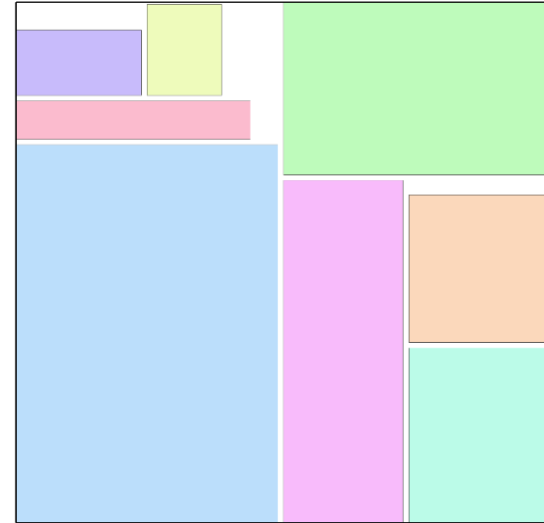
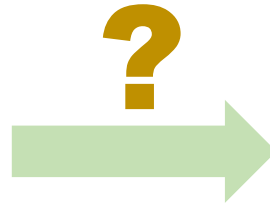


**No guarantee for a high PE result!**

# Packing problems



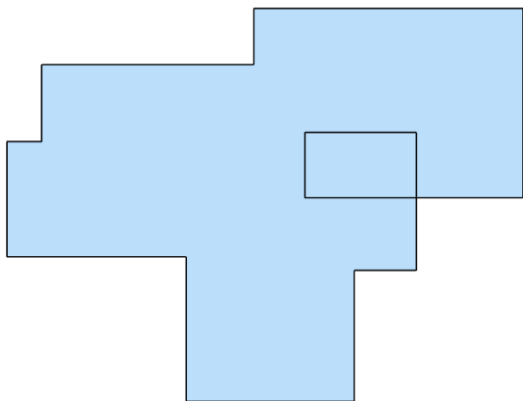
Irregular shapes  
Hard to achieve high PE



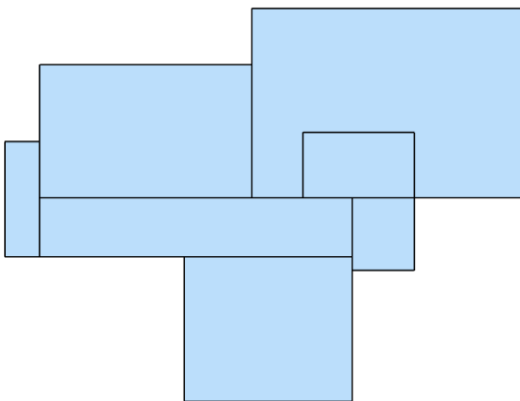
Rectangles  
Simple to achieve high PE  
Widely used in practice

# Axis-aligned structure

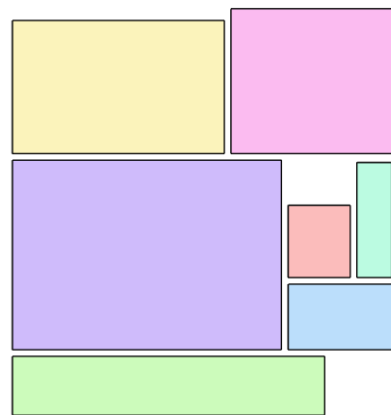
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Axis-aligned structure

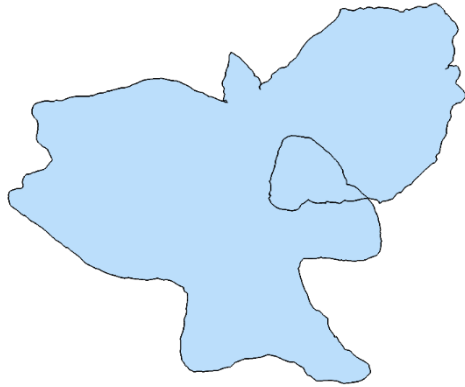


Rectangle decomposition

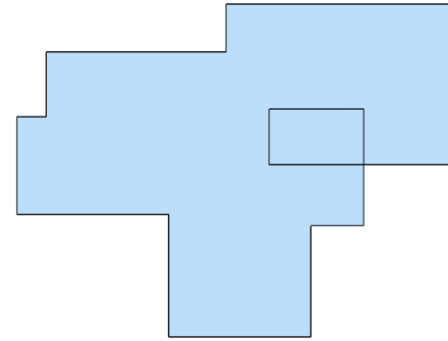
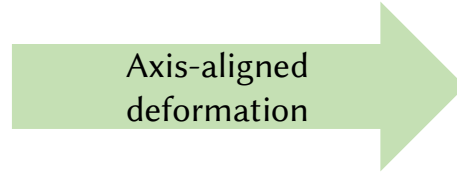


High PE (87.6%)!

# General Cases

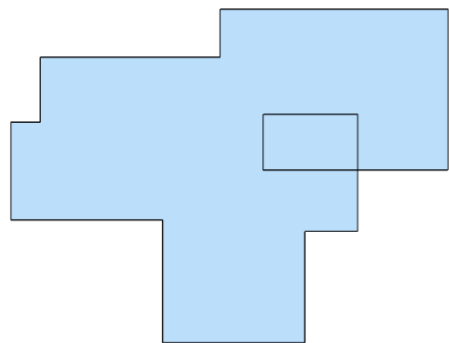


Not axis-aligned

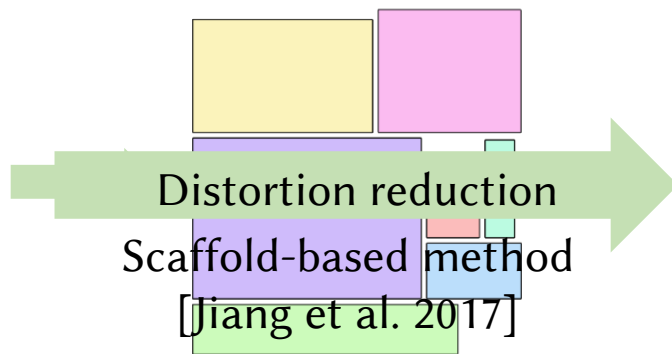


Axis-aligned  
Higher distortion

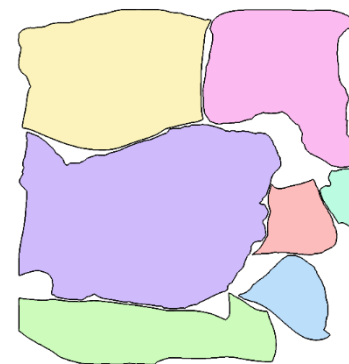
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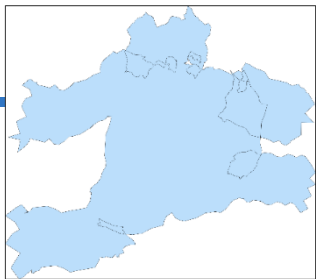
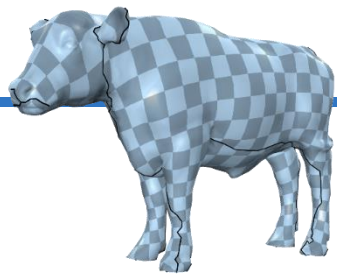
Axis-aligned  
High distortion



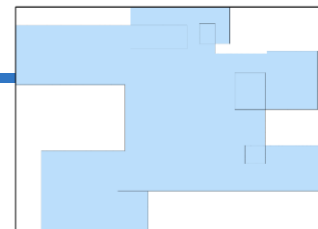
No overlap & High PE  
High distortion



No overlap & High PE  
Low distortion  
Bounded PE

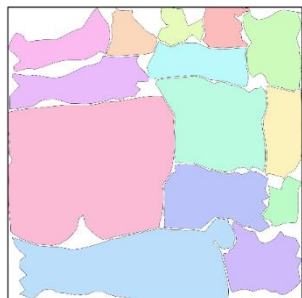
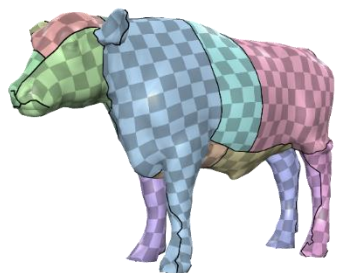


Axis-aligned  
deformation

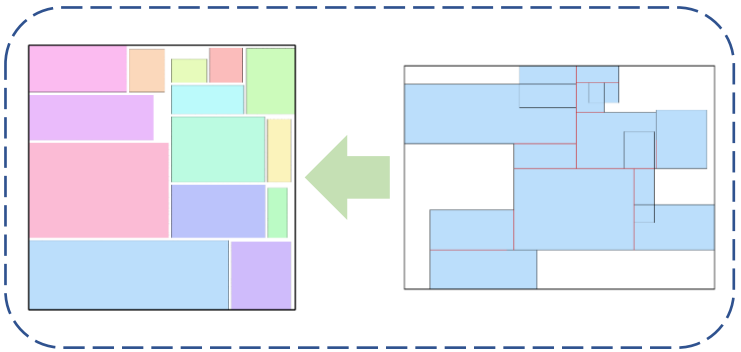


Pipeline

Rectangle  
decomposition  
and packing



Distortion reduction



Distortion reduction

# PolyAtlas: Atlas Refinement with Bounded Packing Efficiency

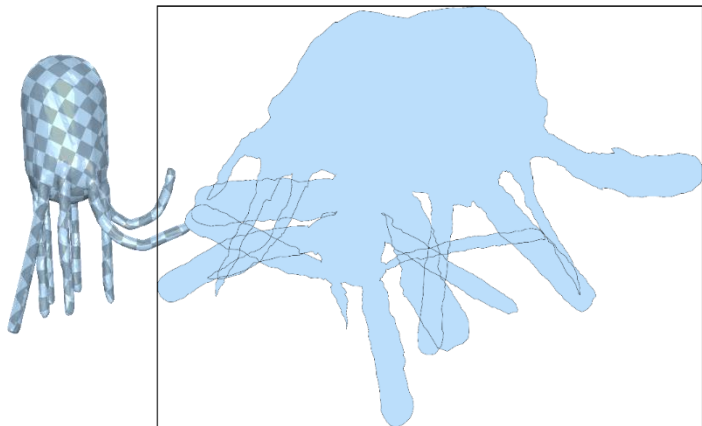
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# Axis-Aligned Deformation



- Input



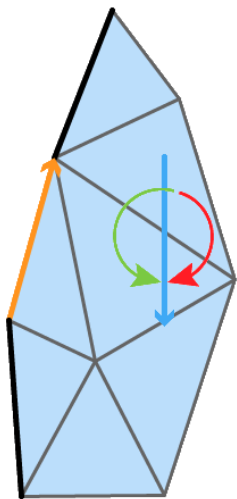
Single chart  
With overlap



10 charts  
Without overlap



# Axis-Aligned Deformation

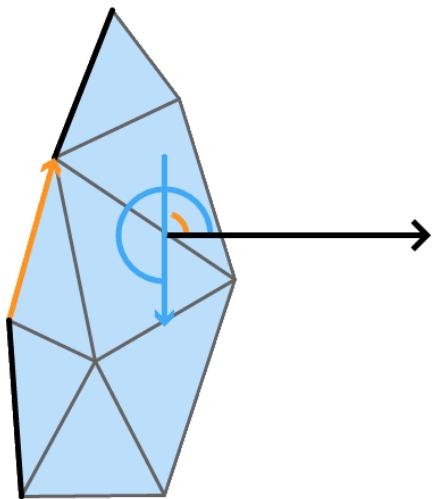


Direction vector  
Ambiguous rotating directions

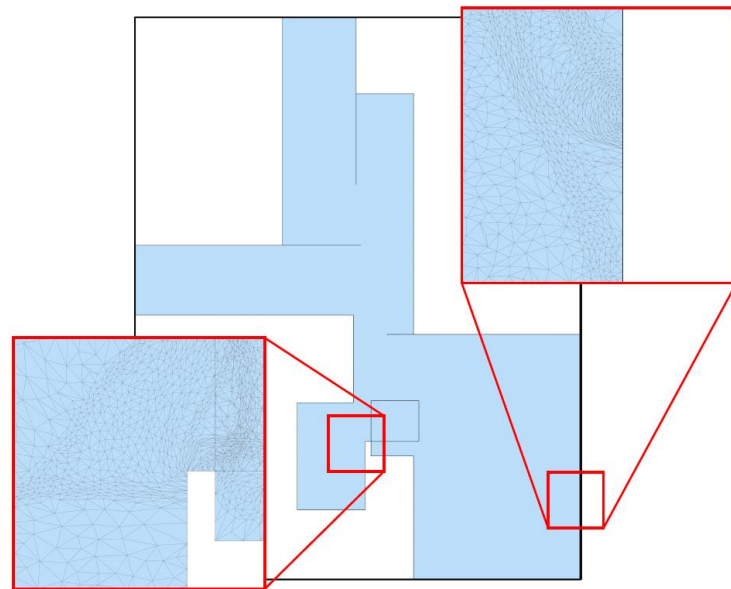


Fail!

# Axis-Aligned Deformation

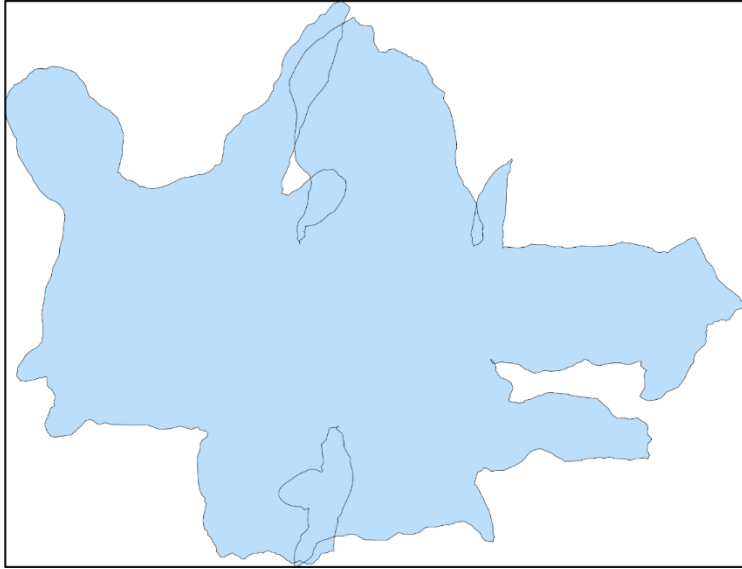


Polar angle  
Clear rotating direction

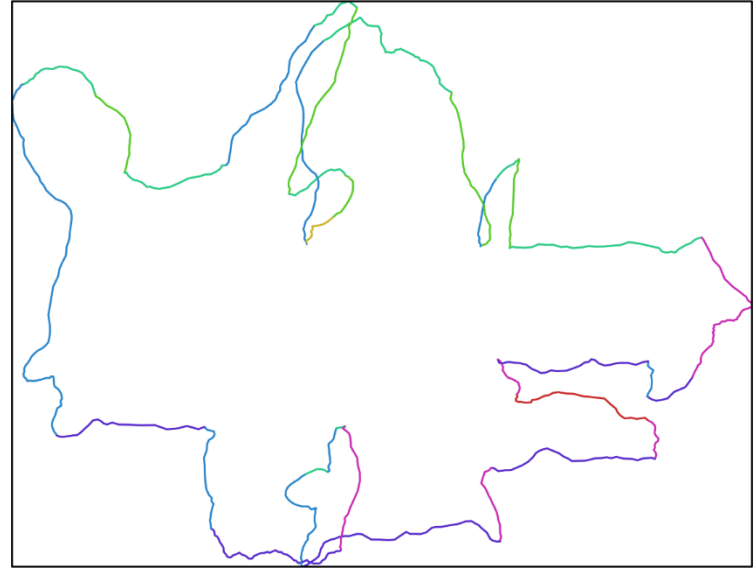


Success!

# Axis-Aligned Deformation



Input



Target polar angle

# Axis-Aligned Deformation



- Energy of boundary alignment

$$E_{\text{edge}}(\mathbf{b}_i) = \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma) \left( \theta_i - \frac{\pi}{2} \Theta_i \right)^2}_{\text{Rotate polar angle}} + \underbrace{\frac{1}{2} \gamma \left( \frac{l_i}{l_i^0} - 1 \right)^2}_{\text{Keep length}}$$

$$E_{\text{align}}(\mathbf{c}) = \sum_{i=1}^{N_b} \frac{l_i^0}{l^0} E_{\text{edge}}(\mathbf{b}_i)$$

# Axis-Aligned Deformation



- Energy of isometric distortion (symmetric Dirichlet)

$$E_d(c) = \frac{1}{4} \sum_{f_i \in FC} \frac{\text{Area}(f_i)}{\text{Area}(M^c)} (\|J_i\|_F^2 + \|J_i^{-1}\|_F^2)$$

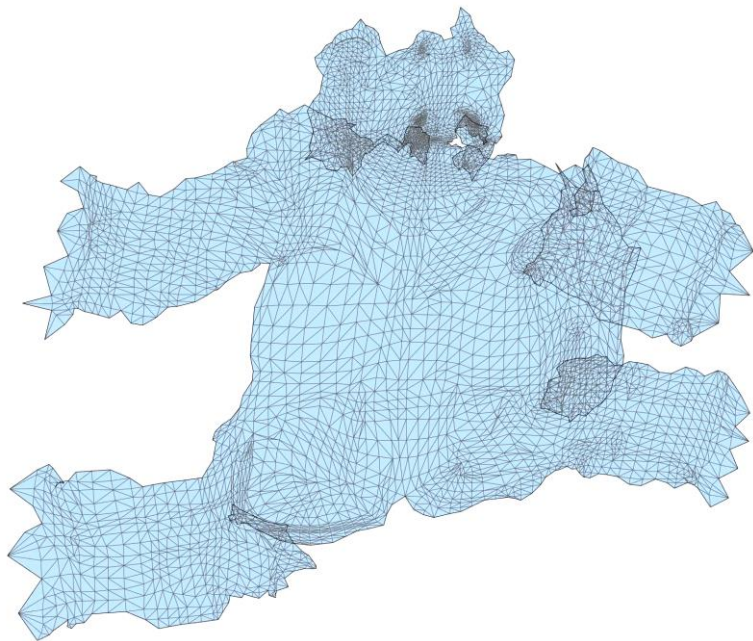
Keep low distortion and orientation consistency.

# Axis-Aligned Deformation

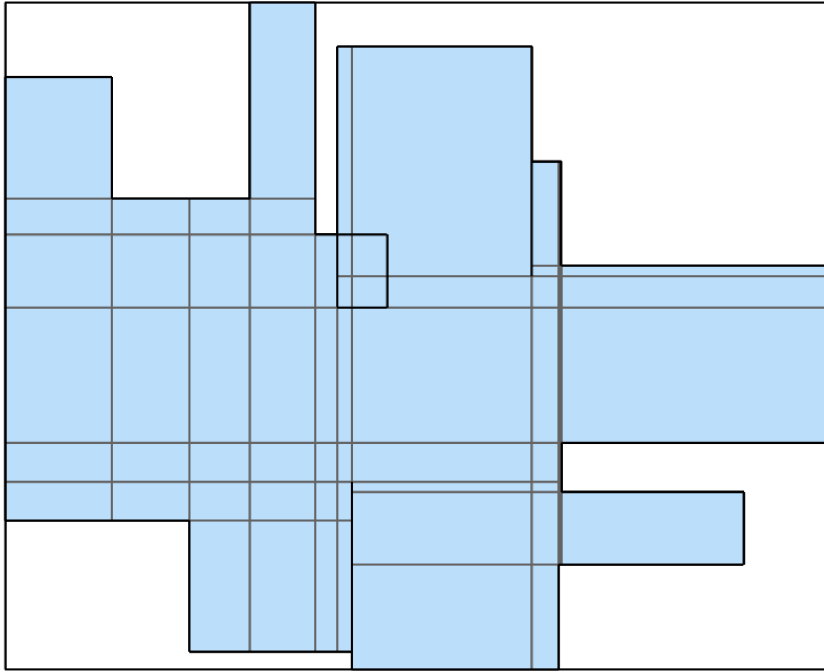


0.2X Playback

$$\begin{aligned} \min_c \quad & E_d(c) + \lambda E_{\text{align}}(c) \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \det J_i > 0, \forall i \end{aligned}$$



# Rectangle Decomposition and Packing

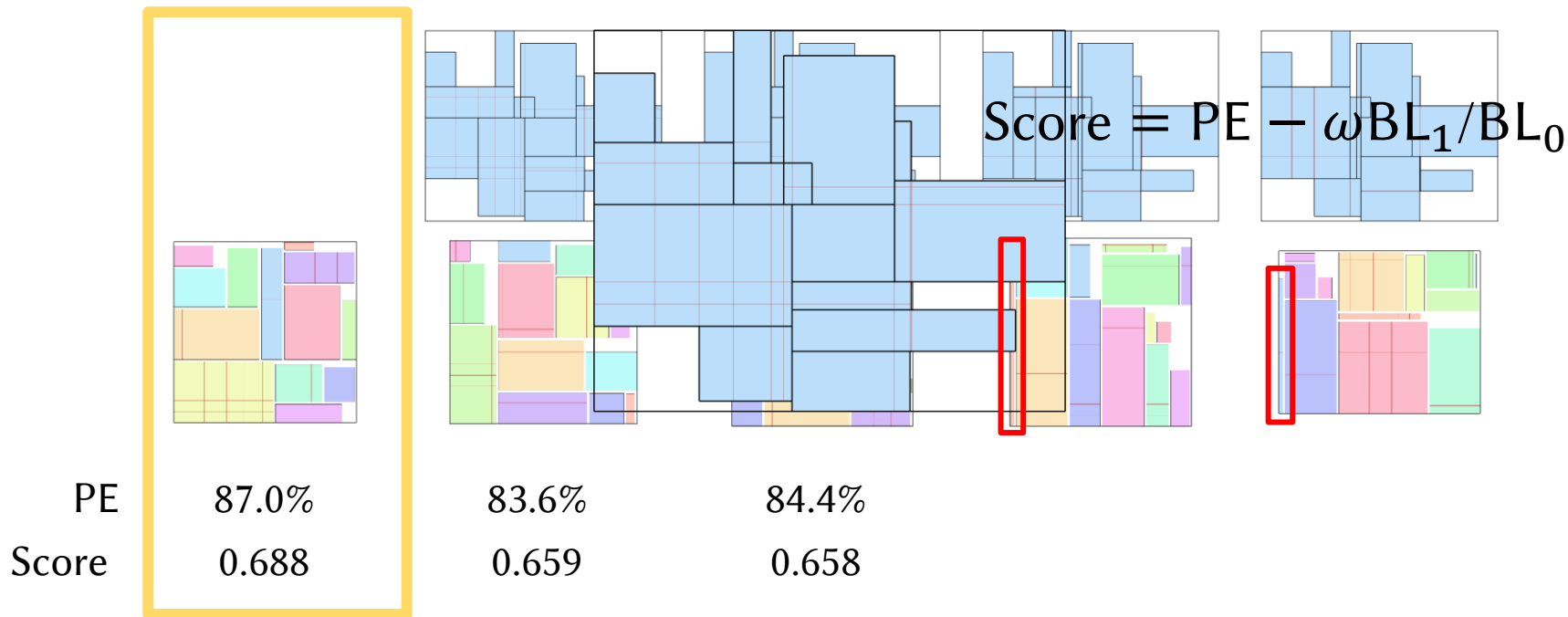


The faces are all rectangles.  
But the number is too many.

# Rectangle Decomposition and Packing



- Motorcycle graph algorithm





# Distortion Reduction

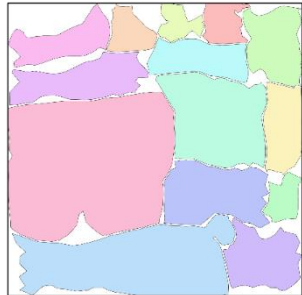
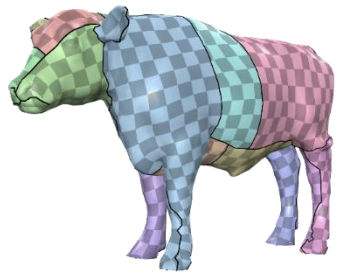
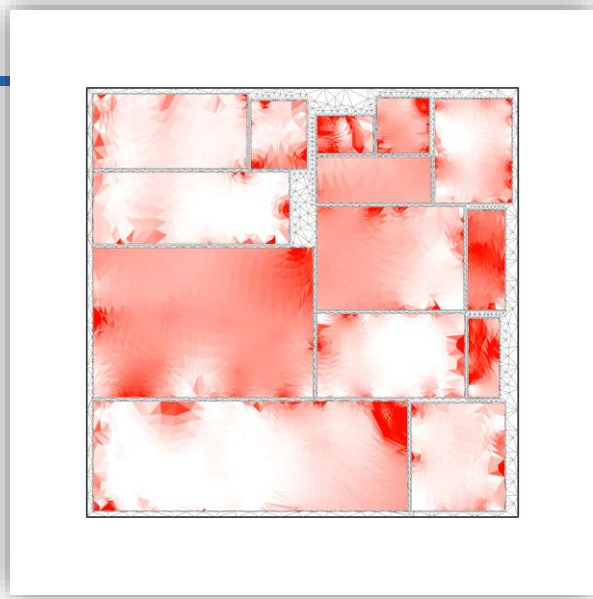


$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathcal{C}} E_{\text{reduction}} &= E_{\text{d}}(\mathcal{C}) + E_{\text{PE}}(\mathcal{C}) \\ \text{s.t. } \Phi &\text{ is bijective} \end{aligned}$$

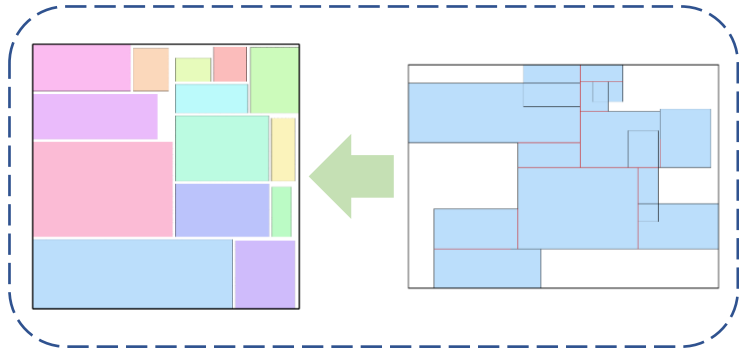
Isometric energy

Barrier function of PE bound

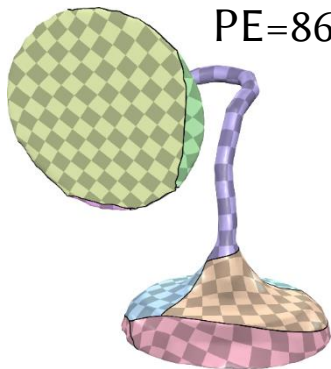
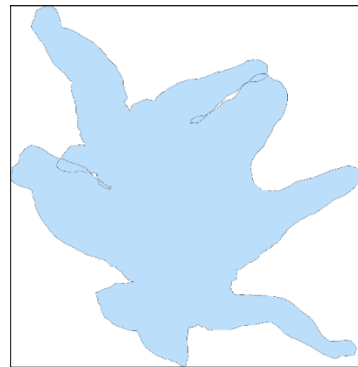
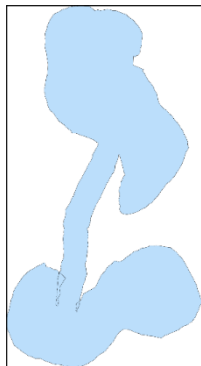
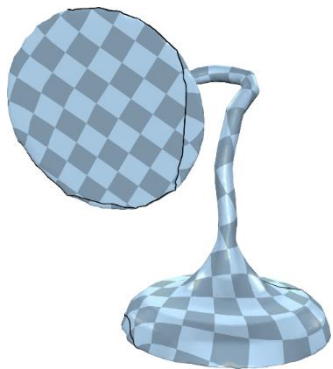
Scaffold-based method  
[Jiang et al. 2017]



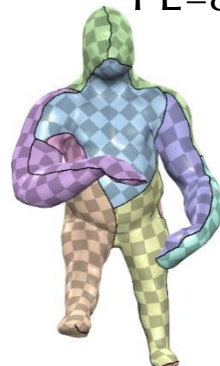
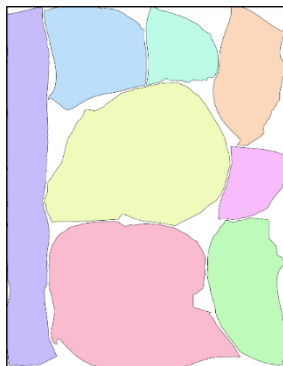
Distortion reduction



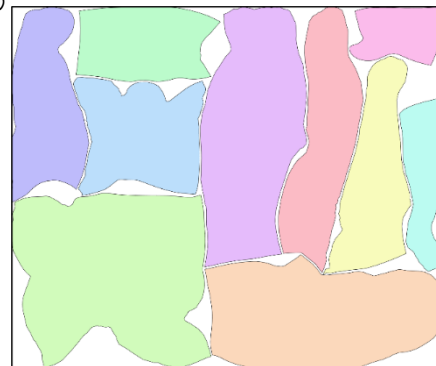
# Benchmark (5,588)



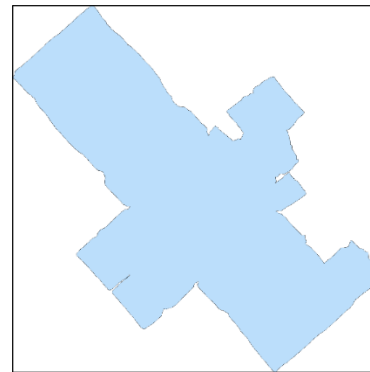
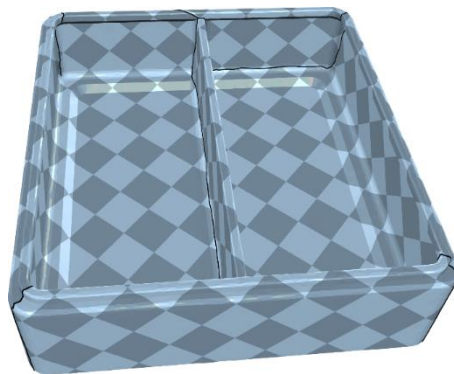
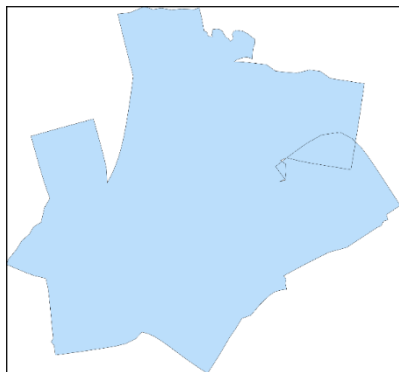
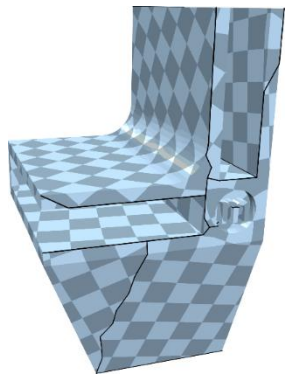
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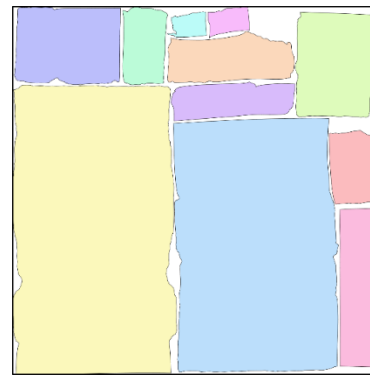
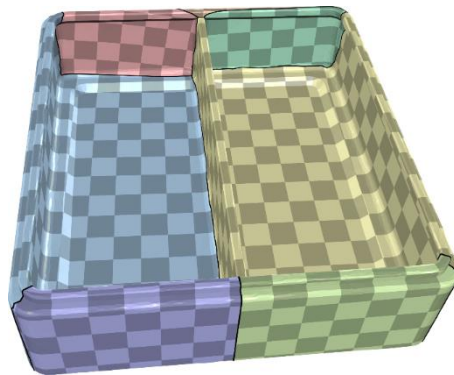
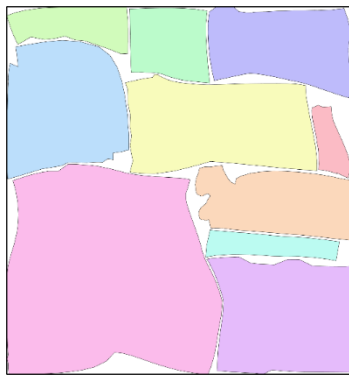
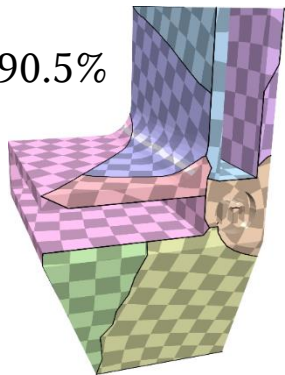


# Benchmark (5,588)



PE=91.0%

PE=90.5%





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