

Multiresolution Meshes

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Multiresolution Meshes

Huge meshes are difficult to

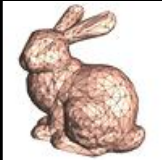
- render
- store
- transmit
- edit

Multiresolution is crucial



[Guskov et al.]

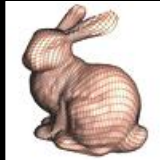
Multiresolution Meshes



Irregular



Semi-regular



Completely regular

[Hoppe]

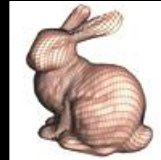
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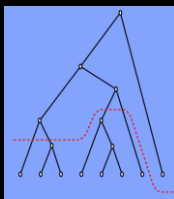
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Irregular Multiresolution Meshes

Encode mesh simplification operations in tree

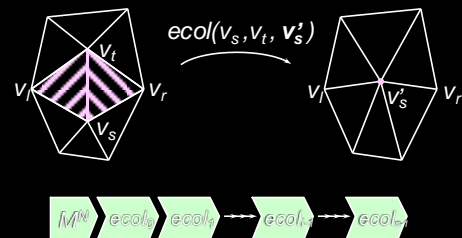
- Cut through tree defines a mesh
- Move cut up/down to simplify/refine



Xia96, Hoppe97, Luebke97

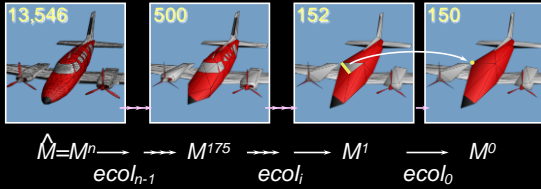
Progressive Mesh

Encode continuous detail as sequence of edge collapses



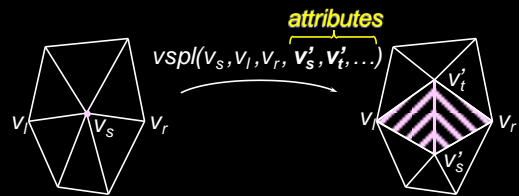
Progressive Mesh

Simplification process



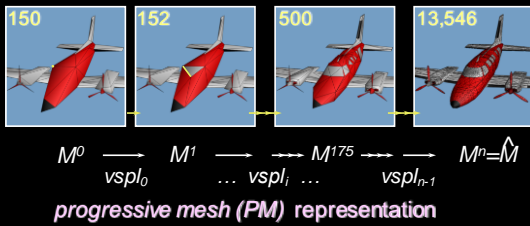
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Inversion is possible with vertex split transformation



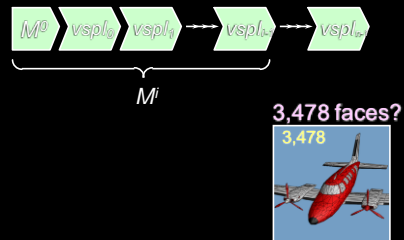
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Reconstruction process



Progressive Mesh

From PM, extract M_i of any desired complexity (this is multiresolution)

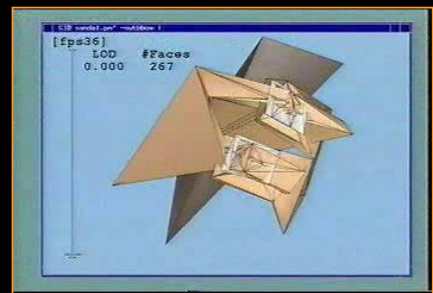


Progressive Mesh



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Progressive Mesh



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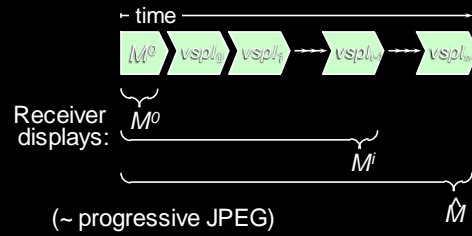
Progressive Mesh

Benefits/Applications:

- Progressive transmission
- Surface compression
- Selective refinement

Progressive Transmission

Transmit records progressively:



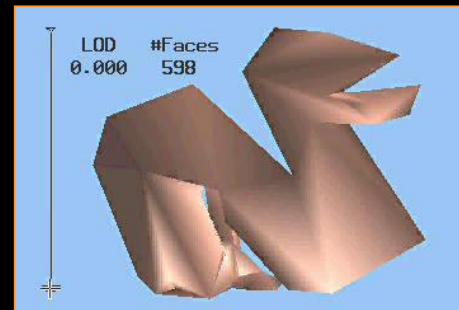
Progressive Transmission

Details added while user is browsing.



[Certain et al.]

Progressive Transmission



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Mesh Compression

Lossy compression

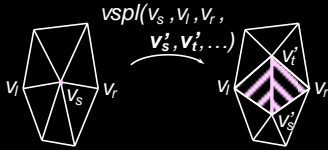


Mesh Compression

Lossless compression



Mesh Compression



Record deltas:

$$\begin{aligned} & \Delta v_t' - v_s \\ & \Delta v_s' - v_s \\ & \dots \end{aligned}$$

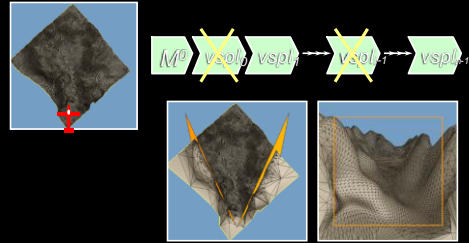
Encoding of *vsp* records:

- connectivity: ~ good triangle strips
- attributes: excellent delta-encoding

Selective Refinement (VDPM)



Refine mesh adaptively based on viewpoint



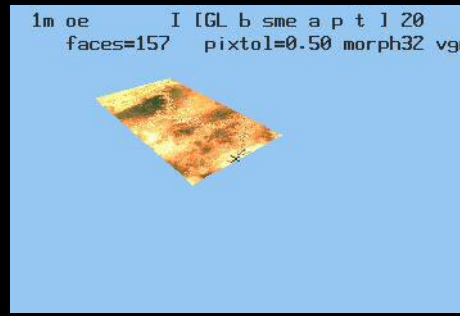
(e.g. view frustum)

Selective Refinement (VDPM)



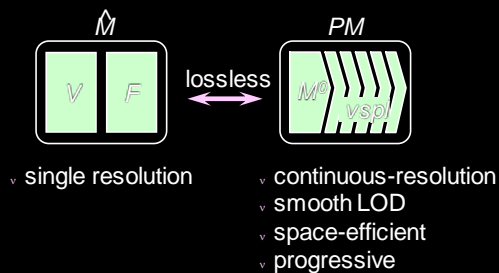
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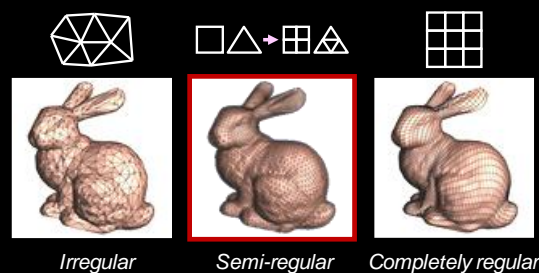


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Progressive Mesh Summary



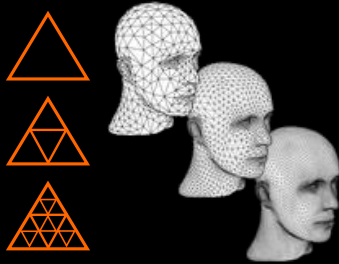
Multiresolution Meshes



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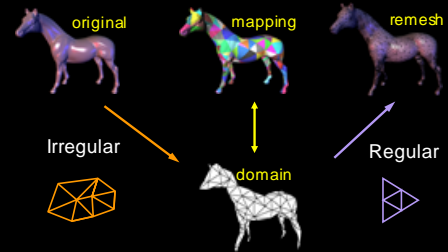
Semi-Regular Mesh

Arbitrary base mesh + refinement via subdivision



[Hoppe]

Multiresolution Analysis



[Guskov et al.]

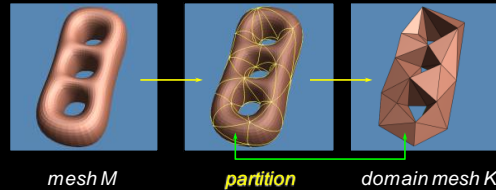
Multiresolution Analysis

- step 1: construct a simple domain mesh K
- step 2: construct a parametrization r of M over K
- step 3: remesh

Multiresolution Analysis

Step 1: construct simple base domain

- topological type of K = topological type of M
- small number of triangular regions
- smooth and straight boundaries

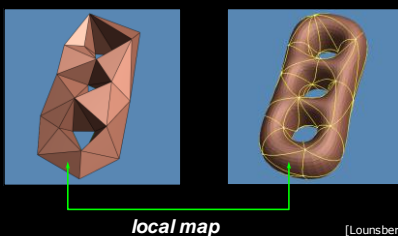


[Lounsberry et al.]

Multiresolution Analysis

Step 2: construct parameterization

- Map each face of domain mesh to corresponding triangular region

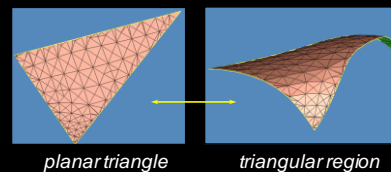


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Multiresolution Analysis

Step 2: construct parameterization

- Map each face of domain mesh to corresponding triangular region
- Local maps must agree on boundaries and introduce small distortions \rightarrow harmonic maps

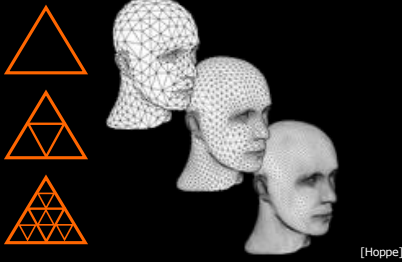


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Multiresolution Analysis

Step 3: remesh

- Regular subdivision



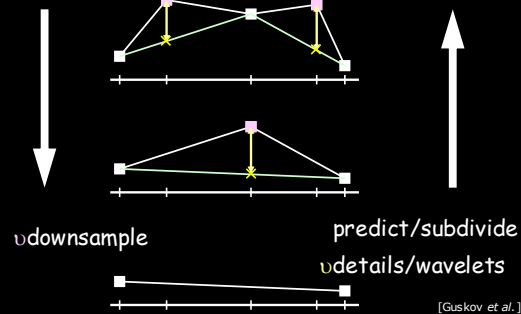
Multiresolution Representation

Wavelet representation

$$\text{base shape } M^0 + \text{sum of local correction terms (wavelet terms)}$$

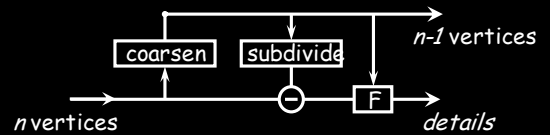
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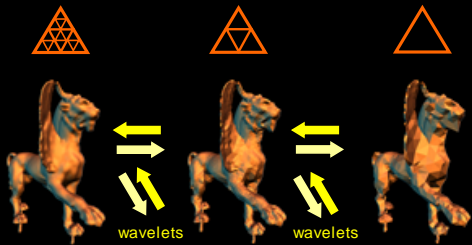
Multiresolution Representation

Burt-Adelson pyramid



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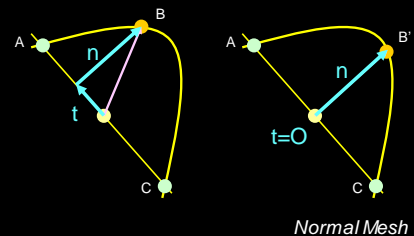
Multiresolution Representation



Multiresolution Representation

Two scalar displacement (t, n)

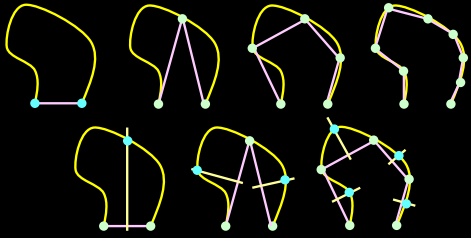
One scalar (normal mesh)



[Guskov et al.]

Multiresolution Representation

Normal mesh



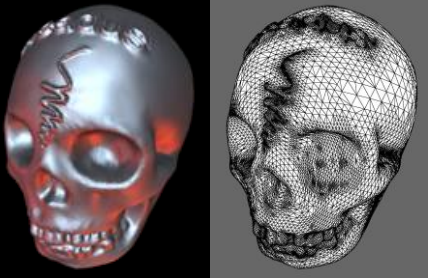
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Multiresolution Meshes

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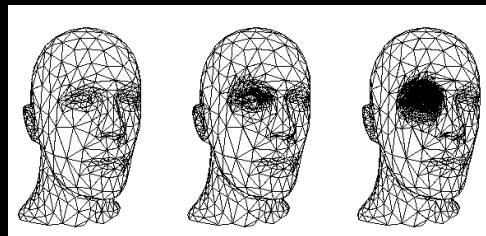
- Adaptive remeshing
- Compression
- Filtering
- Editing
- Morphing

Adaptive Remeshing



[Guskov et al.]

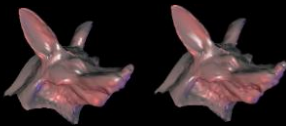
Adaptive Remeshing



[Zorin et al.]

Adaptive Remeshing

Both 11K triangles



Uniform

Adaptive

[Zorin et al.]

Multiresolution Meshes

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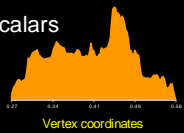
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Mesh Compression

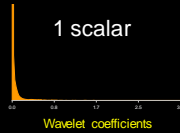
Effect of wavelet transform

- changes distribution of coefficients
 - almost all coefficients close to zero

3 scalars



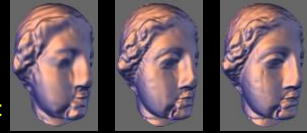
1 scalar



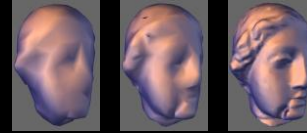
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Mesh Compression

Fixed file size



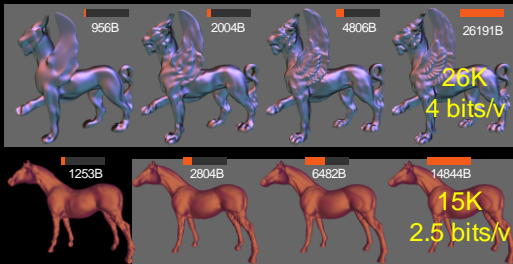
Normal Meshes:



CPM:

[Guskov et al.]

Mesh Compression



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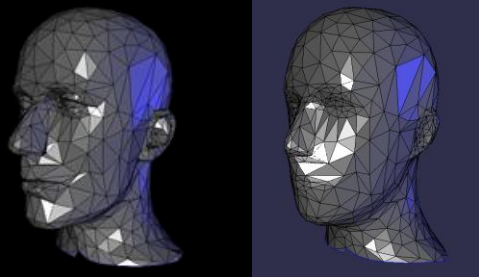
Multiresolution Meshes

Applications:

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Multiresolution Mesh Processing

Smoothing



[Guskov et al.]

Multiresolution Mesh Processing

Enhancing



$$\text{smoothed} + 2 * (\text{original} - \text{smoothed}) = \text{enhanced}$$

[Guskov et al.]

Multiresolution Mesh Processing

Filtering



[Guskov et al.]

Multiresolution Meshes

Applications:

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- Compression
- Filtering
- **Editing**
- Morphing

Multiresolution Mesh Editing

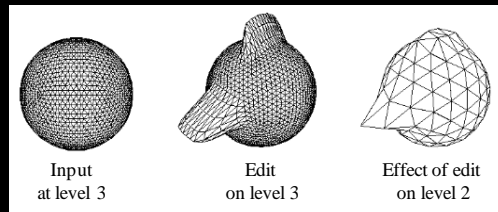
Goal: edit surface with operations at various resolutions



[Guskov et al.]

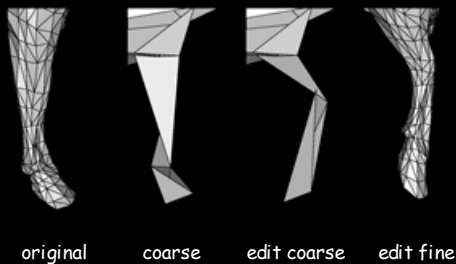
Multiresolution Mesh Editing

When edit at fine resolution,
update higher levels of multiresolution hierarchy



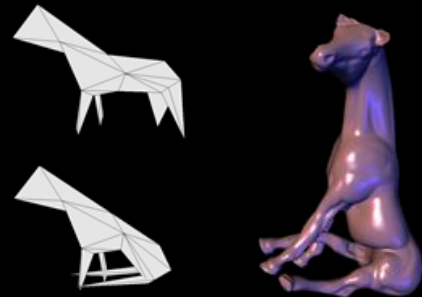
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Multiresolution Mesh Editing



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Multiresolution Mesh Editing



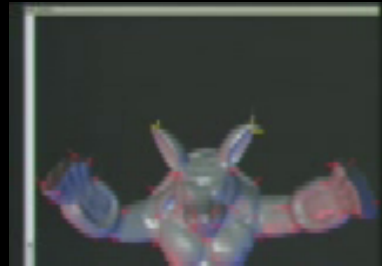
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Multiresolution Meshes



Applications:

- Adaptive remeshing
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Multiresolution Mesh Morphing



Goal: interpolate surfaces

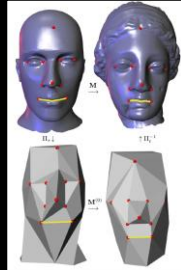


[Lee et al.]

Multiresolution Mesh Morphing

Common parameterization

- If two semi-regular meshes have the same base domain, then they share a common parameterization



Multiresolution Mesh Morphing



[Lee et al.]

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[Lee et al.]

Multiresolution Mesh Morphing



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Multiresolution Mesh Morphing

Multiresolution

- Can morph different multiresolution levels at different rates



[Lee et al.]

Multiresolution Mesh Morphing



with Spatial Control

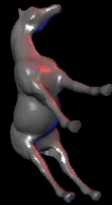
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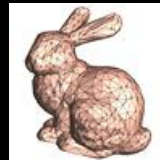
Multiresolution Mesh Morphing



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Multiresolution Meshes



Irregular



Semi-regular

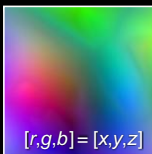


Completely regular

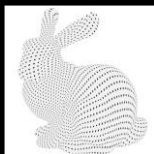
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Completely Regular Mesh

Regular sampling of parameter domain



$[r,g,b] = [x,y,z]$



Geometry Image

Multiresolution Meshes

Key ideas

- Multiresolution analysis provides parameterization
- Different resolutions represent different frequencies
- Can map operations in parameter domain to operations on mesh (e.g., smoothing, morphing, etc.)

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