Geometry

Erosion Thickness on Medial Axes of 3D Shapes

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Q-MAT: Computing Medial Axis Transform Using Quadratic Error Minimization

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Mesh Arrangements for Solid Geometry

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Animated Mesh Approximation With Sphere-Meshes

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Erosion Thickness on Medial Axes of 3D Shapes

- Define Erosion Thickness metric in 3D
- Use it to prune Medial Axis of 3D objects
- Results in a simplified Medial Axis with clearer understanding of mesh topology



Q-MAT: Computing Medial Axis Transform Using Quadratic Error Minimization

- Efficiently computes Medial Axis Transform using quadratic error minimization
- Robust and geometrically accurate
- Removes unstable branches (spikes)



Mesh Arrangements for Solid Geometry



- Comprehensive algorithm for robust constructive solid geometry operations (e.g. boolean operations)
 - Makes no assumptions on input
 - Does not resort to perturbation of points (i.e. it's exact)
 - Generalizes to *n*-ary operations (e.g. find all regions inside *k* of *n* inputs)
- Tested on a database of 10,000 meshes "in the wild"

Animated Mesh Approximation With Sphere-Meshes



- Represents animated 3D surfaces as interpolated spheres
- Real-time adjustment of level of detail
- Can be applied to efficiently detect collisions



Shape Analysis

RAID: A Relation-Augmented Image Descriptor

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Learning How Objects Function via Co-Analysis of Interactions

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PATEX: Exploring Pattern Variations

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Efficient 3D Object Segmentation from Densely Sampled Light Fields with Applications to 3D Reconstruction

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RAID: A Relation-Augmented Image Descriptor





most similar relationships between source and target

- Image descriptor to describe spatial relationship between image regions
- Search by verbal relationship or sketch



Learning How Objects Function via Co-Analysis of Interactions

- Defines *functionality model* for an object category (e.g. table, stroller)
- Trained on objects placed in contextual scenes
- Learns a set surface patches for a category
- Given an input model, can determine different uses for the object using patch localization



PATEX: Exploring Pattern Variations



 Algorithm that identifies structure-preserving pattern variations in response to user input



Efficient 3D Object Segmentation from Densely Sampled Light Fields with Applications to 3D Reconstruction

- Segmentation of foreground and background in videos
- High detail reconstructions, even with cluttered backgrounds





Rendering of Complex Microstructure

Position-Normal Distributions for Efficient Rendering of Specular Microstructure

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Multi-Scale Rendering of Scratched Materials Using a Structured SV-BRDF Model

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Multiple-Scattering Microfacet BSDFs with the Smith Model

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Predicting Appearance From Measured Microgeometry of Metal Surfaces

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Position-Normal Distributions for Efficient Rendering of Specular

Microstructure



- Efficiently renders highlights on surface microstructure
- Treats microstructure surface as a 4D position-normal distribution
- Fits millions of 4D Gaussians to distribution, resulting in a closed-form solution

Multi-Scale Rendering of Scratched Materials Using a Structured SV-BRDF Model



(a) Parallel scratches (BRDF) (b) Parallel scratches (SV-BRDF) (c) Deep layered scratches (SV-BRDF) (d) Thin layered scratches (SV-BRDF)

- Spatially varying BRDF for surface scratches
- Takes into account all interreflections
- Individual scratch BRDFs are linearly combined for a single pixel footprint

Multiple-Scattering Microfacet BSDFs with the Smith Model





- Smith microfacet model only addresses single-bounce light rays
- Incorporates multiple ray bounces into the Smith microfacet model



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Predicting Appearance From Measured Microgeometry of Metal Surfaces



(a) Brushed stainless photographs (b) Measured surface microgeometry (c) Predicted anisotropic BRDF

(d) Spatially variant BRDF

• Predicts the BRDF of surfaces measured with a Profilometer

Materials

A Non-Parametric Factor Microfacet Model for Isotropic BRDFs

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Reflectance Modeling by Neural Texture Synthesis

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ZoeMatrope: A System for Physical Material Design

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A Non-Parametric Factor Microfacet Model for Isotropic BRDFs



- Introduces a non-parametric factor model for BRDFs
- Compactly represents a large variety of measured BRDFs

Reflectance Modeling by Neural Texture Synthesis



- Recover spatially varying reflectance model from a single lit photograph
- Synthesize texture patches using CNNs to match illumination in input photo

ZoeMatrope: A System for Physical Material Design

- Material display
- Turntable with base materials is illuminated by a synchronized strobe





Image & Shape Manipulation

cSculpt: A System for Collaborative Sculpting

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StyLit: Illumination-Guided Example-Based Stylization of 3D Renderings

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Flow-Guided Warping for Image-Based Shape Manipulation

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Transfiguring Portraits

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Band-Sifting Decomposition for Image Based Material Editing

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cSculpt: A System for Collaborative Sculpting



- Multiple artists concurrently sculpt a polygonal mesh
- Seamlessly merges edits and resolves conflicts
- Handles concurrent overlapping edits at different scales



StyLit: Illumination-Guided Example-Based Stylization of 3D Renderings

- Stylizes a 3D rendering using an artist's example
- Based on light propagation instead of colors / normals
- Preserves realistic artistic quality



Flow-Guided Warping for Image-Based Shape Manipulation



(a) Input image - ©Expertissim

(b) Shape sharpening

(c) Shape rounding

- Manipulate perceived shape of an object given a single input image
- Exaggerates orientation patterns correlated with surface curvature

Transfiguring Portraits

- Automatic synthesis of appearances given a set of input portraits
- User searches for a desired appearance and it is automatically generated



Me with "curly hair"

Band-Sifting Decomposition for Image Based Material Editing



- Set of 2D image operations based on multi-scale analysis
- Builds a sub-band decomposition and modifies the coefficients
- Consistent effects across image subjects
 - gloss, smoothness, pigmentation, weathering

Curve & Strut Networks for Fabrication

Synthesis of Filigrees for Digital Fabrication

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Designing Structurally Sound Ornamental Curve Networks

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Connected Fermat Spirals for Layered Fabrication

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Printing Arbitrary Meshes With a 5DOF Wireframe Printer

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Synthesis of Filigrees for Digital Fabrication



- Covers a surface with a network of filigree base elements
- Ensures they are well connected for fabrication
- Allow overlaps and reuse good configurations during optimization

Designing Structurally Sound Ornamental Curve Networks

- Interactive system to design ornamental curve networks
- Includes semi-automated curve packing
- Enforces structural stability constraints



Connected Fermat Spirals for Layered Fabrication

- New kind of space filling curve for fabrication
- Fully connected and low-curvature paths

<u>Video</u>



Printing Arbitrary Meshes With a 5DOF Wireframe Printer



- Print mesh wireframes with a 5DOF printer
- Avoid collisions with already printed parts



Bounded Distortion Harmonic Shape Interpolation

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Volume-encoded UV-maps

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Motion Graphs for Unstructured Textured Meshes

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Bounded Distortion Harmonic Shape Interpolation



- Interpolates between 2D planar mappings
- Intermediate mappings guaranteed to be locally injective with bounded distortion
- Blended differentials have a closed form expression, making this method very efficient as well as accurate

On the Convexity and Feasibility of the Bounded Distortion Harmonic Mapping Problem



- Computes locally injective, bounded distortion harmonic mappings
- Formulates a convex problem, thus optimization is guaranteed to converge

Volume-encoded UV-maps



- Maps UV coordinates to vertices solely based on 3D position
- Removes the need for duplicate vertices on texture seams
- Works across different meshes with similar topology (e.g. LOD)
- Can also be used with non-meshes (e.g. point clouds)

Motion Graphs for Unstructured Textured Meshes

- Automatically synthesize motion graphs with smooth transitions between similar poses
- Creates natural periodic motion, stochastic playback, and user-directed animations
- Geometry processing addresses discontinuous alignment, textures, and connectivity

