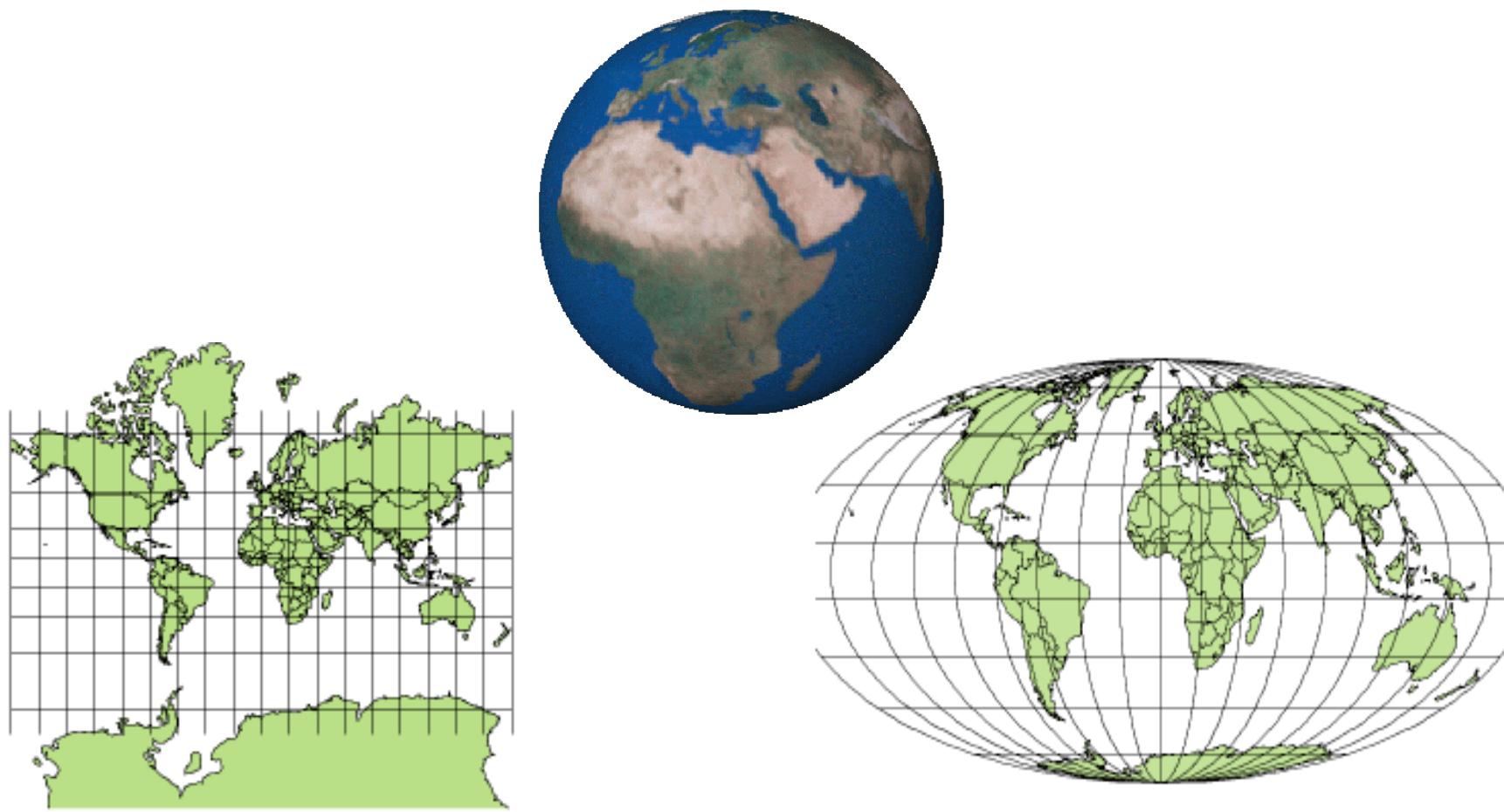


Parametrization & Remeshing

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What is a parametrization?



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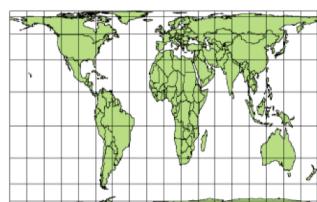
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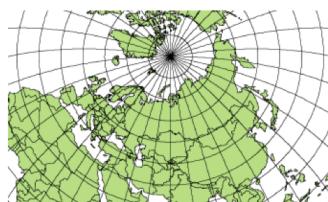
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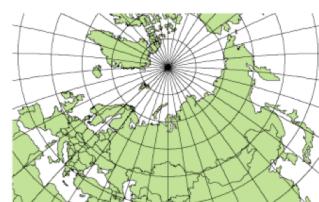
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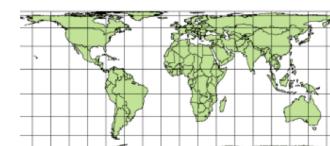
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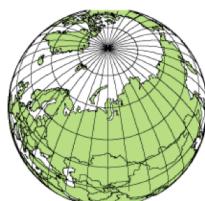
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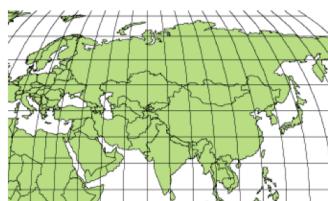
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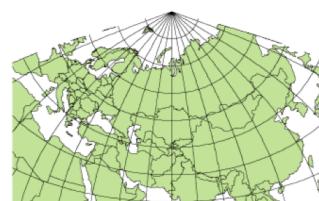
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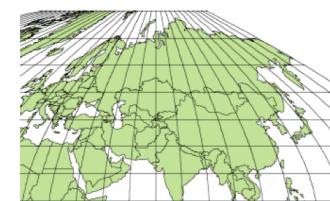
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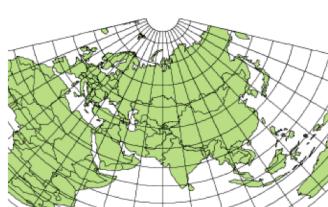
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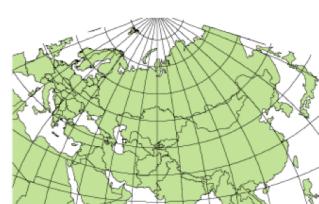
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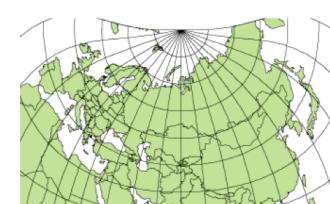
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Flächentreue Kegelprojektion



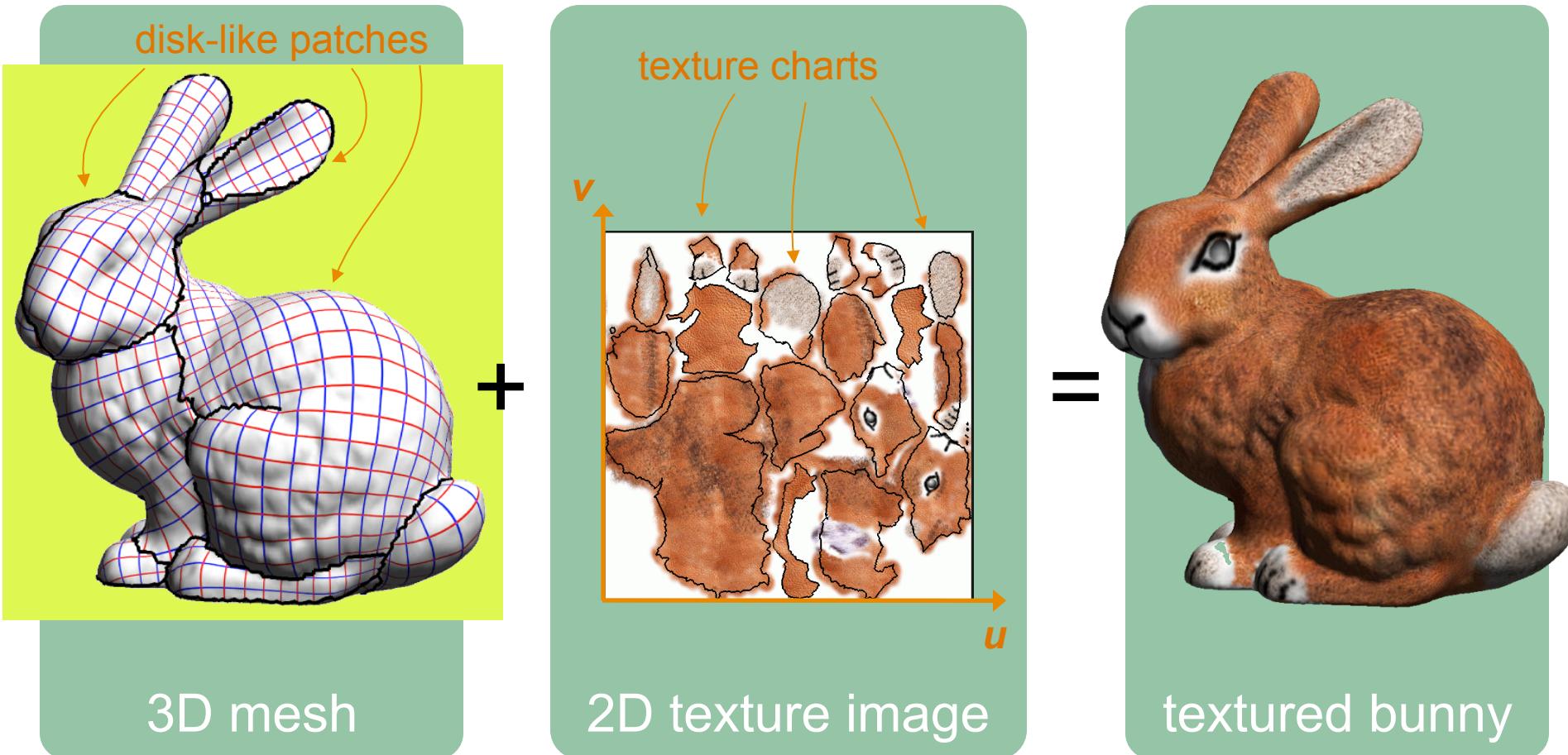
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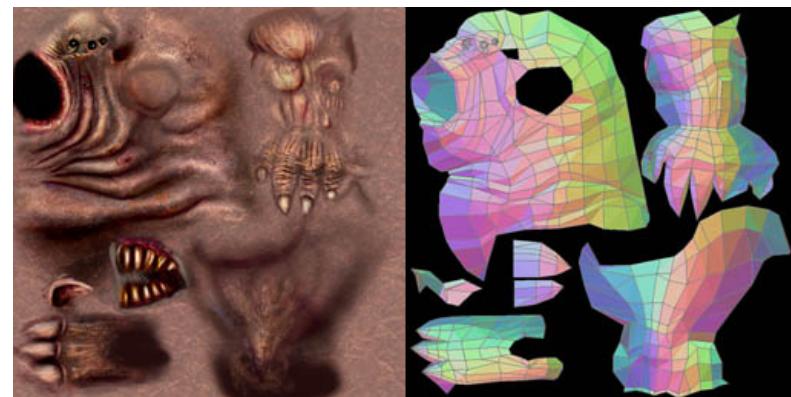
Why Parametrization?

■ Texture Mapping



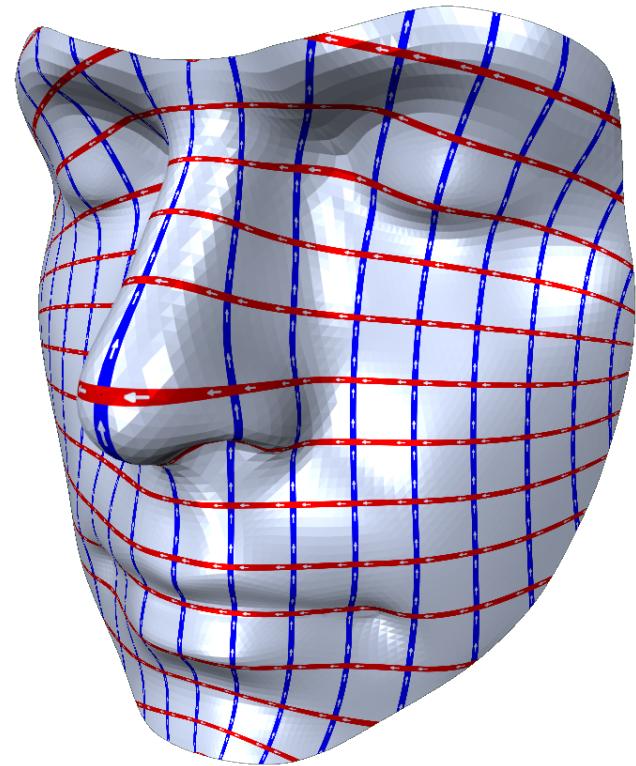
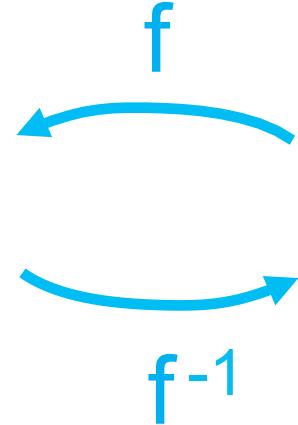
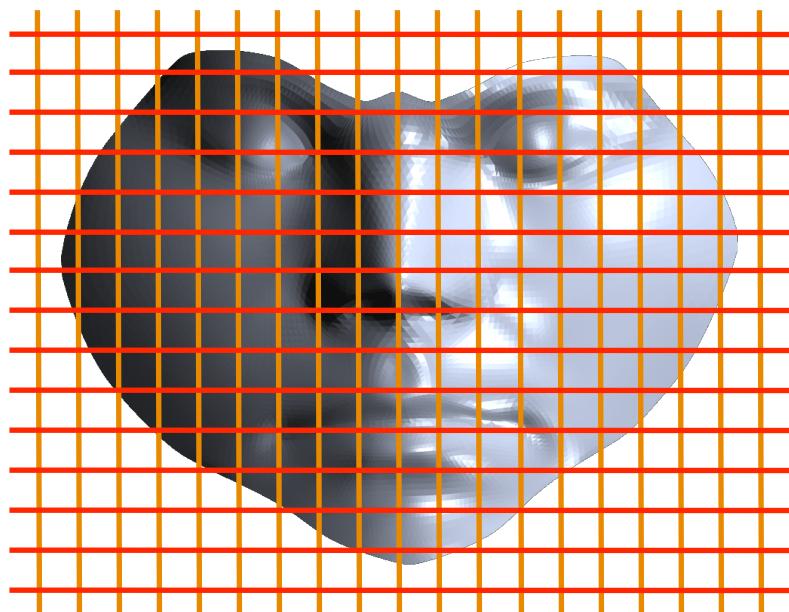
Why Parametrization?

- ❑ Manual UV mapping
- ❑ An advanced artistic skill



Why Parametrization?

- Remeshing

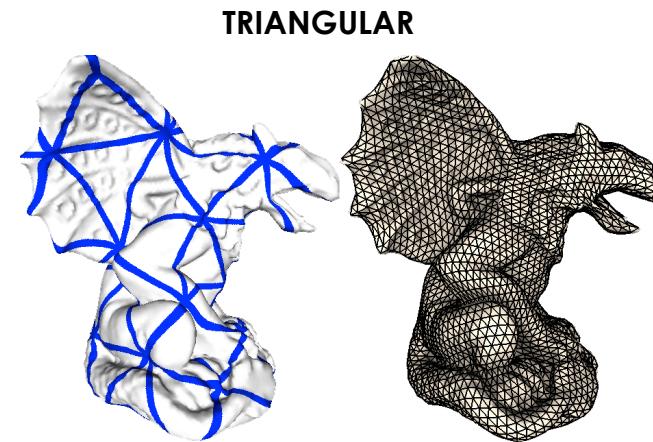


Why Parametrization?

□ Remeshing



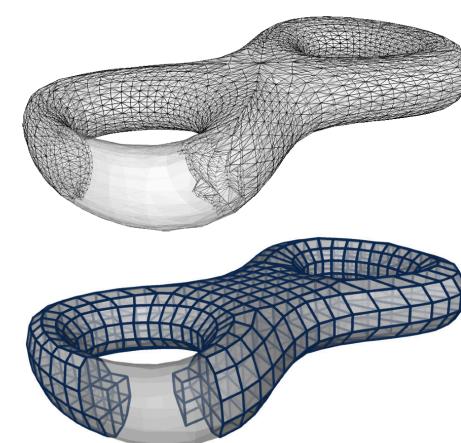
Bommes, et AL.: *Mixed Integer Quadrangulation*



Pietroni, et AL. :
Almost isometric mesh
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Nieser et al.: *Hexagonal Global
Parameterization of Arbitrary Surfaces*



Nieser, et AL. : *CUBECOVER – Parameterization of 3D Volumes*

Why Parametrization?

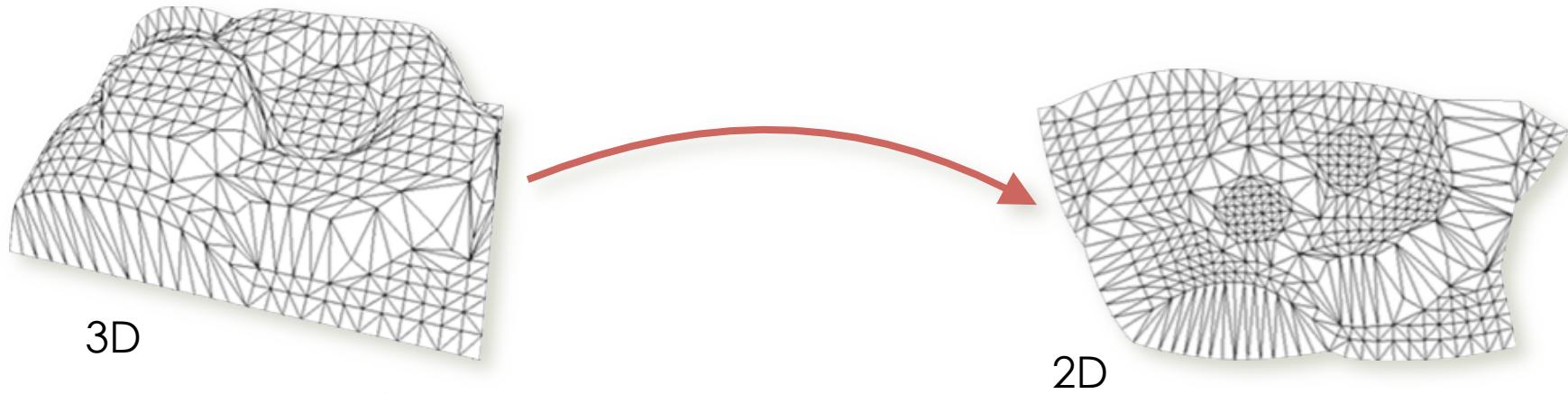
- Analysys.... 2D is easier than 3D



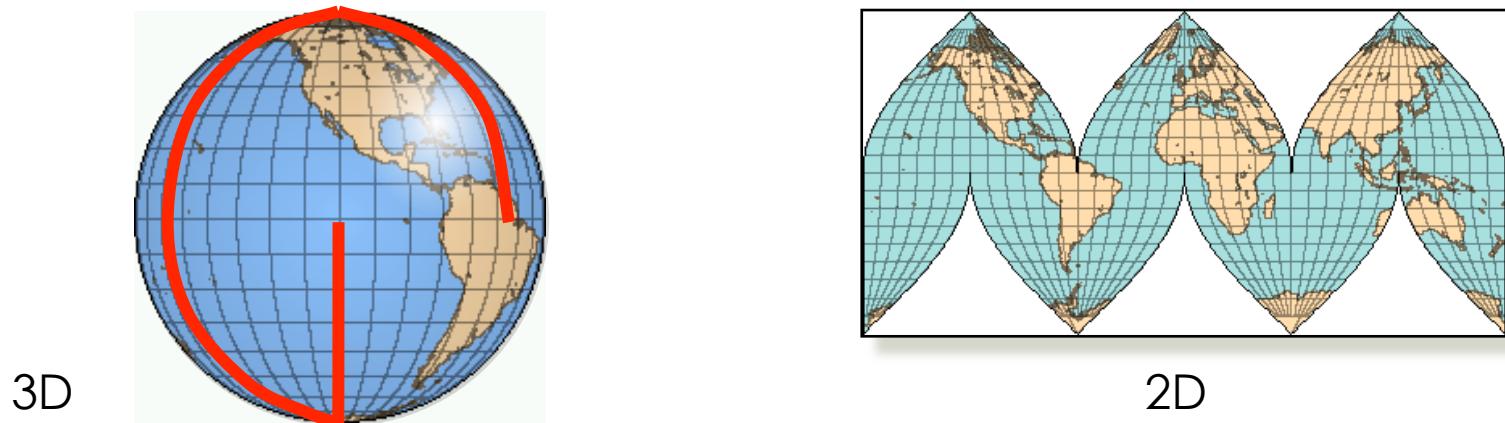
Pietroni, et AL.: An Interactive Local Flattening Operator
to Support Digital Investigations on Artwork Surfaces

Parametrization: what we need?

- ❑ A strategy to flatten a 3D surface on 2D domain
 - ❑ Introducing as few distortion as possible

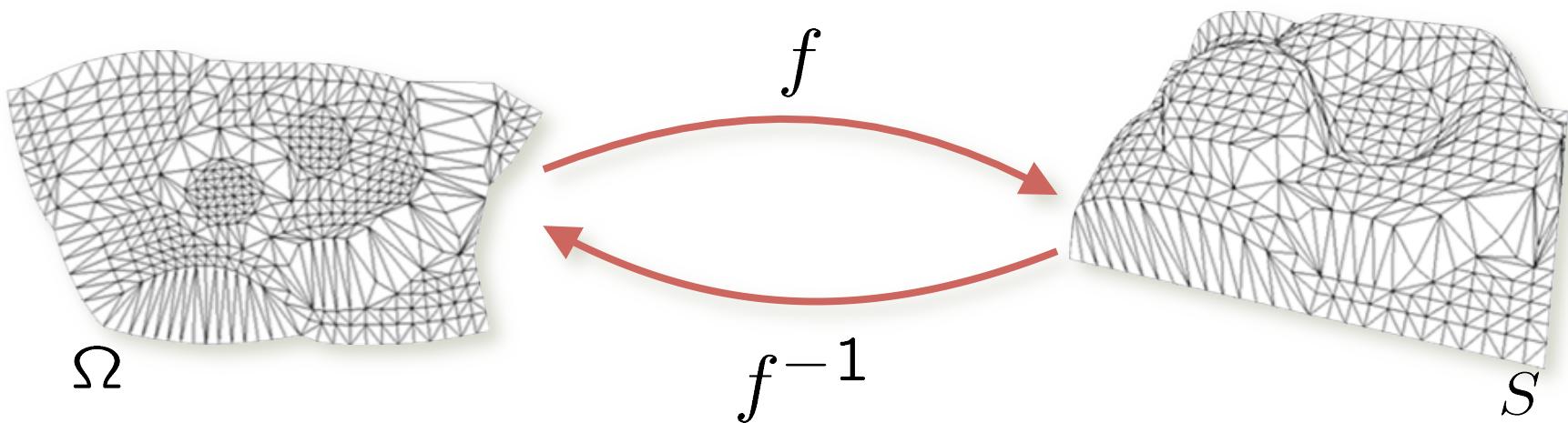


- ❑ A strategy to introduce cuts

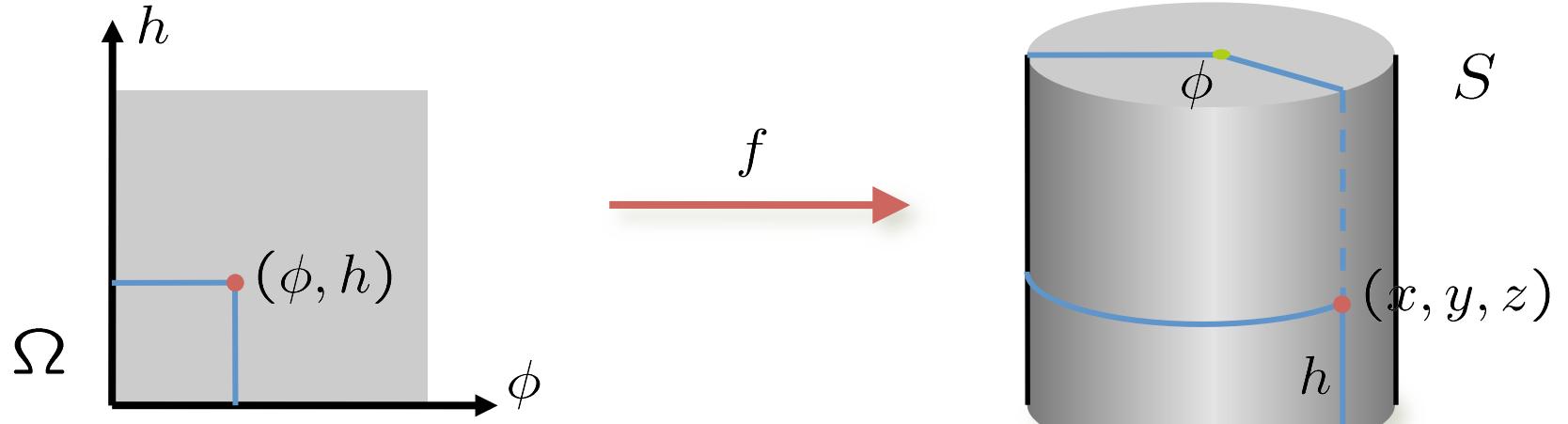


Flattening a surface

- surface $S \subset \mathbb{R}^3$
- parameter domain $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$
- mapping $f : \Omega \rightarrow S$ and $f^{-1} : S \rightarrow \Omega$



Parametrization:Cylindrical coords

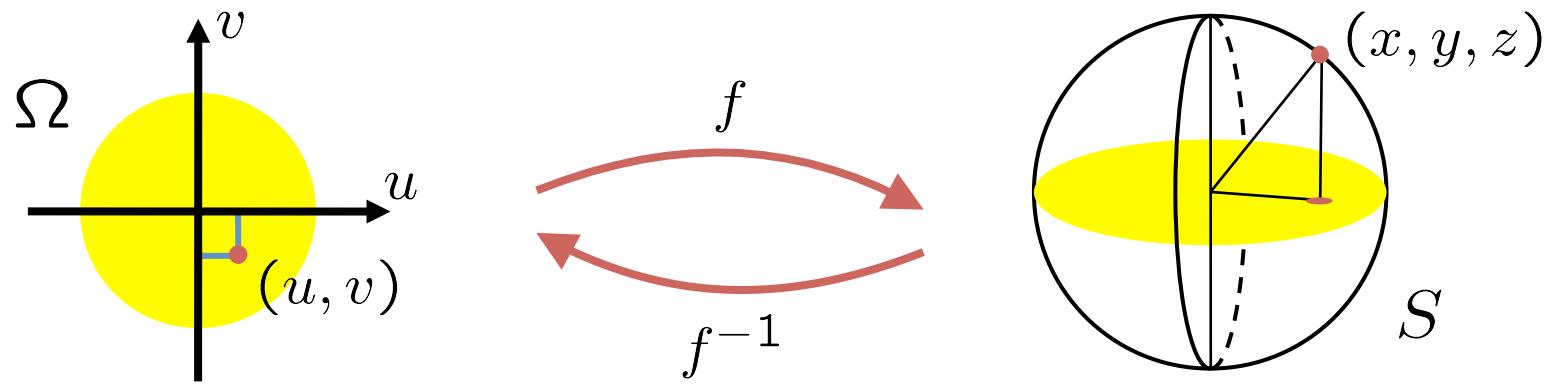


$$S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x^2 + y^2 = 1, z \in [0, 1]\}$$

$$\Omega = \{(\phi, h) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : \phi \in [0, 2\pi), h \in [0, 1]\}$$

$$f(\phi, h) = (\sin \phi, \cos \phi, h)$$

Parametrization: Ortho Projection



$$S = \{(x, y, z) \in \mathbb{R}^3 : x^2 + y^2 + z^2 = 1, z \geq 0\}$$

$$\Omega = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : u^2 + v^2 \leq 1\}$$

$$f^{-1}(x, y, z) = (x, y)$$

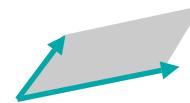
$$f(u, v) = (u, v, \sqrt{1 - u^2 - v^2})$$

Minimize Distortion

- ❑ Angle preservation: conformal



- ❑ Area preservation: equiareal

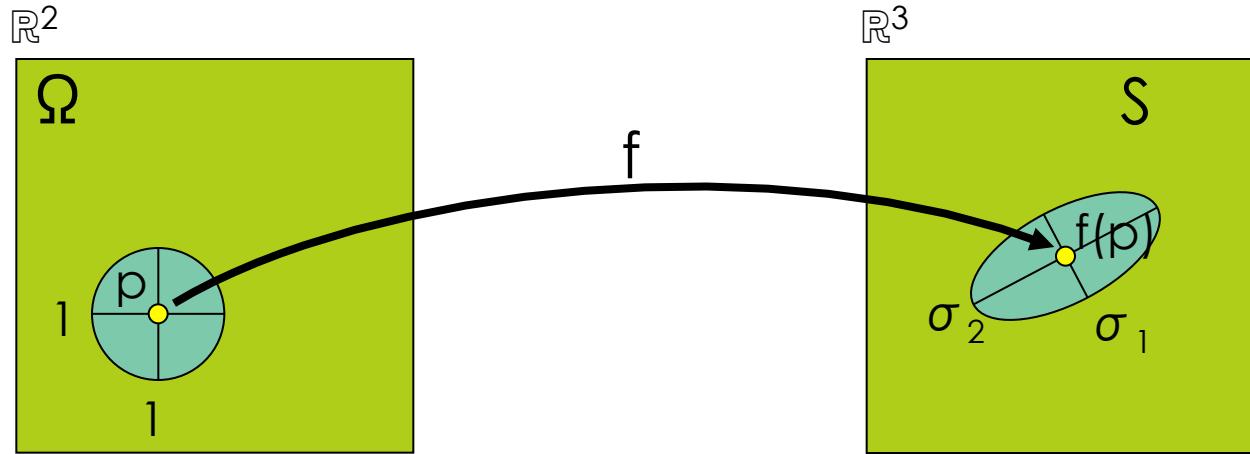


- ❑ Area and Angle: Isometric



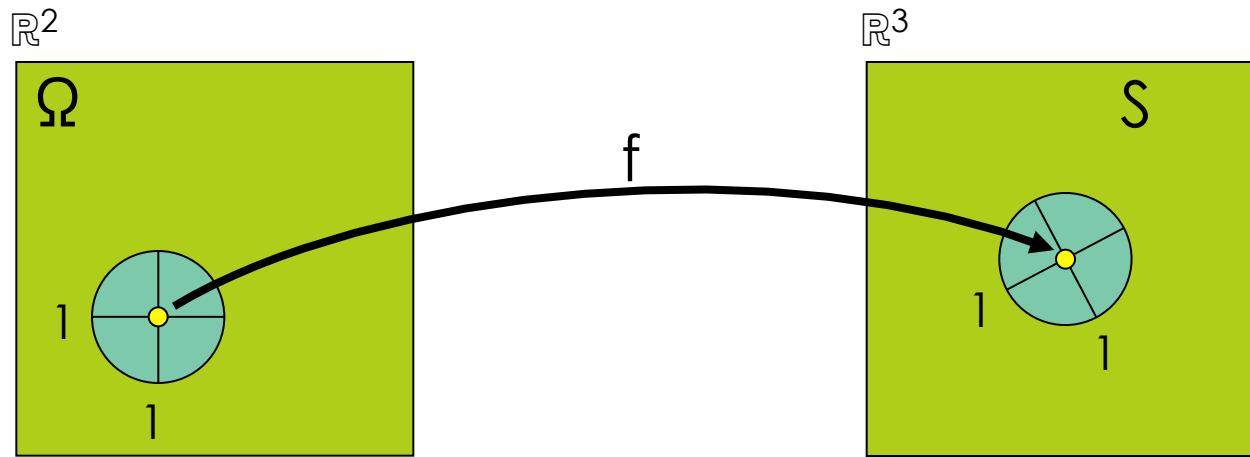
Distortion

- σ_1 and σ_2 describe local deformations



Isometric Mapping

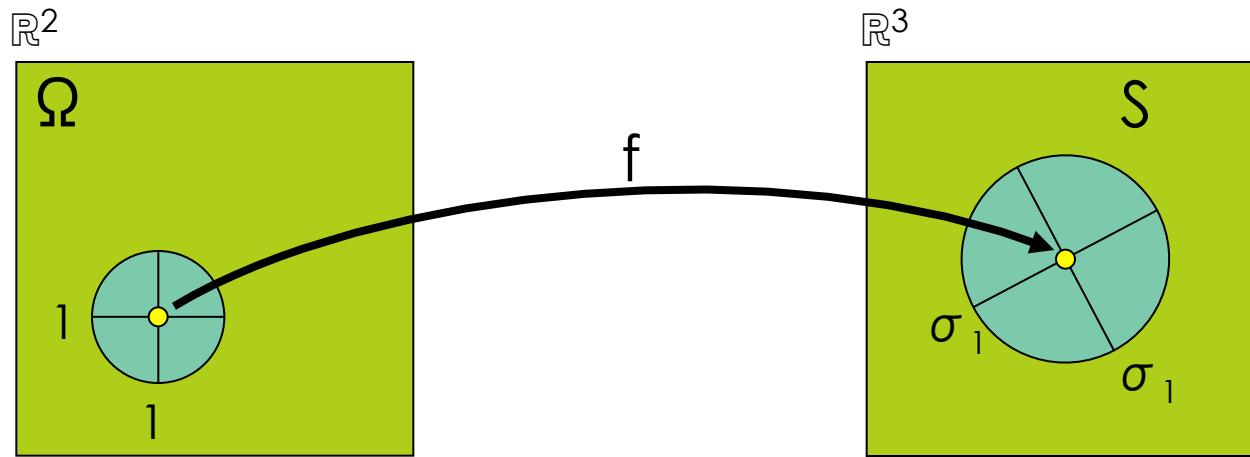
- $\sigma_1 = \sigma_2 = 1$



- preserves **areas, angles and lengths**

Conformal Mapping

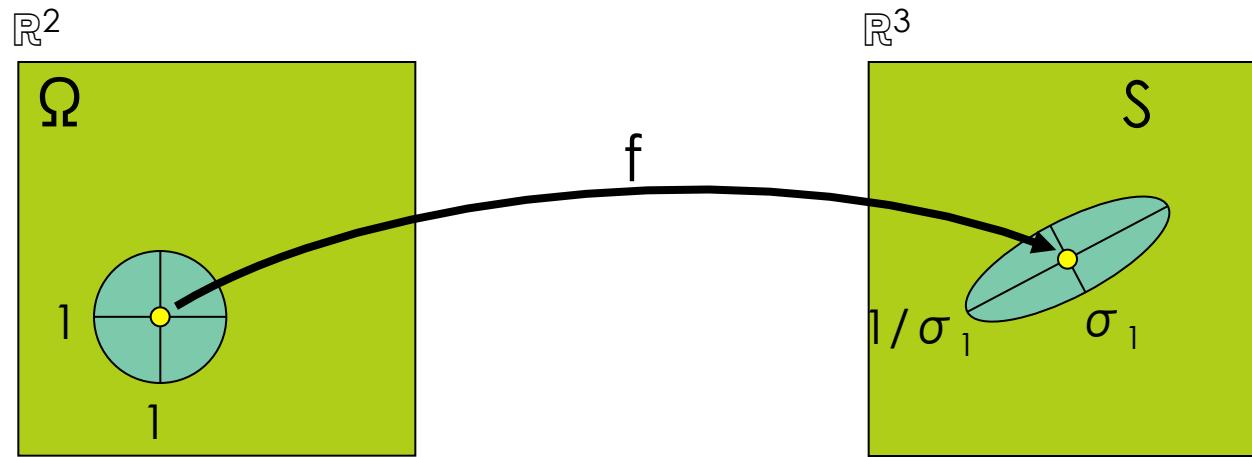
- $\sigma_1 / \sigma_2 = 1$



- preserves **angles**

Equiareal Mapping

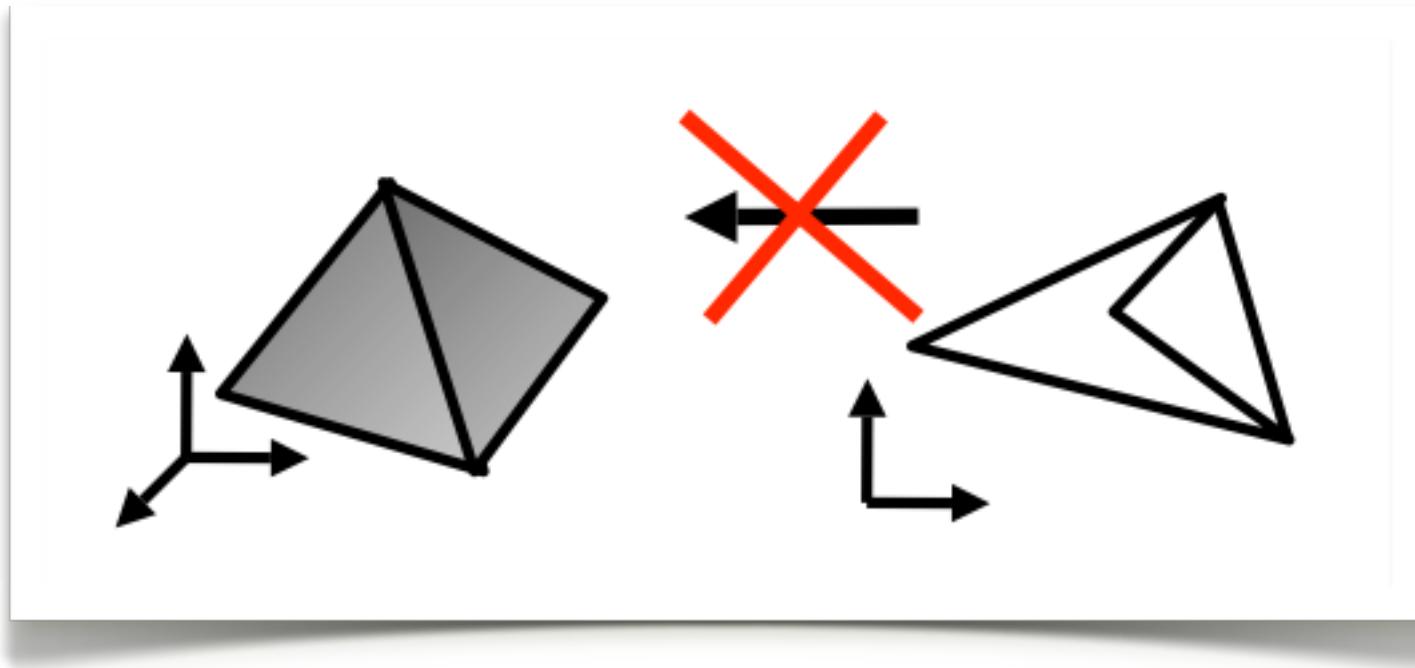
- $\sigma_1 \cdot \sigma_2 = 1$



- preserves **areas**

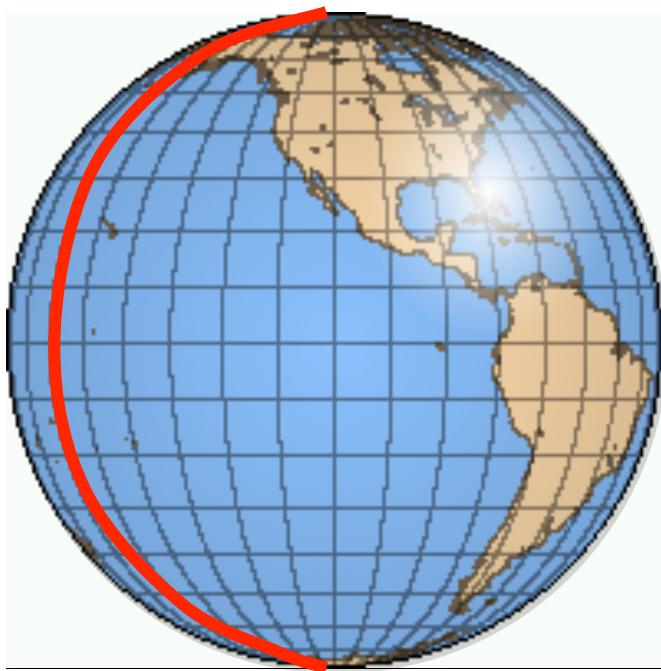
Bijection

- Parametrization map must be bijective \Leftrightarrow triangles in parametric domain do not overlap (no triangle flips)

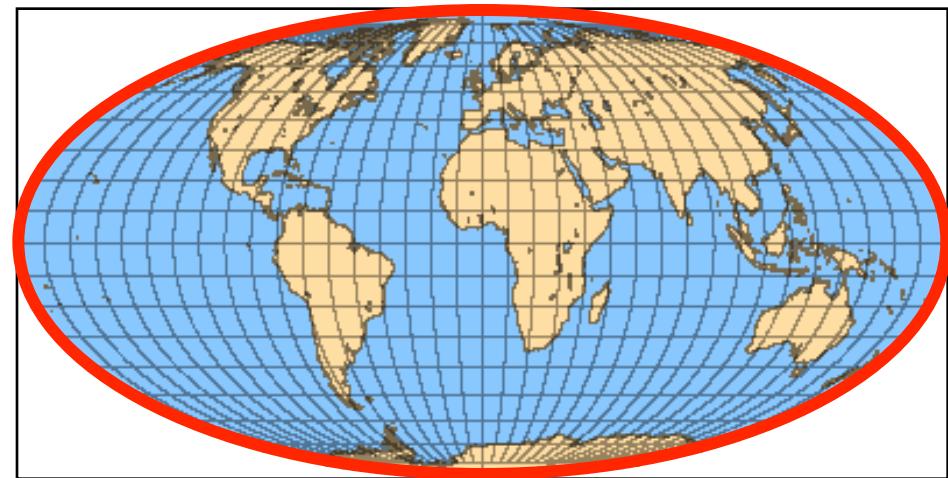


Cuts 1

- ❑ Clearly needed for closed surfaces



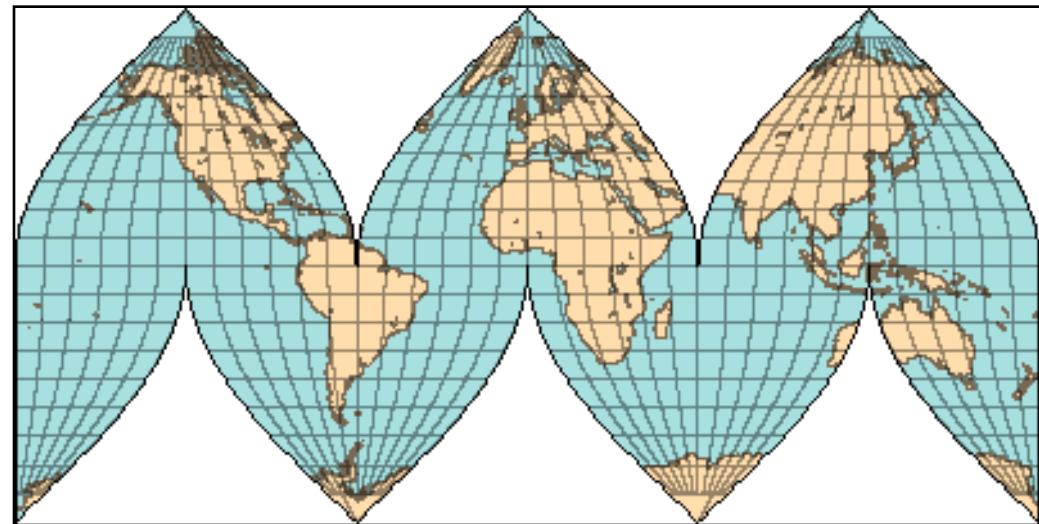
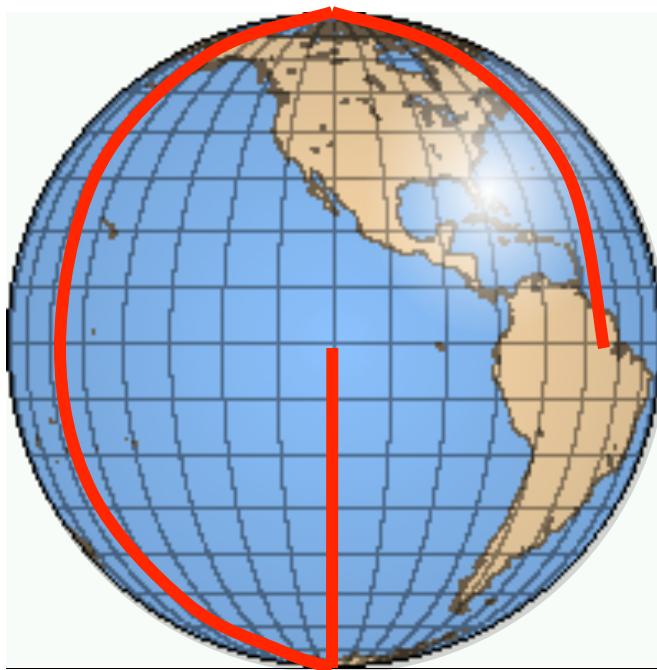
sphere in 3D



2D surface disk

Cuts 2

- ❑ Usually more cuts -> less distortion



sphere in 3D

2D surface

Cuts 3: closed surfaces

- ❑ How many cuts?



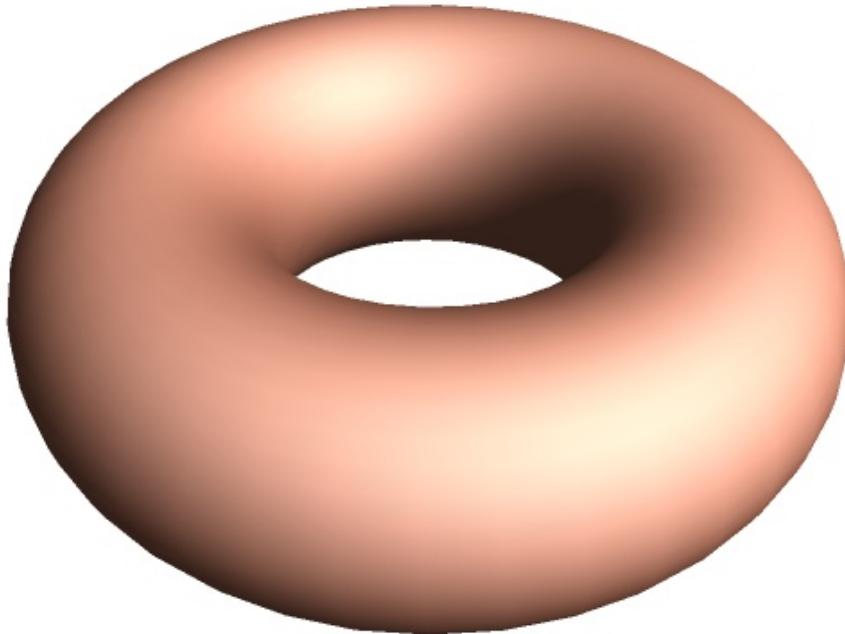
for a genus 0 surface ?



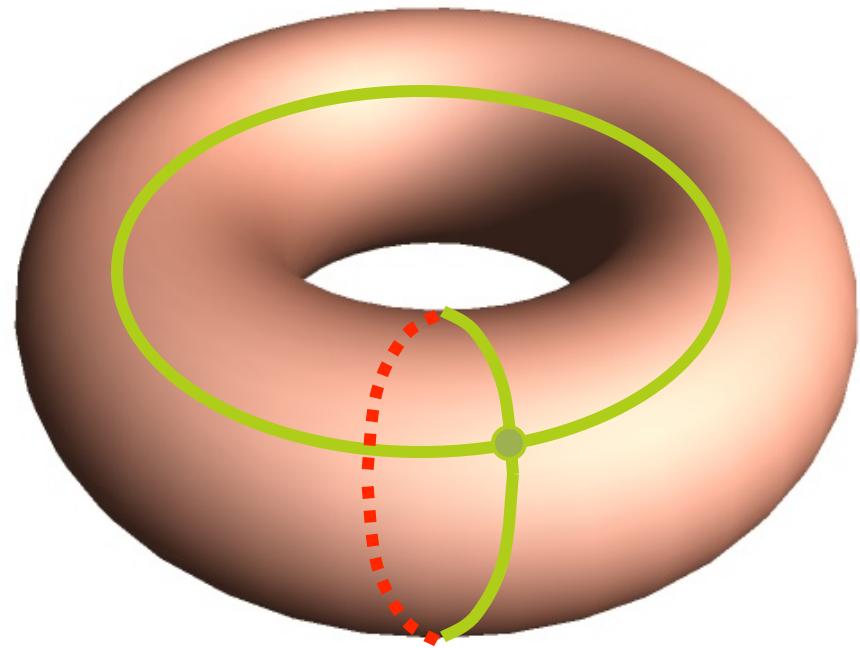
any tree of cuts

Cuts 3: closed surfaces

❑ How many cuts?



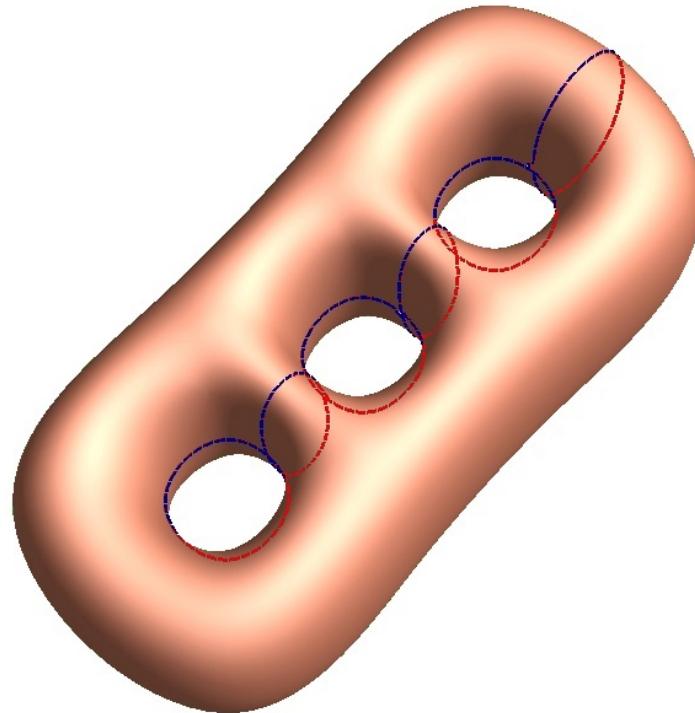
for a genus 1 surface ?



two looped cuts

Cuts 3: closed surfaces

❑ How many cuts?

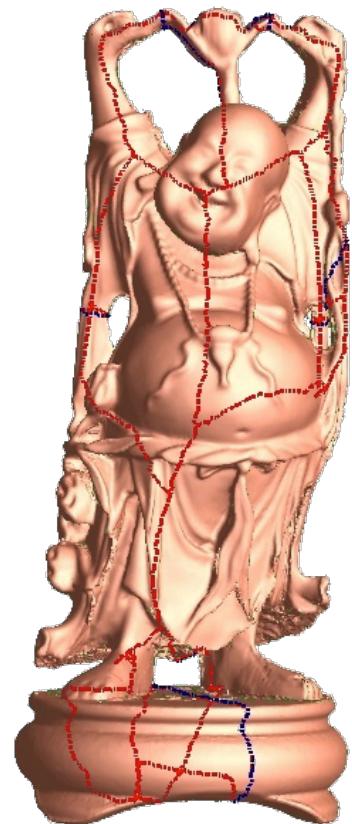


for a genus 3 surface ?

6 looped cuts

Cuts 3: closed surfaces

- ❑ How many cuts?



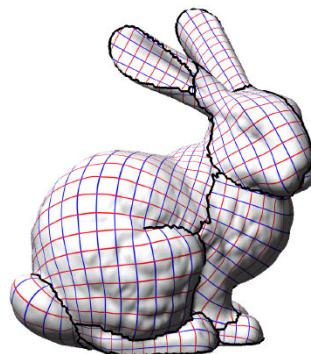
genus 6

for a genus n surface ?

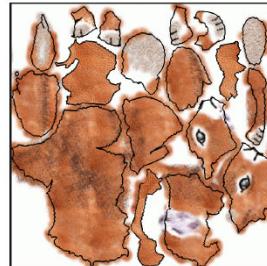
$2n$ looped cuts

Generic Cut Strategies

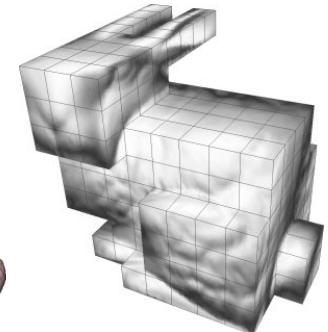
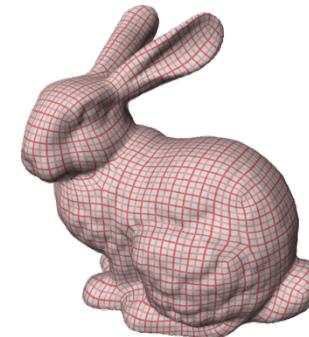
Texture Mapping



UNSTRUCTURED CUTS



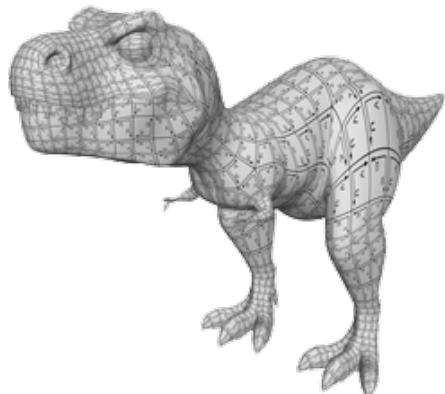
IMPLICIT



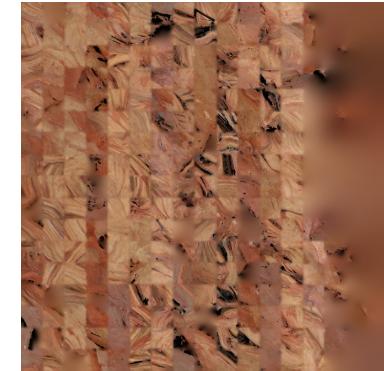
Tarini, et AL.: PolyCube Maps

Lévy, et AL.: Least squares conformal maps for automatic texture atlas generation

PER QUAD



REGULAR CUTS

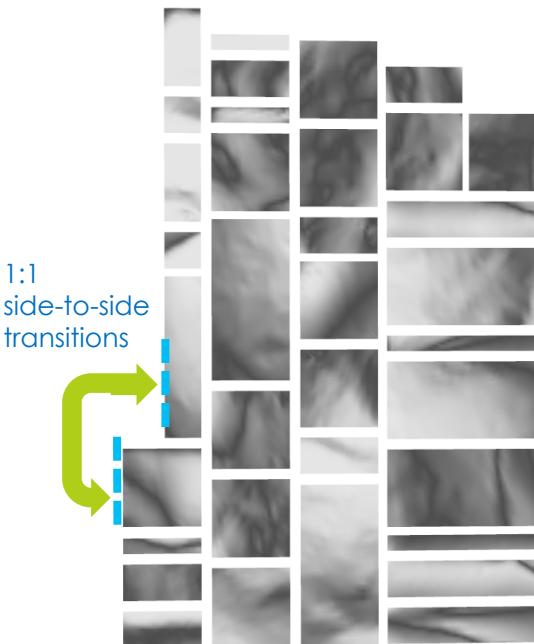
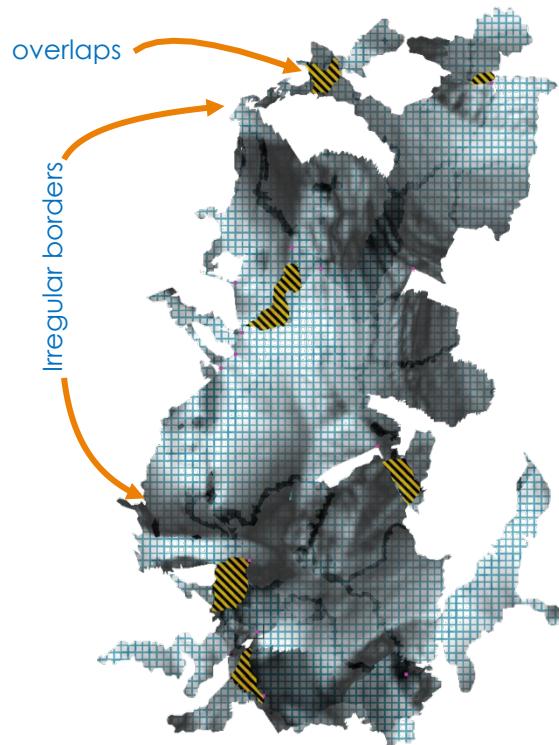


Brent Burley et al : Ptex: Per-Face Texture Mapping for Production Rendering

Pietroni, et AL.: Almost isometric mesh parameterization through abstract domains

What is a good Cut?

□ Simplicity of parametric domain



Implicit transitions



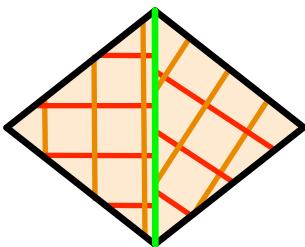
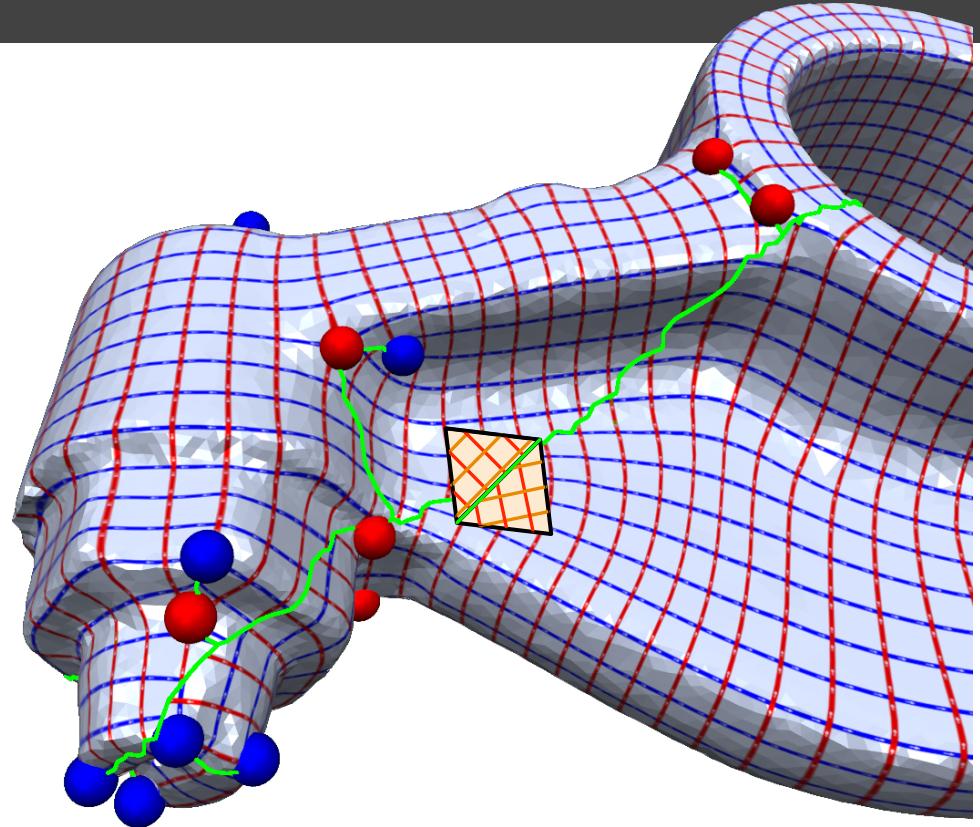
Gu, et AL.: Goemetry Images

Versatility

Simplicity

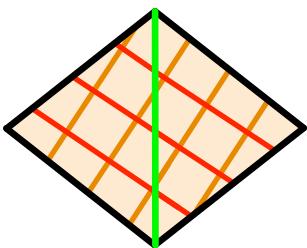
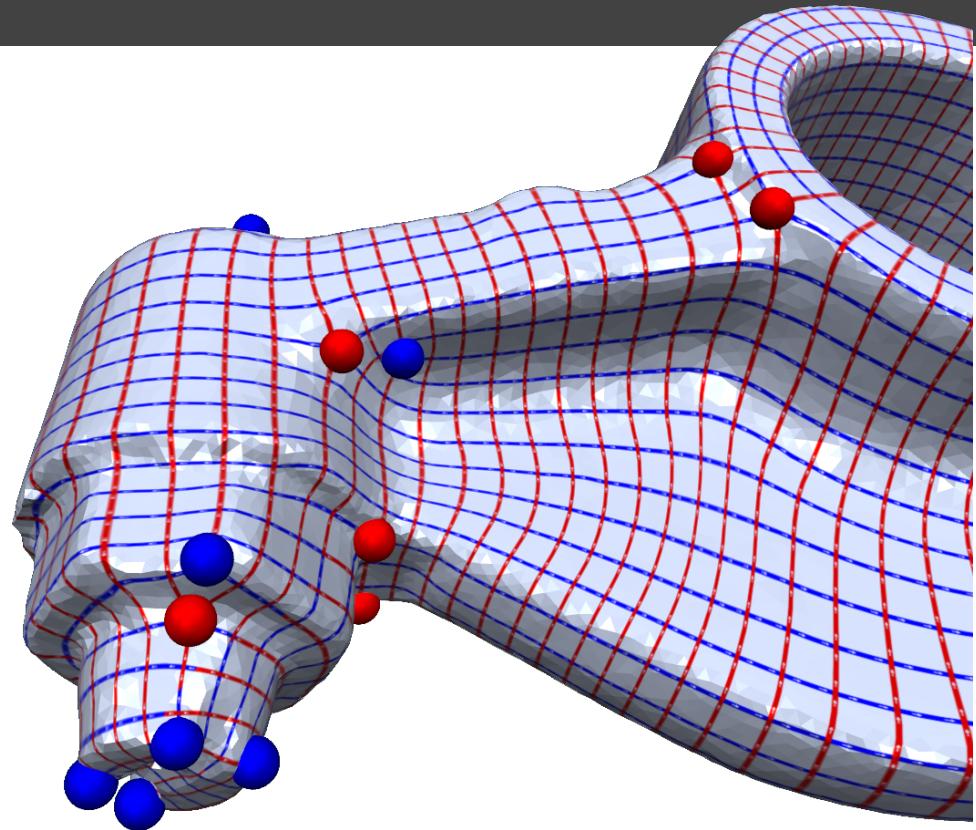
Globally Smoothness

- Tangent directions varies smoothly across seams



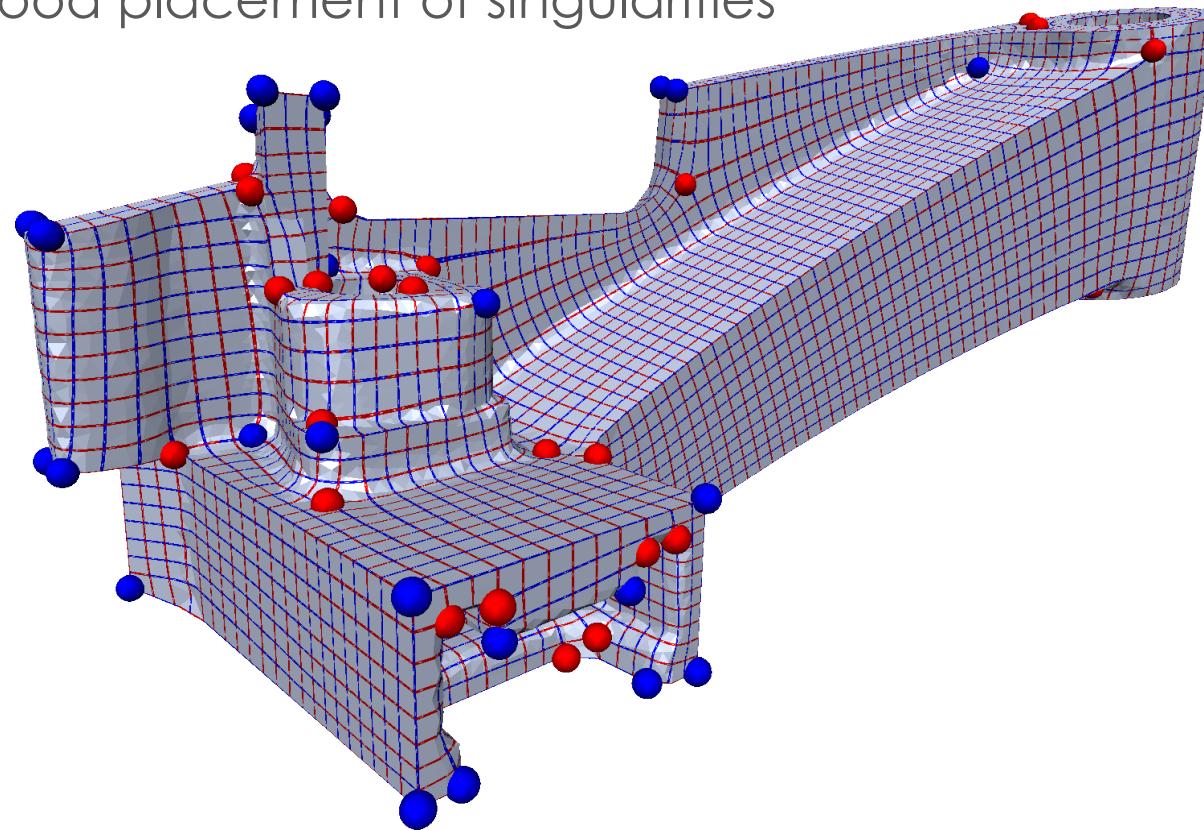
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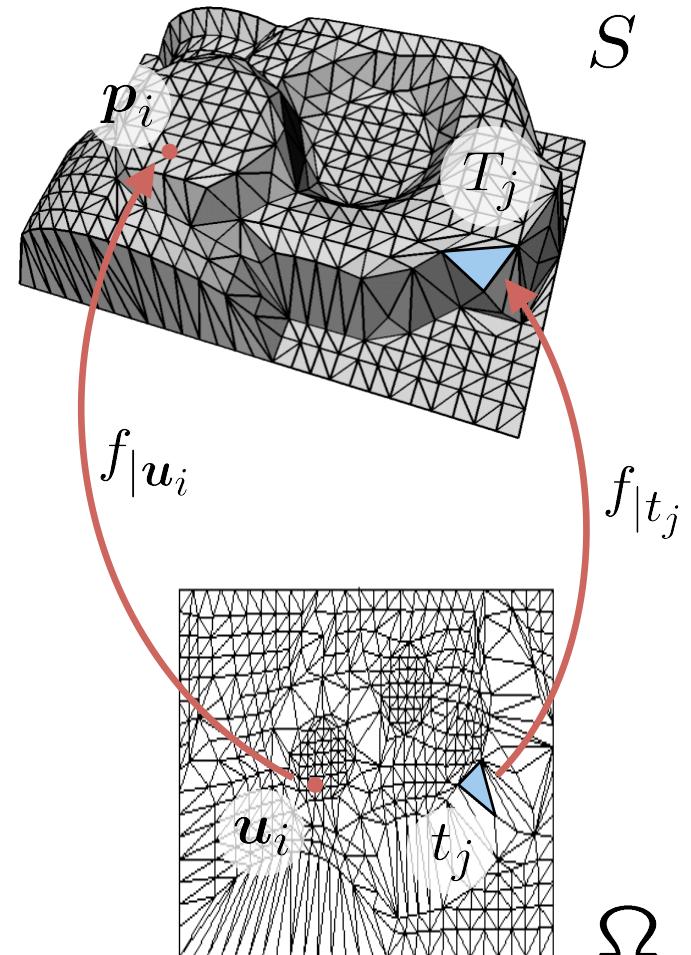
Feature Alignment

- ❑ Useful for quadrangulation
- ❑ Need good placement of singularities



Details: Parametrization

- triangle mesh $S \subset \mathbb{R}^3$
 - vertices $\mathbf{p}_1, \dots, \mathbf{p}_{n+b}$
 - Triangles T_1, \dots, T_m
- parameter mesh $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$
 - parameter points $\mathbf{u}_1, \dots, \mathbf{u}_{n+b}$
 - parameter triangles t_1, \dots, t_m
- parameterization $f : \Omega \rightarrow S$
 - piecewise linear map $f(t_j) = T_j$



Parametrization (VCG)

triangle mesh

vertices

Triangles

parameter mesh

```
MyTrimesh m;
MyTrimesh::VertexType *v=&m.vert[0];
MyTrimesh::CoordType pos=v->P();
```

```
MyTrimesh m;
MyTrimesh::FaceType *f=&m.face[0];
MyTrimesh::VertexType *v=f->V(0);
```

```
class MyTriFace;
class MyTriVertex;
struct TriUsedTypes: public vcg::UsedTypes<. . .>;
class MyTriVertex:public vcg::Vertex<TriUsedTypes,...vcg::vertex::TexCoord2d>{};
class MyTriFace:public vcg::Face<TriUsedTypes,...vcg::face::WedgeTexCoord2d>{};
class MyTriMesh: public vcg::tri::TriMesh< std::vector<MyTriVertex>,std::vector<MyTriFace > >
```

Per vertex UV

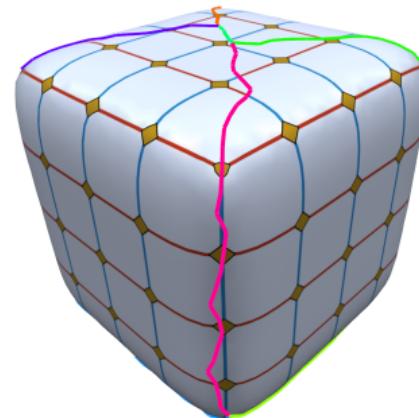
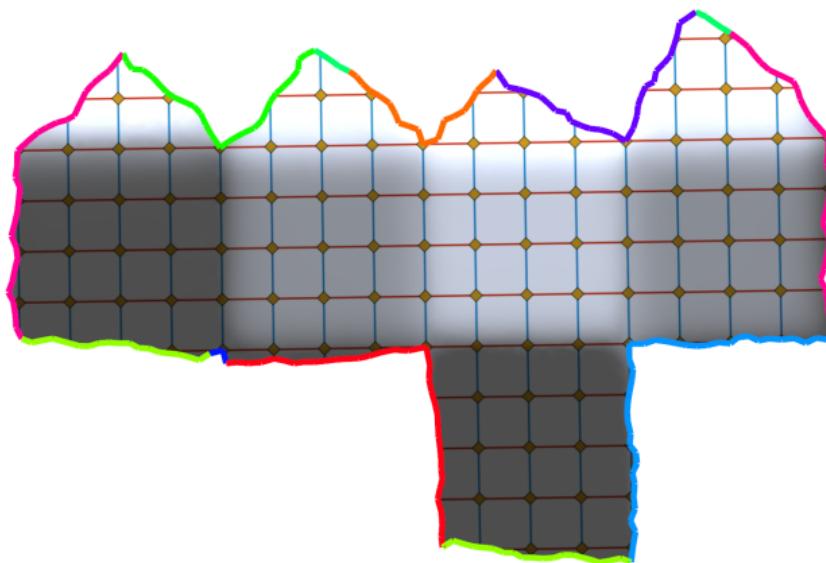
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MyTrimesh m;
MyTrimesh::VertexType *v=&m.vert[0];
vcg::Point2d uv=v->T().P();
```

Per Wedge UV

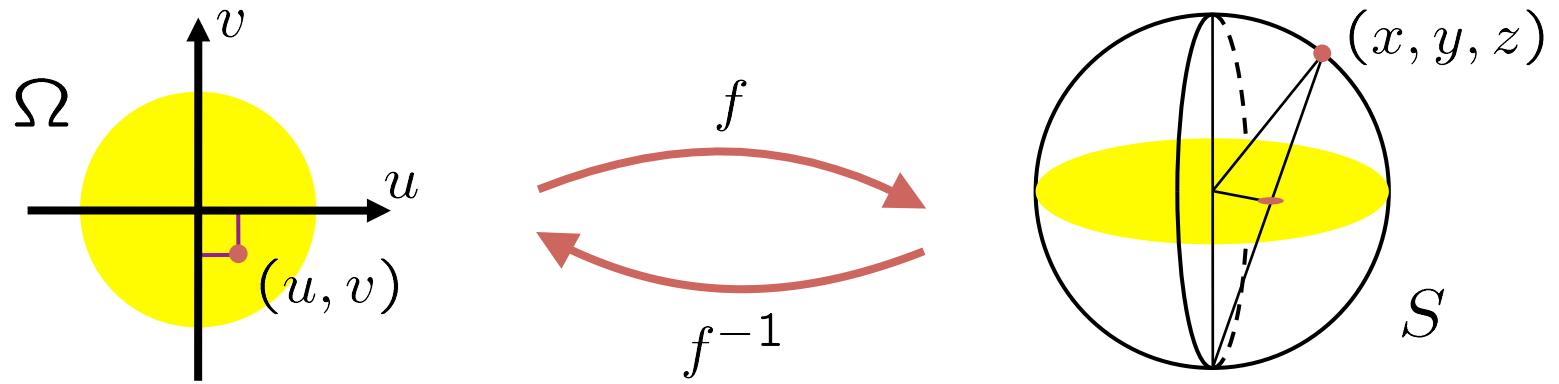
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vcg::Point2d uv=f->T(0).P();
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Parametrization (VCG)

- ❑ Per Wedge = per triangle per vertex
- ❑ Why ?
- ❑ Needed to handle seams



Parametrization: Stereo Projection



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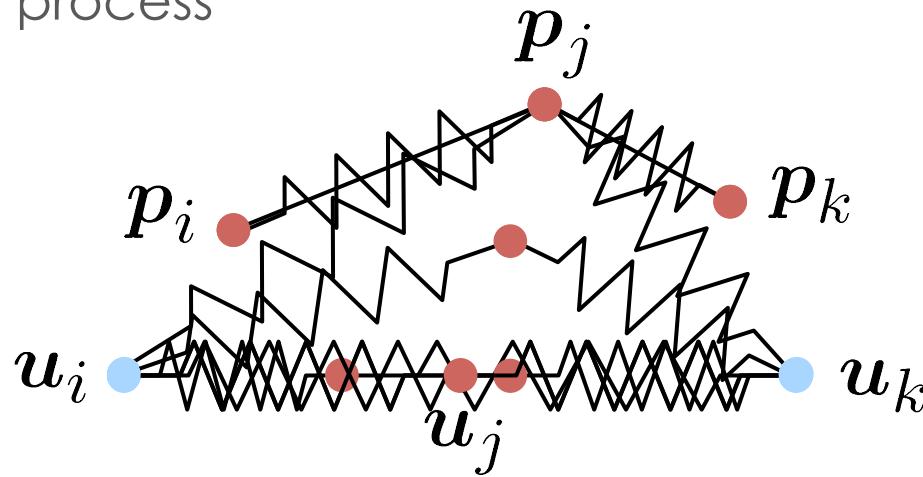
$$\Omega = \{(u, v) \in \mathbb{R}^2 : u^2 + v^2 \leq 1\}$$

$$f^{-1}(x, y, z) = \left(\frac{x}{1+z}, \frac{y}{1+z} \right)$$

$$f(u, v) = \left(\frac{2u}{1+u^2+v^2}, \frac{2v}{1+u^2+v^2}, \frac{1-u^2-v^2}{1+u^2+v^2} \right)$$

Parametrization: Mass-Spring

- ❑ replace **edges** by **springs**
- ❑ Position of vertices $p_0..p_n$
- ❑ UV Position of vertices $u_0..u_n$
- ❑ **relaxation** process



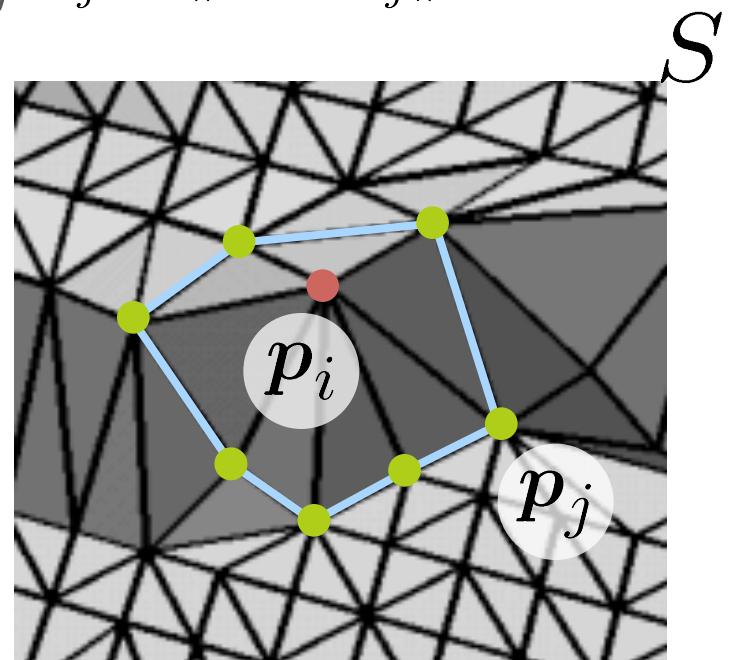
Energy Minimization

- energy of spring between p_i and p_j : $\frac{1}{2}D_{ij}s_{ij}^2$
- spring constant (stiffness) $D_{ij} > 0$
- spring length (in parametric space) $s_{ij} = \|\mathbf{u}_i - \mathbf{u}_j\|$
- total energy

$$E = \sum_{(i,j) \in \mathcal{E}} \frac{1}{2}D_{ij}\|\mathbf{u}_i - \mathbf{u}_j\|^2$$

- partial derivative

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial \mathbf{u}_i} = \sum_{j \in N_i} D_{ij}(\mathbf{u}_i - \mathbf{u}_j)$$



Linear System

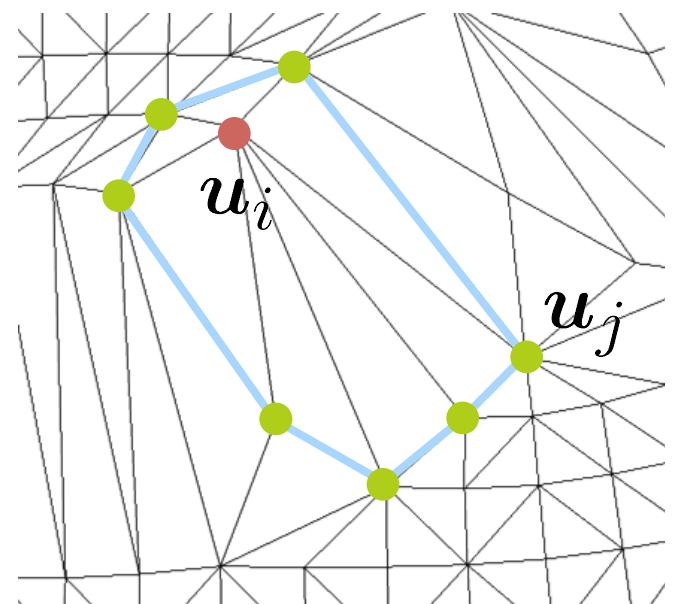
- u_i is expressed as a **convex combination** of its neighbours u_j

$$u_i = \sum_{j \in N_i} \lambda_{ij} u_j$$

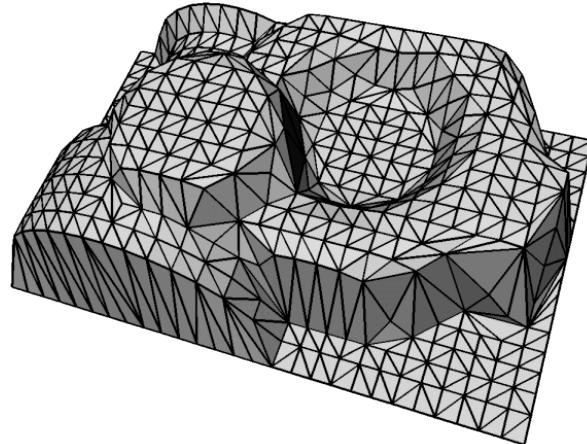
- With weights

$$\lambda_{ij} = D_{ij} / \sum_{k \in N_i} D_{ik}$$

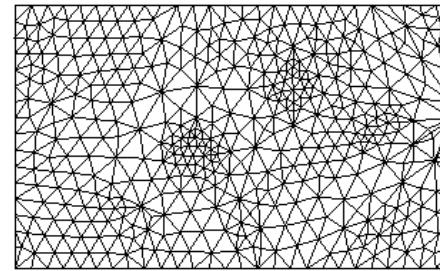
- LEAD to Linear System!



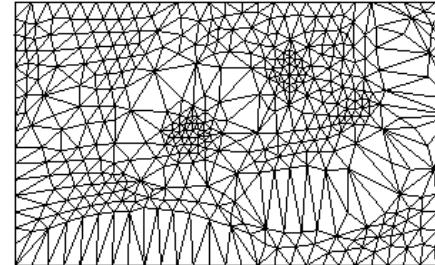
Which Weights?



- ❑ uniform spring constants

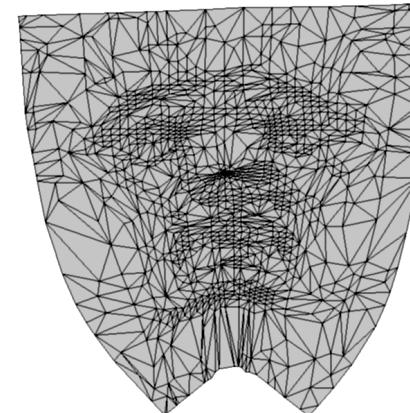
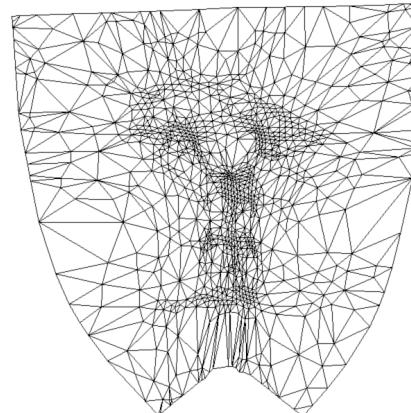
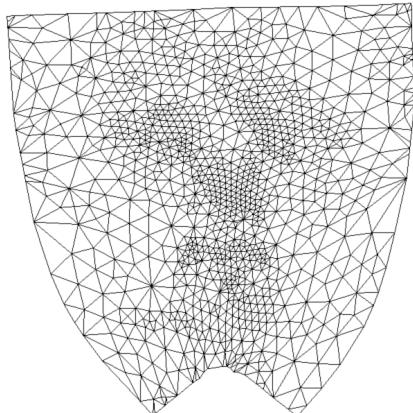


- ❑ Proportional to 3D distance



Which Weights?

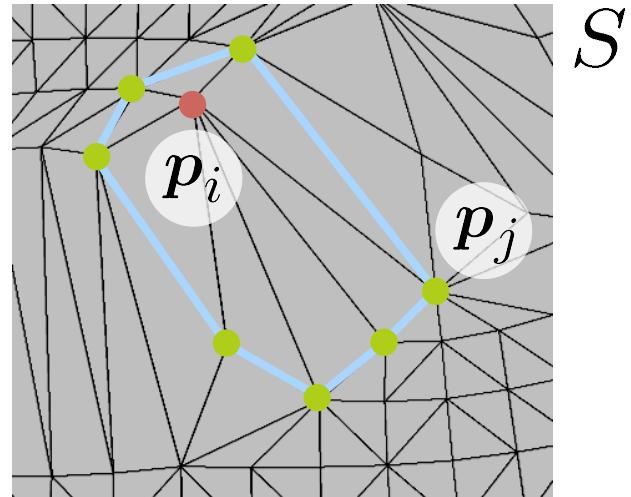
- ❑ **NO** linear reproduction
- ❑ Planar mesh are distorted



Which Weights?

- ❑ suppose \mathbb{S} to be planar
- ❑ specify weights λ_{ij} such that

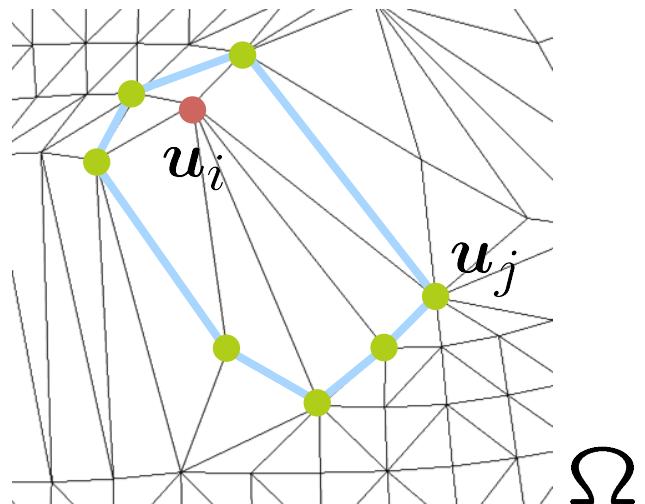
$$\mathbf{p}_i = \sum_{j \in N_i} \lambda_{ij} \mathbf{p}_j$$



- ❑ Then solving

$$\mathbf{u}_i = \sum_{j \in N_i} \lambda_{ij} \mathbf{u}_j$$

- ❑ Reproduces \mathbb{S}



Which Weights?

- ❑ Wachspress coordinates

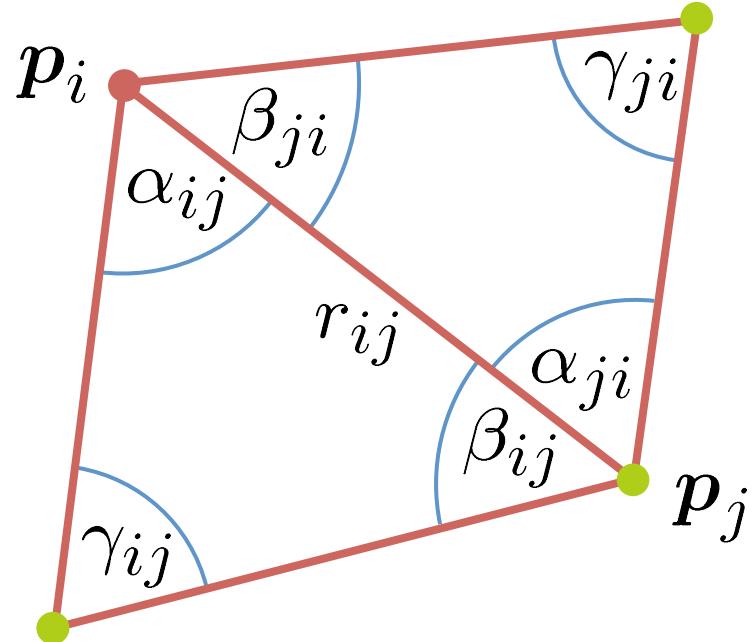
$$w_{ij} = \frac{\cot \alpha_{ji} + \cot \beta_{ij}}{r_{ij}^2}$$

- ❑ discrete harmonic coordinates

$$w_{ij} = \cot \gamma_{ij} + \cot \gamma_{ji}$$

- ❑ mean value coordinates

$$w_{ij} = \frac{\tan \frac{\alpha_{ij}}{2} + \tan \frac{\beta_{ji}}{2}}{r_{ij}}$$



normalization

$$\lambda_{ij} = \frac{w_{ij}}{\sum_{k \in N_i} w_{ik}}$$

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