



EDAF80 Introduction to Computer Graphics

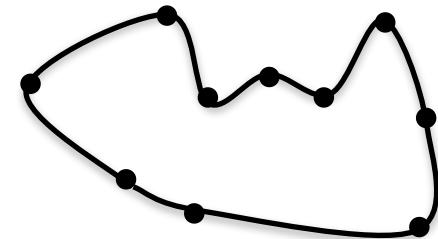
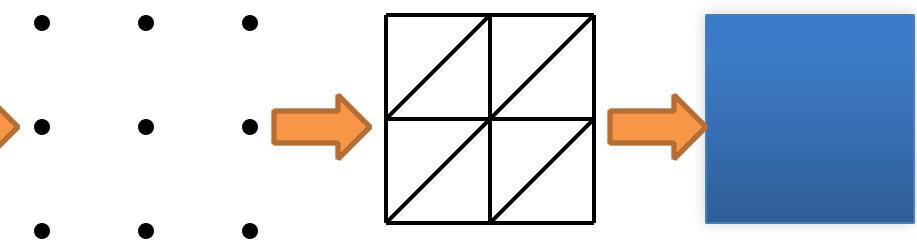
Seminar 2

Tessellation & Interpolation

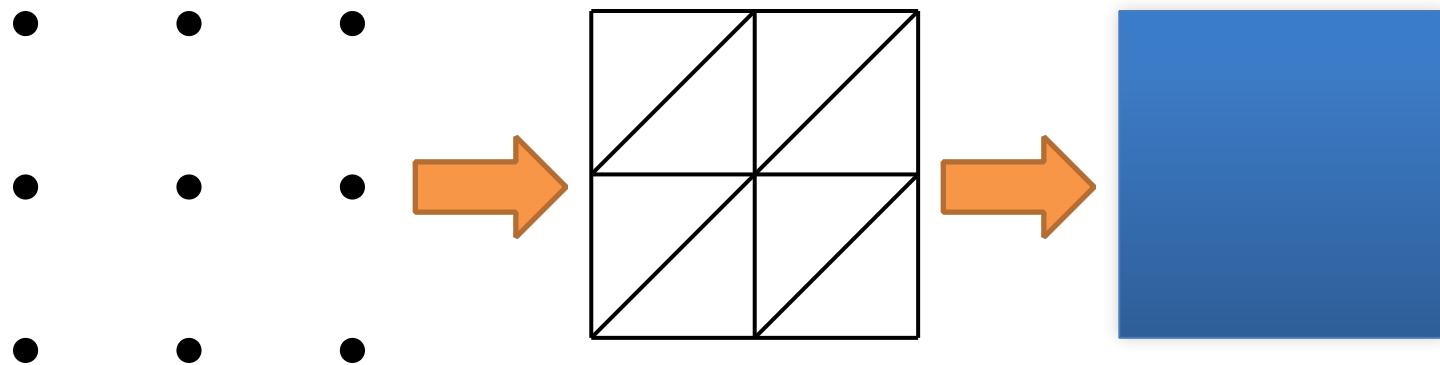
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Today

- Tessellation $p(u, v)$
- Linear and cubic interpolation
- Assignment 2
- Git



Tessellation Walkthrough: Quad



1. Setup *vertex array*
2. Setup *index array* (triangulate)

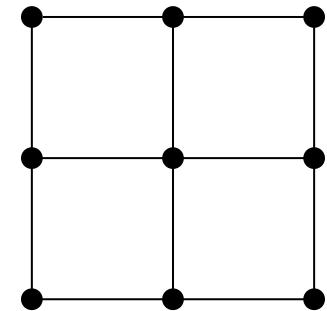
Quad: vertex array creation

- **Create vertex array (e.g. 3x3 vertices)**

```
auto vertices = std::vector<glm::vec3>(9);
```

- **Assign one vertex**

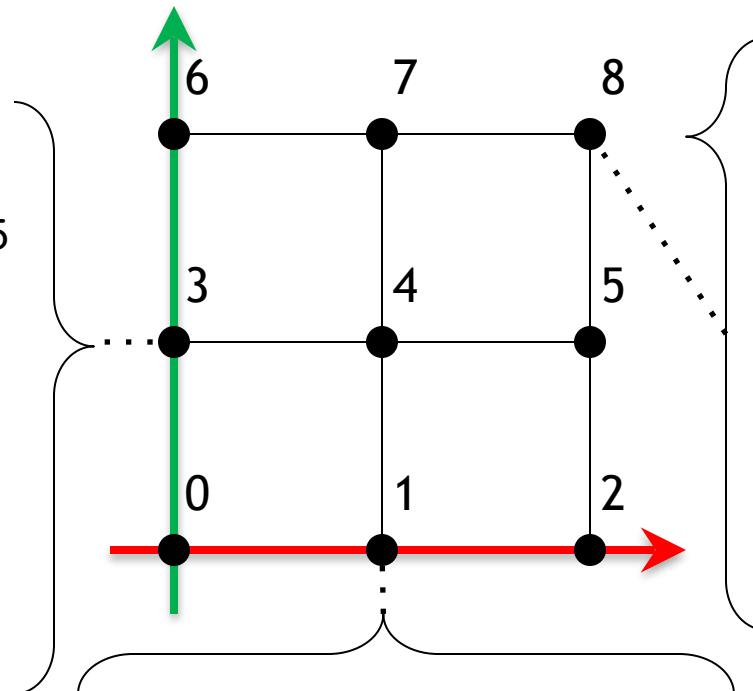
```
vertices[index] = glm::vec3(x,y,z);
```



Quad: vertex array setup

- Set vertices

`vertices[3].x = 0`
`vertices[3].y = 0.5`
`vertices[3].z = 0`



`vertices[8].x = 1`
`vertices[8].y = 1`
`vertices[8].z = 0`

`vertices[1].x = 0.5`
`vertices[1].y = 0`
`vertices[1].z = 0`

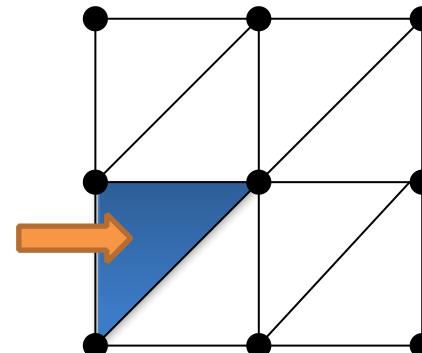
Quad: Triangulation

- Create index array (2(3-1)(3-1) triangles)

```
auto indices = std::vector<glm::uvec3>( 8 );
```

- Define triangle (indices for three vertices)

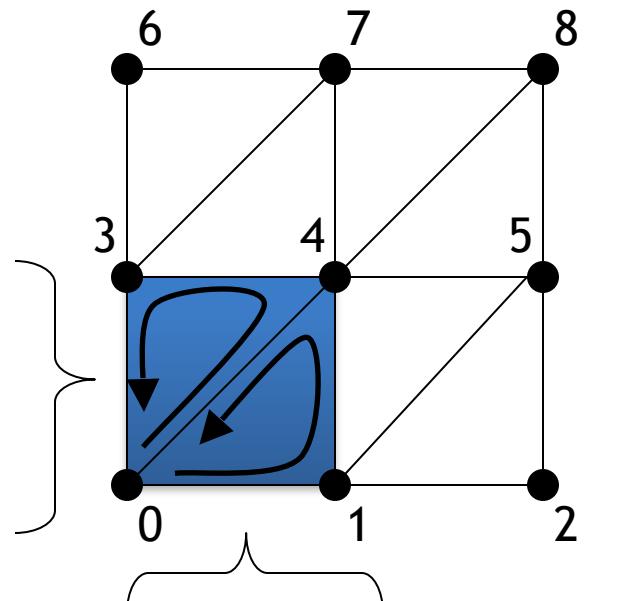
- `indices[index] = glm::vec3(x , y , z);`



Quad: Triangulation

- Indices in counter-clockwise order (ccw)

```
indices[1].x = 0;  
indices[1].y = 4;  
indices[1].z = 3;
```

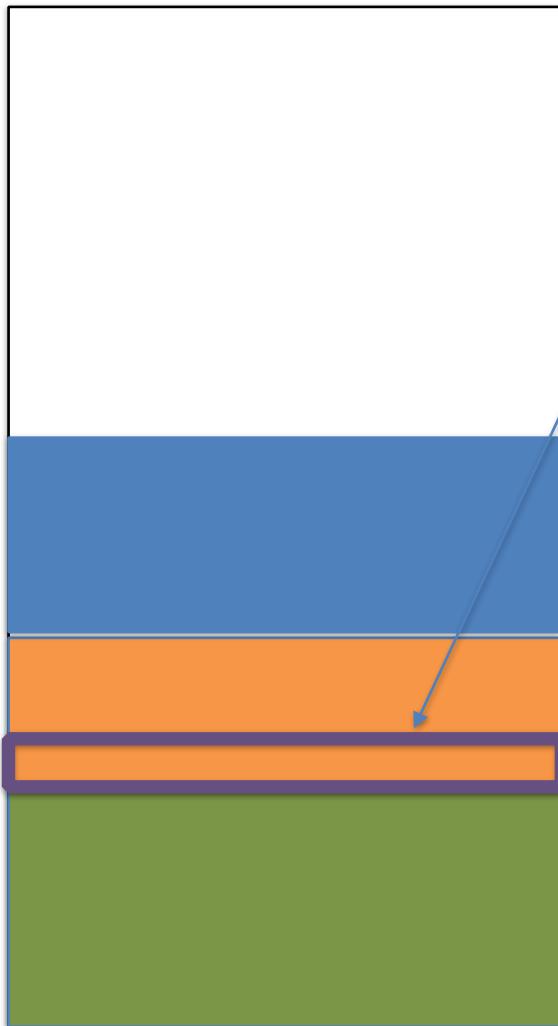


```
indices[0].x = 0;  
indices[0].y = 1;  
indices[0].z = 4;
```

Backface culling is off by default
Turn it on to improve performance!

Recap: Where Are Your Vertices?

RAM

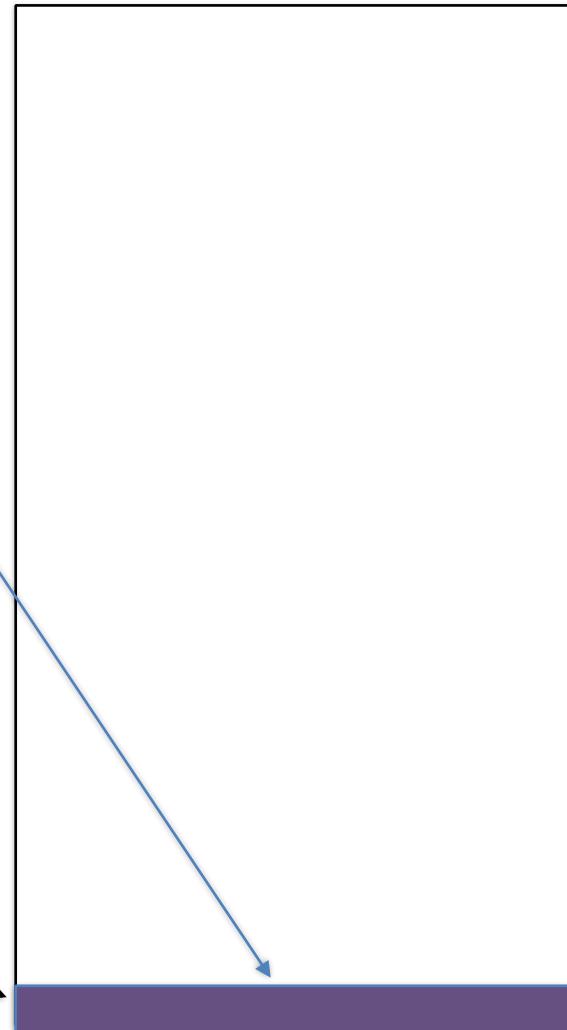


vertices is on the stack,
in RAM, unaccessible by the
GPU

VBO: an area of memory
in VRAM, on the GPU,
allocated by
glBufferData

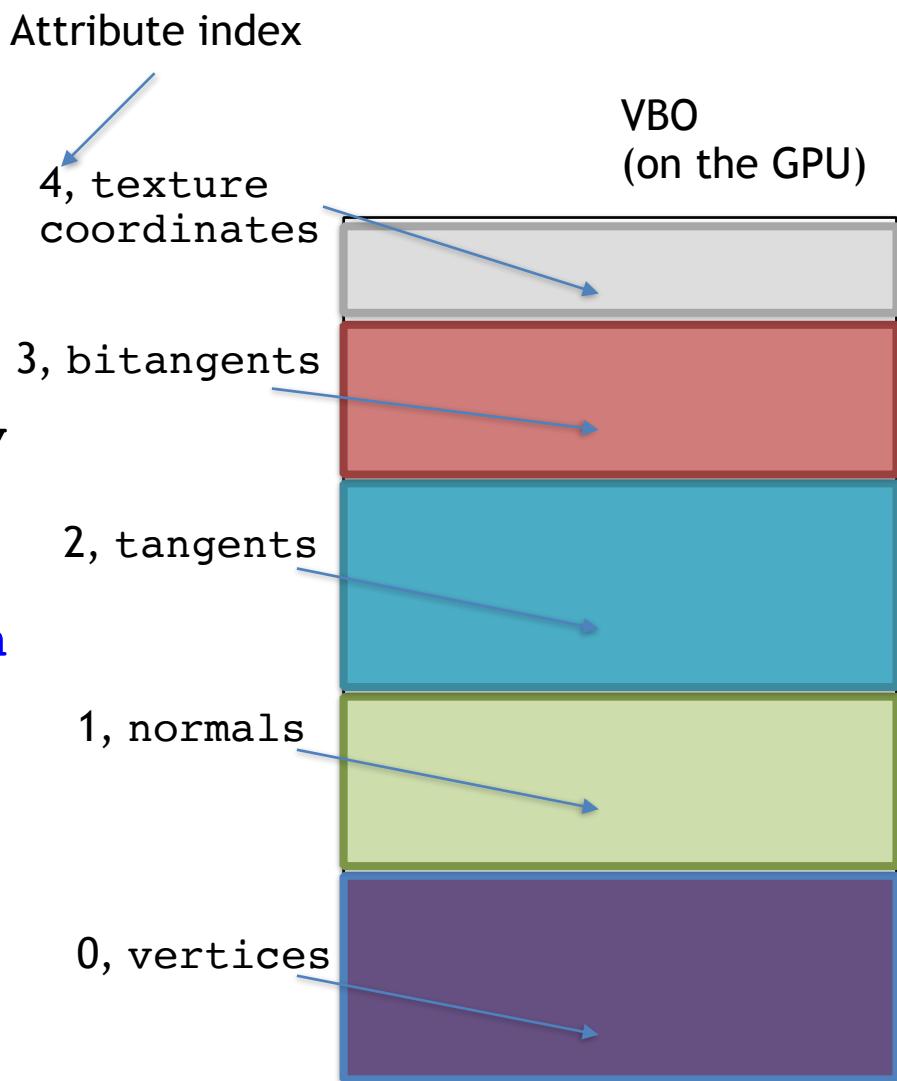
glBufferData
will also copy the data
from RAM, into VRAM

VRAM (on
the GPU)

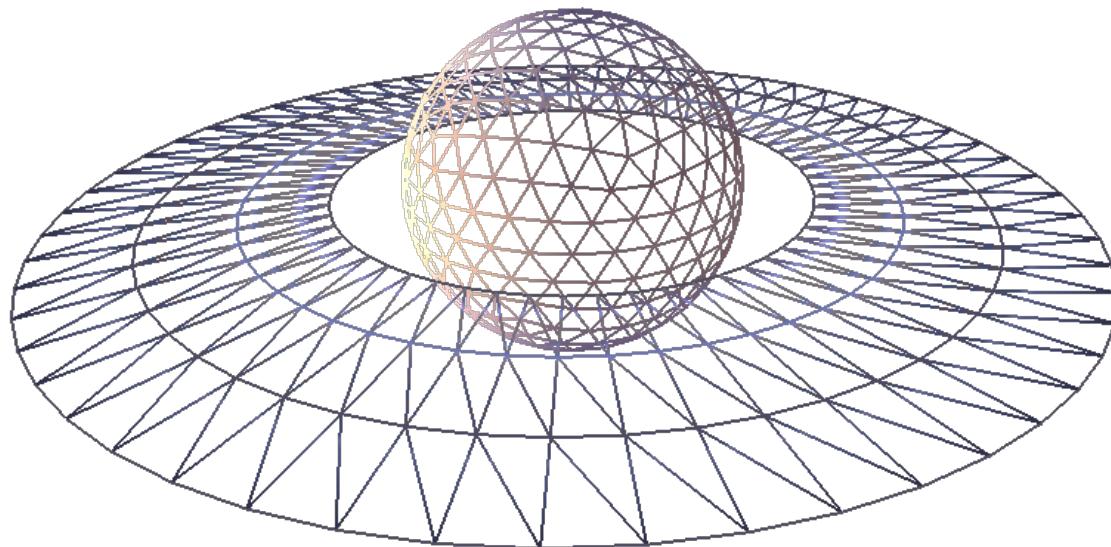


Placing the vertex attributes

- Same VBO used for multiple attributes
- Attributes stored in VAO (Vertex Array Object)
- Enabled using
`glEnableVertexAttribArray(
 uint attribute_index)`
- Configured via
`glVertexAttribPointer(uint
 attribute_index, uint
 component_count, GLenum
 component_type, GLbool
 normalize, GLsizei stride,
 GLvoid const* offset)`

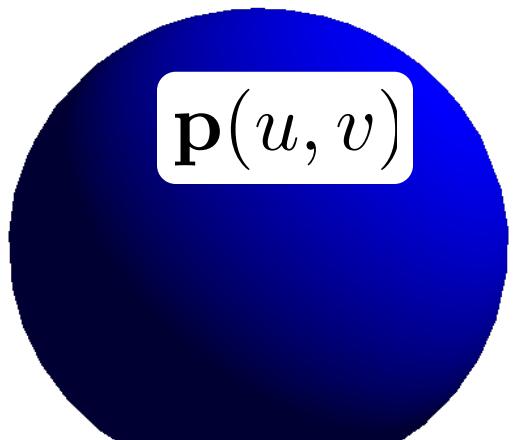


Parametric surfaces



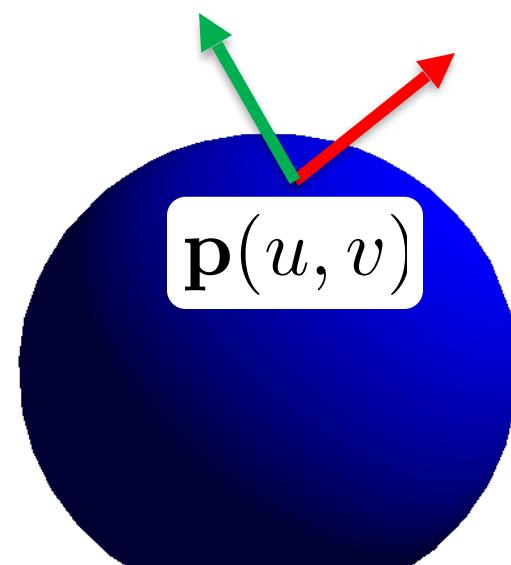
Parametric surface & tangent space

- Map surface from 2D: $\mathbf{p}(x, y, z) = \mathbf{p}(u, v)$
 $: \mathbb{R}^2 \mapsto \mathbb{R}^3$

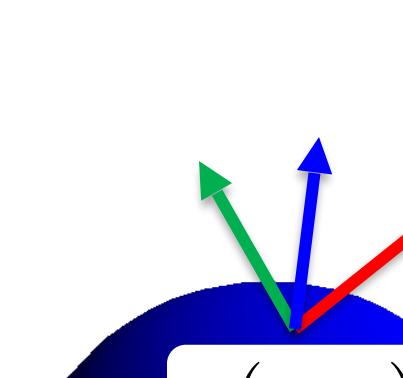


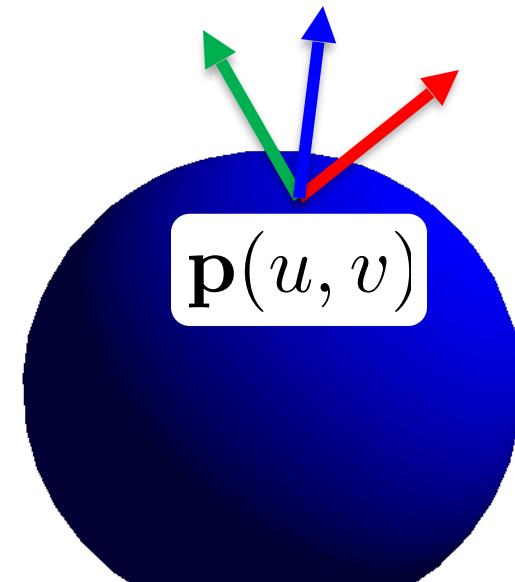
$\mathbf{p}(u, v)$

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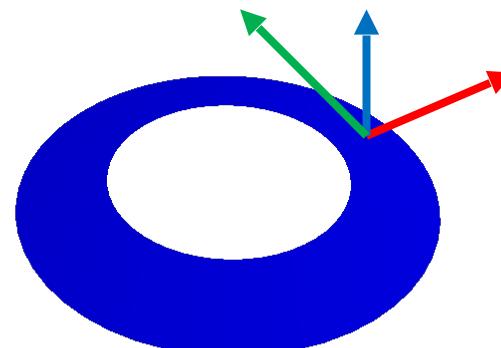
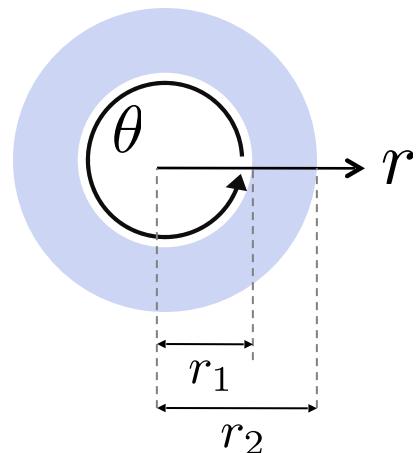
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 - tangent $\mathbf{t} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial u}$
 - binormal $\mathbf{b} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial v}$
 - normal $\mathbf{n} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial u} \times \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial v}$



Circle ring

Surface $\mathbf{p}(r, \theta) = \begin{Bmatrix} r \cos(\theta) \\ r \sin(\theta) \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}, r_1 \leq r \leq r_2, 0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

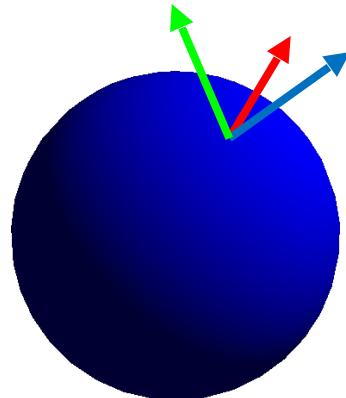
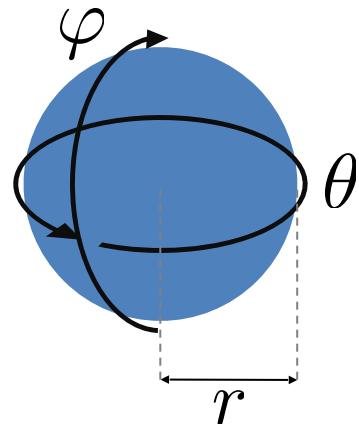
$$\mathbf{t} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial r} = \begin{Bmatrix} \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix} \quad \mathbf{b} = \frac{\partial \mathbf{p}}{\partial \theta} = \begin{Bmatrix} -r \sin(\theta) \\ r \cos(\theta) \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$



Sphere

Surface $\mathbf{p}(\theta, \varphi) = \begin{Bmatrix} r \sin(\theta) \sin(\varphi) \\ -r \cos(\varphi) \\ r \cos(\theta) \sin(\varphi) \end{Bmatrix}, 0 \leq \theta \leq 2\pi, 0 \leq \varphi \leq \pi$

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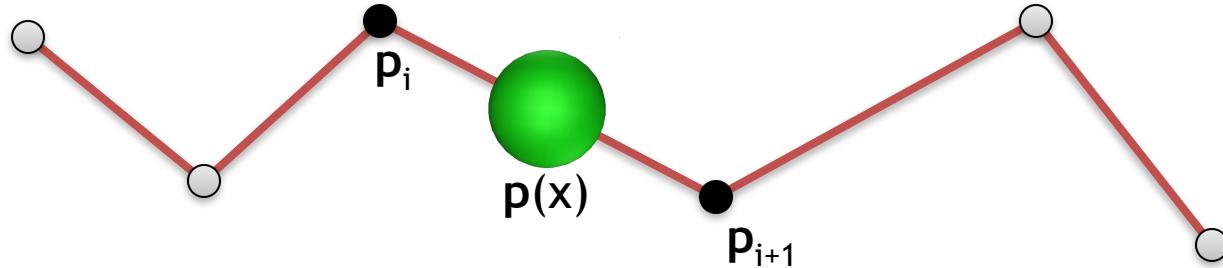
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- \mathbf{t} and \mathbf{b} can be simplified since only direction is important
- \mathbf{t} needs to be simplified, or it will be undefined for $\varphi=0$

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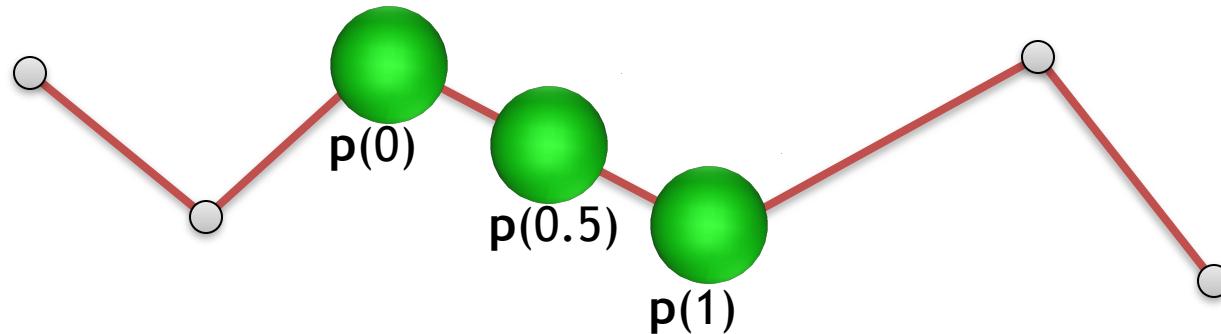
Linear interpolation (LERP)



$$p(x) = [1 \quad x] \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_i \\ p_{i+1} \end{bmatrix}, x \in [0, 1]$$

Linear interpolation (LERP)

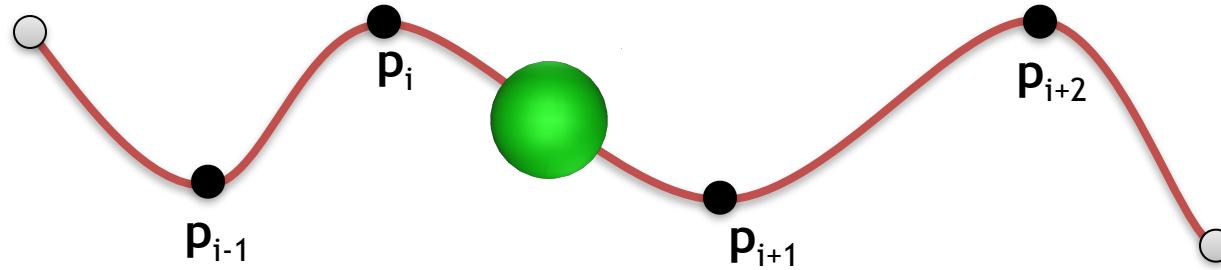
- Interpolate between p_i and p_{i+1} for $x = [0, 1]$



$$\mathbf{p}(x) = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_i \\ \mathbf{p}_{i+1} \end{bmatrix}, x \in [0, 1]$$

Cubic interpolation

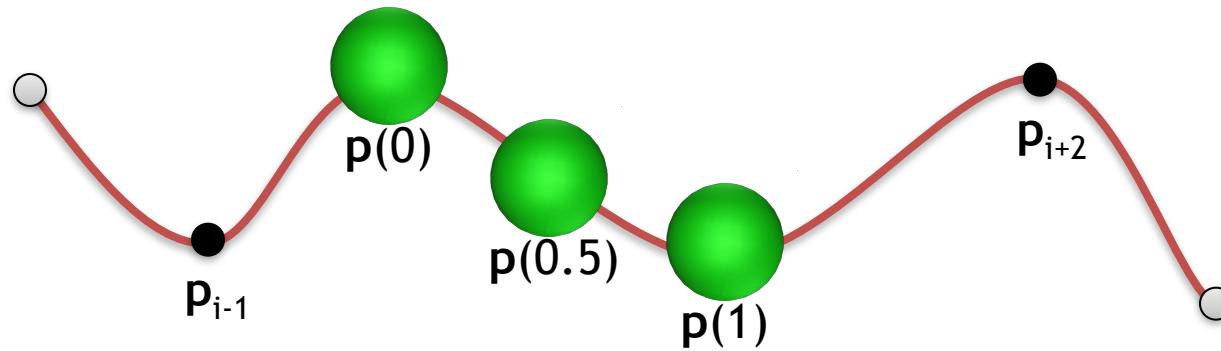
- Catmull-Rom spline



$$\mathbf{q}(x) = [1 \quad x \quad x^2 \quad x^3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\tau & 0 & \tau & 0 \\ 2\tau & \tau - 3 & 3 - 2\tau & -\tau \\ -\tau & 2 - \tau & \tau - 2 & \tau \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} p_{i-1} \\ p_i \\ p_{i+1} \\ p_{i+2} \end{bmatrix}, x \in [0, 1]$$

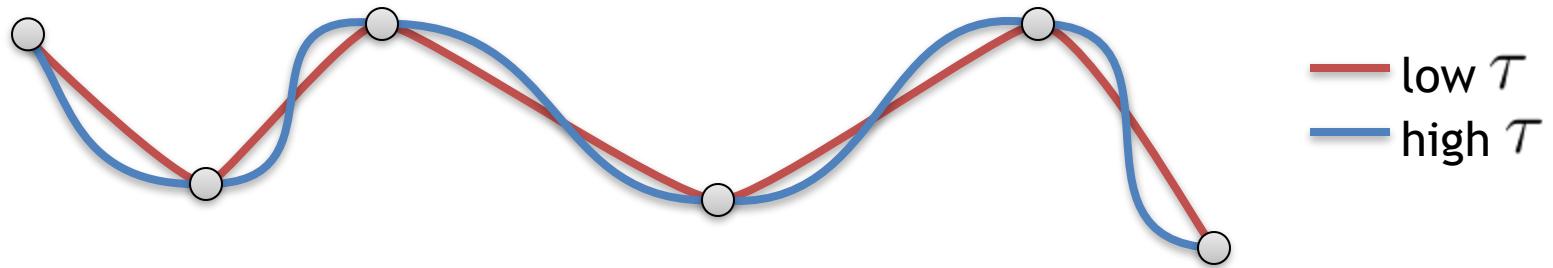
Cubic interpolation

- Interpolate between p_i and p_{i+1} for $x = [0, 1]$, using $p_{i-1}, p_i, p_{i+1}, p_{i+2}$



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Tension



$$\mathbf{q}(x) = [1 \quad x \quad x^2 \quad x^3] \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\tau & 0 & \tau & 0 \\ 2\tau & \tau - 3 & 3 - 2\tau & -\tau \\ -\tau & 2 - \tau & \tau - 2 & \tau \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{p}_{i-1} \\ \mathbf{p}_i \\ \mathbf{p}_{i+1} \\ \mathbf{p}_{i+2} \end{bmatrix}, x \in [0, 1]$$

τ = tension, how sharply the curve bends at control points
Keep within $[0, 1]$
Good initial value: 0.5

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Take a break :)

- Unity Real-Time Adam demo
 - <https://youtu.be/GXI0l3yqBrA>

Assignment 2

1. Tessellate objects from parametric equation
2. Linear and cubic interpolation

Assignment 2: Tessellation

- Implement function bodies in `src/EDAF80/parametric_shapes.cpp` :

```
parametric_shapes::createQuad(...);  
parametric_shapes::createSphere(...);  
parametric_shapes::createTorus(...); (Optional)
```

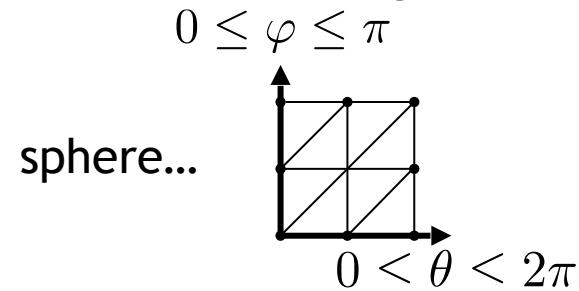
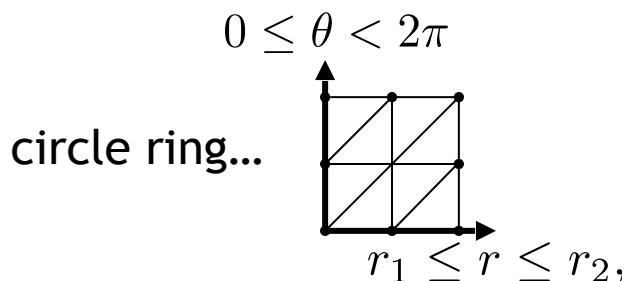
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- **Hint**

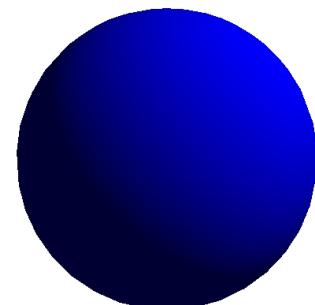
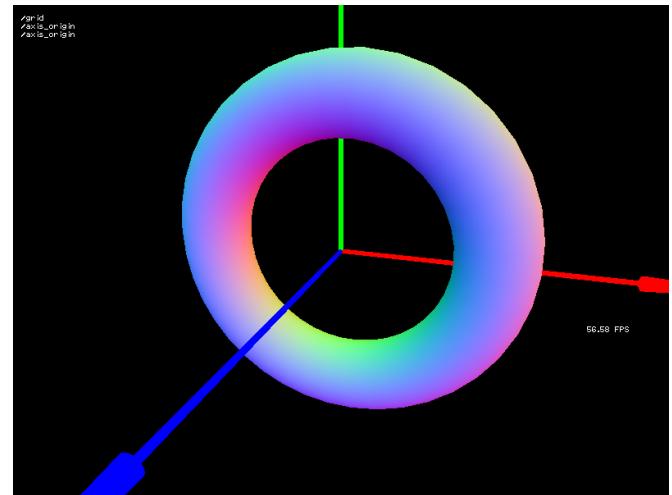
Examine, in the same file: `createCircleRing(...);`
Note: check parameter definitions & ranges



Assignment 2: Tessellation

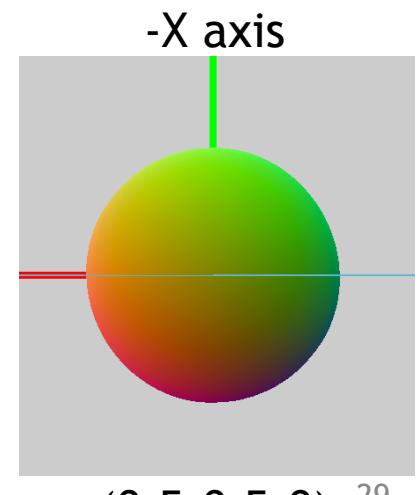
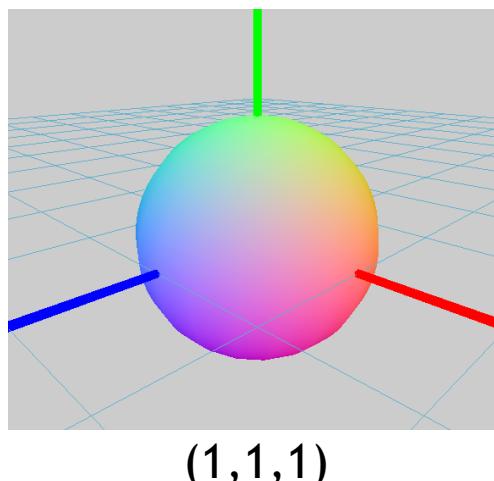
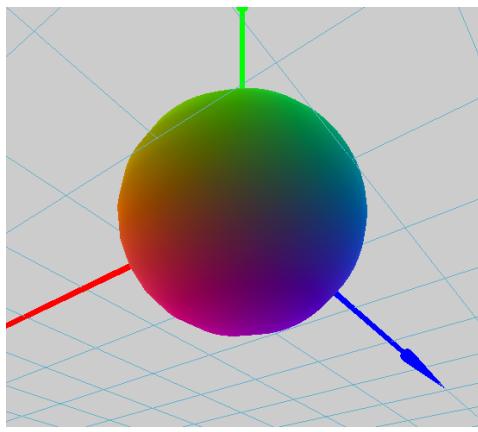
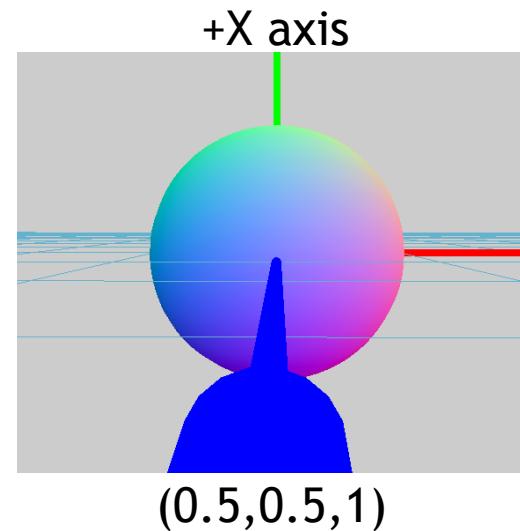
Debugging normals/vectors

- Colorize
 - Use the “*Normals*”-shader to represent normals as RGB-values
- Inspect illumination
 - Is illumination consistent with the location of the light source?



Normals shader on a sphere

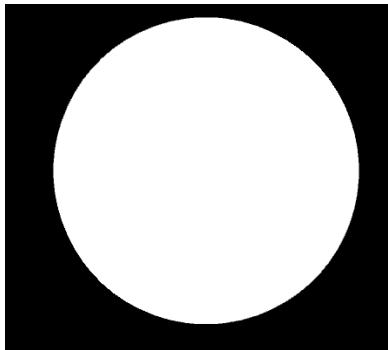
- Map from $[-1, 1]$ to $[0, 1]$
 - $(\text{normal} * 0.5) + 0.5$
- X axis $(1, 0, 0)$ becomes $(0.5, 0.5, 1)$
- Y axis $(-1, 0, -1)$ is $0, 0.5, 0$
- halfway between X&Z is $(1, 0.5, 1)$



Scene Controls

- Shaders
 - Accessible from a dropdown in the GUI

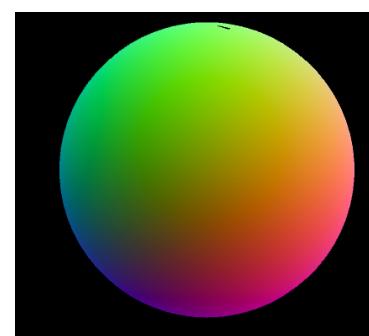
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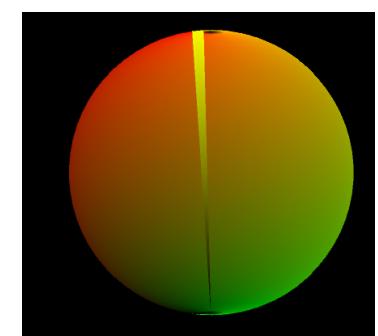
Diffuse



Normals



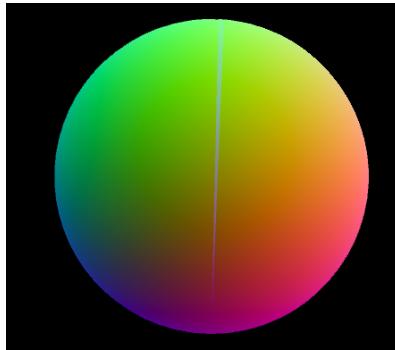
Texture Coords



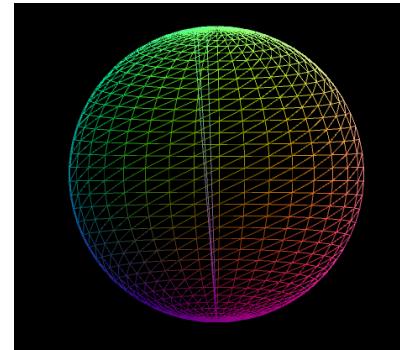
Scene Controls

- Polygon mode
 - Accessible from a dropdown in the GUI

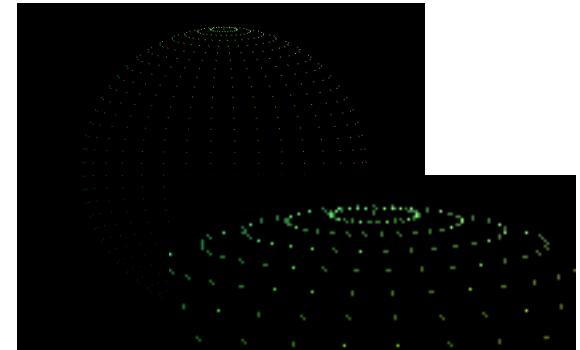
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Line



Point



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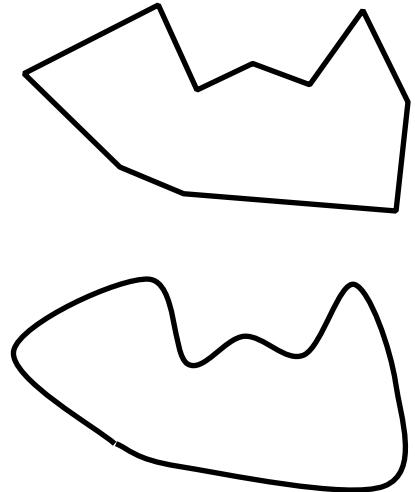
2. Interpolation

- Implement linear and cubic interpolation

Function bodies in
src/EDAF80/interpolation.cpp:

```
glm::vec3 evalLERP(...);  
glm::vec3 evalCatmullRom(...);
```

- Test with just **2** (lerp) or **4** (cubic) points first
- Then set up **cyclic path of >=10 points**;
animate an object along the path using both functions
- Use **catmull_rom_tension** and **use_linear** variable
 - Then control them in GUI

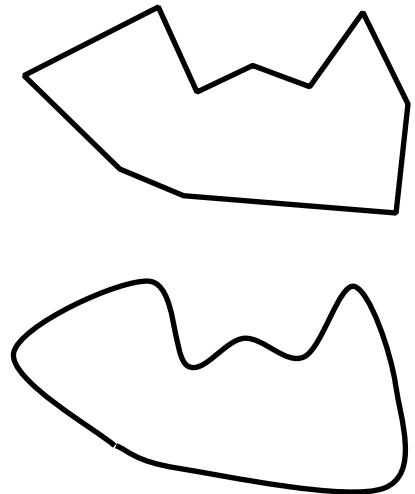


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2. Interpolation

- Implementation sketch (cubic):

```
// Init:  
glm::vec3 cp[N]; // N control points  
float path_pos = 0.0f;  
float pos_velocity = ...  
  
// Main loop:  
int i = floor(path_pos); // floor returns closest lower integer  
// use indices (e.g.) i, i+1, i+2, i+3 to retrieve control  
//     points from cp[].  
// make sure indices wrap: 0, 1 ... N-1, 0, 1...  
// run interpolation  
// update the animated object  
path_pos += pos_velocity; // step forward
```



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OpenGL - More information

- learnopengl.com
- In particular “Hello Triangle”
 - <http://www.learnopengl.com/#!Getting-started>Hello-Triangle>
- Can also use **Elgkarv** computer lab
- Ask questions on Forum