# Introduction to Computer Graphics 

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## Lecture 9: Shading 3 (Texture Mapping cont.)


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## Announcements

- About homework
- Homework 1 is being graded
- Homework 2
- 271 submissions so far
- Homework 3 will be released soon


## Last Lectures

- Shading 1 \& 2
- Blinn-Phong reflectance model
- Shading models / frequencies
- Graphics Pipeline
- Texture mapping


## Today

- Shading 3
- Barycentric coordinates
- Texture queries
- Applications of textures
- Shadow mapping


# Interpolation Across Triangles： Barycentric Coordinates <br> （重心坐标） 

## Interpolation Across Triangles

Why do we want to interpolate?

- Specify values at vertices
- Obtain smoothly varying values across triangles

What do we want to interpolate?

- Texture coordinates, colors, normal vectors, ...

How do we interpolate?

- Barycentric coordinates


## Barycentric Coordinates

A coordinate system for triangles $(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$


## Barycentric Coordinates

What's the barycentric coordinate of A?


## Barycentric Coordinates

Geometric viewpoint - proportional areas


$$
\begin{aligned}
\alpha & =\frac{A_{A}}{A_{A}+A_{B}+A_{C}} \\
\beta & =\frac{A_{B}}{A_{A}+A_{B}+A_{C}} \\
\gamma & =\frac{A_{C}}{A_{A}+A_{B}+A_{C}}
\end{aligned}
$$

## Barycentric Coordinates

What's the barycentric coordinate of the centroid?


## Barycentric Coordinates: Formulas

$$
\begin{aligned}
& \alpha=\frac{-\left(x-x_{B}\right)\left(y_{C}-y_{B}\right)+\left(y-y_{B}\right)\left(x_{C}-x_{B}\right)}{-\left(x_{A}-x_{B}\right)\left(y_{C}-y_{B}\right)+\left(y_{A}-y_{B}\right)\left(x_{C}-x_{B}\right)} \\
& \beta=\frac{-\left(x-x_{C}\right)\left(y_{A}-y_{C}\right)+\left(y-y_{C}\right)\left(x_{A}-x_{C}\right)}{-\left(x_{B}-x_{C}\right)\left(y_{A}-y_{C}\right)+\left(y_{B}-y_{C}\right)\left(x_{A}-x_{C}\right)} \\
& \gamma=1-\alpha-\beta
\end{aligned}
$$

## Using Barycentric Coordinates

Linearly interpolate values at vertices


However, barycentric coordinates are not invariant under projection!

## Applying Textures

## Simple Texture Mapping: Diffuse Color

## Usually a pixel's center

for each rasterized screen sample ( $x, y$ ):
$(u, v)=$ evaluate texture coordinate at $(x, y)$
texcolor = texture.sample(u,v);
set sample's color to texcolor;



Using barycentric coordinates!

Usually the diffuse albedo Kd (recall the Blinn-Phong reflectance model)

## Texture Magnification (What if the texture is too small?)

## Texture Magnification－Easy Case

Generally don＇t want this－insufficient texture resolution A pixel on a texture－a texel（纹理元素，纹素）


Nearest


Bilinear


Bicubic

## Bilinear Interpolation



# Want to sample texture value $f(x, y)$ at red point <br> Black points indicate texture sample locations 

## Bilinear Interpolation



> Take 4 nearest sample locations, with texture values as labeled.

## Bilinear Interpolation



## And fractional offsets, $(s, t)$ as shown

## Bilinear Interpolation



Linear interpolation (1D)

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\operatorname{lerp}\left(x, v_{0}, v_{1}\right)=v_{0}+x\left(v_{1}-v_{0}\right)
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Final vertical lerp, to get result:
$f(x, y)=\operatorname{lerp}\left(t, u_{0}, u_{1}\right)$

## Texture Magnification - Easy Case

Bilinear interpolation usually gives pretty good results at reasonable costs


Nearest


Bilinear


Bicubic

Texture Magnification (hard case) (What if the texture is too large?)

## Point Sampling Textures — Problem



Reference


Point sampled

## Screen Pixel "Footprint" in Texture

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## Upsampling (Magnification)

Downsampling (Minification)

## Will Supersampling Do Antialiasing?



512x supersampling

## Antialiasing - Supersampling?

Will supersampling work?

- Yes, high quality, but costly
- When highly minified, many texels in pixel footprint
- Signal frequency too large in a pixel
- Need even higher sampling frequency

Let's understand this problem in another way

- What if we don't sample?
- Just need to get the average value within a range!


## Point Query vs. (Avg.) Range Query

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## Different Pixels -> Different-Sized Footprints



## Mipmap

Allowing (fast, approx., square) range queries

## Mipmap (L. Williams 83)

"Mip" comes from the Latin "multum in parvo", meaning a multitude in a small space


Level $0=128 \times 128$


Level $4=8 \times 8$


Level $1=64 \times 64$

Level $5=4 \times 4$



Level $2=32 \times 32$

Level $6=2 \times 2$


Level 3 = 16×16



Level 7 = 1x1

## Mipmap (L. Williams 83)



What is the storage overhead of a mipmap?

## Computing Mipmap Level D



Screen space ( $x, y$ )


Texture space $(u, v)$

Estimate texture footprint using texture coordinates of neighboring screen samples

## Computing Mipmap Level D



$$
D=\log _{2} L \quad L=\max \left(\sqrt{\left(\frac{d u}{d x}\right)^{2}+\left(\frac{d v}{d x}\right)^{2}}, \sqrt{\left(\frac{d u}{d y}\right)^{2}+\left(\frac{d v}{d y}\right)^{2}}\right)
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## Visualization of Mipmap Level



D rounded to nearest integer level

## Trilinear Interpolation



Mipmap Level D
Bilinear result


Mipmap Level D+1
Bilinear result

Linear interpolation based on continuous $D$ value

## Visualization of Mipmap Level



Trilinear filtering: visualization of continuous $D$

## Mipmap Limitations



## Mipmap Limitations



## Mipmap Limitations

Overblur Why?


Mipmap trilinear sampling

## Anisotropic Filtering



Better than Mipmap!

## Irregular Pixel Footprint in Texture



## Anisotropic Filtering

Ripmaps and summed area tables

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Wikipedia

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EWA filtering

- Use multiple lookups
- Weighted average
- Mipmap hierarchy still helps
- Can handle irregular footprints


Wikipedia


Greene \& Heckbert '86

## Thank you!

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