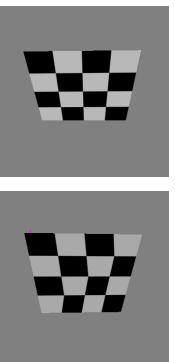


Texture Mapping

Texture coordinate interpolation

Perspective foreshortening problem



Low-Level Details

Large range of functions for controlling layout of texture data

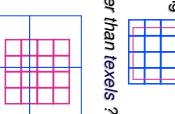
- State how the data in your image is arranged
- e.g. `glPixelStorei(GL_UNPACK_ALIGNMENT, 1)` tells OpenGL not to skip bytes at the end of a row
- You must state how you want the texture to be put in memory: how many bits per "pixel", which channels...
- Common sizes are 32x32, 64x64, 256x256
- But don't need to be square, i.e. 32x64 is fine
- Smaller uses less memory, and there is a finite amount of texture memory on graphics cards

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Reconstruction

How to deal with:

- Pixels that are much larger than texels?
- Apply filtering, "averaging"
- Pixels that are much smaller than texels?
- Interpolate



Reconstruction

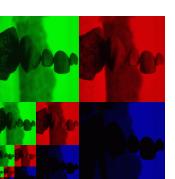
Large range of functions for controlling layout of texture data

- Prespecify a series of prefiltered texture maps of decreasing resolutions
- Requires more texture storage
- Avoid shimmering and flashing as objects move
- Automatically constructs a family of textures from original texture size down to 1×1 without

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MIPmap storage

only 1/3 more space required



MIPmaps

Mipmap in parvo – many things in a small place

- glBuild2DTexture(...)
- glBuild1D2DTexture(...)
- Automatically constructs a family of textures from original texture size down to 1×1 with

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Bump Mapping



Bump Mapping

Object surface often not smooth – to recreate correctly need complex geometry model

- Can control shape "effect" by locally perturbing surface normal
- Random perturbation
- Directional change over region

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Basic OpenGL Texturing

Create a texture object and fill it with texture data:

- `glGenTextures(num, &indices)` to get identifiers for the objects
- `glBindTexture(GL_TEXTURE_2D, identifier)` to bind
- `glTexParameteri(GL_TEXTURE_2D, ...)` to specify parameters for use when applying the texture
- `glTexImage2D(GL_TEXTURE_2D, ...)` to specify the texture data (the image itself)

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Texture Coordinate Interpolation

Basic OpenGL Texturing (cont.)

Enable texturing:

- `glEnable(GL_TEXTURE_2D)`
- `glTexEnvf(...)`

State how the texture will be used:

- `glTexEnvf(...)`

Specify texture coordinates for the polygon:

- Use `glTexCoord2f(s, t)` before each vertex:
 - `glTexCoord2f(0, 0);`
 - `glVertex3f(x, y, z);`

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Screen Space Interpolation Incorrect

Screen space interpolation incorrect

- Problem ignored with shading, but artifacts more visible with texturing



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Interpolating Textures

Texture Coordinate Interpolation

Perspective correct interpolation

- α, β, γ : barycentric coordinates of a point P in a triangle
- $s0, s1, s2$: texture coordinates of vertices
- $w0, w1, w2$: homogeneous coordinates of vertices

$$w_0 = \alpha \cdot s_0 / v_{w_0} + \beta \cdot s_1 / v_{w_1} + \gamma \cdot s_2 / v_{w_2}$$

(image courtesy of Krzysztof Kotulakos, U Rochester)

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Texture Parameters

In addition to color can control other material/object properties

- Surface normal (bump mapping)
- Reflected color (environment mapping)

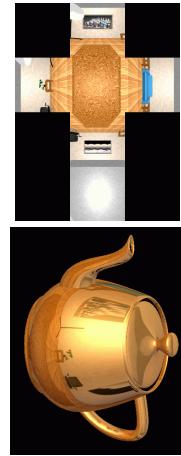
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Texture Parameters

Cube Mapping

6 planar textures, sides of cube

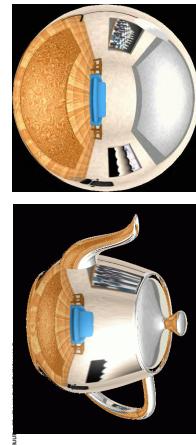
- Point camera in 6 different directions, facing out from origin



Sphere Mapping

Texture is distorted fish-eye view

- Point camera at mirrored sphere
- Spherical texture mapping creates texture coordinates that correctly index into this texture map

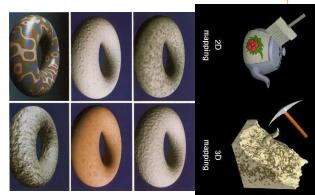


Volumetric Texture

Define texture pattern over 3D domain - 3D space containing the object

- Texture function can be digitized or procedural
- For each point on object compute texture from point location in space

Common for natural material/irregular textures (stone, wood,etc...)



Volumetric Bump Mapping

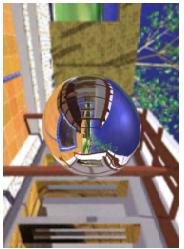
Marble



Environment Mapping

Cheap way to achieve reflective effect

- Generate image of surrounding
- Map to object as texture

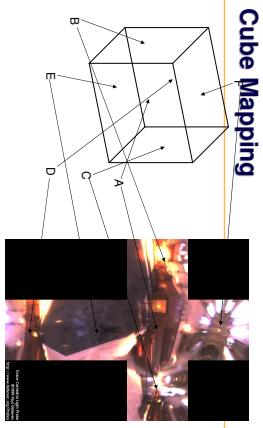


Cube Mapping

Direction of reflection vector r selects the face of the cube to be indexed

- Co-ordinate with largest magnitude
 - e.g., the vector $(-0.2, 0.5, -0.6)$ selects the $-Z$ face
- Remaining two coordinates (normalized by the 3rd coordinate) selects the pixel from the face.
 - E.g., $(-0.2, 0.5)$ gets mapped to $(0.38, 0.80)$.

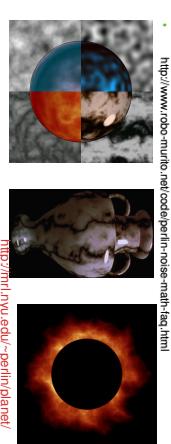
Difficulty in interpolating across faces



Procedural Textures

Several good explanations

- Text book Section 10.1
<http://www.nistmachines.com/tak1>
- http://www.freespace.virgin.net/hugo_elias/models_perlin.html
- <http://www.robo-murillo.net/code/perlin-noise/math-faq.html>



GPU support

- Bump and displacement mapping not directly supported; require per-pixel lighting
- However: modern GPUs allow for programmatic support for yourself

Displacement Mapping

Bump mapping gets silhouettes wrong

- Shadows wrong too

Change surface geometry instead

- Need to subdivide surface

GPU support

- Bump and displacement mapping supported; require per-pixel lighting
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Procedural Textures

Generate "image" on the fly, instead of loading from disk

- Often saves space
- Allows arbitrary level of detail

