

SOME 024:
Computer Aided Design

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Introduction to CAD theory part 1

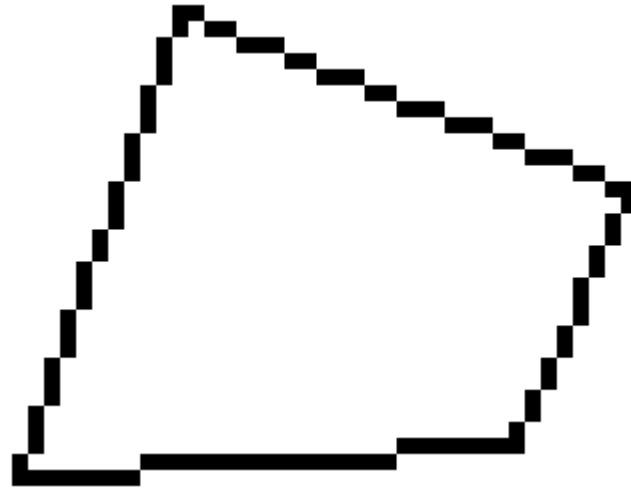
Lesson structure

- Definitions (raster-vector, topology-geometry, coordinates, projections)
- Basic 2D shapes
- 3D geometric modelling
- Parametric shapes
- Surface modelling

Definitions-type of graphics

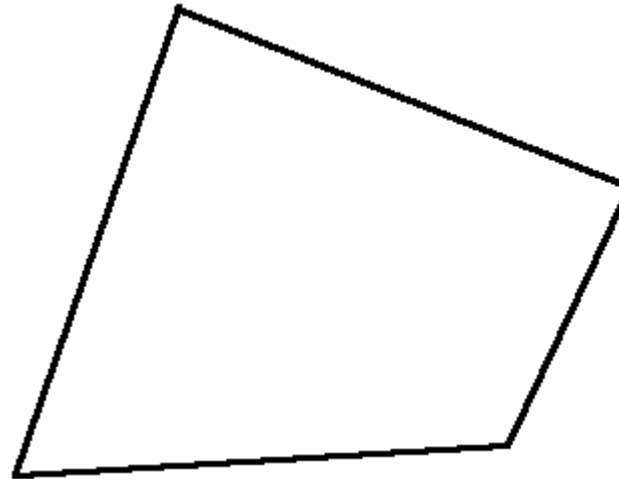
Raster graphics

The objects are represented with a set of pixels-cells laid on a grid.



Vector graphics

The objects are represented with geometrical primitives.



Definitions-**type** of graphics

Raster graphics

Applications: link the spatial data with other kind of information (e.g. height, temperature, mean annual rainfall), spatial related operations (aggregation, interpolation), spatial queries, spatial statistics, 2D numerical models.

Data storage: binary with the form of a 2D matrix

Vector graphics

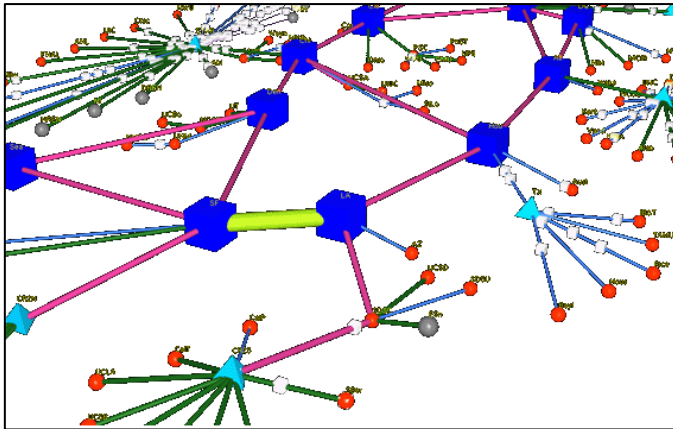
Applications: Geometrical operations (intersections, union), objects are handled as entities, representation accuracy.

Data storage: parametrically using analytical forms

Definitions-topology geometry

Topology

The branch of mathematics dealing with the Connectivity of geometric elements not including specific information of those elements.



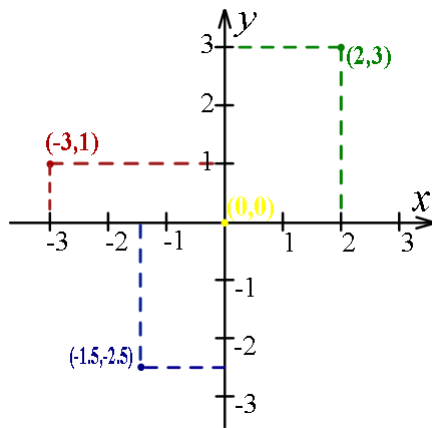
Topological
representation of
the Internet

Geometry

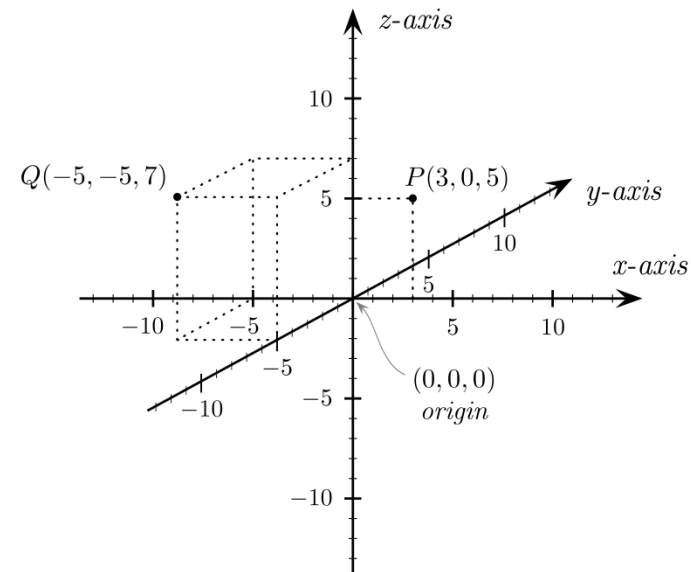
The branch of mathematics dealing with the measurements of lines, angles, surfaces and solids.

Definitions-coordinate types

Cartesian coordinates



2D cartesian coordinates (x,y)



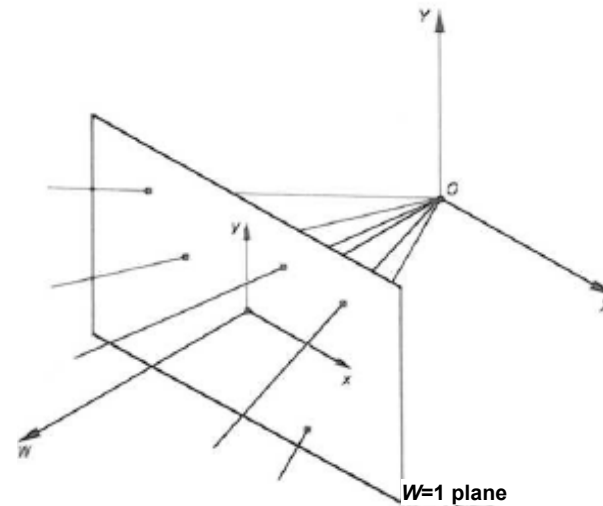
3D cartesian coordinates (x,y,z)

Suitable for spaces described by Euclidian geometry.

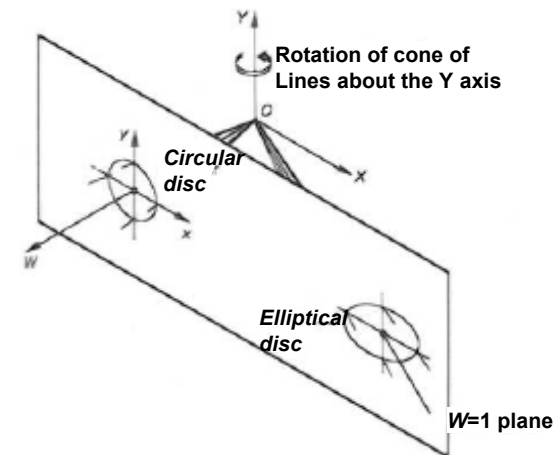
Definitions-coordinate types

Homogeneous coordinates

2D Homogeneous coordinates (x,y,w) .
Each point on plain $W=1$ is associated with a line joining it with the origin of the 3D space.



Transformation of a circle disk to elliptical disk.

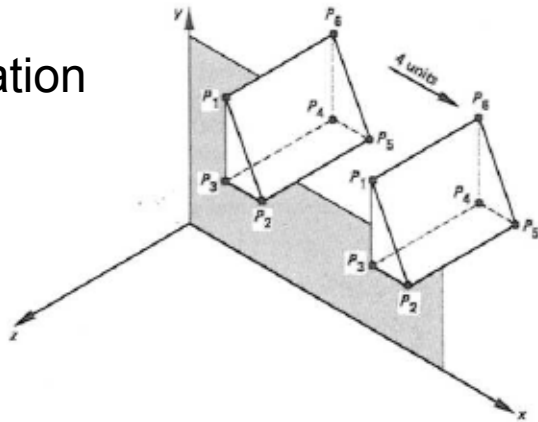


Definitions-coordinate types

Transformations

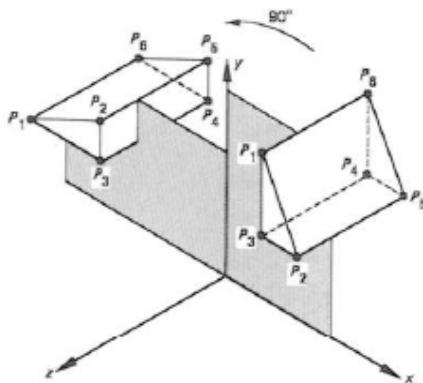
Translation, rotation, reflection, scaling, inversion, shearing.

Translation



Corner points	Original coordinates	New coordinates
P1	(2,4.5,1)	(6,4.5,1)
P2	(3,2.5,1)	(7,2.5,1)
P3	(2,2.5,1)	(6,2.5,1)
P4	(2,2.5,-2)	(6,2.5,-2)
P5	(3,2.5,-2)	(7,2.5,-2)
P6	(2,4.5,-2)	(6,4.5,-2)

Rotation



Corner points	Original coordinates	New coordinates
P1	(2,4.5,1)	(-4.5,2,1)
P2	(3,2.5,1)	(-2.5,3,1)
P3	(2,2.5,1)	(-2.5,2,1)
P4	(2,2.5,-2)	(-2.5,2,-2)
P5	(3,2.5,-2)	(-2.5,3,-2)
P6	(2,4.5,-2)	(-4.5,2,-2)

Definitions-coordinate types

Mathematic implementation of the transformations using 3D homogeneous coordinates.

Rotation around x $\mathbf{R}_x =$

1	0	0	0
0	$\cos \theta$	$-\sin \theta$	0
0	\sin	$\cos \theta$	0
0	0	0	1

Translation $\mathbf{T} =$

1	0	0	Δx
0	1	0	Δy
0	0	1	Δz
0	0	0	1

Rotation around y $\mathbf{R}_y =$

$\cos \theta$	0	$\sin \theta$	0
0	1	0	0
$-\sin \theta$	0	$\cos \theta$	0
0	0	0	1

Scaling $\mathbf{S} =$

S_x	0	0	0
0	S_y	0	0
0	0	S_z	0
0	0	0	1

Rotation around z $\mathbf{R}_z =$

$\cos \theta$	$-\sin \theta$	0	0
\sin	$\cos \theta$	0	0
0	0	1	0
0	0	0	1

Apply translation, rotation around x, rotation around y to \mathbf{P}_1 :

$$\mathbf{P}_2 = \mathbf{R}_y \mathbf{R}_x \mathbf{T} \mathbf{P}_1$$

Undo:

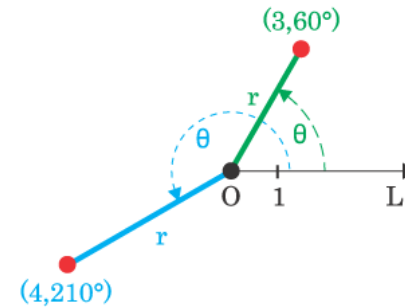
$$\mathbf{P}_1 = \mathbf{T}^{-1} \mathbf{R}_x^{-1} \mathbf{R}_y^{-1} \mathbf{P}_2$$

Definitions-coordinate types

2D polar coordinates (r, θ)

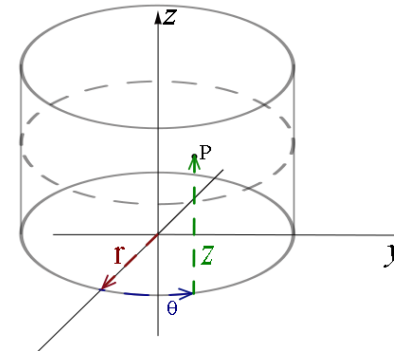
$$x = r \cos\theta, y = r \sin\theta$$

Applications in problems with circular symmetry (point heat source in an infinite plate)



3D cylindrical coordinates (r, θ, Z)

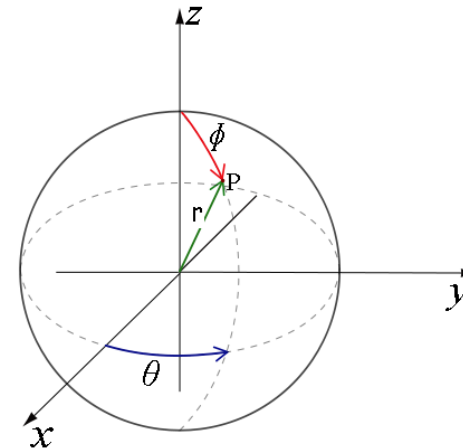
$$x = r \cos\theta, y = r \sin\theta, z = Z$$



3D spherical coordinates (r, θ, ϕ)

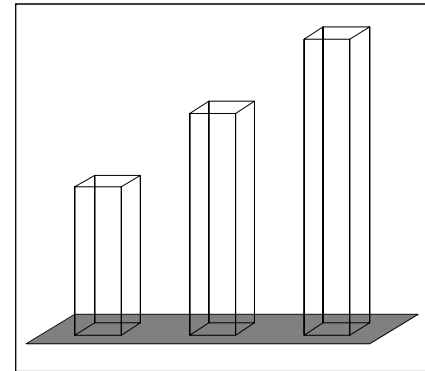
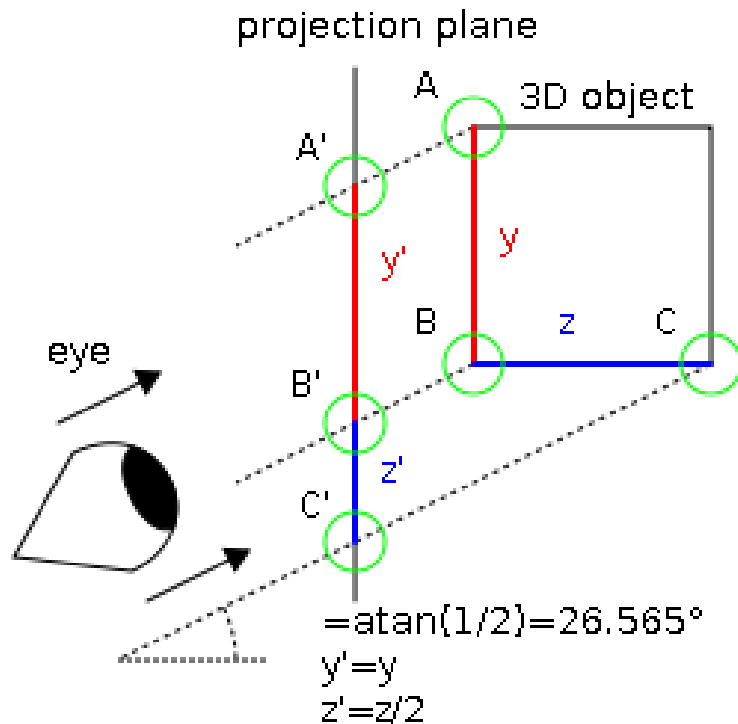
$$x = r \sin\phi \cos\theta, y = r \sin\phi \sin\theta, z = r \cos\phi$$

Applied in non Euclidean spaces.

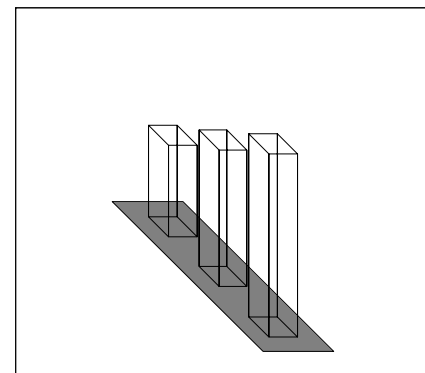


Definitions-projection types

Parallel projection



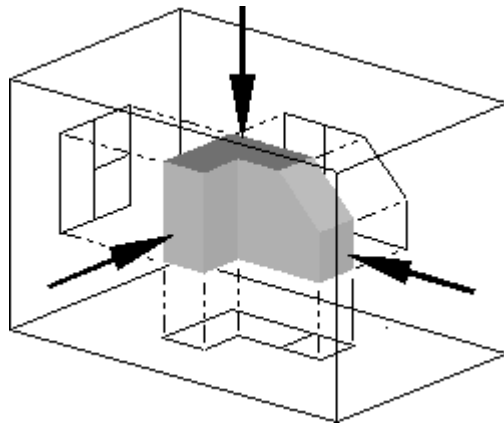
Oblique, only sizes parallel to projection plane are preserved



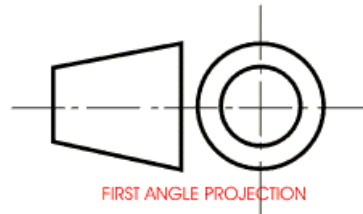
Isometric, axes equally foreshortened

Definitions-**projection types**

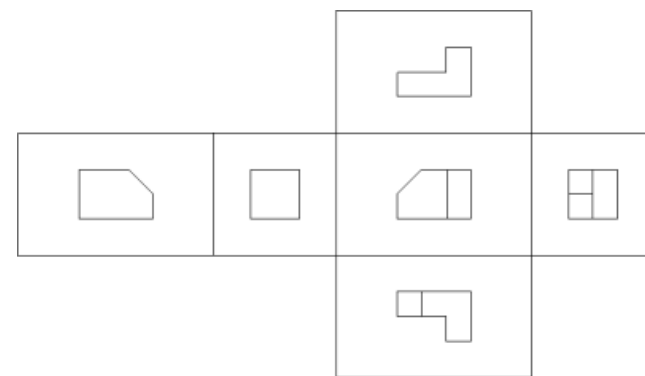
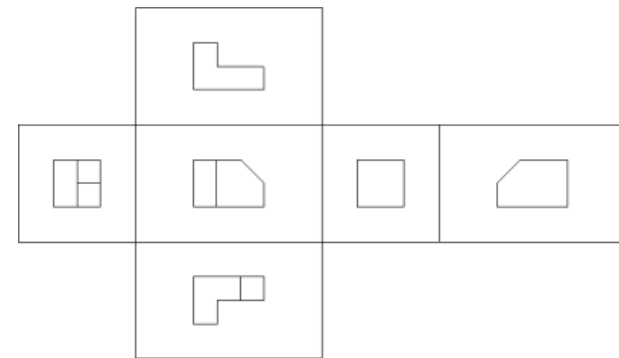
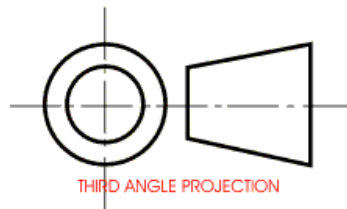
Orthographic Multi-views projection



1st angle projection
(viewer inside box)

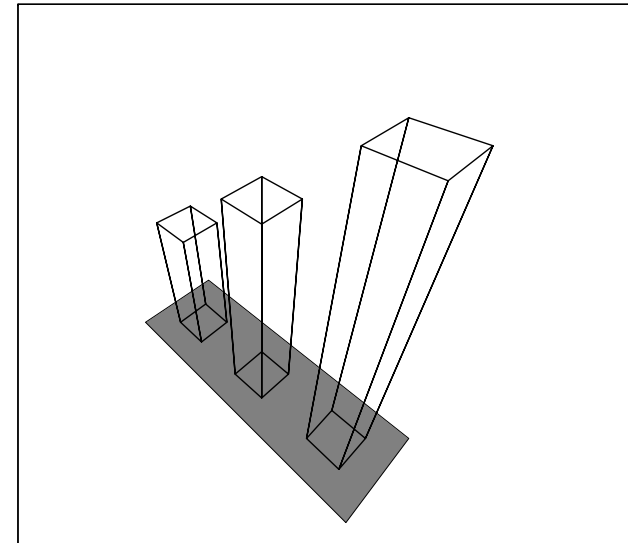
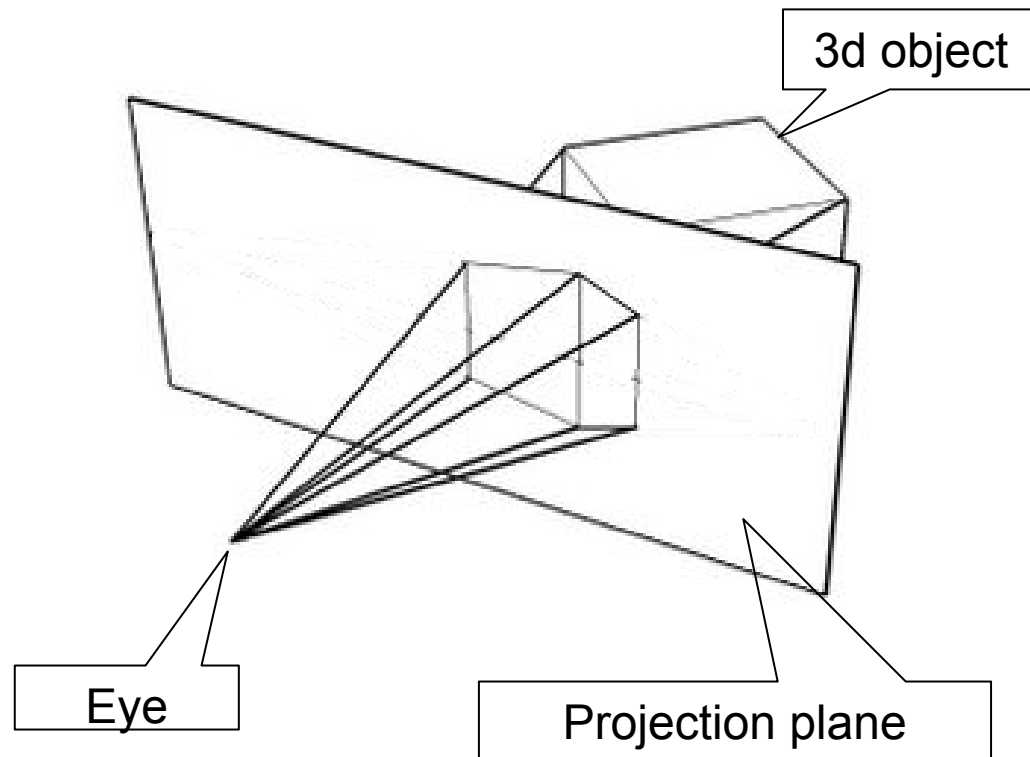


3rd angle projection
(viewer outside box)



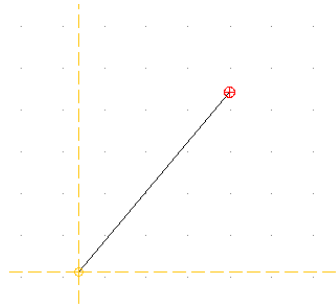
Definitions-**projection types**

Perspective projection

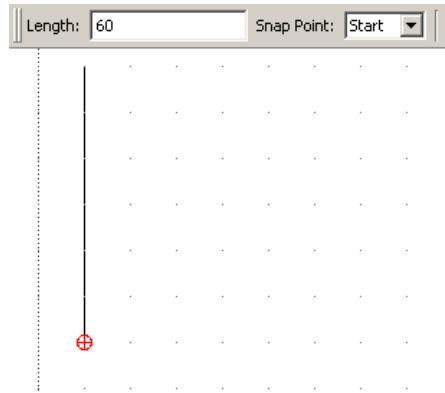


Easy to conceive the 3D form,
shape and size to scale are
not preserved

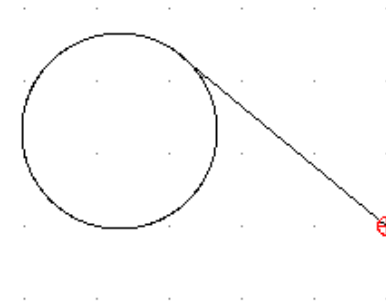
Basic 2D shapes-line segment



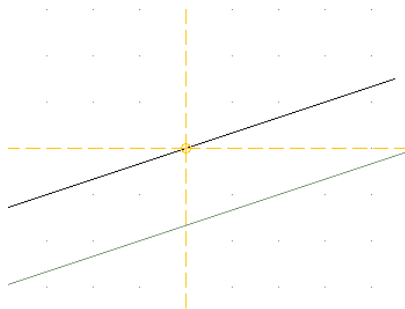
Two points



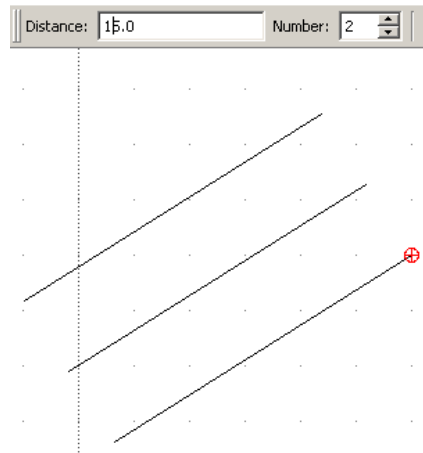
Parallel to an axis



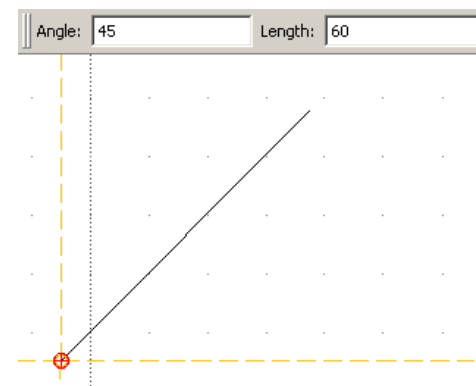
Tangent to a circle



Parallel to lin. seg.
through specified point

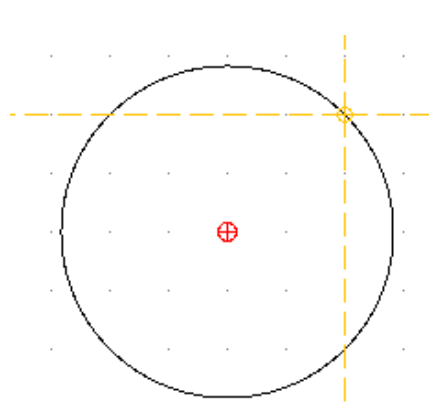


Parallel to a lin. seg.
at specified distance

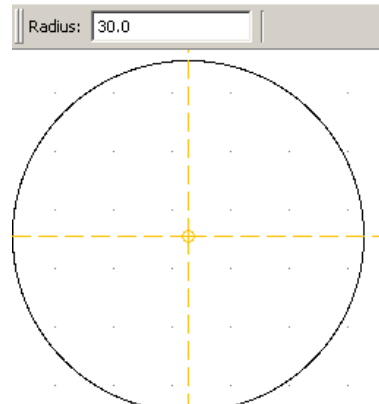


From a point with
specified length and angle

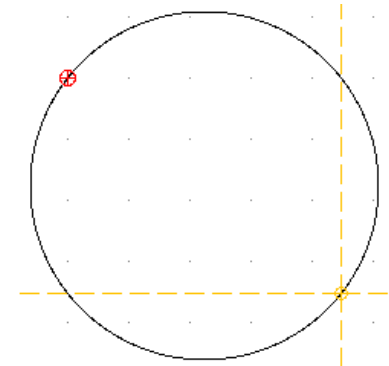
Basic 2D shapes-circle, arc



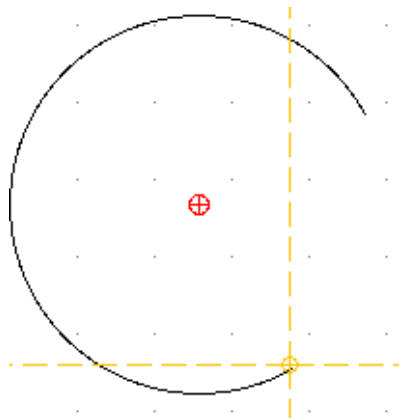
Centre, peripheral point



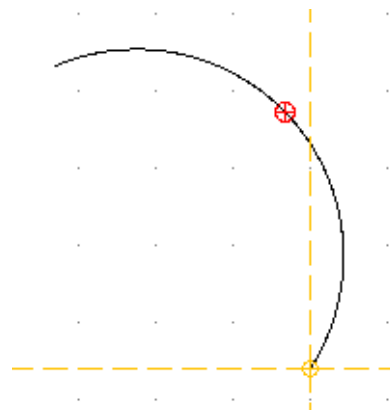
Centre, radius



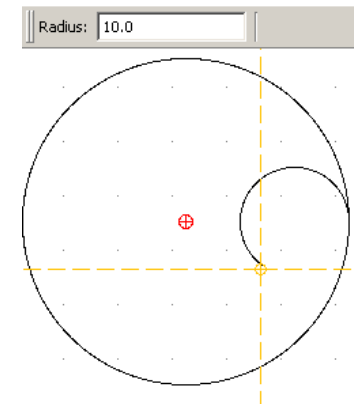
Two points



Centre, start, end point



Three points



Tangent to figure
given radius + end
point.

Wire frame modelling

A wire frame representation of a 3D object consist of a finite set of points (vertices) and connecting edges. The representation is a trade of between fidelity and easiness of representation.

The wire frame representation consist of two types of information concerning:

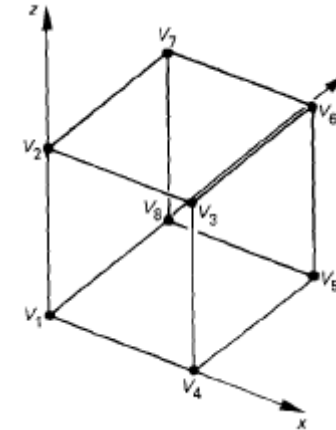
1. The geometric data (coordinate positions of the vertices)
2. The topological data (relate pairs of vertices together as edges)

3D geometric modelling

Vertex list	Edge list		Face list
V_1 (0,0,0)	E_1 $\langle V_1, V_2 \rangle$	E_7 $\langle V_7, V_8 \rangle$	F_1 $\langle E_1, E_2, E_3, E_{11} \rangle$
V_2 (0,0,1)	E_2 $\langle V_2, V_3 \rangle$	E_8 $\langle V_8, V_1 \rangle$	F_2 $\langle E_7, E_6, E_5, E_{12} \rangle$
V_3 (1,0,1)	E_3 $\langle V_3, V_4 \rangle$	E_9 $\langle V_2, V_7 \rangle$	F_3 $\langle E_1, E_9, E_7, E_8 \rangle$
V_4 (1,0,0)	E_4 $\langle V_4, V_5 \rangle$	E_{10} $\langle V_3, V_6 \rangle$	F_4 $\langle E_3, E_{10}, E_5, E_4 \rangle$
V_5 (1,1,0)	E_5 $\langle V_5, V_6 \rangle$	E_{11} $\langle V_1, V_4 \rangle$	F_5 $\langle E_8, E_{12}, E_4, E_{11} \rangle$
V_6 (1,1,1)	E_6 $\langle V_6, V_7 \rangle$	E_{12} $\langle V_8, V_5 \rangle$	F_6 $\langle E_9, E_6, E_{10}, E_2 \rangle$
V_7 (0,1,1)			
V_8 (0,1,0)			

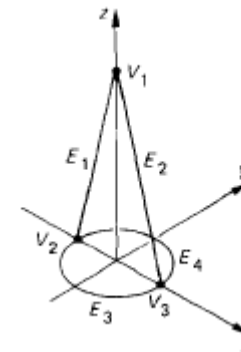
Geometric data

Topological data



The simplest representation of a cone with only 3 vertices, 1 vertex for the apex, 2 vertices defining the diameter of the base. The fidelity may be improved by adding more vertices to the base.

Vertex list	Edge list	Edge type
V_1 (0,0,3)	E_1 $\langle V_1, V_2 \rangle$	Linear
V_2 (-1,0,0)	E_2 $\langle V_1, V_3 \rangle$	Linear
V_3 (1,0,0)	E_3 $\langle V_2, V_3 \rangle$	Semi-circular
	E_4 $\langle V_2, V_3 \rangle$	Semi-circular

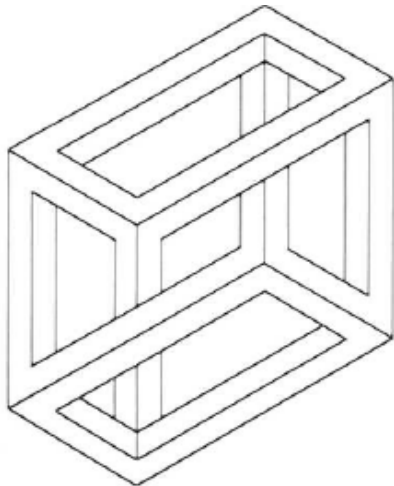


3D geometric modelling

Low level constrains

- Each vertex described by 3 coordinate values
- Each edge associated with only 2 vertices
- Edges must form close loops
- Edges should not intersect

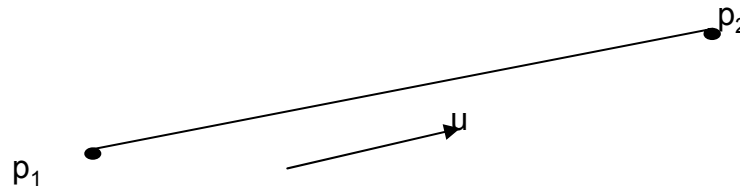
Object validity is not guaranteed



Parametric curve and surface geometry

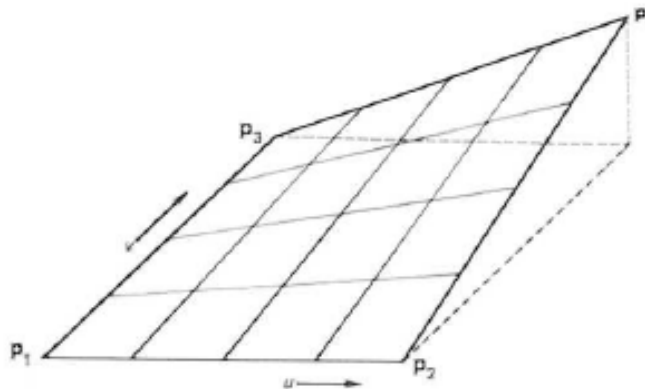
Parametric form of a straight line with 2 control points ($\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2$)

$$\mathbf{r}(u) = (1-u) \mathbf{p}_1 + u \mathbf{p}_2$$



Parametric bilinear surface with 4 control points ($\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{p}_2, \mathbf{p}_3, \mathbf{p}_4$)

$$\mathbf{r}(u,v) = (1-v)(1-u) \mathbf{p}_1 + (1-v)u \mathbf{p}_2 + v(1-u) \mathbf{p}_3 + v u \mathbf{p}_4$$

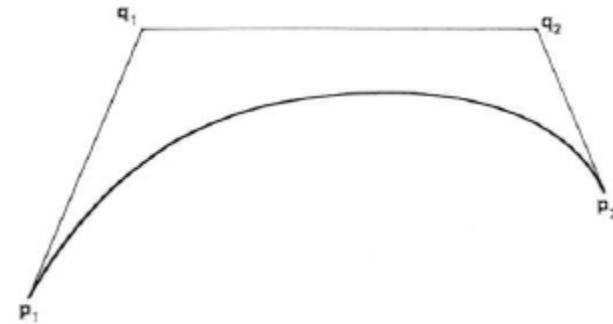


Parametric curve and surface geometry

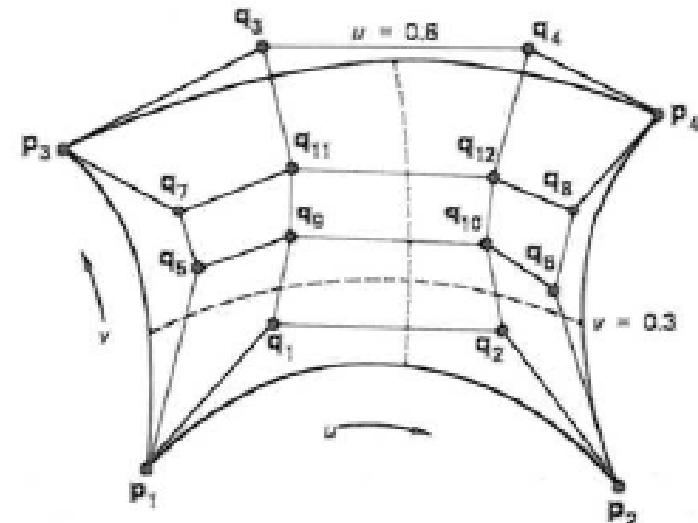
Bezier cubic parametric curve 4 control points

$(\mathbf{p}_1, \mathbf{q}_1, \mathbf{q}_2, \mathbf{p}_2)$

$$\mathbf{r}(u) = (1-u)^3 \mathbf{p}_1 + 3u(1-u)^2 \mathbf{q}_1 + 3u^2(1-u) \mathbf{q}_2 + u^3 \mathbf{p}_2$$

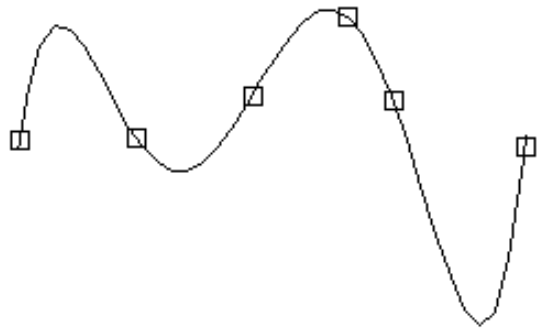


Bezier bicubic parametric patch with 16 control points $(\mathbf{p}_1, \dots, \mathbf{p}_4, \mathbf{q}_1, \dots, \mathbf{q}_{12})$

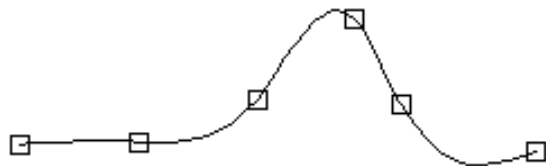


Parametric curve and surface geometry

Splines



For n given points there exists a unique polynomial of degree $n-1$ or less which passes through these points.



A spline is a piecewise polynomial such that the function (G0), its derivative (G1) and its second derivative (G2) are continuous at the interpolation nodes.

Parametric curve and surface geometry

Non uniform rational Basis-Splines (NURBS)

A NURBS curve is defined by:

- its order i.e. the maximum degree of the polynomial basis functions.
- a set of control points i.e. the points from which the curve passes.
- a knot vector that determines where and how the control points affect the NURBS curve; the number of knots is always equal to the number of control points plus curve degree plus one.

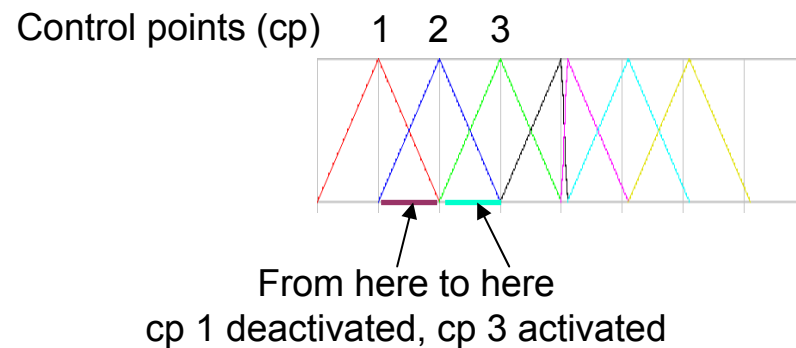
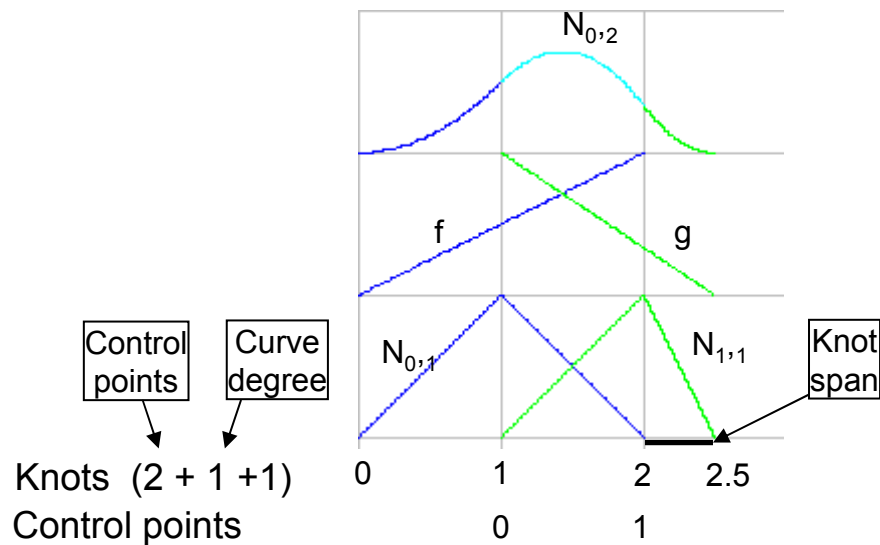
Parametric curve and surface geometry

Non uniform rational Basis-Splines (NURBS)

Basis functions used in NURBS.

$$N_{i,n} = f_{i,n} N_{i,n-1} + g_{i+1,n} N_{i+1,n-1}$$

where i the i th control point, n degree of basis function, f and g weighing functions depending on knots.



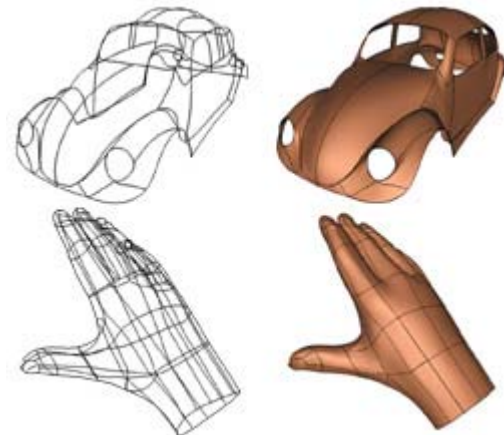
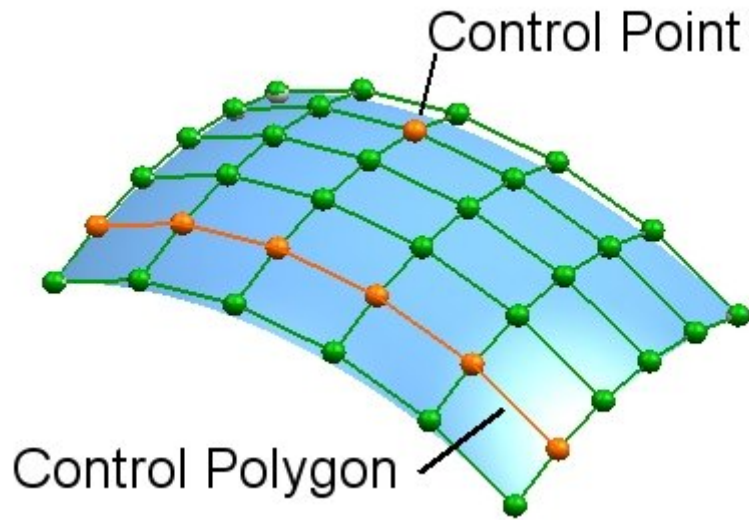
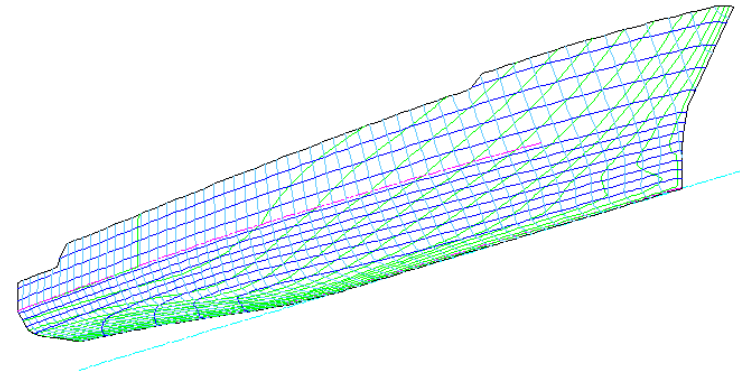
Surface modelling

Test the aesthetic and functionality of surfaces in components such as car bodies or simulated the fluid dynamics (turbine blades, boat hulls, etc.)

Creation methods

1. The user supplies an array of control points. The surface modeller fits a Bezier bicubic parametric patch to the control features.
2. The 3D surface is created either by sweeping a curve along a guide rail or by lofting a mesh of curves.

Surface modelling



Lofting