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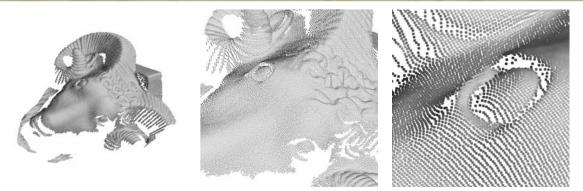
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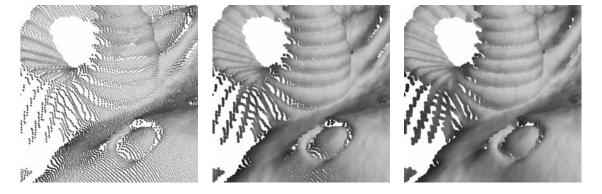
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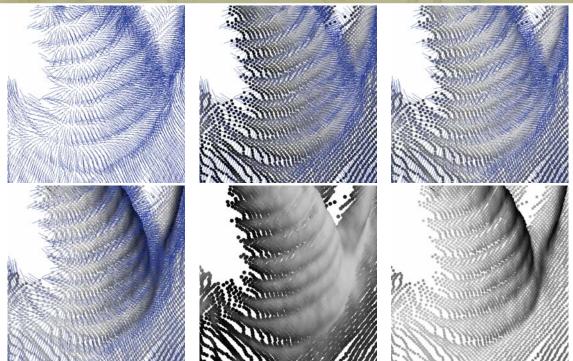
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Visualizing Point Clouds: Splatting with normal vectors and colors



Visualizing Point Clouds: File Formats

- No standard file format to store point clouds
- Point = (x,y,z) plus (R,G,B) and/or (Nx,Ny,Nz)
- It is easy to create an ad-hoc file format
- Scene graph based file format: VRML
- International standard: ISO/IEC 14772-1:97 VRML' 97
- PointSet node includes coordinates (x,y,z) and optional colors (R,G,B), but no normals

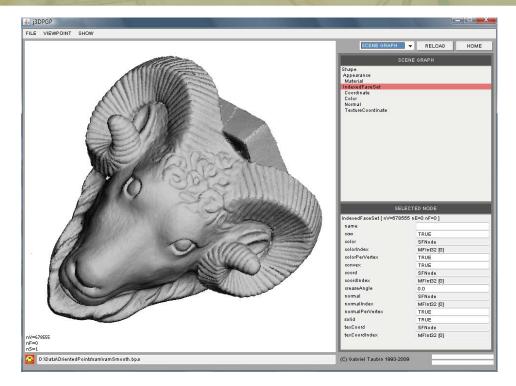
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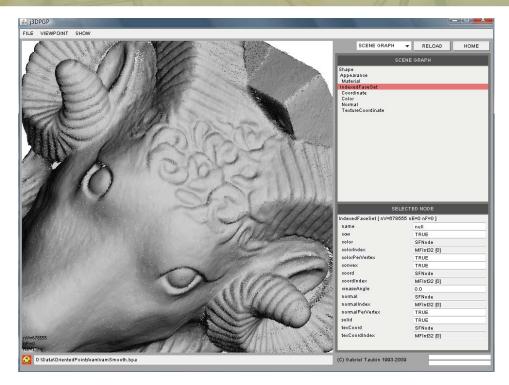
- IndexedFaceSet node designed to store a polygon mesh can be used to store point clouds with optional colors and/or normal vectors
- Store point coordinates as vertices
- Store point colors as colors per vertex
- Store point normal vectors as normals per vertex
- Degenerate polygon mesh with no faces is valid VRML syntax

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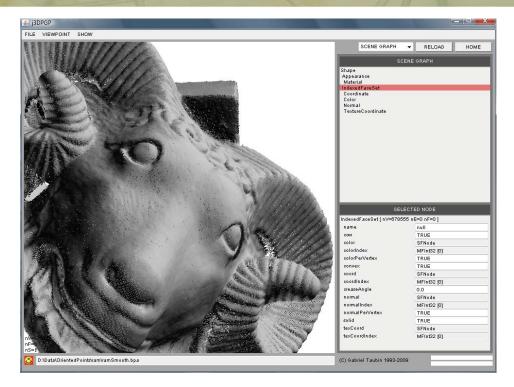
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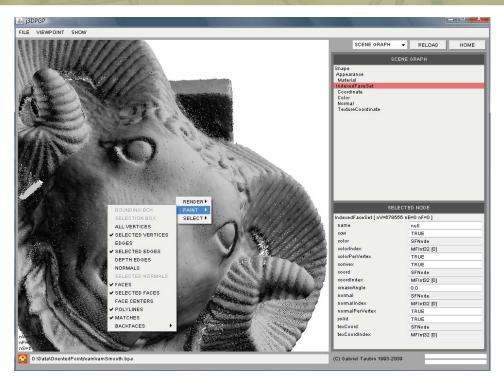
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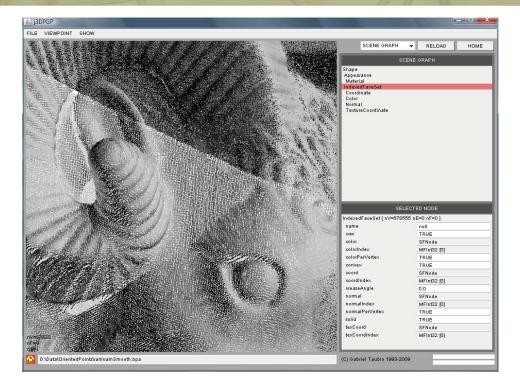
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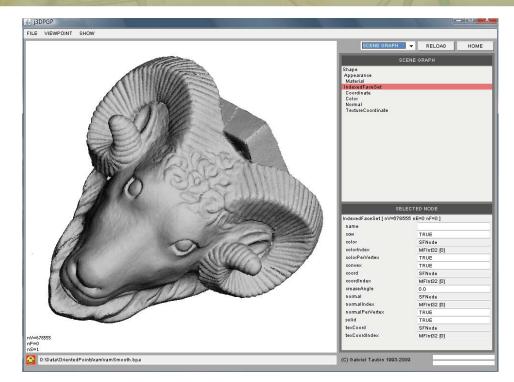
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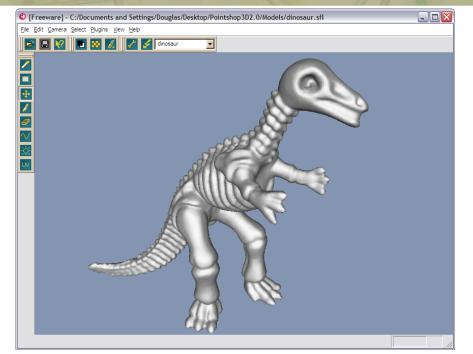
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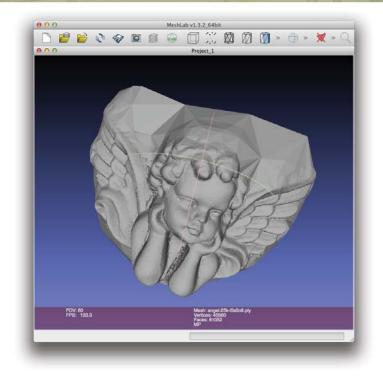


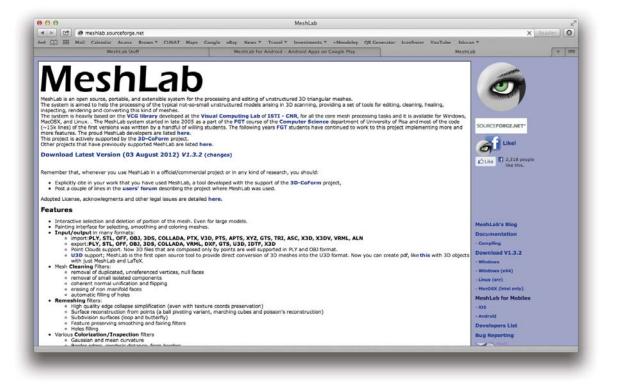
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M. Zwicker, M. Pauly, O. Knoll, M. Gross. Pointshop 3D: An Interactive System for Point-Based Surface Editing. ACM SIGGRAPH, 2002

Visualizing Point Clouds: MeshLab

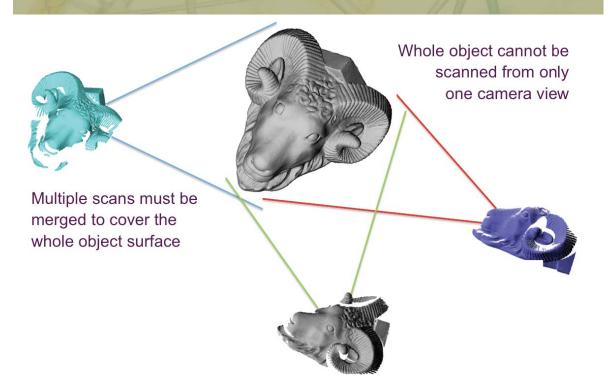




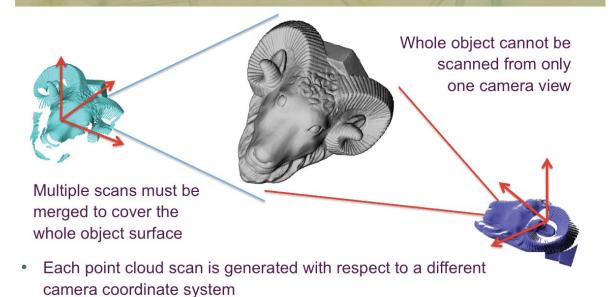
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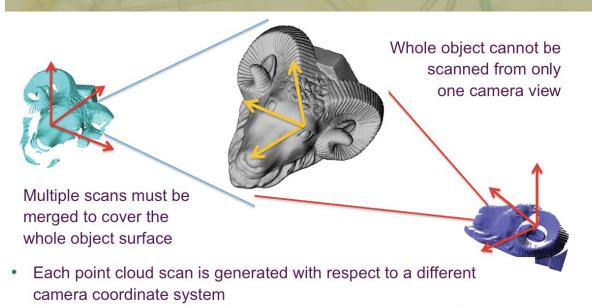
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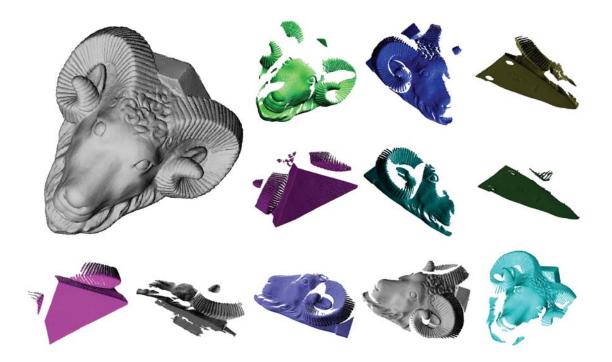


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 Relative position and orientation of each scan with respect to a global coordinate system must be determined to produce a single merged point cloud

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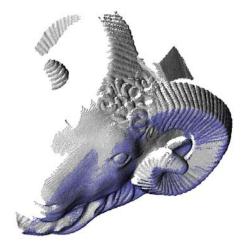
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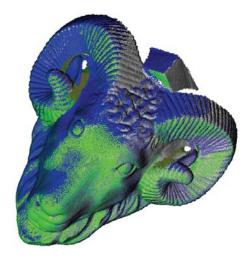




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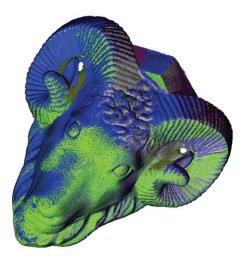




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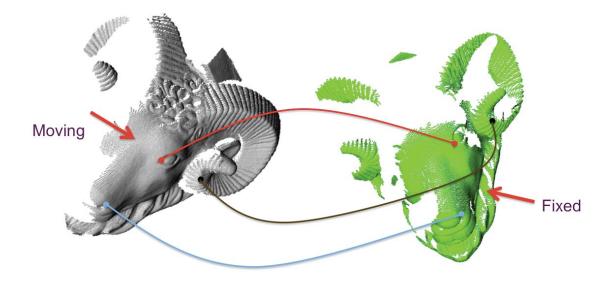
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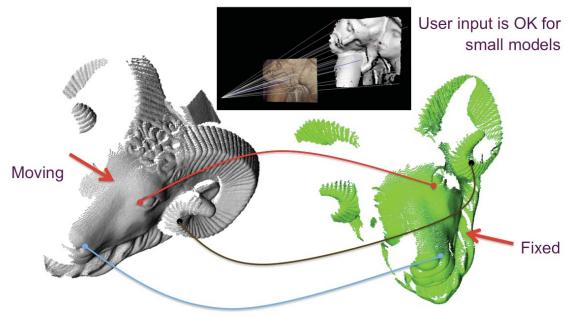
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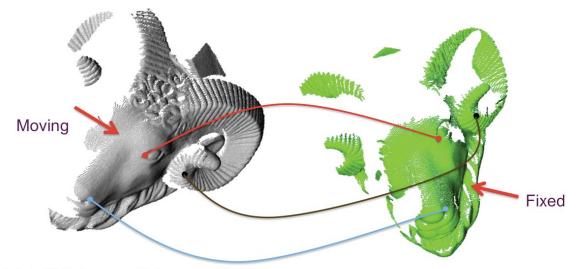
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Merging Two Point Cloud Scans

- Select at least 3 pairs of corresponding points, but ideally N>>3
- Solve in close form for the matching rigid body transformation
- Refine solution using the Iterative Closest Point Algorithm (ICP)



P. Besl, N.D. McKey, A method for Registration of 3D Shapes. IEEE Transactions on PAMI, 1992

Computing the Matching Transformation

• Given N pairs of corresponding 3D points $(p_1,q_1),...,(p_n,q_n)$ we are looking for a rotation matrix R and a translation vector T so that

$$Rp_j + T = q_j \quad j = 1, \dots, n$$

- · In general, solution does not exists: solve in the Least-Squares sense
- Now we are looking for the minimizer of the quadratic energy function

$$E(R,T) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} ||Rp_{j} + T - q_{j}||^{2}$$

This problem has a closed form solution

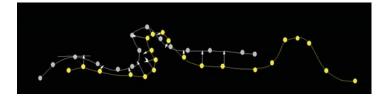
$$R = V^{t}U, \ T = \overline{q} - R\,\overline{p}$$

Where

$$\overline{p} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} p_j \quad \overline{q} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} q_j \quad M = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} (p_j - \overline{p}) (q_j - \overline{q})^t$$

• And $M = U\Delta V^t$ is the Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) of M

Iterative Closest Point Algorithm (ICP)



- 1. Automatically select N points $p_1, ..., p_n$
- 2. Find closest corresponding points $q_1,...,q_n$
- 3. Solve in close form for the matching rigid body transformation which minimizes the energy function

$$E(R,T) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^{n} \left\| Rp_{j} + T - q_{j} \right\|^{2}$$

4. Repeat 1-3 while until convergence



Finding Closest Points

- Problem: find the point of the set $D = \{p_1, ..., p_n\}$ closest to the point q
- Naïve algorithm: sequential search O(N)
- Too expensive if the same computation must be performed for many points q_1, \ldots, q_n
- Efficient algorithm requires space partition data structure Quadtree/Octree, BSP tree

