

Computer Graphics

حسب 411

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Computer Vision and Applications A Guide for Students
and Practitioners – Bernd Jahne (**Chapter 1**)

شاشات العرض (Monitors) : Screens

إن الشاشة هي الملحق الوحيد التي عليها إظهار النتائج المرئية والمهمة الأساسية لشاشات عرض الحاسب هي عرض المعلومات القادمة من وحدة المعالجة أو من أحد أوساط التخزين أو من لوحة المفاتيح .

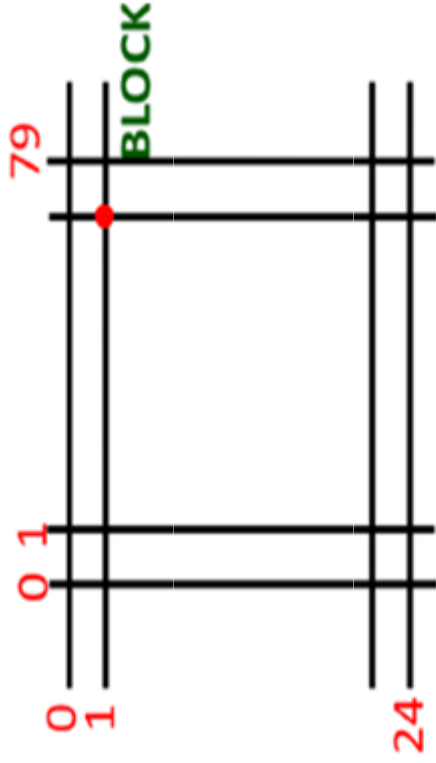
إن أداءه الشاشة عادة يتم بواسطة كرت موانمة **Video display monitor Adapter** العرض

والتي تصنف إلى الأنواع التالية:

- ١- كرت الشاشة العادي (MDA) Monochrome display Adapter.
- ٢- كرتان الشاشة الملونة وتضم ما يلي:
 - ١- كرت الموانمة للون والرسومات (CGA) Color Graphics Adapter.
 - ٢- كرت موانمة مصفوفة الرسومات (VGA) Video Graphics Adapter.
 - ٣- كرت موانمة الرسومات الفائق Super Video Graphics Adapter (SVGA).
- ٤- كرت الموانمة المحسن (EGA) Enhanced Graphics Adapter.

عادة يحتوي الشاشة على مجموعة من الدوائر الإلكترونية وكذلك يحتوي على Video Memory من نوع RAM واخرى من نوع ROM والتي تعمل على استقبال المعلومات من وحدة المعالجة المركزية CPU. أو من أوساط التخزين المختلفة لإظهارها على الشاشة يمكن تصنيف المعلومات التي تظهر على الشاشة إلى نوعين:

١- **النصوص Text:** وهنا يقوم كرت الموائمة بتقسيم الشاشة منطقياً وهمياً Logical إلى خطوط طولية Columns وخطوط أفقية Rows ونتيجة لذلك تتشكل شبكة الإحداثيات والتي تُسمى باسم نمط Mode ومن الأنماط الشائعة في معظم الموائمات النمط الذي يُقسم الشاشة إلى 80 عموداً و25 سطراً.



وبناء على هذا النمط فإنه على الشاشة يمكن الحصول على $25 \times 80 = 2000$ موقع وكل موقع خصص لحرف واحد.

إن الموقع الواحد يُطلق عليه اسم كتلة Block وكل كتلة بدورها تُقسم وهمياً إلى مجموعة صفوف وأعمدة وتقاطع هذه الصفوف والأعمدة يُطلق عليها اسم Pixels من الطبيعي هذه الأنماط وتقسيماتها تختلف من كرت موائمة إلى كرت آخر حسب نوعه.

٢- الرسومات Graphics: ان دقة الرسومات ووضوحها يجب أن يكون عالي جدا

ولذلك فإن كرات الشاشة تختلف من حيث دقة تشكيل (تقسيم) الشاشة إلى نمط

الرسومات فمثلا في كرت VGA يستطيع تشكيل 22 نمطا فعلى سبيل المثال نمط رقم

16 يتكون 200 صف و 640 عمود أي (200*640) وتقاطع كل صف مع عمود في

نمط الرسومات يسمى Pixel حيث إن مفهوم الكتلة في نمط الرسومات Block

يتغير.

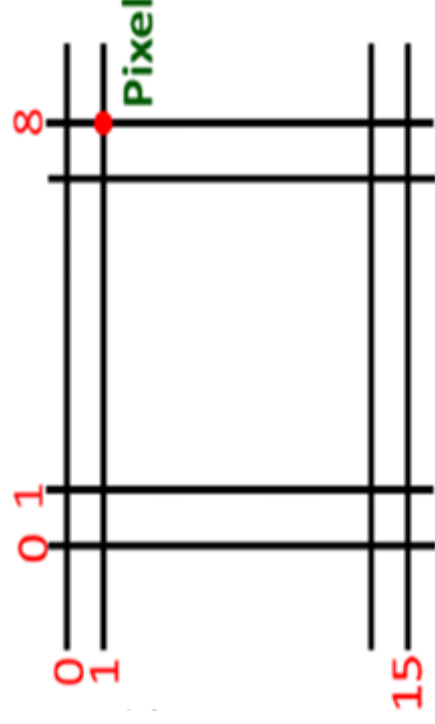
• بناء عليه فإننا نستخدم مفهوم الدقة Resolution لوصف مدى وضوح المعلومات

وعليه فإن :

دقة نمط الرسم على سبيل المثال نمط رقم 16 هو

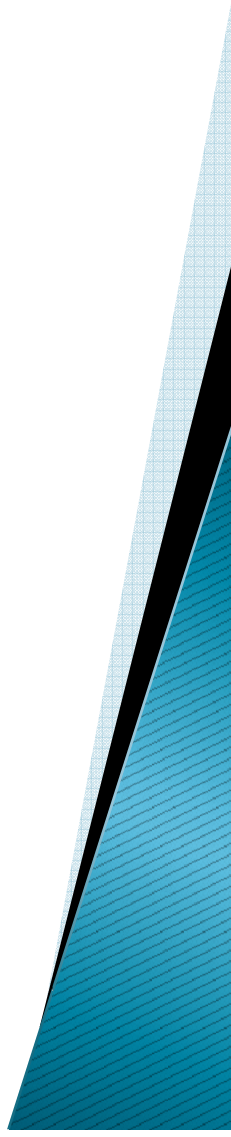
Resolution=640*200 pixel

أي دقة النص Resolution=80*25character.



Computer Graphics: 1950-1960

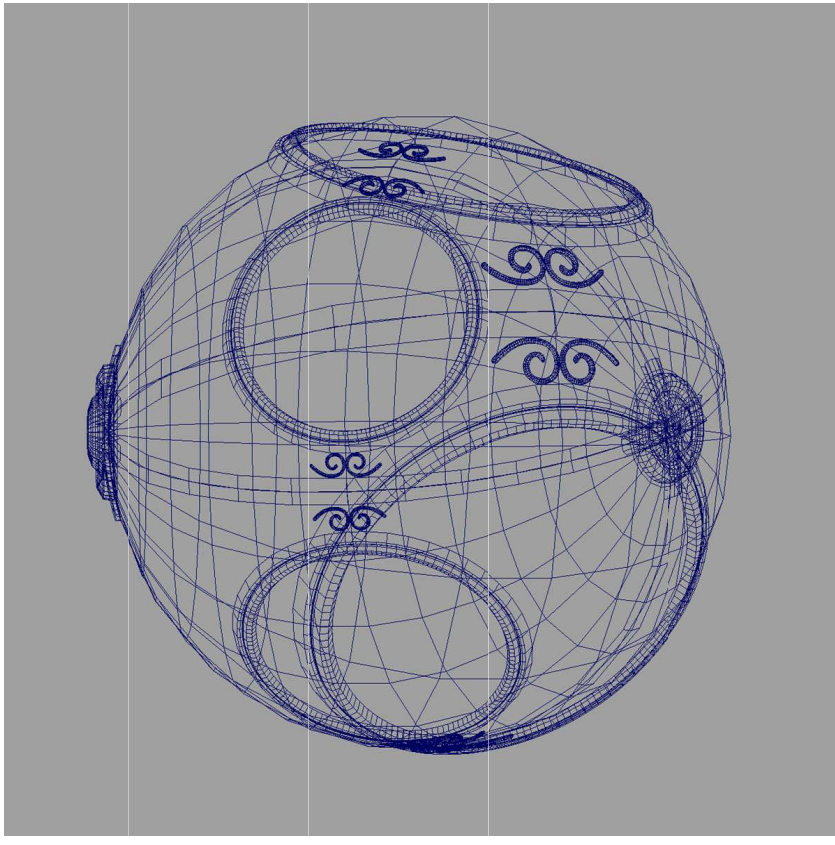
- ▶ Computer graphics goes back to the earliest days of computing
 - Strip charts
 - Pen plotters
 - Simple displays using A/D converters to go from computer to CRT
- ▶ Cost of refresh for CRT too high
 - Computers slow, expensive, unreliable



Computer Graphics: 1960–1970

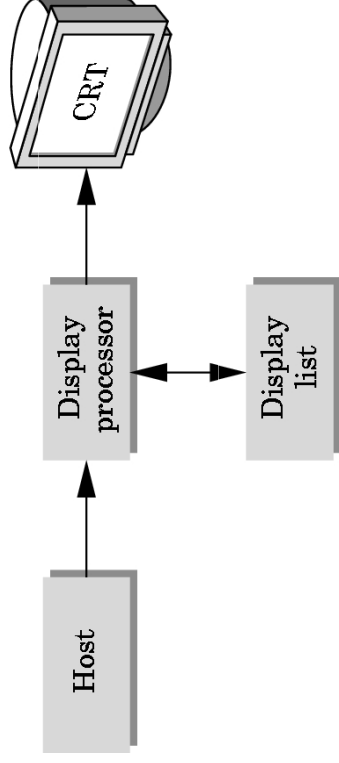
- ▶ *Wireframe graphics*
 - Draw only lines
- ▶ Sketchpad
- ▶ Display Processors
- ▶ Storage tube

wireframe representation
of sun object 



Display Processor

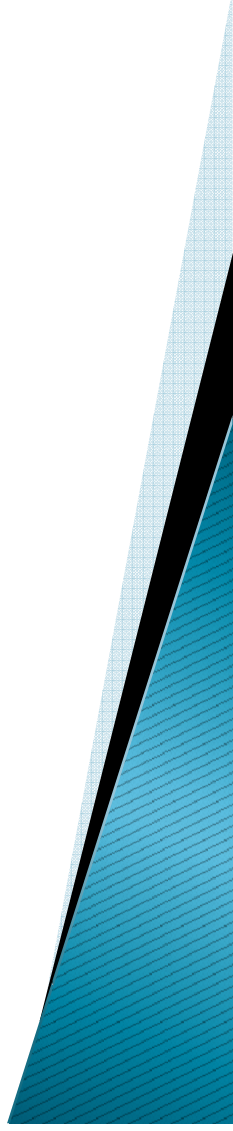
- ▶ Rather than have the host computer try to refresh display use a special purpose computer called a *display processor* (DPU)



- ▶ Graphics stored in display list (display file) on display processor
- ▶ Host *compiles* display list and sends to DPU

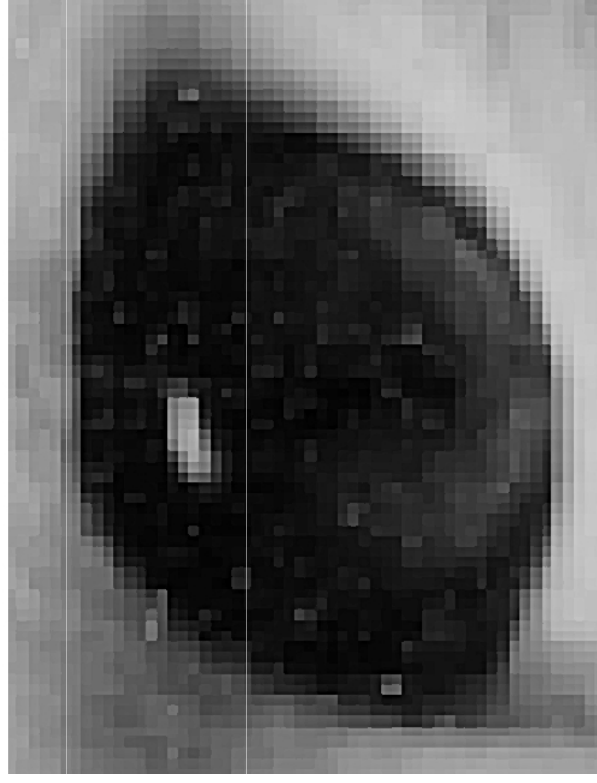
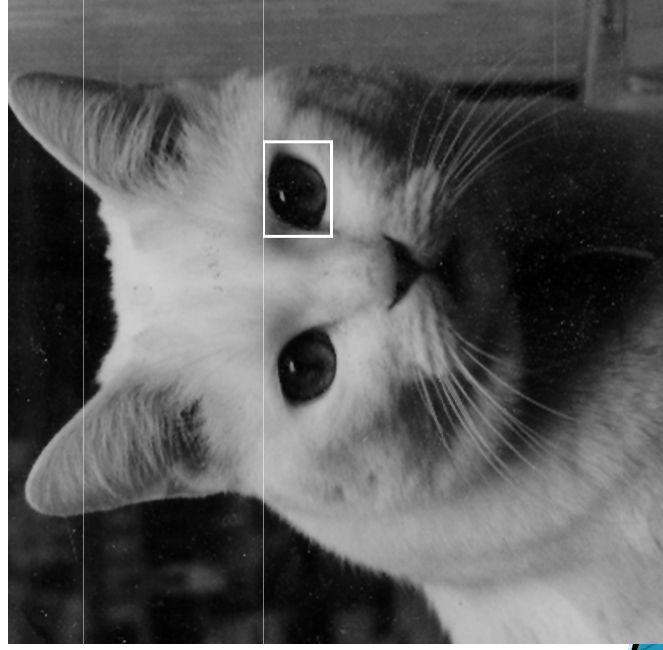
Computer Graphics: 1970-1980

- ▶ **Raster Graphics**
- ▶ **Beginning of graphics standards**
 - IFIPS (International Federation of Information Processing Society)
- ▶ **Workstations and PCs**



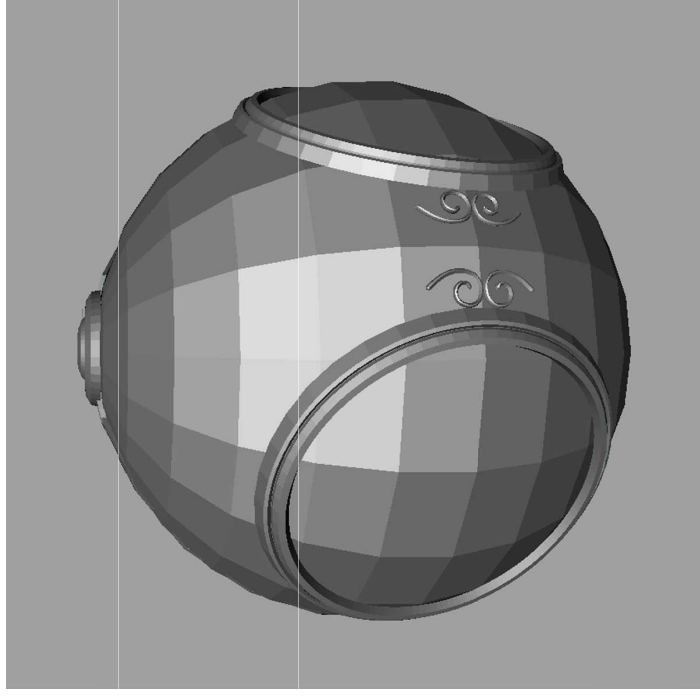
Raster Graphics

- ▶ Image produced as an array (the *raster*) of picture elements (*pixels*) in the *frame buffer*



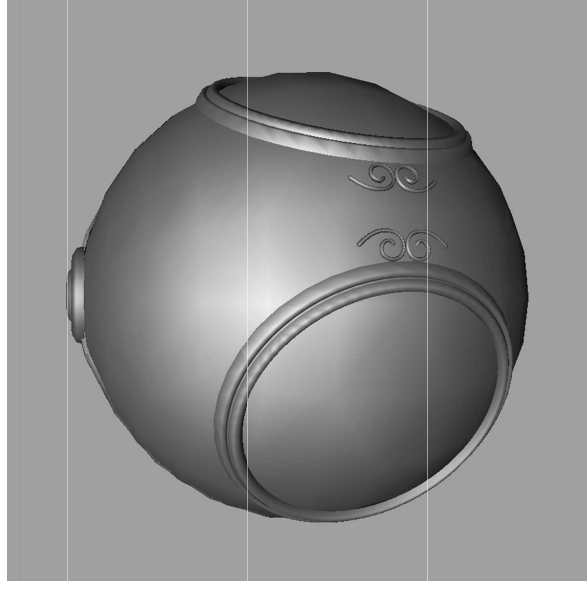
Raster Graphics

- ▶ Allows us to go from lines and wire frame images to filled polygons

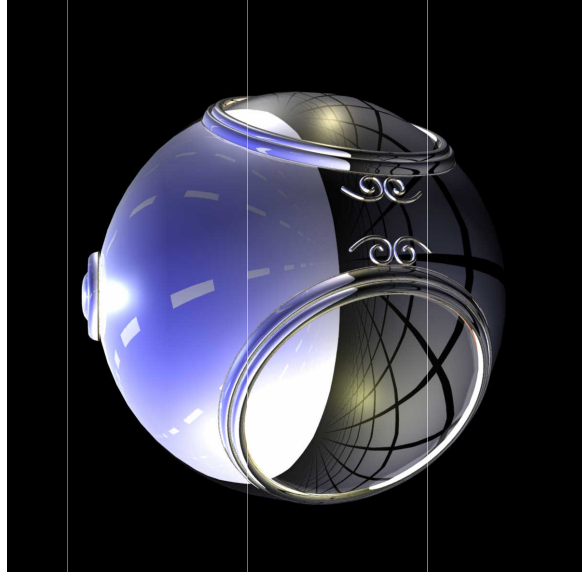


Computer Graphics: 1980-1990

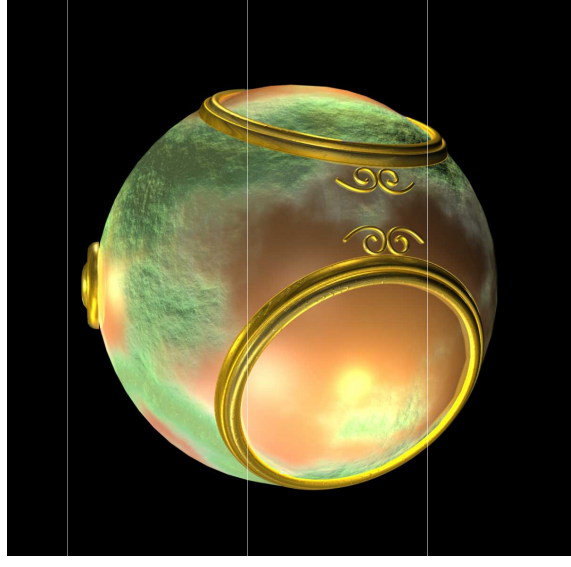
Realism comes to computer graphics



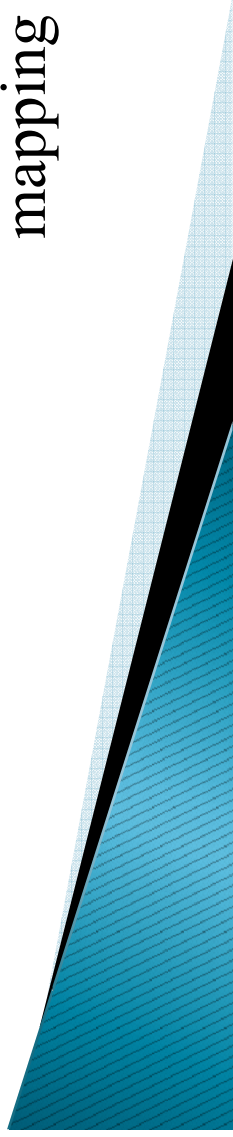
smooth shading



environment
mapping



bump mapping



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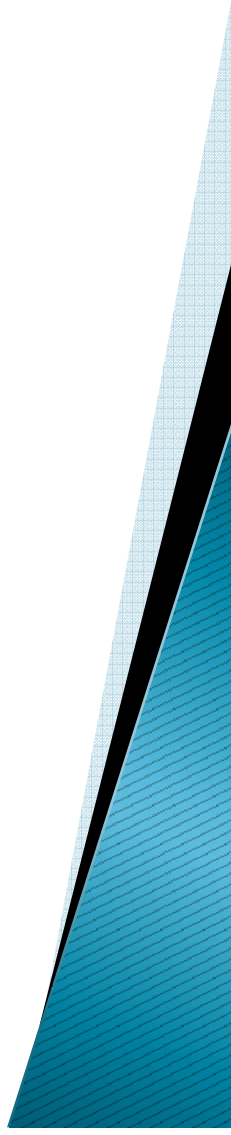
- ▶ Special purpose hardware
 - **Silicon Graphics** geometry engine
 - **VLSI implementation** of graphics pipeline
- ▶ **Industry-based standards**
 - PHIGS (Programmer's Hierarchical Interactive Graphics Systems)
 - RenderMan
- ▶ Networked graphics: X Window System

▶ Human-Computer Interface (HCI)



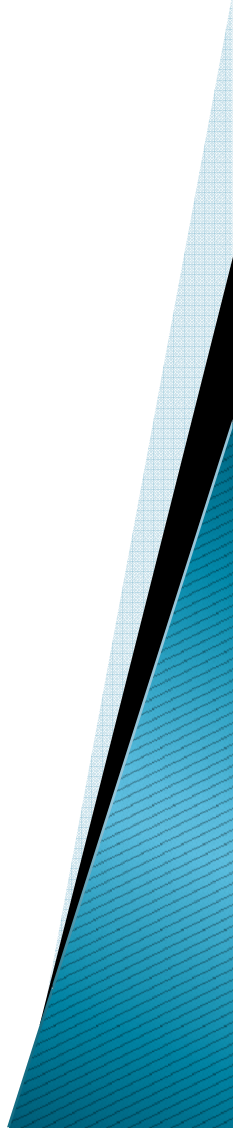
Computer Graphics: 1990-2000

- ▶ OpenGL API
- ▶ Completely computer-generated feature-length movies (**Toy Story**) are successful
- ▶ **New hardware capabilities**
 - Texture mapping
 - Blending دمج
 - Accumulation, stencil buffers



Computer Graphics: 2000-

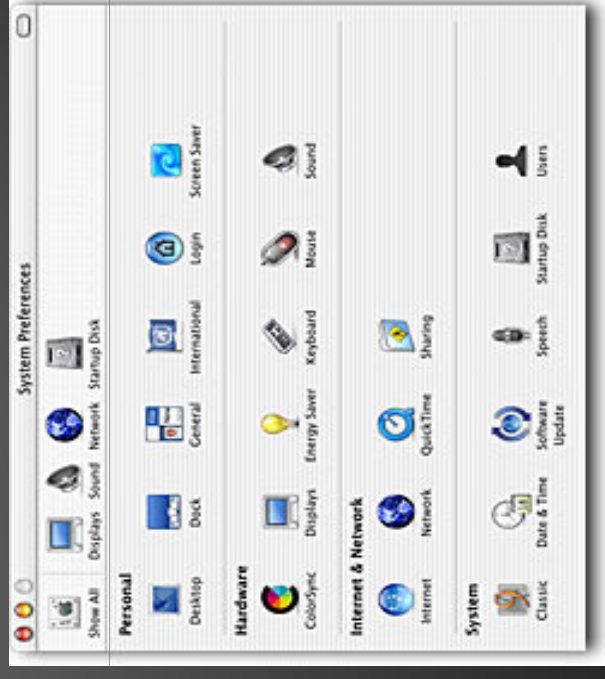
- ▶ **Photorealism**
- ▶ Graphics cards for PCs dominate market
 - Nvidia, ATI
- ▶ **Game boxes** and game players determine direction of market
- ▶ **Computer graphics routine** in movie industry:
Maya, 3D Max, Lightwave
- ▶ **Programmable pipelines**



Applications of Computer Graphics

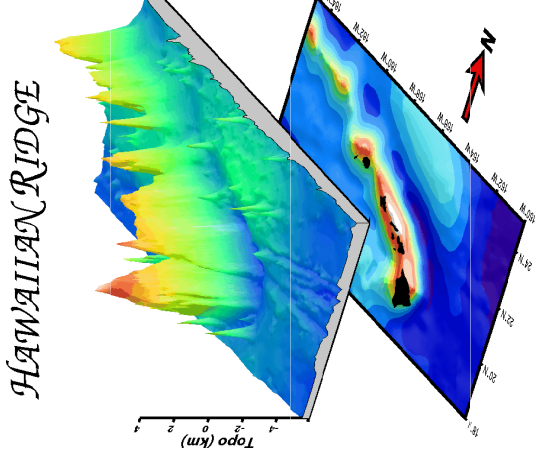
Applications of Computer Graphics

- ▶ divided in 4 majors area
 - Display of Information
 - Design
 - Simulation
 - User Interface

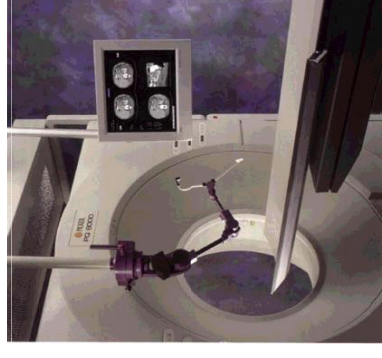


Display of Information

- ▶ Geographic information system (GIS)
- ▶ Computerized Tomography (CT)
- ▶ Magnetic resonance imaging (MRI)
- ▶ Ultrasound
- ▶ تصوير مقطعي - Positron emission tomography (PET)



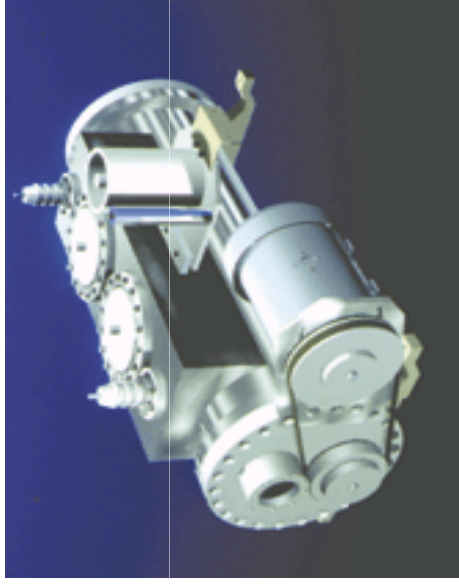
<http://www.soest.hawaii.edu/soest/about.ftp.html>



<http://www.queens.org/qmc/services/imaging/ct.htm>

Design

- ▶ Computer–Aided Design (CAD)
 - Architecture
 - Design of Mechanical part
 - VLSI
 - etc...



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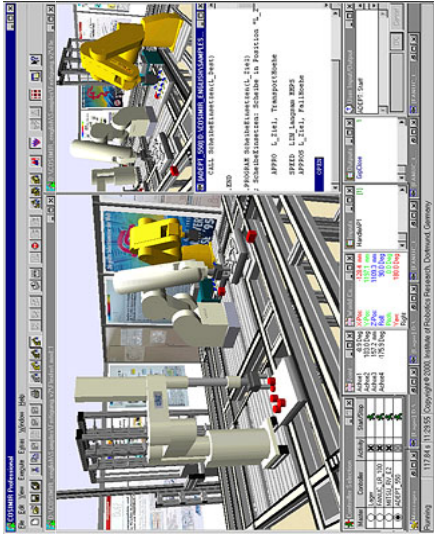
Simulation

- ▶ **Graphical flight simulator**
 - reduce training process
- ▶ **Robotic simulation**
- ▶ **TV, Movie, advertising industries**
 - generate photo realistic images



[The Concorde Panel.](#)

- ▶ **Virtual Reality (VR)**
 - reduce risk of training
 - surgery
 - astronaut



<http://www.motionshop.com/pr/festocosimirlg.shtml>

User Interfaces

- ▶ **Window system**
 - Window 2003
 - X window
 - MAC OS



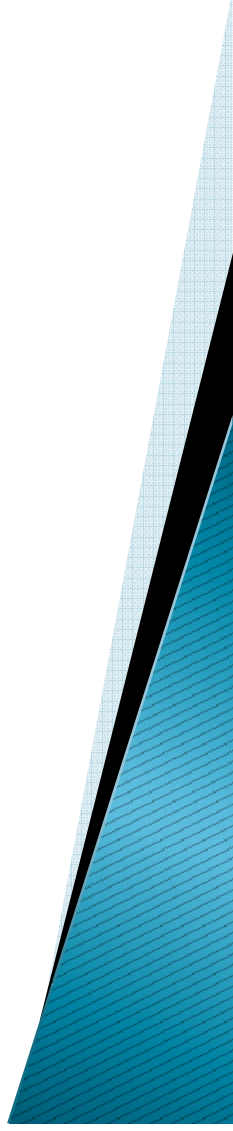
- ▶ **Graphical Network browsers**

- Netscape
- Internet Explorer



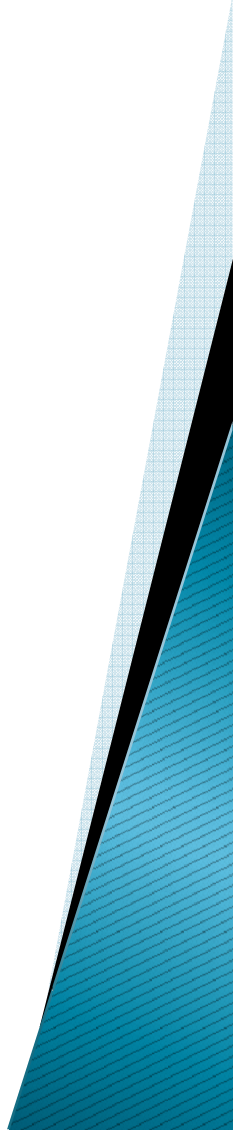
Areas of research in Graphics

- ▶ **mathematical modeling:**
 - interpolation, curve and surface fitting
 - computational geometry: algorithmic applications in geometry
 - study of light and optical phenomenon: colour, texture, shades
 - modelling the characteristics of physical objects



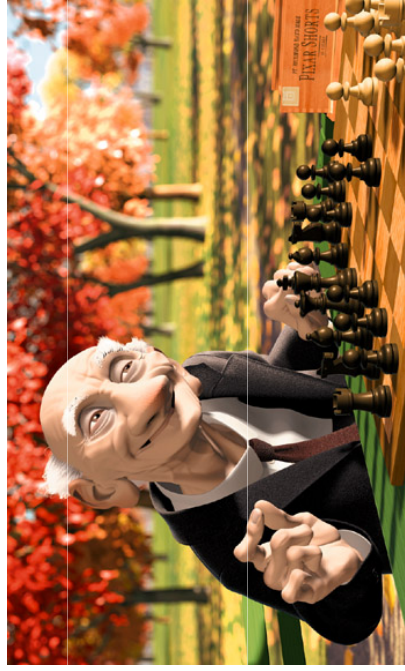
Areas of research in Graphics

- ▶ **Software technology**
 - standardized graphics languages and libraries
 - graphics tools and interfaces
 - algorithm design
- ▶ **Hardware**
 - specialized graphics chips, monitors, interface devices



Graphics Applications

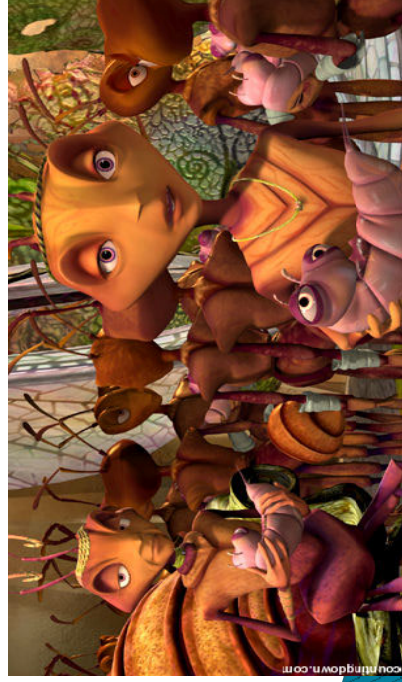
► Entertainment: Cinema



Pixar: Geri's Game



Universal: Jurassic Park



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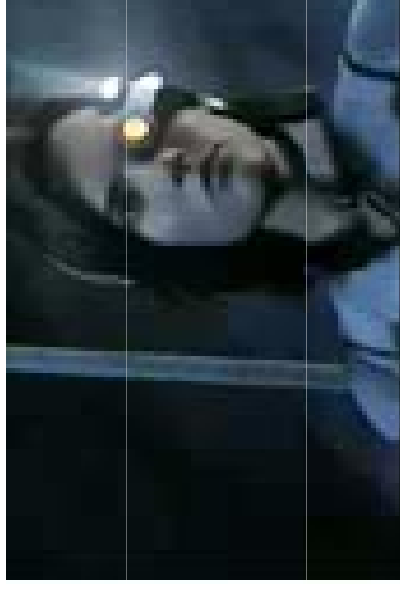
A bug's Life

Graphics Applications (1 / 4)

- ▶ Entertainment: Games



Star Wars Jedi Outcast: Jedi Knight II



Aki Ross : Final Fantasy



Quake III

Graphics Applications (2/4)

- ▶ Medical Visualization

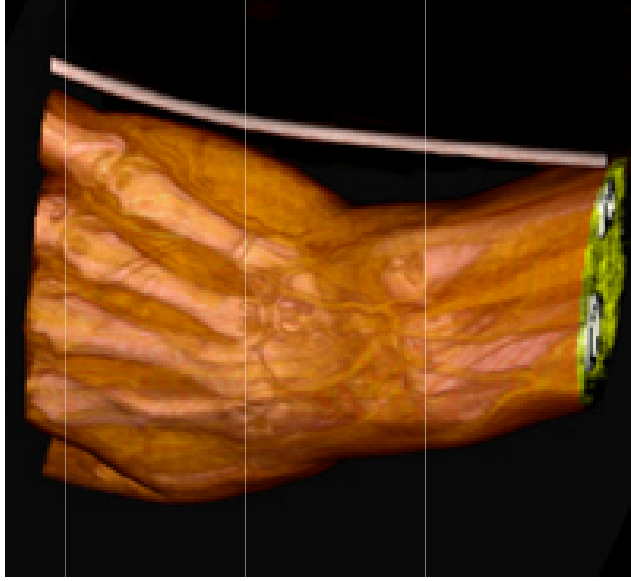


Figure 3: Rendering of a human hand. A complex transfer function was used to separate bones, blood vessels, ligaments and skin.

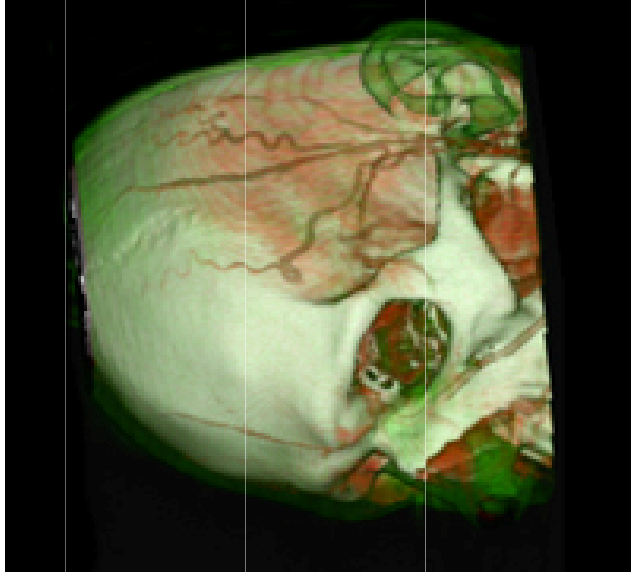
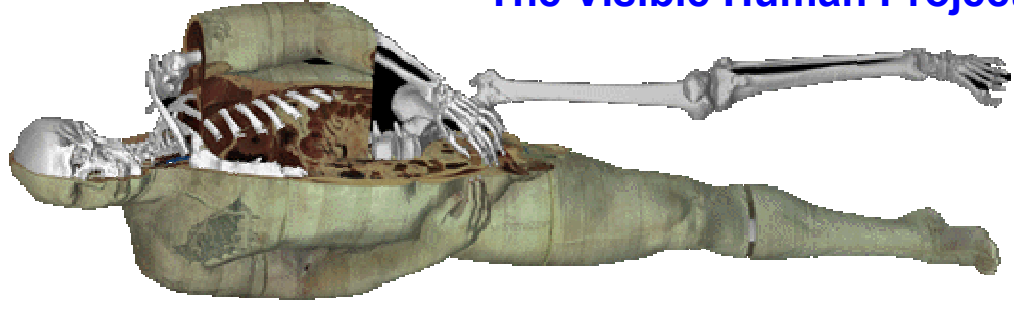


Figure 4: Another transfer function was used to display bone, blood vessels, and skin independently.



The Visible Human Project

http://www.ercim.org/publication/Ercim_News/enw44/koenig.html

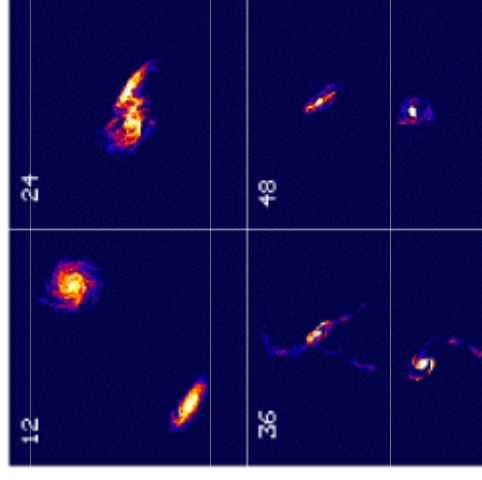
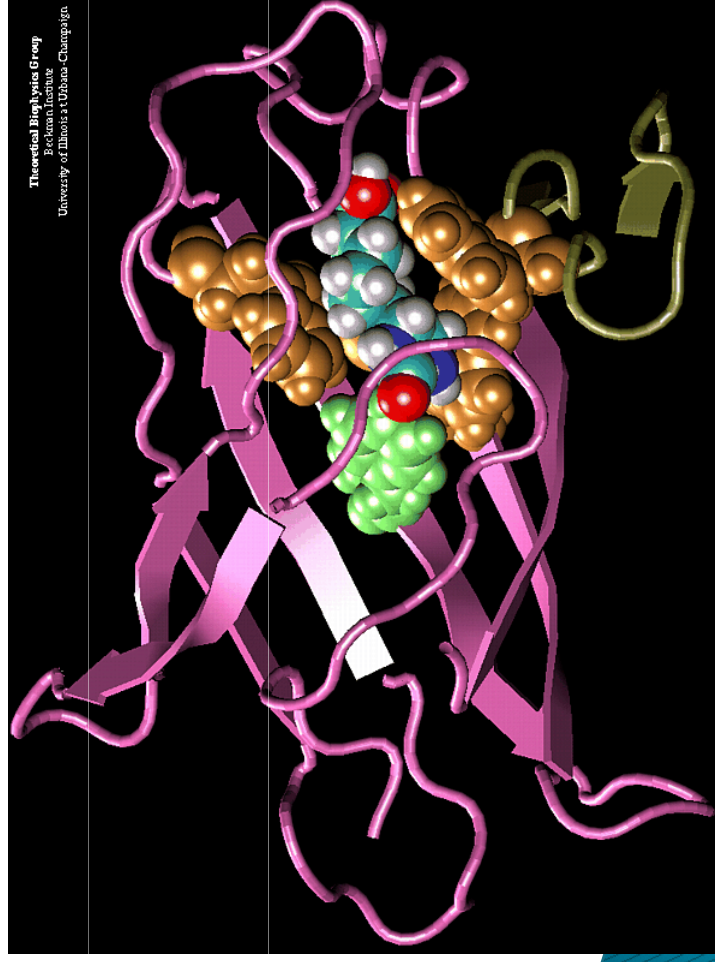
Graphics Applications (3/4)

- ▶ Computer Aided Design (CAD)

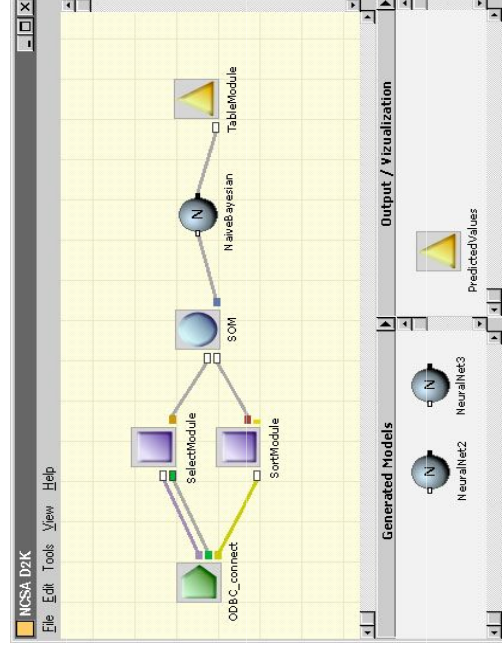
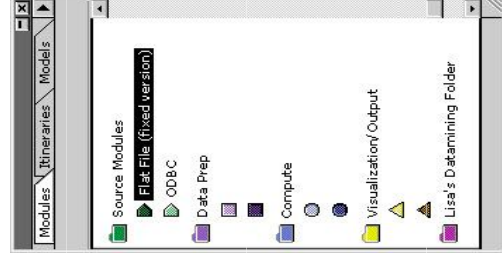


Graphics Applications (4/4)

- ▶ Scientific Visualization



Hypermedia User Interfaces (1/2)



NCSA D2K:

<http://chili.ncsa.uiuc.edu>

**Visual programming system
for high-performance
knowledge discovery in
databases (KDD)**

■ Hypermedia

- Database format (similar to *hypertext*) that provides display-based access to (internetworked) *multimedia* (text, image, audio, video, etc.) documents
- *Chimera*: <http://www.ics.uci.edu/pub/chimera/>

Hypermedia User Interfaces (2/2)

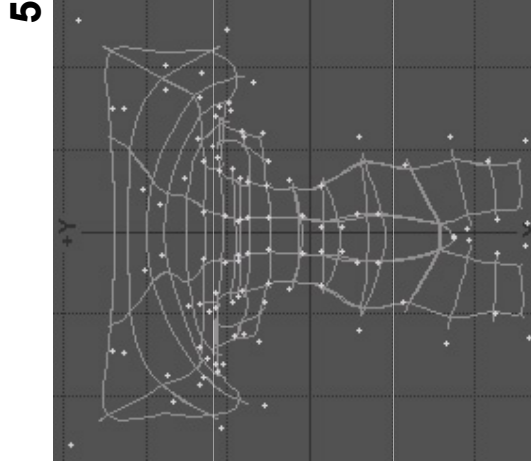
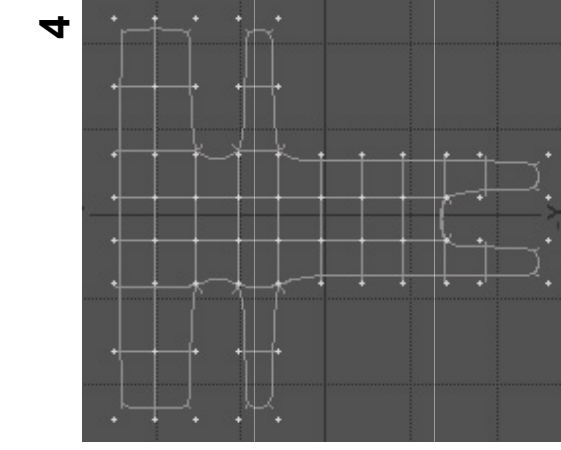
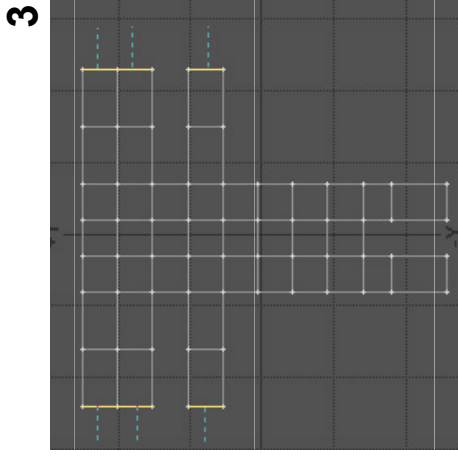
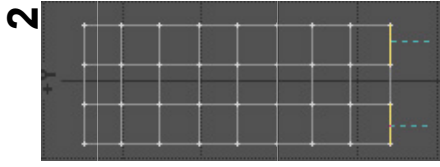
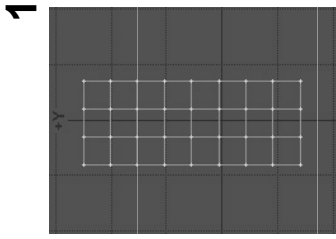
- ▶ **Virtual Environments**
 - Immersion: interactive training, tutoring systems
 - Entertainment hypermedia
- ▶ Visualization and Computer-Aided Design and Engineering (CAD/CAE)
 - Visualization: scientific, data/information, statistics
 - User interfaces for CAD/CAE/CAM/CASE:

<http://www.isii.com>

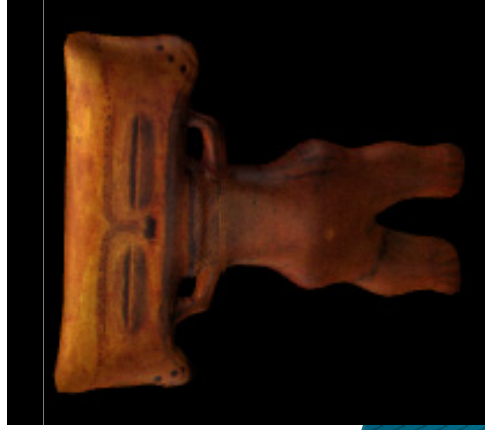


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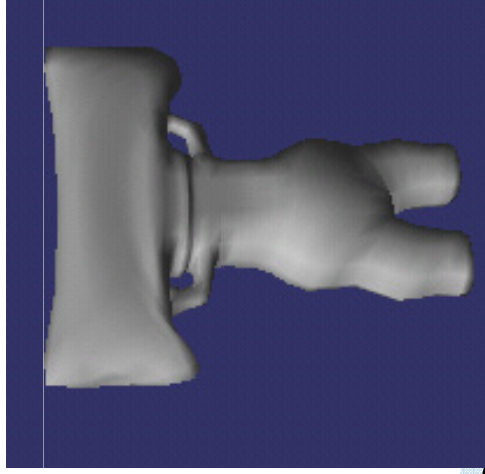
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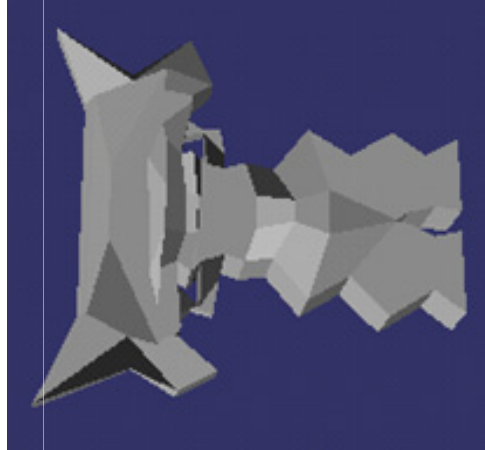
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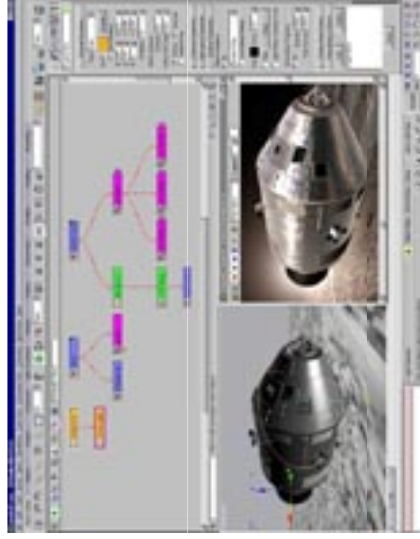
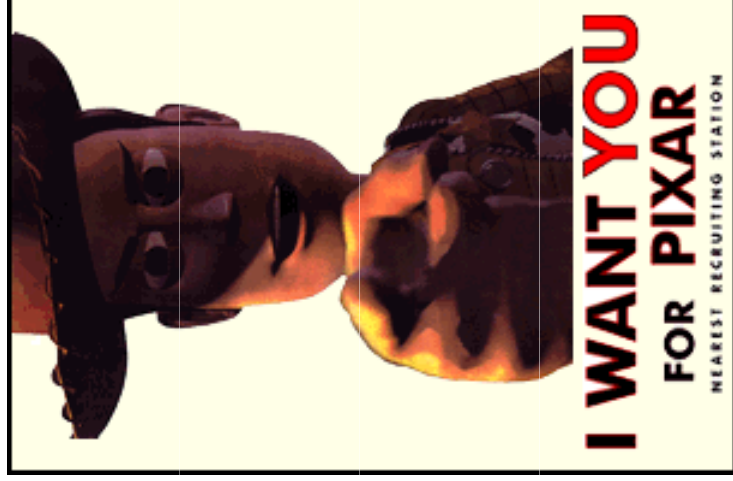
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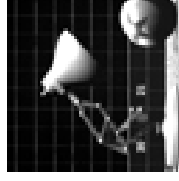
Photorealistic Illumination Models



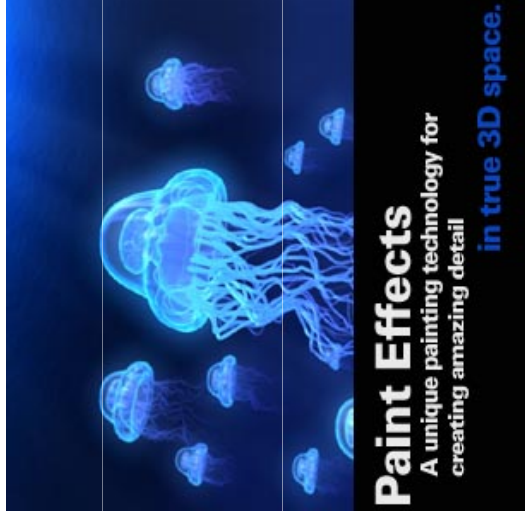
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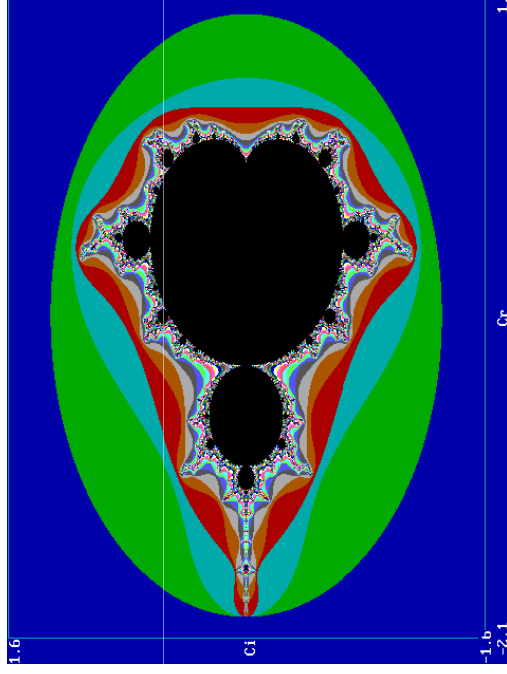
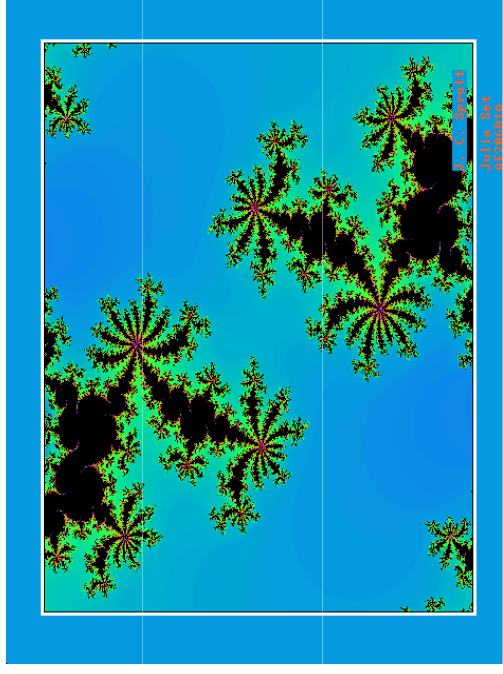
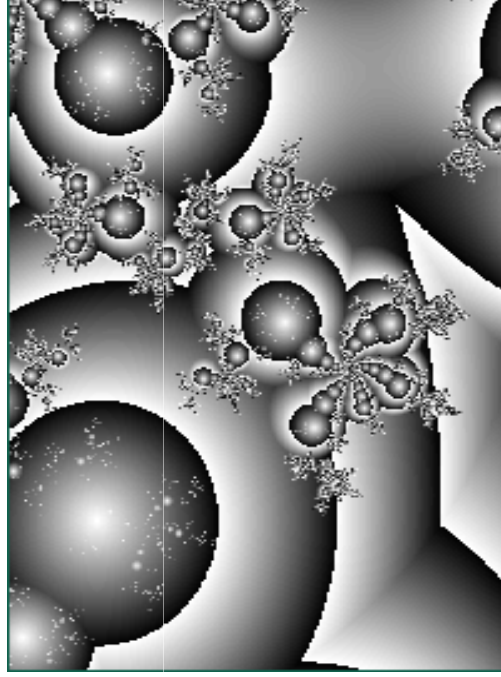
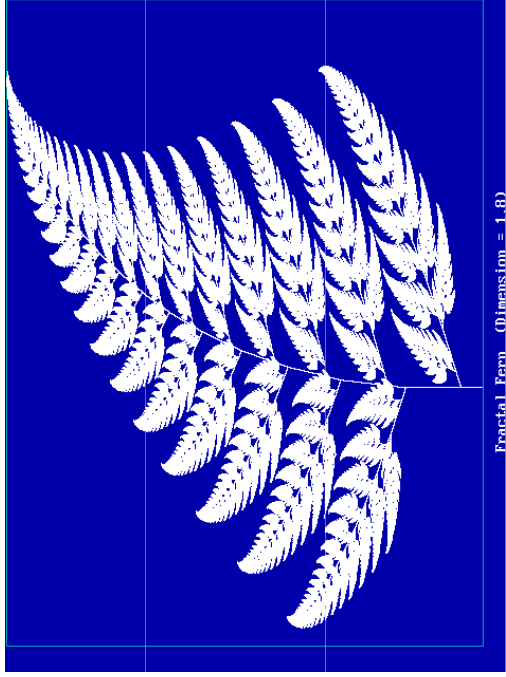
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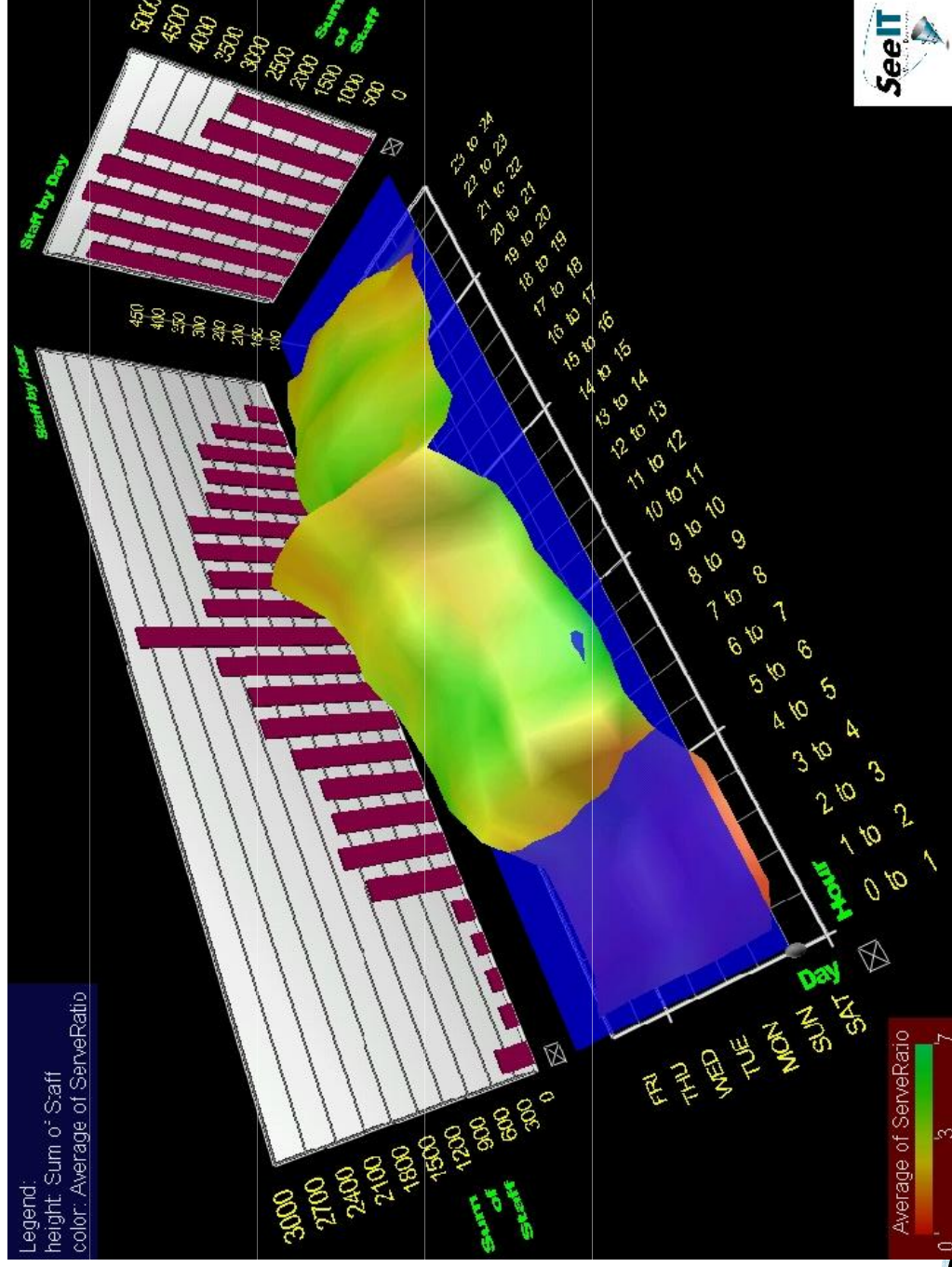


Fractal Systems



<http://sprott.physics.wisc.edu/fractals.htm>

Information Visualization



Visible Decisions SeeIT

(<http://www.vdi.com>)

Professional Societies

ACM SIGGRAPH

- Association for Computing Machinery Special Interest Group in Graphics



IEEE

- The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers, Technical Committee on Computer Graphics



Software Portability and graphics standards

STANDARD ORGANIZATION

- ▶ ANSI = American National Standard Institute (private, non government)
- ▶ ISO = International Standards Organization (voluntary, non treaty)
- ▶ ANSI is a member of ISO



Some Notable Systems

- ▶ Tektronix commands in BASIC (mid-1960s)
- ▶ HP commands (Hewlett Packard)
- ▶ Microsoft BASIC (for PCs) graphics commands (early 1980s)
- ▶ QuickDraw (Apple Macintosh)
- ▶ X (MIT)
- ▶ OpenGL (Silicon Graphics)
- ▶ SRGP (Simple Raster Graphics Package)
- ▶ SPHIGS (Simple PHIGS)
- ▶ MS Windows



Java AWT

