Topo-Geometric Modeling of 3D Objects

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Outline

- 3D Shape Modeling
 - Topological modeling
 - Geometric modeling
- Geometric model matching
 - Integral Invariants
 - Differential Invariants
 - Riemannian metric
- Conclusion



Motivation for 3D shapes

- Generalized framework for classification and recognition
- Biomedical imaging (surgery assistance...)
- Object compression for storage/retrieval
- CAD applications, Art archival, terrain modeling



Other 2D/3D Representations

- Shock graphs
- [Kimia-Tannenbaum-Zucker, Siddiqi-Zucker....]
- Medial Axis
- [Blum, Damon, Giblin, Kimia, Pizer, Siddiqi]
- M-Reps [Nackman-Pizer, Fletcher....]
- Morse-Theoretic
- [Shinagawa, Kunii and Kergosien, Schroeder, Edelsbrunner, Schmidt *et. al.*, Andres *et al.*, Samir *et al.* ...]



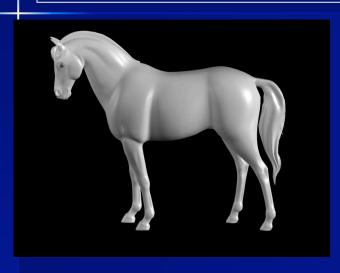
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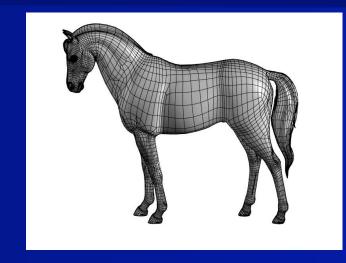


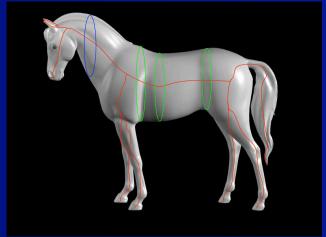




Pictorially...







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In words...

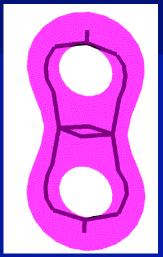
Coarse representation



 Fast and simple tool for surface comparison

Classification III





Fine representation

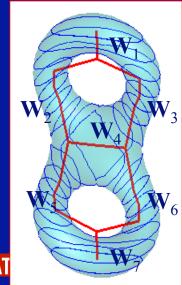


 Higher level of discrimination.

Recognition

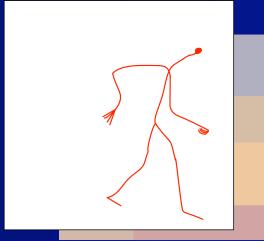
Geometric information





Topology

Goal: Represent a surface/manifold in subparts which may be glued together



- Information in Topology
- How to capture topology?
 - Critical points



Morse theory

• Study of smooth and compact surfaces by exploiting a defined Morse function

Definition:

A smooth function $h: \mathcal{S} \to \mathbb{R}$ on a smooth manifold S is called a *Morse* function if all of its critical points are non-degenerate.

A critical point $p_0=(u_0,v_0)$ is degenerate if the Hessian of $\frac{h \circ x}{}$ is singular

Properties:

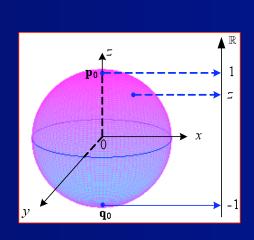
- Critical points of a Morse function are:
 - isolated
 - landmarks on the surface
- Saddle points determine topological changes of the surface

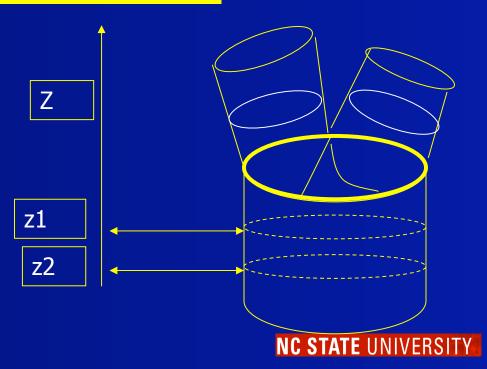


Height Function

A height function $h: \mathcal{M} \to \mathbb{R}$ on smooth manifold is a real valued function such that

$$h(x, y, z) = z, \forall (x, y, z) \in \mathcal{M}$$







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Not invariant to Rotation

- ernatively be described as a quotient space Reeb graph may \mathcal{M}/\sim where the equivalence relation \sim is defined as:
- $p \sim q iff$

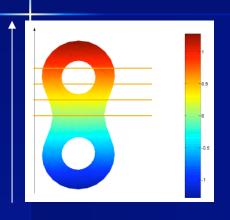
■ $h(\mathbf{p}) = h(\mathbf{q})$ $\mathbf{p} \in \text{ConnComp}(\text{Levelset}(\mathbf{q})) = h^{-1}(h(\mathbf{q}))$

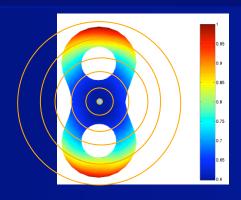
$$\mathcal{M}/\sim:=\{[p]:p\in\mathcal{M}\}$$

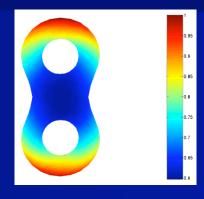
$$[p] = \{q \in \mathcal{M} : q \sim p\}$$



Choice of a Morse function







Height Function:

Not invariant to rotation.(Reeb, Shinagawa et al., Edelsbrunner et al., Ben Hamza et al.)

Spherical sampling of a surface:

Requires a reference point.

(S. Baloch and K.)

Geodesic Function

Completely intrinsic to a surface.

(Hilaga et al.)



Global Geodesic Function

Integrated geodesic distance

$$f(\mathbf{v}) = \int_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbf{S}} \mathbf{d}(\mathbf{v}, \mathbf{p}) \mathbf{d} \mathcal{S}.$$

- \triangleright Given a 2D surface as a 3D mesh represented by $p_{\{i=1,\cdots m\}}$ vertices
- \rightarrow d(.) being the geodesic distance between two vertices, $GGF_g(.)$ is defined as:



Global Geodesic Function *GGF* (2)

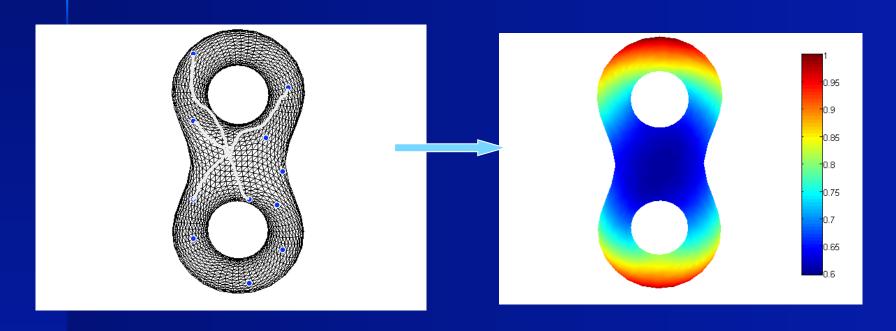
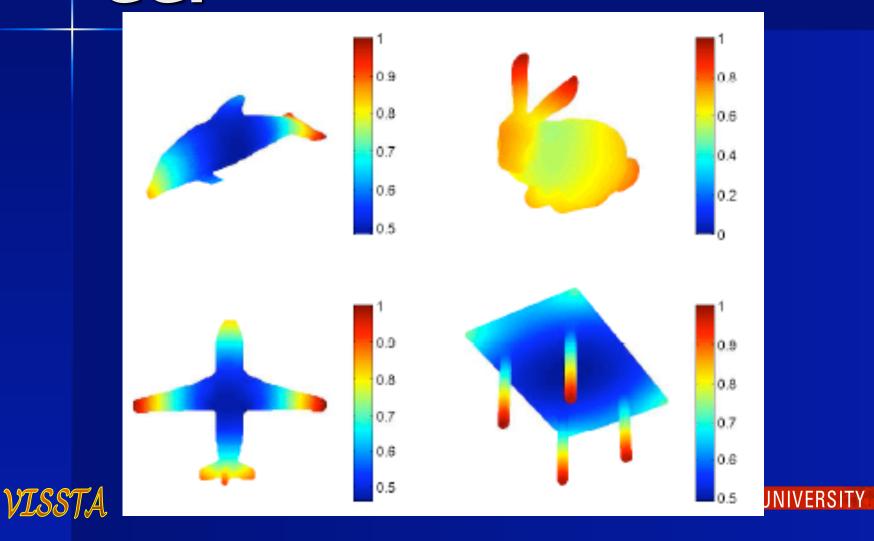
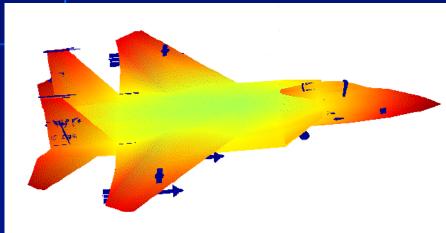


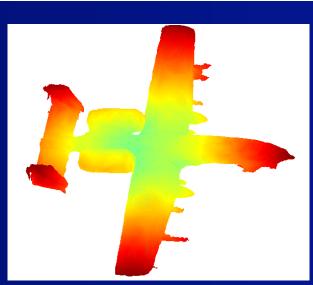
Illustration of the GGF

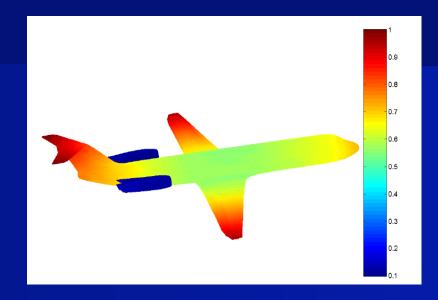


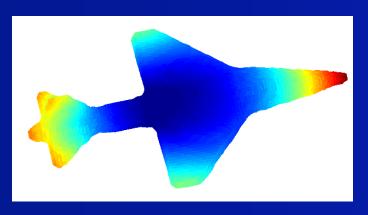
Global Geodesic Function GGF











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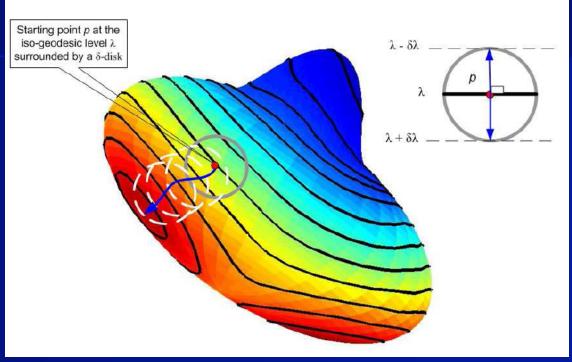
TG Characterization

- Morse framework provides a powerful means for gleaning topological and geometric information,
- For a surface F(x,y,z) and a height function h(f(.),.), we seek level sets

$$F(x, y, z).(h(x, y, f(x, y)) - C_t) = 0$$



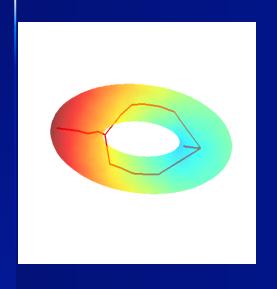
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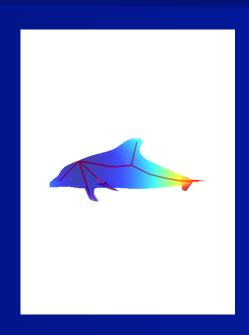


- Iso-geodesic curves are smoothly interpolated.
- The adjacency of nodes is verified through path connectedness. (with D. Aouada)



Examples of Reeb-like graphs

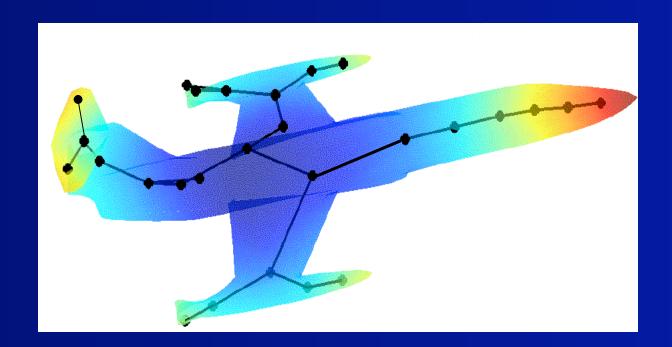






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Topological Characterization





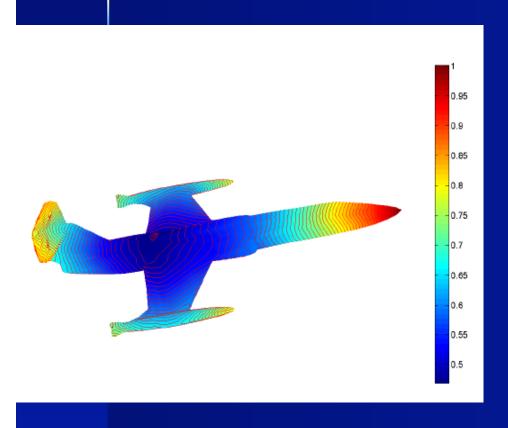
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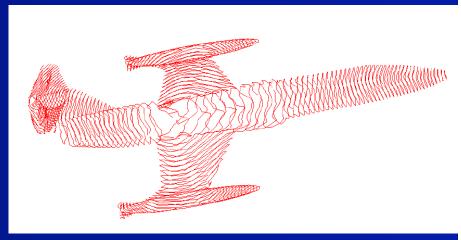


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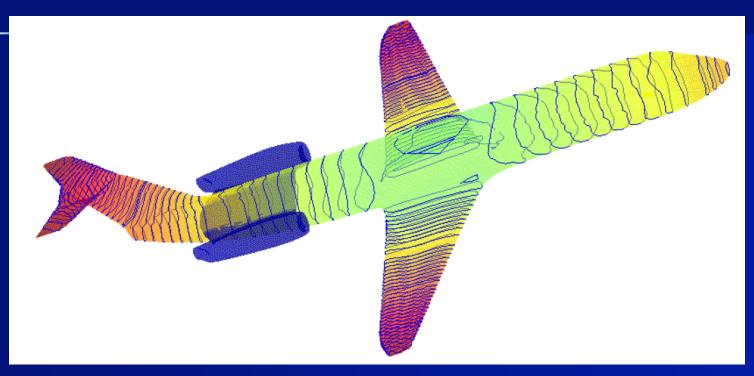
Geometric characterization





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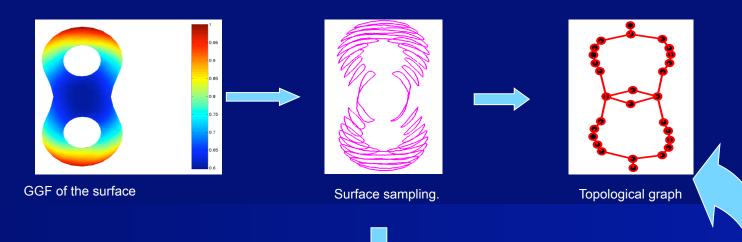
Geometric characterization (2)



- Surface sampling.
- Iso-geodesic curves are smoothly interpolated.



Tag modeling



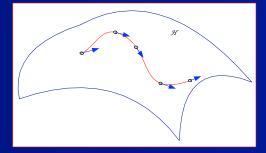
Iso-geodesic curves bear geometric features: Find a model to simply represent a set of these curves along each edge.

Assign a geometric weight to each edge

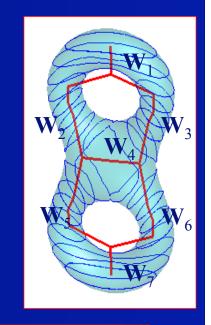
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Geometric modeling (1)

Capturing geometry



- TaG weighted skeletal graphs
 - Unique, compact and "complete" representation of 3D shape

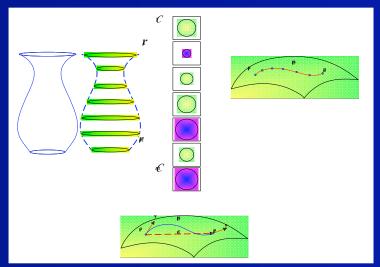


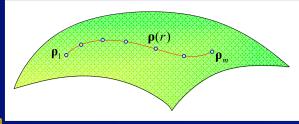


Geometric Modeling (2)

■ Given m curves $C_1,...,C_m$, at levels $r_1,...,r_m$

■ Find optimal trajectory α : I $\rightarrow R^n$

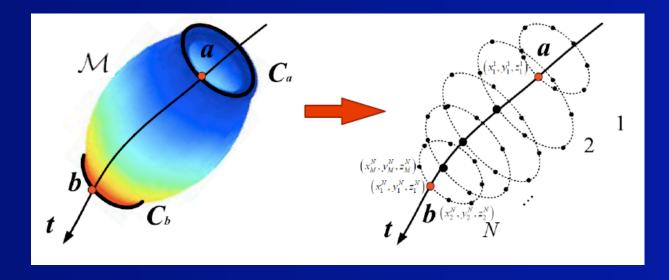




S.H. Baloch, H.K., W. Mio, and A. Srivastava, "3D curve interpolation and object reconstruction", *IEEE ICIP*, 2005.



In Summary



$$\mathcal{M} = \bigcup_{t \in [a,b]} C(t), \text{ with } g_0 \le a < b \le 1,$$
and
$$C(t_1) \cap C(t_2) = \emptyset \text{ if } t_1 \ne t_2,$$

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Geometric modeling: Whitney

embedding-Dimension Reduction

Theorem:

Let **m** be a compact *Hausdorff* n-dimensional manifold, $2 \le r \le \infty$, then there is a embedding of m in \mathbb{R}^{2n+1}

(Constructive proof due to Broomhead and Kirby, SIAM DS 2000)

In our problem, we are to embed a in \mathbb{R}^3

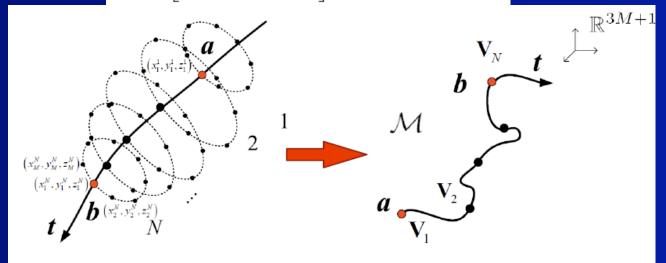


[Aouada, et al. ICIP 08, IEEE Trans. On IP 09]



Curve Modeling

$$\mathbf{V}_i = \left[\left[\mathbf{V}_1^i \right]^T \dots \left[\mathbf{V}_M^i \right]^T \right]^T \mathrm{th} \, \mathbf{V}_j^i = \left[x_j^i, y_j^i, z_j^i \right]^T$$



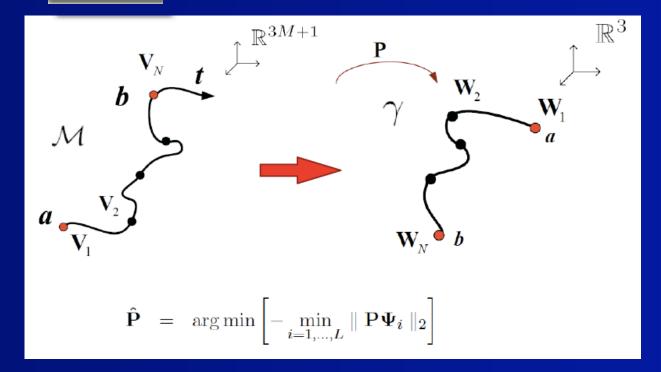
$$\Psi = \left\{ \frac{\mathbf{V}_i - \mathbf{V}_j}{\|\mathbf{V}_i - \mathbf{V}_j\|}, (i, j) \in \{1, \dots, N\}^2 \text{ and } i \neq j \right\}$$

$$= \left\{ \Psi_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, L \right\},$$



Whitney Embedding

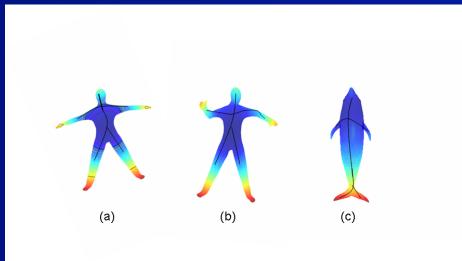
$$\mathbf{W} = \mathbf{P}^T \mathbf{V},$$





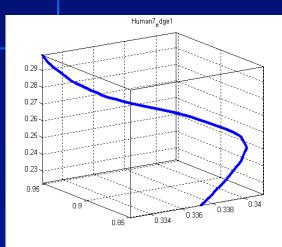
Example illustrating the problem

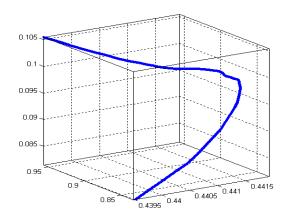
- Distinguishing three objects with the same graphical representation.
- Find 3D curves to assign to each edge.

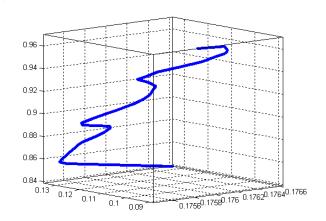


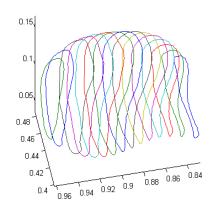


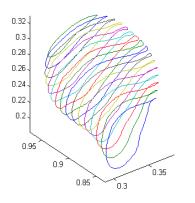
"Modeling of heads"

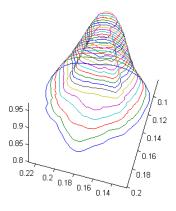






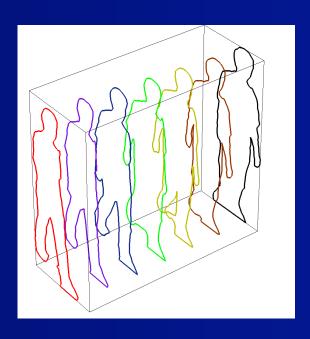


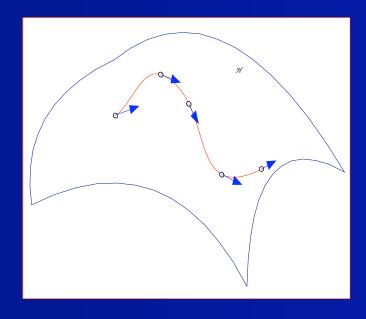






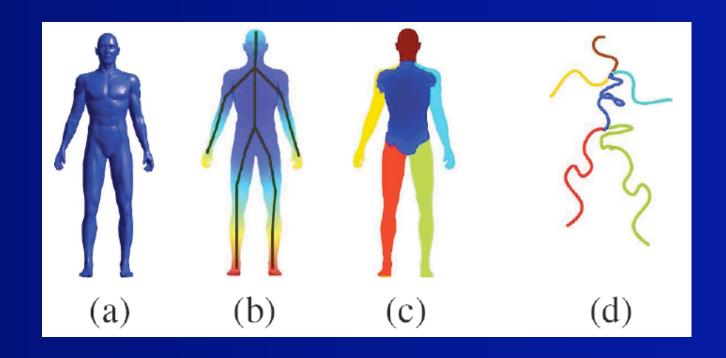
Other Applications





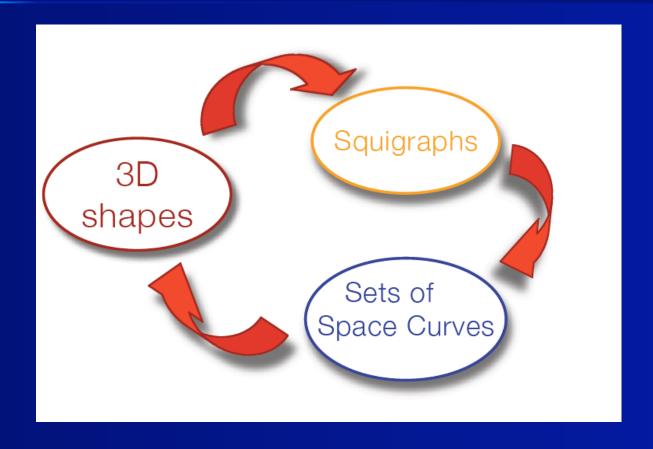


Squigraph Model





Representation





Object comparison/ classification

Registration

Invariant

- Complicated
- Time consuming



- Easy to compute
- Inexpensive to store
- From curve comparison to invariant comparison

Invariants offer a simple alternative!



Geometric Model Matching

- Curves are fundamental blocks in vision and imaging
- Curves undergo geometrical transformations (e.g. biological organs)
- Matching tantamount to coping with variability of characteristic curves

 Invariants (Boutin, Fels-Olver, Kogan, Hickman et al., Manay et al.)

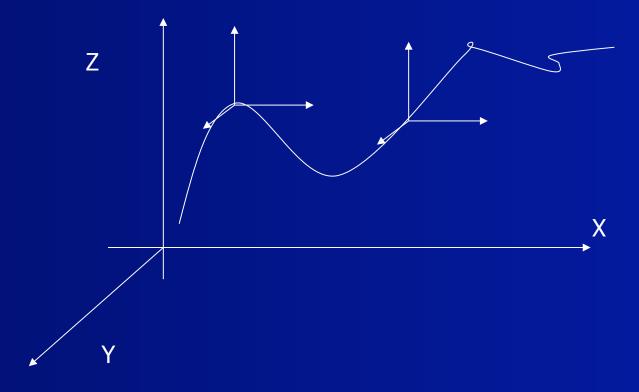


Invariants

- Integral Invariants
 - Robust to noise
 - Too costly to make independent of parameterization
 - Hard to compare
- Differential Invariants
 - Easy to compute and to apply
 - Sensitive to noise



Intuitively...invariant





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Integral Jet Space

 Special affine action on spatial curves can be prolonged to the action on the integral variables of order l=i+j (with S. Feng, I. Kogan)

$$X_{ijk} = \int_{t_0}^t x^i y^j z^k dx, \quad j+k \neq 0 \quad Y_{ijk} = \int_{t_0}^t x^i y^j z^k dy \quad i+k \neq 0$$

$$Z_{ijk} = \int_{t_0}^t x^i y^j z^k dz, \quad i+j \neq 0$$

■ The jet space is defined as:





3D Integral Invariants

We achieve two special affine integral invariants:

$$\begin{split} I_1 &= n_1 X + n_2 Z - n_3 Y \\ I_2 &= 2 n_1 (X Y Z^2 - 3 Z_{011} X + 3 Y Z_{01} - Z Z_{10} - 2 Z Y_{01}) + \ p(2 \ X Y^2 Z 3 \ X_{020} \\ &- 6 Z X_{020} - 4 Y Z_{110} - 2 Y Y_{101}) - 2 \ n_3 (3 Y X_{101} - 3 Z X_{110} + X Z_{10} - X_{101}) \\ n_1 &= Y Z - 2 Z_{010} \quad n_2 = X Y - 2 \ Y_{100} \quad n_3 = X Z - 2 \ Z_{100} \end{split}$$

where

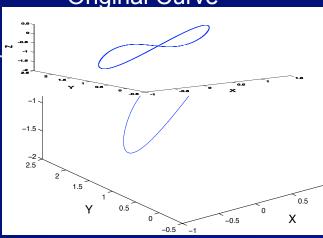
 The full affine integral invariant is easily to derived as [Feng et al., 09]

$$I = \frac{I_2}{I_1^2}$$

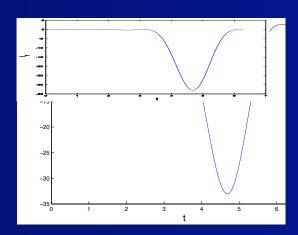


Examples of invariants

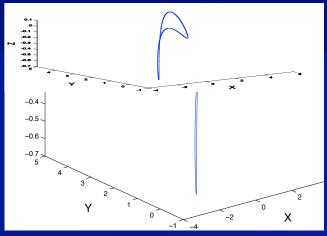
Original Curve



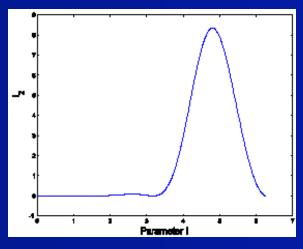
Invariant I1 for both of the curves above



Transformed Curve



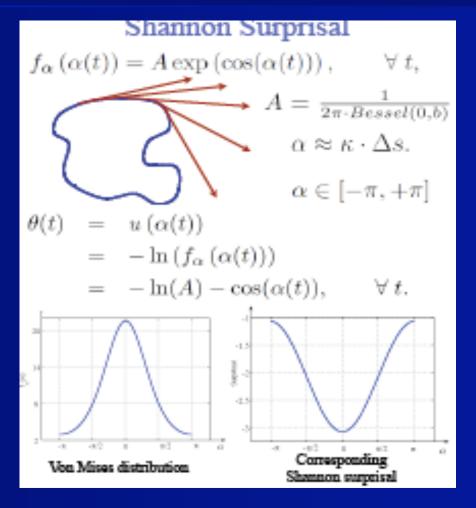
Invariant I2 for both of the curves above





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Invariants: Shannon Surprisal





Space Curves

Using Frenet frame to generalize:

From planar to space curves



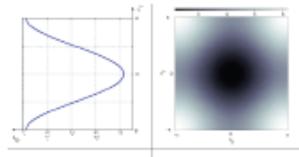
$$\frac{d\mathbf{T}}{dt} = \kappa \mathbf{N},$$
 $\frac{d\mathbf{N}}{dt} = -\kappa \mathbf{T} + \tau \mathbf{B},$
 $\frac{d\mathbf{B}}{dt} = -\tau \mathbf{N},$





$$\theta(t) = -\ln (f_{\alpha}(\alpha_T, \alpha_B))$$

 $= -2 \ln(A) - \cos(\alpha_T(t)) - \cos(\alpha_B(t)),$





Intrinsic Riemannian Metric

- For two given curves γ_1, γ_2 , define an oriented curve $\lambda_{\Delta} = \lambda_1 \lambda_2$
- First take form F,

$$\overrightarrow{F}: ([-\pi, \pi])^2 \to \mathbb{R}^2$$

$$(\alpha_T, \alpha_R) \to -\ln(f_{\alpha}(\alpha_T) \overrightarrow{i} - \ln(f_{\alpha}(\alpha_R) \overrightarrow{j})$$

One then defines a projection on $[2\pi]^2$

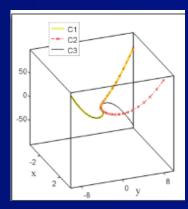
$$\lambda_{\Delta}^{*}(\phi) = \int_{\lambda_{\Delta}^{*}} \phi(\overrightarrow{F(t)}) dt$$

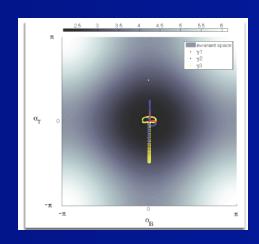


Riemannian Metric

Define a Flat norm (Vaillant, Glaunes 07)

$$D(\gamma_1, \gamma_2) = \mathcal{F}(\lambda_1^* - \lambda_2^*) \triangleq \sup \left\{ \lambda_{\Delta}^*(\phi) : ||d\phi|| \le 1, \forall ||\phi|| \le 1 \right\}$$





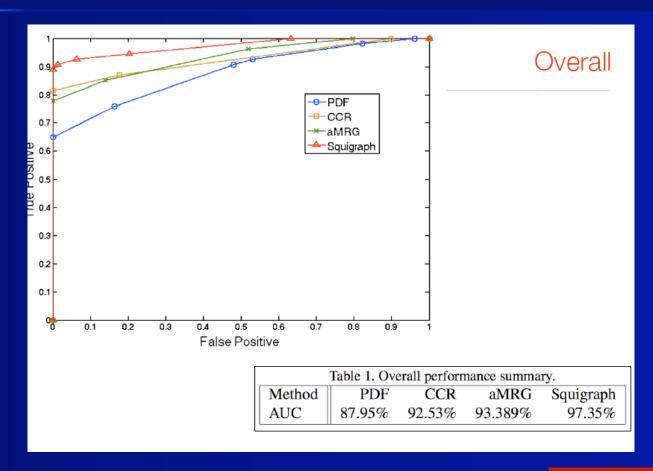


Comparison of complex shapes



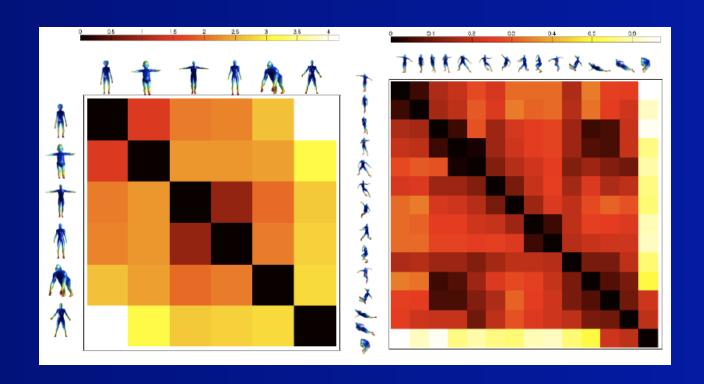


Performance Evaluation





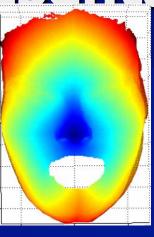
Bipedal Shapes



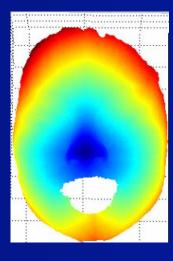


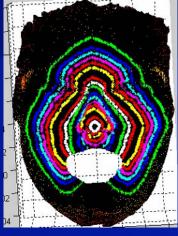
Face Representation















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Conclusion/Ongoing Work

- Framework for 3D shape modeling
- Other theoretical issues
 - Robustness issues
 - Sampling in 3D
- Other application avenues
- Experiment with real data

