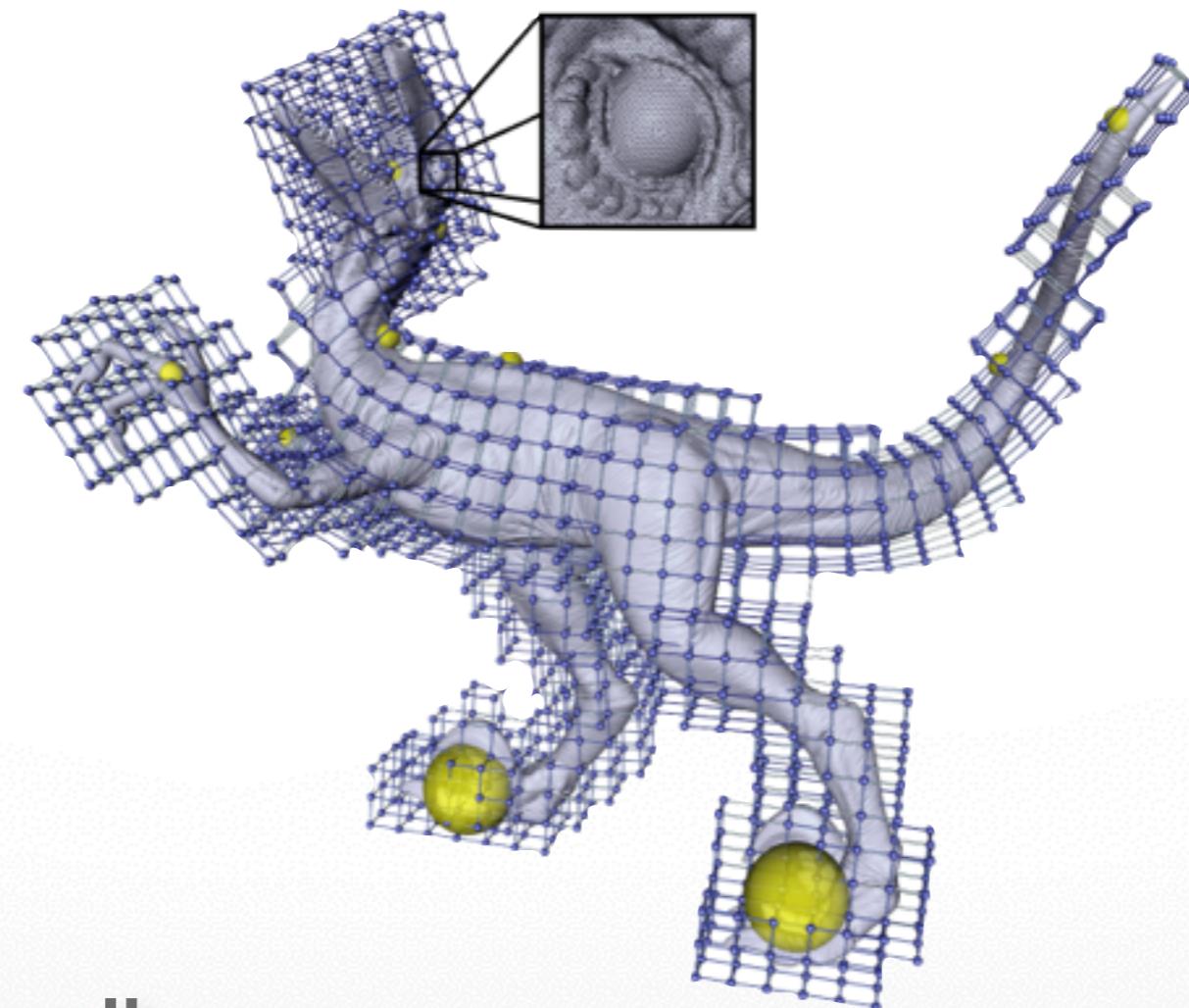


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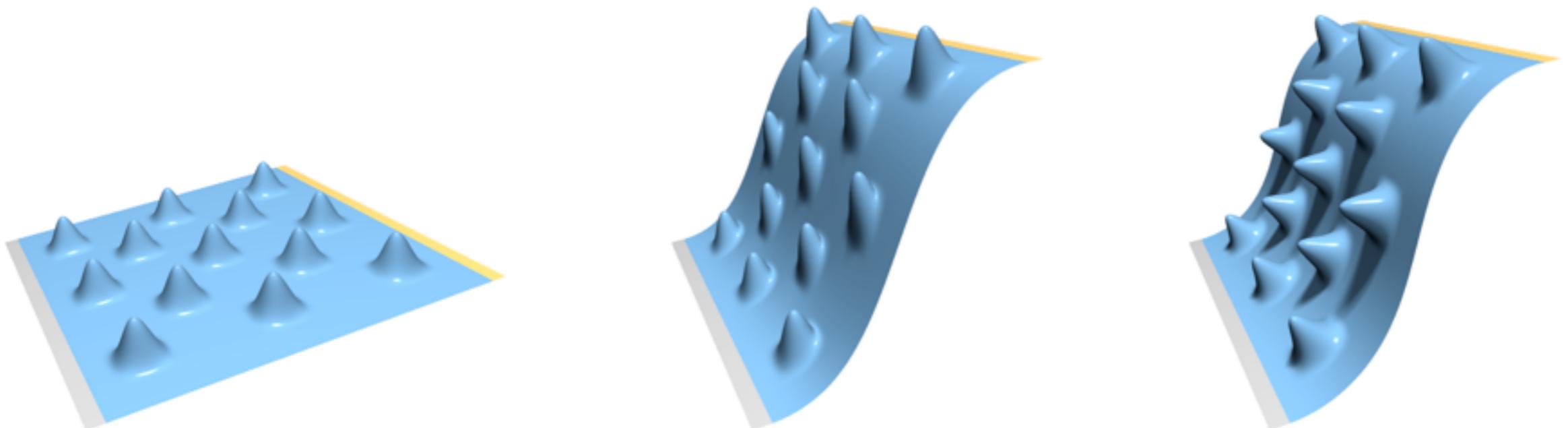


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# Hoooray!



# Last Time



Surface Deformations

# Space Deformation

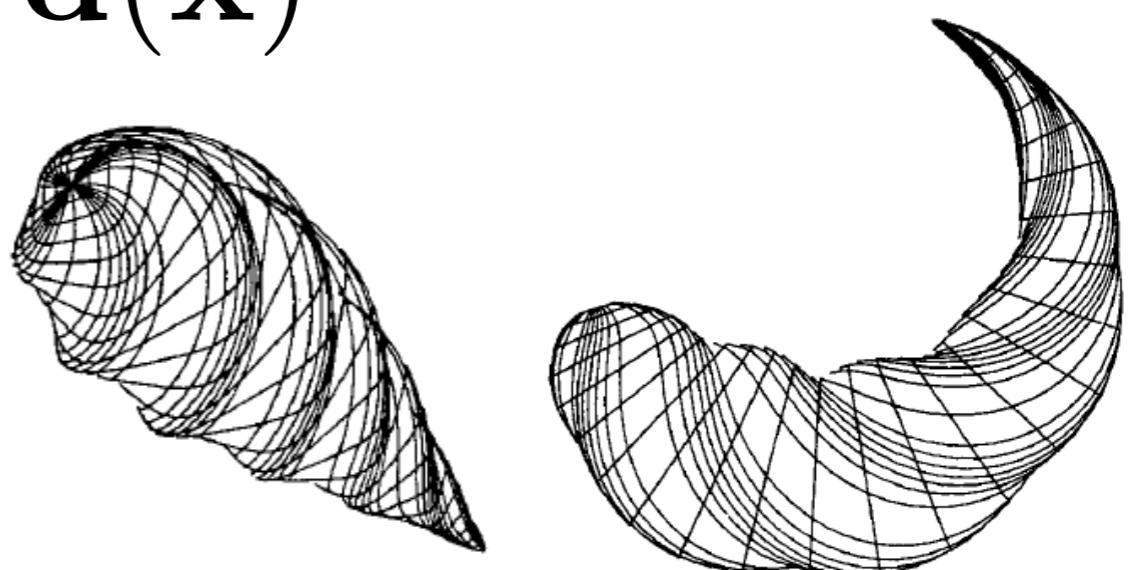
- Displacement function defined on the ambient space

$$d : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^3$$

- Evaluate the function on the points of the shape embedded in the space

$$\mathbf{x}' = \mathbf{x} + d(\mathbf{x})$$

Twist warp  
Global and local deformation of solids  
[A. Barr, SIGGRAPH 84]

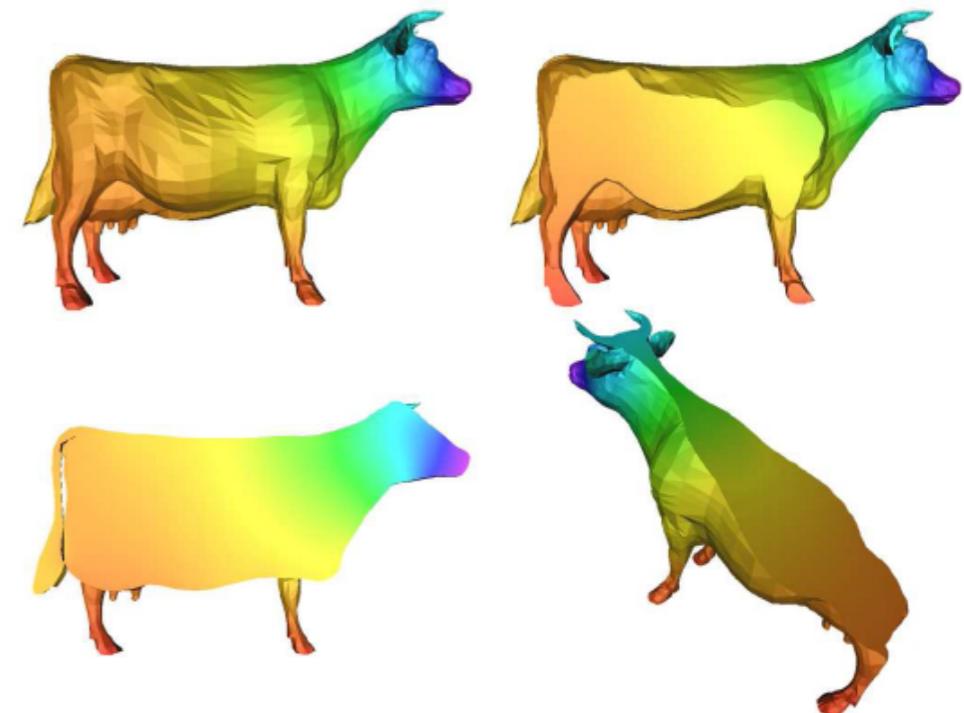


# Freeform Deformation

- Control object
- User defines displacements  $d_i$  for each element of the control object
- Displacements are interpolated to the entire space using basis functions  $B_i(\mathbf{x}) : \mathbb{R}^3 \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$

$$\mathbf{d}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{d}_i B_i(\mathbf{x})$$

- Basis functions should be smooth for aesthetic results

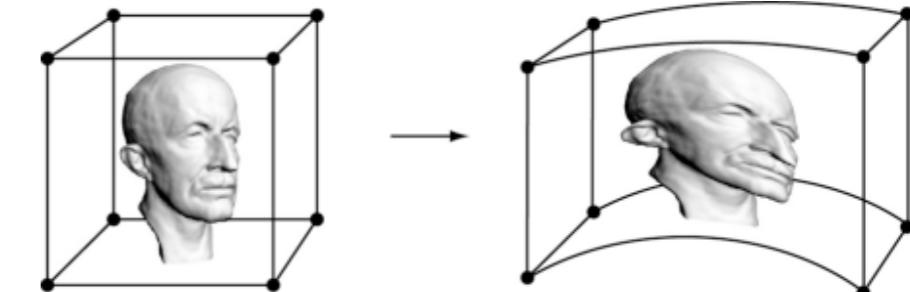
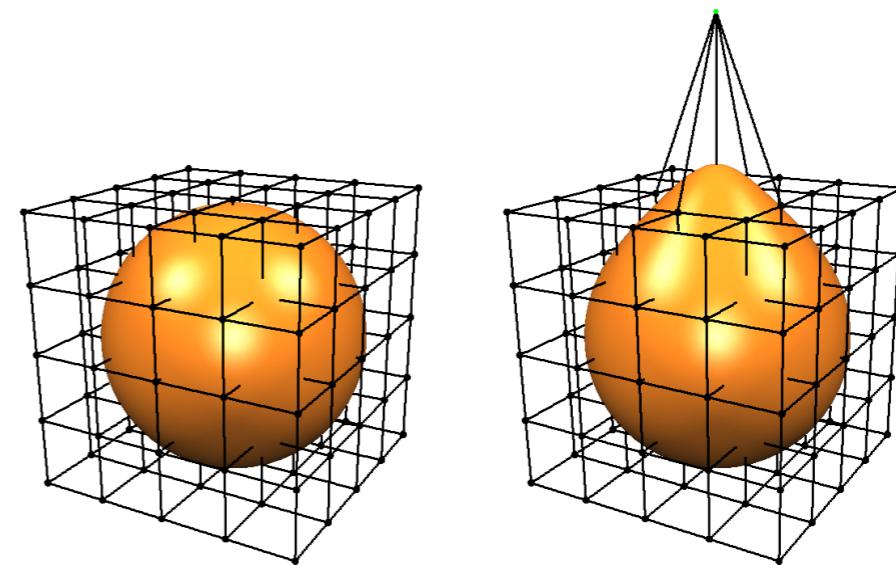
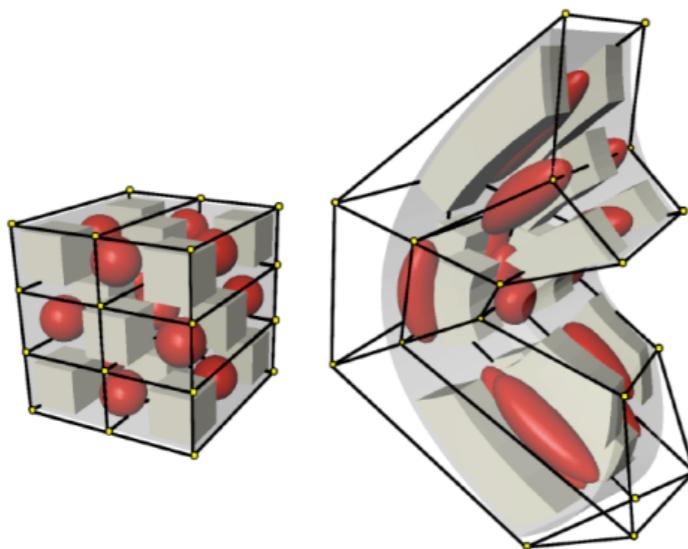


# Freeform Deformation

[Sederberg & Parry 86]

- Control object = lattice
- Basis functions  $B_i(\mathbf{x})$  are trivariate tensor-product splines:

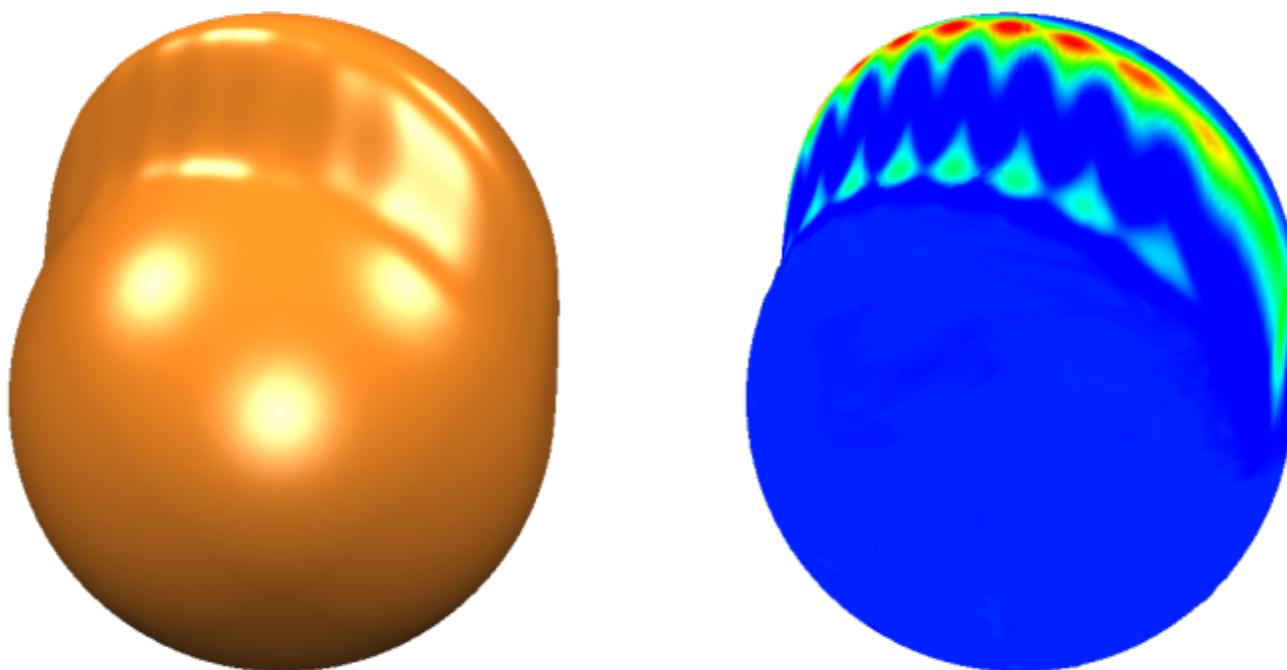
$$\mathbf{d}(x, y, z) = \sum_{i=0}^l \sum_{j=0}^m \sum_{k=0}^n \mathbf{d}_{ijk} N_i(x) N_j(y) N_k(z)$$



# Freeform Deformation

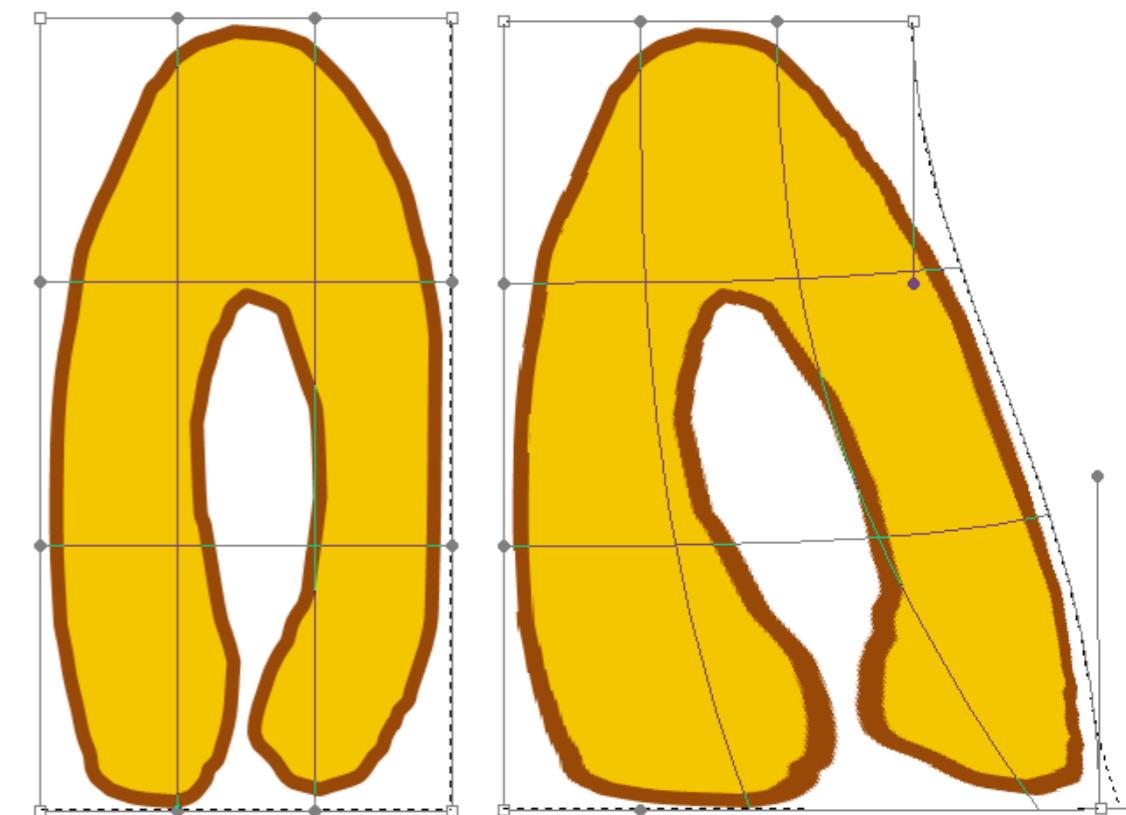
[Sederberg & Parry 86]

- Aliasing artifacts
- Interpolate deformation constraints?
  - Only in least squares sense



# Limitations of Lattices as Control Objects

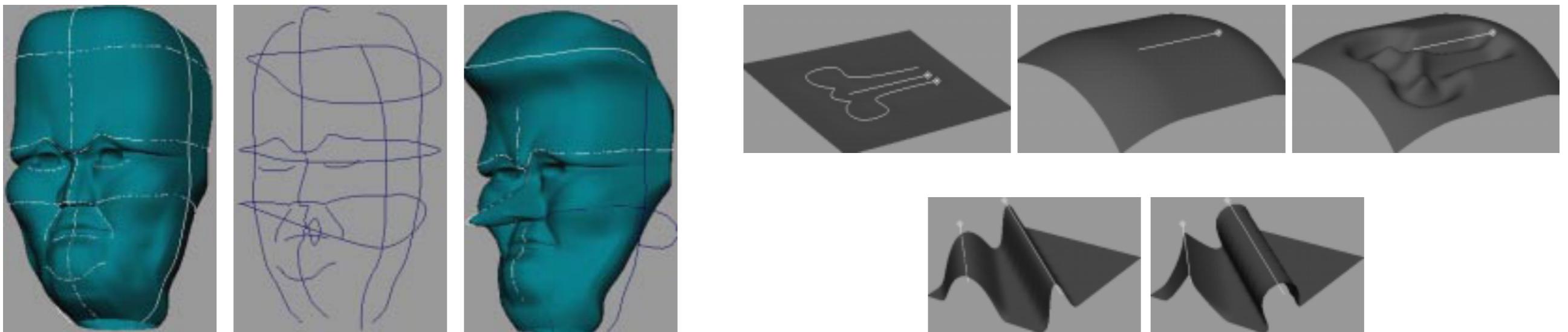
- Difficult to manipulate
- The control object is not related to the shape of the edited object
- Parts of the shape in close Euclidean distance always deform similarly, even if geodesically far



# Wires

[Singh & Fiume 98]

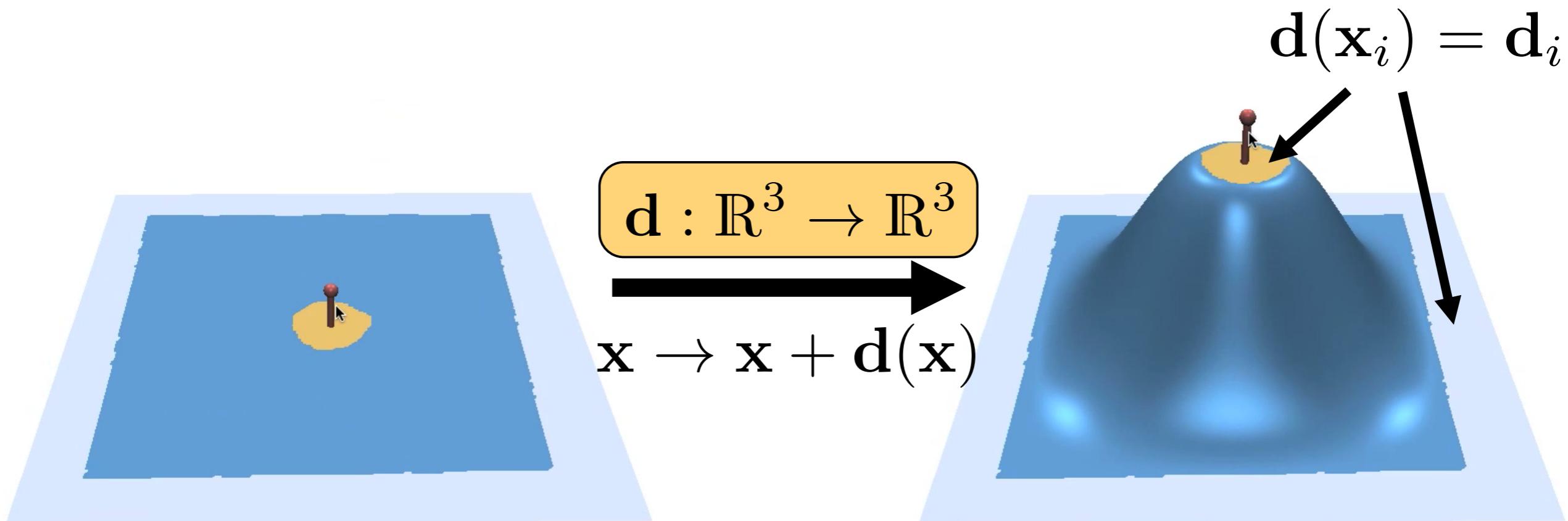
- Control objects are arbitrary space curves
- Can place curves along meaningful features of the edited object
- Smooth deformations around the curve with decreasing influence



# Handle Metaphor

[RBF, Botsch & Kobbelt 05]

- Wish list for the displacement function  $d(\mathbf{x})$  :
  - Interpolate prescribed constraints
  - Smooth, intuitive deformation



# Volumetric Energy Minimization

[RBF, Botsch & Kobbelt 05]

- Minimize similar energies to surface case

$$\int_{\mathbb{R}^3} \|\mathbf{d}_{xx}\|^2 + \|\mathbf{d}_{xy}\|^2 + \dots + \|\mathbf{d}_{zz}\|^2 \, dx \, dy \, dz \rightarrow \min$$

- But displacements function lives in 3D...
  - Need a volumetric space tessellation?
  - No, same functionality provided by RBFs!

# Radial Basis Functions

[RBF, Botsch & Kobbelt 05]

- Represent deformation by RBFs

$$\mathbf{d}(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_j \mathbf{w}_j \varphi(\|\mathbf{c}_j - \mathbf{x}\|) + \mathbf{p}(\mathbf{x})$$

- Triharmonic basis function  $\varphi(r) = r^3$

- $C^2$  boundary constraints
- Highly smooth / fair interpolation

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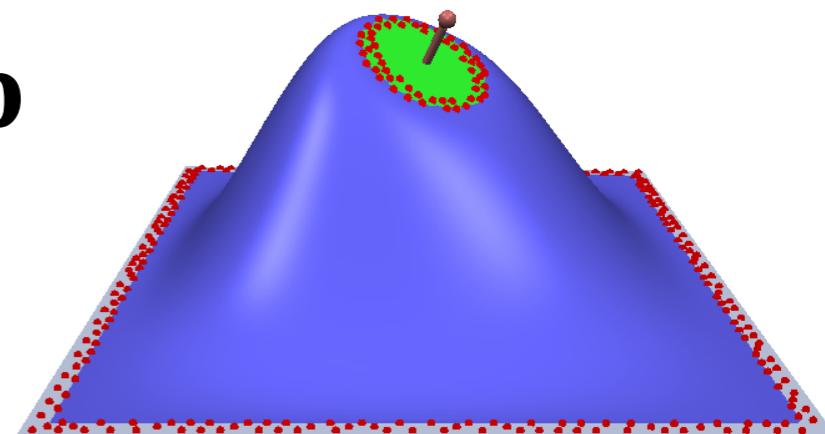
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  - Interpolate displacement constraints
  - Solve linear system for  $w_j$  and  $p$



# Radial Basis Functions

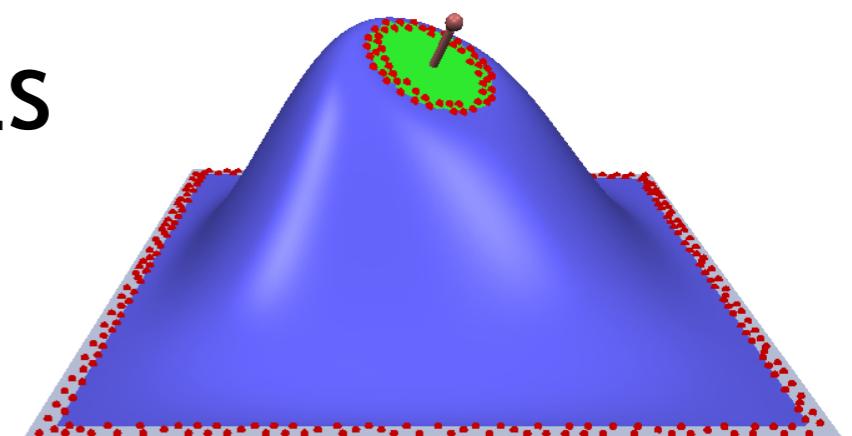
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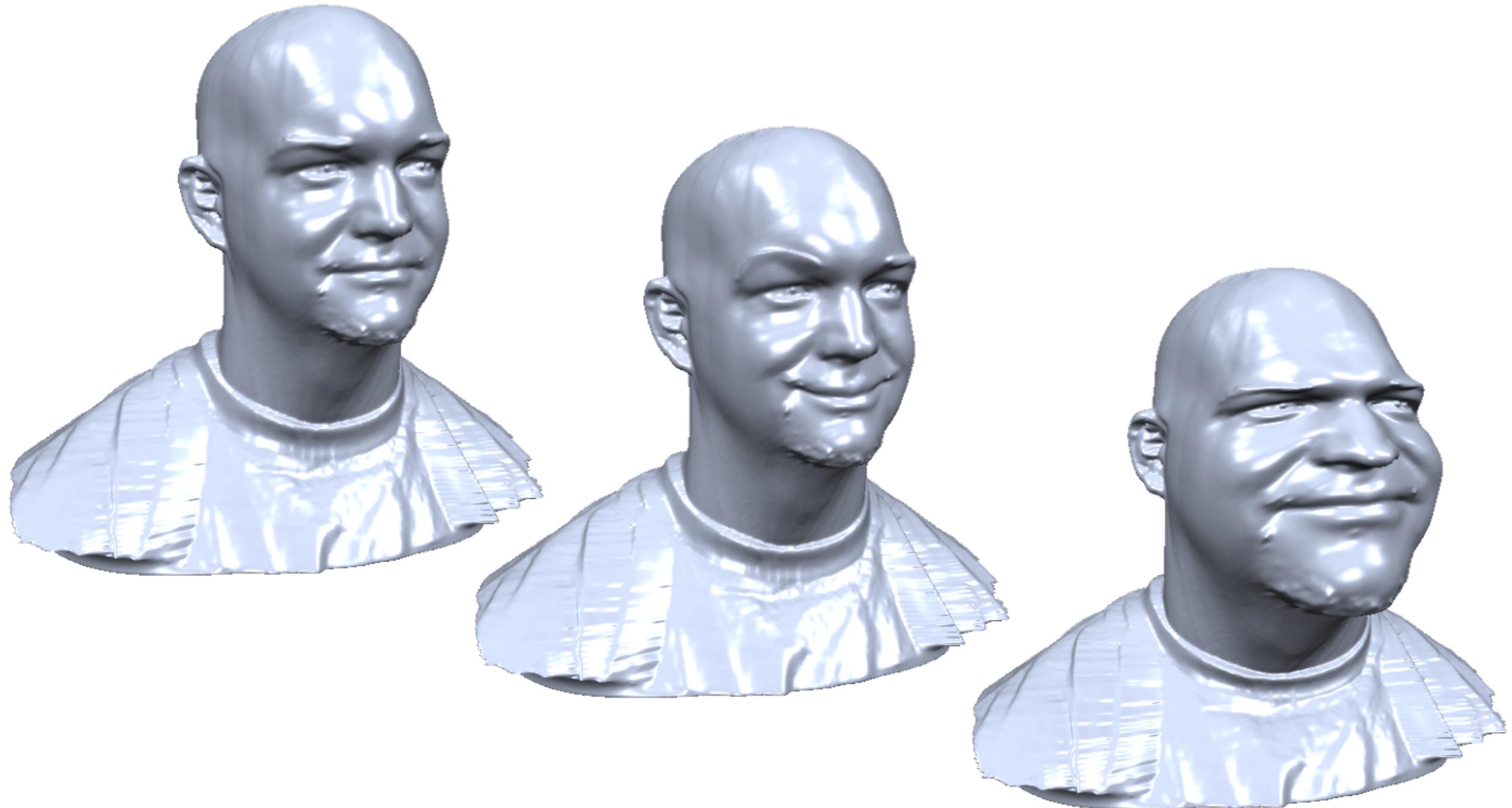
- RBF evaluation

- Function  $d$  transforms points
- Jacobian  $\nabla d$  transforms normals
- Precompute basis functions
- Evaluate on the GPU!



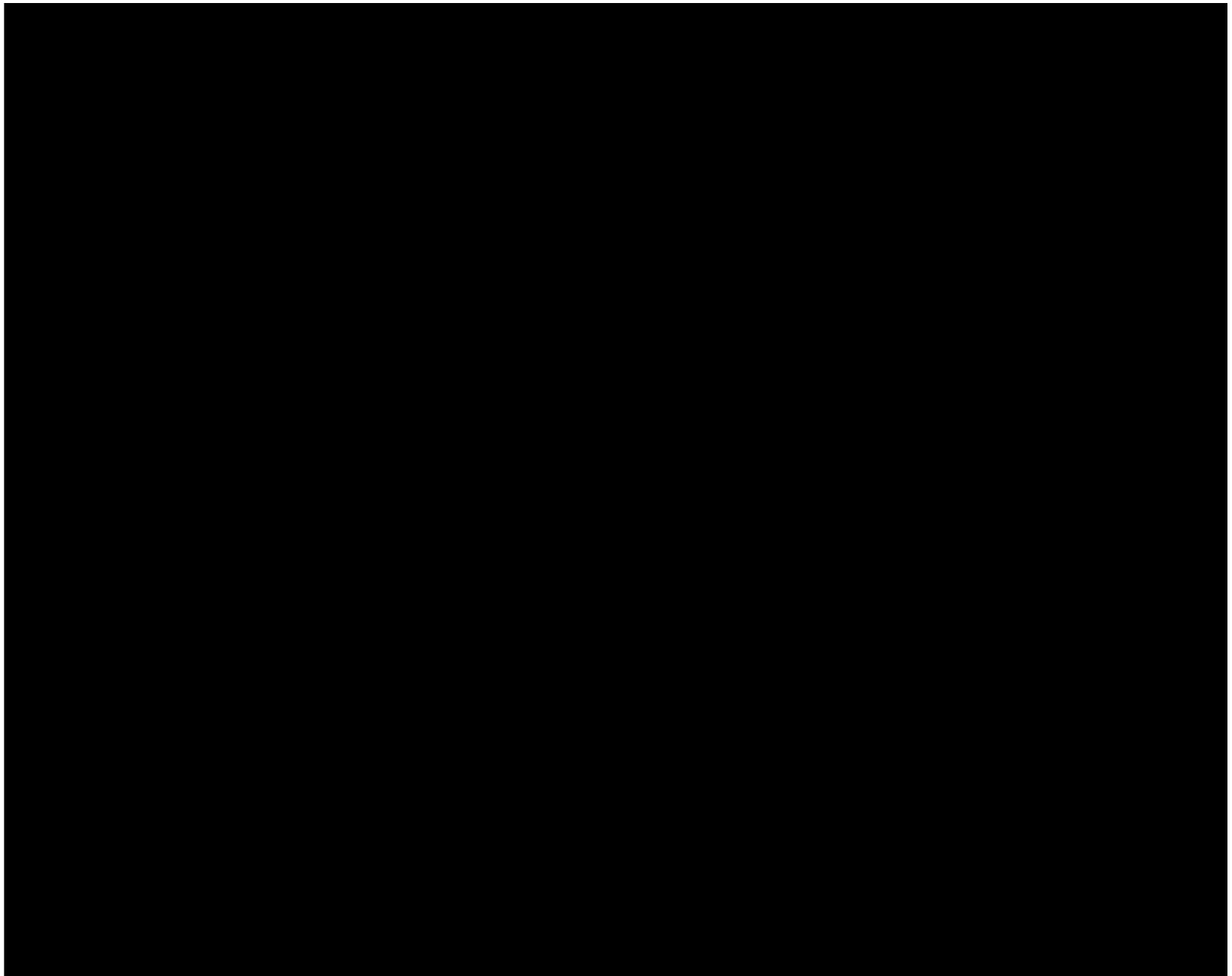
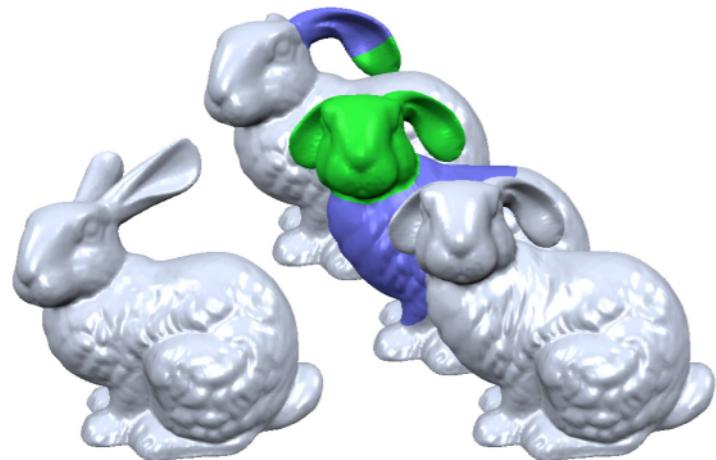
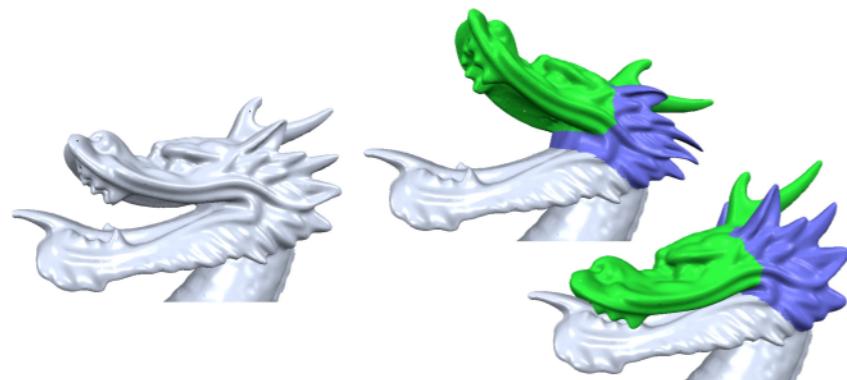
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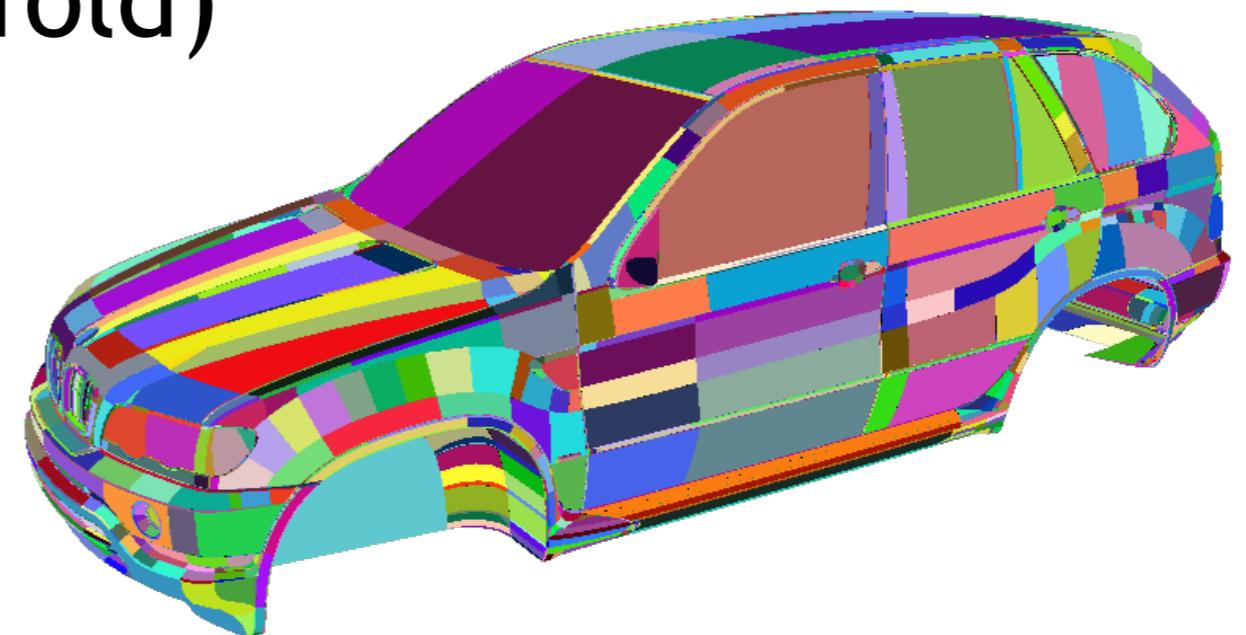


1M vertices  
movie

# Space Deformation

- Handle arbitrary input

- Meshes (also non-manifold)
- Point sets
- Polygonal soups
- ...



- Complexity mainly depends on the control object, not the surface

- 3M triangles
- 10k components
- Not oriented
- Not manifold

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$$\mathbf{F}(x, y, z) = (F(x, y, z), G(x, y, z), H(x, y, z))$$

- Easier to analyze:  
functions on Euclidean domain

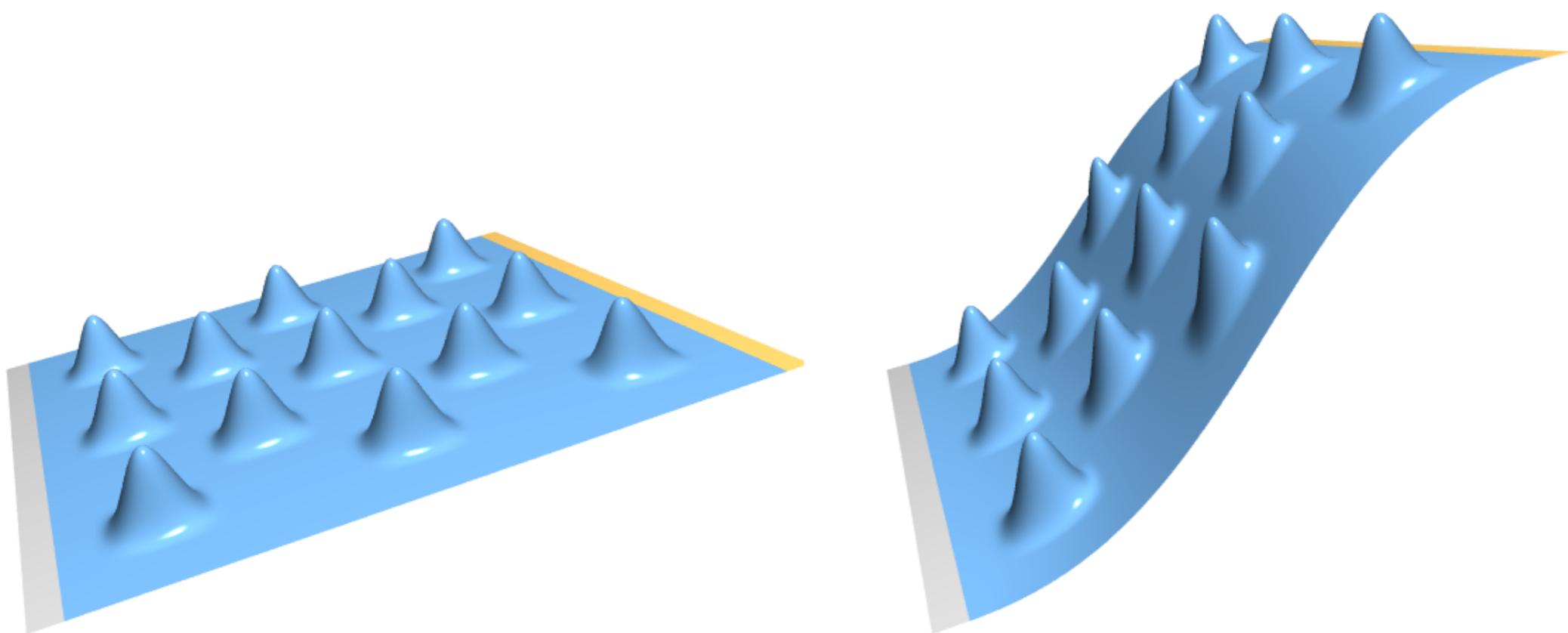
then the Jacobian is the determinant

$$Jac(\mathbf{F}) = \begin{vmatrix} \frac{\partial F}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial F}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial F}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial G}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial G}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial G}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial H}{\partial x} & \frac{\partial H}{\partial y} & \frac{\partial H}{\partial z} \end{vmatrix}$$

- Volume preservation:  $|Jacobian| = 1$

# Space Deformation

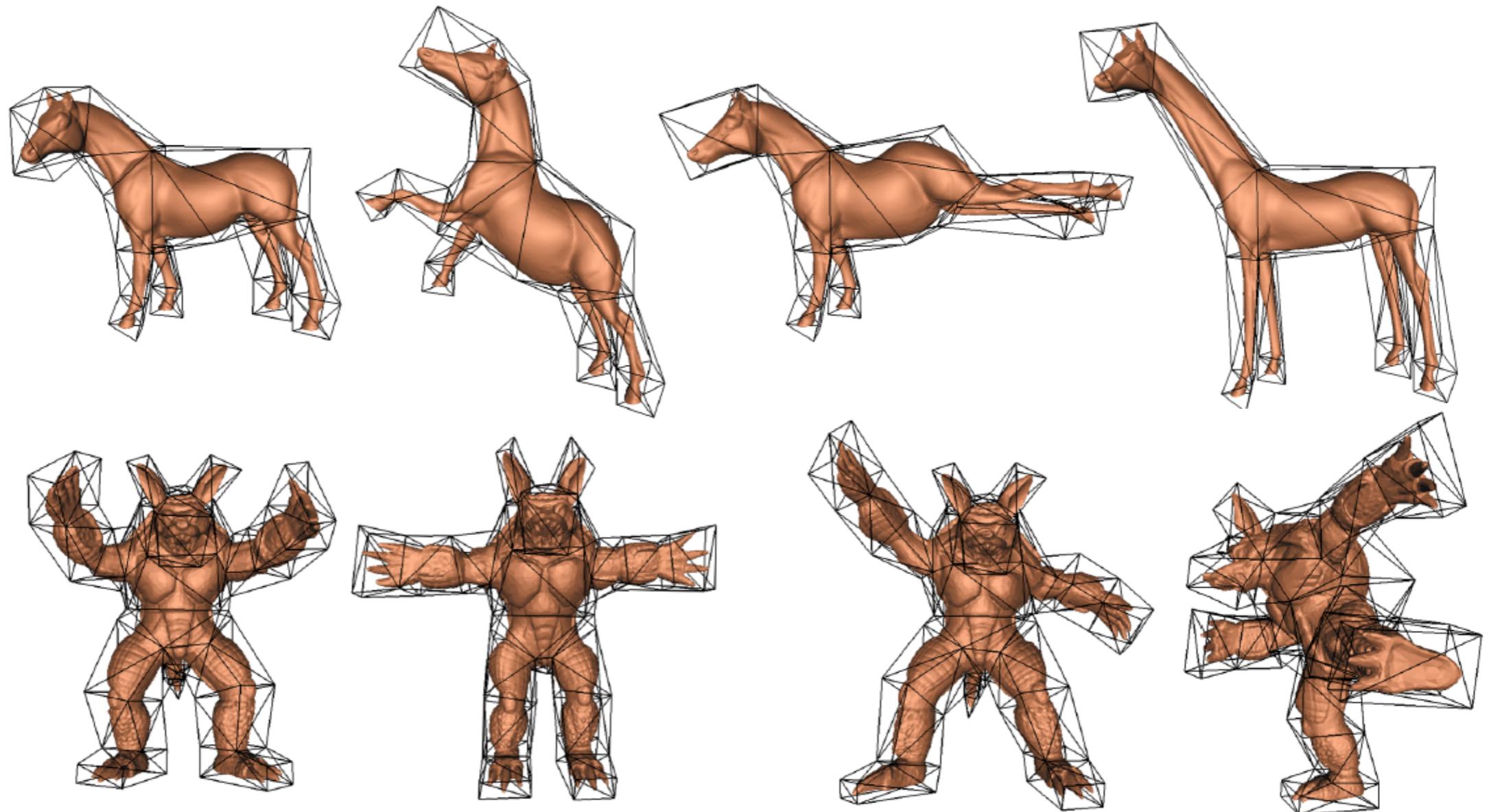
- The deformation is only loosely aware of the shape that is being edited
- Small Euclidean distance → similar deformation
- Local surface detail may be distorted



# Cage-Based Deformation

[Ju et al. 05]

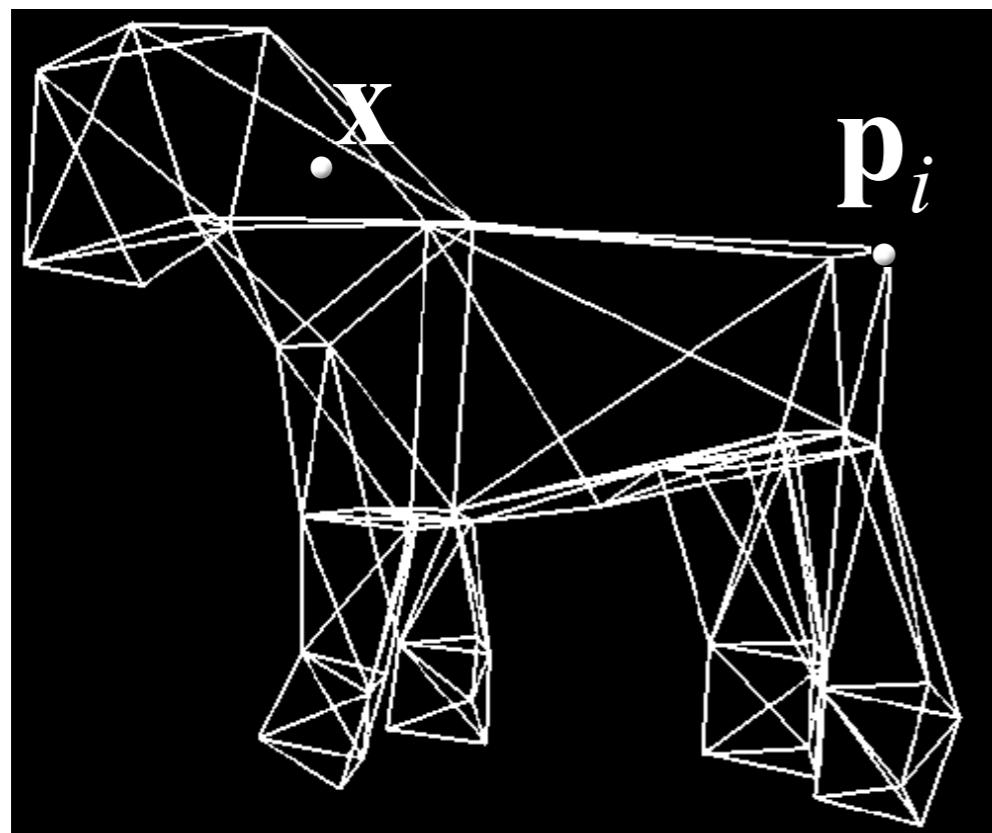
- Cage = crude version of the input shape
- Polytope (not a lattice)



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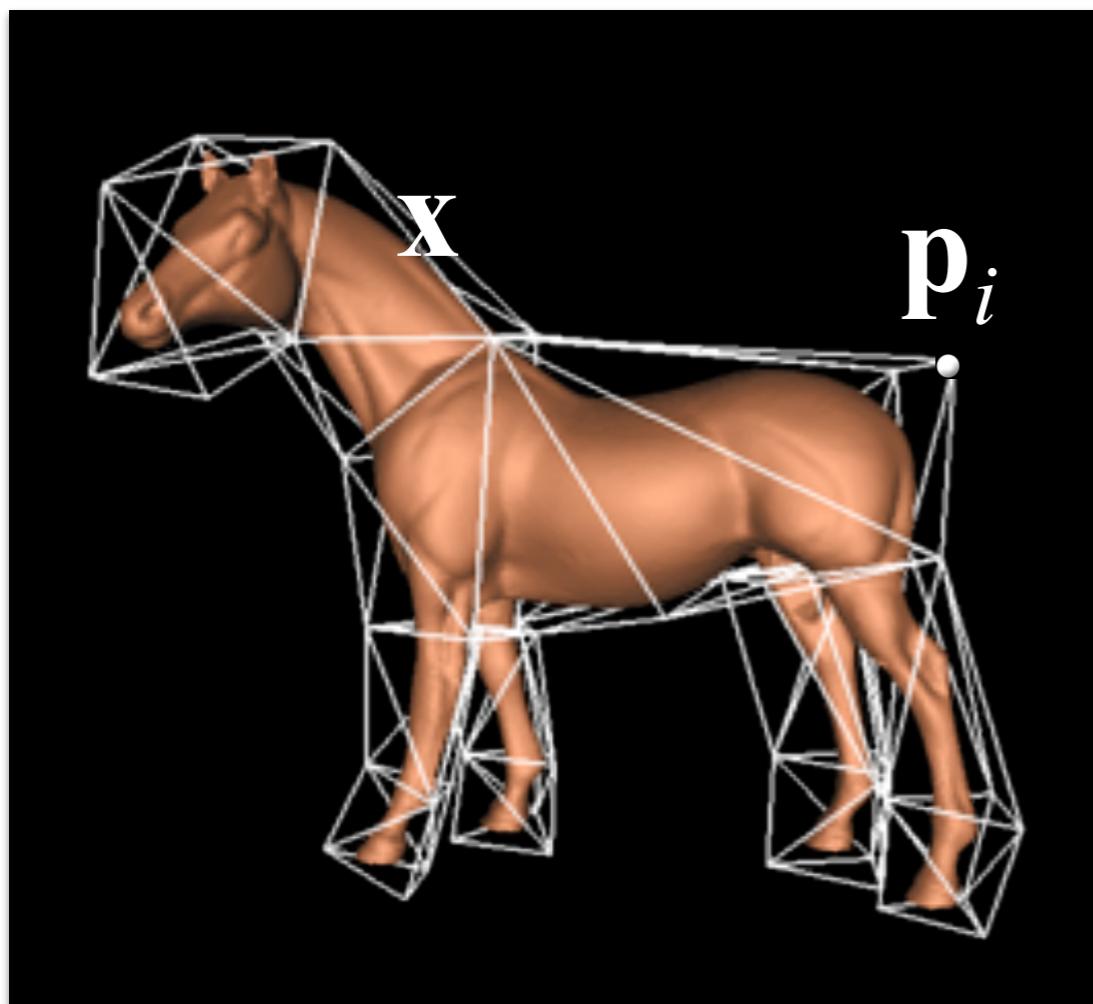


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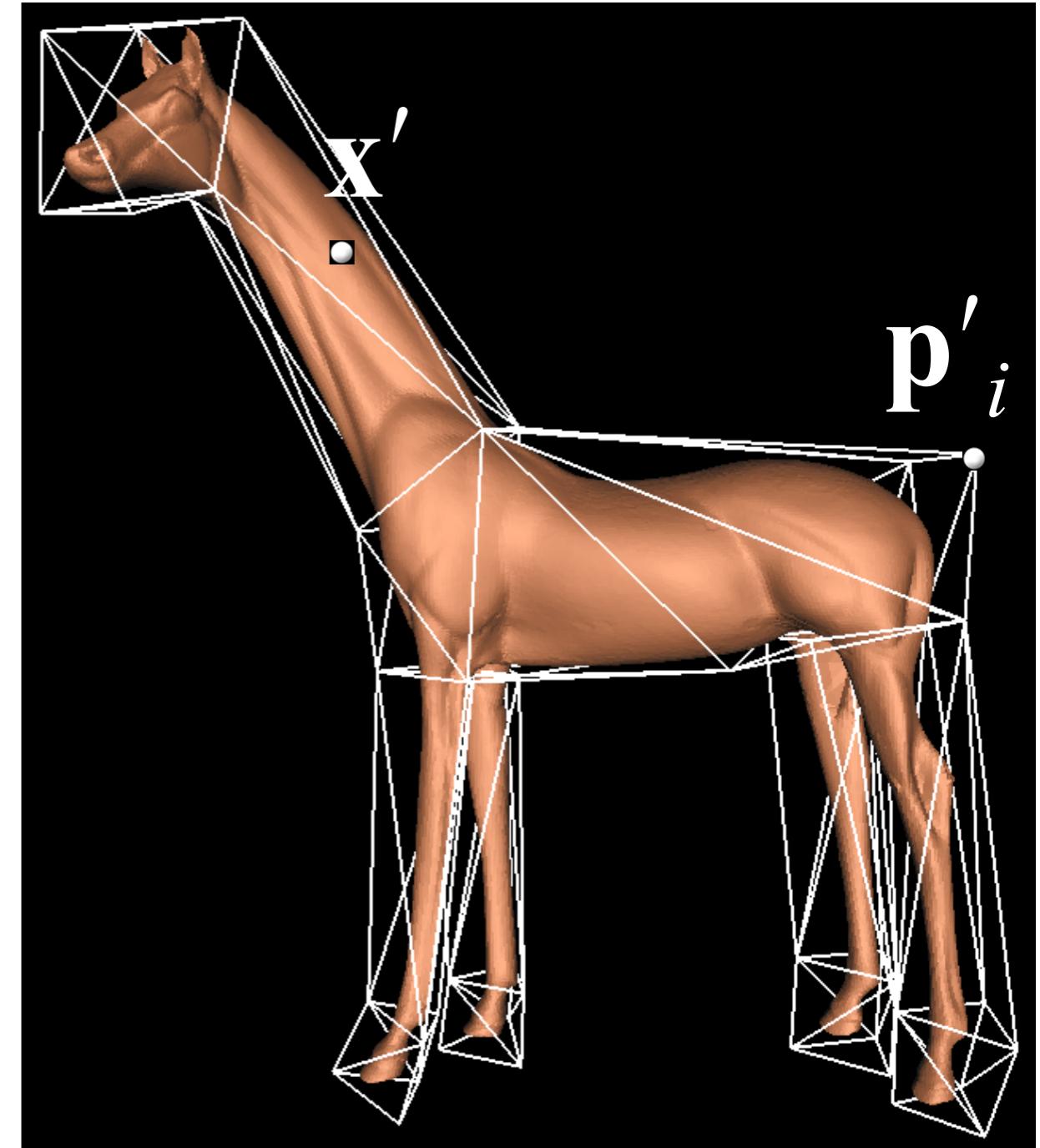
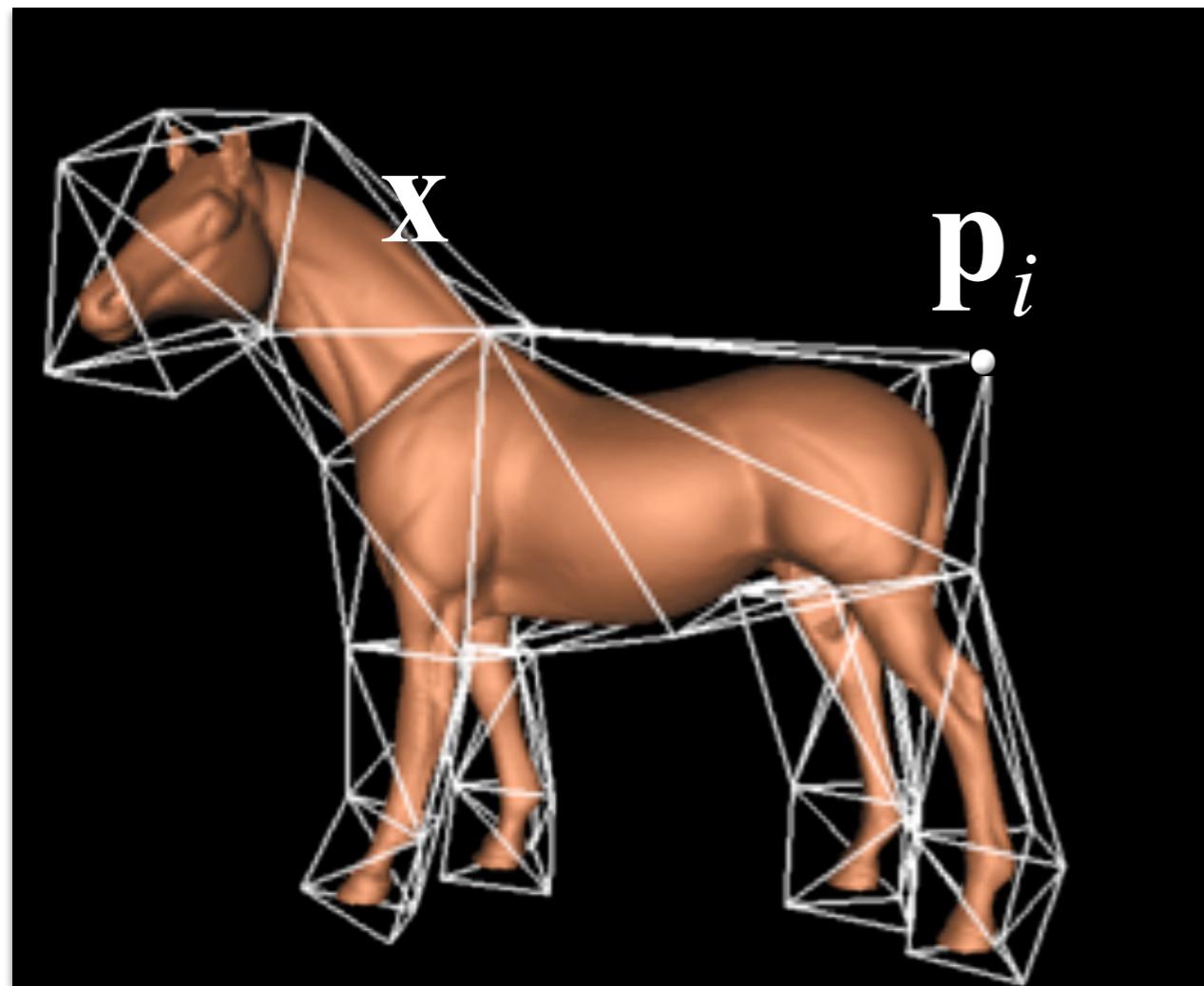


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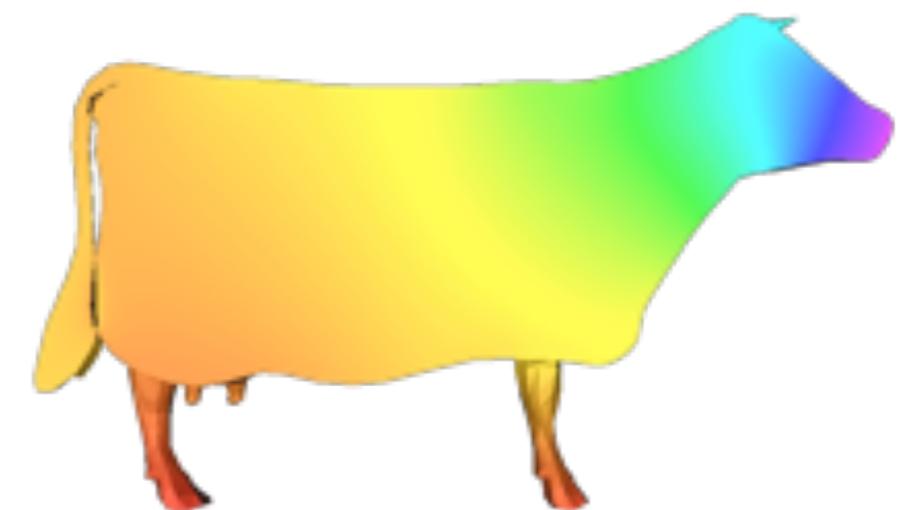
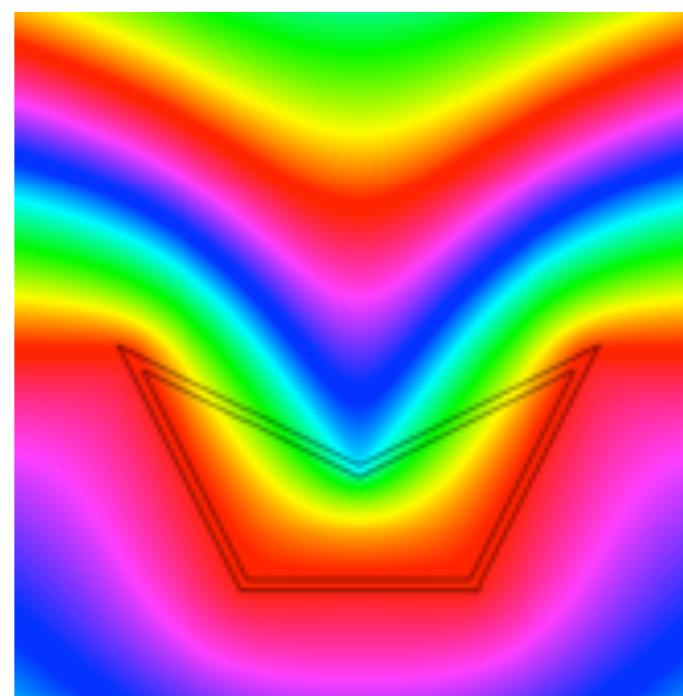
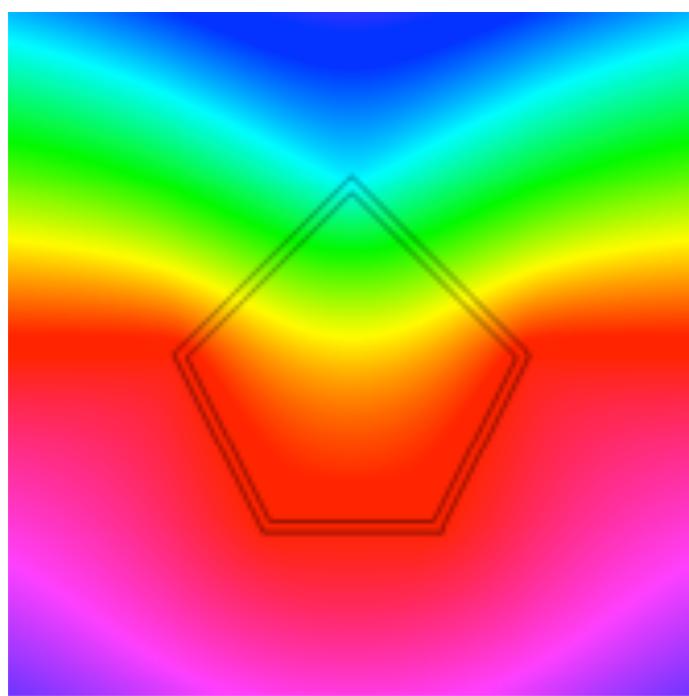


# Generalized Barycentric Coordinates

- Lagrange property:  $w_i(\mathbf{p}_j) = \delta_{ij}$
- Reproduction:  $\forall \mathbf{x}, \sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\mathbf{x}) \mathbf{p}_i = \mathbf{x}$
- Partition of unity:  $\forall \mathbf{x}, \sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\mathbf{x}) = 1$

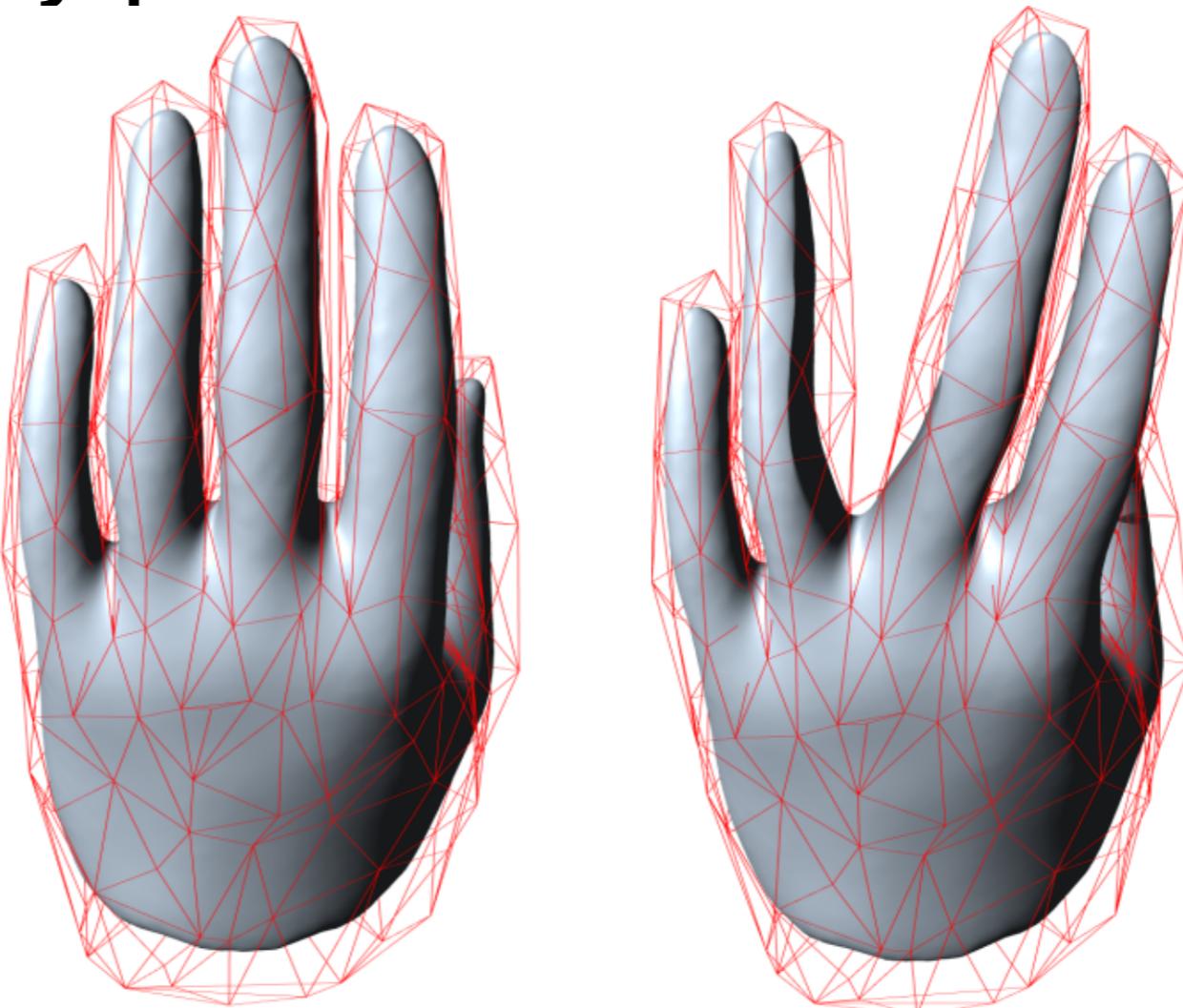
# Coordinate Functions

- Mean-value coordinates  
[Floater 2003, Ju et al. 2005]
  - Generalization of barycentric coordinates
  - Closed-form solution for  $w_i(\mathbf{x})$



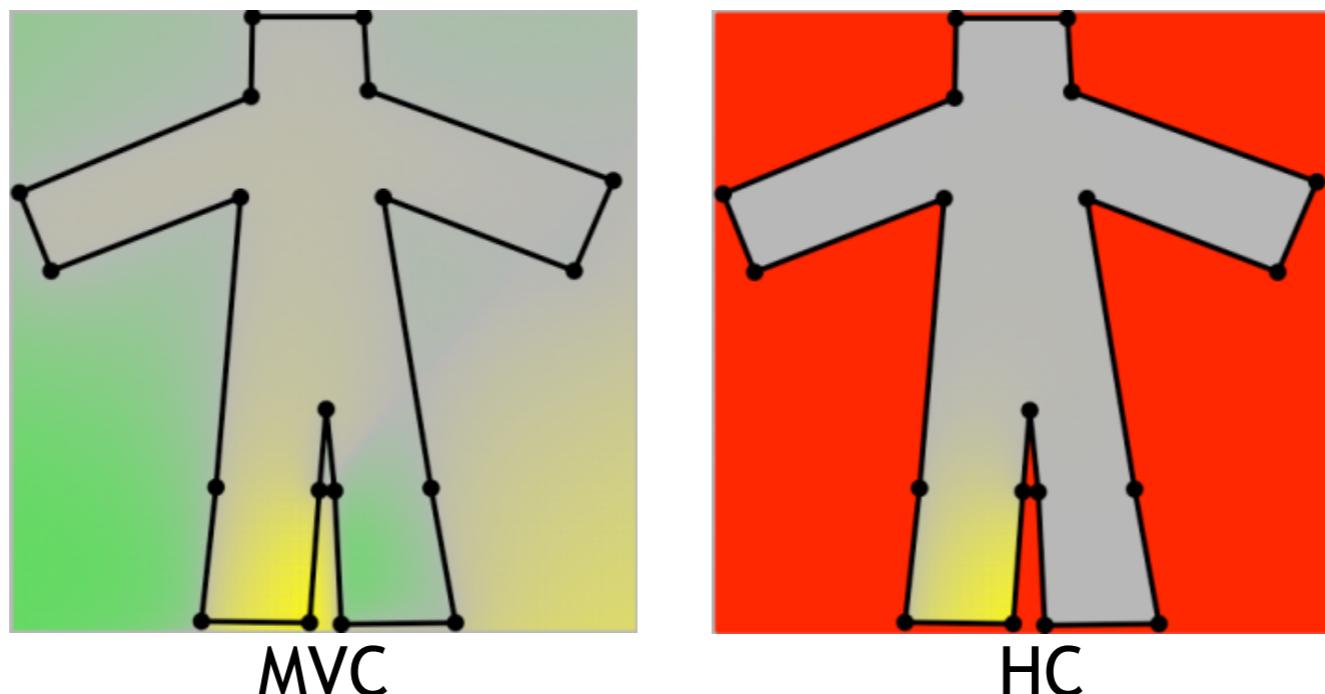
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  - Not necessarily positive on non-convex domains



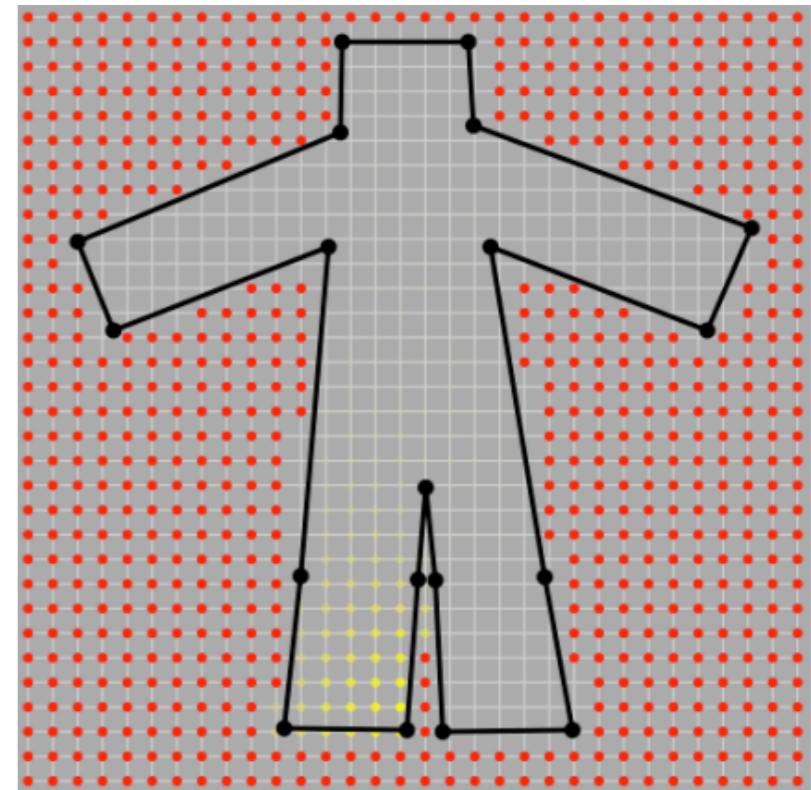
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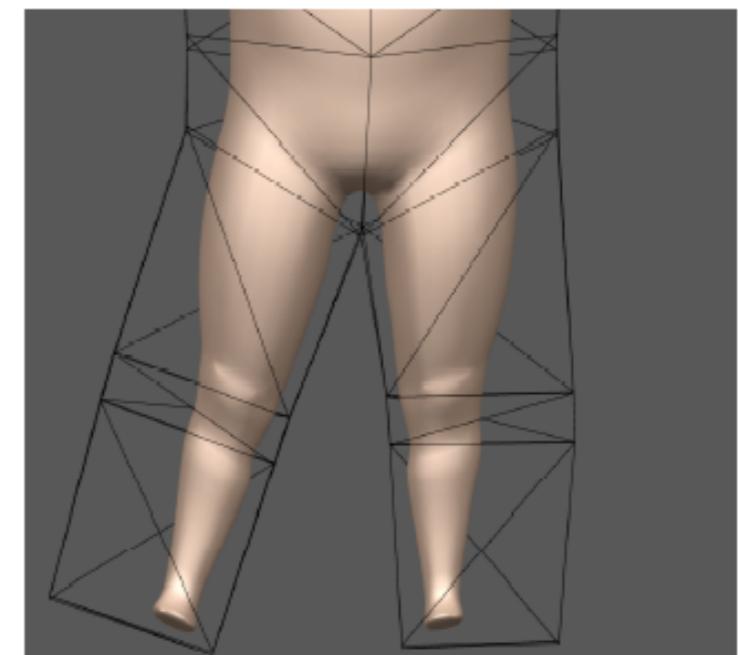
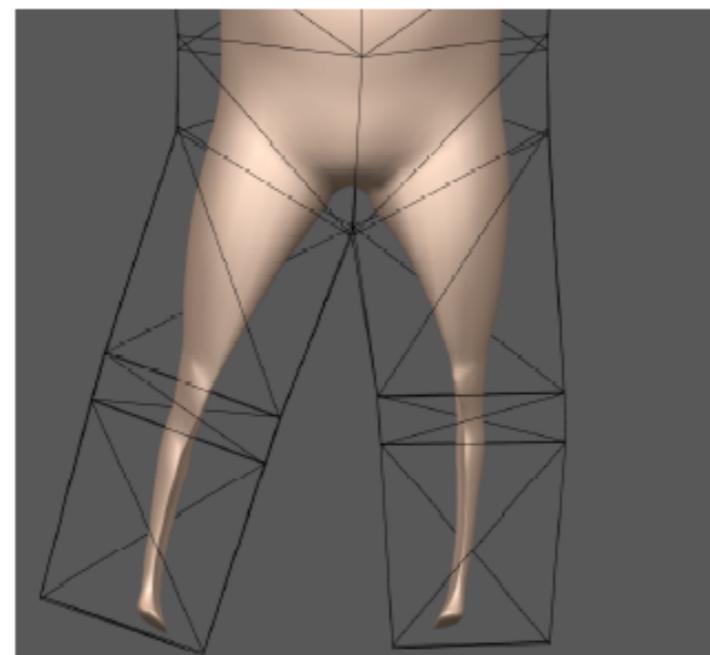
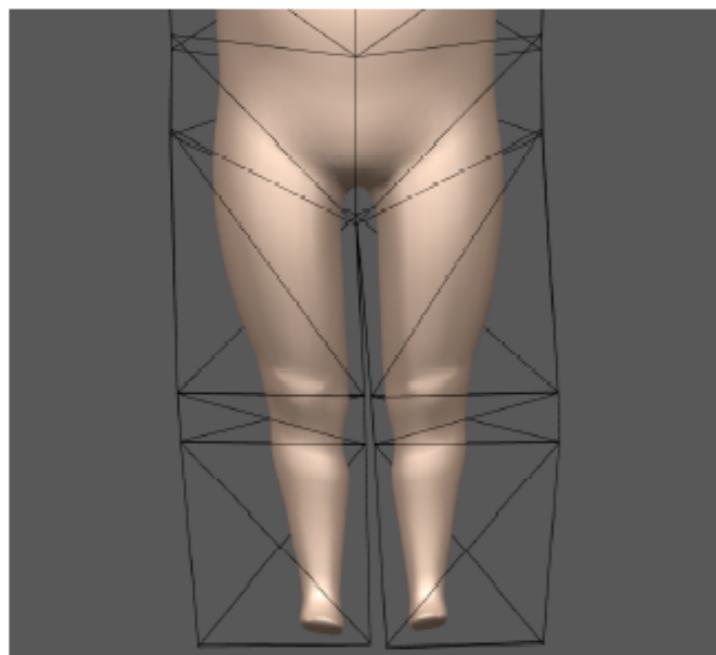
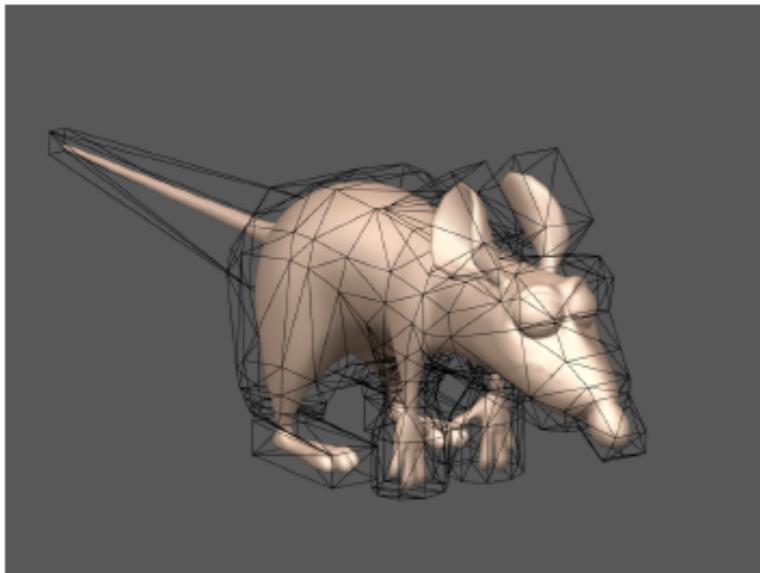
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- Volumetric Laplace equation
- Discretization, no closed-form



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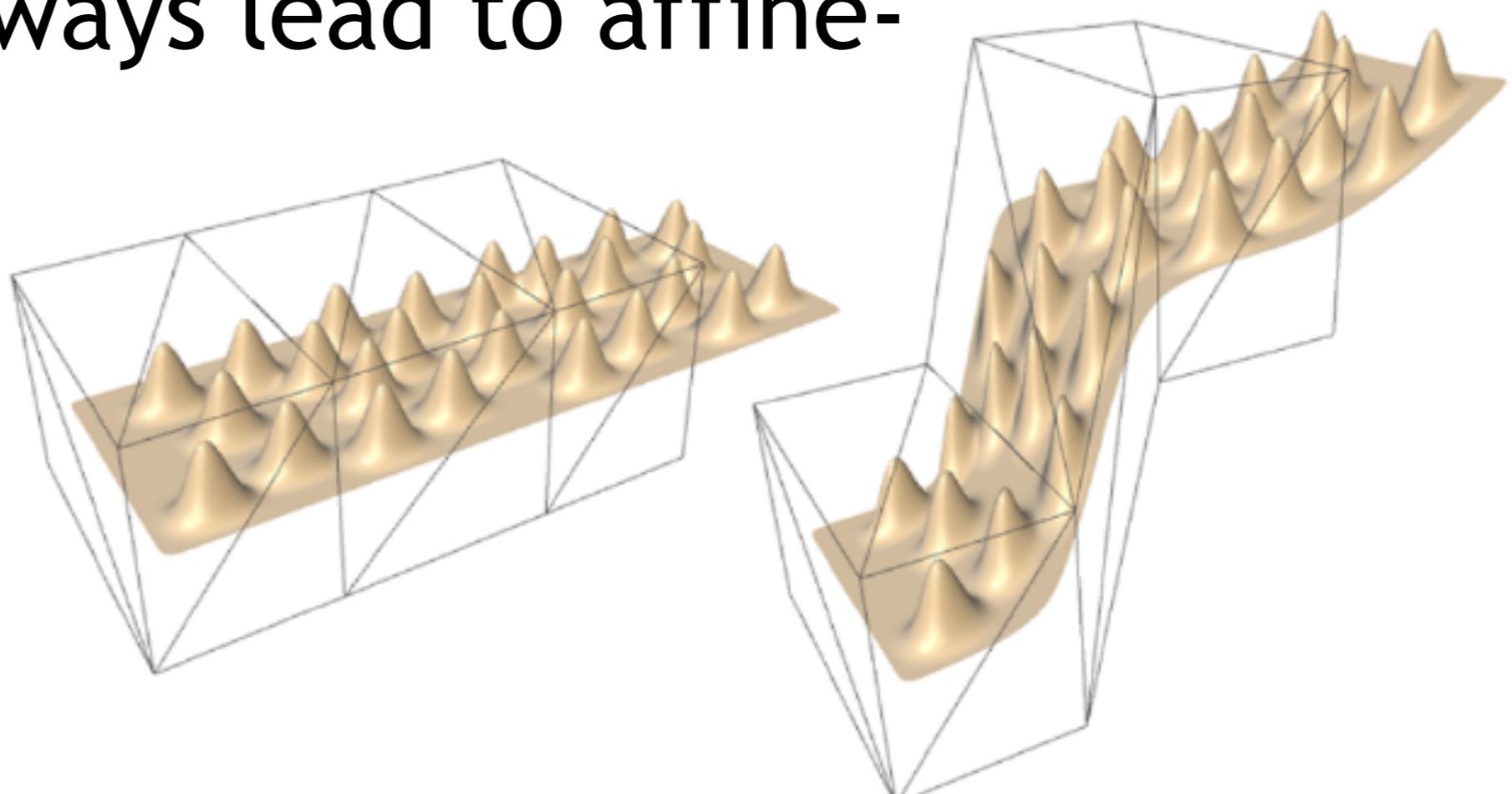


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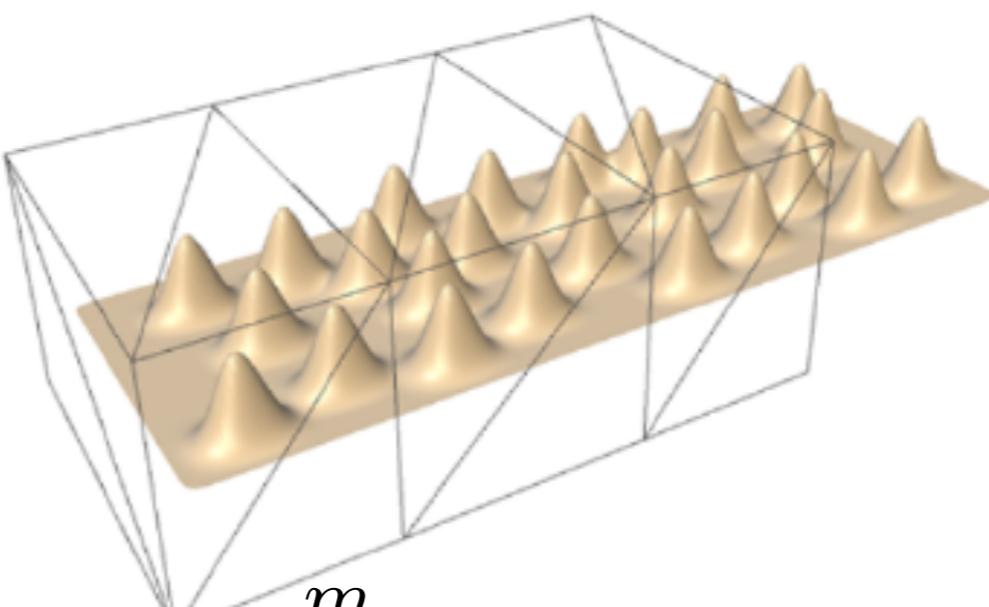
- Green coordinates ([Lipman et al. 2008](#))
- Observation: previous vertex-based basis functions always lead to affine-invariance!

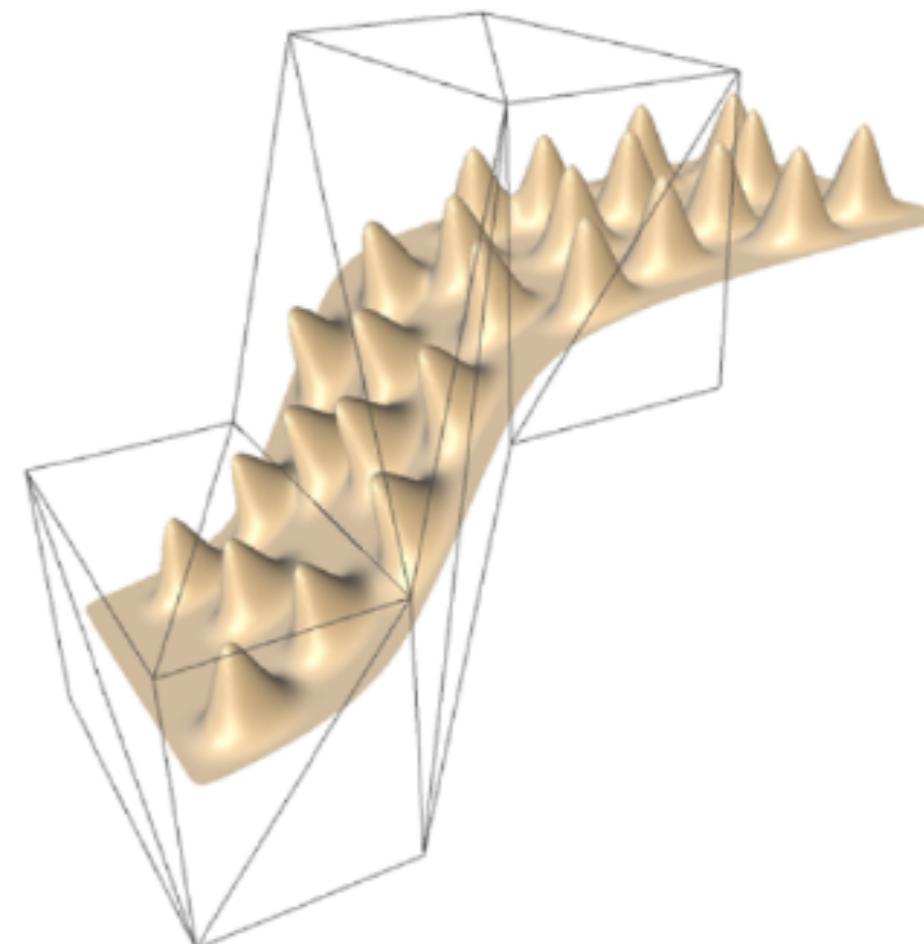


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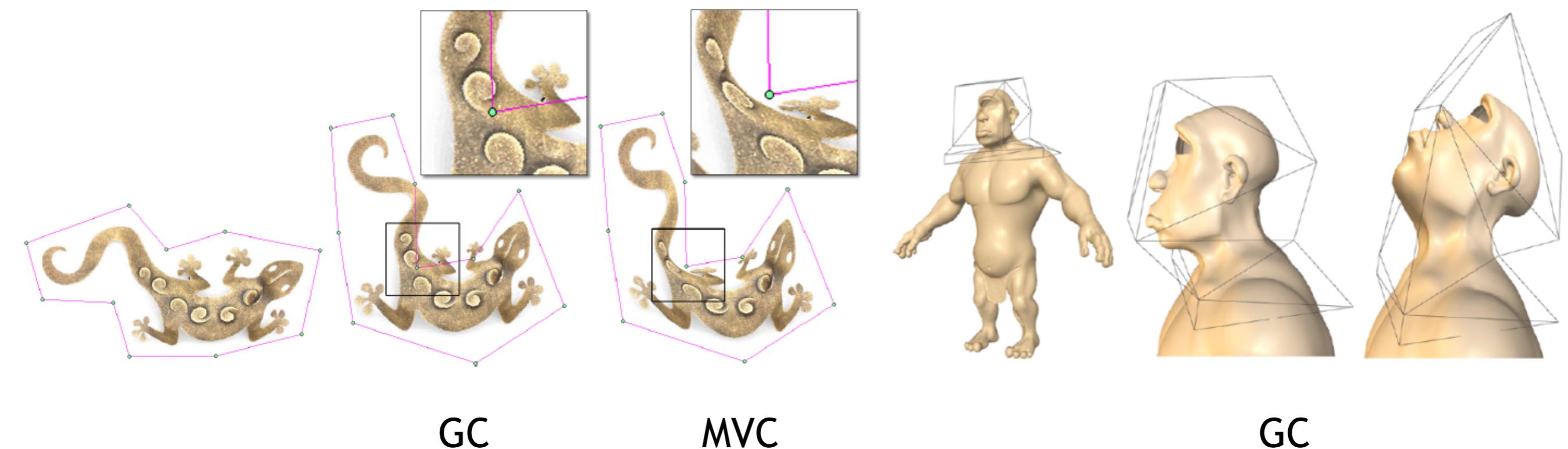
- Green coordinates ([Lipman et al. 2008](#))
- Correction: Make the coordinates depend on the cage faces as well


$$\mathbf{x}' = \sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\mathbf{x}) \mathbf{p}'_i + \sum_{j=1}^m \psi_j(\mathbf{x}) \mathbf{n}'_j$$



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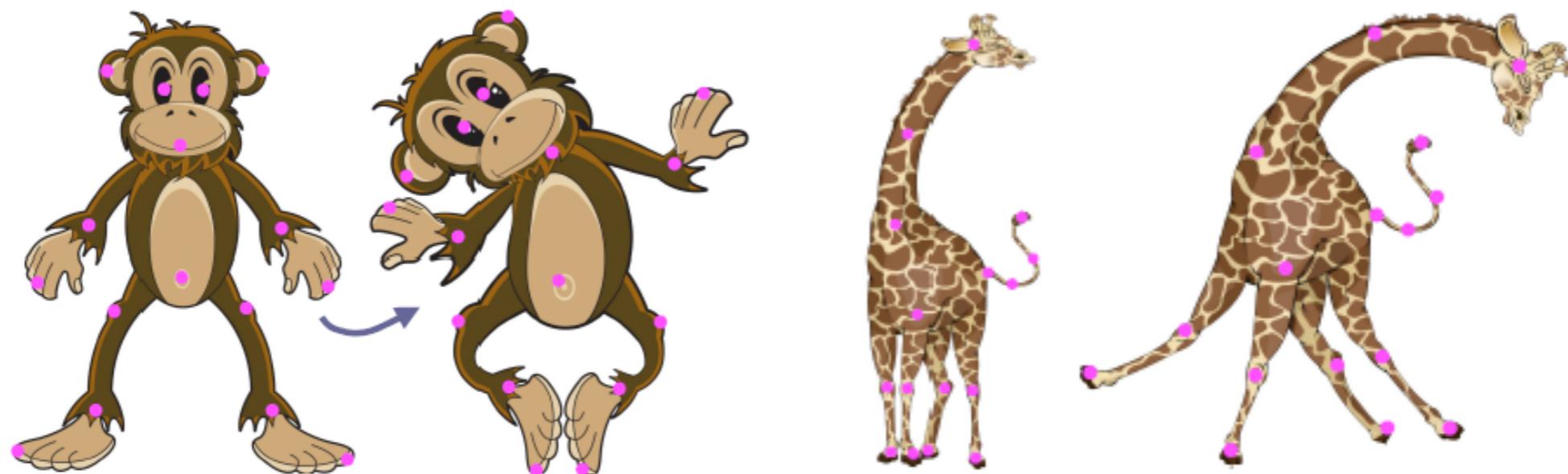
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Alternative interpretation in 2D via holomorphic functions  
and extension to point handles : [Weber et al. Eurographics 2009](#)



# Cage-Based Methods: Summary

## Pros:

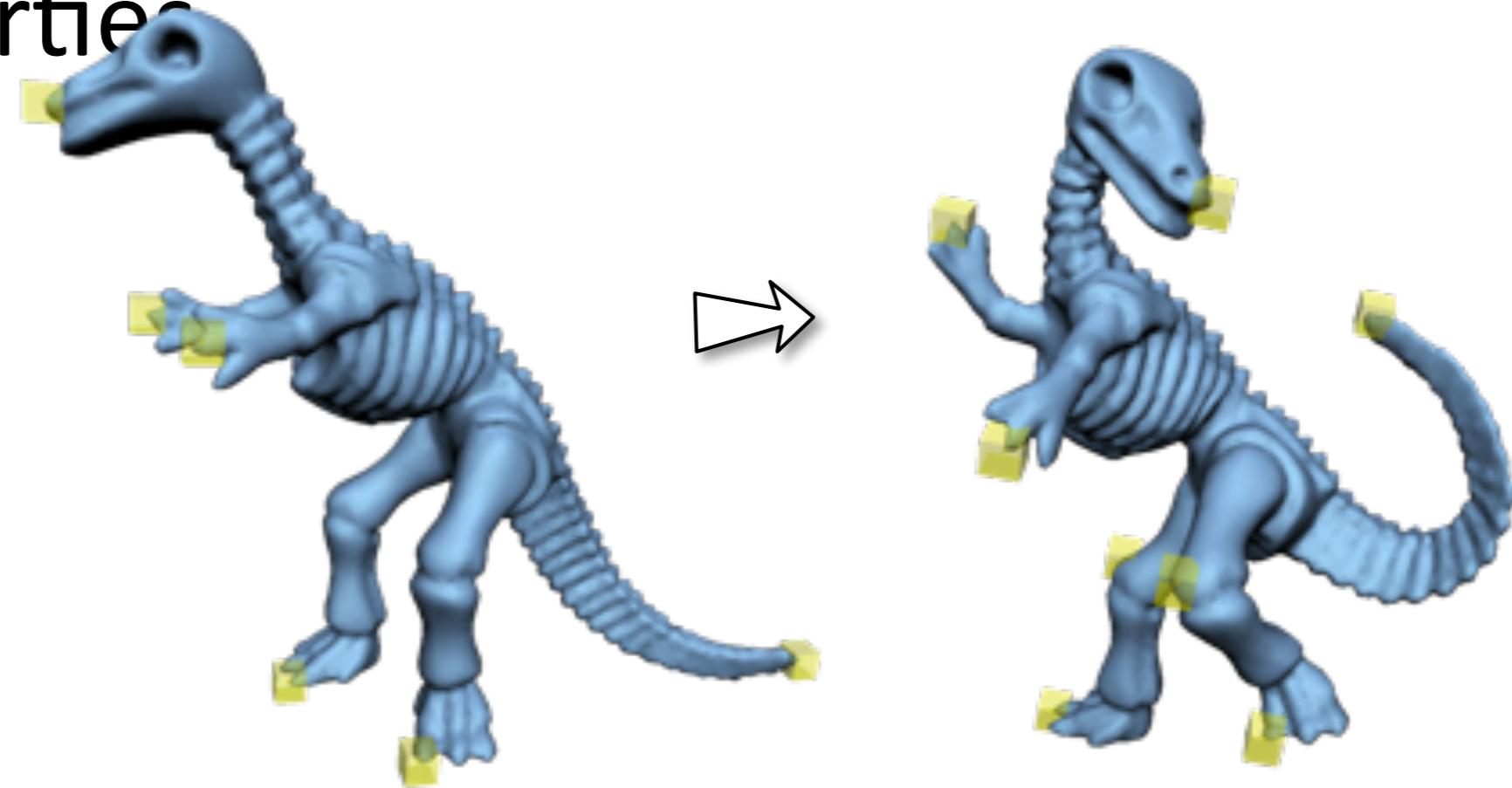
- Nice control over volume
  - Squish/stretch

## Cons:

- Hard to control details of embedded surface

# Non-Linear Space Deformation

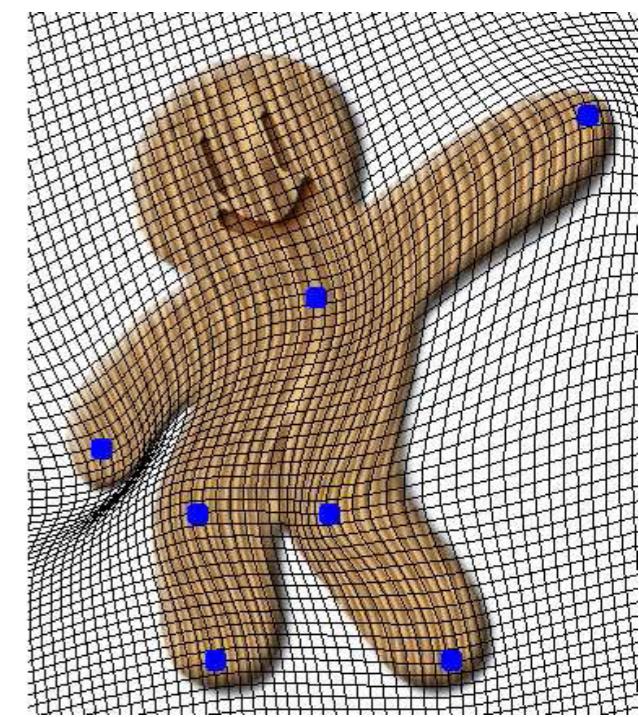
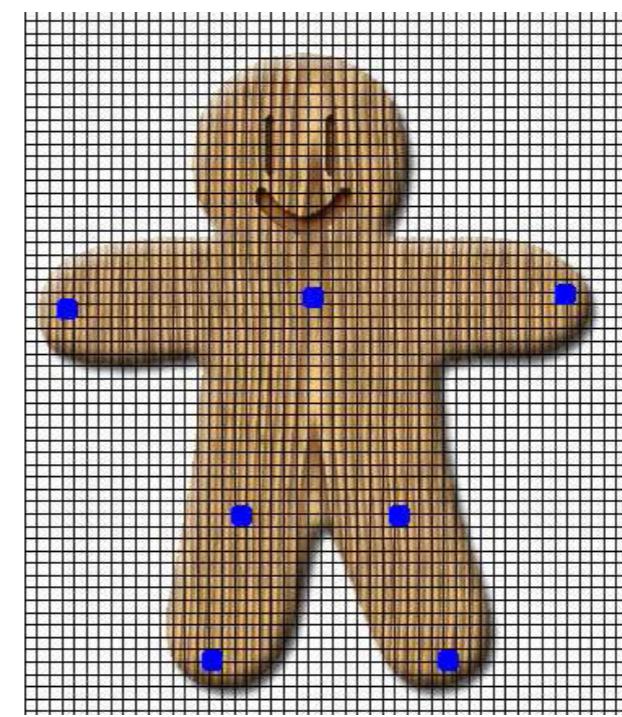
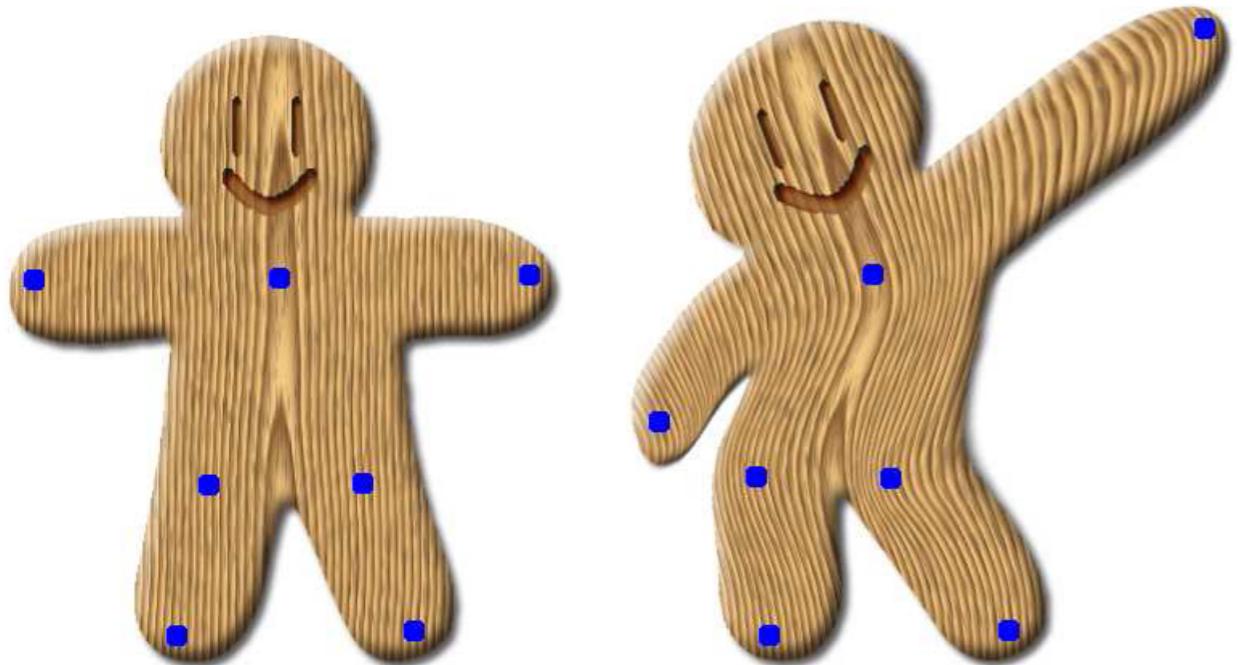
- Involve nonlinear optimization
- Enjoy the advantages of space warps
- Additionally, have shape-preserving properties



# As-Rigid-As-Possible Deformation

Moving-Least-Squares (MLS) approach [Schaefer et al. 2006]

- Points or segments as control objects
- First developed in 2D and later extended to 3D by Zhu and Gortler (2007)



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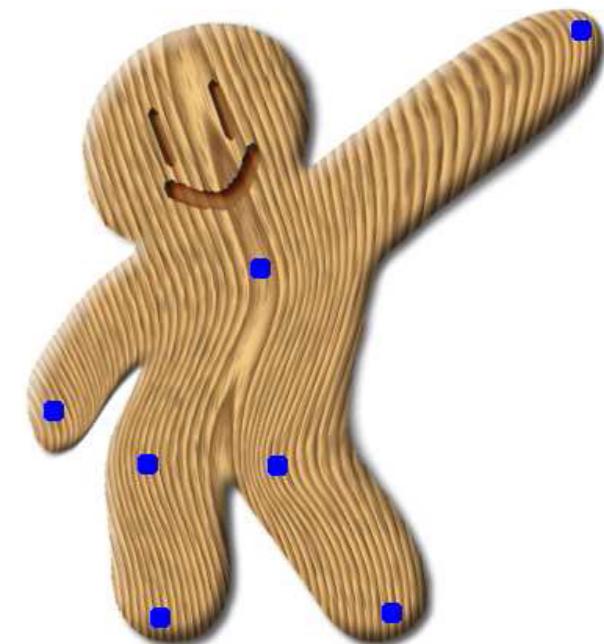
- Attach an affine transformation to each point  $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^3$ :

$$A_{\mathbf{x}}(\mathbf{p}) = M_{\mathbf{x}}\mathbf{p} + t_{\mathbf{x}}$$



- The space warp:

$$\mathbf{x} \rightarrow A_{\mathbf{x}}(\mathbf{x})$$



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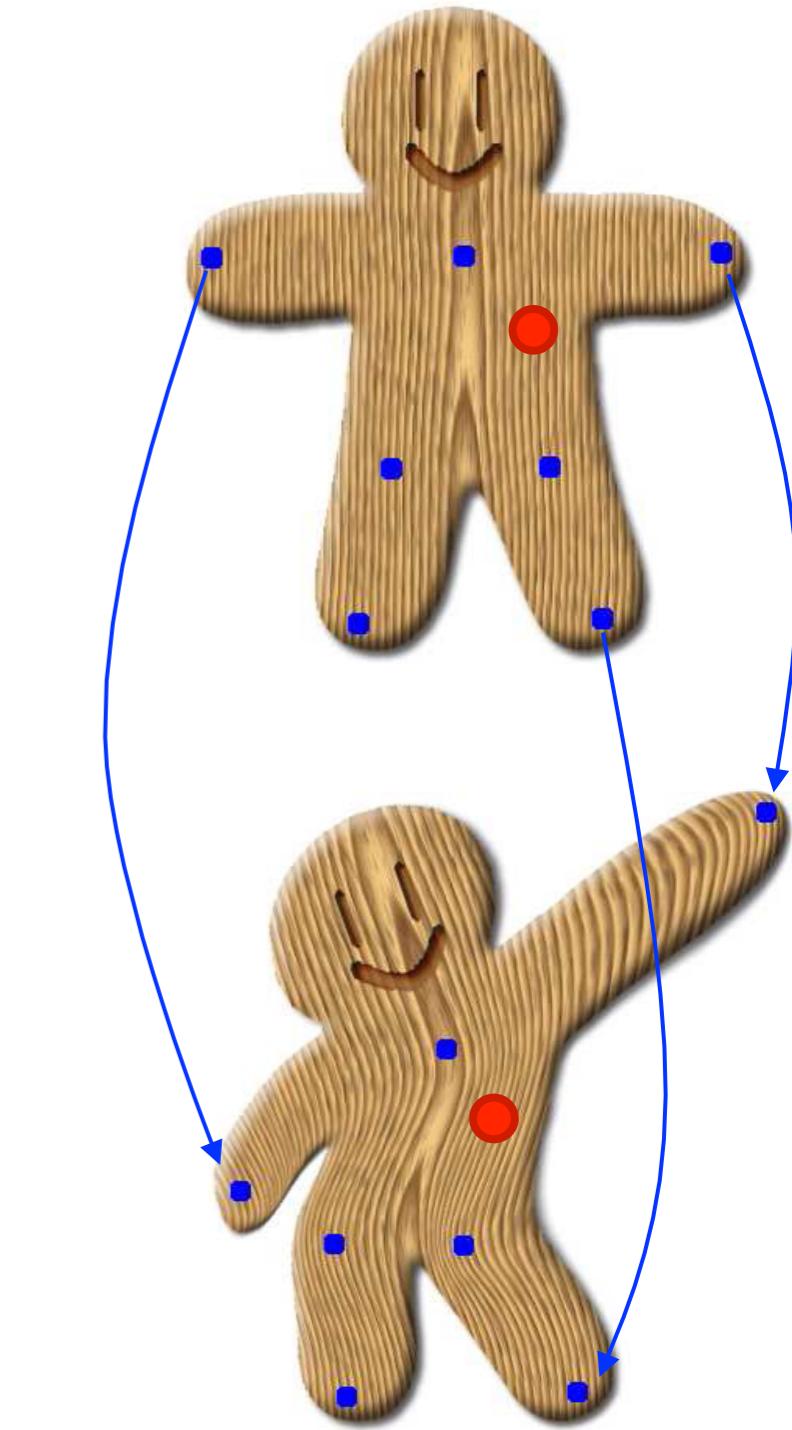
- Handles  $p_i$  are displaced to  $q_i$
- The local transformation at  $x$ :

$$A_x(p) = M_x p + t_x \text{ s.t.}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k w_i(x) \|A_x(p_i) - q_i\|^2 \rightarrow \min$$

- The weights depend on  $x$ :

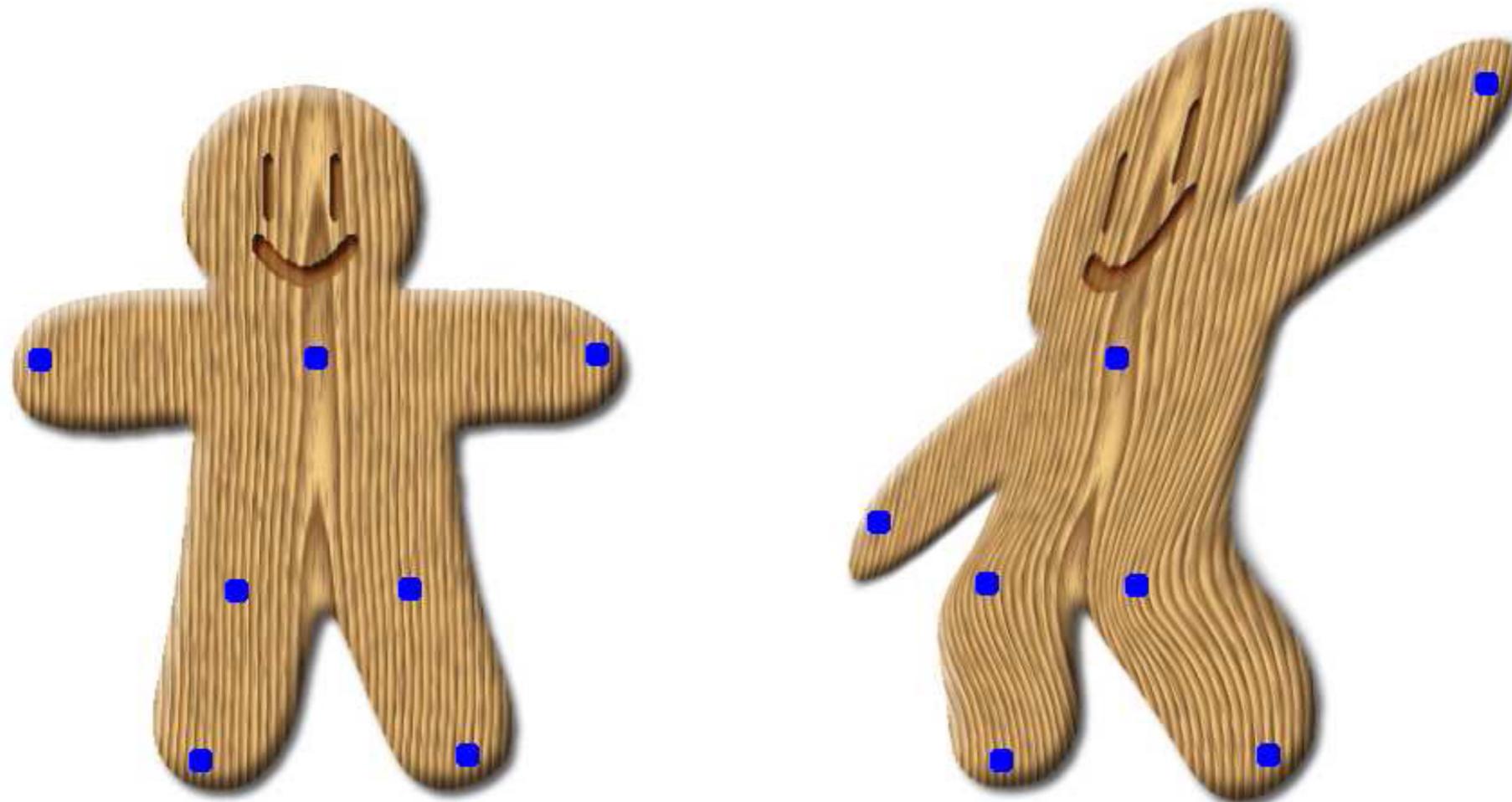
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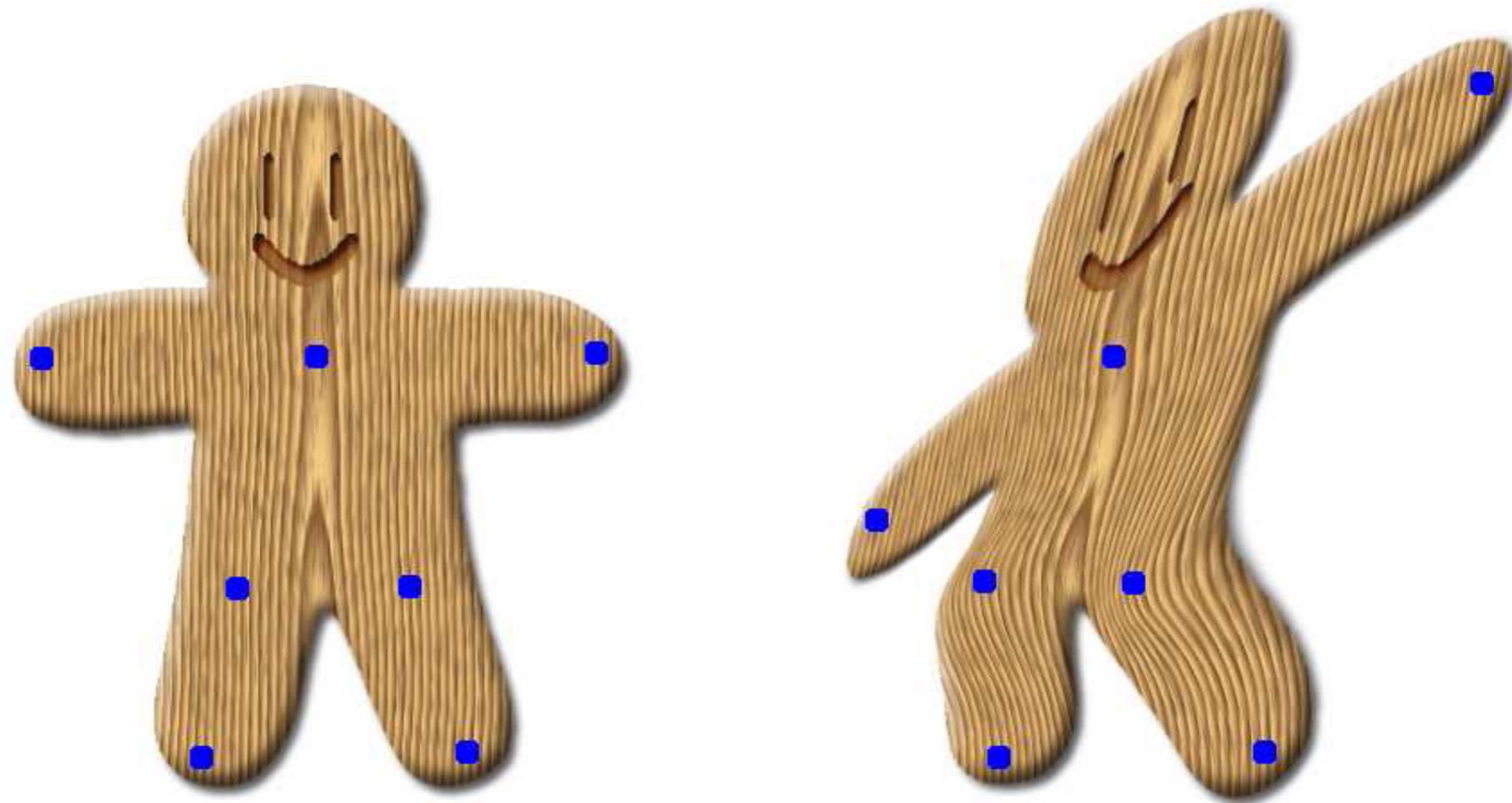
- No additional restriction on  $A_x(\cdot)$  – affine local transformations



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- Restrict  $A_x(\cdot)$  to similarity

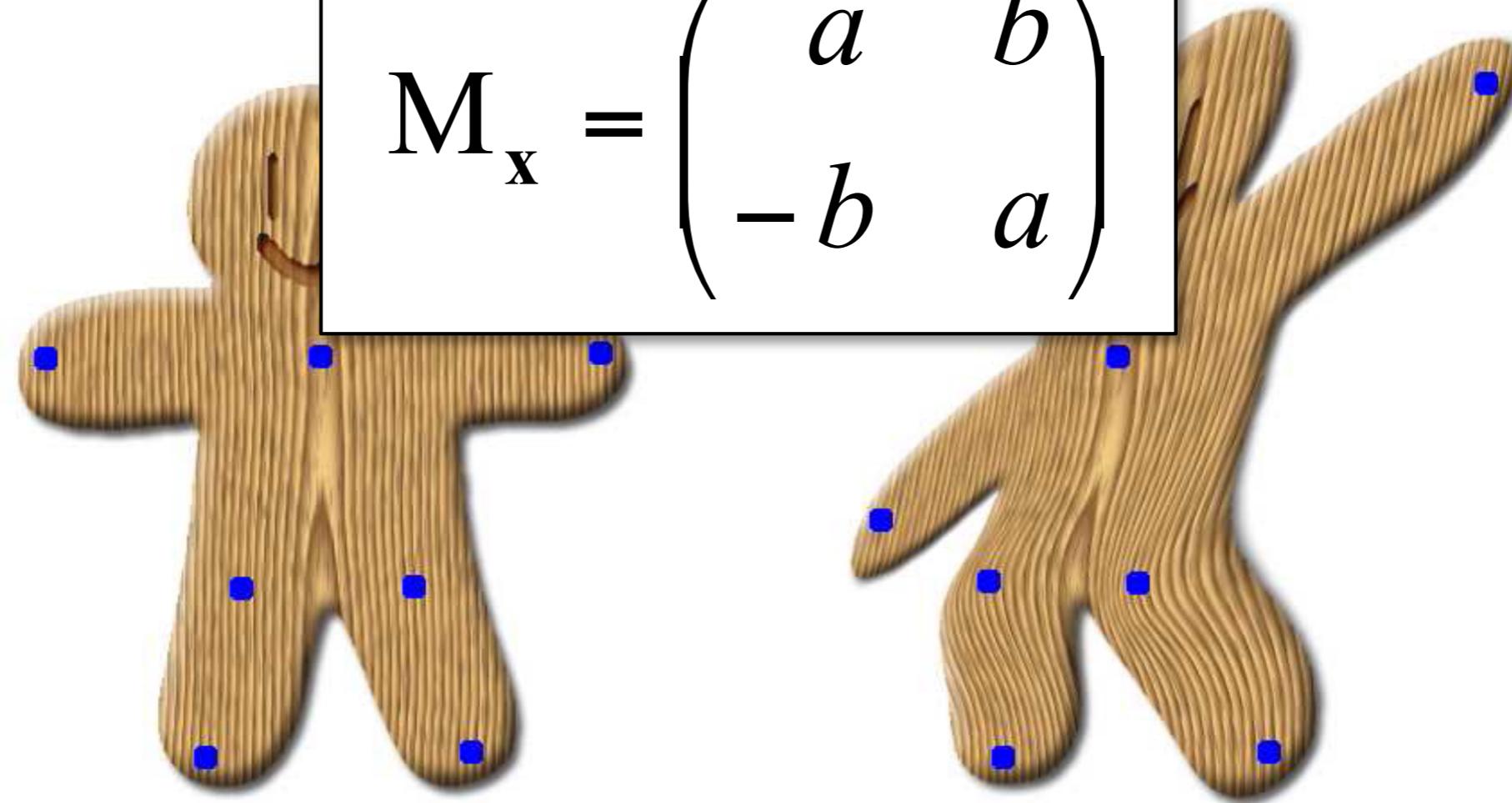


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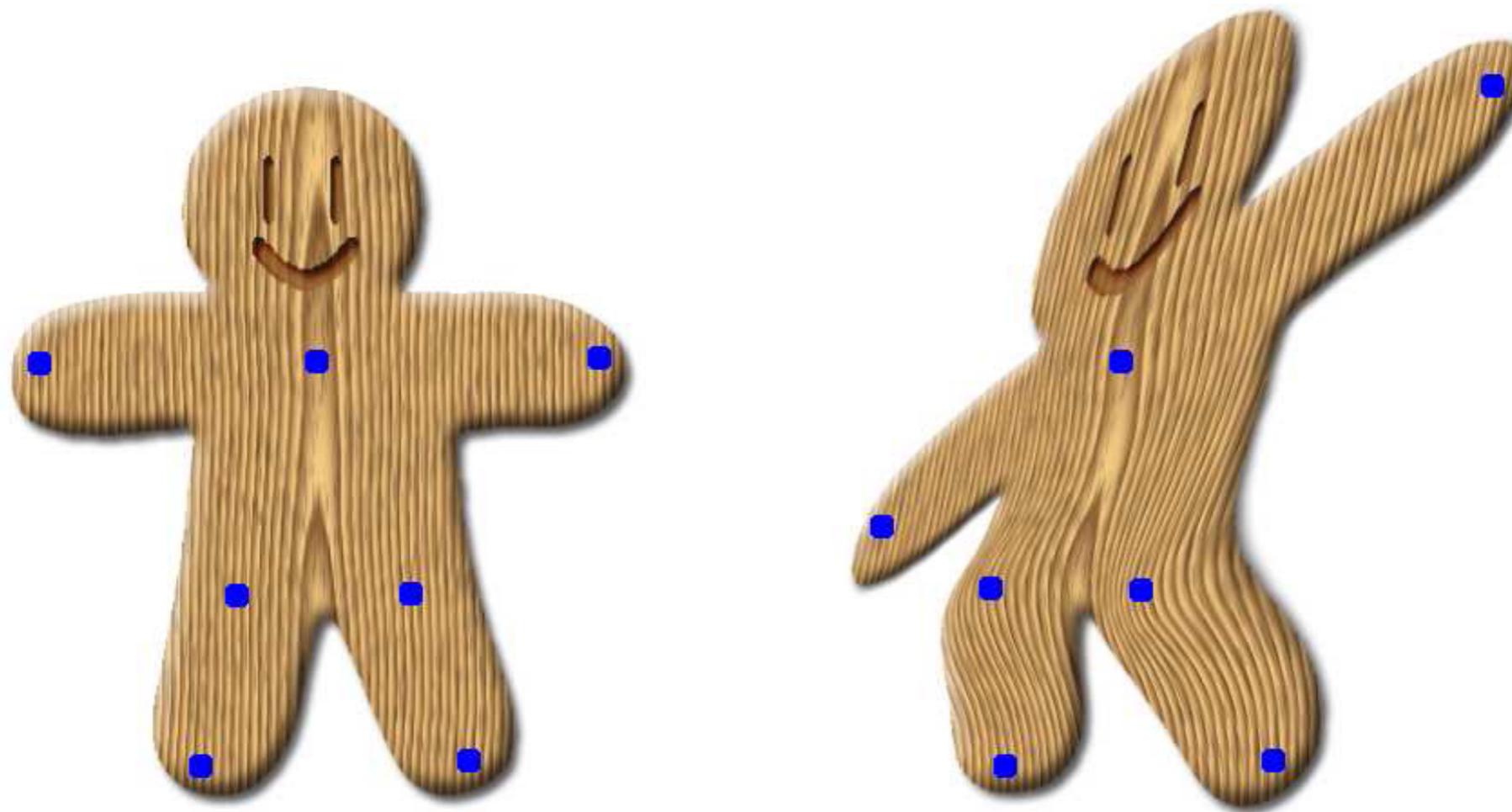
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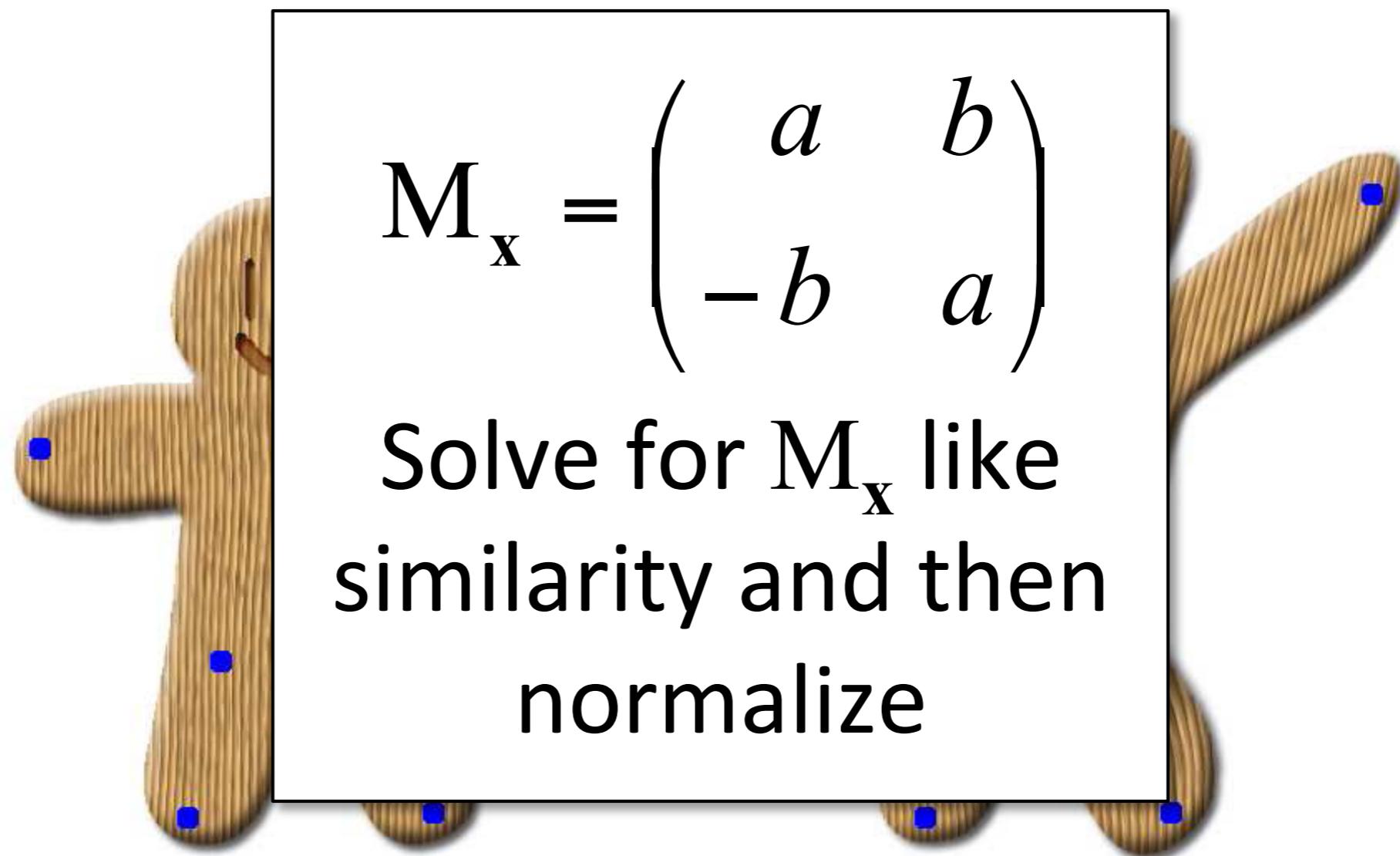
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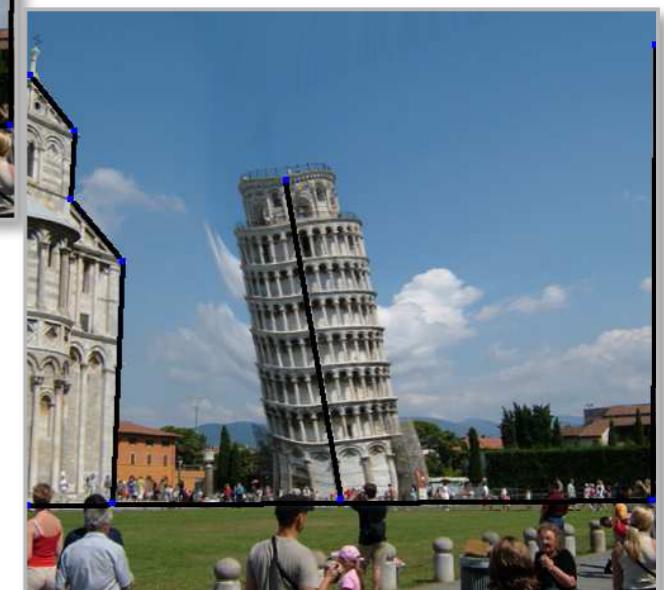
Solve for  $M_x$  like  
similarity and then  
normalize



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## ■ Examples



# As-Rigid-As-Possible Deformation

Moving-Least-Squares (MLS) extension to 3D [Zhu & Gortler 07]

- No linear expression for similarity in 3D
- Instead, can solve for the minimizing rotation

$$\arg \min_{R \in SO(3)} \sum_{i=1}^k w_i(\mathbf{x}) \|R\mathbf{p}_i - \mathbf{q}_i\|^2$$

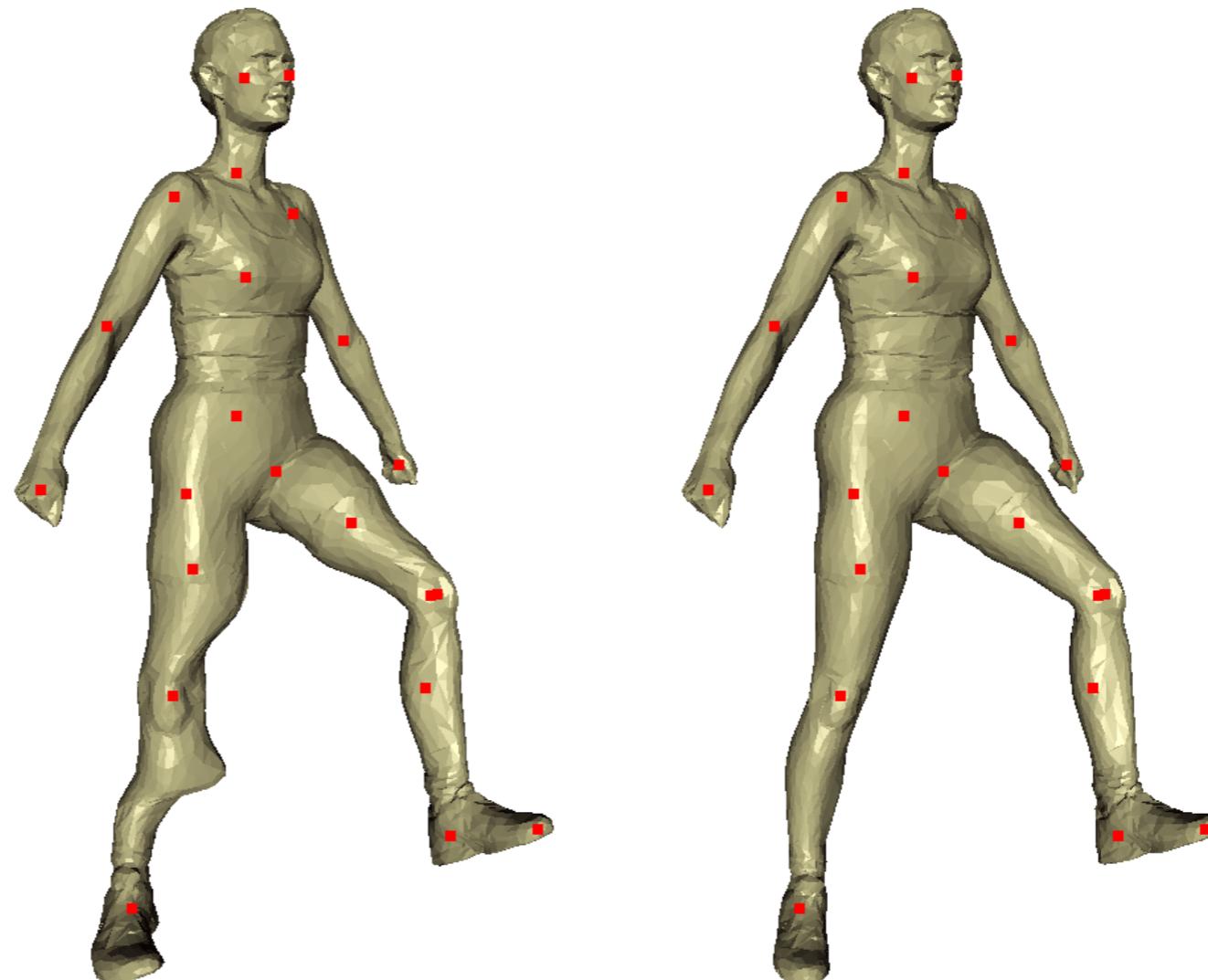
by polar decomposition of the  $3 \times 3$  covariance matrix

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- Zhu and Gortler also replace the Euclidean distance in the weights by “distance within the shape”

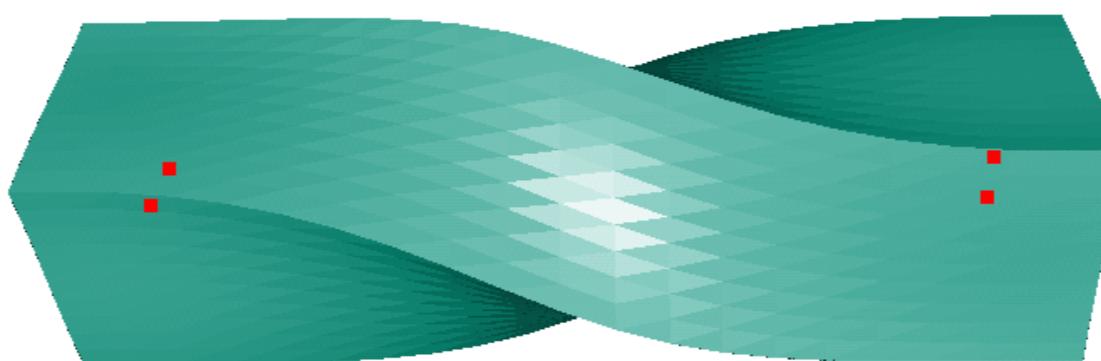
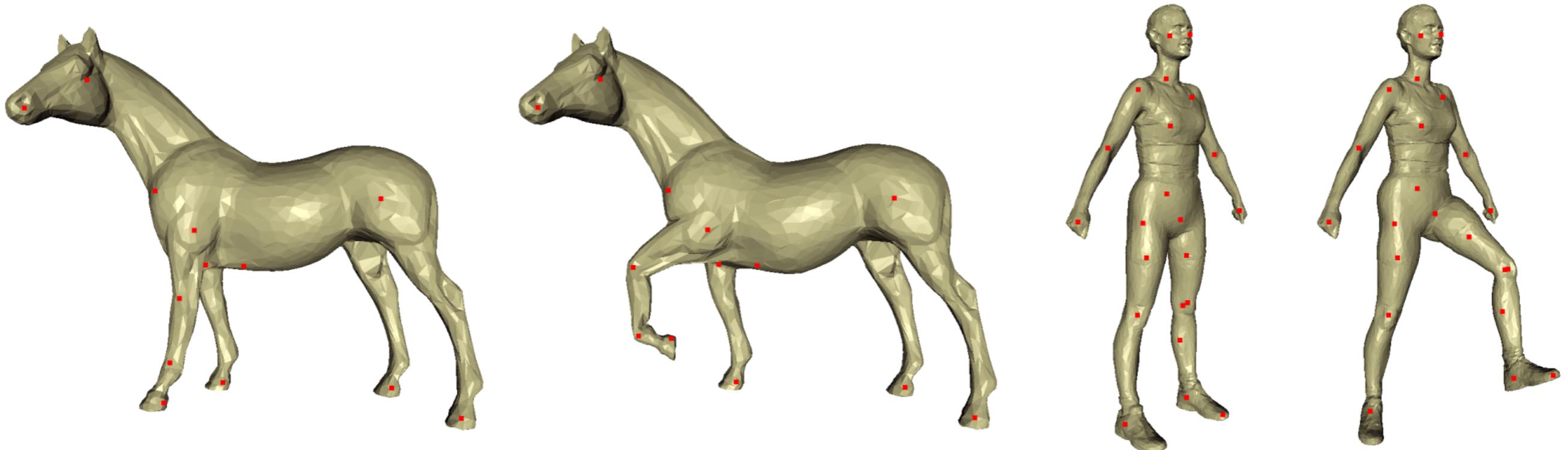
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Moving-Least-Squares (MLS) extension to 3D [Zhu & Gortler 07]

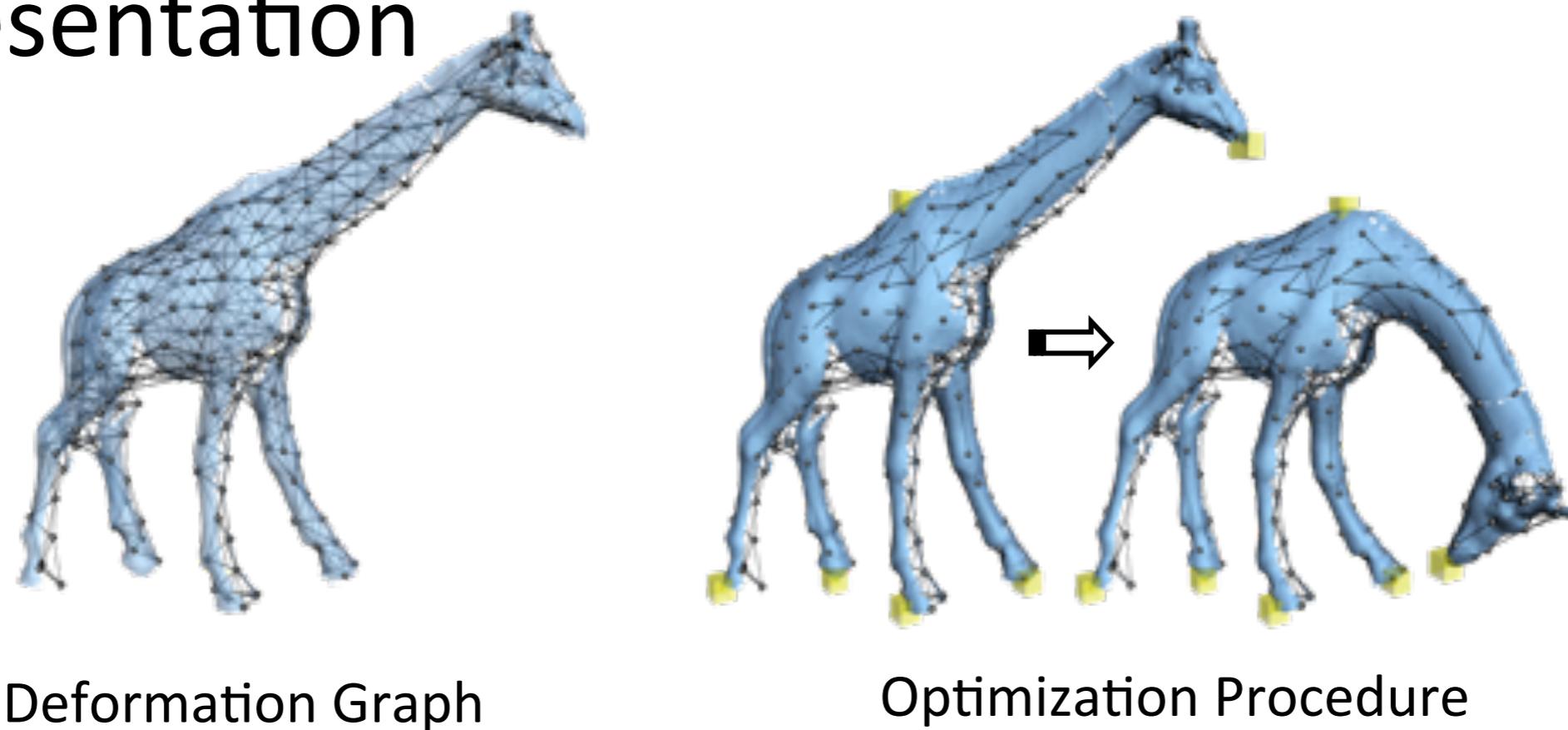
- More results



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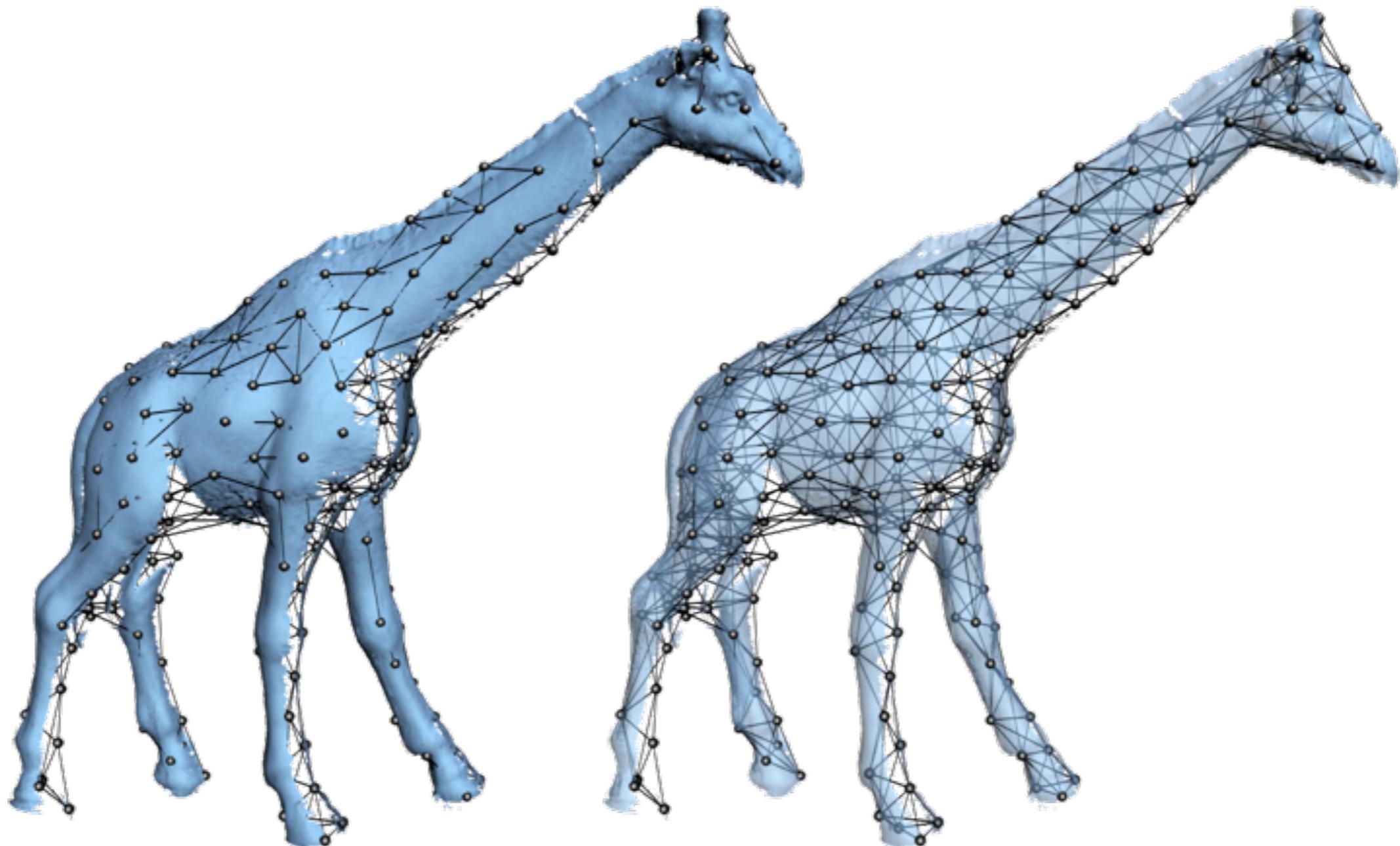
Embedded Deformation [Sumner et al. 07]

- Surface handles as interface
- Underlying graph to represent the deformation; nodes store rigid transformations
- Decoupling of handles from def. representation



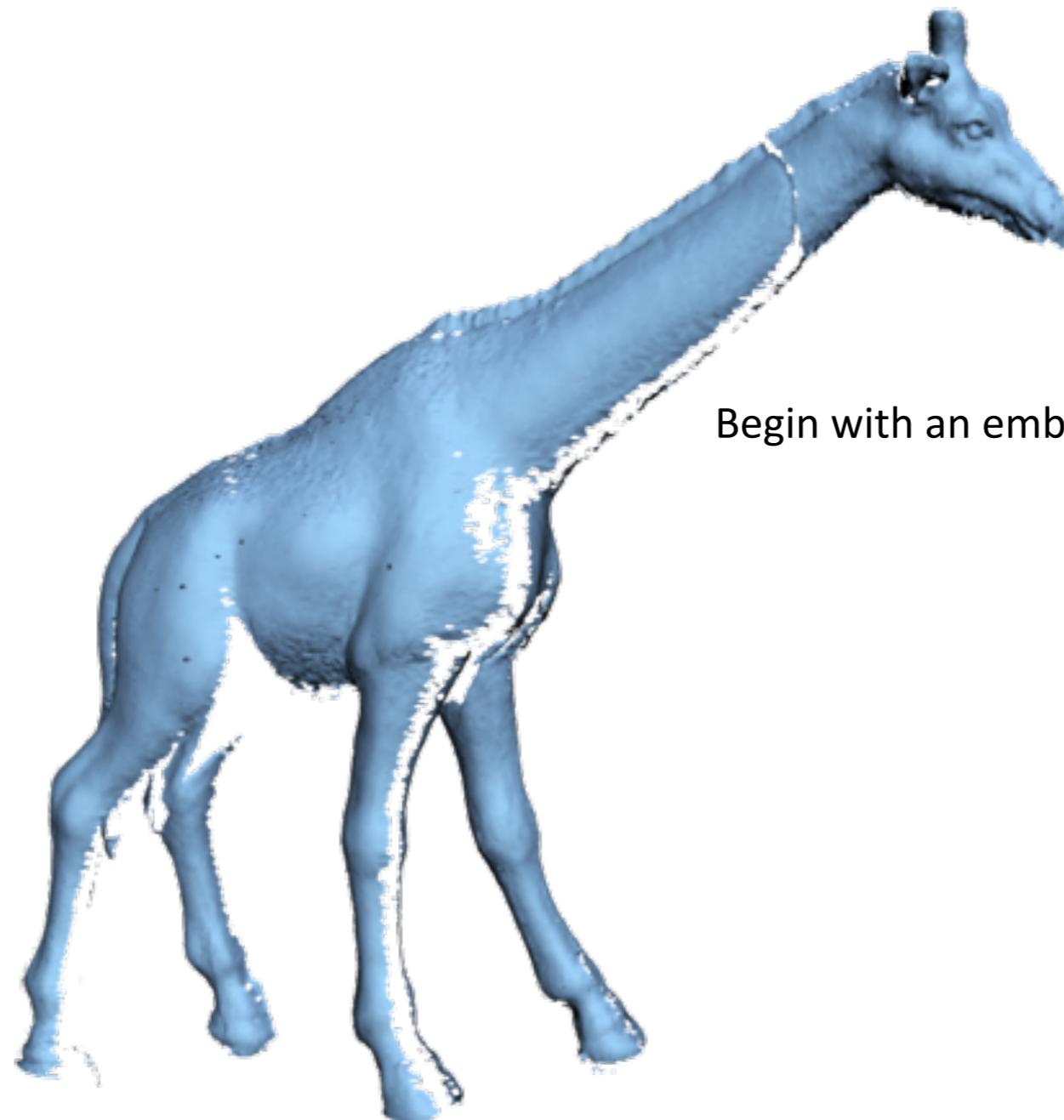
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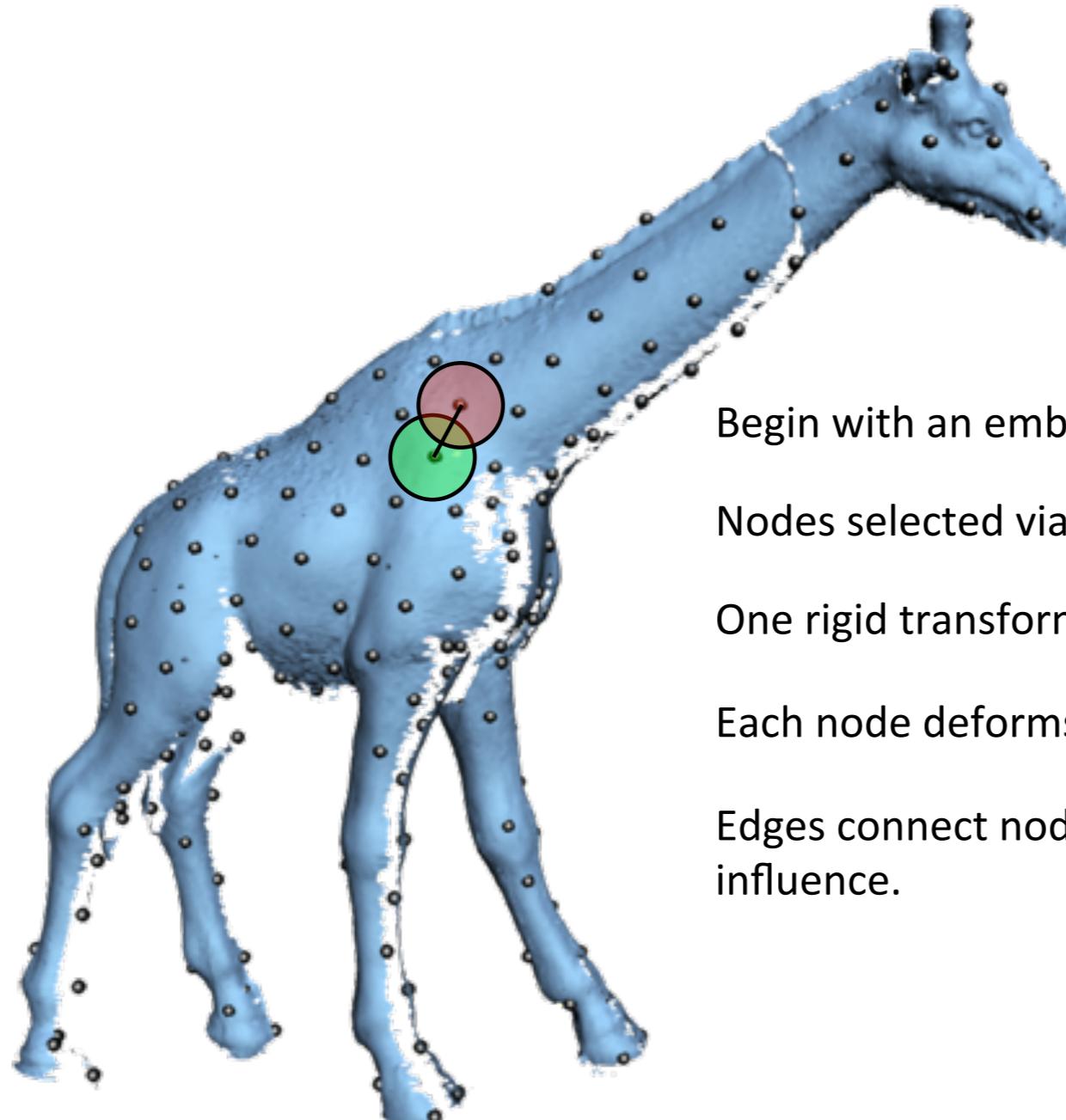
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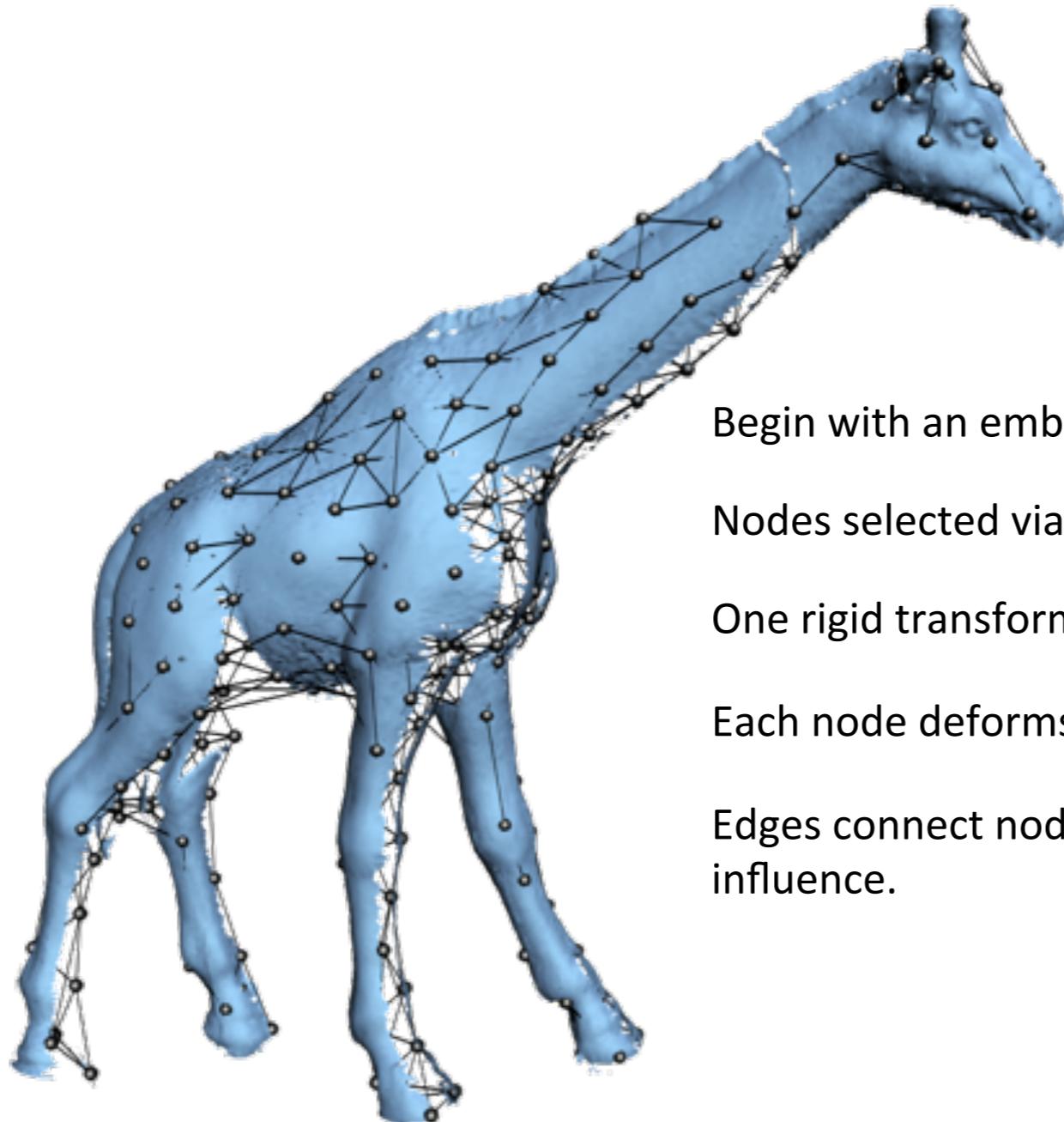
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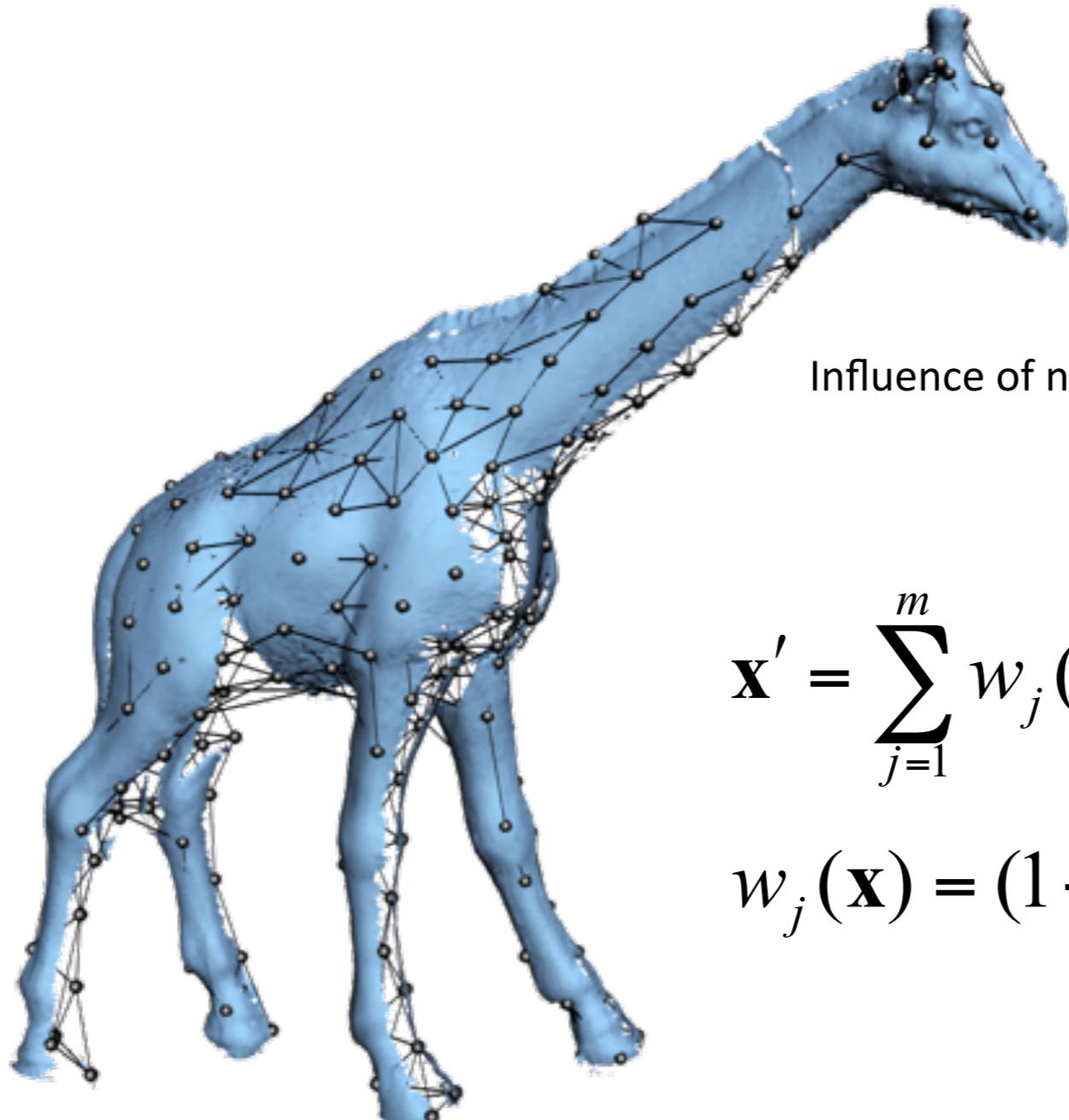
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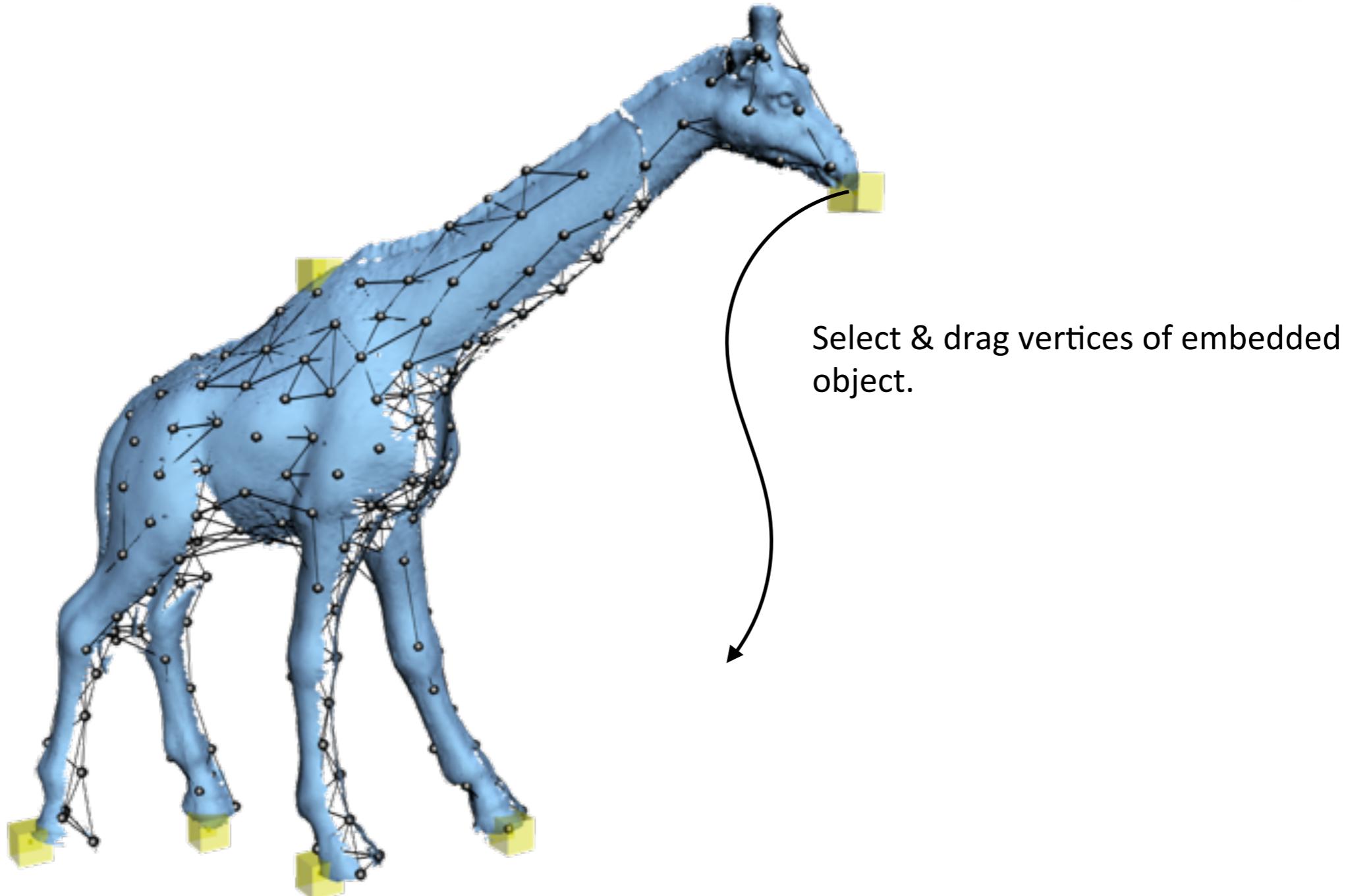


$$\mathbf{x}' = \sum_{j=1}^m w_j(\mathbf{x}) \left[ \text{point } \mathbf{x} \text{ transformed by node } j \right] R_j(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{g}_j) + \mathbf{g}_j + \mathbf{t}_j$$

$$w_j(\mathbf{x}) = (1 - \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{g}_j\| / d_{\max})^2$$

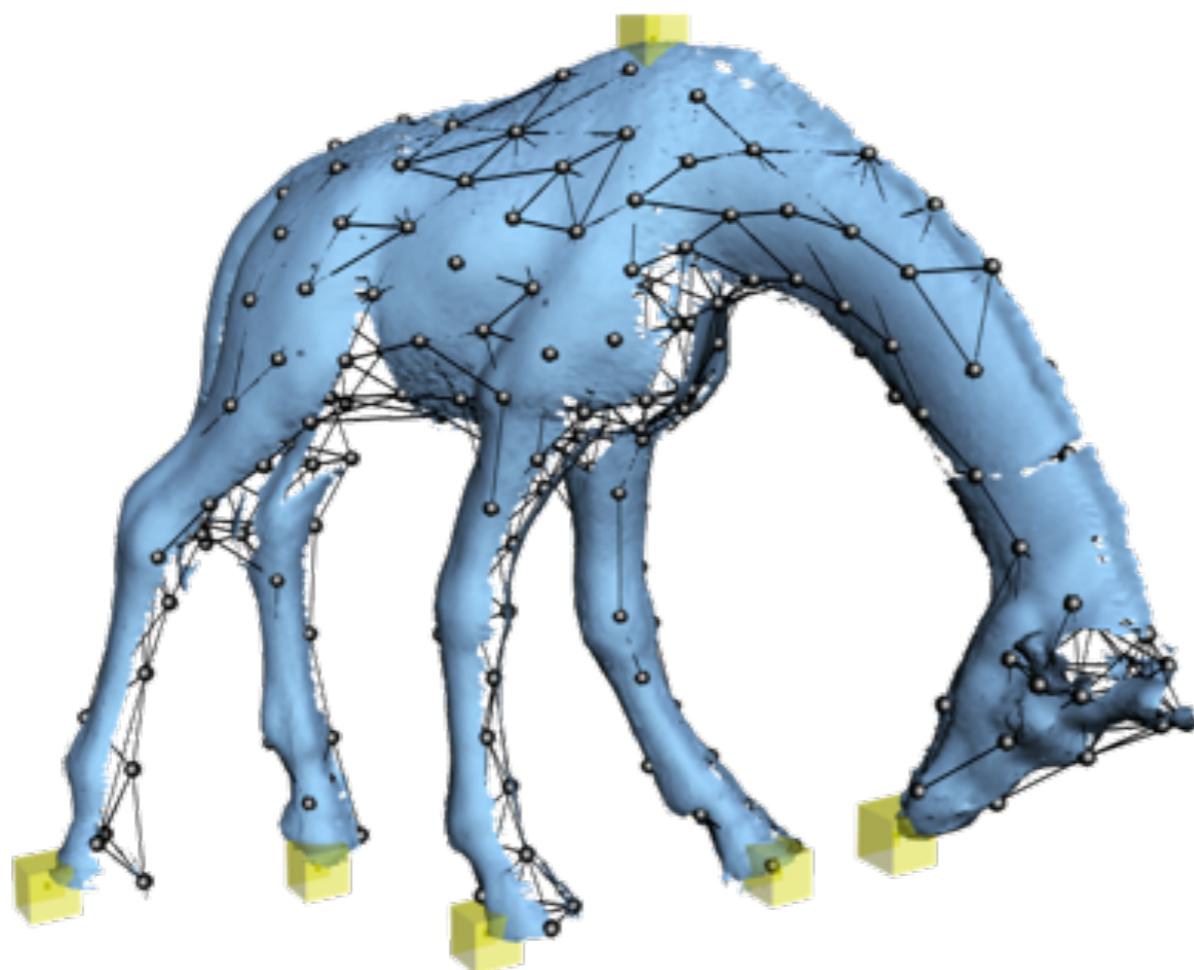
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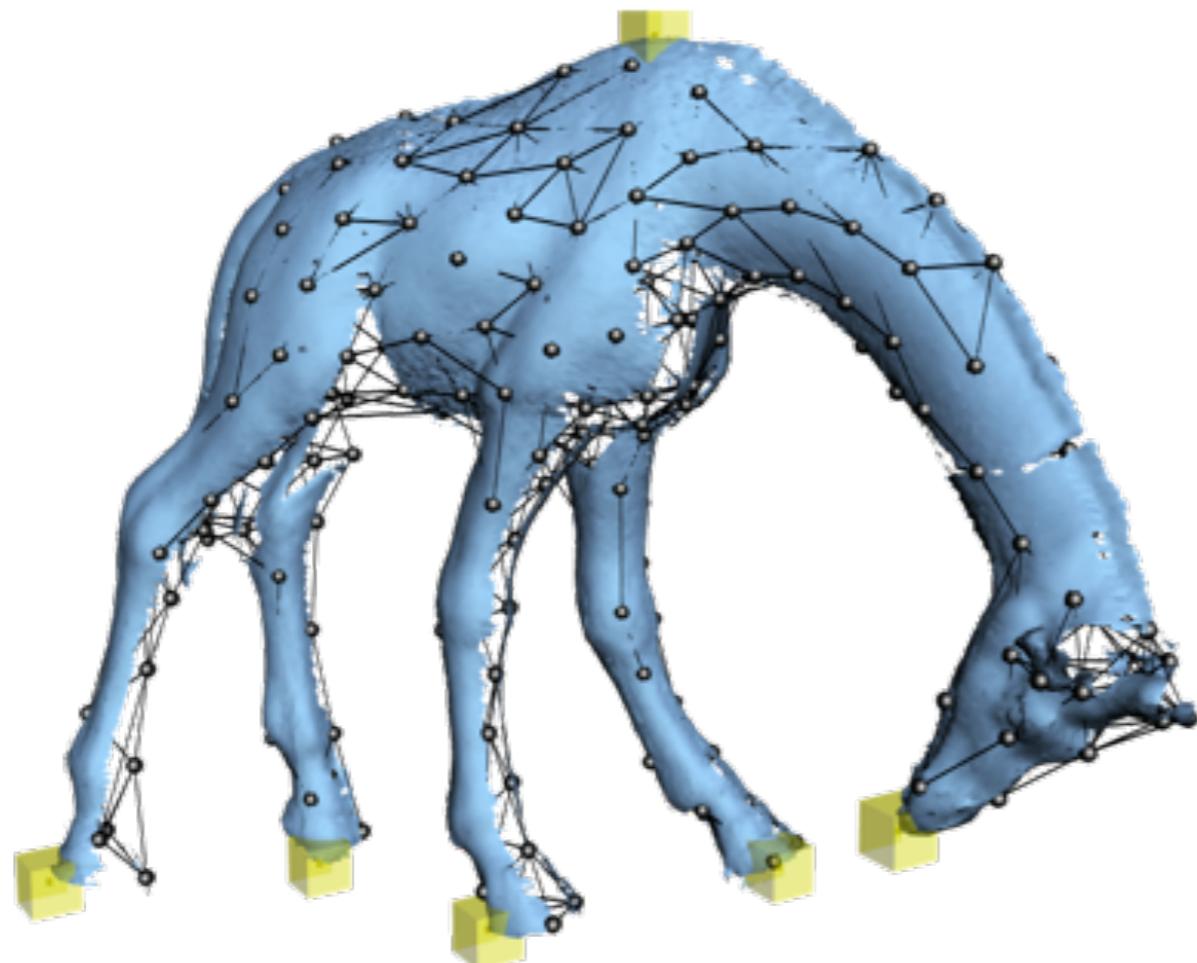
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Graph  
parameters

Rotation  
term

Regularization  
term

Constraint  
term



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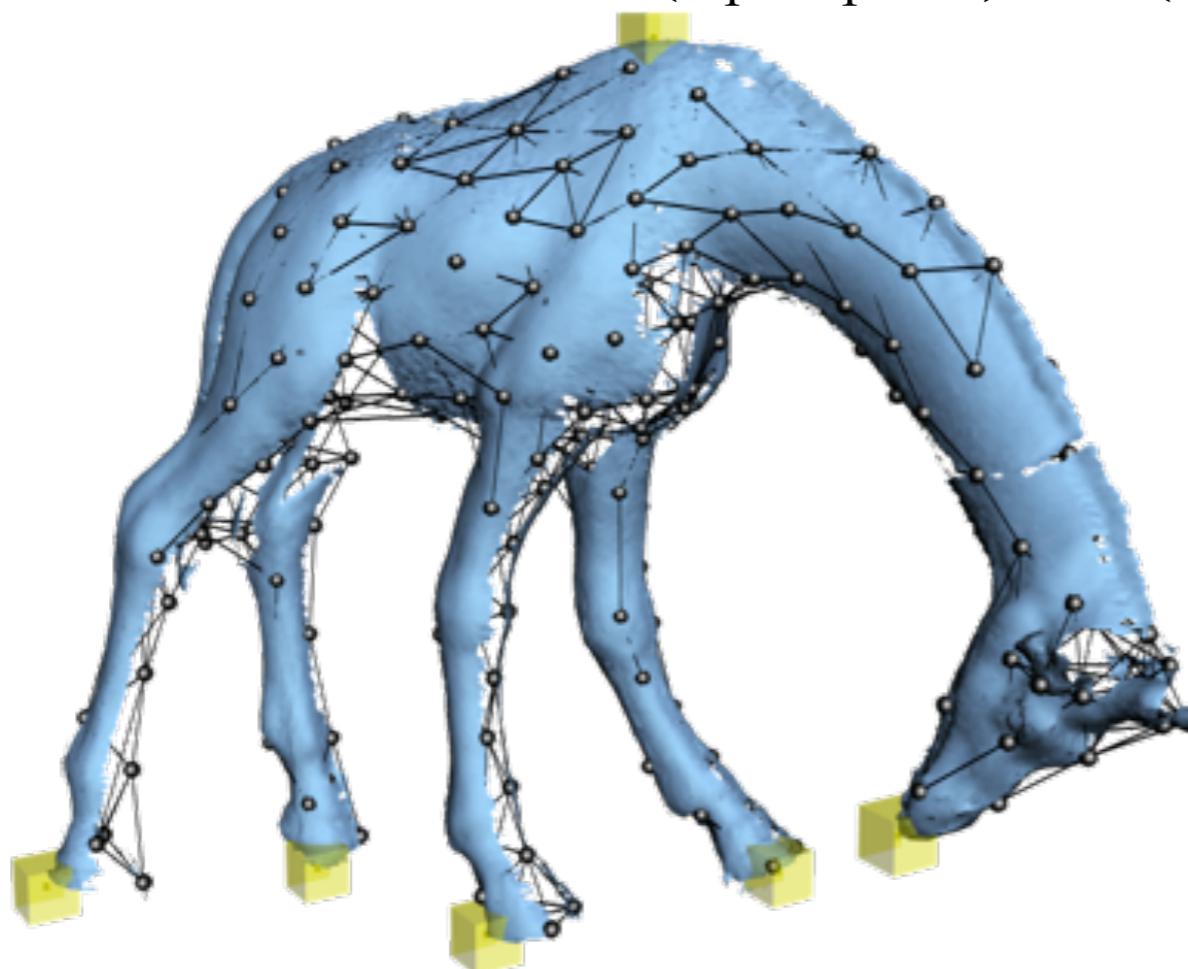
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$$\begin{aligned} \text{Rot}(\mathbf{R}) = & (\mathbf{c}_1 \cdot \mathbf{c}_2)^2 + (\mathbf{c}_1 \cdot \mathbf{c}_3)^2 + (\mathbf{c}_2 \cdot \mathbf{c}_3)^2 + \\ & (\mathbf{c}_1 \cdot \mathbf{c}_1 - 1)^2 + (\mathbf{c}_2 \cdot \mathbf{c}_2 - 1)^2 + (\mathbf{c}_3 \cdot \mathbf{c}_3 - 1)^2 \end{aligned}$$



$$E_{\text{rot}} = \sum_{j=1}^m \text{Rot}(\mathbf{R}_j)$$

For detail preservation,  
features should rotate and  
not scale or skew.

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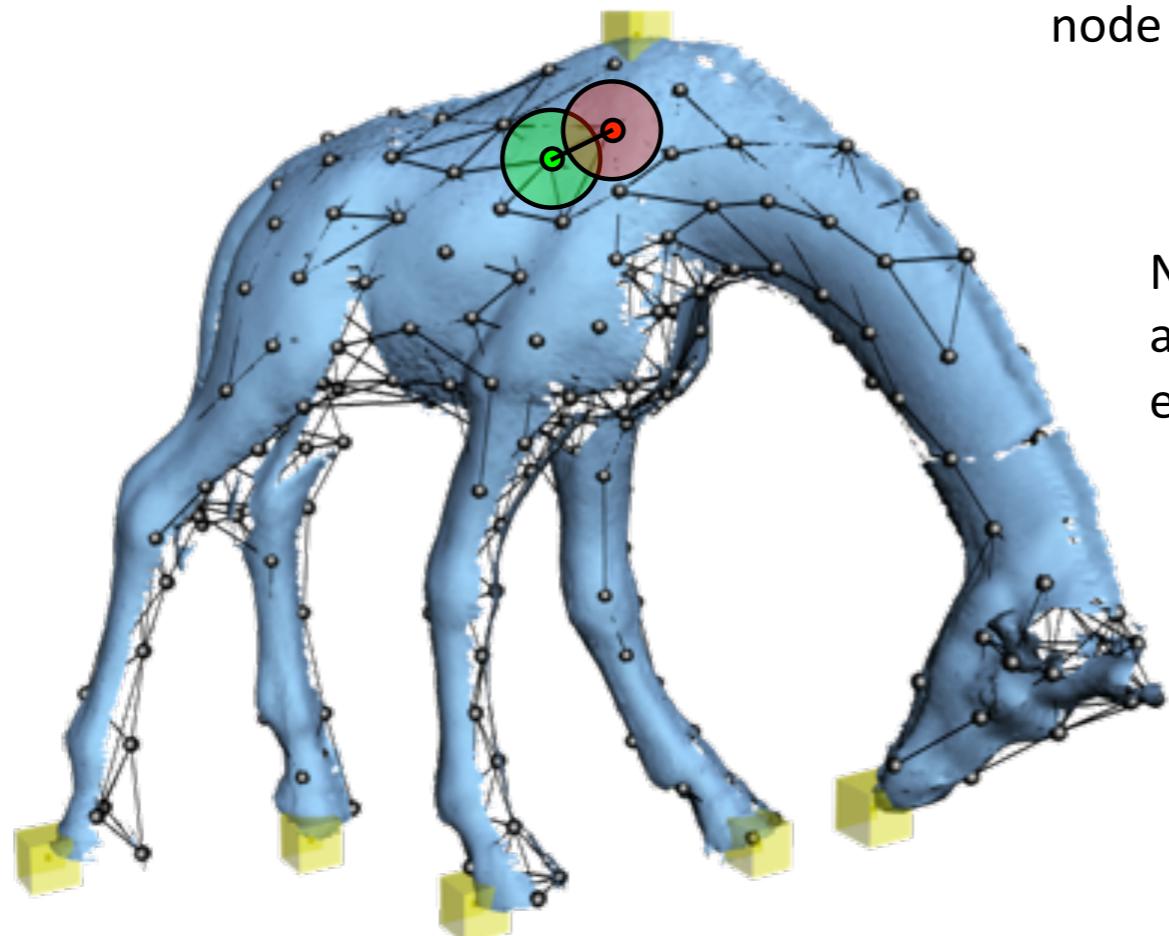
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$$E_{reg} = \sum_k^m \sum_j \alpha_{jk} \left\| R_j(g_k - g_j) + g_j + t_j - (g_k + t_k) \right\|_2^2$$

where node  $j$  thinks  
node  $k$  should go

where node  $k$   
actually goes



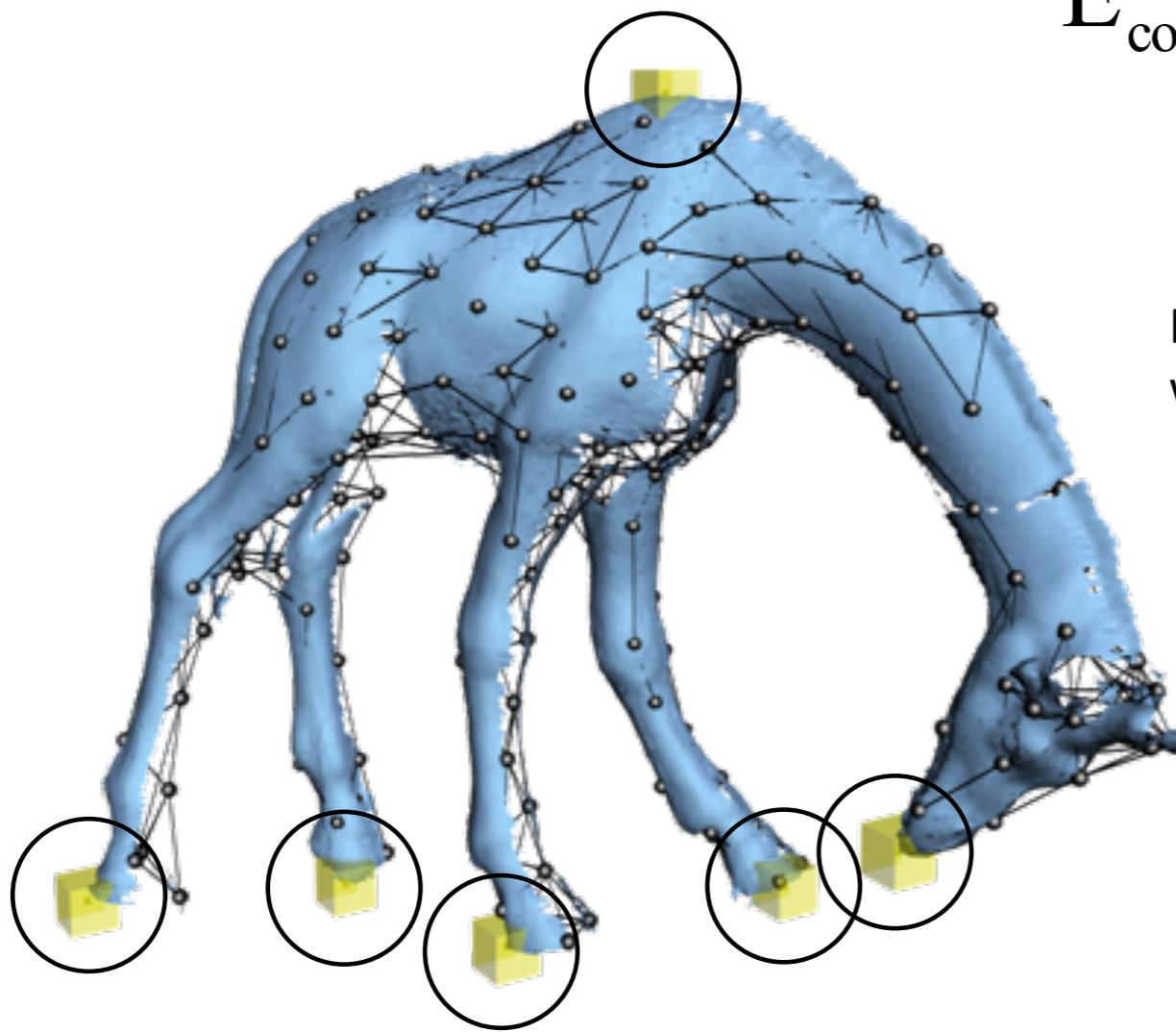
Neighboring nodes should agree on where they transform each other.

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$$E_{\text{con}} = \sum_{l=1}^p \left\| \tilde{\mathbf{v}}_{\text{index}(l)} - \mathbf{q}_l \right\|_2^2$$

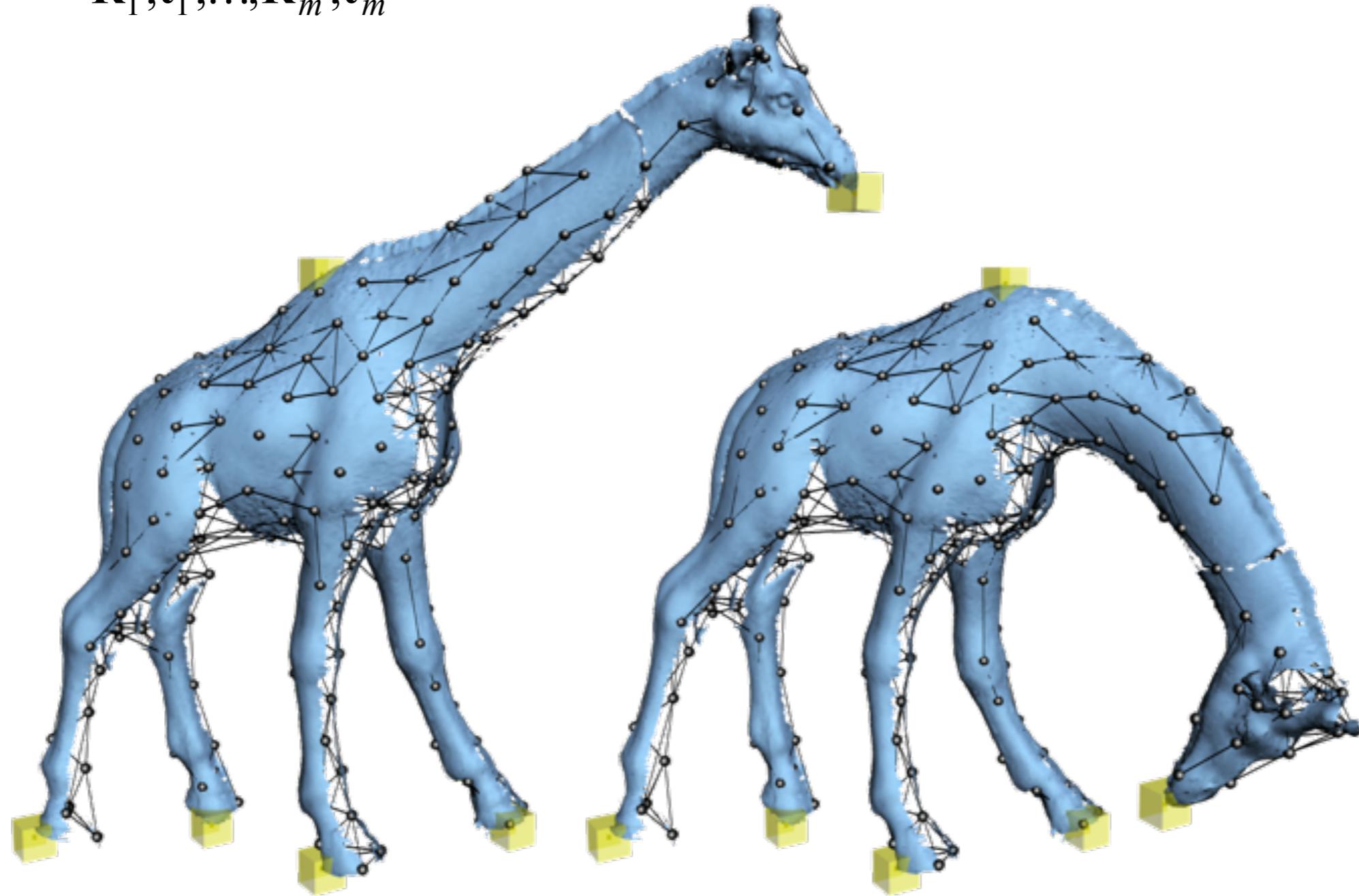


Handle vertices should go where the user puts them.

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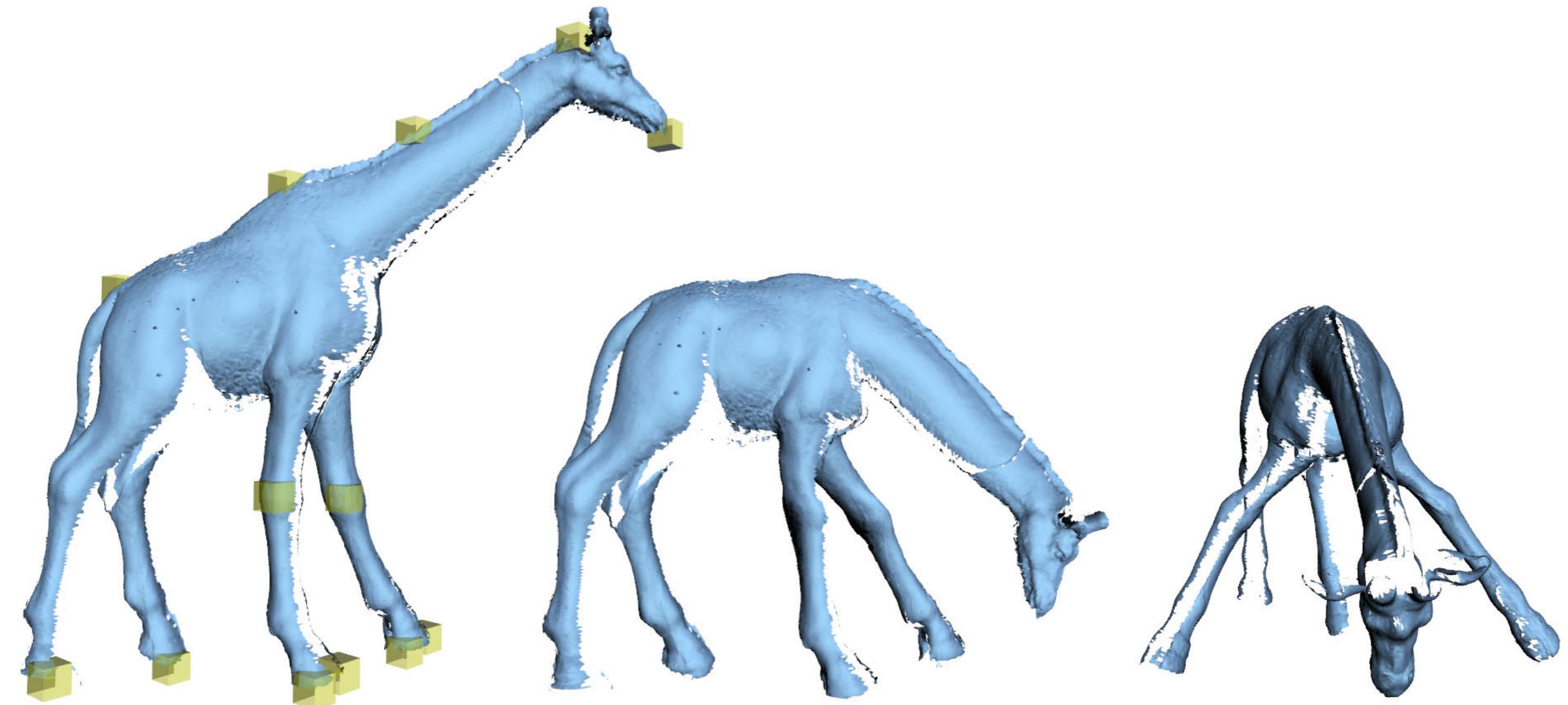
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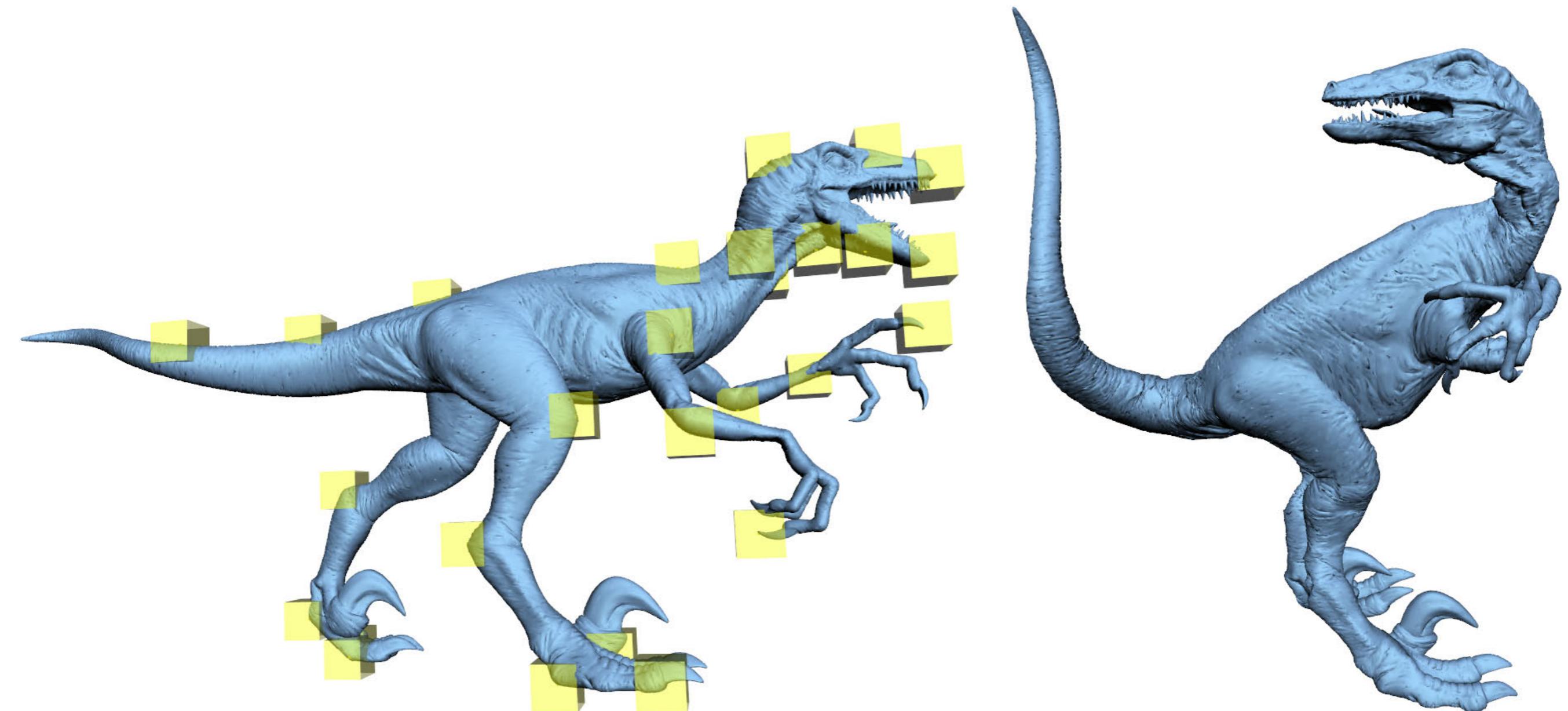
# Results on Polygon Soups

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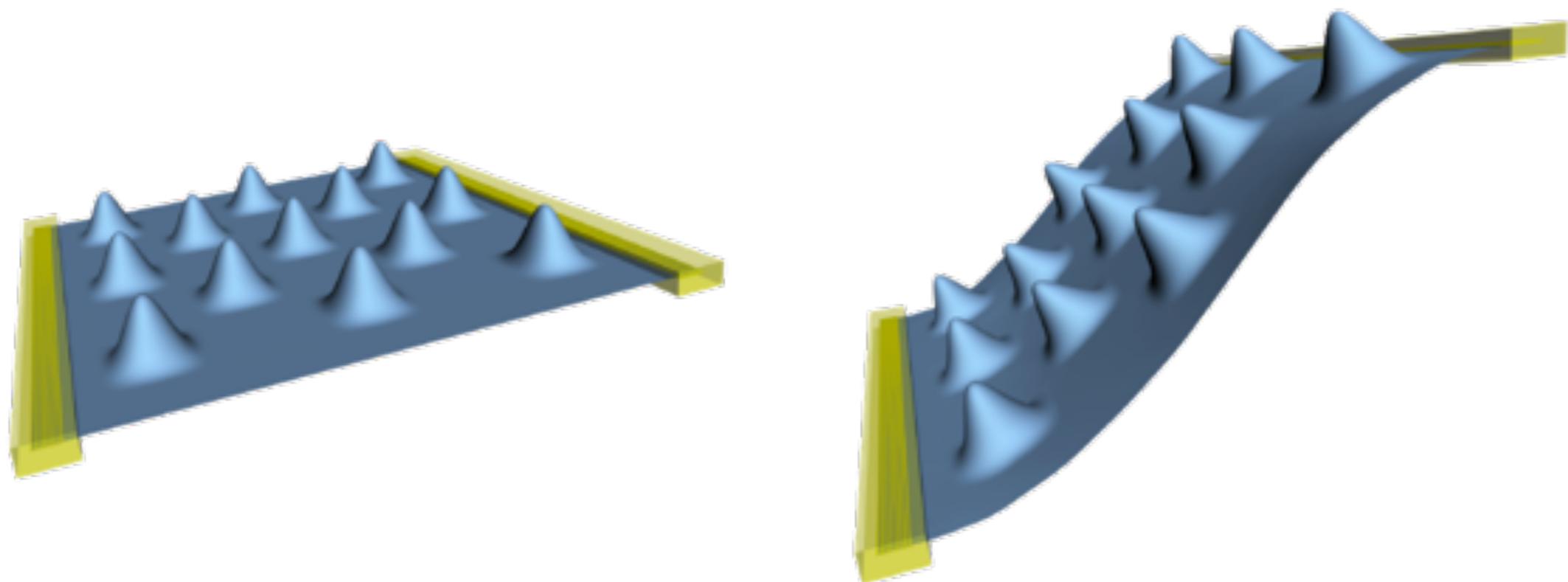
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# Detail Preservation

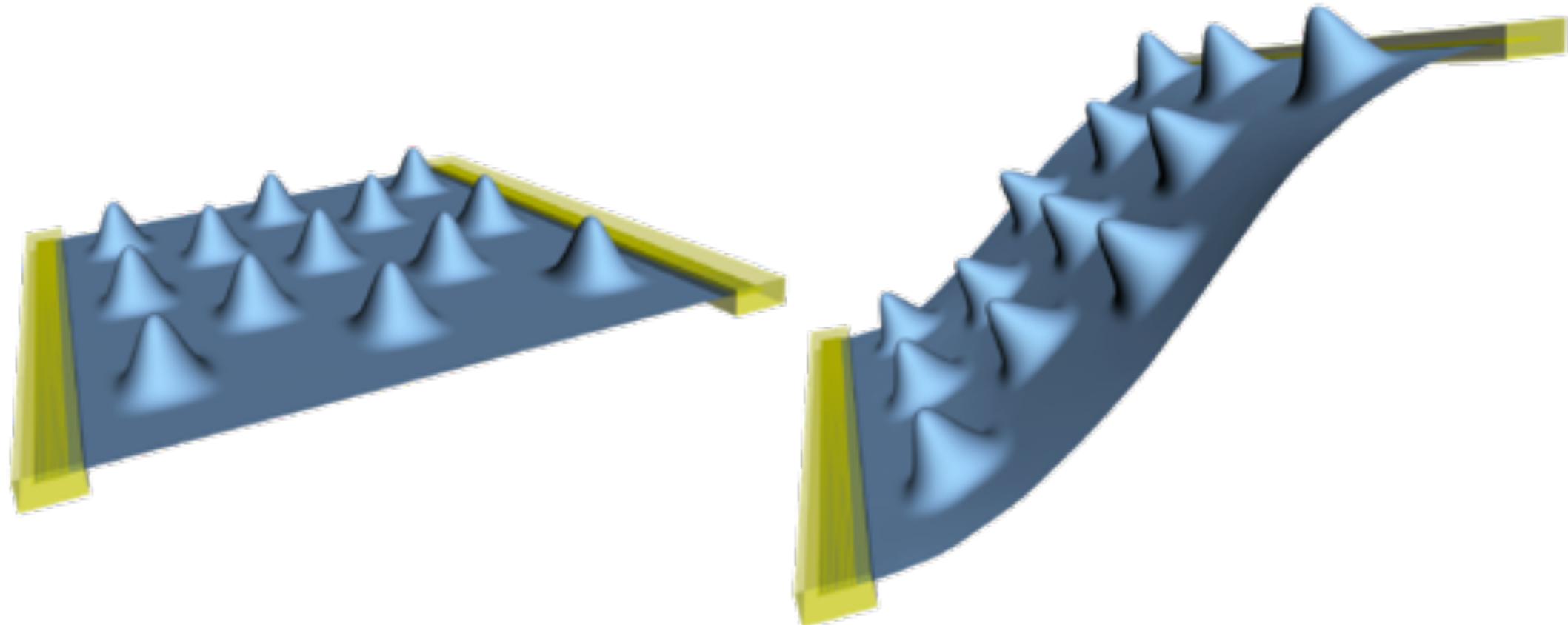
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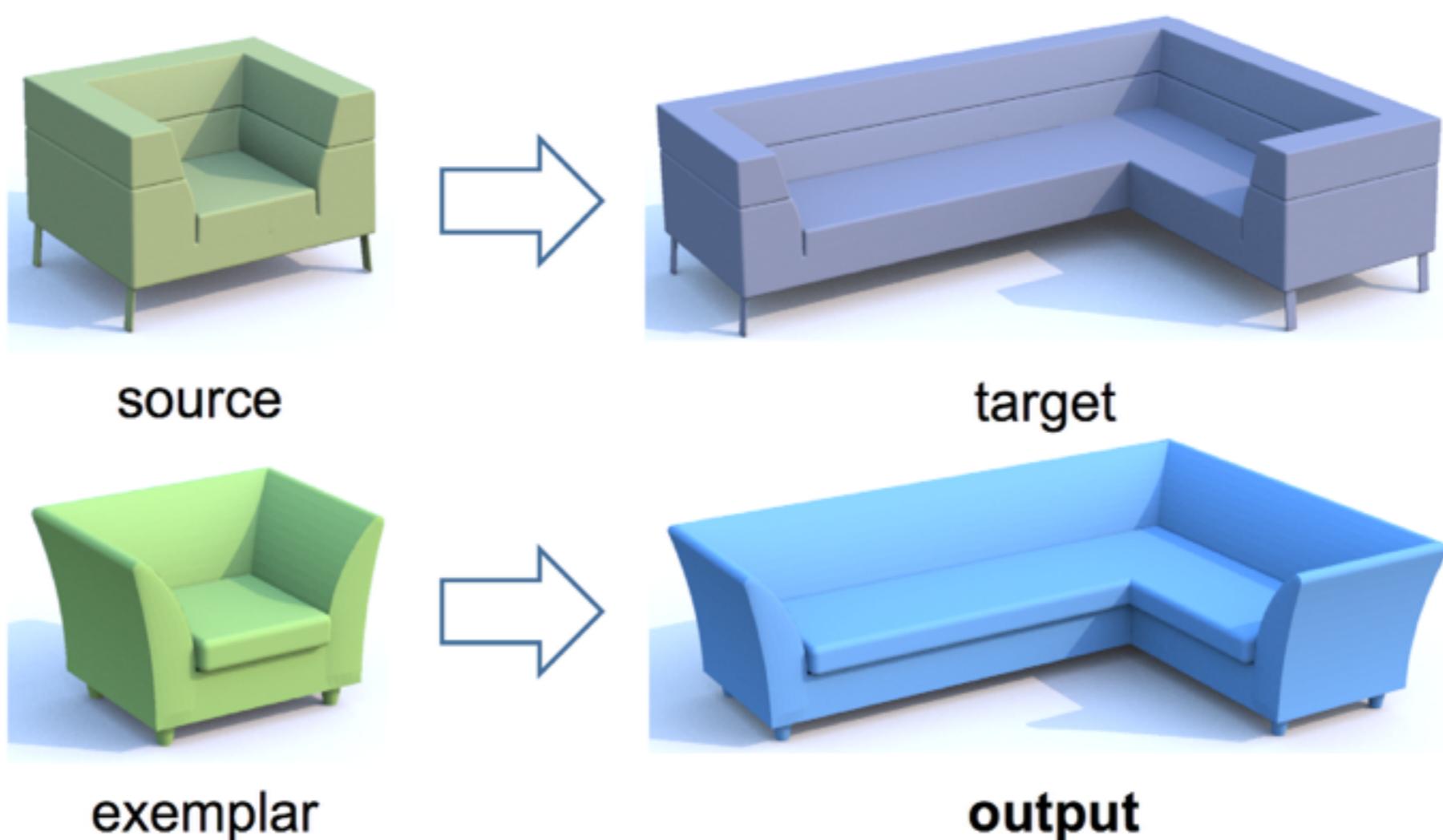
# Discussion

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- Decoupling of deformation complexity and model complexity
- Nonlinear energy optimization – results comparable to surface-based approaches



# Next Time



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# Thanks!

