

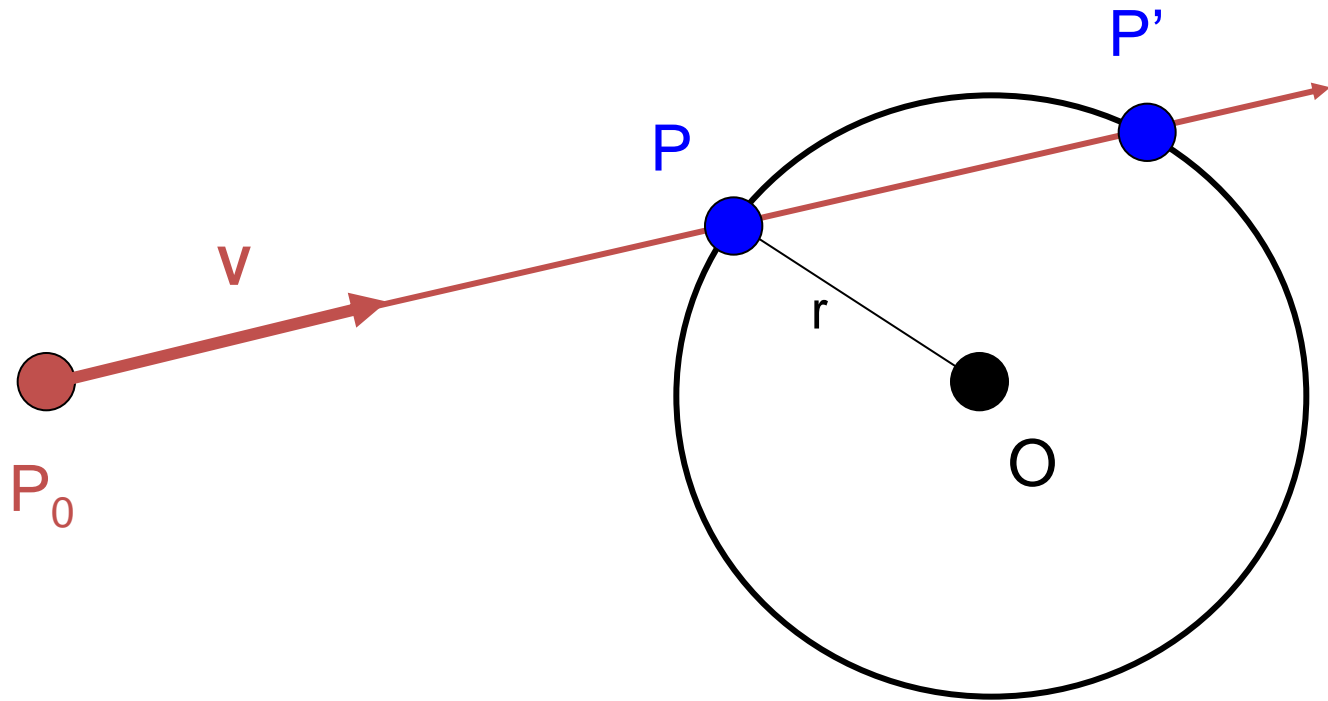
Physically Based Rendering (600.657)

Shapes

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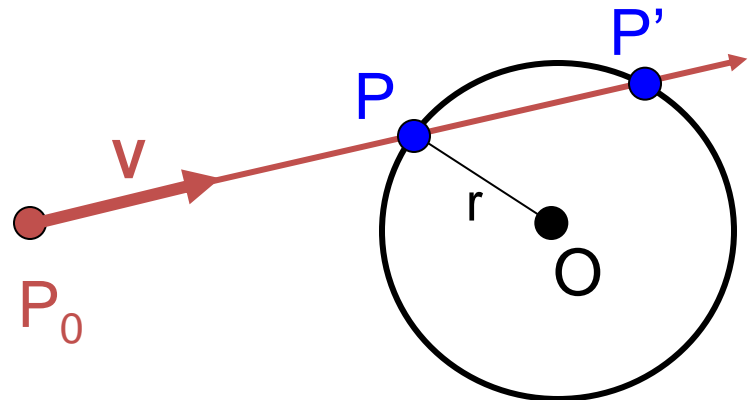
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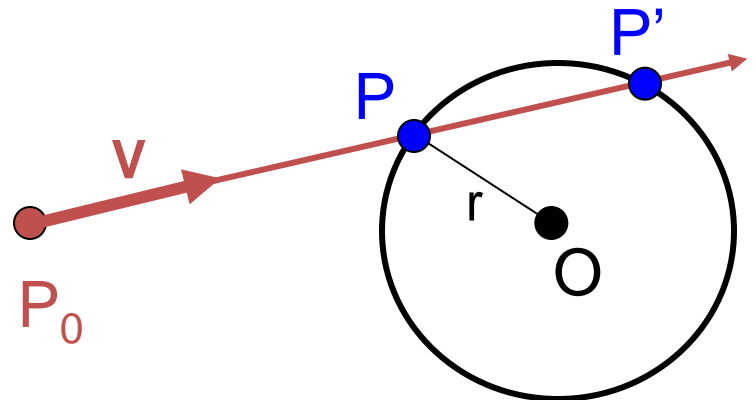
$$at^2 + bt + c = 0$$

where:

$$a = 1$$

$$b = 2 V \cdot (P_0 - O)$$

$$c = |P_0 - O|^2 - r^2$$



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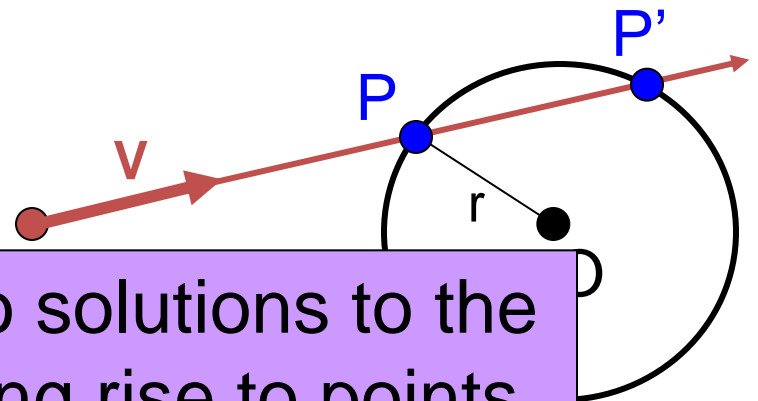
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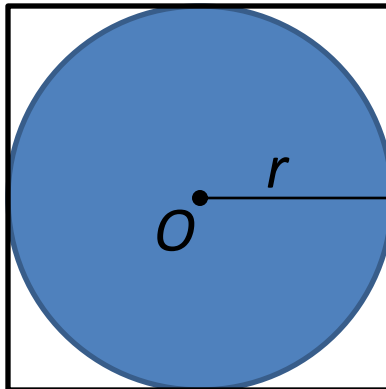
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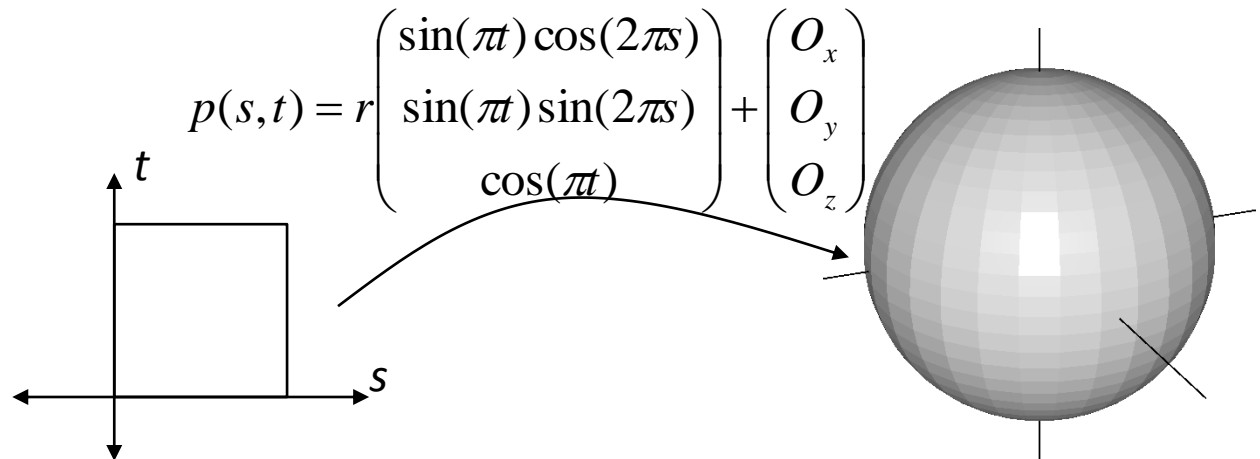
- Bounding Box:
– $[O_x-r, O_y-r, O_z-r] , [O_x+r, O_y+r, O_z+r]$



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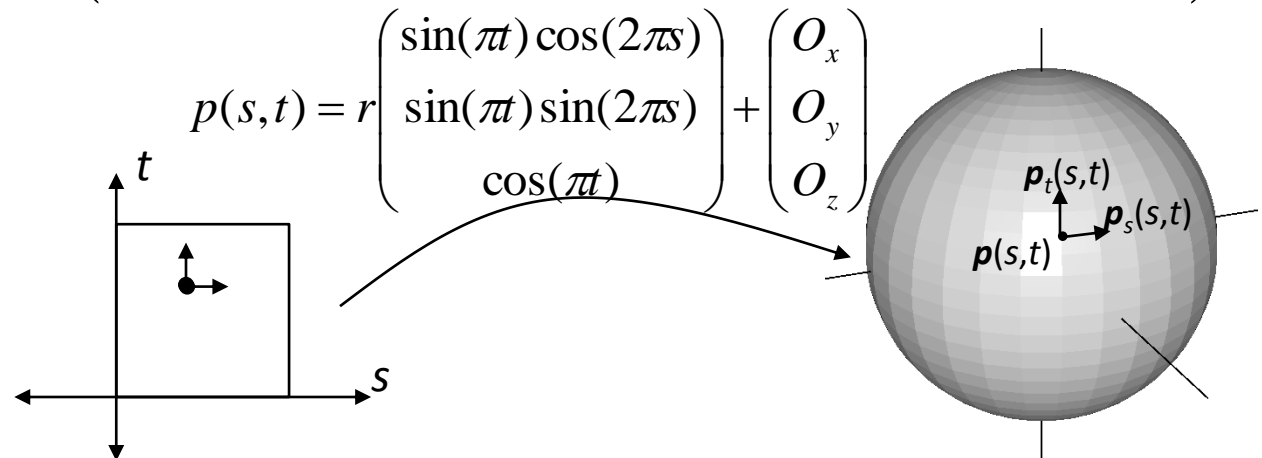
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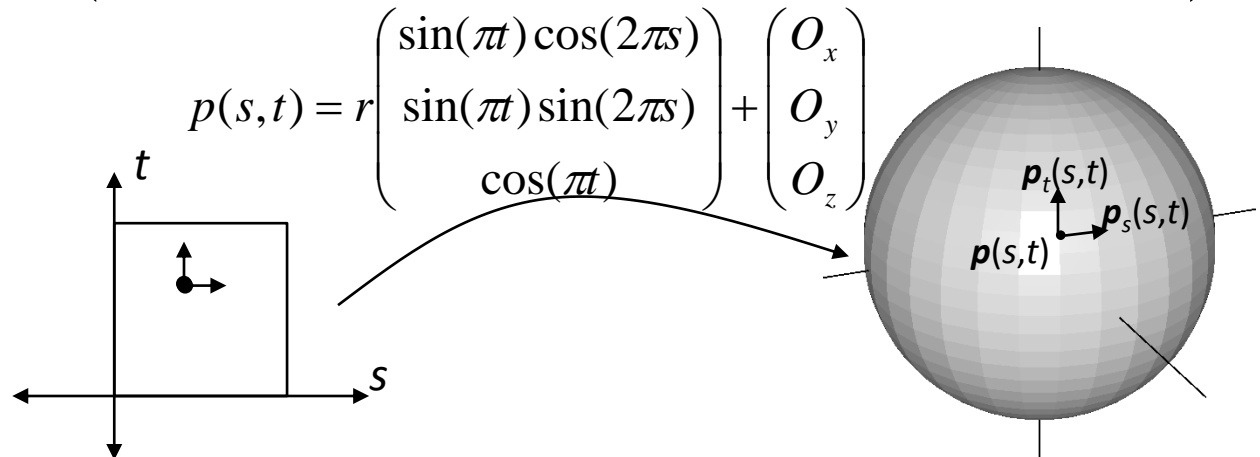
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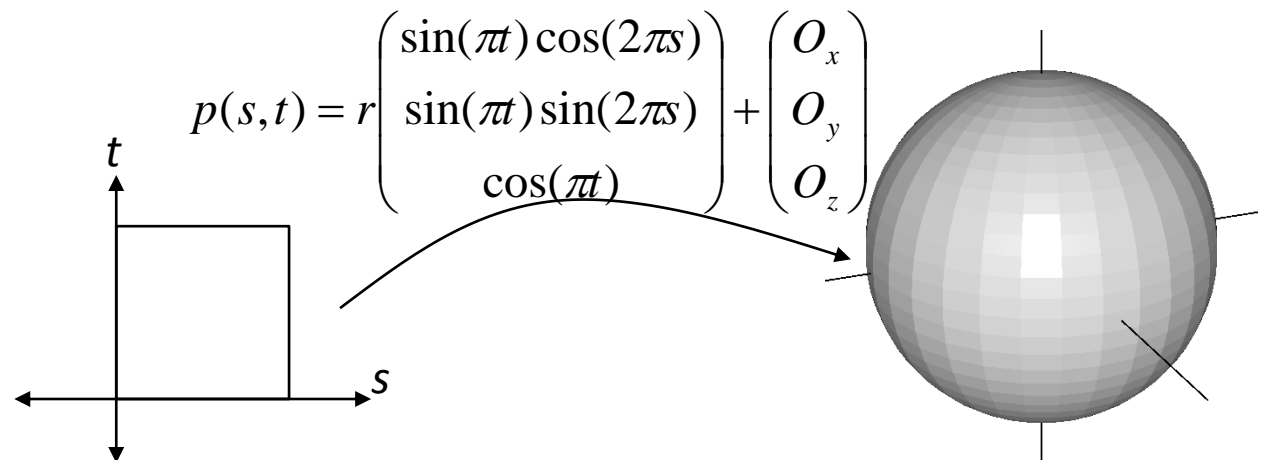


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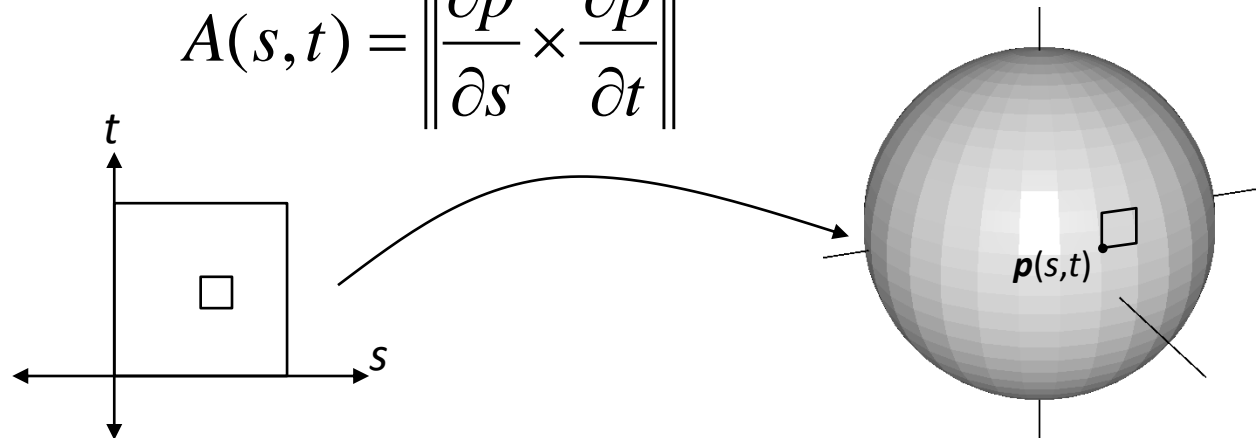
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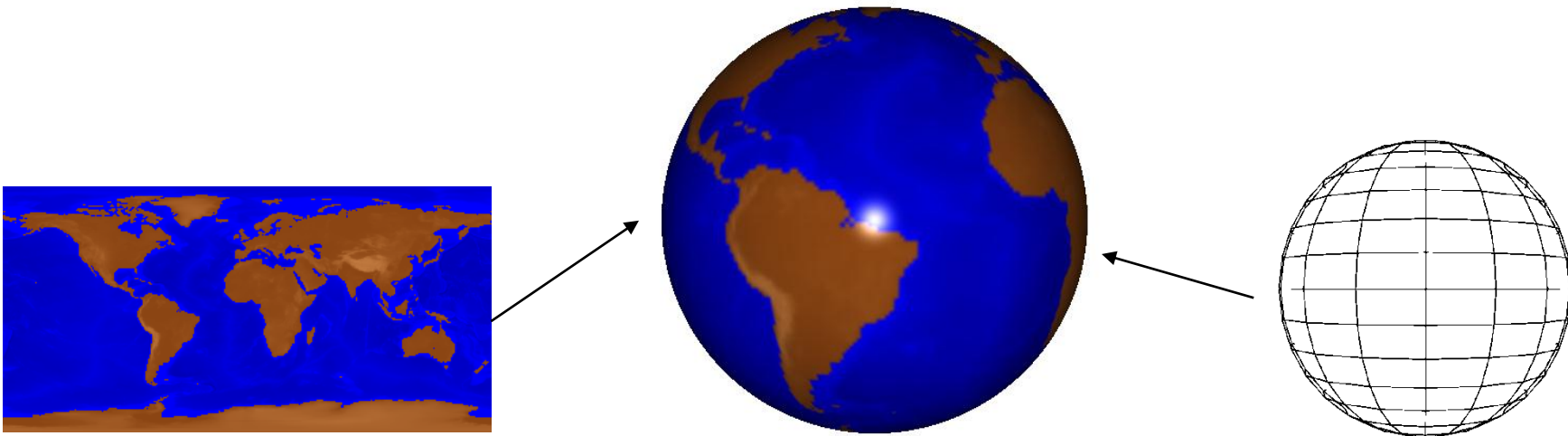
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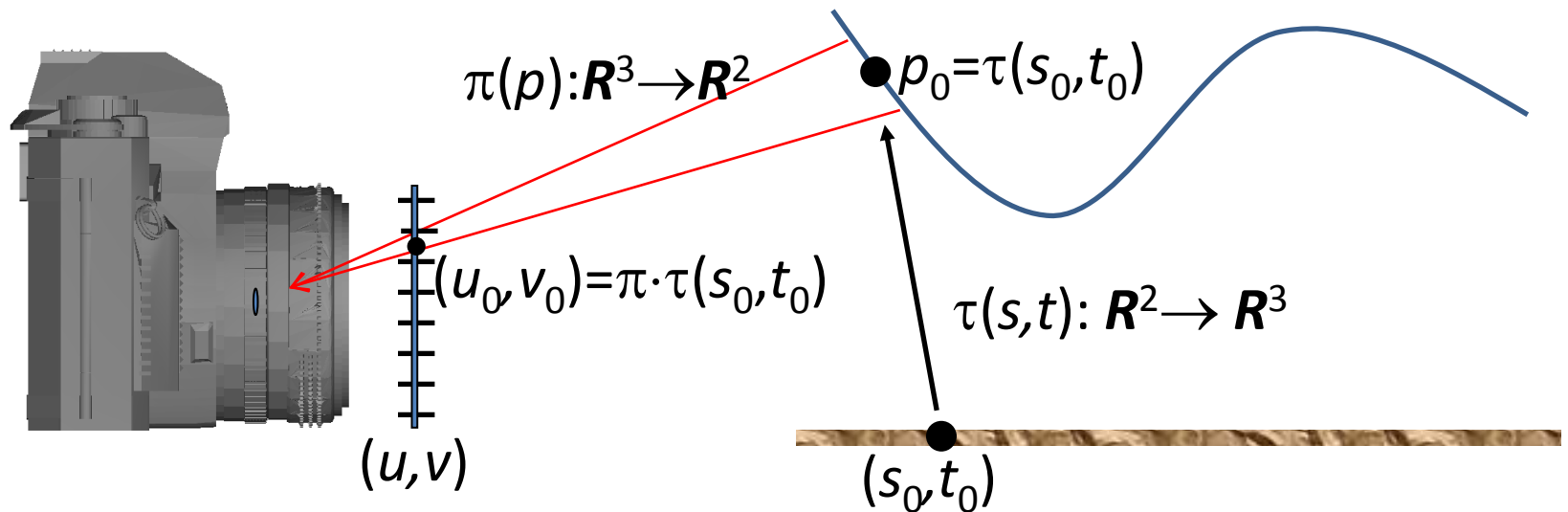
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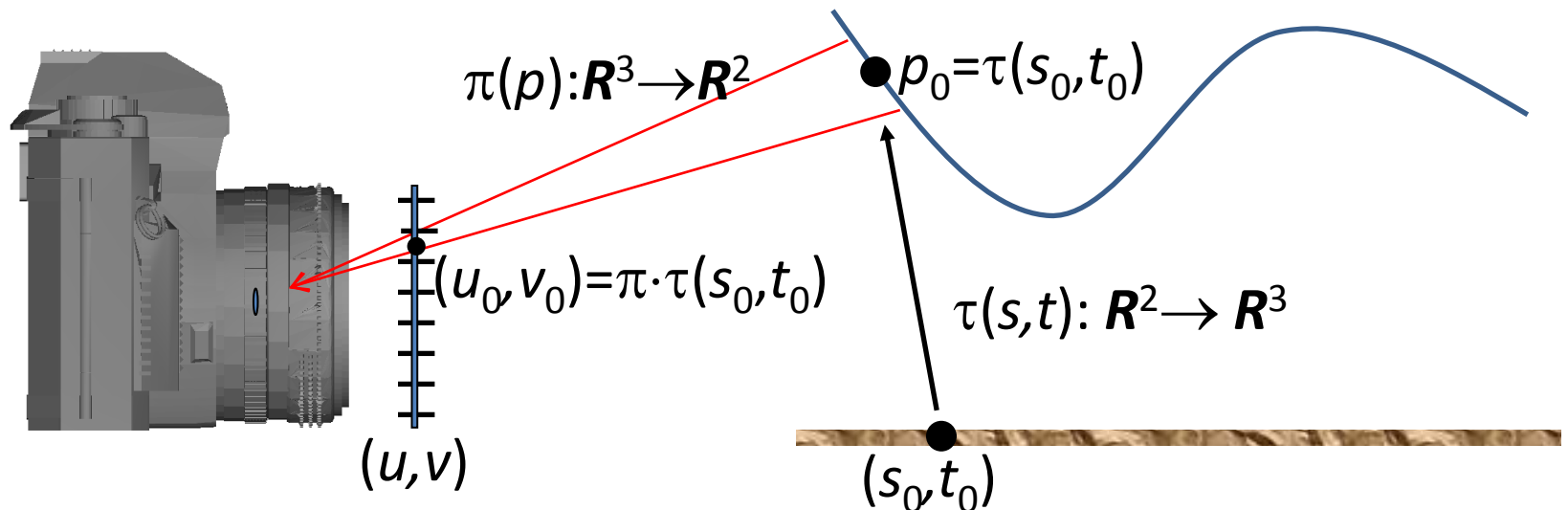


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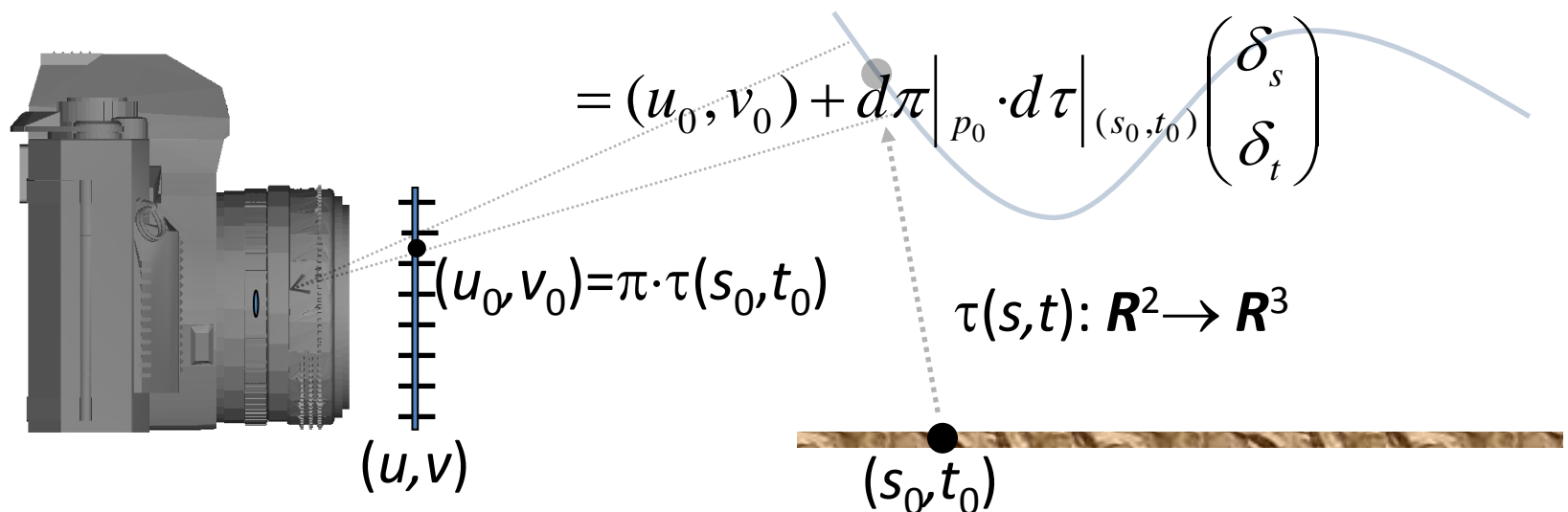


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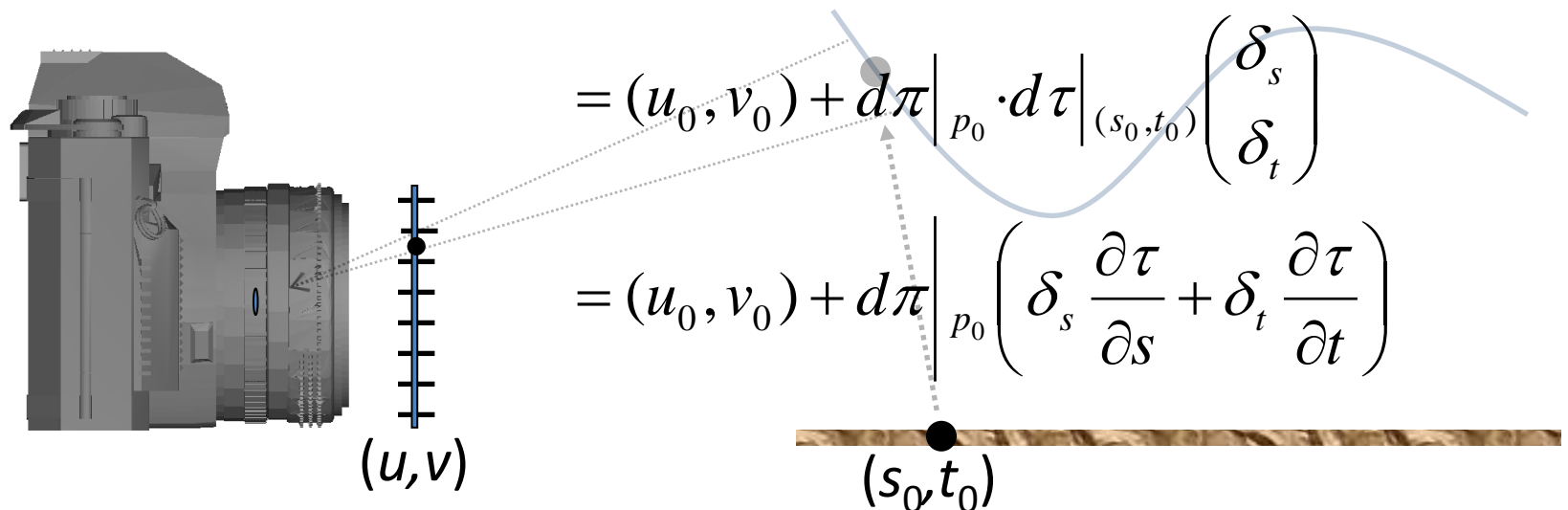


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since it tells us how texture changes as we move in the film-plane.

(u, v)

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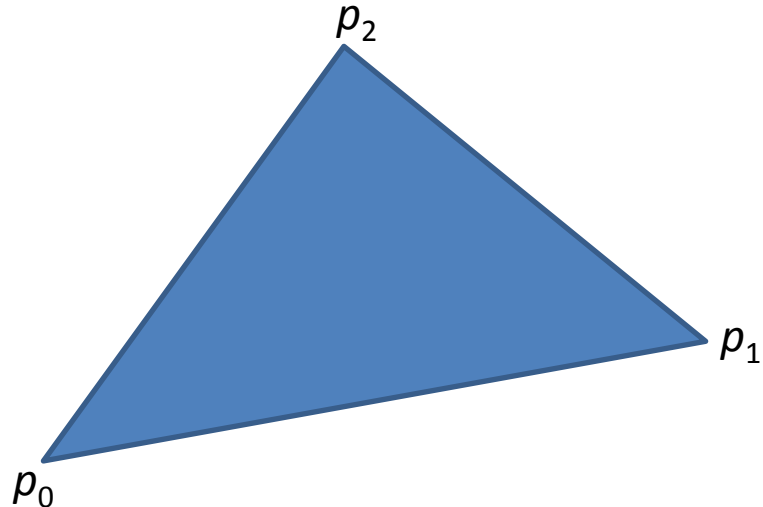
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This is good for anti-aliasing textures. To anti-alias textures reflected off the surface, we also need to know how the normals change on the reflecting surface.

Triangles

Described by three vertices:

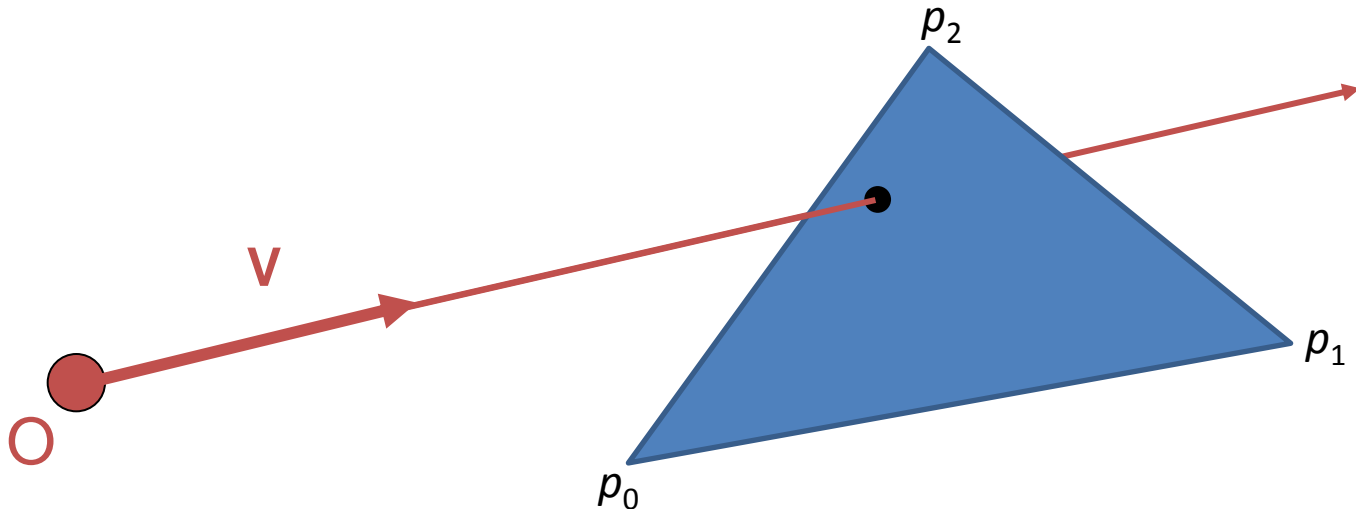
- Position: $\{p_i\}$
- Parameter values: $\{(u_i, v_i)\}$
- Normals: $\{n_i\}$



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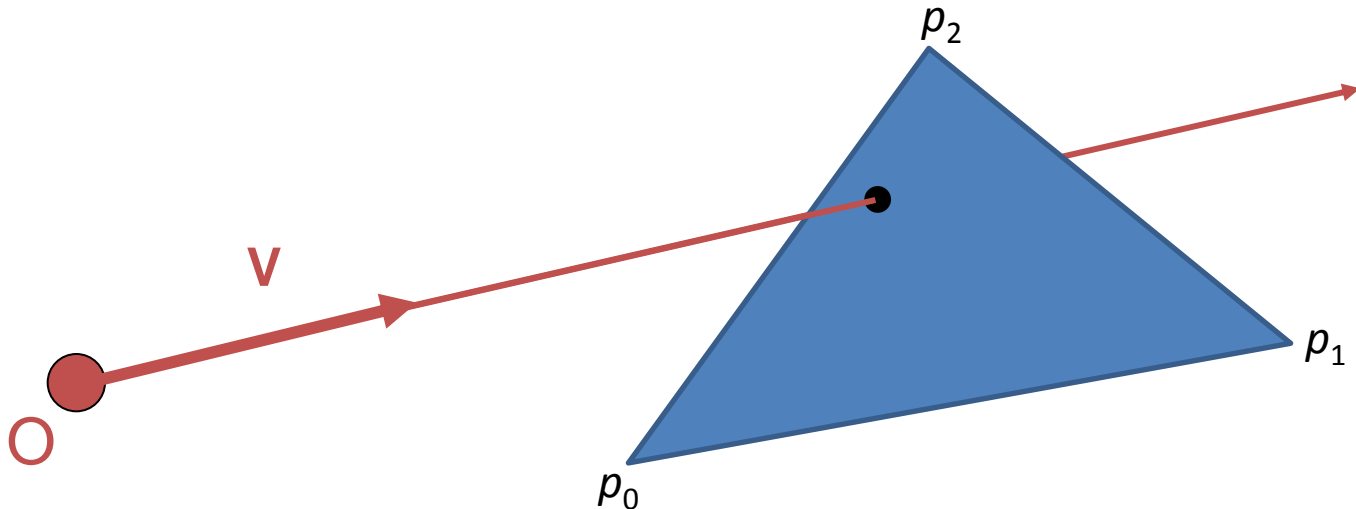


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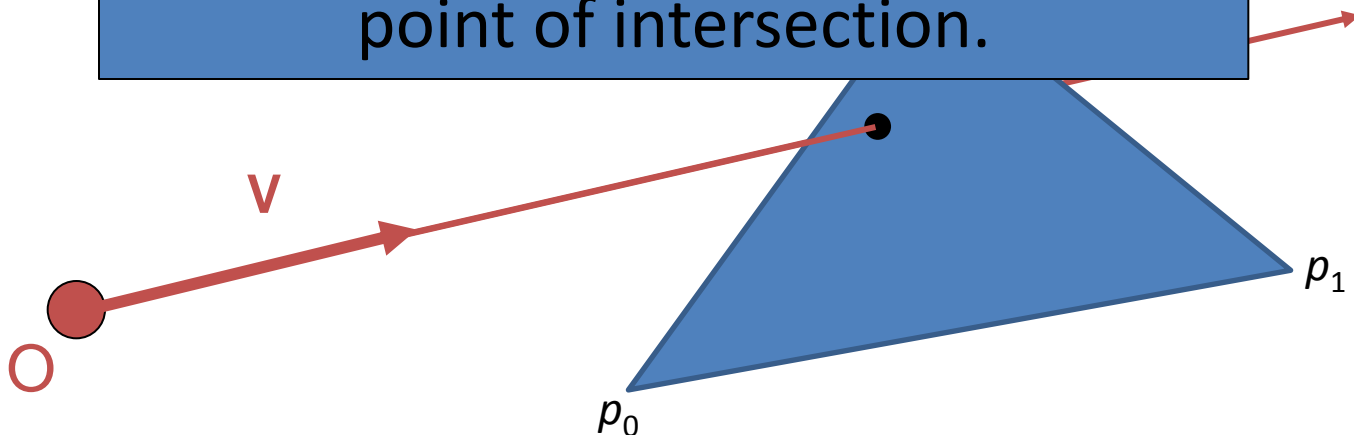
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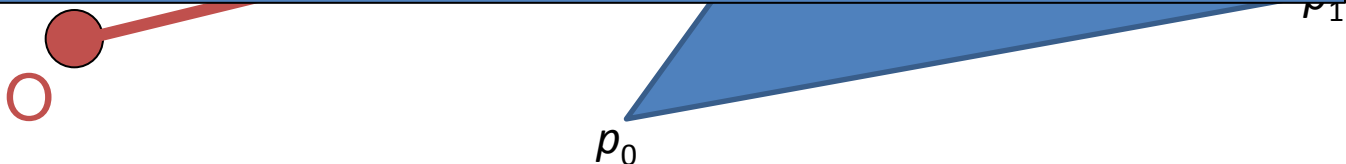
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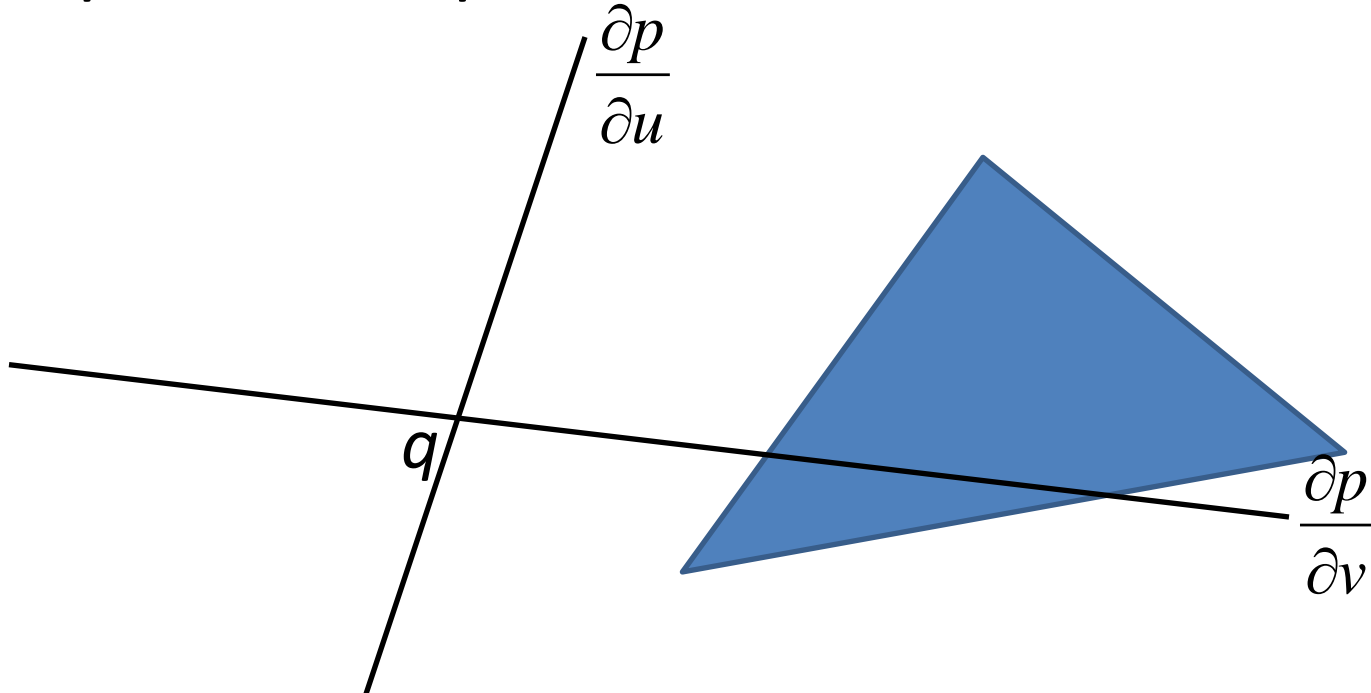


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We obtain the partials by solving:

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- The (shading) change in normal can be obtained by fitting a linear interpolant to the vertex normals and taking the derivative.

Subdivision Surfaces

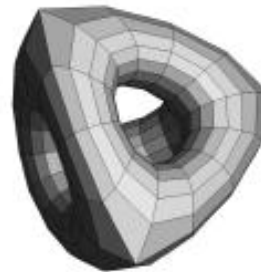
- Coarse mesh & subdivision rule
 - Define smooth surface as limit of sequence of refinements



(a)



(b)



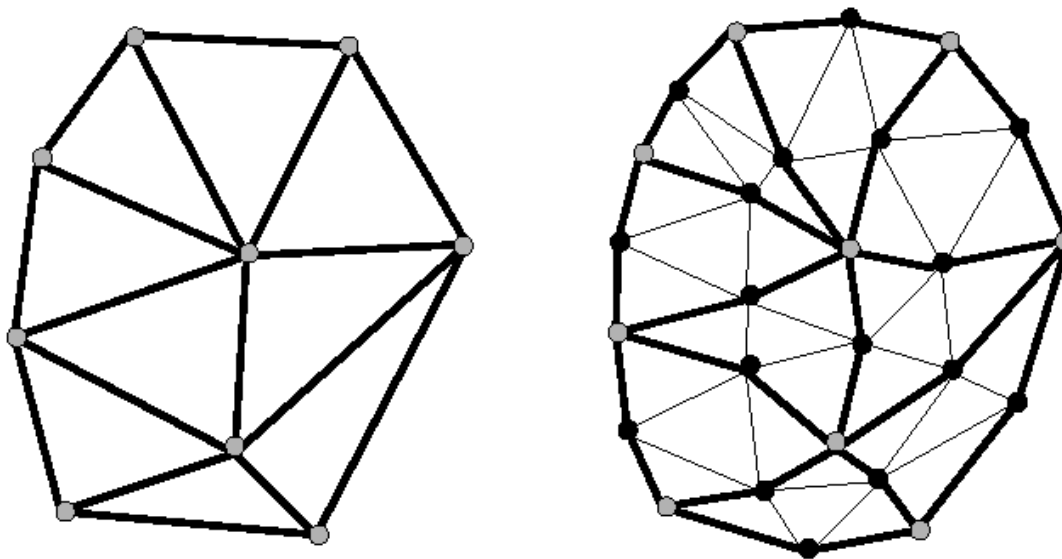
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(d)

Key Questions

- How to subdivide the mesh?
 - Aim for properties like smoothness



General Subdivision Scheme

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Two parts:

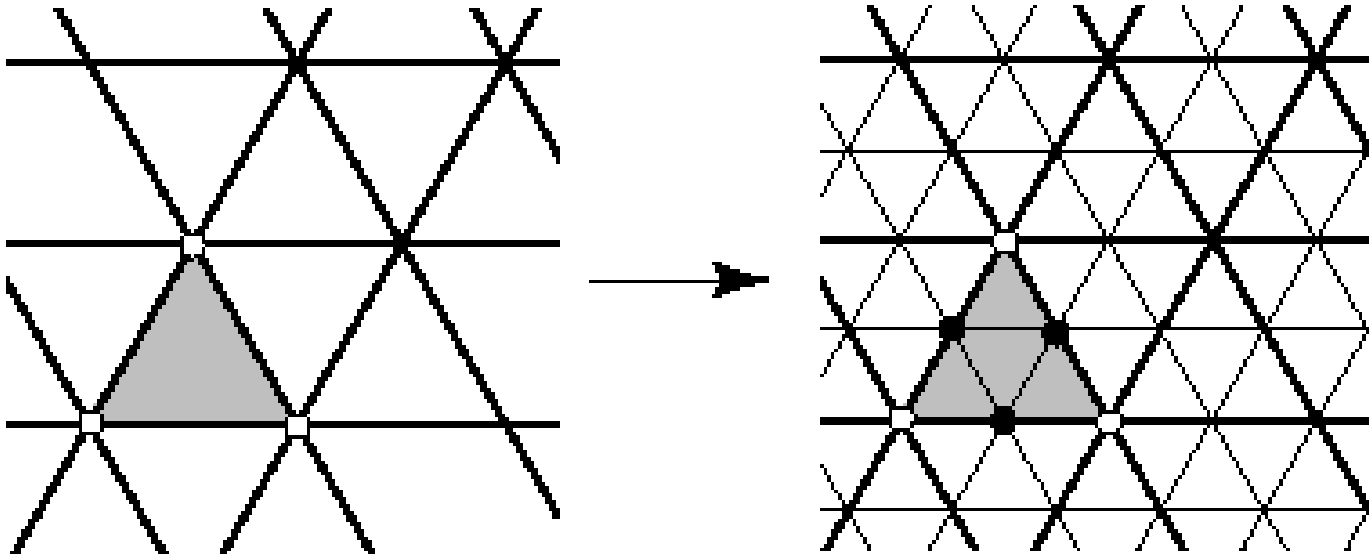
- Refinement:
 - Add new vertices and connect (topological)
- Smoothing:
 - Move vertex positions (geometric)

Loop Subdivision Scheme

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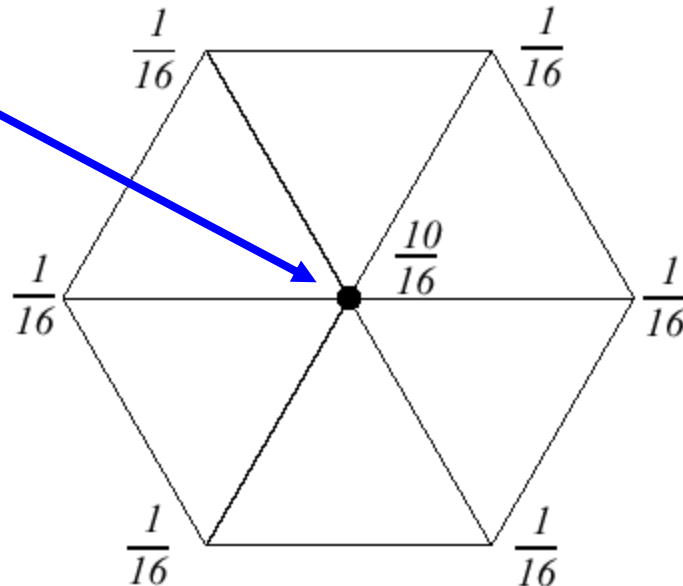
- Subdivide each triangle into 4 triangles by splitting each edge and connecting new vertices



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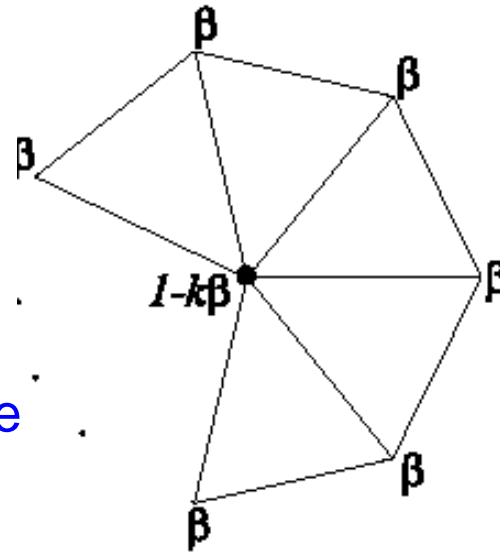
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Existing vertex being moved
from one level to the next



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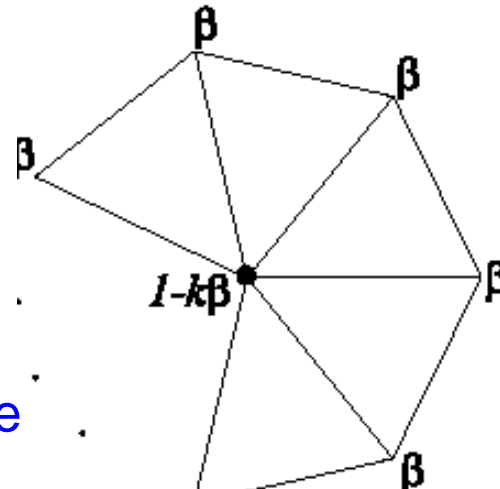


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$$\text{New_position} = (1 - k\beta)\text{original_position} + \text{sum}(\beta * \text{each_original_vertex})$$

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$0 \leq \beta \leq 1/k$:

- New
- As β increases, the contribution from adjacent vertices plays a more important role.
- vertex)

Where do existing vertices move?

- How to choose β ?
 - Analyze properties of limit surface
 - Interested in continuity of surface and smoothness
 - Involves calculating eigenvalues of matrices

- Original Loop

$$\beta = \frac{1}{k} \left(\frac{5}{8} - \left(\frac{3}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \cos \frac{2\pi}{k} \right)^2 \right)$$

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$$\beta = \begin{cases} \frac{3}{8k} & n > 3 \\ \frac{3}{16} & n = 3 \end{cases}$$

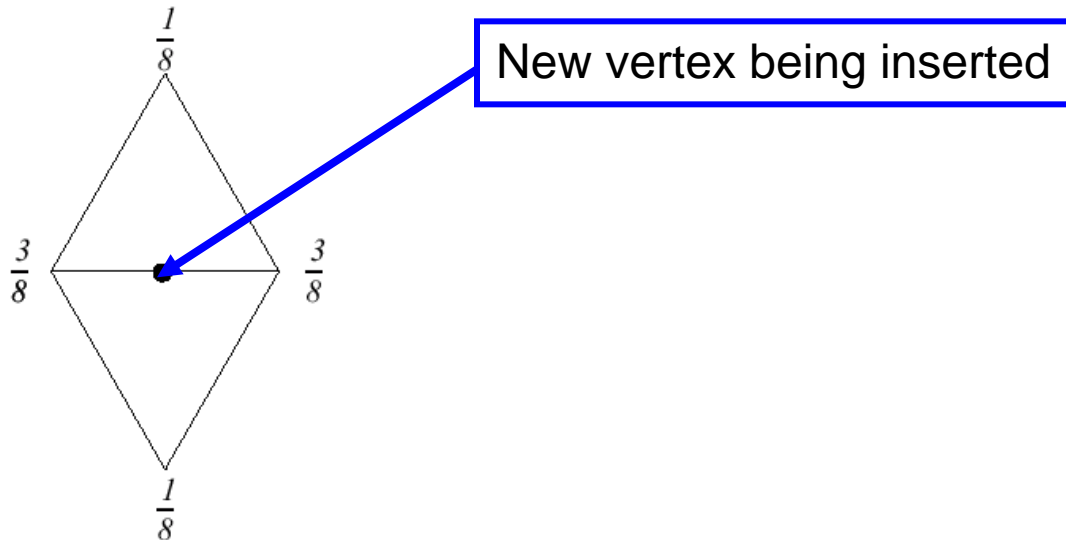
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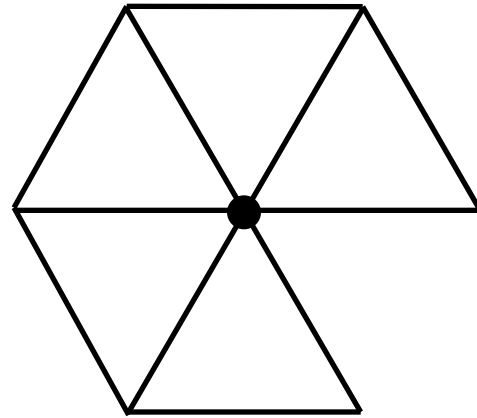
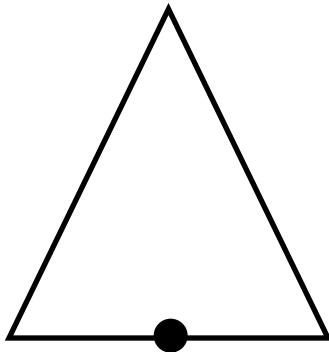
Smoothing:

- Inserted Vertices: Choose location as weighted average of *original* vertices in local neighborhood



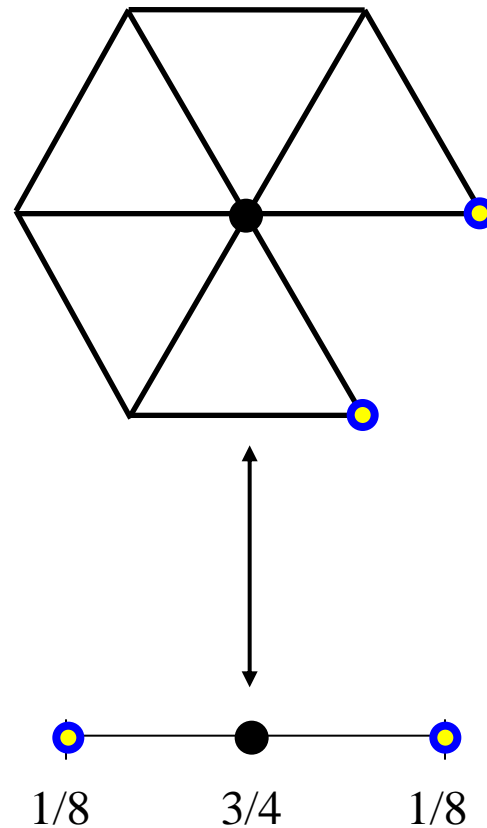
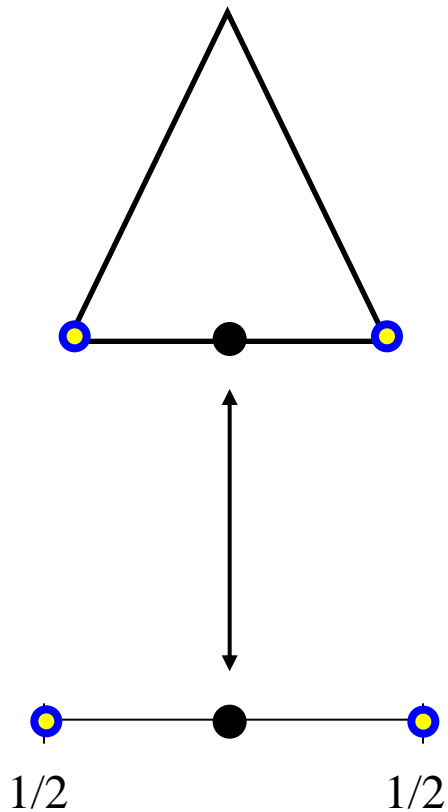
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 - Existing vertex adjacent to a missing triangle
 - New vertex bordered by only one triangle

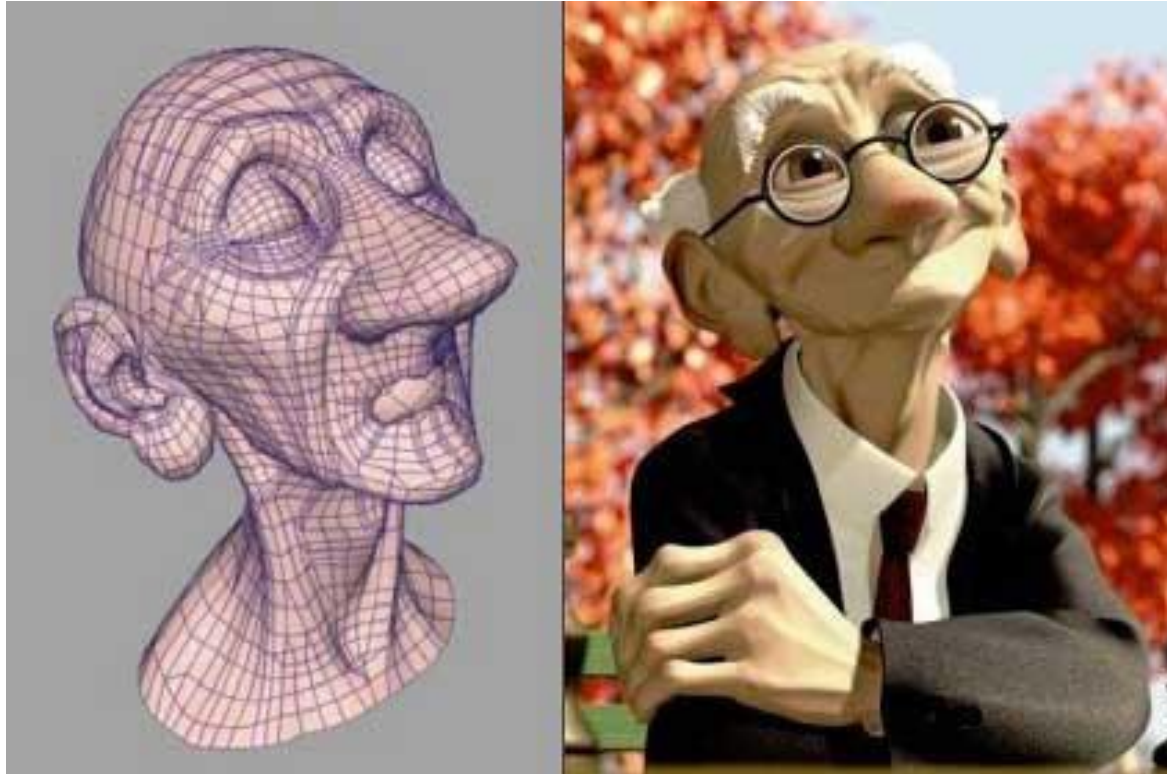


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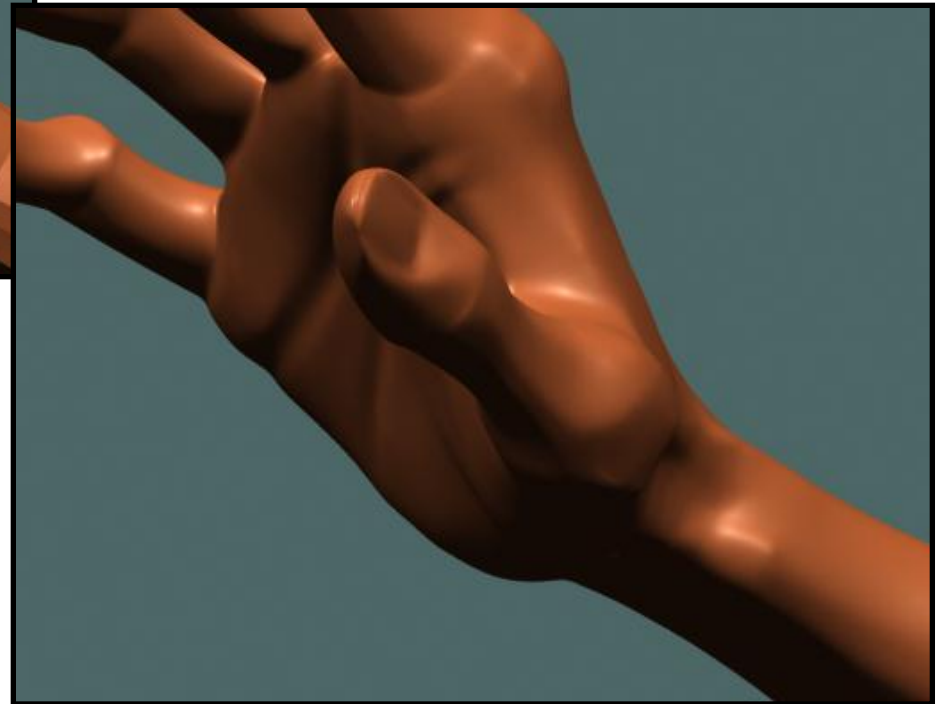


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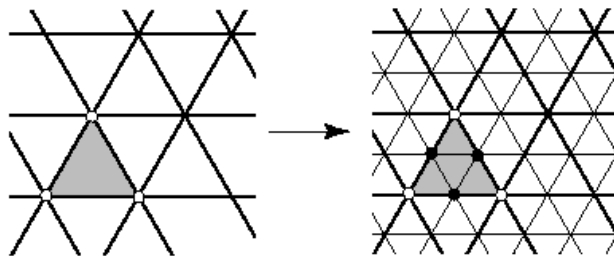
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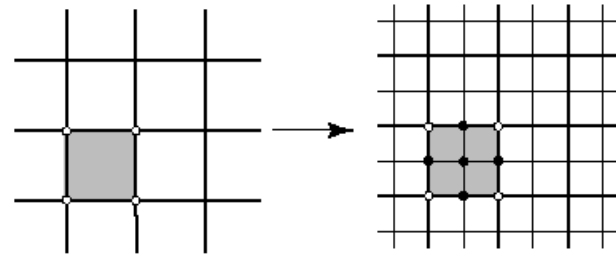


Subdivision Schemes

- There are different subdivision schemes
 - Different methods for refining topology
 - Different rules for positioning vertices



Face split for triangles

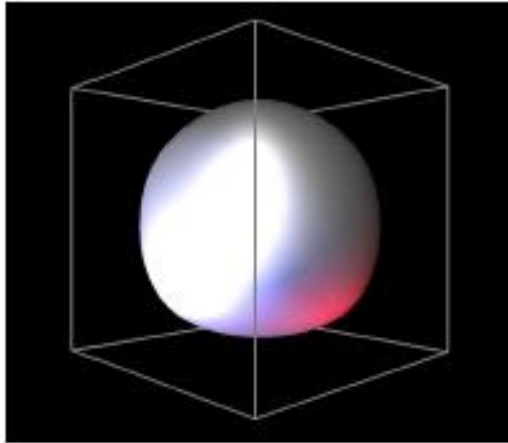


Face split for quads

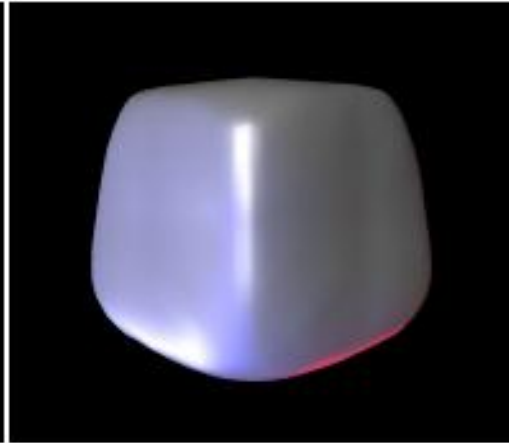
Face split		
	<i>Triangular meshes</i>	<i>Quad. meshes</i>
<i>Approximating</i>	Loop (C^2)	Catmull-Clark (C^2)
<i>Interpolating</i>	Mod. Butterfly (C^1)	Kobbelt (C^1)

Vertex split
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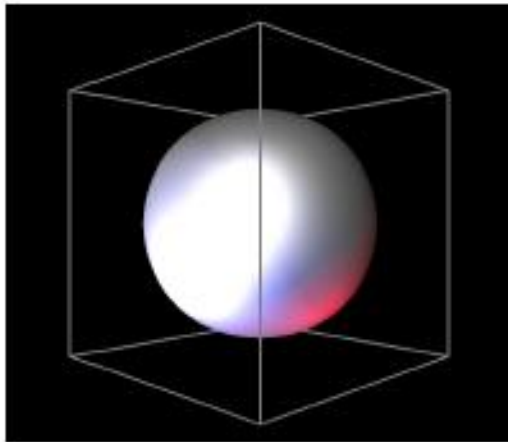
Subdivision Schemes



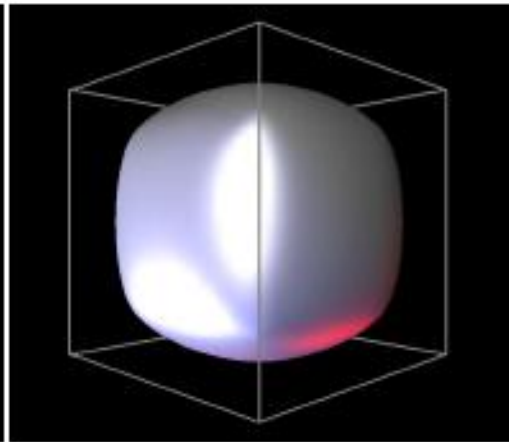
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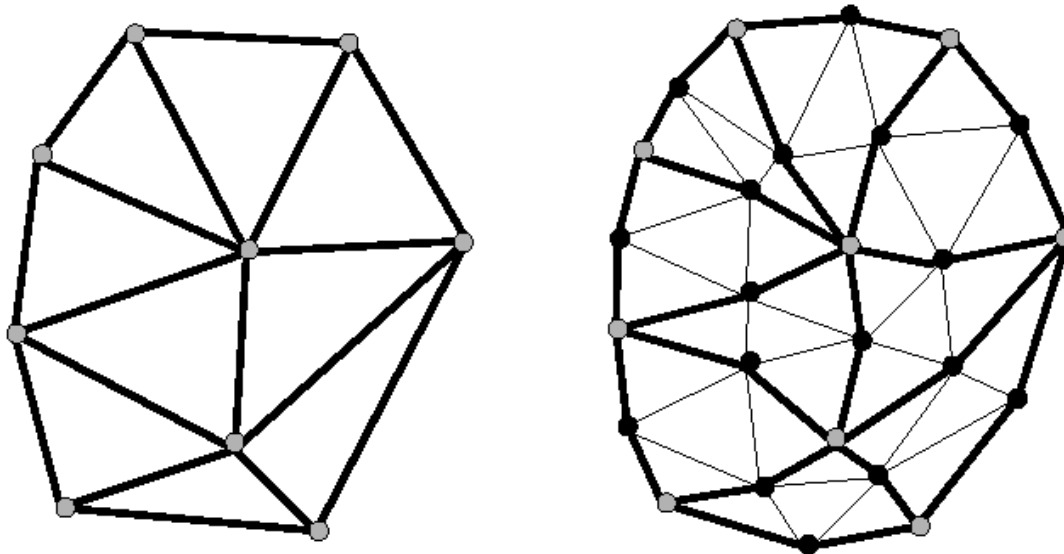
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Key Questions

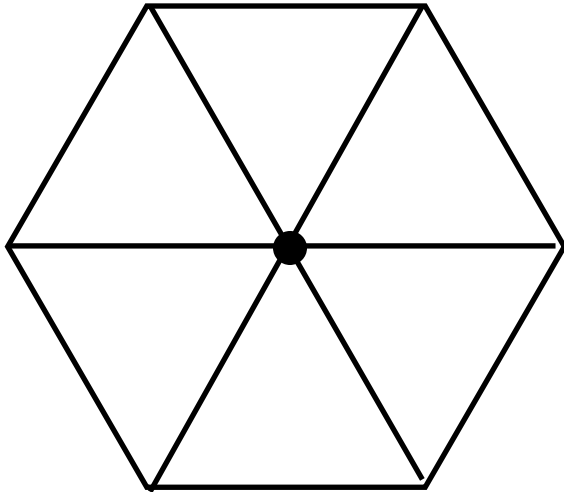
- How to refine the mesh?
 - **Aim for properties like smoothness**



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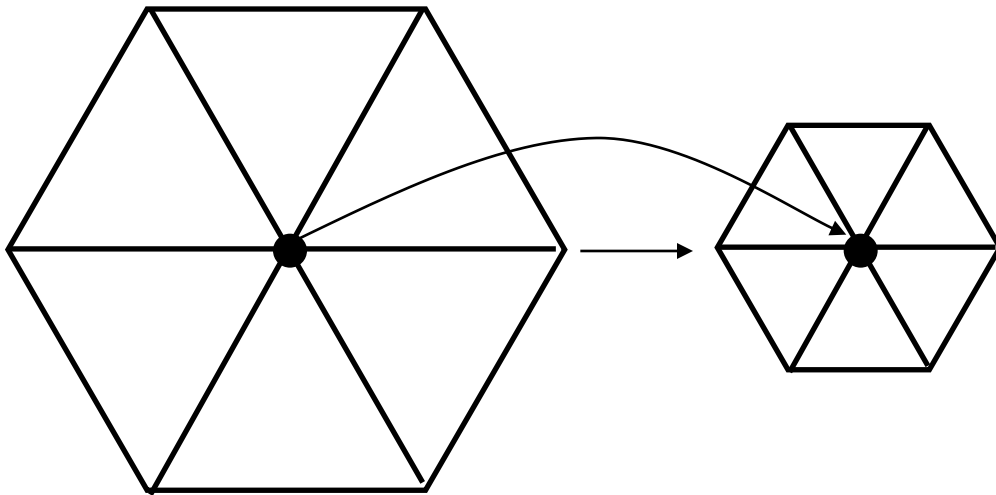
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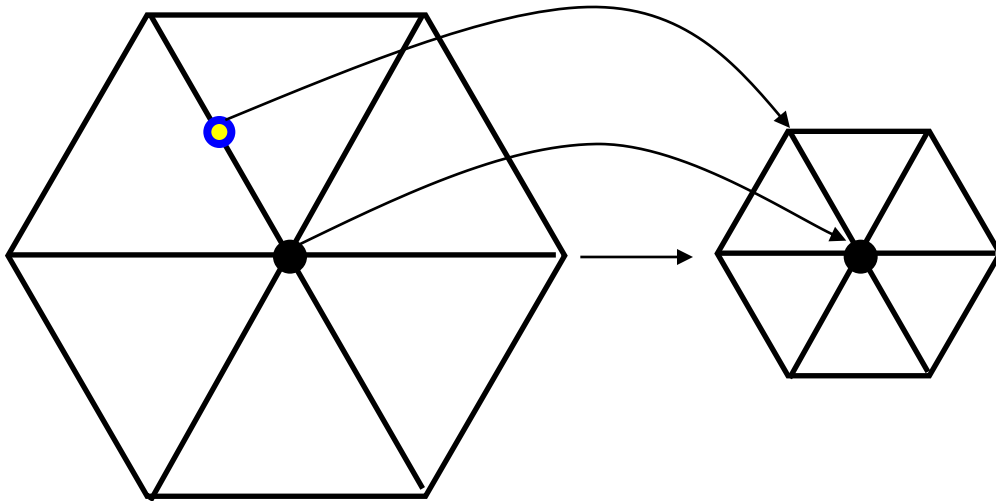
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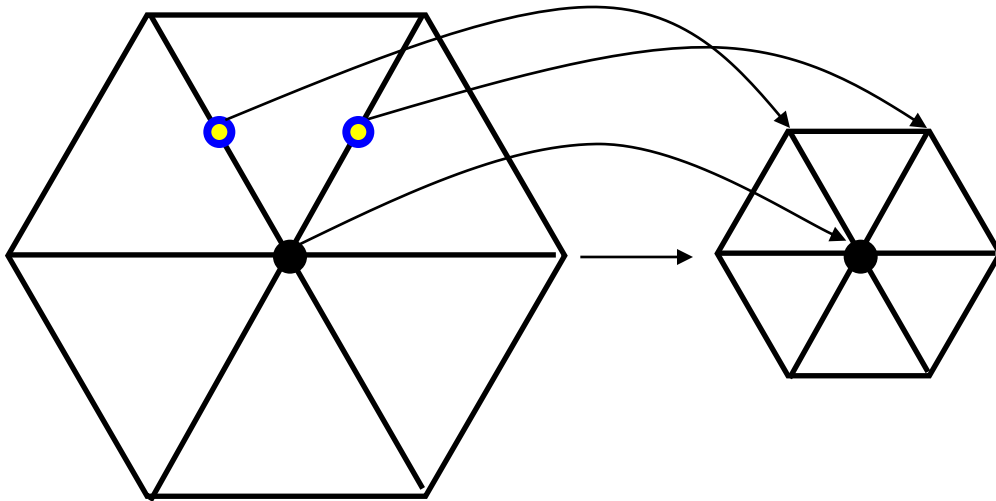
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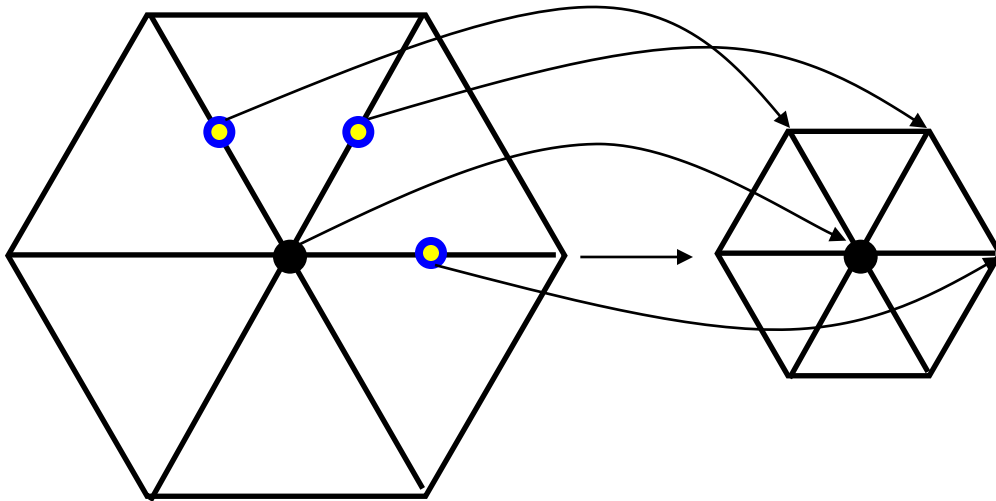
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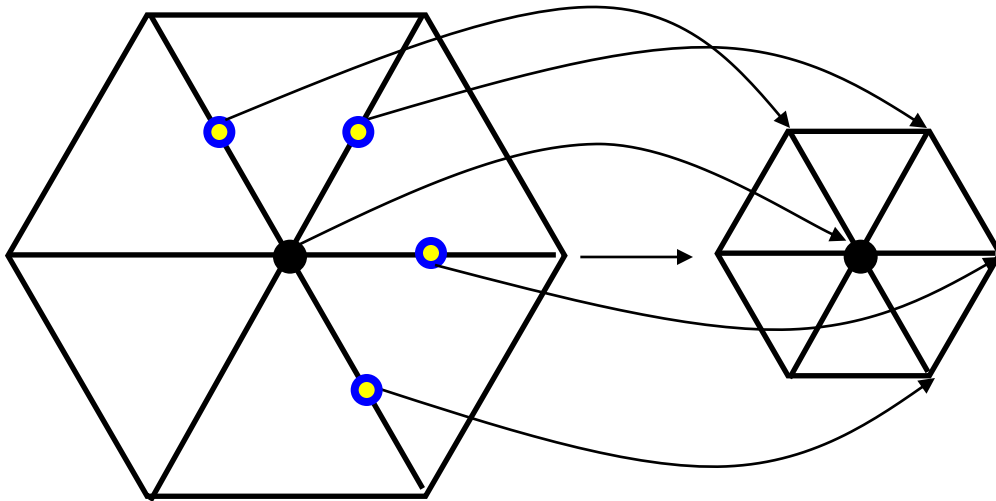
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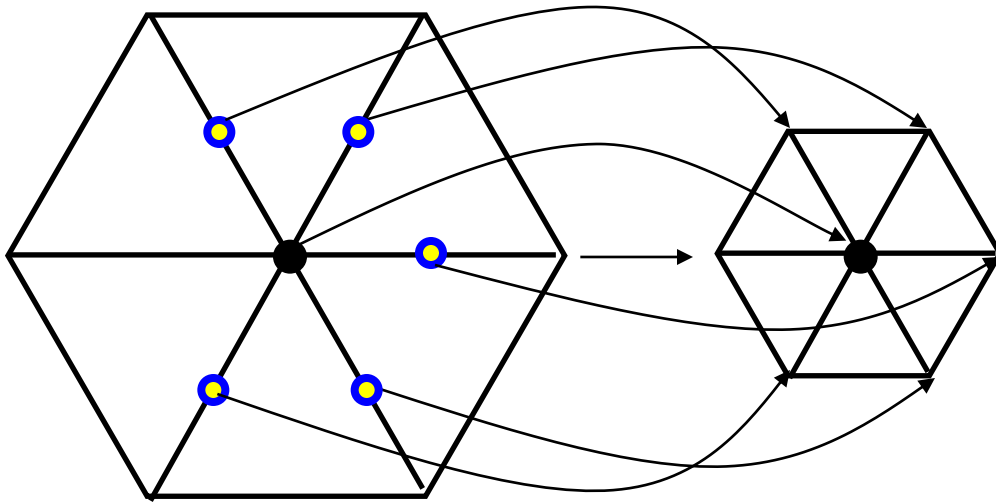
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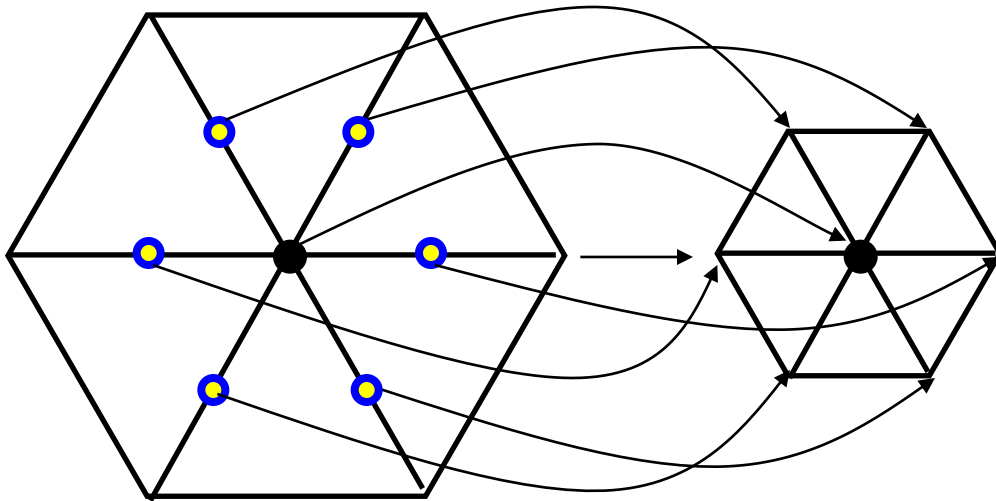
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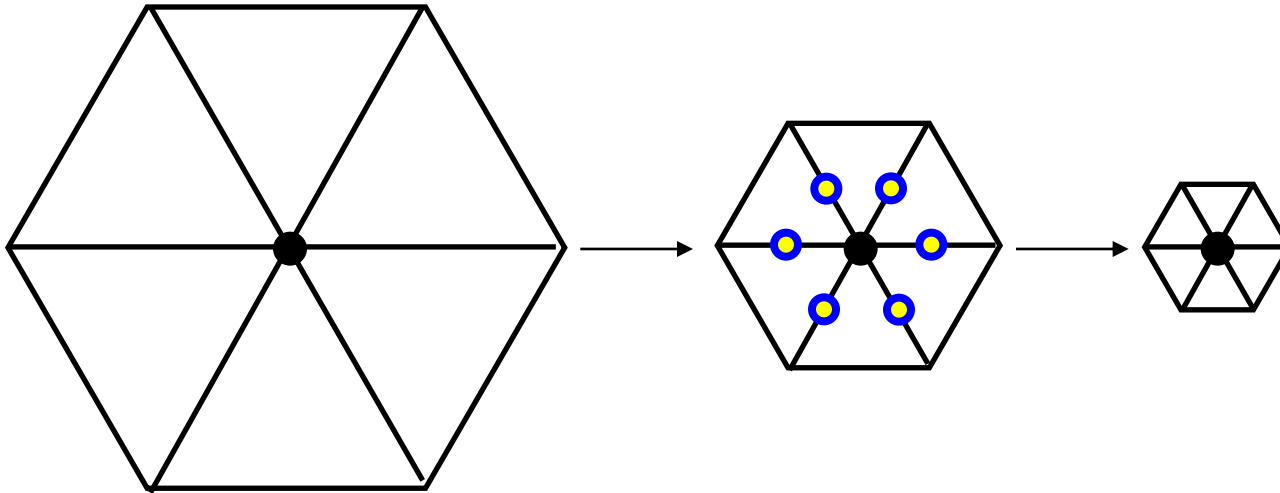
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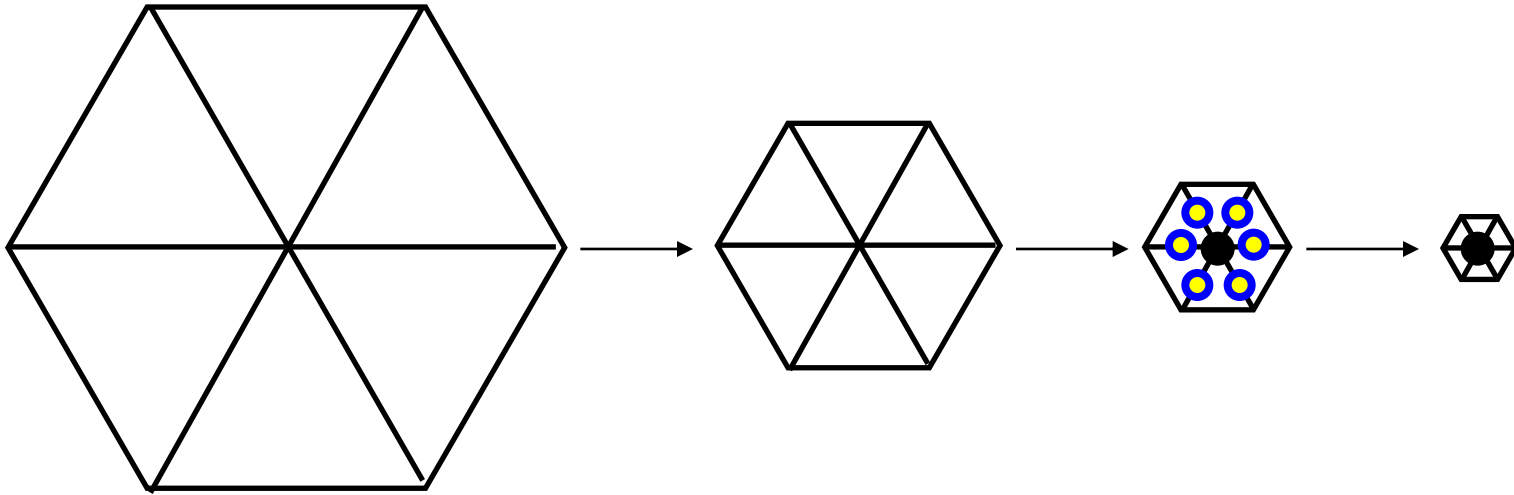
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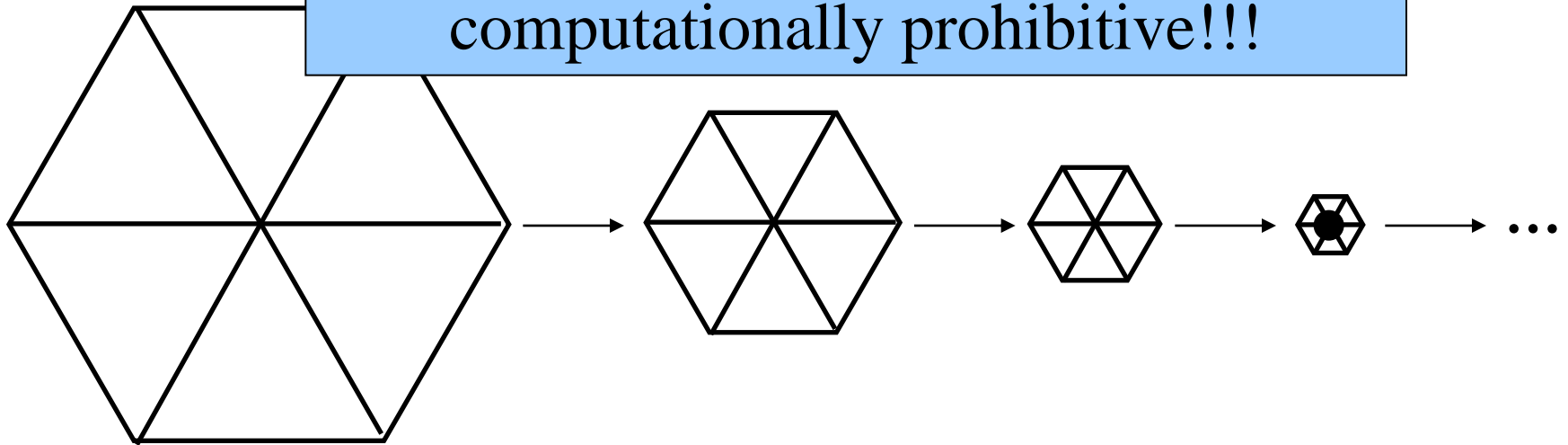


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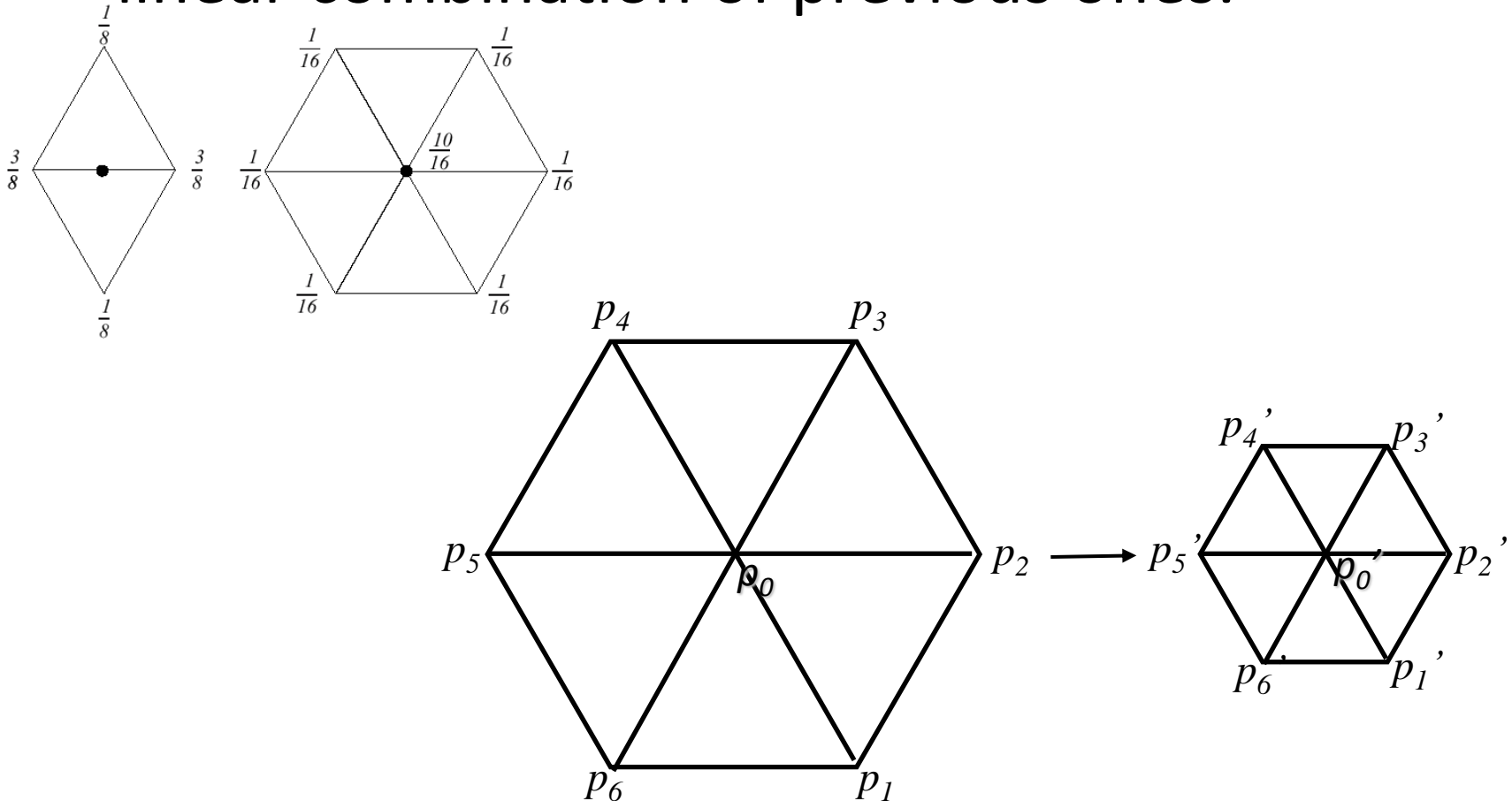
- Repeatedly apply the subdivision scheme
- Look at the limit surface

Computing infinitely many iterations is computationally prohibitive!!!



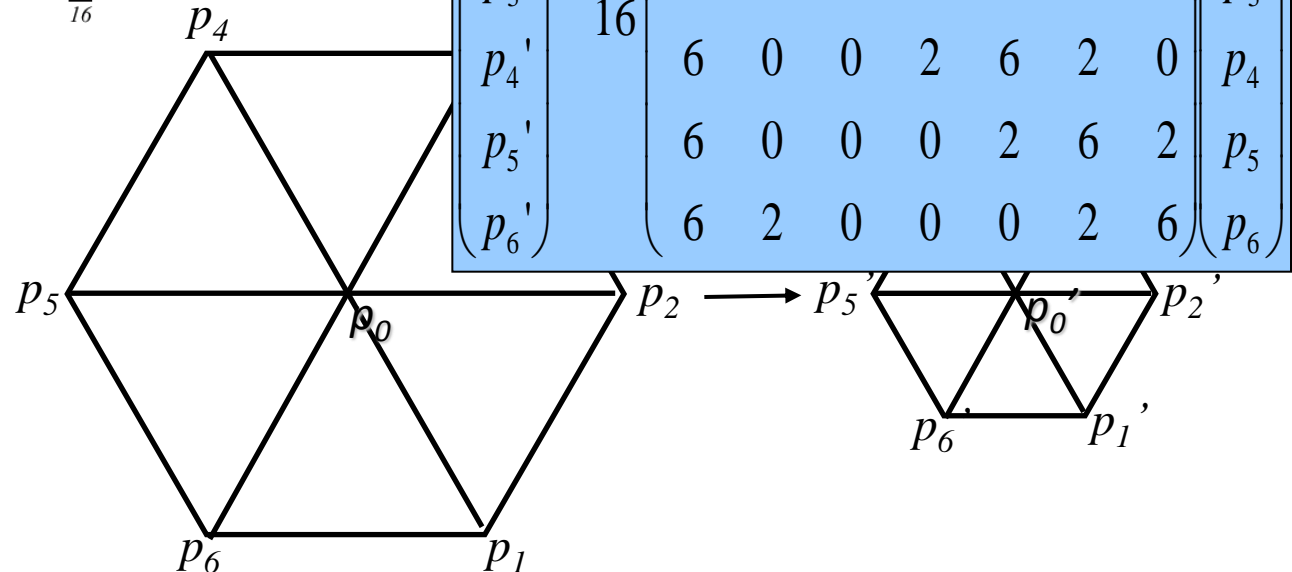
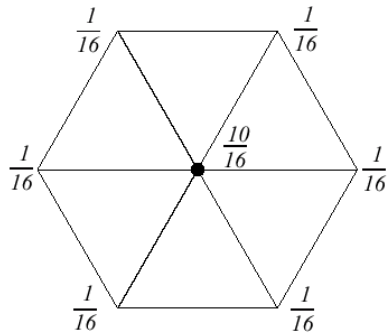
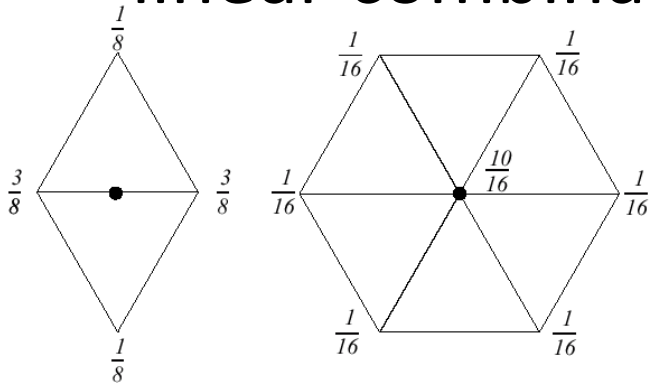
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- Compute the new positions/vertices as a linear combination of p



Subdivision Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} p_0' \\ p_1' \\ p_2' \\ p_3' \\ p_4' \\ p_5' \\ p_6' \end{pmatrix} = \frac{1}{16} \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 6 & 6 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 6 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 0 & 2 & 6 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 6 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 6 & 2 & 0 \\ 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 6 & 2 \\ 6 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 2 & 6 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \\ p_4 \\ p_5 \\ p_6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Subdivision Matrix

- Compute the new positions/vertices as a linear combination of previous ones.
- To find the limit position of p_0 , repeatedly apply the subdivision matrix.

$$\begin{pmatrix} p_0^{(n)} \\ p_1^{(n)} \\ p_2^{(n)} \\ p_3^{(n)} \\ p_4^{(n)} \\ p_5^{(n)} \\ p_6^{(n)} \end{pmatrix} = \left[\frac{1}{16} \begin{pmatrix} 10 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 2 & 2 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 2 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 6 & 2 & 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 2 & 6 & 0 \\ 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 2 & 6 \\ 2 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \right]^n \begin{pmatrix} p_0 \\ p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \\ p_4 \\ p_5 \\ p_6 \end{pmatrix}$$

Subdivision Matrix

- Compute the new positions/vertices as a linear combination of previous ones.
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- Use eigen-value decomposition to compute the n^{th} power of the matrix efficiently.

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Subdivision Matrix

- Compute the new positions/vertices as a linear combination of previous ones.
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- Use eigen-value $\begin{pmatrix} p_0^{(n)} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}^n \begin{pmatrix} p_0 \end{pmatrix}$

If, after a change of basis we have $M=A^{-1}DA$, where D is a diagonal matrix, then:

$$M^n=A^{-1}D^nA,$$

Since D is diagonal, raising D to the n -th power just amounts to raising each of the diagonal entries of D to the n -th power.