

BendSketch: Modeling Freeform Surfaces Through 2D Sketching

通过绘制平面草图创造三维自由形状

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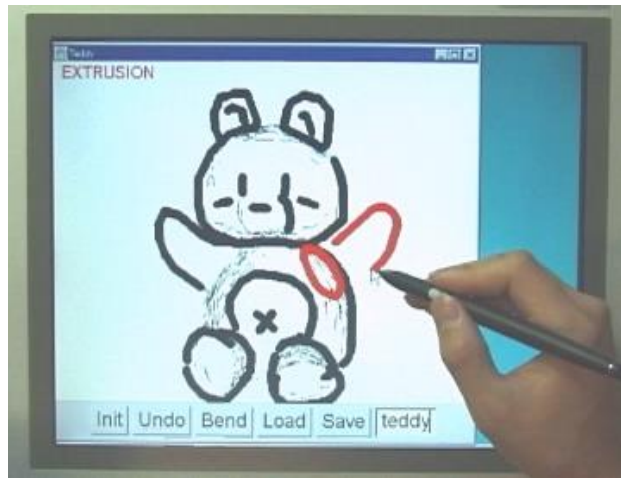


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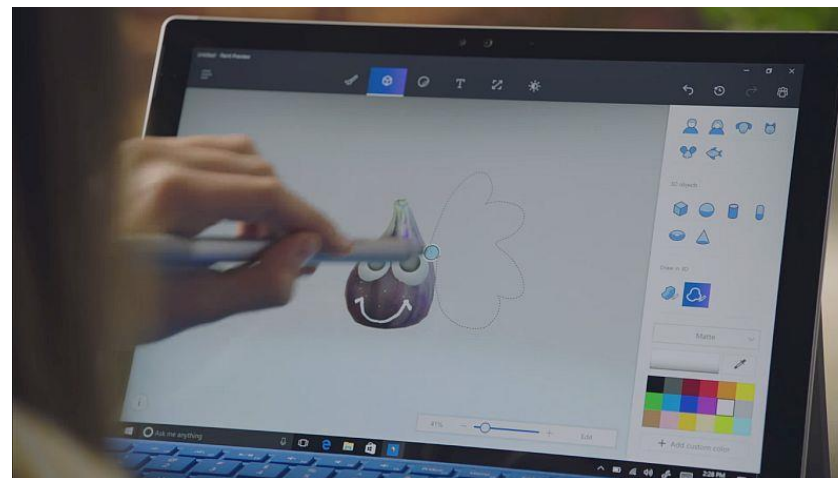


Sketch-based 3D Modeling

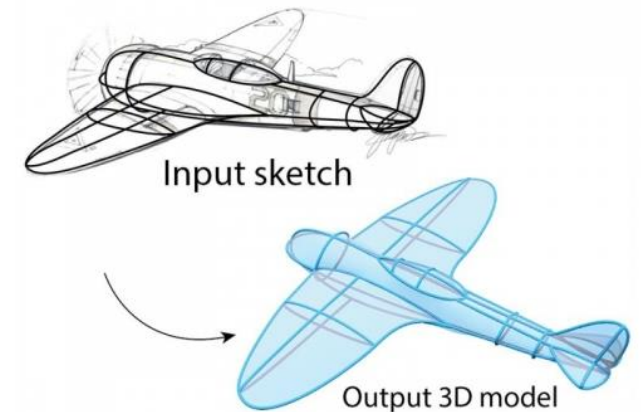
- Sketch modeling: *intuitive and effective*



Teddy [Igarashi et al. 1999]



Paint 3D [Microsoft Corp.]



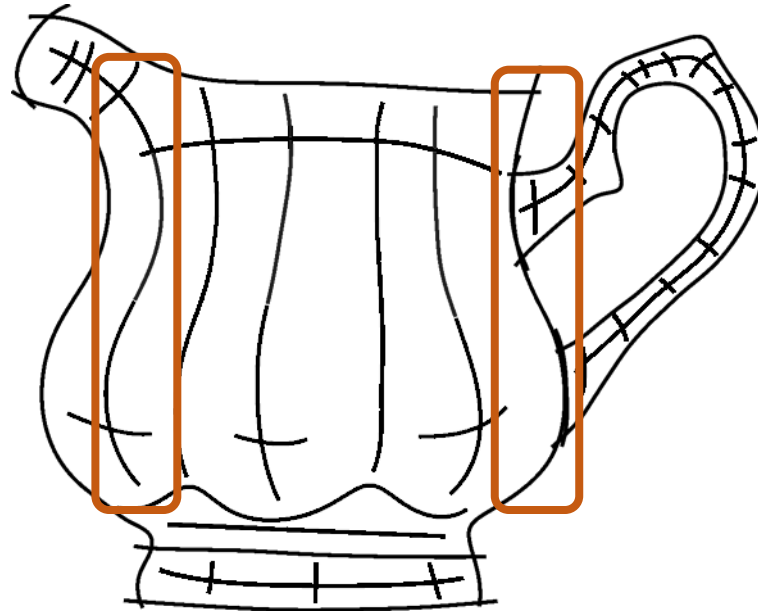
True2Form [Xu et al. 2014]

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2D sketching

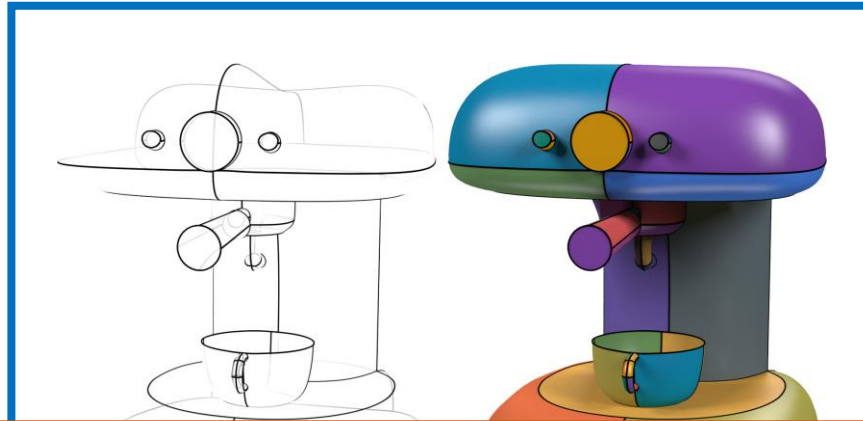


3D shape

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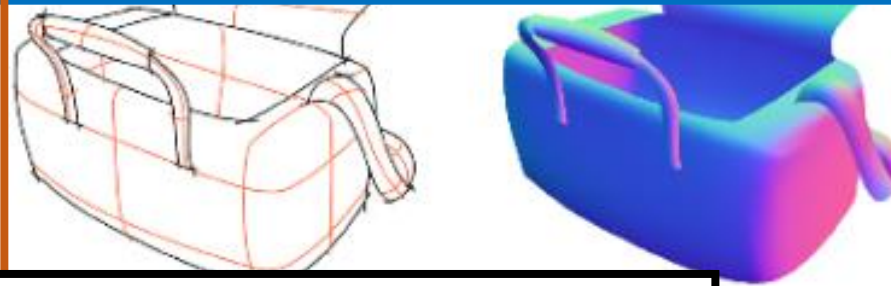
Origin of Idea

Two very similar ideas presented in 2015.



Fitting normal vectors to 2D projected curves with the normal vectors

Fitting surface to 3D curve networks, with the surface curvature aligned to the curves.

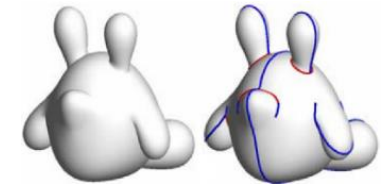


Combine the two, and model curvature controlled 3D surfaces directly from 2D sketching.

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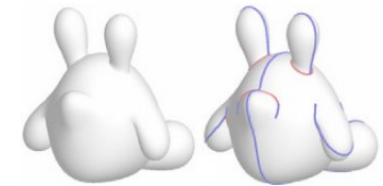


[Nealen et al. 2007]

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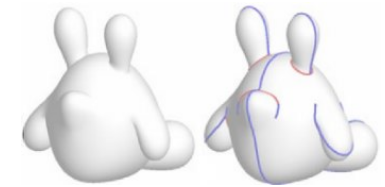


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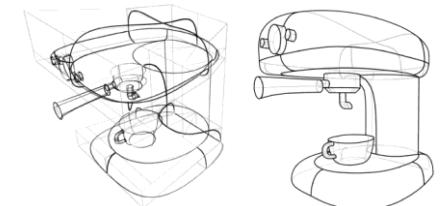
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Surfacing from curve networks

- Man-made shapes [Schmidt et al. 2009; Xu et al. 2014; Bessmeltsev et al. 2012; Pan et al. 2015; Zhuang et al. 2013 ...]
 - High-regularity and low curvature variation



[Schmidt et al. 2009]

Related Work

Domain specific methods

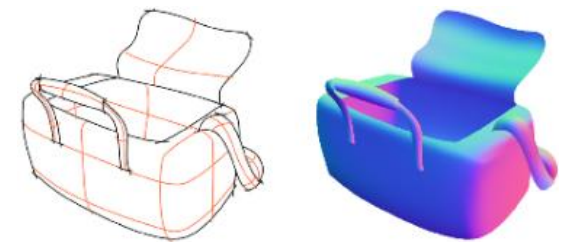
- Layered surfaces, developable surfaces... [Bessmeltsev et al. 2015; Jung et al. 2015; De Paolo and Singh 2015 ...]
 - Uneasy to generalize



[Paolo et al. 2015]

Normal from sketches

- Infer normal from 2D sketches [Sykora et al. 2014; Shao et al. 2012; Xu et al. 2014; Bui et al. 2015; Iarussi et al. 2015]
 - Inaccurate to recover shape



[Iarussi et al. 2015]

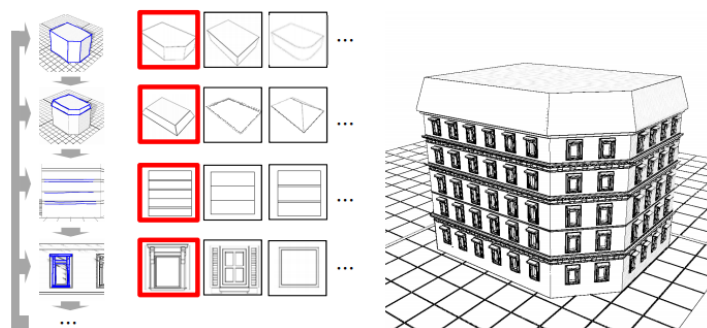
Related Work

Data-driven methods

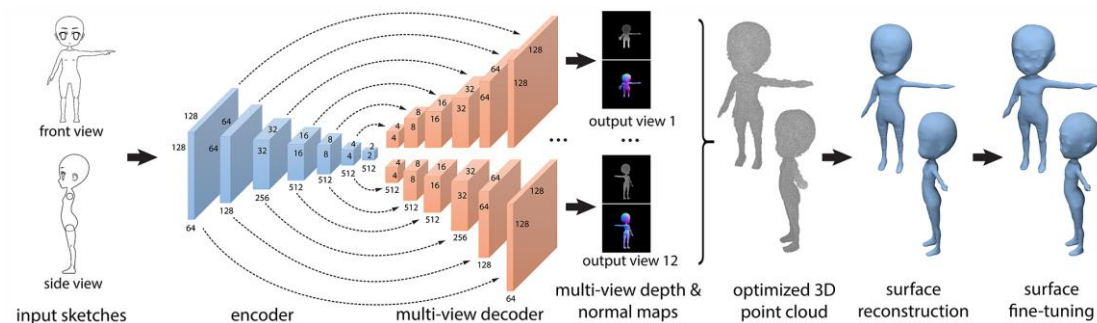
- Retrieve shape or map sketch to 3D shape [Xu et al. 2013; Xie et al. 2013, Huang et al. 2016; Nishida et al. 2016]
 - Limited by dataset diversity
 - Model class-specific shapes



[Xu et al. 2013]



[Nishida et al. 2016]



[Lun et al. 2017]

Bending Lines

Bending lines convey surface bending directions [Eissen and Steur 2011]



Concept Design
[Eissen and Steur 2011]

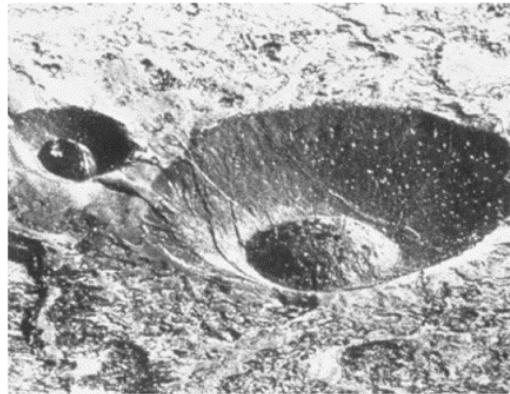


NPR rendering
[Hertzmann and Zorin 2000]

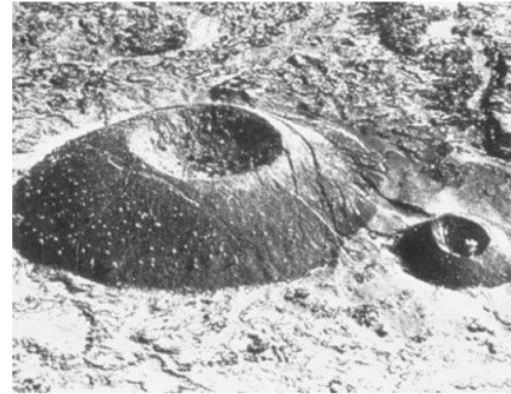
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Infer 3D surface from sketched bending curves

- Technical challenges:
 - Bas-relief ambiguity: *convex/concave*



Crater? [Pentland 84]

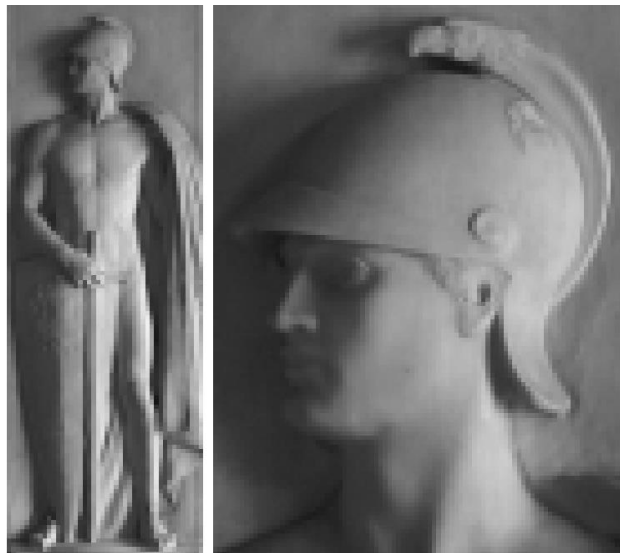


Ash cone [Pentland 84]

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Frontal view



Side view

[Belhumeur et al 99]

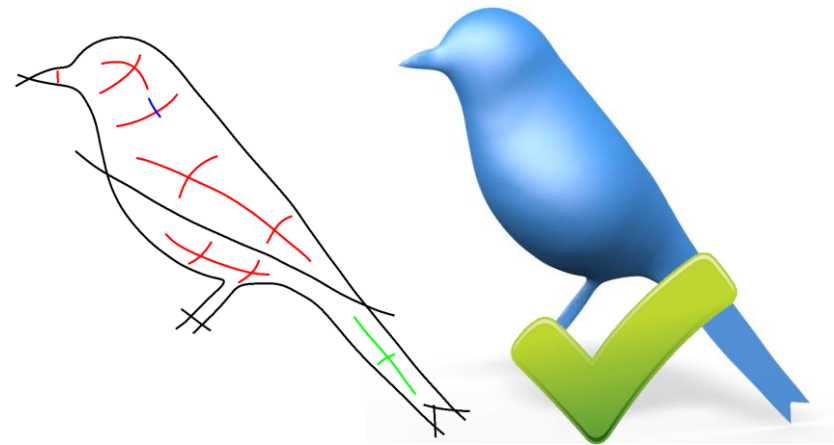
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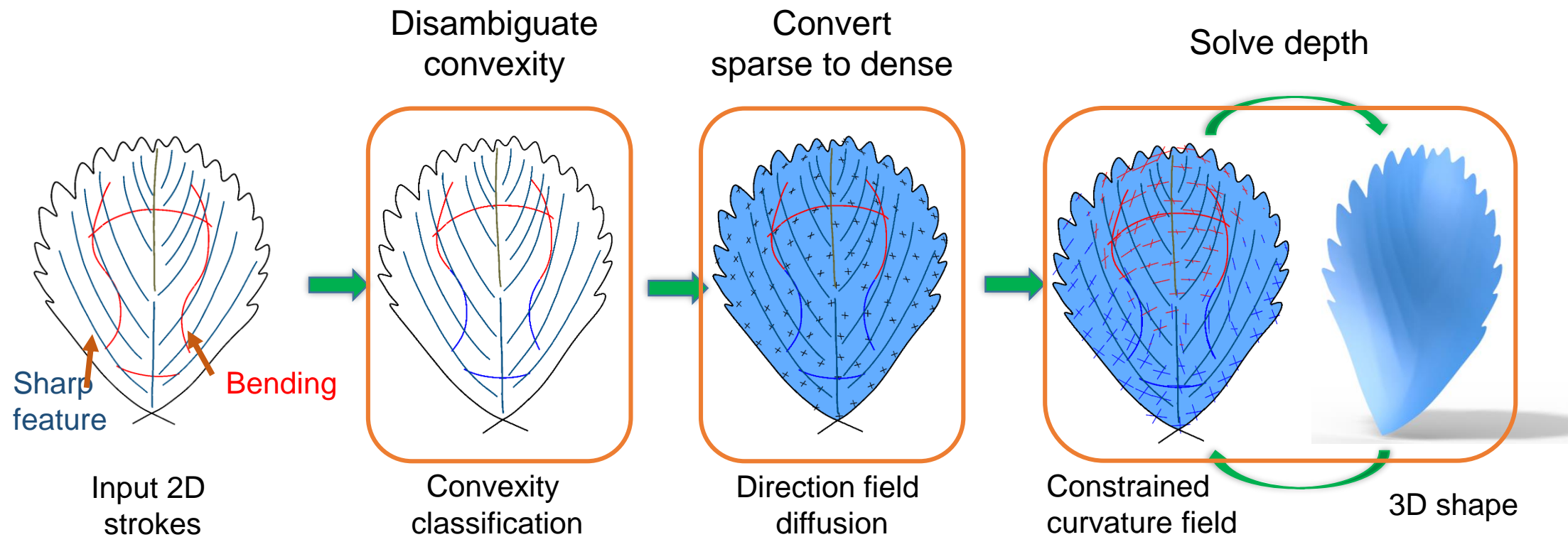


Dense lines



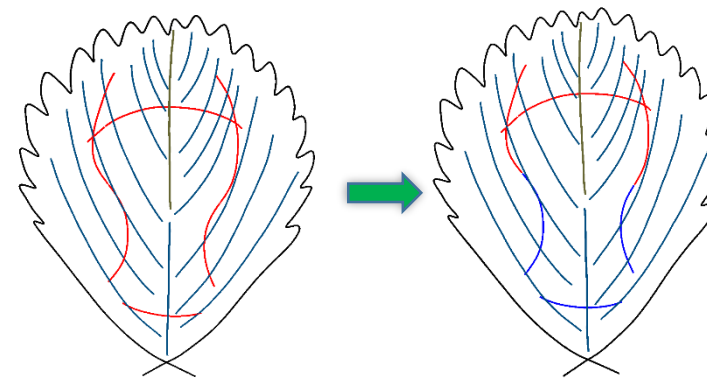
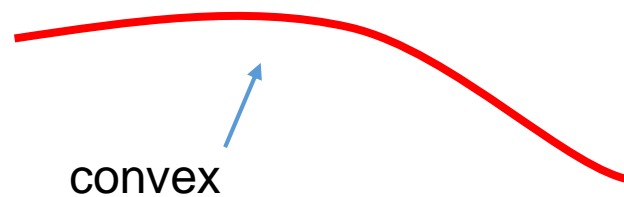
Sparse strokes, about 10

Overview of Our Solution



Our Solution

- *Convexity*: stroke classification
 - Observations
 - Convex - single stroke

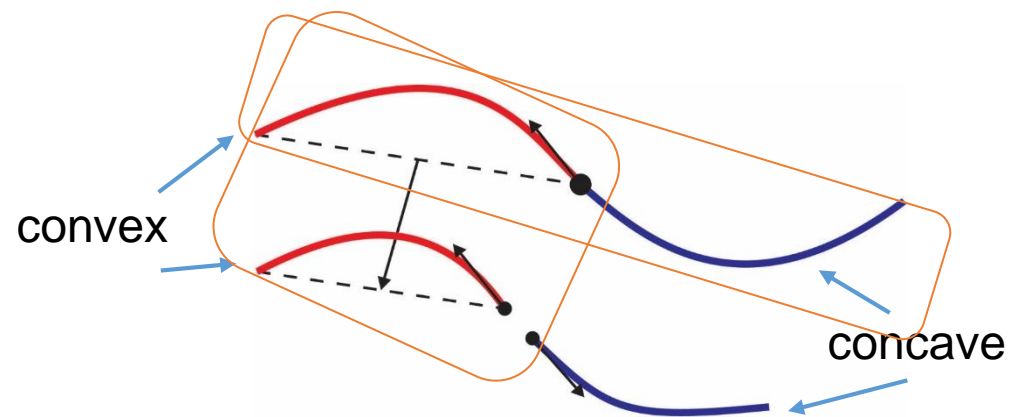
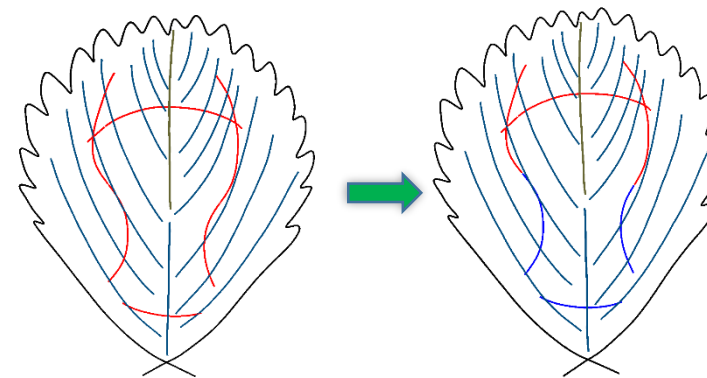


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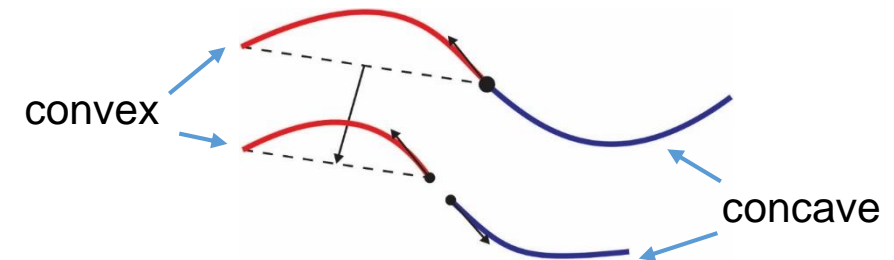
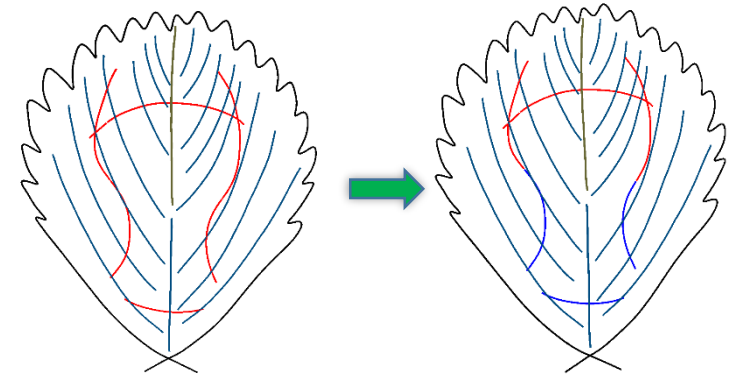
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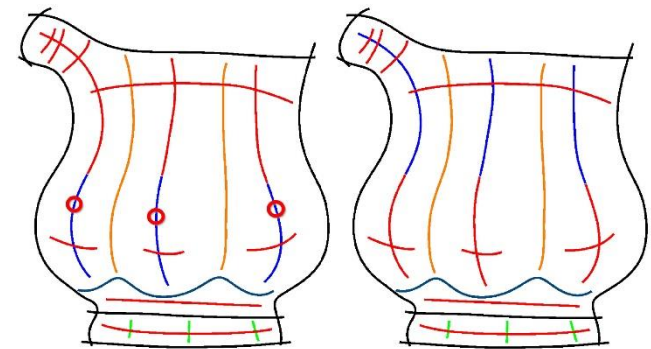
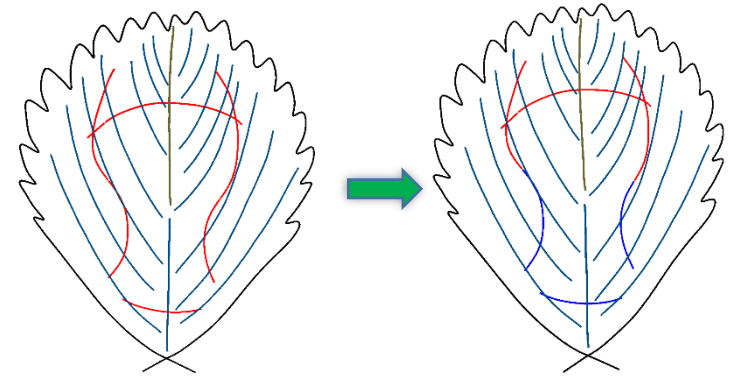


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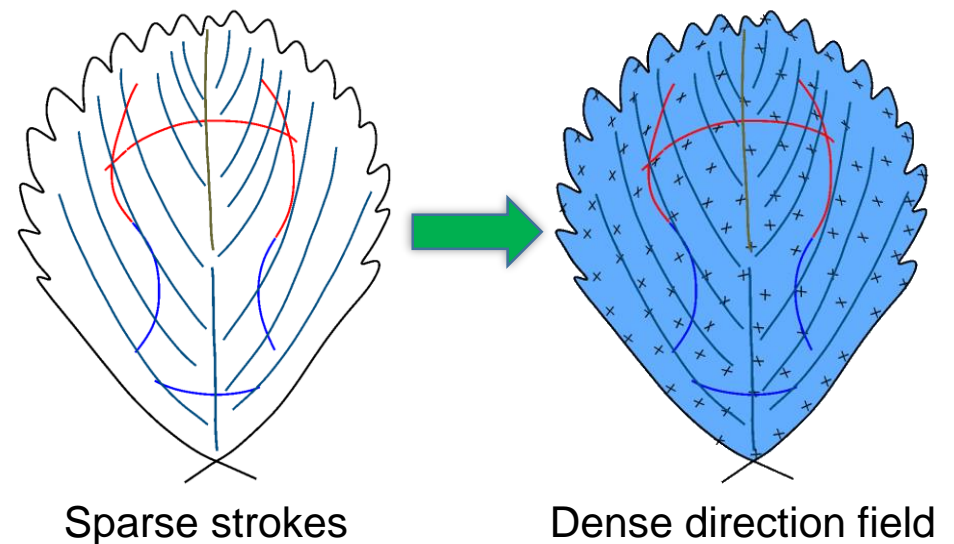
User correction

Our Solution

- *Sparse to dense*: direction field diffusion [Iarussi et al. 2015]

$$E_{BendField}(u, v) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} \|\nabla_u v\|^2 + \|\nabla_v u\|^2 d\sigma$$

Projected curvature directions u, v
follow the bending stroke directions,
and initialized by harmonic 4-direction fields
[Diamanti et al. 2014].



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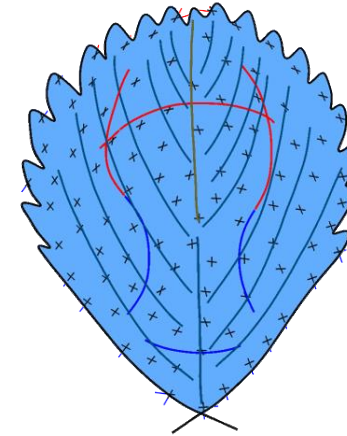
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Height field surface z from curvature:

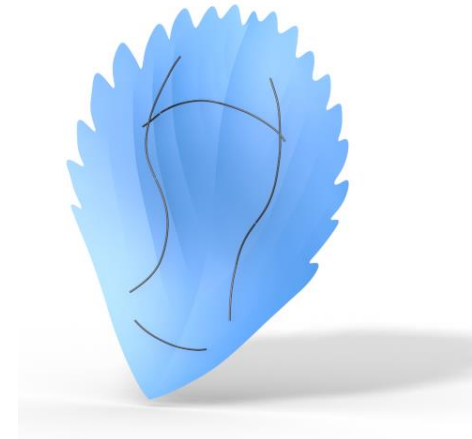
$$\text{Minimize } E_{\text{match}}(z) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} \|dN \cdot u - \lambda_u u\|^2 + \|dN \cdot v - \lambda_v v\|^2 d\sigma$$

curvature tensor matching

Projected Directional Curvature Tensors



Surface & lifted strokes



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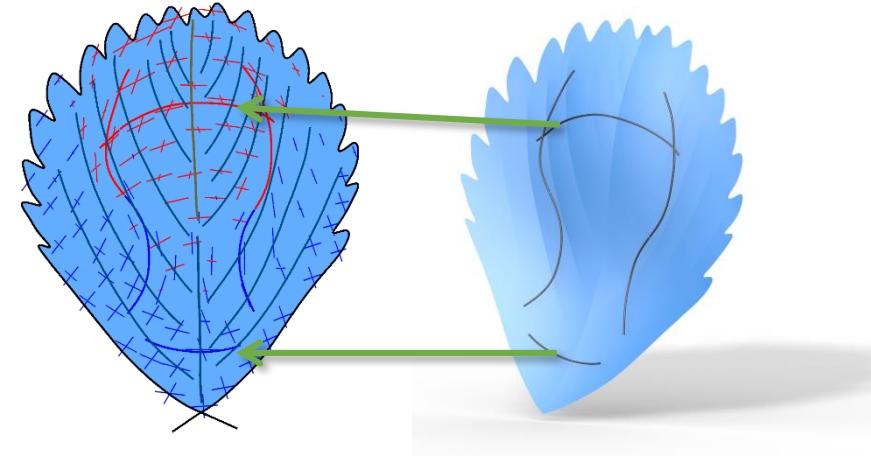
with magnitudes $\lambda_u \lambda_v$:

$$\text{Minimize } E_{\lambda}(\lambda_u, \lambda_v) = \frac{1}{|\Omega|} \int_{\Omega} \|\nabla_u \lambda_v\|^2 + \|\nabla_v \lambda_u\|^2 + \beta (\|\nabla_u \lambda_u\|^2 + \|\nabla_v \lambda_v\|^2) d\sigma$$

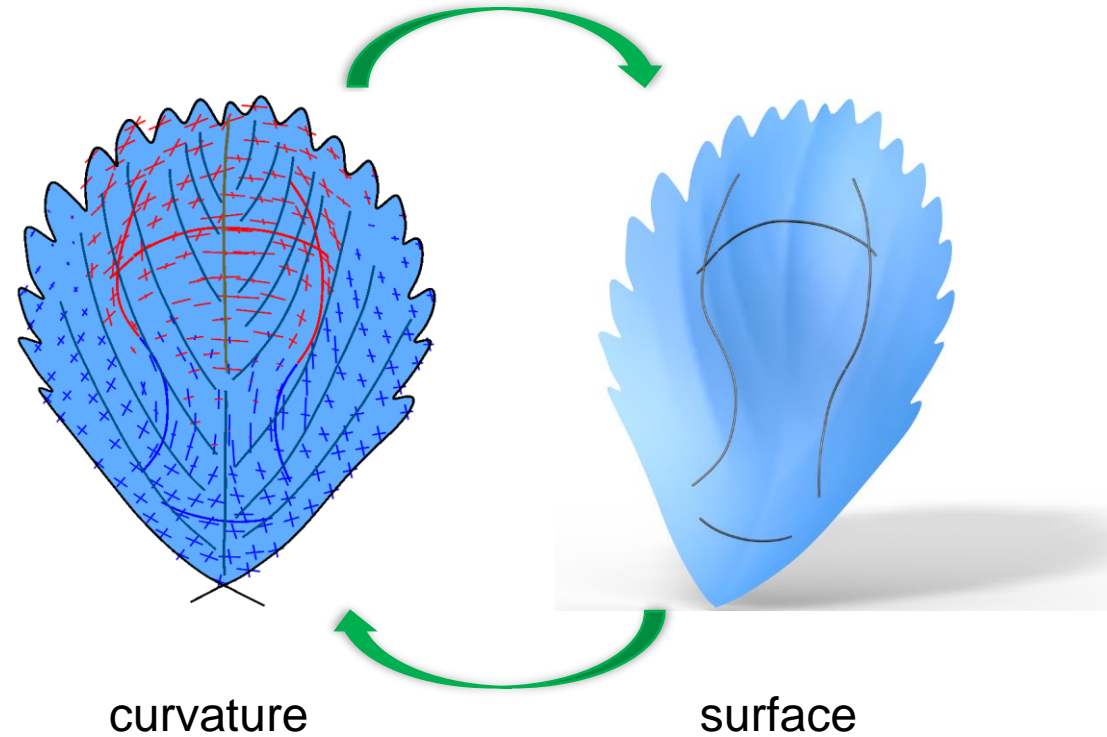
constrained by the spatial curvature of lifted strokes.

curvature value diffusion

Projected curvature tensors Surface & lifted strokes



Our Solution



Search $(z, \lambda_u, \lambda_v)$ in a fast iterative process, solving linear equations per iteration.

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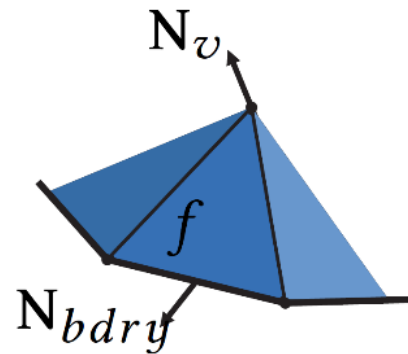
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Bend	
Flat	
Sharp feature	
Valley	
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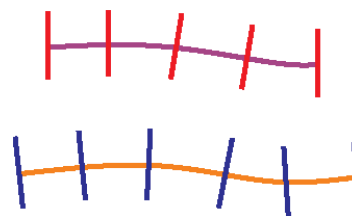
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- **Ridge/valley** stroke: a set of bending lines with known convex and concave




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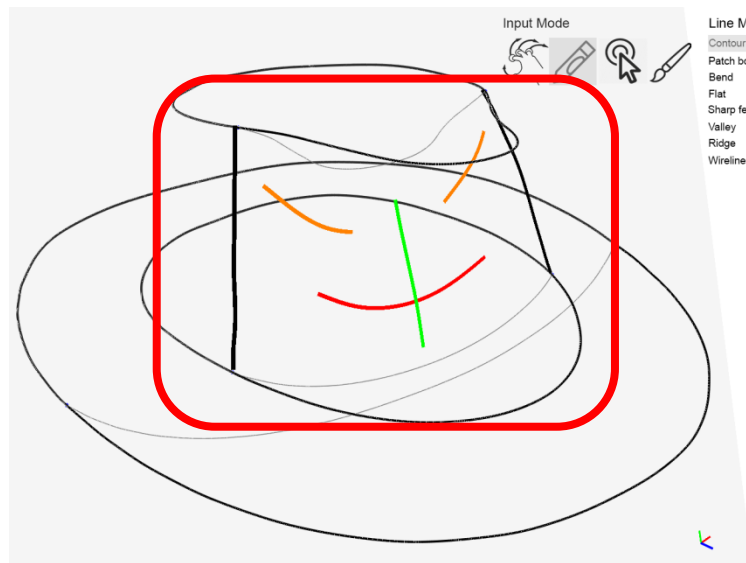
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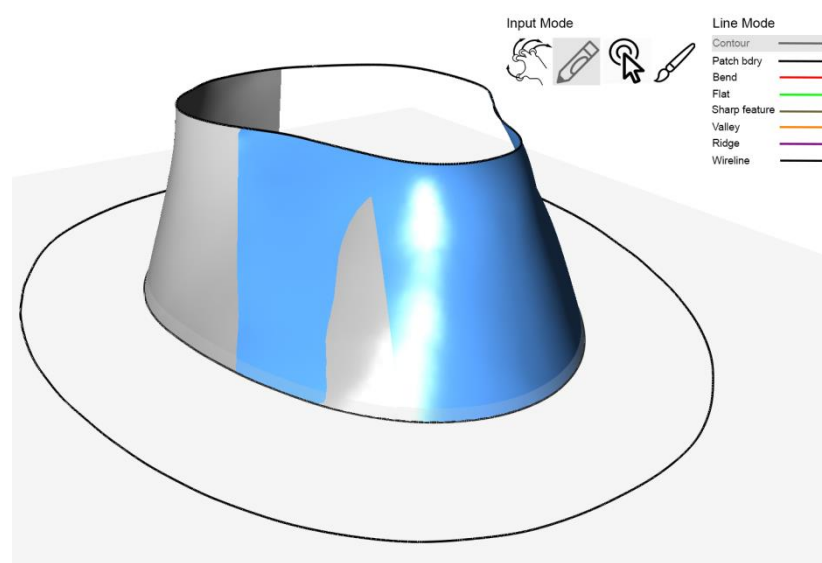
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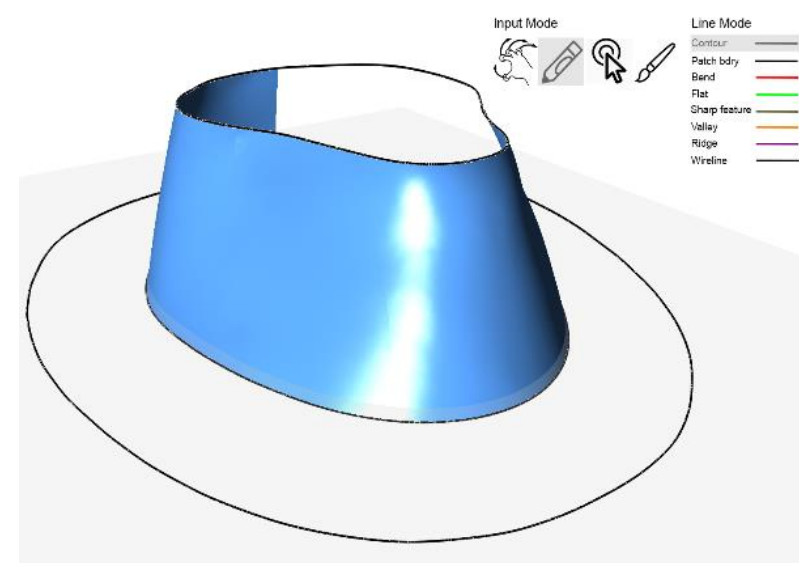
Multi-View Sketching



Sketching on the current view



Surface patch for the current view



Patches merged

Up
Down

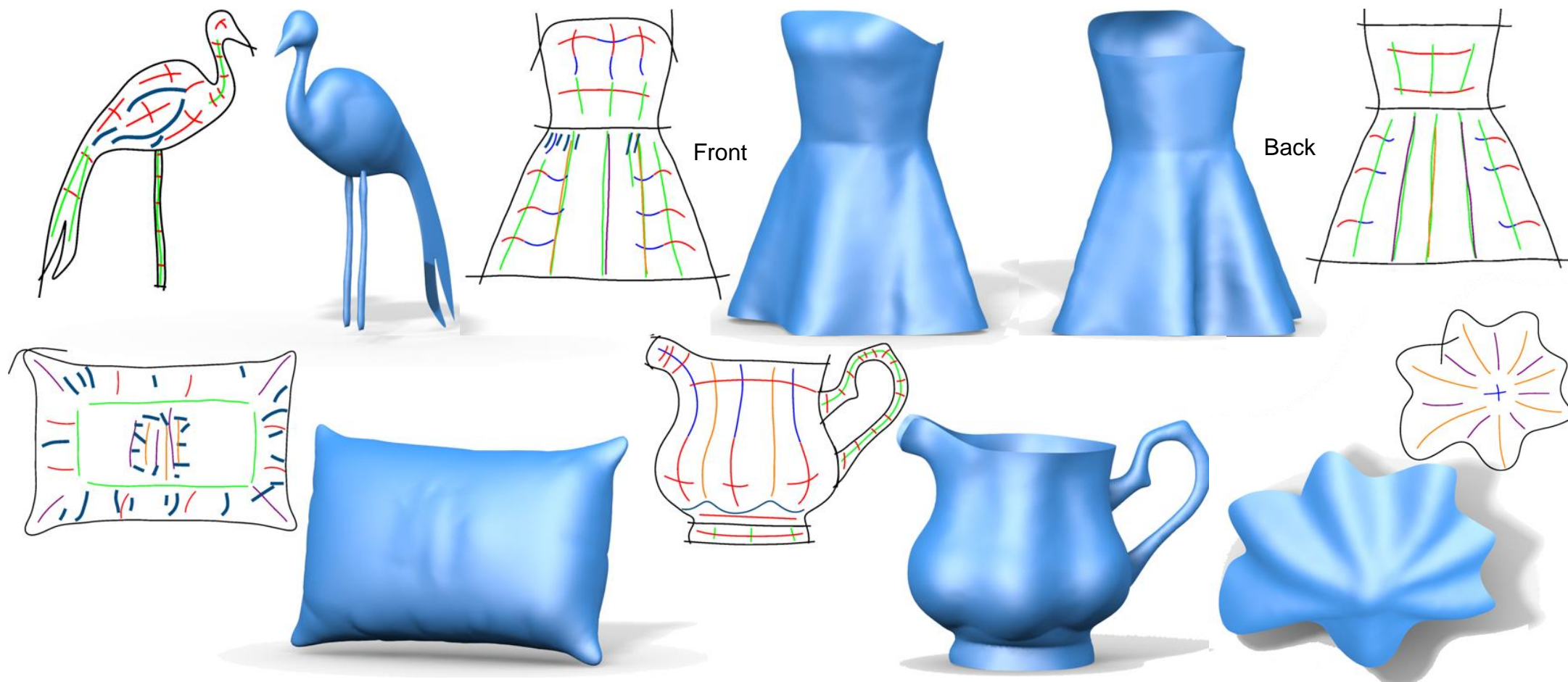


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- Input Mode
- Hand
 - Pencil
 - Lasso
 - Eraser

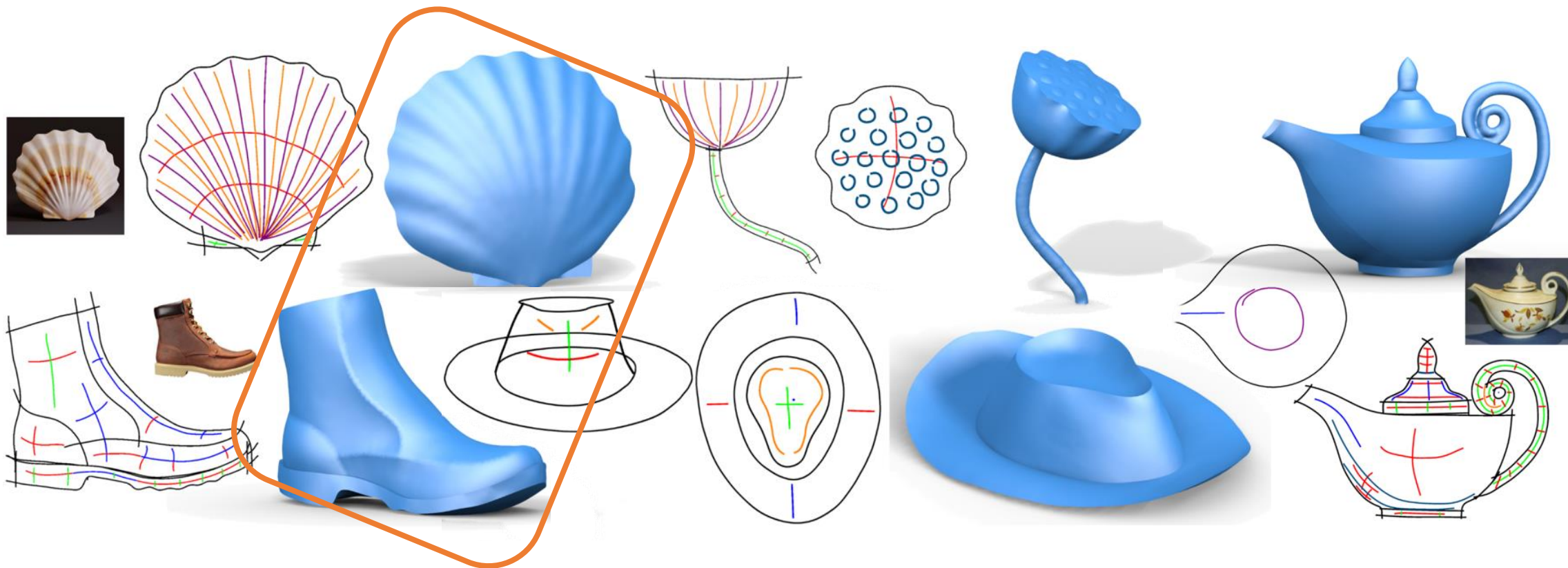
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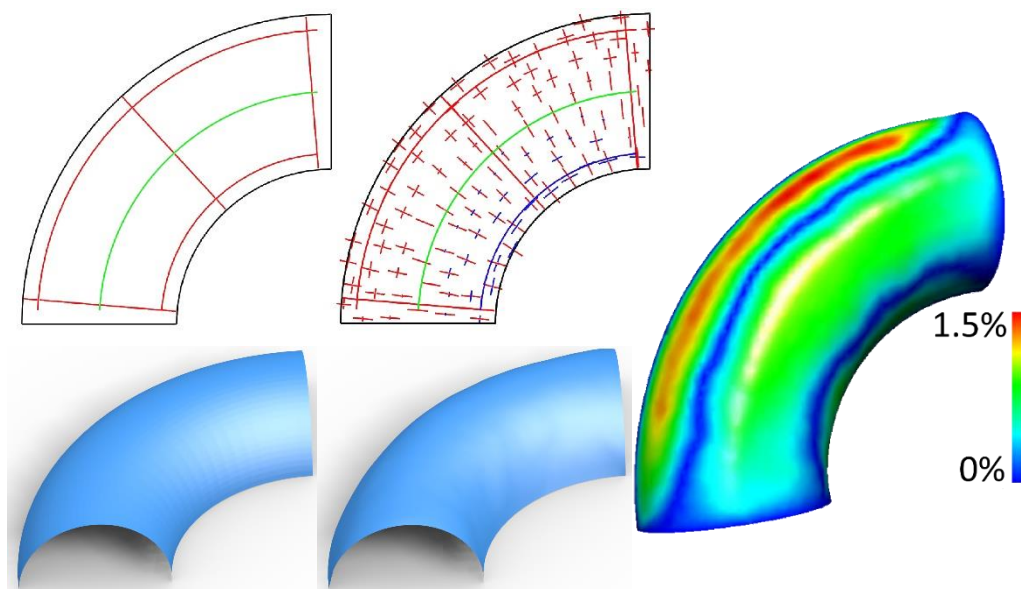


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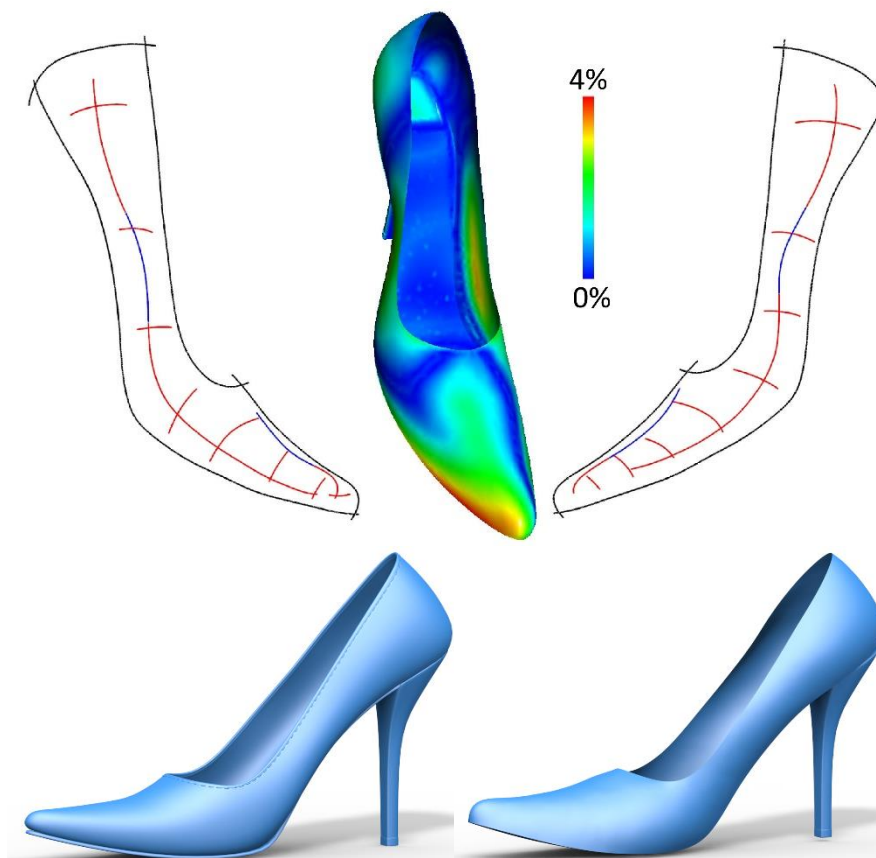
Compare with the ground truth data

- 1/8 torus and shoe model



GT result

Our result



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User Evaluation

Users

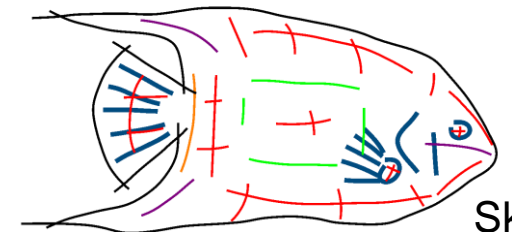
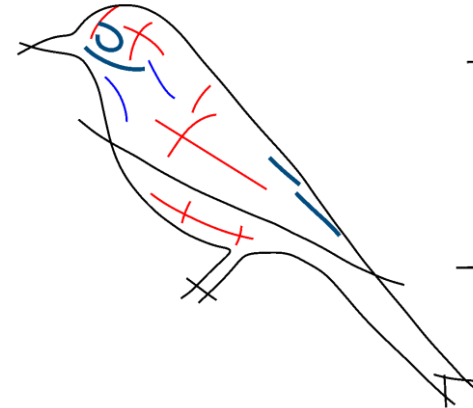
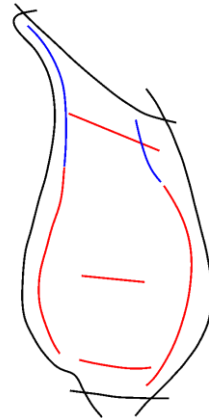
- 7 novice users w/o background
- 2 professional 3D artists

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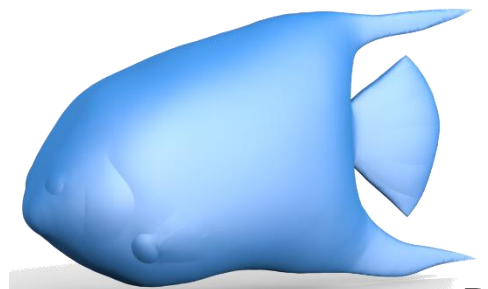
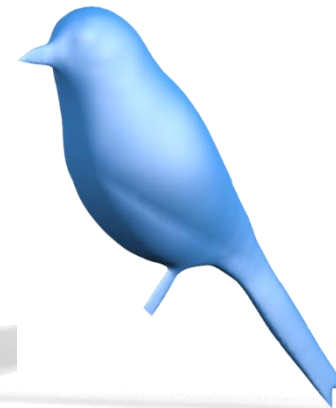
- ~30 min learning
- ~10 min creation
- robust to user input diversity



Targets



Sketches



Results

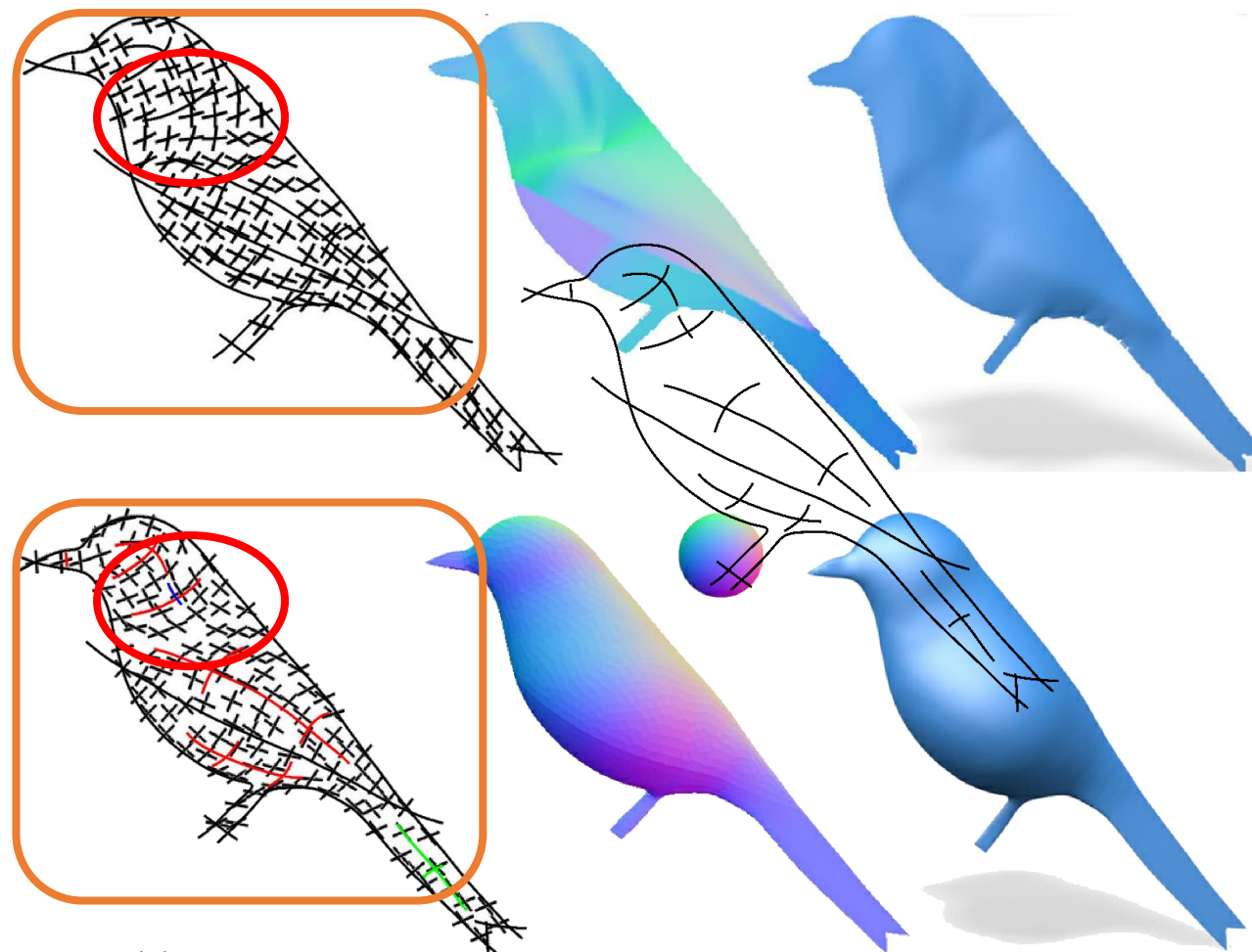
Comparison

- BendField [Iarussi et al. 2015]
 - Curvature **direction** field
 - **Inaccurate normal** field for 3D reconstruction



- Our method:
 - Complete curvature tensor field (**direction, magnitude**)
 - Real **3D shape**

Comparison



BendField [Iarussi et al. 2015]

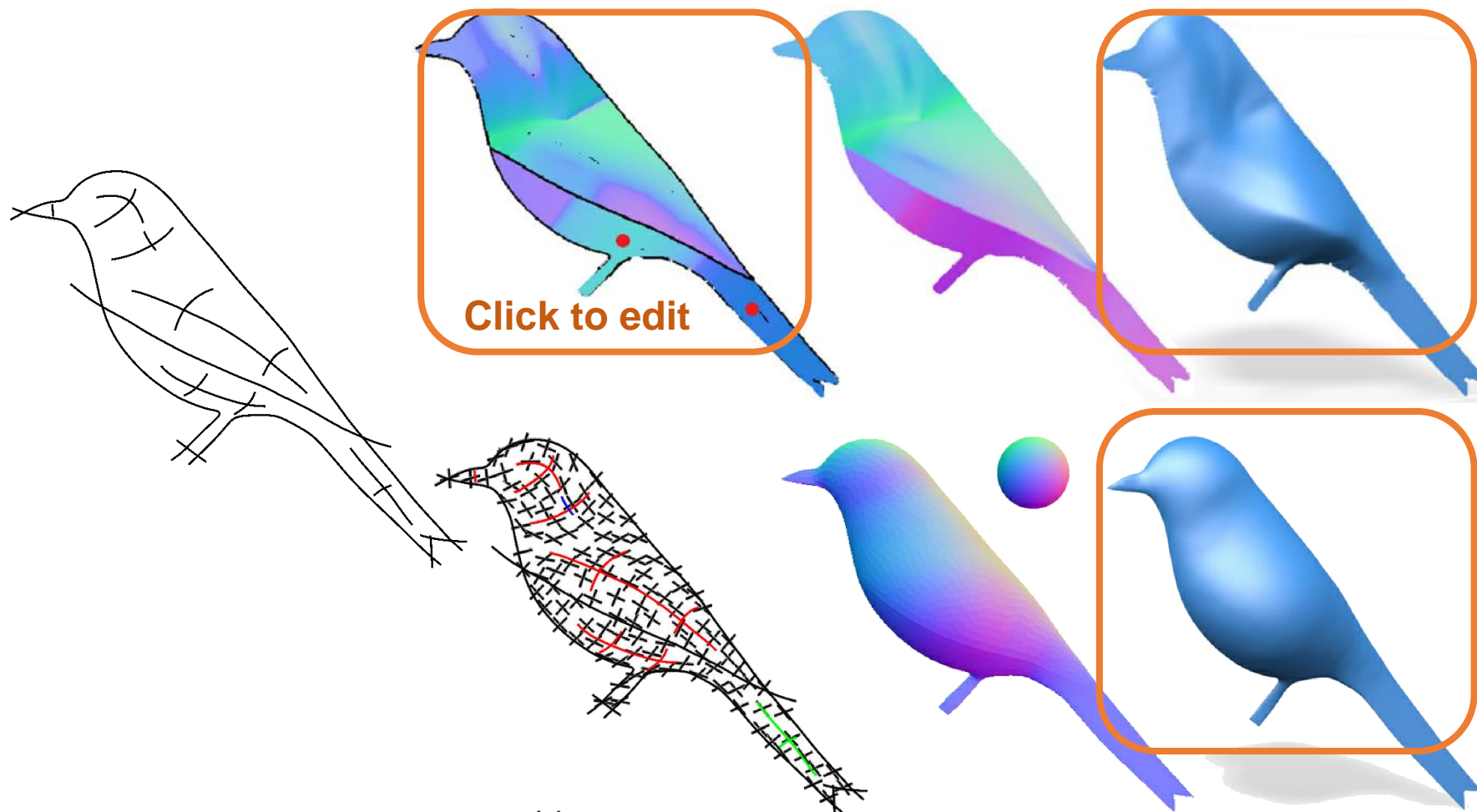
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Direction field

Normal map

3D shape

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BendField
with editing [Iarussi et al. 2015]

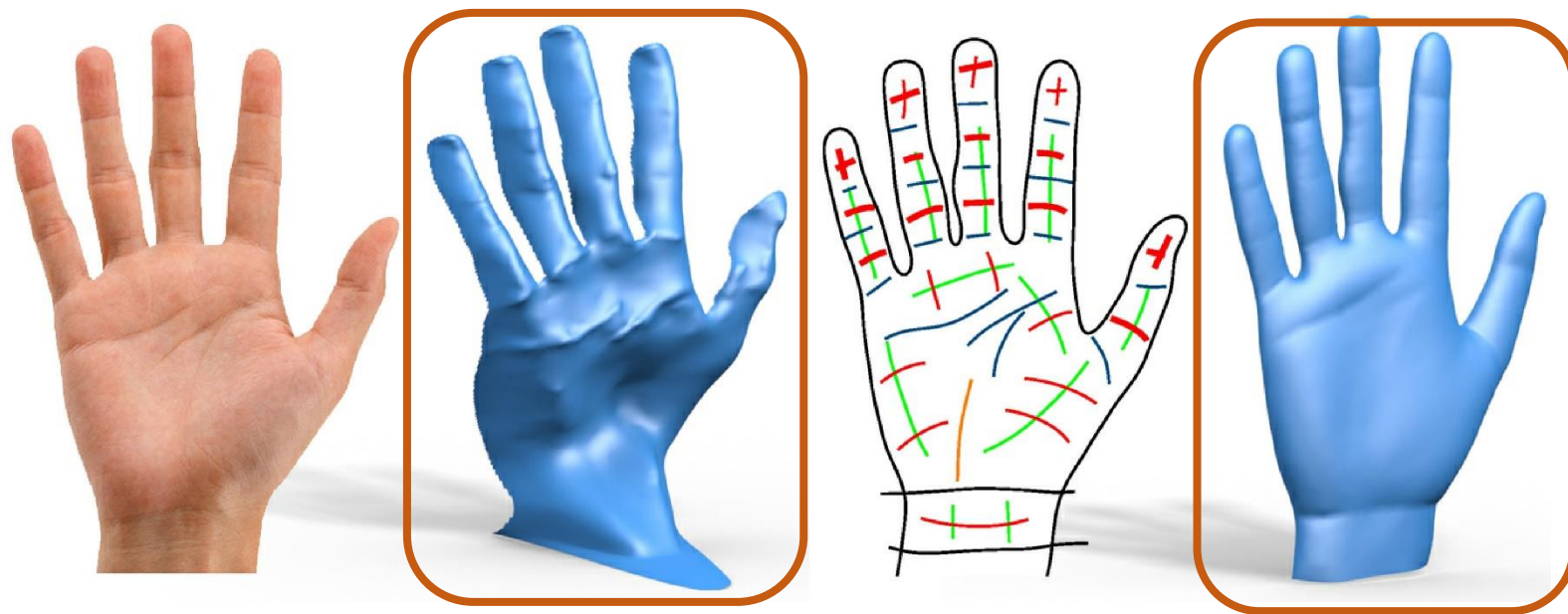
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3D shape

Comparison

- Shape from Shading [Barron and Malik 2015]



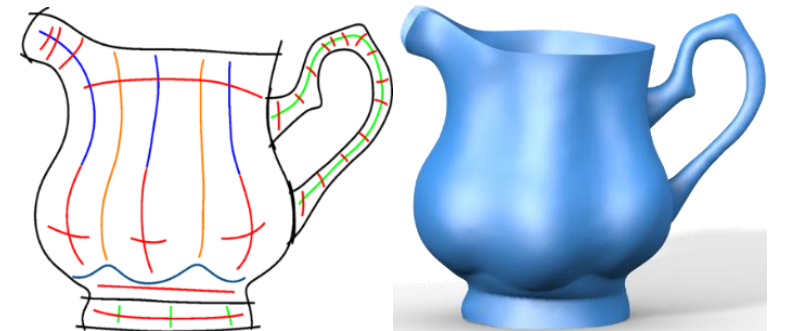
SfS results

Ours

Conclusion

An intuitive and effective tool to model freeform shapes with complex curvature variation.

- Technical contributions:
 - Disambiguate bending stroke convexity
 - Estimate bending magnitudes
 - Construct surface from sparse bending strokes



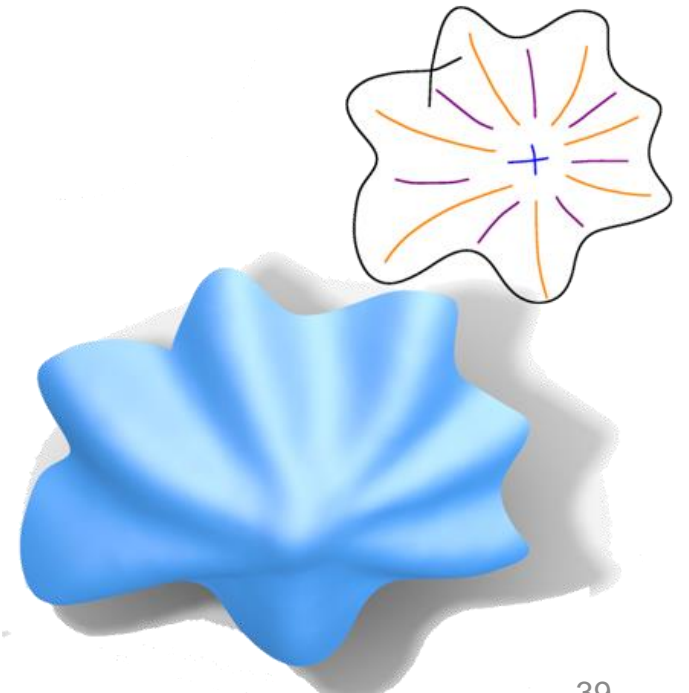
Limitation and Future Work

Limitation

- Self-occlusion or layered objects should use multi-view pipeline

Future Work

- Improve user interface
- Extract information from reference image
- Integrate with other tools



SMenu

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Input Mode



3x playback

