

CS 4204 Computer Graphics

3D Transformations

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References:

“Introduction to Computer Graphics” course notes by Petros Faloutsos, UCLA

Affine Transformations in 3D

General form

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_x \\ Q_y \\ Q_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & m_{14} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & m_{24} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & m_{34} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ P_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Elementary 3D Affine Transformations

Translation

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_x \\ Q_y \\ Q_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & T_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & T_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & T_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ P_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Scaling Around the Origin

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_x \\ Q_y \\ Q_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ P_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Shear around the origin

Along x-axis

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_x \\ Q_y \\ Q_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & a & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ P_z \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

3D Rotation

Various representations

Decomposition into axis rotations (x-roll, y-roll, z-roll)

CCW positive assumption

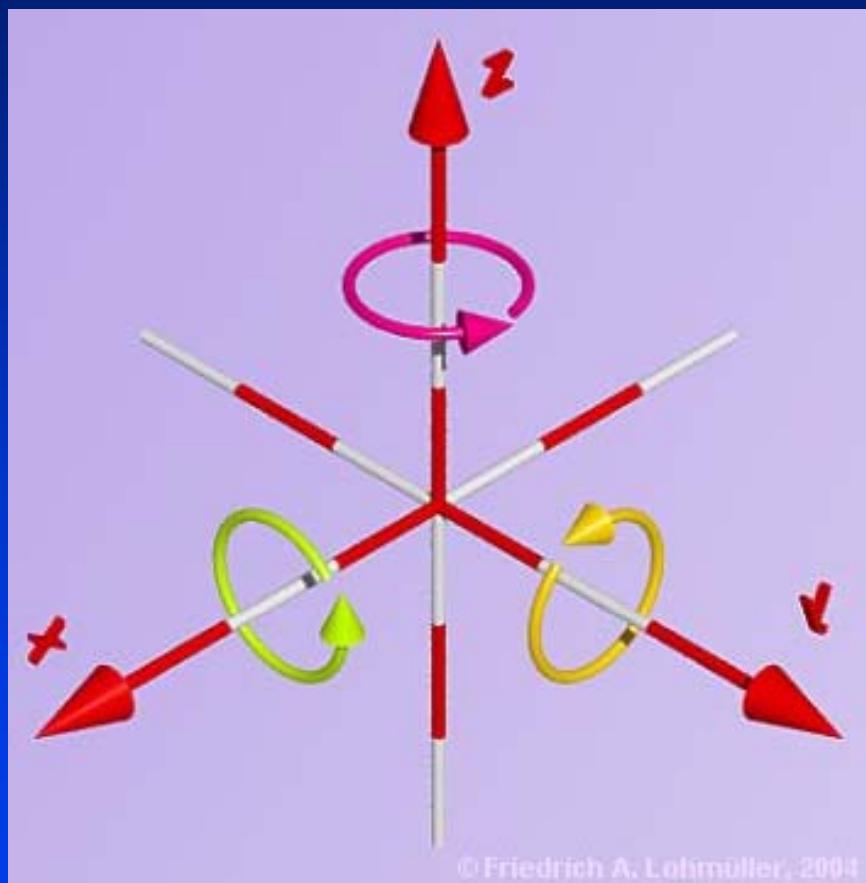
Reminder 2D z-rotation

$$Q_x = \cos\theta P_x - \sin\theta P_y$$

$$Q_y = \sin\theta P_x + \cos\theta P_y$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} Q_x \\ Q_y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Three axis to rotate around



Z-roll

$$Q_x = \cos\theta P_x - \sin\theta P_y$$

$$Q_y = \sin\theta P_x + \cos\theta P_y$$

$$Q_z = P_z$$

$$R_z(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

X-roll

Cyclic indexing

$x \rightarrow y \rightarrow z \rightarrow x \rightarrow y$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q_y = \cos\theta P_y - \sin\theta P_z$$

$$Q_z = \sin\theta P_y + \cos\theta P_z$$

$$Q_x = P_x$$

$$R_x(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Y-roll

$$\begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

$$Q_z = \cos\theta P_z - \sin\theta P_x$$

$$Q_x = \sin\theta P_z + \cos\theta P_x$$

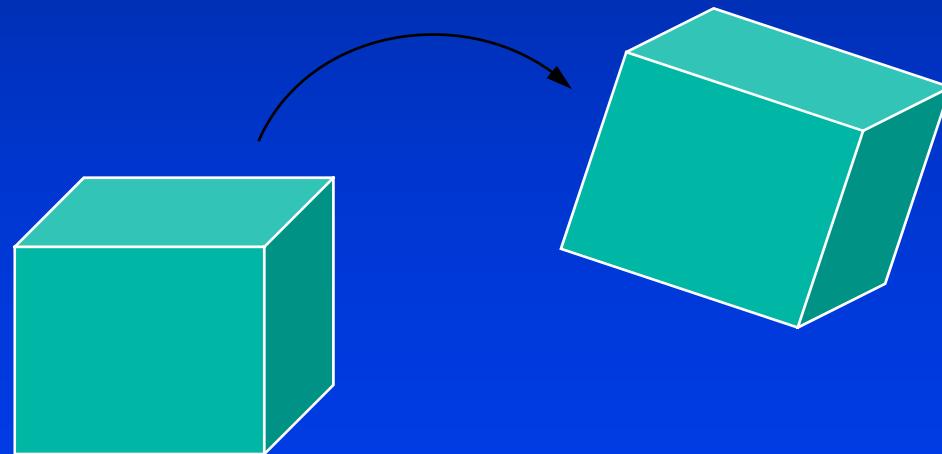
$$Q_y = P_y$$

$$R_y(\theta) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & 0 & \sin(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin(\theta) & 0 & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Rigid body transformations

Translations and rotations

Preserve lines, angles and distances



Inversion of transformations

Translation: $T^{-1}(a,b,c) = T(-a,-b,-c)$

Rotation: $R_{\text{axis}}^{-1}(b) = R_{\text{axis}}\{-b\}$

Scaling: $S^{-1}(sx,sy,sz) = S(1/sx, 1/sy, 1/sz)$

Shearing: $Sh^{-1}(a) = Sh(-a)$

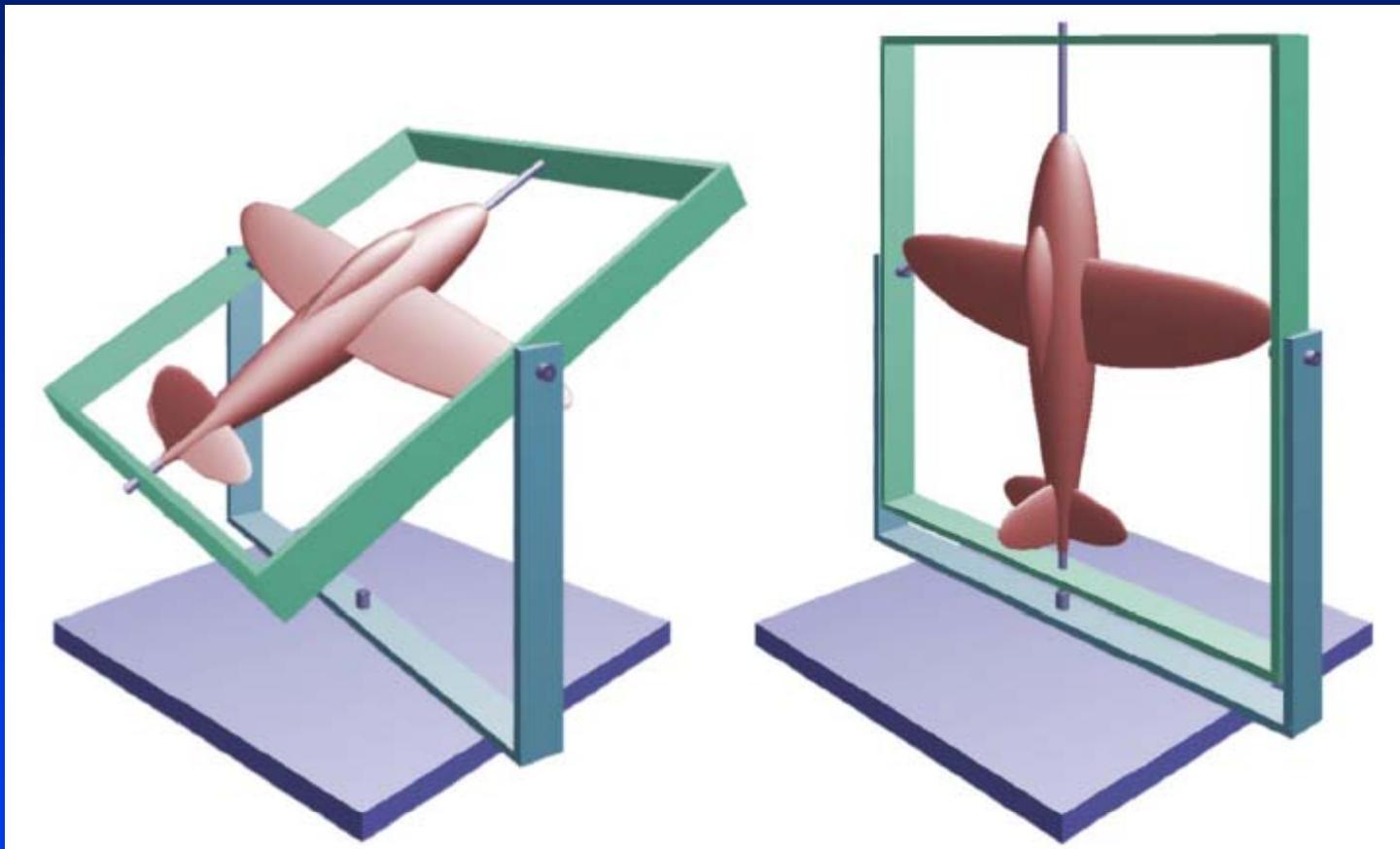
Inverse of Rotations

Pure rotation only, no scaling or shear.

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M^{-1} = M^T$$

Gimbali lock



Gimbball lock

$$R(\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3) = R_z(\theta_3)R_y(\theta_2)R_x(\theta_1)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_3) & -\sin(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_3) & \cos(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_2) & 0 & \sin(\theta_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin(\theta_2) & 0 & \cos(\theta_2) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R(\theta_1, 90^\circ, \theta_3) = R_z(\theta_3)R_y(90^\circ)R_x(\theta_1)$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_3) & -\sin(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_3) & \cos(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} =$$
$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_3) & -\sin(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_3) & \cos(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Loss of degree of freedom

$$\begin{aligned}
 R(\theta_1, 90^\circ, \theta_3) &= \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta_3) & -\sin(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ \sin(\theta_3) & \cos(\theta_3) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sin(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_1) & -\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \\
 &\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \cos(\theta_3)\sin(\theta_1) - \sin(\theta_3)\cos(\theta_1) & \cos(\theta_3)\cos(\theta_1) + \sin(\theta_3)\sin(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_3)\cos(\theta_1) + \sin(\theta_3)\sin(\theta_1) & -\cos(\theta_3)\sin(\theta_1) + \sin(\theta_3)\cos(\theta_1) & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \\
 &\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sin(\theta_1 - \theta_3) & \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_3) & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta_1 - \theta_3) & -\sin(\theta_1 - \theta_3) & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \\
 &\begin{pmatrix} 0 & \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} = R(\theta) \quad (\theta_1, \theta_3) \rightarrow \theta = (\theta_1 - \theta_3)
 \end{aligned}$$

Rotation around an arbitrary axis

Euler's theorem: Any rotation or sequence of rotations around a point is equivalent to a single rotation around an axis that passes through the point.

What does the matrix look like?

Rotation around an arbitrary axis

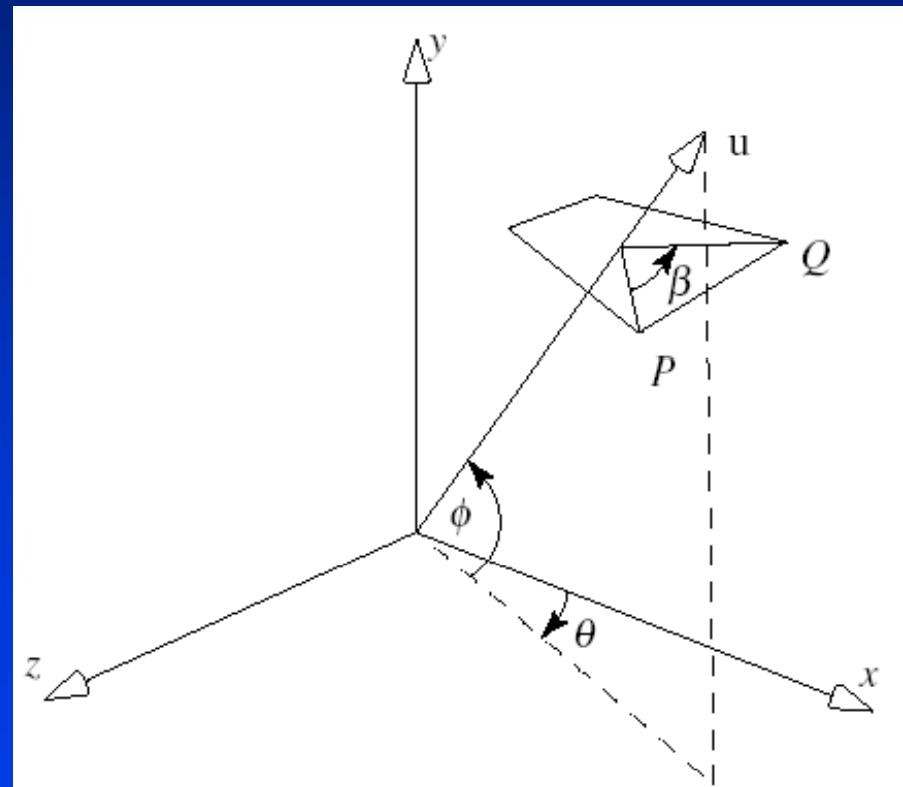
Axis: \mathbf{u}

Point: P

Angle: β

Method:

1. *Two rotations to align \mathbf{u} with x -axis*
2. *Do x -roll by β*
3. *Undo the alignment*



Derivation

1. $R_z(-\phi)R_y(\theta)$

$$\cos(\theta) = u_x / \sqrt{u_x^2 + u_z^2}$$

2. $R_x(\beta)$

$$\sin(\theta) = u_z / \sqrt{u_x^2 + u_z^2}$$

3. $R_y(-\theta)R_z(\phi)$

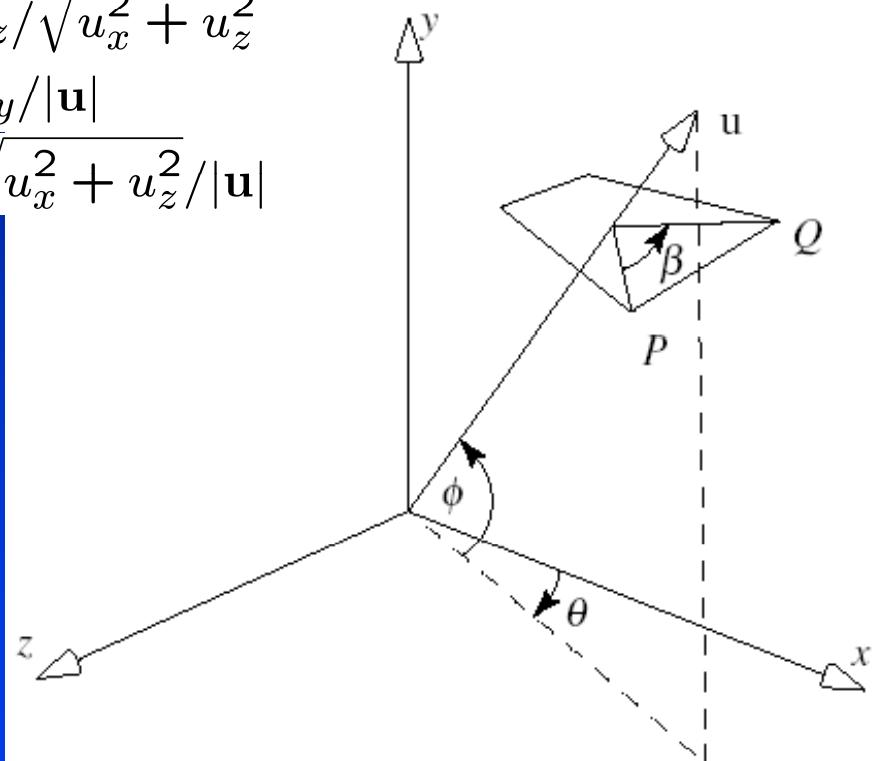
$$\sin(\phi) = u_y / |\mathbf{u}|$$

$$\cos(\phi) = \sqrt{u_x^2 + u_z^2} / |\mathbf{u}|$$

Altogether:

$$R_y(-\theta)R_z(\phi) R_x(\beta) R_z(-\phi)R_y(\theta)$$

We can add translation too if
the axis is not through the
origin



Properties of affine transformations

1. *Preservation of affine combinations of points.*
2. *Preservation of lines and planes.*
3. *Preservation of parallelism of lines and planes.*
4. *Relative ratios are preserved*
5. *Affine transformations are composed of elementary ones.*

General form

Rotation, Scaling,
Shear

Translation

$$\begin{pmatrix} m_{11} & m_{12} & m_{13} & m_{14} \\ m_{21} & m_{22} & m_{23} & m_{24} \\ m_{31} & m_{32} & m_{33} & m_{34} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

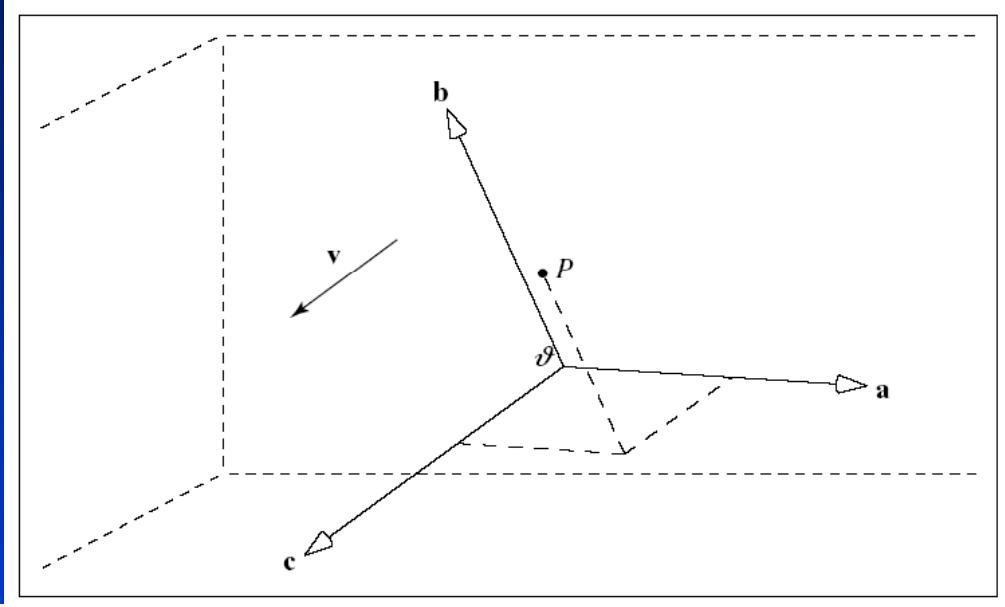
Transformations of Coordinate systems

Coordinate systems consist of vectors and an origin, therefore we can transform them just like points and vectors.

Alternative way to think of transformations

Reminder: Coordinate systems

Coordinate system: $(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, \theta)$



$$\mathbf{v} = (v_1, v_2, v_3) \rightarrow \mathbf{v} = v_1\mathbf{a} + v_2\mathbf{b} + v_3\mathbf{c}$$

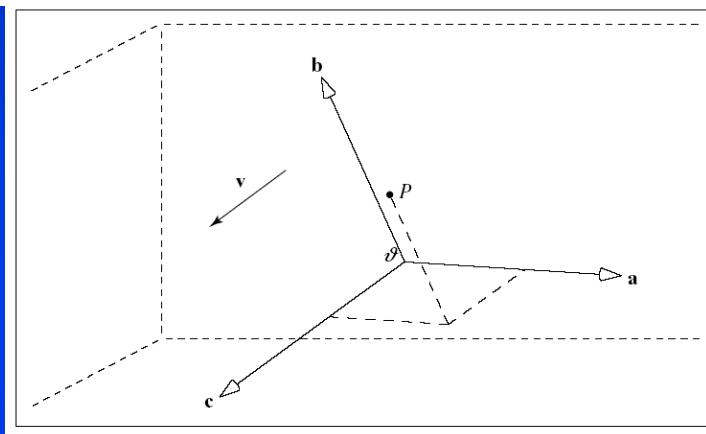
$$P = (p_1, p_2, p_3) \rightarrow P - \theta = p_1\mathbf{a} + p_2\mathbf{b} + p_3\mathbf{c}$$

$$P = \theta + p_1\mathbf{a} + p_2\mathbf{b} + p_3\mathbf{c}$$

Reminder: The homogeneous representation of points and vectors

$$\mathbf{v} = v_1 \mathbf{a} + v_2 \mathbf{b} + v_3 \mathbf{c} \rightarrow \mathbf{v} = (\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, \theta) \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ v_2 \\ v_3 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \theta + p_1 \mathbf{a} + p_2 \mathbf{b} + p_3 \mathbf{c} \rightarrow P = (\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}, \mathbf{c}, \theta) \begin{pmatrix} p_1 \\ p_2 \\ p_3 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



Transforming CS1 into CS2

*What is the relationship
between P in CS2 and P in
CS1 if $CS2 = T(CS1)$?*

$$CS1 : P = (a, b, c, 1)^T$$

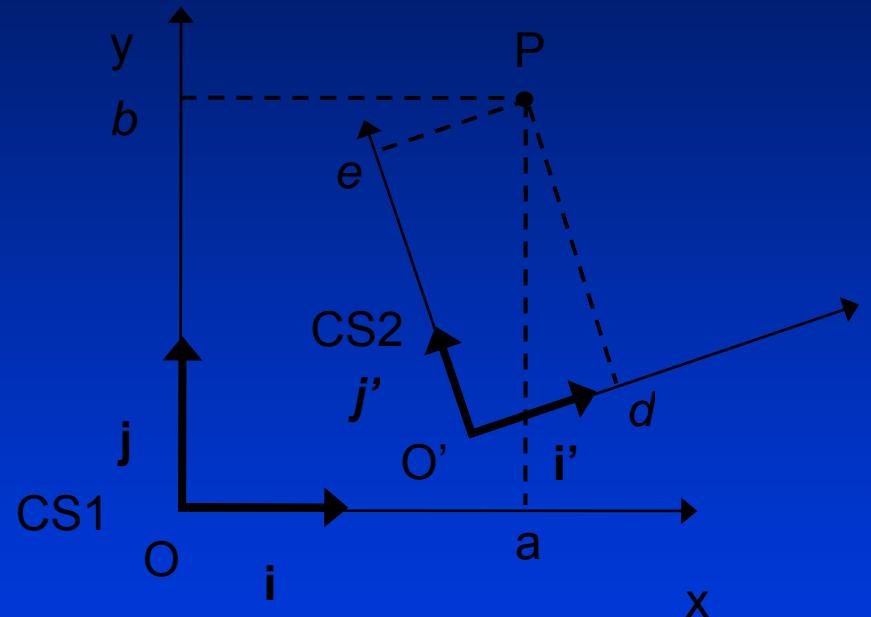
$$CS2 : P = (d, e, f, 1)^T$$

$$O' = T(O),$$

$$\mathbf{i}' = T(\mathbf{i}),$$

$$\mathbf{j}' = T(\mathbf{j}),$$

$$\mathbf{k}' = T(\mathbf{k})$$



Derivation

By definition P is the linear combination of vectors $\mathbf{i}', \mathbf{j}', \mathbf{k}'$ and point O' .

$$P = d\mathbf{i}' + e\mathbf{j}' + f\mathbf{k}' + O'$$

In system CS1:

$$P_{CS1} = d\mathbf{i}'_{CS1} + e\mathbf{j}'_{CS1} + f\mathbf{k}'_{CS1} + O'_{CS1}$$

Derivation

$$P_{CS1} = d\mathbf{i}'_{CS1} + e\mathbf{j}'_{CS1} + f\mathbf{k}'_{CS1} + O'_{CS1}$$

We know that $(\mathbf{i}'_{CS1}, \mathbf{j}'_{CS1}, \mathbf{k}'_{CS1}, O'_{CS1}) = T((\mathbf{i}, \mathbf{j}, \mathbf{k}, O))$

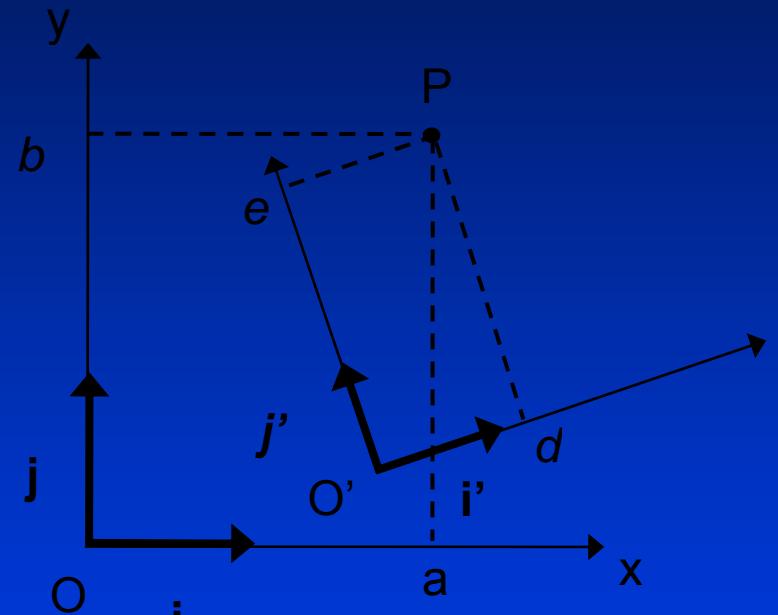
$$\begin{aligned} P_{CS1} &= dT(\mathbf{i}) + eT(\mathbf{j}) + fT(\mathbf{k}) + T(O) \\ &= d(M\mathbf{i}) + e(M\mathbf{j}) + f(M\mathbf{k}) + MO \\ &= d(M \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}) + e(M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}) + f(M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}) + M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= M \begin{bmatrix} d \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ f \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + M \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \\ &= M \left(\begin{bmatrix} d \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ e \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ f \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right) = M \begin{bmatrix} d \\ e \\ f \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

P in CS1 vs P in CS2

*Proof in pages 245,246 of
[Hill]*

$$P_{CS1} = M P_{CS2}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = M \begin{pmatrix} d \\ e \\ f \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

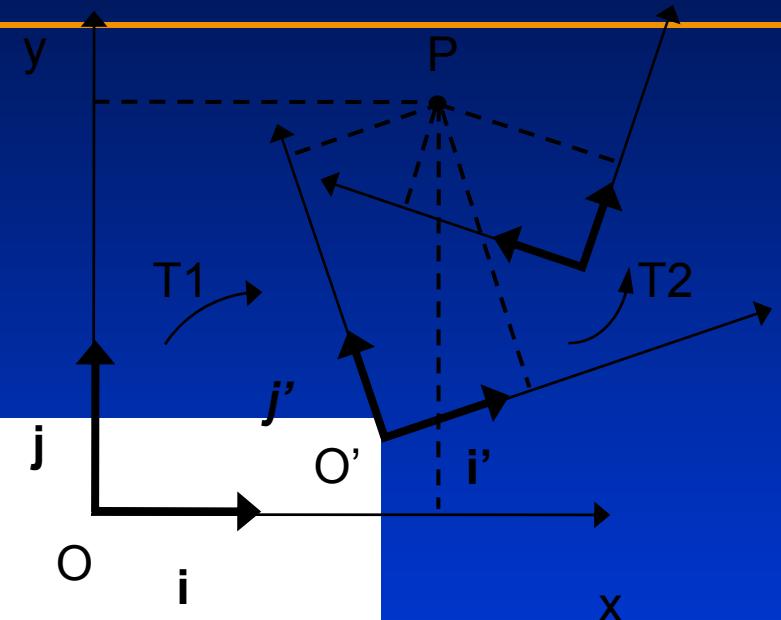


Successive transformations of CS

$CS1 \rightarrow CS2 \rightarrow CS3$

Working backwards:

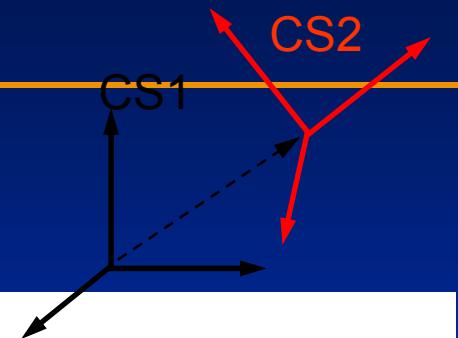
$$P_{CS2} = M_2 P_{CS3} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} d \\ e \\ f \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = M_2 \begin{pmatrix} g \\ h \\ m \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$
$$P_{CS1} = M_1 P_{CS2} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = M_1 \begin{pmatrix} d \\ e \\ f \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = M_1 M_2 \begin{pmatrix} g \\ h \\ m \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



Transformations as a change of basis

We know the basis vectors and we know that

$$P_{CS1} = MP_{CS2}$$



What is M with respect to the basis vectors?

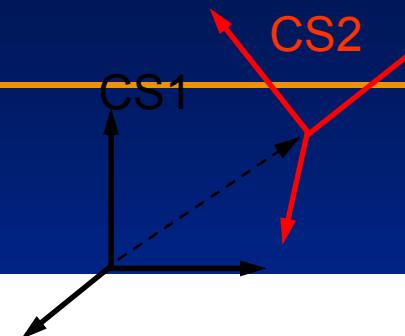
$$P_{CS2} = ai'_{CS2} + bj'_{CS2} + ck'_{CS2} + O'_{CS2} = a \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_{CS1} = ai'_{CS1} + bj'_{CS1} + ck'_{CS1} + O'_{CS1} = a \begin{bmatrix} i'_x \\ i'_y \\ i'_z \end{bmatrix} + b \begin{bmatrix} j'_x \\ j'_y \\ j'_z \end{bmatrix} + c \begin{bmatrix} k'_x \\ k'_y \\ k'_z \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} O'_x \\ O'_y \\ O'_z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$P_{CS1} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} i'_x & j'_x & k'_x & O'_x \\ i'_y & j'_y & k'_y & O'_y \\ i'_z & j'_z & k'_z & O'_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = MP_{CS2}$$

Transformations as a change of basis

$$P_{CS1} = MP_{CS2}$$

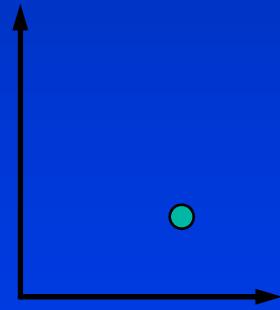


$$P_{CS1} = \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} i'_x & j'_x & k'_x & O'_x \\ i'_y & j'_y & k'_y & O'_y \\ i'_z & j'_z & k'_z & O'_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \\ c \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = MP_{CS2}$$

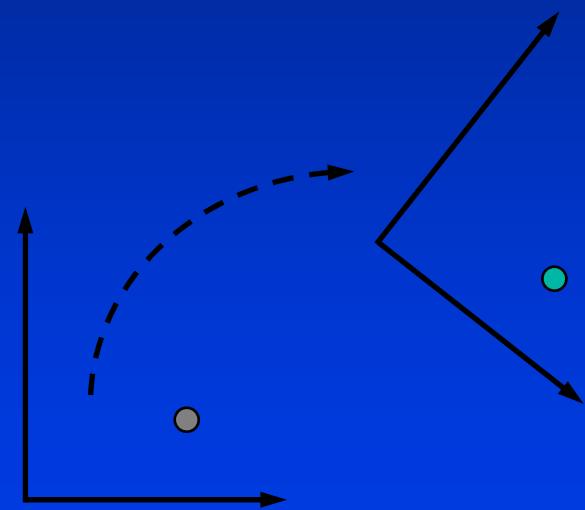
That is:

We can view transformations as a change of coordinate system

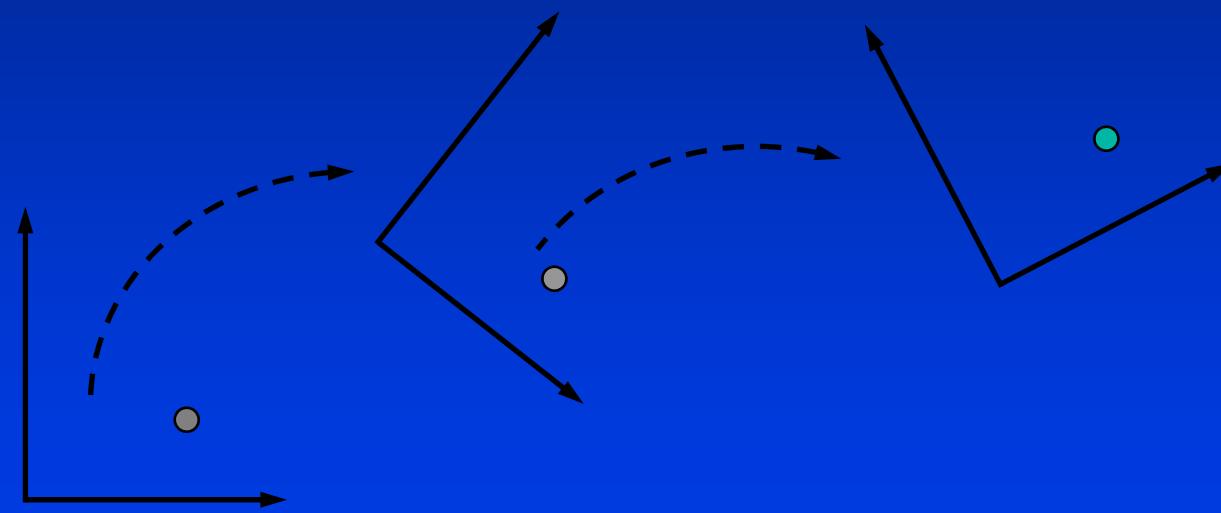
Transforming a point through transforming coordinate systems



Transforming a point through transforming coordinate systems



Transforming a point through transforming coordinate systems



Rule of thumb

Transforming a point P:

Transformations: T1,T2,T3

Matrix: $M = M_3 \times M_2 \times M_1$

Point transformed by: MP

Succesive transformations happen with respect to the same CS

Transforming a CS

Transformations: T1, T2, T3

Matrix: $M = M_1 \times M_2 \times M_3$

A point has original coordinates MP

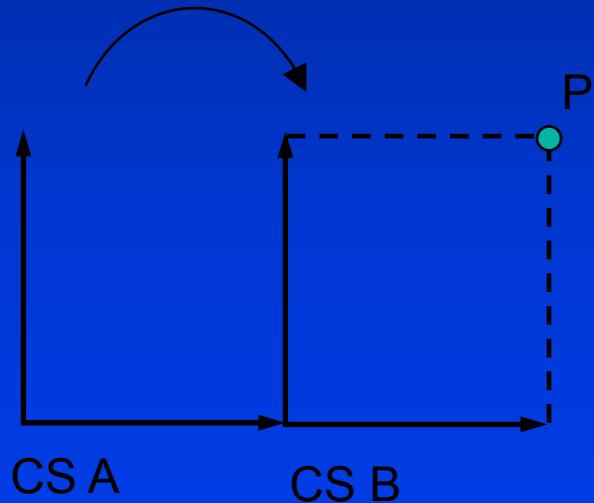
Each transformations happens with respect to the new CS.

Rule of thumb

To find the transformation matrix that transforms P from CSA coordinates to CSB coordinates, we find the sequence of transformations that align CSB to CSA accumulating matrices from left to right.

Explanation of this rule

Transformation M: ${}_A M_B$



If we think transforming systems,
M takes CS A from the left and
produces B on the right.

$$\xrightarrow{ {}_A M_B }$$

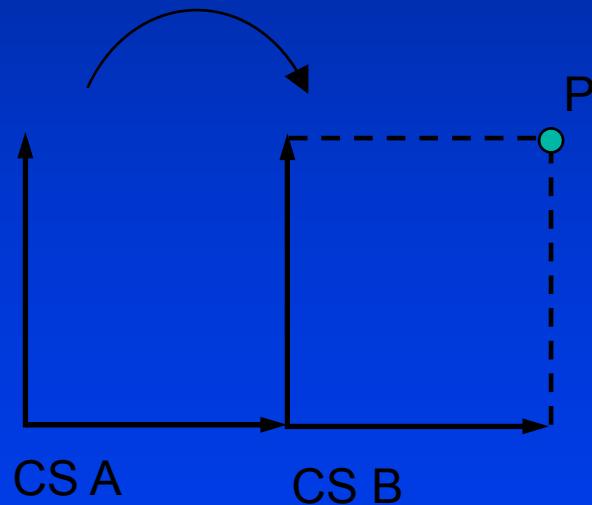
After this transformation we talk
in B coordinates (right side).

If we think about points then we
move the other way. M takes B
on the right and produces the A
coordinates on the left:

$$\xleftarrow{ {}_A M_B }$$

Explanation of this rule

Transformation M: ${}_A M_B$

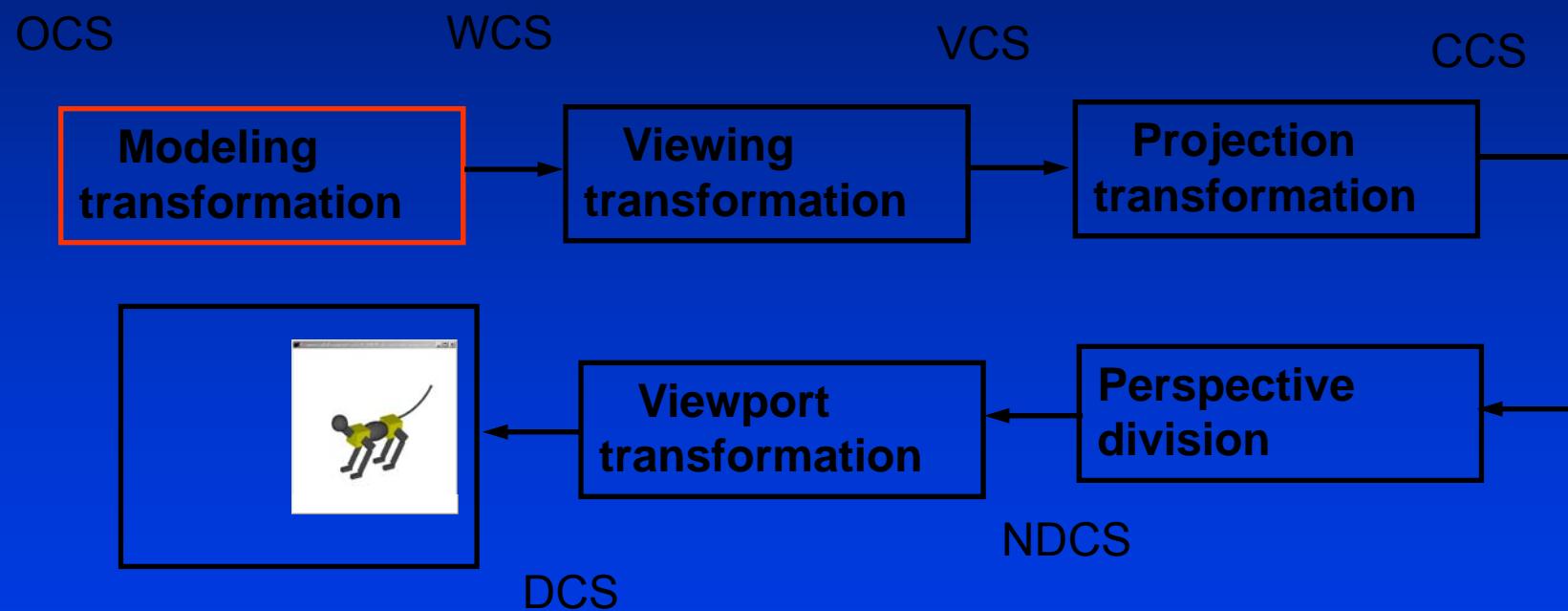


Take this simple example where to produce B we translate A by 1 on x axis.

$$P_B = (1,1) \quad P_A = (2,1)$$

If we move A by +1 to transform it into B then the coordinates of P with respect to the new system are shortened by 1 (B is closer to P than A by 1). So if we want to transform the coordinates of P from B to A we need to add 1 in x. Exactly what we need to do to transform system A to B.

Graphics Pipeline



Translation in OpenGL

glTranslate3f(GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z) ;

glTranslate3d(GLdouble x, GLdouble y, GLdouble z);

$$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & T_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & T_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & T_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Scaling in OpenGL

`glScalef(GLfloat sx, GLfloat sy, GLfloat sz) ;`

`glScaled(GLdouble sx, GLdouble sy, GLdouble sz) ;`

$$\begin{pmatrix} sx & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & sy & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & sz & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

Rotation in OpenGL

```
glRotatef(GLfloat angle, GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z) ;  
glRotated(GLdouble angle, GLdouble ux, GLdouble uy,  
          GLdouble uz) ;
```

(Matrix in the next slide)

Composition of transformations in OpenGL

Successively transforming the coordinate system

$$M = M_1 \ M_2 \ M_3 \ \dots \ M_n$$

$$P_{world} = M \ P_{obj}$$

OpenGL Modelview Matrix

Each transformation post multiplies the current modelview matrix CM

```
glMatrixMode(GL_MODELVIEW) ;  
  
glLoadIdentity() ;          // CM = I  
  
glRotatef(45, 0,0,1) ;      // CM = I*Rz(45) ;  
  
glTranslatef(1,1,1) ;        // CM = CM*T(1,1,1) =  
                           //           = I*Rz(45) *T(1,1,1)  
  
glScale(2,1,1) ;            // CM = CM *S(2,1,1) = I*Rz*T*S
```

Arbitrary matrices

***Arbitrary affine (or not)
transformations***

`glLoadMatrixf(GLfloat *M) ; // CM = M`

`glLoadMatrixd(GLdouble *M) ; // CM = M`

`glMultMatrixf(GLfloat *M) ; // CM = CM*M`

`glMultMatrixd(GLfloat *M) ; // CM = CM*M`

Tricky Point

There are no multi-dimensional arrays in c.

Column-major order vs. row-major order.

OpenGL uses column major order that is:

float $m[16] = [a0, a1, a2, a3 \dots, a15];$

becomes :

$$\begin{bmatrix} a0 & a4 & a8 & a12 \\ a1 & a5 & a9 & a13 \\ a2 & a6 & a10 & a14 \\ a3 & a7 & a11 & a15 \end{bmatrix}$$

Feedback

```
GLdouble m[16] ; glGetDoublev(GL_MODELVIEW_MATRIX,m) ;
```

```
GLfloat m[16] ; glGetFloatv(GL_MODELVIEW_MATRIX,m) ;
```

Matrix Stack

Why a stack?

- Reuse of transformations
- Control the effect of transformations
- Hierarchical structures

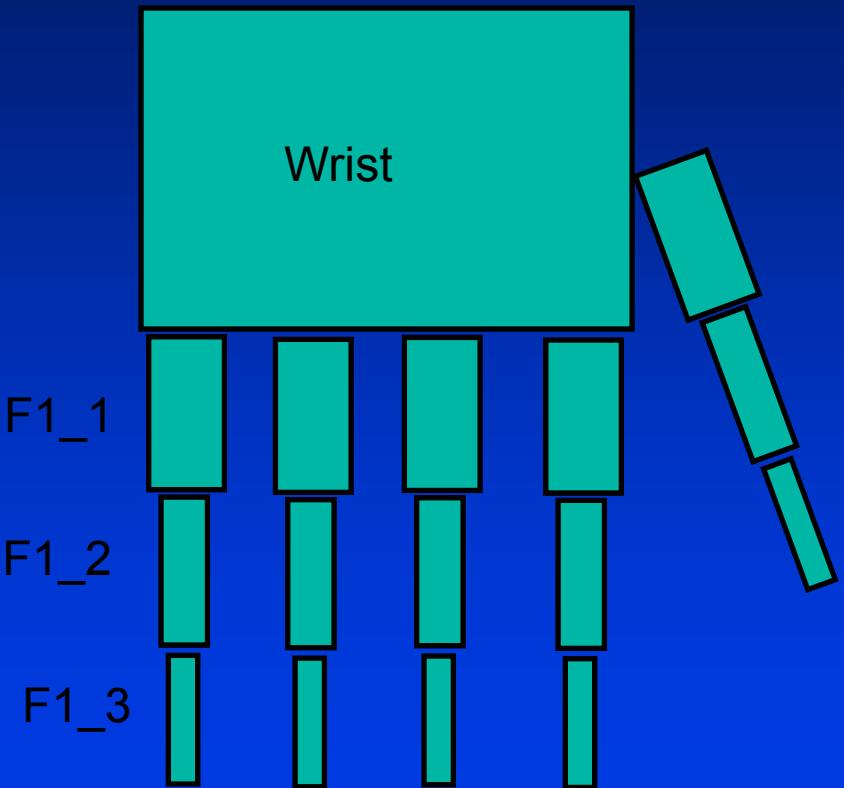
Manipulating the stack

- glPushMatrix() ;
- glPopMatrix() ;

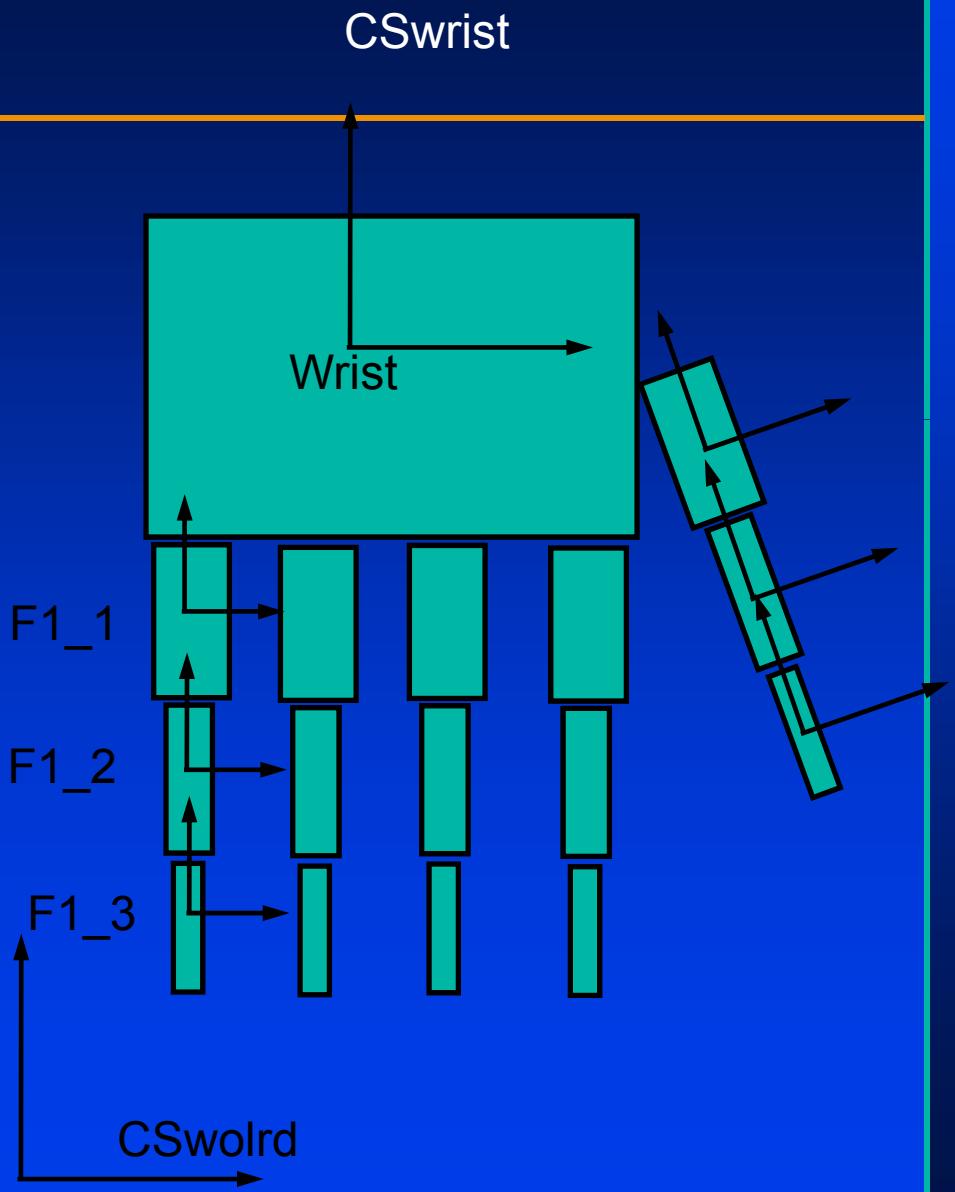
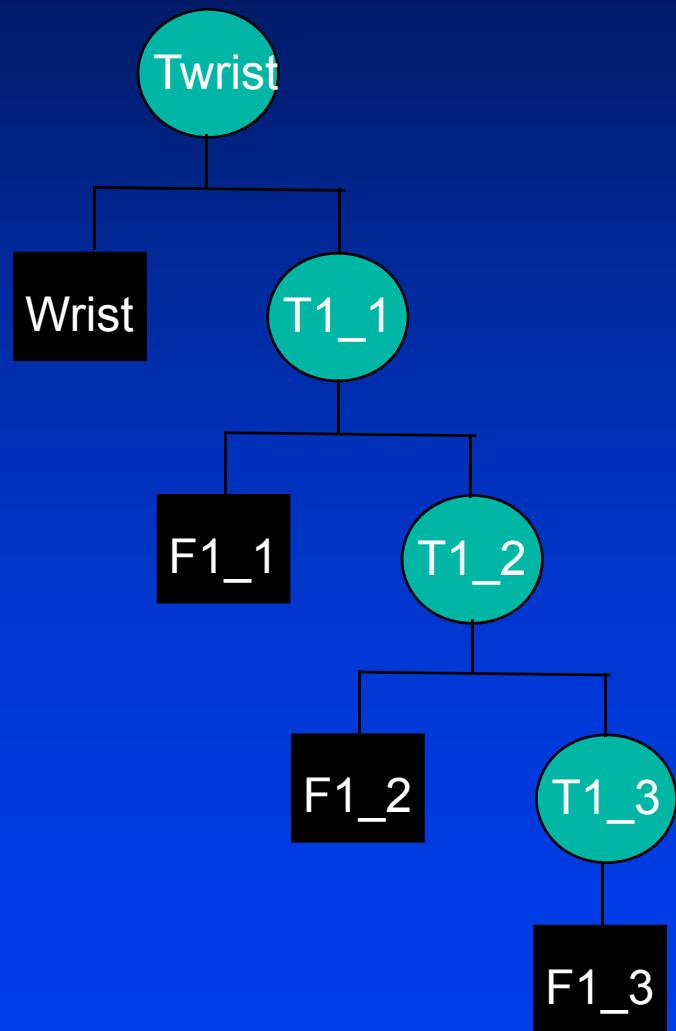
Example

Wrist and 5 fingers

We want the fingers to stay attached to the wrist as the wrist moves.



Hierarchy

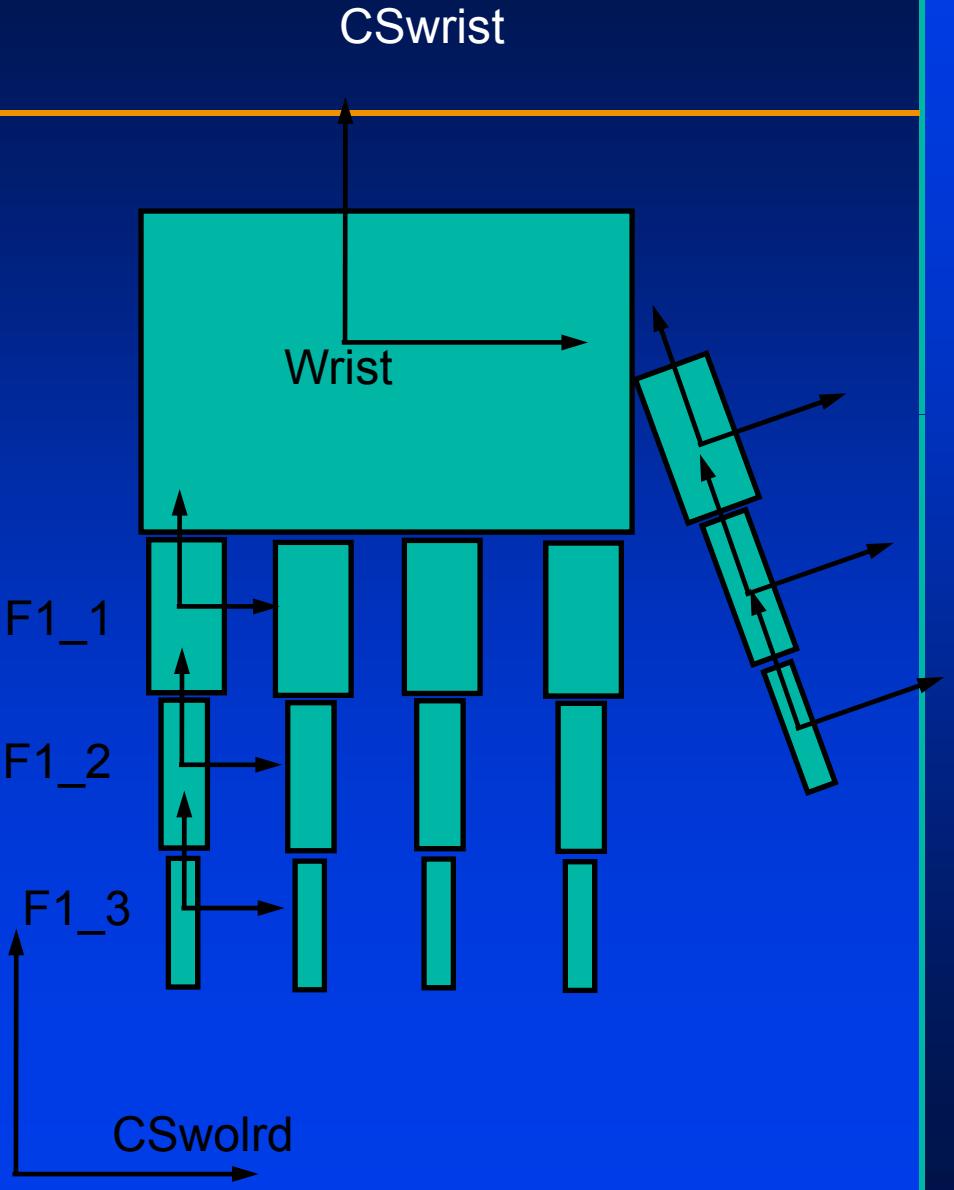


Hierarchy

$CSF1_1 = T1_1(CS wrist)$

$CSF1_2 = T1_2(CSF1_1)$

$CSF1_3 = T1_3(CSF1_2)$



How to think about transformations

OpenGL code

- Transformations of coordinate systems TOP to BOTTOM
- Transformations of objects BOTTOM to TOP

Which one do we use to think of transformations?

- Whichever we like
- Usually both

Example:

***Given a unit cube center at the origin create
a cube as shown in the next slide***

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OpenGL Code: Result:

```
glTranslatef(2,1,0);
glRotatef(45,0,0,1);
glScalef(3,1,1);
glTranslatef(0.5,-0.5,0);
drawCube();
```

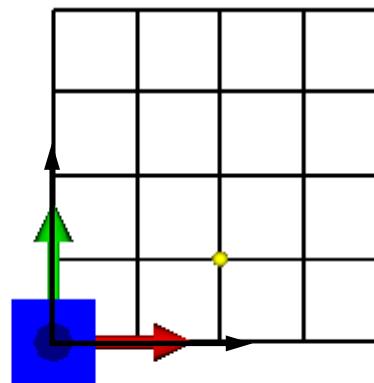
The window title is "c:\users\pfal\courses\cs174\code\transfExplanation\anim.exe". The OpenGL code section contains five lines of GL commands: glTranslatef(2,1,0);, glRotatef(45,0,0,1);, glScalef(3,1,1);, glTranslatef(0.5,-0.5,0);, and drawCube();. The result section shows a 3D coordinate system with a grid floor. A blue cube is positioned at (2, 1, 0) and rotated 45 degrees around the z-axis. A red arrow points along the positive x-axis, and a green arrow points along the positive y-axis. A yellow dot marks the center of the cube's top face.

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CS Method: TOP to BOTTOM thinking



Each new transf with respect to the NEW system!

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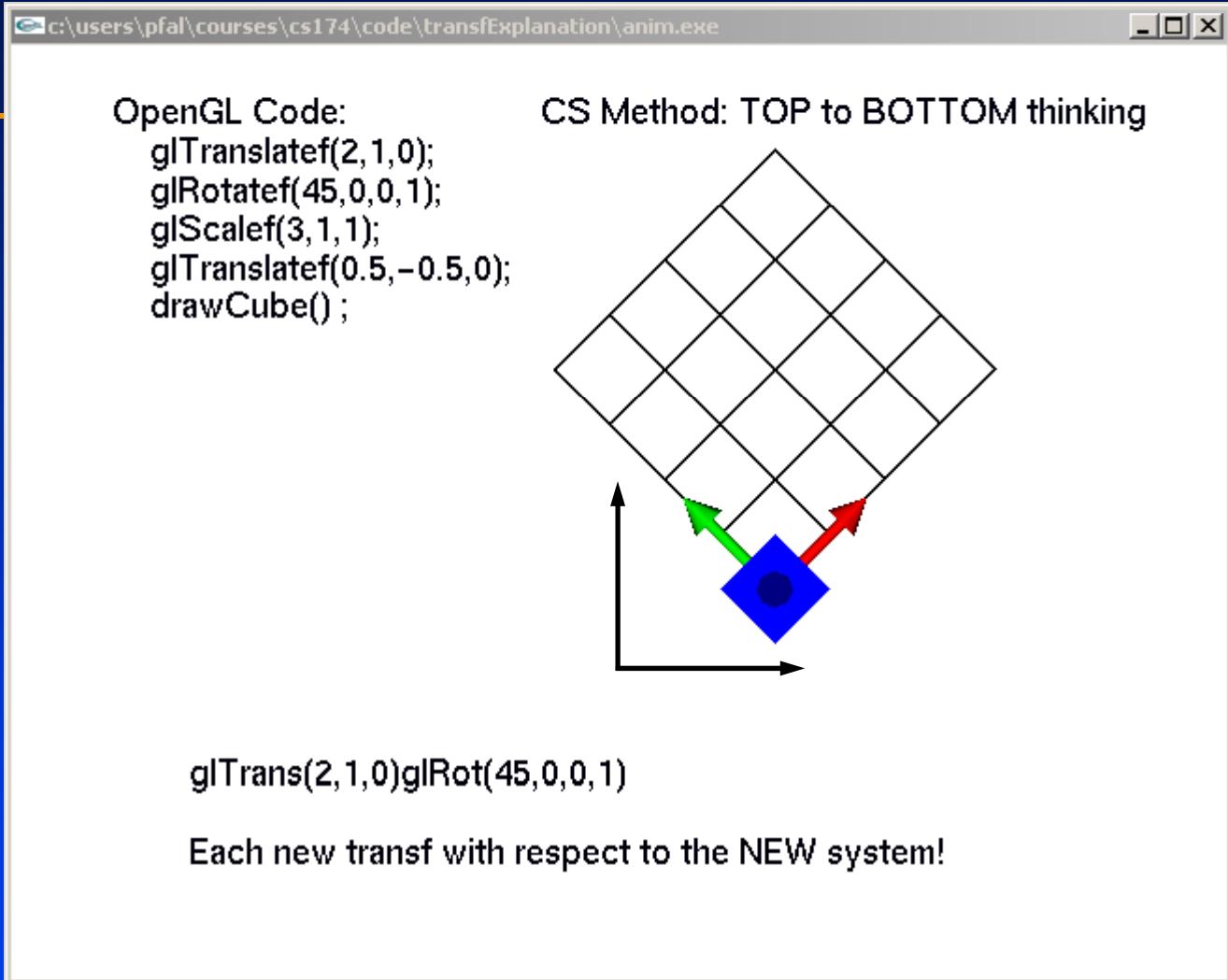
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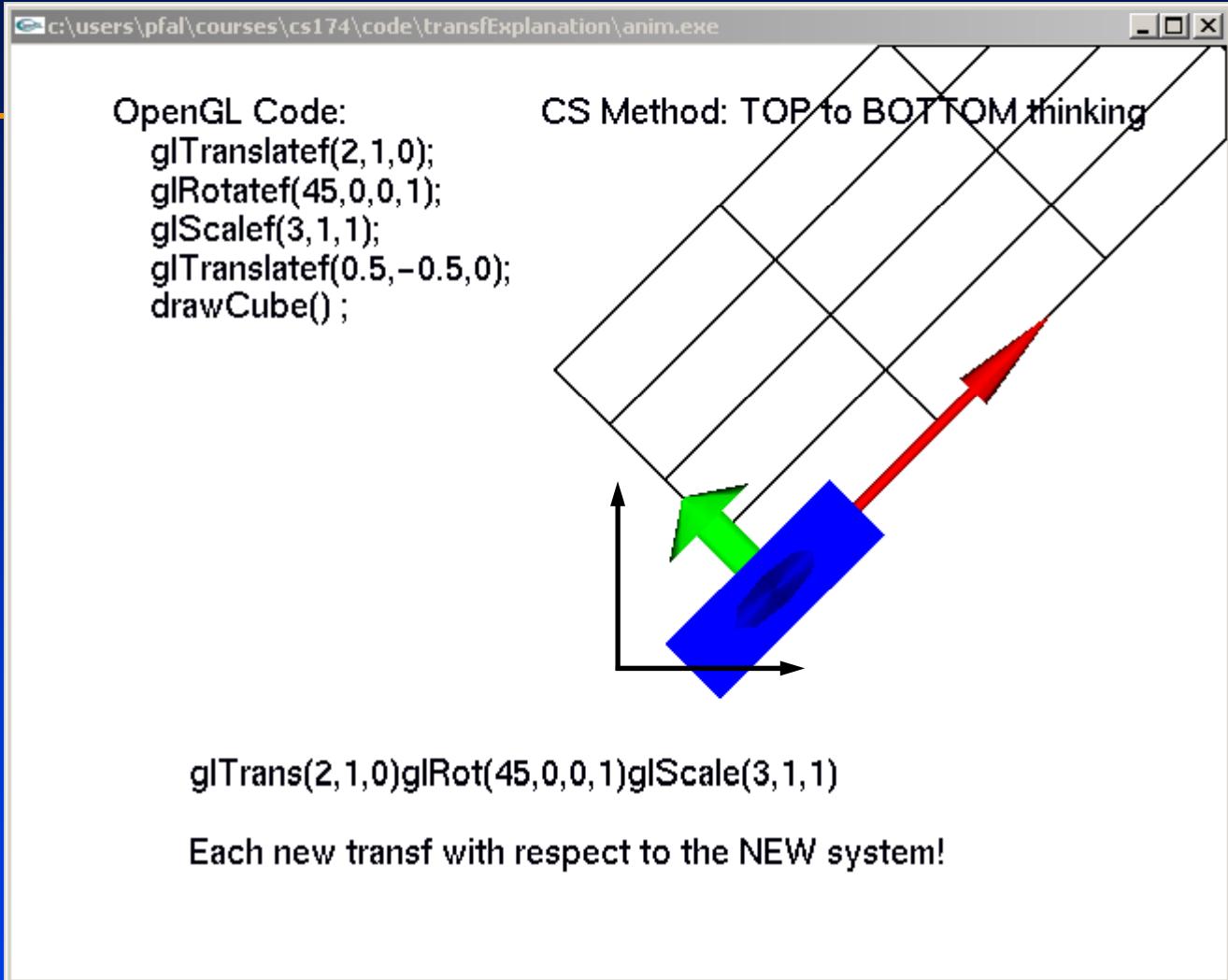
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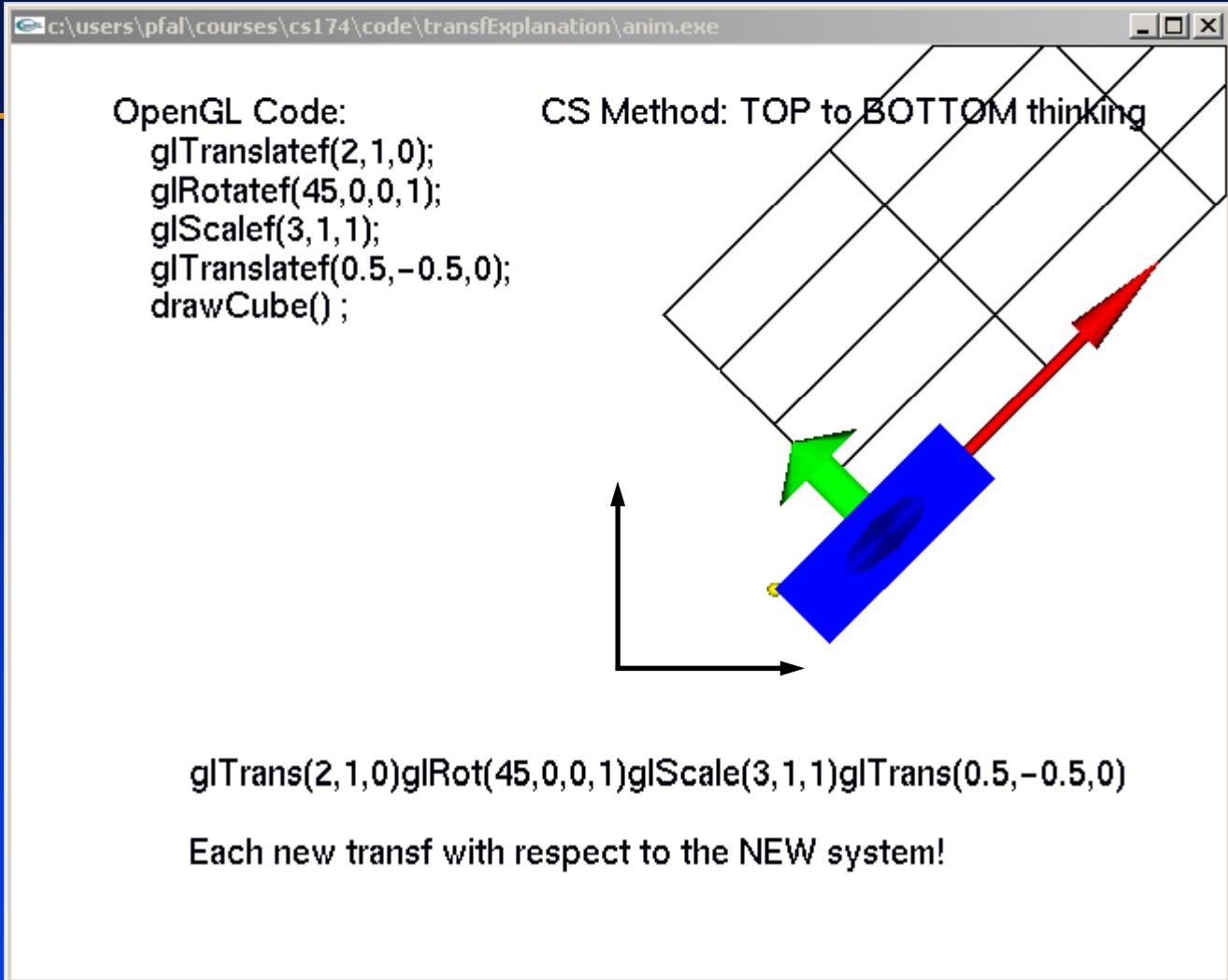
CS Method: TOP to BOTTOM thinking

glTrans(2,1,0)

Each new transf with respect to the NEW system!





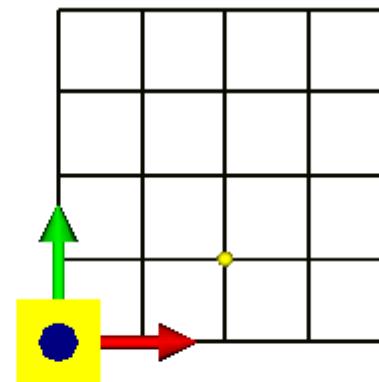


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Object Method: Thinking BOTTOM to TOP



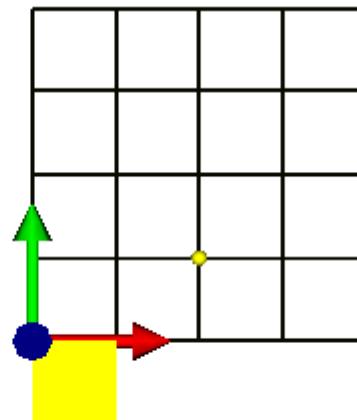
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Object Method: Thinking BOTTOM to TOP



glTrans(0.5,-0.5,0)

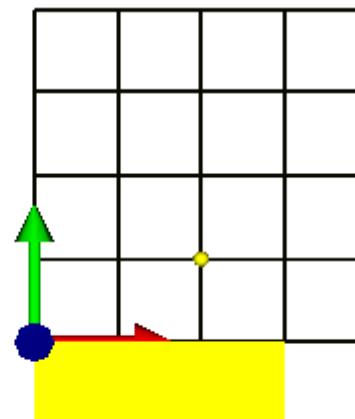
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Object Method: Thinking BOTTOM to TOP



glScale(3,1,1)glTrans(0.5,-0.5,0)

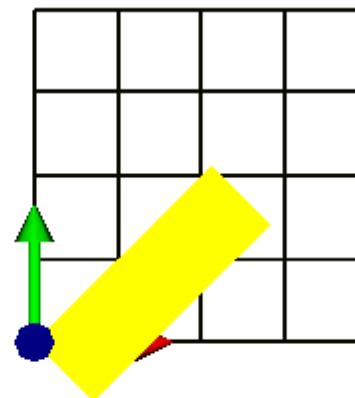
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glRot(45,0,0,1)glScale(3,1,1)glTrans(0.5,-0.5,0)

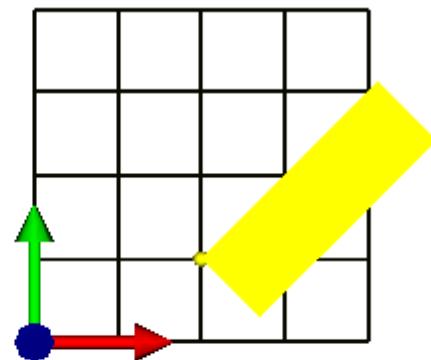
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Hybrid way of thinking

Use TOP to BOTTOM to position a coordinate system

Then use BOTTOM to TOP to position the objects within that system

Often it is easier to do it in the opposite order