From Manual Drafting to CAD

- Electronic drafting using a Computer-Aided Drafting (CAD) system
- Computer graphics and geometric modeling
- Design modeling using an advanced CAD/CAE/CAM system
- Finite element analysis
- Engineering optimization
- Virtual (Soft) prototyping

Questions

- What are the basic CAD techniques?
 - Geometric representation and transformation
 - Solid and surface modeling
 - Parametric modeling and parameter optimization
 - Pre- and post- processors for Finite Element Analysis
 - Design and Mfg. database management
- What are the differences between a conventional 2D electronic drafting package and a full-scale CAD/CAE/CAM system?

(Computer-Aided Design, Engineering and Manufacturing)

- What do we need to know to be a better user of the CAD system?
 - The basic CAD techniques
 - The capabilities and limitations of various CAD systems

Development of CAD

In 1960's

- mechanism design satisfying several geometric constraints
- design parameter optimization
- simple 2-D graphics

In 1970's

- wireframe modeling
- free-form surface modeling
 mainframe computers

Late 1970's

solid modeling

• Early 1980's

- CAD/CAM integration
- mechanical feature recognition from a CAD database

Development of CAD

• Middle 1980's

- feature-based CAD system mini and micro computers,
- parametric design
 PC's & Turnkey systems
 (Pro/ENGINEER Products)

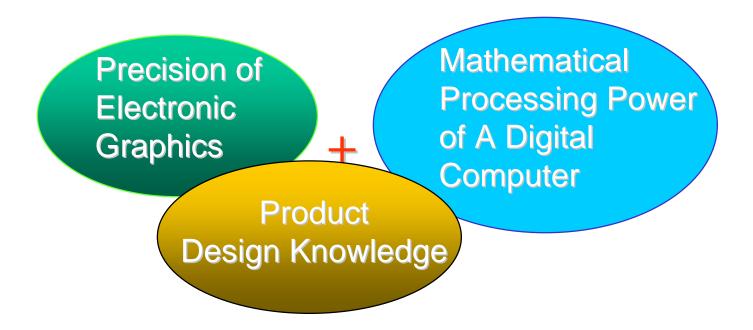
• Late 1980's

- design for manufacturing
- design for automated assembly

• 1990's

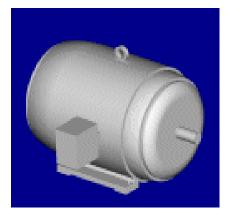
- concurrent engineering design
- integrated design, analysis and optimization
- virtual-prototyping workstations and high-end PCs
- 2000's
 - robust concurrent design optimization
 - virtual engineering & enterprise

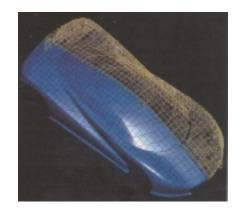
Unique Characteristics of A CAD System



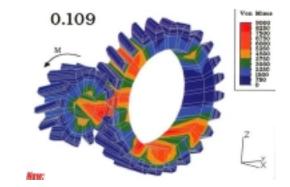
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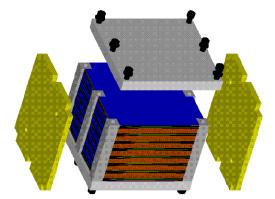


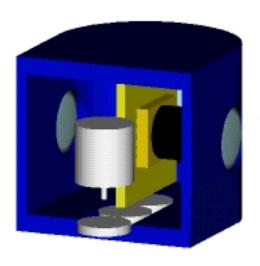












How is <u>Geometry</u> represented in a CAD system?

• Wireframe Model (low-level entities)

Points and Lines

Solid Model (middle to high-level entities)

Points, Primitives and Boolean Operations

• Surface Model (middle-level entities)

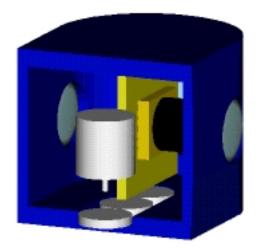
Points, Boundary and Control Curves; Surface Patches

Representation of Low-level Geometry Entities:

• Points: A 2D point – [x y]; and A 3D point – [x y z]

A vector representation of a 3D point: p = x i + y j + z k

- Lines: two points
- Planes: a collection of boundary lines
- Components: a collection of boundary planes

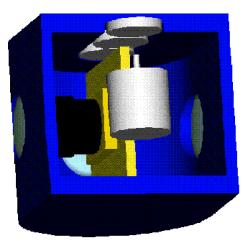


Why geometry transformation?

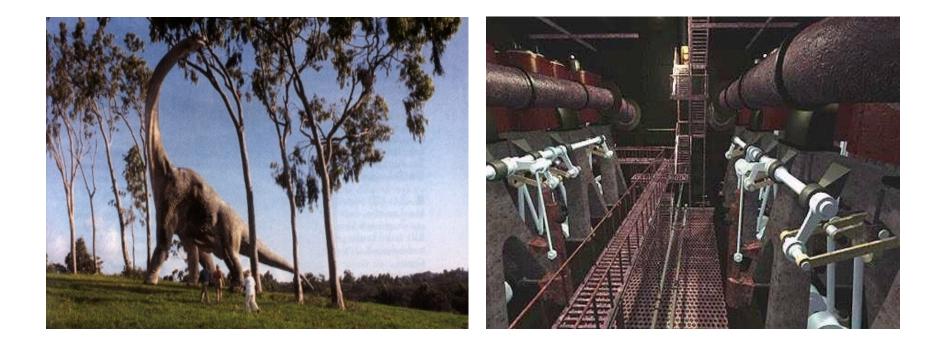
- Better understanding of the design
- Communication with customers
- Generating various outputs

Common transformations:

- Translation
- Rotation
- Scaling

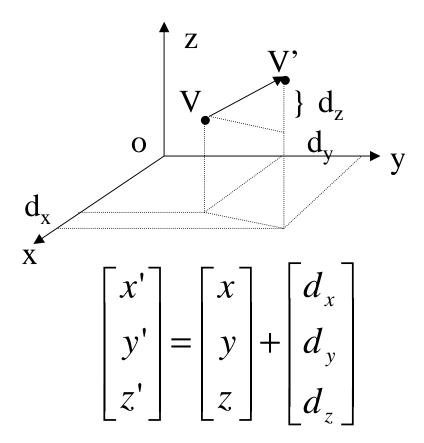


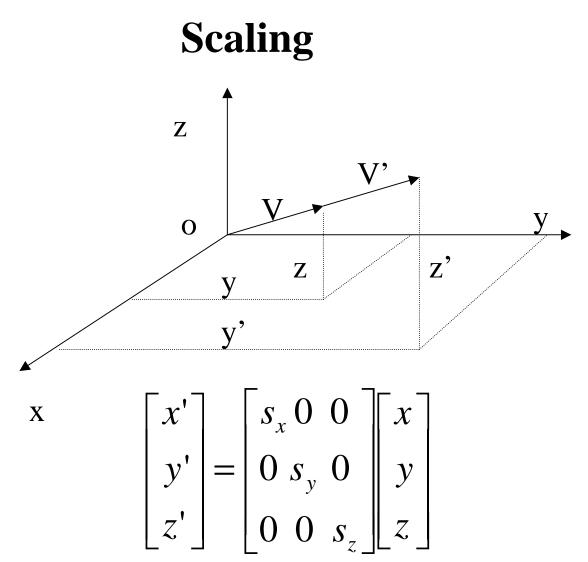
Applications of geometry transformation?

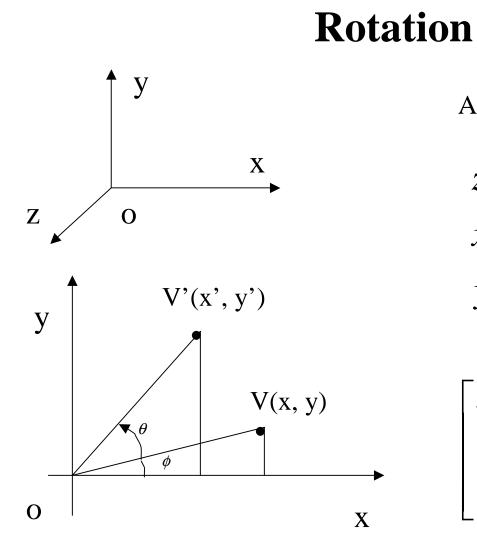


Translation

Translate point V(x, y, z) by (dx, dy, dz) to point V'(x', y', z')



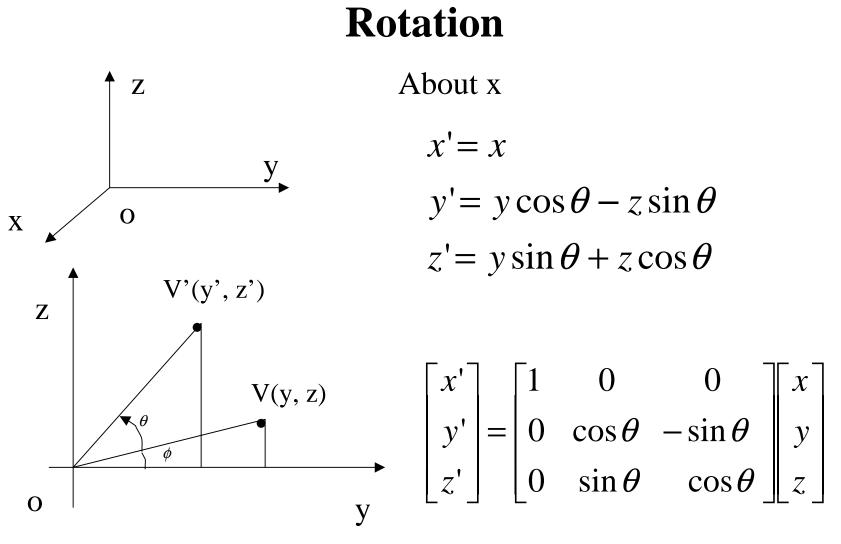


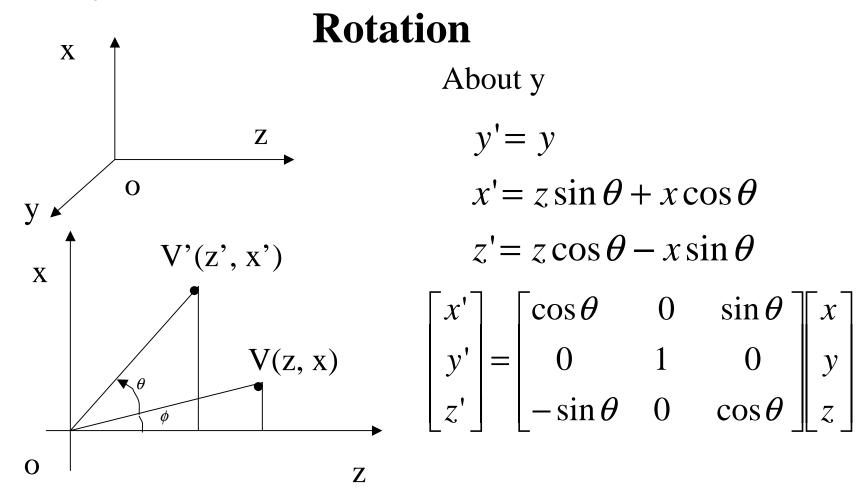


About z

z' = z $x' = x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta$ $y' = x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta & 0 \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \end{bmatrix}$$





Homogeneous Representation

The representation is introduced to express all geometric transformations in the from of matrix multiplication for the convenience of manipulation.

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ z' \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & d_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & d_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & d_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ z \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Dummy (n+1)th coordinate to facilitate multiplication

Homogeneous Representations

Scaling

$$[H] = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$
Rotation

$$[H_y] = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & 0 & \sin\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ -\sin\theta & 0 & \cos\theta & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Composition of Transformation

$$V' = [H_n][H_{n-1}] \cdots [H_1]V$$