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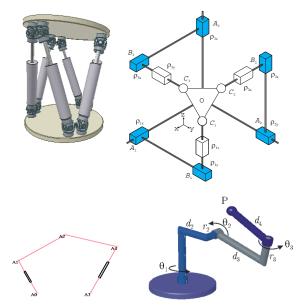
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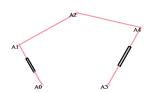
## Mechanisms



# **M**odeling

- Joint variables
  - $\bullet$   $r_1, r_2$
- Pose variables
  - X, Y
- Passive variables
  - $\theta_1, \theta_2$





Equations

$$(F) \left\{ \begin{array}{l} x = cos(\frac{2\pi}{3})r_1 + cos(\theta_1) \\ x = 1 + cos(\frac{\pi}{3})r_2 + cos(\theta_2) \\ y = sin(\frac{2\pi}{3})r_1 + sin(\theta_1) \\ y = 1 + sin(\frac{\pi}{3})r_2 + sin(\theta_2) \end{array} \right.$$

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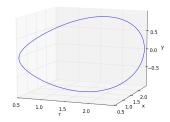
# Workspace, Joint space

- Q: joint space
- W: workspace



Parallel RPR-R

- Total space:  $Q \times W$ 
  - solutions of F:  $V(F) \subset W \times Q$

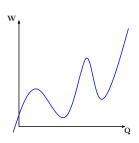


- Canonical projections:
  - $\pi_W:V(F)\to W$
  - $\pi_Q: V(F) \to W$

#### Serial robot

- Glossary:
  - P: prismatic joint
  - R: rotation joint
  - U: Cardan joint
  - S: spherical joint



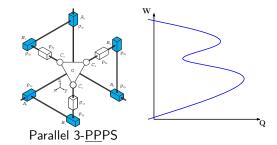


#### **Properties**

- Inverse Kinematics (IK) hard
- Forward Kinematics (FK) easy: 1 solutions

#### Parallel robot

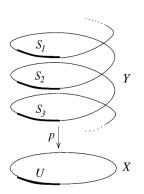
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#### **Properties**

- Inverse Kinemaics (IK) easy
- Forward Kinematics (FK) hard: several solutions
- 2 solutions can cross
  - loose of control
  - break

# Covering map



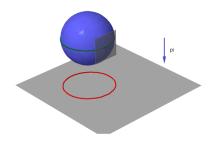
#### Definition

The continuous map  $f: S \rightarrow U$  is a covering map if:

$$f^{-1}(U) = S_1 \cup \cdots \cup S_k$$
 where  $\left\{ egin{array}{l} S_i \stackrel{f}{\simeq} U \ S_i \ ext{pairwise disjoint.} \end{array} 
ight.$ 

## Critical points

- $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  smooth variety of dimension p
- $\bullet$   $\pi:V \to \mathbb{R}^p$  canonical projection



#### Critical points

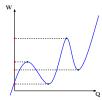
Let T(a) be the linear space tangent to V at point a. The critical points a of V for the projection  $\pi$  satisfy:

$$dim(\pi(T(a))) < p$$

#### Case of the serial robot

Hypothesis: V(F) smooth, bounded, equidimensional.

- FK: always 1 solution  $\Rightarrow \pi_Q : V(F) \to Q$  invertible
- IK: partition W in  $W_0, W_1, \ldots, W_k$  s.t.:
  - $W_0$  are the critical values of  $\pi_W$
  - $W_1, \ldots, W_k$  are the connected components of  $W \backslash W_0$
- Critical points of  $\pi_W$ : serial singularities



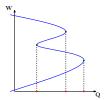
## Theorem (covering map and critical values)

For all  $1 \le i \le k$ , the restriction of  $\pi_W$  to  $\pi_W^{-1}(W_i)$  is a covering map above  $W_i$ .

# Case of parallel robot

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- IK: always 1 solution  $\Rightarrow \pi_W : V(F) \to W$  invertible
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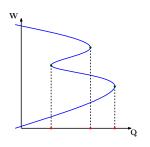
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## **Properties**

#### Case of parallel robots

- FK:  $F_q(x) = 0$ , system parametrized by q
- For fixed q, finitely many solutions (0-dimensional)
- $\pi_Q$  is not a covering map near q
  - ⇒ two sheets of solutions cross
  - $\Rightarrow F_q(x) = 0$  has singular solutions



#### • Remark: V(F)

- not bounded: take asymptotes into account
- not smooth: take singularities into account

## Computation

Hypothesis: V(F) smooth, bounded, equidimensional.

$$\underbrace{\frac{\partial F}{\partial q}}_{A} dq + \underbrace{\frac{\partial F}{\partial x}}_{B} dx = 0$$

Serial singularities

$$(S_s): F = 0, det(A) = 0$$

- $W_0$ , critical values of  $\pi_W$ : projection on  $x_i$  of solutions of  $(S_s)$
- $W_1, \ldots, W_k$ , complement of critical values

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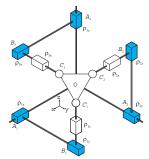
Parallel singularities

$$(S_p): F=0, det(B)=0$$

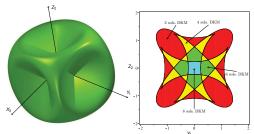
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## Example

- 3-PPPS:
  - Parallel
  - Joint variables:  $x_1, y_1, y_2, z_2, x_3, z_3$
  - Pose variables:  $p_x, p_y, p_z, \varphi, \theta, \sigma$



ullet Critical values of  $\pi_Q$ , and partition of Q

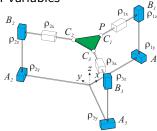


# Design challenges

- $E \subset W$  given shape
  - Design a parallel robot without singularities in E

$$\pi_W(\text{critical points of }\pi_Q) \cap E = \emptyset$$

- Maximise the volume of E (lecture P. Lairez)
- → design variables





## Demo

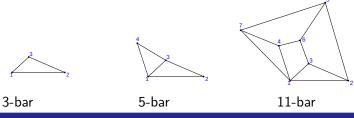
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## Modeling equations

- Linkages
- Rotations 3D
- Singularities

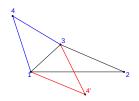
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# Planar Rigid Linkage: Laman Graph



## Constraints

- Fixed length bars: c<sub>ij</sub>
- Free revolute joints
- Zero degree of freedom



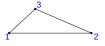
- Several assembly modes
- Number depends on c<sub>ij</sub>
- Max number of assembly modes?

Construction steps



Henneberg steps:  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

• 3-bar rigid linkage

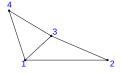


Construction steps



Henneberg steps:  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

• 5-bar rigid linkage

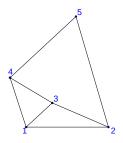


Construction steps



Henneberg steps:  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

• 7-bar rigid linkage

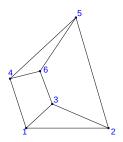


Construction steps



Henneberg steps:  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

• 9-bar rigid linkage

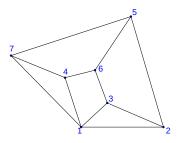


Construction steps



Henneberg steps:  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

• 11-bar rigid linkage



## Known properties

#### Theorem

A linkage is rigid  $\Leftrightarrow$  It can be constructed with  $H_1$  and  $H_2$ 

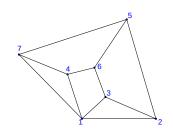
#### Corollary

$$\#Links = 2\#Joints - 3$$

# Algebraic Modeling I

- $c_{ii}$ : 10 parameters
- $x_i, y_i$ : 14 variables

$$\begin{cases} x_1 = 0, y_1 = 0 \\ x_2 = 1, y_2 = 0 \end{cases}$$



$$\begin{cases} x_3^2 + y_3^2 &= c_{13} \\ (x_3 - 1)^2 + y_3^2 &= c_{23} \\ (x_5 - 1)^2 + y_5^2 &= c_{25} \\ (x_6 - x_3)^2 + (y_6 - y_3)^2 &= c_{36} \\ x_4^2 + y_4^2 &= c_{14} \end{cases} \begin{cases} x_7^2 + y_7^2 &= c_{17} \\ (x_6 - x_4)^2 + (y_6 - y_4)^2 &= c_{46} \\ (x_5 - x_6)^2 + (y_5 - y_6)^2 &= c_{56} \\ (x_7 - x_5)^2 + (y_7 - y_5)^2 &= c_{57} \\ (x_4 - x_7)^2 + (y_4 - y_7)^2 &= c_{47} \end{cases}$$

$$x_7^2 + y_7^2 = c_{17}$$

$$(x_6 - x_4)^2 + (y_6 - y_4)^2 = c_{46}$$

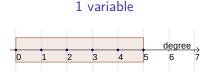
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#### Number of solutions

Mixed Volume: n! Volume(Support) (same support)



2 variables

$$1 - X + 3X^2 - X^3 + 6X^4 - 5X^5 = 0$$

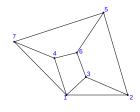
$$1 - X + 3X^{2} - X^{3} + 6X^{4} - 5X^{5} = \begin{cases} 1 - X^{4}Y^{2} + 7X^{4}Y^{3} - 4X^{3}Y^{4} = 0\\ 8 + 6X^{4}Y^{2} - 5X^{4}Y^{3} - X^{3}Y^{4} = 0 \end{cases}$$

• Our system: 2<sup>10</sup>

# Algebraic Modeling II

• Cayley-Menger matrix or distance matrix

|                       |    | $v_1$                  | <i>V</i> <sub>2</sub>  | <i>V</i> 3             | <i>V</i> 4             | <i>V</i> 5             | <i>v</i> <sub>6</sub>  | <i>V</i> 7             |   |
|-----------------------|----|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|---|
|                       | Γ0 | 1                      | 1                      | 1                      | 1                      | 1                      | 1                      | 1                      | ٦ |
| $v_1$                 | 1  | 0                      | <i>c</i> <sub>12</sub> | <i>c</i> <sub>13</sub> | <i>c</i> <sub>14</sub> | X <sub>15</sub>        | <i>X</i> <sub>16</sub> | <i>c</i> <sub>17</sub> |   |
| <i>v</i> <sub>2</sub> | 1  | <i>c</i> <sub>12</sub> | 0                      | <i>C</i> <sub>23</sub> | X <sub>24</sub>        | <i>C</i> <sub>25</sub> | <i>X</i> 26            | X27                    | l |
| <i>V</i> 3            | 1  | <i>c</i> <sub>13</sub> | <i>c</i> <sub>23</sub> | 0                      | <i>X</i> 34            | <i>X</i> 35            | <i>C</i> <sub>36</sub> | <i>X</i> 37            | - |
| <i>V</i> 4            | 1  | <i>C</i> <sub>14</sub> | X <sub>24</sub>        | <i>X</i> 34            | 0                      | <i>X</i> 45            | C <sub>46</sub>        | C47                    | ١ |
| <i>V</i> <sub>5</sub> | 1  | <i>X</i> <sub>15</sub> | <i>C</i> <sub>25</sub> | <i>X</i> 35            | <i>X</i> 45            | 0                      | <i>C</i> 56            | <i>C</i> 57            | ١ |
| <i>v</i> <sub>6</sub> | 1  | <i>x</i> <sub>16</sub> | <i>X</i> <sub>26</sub> |                        | <i>c</i> <sub>46</sub> |                        | 0                      | <i>x</i> <sub>67</sub> | ١ |
| <i>v</i> <sub>7</sub> |    | <i>c</i> <sub>17</sub> | <i>X</i> <sub>27</sub> | <i>X</i> 37            | C <sub>47</sub>        | <i>C</i> <sub>57</sub> | <i>X</i> 67            | 0                      |   |



#### Theorem

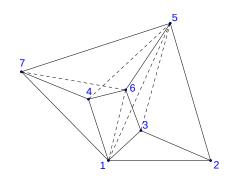
The distance matrix has rank 4.

## Corollary

All the 5x5 minors vanish.

## Algebraic Modeling II

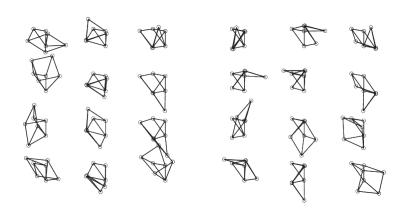
$$\begin{array}{lll} \left( \begin{array}{l} D(0,4,5,6,7)(c_{46},c_{47},c_{56},c_{57},x_{45},x_{67}) & = & 0 \\ D(0,1,4,6,7)(c_{14},c_{17},c_{46},c_{47},x_{16},x_{67}) & = & 0 \\ D(0,1,4,5,7)(c_{14},c_{17},c_{47},c_{57},x_{15},x_{45}) & = & 0 \\ D(0,1,2,3,5)(c_{12},c_{13},c_{25},c_{23},x_{15},x_{35}) & = & 0 \\ D(0,1,3,5,6)(c_{13},c_{36},c_{56},x_{15},x_{16},x_{35}) & = & 0 \end{array} \right)$$



- Upper bound
  - Mixed volume: 56
- Lower Bound?

# Sampling





# Number of assembly modes

#### Maximal number of assembly modes

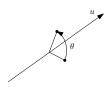
| bars  | 3 | 5 | 7 | 9  | 11 | 13  | 15  | 17  |
|-------|---|---|---|----|----|-----|-----|-----|
| upper | 2 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 56 | 136 | 344 | 880 |
| lower | 2 | 4 | 8 | 24 | 56 | 136 | 344 | 860 |

- [Bartzosa, Emiris, Legerský, Tsigaridas 2021]
- Started in 2002 with Borcea
- Bartzosa, Borcea, Emiris, Legerský, M., Streinu, Capco, Gallet, Grasegger, Koutschan, Lubbes, Schicho, Tsigaridas, ...

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#### Rotations matrix in 3D

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 & x_2 & x_3 \\ y_1 & y_2 & y_3 \\ z_1 & z_2 & z_3 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$R^TR = I$$

- Action of R is a rotation by  $\theta$  around an axe u
- Set of rotation has dim 3

#### Euler matrix

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

$$R_{y}(\varphi) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\varphi) & 0 & \sin(\varphi) \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ -\sin(\varphi) & 0 & \cos(\varphi) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R_{\mathbf{z}}(\psi) = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\psi) & \sin(\psi) & 0 \\ -\sin(\psi) & \cos(\psi) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R = R_z(\psi)R_y(\varphi)R_x(\theta)$$
 or  $R = R_z(\psi)R_y(\varphi)R_z(\theta)$ 

## Quaternions matrix

$$q_i^2 + q_j^2 + q_k^2 + q_r^2 = 1$$

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} 1 - 2(q_j^2 + q_k^2) & 2(q_iq_j - q_kq_r) & 2(q_iq_k + q_jq_r) \\ 2(q_iq_j + q_kq_r) & 1 - 2(q_i^2 + q_k^2) & 2(q_jq_k - q_iq_r) \\ 2(q_iq_k - q_jq_r) & 2(q_jq_k + q_iq_r) & 1 - 2(q_i^2 + q_j^2) \end{pmatrix}$$

Rotation of axe:  $(q_i, q_i, q_k)$ angle:  $2 \arccos(q_r)$ 

# Anti-symmetric matrix - Exponential map

In 2D

$$\theta \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{pmatrix}$$

In 3D

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & z & -y \\ -z & 0 & x \\ y & -x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R = e^A$$

Rotation of axe: (x, y, z)angle:  $\|(x, y, z)\|_2$ 

# Anti-symmetric matrix - Cayley transform

In 2D

$$t = \tan\left(\frac{\theta}{2}\right) \Rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} & \frac{-2t}{1+t^2}\\ \frac{2t}{1+t^2} & \frac{1-t^2}{1+t^2} \end{pmatrix}$$

In 3D

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & z & -y \\ -z & 0 & x \\ y & -x & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$R = (I - A)(I + A)^{-1}$$

Rotation of axe: (x, y, z)

angle:  $2 \arctan(\|(x, y, z)\|_2)$ 

#### Plücker coordinates



How many lines intersect 4 given lines?

#### Plücker coordinates

$$P_{1} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1} \\ y_{1} \\ z_{1} \end{pmatrix} \quad P_{2} = \begin{pmatrix} x_{2} \\ y_{2} \\ z_{2} \end{pmatrix} \quad M = \begin{pmatrix} x_{1} & x_{2} \\ y_{1} & y_{2} \\ z_{1} & z_{2} \\ 1 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

#### Definition

The Plücker coordinates of the line  $(P_1P_2)$  are the 6 minors of M

$$(d_x, d_y, d_z, m_x, m_y, m_z) = (P_2 - P_1, OP_1 \times OP_2)$$

•  $(d, m) \in \mathbf{P}_5$  is on the Klein quadric

$$d \cdot m = 0$$

• Lines (d, m) and (d', m') intersect implies

$$d \cdot m' + m \cdot d' = 0$$

## Plücker coordinates



 $0,1,2\ \mbox{or}$  infinitely many lines cross the 4 given lines

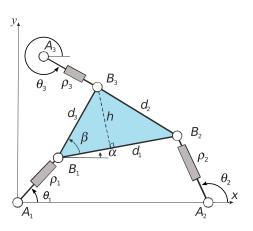
## Singularity modeling

$$f_1(q,x),\ldots,f_m(q,x)$$

$$B = \begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_1} \cdots \frac{\partial}{\partial x_m} \\ \vdots \\ f_m \end{array} \left( \begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j} \\ \end{array} \right)$$

- det(B) multi-linear in its columns/rows
- $\bullet$  det(B) of deg 1 in  $x_j$  leads to a parametrization of the singularities
- Simplifies the analysis of the singularities, as in the 3-RPR [Coste 2012]

## Plan parallel robot 3-RPR

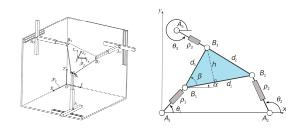


- 3 degrees of freedom
- $d_1, d_2, d_3, A_1, A_2, A_3$  fixed
- Joint variables:  $r_1, r_2, r_3$
- Pose variables:  $\alpha, B_{1x}, B_{1y}$

## Demo

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## Singularity of parallel manipulator with Plücker vectors



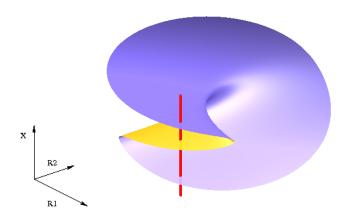
#### Remark

If the leg-platorm joints are spherical, the rows of the inverse kinematic Jacobian matrix  $A^{-1}B$  will involve the Plücker coordinates of lines associated to the legs.

singularities can be interpreted geometrically

## Cuspidal configuration

- Cuspidal point: point of order  $\geq 3$
- Characterization: A cuspidal robot has at least one cuspidal point



## Demo

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## Further reading





# À suivre

## Solving systems

- With initial point
  - Newton
- Without initial point
  - Symbolic approaches
  - Numerical approaches

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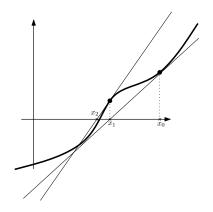
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## Newton

$$f(x) = 0$$



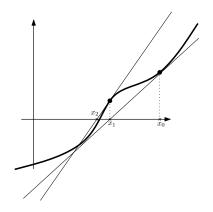
$$x_0 = initial point$$

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## Newton

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Good for path tracking

#### Reliable Newton with Kantorovich

$$K(f, x_0) = \sup_{x} \|Df(x_0)^{-1}D^2f(x)\|$$
$$\beta(f, x_0) = \|Df(x_0)^{-1}f(x_0)\|$$

## Theorem (Kantorovich)

If  $\beta(f,x_0)K(f,x_0)\leqslant 1/2$ , then f has a unique solution in  $B(x_0,2\beta(f,x_0))$ .

### Reliable Newton with Smale

$$\gamma(f, x_0) = \sup_{k \ge 2} \|Df(x_0)^{-1} \frac{D^k f(x_0)}{k!}\|^{\frac{1}{k-1}}$$
$$\beta(f, x_0) = \|Df(x_0)^{-1} f(x_0)\|$$

## Theorem (Smale)

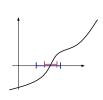
If 
$$\beta(f, x_0)\gamma(f, x_0) \leq 3 - 2\sqrt{2}$$
, then  $f$  has a unique solution in  $B(x_0, \frac{1-\sqrt{2}/2}{\gamma(f, x_0)})$ .

#### Reliable interval Newton

#### B a box interval containing p

#### 1 variable

$$N(x) = p - \left(\frac{f(x) - f(p)}{x - p}\right)^{-1} f(p)$$
  
 $N(B) \subset B \Rightarrow N \text{ has a fix point in } B$   
 $\Rightarrow f \text{ has a solution in } B$ 



#### 2 variables or more

$$N(B) = p - \Box J(B)^{-1} \begin{pmatrix} f(p) \\ g(p) \end{pmatrix}$$
  
 $N(B) \subset B \Rightarrow f = g = 0$  has a solution in  $B$ 

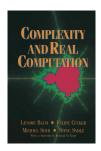


#### Interval operations

$$[a,b] \oplus [c,d] = [a+c,b+d]$$

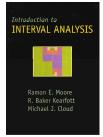
$$[a,b] \otimes [c,d] = [min(ac,ad,bc,bd), max(ac,ad,bc,bd)]$$

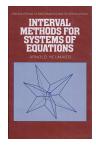
## Further reading

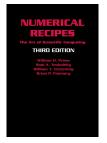












## Further computing

#### Computer Algebra Systems

- Maple
- Mathematica
- Mathemagix (mmx)
- Matlab
- SageMath
- Xcas
- ...

#### Numerical Newton

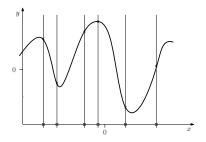
- Boost (C++)
- MPSolve (C) [Bini, Fiorentino, Robol]
- GNU Scientific Library (C)
- Roots, Optim, NLsolve (Julia)
- Scipy (Python)
- ...

#### Interval and ball arithmetic Libraries

- Arb (C, Python) [Johansson]GAOL (C++) [Goualard]
- Intlab (Octave/Matlab) [Rump]mpfi (C) [Revol]
- numerix (mmx, C++) [van der Hoeven]
- IntervalArithmetic (Julia) [Benet,Sanders]
- ...

## Univariate Representation

Reduce problem to univariate polynomial



$$p(x) = 0$$
$$y = q(x)$$

### Resultant definition

## Given two polynomials in $\mathbb{C}[y]$ :

• 
$$P = p_0 y^d + \cdots + p_d$$
 with roots  $\sigma_1, \ldots, \sigma_d$ 

• 
$$Q = q_0 y^d + \cdots + q_d$$
 with roots  $\tau_1, \ldots, \tau_d$ 

#### Definition: Resultant

$$Res(P,Q) = p_0^d q_0^d \prod_{i,j} (\sigma_i - \tau_j)$$

$$= p_0^d Q Q (\sigma_1) \cdots Q (\sigma_d)$$

$$= (-1)^{d^2} q_0^d P (\tau_1) \cdots P (\tau_d)$$

#### Resultant definition

#### Bezout

$$\begin{array}{ccccc} \varphi: & \mathbb{C}[y]_{d-1} & \times & \mathbb{C}[y]_{d-1} & \to \mathbb{C}[y]_{2d-1} \\ & U & , & V & \mapsto UP + VQ \\ \\ & \varphi(U,V) = 1 & \Leftrightarrow \gcd(P,Q) = 1 \\ & \Leftrightarrow \varphi \text{ invertible} \end{array}$$

- Resultant *r* is the determinant of the Sylvester Matrix
- $r \in \langle P, Q \rangle = I$

#### Definition: Sylvester matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix}
p_0 & q_0 & \\
p_1 & p_0 & q_1 & q_0 \\
p_2 & p_1 & p_0 & q_2 & q_1 & q_0 \\
p_3 & p_2 & p_1 & p_0 & q_3 & q_2 & q_1 & q_0 \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots
\end{pmatrix}$$

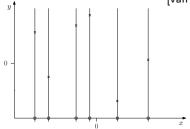
#### Bivariate case

Given two polynomials in  $\mathbb{C}[x,y]$  of degree d in x and y:

$$P = p_0(x)y^d + \cdots + p_d(x)$$

• 
$$P = p_0(x)y^d + \dots + p_d(x)$$
  
•  $Q = q_0(x)y^d + \dots + q_d(x)$ 

- Res(P,Q) is a polynomial in x
- $O(n^{3-1/\omega+\varepsilon})$  arithmetic operations [Villard 2018]
- $O(n^{2+\varepsilon})$  randomized in a finite field [van der Hoeven, Lecerf 2019]



$$Res_d(P(x,y),Q(x,y))(\alpha) = Res_d(P(\alpha,y),Q(\alpha,y))$$

#### First subresultant definition

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## **Properties**

- $Sres_1 = s_1y + s_0$  has degree at most 1
- $Sres_1 \in \langle P, Q \rangle = I$

#### Definition: first subresultant

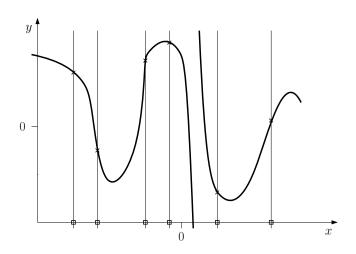
$$Sres_1(P,Q) = p_0^{d-1} \quad \left( (y - \sigma_1) \prod_{j \neq 1} \frac{Q}{\sigma_j - \sigma_1} + \dots + (y - \sigma_d) \prod_{j \neq d} \frac{Q}{\sigma_j - \sigma_d} \right)$$

#### First subresultant definition

The  $s_0$  and  $s_1$  are the determinants of minors of the Sylvester Matrix

## Sylvester matrix

## Parametrization of y



$$s_1(x)y + s_0(x) = 0$$
$$r(x) = 0$$

#### Three variables and more

$$f_1(x_1,\cdots,x_n)=\cdots=f_n(x_1,\cdots,x_n)=0$$

#### **Problem**

Find 
$$p(x_1) = q_1 f_1 + \cdots + q_n f_n$$

Matrix of  $1, x_1, \ldots, x_1^D$  modulo  $\langle f_1, \ldots, f_n \rangle$ 

$$M = egin{array}{cccc} & & & & 1 & & \cdots & & x_1^D \\ M = & \vdots & & & & & \\ & m_k & & & & & \end{array}$$

 $\Rightarrow$   $v \in Ker(M)$  iff  $v_0 + \cdots + v_D x^D \in \langle f_1, \ldots, f_n \rangle$ 

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#### **Problem**

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Matrix of multiplication by  $x_1$  modulo  $\langle f_1, \ldots, f_n \rangle$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} x_1 m_1 & \cdots & x_1 m_k \\ \vdots & & & \\ m_k & & \end{pmatrix}$$

 $\Rightarrow \chi_M(x_1) \in \langle f_1, \dots, f_n \rangle$ 

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Matrix of multiplication by  $x_1$  modulo  $f_1(x_1)$ 

$$M = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -c_0 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & -c_1 \\ 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 & -c_2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & -c_{d-1} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \chi_M(x_1) = f_1(x_1) \in \langle f_1 \rangle$$

## Normal form and univariate representation

#### Normal form

$$x_1m_i \mod \langle f_1,\ldots,f_n\rangle$$

• Euclidean division by Gröbner basis

#### Groebner Bases computation

• n>2 in  $\widetilde{O}((nd)^{(\omega+1)n})$  operations

- [Bardet, Faugère, Salvy 2015]
- n=2 in  $\widetilde{O}(d^2)$  with terse representation

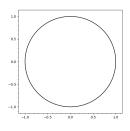
[van der Hoeven, Larrieu 2018]

#### Univariate Representation

- Multivariate subresultant
- Rational Univariate Representation [Kronecker 1882, Rouillier 1999]
  - u-resultant and its derivatives at point  $(t, a_1, \ldots, a_n)$

u-resultant = 
$$C \prod_{\zeta \mid F(\zeta) = 0} (u_0 + u_1 \zeta_n + \dots + u_n \zeta_n)$$

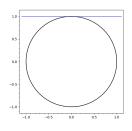
- Lexicographical Gröbner bases
  - Polynomial parametrization generically, bigger size



$$f(x,y)=0$$

## Theorem (Hensel lifting)

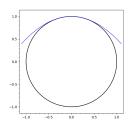
$$\begin{cases} y_0 &= \text{ root of } f(0, y) = 0 \\ y_{n+1}(x) &= y_n(x) - \frac{f(x, y_n(x))}{\frac{\partial f}{\partial y}(x, y_n(x))} \mod x^{2^{n+1}} \end{cases}$$



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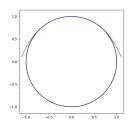
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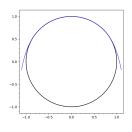
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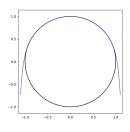
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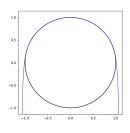
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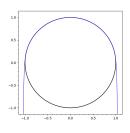
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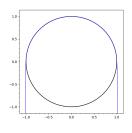
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$$f_1(x_1,x_2,x_3)=\cdots=f_3(x_1,x_2,x_3)=0$$

• RUR of  $f_1(x_1, x_2, 0)$  and  $f_2(x_1, x_2, 0)$ 

$$p_1(x_1) = 0$$
  $x_2 = q_{12}(x_1)$ 



• Lift  $x_3$  in  $f_1(x_1, x_2, x_3) = f_2(x_1, x_2, x_3) = 0$ 

$$\tilde{p}_1(x_1, x_3) = 0$$
  $x_2 = \tilde{q}_{12}(x_1, x_3)$ 



• RUR of  $\tilde{p}_{11}(x_1, x_3)$  and  $f_3(x_1, \tilde{q}_{12}(x_1, x_3), x_3)$ 

$$p_2(x_1) = 0$$
  $x_2 = q_{22}(x_1)$   $x_3 = q_{23}(x_1)$ 



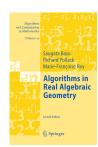


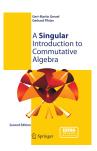
 $\widetilde{O}(d^{3n})$  operations [Giusti, Lecerf, Salvy 2001]

## Further reading

















## Further computing

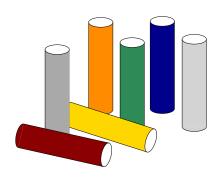
#### Computer Algebra systems

- Giac/xcas
- Maple
- Magma
- Mathemagix
- Mathematica
- Mcaulay2
- MuPAD
- SageMath
- Singular
- ...

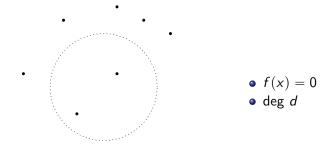
#### Special purpose libraries/software

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FGb (C) [Faugère]
Flint (C) [Hart]
msolve [Berthomieux, Eder, Safey El Din]
RS/RS3 (C) [Rouillier]
borderbasix (mmx, C++) [Trebuchet, Mourrain]
algebramix (mmx, C++) [van der Hoeven, Lecerf]
geomsolvex (mmx, C++) [Lecerf]
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Is it possible to arrange 7 infinite cylinders of unit radius such that they are mutually touching?



• We know the solutions of  $x^d - 1 = 0$ 

$$(1-t)(x^d-1) + tf(x) = 0$$

- Multivariate case: compute the mixed volume first
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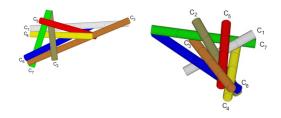


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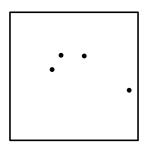
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2 arrangements of 7 cylinders mutually touching [Bozóki et al. 2015]



- Modeled with 20 equations in 20 variables
- Mixed volume 121 098 993 664
- First real solution after 80 000 000 paths
- Solution certified with Smale theorem

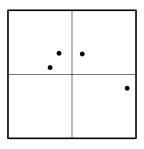


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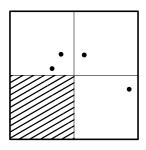


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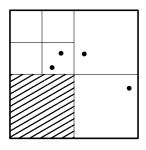
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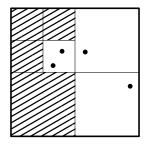
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Complexity analysis: continuous amortization [Burr, Krahmer, Yap, 2009]

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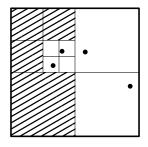


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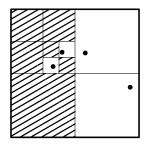


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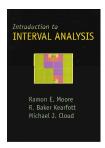
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## Further reading











## Further computing

Bertini (C++, Python)

#### Path continuation

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    Hom4PS (C++)

                                              [Tien-Yien Li, Tianran Chen, Tsung-Lin Lee]
  PHCpack (Ada)
                                                                            [Verschelde]
  analyziz (mmx, C++)
                                                                       [van der Hoeven]
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Subdivision multivariate
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  ibex (C++)
                                 [Chabert]
                                               ANewDsc (C) [Kobel,Rouillier,Sagraloff]
  Realpaver (C)
                      [Granvilliers]
                                               Clenshaw (C, Python)
  realroot (mmx, C++)
                                [Mourrain]
                                               Ccluster (C, Julia)
                                                                      [Imbach, Pan, Yap]
  subdivision_solver (C++,Python)
                                               real_roots (sage)
                                                                                [Wittv]
                                  [Imbach]
                                               RS (C)
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  voxelize (C++)
                                      [M.]

    SLV (C)

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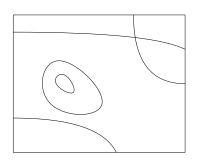
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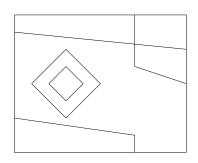
[Bates, Amethyst, Hauenstein, Sommese, Wampler]

## Drawing reliably the projection of the solution

- Isotopy
- Projection
- Orawing reliably

## Drawing hypersurfaces





### Definition (isotopy)

A triangulation T is isotope to  $V \subset \mathbb{R}^n$  if there exists  $\varphi: [0,1] \times T \to \mathbb{R}^n$  such that:

- $ullet \varphi$  is continuous
- $\varphi(0,T) = T$  and  $\varphi(1,T) = V$
- $\varphi_{t_0}: T \to \varphi(t_0, T)$  is an homeomorphism

## Size of the triangulation [Kerber and Sagraloff 2011]

$$f(x_1,\ldots,x_n)$$
 of degree  $d$ 

#### 2 variables

#### **Theorem**

In the worst case  $\Omega(d^2)$  vertices and  $O(d^2)$  segments

#### 3 variables

#### **Theorem**

In the worst case  $\Omega(d^3)$  vertices and  $O(d^5)$  triangles

#### n variables

#### **Theorem**

In the worst case  $\Omega(d^n)$  vertices and  $O(d^{3/4 \cdot 2^n - 1})$  simplices

## Size of the triangulation [Kerber and Sagraloff 2011]

f of degree d and vertices on the surface

#### 2 variables

### Theorem

In the worst case  $\Omega(d^{2/3})$  vertices and  $O(d^{2/3})$  segments

#### 3 variables

#### **Theorem**

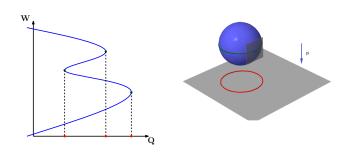
In the worst case  $\Omega(d^{\cancel{3}4})$  vertices and  $O(d^{\cancel{5}7})$  triangles

#### n variables

#### Theorem

In the worst case  $\Omega(d^{n+1})$  vertices and  $O(d^{3/4}2^{n}-1)$  simplices

### In Robotic



$$V$$
 solutions of  $f_1 = \cdots = f_k = \det(\frac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}) = 0$  in  $\mathbb{R}^n \times \mathbb{R}^k$ 

Goal: draw the projection of V in Q

## Projection



### Definition (Semi-algebraic)

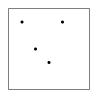
A semi-algebraic set is a set solution of a system of equalities and inequalities.

## Theorem (Tarski-Seidenberg)

The projection of a semi-algebraic set is semi-algebraic.

### Zariski closure







## Definition (Zariski closure)

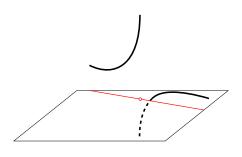
The Zariski closure of E is the minimal set  $\overline{E}$  containing E that is solution of a system of equalities.

### Theorem (elimination)

- V solution of  $p_1(q,x) = \cdots = p_{k+1}(q,x) = 0$
- ullet G Gröbner basis of F with respect to the lexdeg ordering with x>q
- $G_q$  the polynomials in  $G \cap \mathbb{Q}[q]$

$$\Rightarrow \pi_Q(V) = \text{ solutions of } G_q$$

## Projective elimination



$$p_1(q,x)=\cdots=p_{k+1}(q,x)=0$$

#### Theorem

If  $V_p$  is the projective closure of V in  $\mathbb{C}^n \times \mathbf{P}_k$ , then

$$\overline{\pi_Q(V)} = \pi_Q(V_p)$$

## Geometry of the elimination

$$x, y \in \mathbb{R}, z = a + ib \in \mathbb{C}$$

$$\begin{cases} 0 = f_1(x, y, a + ib) = & f_1(x, y, a) - \frac{b^2}{2} f_1''(x, y, a) + \cdots \\ & + ib \left( f_1'(x, y, a) - \frac{b^2}{6} f_1'''(x, y, a) + \cdots \right) \\ 0 = f_2(x, y, a + ib) = & f_2(x, y, a) - \frac{b^2}{2} f_2''(x, y, a) + \cdots \\ & + ib \left( f_2'(x, y, a) - \frac{b^2}{6} f_2'''(x, y, a) + \cdots \right) \end{cases}$$

Case b = 0: 2 equation in x, y, a

Case  $b \neq 0$ : 4 equation in x, y, a, b

 $\Rightarrow$  possibly isolated points with  $x, y \in \mathbb{R}$  and  $z \in \mathbb{C} \setminus \mathbb{R}$ 

In general:  $\pi_Q(V)$  can have stable real components of dim n-2

## Geometry of the projection

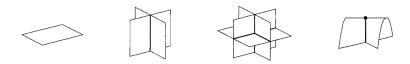


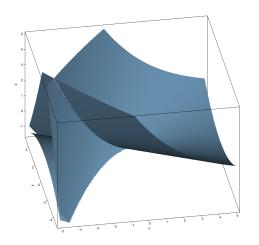
Figure 1: Local singularities of images of generic maps of surfaces into 3-space

[Guryonov 1997]

There exists a hypersurface  $\Delta \subset C^{\infty}(M,\mathbb{R}^3)$  s.t. if  $f \in C^{\infty}(M,\mathbb{R}^3) \setminus \Delta$ , then the neighborhood of any point of f(M) is one of the 4 above.

- Classification of generic singularities started with Whitney
- Thom introduced the transversality theorem
- Arnold and others provided numerous classifications

## Geometry of the projection

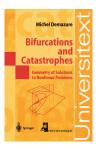


For the projection of critical points, we also have swallowtail singularities

## Further reading







## Further computing

#### Quantifier elimination

- Redlog (Reduce)
- RegularChains (Maple)
- Resolve (Mathematica)
- QEPCAD (C)
- Tarski (C++)
- ...

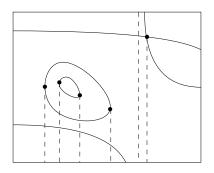
#### Satisfiability of formula

- RAGLib (Maple)
- RealCertify (Maple)
- RSolver (OCaml)
- TSSOS (Julia)
- ...

[Dolzmann, Sturm] [Moreno Maza et al] [Strzebonski] [Brown] [Brown]

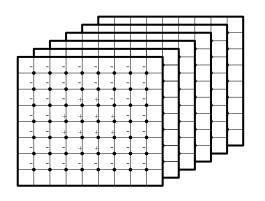
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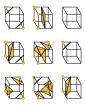
## Drawing with symbolic approach



- ullet Topology of curves in  $\widetilde{O}(d^6+ au d^5)$  operations [Kobel, Sagraloff, 2015], [Niang Diatta, Diatta, Rouillier, Roy, Sagraloff, submitted 2018]
- ullet Topology of surfaces with  $O(d^5)$  simplices [Berberich, Kerber, Sagraloff 2009]

## Marching cubes [Lorensen and Cline 1987]









- Evaluate f(x, y, z) of deg d on a grid of size  $N = n \times n \times n$
- For each cube, compute a triangle of the surface to plot

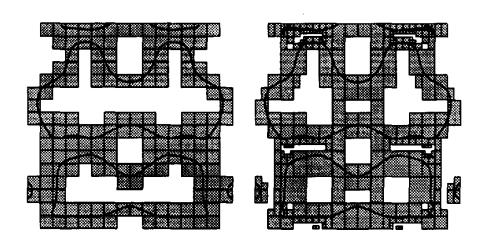
Complexity: Cost of evaluating f on 1 point with Hörner:  $O(d^3)$ 

Total naive:  $O(d^3n^3)$ 

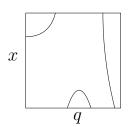
Reuse computation by coordinates:  $O(dn^3)$ 

## Subdivision pruning

Interval arithmetic to remove boxes [Snyder 1992, Plantinga-Vegter 2006]



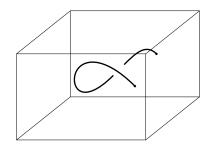
### Jacobian



$$0 
otin \det(J_X(B)) = \Box \det \left( \qquad rac{\partial f_i}{\partial x_j}(B) \qquad 
ight)$$

 $\Rightarrow$  V is globally parametrized by q in B

## Surface tracking



#### Regular case

First marching segments

[Dobkin et al. 1990]

First marching triangles

[Hilton et al. 1996]

Recent result on marching simplices, topology guaranteed

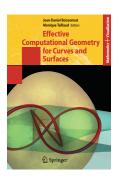
[Boissonnat, Kachanovich, Wintraecken, 2020]

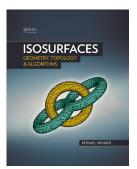
### Singular surfaces

Use isosingular deflation near singularities

[Bates, Brake, Hauenstein, Sommese, Wampler, 2014]

## Further reading





## Further computing

#### Drawing with symbolic approach

- algcurve (Maple)
- isotop (C, Maple)
- EXACUS (C++)

#### Drawing with subdivision

- axl (C++, mmx)
- ibex (C++)
- Realpaver (C)
- voxelize (C++)

#### Drawing with marching cube

- JuliaGeometry (Julia)
- scikit-image (C, python)
- MathMod (C++)

[Deconink, Patterson, van Hoeii] [Peñeranda, Pouget, Lazard, Rouillier] [Melhorn et al]

[Christoflorou, Mantzaflaris, Mourrain, Wintz] [Chabert] [Granvilliers] [M.]

#### Drawing with continuation

- bertini real
- CGAL (C++)
- GUDHI (C++)

[Brake et al] [Rineau, Yvinec]

[Kachanovich]

[Kelly]

[Taha]

[Lewiner]

# Merci!

## Open problems

- Complexity of gröbner bases in dimension 3 with terse representation?
- What are the actual bounds on the number of simplices in drawings in 3D, in nD?
- What if we use polynomial pieces of degree k instead of linear pieces?
- Reliable drawing of singular surfaces with prescribed singularities?