

Computer Graphics 2 Memory Protocol

- summer semester 2021, oral exam (no portfolio exam!)
- grade: oral exam + bonus points from exercises (over 70%, which were requirement for taking the exam)
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Topics

- first question: German / English
- second question: With which topic I would like to start ?
- parametric curves
 - what is it, mapping
 - regularity
 - generation
- bezier curves
 - what is it
 - bernstein polynom, properties
 - convex hull
- de casteljau algorithmen
 - Example at whiteboard, control points
 - draw point at 1/2
 - draw (qualitify) the curve
 - Question: What is the complexity class ? How do calculate the complexity ? ($O(n^2)$)
- tensor product surface
 - what is it
 - we need a regular grid
 - how to apply de casteljau here ?
 - how would I get the normals ?
 - when is it regular ?
- polygon mesh
 - what data structures are there (which include neighborhood information) ?
 - orientability
 - how does it work ? what are we storing
 - how to traverse around a vertex?
 - Question: Why do we store a opposite halfedge on the border ?
 - Cut border algorithmen
 - what is it ?
 - how does it work ?
 - difference between split an union operation
 - operations are deterministic!
 - what are the operations doing ?
- implicit function
 - construct from point cloud
 - how do we do it ?

- normals given, alpha constraints
- using RBF or moving least squares
- moving least squares
 - how do it work ?
 - how does the weighting function looks like ? (compact support)
 - linear equation system: how do we get out ? (polynom coefficient)