CSCI 420 Computer Graphics
Lecture 5

Transformations

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Vector Spaces
Euclidean Spaces
Frames
Homogeneous Coordinates
Transformation Matrices
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OpenGL Transformations
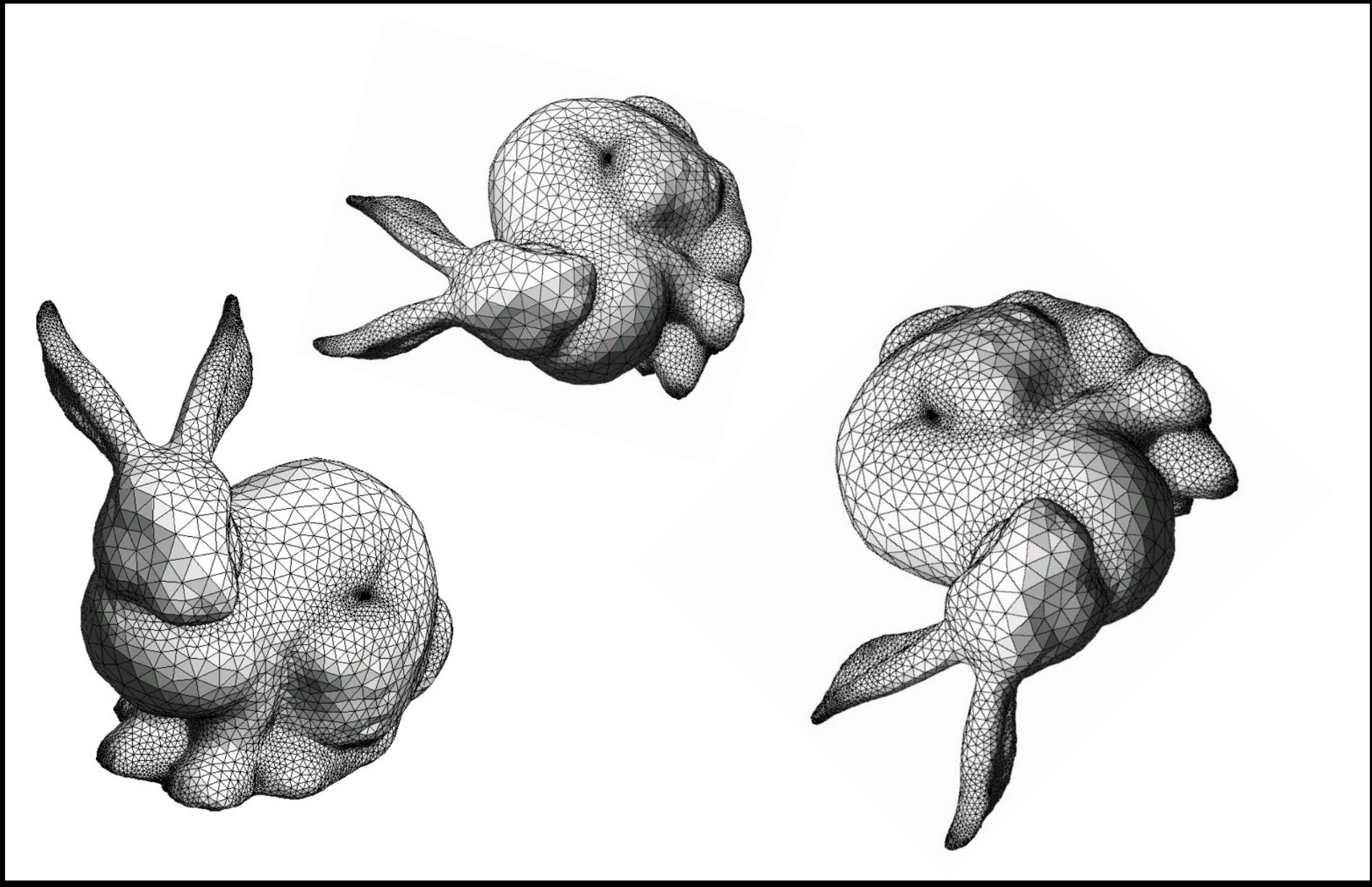
OpenGL Transformation Matrices

- Model-view matrix (4x4 matrix)
- Projection matrix (4x4 matrix)

vertices in 3D (object space) → | Model-view | → vertices in the camera coordinate system → | Projection | → vertices in 2D →
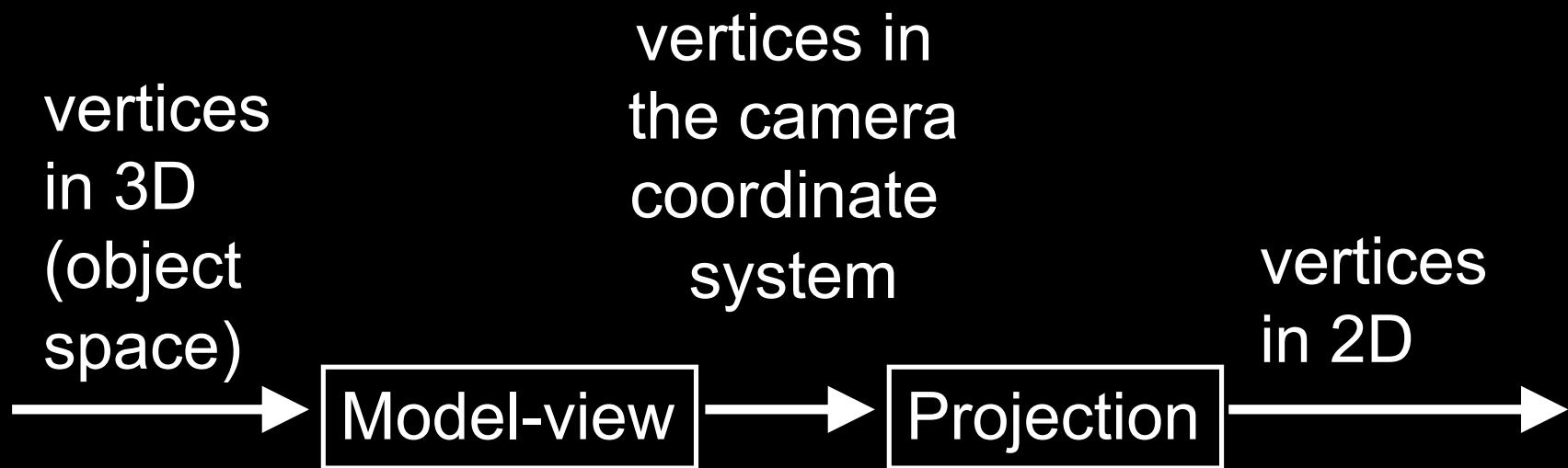
4x4 Model-view Matrix (this lecture)

- Translate, rotate, scale objects
- Position the camera

vertices in 3D (object space)

vertices in the camera coordinate system

vertices in 2D

Model-view → Projection →
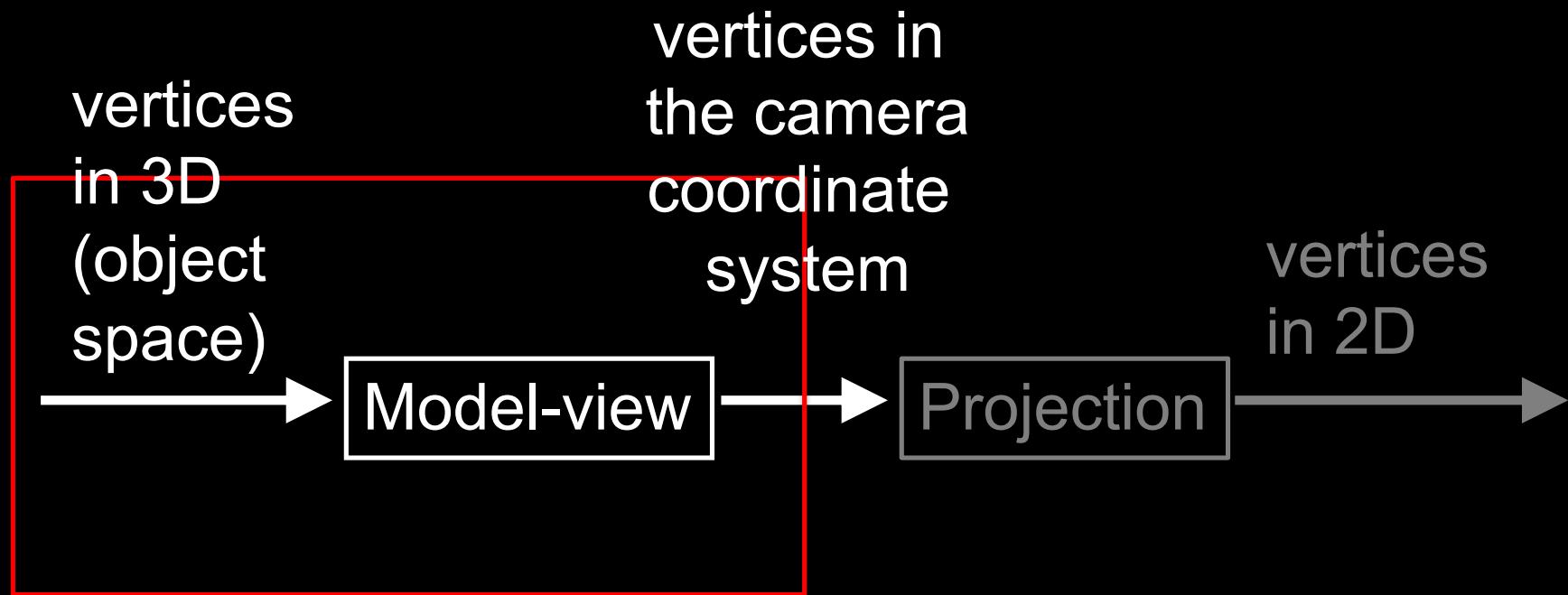
4x4 Projection Matrix (next lecture)

- Project from 3D to 2D

vertices in
canonical
3D world
coordinate
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vertices
in 3D

vertices
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Model-view → Projection →
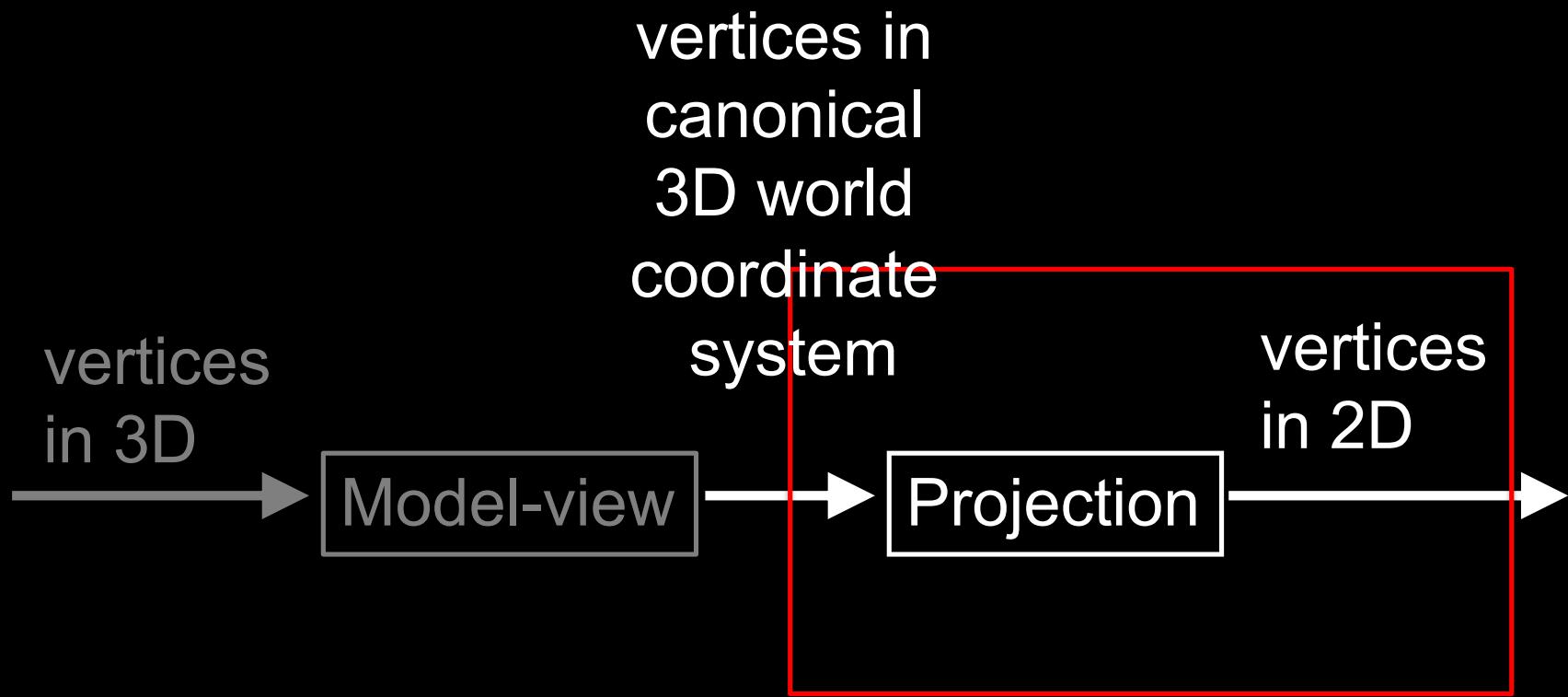
4x4 Model-view Matrix (this lecture)

- Translate, rotate, scale objects in world space
- Position and orient the camera
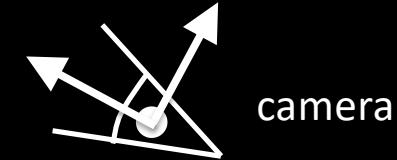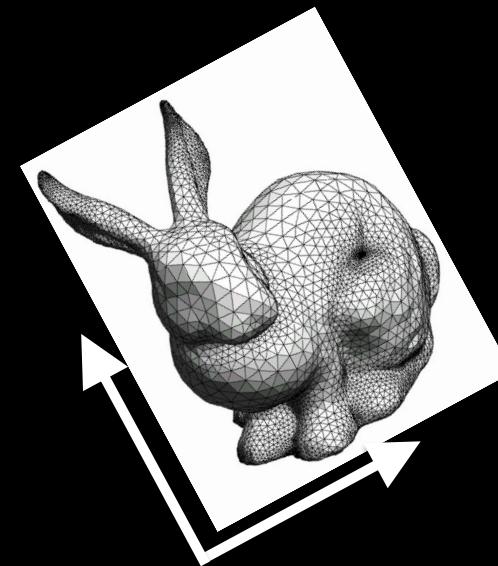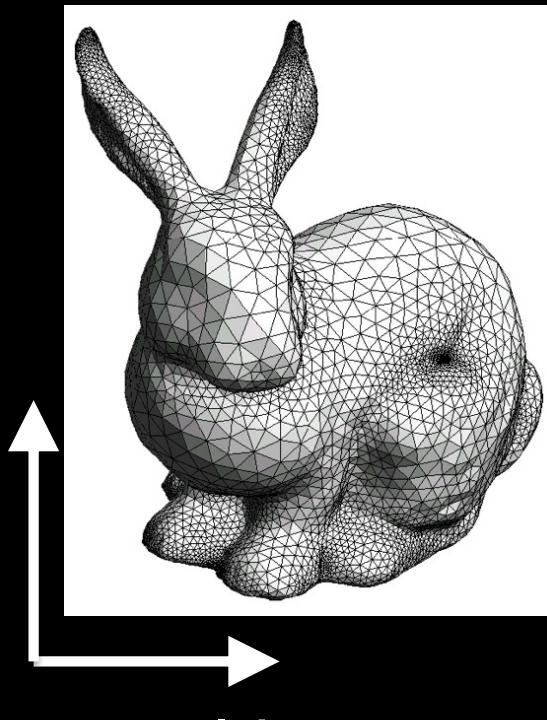
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4x4 Model Matrix

- Translate, rotate, scale objects in world space
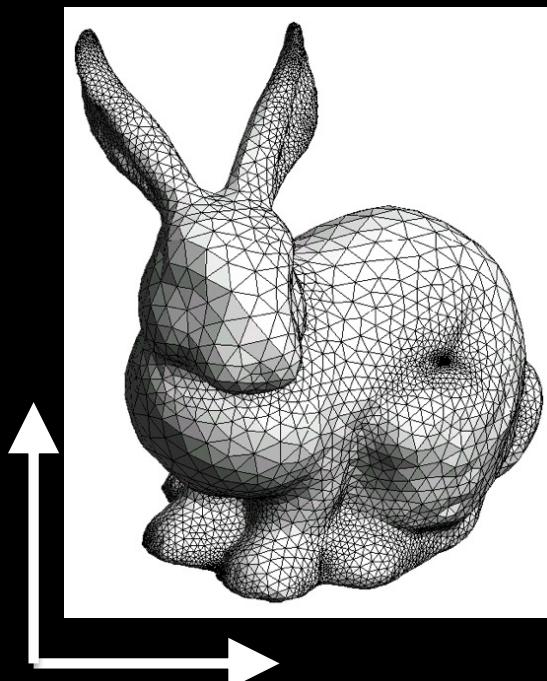
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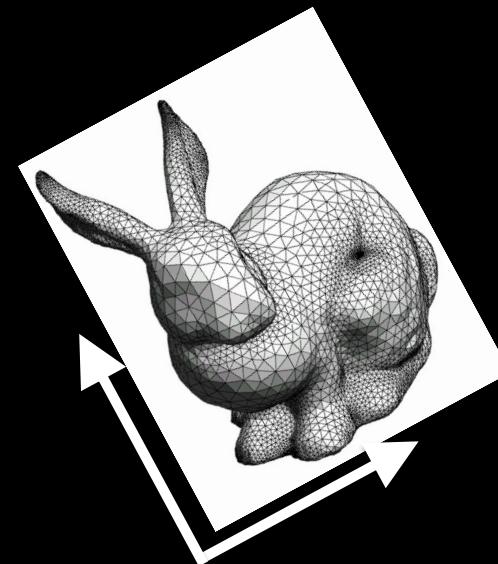
4x4 View Matrix

- Position and orient the camera
- From world space to camera space

world

camera

OpenGL Transformation Matrices

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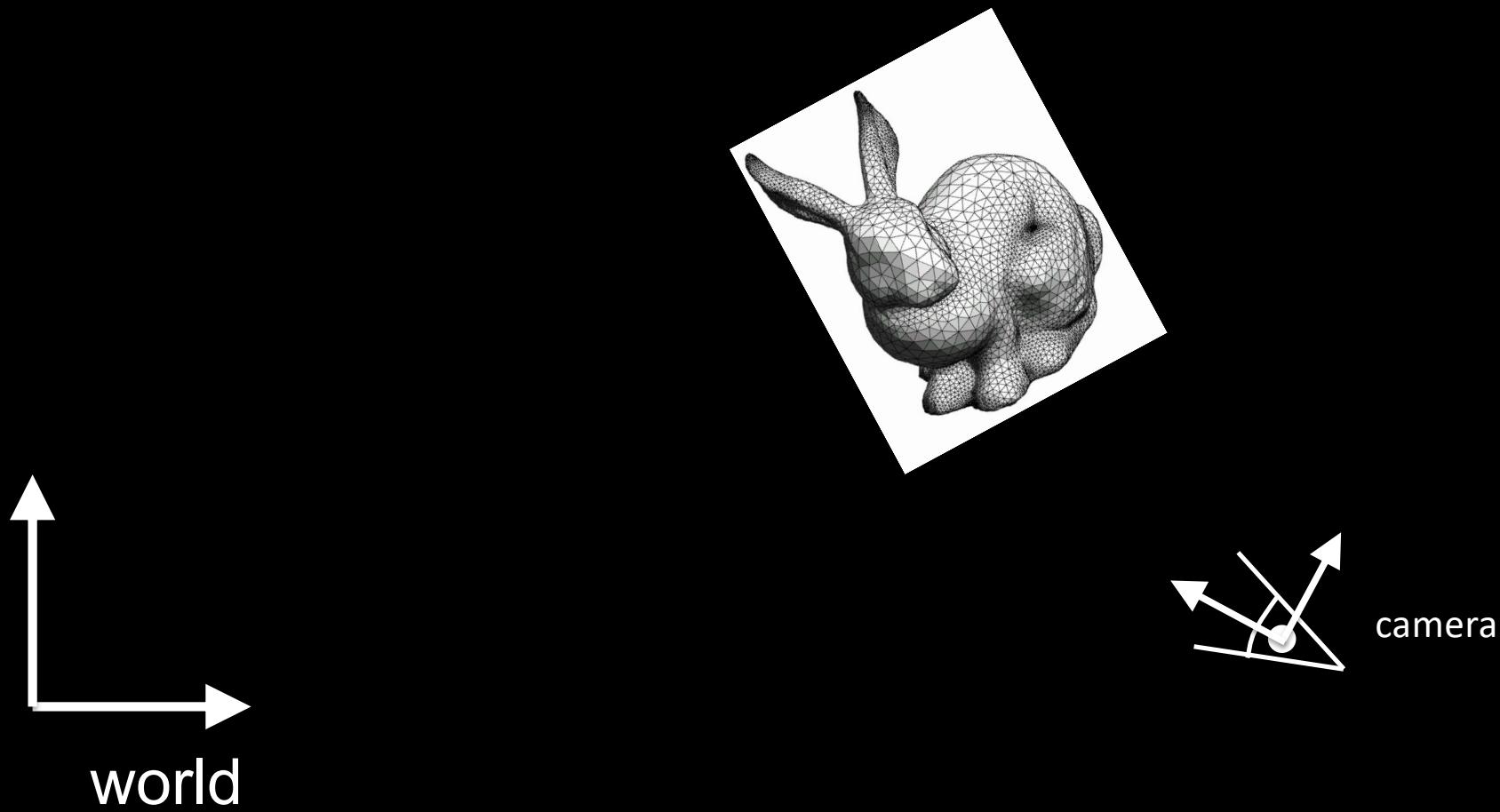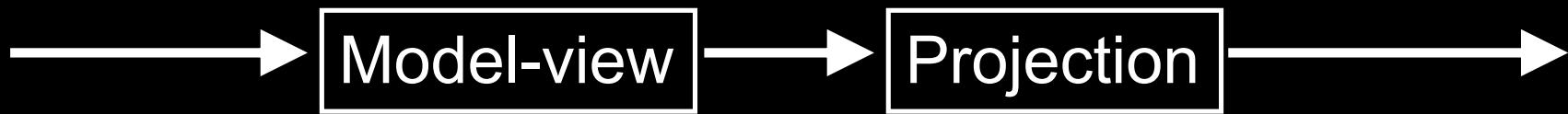
- Manipulated separately in OpenGL

- Core profile: set them directly

- Compatibility profile: must set matrix mode

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glMatrixMode (GL_MODELVIEW);
glMatrixMode (GL_PROJECTION);
```

Setting the Modelview Matrix: Core Profile

• Set identity:
openGLMatrix.SetMatrixMode(OpenGLMatrix::ModelView);
openGLMatrix.LoadIdentity();

• Use our openGLMatrix library functions:
openGLMatrix.Translate(dx, dy, dz);
openGLMatrix.Rotate(angle, vx, vy, vz);
openGLMatrix.Scale(sx, sy, sz);

• Upload m to the GPU:
float m[16]; // column-major
openGLMatrix.GetMatrix(m);
GLboolean isRowMajor = GL_FALSE;
 pipelineProgram->SetUniformVariableMatrix4fv(
    "modelViewMatrix", isRowMajor, m);

Setting the Modelview Matrix: Compatibility Profile

- Load or post-multiply

```
glMatrixMode (GL_MODELVIEW);
glLoadIdentity(); // very common usage
float m[16] = { … };
glLoadMatrixf(m); // rare, advanced
glMultMatrixf(m); // rare, advanced
```

- Use library functions

```
glTranslatef(dx, dy, dz);
glRotatef(angle, vx, vy, vz);
glScalef(sx, sy, sz);
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Translated, rotated, scaled object
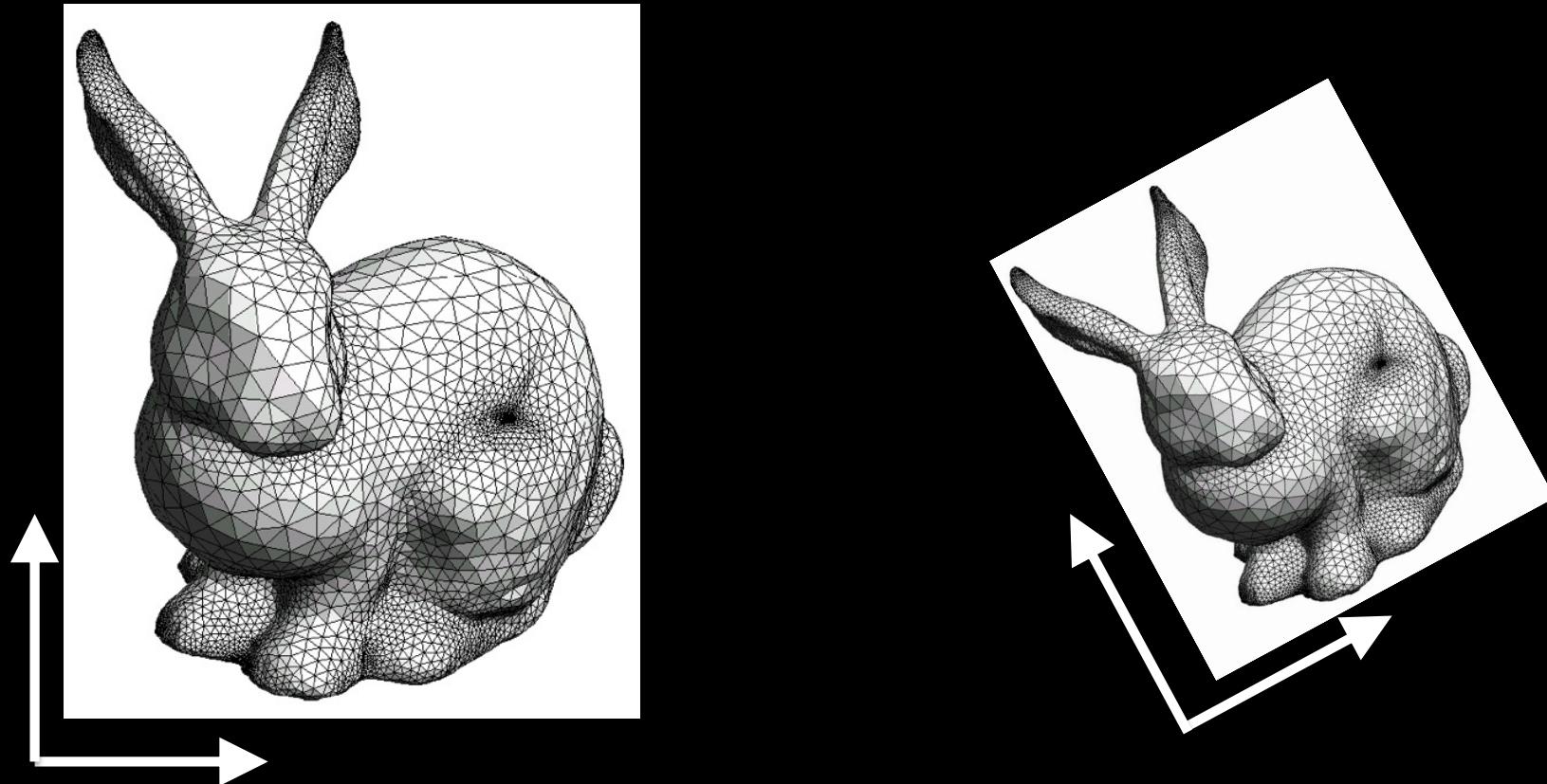
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# The *rendering* coordinate system
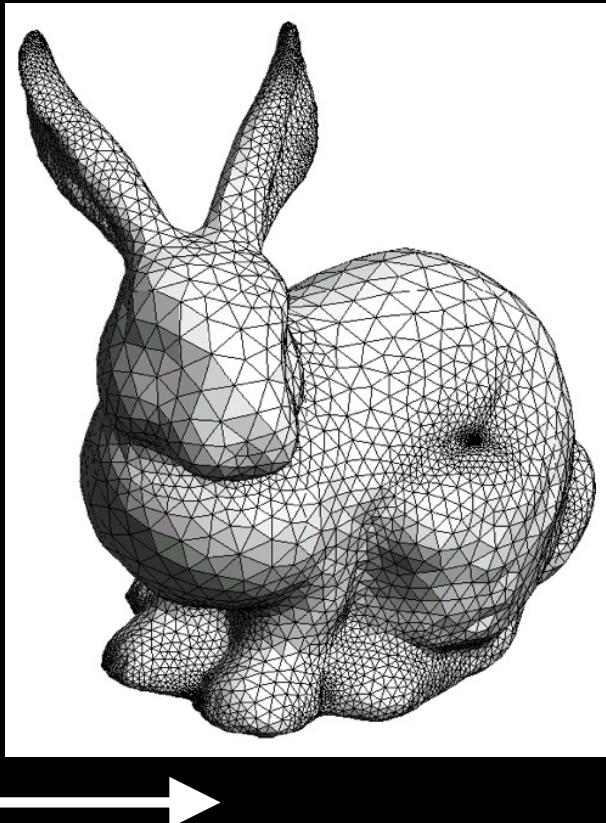
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Initially (after LoadIdentity()) :

rendering coordinate system =
world coordinate system

The *rendering* coordinate system

Translate(x, y, z);

[x, y ,z]

rendering coordinate system
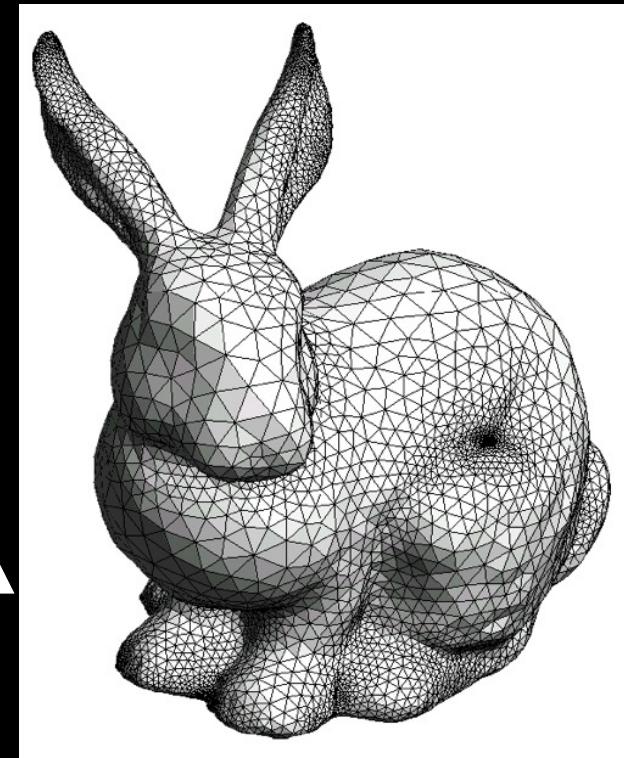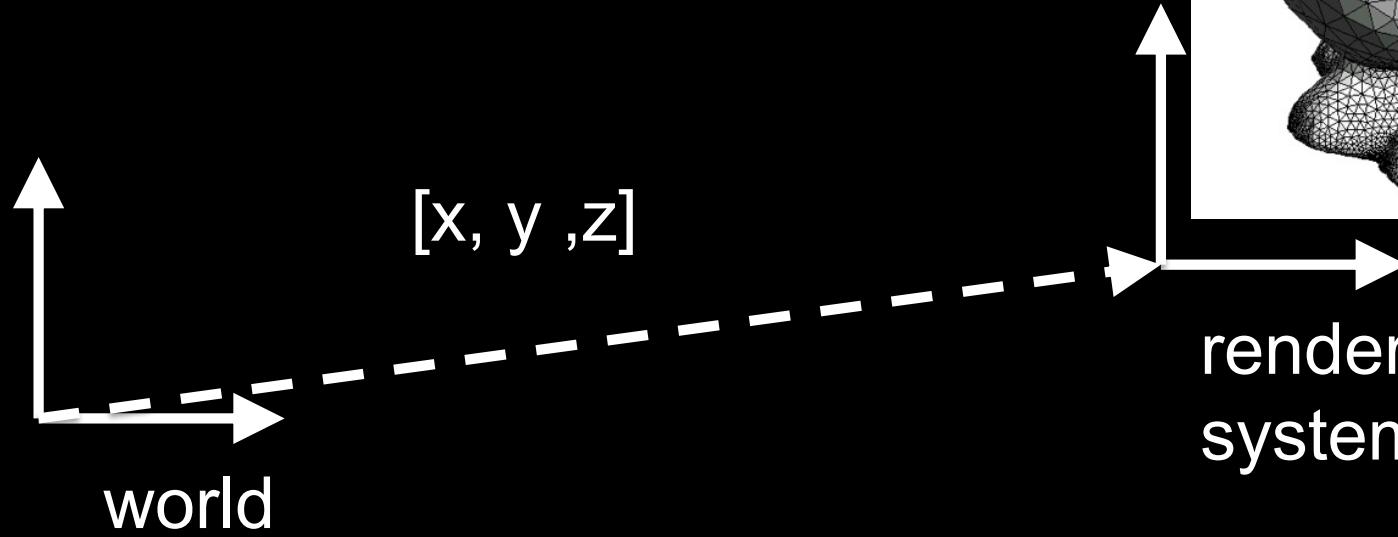
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The *rendering* coordinate system

Rotate(angle,
 ax, ay, az);

rendering coordinate
system

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The *rendering* coordinate system

Scale(sx, sy, sz);
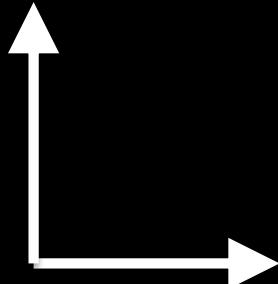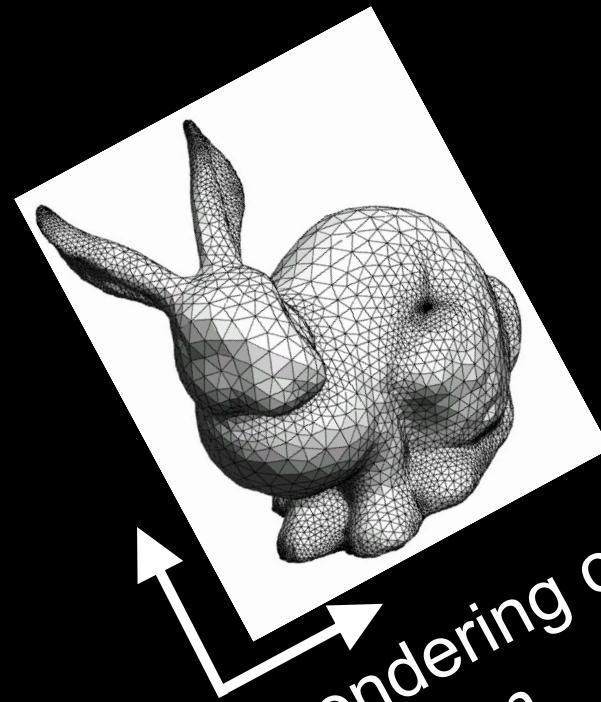
rendering coordinate system

world

OpenGL pseudo-code

```
MatrixMode(ModelView);
LoadIdentity();
Translate(x, y, z);
Rotate(angle, ax, ay, az);
Scale(sx, sy, sz);
glUniformMatrix4fv(…);
renderBunny();
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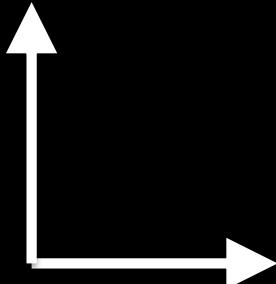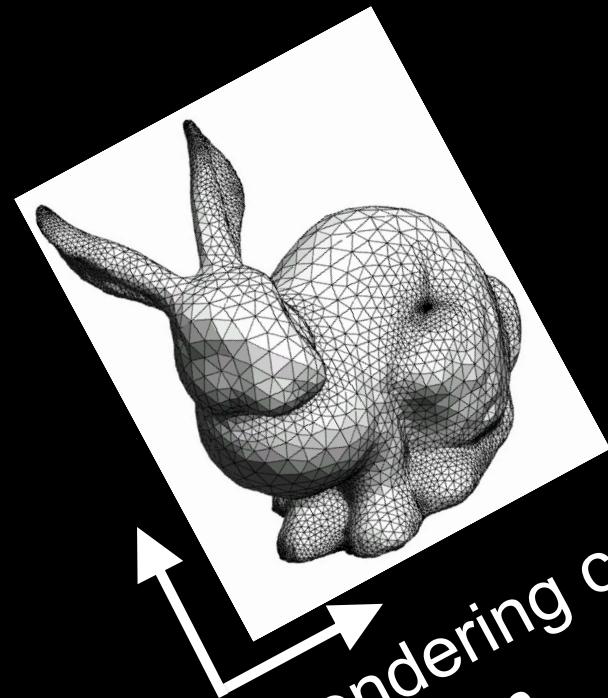

rendering coordinate system

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Rendering more objects

How to obtain this frame?
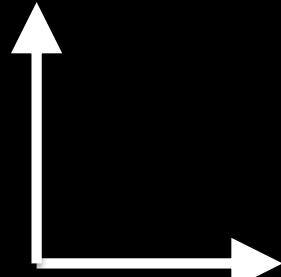
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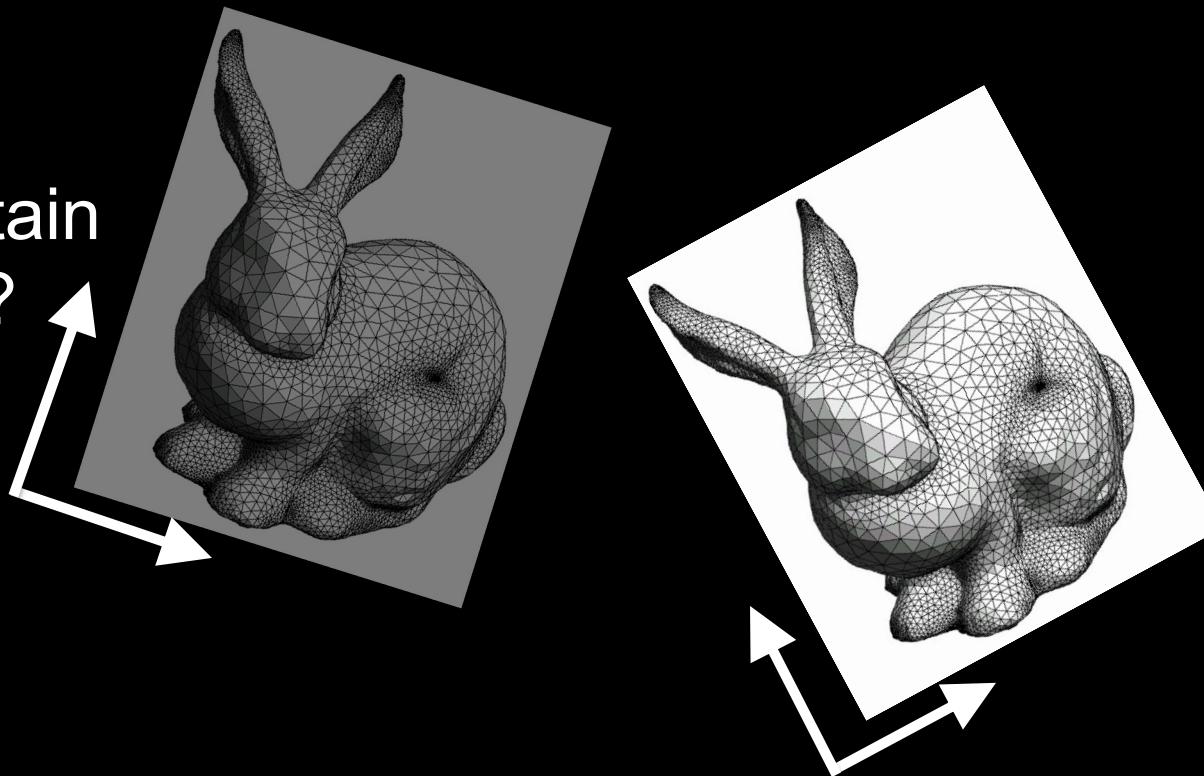
Rendering more objects

Solution 1:

Find Translate(…), Rotate(…), Scale(…)

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Rendering more objects

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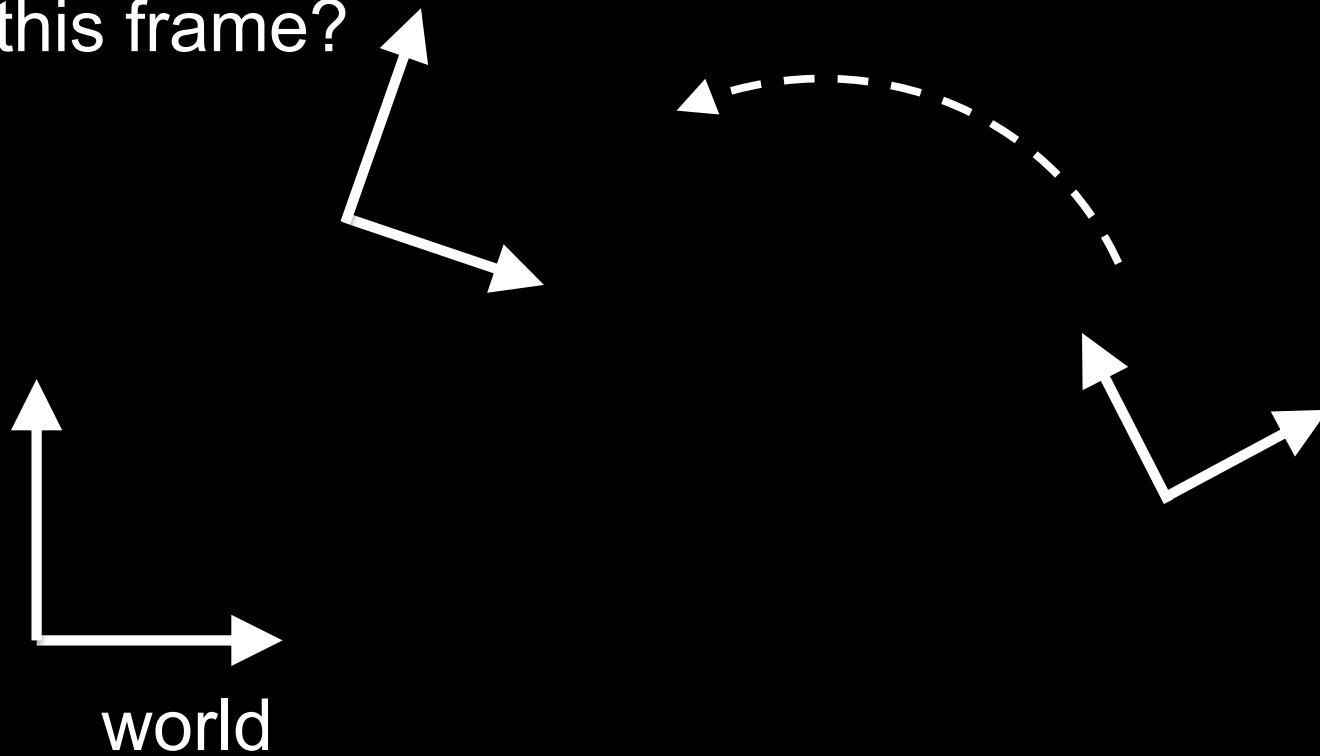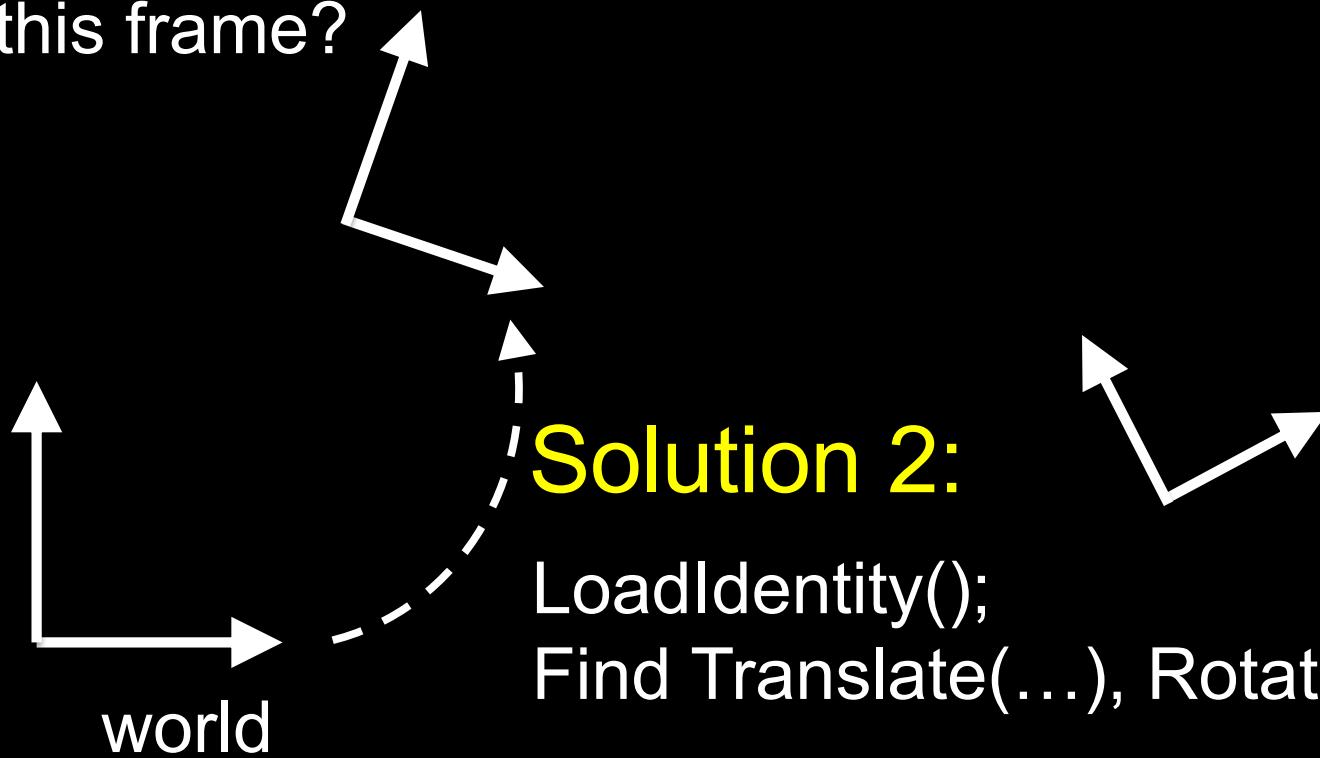
Solution 2:

LoadIdentity();
Find Translate(…), Rotate(…), Scale(…)

3D Math Review

Scalars

- Scalars α, β, γ from a *scalar field*
- Operations $\alpha+\beta$, $\alpha \cdot \beta$, 0, 1, $-\alpha$, $(\ )^{-1}$
- "Expected" laws apply
- Examples: rationals or reals with addition and multiplication

Vectors

- Vectors *u, v, w* from a *vector space*
- Vector addition *u + v* , subtraction *u - v*
- Zero vector **0**
- Scalar multiplication α *v*
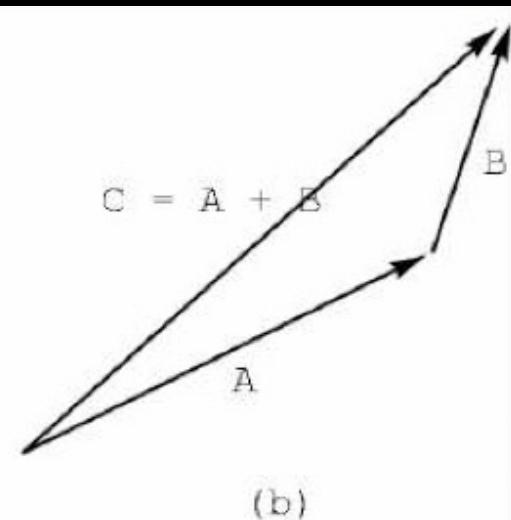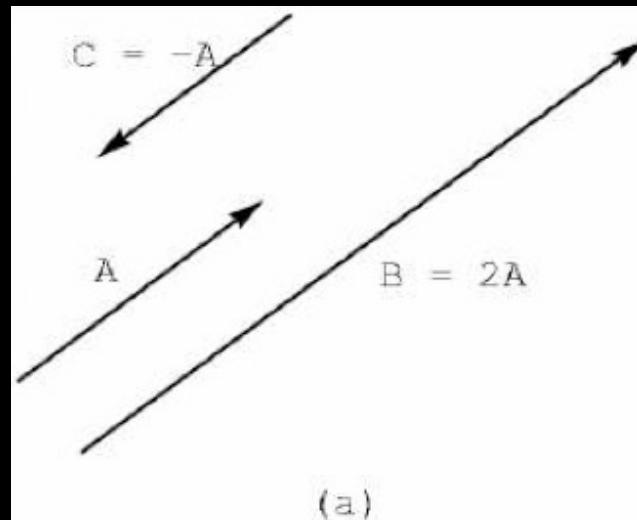
Euclidean Space

- Vector space over real numbers

- Three-dimensional in computer graphics

- Dot product: $\alpha = u \cdot v = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + u_3 v_3$

- $\mathbf{0} \cdot \mathbf{0} = 0$

- *u, v* are *orthogonal* if $u \cdot v = 0$

- $|v|^2 = v \cdot v$ defines $|v|$, the *length* of *v*

Lines and Line Segments

- Parametric form of line: $P(\alpha) = P_0 + \alpha\, d$
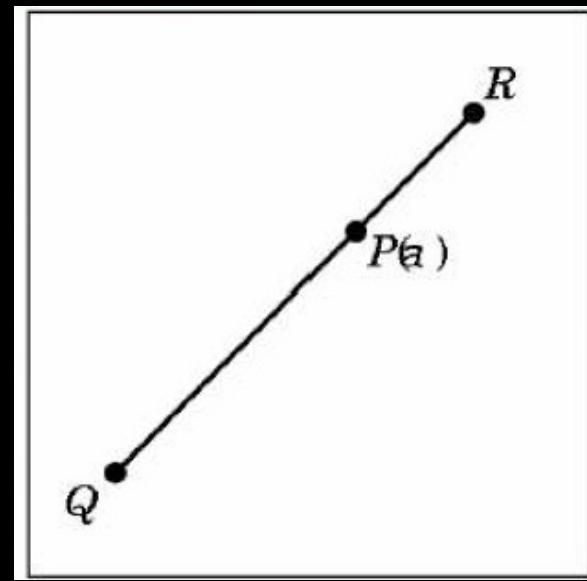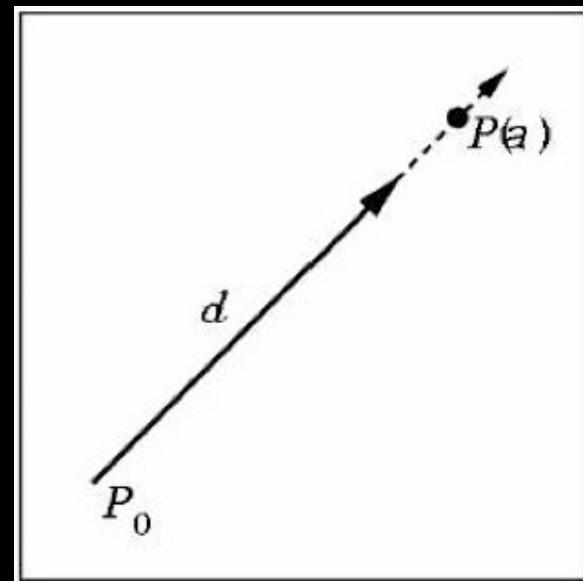
- Line segment between Q and R:

    $P(\alpha) = (1-\alpha)\, Q + \alpha\, R$ for $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$

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Convex Hull

- Convex hull defined by

$$P = \alpha_1 P_1 + \ldots + \alpha_n P_n$$

for $\alpha_1 + \ldots + \alpha_n = 1$

and $0 \leq \alpha_i \leq 1$, $i = 1, \ldots, n$
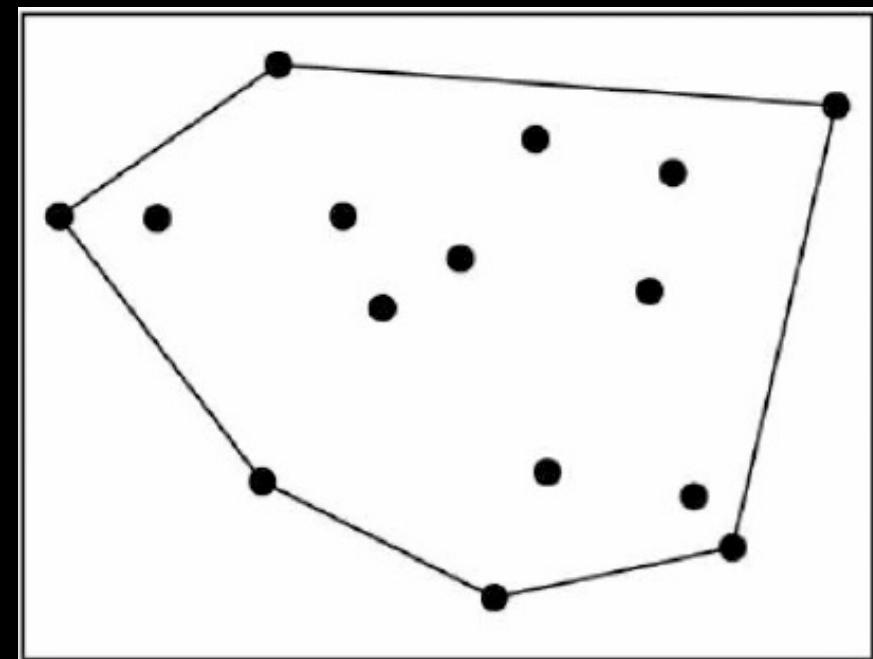
Projection

- Dot product projects one vector onto another vector

  $u \cdot v = u_1 v_1 + u_2 v_2 + u_3 v_3 = |u| \, |v| \cos(\theta)$

  $pr_v \, u = (u \cdot v) \, v \, / \, |v|^2$
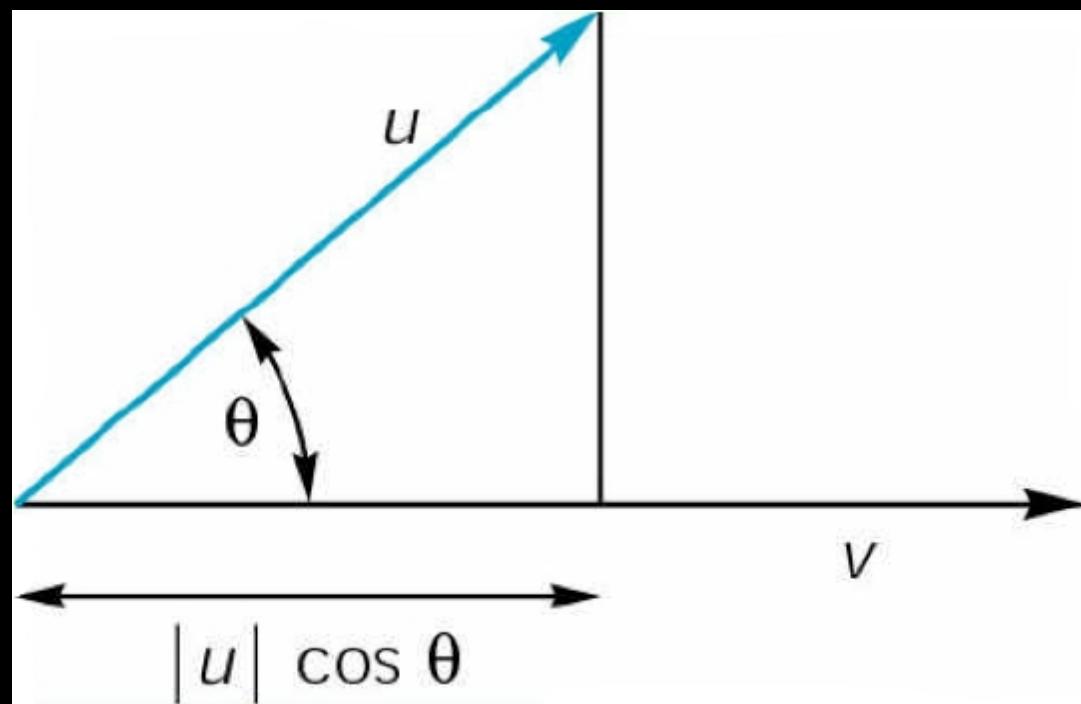
Cross Product

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_1 \\ a_2 \\ a_3 \end{pmatrix} \times \begin{pmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ b_3 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a_2 b_3 - a_3 b_2 \\ a_3 b_1 - a_1 b_3 \\ a_1 b_2 - a_2 b_1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $|a \times b| = |a|\ |b|\ |\sin(\theta)|$

- Cross product is perpendicular to both a and b

- Right-hand rule
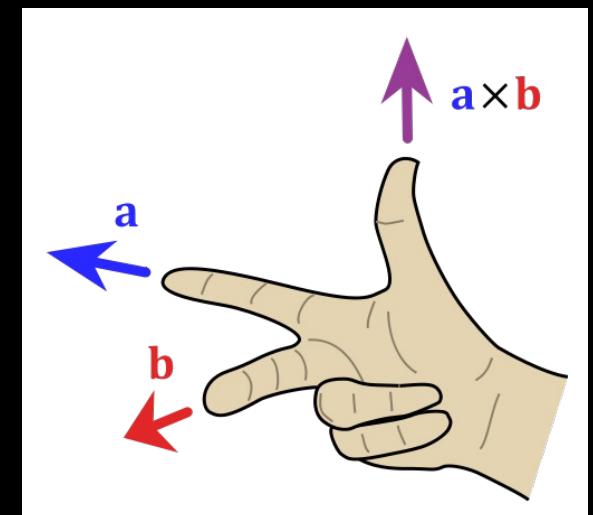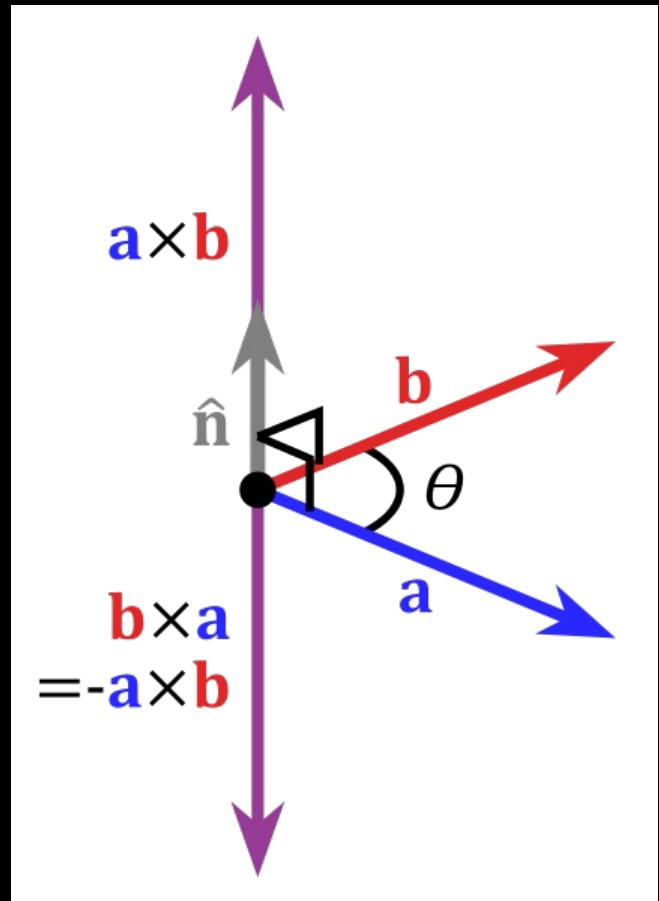
Source: Wikipedia

Plane

- Plane defined by point P_0 and vectors u and v

- u and v should not be parallel

- Parametric form:

  $T(\alpha, \beta) = P_0 + \alpha\, u + \beta\, v$

  (α and β are scalars)

- n = u x v / |u x v| is the normal

- $n \cdot (P - P_0) = 0$ if and only if P lies in plane
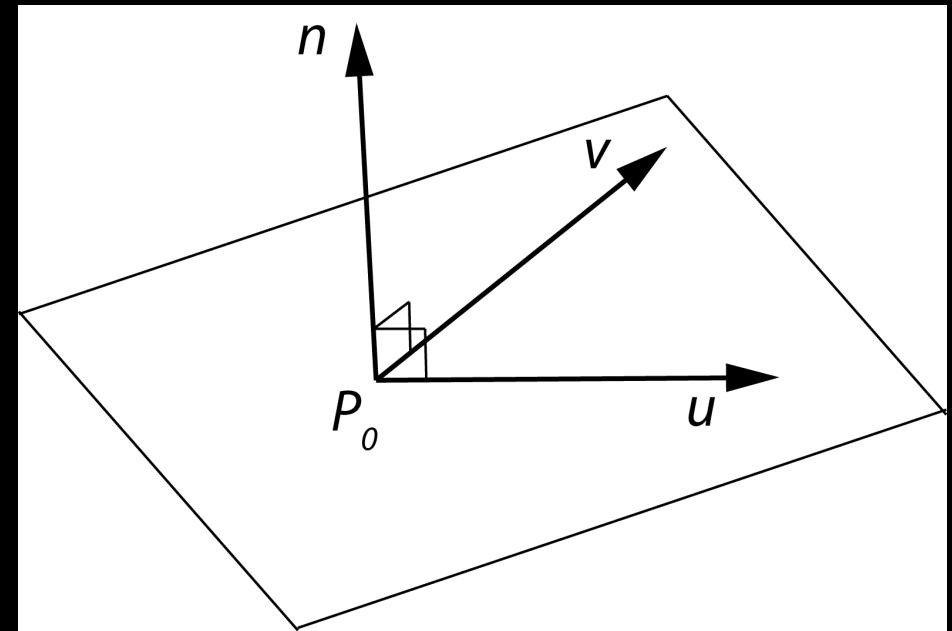
Coordinate Systems

- Let v_1, v_2, v_3 be three linearly independent vectors in a 3-dimensional vector space

- Can write *any* vector w as

$$w = \alpha_1\ v_1 + \alpha_2\ v_2 + \alpha_3\ v_3$$

  for some scalars α_1, α_2, α_3
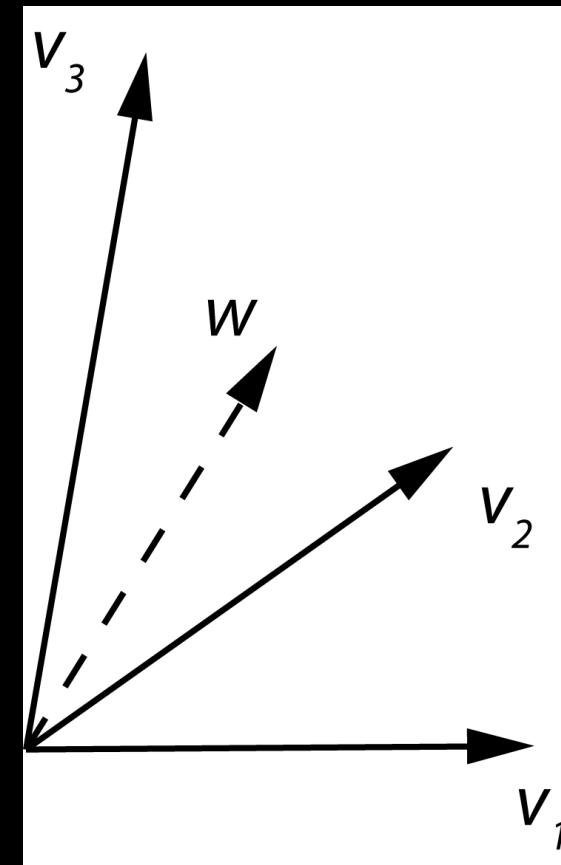
Frames

- Frame = origin P_0 + coordinate system
- Any point $P = P_0 + \alpha_1 v_1 + \alpha_2 v_2 + \alpha_3 v_3$

world origin

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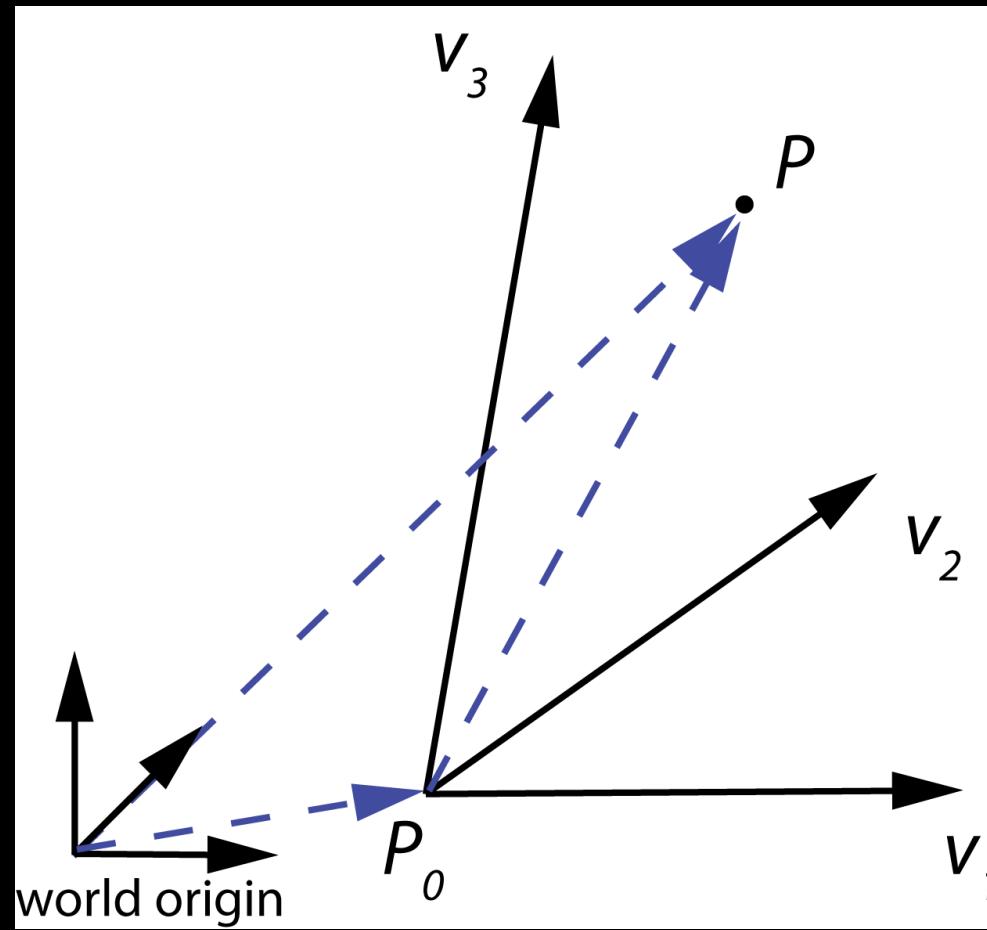
In Practice, Frames are Often Orthogonal

world origin

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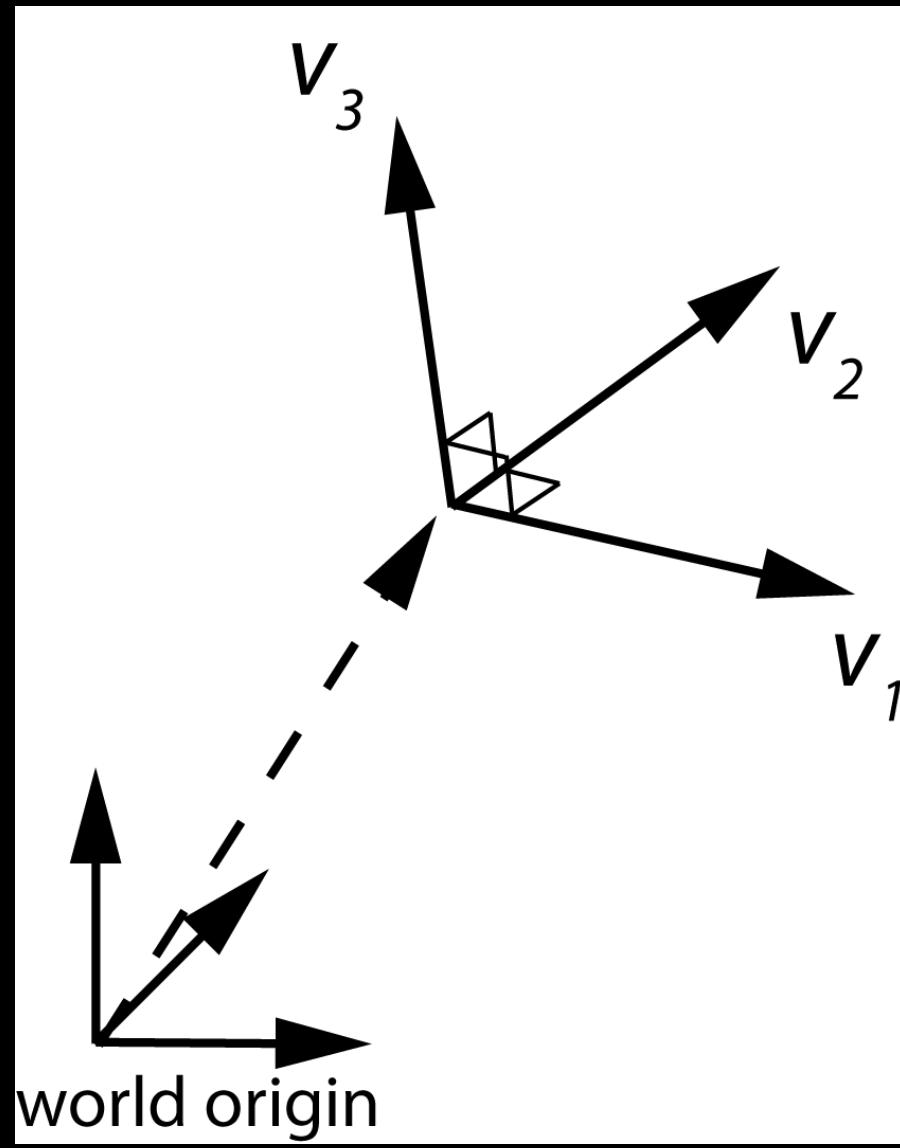
Representing 3D transformations (and model-view matrices)

Linear Transformations

- 3 x 3 matrices represent linear transformations
  a = **Mb**
- Can represent rotation, scaling, and reflection
- Cannot represent translation

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

In order to represent rotations, scales AND translations: Homogeneous Coordinates

- Augment $[\alpha_1 \ \alpha_2 \ \alpha_3]^T$ by adding a fourth component (1):

  $\mathbf{p} = [\alpha_1 \ \alpha_2 \ \alpha_3 \ 1]^T$

- Homogeneous property:

  $\mathbf{p} = [\alpha_1 \ \alpha_2 \ \alpha_3 \ 1]^T = [\beta\alpha_1 \ \beta\alpha_2 \ \beta\alpha_3 \ \beta]^T$,

  for any scalar $\beta \neq 0$

Homogeneous coordinates are transformed by 4x4 matrices

p

q

q = A p

world   **4-vector**   **4x4 matrix**   **4-vector**
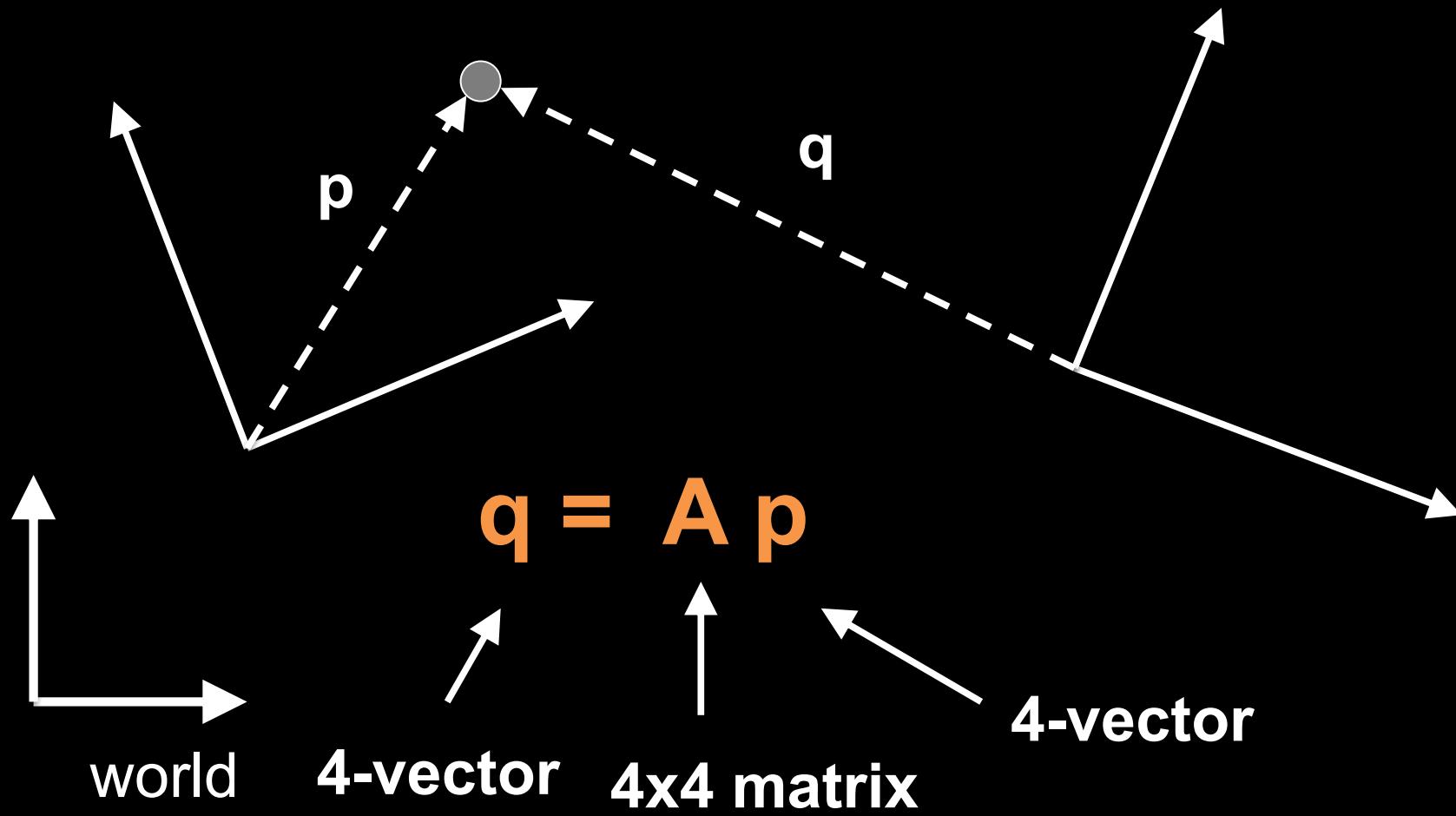
Affine Transformations (4x4 matrices)

- Translation
- Rotation
- Scaling
- Any composition of the above
- Later: projective (perspective) transformations
  - Also expressible as 4 x 4 matrices!

Translation

- $\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{p} + \mathbf{d}$ where $\mathbf{d} = [\alpha_x \ \alpha_y \ \alpha_z \ 0]^T$

- $\mathbf{p} = [x \ y \ z \ 1]^T$

- $\mathbf{q} = [x' \ y' \ z' \ 1]^T$

- Express in matrix form $\mathbf{q} = \mathbf{T} \, \mathbf{p}$ and solve for $\mathbf{T}$

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \alpha_x \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \alpha_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \alpha_z \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Scaling

- $x' = \beta_x x$
- $y' = \beta_y y$
- $z' = \beta_z z$
- Express as **q** = **S p** and solve for **S**

$$S = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_x & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \beta_y & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \beta_z & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Rotation in 2 Dimensions

- Rotation by θ about the origin
- $x' = x \cos \theta - y \sin \theta$
- $y' = x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta$

- Express in matrix form:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \end{bmatrix}$$

- Note that the determinant is 1

Rotation in 3 Dimensions

- Orthogonal matrices:

$$RR^T = R^TR = I$$
$$\det(R) = 1$$

- Affine transformation:

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} R_{11} & R_{12} & R_{13} & 0 \\ R_{21} & R_{22} & R_{23} & 0 \\ R_{31} & R_{32} & R_{33} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Affine Matrices are Composed by Matrix Multiplication

- $A = A_1 A_2 A_3$

- Applied from right to left

- $A\, p = (A_1 A_2 A_3)\, p = A_1 (A_2 (A_3\, p))$

- Compatibility mode:
  When calling glTranslate3f, glRotatef, or glScalef, OpenGL forms the corresponding 4x4 matrix, and multiplies the current modelview matrix with it.

Summary

- OpenGL Transformation Matrices

- Vector Spaces

- Frames

- Homogeneous Coordinates

- Transformation Matrices