

Reflection Models

Tuesday

- Reflection models
- The reflection equation and the BRDF
- Ideal reflection, refraction and diffuse

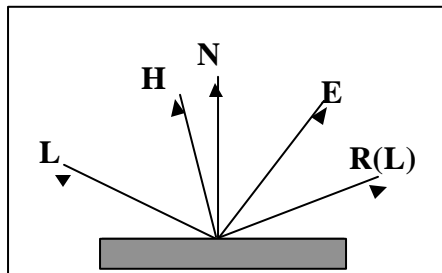
Today

- Glossy reflection models
- Rough surfaces
- Microfacets
- Self-shadowing
- Anisotropic reflection models

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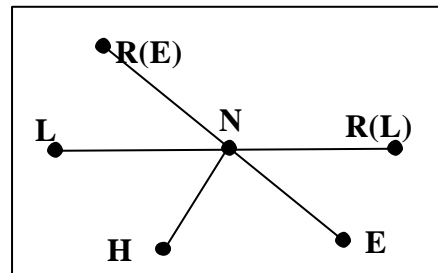
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Reflection Geometry



$$\cos q_i = \vec{L} \cdot \vec{N}$$

$$\cos q_r = \vec{R} \cdot \vec{N}$$



$$\cos q_g = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{L}$$

$$\cos q_s = \vec{E} \cdot \vec{R}(\vec{L}) = \vec{R}(\vec{E}) \cdot \vec{L}$$

$$\cos q_s' = \vec{H} \cdot \vec{N}$$

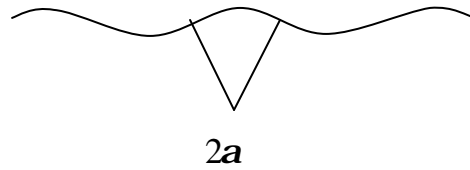
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Reflection of the Sun from the Sea



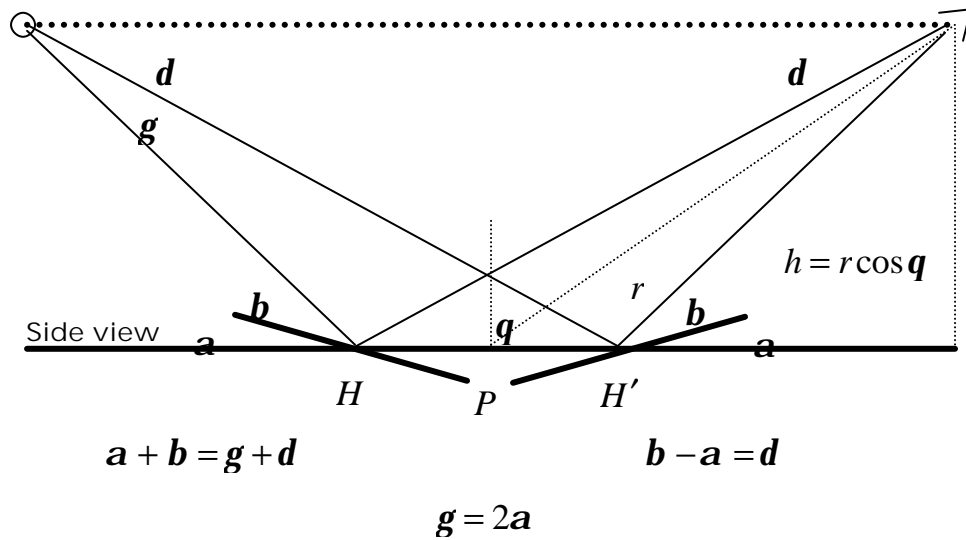
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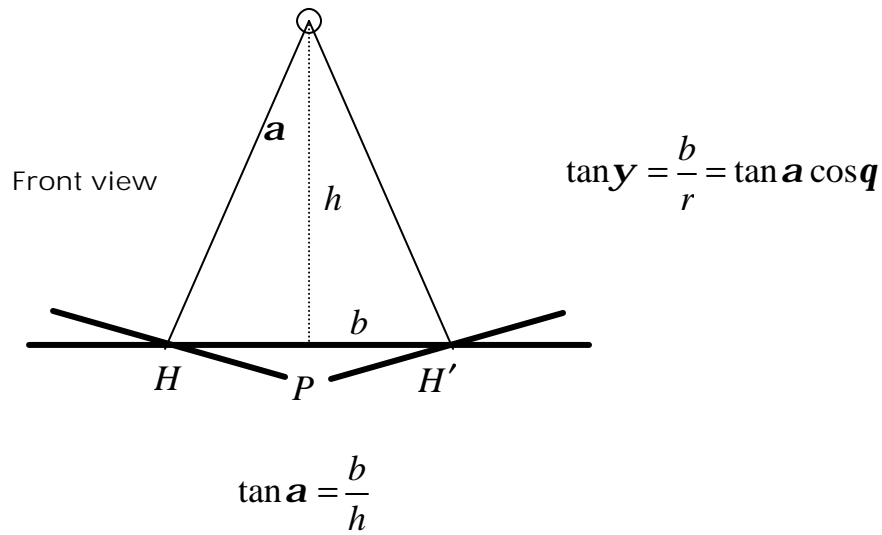
Reflection Angles



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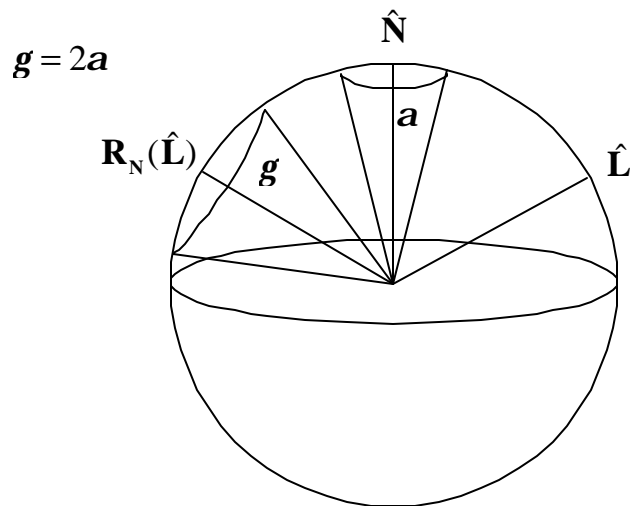
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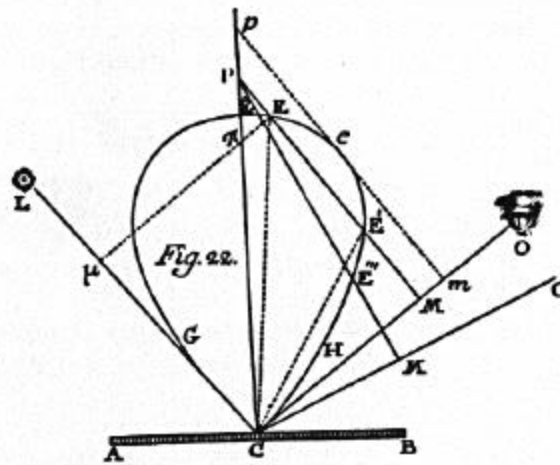
Analysis on the Sphere



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Bouguer's "little faces"

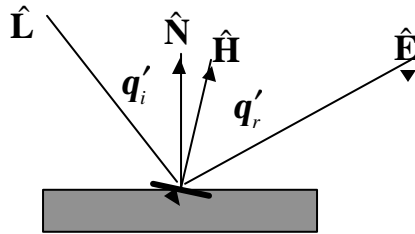


P. Bouguer, *Treatise on Optics*, 1760

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Torrance-Sparrow Model



$$d^2\Phi_h = L_i(\mathbf{w}_i) \cos \mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{w}_i dA'$$

$$= L_i(\mathbf{w}_i) \cos \mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{w}_i D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA$$

$$d^2\Phi_r = d^2\Phi_m$$

$$dA' = D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA$$

$$d^2\Phi_r = dL_r(\mathbf{w}_i \rightarrow \mathbf{w}_r) \cos \mathbf{q}_r d\mathbf{w}_r dA$$

$$\cos \mathbf{q}_i = \hat{\mathbf{L}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{N}}$$

$$dL_r(\mathbf{w}_i \rightarrow \mathbf{w}_r) \cos \mathbf{q}_r d\mathbf{w}_r dA$$

$$\cos \mathbf{q}'_i = \hat{\mathbf{L}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{H}}$$

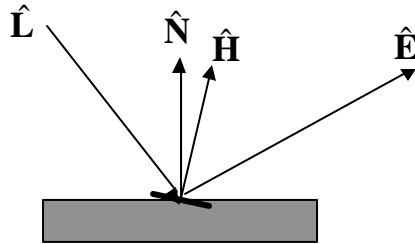
$$= L_i(\mathbf{w}_i) \cos \mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{w}_i D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA$$

$$d\mathbf{w}'_i = d\mathbf{w}_i$$

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Torrance-Sparrow Model

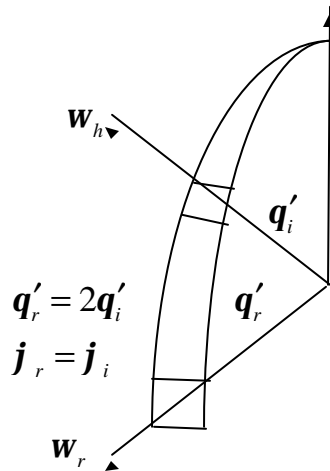


$$\begin{aligned}
 f_r(\mathbf{w}_i \rightarrow \mathbf{w}_r) &= \frac{dL_r(\mathbf{w}_i \rightarrow \mathbf{w}_r)}{dE_i(\mathbf{w}_i)} \\
 &= \frac{L_i(\mathbf{w}_i) \cos \mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{w}_i D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA}{(\cos \mathbf{q}_r d\mathbf{w}_r dA)(L_i(\mathbf{w}_i) \cos \mathbf{q}_i d\mathbf{w}_i)} \\
 &= \frac{D(\mathbf{w}_h)}{\cos \mathbf{q}_i \cos \mathbf{q}_r} \cos \mathbf{q}'_i \frac{d\mathbf{w}_h}{d\mathbf{w}_r} \\
 &= \frac{D(\mathbf{w}_h)}{4 \cos \mathbf{q}_i \cos \mathbf{q}_r}
 \end{aligned}$$

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Solid Angle Distributions



$$\begin{aligned}
 d\mathbf{w}_r &= \sin \mathbf{q}'_r d\mathbf{q}'_r d\mathbf{j}_r \\
 &= (\sin 2\mathbf{q}'_i) 2d\mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{j}_i \\
 &= (2 \sin \mathbf{q}'_i \cos \mathbf{q}'_i) 2d\mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{j}_i \\
 &= 4 \cos \mathbf{q}'_i d\mathbf{w}_i
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{d\mathbf{w}_h}{d\mathbf{w}_r} = \frac{1}{4 \cos \mathbf{q}'_i}$$

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Normalizing Microfacet Distributions

$$dA' = D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA$$

$$\int_{H^2} \cos \mathbf{q}_h dA' = \int_{H^2} D(\mathbf{w}_h) d\mathbf{w}_h dA = dA$$

$$\int_{H^2} D(\mathbf{w}_h) \cos \mathbf{q}_h d\mathbf{w}_h = 1$$

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Microfacet Distribution Functions

Isotropic distributions $D(\mathbf{w}) = D(\mathbf{a})$

Characterize by half-angle $D(\mathbf{b}) = \frac{1}{2}$

Examples:

■ Blinn $D_1(\mathbf{a}) = \cos^{c_1} \mathbf{a}$ $c_1 = \frac{\ln 2}{\ln \cos \mathbf{b}}$

■ Torrance-Sparrow $D_2(\mathbf{a}) = e^{-(c_2 \mathbf{a})^2}$ $c_2 = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{\mathbf{b}}$

■ Trowbridge-Reitz $D_3(\mathbf{a}) = \frac{c_3^2}{(1 - c_3^2) \cos^2 \mathbf{a} - 1}$ $c_3 = \left(\frac{\cos^2 \mathbf{b} - 1}{\cos^2 \mathbf{b} - \sqrt{2}} \right)^{1/2}$

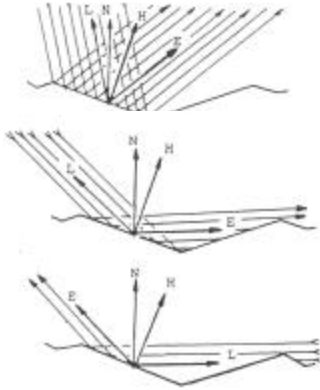
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Self-Shadowing: V-Groove Model

Assumptions (Torrance-Sparrow)

1. Symmetric, longitudinal, isotropically-distributed
2. Upper edges lie in plane $G = \min(G_a, G_b, G_c)$



$$G_a = 1$$

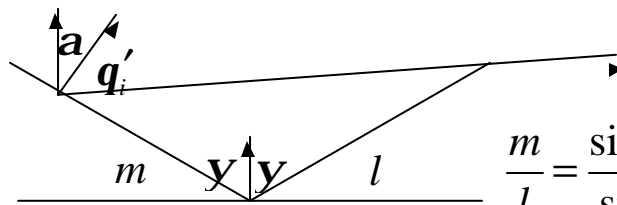
$$G_b = \frac{2(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{H})(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{E})}{(\mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E})}$$

$$G_c = \frac{2(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{H})(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{L})}{(\mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{L})}$$

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Self-Shadowing: V-Groove Model



$$\sin l = \cos q_i'$$

$$\cos l = \sin q_i'$$

$$\sin y = \cos a$$

$$\cos y = \sin a$$

$$\frac{m}{l} = \frac{\sin m}{\sin l}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sin m &= \sin l + 2y \\ &= \sin l \cos 2y + \cos l \sin 2y \\ &= \cos q_i' \cos 2y + \sin q_i' \sin 2y \\ &= \cos q_i' (1 - 2\sin^2 y) + \sin q_i' 2\cos y \sin y \\ &= \cos q_i' (1 - 2\cos^2 a) + \sin q_i' 2\cos a \sin a \\ &= \cos q_i' - 2\cos a (\cos a \cos q_i' - \sin a \sin q_i') \\ &= \cos q_i' - 2\cos a \cos(a + q_i') \\ &= \cos q_i' - 2\cos a \cos q_i \\ &= \mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E} - 2(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{H})(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{E}) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} G &= 1 - \frac{m}{l} \\ &= 1 - \frac{\sin m}{\sin l} \\ &= \frac{\mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E} - \mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E} + 2(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{H})(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{E})}{\mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E}} \\ &= \frac{2(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{H})(\mathbf{N} \cdot \mathbf{E})}{\mathbf{H} \cdot \mathbf{E}} \end{aligned}$$

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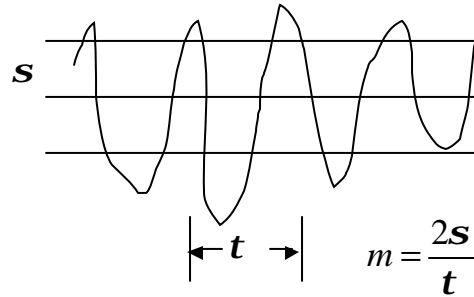
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Gaussian Rough Surface

Beckmann

$$p(z) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2ps}} e^{-\frac{z^2}{2s^2}}$$

$$D(\mathbf{a}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{pm^2 \cos^2 \mathbf{a}}} e^{-\frac{\tan^2 \mathbf{a}}{m^2}}$$



Smith

Derives shadowing function probabilistically

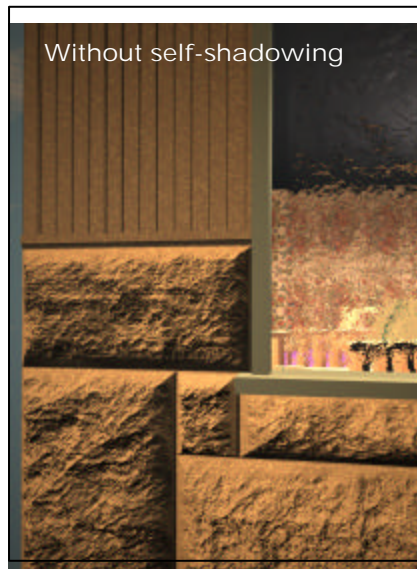
Self-consistency condition

The sum of the areas of the illuminated surface projected onto the plane normal to the direction of incidence is independent of the roughness of the surface, and equal to the projected area of the underlying mean plane.

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Shadows on Rough Surfaces

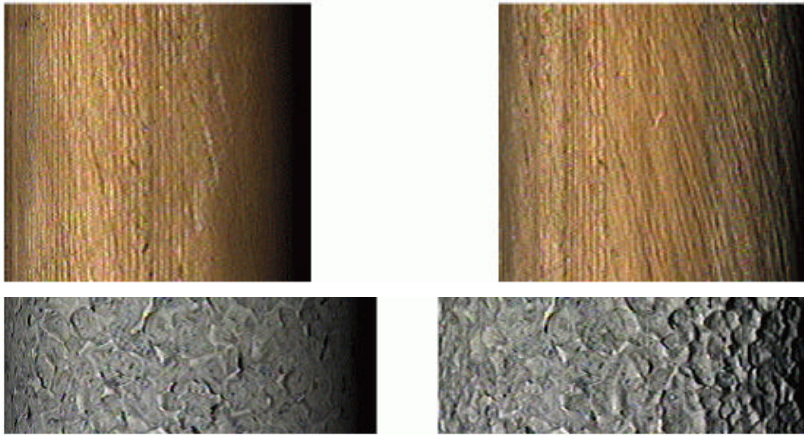


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S. Nayar's BTF Experiments

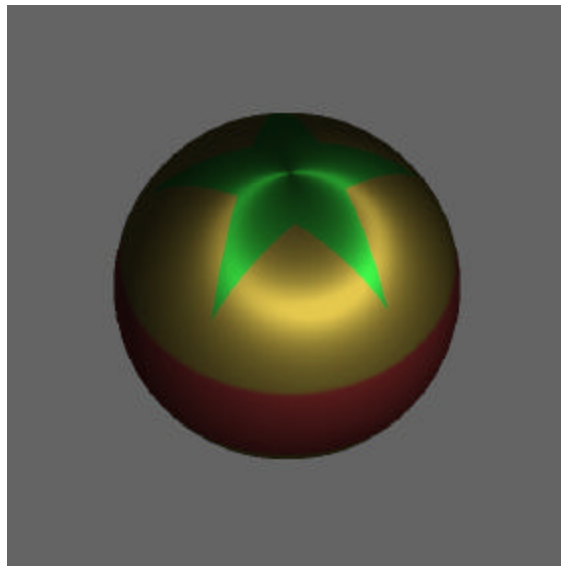
Complex interplay between texture and brdf
Self-shadowing a major effect



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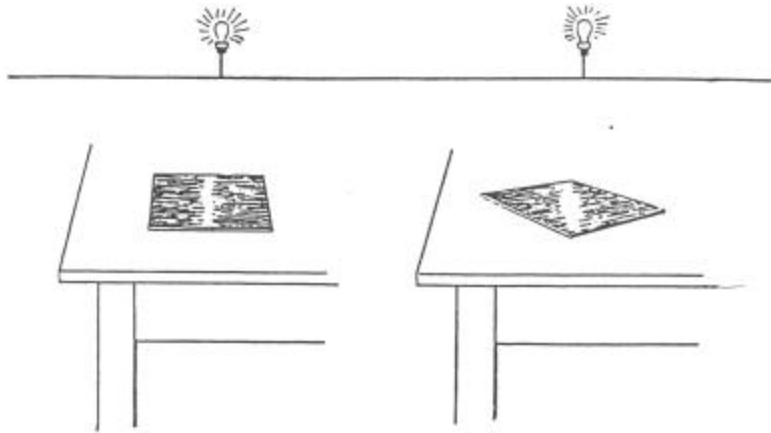
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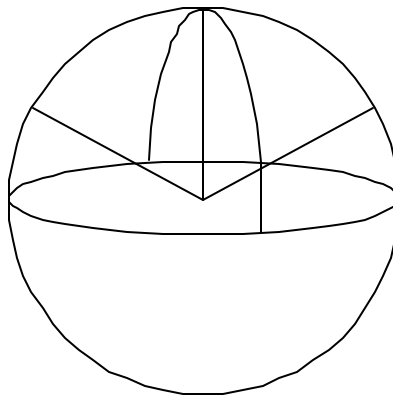
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