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Lab : first steps in OpenGL and modeling - 25/02/2009
- **Lecture/Lab** : transformations and hierarchical modeling - 04/03/2009
- **Lecture** : lights and materials in OpenGL - 11/03/2009
- **Lab** : lights and materials in OpenGL - 18/03/2009
- **Lecture** : textures in OpenGL
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- **Lab** : physical animation : particle systems - 08/04/2009
- **Lab** : physical animation : collisions - 22/04/2009

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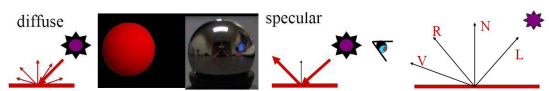
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Local illumination

Color displayed depends on :

- Position of the surface element
- Its orientation with respect to lights and camera
- The material of the surface



$$I = K_a + \sum I_s (K_d L \cdot N + K_s (R \cdot V)^n)$$

ambient diffuse specular

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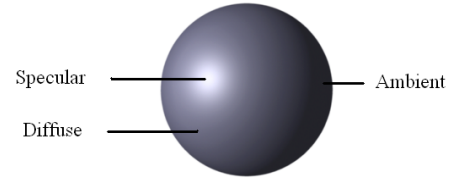
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Light sources

- Enable lighting :
`glEnable(GL_LIGHTING)`
- Turn on one of the `GL_MAX_LIGHTS` predefined lights :
`glEnable(GL_LIGHT0)`
- `glLightf(GLenum light, GLenum pname, GLfloat p)`
 - light : source name (`GL_LIGHT0 ... GL_LIGHT7`)
 - pname : parameter tuned
 - p : value of the parameter

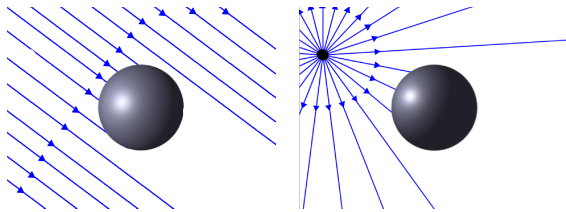
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- **pname = `GL_AMBIENT` or `GL_DIFFUSE` or `GL_SPECULAR`** :
 $p = (r, g, b, \alpha)$



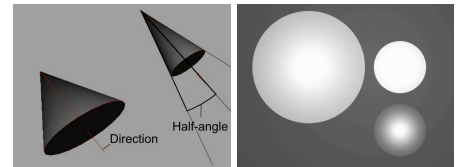
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- **pname = `GL_POSITION`** :
 $p = (x, y, z, w)$
 - if $w = 0$: **directional light**, $(x, y, z) = \text{direction}$
 - otherwise : **point light**, $(x, y, z) = \text{coordinates in the current reference frame}$



Parameters 3/4

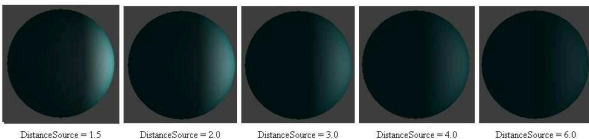
- **pname = `GL_SPOT_CUTOFF` or `GL_SPOT_DIRECTION` or `GL_SPOT_EXPONENT`** :
 - pname = `GL_SPOT_DIRECTION`,
p = direction
 - pname = `GL_SPOT_CUTOFF`,
p = cone half-angle
 - pname = `GL_SPOT_EXPONENT`,
p = attenuation of the light intensity away from the direction



Parameters 4/4

- **pname = `GL_*_ATTENUATION`** :
* = **CONSTANT, LINEAR, QUADRATIC**
p = constant k_c, k_l, k_q of the attenuation factor :

$$\frac{1}{k_c + k_l d + k_q d^2}$$



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Materials - 1/2

- **Properties :**
 - ambient color
 - diffuse color
 - specular color
 - shininess (*scalar*)
 - interpolation : `GL_FLAT`, `GL_SMOOTH`
- **Color description :**
 - Red
 - Green
 - Blue
 - α = blending factor



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Materials - 2/2

Two ways to define the material properties of an object :

- Property defined by `glColor(...)` :
`glColorMaterial(GL_FRONT_AND_BACK, GL_AMBIENT_AND_DIFFUSE)`
 - Required : `glEnable(GL_COLOR_MATERIAL)`
 - **Beware !** Can not be set between `glBegin()` and `glEnd()`
- Define the other properties with :
`glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT_AND_BACK, GL_SPECULAR, specular)`
`glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT_AND_BACK, GL_SHININESS, shininess)`

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Blending

- **Blending** = fusion, combination \rightarrow of colors
- **Goal** : create effects (such as transparency) combining colors from a **source** and from a **destination**
- Many **blending functions** possible \Rightarrow many effects possible
- Use of the **alpha canal** (RBGA)

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Blending : principle

Combination of the color of the current pixel (**source**) with the color already in the framebuffer (**destination**)

Example :
 Seeing an **object** through a **green glass** that lets through 80% of incoming light (opacity = $\alpha_{new} = 20\%$) :

Color to display
 = 20% **glass color** and 80% **object color**
 = 20% **new color** + 80% **previous color**
 = $\alpha_{new} RGBA_{new} + (1.0 - \alpha_{new}) RGBA_{old}$

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Blending functions - 1/3

- color = $(a_1 R_{new} + a_2 R_{old}, b_1 G_{new} + b_2 G_{old}, c_1 B_{new} + c_2 B_{old}, d_1 \alpha_{new} + d_2 \alpha_{old})$
- 2 commands :
 - `glBlendFunc(srcFactor, destFactor)`
 - `glBlendFuncSeparate(srcRGB, destRGB, srcAlpha, destAlpha)`
- Don't forget `glEnable(GL_BLEND) !`

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Blending functions - 2/3

Argument	Blending factor
<code>GL_ZERO</code>	(0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0)
<code>GL_ONE</code>	(1.0, 1.0, 1.0, 1.0)
<code>GL_SRC_ALPHA</code>	$(\alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source})$
<code>GL_ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA</code>	$(1, 1, 1, 1) - (\alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source}, \alpha_{source})$
<code>GL_CONSTANT_COLOR</code>	$(R_{constant}, G_{constant}, B_{constant}, \alpha_{constant})$
<code>GL_CONSTANT_ALPHA</code>	$(\alpha_{constant}, \alpha_{constant}, \alpha_{constant}, \alpha_{constant})$
...	...

For the last 2 cases, constant specified with
`glBlendColor(cstRed, cstGreen, cstBlue, cstAlpha)`

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Blending functions - 3/3

- More complex functions than addition :

<code>GL_FUNC_ADD</code>	$k_1 RGBA_{new} + k_2 RGBA_{old}$
<code>GL_FUNC_SUBTRACT</code>	$k_1 RGBA_{new} - k_2 RGBA_{old}$
<code>GL_FUNC_REVERSE_SUBTRACT</code>	$k_2 RGBA_{old} - k_1 RGBA_{new}$
<code>GL_MIN</code>	$\min(k_1 RGBA_{new}, k_2 RGBA_{old})$
<code>GL_MAX</code>	$\max(k_1 RGBA_{new}, k_2 RGBA_{old})$
<code>GL_LOGIC_OP</code>	$RGBA_{new} \text{ op } RGBA_{old}$
- Define with


```
glBlendEquation(mode)
```

 or


```
glBlendEquationSeparate(modeRGB, modeAlpha)
```

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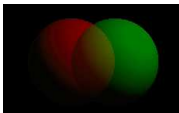
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Transparency = $\alpha_{new} RGBA_{new} + (1.0 - \alpha_{new}) RGBA_{old}$

Example :
Blend two objects with the same proportion :

```
glEnable(GL_BLEND);
glBlendFunc(GL_SRC_ALPHA, GL_ONE_MINUS_SRC_ALPHA);
glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT_AND_BACK, GL_DIFFUSE, (0, 1, 0, 0.5));
drawSphere();
glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT_AND_BACK, GL_DIFFUSE, (1, 0, 0, 0.5));
drawSphere();
```



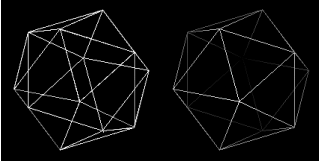
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Fog : principle

- The further away an object is from the viewpoint, the closer the color perceived is to the color of the fog
- Can be used for fog but also smoke, pollution, steam, depth cueing ...
- **Depth cueing** : reduce the intensity of an object depending on its distance to the viewpoint



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Fog : parameters tuning

- Blend the color of the object with the color of the fog according to a factor f :

$$RGBA = fRGBA_{object} + (1 - f)RGBA_{fog}$$

- f depends on the **depth** z of the object :

$$f = e^{-density \cdot z} \quad \text{GL_EXP}$$

$$f = e^{-(density \cdot z)^2} \quad \text{GL_EXP2}$$

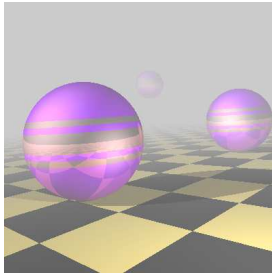
$$f = \frac{end - z}{end - start} \quad \text{GL_LINEAR}$$

- $density, start, end \rightarrow$ GL_FOG_DENSITY, GL_FOG_START, GL_FOG_END
- Direction of z can be changed with `glFogCoord(...)`
 \Rightarrow property of a vertex

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Fog : example

```
glEnable(GL_FOG);
GLfloat fogColor[4] = {0.5, 0.5, 0.5, 1.0};
glFogi(GL_FOG_MODE, GL_EXP);
glFogfv(GL_FOG_COLOR, fogColor);
glFogf(GL_FOG_DENSITY, 0.35);
```



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Conclusion

- Done :
 - Lights
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 - Blending effects
- Highlights :
 - Diffuse/Specular/Ambient/Shininess
 - Many effects quite easily
- To do :
 - Lab session : experiment notions
 - More complex modeling of materials : textures

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