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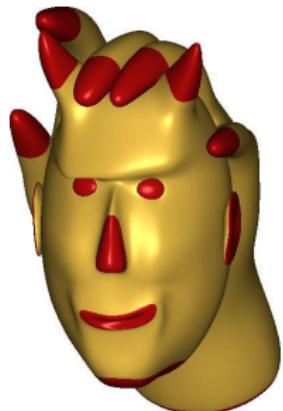
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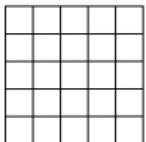
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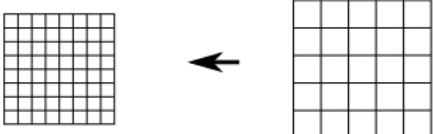
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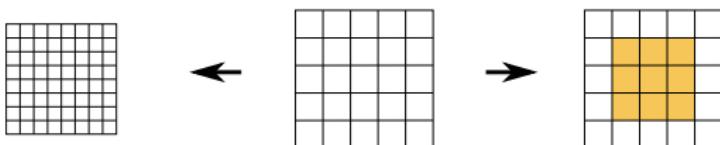
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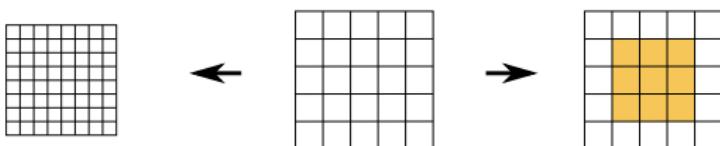
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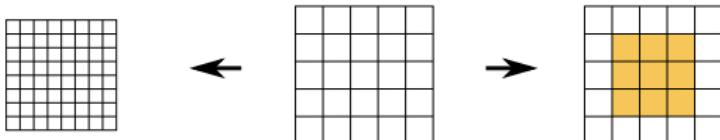
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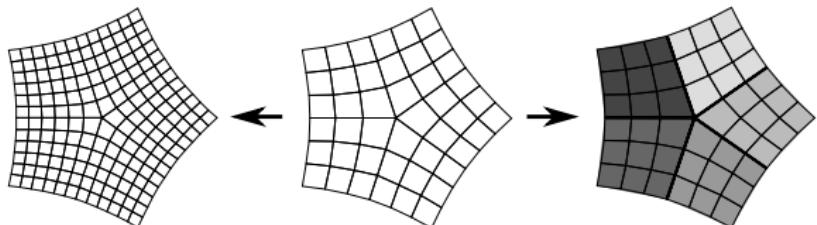
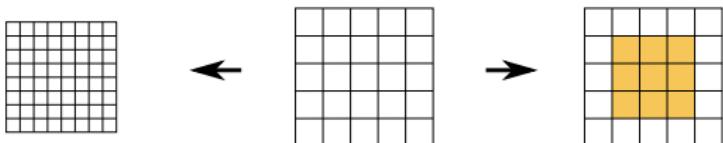
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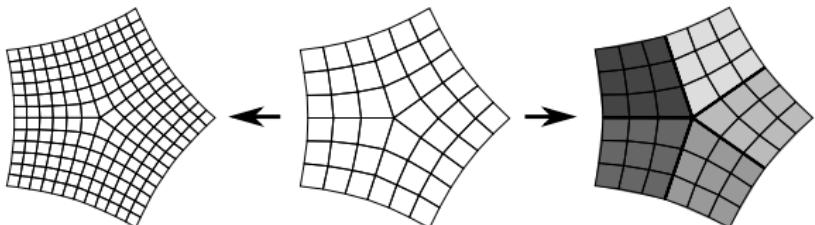
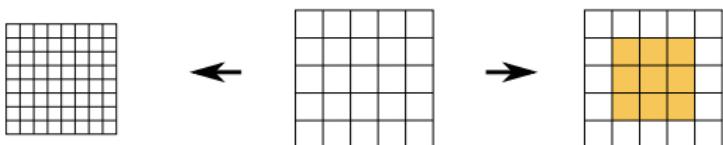
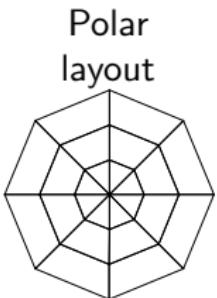
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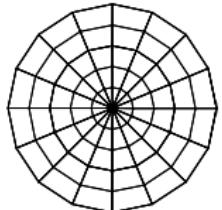
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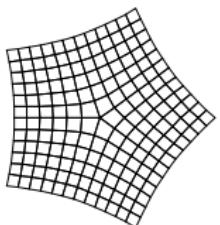
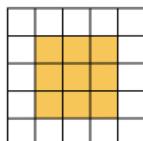
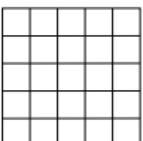
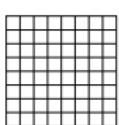
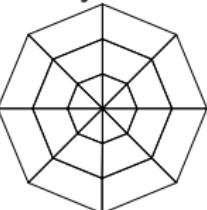


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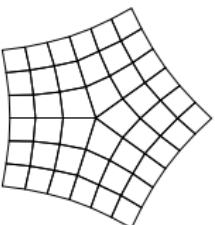
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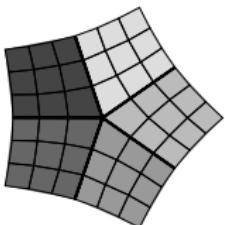
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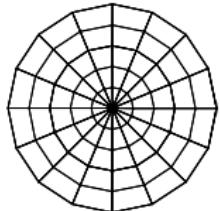
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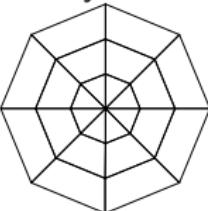
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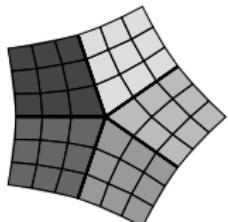
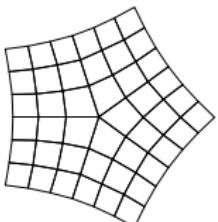
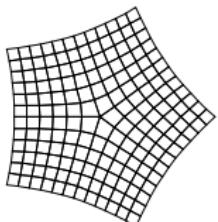
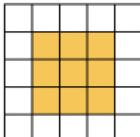
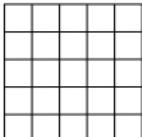
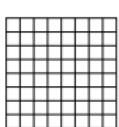
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Polar structures appear naturally

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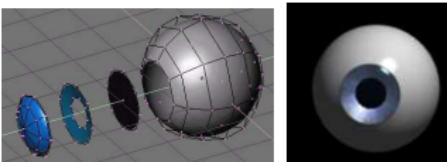
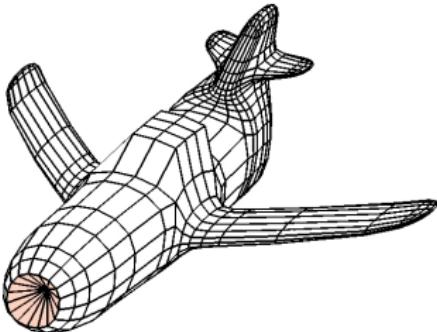
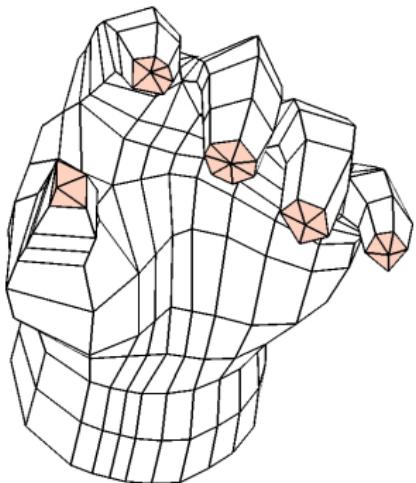
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Eye courtesy of "Blender: Noob to Pro"

Remove those unsightly wrinkles

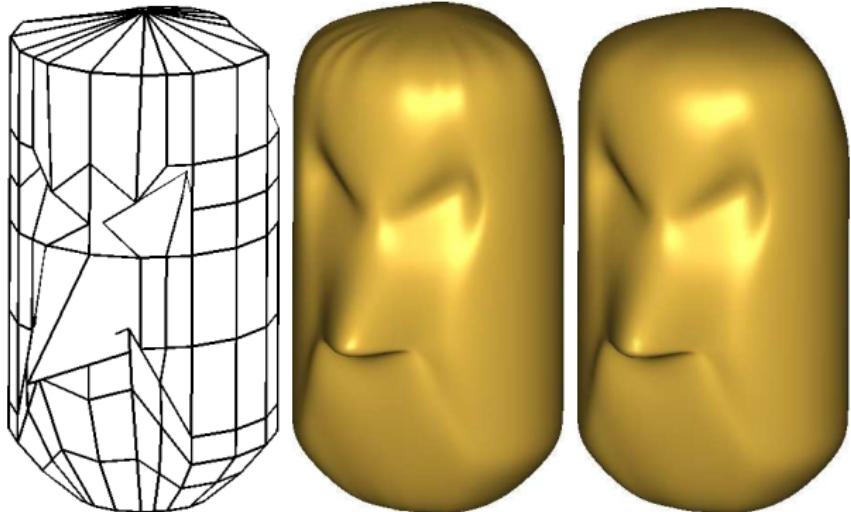
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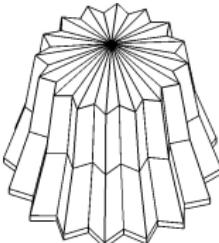
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Conventional picture

1. Align control mesh along features.
2. Use only quads.
3. Keep valence low.

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New and improved picture

1. Align control mesh along features.
2. Use quads *and* polar structures.
3. Keep quad-mesh valence low. High polar valence OK!

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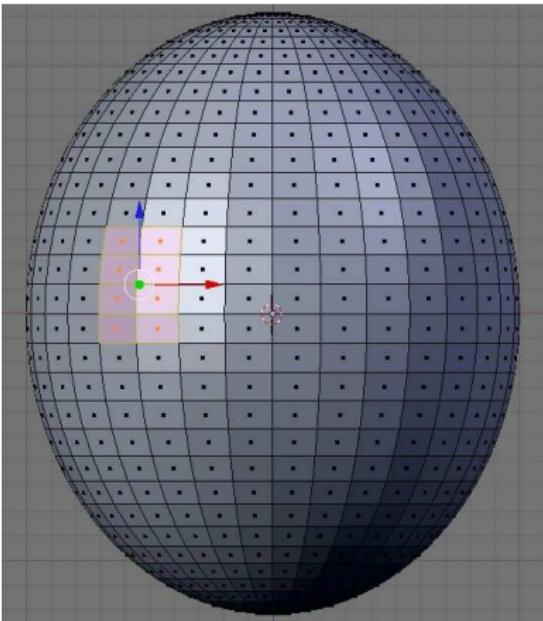
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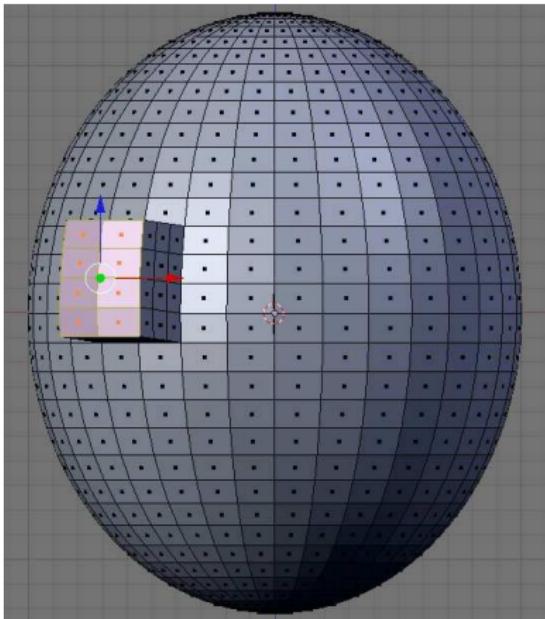
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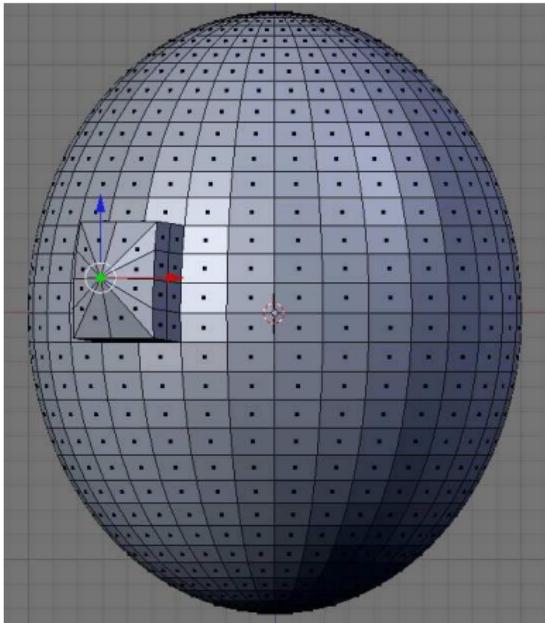
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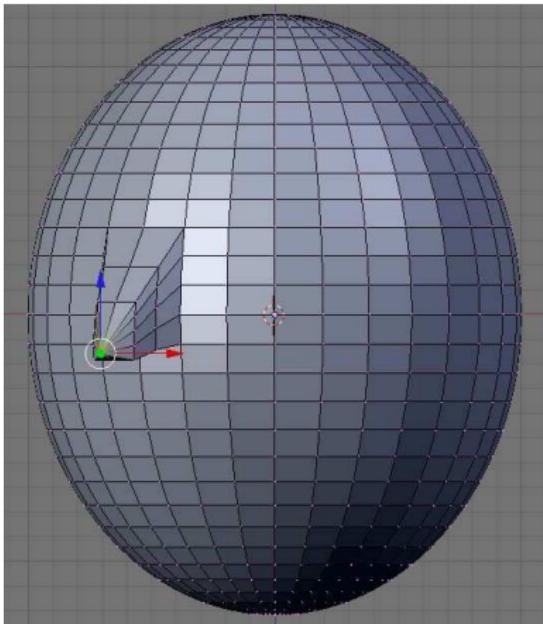
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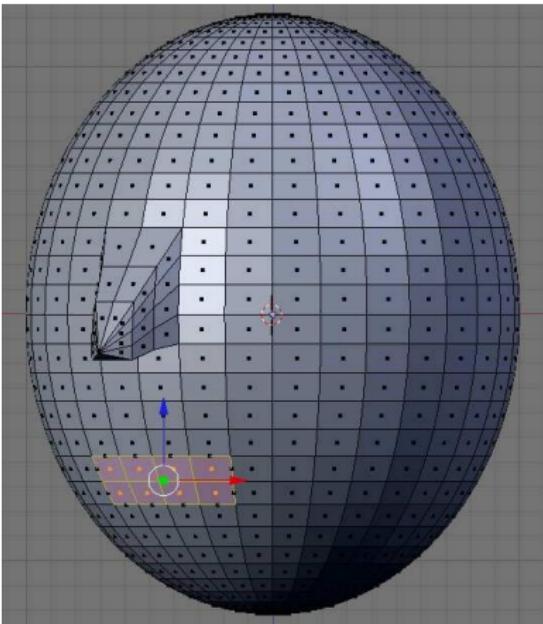
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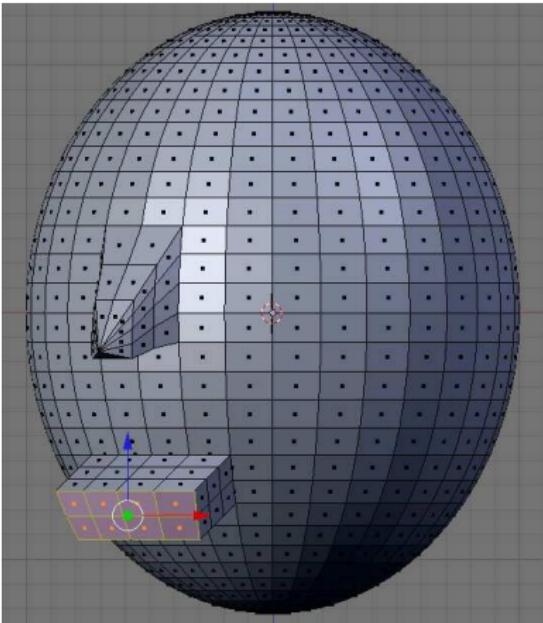
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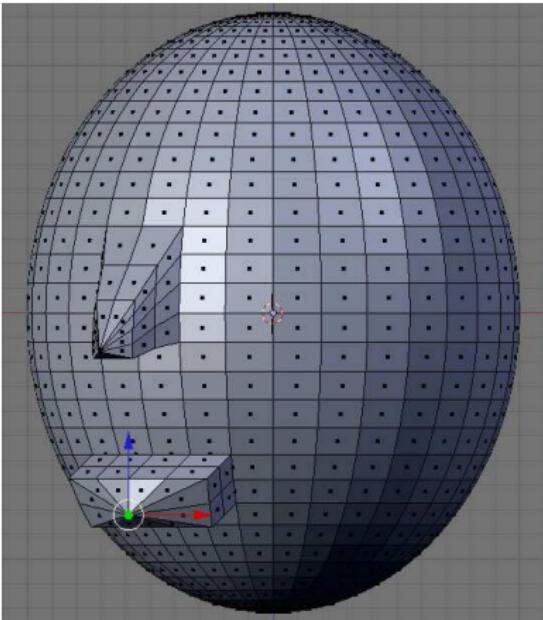
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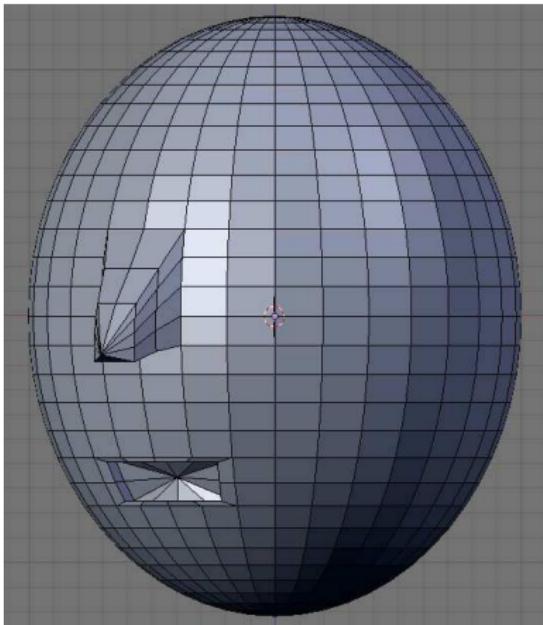
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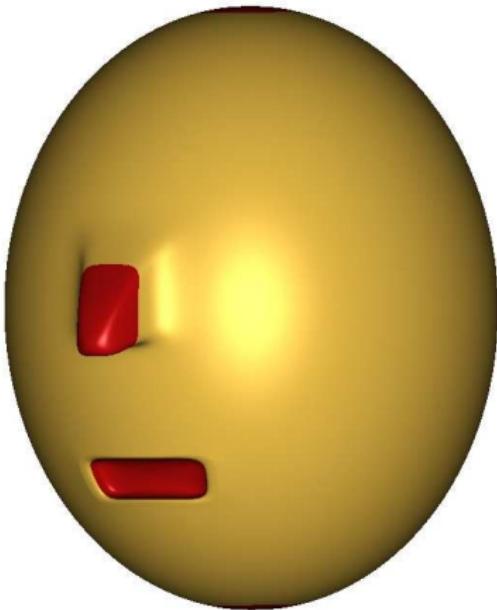
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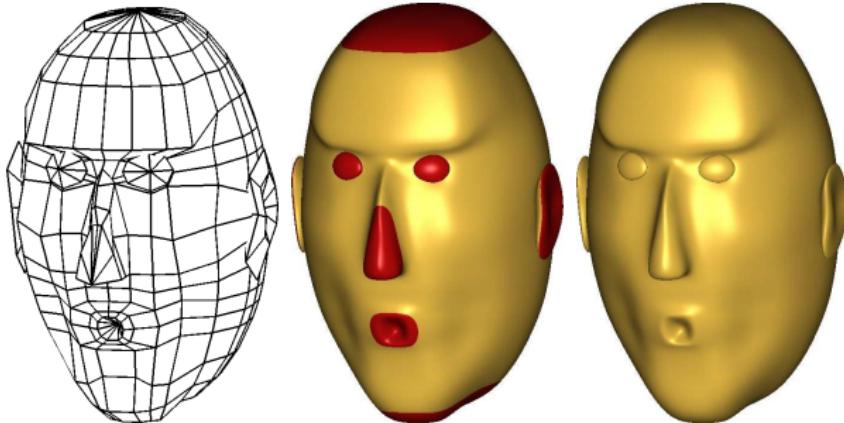
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1. keeps the Catmull-Clark valence low,
2. shifts high-valence connectivity to polar structures, and
3. orients the control lines along model features
(e.g. mouth).

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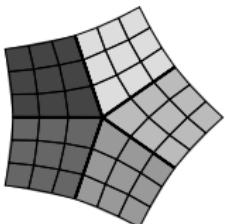
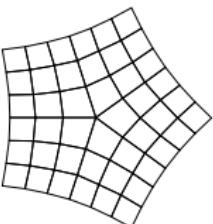
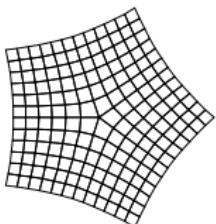
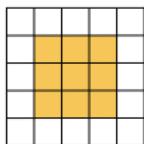
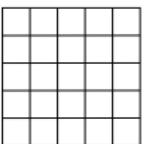
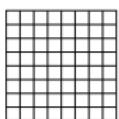
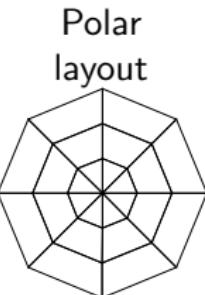
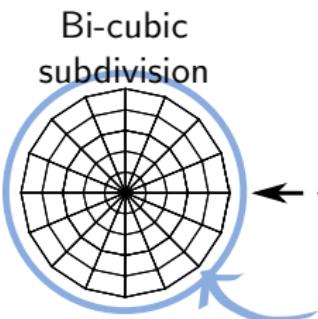
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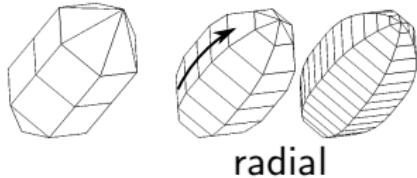
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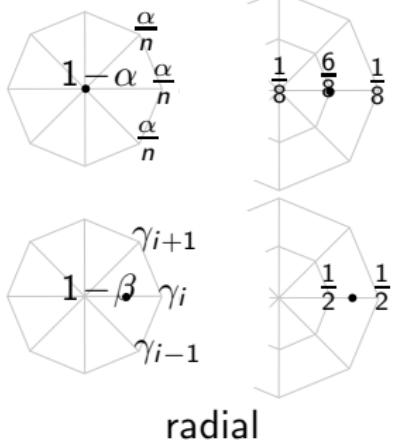
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$$\alpha := \beta - \frac{1}{4}, \quad \beta := \frac{5}{8},$$

$$c_n^k := \cos\left(\frac{2\pi k}{n}\right),$$

$$\gamma_k := \frac{1}{n} \left(\beta - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{5}{8} c_n^k + (c_n^k)^2 + \frac{1}{2} (c_n^k)^3 \right)$$

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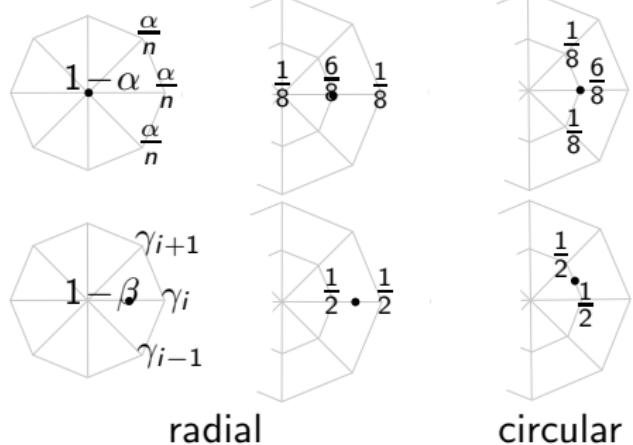
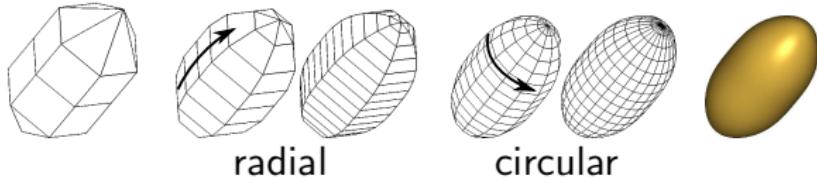
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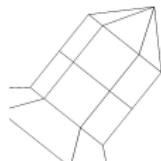


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Polar is easily combined with Catmull-Clark

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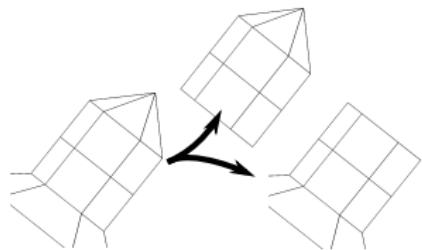
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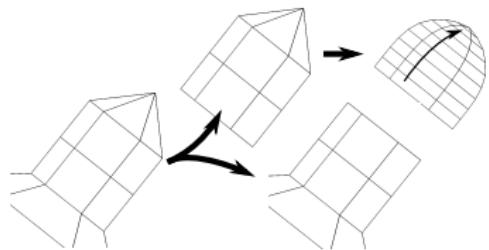
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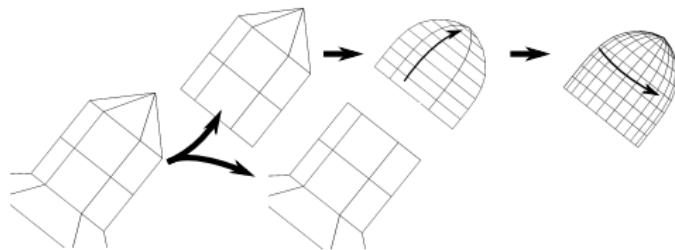
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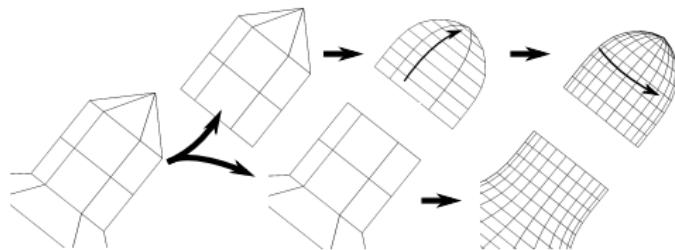
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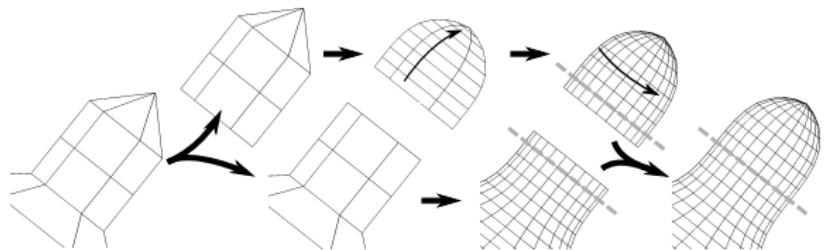
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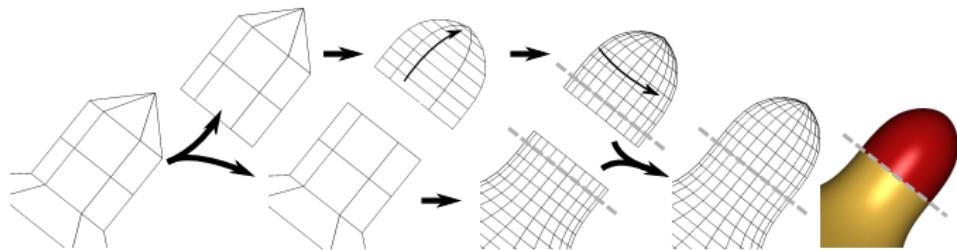
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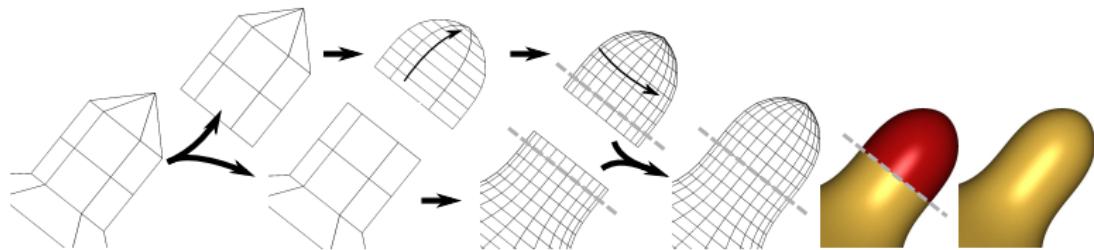
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⇒ C^1 with bounded curvature at the polar limit point.

- ▶ Verified using standard analysis tools from subdivision theory.

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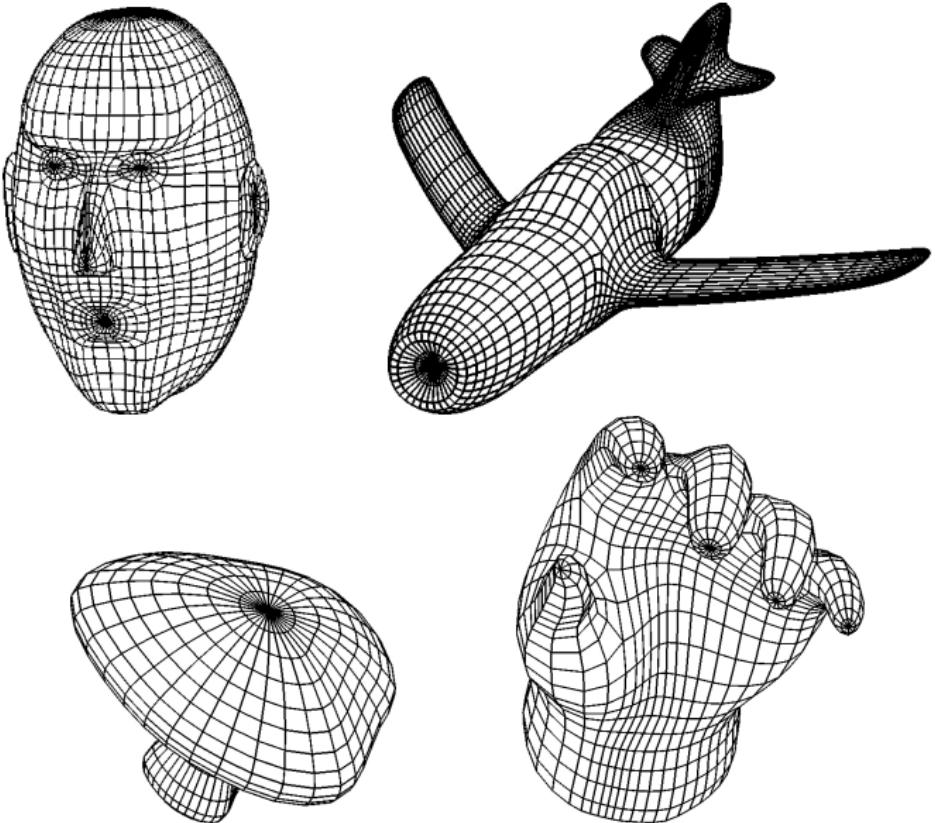
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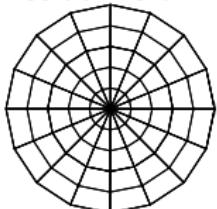
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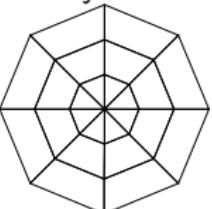
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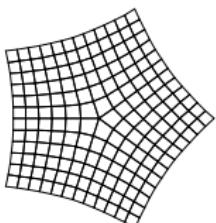
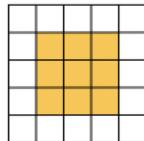
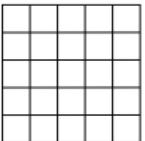
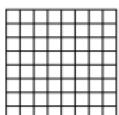
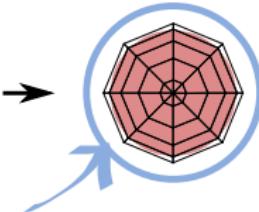
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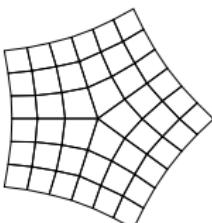
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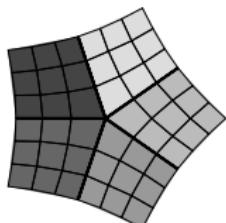
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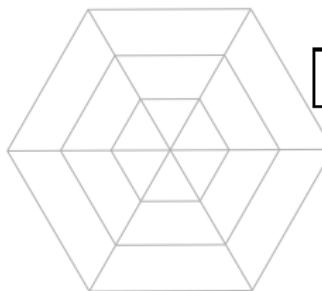


Valence \neq 4



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Polar structures can be C^1 capped by a single NURBS patch



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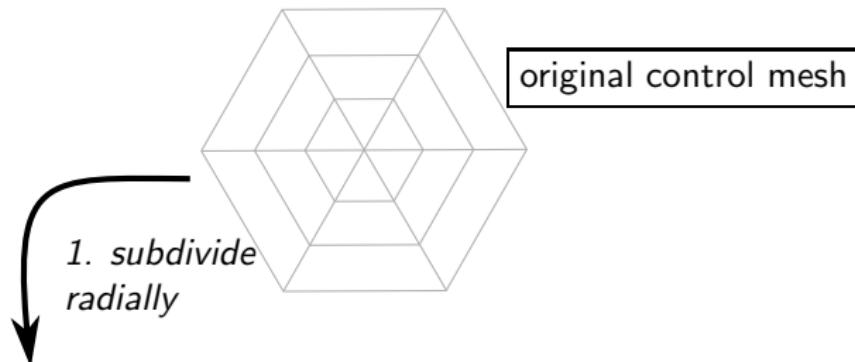
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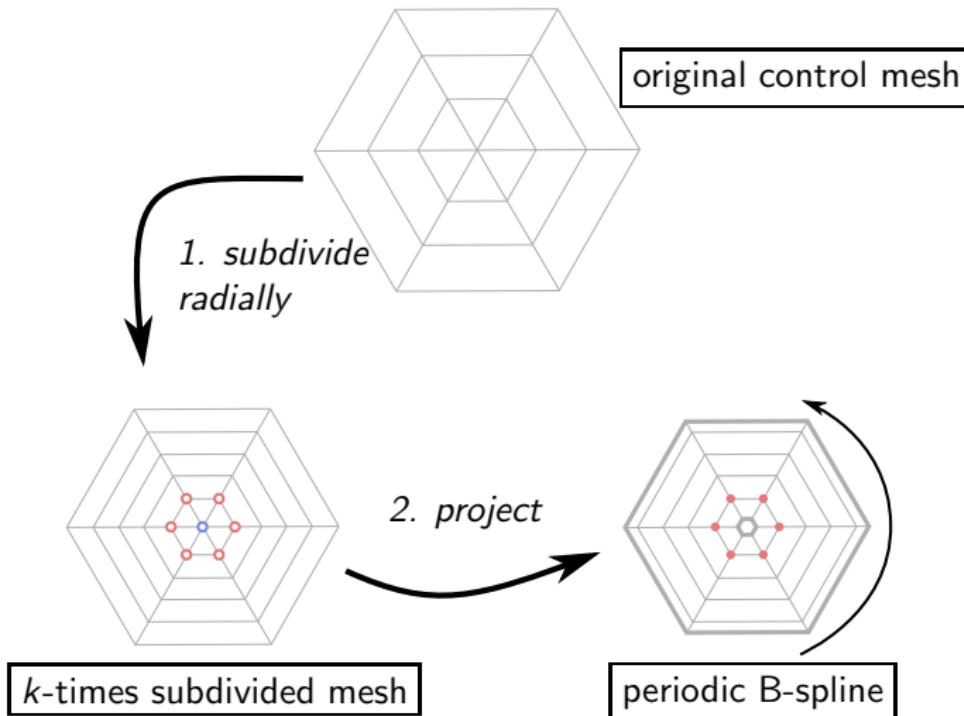
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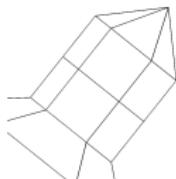
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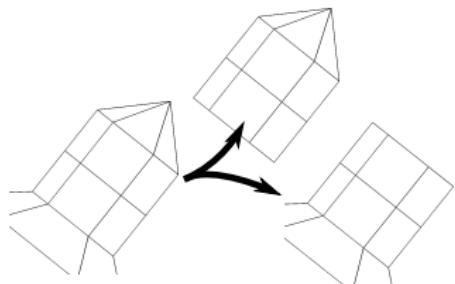
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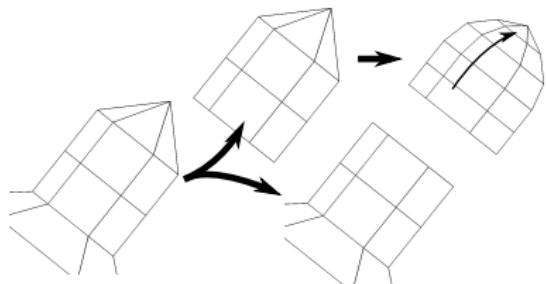
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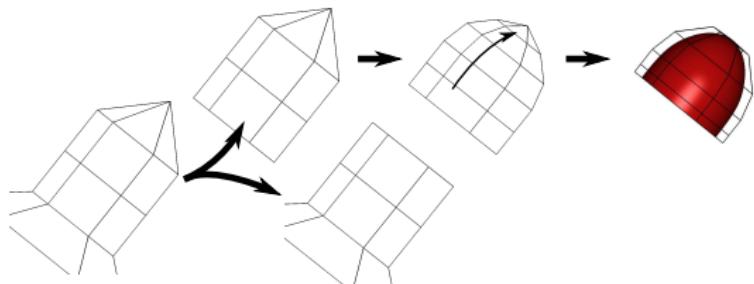
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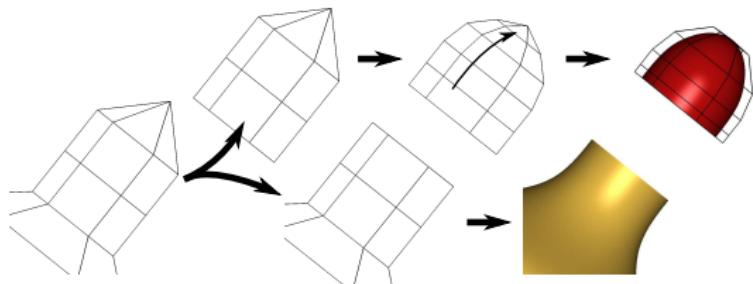
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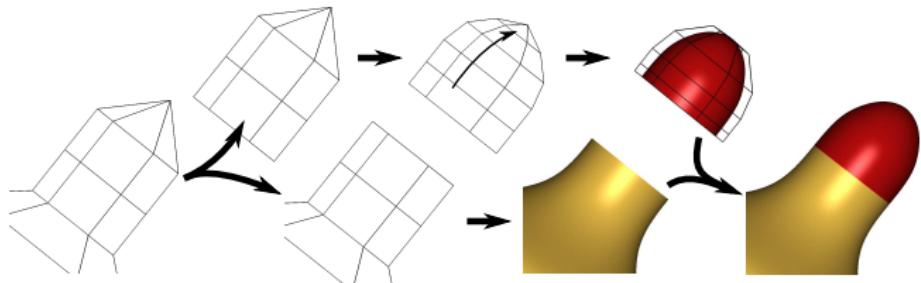
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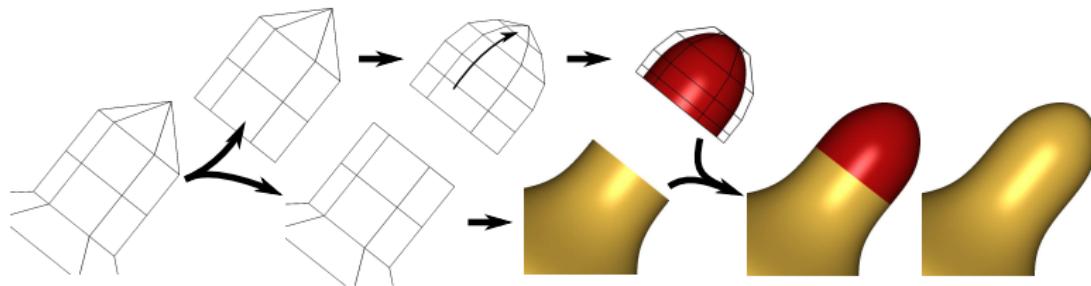
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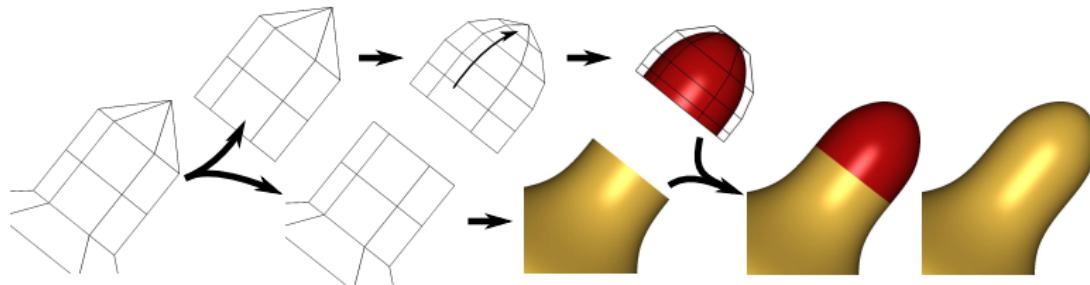
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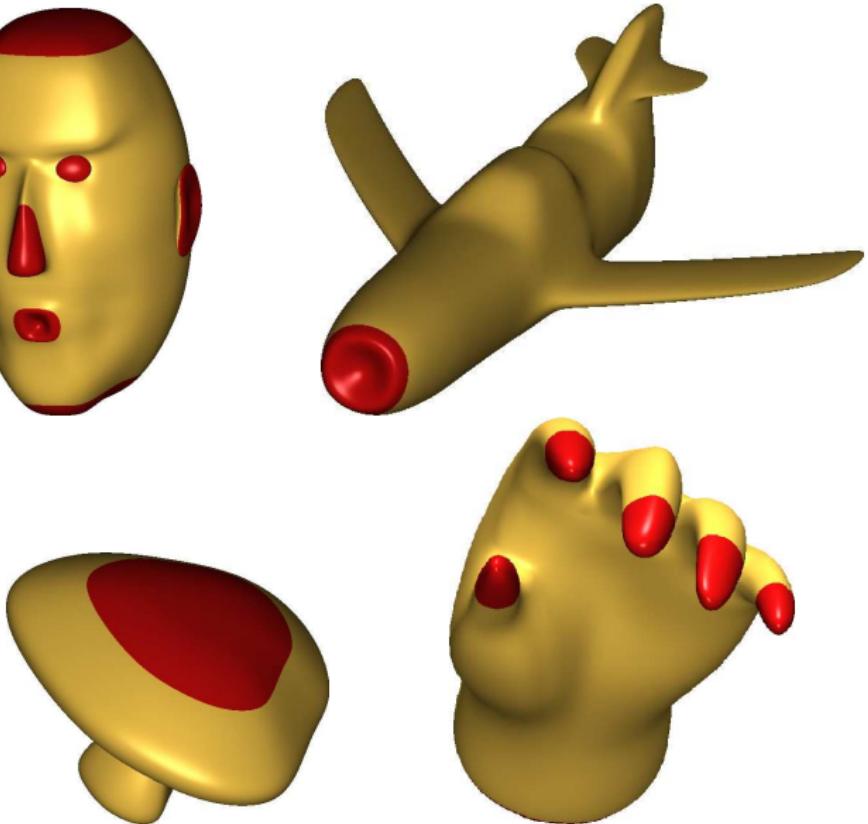
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⇒ C^1 with bounded curvature at the polar limit point.

- ▶ Singular parametrizations typically tricky
- ▶ Our B-spline patch = limit surface of a particular subdivision scheme
- ▶ Analyze using subdivision machinery!

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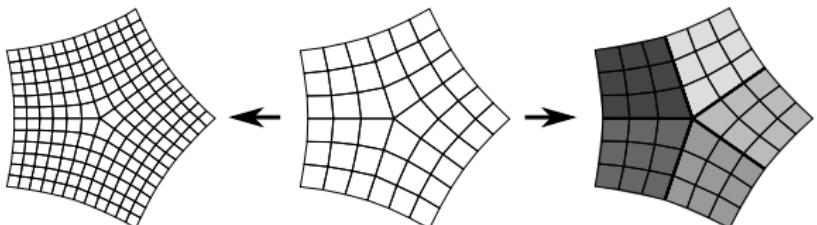
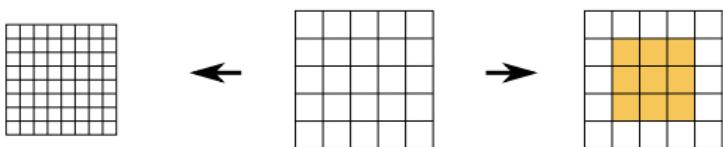
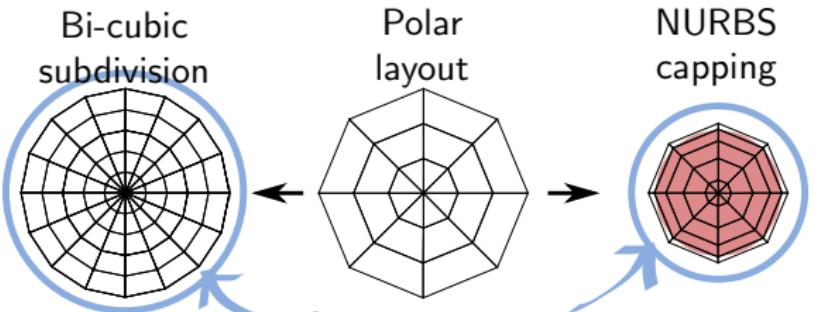
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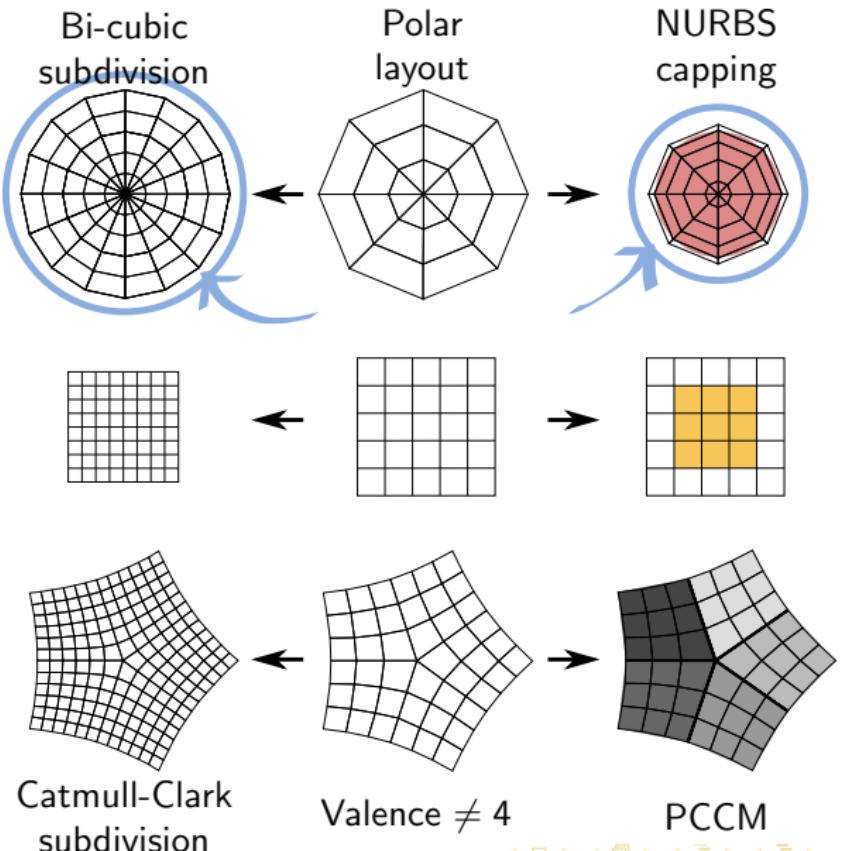
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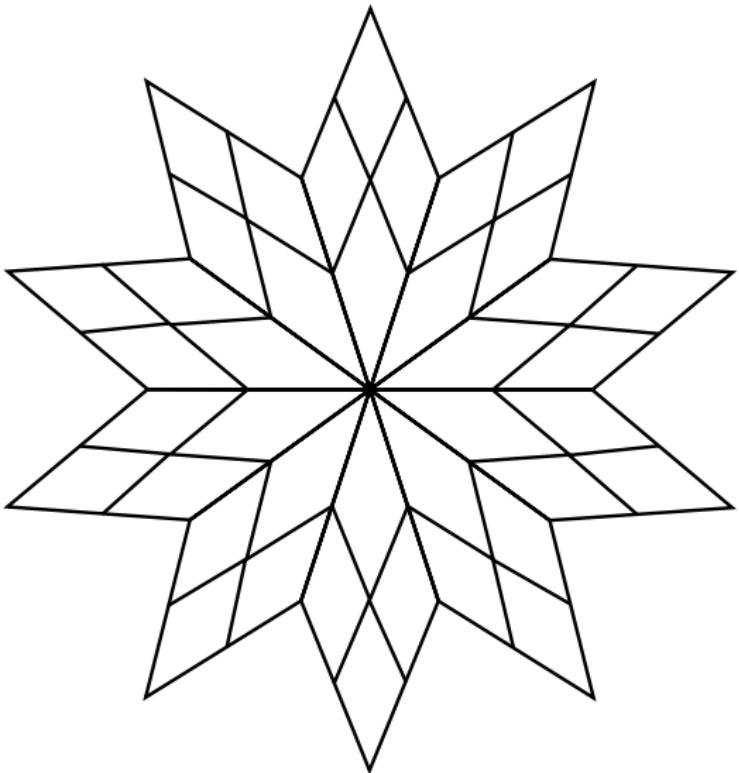
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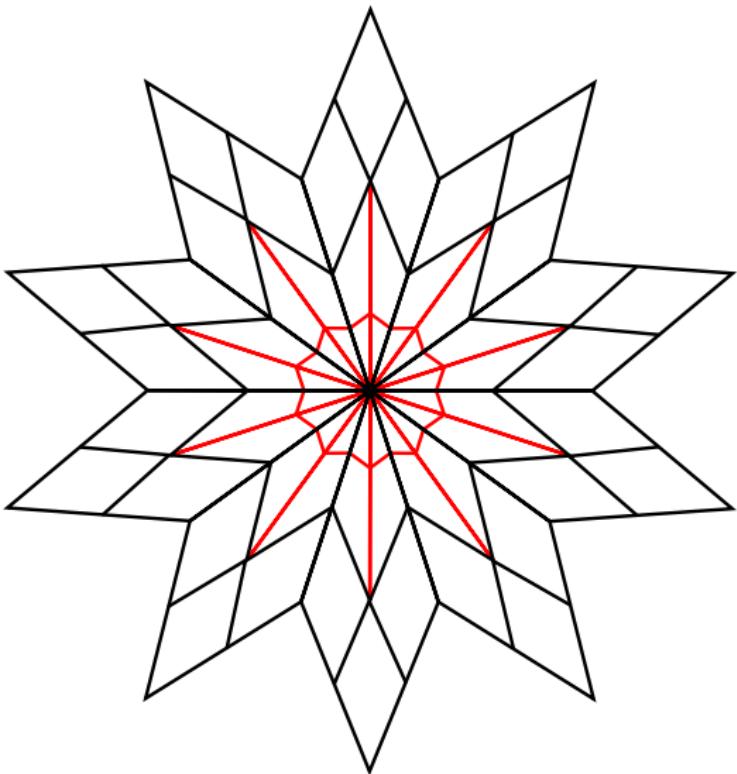
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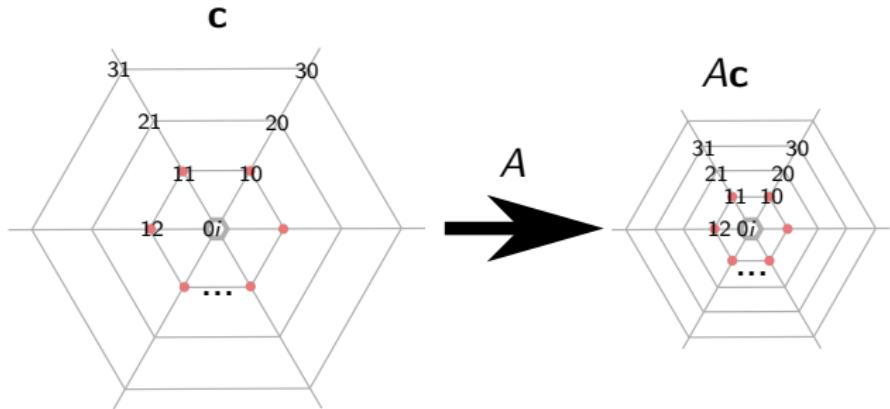
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$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A_0 & A_1 & \dots & A_{n-1} \\ A_{n-1} & A_0 & \dots & A_{n-2} \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ A_1 & \dots & A_{n-1} & A_0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A_0 := \begin{bmatrix} 1/n & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/n & \Gamma_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 3/4 & 1/4 & 0 \\ 0 & 3/16 & 11/16 & 1/8 \end{bmatrix}, \quad A_i := \begin{bmatrix} 1/n & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1/n & \Gamma_i & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}.$$

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1^{st} & $n - 1^{st}$

Fourier blocks

n

- ▶ Eigenvalues: $1, \underbrace{1/2, 1/2}_{\text{Fourier blocks}}, \underbrace{1/4, \dots, 1/4}_n.$
- ▶ Characteristic map is regular ($\Rightarrow C^1$).
- ▶ Geometric multiplicities = algebraic multiplicities for A .
- ⇒ Bounded curvature.

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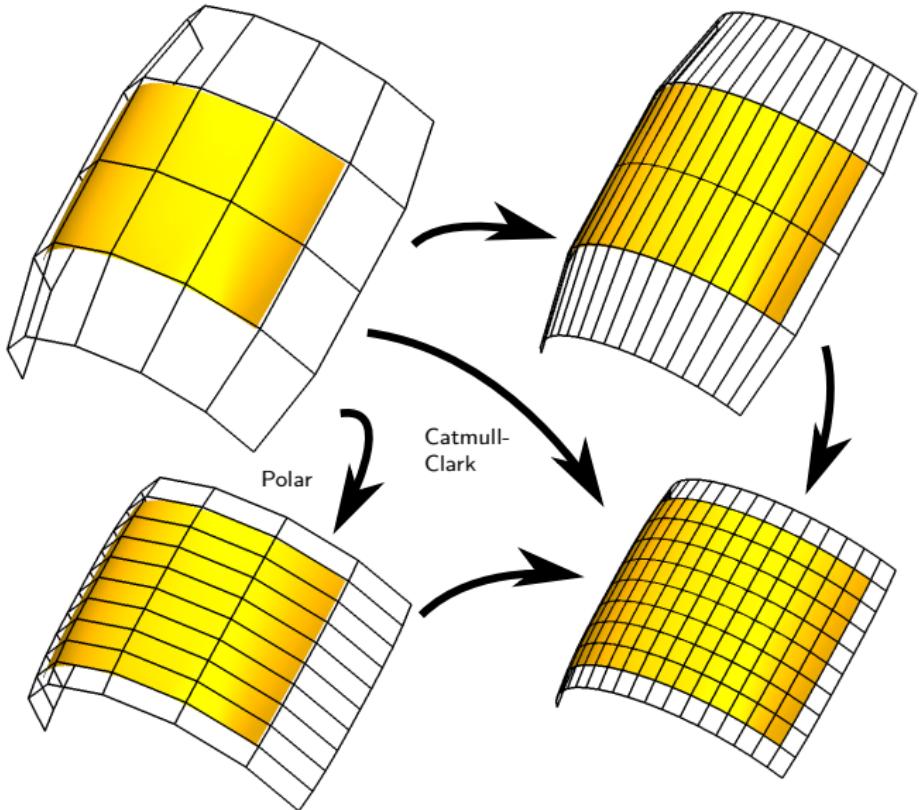
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$$\begin{matrix} \frac{\alpha}{n} \\ 1 - \alpha \frac{\alpha}{n} \\ \frac{\alpha}{n} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{8} & \frac{6}{8} & \frac{1}{8} \\ & \frac{6}{8} & \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{8} & \frac{6}{8} \\ \frac{6}{8} & \frac{1}{8} \\ \frac{1}{8} & \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \gamma_{i+1} \\ 1 - \beta \gamma_i \\ \gamma_{i-1} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \end{matrix}$$

radial

circular

