

Computer Graphics Worksheet

Texturing and Color

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Problem 1. Texturing

We would like to apply a texture image of resolution *width* \times *height* to a sphere, such that the whole sphere will be covered with the whole texture. The sphere is located at point $\vec{s}(x_0, y_0, z_0)$ and has radius r . The ray hits the sphere at point $\vec{h}(x, y, z)$. Please derive the texture coordinates (u, v) for point \vec{h} .

Hint: You can use the following formulas for transition from spherical to cartesian coordinate systems:

$$x = x_0 + r \sin \theta \cos \varphi$$

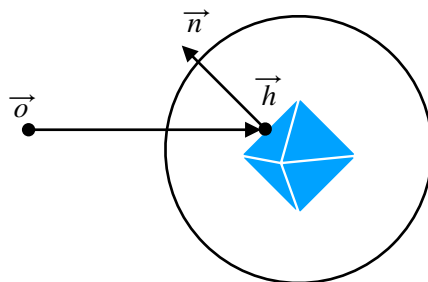
$$y = y_0 + r \sin \theta \sin \varphi$$

$$z = z_0 + r \cos \theta$$

where $\theta \in [0; \pi]$ and $\varphi \in [0; 2\pi)$

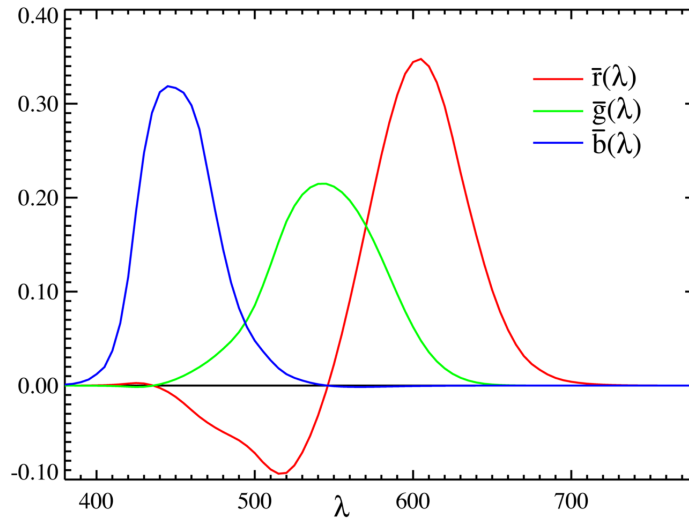
Problem 2. Reflection Texturing

Given a ray hit-point \vec{h} , the origin of the ray from camera \vec{o} and the local surface normal \vec{n} (all expressed in world space), compute the pixel coordinates that have to be accessed in the reflection map texture. This texture is stored so that uv-coordinates map to spherical coordinates (normalized in $[0, 1]$).



Problem 3. Color Models

On the image below you can see the CIE RGB color matching functions, which are the numerical description of the chromatic response of the *observer*. As you know these functions were estimated empirically during the color matching experiments:



Please explain with your own words

- How it is possible that the red curve becomes negative?
- How the negative values were estimated?