# 隐式场里的可微渲染与仿真 GAMES Webinar 几何专题

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### Deep Learning Is a Powerful Tool

- In Vision, Language, etc...
- CNNs, Transformers, etc...





### **Physics Simulation**

- Serve as an inductive bias for learning algorithms
- Utilize the power of deep learning to solve physics problems



#### My Research on Differentiable Simulation



- (1) Scalable Differentiable Physics for Learning and Control. (ICML 2020)
- (2) Efficient Differentiable Simulation of Articulated Bodies. (ICML 2021)
- (3) Differentiable Simulation of Soft Multi-body Systems. (NeurIPS 2021)
- (4) OF-VO: Efficient Navigation among Pedestrians Using Commodity Sensors. (ICRA/RAL 2021)
- (5) Differentiable Fluids with Solid Coupling for Learning and Control. (AAAI 2021)
- (6) Differentiable Hybrid Traffic Simulation. (Siggraph Asia 2022, Journal Track)
- (7) NeuPhysics: Editable Neural Geometry and Physics from Monocular Videos. (NeurIPS 2022)
- (8) Differentiable Analog Quantum Computing for Optimization and Control. (NeurIPS 2022)



#### 隐式场里的可微渲染与仿真

- 之前的可微仿真基本都是基于synthetic data
- 如何将可微仿真应用于真实的数据上?
- Real world video  $\leftarrow$  (?)  $\rightarrow$  Physics Simulation
- 几何重建是关键!要想仿真,首先需要已知的几何模型



DiffTaichi



Warp











# We Choose Neural Implicit Field [4]!

- Real world video  $\leftarrow$  NeuS [2] + Non-rigid NeRF [3]  $\rightarrow$  Physics Simulation
- Reconstruct arbitrary geometry from real world data
- Image  $\rightarrow$  geometry reconstruction  $\rightarrow$  simulation  $\rightarrow$  rendering  $\rightarrow$  new Image
- Input:
  - A monocular RGB video
- Output:
  - Signed distance field for each frame
  - Physics parameters of the chosen object
  - Interfaces for video editing



# NeuPhysics: Editable Neural Geometry and Physics from Monocular Videos

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#### Motivation

- Reconstruct detailed 3D geometry from monocular videos
- Estimate physics parameters from videos
- Enable consistent and physically-based editing of the original video



# Pipeline



#### **Pipeline: Rendering Module**



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# **Pipeline: Physics Module**



## **Pipeline: Editing Operators**



#### Methods



• Pixels are rendered by volume rendering [2, 4] with ray bending [3].

$$\mathbf{C}(\mathbf{o}, \mathbf{v}) = \int_0^{+\infty} w(s(\mathbf{p}(t))) \cdot \mathbf{c}(\mathbf{p}(t)) \, \mathrm{d}t$$

- $s_{\theta_{SDF}}$  := SDF Field
- $\mathbf{c}_{\theta_{color}}$  := Color Field
- $r_{\theta_{rigidity}} :=$  Rigidity Field
- **b** $_{\theta_{motion}}$  := Motion Field

\*More details can be found in our paper.

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The simulation is integrated using Projective Dynamics [1]: 

$$\mathbf{M}(\mathbf{Q}_{i+1} - \mathbf{Q}_i - h\dot{\mathbf{Q}}_i) = h^2(\nabla E(\mathbf{Q}_{i+1}, \theta_{physics}) + \mathbf{f}_{ext})$$

- $\circ$  **E** := Energy  $\circ$  **M** := mass
- $\circ$  **Q** := position  $\circ$   $\theta$  := physics parameters
- $\circ$  **Q** := velocity •  $\mathbf{f}_{ext}$  := external forces
- $\circ$  **h** := time step

We use the volume mesh projective dynamics implementation from DiffPD [5] 

# Physics

- The simulated objects are sampled from the learned SDF Field.
- How to find the correspondence of the simulated object between two frames?
- We optimize a cycle-consistency physics loss to get the physics parameters:

$$\mathcal{L}_{physics} = \left\| (\mathbf{m}_{i} + \mathbf{b}_{\theta_{motion}}^{\theta_{rigidity}}(\mathbf{l}_{i}, \mathbf{m}_{i})) - (\mathbf{m}_{i+j}'(\theta_{physics}) + \mathbf{b}_{\theta_{motion}}^{\theta_{rigidity}}(\mathbf{l}_{i+j}, \mathbf{m}_{i+j}'(\theta_{physics}))) \right\|_{2}$$

$$\begin{array}{c} Object \ \mathbf{i} \end{array}$$

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• Select Foreground:





**Original SDF Field** 

• Select Foreground:

![](_page_23_Picture_2.jpeg)

**Original SDF Field** 

Rigidity Threshold + Bounding box

• Select Foreground:

![](_page_24_Picture_2.jpeg)

**Original SDF Field** 

Rigidity Threshold + Bounding box **Extracted Foreground** 

- Select foreground
- Sample hexahedral mesh
- Simulate/edit hexahedral mesh
- Compute deformation
  - Following NeRF-Editing [6]
- Rendering with ray bending

![](_page_25_Figure_7.jpeg)

#### Results

#### **Results: Dynamic Geometry Reconstruction**

![](_page_27_Picture_1.jpeg)

![](_page_27_Picture_2.jpeg)

![](_page_27_Picture_3.jpeg)

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![](_page_27_Picture_7.jpeg)

![](_page_27_Picture_8.jpeg)

#### Face:

![](_page_28_Picture_1.jpeg)

![](_page_28_Picture_2.jpeg)

Ours

**D-NeRF** 

![](_page_28_Picture_5.jpeg)

#### Hand:

![](_page_29_Picture_1.jpeg)

![](_page_29_Picture_2.jpeg)

#### Human holding object:

![](_page_30_Picture_1.jpeg)

![](_page_30_Picture_2.jpeg)

### **Editing:** (Original Source Videos)

![](_page_31_Picture_1.jpeg)

#### Editing: Remove Foreground

![](_page_32_Picture_1.jpeg)

## Editing: Highlight Foreground

![](_page_33_Picture_1.jpeg)

## **Editing: Change Velocity**

![](_page_34_Picture_1.jpeg)

Add velocity toward left

Ground Truth (no horizontal velocity) Add velocity toward right

### **Editing: Change Physical Material**

![](_page_35_Picture_1.jpeg)

**Softer Material** 

Material Similar to Ground Truth

Harder Material

#### Future Work

- Integrate with other differentiable simulators to support more object types (e.g. articulated body and fluids).
- Incorporate stronger priors (e.g. 3D structure and semantic information).
- Improve editing quality (i.e. removing artifacts).
- Estimate textures and UV maps simultaneously with geometry.
- Improve training and inference speed.

## **Summary of Contributions**

- An end-to-end differentiable simulation and rendering framework capable of *estimating and editing the geometry, appearance, and physics parameters from a monocular video.*
- A *bi-directional conversion between the implicit neural fields and explicit hexahedral mesh*, which allows users to *interact with the 3D scene* (add, delete, move, deform, simulate, etc.) and obtain high-quality rendering from novel camera views.
- By connecting our geometry reconstruction pipeline to the differentiable physics engine, we avoid manual construction of 3D models and poor initialization for the differentiable simulator, *enabling geometry and dynamics to be learned from scratch*.

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### Q & A

# Thank you!