Reconstructing Flowers from Sketches



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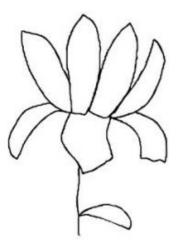
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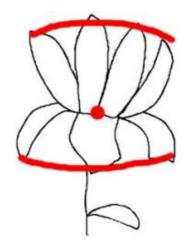


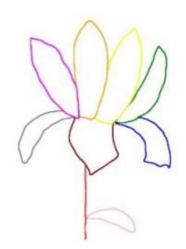


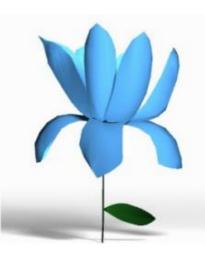


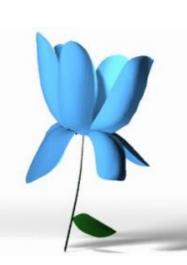














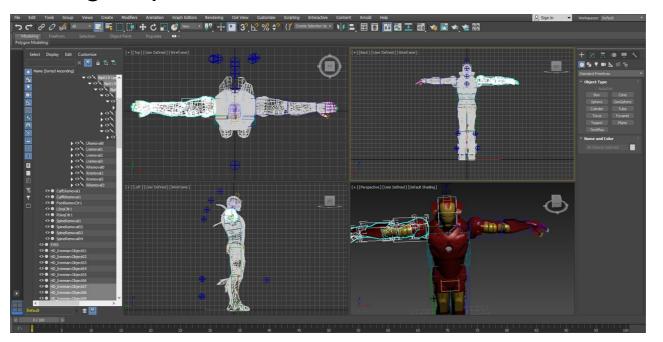
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3D reconstruction from sketch

Sketches

- Most commonly used tool in the early stages of design
- Everybody is able to draw sketches
- 3D modeling requires skills

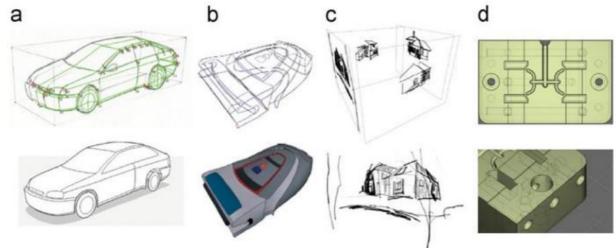


Ability to create 3D shapes from 2D drawings → 3D for everybody

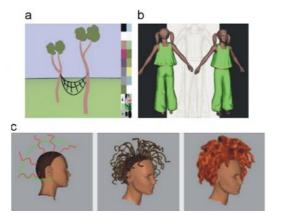
3D reconstruction from sketch

Sketches

Computer Aided Design (CAD)



Content creation (games, animations, virtual reality,...)



Why flowers?

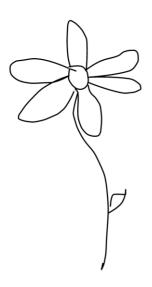
Simplicity

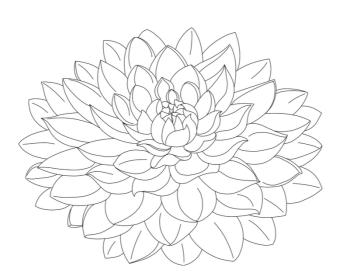
Symbol of beauty, one of the most popular subjects of artistic drawing

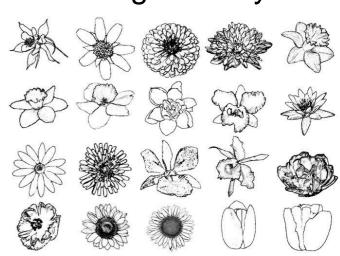
Well-defined structure

complexity

large variety



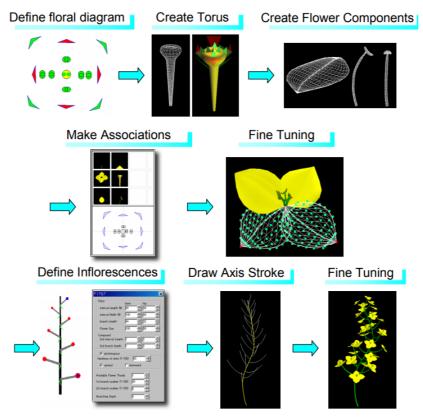




3D flowers reconstruction

Interactive systems

Floral diagrams and inflorescences (2005)
 Use different sketch to specify the overall appearance, and interact with the user to refine the details of the desired final model



Ijiri, Takashi and Owada, Shigeru and Okabe, Makoto and Igarashi, Takeo, Floral Diagrams and Inflorescences: Interactive Flower Modeling Using Botanical Structural Constraints, ACM Trans. Graph., July 2005

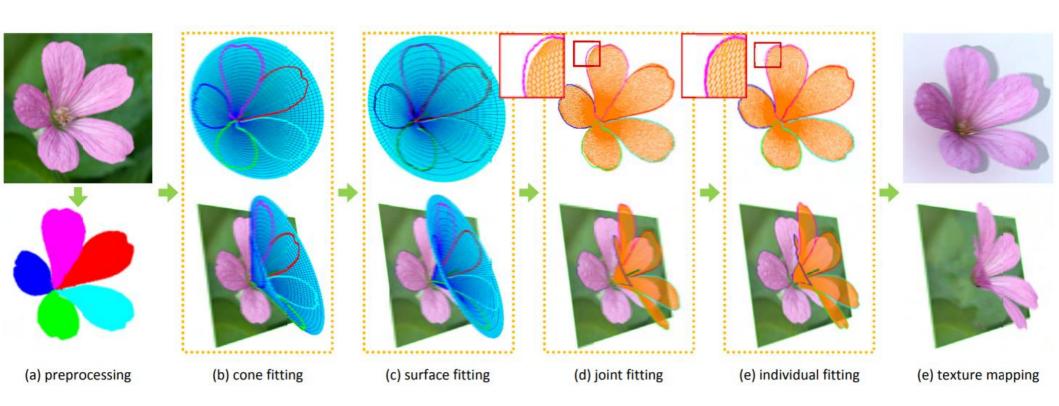
3D flowers reconstruction

Reconstruction methods

Fast reconstruction, low effort required

Flower reconstruction from a single photo (2014)

Reconstruction of the 3D model with texture based on a photo

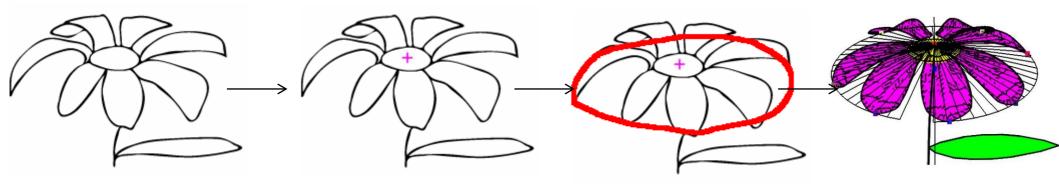


Flower reconstruction from a single photo, computer graphics forum 2014, Feilong Yan, Minglun Gong, Daniel Cohen-Or, Oliver Deussen, Baoquan Chen

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Method: user view



2D Sketch input

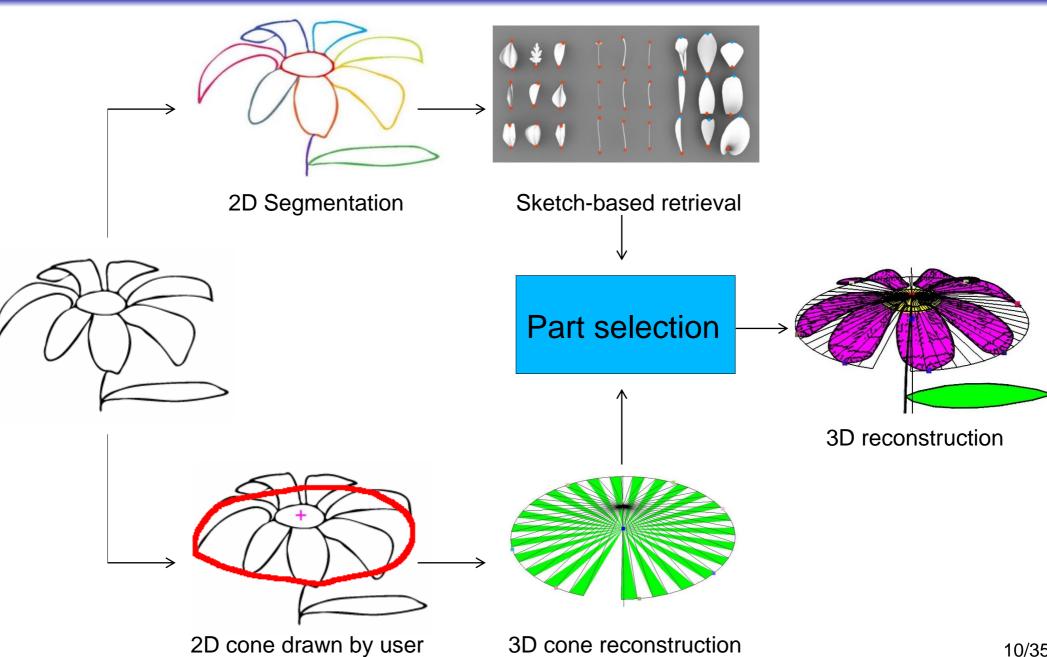
One click: Base point

Quick line: Petal-tip curve

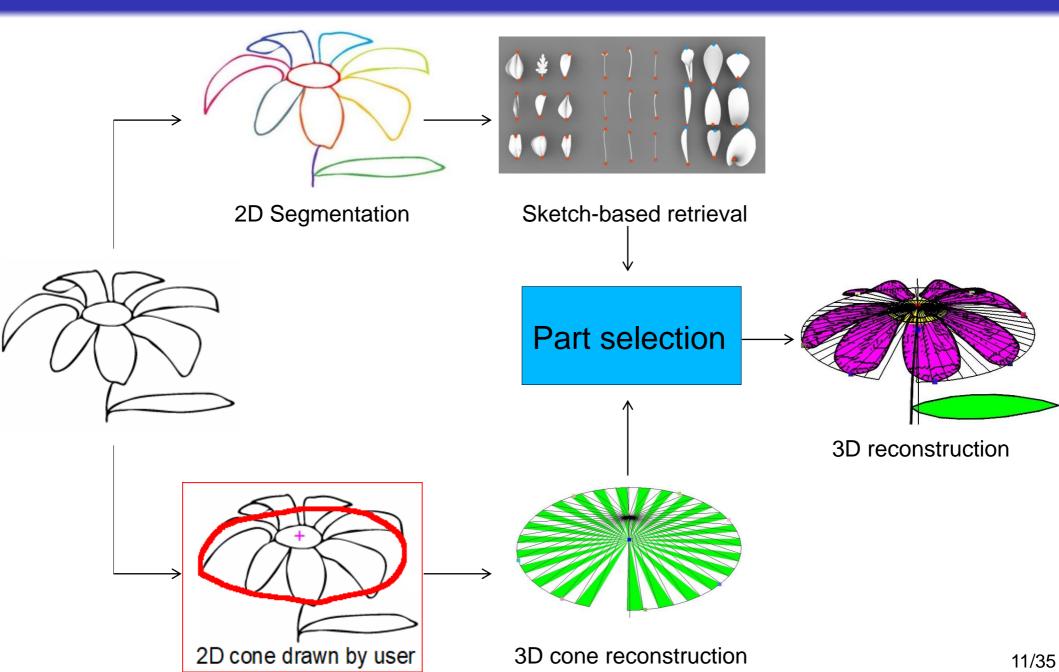
3D Model

- -silhouette Sketch
- -moderate abstraction
- -stem

Method



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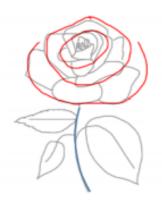
Reconstruction of 3D Cone

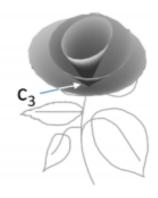
Guide strokes

The user provides the following informations:

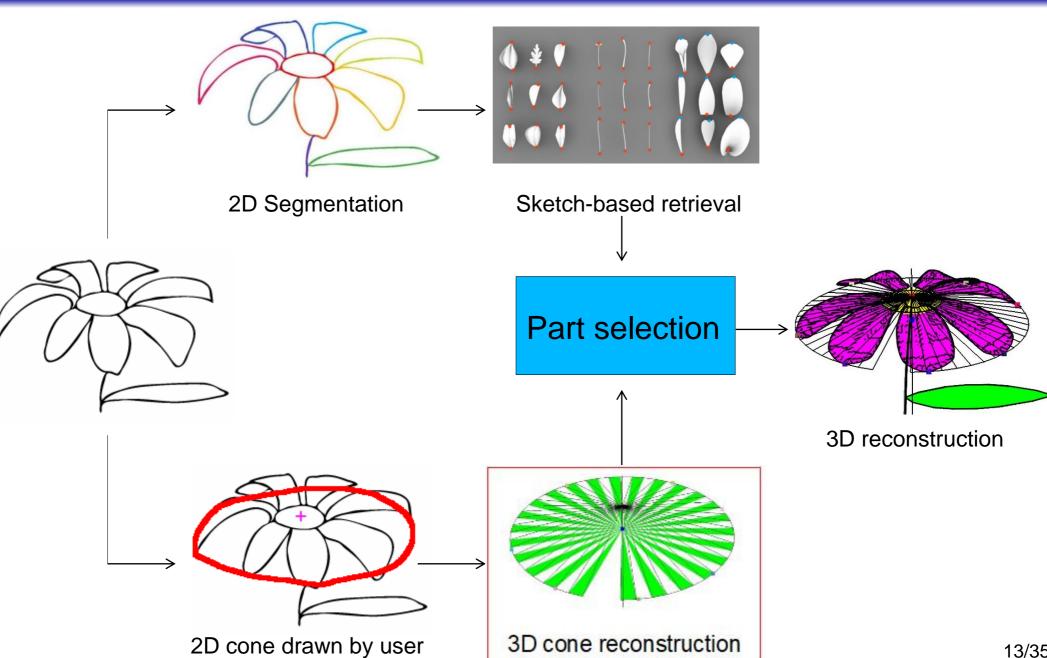
- Petal-tip curve : curve passing through the tips of drawn petals of the same layer
- Base point: junction between the stem and the corolla







Method



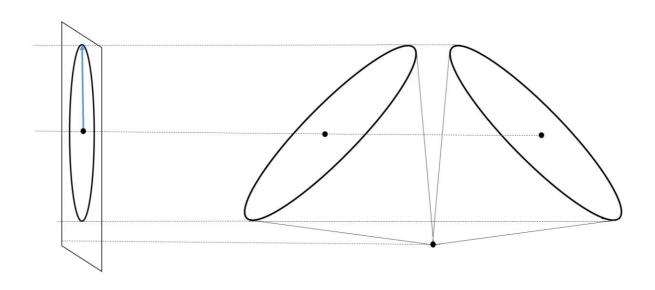
Reconstruction of 3D Cone

Orientation of the corolla

Define the ellipse based on the user curves

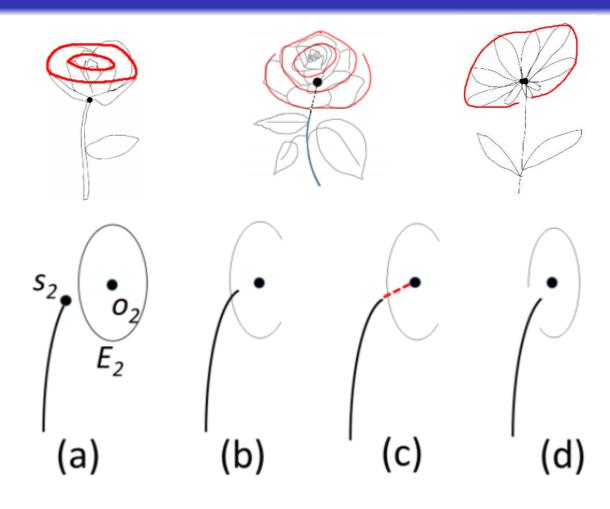


• Use the 2D ellipse in order to compute the 3D cone



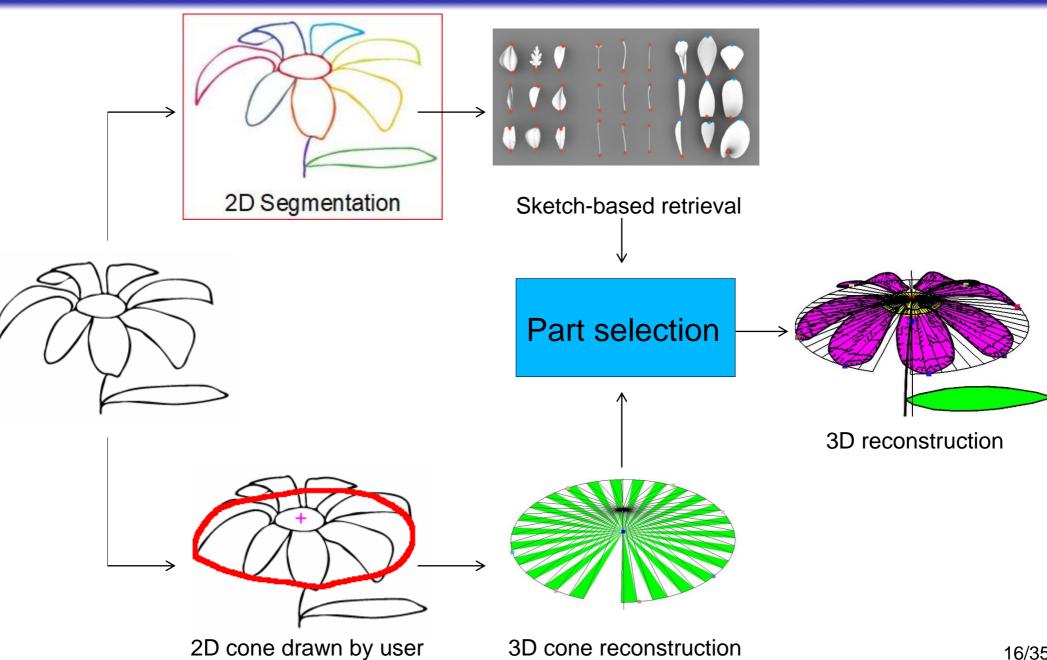
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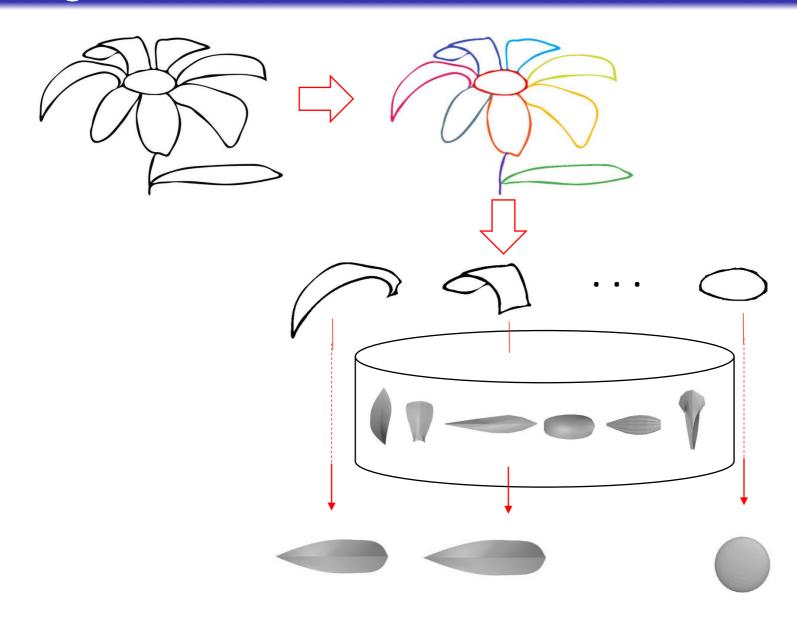


The flower is oriented towards the observer if the curves of the petal is closed (a) or if the stem (b) or the segment [s2, o2] (c) intersects it. Otherwise, the flower is oriented away from the observer (d).

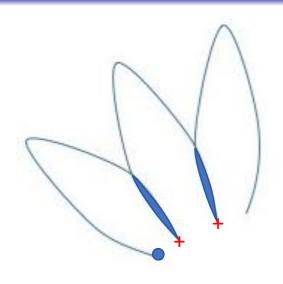
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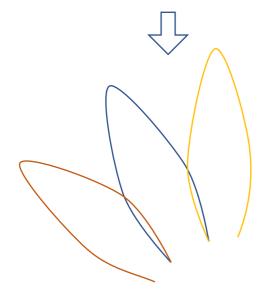
Segmentation

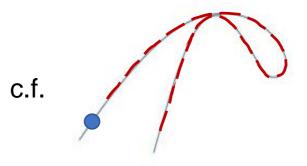


Segmentation



If area inside the loop is small, we segment the stroke at the point of maximal curvature in the loop



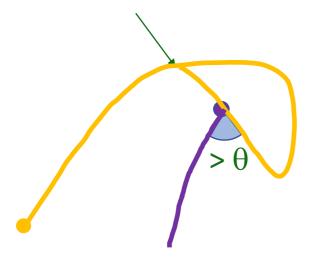


Segmentation

Context

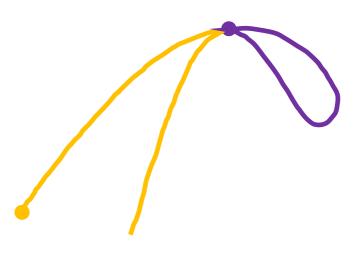
2 subsequent strokes meet at 1 junction point:

The stroke ends at a T-junction with itself



=> Assign a same label

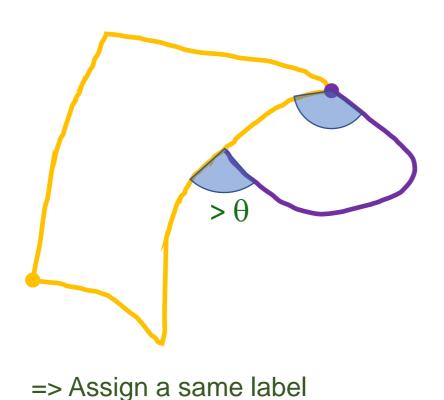
Pairs of coinciding tangent directions are found

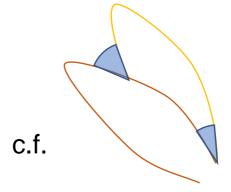


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Segmentation

2 subsequent strokes meet at 2 junction points:

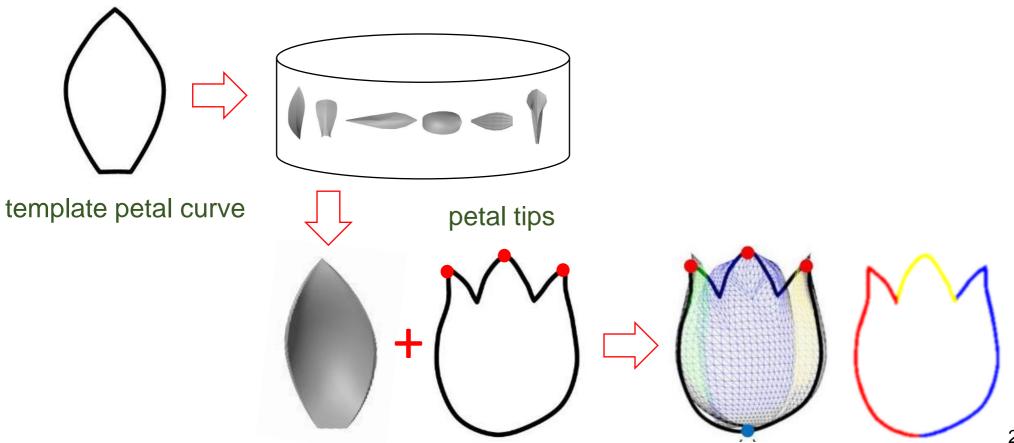




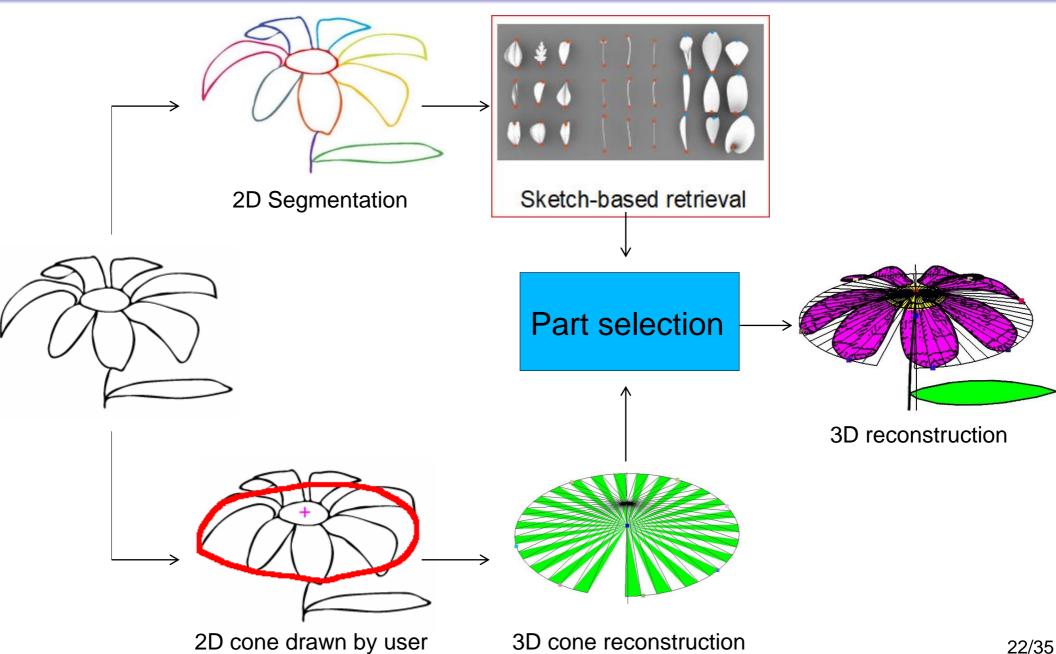
Segmentation

Sketch with high level of abstraction:

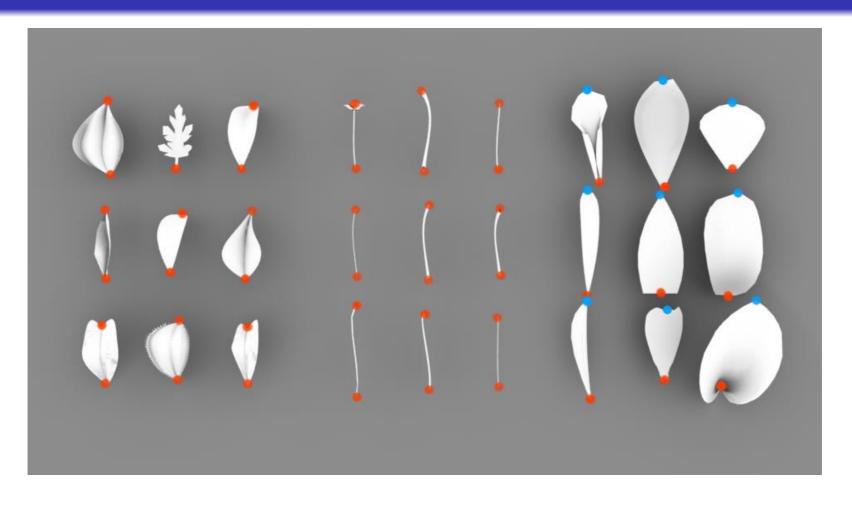
- Segmentation fails, and therefore, retrieval of shape elements
- Solution:



Method



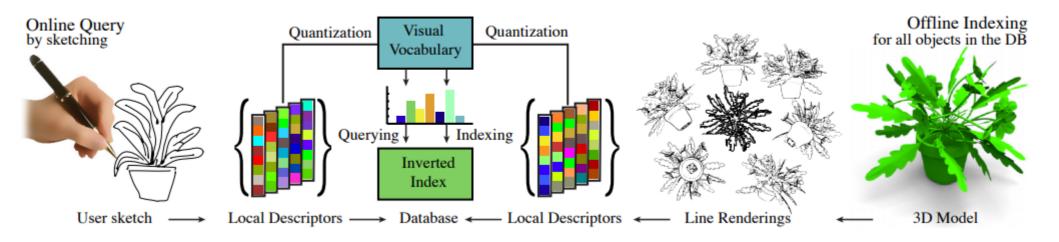
Floral Model Database



Examples of elementary models in our database. Attachment areas are shown in red and the petal tips in blue.

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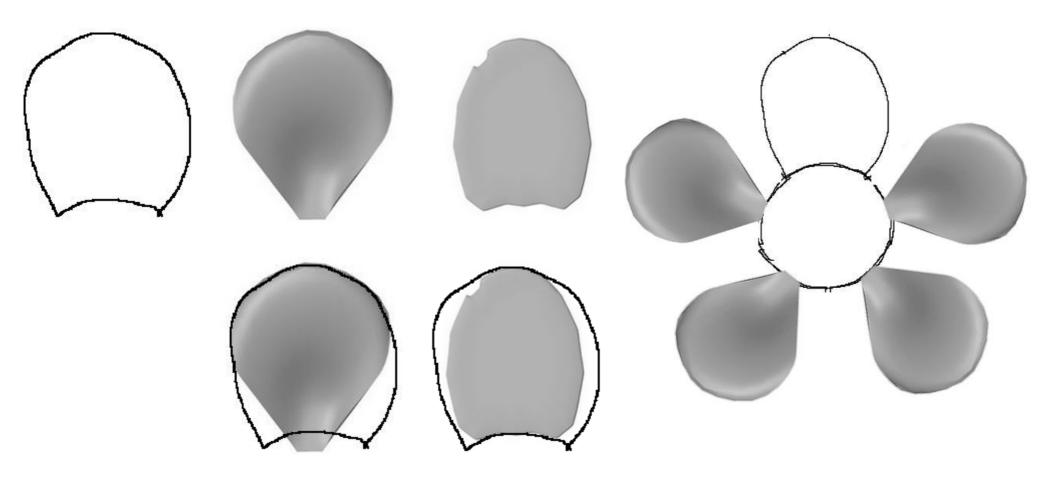
Based on the work of Eitz and others



Eitz, Mathias and Richter, Ronald and Boubekeur, Tamy and Hildebrand, Kristian and Alexa, Marc, Sketch-Based Shape Retrieval, ACM Trans. Graph. (Proc. SIGGRAPH), 2012

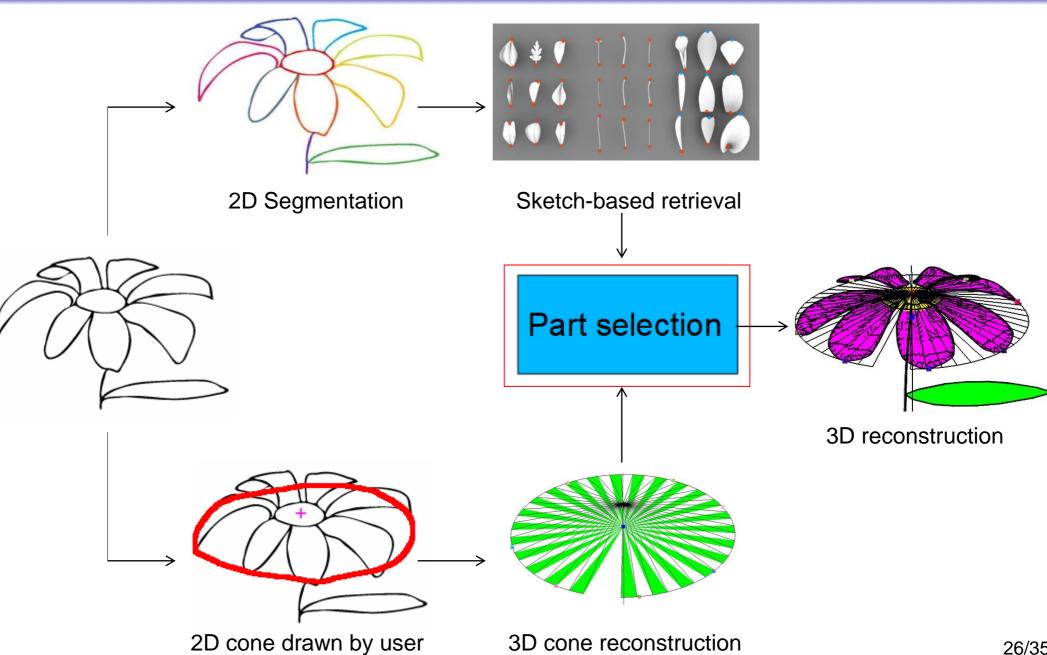
Nature of the drawing

Difficulty in selecting goog candidate

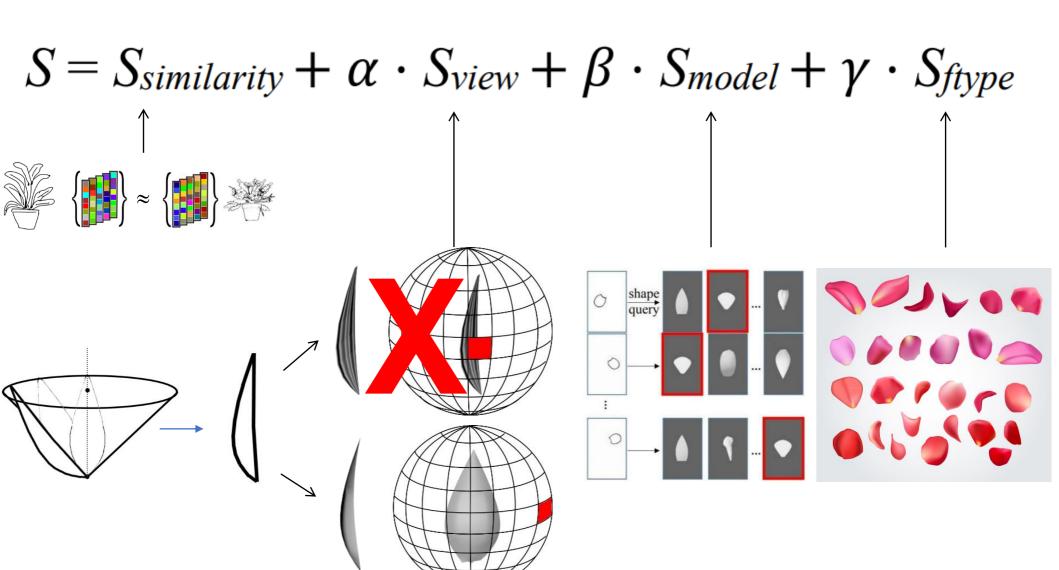


Which one? Why?

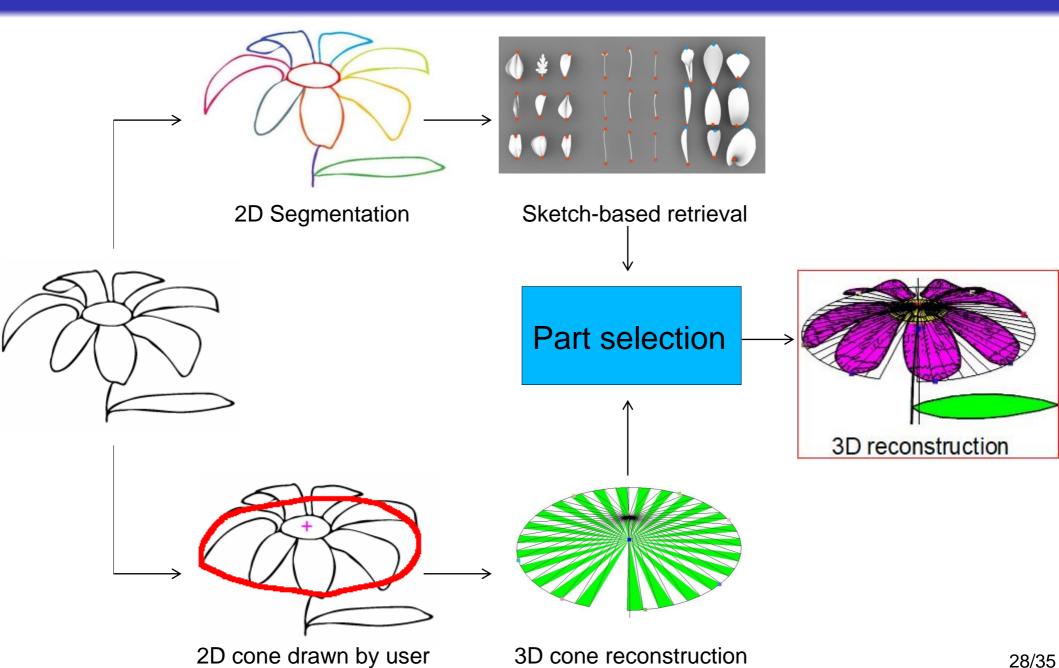
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Selection of the good candidates



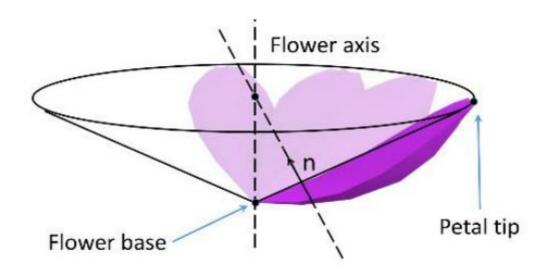
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Flower Reconstruction and Refinement

Placement

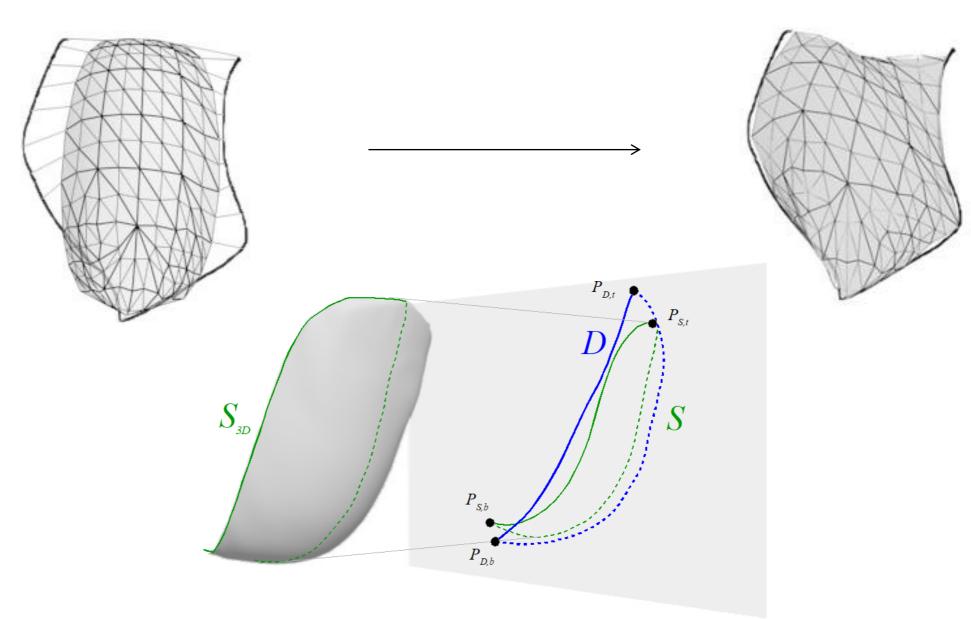
Placement of the petals through the cone.



Then placement of the stem and the leafs

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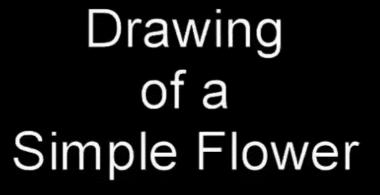
Laplacian deformation



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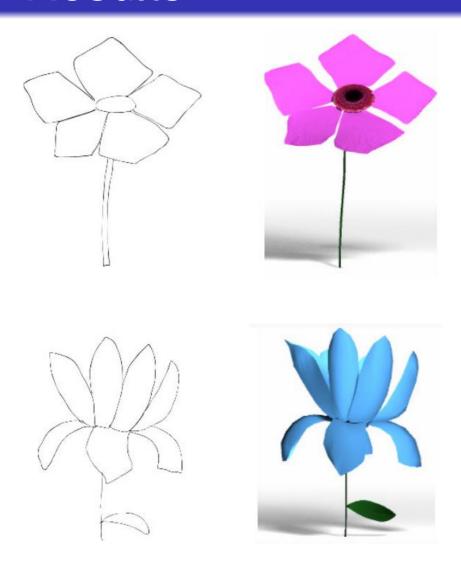
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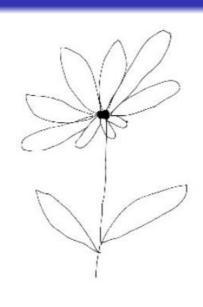
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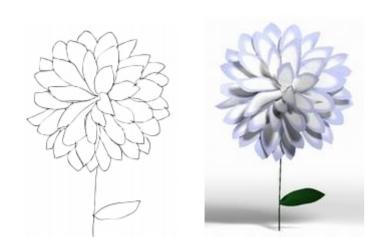




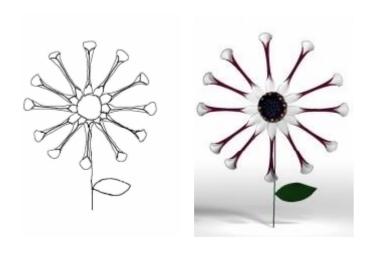


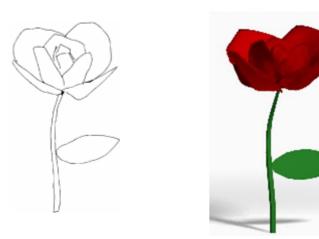


Results









Limitations

• The presence of the flower stem in the sketch is mandatory

 The expressibility of the reconstructed geometry that depends on the variability of the model database

 Strictly frontal view: the segmented curves of the drawing do not represent well the 3D curvature of the petals

Conclusion

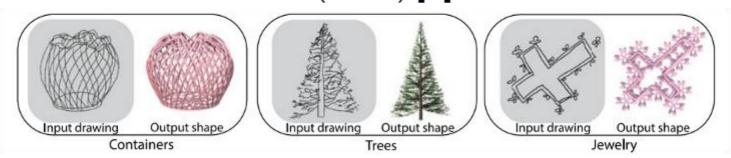
- System requiring minimum interaction with the user
- Reconstruction of flowers of all kinds (simple and complex)
- 3D reconstruction of the flower regardless of the point of view used for drawing

Thanks for your attention. Any questions?

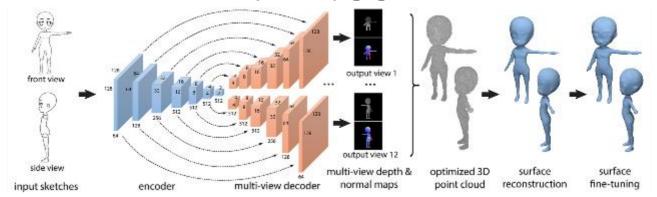


CNN

 Shape Synthesis from Sketches via Procedural Models and Convolutional Networks (2017) [1]



3D shape reconstruction from sketches via Multi-view convolutional networks (2017) [2]

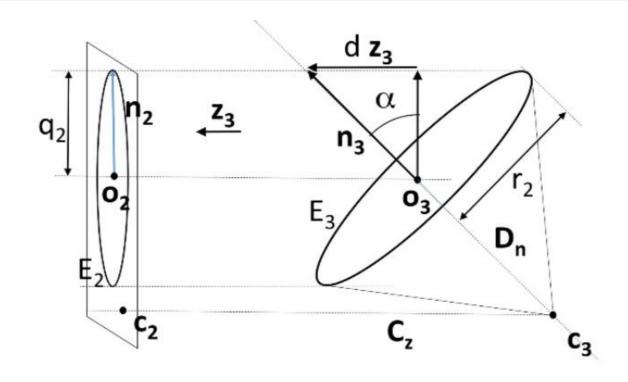


^{[1]:} H. Huang, E. Kalogerakis, E. Yumer and R. Mech, "Shape Synthesis from Sketches via Procedural Models and Convolutional Networks," Transactions on Visualization and Computer Graphics, 2017

^{[2]:} Zhaoliang Lun, Matheus Gadelha, Evangelos Kalogerakis, Subhransu Maji, Rui Wang"3D Shape Reconstruction from Sketches via Multi-view Convolutional Networks" Proceedings of the International Conference on 3D Vision (3DV) 2017



3D cone



$$\sin \alpha = \|\mathbf{n}_2\|/\mathbf{r}$$
 $\tan \alpha = d/\|\mathbf{n}_2\|$
 $d = \|\mathbf{n}_2\|^2/\sqrt{r^2 - \|\mathbf{n}_2\|^2}$



Selection criteria

$$S_{view} = \exp(-\|\Delta\phi\|^2/\sigma_{\phi}^2) + \exp(-\|\Delta\theta\|^2/\sigma_{\theta}^2)$$
, where $\sigma_{\phi} = \pi/8$ and $\sigma_{\theta} = \pi/4$

$$S_{model} = 0.2 * \text{ nb of Occurences}$$

$$S_{ftype}$$
 = 0.3 * nb of Occurences