
Subject: Re: Is there somebody familiar with nurbs or b-Spline?

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On Aug 27, 4:19 am, airy.ji...@gmail.com wrote:

> In fact,I'm still trying to read the DXF file into IDL.The Spline in
> the DXF is construct with nurbs line.The IDL have a
> method :Spline_P,but it can't reconstruct completely the same
> shape.Who can tell me how to use the nurbs create the Spline.I know
> it's complex and hard to describe,so ,if there are some source code
> can be showed it would be perfect.
> Thanks!

This function worked for me:

First I get all the controlpts for the spline. Then, in my function
ncp=# of control points, the controlpts are (in my case) 2 X ncp.
nsegs is the number of line segments per controlpt that I want to make
my spline into (4L is usually enough for me). The returned value is
the 2 X (nsegs*ncp) line segments needed to draw a polyline.

Hope this helps.

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function eval_spline, ncp, controlpts, nsegs
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    tarray = findgen(nsegs)/(nsegs)
    np = (ncp-1)/3

    sval = fltarr(2,nsegs*np+1)
    for i=0l, np-1 do begin
        p0 = controlpts[*,3*i]
        p1 = controlpts[*,3*i+1]
        p2 = controlpts[*,3*i+2]
        p3 = controlpts[*,3*i+3]

        sval[*,nsegs*i] = p0
        for j=1l, nsegs-1 do begin
            t = tarray[j]
            vert = p0*(1-t)*(1-t)*(1-t) + p1*3.0*t*(1-t)*(1-t) +
p2*3.0*t*t*(1-t) + p3*t*t*t
            sval[*,nsegs*i+j] = vert
        endfor
    endfor
    sval[*,nsegs*np] = controlpts[*,ncp-1]

    return, sval
end
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