Interactive Real-Time BRDF Editing under Environment Lighting

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Motivation

How do we edit an object's BRDF?



$$\rho_{AS} = \frac{\sqrt{(n_u+1)(n_v+1)}}{8\pi} \frac{(\cos\theta_h)^{n_u\cos^2\phi_h+n_v\sin^2\phi_h}}{\theta_d\max(\cos\theta_l,\cos\theta_v)} F(\theta_d)$$

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Goal:

- Real-time interactive BRDF editing system
- Paint edits directly on material
- Show objects under environment lighting
- Edit intuitive material properties
- Give artistic freedom while maintaining photorealism

Background: Interactive BRDF Editing



Colbert & Pattanaik, 2006



Pellacini & Lawrence, 2007



Implementation: Real-time editing

- Pre-render images of a sphere under environment and point source lighting
- Vary values of k_d , k_s and σ
- At runtime, add pre-rendered components together
- Interface to interactively edit diffuse colour and specular properties





What other editing options should the user have?

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Matusik, 2003

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Options for all modes:

- Brush
- Fill
- Clone



Questions?