

EE/CprE/SE 4920 SPRINT REPORT 3

3/1/25 - 3/14/25

Group number: 40

Project title: Hybrid Relightable 3D Gaussian Rendering

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Sprint Summary:

	<u>Sprint Tasks</u>	<u>Accomplished Tasks</u>	<u>Tasks for Next Sprint</u>
Ethan	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-ML: Start first version of gaussian optimizer (work with Brian)-ML: Test Gaussian optimizer-ML: Integrate Video to Images for SfM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-ML: Integrate Video to Images for SfM-ML: Start first version of gaussian optimizer (work with Brian)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-ML: Continue first version of gaussian optimizer (work with Brian)-ML: Test Gaussian optimizer
Kyle	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Install ONNX on newest version of our code.-Turn current pytorch model into ONNX file.-Have pair programming session with Brian.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Installed ONNX on the newest version of our code.-Started turning the current pytorch model into an ONNX file.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Have a pair programming session with Brian.-Finish turning current pytorch model into an ONNX file.-Run ONNX file in Unity.
Jackson	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-GP: Finish physically based lighting calculations-GP: Help Luke merge BVH into main-GP: hybrid rendering of ray Gaussian intersection	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-GP: Restructuring of hybrid rendering of ray Gaussian intersection branch. Currently in development	<ul style="list-style-type: none">-GP: Help Luke merge BVH into main-GP: hybrid rendering of ray Gaussian intersection

Luke	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Merge BVHs into main branch. - Research BVH generation for Gaussians 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Research BVH generation for Gaussians 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - merge bvhs into main branch - BVH generation for Gaussians
Brian	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -ML: Optimize camera angles for training ML models off our premade images. -ML: Create ML model and optimize it to work with different values of Gaussians like color, texture, etc. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -ML: Finished the retrieval and processing of our image data, images of point cloud are now optimized to match the truth images 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> -ML: Continue debugging current render -ML: Work on the first prototype of the Gaussian Point Optimizer model

Ongoing Tasks:

Graphics Programming (GP) Team:

- ☐ Merge BVHs into the main branch **[High Priority]**
- ☐ Write ray-gaussian intersection code **[High Priority]**
- ☐ Physically based lighting calculations **[High Priority]**
- ☐ Update necessary buffers on scene update **[Medium Priority]**
- ☐ Handle multiple paths per pixel **[Medium Priority]**
- ☐ Support Unity lights **[Medium Priority]**
- ☐ Add pathId as a unique identifier in getSeed() **[Low Priority]**
- ☐ Improve workgroup count **[Low Priority]**
- ☐ Remove bounce from Path struct and add a pathBounce counter buffer **[Low Priority]**
- ☐ Vary primary ray generation **[Low Priority]**
- ☐ Cube map background support **[Low Priority]**

Machine Learning (ML) Team:

- ☐ Prep point cloud data by removing noise and outliers **[Medium Priority]**
- ☒ Create a ML model to convert a point cloud into a Gaussian point cloud. **[High Priority]**
- ☐ Test accuracy of Gaussian point cloud generation **[Low Priority]**
- ☒ Modify SfM script to accept user selected paths **[Low Priority]**

- ☐ Fix bug within SfM script with user selected paths having format issues **[HIGH Priority]**
- ☒ ~~Video to images support for preprocessing~~ **[Low Priority]**
- ☐ Extract original lighting from models **[Low Priority]**