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Contribution to the Study of Haptic Feedback for Improving the Audiovisual Experience

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Audiovisual Experience

- Evolution of the audiovisual experience
 - Improving the Quality of Experience (QoE)
 - Focused on images and sound
 - Next step: sense of touch? (Haptic)



A trip to the moon.
Méliès, 1902.



The jazz singer.
Crosland, 1927.



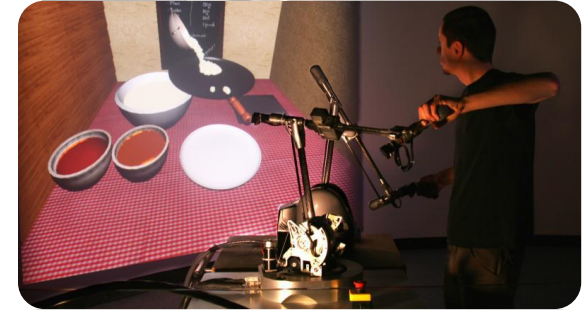
The wizard of oz.
Fleming, 1939.



Avatar.
Cameron, 2009.

Haptics and Audiovisuals

- Haptics already used in VR
- Early results on haptics for AV
 - Haptics may enrich user experience
[O'Modhrain and Oakley 2003]
 - New medium to express content
[Magnenat 2006]
 - New field of study: Haptic-AudioVisuals
[El-Saddik 2007]



Virtual reality setup *[Cirio2011]*

- **How to augment audiovisuals with haptic feedback?**



4D cinema setup

Challenges

How to integrate haptic effect into a film production **workflow**?

How to **design** and **add** haptic effects to AV content?



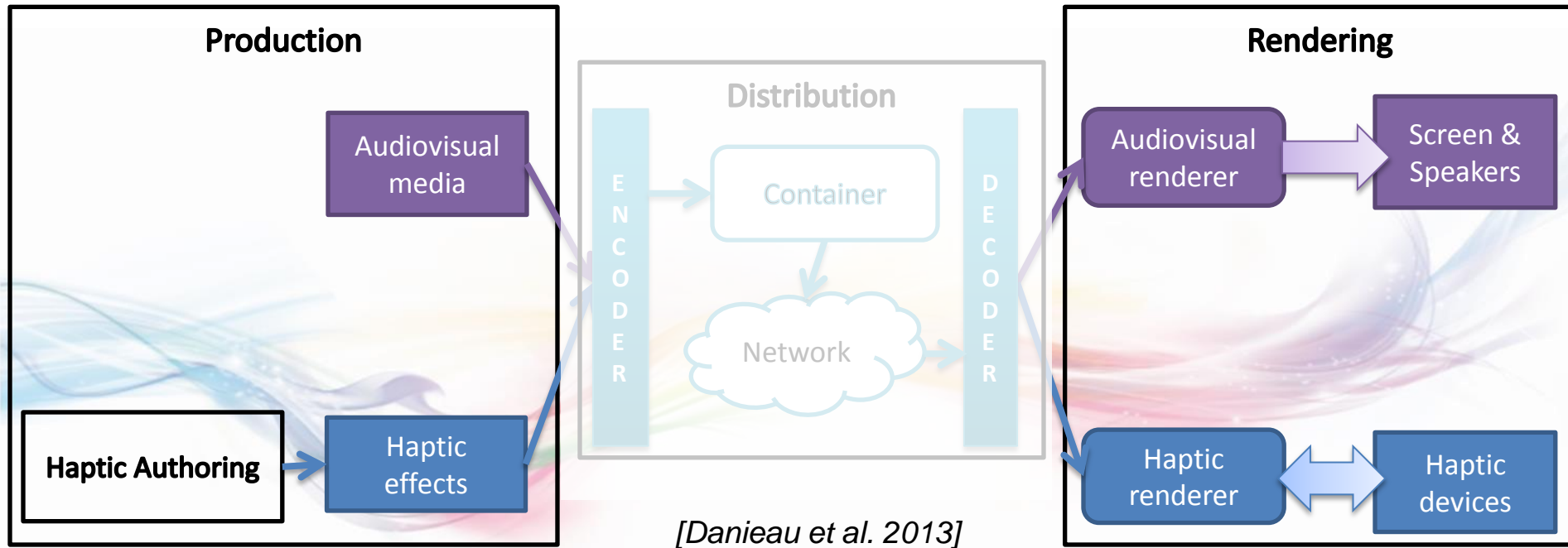
How to **render** haptic effects in video viewing settings?

Audiovisual experience

How to **evaluate** the influence of haptic effects on the AV experience?


Workflow for adding haptic effects to audiovisuals

- Based on architecture for video streaming [Wu et al. 2001]
- Three steps
 - Production
 - Distribution
 - Rendering

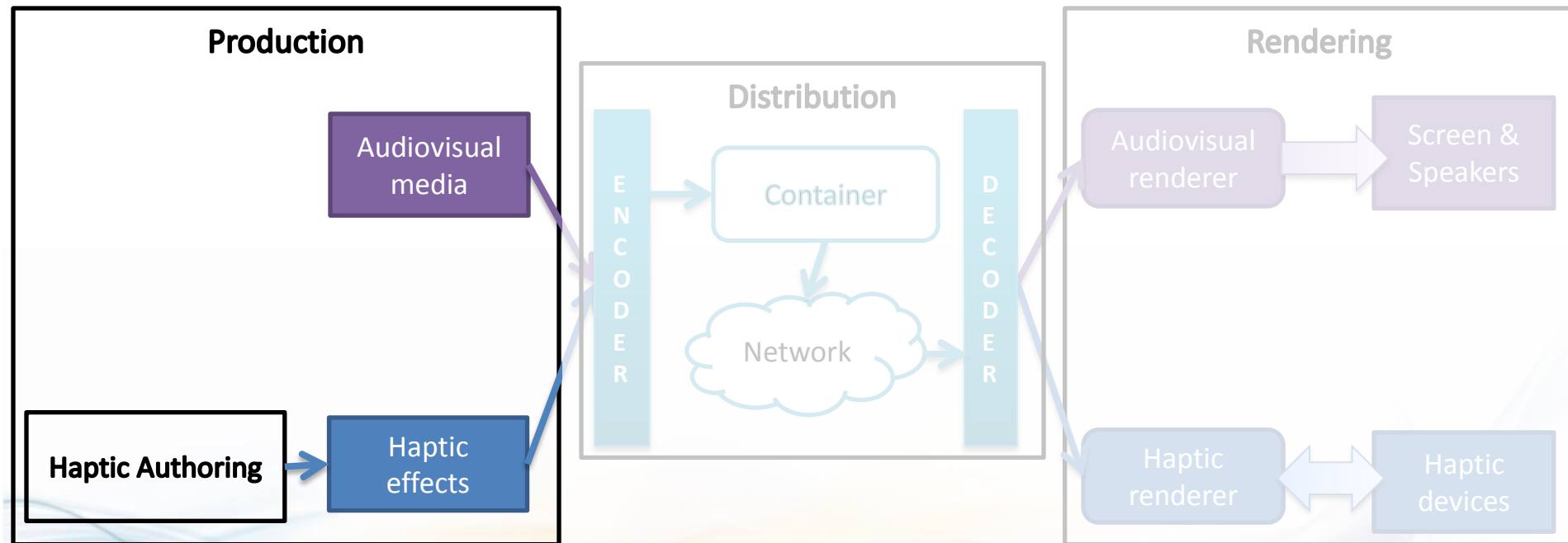


Outline



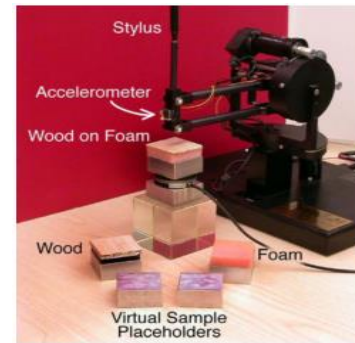
- State-of-the-Art of the Haptic-Audiovisuals
 - Production of haptic effects
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 - Contributions
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 - Conclusion / Perspectives
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Production of Haptic Effects

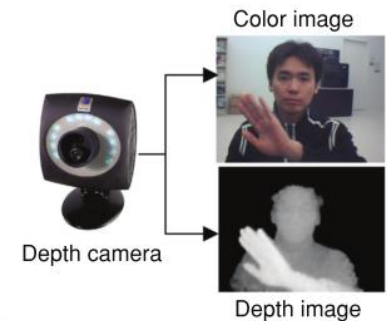


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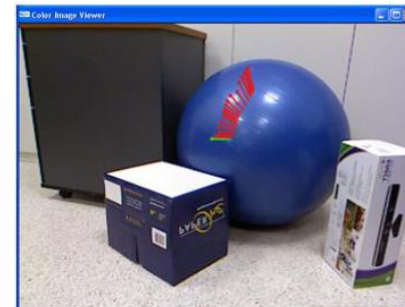
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 - Force sensors / Accelerometers
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 - Depth Camera / 3D trackers
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- Automatic extraction
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 [Lee et al. 2013]
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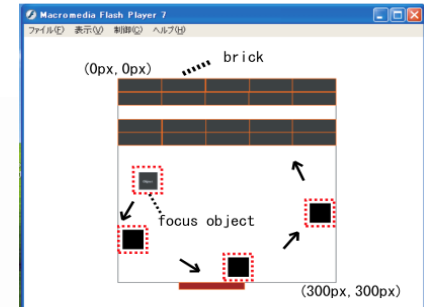
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[Cha et al. 2009]



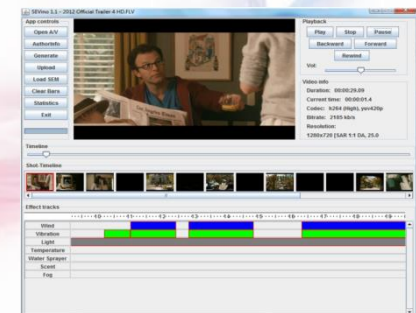
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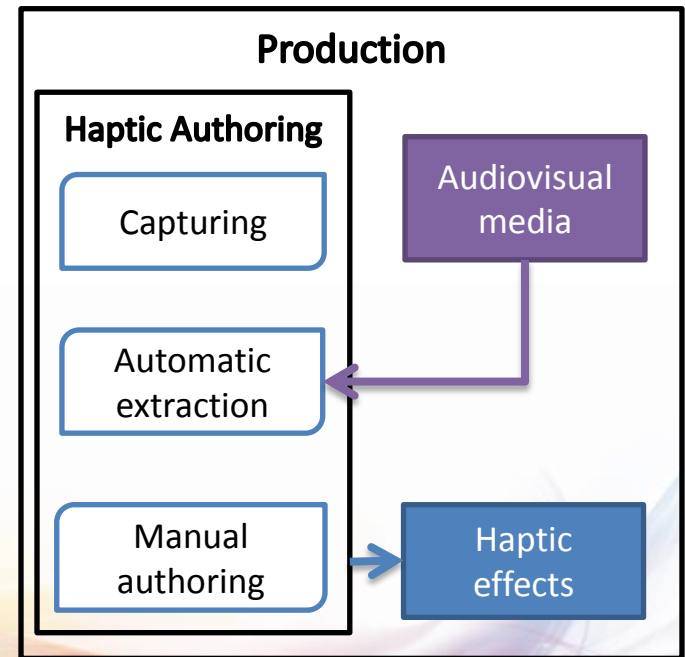
[Walt2013]



[Kim et al.2010]

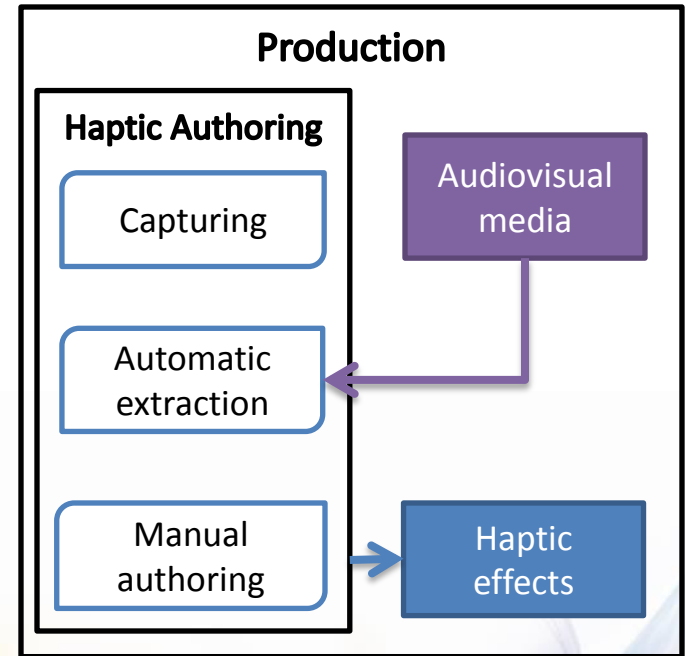
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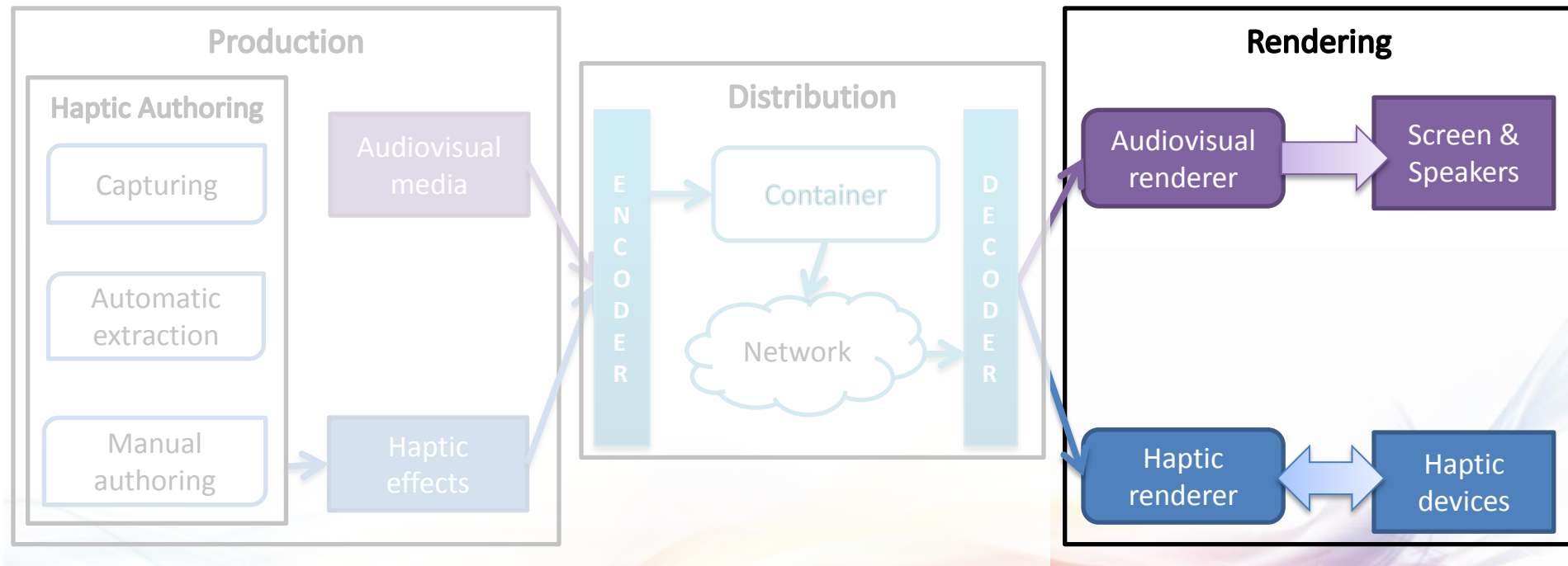
Production: limitations

1. Creation of effects is difficult
 - Capture: synchronization between sensor and AV content
 - Automatic extraction: restricted to specific configurations
 - Manual : hard to design complex effects
2. Limited use of haptic effects in AV context
 - Only physical events



- **Need for novel approach for producing haptic effects**
- **Explore the potential of haptics for AV**

Rendering of Haptic Effects



Rendering of Haptic Effects

- Wearable devices

- Vibrations

[Lee et al. 2005]

[Lemmens et al. 2009]



[Rhaman et al. 2010]



[Kim et al. 2010]

- Handheld devices

- Vibrations

[Ur Rhéman et al. 2008]

- Force-feedback

[Yamaguchi et al. 2006]



[Alexander et al. 2011]



[O'Modhrain and Oakley 2010]

Rendering of Haptic Effects

- Desktop Devices

- Force-feedback

[Hoshi et al. 2010]

[Gaw et al. 2006]

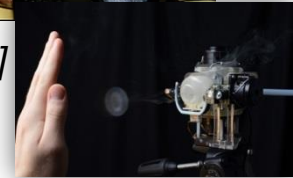
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- Haptic seats

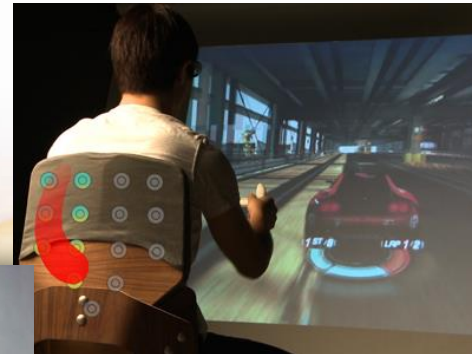
- Vibrations

[Dijk et al. 2010]

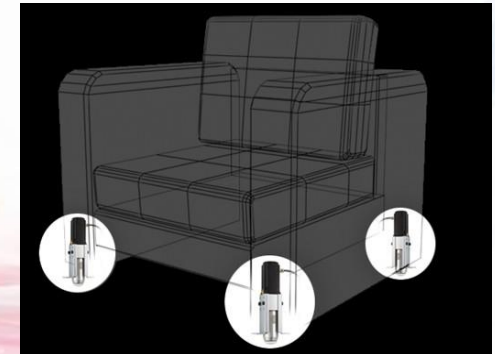
[Israr and Poupyrev 2011]

- Motion

[DBox]



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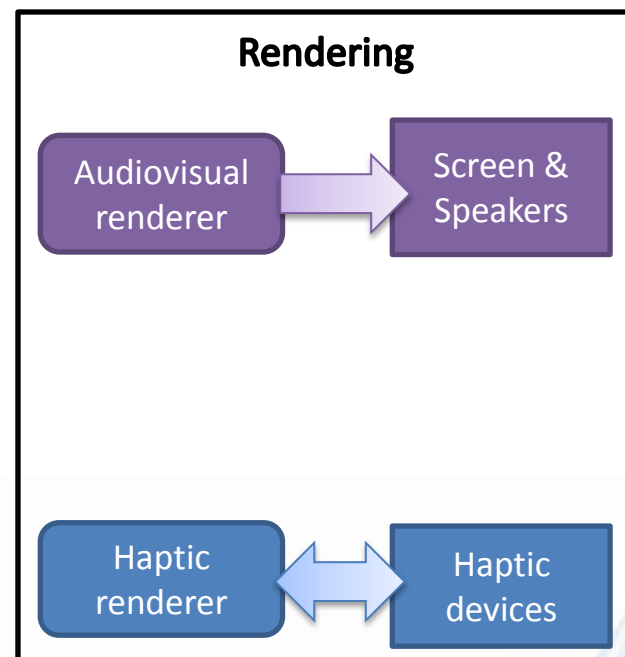


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Rendering: limitations

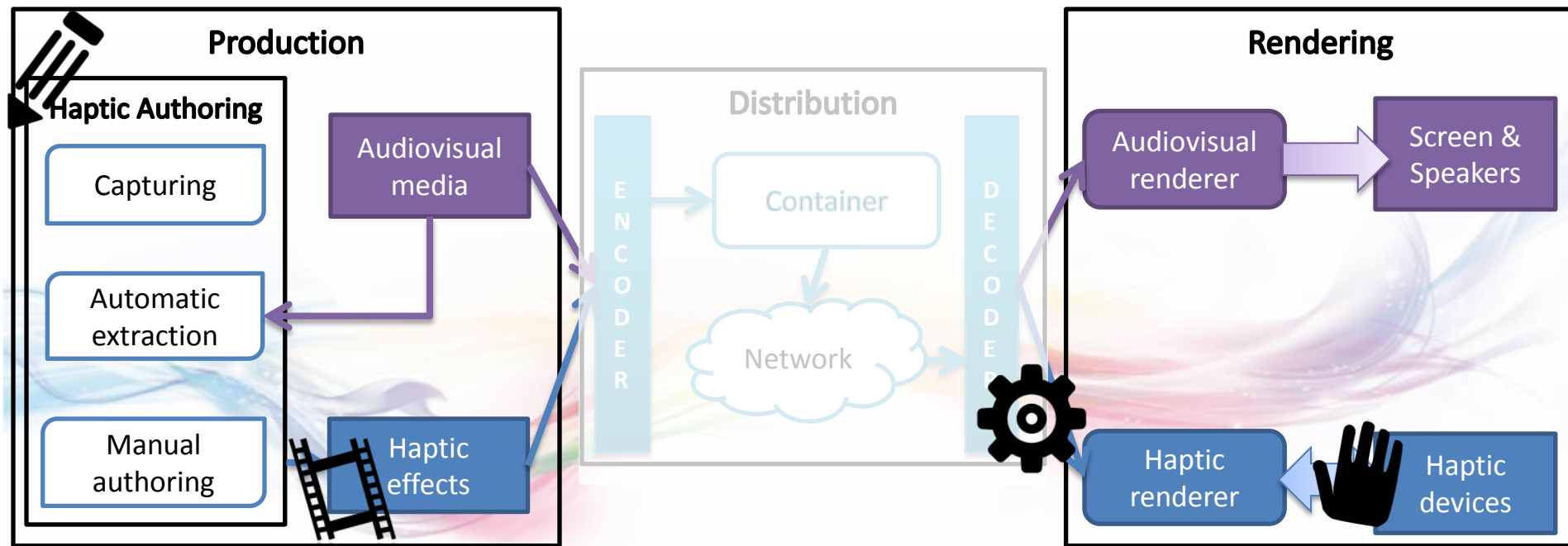
1. Lack of devices adapted to a passive AV experience
 - Wearable / Handheld / Desktop: not adapted, weak effects
 - Seats: cumbersome, expensive
2. Few works on haptic rendering for HAV
 - Haptic effects designed for one specific device







- **Need for dedicated haptic devices for AV settings**
- **Need for haptic rendering for HAV content**

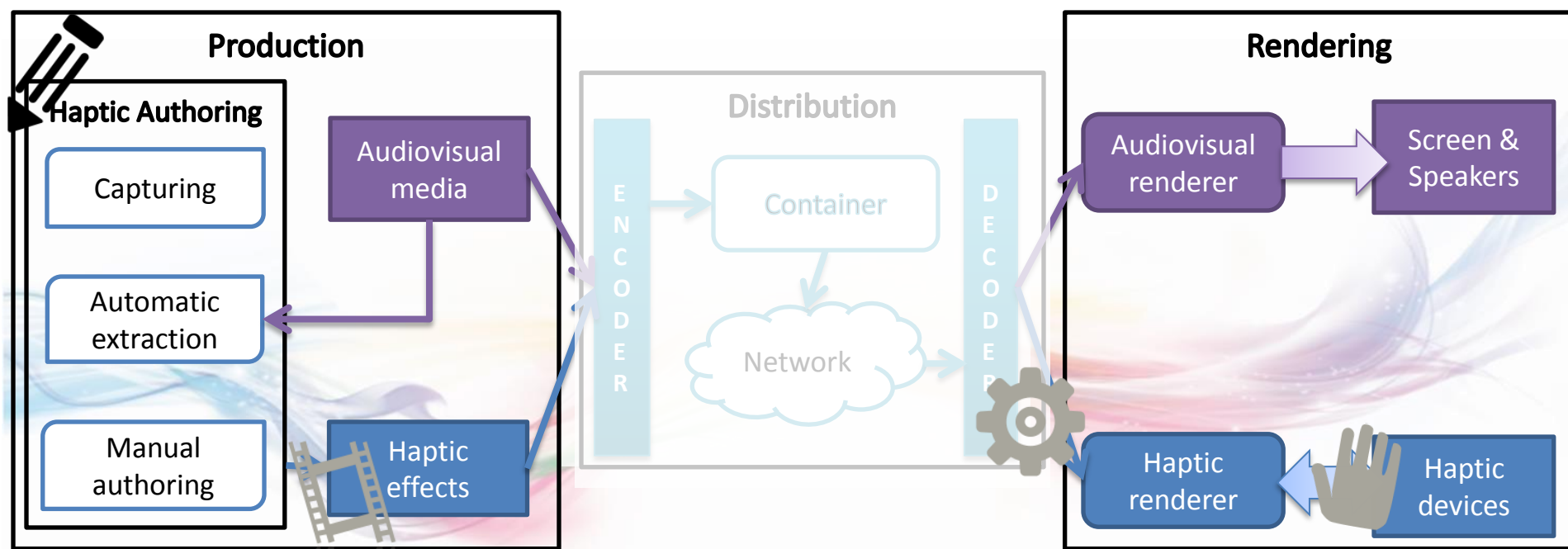
Thesis Objectives

-  Framework for producing haptic effects
-  Haptic device for HAV
-  Haptic rendering algorithm
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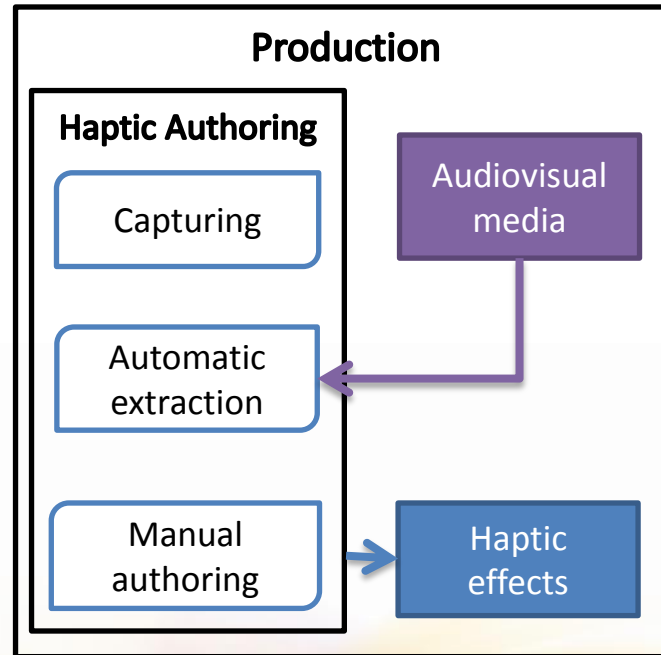
Contribution #1

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Current solution for producing haptic effects

- 3 different techniques

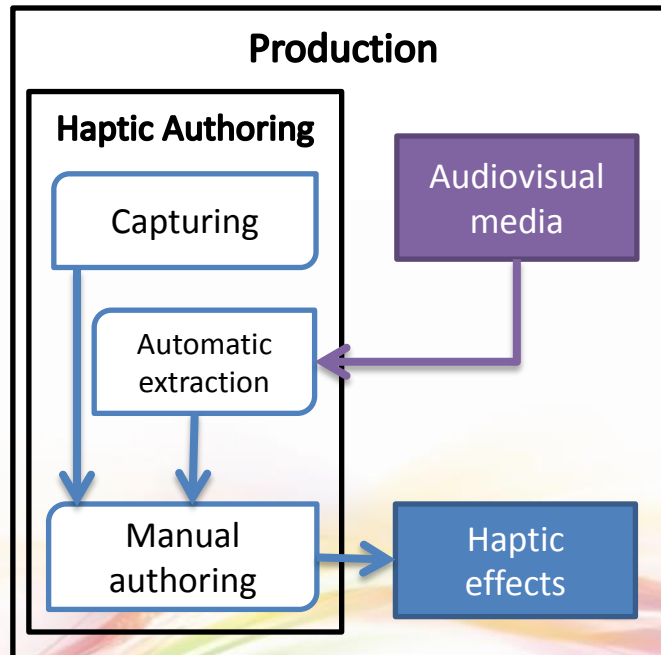


- **Objective: novel approach for producing effects**

New framework for producing haptic effects



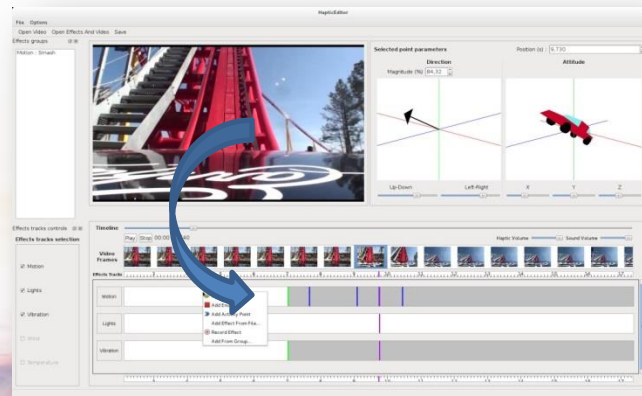
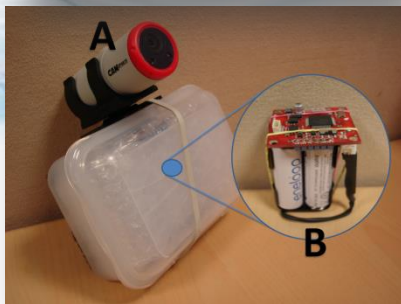
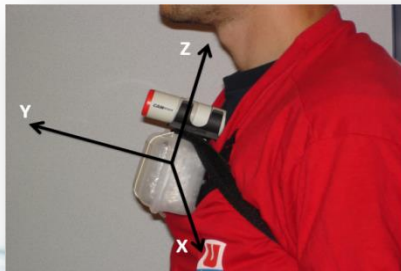
- Approach: combine the 3 techniques



New framework for producing haptic effects

- Proof-of-Concept

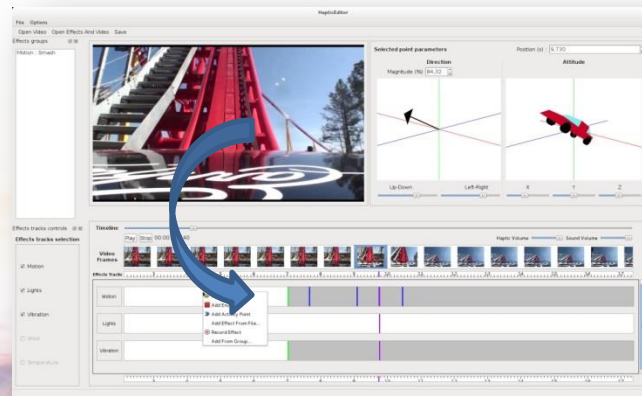
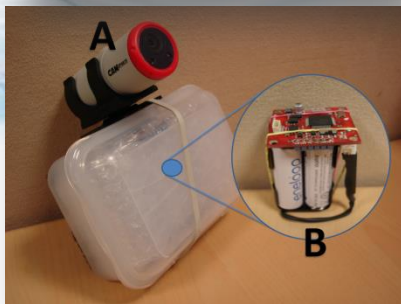
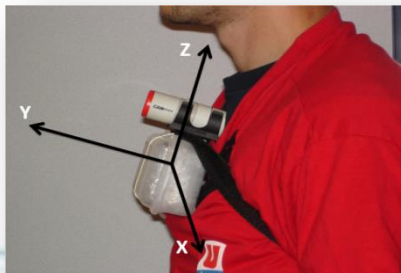
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- Preview of haptic effects



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PoC Details



- Capture device
 - Camera
 - IMU: linear acceleration (A)



- Preview of effects
 - Signal processing
 - Synchro with AV (haptic clap)
 - Low pass filtering
 - Gravity removal
 - Haptic Rendering

$$F = kA$$

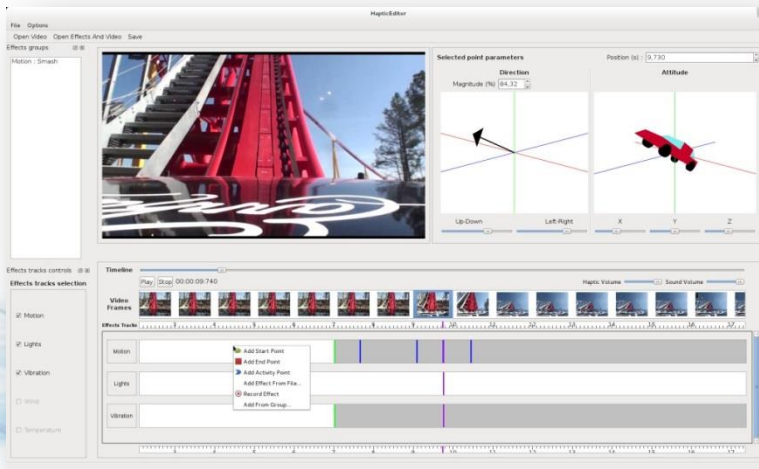
A = linear acceleration
 k = scaling constant







Preliminary Conclusion

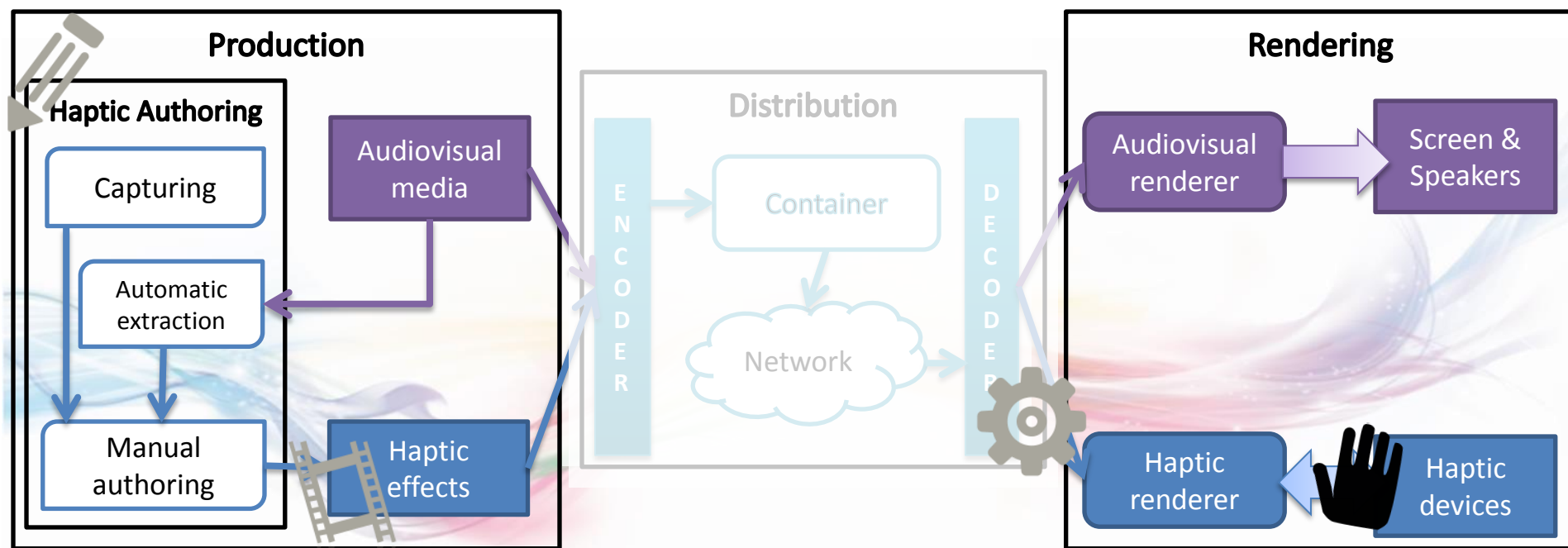


- Framework for producing haptic effects: **H-Studio**
 - Capture of motion data
 - Haptic preview of haptic effects
- User study



Contribution #2

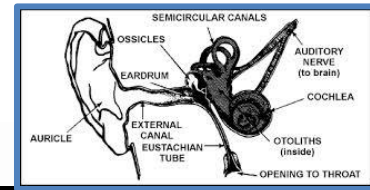
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Existing solutions for simulating motion



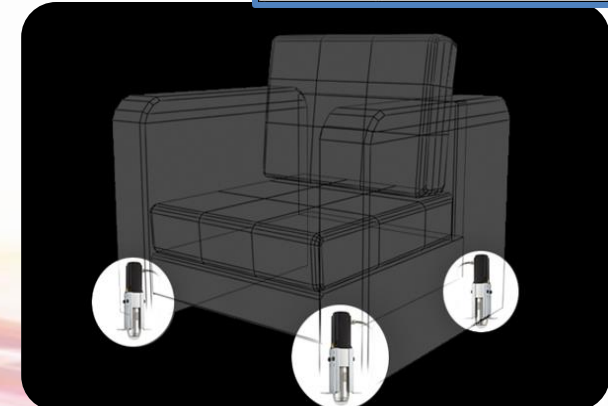
- Sensation of motion in (home) cinemas
 - Simplified motion platforms
 - Force-feedback based (Haptic motion)
 - Vibration based



[Riecke et al. 2005]



[Lécuyer et al. 2004]
[Ouarti et al. 2014]



D-box.com

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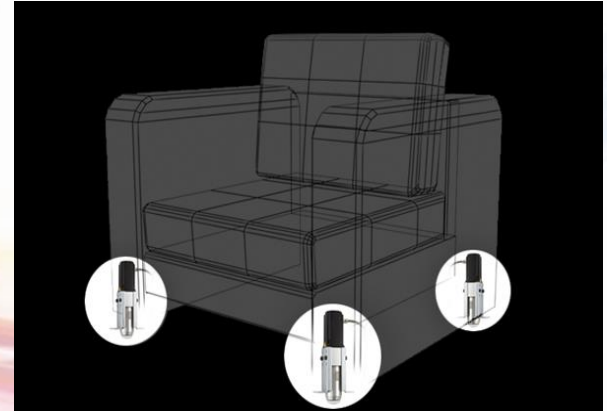
Sensation of motion



Motion simulator



Haptic motion



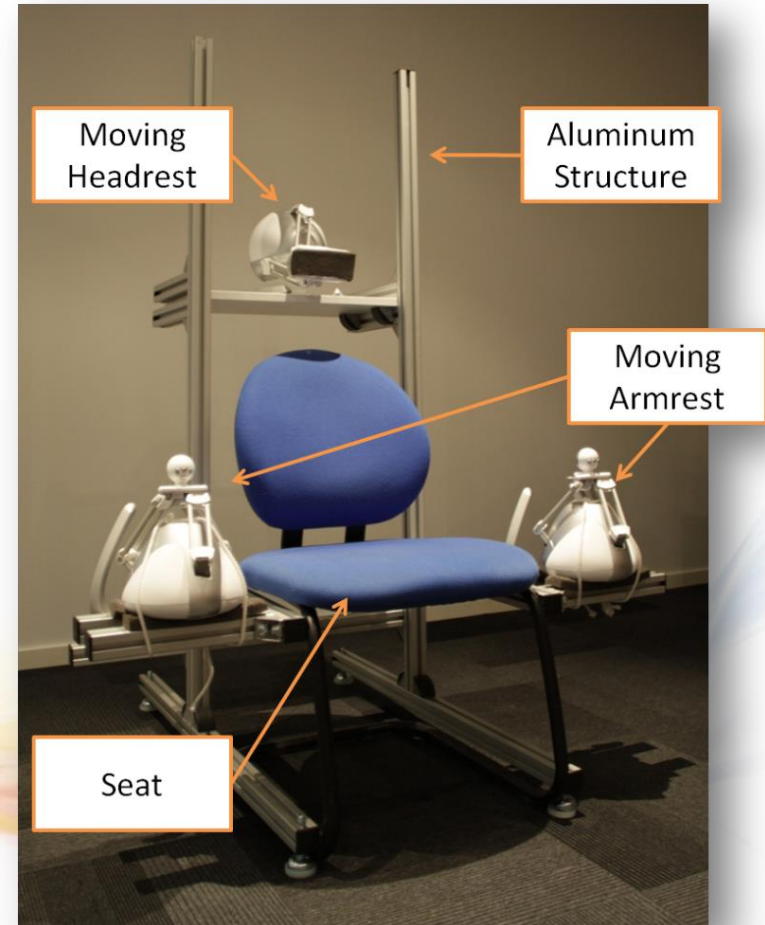
Vibration-based

Complexity

HapSeat



- Sensation of motion induced by force-feedback embedded in a seat
- 3 contact points
 - Hands: haptic motion
 - Head: vestibular system→ 6 DoF motion effect
- Suitable for consumer settings



Prototype of the HapSeat

HapSeat



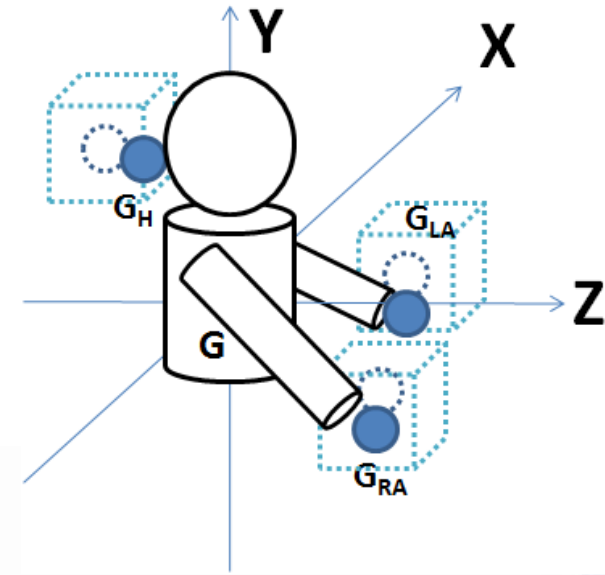
- Video + Motion effects
 - Accelerations (a) + rotational speeds (w)
- How to render motion effects on the HapSeat?
 - **Control model**



HapSeat: Control Model #1



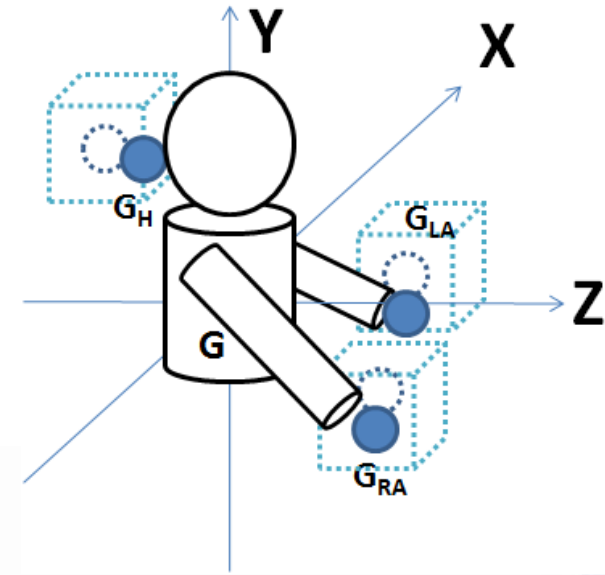
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 - Reproduce acceleration felt by the moving actor
 - Compute acceleration for hands and head from global motion



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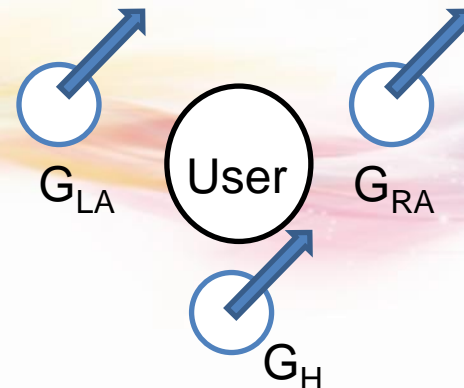
- Physical Model
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 - Example:



Motion data = left turn



HapSeat – Top View



HapSeat: Control Model #1

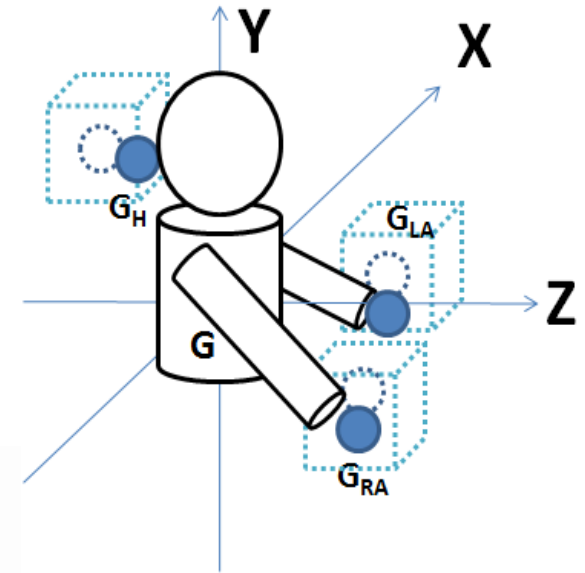


- Physical Model

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- Rigid Body Kinematics



$$\overrightarrow{G_A G'_A} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z \end{bmatrix} \left(a(t) + \frac{dw}{dt}(t) \wedge \overrightarrow{GP_A} + w(t) \wedge (w(t) \wedge \overrightarrow{GP_A}) \right)$$

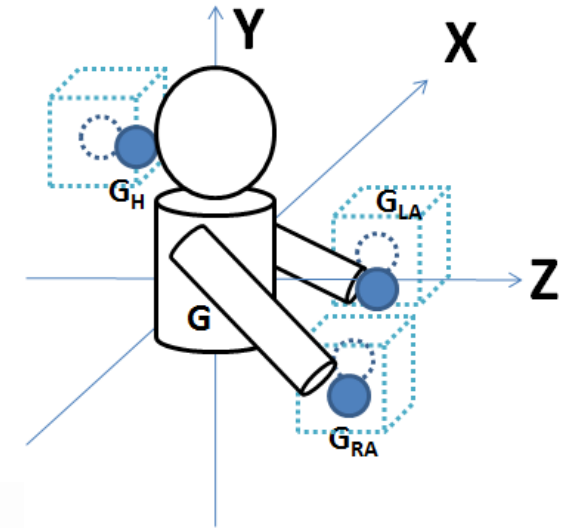
P_A = position of the body part (head, hand)

s_x, s_y, s_z = scaling factors

HapSeat: Control Model #2



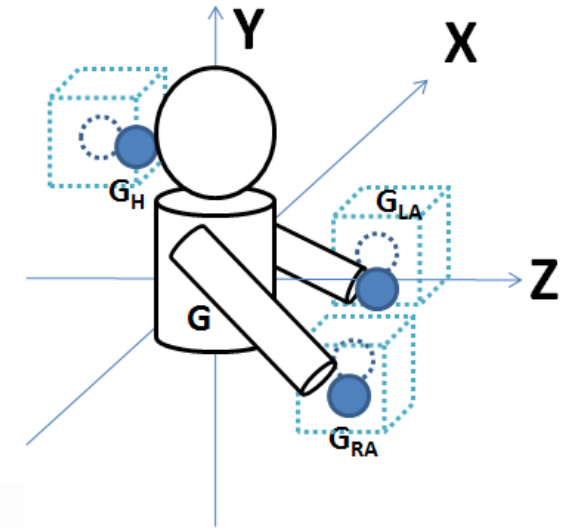
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 - Reproduce position and posture of moving actor during recording



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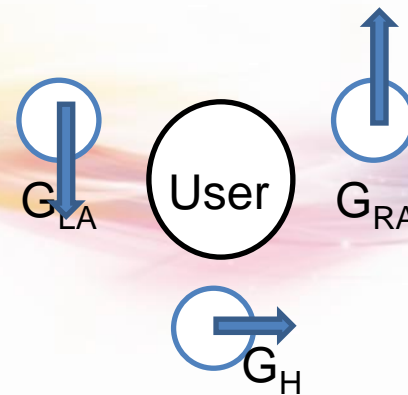
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$$\overrightarrow{G_A G'_A} = f(\overrightarrow{T}, \overrightarrow{R})$$

$$f(\overrightarrow{T}, \overrightarrow{R}) = \frac{\|\overrightarrow{T}\|T + \|\overrightarrow{R}\|R}{\|\overrightarrow{T}\| + \|\overrightarrow{R}\|}$$

$$\overrightarrow{T} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z \end{bmatrix} a(t)$$

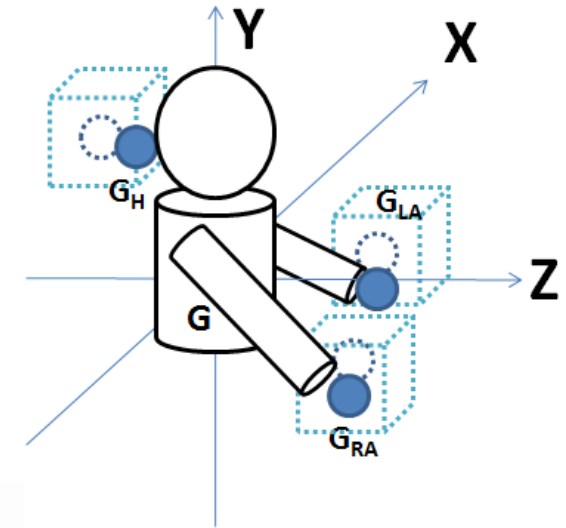
$$\overrightarrow{R} = (R_x(m_x w_x(t))R_y(m_y w_y(t))R_z(m_z w_z(t)) - I_3)\overrightarrow{GP_A}$$

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$s_x, s_y, s_z, m_x, m_y, m_z$ = scaling factors

I_3 = Identity matrix

R_x, R_y, R_z = rotation matrices



User Study



- Objective: study of the influence of the HapSeat on the QoE
- Hypotheses
 - HapSeat provides sensation of motion
 - HapSeat enhances quality of experience
- Variables
 - 2 videos + motion data
 - 4 haptic conditions
Physical Model, Geometrical Model,
Random, None.
- Measure
 - QoE Questionnaire:
Realism, Sensory, Satisfaction, Comfort
- 17 Participants
 - Age: 36.1 (SD 11.1)



Video 1: real data



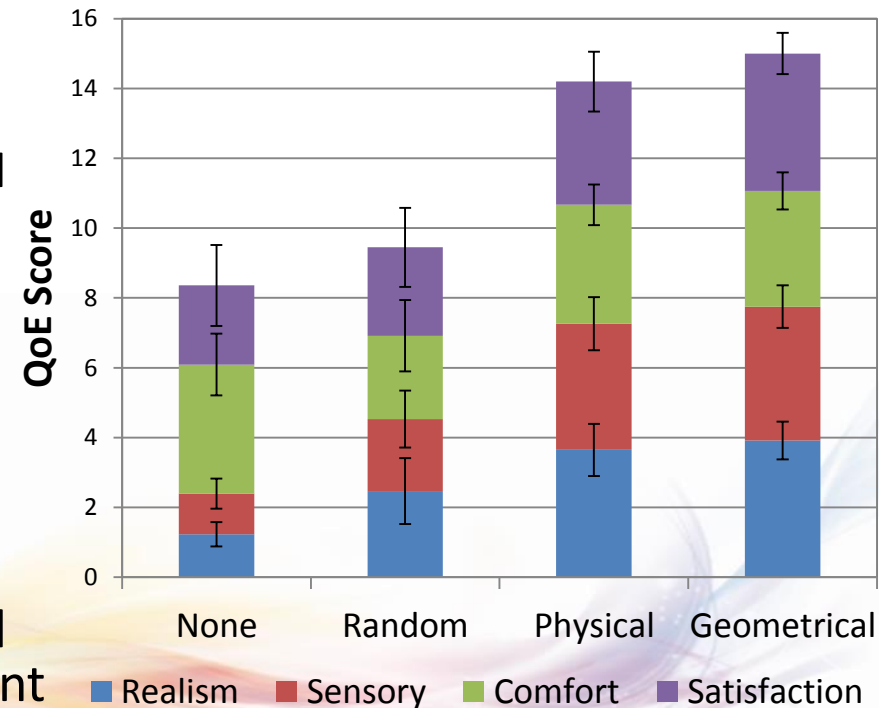
Video 2: synthetic data



User Study: Results



- Statistical analysis
 - Friedman anova
 - Wilcoxon tests
- HapSeat enhances QoE
 - Physical Model \approx Geometrical Model
 - $>$ Random \approx None
 - Realism, Sensory and Satisfaction factors improved
 - Comfort is constant
- Discussion
 - Comfort: head movement should be different than hands movement
 - No difference between models: need videos with more rotations







Preliminary Conclusion

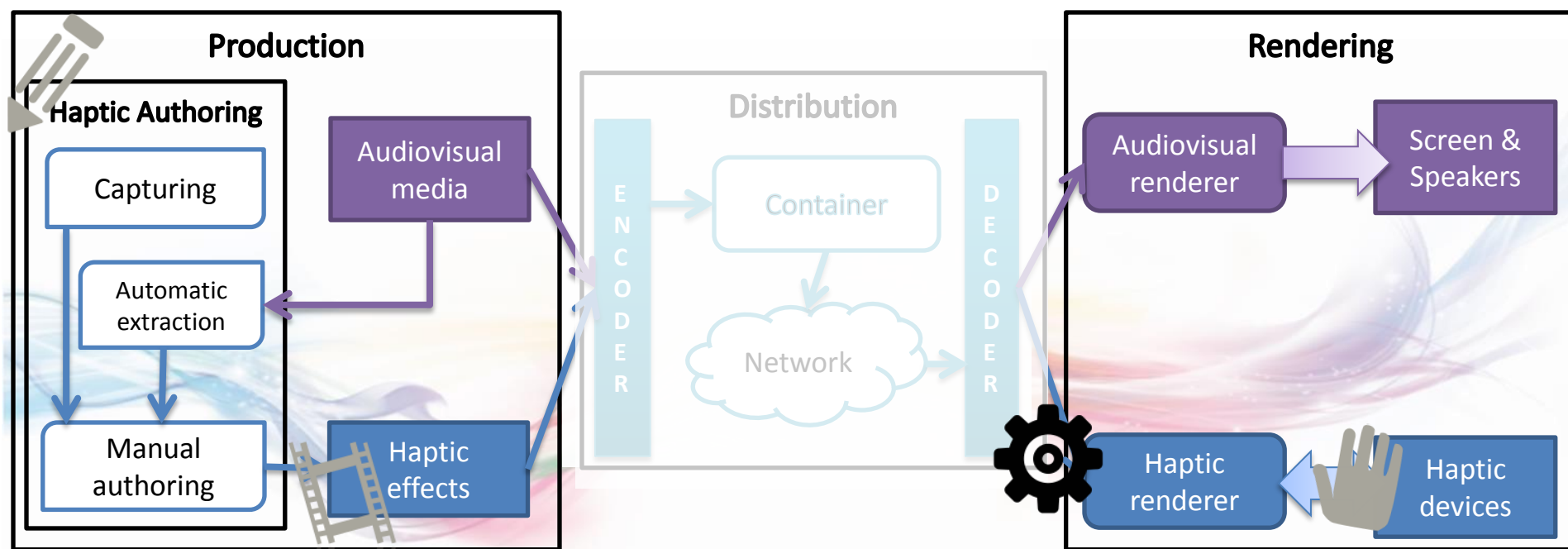


- Haptic device for simulating 6DoF motion effects
 - HapSeat: 3 force-feedback devices
 - 2 control models: Physical and Geometrical
- User Study
 - Provides sensation of motion
 - Improves the video viewing experience



Contribution #3

-  Framework for producing haptic effects
-  Haptic device for HAV
-  Haptic rendering algorithm
-  Haptic cinematography



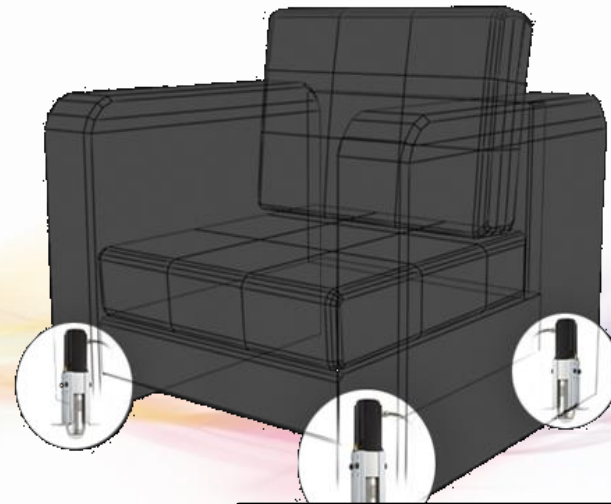
HAV Rendering



- Objective: introduce haptic rendering for HAV
 - Multiple haptic effects, synchronized with AV content
 - Limited workspace of the haptic device



HapSeat: force-feedback devices

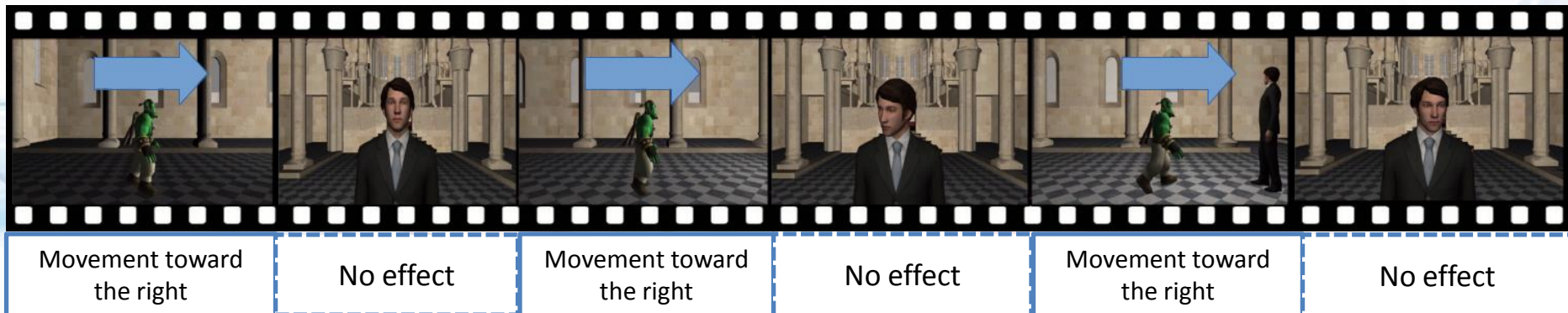


DBox seat: motion platform

HAV Content



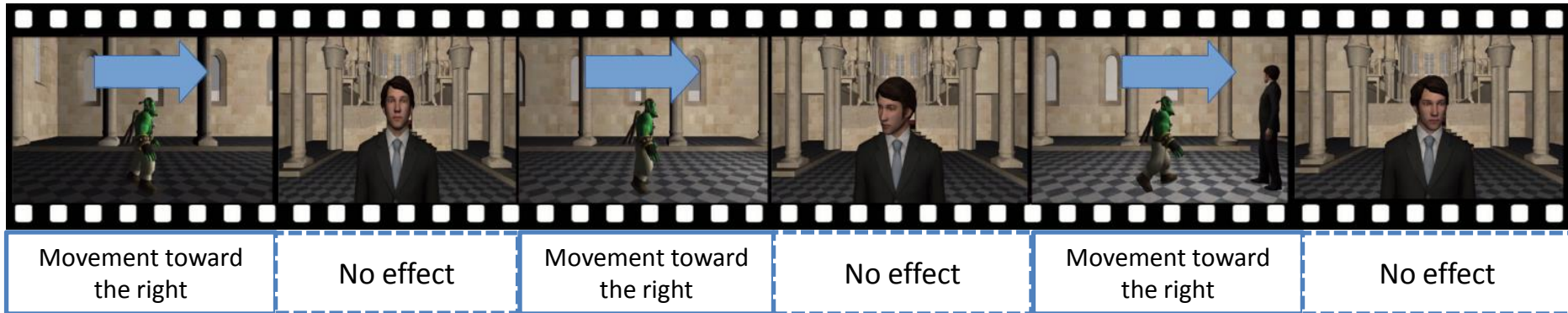
Example of video sequence composed of several shots



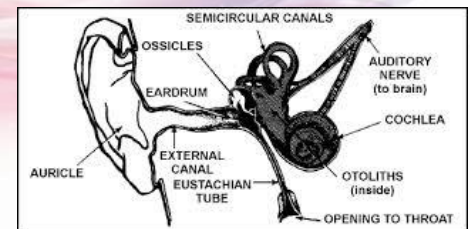
Motion rendering



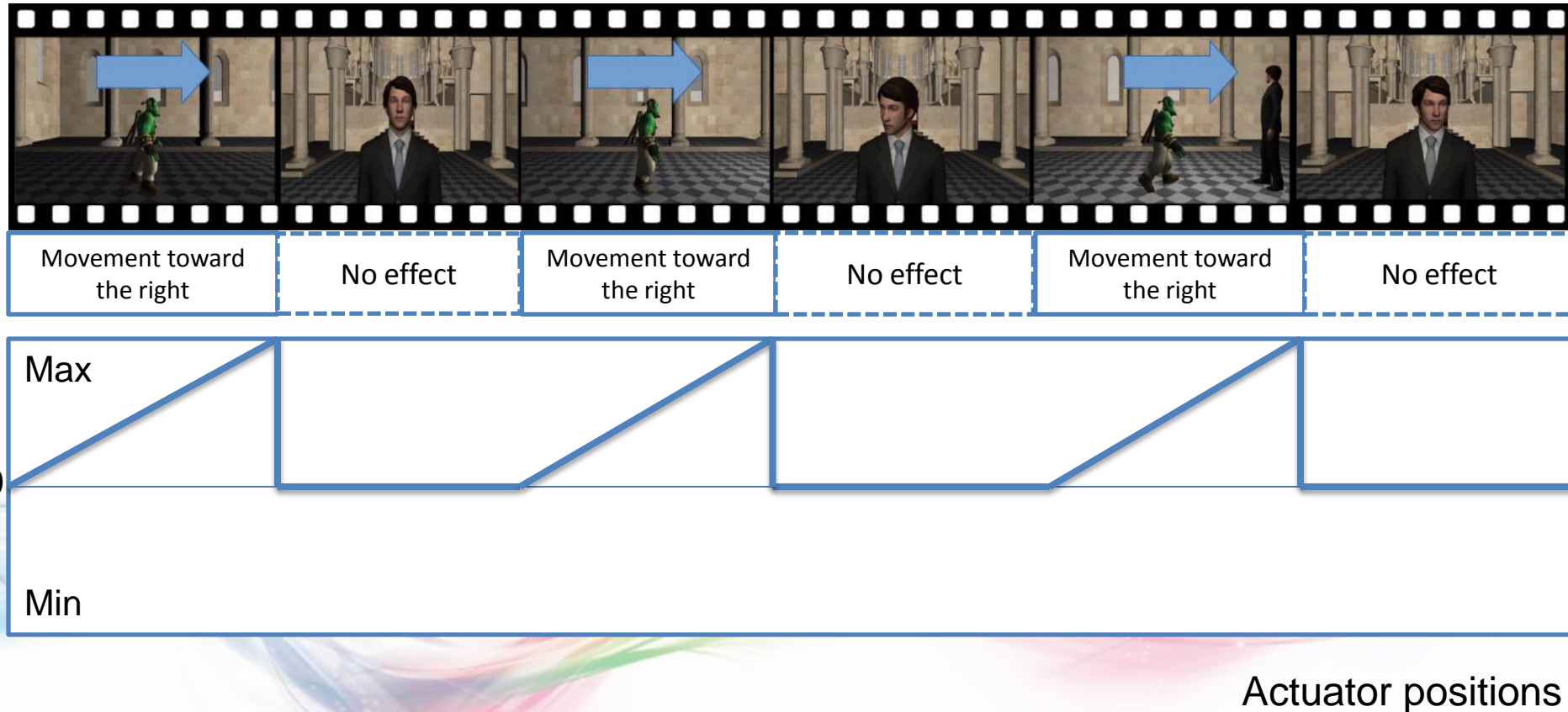
- Control of motion platform
 - Washout filter: moves device under user's perceptual threshold



- Perceptual threshold defined by the vestibular system [Nehaoua et al. 2008]



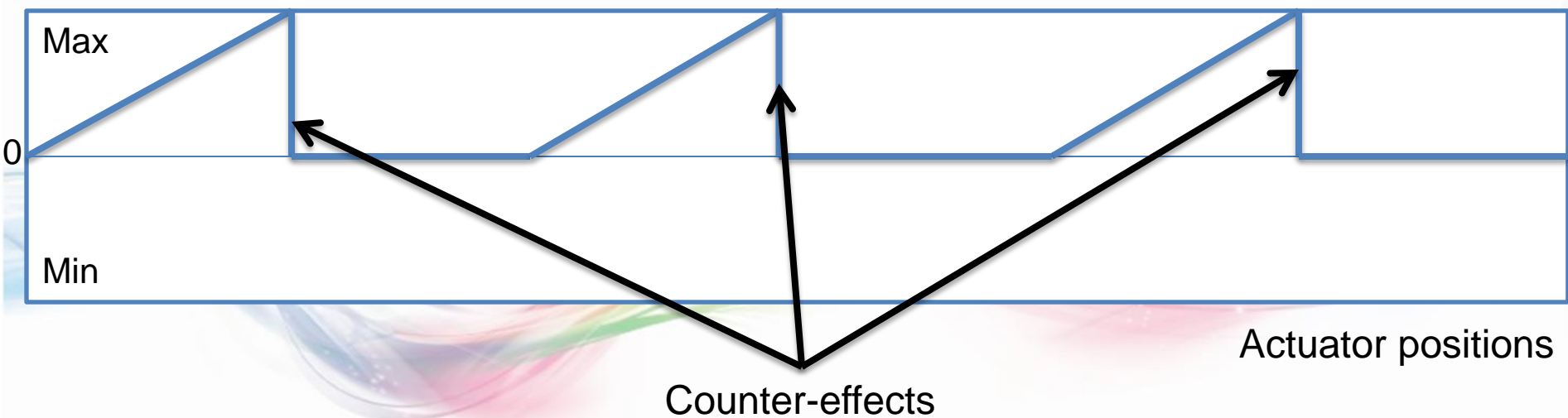
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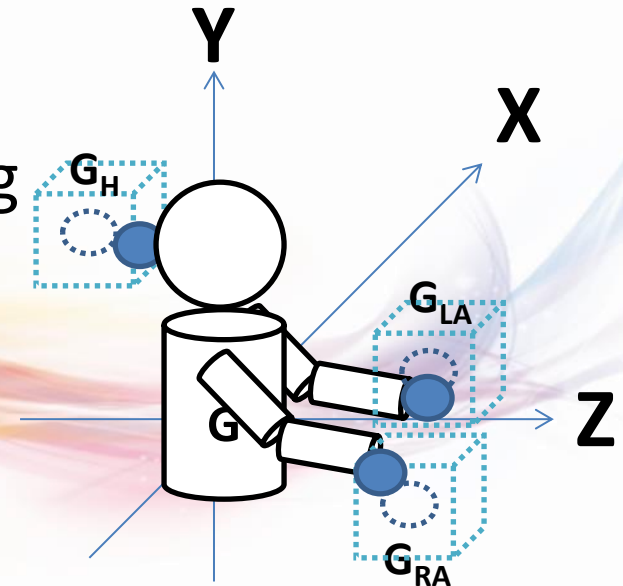
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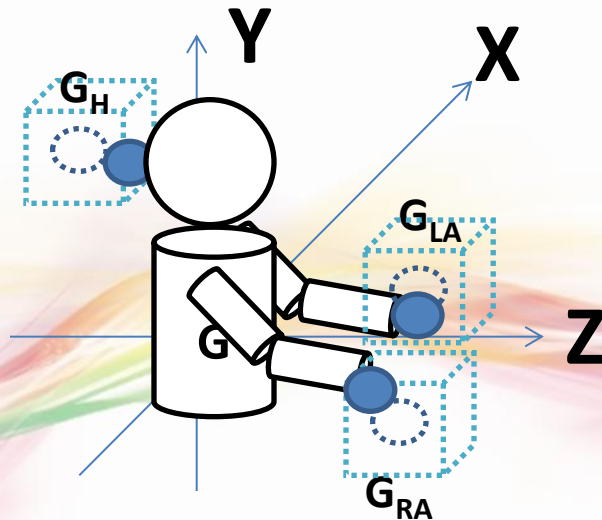
- Transitions between effects must be handled
 - Counter-effects
- Workspace of the actuator is underexploited
- Washout filter not suitable for haptic rendering
 - Stimulate the kinesthetic system
- Washout filter for haptic rendering
 - User Body Model
 - Perceptive Optimizer
 - Workspace Optimizer



User Body Model



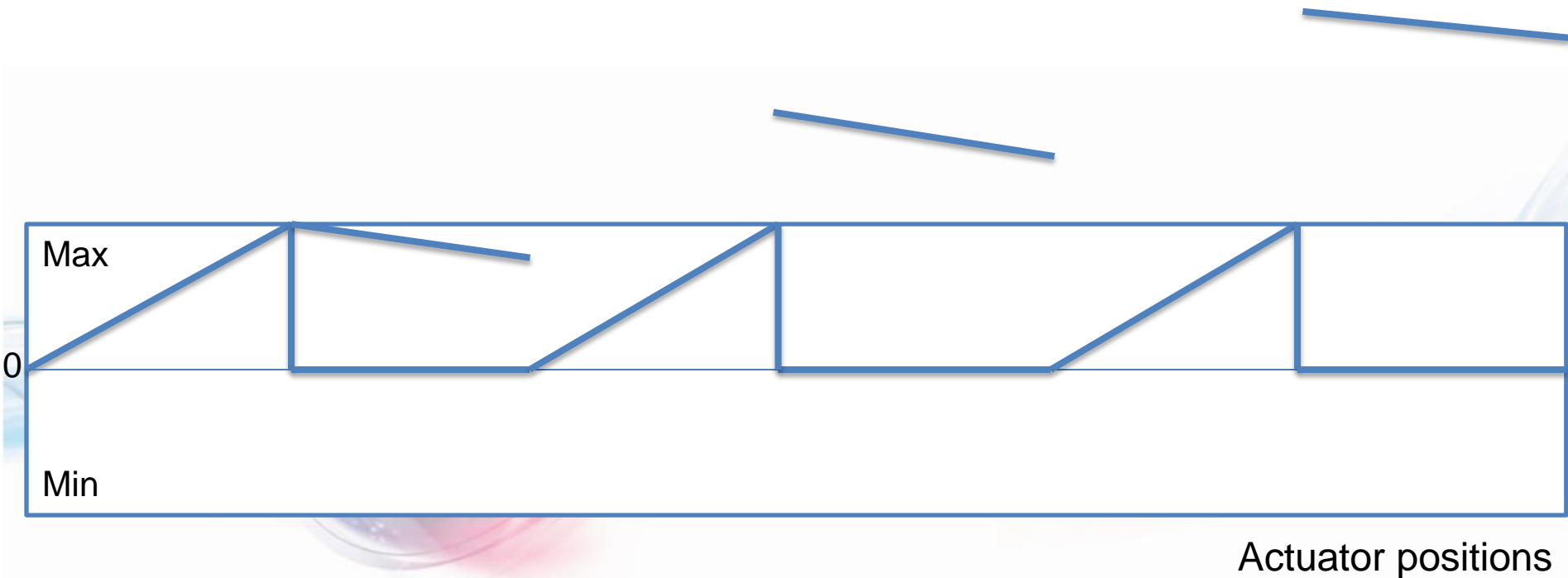
- Composed of segments and joints
[Schuenke et al. 2010]
- Thresholds for kinesthetic perception
 - Angular speed of joints *[Jones 2000]*
 - Elbow: 1 deg.s^{-1} ; Neck, Shoulder: 0.5 deg.s^{-1}



Perceptive Optimizer



- Inverse Kinematics algorithm + User body model
- Limit speed v of limb to value of thresholds

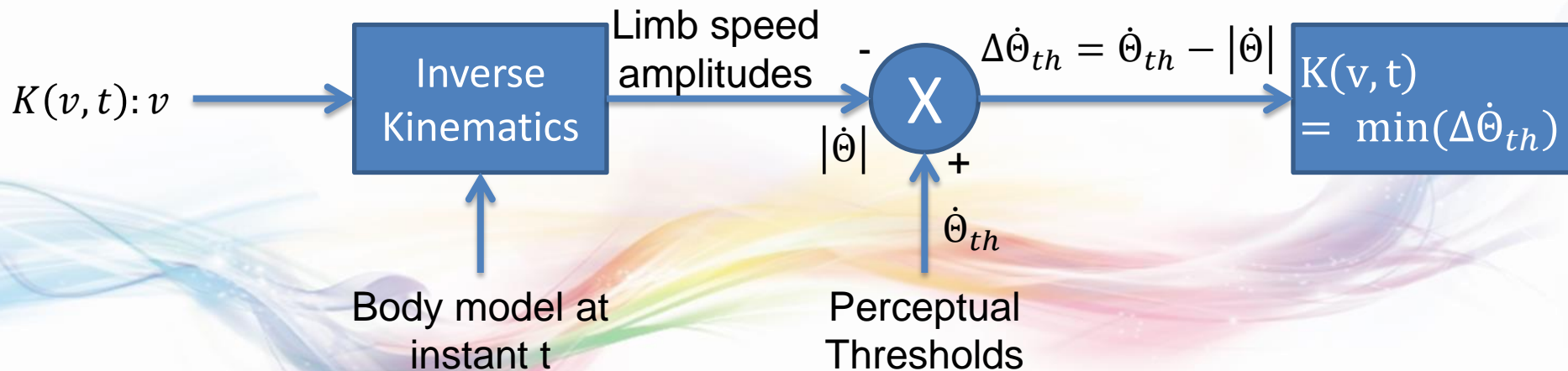


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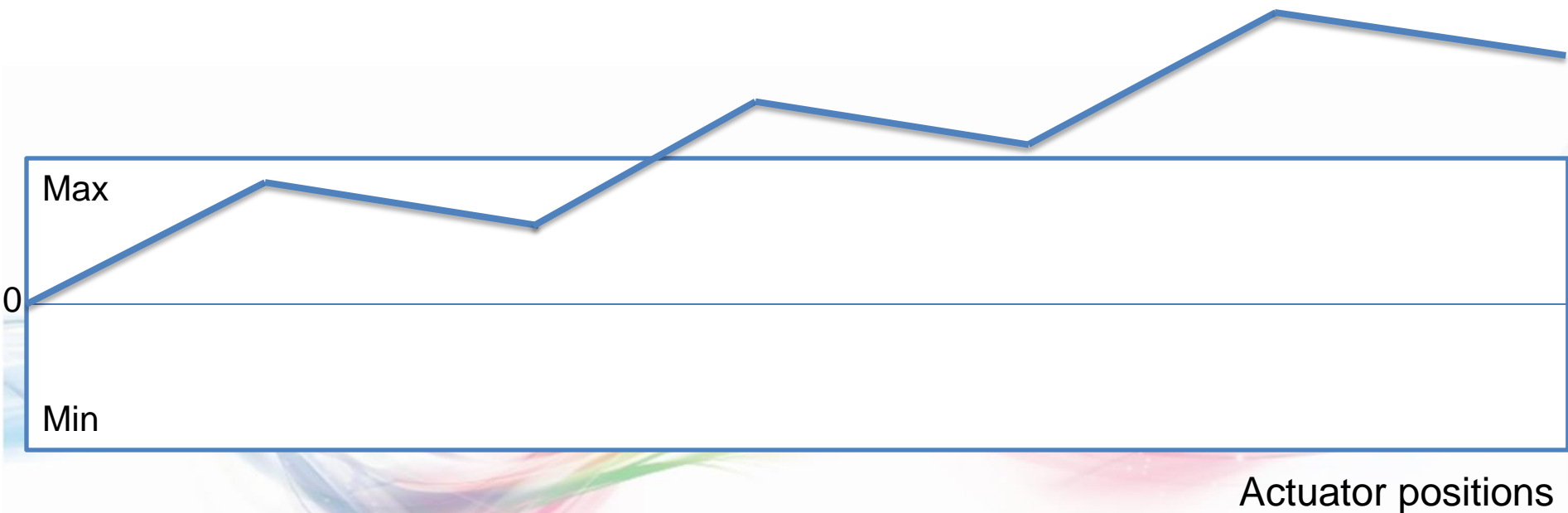
$$v = \underset{0 \leq K(v,t)}{\operatorname{argmin}}(\|P(t - dt) + v\Delta t\|)$$



Workspace Optimizer

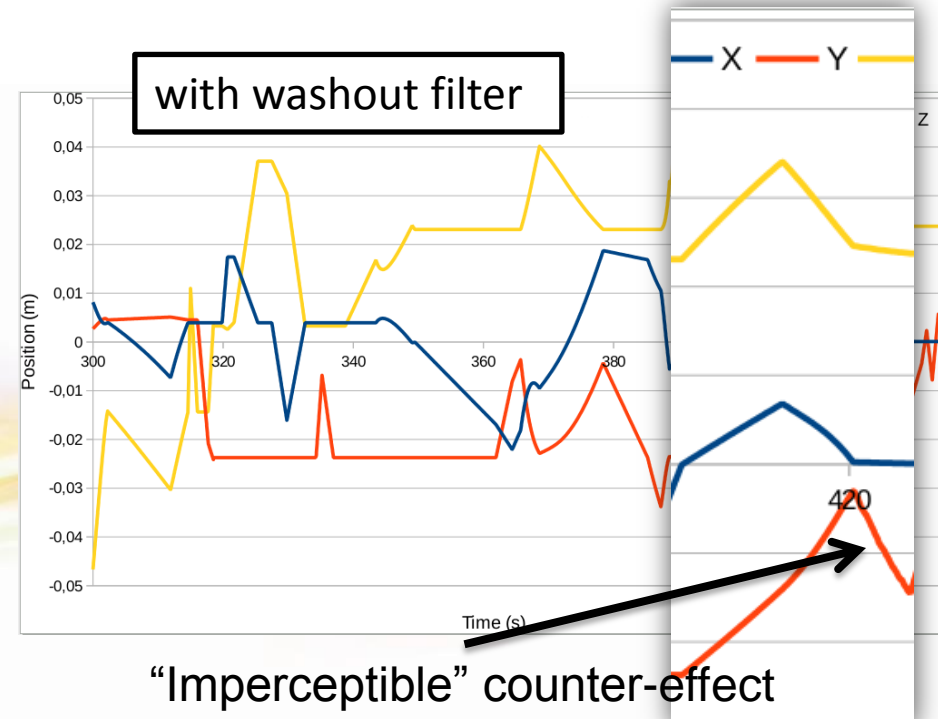
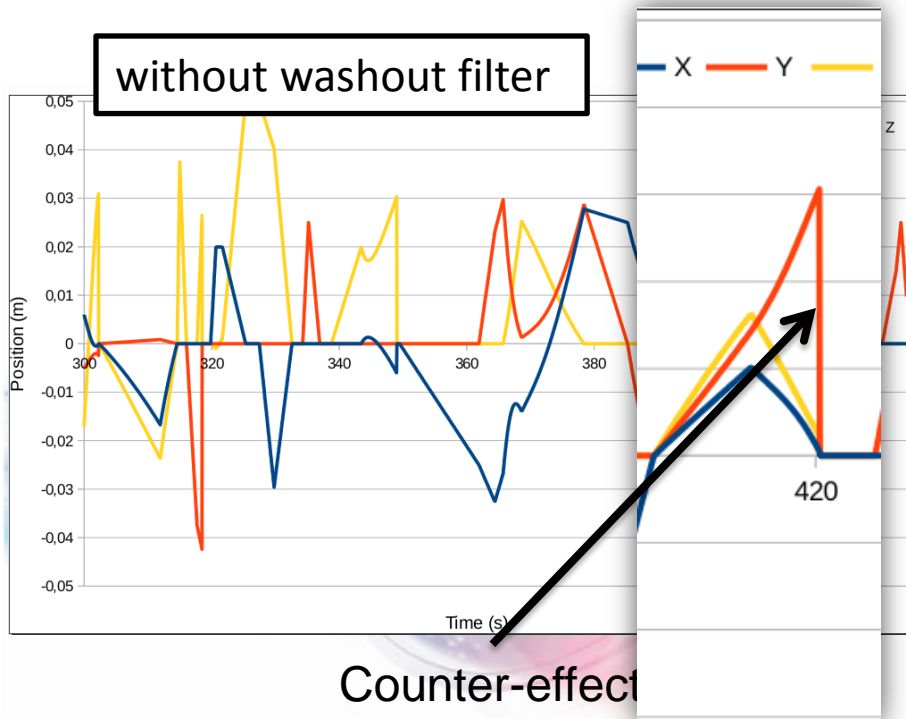


- Performs an offset to optimize the use of the workspace
- Rescales signal if workspace still not respected



Application to a real movie

- Movie: Sintel [Blender Foundation]
- Duration: 10 minutes
- Design: VFX Artist







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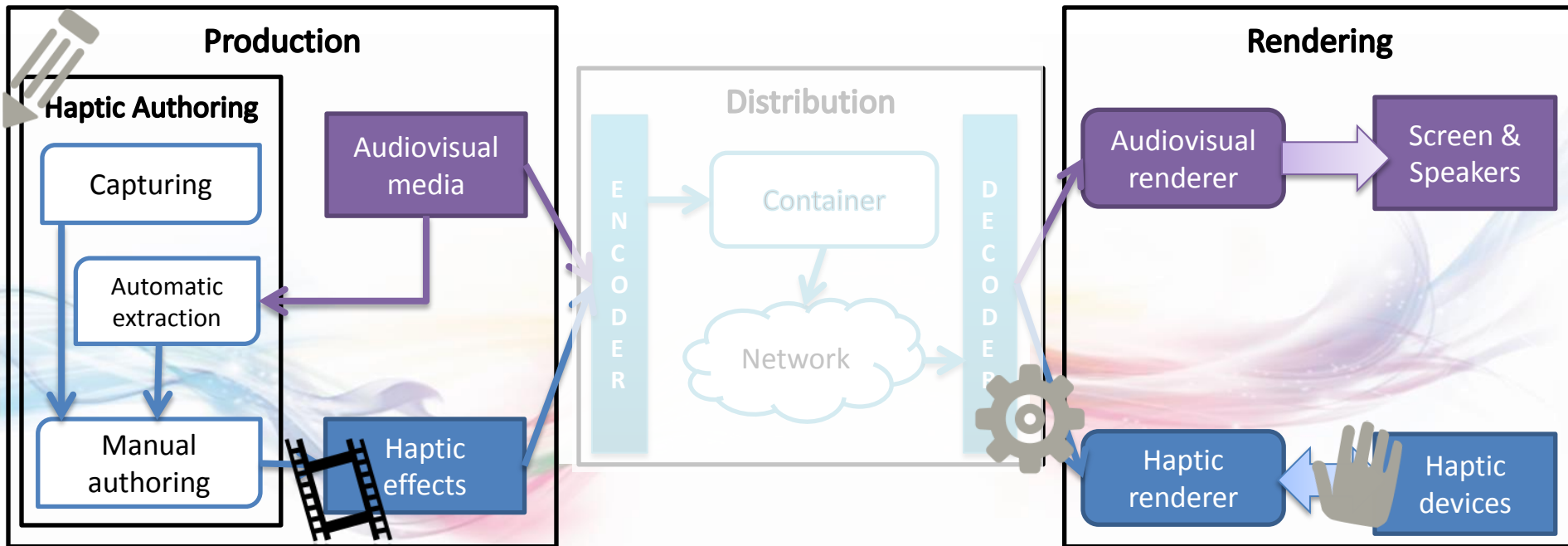


- Haptic rendering integrating a washout filter
 - Model of user kinesthetic perception
 - Perceptive optimizer
 - Workspace optimizer
- Application to full video sequence
- User Study
 - Washout filter enhances QoE



Contribution #4

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-  Haptic device for HAV
-  Haptic rendering algorithm
-  Haptic cinematography



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- Mainly used with action movies
 - Physical events : explosions, car chases, gun shots, etc.
 - Ex: movies proposed by D-Box



- Rarely used for romance, drama, comedy, romantic movies

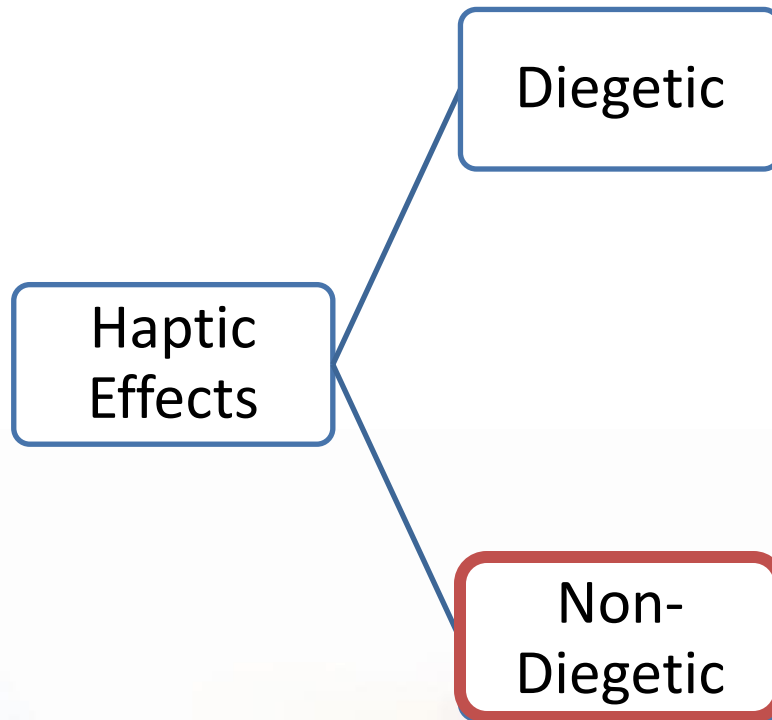
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- Move beyond enhancement of only physical events
 - **non-diegetic effects**



Explicit Ills, 2008. Mark Webber

Taxonomy of Haptic Effects



[Danieau et al. 2013b]

Cinematographic Camera Effects



- Camera Effects
 - Cinematic
 - Semantic
- Typical effects
 - Crane shot
 - Dutch Angle
 - Arcing
 - Traveling
 - Tilting
 - Zoom-in
 - Vertigo

[Mascelli. 1998]

[Thompson and Bowen. 2009]

Crane Shot



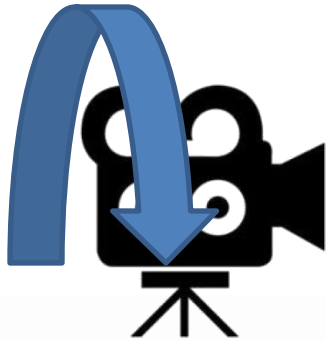
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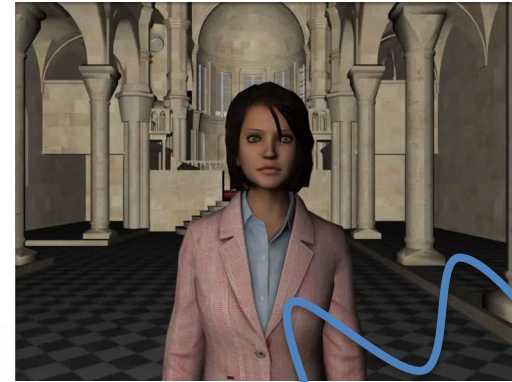
Haptic Effects based on Camera Effects

- 2 control models

Cinematic



Semantic



- Proof-of-Concept
 - 7 Video Sequences
 - HapSeat
 - Cinematic model
 - Semantic model



Control Model #1: Cinematic



- Follows camera movement



Cinematic model with Arcing, Tilting and Zoom-in sequences

Control Model #1: Cinematic



- Follows camera movement
- Extension of Geometrical Model 🖐️

$$\overrightarrow{G_A G'_A} = f(\overrightarrow{T}, \overrightarrow{R})$$

$$f(\overrightarrow{T}, \overrightarrow{R}, \overrightarrow{Z}) = \frac{\|\overrightarrow{T}\|T + \|\overrightarrow{R}\|R + \|\overrightarrow{Z}\|Z}{\|\overrightarrow{T}\| + \|\overrightarrow{R}\| + \|\overrightarrow{Z}\|}$$

$$\overrightarrow{T} = \begin{bmatrix} s_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & s_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & s_z \end{bmatrix} a(t)$$

$$\overrightarrow{R} = (R_x(m_x w_x(t))R_y(m_y w_y(t))R_z(m_z w_z(t)) - I_3)\overrightarrow{GP_A}$$

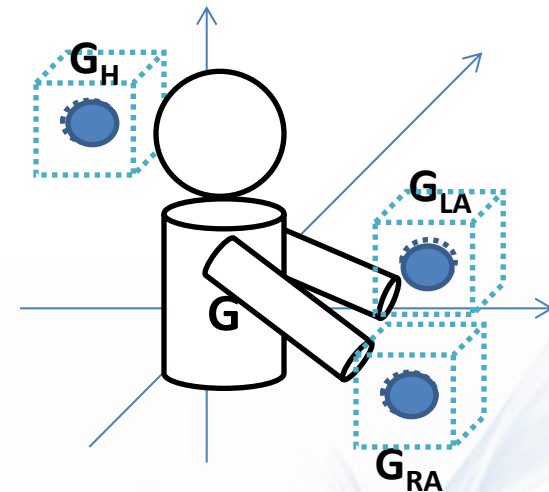
$$\overrightarrow{Z} = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & k_z \end{bmatrix} z(t)$$

P_A = position of the body part (head, hand)

$s_x, s_y, s_z, m_x, m_y, m_z, k_z$ = scaling factors

I_3 = Identity matrix

R_x, R_y, R_z = rotation matrices



Control Model #2: Semantic

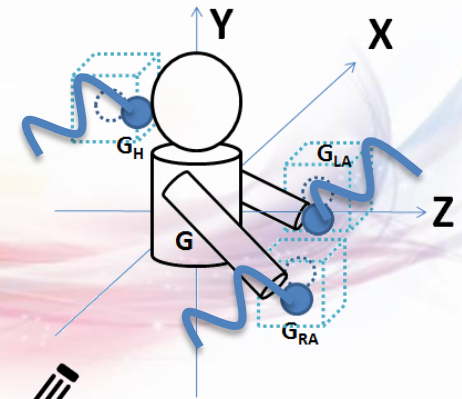


- Based on the semantic of the Camera Effect

- Crane Shot → Flying away
- Dutch Angle → Instability
- Arcing → Intensification
- Traveling → Crab Walk
- Tilting → Inferiority
- Zoom-in → Walk forward
- Vertigo → Vertigo



Haptic ↓ Metaphor



- Designed with our authoring tool 

User Study



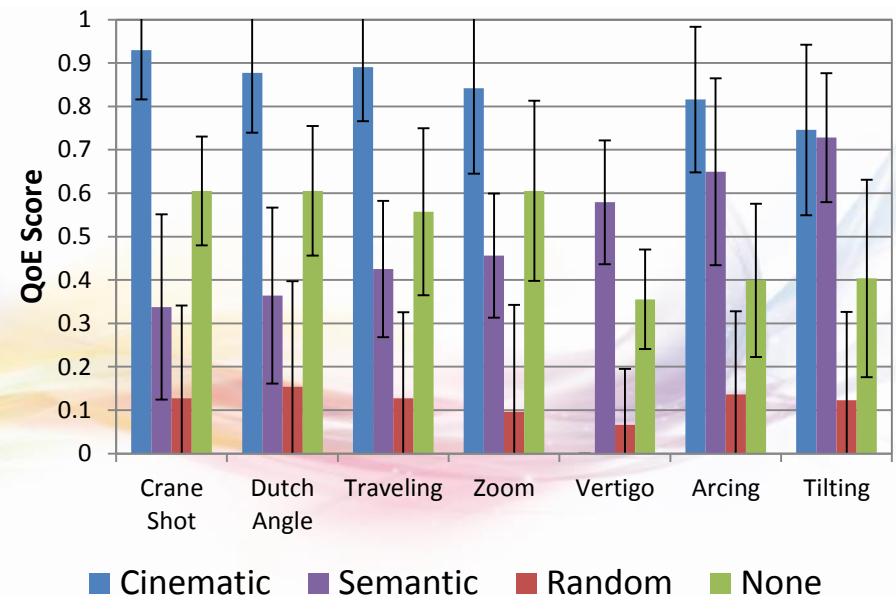
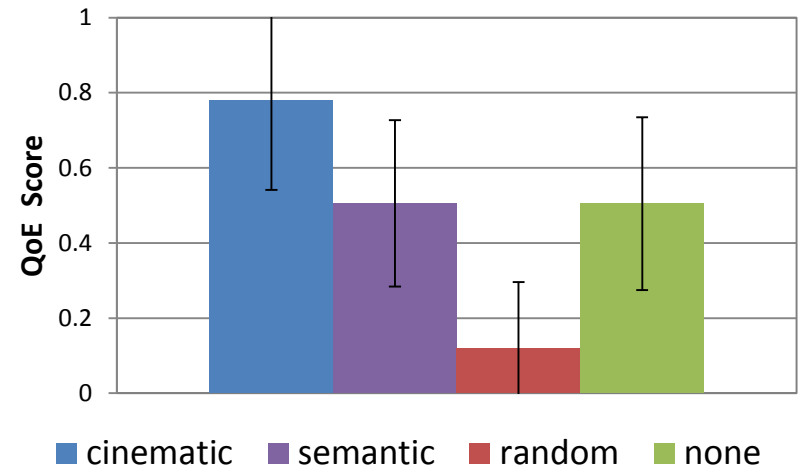
- Objective: study of the influence of the haptic effects based on camera motions on the QoE
- Hypothesis
 - New haptic effects increases QoE
- Variables
 - 7 video sequences
 - 4 haptic conditions
 - Cinematic, Semantic, Random and None
- Measure
 - Pairwise comparison (78 couples)
 - Score computed for each model
- 38 Participants
 - Age: 36.3 (SD 10.4)



User Study: Results



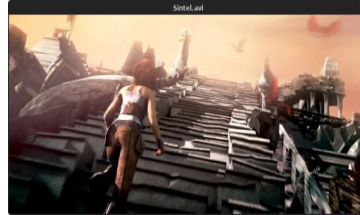
- Statistical analysis
 - Friedman anova
 - Wilcoxon tests
- Haptic effects enhance QoE
 - Cinematic > Semantic \approx None > Random
 - Semantic > None
 - Vertigo
 - Arcing
 - Tilting
- Discussion
 - Metaphors well understood
 - Dynamics of haptic feedback should be similar to dynamics AV content



Application to real movies



Big Buck Bunny



Sintel



Tears of Steel



Preliminary Conclusion



- Haptic Cinematography
 - Taxonomy of haptic effects
 - Haptic effects based on camera motions
- User study
 - Cinematic model enhances QoE
 - Semantic model works on particular cases
- Application to real movies



Big Buck Bunny



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Conclusion

- Study of haptic feedback for AV content



Framework for creating haptic effects

- Capture, automatic, manual and preview



Haptic device for enriching the AV experience

- 6DoF sensation of motion based on force-feedbacks



Haptic Rendering for HAV

- Washout filter for kinesthetic perception

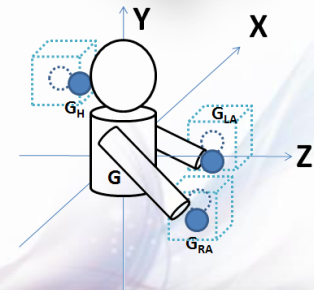
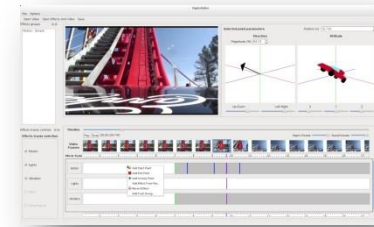


Haptic Cinematography

- Haptic effects based on cinematographic camera motions

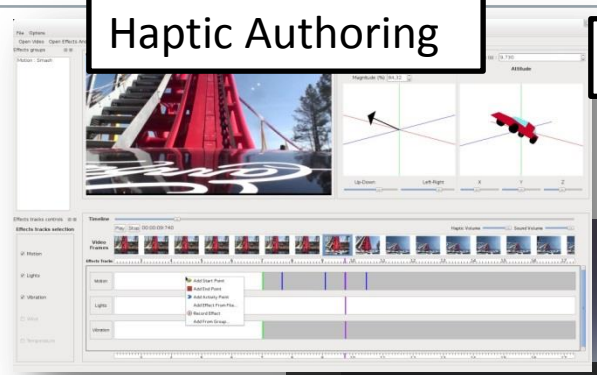
- User studies

- First guidelines for designing haptic effects



Conclusion

Haptic Authoring



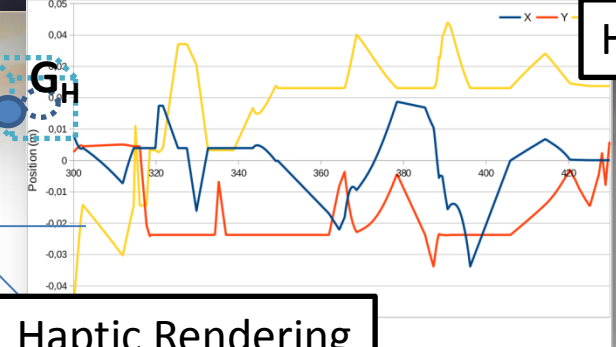
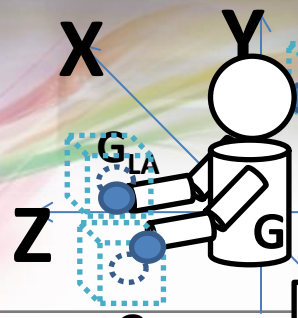
Haptic Cinematography



HAV Content



Haptic Device



Haptic Rendering

Short-term perspectives

- H-Studio
 - Comparison editing methods: usability studies
 - Automatic extraction of motion effects
- HapSeat
 - Improve sensation of motion: more points of stimulation
 - Improve comfort: different rendering for head and hands
- Washout filter
 - Enhance workspace optimizer: limit rescaling
 - Improve user model: user's attention
- Haptic Cinematography
 - Exploring the taxonomy of haptic effects
 - Combination of diegetic and non-diegetic effects

Long-term perspectives

- Production
 - Create numerous haptic sensations (pressure, temperature, etc.)
 - Edit complex haptic effects (explosion = vibrations + temperature + motion)
- Rendering
 - Hardware: render multiple sensations (vibrations + temperature + motions + etc.), full-body experience
 - Software: adapt haptic effects to any end-devices
- Distribution
 - Contribution to standard (ex: MPEG-V)
- User Experience
 - Objective evaluation of the user experience (biosignals)
 - Model of the user HAV experience

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- Journals

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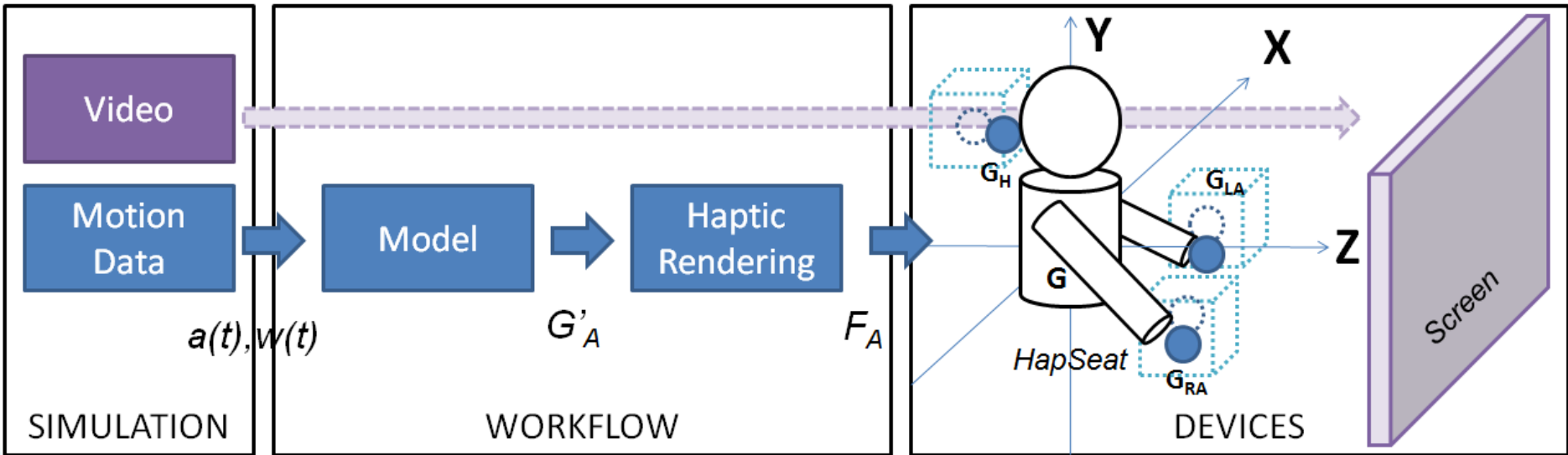
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HapSeat: workflow



HapSeat: Haptic Rendering

- Output of Model = Positions
- Novint Falcons are impedance devices
 - Output = force
- Pseudo-Position control using spring-damper model

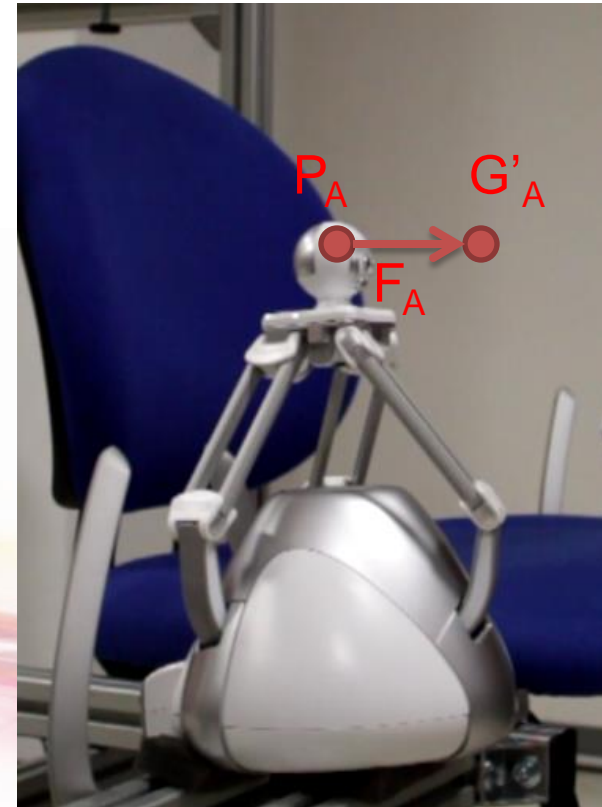
$$F_A = k(G'_A - P_A)dV_A$$

G'_A = target position

P_A = current position

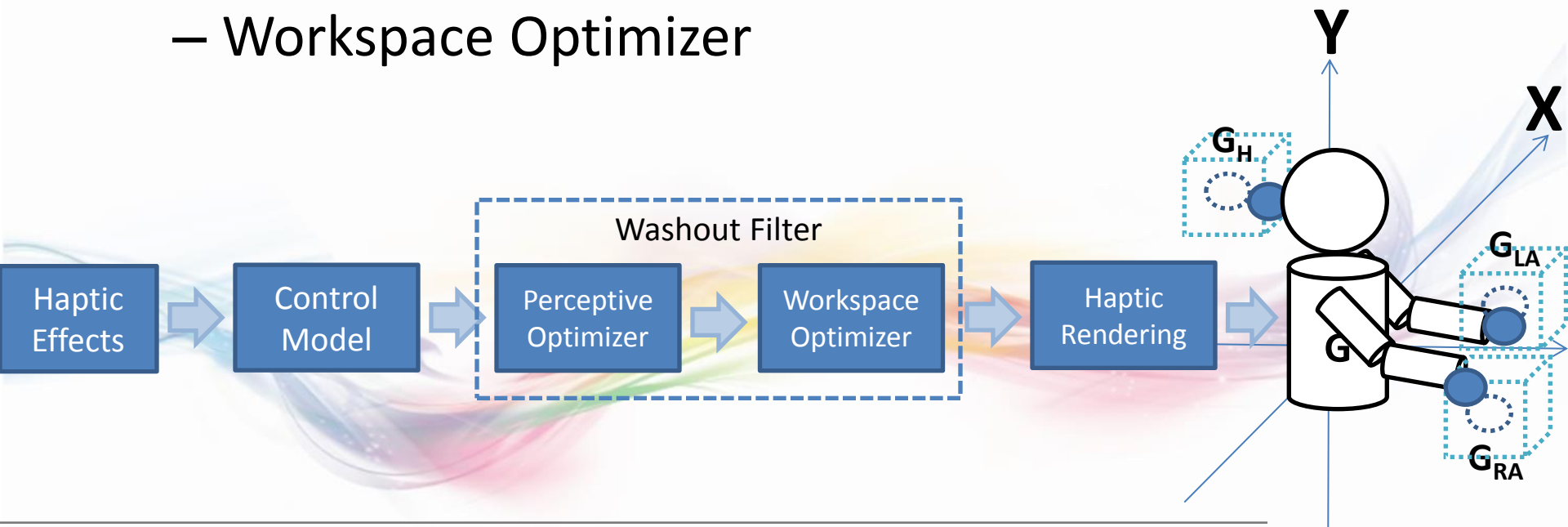
k = spring constant

d = damping constant



Washout filter for Haptic Rendering

- Washout filter added to the workflow
 - Optimize positions computed by control model
- 3 main components
 - User Body Model
 - Perceptive Optimizer
 - Workspace Optimizer



User Study: Questionnaire

- Background
 - Presence: feeling to be physically situated in a virtual environment [Witmer1998]
 - Usability: how a system is to use [ISO 9241-11]
- Questions associated to factors
 - 7 questions evaluated on 5-point scale

• Presence

- Control
- Sensory
- Realism
- Distraction

• Usability

- Efficiency
- Effectiveness
- Satisfaction

• HAV QoE

- Sensory
- Realism
- Satisfaction
- Comfort

User Study: Questionnaire

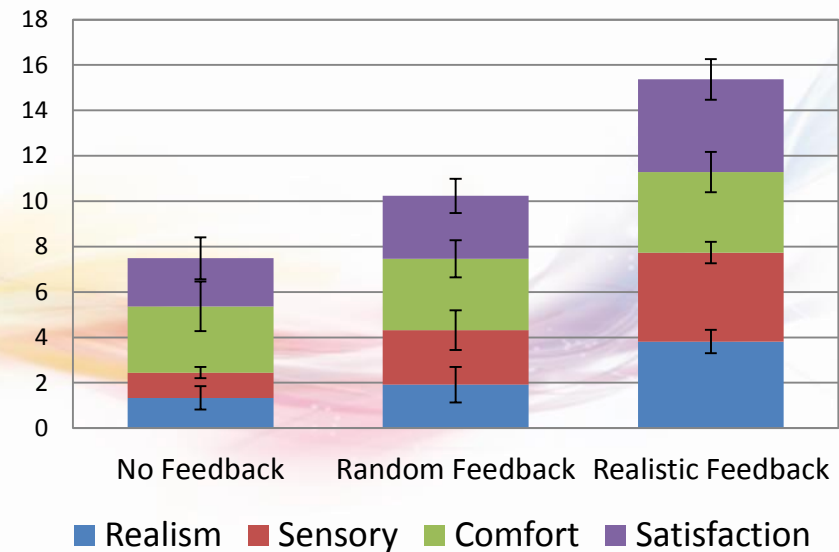
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Factor	Question
Realism	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• How much did this experience seem consistent with your real-world experiences?• How strong was your feeling of self-motion?
Sensory	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• How much did the haptic feedback contribute to the immersion?• Were the haptic and visual feedback synchronized together?
Comfort	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Was the system comfortable?• How distracting was the control mechanism?
Satisfaction	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• How much did you enjoy using the system?

User Study



- Objective: Study of the captured motion effect
- Hypotheses
 - Motion effect increases QoE
 - Motion effect is realistic
- Experimental Plan
 - 15 participants. Age: 27.8 (SD 9.7)
 - 4 videos and 3 haptic feedback
 - None, Random, Realistic
 - Protocol: QoE Questionnaire
 - Realism, Sensory, Comfort, Satisfaction
- Results
 - QoE Real > QoE Random > QoE None
 - Realism, Sensory and Satisfaction improved by haptic feedback
 - Comfort is stable



Washout Filter for Haptic Rendering

- Thresholds for kinesthetic perception

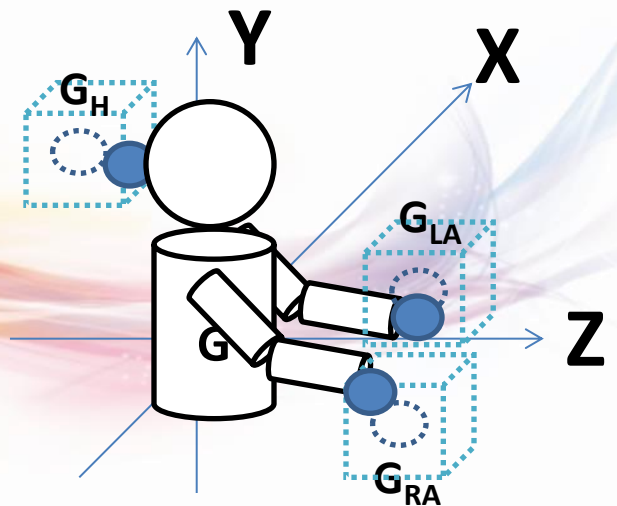
- Angular speed of joints [Jones 2000]
- 3 profiles

T1 [Jones 2000]	Threshold (deg.s⁻¹)
Neck, Shoulder, Elbow	0.5; 0.5; 1
T2	Threshold (deg.s⁻¹)
Neck; Shoulder; Elbow	1.5; 1.5; 2.5
T3	Threshold (deg.s⁻¹)
Neck; Shoulder; Elbow	3; 3; 4

- User body model

- Used to model user's perception
- Composed by segments and joints

[Schuenke et al. 2010]



User Study



- Objective: study of the influence of the washout filter on the QoE
- Hypotheses
 - Counter-effects must be not perceived
 - Washout filter enhances QoE
- Variables
 - 3 videos: 3, 4 and 5 haptic effects
 - 4 haptic feedback:
 - T0 (no Washout Filter),
 - T1, T2 and T3 (Washout Filter with different thresholds)
- 20 Participants
 - Age 39.7 (SD 9.2)



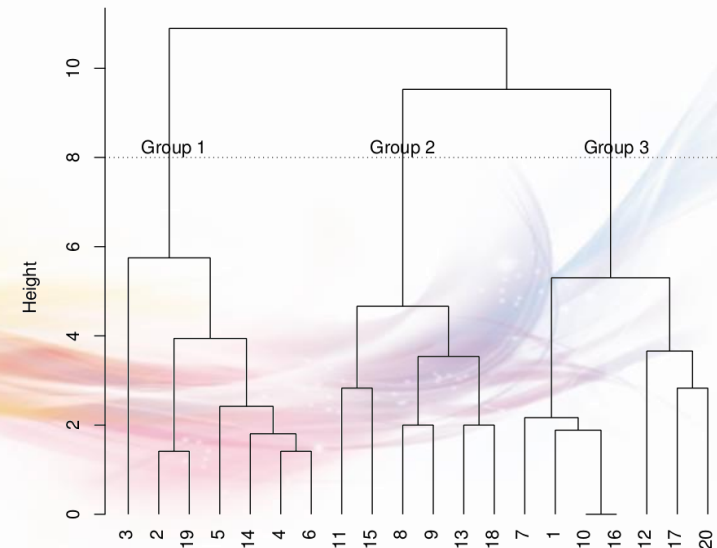
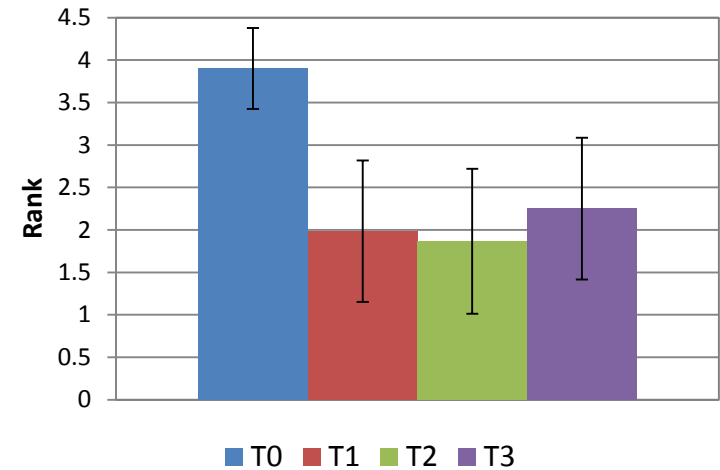
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User Study: Results



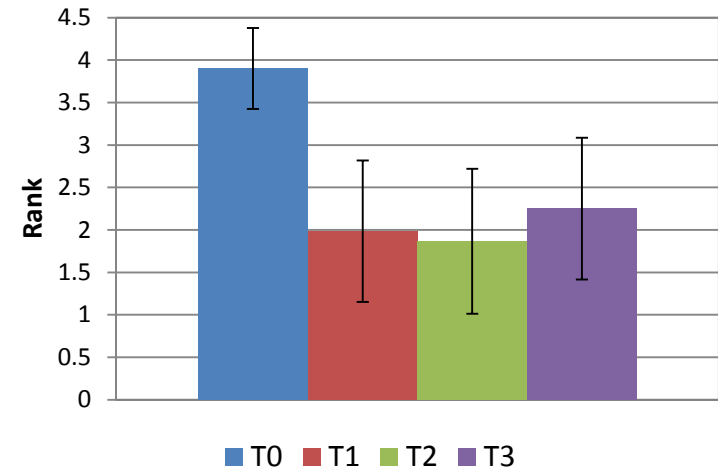
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- 3 groups observed during experiment
 - Found with hierarchical cluster analysis



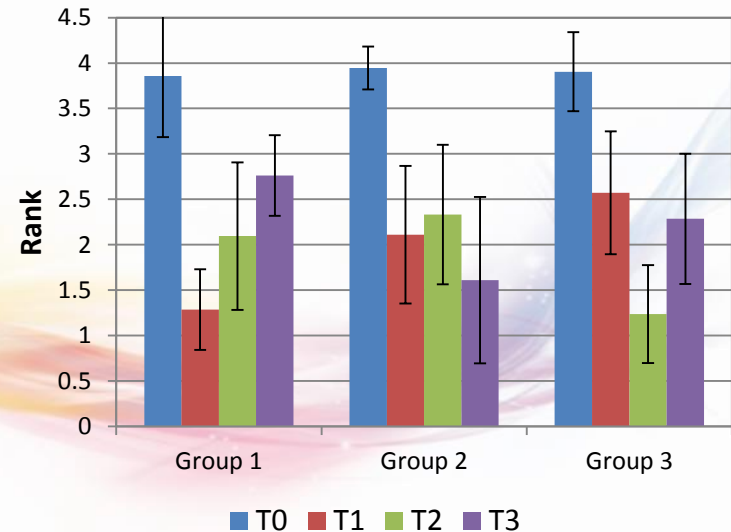
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 - Group 1 : $T1 < T2 < T3$
 - Group 2 : no preference
 - Group 3 : $T2 < T1$ and $T3$



Guidelines for designing Haptic Effects

- Synchronization
 - Ex: random feedback, counter-effects
- Dynamics
 - Ex: semantic model
- AV defines context
 - Ex: semantic model
- Haptic / Audiovisuals combinations
 - Taxonomy
- **Need for user studies to identify more rules**
- **Need to organize these rules**