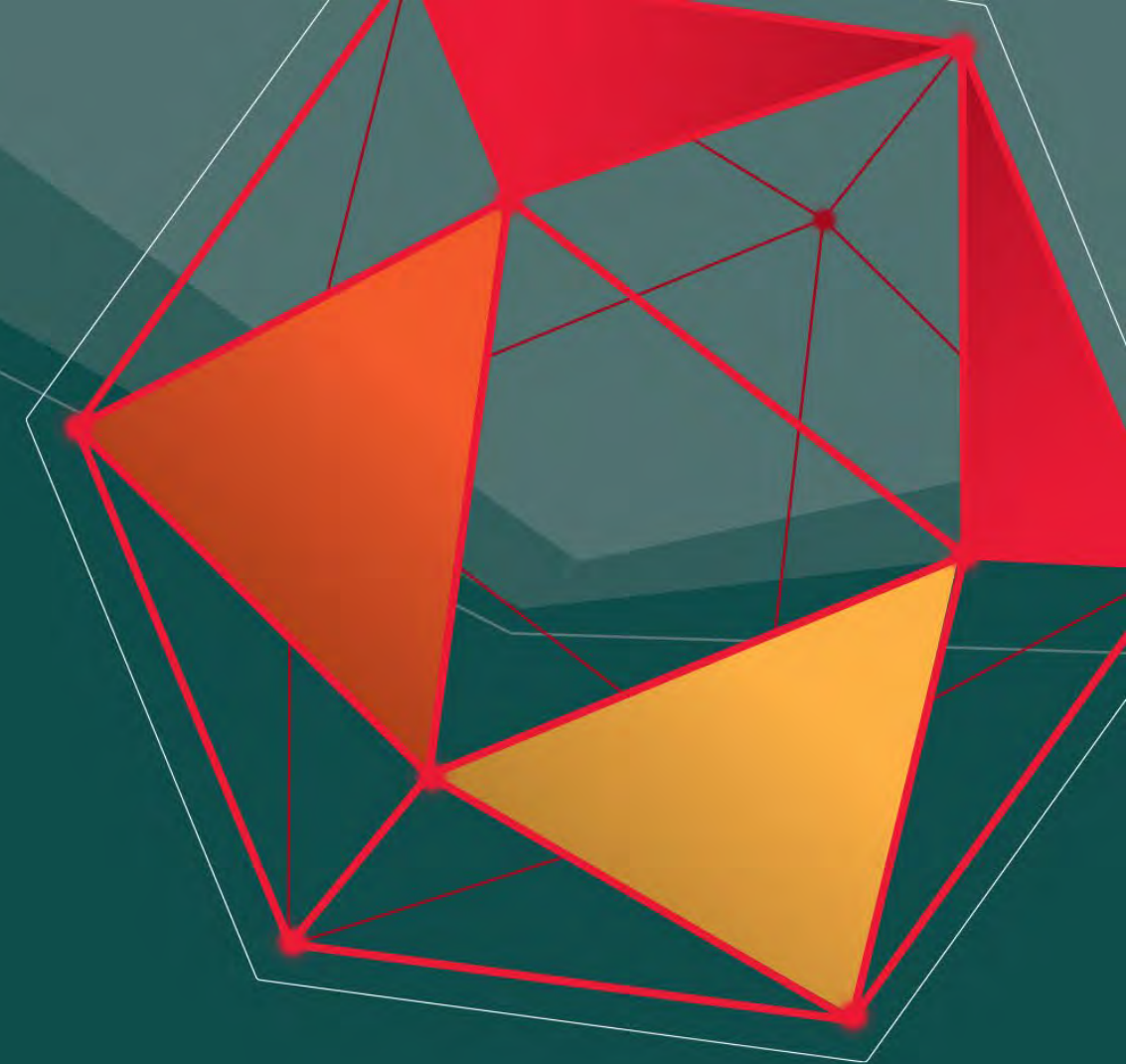
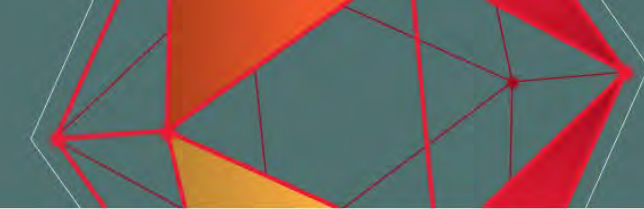


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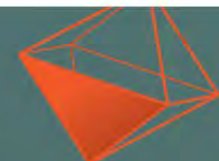
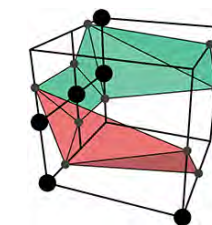
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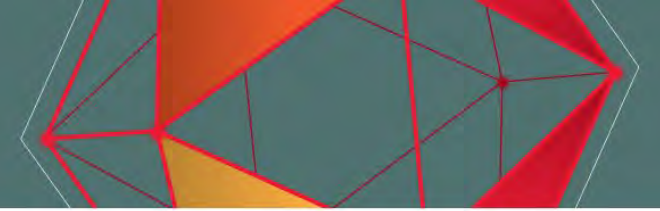




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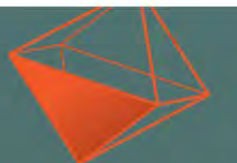
- Working in game/graphics dev since 1994
 - Previously at Sierra, Apple, Naughty Dog
- Current projects:
 - Slug Library, C4 Engine, The 31st, FGED

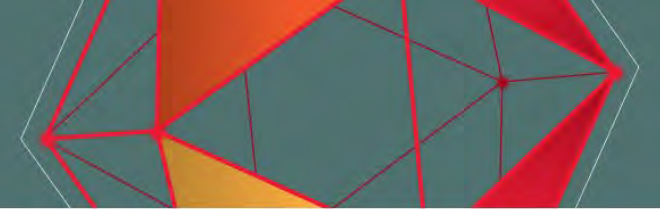




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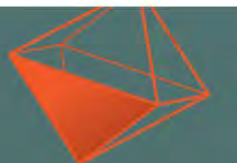
- Vector / matrix implementation in C++
 - Vectors, points, planes, lines, antivectors
 - Swizzling (like shading languages)
 - Matrix manipulation
 - 2D, 3D, 4D

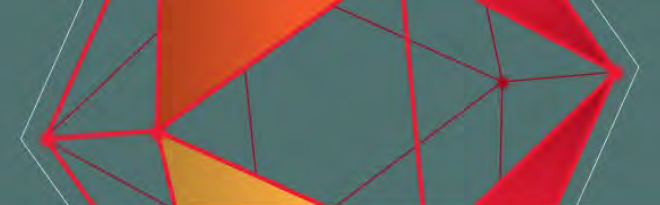




About this talk

- Promoting mathematical correctness
- Providing zero-cost conveniences
 - Vector swizzling: $v1 = v2.zyx$
 - Row/column extraction: $m.row1, m.col0$
 - Free transpose: $v1 = m.transpose * v2$

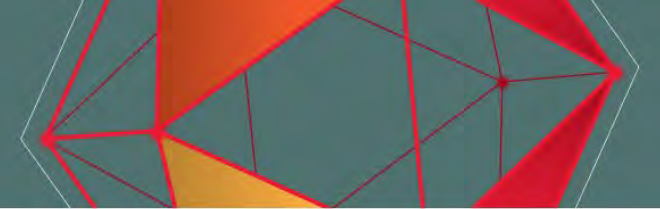




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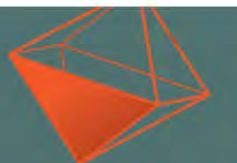
- Many ways to implement math library
- Many ways equally correct
- Purpose of this talk is to share my experiences with code I've developed and refined over many years and give advice
- You are free to implement what you like





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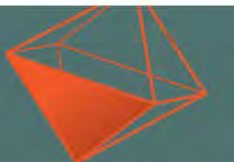
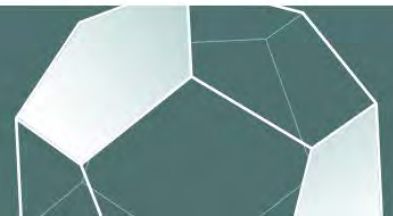
- Skipping obvious stuff
 - Like overloading operator $+$ for two vectors
- Focusing on things that are not common

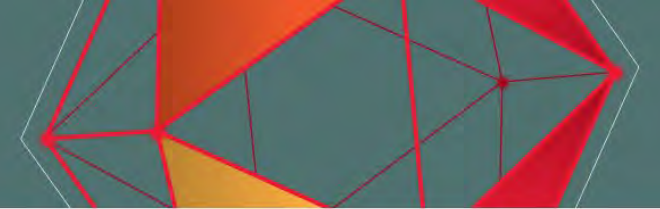




Class Names

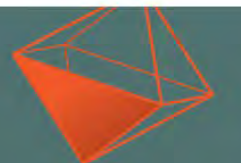
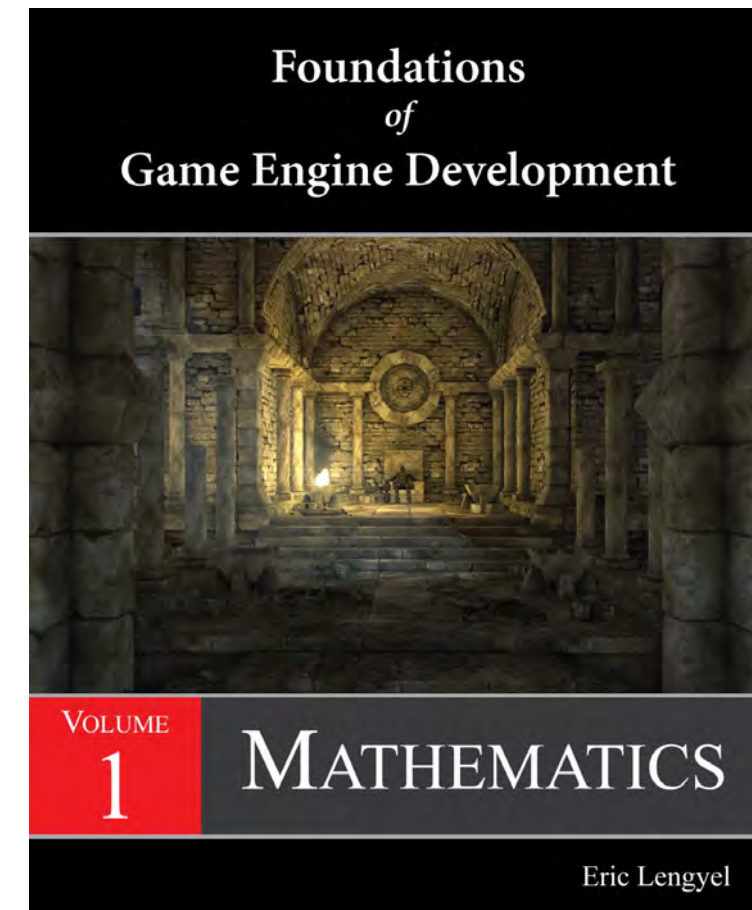
- `Vector2D`, `Vector3D`, `Vector4D`, `Point3D`
- `Matrix3D`, `Matrix4D`, `Transform4D`
- `Bivector3D` (normals)
- `Bivector4D` (lines)
- `Trivector4D` (planes)

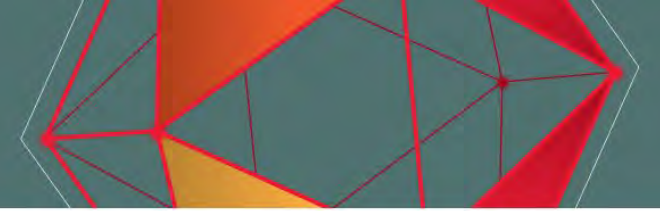




Grassmann Algebra

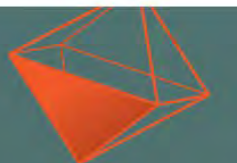
- *Foundations of Game Engine Development, Volume 1*
- “Fundamentals of Grassmann Algebra” (GDC 2012)
- “Grassmann Algebra in Game Development” (GDC 2014)

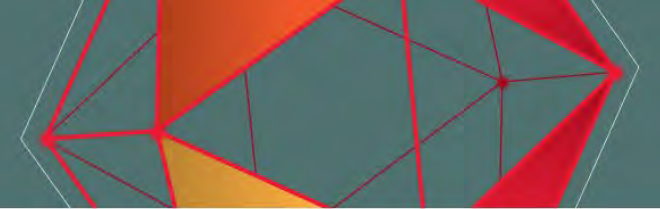




Grassmann Algebra

- Thorough understanding not necessary
- Vector/antivector distinction most important
- Various facts stated throughout this talk



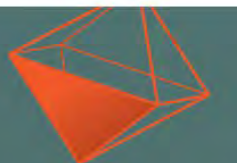


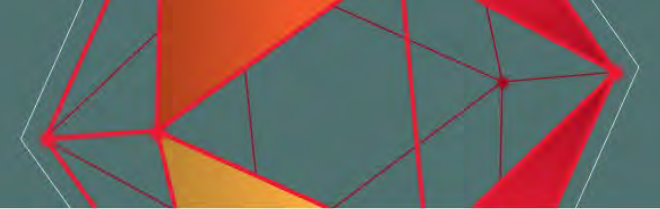
Basic Vector

```
class Vector2D
{
    public:
    float    x, y;
    ...
};
```

```
class Vector3D
{
    public:
    float    x, y, z;
    ...
};
```

```
class Vector4D
{
    public:
    float    x, y, z, w;
    ...
};
```



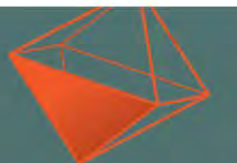


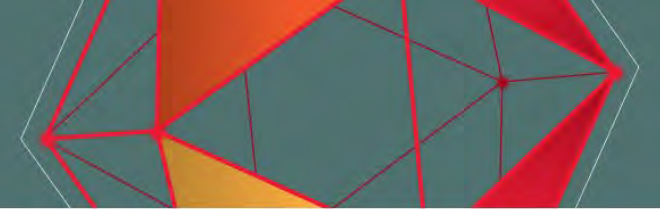
Constructors

```
Vector3D() = default;
```

```
Vector3D(float a, float b, float c)  
{  
    x = a; y = b; z = c;  
}
```

```
Vector3D(const Vector3D& v)  
{  
    x = v.x; y = v.y; z = v.z;  
}
```

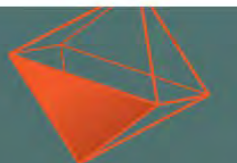


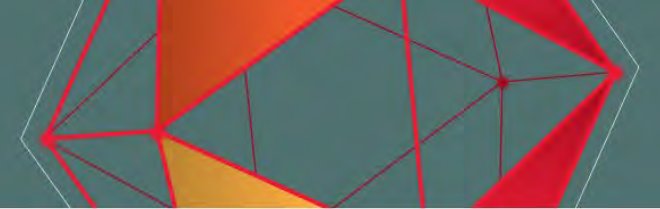


Promotions

```
Vector3D(const Vector2D& v)
{
    x = v.x;
    y = v.y;
    z = 0.0F;
}
```

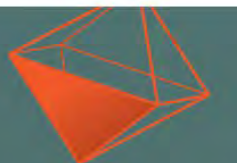
```
Vector4D(const Vector3D& v)
{
    x = v.x;
    y = v.y;
    z = v.z;
    w = 0.0F;
}
```

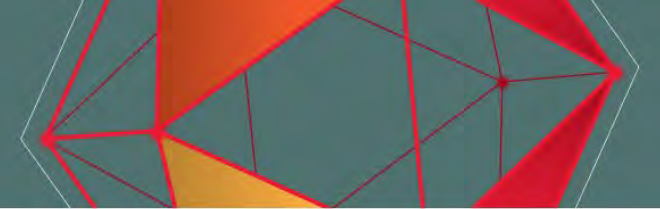




Overloaded Operators

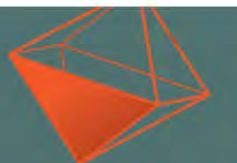
- Obvious addition / subtraction
- Multiplication by scalar
- Division by scalar
- Multiplication of two vectors componentwise
 - Consistent with shading languages

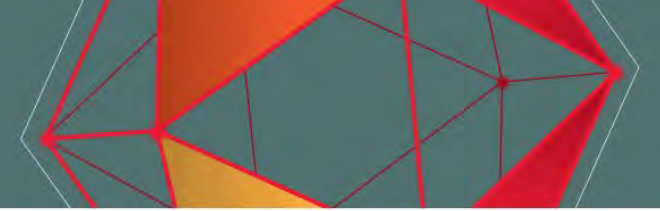




Division by Scalar

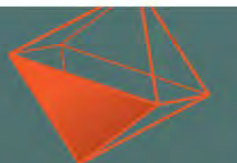
```
Vector3D& operator /=(float s)
{
    float t = 1.0F / s;
    x *= t;
    y *= t;
    z *= t;
    return (*this);
}
```

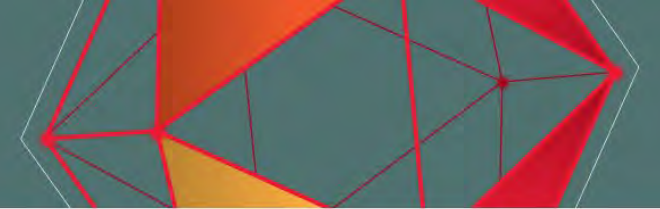




Dot and Cross Product

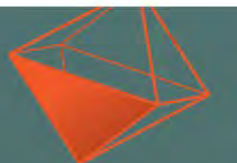
- Recommend `dot()` and `cross()` functions
- Could overload `*` and `%` (or others)
 - But this can get confusing
 - Makes code hard to read

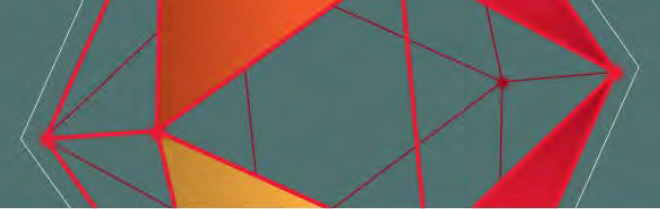




Wedge and Antiwedge Product

- Could use `wedge()` function
- I prefer overloading `^` operator
 - Have to deal with low operator precedence
 - Just means using parentheses a lot
- Used for both wedge and antiwedge product

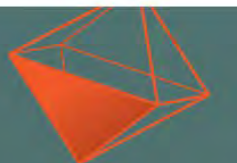


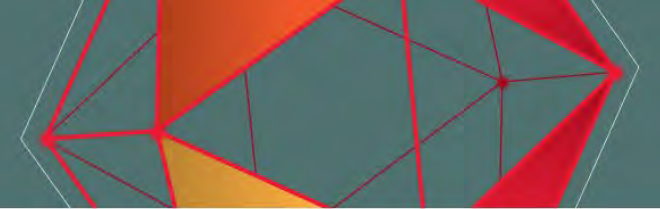


Wedge Product

- $\text{Vector3D} \wedge \text{Vector3D} = \text{Bivector3D}$
 - Like cross product

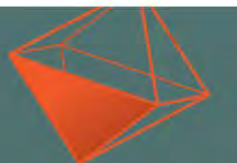
- $\text{Vector3D} \wedge \text{Bivector3D} = \text{scalar}$
 - Like dot product

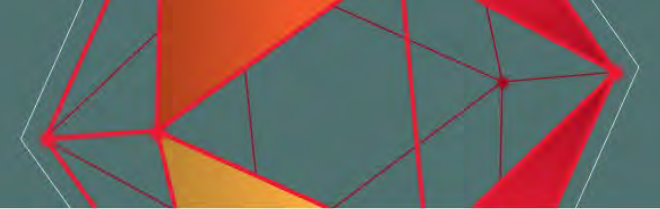




Points

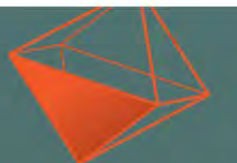
- Same components as vector
- But behaves differently
- $w = 1$ when promoted to 4D
- Translation included when multiplied by 4×4 matrix

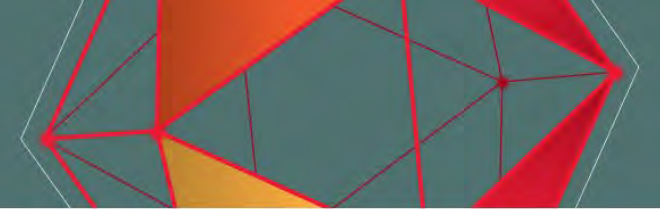




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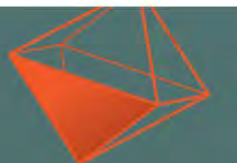
- Often, we just want point to be a vector
- Other times, we want to enforce point used instead of vector
- Special case math for points

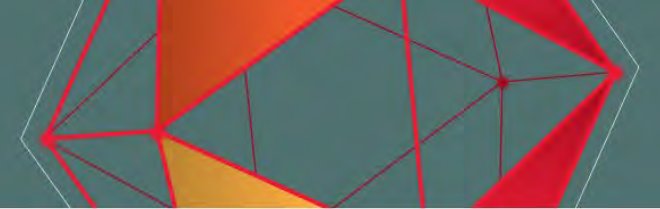




Points

- What works:
- Make point a subclass of vector

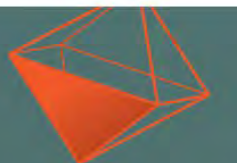


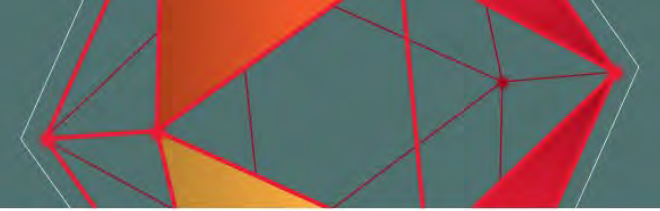


Point3D Class

```
class Point3D : public Vector3D
{
    public:

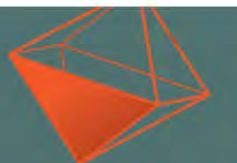
    Point3D() = default;
    Point3D(float a, float b, float c) : Vector3D(a, b, c) {}
    Point3D(const Point3D& p) : Vector3D(p) {}
};
```

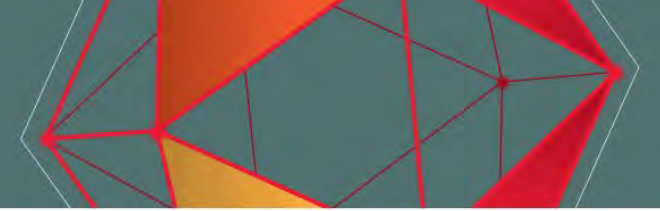




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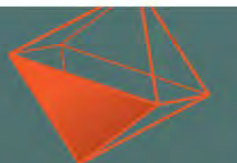
- Point type can always be implicitly converted to vector type at no cost
- Can pass point to function accepting vector
- Can mix vectors and points in calculations
- Overload functions/operators where special behavior is needed

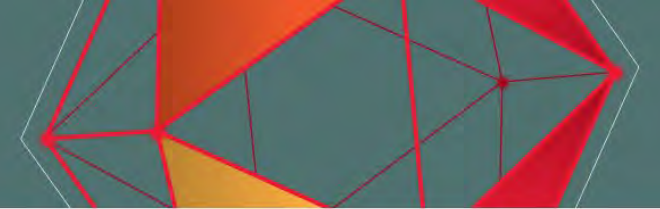




Point as Subclass

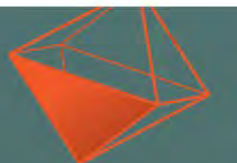
- Point is specific type of vector
- Vector can't be implicitly converted to point
- Function accepting a point must always have a point passed to it

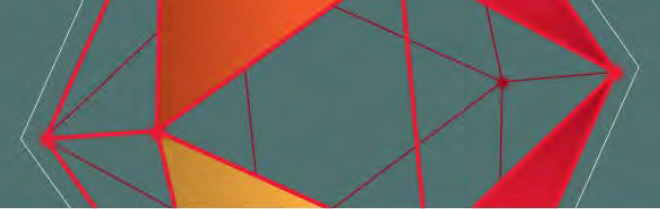




Point Operations

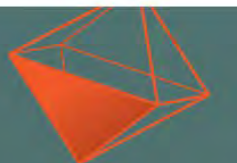
- $\text{Point} + \text{Point} = \text{Point}$
- $\text{Point} - \text{Point} = \text{Vector}$
- $\text{Point} * \text{Scalar} = \text{Point}$

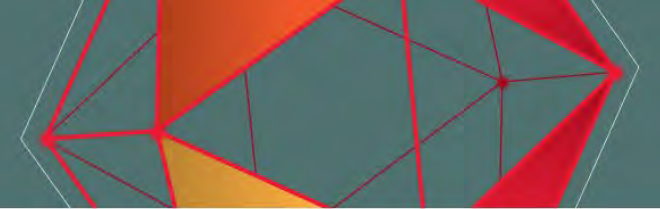




Wedge Product

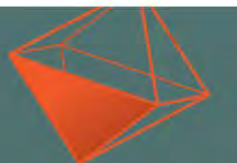
- $\text{Point3D} \wedge \text{Point3D} = \text{Bivector4D}$
 - Two points make a line
- $\text{Point3D} \wedge \text{Point3D} \wedge \text{Point3D} = \text{Trivector4D}$
 - Three points make a plane

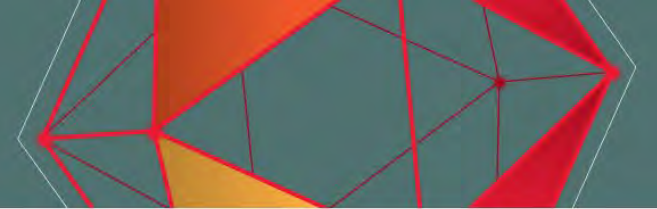




Conversion of Vector to Point

- Sometimes want a vector to be a point
 - Rare for me, only 19 uses in 600K+ lines of code
- Create a "Zero" type to act as point at origin
 - Add vector to origin to turn it into a point
 - No casting, zero cost





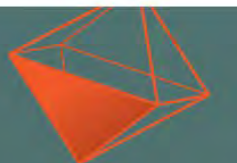
Zero Type

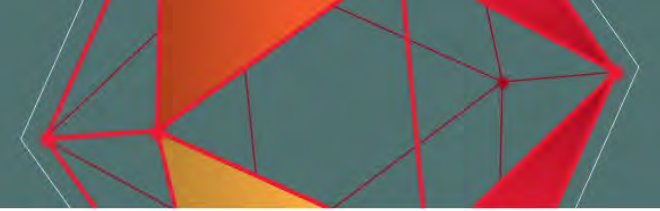
```
class Zero3DType {};
```

```
extern const Zero3DType Zero3D;
```

```
const Point3D& operator +(const Zero3DType&, const Vector3D& v)  
{  
    return (reinterpret_cast<const Point3D&>(v));  
}
```

```
Point3D p = Zero3D + (expression producing 3D vector);
```

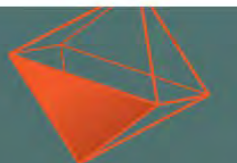


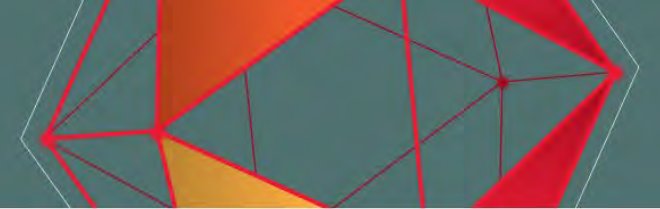


Promotion of Points

```
Vector4D(const Point2D& p)
{
    x = p.x;
    y = p.y;
    z = 0.0F;
    w = 1.0F;
}
```

```
Vector4D(const Point3D& p)
{
    x = p.x;
    y = p.y;
    z = p.z;
    w = 1.0F;
}
```





Basic Matrix

```
class Matrix3D
{
    public:

    float    n[3][3];

    ...

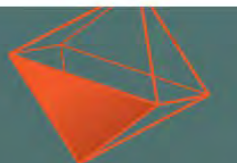
};
```

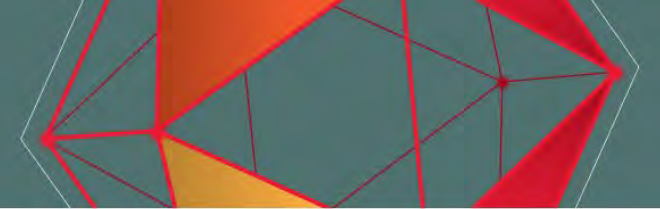
```
class Matrix4D
{
    public:

    float    n[4][4];

    ...

};
```

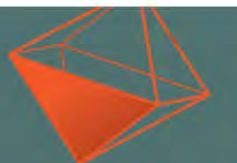


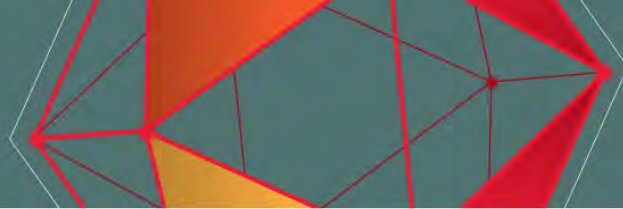


Matrices

- Think of matrix as array of vectors
- We want this storage order

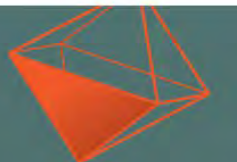
- Column vectors \rightarrow matrix is array of columns
- Row vectors \rightarrow matrix is array of rows

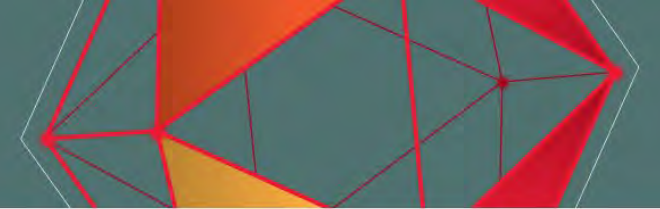




Vector Array

- Object-to-world transform is array of vectors
 - World x = 1st vector
 - World y = 2nd vector
 - World z = 3rd vector

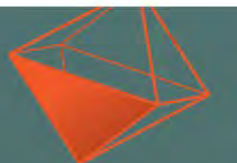


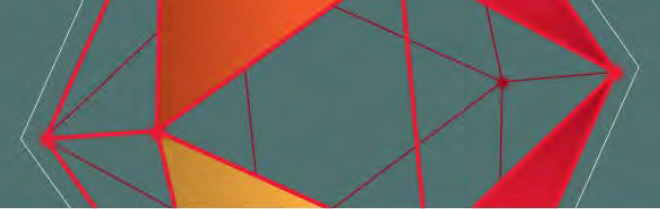


Operator []

```
Vector3D& operator [](int index)
{
    return (*reinterpret_cast<Vector3D *>(n[index]));
}

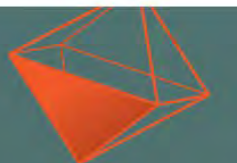
const Vector3D& operator [](int index) const
{
    return (*reinterpret_cast<const Vector3D *>(n[index]));
}
```

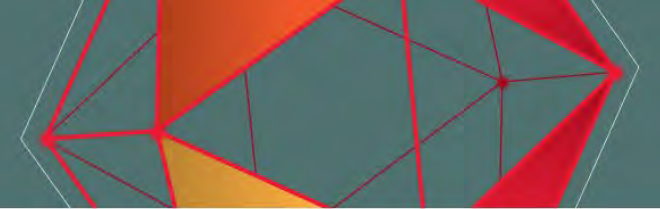




Row or Column Vectors

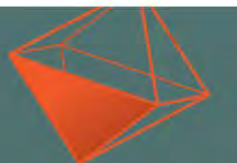
- Vectors can be thought of as $1 \times n$ row matrices
- Or vectors can be thought of as $n \times 1$ column matrices
- Neither is more mathematically correct than the other

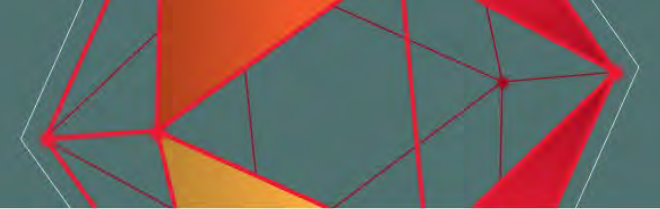




Row or Column Vectors

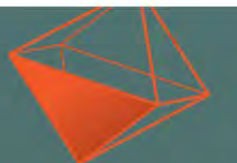
- Consistency is what matters
- Pick one convention and stick to it
- Everything works out the same
- But matrix-vector products will have operands in opposite orders

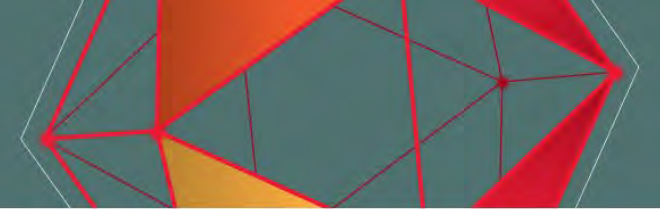




Matrix Storage

- Row vectors \rightarrow matrix is array of rows
 - “Row-major” storage order
- Column vectors \rightarrow matrix is array of columns
 - “Column-major” storage order





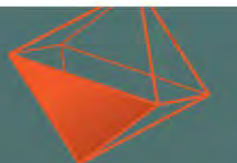
Operand Order

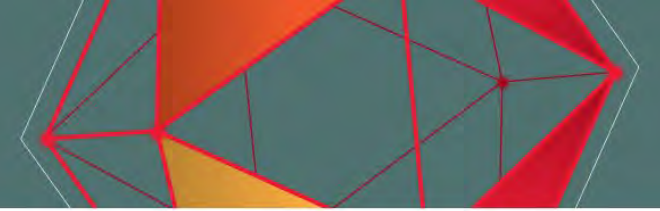
- Row vectors transformed by matrix on right

$$[v'_x \quad v'_y \quad v'_z] = [v_x \quad v_y \quad v_z] \mathbf{M}$$

- Column vectors transformed by matrix on left

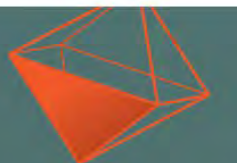
$$\begin{bmatrix} v'_x \\ v'_y \\ v'_z \end{bmatrix} = \mathbf{M} \begin{bmatrix} v_x \\ v_y \\ v_z \end{bmatrix}$$

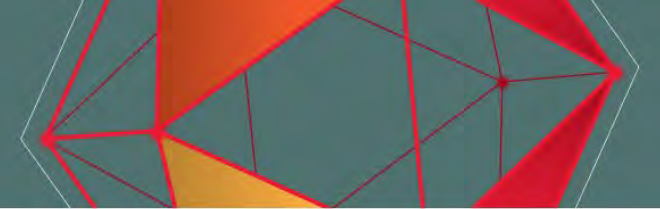




Column Vectors

- I use column vectors
- Remainder of this talk uses column vectors
- Convention used by scientists and engineers
- Matrix composition and quaternion composition have same ordering
 - Consistency is king

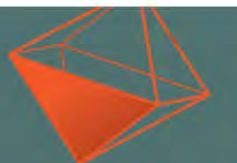


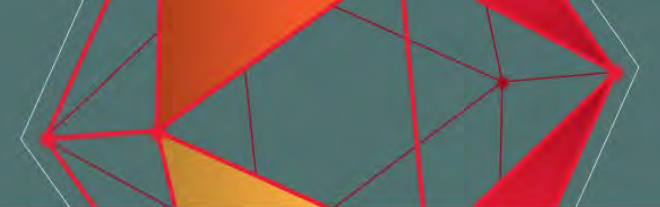


Vectors and Antivectors

- Vectors are $n \times 1$ column matrices
- Antivectors are $1 \times n$ row matrices

- (Whichever you choose for vectors, it's the opposite for antivectors.)

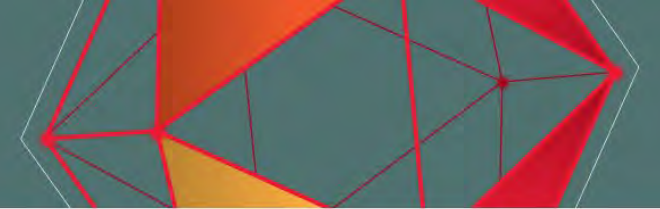




Vectors and Antivectors

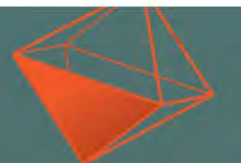
- Vectors are ordinary directions
 - Tangent, bitangent, velocity, force, etc.
- Antivectors are formed by cross products
 - Normal, angular velocity, torque, etc.
 - Bivectors in 3D, with planar orientation

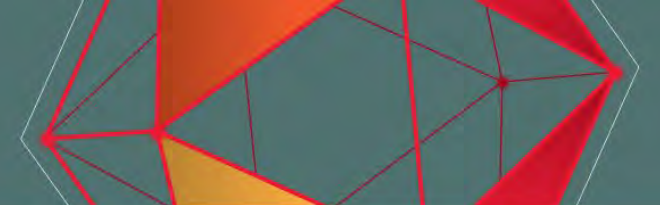




Planes

- Planes are 4D bivectors
- Wedge product of 3 homogeneous points





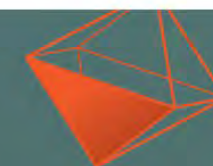
Transformation

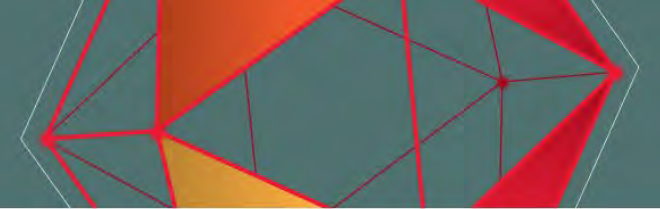
- Vector (column) is transformed as

$$\mathbf{v}' = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{v}$$

- Antivector (row) is transformed as

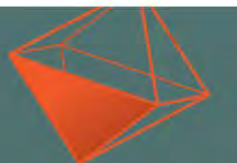
$$\mathbf{n}' = \mathbf{n} \operatorname{adj}(\mathbf{M}) = \mathbf{n} \det(\mathbf{M}) \mathbf{M}^{-1}$$

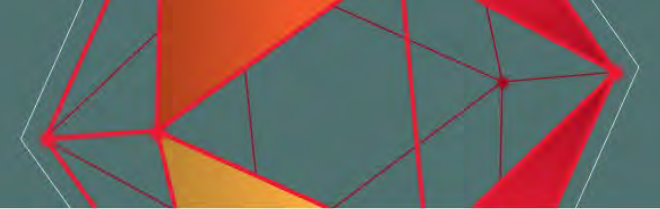




Transformation

- Can enforce transformation rules by using different types for vectors / antivectors
- Implement operators only for valid products
- Can't accidentally multiply normal or plane with matrix on the left





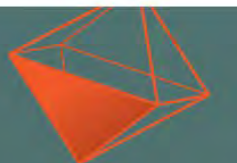
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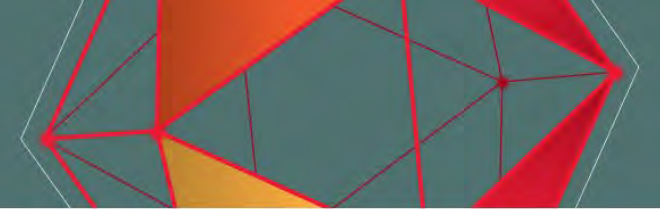
```
Vector3D operator *(const Matrix3D& m, const Vector3D& v);
```

```
Vector4D operator *(const Matrix4D& m, const Vector4D& v);
```

```
Bivector3D operator *(const Bivector3D& b, const Matrix3D& m);
```

```
Trivector4D operator *(const Trivector4D& t, const Matrix4D& m);
```





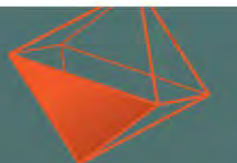
Normal Transformation

- If 3×3 matrix \mathbf{M} is orthogonal, $\mathbf{M}^{-1} = \mathbf{M}^T$
- So don't need inverse to transform normal:

$$\mathbf{n}' = \mathbf{n}\mathbf{M}^{-1} = \mathbf{n}\mathbf{M}^T$$

- In this case, can treat normal like vector:

$$(\mathbf{n}')^T = \mathbf{M}\mathbf{n}^T$$

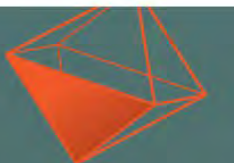


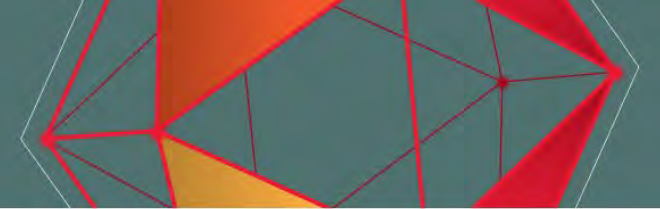


Plane Transformation

- Can't do same thing for plane \mathbf{f}
- 4×4 matrix \mathbf{H} generally not orthogonal
- Always need adjugate for correct transform:

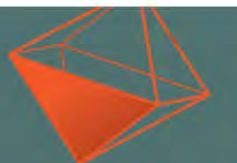
$$\mathbf{f}' = \mathbf{f} \operatorname{adj}(\mathbf{H}) = \mathbf{f} \det(\mathbf{H}) \mathbf{H}^{-1}$$





Swizzling

- Shading languages have swizzles
- Can rearrange components
- Can extract subvectors
- All we can do in C++ with our basic vector class is `.x`, `.y`, `.z`, etc.





Swizzling Examples

```
Vector3D v;
```

```
v.xyz
```

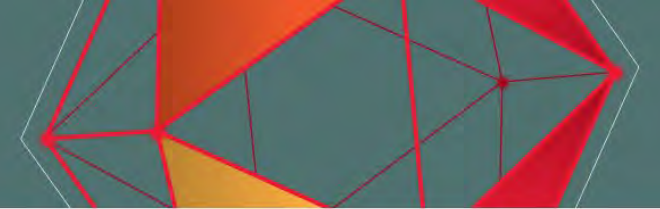
```
v.zyx
```

```
v.xy
```

```
v.zx
```

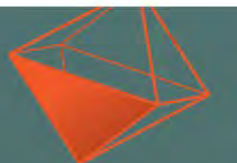
```
...
```

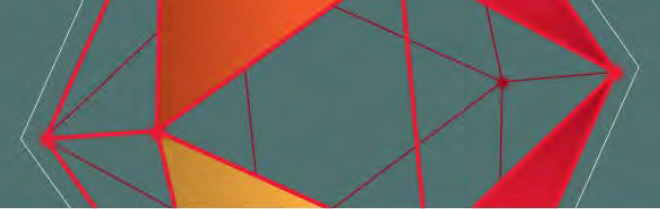




Swizzling

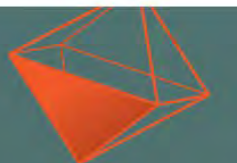
- Making this work requires some abstraction
- And some C++ templates
- But it can be done cleanly
- And it's worth it, IMO

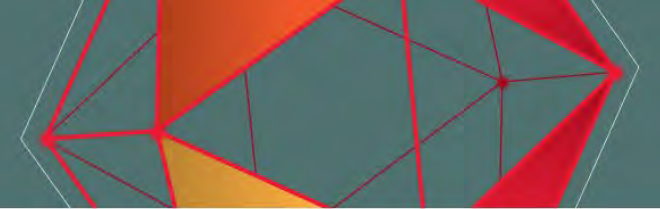




Type Structures

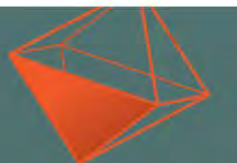
- One for each mathematical entity
 - Vector2D, Vector3D, Bivector3D, Matrix3D, etc.
- Holds type info about components and subparts
- Used by templates

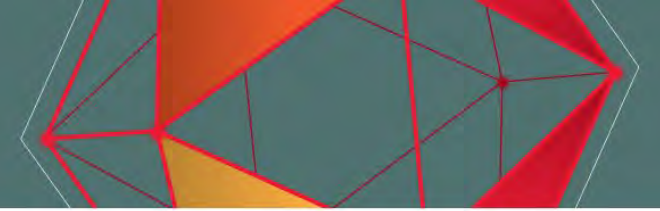




Type Structures

```
struct TypeVector3D
{
    typedef float component_type;
    typedef Vector2D vector2D_type;
    typedef Vector3D vector3D_type;
};
```

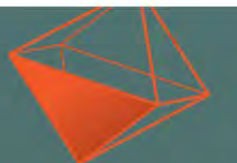




Component Template

- Abstraction of vector component
- Type struct is a template parameter

- Important part is that the component index is a template parameter





Component Template

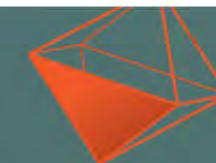
```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index>
class Component
{
    public:

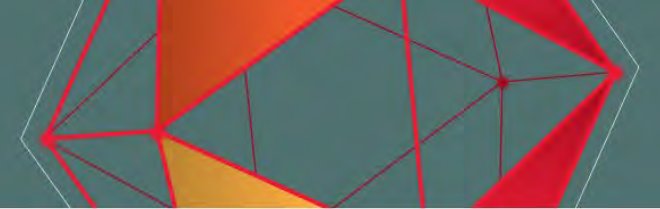
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;

    component_type      data[count];

    operator component_type&(void) { return (data[index]); }
    operator const component_type&(void) const { return (data[index]); }

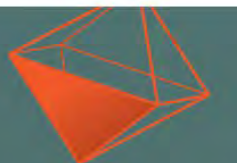
    ...
}
```

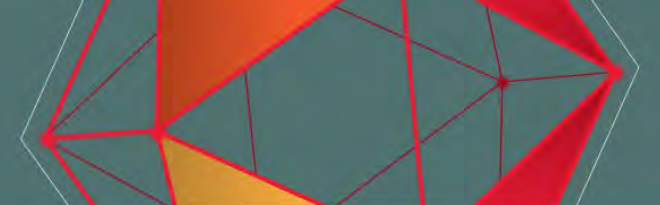




2D Subvector Template

- Abstraction of two components of n -D vector
- Type struct is again a template parameter
- New parameter: boolean value indicating whether subvector is an antivector



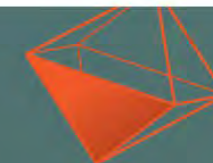


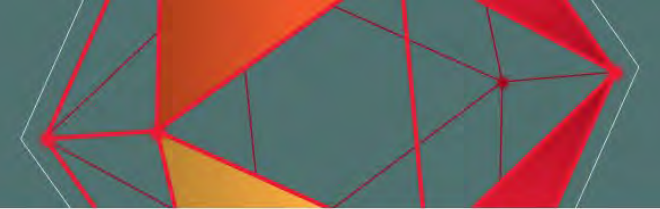
2D Subvector Template

```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_x, int index_y>
class Subvec2D
{
    public:

    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type vector2D_type;

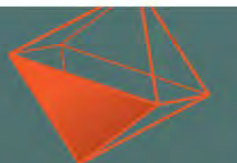
    component_type    data[count];
    ...
}
```

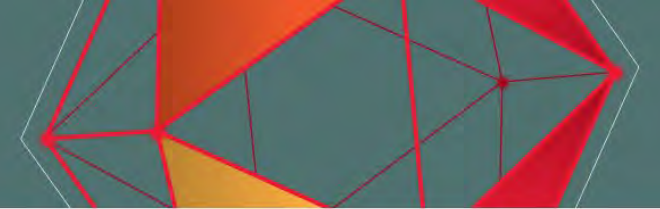




3D and 4D Subvectors

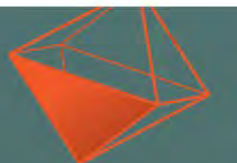
- Similar to 2D subvector
- With more index template parameters
- Also with an “anti” template parameter to distinguish between vectors and antivectors

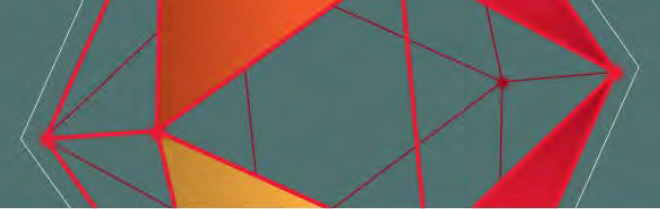




Conversion to Vector

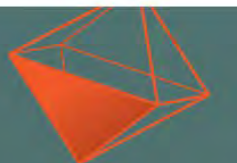
- Subvectors are generic set of components
- Need to be able to implicitly convert to vectors of same dimension
- When components are consecutive in memory, don't want any copying





Converter Templates

- Turns an n -D subvector into an n -D vector
- Used by conversion operators in subvector class templates
- Explicit specializations handle cases when components are consecutive

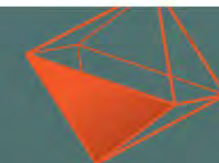




ConverterVector2D Template

```
template <typename type_struct, int index_x, int index_y>
struct ConverterVector2D
{
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type vector2D_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type const_vector2D_type;

    static vector2D_type Convert(component_type *data)
    {
        return (vector2D_type(data[index_x], data[index_y]));
    }
};
```

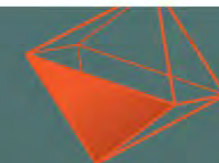




Explicit Specializations

```
template <typename type_struct>
struct ConverterVector2D<type_struct, 0, 1>
{
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type& vector2D_type;
    typedef const typename type_struct::vector2D_type& const_vector2D_type;

    static vector2D_type Convert(component_type *data)
    {
        return (reinterpret_cast<vector2D_type>(data[0]));
    }
};
```

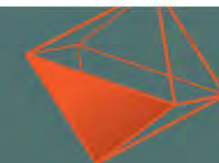




Explicit Specializations

```
template <typename type_struct>
struct ConverterVector2D<type_struct, 1, 2>
{
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type& vector2D_type;
    typedef const typename type_struct::vector2D_type& const_vector2D_type;

    static vector2D_type Convert(component_type *data)
    {
        return (reinterpret_cast<vector2D_type>(data[1]));
    }
};
```



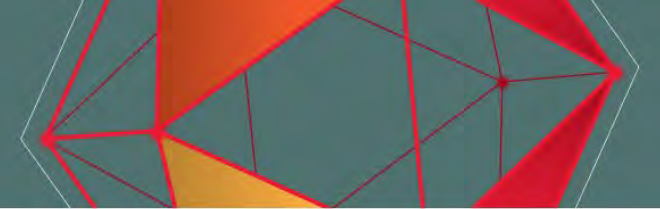


Explicit Specializations

```
template <typename type_struct>
struct ConverterVector2D<type_struct, 2, 3>
{
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;
    typedef typename type_struct::vector2D_type& vector2D_type;
    typedef const typename type_struct::vector2D_type& const_vector2D_type;

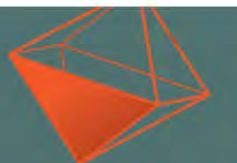
    static vector2D_type Convert(component_type *data)
    {
        return (reinterpret_cast<vector2D_type>(data[2]));
    }
};
```





Conversion to Vector

- Notice that generic converter constructs a new object
- But explicit specializations return references
- Difference captured in typedefs inside converter
- Used by conversion operator

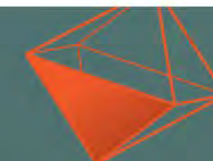


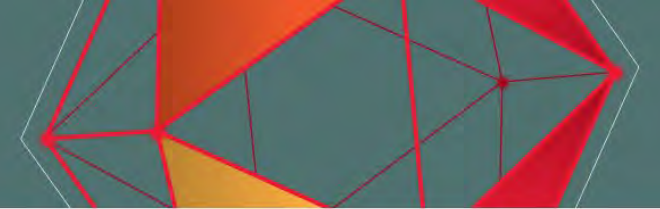


Conversion of Subvec2D

```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_x, int index_y>
class Subvec2D
{
    ...

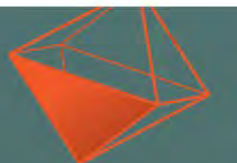
    operator typename
    ConverterVector2D<type_struct, index_x, index_y>::vector2D_type(void)
    {
        return (ConverterVector2D<type_struct, index_x, index_y>
            ::Convert(data));
    }
}
```





Overloaded Operators

- Arithmetic done with Subvec2D, Subvec3D, Subvec4D
- Allows general swizzling of both operands
- Compiler automatically generates code for all combinations actually used

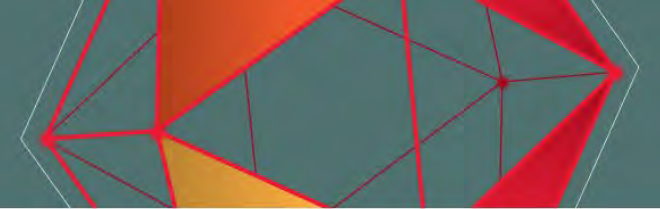




Assignment Operator

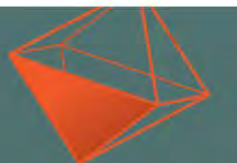
```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_x, int index_y>
class Subvec2D
{
    ...
    template <typename type, int cnt, int ind_x, int ind_y>
    Subvec2D& operator =(const Subvec2D<type, cnt, ind_x, ind_y>& value)
    {
        data[index_x] = value.data[ind_x];
        data[index_y] = value.data[ind_y];
        return (*this);
    }
}
```





Vector / Antivector Safeguard

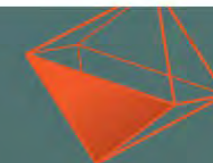
- Note that anti template parameter must be same for both operands in 3D/4D
- Can't accidentally mix vectors and antivectors

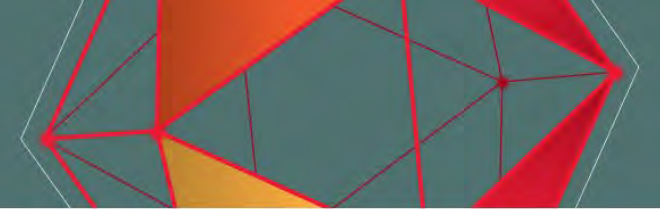




Operators for Full Vectors

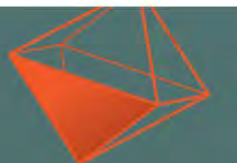
- Also overload operators with full vector operands
- Subvectors will be result of swizzles
- Otherwise, would have to write swizzles all the time, even if components not reordered

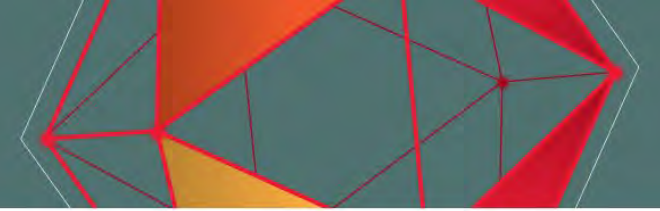




Assignment of Full Vector

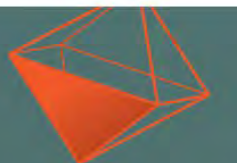
```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_x, int index_y>
class Subvec2D
{
    ...
    Subvec2D& operator =(const vector2D_type& value)
    {
        data[index_x] = value.x;
        data[index_y] = value.y;
        return (*this);
    }
}
```

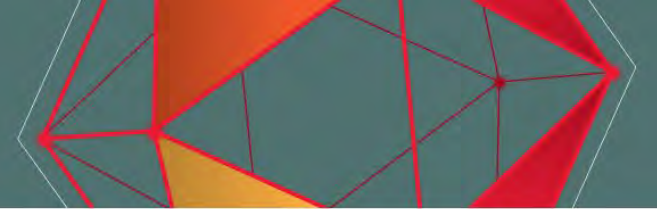




Overloaded Operators

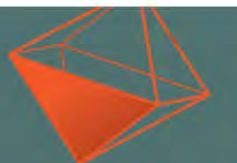
- Componentwise $+$, $-$, $*$ work similarly
- Scalar $*$, $/$ affect components identified by index template parameters
- Nothing fancy going on

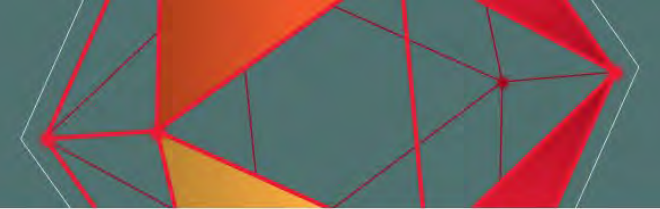




Unions

- Swizzle members implemented with union
- Holds all individual components
- Holds all possible subvectors
 - May choose to exclude subvectors with repeated components

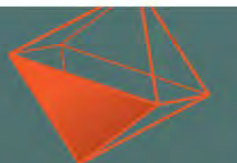




Vec2D Class Template

```
template <typename type_struct>
class Vec2D
{
    public:

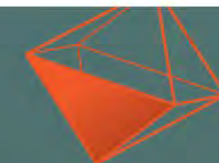
    union
    {
        Component<type_struct, 2, 0>          x;
        Component<type_struct, 2, 1>          y;
        Subvec2D<type_struct, 2, 0, 1>        xy;
        Subvec2D<type_struct, 2, 1, 0>        yx;
    };
};
```





Vec3D Union (15 members)

```
Component<type_struct, 3, 0>      x;  
Component<type_struct, 3, 1>      y;  
Component<type_struct, 3, 2>      z;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 0, 1>    xy;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 0, 2>    xz;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 1, 0>    yx;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 1, 2>    yz;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 2, 0>    zx;  
Subvec2D<type_struct, 3, 2, 1>    zy;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 0, 1, 2> xyz;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 0, 2, 1> xzy;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 1, 0, 2> yxz;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 1, 2, 0> yzx;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 2, 0, 1> zxy;  
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 3, 2, 1, 0> zyx;
```

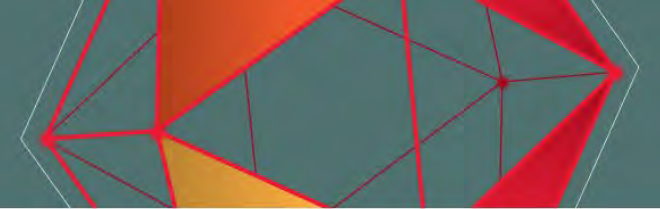




Vec4D Union (64 members)

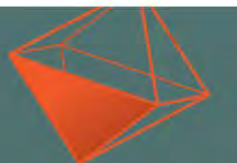
Component<type_struct, 4, 0>	x;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 0, 3>	yxw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 2, 0, 3>	yzxw;
Component<type_struct, 4, 1>	y;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 3, 0>	ywx;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 2, 3, 0>	yzwx;
Component<type_struct, 4, 2>	z;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 2, 3>	yzw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 3, 0, 2>	ywxz;
Component<type_struct, 4, 3>	w;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 3, 2>	ywz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 3, 2, 0>	ywzx;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 0, 1>	xy;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 0, 1>	zxy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 0, 1, 3>	zxyw;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 0, 2>	xz;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 1, 0>	zyx;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 0, 3, 1>	zxwy;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 0, 3>	xw;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 0, 3>	zxw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 1, 0, 3>	zyxw;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 1, 0>	yx;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 3, 0>	zwx;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 1, 3, 0>	zywx;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 1, 2>	yz;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 1, 3>	zyw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 3, 0, 1>	zwxzy;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 1, 3>	yw;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 3, 1>	zwy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 2, 3, 1, 0>	zwyx;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 2, 0>	zx;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 0, 1>	wxy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 0, 1, 2>	wxyz;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 2, 1>	zy;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 1, 0>	wyx;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 0, 2, 1>	wxzy;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 2, 3>	zw;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 0, 2>	wxz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 1, 0, 2>	wyxz;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 3, 0>	wx;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 2, 0>	wzx;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 1, 2, 0>	wyzx;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 3, 1>	wy;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 1, 2>	wyz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 2, 0, 1>	wzxy;
Subvec2D<type_struct, 4, 3, 2>	wz;	Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 2, 1>	wzy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 3, 2, 1, 0>	wzyx;
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 1, 2>	xyz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 1, 2, 3>	xyzw;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 2, 1>	xzy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 1, 3, 2>	xywz;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 1, 3>	xyw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 2, 1, 3>	xzyw;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 3, 1>	xwy;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 2, 3, 1>	xzwy;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 2, 3>	xzw;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 3, 1, 2>	xwyz;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 3, 2>	xwz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 0, 3, 2, 1>	xwzy;		
Subvec3D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 0, 2>	yxz;	Subvec4D<type_struct, anti, 4, 1, 0, 2, 3>	yxzw;		
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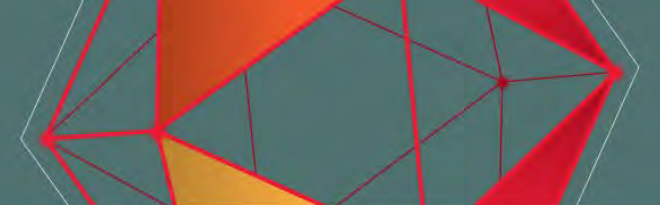




Repeated Components

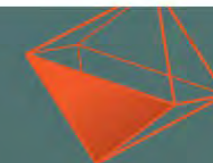
- Rarely useful (I've never needed them)
- Adds a lot more members to union
- Don't want them to be assignable
- Declare them **const** in the union

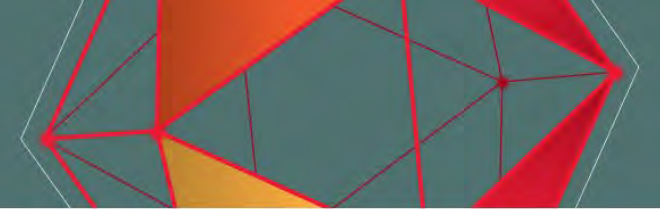




Final Types

- Components and subvectors are generally internal implementation
- Rest of code doesn't need to know about them
- Use high-level classes for specific mathematical types



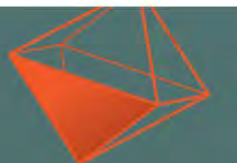


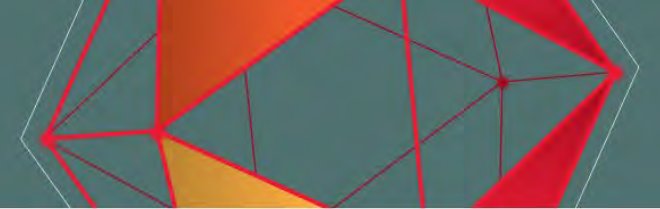
Final Types

```
class Vector2D : public Vec2D<TypeVector2D>
class Vector3D : public Vec3D<TypeVector3D, false>
class Vector4D : public Vec4D<TypeVector4D, false>
class Bivector3D : public Vec3D<TypeBivector3D, true>
class Trivector4D : public Vec4D<TypeTrivector4D, true>

class Point3D : public Vector3D

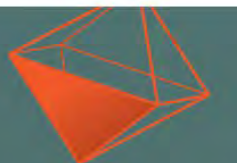
class Integer2D : public Vec2D<TypeInteger2D>
class Integer3D : public Vec2D<TypeInteger3D>
```

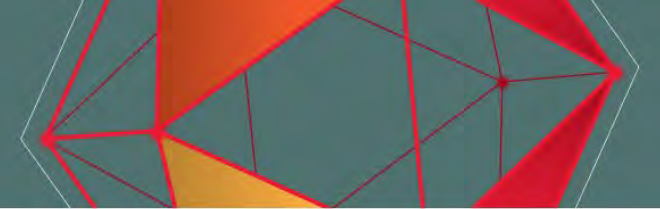




Antivector Type Structure Example

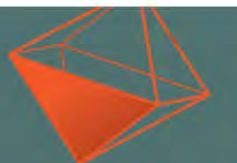
```
struct TypeTrivector4D
{
    typedef float component_type;
    typedef Vector2D vector2D_type;
    typedef Bivector3D vector3D_type;
    typedef Trivector4D vector4D_type;
};
```

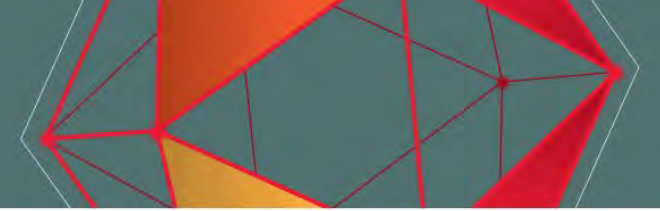




Matrices

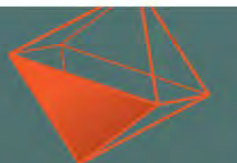
- We can extend same concepts to matrices
- Subvectors can be used to extract rows and columns
 - Then they can be used in expressions without any copying going on
 - Compiler generates new functions to access components in the right places

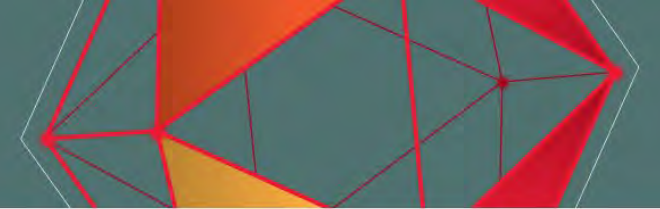




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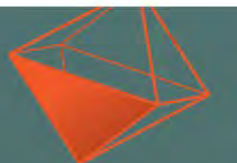
- Submatrices of lower dimension can be extracted
 - Only one I've ever used is 3×3 upper-left part of a 4×4 matrix
 - Submatrix just indexes components inside larger matrix, so no copying

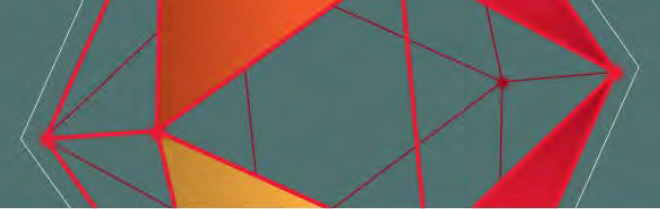




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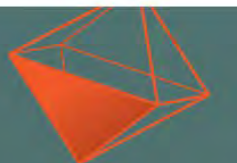
- We can “swizzle” a matrix to turn it into its transpose
 - Again, no copying
 - And compiler generates new functions to perform operations on transposed matrix

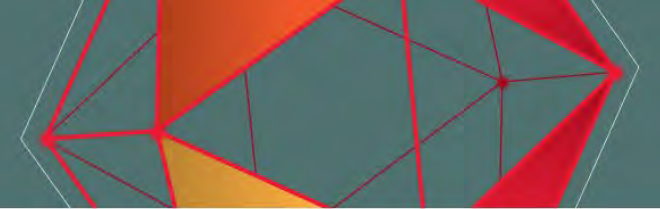




3D Submatrix Template

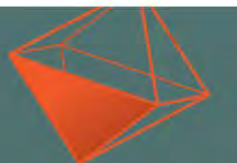
- Abstraction of 3×3 submatrix
- Type struct is one template parameter
- Entry locations defined by 9 more template parameters

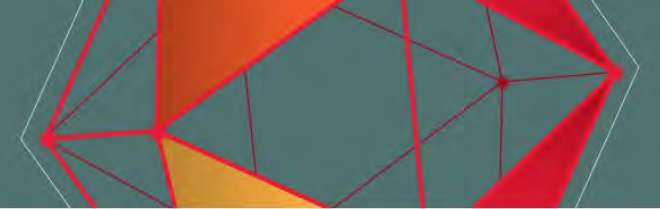




Submat3D Template

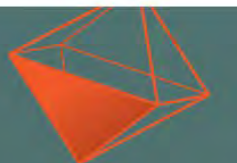
```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_00, int index_01,  
        int index_02, int index_10, int index_11, int index_12,  
        int index_20, int index_21, int index_22>  
class Submat3D  
{  
    public:  
  
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;  
    typedef typename type_struct::matrix3D_type matrix3D_type;  
  
    component_type      data[count];  
    ...
```





Submat4D Template

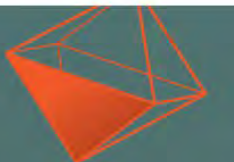
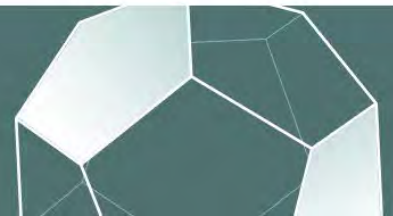
```
template <typename type_struct, int count, int index_00, int index_01, int index_02,  
        int index_03, int index_10, int index_11, int index_12, int index_13,  
        int index_20, int index_21, int index_22, int index_23, int index_30,  
        int index_31, int index_32, int index_33>  
class Submat4D  
{  
    public:  
  
    typedef typename type_struct::component_type component_type;  
    typedef typename type_struct::matrix4D_type matrix4D_type;  
  
    component_type    data[count];  
    ...  
};
```

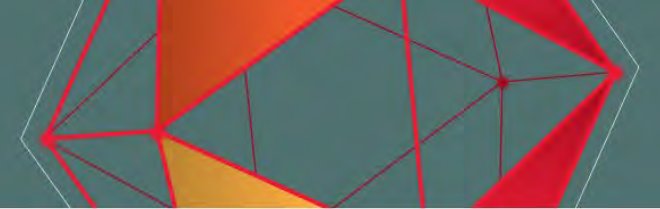




Unions

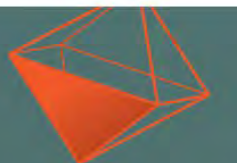
- Same concept as with vectors
- Holds all individual entries
- Holds set of columns and rows
- Holds submatrices, if needed
- Holds transpose

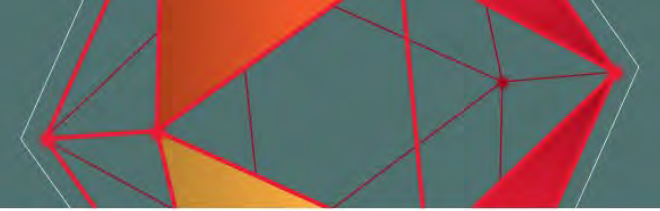




Columns and Rows

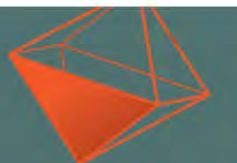
- Columns are vectors
- Rows are antivectors
- This is reflected in subvector types





Matrix Rows

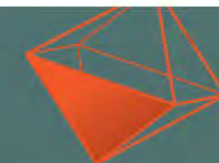
- Noncontiguous components
- Still behaves like ordinary antivectors to code doing operations with them
- Rows of 4×4 matrix are planes





Mat3D Union

```
Component<type_struct, 9, 0>
Component<type_struct, 9, 1>
Component<type_struct, 9, 2>
Component<type_struct, 9, 3>
Component<type_struct, 9, 4>
Component<type_struct, 9, 5>
Component<type_struct, 9, 6>
Component<type_struct, 9, 7>
Component<type_struct, 9, 8>
Subvec3D<column_type_struct, false, 9, 0, 1, 2>
Subvec3D<column_type_struct, false, 9, 3, 4, 5>
Subvec3D<column_type_struct, false, 9, 6, 7, 8>
Subvec3D<row_type_struct, true, 9, 0, 3, 6>
Subvec3D<row_type_struct, true, 9, 1, 4, 7>
Subvec3D<row_type_struct, true, 9, 2, 5, 8>
Submat3D<type_struct, 9, 0, 3, 6, 1, 4, 7, 2, 5, 8>
Submat3D<type_struct, 9, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8>
m00;
m10;
m20;
m01;
m11;
m21;
m02;
m12;
m22;
col0;
col1;
col2;
row0;
row1;
row2;
matrix;
transpose;
```





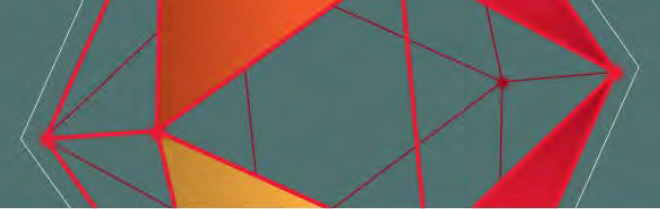
Mat4D Union

```

Component<type_struct, 16, 0>    m00;    Subvec4D<column_type_struct, false, 16, 0, 1, 2, 3>    col0;
Component<type_struct, 16, 1>    m10;    Subvec4D<column_type_struct, false, 16, 4, 5, 6, 7>    col1;
Component<type_struct, 16, 2>    m20;    Subvec4D<column_type_struct, false, 16, 8, 9, 10, 11>   col2;
Component<type_struct, 16, 3>    m30;    Subvec4D<column_type_struct, false, 16, 12, 13, 14, 15> col3;
Component<type_struct, 16, 4>    m01;    Subvec4D<row_type_struct, true, 16, 0, 4, 8, 12>       row0;
Component<type_struct, 16, 5>    m11;    Subvec4D<row_type_struct, true, 16, 1, 5, 9, 13>       row1;
Component<type_struct, 16, 6>    m21;    Subvec4D<row_type_struct, true, 16, 2, 6, 10, 14>      row2;
Component<type_struct, 16, 7>    m31;    Subvec4D<row_type_struct, true, 16, 3, 7, 11, 15>      row3;
Component<type_struct, 16, 8>    m02;    Submat3D<type_struct, 16, 0, 4, 8, 1, 5, 9, 2, 6, 10>  matrix3D;
Component<type_struct, 16, 9>    m12;    Submat3D<type_struct, 16, 0, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 10>  transpose3D;
Component<type_struct, 16, 10>   m22;
Component<type_struct, 16, 11>   m32;    Submat4D<type_struct, 16, 0, 4, 8, 12, 1, 5, 9, 13,
Component<type_struct, 16, 12>   m03;    2, 6, 10, 14, 3, 7, 11, 15>                          matrix;
Component<type_struct, 16, 13>   m13;    Submat4D<type_struct, 16, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7,
Component<type_struct, 16, 14>   m23;    8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15>                          transpose;
Component<type_struct, 16, 15>   m33;

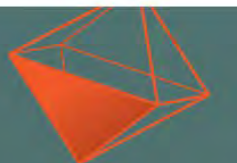
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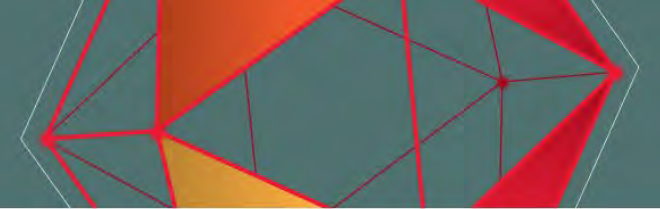




Final Types

- As with vectors, details of submatrices and subvectors are internal
- Application works with high-level classes



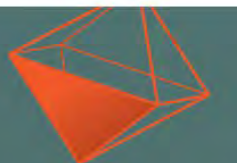


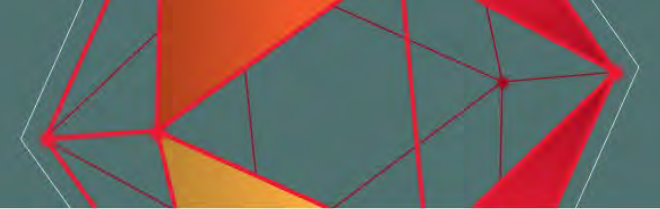
Final Types

```
class Matrix3D : public Mat3D<TypeMatrix3D>
```

```
class Matrix4D : public Mat4D<TypeMatrix4D>
```

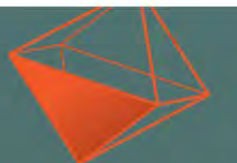
```
class Transform4D : public Matrix4D
```

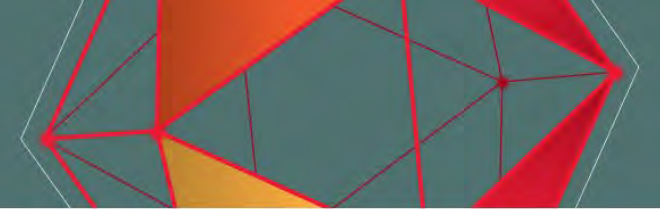




Matrix Type Struct

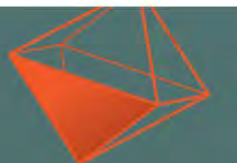
- Contains component type
- Contains high-level matrix type for conversions
- Contains type structs for columns and rows
 - Used by subvector representations

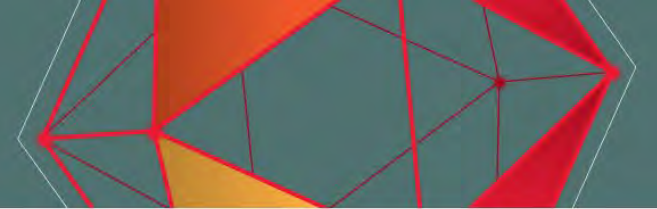




Matrix Type Structs

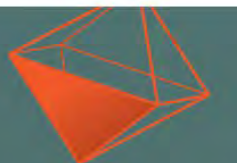
```
struct TypeMatrix3D
{
    typedef float component_type;
    typedef Matrix3D matrix3D_type;
    typedef TypeVector3D column_type_struct;
    typedef TypeBivector3D row_type_struct;
};
```

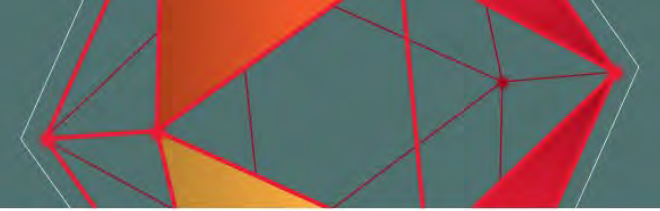




Matrix Type Structs

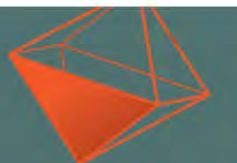
```
struct TypeMatrix4D
{
    typedef float component_type;
    typedef Matrix3D matrix3D_type;
    typedef Matrix4D matrix4D_type;
    typedef TypeVector4D column_type_struct;
    typedef TypeTrivector4D row_type_struct;
};
```

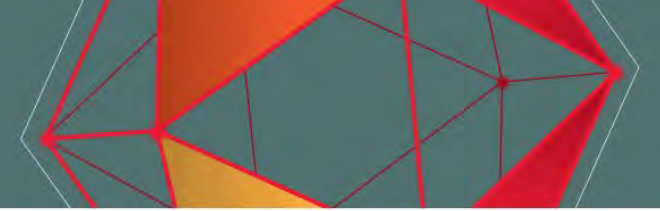




Matrix Operations

- Matrix-matrix products and matrix-vector products defined in terms of submatrices and subvectors
- Compiler can generate specialized functions for any swizzled combinations





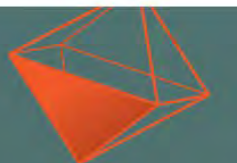
Normal Transformation

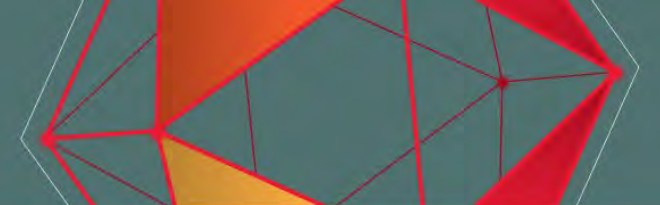
- Remember when \mathbf{M} is orthogonal

$$\mathbf{n}' = \mathbf{n}\mathbf{M}^{-1} = \mathbf{n}\mathbf{M}^T$$

- We can do this without making copy:

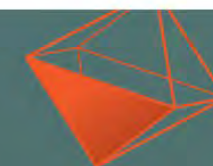
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n2 = n1 * m.transpose;
```





Matrix Operations

- Could just declare matrix-matrix product in header file
 - 36 template parameters!
- Then define product in .cpp file
- Explicitly instantiate for unswizzled matrices and transposes





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