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## 3D Shape Asymmetry Analysis Using Correspondence Between Partial Geodesic Curves

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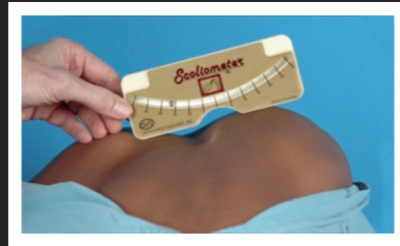
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## General focus:

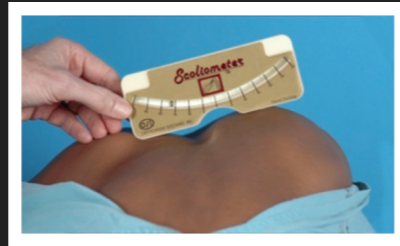
- Intrinsic symmetry of partial shape data
- 3D shape analysis with local asymmetries



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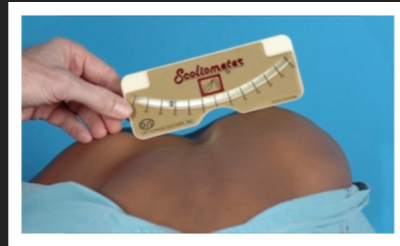


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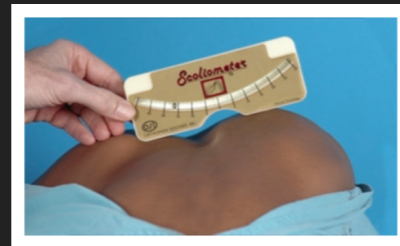
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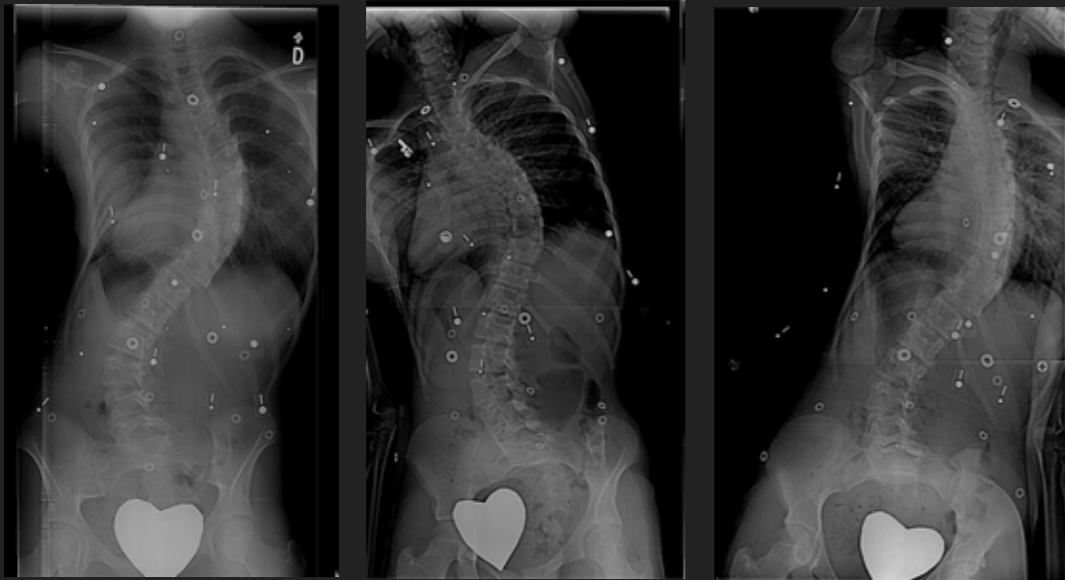
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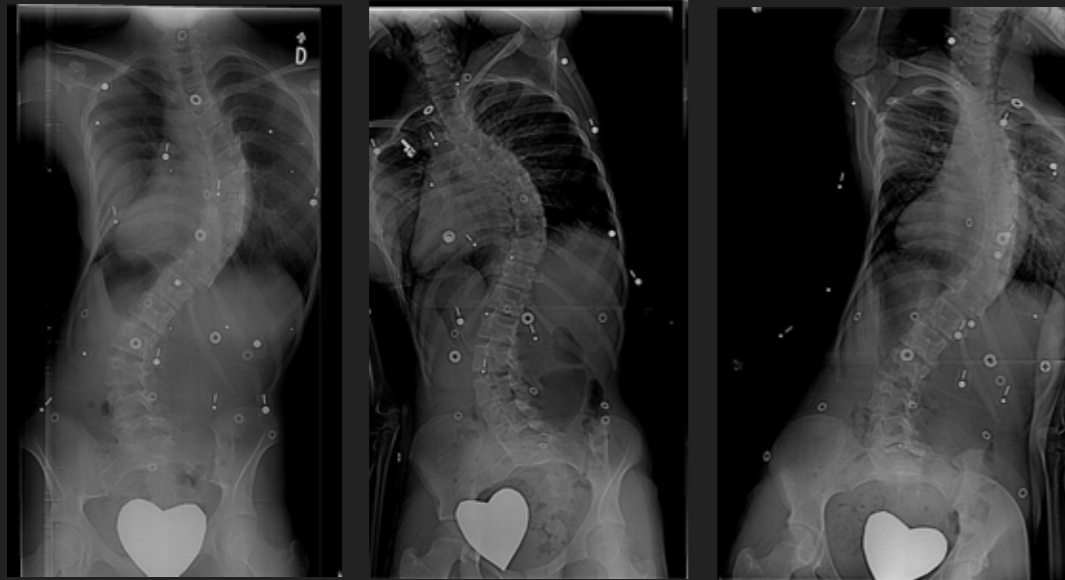
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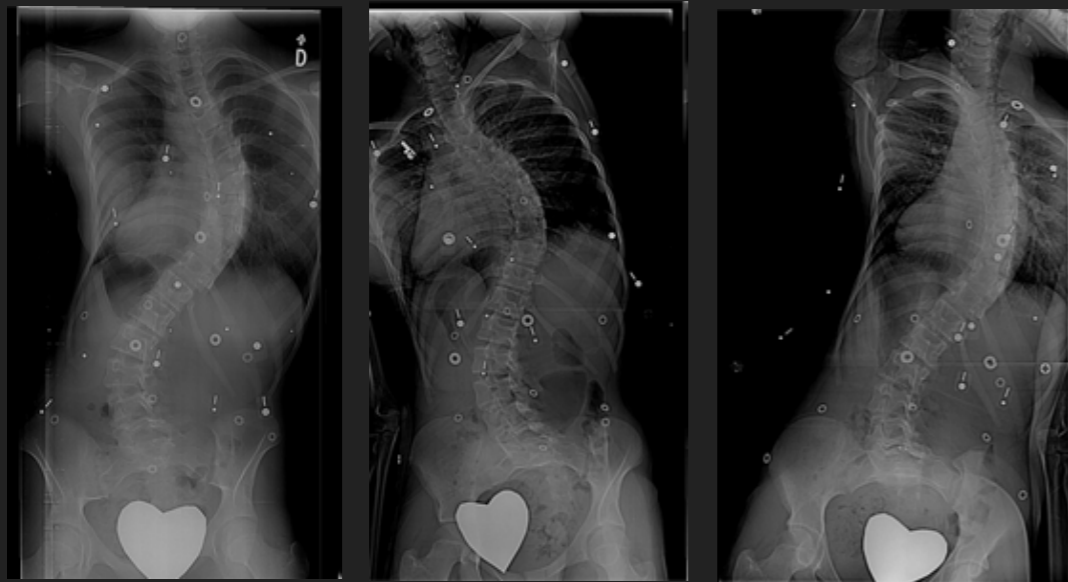
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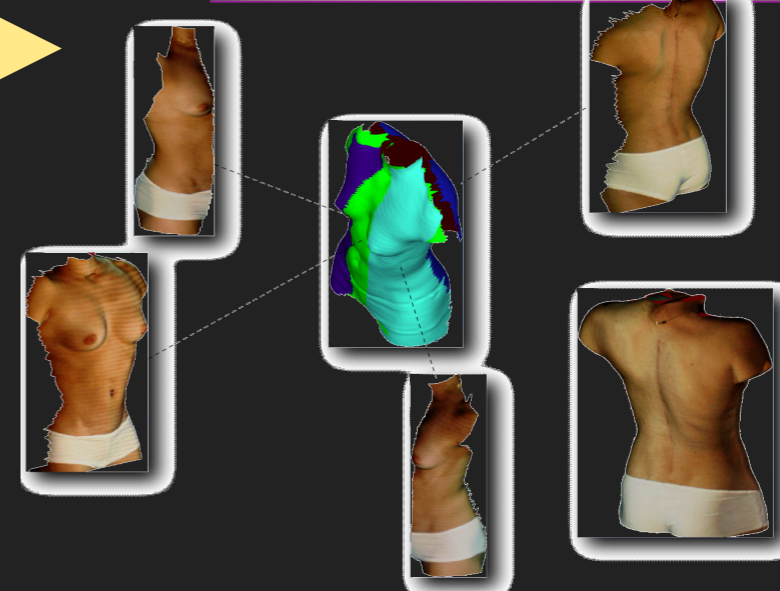
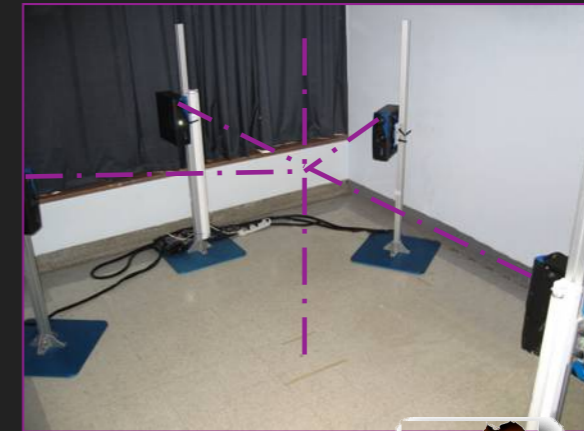


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**Improvement:** topographic +  
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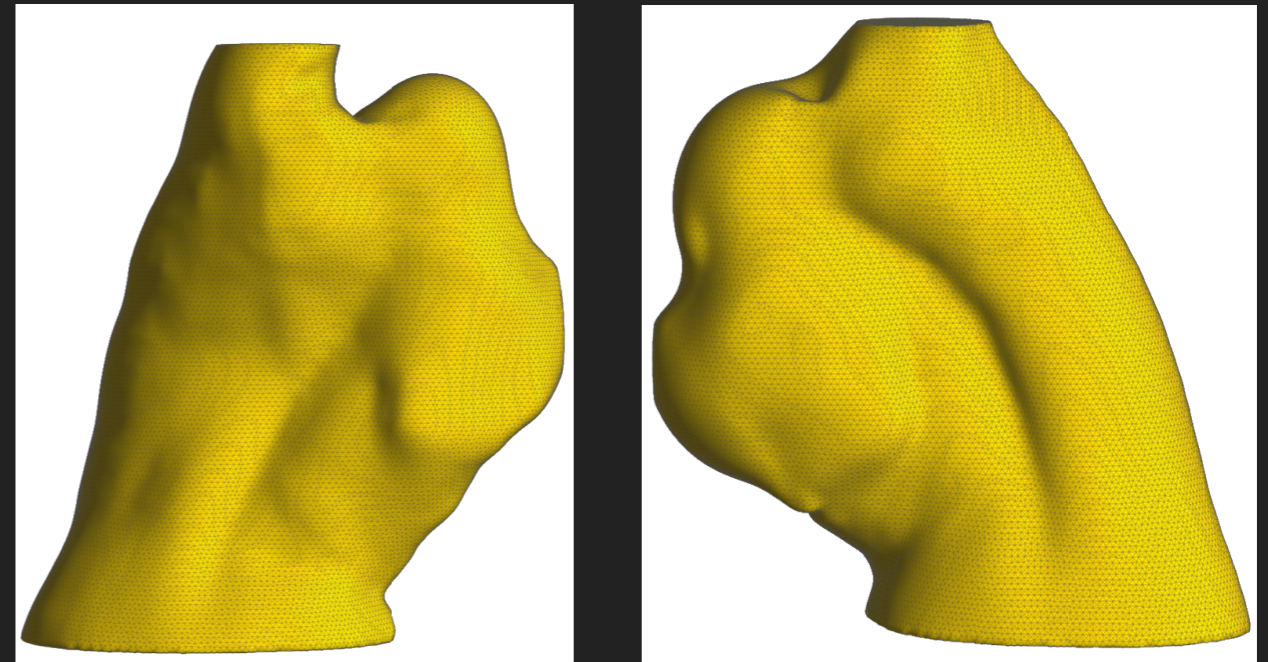
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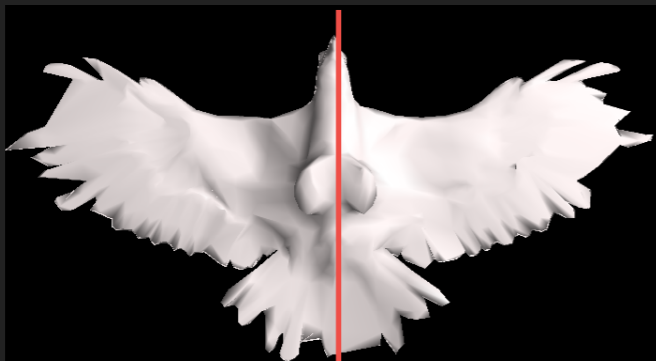
Main challenges:

- ▶ Truncated parts of the body.
- ▶ Non-rigid deformations.



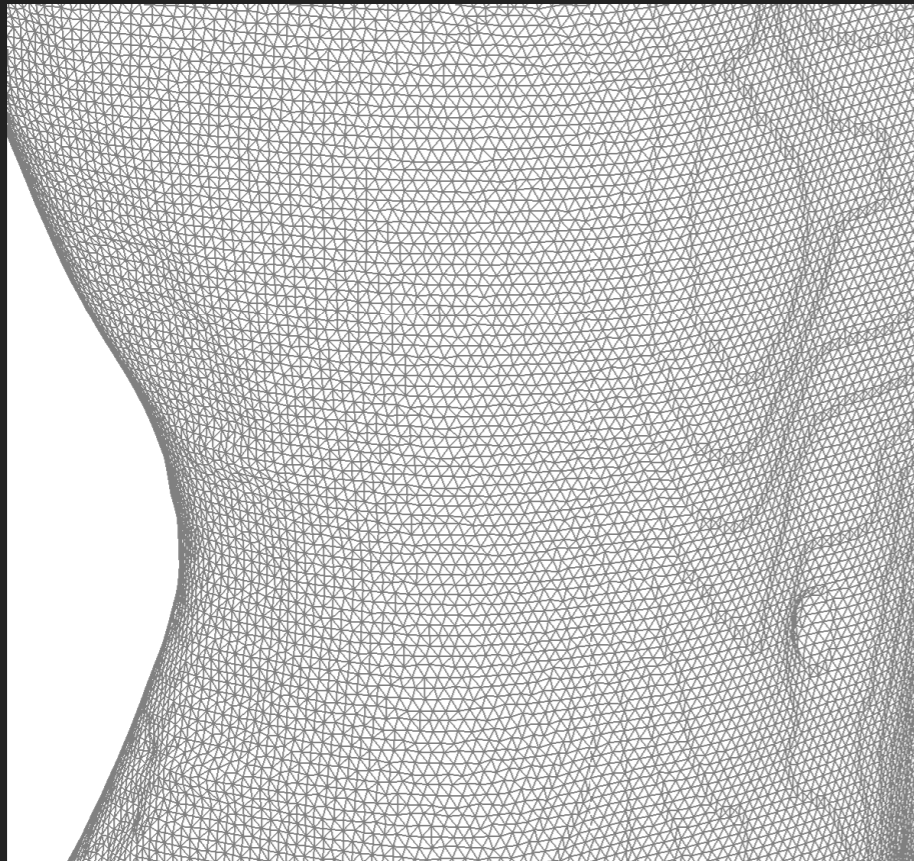
**How can we analyse the 3D shape asymmetry of the deformable scoliotic torsos under pose changes?**

- Most natural shapes have a degree of symmetry.
- The Detection of the global symmetry allows analyzing the local differences between corresponding parts (organs).



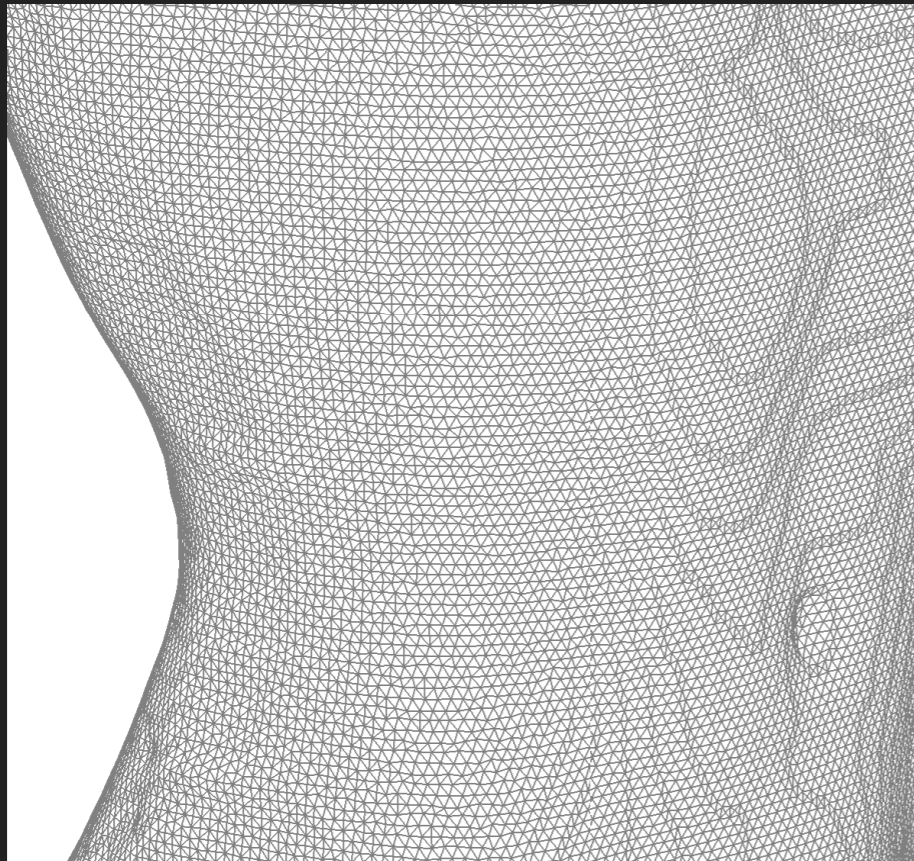
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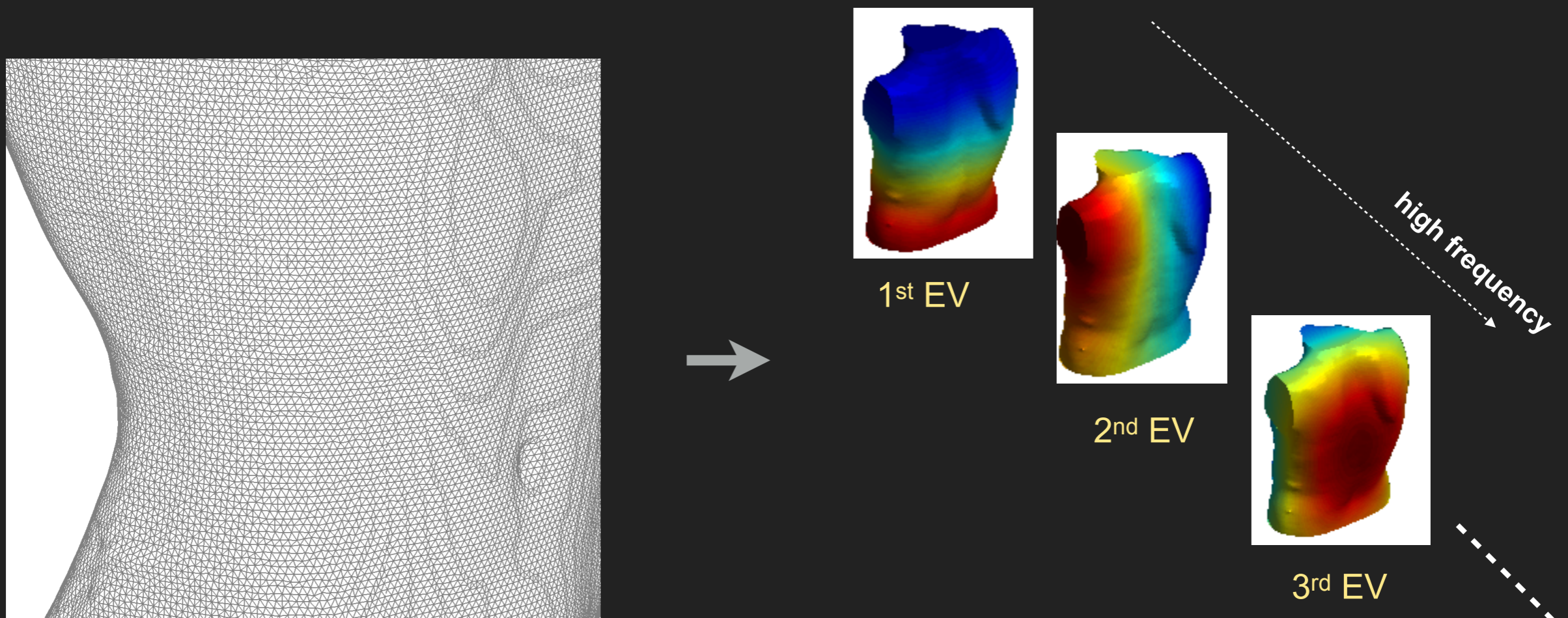
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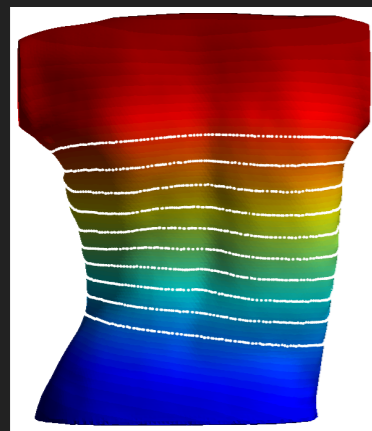
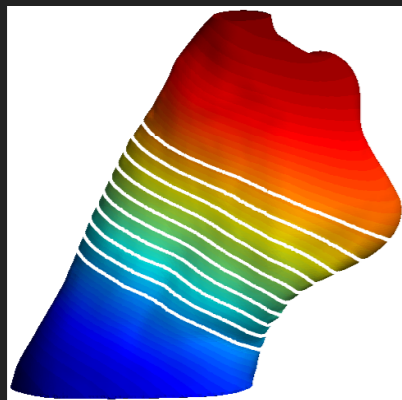
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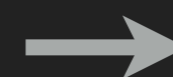
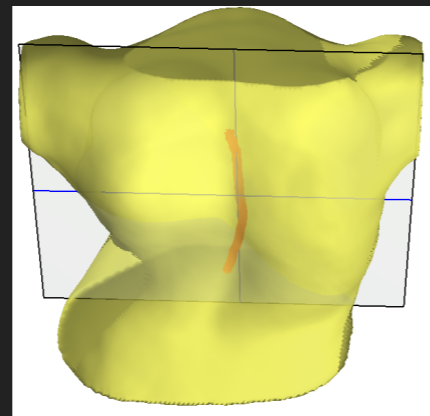
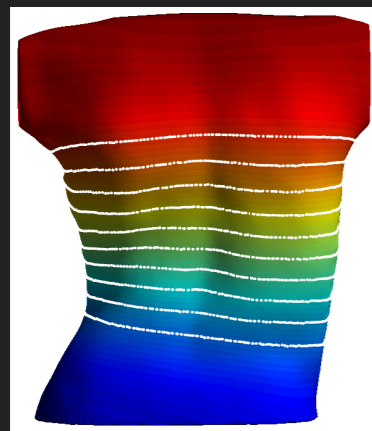
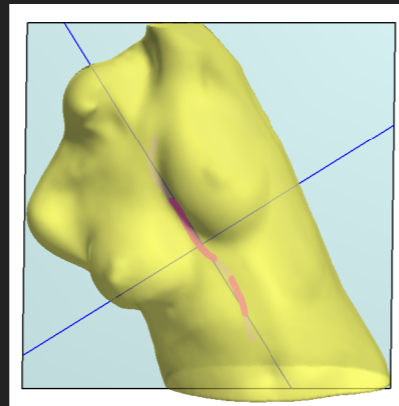
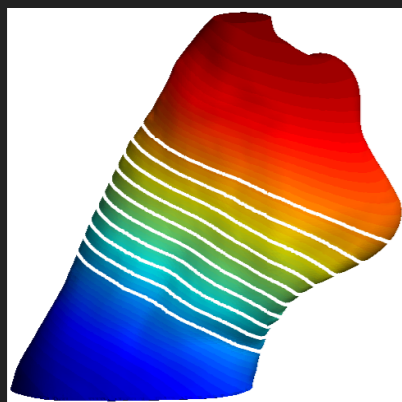
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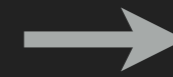
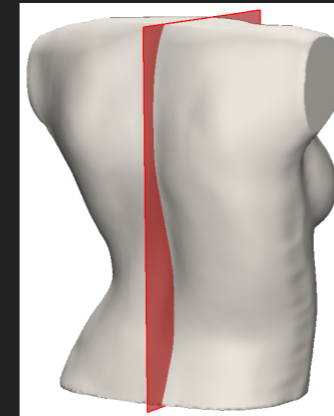
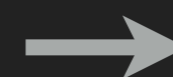
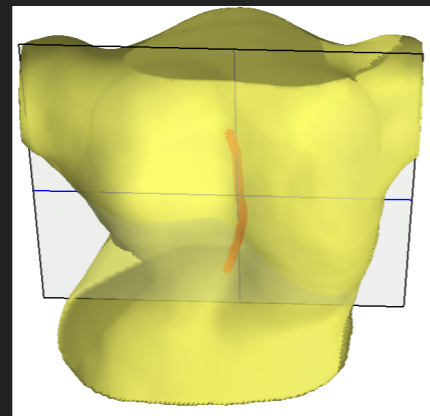
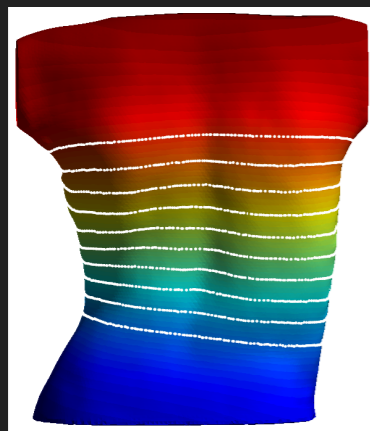
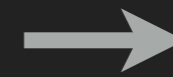
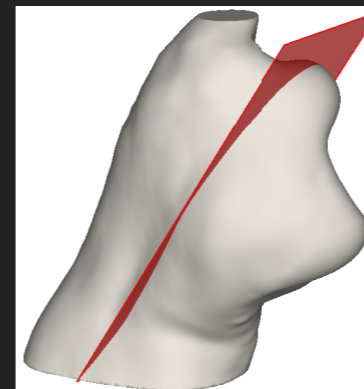
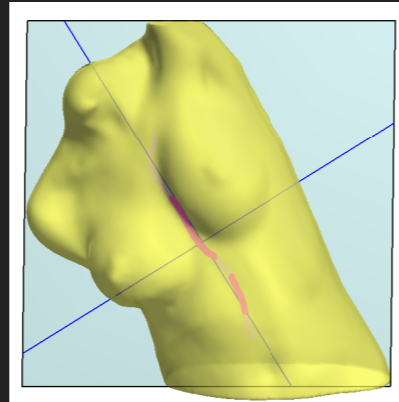
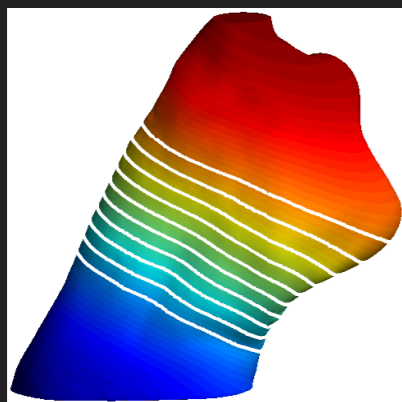
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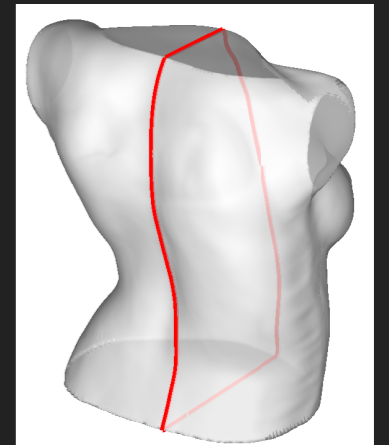
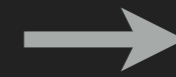
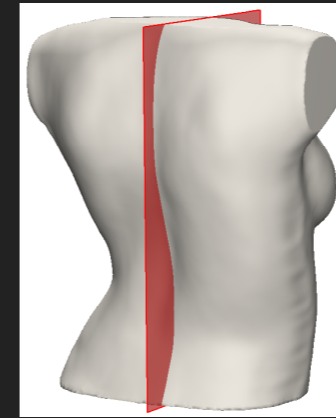
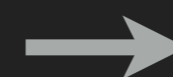
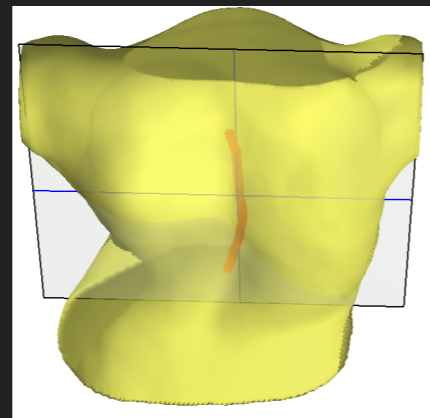
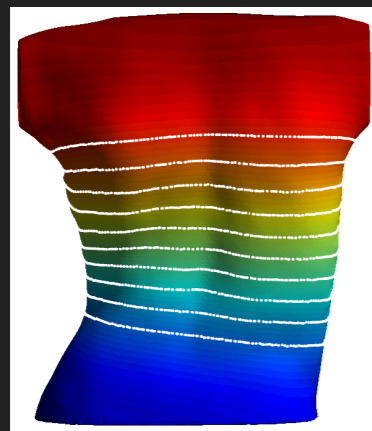
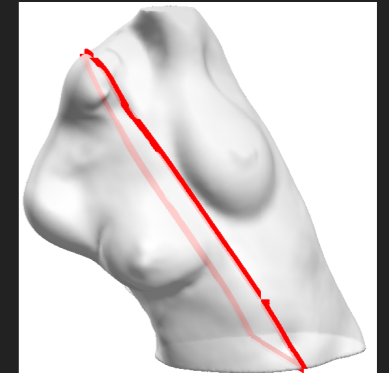
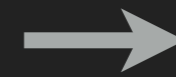
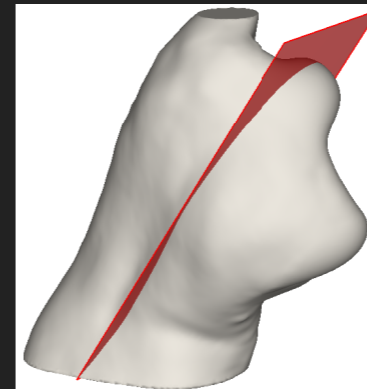
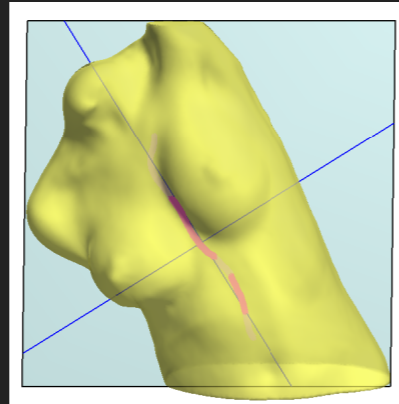
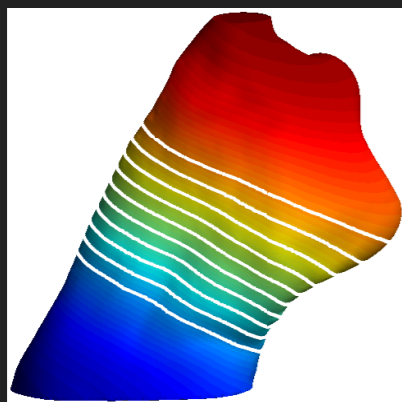


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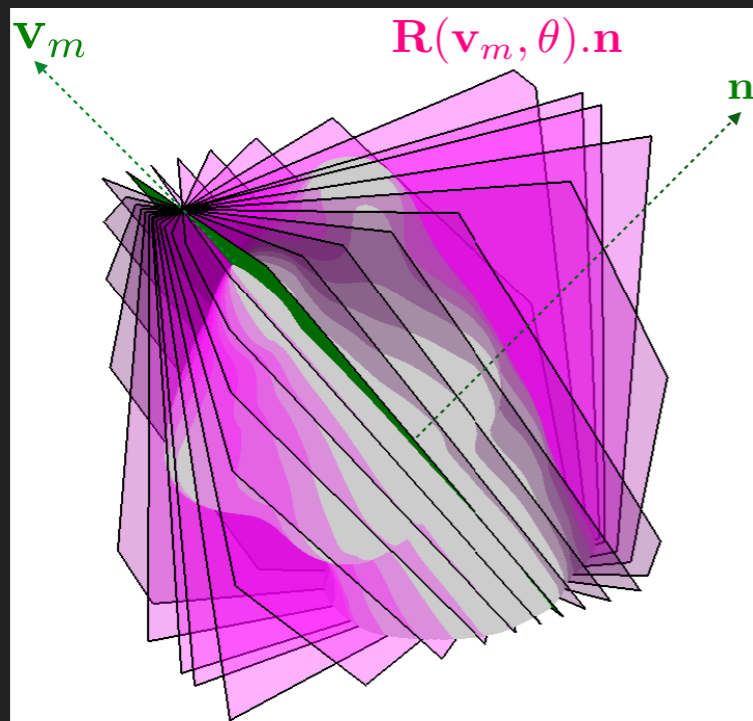
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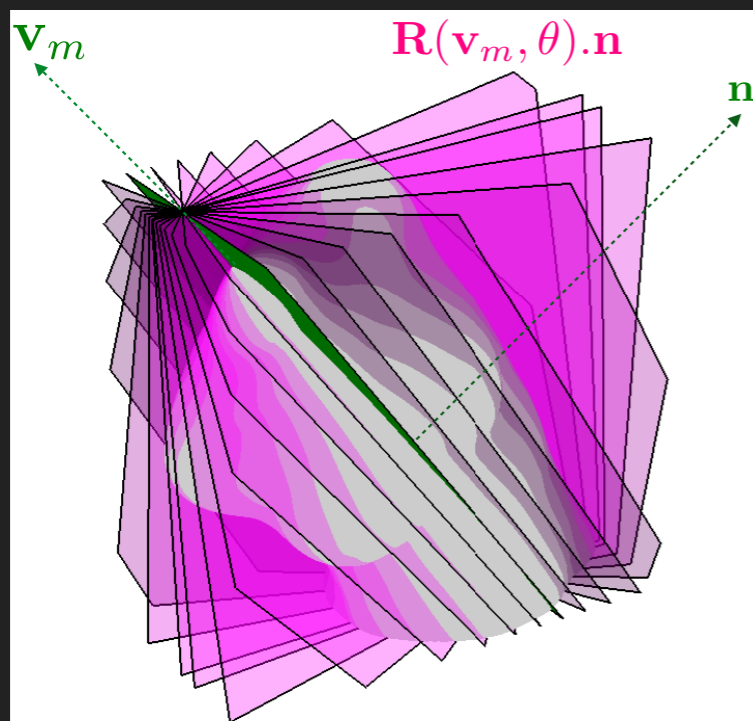


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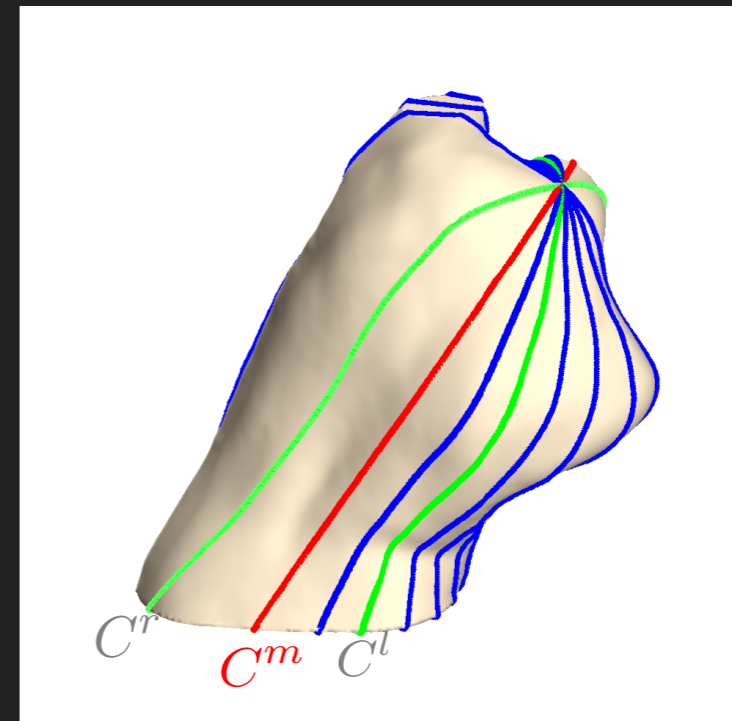
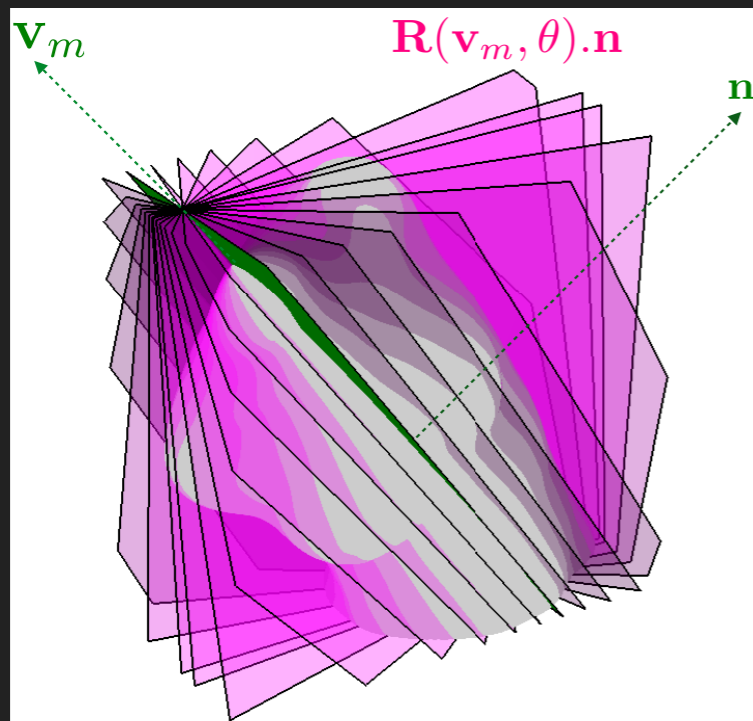


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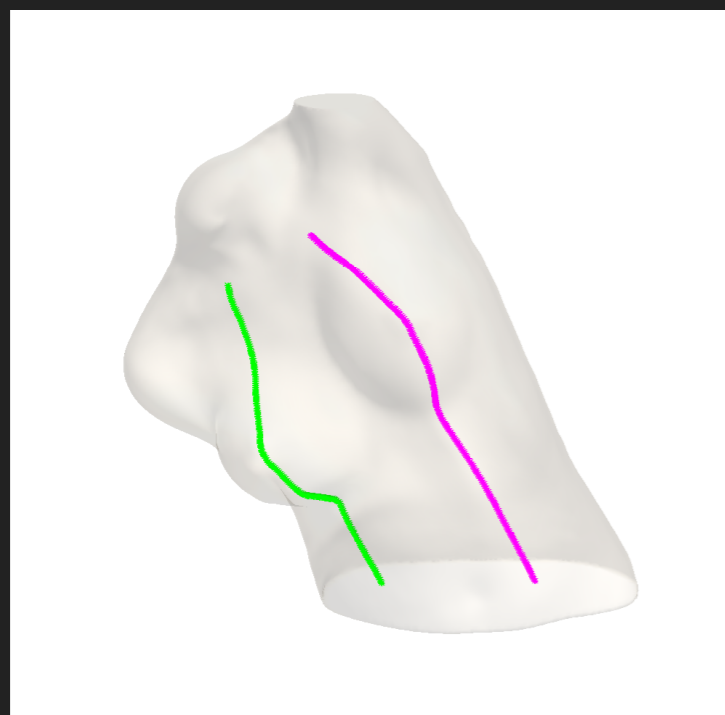
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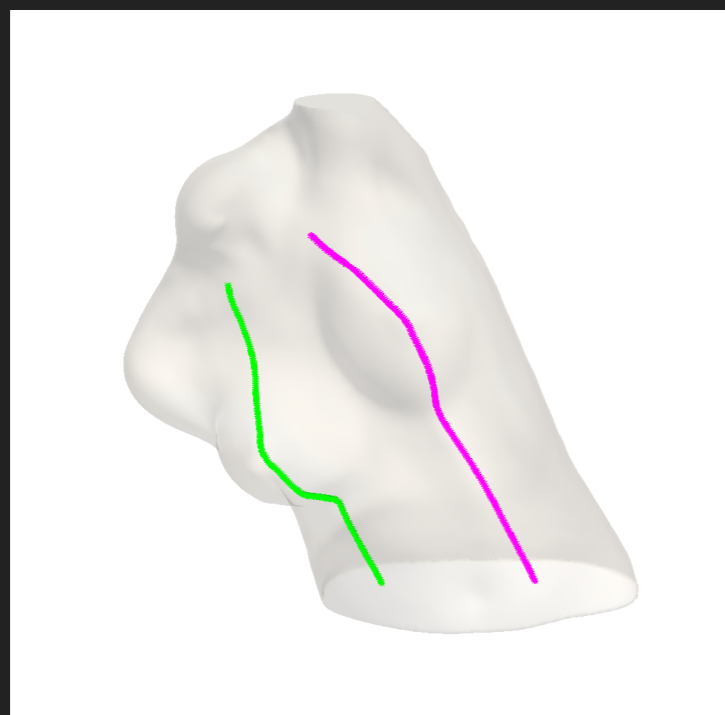


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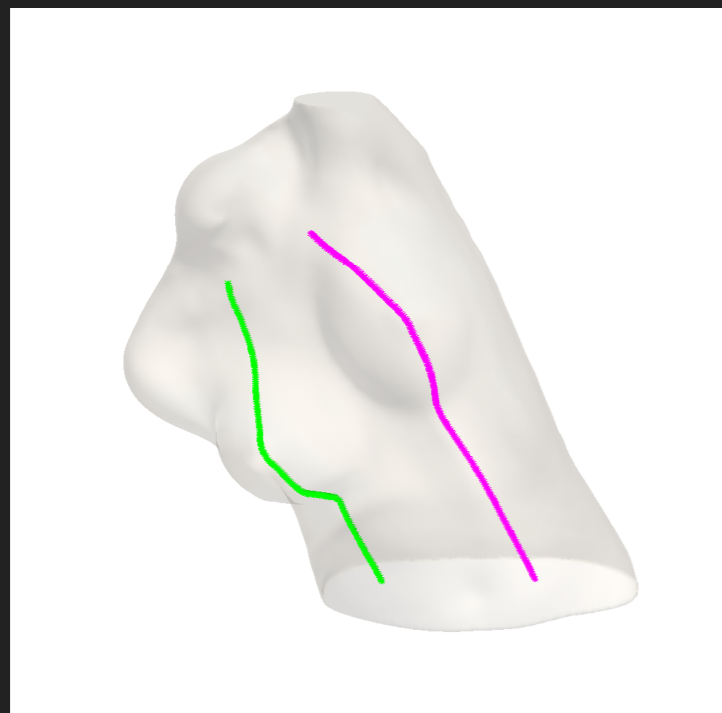
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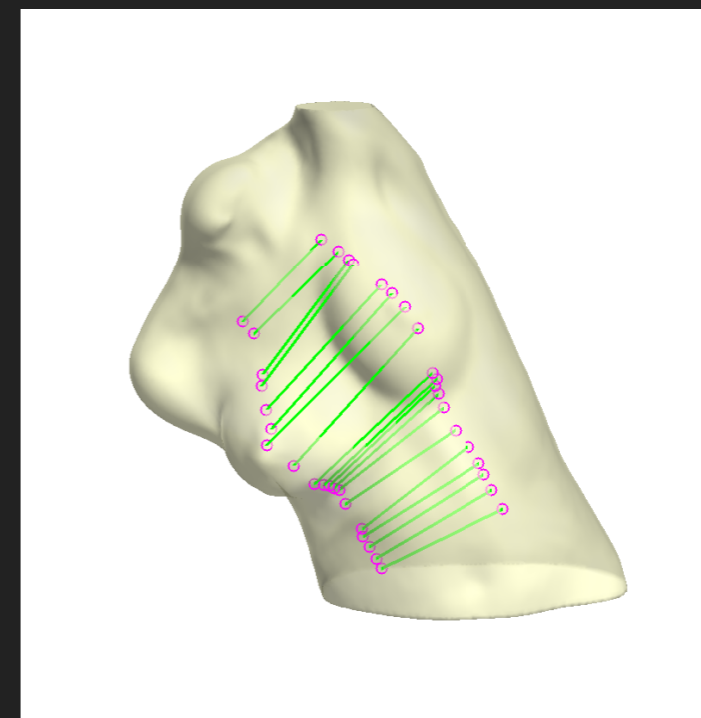


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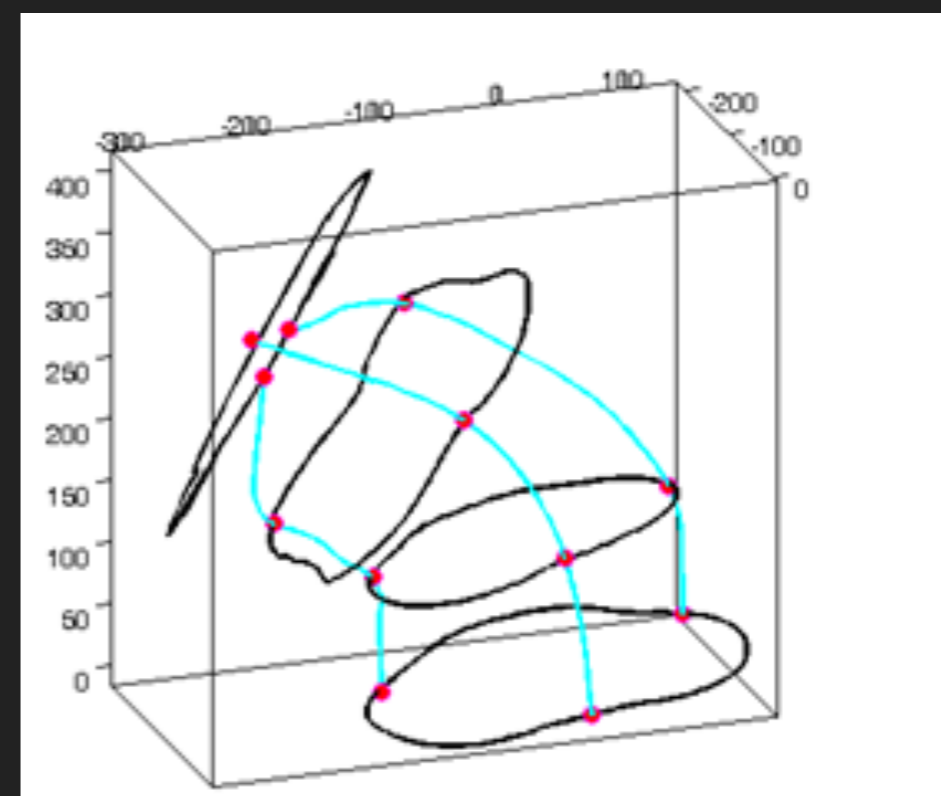
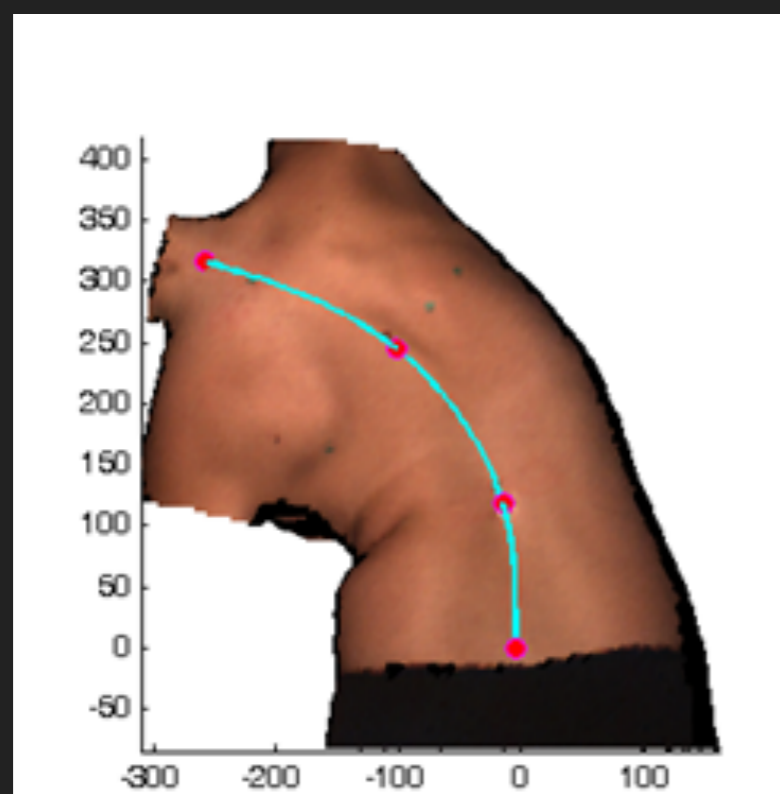
CPD Algorithm



A. Myronenko and X. Song, "Point set registration: Coherent point drift," IEEE Transactions on Pattern Analysis and Machine Intelligence, vol. 32, no. 12, pp. 2262–2275, 2010

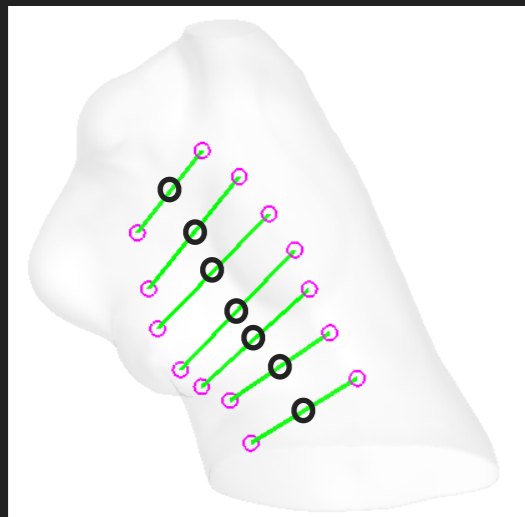
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## Application:

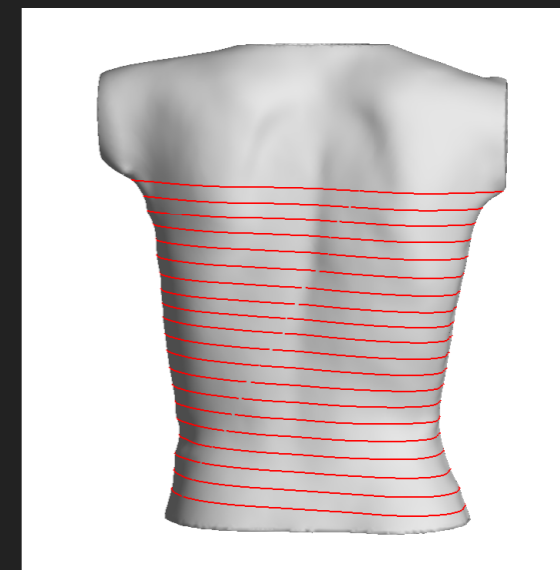
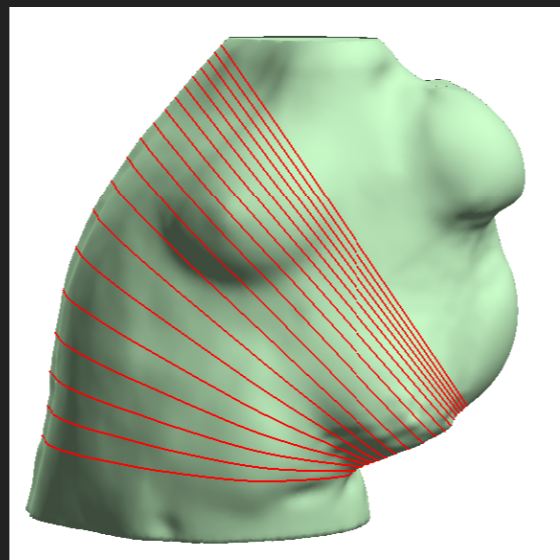
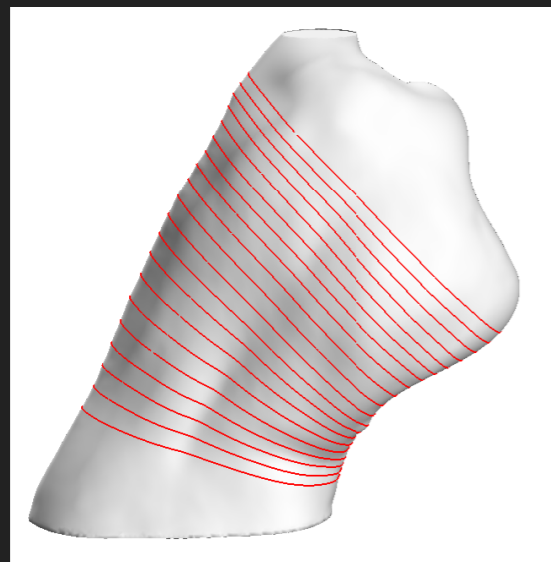
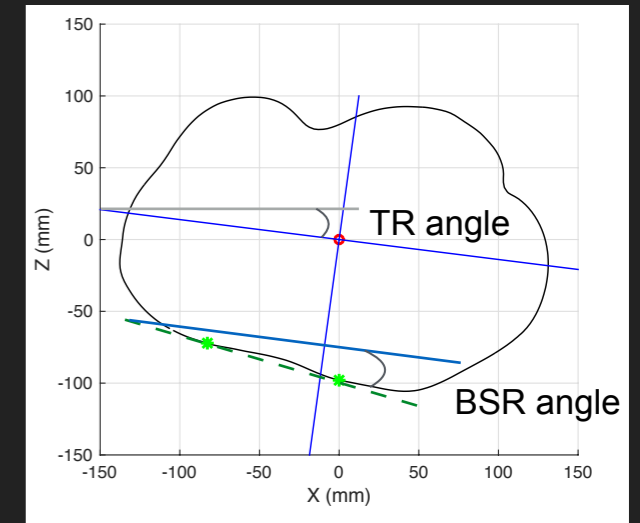


**Intrinsic contour levels (cross-sections) from which indices of asymmetry can be extracted.**

## ▶ Extraction of intrinsic shape contours of the deformable human torsos



Two corresponding points on the anterior side  
+  
middle point on the back side



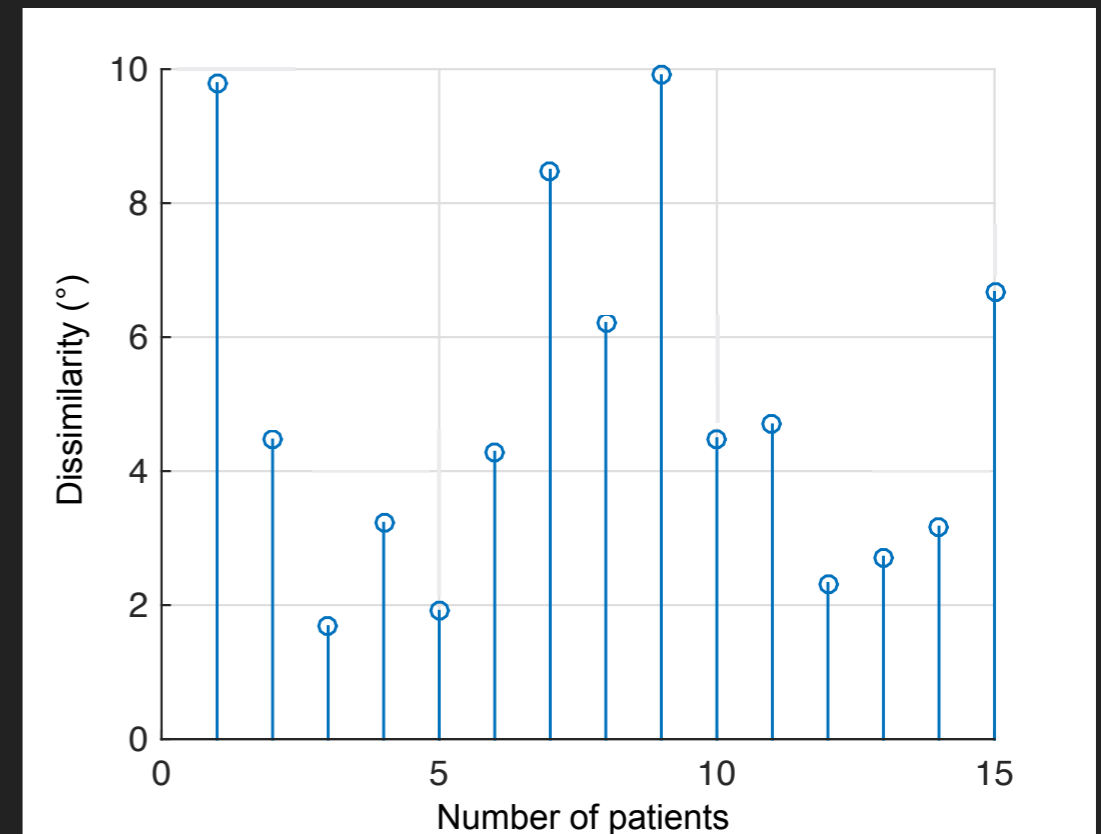
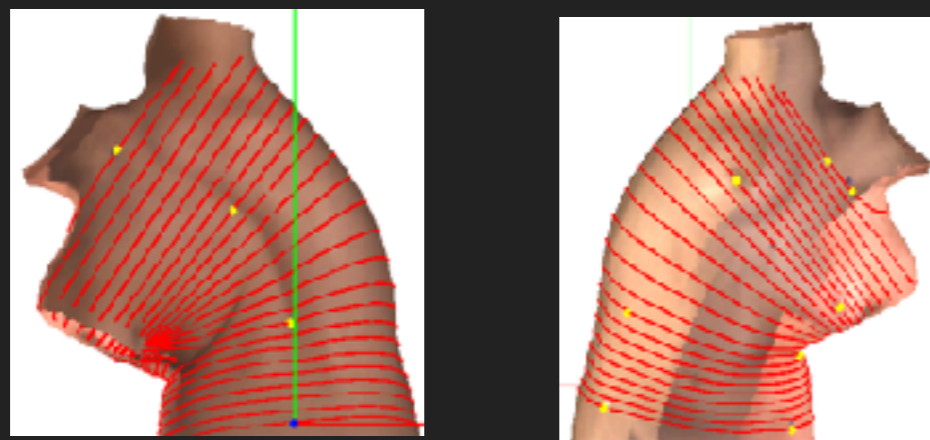
## ► Comparison between the proposed and baseline approaches

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15 scoliotic torsos each undergoes different pose.

- Baseline approach:

Semi-automatic based on landmarks.



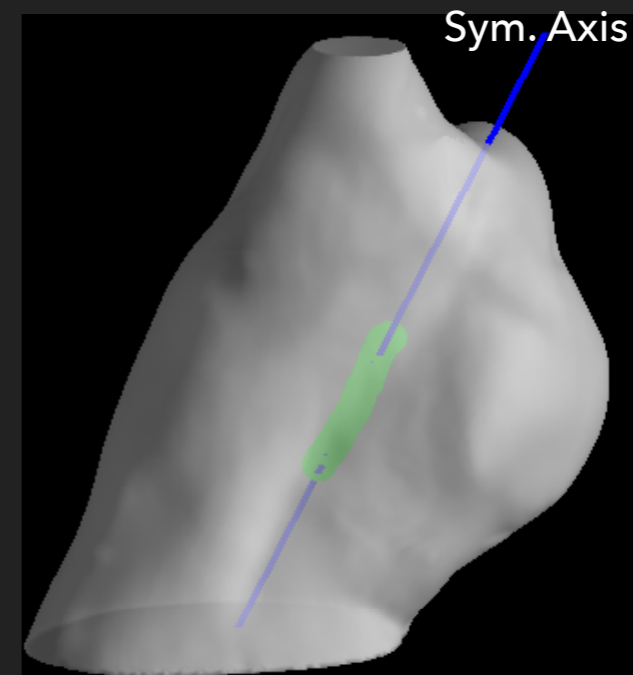
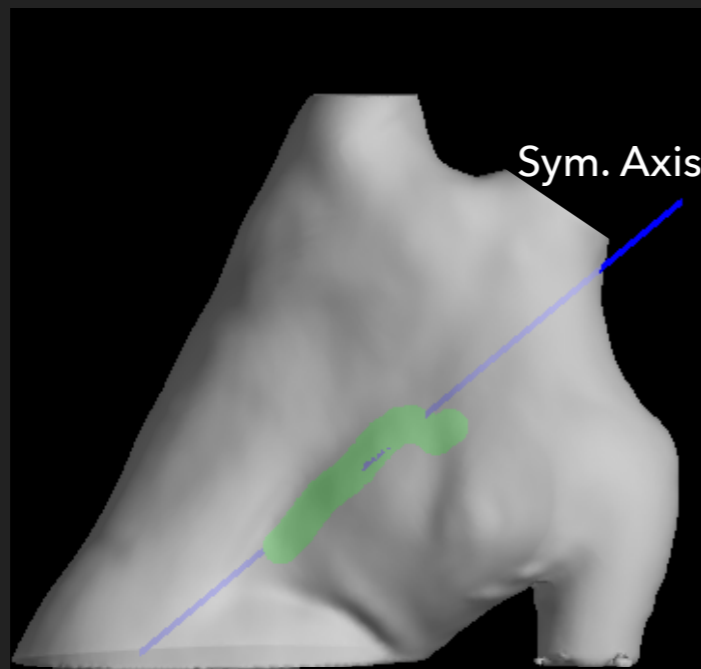
Dissimilarity criteria:  $|\bar{\theta} - \bar{\theta}_b|$

$$\bar{\theta} = \frac{1}{\#levels} \sum_{\#levels} TR$$



Philippe Debanné, Valérie Pazos, Hubert Labelle, and Farida Chriet, "Evaluation of reducibility of trunk asymmetry in lateral bending," Stud Health Technol Inform, vol. 158, pp. 72–77, 2010.

Challenging examples:



Failure in the global symmetry detection under extreme deformations

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