

Tangible Lenses, Touch & Tilt: 3D Interaction with Multiple Displays

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Motivation

Interacting with 3D content **ON** multitouch devices

- Size limited, large surfaces rarely supported
- Reachability limited for large displays
- Rarely support of multiple users

[Hancock et al. ITS 2009]



[Reisman et al. UIST 2009]

[Yu et al. TVCG 2010]

Our Vision

Handheld Displays or Tangible Lenses

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**Large Displays
(Walls & Tabletops)**

for effective

Remote 3D Interaction

3D Interaction with Handheld Displays

1. Spatial device interaction (WITH-device interaction)

Tilting and moving the displays through space
With and without relation to the (remote) display

2. Surface interaction (ON-device interaction)

Multitouch input
Pen input

3. Both combined

See also earlier work, e.g. [Mine et al. 1997]



Handheld as Eyes-free Controller: Touch & Tilt Interaction

Throw & Tilt [Dachselt & Buchholz MEIS 2008]



Throw & Tilt & Touch [Dachselt & Buchholz CHI 2009]



Throw & Tilt & Touch [Dachselt & Buchholz CHI 2009]



Further Investigations (eyes free operation)

Concerning the mapping of

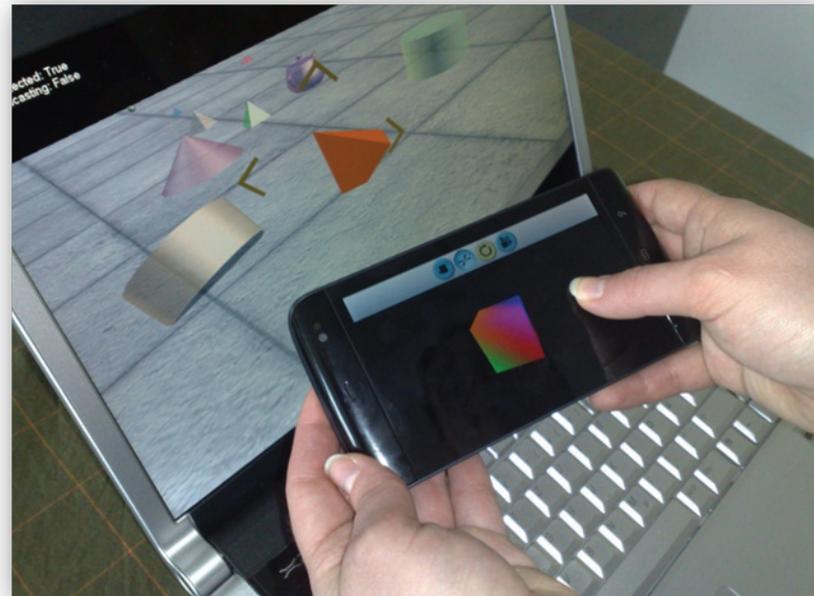
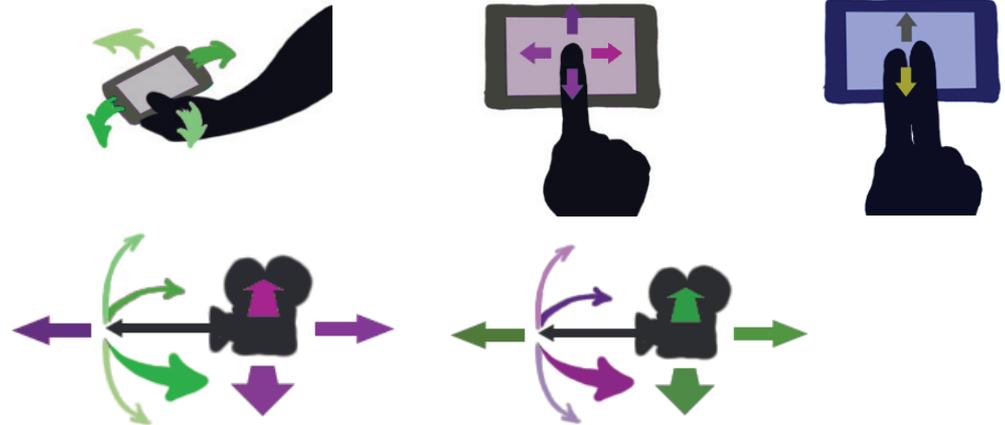
- Tilt &
- Touch events

to camera

- Orientation
- Position

to object

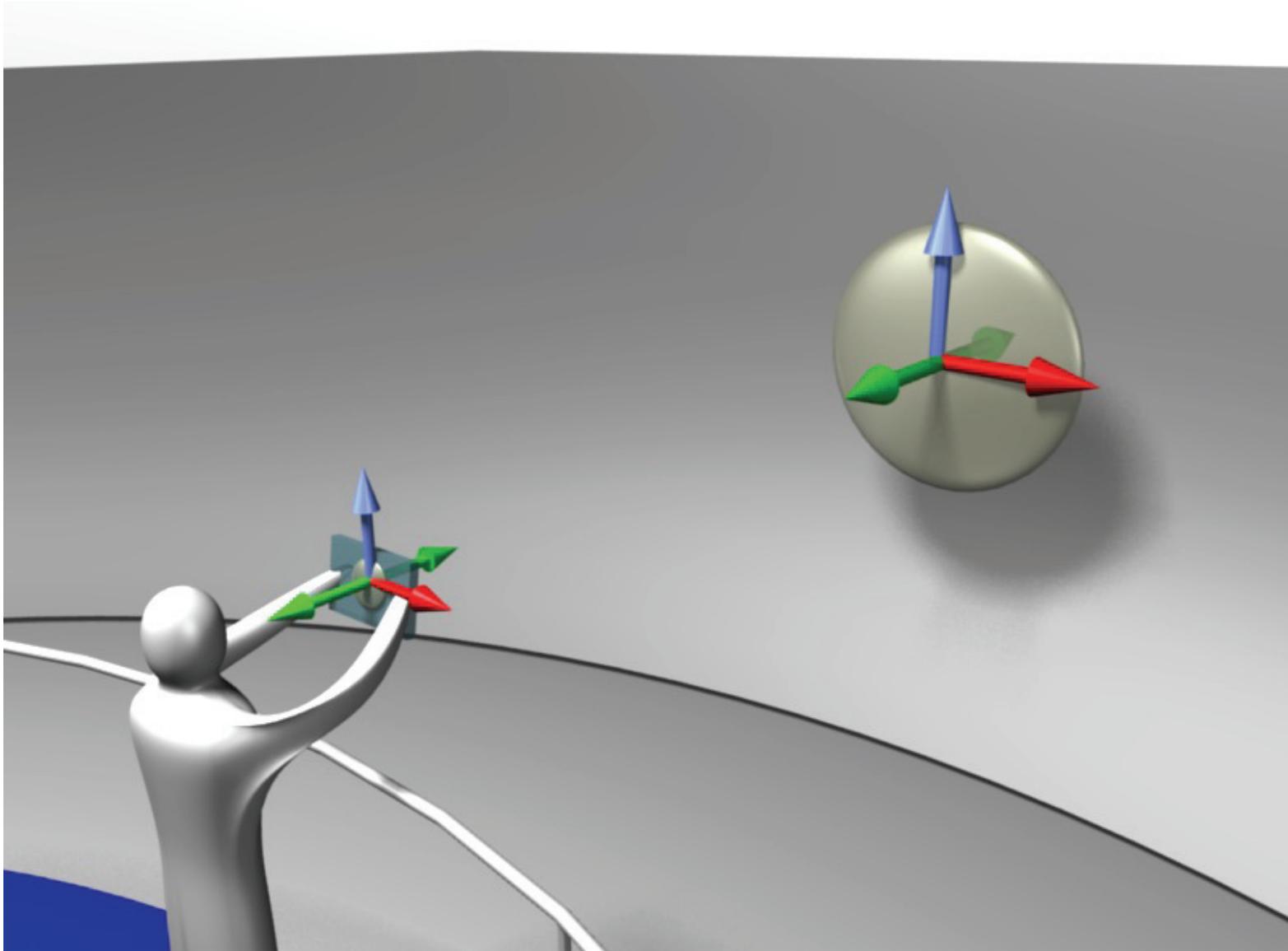
- Rotation
- Translation
- Scaling





Handheld as Movable Display

Coordinate Systems



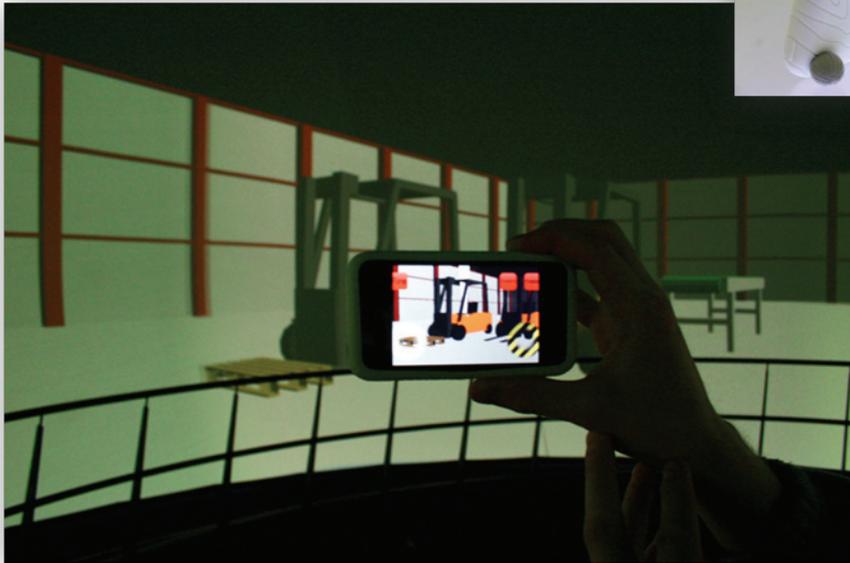
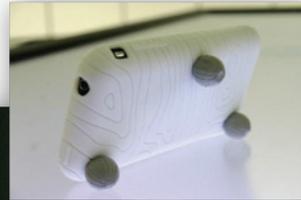
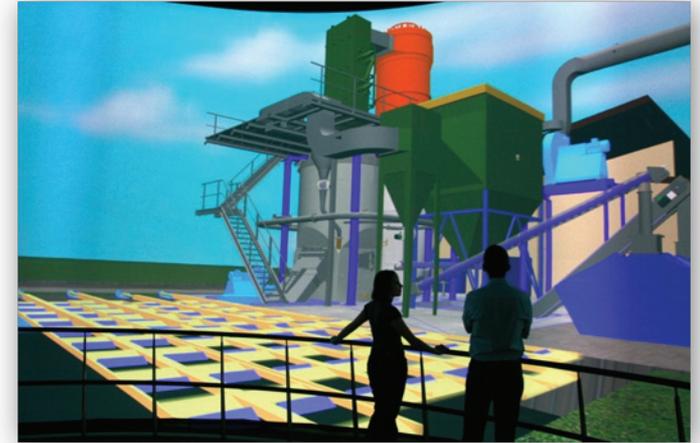
Current Work: Multi-Display-Environments

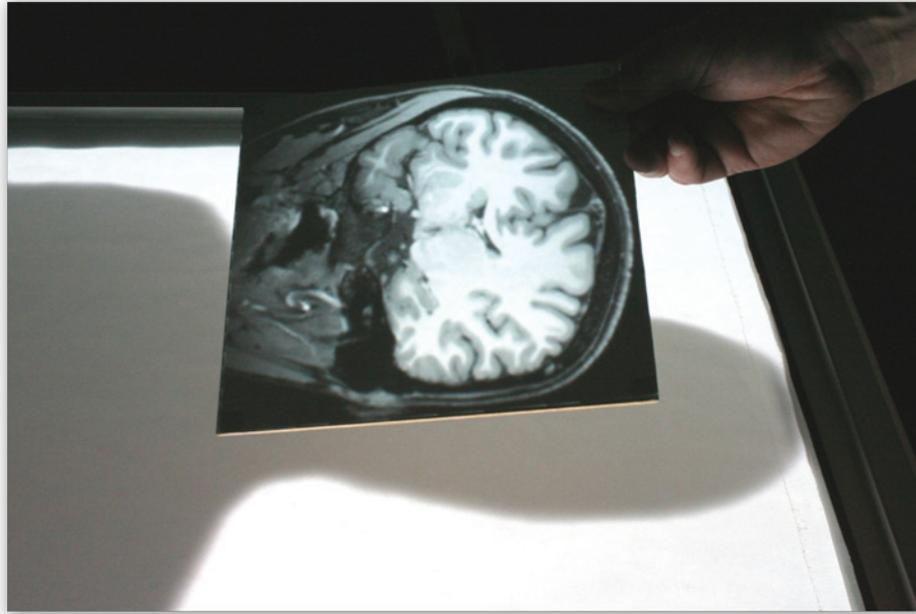
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Magic Lenses in Large Multi-Display VR Environments

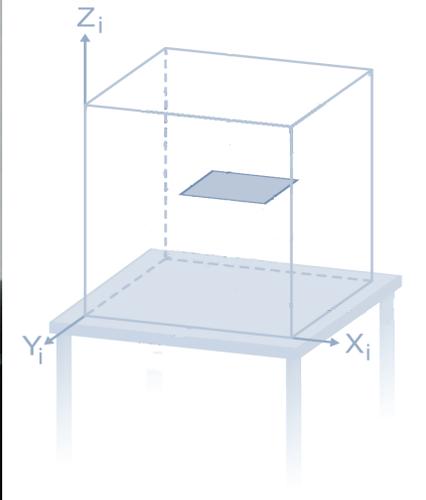
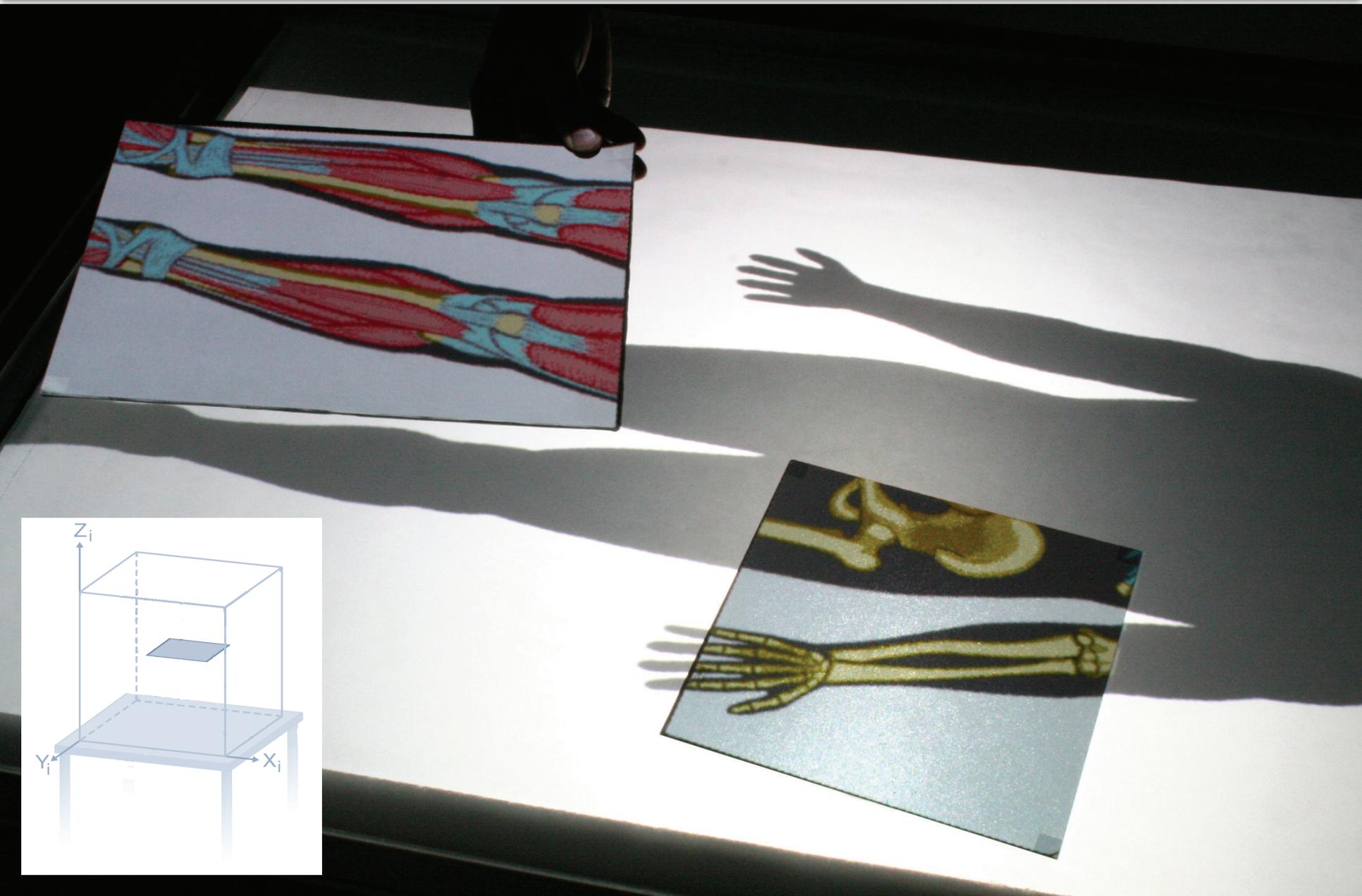
- Ultra large VR displays (360°)
- Tracking handheld devices
 - to move 3D objects around
 - [Henneberg, Theses 2010]



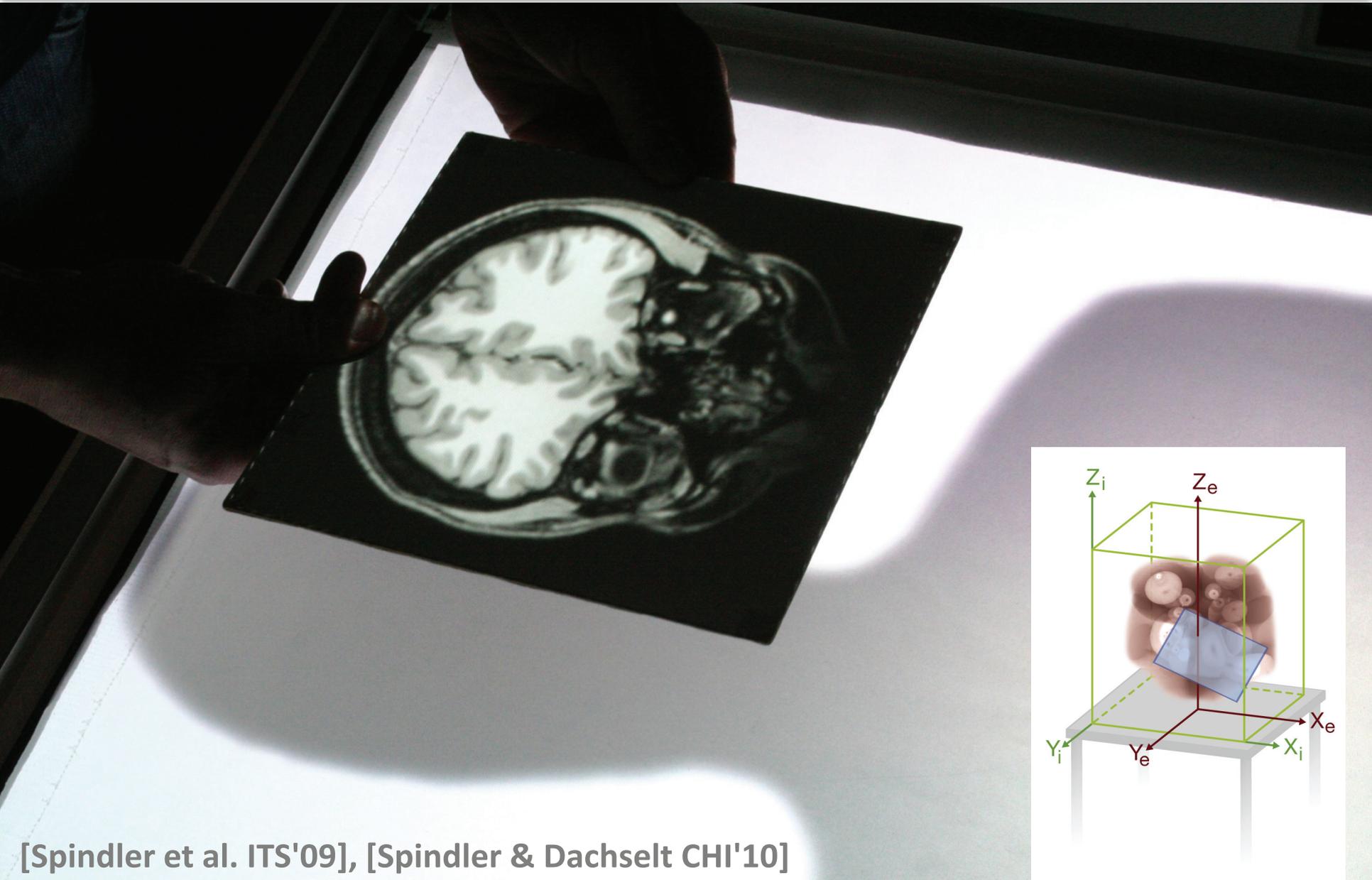


Handheld as Movable Display: Tangible Magic Lenses

Tangible Magic Lenses – Location-aware Displays

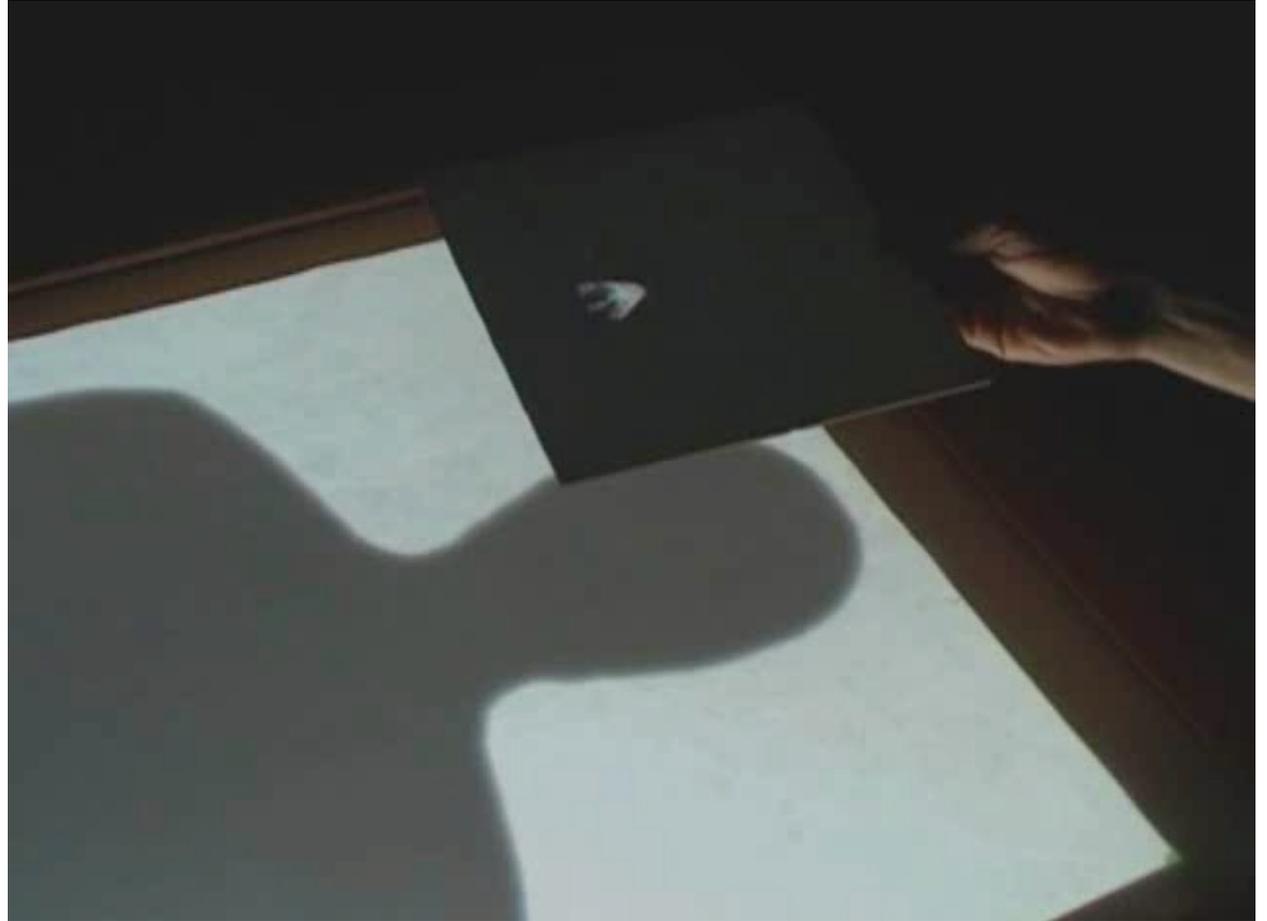
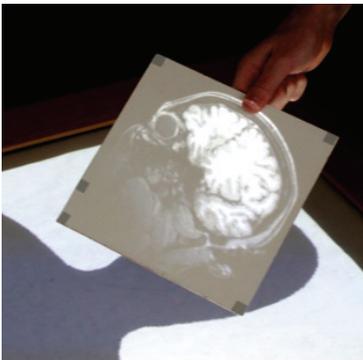
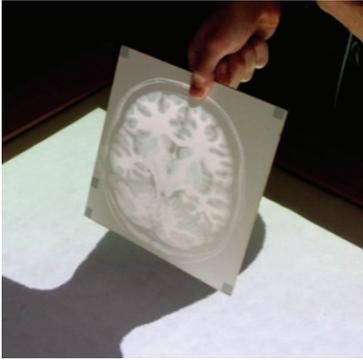


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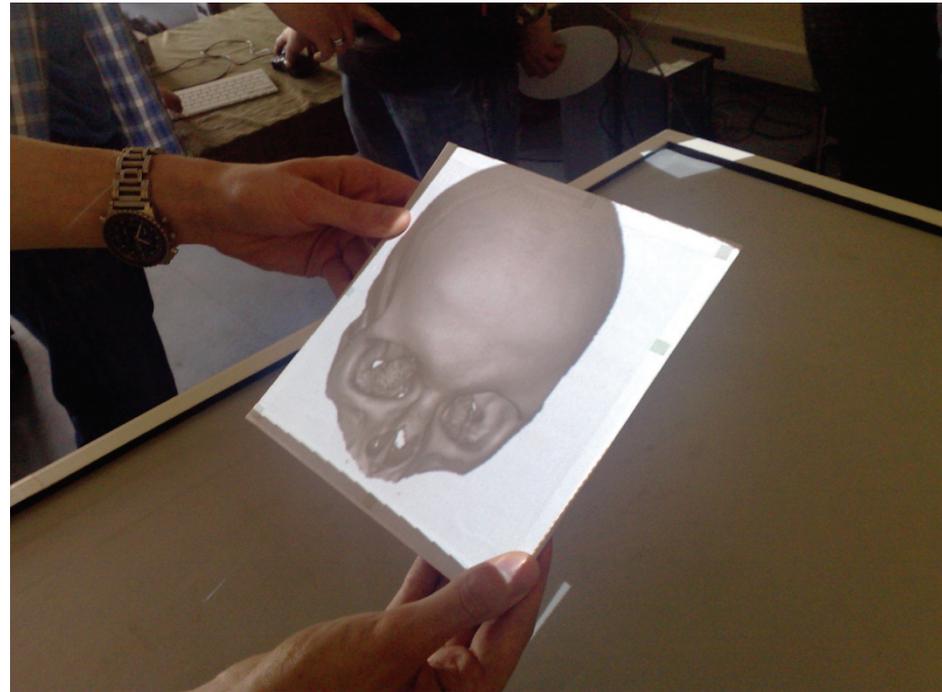
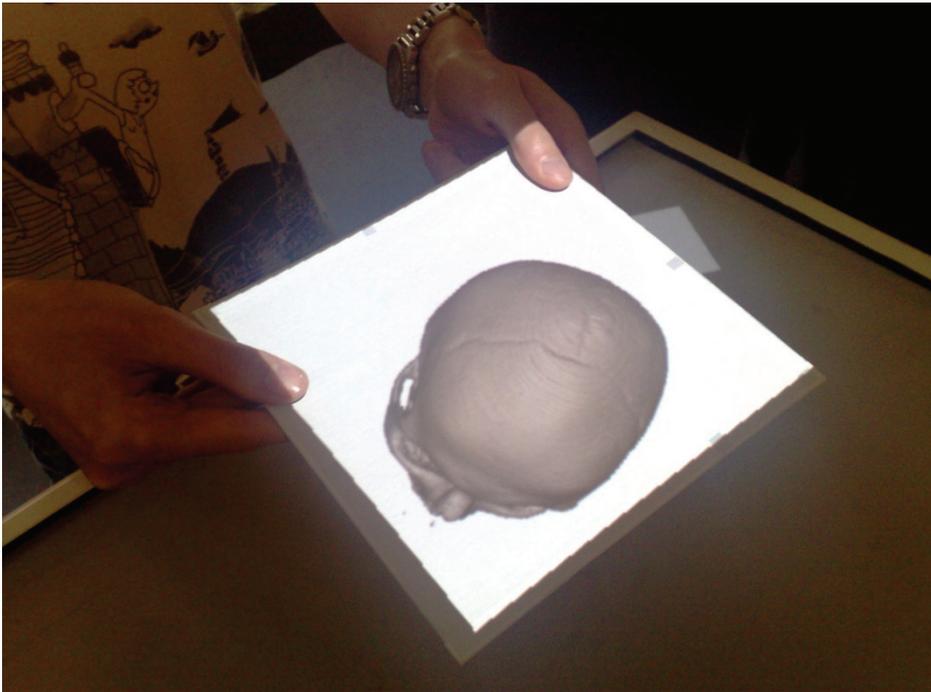
[Spindler et al. ITS'09], [Spindler & Dachzelt CHI'10]

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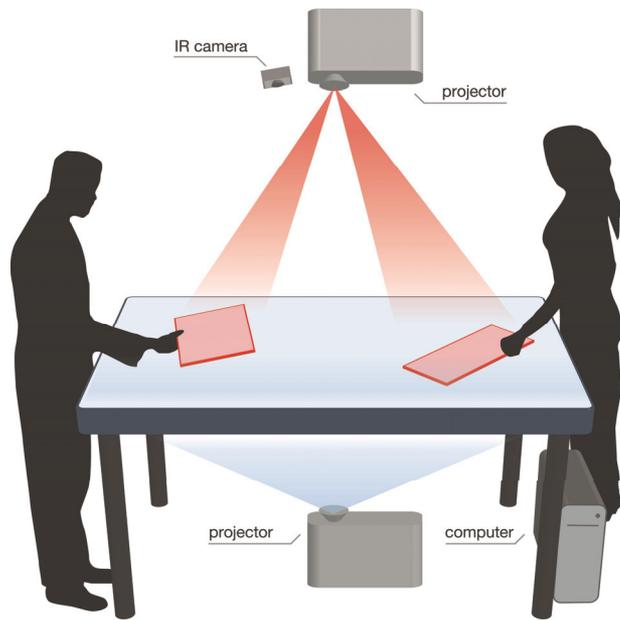


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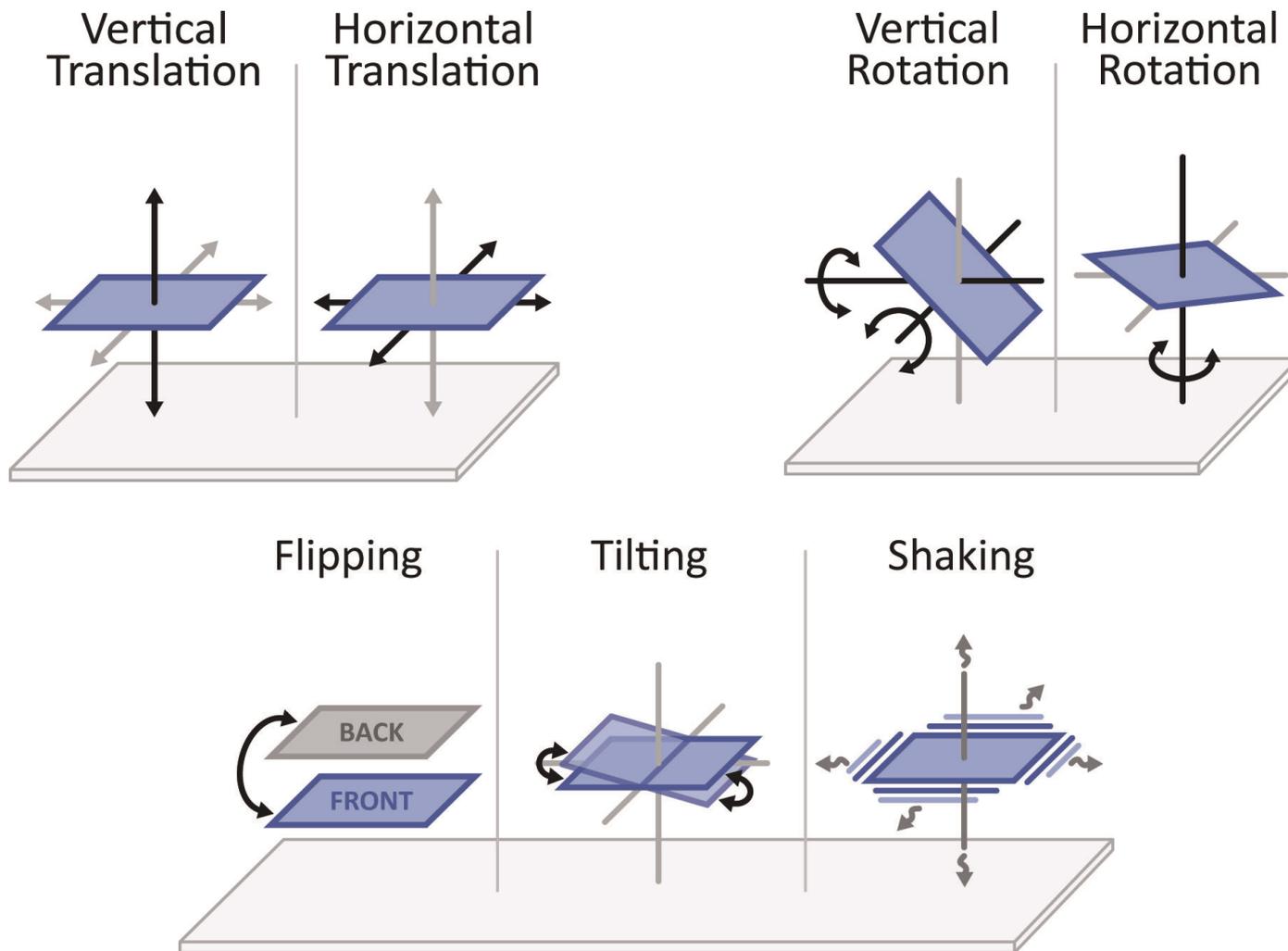
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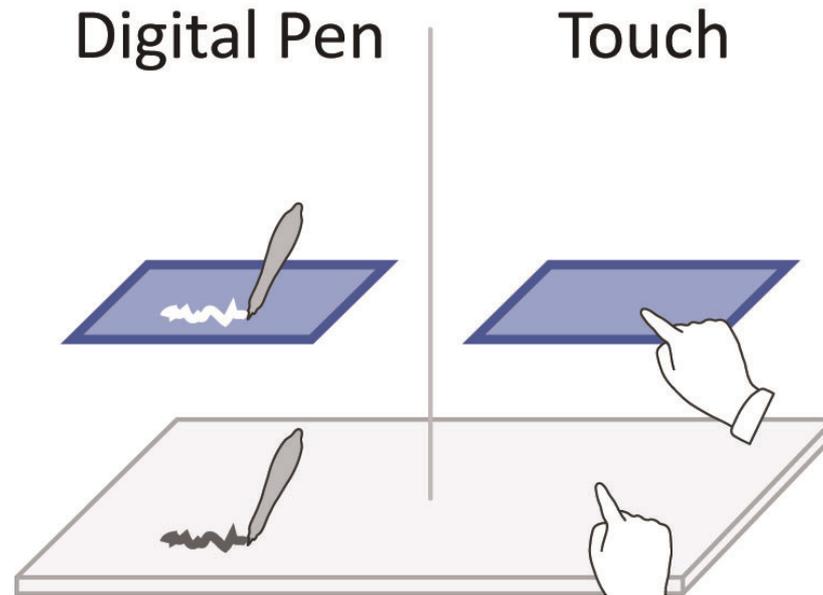
Technical Approach



Moving and tilting the lens – WITH-the-lens interaction

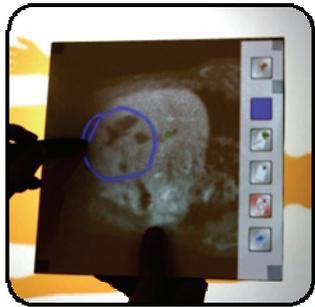


ON-the-lens interaction

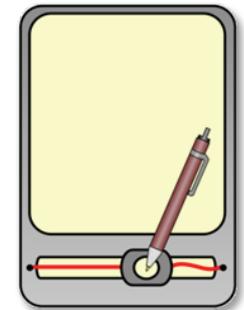
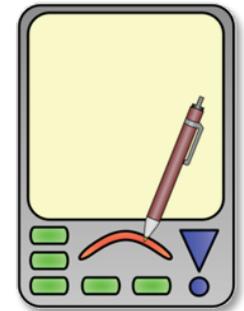


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Direct Pointing – Drawing with a Pen



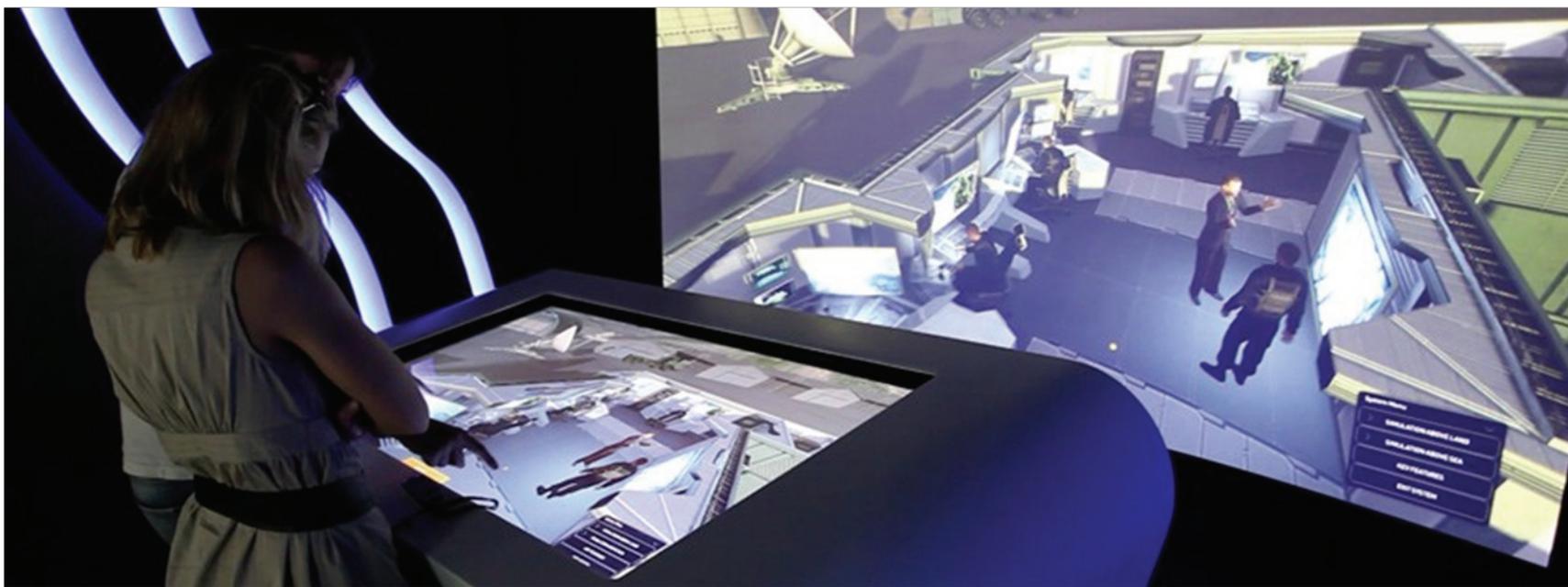
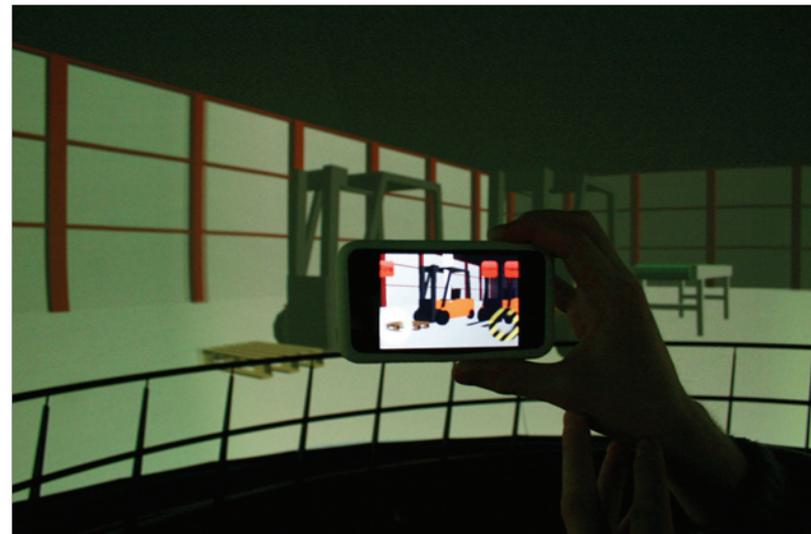
Pen used for Navigation and Application Control



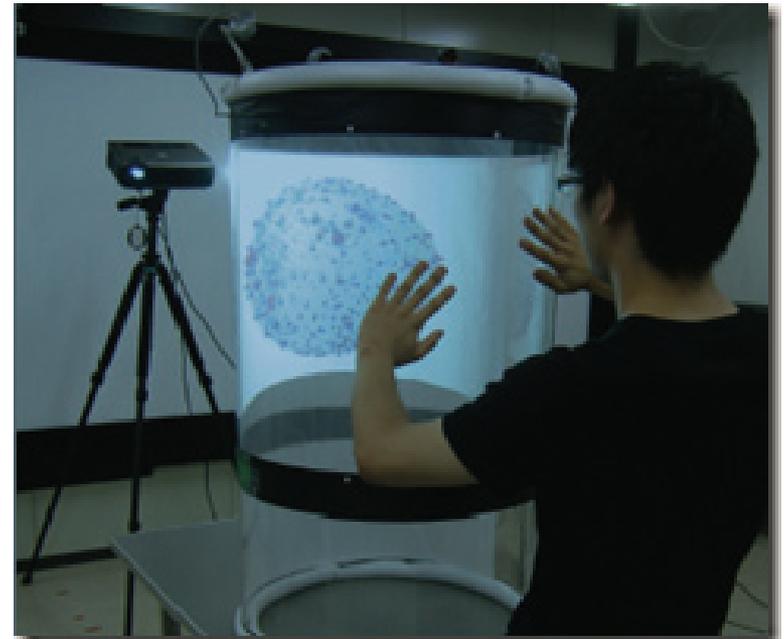
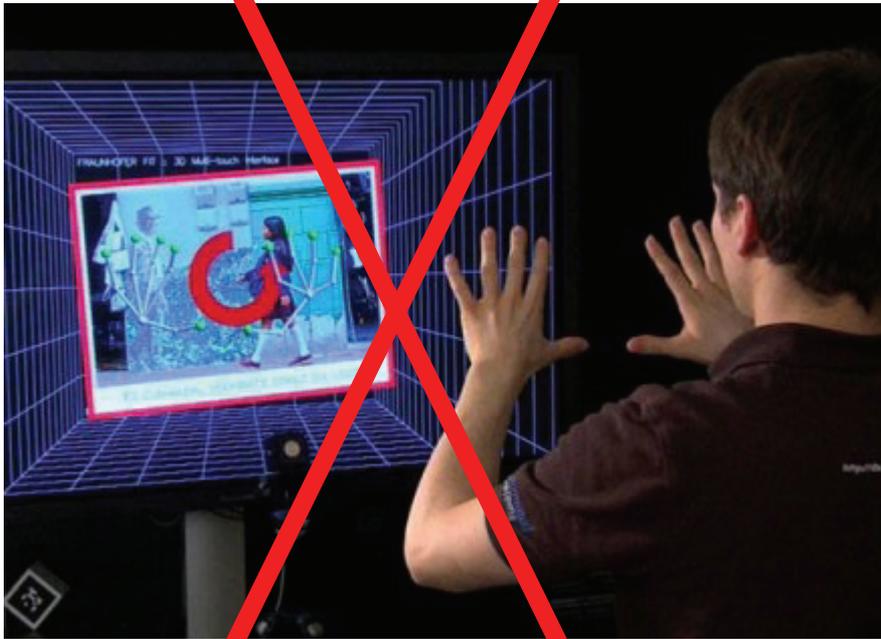
[Stellmach et al. M&C 2010]

Conclusion

Remote 3D interaction important issue

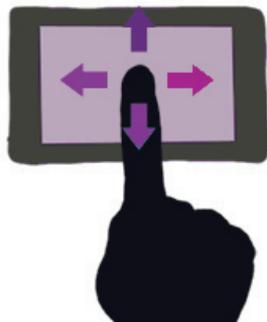


Good affordances and haptic feedback crucial



Compare [Nancel et al. CHI 2011]

Support constraints and separately controllable DOF

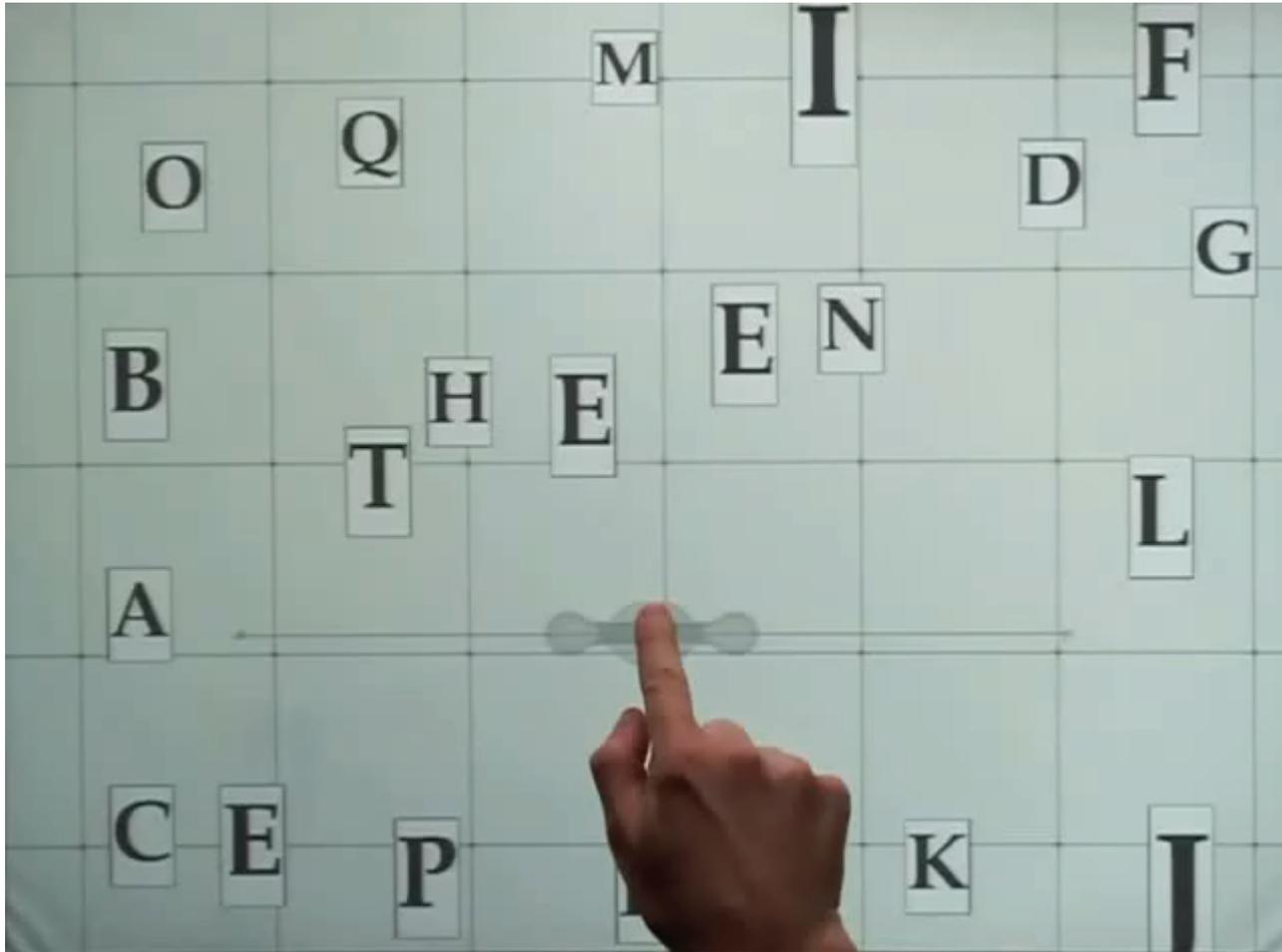


More Challenges

- Appropriate mappings (e.g. tilting vs. touching)
- Combining modalities (Touch + Tilt + Pen +)
- Find consistent gesture sets
- Combination of multiple lenses (already done)
- Collaboration, coordinated control
- Stereoscopic displays (or pseudo-stereoscopic)

Also consider VR work from the 90ies [Bowman et al. 2004]

Sneak Preview "Grids & Guides" (Tuesday 4 pm Multitouch)



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