- Axis-aligned bounding box (AABB) query structure
 - Constructs a B-tree (or higher branching-order tree, depending on construction) with individual collision primitives at the leaves
 - Bounding boxes are aggregated, as we go from the leaves to the root of the tree
 - Prunes distant primitives when checking for collisions
 - Ideally, every tree level has O(I) potentially colliding nodes
 - Ideal cost of checking for collisions : O(logN) per query
 - O(N*logN) to check collisions between N primitives
 - Popular construction method : using k-d trees























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- Axis-aligned bounding box (AABB) query structure
 - When the simulated object moves, the AABB tree hierarchy needs to be updated
 - Bounding boxes are updated in a bottom-up fashion
 - When large motions occur the hierarchy efficiency may be compromised :
 - Bounding boxes appear which span large areas, yet contain only very few primitives
 - Violates the efficiency property that only O(I) collisions are found per level of hierarchy (there are many primitives that show up in almost every query)
 - Remedy : Periodically (how often?) rebuild the query hierarchy

- Axis-aligned bounding box (AABB) query structure
 - Complexity review (k = # of real collisions)
 - Construct/rebuild hierarchy (using k-d trees) : O(NlogN)
 - Update after object motion (without rebuild) : O(N)
 - Ideal cost of a single query : O(logN + k)
 - Intersect N primitives with hierarchy : O(N(logN + k))
 - Intersect 2 hierarchies (or one with itself) : O(logN + k)
 - Using simultaneous pairwise traversal of 2 trees
 - Alternatives
 - Quadtrees/Octrees
 - Hashed grids, etc.



- Static detection vs. moving detection
 - For static detection, wrap primitives in AABBs



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 - Static collision (e.g. segment-segment collision)



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- From AABB collisions to exact collision tests
 - Dynamic collision (e.g. between cloth surfaces)
 - With either triangle-point or edge-segment collision, at the time of contact the four involved vertices become *coplanar*
 - Interpolate moving positions : $p_i(t) = p_i(t_*) + p_i(t_* + dt) \frac{t t_*}{dt}$
 - Primitives collide when 4 moving points are coplanar (cubic eqn)





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 - Use time integration scheme to generate *candidate* values for position & velocity at the end of the time step : x_*^{n+1} , v_*^{n+1}
 - Apply an instantaneous correction to fix collision : $(x_*^{n+1}, v_*^{n+1}) \Rightarrow (x^{n+1}, v^{n+1})$
 - Check that collision was in fact resolved (in conflicting fixes were used), otherwise retry
 - If attempt at resolving collision was unsuccessful, repeat the time step with a smaller dt



- Impulse-based methods
 - May incorporate additional effects (e.g. repulsions, friction) and elaborate time integration (e.g. [Bridson et al 2002])
- Select a collision time step size Δt and set tⁿ⁺¹ = tⁿ + Δt
 Advance to candidate positions x̄ⁿ⁺¹ and velocities v̄ⁿ⁺¹ at time t^{n+1} with the cloth internal dynamics
- Compute the average velocity $\mathbf{\bar{v}}^{n+1/2} = (\mathbf{\bar{x}}^{n+1} \mathbf{x}^n)/\Delta t$
- Check \mathbf{x}^n for proximity (section 6), then apply repulsion impulses (section 7.2) and friction (section 7.3) to the average velocity to get $\mathbf{\tilde{v}}^{n+1/2}$
- Check linear trajectories from \mathbf{x}^n with $\mathbf{\tilde{v}}^{n+1/2}$ for collisions (section 6), resolving them with a final midstep velocity $v^{n+1/2}$ (sections 7.4 and 7.5)
- Compute the final positions $\mathbf{x}^{n+1} = \mathbf{x}^n + \Delta t \mathbf{v}^{n+1/2}$
- If there were no repulsions or collisions, set $\mathbf{v}^{n+1} = \mathbf{\bar{v}}^{n+1}$
- Otherwise, advance the midstep velocity $\mathbf{v}^{n+1/2}$ to \mathbf{v}^{n+1} (section 7.6)



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 - For collisions with kinematic objects, impulses are defined such that the simulated is snapped to the surface of the colliding body
 - In the case of cloth collisions impulses are defined to mimic inelastic momentum exchange
 - Preventive repulsions modeled either as forces or impulses

