Modeling Humans & Animals

But first, final projects

- Final Project (50%)
 - Paper presentation & project proposal (20%)
 - Final report & presentation (30%)
 - Progress Report Presentation, next class (10%)
 - Final Report (20%) due latest on May 9
 - 1-2 page write-up, final video demonstration

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Simulation Model









Physics-based Animation



Posture Control



Under actuated Inherently unstable



$$= k_{p}(q_{b}^{d} - q_{b}) + k_{d}(\dot{q}_{b}^{d} - \dot{q}_{b}) + k_{ff}$$

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix}I & I & \cdots & I\\r_{0} \times & r_{1} \times & \cdots & r_{m} \times \end{bmatrix}}_{A} \begin{pmatrix} F_{0} \\ F_{1} \\ \vdots \\ F_{m} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} F_{B} \\ T_{B} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\frac{\min(Ax - b)^{T}(Ax - b)}{F_{i}}$$

$$F_{i} \quad \text{subject to } F_{i}^{n} \geq F_{min}^{n}$$

$$-\mu F_{i}^{n} \leq F_{i}^{t} \leq \mu F_{i}^{n}$$

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Walking

 Described temporally in terms of stride duration and its two components per leg, swing time and stance time



Walking

 Described temporally in terms of stride duration and its two components per leg, swing time and stance time, and spatially in terms of foot placement locations

Foot Placement Control



$$d = d_f(v_d) + (v - v_d) \sqrt{\frac{h}{g}}$$

Foot Placement Control





Towards Increasingly Complex Motor Skills



Quadrupedal Gaits



Trot



Canter



Controller Parameterization



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rearRight	
frontRight	~~~~>
frontLeft	
rearLeft	

Motion Data





After Learning

walk





Locomotion Control for Legged Robots



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Towards increasingly accurate biomechanical models

Flexible Muscle-Based Locomotion for Bipedal Creatures

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Towards increasingly accurate biomechanical models

Realistic Biomechanical Simulation and Control of Human Swimming

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Questions?