Project Presentation: Blender

Modeling for Natural User Interfaces in Car

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History of Blender

 In 2002 the coorporation Not a Number was finished

- So Ton Roosendaal (original Author of Blender) decided to found the Blender Foundation
 - -The aim was to develop Blender as open Source
- In the years 2006 2012 many short film projects were published
- Extensions, bug fixes and upgrades are continously done

Positive Points

• What is positive about Blender?

- Its totally free
- The community is very big
- Short cuts are often in use to improve the workflow
- Developed by a very big community

Negative points

- Sometimes workflow is problematic and you have to use plug ins and other tools
- No direct support
- Needs some time for orientation

Example of making a Car

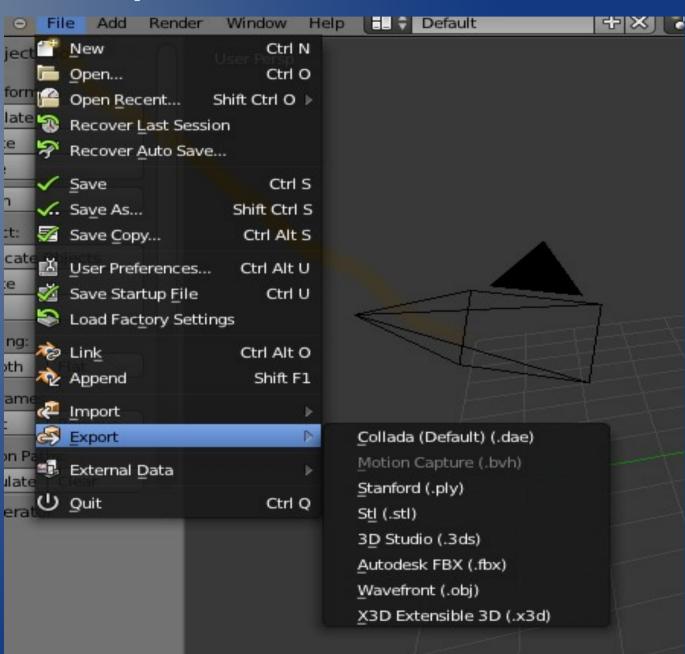
• Modelling a Car:

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=a289MTn7WIU

- Cockpit:
- http://www.youtube.com/watch? v=z4N2sg5Nkhw

Export

• File formats:



Blender in Comparison

	Blender	Maya	Cinema 4D
Costs:	Free	Free for educational use	Free for educational use
Use:	Great package Enough for normal modelling	For profess- ional use (less tutorials)	Easy to start with, enough tutorials

Finished Car:

http://www.youtube.co m/watch?v=peijqe3trKA