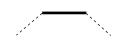


(a) Buddha.

Input images: RenderMan renderings from an irregular polygon mesh model.

Light field: one slab, shown above in plan view. See also figure 3a.



(b) Kidney.

Input images: volume renderings from computed tomography data.

Light field: one slab, shown above. See also figure 4c.



(c) Hallway.

Input images: SGI RealityEngine renderings from a polygon model.

Light field: four slabs like figure 4c, arranged in a cross.



(d) Lion.

Input images: digitized video from a computer–controlled camera

Light field: four slabs arranged in a box. See also figure 3c.















Figure 14: Example images from four light fields, extracted during a typical interactive viewing session.



(a) Buddha. Vector dimension: 12 Compression: 45:1



(b) Lion. Vector dimension: 48 Compression: 118:1

Figure 15: Images extracted from compressed light fields.