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1: Part 1:
2: Input: initial cross sections
3: Output: cross sections rotated perpendicular to longer horizontal main axis by minimization of cross section area
4: for each initial section do
5:     for each of 38 rotation steps (0° to 180° in 5° increments) do
6:         Compute rotation angle (theta)
7:         Apply rotation matrix to original normal ([1,0,0] or [0,1,0]) to get rotated normal
8:     end for
9:     for each rotated normal do
10:        Slice mesh using rotated normal and center point of section
11:        Retrieve vertices from rotated slice
12:        Project cross section into YZ plane to calculate area
13:        Compute centroid of this projected section
14:        Sort points by angle relative to centroid
15:        Compute area of polygon using sorted points and shoelace formula
16:    end for
17: end for
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19: Part 2:
20: Input: rotated cross sections
21: Output: rotated cross sections after artifact correction
22: Step 1:
23: for each rotated cross section do
24:     set vertex with lowest z-value as vertex index=0
25:     perform normalized nearest neighbour algorithm
26: end for
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28: Step 2:
29: for each section after normalized nearest neighbour algorithm do
30:     apply correction criterion
31:     if correction criterion = True then
32:         initialize manual vertex order correction in plotly.dash
33:         for each section with artifacts do
34:             correct vertex order by clicking on previous (correct) vertex then incorrect vertex
35:         end for
36:     end if
37: end for
38:
39: Part 3:
40: Input: corrected cross sections of 1st direction
41: Output: corrected cross sections of orthogonal direction
42: for each section of 1st direction do
43:     raster section vertically into 22 vertical lines
44:     for each vertical line do
45:         retrieve X, Y and Zmin+Zmax - coordinates
46:     end for
47: end for
48:
49: for 2 consecutive sections of 1st direction do
50:     for all vertical lines in both sections do
51:         extract X, Y and Zmin+Zmax (=2 points per section)
52:         combine 4 points into trapezoidal segment
53:     end for
54: end for
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56: for every index of vertical lines do
57:     combine trapezoidal segments to assemble uncorrected orthogonal section
58: end for
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60: for uncorrected cross sections of orthogonal direction
61:     repeat Part 2
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63: Part 4:
64: Input: all cross sections
65: Output: horizontal and vertical dimensional measurements
66: for each cross section of 1st direction except index 0 & 21 do
67:     rotate & project section onto YZ plane
68:     create 5 horizontal and vertical measurement transects
69:     measure horizontal and vertical dimensions between intersections of transect and polygon
70: end for
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72: for each cross section of orthogonal direction except index 0 & 21 do
73:     rescale sections (corresponds to rotation & projection onto YZ plane)
74:     create 5 horizontal and vertical measurement transects
75:     measure horizontal and vertical dimensions between intersections of transect and polygon
76: end for
77:
78: for all cross sections do
79:     compute gradients
80:     compute curvatures
81: end for
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