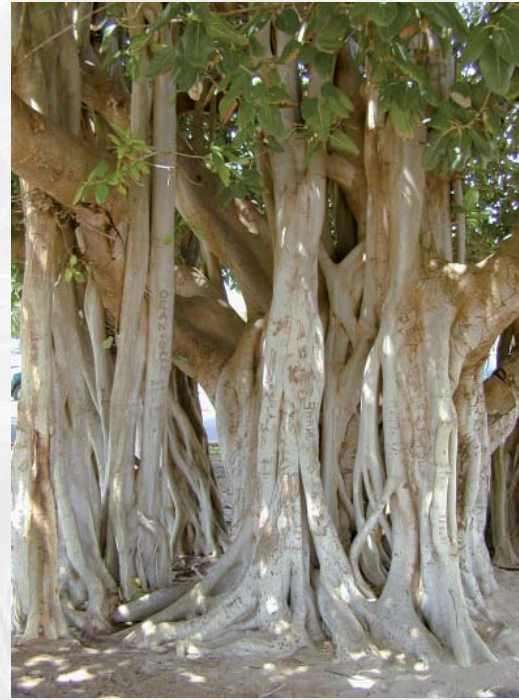


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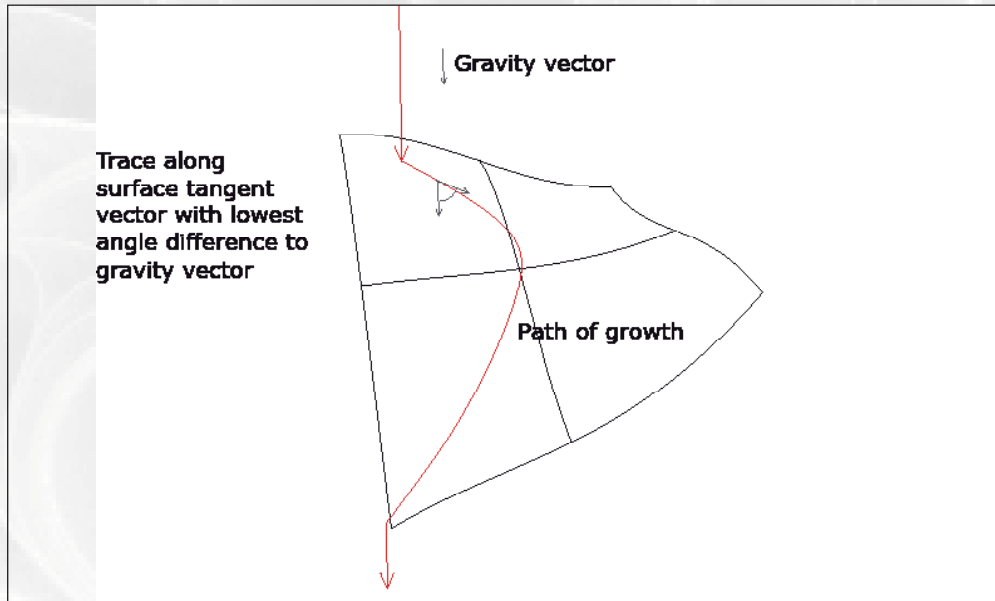
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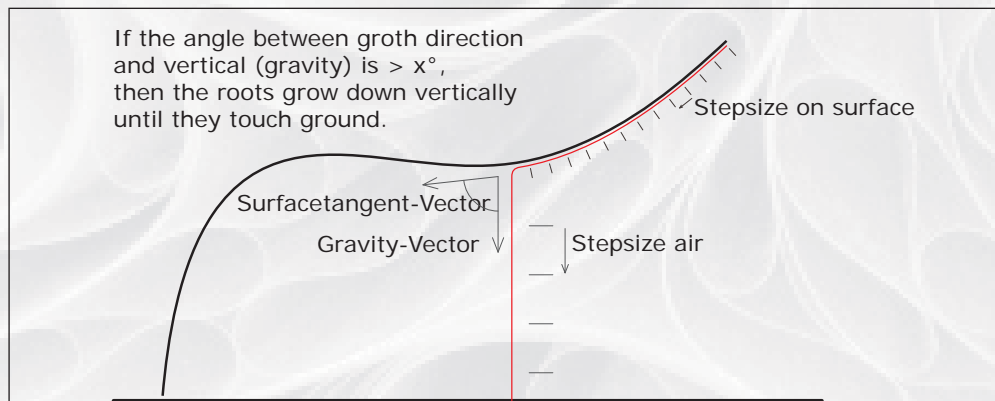
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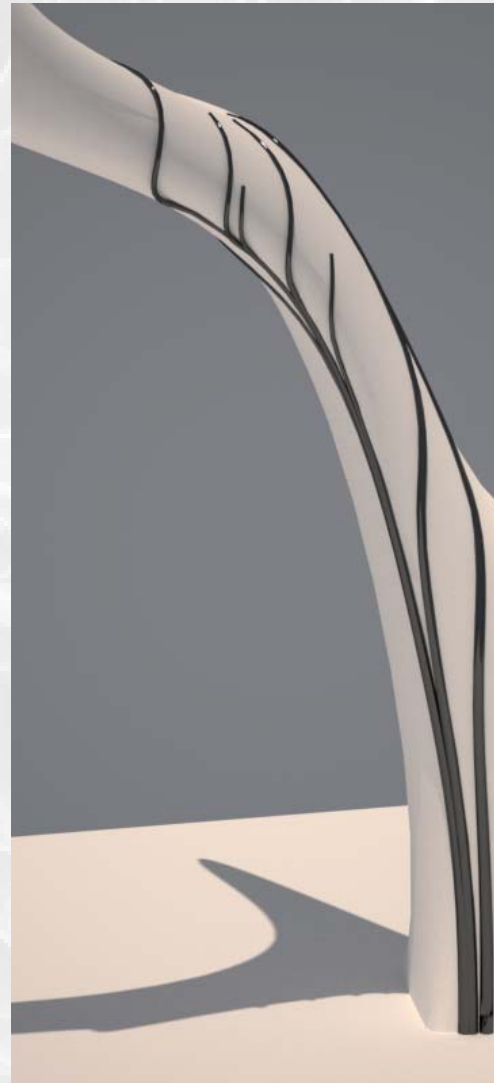
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Tracing Gravity



"Drop-Off" Condition

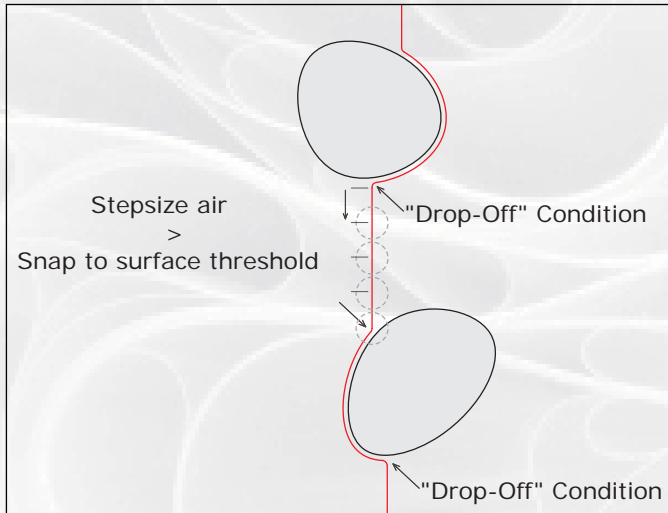


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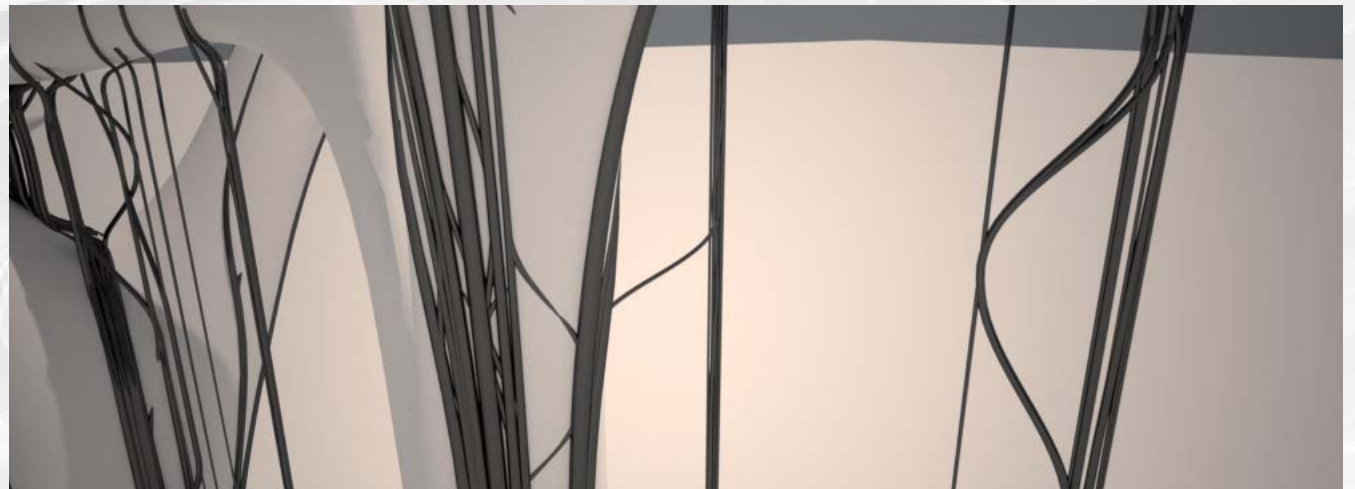
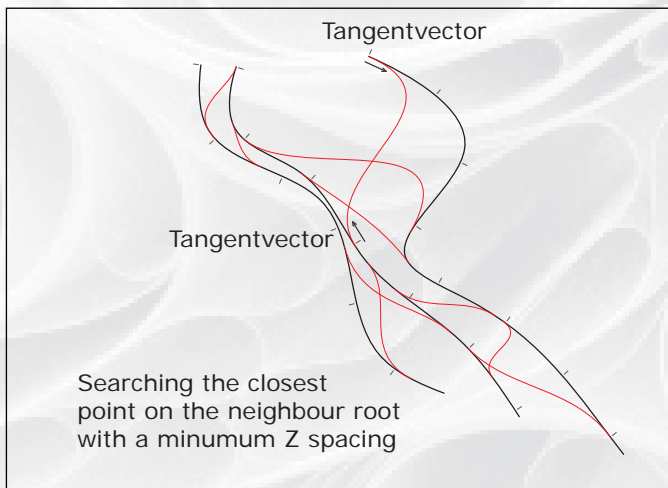


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FICUS BENGHALENSIS (BANYAN TREE)



Snapping back



Cross Links

FICUS BENGHALENSIS (BANYAN TREE)



With and without host



Statue of Liberty?