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Assignment is up (with starter code).

Today more on OpenGL and a bit on transformations. Tuesday more on transformations.

More on OpenGL

Kinds of Graphics Functions

- Primitive functions
- Attribute functions
- Transformation functions
- Viewing functions
- Input functions
- Control functions



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Outline

- A bit more on primitives
- Color, a more complicated example
- Client/Server Model
- Callbacks
- Double Buffering
- Hidden Surface Removal
- Another example

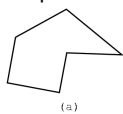
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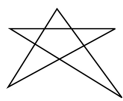
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Note from last time: Polygon Restrictions

- OpenGL Polygons must be simple
- OpenGL Polygons must be convex

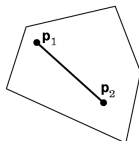


(a) simple, but not convex



(b) non-simple

convex



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Why Polygon Restrictions?

- Non-convex and non-simple polygons are expensive to process and render
- Convexity and simplicity is expensive to test
- Better to fix polygons as a pre-processing step
- Some tools in GLU for decomposing complex polygons (tessellations)
- Behavior of OpenGL implementation on disallowed polygons is "undefined"
- Triangles are most efficient in hardware

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Attributes

- Part of the state of the graphics pipeline
- Set BEFORE primitives are drawn
- Remain in effect!
- Examples:
 - Color, including transparency
 - Reflection properties
 - Shading properties

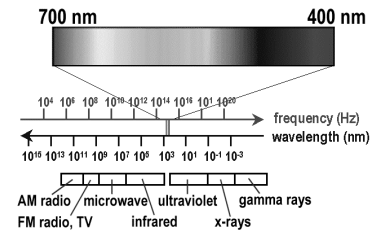
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Physics of Color

- Can see only tiny piece of the spectrum
- Screens can show even less



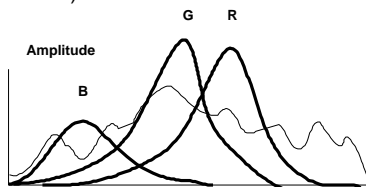
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Color Filters

- Eye can perceive only 3 basic colors
- Computer screens designed accordingly
- Many visible colors still not reproducible (high contrast)



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Color Spaces

- RGB (Red, Green, Blue)
 - Convenient for display
 - Can be unintuitive (3 floats in OpenGL)
- HSV (Hue, Saturation, Value)
 - Hue: what color
 - Saturation: how far away from gray
 - Value: how bright
- Others for film, video, and printing
- Getting the colors right is a time consuming problem in the industry

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Example: Drawing a shaded polygon

- More complicated example than last time
- Initialization: the "main" function

```
int main(int argc, char** argv)
{
    glutInit(&argc, argv);
    glutInitDisplayMode (GLUT_SINGLE | GLUT_RGB);
    glutInitWindowSize (500, 500);
    glutInitWindowPosition (100, 100);
    glutCreateWindow (argv[0]);
    init ();
    ...
}
```

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GLUT Callbacks

- Window system independent interaction
- glutMainLoop processes events

```
...
glutDisplayFunc(display);
glutReshapeFunc(reshape);
glutKeyboardFunc (keyboard);
glutMainLoop();
return 0;
}
```

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Initializing Attributes

- Separate in "init" function

```
void init(void)
{
    glClearColor (0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 0.0);

    /* glShadeModel (GL_FLAT); */
    glShadeModel (GL_SMOOTH);
}
```

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The Display Callback

- Handles display events
- Install with glutDisplayFunc(display)

```
void display(void)
{
    glClear (GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT); /* clear buffer */
    triangle (); /* draw triangle */
    glFlush (); /* force display */
}
```

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Drawing

- In world coordinates; remember state!

```
void triangle(void)
{
    glBegin (GL_TRIANGLES);
    glColor3f (1.0, 0.0, 0.0); /* red */
    glVertex2f (5.0, 5.0);
    glColor3f (0.0, 1.0, 0.0); /* green */
    glVertex2f (25.0, 5.0);
    glColor3f (0.0, 0.0, 1.0); /* blue */
    glVertex2f (5.0, 25.0);
    glEnd();
}
```

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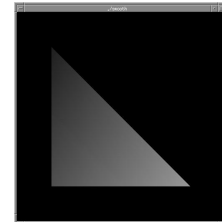
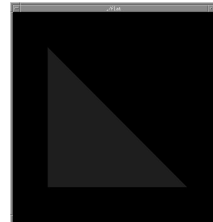
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The Image

- Color of last vertex with flat shading

```
glShadeModel(GL_FLAT) glShadeModel(GL_SMOOTH)
```



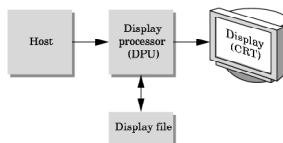
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Client/Server Model

- Graphics hardware and caching



- Important for efficiency
- Need to be aware where data are stored
- Examples: vertex arrays, display lists

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Display Lists

- Encapsulate a sequence of drawing commands
- Optimize and store on server

```
GLuint listName = glGenLists(1); /* new name */
glNewList (listName, GL_COMPILE); /* new list */
    glColor3f(1.0, 0.0, 1.0);
    glBegin(GL_TRIANGLES);
        glVertex3f(0.0, 0.0, 0.0);
        ...
    glEnd();
    glTranslatef(1.5, 0.0, 0.0); /* offset next object */
    glEndList();
    glCallList(listName); /* draw one */
```

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Display Lists Details

- Useful for sequences of transformations
- Important for complex surfaces
- Hierarchical display lists supported
- Display lists cannot be changed
- Display lists can be replaced
- Not necessary in first assignment

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Main Event Loop

- Standard technique for interaction
- Mediates between client and window system
- Main loop processes events
- Dispatch to functions specified by client
- Callbacks also common in operating systems

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Types of Callbacks

- Display (): when window must be drawn
- Idle (): when no other events to be handled
- Keyboard (unsigned char key, int x, int y): key
- Menu (...): after selection from menu
- Mouse (int button, int state, int x, int y): mouse
- Motion (...): mouse movement
- Reshape (int w, int h): window resize
- Any callback can be NULL

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Double Buffering: Screen Refresh

- Common: 60-100 Hz
- Flicker if drawing overlaps screen refresh
- Problem during animation
- Example (cube_single.c)
- Solution two frame buffers:
 - Draw into one buffer
 - Swap and display, while drawing into other buffer
- Desirable frame rate ≥ 30 fps (frames/second)

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Enabling Modes

- One example of many
- `glutInitDisplayMode (GLUT_SINGLE);`
- `glutInitDisplayMode (GLUT_DOUBLE);`
- `glutSwapBuffers ();`

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Hidden Surface Removal

- What is visible after clipping and projection?
- Object-space vs image-space approaches
- Object space: depth sort (Painter's algorithm)
- Image space: ray cast (z-buffer algorithm)
- Related: back-face culling

We'll get back to this later in the semester in much more detail!

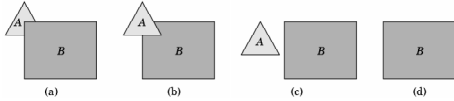
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Object-Space Approach

- Consider pairs of objects



- Complexity $O(k^2)$ where $k = \#$ of objects
- Painter's algorithm: render back-to-front
- "Paint" over invisible polygons
- How to sort and how to test overlap?

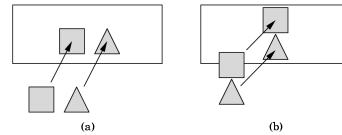
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Depth Sorting

- First, sort by furthest distance z from viewer
- If minimum depth of A is greater than maximum depth of B, A can be drawn before B
- If either x or y extents do not overlap, A and B can be drawn independently



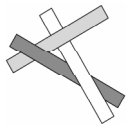
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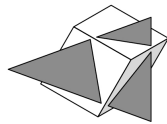
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Some Difficult Cases

- Sometimes cannot sort polygons!



Cyclic overlap



Piercing Polygons

- One solution: compute intersections and subdivide
- Do while rasterizing (difficult in object space)

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Painter's Algorithm Assessment

- Strengths
 - Simple (most of the time)
 - Handles transparency well
 - Sometimes, no need to sort (e.g., heightfield)
- Weaknesses
 - Clumsy when geometry is complex
 - Sorting can be expensive
- Usage
 - OpenGL (by default)
 - PostScript interpreters

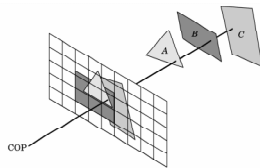
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Image-Space Approach

- Raycasting: intersect ray with polygons



- $O(k)$ worst case (often better) where $k = \#$ of objects

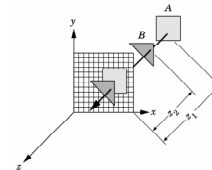
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The z-Buffer Algorithm

- z -buffer with depth value z for each pixel
- Before writing a pixel into framebuffer
 - Compute distance z of pixel origin from viewer
 - If closer write and update z -buffer, otherwise discard



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z-Buffer Algorithm Assessment

- Strengths
 - Simple (no sorting or splitting)
 - Independent of geometric primitives
- Weaknesses
 - Memory intensive (but memory is cheap now)
 - Tricky to handle transparency and blending
 - Depth-ordering artifacts for near values
 - Render some wasted polygons
- Usage
 - OpenGL when enabled

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Depth Buffer in OpenGL

- `glutInitDisplayMode(GLUT_DEPTH);`
- `glEnable (GL_DEPTH_TEST);`
- `glClear (GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);`
- Remember all of these!

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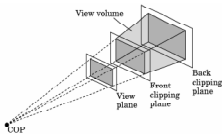
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Specifying the Viewing Volume

- Clip everything not in viewing volume
- Separate matrices for transformation and projection


```
glMatrixMode (GL_PROJECTION)
glLoadIdentity();
... Set viewing volume ...
glMatrixMode(GL_MODELVIEW)
```



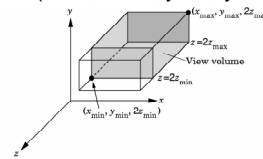
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Parallel Viewing

- Orthographic projection
- Camera points in negative z direction
- `glOrtho(xmin, xmax, ymin, ymax, near, far)`



- $2z_{min} = -near, 2z_{max} = -far$ [diagram correction]

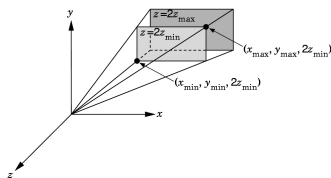
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Perspective Viewing

- Slightly more complex
- `glFrustum(xmin, xmax, ymin, ymax, near, far)`



- $2z_{min} = -near, 2z_{max} = -far$ [diagram correction]

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Simple Transformations

- Rotate by given angle (in degrees) about ray from origin through (x, y, z)

```
glRotate{fd}(angle, x, y, z);
```

- Translate by the given x, y, and z values

```
glTranslate{fd}(x, y, z);
```

- Scale with a factor in the x, y, and z direction

```
glScale{fd}(x, y, z);
```

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Example: Rotating Color Cube

- Draw a color cube
- Rotate it about x, y, or z axis, depending on left, middle or right mouse click
- Stop when space bar is pressed
- Quit when q or Q is pressed

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Step 1: Defining the Vertices

- Use parallel arrays for vertices and colors

```
/* vertices of cube about the origin */
GLfloat vertices[8][3] =
{{-1.0, -1.0, -1.0}, {1.0, -1.0, -1.0},
 {1.0, 1.0, -1.0}, {-1.0, 1.0, -1.0}, {-1.0, -1.0, 1.0},
 {1.0, -1.0, 1.0}, {1.0, 1.0, 1.0}, {-1.0, 1.0, 1.0}};

/* colors to be assigned to edges */
GLfloat colors[8][3] =
{{0.0, 0.0, 0.0}, {1.0, 0.0, 0.0},
 {1.0, 1.0, 0.0}, {0.0, 1.0, 0.0}, {0.0, 0.0, 1.0},
 {1.0, 0.0, 1.0}, {1.0, 1.0, 1.0}, {0.0, 1.0, 1.0}};
```

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Step 2: Set Up

- Enable depth testing and double buffering

```
int main(int argc, char **argv)
{
    glutInit(&argc, argv);
    /* double buffering for smooth animation */
    glutInitDisplayMode
    (GLUT_DOUBLE | GLUT_DEPTH | GLUT_RGB);
    ... /* window creation and callbacks here */
    glEnable(GL_DEPTH_TEST);
    glutMainLoop();
    return(0);
}
```

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Step 3: Install Callbacks

- Create window and set callbacks

```
glutInitWindowSize(500, 500);
glutCreateWindow("cube");
glutReshapeFunc(myReshape);
glutDisplayFunc(display);
glutIdleFunc(spinCube);
glutMouseFunc(mouse);
glutKeyboardFunc(keyboard);
```

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Step 4: Reshape Callback

- Enclose cube, preserve aspect ratio

```
void myReshape(int w, int h)
{
    GLfloat aspect = (GLfloat) w / (GLfloat) h;
    glViewport(0, 0, w, h);
    glMatrixMode(GL_PROJECTION);
    glLoadIdentity();
    if (w <= h) /* aspect <= 1 */
        glOrtho(-2.0, 2.0, -2.0/aspect, 2.0/aspect, -10.0, 10.0);
    else /* aspect > 1 */
        glOrtho(-2.0*aspect, 2.0*aspect, -2.0, 2.0, -10.0, 10.0);
    glMatrixMode(GL_MODELVIEW);
}
```

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Step 5: Display Callback

- Clear, rotate, draw, flush, swap

```
GLfloat theta[3] = {0.0, 0.0, 0.0};
void display(void)
{
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT
           | GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);
    glLoadIdentity();
    glRotatef(theta[0], 1.0, 0.0, 0.0);
    glRotatef(theta[1], 0.0, 1.0, 0.0);
    glRotatef(theta[2], 0.0, 0.0, 1.0);
    colorcube(); glFlush();
    glutSwapBuffers();
}
```

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Step 6: Drawing Faces

- Call face(a, b, c, d) with vertex index
- Orient consistently

```
void colorcube(void)
{
    face(0,3,2,1);
    face(2,3,7,6);
    face(0,4,7,3);
    face(1,2,6,5);
    face(4,5,6,7);
    face(0,1,5,4);
}
```

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Step 7: Drawing a Face

- Use vector form of primitives and attributes

```
void face(int a, int b, int c, int d)
{
    glBegin(GL_POLYGON);
    glColor3fv(colors[a]);
    glVertex3fv(vertices[a]);
    glColor3fv(colors[b]);
    glVertex3fv(vertices[b]);
    glColor3fv(colors[c]);
    glVertex3fv(vertices[c]);
    glColor3fv(colors[d]);
    glVertex3fv(vertices[d]);
    glEnd();
}
```

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Step 8: Animation

- Set idle callback

```
GLfloat delta = 2.0;
GLint axis = 2;
void spinCube()
{
    /* spin cube delta degrees about selected axis */
    theta[axis] += delta;
    if (theta[axis] > 360.0) theta[axis] -= 360.0;

    /* display result */
    glutPostRedisplay();
}
```

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Step 9: Change Axis of Rotation

- Mouse callback

```
void mouse(int btn, int state, int x, int y)
{
    if (btn==GLUT_LEFT_BUTTON
        && state == GLUT_DOWN) axis = 0;
    if (btn==GLUT_MIDDLE_BUTTON
        && state == GLUT_DOWN) axis = 1;
    if (btn==GLUT_RIGHT_BUTTON
        && state == GLUT_DOWN) axis = 2;
}
```

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Step 10: Toggle Rotation or Exit

- Keyboard callback

```
void keyboard(unsigned char key, int x, int y)
{
    if (key=='q' || key == 'Q') exit(0);
    if (key==' ') {stop = !stop;};
    if (stop)
        glutIdleFunc(NULL);
    else
        glutIdleFunc(spinCube);
}
```

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