Syllabus Addendum

For those that cannot get enough of a good thing:

The TA will give modest extra credit (up to a max of 10%)

The **maximum** credit for all assignments combined is 75/70

**Warning:** The “base” assignments are already time consuming. Extra parts are not expected. Extra credit is NOT a good way to attempt to improve your GPA. Bonus marks exists so that the TA can acknowledge extra work and innovation.

**Representations for planes (1)**

A plane passes through a point and has a given “direction”

Direction of plane is given by its normal

\[(\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{X}_0) \cdot \hat{n} = 0 \Rightarrow ax + by + cz = k\]

A half space is defined by \((\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{X}_0) \cdot \hat{n} \geq 0\)

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Choose one point, and get two vectors from that point to the other two points

Use cross product to get the normal

Use the normal and one of the points in the previous formula.
Representations for planes (3)

Direct vector representation (analog of parameterized form for line segments).

\[ v(uA + (1-u)B) + (1-v)C \]
\[ t = uv \quad \text{and} \quad s = v \]
\[ C + t(A-B) + s(B-C) \]
(linear combination of two vectors, offset by another)

Typical Graphics Problems

Which side of a plane is a point on?

Is a 3D point in a convex 2D polygon?

Sign of \((X - X_0) \cdot \hat{n}\)

Is a 3D point in a convex 2D polygon?

Two issues.

First, is the point on the plane of the polygon?
If so, is it inside the polygon
Dots, Software, and Lines

CRT Displays

- Phosphors glow when hit by electron beam.
- Color is adjusted via intensity of beam delivered to each of R, G, and B phosphor.
- CRT display phosphors glow for limited time—need to be refreshed (typically about 75 times a second).
- Too much glow time would make animation hard.
CRT Displays

- Raster displays refresh by scanning from top to bottom in left right order.
- Timing is used to make screen elements correspond to memory elements.
- Memory elements called pixels
- Refresh method creates architectural and programming issues (e.g. double buffering), defines “real time” in animation.

Flat Panel TFT* Displays

*Thin film transistor

[ H&B, pp 44-47]
3D displays

Enhances 3D effect by using some scheme to control what each eye sees. Examples:
- Color: + glasses with filters
- Polarization: + glasses
- Temporal: + shutter glasses
- Angles: + assumptions about viewer’s location (or head tracking)

*Google “3D display without glasses” OR “autostereo”

OpenGL and GLUT

Demo and discussion of example program

http://www.cs.arizona.edu/classes/cs433/fall06/triangle.c

Questions:

Standard (properly constructed) 2D image of 3D looks three dimensional. Why?

If it already looks 3D, why bother with a 3D display?

Why do 3D displays enhance the three dimensional effect.
OpenGL and GLUT

- Layer between your program and lower levels (hardware, low level display issues)
- Provides primitives
  - points
  - lines
  - polygons
  - bitmaps, fonts
- Provides standard graphics facilities
  - We will learn how some of these work. Some assignments will therefore have some routines “out of bounds”
  - GLUT simplifies interactive program development with intuitive callbacks and additional facilities (menus, window management).

Callbacks

- We are happy that OpenGL deals with the complexities of user actions (e.g. a click and drag action).
- If the user action is waited on, and interpreted by OpenGL, that means that the control is in OpenGL
- But your code needs to handle the action
- Standard solution --- “callback”
  - You give OpenGL a routine for each action you are interested in that it will call when the user does something (“register the callback”).

OpenGL and GLUT

- Initialization code from the example

```c
/* initialize GLUT system */
glutInit(&argc, argv);
glutInitDisplayMode(GLUT_RGB | GLUT_DOUBLE);
glutInitWindowSize(400, 500); /* width=400pixels height=500pixels */
win = glutCreateWindow("Triangle"); /* create window */
/* From this point on the current window is win */
/* set background to black */
glcClearColor(GLclampf)0.0,(GLclampf)0.0,(GLclampf)0.0,(GLclampf)0.0);
gluOrtho2D(0.0,400.0,0.0,500.0); /* how object is mapped to window */
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static void display_CB(void)
{
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT); /* clear the display */
    /* set current color */
    glColor3d(triangle_red, triangle_green, triangle_blue);
    /* draw filled triangle */
    glBegin(GL_POLYGON);
    /* specify each vertex of triangle */
    glVertex2i(200 + displacement_x, 125 - displacement_y);
    glVertex2i(100 + displacement_x, 375 - displacement_y);
    glVertex2i(300 + displacement_x, 375 - displacement_y);
    glEnd(); /* OpenGL draws the filled triangle */
    glFlush(); /* Complete any pending operations */
    glutSwapBuffers(); /* Make the drawing buffer the frame buffer and vice versa */
}

static void key_CB(unsigned char key, int x, int y)
{
    if (key == 'q') exit(0);
}

/* \ /
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... */

static void mouse_move_CB(int x, int y)
{
    /* See example on-line for sample code. */
}

OpenGL and GLUT

- User input is through callbacks, e.g.,

  /* set window’s key callback */
  glutKeyboardFunc(key_CB);

  /* set window’s mouse callback */
  glutMouseFunc(mouse_CB);

  /* set window’s mouse move with button pressed callback */
  glutMotionFunc(mouse_move_CB);

OpenGL and GLUT

- GLUT makes pop-up menus easy. We will save development time by using (perhaps abusing) this facility.

  /* Create a menu which is accessed by the right button. */
  submenus = glutCreateMenu(select_triangle_color);
  glutAddMenuEntry("Red", KJB_RED);
  glutAddMenuEntry("Green", KJB_GREEN);
  glutAddMenuEntry("Blue", KJB_BLUE);
  glutAddMenuEntry("White", KJB_WHITE);
  glutCreateMenu(add_object_CB);
  glutAddMenuEntry("Triangle", KJB_TRIANGLE);
  glutAddMenuEntry("Square", KJB_SQUARE);
  glutAddSubMenu("Color", submenus);
  glutAttachMenu(GLUT_RIGHT_BUTTON);
OpenGL and GLUT

- Ready for the user!

    /* start processing events... */
    glutMainLoop();

- For the rest of the code see
  http://www.cs.arizona.edu/classes/cs433/fall06/triangle.c