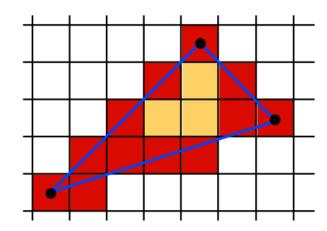
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Outline

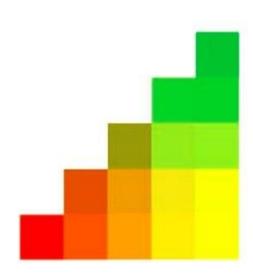
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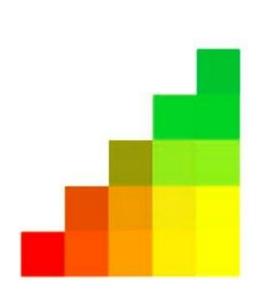


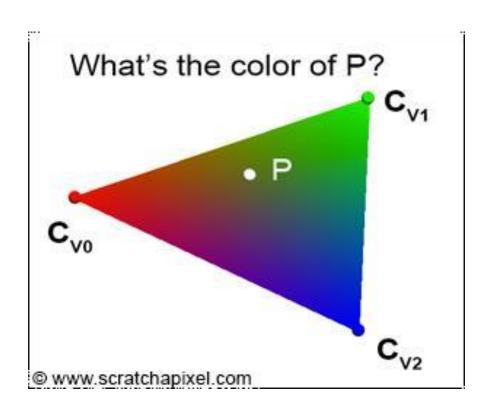
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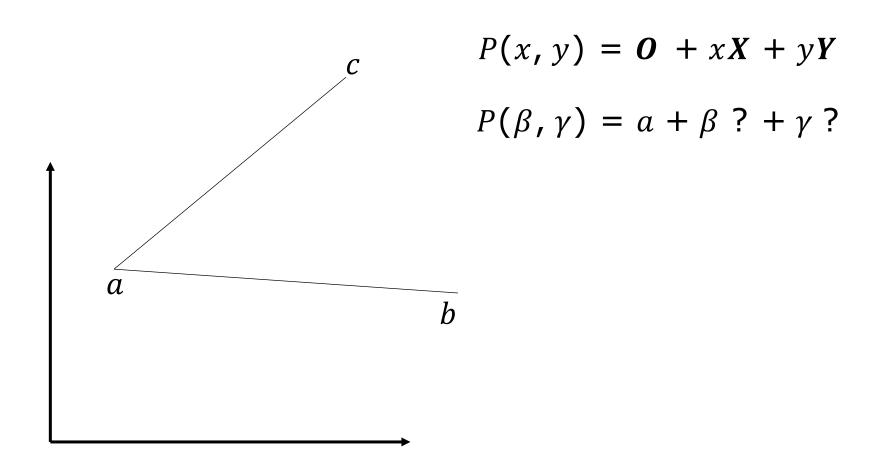
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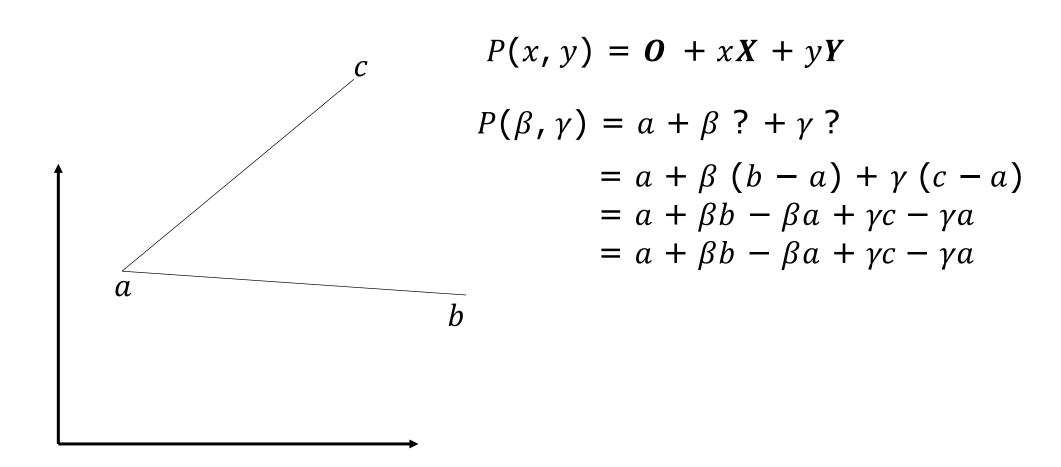


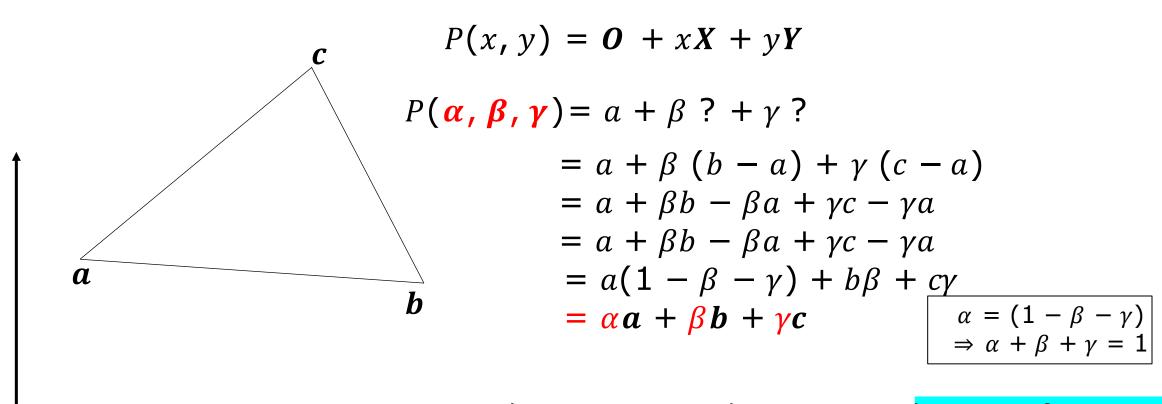
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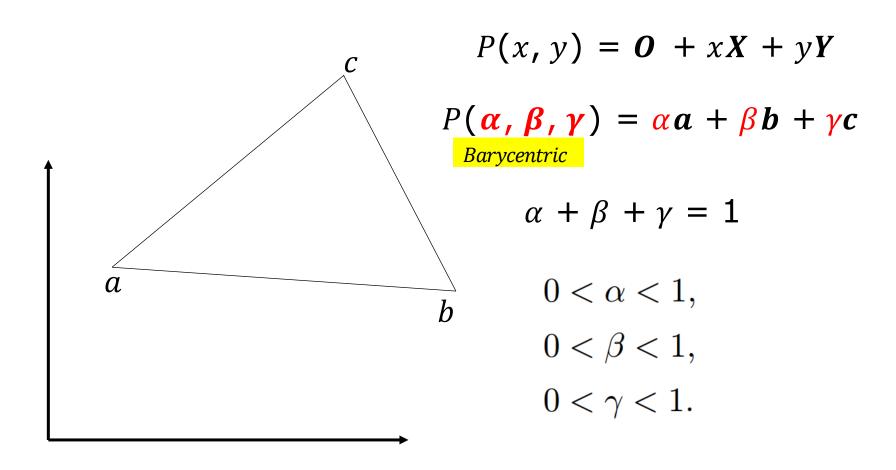


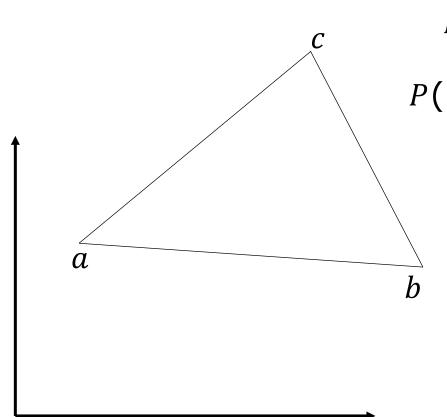






In a barycentric coordinate system: *location of a point is* specified by reference to a triangle for points in a plane.





$$P(x, y) = \mathbf{0} + xX + yY$$

$$P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma) = \alpha a + \beta b + \gamma c$$

$$\alpha + \beta + \gamma = 1$$

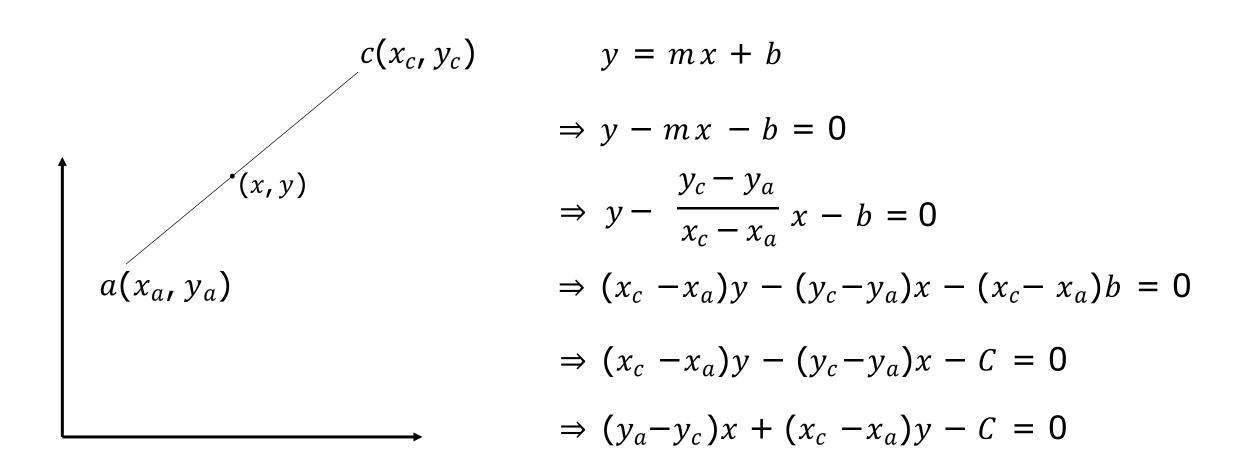
$$0 < \alpha < 1$$
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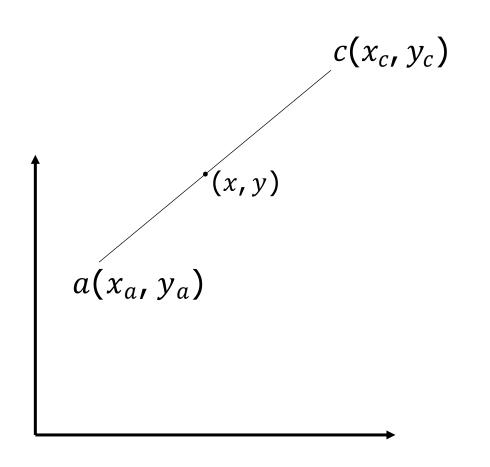
$$0 < \beta < 1$$
,

$$0 < \gamma < 1$$
.

 $Cartesian \rightarrow Barycentric$

$$P(x, y) \rightarrow P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$$

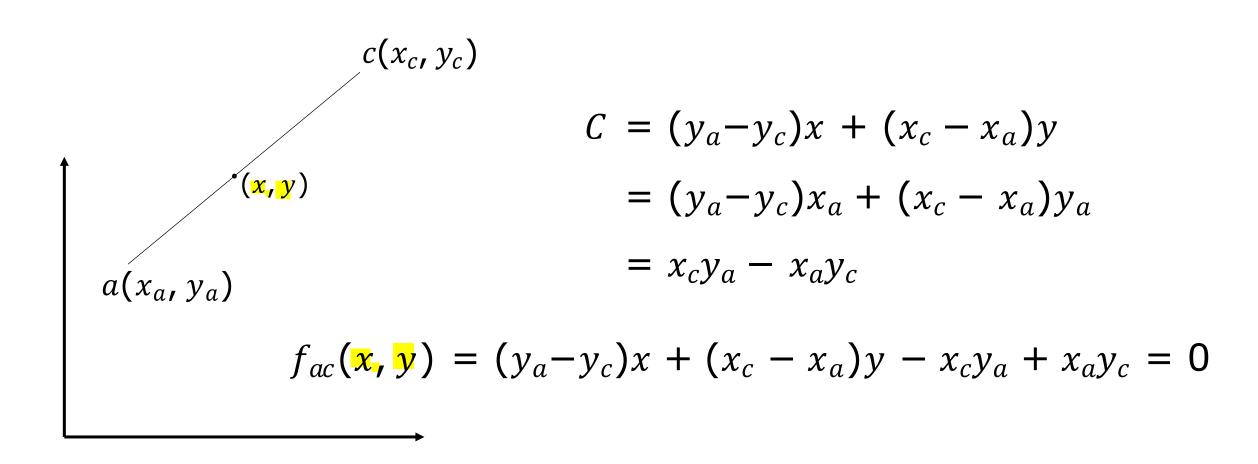


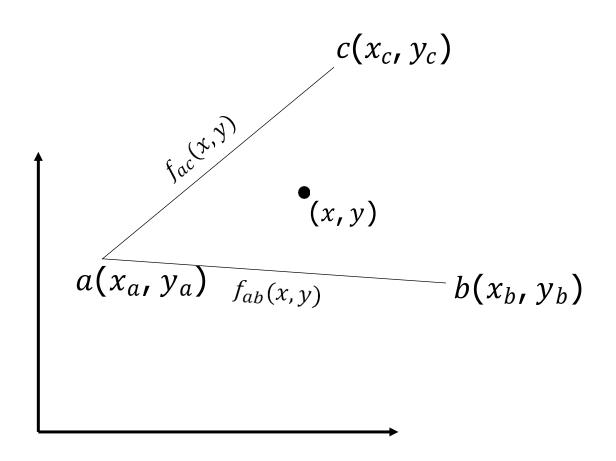


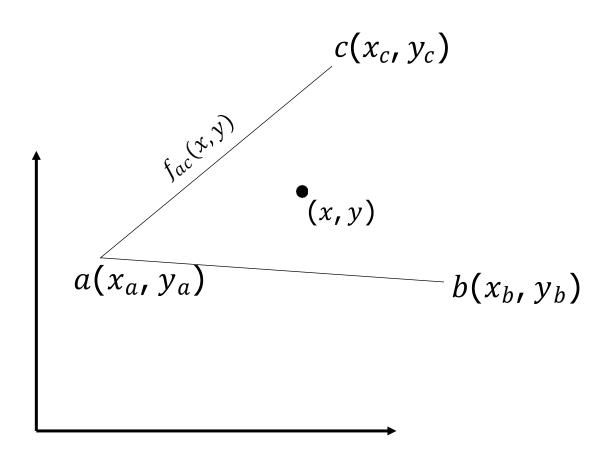
$$C = (y_a - y_c)x + (x_c - x_a)y$$

$$= (y_a - y_c)x_a + (x_c - x_a)y_a$$

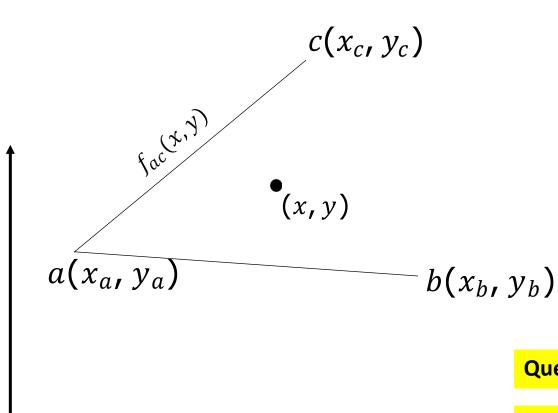
$$= x_c y_a - x_a y_c$$







$$\beta = \frac{f_{ac}(x,y)}{f_{ac}(x_b,y_b)}$$

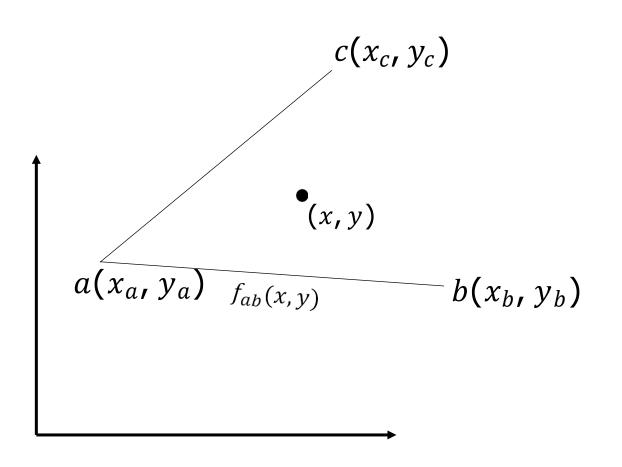


$$\beta = \frac{f_{ac}(x,y)}{f_{ac}(x_b,y_b)}$$

$$= \frac{(y_a - y_c)x + (x_c - x_a)y + x_ay_c - x_cy_a}{(y_a - y_c)x_b + (x_c - x_a)y_b + x_ay_c - x_cy_a},$$

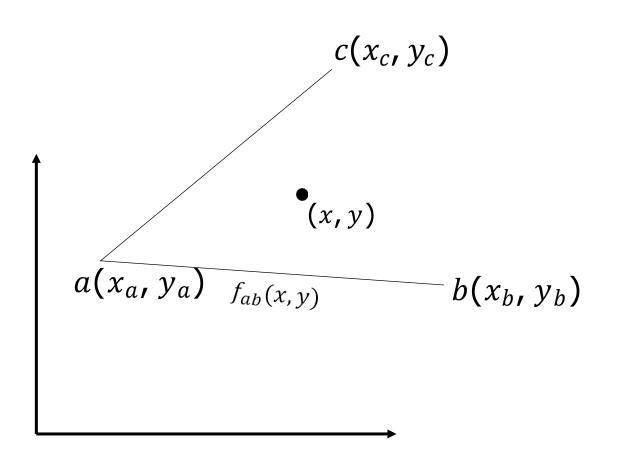
Question – 1: In which case β becomes 1?

Question – 2: What will happen when (x,y) lies on $f_{ab}(x,y)$



$$\beta = \frac{f_{ac}(x, y)}{f_{ac}(x_b, y_b)}$$

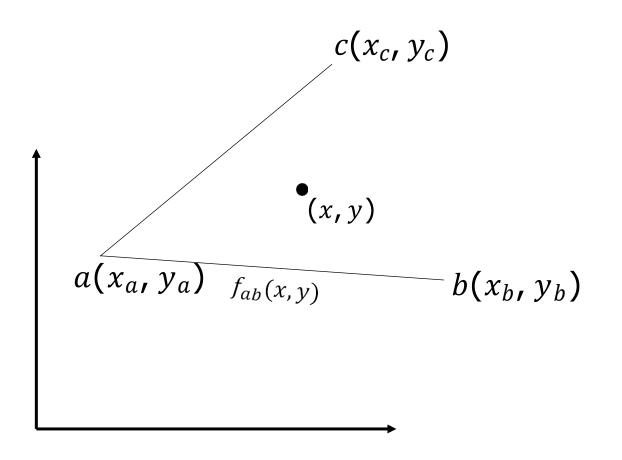
$$\gamma = \frac{f_{ab}(x, y)}{f_{ab}(x_c, y_c)}$$



$$\beta = \frac{f_{ac}(x,y)}{f_{ac}(x_b,y_b)}$$

$$\gamma = \frac{f_{ab}(x, y)}{f_{ab}(x_c, y_c)}$$

$$\alpha = 1 - \beta - \gamma$$



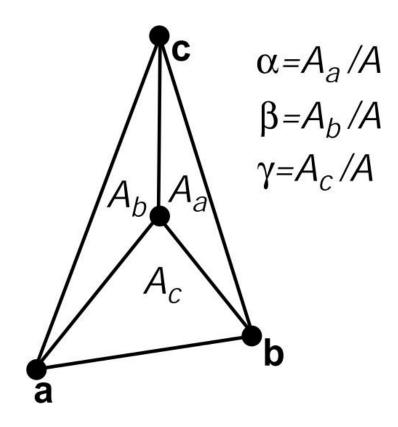
$$P(x, y) \rightarrow P(\alpha, \beta, \gamma)$$

$$\beta = \frac{f_{ac}(x, y)}{f_{ac}(x_b, y_b)}$$

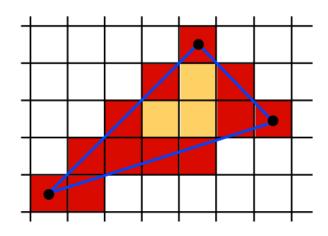
$$\gamma = \frac{f_{ab}(x, y)}{f_{ab}(x_c, y_c)}$$

$$\alpha = 1 - \beta - \gamma$$

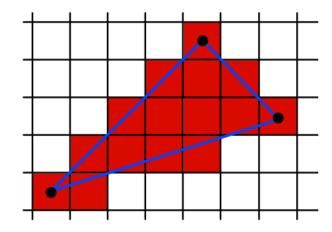
Another approach:



Triangle Rasterization (1/7)



Use Midpoint Algorithm for edges and fill in?

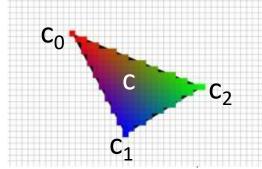


Use an approach based on barycentric coordinates

Triangle Rasterization (2/7)

• If the vertices have colors c_0 , c_1 , and c_2 , the color at a point in the triangle with *Barycentric coordinates* (α , β , γ) is:

$$\mathbf{c} = \alpha \mathbf{c}_0 + \beta \mathbf{c}_1 + \gamma \mathbf{c}_2$$



This type of interpolation of color is known in graphics as Gouraud interpolation

Triangle Rasterization (3/7)

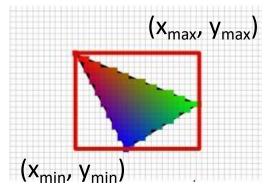
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for all x do for all y do compute (\alpha, \beta, \gamma) for (x, y) if (\alpha \in [0, 1] and \beta \in [0, 1] and \gamma \in [0, 1]) then \mathbf{c} = \alpha \mathbf{c}_0 + \beta \mathbf{c}_1 + \gamma \mathbf{c}_2 drawpixel (x, y) with color \mathbf{c}
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Triangle Rasterization (4/7)

for
$$y = y_{\min}$$
 to y_{\max} do
for $x = x_{\min}$ to x_{\max} do

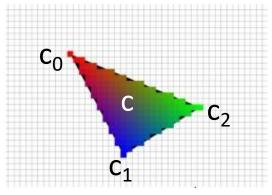
compute (α, β, γ) for (x, y)

if
$$(\alpha > 0 \text{ and } \beta > 0 \text{ and } \gamma > 0)$$
 then $\mathbf{c} = \alpha \mathbf{c}_0 + \beta \mathbf{c}_1 + \gamma \mathbf{c}_2$ drawpixel (x, y) with color \mathbf{c}



Triangle Rasterization (5/7)

$$\begin{aligned} & \textbf{for } y = y_{\min} \text{ to } y_{\max} \, \textbf{do} \\ & \boldsymbol{\alpha} = x_{\min} \text{ to } x_{\max} \, \textbf{do} \\ & \boldsymbol{\alpha} = f_{12}(x,y)/f_{12}(x_0,y_0) \\ & \boldsymbol{\beta} = f_{20}(x,y)/f_{20}(x_1,y_1) \\ & \boldsymbol{\gamma} = f_{01}(x,y)/f_{01}(x_2,y_2) \\ & \textbf{if } (\boldsymbol{\alpha} > 0 \text{ and } \boldsymbol{\beta} > 0 \text{ and } \boldsymbol{\gamma} > 0) \textbf{ then} \\ & \mathbf{c} = \alpha \mathbf{c}_0 + \beta \mathbf{c}_1 + \gamma \mathbf{c}_2 \\ & \text{drawpixel } (x,y) \text{ with color } \mathbf{c} \end{aligned}$$



Triangle Rasterization (6/7)

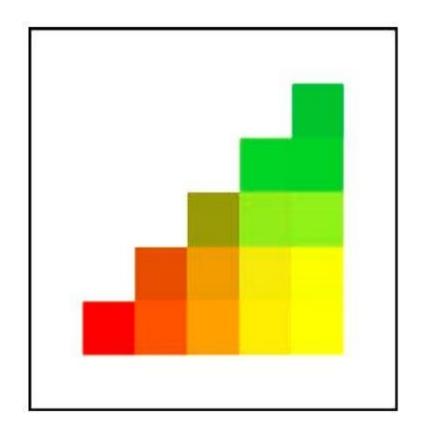
for
$$y=y_{\min}$$
 to y_{\max} do
$$for \ x=x_{\min}$$
 to x_{\max} do
$$\alpha=f_{12}(x,y)/f_{12}(x_0,y_0)$$

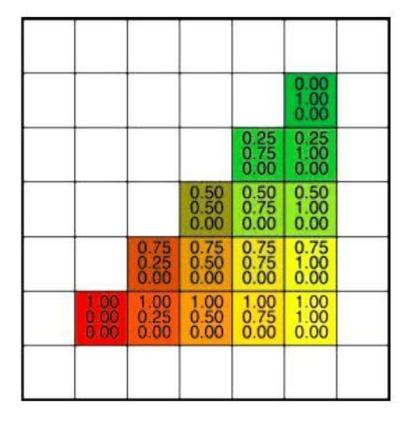
$$\beta=f_{20}(x,y)/f_{20}(x_1,y_1)$$

$$\gamma=f_{01}(x,y)/f_{01}(x_2,y_2)$$
 if $(\alpha>0$ and $\beta>0$ and $\gamma>0$) then
$$\mathbf{c}=\alpha\mathbf{c}_0+\beta\mathbf{c}_1+\gamma\mathbf{c}_2$$
 drawpixel (x,y) with color \mathbf{c}

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Triangle Rasterization (7/7)





Practice Problem

- Take three vertices of a triangle, choose two points, P and Q, such that they stay inside and outside the triangle respectively.
 - Apply barycentric interpolation and verify that P lies inside and Q lies outside the triangle.

Further Reading

 Fundamentals of Computer Graphics, 4th Edition -Chapter 8