

# Real-time Graphics Assignment 6

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- The assignments have to be done in groups of 2 students.
- Hand in the solutions to the exercises via L<sup>2</sup>P.
- You are only allowed to change code inside the marked strips (STUDENT CODE BEGIN/END)!
- Any questions? → L<sup>2</sup>P discussion forum or [rtg@cs.rwth-aachen.de](mailto:rtg@cs.rwth-aachen.de)!

If not done yet, obtain the (publicly accessible) exercise framework and assignments from <https://www.graphics.rwth-aachen.de:9000/Teaching/rtg-ws17-assignments/>.  
Use **git pull** to fetch the newest changes of the framework (including the code for this exercise).

The **only** files that you should modify and **upload**:

- dunes.vsh
- Assignment06.cc
- fluid.glsl
- (water.fsh)

**Description** In this assignment you will create a simple desert terrain with palm trees and do some water simulation.

**Controls** You can increase water height locally with the left mouse button.  
W, A, S and D keys can be used for navigation while the right mouse button allows you to rotate the camera. Double-clicking the center mouse button resets the camera position.

**Further Help** Each subtask corresponds to a code strip with more detailed comments and hints. You can find some screenshots in the folder **screenshots**.

## Exercise 1 Terrain Generation [2 Points]

In `dunes.vsh`, implement the method `getTerrainHeight` that computes a terrain height for the given 2D coordinates. You can use the perlin noise implementation `float cnoise(vec2)`, but make sure that the area around the pool has height 0.

## Exercise 2 Palm trees [0.5 + 0.5 + 1 = 2 Points]

- (a) Load the palm tree shader (`mShaderPalms`) from file.
- (b) Load the palm tree textures from disk.
- (c) Set up the palm tree shader, set the texture uniforms needed by the fragment shader and the `uPalmPos` uniform needed by the vertex shader. At last, render the palm mesh with back-face culling disabled. The palm trees should be rendered somewhere close to the pool.

### Exercise 3 Water Simulation [3 + 3 = 6 Points]

- (a) In `fluid.glsl`, first strip, implement the `updateHeight` that returns the new water height for the given coordinates. More information can be found in the shader code.
- (b) In `fluid.glsl`, second strip, implement the `updateFluxX` and `updateFluxY` methods that return the new flux values for the given coordinates. More information can be found in the shader code.

### Exercise 4 (Fix the Refraction [2 Bonus-Points])

**Note: This is a bonus task and not part of the regular exercise!**

The refraction in `water.fsh` show some artifacts when the camera is a little further a way from the pool and looks flat on the pool surface. More information on that can be found in the shader.