

The making of Teapong



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Things I'm Not
Proud of



The Subtlest Bug



Goals

- Explore fundamental concepts of computer graphics like...
 - Transformations, projections and coordinate systems
 - Texturing and shading
 - The rendering pipeline
- Using...
 - Modern OpenGL
 - Modern C++
- And have the result be...
 - Clean, organized and efficient
 - Fully cross-platform (Windows, macOS and Linux)
 - A funny combination of the "Hello, World!" equivalents of computer graphics and game development!



Goals

What do I mean with "Modern" OpenGL?

- Immediate mode:

```
1 glBegin(GL_TRIANGLES);
2     glColor3f(1.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f); glVertex2f(0.0f, 1.0f);
3     glColor3f(0.0f, 1.0f, 0.0f); glVertex2f(0.87f, -0.5f);
4     glColor3f(0.0f, 0.0f, 1.0f); glVertex2f(-0.87f, -0.5f);
5 glEnd();
```

- The driver cannot transfer data or tell the GPU to start rendering before glEnd is called.

- Retained mode:

- You fill a buffer with data and give it to OpenGL.
- Your application no longer owns that buffer, so it cannot modify it.
- Because of this, the driver can transfer the data in that buffer whenever the bus is free.
- Any calls to glDrawArrays go into a work queue and return immediately, before actually finishing.
- Your application and the GPU run **asynchronously**!

```
1 GLfloat vertices[36] = {...};
2
3 glEnableClientState(GL_VERTEX_ARRAY);
4 glVertexPointer(3, GL_FLOAT, 0, vertices);
5
6 glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLES, 0, 36);
```

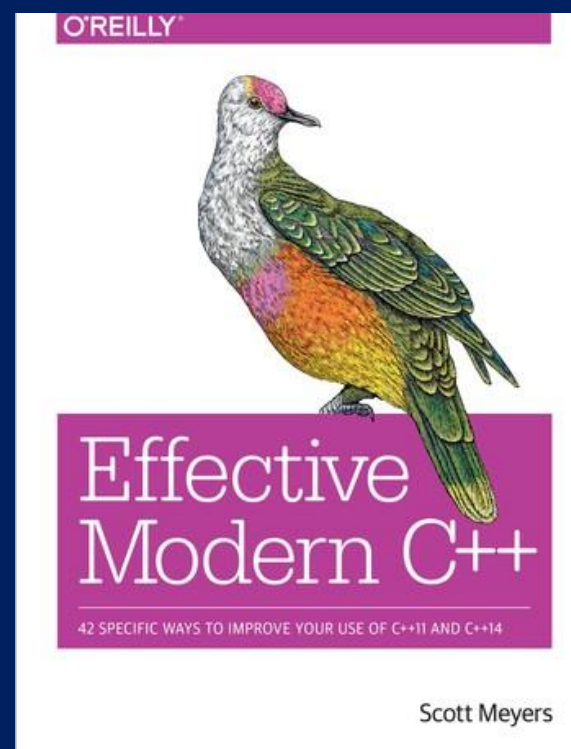
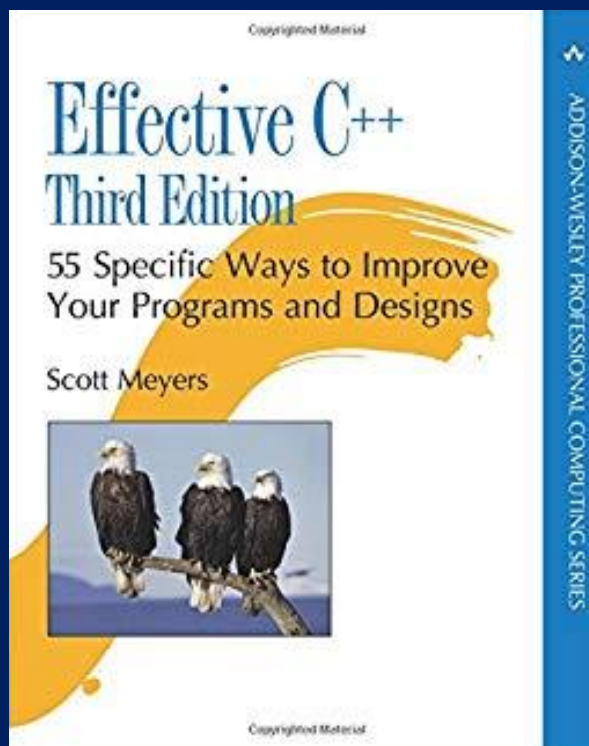
- The driver can only transfer a copy of your array when glDrawArrays is called, and it must block your application while doing so.



Goals

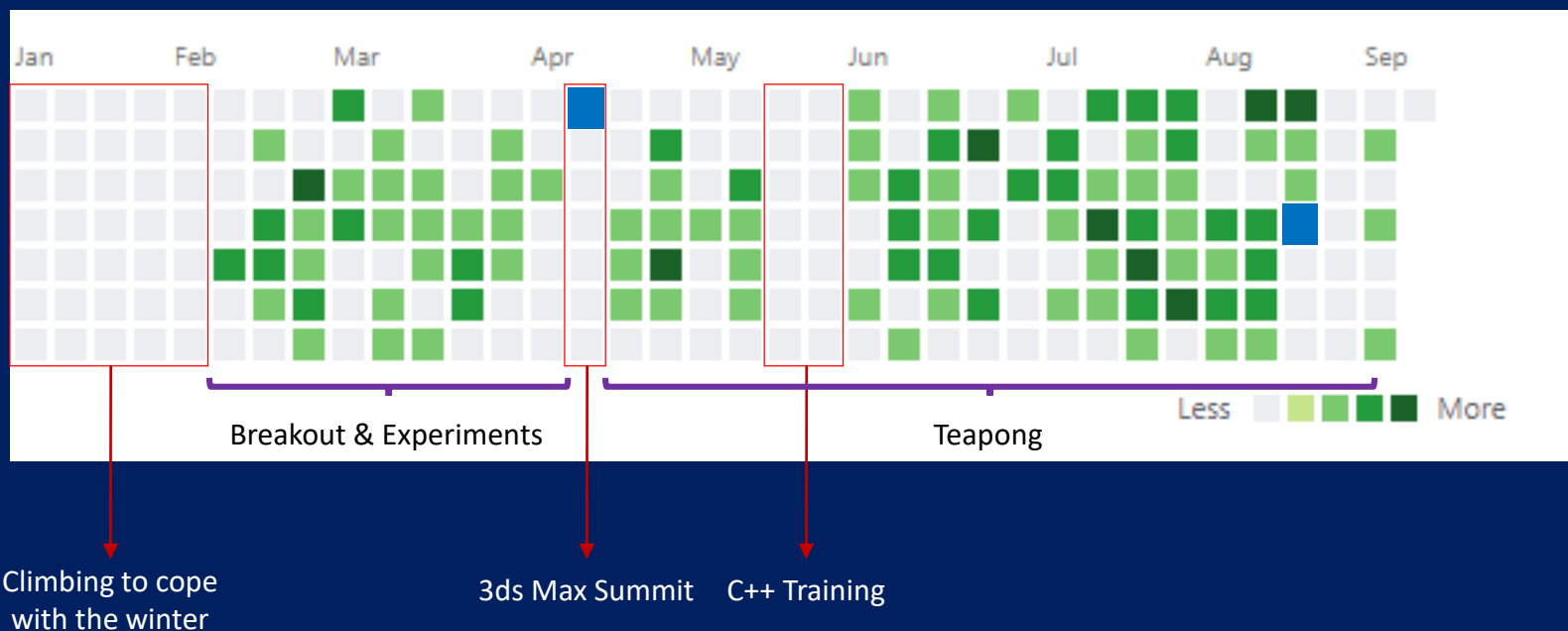
What do I mean with "Modern" C++?

- Incorporate as many ideas as possible from Scott Meyers' "Effective C++" books





Timeline



- 4 months and 7 days from first push to demo
- 68 days in which code was pushed
- 3200 lines of code and 50 different files



External Libraries

- **GLFW**

- Create an OpenGL context
- Create a window
- Receive input from the keyboard and mouse

```
mWindow = glfwCreateWindow(mWidthInPix, mHeightInPix, mTitle.c_str(), nullptr, nullptr);  
if (!mWindow)  
{  
    glfwTerminate();  
}
```

- **GLAD**

- Load pointers to OpenGL functions

```
if (!gladLoadGLLoader((GLADloadproc)glfwGetProcAddress))  
{  
    return false;  
}
```

- **OpenGL Mathematics (GLM)**

- **Open Asset Import Library (Assimp)**

- Import 3D models

```
Assimp::Importer importer;  
const aiScene* scene = importer.ReadFile(modelFilePath, aiProcess_Triangulate | aiProcess_FlipUVs);
```

- **stb_image**

- Load textures

```
int width, height, numComponents;  
std::unique_ptr<unsigned char> texData(stbi_load(texFilePath.c_str(), &width, &height, &numComponents, 0));
```

- **irrKlang**

- Play music and sound effects

```
irrklang::ISound* backgroundMusic = mSoundEngine->play2D("sounds/filaments.mp3", true, false, true);  
backgroundMusic->setVolume(0.3f);
```



Bird's-eye View

Movable
Object2D

Object2D

Paddle

Ball

Movable
Object3D

Object3D

Model

Mesh

Vertex

Material

Texture

Constants

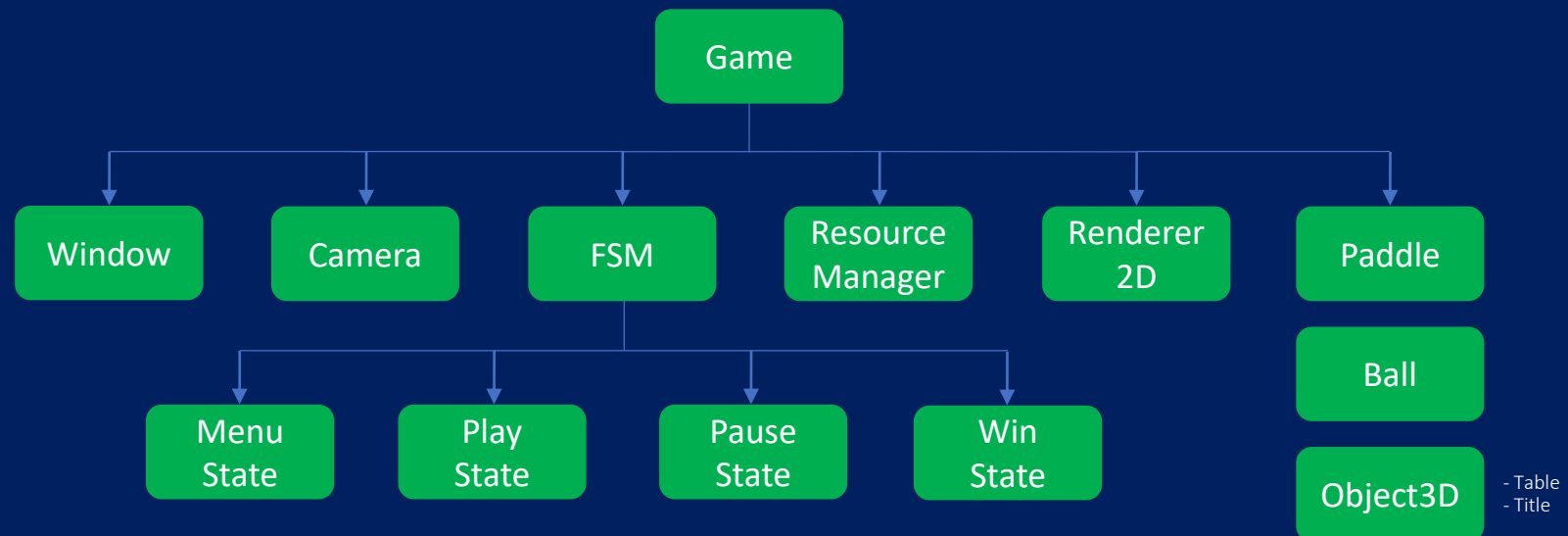
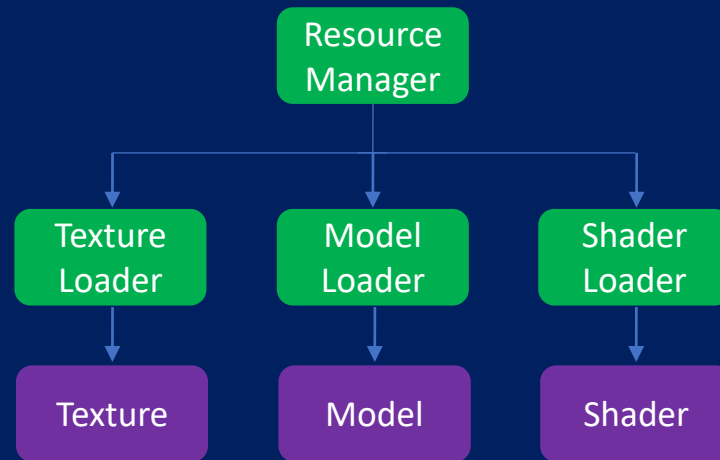
Shader

- Position
- Normal
- Tex Coords

- Ambient
- Emissive
- Diffuse
- Specular
- Shininess



Bird's-eye View



- Table
- Title



Modern C++ Features

1) Smart pointers (with custom deleters!)

```
class Game
{
public:
    Game();
    ~Game();

    // ...

    bool initialize(unsigned int widthInPix, unsigned int heightInPix, const std::string& title);
    // ...

private:
    std::shared_ptr<FiniteStateMachine> mFSM;
    std::shared_ptr<Window> mWindow;
    std::shared_ptr<irrklang::ISoundEngine> mSoundEngine;
    // ...
};
```

```
Game::Game()
{
    mFSM();
    mWindow();
    mSoundEngine(irrklang::createIrrKlangDevice(),
        [=](irrklang::ISoundEngine* soundEngine){soundEngine->drop();})
    // ...
}
```



```
std::shared_ptr<Texture> TextureLoader::loadResource(const std::string& texFilePath,
    unsigned int wrapS,
    unsigned int wrapT,
    unsigned int minFilter,
    unsigned int magFilter,
    bool genMipmap) const
{
    int width, height, numComponents;
    std::unique_ptr<unsigned char, void(*)(void*)> texData(stbi_load(texFilePath.c_str(), &width, &height, &numComponents, 0), stbi_image_free);
    // ...

    return std::make_shared<Texture>(texID);
}
```



Modern C++ Features

2) Emplacement

```
struct Vertex
{
    Vertex(const glm::vec3& position,
           const glm::vec3& normal,
           const glm::vec2& texCoords)
        : position(position)
        , normal(normal)
        , texCoords(texCoords)
    {}
    // ...

    glm::vec3 position;
    glm::vec3 normal;
    glm::vec2 texCoords;
};
```

```
std::vector<Vertex> ModelLoader::processVertices(const aiMesh* mesh) const
{
    std::vector<Vertex> vertices;
    vertices.reserve(mesh->mNumVertices);

    // Loop over the vertices of the mesh
    for (unsigned int i = 0; i < mesh->mNumVertices; i++)
    {
        Vertex vert(glm::vec3(mesh->mVertices[i].x, mesh->mVertices[i].y, mesh->mVertices[i].z), // Position
                    glm::vec3(mesh->mNormals[i].x, mesh->mNormals[i].y, mesh->mNormals[i].z), // Normal
                    glm::vec2(mesh->mTextureCoords[0][i].x, mesh->mTextureCoords[0][i].y)); // Texture coordinates
        vertices.push_back(vert);
    }

    return vertices;
}
```

Compiler could take advantage of move semantics, but that is not guaranteed

```
std::vector<Vertex> ModelLoader::processVertices(const aiMesh* mesh) const
{
    std::vector<Vertex> vertices;
    vertices.reserve(mesh->mNumVertices);

    // Loop over the vertices of the mesh
    for (unsigned int i = 0; i < mesh->mNumVertices; i++)
    {
        vertices.emplace_back(glm::vec3(mesh->mVertices[i].x, mesh->mVertices[i].y, mesh->mVertices[i].z), // Position
                              glm::vec3(mesh->mNormals[i].x, mesh->mNormals[i].y, mesh->mNormals[i].z), // Normal
                              glm::vec2(mesh->mTextureCoords[0][i].x, mesh->mTextureCoords[0][i].y)); // Texture coordinates
    }

    return vertices;
}
```

Perfect forward



Modern C++ Features

3) Variadic templates and perfect forwarding

```
class Game
{
public:
    Game();
    ~Game();

    // ...

    bool initialize(unsigned int widthInPix, unsigned int heightInPix, const std::string& title);
    // ...

private:
    std::shared_ptr<FiniteStateMachine> mFSM;
    std::shared_ptr<Window> mWindow;
    std::shared_ptr<irrklang::ISoundEngine> mSoundEngine;
    std::shared_ptr<Camera> mCamera;
    std::shared_ptr<Renderer2D> mRenderer2D;
    ResourceManager<Model> mModelManager;
    ResourceManager<Texture> mTextureManager;
    ResourceManager<Shader> mShaderManager;

    std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D> mTitle;
    std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D> mTable;
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mLeftPaddle;
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mRightPaddle;
    std::shared_ptr<Ball> mBall;
};
```

Class template

Function
template

3 arguments!

4 arguments!

```
// Load shaders
mShaderManager.loadResource<ShaderLoader>("game_object_3D",
                                           "shaders/game_object_3D.vs",
                                           "shaders/game_object_3D.fs");

mShaderManager.loadResource<ShaderLoader>("game_object_3D_explosive",
                                           "shaders/game_object_3D.vs",
                                           "shaders/game_object_3D.fs",
                                           "shaders/game_object_3D_explosive.gs");

// Load models
mModelManager.loadResource<ModelLoader>("title", "models/title/title.obj");
mModelManager.loadResource<ModelLoader>("table", "models/table/table.obj");
mModelManager.loadResource<ModelLoader>("paddle", "models/paddle/paddle.obj");
mModelManager.loadResource<ModelLoader>("teapot", "models/teapot/teapot.obj");
```

```
std::shared_ptr<Shader> gameObj2DShader = mShaderManager.getResource("game_object_2D");
std::shared_ptr<Shader> gameObj3DExplosiveShader = mShaderManager.getResource("game_object_3D_explosive");
std::shared_ptr<Model> teapot = mModelManager.getResource("teapot");
```

2 arguments!



Modern C++ Features

3) Variadic templates and perfect forwarding

```
template<typename TResource>
class ResourceManager
{
public:
    ResourceManager() = default;
    ~ResourceManager() = default;

    // ...

    template<typename TResourceLoader, typename... Args>
    std::shared_ptr<TResource> loadResource(const std::string& resourceID, Args&&... args);

    // ...

    std::shared_ptr<TResource> getResource(const std::string& resourceID) const;

    // ...

private:
    std::unordered_map<std::string, std::shared_ptr<TResource>> mResources;
};
```

```
std::shared_ptr<Shader> gameObj2DShader = mShaderManager.getResource("game_object_2D");
std::shared_ptr<Shader> gameObj3DExplosiveShader = mShaderManager.getResource("game_object_3D_explosive");
std::shared_ptr<Model> teapot = mModelManager.getResource("teapot");
```

```
template<typename TResource>
std::shared_ptr<TResource> ResourceManager<TResource>::getResource(const std::string& resourceID) const
{
    auto it = mResources.find(resourceID);
    if (it != mResources.end())
    {
        return it->second;
    }
    else
    {
        std::cout << "Error -- A resource with the following ID does not exist: " << resourceID << "\n";
        return nullptr;
    }
}
```



Modern C++ Features

3) Variadic templates and perfect forwarding

```
// Load shaders
mShaderManager.loadResource<ShaderLoader>("game_object_3D",
..... "shaders/game_object_3D.vs",
..... "shaders/game_object_3D.fs");
```

Peel off the first argument from the parameter pack and forward the rest

Implicit Requirement

All resource loaders must have a public function called `loadResource` that returns a `std::shared_ptr`

Universal
reference

Perfect forward



Modern C++ Features

3) Variadic templates and perfect forwarding

```
...// Load shaders
mShaderManager.loadResource<ShaderLoader>("game_object_3D",
... "shaders/game_object_3D.vs",
... "shaders/game_object_3D.fs");
```

```
class ShaderLoader
{
public:
    ShaderLoader() = default;
    ~ShaderLoader() = default;
    // ...

    std::shared_ptr<Shader> loadResource(const std::string& vShaderFilePath,
    ... const std::string& fShaderFilePath) const;
    std::shared_ptr<Shader> loadResource(const std::string& vShaderFilePath,
    ... const std::string& fShaderFilePath,
    ... const std::string& gShaderFilePath) const;
private:
    unsigned int createAndCompileShader(const std::string& shaderFilePath, GLenum shaderType) const;
    unsigned int createAndLinkShaderProgram(unsigned int vShaderID, unsigned int fShaderID) const;
    unsigned int createAndLinkShaderProgram(unsigned int vShaderID, unsigned int fShaderID, unsigned int gShaderID) const;
    void checkForCompilationErrors(unsigned int shaderID, GLenum shaderType, const std::string& shaderFilePath) const;
    void checkForLinkingErrors(unsigned int shaderProgID) const;
};
```

```
mModelManager.loadResource<ModelLoader>("teapot",
... "models/teapot/teapot.obj");
```

```
class ModelLoader
{
public:
    ModelLoader() = default;
    ~ModelLoader() = default;
    // ...

    std::shared_ptr<Model> loadResource(const std::string& modelFilePath) const;
private:
    // ...
};
```

```
class TextureLoader
{
public:
    TextureLoader() = default;
    ~TextureLoader() = default;
    // ...

    std::shared_ptr<Texture> loadResource(const std::string& texFilePath,
    ... unsigned int wrapS = GL_REPEAT,
    ... unsigned int wrapT = GL_REPEAT,
    ... unsigned int minFilter = GL_LINEAR,
    ... unsigned int magFilter = GL_LINEAR,
    ... bool genMipmap = false) const;
private:
    // ...
};
```



Key Insights

1) The object-oriented language problem - RAI and hidden destructor calls

texture.h

```
class Texture
{
public:
    Texture(unsigned int texID);
    ~Texture();

    void bind() const;

private:
    unsigned int mTexID;
};
```

texture.cpp

```
Texture::Texture(unsigned int texID)
    : mTexID(texID)
{
}

Texture::~Texture()
{
    glDeleteTextures(1, &mTexID);
}

void Texture::bind() const
{
    glBindTexture(GL_TEXTURE_2D, mTexID);
}
```

The problem

```
Texture getTexture(const std::string& texName)
{
    unsigned int texID;

    // Get the ID of the texture...

    Texture tex(texID);

    return tex;
}
```




Key Insights

1) The object-oriented language problem - RAI and hidden destructor calls

texture.h

```
class Texture
{
public:
    Texture(unsigned int texID);
    ~Texture();

    Texture(const Texture&) = delete;
    Texture& operator=(const Texture&) = delete;

    Texture(Texture&& rhs) noexcept;
    Texture& operator=(Texture&& rhs) noexcept;

    void bind() const;

private:
    unsigned int mTexID;
};
```

texture.cpp

```
Texture::Texture(unsigned int texID)
    : mTexID(texID)
{
}

Texture::~Texture()
{
    glDeleteTextures(1, &mTexID);
}

void Texture::bind() const
{
    glBindTexture(GL_TEXTURE_2D, mTexID);
}
```

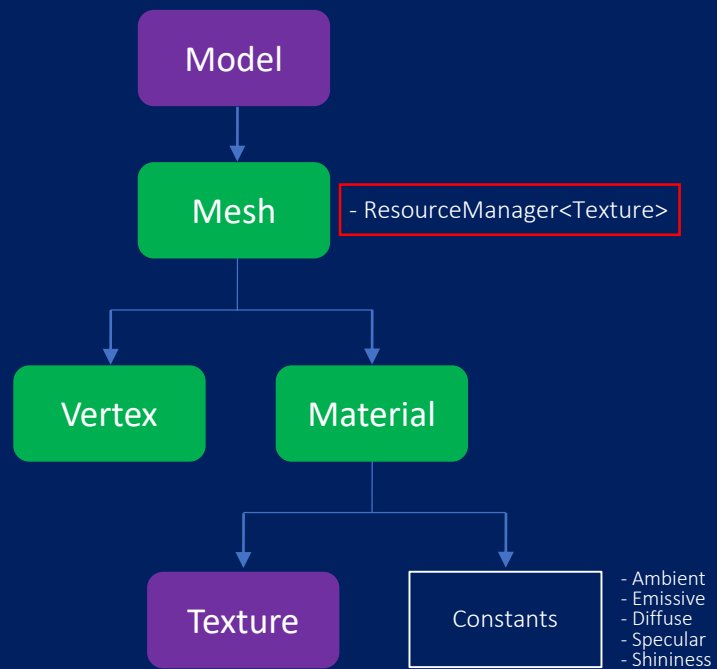
```
Texture::Texture(Texture&& rhs) noexcept
    : mTexID(std::exchange(rhs.mTexID, 0))
{
}

Texture& Texture::operator=(Texture&& rhs) noexcept
{
    mTexID = std::exchange(rhs.mTexID, 0);
    return *this;
}
```

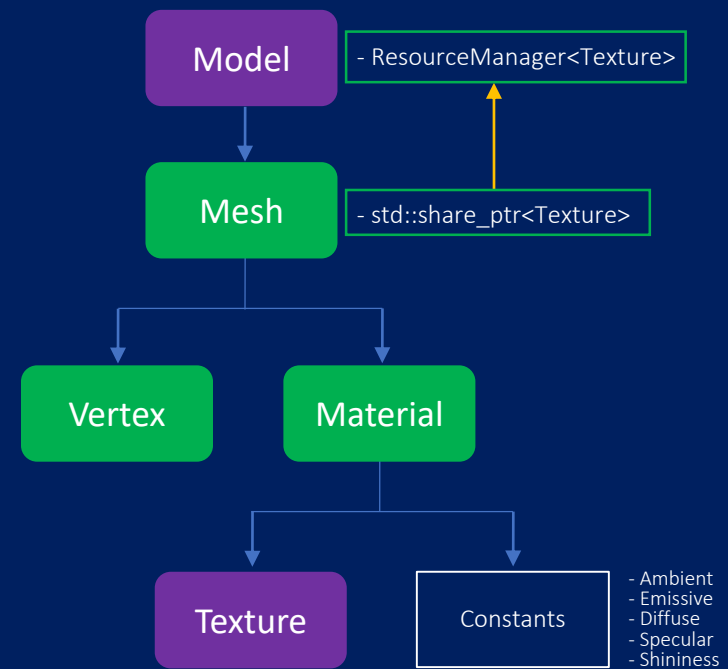


Key Insights

2) The repeated textures problem



Avoid loading a texture more than once by allowing meshes to share them!





Key Insights

3) The constant VS texture problem

teapot.mtl

```
# 3ds Max Wavefront OBJ Exporter v0.97b --(c)2007 guruware
# File Created: 19.08.2019 18:04:18

newmtl Teapot_Material
  Ns 50.0000
  Ni 1.5000
  d 1.0000
  Tr 0.0000
  Tf 1.0000 1.0000 1.0000
  illum 2
  Ka 0.5882 0.5882 0.5882
  Kd 0.5882 0.5882 0.5882
  Ks 0.9020 0.9020 0.9020
  Ke 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
  map_Ka teapot_ambient.jpg
  map_Kd teapot_diffuse.jpg
  map_Ks teapot_specular.jpg
```



mesh.h

```
struct MaterialConstants
{
  glm::vec3 ambientColor;
  glm::vec3 emissiveColor;
  glm::vec3 diffuseColor;
  glm::vec3 specularColor;
  float shininess;
};

struct MaterialTexture
{
  std::shared_ptr<Texture> texture;
  std::string uniformName;
};

struct Material
{
  MaterialConstants constants;
  std::vector<MaterialTexture> textures;
  std::bitset<4> textureAvailabilities;
};
```



game_object_3D.fs

```
uniform sampler2D ambientTex;
uniform sampler2D emissiveTex;
uniform sampler2D diffuseTex;
uniform sampler2D specularTex;

struct MaterialTextureAvailabilities
{
  int ambientTexIsAvailable;
  int emissiveTexIsAvailable;
  int diffuseTexIsAvailable;
  int specularTexIsAvailable;
};

uniform MaterialTextureAvailabilities materialTextureAvailabilities;

struct MaterialConstants
{
  vec3 ambient;
  vec3 emissive;
  vec3 diffuse;
  vec3 specular;
  float shininess;
};

uniform MaterialConstants materialConstants;
```

How does the shader efficiently decide whether it should use a constant or a texture?



Key Insights

3) The constant VS texture problem

game_object_3D.fs

```
vec3 calculateContributionOfPointLight(PointLight light, vec3 viewDir)
{
    ....

    ....//Emissive
    ..vec3 emissive;
    ..if (matTexAvails.emissiveTexIsAvail)
    ..{
        ..emissive = texture(emissiveTex, i.texCoords);
    ..}
    ..else
    ..{
        ..emissive = matConstants.emissive;
    ..}

    ....//....

    ..return (ambient + diffuse + specular + emissive);
}
```

```
vec3 calculateContributionOfPointLight(PointLight light, vec3 viewDir)
{
    ....//....

    ....//Emissive
    ..vec3 emissive = (texture(emissiveTex, i.texCoords) * matTexAvails.emissiveTexIsAvail) - (matConstants.emissive * (matTexAvails.emissiveTexIsAvail - 1));

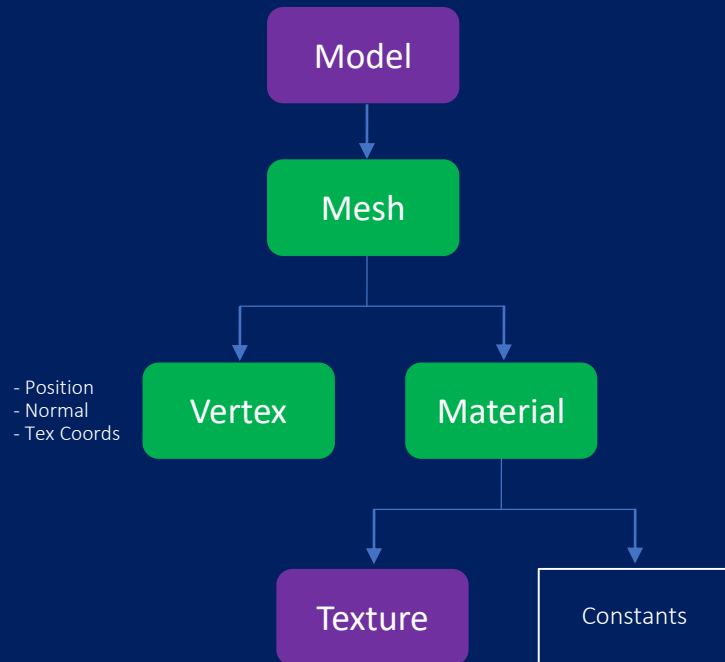
    ....//....

    ..return (ambient + diffuse + specular + emissive);
}
```



Key Insights

4) The expensive mesh problem



mesh.h

```
class Mesh
{
public:
    Mesh(const std::vector<Vertex>& vertices,
          const std::vector<unsigned int>& indices,
          const Material& material);
    ~Mesh();

    Mesh(const Mesh&) = delete;
    Mesh& operator=(const Mesh&) = delete;

    Mesh(Mesh&& rhs) noexcept;
    Mesh& operator=(Mesh&& rhs) noexcept;

    void render(const Shader& shader) const;
    // ...

private:
    void configureVAO();

    std::vector<Vertex> mVertices;
    std::vector<unsigned int> mIndices;
    Material mMaterial;

    unsigned int mVAO;
};
```

mesh.cpp

```
Mesh::Mesh(const std::vector<Vertex>& vertices,
            const std::vector<unsigned int>& indices,
            const Material& material)
    : mVertices(vertices)
    , mIndices(indices)
    , mMaterial(material)
{
    configureVAO();
}

Mesh::~Mesh()
{
    glDeleteVertexArrays(1, &mVAO);
}

void Mesh::render(const Shader& shader) const
{
    // Set material uniforms...

    glBindVertexArray(mVAO);
    glDrawElements(GL_TRIANGLES, mIndices.size(), GL_UNSIGNED_INT, 0);
    glBindVertexArray(0);
}
```



Key Insights

4) The expensive mesh problem

mesh.h

```
class Mesh
{
public:
    Mesh(const std::vector<Vertex>& vertices,
         const std::vector<unsigned int>& indices,
         const Material& material);
    ~Mesh();

    Mesh(const Mesh&) = delete;
    Mesh& operator=(const Mesh&) = delete;

    Mesh(Mesh&& rhs) noexcept;
    Mesh& operator=(Mesh&& rhs) noexcept;

    void render(const Shader& shader) const;
    // ...

private:
    void configureVAO(const std::vector<Vertex>& vertices,
                     const std::vector<unsigned int>& indices);

    unsigned int mNumIndices;
    Material mMaterial;

    unsigned int mVAO;
};
```

mesh.cpp

```
Mesh::Mesh(const std::vector<Vertex>& vertices,
           const std::vector<unsigned int>& indices,
           const Material& material)
    : mNumIndices(indices.size())
    , mMaterial(material)
    {
        configureVAO(vertices, indices);
    }

Mesh::~Mesh()
{
    glDeleteVertexArrays(1, &mVAO);
}

void Mesh::render(const Shader& shader) const
{
    // Set material uniforms...

    glBindVertexArray(mVAO);
    glDrawElements(GL_TRIANGLES, mNumIndices, GL_UNSIGNED_INT, 0);
    glBindVertexArray(0);
}
```



Design Patterns

1) The state design pattern

```
class Game
{
public:
    Game(GLuint width, GLuint height);
    ~Game();

    void initialize();

    void processInput(GLfloat dt);
    void update(GLfloat dt);
    void render();

    // ...

private:
    enum GameState
    {
        MENU,
        PLAY,
        PAUSE,
        WIN,
        LOSE
    };

    GameState mState;

    // ...
};
```

"Classic game loop"

```
Game game(kWindowWidth, kWindowHeight);

game.initialize();

double currentFrame = 0.0;
double lastFrame = 0.0;
float deltaTime = 0.0f;

while (!glfwWindowShouldClose(window))
{
    currentFrame = glfwGetTime();
    deltaTime = static_cast<float>(currentFrame - lastFrame);
    lastFrame = currentFrame;

    game.processInput(deltaTime);
    game.update(deltaTime);
    game.render();
}
```

"Classic state management"

```
void Game::processInput(GLfloat dt)
{
    if (mState == MENU)
    {
        // ...
    }
    else if (mState == PLAY)
    {
        // ...
    }
    else if (mState == PAUSE)
    {
        // ...
    }
    else if (mState == WIN)
    {
        // ...
    }
    else if (mState == LOSE)
    {
        // ...
    }
}
```

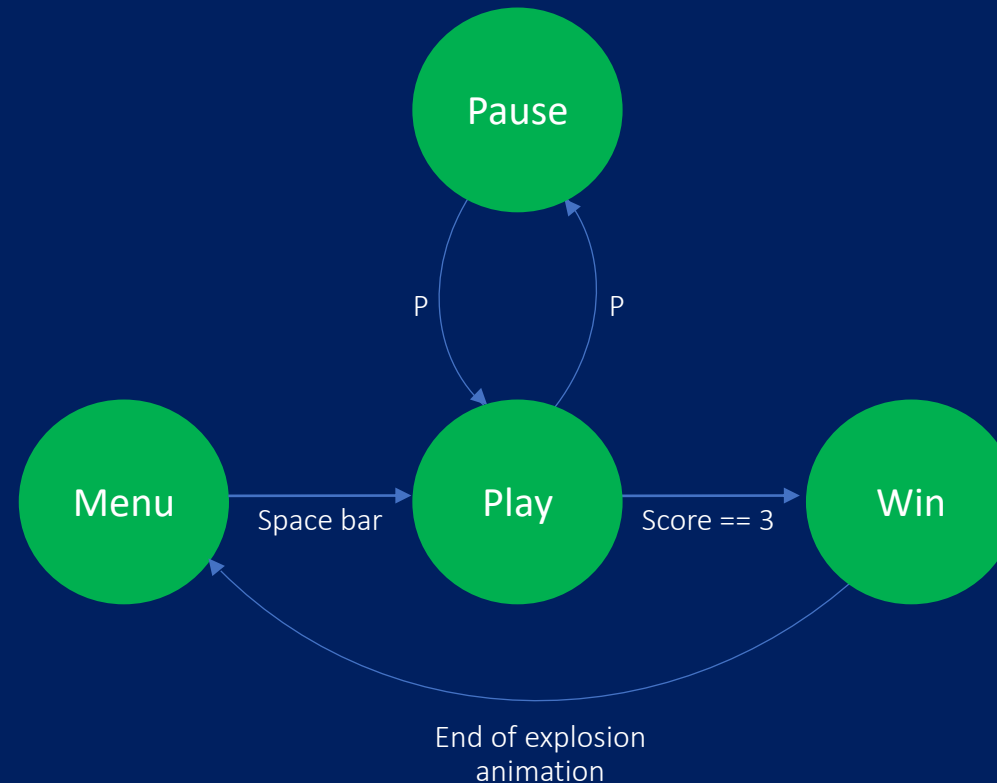
This does not scale without a lot of tears :-)



Design Patterns

1) The state design pattern

```
void Game::processInput(GLfloat dt)
{
    if (mState == MENU)
    {
    }
    else if (mState == PLAY)
    {
    }
    else if (mState == PAUSE)
    {
    }
    else if (mState == WIN)
    {
    }
    else if (mState == LOSE)
    {
    }
}
```

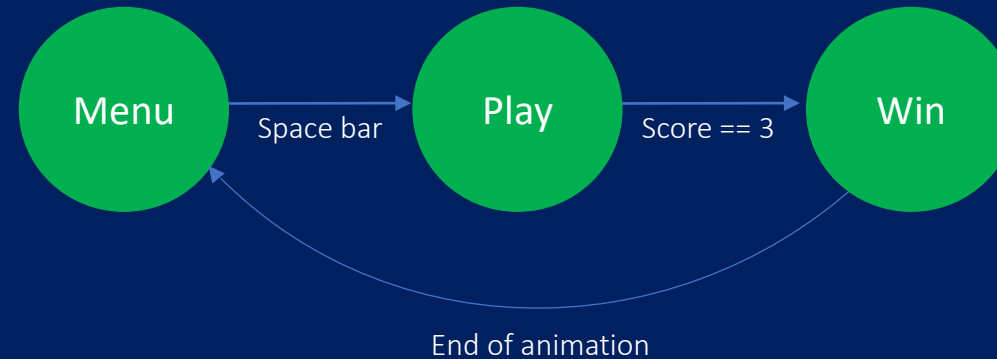


```
void processInput(GLfloat dt);
void update(GLfloat dt);
void render();
```

- Each state implements its own versions of:
- Each state only has access to what it needs, and it can share what it owns with other states.
- Each state checks the conditions that could lead to a state change, and notifies the FSM when necessary.



Design Patterns



1) The state design pattern

```
class State
{
public:
    State() = default;
    virtual ~State() = default;
    // ...

    virtual void enter() = 0;
    virtual void execute(float deltaTime) = 0;
    virtual void exit() = 0;
};
```

```
void processInput(GLfloat dt);
void update(GLfloat dt);
void render();
```

```
class FiniteStateMachine
{
public:
    FiniteStateMachine() = default;
    ~FiniteStateMachine() = default;
    // ...

    void initialize(MapOfStates&& states,
                  const std::string& initialStateID);

    void executeCurrentState(float deltaTime) const;
    void changeState(const std::string& newStateID);
    // ...

private:
    MapOfStates mStates;

    std::shared_ptr<State> mCurrentState;
    // ...
};
```

```
using MapOfStates = std::unordered_map<std::string, std::shared_ptr<State>>;
```

```
void FiniteStateMachine::initialize(MapOfStates&& states,
                                   const std::string& initialStateID)
{
    mStates = std::move(states);
    auto it = mStates.find(initialStateID);
    if (it != mStates.end())
    {
        mCurrentState = it->second;
        mCurrentState->enter();
    }
    else { /* ... */ }
}

void FiniteStateMachine::executeCurrentState(float deltaTime) const
{
    mCurrentState->execute(deltaTime);
}

void FiniteStateMachine::changeState(const std::string& newStateID)
{
    auto it = mStates.find(newStateID);
    if (it != mStates.end())
    {
        mCurrentState->exit();
        mCurrentState = it->second;
        mCurrentState->enter();
    }
    else { /* ... */ }
}
```



Design Patterns

1) The state design pattern

```
class Game
{
public:
    Game();
    ~Game();

    // ...

    bool initialize(unsigned int widthInPix, unsigned int heightInPix, const std::string& title);

    // ...

private:
    std::shared_ptr<FiniteStateMachine> mFSM;

    std::shared_ptr<Window> mWindow;

    std::shared_ptr<irrklang::ISoundEngine> mSoundEngine;

    std::shared_ptr<Camera> mCamera;

    std::shared_ptr<Renderer2D> mRenderer2D;

    ResourceManager<Model> mModelManager;
    ResourceManager<Texture> mTextureManager;
    ResourceManager<Shader> mShaderManager;

    std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D> mTitle;
    std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D> mTable;
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mLeftPaddle;
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mRightPaddle;
    std::shared_ptr<Ball> mBall;
};
```

```
using MapOfStates = std::unordered_map<std::string, std::shared_ptr<State>>;
```

```
...mFSM = std::make_shared<FiniteStateMachine>();

...MapOfStates mStates;

...mStates["menu"] = std::make_shared<MenuState>(mFSM,
...mWindow,
...gameObject3DShader,
...mTitle,
...mTable,
...mLeftPaddle,
...mRightPaddle,
...mBall);

...mStates["play"] = std::make_shared<PlayState>(mFSM,
...mWindow,
...mSoundEngine,
...mCamera,
...gameObject3DShader,
...mTable,
...mLeftPaddle,
...mRightPaddle,
...mBall);

// ...

...mStates["win"] = std::make_shared<WinState>(mFSM,
...mWindow,
...gameObject3DExplosiveShader,
...mBall);

...mFSM->initialize(std::move(mStates), "menu");
```

Shared
resources



Design Patterns

1) The state design pattern

```
if (mWindow->keyIsPressed(GLFW_KEY_P))  
{  
    mFSM->changeState("pause");  
}
```

```
if (mBallIsFalling)  
{  
    mBall->moveInFreeFall(deltaTime);  
  
    if (mBall->getPosition().z < -45.0f)  
    {  
        if (mPointsScoredByLeftPaddle == 3 ||  
            mPointsScoredByRightPaddle == 3)  
        {  
            mFSM->changeState("win");  
            return;  
        }  
        else  
        {  
            resetScene();  
        }  
    }  
}
```

```
void PlayState::enter()  
{  
    if (mFSM->getPreviousStateID() != "pause")  
    {  
        resetCamera();  
        resetScene();  
        mPointsScoredByLeftPaddle = 0;  
        mPointsScoredByRightPaddle = 0;  
    }  
}  
  
void PlayState::execute(float deltaTime)  
{  
    processInput(deltaTime);  
  
    if (mBallIsInPlay)  
    {  
        update(deltaTime);  
    }  
  
    render();  
}  
  
void PlayState::exit()  
{  
    if (mFSM->getCurrentStateID() != "pause")  
    {  
        resetScene();  
    }  
}
```

```
class PlayState : public State  
{  
public:  
    PlayState(const std::shared_ptr<FiniteStateMachine>& fsm, const std::shared_ptr<Window>& window,  
              const std::shared_ptr<irrklang::ISoundEngine>& soundEngine, const std::shared_ptr<Camera>& camera,  
              const std::shared_ptr<Shader>& gameObject3DShader, const std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D>& table,  
              const std::shared_ptr<Paddle>& leftPaddle, const std::shared_ptr<Paddle>& rightPaddle,  
              const std::shared_ptr<Ball>& ball);  
    ~PlayState() = default;  
  
    // ...  
    void enter() override;  
    void execute(float deltaTime) override;  
    void exit() override;  
  
private:  
    void processInput(float deltaTime);  
    void update(float deltaTime);  
    void render();  
  
    // ...  
    std::shared_ptr<FiniteStateMachine> mFSM;  
    std::shared_ptr<Window> mWindow;  
    std::shared_ptr<irrklang::ISoundEngine> mSoundEngine;  
    std::shared_ptr<Camera> mCamera;  
    std::shared_ptr<Shader> mGameObject3DShader;  
    std::shared_ptr<GameObject3D> mTable;  
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mLeftPaddle;  
    std::shared_ptr<Paddle> mRightPaddle;  
    std::shared_ptr<Ball> mBall;  
  
    // ...  
};
```



Design Patterns

1) The state design pattern

Classic state management

```
Game game(kWindowWidth, kWindowHeight);

game.initialize();

double currentFrame = 0.0;
double lastFrame = 0.0;
float deltaTime = 0.0f;

while (!glfwWindowShouldClose(window))
{
    currentFrame = glfwGetTime();
    deltaTime = static_cast<float>(currentFrame - lastFrame);
    lastFrame = currentFrame;

    game.processInput(deltaTime);
    game.update(deltaTime);
    game.render();
}
```

State design pattern

```
void Game::executeGameLoop()
{
    double currentFrame = 0.0;
    double lastFrame = 0.0;
    float deltaTime = 0.0f;

    while (!mWindow->shouldClose())
    {
        currentFrame = glfwGetTime();
        deltaTime = static_cast<float>(currentFrame - lastFrame);
        lastFrame = currentFrame;

        mFSM->executeCurrentState(deltaTime);
    }
}
```



Things I'm Not Proud of

1) Premature optimizations... everywhere!

```
class GameObject3D
{
public:
    ~GameObject3D(const std::shared_ptr<Model>& model,
        ..... const glm::vec3& ..... position,
        ..... float ..... angleOfRotInDeg,
        ..... const glm::vec3& ..... axisOfRot,
        ..... float ..... scalingFactor);
    ~GameObject3D() = default;
    .....
    void render(const Shader& shader) const;
    .....
    void translate(const glm::vec3& translation);
    void rotate(float angleOfRotInDeg, const glm::vec3& axisOfRot);
    void scale(float scalingFactor);
private:
    void calculateModelMatrix() const;
    std::shared_ptr<Model> mModel;
    glm::vec3 ..... mPosition;
    glm::mat4 ..... mRotationMatrix;
    float ..... mScalingFactor;
    mutable glm::mat4 ..... mModelMatrix;
};
```

```
void GameObject3D::render(const Shader& shader) const
{
    calculateModelMatrix();
    shader.setMat4("model", mModelMatrix);
    mModel->render(shader);
}

void GameObject3D::calculateModelMatrix() const
{
    ..... //3) Translate the model
    mModelMatrix = glm::translate(glm::mat4(1.0f), mPosition);

    ..... //2) Rotate the model
    mModelMatrix *= mRotationMatrix;

    ..... //1) Scale the model
    mModelMatrix = glm::scale(mModelMatrix, glm::vec3(mScalingFactor));
}
```



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        ..... float ..... angleOfRotInDeg,
        ..... const glm::vec3& ..... axisOfRot,
        ..... float ..... scalingFactor);
    ~GameObject3D() = default;

    .....

    void render(const Shader& shader) const;

    .....

    void translate(const glm::vec3& translation);
    void rotate(float angleOfRotInDeg, const glm::vec3& axisOfRot);
    void scale(float scalingFactor);

private:
    void calculateModelMatrix() const;

    std::shared_ptr<Model> mModel;

    glm::vec3 ..... mPosition;
    glm::mat4 ..... mRotationMatrix;
    float ..... mScalingFactor;

    mutable glm::mat4 ..... mModelMatrix;
    mutable bool ..... mCalculateModelMatrix;
};
```

```
void GameObject3D::render(const Shader& shader) const
{
    if (mCalculateModelMatrix)
    {
        calculateModelMatrix();
    }

    shader.setMat4("model", mModelMatrix);

    mModel->render(shader);
}

void GameObject3D::calculateModelMatrix() const
{
    // 3) Translate the model
    mModelMatrix = glm::translate(glm::mat4(1.0f), mPosition);

    // 2) Rotate the model
    mModelMatrix *= mRotationMatrix;

    // 1) Scale the model
    mModelMatrix = glm::scale(mModelMatrix, glm::vec3(mScalingFactor));

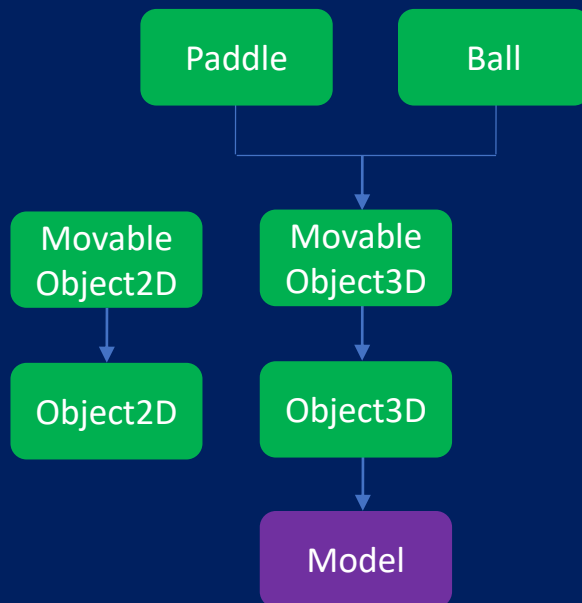
    mCalculateModelMatrix = false;
}

void GameObject3D::translate(const glm::vec3& translation)
{
    mPosition += translation;
    mCalculateModelMatrix = true;
}
```



Things I'm Not Proud of

2) The use of inheritance to distinguish between static and movable objects



```
class GameObject3D
{
public:
    .. GameObject3D(/*...*/);
    .. ~GameObject3D() = default;
    .. // ...

    .. void render(const Shader& shader) const;
    .. // ...

    .. void translate(/*...*/);
    .. void rotate(/*...*/);
    .. void scale(/*...*/);

private:
    .. void calculateModelMatrix() const;

    .. std::shared_ptr<Model> mModel;

    .. glm::vec3 ..... mPosition;
    .. glm::mat4 ..... mRotationMatrix;
    .. float ..... mScalingFactor;

    .. mutable glm::mat4 ..... mModelMatrix;
    .. mutable bool ..... mCalculateModelMatrix;
};
```

```
class MovableGameObject3D : public GameObject3D
{
public:
    .. MovableGameObject3D(/*...*/);
    .. ~MovableGameObject3D() = default;
    .. // ...

    .. glm::vec3 getVelocity() const;
    .. void ..... setVelocity(/*...*/);

private:
    .. glm::vec3 mVelocity;
};
```



Things I'm Not Proud of

3) Hard coded constants in the game logic

```
mCamera = std::make_shared<Camera>(glm::vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 95.0f), // Pos
..... glm::vec3(0.0f, 1.0f, 0.0f), // World up
..... 0.0f, // Yaw
..... 0.0f, // Pitch
..... 45.0f, // Fovy
..... aspectRatio, // Aspect ratio
..... 0.1f, // Near
..... 130.0f, // Far
..... 20.0f, // Movement speed
..... 0.1f); // Mouse sensitivity
```

```
mBall = std::make_shared<Ball>(mModelManager.getResource("teapot"), // Model
..... glm::vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 1.96875 * (7.5f / 2.5f)), // Pos
..... 90.0f, // Angle of rotation in degrees
..... glm::vec3(1.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f), // Axis of rotation
..... 7.5f / 2.5f, // Scaling factor
..... glm::vec3(35.0f, 45.0f, 0.0f), // Velocity
..... 7.5f, // Width
..... 1000.0f); // Height
```




The Subtlest Bug

"This looks as if we are reading garbage bytes and displaying them on the screen"





The Subtlest Bug

- `GLenum glGetError(void);`
 - `GL_INVALID_VALUE`
 - `GL_INVALID_OPERATION`
- OpenGL Reference Compiler (glslang)
 - The primary purpose of the reference compiler is to identify shader portability issues.
 - If glslang accepts a shader without errors, then all OpenGL implementations claiming to support the shader's language version should also accept the shader without errors.
 - `glslangValidator game_object_3D.frag`
- Could it be a problem related to the sampling of the textures?
 - Even with only material constants, the problem is still there!

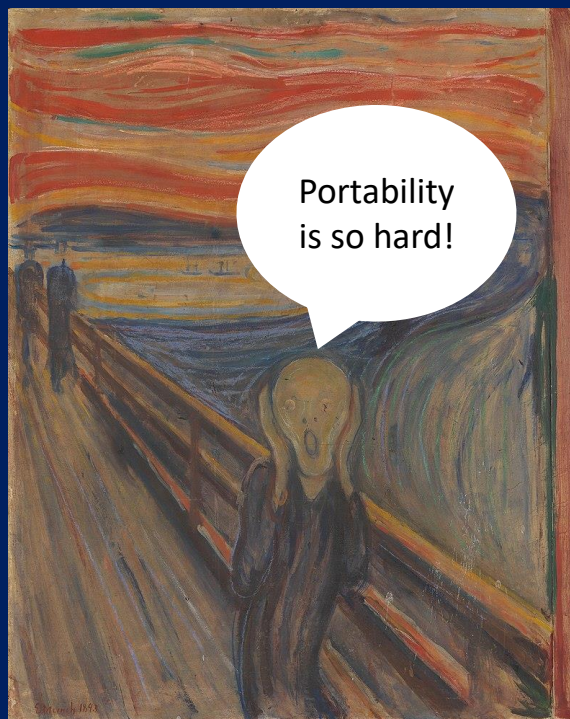


The Subtlest Bug

Should I update the drivers?

Apple deprecated OpenGL and now uses Metal. Could that be the problem?

What's the brand of your GPU?



What's your MacBook's OpenGL version?

You compiled the project with Apple Clang. Maybe we should try GCC?

Should we rewrite the entire game in Assembly?



The Subtlest Bug

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```
void main()
{
    ...vec3 viewDir = normalize(cameraPos - i.worldPos);

    ...vec3 color;
    ...for(int i = 0; i < numPointLightsInScene; i++)
    ...{
        ...color += calculateContributionOfPointLight(pointLights[i], viewDir);
    ...}

    ...fragColor = vec4(color, 1.0);
}
```



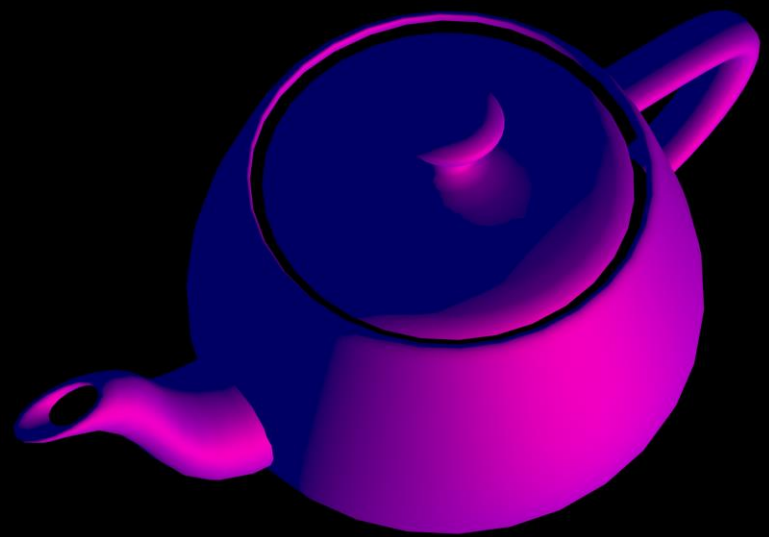
The Subtlest Bug

So the takeaway is: don't just read, practice!

Item 4: Make sure that objects are initialized before they're used.

Things to Remember

- ♦ Manually initialize objects of built-in type, because C++ only sometimes initializes them itself.



Thank you!