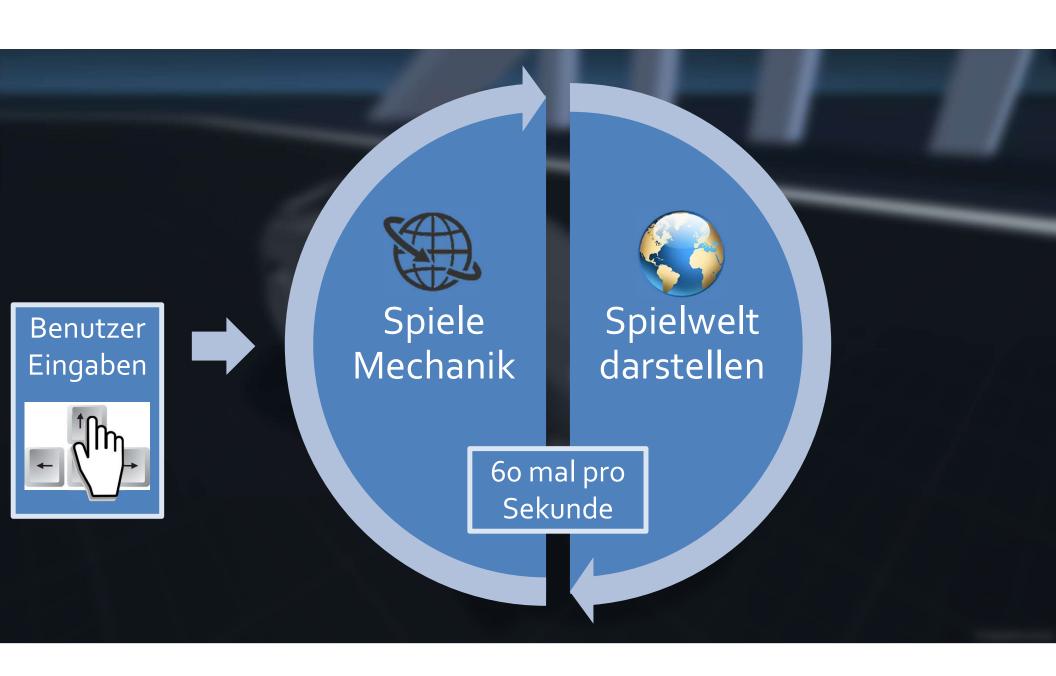
Game Loop



Interactive Application

Program must react on user input while updating state and visualization

```
while(not finished)
{
   input = getInput();
   UpdateGameState(input)
   DrawGameWorld();
}
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```

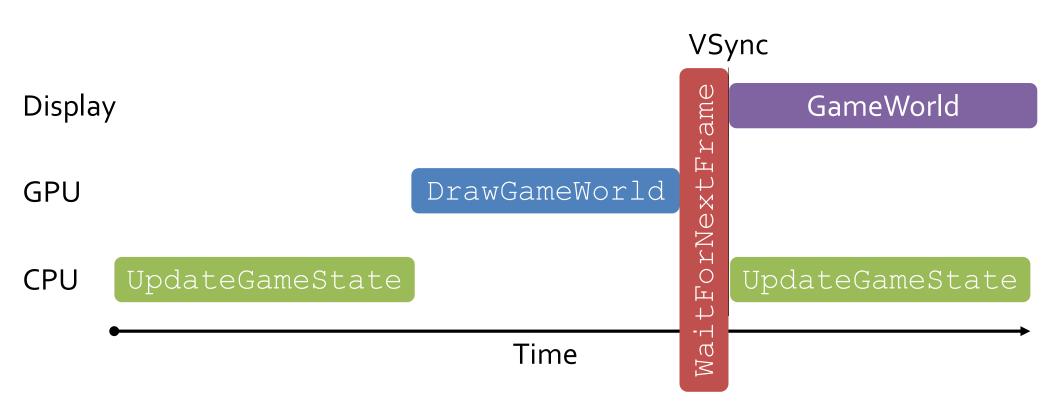
Interactive Application with 6oFPS

- Program must react on user input while updating state and visualization
- Wait for new frame

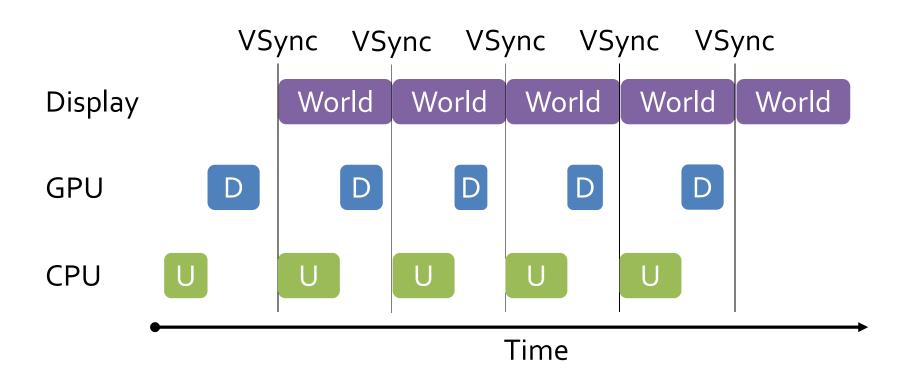
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while(not finished)
{
   input = getInput();
   UpdateGameState(input)
   DrawGameWorld();
   WaitForNextFrame();
}
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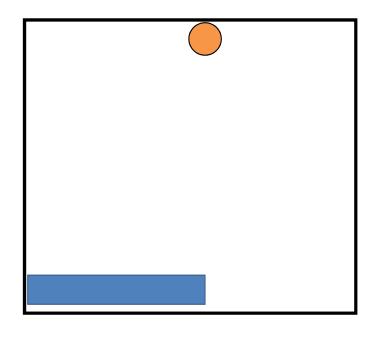
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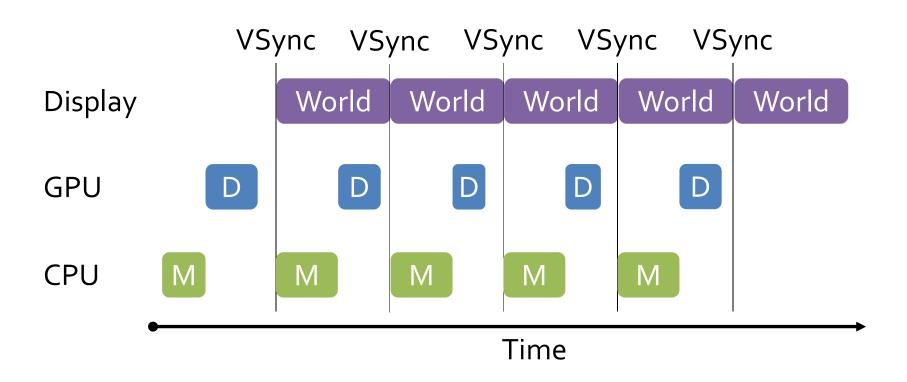
Animation – Idea?



 Move animated objects each frame a bit

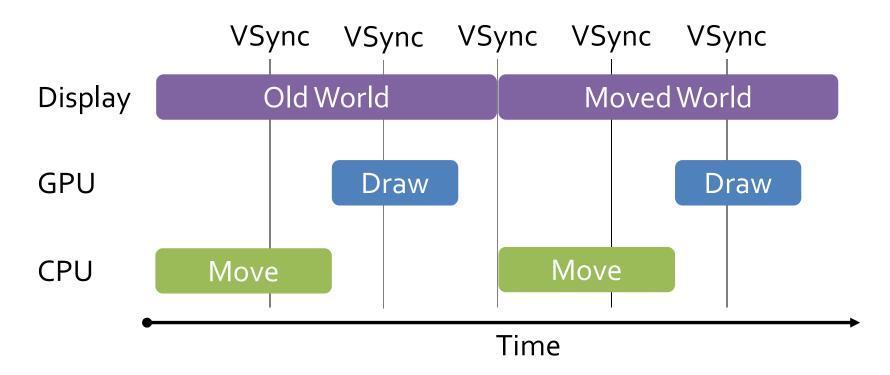
```
y = 1;
while(not finished)
{
    ...
    y -= 0.1;
    DrawBall(y);
    ...
}
```

Animation – Movement in Update



Speed Cheating

If PC/GPU is very slow player gets more time to react



Frame Rate Independent Animation

- Animation speed should not change with PC speed
- Idea: use system time to scale all movements

```
y = 1;
while(not finished)
{
    ...
    t = GetTime();
    tFrame = t - tLast;
    y -= tFrame * 0.1;
    tLast = t;
    DrawBall(y);
    ...
}
```