

Experiment-7

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1. Aim:

Evaluate the 4-bit region code for line endpoints and determine whether the line lies inside or outside the screen.

2. Objective:

To calculate and display the 4-bit region code for line endpoints and determine whether the line lies within the screen boundaries.

3. Algorithm:

Step 1: Initialize Graphics Mode

- Detect and initialize the graphics mode using `initgraph()`.
- Define screen boundaries (`xmin`, `ymin`, `xmax`, `ymax`).
- Draw boundary lines on the screen to represent the clipping window.

Step 2: Input Line Endpoints

- Accept user input for the coordinates of two endpoints (`x0`, `y0` and `x1`, `y1`).
- Draw the line on the screen.

Step 3: Compute Region Codes

- For each endpoint (`x`, `y`), compute the 4-bit region code:
 - bit1 (Top - 8) → 1 if `y < ymin`, else 0.
 - bit2 (Bottom - 4) → 1 if `y > ymax`, else 0.
 - bit3 (Right - 2) → 1 if `x > xmax`, else 0.
 - bit4 (Left - 1) → 1 if `x < xmin`, else 0.
- Display the computed region code for each endpoint.

Step 4: Determine Line Position

- Completely Inside (Trivial Accept) → If both endpoints have region code 0000.
- Completely Outside (Trivial Reject) → If AND of both region codes is nonzero (`num[0] & num[1] ≠ 0`).
- Partially Inside (Clipping Required) → If OR of both region codes is nonzero (`num[0] | num[1] ≠ 0`) and AND is zero.

Step 5: Display Result

- Print whether the line is fully inside, requires clipping, or is completely outside the window.
- Wait for user input (`getch()`) before closing the program.

4. Implementation/Code:

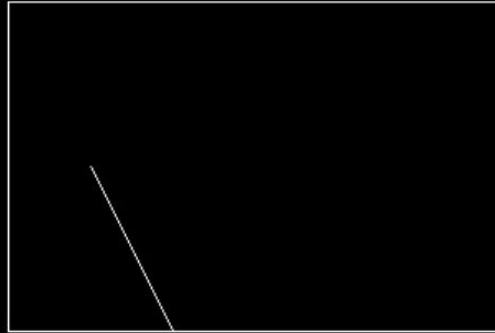
```
#include<iostream.h>
#include<conio.h>
#include<graphics.h>
const int xmin = 100, ymin = 100, xmax = 400, ymax = 300;

int getRegionCode(int x, int y) {
    int code = 0;
    if (y > ymax) code |= 8;
    if (y < ymin) code |= 4;
    if (x > xmax) code |= 2;
    if (x < xmin) code |= 1;
    return code;
}

void main() {
    int gd = DETECT, gm;
    initgraph(&gd, &gm, "C:\\Turboc3\\BGI");
    int x1, y1, x2, y2;
    cout << "Enter the coordinates of the line: ";
    cin >> x1 >> y1 >> x2 >> y2;
    int code1 = getRegionCode(x1, y1);
    int code2 = getRegionCode(x2, y2);
    cout << "Region Code for (" << x1 << ", " << y1 << ")=" << code1 << "\n";
    cout << "Region Code for (" << x2 << ", " << y2 << ")=" << code2 << "\n";
    setcolor(WHITE);
    rectangle(xmin, ymin, xmax, ymax);
    setcolor(WHITE);
    line(x1, y1, x2, y2);
    if (code1 == 0 && code2 == 0)
        cout << "The line is completely inside the screen.\n";
    else if ((code1 & code2) != 0)
        cout << "The line is completely outside the screen.\n";
    else
        cout << "The line is partially inside and needs clipping.\n";
    cout << "MAYANK SINGH (22BCS10205)";
    getch();
    closegraph();
}
```

5. Output:-

```
Enter the coordinates of the line: 150 200
200 300
Region Code for (150,200)=0
Region Code for (200,300)=0
The line is completely inside the screen.
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```



6. Learning Outcomes:-

- Learnt how to compute 4-bit region codes for line endpoints based on their position relative to the clipping window.
- Understood how to determine whether a line is fully inside, partially inside, or outside a given window using bitwise operations.
- Gained practical knowledge of bitwise AND and OR operations to classify lines based on region codes.
- Learnt how to use graphics.h to visualize screen boundaries, lines, and region codes in Turbo C++.
- Understood the significance of clipping algorithms in rendering, game development, and graphical user interfaces.