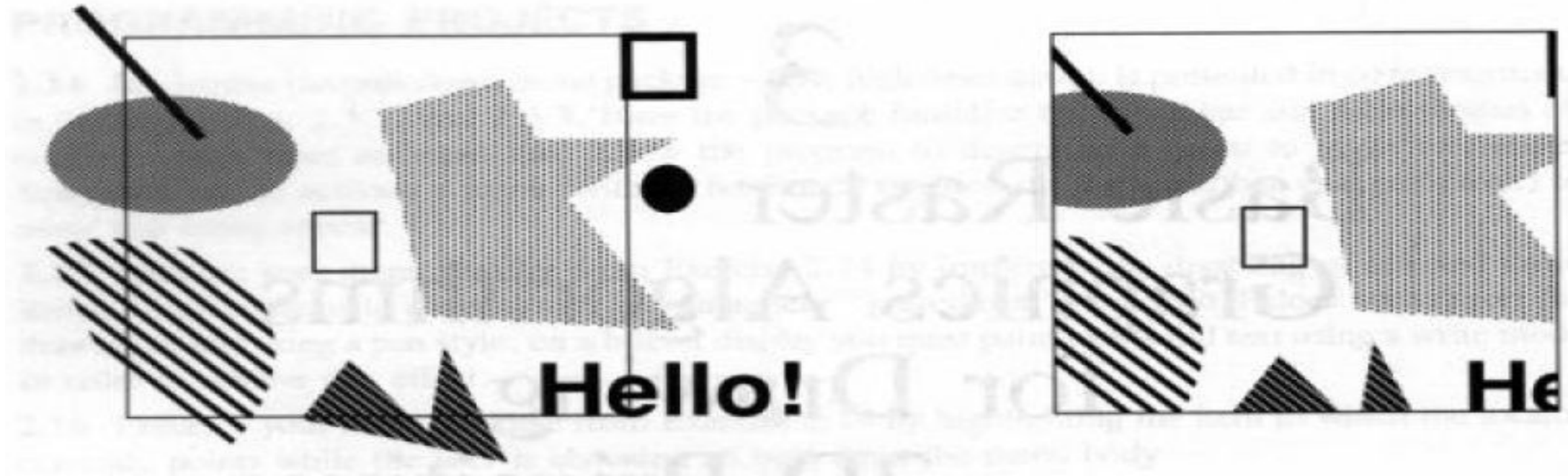# Clipping
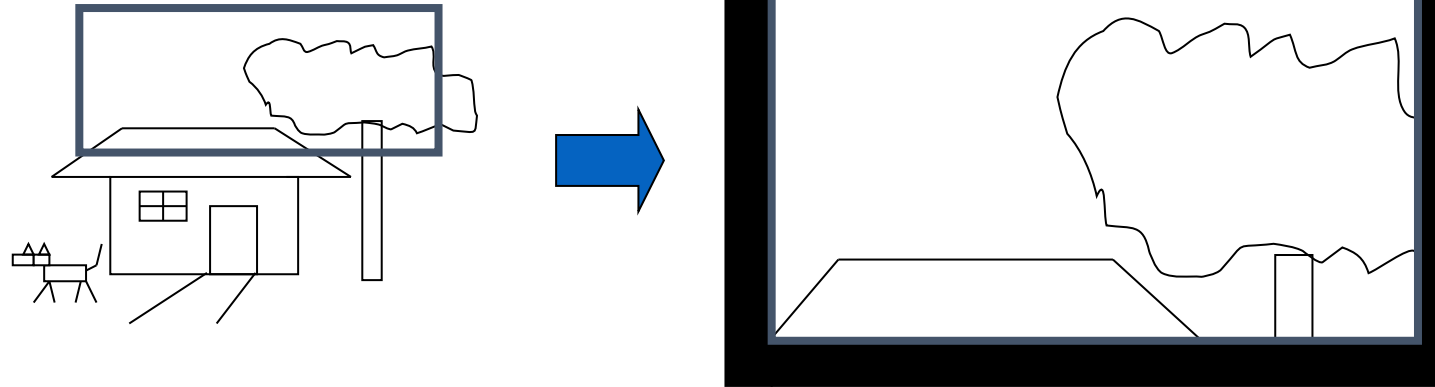
Cohen-Sutherland Algo
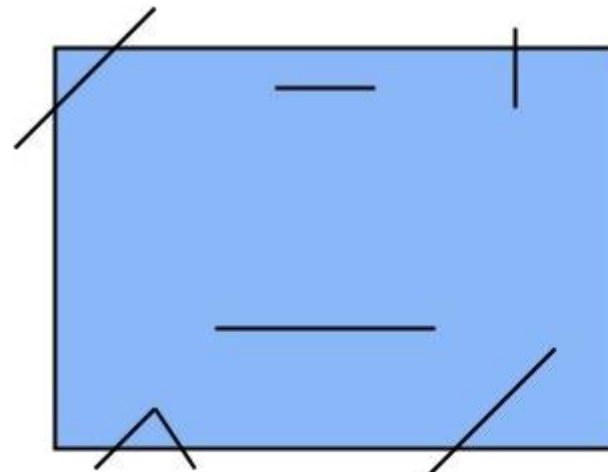
What is Clipping?

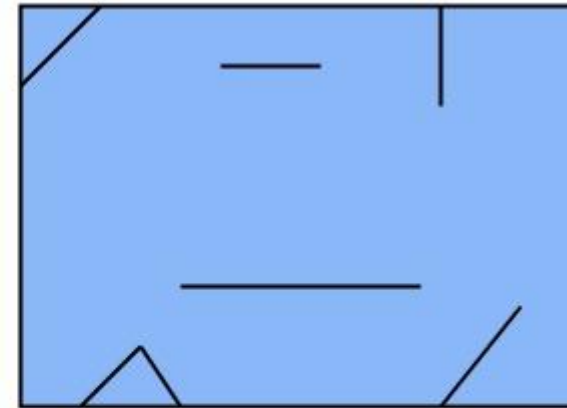Clipped view in screen

Line Clipping

Original Picture
or
Before Clipping

After Clipping

Clipping in a Raster World

- Clipping techniques
  - **Analytical**
    - Lines, polygons etc.
    - Floating point graphics package
  - During scan conversion (scissoring)
    - Checking extrema suffices, internal points can be ignored
    - Circles, curves etc.
  - During writing a pixel
    - Outline primitive not much larger, few pixels are clipped

A point (x,y) is not clipped if:

$$x_{min} \leq x \leq x_{max} \text{ AND } y_{min} \leq y \leq y_{max}$$

otherwise it is clipped

World space is divided into regions based on the window boundaries

- Each region has a unique four bit outcode
- Outcodes indicate the position of the regions with respect to the window

3	2	1	0
above	below	right	left

Region Code

1001	1000	1010
0001	0000 Window	0010
0101	0100	0110

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Region Code

Calculate_outcode(x,y){

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    else bit0=0

    if $(x>x_{max})$ bit1=1
    else bit1=0

    if$(y<y_{min})$ bit2=1
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Region Code

P_4 [1000]

P_{11} [1010]

Window

y_{max}

P_3 [0001]

P_6 [0000]

P_5 [0000]

P_7 [0001]

P_{12} [0010]

P_9 [0000]

P_8 [0010]

y_{min}

P_{10} [0100]

P_{13} [0101]

P_{14} [0110]

x_{min}

x_{max}

```
Calculate_Outcode_3D(x,y,z){
    if (x<x_min) bit0 =1
    else bit0=0
    if (x>x_max) bit1=1
    else bit1=0
    if(y<y_min) bit2=1
    else bit2=0
    if (y>y_max) bit3=1
    else bit3=0
    if(z<z_min) bit4=1
    else bit4=0
    if (z>z_max) bit5=1
    else bit5=0
}
```

5	4	3	2	1	0
Near	Far	Above	Below	Right	Left
Region Code					

Condition of Trivial Acceptance:

- Lines that are completely **INSIDE**
- IF OC1==OC2==0000

Condition of Trivial Rejection:

- Lines that are completely **OUTSIDE**
- IF (OC1 AND OC2) != 0000

Window

y_{max}

y_{min}

x_{min}

x_{max}

P_2 [0000]

P_1 [0000]

P_3 [0100]

P_4 [0110]

```
cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1),

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        if(oc1 == oc2 == 0000) {
                //declare completely inside
                output (x1, y1), (x2, y2) as clipped line
                break
        }
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                //declare completely outside and clip
                break
        }
        else{
                if(oc1 != 0000){
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                                 to non-zero bit of oc1
                        oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1)
                }
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                        (x2, y2) = find intersection point of line
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                }
                continue
        }

}
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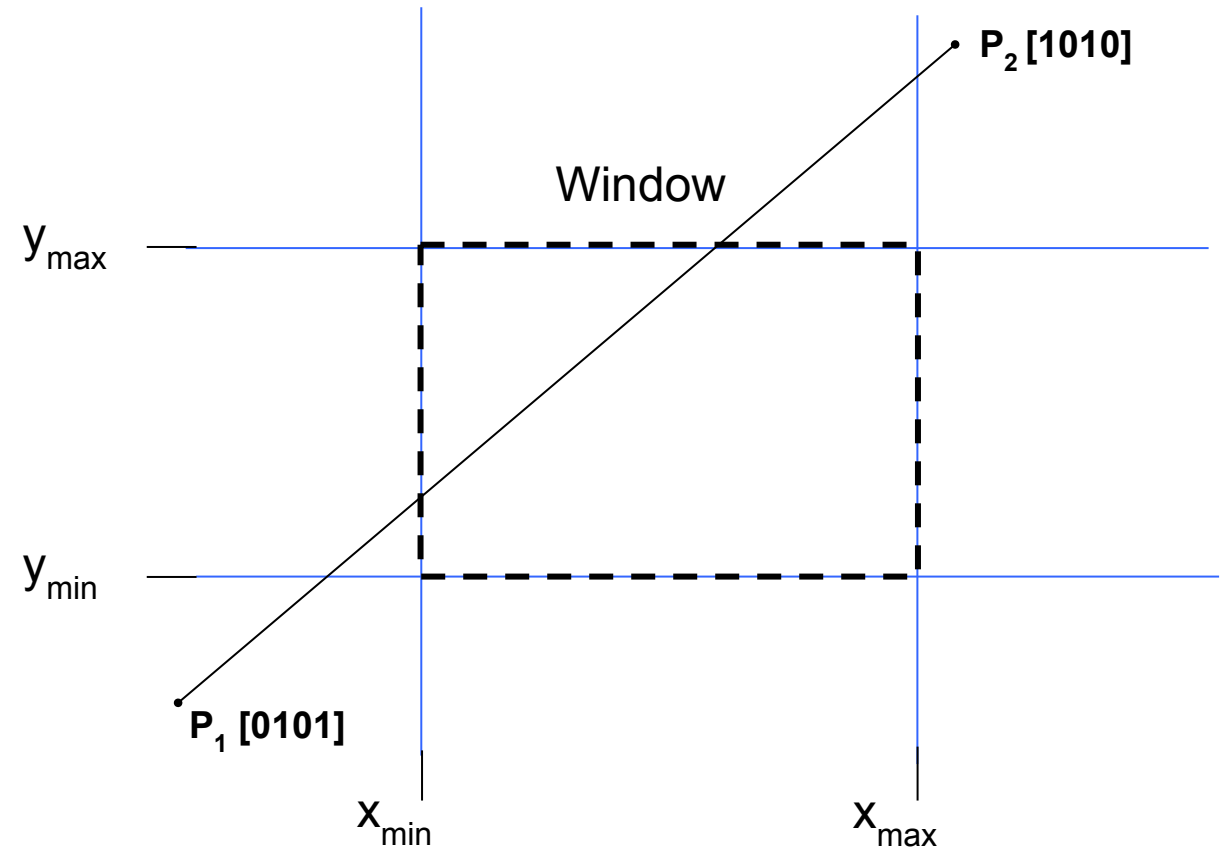
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                }
                continue
        }
}
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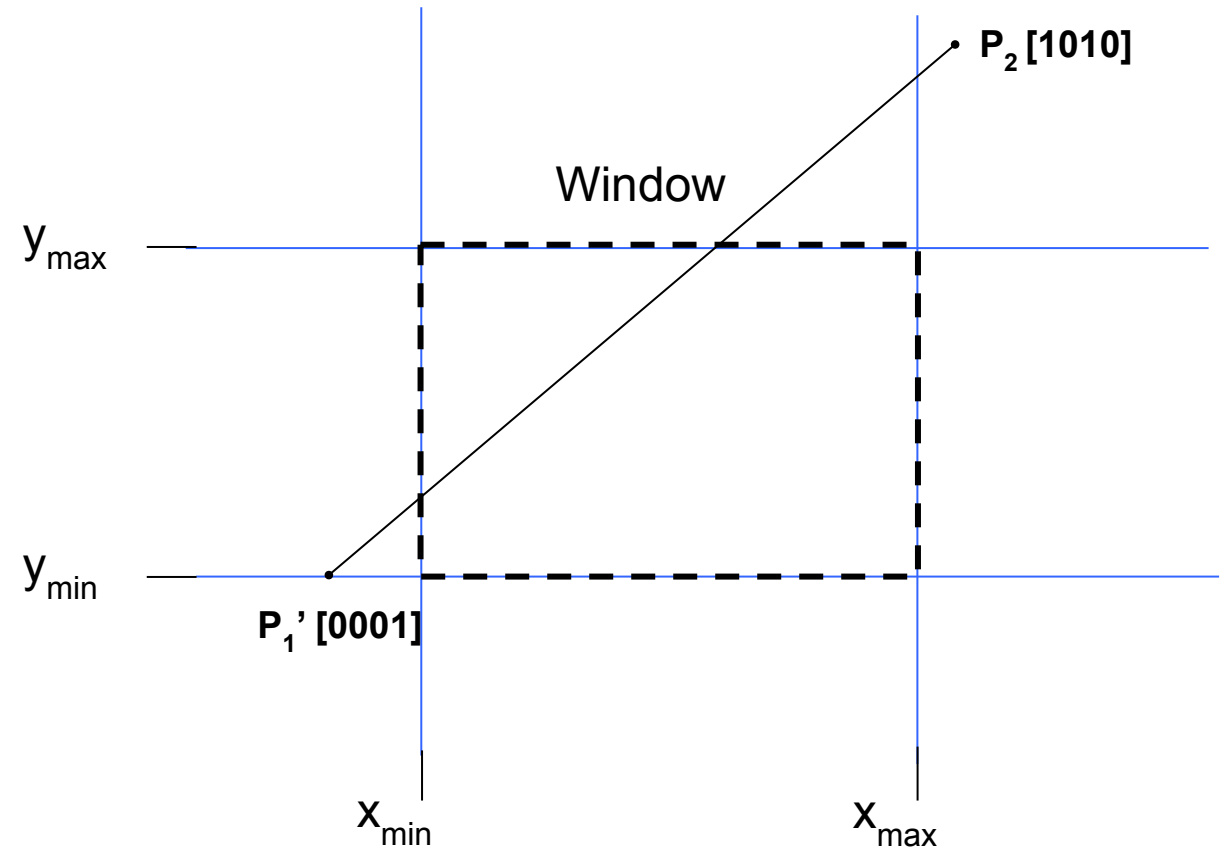

Window

y_{max}

y_{min}

x_{min}

x_{max}

P_2 [1010]

P_1' [0001]

```
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                break
        }
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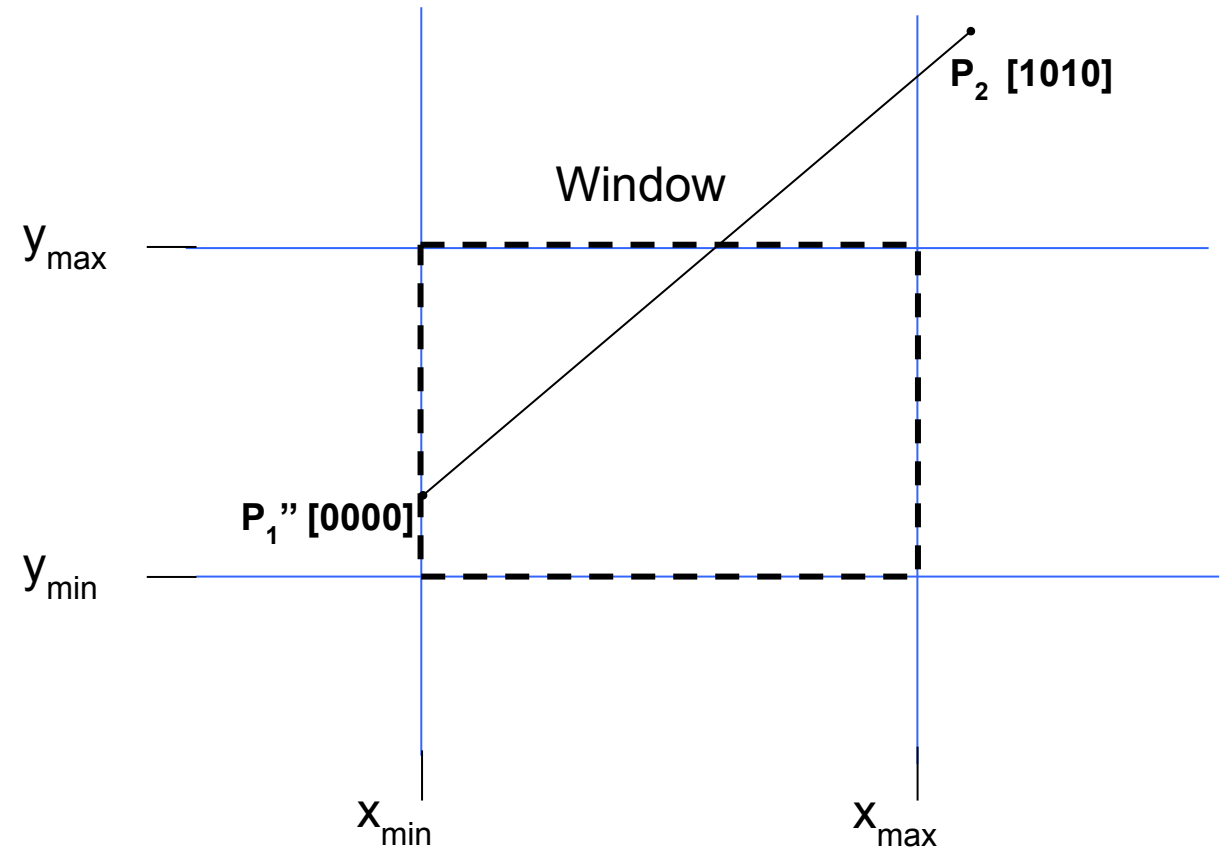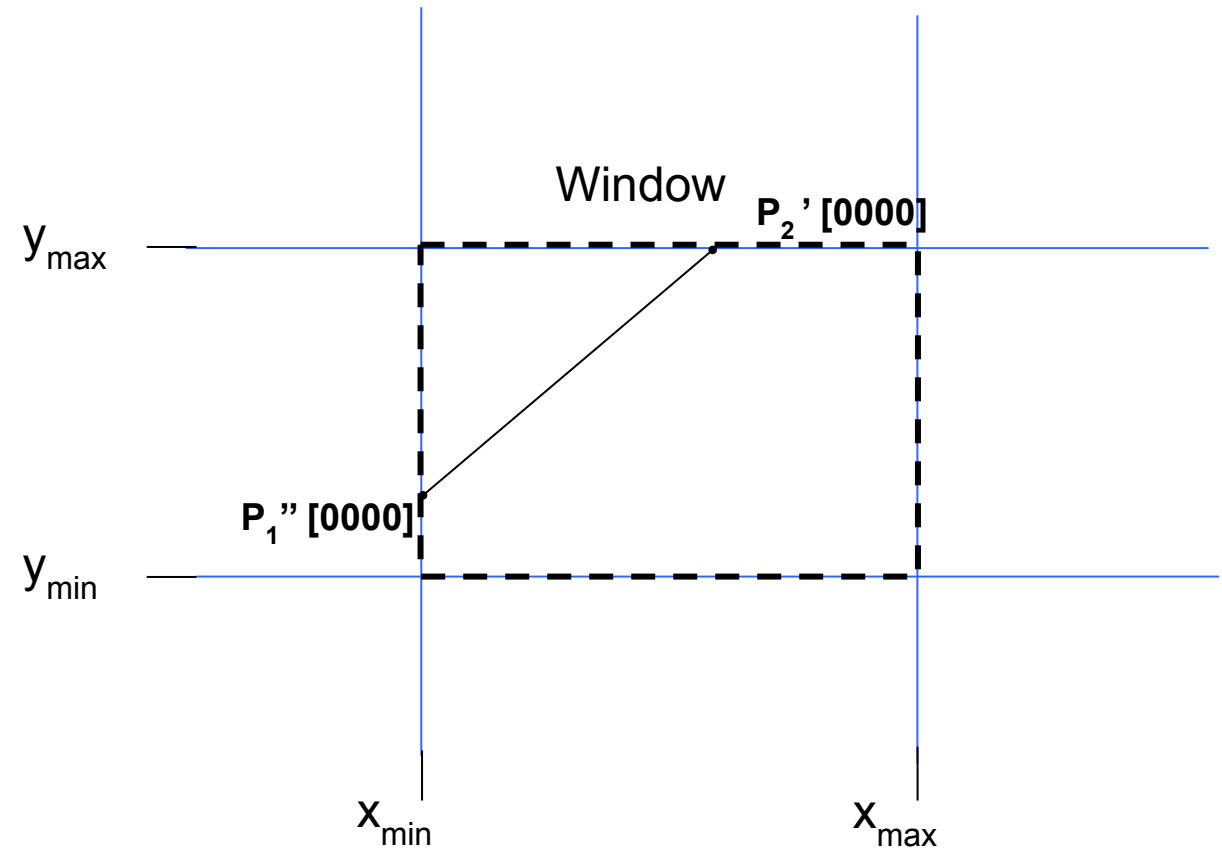
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cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

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}
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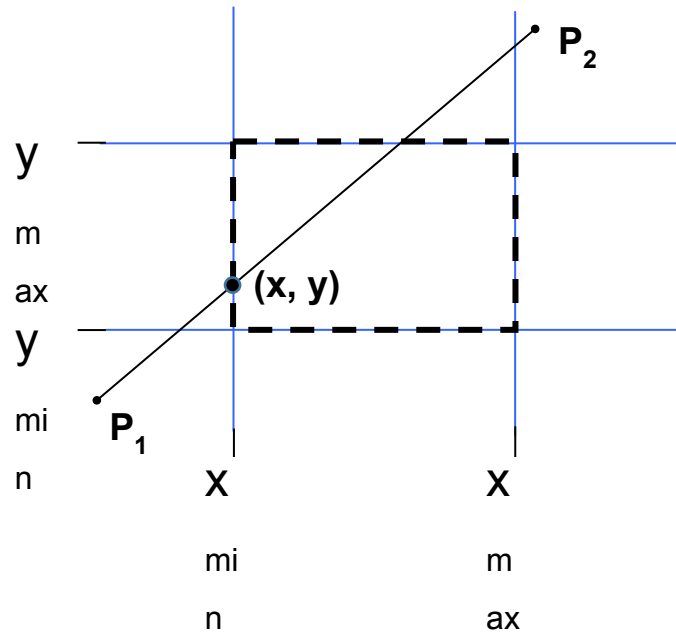
LEFT boundary intersection:
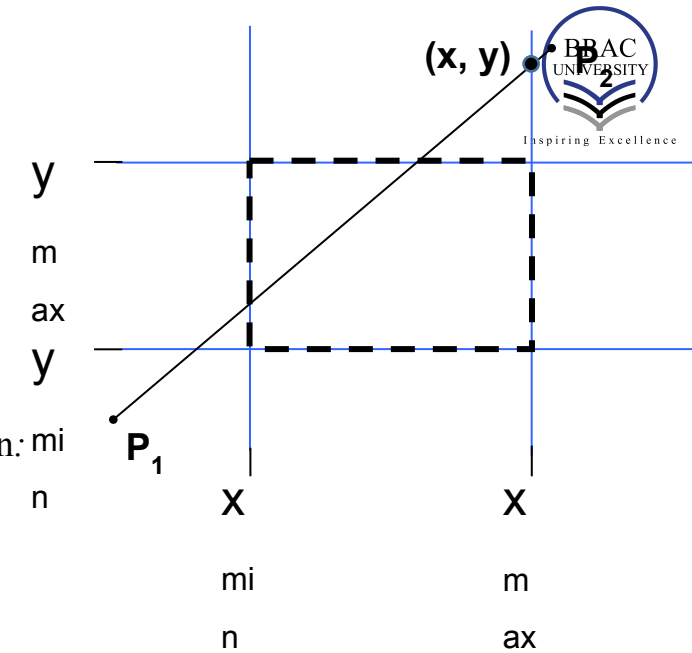
$$x = x_{min}$$
$$y = y_1 + m\,(x_{min} - x_1)$$

RIGHT boundary intersection:

$$x = x_{max}$$
$$y = y_1 + m\,(x_{max} - x_1)$$

BOTTOM boundary intersection:

$$y = y_{min}$$
$$x = x_1 + \frac{1}{m}\cdot(y_{min} - y_1)$$
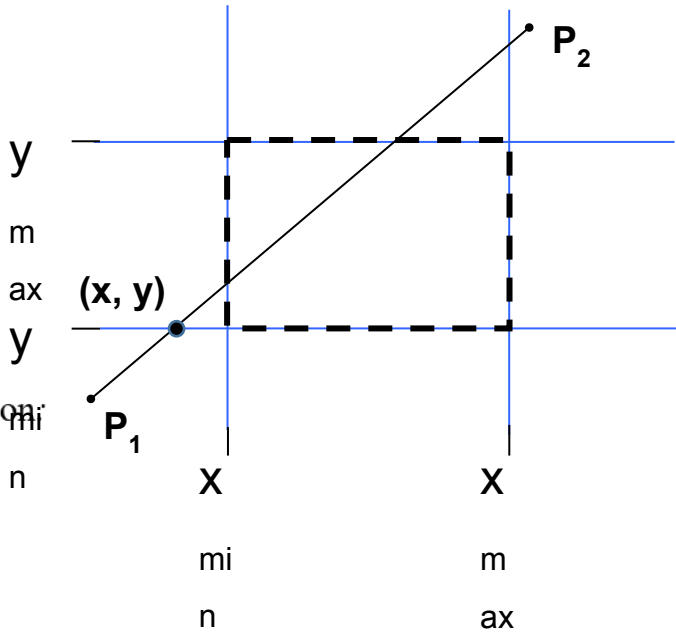
TOP boundary intersection:

$$y = y_{max}$$
$$x = x_1 + \frac{1}{m}\cdot(y_{max} - y_1)$$
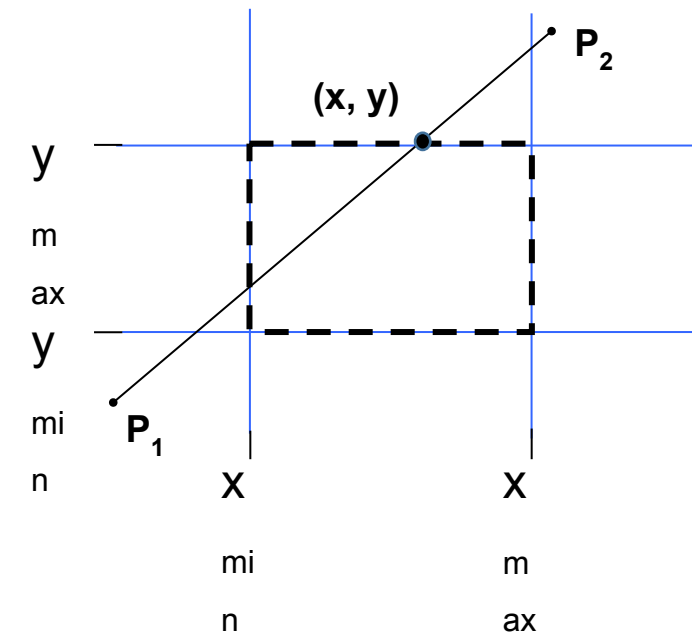
Determine whether the following line are accepted/rejected/partial using Cohen Sutherland line clipping algorithm.

a) Given (-250,-200) to (250,200) be the clip region.

- (i) (-100, -220) to (300, -210).

- (ii) (-250, 200) to (250, -200).

b) Given (0,0) to (300,200) be the clip region.

- (i) (50, -125) to (-100, 225).

- (ii) (-250, 200) to (250, -200).

If they are partially accepted/rejected find the line segment within the clipping window.

a)(i) boundary:

$$x_{min} = -250, \quad x_{max} = 250, \quad y_{min} = -200, \quad y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_1 = -100, y_1 = -220, x_2 = 300, y_2 = -210$$

Outcode calculation:

$x_{min} < x_1 < x_{max}$

so, no left or right bit

$y_1 < y_{min},$

so, bottom bit is 1

so, outcode1 = 0100

$x_1 > x_{max}$

so, right bit

$y_2 < y_{min}$

so, bottom bit

so, outcode2 = 0110

outcode1 AND outcode2 = 0100 != 0000

so the line is completely outside.

```
cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1),

oc2 = calculate_outcode(x2, y2);

while(true) {
        if (oc1 == oc2 == 0000) {
                //declare completely inside
                output (x1, y1), (x2, y2) as clipped line
                break
        }
        else if ((oc1 AND oc2)!=0000) { // condition to check matching bit
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        }
        else{
                if(oc1 != 0000){
                        (x1, y1) = find intersection point of line
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                        oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1)
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                        oc2 = calculate_outcode(x2, y2)
                }
                continue
}
```

a)(ii) boundary:

$$x_{min} = -250, \quad x_{max} = 250, \quad y_{min} = -200, \quad y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_1 = -250, y_1 = 200, x_2 = 250, y_2 = -200$$

Outcode calculation:

$x_{min} \leq x_1 < x_{max}$

so, no left or right bit

$y_{min} < y_1 \leq y_{max}$,

so, no top or bottom bit

so, outcode1 = 0000

similarly, outcode2 = 0000

since outcode1 & outcode 2 both are 0000

so the line is completely inside.

```
cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):
oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1),
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while(true) {
        if (oc1 == oc2 == 0000) {
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                                and the boundary corresponding
                                to non-zero bit of oc2
                        oc2 = calculate_outcode(x2, y2)
                }
                continue
        }
}
```

b)(i) boundary:

$$x_{min} = 0, \ x_{max} = 300, \ y_{min} = 0, \ y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_1 = 50, y_1 = -125, x_2 = -100, y_2 = 225$$

Outcode calculation:

outcode1 = 0100

outcode2 = 1001

outcode1 AND outcode2 = 0000

so partially inside

outcode1 != 0000

outcode1 has bottom bit

Applying bottom intersection:
$$y_1 = y_{min} = 0$$

$$x_1 = x_1 + \frac{1}{m}.(y_{min} - y_1) = 50 + \frac{-150}{350}.(0 + 125) = \text{-3.57}$$

outcode1 = 0001 [recalculated]

outcode2 = 1001

outcode1 AND outcode2 = 0001

so completely outside

cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1),

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```
while(true) {
        if (oc1 == oc2 == 0000) {
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                }
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                                and the boundary corresponding
                                to non-zero bit of oc2
                        oc2 = calculate_outcode(x2, y2)
                }
                continue
}
```

b)(ii) boundary:

$$x_{min} = 0, \quad x_{max} = 300, \quad y_{min} = 0, \quad y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_1 = -250, y_1 = 200, x_2 = 250, y_2 = -200$$

Outcode calculation:

outcode1 = 0001

outcode2 = 0100

outcode1 AND outcode2 = 0000

so partially inside

outcode1 != 0000

outcode1 has left bit

applying left intersection:
$$x_1 = x_{min} = 0$$

$$y_1 = y_1 + m.(x_{min} - x_1) = 200 + \frac{-400}{500}.(0 + 250) = 0$$

outcode1 = 0000 [recalculated]

so (x1, y1) has been clipped to (0, 0)

outcode2 = 0100

so partially inside

cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

oc1 = calculate_outcode(x1, y1),

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while(true) {
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                }
                continue
        }
}
```

b)(ii) boundary:

$$x_{min} = 0, \ x_{max} = 300, \ y_{min} = 0, \ y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_1 = 0, y_1 = 0, x_2 = 250, y_2 = -200$$

(continued)

outcode1 = 0000 [recalculated]

outcode2 = 0100

so partially inside

outcode1 = 0000

so going into else codeblock,

outcode 2 has bottom bit

applying bottom intersection:
$$y_2 = y_{min} = 0$$

$$x_2 = x_2 + \frac{1}{m} \cdot (y_{min} - y_2) = 250 + \frac{250}{-200} \cdot (0 + 200) = 0$$

[Note: m has been recalculated, you can skip recalculation too]

outcode2 = 0000

outcode1=0000

so completely inside

The clipped segment is between (0, 0) to (0, 0) which is just a single point.

cohen-Sutherland(x1, y1, x2, y2):

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```
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}
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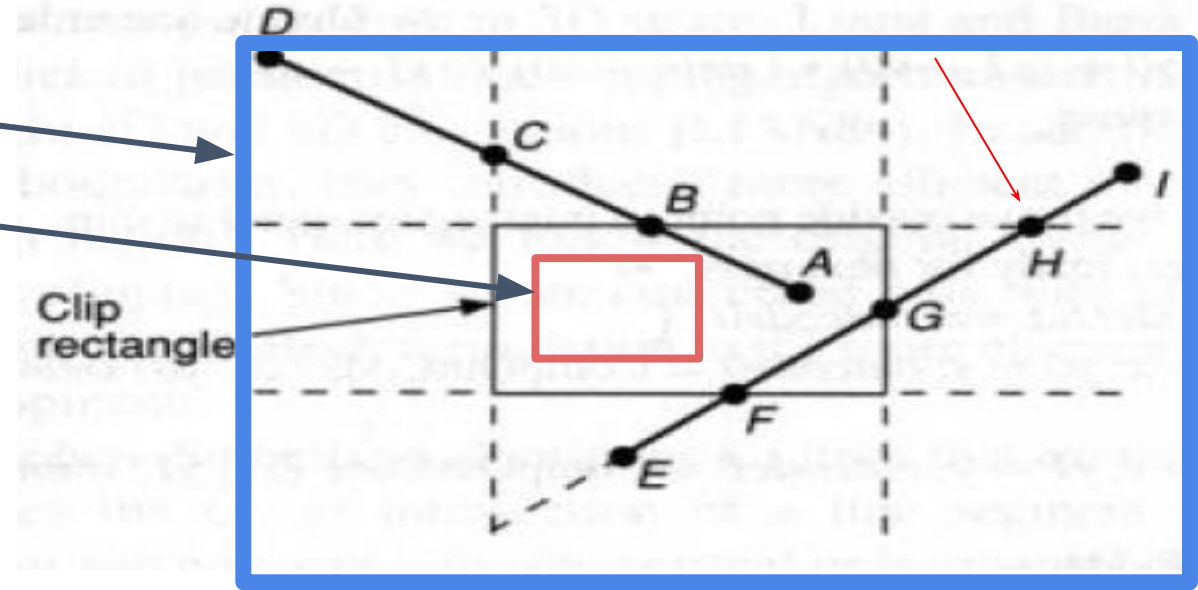
Cohen-Sutherland Line Clipping Algorithm

Works well for two cases:

1. Very large clip region

2. Very small clip region

- Why?

[For many trivial accept and many trivial reject]

Clip rectangle
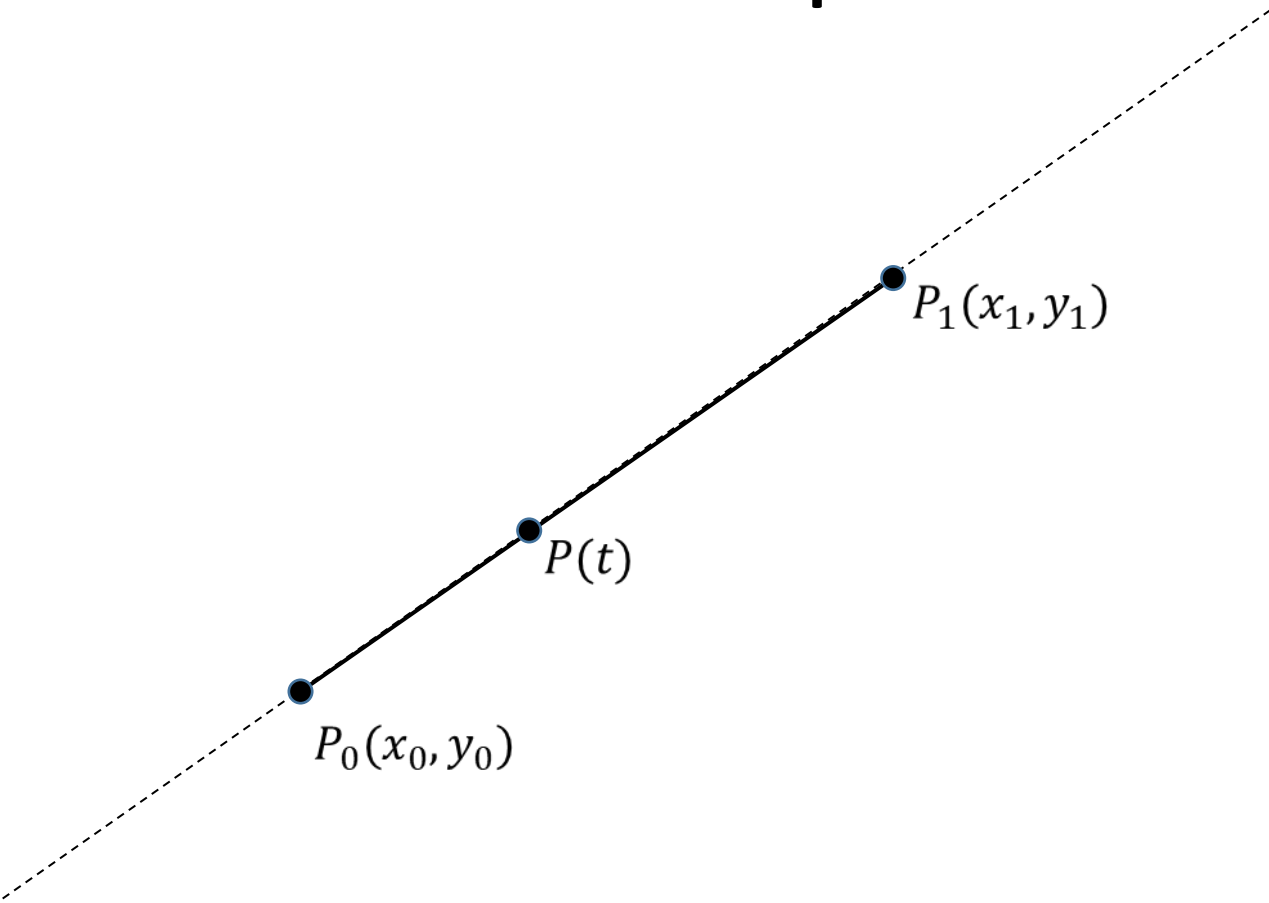
<u>Where is the problem?</u>

- Only rectangular clipping region

- Unnecessary clipping is done

- Different clipping order may take less iterations to finish

Clipping

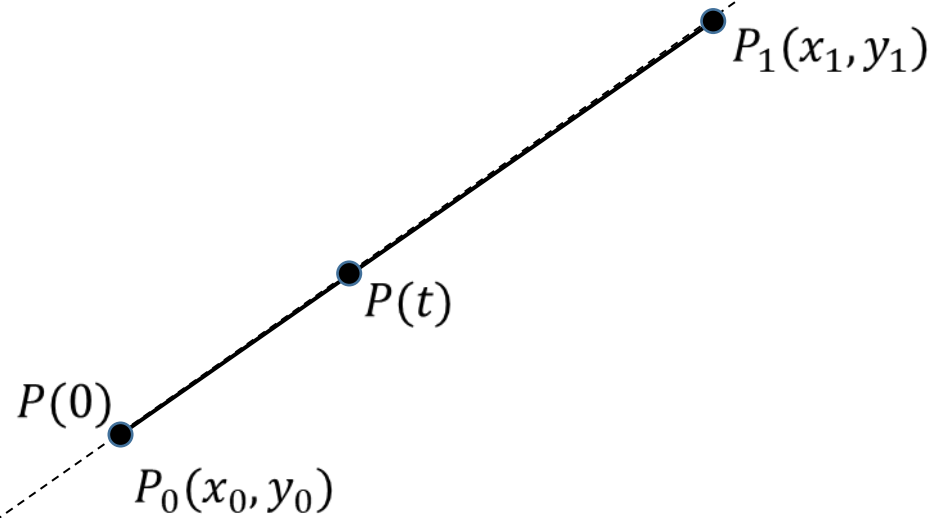Cyrus-Beck Algo

Parametric equation of Line

Parametric equation,
$$P(t) = P_0 + t \cdot (P_1 - P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0 + t(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + t(y_1 - y_0))$$
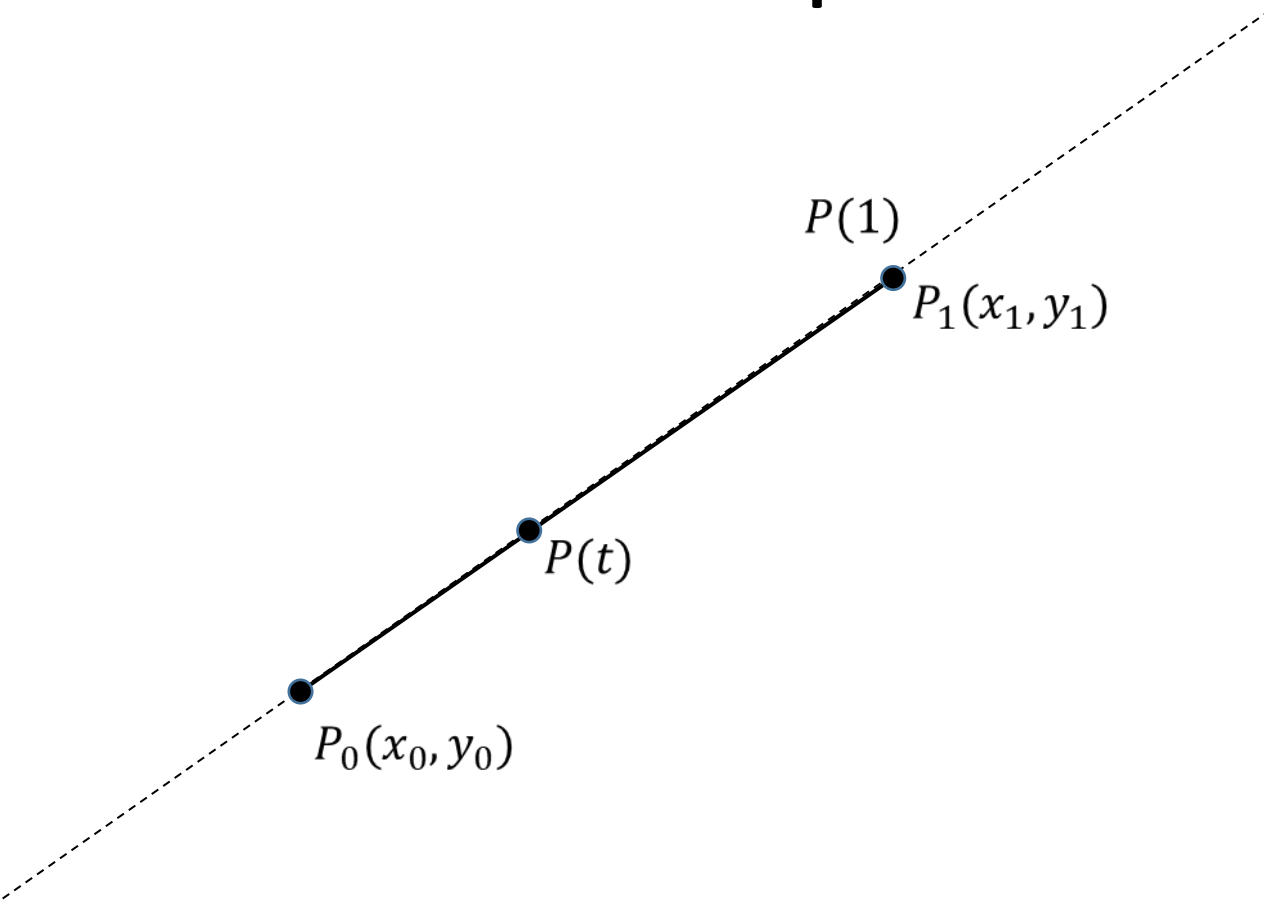
Parametric equation of Line

$P_1(x_1, y_1)$

$P(t)$

$P(0)$

$P_0(x_0, y_0)$

Parametric equation,
$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1 - P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0 + t(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + t(y_1 - y_0))$$

$$P(0) = (x_0, y_0) + 0.(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0)$$

Parametric equation of Line

$P(1)$

$P_1(x_1, y_1)$

$P(t)$

$P_0(x_0, y_0)$

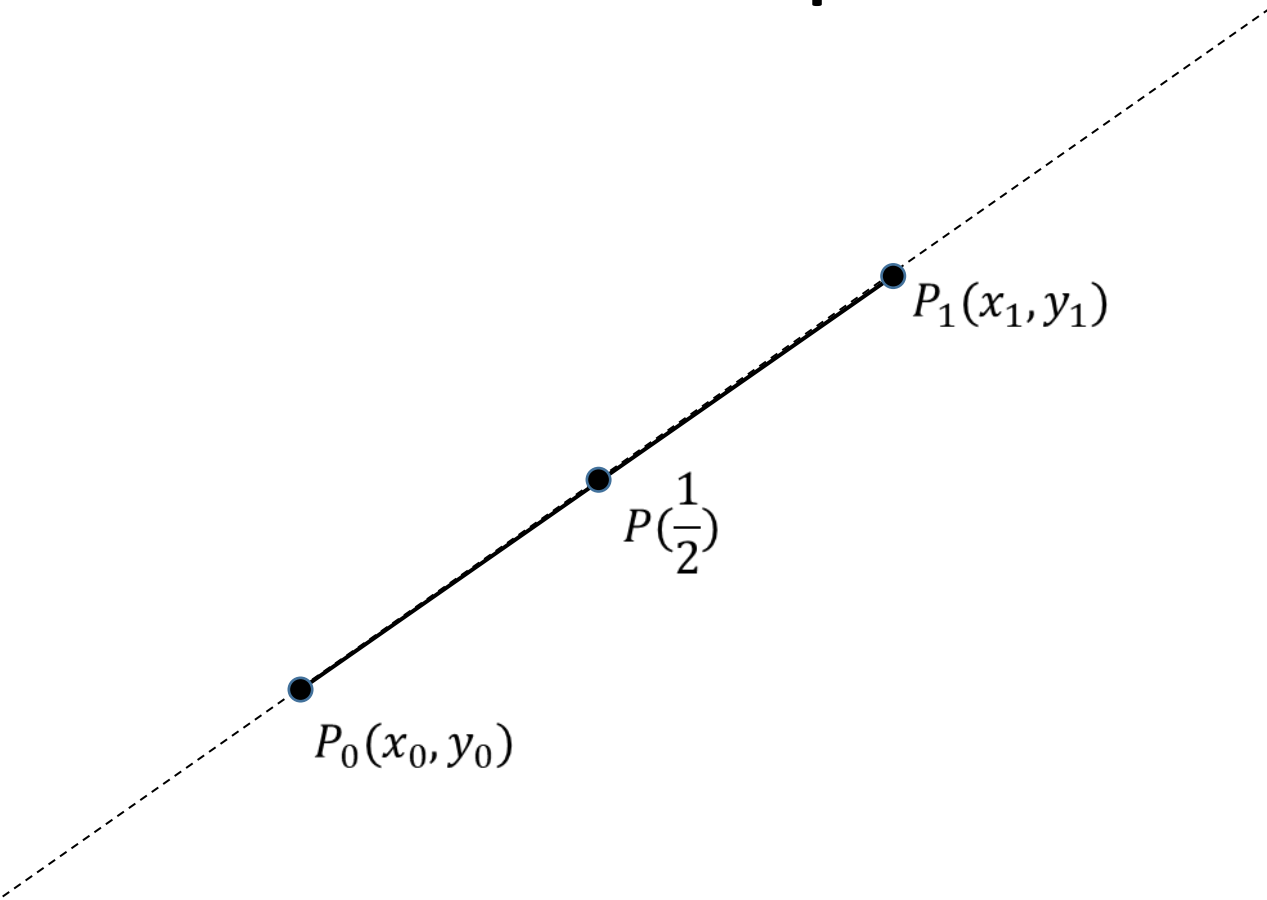Parametric equation,
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$$P(1) = (x_0, y_0) + 1.(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0 + x_1 - x_0, y_0 + y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_1, y_1)$$

Parametric equation of Line

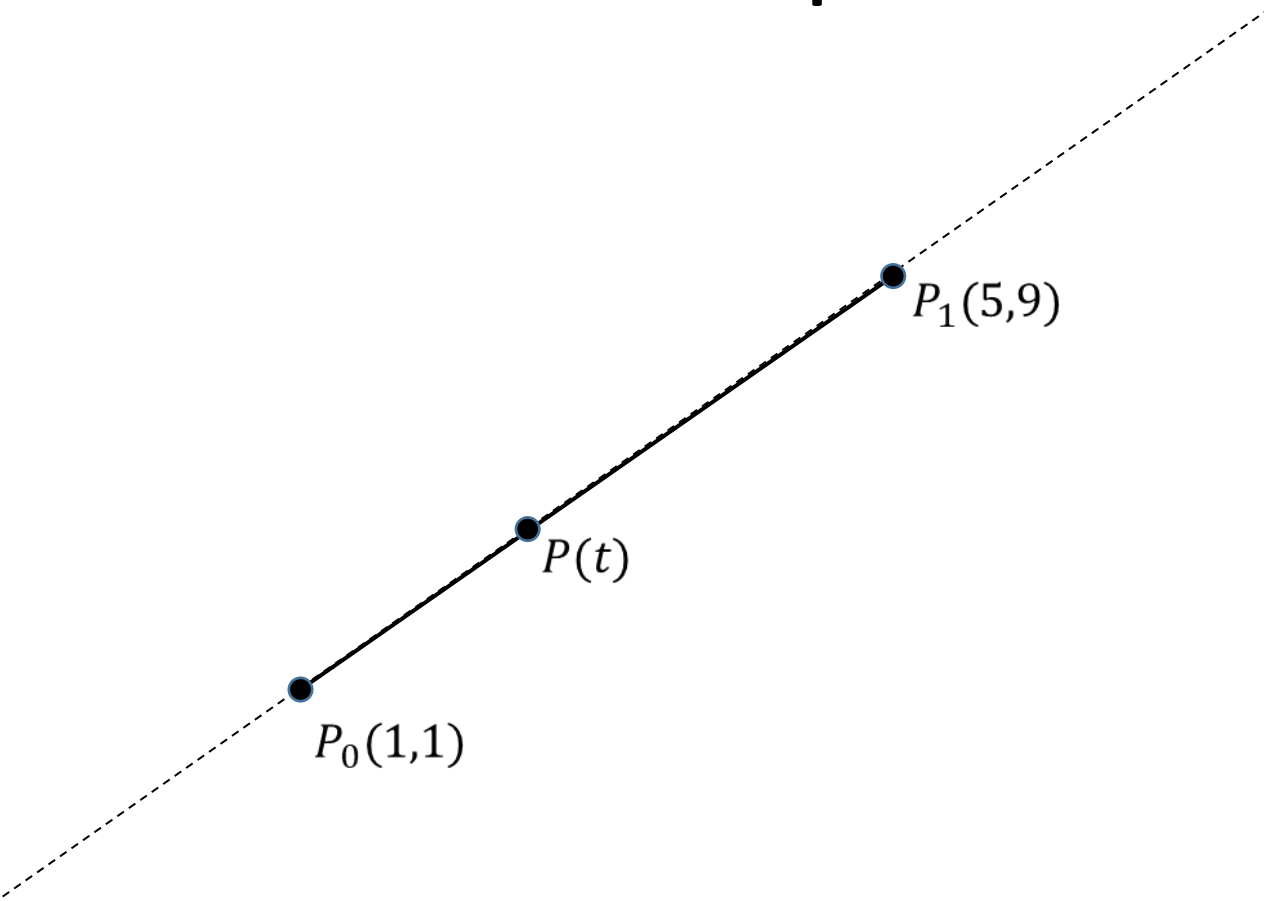Parametric equation,

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$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (x_0 + t(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + t(y_1 - y_0))$$

$$P\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = (x_0, y_0) + \frac{1}{2}.(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= \left(\frac{x_0 + x_1}{2}, \frac{y_0 + y_1}{2}\right)$$

Parametric equation of Line

Suppose, endpoints of a line are (1, 1) and (5, 9)

Parametric equation,
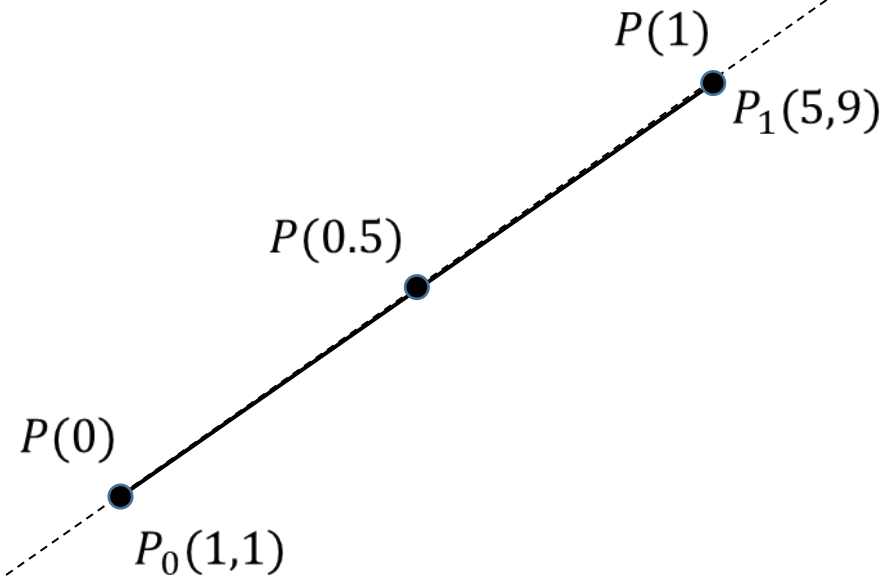
$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1 - P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (1, 1) + t(5 - 1, 9 - 1)$$
$$= (1, 1) + t(4, 8)$$
$$= (1 + 4t, 1 + 8t)$$

$$P(0) = (1, 1)$$
$$P(1) = (5, 9)$$

$P_1(5, 9)$

$P(t)$

$P_0(1, 1)$

Parametric equation of Line

Suppose, endpoints of a line are (1, 1) and (5, 9)

Parametric equation,

$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1 - P_0)$$
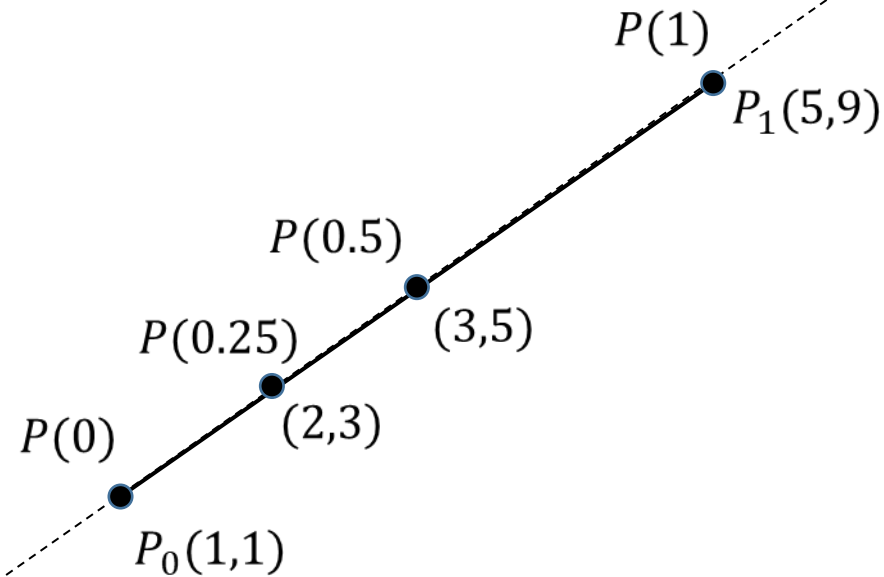$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (1, 1) + t(5 - 1, 9 - 1)$$
$$= (1, 1) + t(4, 8)$$
$$= (1 + 4t, 1 + 8t)$$

$$P(0) = (1, 1)$$
$$P(1) = (5, 9)$$
$$P(0.5) = (1 + 4 \times 0.5, 1 + 8 \times 0.5) = (3, 5)$$

Parametric equation of Line

$P(1)$

$P_1(5,9)$

$P(0.5)$

$P(0.25)$

$(3,5)$

$(2,3)$

$P(0)$

$P_0(1,1)$

Suppose, endpoints of a line are (1, 1) and (5, 9)

Parametric equation,
$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1-P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (1,1) + t(5-1, 9-1)$$
$$= (1,1) + t(4,8)$$
$$= (1+4t, 1+8t)$$

$$P(0) = (1,1)$$
$$P(1) = (5,9)$$
$$P(0.5) = (1 + 4 \times 0.5, 1 + 8 \times 0.5) = (3,5)$$
$$P(0.25) = (1 + 4 \times 0.25, 1 + 8 \times 0.25) = (2,3)$$

Parametric equation of Line
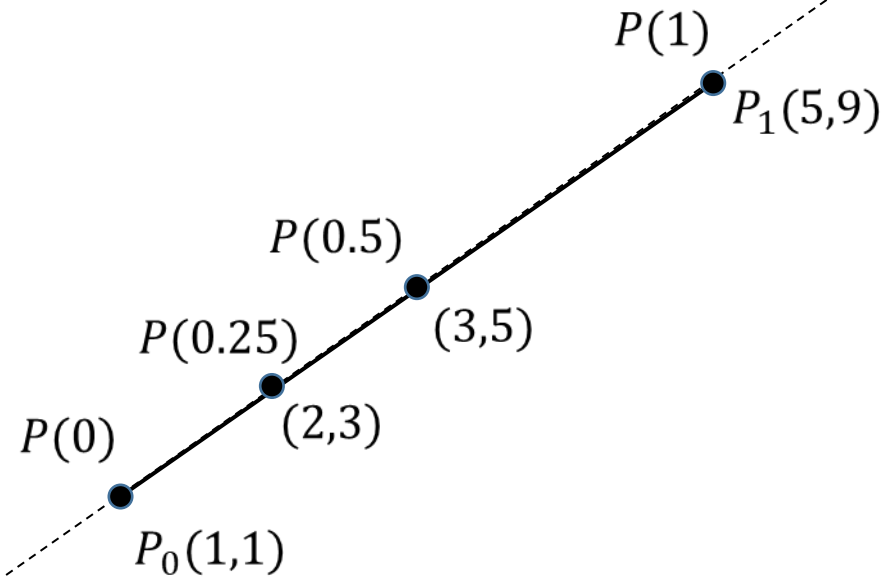
$P(1)$

$P_1(5,9)$

$P(0.5)$

$P(0.25)$ $(3,5)$

$P(0)$ $(2,3)$

$P_0(1,1)$

Suppose, endpoints of a line are (1, 1) and (5, 9)

Parametric equation,

$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1 - P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (1,1) + t(5 - 1, 9 - 1)$$
$$= (1,1) + t(4,8)$$
$$= (1 + 4t, 1 + 8t)$$

So all points between $0 \leq t \leq 1$ are inside the line segment

Parametric equation of Line

Suppose, endpoints of a line are (1, 1) and (5, 9)

Parametric equation,
$$P(t) = P_0 + t.(P_1 - P_0)$$
$$= (x_0, y_0) + t(x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
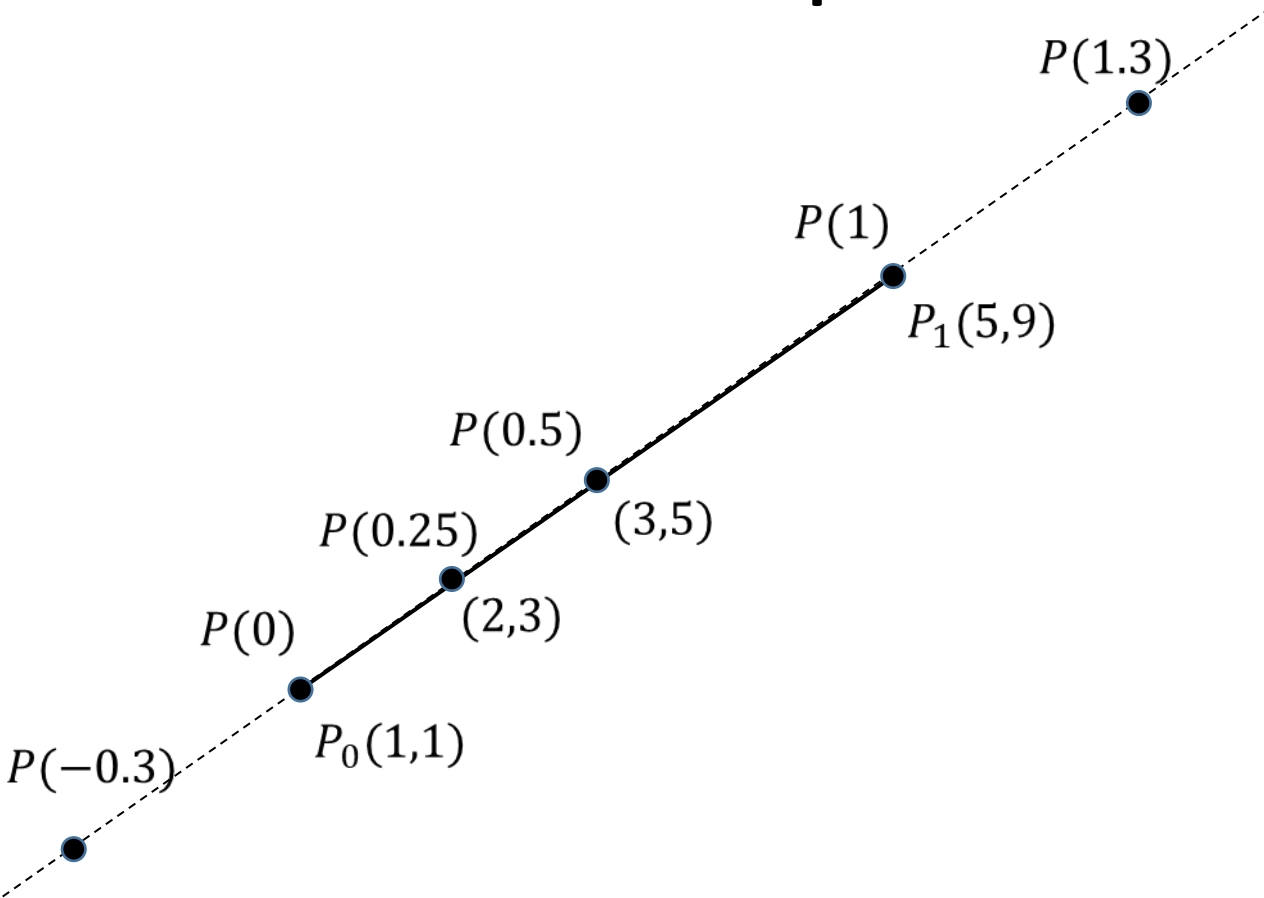$$= (1,1) + t(5 - 1, 9 - 1)$$
$$= (1,1) + t(4,8)$$
$$= (1 + 4t, 1 + 8t)$$

P(-0.3) and P(1.3) are outside the line segment

boundary

Intersection point inside line segment
So, $0 \leq t \leq 1$ is true

boundary

Intersection point outside line segment
So, $0 \leq t \leq 1$ is not true

P_1

$t_{right} = 0.8$

Window

y_{max}

$t_{top} = 0.6$
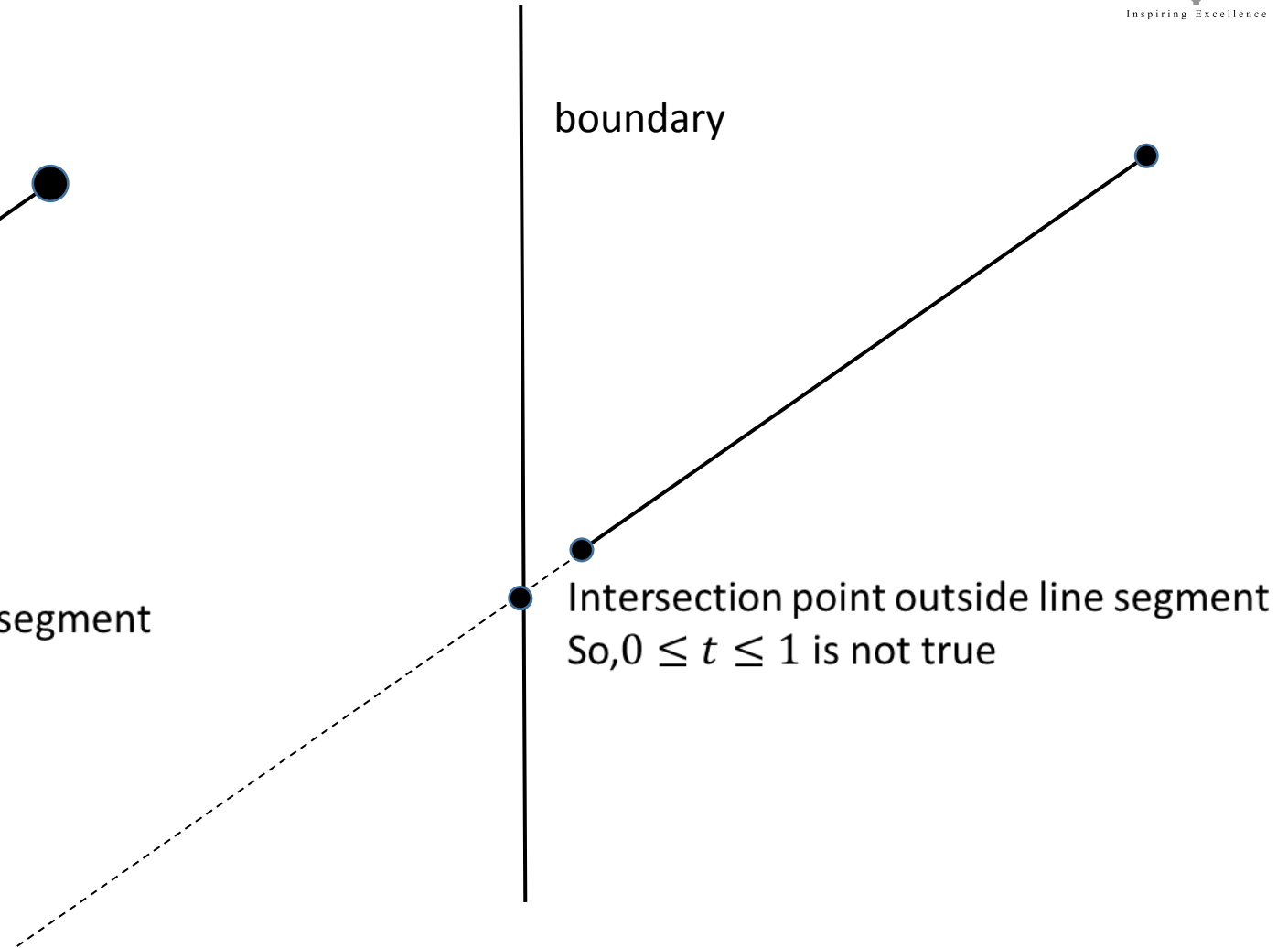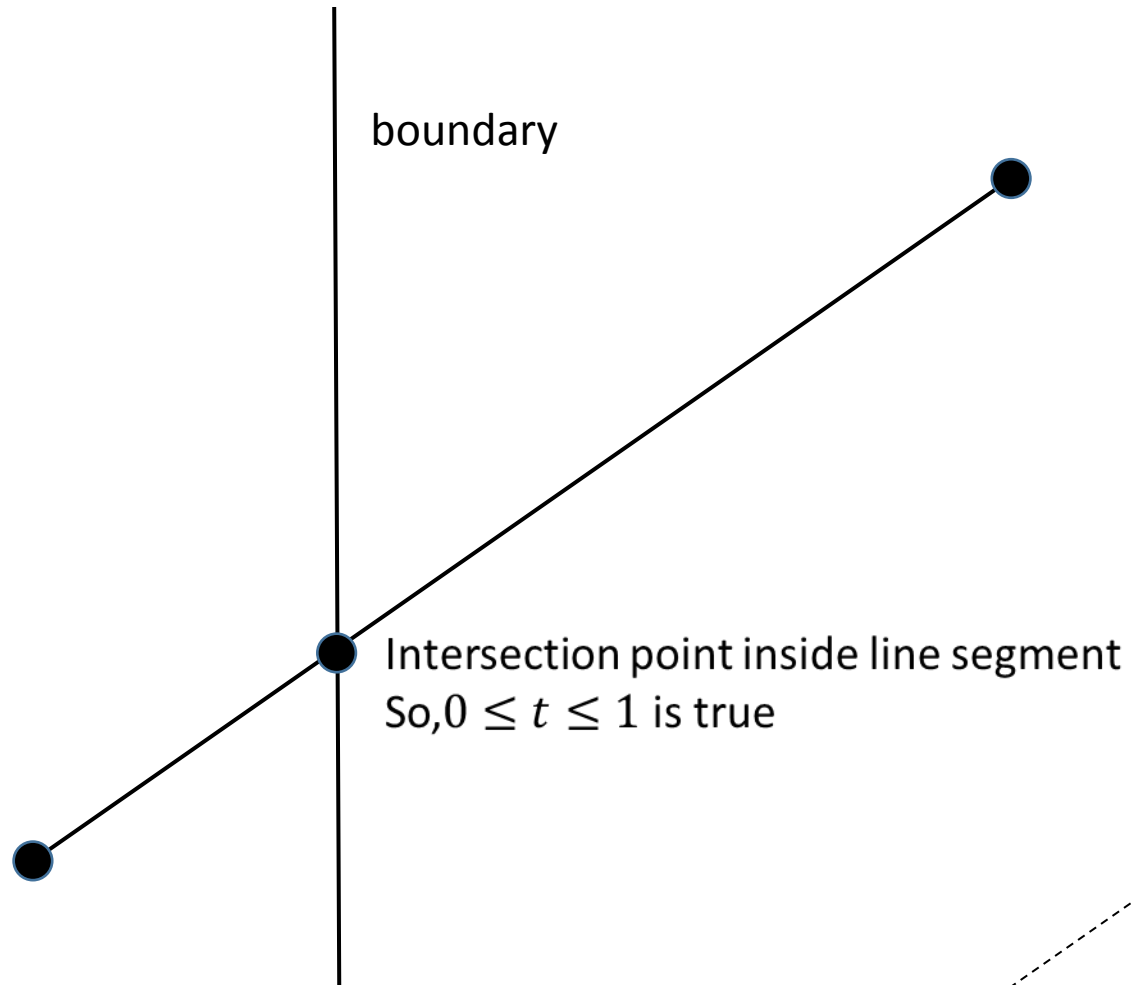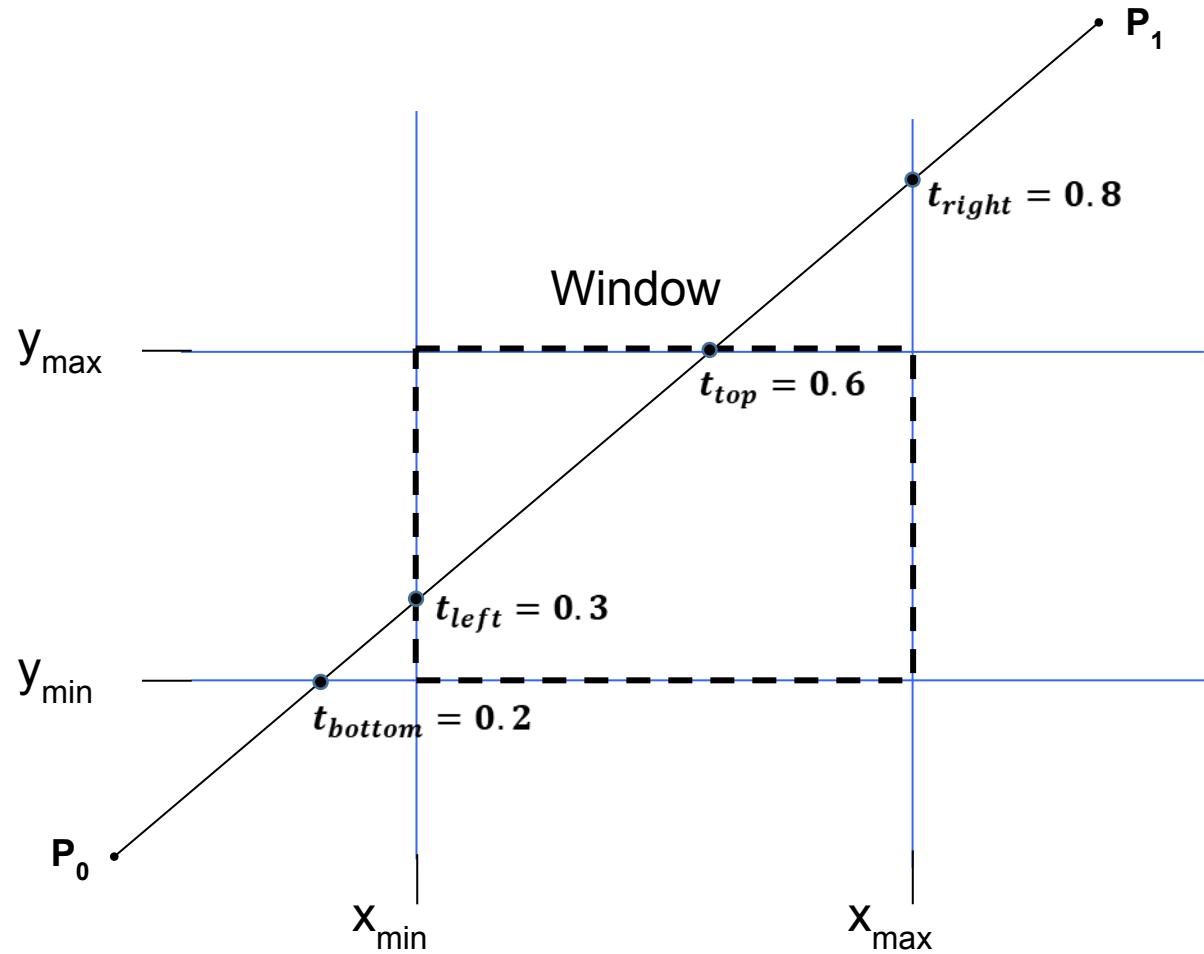
Both endpoints outside
All intersections have t between
0 and 1

$t_{left} = 0.3$

y_{min}

$t_{bottom} = 0.2$

P_0

x_{min}

x_{max}
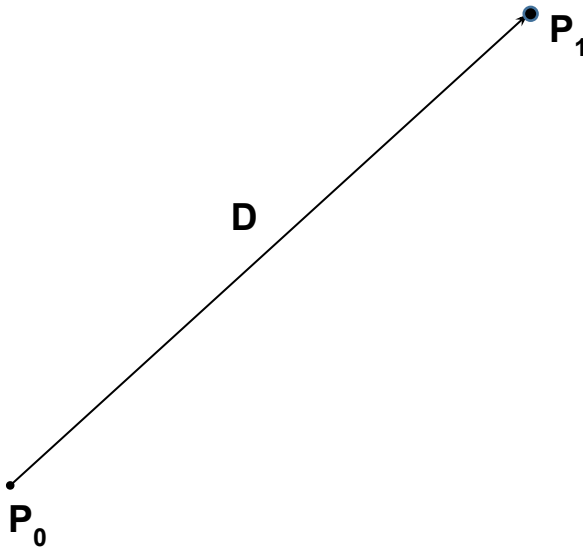
Vector

D is a vector from P_0 to P_1

$$D = P_1 - P_0$$
$$= (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$

Vector

P₁ (5,5)

D

P₀ (2,3)
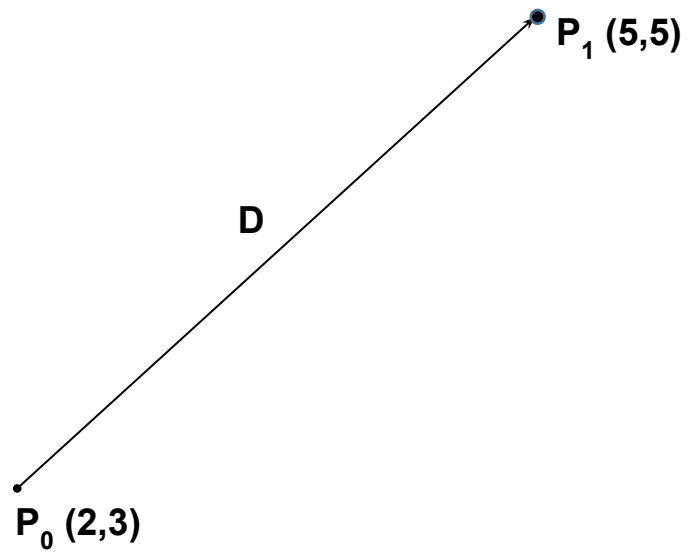
$$D = P_1 - P_0$$
$$= (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)$$
$$= (5 - 2, 5 - 3)$$
$$= (3, 2)$$
$$\cong 3i + 2j$$

Normal vectors to boundary

$$N_{top} = (0, 1)$$

$$N_{left} = (-1, 0)$$

$$N_{right} = (1, 0)$$

$$N_{bottom} = (0, -1)$$
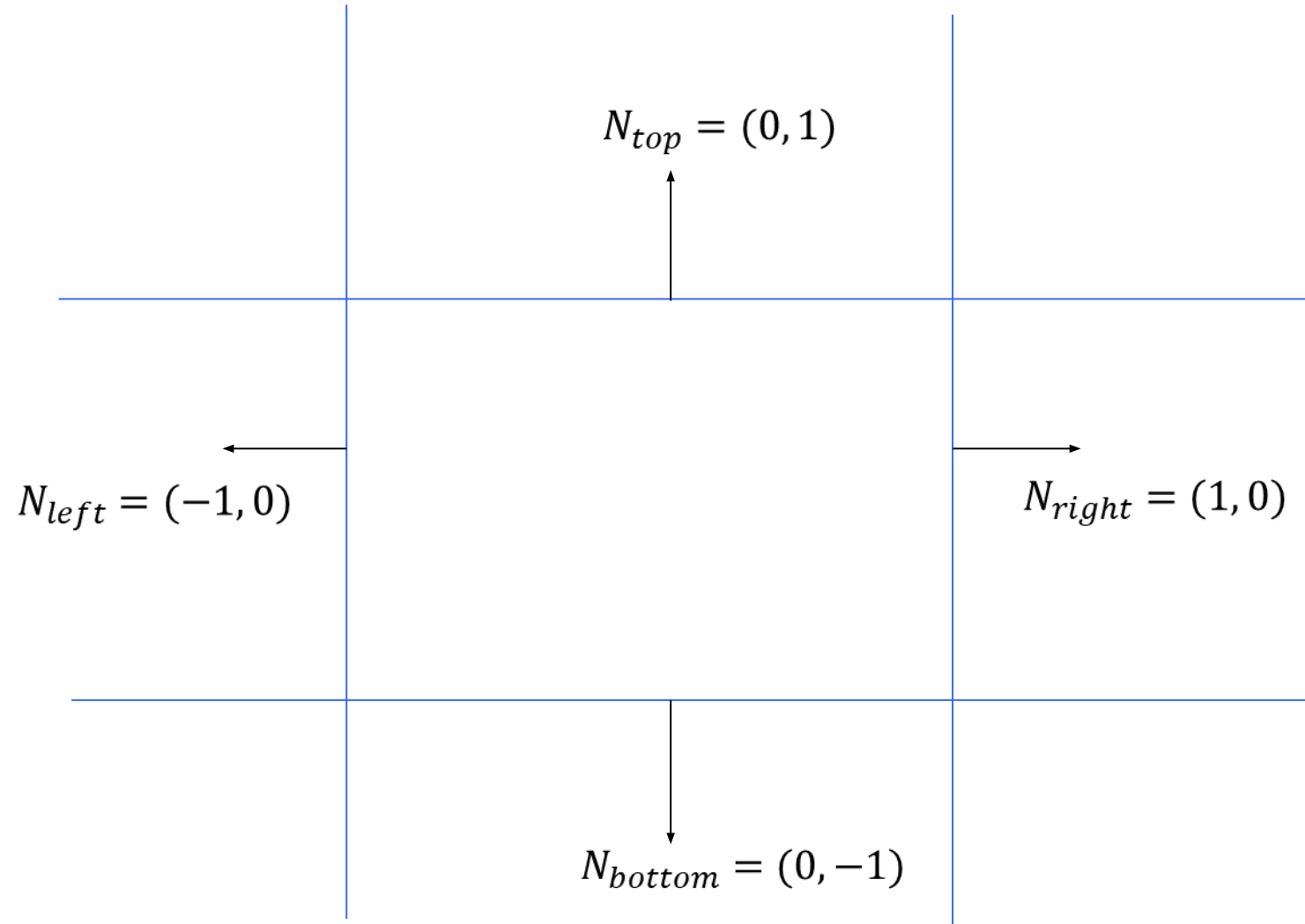
Each N_i is a perpendicular unit vector to each of the boundaries: left, right, top, bottom. N_i points away from the clip window

Normal vectors to boundary

$$N_{top} = (0, 1)$$

$$N_{right} = (1, 0)$$

$$N_{left} = (-1, 0)$$

$$N_{bottom} = (0, -1)$$

D = P$_1$ -P$_0$

P$_1$

P$_0$

PL

PE
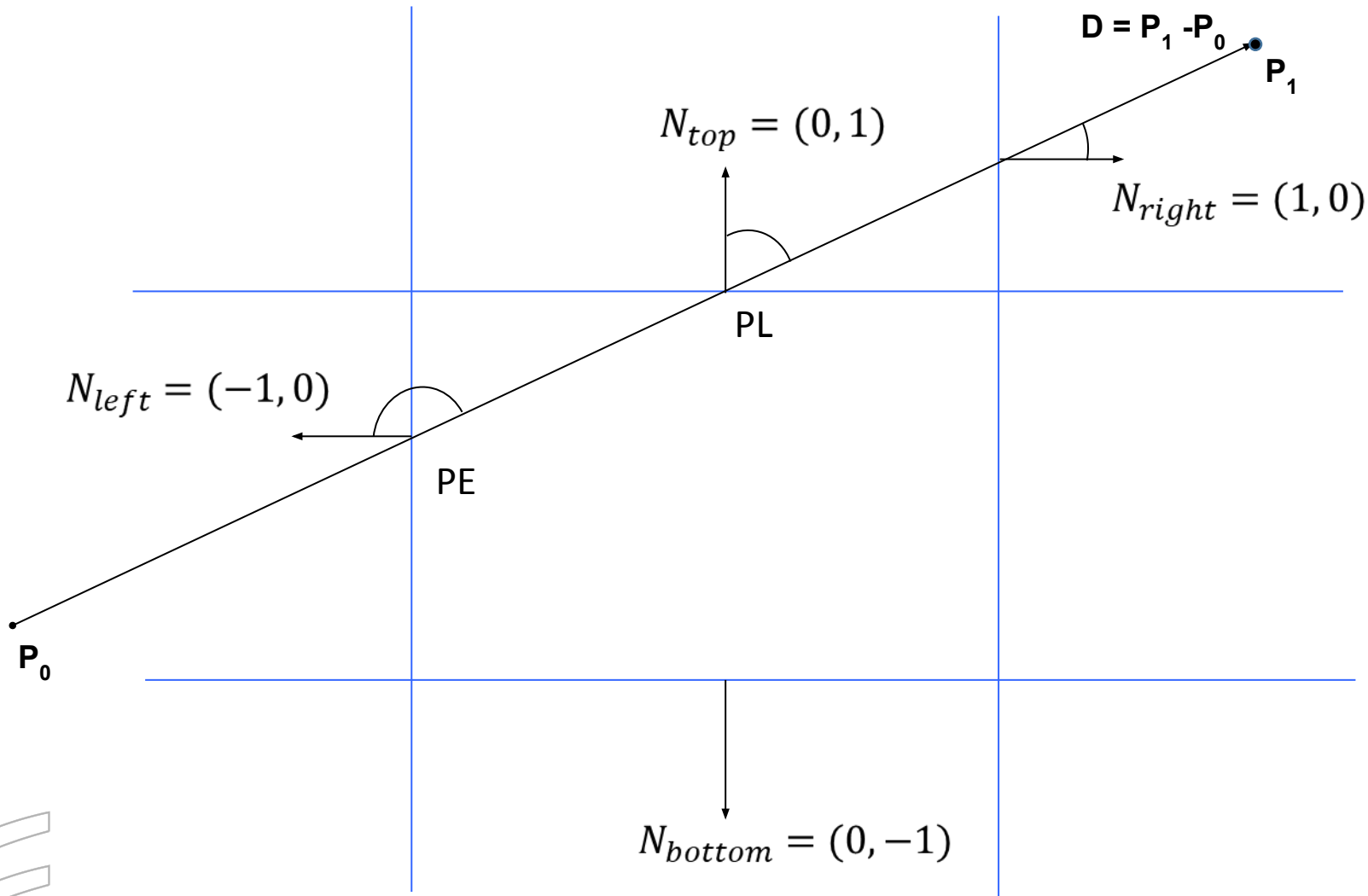
When angle between N$_i$ and D is more than 90 degree-
Or, N$_i$. D < 0
The intersection point is PE (Potentially entering)

When angle between N$_i$ and D is less than 90 degree-
Or, N$_i$. D > 0
The intersection point is PL (Potentially leaving)

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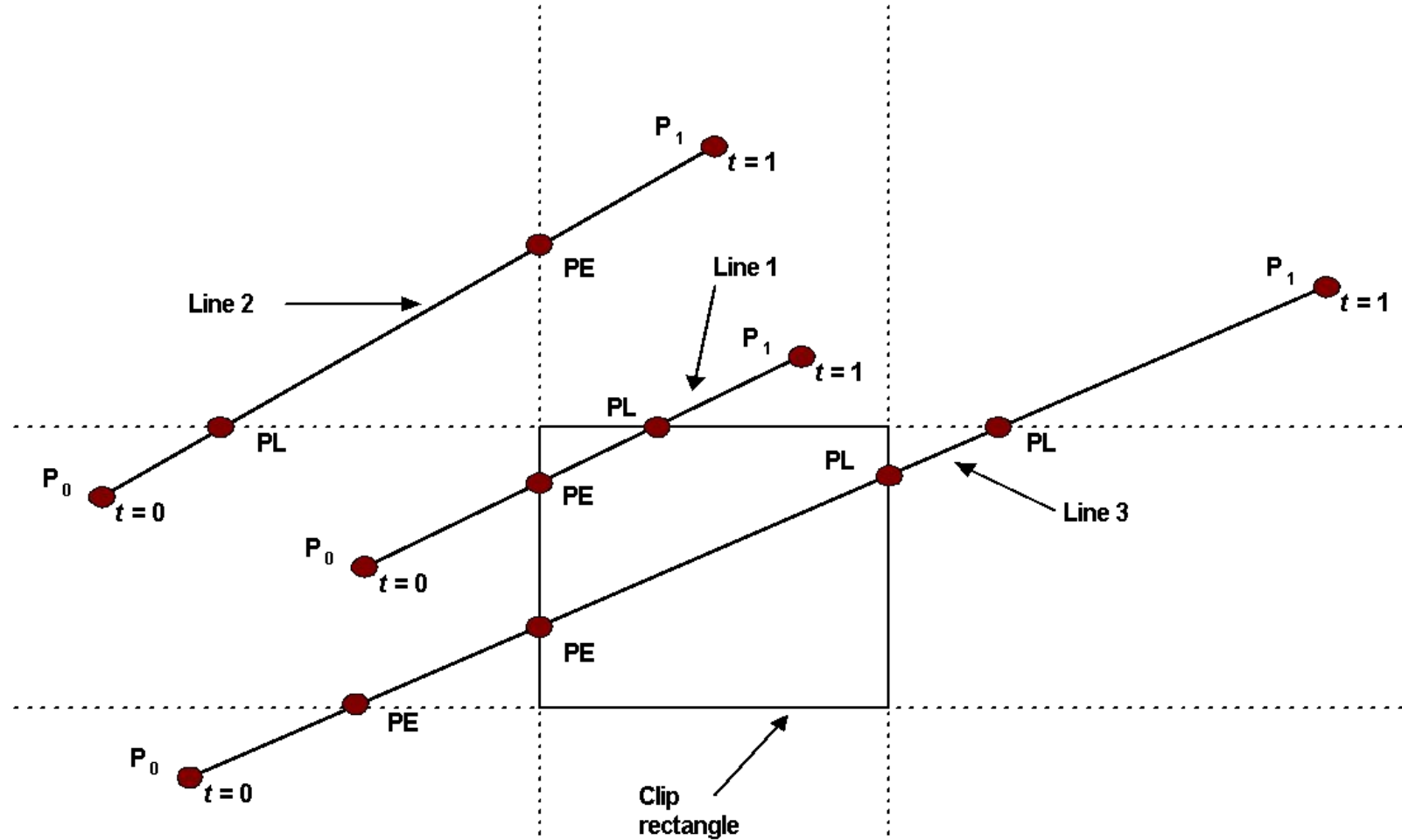
PE = Potentially Entering

$$N_i \cdot D < 0 \Rightarrow PE$$

$$\Rightarrow Angle > 90°$$

PL = Potentially Leaving

$$N_i \cdot D > 0 \Rightarrow PL$$

$$\Rightarrow Angle < 90°$$

Cyrus-Beck algo

- Calculate t values of intersection points with each 4 boundaries
- Classify intersection points whether PE/PL
- Select the PE with highest t and the PL with the lowest t
- Using parametric line eqn. find the clipped points

The Cyrus-Beck Algorithm

$$Line\ P_0P_1 : P(t) = P_0 + (P_1 - P_0)t$$

Outside of clip region | Inside of clip rectangle

Edge E_i

P_{E_i}

$P_i(t) - P_{E_i}$

P_1

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor < 0$

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor = 0$

P_0

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor > 0$

N_i
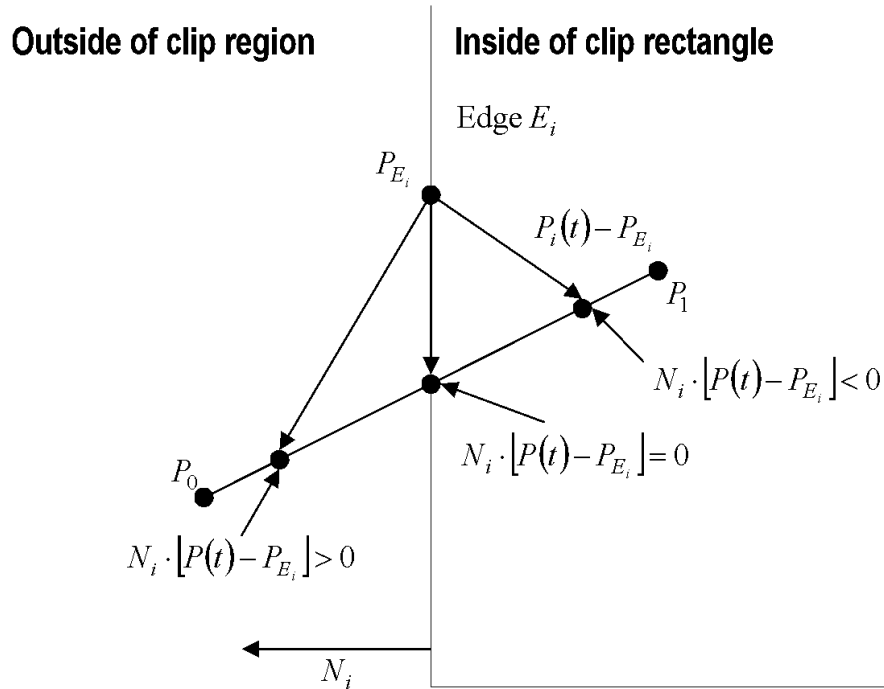
$$N_i \cdot \left[P(t) - P_{E_i} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow N_i \cdot \left[P_0 + (P_1 - P_0)t - P_{E_i} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow N_i \cdot \left[P_0 + (P_1 - P_0)t - P_{E_i} \right] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{N_i \cdot \left[P_0 - P_{E_i} \right]}{-N_i \cdot (P_1 - P_0)}$$

$$\Rightarrow t = \frac{N_i \cdot \left[P_0 - P_{E_i} \right]}{-N_i \cdot D}, \ D = P_1 - P_0$$

The Cyrus-Beck Algorithm

Outside of clip region | **Inside of clip rectangle**

Edge E_i

P_{E_i}

$P_i(t) - P_{E_i}$

P_1

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor < 0$

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor = 0$

P_0

$N_i \cdot \lfloor P(t) - P_{E_i} \rfloor > 0$

N_i
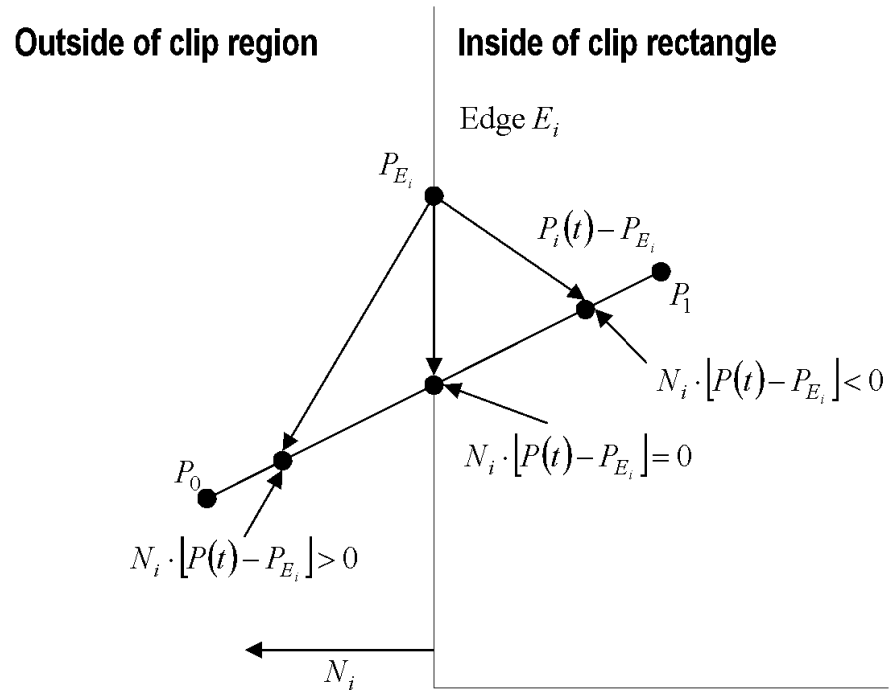
For left boundary,

$$t_{left} = \frac{N_i \cdot [P_0 - P_E]}{-N_i \cdot [P_1 - P_0]}$$

$$= \frac{(-1,0) \cdot [(x_0, y_0) - (x_{min}, y)]}{-(-1,0) \cdot [(x_1, y_1) - (x_0, y_0)]}$$

$$= \frac{(-1,0) \cdot (x_0 - x_{min}, y_0 - y)}{-(-1,0) \cdot (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0)}$$

$$= \frac{-1 \times (x_0 - x_{min}) + 0 \times (y_0 - y)}{-(-1 \times (x_1 - x_0) + 0 \times (y_1 - y_0))}$$

$$= \frac{-(x_0 - x_{min})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

Similarly,

$$t_{right} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{max})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{top} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{max})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

$$t_{bottom} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{min})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

The Cyrus-Beck Algorithm

Precalculate N_i and P_{Ei} for each edge
for *(each line segment to be clipped)* {
   if *($P_1 == P_0$)*
     line is degenerated, so clip as a point;
   else {
     $t_E = 0$; $t_L = 1$;
     for (*each candidate intersection with a clip edge*) {
        if (*$N_i \bullet D \mathrel{!=} 0$*) { /* Ignore edges parallel to line */
          calculate t;
          use sign of $N_i \bullet D$ to categorize as PE or PL;
          if (*PE*) $t_E = \max(t_E ,\ t)$;
          if (*PL*) $t_L = \min(t_L ,\ t)$;
        }
     }
     if (*$t_E > t_L$*) **return** NULL;
     else return *$P(t_E)$* and *$P(t_L)$* *as true clip intersection;*
   }
}

a) Calculate the value of t of the lines given below for all edges and specify whether they are entering or leaving t. [Given (0,0) to (300,200) be the clip region.]

- (i) (50, -125) to (-100, 225).

- (ii) (-250, 200) to (250, -200).

- (iii) (-250, 200) to (150, 100)

Also, find the line segment within the clipping window

a)(i) boundary:

$$x_{min} = 0, \quad x_{max} = 300, \quad y_{min} = 0, \quad y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_0 = 50, y_0 = -125, x_1 = -100, y_1 = 225$$
$$D = (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0) = (-150, 350)$$

Initially, $t_E = 0, t_L = 1$

$$t_{left} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{min})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{right} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{max})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{top} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{max})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

$$t_{bottom} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{min})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

Boundary	N_i	$N_i.D$	t	PE/PL	t_E	t_L
Left	(-1,0)	150	$\dfrac{-(50-0)}{-100-50}$ $= 0.33$	PL	0	0.33
Right	(1,0)	-150	$\dfrac{-(50-300)}{-100-50}$ $= -1.67$	PE	0	0.33
Bottom	(0, -1)	-350	$\dfrac{-(-125-0)}{225-(-125)}$ $= 0.357$	PE	0.357	0.33
Top	(0, 1)	350	$\dfrac{-(-125-200)}{225-(-125)}$ $= 0.93$	PL	0.357	0.33

Since $t_E > t_L$, line segment is outside clip window

Algorithm
Precalculate N_i and P_{Ei} for each edge
for *(each line segment to be clipped)* {
    if $(P_1 == P_0)$
        line is degenerated, so clip as a point;
    else {
        $t_E = 0; \ t_L = 1;$
        for *(each candidate intersection with a clip edge)* {
            if $(N_i \bullet D \ != 0)$ {   /* Ignore edges parallel to line */
                calculate t;
                use sign of $N_i \bullet D$ to categorize as PE or PL;
                if (PE) t_E = max(t_E, t);
                if (PL) t_L = min(t_L, t);
        }
        }
    if $(t_E > t_L)$ **return** NULL;
    else return $P(t_E)$ and $P(t_L)$ as true clip intersection;
    }
}

a)(ii) boundary:

$$x_{min} = 0, \quad x_{max} = 300, \quad y_{min} = 0, \quad y_{max} = 200$$

points:

$$x_0 = -250, y_0 = 200, x_1 = 250, y_1 = -200$$
$$D = (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0) = (500, -400)$$

Initially, $t_E = 0, t_L = 1$

Boundary	N_i	$N_i.D$	t	PE/PL	t_E	t_L
Left	(-1,0)	-500	$\dfrac{-(-250-0)}{500}$ $= 0.5$	PE	0.5	1
Right	(1,0)	500	$\dfrac{-(-250-300)}{500}$ $= 1.1$	PL	0.5	1
Bottom	(0, -1)	400	$\dfrac{-(200-0)}{-400}$ $= 0.5$	PL	0.5	0.5
Top	(0, 1)	-400	$\dfrac{-(200-200)}{-400}$ $= 0$	PE	0.5	0.5

P(0.5) and P(0.5) (same point) are the true clip intersection

$$P(0.5) = (x_0, y_0) + 0.5 \times D$$
$$= (-250, 200) + 0.5 \times (500, -400)$$
$$= (0,0)$$

$$t_{left} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{min})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{right} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{max})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{top} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{max})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

$$t_{bottom} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{min})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

Algorithm
Precalculate N_i and P_{Ei} for each edge
for *(each line segment to be clipped)* {
   if $(P_1 == P_0)$
      line is degenerated, so clip as a point;
   else {
      $t_E = 0; \ t_L = 1;$
      for *(each candidate intersection with a clip edge)* {
         if $(N_i \bullet D \ != 0)$ {   /* Ignore edges parallel to line */
            calculate t;
            use sign of $N_i \bullet D$ to categorize as PE or PL;
            if $(PE) \ t_E = \max(t_E, \ t);$
            if $(PL) \ t_L = \min(t_L, \ t);$
         }
      }
   }
   if $(t_E > t_L)$ **return** NULL;
   else return $P(t_E)$ and $P(t_L)$ as true clip intersection;
}
}

a)(iii) boundary:
$$x_{min} = 0, \quad x_{max} = 300, \quad y_{min} = 0, \quad y_{max} = 200$$
points:
$$x_0 = -250, y_0 = 200, x_1 = 150, y_1 = 100$$
$$D = (x_1 - x_0, y_1 - y_0) = (400, -100)$$
Initially, $t_E = 0, t_L = 1$

$$t_{left} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{min})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{right} = \frac{-(x_0 - x_{max})}{(x_1 - x_0)}$$

$$t_{top} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{max})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

$$t_{bottom} = \frac{-(y_0 - y_{min})}{(y_1 - y_0)}$$

Boundary	N_i	$N_i.D$	t	PE/PL	t_E	t_L
Left	(-1,0)	-400	$\frac{-(-250 - 0)}{400} = 0.625$	PE	0.625	1
Right	(1,0)	400	$\frac{-(-250 - 300)}{400} = 1.375$	PL	0.625	1
Bottom	(0, -1)	100	$\frac{-(200 - 0)}{-100} = 2$	PL	0.625	1
Top	(0, 1)	-100	$\frac{-(200 - 200)}{-100} = 0$	PE	0.625	1

P(0.625) and P(1) are the true clip intersection
$$P(0.625) = (x_0, y_0) + 0.625 \times D$$
$$= (-250, 200) + 0.625 \times (400, -100)$$
$$= (0, 137.5)$$
$$P(1) = (150, 100)$$
(0, 137.5) and (150, 100) are the endpoints of the clipped line

Algorithm
Precalculate N_i and P_{Ei} for each edge
for *(each line segment to be clipped)* {
    if $(P_1 == P_0)$
        line is degenerated, so clip as a point;
    else {
        $t_E = 0; \ t_L = 1;$
        for *(each candidate intersection with a clip edge)* {
            if $(N_i \bullet D \ != 0)$ {   /* Ignore edges parallel to line */
                calculate t;
                use sign of $N_i \bullet D$ to categorize as PE or PL;
                if (PE) $t_E = max(t_E , \ t)$;
                if (PL) $t_L = min(t_L , \ t)$;
        }
        }
    }
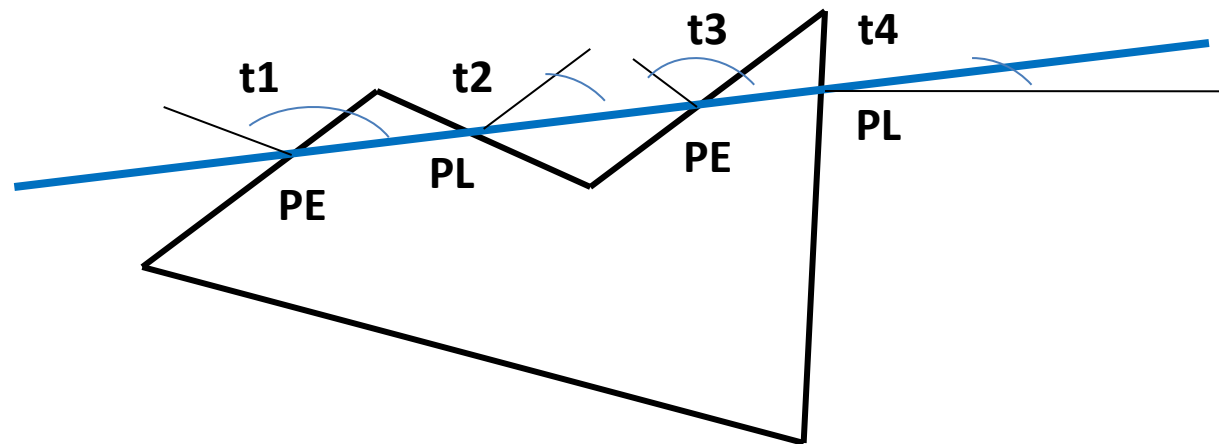   **if** $(t_E > t_L)$ **return** NULL;
    else return $P(t_E)$ and $P(t_L)$ as true clip intersection;
}
}

Cyrus-Beck Parametric Line Clipping Algorithm

- Advantage
  - Works with polygons too (not only with clip rectangles)
  - Works in 3D scenario (polyhedrons)

- Problem
  - Does not work with **concave** polygon clip region

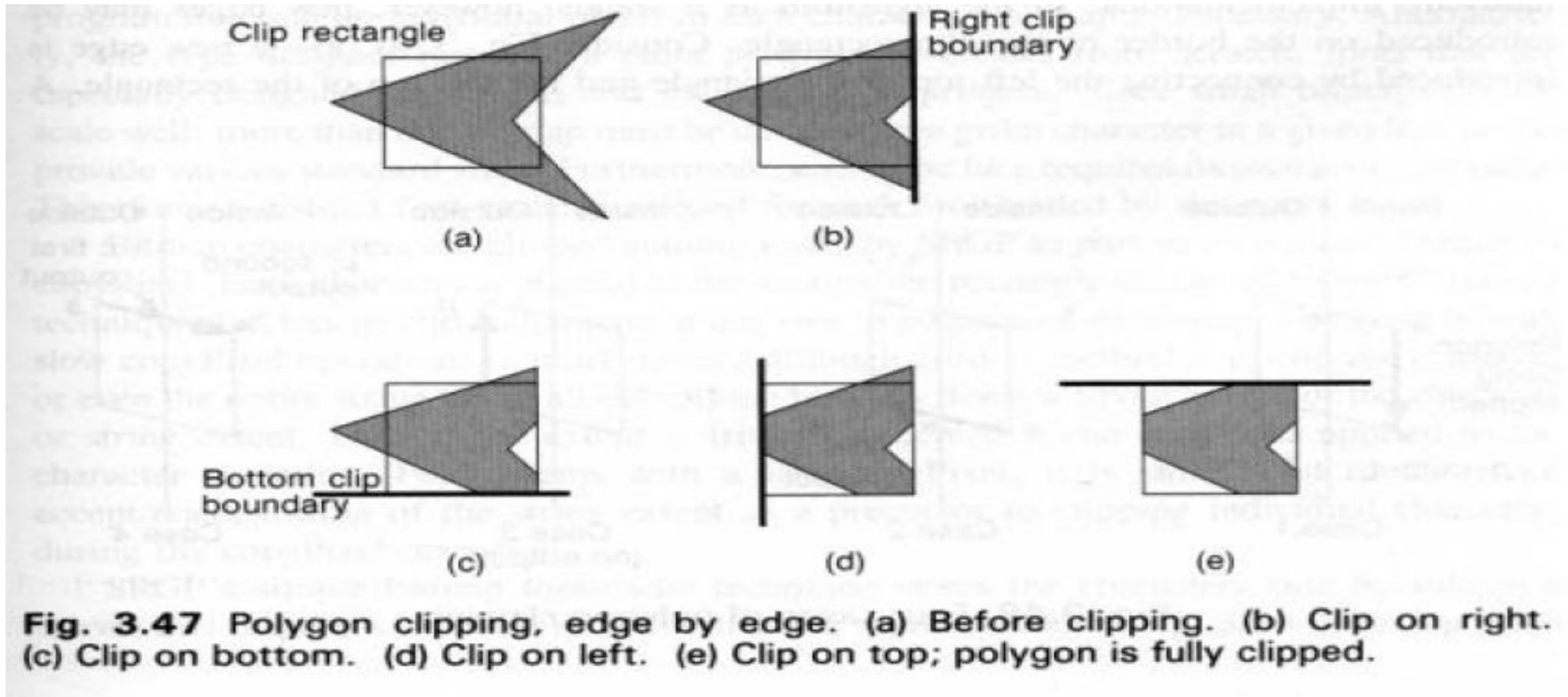
$t_E = t_3$
$t_L = t_2$
$t_E > t_L$
So the whole line is discarded though some segments should be displayed

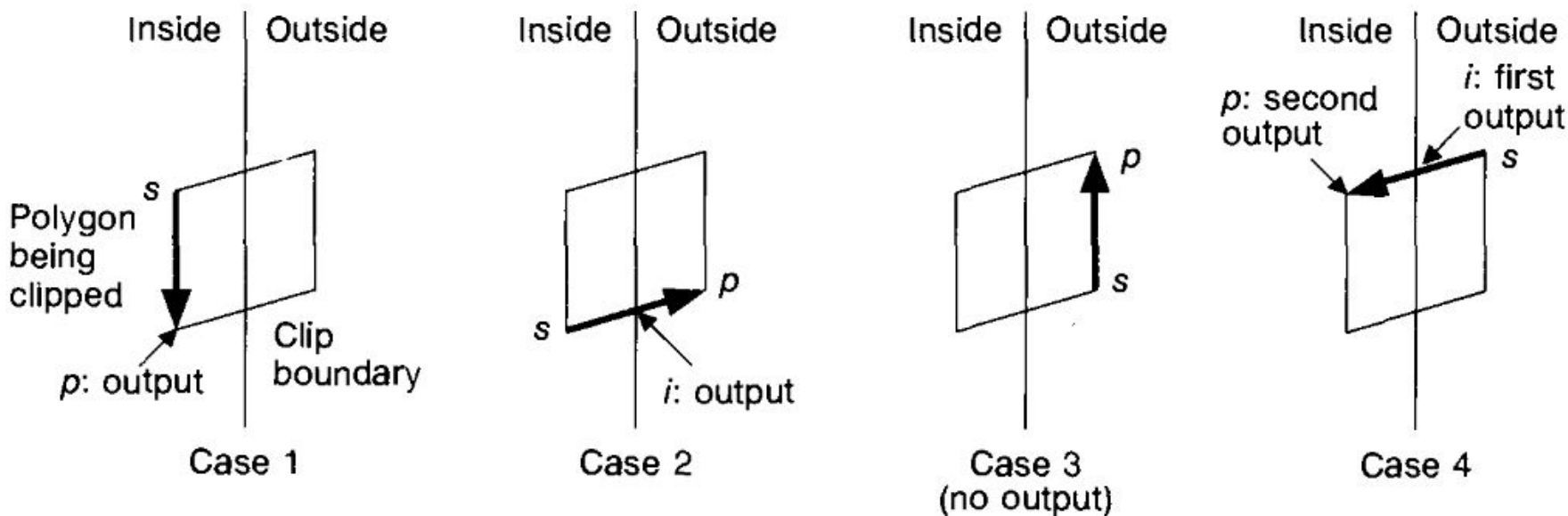# Clipping

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

Fig. 3.47 Polygon clipping, edge by edge. (a) Before clipping. (b) Clip on right. (c) Clip on bottom. (d) Clip on left. (e) Clip on top; polygon is fully clipped.

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

- Divide and Conquer Strategy
  - Clip against a single infinite clip edge and get new vertices
  - Repeat for next clip edge
- Adding Vertices to Output List

Fig. 3.48 Four cases of polygon clipping.

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

Input:

1.   Polygon described by an input of list of vertices: $v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_n$
2.   Convex clip region C

Algorithm:

Inputlist : $v_1, v_2, \ldots, v_n$

For each clip edge e in E do

        S $\square$ v_n
        P $\square$ v_1
        j $\square$ 1
        While (j<n)
                do, if both S & P inside the clip region,
                        Add p to output list
                else if S inside & P outside, then
                        Find intersection point i
                        Add i to output list
                else if S outside and P inside, then
                        find intersection point i
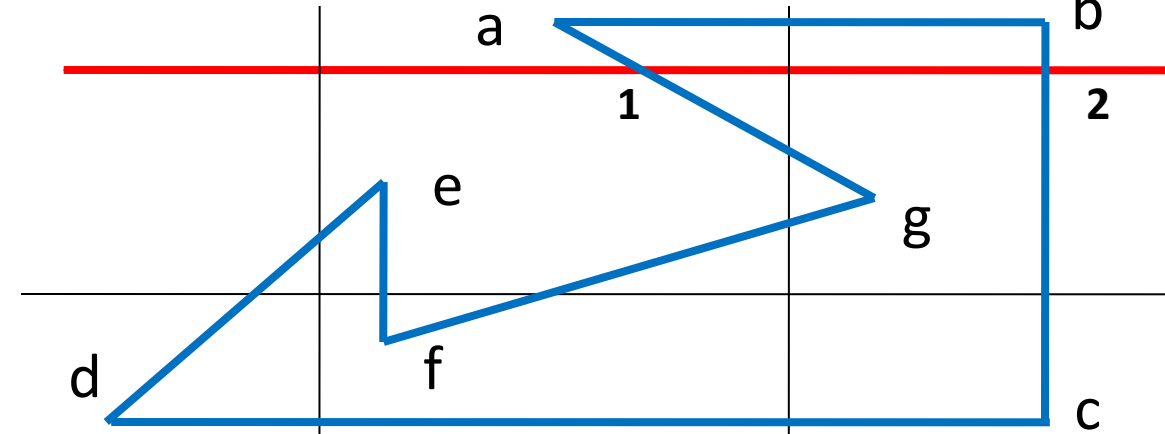   add i to output list
                        add P to output list
                else if S and P both outside
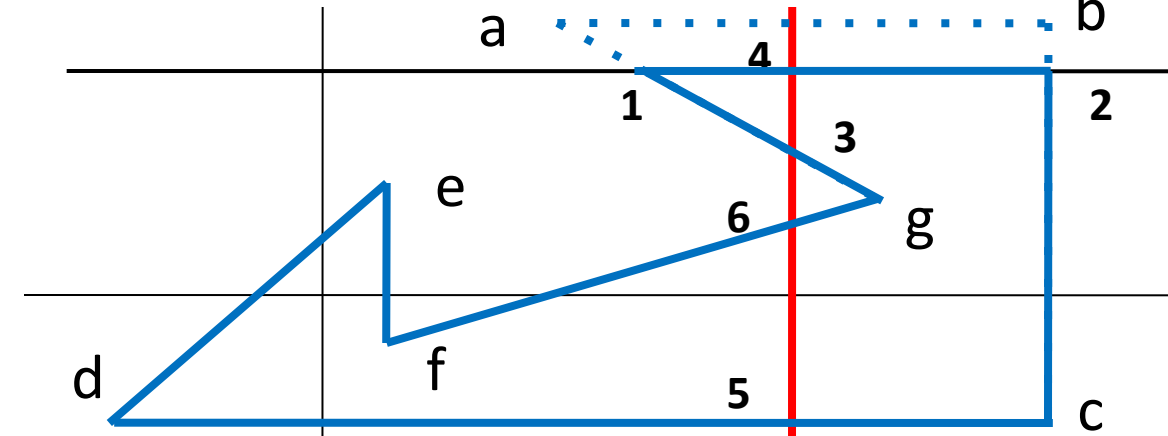   do nothing
                S $\square$ v_j

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

- a, b, c, d, e, f, g
- S = g, P = a
- Output: 1, 2, c, d, e, f, g

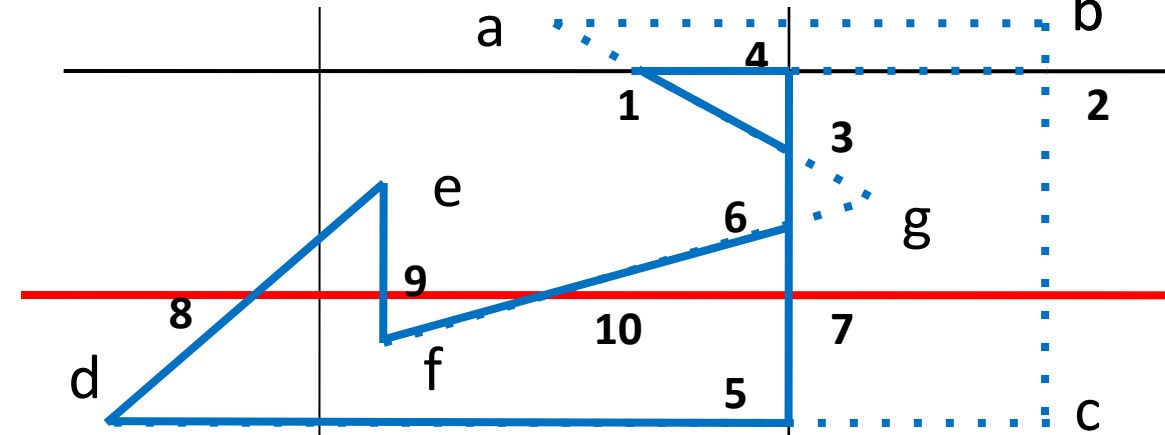| SP	Intersection	Output	Comments
g, a	1	1	g inside, a outside
a, b	-	-	Both outside
b, c	2	2,c	b outside, c inside
c, d	-	d	Both inside
d, e	-	e	Both inside
e, f	-	f	Both inside
f, g	-	g	Both inside

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

- Output of previous iteration
  1, 2, c, d, e, f, g
- S = g, P = 1
- Output: 3, 1, 4, 5, d, e, f, 6

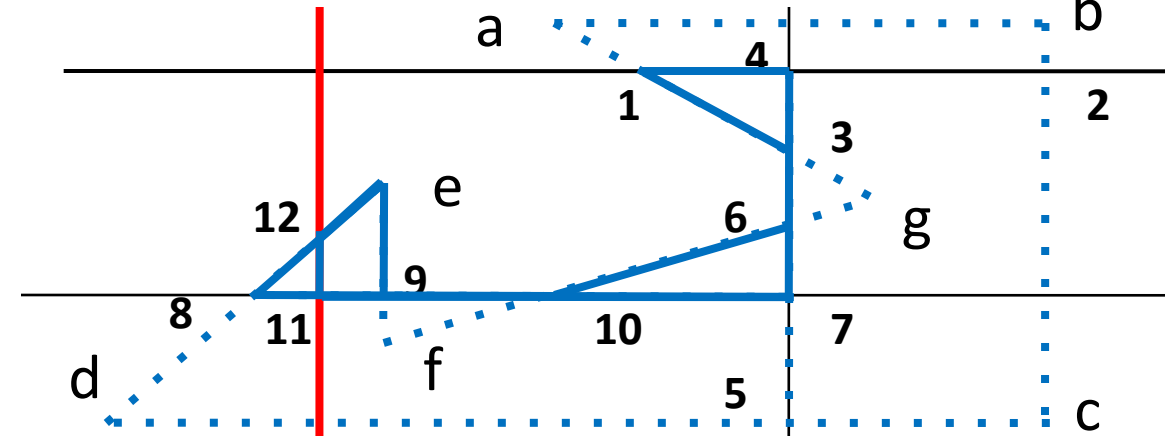| SP	Intersection	Output	Comments
g,1	3	3,1	g outside, 1 inside
1, 2	4	4	1 inside, 2 outside
2, c	-	-	Both outside
c, d	5	5,d	d inside, c outside
d, e	-	e	Both inside
e, f	-	f	Both inside
f, g	6	6	f inside, g outside

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

- Output of previous iteration 3, 1, 4, 5, d, e, f, 6
- S = 6, P = 3
- Output: 3, 1, 4, 7, 8, e, 9, 10, 6

SP	Intersection	Output	Comments
6, 3	-	3	Both inside
3, 1	-	1	Both inside
1, 4	-	4	Both inside
4, 5	7	7	4 inside, 5 outside
5, d	-	-	Both outside
d, e	8	8, e	e inside, d outside
e, f	9	9	e inside, f outside
f, 6	10	10, 6	6 inside, f outside

Sutherland-Hodgman Polygon Clipping

- Output of previous iteration
  3, 1, 4, 7, 8, e, 9, 10, 6
- S = 6, P = 3
- Output: 3, 1, 4, 7, 11, 12, e,
  9, 10, 6

SP	Intersection	Output	Comments
6, 3	-	3	Both inside
3, 1	-	1	Both inside
1, 4	-	4	Both inside
4, 7	-	7	Both inside
7, 8	11	11	7 inside, 8 outside
8, e	12	12, e	e inside, 8 outside
e, 9	-	9	Both inside
9, 10	-	10	Both inside
10, 6	-	6	Both inside

Clipping Circles (and Ellipses)

- Analytical
  - Intersect circle's extent (square of size of circle's diameter) with clip rectangle
  - Run the algorithm of polygon clipping
    - No intersect : trivial reject
    - Intersect : divide into quadrants (and later octants if needed) and repeat
  - Compute intersection by solving equations

- During Scan Conversion
  - When circle is relatively small or scan conversion is fast
  - After extent checking scissor on a pixel by pixel basis

- Similar Approach for Ellipses!

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Chapter: 3.12, 3.14