Orbit

Earth is being besieged by asteroids. Fortunately, due to advances in mad science we have the ultimate defensive shield: we can now move the moon at will in its orbit! Angle the moon around the earth to stop the asteroids before they crash into the earth.

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/* orbit.c listing begins: */
#include <allegro.h>
#include <math.h>
#include <stdio.h>
#define ALLEGRO_NO_FIX_CLASS
#define MODE GFX_AUTODETECT_WINDOWED
#define WIDTH 640
#define HEIGHT 480
#define BLACK makecol(0, 0, 0)
#define BLUE makecol(0, 128, 255)
#define ORANGE makecol(255, 192, 0)
#define WHITE makecol(255, 255, 255)
#define DIST 0
#define ANGLE 1
#define BOOM 2
BITMAP *buffer;
long start_time;
int loop_num;
int block [5][3];
int p_{angle} = 270, score = 0;
bool gameover, active[5];
void spawn_meteor() {
 for(int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
    if (active[i] == false) {
        block[i][DIST] = (rand()%100)+200;
        block[i][ANGLE] = (rand()%300)+30;
        active[i] = true;
        return;
 return;
void main() {
  allegro_init();
  install_keyboard();
  install_mouse();
  install_timer();
 set_color_depth(32);
  set_gfx_mode(MODE, WIDTH, HEIGHT, 0, 0);
  srand(time(NULL));
 buffer = create_bitmap(WIDTH, HEIGHT);
 textout_centre_ex(screen, font, "Welcome to Orbit!", 320, 200, WHITE, -1);
 textout_centre_ex(screen, font
     "Rotate the Moon around the earth to block the oncoming meteors"
    , 320, 220, WHITE, -1);
  textout_centre_ex(screen, font, "Press Enter to start game"
     320, 240, WHITE, -1);
 while ((!key[KEY_ENTER])&&(!key[KEY_ESC])) {}
  while (!key[KEY_ESC]) {
    start_time = clock();
    /*game goes here*/
    if ((key[KEY_LEFT])||(key[KEY_DOWN]))
        p_angle -= 10;
    if ((key[KEY_RIGHT])||(key[KEY_UP]))
                                                   /* Listing continued on next page...*/
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/* Listing continued from previous page */
                                                              Score: 156
        p_angle += 10;
    p_angle += 360;
    p_angle %= 360;
    if (loop_num % (45-score/20) == 0)
        spawn_meteor();
    for(int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
      if (active[i])
       block[i][DIST] -= 2;
      if (block[i][BOOM] > 0)
        block[i][BOOM] += 1;
      block[i][BOOM] %= 10;
      if ((block[i][DIST] < 40)&&(active[i] == true))
        gameover = true;
      if ((block[i][DIST] < 90)&&(block[i][DIST] > 40)
        \&\&(block[i][ANGLE] > p\_angle - 25)\&\&(block[i][ANGLE] < p\_angle + 25)
        &&(active[i] == true)) {
        active[i] = false;
        score += 1;
        block[i][BOOM] = 1;
    }
    /*drawing goes here*/
    circlefill(buffer, 320, 240, 40, BLUE);
    circlefill(buffer, 320+int(70*cos(p_angle/57.32)), 240
      +int(70*sin(p_angle/57.32)), 12, WHITE);
    for (int i = 0; i < 5; i++) {
      if (active[i] == true)
      circlefill(buffer, 320+int(block[i][DIST]*cos(block[i][ANGLE]/57.32))
        , 240+int(block[i][DIST]*sin(block[i][ANGLE]/57.32)), 7, ORANGE);
      if ((block[i][BOOM] > 1)&&(active[i] == false))
      circle(buffer, 320+int(block[i][DIST]*cos(block[i][ANGLE]/57.32))
        , 240+int(block[i][DIST]*sin(block[i][ANGLE]/57.32)), block[i][B00M]*10
        , ORANGE);
    textprintf_ex(buffer, font, 30, 20, WHITE, -1, "Score: %i", score);
    blit(buffer, screen, 0, 0, 0, 0, WIDTH, HEIGHT);
    clear_to_color(buffer, BLACK);
    if (gameover == true) {
      textout_centre_ex(screen, font, "Game Over", 320, 240, WHITE, -1);
      textout_centre_ex(screen, font, "Press esc to quit", 320, 260, WHITE, -1);
      while (!key[KEY_ESC]) {}
      destroy_bitmap(buffer);
      return;
    }
    while (clock() < start_time + 20) {}</pre>
    loop_num += 1;
  destroy_bitmap(buffer);
 return;
END_OF_MAIN()
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