



**Aim:** To implement Bresenham's algorithms for drawing a line segment between two given end points.

**Objective:**

Draw a line using Bresenham's line algorithm that determines the points of an n-dimensional raster that should be selected to form a close approximation to a straight line between two points

**Theory:**

In Bresenham's line algorithm pixel positions along the line path are obtained by determining the pixels i.e. nearer the line path at each step.

**Algorithm**  $-(x_1, y_1, x_0, y_0)$

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dx=x1-x0
dy=y1-y0
p0=2dy-dx
for k=0 to dx do
  if pk<0 then
    putpixel(xi+1,yi)
    pn=pk+2dy
  else
    putpixel(xi+1,yi+1)
    pn=pk+(2dy-2dx)
  end
end
```

**Program**

```
#include <stdio.h>
#include <conio.h>
#include <graphics.h>

void Bresenham(int x1, int y1, int x2, int y2) {
    int dx, dy, x, y, p, end;
    dx = abs(x1 - x2);
    dy = abs(y1 - y2);
    p = 2 * dy - dx;
    if (x1 > x2) {
        x = x2;
        y = y2;
        end = x1;
    } else {
```



```
x = x1;
y = y1;
end = x2;
}
putpixel(x, y, 7);
while (x < end) {
    x = x + 1;
    if (p < 0) {
        p = p + 2 * dy;
    } else {
        y = y + 1;
        p = p + 2 * (dy - dx);
    }
    putpixel(x, y, 7);
}
}

int main() {
    int gd = DETECT, gm;
    initgraph(&gd, &gm, RED);

    int x1, y1, x2, y2;
    printf("Enter the coordinates of the first point (x1 y1): ");
    scanf("%d %d", &x1, &y1);
    printf("Enter the coordinates of the second point (x2 y2): ");
    scanf("%d %d", &x2, &y2);

    Bresenham(x1, y1, x2, y2);

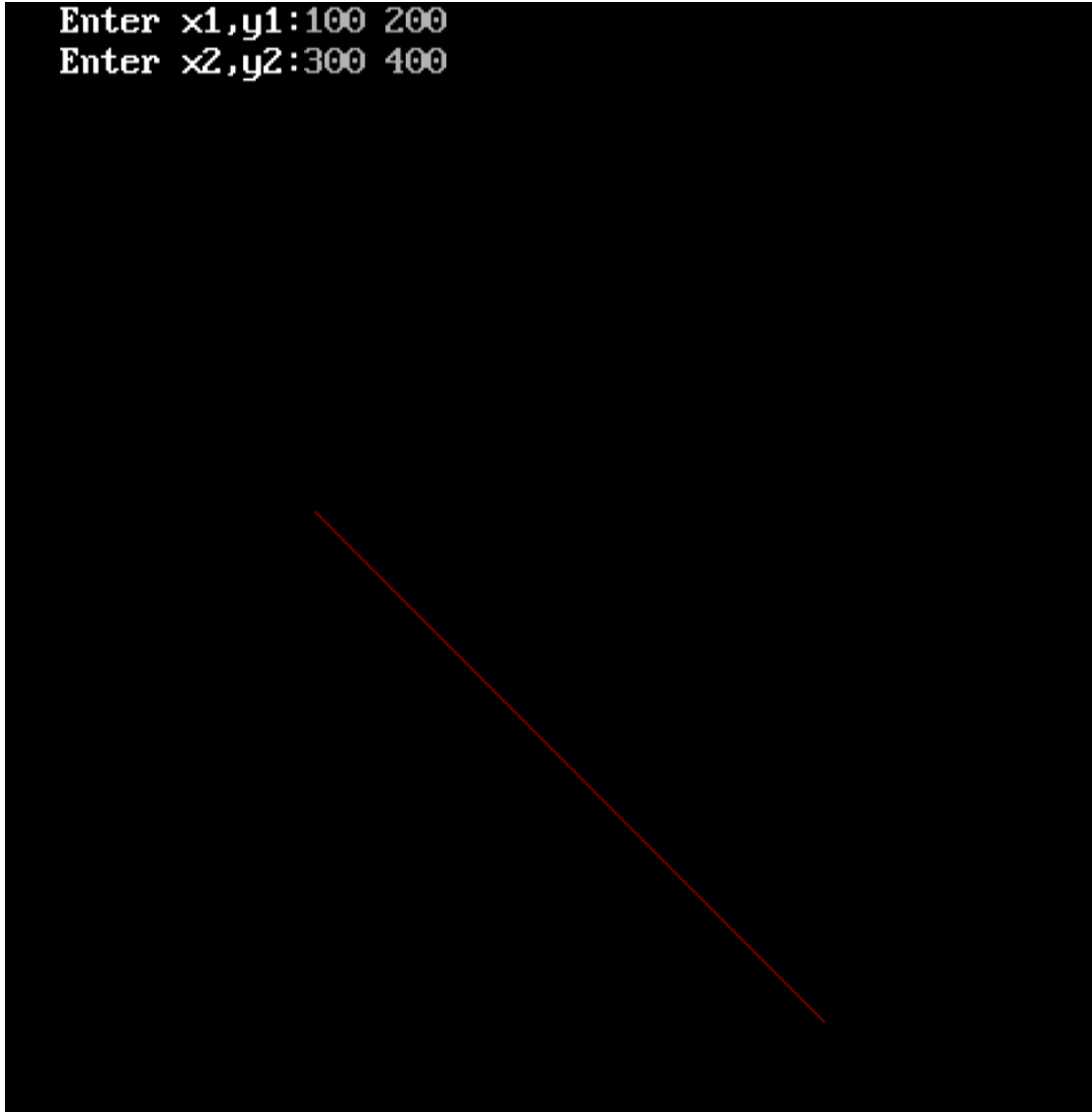
    getch();

    closegraph();
    return 0;
}
```



Output:

```
Enter x1,y1:100 200
Enter x2,y2:300 400
```



**Conclusion:** Comment on -

1. Pixel:-Bresenham's algorithm does not perform any rounding operation
2. Equation for line:- $y=mx+c$
3. Need of line drawing algorithm:-Involves cheaper operation like addition and subtraction
4. Slow or fast:-It is faster than DDA