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Experiment No. 2

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 -

Step1: Start Algorithm

Step2: Declare variable x1,x2,y1,y2,d,i1,i2,dx,dy

Step3: Enter value of x1,y1,x2,y2

Where x1,y1are coordinates of starting point And x2,y2 are coordinates of Ending point

Step4: Calculate dx = x2-x1Calculate dy = y2-y1Calculate i1=2*dyCalculate i2=2*(dy-dx)Calculate d=i1-dx

Step5: Consider (x, y) as starting point and xendas maximum possible value of x.

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If dx < 0

Then x = x2

y = y2

xend=x1

If dx > 0

Then x = x1

y = y1

xend=x2
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Step6: Generate point at (x,y) coordinates.



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Step7: Check if whole line is generated.
         If x > = xend
         Stop.
Step8: Calculate co-ordinates of the next pixel
         If d < 0
            Then d = d + i1
         If d \ge 0
      Then d = d + i2
         Increment y = y + 1
Step9: Increment x = x + 1
Step 10: Draw a point of latest (x, y) coordinates
Step11: Go to step 7
Step12: End of Algorithm
Program -
#include<graphics.h>
#include<stdio.h>
#include<conio.h>
int main()
{
       int x,y,x1,y1,x2,y2,p,dx,dy;
       int gd=DETECT,gm=0;
       initgraph(&gd,&gm, "");
       printf("\n Enter x1 cordinate: ");
       scanf("%d",&x1);
       printf("\n Enter y1 cordinate: ");
       scanf("%d",&y1);
       printf("\n Enter x2 cordinate: ");
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scanf("%d",&x2);
printf("\n Enter y2 cordinate: ");
scanf("%d",&y2);
x=x1;
y=y1;
dx=x2-x1;
dy=y2-y1;
putpixel (x,y, RED);
p = (2 * dy-dx);
while(x \le x2)
{
       if(p<0)
       {
              x = x+1;
              p = p + 2*dy;
       }
       else
       {
              x = x + 1;
              y = y + 1;
              p = p + (2 * dy) - (2 * dx);
       }
       putpixel (x,y, RED);
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getch();
closegraph();
}
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Output -

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Enter x1 cordinate: 100

Enter y1 cordinate: 140

Enter x2 cordinate: 230

Enter y2 cordinate: 300
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Conclusion: Comment on -

- 1. Pixel
- 2. Equation for line
- 3. Need of line drawing algorithm
- 4. Slow or fast



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