

Engineering, Department of

Computer Graphics (CSE 4103)

Lecture 6

Basic Raster Graphics Algorithm for Drawing 2D Primitives







Clipping Line

Last Classes

- 1. Incremental Line-drawing Algorithm
- 2. Mid-point Algorithm for Line-drawing
 - i) In only one Octant
 - ii) In all 8 octants
 - iii) 8-way Symmetry
 - iv) Tangent Independent mid-point line drawing algorithm
- 3. Mid-point Algorithm for drawing Circle
- 4. Mid-point Algorithm for drawing Ellipse

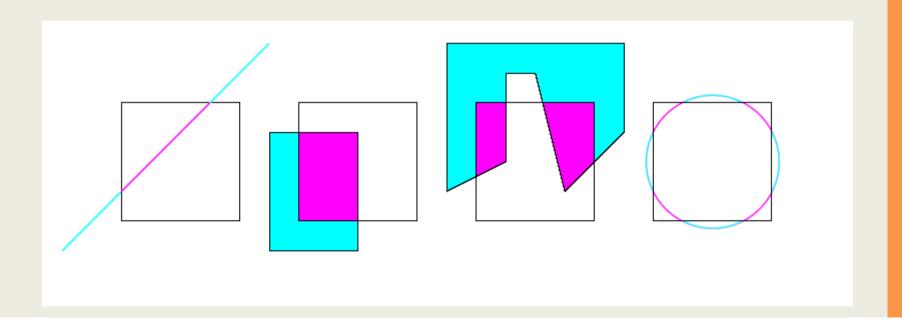
This Class

- 1. Clipping lines using
 - a) Cohen-Sutherland Algorithm
 - b) Cyrus-Bech Algorithm

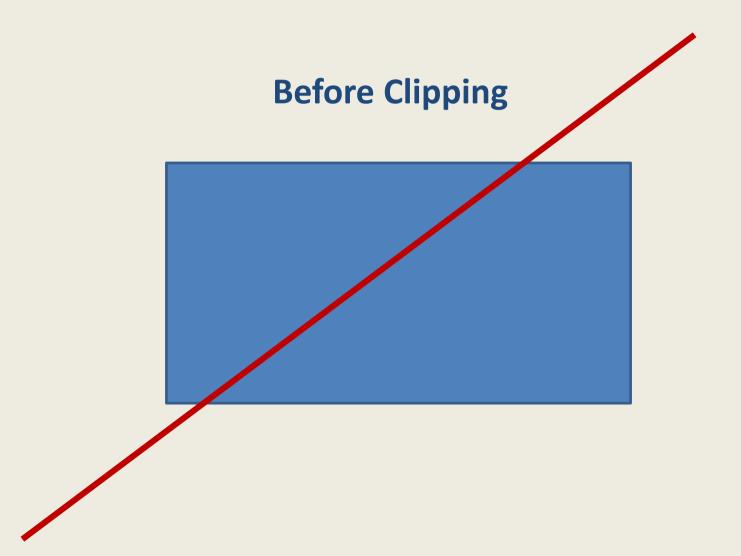
What is Clipping

From Computer Graphic's context, Clipping "is a method to selectively enable or disable rendering operations within a defined region of interest" [Wiki].

In general, Clipping is a technique to trimming down a given primitive with respect to an object.

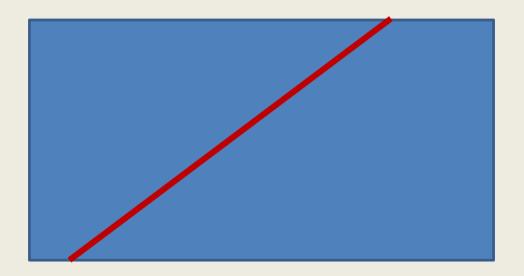


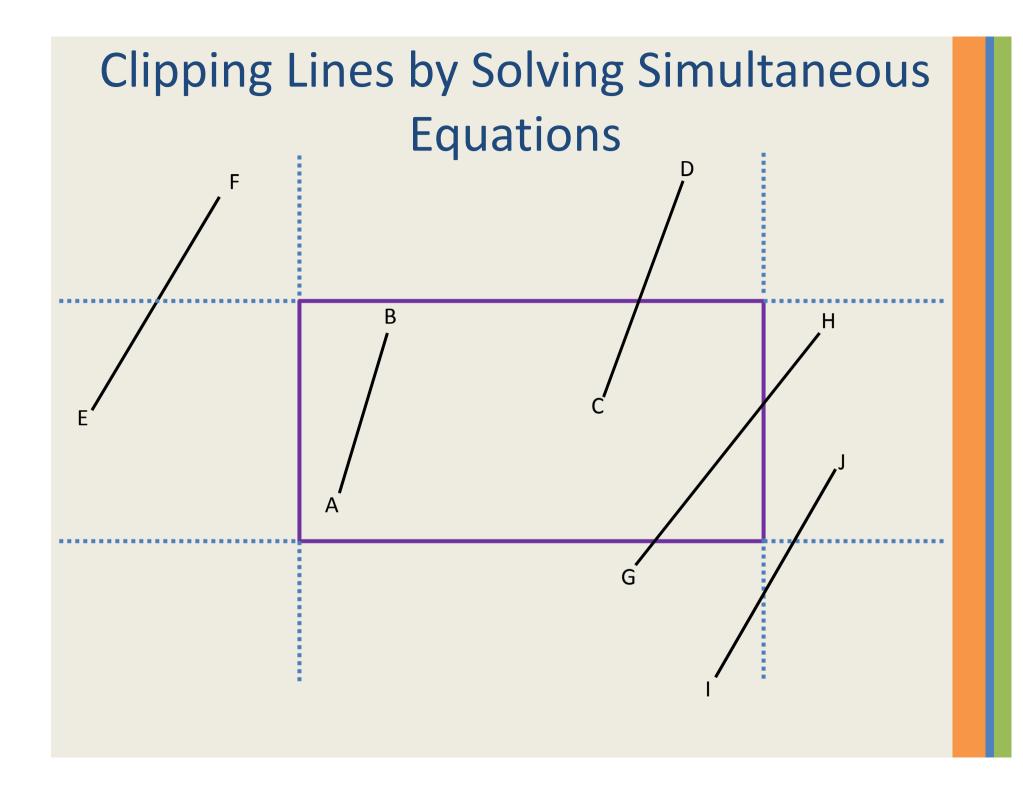
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After Clipping





Clipping Lines by Solving Simultaneous Equations..

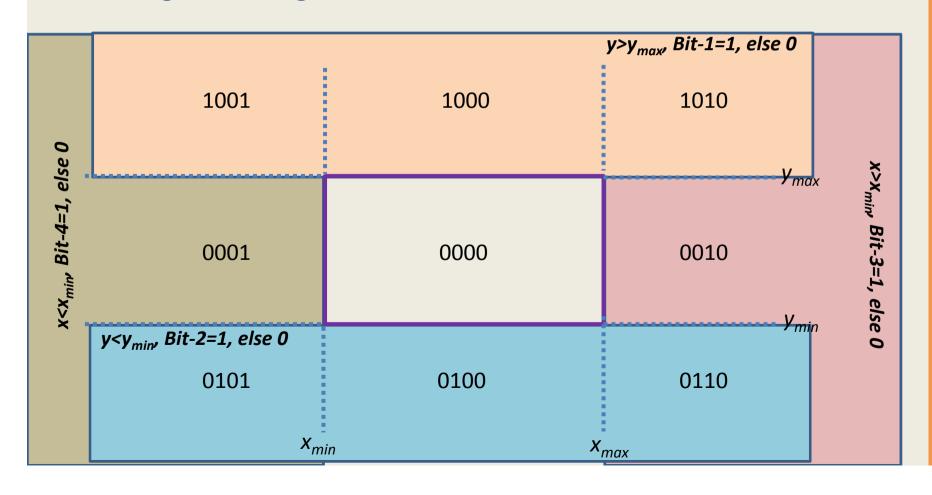
Input: Coordinates of Lines, Four corners of rectangle $\{(x_{min}, y_{min}), (x_{max}, y_{max})\}$

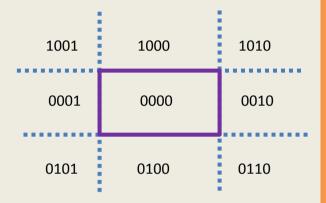
Output: Clipped lines with respect to given rectangle

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Step 1. For every line segment
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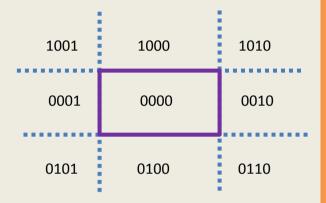
- Step 2: If the line is trivially accepted, do nothing
- Step 3: **else** convert the line segment to equation of line (EL)
- Step 4. consider the edges to equation of lines (EE)
- Step 5. consider every pair or (EL, EE_i)
- Step 6. find the intersecting point between (EL, EE_i)
- Step 7. validate the intersecting point with respect to $\{(x_{min}, y_{min}), (x_{max}, y_{max})\}$

- Divide viewplane into regions defined by viewport edges
- Assign each region a 4-bit outcode:

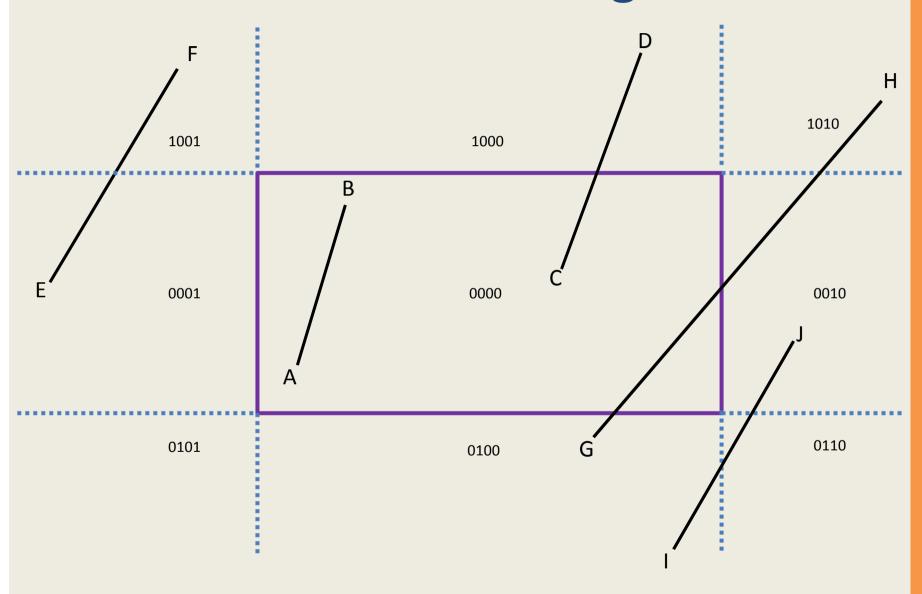


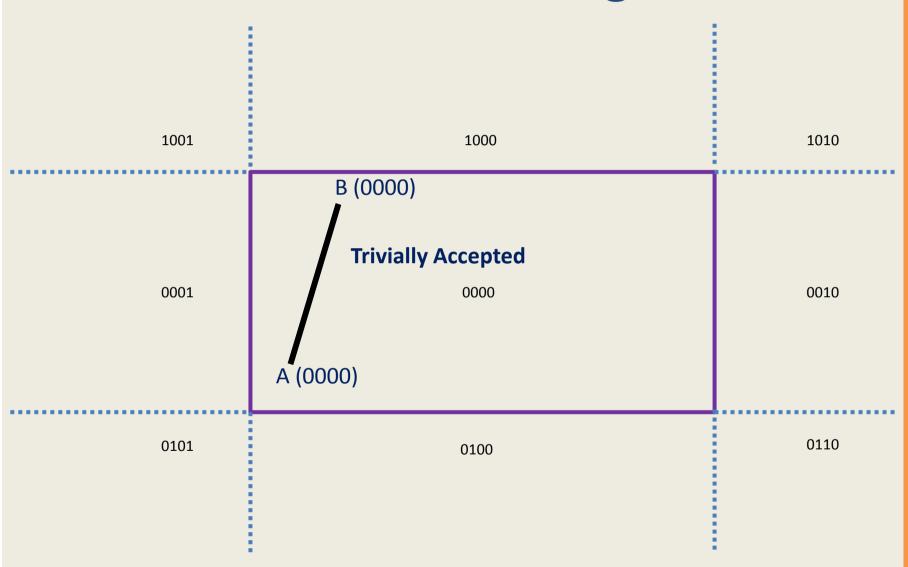


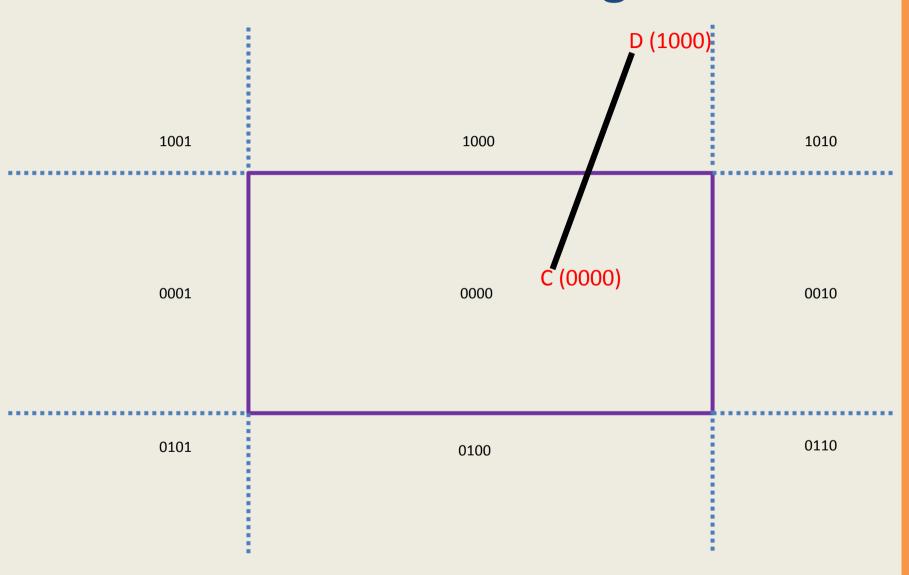
- 1. Check for trivial accept (both endpoints are in, i.e., outcode for both endpoints are 0000)
- 2. Check whether it line segment is trivially reject
 - (Trivially reject condition: Bit-wise AND of two outcode should be non-zero)
- 3. If line can be neither trivially accepted or trivially rejected, then split in two at a clip edge and iterate the same process.

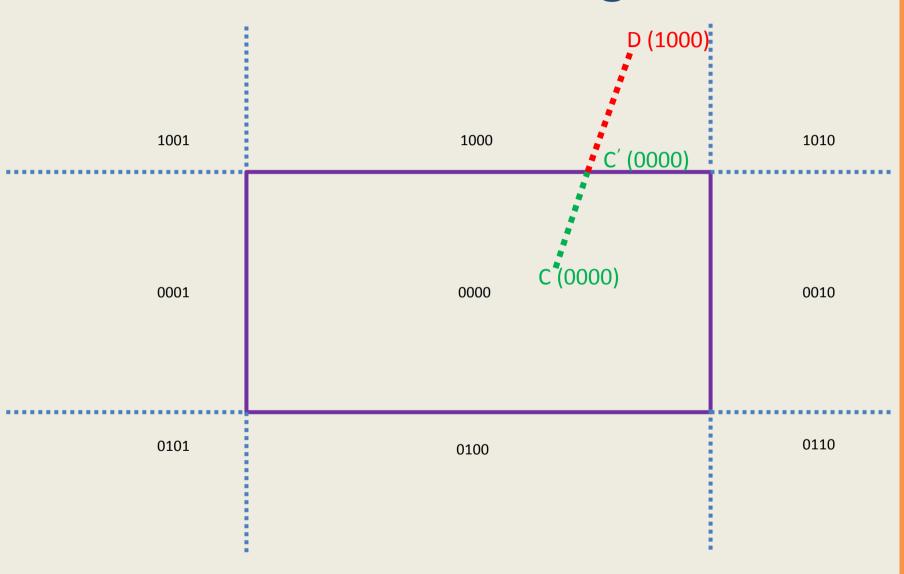


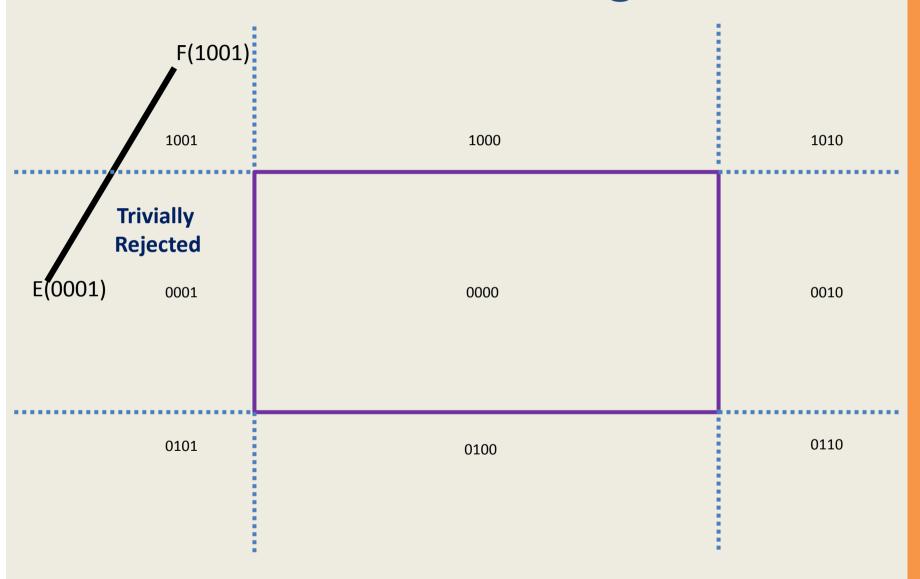
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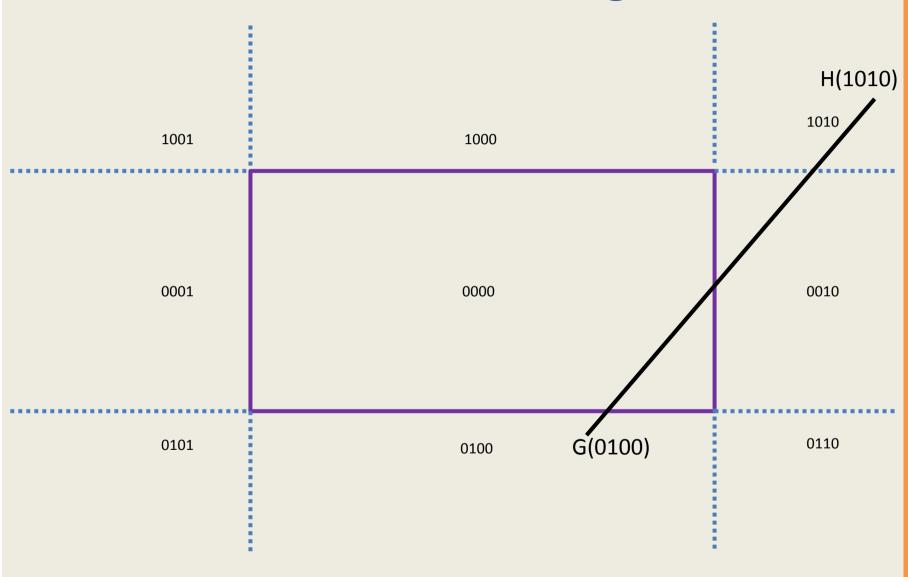


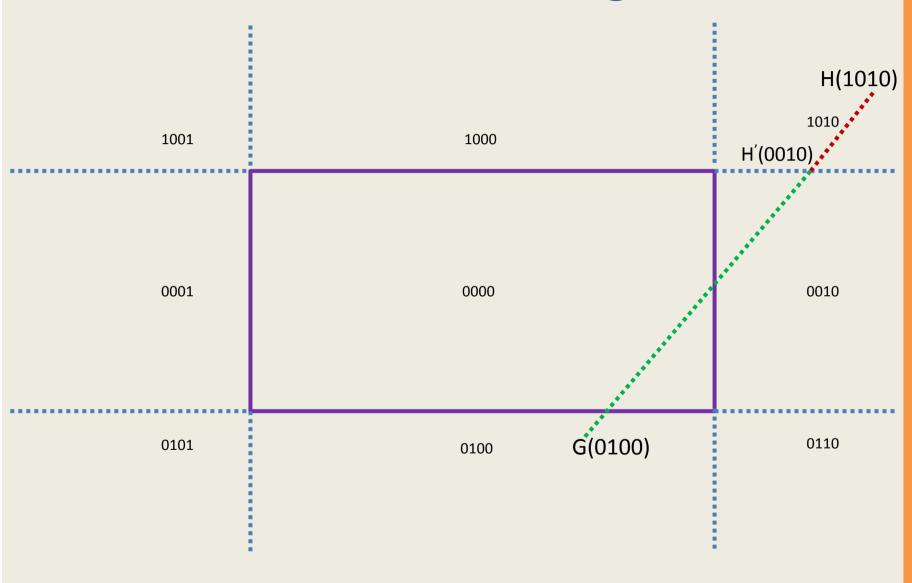


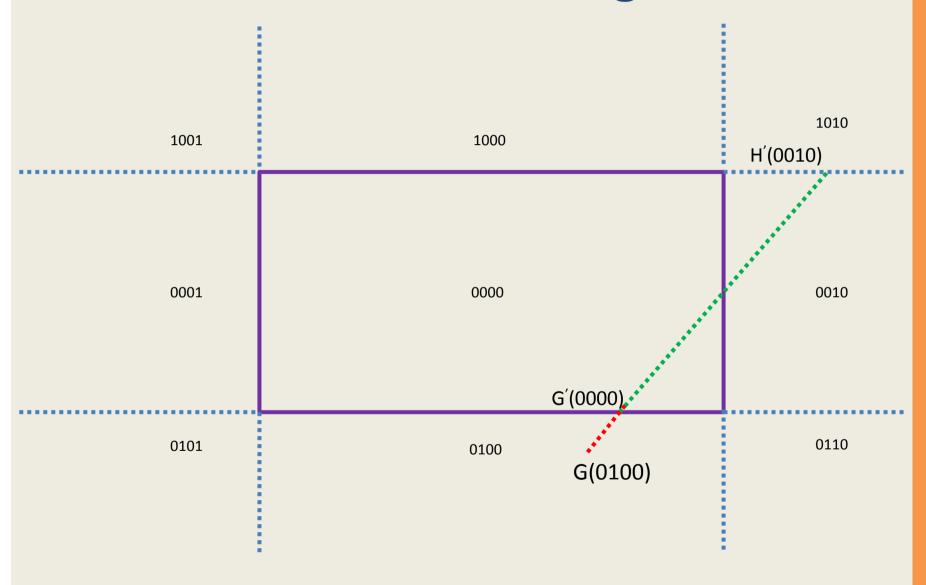


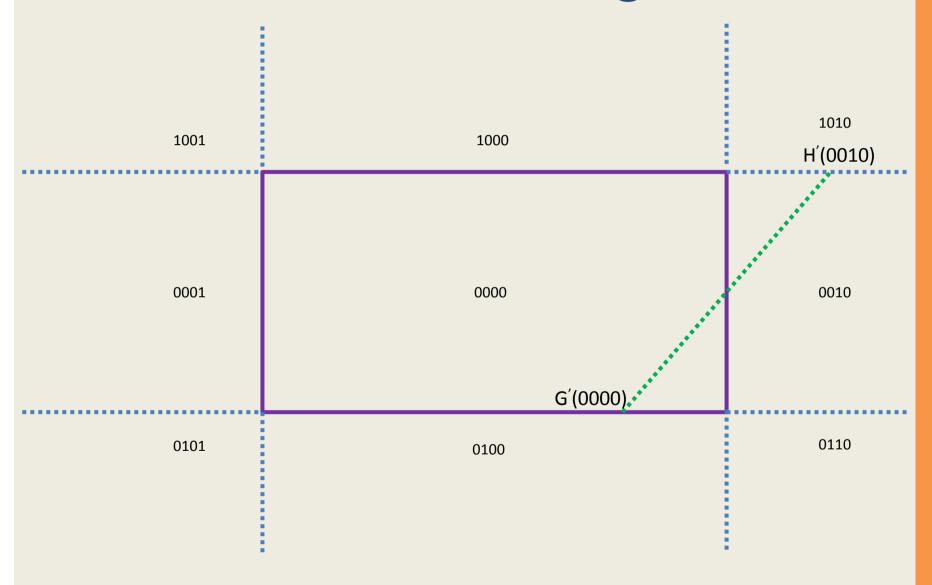


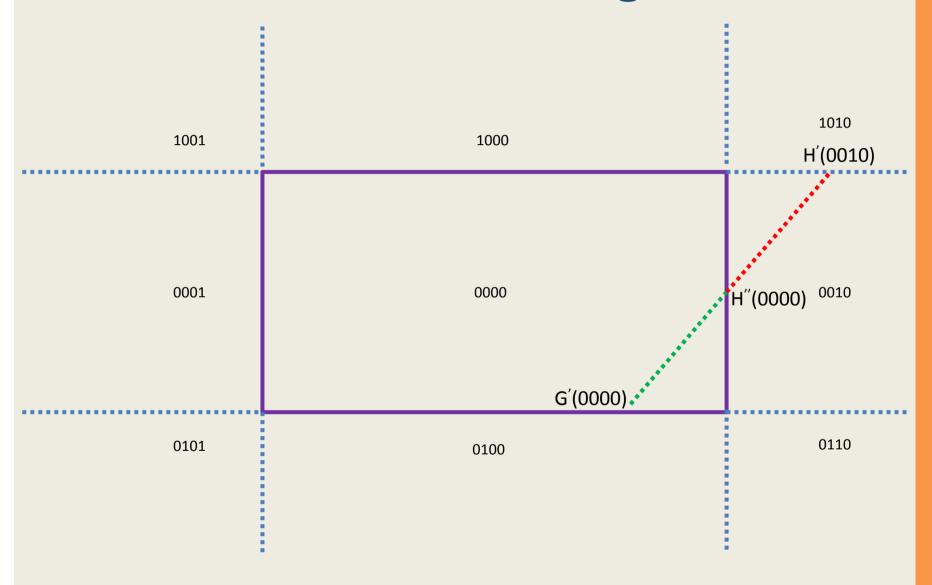


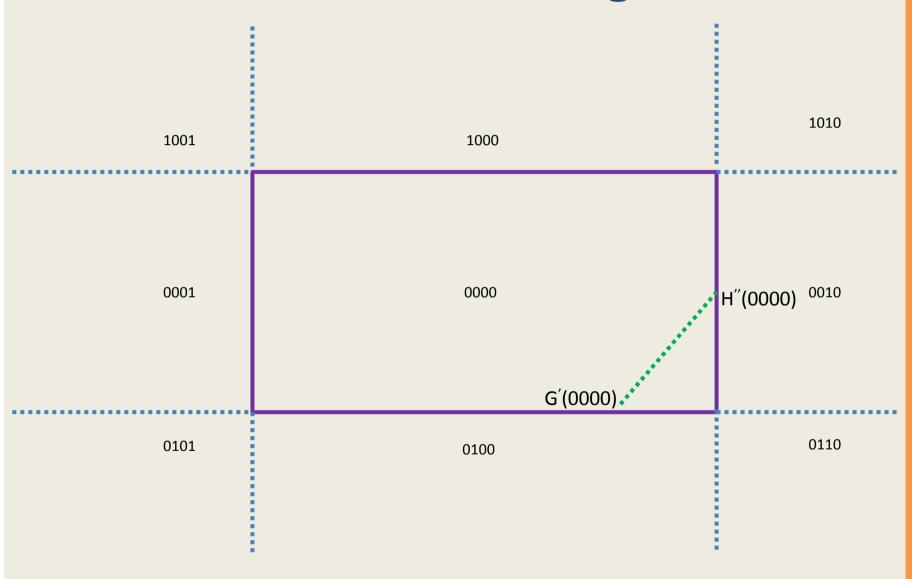


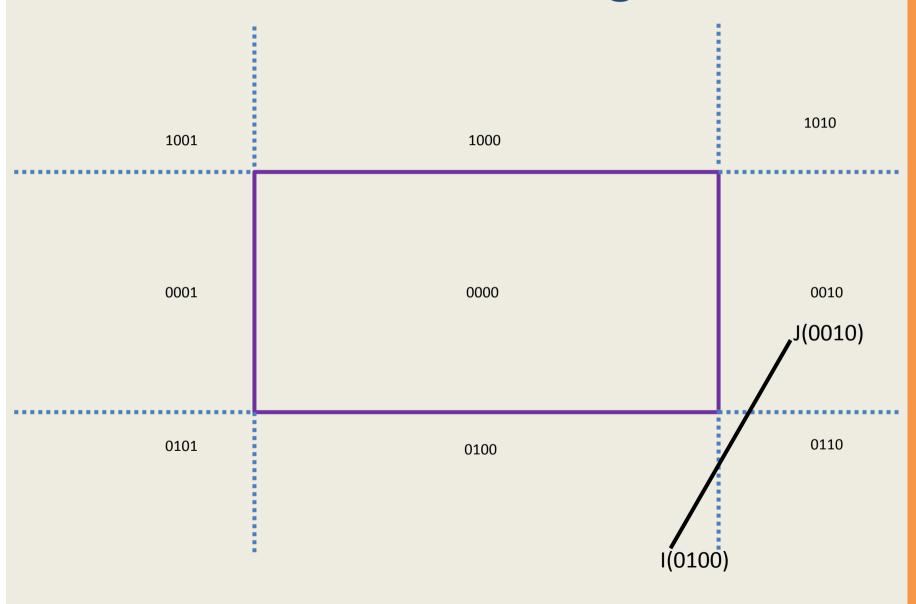


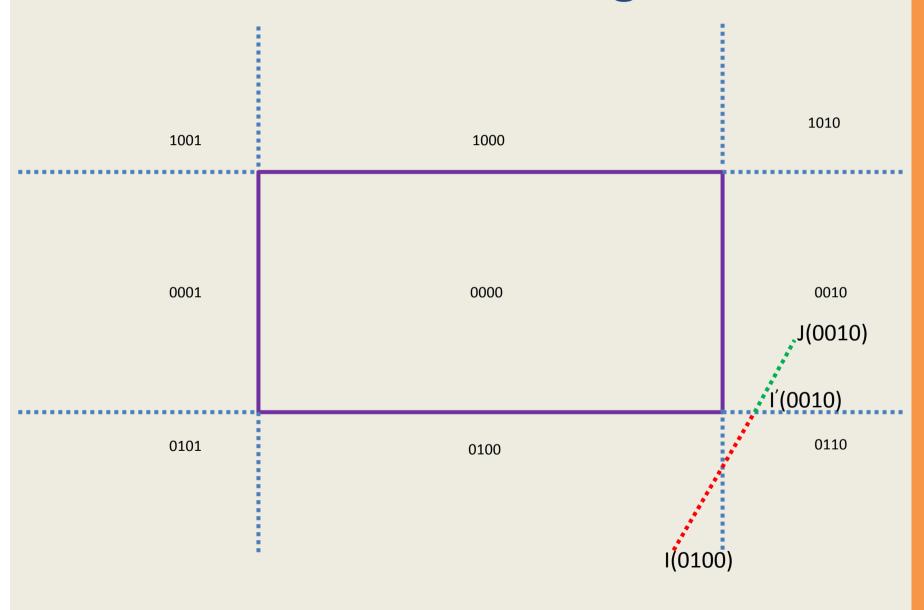


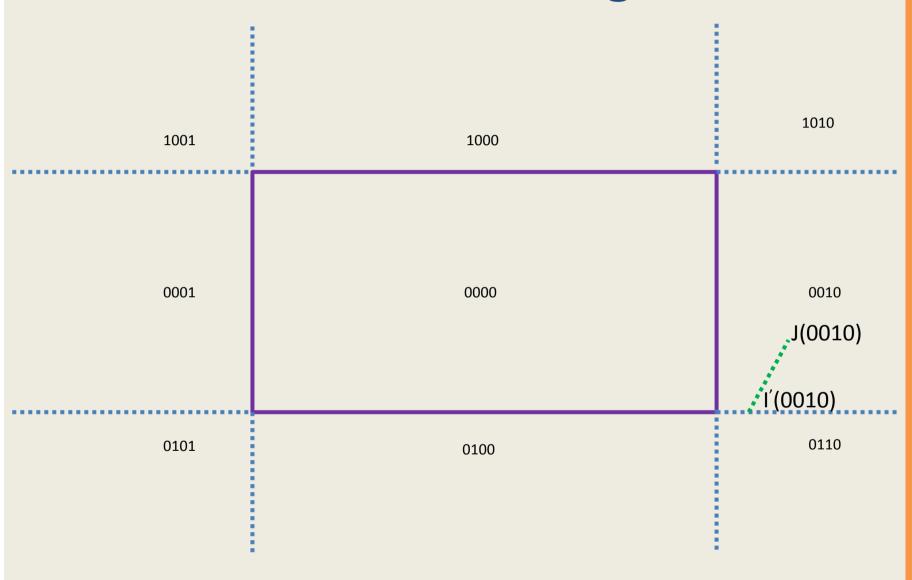


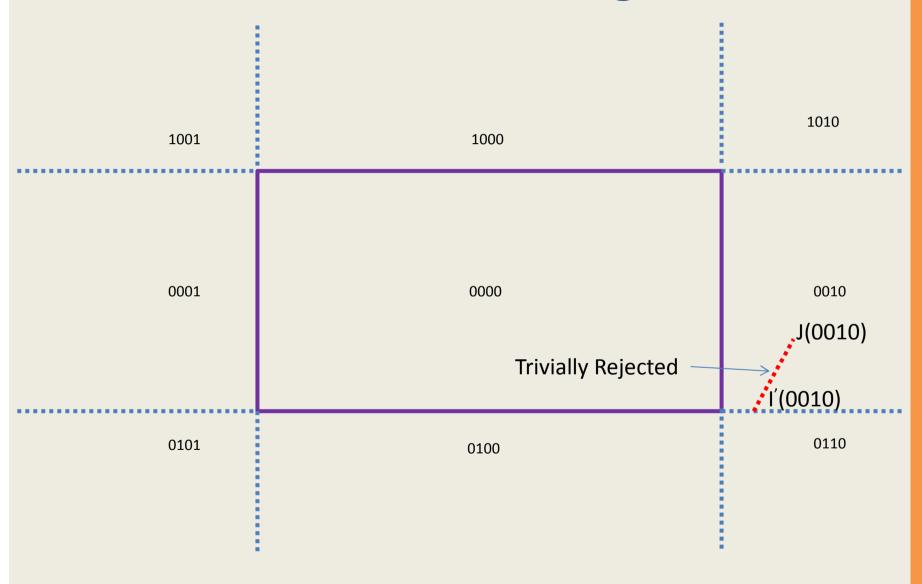












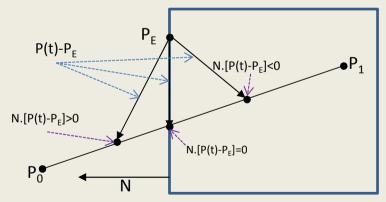
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Parametric Line Equation:

$$P(t) = P_0 + (P_1 - P_0)t$$

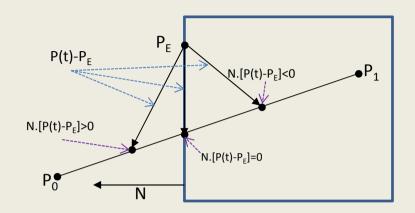
 $P(0) = P_0$
 $P(1) = P_1$

P_E is any arbitrary value on the edge



$$\begin{array}{l} N.[P(t)-P_{E}]=0 \\ =>N.[P_{0}+(P_{1}-P_{0})t-P_{E}]=0 \\ =>N.[P_{0}-P_{E}]+N.[P_{1}-P_{0}]t=0 \end{array} \qquad \text{Let, D}=(P_{1}-P_{0}) \qquad t = \frac{N_{i}.\left[P_{0}-P_{E}\right]}{-N.D}$$

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$$t = \frac{N_i \cdot [P_0 - P_E]}{-N \cdot D}$$

For this to be true, the algorithm checks that

N!= 0, normal should not be zero

$$D!=0, (P_1 !=P_0)$$

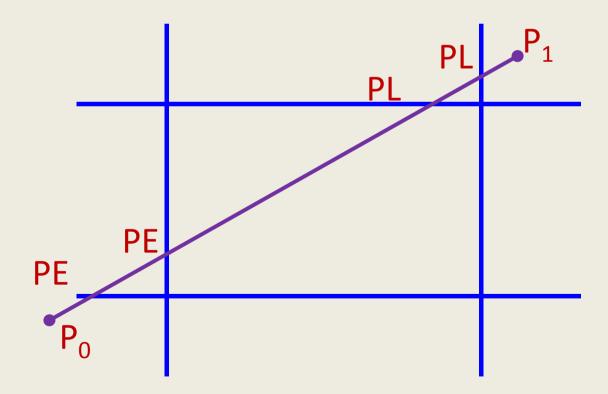
N.D !=0 (Edge and line should not be parallel)

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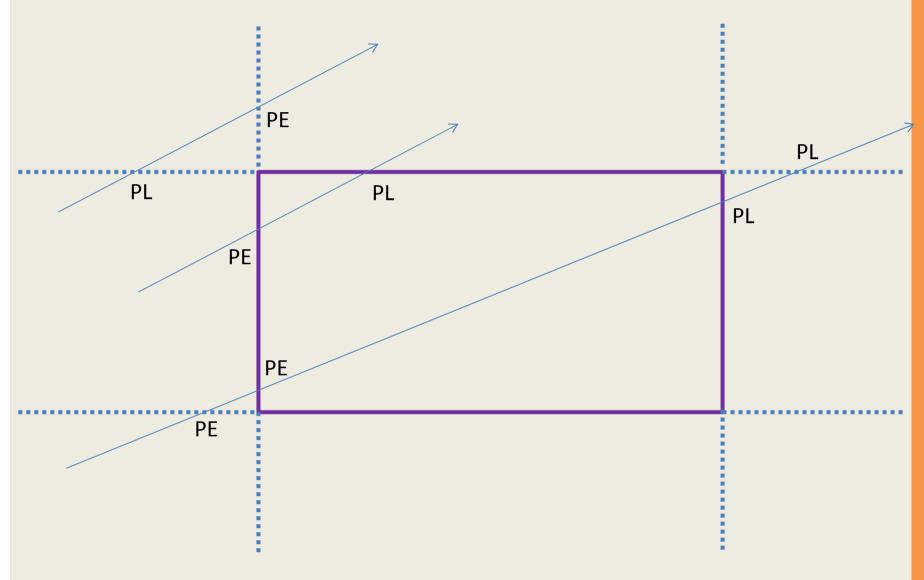
- Compute t for line intersection with all four edges by selecting in each of the four edges of clip rectangle
- Obtain the values for t
- Discard all (t < 0) and (t > 1)
- Classify each remaining intersection as
 - Potentially Entering (PE)
 - Potentially Leaving (PL)
- $N_L [P_1 P_0] > 0$ implies PL
- $N_L [P_1 P_0] < 0$ implies PE
 - Note that we computed this term when computing t

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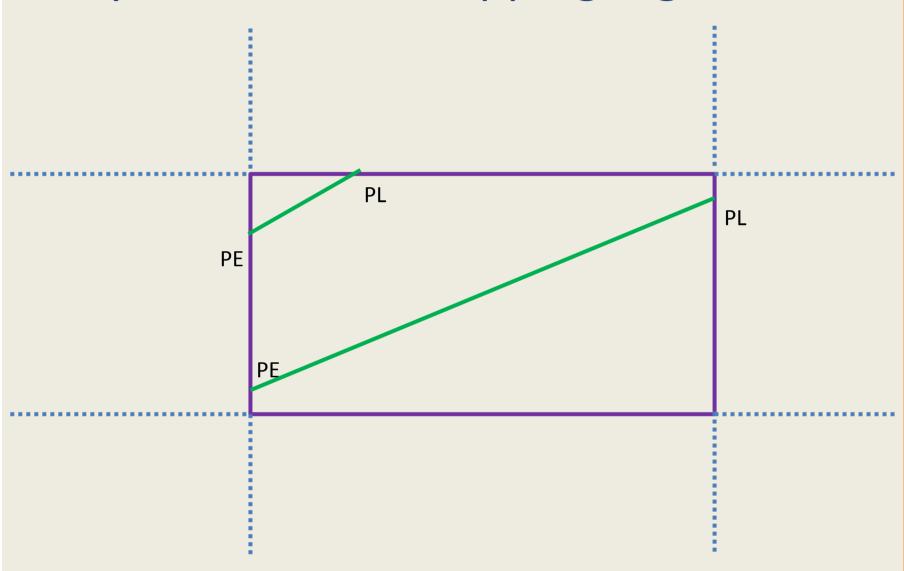
- Compute PE with largest t
- Compute PL with smallest t
- Clip to these two points



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