

ESSAY

APPLIED CALCULUS FOR IT - 501031

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1 Introduction

Think of a sequence of numbers like Fibonacci numbers - these sequences are patterns. Patterns can be seen everywhere: in animals, plants and minerals. Have you ever observed the similarity between the shape of your lungs and the structure of a tree? Or maybe the pathways of lightning and the way a river breaks through the earth? These patterns are called fractals. *“whenever you observe a series of patterns repeating over and over again, at many different scales, and where any small part resembles the whole, that’s a fractal.”* - Ben Weiss.

In the case of sequences, a fractal sequence contains an infinite number of copies itself, embedded within itself. For example, The Koch snowflake can be simply encoded as a Lindenmayer system (L-System) with initial string F-F-F, string rewriting rule $F = F+F-F+F$, and angle $\alpha = 60$ degrees.

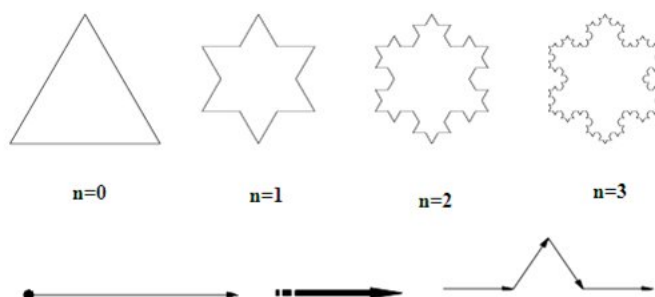


Figure 1: The Koch snowflake presents in many different levels

At each symbol 'F', it presents for moving forward by line length d drawing a line, therefore we must compute the new point as follows

$$x_{new} = x_{old} - d \cdot \cos\left(\alpha \frac{\pi}{180}\right)$$

$$y_{new} = y_{old} + d \cdot \sin\left(\alpha \frac{\pi}{180}\right)$$

2 Requirements

In this assignment, every student is required to implement some of the L-System in *StudentID.txt* and the corresponding parameters to create greeting cards for new year 2022.

Symbols	Descriptions
'F'	Move forward by line length drawing a line
'+'	Turn left by turning angle
'-'	Turn right by turning angle
' '	Reverse direction (ie: turn by 180 degrees)
'['	Push current drawing state onto stack (could be replaced by vector/list/array)
']'	Pop current drawing state from the stack (could be replaced by vector/list/array)
'o'	Draw flower

Table 1: Description of symbols in L-System

Student could refer to *StudentID.jpg* to check your greeting card. However, it is only used as the reference picture.

Requirement 1: (1 score) Compute the coordinate x and y of every point the heart shape.

(a) $x_h = 4\sin(t)^5 + 5$

(b) $y_h = 3 * \cos(t) - 1.7\cos(2t) - \cos(3t) + 1$

where, the $t \in [-\pi, \pi]$ and $t_{i+1} = t_i + 0.1$. Then, assign your results into **xh** and **yh** variables.

Requirement 2: (2 score) Compute the coordinate x and y of every point in the snowflake shape. Then, assign your results into **Pxn** and **Pyn** variables. The parameters are described in *StudentID.txt*

- *ID – snowflake*: the id of snowflake.
- *n*: the level of snowflake.
- *d*: the line length.
- *I*: axiom (these symbols the initial string)
- *F =* or *X =*: the replacement rule.
- *alpha0*: the initial angle.
- *alpha*: the predefined angle.
- x_0, y_0 : the initial coordinates of x and y .

Requirement 3: (1 score) Compute the coordinate x and y of every point in the tree shape. Then, assign your results into **Px** and **Py** variables. The parameters are described in *StudentID.txt*

- *ID – Tree*: the id of the tree fractal.
- *n*: the level of the tree fractal.
- *d*: the line length.
- *I*: axiom (these symbols the initial string)
- *F =* or *X =* or *Z =*: the replacement rule.
- *alpha0*: the initial angle.
- *alpha*: the predefined angle.
- x_0, y_0 : the initial coordinates of x and y .

Requirement 4: (1 score) Compute the coordinate x and y of every flower. Then, assign your results into **Pfx** and **Pfy** variables.

Requirement 5: (1 score) Compute the number of the firework. The equation is defined as

$$n_{fw} = (\lceil \int_{x_{min}}^{x_{max}} \frac{1}{2} x \rceil + 1) \bmod 3 + 1 \quad (1)$$

where $x_{min} = \min(d_1, d_2)$, $x_{max} = \max(d_1, d_2)$, d_1 and d_2 are the last two digits of your student id. Then, assign your result into **nfw** variable.

Requirement 6: (1 score) Compute the coordinate x and y of the firework. The equation is defined as

$$x_{fw} = \cos(k\theta)\cos(\theta) * 15 \quad (1)$$

$$y_{fw} = \cos(k\theta)\sin(\theta) * 15 \quad (2)$$

where $\theta \in [0, 4\pi]$ and $\theta_{i+1} = \theta_i + \frac{1}{2\pi}$, $k = \frac{d_2 + 1}{d_1 + 1}$, d_1 is the last digit in your student id, and d_2 is the previous digit of d_1 . If $(d_2 + 1) \bmod d_1 + 1$ is zero then you recompute $k = \frac{d_2 + 1}{d_1 + 2}$. Then, assign your result into **x_fw** and **y_fw** variables.

Requirement 7: (1 score) Find the local minimum x^* value of the function $f(x) = x^2 - \beta x + 1$ in the interval between x_{min} and x_{max} , where $\beta = d_1$. The finding value $\lceil x^* \rceil$ presents the number of the snowflake. Assign it into **nsnowflake** variable.

Requirement 8: (2 score) Create a greeting card with black background:

- Draw text description *Happy New Year 2022* into picture. This text is drawn at $x_t = 50$, $y_t = 0$
- Draw all snowflakes into picture. It notes that every snowflake is reduced to the corresponding *scale* value (this value is found in *StudentID.txt*). The new coordinates of every snowflake are computed as

$$x_{n_{new}}^{(i)} = \frac{Pxn}{scale} + \Delta x \quad (1)$$

$$y_{n_{new}}^{(i)} = \frac{Pyn}{scale} + \Delta y \quad (2)$$

where Δx and Δy are the random values in $[-10, 100]$ and $[50, 100]$ respectively. i denotes the i^{th} snowflake.

- Draw a tree shape into picture.
- Draw all fireworks into picture. The new coordinates of every firework are computed as

$$x_{fw_{new}}^{(i)} = 5(Pxn) + \Delta x \quad (1)$$

$$y_{fw_{new}}^{(i)} = 5(Pyn) + \Delta y \quad (2)$$

where Δx and Δy are the random values in $[100, 250]$ and $[100, 300]$ respectively. i denotes the i^{th} snowflake.

- Draw the heart shape into picture. It note that the position x_h and y_h of the heart shape are re-computed as $x_{h_{new}} = 2x_h + x_t - 20$ and $y_{h_{new}} = 2y_h$, then fill color in the heart shape. Colors are used to draw each shape, described as
 - The heart shape is drawn and filled by **'red'** color and *line-width* = 1.
 - The snowflake is drawn by **'white'** color and *line-width* = 1.
 - The tree shape is drawn by **'green'** color and *line-width* = 2.

- The flower is drawn by z color which based on your student ID. The last digit d_1 in your student id is satisfied by:
 - $d_1 \bmod 3 = 0$ then z color is 'r'
 - $d_1 \bmod 3 = 1$ then z color is 'y'
 - otherwise, z color is 'm'Assign z color into **xcolor** (0.25 score)
- The flower symbol is selected by the digit of d_2 .
 - d_2 is '0' then symbol is 'p'
 - d_2 is '1' then symbol is 'h'
 - d_2 is '2' then symbol is '*'
 - d_2 is '3' then symbol is 'o'
 - d_2 is '4' then symbol is '+'
 - d_2 is '5' then symbol is 'v'
 - d_2 is '6' then symbol is 'x'
 - d_2 is '7' then symbol is 'd'
 - d_2 is '8' then symbol is 's'
 - d_2 is '9' then symbol is '>'and $line-width = 3$. Assign the symbol value into **flower** (0.25 score)
- The firework is drawn by c color and s symbol as follows
 - $j \bmod 4 = 0$ then s is '*' and c is 'r'
 - $j \bmod 4 = 2$ then s is '+' and c is 'm'
 - otherwise, s is '*' and c is 'c'where j denotes the j^{th} element in the current firework shape.

Then, your picture will be saved with file name *picStudentID.jpg*.

Note:

- Every floating value is computed and rounded with 1 digit.
- Every shape presents in the viewpoint.
- At each symbol ']', put *NaN* before adding new point into the set point.

3 Submissions

The student must perform the following requirements before submitting your assignment.

- Create a StudentID file with name *StudentID.py*.
For example, if your StudentID is 5210676 then your assignment file will be **5210676.py**
- **DO NOT IMPORT** the different libraries in your code.
- **DO NOT COPY** resource code from the different students.
- Make sure you upload your work to the correct link.
- Student will receive **ZERO** point if you do not comply the requirements or your code doesn't run.