

## 1 Colinear points

Given three points, check whether the three points are colinear or not  $p_0(x_0, y_0), p_1(x_1, y_1), p_2(x_2, y_2)$

1. find the equation of two points
2. substitute the third point to the equation and check whether it is zero or not
3. if  $f(x, y) = 0$ , it is colinear
4. if  $f(x, y) > 0$ , it is on one side
5. if  $f(x, y) < 0$ , it is on other side

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0} &= \frac{y_1 - y_0}{x_1 - x_0} \\ (y - y_0)(x_1 - x_0) &= (x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0) \\ f(x, y) &= (y - y_0)(x_1 - x_0) - (x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)\end{aligned}\tag{1}$$

There is one big problem with the solution. The line can not be vertical line since  $x_1 - x_0$  can NOT be zero

Given two pair of points, check whether they are intersected or not,  $p_0(x_0, y_0), p_1(x_1, y_2)$  and  $p_2(x_2, y_2), p_3(x_3, y_3)$

Line Equation for  $p_0$  and  $p_1$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{y - y_0}{x - x_0} &= \frac{y_1 - y_0}{x_1 - x_0} \\ (y - y_0)(x_1 - x_0) &= (x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0) \\ (y - y_0) &= \frac{(x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)}{(x_1 - x_0)} \\ \textcolor{red}{y} &= \frac{(x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)}{(x_1 - x_0)} + y_0\end{aligned}$$

Line Equation for  $p_2$  and  $p_3$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{y - y_2}{x - x_2} &= \frac{y_3 - y_2}{x_3 - x_2} \\ (y - y_2)(x_3 - x_2) &= (x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2) \\ (y - y_2) &= \frac{(x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} \\ y &= \frac{(x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} + y_2\end{aligned}$$

Substitute  $y$

$$\begin{aligned}\frac{(x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)}{(x_1 - x_0)} + y_0 &= \frac{(x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} + y_2 \\ \frac{(x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)}{(x_1 - x_0)} &= \frac{(x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} + (y_2 - y_0) \\ (x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0) &= (x_1 - x_0) \frac{(x - x_2)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} + (x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0) \\ (x - x_0)(y_1 - y_0) &= (x - x_2) \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)} + (x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0) \\ (x - x_0) &= (x - x_2) \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(y_1 - y_0)} \\ (x - x_0) &= x \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(y_1 - y_0)} \\ x - x \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} &= x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(y_1 - y_0)} + x_0 \\ x \left( 1 - \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} \right) &= x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(y_1 - y_0)} + x_0 \\ x \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0) - (x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} &= x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(y_1 - y_0)} + x_0 \\ x \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0) - (x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} &= x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + x_0 \\ x \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0) - (x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} &= x_2 \frac{(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0)}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} + \frac{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)x_0}{(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)} \\ x [(x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0) - (x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)] &= x_2(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2) + (x_3 - x_2)(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0) + (x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)x_0\end{aligned}$$

Solve for  $x$  and let  $x = x'$

$$x' = \frac{x_2(x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2) + (x_3 - x_2)(x_1 - x_0)(y_2 - y_0) + (x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0)x_0}{2 \quad (x_3 - x_2)(y_1 - y_0) - (x_1 - x_0)(y_3 - y_2)}$$

Solve for  $y$  and let  $y = y'$

$$\textcolor{red}{y}' = \frac{(x' - x_0)(y_1 - y_0)}{(x_1 - x_0)} + y_0$$