# BIL105E - Introduction to Scientific and Engineering Computing (C)

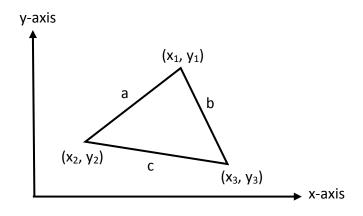
### Homework-1

Assignment Date: 26.02.2014

Due Date : 12.03.2014 at 18:00

Duration : 2 weeks

In this homework, you will write a C program to analyse triangles in coordinate system.



## **INPUTS**

First, program should ask user to enter the number (N) of triangles.

Then, in a counter-controlled repetition loop, user will enter the  $(x_1, y_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2)$ , and  $(x_3, y_3)$  coordinates (float) for three vertices of a triangle.

#### **OUTPUTS**

For each triangle, program should generate the outputs described below.

1) Calculate and display the lengths (distances) for three edges a, b, c of triangle.

Distance formula for a = 
$$\sqrt{(x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2}$$

2) Determine and display a message whether the *Triangle Inequality Rule* holds.

Triangle Inequality Rule: The length of any side of a triangle should not exceed the sum of lengths of the other two sides. Perform the following tests to determine the result.

$$|b-c| < a < b+c$$
 , and

$$|a-c| < b < a+c$$
 , and

$$|a-b| < c < a+b$$

If the rule does not hold for a triangle, program should display "Invalid triangle" message and should skip calculating any further outputs for that triangle.

3) Calculate and display the area of triangle.

$$Area = \frac{1}{2}|x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2)|$$

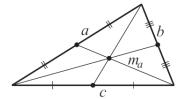
4) Calculate and display the coordinates for the Center of Gravity  $(C_x, C_y)$  of triangle.

$$C_x = \frac{x_1 + x_2 + x_3}{3} \qquad C_y = \frac{y_1 + y_2 + y_3}{3}$$

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5) Calculate and display the lengths for three Medians of triangle.

A straight line through a vertex of a triangle and the midpoint of the opposite side is called a *median* of the triangle. The three medians of a triangle intersect in a single point, which is called the *centroid* or *center of gravity* of the triangle.



The length of the median  $m_a$  to the opposite side  $\alpha$  is equal to

$$m_a = \frac{1}{2}\sqrt{2(b^2+c^2)-a^2}$$

**6)** Determine and display a message about the type(s) of triangle.

Depending on the relation between the side lengths, a triangle is said to be:

- 1. "Regular Triangle" (or equilateral) if all sides have the same length. a=b=c
- 2. "Isosceles Triangle" if two of the sides are of equal length.

a=b and b≠c, or

a=c and c≠b, or

b=c and c≠a

- 3. "Scalene Triangle" if all sides have different length. a≠b≠c
- 4. "Right Triangle" if the triangle has a hypotenuse.

The side opposite to the right angle  $(90^{\circ})$  is called the *hypotenuse*.

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2$$
, or

$$a^2 + c^2 = b^2$$
, or

$$b^2 + c^2 = a^2$$

### **SAMPLE TEST DATA**

The followings are given for validation purposes only. Your program should be general and should work with any data values.

Triangle Type	<b>X</b> <sub>1</sub>	<b>y</b> <sub>1</sub>	x <sub>2</sub>	<b>y</b> <sub>2</sub>	<b>X</b> <sub>3</sub>	<b>y</b> <sub>3</sub>
Isosceles	0	0	3	0	3	3
Scalene and Right	0	0	3	0	3	4
Scalene	0	0	3	0	3	3
Regular	0	0	2	0	1	1.7320508
Invalid	1	1	2	2	3	3

### **NOTICE**

You should use the following built-in C functions, which are defined in the <math.h> header file.

fabs(x): Gives absolute value of x. Example: fabs(-5) --> 5 sqrt(x): Gives square root of x. Example sqrt(4.0) --> 2.0