

# Notes from TGRA lab #5

## Introduction

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## Problem 1

- i) Define a 2D transformation matrix  $A$  for translating by  $(3, 5)$ .

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Translate the point  $p = (1, 2)$  with  $A$ .

$$p_A = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1+3 \\ 2+5 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 7 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- ii) Make a 2D transformation matrix  $B$  for double scaling.

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Transform the point  $p = (5, 4)$  with  $B$ .

$$p_B = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 5 \\ 4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 10 \\ 8 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- iii) Make a 2D transformation matrix  $C$  for  $36^\circ$  rotation.

$$C = \begin{bmatrix} \cos 36^\circ & -\sin 36^\circ & 0 \\ \sin 36^\circ & \cos 36^\circ & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 & 0 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (1)$$

Transform the point  $p = (3, -1)$  with  $C$ .

$$p_C = \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 & 0 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2.4 + 0.6 \\ 1.8 - 0.8 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- iv) Make a 2D transformation matrix that applies a combined transformation. The combined transformation is as so: translate a coordinate frame first as in A, then as in B (relative to the previous coordinate frame) and finally as in C (again relative to the previous coordinate frame)

$$\begin{aligned}
 ABC &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 1 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 & 0 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 ABC &= \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 3 \\ 0 & 2 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0.8 & -0.6 & 0 \\ 0.6 & 0.8 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \\
 ABC &= \begin{bmatrix} 1.6 & -1.2 & 3 \\ 1.2 & 1.6 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

Transform point  $p = (-2, 3)$ .

$$\begin{aligned}
 P_{ABC} &= ABCp \\
 P_{ABC} &= \begin{bmatrix} 1.6 & -1.2 & 3 \\ 1.2 & 1.6 & 5 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -2 \\ 3 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} -3.8 \\ 7.4 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}
 \end{aligned}$$

## Problem 2

Values are set in the modelview matrix transforming coordinates in relation to the direction and orientation of the camera as in (2).

$$\begin{bmatrix} u_x & u_y & u_z & -eye \cdot u \\ v_x & v_y & v_z & -eye \cdot v \\ n_x & n_y & n_z & -eye \cdot n \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (2)$$

a) How will the matrix look if the following code will be run:

1. `glLoadIdentity();`
2. `gluLookat(5,7,3,4,7,1,0,1,0)`

*After line 1:* the modelview matrix is

$$vm = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (3)$$

After line 2: From the parameters in `gluLookat` we have the following variables.

$$eye = (5, 7, 3), \quad center = (4, 7, 1), \quad \vec{up} = (0, 1, 0) \quad (4)$$

`gluLookat` builds matrix that converts world coordinates to eye coordinates. We then must create a coordinate frame for the camera coordinates from the variables *eye*, *center* and  $\vec{up}$ . The camera coordinate axes are defined as follows.

1.  $\vec{n} = eye - center$
2.  $\vec{u} = \vec{up} \times \vec{n}$
3.  $\vec{v} = \vec{n} \times \vec{u}$

Note that these vectors are not normalized. Before we can use them we must normalize them as we do later in our solution. The vector  $\vec{n}$  is our local z-axis so we will be looking along the negative  $\vec{n}$ . The vector  $\vec{u}$  should point straight to the right and since we're looking along

negative  $\vec{n}$  and the up vector points in a general up direction,  $\vec{u}$  should be perpendicular to both of them. Finally  $\vec{v}$  should point straight up and be orthogonal to both  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{n}$ .

Let us calculate the abovementioned vectors.

$$\vec{n} = (5, 7, 3) - (4, 7, 1) = (1, 0, 2) \quad (5)$$

$$\vec{u} = (0, 1, 0) \times (1, 0, 2) = (2, 0, -1) \quad (6)$$

$$\vec{v} = (1, 0, 2) \times (2, 0, -1) = (0, 5, 0) \quad (7)$$

Next we normalize  $\vec{n}$ ,  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$ .

$$\hat{n} = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \quad (8)$$

$$\hat{u} = \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \quad (9)$$

$$\hat{v} = (0, 1, 0) \quad (10)$$

Now we got u,v, n for the matrix in (2). Now we only need to find the values for  $-eye \cdot \hat{u}$ ,  $-eye \cdot \hat{v}$ ,  $-eye \cdot \hat{n}$ .

$$-eye \cdot \hat{u} = (-5, -7, -3) \cdot \left( \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \quad (11)$$

$$= \frac{-10}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{3}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}} \quad (12)$$

$$-eye \cdot \hat{v} = (-5, -7, -3) \cdot (0, 1, 0) \quad (13)$$

$$= -7 \quad (14)$$

$$-eye \cdot \hat{n} = (-5, -7, -3) \cdot \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}}, 0, \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} \right) \quad (15)$$

$$= \frac{-5}{\sqrt{5}} + \frac{-6}{\sqrt{5}} = \frac{-11}{\sqrt{5}} \quad (16)$$

After the second line has been executed, that is the `gluLookat` line, the modelview matrix becomes:

$$vm = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & 0 & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -7 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & 0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-11}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (17)$$

- b) Show the values in the modelview matrix if the following lines of code are executed after the code in a)

1. `glRotated(30,1,0,0);`
2. `glTranslate(0,10,0);`

We define transformation matrices for 1) and 2). We name them  $m_1$  and  $m_2$  respectively.

$$m_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos 30^\circ & -\sin 30^\circ & 0 \\ 0 & \sin 30^\circ & \cos 30^\circ & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (18)$$

$$m_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (19)$$

Next we perform the calculation  $(vm_1)m_2$

$$vm_1 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & 0 & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -7 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & 0 & \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-11}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos 30^\circ & -\sin 30^\circ & 0 \\ 0 & \sin 30^\circ & \cos 30^\circ & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (20)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-0.5}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-0.866}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0.866 & -0.5 & -7 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1.722}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-11}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (21)$$

Therefore, our modelview matrix becomes the matrix in (21) after executing the first line of the code.

Now we know the matrix  $vm_1$ . Let us calculate  $(vm_1)m_2$  for the second

line of the abovementioned code.

$$(vm_1)m_2 = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-0.5}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-0.866}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-7}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0.866 & -0.5 & -7 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1.722}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-11}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 10 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (22)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{0.5}{\sqrt{5}} & -0.866 & \frac{-12}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0.866 & -0.5 & 1.66 \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{1.722}{\sqrt{5}} & \frac{-1}{\sqrt{5}} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad (23)$$

Therefore, our modelview matrix becomes the matrix in (23) after executing the second line of the code.

### Problem 3

An equation of plane can be given on a *Point-normal form (PNF)*. To fulfill this form we need a normal of the plane,  $\hat{n}$  and a point,  $B$  that lies on the plane. Then we can find any point  $R$  on the plane by solving the equation

$$(R - B) \cdot \hat{n} = 0 \quad (24)$$

where the vector  $R - B$  must be orthogonal with the normal  $\hat{n}$  using the orthogonal property of the dot product.

There are many ways to give a formula for a line (or a ray). One is the *Parametric form*. Given one point  $p$  on the line (or an initial point of a ray) and the directional vector  $\vec{c}$  of the line. We can find any point  $p'$  on the line by scaling the vector  $\vec{c}$  with some parameter  $t$  and translate the point  $p$  with that vector.

$$p' = p + t\vec{c} \quad (25)$$

In the following problem we wish to find where a given line hits a plane, that is the point of hit. We will call that point  $p_{hit}$ . We are also interested in the time of hit, that we call  $t_{hit}$ .

With our hypothetical line (that is hitting the plane) and from (25) we know that

$$p_{hit} = A + ct_{hit} \quad (26)$$

and from (24) we know that

$$(p_{hit} - B) \cdot \hat{n} = 0 \quad (27)$$

where the point  $p_{hit}$  lies on the plane (where the line hits the plane) and the vector  $(p_{hit} - B)$  is therefore orthogonal to the normal of the plane.

By combining (26) and (27) we get

$$(A + ct_{hit} - B) \cdot \hat{n} = 0 \quad (28)$$

We can now rewrite (28) as follows (the aim is to isolate  $t_{hit}$ ):

$$\begin{aligned} ((A - B) + ct_{hit}) \cdot \hat{n} &= 0 \\ (A - B) \cdot \hat{n} + ct_{hit} \cdot \hat{n} &= 0 \\ ct_{hit} \cdot \hat{n} &= (B - A) \cdot \hat{n} \\ t_{hit}(c \cdot \hat{n}) &= (B - A) \cdot \hat{n} \\ t_{hit} &= \frac{(B - A) \cdot \hat{n}}{c \cdot \hat{n}} \end{aligned}$$



From this we can fill in (26):

$$p_{hit} = A + c \left( \frac{(B - A) \cdot \hat{n}}{c \cdot \hat{n}} \right) \quad (29)$$

and we can use this formula to find where our line hits a plane.

### **Solving the problem using $t_{hit}$ and $p_{hit}$**

We are given three points on a plane:

$$p_1 = (3, 2, 4), \quad p_2 = (4, 3, 0), \quad p_3 = (5, 2, 3)$$

We then have a ray, starting at point  $A = (-1, -2, 3)$  which has the direction  $\vec{c} = (1, 5, 3)$ . Let us find  $p_{hit}$  and  $t_{hit}$  where the line hits the plane.

First we need the normal vector of the plane

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{n} &= (p_2 - p_1) \times (p_3 - p_1) \\ \hat{n} &= (1, 1, -4) \times (2, 0, -1) \\ \hat{n} &= (-1, -7, -2) \end{aligned}$$

We can now use the  $t_{hit}$  formula the we derived above. We select  $B = p_1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} t_{hit} &= \frac{(B - A) \cdot \hat{n}}{c \cdot \hat{n}} \\ t_{hit} &= \frac{(4, 4, 1) \cdot (-1, -7, -2)}{(1, 5, 3) \cdot (-1, -7, -2)} \\ t_{hit} &= \frac{34}{42} \end{aligned}$$

We now know  $t_{hit}$  and we can find the point where the ray hits the plane with  $p_{hit}$ .

$$\begin{aligned} p_{hit} &= A + ct_{hit} \\ p_{hit} &= (-1, -2, 3) + \left( \frac{34}{42}(1, 5, 3) \right) \\ p_{hit} &= \left( -1 + \frac{34}{42}, -2 + \frac{170}{42}, \frac{102}{42} \right) \end{aligned}$$