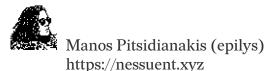
A Bitmapper's Companion

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an introduction
to basic bitmap
mathematics
and algorithms
with code
samples in **Rust**



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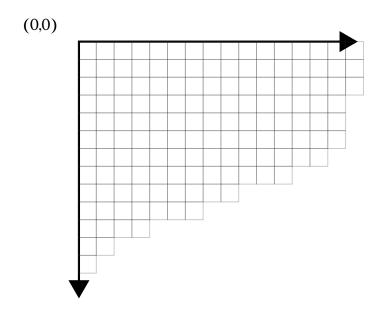


Part I Introduction

Data representation

The data structures we're going to use is *Point* and *Image*. *Image* represents a bitmap, although we will use full RGB colors for our points therefore the size of a pixel in memory will be u8 instead of 1 bit.

We will work on the cartesian grid representing the framebuffer that will show us the pixels. The *origin* of this grid (i.e. the center) is at (0,0).



We will represent points as pairs of signed integers. When actually drawing them though, negative values and values outside the window's geometry will be



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Displaying pixels to your screen

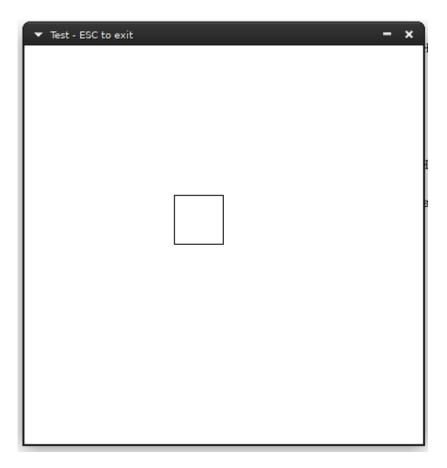
A way to display an *Image* is to use the minifb crate which allows you to create a window and draw pixels directly on it. Here's how you could set it up:

src/bin/introduction.rs:



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Running this will show you something like this:



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Chapter 3

Bits to byte pixels

Let's define a way to convert bit information to a byte vector:

```
pub fn bits_to_bytes(bits: &[u8], width: usize) -> Vec<u32> {
    let mut ret = Vec::with_capacity(bits.len() * 8);
    let mut current_row_count = 0;
    for byte in bits {
        for n in 0..8 {
            if byte.rotate_right(n) & 0x01 > 0 {
                ret.push(BLACK);
            } else {
                ret.push(WHITE);
            }
            current_row_count += 1;
            if current_row_count == width {
                     current_row_count = 0;
                break;
            }
        }
    }
    ret
```

Loading graphics files in Rust

The book's library includes a method to load xbm files on runtime (see *Including xbm files in Rust* for including them in your binary at compile time). If your system has ImageMagick installed and the commands identify and magick are in your PATH environment variable, you can use the Image::magick_open method:

It simply converts the image file you pass to it to raw bytes using the invocation magick convert path RGB: - which prints raw RGB content to stdout.

If you have another way to load pictures such as your own code or a picture format library crate, all you have to do is convert the pixel information to an Image whose definition we repeat here:

```
pub struct Image {
    pub bytes: Vec<u32>,
    pub width: usize,
    pub height: usize,
    pub x_offset: usize,
    pub y_offset: usize,
}
```

Including xbm files in Rust

The end of this chapter includes a short **Rust** program to automatically convert xbm files to equivalent **Rust** code.

xbm files are C source code files that contain the pixel information for an image as macro definitions for the dimensions and a static char array for the pixels, with each bit column representing a pixel. If the width dimension doesn't have 8 as a factor, the remaining bit columns are left blank/ignored.

They used to be a popular way to share user avatars in the old internet and are also good material for us to work with, since they are small and numerous. The following is such an image:



Then, we can convert the xbm file from C to **Rust** with the following transformations:

```
| #define news_width 48
| #define news_height 48
| static char news_bits[] = {
```

to

```
const NEWS_WIDTH: usize = 48;
const NEWS_HEIGHT: usize = 48;
const NEWS_BITS: &[u8] = &[
```

And replace the closing } with].

We can then include the new file in our source code:

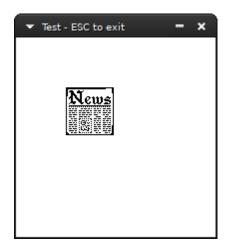
```
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```
include!("news.xbm.rs");
```

load the image:

```
let mut image = Image::new(NEWS_WIDTH, NEWS_HEIGHT, 25, 25);
image.bytes = bits_to_bytes(NEWS_BITS, NEWS_WIDTH);
```

and finally run it:



The following short program uses the regex crate to match on these simple rules and print the equivalent code in stdout. You can use it like so:

cargo run --bin xbmtors -- file.xbm > file.xbm.rs

src/bin/xbmtors.rs:



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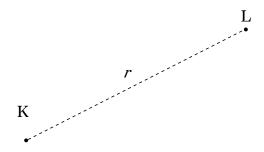
```
use regex::Regex;
use std::fs::File;
use std::io::prelude::*;

fn main() {
    let args = std::env::args().skip(1).collect::<Vec<String>>();
    if args.len() != 1 {
        println!("one argument expected, the xbm file path to convert.");
        return;
    }
    let mut file = match File::open(&args[0]) {
        Err(err) => panic!("couldn't open {}}: {}", args[0], err),
        Ok(file) => file,
    };
    let mut s = String::new();
    if let Err(err) = file.read_to_string(&mut s) {
        panic!("couldn't read {}}: {}", args[0], err);
    }
    let re = Regex::new(
        r"(?imx)
        `\s*\x23\s*define\s+(?P<i>.+?)_width\s+(?P<w>\d\d*)$
```

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```

Part II Points And Lines

Distance between two points



Given two points, K and L, an elementary application of Pythagoras' Theorem gives the distance between them as

$$r = \sqrt{(x_L - x_K)^2 + (y_L - y_K)^2}$$
 (6.1)

which is simply coded:

```
pub fn distance_between_two_points(p_k: Point, p_l: Point) -> f64 {
    let (x_k, y_k) = p_k;
    let (x_l, y_l) = p_l;
    let xlk = x_l - x_k;
    let ylk = y_l - y_k;
    f64::sqrt((xlk*xlk + ylk*ylk) as f64)
}
```

Equations of a line

There are several ways to describe a line mathematically. We'll list the convenient ones for drawing pixels.

The equation that describes every possible line on a two dimensional grid is the *implicit* form $ax+by=c, (a,b)\neq (0,0)$. We can generate equivalent equations by adding the equation to itself, i.e. $ax+by=c\equiv 2ax+2by=2c\equiv a'x+b'y=c', a'=2a, b'=2b, c'=2c$ as many times as we want. To "minimize" the constants a,b,c we want to satisfy the relationship $a^2+b^2=1$, and thus can convert the equivalent equations into one representative equation by multiplying the two sides with $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}$; this is called the normalized equation.

The *slope intercept form* describes any line that intercepts the y axis at $b \in \mathbb{R}$ with a specific slope a:

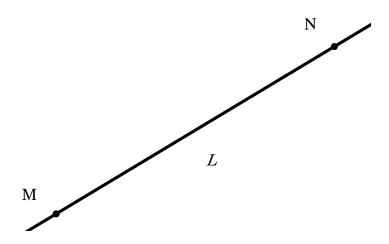
$$y = ax + b$$

The *parametric* form...

7.1 Line through a point $P = (x_p, y_p)$ and a slope m

$$y - y_p = m(x - x_p)$$

7.2 Line through two points



It seems sufficient, given the coordinates of two points M, N, to calculate a, b and c to form a line equation:

$$ax + by + c = 0$$

If the two points are not the same, they necessarily form such a line. To get there, we start from expressing the line as parametric over t: at t=0 it's at point M and at t=1 it's at point N:

$$c = c_M + (c_N - c_M)t, t \in R, c \in \{x, y\}$$

$$c = c_M, t \in R, c \in \{x, y\}$$

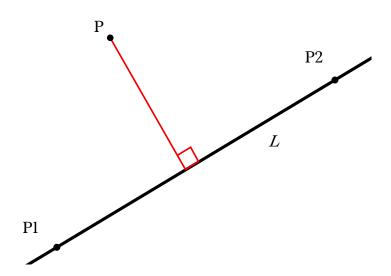
Substituting *t* in one of the equations we get:

$$(y_M - y_N)x + (x_N - x_M)y + (x_M y_N - x_N y_M) = 0$$

Which is what we were after. We finish by normalising what we found with $\frac{1}{\sqrt{a^2+b^2}}$:

Distance from a point to a line

Add code samples in Distance from a point to a line



8.1 Using the implicit equation form

Let's find the distance from a given point P and a given line L. Let d be the distance between them. Bring L to the implicit form ax + by = c.

$$d = \frac{|ax_p + by_p + c|}{\sqrt{a^2 + b^2}}$$

8.2 Using an L defined by two points P_1, P_2

With $P = (x_0, y_0), P_1 = (x_1, y_1)$ and $P_2 = (x_2, y_2)$.

$$d = \frac{\left| (x_2 - x_1) \left(y_1 - y_0 \right) - \left(x_1 - x_0 \right) \left(y_2 - y_1 \right) \right|}{\sqrt{\left((x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 \right)}}$$

8.3 Using an L defined by a point P_l and angle $\hat{\theta}$

$$d = |cos(\hat{\theta})(P_{ly} - y_p) - sin(\hat{\theta})(P_{lx} - P_x)|$$

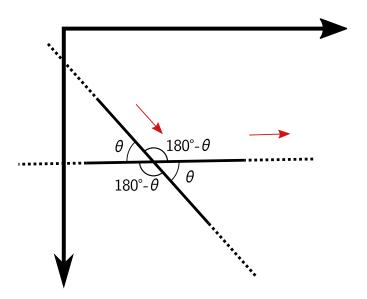
8.4 Find perpendicular to line that passes through given point

Now, we wish to find the equation of the line that passes through P and is perpendicular to L. Let's call it L_{\perp} . L in implicit form is ax + by + c = 0. The perpendicular will be:

$$L_{\perp}: bx - ay + (aP_{\gamma} - bP_x) = 0$$

Angle between two lines

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By angle we mean the angle formed by the two directions of the lines; and direction vectors start from the origin (in the figure, they are the red arrows). So if we want any of the other three angles, we already know them from basic geometry as shown in the figure above.

If you prefer using the implicit equation, bring the two lines L_1 and L_2 to that form $(a_1x+b_1y+c=0$ and $a_2x+b_2y+c_2=0)$ and you can directly find $\hat{\theta}$ with the formula:

$$\hat{\theta} = \arccos \frac{a_1 a_2 + b_1 b_2}{\sqrt{(a_1^2 + b_1^2)(a_2^2 + b_2^2)}}$$

For the following parametric equations of L_1, L_2 :

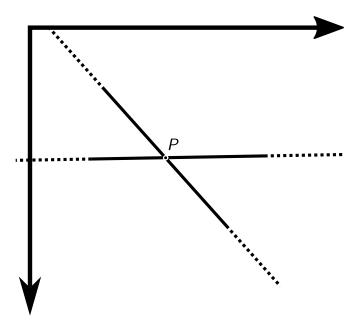
$$\begin{split} L_1 &= (\{x = x_1 + f_1 t\}, \{y = y_1 + g_1 t\}) \\ L_2 &= (\{x = x_2 + f_2 s\}, \{y = y_2 + g_2 s\}) \end{split}$$

the formula is:

$$\hat{\theta} = arccos \frac{f_1 f_2 + g_1 g_2}{\sqrt{(f_1^2 + g_1^2)(f_2^2 + g_2^2)}}$$

Intersection of two lines

Add Intersection of two lines code



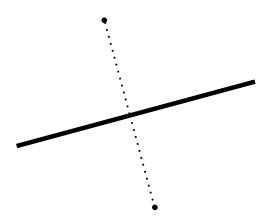
If the lines L_1 , L_2 are in implicit form $(a_1x+b_1y+c=0 \text{ and } a_2x+b_2y+c_2=0)$, the result comes after checking if the lines are parallel (in which case there's no single point of intersection):

$$a_1b_2-a_2b_1\neq 0$$

If they are not parallel, *P* is:

$$P=(\frac{b_1c_2-b_2c_1}{a_1b_2-a_2b_1},\frac{a_2c_1-a_1c_2}{a_1b_2-a_2b_1})$$

Line equidistant from two points



Let's name this line L. From the previous chapter we know how to get the line that's created by the two points M and N. If only we knew how to get a perpendicular line over the midpoint of a line segment!

Thankfully that midpoint also satisfies L's equation, ax + by + c. The midpoint's coordinates are intuitively:

$$(\frac{x_M+x_N}{2},\frac{y_M+y_N}{2})$$

Putting them into the equation we can generate a triple of (a',b',c') and then normalize it to get L.

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Chapter 12

Normal to a line through a point

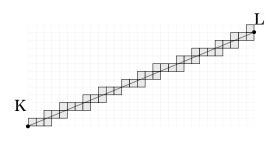
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Part III Points And Line Segments

Chapter 13

Drawing a line segment from its two endpoints

For any line segment with any slope, pixels must be matched with the infinite amount of points contained in the segment. As shown in the following figure, a segment *touches* some pixels; we could fill them using an algorithm and get a bitmap of the line segment.



The algorithm presented here was first derived by Bresenham. In the *Image* implementation, it is used in the plot_line_width method.

```
pub fn plot_line_width(&mut self, (x1, y1): (i64, i64), (x2, y2): (i64, i64)) {
    /* Bresenham's line algorithm */
    let mut d;
    let mut x: i64;
    let mut y: i64;
    let ax: i64;
    let ay: i64;
    let sx: i64;
    let sx: i64;
    let t dx: i64;
    let dx: i64;
    let dx: i64;
    let dx: i64;
    let x: i64;
```

```
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```

Add some explanation behind the algorithm in Drawing a line segment from its two endpoints

Chapter 14

Drawing line segments with width

```
pub fn plot_line_width(&mut self, (x1, y1): (i64, i64), (x2, y2): (i64, i64), _wd: f64) {
    ** Bresenham's line algorithm */
    let mut x; i64;
    let mut x; i64;
    let mut x; i64;
    let ax: i64;
    let ax: i64;
    let xy: i64;
```

```
segments
```

Chapter 15

Intersection of two line segments

Let points $\mathbf{l} = (x_1, y_1)$, $\mathbf{2} = (x_2, y_2)$, $\mathbf{3} = (x_3, y_3)$ and $\mathbf{4} = (x_4, y_4)$ and $\mathbf{l}, \mathbf{2}, \mathbf{3}, \mathbf{4}$ two line segments they form. We wish to find their intersection:

First, get the equation of line L_{12} and line L_{34} from chapter *Equations of a line*.

Substitute points 3 and 4 in equation L_{12} to compute $r_3 = L_{12}(3)$ and $r_4 = L_{12}(4)$ respectively.

If $r_3 \neq 0$, $r_4 \neq 0$ and $sgn(r_3) == sign(r_4)$ the line segments don't intersect, so stop.

In L_{34} substitute point 1 to compute r_1 , and do the same for point 2.

If $r_1 \neq 0$, $r_2 \neq 0$ and $sgn(r_1) == sign(r_2)$ the line segments don't intersect, so stop.

At this point, L_{12} and L_{34} either intersect or are equivalent. Find their intersection point. (Refer to *Intersection of two lines*.)

Add code sample in Intersection of two line segments

15.1 Fast intersection of two line segments

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Part IV Points, Lines and Circles

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Chapter 16

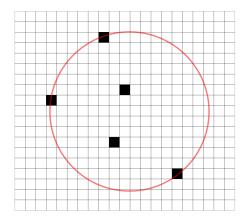
Equations of a circle

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Bounding circle



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A bounding circle is a circle that includes all the points in a given set. Usually we're interested in one of the smallest ones possible.



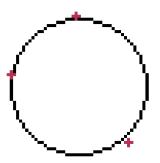
We can use the following methodology to find the bounding circle: start from two points and the circle they make up, and for each of the rest of the points check if the circle includes them. If not, make a bounding circle that includes every point up to the current one. To do this, we need some primitive operations.

We will need a way to construct a circle out of two points:



```
let p1 = points[0];
let p2 = points[1];
//The circle is determined by two points, P and Q. The center of the circle
is
//at (P + Q)/2.0 and the radius is /(P - Q)/2.0/
let d_2 = (
(((p1.0 + p2.0) / 2), (p1.1 + p2.1) / 2),
(distance_between_two_points(p1, p2) / 2.0),
);
```

And a way to make a circle out of three points:



```
+ (bx * bx + by * by) * (ax - cx)
+ (cx * cx + cy * cy) * (bx - ax))
/ d;
let mut center = (ux as i64, uy as i64);
if center.0 < 0 {
    center.0 = 0;
}
if center.1 < 0 {
    center.1 = 0;
}
let d = distance_between_two_points(center, q1);
(center, d)
}</pre>
```

The algorithm:

```
use bitmappers_companion::*;
use minifb::{Key, Window, WindowOptions};
use rand::seq::SliceRandom;
use rand::thread_rng;
use std::f64::consts::{FRAC_PI_2, PI};
include!("../me.xbm.rs");
const WINDOW_WIDTH: usize = 400;
const WINDOW_HEIGHT: usize = 400;
pub fn distance_between_two_points(p_k: Point, p_l: Point) -> f64 {
      let (x_k, y_k) = p_k;
let (x_l, y_l) = p_l;
let xlk = x_l - x_k;
let ylk = y_l - y_k;
f64::sqrt((xlk * xlk + ylk * ylk) as f64)
fn image_to_points(image: &Image) -> Vec<Point> {
      let mut ret = Vec::with_capacity(image.bytes.len());
for y in 0..(image.height as i64) {
    for x in 0..(image.width as i64) {
        if image.get(x, y) == Some(BLACK) {
            ret.push((x, y));
        }
}
             }
      ret
type Circle = (Point, f64);
fn bc(image: &Image) -> Circle {
  let mut points = image_to_points(image);
  points.shuffle(&mut thread_rng());
       min_circle(&points)
fn min_circle(points: &[Point]) -> Circle {
   let mut points = points.to_vec();
   points.shuffle(&mut thread_rng());
      let p1 = points[0];
let p2 = points[1];
       //The circle is determined by two points, P and Q. The center of the
     let mut d_prev = d_2;
      for i in 2..points.len() {
    let p_i = points[i];
             if distance_between_two_points(p_i, d_prev.0) <= (d_prev.1) {
    // then d_i = d_(i-1)</pre>
```

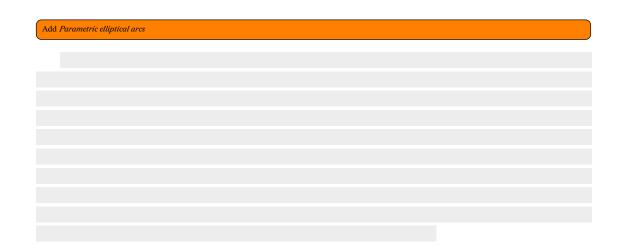
```
} else {
    let new = min_circle_w_point(&points[..i], p_i);
    if distance_between_two_points(p_i, new.0) <= (new.1) {
        d_prev = new;
}</pre>
             }
      }
      d_prev
fn min_circle_w_point(points: &[Point], q: Point) -> Circle {
   let mut points = points.to_vec();
       points.shuffle(&mut thread_rng());
      let p1 = points[0]; //The circle is determined by two points, P_{-}1 and Q. The center of the
     circle
                    is
      crrcte is //at (P_-1 + Q)/2.0 and the radius is /( let d_-1 = (((p_1.0 + q.0) / 2), (p_1.1 + q.1) / 2), (distance_between_two_points(p_1, q) / 2.0),
                          + Q)/2.0 and the radius is |(P_1 - Q)/2.0|
      let mut d_prev = d_1;
      for j in 1..points.len() {
             let p_j = points[j];
if distance_between_two_points(p_j, d_prev.0) <= (d_prev.1) {</pre>
                    //d_prev = d_prev;
             } else {
                    let new = min_circle_w_points(&points[..j], p_j, q);
if distance_between_two_points(p_j, new.0) <= (new.1) {</pre>
                           d_prev = new;
             }
       d_prev
fn min_circle_w_points(points: &[Point], q1: Point, q2: Point) -> Circle {
   let mut points = points.to_vec();
      let d_0 = (
    (((q1.0 + q2.0) / 2), (q1.1 + q2.1) / 2),
    (distance_between_two_points(q1, q2) / 2.0),
      );
      let mut d_prev = d_0;
for k in 0..points.len() {
    let p_k = points[k];
             if distance_between_two_points(p_k, d_prev.0) <= (d_prev.1) {
             } else {
   let new = min_circle_w_3_points(q1, q2, p_k);
   if distance_between_two_points(p_k, new.0) <= (new.1) {
        d_prev = new;
}</pre>
      }
d_prev
fn min_circle_w_3_points(q1: Point, q2: Point, q3: Point) -> Circle {
   let (ax, ay) = (q1.0 as f64, q1.1 as f64);
   let (bx, by) = (q2.0 as f64, q2.1 as f64);
   let (cx, cy) = (q3.0 as f64, q3.1 as f64);
      let mut d = 2. * (ax * (by - cy) + bx * (cy - ay) + cx * (ay - by)); if d == 0.0 {    d = std::cmp::max(
                    std::cmp::max(
                           distance_between_two_points(q1, q2) as i64, distance_between_two_points(q2, q3) as i64,
                    distance_between_two_points(q1, q3) as i64,
             ) as f64 / 2.;
      }
```

```
/ d;
let uy = ((ax * ax + ay * ay) * (cx - bx)
+ (bx * bx + by * by) * (ax - cx)
+ (cx * cx + cy * cy) * (bx - ax))
       / (cx * cx * cy * cy) * (bx - ax) / d;
let mut center = (ux as i64, uy as i64);
       if center.0 < 0 {
    center.0 = 0;</pre>
       if center.1 < 0 {
    center.1 = 0;</pre>
       let d = distance_between_two_points(center, q1);
       (center, d)
fn main() {
      main() {
  let mut buffer: Vec<u32> = vec![WHITE; WINDOW_WIDTH * WINDOW_HEIGHT];
  let mut window = Window::new(
    "Test - ESC to exit",
    WINDOW_WIDTH,
    WINDOW_HEIGHT,
    WindowOptions {
        title: true,
        //borderless: true,
        resize: true,
        //transparency: true,
        ..WindowOptions::default()
                      ..WindowOptions::default()
             },
       .unwrap();
       // Limit to max ~60 fps update rate
window.limit_update_rate(Some(std::time::Duration::from_micros(16600)));
      let mut full = Image::new(WINDOW_WIDTH, WINDOW_HEIGHT, 0, 0);
let mut image = Image::new(ME_WIDTH, ME_HEIGHT, 45, 45);
image.bytes = bits_to_bytes(ME_BITS, ME_WIDTH);
let (center, r) = bc(&image);
       image.draw_outline();
       full.plot_circle((center.0 + 45, center.1 + 45), r as i64, 0.);
while window.is_open() && !window.is_key_down(Key::Escape) &&
 .update_with_buffer(&buffer, WINDOW_WIDTH, WINDOW_HEIGHT)
                     .unwrap();
             let millis = std::time::Duration::from_millis(100);
              std::thread::sleep(millis);
      }
}
```

curves

Part V Curves other than circles

Parametric elliptical arcs



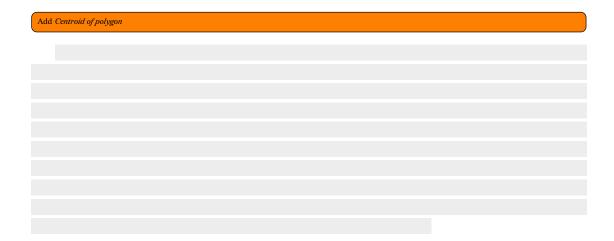
curves

Part VI Points, Lines and Shapes

Union, intersection and difference of polygons



Centroid of polygon



Polygon clipping

Triangle filling

for x in x_min..=x_max {

Add Triangle filling explanation

The book's library methods include a fill_triangle method:

This code is included in the distributed library file in the *Data* representation chapter.

Flood filling



Part VII

Vectors, matrices and transformations



Rotation of a bitmap

$$p' = \begin{bmatrix} \cos\theta & -\sin\theta \\ \sin\theta & \cos\theta \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_p \\ y_p \end{bmatrix}$$

$$c=cos\theta, s=sin\theta, x_{p'}=x_pc-y_ps, y_{p'}=x_ps+y_pc.$$

Let's load an xface. We will use bits_to_bytes (See Introduction).

```
include!("dmr.rs");
const WINDOW_WIDTH: usize = 100;
const WINDOW_HEIGHT: usize = 100;
let mut image = Image::new(DMR_WIDTH, DMR_HEIGHT, 25, 25);
image.bytes = bits_to_bytes(DMR_BITS, DMR_WIDTH);
```

src/bin/rotation.rs:



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This is the xface of dmr. Instead of displaying the bitmap, this time we will rotate it 0.5 radians. Setup our image first:

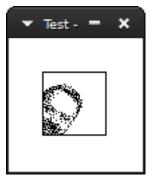
```
let mut image = Image::new(DMR_WIDTH, DMR_HEIGHT, 25, 25);
image.draw_outline();
let dmr = bits_to_bytes(DMR_BITS, DMR_WIDTH);
```

And then, loop for each byte in dmr's face and apply the rotation transformation.

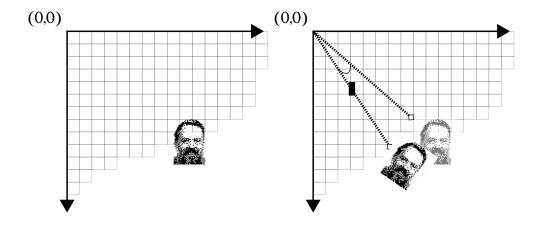
```
let angle = 0.5;
let c = f64::cos(angle);
let s = f64::sin(angle);

for y in 0..DMR_HEIGHT {
    for x in 0..DMR_WIDTH {
        if dmr[y * DMR_WIDTH + x] == BLACK {
            let x = x as f64;
            let y = y as f64;
            let xr = x * c - y * s;
            let yr = x * s + y * c;
            image.plot(xr as i64, yr as i64);
        }
}
```

The result:



We didn't mention in the beginning that the rotation has to be relative to a *point* and the given transformation is relative to the *origin*, in this case the upper left corner (0,0). So dmr was rotated relative to the origin:



(the distance to the origin (actually 0 pixels) has been exaggerated for the sake of the example)

Usually, we want to rotate something relative to itself. The right point to choose is the *centroid* of the object.

If we have a list of n points, the centroid is calculated as:

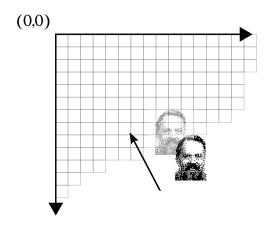
$$x_c = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n} x_i$$

$$y_c = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n} y_i$$

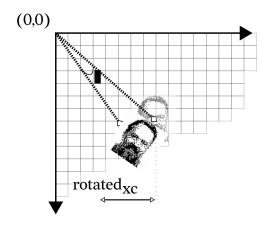
Since in this case we have a rectangle, the centroid has coordinates of half the width and half the height.

By subtracting the centroid from each point before we apply the transformation and then adding it back after we get what we want:

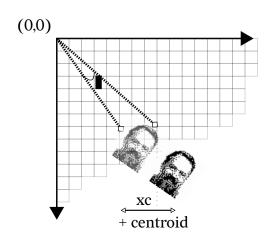
Here's it visually: First subtract the center point.



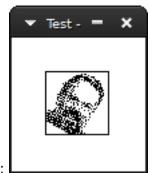
Then, rotate.



And subtract back to the original position.



In code:



The result:

24.1 Fast 2D Rotation

Add Fast 2D Rotation	

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90° Rotation of a bitmap by parallel recursive subdivision





transformations

Chapter 26

Magnification/Scaling



We want to magnify a bitmap without any smoothing. We define an Image scaled to the dimensions we want, and loop for every pixel in the scaled Image. Then, for each pixel, calculate its source in the original bitmap: if the coordinates in the scaled bitmap are (x, y) then the source coordinates (sx, sy) are:

$$sx = \frac{x * original.width}{scaled.width}$$

$$sy = \frac{y * original.height}{scaled.height}$$

So, if (sx, sy) are painted, then (x, y) must be painted as well.

src/bin/scale.rs:



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26.1 Smoothing enlarged bitmaps

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26.2 Stretching lines of bitmaps

Add Stretching lines of bitmaps

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Chapter 27

Mirroring

Add screenshots and figure and code in Mirroring

Mirroring to an axis is the transformation of one coordinate to its equidistant value across the axis:

To mirror a pixelacross the x axis, simply multiply its coordinates with the following matrix:

$$M_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

This results in the *y* coordinate's sign being flipped.

For y-mirroring, the transformation follows the same logic:

$$M_y = \begin{bmatrix} -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

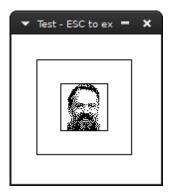
Shearing

Simple shearing is the transformation of one dimension by a distance proportional to the other dimension, In x-shearing (or horizontal shearing) only the x coordinate is affected, and likewise in y-shearing only y as well.

src/bin/shearing.rs:



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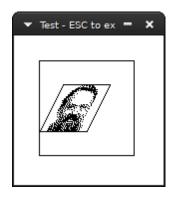
With l being equal to the desired tilt away from the y axis, the transformation is described by the following matrix:

$$S_x = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & l \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Which is as simple as this function:

```
fn shear_x((x_p, y_p): (i64, i64), 1: f64) -> (i64, i64) {
     (x_p+(1*(y_p as f64)) as i64, y_p)
}
```

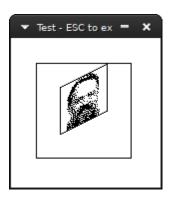




For *y*-shearing, we have the following:

$$S_{y} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ l & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

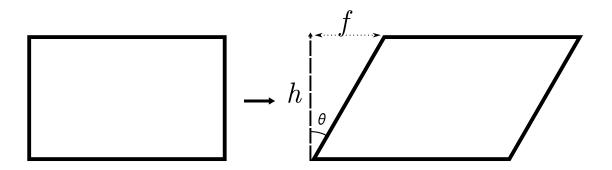
```
fn shear_y((x_p, y_p): (i64, i64), 1: f64) -> (i64, i64) {
    (x_p, (1*(x_p as f64)) as i64 + y_p)
}
```



A full example:

```
let 1 = -0.5;
let mut sheared = Image::new(DMR_WIDTH*2, DMR_HEIGHT*2, 25, 25);
for x in 0..DMR_WIDTH {
    for y in 0..DMR_HEIGHT {
        if image.bytes[y * DMR_WIDTH + x] == BLACK {
            let p = shear_x((x as i64 ,y as i64 ), 1);
            sheared.plot(p.0+(DMR_WIDTH/2) as i64, p.1+(DMR_HEIGHT/2) as i64);
        }
    }
} sheared.draw_outline();
```

28.1 The relationship between shearing factor and angle



Shearing is a delta movement in one dimension, thus the point before moving and the point after form an angle with the x axis. To move a point (x,0) by 30° forward we will have the new point (x+f,0) where f is the shear factor. These two points and (x,h) where h is the height of the bitmap form a triangle, thus the following are true:

$$\cot \theta = \frac{h}{f}$$

Therefore to find your factor for any angle θ replace its cotangent in the following formula:

$$f = \frac{h}{\cot \theta}$$

For example to shear by -30° (meaning the bitmap will move to the right, since rotations are always clockwise) we need $\cot(-30deg) = -\sqrt{3}$ and $f = -\frac{h}{\sqrt{3}}$.

Projections

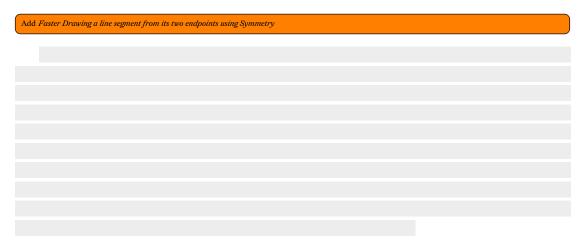




Part VIII Addendum



29.1 Faster Drawing a line segment from its two endpoints using Symmetry





Joining the ends of two wide line segments together





Composing monochrome bitmaps with separate alpha channel data





Orthogonal connection of two points

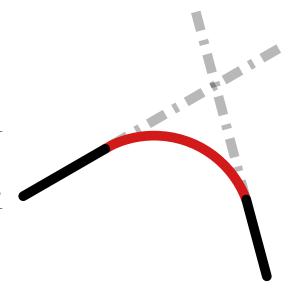
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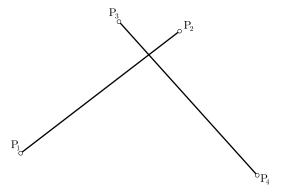
Chapter 33

Join segments with round corners

Round corners are everywhere around us. It is useful to know at least one method of construction. This specific method constructs a circle that has a common point with each given line segment, and calculates the arc that when added to the line segments they are smoothly joined. The excess length, since those common points will be before the end of the line segments, must be erased. Therefore, it's best to begin with just the points of the two segments before starting to draw anything.

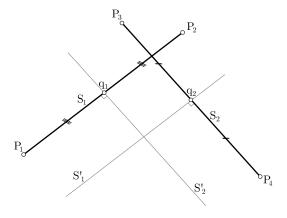


Since the segments intercept, the round corner will end up beneath the intersection. We wish to find a circle that has a common point with each segment and the arc made up from those points and the circle is the round corner we are after.



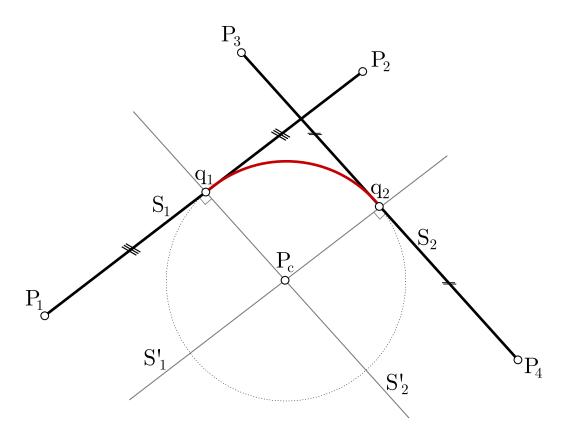
We are given 4 points, P_1 , P_2 and P_3 , P_4 that make up segments S_1 and S_2 . Begin by finding the midpoints q_1 and q_2 of segments S_1 and S_2 . These will be:

$$q_1 = \frac{P_1 + P_2}{2}$$
$$q_2 = \frac{P_3 + P_4}{2}$$



Calculate perpendicular lines S_1 and S_2 passing through the midpoints of S_1 and S_2 .

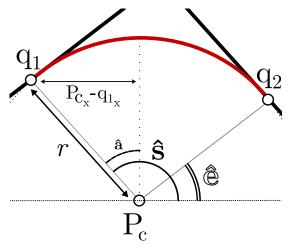
¹See Find perpendicular to line that passes through given point, page 23



At their intersection lies the center P_c of the circle, and the radius is the distance of P_c from either of the segments. Now, we have to find the angle the circle's arc starts from. It will be equal to:

$$\begin{split} \hat{s} &= 90^{\circ} + \hat{a} \\ \hat{a} &= arcsin(\frac{dist_{x}(P_{c}, q_{1})}{r}) \end{split}$$

Similarly, the ending angle **(a)** will be equal to:



$$\hat{e} = \arccos(\frac{dist_x(P_c, q_2)}{r})$$

It's evident our solution applies to the example and is not general; to cover all

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cases, we have to find in which quadrants of the circle the wanted arc will reside in and that depends on how the two segments are layed out.

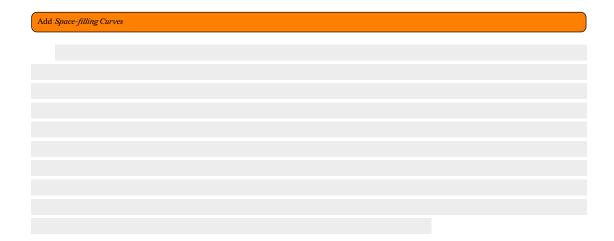
Add Join segments with round corners code

Faster line clipping



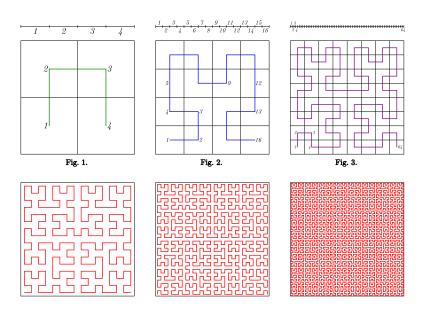


Space-filling Curves



35.1 Hilbert curve

Add Hilbert curve explanation



The first six iterations of the Hilbert curve \underline{by} Braindrain0000

src/bin/hilbert.rs:

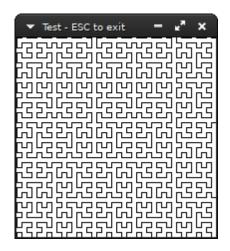
Here's a simple algorithm for drawing a Hilbert curve.¹

```
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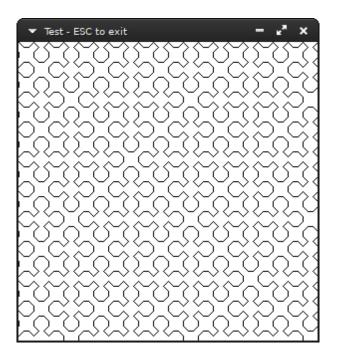
¹Griffiths, J. G. (1985). *Table-driven algorithms for generating space-filling curves*. Computer-Aided Design, 17(1), 37–41. doi:10.1016/0010-4485(85)90009-0

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```

```
let mut image = Image::new(WINDOW_WIDTH, WINDOW_WIDTH, 0, 0);
curve(&mut image, 0, 7, 0, WINDOW_WIDTH as i64);
```



35.2 Sierpiński curve



Switching the table from the Hilbert implementation to this:

```
const SIERP: &[&[usize]] = &[
    &[17, 25, 33, 41],
    &[17, 20, 41, 18],
    &[25, 36, 17, 28],
    &[33, 44, 25, 38],
    &[41, 12, 33, 48],
];
```

And switching two lines from the function to

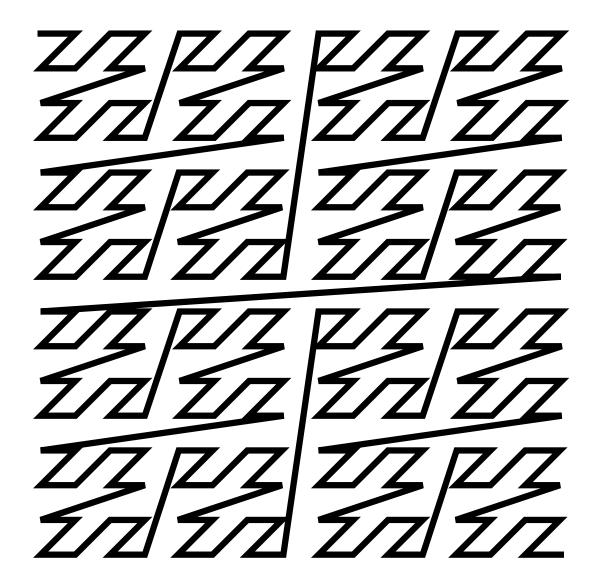
```
- let step = HILBERT[k][j];
- row = (step / 10) - 1;
+ let step = SIERP[k][j];
+ row = (step / 10);
```

You can draw a Sierpinshi curve of order n by calling curve (&mut image, 0,n+1, 0, 0).

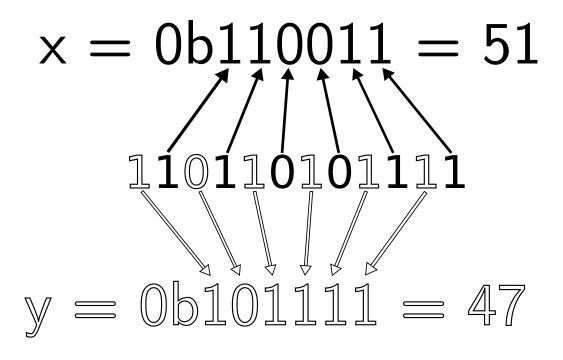
35.3 Peano curve

Add Peano curve

35.4 Z-order curve

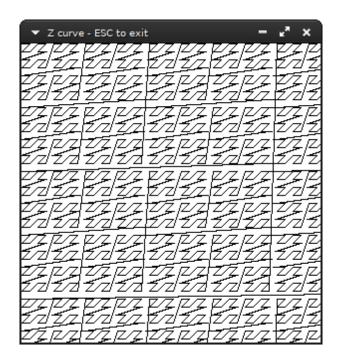


Drawing the Z-order curve is really simple: first, have a counter variable that starts from zero and is incremented by one at each step. Then, you extract the (x,y) coordinates the new step represents from its binary representation. The bits for the x coordinate are located at the odd bits, and for y at the even bits. I.e. the values are interleaved as bits in the value of the step:



Knowing this, implementing the drawing process will consist of computing the next step, drawing a line segment from the current step and the next, set the current step as the next and continue;

```
if next & 0b10_000_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sx += 256 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & 0b1_000_000_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sx += 512 * STEP_SIZE;
      sy = 0;
if (next & Ob10) as i64 > 0 {
    sy += STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob1_000 > 0 {
    sy += 2 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob100_000 > 0 {
    sy += 4 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob10_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 8 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob1_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 16 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob100_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 32 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob10_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 64 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob1_000_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 128 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob100_000_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 256 * STEP_SIZE;
      if next & Ob10_000_000_000_000_000 > 0 {
    sy += 512 * STEP_SIZE;
      img.plot_line_width(prev_pos, (sx + x_offset, sy + y_offset), 1.0);
      if next == 0b111_111_111_111_111_111_111 {
    break;
      if sx as usize > img.width && sy as usize > img.height {
          break;
      prev_pos = (sx + x_offset, sy + y_offset);
b = next;
}
```



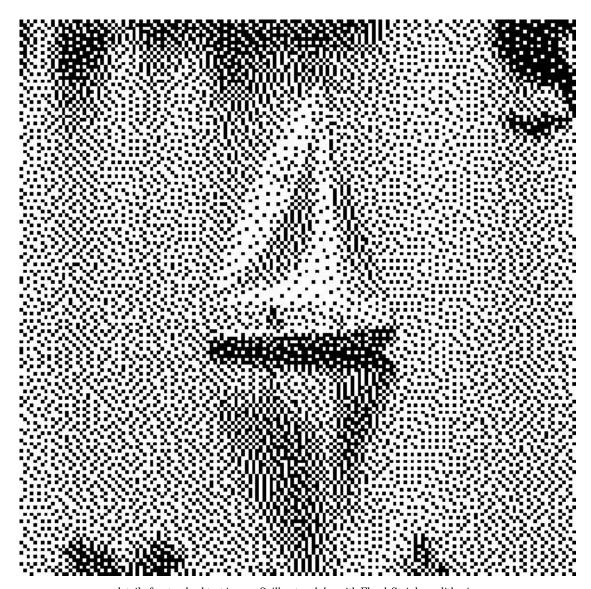
35.5 flowsnake curve



Dithering



36.1 Floyd-Steinberg



 $detail\ of\ a\ standard\ test\ image, \underline{\textit{Sailboat\ on\ lake}}, with\ Floyd-Steinberg\ dithering$

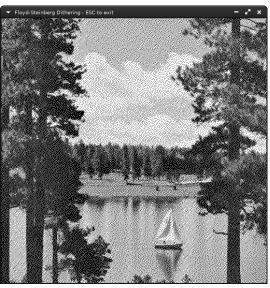


src/bin/floyddither.rs:

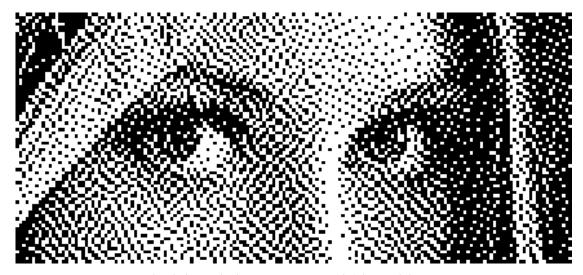


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36.2 Atkinson dithering



detail of a standard test image, \underline{Lenna} , with Atkinson dithering

src/bin/atkinsondither.rs:

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addendum The following code implements Atkinson dithering: $\!^{l}$

 $^{{}^{1}}Algorithm\ taken\ from\ \underline{https://beyondloom.com/blog/dither.html}$

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```
} else {
     BLACK
};
}
```





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