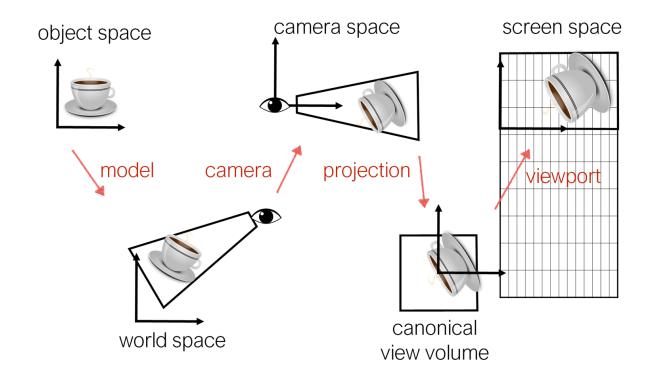
Rendering Pipeline 1

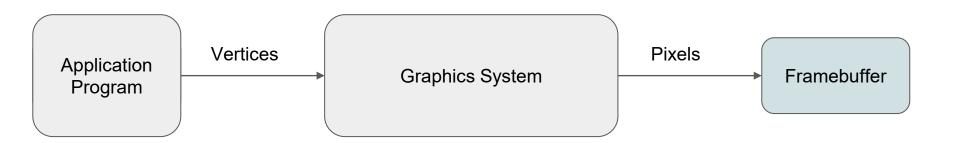
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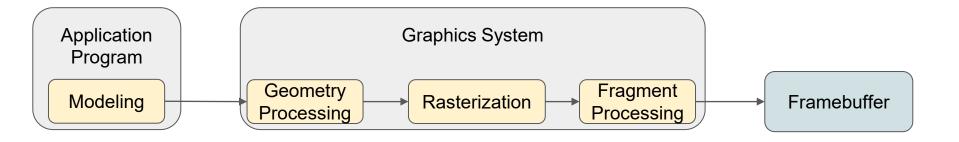
Recap: Transformations



Graphics System



Graphics Pipeline



Geometry Processing

- Change of representation (We saw this in the last class)
- Projection
- Primitive Assembly
- Clipping
- Shading

Geometry Processing

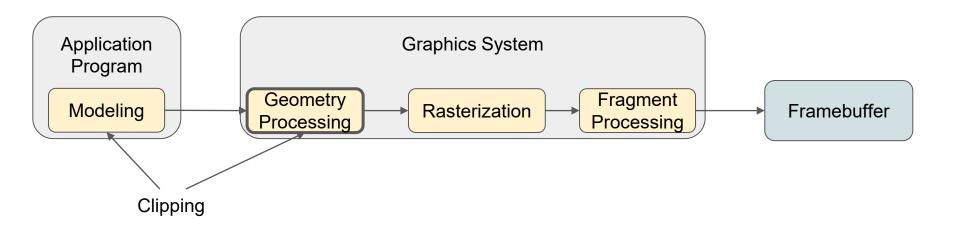
Projection:

- Transforming to a normalized view volume.
- View volume will be a cube of size 2, centered at origin.
- Eliminates dependency on application specifications as well as display device specifications.

Primitive Assembly:

- Grouping of vertices to form objects (primitives).
- Done before clipping.
- Clipping
- Shading
 - Assignment of colors to vertices and determining how the intermediate vertices are to be colored.

Clipping

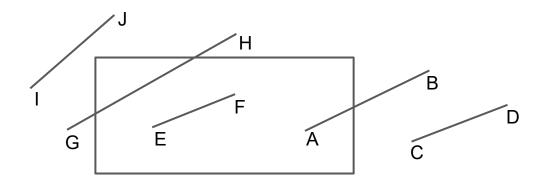


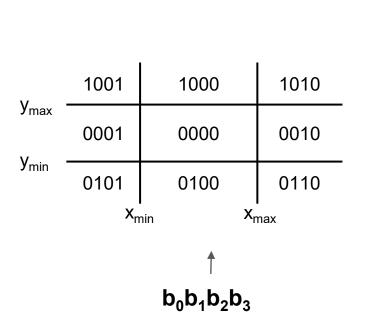
Clipping

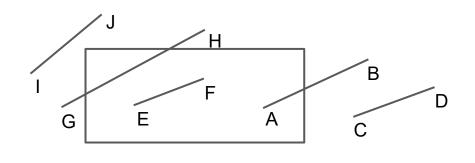
- Rasterization is expensive. Optimize what needs to be rasterized.
- Brute force approach: Clip every primitive against all the four sides of the view window (or six sides of the view volume)
- Computing intersections can be expensive since these calculations involve floating point divisions.

Clipping: Line segments

Cohen-Sutherland Line Clipping





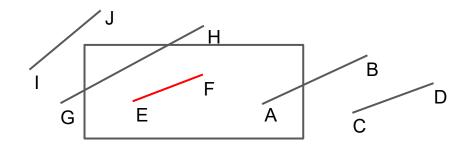


$$b_0 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } y > y_{\text{max}} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

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outcode(x, y):
          out = 0000
     if (y > y_{max})
          out = out | 1000
     else if (y < y_{min})
          out = out | 0100
     if (x > x_{max})
          out = out | 0010
     else if (x < x_{min})
          out = out | 0001
     return out
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Case 1: Trivial accept

| v = v _ | 1001 | 1000 | 1010 |
|---------------|-----------------------------|------|------|
| $y = y_{max}$ | 0001 | 0000 | 0010 |
| $y = y_{min}$ | 0101 | 0100 | 0110 |
| | $x = x_{min}$ $x = x_{max}$ | | |

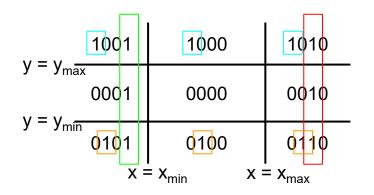


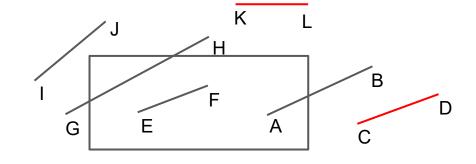
$$o_1 = outcode(x_1, y_1)$$

 $o_2 = outcode(x_2, y_2)$

$$o_1 = o_2 = 0$$

Case 2: Trivial reject





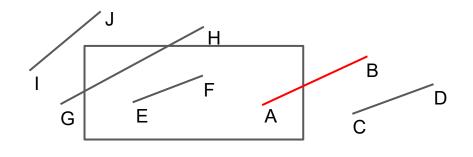
$$o_1 = outcode(x_1, y_1)$$

 $o_2 = outcode(x_2, y_2)$

$$o_1 \& o_2 \neq 0$$

Case 3:

| v = v = | 1001 | 1000 | 1010 |
|---------------|---------------|------|--------------------|
| $y = y_{max}$ | 0001 | 0000 | 0010 |
| $y = y_{min}$ | 0101 | 0100 | 0110 |
| | $x = x_{min}$ | | = x _{max} |



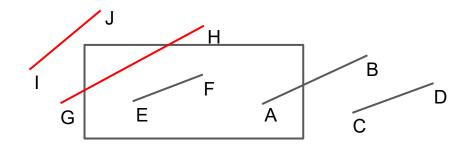
$$o_1 = outcode(x_1, y_1)$$

 $o_2 = outcode(x_2, y_2)$

 $o_1 \neq 0$ and $o_2 = 0$ or vice versa

Case 4:

| v = v = | 1001 | 1000 | 1010 |
|---------------|---------------|------|--------------------|
| $y = y_{max}$ | 0001 | 0000 | 0010 |
| $y = y_{min}$ | 0101 | 0100 | 0110 |
| | $x = x_{min}$ | | = x _{max} |



$$o_1 = outcode(x_1, y_1)$$

 $o_2 = outcode(x_2, y_2)$

$$o_1 \& o_2 = 0$$

Intersection calculation:

- y = mx + h
- $(y y_1) = ((y_2 y_1) / (x_2 x_1)) * (x x_1)$

Disadvantages:

 Algorithm is recursively applied (till the clipped result can be accepted or rejected).

Algorithm makes use of parametric form of line.

Suppose:

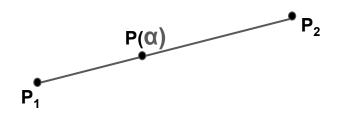
$$P_1 = [x_1, y_1]^T$$
 and $P_2 = [x_2, y_2]^T$.

Then,

$$P(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)P_1 + \alpha P_2$$

Or

$$x(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)x_1 + \alpha x_2$$
$$y(\alpha) = (1 - \alpha)y_1 + \alpha y_2$$

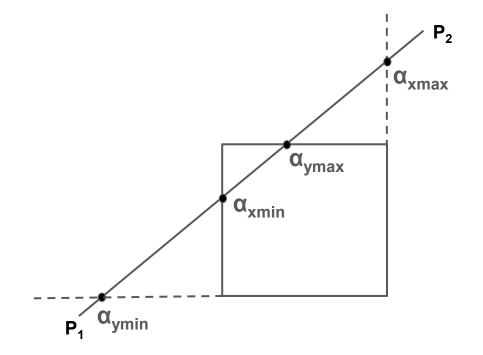


Computing alpha values:

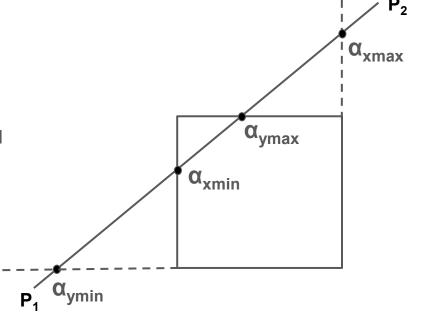
$$\alpha_{ymin} = (y_{min} - y_1) / (y_2 - y_1)$$

or

$$\Delta y \alpha_{ymin} = \Delta y_{min}$$



- Compute the four α values corresponding to four sides of the clipping window
- Compare them to find the order.
 - In this case $0 < \alpha_{vmin} < \alpha_{xmin} < \alpha_{vmax} < \alpha_{xmax} < 1$
- Between two alpha values
 corresponding to vertical extremes if
 there is a horizontal alpha value (or vice
 versa) it indicates the line passes
 through the clip window.



 Any α value that is < 0 or > 1 implies the intersection happens on the extension of the actual line segment.

