

pen2map

- `chisel/python/pen2map.py`
 - pen2map converts a pen file into a map file (doom3)

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```
$ cd $HOME/Sandpit/chisel/python
$ python pen2map.py -h
Usage: pen2map [-c filename.ss] [-dhmtvV] [-o outputfile] inputfile
  -c filename.ss    use filename.ss as the defaults for the map file
  -d                debugging
  -e                provide comments in the map file
  -g type           game type.  The type must be 'single' or 'deathmatch'
  -h                help
  -m                create a doom3 map file from the pen file
  -s                generate statistics about the map file
  -t                create a txt file from the pen file
  -V                generate verbose information
  -v                print the version
  -o outputfile     place output into outputfile
```

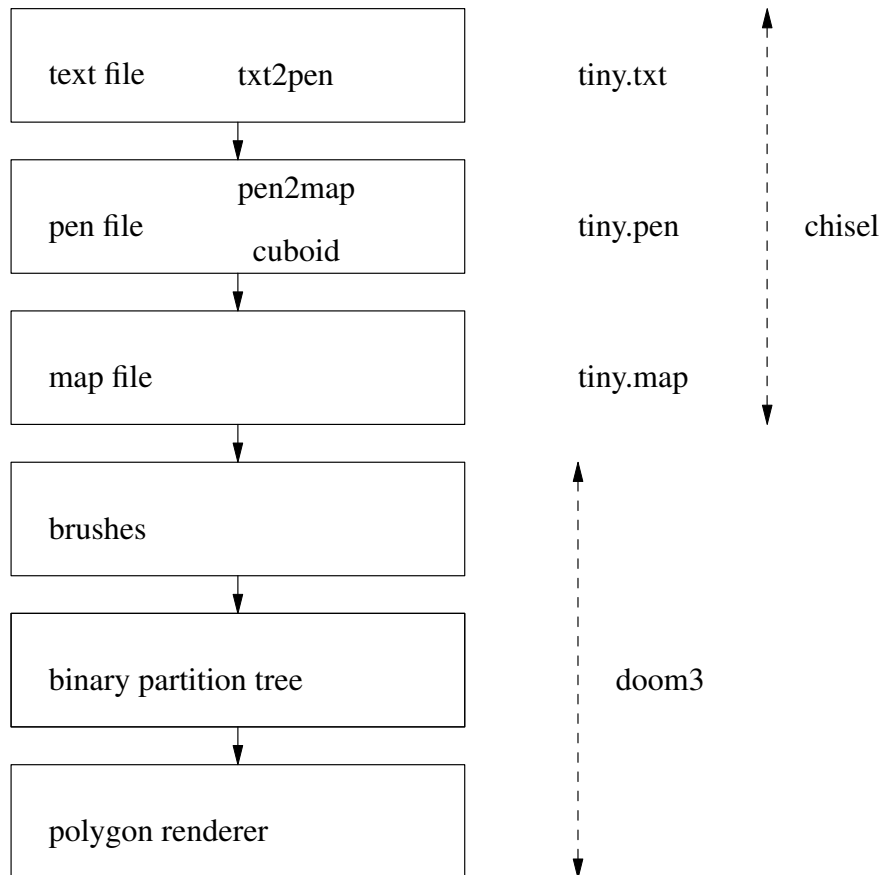
pen2map overview

- parses a pen file, creates internal data structures representing the pen map
 - it then iterates over the rooms and generates a doom3 map file
- conceptually the generation of the rooms is rather like virtualised lego (within chisel)
 - pen2map generates blocks and places these blocks into a world
 - it will attempt to join blocks together as long as this results in a bigger cuboid structure
- however the doom3 map uses planes and not blocks!

Construct the program in logical units

- Henry Legard proverb
- one way to achieve this is to layer the solution
 - divide and conquer
- consider our doom3 tools

Doom3 and chisel layering



Minimal box defined in the map format

```
brushDef3
{
    // floor of fbrick
    (0 0 -1 0) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
    // ceiling of fbrick
    (0 0 1 -288) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
    // top most horizontal of fbrick
    (-1 0 0 -480) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
    // left most vertical of fbrick
    (0 -1 0 -576) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
    // bottom most horizontal of fbrick
    (1 0 0 432) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
    // right most vertical of fbrick
    (0 1 0 528) ((0.0078125 0 0.5) (0 -0.0078125 -1)) "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
}
```

■ six planes which define a cuboid

The second plane

- is the ceiling in our example
- $(0 \ 0 \ 1 \ -288)$ $((0.0078125 \ 0 \ 0.5)$ $(0 \ -0.0078125$
 $-1))$ "textures/hell/cbrick2b" 0 0 0
- $(0 \ 0 \ 1 \ -288)$
 - vector $(0, 0, 1)$ and the closest it reaches the origin is -288 units
 - this infinite plane will have the texture
textures/hell/cbrick2b applied to it

Texture transformation matrix

- the texture uses the transformation matrix, T

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0.0078125 & 0 & 0.5 \\ 0 & -0.0078125 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- general transformation matrix is:

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} xscale \cos(\theta) & -yscale \sin(\theta) & translate_x \\ xscale \sin(\theta) & yscale \cos(\theta) & translate_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

Each coordinate is transformed by

- $$T = \begin{bmatrix} xscale \cos(\theta) & -yscale \sin(\theta) & translate_x \\ xscale \sin(\theta) & yscale \cos(\theta) & translate_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

- and mapped into the image file at this new grid coordinate
- fortunately we conceptualise chisel as creating a variety of lego bricks (each is a cuboid)
- `pen2map.py` generates floor bricks, wall bricks and ceiling bricks

Conclusion

- layered software is an important concept which allows large systems to be built and it can hide complexity behind well defined interfaces
- cuboids are represented by brushes in the map
 - six planes define a brush