

## \* Assignment \* - 7 \*

### Aim:-

open GL and Animation.  
write a c++ program to simulate any  
of the following scenario.  
a) clock with pendulum.

### Theory:-

#### open GL Basics:

Open Graphics Library (open GL) is a cross language (language independent), cross platform (platform independent) API for rendering 2D & 3D vector graphics (use of polygons to represent image). open GL is a low-level, widely supported modeling & rendering software package, available across all platform. It can be used in a range of graphics application, such as games, CAD design or modeling. open GL API is design mostly in hardware.

#### Features:-

- (1) Design
- (2) Associated libraries
- (3) Implementation
- (4) Development

#### Installation on Ubuntu:

##### Needed libraries:

- (1) core open GL (GL):
- (2) open GL utility (GLU):

- ③ open GL Utility Toolkit (GLUT)
- ④ open GL Extension Wrangler Library (GLEW):

Prerequisites for openGL:

Since openGL is a graphics API and a platform of its own, it requires a language to operate in the language of choice is C++.

open GL order of operation:

- Construct shapes.
- Use open GL to
  - ① Arrange shape in 3D
  - ② Select your vantage point.
  - ③ Calculate color & texture properties of each object.
  - ④ Convert shapes into pixels on screen.

open GL syntax:-

- All function have the form: `gl*`  
 e.g. `glVertex 3f()` -  
 3 - means, it takes 3 arguments.
- All variable have the form `GL`  
 e.g. `GLfloat`  
`GLint`.

open GL primitives:-

Drawing two lines.

```
glBegin (GL_LINES);
```

```
glVertex 3f (-1,-1,-1); "start pt of line 1"
```



```
glVertex 3f (-1,-1,-1); "end pt of line 1"
glVertex 3f (-1,-1,-1); "start pt of line 2"
glVertex 3f (-1,-1,-1); "end pt of line 2"
glEnd;
```

### Developer - Driven Advantages.

- ① Industry Standard
- ② Stable
- ③ Reliable & portable
- ④ Evolving
- ⑤ Scalable
- ⑥ Easy to use
- ⑦ well-documented

### Conclusion:-

In this way, we have studied and implemented open GL to make a scene of a clock with pendulum.