

CIS565 GPU Programming and Architecture

Final Project Milestone III

Forward + with Vulkan

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Finished Tasks

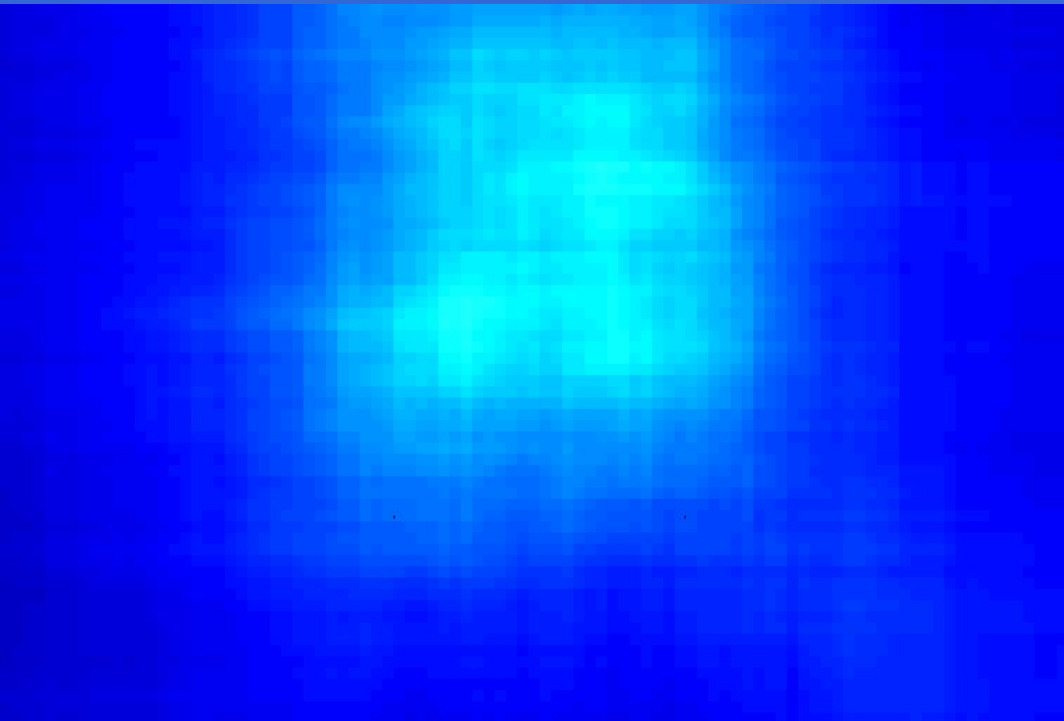
- Vulkan compute pipelines
 - Compute grid frustums pipeline
 - Compute light list pipeline
- Light culling
- Shading

GIF



- GTX 750m
- 1600 point lights
- Tiles of 8x8 pixels

GIF - Light Heat Map



- GTX 750m
- 1600 point lights
- Tiles of 8x8 pixels
- Brighter means more lights in tile

Working Code

```
vec4 ComputePlane( vec3 p0, vec3 p1, vec3 p2 )
{
    vec4 plane;

    vec3 v0 = p1 - p0;
    vec3 v2 = p2 - p0;

    plane.xyz = normalize( cross( v0, v2 ) );

    // Compute the distance to the origin using p0.
    plane.w = dot( plane.xyz, p0 );

    return plane;
}
```

Plane representation

- Normal direction
- Distance to origin

Frustum representation

- 4 planes

Point light representation

- Sphere

Light culling

- Detect sphere frustum intersection

Working Code

```
uint lightIndexBegin = index * MAX_NUM_LIGHTS_PER_TILE;
uint lightNum = lightGrid[index];

// lightGrid[index] = lights need to be considered in tile
for(int i = 0; i < lightNum; ++i) {
    int lightIndex = lightIndices[i + lightIndexBegin];

    Light currentLight = lights[lightIndex];

    vec3 beginPos = currentLight.beginPos.xyz;
    vec3 endPos = currentLight.endPos.xyz;
    float t = sin(params.time * lightIndex * .0005f);

    lightPos = (1 - t) * beginPos + t * endPos;
    lightColor = currentLight.color.xyz;
    lightDir = lightPos - fragPosWorldSpace;
    lightIntensity = currentLight.beginPos.w;
    lightRadius = currentLight.endPos.w;
```

Light list usage

- A global list of all lights
- A list of light indices for each tile
- A list of light count for each tile
- Shading: only iterate on the lights in the light list for each tile

Upcoming Milestones

- Final Presentation
 - Optimization
 - Code refactoring
 - Resource management
 - Performance Analysis

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