# gltools - an OpenGL based on-line graphics toolbox

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gltools is a collection of OpenGL rendering utilities. It consists of three layers:

glwin: Interface to the windowing system.

glrnd: Management of an orthogonal rendering volume.

**glmesh:** Rendering utilities for functions on simplicial meshes including 3D isosurfaces and plane sections.

Further, parallel to the system dependent glwin module, there is the system independent gleps module which organizes vector postscript dump. For Information, see also the gltools homepage<sup>1</sup>.

### 1 Introduction

#### 1.1 What is the intention of gltools?

You have program and want to make it some pictures. You are developing 3D code and are unable to find any errors in your data arrays. You look for a replacement of GKS which no one seems to have anymore.

Many graphics packages, as the  $\mathrm{GLUTtoolkit}^2$  (which has nearly the same intentions as  $\mathit{gltools}$ ),  $\mathrm{AVS}^3$  and  $\mathrm{GRAPE}^4$  provide a perfect environment.

But for them, one has to register existing code as a callback and/or one has to translate the existing data structures into those of the graphics package. This may be fairly time consuming and difficult. Also, one wants to control the graphics package via the existing code, not vice versa. This is where the *gltools* package comes in.

It should enable one to get easy access to the OpenGL world on-line from one's own data structures within existing code.

It has been tested with OpenGL on SGI Irix 6.x and Compaq Tru64 UNIX as well as with the Mesa package<sup>5</sup> of Brian Paul. It *should* compile with any ANSI-C compiler.

<sup>1</sup> http://www.wias-berlin.de/ gltools

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>http://www.sgi.com/Technology/openGL/glut.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> http://www.avs.com

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> http://www.mathematik.uni-freiburg.de/Grape/grape.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> http://www.ssec.wisc.edu/brianp/Mesa.html

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# 1.2 What is not the intention of gltools?

It is intended to keep this package compact. There are two main reasons for this:

- the limited time of the authors
- the ease of use of gltools for the programmer.

So, it is until now not planned to incorporate menu control into the package. An easy (and most preferred by the author) way to provide menus would be a callback to a scripting language like *tcl* which could be equipped with a menu system, but this makes sense only when the whole code is embedded into such a language.

### 1.3 Sample code

**glwexample-appctrl.c** contains a simple test program with a GL window in application control mode.

glwexample-evctrl.c contains a simple test program with a GL window in event control mode.

glrexample.c contains a simple test program with a GL rendere.

glview.c contains a sample program which can be used to render function data on rectangular meshes. It is used as a test program for glrnd and glmesh.

#### 1.4 To Do

- vector field rendering
- handle arbitrary clipping planes this is only a question of a clever keyboard and mouse interface, *glmesh* already does everything.
- relate shown values in the title to real values.
- control rotation axes: keys X,Y,Z

# 2 glwin - A System Interface for OpenGL Applications

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This module provides access to basic facilities as X window management, event handling, off screen rendering etc. It has been derived from the OpenGL sample tk code by putting all global variables into a structure called glWindow. Not

everything has been checked, especially not the color index stuff. I is the intention of the author to keep track of changes in the *libtk* toolkit. There are three main difference to the *libtk* kit:

- glwin is able to to manage more than one window at one time. This has been achieved by wrapping all global variables of libtk into a (hidden) data type glWindow and letting the user provide data to all callback routines via a void\* parameter.
- The event loop (called by glwProcess()) knows an application-controlled and an event-controlled (user-controlled) mode.

In application-controlled mode it is possible to attach a GL window, let it process any pending events, render user data and exit without destroying the window contents. This enables the usage of *glwin* under the control of the application during transient simulations etc.

In event-controlled mode, the event loop needs some user itervention (e.g. key press) to exit.

- glwGrab() grabs the actual window contents and dumps it into a ppm file
- glwStartMPEGRecording()/glwStopMPEGRecording record an MPEG stream using mpeg\_encode version 1.5 or higher.
- glwStartEPSRecording()/glwStopEPSRecording record to a multipage eps or pdf file

### 2.1 Acknowledgements

The kernel of the code has been derived from various versions of the "tk nano window toolkit" which comes along as OpenGL demo software. Namely, code comes from versions on SGI and Digital machines, and from the MESA distribution. If that code wouldn't have been available in source form, gltools would not exist.

#### 2.2 Installation

The installation should be fairly simple. You need an ANSI C compiler, the headers and libraries of X11 and GL and. Sorry for not providing Imakefiles and/or configure scripts - to me, these are a mess, and I try not to use anyting non-portable in my code.

#### 2.2.1 Installation with vendor installed OpenGL

Everything should be smooth, you don't need to define any preprocessor options. Link with "-lGL -lXext -lX11".

#### 2.2.2 Installation with MESA

Obtain MESA from http://www.ssec.wisc.edu/ brianp/Mesa.html and install it - the best way would be in /usr/local/\*.

Then compile glwin.c with "-I/usr/local/include" and link with "-L/usr/local/lib -lMesaGL -lXext -lX11" (or whatever you have called the MESA libraries).

#### 2.3 Imported packages

```
#ifndef GLW_HEADER
#define GLW_HEADER
#include <GL/gl.h>
#include <stdio.h>
```

### 2.4 Data Types

#### 2.4.1 glWindow

```
typedef struct glWindowStruct *glWindow;
```

This is the basic handle structure, all data in it are hidden from the user.

#### 2.5 Constructors and Destructors

#### 2.5.1 glwInitDisplayMode

Set the display mode for next window to create. The default value is GLW\_RGB|GLW\_DOUBLE|GLW\_DIRECT|GLW\_DEPTH. Possible values are combinations of the following bitmasks:

```
#define GLW_RGB
                         0
                                  /* RGB mode */
                                  /* Color index mode */
#define GLW_INDEX
                         1
                                  /* Single buffer mode */
#define GLW_SINGLE
                         0
#define GLW_DOUBLE
                         2
                                  /* Double buffer mode */
                         0
                                  /* Direct rendering */
#define GLW_DIRECT
#define GLW_INDIRECT
                          4
                                  /* Indirect rendering */
                         8
                                  /* Enable accumulation buffer */
#define GLW_ACCUM
#define GLW ALPHA
                         16
                                  /* Enable alpha calculations */
#define GLW_DEPTH
                         32
                                  /* Enable depth buffer */
                                  /* Create Window with overlay */
#define GLW_OVERLAY
                         64
#define GLW_UNDERLAY
                         128
#define GLW_STENCIL
                         512
#define GLW_PIXMAP
                         1024
```

At startup and after creating a window, all values are reset to the defaults. The values set are used only for the next window created.

#### 2.5.2 glwInitPos

Set the initial position of the upper left corner of the window on the screen. Default: (0,0) (Upper left corner of the screen).

#### 2.5.3 glwInitSize

Set the size of the window on the screen.

Default: GLW\_PAL\_HALF. The sizes are not mandatory. The MPEG-1 standard does not demand any frame size, the MPEG-2 standard demans a multiple of 16 in the frame size.

However it is useful to stick to the MPEG sizes given here if one wants to use MPEG in connection with hardware.

#### 2.5.4 glwInitTitle

Set the title of the window to be created. Default: "gltools-1.0"

At startup and after creating a window, all values are reset to the defaults. The values set are used only for the next window created.

The maximum length of a name is defined here:

```
#define GLW_NAMELEN 128
```

#### 2.5.5 glwInitDisplayModePolicy

Set visual match mode. Default: GLW\_MINIMUM\_CRITERIA. Possible values:

```
enum {
    GLW_USE_ID = 1,
    GLW_EXACT_MATCH,
    GLW_MINIMUM_CRITERIA
};
```

At startup and after creating a window, all values are reset to the defaults. The values set are used only for the next window created.

#### 2.5.6 glwInitOffscreen

```
void glwInitOffscreen(void);
```

Declare window to be created to be an offscreen window. This could be used for e.g. for creating frames in batch mode. The corresponding code is in beta status.

At startup and after creating a window, all values are reset to the defaults. The values set are used only for the next window created.

```
void glwInitToplevel(void *toplevel);
```

Declare the toplevel window of the system window to be created. Under X11, it is used as the target for the "transient for" property.

#### 2.5.7 glwInitAspectKeeping

Keep aspect ratio of window when resizing. Default: 1 (yes).

At startup and after creating a window, all values are reset to the defaults. The values set are used only for the next window created.

#### 2.5.8 glwGetDefault

```
char * glwGetDefault(glWindow w, char * resource, char *dflt);
```

Read resource from resource database, e.g. reads gltools\*printerCommand from your .Xdefaults. Returns default if resource has not been found in database.

#### 2.5.9 glwCreate

Create a window. Multiple windows may be created. OpenGL renders into the window freshly created or the window defined by glwAttach (2.6.1).

```
2.5.10 glwDestroy
```

Destroy the window.

#### 2.6 Control

#### 2.6.1 glwAttach

"Attach" the window, i.e. make the corresponding OpenGL context current.

#### 2.6.2 glwFlush

Flush the window.

#### 2.6.3 glwProcess

Process event loop. User data are rendered by calling the redraw function set by glwSetRedrawFunc (2.7.1). The event loop is exited

- after glwQuit() call (user intervention) in event driven mode
- after processing pending events, one redraw and glwQuit() in application driven mode.

The parameter info is used to pass user data to the callback routines. Thus, gltools can be used for rendering under control of the user code.

#### 2.6.4 glwSetControlMode

Set control mode. Possible values:

#### 2.6.5 glwGrabPPM

Grab actual window contents and write it into a ppm file.

#### 2.6.6 glwGrabPPMAndPrint

Grab actual window contents to ppm and print as postscript. You can influence the way the picture is printed if you specify the X resource gltools\*printerCommand. The default is pnmtops | lpr.

#### 2.6.7 glwStartMPEGRecording

Start recording of frame data into an MPEG stream using mpeg\_encode. Recording is done using glwGrab (??) which is called within glwSwapBuffers (2.6.15). You can influence the video recording if you specify in the X resource gltools\*mpegParameters the name of an mpeg\_encode parameter file. See the corresponding documentation to learn how to set up such a file. The parameter skip determines how many frames are skipped between the two dumps.

#### 2.6.8 glwStopMPEGRecording

Stop recording of frame data initiated by glwStartMPEGRecording (2.6.7).

#### 2.6.9 glwStartEPSRecording

Start recording of frame data into an EPS file using the eps dump feature. The parameter **skip** determines how many frames are skipped between two dumps. If the file name ends with ".pdf" and ps2pdf is installed on the search path, pdf is recorded, instead.

#### 2.6.10 glwStopEPSRecording

Stop recording of frame data initiated by glwStartEPSRecording (2.6.9).

#### 2.6.11 glwDump

Render data into off screen pixmap of size  $w \times h$  using the redraw function set by glwSetRedrawFunc (2.7.1) and create a ppm file. This code is in beta state. To be able to use this option, one has to create all OpenGL transformation data etc. in the redraw function.

If w < 0 or h < 0, we take the actual size of the window on the screen.

#### 2.6.12 glwShowState

The title bar of a gltools window consists of two parts: the title itself and a status area. This function sets the status part.

#### 2.6.13 glwSetTitle

The title bar of a gltools window consists of two parts: the title itself and a status area. This function sets the title part.

#### 2.6.14 glwQuit

Stop event processing in glwProcess (2.6.3).

#### 2.6.15glwSwapBuffers

```
void
        glwSwapBuffers(
                        glWindow w
                        );
```

Swap buffers in double buffer mode.

#### 2.6.16 glwDebug

```
void glwDebug(void);
```

Toggle debugging output of glwin (which goes to stderr).

#### 2.7**Callbacks**

#### 2.7.1 glwSetRedrawFunc

```
void glwSetRedrawFunc(
                       glWindow w,
                       void (*f)(
                                 glWindow w,
                                 void * user_data
                       );
```

Set user draw function. This function is called when a redraw is needed. Only this function should call OpenGL routines to draw something.

#### 2.7.2 glwSetExposeFunc

```
void glwSetExposeFunc(
                       glWindow w,
                       void (*f)(
                                 glWindow w,
                                 void *user_data,
                                 int width,
                                 int height
                       );
```

Set function to be called after expose event. width and height contain the new size of the window.

#### 2.7.3 glwSetReshapeFunc

```
void glwSetReshapeFunc(
                       glWindow w,
                        void (*f)(
                                  glWindow w,
                                  void *user_data,
                                  int width,
```

```
int height
);
```

Set function to be called after reshape event. width and height contain the new size of the window.

#### 2.7.4 glwSetKeyDownFunc

```
void glwSetKeyDownFunc(
                        glWindow w,
                        GLenum (*f)(
                                    glWindow w,
                                    void *user_data,
                                    int key,
                                    GLenum button_shift_mask
                        );
```

Set function to be called after key press. The key parameter can have the following values:

```
, A ,
#define GLW_A
#define GLW_B
                                   'B'
#define GLW_C
                                   'n,
#define GLW_D
                                   'D'
#define GLW_E
                                   'E'
#define GLW_F
                                   'F'
#define GLW_G
                                   'G'
#define GLW_H
                                   'H'
                                   , <sub>I</sub> ,
#define GLW_I
                                   ı,
#define GLW_J
#define GLW_K
                                   γĸ,
#define GLW_L
                                   'L'
                                   יMי
#define GLW_M
#define GLW_N
                                   ιN,
                                   ,0,
#define GLW_0
#define GLW_P
                                   P'
                                   , Q,
#define GLW_Q
#define GLW_R
                                   'R'
#define GLW_S
                                   'S'
                                   'T'
#define GLW_T
                                   ıΠı
#define GLW_U
#define GLW_V
                                   ,γ,
                                   , M ,
#define GLW_W
                                   ,χ,
#define GLW_X
                                   , γ ,
#define GLW_Y
                                   'Z'
#define GLW_Z
#define GLW_a
                                   'a'
                                   'n,
#define GLW_b
```

#define	GLW_c	'c'
#define	GLW_d	'd'
#define	GLW_e	'e'
#define	GLW_f	'nf,
#define	GLW_g	g'
#define	GLW_h	'h'
#define	GLW_i	'i'
#define	GLW_j	'nj,
#define	GLW_k	'k'
#define	GLW_1	11'
#define	GLW_m	'n,
#define	GLW_n	'n,
#define	GLW_o	'o'
#define	GLW_p	'p'
#define	GLW_q	'q'
#define	GLW_r	'r'
#define	GLW_s	's'
#define	GLW_t	't'
#define	GLW_u	'u'
#define	GLW_v	, v ,
#define	GLW_w	, M
#define	GLW_x	, x ,
#define	GLW_y	у,
#define	GLW_z	,z,
	arr o	
#define		"0"
#define		'1'
#define		'2'
#define		,3,
#define		141
#define	<del>_</del>	'5'
#define	<del>-</del>	'6'
#define	<del>-</del>	777
#define	_	'8'
#define	GTM-8	9,
#define	GLW_space	0x020
#define	GLW_exclam	0x021
#define	GLW_quotedbl	0x022
#define	GLW_numbersign	0x023
#define	GLW_dollar	0x024
#define	GLW_percent	0x025
#define	GLW_ampersand	0x026
#define	<del>-</del>	0x027
#define	GLW_quoteright	0x027
#define	GLW_parenleft	0x028
#define	GLW_parenright	0x029
#define	_	0x02a
#define	<u>-                                    </u>	0x02b
#define	GLW_comma	0x02c

#define	GLW_minus	0x02d
#define	GLW_period	0x02e
#define	GLW_slash	0x02f
#define	GLW_colon	0x03a
#define	${ t GLW\_semicolon}$	0x03b
#define	GLW_less	0x03c
#define	${\tt GLW\_equal}$	0x03d
#define	${ t GLW\_greater}$	0x03e
#define	${ t GLW\_question}$	0x03f
#define	GLW_at	0x040
#define	${ t GLW\_bracketleft}$	0x05b
#define	${ t GLW\_bracketright}$	0x05d
#define	${ t GLW\_asciicircum}$	0x05e
#define	GLW_underscore	0x05f
#define	${\tt GLW\_grave}$	0x060
#define	${ t GLW\_braceleft}$	0x07b
#define	GLW_bar	0x07c
#define	${ t GLW\_braceright}$	0x07d
#define	${ t GLW\_asciitilde}$	0x07e
#define	GLW_Return	$0 \times 0D$
#define	GLW_BackSpace	80x0
#define	GLW_Escape	0x1B
#define	GLW_Left	0xf5
#define	GLW_Up	0xf6
#define	GLW_Right	0xf7
#define	GLW_Down	0xf8
#define	GLW_KP_Enter	0x8D
#define	GLW_KP_Home	0x95
#define	GLW_KP_Left	0x96
#define	GLW_KP_Up	0x97
#define	GLW_KP_Right	0x <b>9</b> 8
#define	GLW_KP_Down	0x99
#define	GLW_KP_Page_Up	0x9A
#define	${\tt GLW\_KP\_Page\_Down}$	0x9B
#define	GLW_KP_End	0x9C
#define	GLW_KP_Begin	0x9D
#define		0x9E
#define	GLW_KP_Delete	0x9F
#define	GLW_KP_Divide	0xAF
#define	GLW_KP_Multiply	0xAA
#define	GLW_KP_Add	0xAB
#define	GLW_KP_Subtract	$0 \times AD$
#define	${\tt GLW\_KP\_Decimal}$	0xAE
#define	GLW_KP_O	0 x B 0
#define	GLW_KP_1	0xB1
#define	GLW_KP_2	0xB2
#define	GLW_KP_3	0xB3
#define	GLW_KP_4	0xB4
#define	GLW_KP_5	0xB5
#define	GLW_KP_6	0xB6

```
#define GLW_KP_7
                                   0xB7
#define GLW_KP_8
                                   0xB8
#define GLW_KP_9
                                   0xB9
#define GLW_F1
                                   0xBE
#define GLW_F2
                                   0xBF
#define GLW_F3
                                   0xC0
#define GLW_F4
                                   0xC1
#define GLW_F5
                                   0xC2
#define GLW_F6
                                   0xC3
#define GLW_F7
                                   0xC4
#define GLW_F8
                                   0xC5
#define GLW_F9
                                   0xC6
#define GLW_F10
                                   0xC7
#define GLW_F11
                                   0xC8
#define GLW_F12
                                   0xC9
D instead of 5
#define GLW_Page_Up
                                   0 \times D5
#define GLW_Page_Down
                                   0 \times D6
#define GLW_Home
                                   0 \times D0
#define GLW_End
                                   0xD7
E instead of 6
#define GLW_Insert
                                   0xE3
#define GLW_Delete
                                   0xFF
#define GLW_Print
                                   0x61
#define GLW_Pause
                                   0x13
#define GLW_Scroll_Lock
                                   0x14
#define GLW_Tab
                                   '\t'
shift_mask can have the following values:
#define GLW_SHIFT
                                  8
#define GLW_CONTROL
                                 16
#define GLW_MOD1
                                 32
#define GLW_LOCK
                                 64
2.7.5 glwSetMouseDownFunc
void glwSetMouseDownFunc(
                           glWindow w,
                          GLenum (*f)(
                                       glWindow w,
                                       void *user_data,
                                       int pos_x,
                                       int pos_y,
                                       GLenum button_shift_mask
                                       )
                           );
```

Set function to be called after pressing a mouse button. pos\_x and pos\_y contain the current mouse position. button\_shift\_mask can have the following parameters:

```
#define GLW_LEFTBUTTON
                                1
#define GLW_RIGHTBUTTON
                                2
#define GLW_MIDDLEBUTTON
2.7.6 glwSetMouseUpFunc
void glwSetMouseUpFunc(
                       glWindow w,
                       GLenum (*f)(
                                   glWindow w,
                                   void *user_data,
                                   int pos_x,
                                   int pos_y,
                                   GLenum button_shift_mask
```

);

Set function to be called after releasing a mouse button. For the meaning of the parameters, see glwSetMouseDownFunc (2.7.5).

#### 2.7.7 glwSetMouseMoveFunc

```
void glwSetMouseMoveFunc(
                          glWindow w,
                          GLenum (*f)(
                                      glWindow w,
                                      void *user_data,
                                      int pos_x,
                                      int pos_y,
                                      GLenum button_shift_mask
                          );
```

Set function to be called after moving the mouse. For the meaning of the parameters, see glwSetMouseDownFunc (2.7.5)

#### **Inquiries** 2.8

#### 2.8.1glwGetTitle

```
char*
           glwGetTitle(
                       glWindow w
                       );
```

### 2.8.2 glwGetWindowSize

```
void glwGetWindowSize(
                      glWindow w,
```

```
int *width,
int *heigth
);
```

#### 2.8.3 glwIsMesa

```
int glwIsMesa(glWindow w);
```

#### 2.9 Text output

OpenGL does not support text output by itself. But it is possible to "load" system bitmap fonts or bitmap fonts and to make them accessible via the display list mechanism. We took here some lines of code from the OpenGL FAQ to access X11 fonts.

#### 2.9.1glwSetFontSize

```
void glwSetFontSize(glWindow w,double size);
```

Set font size to size (measured in multiples of the window height)

#### 2.9.2 glwPrint

```
void glwPrint(
              glWindow w,
              char *s
              );
```

Print string at actual raster position (see glRasterpos stuff in the OpenGL documentation).

#### 2.9.3 glwPrintf

```
void glwPrintf(
                glWindow w,
                char *format,
                );
```

Print formatted string at actual raster position (see glRasterpos stuff in the OpenGL documentation).

#### 2.10 Feedback buffer interface

This is an internal gltools interface to the feedback buffer management of glwin. The main thing one has to remember when parsing feedback buffers is, that currently, glPasstrough with positive values is used to mark strings which are passed to postscript just as strings, not as bitmaps.

```
void glwRenderFB(glWindow w);
```

Render to feedback buffer.

```
void glwResetFB(glWindow w);
Reset feedback buffer.
float *glwGetFB(glWindow w);
Get feedback buffer.
int glwGetFBSize(glWindow w);
Get feedback buffer size.
char *glwGetFBString(glWindow w,int istring);
Get ith string from list.
double glwGetFBStringSize(glWindow w,int istring);
Get font size of ith string;
2.11
        Obsolete functions, maintained for backward com-
       patibility
void glwInitPosition(int x,int y,int w, int h );
void glwSetIdleFunc(glWindow,void (*)(glWindow w, void *user_data));
Set draw procedure and application driven mode
void glwSetDisplayFunc(glWindow,void (*)(glWindow w, void *user_data));
Set draw procedure and event driven mode
2.12
        Things from tk never used and never checked.
GLenum glwSetWindowLevel(glWindow,GLenum);
int glwGetColorMapSize(glWindow w);
void glwGetMouseLoc(glWindow w,int *, int *);
void glwSetOneColor(glWindow w, int, float, float, float);
void glwSetFogRamp(glWindow w,int, int);
void glwSetGreyRamp(glWindow w);
void glwSetRGBMap(glWindow w,int, float *);
void glwSetOverlayMap(glWindow w,int, float *);
Various stuff.
                                 (((x) & GLW_INDEX) == 0)
#define GLW_IS_RGB(x)
#define GLW_IS_INDEX(x)
                                 (((x) & GLW_INDEX) != 0)
                                         (((x) & GLW_DOUBLE) == 0)
#define GLW_IS_SINGLE(x)
#define GLW_IS_DOUBLE(x)
                                         (((x) & GLW_DOUBLE) != 0)
#define GLW_IS_DIRECT(x)
                                         (((x) & GLW_INDIRECT) == 0)
                                 (((x) & GLW_INDIRECT) != 0)
#define GLW_IS_INDIRECT(x)
#define GLW_HAS_ACCUM(x)
                                         (((x) & GLW\_ACCUM) != 0)
```

```
#define GLW_HAS_ALPHA(x)
                                         (((x) & GLW_ALPHA) != 0)
#define GLW HAS DEPTH(x)
                                         (((x) & GLW_DEPTH) != 0)
#define GLW_HAS_OVERLAY(x)
                                 (((x) & GLW_OVERLAY) != 0)
#define GLW_HAS_UNDERLAY(x)
                                 (((x) & GLW\_UNDERLAY) != 0)
#define GLW_HAS_STENCIL(x)
                                 (((x) & GLW\_STENCIL) != 0)
#define GLW_IS_PIXMAP(x)
                               (((x) & GLW_PIXMAP) != 0)
Color Macros
enum {
  GLW_BLACK = 0,
  GLW_RED,
  GLW_GREEN,
  GLW_YELLOW,
  GLW_BLUE,
  GLW_MAGENTA,
  GLW_CYAN,
  GLW_WHITE
};
extern float glwRGBMap[8][3];
#define GLW_SETCOLOR(x, y) (GLW_IS_RGB((x)) ? \
                             glColor3fv(glwRGBMap[(y)]) : glwndexf((y)))
RGB Image Structure
typedef struct _GLW_RGBImageRec {
    GLint sizeX, sizeY;
    unsigned char *data;
} GLW_RGBImageRec;
#endif
```

# 3 glrnd - Rendering Volume Management

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glrnd provides a framework for rendering data in a given rectangular rendering volume and manages all transformations, intersection planes and light sources, so that actual rendering modules do not have to care about this stuff. It is controlled by the keyboard and the mouse.

#### 3.0.1 Keyboard User Interface

The main key to know when working with *glrnd* is the *state control* key. It allows to toggle between application-controlled and user-controlled mode. If the window is in user-controlled state, by pressing the state control key together

with the shift key, you give control back to the application only until the next invocation of glRender().

The following table may be incomplete. You can get the actual keyboard layout by pressing the help-Key.

glrnd key table, \$Revision: 2.72 \$ \$Date: 2001/05/18 10:54:13 \$			
Backspace: Enter user control mode			
tab: toggle state change mode			
Return: Quit user control mode			
SPACE: Mode control			
+: Increase mouse sensitivity.			
;: decrease control parameter.			
-: Decrease mouse sensitivity.			
.: increase control parameter.			
<: Zoom out.			
>: Zoom in.			
?: This help.			
B: Toggle background color (black/white).			
d: Dump actual picture to ppm file (look for *_*.ppm)			
F: Toggle rendering volume frame (bounding box) drawing.			
I: Change number of isolines.			
.: increase control parameter by a factor.			
O: Toggle Ortho			
D: Print actual picture using ppm dump			
R: Reset to internal default.			
S: Save actual state (look for .*-rndstate)			
V: Start/Stop video recording			
a: Switch to GUI			
c: Toggle remembered lists			
g: Toggle Gouraud/flat shading.			
h: This help.			
i: Toggle isoline mode.			
;: decrease control parameter by a factor.			
l: Toggle level surface mode.			
m: Toggle model display when moving.			
p: Dump actual picture to eps file (look for *-*.eps)			
q: Mode control (Quit)			
r: Restore last saved state.			
v: Toggle vscale for plane sections			
w: toggle wireframe mode			
x: Show x orthogonal plane section.			
y: Show y orthogonal plane section.			
z: Show z orthogonal plane section.			
prev: toggle state change mode			
next: toggle state change mode			
left:move left			
up:move up			
right:move right			
down:move down			
Backspace: Enter user control mode			
Decopace. Direct and control mode			

#### 3.0.2 Mouse interface

All actions can be performed with the left mouse button pressed down. Which action is performed depends on the state change mode. One can cycle through the state change mode using the next/prev keyboard keys. Wich state change mode is active, is shown in the window title.

Selected state change modes are bound to other mouse buttons and the combination of the shift key and a mouse button. Again, the information which mode is active when pressing a button is given in the window title.

#### 3.0.3 Graphical User Interface

When the MOTIF option is active during installation, a graphical user interface can be used with glrnd. See the documentation of glgui.

#### 3.1 Imported packages

```
#ifndef GLRND_H
#define GLRND_H
#include "glwin.h"
```

#### 3.2 Data Types

#### 3.2.1 glRenderer

```
typedef struct glRendererStruct *glRenderer;
```

Hidden Data type which contains rendering data.

#### 3.2.2 glrApplicationOption

```
#define GLR_MAX_APPLICATION_OPTIONS 10
typedef struct
{
  char key[32];
  int val;
} glrApplicationOption;
```

#### 3.2.3 glRendererState

```
#define GLR_MAX_OBJECTS 9

#define GLR_DIR_X 0
#define GLR_DIR_Y 1
#define GLR_DIR_Z 2

typedef struct glRendererStateStruct
{
   double rotx; /* rotation around x axis */
   double roty; /* rotation around y axis */
   double rotz; /* rotation around z axis */
   double tranx; /* translation in x direction */
```

```
double trany; /* translation in y direction */
  double tranz; /* translation in z direction */
  double vscale; /* value scale [0.0-1.0] */
  double zoom; /* zoom factor */
  double ctrl_prm;
                      /* control parameter for color scale */
                       /* control parameter for color scale */
  double ctrl_fac;
  int wireframe; /* show data as wire frame */
  int show_frame; /* show frame */
                      /*switch on rendering when moving */
  int move_model;
  double asp;
  int gouraud_shading; /* use gouraud shading */
  double sensitivity; /* mouse sensitivity */
                        /* background color black */
  int bg_black;
  double ltx;
                        /* light position */
  double lty;
                        /* light position */
  double ltz;
                        /* light position */
                        /* depending on direction, between *min and *max */
  double plane_d[3];
                         /* scale factors for rendering volumes*/
  double scale[3];
  int plane_dir;
                         /* plane direction (x orth/y orth z orth)*/
                        /* show isolevel surfaces */
  int level_surf;
  double level;
                         /* isolevel (between fmin and fmax)*/
  int ortho;
                         /* orthogonal projection */
                              /* what has been changed last */
  int what_done;
  double isoline_distance; /* distance between isolines - obsolete*/
                             /* show isolines */
  int isoline_mode;
  int show_object[GLR_MAX_OBJECTS+1];
                                                /* show remembered object list */
  double min[3],max[3];
                                  /* renderer volume; read only! */
  double fmin, fmax;
                             /* min,max of current function */
  int transparency;
  int spacedim;
  int show_info;
  glrApplicationOption options[GLR_MAX_APPLICATION_OPTIONS];
  int noptions;
} *glRendererState;
This public structure is desinged to hold all state data which are necessary for
the interaction with the renderer.
#define GLR_ROTATE
#define GLR_TRANSLATE 2
#define GLR_LIGHT
#define GLR_ISOLEVEL
#define GLR PLANE
#define GLR_INPLANE
#define GLR_PLANE_ASPECT
#define GLR_INPLANE_ASPECT
#define GLR_N_DO
this are the possible values for what done
```

#### 3.3 Constructors and Destructors

#### 3.3.1 glrCreate

Create renderer. It also calls glwin to create a window with corresponding data.

```
3.3.2 glrDestroy
```

Destroy renderer (and corresponding window).

#### 3.4 Setting/Getting Data

#### 3.4.1 glrSetTitle

Set title.

#### 3.4.2 glrReset

Reset to default all rotations etc.

#### 3.4.3 glrSetVolume

Define rendering volume. Everything drawn by the user function has to be placed within this volume to be visible.

#### 3.4.4 glrSetUserInfo

Set user information to be printed in the cooresponding field of the renderer.

#### 3.4.5 void glrGetPoint

get intersection point of main planes

### 3.4.6 void glrGetPlane

#### 3.4.7 void glrSetPlane

Get/set data of intersection plane for 3D plane sections: the plane is defined by the equation

$$ax + by + cz + d = 0$$

in the three-dimensional space.

#### 3.4.8 glrXSetPlane

Alternative way to set intersection plane data: dir denotes the direction (0 = x, 1=y, 2=z) the plane should be orthogonal to, and val denotes the distance from zero.

#### 3.4.9 glrSetAxisName

Set title.

#### 3.4.10 glrSetAxisTics

```
void glrSetAxisTics(glRenderer rnd, char dir, int ntics, double *tics);
Set axis tics;
```

3.4.11 glrArrowList

```
int glrArrowList(glRenderer rnd);
```

#### 3.5 Callbacks and Event Processing

#### 3.5.1 glrDrawCallback

Callback function for drawing data.

#### 3.5.2 glRender

void \*info);
Render data with given callback function.

# 3.5.3 glrSetSecondaryCallback

```
void glrSetSecondaryCallback(glRenderer rnd,glrDrawCallback scb);
```

The user can call a secondary callback which e.g. calls a slave renderer.

glrDrawCallback f,

#### 3.5.4 glrSetInfoCallback

```
void glrSetInfoCallback(glRenderer rnd,glrDrawCallback info);
```

The user can draw information into the upper and right info areas.

#### 3.5.5 glrDefaultInfoCallback

```
void glrDefaultInfoCallback(glRenderer rnd, void * thrash);
```

This is the default info callback, a user info callback can call this.

#### 3.5.6 glrSetDataValid

Tell renderer that all display lists it had compiled are still valid (for dumping and interaction with the GUI).

#### 3.5.7 glrShowModel

```
void glrShowModel(glRenderer rnd,int ishow);
```

Tell renderer that it should not draw the model. This function can be used by the gui code. On slow displays this may make sense.

#### 3.6 State file management

#### 3.6.1 glrSaveState

```
void glrSaveState(glRenderer rnd, char *filename);
```

Save actual transformation state using a state file. A default filename is generated when the second parameter is zero.

#### 3.6.2 glrRestoreState

```
void glrRestoreState(glRenderer rnd,char *filename);
```

Restore actual transformation state using a state file. A default filename is generated when the second parameter is zero.

#### 3.6.3 glrSetStateFileNameStub

```
void glrSetStateFileNameStub(glRenderer rnd, char *name);
```

# 3.7 Key actions

#### 3.7.1 glrKeyAction

### 3.7.2 glrRegisterKeyAction

Register key action callback routine

#### 3.7.3 glrDumpHelpFile

```
void glrDumpHelpFile(glRenderer rnd);
```

Create help info for keys in LaTeX format

### 3.8 Frame dump

### 3.8.1 glrSetDumpFileNameStub

Set file name stub for data dump. Subsequent dumps get the corresponding number in the file name. The default name stub is derived from the title.

#### 3.8.2 glrSetDumpPixmapSize

Set size of dump pixmap.

#### 3.8.3 glrDumpNext

Dump data when invoking glRender next time.

# 3.9 Graphical User Interface

#### 3.9.1 glrGUI

```
typedef void (*glrGUI)(glRenderer rnd);
```

#### 3.9.2 glrSetGUI

```
void glrSetGUI(glrGUI gui);
```

Bring up a graphical user interface. It should interact with the renderer via the state structure glRendererState (3.2.3) and the glrSetDataValid (3.5.6) call.

#### 3.9.3 glrGetRendererState

```
glRendererState glrGetRendererState(glRenderer rnd);
```

#### 3.9.4 glrGetWindow

```
glWindow glrGetWindow(glRenderer rnd);
```

#### 3.9.5 glrGetInfo

```
void *glrGetInfo(glRenderer rnd);
```

#### 3.10 Application options

Application options could be set using a keyboard callback. Alternatively, a pulldown menu in the GUI is defined which contains all the application options. They should be used to interactively influence user data which are application specific.

#### 3.10.1 glrSetApplicationOption

```
void glrSetApplicationOption(glRenderer rnd,char *key, int val);
```

#### 3.10.2 glrGetApplicationOption

```
int glrGetApplicationOption(glRenderer rnd, char *key);
```

#### 3.11 Obsolete functions

These functions are considered to be obsolete. They are still maintained for backward compatibility.

```
void glrSetFlatshading(glRenderer rnd, int flat);
void glrGetFlatshading(glRenderer rnd,int *flat);

void glrGetVScale(glRenderer rnd,double* vscale);
void glrSetVScale(glRenderer rnd, double vscale);

void glrGetWireframe(glRenderer rnd, int *wireframe);
```

```
void glrGetLevelSurface(glRenderer rnd, int* mode);
void glrSetLevelSurface(glRenderer rnd,int mode);
void glrGetLevel(glRenderer rnd, double* lev);
void glrSetLevel(glRenderer rnd, double lev);
void glrGetIsolineMode(glRenderer rnd, int* mode);
void glrSetIsolineMode(glRenderer rnd,int mode);
void glrMoveWireframe(glRenderer rnd);
void glrMoveFrame(glRenderer rnd);
void glrMoveModel(glRenderer rnd);
void glrGetDialog(glRenderer rnd, int* dialog);
void glrSetDialog(glRenderer,int dialog);
typedef void (*glrDrawCallback2)(
                                 glRenderer rnd,
                                 void *data1.
                                 void *data2
                                 );
void glRender2(glRenderer rnd, glrDrawCallback2 f,
               void *data1,void *data2);
int glrLoadFont(glRenderer rnd, int font_number, char *fontName);
void glrSelectFont(glRenderer rnd, int font_number);
void glrSetFontSize(glRenderer rnd, double font_size);
void glrPrint(glRenderer rnd, char *text);
void glrPrintf(glRenderer rnd, char *format, ...);
#endif
```

# 4 glmesh - Function Drawing on Simplex Meshes

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glmesh contains rendering routines for triangular and tetrahedreal meshes based on callback functions invoking loops over simplices of a mesh in a data structure given by the user. No extra data structure has to be generated. Sure, this causes performance drawbacks, but instead the user gains great flexibility in using this interface on his/her data structures.

glmesh manages plane sections and level sets for 3D tetrahedral meshes. The basic principle is a double callback mechanism - a loop callback function gets user data and a simplex callback function as parameter which has to be fed with number, node numbers and coordinates of a simplex.

# 4.1 Imported packages

```
#ifndef GLMESH_H
#define GLMESH_H
#include "glrnd.h"
```

#### 4.2 Data Types

#### 4.2.1 glMeshStruct

```
typedef struct glMeshStruct *glMesh;
```

This structure contains all necessary mesh data and is hidden from the user. subsection:Constructors and Destructors

#### 4.2.2 glmSimplexCallback

```
typedef void (*glmSimplexCallback)
   (
     glMesh m,
     int number_of_this_simplex,
     int material_of_this_simplex,
     double *function_defined_on_this_this_simplex,
     int *index_in_funtion_on_this_simplex,
     double **coordinates_of_the_nodes
    );
```

#### 4.2.3 glmLoopCallback

```
typedef void (*glmLoopCallback)
    (
      glMesh m,
     void *user_data,
      glmSimplexCallback call_this_on_every_simplex
    );
```

#### 4.2.4 glmCreate

Generate an instance of glMesh. This is cheap.

```
4.2.5 glmDestroy
void glmDestroy(
                glMesh m
                 );
Destroy an instance of glMesh.
4.3
      Setting Data
4.3.1 glmSetFunction
void glmSetFunction(
                     glMesh m,
                     double *f,
                     double min,
                     double max
Set piecewise linear function to plot, its minimum and its maximum. If min >
max, they are automatically calculated.
double *glmGetNodeFunc(glMesh m);
void *glmGetUserData(glMesh m);
4.3.2 glmSetFunction
void glmSetCellFlux(glMesh m, double *values, double min, double max);
Set piecewise constant flux to plot
4.3.3 glmSetVoffset
void glmSetVoffset(
                    glMesh m,
                    int voffset
                    );
Set vector offset (0 or 1)
4.3.4 glmColorCallback
typedef float* (*glmColorCallback)
      glMesh m,
      double fval,
      float *rgb
      );
```

#### 4.3.5 glmSetColorCallback

Set color calculation function. glmRBColor is the default value.

#### 4.3.6 glmMaterialColorCallback

#### 4.3.7 glmSetMaterialColorCallback

Set material color calculation function. glmDefaultMaterialColor is the default value.

#### 4.3.8 glmDrawInfo

```
void glmDrawInfo(glRenderer rnd, glMesh m);
```

Info call back for mesh data.

#### 4.4 Invocation

#### 4.4.1 glmDraw

The glmesh draw routines are invoked using glmDraw as a callback for glRender.

#endif

# 5 gleps - Encapsulated Postscript Dump

```
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```

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This module provides the possibility to dump rendered graphics into vector postscript files using the feedback buffer rendering mechanism of OpenGL. It is in a beta state and possibly will remain there because it is not that easy to map all the OpenGL functionality to Postscript. It should reasonably well render graphics which remains in the limits of the OpenGL features used by the other gltools parts.

This code would not exist if Mark Kilgard wouldn't have placed his rendereps sample code onto the net, and if there would not exist Frederic Delhoume's free gouraudtriangle postscript code. From Mark's code, handling of lines and polygons has been taken. String handling is new.

#### 5.0.1 glepsDumpUnSorted

```
void glepsDumpUnSorted(glWindow w, FILE *file,int crop);
```

Create vector postscript dump using the feedback buffer mechanism, but without hidden surface removal. The crop flag is used to decide whether to crop ps output to the actually drawn area or not.

#### 5.0.2 glepsDumpSorted

```
void glepsDumpSorted(glWindow w, FILE *file, int crop);
```

Create vector postscript dump using the feedback buffer mechanism, with hidden surface removal based on sorting the feedback buffer before the dump. The crop flag is used to decide whether to crop ps output to the actually drawn area or not.

#### 5.0.3 glepsSetOutputFormat

```
void glepsSetOutputFormat(char * coord_fmt, char *color_fmt);
```

Set the output format for floating point numbers (different for coordinates and colors) in the postscript file. (The more accurate the format, the longer the file...). There have to be a trailing spaces both formats.

```
void glepsEmitHeader(glWindow w, FILE *file);
void glepsEmitTrailer(glWindow w, FILE *file, int npages);
void glepsGrabEPSFrame(glWindow w, FILE *file, int npage);
```