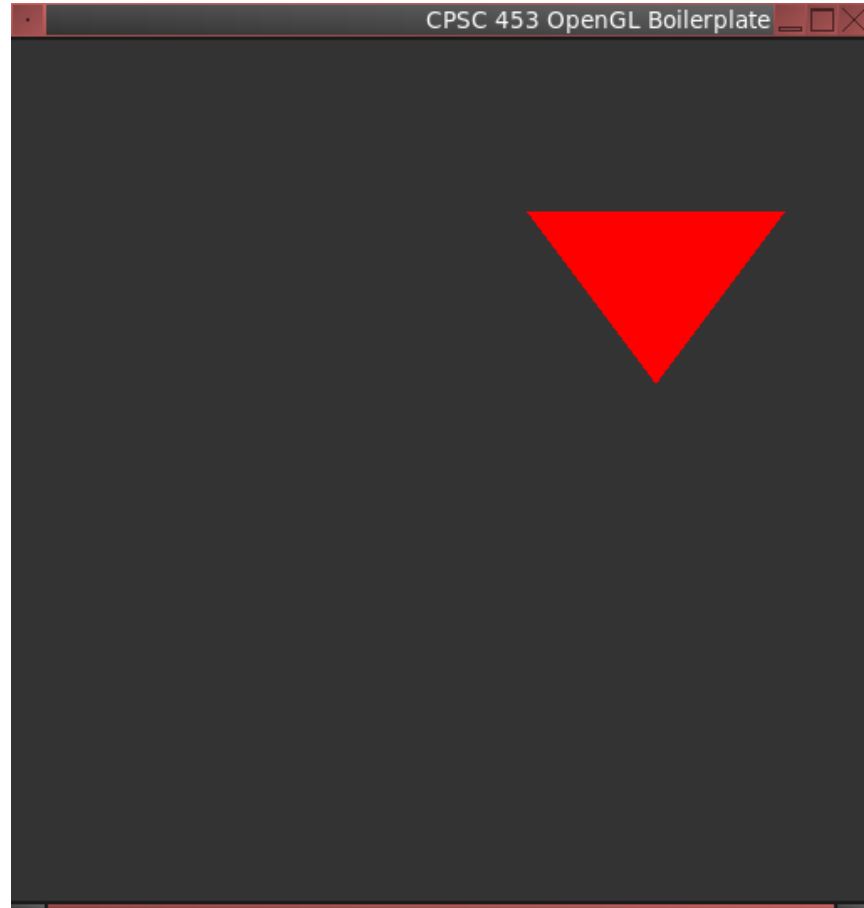




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GLFW and Code Walkthrough



- **Includes**
- **Initialization**
- **Callbacks**
- **Contexts/Windows**
- **Shader Programs**
- **Geometry**
- **Display Loop**
- **Cleanup**

```
#define GLFW_INCLUDE_GLCOREARB      // modern header

#define GL_GLEXT_PROTOTYPES        // add extension
                                   // prototypes

#include <GLFW/glfw3.h>              // GLFW
```

GLFW

GLFW is an Open Source, multi-platform library for OpenGL, OpenGL ES and Vulkan development on the desktop. It provides a simple API for creating windows, contexts and surfaces, receiving input and events.

GLFW is written in C and has native support for Windows, macOS and many Unix-like systems using the X Window System, such as Linux and FreeBSD.

GLFW is licensed under the [zlib/libpng license](#).



Gives you a window and OpenGL context with just two function calls



Support for OpenGL, OpenGL ES, Vulkan and related options, flags and extensions



Support for multiple windows, multiple monitors, high-DPI and gamma ramps



Support for keyboard, mouse, gamepad, time and window event input, via polling or callbacks

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- OpenGL library doesn't provide functions, but **pointers to functions**
- Tremendous flexibility
- Nightmare to handle manually
- Ideally, convert back to functions

https://www.khronos.org/opengl/wiki/Load_OpenGL_Functions


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#include <stdio.h>  
  
void myError(int i) {  
    printf("ERROR: %d\n", i);  
}  
  
void doSomething( void(*callOnError)(int) ) {  
    int error = 1;  
    if ( error > 0 )  
        callOnError( error );  
}  
  
int main( int argc, char** argv ) {  
    doSomething( myError );  
    return 0;  
}
```

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```
Point a, b;                // C++ you write  
  
C = a.distance( b );
```

```
struct __Point a, b;    // approximate generated C code  
  
__Point_distance_CXX324( b, &a );
```

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// Solution 1: Static functions

```
static void Point::myError(int i) {  
    cout << "ERROR: " << i << endl;  
}  
  
doSomething( Point::myError );
```

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// Solution 2: std::function, std::placeholders, and std::bind

```
void Class::doSomething( std::function<void(int)> callOnError ) {
```

```
    // ...
    if ( error > 0 )
        callOnError( error );
    // ...
}
```

```
void Point::myError( int i ) { cout << "ERROR: " << i << endl; }
```

```
Point a; Class c;
```

```
c.doSomething( std::bind( &Point::myError, &a, std::placeholders::_1 ) );
```

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// Solution 3: lambda functions

```
doSomething( [](int i){  
    cout << "ERROR: " << i << endl;  
} );
```

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Lambda expressions (since C++11)

Constructs a [closure](#): an unnamed function object capable of capturing variables in scope.

Syntax

```
[ captures ] <tparams>(optional)(c++20) ( params ) specifiers(optional) exception attr -> ret { body } (1)
```

```
[ captures ] ( params ) -> ret { body } (2)
```

```
[ captures ] ( params ) { body } (3)
```

```
[ captures ] { body } (4)
```

- 1) Full declaration.
- 2) Declaration of a const lambda: the objects captured by copy cannot be modified.
- 3) Omitted trailing-return-type: the return type of the closure's operator() is determined according to the following rules:

- if the *body* consists of nothing but a single `return` statement with an expression, the return type is the type of the returned expression (after [lvalue-to-rvalue](#), [array-to-pointer](#), or [function-to-pointer implicit conversion](#)); (until C++14)
- otherwise, the return type is `void`.

The return type is [deduced](#) from `return` statements as if for a function whose [return type is declared auto](#). (since C++14)

- 4) Omitted parameter list: function takes no arguments, as if the parameter list was `()`. This form can only be used if none of `constexpr`, `mutable`, exception specification, attributes, or trailing return type is used.

```
#include <iostream>

auto make_function(int& x) {
    return [&]{ std::cout << x << '\n'; };
}

int main() {
    int i = 3;
    auto f = make_function(i); // the use of x in f binds directly to i
    i = 5;
    f(); // OK; prints 5
}
```

<http://en.cppreference.com/w/cpp/language/lambda>


```
glfwSetErrorCallback(  
    [] (int error, const char* description) {  
        cout << "GLFW ERROR " << error << ":" << endl;  
        cout << description << endl;  
    }  
);
```

Key input

If you wish to be notified when a physical key is pressed or released or when it repeats, set a key callback.

```
glfwSetKeyCallback(window, key_callback);
```

The callback function receives the **keyboard key**, platform-specific scancode, key action and **modifier bits**.

```
void key_callback(GLFWwindow* window, int key, int scancode, int action, int mods)
{
    if (key == GLFW_KEY_E && action == GLFW_PRESS)
        activate_airship();
}
```

The action is one of `GLFW_PRESS`, `GLFW_REPEAT` or `GLFW_RELEASE`. The key will be `GLFW_KEY_UNKNOWN` if GLFW lacks a key token for it, for example *E-mail* and *Play* keys.

The scancode is unique for every key, regardless of whether it has a key token. Scancodes are platform-specific but consistent over time, so keys will have different scancodes depending on the platform but they are safe to save to disk.

```
glfwWindow *window = 0;  
  
glfwWindowHint(GLFW_CONTEXT_VERSION_MAJOR, 4);  
glfwWindowHint(GLFW_CONTEXT_VERSION_MINOR, 1);  
glfwWindowHint(GLFW_OPENGL_FORWARD_COMPAT, GL_TRUE);  
glfwWindowHint(GLFW_OPENGL_PROFILE, GLFW_OPENGL_CORE_PROFILE);  
  
window = glfwCreateWindow(512, 512,  
    "CPSC 453 OpenGL Boilerplate", 0, 0);
```

http://www.glfw.org/docs/latest/window_guide.html

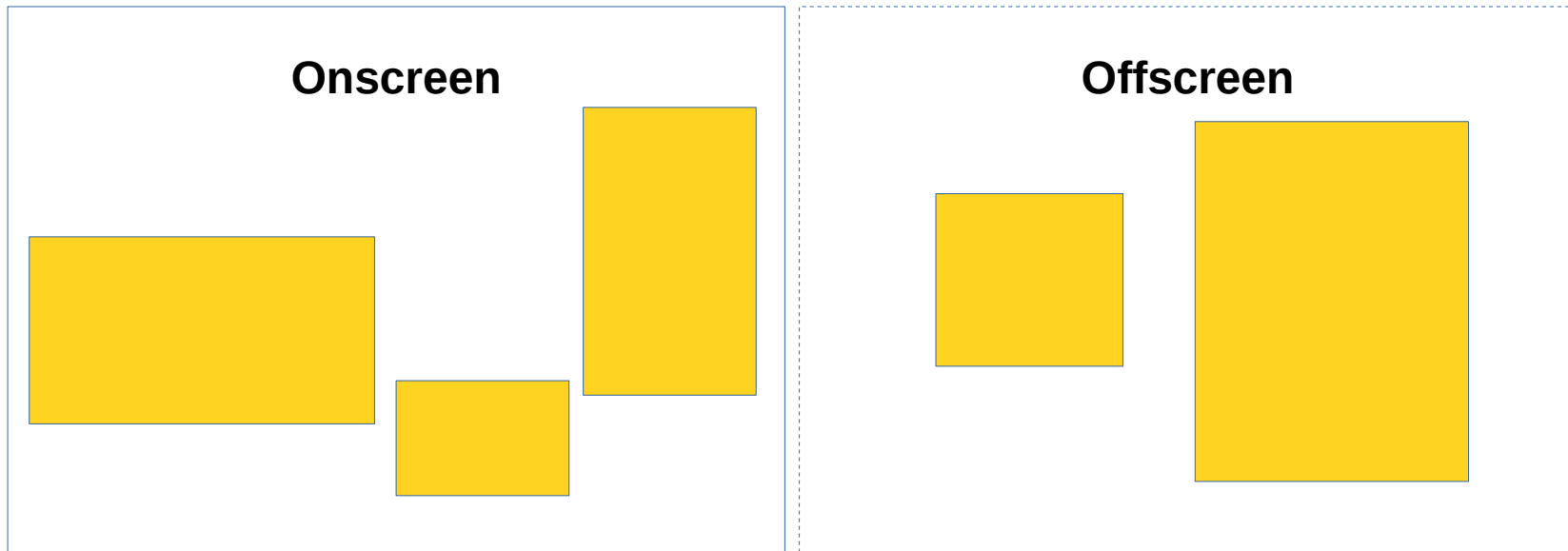
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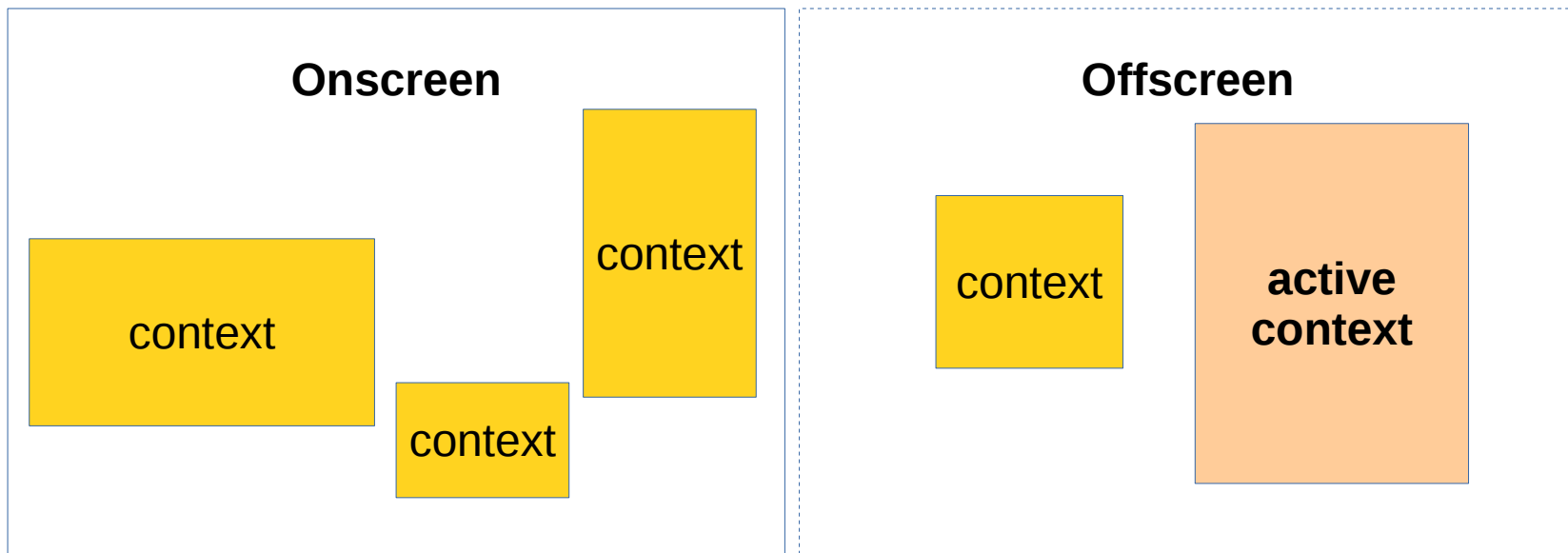
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```
void init(string vertex_path, string fragment_path) {  
  
    // Programs = grouping of shaders  
    id=glCreateProgram();  
  
    // Give the shader programming code to the graphics driver  
    vertex_shader      = addShader(vertex_path, GL_VERTEX_SHADER);  
    fragment_shader    = addShader(fragment_path, GL_FRAGMENT_SHADER);  
  
    // If the shader code compiles, associate it with a program  
    if(vertex_shader) glAttachShader(id, vertex_shader);  
    if(fragment_shader) glAttachShader(id, fragment_shader);  
  
    // Finally, glue the program code together  
    glLinkProgram(id);  
}
```



```
// Give the shader programming code to the graphics driver
GLuint addShader(string path, GLuint type) {

    /* ... read a text file into "buffer_array" ... */

    // Create a new shader of the given type
    GLuint shader = glCreateShader(type);

    // Compile the shader program
    glShaderSource(shader, 1, buffer_array, 0);
    glCompileShader(shader);

    // Check the results
    GLint status;
    glGetShaderiv(shader, GL_COMPILE_STATUS, &status);
    if (status == GL_FALSE) { /* ... ERROR!!! ... */ }

    // Give back the ID associated with the shader
    return shader;
}
```

```
// Vertex shader
#version 410

layout(location = 0) in vec2 position; // Define the incoming vertex position

void main() {                                // ... then just copy it over :(
    gl_Position = vec4(position, 0.0, 1.0);
}
```

```
// Fragment shader
#version 410

out vec4 FragmentColour;    // Define our outgoing colour

void main() {               // ... then just write red
    FragmentColour = vec4(1,0,0,1);
}
```

```
// Create a vertex buffer object for OpenGL  
VertexArray va(3);  
va.addBuffer("v", 0,  
    vector<float> { 0.5, 0.2, 0.2, 0.6, 0.8, 0.6 }));
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/*
class VertexArray {
    std::map<string, GLuint> buffers;
    std::map<string, int> indices;
public:
    GLuint id;
    unsigned int count;

    VertexArray(int c) {
        glGenVertexArrays(1, &id);    // generate the array
        count = c;
    }

    ... */
```

// ACTUALLY create a vertex buffer object

```
void addBuffer(string name, int index, vector<float> buffer) {  
    GLuint buffer_id;  
    glBindVertexArray(id);          // tell OpenGL which VA we're using  
  
    glGenBuffers(1, &buffer_id); // and which buffer associated with the VA  
    glBindBuffer(GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, buffer_id);  
    glBufferData(GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, buffer.size() * sizeof(float),  
                 buffer.data(), GL_STATIC_DRAW);          // transfer over static data  
  
    buffers[name] = buffer_id;      // store the Ids locally  
    indices[name] = index;  
  
    int components = buffer.size() / count; // tell OGL how it's formatted  
    glVertexAttribPointer(index, components, GL_FLOAT, GL_FALSE, 0, 0);  
    glEnableVertexAttribArray(index);  
  
    // unset states  
    glBindBuffer(GL_ARRAY_BUFFER, 0);  
    glBindVertexArray(0);  
}
```

```
while (!glfwWindowShouldClose(window)) {  
  
    render(p, va);           // the only non-trivial routine  
  
    glfwSwapBuffers(window);  
  
    glfwPollEvents();  
}
```

```
void render(Program &program, VertexArray &va) {  
  
    glClearColor(0.2f, 0.2f, 0.2f, 1.0f);    // clear buffer  
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT);  
  
    glUseProgram(program.id);                // bind program  
    glBindVertexArray(va.id);                // and V.A.  
    glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLES, 0, va.count);  
  
    glBindVertexArray(0);                    // unbind, in reverse  
order  
    glUseProgram(0);  
  
}
```



```
glfwDestroyWindow(window);  
glfwTerminate();
```

```
// void glDeleteBuffers( GLsizei n, const GLuint * buffers );  
  
glfwDestroyWindow(window);  
glfwTerminate();
```

GLM

OpenGL Mathematics (GLM) is a C++ mathematics library for graphics software based on the OpenGL Shading Language (GLSL) specification.

GLM provides classes and functions designed and implemented with the same naming conventions and functionalities than GLSL so that when a programmer knows GLSL, he knows GLM as well which makes it really easy to use.

<https://glm.g-truc.net/0.9.2/api/index.html>