

Assignment - 5 (As)

Problem definition:

Write a C++ program to draw a 4x4 chessboard rotated 45° with the horizontal axes. Use Bresenham's algorithm to draw all lines. Use seed fill algorithm to draw ~~all~~ lines fill the squares of the chessboard.

Objective: To be able to draw a chessboard & apply transformation to it.
Learn seed fill algorithm.

Outcomes: Will be able to implement various transformations and be able to fill any polygon.

H/w & s/w requirements:

- 64 bit OS
- 64 bit compiler

Theory: Seed filling algorithms are those that use a point inside polygon to fill.

- Seed filling algorithms can be classified into

- Flood fill
- Boundary fill

To detect if a point lies inside a polygon, we have inside checking algorithms/

- tests such as even-odd test

- 1) Flood-fill - In this algorithm, we start filling from a point inside the polygon.
- If the ~~point~~ pixel colour matches the background colour, we fill with fill colour else we don't.
 - This is a recursive algorithm. Once the current pixel is filled, its neighbours are checked & filled.

2) Boundary fill :

- If the pixel we want to fill, has the same colour as boundary, we skip it else we fill it.
- If a pixel is filled, we try to fill its neighbours.

Advantages :

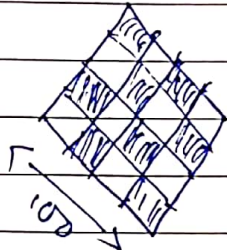
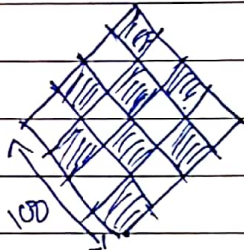
- Algorithms of seed filling are simple.
- Take very few lines of code.
- Easy to implement due to recursive definition.

Disadvantages:

- Point inside polygon must be known.
- Recursion may cause stack overflow.
- If using boundary fill, boundary colour must be known.
- Multi-colour boundary fill is difficult.

and complicated to implement.

Test cases :

Input	expected op	actual op	result.
side of square board 100			pass

Conclusion :

Thus, using transformations and seed filling algorithm, we were able to draw a rotated chessboard & fill it.