

CS 248, Winter 2012

OpenGL Fundamentals

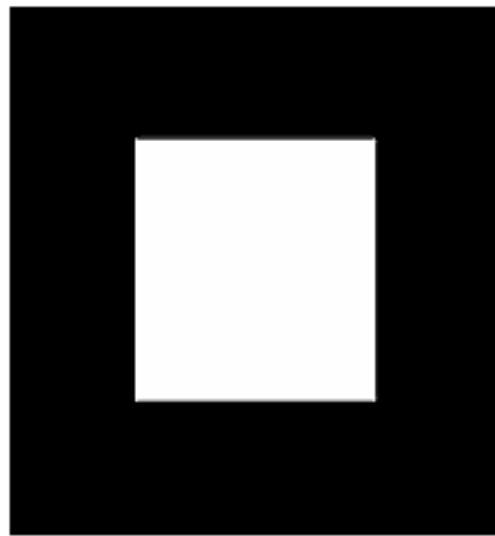
Introduction

- OpenGL - draw primitives
- Procedural
- State machine
- Pipelined

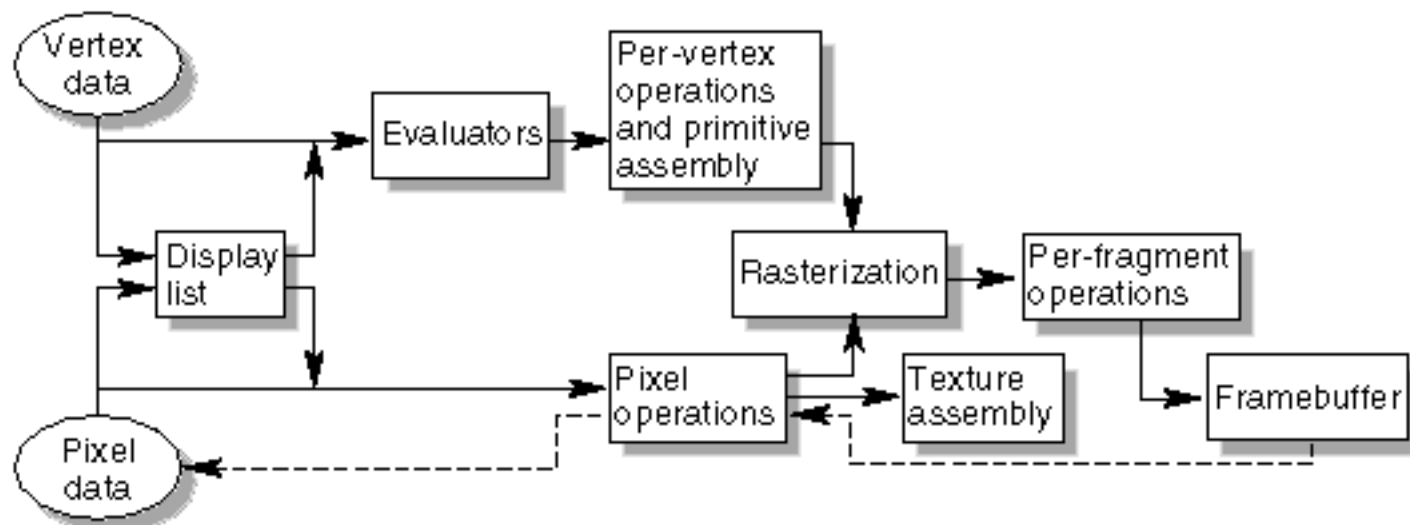
OpenGL code

```
int main() {  
  
    InitializeWindow();  
  
    glClearColor (0.0, 0.0, 0.0, 1.0);  
    glClear (GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT);  
    glColor3f (1.0, 1.0, 1.0);  
    glOrtho(0.0, 1.0, 0.0, 1.0, -1.0, 1.0);  
    glBegin(GL_POLYGON);  
        glVertex3f (0.25, 0.25, 0.0);  
        glVertex3f (0.75, 0.25, 0.0);  
        glVertex3f (0.75, 0.75, 0.0);  
        glVertex3f (0.25, 0.75, 0.0);  
    glEnd();  
    glFlush();  
    UpdateTheWindowAndCheckForEvents();  
}
```

OpenGL code



OpenGL pipeline



<http://glprogramming.com/red/chapter01.html>

Drawing Primitives

- `glBegin(Glenum mode)`
 - Beginning of a group of primitives
 - *mode*: `GL_TRIANGLES`, `GL_QUADS`, etc
- `glVertex3f(GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z)`
 - Draw one vertex; must be after `glBegin()`!
- `glEnd()`
 - End of a group of primitives

Drawing Primitives

- `glColor3f(GLbyte red, GLbyte blue, GLbyte green)`
 - Set the color for vertices drawn after the call
- `glNormal3f(GLfloat nx, GLfloat ny, GLfloat nz)`
 - Set the normal vector
- `glTexCoord2f(GLfloat s, GLfloat v)`
 - Set the texture coordinates

Transformations

- `glMatrixMode(GLenum mode)`
 - Sets the current matrix
 - *mode*: `GL_MODELVIEW`, `GL_PROJECTION`
- `glLoadIdentity()`
 - Loads the identity matrix into the current matrix
- `glLoadMatrixf(GLfloat *matrix)`
 - Loads an arbitrary matrix
 - *matrix*: An array of values in column-major form; elements from same column are contiguous
- `glGetFloatv(GL_MODELVIEW_MATRIX, matrix)`
- `glGetFloatv(GL_PROJECTION_MATRIX, matrix)`

Transformations

- `glMultMatrixf(GLfloat *matrix)`
 - Multiplies an arbitrary matrix with the current matrix
- `glTranslatef(GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z)`
 - Multiplies the current matrix by a translation matrix
- `glRotatef(GLfloat angle, GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z)`
 - Multiplies the current matrix by a rotation matrix
 - *x*, *y*, *z*: Vector to rotate around
 - *angle*: How much to rotate, in degrees
- `glScalef(GLfloat x, GLfloat y, GLfloat z)`
 - Scales along the *x*, *y*, and *z* axis

Transformations

- `glFrustum(GLfloat left, GLfloat right,
 GLfloat bottom, GLfloat top, GLfloat near,
 GLfloat far)`
 - Multiplies the current matrix by a perspective matrix (more detail in next session)
 - Parameters set up a viewing frustum (clipped pyramid) representing the visible space
- `glOrtho(GLfloat left, GLfloat right,
 GLfloat bottom, GLfloat top, GLfloat near,
 GLfloat far)`
 - Similar to `glFrustum()`, but sets up an orthographic projection instead

Matrix Stack

- `glPushMatrix()`
 - Pushes a copy of the current matrix down on the matrix stack
 - There is one matrix stack per mode; `GL_PROJECTION` and `GL_MODELVIEW` each have their own stack
- `glPopMatrix()`
 - Replaces the current matrix with the top of the stack, and then pops the stack

Lighting

- `glEnable(GL_LIGHTING)`
 - Enable lighting
- `glEnable(GL_LIGHTX)`
 - Enable light X
- `glLightfv(GL_LIGHTo, GL_AMBIENT, GLfloat *params)`
- `glLightfv(GL_LIGHTo, GL_SPECULAR, GLfloat *params)`
- `glLightfv(GL_LIGHTo, GL_DIFFUSE, GLfloat *params)`
 - Sets the ambient, diffuse, specular light for light #o
 - *params*: 4-vector: [red, green, blue, alpha]

Lighting

- `glLightfv(GL_LIGHT0, GL_POSITION, GLfloat *params)`
 - Sets the light position or direction
 - *params*: 4-vector: [x, y, z, point?]; if last argument is non-zero then the light is a point light
- `glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT, GL_AMBIENT, GLfloat *params)`
- `glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT, GL_SPECULAR, GLfloat *param)`
- `glMaterialfv(GL_FRONT, GL_DIFFUSE, GLfloat *params)`
 - Sets the ambient, diffuse, and specular material colors
 - *params*: 4-vector: [red, blue, green, alpha]
- `glMaterialf(GL_FRONT, GL_SHININESS, GLfloat param)`
 - Sets the hardness/shininess (size of specular highlights)

Other

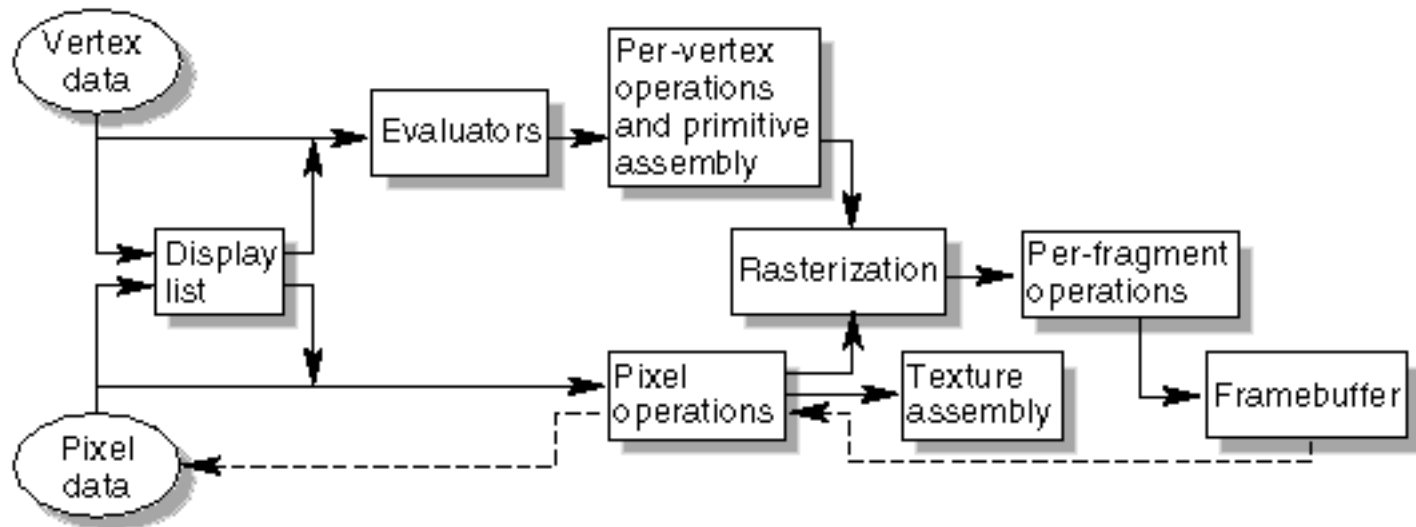
- `glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT | GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT)`
 - Must call at the beginning of each frame
- `glEnable(GL_DEPTH_TEST)`
 - Enable depth-testing using depth buffer

Other

- These functions let you draw from arrays, rather than using glColor, glVertex, etc.
 - glEnableClientState(GL_VERTEX_ARRAY)
 - glEnableClientState(GL_NORMAL_ARRAY)
 - glEnableClientState(GL_COLOR_ARRAY)
 - glVertexPointer()
 - glNormalPointer()
 - glColorPointer()
 - glDrawArrays()

Programmable pipeline

- Programmable pipeline
- Shaders for per vertex, per pixel operations



Libraries

- GLU
- GLUT - OpenGL Utility Toolkit
(glutCreateWindow, etc.)