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3D Basic & OpenGLES 2.0

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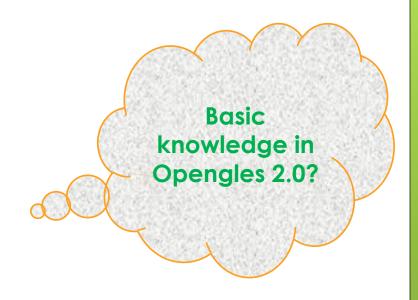
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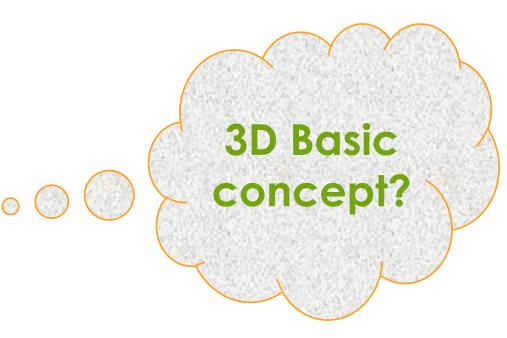
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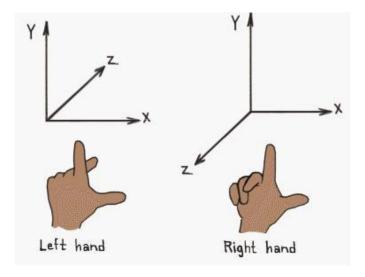
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- 3D Coordinates
- Vertex
- Edge
- Triangle & Quad
- Normal vector
- Pixel
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- Parallel & perspective projections
- Bonus: Color channel



Introduction: 3D Coordinates

- The right handed coordinate system is used by OpenGL
- The left handed coordinate system is used by DirectX



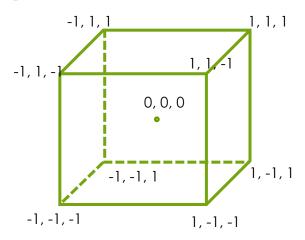
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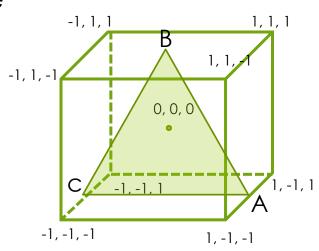
The OpenGL Coordinate System

- 3D point in clip coordinates is mapped to a cube (NDC) (Normal Device Coordination)
- NDC uses left-handed coordinate system
- \circ In the bounds of [-1,-1,-1] and [1, 1, 1]
- Everything outside that bound will not be taken into consideration.



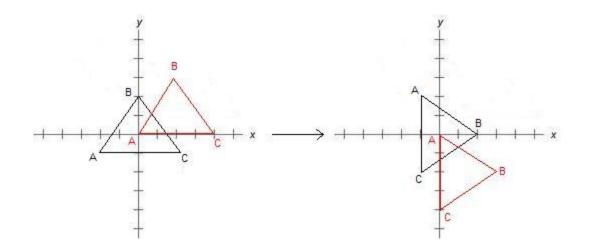
C (-1.0, -1.0, 0.0)





Introduction: 3D Coordinates

- Every geometry, can be a triangle or a object composed from multiple triangles has a pivot.
- The pivot is the point around which the triangle will rotate
- Object space the pivot is always in (0,0,0)



90° degrees rotation around the pivot.

- The black triangle has his pivot in the centroid
- The red triangle has his pivot in the point A.

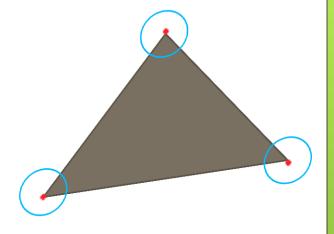
Introduction: Vertex, Edge

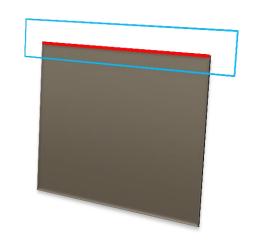
Vertex

- A vertex is a point in 3D space
- o Contains:
 - Position: x, y, z
 - Normal (later)
 - Color
 - Texture coordinates
- Transferring data from RAM → GPU is expensive. So keep the vertex size minimum

Edge

The line is created by 2 vertices

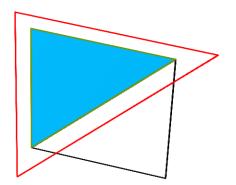




Introduction: Face

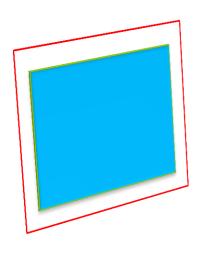
Triangle

- The intersection of the 3 edges defined by 3 vertices
- Basically define a triangle in 3D



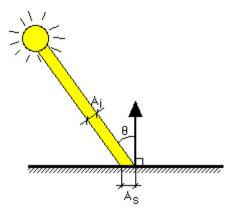
Polygon/Quad

- o 4 vertex = 5 edges
- 2 faces/triangles



Introduction: Normal

Are vectors perpendicular to a face

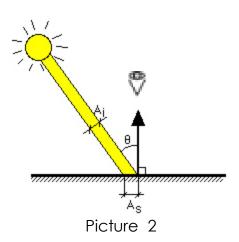


Picture 1

See the picture 2:

Question:

Which case of lighting ray the eyes can see the illumination strongest?



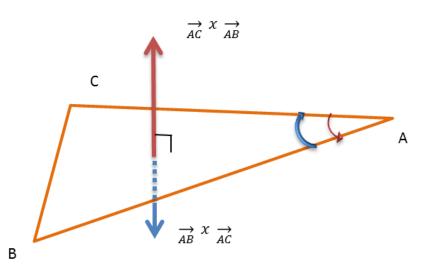
Introduction: Triangle points order

The order of triangle points determine the direction of triangle normal.

Triangle normal = cross product $(\xrightarrow{AC}, \xrightarrow{AB})$

$$ACB = CBA = BAC = \underset{AC}{\rightarrow} x \underset{AB}{\rightarrow} = \underset{red}{\rightarrow}$$

$$ABC = \underset{AB}{\longrightarrow} x \underset{AC}{\longrightarrow} = \underset{blue}{\longrightarrow}$$



Introduction: Pixel, Texel

Pixel

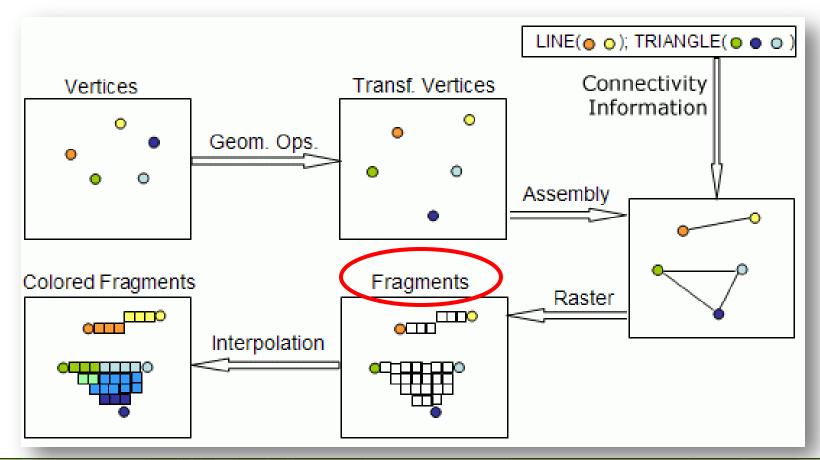
- Pixel is a point on the screen
- Is obtained through the combination of the three color channels, Red, Green and Blue

Texel

- Textures are represented by arrays of Texel, just as pictures are represented by arrays of pixels.
- A Texel is the pixel in a texture

Introduction: Fragment

Fragments are an intermediate between vertices and pixels.



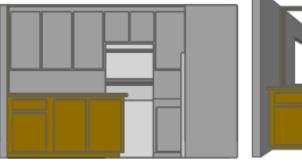
Introduction: Projection: Parallel & Perspective

Represents the way a 3D space (3D world) is projected onto a 2D

space (the screen)



- Infinity eyes position
- Projection lines (arrays) are parallel
- Ortho is specific case of parallel projection when the ray is perpendicular to the projection plane
- O Perspective
 - Smaller as their distance from the observer increases
 - Do not preserve the distance and size ratio



Parallel projection

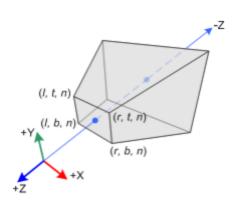
Perspective projection

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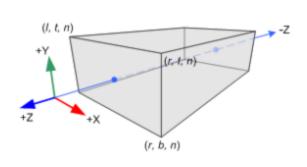
Volume

Limitted region for 3D rendering on device

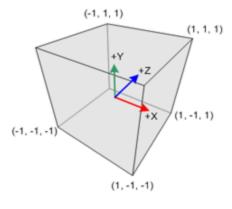
Left, right, top, bottom, near, far



Perspective volume (Frustum)



Orthographic volume

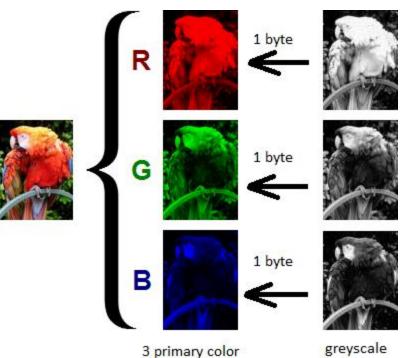


NDC

Introduction: Color channel

 Each pixel is made of combinations of <u>primary color</u> called Color Channel included: Red, Green, Blue, Alpha (RGBA) (A is optional)

- Each <u>color channel</u> stores color information valued 1 byte [0, 255]
- Color value in GLSL ranging from [0.0, 1.0]
- More higher value of A channel, pixel is more opaque



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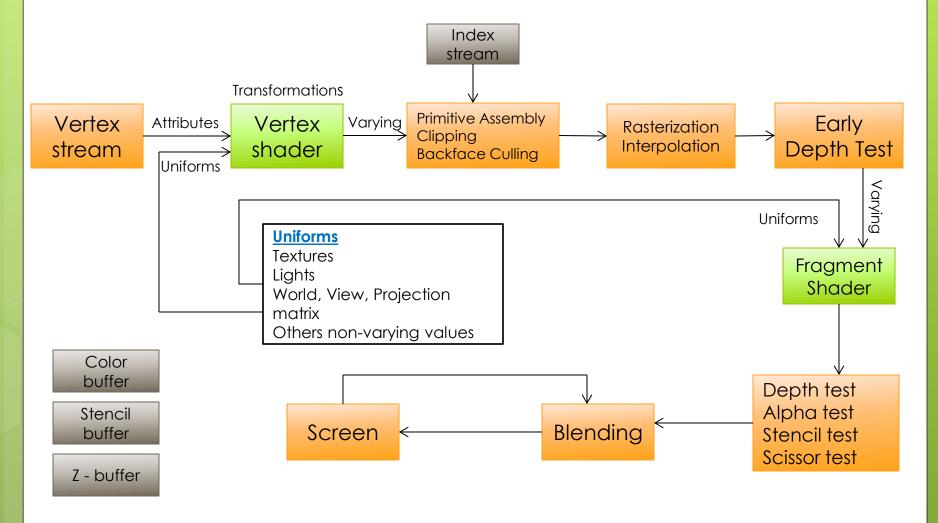
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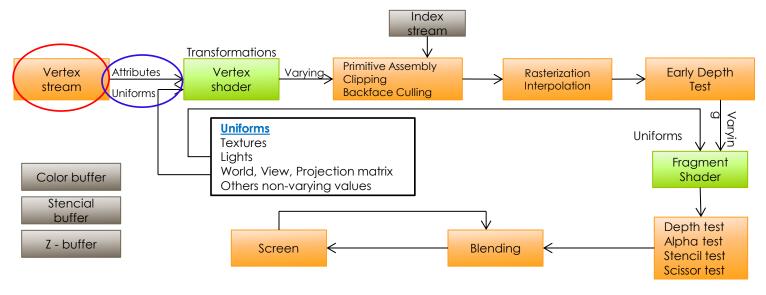
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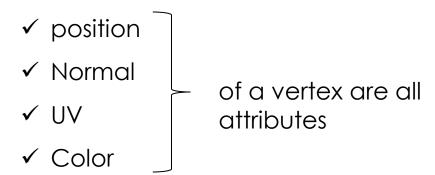
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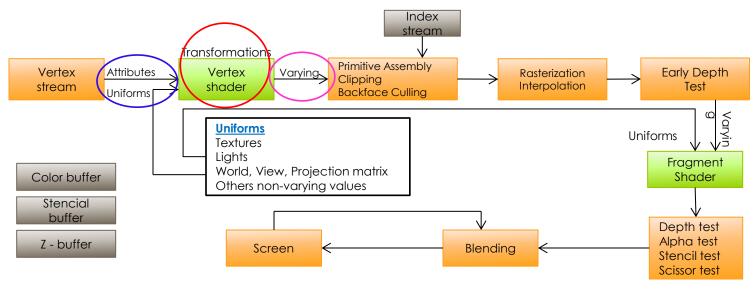
Rendering Pipeline: Vertex Stream



- Array of vertices sent from the RAM to the GPU memory
- Every vertex value is viewed as a attribute



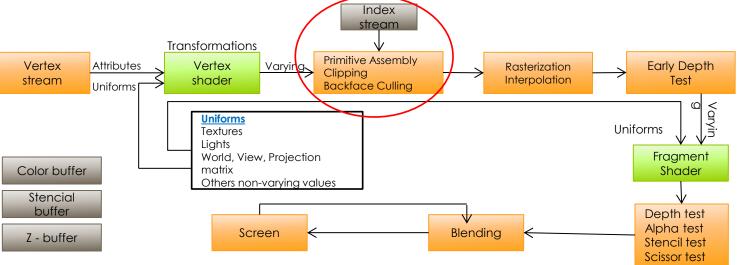
Rendering Pipeline: Vertex Shader

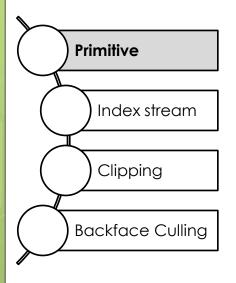


- Allow programmers define certain transformation on every vertex which enters the pipeline.
- Uniform: values that remain unchanged throughout the steps of the pipeline

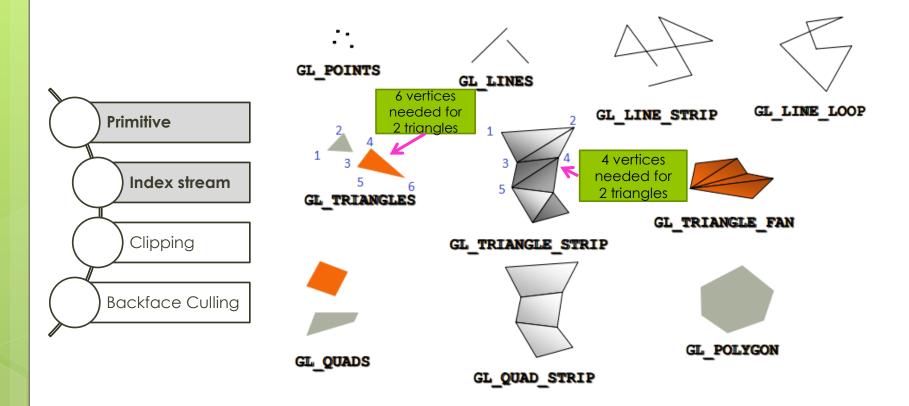
Ex: Object's world, view and projection matrix

 Vertex Shader take in Uniform + attributes then pass out varying values for Fragment Shader

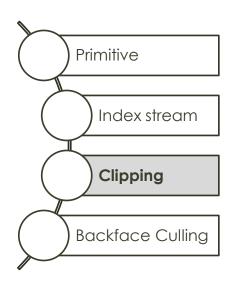




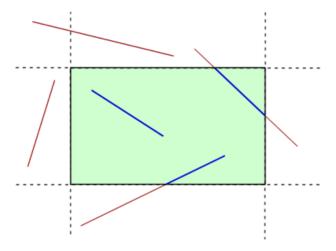
- Every object is broken down into basic geometry elements called primitive:
 - TRIANGLE
 - TRIANGLE_STRIP
 - QUAD
 - QUAD_STRIP
 - LINE,...
- The common use are the TRIANGLE and TRIANGLE_STRIP

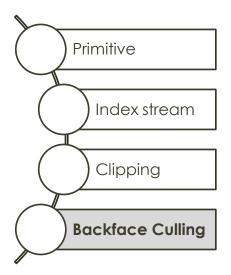


- ✓ What is index stream?
- ✓ To reduce traffic between RAM and GPU memory, using glDrawElements() instead of glDrawArray()



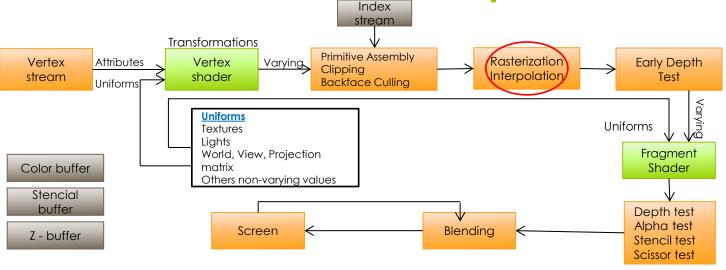
- Passes all the primitives that are entirely inside the view volume
- Removes all primitives that are entirely outside the view volume
- Primitives that are partially inside the view volume require clipping: replaced by a new vertex located at the intersection (blue lines)





- The backface culling (if is enabled):
 - It removes all primitives whose normals make an obtuse angle with the view vector.

 Number of fragments generated are greatly reduced → improving performance. Rendering Pipeline: Rasterization and Interpolation



The rasterization

The rasterization is the process in which the GPU determines the pixels covered by the primitive.
 The primitive can be filled or not!

The interpolation

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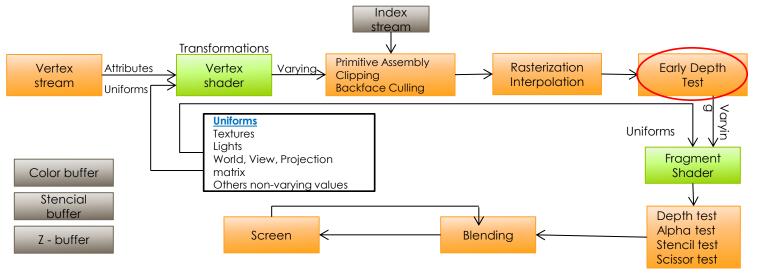
- Takes place on all values coming from the vertex shader.
- Converts primitives into a set of two-dimensional fragments, which are processed by the fragment shader

Rendering Pipeline: Rasterization and Interpolation (conts)

The interpolation (conts)

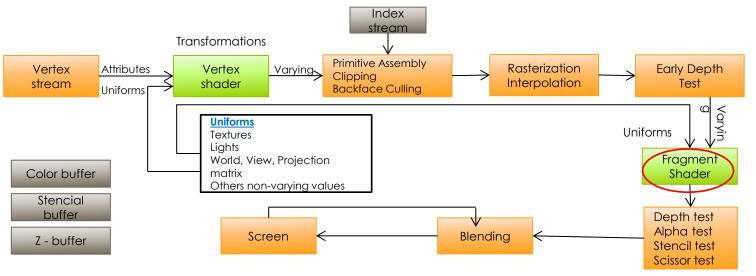
- Calculate the varying of each fragment → shouldn't use too many varying for optimization
- Discard automatically unused variables
 - Unused attribute will be passed with a default value (if don't enable the vertex attribute array)
 - Unused uniform won't be assigned an location (equals to -1).
 - Unused varying will not be computed / removed (depend on the implement of GPU)

Rendering Pipeline: Early Depth Test vs Depth Test



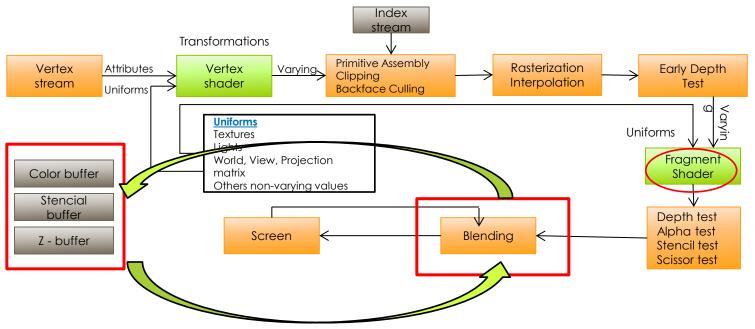
- Narrows down the number of fragments generated
- Dropping fragments which are drawn behind previously drawn fragment
- Referred as Z culling
- In Pipeline only Early Depth Test or Depth Test will be processed
- Early Depth Test only processes in some GPU as Adreno, Mali

Rendering Pipeline: Fragment Shader



- Allows the programmer to manipulate the color of fragments
- Out put is the color of the fragment.
- Make the alpha of all fragments oscillate between 0 and 1

Rendering Pipeline



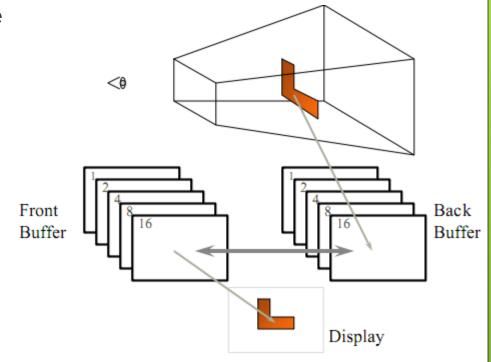
 Before go in Testing steps, you have to know about buffer which testing steps are done on it.



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The color buffer (pixel buffer)

- Content value of color for each pixel
- Divide into two half (double buffer)
 - Front buffer
 - Back buffer



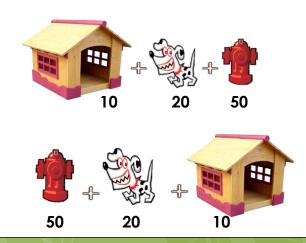
Clear current color buffer glClear (GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT)

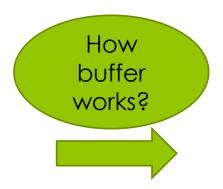
The stencil buffer

- An extra buffer at the programmer's disposal, and it stores an integer value for each pixel on the screen.
- o Size: sizeof(int) * screen_width * screen_height.

The Z buffer (depth buffer)

- Contains per-pixel floating-point data for the z depth of each pixel rendered
- Keeps only the z value of pixel which is closest to the camera
- Ranging of depth per pixel is [0.0, 1.0] (near plane is 0.0 and far plane is 1.0)
- Vary size value from 8 → 32 bit







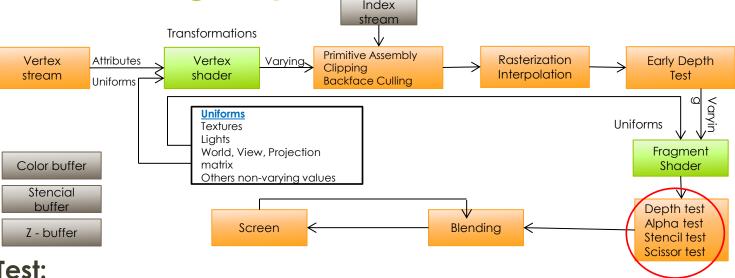
The Z fighting

- A phenomenon that occurs when two or more primitives have similar values in the z-buffer
- Higher value less chance to experience Z Fighting (16 bit is not as precise as 24 or 32 bit)

- How to remove z-fighting?
- 1) Use of a higher resolution depth buffer
- 2) Moving the polygons further apart
- 3) Reduce far plane



Rendering Pipeline: Testing steps



o Depth Test:

- Test every fragment's z with the current z buffer
- glEnable(GL_DEPTH_TEST)
- Alpha fragments won't be written z-values to depth buffer ?
- Solid nodes → front to back?
- Transparent nodes → back to front?
- Transparent nodes must be renders at the end after others nodes.
- Use glDepthMask (GL_FALSE) to disable writing to Z-buffer

Minimizing the amount of overdraw

Rendering Pipeline: Testing steps

o Alpha Test:

- Test each fragment's alpha channel with a value
- Drop fragments which don't meet the alpha requirements
- Objects that make use of alpha test will be treated as opaque objects
- The fragments that failed the alpha test won't update the Z Buffer

Rendering Pipeline: Testing steps

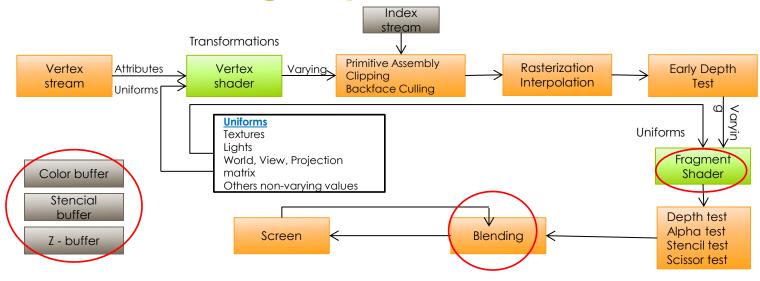
Stencil Test

- Test each fragment's coordinates with the stencil buffer
- The stencil test + depth test → creating shadows, outlines and other graphical effects.
- Besides, Stencil Test can be used to implement selection
- glEnable (STENCIL TEST)

Scissor Test

- Basically restricts the drawing area, creating viewports or rendering specific area
- The order in which the tests are performed:
 - Scissors Test → Alpha Test → Stencil Test → Depth Test
- glEnable(SCISSOR_TEST)

Rendering Pipeline: Blending step



- Transparency effect is generated
- Computing the final color of the fragment
- After the blend step, the fragment becomes a pixel and it's color value is stored in the color buffer

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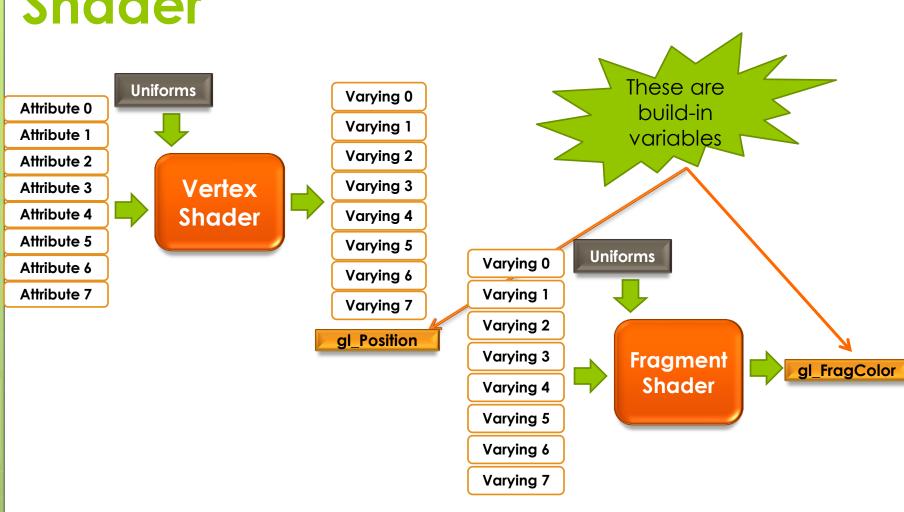
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- Shader defines certain behavior for all vertices and fragments that come into the rendering pipeline
- Two types
 - Vertex shader
 - Fragment shader
- Following steps must be done before shaders can be used:
 - Compile shaders
 - Attach shaders to program
 - Link program
 - Use program to send necessary information to GPU



These variables are never used

When shaders are compiled, the varying, attributes, uniforms or any other unused local variable will be removed

• Pseudo:

Vertex shader

Fragment shader

```
precision lowp float; varying vec4 v_color;
```

```
Why need precision?
```

```
void main()
{
    //gl_FragColor must be set on
    //every vertex shader

//gl_FragColor = v_color;
    gl_FragColor = vec4(1.0, 0.0, 0.0, 1.0);
```

Pseudo: LoadShader

```
Gluint LoadShader (Glenum type, const char* shadersrc)
          GLint compiled;
          // create a shader and get his handle.
          // The type can be either GL VERTEX SHADER or GL FRAGMENT SHADER
          GLuint aShader = glCreateShader (type);
          // send the shader source code to be compiled - shadersrc is of type char*
          glShaderSource(aShader, 1, &shadersrc, NULL);
          // compile the shader
          glCompileShader(aShader);
          //check if the compilation of the shader succeeded
          glGetShaderiv(aShader,GL_COMPILE_STATUS,&compiled);
          //if compilation has failed delete the shader and return a null handle
          if (!compiled)
                    glDeleteShader(aShader);
                    return 0:
          return aShader:
```

Pseudo: LoadShader debug log

- Need a program to know what shaders to use
- A program is composed from a vertex shader and a fragment shader

Pseudo: Create Program

```
GLuint CreateProgram (const char* VertexShaderSrc, const char* FragmentShaderSrc) {
GLuint vertexShader;
GLuint fragmentShader;
GLuint programHandle;
Glint linked;
//load and compile the vertex shader
vertexShader=LoadShader(GL_VERTEX_SHADER, VertexShaderSrc);
//load and compile the fragment shader
fragmentShader=LoadShader(GL_FRAGMENT_SHADER, FragmentShaderSrc);
//create a program and get it's handle
programHandle=glCreateProgram();
```

Pseudo: Create Program

```
//attach the shaders to the program
glAttachShader(programHandle,vertexShader);
glAttachShader(programHandle,fragmentShader);
//link the program
glLinkProgram(programHandle);
//check if linking was successful
glGetProgramiv(programHandle,GL_LINK_STATUS,&linked);
//delete the program if the link was not successful and return an invalid handle
if (!linked)
  glDeleteProgram(programHandle);
  return 0:
return programHandle;
```

- The only data we can send to the GPU RAM are attributes and uniforms.
- Varying values are passed from the vertex shader to the fragment shader
- Finding the location of the attributes and uniforms we want to send to the GPU by
 - glGetAttribLocation
 - glGetUniformLocation
- Make sure that these calls are AFTER the program has been successfully linked.

• For our two shaders we will have the following code:

```
GLint position = glGetAttribLocation(programHandle, "a_position");

GLint color = glGetAttribLocation(programHandle, "a_color");// this return -1

GLint mvpMatrix = glGetUniformLocation(programHandle, "u_mvpMatrix");
```

- Use glvertexAttribPointer for each data sent to GPU
- Use gluniformMatrix4fv to send uniform matrix to GPU

• Notice: glGetAttribLocation will return -1 for a_color because after the compile it has been removed.

```
void glVertexAttribPointer(
GLuint index,
GLint size,
GLenum type,
GLboolean normalized,
GLsizei stride,
const GLvoid * pointer);
```

void glUniformMatrix4fv(
GLint location,
GLsizei count,
GLboolean transpose,
const GLfloat * value);

- <u>Position</u> inside the shader of the attribute
- <u>Size</u> of the attribute
- Type of the attribute
- The <u>stride</u> (the offset in the vector between the data)
- A <u>pointer</u> to the buffer that holds the values
- Stride is useful when you concatenate data.
- An arrays of vertices, with each vertex being defined by a structure of floats

```
struct Vertex
{
    float x,y,z;
    float u,v;
    float r,g,b,a;
}
```

- <u>Location</u>: Specifies the location of the uniform value to be modified.
- <u>Count</u>: Specifies the number of matrices that are to be modified
- <u>Transpose</u>: Specifies whether to transpose
- <u>Value</u>: Specifies a pointer to an array

```
Vertex* verticesArray = LoadObjectFromFile("aObject");
GLfloat* ptr = (GLfloat *)verticesArray;

glVertexAttribPointer(position, 3, GL_FLOAT, sizeof(Vertex), ptr);
glVertexAttribPointer(color, 4, GL_FLOAT, sizeof(Vertex), ptr+5);

glDrawArrays(GL_TRIANGLES, 0, num_of_face * 3);

glEnableVertexAttribArray(position);
glEnableVertexAttribArray(color); //if possible
```

What happens without this method?

Must call to attributes will actually get to the GPU

- Uniforms stay the same for each vertex that will be processed
- Sending uniforms use specific functions, depending on the uniform types.
- float[3] red_color;

 glUniform1f(time, deltaT);
 glUniform3fv(red, 1, &red_color);

 One with 1 float

 One with 3 float

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What Is GLSL? OpenGL Shading Language

- C/C++ similar high level programming language for several parts of the graphic card
- Can code (right up to) short programs, called shaders, which are executed on the GPU.

Why Shaders?

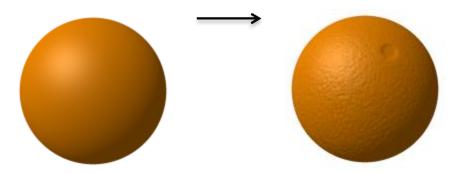
- In OpenGLES 1.1, the graphic pipeline could only be configured, but not be programmed.
- With Shaders you are able to program: your lighting mode,
 Shadows, Environment Mapping, Bump Mapping, Parallax Bump Mapping, HDR, and much more!

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Environment Mapping
Shadow



Bump Mapping



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 You have nearly full control over what is happening with each vertex / fragment

Vertex shader	Fragment shader
✓ Vertex Transformation	✓ Texture access and application
✓ Normal Transformation,	(Texture environments)
Normalization and Rescaling	√ Fog
✓ Lighting	✓ Lightning
✓ Texture Coordinate Generation	✓ And more
and Transformation	
✓ And more.	

- Data type
- Vector constructor
- Matrix constructor
- Array constructor
- Structure constructor
- Vector component
- Function definition

Data types

- There are four main types: float, int, bool and sampler.
- For the first three types, vector types are available:

```
vec2, vec3, vec4
ivec2, ivec3, ivec4
bvec2, bvec3, bvec4
2D, 3D and 4D floating point vector
2D, 3D and 4D integer vector
2D, 3D and 4D boolean vectors
```

For floats here are also matrix types:

```
mat2, mat3, mat4 2x2, 3x3, 4x4 floating point matrix
```

Some common errors (cause error without notices):

```
float b = 3; // must be 3.0
```

Vector constructors

- vec3(float) // initializes each component of with the float
- vec2(float, float) // initializes a vec2 with 2 floats
- ivec3(int, int, int) // initializes an ivec3 with 3 ints
- vec3(vec4) // drops the fourth component of a vec4
- \circ vec3(vec2, float) // vec3.x = vec2.x, vec3.y = vec2.y, vec3.z = float
- \circ vec3(float, vec2) // vec3.x = float, vec3.y = vec2.x, vec3.z = vec2.y
- vec4(vec2, vec2) // ???

Examples

- vec4 color = vec4(0.0, 1.0, 0.0, 1.0); // 1.0 not 1.0f like C++
- vec4 rgba = vec4(1.0); // sets each component to 1.0
- vec3 rgb = vec3(color); // drop the 4th component

Matrix Constructors

 To initialize the diagonal of a matrix with all other elements set to zero:

```
mat2(float), mat3(float), mat4(float)
```

 To initialize a matrix by specifying vectors or scalars, the components are assigned to the matrix elements in column-major order:

```
mat2(vec2, vec2); // one column per argument mat3(vec3, vec3, vec3); // one column per argument mat4(vec4, vec4, vec4, vec4); // one column per argument mat3x2(vec2, vec2, vec2); // one column per argument
```

```
    mat2(float, float, // first column float, float); // second column
    mat3(float, float, float, // first column float, float, float, // second column float, float, float); // third column
    mat4(float, float, float, float, // first column float, float, float, float, float, // second column float, float, float, float, // third column float, float, float, float, float); // fourth column
    mat2x3(vec2, float, // first column vec2, float); // second column
```

- mat2x3(mat4x2); // takes the upper-left 2x2 of the mat4x4, last row is 0,0
- mat4x4(mat3x3); // puts the mat3x3 in the upper-left, sets the lower right component to 1, and the rest to 0

Array Constructors

 Array types can also be used as constructor names, which can then be used in expressions or initializers. For example:

```
const float c[3] = float[3](5.0, 7.2, 1.1);
const float d[3] = float[](5.0, 7.2, 1.1);
float g;
...
float a[5] = float[5](g, 1, g, 2.3, g);
float b[3];
b = float[3](g, g + 1.0, g + 2.0);
```

Structure Constructors

 Once a structure is defined, and its type is given a name, a constructor is available with the same name to construct instances of that structure. For example:

```
struct light
{
    float intensity;
    vec3 position;
};
light lightVar = light(3.0, vec3(1.0, 2.0, 3.0));
```

Vector Components

• The component names supported are:

```
{x, y, z, w} Useful when accessing vectors that represent points or normals 
{r, g, b, a} Useful when accessing vectors that represent colors
{s, t, p, q} Useful when accessing vectors that represent texture coordinates
```

- The component names *x, r,* and *s* are, for example, synonyms for the same (first) component in a vector.
- Accessing components beyond vector type is error. For example:

```
vec2 pos;
pos.x // is legal
pos.z // is illegal
```

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Vector component (conts)

 The component selection syntax allows multiple components to be selected by appending their names
 (from the same name set) after the period (.).

Vector component (conts)

 The order of the components can be different to swizzle them, or replicated:

```
vec4 pos = vec4(1.0, 2.0, 3.0, 4.0);
vec4 swiz= pos.wzyx; // swiz = (4.0, 3.0, 2.0, 1.0)
vec4 dup = pos.xxyy; // dup = (1.0, 1.0, 2.0, 2.0)
```

 The component group notation can occur on the left hand side of an expression.

```
vec4 pos = vec4(1.0, 2.0, 3.0, 4.0);
pos.wx = vec2(7.0, 8.0); // pos = (8.0, 2.0, 3.0, 7.0)
pos.xx = vec2(3.0, 4.0); // illegal - 'x' used twice
pos.xy = vec3(1.0, 2.0, 3.0); // illegal - mismatch between vec2 and vec3
//pos[2] refers to the third element of pos and is equivalent to pos.z.
```

Function Definitions

A function is declared as the following example shows:

```
// prototype
returnType functionName (type0 arg0, type1 arg1, ..., typen argn);
```

And a function is defined like

```
// definition
returnType functionName (type0 arg0, type1 arg1, ..., typen argn)
{
    // do some computation
    return returnValue;
}
```

Function Definitions (conts): Basic built-in functions

```
float dot (genType x, genType y) //Returns the dot product of x and y
vec3 cross (vec3 x, vec3 y)
                           //Returns the cross product of x and y
genType normalize (genType x) // Returns a vector in the same direction as x
                                                   but with a length of 1
genType reflect (genType I, genType N)//For the incident vector I and surface
                                     //orientation N. returns the reflection
                                     //direction. N must already be normalized
float length (genType x)
                                 //Returns the length of vector X
genType mix (genType x,genType y,float a) //Returns the linear blend of x and y
genType abs (genType x) //Returns x if x \ge 0, otherwise it returns -x
genType sqrt (genType x) //Returns square root of (x)
genType pow (genType x, genType y)//Returns x raised to the y power
genType sin (genType angle) //The standard trigonometric sine function
```

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