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PG3D: A 3D GRAPHICS ENGINE

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Part I

Analysis

What is the problem?

Pygame is a popular 2D graphics library for Python, but its limitations in rendering 3D graphics make it unsuitable for developing modern, immersive applications. To overcome this challenge, my project aims to develop a new library that can leverage the capabilities of Pygame while offering full support for 3D graphics rendering. Achieving this goal will require addressing several technical challenges, such as developing advanced matrix functions, implementing a user-friendly interface, and packaging the library into a distributable format. Overall, this project represents an important contribution to the field of computer graphics and has the potential to empower Python developers to create sophisticated 3D applications with ease.

Current System

Pygame is a robust 2D game engine that facilitates a seamless learning experience for beginners in creating an array of graphical elements, such as shapes, sprites, and their motion. Furthermore, the software provides advanced features that may pose a challenge to the less-experienced, but upon mastering them, they can elevate one's game development capabilities to a professional level. However, it is worth noting that Pygame lacks support for 3D graphics. Nevertheless, this shortcoming can be remedied by writing a bespoke library that employs Pygame as the underlying framework for rendering 2D graphics.

Utilizing the Pygame library, I have written a program that demonstrates the ease of use of the library's functions for rendering shapes. However, I have also noticed that there is a significant amount of setup code that needs to be written in order to get the library to work. This can be quite tedious for those who use the library frequently. Therefore, when designing my own library, I will strive to ensure that minimal to no setup is required.

As you can see in Figure 2.1, the top-left of the window is currently occupied by the Pygame logo with some text saying: pygame window. While this is a nice touch, I believe that the space can be put to better use. I plan to remove the logo and use the freed up space to add something more practical. This could be anything from a FPS counter to an interactive button. Whatever I decide to add, I'm sure it will make the window look even better!

```
1 # importing the library
2 import pygame
3
4 # pygame setup
5 pygame.init()
6 screen = pygame.display.set_mode((600, 600))
7 clock = pygame.time.Clock()
8 running = True
9
10 # main game loop
11 while running:
```

```
# checks if the user clicks the X to close the window
      for event in pygame.event.get():
13
          if event.type == pygame.QUIT:
14
              running = False
16
      screen.fill("white") # fills the screen with a color to wipe
     anyhting from last from
18
      ### GAME LOOP ###
19
20
      pygame.draw.circle(screen, "green", (300, 300), 40)
21
      pygame.draw.rect(screen, "grey", (100, 100, 200, 100))
22
23
      #################
24
      pygame.display.flip() # displays anything
27
      clock.tick(60) # sets fps to 60
28
30 pygame.quit()
```

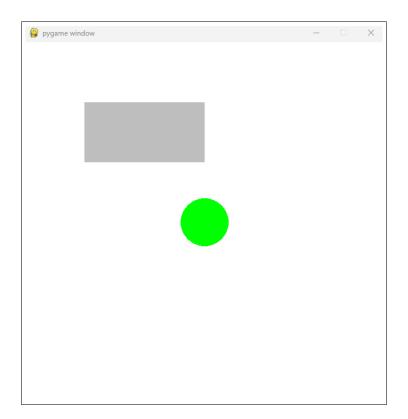


Figure 2.1: Pygame window

Research

3.1 Perspective Projection Matrix

Rendering a 3D image on a 2D screen is thought to be a simple process. Most think that you can simply take the 3D coordinate and draw the x- and y-coordinate. In theory this works, but you don't get a realistic projection of the point. This is because the z coordinate isn't taken into account. this would mean that if two shapes are drawn but one is closer to the screen, they will both have the same size. In Figure 3.1 you can see that both of the triangles are the same size even though triangle 2 is further away with a z-coordinate of 10.

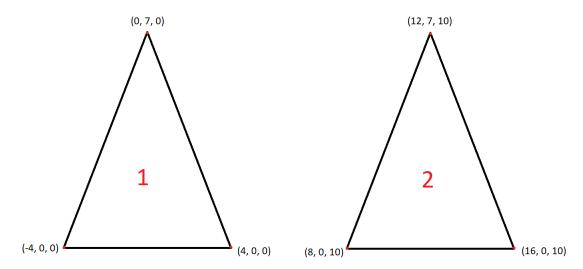


Figure 3.1: Orthographic projection

This type of projection is called **orthographic projection**. This type of projection is most commonly found in CAD software as it makes it easier for people to create technical drawings of 3D objects.

Orthographic projection can be implemented by simply multiplying the coordinate of the point with the following 3x3 matrix:

$$\begin{bmatrix} i'\\j'\\k' \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0\\0 & 1 & 0\\0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} i\\j\\0 \end{bmatrix}$$

This matrix multiplies the z-coordinate by 0 leaving you with the x- and y-coordinate. Similar matrices are used for rotation, scaling and transformations but, you are still left with an unrealistic projection.

This is where **perspective projection** comes in. As the name implies, this type of projection projects a point with perspective. This means that the further away a shape is from the screen, the smaller it appears. As you can see in Figure 3.2 the second triangle is further away with a z-coordinate of 10, therefore it appears to be smaller.

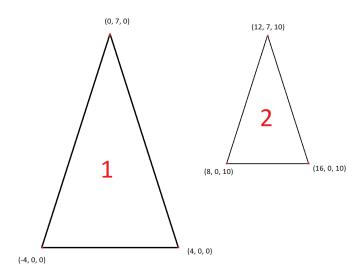


Figure 3.2: Perspective projection

This new projection gives the scene a more natural and realistic feel but this makes it much more complicated to do.

To project a 3D point to 2d space you can create a matrix similar to the one above.

The first step to creating this projection matrix is to normalize the screen space so that its maximum and minimum values lies between -1 and 1 As shown in Figure 3.3. This is done so that the projection will not warp based on the dimensions on the screen.

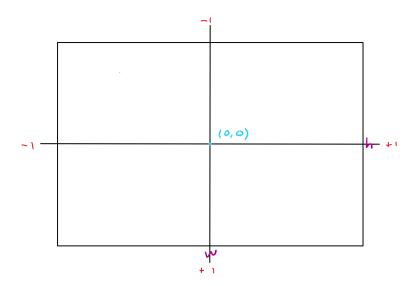


Figure 3.3: Screen space normalization

To normalize the point you have to multiply the x-coordinate by the aspect ratio where: $a = \frac{h}{w}$. When normalizing the screen space we get the following:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} (\frac{h}{w}) \cdot x & y & z \end{bmatrix}$$

Normalizing the screen space has an additional advantage that anything above +1 and below -1 will not be drawn to the screen. As you can see in Figure 3.4 the object on the right is not fully drawn because two of its vertices lie out side of the -1 to +1 range.

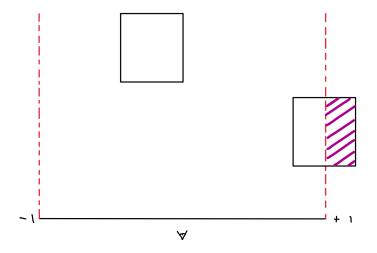


Figure 3.4: Normalization clipping

However, humans do not see screens in this manner. Instead humans see a field of view. As you can see in Figure 3.5, I have drawn two rays separated by an angle θ . To get the new

coordinates of the point we will consider $\tan\frac{\theta}{2}$ because we know the length of the opposite and adjacent sides of the right angle triangle from the coordinates of the point. As you increase the field of view, you zoom out of the scene because you would see more of it; and if you decrease the field of view, you zoom into the scene because you see less of it. However, in our case, when θ increases, $\tan\frac{\theta}{2}$ also increases. This is a problem because as we increase the field of view, points will be displaced out of it and if we decrease the field of view, more objects will appear. To solve this problem, we do the inverse of this operation: $\frac{1}{\tan\frac{\theta}{2}}$

We can now add this step to our point by multiplying the x-coordinate by $\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}$

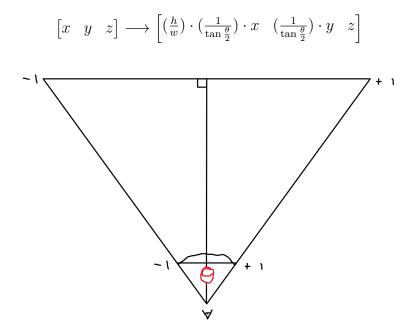


Figure 3.5: Field of view

Now that we have normalized the x- and y- coordinates, we can begin to normalize the z-coordinate. In Figure 3.6 you I have defined the furthest distance that the viewer can see as Z far (zf). Most would then think that the nearest distance that you can see is 0 but this assumes that the viewers eyes are resting on the screen. Since this isn't the case, there is a small distance between the viewers head and the screen called Z near (zn).

To work out where the position of a point in this frustum is we first need to scale it to a normalized system. The following equation accomplishes this $z' = \frac{z}{zf-zn}$. This gives us a point between 0 and 1 therefore we need to scale the point back up to fit the plane. Therefore, $z' = \frac{z \cdot zf}{zf-zn}$. However, this still leaves us with a discrepancy in the gap between the viewers head and the screen. Therefore we need to offset the transformed point by this discrepancy. This leaves us with the final equation to normalize the z-coordinate $z' = \frac{z \cdot zf}{zf-zn} - \frac{zf \cdot zn}{zf-zn}$

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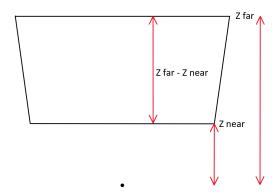


Figure 3.6: Z normalization

Putting this normalization in points coordinates leaves us with the following:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \left(\frac{h}{w}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\tan\frac{\theta}{2}}\right) \cdot x & \left(\frac{1}{\tan\frac{\theta}{2}}\right) \cdot y & z \cdot \left(\frac{zf}{zf - zn}\right) - \left(\frac{zf \cdot zn}{zf - zn}\right) \end{bmatrix}$$

Now there is one last step required to fully transform our point. Intuitively we know that as something moves further away, they appear smaller. Therefore, we can do the following operations:

$$x' = \frac{x}{z}$$
$$y' = \frac{y}{z}$$

Now if we put everything together we get the following transformation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{(\frac{h}{w}) \cdot (\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}) \cdot x}{z} & \frac{(\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}) \cdot y}{z} & z \cdot (\frac{zf}{zf - zn}) - (\frac{zf \cdot zn}{zf - zn}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Although this transformation works, it looks quite messy therefore I will substitute some values with the following variables:

$$a = \frac{h}{w}$$

$$f = \frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}$$

$$g = \frac{zf}{zf - zn}$$

After substitution you get the following transformation:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z \end{bmatrix} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \frac{afx}{z} & \frac{fy}{z} & z \cdot g - zn \cdot g \end{bmatrix}$$

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Now that we have derived these three equations to transform the coordinates to 2D space we could directly implement them in the program but, a matrix could be created which would be directly multiplied to the coordinate.

In orthographic projection a simple 3x3 matrix is used to transform the 3D coordinate to 2D space but, for perspective projection a 3x3 matrix isn't large enough to allow for the z-coordinate to be subtracted by $zn \cdot g$. Secondly, if the multiplication were to be done with a 3x3 matrix, the division by z wouldn't be possible. The way to fix this is to use a 4x4 matrix. In this way, the $zn \cdot g$ could be put in the last row, and now we would be able to store the z-coordinate to then use it to divide the x- and y-coordinate in a second operation. Since we are now using a 4x4 matrix we must also use a put a fourth component, w, in our point so that matrix multiplication can be done. The w component has to be 1 or else the z-coordinate won't be copied into it.

The final perspective projection matrix looks like this:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z & 1 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} \left(\frac{h}{w}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}\right) & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \left(\frac{1}{\tan \frac{\theta}{2}}\right) & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{zf}{zf - zn} & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & \frac{-zf \cdot zn}{zf - zn} & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} afx & afy & z \cdot g - zn \cdot g & z \end{bmatrix}$$

After performing this matrix multiplication, you need to divide the x-, y- and z-coordinates by the w component, giving us a coordinate in Cartesian space:

$$\begin{bmatrix} \frac{afx}{z} & \frac{fy}{z} & \frac{z \cdot g - zn \cdot g}{z} & z \end{bmatrix}$$

We can now take the x- and y-coordinates and directly plot them onto the screen.

3.2 Cameras

If you implement the perspective projection matrix described above, you will get an accurate representation of a 3D object in 2D space but, it would be much more immersive if you could look around the space in a first person view. This is why we need a virtual camera.

Camera movement can be thought of in two different ways. You either move the camera around the scene or you move the objects around the camera. My approach will use the second method.

Creating a camera is as simple as defining a couple variables such as its position and its orientation with the x, y, and z axis.

The position of the camera will be written using a simple 4D vector:

$$\begin{bmatrix} x & y & z & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

The orientation of the camera will be stored in three vectors: forward, up and right. The forward vector is the cameras orientation along the z axis. The up vector is the cameras orientation along the y axis. And finally, the right vector is the cameras orientation along the x axis. These vectors are important for allowing the movement keys to move the camera forwards, upwards and side to side even when the camera has bee rotated.

To look around the scene you simply multiply the forward, up and right vectors by the rotation matrices for x and y axis rotation. To move around the scene, you simply you add the product of the axis and a velocity to the position of the camera.

The following matrix is multiplied to all the objects in the scene to translate them and rotate them to allow for camera control:

r = right, u = up, f = forward and C = camera

$$\begin{pmatrix} rx & ry & rz & 0 \\ ux & uy & uz & 0 \\ fx & fy & fz & 0 \\ Cx & Cy & Cz & 1 \end{pmatrix}^{-1}$$

The inverse is taken because when we move or rotate the camera in one direction or angle, all the objects will do the opposite.

This matrix will be multiplied to all the points before they are projected.

3.3 Matrix Multiplication

Now that we have gained an understanding of the mechanics behind perspective projection, our focus can now shift to the multiplication of matrices. To expand upon the concept of matrix multiplication, the Pearson AS level Further maths pure book [2] will serve as a valuable resource, given its comprehensive coverage of the topic. As illustrated in Figure 3.7, it is imperative that the number of columns in the first matrix match the number of rows in the second matrix. In our current scenario, employing a 4x4 matrix allows us the option to utilize either a 4x1 or 1x4 matrix for our point. While either may be used, it is vital that we remain consistent to avoid the potential for errors. I shall opt for a 4x1 matrix to represent the coordinate, thereby placing it on the left side during multiplication. Furthermore, the utilization of a 4x4 matrix ensures that the output will also be a 4x1 matrix, removing the need for transposition.

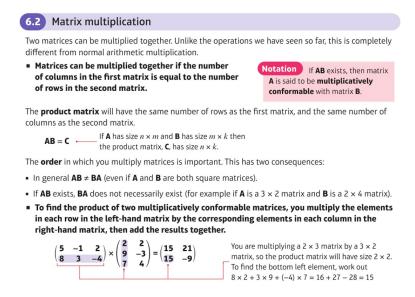


Figure 3.7: Matrix Multiplication

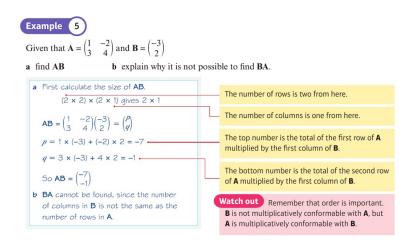


Figure 3.8: Matrix Multiplication Example

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End-Users

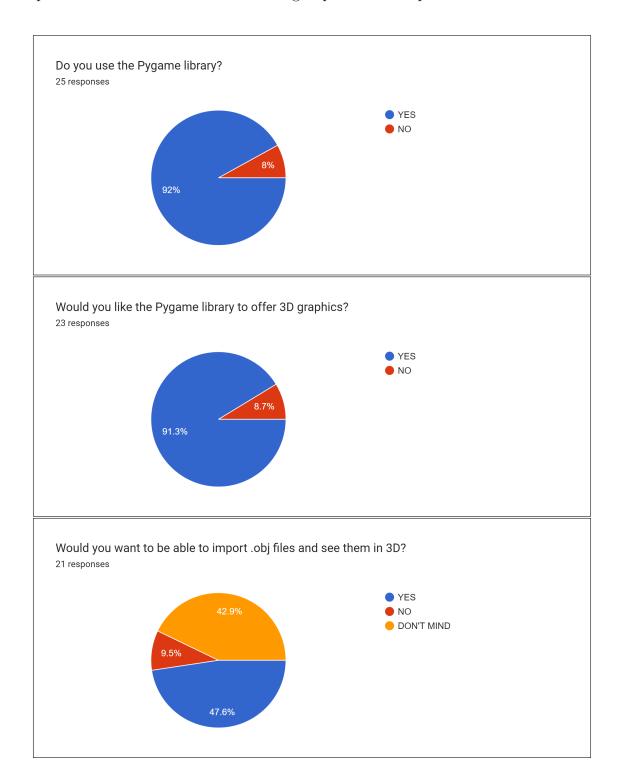
The intended audience for my library comprises individuals utilizing the Pygame library who aspire to augment their programming capabilities through the incorporation of 3D graphics. My library aims to alleviate any concerns regarding the intricacies of 3D graphics, thus enabling users to concentrate on their programming tasks. Users can effortlessly integrate 3D graphics into their programs by leveraging the library's pre-built functions within their code. In order to ensure the library aligns with the needs of the target audience, I have identified an appropriate end-user to evaluate the library and provide constructive feedback on areas for improvement, ultimately enabling me to refine the library to better meet the expectations of the target audience.

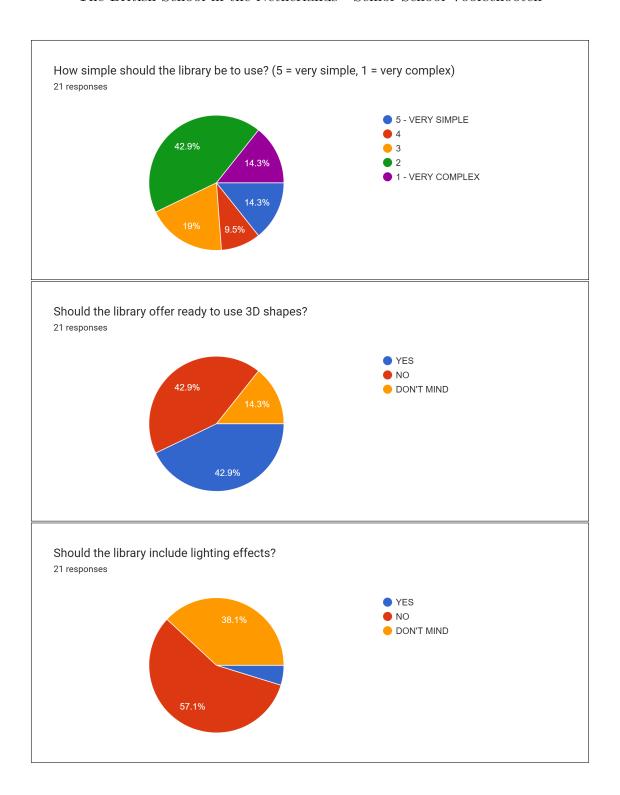
The individual I have selected as the end-user is Mr.S, a high school student who is currently undertaking his A Levels in Further Mathematics, Physics, and Computer Science. As per Mr.S's remarks, he has been "using the Pygame library extensively" [3]. However, he also pointed out that "the Pygame library's functionality is currently limited due to its inability to support 3D graphics" [3]. Furthermore, Mr.S emphasized that functions such as "ready to use 3D shapes and movement controls" [3] are fundamental for any graphics library, as acquiring the knowledge necessary to construct them independently would be excessively time-consuming. Regarding the lack of lighting effects, Mr.S commented that it "may not pose a significant issue since this is merely a basic Pygame extension" [3]. He also supported this statement by mentioning that "since Python is not ideal for quick calculations, implementing lighting effects may result in a significant reduction in the program's performance" [3]. Mr.S emphasized that ".obj files are an essential part of 3D graphics" [3], as they are a "key component in creating realistic visuals" [3]. He explained that this is why libraries must support them, as they are necessary for creating high-quality 3D graphics. Furthermore, he noted that this feature is becoming increasingly important as 3D graphics become more popular.

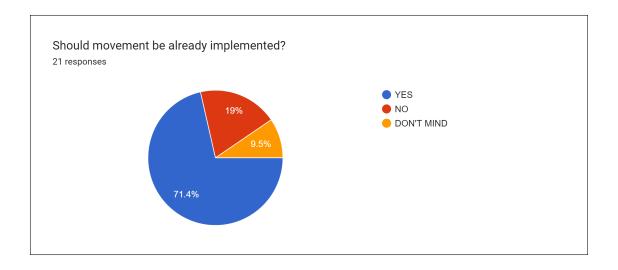
To further inform my approach to solving the problem, I developed an online questionnaire and distributed it among members of an online programming forum to solicit the perspectives of individuals who might have an interest in the matter at hand.

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The questionnaire consisted of the following inquiries and responses:







Based on the results of the questionnaire, it was determined that the target audience would prefer a library that is of moderate difficulty to use since 42.9% respondents voted for the second highest tier of complexity. This approach would enable users to exercise greater autonomy with the available functions, albeit at the cost of requiring a longer learning curve. There was a split decision in response to the query concerning the library's provision of premade shapes, as 42.9% of the respondents voted in favor of the proposition, and an equal percentage were against it. This result may suggest that certain individuals are reluctant to utilize three-dimensional shapes due to the complexities associated with their full customization, such as size and orientation. Conversely, those who favored this option sought to access these shapes for time-saving purposes. Additionally, a majority of 71.4% respondents favored a pre-existing movement system. A majority of 57.1% of the respondents voted against the inclusion of lightning effects in the library. This outcome can be attributed to the fact that Python is not a high-speed language, and the additional calculations required for such effects are likely to significantly impede the performance of the user's program. Moreover, a significant proportion of 47.6% of the total votes expressed a favorable stance towards the incorporation of the functionality to import .obj files. Such a result is unsurprising considering that this feature is already a prevalent component of several 3D graphics libraries. Additionally, this feature offers users the convenience of avoiding the need to construct their 3D scenes using pre-built shapes provided by the libraries. Ultimately, a significant majority of 71.4% of respondents expressed a preference for the inclusion of pre-existing movement controls within the library. This result aligns with the prevailing usage of pygame as a game engine, thus rationalizing the expectation for movement controls to be pre-implemented.

After conducting an interview and a questionnaire, I have deducted the following user needs:

- The library must be able to project a 3D point onto a 2D screen.
- The library must incorporate movement controls to enable users to navigate the scene.
- The library must provide pre-built shapes that users can readily include.

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- The library should allow users to designate a file path for a .obj format file and visualize its rendering on the screen.
- The library must possess a high degree of complexity to grant users extensive freedom in their programming endeavors.
- The library must come with documentation which explain the objects and methods that are in it.

Existing Systems

5.1 Ursina Engine

The Ursina engine is a Python-based software development tool that serves as a wrapper around the Panda3D game engine, enabling users to conveniently create applications with 3D graphics. The library contains an extensive collection of models, textures, and shaders, which provide a broad scope for designing customized shapes. Nevertheless, the engine encompasses numerous functions, modules, classes, and parameters that require mastery before effective utilization of the tool. Additionally, the Ursina engine incorporates an inbuilt user interface that offers users the option to navigate to the API reference, reload the model, reload the texture, or reload the code. Furthermore, the engine presents the frames per second information on the top-right corner of the screen.

Ursina engine is a library which can create basic 3D programs with very few lines of code. I wrote the following program which renders a red cuboid on the screen after reading Ursina's documentation [1].

```
1 # import library
2 from ursina import *
3
4 # create an instance of the engine
5 app = Ursina()
6
7 # create an instance of entity class and specify shape
8 box = Entity(model='cube', color=color.red)
9
10 # function that calls itself every frame
11 def update():
12  # changes box position based on key input
13 box.x -= held_keys['d'] * time.dt
14 box.x += held_keys['a'] * time.dt
```

```
box.z -= held_keys['w'] * time.dt
box.z += held_keys['s'] * time.dt

# rotates box every frame
theta = 100 * time.dt
box.rotation_z += theta
box.rotation_x += theta

calls the ursina run function which runs the program
app.run()
```

As you can see in Figure 5.1, the program successfully renders a spinning red cube. The positives of Ursina engine are that there is minimal library configuration that needs to be done unlike Pygame. Furthermore, creating shapes and moving around the scene is very easy but, there are many parameters that the user can tinker with to make it their own. The one downside to this library is that movement is not built into the engine and a user has to program it themselves.

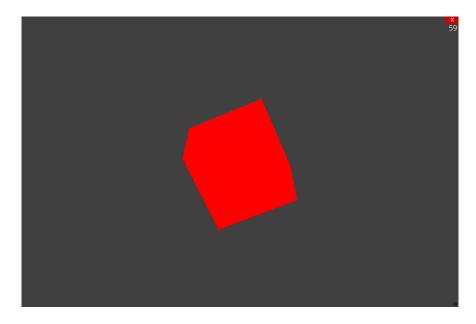


Figure 5.1: Ursina engine window

5.2 Panda3D

positives: quick because its written in c++, commands to load models is easy, a lot of setup, a lot of customisation negatives: user has to make their own class to simply get a window to show, module names aren't obvious and simple from beginners.

Panda3D is a 3D game engine written in C++. Since its written in C++, it is a very quick

library meaning that it is extremely well optimized library. The libraries intended language is Python meaning that it has all the benefits that you get from an interpreted language, plus it has the speed of C++.

```
from direct.showbase.ShowBase import ShowBase

class MyApp(ShowBase):
    def __init__(self):
        ShowBase.__init__(self)

    # Load the environment model.
    self.scene = self.loader.loadModel("models/environment")
    # Reparent the model to render.
    self.scene.reparentTo(self.render)
    # Apply scale and position transforms on the model.
    self.scene.setScale(0.25, 0.25, 0.25)
    self.scene.setPos(-8, 42, 0)

app = MyApp()
app.run()
```

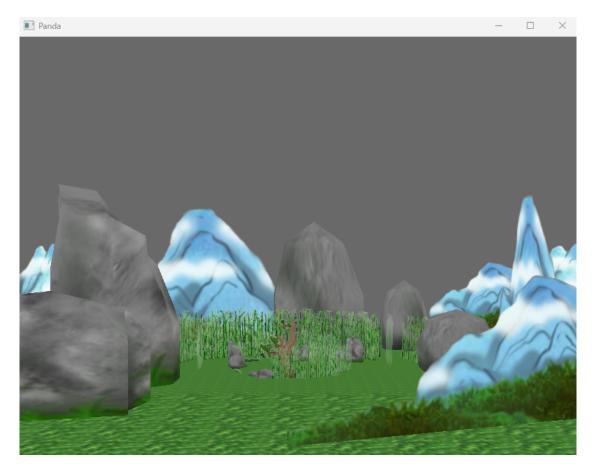


Figure 5.2: Panda3D window

Project Objectives

- 1. The program should allow the user to draw a 3D point.
 - (a) The user should be able to instantiate a 'Point' class
 - (b) The user should be able to specify the coordinates of the point as the parameters of the point object.
- 2. The user should be able to move around the scene.
 - (a) The user should be able to use keyboard input to move around the scene.
 - (b) The user should be able to use the W, A, S, D, E, Q keys to move around the scene.
 - i. W should move the camera forwards
 - ii. A should move the camera to the left
 - iii. S should move the camera backwards
 - iv. D should move the camera to the right
 - v. E should move the camera upwards
 - vi. Q should move the camera downwards
 - (c) The user should be able to use their mouse to look around the scene.
- 3. The user should be able to use ready made 3D shapes by using individual classes.
 - (a) The library should have a general 'Shape' class that is inherited by all the different shapes.
 - (b) The user should be able to specify various parameters such as: size and position of the shape.
 - (c) The class should have a cube class which inherits the shape class.
 - (d) The class should have a pyramid class which inherits the shape class.
 - (e) The class should have a tetrahedron class which inherits the shape class.

- 4. The user should be able to use the scroll wheel to change FOV.
- 5. The user should be able to change the window size while the program is running.
- 6. The user should be able to import a .obj file.
 - (a) The user should be able to see the .obj file render in their scene.
 - (b) There should be an 'Mesh' class where the user can input the .obj file path as a string in the parameters.
 - (c) The class should then read the file and create the necessary triangles to draw on the screen.
- 7. The library should have a documentation file containing a description of all the classes and their methods.
 - (a) This file should describe what all the methods, attributes and parameters of each class do.
- 8. The top part of the window of the program should display the Frames per Second (FPS).
- 9. The library should have minimal to no setup to initialize the library.
- 10. The user should have the option to see certain statistics displayed on the screen to see what is going on in the background.
 - (a) The user should be able to turn on this option by pressing the "o" key.
 - (b) The user should be able to see the FPS.
 - (c) The user should be able to see the dimensions of the screen.
 - (d) The user should be able to see the FOV of the camera.
- 11. The user should be able to press the escape key to close the window.
- 12. When the user specifies a background color or line color, the one that hasn't been specified should be the opposite color so that the colors don't collide.
- 13. The color of the text for the optional statistics should be the opposite of the background color so that it is always visible.

General solution

The library will have a main loop which will project and draw all the points at a fixed number of times per second. The loop is depicted in the following flowchart:

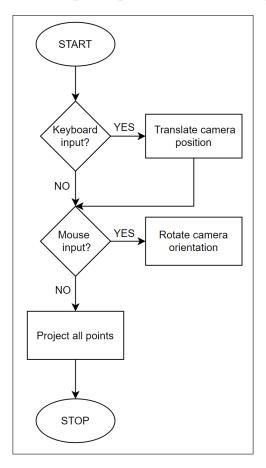


Figure 7.1: Flowchart of main loop

The user will be able to access two main data structures to create their shapes: point and

triangle. A point is a 3D coordinate and a triangle is a group of three points. With these two data structures, an shape can be made. The user will also have access to some simple ready made shapes such as cubes, tetrahedrons, pyramids and various prisms. Finally, the user will be able to input a .obj file which is a common way to store 3D models. These objects will look like this:

```
1 # import the library
2 from pg3d import *
3
4 app = pg3d.App((500, 500))
5
6 a = pg3d.Point([4, 5, 2], app)
7 b = pg3d.Point([1, 3, 8], app)
8 c = pg3d.Point([7, 2, 3], app)

10 t = pg3d.Triange(a, b, c, app)
11
12 box = pg3d.Shape("Cube", center=[0, 0, 0], size=10, orientation=[0, 0, 0])
13 pyramid = pg3d.Shape("Cube", center=[8, 0, 12], size=50, orientation = [32, 7, 0])
14
15 model = pg3d.Model("models/house.obj", app)
16
17 if __name__ == "__main__":
18 app.run()
```

As you can see in the code above, I create an instance of the App class called "app". This is where the main "run" method is Figure 7.1 and is also where all the shapes that the user has created are stored. In each shape/model/point/triangle, the last parameter is reserved for the instance of the App class, this is what allows the points to be stored in one location.

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Part II

Design

Development environment

8.1 Python

As the objective of this project is to enhance the Pygame library, it is imperative to utilize Python as the programming language. Python's interpreted nature enables efficient debugging and facilitates making changes to the code in a more expeditious manner since there is no need for repeated compilation during run-time. Additionally, Python offers a wide range of fundamental yet advantageous data structures, which will prove indispensable when constructing the matrix data structure. Additionally, Python has a large and active community of users and developers, which makes it easy to find support and resources for creating a 3D graphics library.

8.2 Visual Studio Code

My primary IDE of choice is Visual Studio Code due to its ability to facilitate the development of programs that require the use of multiple files. This is attributed to its support of simultaneous opening and manipulation of multiple files. Given the extensive number of files that I will be working with in the creation of the library, Visual Studio Code's multi-file handling capability is particularly desirable.

Moreover, the IDE offers a range of built-in tools that streamline code debugging, thereby enhancing the development process. Additionally, Visual Studio Code features numerous community-written extensions that can enhance the coding experience. Specifically, I will use Pylance for Python-specific debugging, isort for import sorting, and Rainbow Brackets for better visualization of bracket ordering.

Lastly, Visual Studio Code offers built-in version control functionality, which enables me to

update the code on different computers using Git. This feature provides an added layer of convenience and ensures that the code remains updated across multiple platforms.

8.3 Pygame

The exclusive library to be employed for the project at hand is Pygame, with the objective of imparting 3D capabilities to the software. Pygame offers the benefit of abstracting the generation of 2D graphics, which consequently saves considerable time and facilitates the undivided concentration on the development of the program's 3D element.

Pygame will be used to create a display and draw circles and polygons onto it. The circles will be drawn at the vertices of the points, and the polygons will be used to draw triangles.

The function calls look like this:

```
import pygame

2
3 # Command to create a screen
4 surface = pygame.display.set_mode(size, flags, depth, display, vsync
)

6 # Command to draw a circle
7 circle = pygame.draw.circle(surface, color, center, radius)

8
9 # Command to draw a polygon
10 polygon = pygame.draw.polygon(surface, color, points, width)
```

IPSO diagram

When the user wants to input a model and see it rendered, they input the file path as a parameter of the class as a string. The class then calls a function which reads the file and generates all the points and triangles to render the model on the screen.

Inputs	Processes
File path	Function that generates points and triangles
Storage	Outputs
List	Model drawn on screen

Data storage

The user will be able to generate as many shapes, points, triangles and models as they wish. Since they will all need to be rotated, translated, and projected it is useful to store them in a single variable so that when it comes to projecting these points, you can simply loop through the list and project them one by one. Therefore, I will store all these data structures in a single list called "mesh". This will be a 1 dimensional list which will only contain triangles and points. The triangles and points will be appended to the list in their "__init__" methods. The loop will then check if the current shape is a Point or Triangle object and will perform the necessary operations to project and draw them.

Class diagrams

The following diagrams show all the attributes and methods which will be needed for each class. These diagrams contain all the data types of the attributes and the data types for the data that the methods take as parameters and the data types for the data that they return.

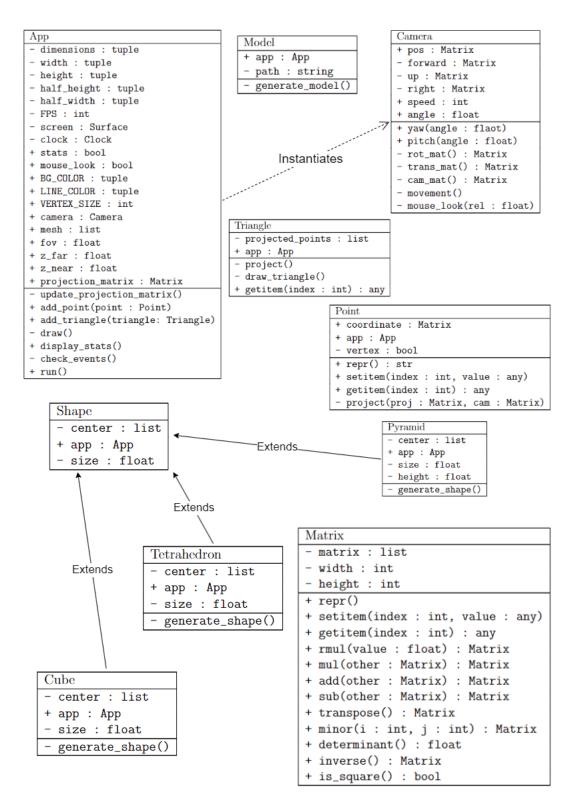


Figure 11.1: Panda3D window

Class description

Class	Attribute	Access Type	Default Values	Description
	dimensions	private	(1000, 700)	The dimensions of the screen
	width	private	1000	The width of the screen
	height	private	700	The height of the screen
	half_width	private		The half width of the screen
	half_height	private		The half height of the screen
	FPS	private	60	The number of times the pro-
				gram loop runs per second
	screen	private	Surface	The window where the scene
				will be rendered
App	clock	private	Clock	The clock that will tick the
Прр				number of FPS
	stats	public	False	Flag that allows for stats to
				be displayed on the screen
	mouse_look	public	False	Flag that dictates whether
				mouse input can be used to
				look around the scene
	BG_COLOR	public	(0, 0, 0)	Screen background color
	LINE_COLOR	public	(255, 255, 255)	Color used to drawn vertices
				and triangles
	VERTEX_SIZE	public	2	The size of the drawn points
	camera	public	Camera	Camera which is used to look
				and move around the scene
	mesh	public		List that stores all points and
				triangles
	fov	public	90	The field of view of the cam-
				era
	z_far	public	1000	Distance to far plane
	z_near	public	0.1	Distance to near plane

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	projection_matrix	public	Matrix	Matrix used to project points on screen
	check_stats	private	0	Variable which is used to determine the previous state of the optional statistics button
	pos forward	private private	[0, 0, 1]	Starting position of camera Camera orientation along z- axis
Camera	up	private	[0, 1, 0]	Camera orientation along yaxis
-	right	private	[1, 0, 0]	Camera orientation along x-axis
	speed	public	1	Movement speed
	angle	public	1	Rotation speed
Model	app	public	App	App object used to create the triangles and points
	path	private		Path of model that will be drawn
	coordinate	public		The coordinate of the point
Point	app	public	App	App object used to add the point to mesh
	vertex	private	True	Used to determine whether the point will be drawn
Shape	center	private	[0, 0, 0]	The center coordinate of the shape that is to be drawn
	size	private	1	Size of the shape that is to be drawn
	app	public	App	App object used to create the triangles and points
Cube	center	private	[0, 0, 0]	The center coordinate of the shape that is to be drawn
	size	private	1	Size of the shape that is to be drawn
	app	public	App	App object used to create the triangles and points
Pyramid	center	private	[0, 0, 0]	The center coordinate of the shape that is to be drawn
	size	private	1	Size of the shape that is to be drawn
	app	public	App	App object used to create th triangles and points
Tetrahedron	center	private	[0, 0, 0]	The center coordinate of the shape that is to be drawn

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	size	private	1	Size of the shape that is to be	
				drawn	
	app	public	App	App object used to create the	
				triangles and points	
Triangle	projected_points	private		Used to store the projected	
Illangie				point for clipping	
	app	public	App	App object used to add the	
				triangle to mesh	
	matrix	private		The actual matrix in list for	
Matrix	width	private		Number of columns	
	height	private		Number of rows	

Class	Access Type and Method	Parameters	Return Values	Description
	- update_projection_matrix()			Re-defines
App				the projection
				matrix if pa-
				rameters are
				changed
	+ add_point()	point		Adds a point to
				mesh
	<pre>+ add_triangle()</pre>	triangle		Adds a triangle
				to mesh
	- draw()			Draws all the
				points and tri-
				angles on the
				screen
	$+ display_stats()$			Displays all op-
				tional stats on
				screen
	- check_events()			Checks for
				mouse and
				keyboard input
	+ run()			Runs main pro-
		_		gram loop
	+ yaw()	angle		Rotates camera
				along y-axis
	+ pitch()	angle		Rotates camera
Camera				along x-axis
	- rot_mat()		Rotation matrix	Creates camera
				rotation matrix
	- trans_mat()		Translation matrix	Creates trans-
				lation matrix

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	- cam_mat()		Camera matrix	Multiplies translation and
	- movement()			rotation matrix Checks for movement keys
	- mouse_look()	rel		Checks for mouse move- ment
Model	- generate_model()			Generates points and triangles for model
Point	+ repr()		coordinate[0]	Defines behaviour of printing a point
	+ setitem()	index, value		Defines behaviour of setting indexed point to a value
	+ getitem()	index	coordinate[index]	Defines behaviour of getting item of indexed point
	- project()	proj, cam	Coordinate or None	Projects a 3D point to 2D space
Cube	- generate_shape()			Generates points and triangles for Cube
Pyramid	- generate_shape()			Generates points and triangles for Pyramid
Tetrahedron	- generate_shape()			Generates points and triangles for Tetrahedron
Triangle	- project()			Projects the vertices of the triangle
	- draw_triangle()			Draws the triangle

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	+ getitem()	index	points[index]	Defines be-
				haviour of
				getting item
				of indexed
				triangle
	+ repr()			Defines be-
	- 0			haviour of
				printing a
				matrix
	+ setitem()	index, value		Defines be-
3.5		,		haviour of
Matrix				setting indexed
				matrix to a
				value
	+ getitem()	index	matrix[index]	Defines be-
			L 1	haviour of
				getting item of
				indexed matrix
	+ rmul()	value	Matrix	Defines be-
				haviour of
				multiplying a
				matrix with a
				number
	+ mul()	other	Matrix	Defines be-
				haviour of
				multiplying a
				matrix with
				another matrix
	+ add()	other	Matrix	Defines the
	,			behaviour of
				adding two ma-
				trices together
	+ sub()	other	Matrix	Defines the
	()	******		behaviour of
				subtracting
				two matrices
				together
	+ transpose()		Matrix	Defines the
	()		1,10,01111	behaviour of
				transposing a
				matrix
	+ minor()	i, j	Matrix	Finds the mi-
	()			nor of a matrix
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+ determinant()	 float	Finds the de-
		terminant of a
		matrix
+ inverse()	 Matrix	Finds the in-
		verse of a ma-
		trix
+ is_square()	 bool	Sees if a matrix
		is square

Algorithms

13.1 Matrix Multiplication

This algorithm will find the product of two matrices, A and B, where A has the same number of columns as the number of rows of B. The algorithm will consists of a nested loop which loops over the rows of A and the columns of B. Then, there will be a third loop which loops over the columns of A. Lastly, the product of the two numbers of the two matrices is found by using the indexes of the loops.

In pseudo code the algorithm for matrix multiplication looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
B is another matrix
Result is an empty matrix with size A.rows and B.columns

if A.columns = B.rows
for i from O to A.rows
for j from O to B.columns
sum = O
for k from O to A.columns
sum += A[i][k] * B[k][j]
Result[i][j] = sum
```

13.2 Matrix addition and subtraction

Matrix addition and subtraction are two very similar algorithms which first check that both matrices are the same size, then a nested loop loops through all the positions of the matrices. Finally at the same position in the result matrix, the addition or subtraction of the two

matrices is inserted.

In pseudo code the algorithm for matrix addition looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
B is another matrix
Result is an empty matrix with size A.rows and A.columns

if A.columns = B.columns AND A.rows = A.columns

for i from 0 to A.rows

for j from 0 to A.columns

Result[i][j] = A[i][j] + B[i][j]
```

In pseudo code the algorithm for matrix subtraction looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
B is another matrix
Result is an empty matrix with size A.rows and A.columns

if A.columns = B.columns AND A.rows = A.columns

for i from 0 to A.rows

for j from 0 to A.columns

Result[i][j] = A[i][j] - B[i][j]
```

13.3 Minor of a matrix

The minor of a matrix is a smaller matrix obtained by deleting one row and one column from a larger square matrix. The algorithm takes the i th row and j th column to be deleted and then iterates over the rows of the original matrix excluding the i th row using slicing. For each row it also excludes the j th column by concatenating two slices of the row - the slice from 0 to j and the slice from j + 1 to the end of the row.

In pseudo code the algorithm for finding the minor of a matrix looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
i is the row that should be deleted
j is the column that should be deleted
Result is an empty matrix with size A.rows and A.columns

Result = [row[:j] + row[j+1:] for row in (A[:i] + A[i+1:])]
```

13.4 Determinant of a matrix

The determinant of a matrix is a scalar value that is calculated from a square matrix. To find the determinant we begin by checking if the matrix is square. Then you check if the matrix has size 1x1, in this case the determinant is it's only value. If it isn't a 1x1 matrix, we start by iterating over all of the elements in the first row and return the value of the element and the index. Then you find the minor of the matrix where i = 0 and j = i. Then you use the co-factor formula which is defined as $(-1)^{i+j} \times$ determinant of minor. This method gives you O(n!) time complexity as it uses recursion.

In pseudo code the algorithm for finding the determinant of a matrix looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
determinant = 0

if A.rows = 1
determinant = A[0][0]
else:
for i, value in enumerate(A[0])
minor = A.minor(0, i)
determinant += (-1) ** i * value * minor.determinant()
```

13.5 Inverse of a matrix

To find the inverse of a matrix I will use the Gauss-Jordan elimination method[5]. The process involves performing a sequence of elementary row operations on a matrix until it is reduced to the identity matrix. The same sequence of operations is then applied to an augmented matrix that includes the identity matrix on the right-hand side, resulting in the inverse matrix on the left-hand side. Firstly, we check whether the matrix isn't square and if the determinant is equal to 0, because we can't find the inverse when these conditions are true. The next step is to create a copy of the matrix and create an identity matrix of the same size. Then we iterate through each diagonal element of the matrix and for each element, we divide the entire row by that diagonal element to make it equal to 1. Then we subtract the diagonal element from all the other elements in the same column to make the equal to zero. This process is repeated for all diagonal elements until the entire matrix is transformed into an identity matrix. The resulting transformed identity matrix is the inverse of the original matrix.

In pseudo code the algorithm for finding the inverse of a matrix looks like this:

```
A is a matrix
C is a copy of A
I is an identity with size A.rows
```

```
if A.determinant != O AND A.columns == A.rows
          indices = list(range(A.rows))
          for current_diagonal in range(A.rows)
              cd_ividor = 1 / C[current_diagonal][current_diagonal]
              for i range(A.rows)
9
                  C[current_diagonal][i] * cd_dividor
                  I[current_diagonal][i] * cd_dividor
              for j in indices[:current_diagonal] + indices[
     current_diagonal+1:]
                  current_row = C[j][current_diagonal]
13
14
                  for k in range(A.row)
                      C[j][k] -= C[cd][k] * current_row
16
                      I[i][k] -= C[cd][k] * current_row
```

13.6 Projecting a 3D point to 2D space

To project a point to 2D space you first have to make a copy of the point. Then you multiply the copied point by the camera matrix. Next you multiply the copied point by the projection matrix. Then, you divide the x-, y-, and z-coordinates by the w-coordinate if its not equal to 0. Finally, if the x- and y-coordinates lie between 2 and -2 they scaled to screen size and drawn.

```
P is the point
      CP is the copied point
      C is the camera matrix
      Proj is the projection matrix
      CP *= C
      CP *= Proj
      x, y, z, w = CP
9
      if w != 0
          x /= w
          y /= w
          z /= w
          if (x < 2 \text{ and } x > -2) AND (y < 2 \text{ and } y > -2)
               x, y = (x + 1) * window_height * 0.5, (y + 1) *
16
     window_height * 0.5
```

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13.7 Reading .obj files

A .obj file is comprised of a list of numbers that each start with a letter. If the letter is a v, the numbers refer to the coordinates of the point. If the letter is a f the numbers refer to the positions of the vertices in the file that make up the face. To generate all the vertices and triangles we simply need to read each line, if it starts with a v the point is appended to a points list, and if it starts with an f we append the face to triangles list. Since indexing in .obj files start at 1 we have to subtract 1 from the value. Finally, we create triangle objects by indexing the points list with the values in the triangles list.

```
vertices = []
triangles = []

for line in file
    if line starts with "v"
        vertices.append([float(i) for i in line.split()[1:]]
    elif line starts with "f"
        faces = line.split(1:)
        triangles.append([int(face.split("/")[0]) - 1 for face
    in faces])

for triangle in triangles:
        create Triangle(vertices[triangle[0]], vertices[triangle[1]], vertices[triangle[2]])
```

Modular structure of the system

The hierarchy chart in Figure 14.1 shows how each module will interact with each other.

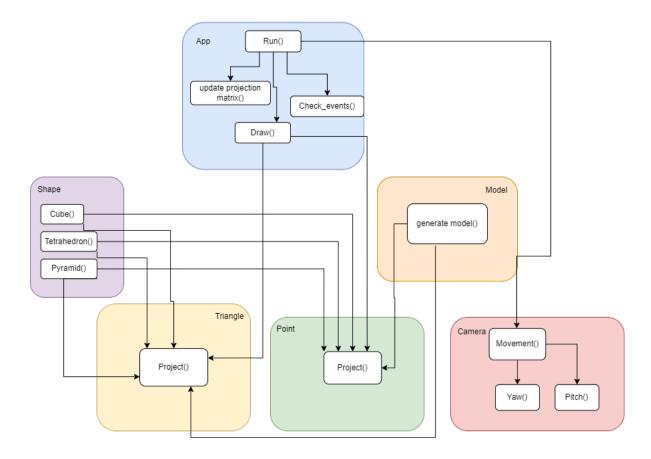


Figure 14.1: Hierarchy Chart

User Interface

15.1 Visual aspect

The visual aspect of the user interface of the window of the library will be quite simple. The only requirements are that the user must be able to see the FPS on the top bar of the screen, and if the user presses the "o" key they should be able to see FPS, FOV and screen dimensions on the screen itself. The optional stats will be located on the top left of the screen and will be written with a small font so they do not take up the whole screen as you can see in Figure 15.1. Since the extra stats will be drawn on the same window where the scene is drawn, it is imperative that they are visible when any background color is selected. To do this I will simply subtract 255 from the r, b, and g components of the background color to ensure that the text is always the opposite color of the background.

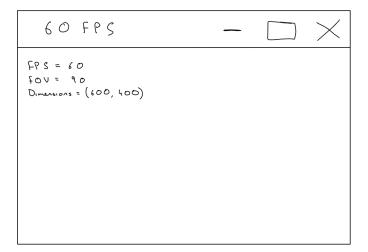


Figure 15.1: Program window

If the user draws a shape and moves and looks around the scene, the shape should distort

while keeping its perspective as shown in Figure 15.2.

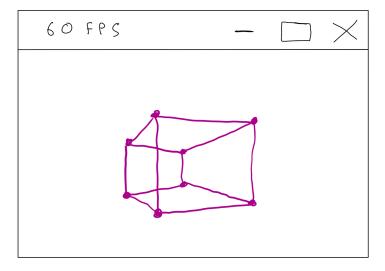


Figure 15.2: Program window

15.2 Movement controls

When the user runs their program, they should be able to use the w, a, s, and d keys to move around the scene and use the arrow keys, press the esc and o key to exit the screen and toggle statistics and use their mouse to look around the scene.

Key input can be implemented by using a Pygame command which will generate a dictionary of the all the keys that have been pressed followed by a Boolean value that tells you if they have been pressed.

The command in question is:

```
pygame.key.get_pressed()
```

After this command if statements can check whether the keys that were pressed are the same ones that the user will press to move and look around the scene. If the Boolean value for the key is True, a translation or rotation will be applied to the camera to make the movement correct.

A similar command is used for mouse motion:

```
pygame.event.get()
```

This command produces a list of all the events that have taken place in the frame. Now we just have to check whether the event is pygame.MOUSEMOTION. This event returns a value

called **rel** which is a tuple containing the relative motion of the mouse in the x and y directions. These values can be used to rotate the camera.

The only issue with this method is that the position of the mouse is never fixed therefore the camera will continuously rotate. To fix this we can simply fix the position of the mouse at the center of the screen at each frame using the following command:

```
pygame.mouse.set_pos((self.half_width, self.half_height))
```

15.3 Example of interaction

- 1. User installs library in command prompt using pip:
 - pip install pg3d
- 2. User imports library into their program
 - from pg3d import *
- 3. User creates an app object with no parameters
 - \bullet app = App()
- 4. User creates a shape object with the app, cube and center position as its parameters
 - app = Shape(app, "cube", center=[0, 0, 2])
- 5. User calls run method in app object.
 - app.run()
- 6. Window with a cube in front of the camera is drawn.

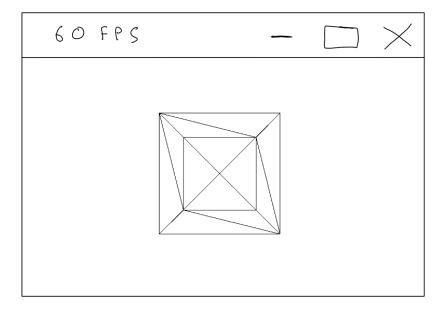


Figure 15.3: Initial window with cube

7. User looks to the left using arrow keys.

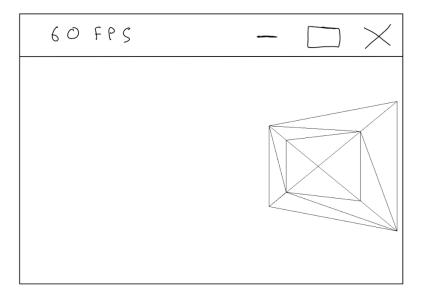


Figure 15.4: Arrow key input

8. Users presses escape key and window closes.

Part III

Implementation

Contents

• Chapter 28, lines 54 - 76: - Advanced matrix operations

These lines of code show the dot() function which is used in the <code>__mul__()</code> method to multiply to matrices together. This is a magic method meaning that the * operator can be used to multiply matrices together.

• Chapter 28, lines 158 - 178: - Advanced matrix operations

These lines of code show the __rmul__() which is used to find the product of a matrix and a number.

• Chapter 28, lines 198 - 240: - Advanced matrix operations

These lines of code show the methods used for addition and subtraction of matrices: __add__() and __sub__(). These are magic methods meaning that the * operator can be used to add and subtract matrices together.

• Chapter 28, lines 253 - 277: - Advanced matrix operations

These lines of code show the method to find the minor of a matrix. This method uses list comprehension and slicing.

- Chapter 28, lines 279 303: Advanced matrix operations and Recursive algorithm

 These lines of code show the method to find the determinant of a matrix. This method uses recursion and the minor of a matrix to find the determinant.
- Chapter 28, lines 305 349: Advanced matrix operations

These lines of code show the method to find the inverse of a matrix. This method uses the minor, determinant and many for loops to find the inverse. The inverse of a matrix is used in **Chapter 18**, line 88 to find the inverse of the camera matrix.

• Chapter 17, lines 130 - 132: - Complex mathematical model

These lines of code show how the projection matrix is defined.

• Chapter 24, lines 66 - 90: - Complex mathematical model

These lines of code take the current point, the projection matrix, and the camera matrix to project the point from 3D space to 2D space.

• Chapter 23, lines 18 - 43: - Reading from files

These following lines of code show the method used to generate all the triangles and points that make up a model in a .obj file.

$.\pg3d_-init_-.py$

```
from pg3d.point import Point
from pg3d.app import App
from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
from pg3d.cube import Cube
from pg3d.pyramid import Pyramid
from pg3d.tetrahedron import Tetrahedron
from pg3d.model import Model
```

$.\p3d\p.py$

```
1 import pygame as pg
2 import math as m
3 from pygame.colordict import THECOLORS
4 from typing import Optional, Tuple, Sequence
5 import pg3d.MatrixMath.matrix as mm
6 from pg3d.camera import Camera
7 from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
8 from pg3d.point import Point
11 class App:
     def __init__(
         self,
          dimensions = (1000, 700),
         cam_pos = [0, 0, 0],
          BG_COLOR=None,
         LINE_COLOR=None,
          VERTEX_SIZE=2,
          fullscreen=False,
          mouse_look=False,
     ):
22
          Initialises the library, creates the projection matrix and
     creates a camera
24
              dimensions ([tuple], optional): [window dimensions].
    Defaults to (1000, 700).
              cam_pos ([list], optional): [position of camrea].
27
     Defaults to [0, 0, 0].
              BG_COLOR ([tuple], optional): [background color].
     Defaults to (0, 0, 0).
```

```
LINE_COLOR ([tuple], optional): [color for drawing lines
      and points]. Defaults to (255, 255, 255).
              VERTEX_SIZE ([int], optional): [size of points].
30
     Defaults to 2.
              stats ([bool], optional): [shows some stats on screen].
31
     Defaults to False.
              fullscreen ([bool], optional): [makes screen fullscreen
     ]. Defaults to False.
              mouse_look ([bool], optional): [use mouse movement too
33
     look with camera]. Defaults to False.
34
          if not isinstance (dimensions, list) and not isinstance (
     dimensions, tuple):
              raise Exception("dimensions must be list or tuple")
36
37
          if isinstance (dimensions [0], list) or isinstance (dimensions
38
     [0], tuple):
              raise Exception("dimensions cannot be larger than 1D")
40
          if not (len(dimensions) == 2):
41
              raise Exception("dimensions must contain 2 values")
42
          if not isinstance(cam_pos, list) and not isinstance(cam_pos,
44
      tuple):
              raise Exception("cam_pos must be list or tuple")
45
46
          if isinstance(cam_pos[0], list) or isinstance(cam_pos[0],
47
     tuple):
              raise Exception("cam_pos cannot be larger than 1D")
          if not (len(cam_pos) == 3):
50
              raise Exception("cam_pos must contain 3 values")
          if not isinstance(VERTEX_SIZE, int):
53
              raise Exception("VERTEX_SIZE must be int")
54
          if (
              not not isinstance(BG_COLOR, bool)
              and not isinstance(BG_COLOR, list)
58
              and not isinstance (BG_COLOR, tuple)
              not not isinstance(LINE_COLOR, bool)
61
              and not isinstance(LINE_COLOR, list)
              and not isinstance(LINE_COLOR, tuple)
          ):
              raise Exception("BG_COLOR and LINE_COLOR must be either
     list or tuple")
```

```
pg.init()
67
           if fullscreen:
               self._screen = pg.display.set_mode((0, 0), pg.FULLSCREEN
70
       vsync=1)
               self._dimensions = (
                   self._width,
72
                   self._height,
73
               ) = pg.display.get_surface().get_size()
74
           else:
75
               self._dimensions = self._width, self._height =
     dimensions
               self._screen = pg.display.set_mode(self._dimensions, pg.
77
     RESIZABLE, vsync=1)
78
           self._half_width, self._half_height = self._width / 2, self.
79
     _height / 2
           self.FPS = 60
80
           self._screen = pg.display.set_mode(self._dimensions, pg.
81
     RESIZABLE, vsync=1)
           self._clock = pg.time.Clock()
           self.stats = False
83
           self.check_stats = 0
84
85
           if mouse_look:
86
               pg.mouse.set_visible(
87
                   0
88
                  # sets the mouse to invisible if mouse movement is
     turned on
90
           self.mouse_look = mouse_look
91
           self.BG_COLOR = BG_COLOR
93
           self.LINE_COLOR = LINE_COLOR
94
           self.VERTEX_SIZE = VERTEX_SIZE
           if (self.BG_COLOR is None) and (
97
               self.LINE_COLOR is not None
98
              # user inputs line color but not bg color
99
               self.BG_COLOR = (
100
                   255 - self.LINE_COLOR[0],
                   255 - self.LINE_COLOR[1],
                   255 - self.LINE_COLOR[2],
103
               )
           elif (self.BG_COLOR is not None) and (
               self.LINE_COLOR is None
106
```

```
# user inputs bg color but not line color
107
               self.LINE_COLOR = (
108
                    255 - self.BG_COLOR[0],
                   255 - self.BG_COLOR[1],
                   255 - self.BG_COLOR[2],
111
               )
           else: # user inputs nothing for bg and line color
113
               self.BG_COLOR = (0, 0, 0)
114
               self.LINE_COLOR = (255, 255, 255)
           self.camera = Camera(cam_pos)
118
           self.mesh = []
119
           self.fov = 90
           self.z_far = 1000
           self.z_near = 0.1
124
           m00 = (self._height / self._width) * (1 / m.tan(m.radians(
     self.fov / 2)))
           m11 = 1 / m.tan(m.radians(self.fov / 2))
126
           m22 = self.z_far / (self.z_far - self.z_near)
127
           m32 = -self.z_near * (self.z_far / (self.z_far - self.z_near
128
     ))
129
           self.projection_matrix = mm.Matrix(
130
               [[m00, 0, 0, 0], [0, -m11, 0, 0], [0, 0, m22, 1], [0, 0,
      m32, 0]]
          )
133
       def _update_projection_matrix(self):
134
135
           Updates the projection matrix when the values of fov and
136
      aspect ratio are changed by the user
           m00 = (self._height / self._width) * (1 / m.tan(m.radians(
138
     self.fov / 2)))
           m11 = 1 / m.tan(m.radians(self.fov / 2))
139
           m22 = self.z_far / (self.z_far - self.z_near)
140
           m32 = -self.z_near * (self.z_far / (self.z_far - self.z_near
141
     ))
142
           self.projection_matrix = mm.Matrix(
143
               [[m00, 0, 0, 0], [0, -m11, 0, 0], [0, 0, m22, 1], [0, 0,
144
      m32, 0]]
           )
145
146
```

```
def add_point(self, point):
148
           When a user creates a point object this function is called
149
      and adds the point to mesh
150
           Args:
                point ([Point]): [a point object]
153
           self.mesh.append(point)
154
       def add_triangle(self, triangle):
156
           self.mesh.append(triangle)
158
       def _draw(self):
           self._screen.fill(self.BG_COLOR)
161
           for shape in self.mesh:
                if isinstance(shape, Triangle):
                    shape._project()
164
                elif isinstance(shape, Point):
                    projected = shape._project(
167
                         self.projection_matrix, self.camera._cam_mat()
168
                    if projected is not None:
                        x, y, z = projected
173
                        if shape._vertex == True:
                             pg.draw.circle(
175
                                 self._screen, self.LINE_COLOR, (x, y),
      self.VERTEX_SIZE
177
178
       def display_stats(self):
179
           0.00
180
           If self.stats is true, this method will display stats on
      screen every frame
           \Pi_{i}\Pi_{j}\Pi_{j}
182
           if self.stats == True:
183
               bg = self.BG_COLOR
184
               font\_color = (255 - bg[0], 255 - bg[1], 255 - bg[2])
185
               font = pg.font.Font("freesansbold.ttf", 10)
186
               fov = font.render(f"fov = {self.fov}", True, font_color)
187
                fps = font.render(f"fps = {round(self._clock.get_fps())}
188
      ", True, font_color)
                dimensions = font.render(
189
```

```
f"dimensions = {self._dimensions}", True, font_color
190
                )
                self._screen.blit(fov, (5, 5))
                self._screen.blit(fps, (5, 15))
                self._screen.blit(dimensions, (5, 25))
194
195
       def _check_events(self):
196
           for event in pg.event.get():
197
                if event.type == pg.QUIT:
198
                    exit()
199
200
                elif event.type == pg.KEYDOWN and event.key == pg.
201
      K_ESCAPE:
                    exit()
202
203
                elif event.type == pg.KEYDOWN and event.key == pg.K_o:
204
                    if self.check_stats % 2 == 0:
205
                        self.stats = True
206
207
                    else:
208
                        self.stats = False
209
                    self.check_stats += 1
211
212
                elif event.type == pg.MOUSEWHEEL:
213
                    if event.y == 1:
214
                        self.fov -= 1
                    else:
                        self.fov += 1
                    self._update_projection_matrix()
219
                elif event.type == pg.VIDEORESIZE:
220
                    self._screen = pg.display.set_mode((event.w, event.h
221
     ), pg.RESIZABLE)
                    self._dimensions = self._width, self._height = (
222
      event.w, event.h)
                    self._half_width, self._half_height = self._width /
223
      2, self._height / 2
                    self._update_projection_matrix()
224
225
                elif (self.mouse_look == True) and (event.type == pg.
     MOUSEMOTION):
                    self.camera._mouse_look(event.rel)
227
228
       def run(self):
229
230
           Main loop of the library which checks for camera control and
231
```

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```
other events, and draws and projects the points
232
           while True:
233
               self._draw()
234
               self.camera._movement()
235
               self._check_events()
236
               self.display_stats()
237
238
               if self.mouse_look == True:
239
                    pg.mouse.set_pos((self._half_width, self.
240
      _half_height))
241
               pg.display.set_caption(f"{round(self._clock.get_fps())}
242
     FPS")
               pg.display.update()
                self._clock.tick(self.FPS)
244
```

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$.\p3d\camera.py$

```
import pg3d.MatrixMath.matrix as mm
2 from pg3d.matrices import rotate_x, rotate_y, rotate_z
3 import pygame as pg
4 import math as m
7 class Camera:
     def __init__(self, position, forward=[0, 0, 1], up=[0, 1, 0],
     right = [1, 0, 0]):
          11 11 11
          Args:
              position ([list]): [Starting position of camera]
              forward ([list], optional): [Orientation along z-axis].
     Defaults to [0, 0, 1].
              up ([list], optional): [Orientation along y-axis].
     Defaults to [0, 1, 0].
              right ([list], optional): [Orientation along x-axis].
14
     Defaults to [1, 0, 0].
          self.pos = mm.Matrix([[*position, 1]])
16
          self._forward = mm.Matrix([[*forward, 1]])
          self._up = mm.Matrix([[*up, 1]])
          self._right = mm.Matrix([[*right, 1]])
10
          self.speed = 1
          self.angle = m.radians(1)
      def yaw(self, angle):
          \Pi_{-}\Pi_{-}\Pi_{-}
25
          Rotates camera directions along y-axis by angle
          Args:
```

```
angle ([float]): [Angle used to rotate camera
29
     orientation]
          0.00
30
          self._up *= rotate_y(angle)
31
          self._forward *= rotate_y(angle)
32
          self._right *= rotate_y(angle)
33
      def pitch(self, angle):
36
          Rotates camera directions along x-axis by angle
38
          Args:
               angle ([float]): [Angle used to rotate camera
40
     orientation]
          self._up *= rotate_x(angle)
42
          self._forward *= rotate_x(angle)
43
          self._right *= rotate_x(angle)
44
45
      def _rot_mat(self):
46
          0.00
47
          Creates rotation matrix
49
          Returns:
               [Matrix]: [Rotation matrix used to rotate all point in
     world space around camera]
          0.00
          fx, fy, fz, fw = self._forward[0]
53
          rx, ry, rz, rw = self._right[0]
          ux, uy, uz, uw = self._up[0]
56
          return mm.Matrix(
57
               [[rx, ry, rz, 0],
                [ux, uy, fz, 0],
59
                [fx, fy, fz, 0],
                [0, 0, 0, 1]]
          )
63
      def _trans_mat(self):
64
65
          Creates translate matrix
66
          Returns:
68
               [Matrix]: [Translation matrix used to put camera at
     center of 3D space]
70
71
          x, y, z, w = self.pos[0]
```

```
return mm.Matrix(
73
               [[1, 0, 0, 0],
74
                [0, 1, 0, 0],
                 [0, 0, 1, 0],
76
                 [x, y, z, 1]]
       def _cam_mat(self):
80
           11 11 11
81
           Creates camera matrix
82
83
           Returns:
84
               [Matrix]: [Camera matrix which is multiplied to all
     points]
86
           camera_matrix = self._trans_mat() * self._rot_mat()
87
           return camera_matrix.inverse()
88
89
      def _movement(self):
90
           0.00
91
           Checks for user input and then performs the necessary
     rotations and translations
93
           key = pg.key.get_pressed()
94
95
           if key[pg.K_a]:
96
               self._right = self.speed * self._right
97
               self.pos = self.pos - self._right
           if key[pg.K_d]:
               self._right = self.speed * self._right
100
               self.pos = self.pos + self._right
101
           if key[pg.K_w]:
               self._forward = self.speed * self._forward
               self.pos = self.pos + self._forward
104
           if key[pg.K_s]:
               self._forward = self.speed * self._forward
106
               self.pos = self.pos - self._forward
           if key[pg.K_q]:
108
               self._up = self.speed * self._up
               self.pos = self.pos + self._up
           if key[pg.K_e]:
               self._up = self.speed * self._up
               self.pos = self.pos - self._up
113
           if key[pg.K_LEFT]:
               self.yaw(-self.angle)
```

```
if key[pg.K_RIGHT]:
117
                self.yaw(self.angle)
118
           if key[pg.K_UP]:
119
                self.pitch(self.angle)
120
           if key[pg.K_DOWN]:
121
                self.pitch(-self.angle)
123
       def _mouse_look(self, rel):
124
125
           Moves camera when mouse is moved
126
127
           Args:
128
                rel ([float]): [relative position of mouse]
129
           0.00
           x, y = rel
131
           self.yaw(x / 1000)
132
           self.pitch(-y / 1000)
133
```

$.\p3d\Cube.py$

```
1 from pg3d.shape import Shape
2 from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
5 class Cube(Shape):
      def __init__(self, app, size=1, center=[0, 0, 0]):
          super().__init__(app, size, center)
          self._generate_shape()
      def _generate_shape(self):
          Creates points and vertices of cube
14
          Returns:
              [tuple[list, list]]: [tuple containing list of vertices
     and list of triangles]
          11 11 11
17
         x, y, z = self._center
18
          half_size = self._size / 2
19
20
          vertices = [
              [x - half_size, y + half_size, z + half_size], # Front-
     bottom-left
              [x + half_size, y + half_size, z + half_size], # Front-
23
     bottom-right
              [x + half_size, y - half_size, z + half_size], # Front-
     top-right
              [x - half_size, y - half_size, z + half_size], # Front-
25
     top-left
              [x - half_size, y + half_size, z - half_size], # Back-
26
     bottom-left
```

```
[x + half_size, y + half_size, z - half_size], # Back-
27
     bottom-right
               [x + half_size, y - half_size, z - half_size],
28
     top-right
               [x - half_size, y - half_size, z - half_size], # Back-
29
     top-left
          ]
31
          triangles = [
               [0, 1, 2],
33
               [0, 2, 3],
                            # Front face
34
               [1, 5, 6],
               [1, 6, 2],
                            # Right face
36
               [3, 2, 6],
               [3, 6, 7],
                            # Top face
               [4, 5, 1],
39
               [4, 1, 0],
                            # Bottom face
40
               [4, 0, 3],
41
               [4, 3, 7],
                            # Left face
42
               [7, 6, 5],
43
               [7, 5, 4],
                           # Back face
44
          ]
          # creates the triangles
47
          if (triangles != None) and (vertices != None):
48
               for triangle in triangles:
49
                   Triangle(
50
                        self.app,
                        vertices[triangle[0]],
                            vertices[triangle[1]],
54
                            vertices[triangle[2]],
55
                       ],
56
                   )
57
```

$.\p3d\Pyramid.py$

```
1 from pg3d.shape import Shape
2 from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
5 class Pyramid(Shape):
      def __init__(self, app, size=1, center=[0, 0, 0]):
          super().__init__(app, size, center)
          self._generate_shape()
      def _generate_shape(self):
          Creates points and vertices of pyramid
          Returns:
              [tuple[list, list]]: [tuple containing list of vertices
    and list of triangles]
          11 11 11
17
         x, y, z = self._center
18
         half_size = self._size / 2
19
          vertices = [
              [x - half_size, y - half_size, z - half_size], # Bottom
    -back-left
              [x - half_size, y - half_size, z + half_size], # Bottom
    -front-left
              [x + half_size, y - half_size, z - half_size], # Bottom
    -back-right
              [x + half_size, y - half_size, z + half_size], # Bottom
25
    -front-right
             [x, y + self.\_size, z], # Top
27
```

```
28
          triangles = [
29
               [0, 1, 2],
30
               [0, 2, 3],
31
               [1, 2, 3],
                            # Base face
32
               [0, 4, 3],
                           # Front-left face
33
               [1, 4, 0],
                           # Front-right face
                           # Back-right face
               [2, 4, 1],
               [3, 4, 2],
                           # Back-left face
36
          ]
37
38
          if (triangles != None) and (vertices != None):
39
               for triangle in triangles:
40
                   Triangle(
                        self.app,
                        43
                            vertices[triangle[0]],
44
                            vertices[triangle[1]],
45
                            vertices[triangle[2]],
46
                        ],
47
                   )
48
```

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.\pg3d\Tetrahedron.py

```
1 from pg3d.shape import Shape
2 from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
5 class Tetrahedron(Shape):
      def __init__(self, app, size=1, center=[0, 0, 0]):
          super().__init__(app, size, center)
          self._generate_shape()
      def _generate_shape(self):
          Creates points and vertices of tetrahedron
          Returns:
              [tuple[list, list]]: [tuple containing list of vertices
    and list of triangles]
17
         half_size = self._size / 2
18
         x, y, z = self._center
19
         height = (
              self.\_size * 0.86
            # Multiply by 0.86 to adjust height to make it
    equilateral
23
          vertices = [
              [x, y + height / 3, z], # Top
              [x - half_size, y - height / 3, z - half_size],
    Bottom-front-left
              [x + half_size, y - height / 3, z - half_size], #
    Bottom-front-right
              [x, y - height / 3, z + half_size], # Bottom-back
28
```

```
]
30
           triangles = [
31
               [0, 1, 2],
                           # Front face
32
               [0, 2, 3],
                           # Right face
33
               [0, 3, 1],
                           # Left face
               [1, 3, 2],
                           # Bottom face
          ]
36
37
          if (triangles != None) and (vertices != None):
38
               for triangle in triangles:
39
                   Triangle(
40
                        self.app,
41
                        42
                            vertices[triangle[0]],
                            vertices[triangle[1]],
44
                            vertices[triangle[2]],
45
                        ],
46
                   )
47
```

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$.\p3d\matrices.py$

```
1 import pg3d.MatrixMath.matrix as mm
2 import math as m
5 def rotate_x(angle):
      0.000
      Rotation matrix on x-axis
      Args:
          angle ([float]): [Angle for rotation]
      Returns:
          [Matrix]: [Creates rotation matrix along x-axis]
      return mm.Matrix(
               [1, 0, 0, 0],
               [0, m.cos(angle), m.sin(angle), 0],
              [0, -m.sin(angle), m.cos(angle), 0],
              [0, 0, 0, 1],
          ]
22
25 def rotate_y(angle):
      Rotation matrix on y-axis
27
      Args:
29
          angle ([float]): [Angle for rotation]
      Returns:
```

```
[Matrix]: [Creates rotation matrix along y-axis]
       \Pi_{-}\Pi_{-}\Pi
34
       return mm.Matrix(
35
36
                [m.cos(angle), 0, -m.sin(angle), 0],
37
                [0, 1, 0, 0],
                [m.sin(angle), 0, m.cos(angle), 0],
                [0, 0, 0, 1],
           41
       )
42
43
44
45 def rotate_z(angle):
       0.00
46
       Rotation matrix on z-axis
48
       Args:
49
           angle ([float]): [Angle for rotation]
50
51
       Returns:
            [Matrix]: [Creates rotation matrix along z-axis]
53
       \Pi_{-}\Pi_{-}\Pi_{-}
       return mm.Matrix(
55
56
                [m.cos(angle), m.sin(angle), 0, 0],
57
                [-m.sin(angle), m.cos(angle), 0, 0],
58
                [0, 0, 1, 0],
                [0, 0, 0, 1],
60
           ]
```

$.\p3d\podel.py$

```
1 from pg3d.triangle import Triangle
2 from pg3d.point import Point
5 class Model:
      def __init__(self, app, path):
              app ([App]): [instance of App class]
              path ([str]): [path of .obj file]
          0.00
          if not isinstance(path, str):
              raise Exception("Path must be string")
          self.app = app
          self._path = path
          self._generate_model()
      def _generate_model(self):
19
          Gets vertex and triangle information from .obj file and
20
     creates the necessary triangles and points
          vertices, triangles = [], []
22
          with open(self._path) as file:
              for line in file:
                  if line.startswith("v"):
                       vertices.append([float(i) for i in line.split()
     [1:]])
                  elif line.startswith("f "):
27
                       faces = line.split()[1:]
28
                       triangles.append([int(face.split("/")[0]) - 1
29
     for face in faces])
```

```
30
           if len(triangles) > 0:
31
               for triangle in triangles:
32
                    Triangle(
33
                        self.app,
34
                         (
35
                             vertices[triangle[0]],
                             vertices[triangle[1]],
37
                             vertices[triangle[2]],
38
                        ),
39
                    )
40
           else:
41
               for vertex in vertices:
42
                    Point(self.app, vertex)
```

$.\p3d\point.py$

```
1 import pygame as pg
2 import pg3d.MatrixMath.matrix as mm
3 import math as m
4 from pygame.colordict import THECOLORS
7 class Point:
     def __init__(self, app, coordinate, vertex=True):
          0.00
          Creates the point
          Args:
              app ([App]): [instance of App class]
              coordinate ([list]): [coordinate of point]
14
              vertex (bool, optional): [flag that says whether point
     is drawn]. Defaults to True.
          if not isinstance (coordinate, list) and not isinstance (
     coordinate, tuple):
              raise Exception("Coordinate must be list or tuple")
18
          if len(coordinate) > 3:
20
              raise Exception("Coordinate must have 3 numbers")
21
          if not isinstance(vertex, bool):
              raise Exception("Vertex type must be bool")
          self.coordinate = mm.Matrix([[*coordinate, 1]])
          self.app = app
27
          self.app.add_point(self)
          self._vertex = vertex
```

```
def __repr__(self):
32
          Defines the behaviour of printing Point objects
33
34
          Returns:
35
               [str]: [String representation of point]
          return str(self.coordinate[0])
39
      def __setitem__(self, index, value):
40
41
          Defines the behaviour of setting an indexed Point object to
42
     a value
43
          Args:
              index ([int]): [position of point]
45
               value ([float]): [vew value of coordinate]
46
47
          self.coordinate[0][index] = value
48
49
      def __getitem__(self, index):
50
          0.00
          Defines the behaviour for indexing a Point object
53
          Args:
54
               index ([int]): [position of coordinate]
56
          Returns:
57
               [float]: [coordinate that was indexed]
          if index == 0 or index == 1 or index == 2 or index == 3:
60
              return self.coordinate[0][index]
61
62
          else:
63
              return "invalid position"
64
      def _project(self, proj, cam):
67
          projects point
68
69
          Args:
70
               proj ([Matrix]): [projection matrix]
71
               cam ([Matrix]): [camera matrix]
72
73
          Returns:
               [tuple]: [Returns projected point]
75
76
```

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```
copy = mm.copy_matrix(self.coordinate)
77
           copy *= cam
78
           projected = copy * proj
79
           x, y, z, w = projected[0]
80
81
           if w != 0:
               x /= w
               y /= w
               z /= w
85
               if (x < 2 \text{ and } x > -2) and (y < 2 \text{ and } y > -2):
86
                   x, y = (x + 1) * self.app._half_width, (y + 1) *
87
     self.app._half_height
                   return (x, y, z)
88
               else:
                   return None
```

$.\p3d\shape.py$

```
class Shape:
    def __init__(self, app, size=1, center=[0, 0, 0]):
        if not isinstance(center, list) and not isinstance(center, tuple):
        raise Exception("center must be list or tuple")

if not isinstance(size, float) and not isinstance(size, int)
:
        raise Exception("size must be int or float")

if len(center) != 3:
        raise Exception("center must have 3 values")

self.app = app
self.center = center
self.size = size
```

.\pg3d\triangle.py

```
1 from pg3d.point import Point
2 import pygame as pg
5 class Triangle:
      def __init__(self, app, vertices):
          Creates triangle
          Args:
              app ([App]): [Specify App object]
              vertices ([list[list]]): [list with 3 cartesian
    coordinates]
          if not isinstance(vertices, list) and not isinstance(
    vertices, tuple):
              raise Exception("vertices must be list or tuple")
          if not isinstance(vertices[0], list) and not isinstance(
17
    vertices[0], tuple):
              raise Exception("vertices must be 2D list or tuple")
18
19
          if len(vertices) != 3:
20
              raise Exception("vertices must contain 3 coordinates")
          self.points = [
              Point(app, vertices[0], False),
              Point(app, vertices[1], False),
              Point(app, vertices[2], False),
26
          self._projected_points = []
          self.app = app
```

```
self.app.add_triangle(self)
30
31
      def _project(self):
32
33
          Projects triangle
34
35
           self.projected_points = []
           for point in self.points:
37
               projected = point._project(
38
                   self.app.projection_matrix, self.app.camera._cam_mat
39
     ()
40
               if projected != None:
41
                   self.projected_points.append(projected)
42
           self._draw_triangle()
44
45
      def _draw_triangle(self):
46
47
          Draws triangle
48
49
          if len(self.projected_points) == 3:
               a, b, c = self.projected_points
51
               pg.draw.polygon(
                   self.app._screen, self.app.LINE_COLOR, (a[:-1], b
53
     [:-1], c[:-1]), 1
54
      def __getitem__(self, index):
           Args:
58
               index ([int]): [index of triangle]
59
60
          Returns:
61
               [Point]: [returns point]
62
          return self.points[index]
```

$.\MatrixMath__init_.py$

In order to import the 'matrix.py' file, which is located in its own folder, an accompanying '__init__.py' file is required. This file acts as a module initializer, allowing the 'matrix.py' file to be accessed and used by other Python scripts. However, as the '.\MatrixMath' folder contains only a single file, no additional code is required in the '__init__.py' file. As such, it has been deliberately left empty, simplifying the module structure and avoiding unnecessary code complexity.

$.\p3d\MatrixMath\matrix.py$

```
def zeroes(height, width):
      Creates a matrix of size h x w and fills it with zeroes
      Args:
          height ([int]): [rows of matrix]
          width ([int]): [columns of matrix]
     Returns:
          [Matrix]: [Matrix filled with zeroes]
      if type(height) != int or type(height) != int:
          raise TypeError("height and width must be integer")
     return Matrix([[0 for w in range(width)] for h in range(height)
    7)
16
18 def identity(n):
     Returns an identity matrix of size n x n
     Args:
         n ([int]): [size of square matrix]
      if type(n) != int:
          raise TypeError("n must be integer")
     matrix = zeroes(n, n)
     for i in range(matrix.height):
          matrix[i][i] = 1
```

```
return matrix
33
34
 def copy_matrix(matrix):
35
      11 11 11
      Returns a copy of the inputted matrix
37
      Args:
          matrix ([Matrix]): [matrix that needs to be copied]
40
41
      Returns:
42
           [Matrix]: [copied matrix]
43
      0.00
44
      if type(matrix) == list:
          return Matrix(
               [[matrix[h][w] for w in range(len(matrix[0]))] for h in
     range(len(matrix))]
          )
48
      else:
49
          m = matrix._matrix
          return Matrix([[m[h][w] for w in range(len(m[0]))] for h in
     range(len(m))])
53
54 def dot(a, b):
      Finds dot product of matrices a and b that are compatible
56
57
      Args:
          a ([Matrix]): [Matrix used for dot product]
          b ([Matrix]): [Matrix used for dot product]
61
      Returns:
62
           [Matrix]: [result]
63
64
      result = zeroes(a.height, b.width)
65
      for height in range(a.height):
          for width in range(b.width):
68
               sum = 0
69
70
               for b_height in range(a.width):
71
                   sum += a._matrix[height][b_height] * b[b_height][
72
     width]
               result[height][width] = sum
74
75
```

```
return result
77
78
  class Matrix:
       def __init__(self, matrix):
           initialises the matrix and finds the height and width of the
      matrix
83
           Args:
84
               matrix ([list]): [2D array]
85
86
           self._matrix = matrix
87
           if type(self._matrix) != list:
               raise TypeError("Matrix must be a list")
90
91
           self.width = len(self._matrix[0])
           self.height = len(self._matrix)
93
94
       def __repr__(self):
95
           11 11 11
           Defines behaviour of printing a matrix object
97
98
           Returns:
99
                [str]: [String representation of matrix obejct]
100
           print("[", end="")
           # loop that iterates through every item of the matrix
           for height in range(self.height):
104
               print("[", end="")
               for width in range(self.width):
106
                    if width != self.width - 1:
                                                   # if the number is'nt
     the last in its row
                        print(f"{self._matrix[height][width]}, ", end=""
108
     )
109
                    else:
110
                        print(
                             f"{self._matrix[height][width]}", end=""
                           # if the number is that last in its row
113
114
               if height != self.height - 1:
                    print("]")
116
117
               else:
118
                    print("]", end="")
119
```

```
120
           print("]", end="")
           return ""
123
124
       def __setitem__(self, index, value):
125
126
127
           Defines the behaviour of changing the value of the matrix at
       a specific index
128
           Args:
                index ([int]): [position of matrix]
130
                value ([float]): [new value at position of matrix]
           0.00
           if type(index) != int:
133
                raise TypeError("Index must integer")
134
           self._matrix[index] = value
136
       def __getitem__(self, index):
138
           Defines behaviour of using square brackets on matrix objects
140
141
           E.g:
142
           > a = Matrix([1,2,3],[4,5,6])
143
           > a[0]
144
             [1,2,3]
145
146
           Args:
               index ([int]): [position of matrix]
148
149
           Returns:
150
                [any]: [returns list or float]
151
           if type(index) != int:
153
                raise TypeError("Index must integer")
           return self._matrix[index]
156
157
       def __rmul__(self, value):
158
159
           Defines behaviour of multiplying matrix object with non-
     matrix object which is to the right of the matrix
161
           Args:
                value ([float]): [number that is multiplied to matrix]
163
164
```

```
Returns:
                [Matrix]: [Result of multiplication]
166
           if type(value) == int or type(value) == float:
168
                result = zeroes(self.height, self.width)
                # iterates through each number and multiplies it with
      the value
                for height in range(self.height):
                    for width in range(self.width):
173
                        result[height][width] = self._matrix[height][
174
      width] * value
               return result
           else:
177
               raise TypeError("Index must integer or float")
178
179
       def __mul__(self, other):
180
181
           Defines the behaviour of the * operator for multiplication
182
183
           Args:
184
                other ([Matrix]): [other matrix that is multiplied with]
185
186
           Result:
187
                [Matrix]: [Result of matrix multiplication]
188
189
           if type(other) != Matrix:
190
               raise TypeError("Can only multiply with another Matrix
      object")
           if self.width == other.height:
193
                return dot(self, other)
194
195
                raise Exception("COLUMNS OF MATRIX A MUST EQUAL ROWS OF
196
     MATRIX B")
197
       def __add__(self, other):
198
           11 11 11
199
           Defines the behaviour of the + operator for addition
200
201
           Args:
202
               other ([Matrix]): [other matrix that is added to]
203
204
           Result:
                [Matrix]: [Result of matrix addition]
206
207
```

```
if type(other) != Matrix:
208
                raise TypeError("Can only add with another Matrix object
209
      <mark>||</mark> )
           if (self.height == other.height) and (self.width == other.
211
      width):
                result = zeroes(self.height, self.width)
               for height in range(self.height):
213
                    for width in range(self.width):
214
                        result[height][width] = self[height][width] +
215
      other[height][width]
               return result
           else:
217
                raise Exception ("CANNOT ADD MATRICES WITH DIFFERENT
      SHAPE")
219
       def __sub__(self, other):
220
221
           Defines the behaviour of the - operator for subtraction
222
223
224
           Args:
                other ([Matrix]): [other matrix that is subtracted to]
226
           Result:
227
                [Matrix]: [Result of matrix subtraction]
228
           if type(other) != Matrix:
230
                raise TypeError("Can only subtract with another Matrix
231
      object")
232
           if (self.height == other.height) and (self.width == other.
233
      width):
                result = zeroes(self.height, self.width)
234
                for height in range(self.height):
                    for width in range(self.width):
236
                        result[height][width] = self[height][width] -
237
      other[height][width]
               return result
238
           else:
239
               raise Exception ("CANNOT SUBTRACT MATRICES WITH DIFFERENT
240
       SHAPE")
241
       def transpose(self):
242
243
           Returns a transposed copy of the matrix
246
           Returns:
```

```
[Matrix]: [transposed matrix]
           \Pi_{i}\Pi_{j}\Pi_{j}
248
           # 1. uses the zip function to transpose the unpacked matrix
249
           # 2. uses the map function to turn the sets into lists
250
           return Matrix(list(map(list, zip(*self._matrix))))
251
252
       def minor(self, i, j):
           0.00
254
           Returns a copy of the matrix with the row and column, i and
255
      j, deleted
           Args:
                i ([int]): [row to be deleted]
258
                j ([int]): [column to be deleted]
260
           Returns:
261
                [Matrix]: [matrix without specified row and column]
262
263
           if type(i) != int or type(i) != int:
264
                raise TypeError("i and j must be integer")
265
266
           if self.is_square():
267
                # removes the i-th row and j-th column using slicing
268
                return Matrix(
269
                    270
                         row[:j] + row[j + 1 :]
                         for row in (self._matrix[:i] + self._matrix[i +
      1 :])
                    273
                )
275
           else:
276
                raise Exception("CANNOT FIND MINOR OF NON-SQUARE MATRIX"
277
      )
278
       def determinant(self):
279
           Returns the determinant of a matrix using the method of
281
      cofactors
282
           Returns:
283
                [float]: [returns determinant of matrix]
284
285
           if self.is_square():
286
                # returns the determinant of a 1x1 matrix
                if self.height == 1:
288
                    return self._matrix[0][0]
289
```

```
290
               determinant = 0
291
292
               for i, value in enumerate(
293
                    self._matrix[0]
294
                    # iterate over elements in first row of matrix
295
                    minor = self.minor(0, i) # calculate minor at
      position [0, i]
                    determinant += (
297
                        (-1) ** i * value * minor.determinant()
298
                       # cofactor formula
300
               return determinant
301
           else:
                raise Exception("CANNOT FIND DETERMINANT OF A NON-SQUARE
       MATRIX")
304
       def inverse(self):
305
306
           Returns the inverse of the matrix using Gauss-Jordan
307
      Elimination method
           Returns:
309
               [Matrix]: [inverse of matrix]
310
311
           # check if matrix isnt square
312
           if not self.is_square():
313
               raise Exception ("CANNOT FIND INVERSE OF NON-SQUARE
314
     MATRIX")
           else:
316
                # check if matrix determinat is equal to 0
317
               if self.determinant == 0:
318
                    raise Exception ("CANNOT FIND INVERSE OF MATRIX WITH
319
     DETERMINANT = O")
320
               # if both conditions are not met, the inverse will be
      calculated
               else:
322
                    i = identity(self.height)
                    # copies of matrix and identity matrix
324
                    m_copy = copy_matrix(self._matrix)
325
                    i_copy = copy_matrix(i._matrix)
326
327
                    indices = list(
                        range(self.height)
329
                       # list of all the indices in the matrix row
330
```

```
331
                    for cd in range(self.height): # cd = current
332
     diagonal
                        cd_factor = 1 / m_copy[cd][cd]
333
334
                        # divide all the values in the current row by
335
      the diagonal item
                        # this is done to make the diagonal item equal
336
      to one
                        for i in range(self.height):
337
                             m_copy[cd][i] *= cd_factor
                             i_copy[cd][i] *= cd_factor
340
                        for j in indices[:cd] + indices[cd + 1 :]:
341
                             cr_factor = m_copy[j][cd] # cr = current
      row
343
                             # subtract the current value by the pivot on
344
       its row multiplied by the value on the row above
                             for k in range(self.height):
345
                                 m_copy[j][k] -= m_copy[cd][k] *
346
      cr_factor
                                 i_copy[j][k] -= i_copy[cd][k] *
347
      cr_factor
348
                    return i_copy
349
350
       def is_square(self):
351
           Checks whether the matrix is a square matrix
354
           SQUARE MATRIX:
                             NON-SQUARE MATRIX:
355
           [[1,2],
                                 [[1,2,3],
356
            [3, 4]]
                                 [4,5,6]
357
358
           Returns:
359
                [bool]: [determines whether matrix is square]
361
           if self.width == self.height:
362
               return True
363
364
           else:
365
               return False
366
```

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pyproject.toml

pyproject.toml tells frontend build tools what backend tool they should use to create the distributable packages for the library. In my case I will use the setuptools backend tool. "requires is a list of packages that are needed to build your package. You don't need to install them; build frontends like pip will install them automatically in a temporary, isolated virtual environment for use during the build process." [6]. "build-backend is the name of the Python object that frontends will use to perform the build." [6].

```
1 [build-system]
2 requires = ["setuptools>=61.0"]
3 build-backend = "setuptools.build_meta"
```

setup.cfg

This file is used to configure the library metadata. All these options will change how the library will be displayed on the PyPI website. In the metadata you can also specify a file to display the description of the program. In the next chapter Will describe everything that is in the file.

```
1 [metadata]
_2 name = pg3d
_3 version = 0.0.0
4 author = Daniele Golzio
5 author_email = danielegolzio@gmail.com
6 long_description = file: README.md
7 long_description_content_type = text/markdown
8 url = https://github.com/poonchoi/3D-GRAPHICS-ENGINE
9 classifiers =
      Programming Language :: Python :: 3
     License :: OSI Approved :: MIT License
      Operating System :: OS Independent
14 [options]
15 packages = find:
16 python_requires = >= 3.7
include_package_data = True
```

README.md

The README.md is displayed on the front page of the libraries page therefore, I have written a guide on how to install the library, basics on how to use it and documentation of the classes that the user will be able to access.

```
1 # PG3D
2
3 PG3D is a simple 3D graphics library written using Pygame.
6 ## Installation
8 1) Install Python 3.7 or newer. https://www.python.org/downloads/
9 2) Open cmd/terminal and type:
10 ""
11 pip install pg3d
14 ## Dependencies
15 ---
_{16} * python 3.7+
17 * pygame
19 ## Usage
21 1) Import the library
22 '''py
23 from pg3d import *
_{25} 2) Create an App instance and call the run function
26 '''py
_{27} app = App()
```

```
29 #---Code goes here---#
31 #-----#
33 app.run()
34 (((
36 ## API Reference
37 ---
38 ''' py
39 App(kwargs):
41
42 kwargs:
dimensions = (1000, 700)
  cam_pos=[0, 0, 0]
BG_COLOR=(0, 0, 0)
    LINE_COLOR=(255, 255, 255)
    VERTEX_SIZE=2
48
    stats=False
                                 # Show stats on screen
    fullscreen=False
    mouse_look=False
                                 # Use mouse for camera orientation
53 functions:
   run() # Draws all vertices and checks for movement
55 (((
56 ---
57 '''py
58 Model(args)
61 args:
    app # Specify the App() object
     path # Specify path of .obj file
64 (((
65 ---
66 '''py
67 Shape (args, kwargs)
68
69
70 args:
     app # Specify the App() object
      shape # "cube" | "pyramid" | "tetrahedron"
75 kwargs:
```

```
size=1
     center=[0, 0, 0]
    width=1
79 (((
80 ---
81 ''' py
82 Triangle(args)
84
85 args:
86 app # Specify the App() object
      vertices # List or tuple with 3 cartesian coordinates
90 functions:
    __getitem__(index) # Returnes indext point of Triangle object
94 ''' py
95 Point(args, kwargs)
98 args:
          # Specify the App() object
     app
     coordinate # A list with a single cartesian coordinate
103 kwargs:
  vertex=True # If true the point is drawn and vice versa
107 functions:
__repr__()
                                # Prints Point object
      __setitem__(index, value) # Sets indexed coordinate of Point
    object to value
    __getitem__(index)
                          # Returns indexed coordinate of Point
     object
111 (((
112 ---
113 ''' py
114 Matrix(args)
116
117 args:
   matrix # A 2D array
120
```

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```
121 functions:
    __repr__()
                                # Prints a Matrix object
      __setitem__(index, value) # Sets indexed value of Matrix object
      to value
     __getitem__(index)
                                # Returns value of indexed Matrix
124
     object
     __rmul__(value)
                                # Returns product of Matrix object
    and number
     __mul__(other)
                                # Multiplies 2 matrices together
126
     __add__(other)
                                 # Adds 2 matrices together
127
      __sub__(other)
                                # Subtracts 2 matrices together
128
      transpose()
                                 # Transposes Matrix object
129
      determinant()
                                 # Finds determinant of Matrix object
130
                                 # Finds inverse of Matrix object
     inverse()
     is_square()
                                 # Checks whether matrix is square or
    not
133
134 (((
```

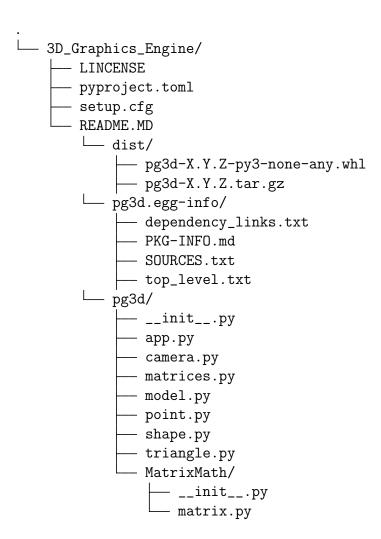
The renderd documentation part of the README file is shown in Figure 32.1.

```
API Reference
 App(kwargs):
      dimensions=(1000, 700)
      cam_pos=[0, 0, 0]
BG_COLOR=(0, 0, 0)
LINE_COLOR=(255, 255, 255)
      VERTEX_SIZE=2
stats=False
fullscreen=False
                        # Show stats on screen
# Use mouse for camera
                              # Use mouse for camera orientation
      mouse_look=False
      run() # Draws all vertices and checks for movement
  Model(args)
 args:
   app # Specify the App() object
path # Specify path of .obj file
 Shape(args, kwargs)
 args:
   app # Specify the App() object
   shape # "cube" | "pyramid" | "tetrahedron"
  kwargs:
      size=1
      center=[0, 0, 0]
width=1
 Triangle(args)
 args:
     app # Specify the App() object
vertices # List or tuple with 3 cartesian coordinates
     __getitem__(index) # Returnes indext point of Triangle object
 Point(args, kwargs)
 args:
     app # Specify the App() object
coordinate # A list with a single cartesian coordinate
 kwargs:
    vertex=True # If true the point is drawn and vice versa
    Matrix(args)
 args:
matrix # A 2D array
  functions:
```

Figure 32.1: README.MD

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Library File Structure



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Packaging the library

To package the library and upload it to the PyPI website, you first have to run the build command in the same directory as pyproject.toml:

```
python -m build
```

This command will output two new files in the dist/ folder. After this you have to make an account on PyPI, create an API token and run this final command:

```
python -m twine upload --repository pypi dist/*
```

After inputting your username as __token__ and your password as the API key, the files in the dist/ folder will be uploaded to PyPI.

Now that the library is on PyPI the user can install it by using the following command:

```
pip install pg3d
```

The package front page on PyPI can be found on:

https://pypi.org/project/pg3d/

Prototype 1

60 FPS

This program was the first one that I had made which successfully projected and rotated a 3D point. This program is extremely basic and had a projection matrix which didn't allow for camera movement. In this program I used the Numpy library to be able to use matrices which defeats the purpose of my project. However, this program taught me how to work with classes and the basics of 3D graphics. As you can see in Figure 35.1, the cube is drawn onto the screen but there is no perspective. The way you can tell that there is no perspective is that you don't know which cube face is closer to you.



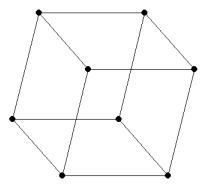


Figure 35.1: Prototype 1

```
1 import pygame as pg
2 from pygame import gfxdraw
3 import numpy as np
_{4} BLACK = (0, 0, 0)
5 \text{ GRAY} = (127, 127, 127)
_{6} WHITE = (255, 255, 255)
_{7} RED = (255, 0, 0)
_{8} GREEN = (0, 255, 0)
_{9} BLUE = (0, 0, 255)
_{10} YELLOW = (255, 255, 0)
_{11} CYAN = (0, 255, 255)
_{12} MAGENTA = (255, 0, 255)
14
15 class App:
      def __init__(self):
          pg.init()
17
          self.RES = self.WIDTH, self.HEIGHT = 600, 600
          self.H_WIDTH, self.H_HEIGHT = self.WIDTH // 2, self.HEIGHT
     // 2
          self.FPS = 100
20
          self.screen = pg.display.set_mode(self.RES)
          self.clock = pg.time.Clock()
          self.angle = 0
23
          self.scale = 100
24
          self.distance = 9
26
27
      def connect_points(self, i, j, points):
          pg.draw.aaline(self.screen, BLACK, (points[i][0], points[i
     [1]), (points[j][0], points[j][1]))
30
31
      def project(self, point):
32
          z = 1 / (float(self.distance) - point[2])
33
          p = np.matrix(
               [[z, 0, 0],
               [0, z, 0],
               [0, 0, 0]]
37
          )
          point = np.array(point)
          projected = np.dot(p, point.reshape(3, 1))
40
          projected = projected.tolist()
          return [projected[0][0], projected[1][0], projected[2][0]]
42
      def rotateX(self, point, angle):
```

```
rotateX = np.matrix(
46
              [[1, 0, 0],
47
              [0, np.cos(angle), np.sin(angle)],
48
              [0, -np.sin(angle), np.cos(angle)]]
49
          point = np.array(point)
          rotated = np.dot(rotateX, point.reshape(3, 1))
          rotated = rotated.tolist()
          return [rotated[0][0], rotated[1][0], rotated[2][0]]
54
56
      def rotateY(self, point, angle):
          rotateY = np.matrix(
58
              [[np.cos(angle), 0, -np.sin(angle)],
              [0, 1, 0],
              [np.sin(angle), 0, np.cos(angle)]]
61
          )
62
          point = np.array(point)
          rotated = np.dot(rotateY, point.reshape(3, 1))
          rotated = rotated.tolist()
          return [rotated[0][0], rotated[1][0], rotated[2][0]]
68
      def rotateZ(self, point, angle):
          rotateZ = np.matrix(
70
              [[np.cos(angle), np.sin(angle), 0],
              [-np.sin(angle), np.cos(angle), 0],
              [0, 0, 1]]
73
          )
          point = np.array(point)
          rotated = np.dot(rotateZ, point.reshape(3, 1))
          rotated = rotated.tolist()
          return [rotated[0][0], rotated[1][0], rotated[2][0]]
78
79
80
      def translate(self, point, vec):
          tx, ty, tz = vec[0], vec[1], vec[2]
          translated = [point[0] + tx, point[1] + ty, point[2] + tz]
83
          return translated
84
85
86
      def draw(self):
87
          # self.angle = pg.mouse.get_pos()[0] / 1000
          self.angle += 0.01
          self.screen.fill(WHITE)
          points = [[3, -1, 3], [5, -1, 3], [5, 1, 3], [3, 1, 3], [3,
     -1, -3], [5, -1, -3], [5, 1, -3], [3, 1, -3]]
```

```
\#[0,0,0],[-1,1,1],[1,1,1],[-1,-1,1],[1,-1,
     1],[-1,1,-1],[1,1,-1],[-1,-1,-1],[1,-1,-1]
           projected_points = [[n, n] for n in range(len(points))]
93
94
           for point in points:
95
               rotated = self.rotateY(point, self.angle)
               #rotated = self.rotateX(rotated, self.angle)
               #rotated = self.translate(rotated, [0,0,-self.angle*5])
               projected = self.project(rotated)
99
               x = projected[0] * self.scale + self.H_WIDTH
100
               y = projected[1] * self.scale + self.H_HEIGHT
               projected_points[i] = x, y
               pg.draw.circle(self.screen, BLACK, (x, y), 2)
103
               i += 1
106
           for p in range(4):
107
               self.connect_points(p, (p+1) % 4, projected_points)
108
               self.connect_points(p+4, ((p+1) \% 4) + 4,
     projected_points)
               self.connect_points(p, (p+4), projected_points)
      def run(self):
113
           while True:
114
               self.draw()
               [exit() for i in pg.event.get() if i.type == pg.QUIT]
117
               pg.display.set_caption(f"{round(self.clock.get_fps())}
     FPS")
               pg.display.flip()
119
               self.clock.tick(self.FPS)
120
123 if __name__ == '__main__':
      app = App()
      app.run()
125
```

Prototype 2

Unlike the first prototype, this program uses my own matrix class to deal with the matrices; furthermore, this program also implements a perspective projection matrix. As you can see in Figure 36.1, the rear face of the cube appears to be smaller. This proves that the perspective is now working.

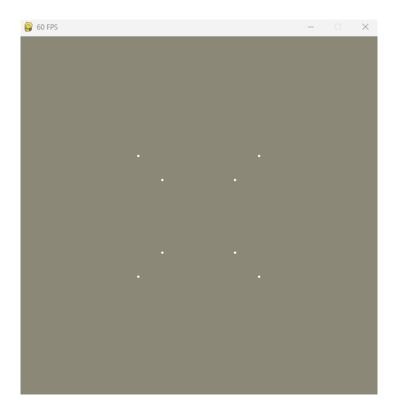


Figure 36.1: Prototype 2

```
1 import pygame as pg
2 import math as m
```

```
3 from MatrixMath import matrix as mm
4 from matrices import *
5 import time as t
6 from pygame.colordict import THECOLORS
9 class Camera:
      def __init__(self, app, position):
          self.app = app
          pg.mouse.set_visible(1)
13
          self.pos = mm.Matrix([[*position, 1]])
14
          self.forward = mm.Matrix([[0, 0, 1, 1]])
          self.up = mm.Matrix([[0, 1, 0, 1]])
          self.right = mm.Matrix([[1, 0, 0, 1]])
18
          self.speed = 1
19
          self.angle = m.radians(1)
20
      def yaw(self, angle):
          self.up *= rotate_y(angle)
          self.forward *= rotate_y(angle)
          self.right *= rotate_y(angle)
26
      def pitch(self, angle):
27
          self.up *= rotate_x(angle)
28
          self.forward *= rotate_x(angle)
29
          self.right *= rotate_x(angle)
30
      def rot_mat(self):
          fx, fy, fz, fw = self.forward[0]
          rx, ry, rz, rw = self.right[0]
34
          ux, uy, uz, uw = self.up[0]
36
          return mm.Matrix(
37
              Γ
                   [rx, ux, fx, 0],
                   [ry, uy, fy, 0],
40
                   [rz, uz, fz, 0],
41
                   [0, 0, 0, 1]
42
               ]
43
44
45
      def trans_mat(self):
          x, y, z, w = self.pos[0]
          return mm.Matrix(
```

```
50
                   [1, 0, 0, 0],
51
                   [0, 1, 0, 0],
                   [0, 0, 1, 0],
                   [-x, -y, -z, 1]
54
               def cam_mat(self):
58
          return self.trans_mat() * self.rot_mat()
      def movement(self):
61
          key = pg.key.get_pressed()
62
          if key[pg.K_a]:
               self.right = self.speed * self.right
               self.pos = self.pos - self.right
          if key[pg.K_d]:
               self.right = self.speed * self.right
68
               self.pos = self.pos + self.right
          if key[pg.K_w]:
70
               self.forward = self.speed * self.forward
               self.pos = self.pos + self.forward
72
          if key[pg.K_s]:
73
               self.forward = self.speed * self.forward
74
               self.pos = self.pos - self.forward
          if key[pg.K_LEFT]:
77
               self.yaw(-self.angle)
          if key[pg.K_RIGHT]:
               self.yaw(self.angle)
80
          if key[pg.K_UP]:
81
               self.pitch(-self.angle)
82
          if key[pg.K_DOWN]:
83
               self.pitch(self.angle)
84
  class App:
      def __init__(self):
88
          pg.init()
89
          self.res = self.width, self.height = 600, 600
90
          self.hwidth, self.hheight = self.width / 2, self.height / 2
91
          self.fps = 60
          self.screen = pg.display.set_mode(self.res)
          self.clock = pg.time.Clock()
          self.cam = Camera(self, [0, 0, 0])
```

```
97
           # vertices of cube
98
           self.points = [
99
                mm.Matrix([[-1, 1, 3, 1]]),
100
                mm.Matrix([[1, -1, 3, 1]]),
101
                mm.Matrix([[1, 1, 3, 1]]),
                mm.Matrix([[-1, -1, 3, 1]]),
103
                mm.Matrix([[-1, 1, 5, 1]]),
104
                mm.Matrix([[1, -1, 5, 1]]),
                mm.Matrix([[1, 1, 5, 1]]),
106
                mm.Matrix([[-1, -1, 5, 1]]),
           ]
109
           self.fov = 90
           self.f = 1 / m.tan(m.radians(self.fov / 2))
111
           self.zf = 1000
           self.zn = 0.1
113
           self.g = self.zf / (self.zf - self.zn)
114
           self.a = self.height / self.width
           self.angle = m.radians(1)
117
           self.proj = mm.Matrix(
118
                119
                    [self.a * self.f, 0, 0, 0],
                    [0, self.f, 0, 0],
                    [0, 0, self.g, 1],
                    [0, 0, -self.zn * self.g, 0],
124
           )
126
       def rotx(self, point):
127
           rotx = mm.Matrix(
128
                [1, 0, 0, 0],
130
                    [0, m.cos(self.angle), -m.sin(self.angle), 0],
131
                    [0, m.sin(self.angle), m.cos(self.angle), 0],
                    [0, 0, 0, 1],
133
                ]
134
           )
           return point * rotx
136
       def roty(self, point):
138
           roty = mm.Matrix(
139
                140
                    [m.cos(self.angle), 0, m.sin(self.angle), 0],
                    [0, 1, 0, 0],
142
                    [-m.sin(self.angle), 0, m.cos(self.angle), 0],
143
```

```
[0, 0, 0, 1],
144
                145
146
            return point * roty
147
148
       def rotz(self, point):
149
            rotz = mm.Matrix(
                [m.cos(self.angle), -m.sin(self.angle), 0, 0],
                     [m.sin(self.angle), m.cos(self.angle), 0, 0],
                     [0, 0, 1, 0],
154
                     [0, 0, 0, 1],
                return point * rotz
158
159
       def draw(self):
            self.screen.fill(THECOLORS["cornsilk4"])
162
            for i in range(len(self.points)):
                copy = mm.copy_matrix(self.points[i])
164
                 copy *= self.cam.cam_mat()
                 self.project(copy)
166
167
       def project(self, point):
168
            projected = point * self.proj
            x, y, z, w = projected[0]
171
            if w != 0:
173
                x /= w
174
                V /= W
175
                z /= w
                # projected[0][3] /= w
177
178
                if (x < 2 \text{ and } x > -2) and (y < 2 \text{ and } y > -2) and not (w < 2 \text{ and } y > -2)
179
      < 0):
                     x, y = (x + 1) * self.hwidth, (y + 1) * self.hheight
180
                     pg.draw.circle(self.screen, (255, 255, 255), (x, y),
181
       (2))
                     # self.screen.set_at((int(x), int(y)), (0))
182
183
       def run(self):
184
            while True:
185
                self.draw()
186
                self.cam.movement()
187
188
```

```
[exit() for i in pg.event.get() if i.type == pg.QUIT]

pg.display.set_caption(f"{round(self.clock.get_fps())}

FPS")

pg.display.flip()

self.clock.tick(self.fps)

193

194

195 if __name__ == "__main__":

196     app = App()

197     app.run()
```

Part IV

Testing

Testing strategy

Since the user will mainly be able to create objects and customize their parameters, the testing that I will do will be on the <code>__init__()</code> methods of the classes. In these tests I will make sure that if the user enters erroneous data, an exception will be raised with an error message so that they know instantly when and where their error occurred. The library also gives the user the option to use keyboard and mouse input whilst their program is running therefore I will test each physical input to make sure that it does what its meant to do. The test data that I will use will mainly be the erroneous and normal data because there aren't many places where boundary data can be applied.

Test video link

Link to video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vFAq4WTou7Q

Test table

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Test No	Purpose	Description	Test data	Expected result	Actual result	Evidence
objective						
1.1-	To see whether user	Class should project a	Point(app, [0, 0, 1])	Circle drawn in the	Circle drawn in the	Figure 41.1
1(a)(b)	can create a point ob-	3D point	Tome(app, [0, 0, 1])	middle of the screen	middle of the screen	1 18410 41.1
-(-/(-/	ject and see it on	- P				
	screen					
1.2-1	tests for coordinate	when user inputs a co-	Point(app, "1, 3, 4")	raise an exception	Exception raised and	Figure 41.2
	parameter	ordinate it should only		telling the user that	program turned off	!
		accept a list type		the data type is wrong		
1.3-1	tests for coordinate	when user inputs a co-	Point(app, [1, 3, 4, 2])	raise an exception	Exception raised and	Figure 41.3
	parameter	ordinate it should only		telling the user that	program turned off	
		accept a list with 3		coordinate length		
1.4-1	1	numbers when user inputs vec-	Point(app, [0, 0, 1],	should be 3 Point drawn	Point drawn	Figure 41.4
1.4-1	tests for vertex param- eter	tor flag it should only	True) $Point(app, [0, 0, 1],$	Point drawn	Point drawn	Figure 41.4
	eter	accept a Boolean value	irue)			
1.5-1	tests for vertex param-	when user inputs vec-	Point(app, [0, 0, 1],	Point not drawn and	Point drawn and no er-	Figure 41.5
1.0-1	eter	tor flag it should only	False)	no errors	rors	118410 41.0
	0001	accept a Boolean value	1 4150)	In origin	1015	
1.6-1	tests for vertex param-	when user inputs vec-	Point(app, [0, 0, 1], 1)	Exception raised	Exception raised	Figure 41.6
	eter	tor flag it should only			_	
		accept a Boolean value				
2.1-	To see if W key can	W key should trans-	Press W key	All objects should get	All objects get bigger	Time stamp: 2.58-3.23
2(bi)	be used to move to the	late camera forwards		bigger as they get		
	forwards			closer		
2.2-	To see if S key can be	S key should translate	Press S key	All objects should get	All objects get smaller	Time stamp: 2.58-3.23
2(biii)	used to move to the backwards	camera backwards		smaller as they get fur- ther away		
2.3-	To see if A key can be	A key should translate	Press A key	All objects move to	All objects move to	Time stamp: 2.58-3.23
2.5- 2(bii)	used to move to the	the camera to the left	Fress A key	the right	the right	1 line stamp: 2.56-5.25
2(011)	left	the camera to the left		the right	the right	
2.4-	To see if D key can be	D key should translate	Press D key	All objects move to	All objects move to	Time stamp: 2.58-3.23
2(biv)	used to move to the	the camera to the right		the left	the left	
` ′	right					
2.5-	To see if E key can be	E key should translate	Press E key	All objects move down	All objects move down	Time stamp: 4.49-5.05
2(bv)	used to move to up-	the camera to upwards				
	wards					
2.6-	To see if Q key can	Q key should translate	Press Q key	All objects move up	All objects move up	Time stamp: 4.49-5.05
2(bvi)	be used to move down-	the camera down				
2.2()	wards					
3-2(c)	To see if mouse input	Pygame detects rela-	Mouse movement	Moving the mouse	If mouse is moved to	Time stamp: 9.35-10.0
	can be used to look around the scene	tive mouse movement and then camera axis		will emulate looking around the scene with	the right the object is moved to the left,	
	around the scene	are multiplied with x		your eyes	if mouse is moved to	
		or v rotation matrices		your eyes	the left the object is	
		or y rotation matrices			moved to the right,	
					if mouse is moved up	
					the object is moved	
					downwards, if mouse is	
					moved down the ob-	
					ject is moved upwards	
4-3(b)	To see if the parame-	The shape generates	Cube $(5, [5, 0, 10],$	3 Shapes all next to	Three shapes of iden-	Figure 41.7
	ters are functional	the vertices depending	Pyramid $(1, [-4, 0,$	each other in decreas-	tical size all placed	
		on the position and	10]), Tetrahedron(3,	ing size from right to	in the center of the	
		size that the user in-	[0, 0, 10])	left should be drawn	screen	
		puts	1	on the screen	1	1

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5-4	To see if the user can use scroll wheel as in- put	Pygame detects scroll wheel input and fov attribute is incre- mented by 1 and the projection matrix is updated	Scroll wheel	The object is zoomed in when fov decreases and zooms out when fov increases	The object is zoomed in when fov decreases and zooms out when fov increases	Time stamp: 4.07-4.21
6-5	To see if user can change dimensions of window whilst program is running	Pygame will get the dimensions of the screen every frame and if they change, the projection matrix is updated	User changes window size by dragging sides of window with mouse	When screen is resized, all objects keep the same relative position	When screen is resized, all objects keep the same relative position	Time stamp: 3.24-3.54
7-6	To see if user can input a .obj file path and see it render on the screen	The model class will open the obj file and generates the points and triangles based on the contents of the file	Model(app, "ob- j/cube.obj")	The screen should display a cube	A cube with all the tri- angles is drawn	Time stamp: 2.34-2.57
8-8	To see if the user will be able to see the frame rate on the top bar of the window when it's not in full screen	The Pygame display.setcaption() function will be used to put a title on the window and the get_fps() function will be used to get the current number of frames		Around 60 FPS should be displayed on the top bar of the screen at all times	A number that flickers from 50-60 is displayed at the top of the screen	Time stamp: 1.06-1.10
9-9	The library should have minimal setup	Pygame has a lot of initialising that needs to be done by the user but my library should have much less setup	Figure 41.9	When program is run an empty window should appear	When the program was run an empty window appeared therefore the library has 3 lines of setup and still works as intended	Figure 41.10
10- 10(b- d)	To see if user can view stats on screen: FOV, FPS, dimensions	The display stats method should print all stats on the screen	app.display_stats()	Stats should be displayed in white on screen when background color is black.	Stats displayed in white on screen	Figure 41.11
10.1- 10(a)	To see if by pressing "o" user can see FOV, FPS and dimensions on screen	When the "o" key is pressed, the display stats method should be called every frame	Press "o" twice	Stats are displayed and then go away	Stats are displayed but then stay	After pressing "o" once: Figure 41.12. After pressing "o" a second time: Figure 41.13.
11-11	To see if by pressing escape key, window is closed	Pygame check events detects whether es- cape key is pressed calls exit() function	Escape key	program should stop running	program stops running	Time stamp: 1.13-1.21
12.1-12	To see if background color is opposite line color when it isn't specified	background color gets set to the opposite of line color so that lines are always visible	LINE_COLOR set to (0, 0, 0)	background is white when program is run	background is white	Figure 41.14
12.2-12	To see if line color is opposite background color when it isn't specified	line color gets set to the opposite of back- ground color so that lines are always visible	BG_COLOR set to (255, 255, 255)	line color is black when program is run	line color is black	Figure 41.15 and Time stamp: 8.22-8.58
12.3-12	To see if background color and line color still works when nei- ther are specified	background color and line color default to black and white re- spectively	run library program with a cube on the screen with no param- eters for color	Screen should be black and cube should be white	screen is black and cube is white	Figure 41.16
13-13	To see if color of text of stats is opposite of background color	When stats are displayed, font color is made as opposite of background	BG_COLOR=(255,255,0)	Text is blue since background is yellow	Text is blue since background is yellow	Figure 41.17 Time stamp: 9.18-9.26
14.2	Test if normal size obj models reduce frame rate of program	The library projects each point individually using a for loop therefore very large models could slow down the real time render	sphere.obj	This is a normal size model with average amount of points so I expect the model to run at 60 frames per second	The program runs at 60 frames per second	Figure 41.18
14.2	Test if very large obj models reduce frame rate of program	The library projects each point individu- ally using a for loop therefore very large models could slow down the real time render	cow.obj	This is a very large model with many points so I expect the model to be very slow	The program runs at zero frames per second	Figure 41.19
15.1	Test dimensions input for App class	dimensions stores height and width of window	(400, 100)	No error message and screen with dimen- sions (400, 400)	No error message and screen with dimen- sions (400, 400)	41.20
15.2	Test dimensions input for App class	dimensions stores height and width of window	[400, 400]	No error message and screen with dimen- sions [400, 400]	No error message and screen with dimen- sions [400, 400]	41.20
			"hello world"	error message dis-	error message dis-	41.21
15.3	Test dimensions input for App class	dimensions stores height and width of window	neno world	played	played	71.21

15.5	Test dimensions input for App class	dimensions stores height and width of	[100, 100, 100]	error message dis- played	error message dis- played	41.22
15.6	Test dimensions input for App class	window dimensions stores height and width of window	[[100], 100, 100]	error message dis- played	error message dis- played	41.22
16.1	Test cam_pos input for App class	cam_pos stores the ini- tial position of the camera	[0, 0, 0]	camera placed at [0, 0, 0]	camera placed at [0, 0, 0]	41.23
16.2	Test cam_pos input for App class	cam_pos stores the ini- tial position of the camera	(0, 0, 0)	camera placed at (0, 0, 0)	camera placed at (0, 0, 0)	41.23
16.3	Test cam_pos input for App class	cam_pos stores the ini- tial position of the camera	10	error message dis- played	error message dis- played	41.24
16.4	Test cam_pos input for App class	cam_pos stores the ini- tial position of the camera	[[0], 0, 0]	error message dis- played	error message dis- played	41.25
17.1	Test VERTEX_SIZE input for App class	VERTEX_SIZE stores size of the points	5	no error message and point drawn	no error message and point drawn	41.26
17.2	Test VERTEX_SIZE input for App class	VERTEX_SIZE stores size of the points	"5"	error message dis- played	error message dis- played	41.27

Test solutions

Test number	Solution	Evidence	
4-3(b)	When cube, tetrahedron and pyramid inherited shape, the super func-		41.8
	tion was used to get all attributes but they were all set with a default	SHAPE	
	value therefore no matter what the parameter was, the shapes were	LINES	OF
	always at the center of the screen with size 1. To fix it I removed the	CODE	
	default values.		
10.1-10(a)	The display_stats() method was called every frame and if the stats	PUT VI	DEO
	flag was True, the stats would be displayed. By default the stats flag is	TIME	
	set to False so that nothing is displayed. When the "o" key is pressed,	STAMP	
	the stats flag was changed to True. This successfully displays the stats	HERE	
	but when pressed again nothing happened. To fix this I added an extra		
	variable called check_stats. Every time "o" is pressed the variable is		
	incremented by one. Then the modulus division by 2 is done to the		
	variable to check if it's an even number. If its even, stats is set to True,		
	if its odd, stats is set to False. This successfully displays and removes		
	the stats when "o" is pressed multiple times.		

Test Images

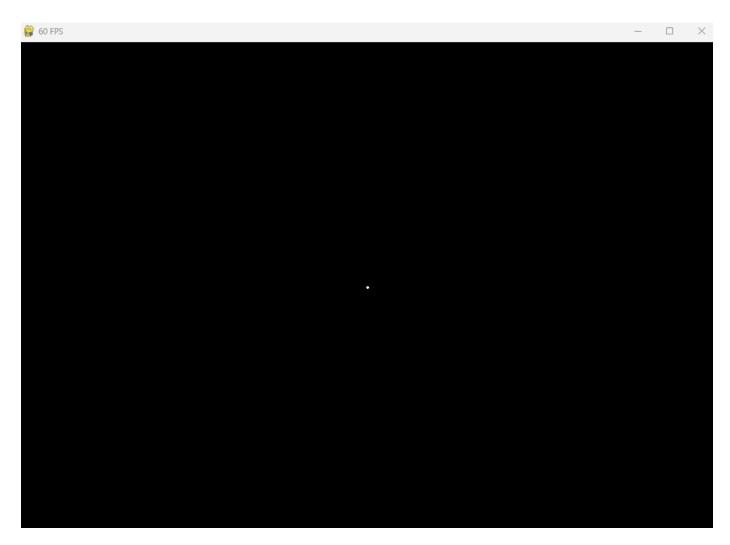


Figure 41.1: Test 1.1 - Point drawn

```
PS C:\git-repos> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.0.1 (SDL 2.0.14, Python 3.9.13)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\git-repos\libtest.py", line 5, in <module>
        Point(app, '1, 3, 4')
   File "C:\git-repos\Apg3d\point.py", line 18, in __init__
        raise Exception("Coordinate must be list")
Exception: Coordinate must be list
```

Figure 41.2: Test 1.2 - Exception

```
PS C:\git-repos> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.0.1 (SDL 2.0.14, Python 3.9.13)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\git-repos\libtest.py", line 5, in <module>
        Point(app, [1, 3, 4, 2])
   File "C:\git-repos\Apg3d\point.py", line 20, in __init__
        raise Exception("Coordinate must have 3 items")

Exception: Coordinate must have 3 items
```

Figure 41.3: Test 1.3 - Exception

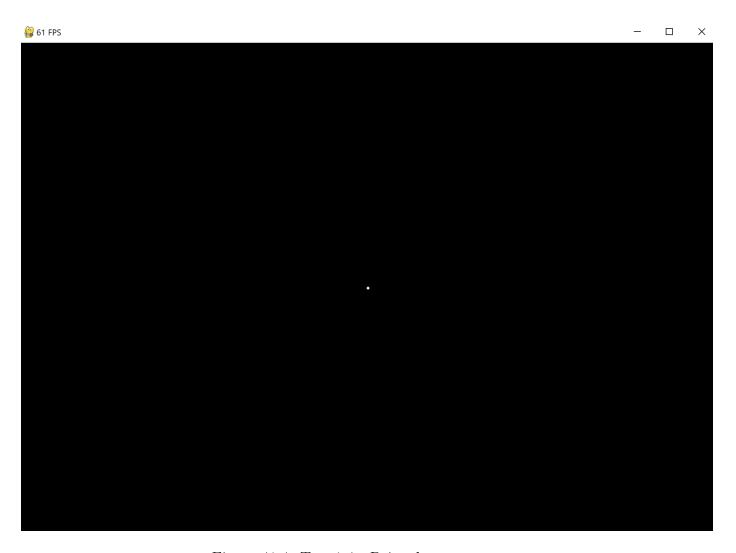


Figure 41.4: Test 1.4 - Point drawn



Figure 41.5: Test 1.5 - Point not drawn

```
PS C:\git-repos> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.0.1 (SDL 2.0.14, Python 3.9.13)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\git-repos\libtest.py", line 5, in <module>
        Point(app, [0, 0, 1], 1)
   File "C:\git-repos\Apg3d\point.py", line 22, in __init__
        raise Exception("Vertex type must be bool")
Exception: Vertex type must be bool
```

Figure 41.6: Test 1.6 - Exception

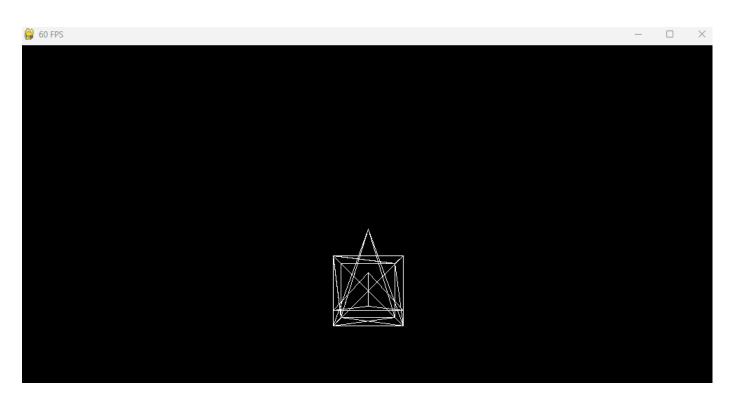


Figure 41.7: Test 4 - Fail

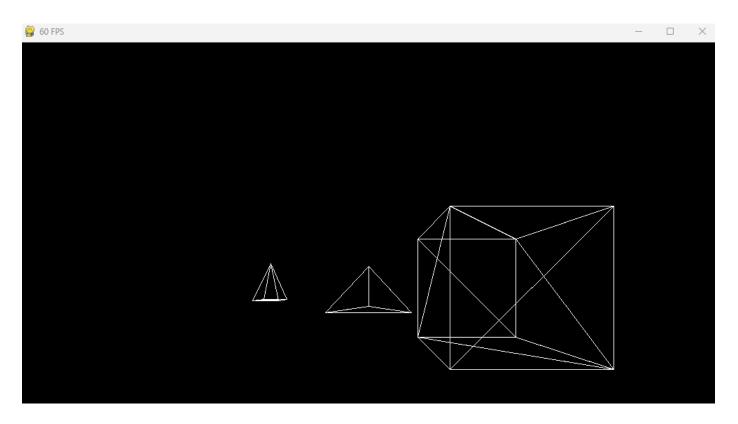


Figure 41.8: Test 4 - Fix

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```
1  from pg3d import *
2
3  app = App()
4
5  app.run()
```

Figure 41.9: Test 9 - Test data



Figure 41.10: Test 9 - Evidence



Figure 41.11: Test 10 - Evidence



Figure 41.12: Test 10.1 - o pressed once



Figure 41.13: Test 10.1 - o pressed a second time

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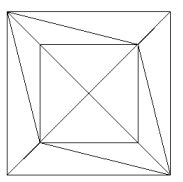


Figure 41.14: Test 12.3 - line color set to black



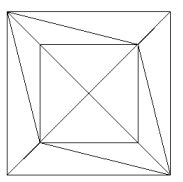


Figure 41.15: Test 12.2 - background color set to white

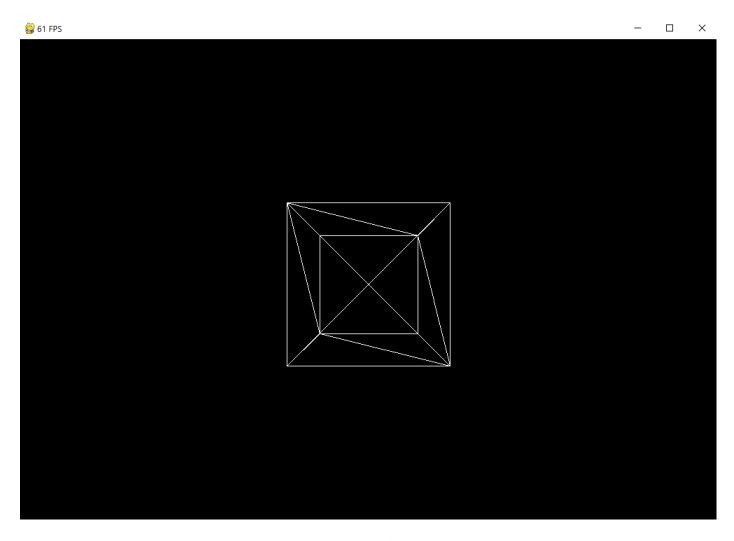


Figure 41.16: Test 12.3 - no color parameters



Figure 41.17: Test 13 - statistics font color

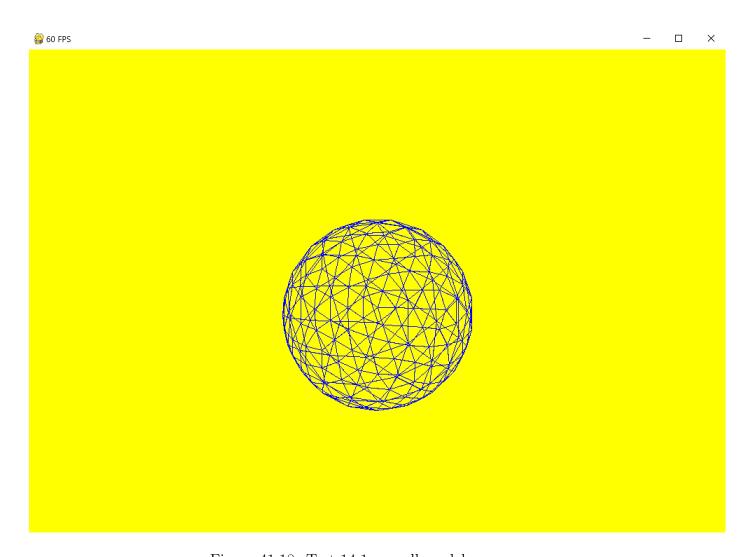


Figure 41.18: Test 14.1 - small models

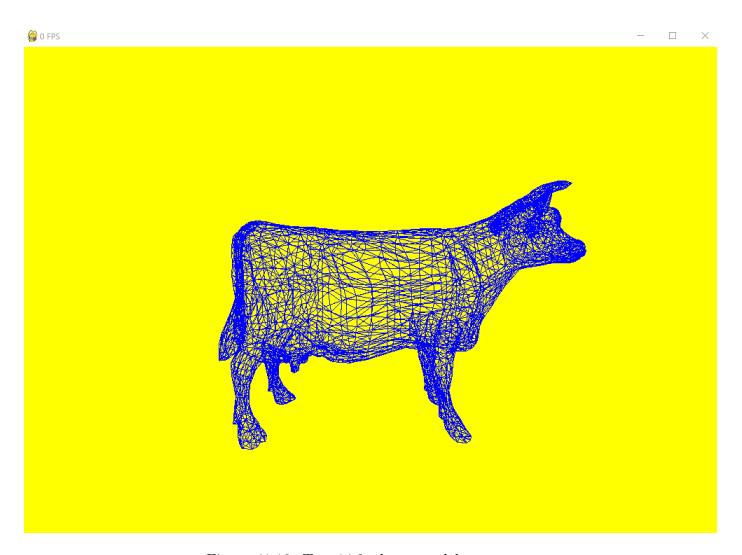


Figure 41.19: Test 14.2 - large models

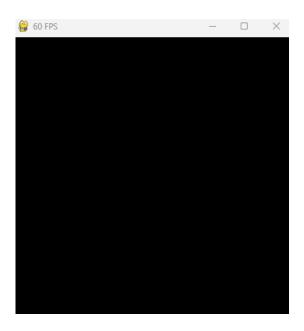


Figure 41.20: Test 15.1 and 15.2 - tuple and list

```
PS C:\GIT-REPOS> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.1.2 (SDL 2.0.18, Python 3.10.10)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\libtest.py", line 3, in <module>
        app = App(dimensions="hello world")
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\APg3d\app.py", line 36, in __init__
        raise Exception("dimensions must be list or tuple")
Exception: dimensions must be list or tuple
```

Figure 41.21: Test 15.3 and 15.4 - string and number

```
PS C:\GIT-REPOS> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.1.2 (SDL 2.0.18, Python 3.10.10)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
    File "C:\GIT-REPOS\libtest.py", line 3, in <module>
        app = App(dimensions=[100, 100, 100])
    File "C:\GIT-REPOS\APg3d\app.py", line 42, in __init__
        raise Exception("dimensions must contain 2 values")

Exception: dimensions must contain 2 values
```

Figure 41.22: Test 15.5 - boundary data



Figure 41.23: Test 16.1 and 16.2 - list and tuple

```
PS C:\GIT-REPOS> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.1.2 (SDL 2.0.18, Python 3.10.10)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\libtest.py", line 3, in <module>
        app = App(cam_pos=10)
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\APg3d\app.py", line 45, in __init__
        raise Exception("cam_pos must be list or tuple")

Exception: cam_pos must be list or tuple
```

Figure 41.24: Test 16.3 - erroneous data

```
PS C:\GIT-REPOS> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.1.2 (SDL 2.0.18, Python 3.10.10)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\libtest.py", line 3, in <module>
        app = App(cam_pos=[[0], 0, 0])
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\APg3d\app.py", line 48, in __init__
        raise Exception("cam_pos cannot be larger than 1D")
Exception: cam_pos cannot be larger than 1D
```

Figure 41.25: Test 16.3 - 2D array



Figure 41.26: Test 17.1 - normal data

```
PS C:\GIT-REPOS> python .\libtest.py
pygame 2.1.2 (SDL 2.0.18, Python 3.10.10)
Hello from the pygame community. https://www.pygame.org/contribute.html
Traceback (most recent call last):
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\libtest.py", line 3, in <module>
        app = App(VERTEX_SIZE="5")
   File "C:\GIT-REPOS\APg3d\app.py", line 54, in __init__
        raise Exception("VERTEX_SIZE must be int")
Exception: VERTEX_SIZE must be int
```

Figure 41.27: Test 17.2 - erroneous data

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Test evaluation

I tested all my objectives, the user input whilst the program was running and the classes that the user will use. I chose this method because the other modules will never be used by the user so human error is impossible to occur. All the objectives passed their tests and proved to work. The only test that failed and couldn't be solved was test number 14.2. This test showed that if a very large obj file was inputted, the frame rate would tank to 0. This is because there was a massive amount of triangles that had to be projected and drawn every frame. Since the draw method uses a for loop to project and draw all the points and triangles, the time complexity of the program is O(n). This is without considering the $O(n^2)$ time complexity for matrix multiplication, addition and subtraction, and the O(n!) time complexity for finding the inverse of a matrix. These operations are done on each triangle and point which significantly slows down the program when there are a lot of them. A solution to this would be to use python just in time compilers such as the one provided in the Numba library. This JIT complier comes in the form of a decorator and it turns Python code into C code. The only issue is that it doesn't work if you use objects that it doesn't recognise; this includes my Point, Triangle and Matrix objects.

Part V

Evaluation

Feedback

After performing another interview with my end user, Mr.S, I have come back with the following positives and negatives of the library.

The first positive is that importing 3D models is very easy to use and that this feature "makes programs more special" [4]. Furthermore, the ability to change the FOV and window size "has proved to be very useful in programs" [4]. Lastly, the end user liked how simple and complex the library was at the same time.

The main negative of the library is that "it's performance deteriorates when you add too many vertices and triangles" [4]. This was expected due to the time complexity of the algorithms used in the library. Lastly, Mr.S stated that he did not like that "there was no option to remove the see through aspect of the objects" [4]. Mr.S is referring to the wire frame look of the program and how he didn't like how you couldn't turn it off and have faces that are behind another face not be drawn.

Lastly, Mr.S recommended some improvements for the library. The first improvement that was recommended was to "improve the performance of the library" [4]. This could be done by writing the library in C so that it can still be used in python, but it has the speed advantages of the compiled code written in C. Mr.S also added that he would like the ability to "fill in the shapes" [4] to remove the transparency wire frame effects. This could be done by implementing a back-face culling or painters algorithm to not render hidden vertices. This also means that a triangle clipping algorithm would need to be implemented so that triangles don't fully disappear when only a part of them is out of the screen.

Review of objectives

1. Specific objective: The program should allow the user to draw a 3D point.

The objective was met, as evidenced by test 1, the class works as intended and also raises exceptions when the user inputs data that is not accepted. This made sure that there was no confusion in the use of the class because the exception would give a clear error message that described what the user did wrong. This objective was solved very well because no drawbacks came with it.

2. Specific objective: The user should be able to move around the scene.

The objective was met, as evidenced by test 2, the movement input works as intended and has no way that it can break due to the nature of the Pygame event getting function. Furthermore, since my matrix data structure works as planned, the movement is also seamless and feels just like a first person view.

- 3. The user should be able to use ready made 3D shapes by using individual classes.
 - This objective was met, as evidenced by test 4, these shapes render very well and are very easy to use. However next time, I would add an extra parameter to change the orientation of the shape and methods to rotate and translate the shape within its local space.
- 4. The user should be able to use the scroll wheel to change FOV.
 - This objective was met, as evidenced by test 5, this functionality also has no way for human error to break it because it uses the Pygame event getting function to check for scroll wheel input.
- 5. The user should be able to change the window size while the program is running.
 - This objective was met, as evidenced by test 6, again this functionality has no way for human error to break it because it uses the Pygame event getting function to check for window resizing. This is also shown in the test video.

6. The user should be able to import a .obj file.

This objective was met, as evidenced by 7, the class raises an exception if the path is not a string therefore the user will know how to fix their error if they make one. next time I will add methods to rotate and translate the model in its local space, I will also add parameters to give the model custom color and finally I will edit the method that generates the triangles and points to also generate the normal's to the faces so that lighting and back-face culling algorithms will work.

7. The library should have a documentation file containing a description of all the classes and their methods.

This objective was met, as evidenced by chapter 32, the README.md file contains all the classes accessible to the user and all of their public methods, attributes and the parameters that they need to input.

8. The top part of the window of the program should display the Frames per Second (FPS).

This objective was met, as evidenced by test 8, the FPS is displayed on the top bar and it is rounded to the nearest integer. There is nothing that can be done to improve this feature.

9. The library should have minimal to no setup to initialize the library.

This objective was met as evidenced by the second interview with the end user [4]. Mr.S said that "initialising the library is the easiest part because it can be done in three lines of code" [4].

10. The user should have the option to see certain statistics displayed on the screen to see what is going on in the background.

This objective was met as evidenced by test 10. The user can press the O key to toggle the statistics which are the opposite color of the background so that they are always visible. The only improvement that I would add is including more statistics such as hardware performance in the form of graphs.

11. The user should be able to press the escape key to close the window.

This objective was met, as evidenced by test 11. This feature is very useful because when the user has mouse controls turned on, it is impossible to close the window because you would need to click the x at the top right of the window. The esc key allows the user to leave the program anyways. The only thing I would change is for the esc key to have a pause menu pop up instead of fully quitting the program because the esc key can be easily clicked accidentally. This pause menu would make the users mouse re-appear so that they can either resume or quit the program fully and maybe even access some settings.

12. When the user specifies a background color or line color, the one that hasn't been specified should be the opposite color so that the colors don't collide.

This objective was met as evidenced by test 12. This feature is handy because if the user only specifies one of the two colors, the other one is set to the opposite color so that it is visible.

13. The color of the text for the optional statistics should be the opposite of the background color so that it is always visible.

This objective was met as evidenced by test 13. This feature is extremely useful because it means that the statistics are always readable by the user no matter what color the background is. Next time I would make the font color update every frame so that if the user changes the background color whilst the program is running, the text is still readable.

Final reflection

Overall, the project was a success. All the objectives were met and the end user was satisfied with the outcome because it met all of his needs [4]. The library is definitely not perfect to substitute the existing systems that I have talked about previously as its performance is quite low when scaled up. But, since the purpose of the library isn't to be a fully fledged 3D graphics engine, it's performance is good enough to help my user add some simple 3D functionality to Pygame.

The main thing that I have learnt about my project management style is that I need to set deadlines with achievable goals to keep myself motivated to finish the project. This helps me a lot because when I don't work on something for a long time, its hard to get back in the flow.

To wrap things up, I have learnt a lot from working this project because its the largest project I have ever worked on. Furthermore, I have never created a library so packaging my code was a very new experience for me. Although the project is not perfect, I am glad to say that I have met all the initial objects.

Part VI

Appendix A

Interview with Mr.S

- Q.1: Which library do you use for developing programs with a graphical user interface (GUI)?
- A.1: I have been using the Pygame library extensively for my graphics needs, as it has been my go-to library for some time now. It offers a wide range of features and is easy to use, making it an ideal choice for my projects.
- Q.2: Do you think the inclusion of 3D graphics in the Pygame library would enhance its utility?
- A.2: Certainly, the Pygame library's functionality is currently limited due to its inability to support 3D graphics. Adding 3D graphics support would be a major improvement for the library, allowing developers to create more immersive and visually appealing games. This would open up a whole new range of possibilities for game developers, allowing them to create more complex and engaging experiences for their players.
- Q.3: In terms of library usage, do you favor simplicity at the cost of limited flexibility or complexity that affords greater latitude in programming?
- A.3: Personally, I would opt for a more intricate library that allows for greater programming flexibility, despite requiring more time to learn. The benefits derived from mastering a complex library make the learning curve worthwhile.
- Q.4: In your opinion, should a 3D graphics library provide pre-built 3D shapes and movement controls for ease of use?
- A.4: From my perspective, these features are fundamental for any graphics library, as acquiring the knowledge necessary to construct them independently would be excessively time-consuming. Additionally, I believe that users should be able to employ the 3D graphics library without the need to focus on the underlying mechanics of 3D graphics.
- Q.5: In your view, is it necessary for a 3D graphics library to comprise lighting effects?
- A.5: As previously stated, while certain critical functions ought to be integrated into the library, the lack of lighting effects may not pose a significant issue since this is merely a basic Pygame extension. Additionally, since Python is not ideal for quick calculations, implementing lighting effects may result in a significant reduction in the program's performance.
- Q.6: Should the library allow users to upload and render 3D .obj files on the screen? This would provide a more immersive experience for users, allowing them to visualize their 3D models in real-time and interact with them in a more meaningful way.
- A.6: I think that .obj files are an essential part of 3D graphics. They allow users to create their own 3D models and import them into their programs, allowing them to see their world perfectly rendered on the screen. This makes .obj files a key component in creating realistic 3D visuals, and is why it is so important for libraries to support them.

Q.7 Would you like the library to allow the user to change the window size as the program is running?

A.7 Yes, this feature would be very useful when the window isn't in full screen mode as it would allow you to change the window size without needing to restart the program.

Part VII

Appendix B

Second interview with Mr.S

Q.1: How easy is the library to use?

A.1: If you read the documentation provided on the libraries PyPI front page, using the library is quite easy. Initialising the library is the easiest part because it can be done in just three lines of code. Creating objects is also very easy, but I like how you can customize them however you want by specifying the parameters. Also I love how movement is already implemented in the library and I can focus fully on my 3D environment.

Q.2: Is there anything that you don't like about the library?

A.2: The main downside to the library is that it's performance deteriorates quite a bit when you add too many vertices and triangles. I tried to input a large object in my program but I got a steady zero frames per second. This wasn't to big of a setback because I aim to use the library for more simple programs that don't require huge objects. Furthermore, although I like the wire frame look that the program gives, I don't like that there is no option to remove the see through aspect of the objects.

Q.3: What did you like the most about the library?

A.3: My favourite feature of the library is the ability to import 3D models. This feature really brings my programs to life and makes them more special. Furthermore, I like how the library has simple commands which can become very complex when you play around with the parameters. Lastly, the ability to change the FOV with scroll wheel and window size have proved to be very useful in my programs.

Q.4: What could be improved?

A.4: Obviously the performance of the library should be improved, but other than this I would like it if the library would offer more pre-made shapes and a way to fill the triangles with color. This color wouldn't need to have shading but being able to fill the shapes and remove the transparency would make for a great improvement.

Q.5: Are you satisfied with the end product?

A.5: Yes, I am very satisfied with the end product because it meets all of my needs. Since I intend to use the library to make simple games and animations, The performance issues that are encountered with many shapes aren't encountered for me. This library is super useful because I can use all my knowledge of the Pygame library and combine it with the 3D graphics.

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