CS425 GAME PROGRAMMING

Lecture 02 – OGRE (Object-Oriented Graphics Rendering Engine)

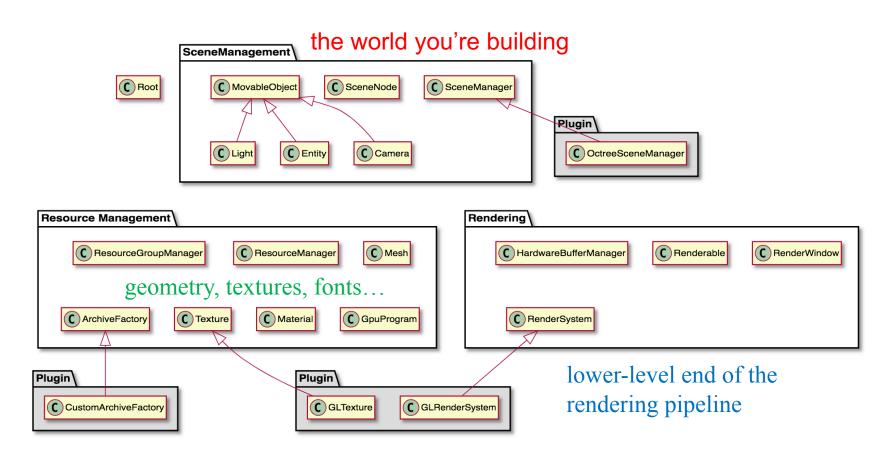
Today

- Introduction to OGRE
- The main goal is not to teach you about OGRE so that you know OGRE.
- The goal is to:
 - Provide you with enough knowledge to build on top of OGRE.
 - Give you a look at how an engine is set up (they have similarities and differences)
 - Refresh your memory on C++



Overview from 10,000 feet

https://ogrecave.github.io/ogre/api/latest/_the-_core-_objects.html



Scene Manager

- SceneManager keeps track of the locations and other attributes of the objects
- Also manages cameras
- mRoot->createSceneManager(ST_GENERIC);
 - DefaultSceneManager
 - OctreeSceneManager
 - BspSceneManager
 - PCZSceneManager

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SceneNode and Entity

- SceneNodes carry information that is used for all of the objects that are attached to it
 - Transforms
 - Part of a scene graph
 - Contain one or multiple entities
- Entity
 - 3D Mesh
 - Light, Particles, and Cameras are not entities
 - Must be attached to a SceneNode before rendering

OGRE Program Flow

- mRoot = new Ogre::Root(Ogre::StringUtil::BLANK);
- Choose Scene Manager
- Create Camera
- Create Viewports
- Load Resources
- Create Scene //Your main task
- Create Frame Listener
- mRoot→startRendering();
- Destroy Scene

Choose Scene Manager

- // Get the SceneManager, in this case a generic one
- mSceneMgr = mRoot → createSceneManager(Ogre::ST_GENERIC);
- //overlay is for rendering heads-up-displays, menus or other layers
- //on top of the contents of the scene
- mOverlaySystem = new Ogre::OverlaySystem();
- mSceneMgr → addRenderQueueListener(mOverlaySystem);

Create Camera

- // Create the camera
- mCamera = mSceneMgr → createCamera("PlayerCam");
- // Position it at 500 in Z direction
- mCamera → setPosition(Ogre::Vector3(0,0,80));
- // Look back along -Z
- mCamera → lookAt(Ogre::Vector3(0,0,-300));
- mCamera → setNearClipDistance(5);
- // create a default camera controller
- mCameraMan = new OgreBites::SdkCameraMan(mCamera);

Create Viewports

- // Create one viewport, entire window
- Ogre::Viewport* vp = mWindow → addViewport(mCamera);
- vp → setBackgroundColour(Ogre::ColourValue(0,0,0));
- // Alter the camera aspect ratio to match the viewport
- mCamera → setAspectRatio(Ogre::Real(vp → getActualWidth()) / Ogre::Real(vp → getActualHeight()));

Load Resources

```
// Load resource paths from config file
   Ogre::ConfigFile cf;
   cf.load(mResourcesCfg);
   Go through all sections & settings in the file
   Ogre::ConfigFile::SectionIterator seci = cf.getSectionIterator();
   Ogre::String secName, typeName, archName;
   while (seci.hasMoreElements())
     secName = seci.peekNextKey();
     Ogre::ConfigFile::SettingsMultiMap *settings = seci.getNext();
     Ogre::ConfigFile::SettingsMultiMap::iterator i;
     for (i = settings \rightarrow begin(); i!= settings \rightarrow end(); ++i)
        typeName = i \rightarrow first;
        archName = i → second;
        Ogre::ResourceGroupManager::getSingleton().addResourceLocation(
          archName, typeName, secName);
```

Window/Event Management

- class BaseApplication: public Ogre::FrameListener, public Ogre::WindowEventListener, public OIS::KeyListener, public OIS::MouseListener, OgreBites::SdkTrayListener
- // Ogre::FrameListener
- virtual bool frameRenderingQueued(const Ogre::FrameEvent& evt);
- // OIS::KeyListener
- virtual bool keyPressed(const OIS::KeyEvent & arg);
- virtual bool keyReleased(const OIS::KeyEvent & arg);
- // OIS::MouseListener
- virtual bool mouseMoved(const OIS::MouseEvent &arg);
- virtual bool mousePressed(const OIS::MouseEvent & arg, OIS::MouseButtonID id);
- virtual bool mouseReleased(const OIS::MouseEvent & arg, OIS::MouseButtonID id);
- // Ogre::WindowEventListener and djust mouse clipping area
- virtual void windowResized(Ogre::RenderWindow* rw);
- //Unattach OIS before window shutdown (very important under Linux)
- virtual void windowClosed(Ogre::RenderWindow* rw);

Create Event/Frame Listener

- OIS::InputManager::createInputSystem(...);
 // dose somethings about keyboard and mouse...
 // Register as a Window listener
 Ogre::WindowEventUtilities::addWindowEventListener(window, this);
 mTrayMgr = new OgreBites::SdkTrayManager("bla", window, context, this);
 mTrayMgr → showFrameStats(OgreBites::TL_BOTTOMLEFT);
 mTrayMgr → hideCursor();
- mRoot → addFrameListener(this);

Demo

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Create Scene

- Load Env
- Setup Env
- Load Objects();
- Load Characters();

Load Env

- //create a floor mesh resource
 - Ogre::MeshManager::getSingleton().createPlane("floor", ResourceGroupManager::DEFAULT_RESOURCE_GROUP_NAME, Plane(Vector3::UNIT_Y, 0), 100, 100, 10, 10, true, 1, 10, 10, Vector3::UNIT_Z);
- //create a floor entity, give it material, and place it at the origin
- Entity* floor = mSceneMgr → createEntity("Floor", "floor");
- floor → setMaterialName("Examples/Rockwall");
- floor → setCastShadows(false);
- mSceneMgr → getRootSceneNode() → attachObject(floor);

Setup Env

```
// set shadow properties
mSceneMgr → setShadowTechnique(...);
mSceneMgr \rightarrow setShadowColour(ColourValue(0, 0, 1));
mSceneMgr → setShadowTextureSize(1024);
mSceneMgr → setShadowTextureCount(1);
mCameraMan → setStyle(OgreBites::CS FREELOOK);
// use small amount of ambient lighting
mSceneMgr → setAmbientLight(ColourValue(0.3f, 0.3f, 0.3f));
// add a bright light above the scene
Light* light = mSceneMgr → createLight();
light → setType(Light::LT POINT);
light \rightarrow setPosition(-10, 40, 20);
light → setSpecularColour(ColourValue::White);
light → setDiffuseColour(ColourValue::Green);
```

Load Objects

```
Ogre::Entity *ent;
Ogre::SceneNode *node;
ent = mSceneMgr→createEntity("Knot1", "knot.mesh");
node = mSceneMgr→getRootSceneNode()→createChildSceneNode("1", Ogre::Vector3(0.0f, 0.0f, 2.5f));
node → attachObject(ent);
node \rightarrow setScale(0.1f, 0.1f, 0.1f);
ent = mSceneMgr → createEntity("Knot2", "knot.mesh"); // Names must be unique
node = mSceneMgr→getRootSceneNode()→createChildSceneNode("2", Ogre::Vector3(5.0f, 0.0f, 5.0f));
node → attachObject(ent);
node \rightarrow setScale(0.01f, 0.01f, 0.01f);
ent = mSceneMgr→ createEntity("Knot3", "knot.mesh");
node = mSceneMgr→getRootSceneNode()→createChildSceneNode("3", Ogre::Vector3(-1.0f, 0.0f,-2.0f));
node → attachObject(ent);
node \rightarrow setScale(1.1f, 1.1f, 1.1f);
node \rightarrow yaw(Degree(90));
```

Load Characters

- mBodyNode = mSceneMgr → getRootSceneNode() → createChildSceneNode();
- mBodyEntity = mSceneMgr → createEntity("Sinbad", "Sinbad.mesh");
- mBodyNode → attachObject(mBodyEntity);
- // make the Ogre stand on the plane
- mBodyNode → translate(0,5,0);
- //What does the following code do?
- Ogre::Entity* mEnt = mSceneMgr → getEntity("Knot1");
- mEnt → detachFromParent();
- mBodyNode → attachObject(mEnt);

Demo 2

CS425App-02-Simple Scene