

COL 216 ASSIGNMENT-1

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APPROACH FOR CODE

- FIRSTLY, WE ARE TAKING INPUT FROM OUR SYSTEM AND AFTER THAT ON EXECUTING WE HAVE TO PROVIDE THE NUMBER OF POINTS.
- WE HAVE TO MAKE SURE THAT FOR NUMBER OF POINTS TO BE 0 OR 1 THE AREA BOUNDED IS 0.
- AFTER THAT WE ARE TAKING X AND Y COORDINATES RESPECTIVELY UNTIL WE GET THE PAIR FOR ALL POINTS AS PROVIDED EARLIER.
- NOW, WE JUST HAVE TO USE SOME MATHEMATICS FOR FINDING THE AREA (I.E. WE CAN DIVIDE INPUT IN 2 SUCCESSIVE COORDINATES AND THEN FIND AREA BOUNDED BY THOSE POINTS AND X AXIS USING THE GENERAL FORMULAE ($AREA = \frac{1}{2} * (SUM\ OF\ PARALLEL\ SIDES\ (I.E.\ Y_1 + Y_2)) * (DISTANCE\ BETWEEN\ THEM(I.E.\ X_2 - X_1))$)).
- THEN WE JUST CONSIDER SOME CASES IN THEM THOSE ARE AS FOLLOW:
- CASE 1: WHEN ALL $X_i, X_{(i+1)}, Y_i, Y_{(i+1)}$ ARE POSITIVE THEN WE SIMPLY APPLY THE FORMULAE THAT IS GIVEN ABOVE AND IT SUMMED UP GIVES US THE AREA BOUNDED BY THOSE 2 POINTS.
- CASE 2: WHEN ALL $X_i, X_{(i+1)}, Y_i, Y_{(i+1)}$ ARE NEGATIVE THEN ALSO WE APPLY THE SAME FORMULAE BUT THIS TIME WE TAKE MODULUS OF THE $(Y_1 + Y_2)$ AND $(X_2 - X_1)$ AS IT IS OUR DESIGN APPROACH BECAUSE AREA BOUNDED IS ALWAYS POSITIVE.
- CASE 3: WHEN ONE OF $Y_i, Y_{(i+1)}$ IS +VE AND ANOTHER IS -VE AND SAME FOR $X_i, X_{(i+1)}$ THEN WE APPLY THE FORMULAE I.E. ($AREA = \frac{1}{2} * ((Y_1 * Y_1) * (|X_1 - X_2|) / (|Y_2 - Y_1|) + (Y_2 * Y_2) * (|X_1 - X_2|) / (|Y_2 - Y_1|))$)).
- THIS CAN BE EASILY DERIVED FROM THE CONCEPT OF SIMILAR TRIANGLES.
- THEN WE ARE GOING TO UPDATE OUR FLOAT VARIABLE THAT WE HAVE INITIATED TO 0 AND ADD OUR AREA TO IT.

- AFTER THAT WE TAKE NEXT PAIR OF POINTS AND FOLLOW SIMILAR PROCEDURE TILL WE HAVE CALCULATED AREA OF ALL PAIR OF CONSECUTIVE POINTS.

ASSUMPTIONS MADE IN OUR DESIGN

- USED TEMPORARY REGISTERS TO STORE THE INTERMEDIATE VALUES IN THE PRECISION OF 32-BITS.
- INSTEAD OF PRINTING THE OVERFLOW CASE WE HAVE JUST IGNORED IT.
- USED THE NUMBER OF POINTS ONLY GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO ZERO AND ALSO THE INPUTS ARE GIVEN ONLY IN ORDER OF INCREASING X-COORDINATES.

TEST CASE STRATEGY

- AS WE HAVE DESCRIBED DIFFERENT TYPES OF TEST CASES ABOVE SO THEY INCLUDE IF TWO CONSECUTIVE POINTS ARE IN SAME QUADRANT OR ARE IN DIFFERENT QUADRANTS.
- IN LATER CASE, THE AREA BOUNDED MAY BE BELOW X AXIS BUT THAT IS TAKEN AS POSITIVE IN OUR DESIGN CHOICE.
- CHECKED SOME AMBIGUOUS CASES LIKE WHEN ONLY ONE POINT IS GIVEN OR 0 POINTS ARE GIVEN AND ALL POINTS LIE IN THE SAME VERTICAL LINE (WHICH IS WHEN TWO OR MORE POINTS HAVE SAME X COORDINATE).
- EVEN CHECKED THE CASE WHEN THERE IS A SINGLE POINT WHICH IS REPEATING MANY TIMES IN BETWEEN THE INPUT.
- IN THE CASE WHEN TWO POINTS HAVE SAME X-COORDINATES WE HAVE CHECKED IT BY TAKING NO RESTRICTION ON Y COORDINATES THAT IS THEY MAY OR MAY NOT BE IN INCREASING ORDER.
- CHECKED THE VALUE OF EACH AND EVERY REGISTER AFTER RUNNING THE CODE AND CONFIRM IT BY MANUAL CALCULATIONS AND PRINTING WHILE TESTING.