

# EECS598 HW2

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## Usage

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```
g++ -std=c++17 -O3 -o rayTracing *.cpp
./rayTracing
```

### task 5.3 Basic



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Vec3 Scene::trace(const Ray &ray, int bouncesLeft, bool discardEmission) {
    if constexpr(DEBUG) {
        assert(ray.isNormalized());
    }

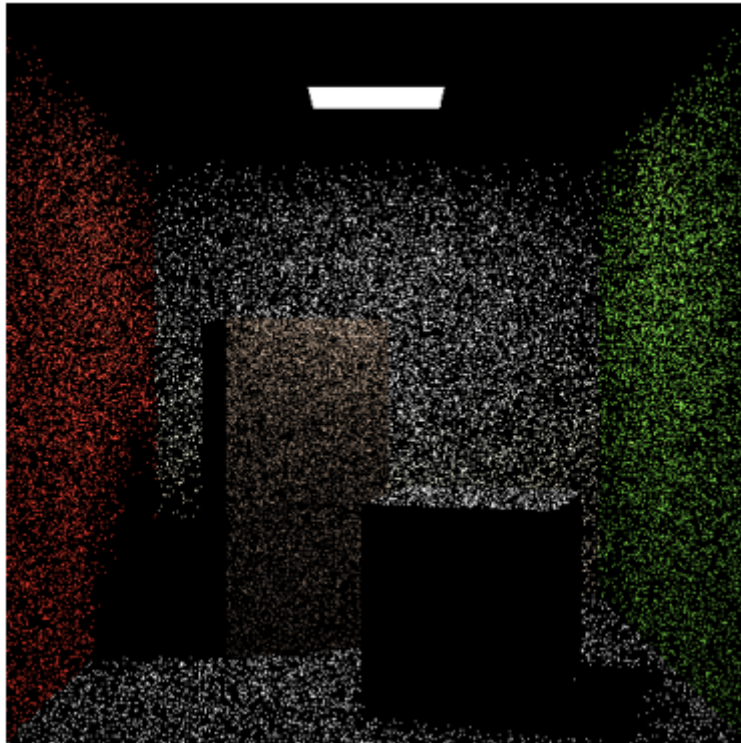
    // Use the getIntersection function to find the closest intersection
    Intersection intersection = getIntersection(ray);

    // If there was an intersection, return the diffuse color of the surface
    if (intersection.happened) { // Assuming intersection.hit tells whether
        there's a valid hit
        return intersection.getDiffuseColor(); // Return the diffuse color of
        the hit object
    }

    // If no intersection, return a background color (e.g., black)
    return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f); // Return black color as the default
    background
}
```

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}
```

## task 6.4 Direct Illumination



```
Vec3 Scene::trace(const Ray &ray, int bouncesLeft, bool discardEmission) {
    if constexpr (DEBUG) {
        assert(ray.isNormalized());
    }

    // Use the getIntersection function to find the closest intersection
    Intersection intersection = getIntersection(ray);
    if (!intersection.happened) {
        // If no intersection, return background color (black in this case)
        return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);
    }

    // Direct lighting computation starts here
    Vec3 Lo(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);

    // Get emitted radiance from the intersected object (if emissive)
    Vec3 Le = intersection.getEmission();

    if (!discardEmission && Le.getLength() > 0.0f) {
        // Add emission directly if it's not discarded
        Lo += Le;
    }

    // Sample a random direction on the hemisphere oriented around the normal
    Vec3 normal = intersection.getNormal();
    Vec3 wi = Random::randomHemisphereDirection(normal);

    // Trace a ray in the sampled direction
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Ray shadowRay(intersection.pos, wi);
Intersection secondIntersection = getIntersection(shadowRay);

if (secondIntersection.happened) {
    // Incoming radiance from the light source or another object
    Vec3 Li = secondIntersection.getEmission(); // Assuming the emission of
    intersected object is Li

    // Calculate BRDF at the intersection point
    Vec3 brdf = intersection.calcBRDF(-shadowRay.dir, -ray.dir); // wi and wo
    are reversed because we trace backward

    // Calculate the cosine term ( $n \cdot w_i$ )
    float cosineTerm = std::max(0.0f, normal.dot(wi));

    // Assume uniform sampling over the hemisphere for pdf
    float pdf = 1.0f / (2.0f * PI);

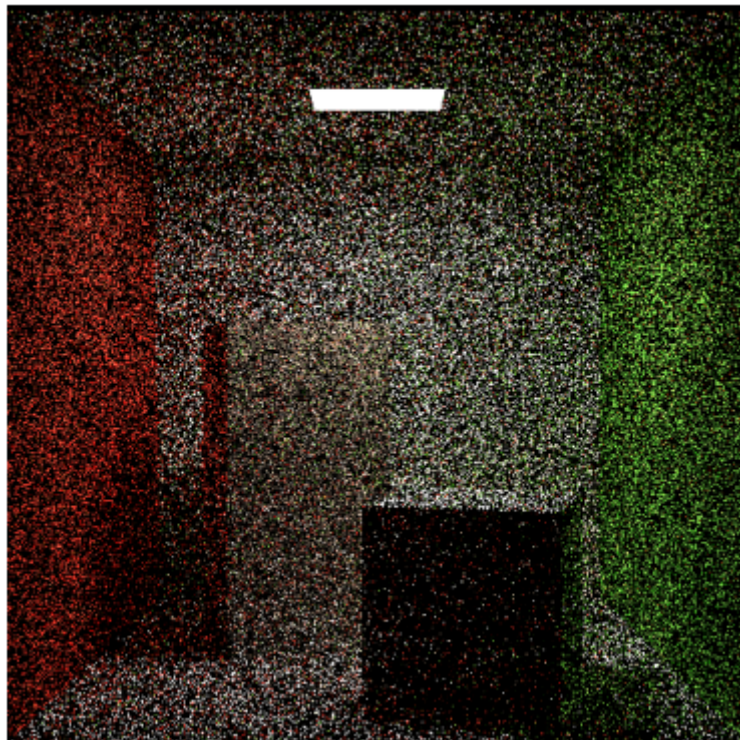
    // Apply the direct illumination equation
    Lo += (Li * brdf * cosineTerm) / pdf;
}

// Return the outgoing radiance
return Lo;
}

```

## task 7.1 Global Illumination

Render the image with exactly 32 SPP, and MAX DEPTH at least 4



```

if constexpr (DEBUG) {
    assert(ray.isNormalized());
}

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// Base case: stop recursion when no bounces are left
if (bouncesLeft <= 0) {
    return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f); // Return zero radiance for no more
bounces
}

// Use the getIntersection function to find the closest intersection
Intersection intersection = getIntersection(ray);
if (!intersection.happened) {
    // If no intersection, return background color (black in this case)
    return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);
}

// Direct lighting computation starts here
Vec3 Lo(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);

// Get emitted radiance from the intersected object (if emissive)
Vec3 Le = intersection.getEmission();

if (!discardEmission) {
    // Add emission directly if it's not discarded
    Lo += Le;
}

// Sample a random direction on the hemisphere oriented around the normal
Vec3 normal = intersection.getNormal();
Vec3 wi = Random::randomHemisphereDirection(normal);

// Trace a ray in the sampled direction (this will handle indirect lighting)
Ray nextRay(intersection.pos, wi);

// Recursively trace the next ray for indirect lighting contribution
Vec3 indirectRadiance = trace(nextRay, bouncesLeft - 1, discardEmission);

// Calculate BRDF at the intersection point
Vec3 brdf = intersection.calcBRDF(-nextRay.dir, -ray.dir); // wi and wo are
reversed because we trace backward

// Calculate the cosine term ( $n \cdot w_i$ )
float cosineTerm = std::max(0.0f, normal.dot(wi));

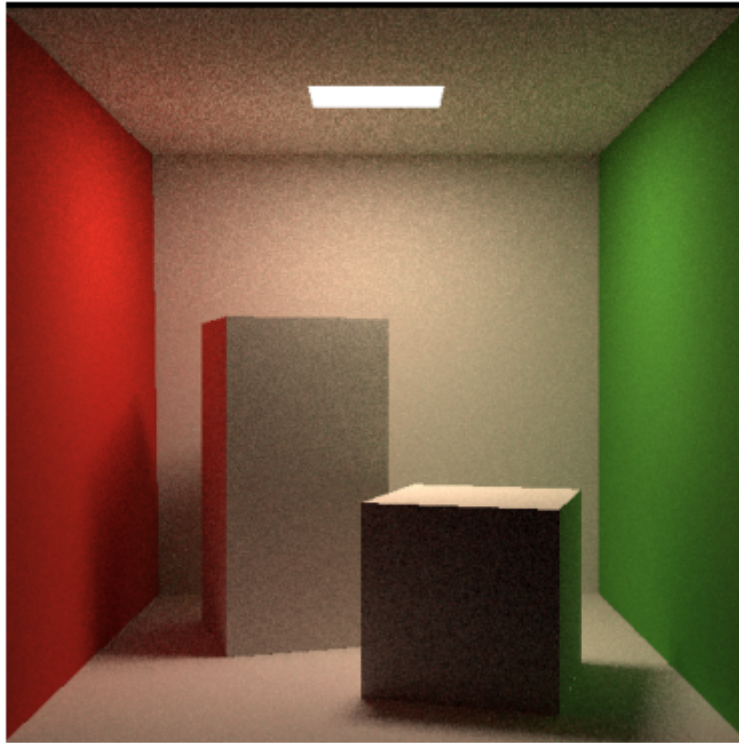
// Assume uniform sampling over the hemisphere for pdf
float pdf = 1.0f / (2.0f * PI);

// Add indirect illumination to the outgoing radiance
Lo += (indirectRadiance * brdf * cosineTerm) / pdf;

// Return the outgoing radiance
return Lo;
}

```

## task 8.3 Acc



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Vec3 Scene::trace(const Ray &ray, int bouncesLeft, bool discardEmission) {
    if constexpr (DEBUG) {
        assert(ray.isNormalized());
    }

    // Base case: stop recursion when no bounces are left
    if (bouncesLeft <= 0) {
        return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f); // Return zero radiance if no more
bounces
    }

    // Find intersection of the ray with the scene
    Intersection intersection = getIntersection(ray);
    if (!intersection.happened) {
        // If no intersection, return background color (black in this case)
        return Vec3(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);
    }

    // Initialize the outgoing radiance
    Vec3 Lo(0.0f, 0.0f, 0.0f);

    // Get emitted radiance from the intersected object (if emissive)
    Vec3 Le = intersection.getEmission();
    if (!discardEmission) {
        // Add emission directly if not discarded
        Lo += Le;
    }

    // Handle direct lighting by sampling the light source
    Intersection lightSample = sampleLight();
    Vec3 lightDir = lightSample.pos - intersection.pos;
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float distanceToLight = lightDir.getLength();
lightDir.normalize();

// Create a shadow ray towards the light source
Ray rayToLight(intersection.pos, lightDir);

// Check if the light is visible (not blocked by any objects)
Intersection shadowIntersection = getIntersection(rayToLight);
if (shadowIntersection.happened &&
shadowIntersection.getEmission().getLength() != 0) {
    // If the light is not blocked, calculate direct radiance contribution
    Vec3 lightRadiance = lightSample.getEmission();
    Vec3 brdf = intersection.calcBRDF(-lightDir, -ray.dir); // wi and wo are
reversed
    float cosTheta = std::max(0.0f, intersection.getNormal().dot(lightDir));
    float cosThetaLight = std::max(0.0f, -
lightSample.getNormal().dot(lightDir));
    float pdfLightSample = 1.0f / lightArea; // Access the precomputed light
area

    // Add direct radiance contribution to the total outgoing radiance
    Lo += (lightRadiance * brdf * cosTheta * cosThetaLight) /
(distanceToLight * distanceToLight * pdfLightSample);
}

// Handle indirect lighting using importance sampling (cosine-weighted
hemisphere)
Vec3 normal = intersection.getNormal();
Vec3 wi = Random::cosweightedHemisphere(normal); // Sample a direction

// Probability density function for cosine-weighted sampling
float pdf = normal.dot(wi) / PI;

// Trace a ray in the sampled direction (indirect radiance)
Ray nextRay(intersection.pos, wi);
Vec3 indirectRadiance = trace(nextRay, bouncesLeft - 1, true); //
Recursively trace

// Calculate the BRDF and cosine term
Vec3 brdf = intersection.calcBRDF(-wi, -ray.dir); // wi and wo are reversed
float cosineTerm = std::max(0.0f, normal.dot(wi));

// Add indirect radiance contribution to the total outgoing radiance
Lo += (indirectRadiance * brdf * cosineTerm) / pdf;

// Return the total outgoing radiance (direct + indirect)
return Lo;
}

```



## Feature

Multi-threading acceleration.

Physically-based Rendering (PBR).

