


CS155 - Computer Graphics

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Lecture 6

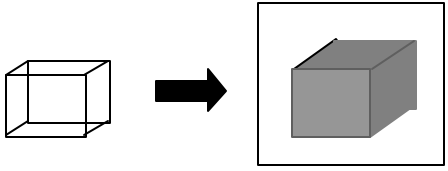
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Class Overview

- Image Processing
- Rendering  YOU ARE HERE
- Modeling

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Rendering



Model Image

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Issues

- Scene description
- Viewer description
- Surface appearance

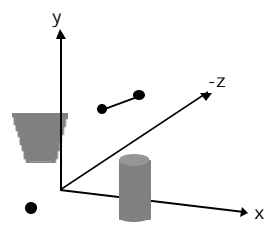
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Scene

- A scene is a collection of geometric primitives located in "world coordinates"

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Scene



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Primitives in 3D

- Point
- Line segment
- Polygon
- Sphere
- Polyhedron
- Curved surface
- Solid object
- Etc.

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Geometric Models

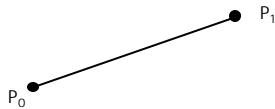
- Point P: (x,y,z)
- Line Segment L: P_0, P_1
- Polygon R: $P_0, P_1, P_2, \dots, P_n$
- Sphere S: P, r

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Line Segment in 3D



Line Segment: $P_0 + \alpha (P_1 - P_0)$ for $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$

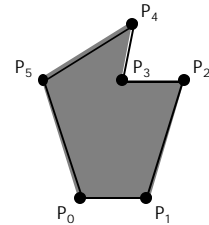
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Polygon in 3D

Points on and bounded by the line segments formed by $(P_0, P_1, P_2, P_3, P_4, P_5)$



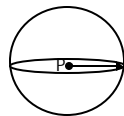
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Sphere

All points a distance r from center P



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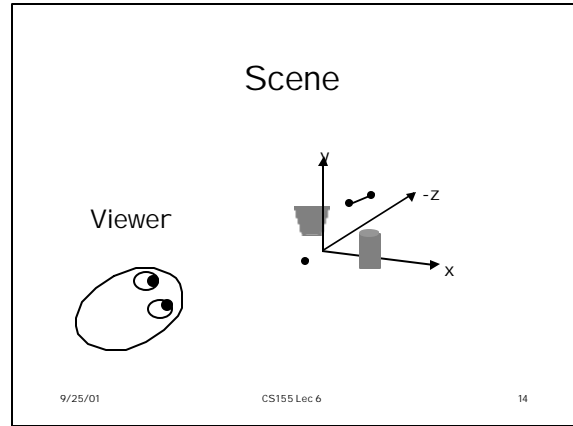
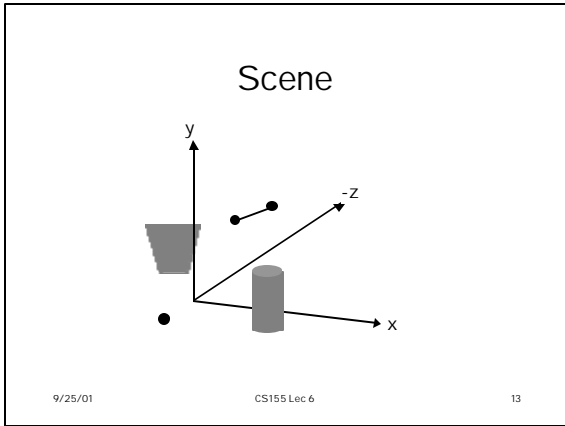
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- Polyhedra
- Curved Surfaces
- Solid Objects
- Etc.

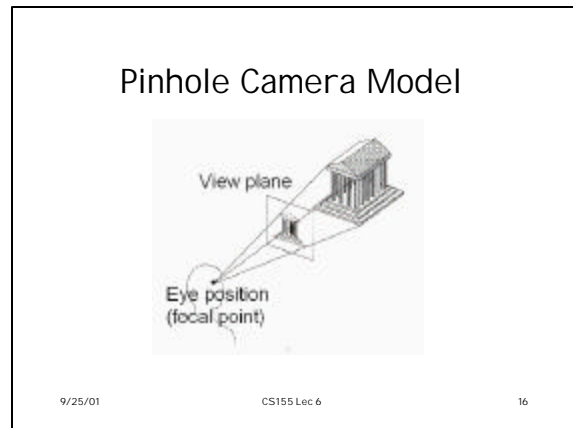
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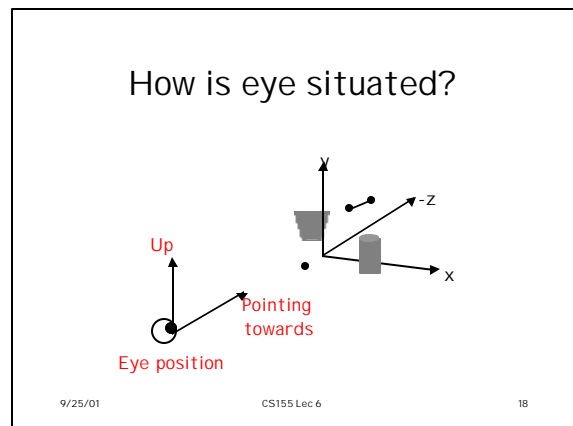
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- ### Issues
- Scene description
 - **Viewer description**
 - Surface appearance
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- ### Issues
- How is the eye situated?
 - How is the view plane situated?
 - How much of the world can be seen?
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Standard Configuration

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How is the view plane situated ?

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How much of the world can be seen?

AKA clipping

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Example

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Issues

- Scene description
- Viewer description
- Surface appearance

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Surface appearance

- Light properties
- Material properties
- Geometry
- Etc.

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Issues

- Scene description
 - Specify primitives and their orientation in world coordinates
- Viewer description
 - Specify eye orientation and viewing volume
- Surface appearance
 - Specify light and material properties

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Rendering by Ray Casting

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Rendering by Ray Casting

For each pixel in the view plane
 Cast ray from eye through pixel
 Determine first surface in frustum intersected by ray
 Compute surface appearance at intersection

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Rendering by Ray Casting

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Line in 3D

Line: $P_0 + \alpha(P_1 - P_0)$ for $-\infty < \alpha < \infty$


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Example Line

The line consists of the points $(1+\alpha, 3+\alpha, 2+3\alpha)$ for α in $(-\infty, \infty)$

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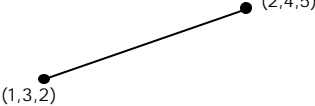
Line Segment in 3D



Line Segment: $P_0 + \alpha (P_1 - P_0)$ for $0 \leq \alpha \leq 1$

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Example Line Segment



The line segment consists of the points $(1+\alpha, 3+\alpha, 2+3\alpha)$ for α in $[0,1]$

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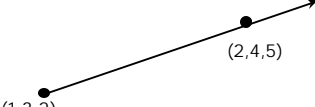
Ray in 3D



Ray: $P_0 + \alpha (P_1 - P_0)$ for $0 \leq \alpha \leq \infty$

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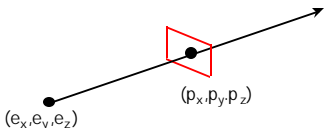
Example Ray



The ray consists of the points $(1+\alpha, 3+\alpha, 2+3\alpha)$ for α in $[0,\infty)$

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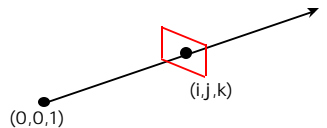
Ray Casting Ray



The ray consists of the points $(e_x + \alpha(p_x - e_x), e_y + \alpha(p_y - e_y), e_z + \alpha(p_z - e_z))$ for α in $[0, \infty)$

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Standard Configuration



The ray consists of the points $(\alpha i, \alpha j, 1 + \alpha(k-1))$ for α in $[0, \infty)$

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Rendering by Ray Casting

For each pixel in the view plane
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Determine first surface (in frustum) intersected by ray
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Clipping

Really want intersection with line segment.

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Intersection with ray

- Point
- Line segment
- Polygon
- Sphere

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Intersection of a line and a point

L: $(x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0), z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0))$
 for α in $(-\infty, \infty)$
 P: (u, v, w)

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Intersection of a line and a point

P lies on L if and only if there exists an α that satisfies the following equations:

$$x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0) = u$$

$$y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0) = v$$

$$z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0) = w$$

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Clipping

AND α is in $[1, q]$

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Intersection of two lines

$L_1: (x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0), z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0))$
 $L_2: (u_0 + \beta(u_1 - u_0), v_0 + \beta(v_1 - v_0), w_0 + \beta(w_1 - w_0))$
 for α, β in $(-\infty, \infty)$

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Intersection of two lines

L_1 and L_2 intersect if and only if there exists an α and β that satisfy the following equations:

$$x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0) = u_0 + \beta(u_1 - u_0)$$

$$y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0) = v_0 + \beta(v_1 - v_0)$$

$$z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0) = w_0 + \beta(w_1 - w_0)$$

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Clipping

$\alpha=0$ eye
 $\alpha=1$ Near plane
 $\alpha=q$ Far plane

AND α is in $[1, q]$

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Intersection of a line and a triangle

$L: (x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0), y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0), z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0))$
 for α in $(-\infty, \infty)$
 $T: P_0 P_1 P_2$

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Intersection of a line and a triangle

- Does L intersect the plane containing T ?
- If so, does the point of intersection lie in T ?

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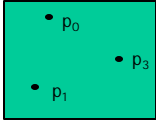
Equation of a Plane

This plane is the set of points (x, y, z) where
 $ax + by + cz = d$

$d = ax_0 + by_0 + cz_0$ where (x_0, y_0, z_0) is any point on the plane.

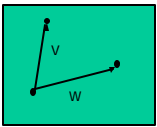
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Normal to a Plane



3 points

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2 vectors

$n = w \times v$ (i.e. cross product)

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The details

- Points: $(x_0, y_0, z_0), (x_1, y_1, z_1), (x_2, y_2, z_2)$
- Vectors:
 - $v = \langle v_x, v_y, v_z \rangle = \langle x_0 - x_1, y_0 - y_1, z_0 - z_1 \rangle$
 - $w = \langle w_x, w_y, w_z \rangle = \langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$
- Cross Product: $n = \langle A, B, C \rangle = \langle w_y v_z - w_z v_y, -w_x v_z + w_z v_x, w_x v_y - w_y v_x \rangle$

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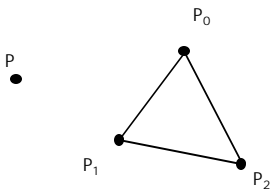
Intersection of a line and a plane

L and P intersect if and only if there exists an α that satisfy the following equations:

$$A(x_0 + \alpha(x_1 - x_0)) + B(y_0 + \alpha(y_1 - y_0)) + C(z_0 + \alpha(z_1 - z_0)) = D$$

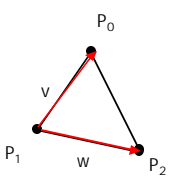
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Intersection of a point and a triangle



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Parametric Representation of T



T is the set of points $\alpha v + \beta w$ where α, β are in $[0, 1]$

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The details

- Vertices of triangle: $P_0 = (x_0, y_0, z_0), P_1 = (x_1, y_1, z_1), P_2 = (x_2, y_2, z_2)$
- Vectors defined by vertices:
 - $v = \langle v_x, v_y, v_z \rangle = \langle x_0 - x_1, y_0 - y_1, z_0 - z_1 \rangle$
 - $w = \langle w_x, w_y, w_z \rangle = \langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$

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Intersection of a point and a triangle

Point $P=(x,y,z)$ and triangle $T: P_0 P_1 P_2$ intersect if and only if there exist α and β in $[0,1]$ such that

$$\alpha v_x + \beta w_x = x$$

$$\alpha v_y + \beta w_y = y$$

$$\alpha v_z + \beta w_z = z$$

*Vectors v and w are defined as in the last slide.

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The details

- Points: $P_0=(x_0,y_0,z_0)$, $P_1=(x_1,y_1,z_1)$, $P_2=(x_2,y_2,z_2)$
- Vectors:

$$v = \langle v_x, v_y, v_z \rangle = \langle x_0 - x_1, y_0 - y_1, z_0 - z_1 \rangle$$

$$w = \langle w_x, w_y, w_z \rangle = \langle x_2 - x_1, y_2 - y_1, z_2 - z_1 \rangle$$

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Polygons?

- Oh ... we love those triangles

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