# **CPSC 314 Computer Graphics**

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Nuts and bolts of OpenGL programming, Part 2 Vector Spaces

#### Announcements

- Midterm exams now scheduled:
  - First midterm Friday Feb 7, in class
  - Second midterm Friday March 21, in class
- Assignment 1
  - Please use our README in A1.zip, not textbook's.
  - Mac issues still persist... please be patient. Setting up the environment is main work of this assignment
- Today:
  - Wrap up last class on practical aspects of programming with OpenGL and vertex shaders
  - Continue with graphics math review

# C<sup>3</sup> Survey

#### What is your computing environment

- a) Linux, with lab machines
- b) Linux, personal
- c) Mac OSX
- d) Windows
- e) Something else

# C<sup>3</sup> Survey

- How far along are you with Assignment 1
  - a) Not started
  - b) Can run template code
  - c) Finished at least one required part
  - d) Finished all required parts (1,2,3)
  - e) Finished everything



## What you need to get started..

- GLUT and freeGLUT
- GLEW
- GLM
- GLSL

## **GLalphabet soup**

- GLUT and freeGLUT
- GLEW
- GLM
- GLSL
  - OpenGL shading language
  - C-like, w. data types and functions useful for graphics
    - vec3, vec4, dvec4, mat4, sampler2D ...
       (OpenGL data are floats unless qualified)
    - <matrix-vector multiplication>, smoothstep, reflect,...
  - Used for both vertex shaders and fragment shaders, with small differences

# Pattern of an OpenGL program

```
int main(int argc, char **argv) {
    initGlutState(argc,argv);
    glewInit(); // load the OpenGL extensions
```

```
initGLState();
initShaders();
initBuffers();
```

```
glutMainLoop();
return 0;
```

}

# Call back function "display"

 Registered with GLUT using glutDisplayFunc(display)

}

```
static void display(void) {
    glUseProgram(h_program)
    glClear(GL_COLOR_BUFFER_BIT |
        GL_DEPTH_BUFFER_BIT);
    drawObj();
    glutSwapBuffers();
```

# Vertex Shader from textbook's hw2d example

```
#version 130
```

```
uniform float uVertexScale;
```

```
in vec2 aPosition;
in vec3 aColor;
in vec2 aTexCoord0, aTexCoord1;
```

```
out vec3 vColor;
out vec2 vTexCoord0, vTexCoord1;
```

```
void main() {
  gl_Position = vec4(aPosition.x * uVertexScale, aPosition.y, 0,1);
  vColor = aColor;
  vTexCoord0 = aTexCoord0;
  vTexCoord1 = aTexCoord1;
}
```

# C<sup>3</sup>: GLSL

- What is the mandatory output in a vertex shader?
  - a) The clip coordinates (gl\_Position)
  - b) The color of each vertex (e.g. fragColor in the textbook example)
  - c) The texture coordinates
  - d) All of the above

# **OpenGL** as a client-server system

- Server is a drawing machine, with state
  - includes data "Objects" and "Context"
- Context is all the state that can be drawn or manipulated by the client
- OpenGL API provides functions for client to change or read the state of the server
  - Create Objects on the server
  - Bind data buffers to targets in the Context
  - glDraw\* initiates drawing
- Important things to create on server
  - Data: Vertex Buffer Objects (VBOs), Texture Objects, ...
  - Programs: Shader programs

### **OpenGL** pipeline

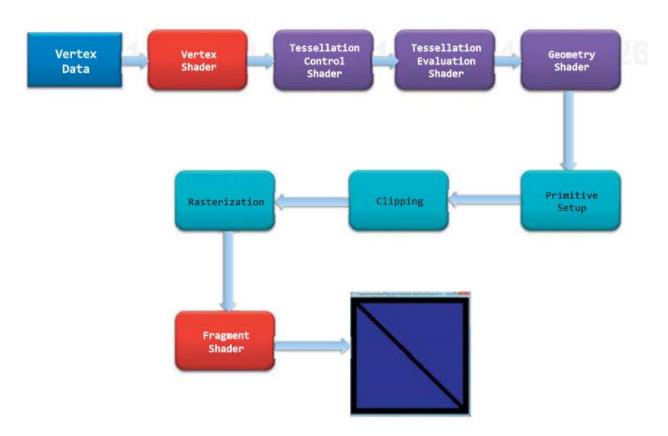


Figure 1.2 The OpenGL pipeline

Source: OpenGL programming guide, 8<sup>th</sup> edition

#### Summary of Key GLSL Concepts (1)

- 'uniform' type qualifier
  - Same for all vertices
- "in" and "out" type qualifiers configure data flow in the pipeline
- "in" type qualifiers
  - Input from previous shader stage
  - For vertex shaders, these are per-vertex attributes
- "out" type qualifiers
  - Outputs to next stage
  - gl\_position is built-in output variable that must be set before rasterization

#### Summary of Key GLSL Concepts (2)

#### 'layout' qualifier

- specify the attribute index explicitly
- Note: each "attribute" is a vec4. So we can store up to 4 floats per attribute.
- Support for vector and matrix arithmetic
- Compiled by the OpenGL application, at runtime

# **Back to theory**

Switch to tablet

#### Next class

#### Representation of points AND vectors

Read Chapter 3 up to 3.5.

