

1. Projection

- Why we care so much about projection in 3D graphics
- 3D setup: scene, camera, viewport, viewing frustum (and their representation in WebGL)
- Coordinate systems: world, viewport, screen (be able to convert between coordinates)
- Orthographic projection
- Perspective projection (including concept of using similar triangles)
- Review: Classes 10 and 13-14

2. Objects in 3D

- How to define objects in 3D (vertices, faces, normal vector should point out)
- Transformations in 3D, how they are used in WebGL (+ animation and rendering loop)
- Review: Class 14, Labs 6-7, HWs 6-8

3. Hierarchical Models

- Why we use hierarchical models
- Concept of certain transformations being applied to different parts of an object or scene
- Concept of using container variables in WebGL to achieve desired groupings
- Review: Class 15, Lab 8, HW 7

4. Lighting

- Concept of a light source and how it changes the shading on a object
- Using normal vectors, light vectors, and the dot product to determine the color of a pixel
- Different types of lights and their representation in WebGL (ambient, directional, point)
- Review: Classes 16-17, Lab 9, HW 7

5. Texture Mapping

- Main idea behind texture mapping: UV coordinates (3D object \rightarrow 2D texture coordinates)
- How to specify and use UV coordinates in WebGL
- How to texture map planes/faces (not cone, sphere, etc)
- Basic idea behind perspective-correct texture mapping (not the math)
- Review: Classes 17-18, Lab 10, HW 8

6. Ray tracing

- Main idea of “hidden surface removal”, i.e. determining what is visible at each pixel
- Z-buffering algorithm (alternative to ray tracing, loop over objects first)
- Ray tracing (loop over rays first, one for each pixel)
- How to draw different views, ray equation, how to find intersections
- Review: Classes 19-22, HW 9

7. Pre-midterm topics

- Less focus overall (recommend using your cheat sheet from the midterm as a quick guide)
- Few key topics: recursion, transformations, Bézier curves (most issues on the midterm)

FINAL EXAM - December 2016
CSC 240 01: Computer Graphics

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- This is a self-scheduled exam to be completed during one of the final exam periods.
- Please write all your work on these pages (front and back is okay, but do not use a blue book or any other pages).
- The exam is closed notes, closed Internet, and closed technology, but you may use two “cheat sheets”.
- Your cheat sheets must be hand-written, created by you, 8.5” × 11”, and can be double-sided (up to 4 sides total).
- Submit both cheat sheets with your exam.
- Do not discuss the exam with other students and respect the honor code of doing your own work.
- If you are unable to make progress on any part of the exam, tell me what you tried; describe your thought process.

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