

CS 4731: Computer Graphics  
Lecture 7: Introduction to Transforms, 2D transforms

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## Introduction to Transformations

- Transformation changes an objects:
  - Position (translation)
  - Size (scaling)
  - Orientation (rotation)
  - Shapes (shear)
- We will introduce first in 2D or  $(x,y)$ , build intuition
- Later, talk about 3D and 4D?
- Transform object by applying sequence of matrix multiplications to object vertices

## Why Matrices?

- All transformations can be performed using matrix/vector multiplication
- Allows pre-multiplication of all matrices
- Note: point  $(x,y)$  needs to be represented as  $(x,y,1)$ , also called **Homogeneous coordinates**

## Point Representation

- We use a column matrix (2x1 matrix) to represent a 2D point
$$\begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$
- General form of transformation of a point  $(x,y)$  to  $(x',y')$  can be written as:

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= ax + by + c \\ y' &= dx + ey + f \end{aligned} \quad \text{or} \quad \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} a & b & c \\ d & e & f \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

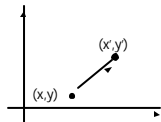
### Translation

- To reposition a point along a straight line
- Given point  $(x,y)$  and translation distance  $(t_x, t_y)$
- The new point:  $(x',y')$

$$\begin{aligned}x' &= x + t_x \\ y' &= y + t_y\end{aligned}$$

or

$$P' = P + T \quad \text{where} \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} \quad P = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} \quad T = \begin{pmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \end{pmatrix}$$



### 3x3 2D Translation Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} t_x \\ t_y \end{pmatrix}$$

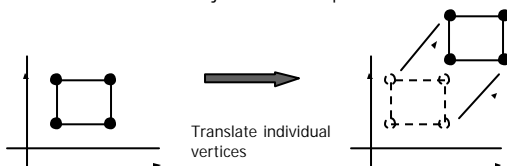
↓ use 3x1 vector

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & t_x \\ 0 & 1 & t_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} * \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

■Note: it becomes a matrix-vector multiplication

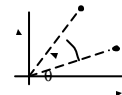
### Translation of Objects

- How to translate an object with multiple vertices?

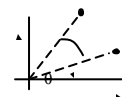


### 2D Rotation

- Default rotation center is origin  $(0,0)$



$\theta > 0$  : Rotate counter clockwise



$\theta < 0$  : Rotate clockwise

### Rotation

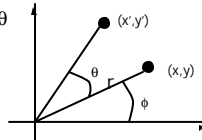
$(x, y) \rightarrow$  Rotate about the origin by  $\theta$

$\rightarrow (x', y')$

How to compute  $(x', y')$  ?

$$x = r \cos(f) \quad y = r \sin(f)$$

$$x' = r \cos(f + q) \quad y' = r \sin(f + q)$$



### Rotation

Using trig identities

$$\cos(q + f) = \cos q \cos f - \sin q \sin f$$

$$\sin(q + f) = \sin q \cos f + \cos q \sin f$$

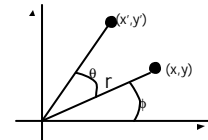
$$x' = x \cos(q) - y \sin(q)$$

$$y' = y \cos(q) + x \sin(q)$$

Matrix form?

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(q) & -\sin(q) \\ \sin(q) & \cos(q) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

3 x 3?

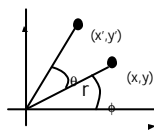


### 3x3 2D Rotation Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(q) & -\sin(q) \\ \sin(q) & \cos(q) \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$

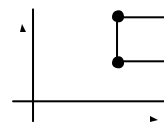


$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(q) & -\sin(q) & 0 \\ \sin(q) & \cos(q) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

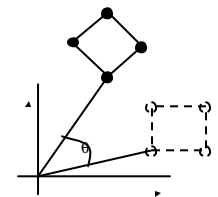


### Rotation

- How to rotate an object with multiple vertices?

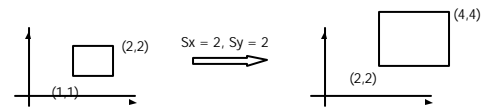


Rotate individual Vertices



## 2D Scaling

- Scale: Alter object size by scaling factor ( $s_x, s_y$ ). i.e

$$\begin{aligned} x' &= x \cdot S_x \\ y' &= y \cdot S_y \end{aligned} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} S_x & 0 \\ 0 & S_y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$


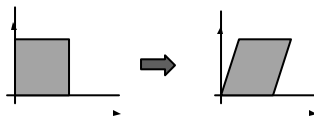
## 3x3 2D Scaling Matrix

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} S_x & 0 \\ 0 & S_y \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \end{pmatrix}$$



$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} S_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & S_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} * \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

## Shearing



- Y coordinates are unaffected, but x coordinates are translated linearly with y
- That is:
  - $y' = y$
  - $x' = x + y * h$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & h & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} * \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

h is fraction of y to be added to x

## Arbitrary Rotation Center

- To rotate about arbitrary point  $P = (P_x, P_y)$  by  $\theta$ :
  - Translate object by  $T(-P_x, -P_y)$  so that P coincides with origin
  - Rotate the object by  $R(\theta)$
  - Translate object back:  $T(P_x, P_y)$
- In matrix form:  $T(P_x, P_y) R(\theta) T(-P_x, -P_y) * P$

$$\begin{pmatrix} x' \\ y' \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & P_x \\ 0 & 1 & P_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) & -\sin(\theta) & 0 \\ \sin(\theta) & \cos(\theta) & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & -P_x \\ 0 & 1 & -P_y \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} x \\ y \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

- Similar for arbitrary scaling anchor,

### Composing Transformation

- Composing transformation – applying several transforms in succession to form one overall transformation
- Example:  
$$\mathbf{M1 \times M2 \times M3 \times P}$$
where M1, M2, M3 are transform matrices applied to P
- Be careful with the order
- For example:
  - Translate by (5,0) then rotate 60 degrees is NOT same as
  - Rotate by 60 degrees then translate by (5,0)

### OpenGL Transformations

- Designed for 3D
- For 2D, simply ignore z dimension
- Translation:
  - `glTranslated(tx, ty, tz)`
  - `glTranslated(tx, ty, 0)` => for 2D
- Rotation:
  - `glRotated(angle, Vx, Vy, Vz)`
  - `glRotated(angle, 0, 0, 1)` => for 2D
- Scaling:
  - `glScaled(sx, sy, sz)`
  - `glScaled(sx, sy, 0)` => for 2D

### References

- Hill, chapter 5.2