

CSC418 Computer Graphics

- Polygons
 - Triangulation
 - Scan conversion
 - Convex/Concave
 - clipping)
- 2D affine transformations and properties, Homogeneous coordinates



Scan Conversion

- Convex versus concave polygons?
- Triangulating a polygon
- Scan Converting a triangle
- Pattern Filling a polygon
- Flood filling a polygon

Polygon Clipping

- Clipping is a procedure for *spatially partitioning* geometric primitives, according to their containment within some region.
- Why do we clip?
 - Distinguish whether geometric primitives are inside or outside of a *viewing region*
 - Distinguish whether geometric primitives are inside or outside of a *picking region*
 - Detecting intersections between primitives
 - Binning geometric primitives into spatial data structures.
 - Shadows.

Sutherland-Hodgman clipping

- Given: Polygon (list of vertices), clipping window (convex)

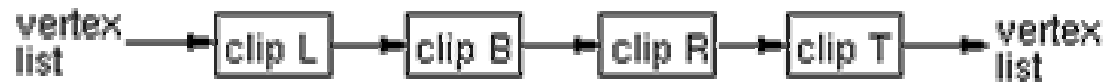
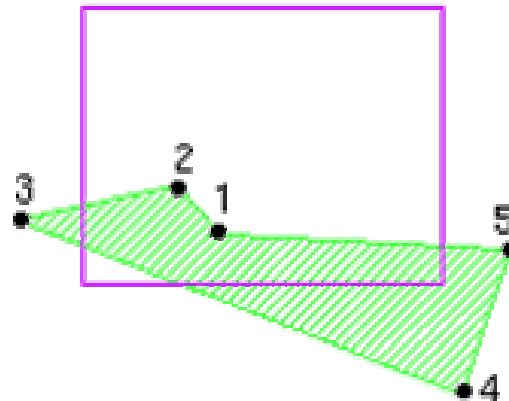
for each clip edge

for each vtx and next in polygon

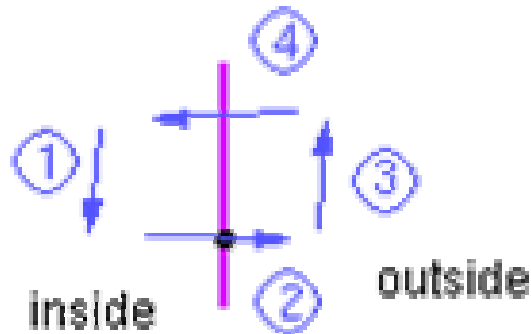
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clip against edge

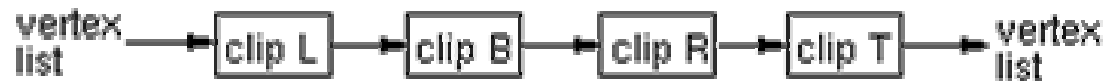
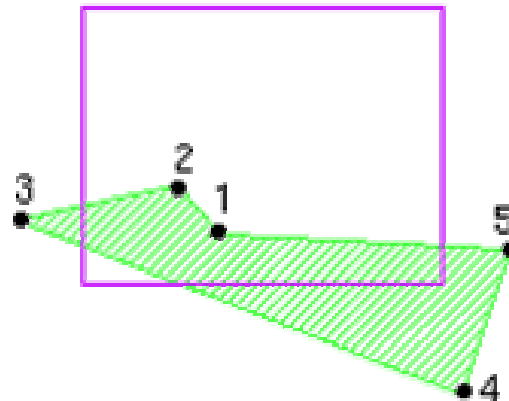
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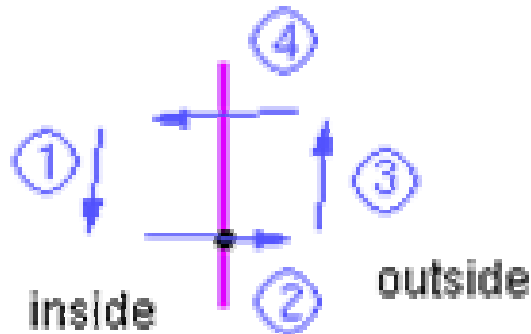
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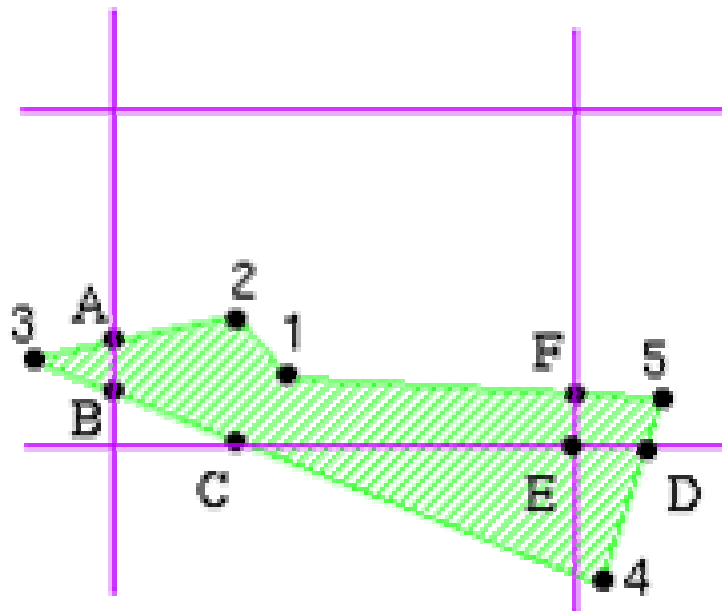
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original: 1,2,3,4,5,1

clip L: 1,2,A,B,4,5,1

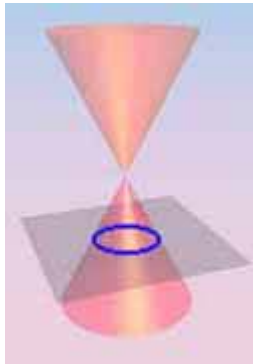
clip B: 1,2,A,B,C,D,5,1

clip R: 1,2,A,B,C,E,F,1

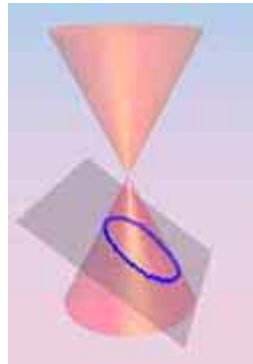
clip T: (same)

2D Primitives

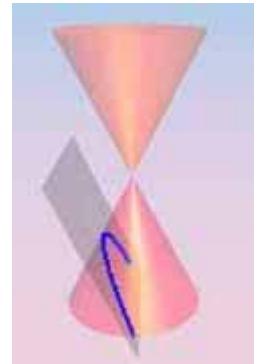
- **Conic Section:** Defined as the intersection of an ellipse and a plane.



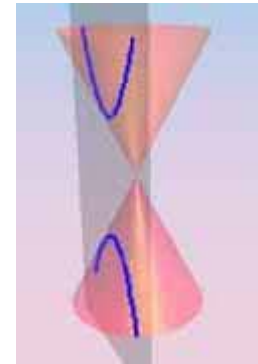
Circle



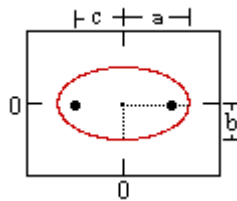
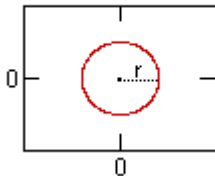
Ellipse (h)



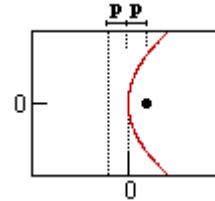
Parabola (h)



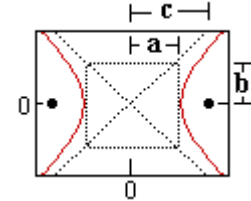
Hyperbola (h)



Ellipse (v)



Parabola (v)



Hyperbola (v)

Conics

- **The General Equation for a Conic Section:**
 $Ax^2 + Bxy + Cy^2 + Dx + Ey + F = 0$
- **The type of section can be found from the sign of: $B^2 - 4AC$**
- If $B^2 - 4AC$ is
 - < 0 ellipse, circle, point or no curve.
 - $= 0$ parabola, 2 parallel lines, 1 line or no curve.
 - > 0 hyperbola or 2 intersecting lines.

2D Transformations

- Live maya demo
- Coord-free Geom.
- Translate/Rotate/Scale
- Rotate about a point
- Transform Matrices
- Composition/Inversion of Transforms
- Homogeneous Coordinates, Affine Transforms
- Hierarchies