## Computer Systems (SS 2011) Exercise 1: April 4, 2011

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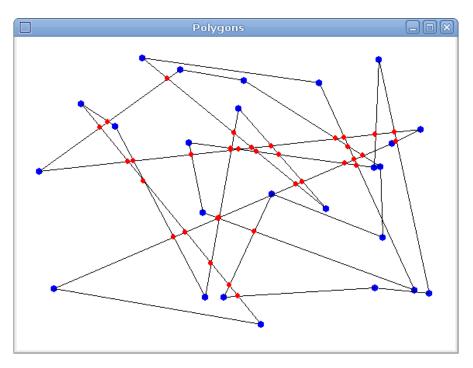
The exercise is to be submitted by the denoted deadline via the submission interface of the Moodle course as a single file in zip (.zip) or tarred gzip (.tgz) format which contains the following files:

- A PDF file ExerciseNumber-MatNr.pdf (where Number is the number of the exercise and MatNr is your "Matrikelnummer") which consists of the following parts:
  - 1. A decent cover page with the title of the course, the number of the exercise, and the author of the solution (identified by name, Matrikelnummer and email address).
  - 2. For every source file, a listing in a *fixed width font*, e.g. **Courier**, (such that indentations are appropriately preserved) and an appropriate *font size* such that source code lines do not break.
  - 3. A description of all tests performed (copies of program inputs and program outputs) explicitly highlighting, if some test produces an unexpected result.
  - 4. Any additional explanation you would like to give. In particular, if your solution has unwanted problems or bugs, please document these explicitly (you will get more credit for such solutions).
- Each source file of your solution (no object files or executables).

Please obey the coding style recommendations posted on the course site.

## **Exercise 1: Polygons**

Write a program that reads, processes, and draws closed polygons as depicted by the following picture:



In detail, the program shall consist of the following components with the given public interfaces (you may freely introduce additional private and public functions):

1. A class Math for comparing floating point numbers:

```
class Math
{
  public:
    static void setAccuracy(double a, double r);
    static bool equals(double c1, double c2);
    static int sign(double c);
};
```

setAccuracy(a,r) stores in static member variables the absolute/relative accuracies a, r for floating point comparisons (choose reasonable defaults, e.g. a = 1 equates pixel-identical point coordinates):  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  are "equal", if  $|c_1 - c_2| < a$  or if  $|(c_1 - c_2)/c_2| < r$  (for the second test, order  $c_1, c_2$  such that  $|c_1| < |c_2|)^1$ . Implement this equality in equals $(c_1, c_2)$ . The function sign(c) returns 0, if c "equals" 0 and otherwise,  $\pm 1$ , depending on the sign of c. In the rest of the program, only these functions are allowed for comparing/testing floating point numbers.

 $<sup>^{1}</sup> See \ \texttt{http://www.cygnus-software.com/papers/comparingfloats/Comparing%20floating%20point%20numbers.htm}$ 

2. A class **Point** that implements points in the plane:

```
class Point
{
  public:
    Point(double x = 0, double y = 0);
    double getX();
    double getY();
    void draw(unsigned int color=0, int radius=1);
    void draw(Point &p);
};
```

The constructor Point(x, y) constructs a point with coordinates x, y (default 0). The selectors getX and getY return the coordinates. The function draw(c,r) draws a filled circle whose center is the point with color c (default black) and radius r (default 1).

3. A class Lines that implements the intersection of two lines:

The function intersect  $(p_0, p_1, p_2, p_3, s)$  implements the intersection of two lines running through points  $p_0, p_1$  and  $p_2, p_3$ , respectively. The result is a pointer to the intersection point of the two lines or (if the lines are collinear) the null pointer. If s is true, the two lines are interpreted as line segments bounded by the given points; an intersection point is then only returned, if it is within the bounds of both segments. The logic for this function is:

- If  $p_0 = p_1$  and  $p_2 = p_3$ , then, if  $p_0 = p_2$ , then return  $p_0$ , and else the null pointer.
- If  $p_0 = p_1$  then, if  $p_0$  is on the other line/segment, then return  $p_0$ , and else the null pointer.
- If  $p_2 = p_3$  then, if  $p_2$  is on the other line/segment, then return  $p_2$ , and else the null pointer.
- If the lines are collinear, return the null pointer.
- Determine the intersection point.
- If s is true, and the point is not on both segments, return the null pointer.
- Return the point.

In above algorithm, avoid to use of the division operator, since it is only partially defined. For instance, rather than testing whether a/b = c/d, you should test whether  $a \cdot d = c \cdot b$  (using the comparison operator of class Math, of course).

The function drawIntersection( $p_0$ ,  $p_1$ ,  $p_2$ ,  $p_3$ , s) uses intersect() to compute and draw the intersection point (the point is to be discarded after drawing).

4. A class Polygon that implements closed polygons:

```
class Polygon
{
  public:
    Polygon();
    ~Polygon();
    void add(double x, double y);
    void random(int n, int x, int y, int w, int h, int seed = 0);
    bool read(const char* filename);
    void draw(unsigned int color1 = 0, unsigned int color 2 = 0);
    void drawIntersection(Polygon& polygon, unsigned int color = 0);
};
```

The class maintains internally an array that holds the points (objects of type Point)  $p_0, \ldots, p_n$  of the polygon to which new points may be added. If the array becomes full, a bigger array is allocated and the old array is disposed. The constructor Polygon() creates a polygon with no points; the destructor "Polygon() disposes the point array. The function add(x,y) adds a point to the polygon (resizing the array, if necessary). The function random(n, x, y, w, h, s) adds to the polygon n random points in the coordinate range  $x \ldots x + w$  respectively  $y \ldots y + h$  using the seed value s for the random number generator (use the standard functions srand() and rand()). The function read(f) reads from a text file with name f the contents

x1 y1 x2 y2 ... xn yn

that represent the coordinates (floating point numbers) of n points and adds these to the array. The return value of read() is true, if the file could be successfully read, and false, if some problem occurred. The function draw( $c_1$ ,  $c_2$ ) draws the closed polygon indicating by bullets of color  $c_1$  the points of the polygon and by somewhat smaller bullets of color  $c_2$  all other points where the segments of the polygon self-intersect. The function drawIntersection(p, c) draws those points in color c where the polygon intersects with another polygon p. Make sure that your code also works with polygons with less than 3 points.

Test these components by a program that performs (at least) the following tasks:

1. It reads file **poly1** and draws the polygon in a window. The outcome must be as indicated in above picture.

- 2. It reads files poly1 and poly2 and draws the polygons and their common intersection points in a window.
- 3. It reads files poly1 and poly3 and draws the polygons and their common intersection points in a window.
- 4. It generates two random polygons with self-chosen seed values that represent the Unicode values of the initial letters of your given name and your family name and draws the polygons and their intersection points in a window (explicitly give the seed values that you used and place the polygons such that they have some intersection points but do not completely overlap). The number of points  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  of the polygons you may choose on your own.

Avoid code duplication but make extensive use of auxiliary functions. Write for each class C a separate header file C.h and an implementation file C.cpp. Use a separate file Polygons.cpp for your test program. Deliver the source code and screenshots of the four windows indicated above.