



LAB 1 – PART B

FUN WITH FUNCTIONS

Analyze / Critique your best 1D terrains

Take two of your best 1D terrains from part A of this lab and:

- 1) Add a Unity camera controller to support scrolling.
- 2) Pick a purpose for your terrain (e.g., Scorched Earth, platformer, infinite runner).
- 3) Apply calculus and statistics to describe your function (within the domain).
- 4) Provide semantic or higher-level descriptions of each function (e.g., peaceful, jagged, cliff). Try to come up with 5-6 descriptors.
- 5) Refactor each function into structure and parameters (explain).
- 6) Discuss possible game mechanics (running, climbing, jumping, shooting, ...).
- 7) Give ways to reduce the parameter space (range of values, relationships between parameters). Show examples to support your choice.

Write a report (web-based) that explains this. Note, you should have many many images, charts and diagrams (perhaps 40?). Give some good critical analysis.

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Is there danger?

Can I get stuck?

20 parameters,
 are you kidding
 me!

This part is worth
 50 points.

But requires more
 thinking

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