

GLU/GLUT Objects

- Each glu/glut object has its default size, position, and orientation
- You need to perform modeling transformation to make it right for you



glutWireCube(1.0) - 'wire' means wire frame

Put a 1x1x1 cube with its center at world (0,0,0)

To create a 2 x 0.1 x 2 table top - need to call glScalef(2, 0.1, 2) before you call glutWireCube(1.0)



The default position is also with base at z = 0 plane

glutWireCone()

Use glutWireCone and gluCylinder to make a lamp



glutWireCone(base, height, slices, stacks)

- A polygon approximation of a cone.

Default position: its base at Z = 0 plane base: the width of its base height: the height of the cone slices: the number of vertical lines used to make up the cone stace: the number of horizontal lines used to make up the cone

glutWireTeapot()

The famous Utah Teapot has become an unofficial computer graphics mascot



glutWireTeapot(0.5) -

Create a teapot with size 0.5, and position its center at (0,0,0)

Again, you need to apply transformations to position it at the right spot

Transformations

Two ways to specify transformations

 (1) Each part of the object is transformed independently relative to the origin

Not the OpenGL Way!



Relative Transformation

A better (and easier) way:

(2) Relative transformation: Specify the transformation

for each object relative to its parent



Object Dependency

- A graphical scene often consists of many small objects
- The attributes of an object (positions, orientations) can depend on others



Hierarchical Representation - Scene Graph

We can describe the object dependency using a tree structure



The position and orientation of an object can be affected by its parent, grand-parent, grand-grand-parent ... nodes

This hierarchical representation is referred to as Scene Graph

Relative Transformation

Relative transformation: Specify the transformation for each object relative to its parent



Relative Transformation (2)

Step 2: Rotate the lower arm and all its descendants relative to its local y axis by -90 degree



Relative Transformation (3)

 Represent relative transformations using scene graph



Do it in OpenGL

- Translate base and all its descendants by (5,0,0)
- Rotate the lower arm and its descendants by -90 degree about the local y degree about the local y





glMatrixMode(GL_MODELVIEW);
glLoadIdentity();

... // setup your camera

glTranslatef(5,0,0);

Draw_base();

glRotatef(-90, 0, 1, 0);

Draw_lower _arm(); Draw_upper_arm(); Draw_hammer();

A more complicated example

How about this model?



Scene Graph?

Do this ...

- Base and everything translate (5,0,0)
- Left hammer rotate 75 degree about the local y
- Right hammer rotate -75 degree about the local y



Depth-first traversal

• Program this transformation by depth-first traversal



How about this?





Something is wrong ...

 What's wrong? – We want to transform the right hammer relative to the base, not to the left hammer



Undo the previous transformation(s)

 Need to save the modelview matrix right after we draw base





 We can use OpenGL Matrix Stack to perform matrix save and restore



- * Store the current modelview matrix - Make a copy of the current matrix and **push** into OpenGL Matrix Stack: call glPushMatrix()
- continue to modify the current matrix
- * Restore the saved Matrix
- Pop the top of the Matrix and copy it back to the current
 Modelview Matrix:
 Call glPopMatrix()

Push and Pop Matrix Stack

A simple OpenGL routine:



glTranslate(5,0,0)
Draw_base();
glPushMatrix();

glRotate(75, 0,1,0); Draw_left_hammer();

glPopMatrix(); glRotate(-75, 0,1,0); Draw_right_hammer();

Push and Pop Matrix Stack

Nested push and pop operations

alMatrixMode(CL_MODELVIEW).	Modelview matrix (M)	Stack
glLoadIdentity();	M = I	
// Transform using M1; \longrightarrow	M = M1	
// Transform using M2; \longrightarrow	M = M1 x M2	M1xM2
glPushMatrix();		
// Transform using M3	M = M1 x M2 x M3	M1xM2xM3
alPushMatrix();	/	M1 x M2
// Transform using M4	\rightarrow M = M1 x M2 x M3 x M4	
	M = M1 x M2 x M3 🖌	
		M1 x M2
// Transform using M5	• M = M1 x M2 x M3 x M5	
glPopMatrix();►	$M = M1 \times M2$	