

Wireframe Simulator

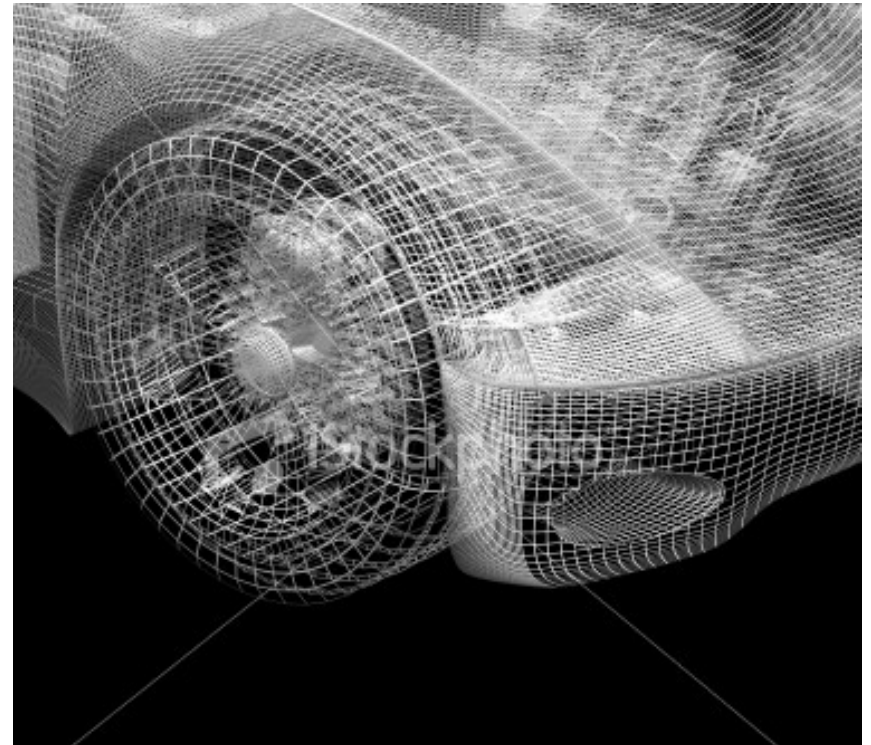
Sarah Cheng

6.111

Spring 2007

Project Functionality

1. Read user-specified 3D coordinates from ROM
2. Transform (rotate, pan, zoom) coordinates if respective buttons are pressed
3. Generate wireframe model on-the-fly



Source: http://www1.istockphoto.com/file_thumbview_approve/235138/2/istockphoto_235138_car_frontend_wireframe.jpg

Transformations

Perform grungy math on each of the vertices:

- Rotating left/right

$$(x', y', z') = (x \cos \theta + y \sin \theta, \quad x \sin \theta + y \cos \theta, \quad z)$$

- Rotating up/down

$$(x', y', z') = (x \cos \varphi + z \sin \varphi, \quad y, \quad x \sin \varphi + z \cos \varphi)$$

- Panning left/right

$$(x', y', z') = (x + a, \quad y, \quad z)$$

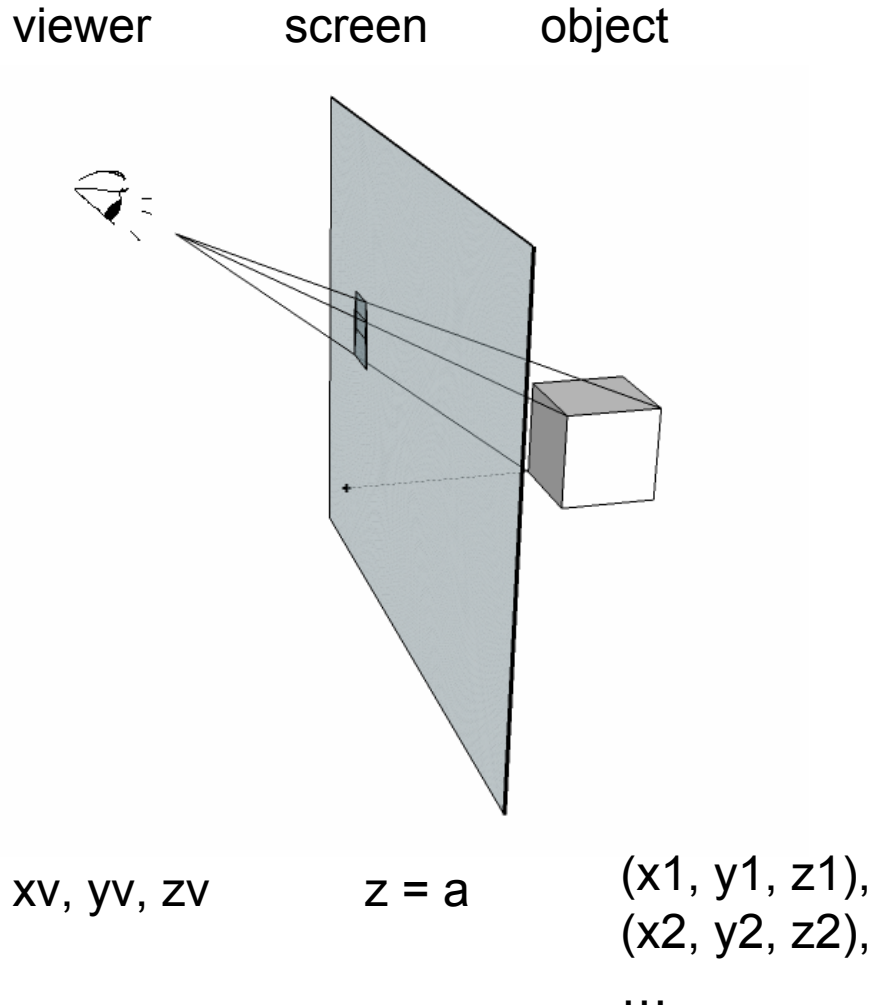
- Panning up/down

$$(x', y', z') = (x, \quad y, \quad z + a)$$

- Zooming in/out

$$(x', y', z') = (x, \quad y + a, \quad z)$$

Perspective Projection

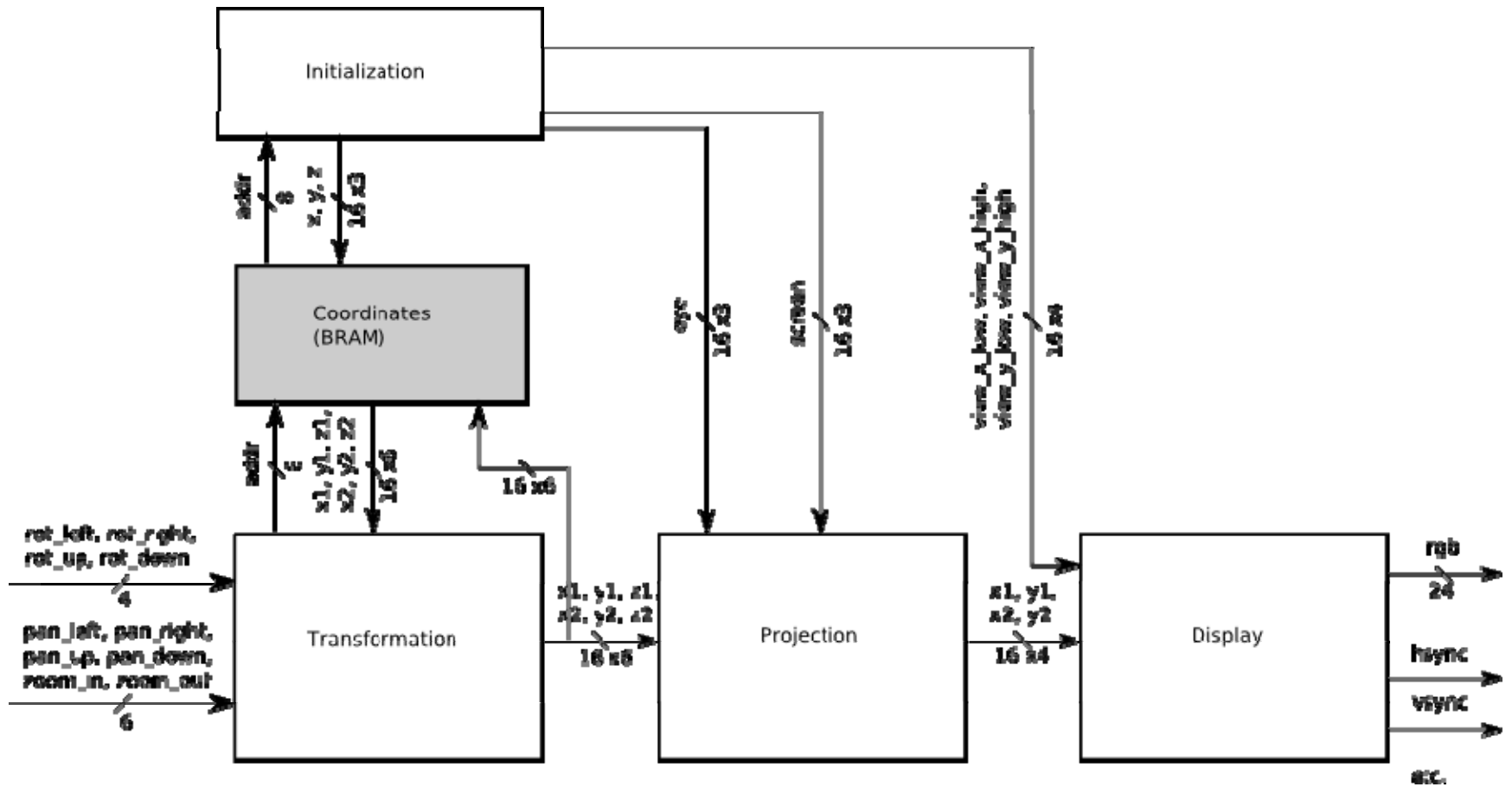


Projected coordinates
 (x_{p1}, y_{p1}) onto screen
 $z = a$:

$$\frac{(z_v - a)}{(z_v - z_1)} = \frac{(x_v - x_{p1})}{(x_v - x_1)} = \frac{(y_v - y_{p1})}{(y_v - y_1)}$$

Solve for x_{p1}, y_{p1} !

Implementation



Display Module

