

Graphics

The Plan

- ❖ **Hardware**
- ❖ **Coordinate System**
- ❖ **Built-in Shapes**
- ❖ **User-defined Shapes**
- ❖ **Sprites and Shapes**
- ❖ **Making a Sprite**

Hardware

- ❖ **Monitor**
 - ❑ **Resolutions (640x480, 800x600, 1280x1024)**
 - ❑ **Bit depth (8, 15, 16, 24, 32)**
 - ❑ **Refresh rate (75-85 Hz)**
- ❖ **Video Card**
 - ❑ **Assists monitor**
 - ❑ **Optimizes graphics**

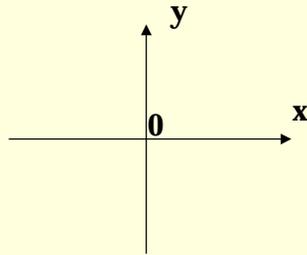
Coordinate Systems

- ❖ **Cartesian**
- ❖ **Polar**
- ❖ **Screen (Graphics)**
- ❖ **Java 2D (Graphics2D)**

Coordinate Systems

❖ Cartesian

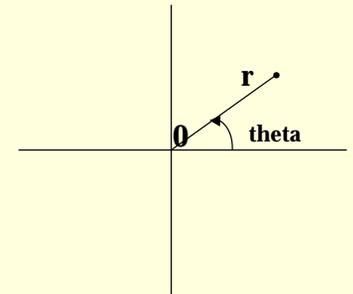
- ❑ Rectangular
- ❑ X increases to the right
- ❑ Y increases as you go up
- ❑ Origin typically at center
- ❑ Real valued



Coordinate Systems

❖ Polar

- ❑ r increases as distance from the origin increases
- ❑ theta increases in the counterclockwise direction
- ❑ grid lines make concentric circles and sectors
- ❑ Origin typically at center
- ❑ r is real valued
- ❑ theta is from 0 to 2π



Coordinate Systems

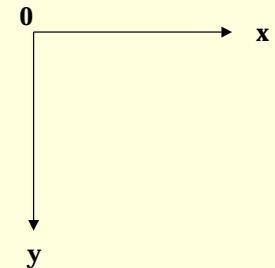
❖ Conversion between Cartesian and Polar

- ❑ $[x, y] = [r \cdot \cos(\theta), r \cdot \sin(\theta)]$
- ❑ $r = \sqrt{x^2 + y^2}$
- ❑ $\theta = \arccos(x/r)$ if $y > 0$
- ❑ $\theta = -\arccos(x/r)$ if $y \leq 0$
- ❑ No need to memorize this, but you may see it in the code

Coordinate Systems

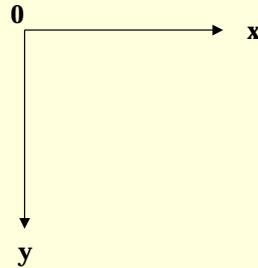
❖ Screen (Graphics)

- ❑ Rectangular
- ❑ X increases to the right
- ❑ Y increases as you go **down**
- ❑ Origin at upper left
- ❑ Non-negative integer valued



Coordinate Systems

- ❖ **Java 2D (Graphics2D)**
 - ❑ Rectangular
 - ❑ X increases to the right
 - ❑ Y increases as you go **down**
 - ❑ Origin at upper left
 - ❑ Real valued (approximated)



Coordinate Systems

- ❖ **Java2D to Screen conversion**
 - ❑ Simple – round the floating point to an integer (or just truncate)
- ❖ **Screen to Java2D conversion**
 - ❑ None needed because integers are approximated by reals

Coordinate Systems

Why use Java2D coordinate system?

- ❖ **Smoother motion**
- ❖ **Integer values often need to be rounded which can lead to more calculation error**
- ❖ **Simpler to rotate and expand**

Built-in Shapes

In `java.awt.geom` package

- ❖ **Ellipse2D.Double**
- ❖ **Rectangle2D.Double**
- ❖ **RoundRectangle2D.Double**
- ❖ **All constructed with (x, y, width, height)**
- ❖ **What about circles and squares?**

User-defined Shapes

Also in `java.awt.geom`

❖ **GeneralPath**

- ❑ Lines
- ❑ Curves
 - Quadratic
 - Cubic
- ❑ Can be transformed via `AffineTransform`

❖ **Area**

- ❑ Constructive Area Geometry
- ❑ Useful tool for finding intersections

Shapes

All classes so far are all Shapes

- ❖ **Can draw them using a `Graphics2D`**
- ❖ **Can get boundary information**
- ❖ **Can be used to make a Sprite...**

Sprites and Shapes

Sprites have

- ❖ **Size**
- ❖ **Shape**
- ❖ **Orientation**
- ❖ **Location**
- ❖ **Color**
- ❖ **Optionally a Tracker**

Making a Sprite

How to make a Sprite:

1. **Extend `Sprite`**
2. **In the constructor**
 - a. **Call `super()`**
 - b. **Make any `Shape`**
 - c. **Call `setShape(yourShape)`**

Making a Sprite

```
package tipgame.game.test.sprite;

import java.awt.geom.*;

public class SquareSprite
    extends Sprite
{
    public SquareSprite()
    {
        super();
        Rectangle2D.Double rectangle;
        rectangle=new Rectangle2D.Double(0, 0, 1, 1);
        setShape(rectangle);
    }
}
```

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Making a Sprite

See the video game engine web site for the source code examples that follow

<http://www.cs.duke.edu/~cjj1/professional/tipgame/>

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Making a Sprite

In the constructor of LightSprite:

```
super();
Area area=new Area();
Rectangle2D.Double box=new Rectangle2D.Double(0, 0, 0.2, 0.6);
area.add(new Area(box));
Ellipse2D.Double circle=new Ellipse2D.Double(0.02, 0.02, 0.16, 0.16);
area.subtract(new Area(circle));
circle=new Ellipse2D.Double(0.02, 0.22, 0.16, 0.16);
area.subtract(new Area(circle));
circle=new Ellipse2D.Double(0.02, 0.42, 0.16, 0.16);
area.subtract(new Area(circle));
setShape(area);
```

❖ **What does this look like?**

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Making a Sprite

In the constructor of TriangleSprite:

```
super();
GeneralPath path=new GeneralPath();
path.moveTo(0.0f, 0.0f);
path.lineTo(1.0f, (float)Math.sqrt(3));
path.lineTo(-1.0f, (float)Math.sqrt(3));
path.closePath();
setShape(path);
```

❖ **How could you make a space ship shape?**

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