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#### ABSTRACT

The ability to make computer images more realistic is becoming more important as the hardware for producing such images is becoming less expensive and hence more available. The key to producing realistic images lies in the algorithms that can take full advantage of the hardware to produce them. In this study, we look at a prototype of a ray tracer, as presented in [Ref. 1]. Ray tracing, in combination with a global illumination model, currently provides the most realistic images that can be generated on general purpose computing hardware. The prototype was succesfully implemented on an IBM AT clone.

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#### I. INTRODUCTION

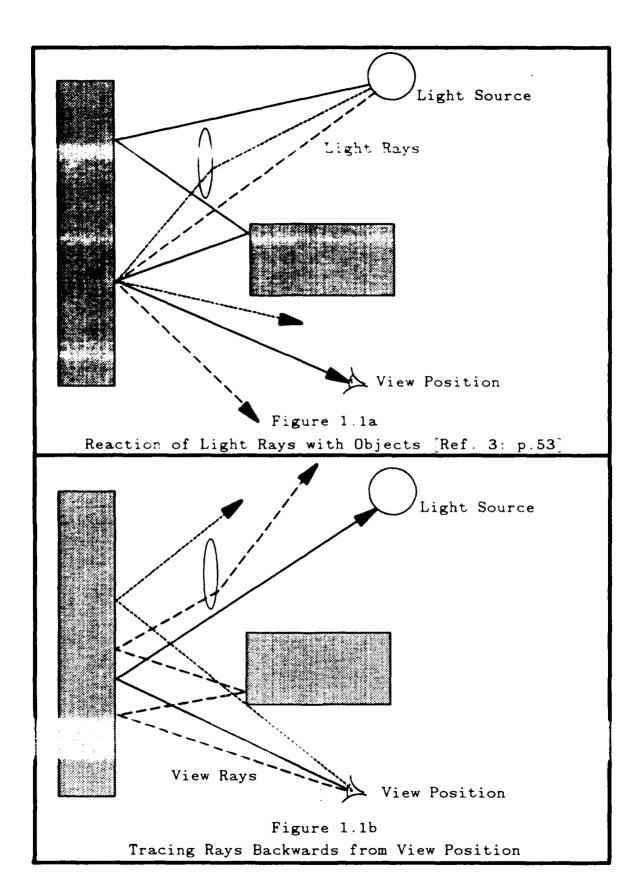
From the beginning of recorded history mankind has always had the need to create pictures. The reasons for creating these pictures ranges from the aesthetic, pretty pictures are nice to look at, to the functional, pictures can be an excellent way to communicate information. As mankind progressed, so did his ability to create pictures, although the techniques used to create pictures basically stayed the same. The advent of computers gave man yet another tool with which to create pictures.

The rapid increase in technology has made computer graphics a rapidly growing field. For the first time since man started drawing pictures, completely new techniques needed to be developed. In computer graphics the brush, paint and canvas are replaced by the mouse, algorithm and display. However even though the tools have changed, the same problems remain: how to make the picture look better, be it either more pleasing to the eye or to get the information across more clearly.

Two of the most common and difficult problems in computer graphics are the hidden surface and lighting and shading problems. A large number of solutions exist to both of these problems. Very few solutions can be applied to both. One such solution is ray tracing. Ray tracing is the process of following an imaginary ray from a viewpoint through a pixel on a screen and into a scene to determine if it intersects any objects in the scene and then calculating the intensity of the pixel it went through based on the the final destination of the ray. As in most cases where one solution is found to several problems, that solution is seldom the best for all the problems it is applied to and so it becomes a matter of trade-offs. Such is the case with ray tracing. Among the hidden surface removal techniques, ray tracing is the least efficient being referred to as a brute force technique. In contrast, it has been labeled as one of the most elegant techniques in regards to lighting and shading [Ref. 2: p. 137]. Because of this latter fact, ray tracing has become an important technique in computer graphics. Ever since the idea behind ray tracing was suggested by Appel, numerous articles, studies, and implementations have been done on it. These in turn have spawned fruther extensions and modifications. [Ref. 1: p. 296]

#### A. DEFINITION AND OVERVIEW

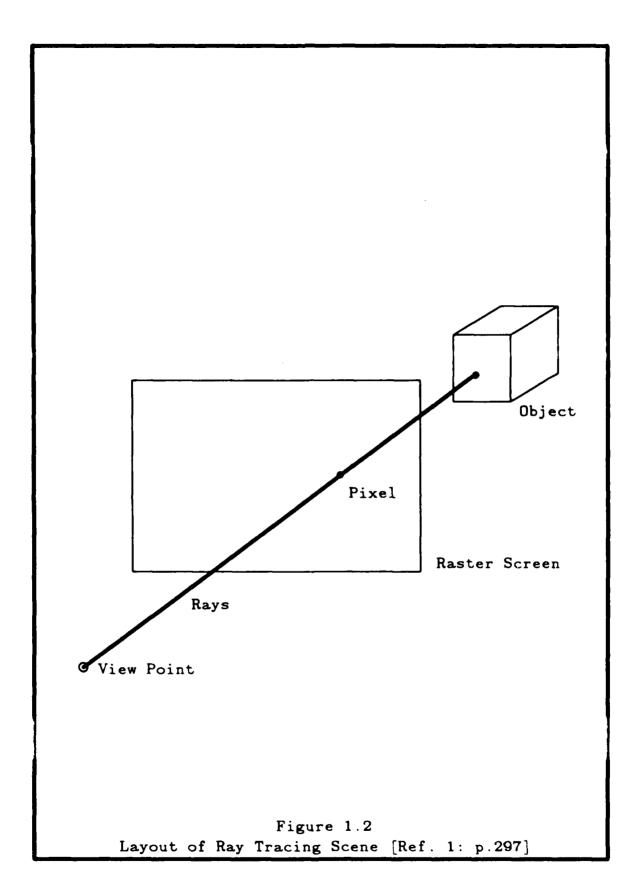
The idea behind ray tracing lies in the theory that the light in our environment can be modeled as rays. After being emitted from a source, the rays are then reflected and refracted through a scene. Some of the rays eventually find their way to the eye where the scene is recreated Figure 1.1a). These light rays are emitted from light sources, such as the sun. An infinite number of light rays exist, but only a small percentage of them are received by us. To try and trace these rays from the source is computationally expensive. Appel suggested that



instead of tracing the rays from the source that they should be traced backwards from the viewer, thus dealing with only those rays that actually contribute to the scene (Figure 1.1b). [Ref. 1: p. 296]

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The basic ray tracing algorithm is a very simple one and not difficult to implement. The basic algorithm is a hidden surface algorithm. All hidden surface algorithms can be classified based on the coordinate system or space in which they are implemented. These are either in object space or in image space. The ray tracing algorithm falls under the category of image space. This category of algorithm is implemented in the screen coordinate system in which the objects are viewed. Unfortunately, the calculations are performed only to the precision of the scene representation, which generally provides poor resolution. The image space algorithms work by comparing every object in the scene with every pixel. Such an algorithm is computationally expensive. Ray tracing algorithms have three parts: a viewpoint, a raster screen, and a set of objects (Figure 1.2). In the algorithm, the viewpoint is along the positive z axis. From this point, a ray is shot into the scene through the center of every pixel on the raster. Each of these rays is then traced and compared against every object in the scene to determine if there is an intersection with any of them. It is in the determination of a possible intersection point that a ray tracer spends anywhere from 75 to 95 percent of its time. If there is an intersection, then the intensity at the pixel is determined using the intersected object's attributes and an appropriate illumination model. If there is no intersection, then the pixel intensity is determined by the background



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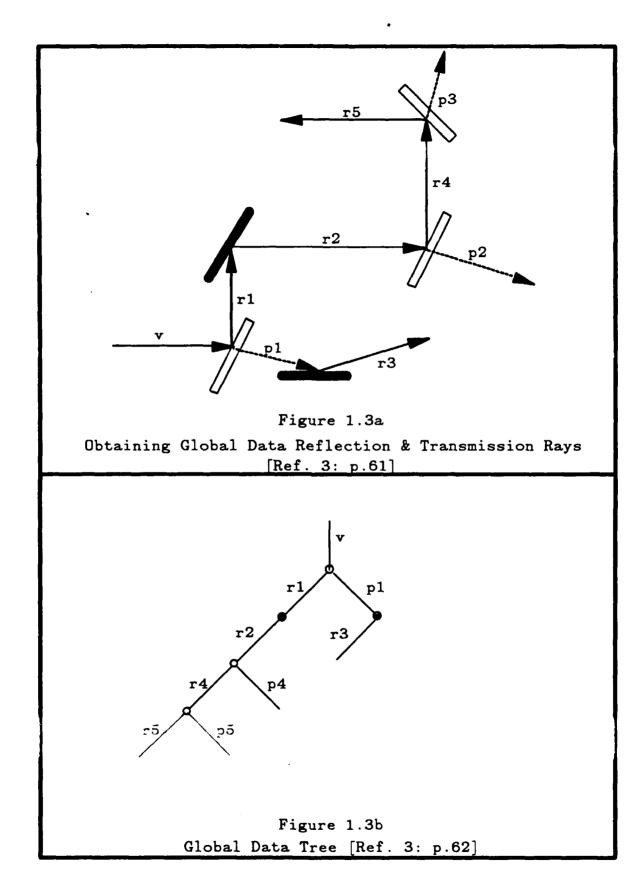
intensity. This procedure is then repeated for every pixel on the raster. When the ray tracer is used as a hidden surface algorithm, intersection testing stops after the first intersection. Extensions to the basic ray tracing algorithm, that showed its usefulness in implementing a global illumination model, were originally implemented by Whitted [Ref. 4] and Kay [Ref. 5 and 6]. In these extensions of ray tracing, additional rays are calculated, specifically the reflected and refracted rays, and then tested to see if they intersect with any objects in the scene. This process of generating new rays and tracing them to check for possible intersections is continued until the rays either leave the scene or stack space is exceeded. In such a case, the remaining rays are treated as if they had left the scene. This process, illustrated in Figure 1.3a, for a single ray with intersections is easily represented using the tree structure shown in Figure 1.3b. Here each node of the tree represents a ray surface intersection. At each node, at least one and sometimes two subbranches are generated. One branch of each of the reflected and refracted rays is generated from the point. [Ref. 1: pp. 190-296]

#### **B.** ORGANIZATION

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This study is broken into three areas: data requirements, ray tracing methodology, and the intensity problem. The dirst section reviews the data needed for a lighting and shading modeler, hereafter referred to as a renderer, of which a ray tracer is an integral part. The second section reviews the actual process of tracing a ray through a scene to be rendered. The third section looks briefly at the



illumination problem and how it relates to the ray tracer. The concluding chapters present the implementation, and known limitations of the model along with areas of future research.

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#### II. DATA REQUIREMENTS

#### A. OVERVIEW OF THE DATA REQUIREMENTS

The importance of the intersection routines in the ray tracer is apparent in the fact that a ray tracer spends 75 to 95 percent of its time determining intersections [Ref. 1: p. 297]. The key to determining intersections, however, lies in large part on the data used to describe the scene that is being rendered. Information is needed not only to describe the entire scene that is being rendered but more importantly to describe each object in the scene. Scene data is that information needed to completely describe a picture, i.e., the number, kind, shape, and color of any objects in the picture along with the background intensity and light source information. This information must be properly ordered and broken down. Falby [Ref. 3] suggested that a scene be broken into three categories: object, view, and light. Each of these areas is examined below in the context of a ray tracing algorithm.

#### 1. Object Data

The data pertaining to each object in the scene can be grouped into two categories: polygon and bounding volume. The reason for this breakdown is twofold. First, each object in the scene is composed of polygons. They are the basic building blocks of the scene. Second, in order to reduce the number of intersection checks, it is necessary to set up a boundary around each object so that the ray tracer only performs the intersection checks in the regions that actually contain an object. Such a boundary is called a bounding volume. We examine the polygon data first.

#### a. Polygon Data

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Since the main focus of the ray tracing algorithm lies in determining the intersections between the rays shot into a scene and the objects that make up a scene, and since each object is comprised of polygons, the problem is really one of determining the intersection points between the rays and the polygons. From the fundamentals of vector calculus, it is known that in order to determine the intersection between a ray and a polygon only the vertices of the polygon are needed as well as the direction of the ray and a point on the ray. Since the object is to be constructed of polygons, its vertices are known. Therefore, it is only necessary to ensure that these points are stored in some manner, such as a record, so as to be accessible to the ray tracer. In order to determine what the intensity of the pixel is through which the ray passes, it is essential that the characteristics of the object whose polygon was intersected be available. Since an object is made of polygons, they inherit the characteristics of the object. These characteristics also need to be readily accessible and, therefore, need to be stored in some manner. The following is a list of the basic object characteristics that need to be available: (1) the specular, diffuse, and transmission coefficients; (2) the Phong specular exponent; and (3) the index of refraction, see Table 2.1. [Ref. 3: p. 68]

FIELD NAME	VARIABLE NAME	VALUE
Polygon Vertices	<i>x</i> , <i>y</i> , <i>z</i>	real
Diffuse Coefficient	Kd.,g,b	real (0-1)
Specular Coefficient	Ks <sub>r,g,b</sub>	real (0-1)
Transmission Coefficient	Kt <sub>r,g,b</sub>	real (0-1)
Unit Surface Normal	x, y, z	real (0-1)
Phong Specular Exponent	n	integer (0-200)
Index of Refraction	η2	real

#### **TABLE 2.1: OBJECT DATA**

#### b. Bounding Volume Data

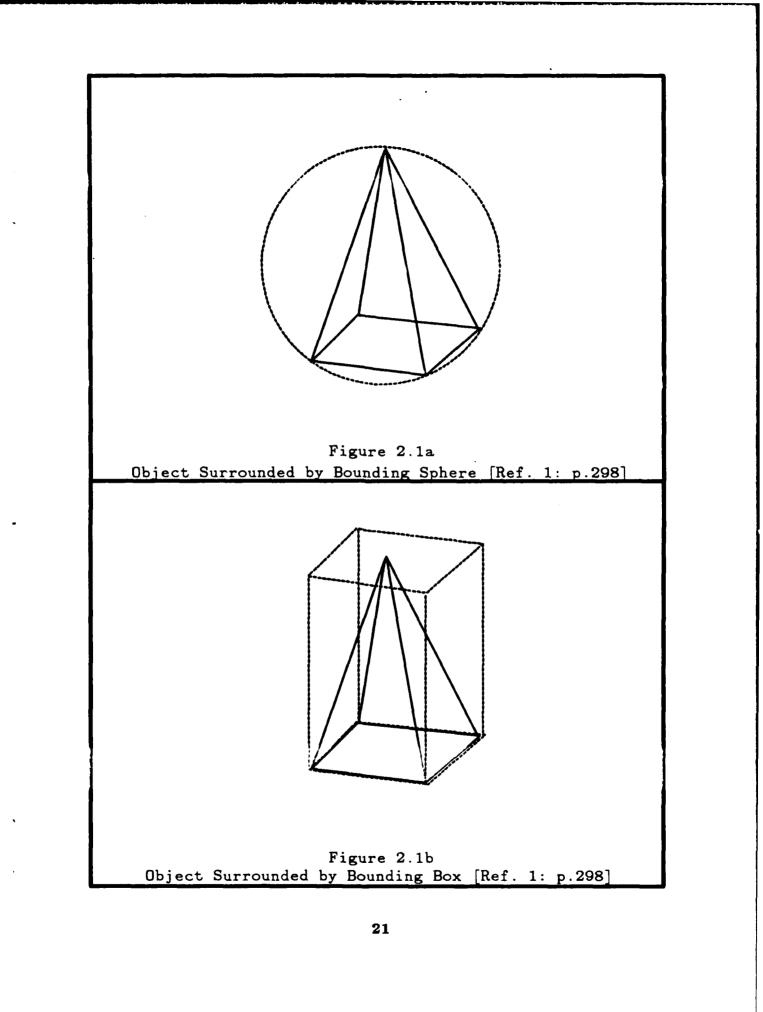
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The major disadvantage of ray tracing is that it takes so much time. This is hard to avoid since it is so computationally expensive. It is essential, therefore, that more efficient techniques be developed to assist in reducing the number of calculations. Several techniques already exist with the bounding volume being the most effective [Ref. 1: p. 298]. In the description of ray tracing given so far, it has been stated that a ray is checked to see if it intersects with any object. Upon dissecting this statement further, a better understanding of the intersection problem can be realized. Unless some optimization is done, the ray tracing algorithm is forced to do the following. Each ray must be checked for a possible intersection with each object. Since each object is made up of polygons, then the ray must be checked for a possible intersection with each polygon. For a complicated object. such as a reapor, this requires a large number of checks and must be done for each object. The purpose for establishing the bounding volume lies in two facts. The first is that generally scenes are mostly background with just a few objects, hence very few of the rays actually hit anything. Therefore,

most of the intersection tests done are a waste of time. Second, a ray can only hit one object at a time. To have it process through the entire list of objects, when intersections with most of them can be eliminated, is needless. A bounding volume is, therefore, a method of enclosing each object in the scene in a simple containment vessel, which in effect creates a boundary around the object. Once this boundary is established, the number of overall intersection tests can be greatly reduced, as in the example of a teapot, which might easily have over a hundred polygons. If it is surrounded by a bounding box consisting of just six polygons, the number of intersection tests can be significantly reduced. In this situation, instead of having to test each ray against each polygon of the object, only those rays that penetrate the bounding volume need to be checked. Thus the bounding volume is a way to filter out unnecessary intersection tests by limiting the tests to those rays that are most likely to intersect an object.

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Just as the use of a bounding volume greatly increases the efficiency of the ray tracing algorithm, the use of the right kind of a bounding volume can improve upon that even more. In Rogers [Ref. 1], the bounding volumes suggested are a bounding box and a bounding sphere (Figure 2.1), each of which has advantages and disadvantages. The bounding sphere is much easier to implement although it is less efficient in reducing the target area than is the bounding box, see Figure 2.1. The bounding box, on the other hand, is computationally expensive to implement. The data needed to establish a bounding sphere is minimal. It only requires a center point for the object and a



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radius that encompasses every point of the object. The bounding box, on the other hand, requires far more data in that the polygons that make up the box must be described.

#### 2. View Data

In rendering any scene, certain information can be applied to the scene as a whole. This information is grouped together to form the view data. This data consists of the viewpoint position, a constant to prevent division by zero, a refraction index for the global medium, the ambient light intensity, the background color, and the scene dimensions, see Table 2.2. [Ref. 3: pp. 74-75]

#### 3. Light Data

To support a lighting and shading model, it is necessary to include certain information on the light source for the scene. That information must include the position of the light source, its intensity, its type, geometry, and dimension, see Table 2.3.

FIELD NAME	VARIABLE NAME	VALUES
Viewpoint	z, y. z	real
No Zero Constant	So	real (< 0)
Global Refraction Index	$\eta_1$	reai
Ambient Light	$Ia_{r,g,b}$	real (0-1)
Background Light	$Ib_{r,g,b}$	real (0-1)
Scene Size	x, y	integers

TABLE 2.2: VIEW DATA

FIELD NAME	VARIABLE NAME	VALUE
Light Position	x, y, z	real
Intensity	$I_{r,g,o}$	real (0-1)
Type	type	enumerated (point, distributed)
Shape	shape	enumerated (circular, rectangular)
Dimensions	<i>x</i> , <i>y</i>	real

#### TABLE 2.3: LIGHT DATA

#### **B. DATA STRUCTURE FOR A RAY TRACER**

Falby [Ref. 3] suggested a data structure for a multi-illumination model renderer. That data structure, with minor variations, has been used in this study. In [Ref. 3] a complete derivation of the data is presented, so for the purposes of this study only a brief description is given here. Figure 2.2 illustrates the layout of the data structure as used in this study. This data structure essentially consists of arrays of records layed out in a hierarchical organization. Starting from the highest level it consists of the following: a picture record, an array of light records, an array of objects, an array of subobjects, an array of common part records, an array of polygons, and three arrays for the vertices. Each of these is now examined.

#### 1. Picture

Picture is a single record which contains the view data mentioned earlier.

2. Lights

The lights array is an array of records, with one record for each light source in the scene. Each record contains the light data mentioned above.

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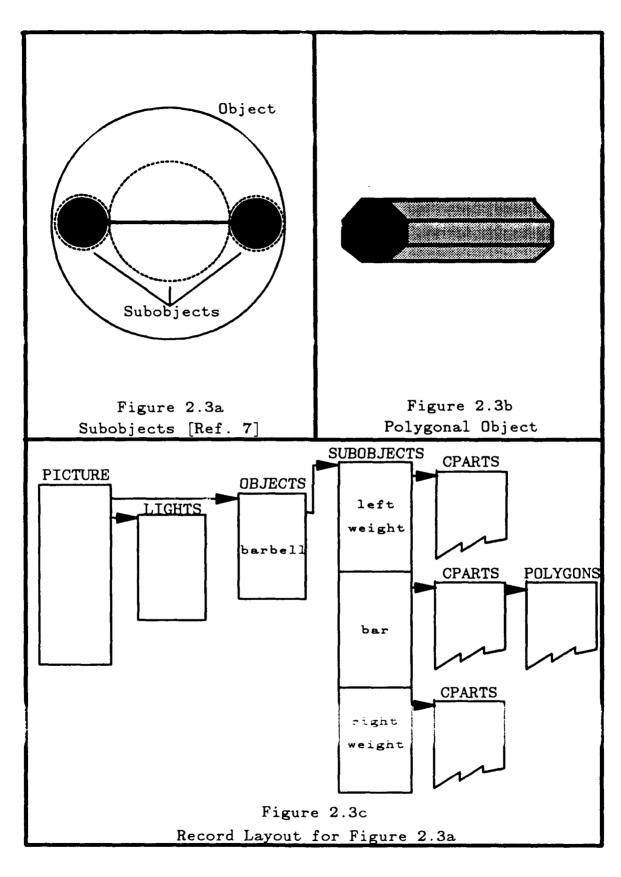
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#### 3. Objects

The objects array is an array of records, with one record for each object in the scene. In this study, an object is the highest order item in a scene. Just as the scene is divided up into objects, each with its own bounding volume, so is each object broken down into subobjects, each with its own bounding volume.

#### 4. Subobjects

The subobjects array is an array of records, with each array belonging to one object record. For example Figure 2.3a shows one object, a barbell, that is divided into three subobjects which are: the left weight, the right weight, and the bar. The record layout for this is as illustrated in Figure 2.3c. A subobject is the smallest item in the scene. Each object has at least one subobject. A subobject is composed of polygons or it is a sphere. Using Figure 2.3a as an example again, the left and right weights are spheres and the bar, instead of being a perfect cylinder, is composed of polygons and actually has an octagonal shape, Figure 2.3b. Aside from containing a pointer to the common part record, examined next, and data for its bounding volume, it also contains information on the subobject type. This subobject type field indicates the geometry of the subobject, i.e., it is either a sphere or a polygonal object, which is an object composed of polygons. This information is stored because different intersection contines are used for each object type. Currently a 1 indicates that planar intersection routines should be used and a 0 indicates spherical intersection routines should be used.



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#### 5. Common Parts

A good illustration of common parts is found in an ordinary checkerboard. Figure 2.4a. In this figure one object exists--the checkerboard. This in turn has one subobject, itself. This subobject has two common parts: the white squares and the black squares. Table 2.1 listed \*he characteristics of an object and it is in the common parts record that these characteristics are stored. Each of these common parts records contains a pointer to an array of polygon records. It is through this arrangement that the polygons inherit the characteristics of the object. Therefore, the common parts array, also called the Cparts array, is an array of records, with one array per subobject, and each common parts record points to its own set of polygons, Figure 2.4b.

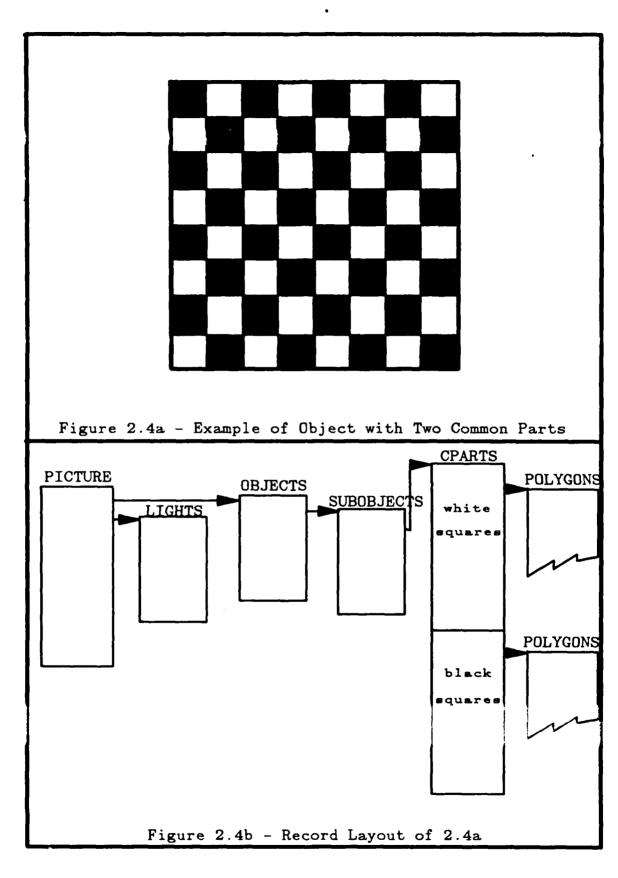
#### 6. Polygons

The polygons array, too, is an array of records with one array for each subobject. This is the smallest physical item in the scene and the one against which the actual intersections are determined.

#### 7. Vertex Array

The vertex array is an array of points that define the polygons that compose the subobject.

This data structure as presented by Falby [Ref. 3] proved itself to be both flexible and easy to use. An example of a data base that used this structure and which was used in testing this ray tracer can be seen in Appendix B.



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#### III. RAY TRACING INTERSECTION CONSIDERATIONS

The methodology behind ray tracing is quite simple. However, it does require an understanding of the fundamentals of vector calculus and geometric optics. A discussion of the fundamentals is beyond the scope of this study. An overview of some of the fundamentals is in order.

#### A. RAY TRACING MECHANICS

By its very definition, ray tracing is simply the tracing, or following, of a ray from its source through space and determining any possible intersections that may occur between it and an object. The natural way to model a ray in order to do this tracing is by using vectors. A vector is not only a precise way to represent a ray but the basic operations on vectors in three space, addition, subtraction, dot product, and cross product provide the tools necessary to determine the intersections. These tools, along with other techniques found in vector calculus and geometric, optics provide the means to deal with the two problems encountered in ray tracing, i.e., the ray direction determination problem ans the intersection problem.

#### 1. The Ray Direction Problem

Solving the ray direction problem is both the first and last step encountered in the ray tracing process. Determining the initial ray from the view position, usually referred to as the view ray, is the simplest to solve. Every point in a coordinate system can be associated with a ray, and determining the direction of a ray between two points can be solved by using vector subtraction. The last step in the ray tracing process is determining what takes place when a ray intersects an object. This requires the application of the laws of geometric optics. Once a ray strikes an object, either one or two additional rays will be generated. These new rays are referred to as the reflected and refracted rays, Figure 3.1. The three basic laws of reflection and refraction are listed as [Ref. 8: pp: 32-33]

- 1. The incident, reflected, and transmitted rays all reside in a plane, known as the plane of incidence, which is normal to the surface of the object.
- 2. The angle of incidence is equal to the angle of reflection  $\Theta_i = \Theta_r$ .
- 3. The incident and transmitted ray directions are related by Snells' law:

 $n_i \sin \Theta_i = n_t \sin \Theta_t.$ 

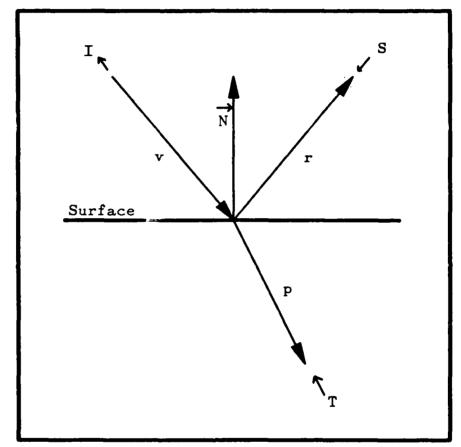
An illustration of these laws is shown in Figure 3.1. Rogers [Ref. 1: p. 367] provides a method for determining the direction of the reflected and refracted rays. The direction of r, the reflection ray, and p, the refraction ray are given as:

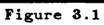
$$r = v' + 2\hat{n}$$
$$p = k_{1}(\hat{n} - v) - \hat{n}$$

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$$v' = \frac{v}{|v \cdot \hat{n}|}$$







$$k_{f} = (k_{n}^{2} | v' |^{2} - | v' + \hat{n} |^{2})^{\frac{-1}{2}}$$
$$k_{\eta} = \frac{\eta_{2}}{\eta_{1}}$$

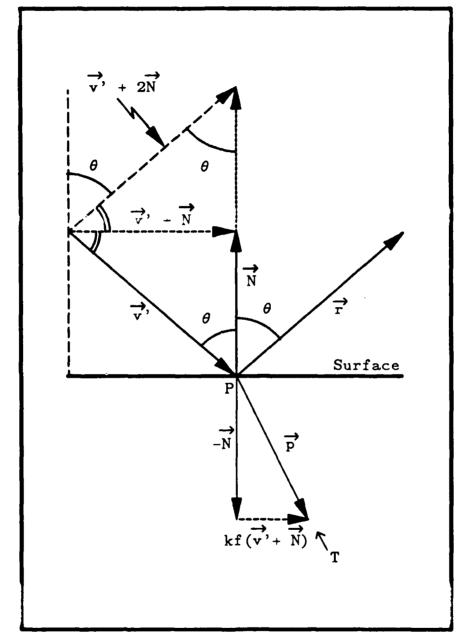
Here  $k_{\eta}$  is the ratio of refractive indices,  $k_{f}$  is the Fresnel coefficient, v is the normal vector in the direction of the incoming ray, v' is the unit normal vector in the direction of the incoming ray,  $\hat{n}$  is the unit surface normal, and  $\eta_{1}$  and  $\eta_{2}$  are the refraction coefficients for mediums the rays pass through. This is illustrated in Figure 3.2.

#### 2. The Intersection Problem

As stated above the intersection computation is the most time consuming part of the ray tracing process. It is not that the process itself is so difficult but because several steps need to be done for each iteration. Two types of intersection computations are required to be performed: determining the intersection between a line and a sphere and determining the intersection between a line and a polygon. The first type is the simplest to solve and is why the sphere is generally used as the bounding volume. The calculation of the intersection point between a line and a sphere involves solving the equation the sphere simultaneously. The sphere is defined by the equation

$$(x - \alpha)^{2} + (y - \beta)^{2} + (z - \delta)^{2} = r^{2}$$
(3.1)

where  $(\alpha, \beta, \delta)$  is the center point, r is the radius, and (x, y, z) is a point on the sphere. The line is defined by the parametric equations



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Figure 3.2 Direction of Reflected and Refracted Rays [Ref. 3: p.57]

$$x = at + x_0$$
  $y = bt + y_0$   $z = ct + z_0$  (3.2)

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where  $(x_0, y_0, z_0)$  is a known point on the line, and a, b, and c are coefficients from the vector  $a\vec{r} + b\vec{j} + c\vec{k}$  which is parallel to the line. These equations must first be solved for t. The solution to this provides two answers. First, it indicates whether or not an intersection actually takes place. Second, if there is one, it indicates how many intersections, either one, in the case where the line is tangent to the sphere, or two, in the case where it actually enters the sphere. In the case of two intersection points, a check must be done to determine which is closer to the origin of the ray.

The intersection between a line and a polygon is more involved. This problem is comprised of two parts: determining the intersection point between a line and a plane, and determining whether or not the intersection point lies within the polygon. Like the line-sphere intersection problem, this one also involves the solving of two equations simultaneously. The first of these is the equation for a plane which is defined as

$$Ax + By + Cz = D \tag{3.3}$$

where A, B, C, and D are constants and (x, y, z) is a point on the plane. The second equation used is the parametric equation that defines a line. Eq. 3.2. The solution of this requires first substituting the equations for the line into the equation of the plane. The result is an equation in t, which when solved and substituted back into the equations for the line, provides the intersection point between the line and the plane. Once this point is calculated, it is then necessary to determine whether or not it lies within the polygon. A general way of solving this is to simply determine the relationship between the intersection point and each edge of the polygon. The point that lies on the inside of each edge also lies within the polygon. If it fails the test for any edge, then it lies outside the polygon. The drawback to this approach, is that it only works for convex polygons. In this study we assume all polygons are convex. [Ref. 9].

### B. THE RAY DATA STRUCTURE

Rogers [Ref. 1] suggests a data structure for a ray in a ray tracer. It is that data structure which is used in this study. Table 3.1 lists the data used to model each ray. We examine each item of this structure as adapted from Rogers [Ref. 1: p. 373].

FIELD NAME	VARIABLE NAME	VALUE
Ray Type	type	enumerated or coded
Ray Origin	x, y, z	real
Ray Vector	x, y, z	real
Source Ray Type	Stype	enumerated or coded
Intersection Flag	flag	boolean or coded
Object Index	obj idx	integer
Subobject Index	subobi	integer
Common Part Index	$\mathbb{C}$ part $\mathbb{R}$ dx	integer
Polygon Index	polygon idx	integer
Intersection Point	$x, y, \overline{z}$	real
Distance	d	real
Transmitted Intensity	$I_t$	real
Specular Intensity	I,	real

#### TABLE 3.1 - RAY DATA

## 1. Ray Type

The ray type field identifies a ray as either a view ray, a reflected ray, or a refracted ray. The values put in this field are generally of an enumerated type and consist of *reflected*, *refracted*, *view*, and *none*.

2. Ray Origin

The ray origin field contains the point that identifies the position from which the ray originated. For instance, if it is the view ray, its point of origin is the view position. If it is a reflected or refracted ray, its origin is the intersection point that it originated from.

3. Ray Vector

The ray vector field contains the vector heading of the ray.

4. Source Ray Type

The source ray type field contains the ray type of the source ray for this particular ray. For instance, a view ray does not have any source ray as it is the starting ray for the process. Hence, *none* is in the type field. If the view ray intersects an object and both a reflected and refracted ray are generated, then the source ray for both of them is the view ray. Likewise if the reflected or refracted ray hits an object and creates further rays then it becomes the source ray for those rays it creates.

#### 5. Intersection Flag

Originally the intersection flag is set to false and it is only set to true when there is an intersection between this ray and an object.

### 6. Object Index

The object index provides an index into the array of object records making it possible to select any object easily.

### 7. Subobject Index

The subobject index provides an index into the array of subobject records and helps uniquely identify each subobject.

### 8. Common Part Index

The common part index provides the index into the array of common part records uniquely identifying each common part record.

### 9. Polygon Index

The polygon index provides the index into the array of polygon records and uniquely identifies each polygon.

### 10. Intersection Point

The intersection point field holds the position of the intersection point between the current ray and an object.

### 11. Distance

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The distance field contains the distance between the current ray's point of origin and its point of intersection.

### 12. Transmitted Intensity

The transmitted intensity field contains the red, green, and blue intensity values, in a range between 0 and 1, of the light that is incoming along any refracted ray that this ray produces.

#### 13. Specular Intensity

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The specular intensity field contains the red, green, and blue intensity values, in a range between 0 and 1, of the light that is incoming along any specular ray that this ray produces.

## C. INTERSECTION METHODOLOGY

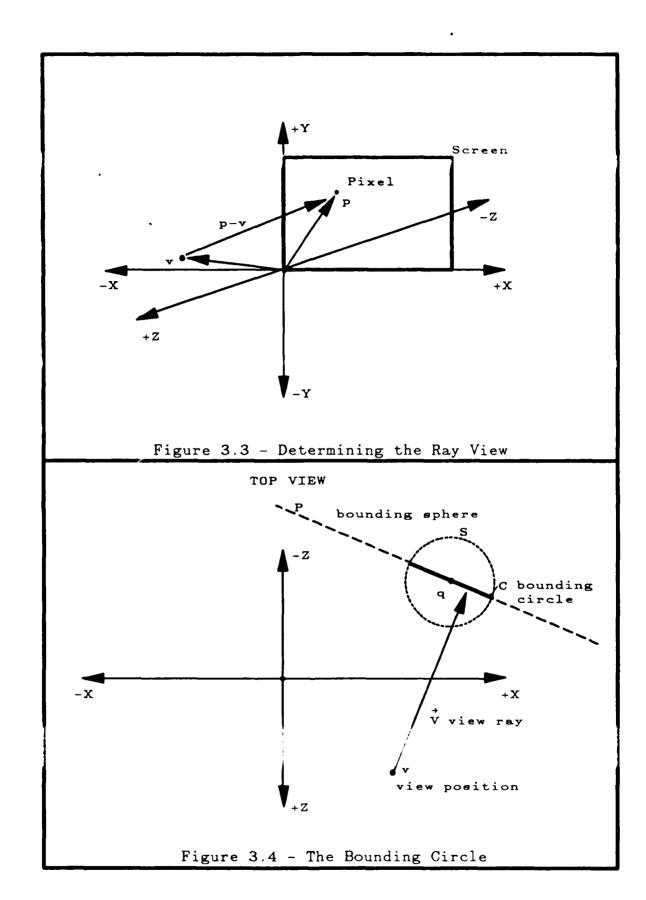
#### 1. Intersecting a Planar Polygon

a. Generating the Initial Ray

The generation of the initial or view ray is shown in Figure 3.3. This ray, p - v, is calculated using vector subtraction. The two vectors used are the ones associated with the points for the view position, v, and the pixel through which the ray passes, p. The ray associated with the view position is to be subtracted from the ray associated with the pixel.

b. Intersecting the Bounding Volumes

After each ray is generated, each object in the object list is checked, one at a time, to determine whether or not the ray strikes any of the bounding containers of the objects in the scene. In our implementation, the bounding container is the sphere, which is reduced to a bounding circle, C, see Figure 3.4. This circle's radius is the same as the radius of the bounding sphere. S, and it lies on the plane, P, which contains the center point, q, of the bounding sphere. The inverse of the incoming ray,  $\vec{v}$ , is the surface normal of this plane. It is not necessary to determine where on the bounding sphere a ray hits since at this stage



we are only interested in just finding out whether or not it hits it. Because we are not concerned with where the ray strikes the bounding sphere, a bounding circle is used. Determining the intersection with a circle requires less work than determining the intersection with a sphere.

The first step in tracing the ray begins by taking each object and constructing a bounding circle. Once this circle is constructed, the intersection point of the view ray with it is calculated. Then the distance between the intersection point and the center point is determined and compared to the radius of the bounding circle to see if it falls within the circle. If it does fall within the circle, this indicates that the ray intersected the bounding volume. This process then needs to be repeated for each object. If an object's bounding circle is hit, this process must then be repeated for each subobject of that object.

c. Intersecting the Polygon

Once a particular subobject is identified by the bounding volume tests, the common parts list is processed, one record at a time. Each one of these common parts records contains a pointer to those polygons that make up the object being rendered. This list of polygon records is then processed after the bounding volume processing is completed. The entire list needs only to be processed until an intersection is found. The processing involved in this is the most computationally expensive part of the entire ray tracing algorithm. This computation consists of three steps: determining the orientation of the polygon, calculating the intersection point between the ray and the plane that contains the polygon, and determining whether or not the intersection point lies on the polygon.

(1) Establishing the Orientation. First, each polygon needs to be checked for a correct orientation. This is a straightforward step carried out by calculating the angle between the surface normal of that polygon and the inverse of the view ray. If it is 90 degrees or greater, it is facing in the wrong direction to be intersected. If it is less than 90 degrees, the next step is to determine whether the ray intersects the particular plane that that particular polygon lies on. The first step in doing this is to determine the equation for the plane in which that polygon lies.

(2) Intersecting a Plane. If the correct orientation exists for a polygon to be intersected, the next step is to define the plane containing the polygon of interest. The equation for a plane was given earlier as

$$Ax + By + Cz = D$$

where A, B, C, and D are constants and can be calculated by the following equation.

$$A = y_1(z_2 - z_3) + y_2(z_3 - z_1) + y_3(z_1 - z_2)$$
  

$$B = z_1 + z_2 + z_2 + z_3 + z_2(y_3 - y_1) + z_3(y_1 - y_2)$$
  

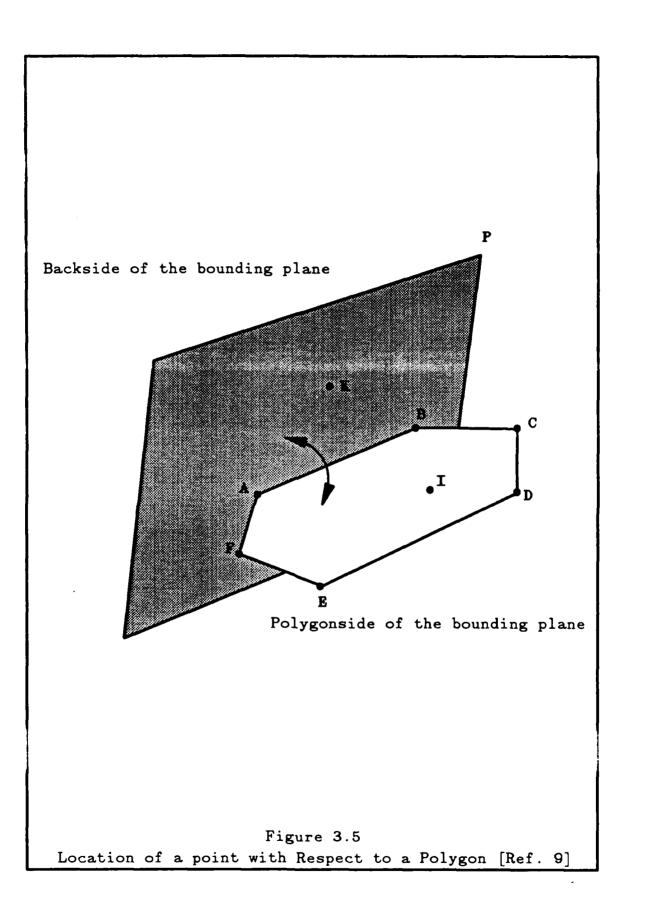
$$D = -x_1(y_2 - y_3) + x_2(y_3 - y_1) + x_3(y_1 - y_2)$$
  

$$D = -x_1(y_2 - y_3 - y_3 - z_2) - x_2(y_3 - y_1 - y_1 - z_3) - x_3(y_1 - y_2 - y_2 - z_1)$$

where  $(x_1, y_1, z_1)$ ,  $(x_2, y_2, z_2)$ , and  $(x_3, y_3, z_3)$  are points of the vertices of the

polygon. Once the equation for the plane is known, it must then be solved simultaneously with the equation of the line representing the ray.

(3) Location of a point with respect to a polygon. Once the intersection point is determined, it needs to be checked to see whether or not it lies within the polygon. This is the most computationally expensive part of the process. This process, see Figure 3.5, requires that a plane, P, called the bounding plane, containing two vertices, for example A and B, of an edge and another arbitrary point, K, not on the polygon or its plane, be constructed. This must be done for each edge. Once the bounding plane is constructed, the point in question must then be checked to see whether or not it lies to the polygon's side of the plane that now contains the edge of the polygon. This is done by plugging in another vertex of the polygon into the equation for the plane that was just constructed, and then plugging in the intersection point. If the results from these two equations have the same relationship, i.e. if the sign is the same, then the intersection point lies on the polygon side of the bounding plane. This check must then be repeated for each edge of the polygon. In order for the intersection point to lie on the face itself, it must be found to lie on the polygon's side of each edge. At this point, it is determined whether or not the ray strikes the object. If the ray loss strike the object, the pointers to this polygon must be stored in the ray structure along with the intersection point. This information is needed later on when determining the direction of reflected and refracted rays as well as the intensity of the light that is reflected from this position.



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### 2. Intersection of a Sphere

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The sphere is the easiest object to work with in a ray tracer. Since the sphere can act as its own bounding volume, the center point and radius are already available in the subobject record. This eliminates the need for the polygon array. The center point and radius are the only information necessary to model a sphere for a ray tracer. Determining the intersection of a line and a sphere is nothing more than the simultaneous solving of their equations for the variable t. The solution to this gives a quadratic equation in t which can then easily be solved.

#### IV. THE INTENSITY PROBLEM

One of the strong points of the ray tracing algorithm is that a global illumination model can easily be integrated into it. In fact, ray tracing and global illumination models seem to naturally complement each other. A global illumination model takes into account all of the light sources in the scene in calculating the intensity at each point. This means taking into account the ambient light that exists in a scene, light that comes directly from a particular light source(s), and light that is reflected off an object(s). It also includes the coefficients necessary to model the way an object reacts with light. A great deal of work has been done in this area. The most notable model is the Whitted illumination model, and it is the one that has been implemented here [Ref. 1: pp. 365-366]. The Whitted algorithm is based on the three models shown in Figures 4.1, 4.2, and 4.3. These models will now be examined more closely.\*

## A. LOCAL ILLUMINATION MODELS

#### 1. Diffuse Reflection Model

The first of these models is a perfect diffuser. Such a model is governed by Lambert's cosine law. This law states that the intensity of light reflected from a perfect diffuser is proportional to the cosine of the angle between the light

<sup>\*</sup>The contents of this chapter are close adaptations from Rogers [Ref. 1] and Falby [Ref. 3].

direction and the normal to the surface. This can be expressed mathematically as

$$I = I_l k_d \cos \Theta \qquad 0 \leq \Theta \leq \frac{\Pi}{2}$$

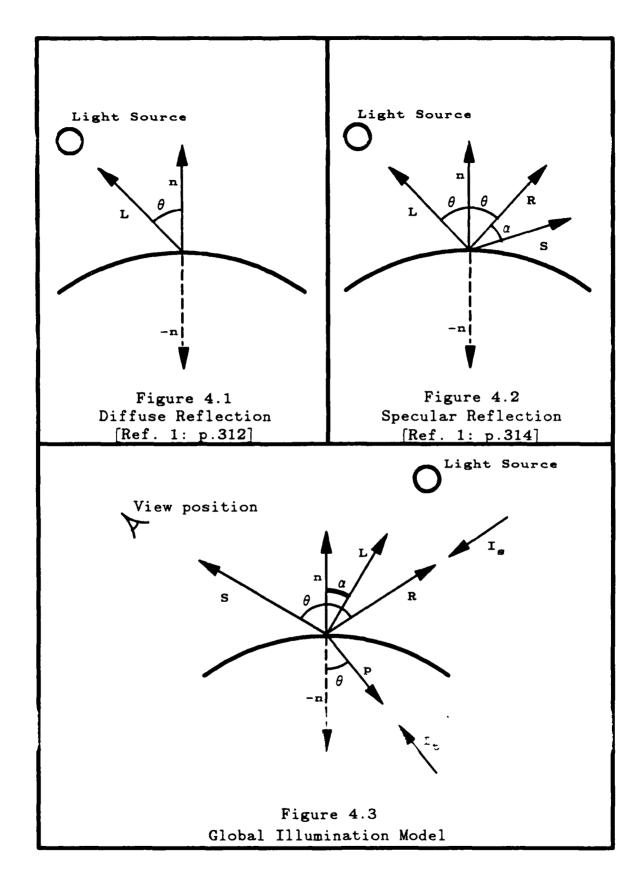
where I is the reflected intensity,  $I_l$  is the incident intensity from a point light source,  $k_d$  is the diffuse reflection constant, unique to each object, and  $\Theta$  is the angle between the light direction and the surface normal, see Figure 4.1. Since the diffuse reflection coefficient  $k_d$  varies from material to material and is also a function of the wavelength of the light, it is often easier to just assume it a constant for simple illumination models. [Ref. 2: p. 312]

### 2. Specular Reflection Model

The second model illustrates the characteristics of specular reflection which is directional, unlike diffuse reflection. This means that the greatest intensity of the specularly reflected light can only be seen if the view angle coincides with the reflection angle, Figure 4.2. The further off the viewing angle is from the reflection angle, the dimmer the intensity becomes. Because of the complex physical characteristics of specularly reflected light, an empirical model due to Bui-Tuong Phong is usually used for simple illumination models [Ref. 10]. This is expressed mathematically as

$$f = f_{\rm ev}(\Theta_{\rm ex}) \cos^2 \alpha$$

where  $w(\Theta_i, \lambda)$ , the reflection curve, gives the ratio of the specularly reflected light to the incident light as a function of the incidence angle  $\Theta_i$  and the wavelength  $\lambda$ . Because  $w(\Theta_i, \lambda)$  is such a complex function, it is frequently



replaced by an aesthetically or experimentally determined constant  $k_s$  which then yields

$$I_{i} = I_{i}k_{j}\cos^{n}\alpha$$

Also, n is a power that approximates the spatial distribution of the specularly reflected light. Typically a value of 200 for n is used to model a very shiny surface and a value of 10 is used for a dull surface [Ref. 3: p. 72]. [Ref. 1: pp. 313-315]

### 3. Combined Model

If just point sources are assumed, as in the two models just discussed, any object not receiving light directly from the source appears black. In order to properly render a scene, it is also necessary to take into account ambient light, the light that is reflected off other surfaces. Including a model for ambient light into the intensity calculations is not feasible. Ambient light represents a distributed light source and as such is a very complex function. Therefore it is treated as a constant diffuse term and linearly combined with the other terms. Also not included in the above model is the effect that distance has on light. It is well known that the farther away an object or light source is, the dimmer it gets. The actual formula to produce that proper attenuation is  $\frac{Z}{d^2}$ , where the intensity of

light decreases as the square of the distance from the source increases. However it has been shown that linear attenuation can actually produce more realistic results. With these two additions the complete model now looks like:

$$I = I_a k_a + \frac{I_l}{d + K} (k_d \cos\Theta + k_s \cos^n \alpha)$$

where  $I_a$  is the incident ambient light intensity,  $k_a$  is the ambient diffuse reflection constant and K is an arbitrary constant that can be used to adjust the results. [Ref. 1: p. 313]

The complete model just presented can now be modified to better fit in with a ray tracer. Recalling the formula for the dot product of two vectors allows writing the  $\cos\Theta$  as  $\hat{n}\cdot\hat{L}$  and writing  $\cos\alpha$  as  $\hat{R}\cdot\hat{S}$  which gives us:

$$I = I_a k_a + \frac{I_l}{d + K} [k_d(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{L}) + k_s(\hat{R} \cdot \hat{S})^n]$$

So far we have only examined the case where just one light source is present. If there are several light sources, the effects are added linearly, and the equation now becomes:

$$I = I_{a}k_{a} + \sum_{j=1}^{m} \frac{L_{l_{j}}}{d + K} [k_{d}(\hat{n} \cdot \hat{L}_{j}) + k_{s}(\hat{R}_{j} \cdot \hat{S})^{n}]$$

This then is the complete local illumination model. [Ref. 1: pp. 312-316]

#### **B.** GLOBAL ILLUMINATION MODEL

The complete local illumination model just presented forms the basis for the algorithm that was implemented for this study [Ref. 1: pp. 363-378] see Figure 4.3.

$$I = k_a I_a + k_d \sum_{j} I_{l_j} \left( \hat{\mathbf{n}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{L}}_{j} \right) + k_s \sum_{j} I_{l_j} \left( \hat{\mathbf{S}} \cdot \hat{\mathbf{R}}_{j} \right)^n + k_s I_s + k_t I_t$$

In the above equation  $k_a, k_d, k_s$ , and  $k_t$  are the ambient, diffuse, specular reflection, and transmission coefficients, all of which have values between 0 and 1.  $I_a, I_s, I_t$ , and  $I_{l_i}$  are the intensities of the ambient light, the specularly reflected light, the transmitted light, and the light directly from a light source. These also hold values between 0 and 1. The remaining variables  $\hat{n}$ ,  $\hat{L}_{j}$ ,  $\hat{S}$ , and  $\hat{R}_{j}$  are the surface normal at the intersection point, the direction of the jth light source, the local sight vector, and the local reflection vector from the jth light source. A careful comparison between this model and the complete local illumination model reveals that the only new terms are the  $I_s$  and  $I_t$  terms. These are the terms used to account for the light that comes in along the reflected and refracted rays that originated at this point.  $I_s$  holds the intensity for the reflected ray and  $I_t$  holds the intensity for the refracted ray. These two values in turn are calculated using the exact same model. For the last intersection point in the scene, the one whose reflected and refracted rays do not intersect anything,  $I_s$  and  $I_t$  are set to 0. The  $k_{i}$  and  $k_{i}$  terms are coefficients included to better model the way this object reacts with the light incoming along the reflected and refracted rays.

This then is the complete global illumination model used in this study. It is the simplicity of this algorithm that makes it so easy to understand and implement. In essence, it is saying that the output intensity is nothing more than a sum of all possible light sources with the coefficients determining the intensity of light that comes from a particular object.

## V. RAY TRACING ALGORITHM

Rogers suggested an algorithm for ray tracing [Ref. 1: pp. 374-377]. It is that algorithm that has been the basis for this study. The following is a description of that algorithm as it has been implemented here.

### A. TRACING THE RAYS

To begin the ray tracing process, the first thing done is the determination of the direction of the view ray.\* The ray data, mentioned in chapter III, is then initialized. After the view ray is generated and the ray data initialized, the ray, which is represented by this ray data, is pushed onto the stack, which is used to implement the ray tracing tree. The process then moves into the actual ray tracing loop.

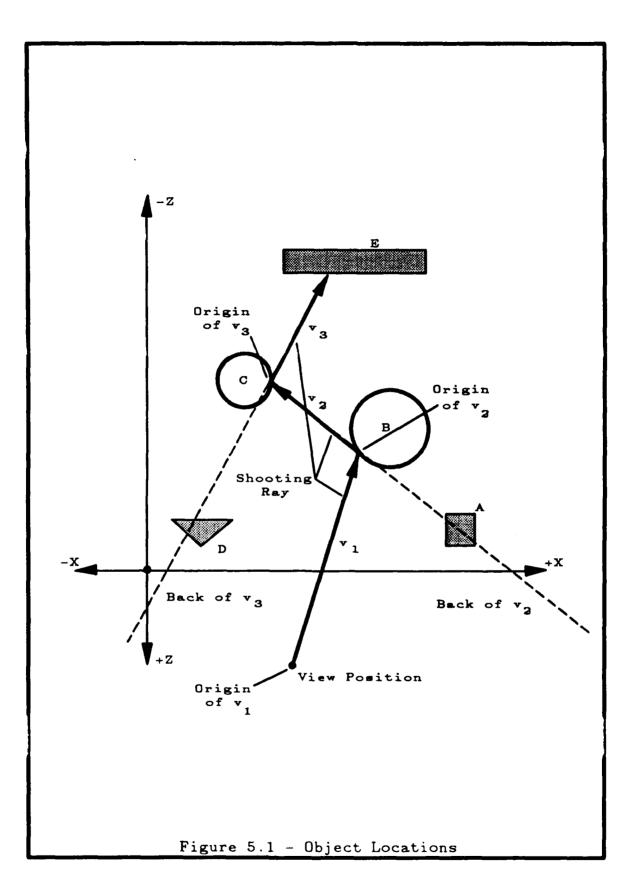
Once in the loop, the stack is checked to see if it is empty. If it is not empty, the stack is then popped to access the ray information. The first thing checked is whether or not the intersection flag is set. If it is, that indicates that that particular ray has already been terminated (by hitting an object), and the process of determining the intensities begins.

<sup>\*</sup>Each ray, is modeled as a vector, and is converted to a unit vector immediately after its determination.

If the intersection flag is not set, a new ray has been generated, either a new view ray or a new reflected or refracted ray. All of these rays are grouped under the more general title of a shooting ray. At this stage, the ray must be sent through the intersection procedures to determine whether or not it intersects any object. The intersection routines start at the highest level of the picture and step through the linked list of objects, subobjects, and common parts to the actual polygons.

At the top level of the intersection routines, each one of the objects is checked. First, they are checked to see if there is an intersection with the object's bounding circle. If there is an intersection, the distance between the intersection point and the origin of the ray is calculated and placed in the ray data. Second, a check is done to insure that the objects lie in front of the ray's origin. In front refers to those objects that lie in the direction of the shooting ray from its point of origin. Since the ray is being modeled by a vector, which only indicates direction, every object along the line described by the vector and the origin of the ray is considered, see Figure 5.1. The way to test for this is to generate a test vector between the origin of the ray and any intersection points of the shooting ray, eliminating the intersection points that lie in the opposite direction from the shooting ray.

As each object is processed, the objects whose bounding volumes are intersected by the shooting ray are processed further to see if any of their subobjects are also intersected. The same basic procedure for finding an



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intersection is used here as is used for finding an intersection for the objects. If the object and the subobject are one and the same, this check need not be done.

For each subobject whose bounding volume is intersected, the next step is to check the type of geometric object, i.e., a sphere or a polygonal object. This needs to be done in order to determine which intersection routines are needed. In the case of a sphere, it becomes just a matter of solving two simultaneous equations, discussed earlier--one for a line, the other for the sphere. When dealing with a polygonal object, it becomes more complicated because each face of the polygon must be checked. The first thing that needs to be done is to check the orientation of the face in question. When the polygon does have the right orientation, the intersection process continues. The first step is to determine the equation of the plane that contains the polygon. This plane is calculated from any three vertices of the face in question. Once the plane has been established, the intersection point between it and the shooting ray is calculated. With the intersection point thus established, the next step is to determine whether or not the point lies on the face of the polygon. If the intersection point is found to lie on the face of the polygon. then this point is saved and placed in the ray data.

If no intersection is found and the shooting ray is either a reflecting or refracting ray, then it is discarded and the intensity calculation process begins of the shooting ray is a view ray, then the intensity is set to the background intensity which is then displayed and the next ray is generated.

When there is an intersection, the first thing to be checked is whether or not there is enough room on the stack. Since the stack holds only part of the ray tree at any one time, it need only be long enough to contain the longest anticipated branch. A particular branch of the ray tree is terminated when both the reflected and refracted rays at an object intersection leave the scene or when the available stack length is exceeded. When both rays leave the scene, their contribution to the illumination at the source ray is zero. When the available stack length is exceeded, the algorithm calculates the illumination at the source ray using only the ambient, diffuse, and specular reflection components at the source ray intersection. An extension algorithm is given in Rogers whereby the algorithm can be extended one additional depth in the tree without exceeding the maximum stack depth. However, the implementation of that was not necessary here. When the stack does get full, it becomes a matter of calculating the intensity at that intersection point and setting the appropriate value  $I_t$  or  $I_s$  in the source ray. [Ref. 1: p. 372]

When the stack is not full, then the distance between the source point of the shooting ray and the intersection point is determined and placed in the ray data. The ray is then placed back on the stack. Once that is done, any reflecting and/or betracking mays duana and irretul be intersection count are determined, their ray data initialized, and then placed on the stack as new rays with the reflecting ray being placed on first. It is important to keep this order of rays in mind because it is necessary to know the number of rays to pop when setting the intensities of the

source rays. With these new rays in place on the stack, the program returns to the beginning of the ray tracing cycle. In the absence of reflecting or refracting rays, then the first ray popped is the view ray. Now since this ray already has its intersection flag set, the intensity at the point of its intersection is calculated and displayed. If the ray popped is a reflective or refractive ray, then it becomes the new shooting ray. This cycle continues until either no more reflecting or refracting rays are produced or until the stack becomes full. This process is summarized by the pseudocode description in Figure 5.2.

#### **B. DETERMINING THE INTENSITY**

If a ray's intersection flag is found set at the beginning of the ray tracing process, that ray is sent into the intensity processing part of the ray tracer. The first step in this process is to take the ray data and to determine the intensity at that ray's intersection point. This intensity is then divided by the distance between the ray's point of origin and its intersection point in order to properly attenuate it. This process is done for each of the primary colors -- red, green, and blue. If a view ray is being considered, that means that it was the last ray on the stack. Therefore, it is the final intensity to be calculated and hence is the actual one displayed. If it is a perfracted ray, then the intensity just calculated becomes the  $I_t$  intensity in the source ray for the ray currently being examined. If it is a reflected ray, then the intensity just calculated becomes the  $I_s$  intensity in the source ray for the ray currently being examined. The stack is set up so that the

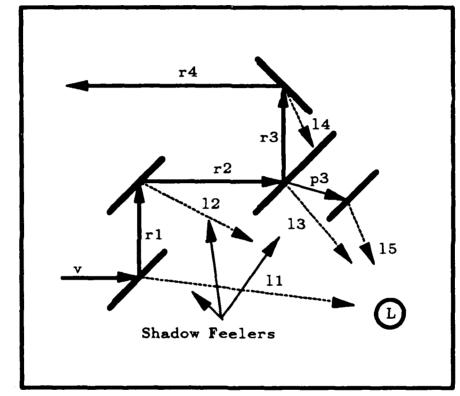
# **READ IN DATA FILE**

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for Y := 1 to MAX ROWS to
for X := 1 to MAX COLUMNS do
  INITIALIZE VIEW RAY
  PUSH RAY ONTO STACK
 repeat
   POP RAY FROM STACK
   if INTERSECTION FLAG SET then
     CALCULATE INTENSITY
   else
     CHECK FOR INTERSECTION
     if INTERSECTION FLAG SET then
       if STACK EXCEEDED then
        CALCULATE INTENSITY
       else
        PUSH RAY BACK ON STACK
        CALCULATE REFLECTED RAY
        CALCULATE REFRACTED RAY
        if REFLECTED RAY EXISTS then
          INITIALIZE REFLECTED RAY
          PUSH REFLECTED RAY ON STACK
        end if
        if REFRACTED RAY EXISTS then
          INITIALIZE REFRACTED RAY
          PUSH REFRACTED RAY ON STACK
        end if
       end else
     else
       if (CURRENT RAY TYPE = VIEW RAY) then
        SET INTENSITY TO BACKGROUND COLOR
     end else
   intil STACK EMPTY
   DISPLAY PIXEL
 end FOR-X
end FOR-Y
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Figure 5.2 - Pseudocode Description of the Ray Tracing Process

source ray is on the bottom of the ray tuple with the reflected ray above it and the refracted ray above that. In order to set these values, it is necessary to pop the stack to gain access to the source ray. Once these values are set in the source ray, the program returns to the beginning of the loop and pops the next ray off the stack discarding the last ray as it is no longer needed. [Ref. 1: p. 377]

The intensity algorithm [Ref. 1: p. 377] although very simple in design, depending on the number of light sources in the picture, can also become a time intensive part of the ray tracing program. The entire ray data set, listed in Table 3.1, is sent into this routine as well as the pointers to the object and light source list. As in the intersection routine, rays are generated here. In Rogers, they are referred to as shadow feelers and the same term is used in this study. These shadow feelers are those rays represented as the vectors from the point of intersection to the light source, see Figure 5.3. They are used to determine the intensity contributed to that point from that light source. Once these rays are generated, they also pass through the intersection routines in order to determine which objects, if any, the light rays pass through en route to the intersection point. The first test that must be done is to determine if any of the objects passed through are opaque. If any are opaque, then no light reaches the intersection point from that light source. That point is then considered to be lying in deep shadow with respect to that light source. If none of the objects intersected by the light ray is opaque, then the light intensity needs to be attenuated accordingly for each of them. This attenuation entails multiplying the intensity at each point by



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Figure 5.3 Shadow Feelers [Ref. 3: p. 64]

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the transmission coefficient of the object. This process then needs to be repeated for each light source. A running total of the intensities is maintained to be included in the final calculation. The calculation takes into account the ambient light and the light that comes in along the reflection and refraction rays. This process then produces the final intensity. If the input ray type is a view ray then it is displayed. If it is a reflected ray, it becomes the  $I_s$  value in the source ray. If it is a refracted ray, it becomes the  $I_t$  value in the source ray. [Ref. 1: pp. 376-377]

### VI. IMPLEMENTATION

The prototype was written in BORLAND's Turbo Pascal and implemented on an IBM AT clone. The program is 2500 lines long and takes two hours to generate a scene of 200x200 pixels. The scenes generated on the AT were then displayed using the RGB monitor of a Silicon Graphics IRIS 2400 graphics workstation.

The main focus of this study was to develop a prototype ray tracer, which by itself is just a hidden surface removal technique. The secondary consideration was to integrate an illumination model into the ray tracer. Because of this focus, more time was spent examining the ray tracing algorithm than any of the global illumination models that could have been integrated along with it.

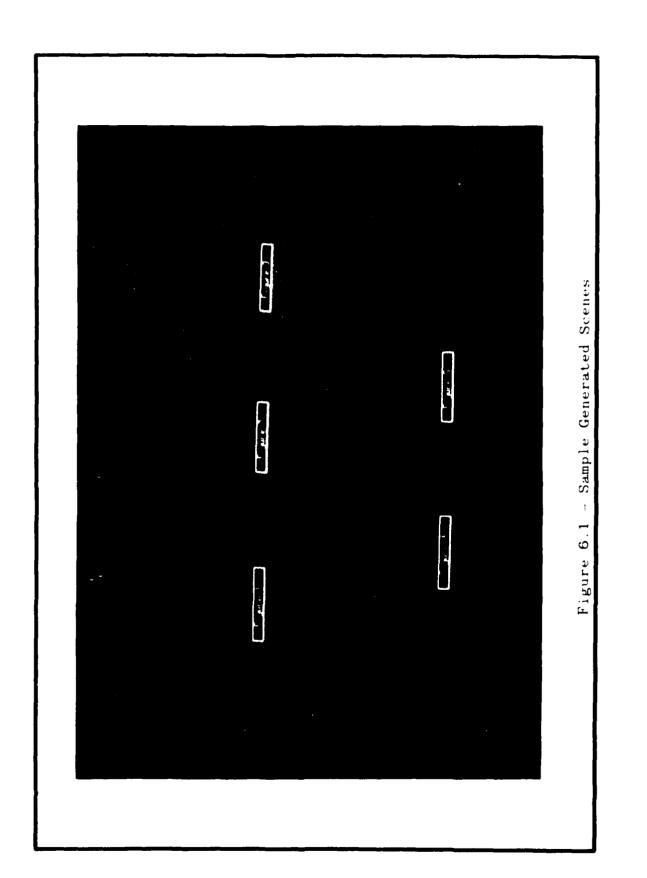
The top three scenes in Figure 6.1 tested the ability of the prototype to perform as a hidden surface remover. The program proved successful in this area. For these scenes, a stub was used in place of the illumination model and each scene was lit using only ambient light. From left to right the scenes show: An unobstructed view of the three objects, described in a later section: the cube and sphere suspended above the door but with the cube partially blocking the sphere; the cube and the sphere sunk part way into the floor with the cube still in front.\*

<sup>\*</sup>These were the only scenes generated to test for hidden surface removal. The remainder of the tests were done trying to integrate a global illumination model.

The testing of the global illumination model integrated into the ray tracer unveiled some problems. The two bottom scenes in Figure 6.1 are representative of the successful results. The first problem discovered was that attenuating the intensity by the full distance between the origin of the view ray and its intersection point produced totally blackened objects. The results shown in Figure 6.1, the bottom row, were obtained by either dividing the intensity by two, see the scene on the left, or by not dividing it at all, see the scene on the bottom right of the object. The second problem can be clearly seen by the black line that runs up the center of the floor on the bottom right scene. This result along with those test that generated shadows, not shown, indicated that the intensities for the floor were reversed. The black line, clearly seen in color Figure 5 and just vaguely visible in color Figure 4, is actually specular reflection and should be much brighter than the rest of the floor. In those scenes where shadows were generated the shadows were also brighter than the rest of the floor--just the reverse of what it should have been.

### A. INPUT

The test data used in this study produced the scenes shown in Figure 6.1. This test data was in the form of a sequential tile with the data structure outlined in Figure 2.2. The data had in it one picture record, one light in the lights array, and three objects in the objects array. The first object is a cube which contains one subobject. This subobject has one common part. The common parts record



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then points to the six polygon records that where used to construct the cube. Each one of these records has its own vertex arrays. The second object is a sphere. This object has one subobject, and the subobject has one common part. Since a sphere can be its own bounding volume and since it is not constructed of polygons, then the object chain for the sphere need go no further than the common parts array. The third object is the floor.\* This consists of one subobject, one common part and one polygon. All objects in the scene are opaque and have a highly reflective surface.

# B. OUTPUT

The output generated by the ray tracer is in the form of a bitmap, with values for each of the red, green, and blue components. These values range from 0 to 1. To display these on the RGB monitor of the IRIS, each red, green, and blue component is then multiplied by 255 and assigned an index in the color table.

<sup>\*</sup>The floor is at a 10 degree angle to the screen to provide a better perspective.

### VII. CONCLUSIONS

#### A. AREAS OF FUTURE RESEARCH

The ray tracer is a powerful tool in computer graphics. In its original design, it produced the finest rendered pictures at that time. Since then there have been numerous extensions, among the most widely known are the ones by Phong, Blinn and Newell, Kay. and Whitted each of which have further enhanced the performance of the ray tracer [Ref. 2: pp. 343-344]. There are two main areas for future research: global illumination models, and intersection algorithms. Both of the areas are of great interest in the graphics world. Since ray tracers and global illumination models can be integrated so easily, working on either problem would undoubtedly lead to insight into the other. This would also be very easy to do because ray tracing naturally lends itself to a modular design making it easy to establish hooks for the testing of a large number of algorithms, both illumination and intersection.

#### **B.** CONCLUSIONS

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We have examined the three major areas of tay tracing: the scene data needed, the intersection problem, and the intensity problem. The data structure used was adapted from [Ref. 3] and proved to be useful. The intersection problem, although involved, is not complex. The algorithms used in this implementation are simple. The inclusion of a simple global illumination model, was easy to integrate and provided fair results. The ray tracer provides an excellent test bed program and implemented can provide a useful tool to study numerous problems, not only in lighting and shading but also in intersection determination.

# **APPENDIX A** – SOURCE LISTINGS

#### DECLARATIONS

```
const
{ THIS IS THE CONSTANTS DECLARATION SECTION }
 maximum size of stack = 100;
 initial pixel z = 0;
type
{ TYPES DECLARATION AREA }
  vertices array = array [1..4] of real;
  polygon rec = record
   num vertices : integer;
    vertice x,
              vertice y,
                            vertice z
                                        : vertices array;
    surface normal x, surface normal y, surface normal z : real
  end;
  polygon ptr = polygon array;
  polygon array = array [1..6] of polygon rec;
  common part rec = record
    K ar, K ag, K ab : real; { AMBIENT DIFFUSE COEFFICIENT }
    K dr, K dg, K db : real; { DIRECT DIFFUSE COEFFICIENT }
    K sr, K sg, K sb : real; { SPECULAR COEFFICIENT }
    K tr, K tg, K tb : real; { TRANSMISSION COEFFICIENT }
    obj refraction index : real; { OBJECTS REFRACTION COEFFICIENT }
    obj phong exp : integer; { PHONG'S SPECULAR EXPONENT }
    num polygons : integer;
    polygons : polygon ptr
  end;
  common part ptr = ^common part array;
  common part array = array [1..3] of common part rec;
  sub object rec = record
    num 'ommon parts integer:
    common parts common part ptr:
    sub_bsphere_radius: real: __RADIUS OF SUBOBJECTS BOUNDING SPHERE
    sub bsphere x : : real; { CENTER OF BOUNDING SPHERE }
    sub bsphere y : real;
    sub bsphere z : real;
    subobj type : integer; { 0: SPHERE. 1 PLANAR-POLYGON }
  end;
  sub object ptr = 'sub object array;
```

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sub_object_array = array 1 3 of sub_object_rec.
 object rec = record
   num sub objects
                       integer:
   sub objects
                    sub object ptr:
   obi babhere radius real: ( RADIUS OF OBJECTS BOUNDING SPHERE )
                     real CENTER OF BOUNDING SPHERE
   ubj osphere k
   obj bsphere y
                     real.
   obj bsphere z
                     real:
                 : integer { CURRENTLY NOT USED }
   opcode
 end:
 object ptr = 'object array.
 object array = array 1 4 of object rec.
 light rec = record
   Ir. Ig, Ib real;
                               { INTENSITY OF THE LIGHT }
   light x, light y, light z real. { LIGHT POSITION }
   dimension1 dimension2 real
                                  I NOT USED 3
 end;
 light ptr = `light array:
 light array = array 1 3 of light rec.
 picture rec = record
   num objs
                   integer
   objects
                 object ptr.
   num lights
                  integer
   lights
                 light ptr.
   global refraction index
                              real
   no zero
                  real.
   ambient r
                   real.
   ambient g
                   real.
                   real.
   ambient b
   background color r real
   background color g real.
   background color b real
   view position x
                      real
   view position y
                      real
   view position z
                      real
   screen max x
                      integer
   screen max v
                      nteger
 raytype
            (none view reflected refracted)
 colortype (red green blue)
{ RAY DATA RECORD }
 ray ptr - 'ray rer
```

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```
ray rec - record
  ray type
               raytype.
               real { ORIGIN OF RAY }
  ray origin x
  ray origin y
               real.
               real.
  ray origin r
                ray vector x
   an antar
                14 h i
  ray vector z
                real
   ray stype raytype. { TYPE OF SOURCE RAY }
   intersection flag boolean
  obj.idx integer { PATH DECSRIBING OBJECT INTERSECTED }
  subobi idx
               integer
  cpart idx
              integer
   polygon idx
                integer
              real. { INTERSECTION POINT }
   intersection x
   intersection y
              real
  intersection z
              real
EDISTANCE BETWEEN RAY'S ORIGIN AND INTERSECTION POINT }
```

INTENSITY OF LIGHT COMING IN ALONG THE REFRACTED RAY GENERATED BY THIS RAY.

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INTENSITY OF LIGHT COMING IN ALONG THE REFLECTED RAY GENERATED BY THIS RAY.

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> USED IN CONVERTING ALL RAYS VECTORS TO UNIT VECTORS }
x v z real

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rav number integer
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 I SED AS SHORTHAND BECAUSE THE OBJECT PATHS GET LONG } part path common part ptr suboty path sub-object ptr

color conserver

```
{ USED TO IMPLEMENT THE STACK }
```

ray\_top, ray\_current, ray\_next : ray\_ptr;

intensity red, intensity\_green, intensity\_blue : real;

pixel\_x,
pixel\_y,
pixel\_z - integer:

ray generation number : integer;

intersection\_point\_x, intersection\_point\_y, intersection\_point\_z : real;

old\_intersection\_point\_x,
old\_intersection\_point\_y,
old\_intersection\_point\_z : real;

temp\_integer1, temp\_integer2, temp\_integer3 : integer;

reflected\_ray\_x, reflected\_ray\_y, reflected\_ray\_s : real;

refracted\_ray\_x,
refracted\_ray\_y,
refracted\_ray\_z : real;

surface\_normal\_x.
surface\_normal\_y,
surface\_normal\_s : real;

# { USED TO INITIALIZE RAYS }

initial ray type : raytype; initial rav origin x initial rav origin y initial rav origin z real: nitial ray sector somitial ray sector conitial ray sector coreal nitiai mv -ivpe AVEVDE initial intersection dag . Doolean; initial\_obj\_idx : integer; initial subobj idx integer; initial cpart idx : integer; : integer; initial polygon idx initial intersection x, initial intersection y, initial intersection z : real;

```
initial_d : real;
initial_I_tr, initial_I_tg, initial_I_tb : real;
initial_I_sr, initial_I_sg, initial_I_sb : real;
```

```
{ HOLDS CURRENT RAY WHILE IN ACTUAL RAY TRACING LOOP }
 current ray type : raytype:
 current ray origin x, current ray origin y, current ray origin z real;
 current ray vector x, current ray vector y, current ray vector s : real;
 current_ray_stype : raytype;
 current intersection flag : boolean;
 current obj idx : integer;
  current subobj idx
                        : integer;
  current cpart idx
                       : integer;
  current polygon idx
                         : integer;
 current intersection x,
  current intersection y,
  current intersection s : real;
  current d : real;
  current I tr. current I tg, current I tb : real:
  current I sr, current I sg, current I sb : real;
  reflected ray : boolean;
  refracted ray : boolean;
  source ray num : integer;
  source ray type : raytype;
{ POINTER TO PICTURE RECORD }
  picture : picture rec;
 USED TO ESTABLISH LINKED LIST OF OBJ, SUBOBJ, LIGHTS, CPARTS, AND
POLYGONS.
ł
  light cntr : integer;
  light current : light ptr;
  obj cntr : integer;
  obj curr : object ptr;
  subobj cntr : integer;
  subobj curr : sub object ptr:
  "part intr integer:
  cpart_curr : common part ptr;
  poly cntr : integer;
  poly next,
  poly curr : polygon ptr;
```

vertice cntr : integer;

{ USED WHEN READING IN DATA }

poly\_loop\_cnt : integer; light\_loop\_cnt : integer; cpart\_loop\_cnt : integer; subobj\_loop\_cnt : integer; object\_loop\_cnt : integer; vertice\_loop\_cnt : integer:

intersection X, intersection Y, intersection Z : real;

{ USED TO IDENTIFY INTERSECTED OBJECTS }

object\_idx, subobj\_idx, cpart\_idx, polygon\_idx : integer;

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intersection flag : boolean;

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# **INTERSECTION PROCEDURES**

```
·····
 These are the intersection procedures used in the ray tracer program
* CALLED FORM CHECK FOR SUBOBJ-INTERSECTION

    CALLS TO NONE

• DESC _ CALCULATES THE INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN A RAY/VECTOR AND A
    SPHERE
* INPUT The centerpoint of the sphere and it's radius. The direction of
     the ray and a known point on the ray -- which would be it's
•
     origin
* OUTPUT A flag indicating whether or not there was an intersection and
    finere was the actual intersection point itself
                                     3
procedure sphere intersection (Px. Pv. Ps. real.
                Vx Vy Vs real.
                Cx Cy Cs real
                *
                       real.
              var o intersection flag boolean
              var Sphere x, Sphere y Sphere x real.)
.....
 abrilit2 real
 X1 Y1 Z1
               real
 X2 Y2 Z2
               real
 distance1 distance2 real
 radical real.
 diffy diffy diffy real
begin
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   and supply a compression supply re-
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c := (sqr(Cx) + sqr(Cy) + sqr(Cz) +
      sqr(Px) + sqr(Py) + sqr(Ps) -
      (2 * Cx * Px) - (2 * Cy * Py) - (2 * Cz * Pz) - sqr(r));
   radical := (sqrt ( sqr(b) - (4 * a * c)));
START COMPUTATIONS ON QUADRATIC EQUATION }
    if (radical < 0) then begin
     writeln('WARNING - imagionary number possible in SPHERE INTERSECTION');
     o intersection flag := false
    end
   else begin
     if (radical = 0) then begin
IF 0 THEN JUST ONE INTERSECTION POINT(THE LINE IS TANGENT TO THE SPHERE)
}
                               { SOLVE FOR t }
       t1 := (-b / 2 * a);
       Sphere x := Px + (Vx * t1); \{ CALCULATE POINT USING t \}
       Sphere y = Pv - (Vv * t1);
       Sphere \mathbf{s} := \mathbf{Ps} + (\mathbf{Vs} * \mathbf{t1});
       o intersection flag := true
      end
     else begin
 THERE WERE TWO INTERSECTION POINTS -- ONE ENTERANCE POINT AND ONE EXIT
POINT SOLVE FOR BOTH ts'
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       ti := (-b + (sqrt ( sqr(b) - (4 * a * c)))) / 2 * a;
       t2 := (-b - (sqrt (sqr(b) - (4 * a * c)))) / 2 * a;
       X1 := Px + (Vx + t1);
       \mathbf{Y1} := \mathbf{Py} + (\mathbf{Vy} \cdot \mathbf{t1});
        Z1 := Ps + (Vs^{+}t1);
CALCULATE DISTANCE FOR BOTH INTERSECTION POINTS FROM THE POINT OF ORIGIN
distance1 = (sqrt (sqr(X1 - Px) + sqr(Y1 - Py) + sqr(Z1 - Ps)));
       X2 := Px + (Vx^* t2);
        Y2 = Py + (Vy \cdot t2),
        72 = P_2 - (V_3 + 12)
        f(stance2) = sqrt(sqr(X2 + Px) + sqr(Y2 + Pv) + sqr(Z2 + Pz)))
{ COMPARE DISTANCES AND SELECT THE INTERSECTION POINT THAT IS CLOSER }
        if distance1 < distance2 then begin
          Sphere x := X1,
          Sphere y = Y1,
          Sphere z = Z1,
        end
        else begin
```

```
Sphere x := X2;
         Sphere y := Y2;
         Sphere s := Z2;
      end;
      o intersection flag := true
     end: { ELSE }
     diff x := Px - Sphere x;
     diffy := Py - Sphere y;
     diffs := Ps - Sphere s;
A CHECK TO INSURE THAT THE POINT SELECTED ISN'T THE RAYS POINT OF ORIGIN
}
      if ((diffx \leq 0.0000) and (diffy \leq 0.0000) and (diffs \leq 0.0000)) then
       o intersection flag := false;
   end:{ ELSE }
end; { * SPHERE INTERSECTIONS *}
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             ********** CALCULATE PLANE EQUATION *******

    CALLED FROM : FIND INTERSECTED POLYGON

* CALLS TO : NONE
* DESC · Calculates the constants of the equation of a plane when given
      three point on the plane.
* INPUT : Three vertices of a planar polygon.
 * OUTPUT : The A, B, C, and D constants for the equation of a plane.
                                 ........
}
procedure calculate plane equation(X1, Y1, Z1 : real;
                       X2, Y2, Z2 real.
                       X3, Y3, Z3 : real,
                    var A,B,C,D : real };
```

### begin

 $\begin{array}{l} \mathbf{A} &= (\mathbf{Y1}^{+}, (\mathbf{Z2}^{+}, \mathbf{Z3})^{+}, \mathbf{Y2}^{+}, (\mathbf{Z3}^{+}, \mathbf{Z1})^{+}, \mathbf{Y3}^{+}, (\mathbf{Z1}^{+}, \mathbf{Z2}), \\ \mathbf{B} &= (\mathbf{M}^{+}, \mathbf{X2}^{+}, \mathbf{X3})^{+}, (\mathbf{Z2}^{+}, \mathbf{X3}^{+}, \mathbf{X1})^{+}, \mathbf{Z3}^{+}, \mathbf{X1}^{+}, \mathbf{X2}^{+}, \\ \mathbf{C} &= (\mathbf{X1}^{+}, \mathbf{Y2}^{+}, \mathbf{Y3})^{+}, (\mathbf{Y3}^{+}, \mathbf{Y1})^{+}, \mathbf{X3}^{+}, \mathbf{Y1}^{+}, \mathbf{Y2}) \\ \mathbf{D} &= (\mathbf{X1}^{+}, (\mathbf{Y2}^{+}, \mathbf{Z3})^{+}, (\mathbf{Y3}^{+}, \mathbf{Z2}))^{+}, (\mathbf{X2}^{+}, (\mathbf{Y3}^{+}, \mathbf{Z1})^{+}, (\mathbf{Y1}^{+}, \mathbf{Z2})^{+}) \\ \mathbf{C} &= (\mathbf{X3}^{+}, ((\mathbf{Y1}^{+}, \mathbf{Z2})^{+}, (\mathbf{Y2}^{+}, \mathbf{Z1}))). \end{array}$ 

end, { calculate plane equation }

{

```
FIND INTERSECTION POINT
   CALLED FROM: FIND INTERSECTED POLYGON,
            CHECK FOR SUBOBJ INTERSECTION
            CHECK FOR INTERSECTION
   CALLS TO : NONE
   DESC : Calculates the intersection point between a ray/vector and
       a plane.
   INPUT : Ray direction and a known point on the ray, i.e., it's
        point of origin. The constants (A,B,C,D) of the equation
        of a plane.
   OUTPUT : The intersection point.
procedur- find intersection point(i A, i B, i C, i D
                                                          : real;
                        i ray x, i ray y, i ray z : real;
                        i source x, i source y, i source s : real;
                     var o intersection point x,
                        o intersection point y,
                        o intersection point z
                                                  real);
VAT
  t : real;
begin
{ SET UP FOR FINDING t FROM THE EQUATION FOR A LINE AND A PLANE }
  \mathbf{t} := (\mathbf{i} \ \mathbf{D} - ((\mathbf{i} \ \mathbf{A}^* \mathbf{i} \ \text{source} \ \mathbf{x}) + (\mathbf{i} \ \mathbf{B}^* \mathbf{i} \ \text{source} \ \mathbf{y}) + (\mathbf{i} \ \mathbf{C}^* \mathbf{i} \ \text{source} \ \mathbf{s}))) /
         ((i A * i ray x) +
          (i B * i ray y) +
          (i C * i ray s));
 SUBSTITUTE & BACK INTO THE EQUATION FOR A LINE TO GET THE INTERSECTION
POINT.
}
  o intersection point x := (i ray x * t) + i source x;
  o intersection point y := (i ray y * t) + i source y;
  o intersection point s := (i ray s * t) + i source s;
end; { find intersection point }
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               CALEQ ....
 * CALLED FROM: FIND INTERSECTED POLYGON
            CHECK FOR SUBOBJ INTERSECTION
            CHECK FOR INTERSECTION
 * CALLS TO : NONE
 * DESC : This calculates the constants A,B,C,D of the equation of a plane
       given only a point on the plane and the surface normal of the
       plane.
 * INPUT : A point and the surface normal of the plane whose equation you
```

```
var A, B, C, D : real);
```

### begin

```
A := vector_x;
B := vector_y;
C := vector_s;
D := (vector_x * bsphere_x) +
    (vector_y * bsphere_y) +
    (vector_s * bsphere_s);
```

end; { caleq }

```
POLYGON ORIENTATION
CALLED FORM: FIND_INTERSECTED_POLYGON
CALLS TO NONE
DESC : This checks to see if the incoming ray will hit the front face of
this polygon. It does this by comparing the angle between the
surface normal of the polygon and the inverse of the incoming ray
If the angle is greater than 90 degrees then the ray is
approaching the back of the polygon
INPUT The direction of the incoming ray. The surface normal of hte
object.
OUTPUT A boolean value TRUE FALSE depending on whether or not the
polygon is facing the right direction
```

procedure polygon orientation (view vector x view vector y view vector z real, surface normal x, surface normal y, surface normal z real, var o good orientation boolean)

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### begin

{

TAKE THE DOT PRODUCT OF THE INVERSE OF THE VIEW VECTOR AND THE SURFACE Normal of the polygon in question }

dot product := (- view vector x) \* surface normal x + (- view vector y) \* surface normal y + (- view vector s) \* surface normal z; { CALCULATE THE MAGNITUDE OF THE VECTORS } length view vector := sqrt(sqr(-view vector x) +sqr(- view vector y) sqr(- view\_vector z)); length surface normal := sqrt(sqr(surface normal x) +sqr(surface normal y) +sqr( surface normal z)); { CALCULATE THE COSINE OF THE ANGLE BETWEEN THE RAYS } cosine\_theta := dot\_product / (length\_view\_vector \* length\_surface\_normal); if (cosine theta > 0) then o good orientation := true eise o good orientation := false; end; { polygon orientation }  $\{ \mathbf{PA} \}$ \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* FIND INTERSECTED POLYGON \* CALLED FROM CHECK FOR SUBOBJ INTERSECTION CALLS TO POLYGON ORIENTATION CALEQ FIND INTERSECTION POINT CALCULATE PLANE EQUATION ٠ DESC This determines if there is an intersection between a line ray and a polygon. If there is it calculates what it is ٠ INPUT. The direction of the shooting ray, a known point on that ray it's origin, and the object path identifying the subobject to examine OUTPUT A flag indicating whether or not a polygon was hit. If one was hit the path identifying which one it was and the actual intersection point itself الرمان بمريحين فالمراجع والمراجع فراجع 1. 18 1.1 1 - -15 0.018 - autobilida integer war is posting in intersection a polygon intersection v polygon intersection 2 rea var v spart lida pulvern uts integer var - intersection far the lean \* u

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{ THIS IS SET UP TO HANDLE 6 SIDED POLYGONS AS EACH SIDE OF THE POLYGON IS TESTED TO SEE WHETHER THE INTERSECTION POINT LIES INSIDE OR OUTSIDE OF IT THE CORRESPONDING ELEMENT IN THE ARRAY IS SET EITHER TRUE OR FALSE AN ARRAY OF ALL TRUE MEANS THAT THE INTERSECTION POINT LIES WITHIN THE POLYGON

}

intersection array = array 1 6 of boolean.

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}

THIS CHECKS EACH COMMON PART FOR AN INTERSECTION WITH ONE OF IT'S POLYGONS.

# repeat

{ THIS LOOP CHECKS EACH POLYGON OF A COMMON PART FOR INTERSECTION } repeat

point outside polygon := false;

if good orientation then begin

```
caleq(polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].vertice_x[1],
    polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].vertice_y[1],
    polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].vertice_z[1],
    polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].surface_normal_x,
    polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].surface_normal_y,
    polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].surface_normal_z,
    A.B,C,D);
```

HECK TO MAKE SURE YOU ARE NOT CONSIDERING THE SOURCE POINT(ORIGIN) OF THE RAY. }

diffx := i\_source\_x - polygonX; diffy := i\_source\_y - polygonY; diffz := i\_source\_z - polygonZ;

THIS SETS A FLAG IF YOU DO CONSIDER THE SAME POINT, THE CHECKS IN THE OTHER PROCEDURE SHOULD PREVENT THIS BUT JUST IN CASE.

```
if ((diffx \leq 0.000) and (diffy \leq 0.000) and (diffz \leq 0.000))
       then begin
        { writeln(sysout,'set trip-wire');}
        intersections[1] := false
       end
       else begin
 THIS LOOP CHECKS EACH EDGE OF THE POLYGON TO SEE IF THE INTERSECTION
POINT LIES INSIDE OR OUTSIDE OF IT.
}
        repeat
{ THIS SELECTS THE FIRST VERTEX OF A POLYGON }
          x1 := polygon path [polygon cnt].vertice x[vertice cnt];
          y1 := polygon path ^ [polygon cnt].vertice y[vertice cnt];
          s1 := polygon path ^[polygon cnt].vertice z[vertice cnt];
          if (vertice cnt = (polygon path polygon cnti.num vertices -
                       1))
 WHEN YOU PICK THE NEXT TO LAST VERTEX YOU CAN SELECT THE NEXT
CONSECUTIVE VERTEX TO ESTABLISH THE EDGE THROUGH WHICH YOU WANT THE
BOUNDING PLANE TO PASS. YOU THEN MUST PICK ONE OF THE OTHER VERTICES (AND
IT DOES NOT MAKE ANY DIFFERENCE WHICH ONE. I PICK THE FIRST ONE.) TO BE
USED TO PUT INTO THE EQUATION OF THE PLANE THE RESULT OF WHICH IS COMPARED
AGAINST THE RESULT THAT COMES FROM PLUGGING THE INTERSECTION POINT INTO
THE EQUATION OF THE BOUNDING PLANE.
           then begin
            x2 := polygon path [polygon cnt].
                 vertice x vertice cnt + 1;
            y2 := polygon path [polygon cnt].
                 vertice y[vertice cnt + 1];
            22 := polygon path [polygon cnt].
                 vertice z[vertice cnt + 1];
            x3 := polygon path ^ [polygon cnt].vertice x[1];
            y3 := polygon path [polygon cnt].vertice y[1];
            z3 := polygon_path ^ [polygon_cnt].vertice z[1]
           end
           else begin
```

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE THE NEXT TO LAST EDGE THEN JUST SELECT THE NEXT CONSECUTIVE VERTICE TO ESTABLISH THE EDGE FOR THE BOUNDING PLANE AND THE ONE AFTER THAT TO PLUG INTO THE EQUATON OF THE PLANE.

```
x2 := polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].
vertice_x[vertice_cnt + 1];
y2 := polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].
vertice_y[vertice_cnt + 1];
z2 := polygon_path ^[polygon_cnt].
```

```
xS := polygon_path polygon_ent
vertice_x_vertice_ent + 2
yS := polygon_path polygon_ent
vertice_y|vertice_ent + 2
z3 = polygon_path polygon_nt
vertice_s_vertice_ent + 2
end;
```

}

}

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vertice z vertice cnt + 1

if (vertice cnt = polygon path polygon cnt num vertices )

IF THE VERTICE SELECTED IS THE LAST ONE THEN JUST PICK THE FIRST VERTICE TO ESTABLISH YOUR BOUNDING EDGE AND THE SECOND VERTICE TO PLUG INTO THE EQUATION OF THE PLANE.

```
then begin
x2 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_x 1 ,
y2 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_y 1
z2 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_z 1 .
x3 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_x 2 ;
y3 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_y 2 ;
z3 := polygon_path `polygon_cnt_vertice_z 2
end;
```

ESTABLISH THE ARBITRARY POINT THROUGH WHICH THE PLANE WILL PASS

anchor\_x := ((x2 + x1) / 2) + 10; anchor\_y := ((y2 + y1) / 2) + 10; anchor z := ((z2 + z1) / 2) + 10;

calculate\_plane\_equation(x1, y1, z1, x2, y2, z2, anchor\_x, anchor\_y, anchor\_z, A, B, C, D);

THE RESULT OF PLUGGING IN THE VERTICE OF THE POLYGON INTO THE EQUATION OF THE PLANE.

marker $D := (A^+ x3) + B^+ (3) + C^+ (3)$ 

THE RESULT OF PLUGGING IN THE INTERSECTION POINT INTO THE EQUATION OF THE PLANE. }

IF THE RESULTS HAVE THE SAME SIGN THEN THEY BOTH LIE ON THE SAME SIDE OF THE BOUNDING PLANE. HENCE THE INTERSECTION POINT LIES WITHIN THE POLYGON WITH RESPECT TO THAT EDGE.

```
intersections vertice ont of true
```

IF THE RESULTS DON'T HAVE THE SAME SIGN THEN THEY LIE ON OPPOSITE SIDES OF THE BOUNDING PLANE. AT THIS POINT THE INTERSECTION POINT HAS BEEN PROVEN TO LIE OUTSIDE THE POLYGON.

```
if ((markerD >= -D) and (check_point_D >= -D)) then
intersections vertice_cnt; = true
else
intersections vertice_cnt; = false;
vertice_cnt = vertice_cnt + 1
```

```
uning vertice into polygon_path polygon_cnt_num_vertices), end
```

```
end.
```

{ CHECK THE POLYGON INTERSECTION ARRAY TO SEE IF THE INTERSECTION POINT FAILED THE INSIDE TEST FOR ANY OF THE EDGES.

```
}
```

}

```
for loop_cnt := 1 to polygon_path ^|polygon_cnt].num_vertices do
    if not(intersections_loop_cnt)) then
        point_outside_polygon := true;
```

if point\_outside\_polygon then intersection\_found := false else intersection\_found := true;

```
polygon_cnt := polygon_cnt + 1;
until ((polygon_cnt > cpart_path ^cpart_cnt].num_polygons) or
      (intersection_found));
```

```
SET UP THE OUTPUT FOR THE PROCEDURE }
```

```
o_cpart_idx := (cpart_cnt - 1);
o polygon idx := (polygon cnt - 1);
```

```
o polygon intersection x := polygonX;
```

```
o polygon intersection y := polygonY;
```

```
o_polygon_intersection_z := polygonZ;
```

```
o intersection flag := intersection found;
```

end; { find intersected polygon }

# {.**PA**}

```
**** CHECK FOR SUBOBJ INTERSECTION **
* CALLED FROM: CHECK FOR INTERSETION
 CALLS TO : CALEQ
         FIND INTERSECTION POINT
         SPHERE INTERSECTION POINT
         FIND INTERSECTION POINT
* DESC : Check to find out if the shooting ray intersects this
      subobject's bounding volume.
* INPUT : The object whose bounding volume has been hit.
       The direction of the shooting ray.
       The origin of the shooting ray.
  OUTPUT : A flag indicating whether or not there has been an intersection.
        The intersection point -- if there is one.
        The path to the intersected object.
procedure check for subobj intersection (i object idx
                                                     : integer;
                           i_ray_x, i_ray_y, i_ray_z : real;
                          i source x,
                          i source y,
                          i source z : real;
                       var o intersection x,
                          o intersection y,
                           o intersection z : real;
                       var o subobj idx,
                           o cpart idx,
                           o polygon idx : integer;
                       var o intersection flag : boolean);
var
 closest object : real;
{ VECTOR BETWEEN THE RAYS ORIGIN AND INTERSECTION POINT }
  view polygon vector x,
  view polygon vector y,
  view polygon vector z real:
  listance from intersection.
  distance from view position
                                 : real;
  subobj path : sub object ptr;
  obj path : object ptr;
  cpart cnt,
  polygon cnt,
                          { USED TO GO INTO RESPECTIVE ARRAYS }
  subobj cnt : integer;
```

A, B, C, D : real; { CONSTANTS FOR EQUATION OF A PLANE }

INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN THE RAY AND PLANE THE BOUNDING CIRCLE IS INSCRIBED ON.

bplane\_intersection\_x,
bplane\_intersection\_y,
bplane\_intersection\_z : real;

INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN THE RAY AND A POLYGON.

polygonX, polygonY, polygonZ : real;

intersection flag : boolean;

begin

}

```
o_subobj_idx := 0;
o_cpart_idx := 0;
o_polygon_idx := 0;
o_intersection_flag := false;
o_intersection_x := 0.0;
o_intersection_y := 0.0;
o_intersection_z := 0.0;
```

```
{
```

ESTABLISH A DEFAULT DISTANCE WITH WHICH THE ACTUAL DISTANCES WIL BE COMPARED.

closest\_object := 10000.0; subobj\_path := picture.objects ^[i\_object\_idx].sub\_objects; obj\_path := picture.objects;

{ THIS LOOP CHECKS EACH SUBOBJECT OF AN OBJECT } for subobj\_cnt := 1 to obj\_path ^[i\_object\_idx].num\_sub\_objects do begin

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# DETERMINE THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE INTERSECTION POINT AND THE CENTER POINT OF THE BOUNDING SPHERE CIRCLE

```
distance from intersection
sqrt(sqr(subobj_path`subobj_cnt_sub_bsphere_x -
bplane_intersection_x) +
sqr(subobj_path`subobj_cnt_sub_bsphere_y -
bplane_intersection_y)
sqr(subobj_path`subobj_cnt_sub_bsphere_x -
bplane_intersection_x));
```

{ IF THE DISTANCE IS LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO THEN YOU HAVE AN INTERSECTION } if (distance\_from\_intersection < = subobj path "subobj cnt sub baphere radius) then begin

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if (subobj\_path `subobj\_cnt\_subobj\_type = 0) then begin

IF SUBOBJECT TYPE IS A SPHERE THEN YOU NEED TO USE THIS INTERSECTION PROCEDURE.

cpart\_cnt := 1;
polygon cnt := 0;

# end

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```
else begin
{ IF IT ISN'T A SPHERE THEN USE THESE }
```

```
find_intersected_polygon(i_ray_x, i_ray_y, i_ray_s,
i_source_x, i_source_y, i_source_z,
i_object_idx,
subobj_cnt.
polygonX. polygonY_polygonZ.
"part_int.
polygon_cnt,
intersection_flag);
```

end; { \* ELSE \* }

if intersection\_flag then begin

IF THERE HAS BEEN AN INTERSECTION THE ESTABLISH THE VECTOR BETWEEN THE ORIGIN OF THE RAY AND THE INTERSECTION POINT.

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                                      sortisgriview polygon vector x) -
        distance from view position
                               sqrEview polygon vector y) +
                               sortview polygon vector a))
        if fistance from view position colosest object then begin
 COMPARE IT AGAINST THE OTHER DISTANCES AND SELECT THE CLOSEST ONE
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          losest object
                          distance from view position
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         - polygon idx
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    intersection flag intersection flag

         o intersection x ---
                            -polygonX
          - intersection v
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         - intersection 4
                            polygonZ
       end
      end
   end
  end, {* FOR *}
end, { check for object intersection }
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          **************** CHECK FOR INTERSECTION '
* CALLED FROM MAIN AND CALCULATE INTENSITY
 * CALLS TO CALEQ
         FIND INTERSECTION POINT
         CHECK FOR SUBOBJECT INTERSECTION
* DESC = DETERMINES IF THERE IS AN INTERSECTION BETWEEN THE SHOOTING RAY
      AND THE BOUNDING VOLUME OF AN OBJECT.
 * INPUT Direction of the shooting ray
         Drigin of the shooting ray
        Printer into the object array
 * OUTPUT : Flag indicating whether or not there was an intersection.
        If there was an intersection then then the intersection point.
        The path to the intersected polygon.
}
procedure check for intersection (i ray x, i ray y, i ray z : real;
                       i_source x, i source y, i source z : real;
```

```
i_picture_objects_object_ptr:
var o_intersection_x.
o_intersection_y,
o_intersection_s : real;
var o_object_idx,
o_subobj_idx,
o_cpart_idx,
o_poly_idx__: integer;
var o_intersection_flag_boolean);
```

var

}

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dosest object real.

object\_cnt, object\_idx, subobj\_cnt, cpart\_cnt, polygon\_cnt\_integer.

distance from viewposition, distance from intersection real;

# INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN SHOOTING RAY AND THE PLANE THE BOUNDING CIRCLE IS INSCRIBED ON.

bplane\_intersection\_x, bplane\_intersection\_y, bplane\_intersection\_z = real;

view\_bplane\_vector\_x, view\_bplane\_vector\_y, view\_bplane\_vector\_s : real;

# INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN THE SHOOTING RAY AND A POLYGON.

polygonX, polygonY, polygonZ : real;

# CONSTANTS FOR THE EQUATION OF A PLANE.

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found intersection : boolean;

distance : real;

begin

o\_object\_idx := 0; o\_subobj\_idx := 0;

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o cpart idx := 0;
 o poly idx := 0;
 o intersection x := 0.0;
 o_intersection_y := 0.0;
 o intersection \mathbf{a} := 0.0;
 o intersection flag := false:
  -iosest \rightarrow oject = 10000.0;
 found intersection := false;
 object cnt := 1;
 LOOP TO CHECK EACH OBJECT IN THE OBJECT ARRAY.
}
 repeat
    if (((picture objects [object cnt].obj bsphere z > i source z) and
       (i ray z > 0) or
       ((picture.objects [object cnt].obj bsphere z < i source z) and
       (i ray s < 0)) then begin
 ESTABLISH PLANE ON WHICH TO DRAW BOUNDING CIRCLE.
}
      caleq(picture.objects ^ [object_cnt].obj_bsphere_x,
           picture.objects `[object_cnt].obj_bsphere_y,
           picture.objects [object cnt].obj bsphere z,
           i ray x, i ray y, i_ray_z,
           \overline{A}, \overline{B}, \overline{C}, \overline{D};
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```

FIND INTERSECTION POINT BETWEEN THAT PLANE AND THE SHOOTING RAY.

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```
i_ray_x, i_ray_y, i_ray_z,
i_source_x, i_source_y, i_source_z,
bplane_intersection_x,
bplane_intersection_y,
bplane_intersection_z);
```

```
{
    DETERMINE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE CENTER OF THE CIRCLE AND THE
    INTERSECTION POINT
}
```

IF INTERSECTION POINT LIES WITHIN CIRCLE THEN START CHECKING THE SUBOBJECTS THAT MAKE UP THE OBJECT.

if distance from intersection <= picture.objects <sup>\*</sup>lobject cntl.obj bsphere radius then begin

check\_for\_subobj\_intersection (object\_cnt,

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}

i\_ray\_x, i\_ray\_y, i\_ray\_s, i\_source\_x, i\_source\_y, i\_source\_z, polygonX, polygonY, polygonZ, subobj\_ont. cpart\_cnt, polygon\_cnt, found\_intersection);

DETERMINE THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE ORIGIN AND INTERSECTION POINT OF OF THE RAY

```
if found_intersection then_begin
view_bplane_vector x := i source x - bplane_intersection x;
view_bplane_vector y := i source y - bplane_intersection y;
view_bplane_vector z := i source z - bplane_intersection z;
```

```
SELECT ONE CLOSEST TO RAY'S ORIGIN.
```

end; object\_cnt := object\_cnt + 1; until (object\_cnt > picture.num\_objs);

```
end; { check for intersection }
```

### INTENSITY PROCEDURES

STACK EMPTY \* CALLED FROM - MAIN and POP • CALLS TO NONE \* DESC —: CHECKS TO SEE IF STACK EMPTY • INPUT :: POINTER TO TOP OF STACK \* OUTPUT : BOOLEAN VALUE - TRUE/FALSE function stack empty (input ray top : ray ptr) :boolean; begin **STACK EMPTY** := input ray top = nil; end; { STACK EMPTY } \* CALLED FROM : MAIN \* CALLS TO : NONE \* DESC : CHECKS TO SEE IF STACK IS FULL \* INPUT : CURRENT SIZE OF STACK and MAXIMUM SIZE OF STACK \* OUTPUT : BOOLEAN VALUE TRUE/FALSE } function stack exceeded(input t1, input t2 : integer) : boolean; begin if input t1 > input\_t2 then stack exceeded := true else stack exceeded := false; -nd: { STACK EXCEEDED } {.PA} \* CALCULATE REFRACTED RAY \* \* CALLED FROM : MAIN \* CALLS TO : NONE \* DESC : This calculates the direction of a refracted ray.

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    NPLT Dimension of even ends surface communic consecution to end
the objects index of refraction, the global index of refraction.
    OUTPLT A flag set to true or false depending or weither or not a
retracted ray was created. If one was then to other or not a
given.
```

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transform assulate refracted ray
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Source:

```
testKf,
testKf2,
kf real,
kn real;
abs_dot_product___real,
length_of_ray_real,
v1 x, v1 y, v1 z : real,
```

begin

```
{
```

}

{

```
THIS PRODUCES THE ABSOLUTE VALUE OF THE DOT PRODUCT OF THE INCOMING RAY
AND THE SURFACE NORMAL OF THE INTERSECTED SURFACE
```

if abs\_dot\_product = 0 then begin
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```
o_refracted_ray_dtag := faise;
o_refracted_ray_x := 0;
o_refracted_ray_y := 0;
o_refracted_ray_z := 0
end
else_begin
```

THIS PRODUCES THE UNIT NORMAL VECTOR IN THE DIRECTION OF THE INCOMING

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\* CALLS TO

object.

\* DESC

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```
(sqr(Kn) * sqr(length of ray)).
    test Kf.
    testKf2
               sqr(sqr(sqr(i obj surface normal x + v1 x) +
                  sorth to surface normally + v1 y +
                  sqr(i obj surface normal z + v1 z));
    if testKf - testKf2 < \pm 0 ) then begin
A IMAGINARY DENOMINATOR - TOTAL INTERNAL REFLECTION IS OCCURING }
      o refracted ray flag := false;
      o refracted ray \mathbf{x} := 0;
      o refracted ray y := 0;
      o refracted ray z = 0
    end
    else begin
      o refracted ray flag := true;
      Kf = 1 - sqrt(testKf - testKf2);
      o refracted ray x := (Kf^* (i \text{ obj surface normal } x + v1 x))-
                     i obj surface normal x;
      o refracted ray y := (Kf^*(i \text{ obj surface normal } y + v1 y)).
                     i obj surface normal y;
      o refracted ray z := (Kf * (i obj surface normal z + v1 z)).
                     i obj surface normal z
    end
  end:
end: { calculate refracted ray }
```

\*\*\* CALCULATE REFLECTED RAY \*\*

CALCULATES THE DIRECTION OF A REFLECTED RAY

\* INPUT : Direction of the source ray and surface normal of intersected

\* OUTPUT :: Flag indicating existance of reflected ray. If one exists

\* CALLED FROM MAIN and CALCULATE INTENSITY

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var

```
abs_dot_product : real;
length_of_ray : real;
v1_x, v1_y, v1_z : real;
R1_x, R1_y, R1_z : real;
```

begin

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{
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ABSOLUTE VALUE OF THE DOT PRODUCT OF THE OBJECTS SURFACE NORMAL AND OF THE INCOING LIGHT RAY.

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}
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```
v1_x := i ray_vector x / abs_dot_product;
v1_y := i ray_vector y / abs_dot_product;
v1_z := i ray_vector z / abs_dot_product;
```

{ CALCULATE UNIT NORMAL VECTOR IN THE DIRECTION OF THE INCOMING RAY. }
R1\_x := v1\_x + (2 \* i\_obj\_surface\_normal\_x);
R1\_y := v1\_y + (2 \* i\_obj\_surface\_normal\_y);
R1\_z := v1\_z + (2 \* i\_obj\_surface\_normal\_z);

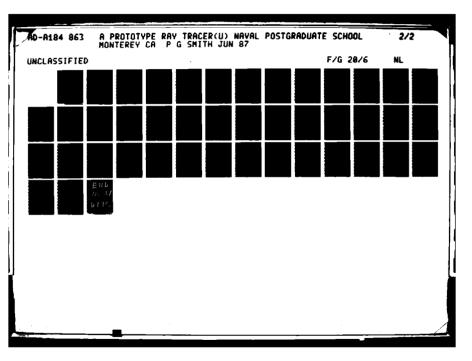
 $length_of_ray := (sqrt(sqr(R1_x) + sqr(R1_y) + sqr(R1_z)));$ 

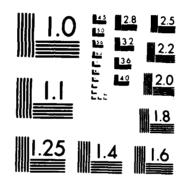
{ CALCULATE REFLECTED RAY }

o redected ray x = R1 x length of ray; o redected ray y = R1 y length of ray; o redected ray z := R1 z / length of ray; o reflected ray flag := true;

end; { calculate\_reflected\_ray }

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******************************** CALCULATE INTENSITY ****************************
* CALLED FROM : I2 and I6
* CALLS TO : CHECK FOR INTERSECTION and CALCULATE REFLECTED RAY
* DESC : Calculates the intensity at any given point.
* INPUT : Color component being calculated, current ray data,
* pointer to object data, and pointer to light data.
* OUTPUT : Intensity at a given point, either to be displayed or
* set in the appropriate source ray.
***************************************
}
procedure CALCULATE INTENSITY ( input color : colortype;
input_ray_d : real;
input_ambient : real;
input_ray_l_t : real;
input ray I s : real;
input ray vector x,
input_ray_vector_y,
input ray vector z : real;
input_number_of_lights : integer;
input_obj_K_a : real;
input_obj_K_s : real;
input_obj_K_t : real;
input_obj_K_d : real;
input_obj_phong_exp : integer;
input_intersection_x : real;
input_intersection_y : real;
input_intersection_z : real;
input_obj_surface_normal_x : real;
input_obj_surface_normal_y : real;
input_obj_surface_normal_s : real;
input_picture_object : object_ptr;
input_light_top : light_ptr;
var io_intensity : real );
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ans : char;
I_d : real;
II :real;
j, i : integer;
distance : real;
sight ray x.
signt ray y.
signt rav z real:
unit_sight_x, unit_sight_y,
unit_sight_z : real;
light_ray_x,
light ray y,
light ray z : real;
unit light x,
unit_light_y,
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unit light z : real; unit reflected x, unit reflected y, unit reflected z : real; intersection x, intersection y. intersection z : real; reflected light ray x, reflected light ray y, reflected light ray z : real; source x, source y, source z : real; check x, check · y, check z : real; obj idx, subobj\_idx, cpart\_idx, polygon\_idx : integer; intersection flag : boolean; obj light distance : real; reflected ray : boolean; intersected\_obj\_Kt : real;

### begin

```
{ THIS ELIMINATES THE SAME INTERSECTION POINT FROM BEING SELECTED AGAIN.}
if input ray d > 0.1 then begin
 I 1 := 0.0;
  io intensity := 0.0;
  reflected ray := false;
  intersection flag := false;
{ THIS SETS UP THE SIGHT RAY }
  sight_ray_x := -input_ray_vector_x;
  sight ray y := -input ray vector y;
  sight ray z := -input ray vector z;
  distance := sqrt(sqr(sight ray x) +
             sqr(sight ray y) +
             sqr(sight ray z));
  unit sight x := sight ray x / distance;
  unit sight y := sight ray y / distance;
  unit sight z := sight ray z, distance;
```

for i := 1 to (input number of lights + 1) do begin
{ THIS GENERATES THE SHADOW FEELERS }

### sqr(light\_ray\_z)));

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{ CONVERTS IT TO A UNIT VECTOR }
    unit_light_x := light_ray_x / distance;
    unit_light_y := light_ray_y / distance;
    unit_light_z := light_ray_z / distance;
```

source\_x := picture.lights ^[i].light\_x; source\_y := picture.lights ^[i].light\_y; source\_z := picture.lights ^[i].light\_z;

# CHECK TO SEE IF ANY OF THE SHADOW FEELERS INTERSECT ANYTHING.

check for intersection(-unit light x, -unit light y, -unit light z,

source\_x, source\_y, source\_z, input\_picture\_object. intersection\_x, intersection\_y, intersection\_z, obj\_idx, subobj\_idx, cpart\_idx, polygon\_idx, intersection flag);

## {

}

CHECK TO INSURE THAT THE SAME POINT IS NOT CONSIDERED AGAIN, WHICH CAN HAPPEN.

check\_x := intersection\_x - input\_intersection\_x; check\_y := intersection\_y - input\_intersection\_y; check\_z := intersection\_z - input\_intersection\_z;

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PULL THE PROPER CHARACTERISTICS OF THE OBJECT OUT TO DEAL WITH THE APPROPRIATE COMPONENT OF LIGHT THAT IS BEING CURRENTLY DEALT WITH

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IF THERE HAS BEEN AN INTERSETION AND THE POINT BEING CONSIDERED IS NOT THE ORIGIN OF THE RAY THEN CHECK TO SEE IF THE OBJECT IS OPAQUE. IF IT IS THEN RETURN TO BEGINNING OF LOOP AND CHECK NEXT SHADOW FEELER. IF IT IS NOT OPAQUE THEN CALCULATE INTENSITY AT THAT POINT AND CONTINUE FOLLOWING THE RAY TO SEE IF IT INTERSECTS ANYTHING ELSE. CONTINUE THIS LOOP EITHER UNTIL NO MORE OBJECTS ARE LEFT OR UNTIL AN OPAQUE ONE IS INTERSECTED.

THIS PART OF THE CODE HAS NEVER BEEN TESTED. I JUST CODED IT AS I THOUGHT IT SHOULD BE FROM THE ALGORITHM IN ROGERS BOOK PP. 377. QUITE FRANKLY I STILL DON'T FULLY UNDERSTAND WHAT IS SUPPOSE TO TAKE PLACE HERE. }

```
if intersection_flag then begin
while ((intersection_flag) and
        ((check_x > 0) or
        (check_y > 0) or
        (check_z > 0))) do begin
```

intersection flag := false;

if not( intersected obj Kt = 0) then begin if (input color = red) then begin

I\_l := picture.lights ^[i].I\_r \* intersected obj Kt: -nd:

'f input\_:olor = green) hen begin

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I_l := picture.lights ^[i].I_g *
intersected obj Kt;
```

end; if (input color = blue) then begin

. . . . . .

I\_l := picture.lights ^[i].I\_b \* intersected obj Kt;

calculate\_reflected\_ray(input\_ray\_vector\_x, input ray vector y, input ray vector z, input obj surface normal x, input obj surface normal y, input obj surface normal z, reflected ray x, reflected ray y, reflected ray z, reflected ray); distance := sqrt(sqr(reflected ray x) +sqr(reflected ray y) +sqr(reflected\_ray\_z)); unit reflected x := reflected ray x / distance; unit reflected y := reflected ray y / distance: unit\_reflected\_z := reflected\_ray\_z / distance; io intensity := io intensity + ((I l \* input obj K d) \* ((input obj surface normal x \* unit light x) + (input obj surface normal y \* unit light y) + (input obj surface normal z \* unit light z))) + ((I 1 \* input obj K s) \* ((unit sight x \* unit reflected x) +(unit sight y \* unit reflected y) + (unit sight z \* unit reflected z))); source  $\mathbf{x} := \text{intersection } \mathbf{x}$ ; source y := intersection y; source z := intersection\_z; check for intersection(-unit light x, -unit light y, -unit\_light\_z, source\_x, source\_y, source z. input picture object. intersection x, intersection y, intersection z, obj idx, subobj idx, cpart idx, polygon idx, intersection\_flag); check x := intersection x - input intersection x;

check y := intersection y - input intersection y;

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check z := intersection z - input intersection z;
       end {if}
     end {while}
    end {if}
   else begin
     calculate reflected ray(input ray vector x.
                     input ray vector y,
                     input ray vector z,
                     input obj surface normal x,
                     input obj surface normal y,
                     input obj surface normal z,
                     reflected ray x,
                     reflected ray y,
                     reflected ray z,
                     reflected_ray);
     distance := sqrt(sqr(reflected ray x) +
                 sqr(reflected ray y) +
                 sqr(reflected_ray_z));
     unit reflected x := reflected ray_x / distance;
     unit reflected y := reflected ray y / distance;
     unit reflected z := reflected ray z / distance;
     io intensity := io intensity +
                ((I l * input obj K d) *
                 ((input obj surface normal x * unit light x) +
                 (input_obj_surface_normal_y * unit_light_y) +
                 (input obj surface normal z * unit light z))) +
                ((I l * input obj K s) *
                 ((unit sight x * unit reflected x) +
                  (unit sight y * unit reflected y) +
                  (unit sight s * unit reflected z)));
   end { ** ELSE **}
 end; { ** FOR ** }
THIS IS THE STUB TO JUST HAVE EVERY OBJECT ILLUMINATED BY AMBIENT LIGHT
 io intensity := input obj K a * input ambient;
      THIS IS WHERE THE FINAL INTENSITY IS CALCULATED
ſ
 io intensity := ((input obj K a * input ambient) +
             io intensity +
             ((input obj K s * input ray I s) +
             (input obj K t * input ray I t)));
                                \{/input ray d or /2 or /1\}
{
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THIS IS JUST TO KEEP ALL VALUES WITHIN A RANGE WHERE THEY CAN BE DISPLAYED
}
 if io intensity > 1.00 then
   io intensity := 1.00;
 if io intensity < 0.00 then
   io intensity := 0.00;
{ ***
end
else begin
ł
 IF THE INPUT RAY DISTANCE IS LESS THEN ONE THAN YOU ARE CONSIDERING THE
SAME POINT AND HENCE THE INTENSITY THERE SHOULD BE 0.
}
 io intensity := 0.0
end;
end; { CALCULATE_INTENSITY }
{.PA}
   ************************ DISPLAY PIXEL *
 * CALLED FROM : MAIN
 * CALLS TO : NONE
 * DESC : WRITES OUTPUT TO FILE
 * INPUT : THE VALUES FOR THE RED, GREEN, AND BLUE COMPONENTS OF LIGHT.
 * OUTPUT : NONE
ł
procedure DISPLAY PIXEL ( input intensity red,
               input intensity green,
               input intensity blue : real;
               input pixel x,
                input pixel y,
                input_pixel_z
                              : real );
begin
  write (outfile, input intensity red: 3:2);
  write (outfile,' ',input intensity green:3:2);
  writeln (outfile,' ',input intensity blue:3:2);
and: DISPLAY PIXEL }
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    * CALLED FROM : MAIN, I2, I6
 * CALLS TO : NONE
 * DESC : Removes a ray from the top of the stack.
 * INPUT : Pointer to the current top top of stack.
 * OUTPUT : The ray just popped from the stack and a pointer to the new top
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top of stack.
procedure POP (var output ray type
                                             : raytype;
          var output ray origin x
                                        : real;
          var output ray origin y
                                        : real;
          var output ray origin z
                                        : real;
          var output ray vector x
                                        : real;
          var output ray vector y
                                        : real:
          var output ray vector z
                                        : real;
          var output ray stype
                                       : raytype;
          var output intersection flag : boolean;
          var output obj idx
                                       : integer;
          var output subobj idx
                                        : integer;
          var output cpart idx
                                       : integer;
          var output polygon idx
                                        : integer;
                                        : real;
          var output intersection x
          var output intersection y
                                        : real;
          var output intersection z
                                        : real:
          var output d
                                    : real;
          var output I tr, output I tg, output I tb : real;
          var output I sr, output I sg, output I sb : real;
          var io top
                                   : ray ptr
                                                 );
```

### begin

```
if (stack empty (io top)) then begin
  writeln('STACK UNDERFLOW ERROR')
end { if }
else begin
 output ray type
                          := io top .ray type;
 output ray origin x
                           := io top `.ray origin_x;
 output ray origin y
                           := io top .ray origin y;
                           := io top .ray origin z;
 output ray origin z
 output ray vector x
                            := io_top ^.ray vector x;
 output ray vector y
                            := io_top .ray_vector y;
                            := io top .ray vector z;
  output ray vector z
                           := io top .ray stype;
 output ray stype
 output intersection flag := io top ^.intersection flag;
 output obj idx
                          := io top^.obj idx;
  output subobj idx
                           := io top ... subobj idx;
                           := io rop ^ ::part_idx;
  output cpart idx
                            = to top polygon dx;
  output polygon idx
  output intersection x
                            = 10 fop intersection x:
 output intersection y
                           := io top ^.intersection y;
  output intersection z
                           := io top `.intersection z;
  output d
                        := io top<sup>^</sup>.d;
 output I tr
                        := io top<sup>1</sup>.I tr;
  output I tg
                        := io top<sup>1</sup>.I tg;
  output I tb
                        := io top ^.I tb;
  output I sr
                        := io top ^.1 sr;
  output I sg
                        := io top<sup>1</sup>. I sg;
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output\_I\_sb := io\_top^.I\_sb; ray\_next := io\_top^.ray\_link; { remove old pointer } dispose(io\_top); { set top of stack pointer to new top of stack } io\_top := ray\_next; end; { eise } end; { POP }

# {.PA}

\* PUSH \* CALLED FROM: MAIN, I2, I6 \* CALLS TO : NONE \* DESC : Places a ray on the top of the stack. \* INPUT: The current top of the stack, and the data for a new ray \* OUTPUT: The pointer to th new top of stack. procedure PUSH (input ray type : raytype; input ray origin x : real; input ray origin y : real; input ray origin z : real; input\_ray\_vector\_x : real; input ray vector y : real; input ray vector z : real; input ray stype : raytype; input intersection flag : boolean; input obj idx : integer; input subobj idx : integer; input cpart idx : integer; input polygon idx : integer; input intersection x : real; input intersection y : real; input intersection z : real: input d : real; input I tr, input I tg, input I tb : real;

#### begin

var io top

new/ray :urrent): cay turrent ray type := input ray type: ray\_current`.ray\_origin\_x := input ray origin x; ray current ^. ray origin y := input\_ray origin\_y; ray current .ray origin z := input ray origin z; ray current .ray vector x := input ray vector x; ray\_current^.ray vector y := input ray vector y; ray current ^.ray vector z := input ray vector z; ray current .ray stype := input ray stype; ray current ^.intersection flag := input intersection flag;

input I sr, input I sg, input I sb : real;

: ray ptr );

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ray current ^.obj idx
                            := input obj idx;
ray current ^.subobj idx
                             := input subobj idx;
ray current ^.cpart idx
                             := input cpart idx;
ray current ^.polygon idx
                              := input polygon idx;
ray current ^.intersection x
                              := input intersection x;
ray current ^ intersection y
                              := input intersection y:
ray current intersection z
                             := input intersection 3;
ray current î.d
                          := input d;
ray_current^.I_tr
                           := input I tr;
ray current ^.I tg
                           := input I tg;
ray current ^.I tb
                           := input I tb;
ray_current 1.I_sr
                           = input I sr;
                           := input I sg;
ray_current^.I_sg
ray current ^.1 sb
                           := input I sb;
                            := io top;
ray current ^.ray link
io top
                        := ray current;
```

end; { PUSH }

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PROGRAM RAYTRACER; \*\* PROG : RAY.PAS \*\* AUTHOR : Paul G. Smith \*\* DATE : 11 May 1987 **\*\*** DESC : A ray tracing prototype with a global illumination model \*\* integrated into it. \*\* INPUT : A sequential scene file under PICTURE.PAS. \*\* OUTPUT : A bitmap file containing the red, green, and blue color color components. Their values range from 0-1 and need to be converted for display on an RGB color monitor. { \* INCLUDE FILES \* } {\$I declare6.pas} - { DECLARATION SECTION }  $\{.PA\}$ {\$1 intprcs6.pas} - { INTERSECTION PROCEDURES }  $\{.PA\}$ {\$I procs6.pas} { INTENSITY and UTILITY PROCEDURES } {.PA} \* CALLED FROM: MAIN \* CALLS TO: PUSH, POP, CALCULATE INTENSITY \* DESC : Calculates the light intensity at a given intersection point INPUT : A complete ray data record, the pointer to the light array and the pointer to the object array OUTPUT : The intensity at a given intersection point. If the input was a view ray then this intensity will be the intensity displayed. If the input ray is a reflected ray then this intensity is assigned to the I s field in the source ray. If the input ray is a refracted ray then this intensity is assigned to the I t field in the source ray. procedure I2 (i d : real; i I tr, i I tg, i I tb : real; i I sr, i I sg, i I sb : real; i number of light sources : integer; i ambient r, i ambient g, i ambient b : real: i Kar, i Kag, i Kab : real; i K sr, i K sg, i K sb : real;

i K tr, i K tg, i K tb : real; iKdr, iKdg, iKdb : real; i ray type : raytype; i ray top : ray ptr; i light top : light ptr; i\_obj\_ptr : object ptr: i obj phong exp : integer: i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i ray vector z : real: i intersection x, i intersection y. i intersection z : real; i surface normal x, i surface normal y, i surface normal z : real; var io ray generation number : integer; var o intensity red, o intensity green. o intensity blue : real );

#### var

{ SET UP TEMPORARY AREA TO HOLD RAYS POPPED FROM STACK } templ\_ray type : raytype; temp1\_ray\_origin\_x, temp1 ray origin y, temp1 ray origin z : real; temp1 ray vector x, templ\_ray\_vector\_y, temp1 ray vector z : real; temp1 ray stype : raytype; temp1 intersection flag : boolean; temp1 obj idx, temp1 subobj idx, temp1 cpart idx, temp1 polygon idx : integer; temp1 intersection x, temp1 intersection y, temp1 intersection z : real; temp1 d : real; temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb : real; temp1 I sr. temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb : real: remp2 ray type traytype: temp2 ray origin x, temp2\_ray origin y, temp2 ray origin z : real; temp2 ray vector x, temp2 ray vector y, temp2 ray vector z : real; temp2 ray stype : raytype; temp2\_intersection\_flag : boolean;

temp2\_obj\_idx, temp2\_subobj\_idx, temp2\_cpart\_idx, temp2\_polygon\_idx : integer; temp2\_intersection\_x, temp2\_intersection\_z : real; temp2\_d : real; temp2\_I\_tr, temp2\_I\_tg, temp2\_I\_tb : real; temp2\_I\_sr, temp2\_I\_sg, temp2\_I\_sb : real;

#### begin

{ CALCULATE INTENSITY OF THE RED COMPONENT OF LIGHT } calculate\_intensity( red, id, i ambient r, i I tr. i [sr. i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i ray vector z, i number of light sources, i Kar, i K sr, i K\_tr, i K dr, i obj phong exp, i intersection x, i intersection y, i intersection z, i surface normal x, i surface normal y, i\_surface\_normal z, i\_obj\_ptr, i light top, o intensity red );

# { CALCULATE INTENSITY OF THE GREEN COMPONENT OF LIGHT } calculate intensity( green,

i d, i ambient\_g, i I tg, i I sg, i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i rav vector z, i number of light sources. i K ag, i K sg, i K tg, i K tg, i obj\_phong\_exp, i intersection\_x, i intersection\_y,

i\_intersection\_z,

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i_surface_normal_x.
i_surface_normal_y,
i_surface_normal_s.
i_obj_ptr,
i_light_top,
o_intensity_green 1;
```

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{ CALCULATE INTENSITY OF THE BLUE COMPONENT OF LIGHT }
 calculate intensity( blue,
                id,
                i ambient b,
                i I tb,
                i I sb,
                i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i ray vector z,
               i number of light sources,
                i K ab,
                i K sb,
                i K tb.
                i K db.
                i obj phong exp,
                i intersection x,
                i intersection y,
                i intersection z.
                i surface normal x,
                i surface normal y,
                i surface normal z,
                i obj ptr,
                i light top,
                o intensity_blue );
  if (i ray type = view) then begin
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{
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THE VIEW RAY IS ALWAYS THE LAST RAY ON THE STACK WHEN IT IS POPPED THE INTENSITY DETERMINED FOR IT IS PASSED BACK INTO MAIN FOR DISPLAY.
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```
{ nothing }
end
else begin
```

if (i\_ray\_type = reflected) then begin

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SINCE THIS IS THE REFLECTED RAY THEN JUST ONE RAY NEEDS TO BE POPPED TO GAIN ACCESS TO THE SOURCE RAY.
```

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}
```

```
pop (temp1_ray_type,
    temp1_ray_origin_x, temp1_ray_origin_y, temp1_ray_origin_z,
    temp1_ray_vector_x, temp1_ray_vector_y, temp1_ray_vector_z,
    temp1_ray_stype,
    temp1_intersection_flag,
    temp1_obj_idx,
    temp1_subobj_idx,
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```
temp1 cpart idx,
        temp1 polygon idx,
        temp1 intersection x, temp1 intersection y, temp1 intersection z,
        tempi d.
        templ I tr, templ I tg, templ I tb,
        temp1 I sr. temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb.
        ray top
                  );
{ SET INTENSITY IN SOURCE RAY }
     temp1 I sr := o intensity red;
     temp1 I sg := o intensity green;
     temp1_l_sb := o_intensity blue;
{ RESTORE STACK }
     push( temp1 ray type,
         temp1_ray_origin_x, temp1_ray_origin y, temp1_ray_origin z,
         temp1 ray vector x, temp1 ray vector y, temp1 ray vector z,
         templ_ray_stype,
         temp1 intersection flag,
         temp1 obj idx,
         temp1 subobj idx,
         templ_cpart idx,
         temp1 polygon idx,
         templ intersection x, templ intersection y, templ intersection z,
         temp1 d,
         temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb,
         tempi I sr, tempi I sg, tempi I sb,
         ray top
                       );
   end
   else begin
{
  SINCE THIS IS THE REFRACTED RAY TWO RAYS MUST BE POPPED TO GAIN ACCESS
TO THE SOURCE RAY.
}
     pop (temp1 ray type,
        temp1_ray_origin_x, temp1_ray_origin_y, temp1_ray_origin_z,
        temp1 ray vector x, temp1 ray vector y, temp1 ray vector z,
        templ ray stype,
        temp1 intersection flag,
        temp1 obj idx,
        templ subobj idx.
        tempi cpart idx,
        temp1 polygon idx.
        temp1 intersection x, temp1 intersection y, temp1 intersection z,
        temp1 d,
        temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb,
        temp1 I sr, temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb,
        ray_top
                    );
     pop (temp2 ray type,
        temp2_ray_origin_x, temp2_ray_origin_y, temp2_ray_origin_z,
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```
temp2 ray vector x, temp2 ray vector y, temp2 ray vector z,
        temp2 ray stype,
        temp2 intersection flag,
        temp2 obj idx,
        temp2 subobj idx,
        temp2 cpart idx.
        temp2 polygon idx,
        temp2 intersection x, temp2 intersection y, temp2 intersection z.
        temp2 d,
        temp2 I tr, temp2 I tg, temp2 I tb,
        temp2 I sr, temp2 I sg, temp2 I sb,
        ray top
                    );
{ SET INTENSITY IN THE SOURCE RAY. }
     temp2 I tr := o intensity red;
     temp2 I tg := o intensity green;
     temp2 I tb := o intensity blue;
{ RESTORE STACK. }
     push( temp2 ray_type,
         temp2 ray origin x, temp2 ray origin y, temp2 ray origin z,
         temp2 ray vector x, temp2 ray vector y, temp2 ray vector z,
         temp2 ray stype,
         temp2 intersection flag,
         temp2 obj idx,
         temp2 subobj idx,
         temp2 cpart idx,
         temp2 polygon idx,
         temp2 intersection x, temp2 intersection y, temp2 intersection z,
         temp2 d,
         temp2 I tr, temp2 I tg, temp2 I tb,
         temp2 I sr, temp2 I sg, temp2 I sb,
         ray_top
                        );
     push( temp1_ray_type,
         temp1 ray origin x, temp1 ray origin y, temp1 ray origin z,
         temp1_ray_vector_x, temp1_ray_vector_y, temp1_ray_vector_z,
         temp1 ray stype,
         temp1 intersection flag,
         temp1 obj idx,
         temp1 subobj idx,
         temp1 cpart idx.
         tempt polygon idx,
         rempl intersection x, templ intersection y, templ intersection z.
         templ d,
         temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb,
         temp1 I sr, temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb,
         ray top
                        );
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end;

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{

SINCE THE RAY SENT INTO THIS PROCEDURE IS NO LONGER NEEDED IT IS

DISCARDED, HENCE THE RAY COUNT NEEDS TO BE DECREMENTED.

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io_ray_generation_number := io_ray_generation_number - 1;
end;
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end;
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}

# {.PA}

\* CALLED FROM : MAIN \* CALLS TO : PUSH, POP, CALCULATE INTENSITY \* DESC : Used to calculate intensity at node of stack storage is exceeded. \* INPUT : Incomplete ray data record, this ray can not be continued because there is no room on the stack for it. Also pointers to the light array and object array. \* OUTPUT : Intensity, I t or I s, is set in source ray. procedure I6 (i d : real; i I tr, i I tg, i I tb : real; i I sr, i I sg, i I sb : real: i number of light sources : integer; i ambient r, i ambient g, i ambient b : real; i K ar, i K ag, i K ab : real; i K sr, i K sg, i K sb : real; i K tr, i K tg, i K tb : real; i K dr, i K dg, i K db : real; i ray type : raytype; i ray top : ray\_ptr; i light top : light ptr; i obj ptr : object ptr; i obj phong exp : integer; i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i ray vector z : real; i intersection x, i intersection y, i intersection z : real; i surface normal x, i surface normal y, i surface normal z real: var o intensity red. o intensity green, o intensity blue : real );

var

{ STORAGE FOR POPPED RAYS }
 temp1\_ray\_type : raytype;
 temp1\_ray\_origin\_x,
 temp1\_ray\_origin\_y,

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temp1 ray origin z : real;
temp1 ray vector x,
temp1 ray vector y,
temp1_ray_vector_z : real;
temp1 ray stype : raytype;
temp1 intersection flag : boolean:
tempi obj idx,
temp1 subobj idx,
temp1 cpart idx,
temp1 polygon idx
                      : integer;
temp1 intersection x,
temp1 intersection y,
temp1 intersection z : real;
temp1 d : real;
temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb : real;
temp1_I_sr, temp1_I_sg, temp1_I_sb : real;
temp2 ray type : raytype;
temp2 ray origin x.
temp2 ray origin y,
temp2_ray_origin z : real;
temp2 ray vector x,
temp2 ray vector y,
temp2 ray vector z : real;
temp2 ray stype : raytype;
temp2 intersection flag : boolean;
temp2 obj idx,
temp2 subobj idx,
temp2 cpart idx,
temp2 polygon idx
                       : integer;
temp2 intersection x,
temp2 intersection y,
temp2 intersection z
                      : real;
temp2 d : real;
temp2_I_tr, temp2_I_tg, temp2_I_tb : real;
temp2 I sr, temp2 I sg, temp2 I sb : real;
```

#### begin

#### {\*\*\* COULD INSERT TREE EXTENSION PROCEDURE \*\*\*}

i K dr. i obj phong exp, i intersection x, i intersection y, i intersection z, i surface normal x. i surface normal z. i obj ptr, i light top, o intensity red );

### { CALCULATE GREEN COMPONENT OF LIGHT }

calculate intensity( green, id, i ambient g, i I tg, i I sg, i ray vector x. i ray vector y, i ray vector z, i number of light sources, i Kag, i K sg, i K tg, i K\_dg, i obj phong exp, i intersection x, i intersection y, i intersection z, i surface normal x, i surface normal y, i surface normal z, i obj ptr, i light top,

o\_intensity\_green);

### { CALCULATE BLUE COMPONENT OF LIGHT }

calculate intensity( blue, id, i ambient b, i I tb, i I sb, i ray vector x, i ray vector y, i ray vector z, aumber of light sources. ⊨К зb. i K sb, i K tb, i K db, i obj phong exp, i intersection x, i intersection y, i intersection z, i surface normal x,

i\_surface\_normal\_y, i\_surface\_normal\_z, i\_obj\_ptr, i\_light\_top, o\_intensity\_blue);

if (i\_ray\_type = reflected) then begin

IF INPUT RAY IS A REFLECTED RAY THEN ONE RAY MUST BE POPPED TO GAIN ACCESS TO IT'S SOURCE RAY.

}

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```
pop (templ_ray_type,
    templ_ray_origin_x, templ_ray_origin_y, templ_ray_origin_z,
    templ_ray_vector_x, templ_ray_vector_y, templ_ray_vector_z,
    templ_ray_stype,
    templ_intersection_flag,
    templ_obj_idx,
    templ_subobj_idx.
    templ_cpart_idx,
    templ_polygon_idx,
    templ_intersection_x, templ_intersection_y, templ_intersection_z,
    templ_d,
    templ_I_tr, templ_I_tg, templ_I_tb,
    templ_I_sr, templ_I_sg, templ_I_sb,
    i_ray_top__);
```

{ SET I S IN SOURCE RAY }

```
temp1_I_sr := o_intensity_red;
temp1_I_sg := o_intensity_green;
temp1_I_sb := o_intensity_blue;
```

```
{ RETORE STACK. }
```

```
push( temp1_ray_type,
    temp1_ray_origin_x, temp1_ray_origin_y, temp1_ray_origin_z,
    temp1_ray_vector_x, temp1_ray_vector_y, temp1_ray_vector_z,
    temp1_ray_stype,
    temp1_intersection_flag,
    temp1_obj_idx,
    temp1_subobj_idx,
    temp1_cpart_idx,
    temp1_polygon_idx.
    iemp1_intersection_x, temp1_intersection_y, temp1_intersection_z,
    temp1_d.
    temp1_f_tr, temp1_f_tb,
    temp1_I_sr, temp1_f_sb,
    ray_top___);
```

end else begin

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IF INPUT RAY IS A REFRACTED RAY THEN TWO RAYS MUST BE POPPED FROM THE STACK TO GAIN ACCESS TO IT'S SOURCE RAY.

```
}
   pop (temp1 ray type,
      temp1 ray origin x, temp1 ray origin y, temp1 ray origin z,
      temp1 ray vector x, temp1 ray vector y, temp1 ray vector z.
      tempi ray stype.
      temp1 intersection flag,
      temp1 obj idx,
      temp1 subobj idx,
      temp1 cpart idx,
      templ polygon idx.
      temp1 intersection x, temp1 intersection y, temp1 intersection z,
      templ d.
      temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb,
      temp1 I sr, temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb,
      ray top
                  );
   pop (temp2 ray type.
      temp2 ray origin x, temp2 ray origin y, temp2 ray origin z,
      temp2 ray vector x, temp2 ray vector y, temp2 ray vector z,
      temp2 ray stype,
      temp2 intersection flag,
      temp2 obj idx,
      temp2 subobj idx,
      temp2 cpart idx,
      temp2 polygon idx,
      temp2 intersection x, temp2_intersection y, temp2 intersection z,
```

```
temp2_d,
temp2_I_tr, temp2_I_tg, temp2_I_tb,
temp2_I_sr, temp2_I_sg, temp2_I_sb,
ray_top );
```

```
{ SET THE I_t FIELD IN THE SOURCE RAY }
  temp2 I_tr := o_intensity_red;
  temp2 I_tg := o_intensity_green;
  temp2 I_tb := o_intensity_blue;
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```
{ RESTORE THE STACK }
```

```
push( temp2_ray_type,
    temp2_ray_origin_x, temp2_ray_origin_y, temp2_ray_origin_z,
    temp2_ray_vector_x, temp2_ray_vector_y, temp2_ray_vector_z,
    temp2_ray_stype,
    emo2_intersection_idag,
    temp2_obj_idx,
    temp2_subobj_idx,
    temp2_cpart_idx,
    temp2_polygon_idx,
    temp2_intersection_x, temp2_intersection_y, temp2_intersection_z,
    temp2_d,
    temp2_I_tr, temp2_I_tg, temp2_I_tb,
    temp2_I_sr, temp2_I_sg, temp2_I_sb,
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```
);
       ray_top
   push( temp1 ray type.
       templ ray origin x, templ ray origin y, templ ray origin z,
       temp1 ray origin x, temp1 ray origin y, temp1 ray origin z,
       temp1 ray stype.
       templ intersection flag,
       tempi obj idx,
       temp1 subobj idx,
       temp1 cpart idx,
       temp1 polygon idx,
       templ intersection x, templ intersection y, templ intersection z,
       temp1 d,
       temp1 I tr, temp1 I tg, temp1 I tb,
       temp1 I sr, temp1 I sg, temp1 I sb,
       ray_top
                      );
 end;
end:
{.PA}
                                ***** MAIN *
begin
{ INPUT FILE }
  assign (sysin, 'picture5.pas');
 reset (sysin);
{ OUTPUT FILE }
  assign (outfile, 'pic0.dta');
 rewrite (outfile);
{ SET UP COUNTERS }
  obj cntr := 1;
 subobj cntr := 1;
 light cntr := 1;
  opart ontro := 1:
  boiy intr
             = 1:
  vertice ontro = 1:
{ CREATE POINTERS TO RECORDS }
  new(obj_curr);
  new(subobj curr);
  new(cpart curr);
  new(light current);
  new(poly curr);
```

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#### { \*\*\* READ IN DATA FILE \*\*\* }

```
{ READ IN PICTURE RECORD }
  readln (sysin, picture.view position x);
 readln (sysin, picture.view position y);
  readln (sysin. picture.view position z);
  readln sysin, picture.background color ri;
  readln (sysin. picture background color g);
  readln (sysin, picture.background color b);
  readln (sysin, picture.screen max x);
  readln (sysin, picture.screen max y);
  readln 'sysin, picture.ambient r);
  readln (sysin, picture.ambient g);
  readln (sysin, picture.ambient b);
  readln (sysin, picture.no zero);
  readln (sysin, picture.global refraction index);
  readln (sysin, picture.num lights);
  picture.lights := light current;
```

while picture.num lights > 0 do begin

```
{ READ IN LIGHT DATA }
```

```
readln (sysin.light_current `[light_cntr:.I_r);
readln (sysin.light_current `[light_cntr:.I_g);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr:.I_b);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr].light_x);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr].light_y);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr].light_z);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr].dimension1);
readln (sysin,light_current `[light_cntr].dimension2);
light_cntr := light_cntr + 1;
picture.num_lights := picture.num_lights - 1;
end;
readln (sysin, picture.num_objs);
object_loop_cnt := picture.num_objs;
```

```
picture.objects := obj_curr;
```

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while object_loop_cnt > 0 do begin
{ READ IN OBJECT DATA }
  readln (sysin, obj_curr ^[obj_cntr].opcode);
  readln (sysin, obj_curr ^[obj_cntr].obj_bsphere_radius):
      readln (sysin, obj_curr `[obj_cntr].obj_bsphere_x);
      readln (sysin, obj_curr `[obj_cntr].obj_bsphere_y);
      readln (sysin, obj_curr `[obj_cntr].obj_bsphere_z);
      readln (sysin, obj_curr `[obj_cntr].num_sub_objects);
      subobj_loop_cnt := obj_curr ^[obj_cntr].num_sub_objects;
      picture objects ^[obj_cntr].sub_objects := subobj_curr;
```

while subobj\_loop\_cnt > 0 do\_begin
{ READ IN SUBOBJECT DATA }
 readln (sysin, subobj\_curr^[subobj\_cntr].subobj\_type);

```
readln (sysin, subobj curr [subobj cntr].sub bsphere radius);
      readln (sysin, subobj curr ^ subobj cntr .sub bsphere x);
      readln (sysin, subobj curr ^ [subobj cntr].sub bsphere y);
      readln (sysin, subobj curr subobj cntr.sub bsphere z);
      readln (sysin, subobj curr \subobj cntr .num common parts);
      cpart loop cnt := subobj curr 'subobj cntr .num common parts;
      picture.objects jobj entrisub objects subobj entricommon parts :=
       cpart curr;
      while cpart loop cnt > 0 do begin
{ READ IN COMMON PART DATA }
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ cpart cntr K ar);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K ag);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K ab);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K dr);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K dg);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K db);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K sr);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr "cpart cntri.K sg);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr 'jcpart cntr).K sb);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr^[cpart cntr].K tr);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr ^ [cpart cntr].K tg);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr cpart cntr.K tb);
        readin(sysin, cpart curr ^ cpart cntri.obj refraction index);
        readln(sysin, cpart curr [cpart cntr].obj phong exp);
{ CHECK TO SEE IF SUBOBJECT IS A SPHERE OR A POLYGONAL OBJECT }
        if (subobj curr [subobj cntr].subobj type = 1) then begin
          readln(sysin, cpart_curr^[cpart_cntr].num_polygons);
           poly loop cnt := cpart curr [cpart cntr].num polygons;
           picture.objects \[obj cntr].sub objects \[subobj cntr].
            common parts (cpart cntr).polygons := poly curr;
           while poly loop cnt > 0 do begin
{ READ IN POLYGON DATA }
            readln(sysin, poly curr ^ [poly cntr].num vertices);
            vertice loop cnt := poly curr ^ [poly cntr].num vertices;
             while vertice loop cnt > 0 do begin
\{ READ IN VERTICE DATA \}
             readln(sysin, poly curr 'poly cntr].vertice x[vertice cntr]);
              readin(sysin, poly curr "poly intrivertice givertice entri);
              readin(sysin, boly curr "poly introvertice givertice ontro);
               vertice cntr := vertice cntr + 1;
               vertice loop cnt := vertice loop cnt - 1;
             end;
             vertice cntr := 1;
             readln(sysin, poly curr [poly cntr].surface normal x);
             readln(sysin, poly_curr ^[poly_cntr].surface_normal_y);
             readln(sysin, poly curr [poly cntr].surface normal z);
             poly cntr := poly cntr + 1;
```

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poly_loop_ent := poly_loop_ent - 1
end;
poly_entr := 1;
new(poly_curr);
end; { IF }
cpart_entr := cpart_entr + 1;
cpart_loop_ent := cpart_loop_ent - 1
```

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end;
cpart_cntr := 1:
new(cpart_curr);
subobj_cntr := subobj_cntr + 1;
subobj_loop_cnt := subobj_loop_cnt - 1
```

```
end;
new(subobj_curr);
subobj_cntr := 1;
obj_cntr := obj_cntr + 1;
object_loop_cnt := object_loop_cnt - 1
```

end;

```
{.PA}
{
    SET RAY STACK POINTER }
    ray_top := nil;
```

```
pixel_z := initial_pixel_z;
```

```
{ RASTER SCAN LOOP }
for pixel_y := 1 to picture.screen_max_y do begin
```

```
for pixel_x := 1 to picture.screen_max_x do begin
```

```
{ DETERMINE VIEW RAY DIRECTION }
```

```
x := pixel_x - picture.view_position_x;
y := pixel_y - picture.view_position_y;
z := pixel_z - picture.view_position_z;
dist := sart(sar(x) + sar(y) + sar(z));
CONVERT (T TO A UNIT VECTOR )
initx = x dist;
unity := y / dist;
unitz := z / dist;
```

```
{ INITIALIZE VIEW RAY }
```

```
initial ray_type := view;
initial ray_origin x := pixel x;
initial ray_origin y := pixel y;
initial ray_origin z := pixel z;
```

```
initial ray vector \mathbf{x} := \text{unit}\mathbf{x};
      initial ray vector y := unity:
      initial ray vector z := unitz;
      initial ray stype := none;
      initial intersection flag := false;
                              := 0:
      initial obj idx
      initial subobj dx
                                := 0;
      initial cpart idx
                               := 0;
      initial polygon idx
                                := 0;
      initial intersection x
                                := 0.0;
      initial intersection y
                                := 0.0;
      initial intersection z
                                := 0.0;
      initial d := 0.0;
      initial I tr := 0.0;
      initial I tg := 0.0;
      initial I th := 0.0;
      initial I sr := 0.0;
      initial I sg := 0.0;
      initial 1 sb := 0.0;
      ray generation number := 0;
      push( initial ray type,
           initial ray origin x, initial ray origin y, initial ray origin z,
           initial ray vector x, initial ray vector y, initial ray vector z,
           initial ray_stype,
           initial intersection flag,
           initial obj idx,
           initial subobj idx,
           initial cpart idx,
           initial polygon idx,
           initial intersection x,
           initial intersection y,
           initial intersection z,
           initial d,
           initial I tr, initial I tg, initial I tb,
           initial_I_sr, initial_I_sg, initial_I_sb,
           ray top
                            );
{ BEGIN RAY TRACING LOOP }
      repeat
```

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current_ray_origin_x,current_ray_origin_y,current_ray_origin_z,
current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_current_ray_vector_x_c
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current_ray_vector_x,current_ray_vector_y,current_ray_vector_z,
current_ray_stype,
current_intersection_flag,
current_obj_idx,
current_subobj_idx,
current_cpart_idx,
current_polygon_idx,
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current intersection x.
          current intersection y.
          current intersection z.
           current d,
           current I tr, current I tg, current I tb,
           current I sr. current I sg, current I sb.
           ray top
                      ):
       if (current intersection flag) then begin
 IF THIS FLAG IS SET THEN THIS RAY HAS ALREADY BEEN THROUGH THE RAY
TRACING PROCESS AND HAS HIT AN OBJECT.
}
         cpart path := picture.
                  objects [current obj idx].
                  sub objects [current subobj idx].
                  common parts;
         subobj path := picture.
                   objects '|current obj idx|.
                   sub objects;
         if subobj path (current subobj idx).subobj type = 0 then begin
  IF THE SUBOBJECT TYPE IS A SPHERE THEN THE SURFACE NORMAL AT THE POINT
OF INTERSECTION MUST BE CALCULATED SINCE IT CAN NOT BE STORED. THE SURFACE
NORMAL IS DETERMINED FOR THE PLANE TANGENT TO THE SPHERE AT THE
INTERSECTION POINT.
}
           surface normal x := current intersection x -
                         subobj path <sup>(current subobj idx)</sup>.
                         sub bsphere x;
           surface normal y := current intersection y -
                         subobj path <sup>^</sup>[current subobj_idx].
                         sub bsphere y;
           surface normal z := current intersection z -
                         subobj path (current subobj idx).
                         sub bsphere z;
            dist := l sqrt(sqr(surface normal x) -
                      sqr(surface normal y) -
                      surisurface normal zi));
{ THIS RAY IS THEN CONVERTED INTO A UNIT VECTOR }
           surface normal x := surface normal x / dist;
            surface normal y := surface normal y / dist;
           surface normal z := surface normal z / dist;
          end
```

else begin

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#### IF THE SUBOBJECT IS A POLYGONAL OBJECT THEN THE SURFACE NORMALS FOR EACH OF THE POLYGONS OF WHICH IT IS COMPOSED IS RETRIEVED FROM IT'S RECORD.

end;

**PROCEDURE FOR DETERMINING THE INTENSITY OF LIGHT AT EACH INTERSECTION** POINT.

}

}

I2 (current d, current I tr, current I tg, current I tb, current I sr, current I sg, current I tb, picture.num lights, picture.ambient r, picture.ambient g, picture.ambient b, cpart path [current cpart idx].K ar, cpart path [current cpart idx].K ag, cpart path [current cpart idx].K ab, cpart path ^[current cpart idx].K\_dr, cpart path [current cpart idx].K dg, cpart path (current cpart idx).K db, cpart path [current cpart idx].K sr, cpart path ~[current cpart idx].K sg, cpart path [current cpart idx].K sb, cpart path ^[current cpart idx].K tr, cpart path [current cpart idx].K tg, cpart path [current cpart idx].K tb, current ray type, ray top, picture.lights, picture.objects, cpart path "current cpart idx'.obj phong exp. current ray vector k. current ray vector y current\_ray\_vector\_z, current intersection x, current intersection y, current intersection z, surface normal x, surface normal y, surface normal z, ray generation number, intensity red, intensity green,

intensity blue);

end else begin

{ CHECK FOR POSSIBLE INTERSECTIONS OF CURRENT RAY WITH OBJECTS IN SCENE } check for intersection(current ray vector x, current ray vector y, current ray vector z, current ray origin x, current\_ray\_origin\_y, current ray origin z. picture.objects, current intersection x, current intersection y, current intersection z, current obj idx, current subobj idx, current cpart idx, current polygon idx, current intersection flag); { SET UP PATHNAMES TO USE AS SHORTHAND } subobj path := picture. objects ^ [current obj idx]. sub\_objects; cpart path := picture. objects [current obj idx]. sub objects <sup>(current subobj idx)</sup>. common parts; if subobj path [current subobj idx].subobj type = 0 then begin surface normal x := current intersection x subobj path [current subobj idx]. sub bsphere x; surface normal y := current intersection y subobj path [current subobj idx]. sub bsphere y; surface\_normal\_z := current\_intersection\_z subobj path "current subobj idx". sub bsphere z: iist := (sqrt) sqr(surface normal x) sqr(surface\_normal\_y) + sqr(surface\_normal\_z))); surface normal x := surface normal x / dist;surface normal y := surface normal y / dist;surface normal z := surface normal z / dist; end else begin

end:

if (current intersection flag) then begin { IF THERE HAS BEEN AN INTERSECTION THEN CONTINUE TRACING THE RAY }

> I6 (current d, current I tr, current I tg, current I tb, current I sr, current I sg, current I tb. picture.num lights, picture.ambient r, picture.ambient g, picture.ambient b, cpart path [current cpart idx].K ar, cpart path ^[current\_cpart\_idx].K\_ag, cpart path <sup>(current cpart idx)</sup>.K ab, cpart path ^[current cpart idx].K dr, cpart path <sup>^</sup>[current cpart idx].K dg, cpart path ^[current cpart idx].K db, cpart path [current cpart idx].K sr, cpart path [current cpart idx].K sg, cpart\_path ^[current\_cpart\_idx].K\_sb, cpart path [current cpart idx].K tr, cpart path ^[current\_cpart\_idx].K\_tg, cpart path <sup>^</sup>[current cpart idx].K tb, current ray type, ray top, picture.lights. bicture.objects. part path Courrent spart idxiobj phong exp. current ray vector x, current ray vector y, current ray vector z, current intersection x, current intersection y, current intersection z, surface normal x, surface normal y,

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surface_normal_z.
intensity_red,
intensity_green,
intensity_blue)
end
else begin
```

IF THERE WAS AN INTERSECTION AND THE STACK WAS NOT FULL THEN CALCULATE THE DISTANCE BETWEEN THE RAY'S ORIGIN AND POINT OF INTERSECTION AND PLACE THE RAY BACK ON THE STACK. }

push( current ray type, current ray origin x, current ray origin y, current ray origin z. current ray vector x, current ray vector y, current ray vector z, current ray stype, current intersection flag, current obj idx, current subobj idx, current cpart idx, current polygon idx, current intersection x, current intersection y, current intersection z, current d, current I tr, current I tg, current I tb, current I sr, current I tg, current I th. ray top );

#### { DETERMINE IF A REFLECTED RAY WAS CREATED AND IF SO CALCULATE IT } calculate\_reflected\_ray (current\_ray\_vector\_x, current\_ray\_vector\_y, current\_ray\_vector\_z, surface\_normal\_x, surface\_normal\_y, surface\_normal\_z, reflected\_ray\_x,

reflected\_ray\_y,
reflected\_ray\_z,
reflected\_ray\_);

#### { DETERMINE IF A REFRACTED RAY WAS CREATED AND IF SO CALCULATE IT }

calculate refracted ray (current ray vector x.

current ray vector y, current ray vector z, surface normal x, surface normal y, surface normal z, cpart path ^[current cpart\_idx]. obj refraction index, picture.global refraction index, refracted ray x, refracted ray y, refracted ray z, refracted ray j;

ray\_generation\_number := ray\_generation\_number + 1;

if reflected ray then begin

IF A REFLECTED RAY WAS CREATED THEN INITIALIZE IT AND PUSH IT ON THE STACK.

source ray\_type := current\_ray type;

#### { CONVERT REFLECTED RAY TO A UNIT VECTOR }

unitx := reflected\_ray\_x / dist; unity := reflected\_ray\_y / dist; unitz := reflected\_ray\_z / dist;

initial ray type := reflected; initial ray origin x := current intersection x; initial ray origin y := current intersection y: initial ray origin z := current intersection :: initial ray vector x := unitx: initial ray vector y := unity;initial ray vector z := unitz; initial ray stype := source ray type; initial intersection flag := false; initial obj idx := 0; initial subobj idx := 0; initial cpart idx := 0; initial polygon idx := 0;

initial intersection x := 0.0; initial intersection y := 0.0;initial intersection z := 0.0; initial d := 0.0;initial I tr := 0.0;initial I tg := 0.0; initial I th := 0.0;initial I sr := 0.0;initial I sg := 0.0; initial I sb := 0.0; push( initial ray type, initial ray origin x, initial ray origin y, initial ray origin z, initial ray vector x, initial ray vector y, initial ray vector z, initial ray stype. initial intersection flag, initial obj idx, initial subobj idx, initial cpart idx, initial polygon idx, initial intersection x, initial intersection y, initial intersection z, initial d, initial I tr, initial I tg, initial I tb, initial I sr, initial I sg, initial I sb, ray top );

end;

if refracted ray then begin

IF A REFRACTED RAY WAS CREATED THEN INITIALIZE IT AND PUSH IT ON THE STACK.

```
{ CONVERT IT TO A UNIT VECTOR }
unitx := refracted ray x / dist;
unity := refracted ray y / dist;
unitz := refracted ray z / dist;
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initial ray type := refracted; initial ray origin  $\mathbf{x} := \text{current}$  intersection  $\mathbf{x}$ ; initial ray origin y := current intersection y; initial ray origin z := current intersection z; initial ray vector  $\mathbf{x} := \text{unit}\mathbf{x}$ ; initial ray vector y := unity;initial ray vector s := unitz: initial\_ray\_stype == source\_ray\_type; initial intersection flag := false; initial obj idx := 0;initial subobj idx := 0; initial cpart idx := 0; := 0;initial polygon idx initial intersection x := 0.0: := 0.0; initial intersection y initial intersection z := 0.0;initial d := 0.0;initial I tr := 0.0; initial I tg := 0.0;initiai 1 tb := J.O: initial I sr := 0.0;initial I sg := 0.0;initial Isb := 0.0;push( initial ray type, initial ray origin x, initial\_ray\_origin\_y, initial\_ray\_origin\_z, initial ray vector x, initial ray vector y, initial ray vector z, initial ray\_stype, initial intersection flag, initial obj idx, initial subobj idx, initial\_cpart\_idx, initial polygon idx, initial intersection x, initial intersection y, initial intersection z, initial d, initial I tr. initial I tg, initial I tb. initial isr. nitial i sg. initial I sb. tav top

end;

er.d; end else begin

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if fourrent may type wiew then begin
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{ IF THERE WAS NO INTERSECTION AND THE CURRENT RAY IS THE VIEW RAY THEN SET THE OUTPUT INTENSITY TO THE BACKGROUND INTENSITY.

```
intensity red := picture background color r
intensity green = picture background color g
intensity_blue := picture.background_color_b
```

end; end;

end;

}

close (sysin); close (output);

end. { MAIN }

# APPENDIX B - INPUT FILE

{ PICTURE } 100 /x/ view position 100 /y/ 1000 / z //red/ background light 0.0 /green/ 0.0 1.0 /blue/ 200 /x/ screen 200 /y/ /red/ ambient intensity 1.0 1.0 /green/ 1.0 /blue/ /global refraction index/ 1.0 1 /num lights/ /red/ intensity of light source 1.0 1.0 /green/ /blue/ 1.0 0.0 /x/ position of light source 20.0 /y/ 0.0 /z/ 0.0 /dimension1/ 0.0 /dimension2/ /num objects/ 3 { OBJECT 1 } 9999 /opcode/ 35.0 /radius of object's bounding sphere/ 110.0 /x/ center of bounding sphere 0.0 /y/ -50.0 /z/ 1 /number of subobjects/ /subobject type/ {SUBOBJECT 1} 1 35.0 /radius of subobjects bounding sphere/ 110.0 /x/ center of bounding sphere 0.0 /y/ -50.0 /z/ /num-common-parts/ { COMMON PART 1 } 1 0.8 /Ka-red/ ambient coefficient /Ka-green/ 0.0 1.0 Ka-blue. Kd-red. liffuse coefficient 9.8 , Kd-green, J.O 0.0 /Kd-blue/ 0.8 /Ks-red/ specular coefficient 0.8 /Ks-green/ /Ks-blue/ 0.8 0.0 /Kt-red/ transmission coefficient /Kt-green/ 0.0 0.0 /Kt-blue/

```
0.0
    /obj-refraction-index/
200
     /obj-phong-specular-exponent/
6
     /num-polygons/
     /num-vertices/ { POLYGON 1 }
4
90.0 /poly1 pt1/
20.0
-30.0
90.0 /poly1 pt2/
-20.0
-30.0
130.0 /poly1 pt3/
-20.0
-30.0
130.0 /poly1 pt4/
20.0
-30.0
     /poly1 surface normal/
0.0
0.0
1.0
     /num-vertices/ { POLYOGN 2 }
4
90.0 /poly2 pt1/
-20.0
-30.0
90.0 /poly2 pt2/
-20.0
-70.0
130.0 /poly2 pt3/
-20.0
-70.0
130.0 /poly2 pt4/
-20.0
-70.0
     /poly2 surface normal/
0.0
-1.0
0.0
     /num-vertices/ {POLYGON 3}
4
130.0 /poly3 pt1/
20.0
-70.0
130.0 /poly3 pt2/
-20.0
-70.0
90.0
       poly3 pt3/
-20.0
-70.0
90.0 /poly3 pt4/
20.0
-70.0
     /poly3 surface normal/
0.0
0.0
-1.0
     /num-vertices/ { POLYGON 4 }
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- 0.5 /red/Kd diffuse coefficient
- 0.0 /green/
- 0.5 /blue/
- 0.8 /red/ Ks specular coefficient
- 0.8 /green/
- 0.8 / blue;
- 0.0 = /red/Kt transmission coefficient
- 0.0 /green/
- 0.0 /blue/
- 0.0 /refraction index for object/
- 200 /Phong's specular exponent /

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