Interfacing Display with MPU *without Peripheral Controller*

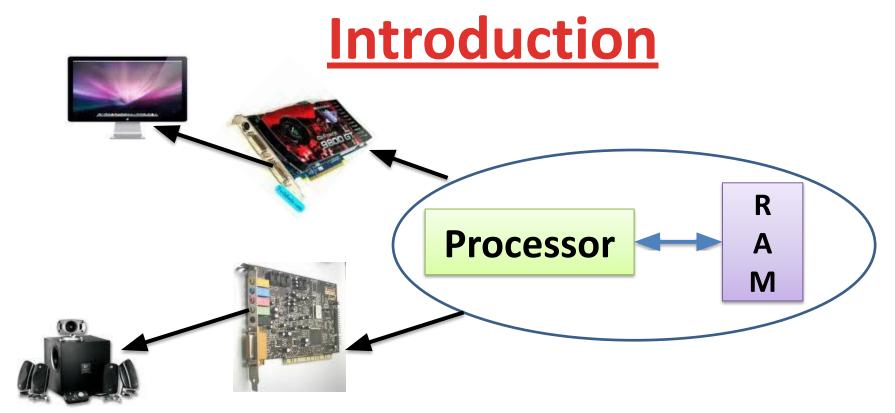
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Outline

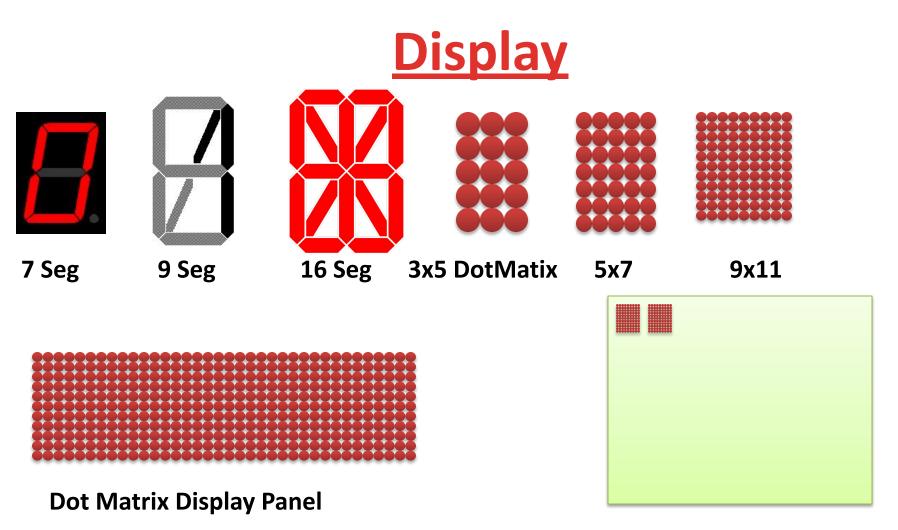
- Peripheral communications
- Display
- LED Display
 - Decoder
 - Generic model
 - Interfacing
- Character Display Monitor
 - Decoder
 - Generic Model
- Graphics monitor
 - Why graphics? Vector Vs Raster
- Keyboard type and Interfaces



- Peripherals: HD monitor, 5.1 speaker
- Interfaces: Intermediate Hardware
 - Nvidia GPU card, Creative Sound Blaster card
- Interfaces: Intermediate Software/Program
 - Nvidia GPU driver , Sound Blaster Driver software

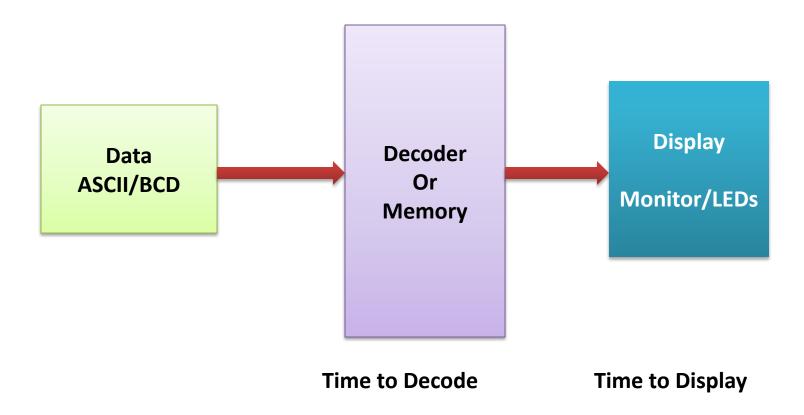
Transmission controller

- Transmission Controller:
 - MPU control, Device Control (DMA)
- Type of IO mapping
 - Peripheral (IN/Out), Memory mapped IO (LD/ST,MV)
- Format of communication
 - Synchronous (T & R sync with clock), Asynchronous
- Mode of Data Transfer
 - Parallel, Serial (UART)
- Condition for data transfer
 - Uncond., Polling, Interrupt, Ready signal, Handshake



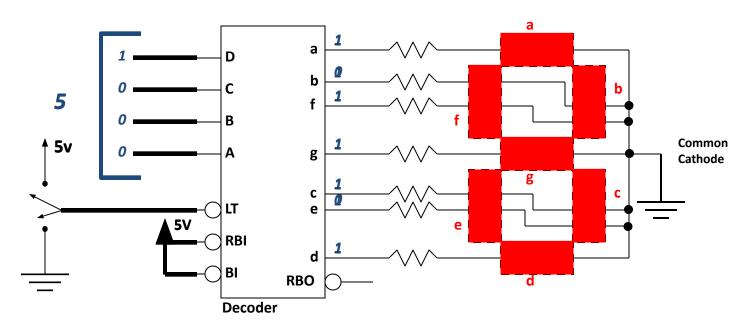
25x80 character monitor

Generic Model (Data) of Display



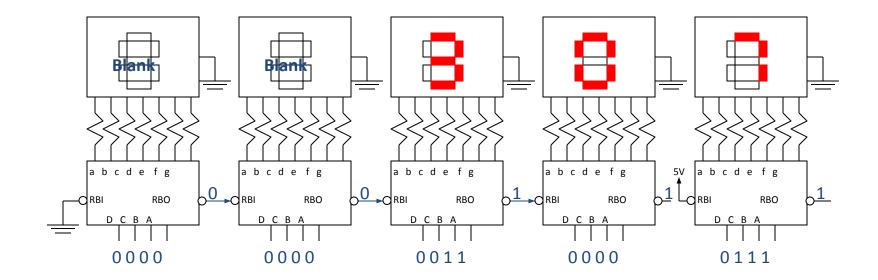
7 Segment LED Interfaces

Data to 7 Segment Decoder

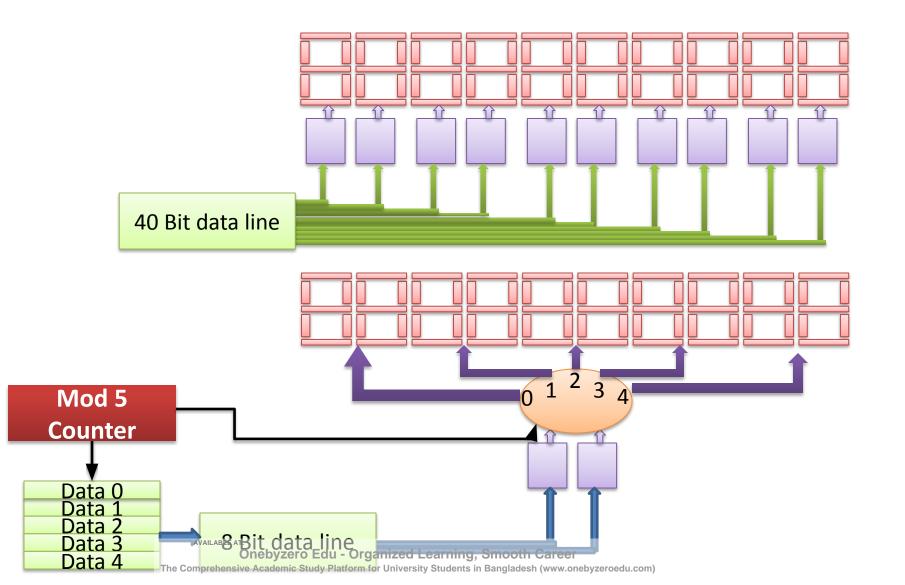


Multiple 7 Segment LED Interfaces

Data to 7 Segment Decoder

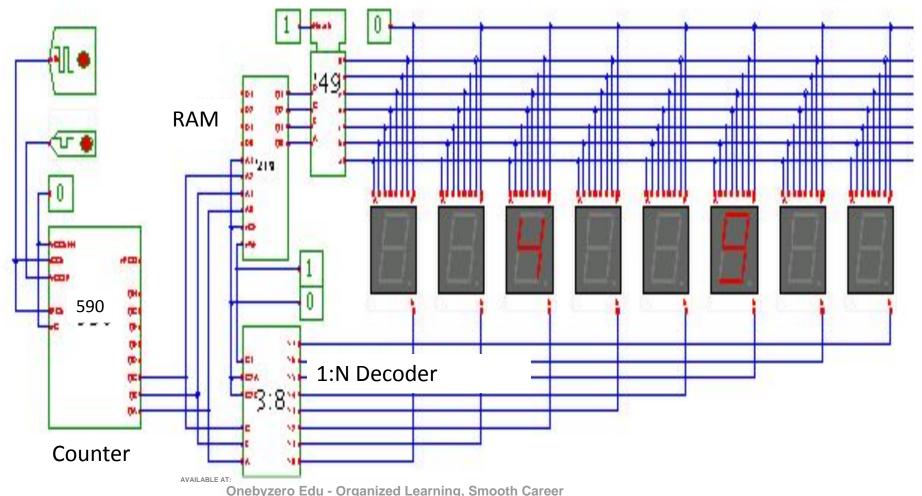


Multiplexed line and Memory use



Multiplexed line/Memory used

7 Segment Decoder

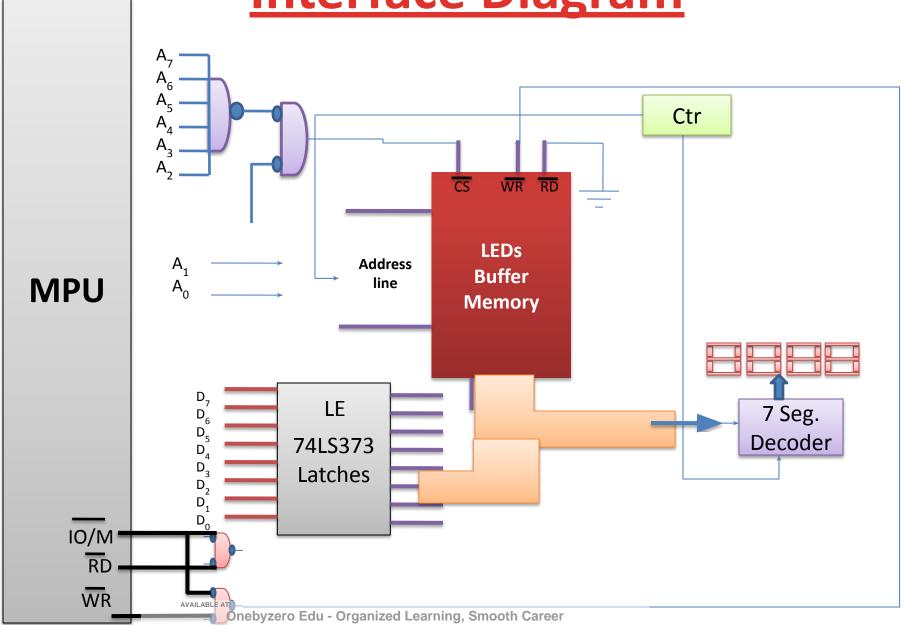


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Interface LED Display Using Delay

- Write a program to display contents of B,C,D and E register to LED display
- Write to buffer memory to display to 7 Seg. LEDs
- Use address FC H,FD H,FE H and FF H to display

Interface Diagram



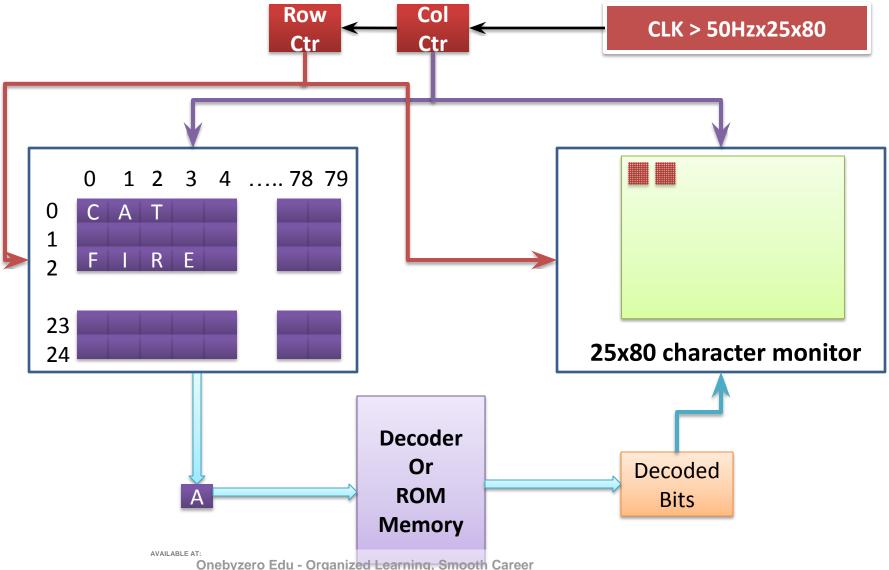
Monitor program

 Interface program to Display content of B,C,D and E after 1 Sec Delay

```
DIS: MVI A,B
OUT FCH
MVI A,C
OUTFDH
MVIA,D
OUTFEH
MVIA,E
OUTFFH
CALL DELAY
JMP DIS;
```

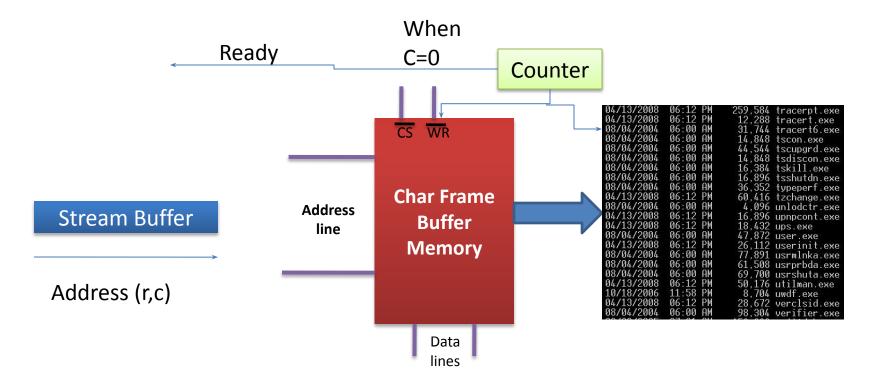
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Multiplexed 25x80 Char Display



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Generic Model of Char Monitor



- Delay of Monitor is 1/50 Sec, After Every 50 Second it makes ready
- From stream buffer it writes to Frame buffer after getting command. (Flush stream command)

Speed of Display

- LED is very high speed
 - You can write to LEDs at very high speed
 - Display meant for to see some thing (Is it good?)
- 30 Frames/Sec is more then enough for human eye (>30 blink make human eye Fixed)
- No of blink > 30Hz
 - Human can not differentiate ON/OFF state, it will be seen AS ON state
- Video display make default 30-60 Frame/Sec
- Monitor run at speed 30-60 Frame/Sec

Speed of Monitor and Disk

Speed is fixed (60Frame/Sec)

```
for(i=0;i<10000;i++) {
   printf("HelloWorld");
}</pre>
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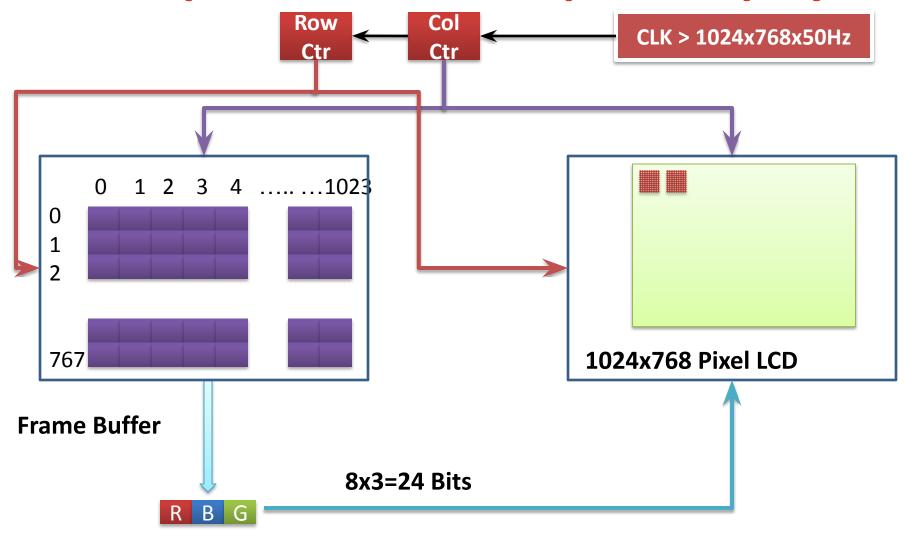
- \$ a.out
- \$ a.out > outputfile
- \$ a.out > /dev/null

Migration from Char to Graphics/Video

- Char display (80x25 char, 5x7pixel=400x175)
- CRT Monitor (400x600, 640x480,600x800)
- LCD Monitor (1024x768,1280x1024,...)
- Graphics visually more appealing
- Display Line, Circle, Rectangle, Curve, Polygon
 - Character using this primitives
 - True type font



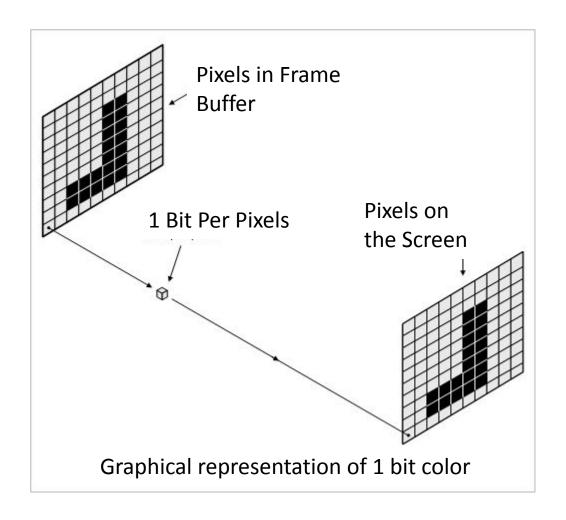
Multiplexed 1024x768 pixel display



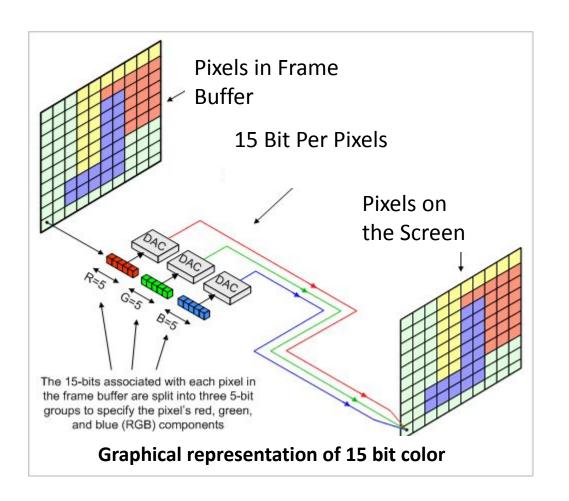
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Refresh screen 50 time a Sec AVAILABLE AT:

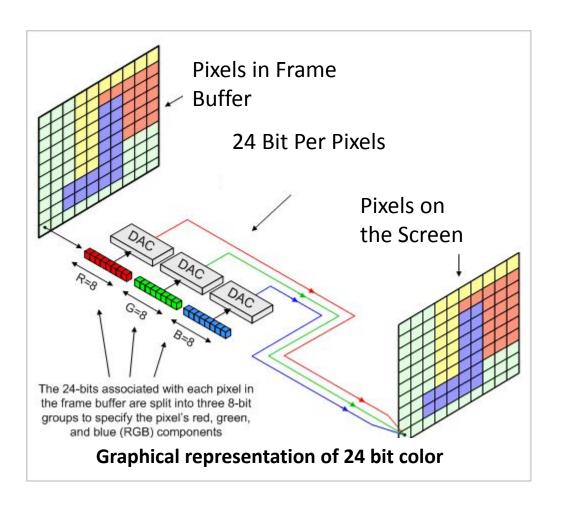
Frame Buffer (1 Bit Pixel): Grey



Frame Buffer (15 Bit Pixel)



Frame Buffer (24 Bit Pixel)



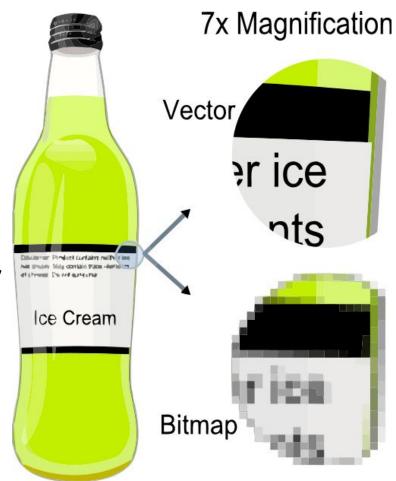
1bit, 8 bit & 16 bit color



Graphics

Vector graphics:

- Use geometrical primitives based on mathematical equations, to represent images in computer graphics
- Points, Lines, Curve, shapes or Polygons
- Raster Graphics: Complementary to Vector Graphics
 - Representation of images as an array of pixels
 - photographic images

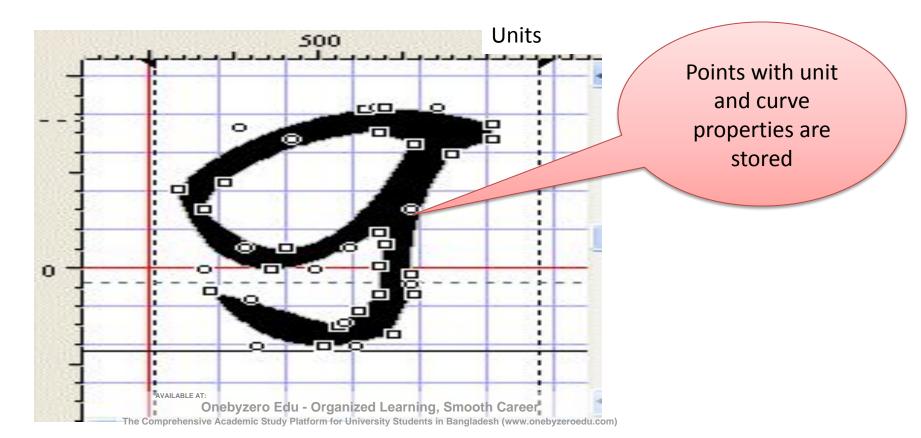


Vector graphics

- Store the primitives in the FILE
 - Word, Photoshop, Xfig, GNUPlot, PS, HTML Tag
- Raster: Store the Pixel values in the FILE
 - BMP, PNG, JPG
- At runtime, process the primitive and generate Pixel to raster the screen (Display)
- Who do this?
 - Software
 - GPU (hardware accelerated routine)

Character Vs Font

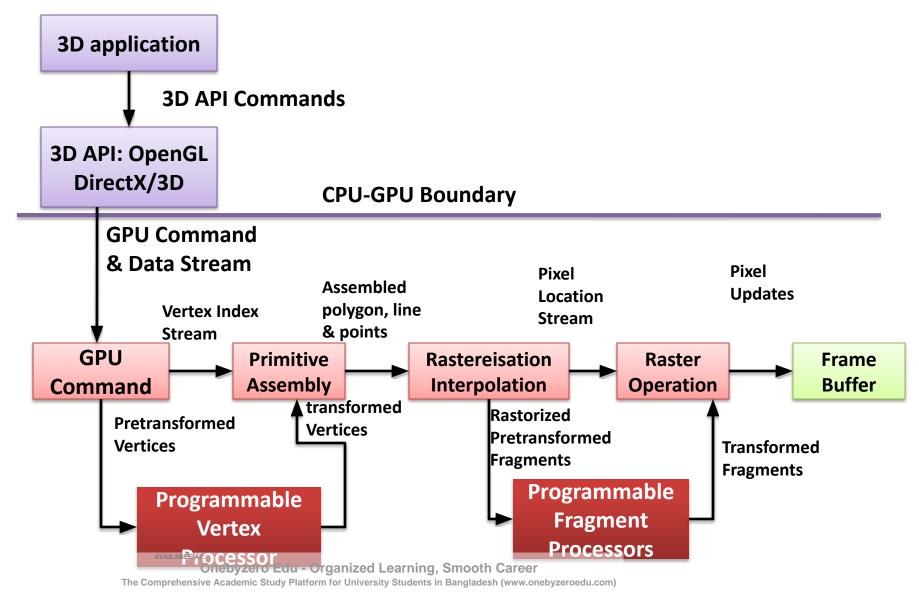
- Computer font formats: TrueType Font
 - Where each letter is created from Bézier curves
- Many varieties of font for a character



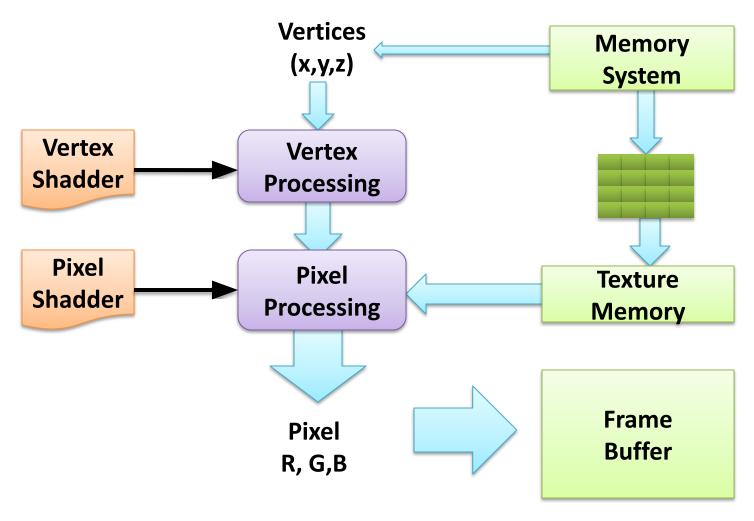
Graphics Cards

- GPU: specialized processor that accelerates
 3D or 2D graphics primitives operations
- Lots of Floating point operations
- Accelerates Primitives
 - Line, circle, polygon, mesh, projection, sphere,

Graphics System



Graphics System



Keyboard

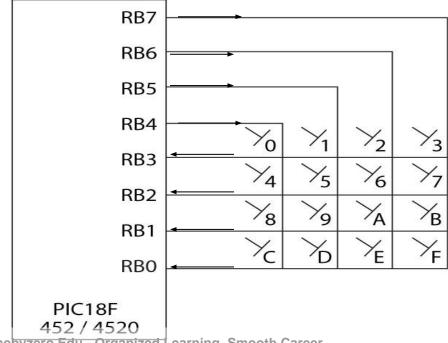


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