Examples of 2D geometric figures in SMath Studio By Gilberto E. Urroz, Ph.D., P.E. January 2010

This worksheet illustrates the use of SMath Studio 2D graphs to produce selected regular and irregular geometric figures.

Straight-line segment:

Given the two points, A and B, representing the extremes of the straight-line segment, plot the segment.

- * Extreme points: $A := \begin{pmatrix} -5 \\ -2 \end{pmatrix} \quad B := \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 10 \end{pmatrix}$
- * Generate matrix of points:
 - * Slope: $m := \frac{B_2 A_2}{B_1 A_1}$ m = 1.5
 - * Intercept: $b \coloneqq A_2 m \cdot A_1$ $b \equiv 5.5$
 - * Number of points: n= 5
 - * Increment: $\Delta x \coloneqq \frac{B_1 A_1}{n} \qquad \Delta x = 1.6$
 - * x-series: $xS \coloneqq A_1, A_1 + \Delta x \cdot B_1$
 - * y-series: for k∈1..n+1 yS_k:=m·xS_k+b
 - * Matrix of points: MS= augment(xS, yS)





* Normal y-series: for k = 1..n+1 yP k = mP xS k + bP

* Matrix of points (normal): MP:= augment(xS, yP)



Circle:

Given the center, C, and radius, r, of a circle, plot the circle.

- * Center: $C \coloneqq \begin{pmatrix} -3 \\ 5 \end{pmatrix}$ * Radius: $r \coloneqq 12.5$
- * Generate matrix of data: n=150

 $\Delta \theta \coloneqq \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{n}$

 $\Delta \theta = 0.0419$

for $k \in 0 \dots n$ $\begin{array}{c} xC_{k+1} \coloneqq C_{1} + r \cdot \cos(k \cdot \Delta \theta) \\ yC_{k+1} \coloneqq C_{2} + r \cdot \sin(k \cdot \Delta \theta) \end{array}$

MC = augment (xC , yC)



Regular polygon of n sides:

Given the number of sides, n, the center of the circumscribed circle, C, and its radius, plot the regular polygon of n sides. This example shows a regular pentagon.

C:=

 $\Theta 0 := \frac{\pi}{6}$

- * Number of sides: n= 5
- * Center of polygon:
- * Radius of circums- r= 12 cribed circle:
- * Initial angle:

* Generate matrix of points:

Δθ	$= \frac{2 \cdot \pi}{n} \qquad \Delta \theta = 1.2566$				
for k∈0n					
	$xPol_{k+1} = C_1 + r \cdot \cos(\theta 0 + k \cdot \Delta \theta)$				
	$yPol_{k+1} = C_2 + r \cdot sin(\theta 0 + k \cdot \Delta \theta)$				





Calculating the area and perimeter of the regular polygon:

The matrices representing the vertices of a polygon, whether regular or not, include an extra repetition of the first vertex:

$$MPol = \begin{pmatrix} 13.3923 & 4 \\ 0.5051 & 9.7378 \\ -8.9343 & -0.7457 \\ -1.8808 & -12.9625 \\ 11.9177 & -10.0296 \\ 13.3923 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

With such a matrix available, the area and perimeter of the polygon are calculated as follows.

M:= MPol
n:= rows (M)-1
Area:= 0
Perim:= 0

n= 5





Area= 342.3803

Perim= 70.5342

Irregular polygon:

Enter the (x, y) coordinates of the n polygon vertices in a nx2 matrix, e.g.,

	- 5	2	1
	- 1	3	
	0	7	
MI:=	1	1	
	7	- 1	
	- 1	- 3	
	- 2	- 5,	

Typically, the initial point needs to be repeated for the polygon to be completed. This is accomplished by using:





-52 -13 0 7 1 1 MN= 7 - 1 -1-3 -2-5 -52

Calculating the area and perimeter of the irregular polygon: _____

With such a matrix available, the area and perimeter of the polygon is calculated as follows.

Calculating area and perimeter for MN:

$$\begin{array}{c} \text{M:=MN} \\ \text{n:= rows}(\text{M}) - 1 & \text{n=7} \\ \text{Area:= 0} \\ \text{Perim:= 0} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \text{for } \text{k} \in 1 \dots n \\ \text{Area:= eval}\left(\text{Area} + \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\text{M}_{k} 1 \cdot \text{M}_{k+1} 2\right)\right) \\ \text{Area:= eval}\left(\text{Area} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\text{M}_{k+1} 1 \cdot \text{M}_{k} 2\right)\right) \\ \text{d2:= eval}\left(\text{Area} - \frac{1}{2} \cdot \left(\text{M}_{k+1} 1 \cdot \text{M}_{k} 2\right)\right) \\ \text{d2:= eval}\left(\text{d2} + \left(\text{M}_{k+1} 2 - \text{M}_{k} 2\right)^{2}\right) \\ \text{Perim:= eval}(\text{Perim} + \sqrt{\text{d2}}) \\ \text{Area:= |Area|} \end{array} \\ \begin{array}{c} \text{Area= 7.5} \end{array} \\ \end{array}$$

8