
Subject: Re: Point inside/outside a polygon?
Posted by [Andy Loughe](#) on Mon, 13 Aug 2001 15:12:55 GMT
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Here is some ROI code I have collected over the years...

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; Define and draw an oddly shaped polygon.  
x = [ .5, .7, .8, .8, .6, .5, .5]  
y = [ 0., .2, .1, .9, .7, .7, 0.]  
z = [ 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0., 0.]  
plot, x, y, /nodata, xrange=[0,1], yrange=[-.2,1]  
plots, x, y, thick=5
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roi = Obj_New('IDLanROI', x, y, z)
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; Point outside the polygon = 0 (CASE #1)  
x1 = .6 & y1=.05 & z1=0.0  
xyouts, x1, y1, '1', chars=1.25, align=.5  
print, roi->ContainsPoints(x1, y1, z1)
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; Point inside the polygon = 1 (CASE #2)  
x1 = .78 & y1=.85 & z1=0.0  
xyouts, x1, y1, '2', chars=1.25, align=.5  
print, roi->ContainsPoints(x1, y1, z1)
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; Point on an edge of the polygon = 2 (CASE #3)  
x1 = .8 & y1=.5 & z1=0.0  
xyouts, x1, y1, '3', chars=1.25, align=.5  
print, roi->ContainsPoints(x1, y1, z1)
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; Point on a vertex of the polygon = 3 (CASE #4)  
x1 = .7 & y1=.2 & z1=0.0  
xyouts, x1, y1, '4', chars=1.2, align=.5  
print, roi->ContainsPoints(x1, y1, z1)
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Obj_Destroy, roi
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