

WEEK 8

AMBIENT:

RANDOM, NOISE, MATHS



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Shapes by connecting vertices

- `vertex()` is used within the `beginShape()` and `endShape()` functions to specify the vertex coordinates for points, lines, triangles, quads, and polygons
- `beginShape()` begins recording vertices for a shape
- `endShape()` stops recording
- Example:

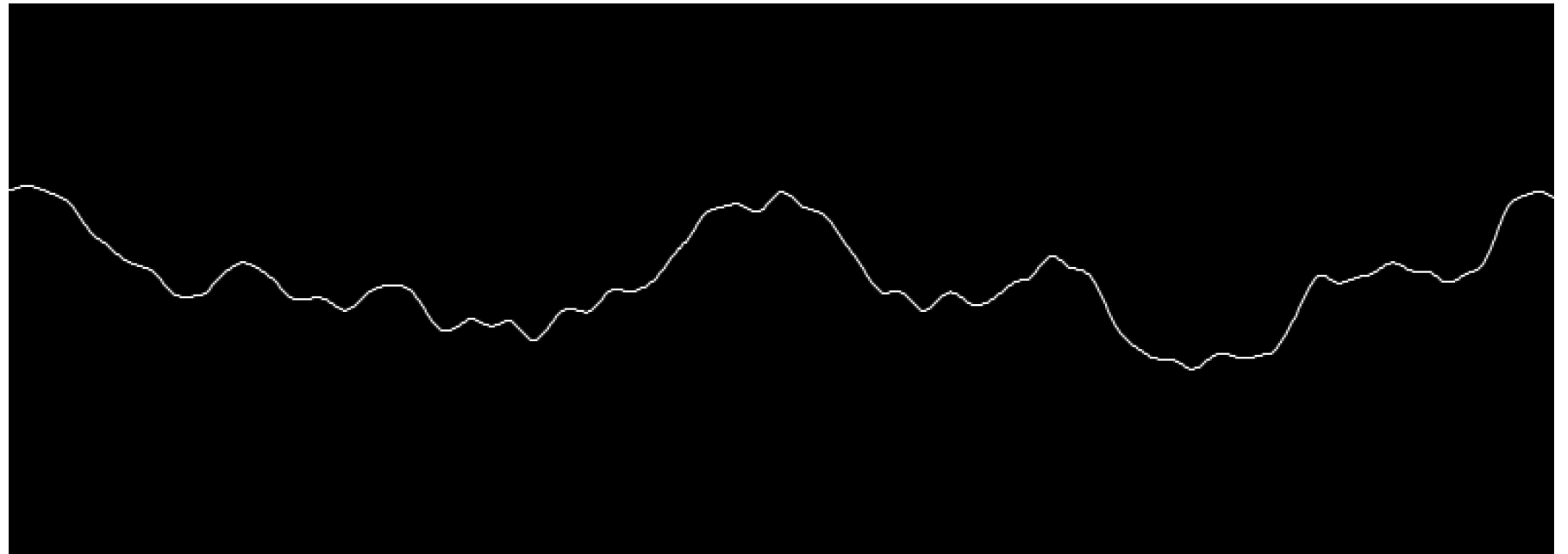
```
beginShape();  
vertex(120, 80);  
vertex(340, 80);  
vertex(340, 300);  
vertex(120, 300);  
endShape();
```

Re-doing Wk7 Example 7c

```
float tt = 50; // change with time
```

```
void setup() {  
  size(800, 600);  
  noFill();  
  stroke(255);  
}
```

```
void draw() {  
  background(0);  
  float tx = 0; // change with horizontal position  
  beginShape();  
  for (int x = 0; x < width - 1; x++) {  
    float y = 150 + noise(tx, tt) * 200;  
    vertex(x, y);  
    tx += 0.01;  
  }  
  endShape();  
  tt += 0.003;  
}
```



shape-related

time-related

```
int numCurves = 50;

float tt = 50; // change with time

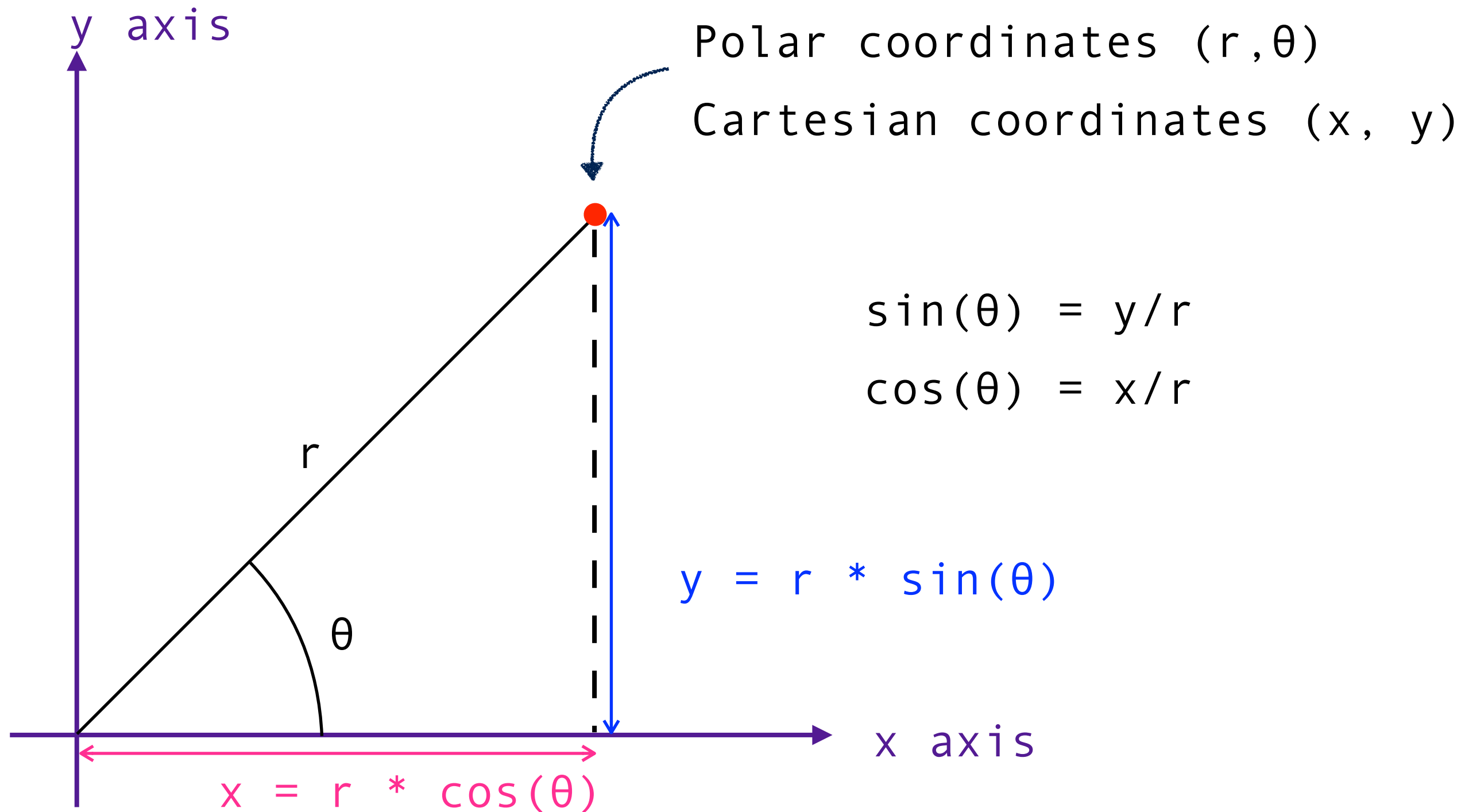
void setup() {
  //size(800, 600);
  fullscreen();
  noFill();
  strokeWeight(2);
  stroke(255);
  noCursor();
}

void draw() {
  background(0);
  float ty = 100; // change with vertical position
  for (int i = 0; i < numCurves; i++) {
    float tx = 0; // change with horizontal position
    beginShape();
    float alpha = map(i, 0, numCurves, 50, 255);
    stroke(255, alpha);
    for (int x = 0; x < width - 1; x += 10) {
      float y = i * 20 + noise(tx, ty, tt) * 400 - 50;
      vertex(x, y);
      tx += 0.02;
    }
    endShape();
    ty += 0.05;
  }
  tt += 0.001;
}
```

3D noise function!



Cartesian vs Polar Coordinates



Trigonometry in Processing

Functions:

`acos()`

`asin()`

`atan2()`

`atan()`

`cos()`

`degrees()`

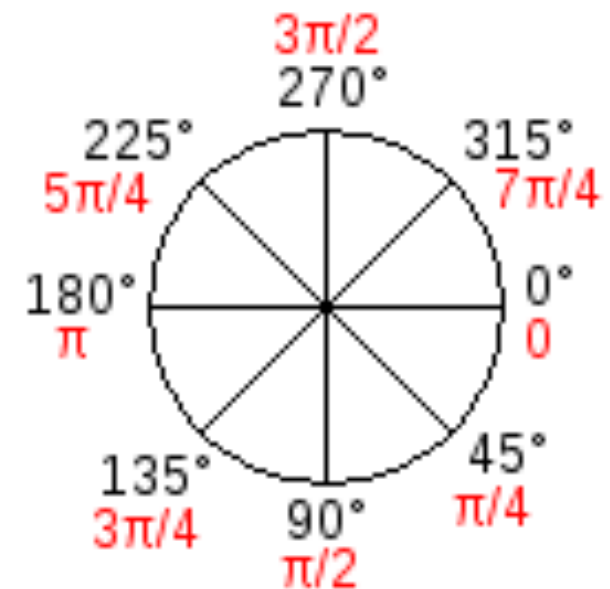
`radians()`

`sin()`

`tan()`

`sin(angle)`, `cos(angle)`

- angle: in radians

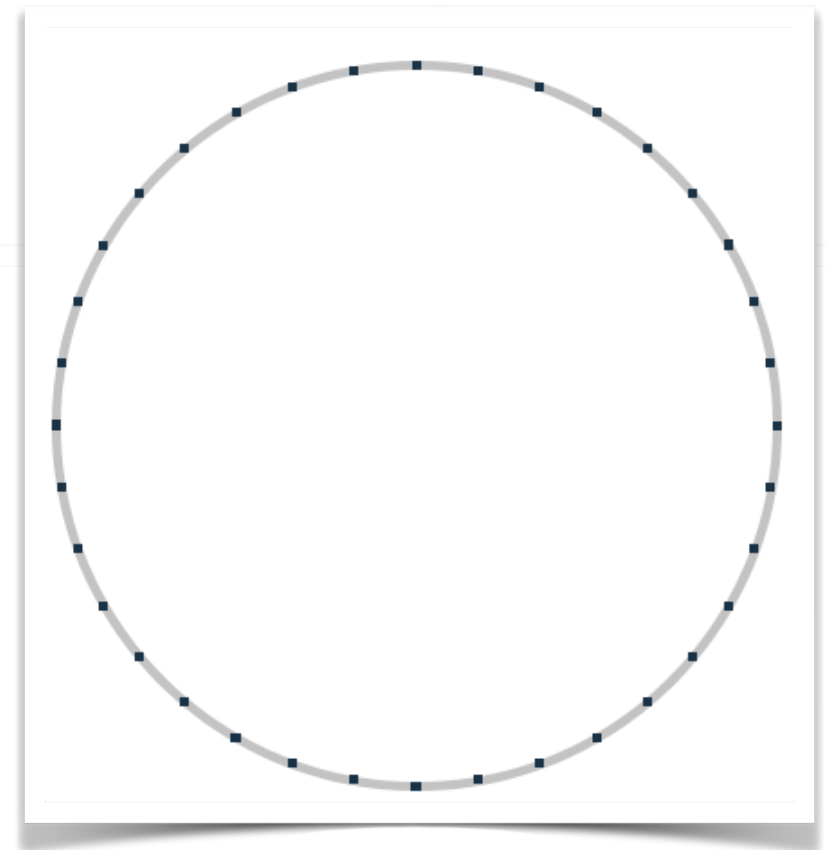


`radians(degrees)`: convert a degree measurement to its corresponding value in radians
- $\text{radians} = 2 * \text{PI} * (\text{degrees} / 360)$

Rotational Drawing

Example 2a: draw a circle using trigonometry

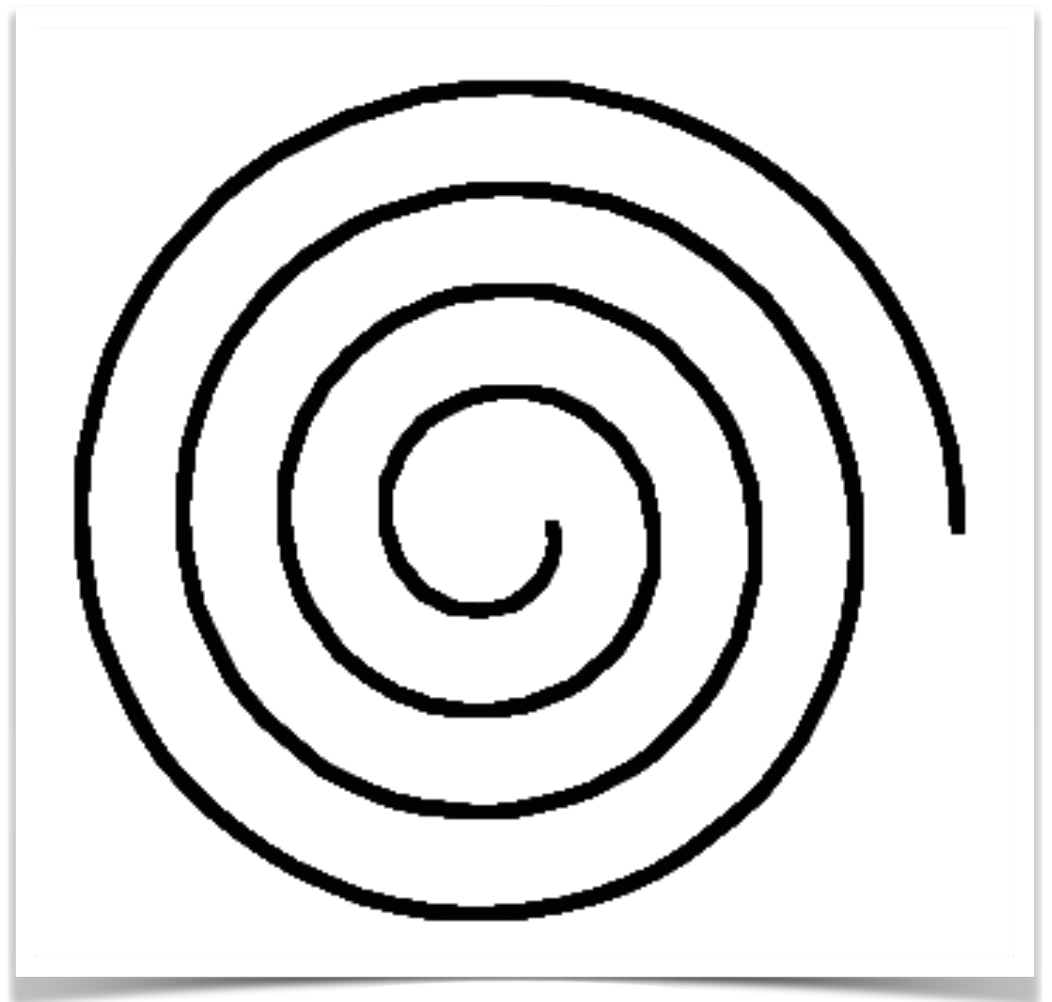
```
float x, y, radius = 200, centX, centY;  
  
size(500, 500);  
background(255);  
centX = width / 2;  
centY = height / 2;  
strokeWeight(5);  
stroke(0, 60);  
noFill();  
ellipse(centX, centY, radius*2, radius*2);  
stroke(0);  
for (float ang = 0; ang <= 360; ang += 10) {  
    float rad = radians(ang);  
    x = centX + (radius * cos(rad));  
    y = centY + (radius * sin(rad));  
    point(x, y);  
}
```



Spiral

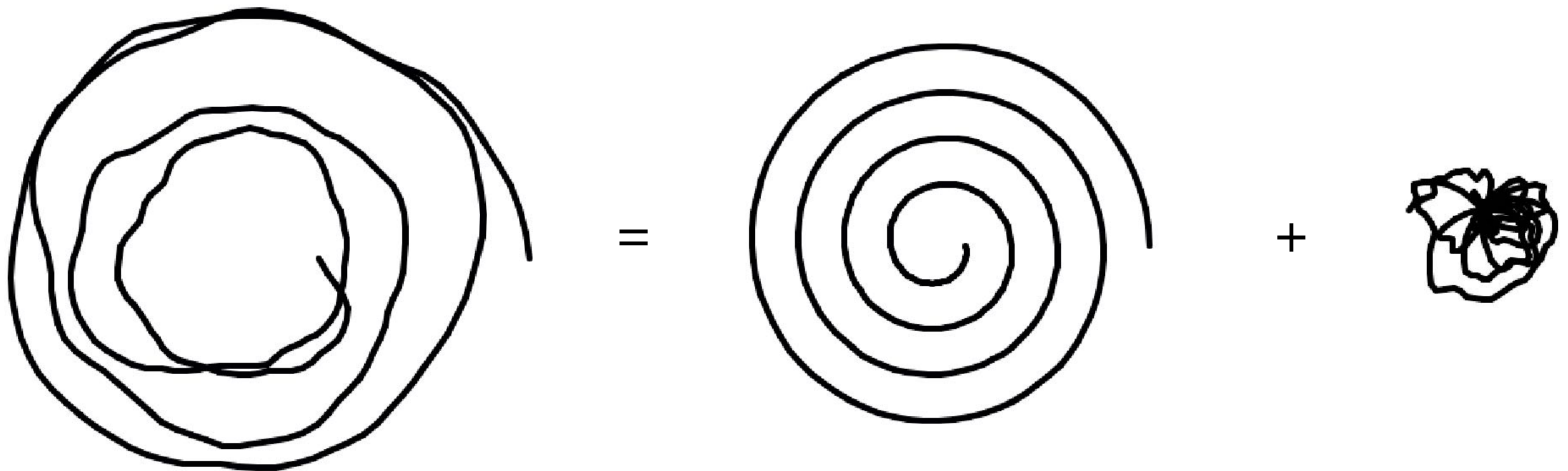
Example 2b: turn a circle into a spiral

```
radius = 20;  
float lastx = -999, lasty = -999;  
  
for (float ang = 0; ang <= 360 * 4; ang += 5) { // loop for four times  
    float rad = radians(ang);  
  
    radius += 0.5;  
  
    x = centX + (radius * cos(rad));  
    y = centY + (radius * sin(rad));  
  
    if (lastx > 0 )  
        line(x, y, lastx, lasty);  
  
    lastx = x;  
    lasty = y;  
}
```



Example 2c: Noisy Spiral

```
float r_noise = radius + noise(t) * 100;
```



Example 2c: Noisy Spiral

```
radius = 20;  
t = random(10);  
for (float ang = 0; ang <= 360 * 4; ang += 5) { // loop for four times  
    float rad = radians(ang);  
    radius += 0.5;
```

what if t=0 for every frame?

```
float r_noise = radius + noise(t) * 100;
```

```
x = centX + (r_noise * cos(rad));
```

```
y = centY + (r_noise * sin(rad));
```

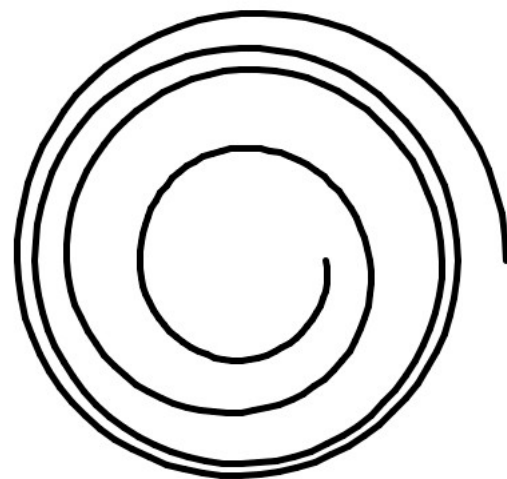
```
if (lastx > 0 ) // lastx and lasty have been initialized  
    line(x, y, lastx, lasty);
```

```
lastx = x;
```

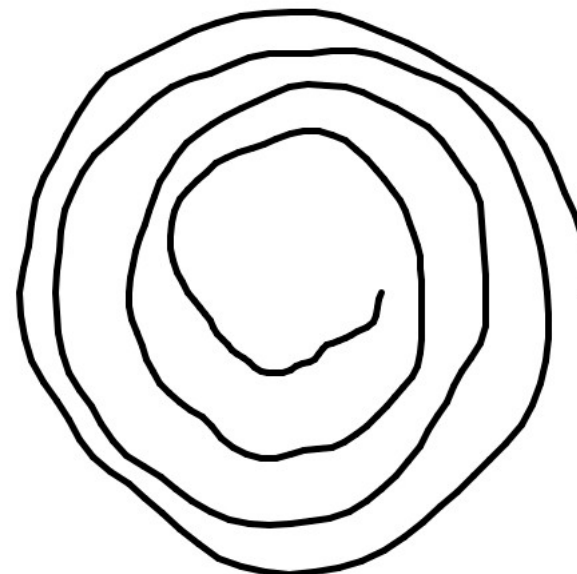
```
lasty = y;
```

```
t += 0.05;
```

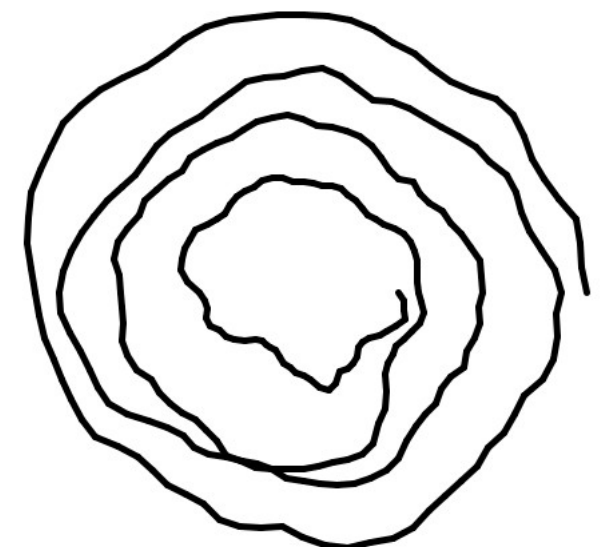
```
}
```



t += 0.01;



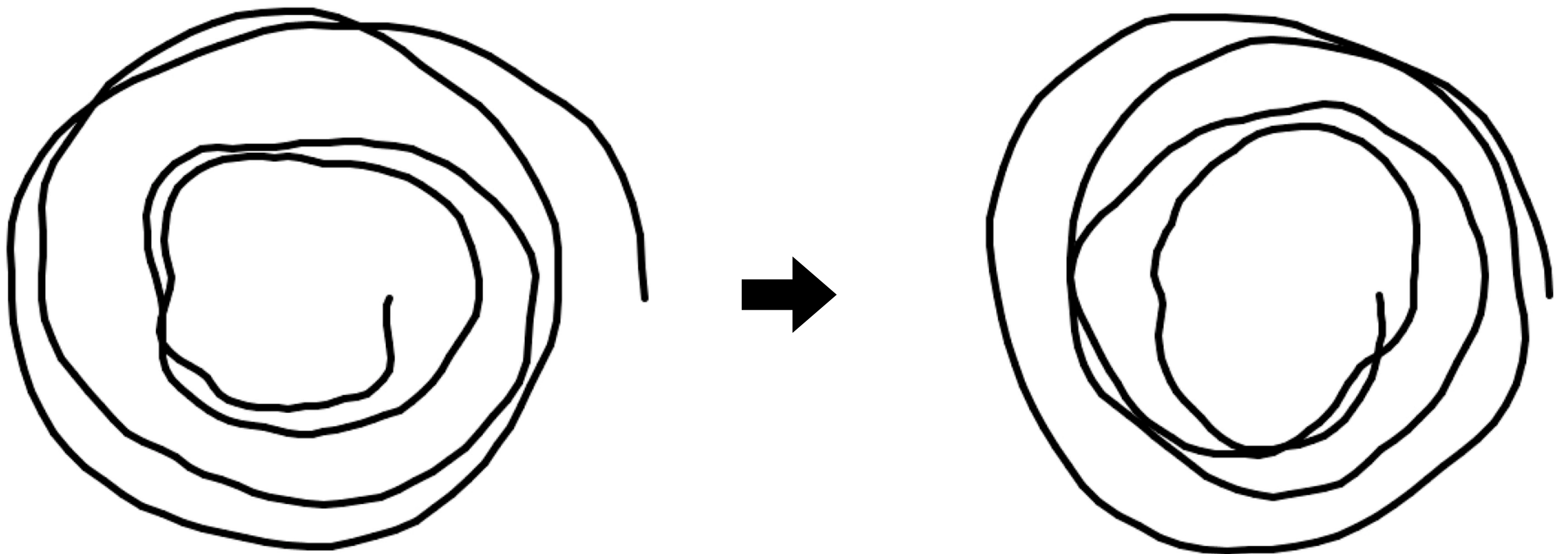
t += 0.05;



t += 0.09;

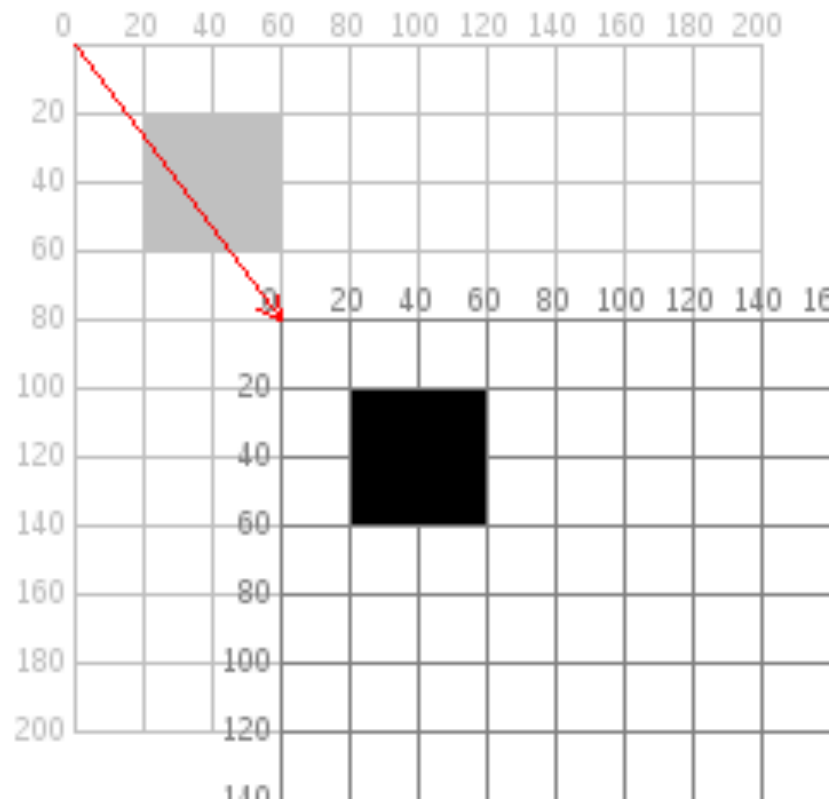
Exercise 1

- Modify Example 2c to make the noisy spiral to perform continuous motion
- You may refer to Example 1a

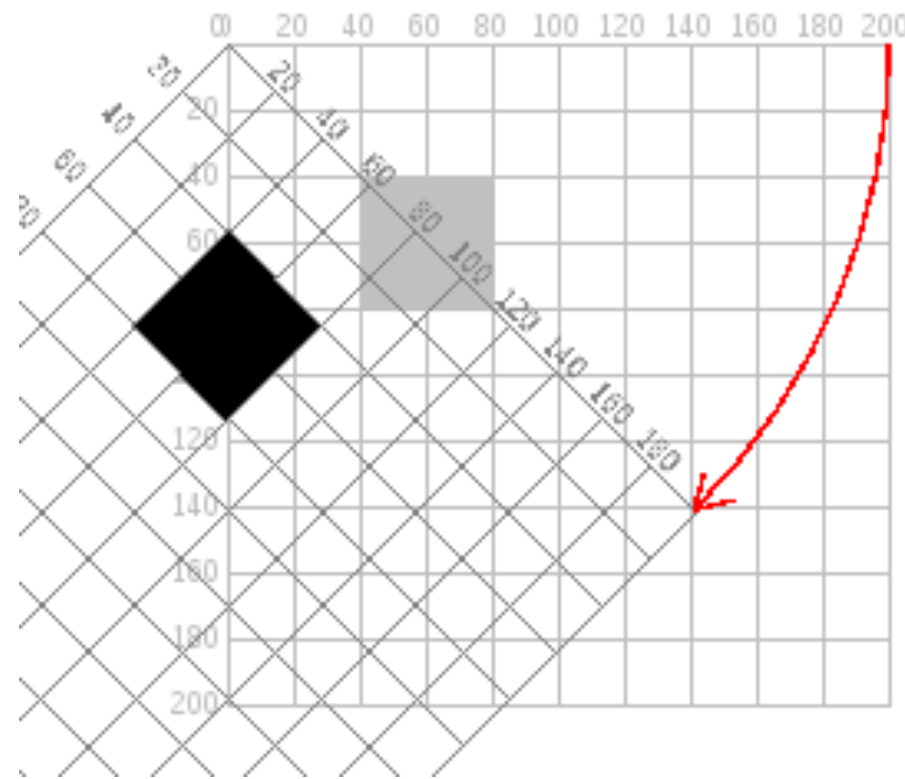


2D Transformations

Transform the coordinate system



```
translate(60, 80);  
rect(20, 20, 40, 40);
```



```
rotate(radians(45));  
rect(40, 40, 40, 40);
```

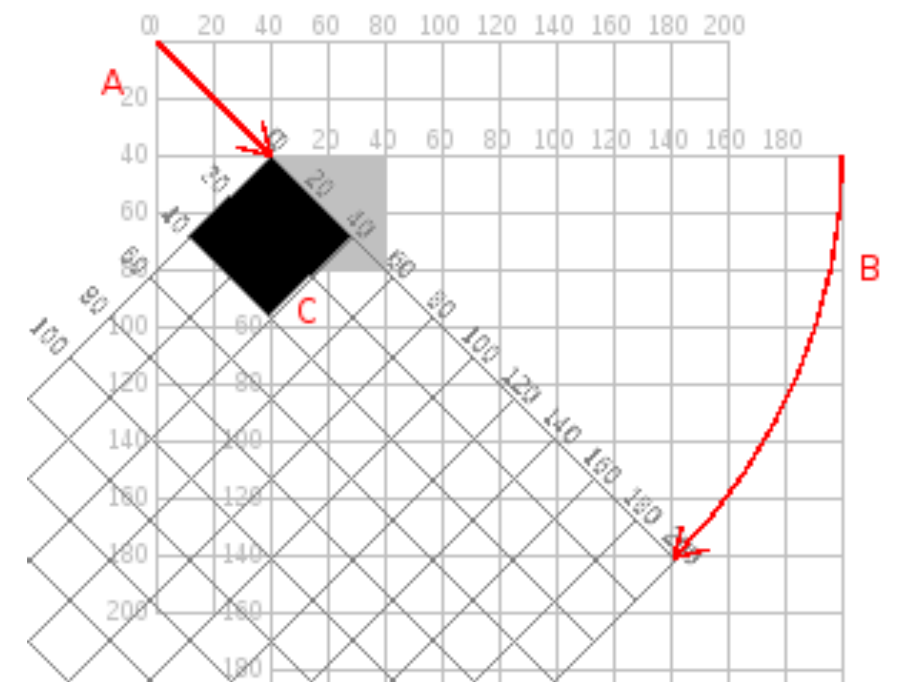
Transform

`applyMatrix()`
`popMatrix()`
`printMatrix()`
`pushMatrix()`
`resetMatrix()`
`rotate()`
`rotateX()`
`rotateY()`
`rotateZ()`
`scale()`
`shearX()`
`shearY()`
`translate()`

2D Transformations

- Transformations are cumulative
- Transformations apply to everything that happens after
- Transformations are reset at the beginning of draw() loop

```
// move the origin to the pivot point  
translate(40, 40);  
// then pivot the grid  
rotate(radians(45));  
// and draw the square at the origin  
fill(0);  
rect(0, 0, 40, 40);
```

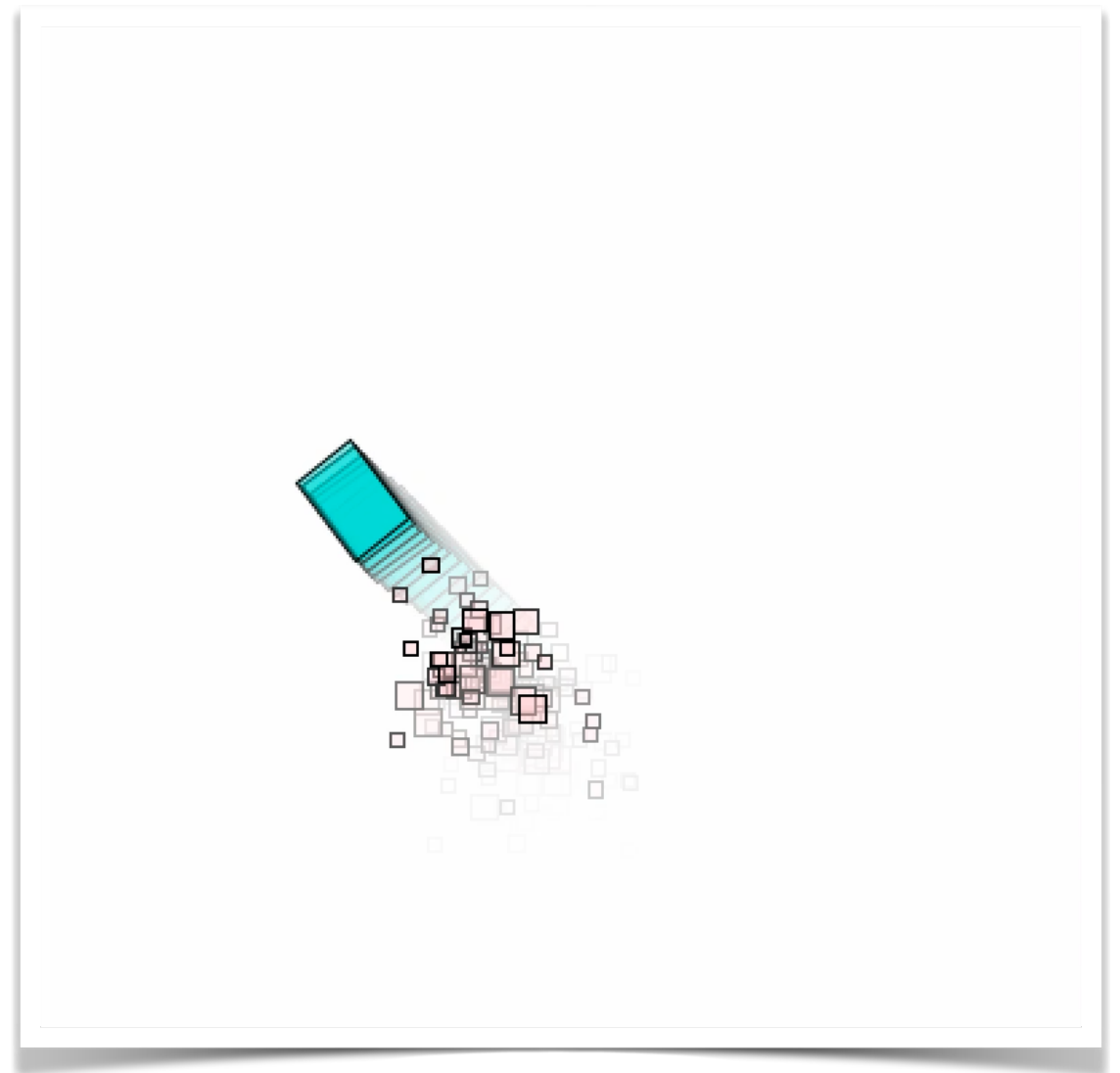


Example 4

```
// followers
for (int i = 0; i < count; i++) {
    ex[i] = lerp(x, ex[i], .95);
    ey[i] = lerp(y, ey[i], .95);
    fill((i+1)*100+100, 200, 200, 100);
    rect(ex[i]+i*random(-1, 1)*5, ey[i]+i*random(-1, 1)*5, es[i], es[i]);
}

// target
translate(x, y);
rotate(r);
fill(0, 200, 200, 100);
rect(0, 0, w, h);

t = t + 0.01;
```



Transformation Matrix

Matrix stack:

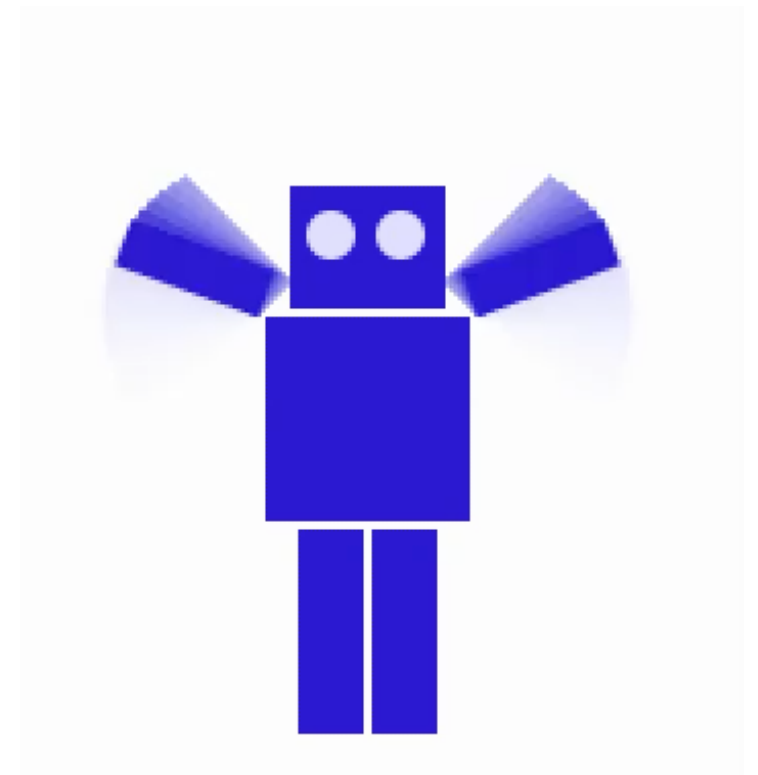
`pushMatrix()` - saves the current coordinate system and

`popMatrix()` - restores the prior coordinate system.

Transformations between `pushMatrix()` and `popMatrix()` will not apply to anything that happens after `popMatrix()`

```
void drawLeftArm(){
  pushMatrix();
  translate(12, 32);
  rotate(radians(armAngle));
  rect(-12, 0, 12, 37); // left arm
  popMatrix();
}

void drawRightArm(){
  pushMatrix();
  translate(66, 32);
  rotate(radians(-armAngle));
  rect(0, 0, 12, 37); // right arm
  popMatrix();
}
```



Example 5

Example 6 random walk with rotation

```
void update() {  
    pushMatrix();  
    translate(x, y);  
    rotate(a);  
    fill(c, 50);  
    text(s, 0, 0);  
    popMatrix();  
  
    tx += 0.01;  
    ty += 0.01;  
    ta += 0.001;  
  
    x += noise(tx)*4-2;  
    y += noise(ty)*4-2;  
    a += noise(ta)*0.1-0.05;  
  
    if (x<0)  
        x += width;  
    else if (x>width)  
        x -= width;  
    if (y<0)  
        y += height;  
    else if (y>height)  
        y -= height;  
}
```





```
translate(width/2, height/2);  
  
beginShape();  
for (int deg = 0; deg <= 360; deg+=1) {  
    float angle = radians(deg);  
    float x = cos(angle);  
    float y = sin(angle);  
    float n = noise(x+frameCount*0.005, y+frameCount*0.005);  
    x *= n*radius;  
    y *= n*radius;  
    vertex(x, y);  
}  
endShape();  
radius+=5;  
if (radius>width*2) {  
    radius = 5;  
    background(0);  
}  
}
```

“looped” noise using polar coordinates

Example 7

Example 8: 2D Noise Visualisation

```
xstart += 0.01;
ystart += 0.01; ← shifting the starting point

ynoise = ystart;
for (int y = 0; y <= height; y++) {
    ynoise += 0.01;
    xnoise = xstart;
    for (int x = 0; x <= width; x++) {
        xnoise += 0.01;
        set(x, y, color(255*noise(xnoise, ynoise)));
    }
}
```



Example 8a

```
ynoise = ystart;

tnoise += 0.005; ← time-related noise parameter

for (int y = 0; y <= height; y+=1) {
    ynoise += 0.01;
    xnoise = xstart;
    for (int x = 0; x <= width; x+=1) {
        xnoise += 0.01;
        set(x, y, color(255*noise(xnoise, ynoise, tnoise)));
    }
}
```



Example 8b

Example 8c: noise scale

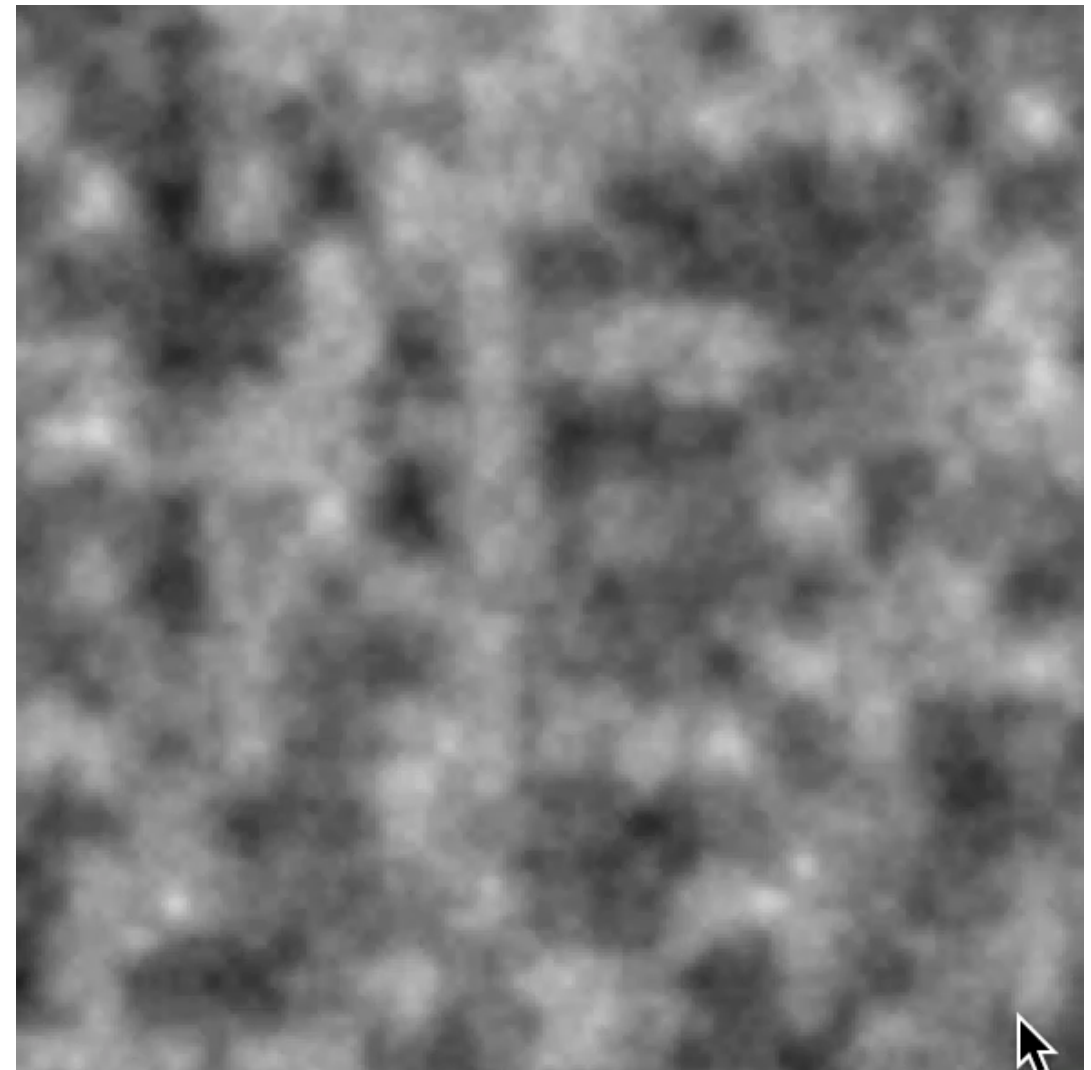
```
// control spatial increment with mouseX
dxy = map(mouseX, 0, width, 0.001, 0.05);

// control temporal increment with mouseY
dt = map(mouseY, 0, height, 0.001, 0.05);

ynoise = ystart;

tnoise += dt;

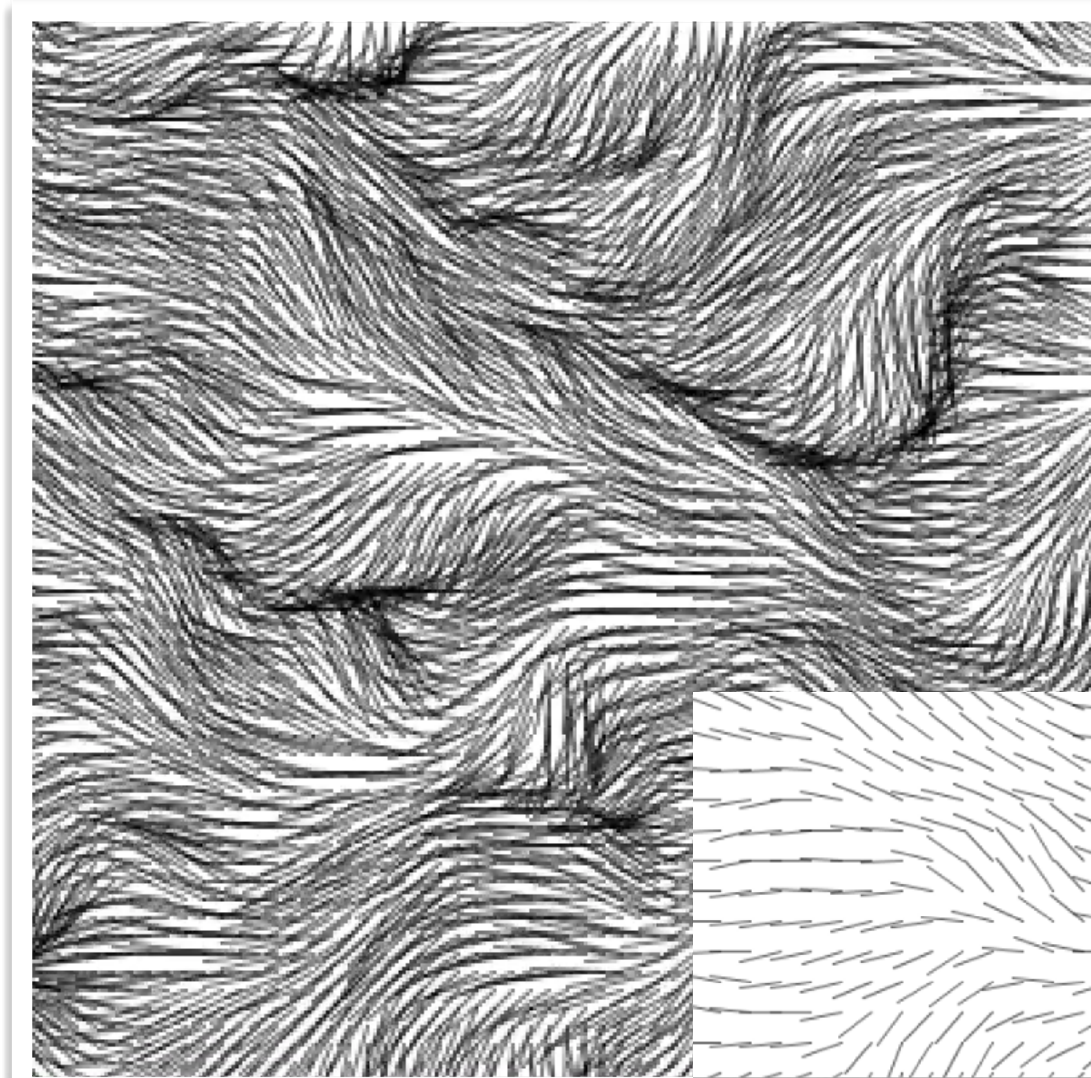
for (int y = 0; y <= height; y+=1) {
  ynoise += dxy;
  xnoise = xstart;
  for (int x = 0; x <= width; x+=1) {
    xnoise += dxy;
    set(x, y, color(255*noise(xnoise, ynoise, tnoise)));
  }
}
```



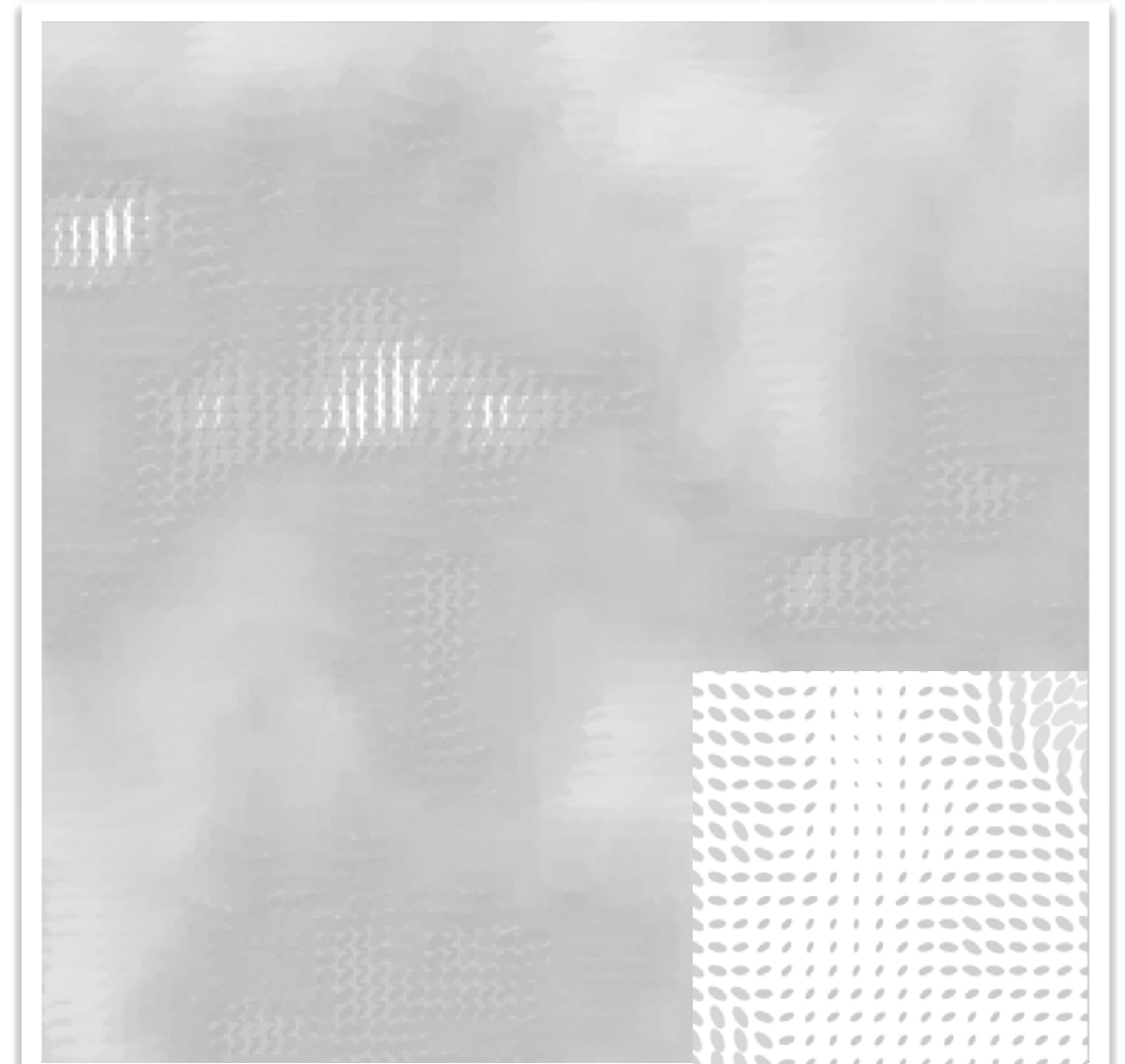
Exercise 2

Modify Example 8b and apply coordinate transformation to achieve different noise visualisation:

- i. `line()` ii. `ellipse()`
- create user-defined functions
- increase space between points



Visualised using rotating lines



Fluffy clouds