SM2715 CREATIVE CODING

ASSESSMENT TASKS

Course Wo	<u>rk</u>	Weighting

Attendance and Participation 10%

Coding assignments 50% (2*25%)

Final project 40%

SCHEDULE

```
Week 1
            Basics: Processing, Data Type, Structure
Week 2
            Object-Oriented Programming (OOP)
Week 3-4
            Image Processing
            Lunar New Year Break
Week 5-6
            Video Processing
Week 7-8
            Ambient Media
                                           Assignment 1 (25%)
Week 9
            Sound Library
Week 10
            Time-based Media
Week 11
           Easter Holiday
                                           Assignment 2 (25%)
Week 12
            Interactive: Games, Physics
Week 13
            Particle Systems
Week 15
            Final project presentation
Week 16
            Final project (40%) due by May 06 Mon 23:59
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POLICIES

Attendance:

- more than 3 absences may fail the course

Late submission:

- 10% mark deduction per day late

Plagiarism:

- 0 mark for the concerned assignment AND a lower course grade
- A written warning letter

AI Generative Tool:

- Not allowed for coding assignment
- If the AI tool is used to improve the writing, you need to make proper citations and clearly describe how the AI tool is used

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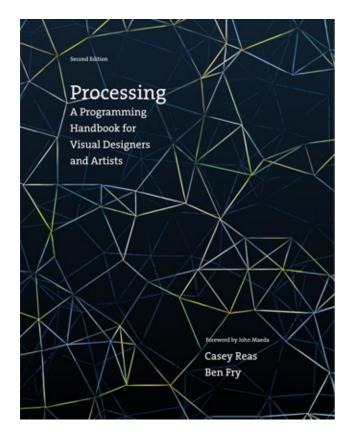
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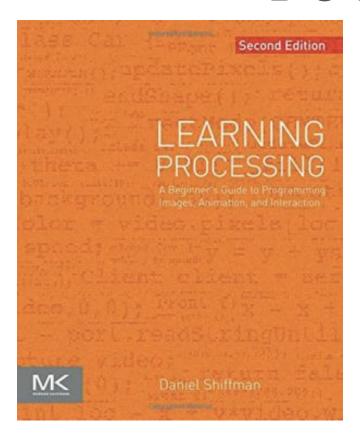
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 - Intentionally or unintentionally fail to cite the source of code from others, OR
 - Copy too much from sources, with too little of your own thought
 - Whether or not you use citation and referencing
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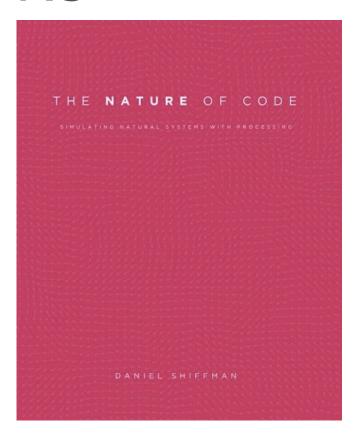
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Read Annex_1_Citing_Referencing_Code.pdf,
Annex_4_Plagiarism_Programming.pdf and
guidelines-generative-ai-tools.pdf
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WEEK 1 BASICS OF PROCESSING

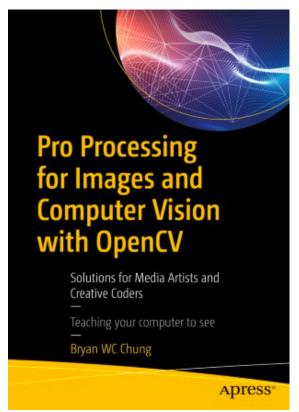
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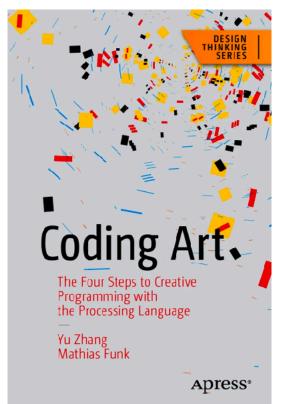


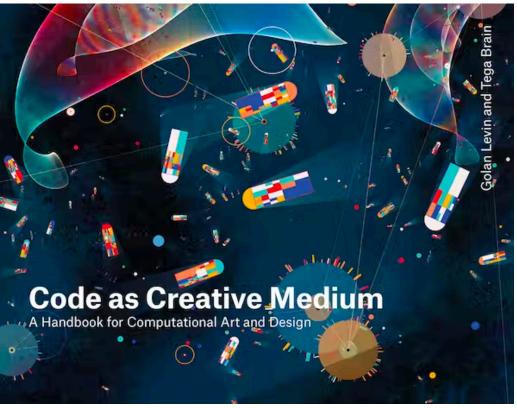


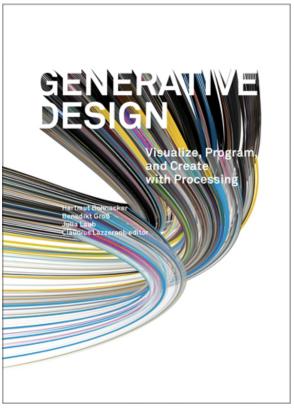






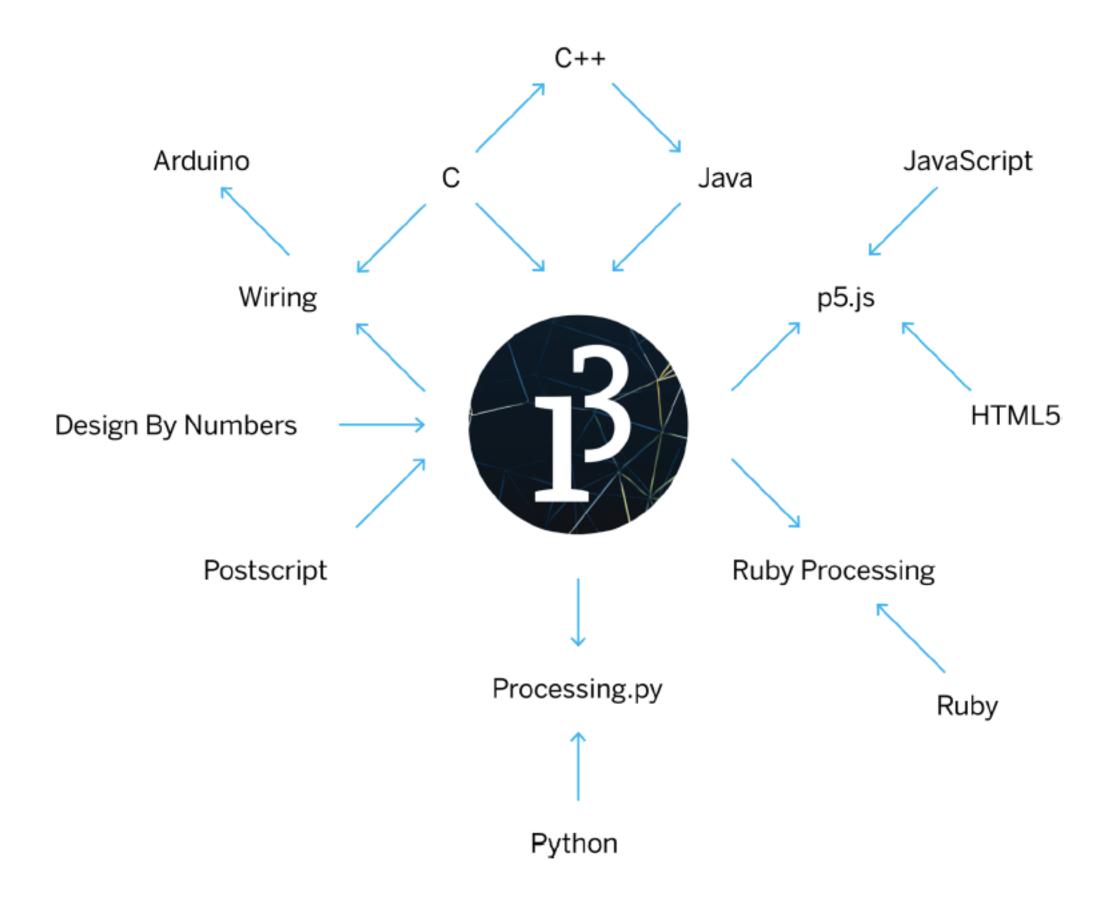






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FAMILY TREE



HELLO PROCESSING BY DANIEL SHIFFMAN

Hello Processing!

1 Hello 2 Shapes 3 Color 4 Interact 5 Questions 6 Goodbye

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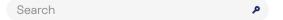




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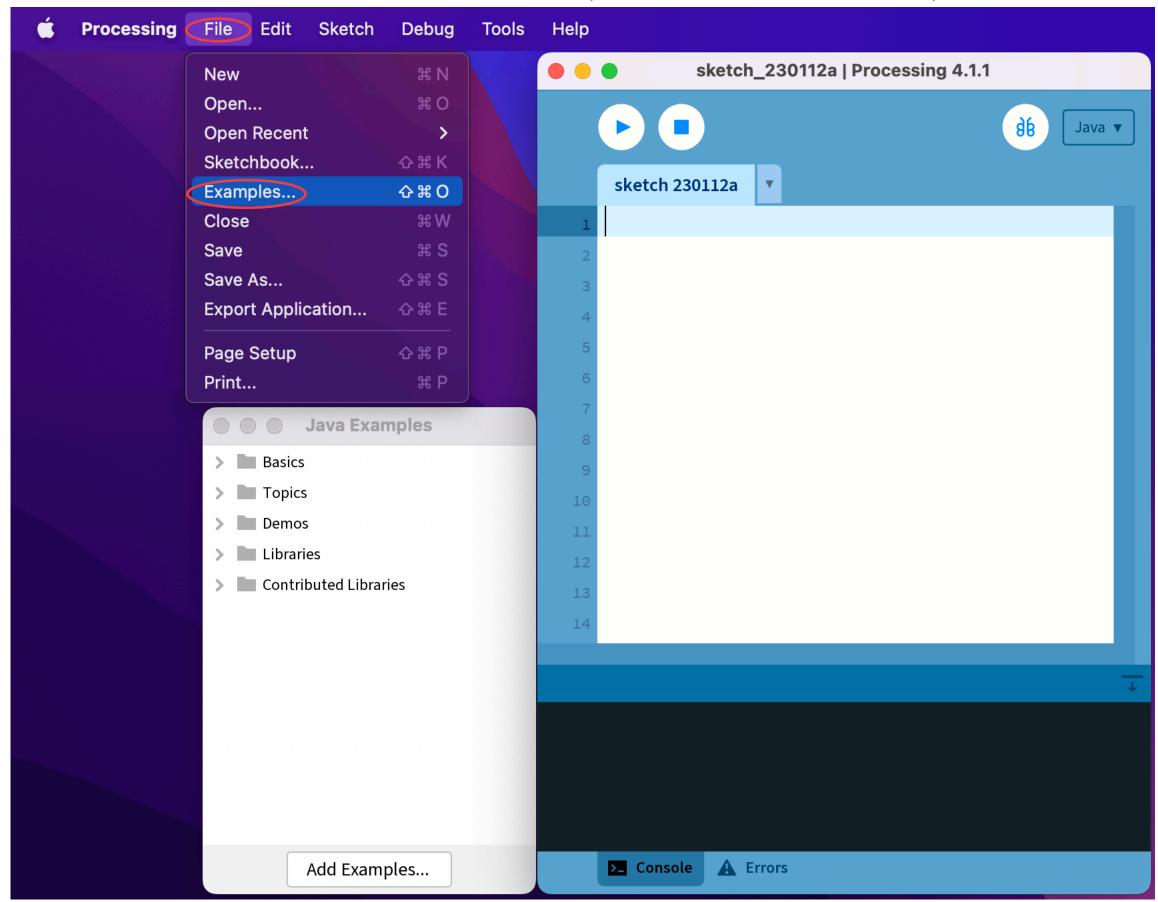


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Short, prototypical programs exploring the basics of programming with Processing.

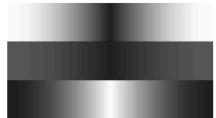
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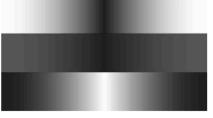
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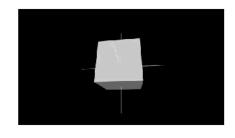
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Camera

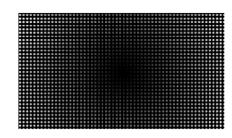


Array

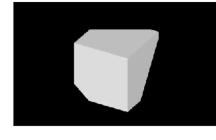




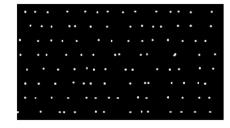
Move Eye



Array 2D



Orthographic



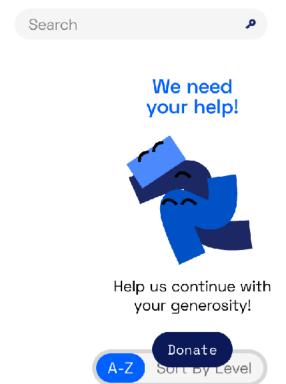
Array Objects



Perspective







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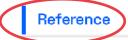
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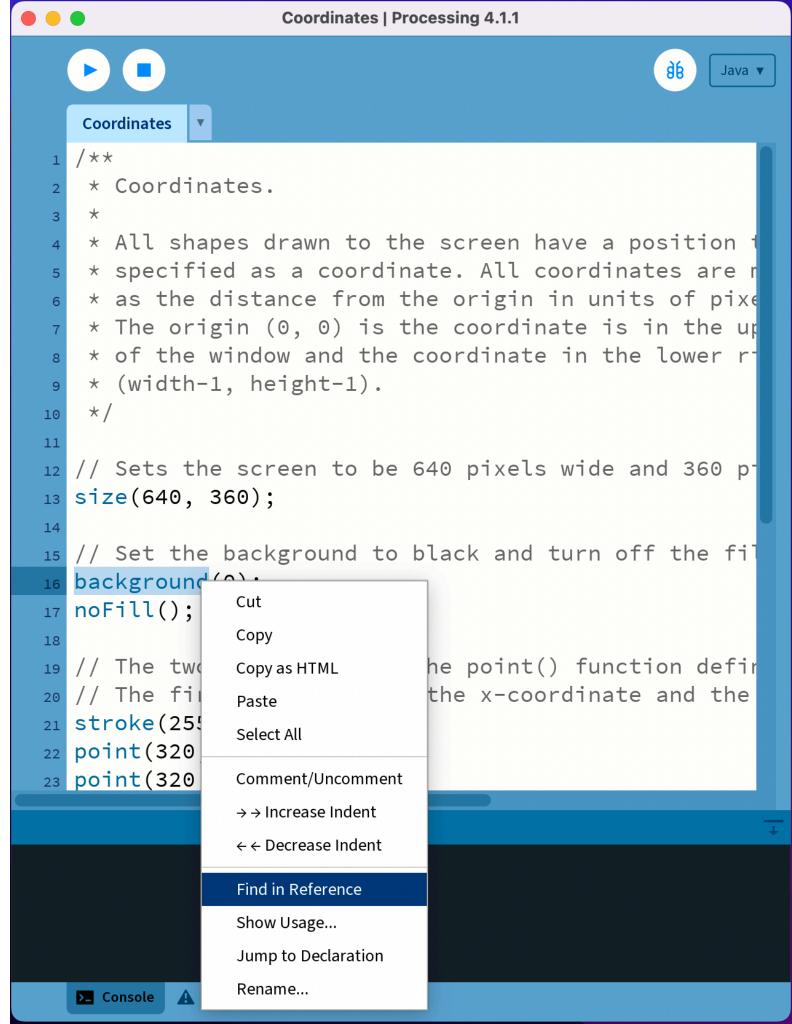


Data

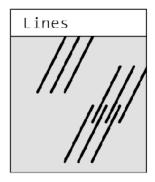
Composite	Array	An array is a list of data
	ArrayList	An ArrayList stores a variable number of objects
	FloatDict	A simple table class to use a String as a lookup for a float value
	FloatList	Helper class for a list of floats
	HashMap	A HashMap stores a collection of objects, each referenced by a key
	IntDict	A simple class to use a String as a lookup for an int value
	IntList	Helper class for a list of ints
	JSONArray	A JSONArray is an ordered sequence of values

GETTING HELP

Right click to go to reference page of the selected function



PROCESSING DEVELOPMENT ENVIRONMENT (PDE)



Display window

```
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 Lines
void setup() {
 size(100, 100);
 noLoop();
void draw() {
 diagonals(40, 90);
 diagonals(60, 62);
 diagonals(20, 40);
void diagonals(int x, int y) {
 line(x, y, x+20, y-40);
 line(x+10, y, x+30, y-40);
 line(x+20, y, x+40, y-40);
```

Menu

Toolbar

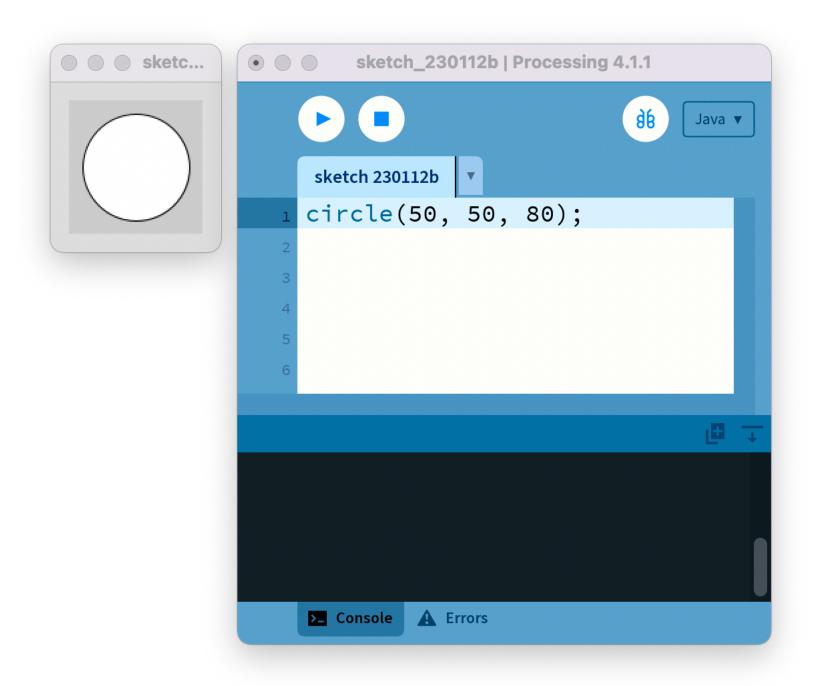
Tabs

Text editor

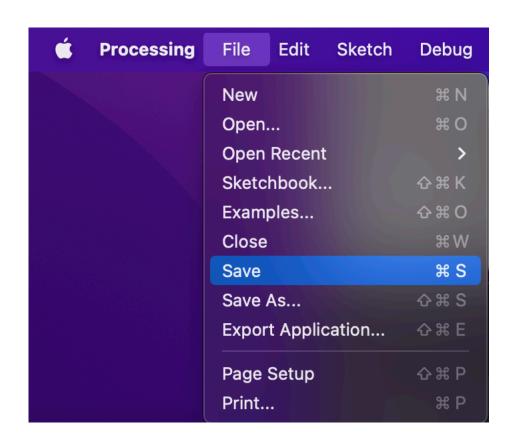
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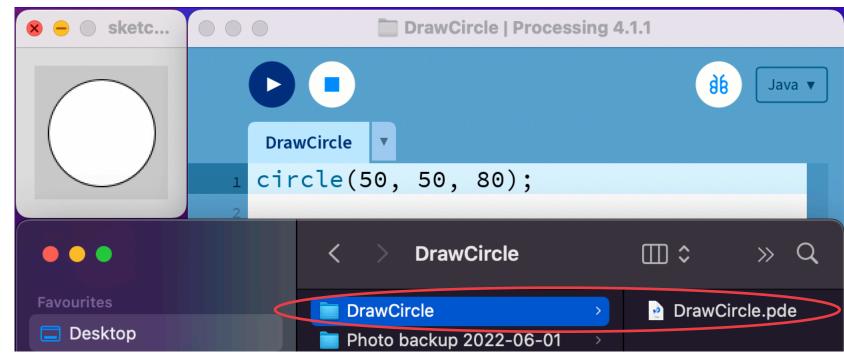
Console

YOUR FIRST PROCESSING PROGRAM



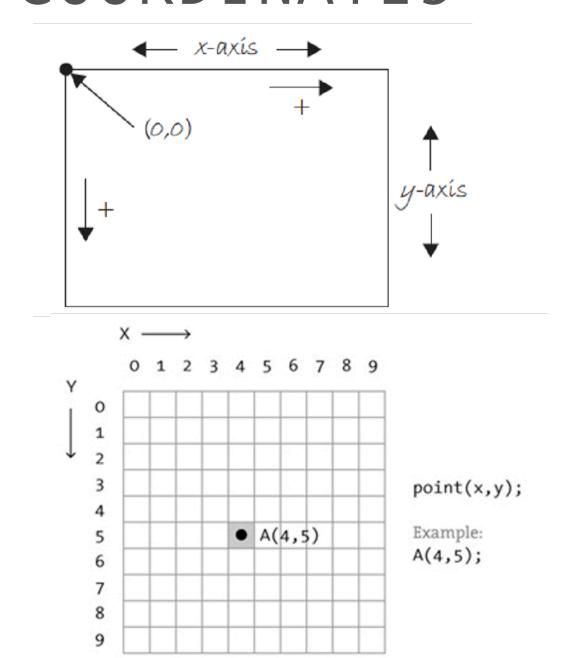
SAVING A SKETCH

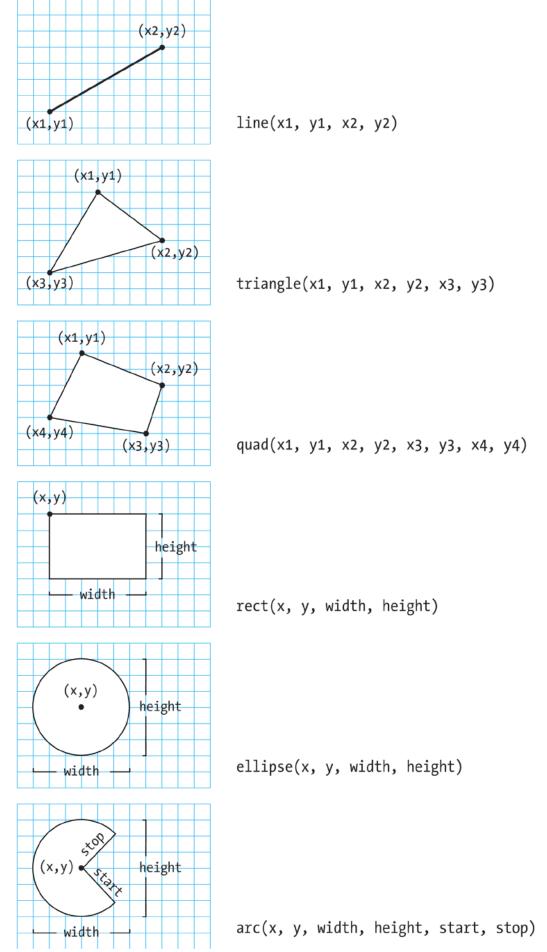




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2D PRIMITIVE SHAPES AND THEIR COORDINATES





https://processing.org/tutorials/coordinatesystemandshapes

MOVING FROM P5.JS TO PROCESSING

<u>p5.js</u>

```
var yPos = 0;
function setup() {
  createCanvas(200, 400);
function draw() {
  background(204);
 yPos = yPos - 1;
  if (yPos < 0) {
    yPos = height;
  line(0, yPos, width, yPos);
```

Processing

```
int yPos = 0;
void setup() {
  size(200, 400);
void draw() {
  background(204);
  yPos = yPos - 1;
  if (yPos < 0) {
    yPos = height;
  line(0, yPos, width, yPos);
```

STRUCTURE AND FLOW OF PROGRAM

- void setup(): called first and once, to define initial environment properties
- void draw(): continuously executes the lines inside until the program is stopped or noLoop() is called
- noLoop(): stops Processing from continuously executing the code within draw() (to resume, use loop())

```
void setup() {

// Step 1a

// Step 1b

// Step 1c }

void draw() {

*// Step 2a

// Step 2b }

Loop over and over!
```

UNSTRUCTURED PROGRAM

Java Examples

Conditionals1

▼ Basics

Arrays

Camera

> Color

Control

- Does not contain setup() nor draw() functions
- Static sketch only no interaction, dynamics and animation

```
Conditionals2
size(640, 360);
                                                           EmbeddedIteration
background(0);
                                                           Iteration
                                                           Add Examples...
int gridSize = 40;
for (int x = gridSize; x <= width - gridSize; x += gridSize) {
  for (int y = gridSize; y <= height - gridSize; y += gridSize) {
    noStroke();
    fill(255);
    rect(x-1, y-1, 3, 3);
    stroke(255, 100);
    line(x, y, width/2, height/2);
```

STRUCTURED PROGRAM

- Contains one setup() and one draw() function
- Dynamic sketches allow animation and interactivities

```
void setup() {
  size(640, 360);
void draw() {
  background(0);
  int gridSize = 40;
  for (int x = gridSize; x <= width - gridSize; x += gridSize) {
    for (int y = gridSize; y <= height - gridSize; y += gridSize) {
      noStroke();
      fill(255);
      rect(x-1, y-1, 3, 3);
      stroke(255, 100);
      line(x, y, mouseX, mouseY);
```

EXAMPLE 1 WHERE TO PUT BACKGROUND()?

Compare these two programs:

```
example_01_background
void setup() {
 size(400, 300);
 noStroke();
 fill(100);
void draw() {
background(255);
 ellipse(mouseX, mouseY, 10, 10);
\Theta \Theta \Theta
                example 01 background
```

```
example_01_background

void setup() {
    size(400, 300);
    background(255);
    noStroke();
    fill(100);
}

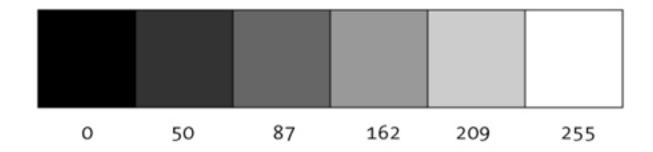
void draw() {
    ellipse(mouseX, mouseY, 10, 10);
}

example_01_background
```

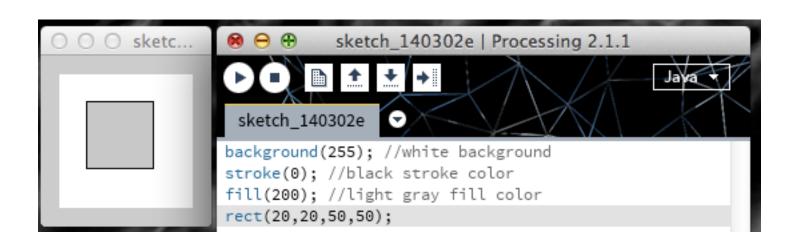


GRAYSCALE <u>COLOR</u>

- -8-bit: 0-255 (28 = 256)
- 0 as black and 255 as white



- eg. background(255); //white background
 stroke(0); //black stroke color
 fill(200); //light gray fill color



Color

```
Setting
background()
clear()
colorMode()
fill()
noFill()
noStroke()
stroke()
```

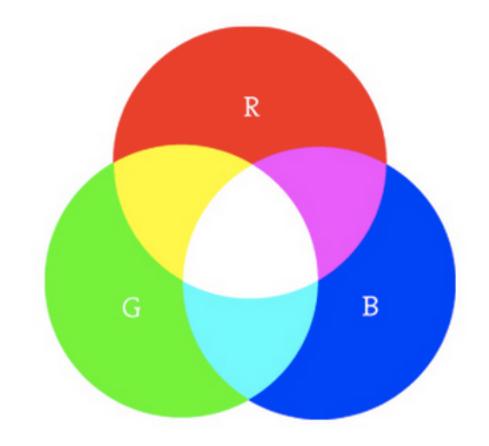
```
Creating & Reading
alpha()
blue()
brightness()
color()
green()
hue()
lerpColor()
red()
saturation()
```

BIT COMBINATIONS

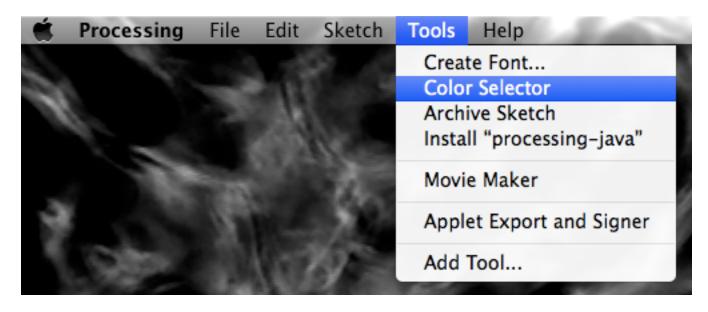
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1-bit	<u>O</u>	$2^1 = 2$
2-bit	01	$2^2 = 4$
3-bit	<u>101</u>	$2^3 = 8$
4-bit	0110	$2^4 = 16$
5-bit	10100	$2^5 = 32$
6-bit	001011	$2^6 = 64$
7-bit	1100110	$2^7 = 128$
8-bit	10011010	$2^8 = 256$

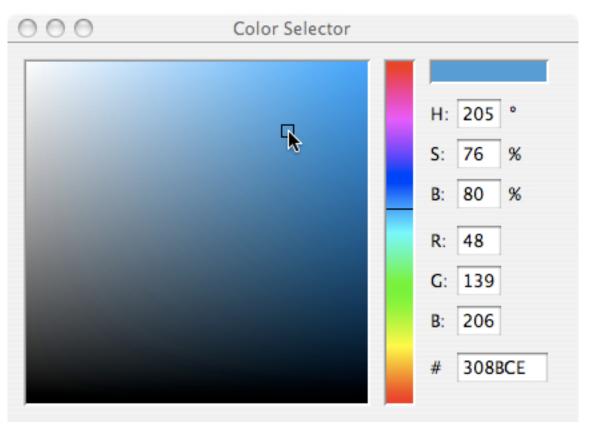
RGB COLOR

- 24-bit full color
- 8-bit for each colour of red, green and blue (3 x 8)
- eg. background(255,0,0); //red
 fill(48,139,206);



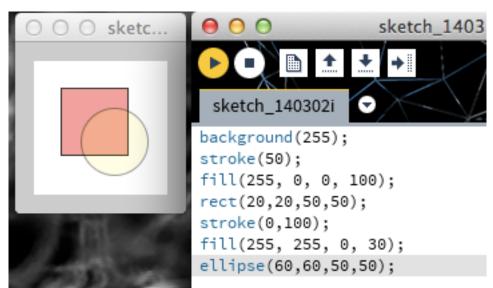
- Color selector tool





TRANSPARENCY (ALPHA VALUE)

- Alpha values also range from 0 to 255
- 0: completely transparent (i.e., 0% opaque)
- 255 completely opaque (i.e., 100% opaque).
- eg. fill(0,50); stroke(255,0,0,100);



- Transparency not applicable to background!

```
Example: Alpha transparency
size(200,200);
background(0);
noStroke();
// No fourth argument means 100% opacity.
fill(0,0,255);
rect(0,0,100,200);
// 255 means 100% opacity.
fill(255,0,0,255);
rect(0,0,200,40);
// 75% opacity.
fill(255,0,0,191);
rect(0,50,200,40);
// 55% opacity.
fill(255,0,0,127);
rect(0,100,200,40);
// 25% opacity.
fill(255,0,0,63);
```

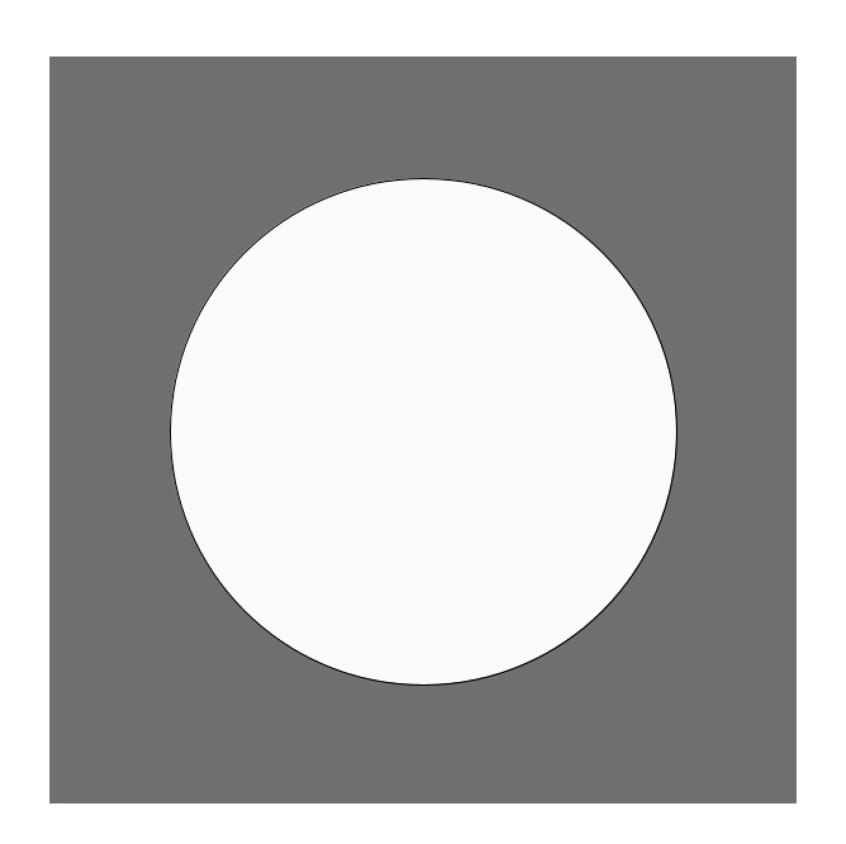
rect(0,150,200,40);

COLOR

```
    fill(50); // grayscale color
    fill(50, 100); // grayscale color with transparency
    fill(50, 100, 150); // rgb color
    fill(50, 100, 150, 200); // rgb color with transparency
```

EXERCISE 1

- Write a structured program that
 - gives a display window of dimension 600×600
 - has a changing background color from white to black, then white to black again continuously
 - draws a circle of radius 200 (width, height=400) at the middle of the canvas



SUGGESTED CODE TO EXERCISE 1

- Background color is updated in every frame, thus background(bg) has to be put inside void draw() but not void setup()
- bg = bg 1; Background color is
 decreased by 1 each time 255,
 254, 253, ..., 2, 1, 0
- After drawing background(0)
 (black), bg = 0 1, then bg =
 -1; thus bg is reset to 255
 (white) again
- The dimension of the canvas is 600×600 , thus centre of the canvas is (300,300)
- Although the circle is static (not changing), but it has to be drawn again each time after the background color is updated

```
wk1_exercise_01 | Processing 3.2.1
  wk1_exercise_01
 // Suggested solution to Exercise 1
 // Declare and initialize
  // background color bg to white 255
 int bg = 255;
 void setup() {
   // Define display window size
    size(600,600);
void draw() {
   // Change background color
    background(bg);
   // Decrease bg by 1
   bg = bg - 1;
   // check if bg < 0 (black is 0)</pre>
   if (bg == -1)
      bg = 255; // If so, reset the value of bg to 255
   // Draw a circle of width & height = 400
   // with its center at coordinates (300, 300)
    ellipse(300, 300, 400, 400);
```

VARIABLE DECLARATION & INITIALISATION

- data_type variable_name = init_value;
 int a = 10;
- Variable naming rules:
 - Must be one word (no spaces)
 - Must start with a letter
 - Can include numbers; but not start with a number
 - Can include underscore "_"
 - Must be unique
 - CANNOT be the same as system variables, e.g.,
 - mouseX, mouseY, width, height, frameCount, key, keyCode, keyPressed, mousePressed, mouseButton

DATA TYPES

Name	Value range	Example
boolean	true or false (1 bit)	boolean T = true, F = false;
char	0 to 65535 (16 bits)	<pre>char myChar1='A', myChar2='\$';</pre>
byte	-128 to 127 (8 bits)	byte b = -128;
int	-2147483648 to 2147483647 (32 bits)	int number = 800, temp = -1;
float	3.40282347E+38 to -3.40282347E+38(32 bits)	float b = -2.984;
color	16,777,216 colors (32 bits)	color c1 = color(204,153,0), c2 = #FFCC00;

```
int x;  // Declare the variable x of type int
float y;  // Declare the variable y of type float
boolean b;  // Declare the variable b of type boolean
x = 50;  // Assign the value 50 to x
y = 12.6;  // Assign the value 12.6 to y
b = true;  // Assign the value true to b
```

ASCII TABLE

```
Dec Hx Oct Html Chr
                                                                               Dec Hx Oct Html Chr
Dec Hx Oct Char
                                      Dec Hx Oct Html Chr
                                                                               96 60 140 @#96;
                                      32 20 040   Space
                                                            64 40 100 @ 0
    0 000 NUL (null)
      001 SOH (start of heading)
                                      33 21 041 4#33;
                                                            65 41 101 A A
                                                                               97 61 141 @#97;
                                      34 22 042 @#34; "
                                                            66 42 102 a#66; B
                                                                               98 62 142 b b
      002 STX (start of text)
 3
    3
      003 ETX (end of text)
                                      35 23 043 4#35; #
                                                            67 43 103 C C
                                                                               99 63 143 4#99; C
    4 004 EOT (end of transmission)
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      005 ENQ (enquiry)
    6
      006 ACK (acknowledge)
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                                                                              102 66 146 f f
                                      39 27 047 4#39;
                                                            71 47 107 @#71; G
                                                                              103 67 147 @#103; g
    7 007 BEL (bell)
                                       40 28 050 6#40;
                                                            72 48 110 @#72; H
                                                                              104 68 150 @#104; h
    8 010 BS
              (backspace)
                                       41 29 051 ) )
                                                            73 49 111 I I
                                                                              105 69 151 4#105; 1
   9 011 TAB
             (horizontal tab)
   A 012 LF
              (NL line feed, new line)
                                      42 2A 052 *
                                                            74 4A 112 @#74; J
                                                                              106 6A 152 @#106; j
   B 013 VT
                                       43 2B 053 + +
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                                                                              107 6B 153 k k
              (vertical tab)
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                                                            76 4C 114 @#76; L
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   C 014 FF
              (NP form feed, new page)
   D 015 CR
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                                                            77 4D 115 M M
                                                                              109 6D 155 m m
              (carriage return)
                                                            78 4E 116 @#78; N
14 E 016 SO
              (shift out)
                                       46 2E 056 .
                                                                              110 6E 156 n n
                                                            79 4F 117 6#79; 0
15 F 017 SI
              (shift in)
                                      47 2F 057 /
                                                                              111 6F 157 @#111; 0
                                       48 30 060 @#48; 0
                                                            80 50 120 @#80; P
16 10 020 DLE (data link escape)
                                                                              112 70 160 @#112; p
17 11 021 DC1 (device control 1)
                                       49 31 061 4#49; 1
                                                            81 51 121 6#81; 0
                                                                              113 71 161 q q
                                       50 32 062 2 2
                                                            82 52 122 @#82; R
                                                                              114 72 162 @#114; r
18 12 022 DC2 (device control 2)
                                       51 33 063 4#51; 3
                                                            83 53 123 4#83; $
                                                                              115 73 163 @#115; 3
19 13 023 DC3 (device control 3)
                                       52 34 064 4 4
20 14 024 DC4 (device control 4)
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21 15 025 NAK (negative acknowledge)
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                                                                              117 75 165 u u
                                      54 36 066 @#54; 6
                                                            86 56 126 V V
                                                                              118 76 166 v ♥
22 16 026 SYN (synchronous idle)
                                      55 37 067 4#55; 7
23 17 027 ETB (end of trans. block)
                                                            87 57 127 @#87; W
                                                                              119 77 167 w ₩
24 18 030 CAN (cancel)
                                      56 38 070 4#56; 8
                                                            88 58 130 X X
                                                                              120 78 170 @#120; X
25 19 031 EM
              (end of medium)
                                      57 39 071 4#57; 9
                                                            89 59 131 6#89; Y
                                                                              121 79 171 y Y
                                                            90 5A 132 @#90; Z
26 1A 032 SUB
              (substitute)
                                      58 3A 072 4#58; :
                                                                              122 7A 172 z Z
                                                            91 5B 133 [ [
                                                                              123 7B 173 @#123; {
27 1B 033 ESC (escape)
                                      59 3B 073 &#59; ;
                                      60 3C 074 < <
                                                            92 50 134 @#92; \
                                                                              124 7C 174 |
28 1C 034 FS
              (file separator)
29 1D 035 <mark>GS</mark>
              (group separator)
                                      61 3D 075 = =
                                                            93 5D 135 ] ]
                                                                              125 7D 175 } }
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                                                                              126 7E 176 ~
30 1E 036 RS
              (record separator)
                                      63 3F 077 ? ?
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31 1F 037 US
              (unit separator)
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EXAMPLE 2 DATA TYPE

```
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poolean a = false;
_{2} char b = '1';
3 char c = 97;
4 byte d = -128;
5 int e = 2047;
6 float f = 3.1415;
7 	ext{ float } g = 3;
  color h = color(204, 153, 0); 
9 color i = #FFCC00;
println(a);
println(b);
println(c);
println(d);
println(e);
println(f);
println(g);
println(h);
println(i);
```

```
false
1
a
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3.1415
3.0
-3368704
-13312
```

DATA TYPES

```
Conversion
Data
               binary()
               boolean()
Primitive
               byte()
boolean
               char()
byte
               float()
char
               hex()
color
               int()
double
               str()
float
               unbinary()
int
               unhex()
long
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```
float f = 65.0;
int i = int(f);
println(f + " : " + i); // Prints "65.0 : 65"
char c = 'E';
i = int(c);
println(c + " : " + i); // Prints "E : 69"
boolean b = false;
byte y = -28;
char c = 'R';
float f = -32.6;
int i = 1024;
String sb = str(b);
String sy = str(y);
String sc = str(c);
String sf = str(f);
String si = str(i);
sb = sb + sy + sc + sf + si;
println(sb); // Prints 'false-28R-32.61024'
```

MOUSE EVENTS

- mouseX, mouseY
- pmouseX, pmouseY
- mouseMoved()
- mouseDragged()
- mousePressed(), mousePressed returns true or false
- mouseClicked()
- mouseReleased()
- mouseButton returns LEFT, RIGHT, or CENTER
- cursor(), noCursor()

KEYBOARD EVENTS

- key
- keyCode
 - To detect special keys such as UP, DOWN, LEFT, ALT, CONTROL SHIFT
- keyPressed() & keyPressed
- keyReleased()
- keyTyped()

```
color fillVal = color(126);
void draw() {
  fill(fillVal);
  rect(25, 25, 50, 50);
void keyPressed() {
  if (key == CODED) {
    if (keyCode == UP) {
      fillVal = 255;
    } else if (keyCode == DOWN) {
      fillVal = 0;
  } else {
    fillVal = 126;
```

EXAMPLE 3

```
wk1_example_03_doodling
 void setup() {
    size(600, 400);
    background(0);
    stroke(0);
 void draw() {
void mouseDragged() {
    float d = dist(mouseX, mouseY, pmouseX, pmouseY);
    ellipse(mouseX, mouseY, d, d);
13 }
void keyPressed() {
    background(0);
```