

## Introduction to Turtle Graphics

**Turtle graphics** is a term in computer graphics which means drawing using a relative cursor (the "turtle") upon a coordinate system.

In the following, a pattern is drawn using the commands of Turtle graphics.

<script>

```
var t_x = 0;
var t_y = 0;
var t_angle = 0.0;
var t_penIsDown = true;
var t_color = 128;
var t_weight = 1;
```

```
function t_start(x, y) {
  t_x = x;
  t_y = y;
}
```

```
function t_left(d) {
  t_angle -= d;
}
```

```
function t_right(d) {
  t_angle += d;
}
```

...

```
function setup() {
  createCanvas(300, 300);
  background(230);
  t_start(50, 100);
  t_penDown();
  t_setColor(0);
  for (var i = 1; i <= 50; i++) {
    t_forward(200);
    t_right(145);
  }
}
```

</script>

(Program A)

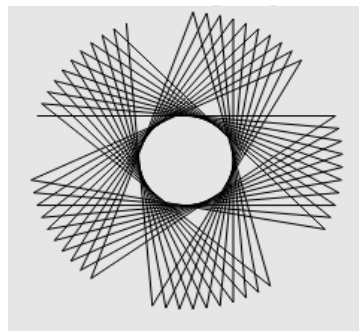
### Implementation of Turtle Graphics Operations:

- The global variables are values managed by Turtle commands. We do not use them directly in our code.
- The functions are the commands which we can use.

Below is a list of some commands:

t\_start(x, y) -- make a turtle at x, y, default facing right  
 t\_left(d) -- turn left by d degrees  
 t\_right(d) -- turn right by d degrees  
 t\_forward(p) -- move forward by p pixels  
 t\_back(p) -- move back by p pixels  
 t\_penDown() -- pen down  
 t\_penUp() -- pen up  
 t\_goto(x, y) -- go straight to this location  
 t\_setColor(color) -- set the drawing color

[<http://cmuems.com/2015c/deliverables/turtle-graphics/>]



Download Program A. Try out the following to know more about Turtle Graphics

- (a) In the setup() function, change the for-loop condition to each of the following. Observe the output.

- i<=1
- i<=2
- i<=100

- (b) Download and try program B -- It **animates** the sketching process. Observe how the pattern is created.

Change the draw() method as follows. You may need to modify setup() to improve the frameRate and the starting point.

#### //Variation 1

```
function draw() {
  background(230, 5);
  t_forward(frameCount * 0.5);
  t_right(215);
}
```

#### //Variation 2

```
function draw() {
  background(230, 2);
  t_forward(frameCount*0.1);
  t_right(10);
}
```

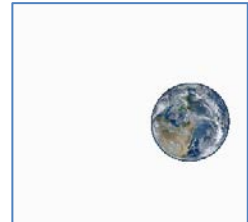
**Questions for Review and Preparation of Exam**

- \* In addition to the following, please also review the learned topics covered in the semester, including your practices in the class exercises + workshop assignments (particularly, e. g., Workshop 11 *Water drops* Level 1 + Level 2)

**Job 01** Play a sound and dance an image

Complete the following program that:

- loads a random sound file and an image (a.jpg)
- Play the sound
- Animate the image inside the canvas:
  - moving and rotating randomly but in a *legato* style (using noise)
  - resized according to the amplitude of the sound



```
var files = ["Canon.mp3", "DeerHunter.mp3", "Popeye.mp3"];
```

```
function preload() {
```

```
}
```

```
function setup() {  
  createCanvas(500, 500);
```

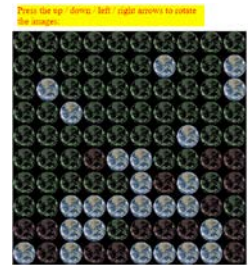
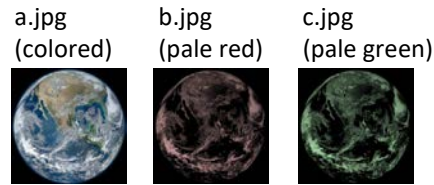
```
}
```

```
function draw() {
```

```
}
```

Job 02 Rotating rows and columns of images

Given 3 images:



Complete the given program that

- At each position in 10 rows x 10 columns, picks one image to show:  
 In row 0, the probability of showing a.jpg or b.jpg should be 0  
 In row 1, the probability of showing a.jpg or b.jpg should be 0.05 (i.e. 1/20)  
 In row 2, the probability of showing a.jpg or b.jpg should be 0.10 (i.e. 2/20)  
 In row 3, the probability of showing a.jpg or b.jpg should be 0.15 (i.e. 3/20)  
 ...  
 In row 9, the probability of showing a.jpg or b.jpg should be 0.45 (i.e. 9/20)  
  
 If a.jpg or b.jpg is not chosen, then c.jpg should be shown.
- The user can press the up / down / left / right arrows to rotate the images of rows and columns.

```
var arr = [
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0],
  [0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0, 0]
];

var files = ["a.jpg", "b.jpg", "c.jpg"];

function preload() {

}

function setup() {
  createCanvas(500, 500);

}

function draw() {

}

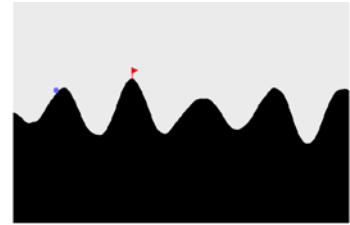
//
function keyPressed() {
  if (keyCode == UP_ARROW) {
```

Job 03 Rolling a ball on the hills.

Complete the given program that creates as the given animation.

Note:

- The hills should be generated using the **sin function** and noise.
- The flag should be placed at the highest peak of the hills
- The ball rolling to and from the left/right margins of the canvas



```
var h = []; //height levels
```

```
function setup() {  
  createCanvas(600, 400);
```

```
}
```

```
function draw() {  
  background(235);
```

```
}
```

```
//Step 2: the flag function
```

```
function flag(_____) {
```

```
}
```