

2D Shapes

Creative Coding & Generative Art in Processing 2

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Did you do this?

- Read Chapter 2 (pages 33-50)
- Read and do the **Coordinate Systems & Shapes** and **Color** tutorials on processing.org
- Review Processing commands:

```
size(), background(), 2D shapes: point(), line(), triangle(),  
rectangle(), quad(), ellipse().
```

- Attributes and modes:

```
stroke(), noStroke(), strokeWeight(), fill(), noFill(),  
rectMode(), ellipseMode().
```

- Color values (grayscale and RGB) and transparency.
- Understand the concept of an algorithm, pseudocode, syntax, and sequencing
- Have an idea for the design of your Assignment#1?

Drawing Basics

- **Canvas – computer screen**
`size (width, height) ;`
- **Drawing Tools – shape commands**
- **Colors – grayscale or RGB**
`background (125) ;`



Drawing Tools - Basic Shapes

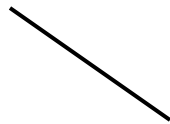
➤ Point



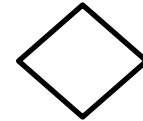
➤ Arc



➤ Line



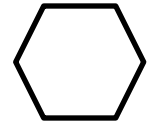
➤ Quad



➤ Triangle



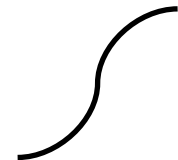
➤ Polygon



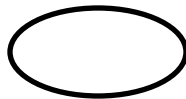
➤ Rectangle



➤ Curve



➤ Ellipse



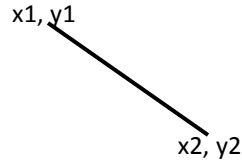
Drawing Tools - Basic Shapes

➤ Point



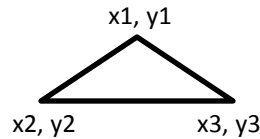
`point(x, y);`

➤ Line



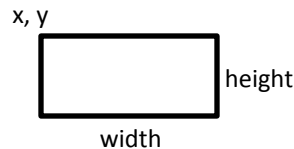
`line(x1, y1, x2, y2);`

➤ Triangle



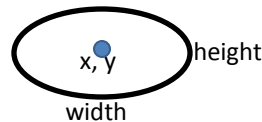
`triangle(x1, y1, x2, y2, x3, y3);`

➤ Rectangle



`rect(x, y, width, height);`

➤ Ellipse



`ellipse(x, y, width, height);`

Drawing & Shape Attributes

- **Anti-aliasing**
 - smooth();
 - noSmooth();
- **Stroke**
 - noStroke();
 - strokeWeight(<pixel width>);
 - stroke(<stroke color>);
- **Fill**
 - noFill();
 - fill(<fill color>);

Drawing Tools - Basic Shapes

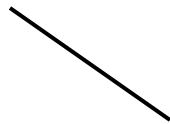
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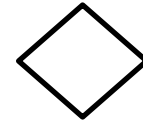
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➤ Line



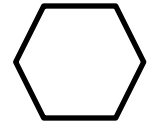
➤ Quad



➤ Triangle



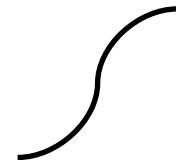
➤ Polygon



➤ Rectangle



➤ Curve

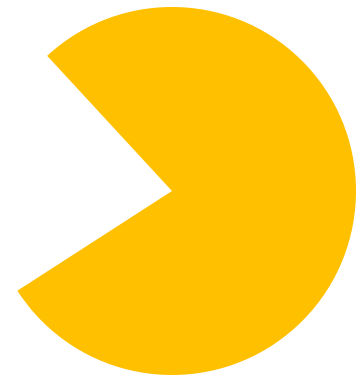
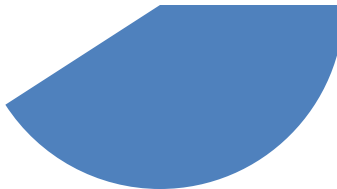
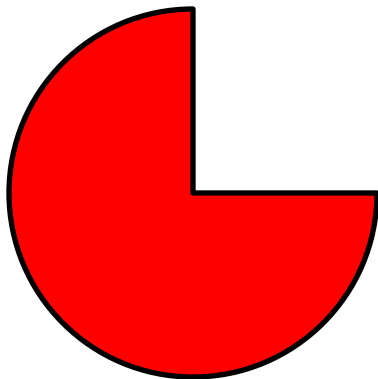
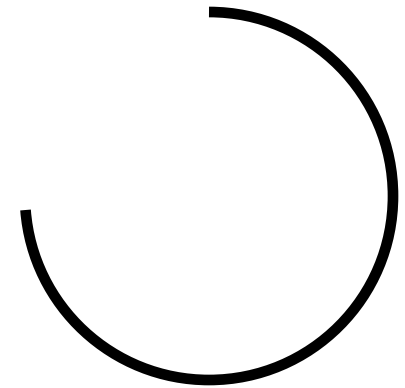
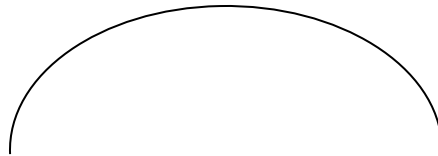
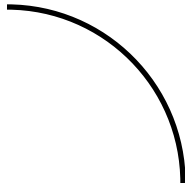


➤ Ellipse



Basic Shapes: Arcs

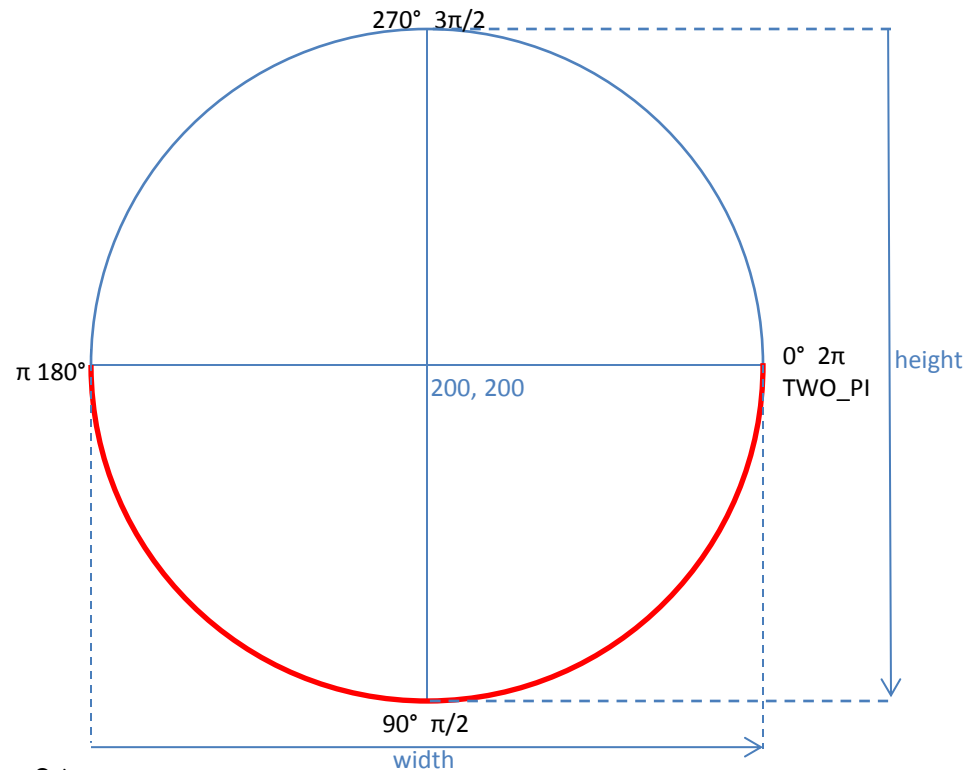
- What is an arc?



Basic Shapes: Arcs

`arc(x, y, width, height, startAngle, endAngle);`

- degrees vs radians

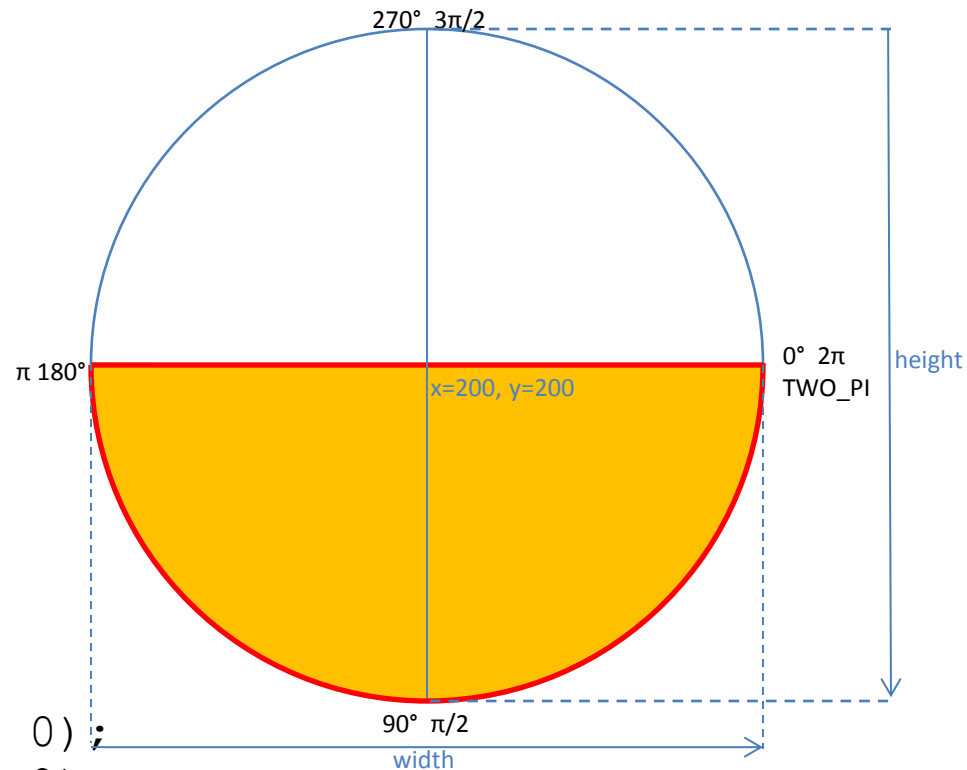


```
noFill();  
stroke(255, 0, 0);  
arc(200, 200, 150, 150, 0, PI);
```

Basic Shapes: Arcs

`arc(x, y, width, height, startAngle, endAngle);`

- degrees vs radians



```
fill(255, 255, 0);  
stroke(255, 0, 0);  
arc(200, 200, 150, 150, 0, PI);
```

Basic Shapes: Arcs



start = 30 degs
end = 302 degs



start = 59 degs
end = 230 degs



start = 169 degs
end = 316 degs



start = 96 degs
end = 265 degs



start = 2 degs
end = 339 degs



start = 116 degs
end = 281 degs



start = 1 degs
end = 326 degs



start = 34 degs
end = 213 degs



start = 97 degs
end = 189 degs



start = 91 degs
end = 316 degs



start = 24 degs
end = 270 degs



start = 23 degs
end = 350 degs



start = 81 degs
end = 225 degs



start = 77 degs
end = 312 degs



start = 17 degs
end = 280 degs



start = 134 degs
end = 287 degs

Basic Shapes: Quadrilaterals

```
quad(x1, y1, x2, y2, x3, y3, x4, y4);
```



```
noStroke();  
fill(12, 37, 80);  
quad(100, 50, 150, 100, 100, 150, 50, 100);
```



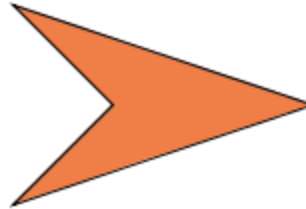
```
fill(240, 127, 71);  
quad(100, 50, 200, 50, 250, 100, 100, 100);
```



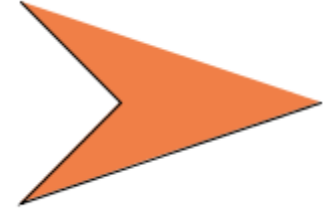
```
noStroke();  
fill(163, 208, 193);  
quad(100, 50, 150, 100, 100, 150, 250, 100);
```

Basic Shapes: Polygons

```
beginShape ();  
vertex(x1, y1);  
...  
vertex(xN, yN);  
endShape(CLOSE);
```



```
fill(240, 127, 71);  
beginShape();  
  vertex(100, 50);  
  vertex(150, 100);  
  vertex(100, 150);  
  vertex(250, 100);  
endShape(CLOSE);
```



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fill(240, 127, 71);  
beginShape();  
  vertex(100, 50);  
  vertex(150, 100);  
  vertex(100, 150);  
  vertex(250, 100);  
endShape();
```

Basic Shapes: Curves

```
curve(cpx1, cpy1, x1, y1, x2, y2, cpx2, cpy2);
```

cpx1,cpy1- control point#1

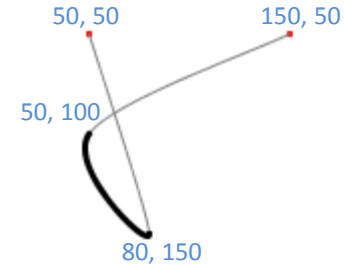
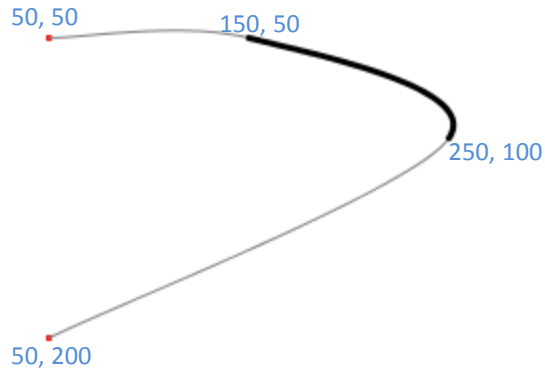
x1, y1 - start of curve

x2, y2 - end of curve

cpx2,cpy2- control point#2

Draws a Catmull-Rom Spline between x1, y1 and x2, y2

Examples:

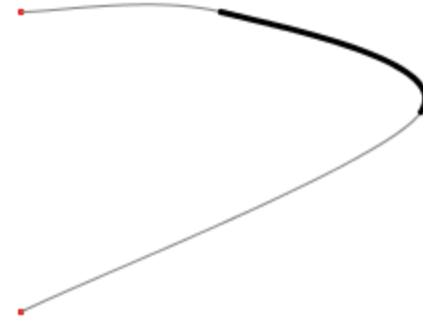


```
curve(50, 50, 150, 50, 250, 100, 50, 200);
```

```
curve(50, 50, 80, 150, 150, 50, 50, 100);
```

More Complex Curves

```
beginShape () ;  
curveVertex (x1, y1) ;  
...  
curveVertex (xN, yN) ;  
endShape (CLOSE) ;
```



```
curve(50, 50, 150, 50, 250, 100, 50, 200);
```

```
beginShape () ;  
curveVertex (50, 50) ;  
curveVertex (150, 50) ;  
curveVertex (250, 100) ;  
curveVertex (50, 200) ;  
endShape () ;
```

Example: A Penguin

```
// penguin
size(400, 500);
smooth();

background(0);
stroke(245, 63, 55);
strokeWeight(3);
fill(0);

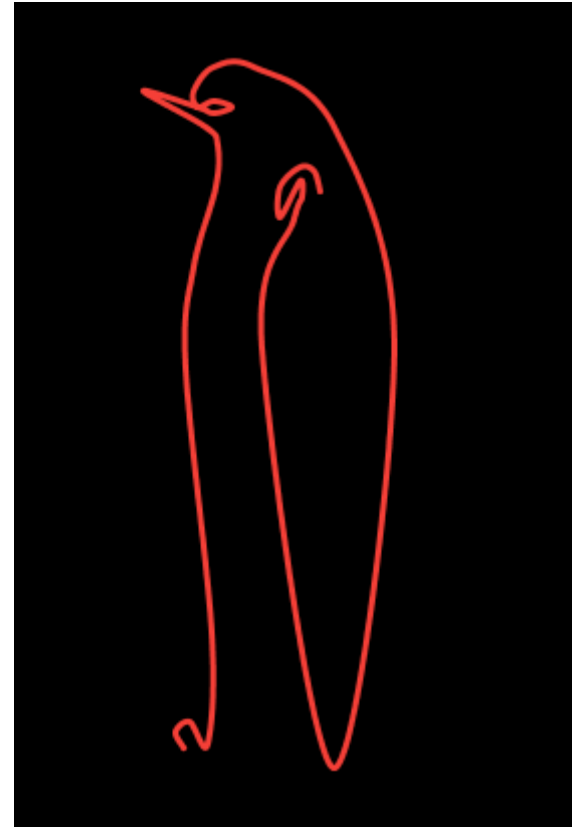
beginShape();
curveVertex(105, 400);
curveVertex(105, 400);
curveVertex(101, 392);
curveVertex(108, 387);
curveVertex(117, 398);
curveVertex(119, 342);
curveVertex(106, 210);
curveVertex(110, 160);
curveVertex(121, 120);
curveVertex(122, 99);
curveVertex(116, 90);

curveVertex(85, 72);
curveVertex(112, 80);
curveVertex(120, 83);
curveVertex(129, 80);
curveVertex(120, 77);

curveVertex(112, 80);
curveVertex(110, 72);
curveVertex(120, 60);
curveVertex(140, 60);
curveVertex(180, 90);

curveVertex(210, 200);
curveVertex(180, 410);
curveVertex(144, 200);
curveVertex(160, 136);
curveVertex(164, 125);
curveVertex(163, 117);
curveVertex(153, 135);
curveVertex(153, 120);
curveVertex(163, 110);
curveVertex(170, 112);
curveVertex(173, 122);
curveVertex(173, 122);

endShape();
```



Review: Drawing Basics

- **Canvas**

`size(width, height)`

- **Drawing Tools**

`point(x, y)`

`line(x1, y1, x2, y2)`

`triangle(x1, y1, x2, y2, x3, y3)`

`quad(x1, y1, x2, y2, x3, y3, x4, y4)`

`rect(x, y width, height)`

`ellipse(x, y, width, height)`

`arc(x, y, width, height, startAngle, endAngle)`

`curve(cpx1, cpy1, x1, y1, x2, y2, cpx2, cpy2)`

`beginShape()`

`endShape(CLOSE)`

`vertex(x, y)`

`curveVertex(x, y)`

- **Colors**

`grayscale [0..255], RGB [0..255],[0..255],[0..255], alpha [0..255]`

`background(color)`

- **Drawing & Shape Attributes**

`smooth(), noSmooth()`

`stroke(color), noStroke(), strokeWeight(pixelWidth)`

`fill(color), noFill()`



Simple Program Structure

```
// Create and set canvas  
size(width, height);  
smooth();  
background(color);  
  
// Draw something  
...  
// Draw something else  
...  
// etc.
```

Simple Program Structure

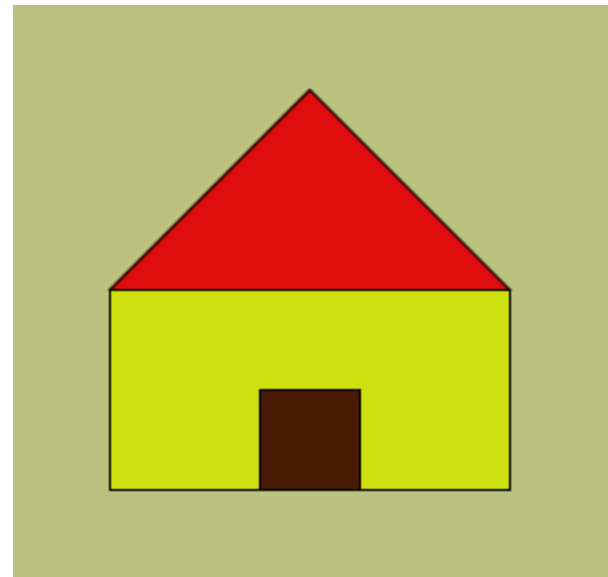
```
// Draw a simple house
// Create and set canvas

size(300, 300);
smooth();
background(187, 193, 127);

// wall
fill(206, 224, 14);
rect(50, 150, 200, 100);

// Draw Door
fill(72, 26, 2);
rect(125, 200, 50, 50);

// Draw roof
fill(224, 14, 14);
triangle(50, 150, 150, 50, 250, 150);
```



Variables: Naming Values

- **Values**

42, 3.14159, 2013, “Hi, my name is Joe!”, true, false, etc.

- **Numbers**

- **Integers**

```
int meaningOfLife = 42;  
int year = 2013;
```

- **Floating point numbers**

```
float pi = 3.14159;
```

- **Strings**

```
String greeting = “Hi, my name is Joe!”;
```

- **Boolean**

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boolean keyPressed = true;
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Variables: Naming Rules & Conventions

- Names begin with a letter, an underscore (_), or a dollar sign (\$)

Examples: `weight`, `_meaningOfLife`, `$value`

- Names may include numbers, but only after the initial character

Examples: `value1`, `score5`, ~~`5bestFriends`~~

- No spaces are permitted in names

Examples: ~~`value 1`~~, ~~`dollar sign`~~

- Processing Conventions

- Names begin with a lowercase letter

Example: `meaningOfLife`, `highestScore`

- Constants are written in all caps

Example: `DAYS_IN_WEEK`, `PI` GXK2013

Variables: Declarations & Initialization

- Declaring variables

```
int meaningOfLife;  
int year;  
float pi;  
String greeting;  
boolean keyPressed;
```

- Initializing values in declarations

```
int meaningOfLife = 42;  
int year = 2013;  
float pi = 3.14159;  
String greeting = "Hi, my name is Joe!";  
boolean keyPressed = true;
```


The **color** type

- Processing has a type called **color**

```
color firebrick = color(178, 34, 34);  
color chartreuse = color(127, 255, 0);  
color fuchsia = color(255, 0, 255);
```

```
fill(firebrick);  
rect(50, 100, 75, 125);
```



Expressions: Doing Arithmetic

- **Assignment statement**

`<variable> = <expression>;`

Examples:

```
meaningOfLife = 42;
area = length * height;
perc =statePop/totalPop*100.0;
```

- **Operators**

+	(addition)
-	(subtraction)
*	(multiplication)
/	(division)
%	(modulus)

Example:

```
mouth_x = ( (leftIris_x + irisDiam)/2 + eyeWidth )/4;
```

Using Variables

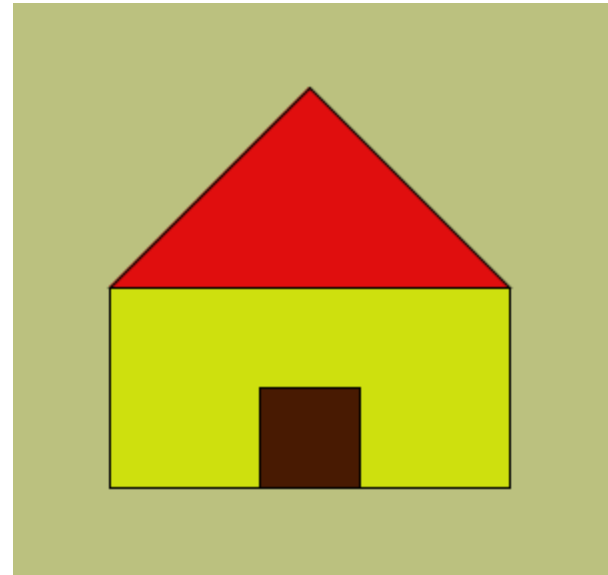
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smooth();
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rect(125, 200, 50, 50);

// Draw roof
fill(224, 14, 14);
triangle(50, 150, 150, 50, 250, 150);
```



A Better House Sketch

```
// Draw a simple house
int houseX = 50;           // bottom left corner of house
int houseY = 250;

int houseHeight = 200;    // overall width and height of house
int houseWidth = 200;

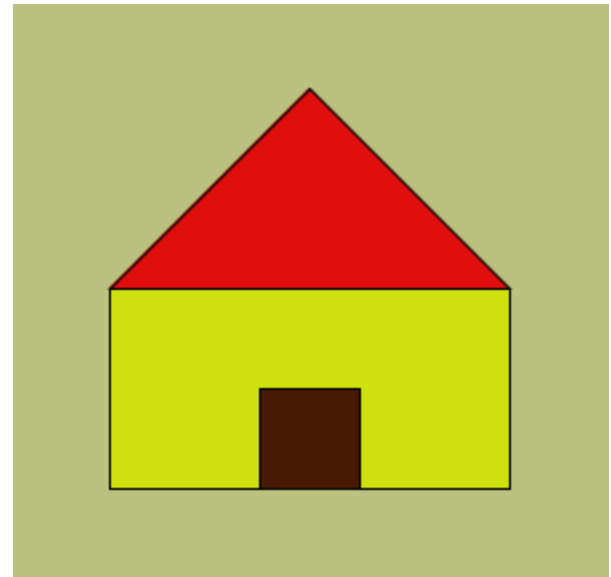
int wallHeight = houseHeight/2; // height of wall is 1/2 of house height
int roofHeight = houseHeight/2;
int doorHeight = houseHeight/4;
int doorWidth = houseWidth/4;

// Create and set canvas
size(300, 300);
smooth();
background(187, 193, 127);

// wall
fill(206, 224, 14);
rect(houseX, houseY - wallHeight,
     houseWidth, wallHeight);

// Draw Door
fill(72, 26, 2);
rect(houseX + houseWidth/2 - doorWidth/2, houseY-doorHeight,
     doorWidth, doorHeight);

// Draw roof
fill(224, 14, 14);
triangle(houseX, houseY - wallHeight,
         houseX+houseWidth/2, houseY-houseHeight,
         houseX+houseWidth, houseY-wallHeight);
```



A Better House Sketch

```
// Draw a simple house
int houseX = 50;           // bottom left corner of house
int houseY = 250;

int houseHeight = 100;    // overall width and height of house
int houseWidth = 100;

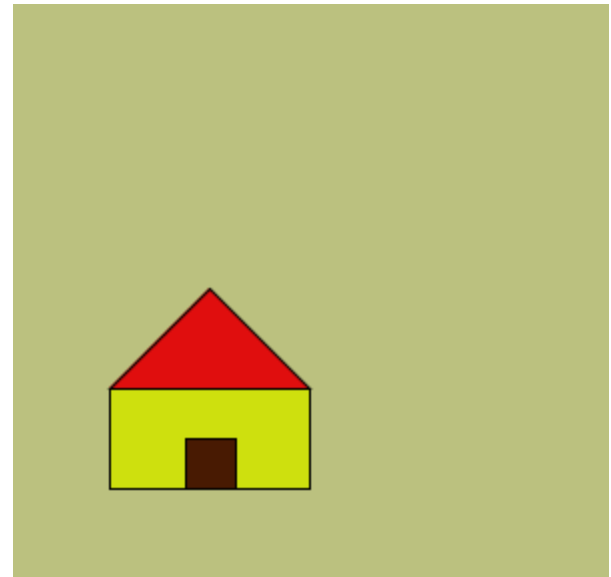
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int roofHeight = houseHeight/2;
int doorHeight = houseHeight/4;
int doorWidth = houseWidth/4;

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smooth();
background(187, 193, 127);

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rect(houseX, houseY - wallHeight,
     houseWidth, wallHeight);

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rect(houseX + houseWidth/2 - doorWidth/2, houseY-doorHeight,
     doorWidth, doorHeight);

// Draw roof
fill(224, 14, 14);
triangle(houseX, houseY - wallHeight,
         houseX+houseWidth/2, houseY-houseHeight,
         houseX+houseWidth, houseY-wallHeight);
```



Arithmetic with **int** and **float** values

<code>int x = 42;</code>	<i>vs</i>	<code>int x = 42.0;</code>
<code>float x = 42.0</code>	<i>vs</i>	<code>float x = 42;</code>
<code>float x = 7/2;</code>	<i>vs</i>	<code>float x = 7.0/2.0;</code>

Arithmetic with **int** and **float** values

```
int x = 42;           vs   int x = 42.0;           // error
float x = 42.0        vs   float x = 42;           // same 42.0
float x = 7/2;     vs   float x = 7.0/2.0; // 3.0 vs 3.5
```

- Type of variable is important and determines the value that can be assigned to it.
- Result of division depends upon operands

int/int	yields an integer result
float/int	yields a float result
int/float	yields a float result
float/float	yields a float result

Processing: Predefined Variables

- **width, height**

The width & height of the canvas used in the sketch

- **PI, HALF_PI, TWO_PI**

For different values of π . Note that

```
HALF_PI = PI/2  
TWO_PI = 2*PI
```

- **displayWidth, displayHeight**

The width and height of the monitor being used. This is useful in running fullscreen sketches using:

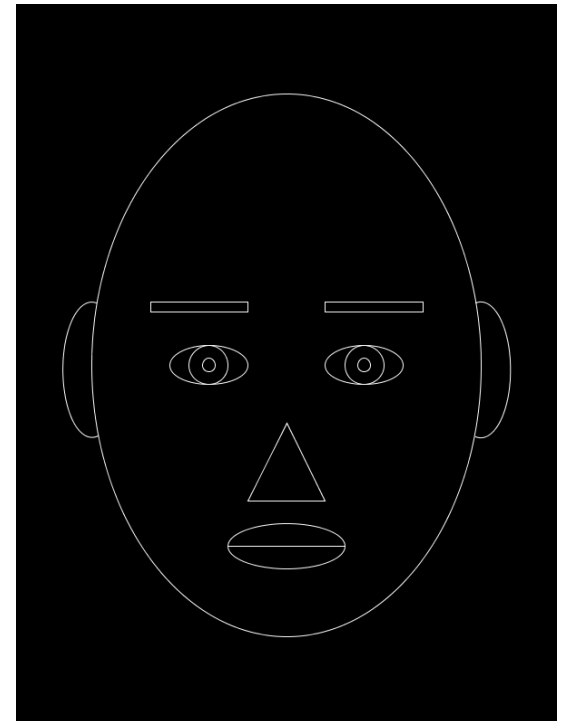
```
size(displayWidth, displayHeight);
```

- **mouseX, mouseY**

The current mouse location in sketch (...coming soon!)

Homework

- Finish reading Chapter 2
- Review and try out all the new commands
- Study the “Face” sketch



Extra: Drawing Text

text(string, x, y);

Draws string with bottom left corner at x, y

textSize(fontSize);

Can be used to specify font size

fill() can be used to specify color

See Reference for using fonts and other options.



```
size(300, 300);  
background(185, 216, 153);  
  
textSize(32);  
text("Processing", 25, 100);  
textSize(40);  
fill(40, 62, 17);  
text("Processing", 25, 150);  
textSize(50);  
fill(160, 20, 5);  
text("Processing", 25, 200);
```

