

Sistema Solar 3D

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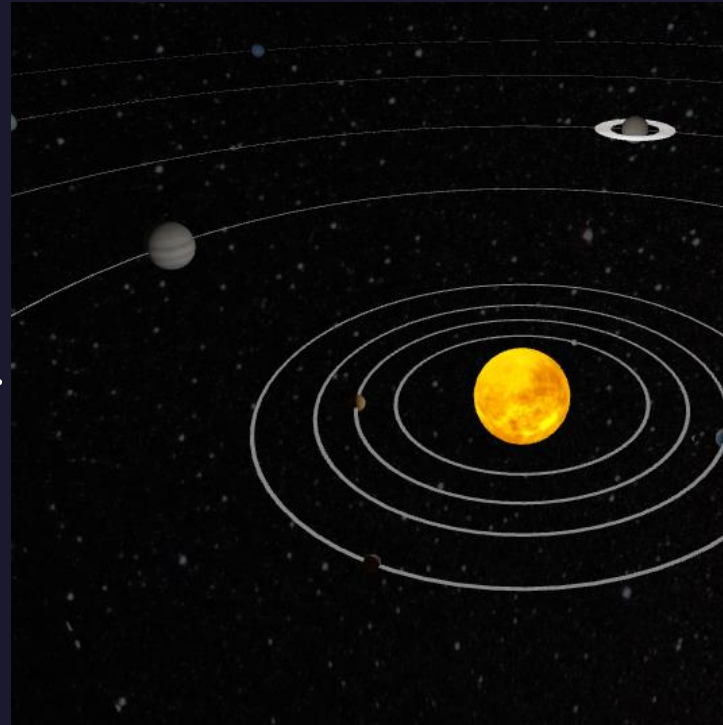
Main Idea

Create an interactive solar system in 3D, allowing the user to explore planets, learn about the solar system, and play two mini-games (Asteroids and Exploration).

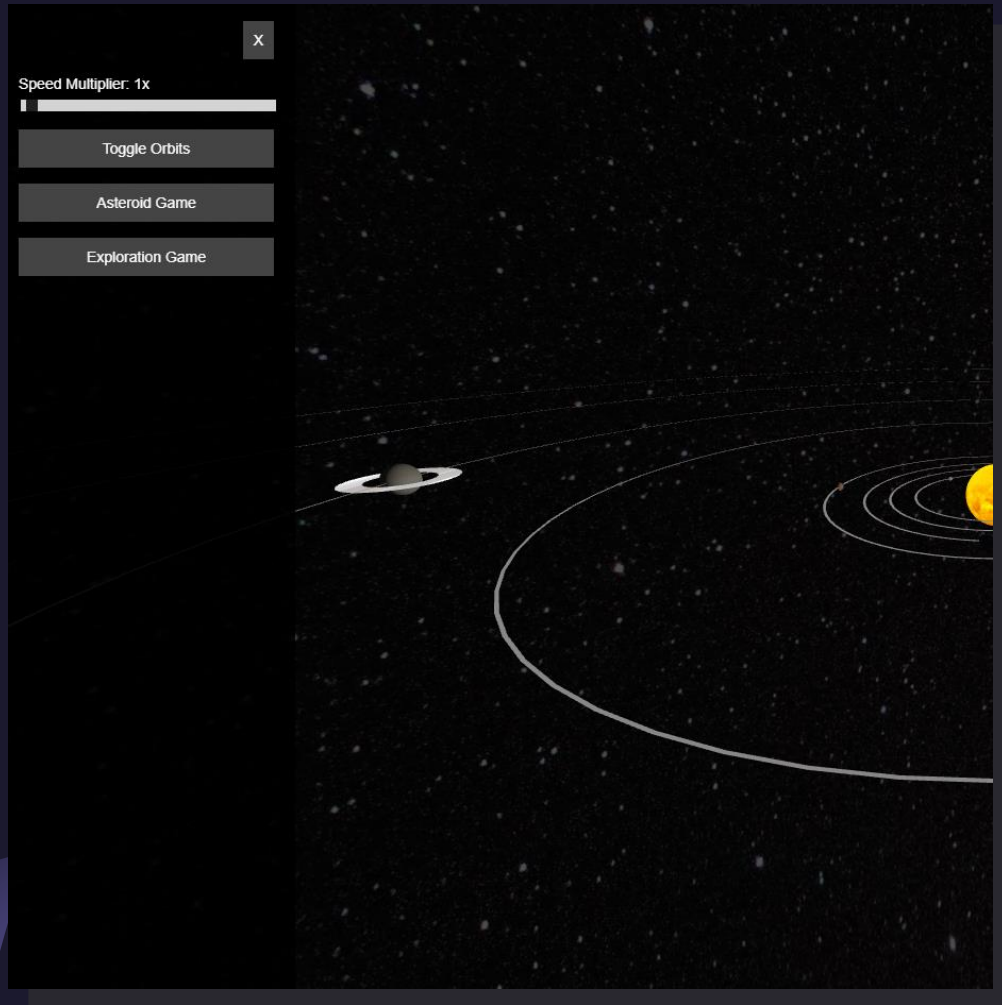
Built with Three.js and custom JavaScript logic.

Demo:

antoniospmoreira13.github.io/ICG-projeto/



Initial Menu and Navigation



Floating menu (Drawer) allows the user to:

- Adjust orbital speed
- Toggle planet orbits
- Access Asteroid Game
- Access Exploration Game
- Instructions and controls available for each mode.

Models and Scene Graph

- Sun, 8 planets, and the Moon, each with realistic textures
- Saturn's dynamic ring
- Custom rocket model for games
- Asteroids, coins, and backgrounds all generated in Three.js
- Planets are objects in the scene graph, with their own position, orbit, and rotation logic

```
// Ship shape options
const SHIP_SHAPES = [
  {
    name: 'Rocket',
    geometry: () => {
      const group = new THREE.Group();

      const textureLoader = new THREE.TextureLoader();
      const metalTexture = textureLoader.load('texture/Rocket.webp');

      // Metal-like material options
      const metalWhite = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ map: metalTexture, metalness: 1, roughness: 0.3 });
      const metalRed = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ color: 0xff0000, metalness: 0.7, roughness: 0.3 });
      const metalBlue = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ color: 0x3399ff, emissive: 0x112244, metalness: 0.3, roughness: 0.2 });
      const metalBlack = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ color: 0x000000, metalness: 0.9, roughness: 0.1 });
      const flameMat = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ color: 0xffa500, emissive: 0xff6600, metalness: 0.2, roughness: 0.1 });

      // Body
      const bodyGeo = new THREE.CylinderGeometry(0.7, 0.7, 2.5, 16).toNonIndexed();
      group.add(new THREE.Mesh(bodyGeo, metalWhite));

      // Nose
      const noseGeo = new THREE.ConeGeometry(0.7, 1, 24).toNonIndexed();
      noseGeo.translate(0, 1.75, 0);
      group.add(new THREE.Mesh(noseGeo, metalRed));

      // Windows
      const windowGeo1 = new THREE.CylinderGeometry(0.3, 0.3, 0.1, 16).toNonIndexed();
      windowGeo1.translate(-0.5, 0.7, 0);
      windowGeo1.rotateX(Math.PI);
      windowGeo1.rotateZ(-Math.PI / 2);
      group.add(new THREE.Mesh(windowGeo1, metalBlue));
    }
  }
];
```

Animation

- Orbital and rotational movement of all planets
- Moon orbits Earth in real time
- Rockets, asteroids, and coins are animated in their respective games
- Camera follows selected planet or rocket in a smooth third-person perspective

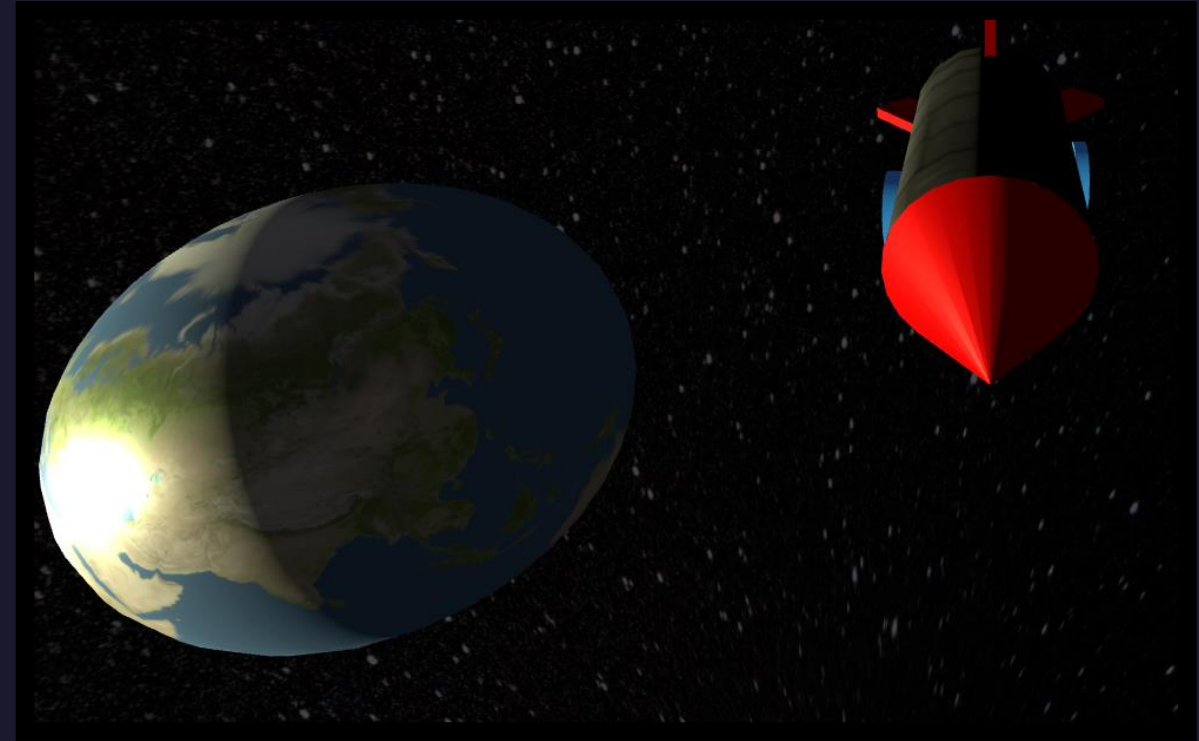
```
export function animateSolarSystem(planets, paused) {
  if (!paused) {
    planets.forEach(planet => {
      // Atualizar órbita e rotação dos planetas
      planet.angle += planet.speed;
      planet.mesh.position.x = Math.cos(planet.angle) * planet.distance;
      planet.mesh.position.z = Math.sin(planet.angle) * planet.distance;
      planet.mesh.rotation.y += planet.rotationSpeed;

      // Atualizar órbita da Lua se ela existir
      if (planet.mesh.name === 'Earth' && planet.moon) {
        planet.moon.angle += planet.moon.speed;
        const moonX = Math.cos(planet.moon.angle) * planet.moon.distance;
        const moonZ = Math.sin(planet.moon.angle) * planet.moon.distance;
        planet.moon.mesh.position.set(
          moonX + planet.mesh.position.x,
          planet.mesh.position.y,
          moonZ + planet.mesh.position.z
        );

        // Synchronous rotation of the Moon
        planet.moon.mesh.rotation.y += planet.moon.rotationSpeed;
      }
    });
  }
}
```


Illumination

- Point light representing the Sun
- Ambient light for overall scene
- Emissive materials for Sun and some objects
- Dynamic shadows on planets and objects



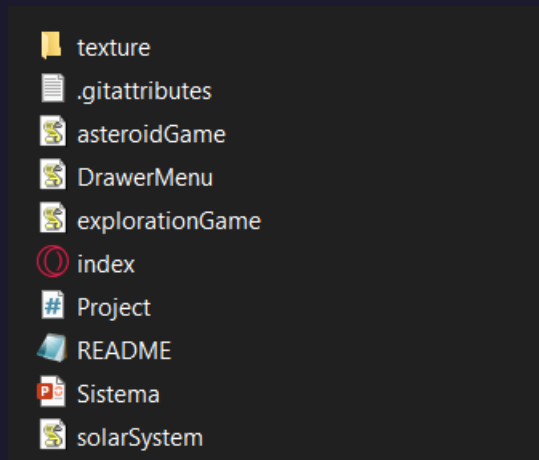
Effects

- Collisions, coin collection, and thrust (optional/bonus)
- Visual feedback: invulnerability flashing, score display, HUD for missions
- Star background for immersion



Development

Code modularized: solarSystem.js,
DrawerMenu.js, asteroidGame.js,
explorationGame.js



- State management for menu, pause, and active game

Main challenges:

- Managing large scale and camera transitions
- Ensuring performance with many objects
- Handling user inputs for multiple game modes

```
// Missões
missions = [
  { id: 1, description: "Visite Mercúrio", target: "Mercury", completed: false },
  { id: 2, description: "Visite Vênus", target: "Venus", completed: false },
  { id: 3, description: "Visite a Terra", target: "Earth", completed: false },
  { id: 4, description: "Visite Marte", target: "Mars", completed: false },
  { id: 5, description: "Visite Júpiter", target: "Jupiter", completed: false },
  { id: 6, description: "Visite Saturno", target: "Saturn", completed: false },
  { id: 7, description: "Visite Urano", target: "Uranus", completed: false },
  { id: 8, description: "Visite Netuno", target: "Neptune", completed: false }
];

// HUD
const hud = document.createElement('div');
hud.className = 'score-display';
hud.style.right = 'unset';
hud.style.left = '50%';
hud.style.transform = 'translateX(-50%)';
document.body.appendChild(hud);

// --- CONTROLES NOVOS ---
let velocity = 0;
let movingForward = false;
let movingBackward = false;
let pitch = 0;
let yaw = 0;

const controls = {
  w: false, s: false, a: false, d: false, shift: false, ctrl: false
};
```




Conclusions

- Achieved an interactive, educational and fun solar system project
- Explored advanced 3D graphics, animation, and game logic
- Next steps:
 - More missions and items
 - Multiplayer or leaderboard online
 - Deeper educational content