# Vector vs Raster Graphics



**Vector Graphics** 

Raster Graphics

### **Vector Graphics**

= Geometrical (mathematical) representation





## **Raster Graphics**

= Rectangular grid of colored elements



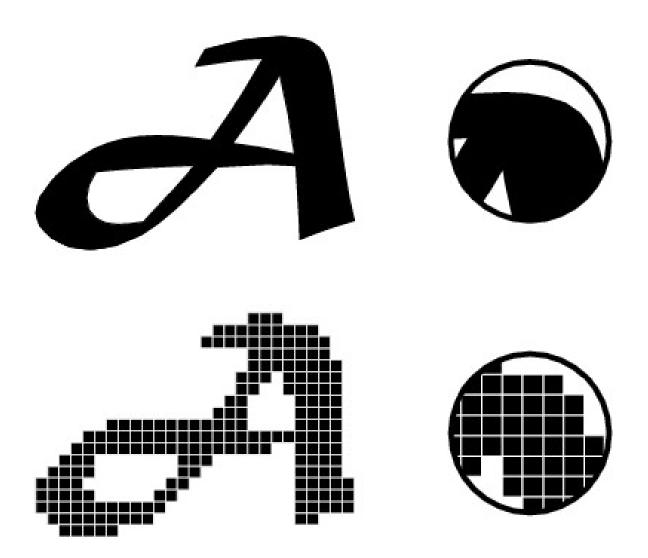


VECTOR VS RASTER

# Style



### Zoom



### **Arbitrary Content**

- Vector graphics is hard to make
  - General and fast

- Raster graphics is hard
  - To edit meaningufully
  - To store efficiently



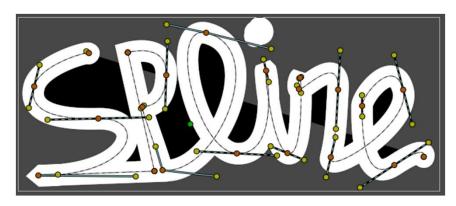


### Vector Graphics is used by Software

True Type Fonts

Illustrator

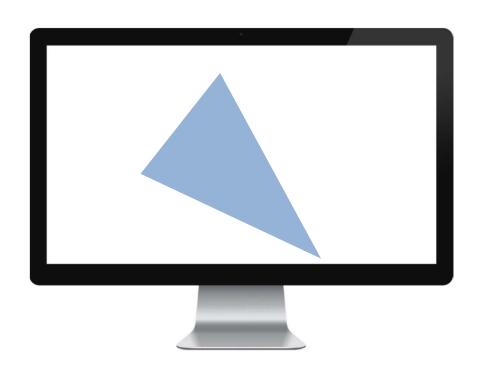
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## Monitor – Vector or Raster Graphics?



# Monitor – Raster Graphics

### Raster Graphics is used by Hardware

- Monitor
- Handy
- TV
- Digicam
- Printer
- Scanner
- VR/AR
  - Google Glass
  - Holo Lens
- Mouse
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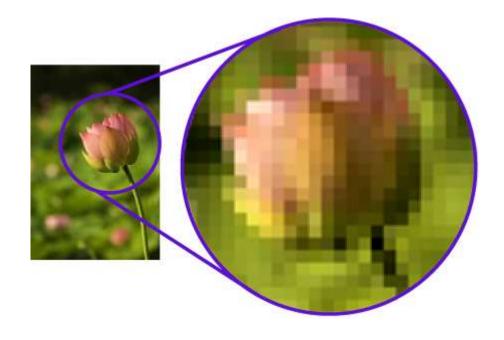




### Why is it used by hardware?

- Easy and cheap to produce
- Very fast
- Arbitrary content





### From Software to Hardware

Conversion from Vector Graphics into Raster Graphics



