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I am interested in creating a voxel implementation of Wave Function Collapse. The goal of the project is to procedurally generate large structures or terrain (that would otherwise be difficult to tedious to manually create) based on a small sample of input tiles. A secondary goal is to create a full-fledged tool with a UI that allows for user input in the form of base tiles and the ability to export a generated mesh that could potentially be imported into another software like Maya or a game engine. Ideally the project would simulate a tool that a technical artist might use. Another potential feature is the ability to add constraints to the algorithm; for example, the user might specify the location of several specific tiles while the algorithm fills in the rest. The project will be implemented in C++ and OpenGL using Qt; tiles will likely be generated with a software like MagicaVoxel. The final presentation will be accompanied by renders of different generated structures along with renders of the algorithm iterations.