

CODE });

//Day No. 1

WHAT IS CODE?

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```
//set of instructions  
//for a computer
```

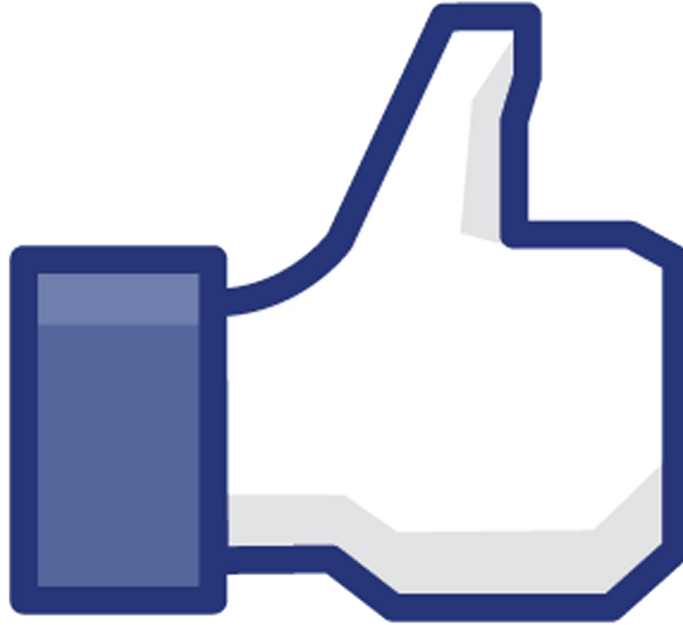
```
//computers store information as 1's and 0's  
//perform math and logic operations on it
```

WHY DO WE CODE?

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//Because it's everywhere!

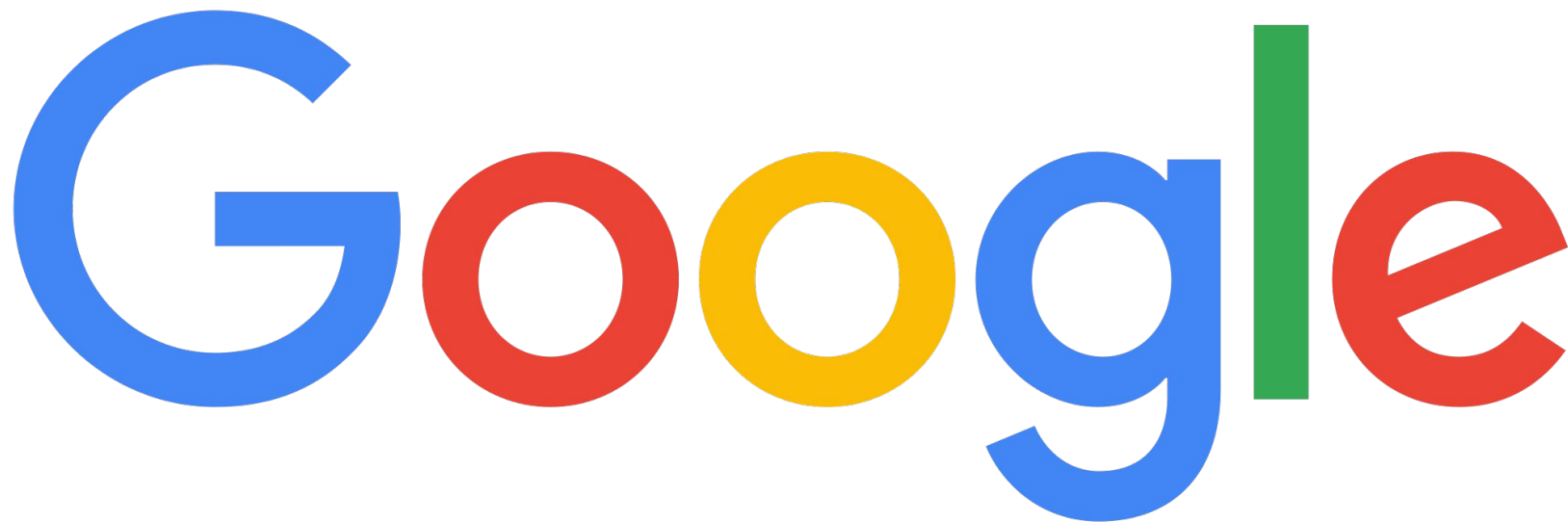
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Efficiency

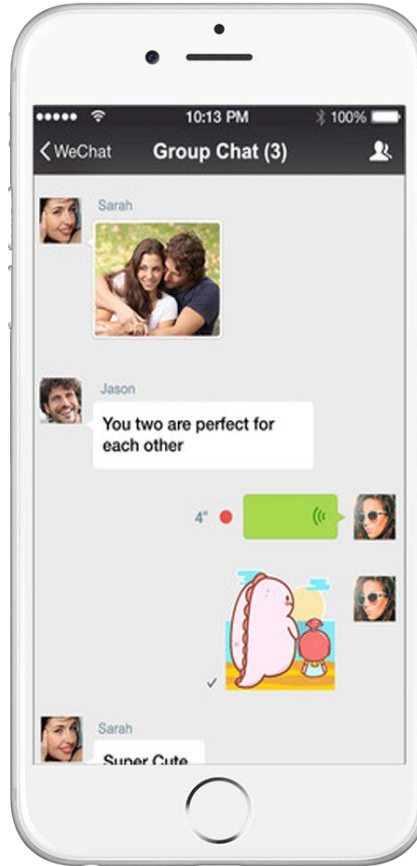


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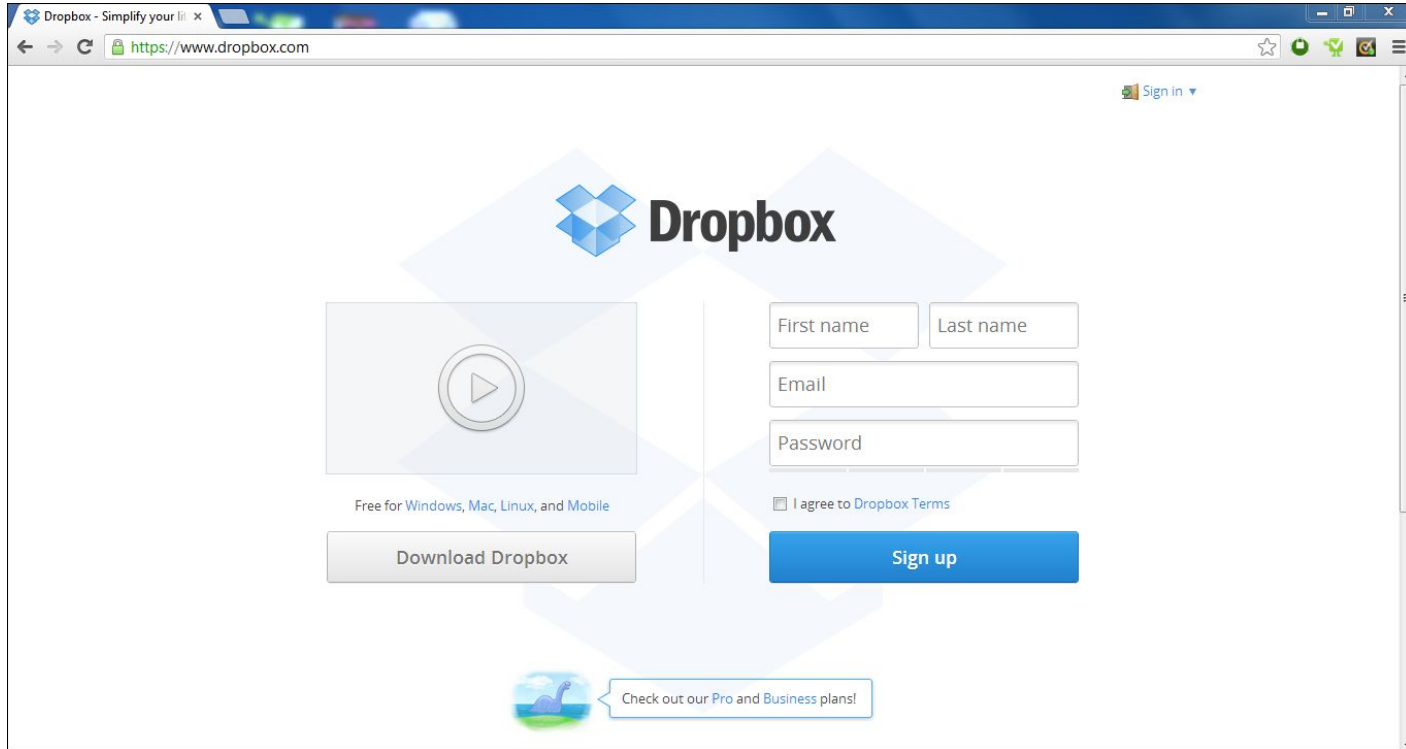


CODING LANGUAGES && PLATFORMS

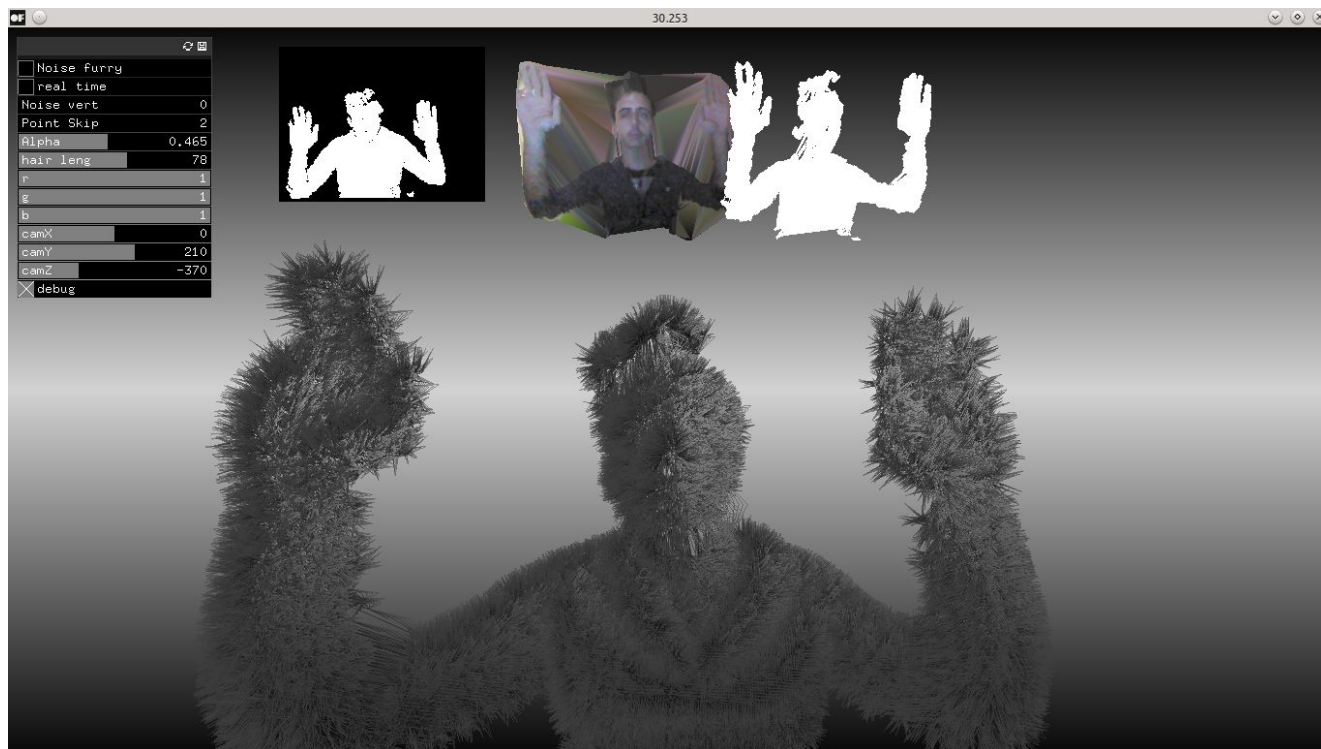
Swift



JavaScript



C++



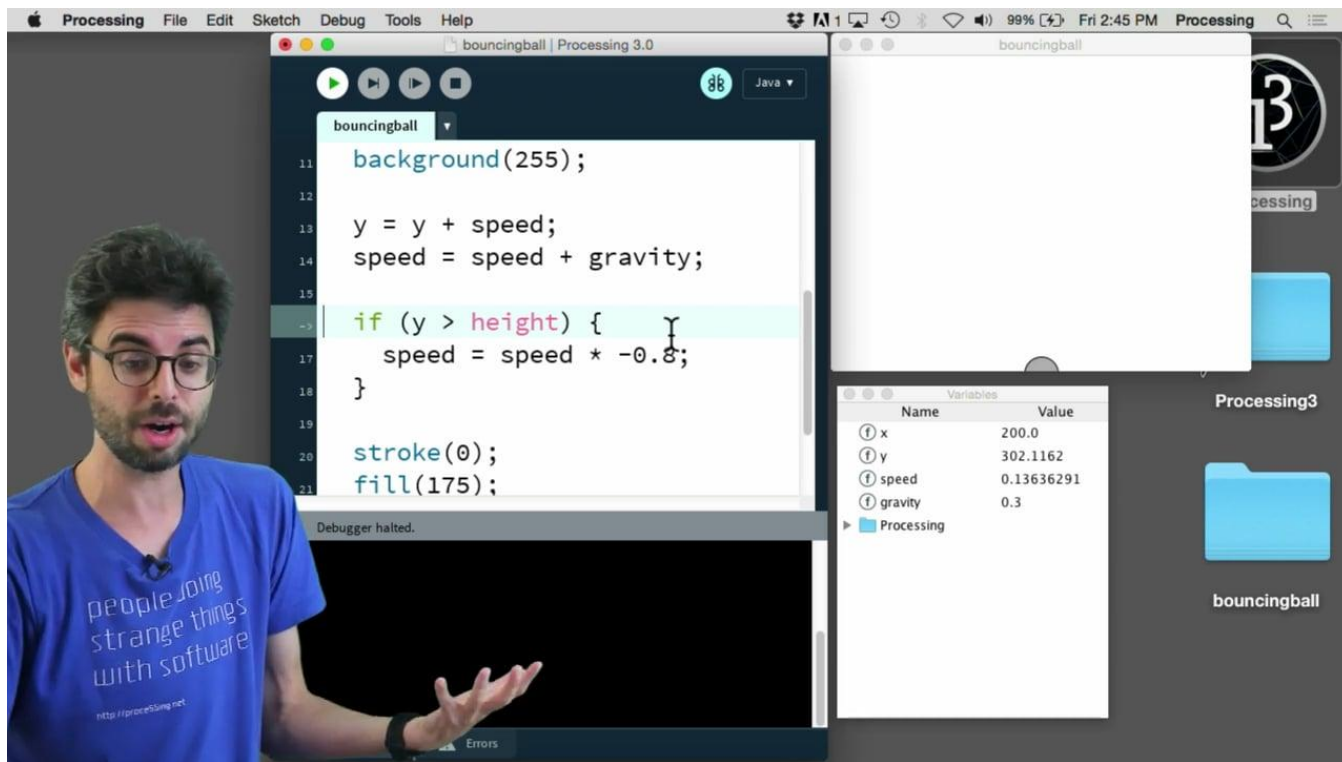
Unity



<http://www.popcap.com/plants-vs-zombies-1>

<http://www.pcadvisor.co.uk/new-product/game/complete-guide-pokemon-go-how-play-news-updates-legendaries-3625388/>

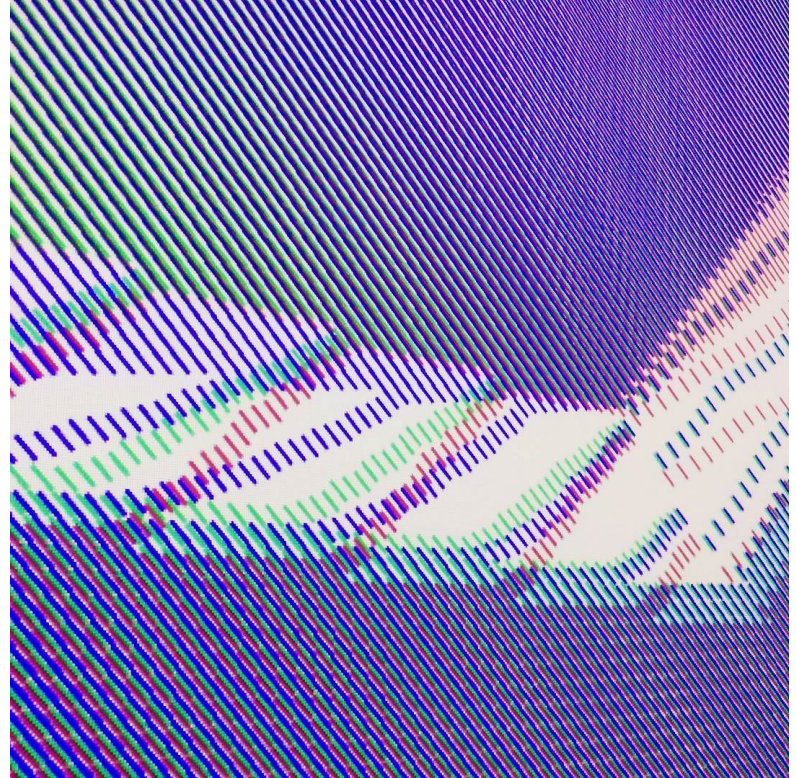
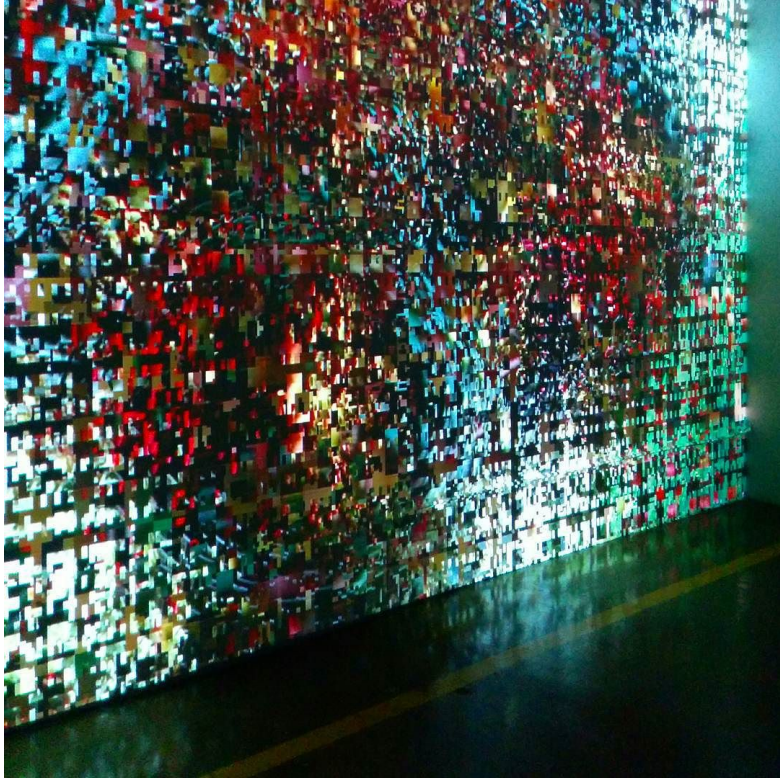
Processing



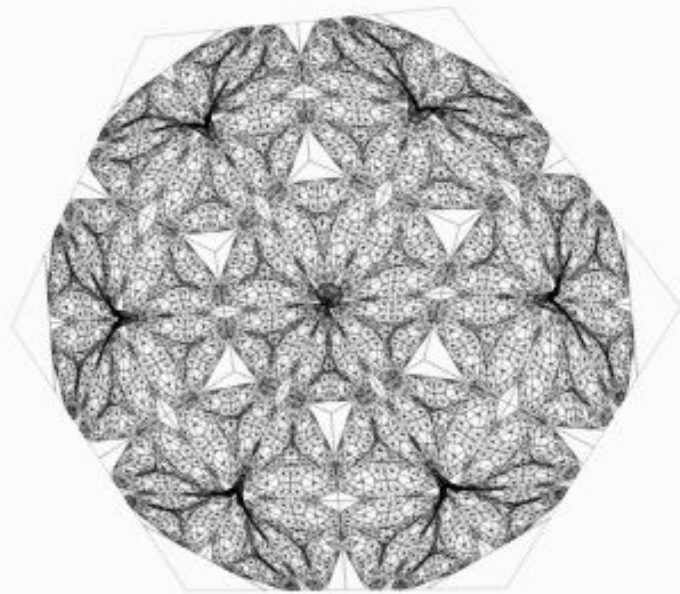
GREAT ARTISTS

//Look at them

Casey Reas



Raven Kwok



PHYSICAL COMPUTING

Drink Up Fountain



Arduino



<https://www.adafruit.com/product/170>

GAMES

Monument Valley



P5

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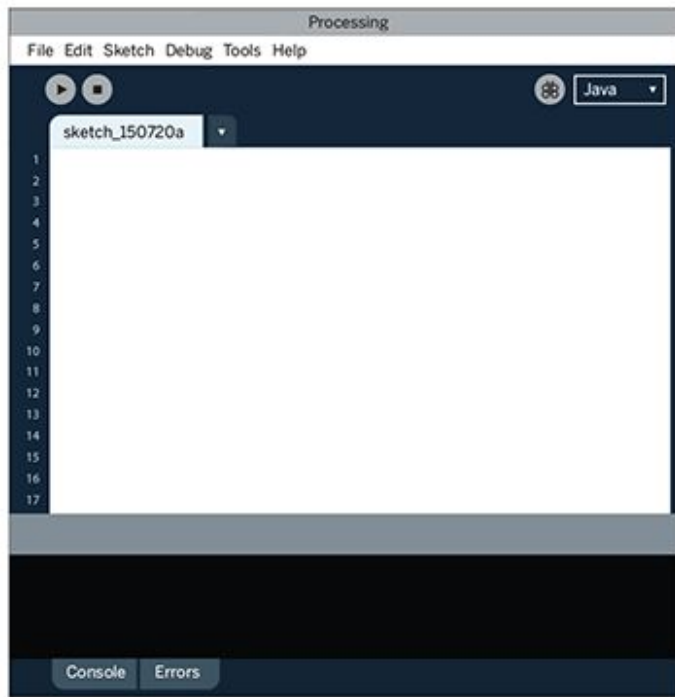
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PROCESSING

Processing



Display Window



Menu

Toolbar

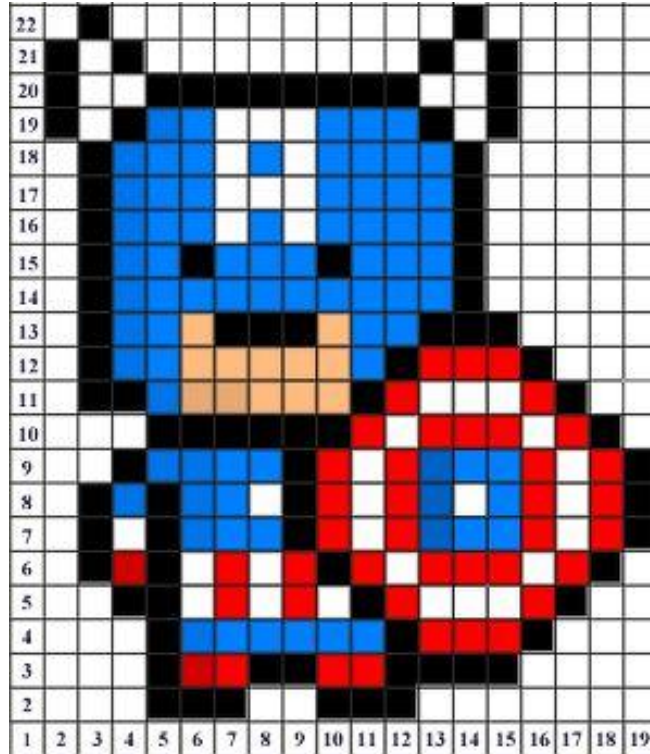
Tabs

Text Editor

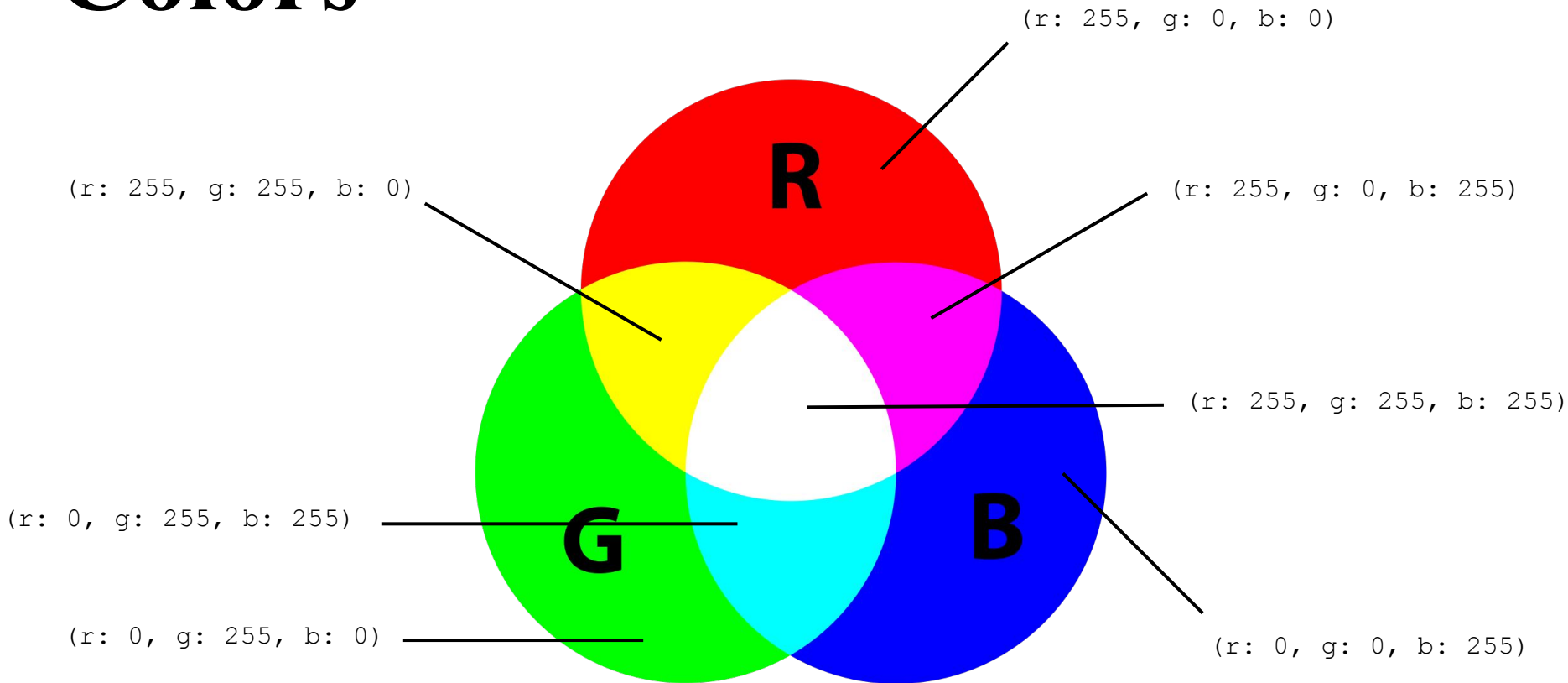
Message Area

Console

Pixels



Colors



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BREAK

LET'S START CODING

PSEUDOCODE

Pseudocode

```
//open your laptops  
//drag your mouse to your Processing app  
//click the mouse twice to open Processing  
//start coding
```

VARIABLES

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//are values that can change, depending on
//conditions or information passed to the program

Types of Variables

`int`

- stores an integer: whole numbers (example: 1)

`float`

- stores numbers with decimal points (example: 1.23)

`string`

- stores text (example: "hello world")

`boolean`

- true/false

...and more!

Using Variables

```
//DATA TYPE: int  
//NAME: thisNum
```

```
code:  
int thisNum;  
thisNum = 1;  
println (thisNum);
```

```
console:  
>> 1
```

```
thisNum = thisNum + 1;  
println (thisNum);
```

```
console:  
>> 2
```

```
//DATA TYPE: string  
//NAME: mySchool
```

```
code:  
string mySchool;  
mySchool = "Parsons";  
println (mySchool);
```

```
//when using string types  
//variables need to be in ""
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```

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console:  
>> 2
```

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//DATA TYPE: string  
//NAME: mySchool
```

```
code:  
string mySchool;  
mySchool = "Parsons";  
println (mySchool);
```

```
console:  
>> Parsons
```

```
//when using string types  
//variables need to be in ""
```

Global vs Local

```
int globalNum;  
globalNum = 1;  
  
void setup(){  
    println (globalNum);  
  
    console  
    >> 1;  
}  
  
void draw(){  
    println (globalNum);  
  
    console  
    >> 1;  
}
```

```
void setup(){  
    int localNum = 90;  
    println (localNum);  
  
    console:  
    >> 90;  
}  
  
void draw(){  
    println (localNum);  
  
    console:  
    >>null  
}
```

Built-In Variables

```
void setup(){  
    size (500, 500);  
    println (width);  
  
    console  
    >> 500;  
}
```


Best Practices

AVOID KEY WORDS

- Avoid using words that Processing or IDE's themselves already have definitions and keywords associated with.
- Example: **width** or **height**

NAME WITH A PURPOSE

- Easy to reference and recall when you're coding.

USE CAMELCASE

- Don't start names with capital letters. `hashtagCamelCase`

FUNCTIONS

Built-In Functions

```
void setup(){  
  
}  
  
void draw(){  
  
}
```

```
int r = 50;  
  
void setup(){  
    size(500, 500);  
  
}  
  
void draw(){  
    ellipse(width/2, height/2, r);  
}
```

TEACH YOURSELVES

Resources

Daniel Shiffman

- The Coding Train (YouTube channel)
- The Nature of Book (Book: [GitHub](#))
- Learning Processing (Book: [Link](#))

Stack Overflow

- <https://stackoverflow.com/>

Khan Academy

- <https://www.khanacademy.org/>

Code Combat

- <https://codecombat.com/>

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CREDIT YOUR SOURCES

Homework

//Using the resources that were given to you
//recreate a portion this image (on next slide)

//Watch this [video](#)

//TODAY'S REFERENCE:
//[DRINK UP FOUNTAIN](#)



Draw This:



SEE YOU TOMORROW!