# Package 'aRtsy'

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## Description

This function paints Langton's Ant. Langton's ant is a two-dimensional universal Turing machine with a very simple set of rules but complex emergent behavior.

paint\_function

#### Usage

```
paint_ant(colors = '#000000', background = '#fafafa', seed = 1,
    iterations = 1e7, width = 200, height = 200)
```

#### **Arguments**

colors the colors for the ant.
background the color of the background.
seed the seed for the painting.

iterations the number of iterations of the ant.
width the width of the painting in pixels.
height the height of the painting in pixels.

#### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

#### Author(s)

Koen Derks, <koen-derks@hotmail.com>

#### References

```
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Langton%27s_ant
```

## See Also

```
paint_strokes paint_function paint_turmite
```

## **Examples**

paint\_function

Paint Functions on a Canvas

## **Description**

This function paints functions and mimics the functionality of the generativeart package.

## Usage

```
paint_function(color = '#000000', background = '#fafafa', seed = 1)
```

## **Arguments**

color the color of the shape.
background the color of the background.
seed the seed for the painting.

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#### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

#### Author(s)

Koen Derks, <koen-derks@hotmail.com>

#### References

```
https://github.com/cutterkom/generativeart
```

#### See Also

```
paint_strokes paint_turmite paint_ant
```

#### **Examples**

paint\_strokes

Paint Strokes on a Canvas

#### **Description**

This function creates a painting that resembles paints strokes. The algorithm is based on the simple idea that each next point on the grid has a chance to take over the color of an adjacent colored point but also has a change of generating a new color.

#### Usage

#### **Arguments**

colors a vector of colors for the painting.

neighbors the number of neighbors a block considers when taking over a color. More

neighbors fades the painting.

p the probability of selecting a new color at each block. A higher probability adds

more noise to the painting.

seed the seed for the painting.

iterations the number of iterations on the painting. More iterations fade the painting.

width the width of the painting in pixels.

height the height of the painting in pixels.

side whether to turn the painting on its side.

paint\_turmite

#### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

#### Author(s)

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#### See Also

```
paint_turmite paint_function paint_ant
```

#### **Examples**

```
paint_strokes(colors = c('#fafafa', '#000000'), neighbors = 1, p = 0.01, seed = 1, side = FALSE, iterations = 1, width = 1500, height = 1500)
```

paint\_turmite

Paint a Turmite on a Canvas

#### **Description**

This function paints turmites. A turmite is a Turing machine which has an orientation in addition to a current state and a "tape" that consists of a two-dimensional grid of cells. The algorithm is simple: 1) turn on the spot (left, right, up, down) 2) change the color of the square 3) move forward one square.

### Usage

## **Arguments**

color the color of the turmite.
background the color of the background.

p the probability of a state switch within the turmite.

seed the seed for the painting.

iterations the number of iterations of the turmite.
width the width of the painting in pixels.
height the height of the painting in pixels.

#### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

#### Author(s)

Koen Derks, <koen-derks@hotmail.com>

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## References

```
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turmite
```

## See Also

```
paint_strokes paint_function paint_ant
```

## **Examples**

```
paint\_turmite(color = "#fafafa", background = "#1E90FF", p = 0.5, \\ seed = 1, iterations = 1e7, width = 1500, height = 1500)
```

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