

# Package ‘aRtsy’

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`paint_ant`*Paint Langton's Ant*

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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.

### Usage

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

### Arguments

<code>colors</code>	the colors of the ant
<code>background</code>	the color of the background.
<code>seed</code>	the seed for the painting.
<code>iterations</code>	the number of iterations of the ant
<code>width</code>	the width of the painting.
<code>height</code>	the height of the painting.

### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

### Author(s)

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### References

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Langton%27s\\_ant](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Langton%27s_ant)

### See Also

[paint\\_strokes](#) [paint\\_shape](#) [paint\\_turmite](#)

### Examples

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

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paint_shape	<i>Paint shapes</i>
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## Description

This function paints shapes and mimics the functionality of the `generativeart` package.

## Usage

```
paint_shape(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.

## 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

```
bg <- sample(c('#fafafa', '#cc7722', '#a9d2c3', '#fc7c7c'), size = 1)
paint_shape(color = '#000000', background = bg)
```

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`paint_strokes`*Paint strokes*

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### Description

This function creates a painting that resembles paint 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 chance of generating a new color.

### Usage

```
paint_strokes(colors = '#000000', neighbors = 1, p = 0.01, seed = 1,  
              iterations = 1, width = 500, height = 500, side = FALSE)
```

### Arguments

<code>colors</code>	a vector of colors for the painting.
<code>neighbors</code>	the number of neighbors a block considers when taking over a color.
<code>p</code>	the probability of selecting a new color at each block.
<code>seed</code>	the seed for the painting.
<code>iterations</code>	the number of iterations on the painting.
<code>width</code>	the width of the painting.
<code>height</code>	the height of the painting.
<code>side</code>	whether to turn the painting on its side.

### Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

### Author(s)

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

### See Also

[paint\\_turmite](#) [paint\\_shape](#) [paint\\_ant](#)

### Examples

```
paint_strokes(colors = c('#fafafa', '#000000'), neighbors = 1, p = 0.01,  
              seed = 1, side = FALSE, iterations = 1,  
              width = 1500, height = 1500)
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paint_turmite	<i>Paint turmites</i>
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## 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

```
paint_turmite(color = '#fafafa', background = '#000000', p = 0.5, seed = 1,  
              iterations = 1e7, width = 1500, height = 1500)
```

## 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.
height	the height of the painting.

## Value

A ggplot object containing the painting.

## Author(s)

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

## References

<https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Turmite>

## See Also

[paint\\_strokes](#) [paint\\_shape](#) [paint\\_ant](#)

## Examples

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