

P#2 Reed

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Idea : reed



Initial String

FL

Rules

$F \rightarrow F*[+f]F[+f]$

$f \rightarrow F[-f]F[-f]$

$L \rightarrow *f$

Alphabet

F : / Draw forward

+ : Turn right by 60 degree

- : Turn right by 30 degree

* : Turn right by 0.001 radian

[: Save current position and angle

] : restore position and angle stored at corresponding [

L and f : just call the rule

Process

- It start by 'FL'
- It gradually bends to the right according to the rules
- 'f' is a little bit bended
- Last 'L' is a more little bit bended

Code

```
26 //Rules
27 String S = "FL";
28 String Rule1 = "F*[+f]F[+f]"; //Rule for 'F'
29 String Rule2 = "F[-f]F[-f]"; //Rule for 'f'
30 String Rule3 = "*f"; //Rule for 'L'
31
32 float angleOffset = radians(30);
33
34 void setup() {
35     size(900, 600);
36     stroke(0);
37 }
38
39 void draw() {
40     background(255);
41     translate(0, height);
42     rotate( -(HALF_PI-radians(5)) ); //rotate -85degree
43     float branchLen = map(mouseY, 0, height, 30, 0.1);
44     float branchWeight = map(mouseY, 0, height, 1, 0.01);
45     render(S, branchLen, branchWeight);
46 }
47
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48 void render(String S, float branchLen, float branchWeight) {
49     int strLen = S.length();
50     for (int i=0; i<strLen; i++) {
51         switch( S.charAt(i) ) {
52             case 'F':
53                 strokeWeight(branchWeight);
54                 line(0, 0, branchLen, 0);
55                 translate(branchLen, 0);
56                 translate(branchWeight, 0);
57                 break;
58             case '+':
59                 rotate( 2*angleOffset ); //rotate
60                 break;
61             case '-':
62                 rotate( angleOffset ); //rotate lite bit
63                 break;
64             case '[':
65                 pushMatrix();
66                 break;
67             case ']':
68                 popMatrix();
69                 break;
70             case '*':
71                 rotate(0.001); //rotate little bit
72                 break;
73         }
74     }
75 }
76
```

```
82 String ApplyRule( String s ) {
83     String result = "";
84     int strLen = s.length();
85     for (int i=0; i<strLen; ++i) {
86         char c = s.charAt(i);
87         if (c == 'F') {
88             result += Rule1;
89         }else if ( c == 'f'){
90             result += Rule2;
91         }else if ( c == 'L'){
92             result += Rule3;
93         } else {
94             result += c;
95         }
96     }
97     return result;
98 }
```

Screenshot

