

# Graphics Intro

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# Before we begin

- Make sure you have Java & Java JDK downloaded on your computer
  - can run **java -version** in terminal to check
- Make sure you have IntelliJ downloaded on your computer
- *Suggested:* Watch previous Java tutorials

# Objects Intro: Vocab Alert!

**object:** An entity that contains data and behavior.

- data: variables inside the object
- behavior: methods called on object

# Graphical Objects

**DrawingPanel:** A window on the screen.

**Graphics:** A "pen" to draw shapes and lines on a window.

**Color:** Colors in which to draw shapes.

# DrawingPanel Object

"Canvas" objects that represents windows/drawing surfaces

**Note:** Will need to be downloaded from the internet and put in the same folder as the program you are using it with

**Example:**

```
DrawingPanel name = new DrawingPanel(width, height);
```

# Graphics Object

"Pen" or "paint brush" objects to draw lines and shapes

## Creation:

```
Graphics g = panel.getGraphics();
```

## Usage:

```
g.fillRect(10, 30, 60, 35);  
g.fillOval(80, 40, 50, 70);
```

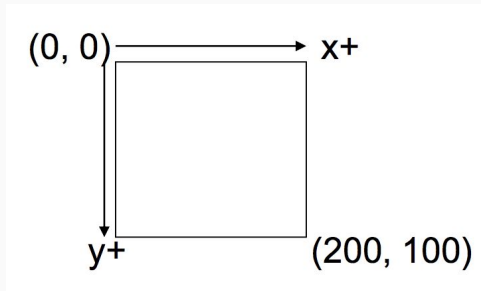
**Note:** Will need to import for graphics

# Coordinate System

Each  $(x, y)$  position is a pixel ("picture element"). Position  $(0, 0)$  is at the window's top-left corner.

- $x$  increases rightward and the  $y$  increases downward.

The rectangle from  $(0, 0)$  to  $(200, 100)$  looks like this:



# Graphics Methods

Method name	Description
<code>g.drawLine(<b>x1</b>, <b>y1</b>, <b>x2</b>, <b>y2</b>) ;</code>	line between points $(x1, y1)$ , $(x2, y2)$
<code>g.drawOval(<b>x</b>, <b>y</b>, <b>width</b>, <b>height</b>) ;</code>	outline largest oval that fits in a box of size <i>width</i> * <i>height</i> with top-left at $(x, y)$
<code>g.drawRect(<b>x</b>, <b>y</b>, <b>width</b>, <b>height</b>) ;</code>	outline of rectangle of size <i>width</i> * <i>height</i> with top-left at $(x, y)$
<code>g.drawString(<b>text</b>, <b>x</b>, <b>y</b>) ;</code>	text with bottom-left at $(x, y)$
<code>g.fillOval(<b>x</b>, <b>y</b>, <b>width</b>, <b>height</b>) ;</code>	fill largest oval that fits in a box of size <i>width</i> * <i>height</i> with top-left at $(x, y)$
<code>g.fillRect(<b>x</b>, <b>y</b>, <b>width</b>, <b>height</b>) ;</code>	fill rectangle of size <i>width</i> * <i>height</i> with top-left at $(x, y)$
<code>g.setColor(<b>Color</b>) ;</code>	set Graphics to paint any following shapes in the given color



# Color Object

Specified as predefined Color class constants:  
`Color.CONSTANT_NAME`

**Or** create one using Red-Green-Blue (RGB) values of 0-255.

```
Color name = new Color(red, green, blue);
```

## Example:

```
Color brown = new Color(192, 128, 64);  
Color burntOrange = new Color(191, 87, 0);
```

Constant color options:

BLACK, BLUE, CYAN, DARK\_GRAY, GRAY,  
GREEN, LIGHT\_GRAY, MAGENTA, ORANGE,  
PINK, RED, WHITE, YELLOW

# Using Colors

Pass a Color to Graphics object's setColor method

- Subsequent shapes will be drawn in the new color.

## Example:

```
g.setColor(Color.BLACK);  
g.fillRect(10, 30, 100, 50);  
g.drawLine(20, 0, 10, 30);  
g.setColor(Color.RED);  
g.fillOval(60, 40, 40, 70);
```

Pass a color to DrawingPanel's setBackground method

- The overall window background color will change.

## Example:

```
Color brown = new Color(192, 128, 64);  
panel.setBackground(brown);
```

## Shapes on top of shapes

When  $\geq 2$  shapes occupy the same pixels, the last drawn "wins."

Play With  
Graphics!

## Practice for Later

Just keep playing! Maybe draw a simple house? A cat? The sky is the limit (ooo maybe a cloud?)

The End