



Making an Awwwards.com Site

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Three.js is a lightweight cross-browser JavaScript library used to create and display animated 3D content on a Web browser.

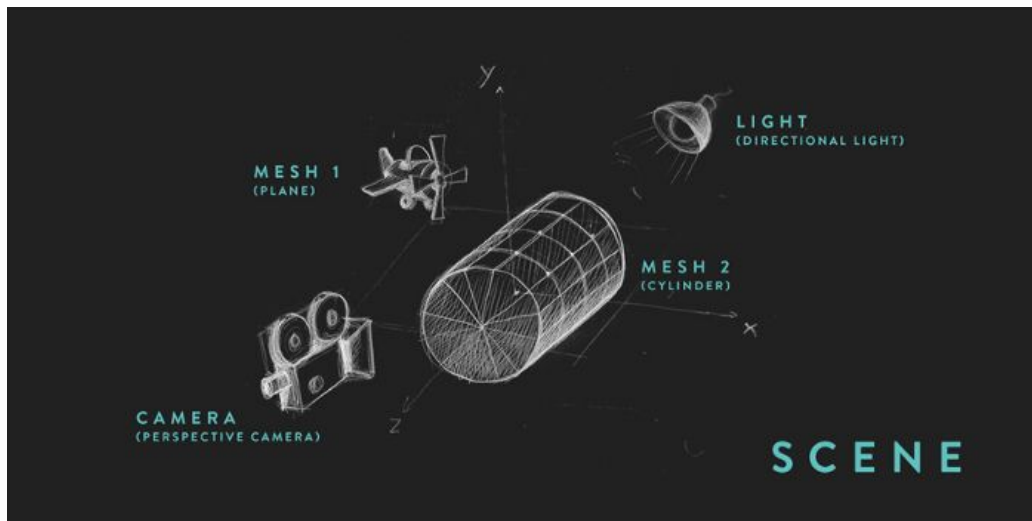
Three.js scripts may be used in conjunction with the HTML5 canvas element, SVG or WebGL.

Camera, Scene, Lighting and Action!

Camera: represent the point of view

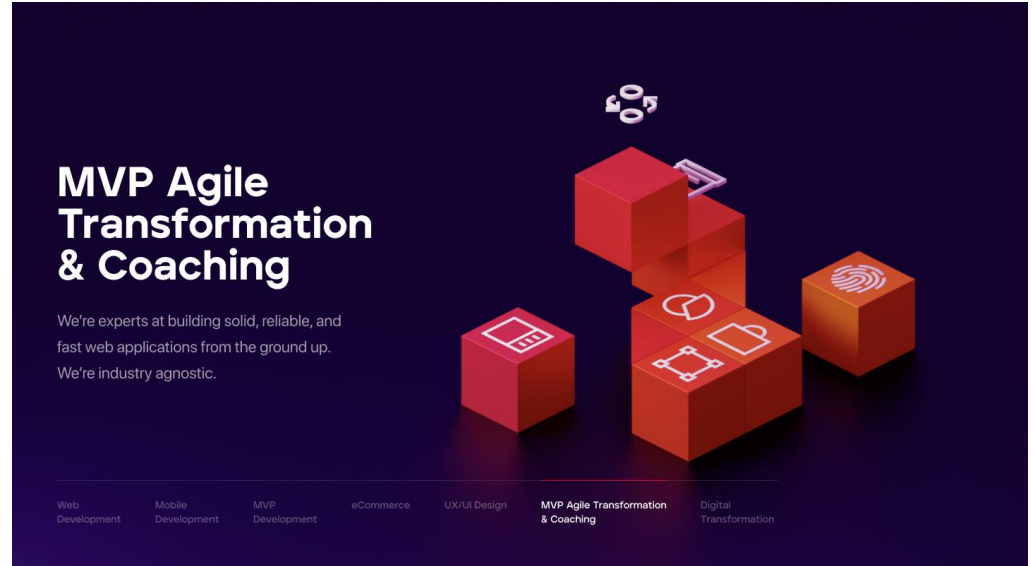
Scene: allow us to setup what and where to render

Lighting: control the direction of light and shadow



Scrollytelling, a form of storytelling

Also called **Narrative Visualisation**, it consists of creating a logical sequence of related (data-driven) visualisations, or visual elements, needed to convey a message to an audience in an engaging and effective way.



Nimble services section.

Blender: Creating the 3d scene

After Effects: Composing the scene sequence and export it as a lottie file.

Lottie: Lottie is an open-sourced animation file format like no other. It is smaller with higher quality and allows for you to create animations that can be interacted with. So versatile, you can easily implement it on almost all platforms out there!



Lottie Animation

High quality (60 frames/sec) with interactivity and more...

68KB



Animated GIF

Huge file, poor quality

150 KB



PNG Sequence

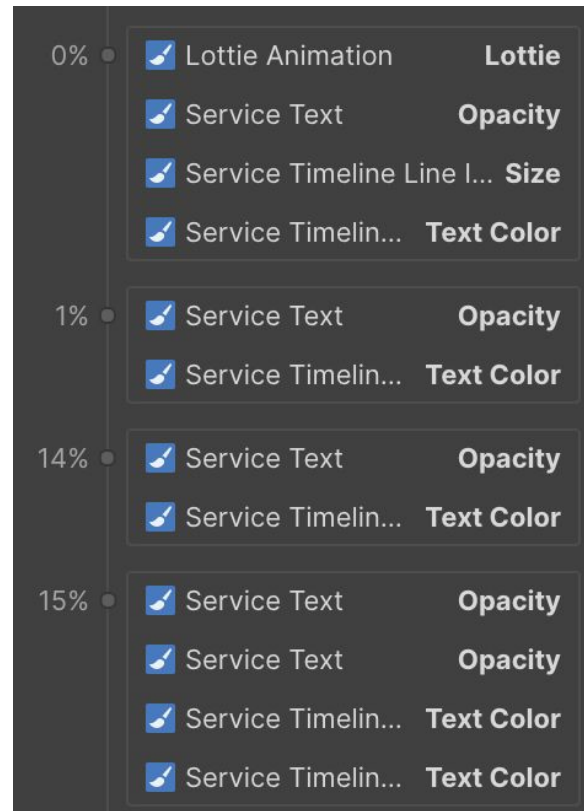
30 Images, Huge file, CPU intensive

300 KB

While Scrolling In View - Define actions that occur when elements scrolls to viewport.

The Actions:

1. Lottie Animation: Play from 0% to 100%
2. Sections will be mapped to a certain % on the animation timeline.
3. Do other interaction ex. Text opacity, X and Position.



The Grand Demo

What makes a website “awwwards.com” worthy?

- It catches the eye with Three.js
- It keeps the user with good website design
- It enhances the message of the page
- It uses many elements, not just Three.js
- Examples:
 1. Smooth Scroll
 2. Blur animations
 3. Parallax on mouse movement
 4. Minimal design
 5. Good design practices



Three.js is not a silver bullet

Thanks!

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