

DATA vis

WITH

SHADERS

① Get your laptop

② Clone this repo:

git@github.com: rolyatmax/webgl-learnin

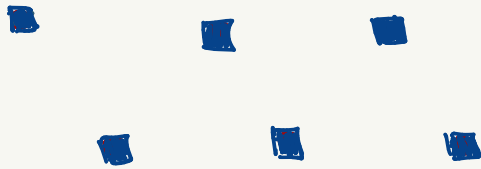
③ npm install

MY SHORTEST, SIMPLEST,  
LEAST-WRONG

DESCRIPTION OF THE  
GRAPHICS PIPELINE.

# WHAT CAN I DRAW?

POINTS



TRIANGLES



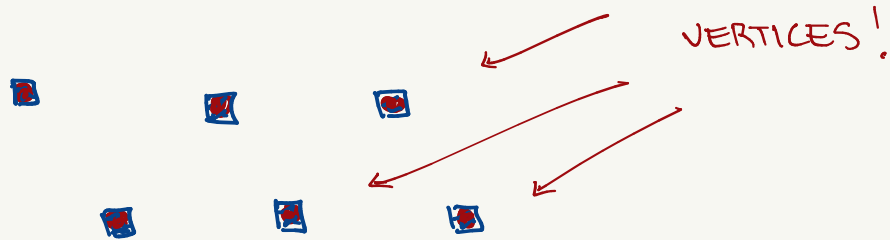
LINES



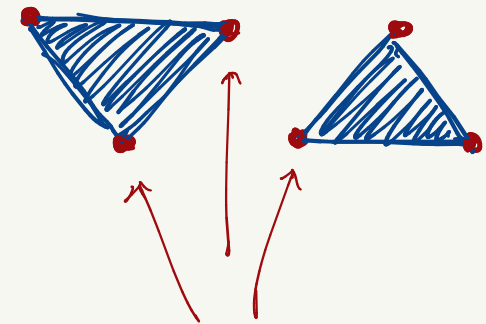
# WHAT CAN I DRAW?

DEFINED BY THEIR VERTICES

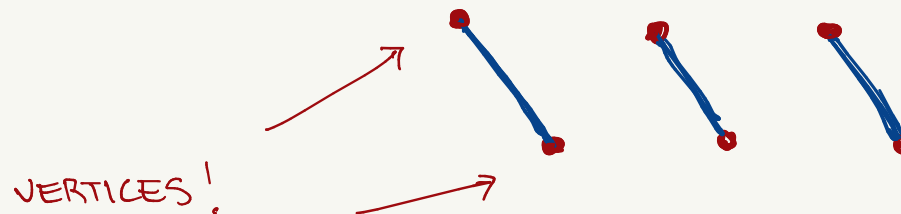
POINTS



TRIANGLES



LINES



DRAW THIS SHAPE

USING N VERTICES

WITH THIS STATE

AND THIS LOGIC.

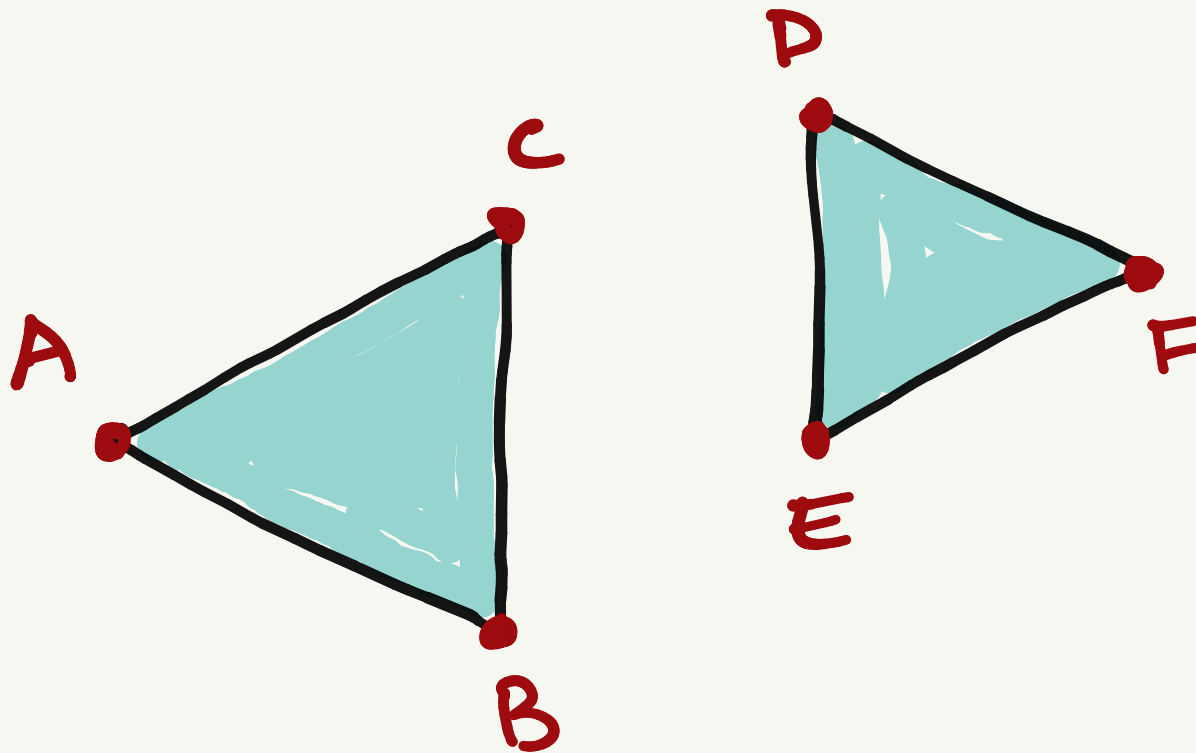
DRAW THIS SHAPE

USING N VERTICES

WITH ATTRIBUTES + UNIFORMS

AND VERTEX + FRAGMENT SHADERS.

AN EXAMPLE:





DRAW

TRIANGLES

USING

6

VERTICES

(ATTRIBUTES)

WITH

A	B	C	D	E	F
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AND

VERTEX + FRAGMENT SHADERS.

INPUT:

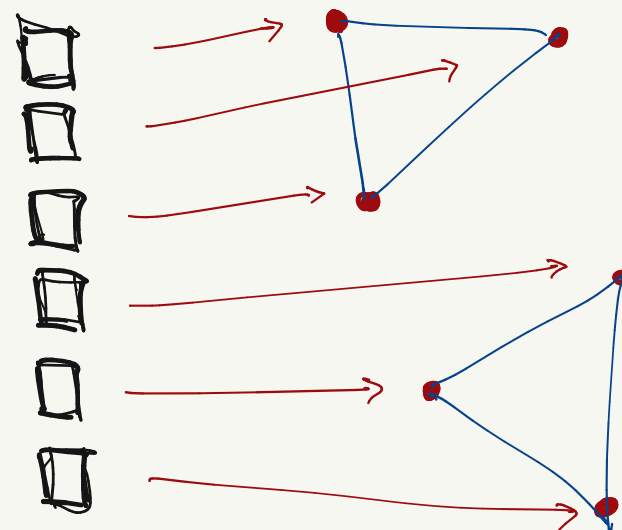
ATTRIBUTES  
UNIFORMS

OUTPUT:

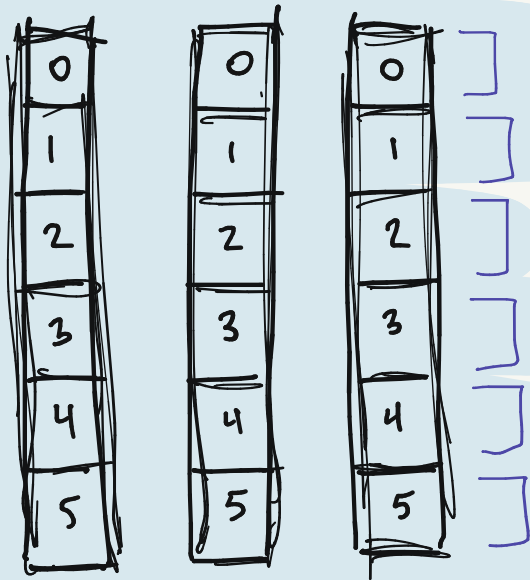
VERTEX POSITIONS

# THE VERTEX SHADER

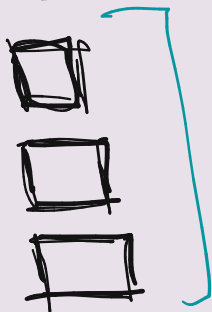
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# ATTRIBUTES ("local" state)

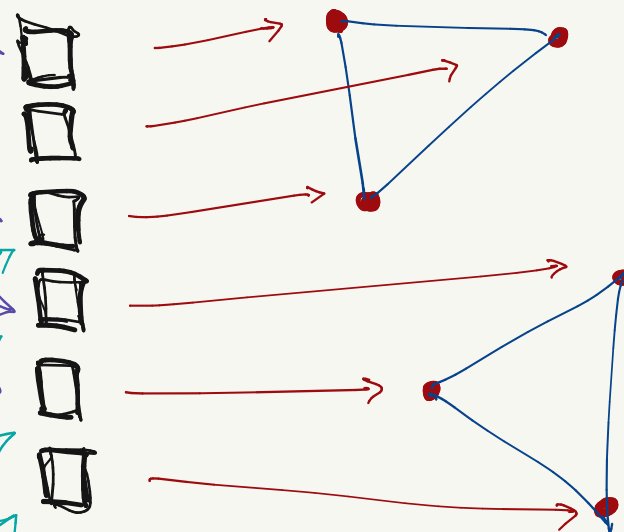


# UNIFORMS ("global" state)



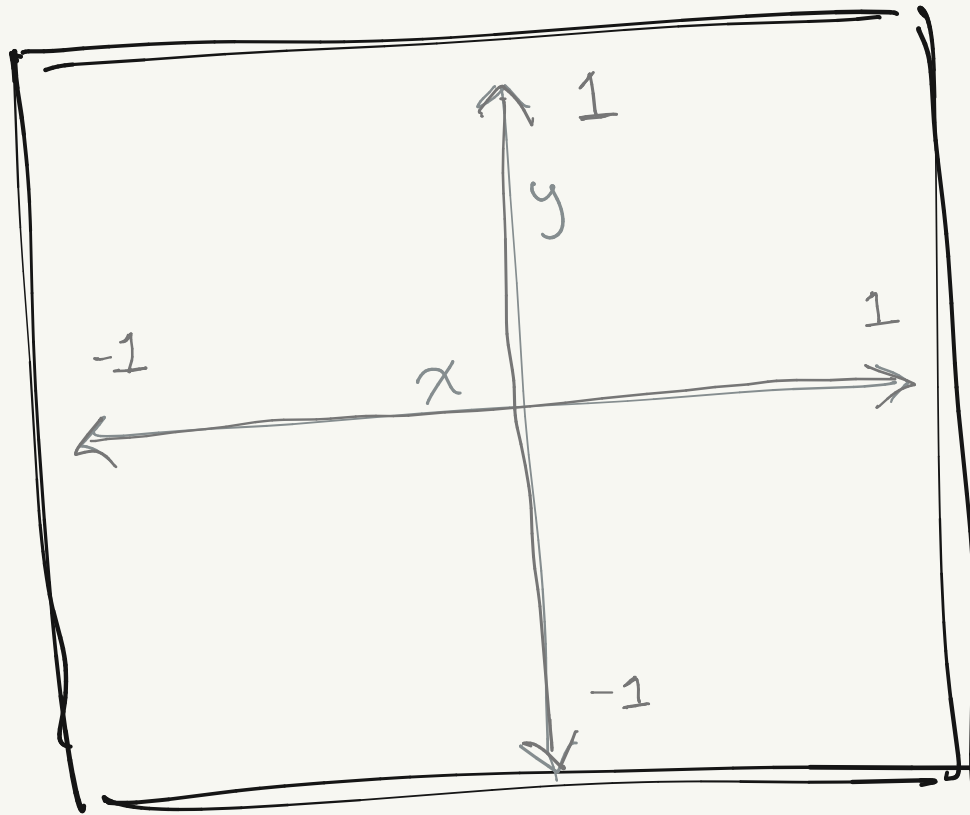
# SHADER PROGRAMS

# THE VERTEX SHADER



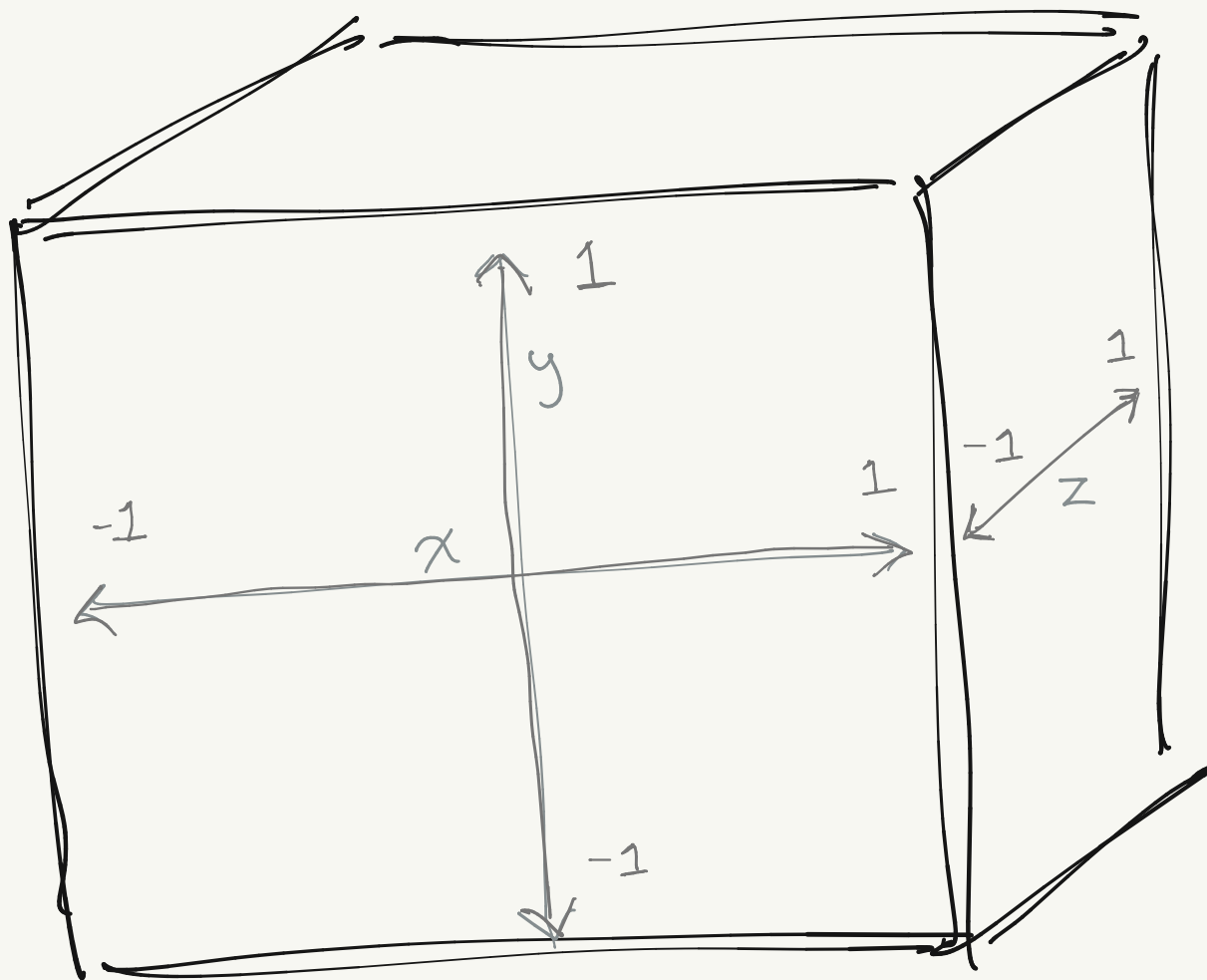
# CLIPSPACE

THE COORDINATE SYSTEM  
USED BY WEBGL



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THE COORDINATE SYSTEM  
USED BY WEBGL



# RASTERIZATION

PRIMITIVE

VERTICES

FRAGMENTS

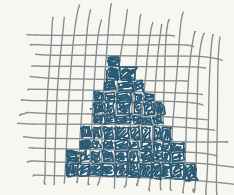
POINTS



LINE



TRIANGLES



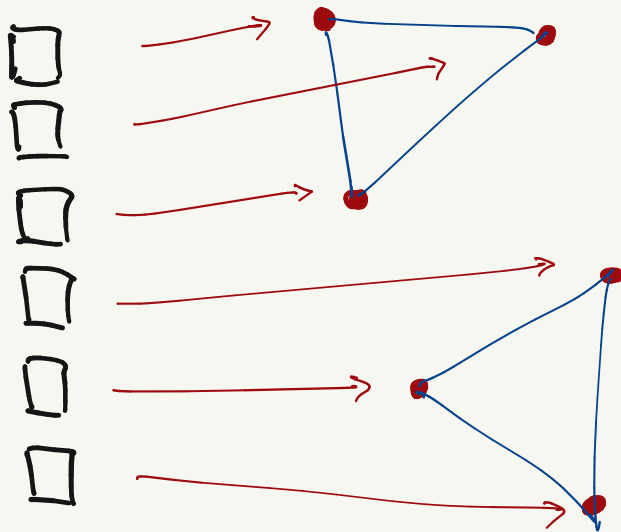
# THE FRAG SHADER

FRAGMENT  
SHADER  
PROGRAMS



# THE FRAG SHADER

VERTEX  
SHADER  
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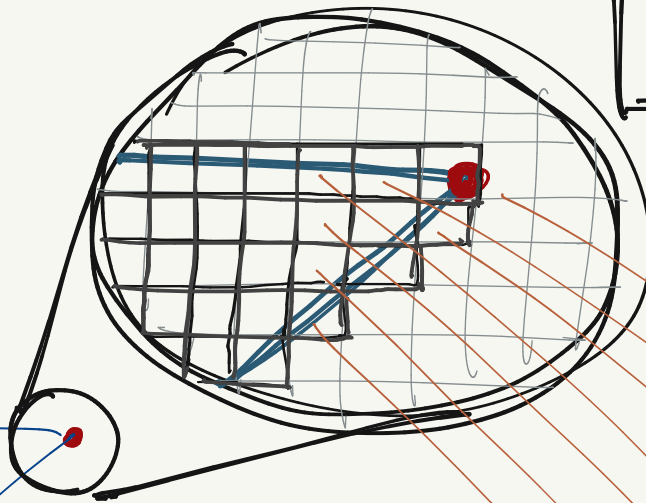
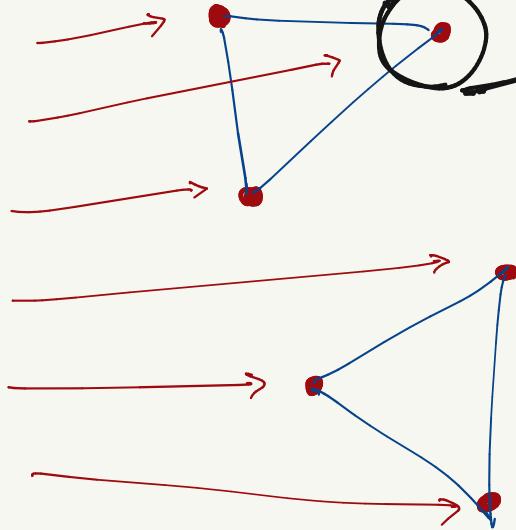
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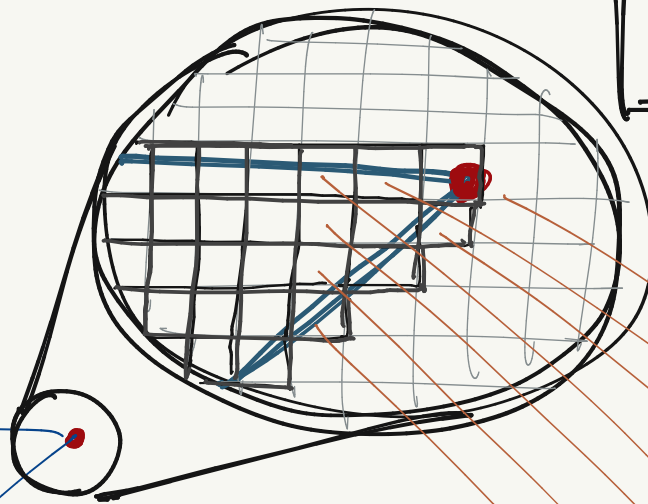
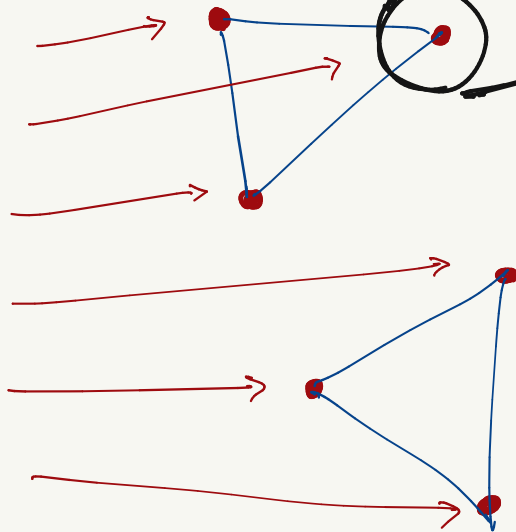
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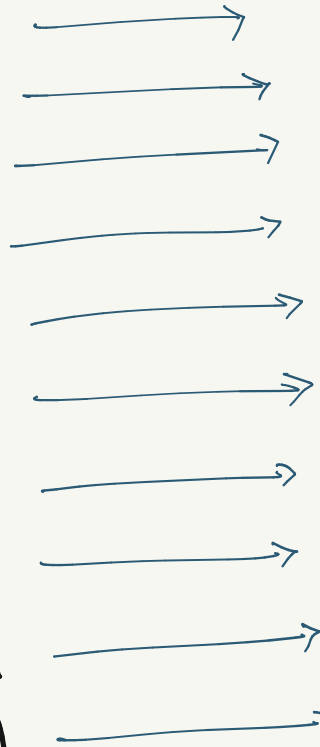
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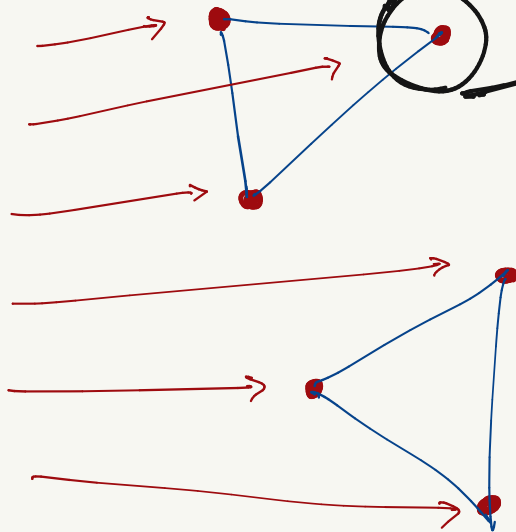
OUTPUT:

RGBA COLOR

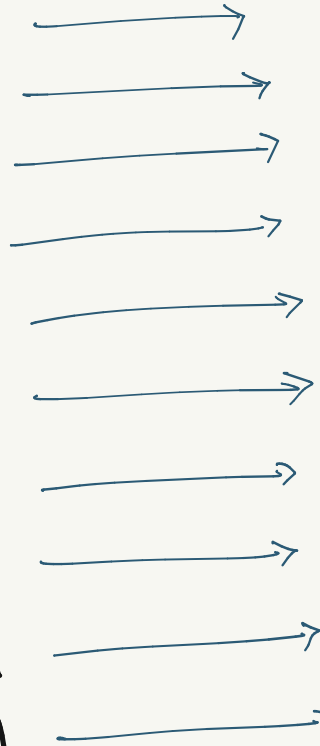
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# THE FRAG SHADER

VERTEX  
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INPUT:

VARYINGS  
UNIFORMS

OUTPUT:

RGBA COLOR

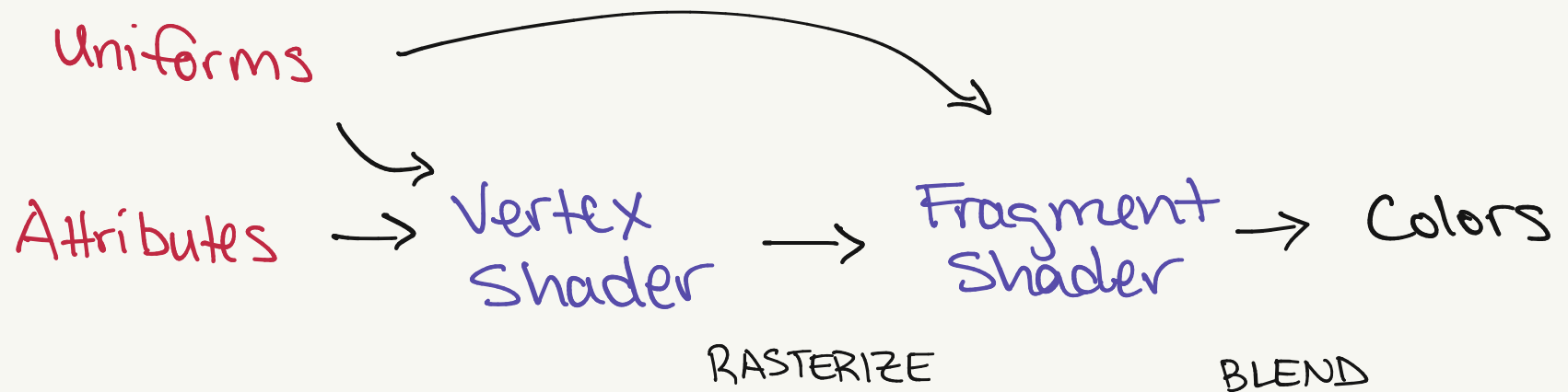
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# STATE + LOGIC

BUFFERS  
OF BINARY DATA

COMPILED  
GLSL PROGRAMS  
(SHADERS!)

# STATE + LOGIC



LET'S  
CODE!