

Information Visualization II

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Week 1:

- Multivariate/Multidimensional + Temporal

Assignment Overview

This assignment's objectives include:

- Review, reflect on, and apply different strategies for multidimensional/multivariate/temporal datasets
- Recreate visualizations and propose new and alternative visualizations using [Altair](https://altair-viz.github.io/) (<https://altair-viz.github.io/>)

The total score of this assignment will be 100 points consisting of:

- You will be producing four visualizations. Three of them will require you to follow the example closely, but the last will be fairly open-ended. For the last one, we'll also ask you to justify why you designed your visualization the way you did.

Resources:

- Article by [FiveThirtyEight](https://fivethirtyeight.com) (<https://fivethirtyeight.com>) available [online](https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/) (<https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/>) (Hickey, 2014)
- The associated dataset on [Github](https://github.com/fivethirtyeight/data/tree/master/bob-ross) (<https://github.com/fivethirtyeight/data/tree/master/bob-ross>)
- A dataset of all the [paintings from the show](https://github.com/jwilber/Bob_Ross_Paintings) (https://github.com/jwilber/Bob_Ross_Paintings)

Important notes:

1) Grading for this assignment is entirely done by manual inspection. For some of the visualizations, we'll expect you to get pretty close to our example (1-3). Problem 4 is more free-form.

2) Keep your notebooks clean and readable.

3) There are a few instances where our numbers do not align exactly with those from 538. We've pre-processed our data a little bit differently (had different exclusion criteria on guests and for some images we could not process the color data so we excluded those rows).

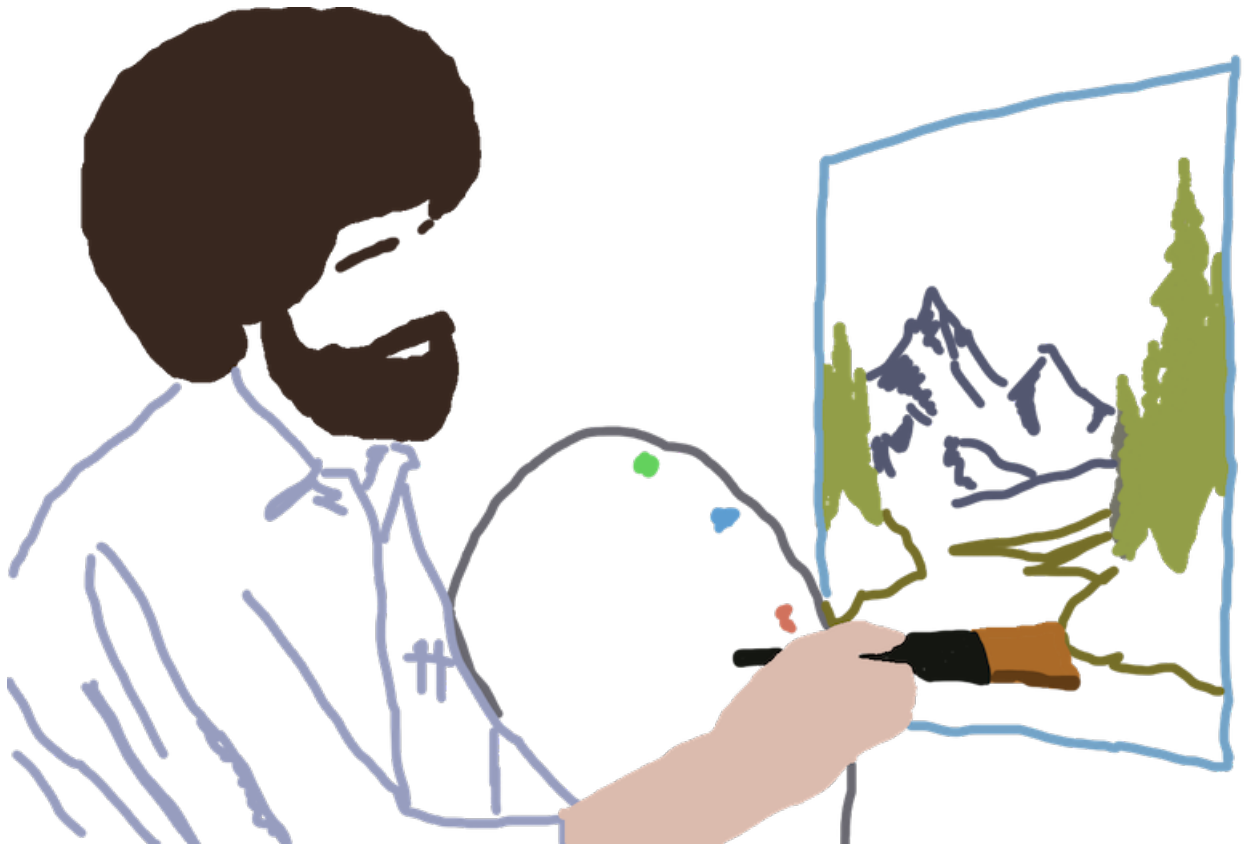
4) When turning in your PDF, please use the File -> Print -> Save as PDF option **from your browser**. Do **not** use the File->Download as->PDF option. Complete instructions for this are under Resources in the Coursera page for this class. If you're having trouble with printing, take a look at [this video \(https://youtu.be/PiO-K7AoWjk\)](https://youtu.be/PiO-K7AoWjk).

```
In [1]: # load up the resources we need
import urllib.request
import os.path
from os import path
import pandas as pd
import altair as alt
import numpy as np
from sklearn import manifold
from sklearn.metrics import euclidean_distances
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
import ipywidgets as widgets
from IPython.display import display
from PIL import Image
```

Bob Ross

Today's assignment will have you working with artwork created by [Bob Ross \(https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bob_Ross\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bob_Ross). Bob was a very famous painter who had a televised painting show from 1983 to 1994. Over 13 seasons and approximately 400 paintings, Bob would walk the audience through a painting project. Often these were landscape images. Bob was famous for telling his audience to paint "happy trees" and sayings like, "We don't make mistakes, just happy little accidents." His soothing voice and bushy hair are well known to many generations of viewers.

If you've never seen an episode, I might suggest starting with [this one \(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fw6odINp7_8\)](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Fw6odINp7_8).



Bob Ross left a long legacy of art which makes for an interesting dataset to analyze. It's both temporally rich and has a lot of variables we can code. We'll be starting with the dataset created by 538 for their article on a [Statistical Analysis of Bob Ross](https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/) (<https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/>). The authors of the article coded each painting to indicate what features the image contained (e.g., one tree, more than one tree, what kinds of clouds, etc.).

In addition, we've downloaded a second dataset that contains the actual images. We know what kind of paint colors Bob used in each episode, and we have used that to create a dataset for you containing the color distributions. For example, we approximate how much 'burnt umber' he used by measuring the distance (in color space) from each pixel in the image to the color. We then add the 'similarity' of each pixel to the burnt umber RGB value into the respective column. This is imperfect, of course (paints don't mix this way), but it'll be close enough for our analysis. Note that the sum of those rows will not add to 1 and the total value for any column can be more than 1. The only thing we can guarantee is that the metric is consistent across colors and between paintings.

```

In [2]: # the paints Bob used
rosspaints = ['alizarin crimson', 'bright red', 'burnt umber', 'cadmium yell
             'indian yellow', 'indian red', 'liquid black', 'liquid clear',
             'midnight black', 'phthalo blue', 'phthalo green', 'prussian b
             'titanium white', 'van dyke brown', 'yellow ochre']

# hex values for the paints above
rosspainthex = ['#94261f', '#c06341', '#614f4b', '#f8ed57', '#5c2f08', '#e6ba
               '#000000', '#ffffff', '#000000', '#36373c', '#2a64ad', '#215c
               '#364e00', '#f9f7eb', '#2d1a0c', '#b28426']

# boolean features about what an image includes
imgfeatures = ['Apple frame', 'Aurora borealis', 'Barn', 'Beach', 'Boat',
               'Bridge', 'Building', 'Bushes', 'Cabin', 'Cactus',
               'Circle frame', 'Cirrus clouds', 'Cliff', 'Clouds',
               'Coniferous tree', 'Cumulus clouds', 'Decidious tree',
               'Diane andre', 'Dock', 'Double oval frame', 'Farm',
               'Fence', 'Fire', 'Florida frame', 'Flowers', 'Fog',
               'Framed', 'Grass', 'Guest', 'Half circle frame',
               'Half oval frame', 'Hills', 'Lake', 'Lakes', 'Lighthouse',
               'Mill', 'Moon', 'At least one mountain', 'At least two mo
               'Nighttime', 'Ocean', 'Oval frame', 'Palm trees', 'Path',
               'Person', 'Portrait', 'Rectangle 3d frame', 'Rectangular
               'River or stream', 'Rocks', 'Seashell frame', 'Snow',
               'Snow-covered mountain', 'Split frame', 'Steve ross',
               'Man-made structure', 'Sun', 'Tomb frame', 'At least one
               'At least two trees', 'Triple frame', 'Waterfall', 'Waves
               'Windmill', 'Window frame', 'Winter setting', 'Wood frame

# load the data frame
bobross = pd.read_csv("assets/bobross.csv")

# enable correct rendering (unnecessary in later versions of Altair)
alt.renderers.enable('default')

# uses intermediate json files to speed things up
alt.data_transformers.enable('json')

```

```
Out[2]: DataTransformerRegistry.enable('json')
```

We have a few variables defined for you that you might find useful for the rest of this exercise. First is the `bobross` dataframe which, has a row for every painting created by Bob (we've removed those created by guest artists).

```
In [3]: # run to see what's inside
bobross.sample(5)
```

Out[3]:

	EPIISODE	TITLE	RELEASE_DATE	Apple frame	Aurora borealis	Barn	Beach	Boat	Bridge	Built
289	S24E07	"BACK COUNTRY"	2/18/92	0	0	0	0	0	0	
261	S22E05	"RUSSET WINTER"	1/29/91	0	0	1	0	0	0	
258	S22E02	"HINT OF SPRINGTIME"	1/8/91	0	0	0	0	0	0	
249	S21E06	"MOUNTAIN RHAPSODY"	10/10/90	0	0	0	0	0	0	
290	S24E08	"GRACEFUL WATERFALL"	2/25/92	0	0	0	0	0	0	

5 rows × 114 columns

In the dataframe you will see an episode identifier (EPIISODE, which contains the season and episode number), the image title (TITLE), the release date (RELEASE_DATE as well as another column for the year). There are also a number of boolean columns for the features coded by 538. A '1' means the feature is present, a '0' means it is not. A list of those columns is available in the `imgfeatures` variable.

```
In [4]: # run to see what's inside
print(imgfeatures)
```

```
['Apple frame', 'Aurora borealis', 'Barn', 'Beach', 'Boat', 'Bridge',
 'Building', 'Bushes', 'Cabin', 'Cactus', 'Circle frame', 'Cirrus cloud
s', 'Cliff', 'Clouds', 'Coniferous tree', 'Cumulus clouds', 'Decidious
tree', 'Diane andre', 'Dock', 'Double oval frame', 'Farm', 'Fence', 'F
ire', 'Florida frame', 'Flowers', 'Fog', 'Framed', 'Grass', 'Guest', '
Half circle frame', 'Half oval frame', 'Hills', 'Lake', 'Lakes', 'Ligh
thouse', 'Mill', 'Moon', 'At least one mountain', 'At least two mounta
ins', 'Nighttime', 'Ocean', 'Oval frame', 'Palm trees', 'Path', 'Perso
n', 'Portrait', 'Rectangle 3d frame', 'Rectangular frame', 'River or s
tream', 'Rocks', 'Seashell frame', 'Snow', 'Snow-covered mountain', 'S
plit frame', 'Steve ross', 'Man-made structure', 'Sun', 'Tomb frame',
 'At least one tree', 'At least two trees', 'Triple frame', 'Waterfall'
, 'Waves', 'Windmill', 'Window frame', 'Winter setting', 'Wood framed'
]
```

The columns that contain the amount of each color in the paintings are listed in `rosspaints`. There is also an analogous list variable called `rosspainthex` that has the hex values for the paints. These hex values are approximate.

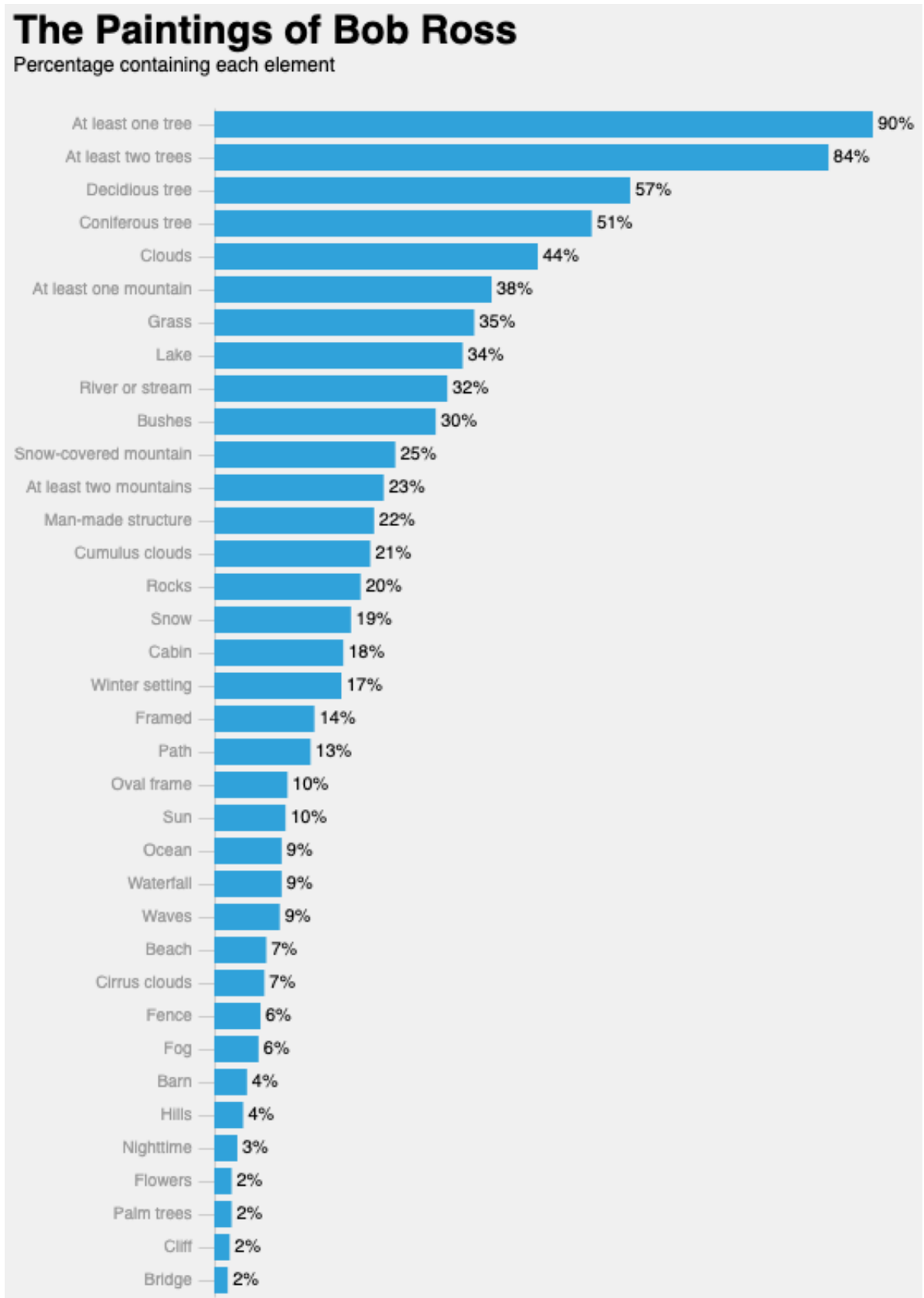
```
In [5]: # run to see what's inside
print("paint names",rosspaints)
print("")
print("hex values", rosspainthex)
```

```
paint names ['alizarin crimson', 'bright red', 'burnt umber', 'cadmium
yellow', 'dark sienna', 'indian yellow', 'indian red', 'liquid black',
'liquid clear', 'black gesso', 'midnight black', 'phthalo blue', 'phth
alo green', 'prussian blue', 'sap green', 'titanium white', 'van dyke
brown', 'yellow ochre']
```

```
hex values ['#94261f', '#c06341', '#614f4b', '#f8ed57', '#5c2f08', '#e
6ba25', '#cd5c5c', '#000000', '#ffffff', '#000000', '#36373c', '#2a64a
d', '#215c2c', '#325fa3', '#364e00', '#f9f7eb', '#2d1a0c', '#b28426']
```

Problem 1 (20 points)

As a warmup, we're going to have you recreate the [first chart from the Bob Ross article \(assets/bob_ross_538.png\)](#) (source: [Statistical Analysis of Bob Ross \(https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/\)](#)). This one simply shows a bar chart for the percent of images that have certain features. The Altair version is:



We'll be using the 538 theme for styling, so you don't have to do much beyond creating the chart (but do note that we want to see the percents, titles, and modifications to the axes).

You will replace the code for `makeBobRossBar()` and have it return an Altair chart. We suggest you first create a table that contains the names of the features and the percents. Something like this:

	index	value
0	Barn	0.044619
1	Beach	0.070866
2	Bridge	0.018373
3	Bushes	0.301837
4	Cabin	0.175853
5	Cirrus clouds	0.068241
6	Cliff	0.020997
7	Clouds	0.440945

Recall that this is the 'long form' representation of the data, which will make it easier to create a visualization with. Also, **note the order of the bars. It's not arbitrary, please re-create it.**

```
In [6]: def makeBobRossBar():
    # input: br -- a dataframe in the shape of the bobross frame defined
    # input: ifeatures -- a list of the features we want to test (see im
    # return: implement this function to return an altair chart as defin
    #         e.g., return alt.Chart(...)
    # YOUR CODE HERE
    data = bobross[imgfeatures]
    data = data.sum() / len(data)
    data = data.to_frame()
    data.reset_index(inplace=True)
    data.rename(columns={'index' : 'feature', 0 : 'pct'}, inplace=True)
    data.sort_values(by='pct', ascending=False, inplace=True)
    data = data.head(36)
    vals = list(data['feature'])

    barsq1 = alt.Chart(data).mark_bar(size=20).encode(
        x=alt.X('pct',
                axis=None),
        y=alt.Y('feature:N',
                axis=alt.Axis(tickCount=5, title=''),
                sort=vals)
    )

    textq1 = barsq1.mark_text(
        align='left',
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        baseline='middle',
        dx=3
    ).encode(
        text=alt.Text('pct:Q', format=',.0%')
    )

    bobross_features = (barsql + textql).configure(
        background='#eeeeee',
        padding=5
    ).configure_axis(
        labelFontSize=10,
        labelFont='Helvetica',
        labelOpacity=1
    ).configure_mark(
        color='#008fd5'
    ).configure_view(
        strokeWidth=0
    ).configure_scale(
        bandPaddingInner=0.1
    ).configure_title(
        anchor='start',
        font='Helvetica',
        fontSize=22,
        fontWeight='bold',
        offset=20
    ).properties(
        width=500,
        height=900
    ).properties(
        title={"text": "The Paintings of Bob Ross",
              "subtitle" : ["Percentage containing each element"]}
    )

    return bobross_features
#raise NotImplementedError()

```

```

In [7]: # run this code to validate
alt.themes.enable('fivethirtyeight')
makeBobRossBar()

```

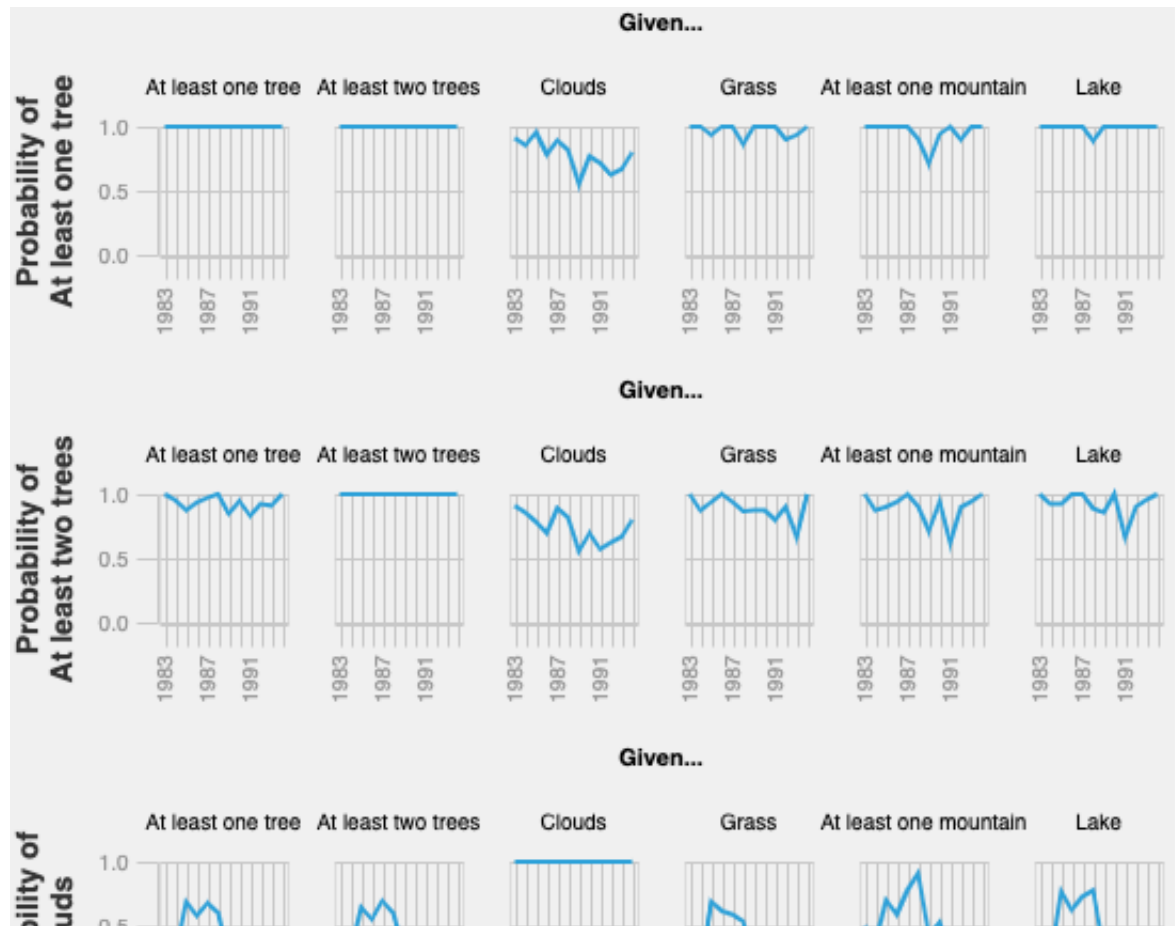
Out[7]:

Problem 2 (25 points)

The 538 article ([Statistical Analysis of Bob Ross \(https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/\)](https://fivethirtyeight.com/features/a-statistical-analysis-of-the-work-of-bob-ross/)) has a long analysis of conditional probabilities. Essentially, we want to know the probability of one feature given another (e.g., what is the probability of Snow given Trees?). The article calculates this over the entire history of the show,

but we would like to visualize these probabilities over time. Have they been constant? or evolving? We will only be doing this for a few variables (otherwise, we'll have a matrix of over 3000 small charts). The example below is for: 'At least one tree', 'At least two trees', 'Clouds', 'Grass', 'At least one mountain', 'Lake.' Each small multiple plot will be a line chart corresponding to the conditional probability over time. The matrix "cell" indicates which pairs of variables are being considered (e.g., probability of at least two trees given the probability of at least one tree is the 2nd row, first column in our example).

Your task will be to generate small multiples plots. For example:



The full image is [available here \(assets/matrix_full.png\)](#). While your small multiples visualization should contain all this data (the pairwise comparisons), you can **feel free to style it as you think is appropriate**. We will be grading (minimally) on aesthetics. Implement the code for the function: `makeBobRossCondProb(...)` to return this chart.

Some notes on doing this exercise:

- Write test code for `makeBobRossCondProb(...)` to make sure it works with different inputs.
- If you don't remember how to calculate conditional probabilities, take a look at the article. Remember, we want the conditional probabilities given the images in a specific year. This is simply an implementation of Conditional Probability/Bayes' Theorem. We implemented a

function called `condprobability(...)` as you can see below. You can do the same or pick your own strategy for this.

- We suggest creating a long-form representation of the table for this data. For example, here's a sample of ours (you can use this to double check your calculations):

	key1		key2	year	prob
392	Lake		Clouds	1991	0.142857
60	At least one tree		Lake	1983	1.000000
417	Lake	At least one mountain		1992	0.500000
264	Grass	At least one mountain		1983	0.214286
318	At least one mountain		Clouds	1989	0.333333
85	At least two trees	At least two trees		1984	1.000000
69	At least one tree		Lake	1992	1.000000
387	Lake		Clouds	1986	0.217391
278	Grass		Lake	1985	0.384615
68	At least one tree		Lake	1991	1.000000

- There are a number of strategies to build the small-multiple plots. Some are easier than others. You will find in this case that some combinations of repeated charts and faceting will not work. However, you should be able to use the standard concatenation approaches in combination with repeated charts or faceting.

```

In [8]: def condprobability(frame,column1,column2,year):
    # we suggest you implement this function to make your life easier.
    # input: frame -- the input dataframe in the style of the bobross da
    # input: column1 -- the first column to test (e.g, the A in probabil
    # input: column2 -- the second column to test (e.g., the B in the pr
    # input: year -- the year for which to calculate the probability
    # return: a conditional probability value

    # you can make variants of this function as you see fit, we will not

    # YOUR CODE HERE
    df = frame[frame['year'] == year]

    if column1 == column2:
        cond_prob = 1.0
    else:
        probs = df.groupby(column2).size().div(len(df))
        df = df.groupby([column2, column1]).size().div(len(df)).div(probs)
        cond_prob = float(df.xs(1, level=0, axis=0, drop_level=False).xs

    return [column1, column2, year, cond_prob]
    #raise NotImplementedError()

```

```

In [9]: def makeBobRossCondProb(br, totest):
    # implement this function to return an altair chart
    #
    # input: br the dataframe (e.g., the bobross frame as defined above)
    # input: totest is a variable that holds an array of properties we want
    #
    # we have created a default 'totest' variable that has the columns for
    #
    # return alt.Chart(...)

    # YOUR CODE HERE
    df = {}
    count=0
    for yr in list(bobross['year'].unique()):
        for c1 in totest:
            for c2 in totest:
                try:
                    df[count] = condprobability(bobross,c1,c2,yr)
                    count+=1
                except:
                    pass

    df = pd.DataFrame(data=df).T
    df.rename(columns={0:'key1',1:'key2',2:'year',3:'prob'}, inplace=True)
    df['year'] = pd.to_datetime((df['year']).apply(str), format='%Y')
    line_charts = alt.Chart(df).transform_fold(
        ['key1','key2'], as_=['key','value']
    ).mark_line().encode(
        x=alt.X('year(year):T',
            title=None,
            axis=alt.Axis(grid=True, tickCount=12)
        ),
        y=alt.Y('prob:Q',
            title=None
        )
    ).properties(
        width=75,
        height=75
    ).facet(
        column=alt.Column('key2:N',header=alt.Header(labelOrient='top'),
            row=alt.Row('key1:N', title="Probability of...", sort='ascending')
    )

    return line_charts
    #raise NotImplementedError()

```

```
In [10]: If you did everything right, the following should produce the small mult  
the description.  
akeBobRossCondProb(bobross, ['At least one tree', 'At least two trees', 'Cl
```

```
Out[10]:
```

Additional comments

If you deviated from our example, please use this cell to give us additional information about your design choices and why you think they are an improvement.

Problem 3 (25 points)

Recall that in some cases of multidimensional data a good strategy is to use dimensionality reduction to visualize the information. Here, we would like to understand how images are similar to each other in 'feature' space. Specifically, how similar are they based on the image features? Are images that have beaches close to those with waves?

We are going to create a 2D MDS plot using the scikit learn package. We're going to do most of this for you in the next cell. Essentially we will use the euclidean distance between two images based on their image feature array to create the image. Your plot may look slightly different than ours based on the random seed (e.g., rotated or reflected), but in the end, it should be close. If you're interested in how this is calculated, we suggest taking a look at [this documentation](https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.manifold.MDS.html) (<https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.manifold.MDS.html>).

Note that the next cell may take a minute or so to run, depending on the server.

```
In [11]: def augmentWithMDS(br=bobross, ifeatures=imgfeatures):
    # input: br -- the bobross shaped dataframe
    # input: ifeatures -- the features we want to use for calculate the MDS
    # output: a modified bobross dataframe that has new columns for the MDS

    # create the seed
    seed = np.random.RandomState(seed=3)

    # generate the MDS configuration, we want 2 components, etc. You can
    # the settings change the layout
    mds = manifold.MDS(n_components=2, max_iter=3000, eps=1e-9, random_state=seed)

    # fit the data. At the end, 'pos' will hold the x,y coordinates
    pos = mds.fit(br[ifeatures]).embedding_

    # we'll now load those values into the bobross data frame, giving us
    br['x'] = [x[0] for x in pos]
    br['y'] = [x[1] for x in pos]
    return(br)

bobross = augmentWithMDS()
```

Your task is to implement the visualization for the MDS layout. We will be using a new mark, `mark_image`, for this. You can read all about this mark on the Altair site [here \(https://altair-viz.github.io/user_guide/marks.html#user-guide-image-mark\)](https://altair-viz.github.io/user_guide/marks.html#user-guide-image-mark). Note that we all already saved the images for you. They are accessible in the `img_url` column in the `bobross` table. You will use the `url_encode` argument to `mark_image` to make this work.

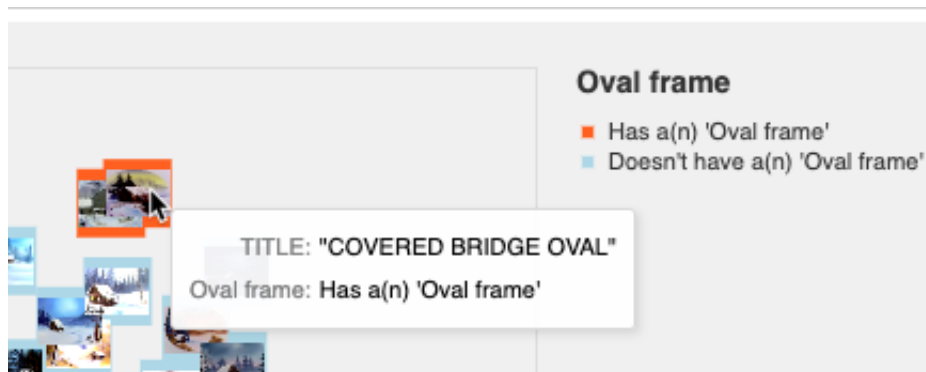
In this case, we would also like to emphasize all the images that *have* a specific feature. So when you define your `genMDSPlot()` function below, it should take a key string as an argument (e.g., 'Beach') and visually highlight those images. A simple way to do this is to use a second mark underneath the image (e.g., a rectangle) that is a different color based on the absence or presence of the image. Here's an example output for `genMDSPlot("Palm trees")`:



Click [here \(assets/mds_large.png\)](#) for a large version of this image. Notice the orange boxes indicating where the Palm tree images are. Note that we have styled the MDS plot to not have axes. Recall that these are meaningless in MDS 'space' (this is not a scatterplot, it's a projection).

Important: *You can make some of your own choices on how to make the matched items salient but you need to make this this visualization usable (expressive & effective).*

Hint: you may want to think about how to get "details" if you make images very small. We'd like to be able to figure out which image is what. A really simply strategy is to use something like tooltips.




```
In [12]: def genMDSPlot(key):
    imgs = alt.Chart(bobross).mark_image(
        width=15,
        height=15,
    ).encode(
        x=alt.X('x', axis=None),
        y=alt.Y('y', axis=None),
        url='img_url'
    )

    borders = alt.Chart(bobross).mark_square(size=300,opacity=1).encode(
        x=alt.X('x', axis=None),
        y=alt.Y('y', axis=None),
        color=alt.Color(str(key+' :N'))

    plot = (borders + imgs).properties(width=500,height=500)

    return plot

genMDSPlot('Palm trees')
# input: br -- a bobross dataframe (augmented with the x/y columns a
# input: key -- is a string indicating which images should be visual
#           should be made salient). For example: 'Barn'
# return: an altair chart (e.g., return alt.Chart(...))

# YOUR CODE HERE

#raise NotImplementedError()
```

Out[12]:

```
In [13]: # you should be able to test your code without interactivity, for example
# genMDSPlot(bobross,'Oval frame')
```

We are going to create an interactive widget that allows you to select the feature you want to be highlighted. If you implemented your `genMDSPlot` code correctly, the plot should change when you select new items from the list. We would ordinarily do this directly in Altair, but because we don't have control over the way you created your visualization, it's easiest for us to use the widgets built into Jupyter.

It should look something like this:



It may take a few seconds the first time you run this to download all the images.

In [14]: *# note that it might take a few seconds for the images to download
depending on your internet connection*

```
output = widgets.Output()

def clicked(b):
    output.clear_output()
    with output:
        highlight = filterdrop.value
        if (highlight == ""):
            print("please enter a query")
        else:
            genMDSPlot(highlight).display()

featurecount = bobross[imgfeatures].sum()

filterdrop = widgets.Dropdown(
    options=list(featurecount[featurecount > 2].keys()),
    description='Highlight:',
    disabled=False,
)

filterdrop.observe(clicked)

display(filterdrop,output)

with output:
    genMDSPlot('Barn').display()
```

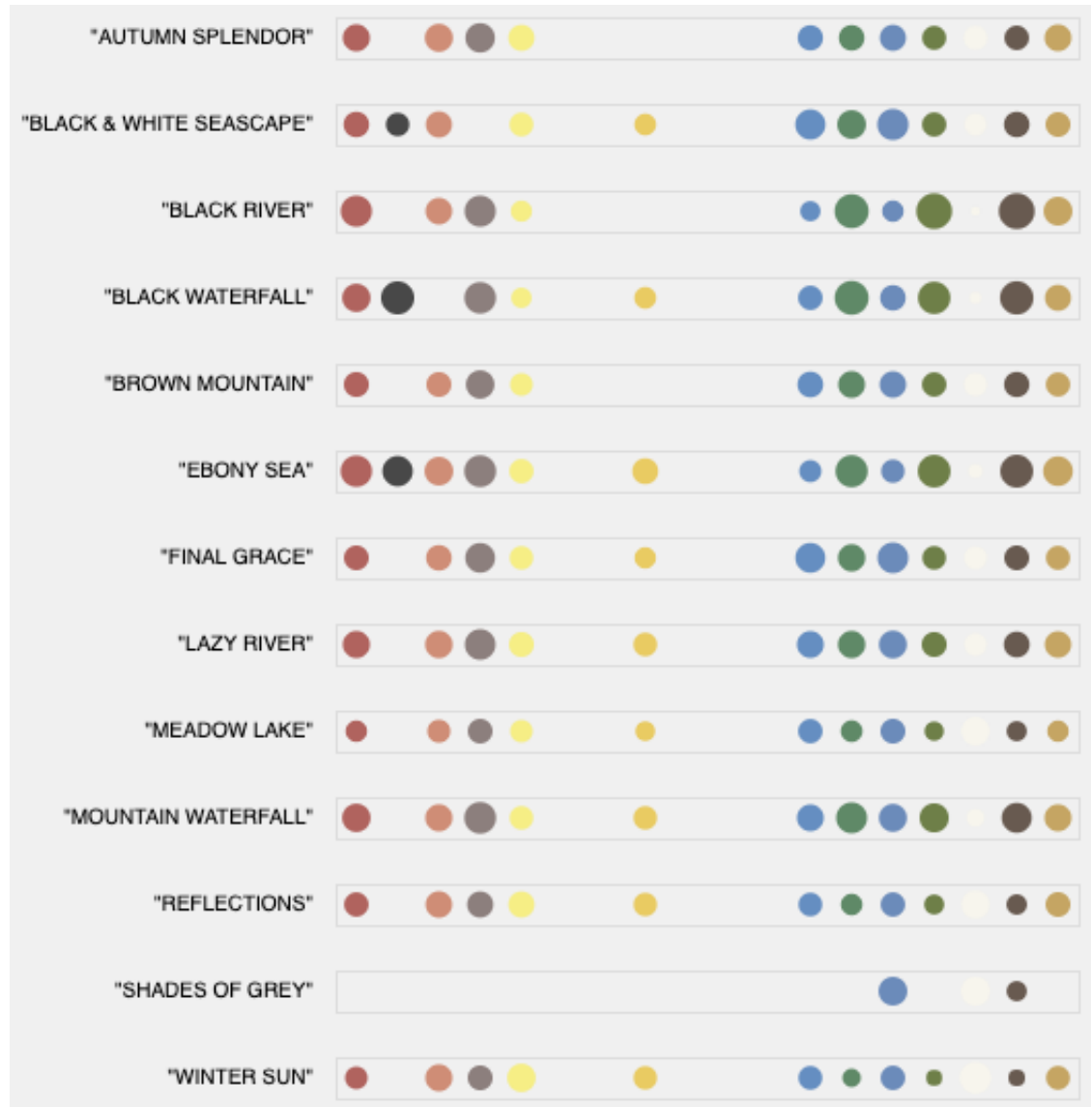
```
Dropdown(description='Highlight:', options=('Barn', 'Beach', 'Bridge',
'Bushes', 'Cabin', 'Cactus', 'Cirrus cl...
```

```
Output()
```

Problem 4 (30 points: 25 for solution, 5 for explanation)

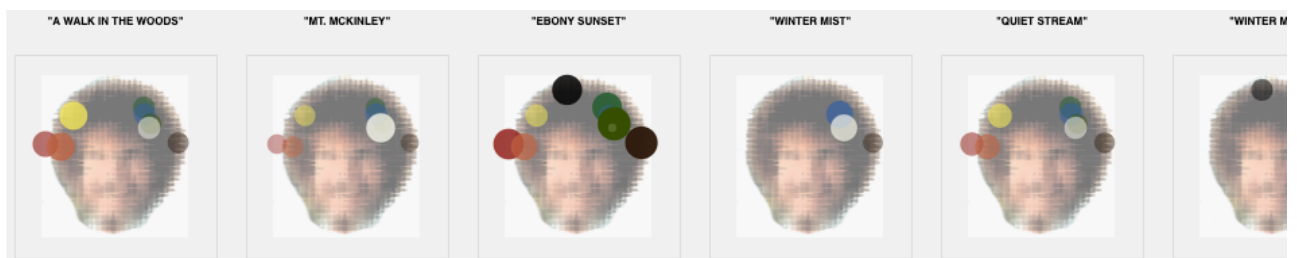
Your last problem is fairly open-ended in terms of visualization. We would like to analyze the colors used in different images for a given season as a small multiples plot. You can pick how you represent your small multiples, but we will ask you to defend your choices below. You must implement the function `colorSmallMultiples(season)` that takes a season number as input (e.g., 2) and returns an Altair chart. The "multiples" should be at the painting level--so, one multiple per painting (and each TV season shown at once).

You can go something as simple as this:



This visualization has a row for every painting and a colored circle (in the color of the paint). The circle is sized based on the amount of the corresponding paint that is used in the image.

You can also go to something as crazy as this:

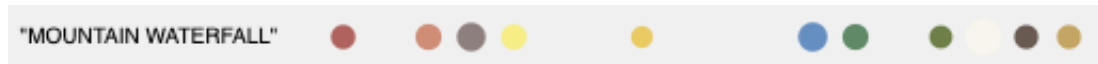


Here, we've overlaid circles as curls in Bob's massive hair. We're not claiming this is an effective solution, but you're welcome to do this (or anything else) as long as you describe the pros and cons of your choices. And, yes, we generated both examples using Altair.

Again, the relevant columns available are listed in `rosspaints` (there are 18 of them). The values range from 0 to 1 based on the fraction of pixel color allocated to that specific paint. The `rosspainthex` has the corresponding hex values for the paint color.

Some notes

- 1) We'd advise against trying to replicate our examples but if you do make sure you discuss the cons in detail
- 2) Make sure your visualization is actually a small multiple approach. There should be "mini" visualizations for each painting. This is a "rough" check, but if you're not using repeating, faceting, concatenation, etc. you're probably just making one chart (e.g., a heatmap). Another check is if there are axis labels/information on each so that it's readable on its own (a shared legend is fine). All these are inexact tests but may be helpful as a starting point.
- 3) You *may* find it useful to implement "colorSmallMultiple" as below to generate your single small multiple. This may not be ideal if you're using faceting or repetition. For example, in our implementation calling `colorSmallMultiple(5,1)` will create a small multiple for season 5, episode 1:



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In [15]: # this is optional, you can use this to produce a single multiple
# you may not find this helpful for your solution
def colorSmallMultiple(season, episodenum, br=bobross, rp=rosspaints,
    # input: season -- a season number (integer), assumed to exist in the
    # input: episodenum -- an episode number (integer), assumed to exist
    # input: br -- a dataset structured as the bobross data above (default
    # input: rp -- the names of paints (default rosspaints as defined above)
    # input: rph -- the hex values of the paints (default rosspaintshex as
    # return: a single multiple visualization for the season/episode

    # YOUR CODE HERE
    #raise NotImplementedError()

# test
# colorSmallMultiple(12,10) # season 12, episode 10
# colorSmallMultiple(5,1)   # season 5, episode 1
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In [39]: def colorSmallMultiples(season, br=bobross, rp=rosspaints, rph=rosspaints):
    if season < 10:
        season = '0'+str(season)

    bobross['season'] = bobross['EPISODE'].str[0:3]
    paints_df = bobross[['season', 'TITLE', 'alizarin crimson', 'bright red']]
    season_1_paints = paints_df[paints_df['season'] == 'S{}'.format(season)]
    season_1_paints
    tuples = []
    for title in season_1_paints['TITLE']:
        for color in rosspaints:
            tuples.append((title, color))
    index = pd.MultiIndex.from_tuples(tuples, names=["TITLE", "COLOR"])
    df = pd.DataFrame(index=index)
    df['value'] = 0
    for title in season_1_paints['TITLE']:
        for color in rosspaints:
            df.loc[(title, color), 'value'] = season_1_paints[season_1_paints['TITLE'] == title][color]

    df.reset_index(inplace=True)
    chart = alt.Chart(df).mark_bar().encode(
        x='sum(value)',
        y='TITLE',
        color='COLOR'
    )

    return chart
# input: season -- a season number (integer), assumed to exist in the dataset
# input: br -- a dataset structured as the bobross data above (default bobross)
# input: rp -- the names of paints (default rosspaints as defined above)
# input: rph -- the hex values of the paints (default rosspaints_hex as defined above)
# return: an Altair chart providing small multiples for that season

# YOUR CODE HERE
#raise NotImplementedError()

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In [40]: # run this to test your code for season 1
colorSmallMultiples(1)

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Out[40]:

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In [41]: # run this to test your code for season 2
colorSmallMultiples(2)

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Out[41]:

Explain your choices

Explain your design here. Describe the pros and cons in terms of visualization principles.

I wanted to create a simple, yet effective way to display Bob Ross's amazing paintings and the colors he used in them. I really like this type of visualization because it is easy to read and I would want to interpret this data if I was given this and had to read it and use it for a regular class. It does seem effective and clear, but I also think that a treemap or sunburst chart would be effective, especially because we are looking at different types of colors, and those types of charts would be perfect in showing color. I do like the colors in alphabetical order, but it would also be more pleasing to look at visually if it were in color order (Red, orange, yellow, green, etc.)