

Beamer and TikZ Workshop

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Afternoon overview: TikZ

- ▶ One of many drawing choices found in the $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$ jungle
- ▶ PGF is the “back end” — TikZ provides a convenient interface
- ▶ TikZ shares some ideas with MetaPost and PSTricks
- ▶ Multiple input formats: plain $\text{T}_{\text{E}}\text{X}$, \LaTeX
- ▶ Multiple output formats: PDF, PostScript, HTML/SVG
- ▶ Works well with beamer and incremental slides
- ▶ Extensive documentation (405 pages)

TikZ capabilities: a laundry list

2-d points	3-d points	Cartesian coordinates
Polar coordinates	Relative positions	Named points
Line segments	Bézier curves	Rectangles
Circles	Ellipses	Arcs
Grids	Text	Drawing
Clipping	Filling	Shading
Iteration	Transformations	Libraries

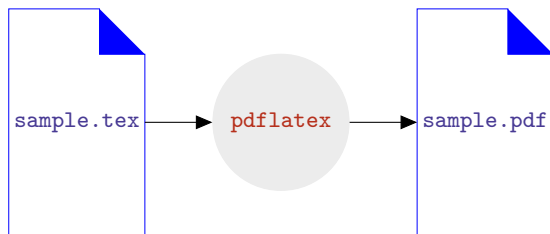
Layout of a TikZ-based document using \LaTeX

```
\documentclass[11pt]{article}
...
\usepackage{tikz}

% Optional pgf libraries
\usepackage{pgflibraryarrows}
\usepackage{pgflibrarysnakes}
...

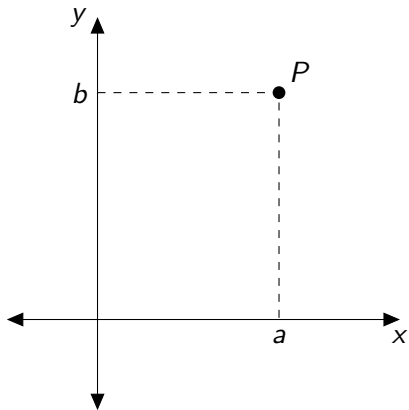
\begin{document}
  ...
  \begin{tikzpicture}
    ...
  \end{tikzpicture}
  ...
\end{document}
```

Processing a TikZ-based document



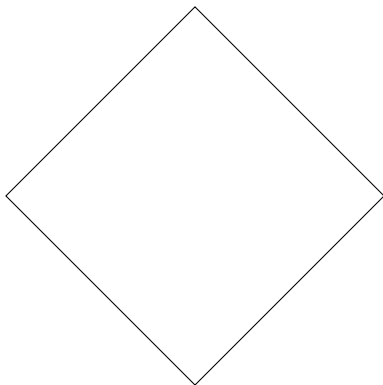
- ▶ Text and diagrams can be combined in one file
- ▶ Stand-alone graphics can be obtained with `pdfcrop`

2-d points



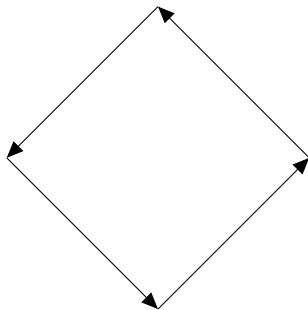
`\path (a,b) coordinate (P);`

A diamond of 2-d points



```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \draw (1,0) -- (0,1) -- (-1,0) -- (0,-1) -- cycle;
\end{tikzpicture}
```

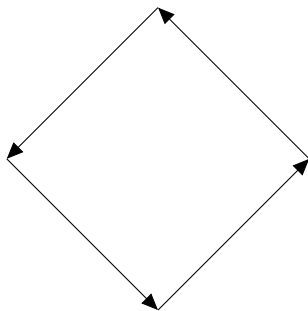
A diamond of 2-d points, with arrows



```
\begin{tikzpicture}[>=triangle 45]  
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\end{tikzpicture}
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- ▶ `->`, `<-`, and `<->`, sets where arrowheads are to be placed
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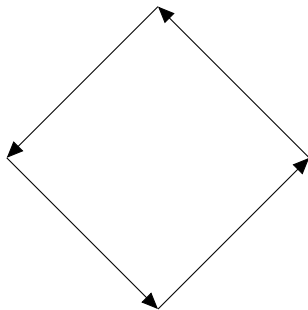
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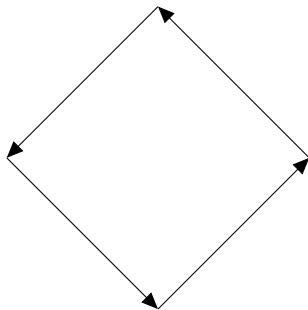
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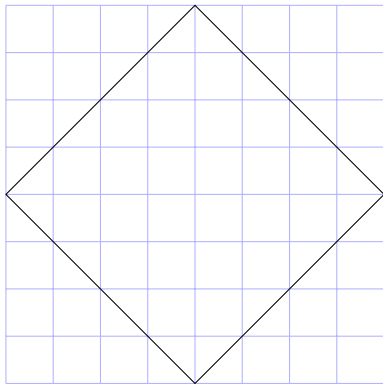
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\end{tikzpicture}
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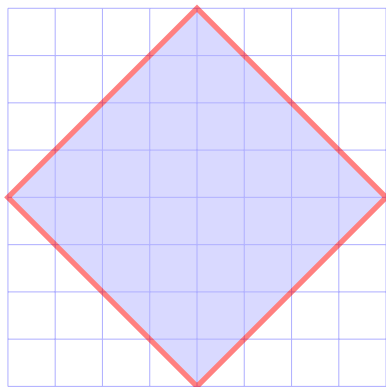
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A diamond of 2-d points, with grid



```
\draw[step=0.25cm,color=blue!30] (-1,-1) grid (1,1);  
\draw (1,0) -- (0,1) -- (-1,0) -- (0,-1) -- cycle;
```

A few path options

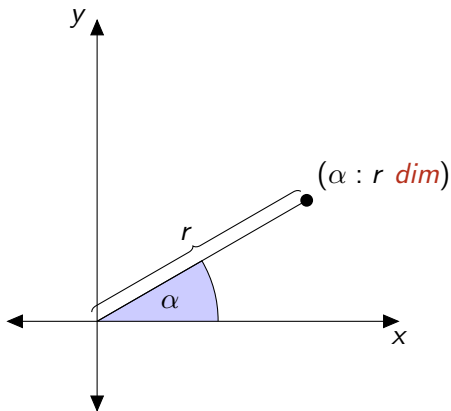


- ▶ Fill path
- ▶ Change pen color
- ▶ Change pen width
- ▶ Adjust transparency

A few path options: details

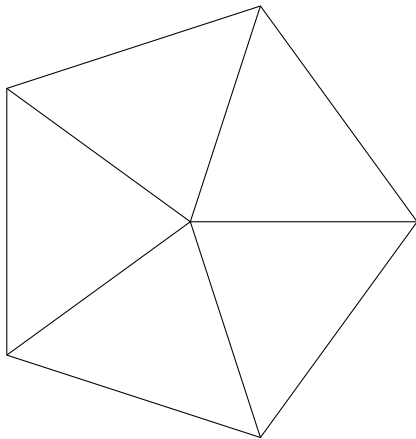
```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \draw[step=0.25cm,color=blue!30]
    (-1,-1) grid (1,1);
  \draw[fill,color=blue!30,draw=red,
    line width=2pt,opacity=0.5]
    (1,0) -- (0,1) -- (-1,0) -- (0,-1) -- cycle;
\end{tikzpicture}
```

Points specified with polar coordinates



dim: A dimensional unit (cm, pt, mm, in, ...)

Specifying points with named coordinates



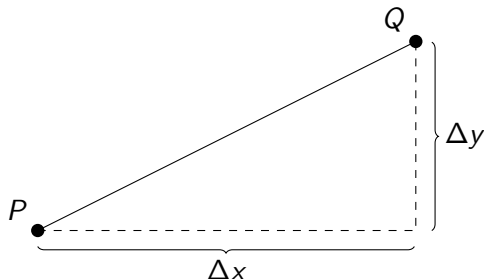
Specifying points with named coordinates: details

```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \path (0,0) coordinate (origin);
  \path (0:1cm) coordinate (P0);
  \path (1*72:1cm) coordinate (P1);
  \path (2*72:1cm) coordinate (P2);
  \path (3*72:1cm) coordinate (P3);
  \path (4*72:1cm) coordinate (P4);

  % Pentagon edges
  \draw (P0) -- (P1) -- (P2) -- (P3) -- (P4) -- cycle;

  % Spokes
  \draw (origin) -- (P0) (origin) -- (P1)
        (origin) -- (P2) (origin) -- (P3)
        (origin) -- (P4);
\end{tikzpicture}
```

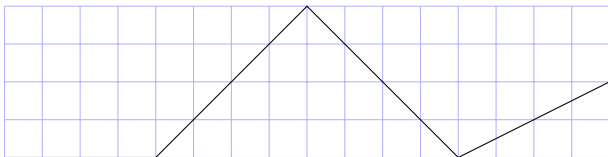
Specifying points with relative coordinates



Given coordinate P and offsets Δx and Δy , we can establish Q :

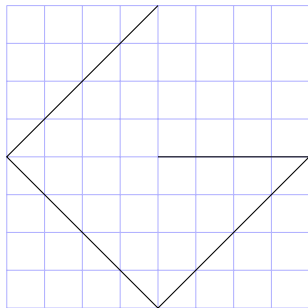
```
\path (P) ++ ( $\Delta x$ ,  $\Delta y$ ) coordinate (Q);
```

Example with relative offsets



```
\draw (0,0)  --  
      ++(1,0) --  
      ++(1,1) --  
      ++(1,-1) --  
      ++(1,0.5);
```

Example with relative offsets: ++ vs. +

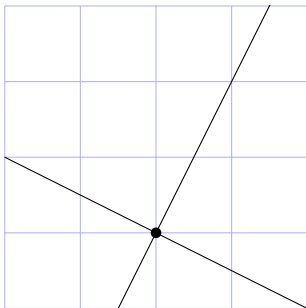


```
\draw (0,0) --  
      +(1,0) --  
      +(0,-1) --  
      +(-1,0) --  
      +(0,1);
```

++ specifies a point and updates the current location

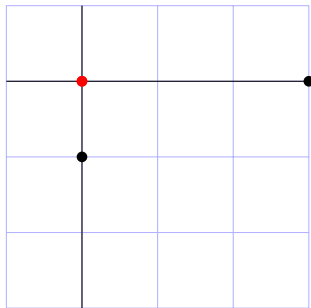
+ only specifies a point

Specifying points as intersections



```
\fill (intersection of 0,2--4,0 and 0,-3--4,5) circle (2pt);
```

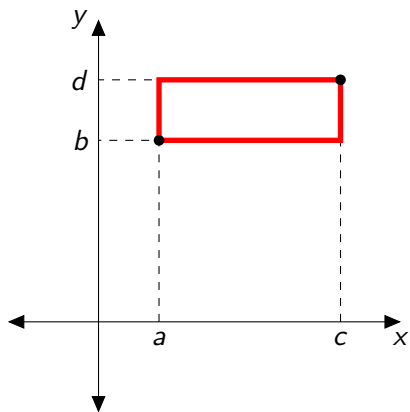
Intersections of horizontal and vertical lines



```
\fill[red] (1,2 |- 4,3) circle (2pt);  
\fill[red] (4,3 -| 1,2) circle (2pt);
```

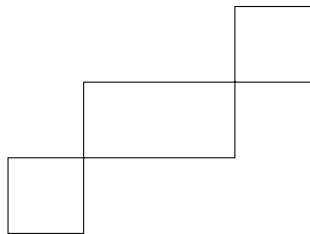
Both $(p \mid - q)$ and $(q - \mid p)$ specify the intersection of the vertical line through p and the horizontal line through q .

Rectangles



```
\draw (a,b) rectangle (c, d);
```

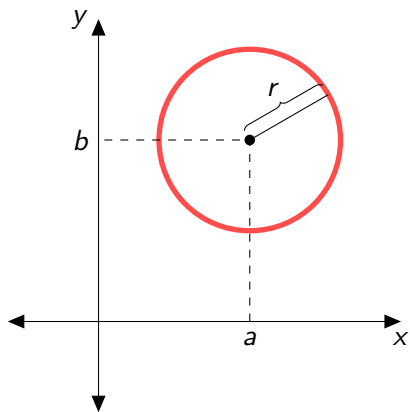
Rectangles: examples



```
\draw (0,0) rectangle (1,1)  
      rectangle (3,2)  
      rectangle (4,3);
```

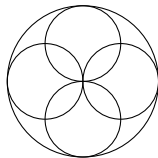
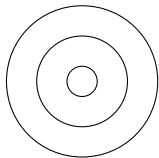
```
\draw (0,0) rectangle (1,1)  
      rectangle (2,0)  
      rectangle (3,1);
```


Circles



```
\draw (a,b) circle (r dim);
```

Circles: examples



```
\draw (0,0) circle (1cm) circle (0.6cm) circle (0.2cm);
```

```
\draw (0,0) circle (1cm);
```

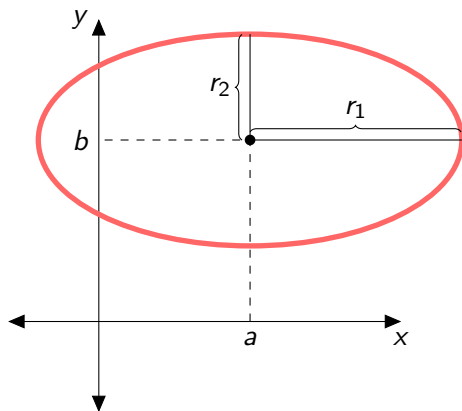
```
\draw (0.5,0) circle (0.5cm);
```

```
\draw (0,0.5) circle (0.5cm);
```

```
\draw (-0.5,0) circle (0.5cm);
```

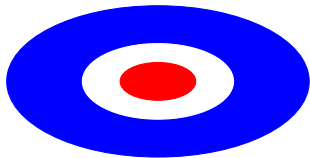
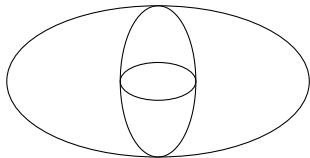
```
\draw (0, -0.5) circle (0.5cm);
```

Ellipses



```
\draw (a,b) ellipse (r_1 dim and r_2 dim);
```

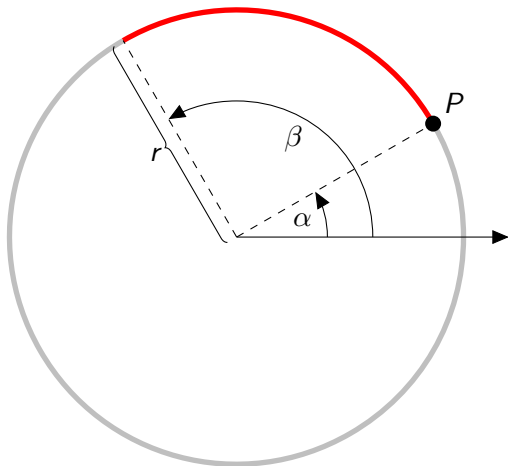
Ellipses: examples



```
\draw (0,0) ellipse (2cm and 1cm);  
\draw (0,0) ellipse (0.5cm and 1cm);  
\draw (0,0) ellipse (0.5cm and 0.25cm);
```

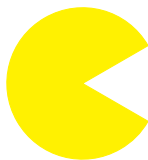
```
\draw[fill,color=blue] (0,0) ellipse (2cm and 1cm);  
\draw[fill,color=white] (0,0) ellipse (1cm and 0.5cm);  
\draw[fill,color=red] (0,0) ellipse (0.5cm and 0.25cm);
```

Circular arcs



```
\draw (P) arc ( $\alpha$  :  $\beta$  :  $r$  dim);
```

Circular arcs: examples

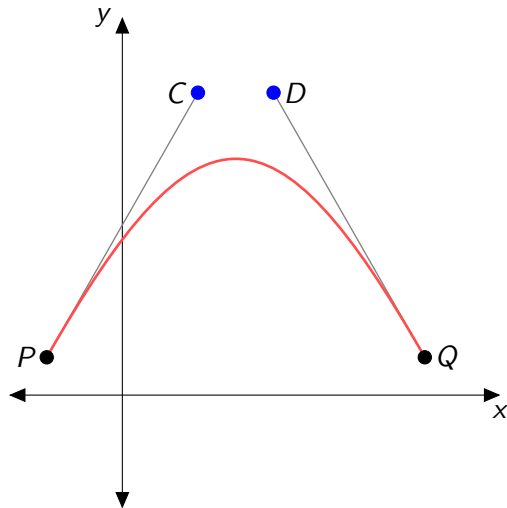


```
\draw[fill, color=red] (0:0.4cm) -- (0:1cm)
    arc (0:60:1cm) -- (60:0.4cm)
    arc (60:0:0.4cm) -- cycle;
```

```
\draw[fill, color=yellow]
    (0,0) -- (30:1cm) arc (30:330:1cm) -- cycle;
```

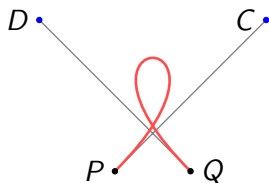
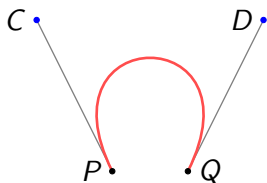
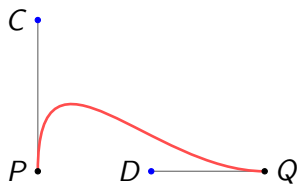
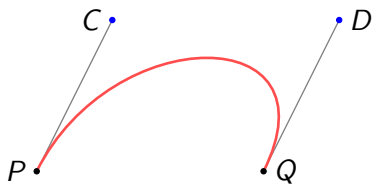
```
\draw (0.25,0) arc (0:180:0.25cm)
    (0.5,0) arc (0:180:0.5cm)
    (0.75,0) arc (0:180:0.75cm)
    (1,0) arc (0:180:1cm);
```

Bézier curves with named coordinates

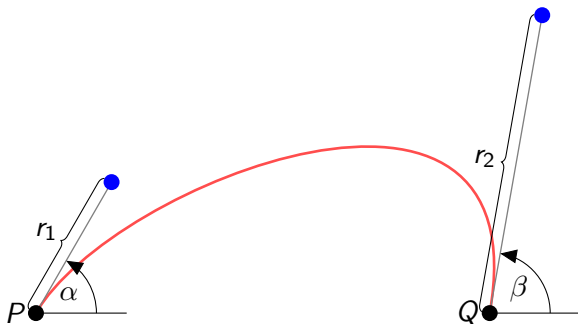


```
\draw (P) .. controls (C) and (D) .. (Q);
```

Bézier curves: examples

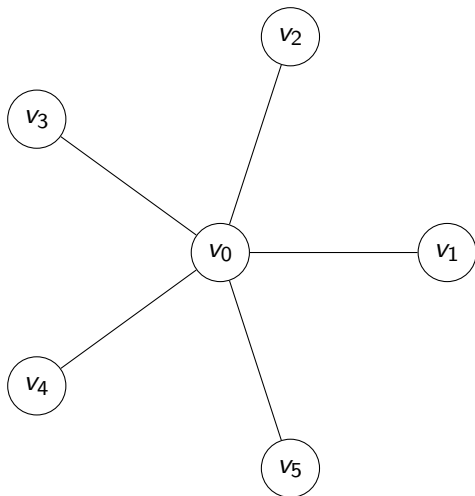


Bézier curves with relative coordinates



```
\draw (P) .. controls +(\alpha : r_1 dim)
           and +(\beta : r_2 dim) .. (Q);
```

Using nodes



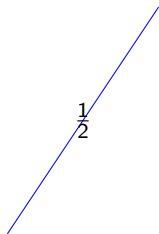
```
\path (0:0cm) node[draw,shape=circle] (v0) {$v_0$};
```

Using nodes: details

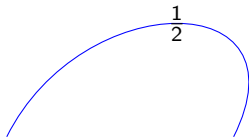
```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \tikzstyle{every node}=[draw,shape=circle];
  \path (0:0cm)      node (v0) {$v_0$};
  \path (0:1cm)     node (v1) {$v_1$};
  \path (72:1cm)    node (v2) {$v_2$};
  \path (2*72:1cm) node (v3) {$v_3$};
  \path (3*72:1cm) node (v4) {$v_4$};
  \path (4*72:1cm) node (v5) {$v_5$};

  \draw (v0) -- (v1)
        (v0) -- (v2)
        (v0) -- (v3)
        (v0) -- (v4)
        (v0) -- (v5);
\end{tikzpicture}
```

Nodes on a line or curve

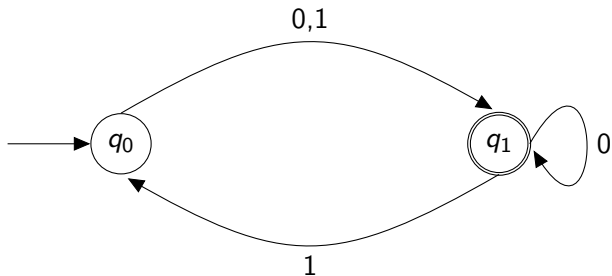


```
\draw[blue] (0,0) -- (2,3) node[black, pos=0.5]{ $\frac{1}{2}$ };
```



```
\draw[blue] (0,0) .. controls (1,2) and (4,2) .. (3,0)  
node[black, pos=0.5]{ $\frac{1}{2}$ };
```

Using nodes to draw automata



Using nodes to draw automata: details

```
\begin{tikzpicture}[>=triangle 45]
  % Nodes
  \path (0,0) node[draw,shape=circle] (q0) {$q_0$};
  \path (1,0) node[draw,double,shape=circle] (q1) {$q_1$};

  % Initial state
  \draw[->] (-0.3,0) -- (q0);

  % Edges
  \draw[->, shorten >=1mm]
    (q0.north) .. controls +(30:0.5cm) and +(150:0.5cm)
                .. (q1.north) node[pos=0.5,above] {0,1};
  \draw[->, shorten >=1mm]
    (q1.south) .. controls +(210:0.5cm) and +(330:0.5cm)
                .. (q0.south) node[pos=0.5,below] {1};
  \draw[->, shorten >=1mm]
    (q1.east) .. controls +(60:0.4cm) and +(-60:0.4cm)
               .. (q1.east) node[pos=0.5,right] {0};
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  \draw[->, shorten >=1mm]
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    .. (q1.east) node[pos=0.5,right] {0};
\end{tikzpicture}
```

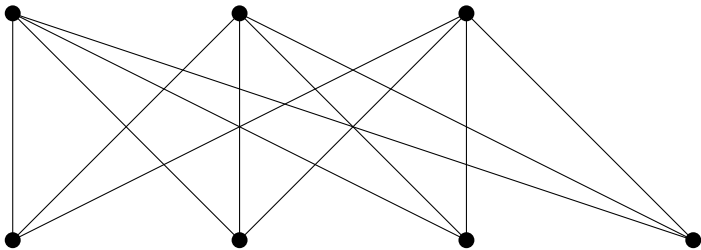

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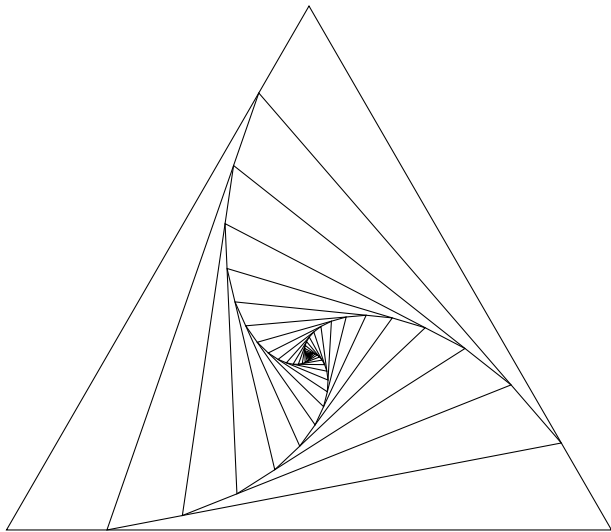
Using loops



Using loops: details

```
\begin{tikzpicture}
  \foreach \i in {1,...,4} {
    \path (\i,0) coordinate (X\i);
    \fill (X\i) circle (1pt);
  }
  \foreach \j in {1,...,3} {
    \path (\j,1) coordinate (Y\j);
    \fill (Y\j) circle (1pt);
  }
  \foreach \i in {1,...,4} {
    \foreach \j in {1,...,3} {
      \draw (X\i) -- (Y\j);
    }
  }
\end{tikzpicture}
```

Spiral



Spiral: details

```
% Define the original triangle
\path (0,0) node[shape=coordinate](lastA){}
      ++(60:1cm) node[shape=coordinate](lastB){}
      ++(-60:1cm) node[shape=coordinate](lastC){};

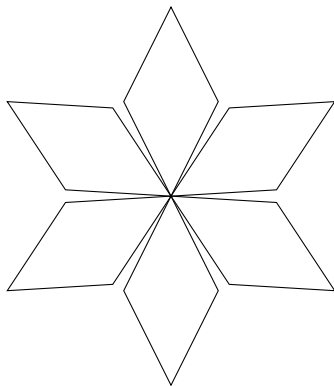
% Draw the original triangle
\draw (lastA) -- (lastB) -- (lastC) -- cycle;

\foreach \x in {1,...,60}{ % Draw 60 "sub-triangles"
  % Move A toward C, B towards A, and C towards B
  \path (lastA) -- (lastC) node[shape=coordinate,pos=.166](A){};
  \path (lastB) -- (lastA) node[shape=coordinate,pos=.166](B){};
  \path (lastC) -- (lastB) node[shape=coordinate,pos=.166](C){};

  \draw (A) -- (B) -- (C) -- cycle; % Draw sub-triangle

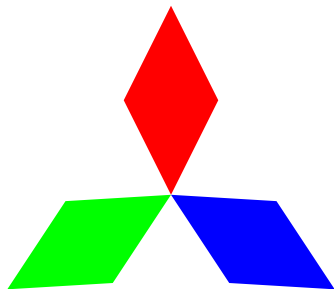
  \path (A) node[shape=coordinate](lastA){}; % Update positions
  \path (B) node[shape=coordinate](lastB){};
  \path (C) node[shape=coordinate](lastC){};
}
```

Rotation



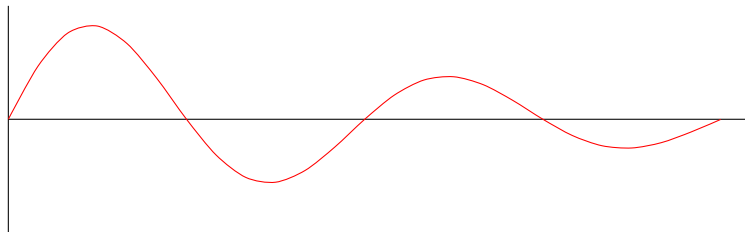
```
\foreach \alpha in {0,60,...,300} {  
    \draw[rotate=\alpha] (0,0) -- (0.5,1) --  
        (0,2) -- (-0.5,1) -- cycle;  
}
```

Rotation



```
\foreach \alpha / \c in {0/red,120/green,240/blue} {  
  \fill[rotate=\alpha,color=\c]  
    (0,0) -- (0.5,1) -- (0,2) -- (-0.5,1) -- cycle;  
}
```

Function plots



```
\draw[smooth,domain=0:6.28,color=red]  
  plot function{sin(2*x)*exp(-x/4)};
```

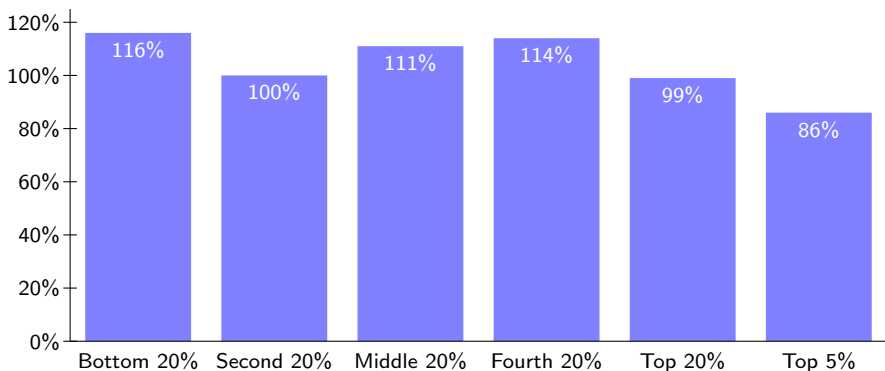

Plot Types

```
\draw plot coordinates {point sequence};  
\draw plot file {filename};  
\draw plot function {gnuplot formula};
```

Useful options:

- ▶ **mark**: places a given mark at each point of the plot.
- ▶ **smooth**, **smooth cycle**: points are connected by a (closed) smooth curve.
- ▶ **xcomb**, **ycomb**: makes a horizontal or vertical bar diagram.
- ▶ **line width**: sets the size of line to use.

Rising Together Change in Family Income, 1947–1979



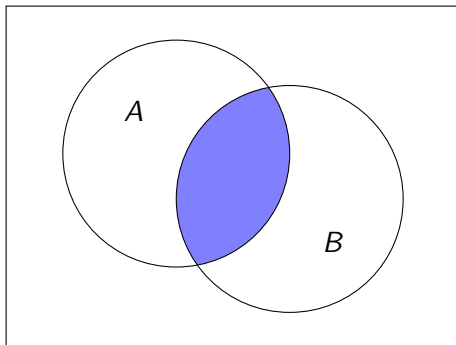
Original graph from www.faireconomy.org/research/income_charts.html

Plot: details

```
\begin{tikzpicture}[x=1.8cm,y=1pt]
  % Bars
  \draw[ycomb, color=blue!50, line width=1.4cm]
    plot coordinates {(0,116) (1,100) (2,111)
                     (3, 114) (4,99) (5,86)};

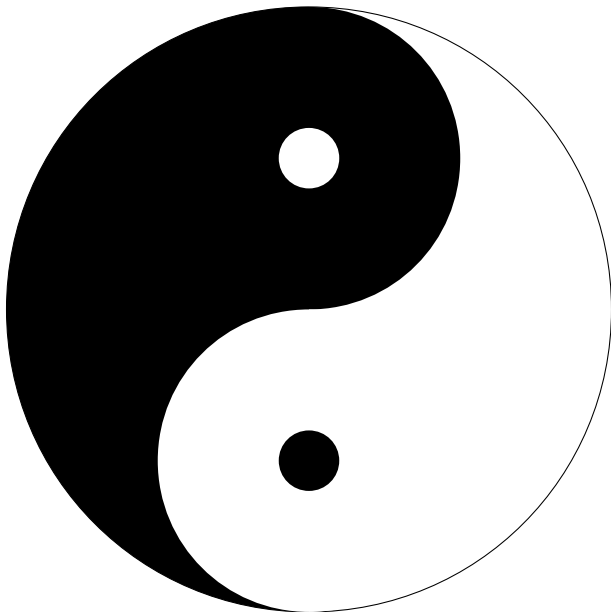
  % Axes
  \draw (-0.5,0) -- (-0.5,125);
  \draw (-0.5,0) -- (5.5,0);
  ...
\end{tikzpicture}
```

Clipping

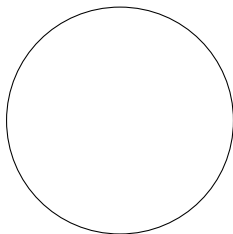


```
\clip (-0.5,0.2) circle (1cm);  
\clip (0.5,-0.2) circle (1cm);  
\fill[color=blue!50] (-2,1.5) rectangle (2,-1.5);
```

Yin-Yang

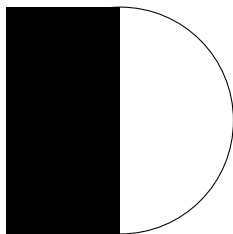


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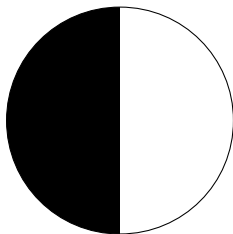
```
\draw (0,0) circle (1cm);  
\begin{scope}  
  \clip (0,0) circle (1cm);  
  \fill[black] (0cm,1cm) rectangle (-1cm,-1cm);  
\end{scope}  
\fill[black] (90:0.5cm) circle (0.5cm);  
\fill[white] (270:0.5cm) circle (0.5cm);  
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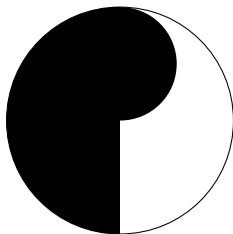
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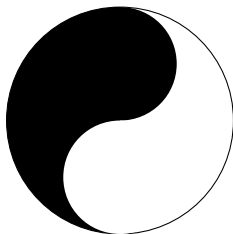
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```


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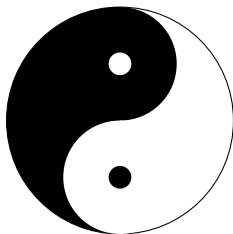
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```

Scope

The `scope` environment limits which paths are subject to a clipping region or applies options to a list of paths.

```
\begin{scope}
  \clip (0,0) circle (1cm);
  \fill[black] (0cm,1cm) rectangle (-1cm,-1cm);
\end{scope}
```

```
\begin{scope}[font=\scriptsize, anchor=base]
  \path (0,-10) node {Bottom 20\%};
  \path (1,-10) node {Second 20\%};
  \path (2,-10) node {Middle 20\%};
  \path (3,-10) node {Fourth 20\%};
  \path (4,-10) node {Top 20\%};
  \path (5,-10) node {Top 5\%};
\end{scope}
```

Summary

- ▶ TikZ is a language for specifying graphics
- ▶ Specifying graphics with a language provides exactness
- ▶ Familiar graphics-related concepts: points, lines, etc.
- ▶ Meshes well with pdf \LaTeX and beamer
- ▶ Reasonably comfortable learning curve

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Questions?

```
\begin{tikzpicture}  
  \fill[color=blue!10] (-5,-2.5) rectangle (5,2.5);  
  \path (0,0) node {\Huge \color{blue} Questions?};  
\end{tikzpicture}
```

References

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- ▶ Animate package: www.ctan.org/tex-archive/macros/latex/contrib/animate/
- ▶ pdfcrop: www.ctan.org/tex-archive/support/pdftocrop/