

Chasing PL II Extruding Circos

Final Project: Interactive 3D Data Visualization

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Concept:

Computer science is a very dynamic field, it has been rapidly changing since its conception and shall continue to do so. Majority of the computer code is written in so-called 'programming languages'. It is essentially a way of instructing the computer to perform a set of instructions. Over the years these so called programming languages have evolved, some caught on, some did not. Seattle with heavy weight companies like Microsoft and Amazon, can possibly be a good measure of it. I queried for the most popular languages: Java, C/ C++, Objective C, PHP, Python, Ruby, JavaScript, SQL & Perl. I may include HTML and CSS for comparison, though they are not exactly programming languages

I will be looking into data from (2005-2013): an 8-year period.

Design:

The design has been inspired by Circos (circos.ca) a data visualization tool used to show relationships. I intend to extrude the circle into a spiral thereby utilizing the third dimension to represent time. I have chosen bright blue for the spiral staircase with fine lines to demarcate the days. Each step represents a month. The background is black.

Color Scheme:

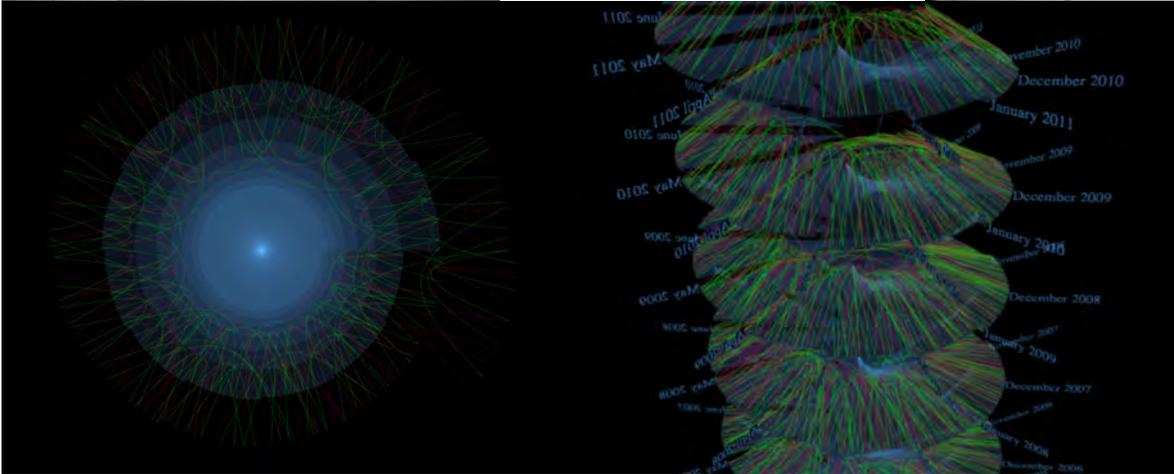
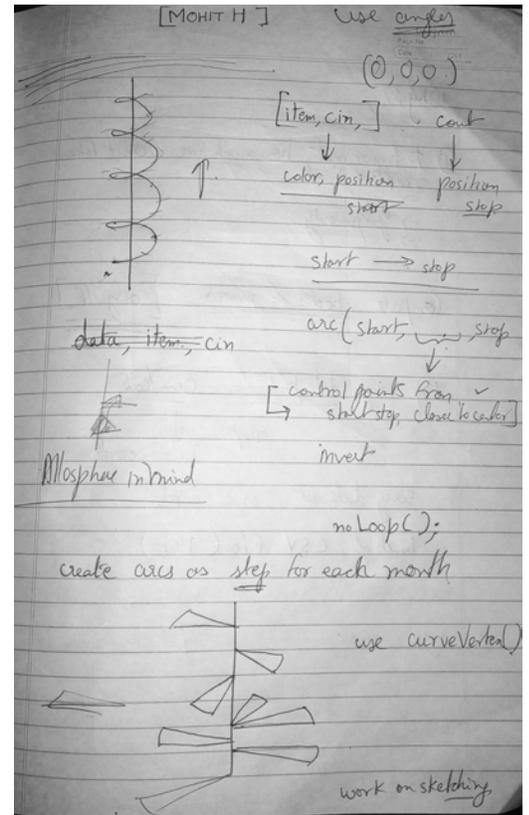
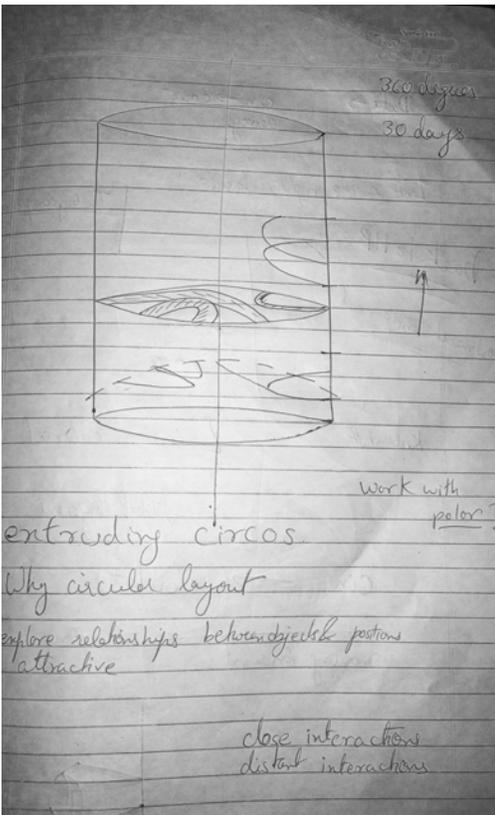
Blue & Black

Query:

SQL queries:

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select cin,cout,title,deweyClass from inraw where deweyClass > 0 && deweyClass < 7 and year(cout)>=2005 and year(cout) <= 2013 and title like "%python%"
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Doodle:



Results:

So far the results on the queries have resulted in very interesting patterns and problems.