## Everything is digital...

#### Coding Text

#### Bit, Byte, ASCII, UTF-8,...

- **Bit**: BInary digiT, a flag that can assume two values, 0 or 1.
- Byte: 8 bits, the "atom" of the information on PCs.
- **ASCII**: a way to code char with 7 bits, ex:
  - 010.0000 means <space>
  - 100.0000 means '@'
  - 100.0100 100.1111 100.0111 means "DOG"
    - try on google "ASCII TABLE"
- **UTF-8**: a way to code a lot of char with 1 to 4 bytes:
  - try on google "UTF-8"

### Coding Images

#### From pixels to images

# bitmap

#### From pixels to images



#### Coloring is Addictive

• All (visible) colors are combination of Red, Green, Blue



#### RGB Color Channels



Red Chanel

Green Chanel

Blue Chanel

#### Resolution and Color Depth

- Resolution: number of pixel composing the image:
  - 1024 column x 768 rows = 786.432 pixel
- Color Depth: number of bit used for pixel color:
  - Black And White: 1 bit/pixel
    - ♦ 1=black
    - 0=white
  - True color: 24bit/pixel (8 for red, 8 for green, 8 for blue)
    - 0000.0000 0000.0000 0000.0000 = black
    - 0000.0000 1111.1111 0000.0000 = green
    - 1111.1111 1111.1111 1111.1111 = white

#### Coding color with RGB

- ♦ RGB: color is a combination of Red, Green and Blue, (notation based on human perception and oriented to monitor devices)
- Each visible color can be obtained by addictively mix the basic color components Red, Green and Blue with a given ratio.
- The combination ratio can be expressed by 3-ple of numbers: <red\_component, green\_component, blue\_component>
  - try: https://www.w3schools.com/colors/colors\_rgb.asp
- The set of the possible component values defines our capacity to express color variations (color depth)

HTML Web Safe Colors											
#000000	#000033	#000066	#000099	#0000CC	#0000FF	#990000	#990033	#990066	#990099	#9900CC	#9900FF
0,0,0	0,0,51	0,0,102	0,0,153	0,0,204	0,0,255	153,0,0	153,0,51	153,0,102	153,0,153	153,0,204	153,0,255
#003300	#003333	#003366	#003399	#0033CC	#0033FF	#993300	#993333	#993366	#993399	#9933CC	#9933FF
0,51,0	0,51,51	0,51,102	0,51,153	0,51,204	0,51,255	153,51,0	153,51,51	153,51,102	153,51,153	153,51,204	153,51,255
#006600	#006633	#0066666	#006699	#0066CC	#0066FF	#996600	#996633	#996666	#996699	#9966CC	#9966FF
0,102,0	0,102,51	0,102,102	0,102,153	0,102,204	0,102,255	153,102,0	153,102,51	153,102,102	153,102,153	153,102,204	153,102,255
#009900	#009933	#009966	#009999	#0099CC	#0099FF	#999900	#999933	#999966	#9999999	#99999CC	#99999FF
0,153,0	0,153,51	0,153,102	0,153,153	0,153,204	0,153,255	153,153,0	153,153,51	153,153,102	153,153,153	153,153,204	153,153,255
#00CC00	#00CC33	#00CC66	#00CC99	#00CCCC	#00CCFF	#99CC00	#99CC33	#99CC66	#99CC99	#99CCCC	#99CCFF
0,204,0	0,204,51	0,204,102	0,204,153	0,204,204	0,204,255	153,204,0	153,204,51	153,204,102	153,204,153	153,204,204	153,204,255
#00FF00	#00FF33	#00FF66	#00FF99	#00FFCC	#00FFFF	#99FF00	#99FF33	#99FF66	#99FF99	#99FFCC	#99FFFF
0,255,0	0,255,51	0,255,102	0,255,153	0,255,204	0,255,255	153,255,0	153,255,51	153,255,102	153,255,153	153,255,204	153,255,255
#330000	#330033	#330066	#330099	#3300CC	#3300FF	#CC0000	#CC0033	#CC0066	#CC0099	#CC00CC	#CC00FF
51,0,0	51,0,51	51,0,102	51,0,153	51,0,204	51,0,255	204,0,0	204,0,51	204,0,102	204,0,153	204,0,204	204,0,255
#333300	#333333	#333366	#333399	#3333CC	#3333FF	#CC3300	#CC3333	#CC3366	#CC3399	#CC33CC	#CC33FF
51,51,0	51,51,51	51,51,102	51,51,153	51,51,204	51,51,255	204,51,0	204,51,51	204,51,102	204,51,153	204,51,204	204,51,255
#336600	#336633	#336666	#336699	#3366CC	#3366FF	#CC6600	#CC6633	#CC66666	#CC6699	#CC66CC	#CC66FF
51,102,0	51,102,51	51,102,102	51,102,153	51,102,204	51,102,255	204,102,0	204,102,51	204,102,102	204,102,153	204,102,204	204,102,255
#339900	#339933	#339966	#339999	#3399CC	#3399FF	#CC9900	#CC9933	#CC9966	#CC99999	#CC99CC	#CC99FF
51,153,0	51,153,51	51,153,102	51,153,153	51,153,204	51,153,255	204,153,0	204,153,51	204,153,102	204,153,153	204,153,204	204,153,255
#33CC00	#33CC33	#33CC66	#33CC99	#33CCCC	#33CCFF	#CCCC00	#CCCC33	#CCCC66	#CCCC99	#CCCCCC	#CCCCFF
51,204,0	51,204,51	51,204,102	51,204,153	51,204,204	51,204,255	204,204,0	204,204,51	204,204,102	204,204,153	204,204,204	204,204,255
#33FF00	#33FF33	#33FF66	#33FF99	#33FFCC	#33FFFF	#CCFF00	#CCFF33	#CCFF66	#CCFF99	#CCFFCC	#CCFFFF
51,255,0	51,255,51	51,255,102	51,255,153	51,255,204	51,255,255	204,255,0	204,255,51	204,255,102	204,255,153	204,255,204	204,255,255
#660000	#660033	#660066	#660099	#6600CC	#6600FF	#FF0000	#FF0033	#FF0066	#FF0099	#FF00CC	#FF00FF
102,0,0	102,0,51	102,0,102	102,0,153	102,0,204	102,0,255	255,0,0	255,0,51	255,0,102	255,0,153	255,0,204	255,0,255
#663300	#663333	#663366	#663399	#6633CC	#6633FF	#FF3300	#FF3333	#FF3366	#FF3399	#FF33CC	#FF33FF
102,51,0	102,51,51	102,51,102	102,51,153	102,51,204	102,51,255	255,51,0	255,51,51	255,51,102	255,51,153	255,51,204	255,51,255
#666600	#666633	#6666666	#666699	#6666CC	#6666FF	#FF6600	#FF6633	#FF6666	#FF6699	#FF66CC	#FF66FF
102,102,0	102,102,51	102,102,102	102,102,153	102,102,204	102,102,255	255,102,0	255,102,51	255,102,102	255,102,153	255,102,204	255,102,255
#669900	#669933	#669966	#669999	#6699CC	#6699FF	#FF9900	#FF9933	#FF9966	#FF99999	#FF99CC	#FF99FF
102,153,0	102,153,51	102,153,102	102,153,153	102,153,204	102,153,255	255,153,0	255,153,51	255,153,102	255,153,153	255,153,204	255,153,255
#66CC00	#66CC33	#66CC66	#66CC99	#66CCCC	#66CCFF	#FFCC00	#FFCC33	#FFCC66	#FFCC99	#FFCCCC	#FFCCFF
102,204,0	102,204,51	102,204,,102	102,204,153	102,204,204	102,204,255	255,204,0	255,204,51	255,204,102	255,204,153	255,204,204	255,204,255
#66FF00	#66FF33	#66FF66	#66FF99	#66FFCC	#66FFFF	#FFFF00	#FFFF33	#FFFF66	#FFFF99	#FFFFCC	#FFFFF
102,255,0	102,255,51	102,255,102	102,255,153	102,255,204	102,255,255	255,255,0	255,255,51	255,255,102	255,255,153	255,255,204	255,255,255
#000000	#333333	#6666666	#9999999	#CCCCCC	#FFFFF	#FF0000	#00FF00	#0000FF	#FFFF00	#FF00FF	#00FFFF
0,0,0	51,51,51	102,102,102	153,153,153	204,204,204	255,255,255	255,0,0	0,255,0	0,0,255	255,255,0	255,0,255	0,255,255
www.beginnersguidetohtml.com											

• Try on Google: "RGB table"

#### Color Depth vs Size

#### • An example of B/W image with different gray-scale palette

Resolution:512x512 Color depth: 8bit Image size: 262144 bytes





Resolution:512x512 Color depth: 10 bit Image Size: 327680 bytes

Resolution:512x512 Color depth: 16bit Image size: 524288 bytes

#### Other Color Spaces

• There are other many way to "code" colors; a short list:

- HSV and HSL: color is a combination of Hue, Saturation and (V)brightness/L uminance (notation oriented to color perception, image manipulation)
- **CMYK**: color is a combination of **C**yan, **M**agenta, **Y**ellow, blac**K**, oriented to print process by ink.
- **RAL**: used in industries.

Reference: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/List\_of\_color\_spaces\_and\_their\_uses

#### Coding Sounds

#### Sampling and the Nyquist rule



#### Nyquist rule

"In order to sample a looped signal, it is necessary to use a sampling rate of at least twice the maximum signal frequency"

Example:

- sampling at CD quality: 44khz
- Max audible frequency: 20khz

#### Coding Codes

#### Coding for humans

• Hi-Level language programs can be coded as text:

```
/* Hello World C-Language program */
#include<stdio.h>
main()
{
    printf("Hello World\n");
}
```

#### Coding for (not so) humans

Low-Level language Language programs are also text:

/\* Disassembled piece from hello.c \*/
/\* in Assembly Language

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4000561: sub %r12,%rbp

- : xor %ebx,%ebx
- : sar \$0x3,%rbp
- : sub \$0x8,%rbp

. . . .

#### Coding for CPU

• CPU languages are made by sequence of bytes:

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