

Create a Mandala with SVG Circles

1. Copy and Paste the 600x600 grid from:
<http://steamcoded.org/lessons/grid600x600.svg.txt>
2. Add style attributes to the group element with opacity:0.5;
fill:none;stroke:navy;
3. Add a circle element as a child of the group in step 2
center: (300,150) radius: 150 rotate 0 degrees about (300,300)
hint: transform="rotate(0,300,300)"
4. Copy the circle element so there are 24 elements and rotate
each circle by 15 degrees ($360/24=15$) about the center of the image (300,300)

Create a Colored Mandala – Save as new file if you want to keep the uncolored version

5. Copy the first 13 circles (rotated 0 through 180 degrees) and
color each by adding a style attribute with the fill color below
Note: colors are defined with a hexadecimal number indicated by the # sign with
2 hexadecimal digits for red, green, and blue. 2 hexadecimal digits can count 0-255
 - 1 - style="fill:#29ABE2;"
 - 2 - style="fill:#0071BC;"
 - 3 - style="fill:#2E3192;"
 - 4 - style="fill:#1B1464;"
 - 5 - style="fill:#662D91;"
 - 6 - style="fill:#FF0000;"
 - 7 - style="fill:#FFFF00;"
 - 8 - style="fill:#00FF00;"
 - 9 - style="fill:#00FFFF;"
 - 10 - style="fill:#0000FF;"
 - 11 - style="fill:#FF00FF;"
 - 12 - style="fill:#C1272D;"
 - 13 - style="fill:#ED1C24;"
6. Create a group element and give it a style="fill:none;", then
add the remaining circles as child elements of the group
7. Color the first 2 circles (first circle should be rotated 195 degrees)
1 - style="fill:#F15A24;"
2 - style="fill:#F7931E"
Note the fill color starts to overwrite the first circle
8. Create a <def> element – remember the ending element </defs>
9. Add a <mask> element as a child of the <defs> element and give it attribute id="m1"
10. Add 2 elements as child elements of the mask element in step 10
a rectangle width: 600, height: 600, style="fill:white"
a circle centered at (300,150), radius: 150 style="fill:black" and
rotate it 0 degrees about (300,300)
Note: the mask will show everything colored in the white area and
hide everything in the black area
11. Add a style to the group element created in step 6
style: mask:url(#m1); and note that the circles are now masked where they overlap and
make the circle appear to go behind the others.
12. Color the remaining 9 circles starting with the one rotated 225 degrees
 - 1 - style="fill:#FBB03B"
 - 2 - style="fill:#FCEE21"
 - 3 - style="fill:#D9E021"
 - 4 - style="fill:#8CC63F"
 - 5 - style="fill:#39B54A"
 - 6 - style="fill:#009245"
 - 7 - style="fill:#006837"
 - 8 - style="fill:#22B573"
 - 9 - style="fill:#00A99D"

Animating the Mandala - Save as new file if you wish to keep it without animation

13. Add a <clipPath> element as a child of the <defs> element and give it attribute id="cp1"
14. Add a <circle> element as a child of the <clipPath> element
center: (300,150), radius: 150 and rotate it 165 degrees about (300,300)
15. Change the rotation angle of the circle element that is a child of the mask element to 165 degrees
16. Add the style: clip-path:url(#cp1); to all the colored circles
17. Change the 2 circle elements in the <defs> section to rotate at 135 degrees, then 120, then 105 – continue to 0 degrees and see the effect – set back to 165 degrees when done
18. Add a <animateTransform> element as a child of the circle element that is a child of the clipPath element and give it attributes:
attributeName="transform"
attributeType="XML"
type="rotate"
values="165,300,300;0,300,300;0,300,300;165,300,300;165,300,300"
dur="5s"
repeatCount="indefinite"
19. Copy the animateTransform element and add it as a child of the circle element that is a child of the mask element.