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On Feb 14, 1:30 pm, "Androcles" <Headmas...@xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx> wrote:

Animated you get this:

<http://www.androcles01.pwp.blueyonder.co.uk/Smart/LT.gif>

I specialize in animated gifs in 3D, as here:

<http://www.androcles01.pwp.blueyonder.co.uk/AC/m.gif>

<http://www.androcles01.pwp.blueyonder.co.uk/Differential.gif>

Not bad! I've been sitting on the animated GIF standard for a long time. I didn't even know browsers still render it. I haven't yet gotten around to doing any generation in this format, though I wrote a GIF generator (LZW encoder) as a preparatory stage long ago, almost 20 years back, to be used to fit together the frames.

But I've gone pretty far with fixed format,

Logos

<http://federation.g3z.com/Graphics/index.htm#Logos>

"Carto"-Graphics

<http://federation.g3z.com/SciFi/index.htm#Exodus>

It would be an interesting (and, in retrospect: easy) exercise to take the second and make a film of the world collapsing out of it. It would also be pretty easy to make the logo do a zoom-by.

My first computer program, in fact, was the production of a Saturn fly-by, with the shading, perspective, etc.; almost 30 years ago. The Star Wars scrolling, similar to the zoom-by, is old hat.

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