

Assignment: HyperCard

A supplement to "Interactive and Animated Cartography"
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HyperCard implements a linking structure and can be used to assemble multimedia material. In this assignment, you will create a HyperCard stack to show an animation.

Step 1: Use GeoCart to create a series of frames for an animation. The specific type of animation is your choice. It could show the rotation of the earth, a change in perspective, or a zooming-in (or a combination of these). Export the frames as PICT files at 72 dpi. The size of the maps should be appropriate for a 640 x 480 display.

Step 2: Create the HyperCard stack. The HyperCard stack will consist of a title page, an information page, and the animation. Include the purpose of the your animation and the methods used to create it on the information page. The animation should consist of at least a dozen frames. Shade-in the continents on the individual maps for a better differentiation of land vs. water.

Hand-in the stack on a 1.4 MB floppy-disk.