

Pattern Formation

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- What properties and processes are “easy” to obtain through physical dynamics alone?

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$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} = D_V \nabla^2 V + G(U, V)$$

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$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial t} = UV^2 - (F + k)V + D_v \left(\frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\partial^2 V}{\partial y^2} \right)$$

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Find the simulation by Dirk Brockmann and Benjamin F. Maier
that Chris uses here

<http://www.complexity-explorables.org/explorables/grayscott/>