

# Custom SVG Paths

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# Basics - The Path String

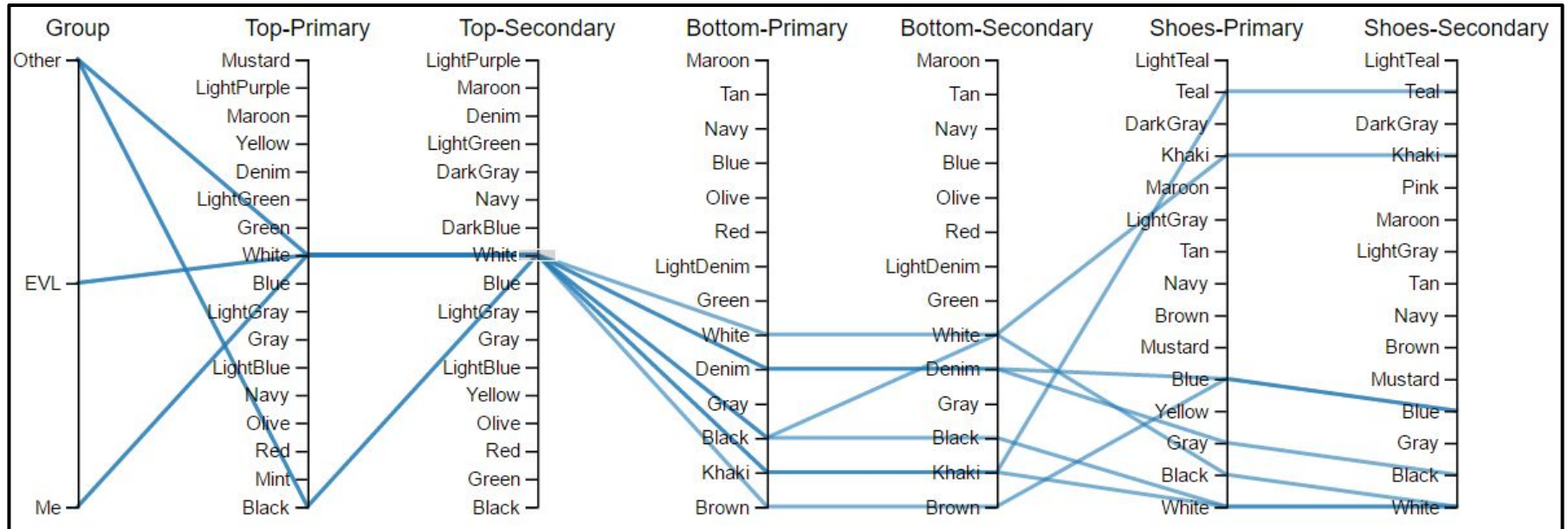
- Move To (**M or m**) **x y**: With pen up, move to coordinate
- Horizontal Line (**H or h**) **x**: Draw line horizontally to coordinate
- Vertical Line (**V or v**) **y**: Draw line vertically to coordinate
- Line To (**L or l**) **x y**: Draw line to coordinate
- Close Path (**Z or z**): Close the path (draw line to starting point).
- Curve functions...



# Hard Coding a Path

```
// add icons for pies
let topPath = "M -10 -15 1 20 0 1 10 10 1 -6 6 1 -4 -4 1 2 20 1 -24 0 1 2 -20" +
  "l -4 4 1 -6 -6 1 10 -10",
  botPath = "M -10 -15 1 20 0 1 4 30 1 -9 2 1 -5 -23 1 -5 23 1 -9 -2 1 4 -30 " +
  "Z",
  shoePath = "M -15 -8 1 -1 16 1 10 0 1 0 -3 1 5 3 1 17 0 1 0 -4 1 -2 -4 " +
  "l -4 -2 1 -13 -6 1 -12 0 Z",
  groupPath = "";
```

# Generalize Path Generation



# Path Generation Code

```
function calculatePath(d) {  
  let points = Object.keys(axesScales).map((el, i) => {  
    return "" + (margin.left + axisSpacing * i) + "," + axesScales[el](d[el]);  
  });  
  
  return "M" + points.join("L");  
}
```

