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!PIE 100, 0, 360, 45

an eight-sided polygon with a radius of 100 will be plotted and its interior will be filled with a shading pattern (GEN.II maps 4027 colors to dithered shades).

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