

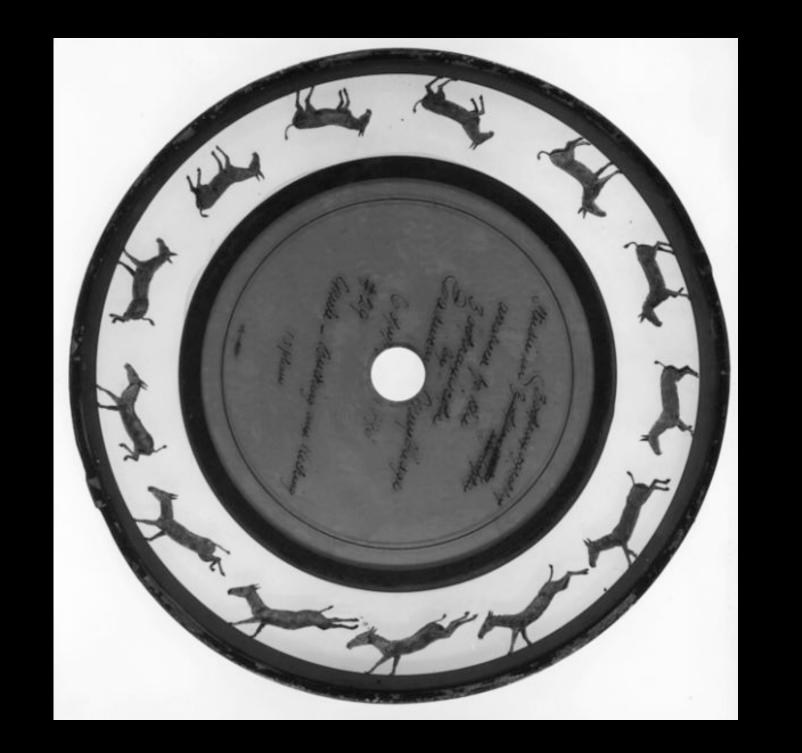
phenakistoscope, 1831



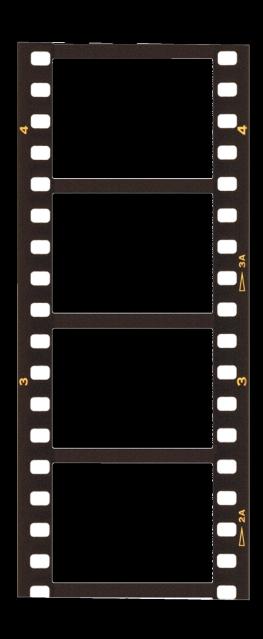
zoetrope, 1834



zoopraxiscope, 1879



frames per second (fps)



the higher the fps, the smoother the motion appears

16-18 fps :: silent cinema

24 fps :: sound cinema

29.90 fps :: television

12 fps :: web animation



key frames

* Define the starting and ending points of any smooth transition.

* Represent an important moment in an animated sequence.

