

DESIGN ASSOCIATIVITY
DATA ANALYSIS

DATA TO ANALYSE

Description:

In this analysis we looked at the population density of foreign nationalities in Barcelona and what different nationalities occupy the largest groups of foreign residents

Date:

2012

Step 01

Collect necessary data from Wikipedia in order to retrieve the necessary documentation

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Population density

Note: This text is entirely based on the municipal statistical database provided by the city council.

Barcelona is one of the most densely populated cities in Europe. For the year 2008 the city council calculated the population to 1,628,090 living in the 102.2 km² sized municipality, giving the city an average population density of 15,926 inhabitants per square kilometre.

In the case of Barcelona though, the land distribution is extremely uneven. Half of the municipality or 50.2 km², all of it located on the municipal edge is made up of the ten least densely populated neighbourhoods containing less than 10% of the city's population, the uninhabited [Zona Franca](#) industrial area and [Montjuïc](#) forest park. Leaving the remaining 90% or slightly below 1.5 million inhabitants living on the remaining 52 km² at an average density close to 28,500 inhabitants per square kilometre.

Of the 73 neighbourhoods in the city, 45 had a population density above 20,000 inhabitants per square kilometre with a combined population of 1,313,424 inhabitants living on 38.6 km² at an average density of 33,987 inhabitants per square km. The 30 most densely populated neighbourhoods accounted for 57.5% of the city population occupying only 22.7% of the municipality, or in other words, 936,406 people living at an average density of 40,322 inhabitants per square kilometre. The city's highest density is found at and around the neighbourhood of [la Sagrada Família](#) where four of the city's most densely populated neighbourhoods are located side by side, all with a population density above 50,000 inhabitants per square kilometre.

Nationality	Population (2012)
 Pakistan	23,281
 Italy	22,909
 China	15,875
 Ecuador	15,511
 Bolivia	14,154
 Morocco	13,674
 Peru	13,464
 Colombia	12,328
 France	11,922
 Philippines	8,482

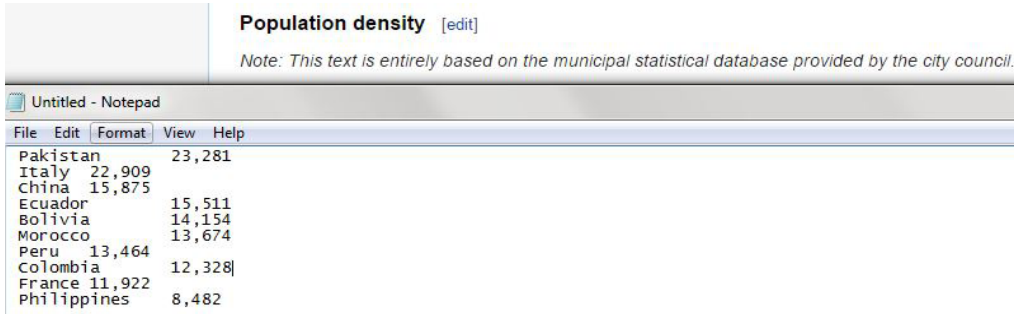
Step 02

Copy the necessary data in a text file

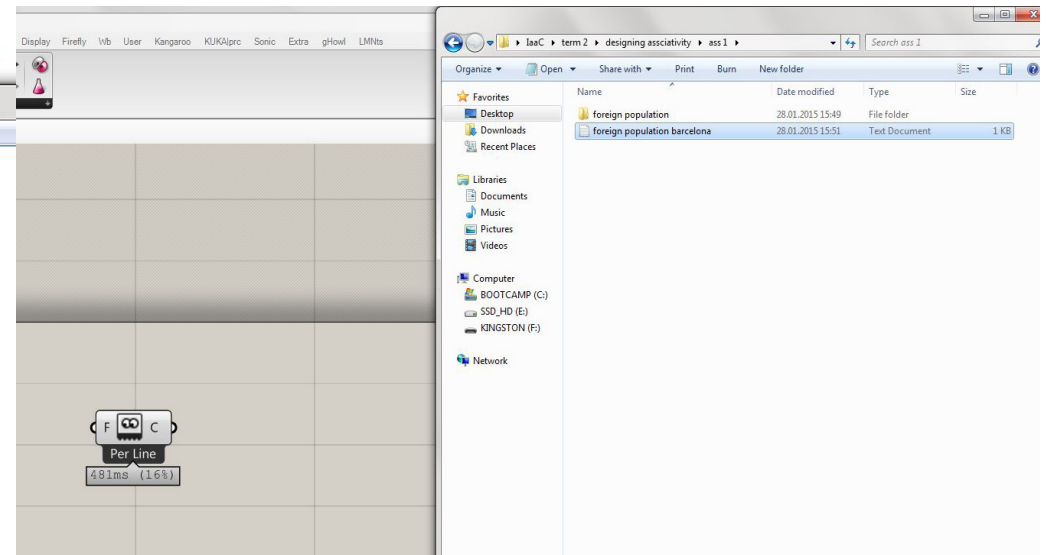
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Go to the text file that is saved in your document file and Drag and Drop it into grasshopper canvas
A **Read file** is created with all your data

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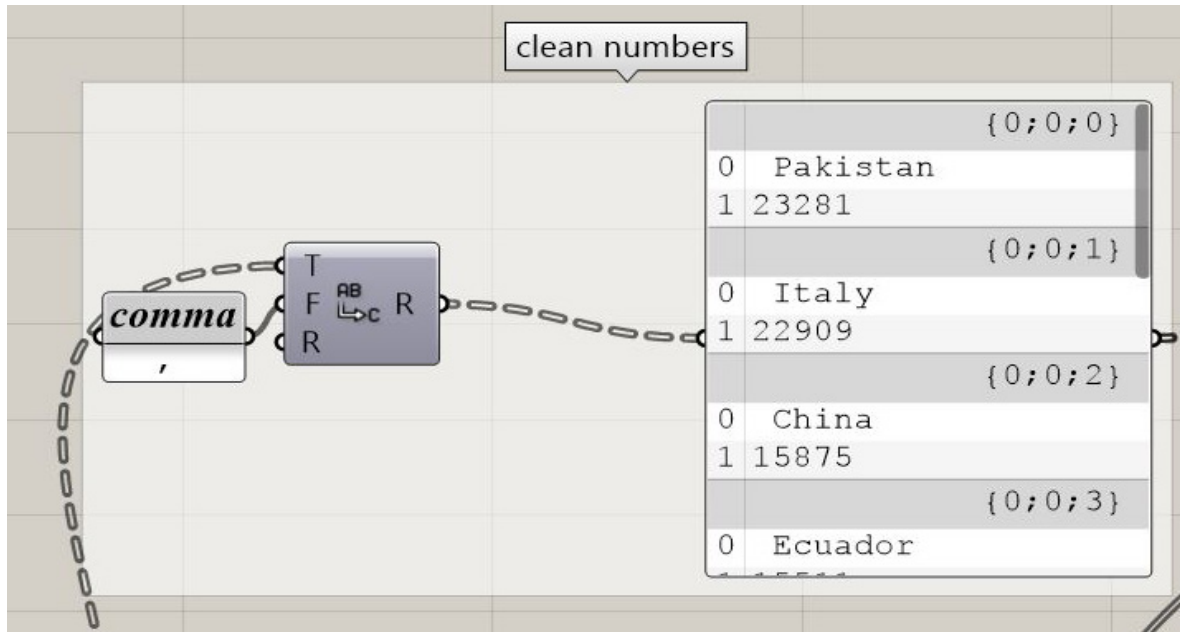
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Step 05

Use **Replace Text** and connect a **Panel** with a comma in order to clean up all comma's in the file so the numbers would be read correctly. Insert a **Panel** to view the result

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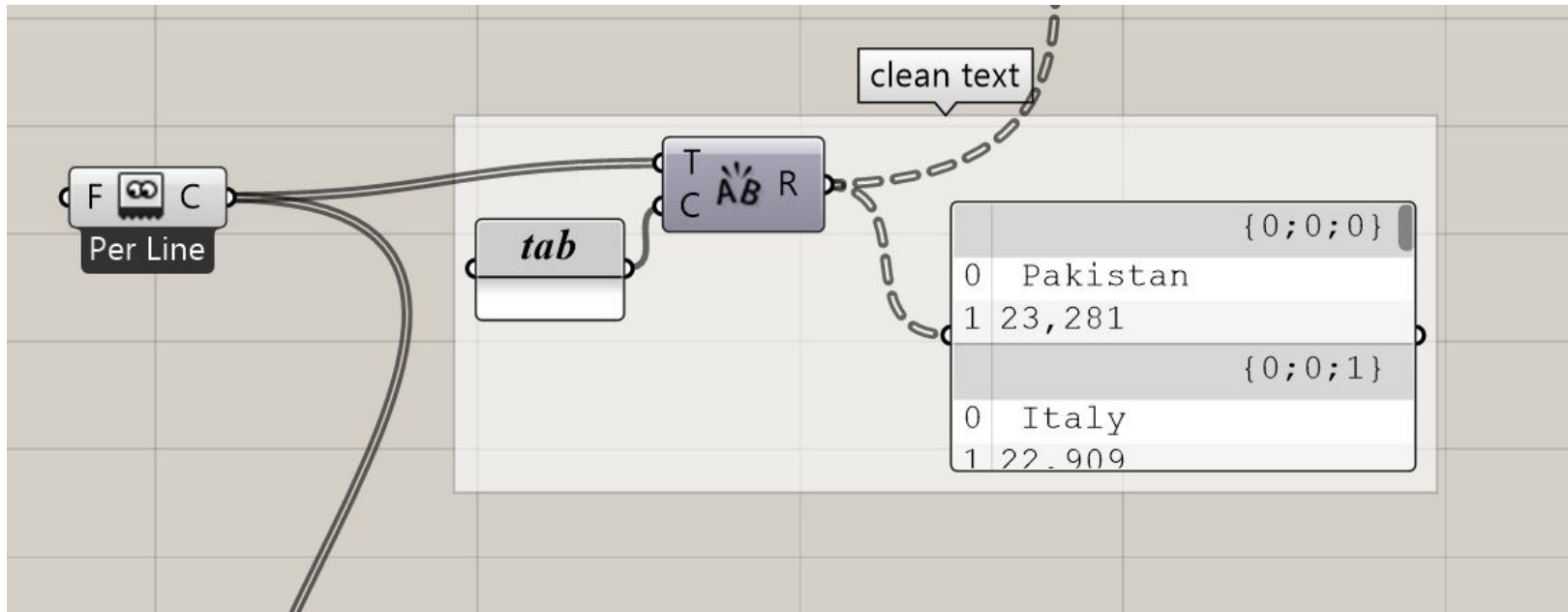


Step 06

Use **Text split** in order to separate between text and number. Connect a **Panel** with space in it in order to create the separation.

Use a panel in order to view your result

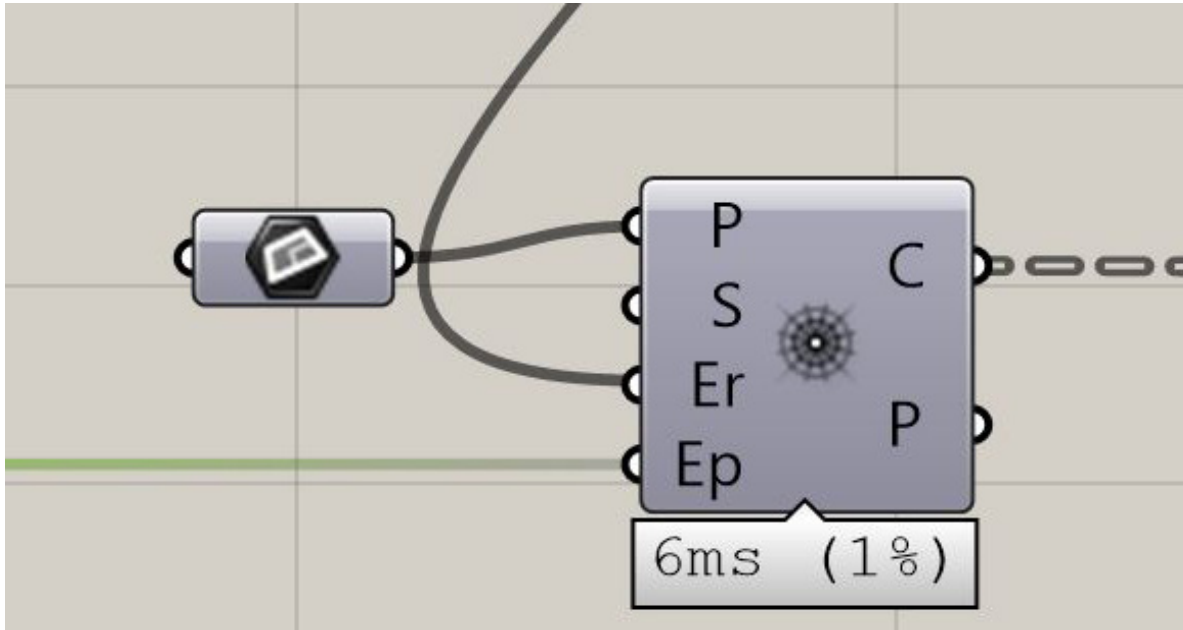
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Step 07

Insert **2D Radial Grid** and extract parameter for better viewing

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Step 09

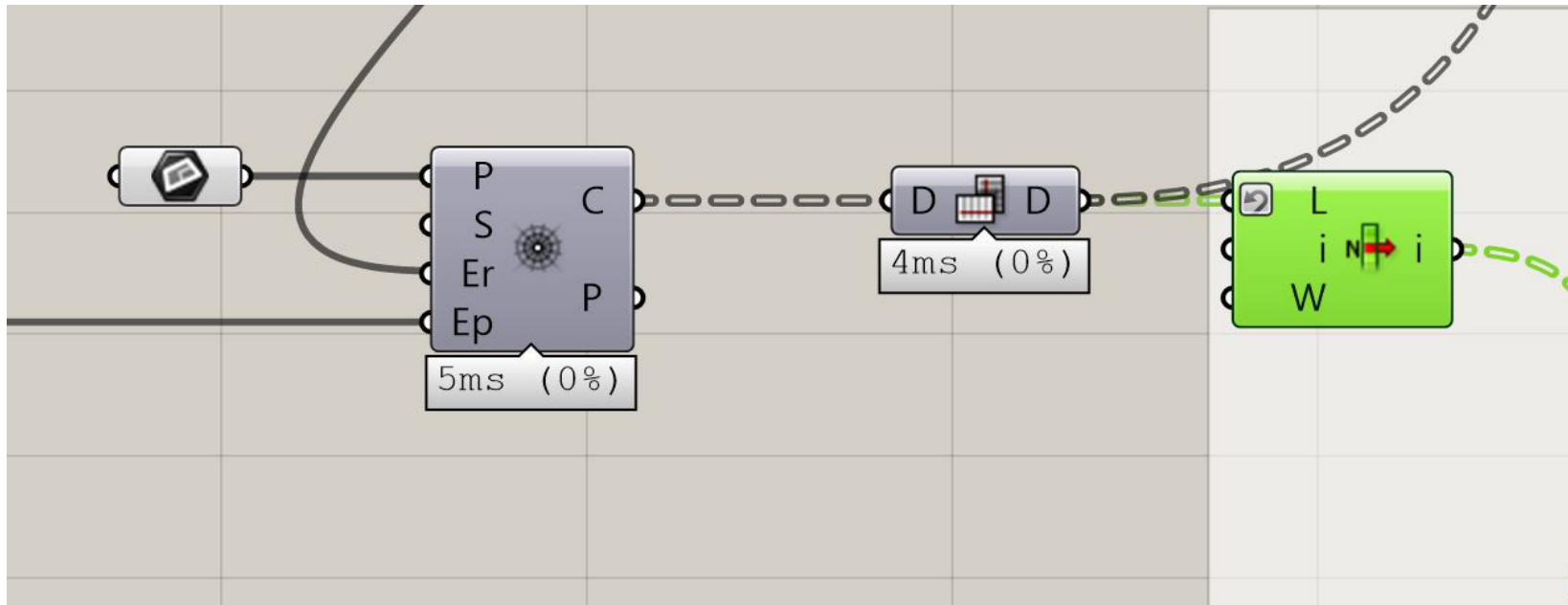
Use **Flip Matrix** to chose the radial

Step 10

Use **List item** to seperate part of the grid

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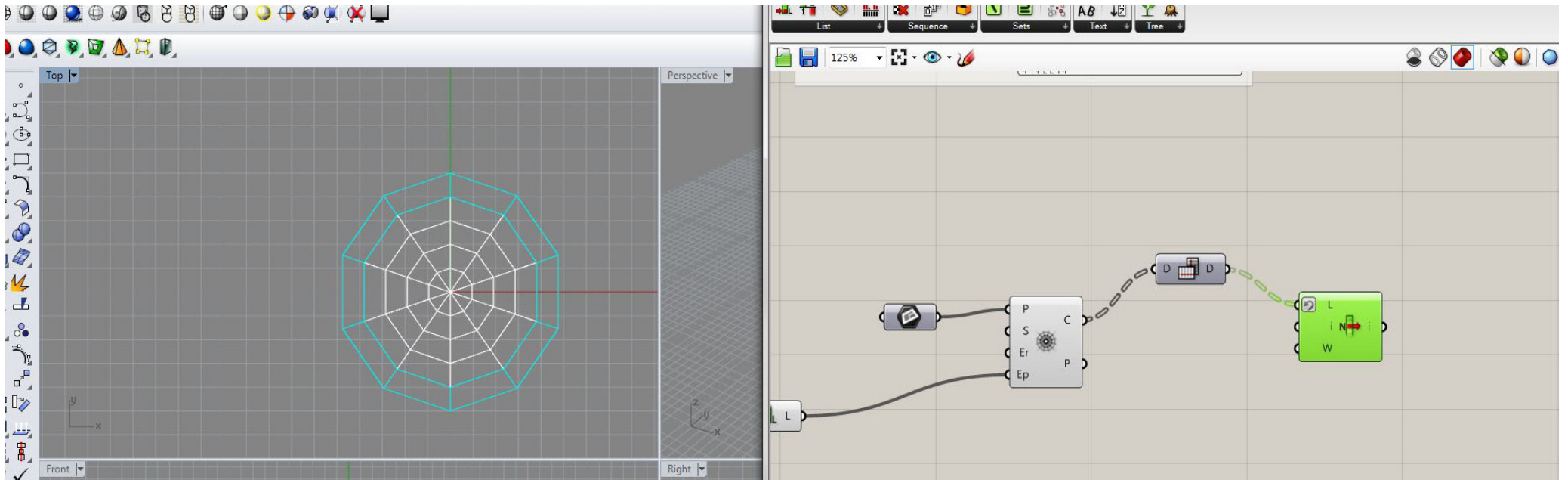
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Step 11

Use **Reverse List Item** to select the outside row of your radial grid

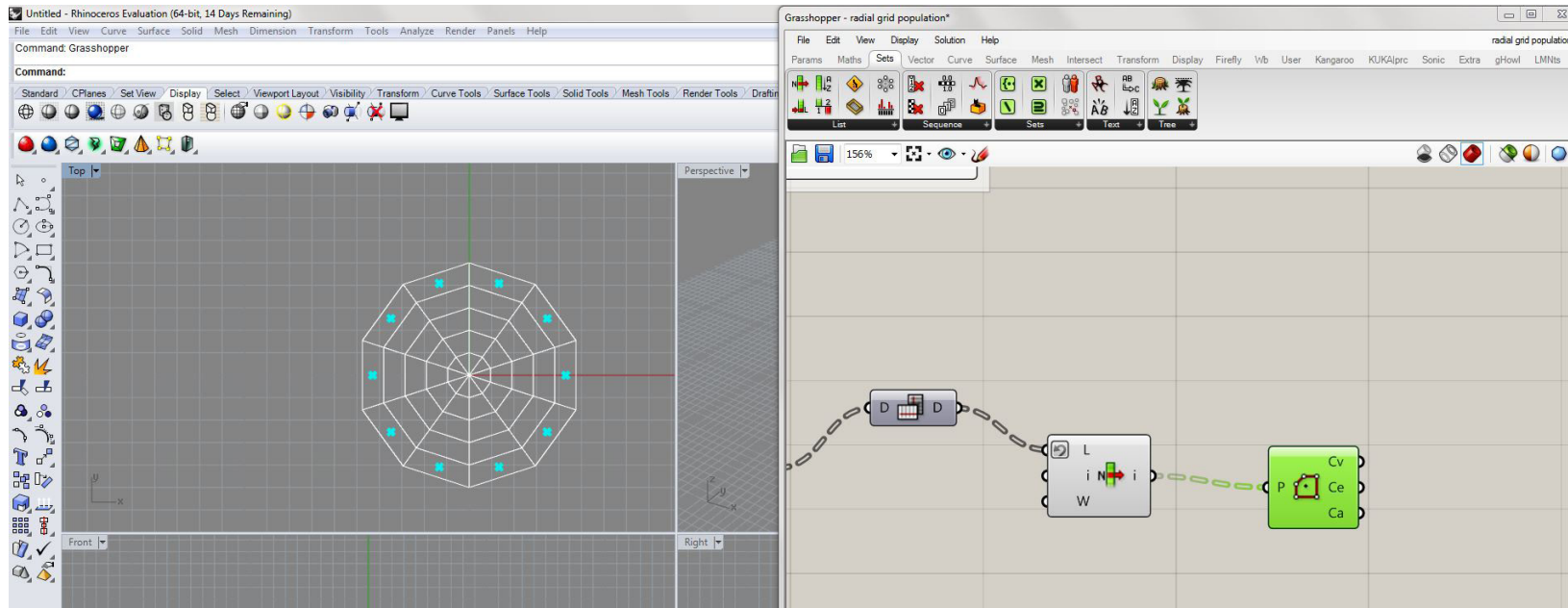
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Step 12

Use **Polygon Center** to get the center of the radial grids

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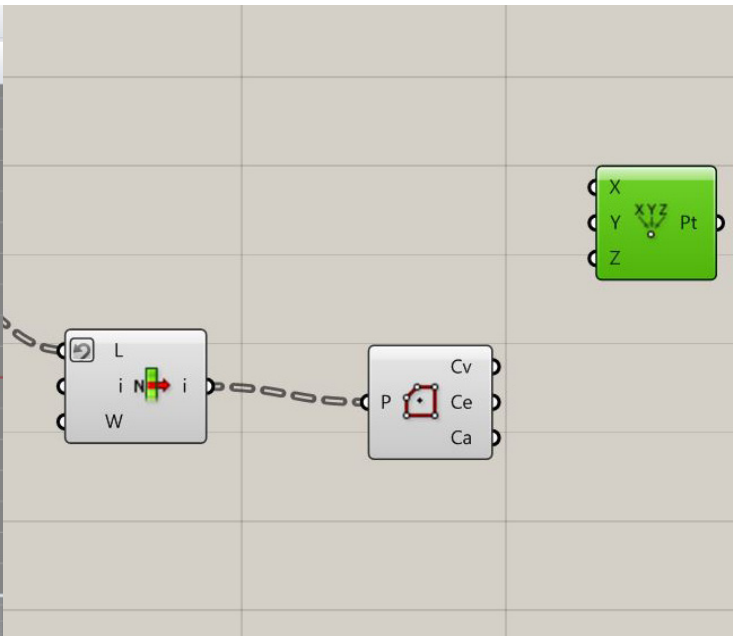
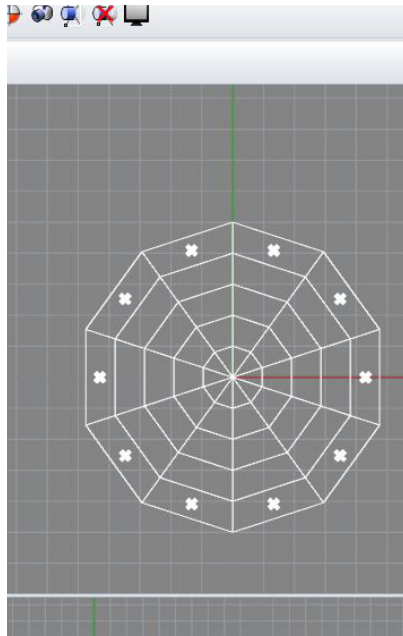
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Use **Construct Point** to create points in the center of the polygon

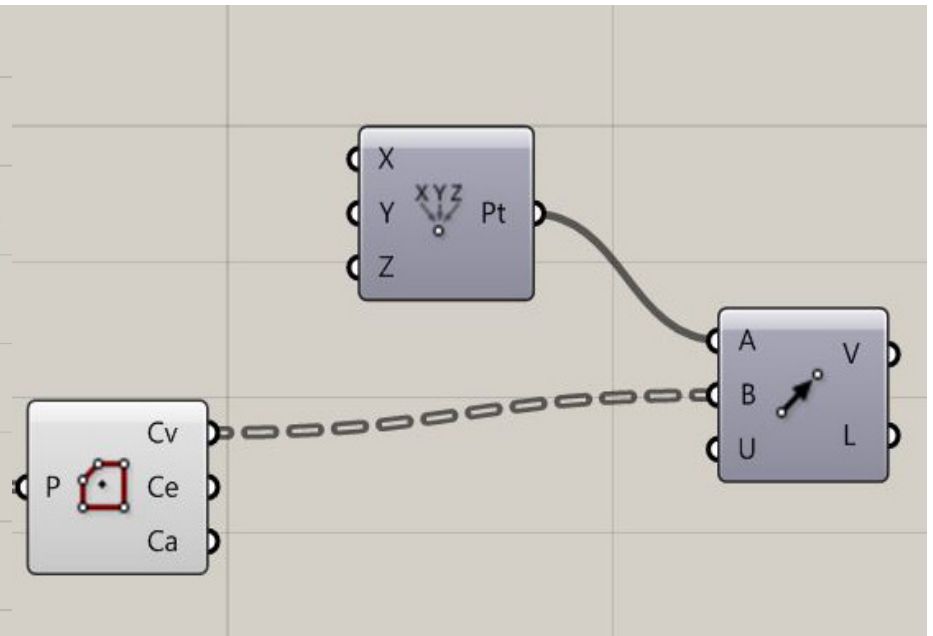
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Use **Vector 2Pt** to move the constructed point out of the grid

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Step 14

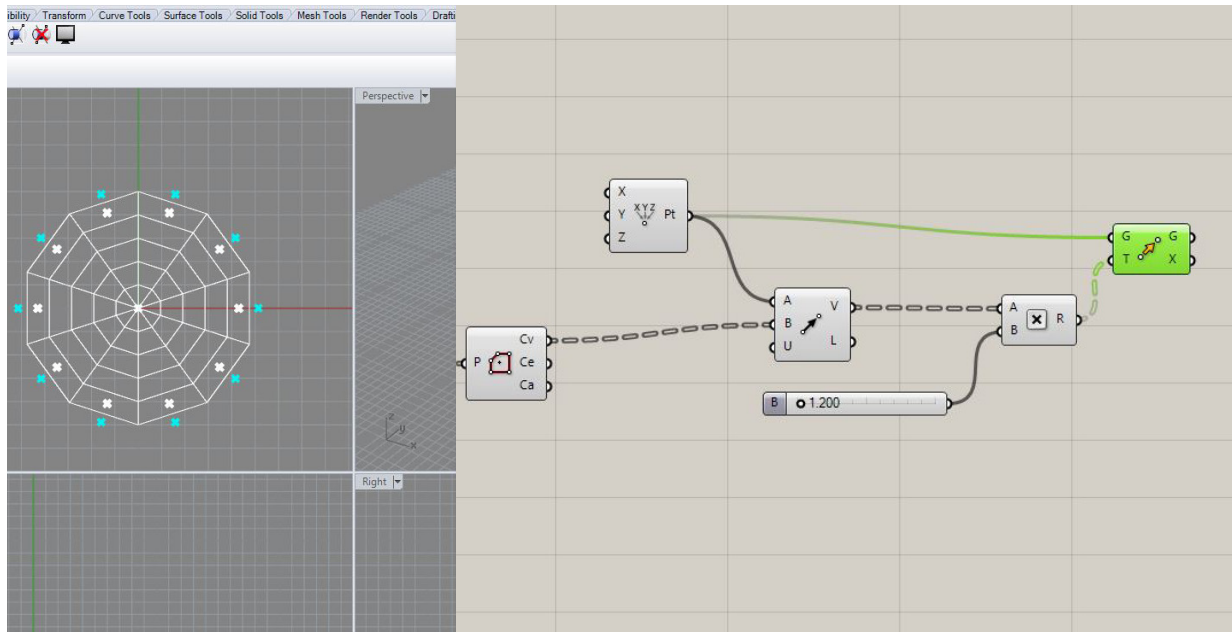
Use **Multiplication** with a slider to define the distance

Step 15

Use **Move** to move the points to the acquired distance

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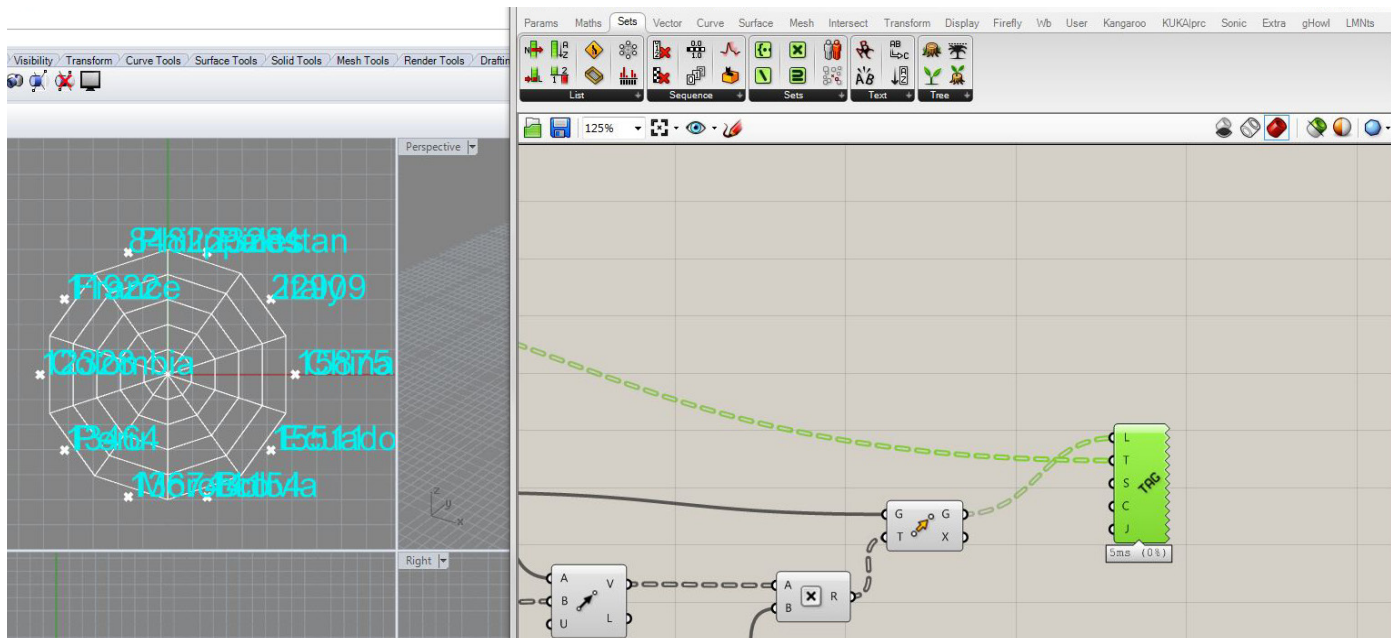
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Step 16

Use **Text Tag 3d** for classification of chose item

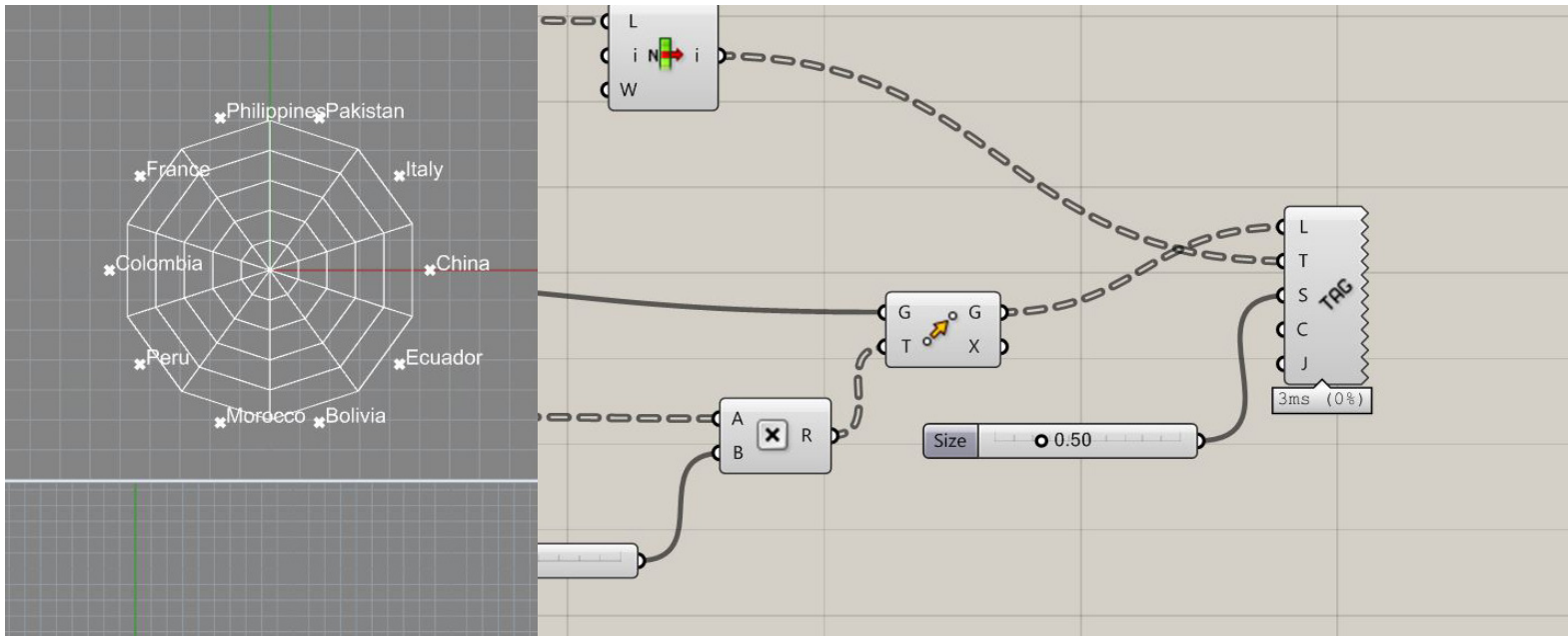
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Step 18

Use **Slider** and attach it to the S to change text size

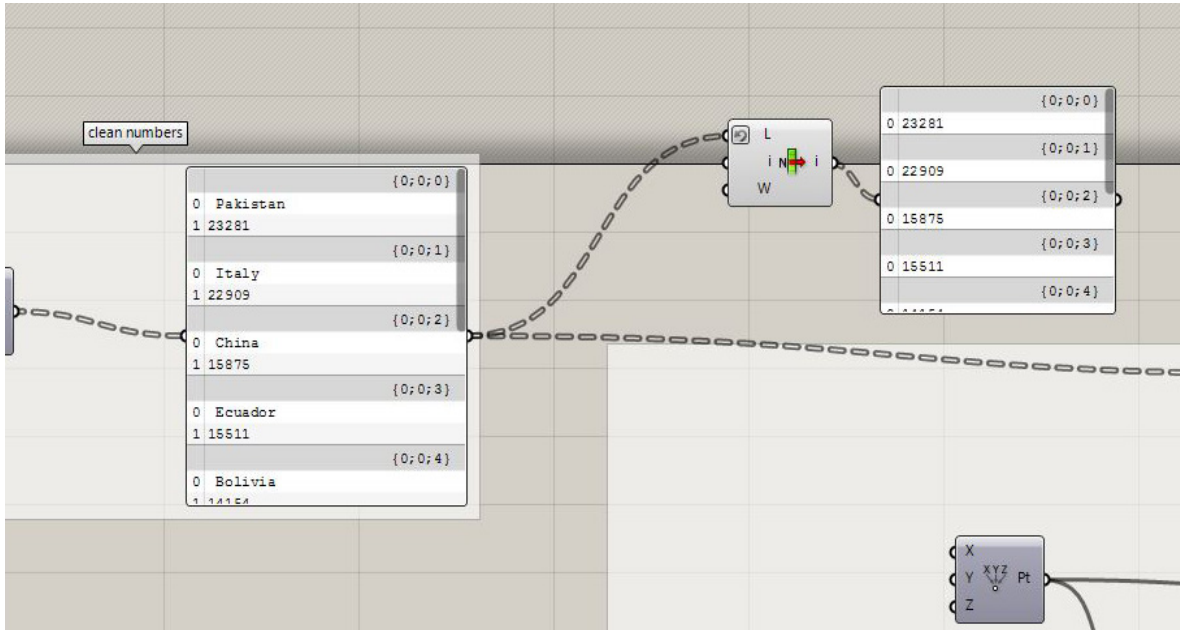
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Step 21

Reverse **L in List Item** in order to use the second parameter

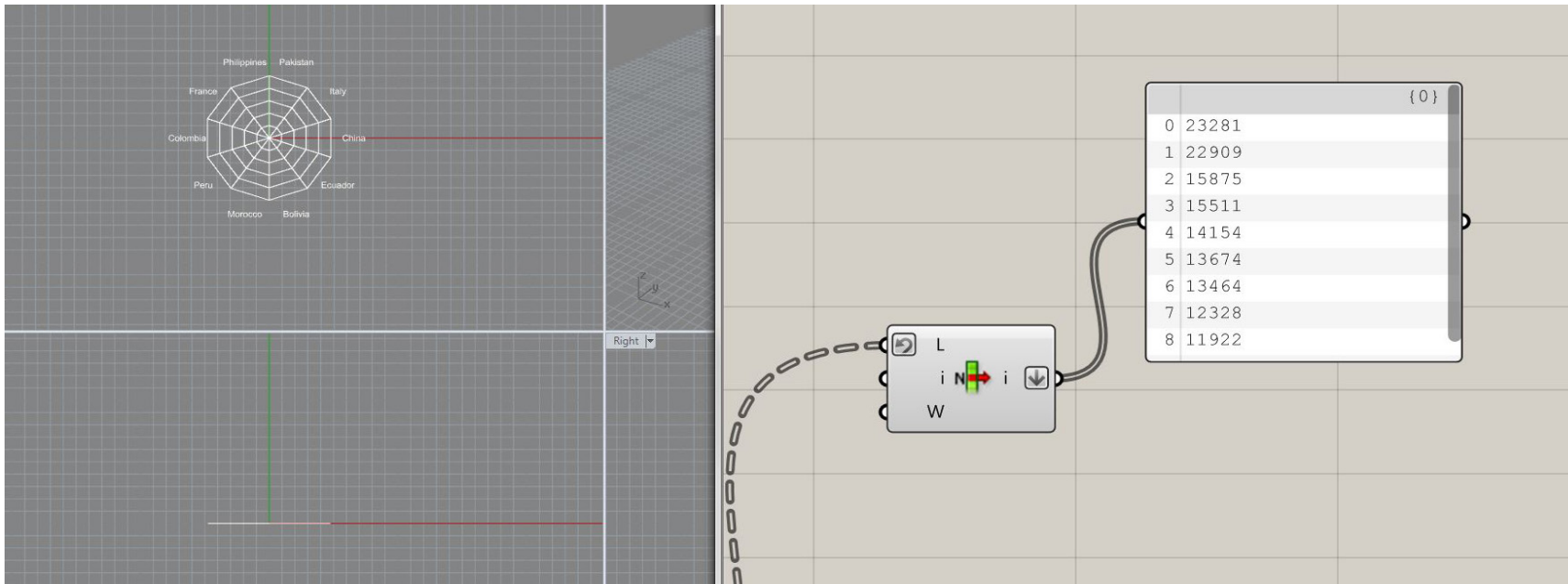
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Step 22

Flatten the **I** in **List Item** to create one list

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Step 23

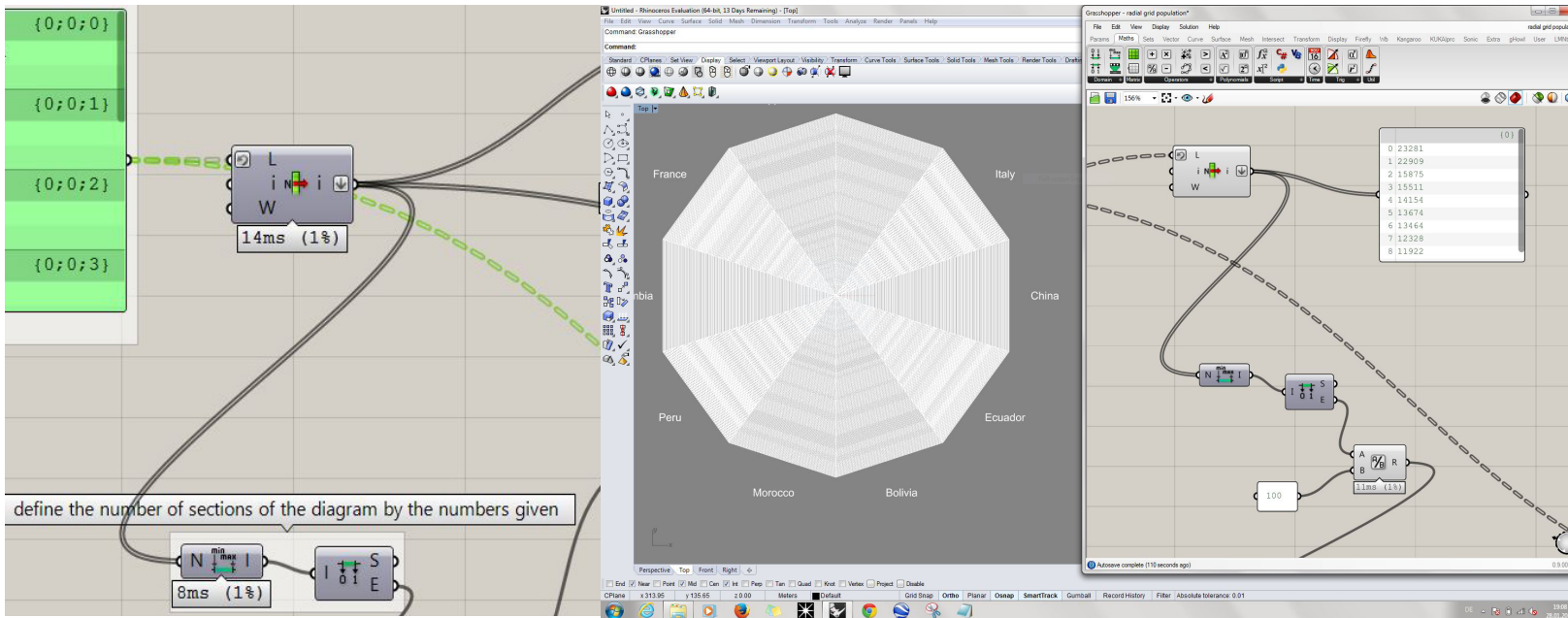
Use **Bounds and Deconstruct domain** to define the number sections of the diagram by the number given

Step 24

due to many lines and computes crashing the **Division** tool was used to divide by hundred giving us the percentage

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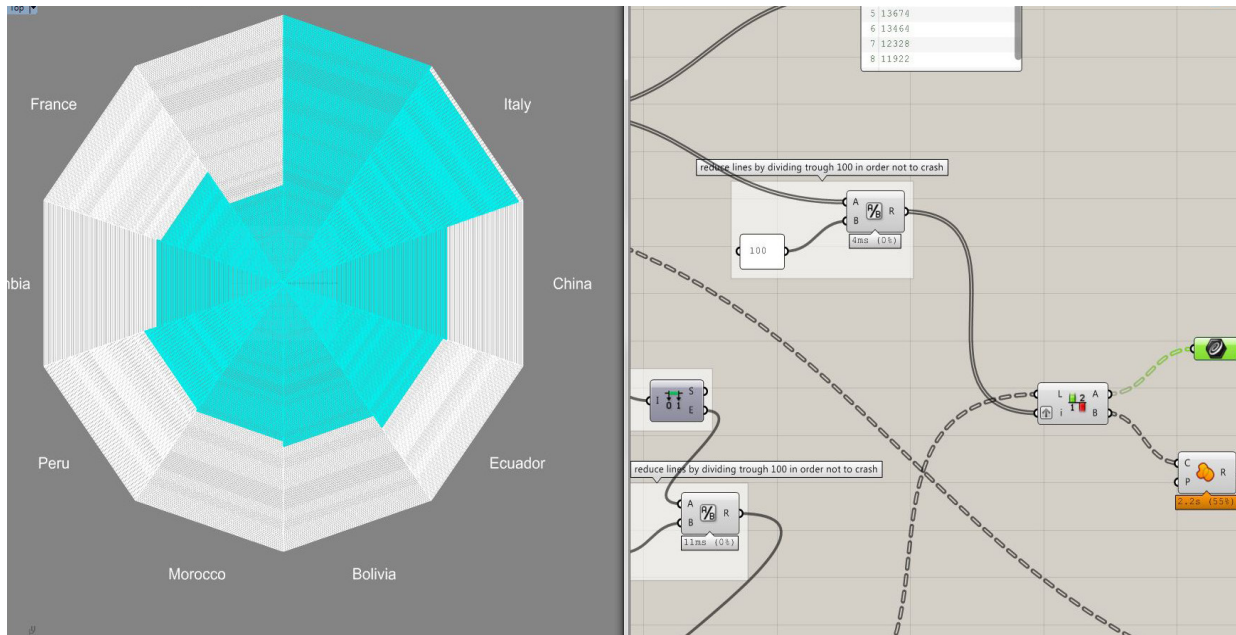
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Step 26

Use **Curve icon** to show the numeric data in the radial grid

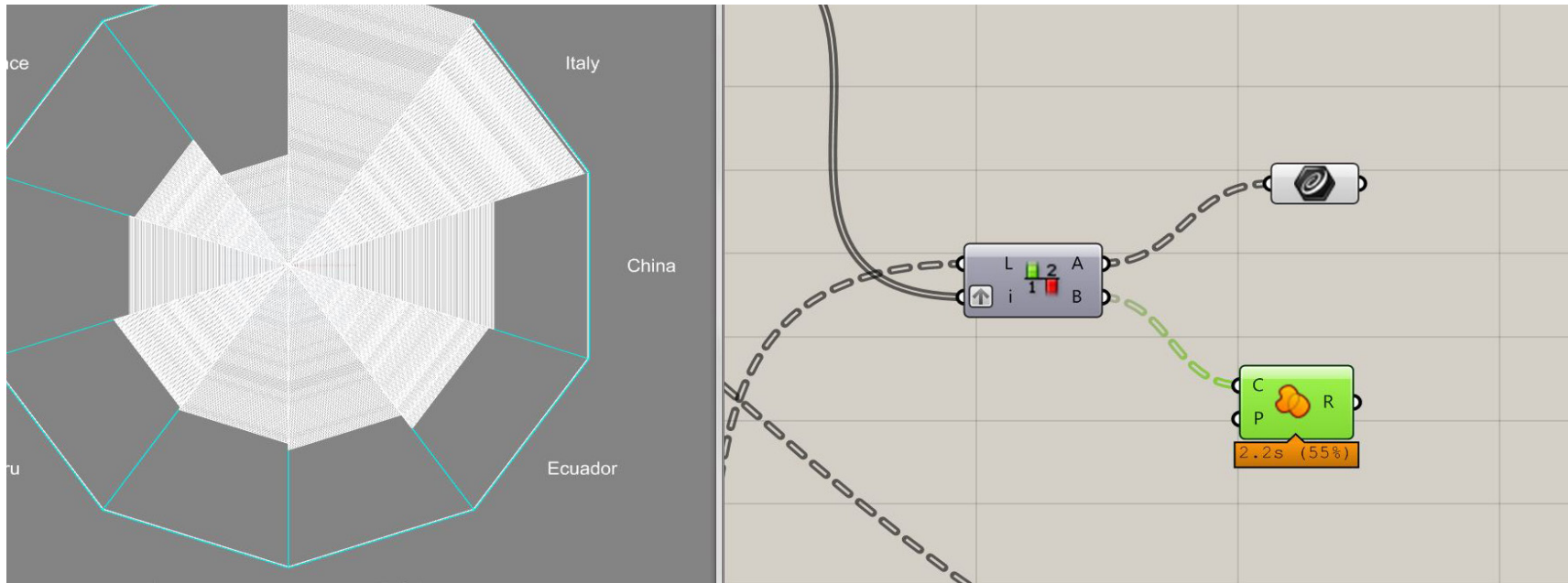
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Step 27

Use **Region Union** to define the empty space

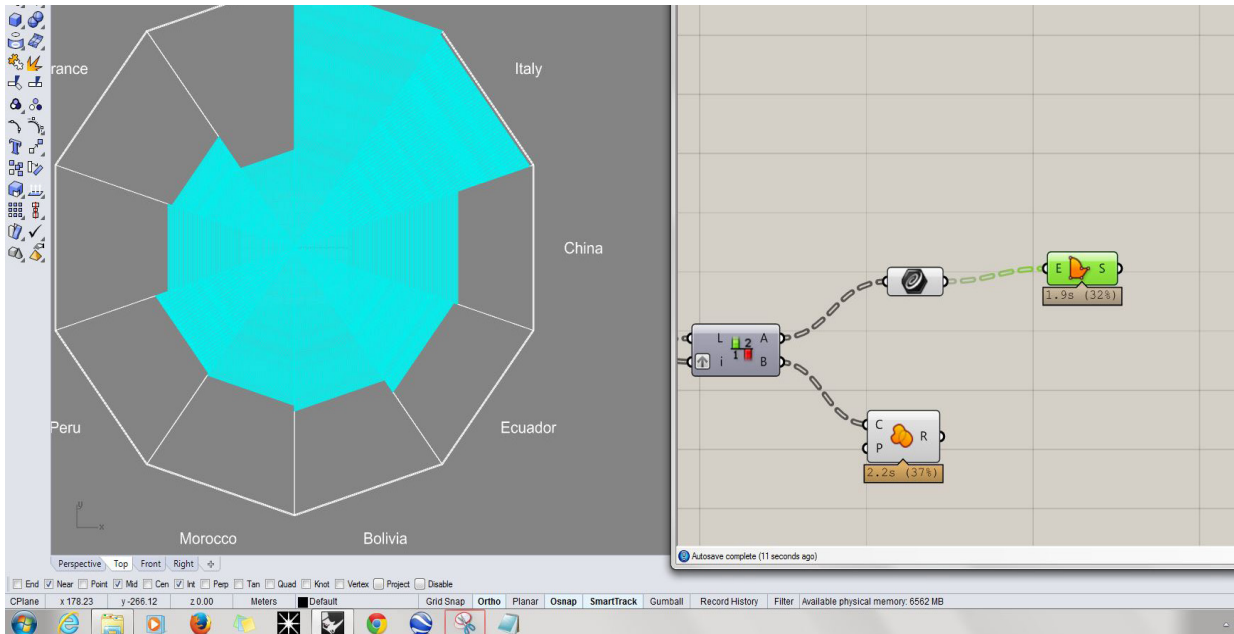
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Step 28

Connect **Boundry Surface** to the **Curve Icon** to show data

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Step 30

Connect **Color Gradient** to **Split List** to show data

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