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The visual effect of the break of a curveball

In baseball, a curveball creates a physical effect and a perceptual puzzle. The physical effect (the curve) arises because the ball's rotation leads to a deflection in the ball's path. The perceptual puzzle arises because the deflection is actually gradual but is often perceived as an abrupt change in direction (the break). (via [RHM](#))

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This is really cool.

That's all.

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That shit is done with mirrors bullshit



Now this is the real thing

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