

GD2S03

Advanced Software Engineering & Programming for Games



Bachelor of Software Engineering(BSE)
Game Development

- Overview
 - Handling Gestures
 - SKTileMapNode
 - SKTileSet
 - SKTileGroup
 - SKTileDefinition

- UIGestureRecognizer is the base class for concrete gesture recognizers.
- A gesture-recognizer object recognizes a sequence of touches and act on that recognition.
- When a gesture-recognizer recognizes a common gesture or change in gesture, it sends an action to each designated target object.
- The concrete subclass of UIGestureRecognizer are the following –
 - UITapGestureRecognizer
 - UIPinchGestureRecognizer
 - UIRotationGestureRecognizer
 - UISwipeGestureRecognizer
 - UIPanGestureRecognizer
 - UIScreenEdgePanGestureRecognizer
 - UILongPressGestureRecognizer
- A gesture recognizer operates on specific view and all of that view's subviews. It thus must be associated with that subview.
- To make that association UIView's method `addGestureRecognizer(_:)` must be called.

- Steps to Create a Gesture
- *Initialize a gesture* and pass the name and location of the function which will handle the gesture as parameter. For e.g.
 - `var longPressGesture = UILongPressGestureRecognizer()`
or
 - `var longPressGesture = UILongPressGestureRecognizer(target: self, action: #selector(longPressHandler))`
- *Set other attributes* of the gesture for e.g.
 - `longPressGesture.minimumPressDuration = 1`
- *Add the gesture to the view*
 - `view.addGestureRecognizer(longPressGesture)`
- *Define Gesture Handler*
 - `@objc func longPressHandler(sender: UILongPressGestureRecognizer){`
 `//Handles what happens at long press`
 - `}`

Input Controls - Example

```
import SpriteKit

class GameScene: SKScene{
    private let node = SKSpriteNode()
    var longPressGestureRecognizer = UILongPressGestureRecognizer()
    var tapGestureRecognizer = UITapGestureRecognizer()
    var panGestureRecognizer = UIPanGestureRecognizer()
    var nodePosition = CGPoint()

    override func didMove(to view: SKView) {
        createNode()
        setupGestureRecognizer()
    }

    func createNode(){
        node.size = CGSize(width: 64, height: 64)
        node.color = UIColor.blue
        node.position = CGPoint(x: self.frame.width/2, y: self.frame.height/2)
        nodePosition = node.position
        addChild(node)
    }

    func setupLongPressGesture(){
        guard let view = view else { return}
        longPressGestureRecognizer = UILongPressGestureRecognizer(target: self, action: #selector(longPress))
        longPressGestureRecognizer.minimumPressDuration = 1
        view.addGestureRecognizer(longPressGestureRecognizer)
    }

    func setupTapGesture(){
        guard let view = view else { return}
        tapGestureRecognizer = UITapGestureRecognizer(target: self, action: #selector(tap))
        tapGestureRecognizer.numberOfTapsRequired = 2
        view.addGestureRecognizer(tapGestureRecognizer)
    }

    func setupPanGesture(){
        guard let view = view else { return}
        panGestureRecognizer = UIPanGestureRecognizer(target: self, action: #selector(pan))
        panGestureRecognizer.maximumNumberOfTouches = 1
        view.addGestureRecognizer(panGestureRecognizer)
    }

    func setupGestureRecognizer(){
        setupLongPressGesture()
        setupTapGesture()
        setupPanGesture()
    }
}
```

Input Controls - UIGestureRecognizer

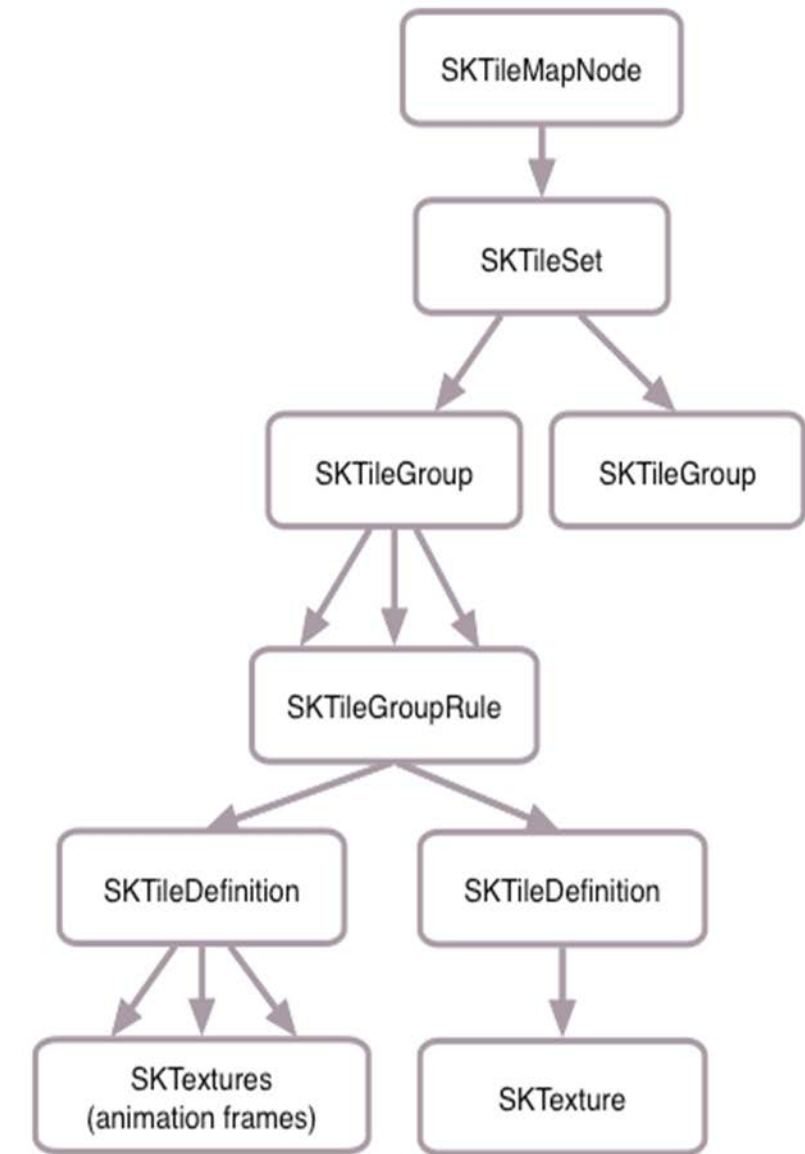
```
@objc func pan(sender: UIPanGestureRecognizer){
    let translate = sender.translation(in: self.view)
    var tapLocation = sender.location(in: self.view)
    //map tapLocation
    tapLocation.y = abs(self.frame.height - tapLocation.y)
    if(node.contains(tapLocation)){
        node.position = CGPoint(x: node.position.x + translate.x, y: node.position.y - translate.y)
    }
    sender.setTranslation(CGPoint.zero, in: self.view)
}

@objc func tap(sender: UITapGestureRecognizer){
    var tapLocation = sender.location(in: self.view)
    //map tapLocation
    tapLocation.y = abs(self.frame.height - tapLocation.y)
    if node.contains(tapLocation){
        if node.color == UIColor.blue{
            node.color = UIColor.yellow
        }
        else if node.color == UIColor.yellow{
            node.color = UIColor.blue
        }
    }
}

@objc func longPress(sender: UILongPressGestureRecognizer){
    var tapLocation = sender.location(in: self.view)
    //map tapLocation
    tapLocation.y = abs(self.frame.height - tapLocation.y)
    if(sender.state == .began){
        if(node.contains(tapLocation)){
            node.size = CGSize(width: node.size.width * 2, height: node.size.height * 2)
        }
    }
    if(sender.state == .ended){
        node.size = CGSize(width: 64, height: 64)
    }
}
}
```

SKTileMapNode, SKTileSet, SKTileGroup, SKTileDefinition

- SKTileMapNode is used to render a 2D array of textured sprites.
- SKTileMapnode must be supplied with tile sets (SKTileSet)
- SKTileset object contains an array of tile groups (SKTileGroup)
- SKTileGroup contains either-
 - The definition(SKTileDefinition) of a single tile or
 - An array of one or more SKTileGroupRule that allows for automatic placement of textures dependent on adjacency and the placement weights of their definition.
 - SKTileGroupRule defines how tile should be placed in a map
- SKTileDefinition describes a single type of tile that is used within the map



Creating tile map - Programmatically

```
import SpriteKit

class GameScene: SKScene {

    override func didMove(to view: SKView) {
        initialiseTileMapNode()
    }

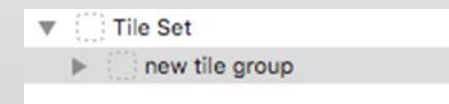
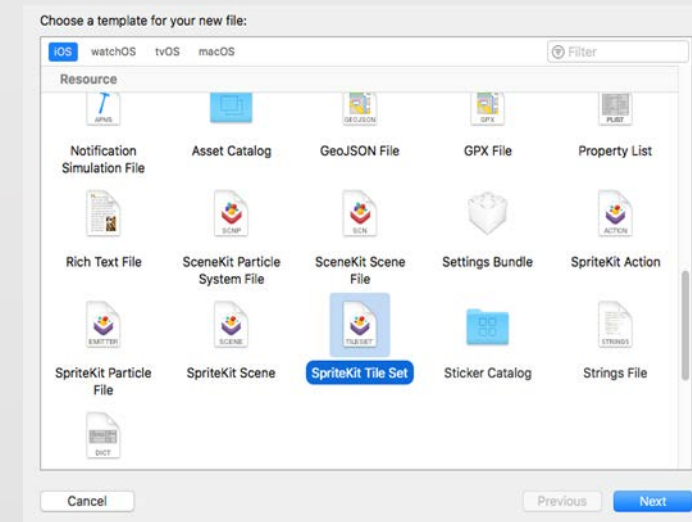
    func initialiseTileMapNode(){
        let columns = 4
        let rows = 4
        let size = CGSize(width: 64, height: 64)

        let tileTexture = SKTexture(imageNamed: "surprised.png")
        let tileDefinition = SKTileDefinition(texture: tileTexture, size: size)
        let tileGroup = SKTileGroup(tileDefinition: tileDefinition)

        let tileSet = SKTileSet(tileGroups: [tileGroup])
        let tileMapNode = SKTileMapNode(tileSet: tileSet, columns: columns, rows: rows, tileSize: size)
        tileMapNode.position = CGPoint(x: self.frame.width/2 , y: self.frame.height/2)
        let tile = tileMapNode.tileSet.tileGroups.first!
        tileMapNode.fill(with: tile)
        self.addChild(tileMapNode)
    }

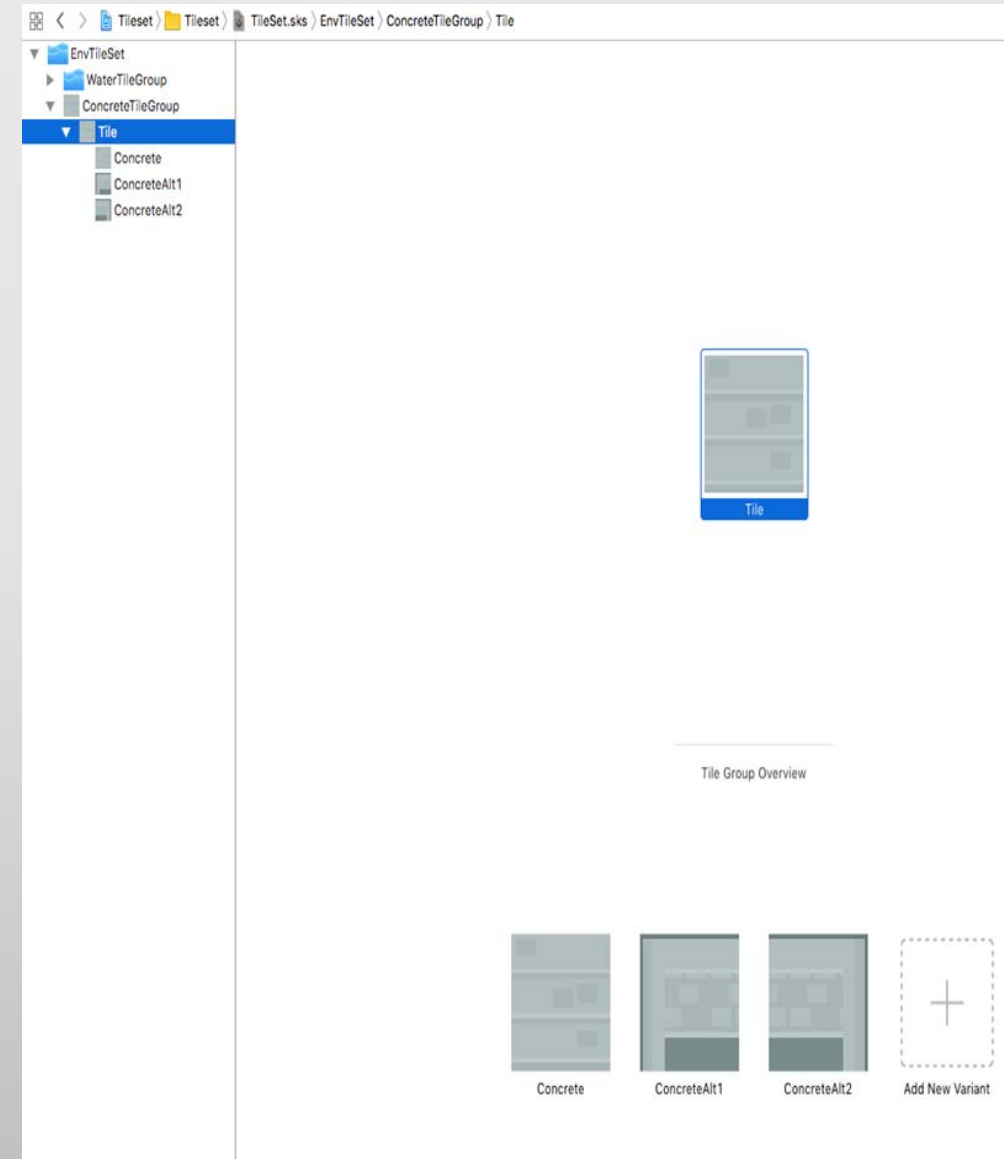
}
```


- Add or Drag and drop file “surprised.png” to “Assets.xcassets”
- Choose File->New - > File, scroll down and choose ios->SpriteKit Tile Set template under Resource and click Next
- From Tile Set Template drop down select Empty Tile Set. Press Next
- Name file as TileSet and press Create.
- Select TileSet.sks in the project navigator.
- A Tile Set and a new tile group has automatically been created.
- Rename Tile Set to EnvTileSet
- Rename new tile group to WaterTileGroup
- Locate water.png from Media Library and drag it onto the empty tile area
- Expand WaterTileGroup and select Tile->water
- Set tile definitions. for e.g. set size => width = 64, height = 64



- Working with Tile Variants

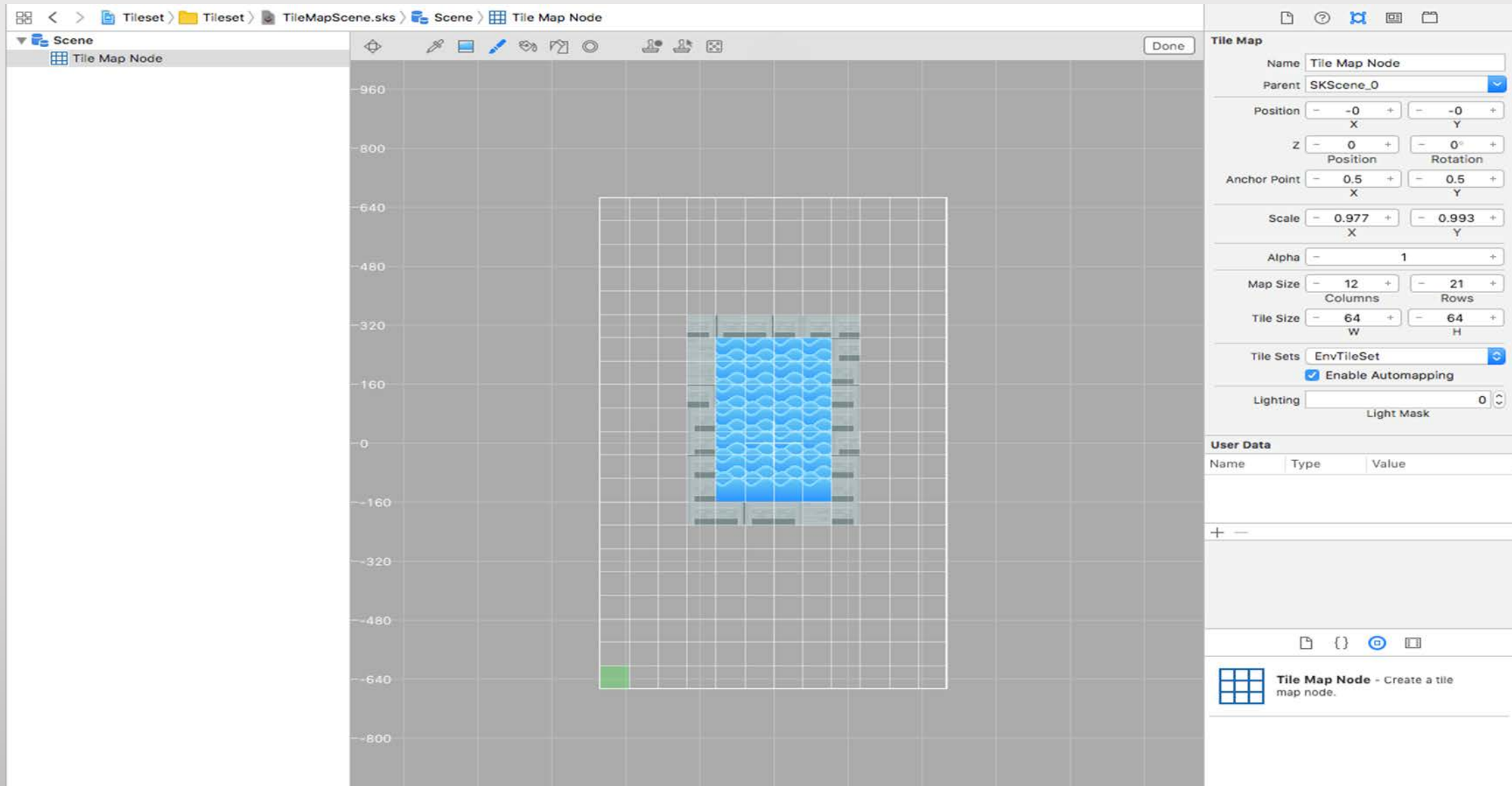
- Add or Drag and drop folder Tiles to the Assets.xcassets
- Select TileSet.sks in the project navigator.
- Right click EnvTileSet. Select New->Single Tile Group
- Select New Tile Group and in attribute selector and rename it to ConcreteTileGroup.
- Expand ConcreteTileGroup and select Tile
- Locate concrete.png from Media Library and drag it onto the empty tile area.
- Select Tile and again from media library drag ConcreteAlt1 to the Add New Variant.
- Similarly add ConcreteAlt2 to Add New Variant
- For each tile, set the size with width = 64, height = 64 and set placement weight to 1, 2, 3 respectively



Creating tile map - Using Editor

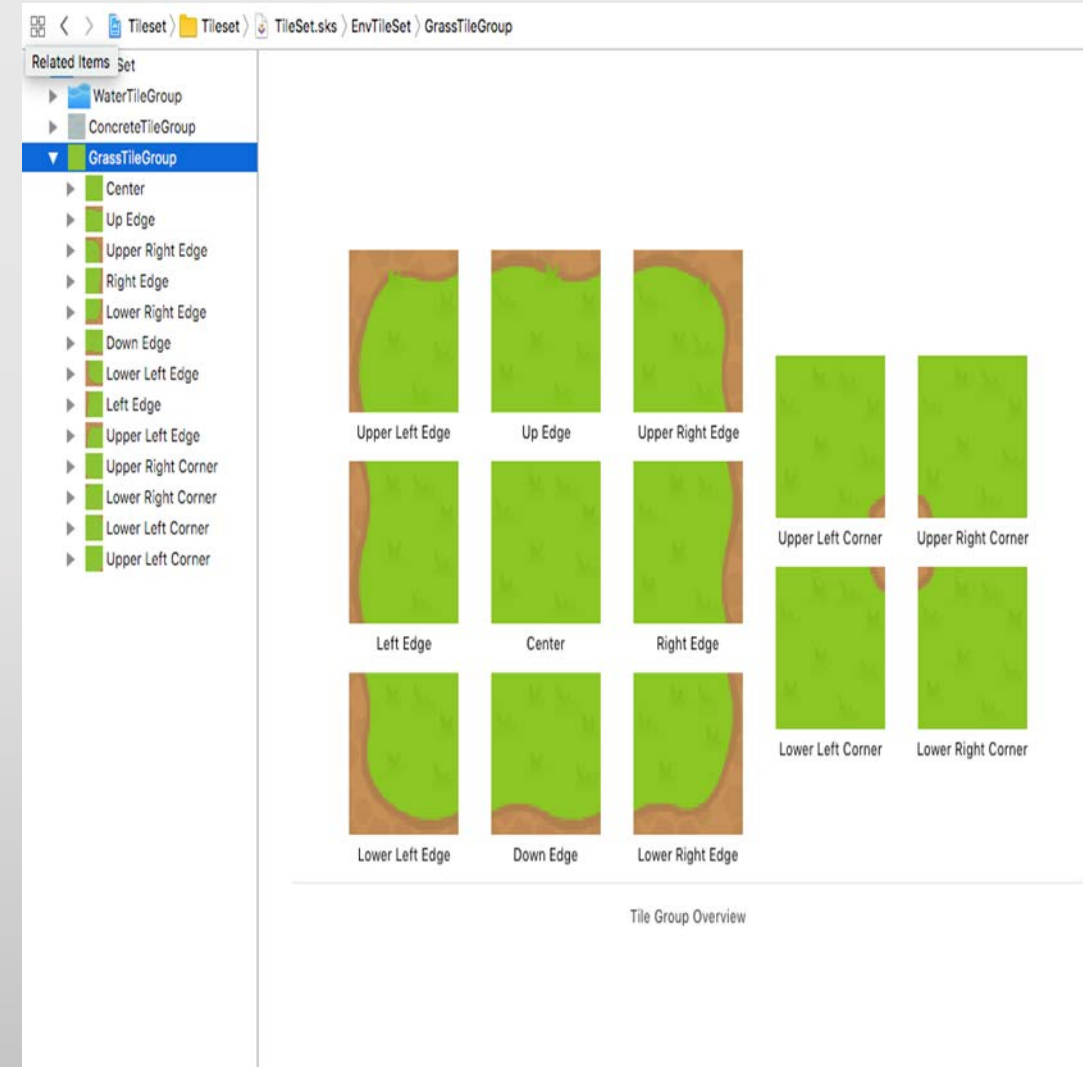
- Choose **File->New File**. In ios scroll down and from **Resources** choose **SpriteKit Scene** template
- Click **Next** and save it as **TileMapScene** and press **Create**.
- Select **TileMapScene.sks** in Project folder to open the editor.
- From object library select **Tile Map Node** and drag it to the center of the file **TileMapScene.sks**
- For Tile Map Node, in Attribute Inspector, set the following
 - Anchor Point-> $x=0.5$, $y=0.5$
 - Map Size - > columns = 12 and rows = 21
 - Tile size-> width = 64 and height = 64
 - Tile sets -> Env
 - Enable Automapping - > check to select (helps to select whole tile group in place of individual tiles)
- If required adjust the size of the Tile Map Node to the size of the screen
- Double Click on **Tile Map Node** to highlight the rows and columns.
- In map editor click **select tile** and select **water** group. Fill the center of map node with this tile.
- Again click **select tile** to select **Block** and draw boundary around water with this tile.
- Notice the occurrence of blocks. The chance of occurrence of tile with higher Placement Weight is more than the ones with lower Placement Weight

Creating tile map - Using Editor



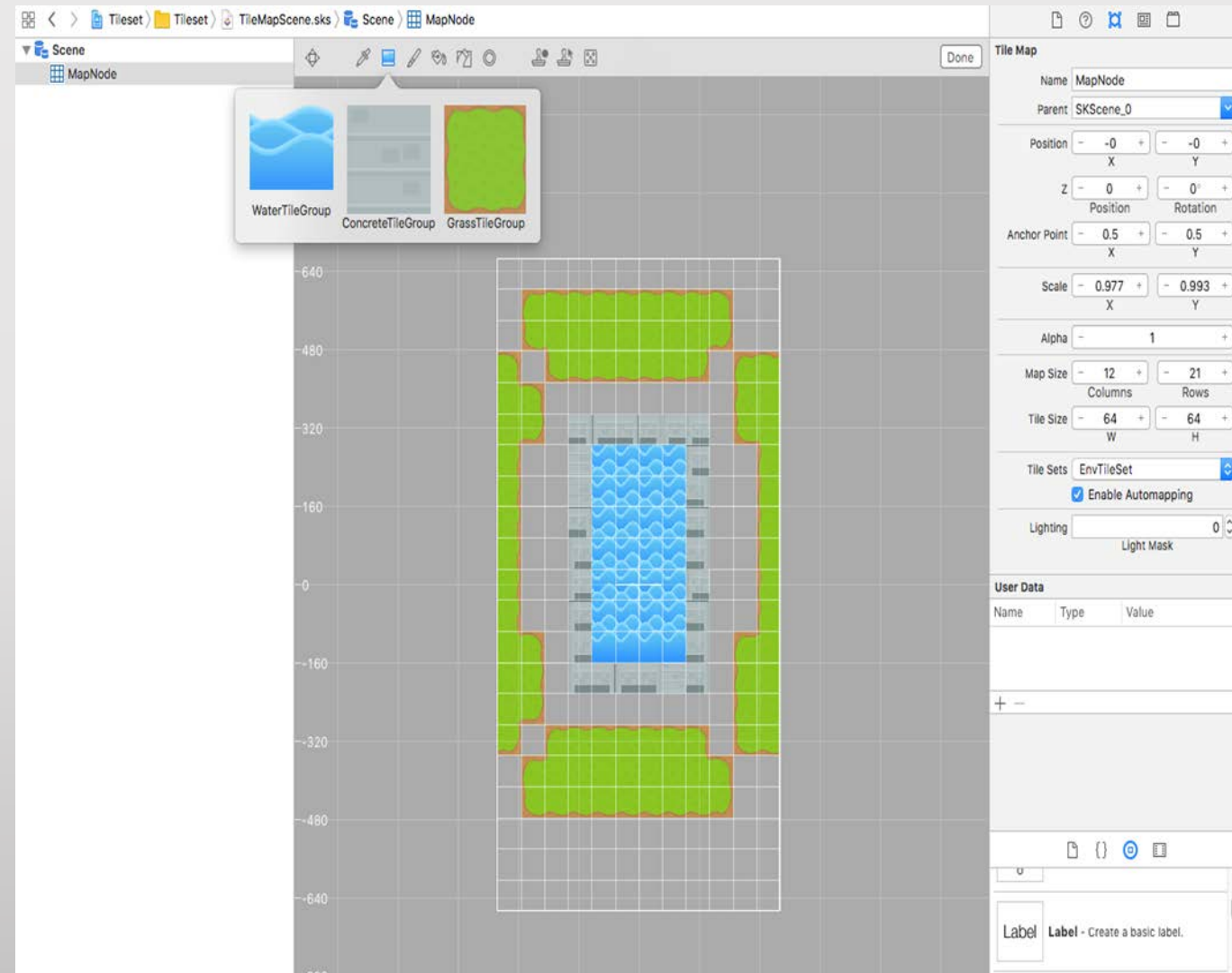
SKTileGroupRule

- Select TileSet.sks in the project navigator.
 - Right click EnvTileSet.
 - Select New->8-Way Adjacency Group
 - Select new tile group and in attribute selector rename it to GrassTileGroup. Select GrassTileGroup
 - Locate respective images from the Media Library and drag it onto the respective place.
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|---|----------------|
| • ULE = grass0 | ULC = outside0 |
| • UE = grass1 RE = grass5 | URC = outside1 |
| • URE = grass2 LLE = grass6 | LLC = outside2 |
| • LE = grass3 DE = grass7 | LRC = outside3 |
| • Center = grass4 LRE = grass8 | |
| • For each tile, set the size with width = 64,
and height = 64 | |



Creating tile map - Using Editor

- Select TileMapScene.sks
- Make Sure Enable Automapping is selected
- Click Select Tile and select Grass Tile Group.
- Try creating tiles of grass on map.
- Uncheck Enable Automapping and try to see the difference.



Attaching SpriteKitScene(sks) file to Custom Class

- Click to open the file `TileMapScene.sks` and select **Tile Map Node**.
- In attribute selector name **Tile Map Node** to **MapNode**.
- Again select scene and in custom class inspector, enter **GameScene** as custom class.
- Now select `GameScene.swift` from project folder and enter the code in the right.
- Execute to see the result

```
import SpriteKit
import GameplayKit

class GameScene: SKScene {
    var node: SKSpriteNode!

    override func didMove(to view: SKView) {
        node = SKSpriteNode(imageNamed: "surprised")
        node.size = CGSize(width: 32, height: 32)
        node.run(SKAction.repeatForever(
            SKAction.sequence([SKAction.scale(by: 2, duration: 0.5),
                               SKAction.scale(by: 0.5, duration: 0.5)])))
        let child = self.childNode(withName: "MapNode") as! SKTileMapNode
        child.addChild(node)
    }

    override func update(_ currentTime: TimeInterval) {
        // Called before each frame is rendered
    }
}
```