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Build a toy first \rightarrow week 1 \rightarrow Prototype 1

A toy has no Goal

A toy has no Rules

A toy Allows for free play

The most obvious idea seems to be a virus creation Sandbox.

Mixing and matching various elements to create unique viruses

To keep the play fun \rightarrow keep it non-Scientific with Elements of discovery & Surprise

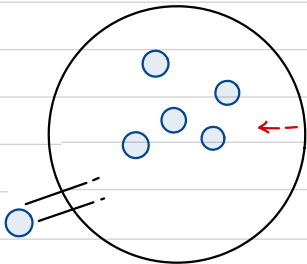
With each new element the number of combinations would multiply exponentially. This is an issue

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Created a git project and learned that the themes are not mandatory.

And after further consideration, I am not sure how fun it would be to mix and match a handful of blank elements with that I am now going to see if I can recreate the basics of "Marbles" in unity.

(a game I enjoyed as a child)



Launch a marble and hit the marbles in the ring, kind of like pool

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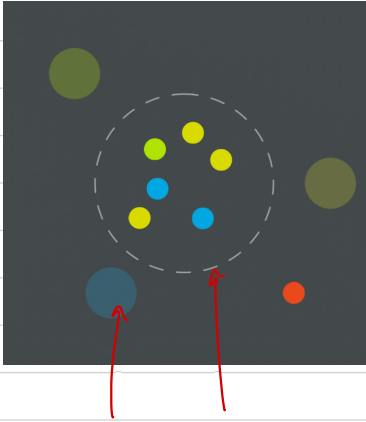
After following a handful of drag and Shoot mechanic's tutorials online

I was able to recreate a rudimentary version of marbles.

working without "Bolt" seemed challenging and hindered experimentality.

for the first time in almost a year I had to rely so heavily on online resources.

Regardless, there has been significant improvement in my coding knowledge than before (Before "Bolt")



These elements are designed solely for the purpose of emergent gameplay.

players might try to move marble out the middle ring or they might try to move them on the corresponding colored regions.

And the simple mechanic of launching and bouncing marbles off each other seems to be at least somewhat 'Fun'.

At this point I am compelled to imagine a game but perhaps I shouldn't.