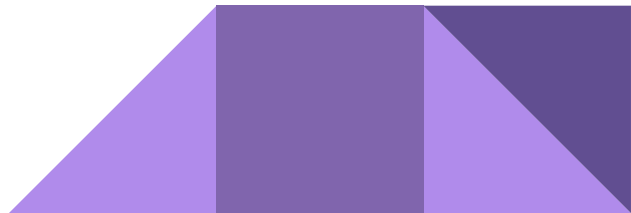


# Mouse Events

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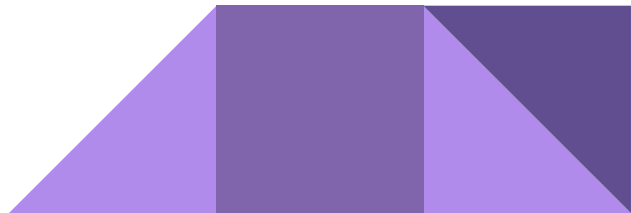
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What methods of input do those games use? How do you interact with those games?



# Interactivity in graphics!

Today we're gonna add the ability for our programs to read **mouse input**! We're going to do this via **mouse events** in our programs.

A **mouse event** takes place whenever the user does anything with their mouse in our program, such as moving it around or clicking.



# Callback Functions

To respond to a mouse click, we need to use what's called a **callback** function.

A **callback** function is a function that gets called by our program in response to some event happening.

What we're going to do is **bind** a **callback** function to the mouse click event, so that whenever we click our mouse, the function is called.



# What's that look like?

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Put any code you want to run when the mouse is clicked  
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add_mouse_click_handler(on_click)
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These variables will store the  
(*x*, *y*) coordinates of where the  
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This function will bind the callback function we give it to the appropriate action - in this case, it's the mouse click!





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Here is where we put the **name** of the callback function we would like to run when the action it's bound to happens.



# An Example

```
def on_click(x, y):  
    circle = Circle(20)  
    circle.set_position(x, y)  
    add(circle)  
  
add_mouse_click_handler(on_click)
```

