



- "Zero-player" game (see animation)
- Rooted in Von Neumann's quest for artificial/simulated life
- Created by Jon Conway in 1970
- Sparked niche field: cellular automaton
- Simple rules can produce complex behavior

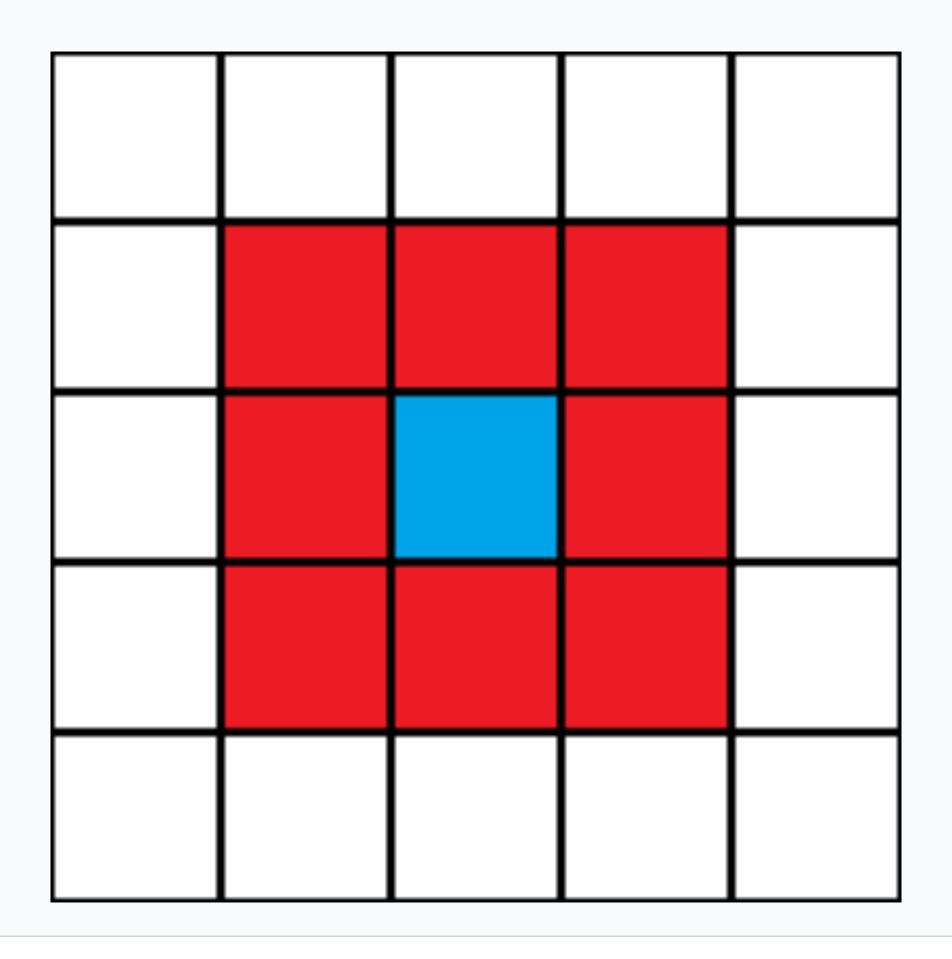


#### rules

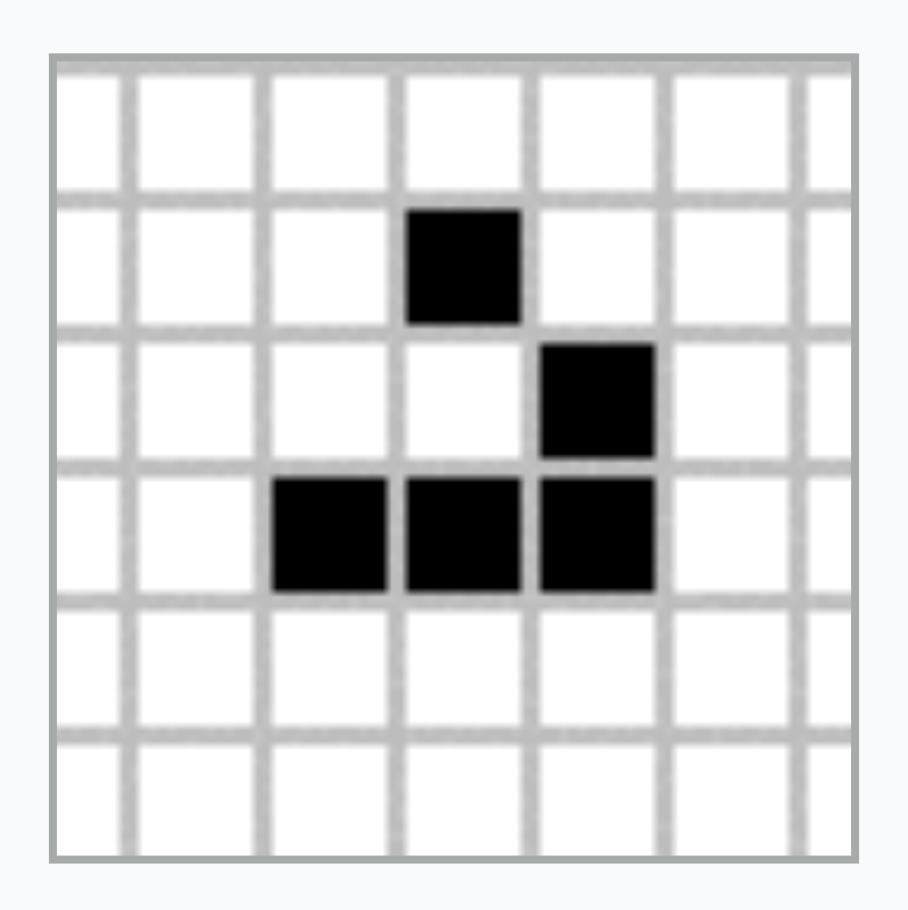
- 2D grid of cells that are currently on or off (dead or alive)
- Each step, grid updates all-at-once
- Currently alive cell
  - "Underpopulation": dies given fewer than 2 live neighbors
  - "Overcrowding": dies given greater than 3 live neighbors
  - Otherwise, lives on
- Currently dead cell
  - "Birth": comes to life given exactly 3 live neighbors
  - Otherwise, remains dead



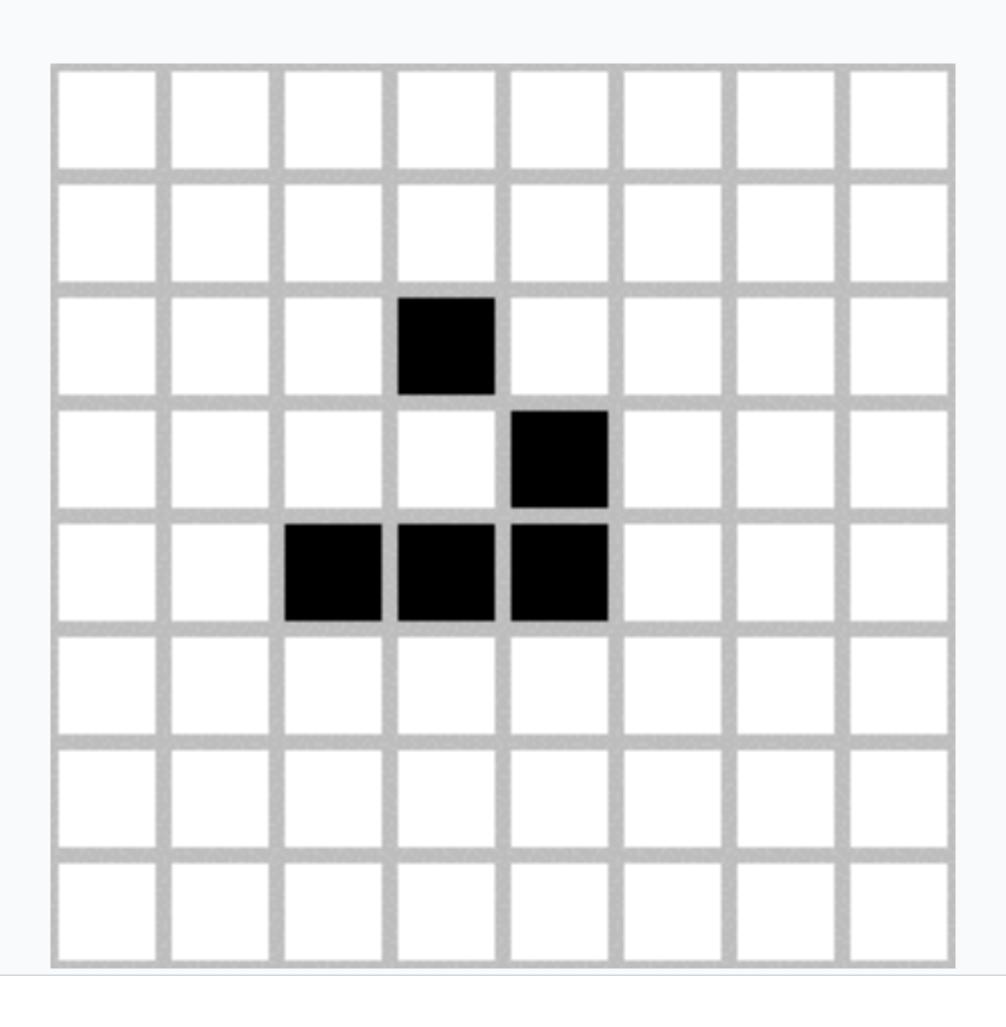
## neighbors













## Responding to User Activity

- Event Handlers
- Default Events
- Bubbling and Propagation of Events

https://jsbin.com/sarohuyivu/1/edit?html,js,output



#### Event Handlers

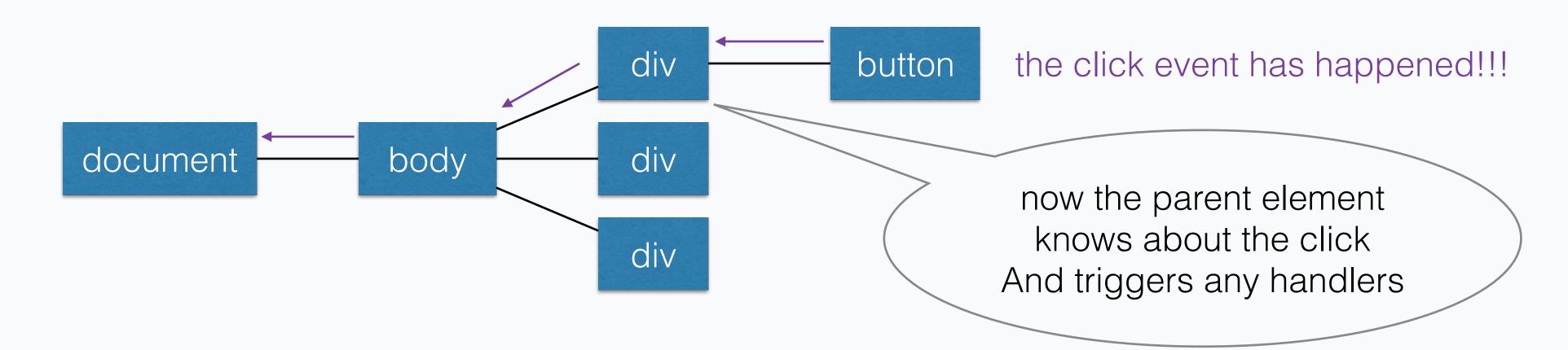
```
element.addEventListener('click', function(event) {
    // Run this code on click
});
```

- JS that handles things that happen in the DOM
- Event examples:
  - click
  - (form) submit
  - hover
  - mouseover



## Event Propagation/Bubbling

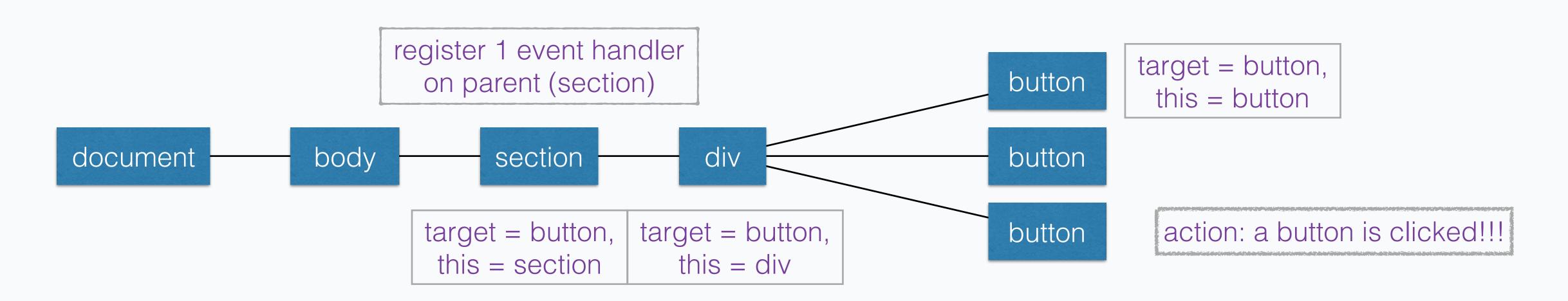
- An event is directed to its intended target
  - If there is an event handler it is triggered
- From here, the event bubbles up to the containing elements
- This continues to the document element itself





### Event Delegation

- The process of using event propagation to handle events at a higher level in the DOM
- Allows for a single event listener





## Manipulating the DOM

- Changing Attributes for Style
- Making Elements
- Putting them into the DOM
- Remove Elements
- innerHTML and the DOM HTML Reader



## Changing style attributes

element.style.backgroundColor = "blue";

```
    CSS
    background-color
    border-radius
    font-size
    list-style-type
    word-spacing
    z-index
    JavaScript
    backgroundColor
    borderRadius
    fontSize
    listStyleType
    wordSpacing
    zIndex
```



## Changing CSS Classes

classList is HTML5 way to modify which classes are on an Element

```
document.getElementById("MyElement").classList.add('class');
document.getElementById("MyElement").classList.remove('class');
if ( document.getElementById("MyElement").classList.contains('class') )
document.getElementById("MyElement").classList.toggle('class');
```



## Workshop!

