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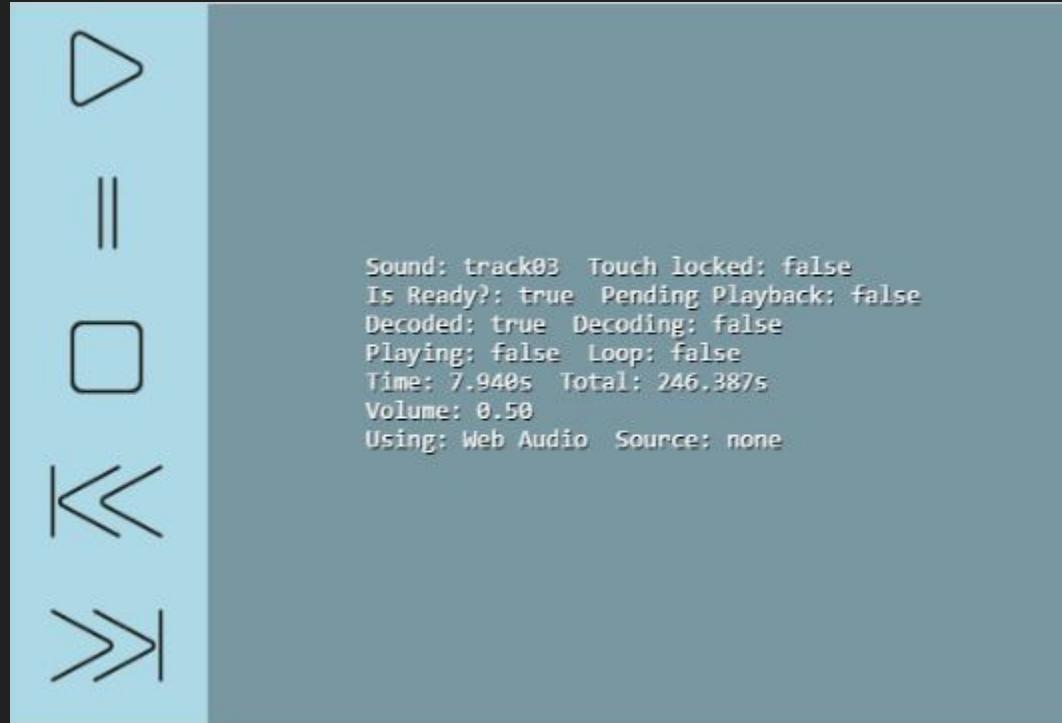
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# Input, Movement, Physics, Collision

# But first, audio

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# Audio



asset\_management/assets05.js

Some parts of working with audio should be familiar:

```
// load audio
game.load.path = '../assets/music/';
game.load.audio('track01', ['dino.mp3']);
game.load.audio('track02', ['synthcart.mp3']);
game.load.audio('track03', ['sandserpents.mp3']);
```

Others are new:

```
update: function() {
    // wait for first mp3 to properly decode
    if(game.cache.isSoundDecoded('track01')) {
        game.state.start('Play');
    }
}

// add audio as an object hash table so we can do track management
this.tracks = {
    'track01' : game.add.audio('track01'),
    'track02' : game.add.audio('track02'),
    'track03' : game.add.audio('track03')
}
```

For our jukebox, we'll use a callback function:

```
this.play.input.useHandCursor = true,  
this.play.events.onInputDown.add(this.playMusic, this);
```

Which interfaces with our **tracks** data structure and calls **play()**

```
playMusic: function() {  
    let trackNum = 'track0' + this.currentTrack;  
    // https://photonstorm.github.io/phaser-ce/Phaser.Sound.html  
    // ('marker', start position, volume (0-1), loop)  
    this.tracks[trackNum].play('', 0, 0.5, false);  
},
```

# Phaser.Input

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# Objectives

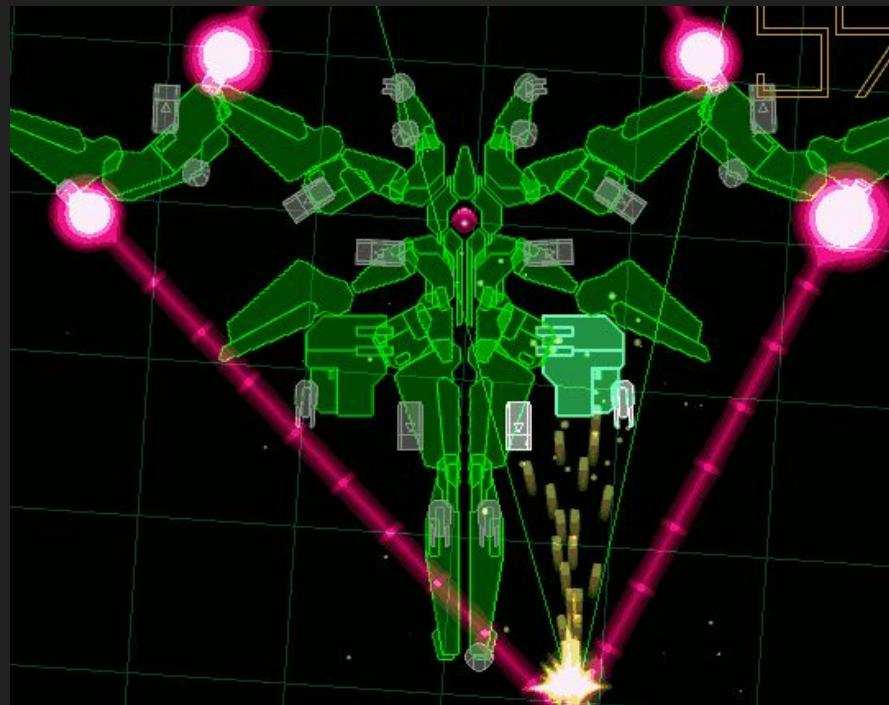
You will be able to...

- Describe how to read and process **input** for your games
- Discuss different kinds of **collisions** and **physics** systems
- Demonstrate **how to find and use** information about the **Phaser API** in the documentation

# I'm making a vertical-scrolling bullet hell shooter with procedurally generated bosses

I want to use the keyboard to control the player's ship.

How do I do that?



[Warning Forever](#)

# Phaser.Input

<https://photonstorm.github.io/phaser-ce/Phaser.Input.html>

**Q:** For my game, I want to get input from the WASD keys on the keyboard.  
How do I do it?

1. Go to the Phaser documentation
2. Individually, think about how to get the input
3. Briefly write down the line(s) of code that I need and where it should go  
**game.input.?**
4. Pair with another student and discuss your solution

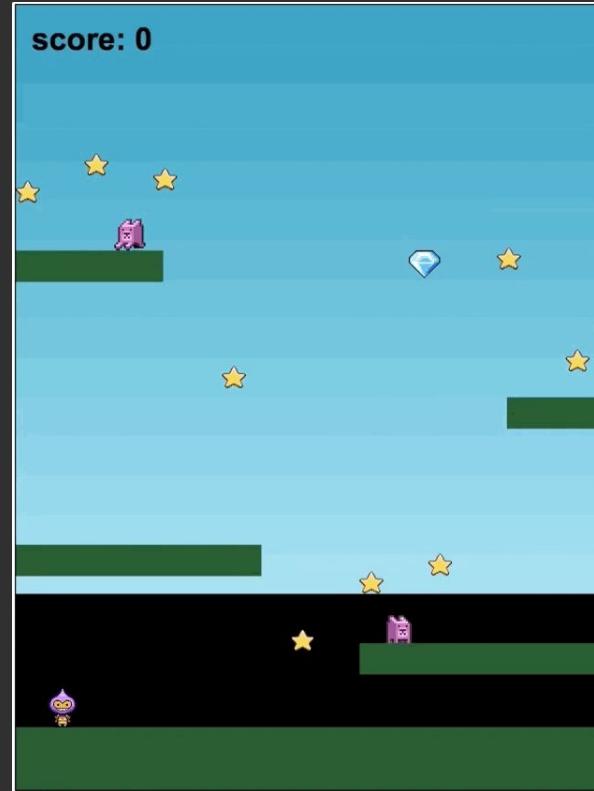
I also want to use the spacebar as my fire button, but when I press it, the browser page scrolls.  
What do I do?

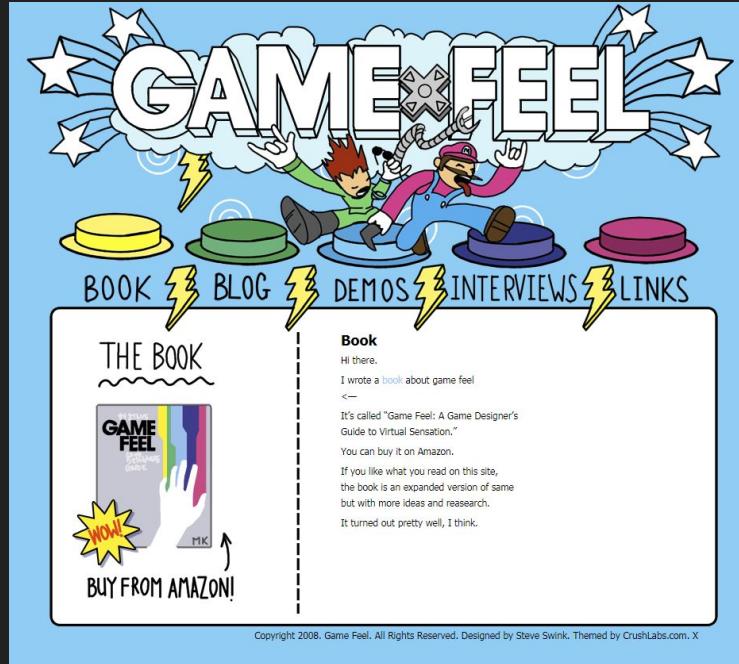
# Physics

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How did  
jumping feel in  
your first  
assignment?





The library has a copy of *Game Feel*, by the way

# Phaser's Physics Manager

`game.physics`

<https://photonstorm.github.io/phaser-ce/#toc-19>

Arcade Physics *or* P2 Physics

What is the difference?

# Arcade

VS

# P2

- Lightweight
  - AABB-based collision
  - Overlap
  - Movement
  - Velocity
  - Acceleration
  - Bullet pools
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- Full-body advanced physics
  - Multiple collision object shapes
  - Overlap
  - Movement
  - Velocity
  - Acceleration
  - Contact materials
  - Springs
  - Constraints

A game object is limited to **only one physics body**  
(and it can't be changed until the object is destroyed)

But you may have **multiple systems** active in a single game

acceleration allowGravity allowRotation angle angularAcceleration  
angularDrag angularVelocity blocked bottom bounce center checkCollision  
collideWorldBounds customSeparateX customSeparateY deltaMax dirty drag  
embedded enable facing friction game gravity halfHeight halfWidth  
height immovable isCircle isMoving left mass maxAngular maxVelocity  
movementCallback movementCallbackContext moves newVelocity offset onCollide  
onMoveComplete onOverlap onWorldBounds overlapR overlapX overlapY position  
preRotation prev radius right rotation skipQuadTree sourceHeight  
sourceWidth speed sprite stopVelocityOnCollide syncBounds tilePadding top  
touching type velocity wasTouching width worldBounce x y

## Properties on an Arcade Physics body

# Game Mechanic Explorer

A collection of concrete examples for various game mechanics, algorithms, and effects. The examples are all implemented in JavaScript using the [Phaser](#) game framework, but the concepts and methods are general and can be adapted to any engine. Think of it as pseudocode. Each section contains several different examples that progress in sequence from a very basic implementation to a more advanced implementation. Every example is interactive and responds to keyboard or mouse input (or touch). [More...](#)

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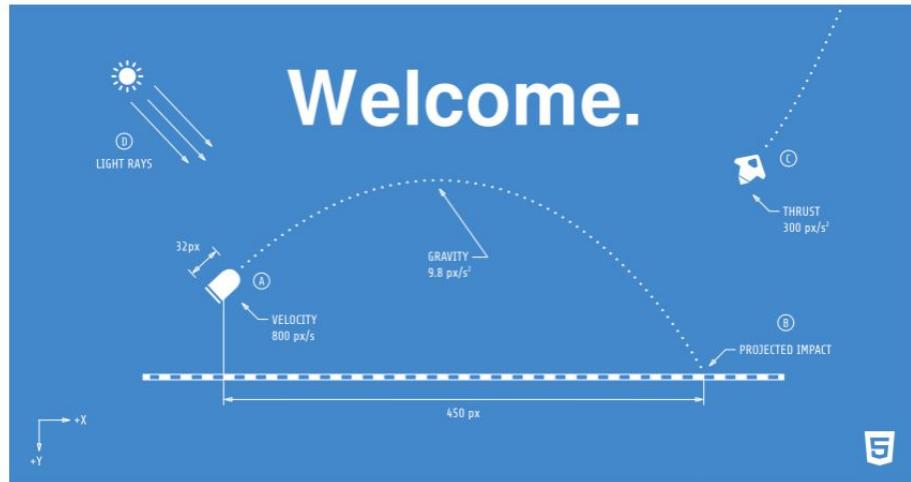
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<https://gamemechanicexplorer.com/#>

`Phaser.Sprite.anchor` sets the origin **Point** of the texture



default



`sprite.anchor.set(0.5)`



`sprite.anchor.x = 1;`  
`sprite.anchor.y = 1;`

A Phaser **Point** object represents a location in a two-dimensional coordinate system, where x represents the horizontal axis and y represents the vertical axis.

```
// set up our alien sprite
this.alien = this.add.sprite(this.world.centerX, this.world.centerY, 'atlas', 'side');
this.alien.anchor.set(0.5);
this.alien.scale.setTo(this.HALFSCALE);

// set up alien physics
game.physics.enable(this.alien, Phaser.Physics.ARCADE);
```

The screenshot shows the Leshy SpriteSheet Tool interface. At the top, there's a browser header with tabs for 'Phaser Inputs Example' and 'Leshy SpriteSheet Tool'. Below the header is the Leshy Labs logo and navigation links for Home, Apps, Games, About, and Blog. The main area has a dark background with a grid of colorful pixel art frames. On the left, there's a preview window showing a green alien character. On the right, there are several toolbars and panels. The 'Sprite Sheet' panel at the bottom left shows a file named 'kenny\_sheet.png' with dimensions 539x573. The 'Sprite Map' panel shows a grid of frames with various textures. The 'Sprite Preview' panel on the right shows a preview of the alien frame with properties: Name: fly\_normal, TopX: 400, TopY: 238, Width: 60, Height: 32, and Ignore: false. The 'Sprite Settings' panel shows the same properties. At the bottom, there are social sharing buttons for Like, Tweet, and Pin, along with a JSON-TP-Hash save button. The footer contains copyright information for Leshy Labs LLC 2013 - 2016, a note about republishing, and links for Home, About, and Blog.

<https://www.leshylabs.com/apps/sstool/>

```
92}, "sourceSize": {"w": 66, "h": 92}, "jump":  
94}], "side": {"frame":  
92}], "walk0001": {"frame":  
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96}]}
```



The JSON specifies the frame locations in the texture atlas



<https://photonstorm.github.io/phaser-ce/Phaser.Animation.html>

```
this.alien = this.add.sprite(??);
```

```
this.alien.animations.add(???); // 1-frame idle animation  
this.alien.animations.add(???); // 10-frame walk animation
```

Animation from an atlas

```
create: function() {
    // background color
    game.stage.backgroundColor = "#517B96";

    this.alien = this.add.sprite(this.world.centerX, this.world.centerY, 'atlas', 'side');
    this.alien.anchor.set(0.5);
    this.alien.scale.setTo(this.HALFSCALE);
    // set up alien physics
    game.physics.enable(this.alien, Phaser.Physics.ARCADE);
    this.alien.body.collideWorldBounds = true;
    // cap the alien's max velocity (x, y)
    this.alien.body.maxVelocity.setTo(this.MAX_VELOCITY, this.MAX_VELOCITY);
    // add drag to slow the physics body while not accelerating
    this.alien.body.drag.setTo(this.DRAG, 0);
    // set up alien animations
    // .add('key', [frames], frameRate, loop)
    // .generateFrameNames('prefix', start, stop, 'suffix', zeroPad) -> returns array
    // this handles atlas names in format: walk0001 - walk0011
    this.alien.animations.add('walk', Phaser.Animation.generateFrameNames('walk', 1, 11, '', 4), 30, true);
    this.alien.animations.add('idle', ['front'], 30, false);
```

## Animation from an atlas



inputs01.js - inputs06.js

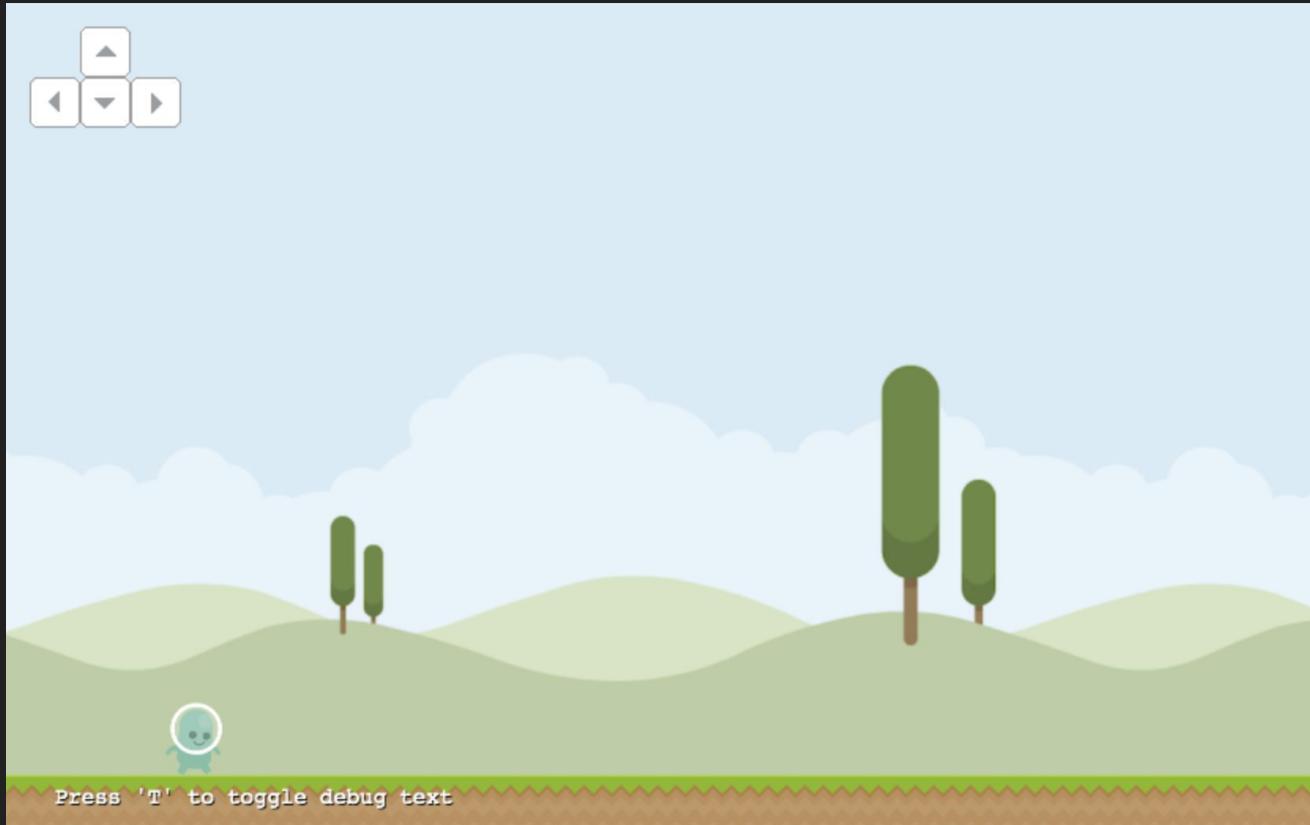
```
Inputs.Preloader.prototype = {
    preload: function() {
        // set load path and load texture atlas
        this.load.path = '../assets/img/';
        this.load.atlas('atlas', 'kenny_sheet.png', 'kenny_sheet.json');
        this.load.image('talltrees', 'talltrees.png');
    },
}

Inputs.Play.prototype = {
    preload: function() {

    },
    create: function() {
        // add bg as tile sprite
        this.talltrees = this.add.tileSprite(0,0, game.width, game.height, 'talltrees');

    update: function() {
        // update tileSprite background
        this.talltrees.tilePosition.x -= 8;
    }
}
```

## Tile Sprites



Press 'T' to toggle debug text

```
create: function() {
    // start up arcade physics
    this.physics.startSystem(Phaser.Physics.ARCADE);

    // add our alien sprite and set anchor so sprite flipping looks correct
    this.alien = this.add.sprite(this.world.centerX, this.world.centerY, 'atlas', 'front');
    this.alien.anchor.set(0.5);

    // apply physics to alien...
    this.physics.enable(this.alien, Phaser.Physics.ARCADE);
    // ...and adjust settings
    this.alien.body.drag.set(100);           // drag applied to motion
    this.alien.body.maxVelocity.set(300);     // max velocity that body can reach in px/sec^2

    // setup input
    cursors = this.input.keyboard.createCursorKeys();
    //this.input.keyboard.addKeyCapture([Phaser.Keyboard.SPACEBAR]);
},
update: function() {
    // check keyboard input and move alien appropriately
    if(cursors.up.isDown) {
        // accelerationFromRotation(rotation in radians, speed in px/sec^2, point x/y
        // acceleration)
        this.physics.arcade.accelerationFromRotation(this.alien.rotation-Math.PI/2, 200, this.
            alien.body.acceleration);
    } else {
        this.alien.body.acceleration.set(0);
    }

    if(cursors.left.isDown) {
        this.alien.body.angularVelocity = -300; // rate of change of angular pos of rotating body
    } else if (cursors.right.isDown) {
        this.alien.body.angularVelocity = 300;
    } else {
        this.alien.body.angularVelocity = 0;
    }
}
```

## createCursorKeys

### Method Chains (3)

- Phaser.Keyboard.createCursorKeys() : object;
- Phaser.Input.keyboard.createCursorKeys() : object;
- Phaser.Game.input.keyboard.createCursorKeys() : object;

### Help

The Keyboard class handles looking after keyboard input for your game.

It will recognise and respond to key presses and dispatch the required events.

Please be aware that lots of keyboards are unable to process certain combinations of keys due to hardware limitations known as ghosting. Full details here:  
<http://www.html5gamedevs.com/topic/4876-impossible-to-use-more-than-2-keyboard-input-buttons-at-the-same-time/>

```
class Phaser.Keyboard {
```

Creates and returns an object containing 4 hotkeys for Up, Down, Left and Right.

returns An object containing properties: up, down, left and right. Which can be polled like any other Phaser.Key object.

```
    object createCursorKeys()
```

“Creates and returns an object containing 4 🔥hotkeys🔥 for Up, Down, Left, and Right.”

Returns an object (**cursors**) containing four properties (**cursors.up**, **cursors.down**, **cursors.left**, **cursors.right**) that can be **polled** for keyboard input.



What if you need individual key presses?

## One Strategy

create()

```
// create a new Phaser Key object for a single key  
this.jumpKey = game.input.keyboard.addKey(Phaser.Keyboard.SPACEBAR);
```

update()

```
// did the jump key happen this frame?  
if(this.jumpKey.justPressed()) {  
    console.log('kick!');  
}
```

## Another Strategy

create()

```
this.hugKey = game.input.keyboard.addKey(Phaser.Keyboard.H);  
this.hugKey.onDown.add(this.doHug, this);
```

A callback function

```
doHug: function() {  
    console.log('Hugging you :)');  
},
```



inputs07.js

A touching look at

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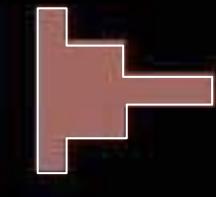
# Collision Detection

# There are multiple collision processes

- **Collision detection** determines **if** two objects are coincident.
- **Collision determination** asks **when** objects came into contact and where they intersect.
- **Collision resolution** defines **how** the program should respond to the collision.







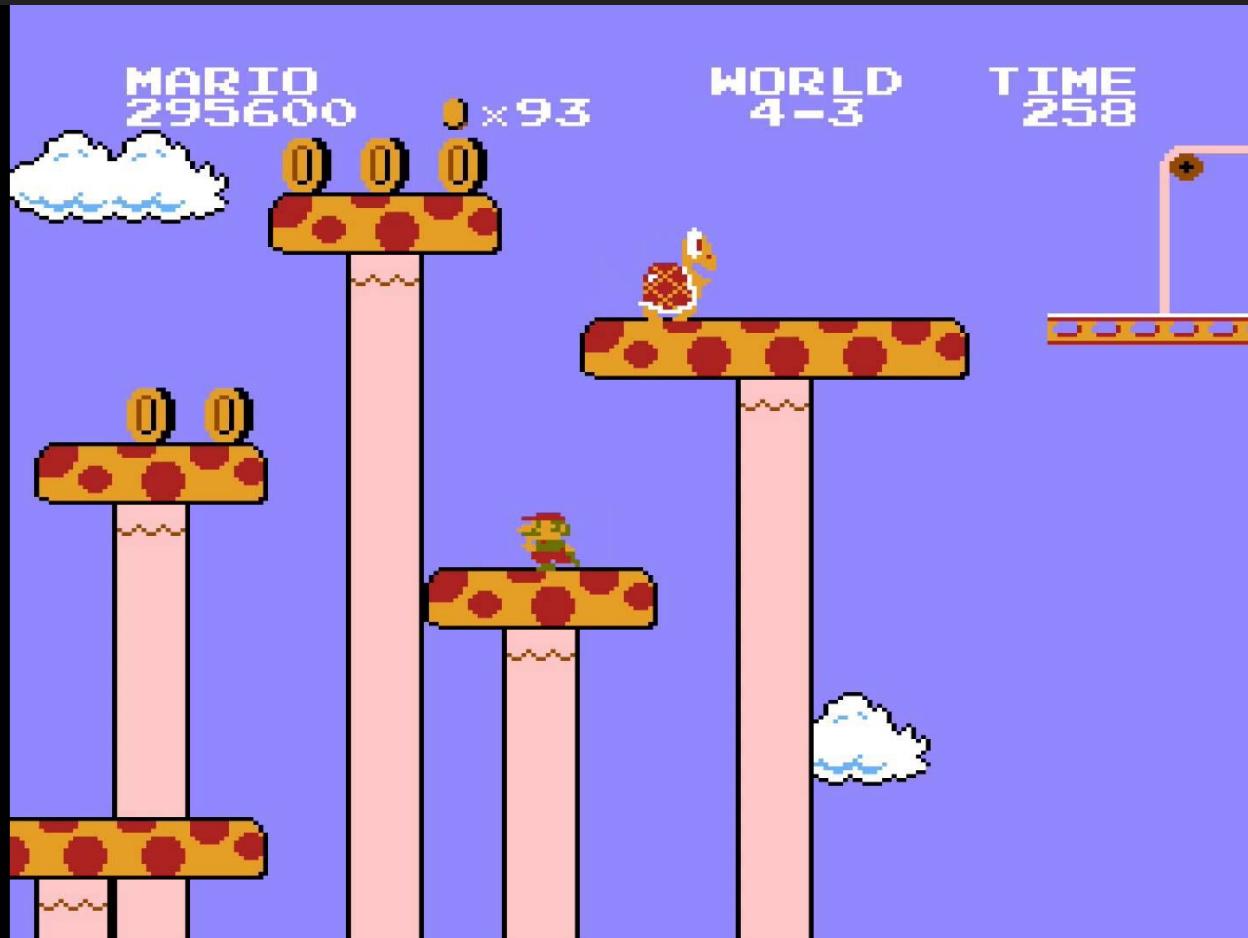
**Q: How was this possible in the 1970s?**



A: Not a lot going on



BB 12



Hardware/Software Collision Detection



How does collision detection scale?

Deathsmiles (2007)

**Naive collision detection** assumes that all  $n$  objects onscreen may potentially intersect with one another, so it checks every object against every other object.

That's  $n(n-1)/2$  checks per frame.

$n=3 \equiv 3$  checks

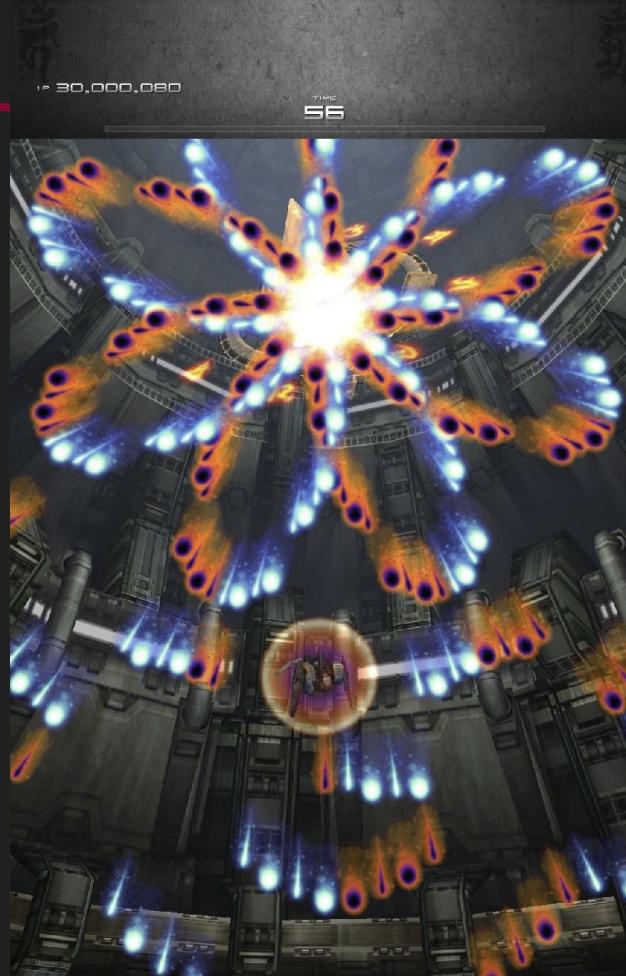
$n=8 \equiv 28$  checks

$n=64 \equiv 2016$  checks

$n=128 \equiv 8128$  checks

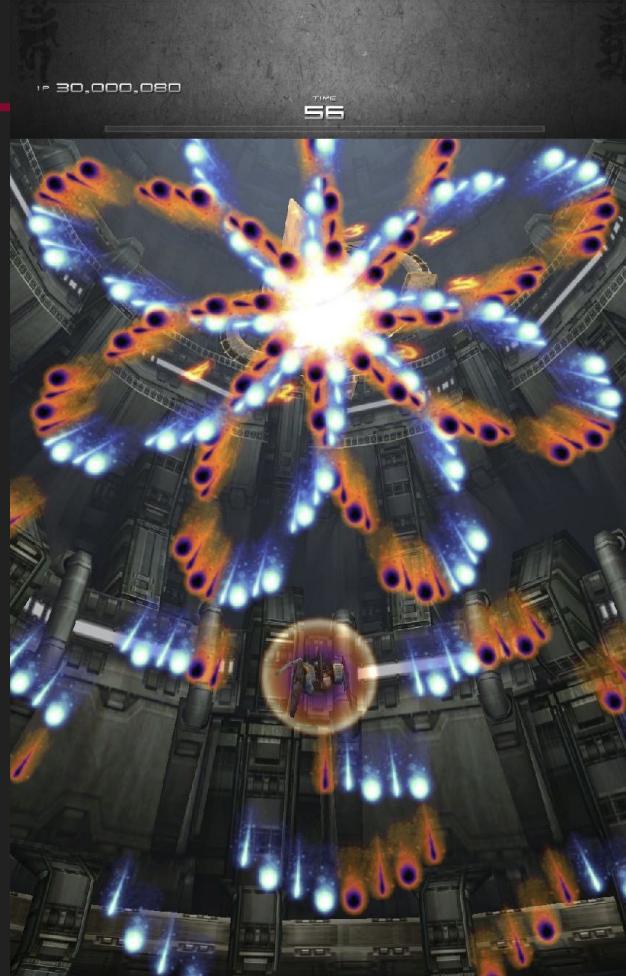
$n=500 \equiv 124,750$  checks

$n=5000 \equiv 12,497,500$  checks



## What are the problems this causes?

- Different behavior
- ?
- ?

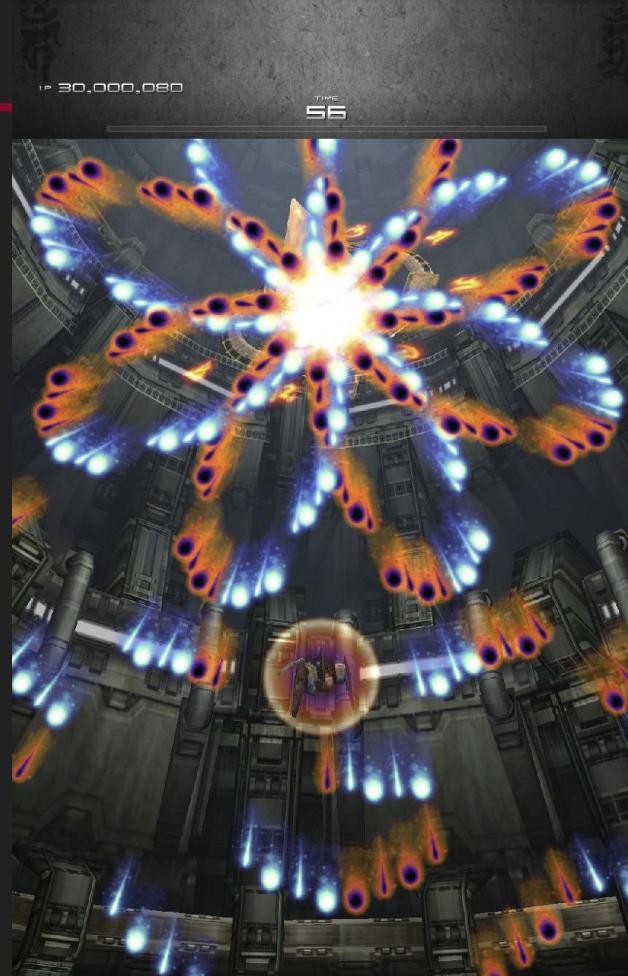


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How can we address this problem?

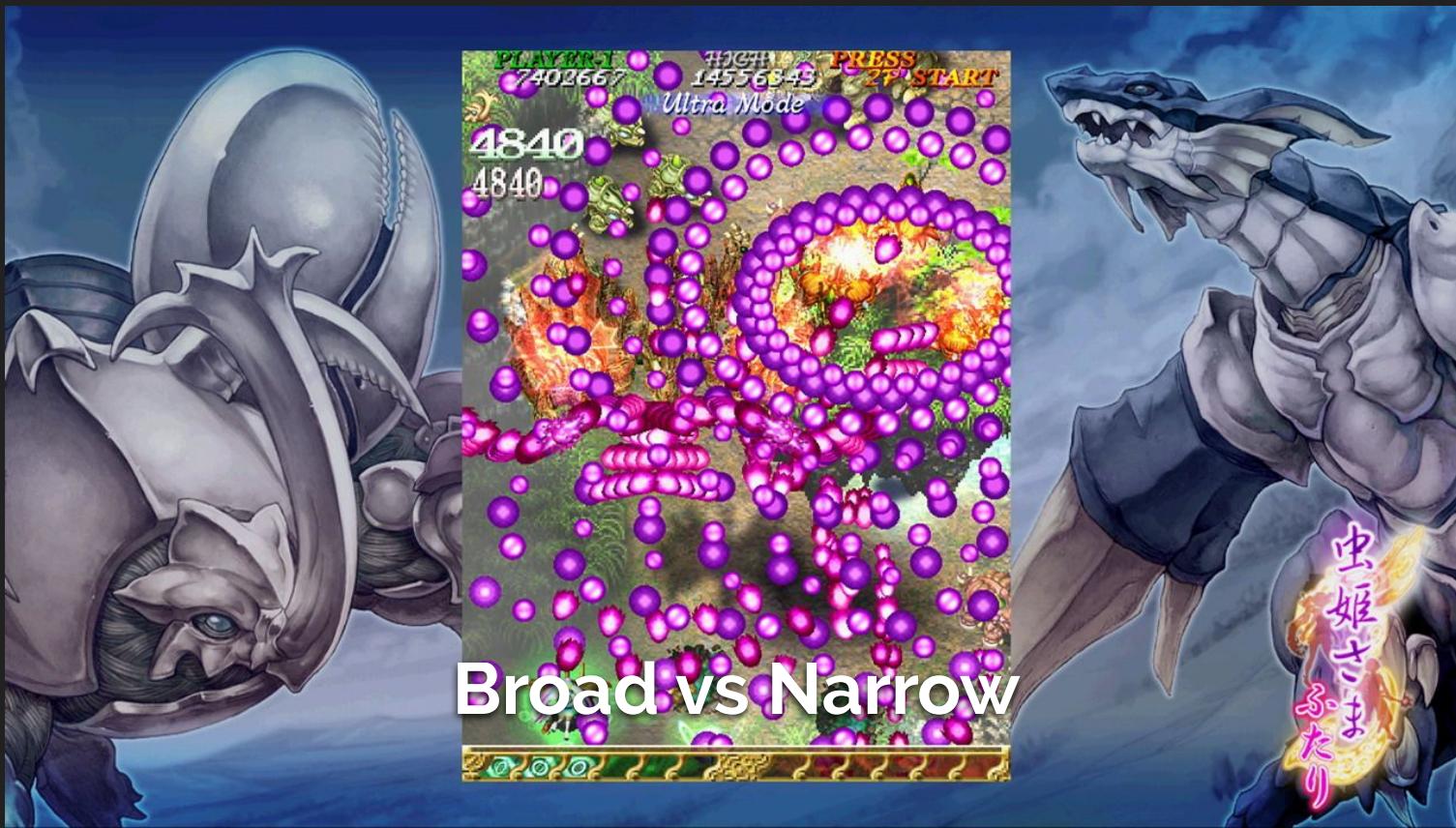
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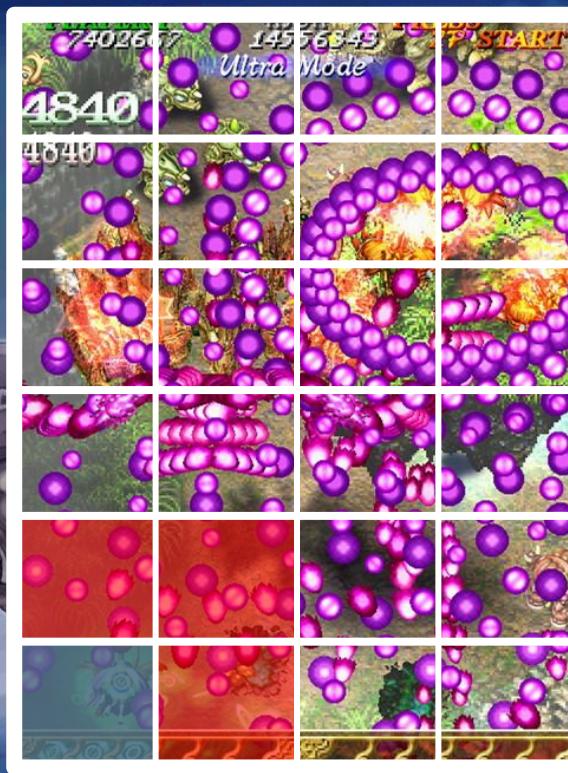


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Reducing **number** of collision pairs



## Broadphase Sweep

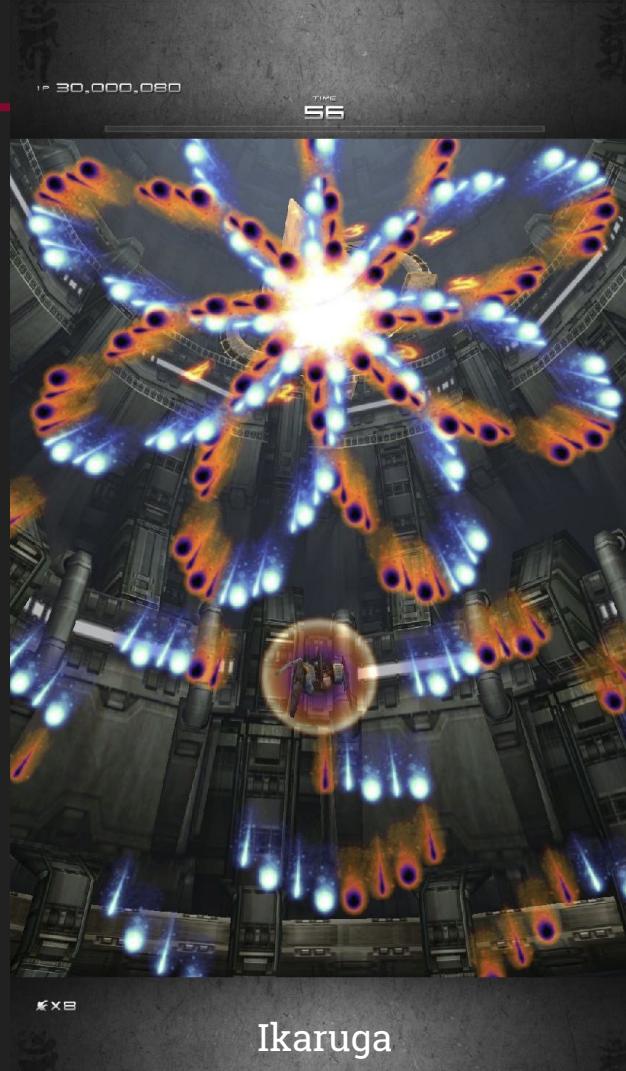


Narrowphase Sweep



## Genre matters!

In a bullet-hell shooter, collisions with the player's ship are important, but enemy bullets might pass through every other object onscreen.



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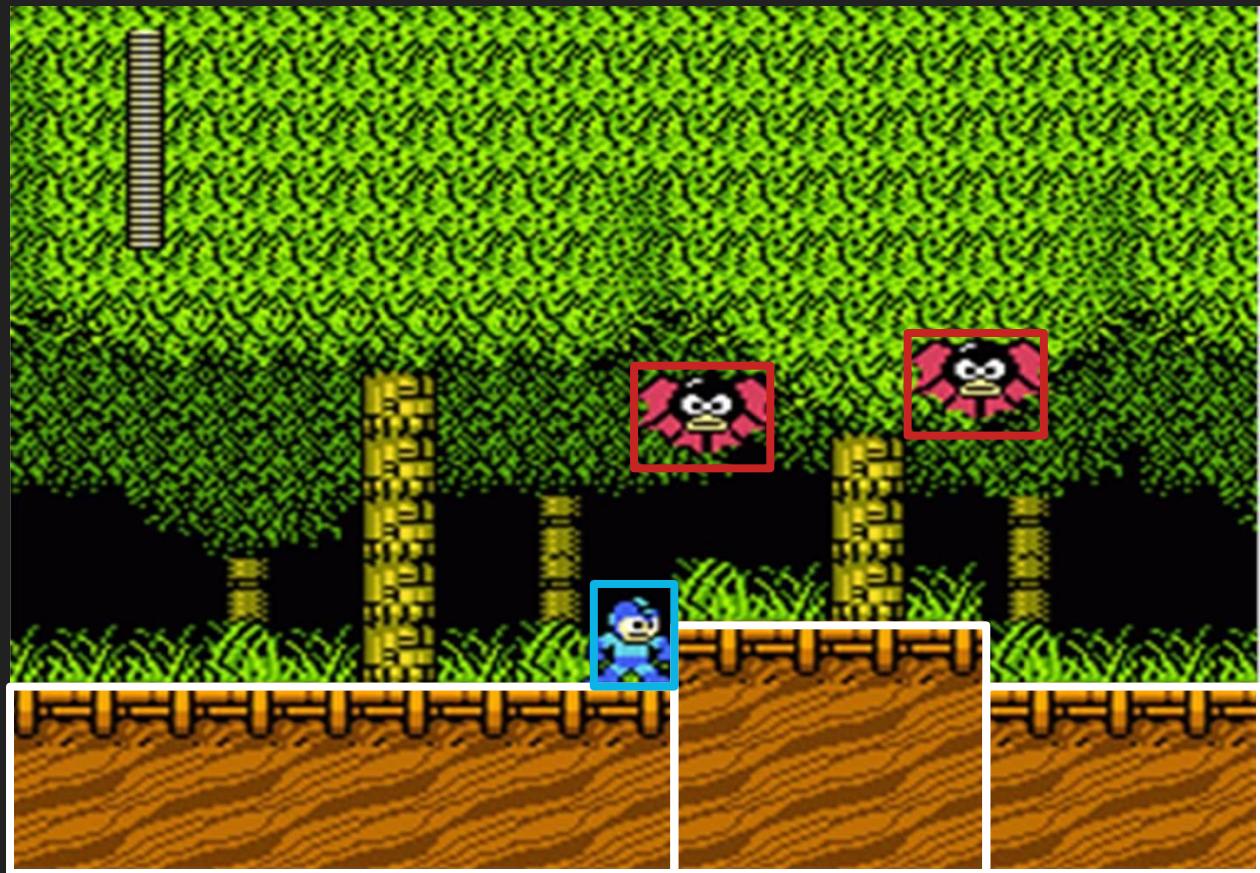
# Reducing the **cost** of collision checks

Bounding volumes



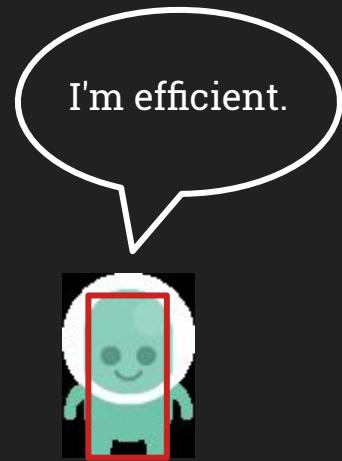
# Reducing the **cost** of collision checks

Bounding volumes



# Advantages of Bounding Volumes

- Inexpensive intersection tests
- Reduced complexity of objects
- Inexpensive to compute
- Easy to rotate and transform
- Low memory use



# Disadvantages of Bounding Volumes?

Now I'm sad.



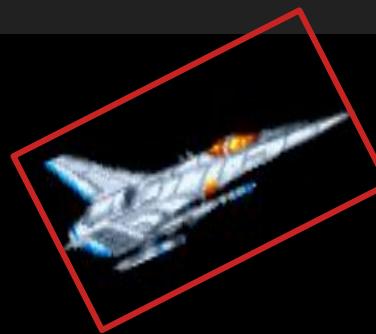
# Common Bounding Volumes



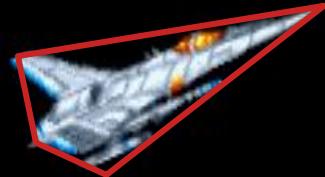
circle/sphere



axis-aligned bounding box



oriented bounding box



convex hull

# AXIS-ALIGNED BOUNDING BOX (AABB)

Checks collisions between two axis-aligned  
(i.e. not rotated) rectangles by ensuring that  
there are no gaps between any of the four  
sides of the rectangles.

```
1 // simple AABB collision check
2
3
4 var rect1 = { x: 10, y: 10, w: 50, h: 50 };
5
6 var rect2 = { x: 50, y: 50, w: 210, h: 30 };
7
8 var rect3 = { x: 250, y: 20, w: 100, h: 180 };
9
10 var rect4 = { x: 140, y: 70, w: 20, h: 280 };
11
12 function checkAABB(rectA, rectB) {
13     if( rectA.x < rectB.x + rectB.w &&
14         rectA.x + rectA.w > rectB.x &&
15         rectA.y < rectB.y + rectB.h &&
16         rectA.h + rectA.y > rectB.y) {
17         return true;
18     } else {
19         return false;
20     }
21 }
22
23 checkAABB(rect1, rect2); // true
24 checkAABB(rect2, rect3); // true
25 checkAABB(rect2, rect4); // true
26 checkAABB(rect1, rect3); // false
27 checkAABB(rect3, rect4); // false
```

# Phaser Arcade Physics

Arcade uses AABB collision only, so it's **fast** and **cheap** to compute (but less **precise**).

Arcade physics checks collisions for:  
sprite v. sprite, sprite v. group, group v. group.

Collisions will separate the objects that collided,  
pushing them back to a state where they do not  
overlap visually.

Collision checks need to be done in the **update()**  
function.

Collision handlers are callback functions that respond to an overlap between two display objects.

All collision handlers in Phaser take **two arguments**, which will be references to the objects that hit each other.

```
// Phaser collision - called in update()  
game.physics.arcade.collide(objectOne, objectTwo);
```

To use collision, you must first **enable** physics bodies on a sprite.

Once enabled, it's possible to access all of the properties and methods of a sprite's body, such as acceleration, velocity, bounce, etc.

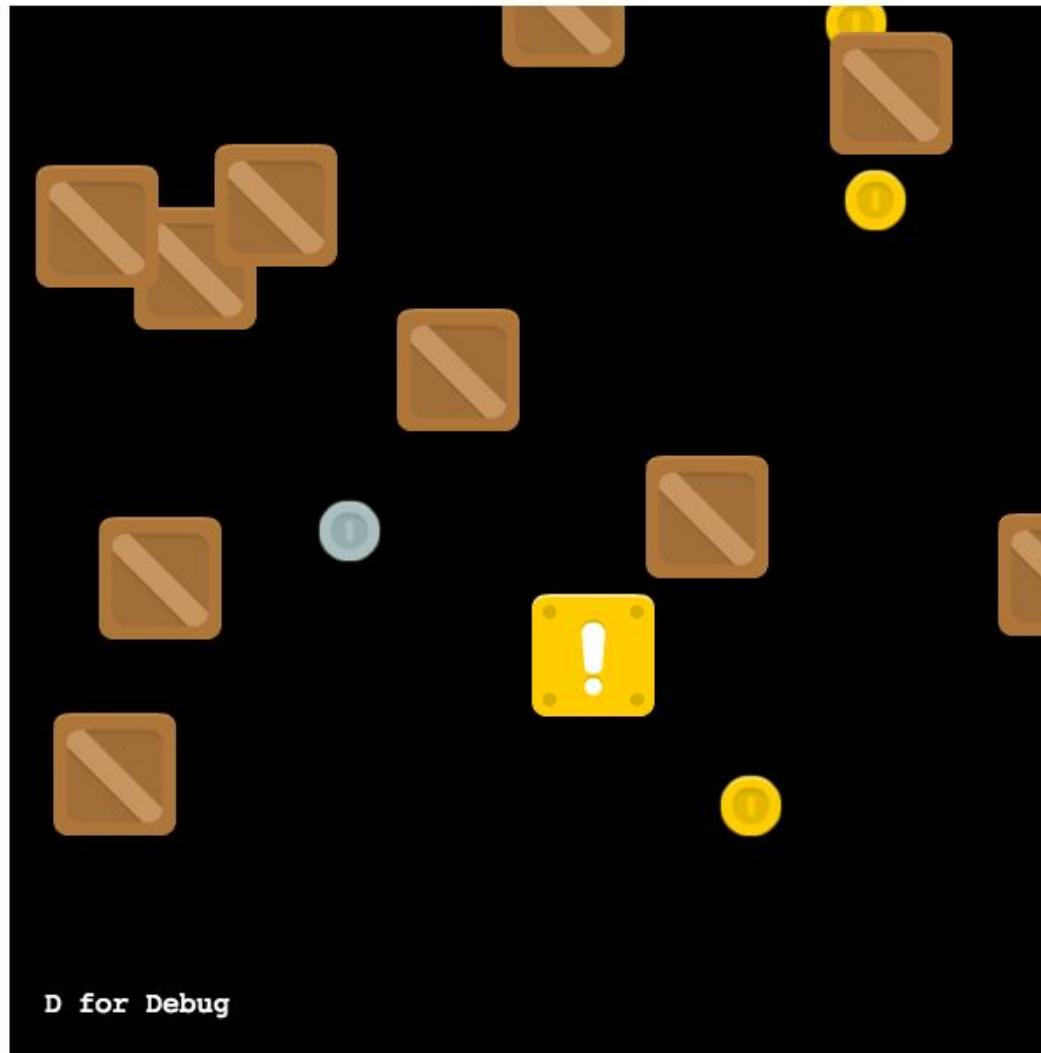
```
// setup player physics - called in create()
game.physics.enable(game.player);           // enable physics (default ARCADE)
game.player.body.drag.set(50);               // set friction
game.player.body.maxVelocity.set(250);        // set max velocity
game.player.body.collideWorldBounds = true; // player limited to world edges
game.player.body.bounce.set(0.25);           // player is bouncy
```

If you don't want physics bodies to automatically separate, you may use an **overlap** call instead.

There are also optional overlap and process callback functions that allow you to respond to the overlap in different ways.

```
// overlap with callback
game.physics.arcade.overlap(object1, group1, overlapCallback, processCallback, this);

// the two objects are passed to the callback in the order you specified
overlapCallback: function(obj1, g1) {
    // respond to overlap
},
processCallback: function(obj1, g1) {
    // perform additional check on overlap before handing off to overlapCallback
}
```



# But last, your Endless Runner

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# Organization (2.5 points)

<b>Comments</b>	Logically comment your source to demonstrate that you understand how each section works. (0.5)
<b>Organization</b>	Your file structure is organized logically and legibly (0.5)
<b>No Errors</b>	Game runs from localhost (0.5) with no code errors (0.5).
<b>Submit</b>	Submit your project to Canvas as a .zip that includes the framework so the graders can run it. (0.5)

# Structure and Design I

<b>3 States</b>	Have at least three states: a main menu (0.5), a state where you play the actual game (0.5), and a game over state (0.5). You may name these however you like. You may also have more, depending on how you structure your game.	<b>Collision Detection</b>	Properly use collision detection (0.5).
<b>Instructions</b>	Communicate how to play w/ clear instructions (0.5).	<b>Background Music</b>	Have looping background music (0.5).
<b>State Transitions</b>	Properly transition between states and allow the player to restart w/out having to reload the page (0.5).	<b>Sound Effects</b>	Use sound effects for key mechanics and/or events (0.5) according to your design.
<b>Player Input</b>	Have some form of player input/control (0.5) according to your design.	<b>Randomness</b>	Use randomness to generate challenge, e.g. terrain, pickups, etc. (0.5).

# Structure and Design II

<b>Animated Character</b>	Include an animated character(s) (0.5) that use a texture atlas (0.5).	<b>Metric</b>	Include some metric of accomplishment that a player can improve over time, e.g., score (0.5).
<b>Simulate Scrolling</b>	Simulate scrolling, e.g., tilesprite (0.5).	<b>Endless</b>	Be theoretically endless (0.5).
<b>Playable</b>	Be playable for at least 15 seconds for a new player of low to moderate skill (0.5).		

# Creative Tilt (2 points)

Does your game...

<b>Technical Interest</b>	...do something technically interesting? Are you particularly proud of a programming technique you implemented? Did you look beyond the class examples and learn how to do something new? (1)
<b>Visual Style</b>	...have a great visual style? Does it use music or art that you created? Are you trying something new or clever with the endless runner form? (1)