

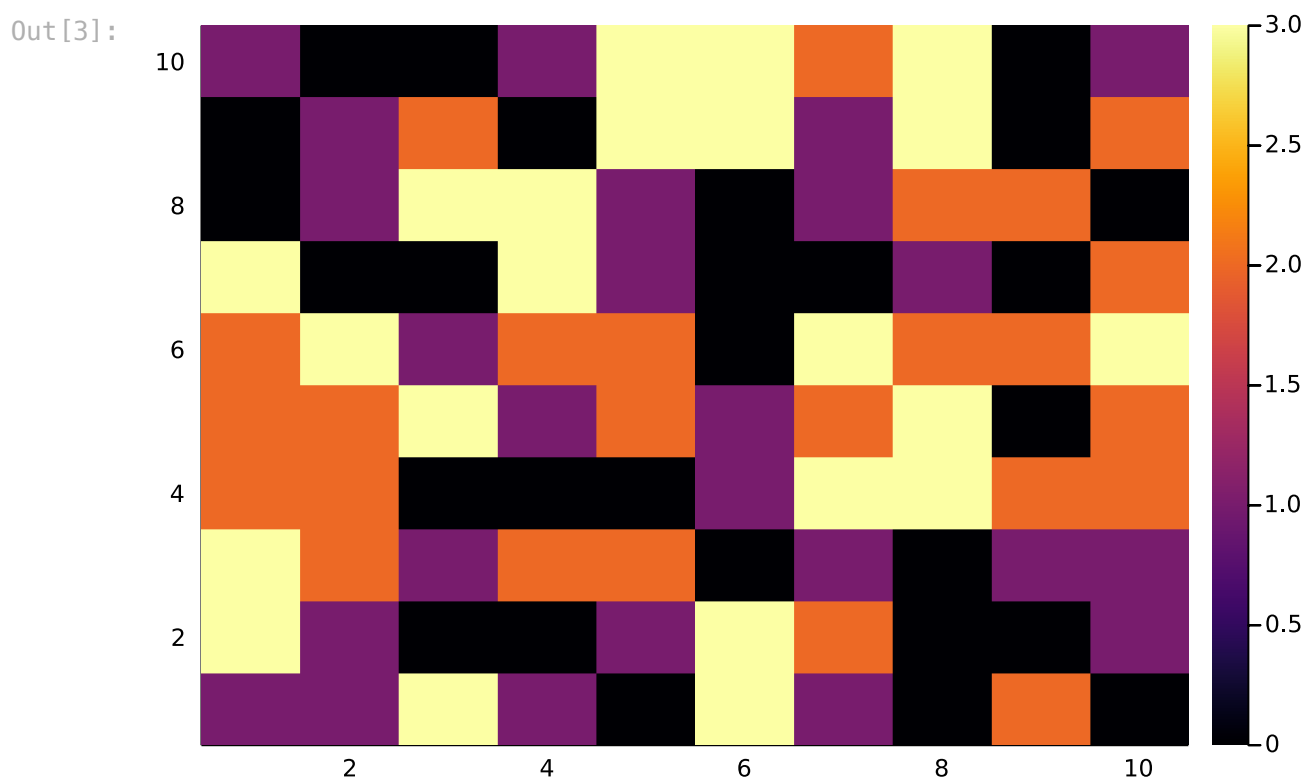
```
In [1]: include("../Sandpile.jl")
using .Sandpile
using Plots
```

Functions for Implementing Sandpile Rules

```
In [2]: x, y = 10, 10; # Dimensions of grid
N = 100; # Number of grains to be added
fx = 4; # Critical value for sandpile model
```

We can choose to have a random initial set-up

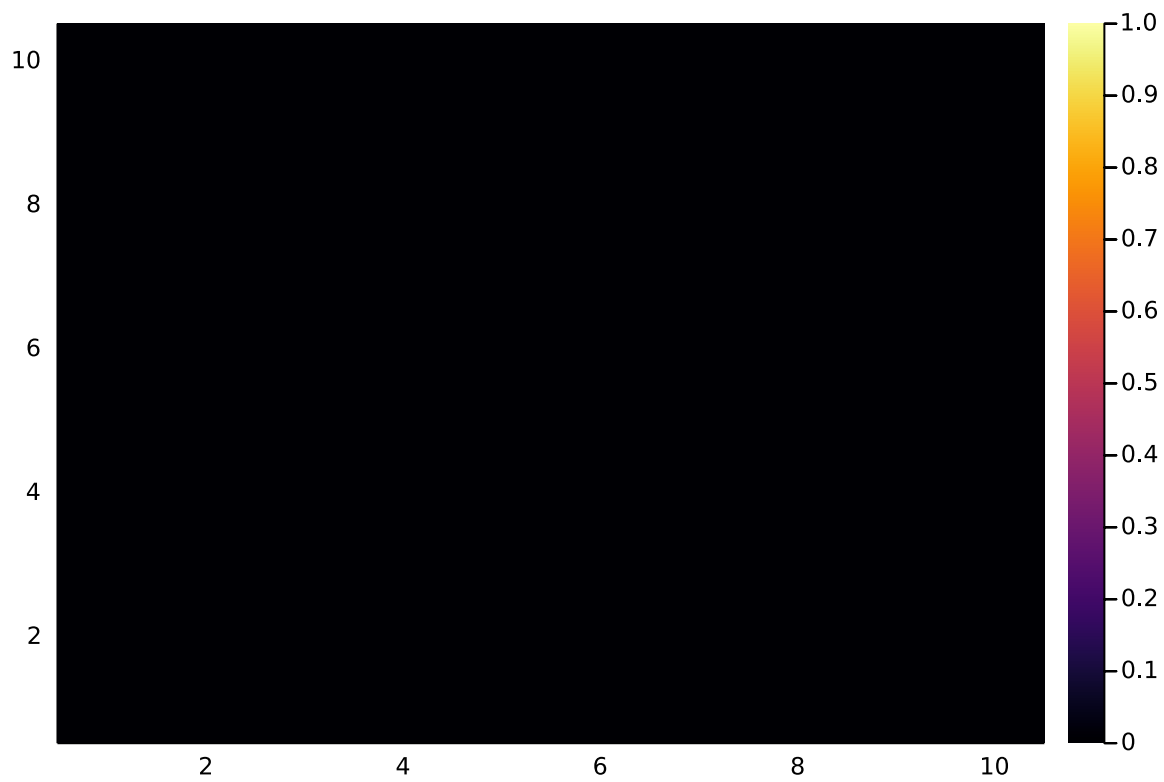
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In [3]: z = sandpile_init(x, y, "random");
heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```



Or we can choose to initialize the grid with all 0s

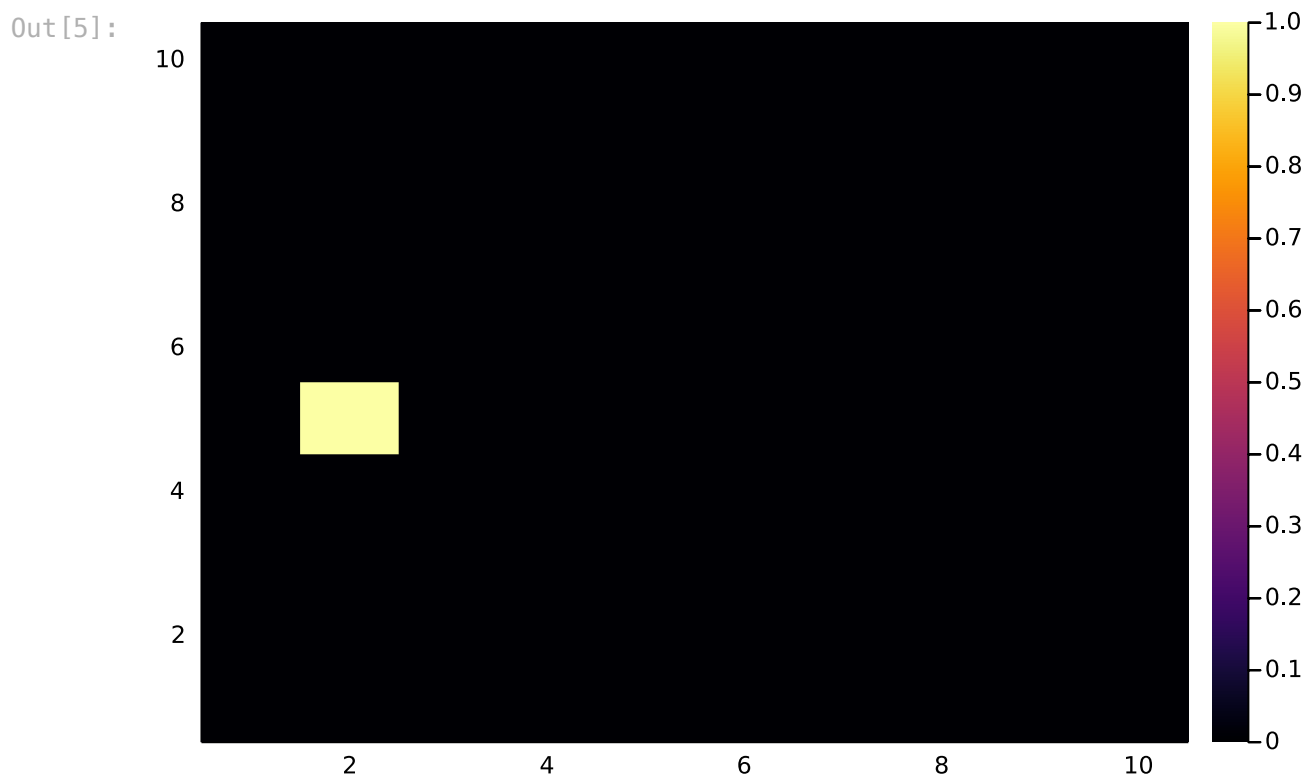
```
In [4]: z = sandpile_init(x, y, "zero");
heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```

Out[4]:



Example of a grain being added on previous grid

```
In [5]: add_grain!(z);  
heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```



`is_unstable()` checks if there are any points greater than the critical value

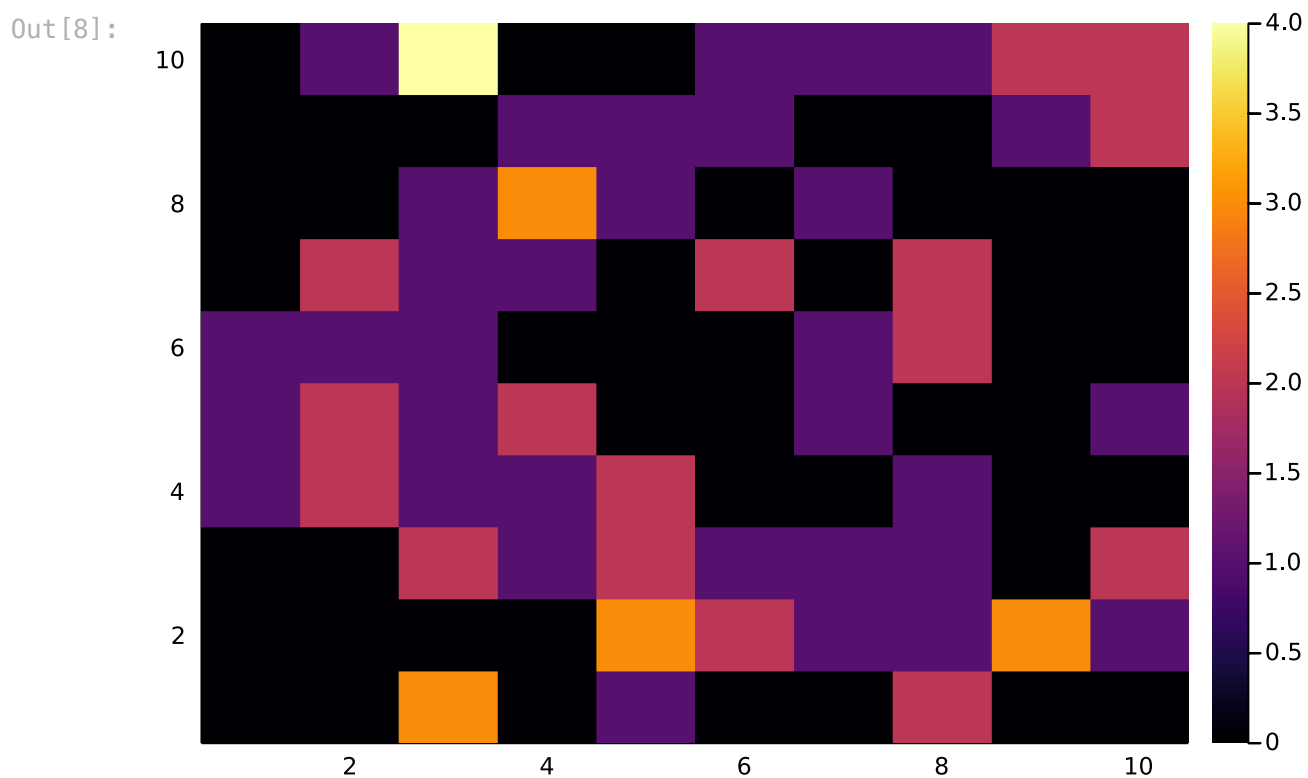
```
In [6]: is_unstable(z)
```

```
Out[6]: false
```

```
In [7]: [add_grain!(z) for i in 1:80]  
is_unstable(z)
```

Out[7]: true

```
In [8]: heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```

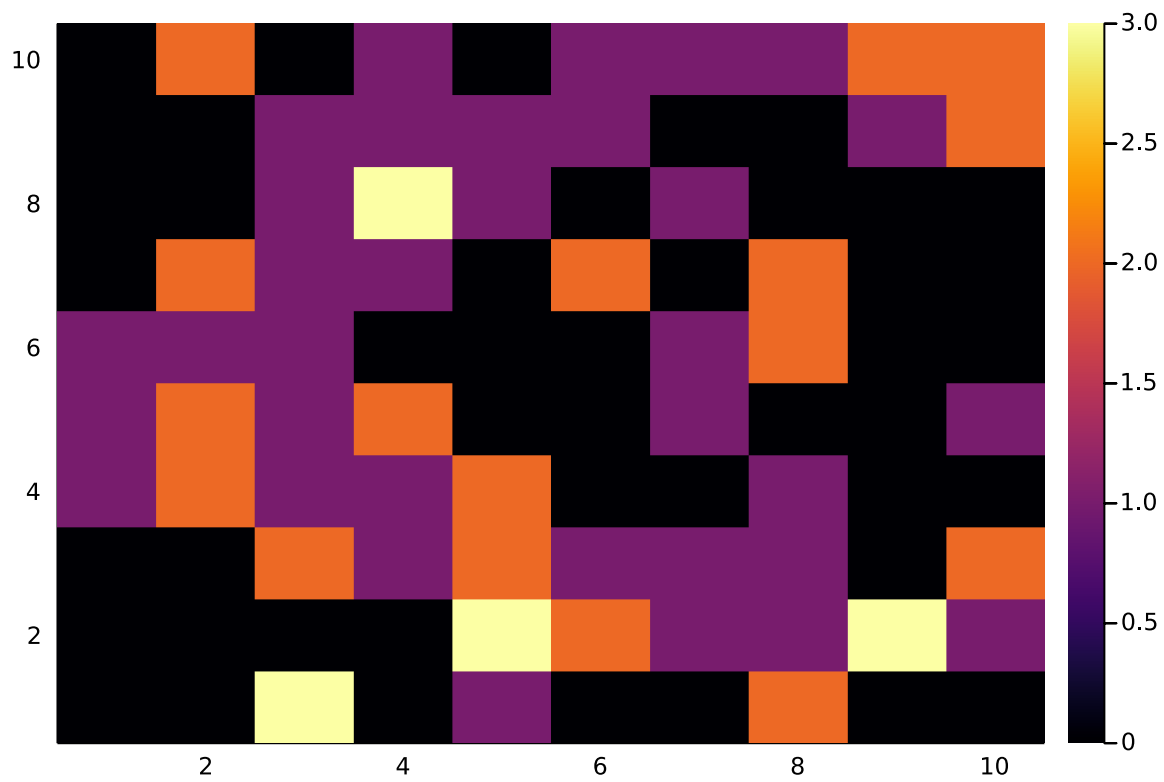


Note that after running `avalanche!()`, the highest number of grains is now below the critical value of 4.

```
In [9]: avalanche!(z);
```

```
In [10]: heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```

Out[10]:

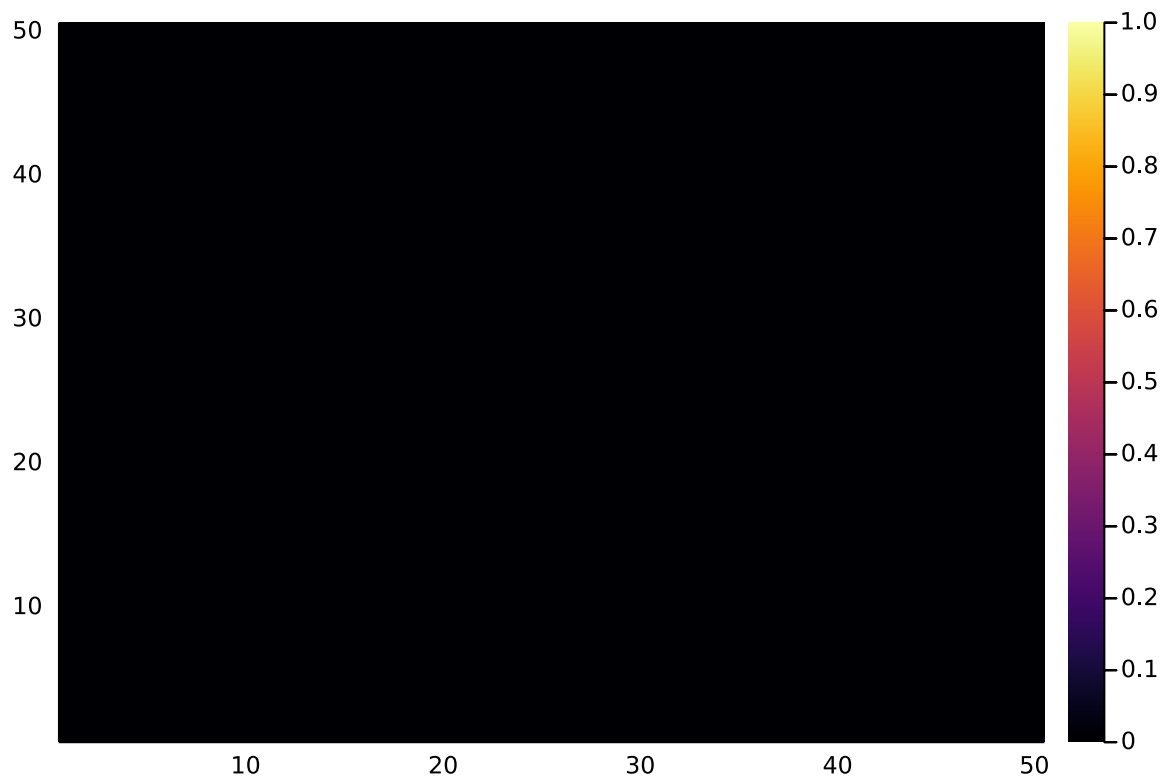


Putting it all together

In [11]:

```
x = 50
y = 50
z = sandpile_init(x, y, "zero");
heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```

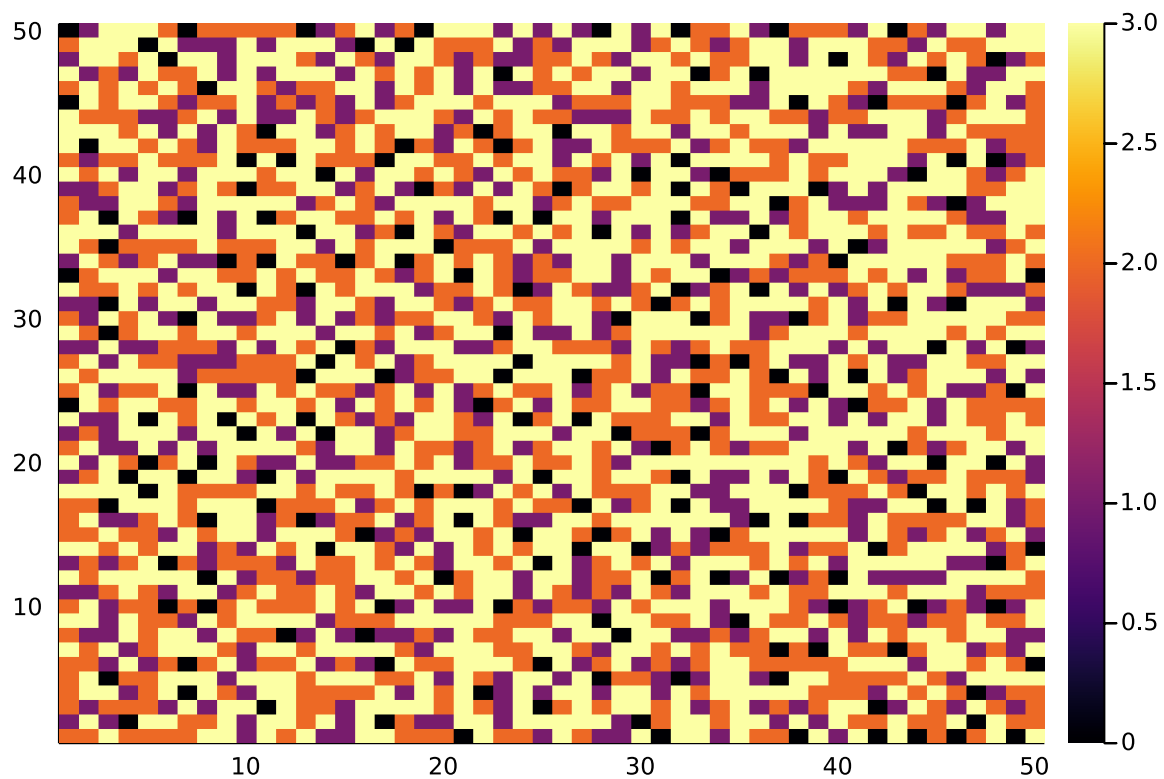
Out[11]:



In [12]:

```
s = run_sandpile!(z, 100_000);
heatmap(1:x, 1:y, z)
```

Out[12]:



Counting avalanche sizes

Note that sizes of avalanches for each grain added are returned by `run_sandpile`. If the argument `N_crit` is false, it returns a list of all avalanches that occurred ie running the previous cell returns 41926 values after adding 100_000 grains. I added an option of setting `N_crit = true` wherein it will only stop after adding 100_000 (or `N`) grains that all result in at least one avalanche; as expected using this option leads to longer running times.

In [13]:

```
s'
```

Out[13]:

```
1x41926 adjoint(::Vector{Int64}) with eltype Int64:  
 1  1  1  1  1  1  1  2  1  1  1  2  1  ...  8  1  4  5  1  662  33  1  10  74
```

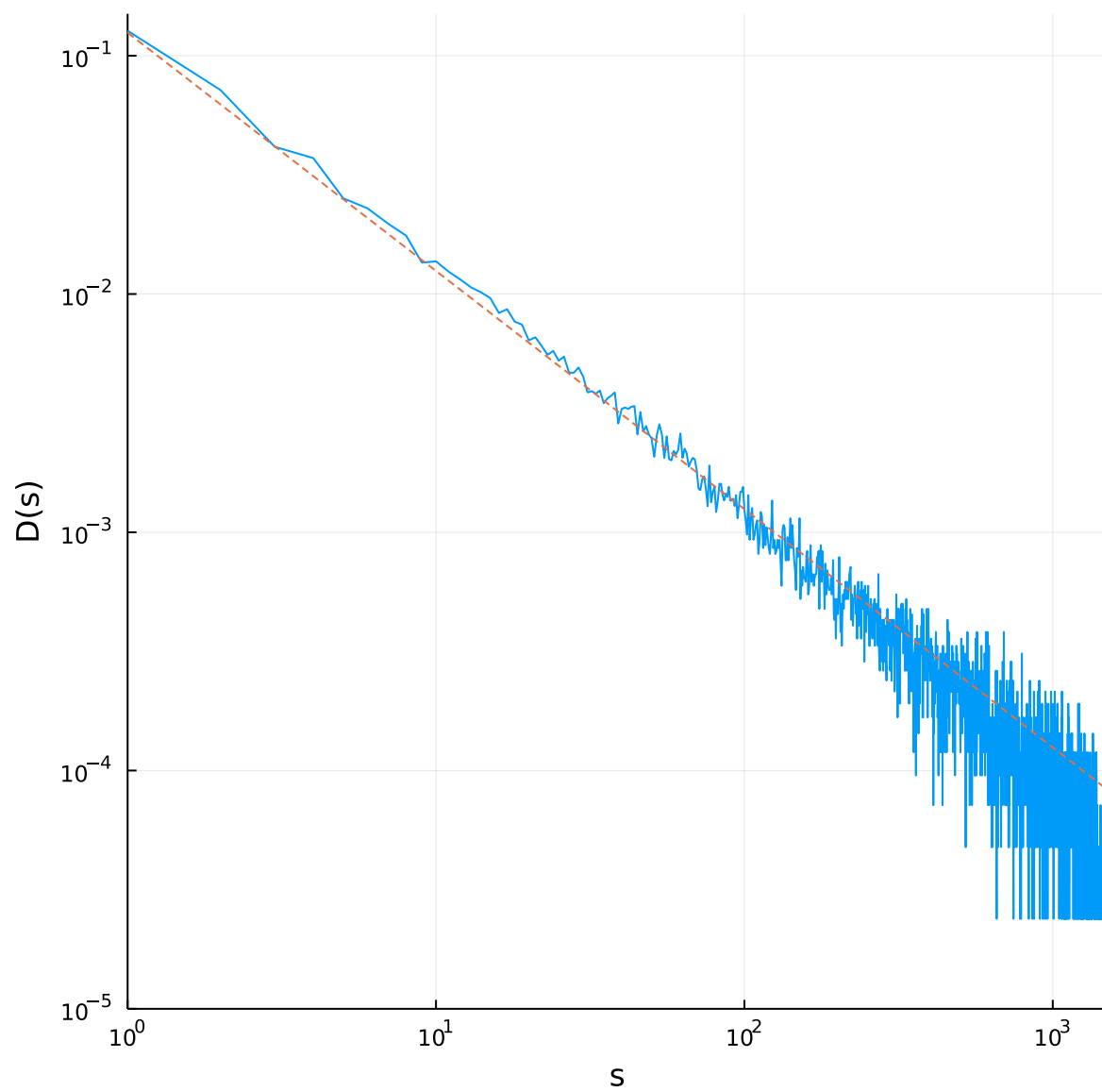
We can choose to plot distribution of the cluster sizes below

In [14]:

```
# Get counts of each slide size s  
unique_s = sort(unique(reduce(vcat, s)))  
counts = [count(==(element), reduce(vcat, s)) for element in unique_s]  
yticks = [1e-1, 1e-2, 1e-3, 1e-4, 1e-5, 1e-6]  
xticks = [1e0, 1e1, 1e2, 1e3]  
plot(  
    unique_s,  
    counts ./ sum(counts);  
    axis=:log,  
    axis=:log,  
    leg=false,  
    yticks=yticks,  
    xticks=xticks,  
    size=(600, 600),  
    dpi=300,  
)  
plot!(  
    [1e0, 1e5],  
    [1.25e-1, 1.25e-6];  
    axis=:log,  
    axis=:log,
```

```
xlabel="s",  
ylabel="D(s) ",  
xlim=(1e0, 1.5e3),  
ylim=(1e-5, 1.5e-1),  
linestyle=:dash,  
dpi=300,  
)
```

Out[14]:



In []: