

SPRITE KIT

WHAT WE'LL COVER

- ▶ Nodes, include particle emitters
- ▶ Physics
- ▶ Touches
- ▶ Collisions
- ▶ Actions

BUILDING BLOCKS

STRUCTURE

- ▶ `SKView` displays your `SpriteKit` content
- ▶ `SKScene` provides the content to display and is the root node for your scene
- ▶ `SKNode` is the fundamental building block of most `SpriteKit` content.
 - ▶ `SKNode` is analogous to `UIView`, but the node doesn't draw any visual content.
 - ▶ `SKNode` has properties such as: `frame`, `alpha`, `isHidden`
 - ▶ `SKNode` can be identified via a `name` property

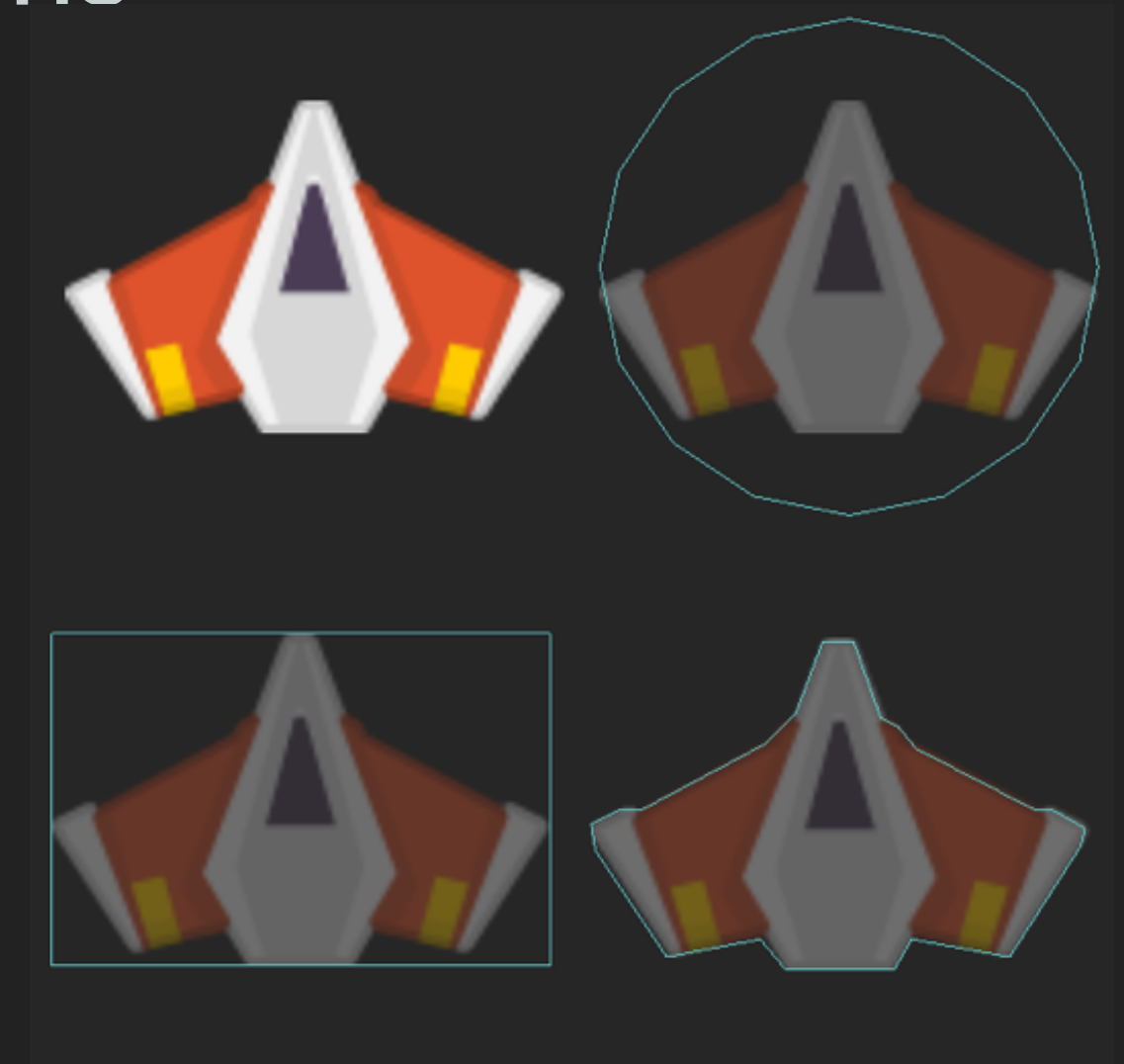
NODES WE'LL USE

- ▶ **SKScene** - root node of your scene
- ▶ **SKSpriteNode** - node that draws a rectangular texture, image or color
- ▶ **SKEmitterNode** - node that creates and renders particles

PHYSICS

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- ▶ **SKPhysicsWorld** - encapsulates a scene's physics simulations
 - ▶ Properties such as: **gravity**, **speed**, **contactDelegate**
- ▶ **SKPhysicsBody** - adds physics simulation to a node
 - ▶ Body Type: Circle, Rectangle, Alpha Mask
 - ▶ Nodes have a **physicsBody** property
 - ▶ Properties:
 - ▶ **isDynamic**, **allowsRotation**, **affectedByGravity**, **mass**, **density**, **friction**, **restitution**, **linearDamping**, **angularDamping**
 - ▶ Can be identified using **categoryBitMask**



TOUCHES

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- ▶ Use `UIKit` touch event methods to respond to touches.
 - ▶ `func touchesBegan(_ touches: Set<UITouch>, with event: UIEvent?)`
 - ▶ `func touchesMoved(_ touches: Set<UITouch>, with event: UIEvent?)`
 - ▶ `func touchesEnded(_ touches: Set<UITouch>, with event: UIEvent?)`
- ▶ Uses touches set to get your touches.
 - ▶ `UITouch` contains `location` and `previousLocation` properties
- ▶ Use physics world, `body(at:)` method to determine which object is being touched

COLLISIONS

COLLISIONS AND BIT MASKS

- ▶ Physics bodies also have a `contactTestBitMask`
 - ▶ Provide a bit mask with the bits turned on (1) in each bit that corresponds to the bodies you want to be "notified" when a collision occurs.
 - ▶ Example: ball is interested in brick or bottom collisions

▶ Use bitwise OR:

Bottom	00010	
Brick	00100	
OR	00110	Contact Test Mask

- ▶ When two objects collide the system will use the OR bit mask operation to generate, "collision bit mask"

▶ example: ball and brick collide

Ball	00001	
Brick	00100	
OR	00101	Collision Test Mask

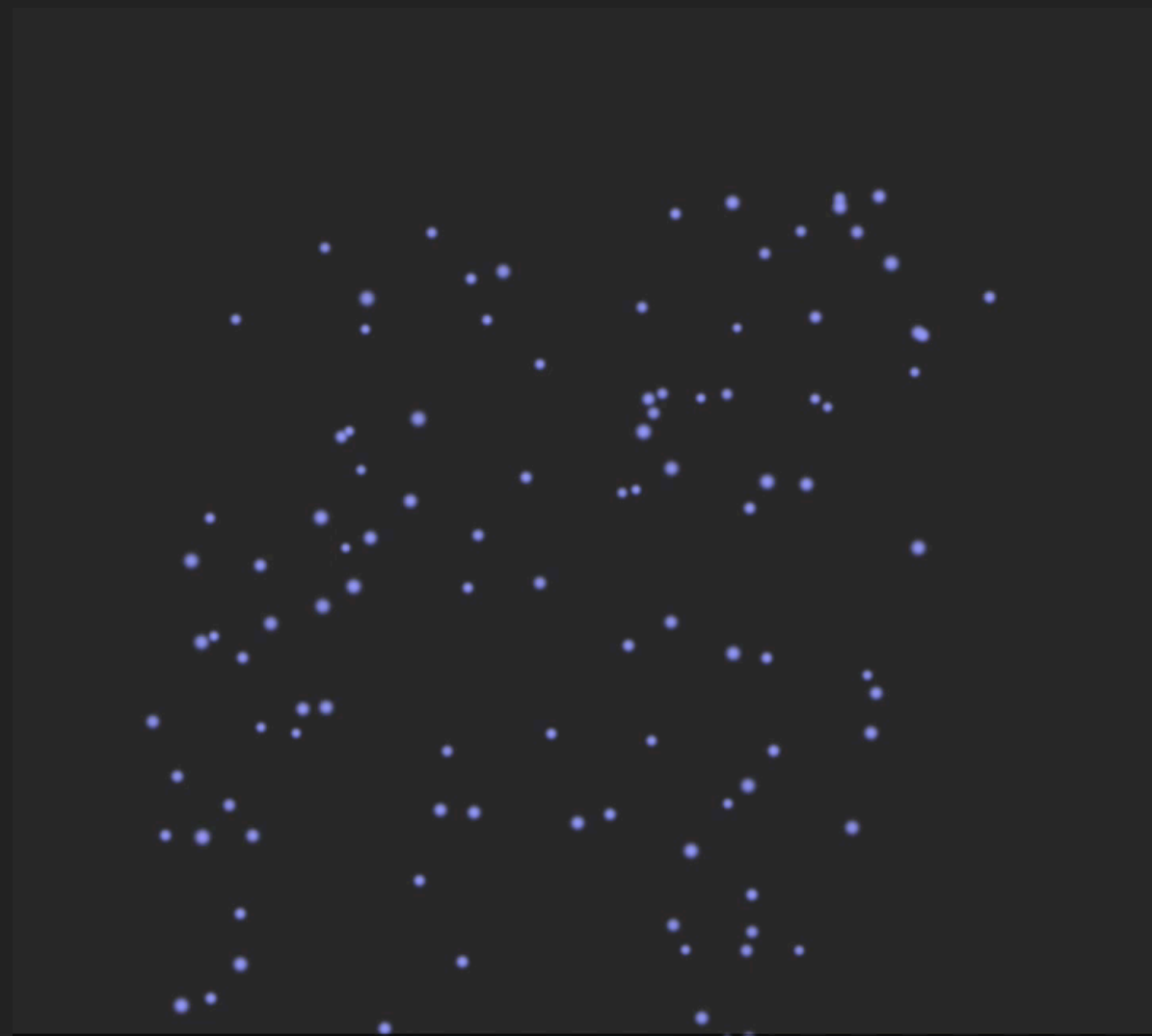
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- ▶ Using the contact test bit mask and the collision test bit mask, the system will use the bit wise AND to verify if the scene should be “notified” of the collision.
 - ▶ For example: Contact **00110**
Collision **00101**
AND **00100**
- ▶ If there is a “1” in any column, the system call the delegate method
 - ▶ `func didBegin(_ contact: SKPhysicsContact)`
- ▶ Using the **SKPhysicsContact** to determine the two bodies that collided, and take the appropriate action
 - ▶ Physics contact contains properties like: **bodyA** & **bodyB**

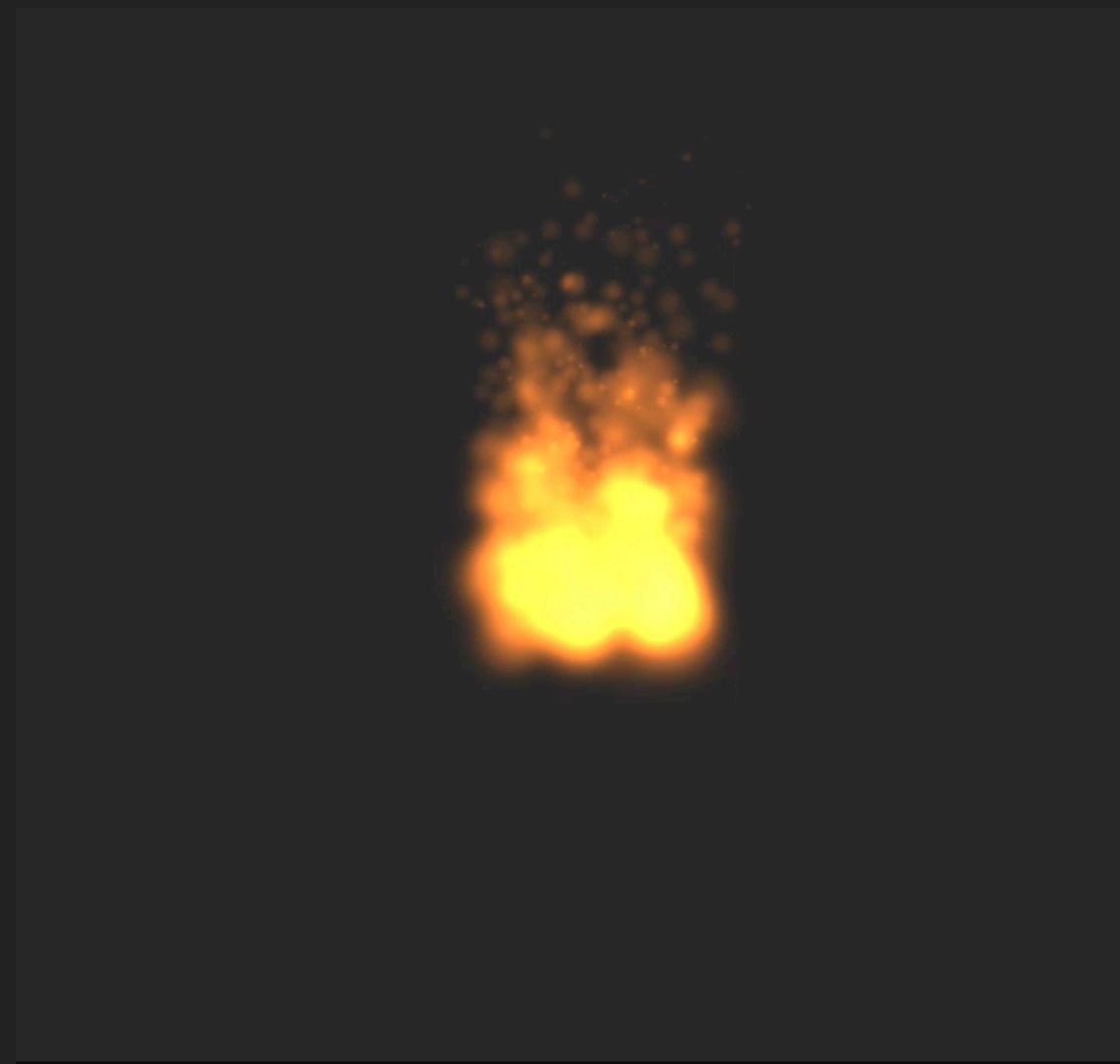
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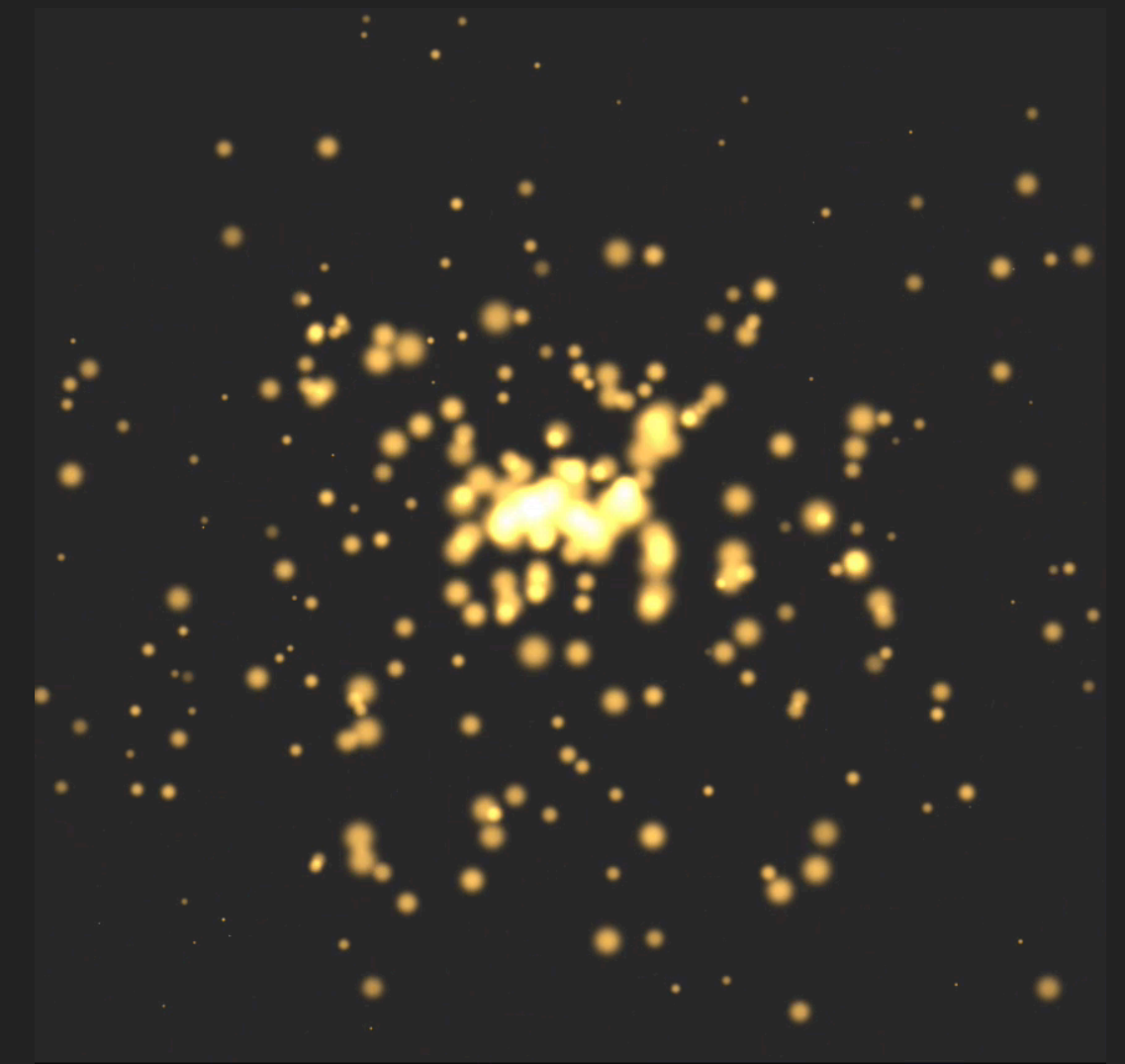
- ▶ **SKEmitterNode** - node that creates and renders particles
- ▶ Several system defaults



Rain



Fire



Spark

PARTICLE EMITTERS

- ▶ `SKEmitterNodes` have properties such as:
 - ▶ `particleLifetime, particleLifetimeRange`
 - ▶ `particlePosition, particlePositionRange`
 - ▶ `particleSpeed, particleSpeedRange`
 - ▶ `emissionAngle, emissionAngleRange`
 - ▶ `particleRotation, particleRotationRange`
 - ▶ `particleTexture`
 - ▶ `particleSize`
 - ▶ `particleBirthRate, numParticlesToEmit`

ACTIONS

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- ▶ **SKActions** are an object that is executed by a node to change its structure or content.
- ▶ Change the node's position, orientation, size, scale
- ▶ Change the node's visibility, textures, colors
- ▶ Play a simple sound
- ▶ Remove a node
- ▶ Call a closure or invoke a selector
- ▶ Or any number of actions above combined into a sequence

ACTIONS

- ▶ Use the `run()` function on a node to execute your action
- ▶ Use “keys” to name your actions and retrieve them or perform the action

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