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## Solitons




$$
u_{i}(t+1)= \begin{cases}1 & \text { if } u_{i}(t)=0 \text { and } \sum_{j=-\infty}^{i-1} u_{j}(t)>\sum_{j=-\infty}^{i-1} u_{j}(t+1) \\ 0 & \text { otherwise }\end{cases}
$$



When people tell me women can't do maths

## 1D Cellular Automata

- Each cell has 2 neighbours

- There are 8 configurations

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## Wolfram's Classification

- Wolfram showed that there are 256 CA
- Rule 0


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- Rule 1

- Rule 2


## Rule 1



One initial black cell evolves like


## Rule 1 Again



- CA can also be written as equations on a state $u_{i}(t)$ where $u_{i}=0$ means white and $u_{i}=1$ means black.
- Rule 1 is then

$$
u_{j}(t+1)=1-\max \left(u_{j-1}(t), u_{j}(t), u_{j+1}(t), 0\right)
$$

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\begin{aligned}
& \text { Rule } 30
\end{aligned}
$$



# After 250 iterations 



Used as a random number generator in Mathematica

## Methods to analyse CA models




FIG. 3 (color). Four snapshots of parts of the lattice configuration for different time steps: (a)-(d) correspond to $5,18,25$
and 200 weeks, respectively. We have adopted the same parameters used in Fig. 2. The color codes for the different states of the cell are the following: healthy=blue, infected-A $1=y$ yellow, infected-A2=green, and dead=red.
from Zorzenon dos Santos et al PRL (2001) 168102

