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Part 2

Experiment with new rules for growth. Determine a rule for the population growth of each critter.

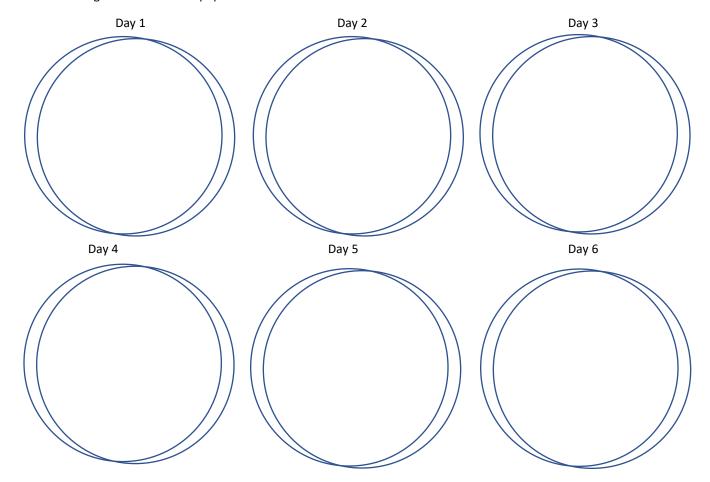
Critter 1	Critter 2	Critter 3
Rule?	Rule?	Rule?

Day	Population
1	1
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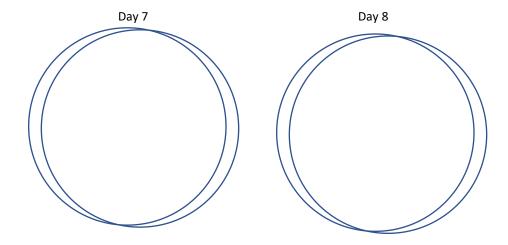
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Show the growth of the total population over time!







Make a line graph showing the population growth of the three critters. Make sure your graph is clear and complete:

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Now it is time to make sense of the percentage of each critter over time:

	Total	Critter 1		Critter 2		Critter 3	
	Population:	Fraction	Percent	Fraction	Percent	Fraction	Percent
Day 1							
Day 2							
Day 3							
Day 4							
Day 5							
Day 6							
Day 7							
Day 8							

Describe any patterns that you notice: