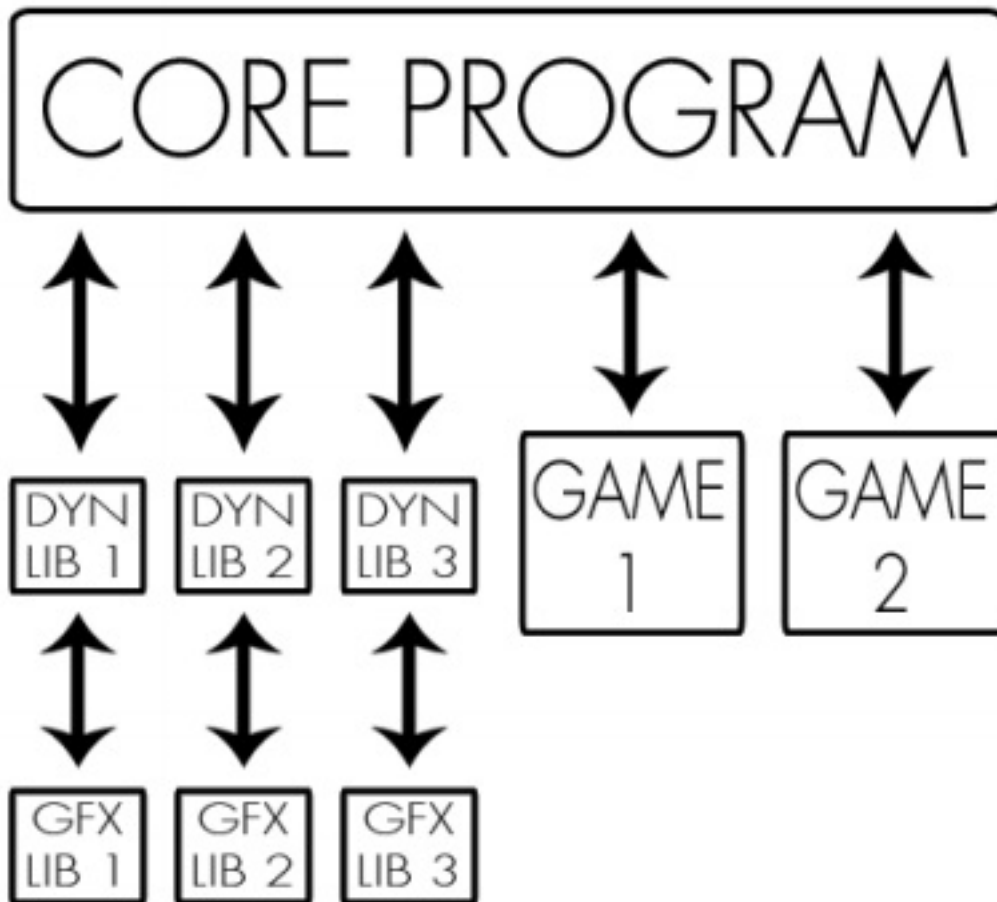


ICore (../core/ICore.hpp)



/!\ ALL ELEMENTS ARE SCOPED IN THE arcade NAMESPACE /!

In our implementation of Core part of the project, the Core (or rather the ICore) acts as a "portal" between the games and the graphic libraries.

It is its role to load all available libraries (games and gfx) at the start of the program.

As it is a "portal", the game loop is meant to be in the games and the ICore has the same methods as the [LibGraph \(./LibGraph.md\)](#) and more, but it does not inherit from it (because it is not a graphic library).

Error cases

If the Core fails to load all available dynamic libraries contained in ./game and ./lib , it will throw a custom exception inheriting from `std::exception` , stopping the execution of the program.

Keybindings

The Core has reserved keybinds to execute specific actions:

- **F1**: Previous graphical library

- **F2**: Next graphical library
- **F3**: Previous game
- **F4**: Next game
- **F5**: Reset game
- **F6**: Return to main menu
- **F7**: Quit arcade

These keybinds are by the Core and are prioritized over the games' ones.

If the Exit , Next Game or Previous Game key is pressed, the Core will ask for the game to stop (through the `IGame::stop()` method) before adding the next game execution to a queue of action (queue of lamdas).

Game scores

Scores are automatically updated and saved at the program's end. A high score is saved per user per game.

All the methods

Our Core class inherits from the `ICore` interface. And, as mentioned previously, the Core serves as a sort of API (a proxy if you will) between the games and graphical libraries for them to interact.

Here are all the methods of the Core (from the `ICore`) that the game has access to:

ICore::loadResource[...]

```
void loadResourceAudio(int id, std::string filepath);
void loadResourceFont(int id, std::string filepath);
void loadResourceImage(int id, std::string filepathGraph, std::string
filepathAscii);
```

These methods loads different types of resources for them to be referred by their ids' later. If an id is already taken the existing resource will be replaced. If a file cannot be loaded, an exception will be thrown, stopping the program.

ICore::resetResource

```
void resetResource();
```

Erases internal resource lists.

ICore::createClock

```
std::unique_ptr<IClock> createClock();
```

Creates an instance of `std::unique_ptr<IClock>`. See [IClock \(./IClock.md\)](#)

ICore::getKeyboardEvents

```
void getKeyboardEvents(std::vector<KeyState> &keys);
```

Takes a vector of KeyState as parameter (see [KeyState \(./KeyState.md\)](#)) which represents the keys you want to check the state of. The method will then set the state of every key in the vector depending on the latest keyboard inputs. **This method will also check if the Core's keybinds were pressed.**

ICore::displayImage

```
void displayImage(int id, int posX, int posY);  
void displayImage(int id, double posX, double posY);
```

Calls the corresponding displayImage method of the current ILibGraph

ICore::displayText

```
void displayText(int id, int posX, int posY, std::string const &text);
```

Calls the displayText method of the current ILibGraph

ICore::playAudio

```
void playAudio(int id, bool repeat = false);
```

Calls the playAudio method of the current ILibGraph

ICore::stopAudio

```
void stopAudio(int id);
```

Calls the stopAudio method of the current ILibGraph

ICore::clear

```
void clear();
```

Calls the clear method of the current ILibGraph

ICore::render

```
void render();
```

Calls the render method of the current ILibGraph

