# **UI/UX Design Document**

## **Overview**

This document will describe the operation of all interfaces and menus. For further details, useful folders and documents will be linked below:

- Flowchart of interfaces (Wireframes)
- References
- UI Sushi (Folder)
- <u>UI Penguin (Folder)</u>
- Figma Prototype

## **UI/UX Rules**

Before uploading any assets, contact the departmental lead or the Game Design department for any corrections to be made

Maintain constant communication between Design and 2D Art departments, especially between UI/UX Designer and UI/UX Artist.

Contact a Programming Lead for any features to be implemented

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## 1.0 General info

**Table** 

- In the linked table, the team can observe the aesthetics of each button and read how it works.

  Subsequently, by continuing in this document, it will be possible to find its application within the game.
- Game Background: There is a fixed background in the game with a pattern that changes with the chosen theme (Sushi, Penguin, Sweet, ...).

## Legenda

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SFX: +placeholder

Animation: +placeholder

### 20 Main Menu

Once the game has opened it will be introduced with a cartoon graphic style menu. The interface in the center of the screen presents a selection button to choose which level has to be played, on the bottom part is located the start button that directly lets the player get into the latest level unlocked. Still on the bottom right side of the screen can be found an icon that once opened will show the roster of skins that are available be **unlocked** via multiple ways like in game and can achievements, using coins or even by collecting stars while beating the various types of levels. On the bottom left of the screen there is the icon for the option where the player can manage the music, sound effects and vibrations of the game plus the chance of changing the language of the game itself based on the player preference. Another small detail that the home screen does show are two icons on the middle right side of the screen:

- Icon for the daily reward that can be claimed after every 24/h reset:
- Icon to gain extra coins by watching ads.

#### 2.1 Main Menu Buttons

- Game Title
- Start Button
- Options Button
- Skin Button
- Level Button

## 3.0 Options/Settings Menu

In this menu, players can manage the **music**, **sound effects** and **vibrations** of the game. <del>plus the chance of **changing** the **language** of the game itself based on the player's preference.</del>

Players can access the listed settings:

- Music: On/Off (By Clicking)
- SFX Audio: On/Off (By Clicking)
- Smartphone Vibration: On/Off (By Clicking)

In addition, players can change the game language.

### 3.1 Options/Settings Menu Buttons

- Music Button
- SFX Audio Button
- Vibration Button

## 3.2 Options/Settings Menu Icons

• Menu Title

## 4.0 Pause Menu

Screen that opens in Overlay when the pause button is clicked. Here players can change some settings, quit the current level or restart it.

#### 4.1 Pause Menu Icons

• Menu Title

#### 4.2 Pause Menu Buttons

- Stages Button
- Restart Button
- Resume Button
- Music: On/Off (By Clicking)
- SFX Audio: On/Off (By Clicking)
- Smartphone Vibration: On/Off (By Clicking)
- Shows Automatic Hint: On/Off: (By Clicking)

## 5.0 Skins/My Sushi Selection Menu

In this menu, players can change the skin of the main character by clicking on the desired skin (if unlocked). Skins can be obtained in the shop menu.

## 5.1 Skins Menu Buttons

- Skin Buttons
- Back Button
- Exit Button

#### 5.2 Skins Menu Icons

• Menu Title

## 6.0 Level/Puzzle/Themes Selection Interface

The **player** can get **access** to all the **levels** inside the game by **pressing** the **Level Button** that is shown on the **center** of the <u>Main Menu</u> screen. Once **opened**, there are going to be **three options** that the play can **interact** with:

- Level: Here the player can choose the difficulty of the levels that they want to play. Each section has a total number of level available, it will start from the beginner difficulty and by progressing it will unlock the other four types which are the intermediate, advanced, expert and master;
- Themes: In this section the player can unlock new levels with the skin theme based on different countries around the world. Thirteen are based on countries while 2 are based on Christmas and Halloween. All of them have exclusive skins for the pawns and for the music themes.

## 6.1 Level Selection Menu Buttons

- Level Category Button
  - Beginner Button
  - Intermediate Button
  - Advanced Button
- Themes Category Button
  - Sushi Theme Button
  - Penguin Theme Button
  - Sweet Theme Button
- Back Button
- Skin/My Sushi Button

## 7.0 Levels List

Once the difficulty has been chosen, the player accesses a list of levels belonging to that category (Beginner, Intermediate, Advanced). Levels will appear locked if they have never been completed, except for the first one which is always unlocked.

To access a specific level, the player only needs to click on it. If the level is locked, the player will not be able to access it. Once all levels in one category are unlocked, the next one is unlocked.

#### 7.1 Levels List Icons

- Difficulty/Category Icon
- Total Levels icon

### 7.2 Levels List Buttons

- Level Button
- Locked Level Button
- Start Button
- Back Button
- Skins Button

## 8.0 Shop Menu (Optional)

In this menu, players will be able to purchase new Hint points and all skins unlockable in the game through coins.

(Skins are however obtainable by continuing through the levels.



#### 8.1 Total Coins

The Shop menu also shows all coins obtained by players through an indicator at the top of the screen.



## 9.0 In-Game HUD

The in-game HUD consists of a series of icons and buttons. The icons show some useful data, while the buttons allow you to activate and access specific functions.

#### 9.1 In-Game icons

- Best Moves
- Moves Counter
- Flowers
- Current Level Indicator
- Tutorial Banner (Only in the first level)

#### 9.2 In-Game Buttons

- Skins Button
- Hint Button
- Reload Button
- Undo Button
- Pause Button

# Feedback System

## 10.0 UI/Menu Animations

#### 10.1 Main Menu Sushi tape Animation

In the main menu, there is an animation in the lower central part of the screen.

The animation has as its main subject a moving tape that moves pieces of sushi from one side of the screen to the other.

#### +PlaySushiTapeAnimation

#### 10.2 Background: Clouds Animation

In Background there is a looped animation of a group of clouds moving from one side of the screen to the other.

#### +PlayCloudsAnimation