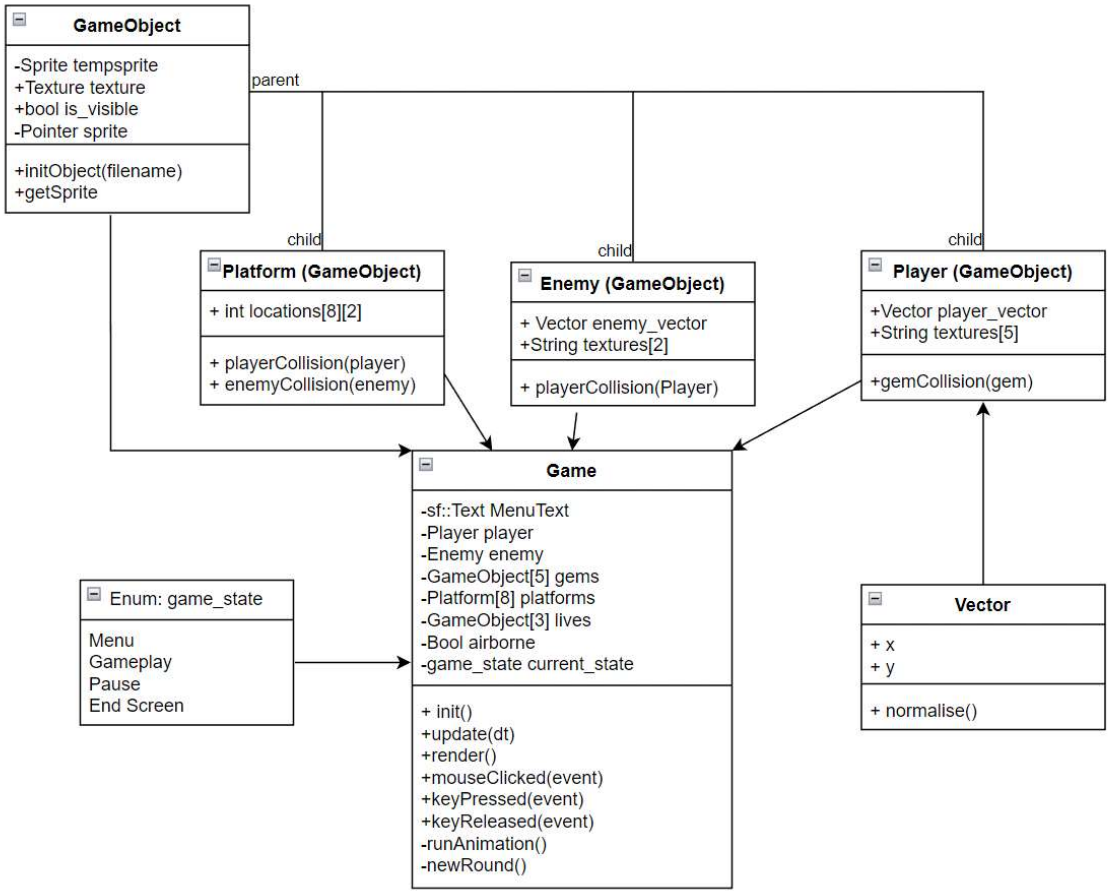
Games in C++
Assignment 2: Platformer

Initial UML Diagram



Movement Pseudocode

Update

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if player.vector.x is not 0:
        move player along x axis (player.vector.x * delta time)

if player.in_air:
        player.y_velocity += gravity
        move player along y axis (player.y_velocity * delta time)

        if player.y_position > ground.y_position:
                player.in_air = false
```

The update function first moves the player along the x axis if the x value of the vector has a value (is not equal to 0) After this it checks whether the player is in the air (jumping) and if so, uses the y_velocity variable to move the player over a curve by adding a gravity variable to it. After moving the player on the y axis, it checks to see if the player is on the ground, and if so, it sets the in air variable to false so the jump code will not run until it is true again.

Key press

```
if button pressed is D:
        player.vector.x = 1
        normalise player vector
else if button pressed is A:
        player.vector.x = -1
        normalise player vector
else if button pressed is Space and player.in_air is false:
        player.in_air = true
        player.y_velocity = -10
```

The first part of the key press function sets the x vector to either 1 or minus 1 depending on whether the input is A or D, and then normalises the vector. If the input is Space and the player is on the ground, it sets the player to be in the air, and sets the y_velocity to –10 so the player can start its jump.

Key released

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if button released is A or D:
        player.vector.x = 0
        normalise player vector
```

The key released function just sets the x value of the vector to 0 and normalises it so the player stops moving.

Final UML Diagram