

# BeatDownValley Game Design Document

Welcome to the heart of lo-fi street brawls. The night never ends. Neither do the punches.

# 1. Game Overview

- Genre: Beat 'Em Up
- Platform: PC, Arcade Machine
- Target Audience: 13+
- Style: Dark, gritty street combat

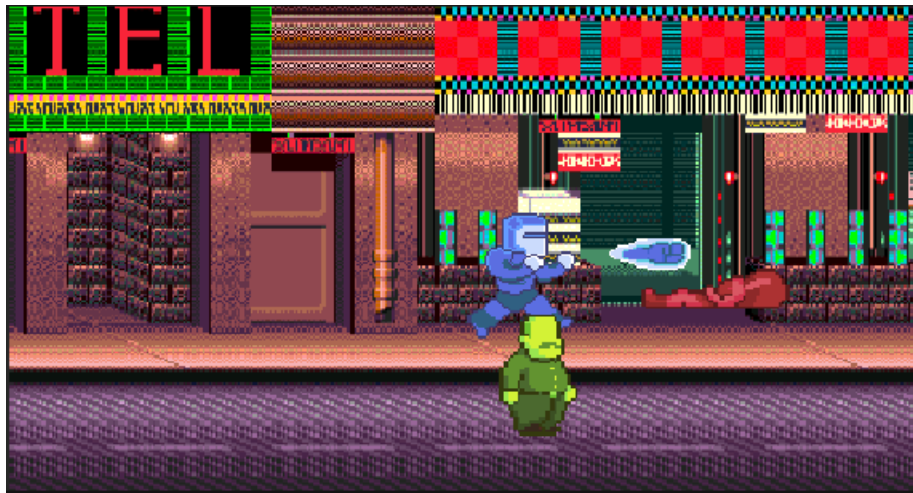
## 2. Theme & Setting

- **Dark city streets** at night, lit by neon signs and broken lamps
- Environments feature graffiti-covered walls, abandoned cars, trash bags
- Rain-soaked pavement with reflections and ambient fog
- Highly stylized pixel art with glowing lights and subtle animations



# 4. Gameplay Mechanics

- - Random gang members
- - Advanced: Armed enemies
- - Bosses at end of the zone
- - Controls: Joystick, A for kicking and B for jumping



## 6. Visual Style

- Detailed **pixel art**, gritty and lo-fi look
- Characters are chunky, stylized, with impactful animations
- Backgrounds have subtle movement (blinking lights, rain, smoke)

# 7. UI

- Main Menu:
  - "PRESS START TO BEATDOWN"
  - Characters silhouetted in front of a city backdrop
- HUD:
  - Health bar
  - Special move bar
  - Combo counter



## 7. Ekstras / Future Plans

- 2-player online co-op mode
- Steam achievements
- Unlockable character skins
- New locations: industrial docks, desert town, zombie-infested night zone



# 7. References

## Map

Streets of Rage

## Music

<https://incompetech.com/music/royalty-free/index.html?isrc=USUAN1100279>

<https://incompetech.com/music/royalty-free/index.html?isrc=USUAN1100796>

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