### Rakushki

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The Dream



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# Game Design

- block-based puzzle game framework
- highly customizable
  - modular design
  - powerups
  - create your own gametype
- multiplayer
  - net play
  - split screen
- build for the web, port to mobile devices

### Process

- maintain a blog
- collaborate using GitHub
  - work independently
  - issue tracking
  - weekly builds
- presentable by Quest
- coding standards

The Reality



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## Game Design

- customizable block-based puzzle game
  - board size
  - colors
- two gametypes built in
- no powerups
- single player only
- works in updated Firefox/Chrome, including mobile

#### Process

- maintained a blog
- collaborated using GitHub
  - worked in lockstep until late in semester
  - issue tracking used sparingly
  - builds made whenever
- 1 week behind Quest
- adhered to most of our coding standards

## Complications

- underestimated development time
- JavaScript
  - undefined == null
  - many different approaches to everything
  - not very compatible with UML diagrams
- CutJS
  - "there's a new JS framework every 5 minutes"
  - in alpha, some experimental features
  - changed its *name* last month
    - StageJS

## Triumphs

- we all learned:
  - git
  - JavaScript
  - to develop software as a group
- made 2 pretty cool games

### Going Back in Time

- use a more standard/stable library
- tone down the scope
- sprints early on



#### Commits over Time

#### Feb 22, 2015 – May 5, 2015

Contributions to master, excluding merge commits





### Additions over Time

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### Deletions over Time

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### Personal Reflections

