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# Introduction

This project is an online version of a board game that has an associated site with information regarding the game and players. In this section readers will find information assisting how to interpret and understand the product.

## Document Purpose

The product this document describes is the boardgame Checkers and website associated with it that we will design. This document is intended to describe the overall system of the product created by our group. This should include the general description of the product itself, how it should behave, and what it must include.

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## Product Scope

This software is a virtual representation of the game Checkers. The goal is to have a fully functioning site in addition to the product that provides context to the software. Our objectives are to implement leaderboards, rules, and the game itself. The benefit of this software is its ability to represent the game as well provide information for users to see.

This software will require access to a machine capable of using the internet on a modern browser, we will be using JSON files to store information such as wins/losses, games played and then updating the associated pages periodically. We plan to solely have an associated username to attach stats to a user and no further data to be provided except that which we extract to create our leaderboard page. The game will be browser based, and feature online multiplayer, as well as being free to play.

## Intended Audience and Document Overview

Intended Audience: Client, Professor, Testers

The rest of the document features a more in-depth description of the product in section 2. Section 3 which focuses on the necessary requirements of the product, section 4 which has listed non-requirements and section 5 which are optional requirements.

The client will want to focus on sections 3 and 4 first as to ensure their expected or unexpected demands are met. For the professor reviewing the entire document from start to finish would be the best course of action save section 5. Testers should read the document in the order of 3,4,5 as they want to ensure the functionality of the product.

## Definitions, Acronyms and Abbreviations

| Term | Definition |
| --- | --- |
| DO | DigitalOcean |
| GRU | Gamers Rise Up |
| Pages | The landing page that is also connected to the leaderboards and game pages. |

## Document Conventions

The document uses Arial font throughout. Sections are written in size 11, with headings bolded, and using size 14. The text is all single spaced, with a 1” margin.

## References and Acknowledgments

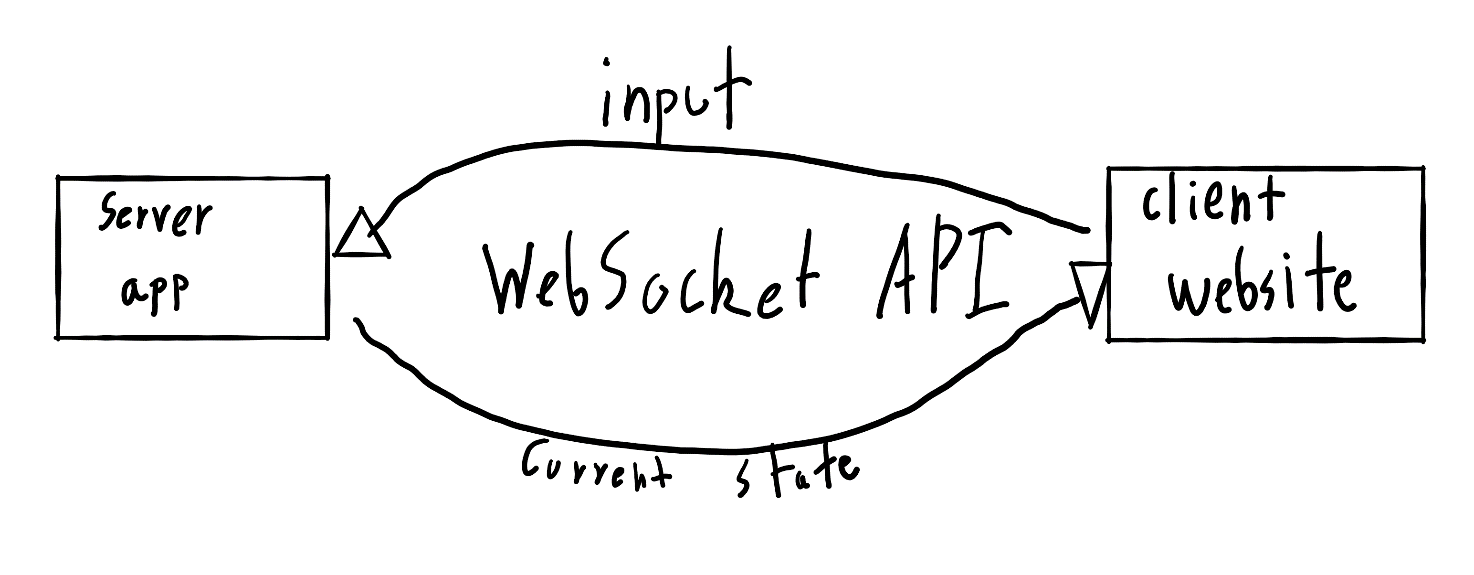
[1] DigitalOcean, Pricing, 03-Feb-2019. [Online]. Available: https://www.digitalocean.com/pricing/. [Accessed: 06-Nov-2020].

[2] M. D. N. Contributors, “The WebSocket API (WebSockets),” MDN Web Docs, 01-Mar-2020. [Online]. Available: https://developer.mozilla.org/en-US/docs/Web/API/WebSockets\_API. [Accessed: 06-Nov-2020].

# Overall Description

## Product Perspective

We wanted to design a simple online game to play with friends. We are taking inspiration from board games, and attempting to apply this to an online setting, to make it easier to engage with. Furthermore, during Covid-19 quarantine, face to face interaction is limited, so creating an online version of the game will allow those who are separated to still play together.

There are a few key pieces of this project. The first is the game itself. This consists of a server, written in Java, which holds all of the logic for the game, and the client page, written in HTML and JavaScript, which simply sends inputs to the server. Both will use the server will work with Java’s sockets, while the client pages will use the WebSocket API to send information [1]. The second is the website. This will consist of all of the webpages that make up the site including the landing page, leaderboard page, and client page.

## Product Functionality

Users will be able to navigate to the landing page and then progress to the game using this page with the start menu to start a match. At this point the user will have had the option to choose to play against either another player or against an automated AI. From the same landing page users will also have access to the other pages that provide stats and data regarding the game consisting of leaderboards and tutorial/rules.

* Will be able to interact and use the game
* Will be able to play against an AI or another User
* Will be able to see statistics and other data regarding the game

## Users and Characteristics

| User | Frequency of Use | Functions Used | Technical Expertise | Access To Source | Education Level | Importance |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Tester | Each phase of development | Current features for testing | Limited/None | No | Any | 3rd |
| Professor | After completion | All | Lots | Yes | Professor | 2nd |
| Client (Player) | After completion | All | Limited/None | No | Any | 1st |

## Operating Environment

The web pages will be hosted on an Ubuntu Apache HTTP server, which will handle connecting clients. The pages should display and function well in most modern browsers (including Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, and Firefox).

The game server will run in Ubuntu, and will be deployed onto a DigitalOcean server.

## Design and Implementation Constraints

The project will use HTML, JavaScript, and Java. The target size of the virtual machine the product will run on is 1 GB of memory, 1 CPU, a 25 GB SSD for storage, and 1 TB of data transfer per month, with a target hosting cost of 5$ a month [2]. We will host the web pages on an Apache2 server on Ubuntu, and the server will be written in Java and run on an Ubuntu. We will be using sockets with the TCP protocol to transfer information. We will not be maintaining software after the final release.

## User Documentation

The product will have a landing page consisting of a brief tutorial on playing the game and connecting to other users. This brief tutorial should provide detail describing the rules and expectations of the game as well as how to interact with the software. It should then have another section dedicated to explaining how to interact with other players with the menus.

## Assumptions and Dependencies

We are assuming that we will be able to host on DigitalOcean using the 5$ tier [2].

# Specific Requirements

## External Interface Requirements

### User Interfaces

The user interface will be the website consisting of

A landing page, with links to leaderboards, and game.

A leaderboard page with a return link to the landing page.

The game, which will consist of two menus:

* The starting menu, which includes options for single or multiplayer. If multiplayer is selected, a box to enter the other clients connect code will be listed, or to host the game.
* The pause menu, which has two options, resume, or exit to landing page.

### Hardware Interfaces

We will be using WebSockets to handle sending and receiving data from the client. The server will be written in Java, and use the standard Socket library [1]. The client will interact with the website using their computer, using the mouse to interact with the game.

### Software Interfaces

The Apache2 server will handle managing the website. Our Java server will use the Java libraries to send and receive information.

### Communications Interfaces

We will be using the WebSocket API to handle sending information from the client webpage to the server, and HTTP to send webpages. The WebSocket API uses TCP for communication, so this is the standard we will be using [1]. As no important user data is being transferred, we will not use any encryption.

## Functional Requirements

* Website
  + Landing Page – The rules and tutorial, and links to the other pages.
  + Leaderboard Page – A list of leaderboards for win/loss ratios by playername
  + Game Page – The client page, that displays the game to the client
    - Packet Handling – Sending and reading information from the server
* Game Server
  + Game Logic – The code for updating the game state
  + Packet Handling – Sending and reading information from the client
  + AI – The ai player logic, for single player mode

## Behavior Requirements

### Use Case View

# Other Non-functional Requirements

## Performance Requirements

Web pages will be served quickly (less than a second).

Applying user’s input should be done quickly (less than a second).

## Safety and Security Requirements

No important user data is being transferred, so we will not be using any encryption methods. As this is a simple project, we will not be designing net code intended to prevent malicious users from cheating.

## Software Quality Attributes

### Usability

The product will adhere to performance requirements; we will focus on writing clean efficient code in order to achieve this. Furthermore, the site will be easily navigable, with large icons that stand out. This means using simplistic graphics, and icons that contrast with the surroundings.

### Testability

The server and client will output logs in text format containing important information (sent/received data, current state of the game) for debugging.

Appendix A – Data Dictionary

*<Data dictionary is used to track all the different variables, states and functional requirements that you described in your document. Make sure to include the complete list of all constants, state variables (and their possible states), inputs and outputs in a table. In the table, include the description of these items as well as all related operations and requirements.>*

Appendix B - Group Log

<Please include here all the minutes from your group meetings, your group activities, and any other relevant information that will assist the Teaching Assistant to determine the effort put forth to produce this document>

3:10 – 5:15, 11/5/20

1:30 – 5:00, 11/6/20