13 Hacker Defense

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Processing

Processing is a flexible software sketchbook built on top of java designed to quickly prototype graphical software.



Runs on a event loop structure

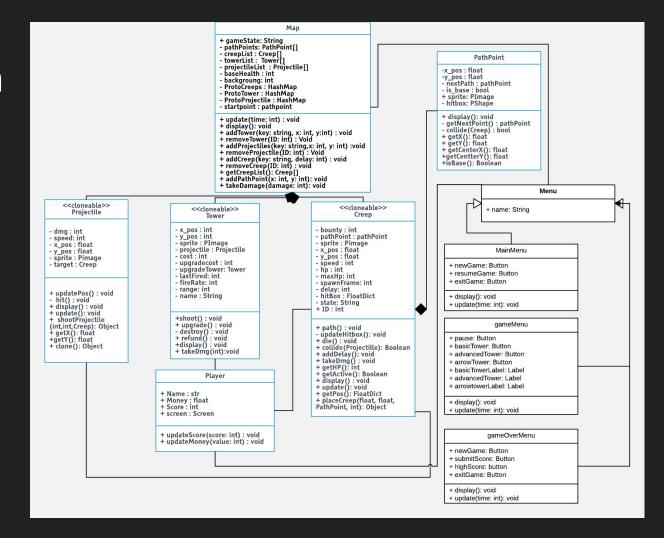
Our Goal

Originally we wanted to do a tower defense game about hacking

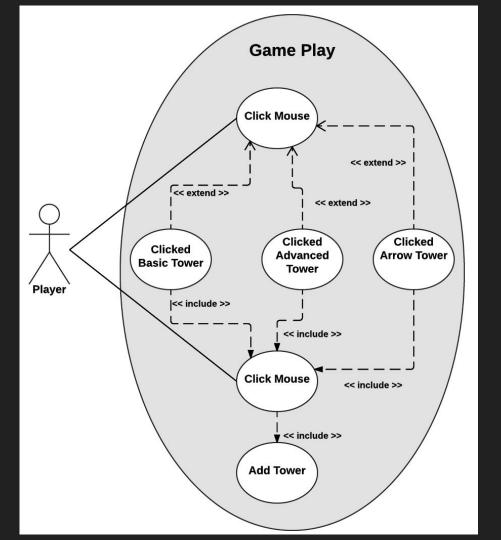
But then we decided to hack together a tower defense game

We wanted an easily extensible backend to create many variations of towers, creep, maps, to make game design easier

Class Diagram



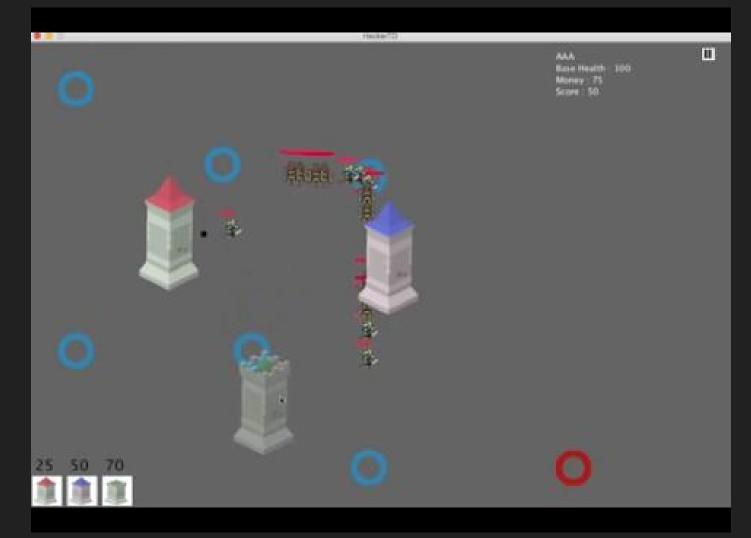
Use Case: Adding Towers



Use Case: Tower Shoots at a Creep



Use Case ID: User-4 Use Case Name: Projectiles in flight The user must be able to see the projectiles as they fly towards their Description: target. The projectiles must track towards their targets. Actors: Projectiles, Creep Pre-conditions: A projectile has been fired by a tower at a specific creep. The projectile's hitbox has interacted with the creep's hitbox Post-conditions: Frequency of Use: Every frame for every projectile Flow of Events: Action Response Creep moves Projectile moves towards it 2. Projectile angle changes Projectile hits creep Variations: Creep reaches base before projectile hits Notes and Issues: Needs to run very fast in order to appear smooth Will likely be interacting with many classes between the draw() function Developer Notes: and the projectile update function



Design Pattern: Prototype

- Problem: We needed to create multiple instances of several objects with multiple instances having the same instance attribute values
- Subclassing wouldn't be good because the only thing changing is the value of the instance variables
- Prototype is a creational pattern that stores a few instantiated 'prototype' instances, which we then clone from

Prototype Implementation

- We define hashmaps in each map that we insert objects with preset values into (towers, creeps, projectiles)
- Each of these classes implements the Cloneable interface
- When we want to instantiate one of them, we have a function we call which creates a shallow copy (clone) of the object, and we set its x and y values to place it
- A few issues
 - The fact clone is a shallow copy led to some issues where instance attributes that were objects ended up pointing
 - Have to re-instantiate each instance attribute object on creation

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Map
                                                           + gameState: String
                                                           - pathPoints: PathPoint[]
                                                           - creepList : Creep[]
                                                           - towerList : Tower[]
                                                           - projectileList : Projectile[]
                                                           - baseHealth : int
                                                           - backgroung: int
                                                          - ProtoCreeps : HashMap
                                                           - ProtoTower : HashMap
                                                           - ProtoProjectile : HashMap
                                                           - startpoint : pathpoint
                                                           + update(time: int): void
                                                           + display(): void
                                                           + addTower(key: string, x: int, y:int) : void
                                                           + removeTower(ID: int) : Void
                                                          + addProjectiles(key: string,x: int, y: int) :void
+ removeProjectile(ID: int) : Void
                                                          + addCreep(key: string, delay: int): void
+ removeCreep(ID: int): void
+ getCreepList(): Creep[]
+ addPathPoint(x: int, y: int): void
                                                           + takeDamage(damage: int): void
    <<cloneable>>
                                                                                                     <<cloneable>>
                                                 <<cloneable>>
       Projectile
                                                                                                          Creep
                                                      Tower
                                           - x_pos: int
                                                                                            - bounty : int
- dmg: int
                                                                                            - pathPoint : pathPoint
                                           - y pos : int
- speed: int
                                           - sprite : PImage
                                                                                            - sprite : Pimage
- x pos: float
                                           - projectile : Projectile
                                                                                            - x pos: float
- y pos : float
                                                                                            - y_pos : float
                                            - cost : int
- sprite : Pimage
                                           - upgradecost : int
                                                                                            - speed : int
- target : Creep
                                           - upgradeTower: Tower
                                                                                            - hp: int
                                           - lastFired: int
                                                                                            - maxHp: int
                                           - fireRate: int
                                                                                            - spawnFrame: int
                                                                                            - delay: int
                                           - range: int
+ updatePos(): void
                                           - name : String
                                                                                            - hitBox : FloatDict
- hit() : void
                                                                                            - state: String
+ display(): void
                                                                                            + ID: int
+ update(): void
                                           +shoot(): void
+ shootProjectile
                                           + upgrade(): void
(int,int,Creep): Object
                                                                                            + path(): void
                                           - destroy(): void
+ refund(): void
+ getX(): float
                                                                                            - updateHitbox(): void
+getY(): float
                                                                                            + die(): void
                                           +display(): void
+ clone(): Object
                                                                                            + collide(Projectille): Boolean
                                           + takeDmg(int):void
                                                                                            + addDelay(): void
                                                                                            + takeDmg(): void
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+ getHP(); int

Play Quick Round

Demo Video Link

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0BwGYWAoSg9ABS2J5Wmkyd0JURTg/view?usp=sharing