ICS3U/C - Final Programming Project

- Create a video game in Pygame using the programming and problem solving techniques introduced in this class; including variables, conditions, loops, lists, functions, and libraries.
- There are a number of options for this final project, with varying levels of difficulty and reward.
- You may use the sample code provided in the Repl classroom to help you develop your project.
- Of your final mark, this project is worth 10% for ICS3U students, and 15% for ICS3C students.
- The marks you attain in the rubric will be *multiplied by the percentage score* you earn below, based on the features you implement in your game.
- The maximum percentage you can attain is 120%.
- You will submit your *code* and all its *image/sound files* on Repl, which will be later downloaded by your teacher for evaluation.
 - You must also submit the *specifications you accomplished "X"-ed off*, in a .txt file.
- You must also update your *development log* on a continual basis.
- It is strongly recommended that you *download Pygame* to your computer. If you're having trouble with this, please see your teacher.

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Compulsory Requirements	Elective Requirements			
70% maximum (80% maximum for 3C):	Easy Bonus (1% addition to the maximum):			
Regular submission	Controller / Joystick (Doesn't run on Repl)			
	Music / Sounds (Doesn't run on Repl)			
80% maximum (90% maximum for 3C):	Seek/flee AI steering behaviour /			
How to play instructions	trigonometric rotation			
Scoring mechanism	Any other low-tier accomplishment*			
Play-again mechanism				
	Medium Bonus (2% addition to the maximum):			
90% maximum (100% maximum for 3C):	Intro menu with four functioning buttons			
All the above	Visual effect (i.e. motion blur, mirror			
Collision detection	effect, light/shadow effect, etc.)			
High score listing and ranking	Power-up mechanic			
Multiplayer	Particle emitter			
	Linear 2D Physics			
<u>95% maximum:</u>	Linear interpolation			
All the above	Pursue/evade AI steering behaviour			
Any one of the medium or hard bonuses	Rotation matrix multiplication and			
	vectors			
<u>100% maximum:</u>	Any other mid-tier accomplishment*			
All the above				
Another medium or hard bonus	Hard Bonus (5% addition to the maximum):			
	CPU Competitors			
	"How to play" tutorial level			
	Rotational 2D Physics			
	Path-finding (Dijkstra, A*)			
	☐ Linked-lists			
	Flocking AI behaviour			
	Spline interpolation			
	Forward kinematics			
	Any other high-tier accomplishment*			

^{*}What qualifies as low, mid, or high tier, is up to the discretion of the teacher.

Rubric

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Program Execution Knowledge/Understanding	Program hardly executes chosen specifications, and is ridden with errors.	Program somewhat executes chosen specifications. Has a notable amount of errors.	Program executes chosen specifications, but with a few errors.	Program effectively executes chosen specifications without any errors.
Algorithms & Data Structures Thinking/Inquiry	Program code is ineffective, irrelevant, repetitive and inefficient.	Program code is effective, however repetitive and inefficient.	Program code is effective, relevant, concise, and efficient.	Program code is effective, relevant, preferable, concise, and highly efficient.
Comments, Documentation, and Naming Conventions Communication	Documentation and comments are sparse. Naming conventions are completely ambiguous.	Documentation, comments, and naming conventions are vague; and have minor spelling and grammar issues.	Documentation, comments, and naming conventions are clear and detailed; without any spelling or grammar issues.	Documentation, comments, and naming conventions are clear and concise. No spelling nor grammar issues.
Game Design and User Interface Application	Game is frustrating and hardly playable. User interface is inconsistent and confusing.	Game is playable, and user interface is usable and consistent.	Game is fun, and user interface is straightforward and understandable.	Game is <i>very</i> fun, and user interface is eloquent and easy to use.