

Tic Tac Toe

Game
Board board List<Player> players Player winner List<Move> moves GameState gameState int currentPlayerIndex

GameState
NOT_STARTED IN_PROGRESS ENDED DRAW

Board
int size List<List<Cell>>

Player
string name

string symbol PlayerType playertype
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Playertype
HUMAN BOT

BotDifficultyLevel
EASY MEDIUM DIFFICULT

BOT
BotDifficultyLevel

Cell
int row int col Player player CellStatus status

CellStatus
FILLED AVAILABLE

Move
Player player cell

We want to treat the Board as a 2D array

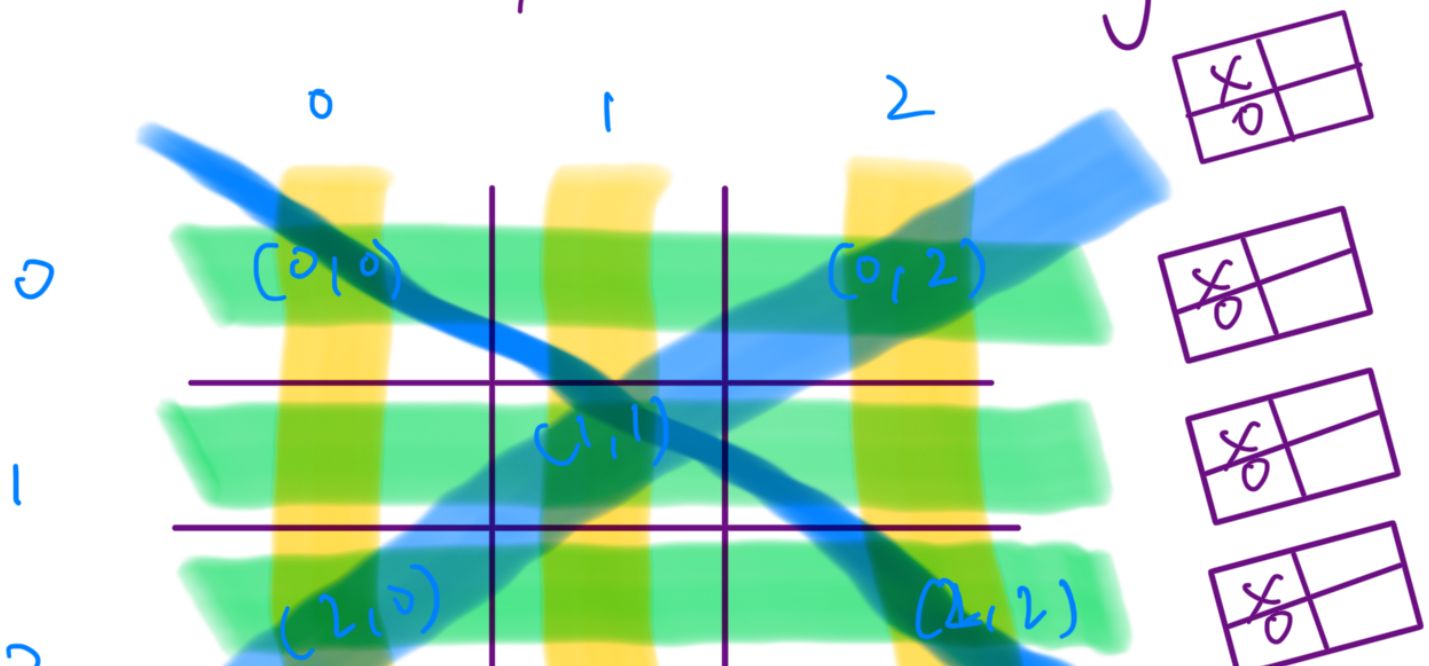
We want to treat the game as a service and the GameController as a controller, also, the Game class acts as a model class as well.

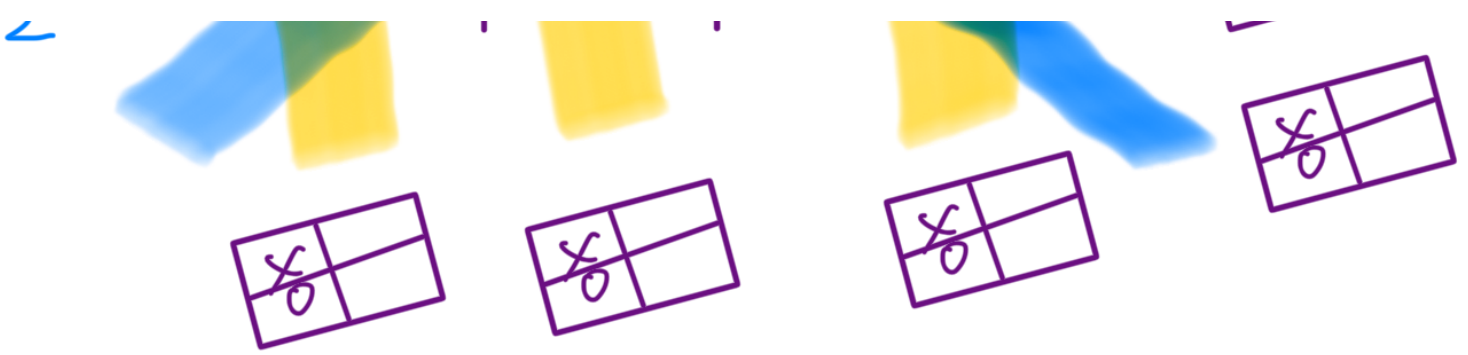
But, when we want to make a move, then, it should be made via a controller, which is a GameController here.

By default, when the cell is initialised, we are making sure that the cellStatus is

So, we create a new Cell, or, do we not create a new cell,

For checking the winner, we can use the strategy design pattern because, there can be multiple ways in which a player can win like row trio, column trio, or even a diagonal trio.





We can maintain a hashmap for each row and column which can find the winner in $O(1)$

Since we call this after every move, we can also update this hashmap then.

Also, we don't need to worry about multiple object creations, we can just restrict only one object creation each for the strategy for a Game.