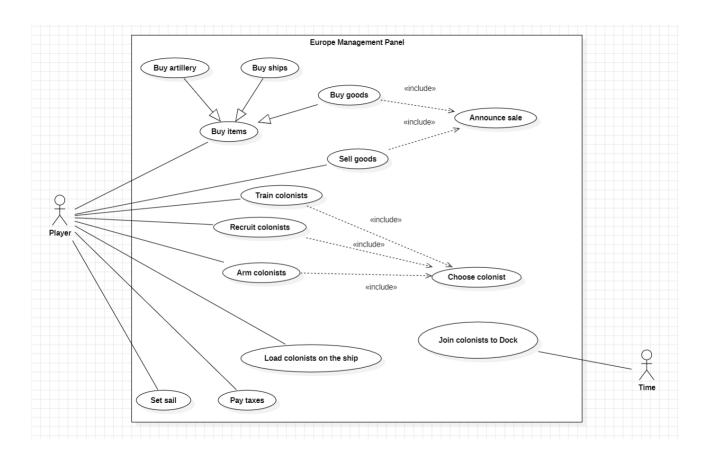
Software Engineering Project

Use Case Diagram

Since *Freecol* game is a very complex system, we decided to divide it in small sub-diagrams. In this report I will be focusing on the interaction between a player and the Europe Panel that he can access when he has a ship on a European port. In that panel, he can do some actions that are represented in the next diagram in the form of use cases. Then I'll proceed to give a small explanation for each Use Case and Actor represented on it.



1. Actors

For this Use Case diagram, I identified two different types of actors that interact with the system:

Player: represents a human or an AI that plays the game.

Time: represents a random period of time that makes new colonists appear on the European panel.

2. Use Cases

Use case: Buy items

ID: 1

Description: The player tries to buy items such as artillery, new ships, or goods from the

market. To buy them, the player must have enough gold.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Buy artillery

ID: 2

Description: The player tries to buy artillery to use on his lands.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Buy goods

ID: 3

Description: The player tries to buy goods (such as food, cotton, lumber,etc) from the market

and load then on his ship.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Buy ships

ID: 4

Description: The player tries to buy ships (such as caravels, galleons, frigates, etc).

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Announce sale

ID: 5

Description: When the player buys or sells goods, appears on the screen a message with information about the sale (the name of the goods being purchased/sold, quantity, price).

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Sell goods

ID: 6

Description: The player can sell the goods that are on his boat to the market and make money

from it.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Train colonists

ID: 7

Description: The player can train a colonist to become an expert unit to then embark on his

ship. To do it, the player must choose a colonist and pay for it.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None Use case: Recruit colonists

ID: 8

Description: The player can recruit a colonist from the New World to then embark on his ship.

To do it, the player must choose a colonist and pay for it.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Arm colonists

ID: 9

Description: The player can arm a colonist with tools. To do it, the player must pay for tools and

then choose a colonist from the dock to arm with it.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Load colonists on the ship

ID: 10

Description: The player can move colonists from the dock to the ships that are in European

port.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Pay taxes

ID: 11

Description: The player can pay taxes from boycotted goods allowing him to then sell his

previous boycotted goods on the market.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Set sail

ID: 12

Description: The player can remove his ship from the European port to the ocean for sailing.

Main actor: Player Secondary actors: None

Use case: Join colonists to Dock

ID: 13

Description: The time makes colonists appear on the Dock panel. The player can then decide if

he wants to load them on his ship.

Main actor: Time

Secondary actors: None