

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

A. Details of designed prompts

The practical prompt consists of four parts including **Instruction**, **Level**, **Grammar** and **Example**, as explained in Sec. III-B of the main manuscript. By combining different parts, we get seven prompts, denoted in Tab. I. Such combinations help examine the contribution of each part.

1) Instruction prompt:

Please create a VGDL representation for a maze game. Please create a game level as well.

2) Level prompt:

Use "W" to represent walls, "A" for the avatar, and "G" for the goal.

3) Grammar: There are three grammar prompts, namely Base, C_1 and C_2 .

a) Base prompt:

A game is defined by two separate components, the level description, which essentially describes the positions of all objects and the layout of the game in 2D (i.e., the initial conditions), and the game description proper, which describes the dynamics and potential interactions of all the objects in the game. The level description is simply a text string/file with a number of equal-length lines, where each character maps to (read: instantiates) one or more objects at the corresponding location of the rectangular grid.

The game description is composed of four blocks of instructions.

The LevelMapping describes how to translate the characters in the level description into (one or more) objects, to generate the initial game state. For example, each "1" spawns an object of the "monster" class. The SpriteSet defines the classes of objects used, all of which are defined in the ontology, and derive from an abstract VGDLSprite class. Object classes are organized in a tree (using nested indentations), where a child class will inherit the properties of its ancestors. For example, there are two subclasses of avatars, one where Link possesses the key and one where he does not. Furthermore, all class definitions can be augmented by keyword options. For example, the "key" and "goal" classes differ only by their color and how they interact.

The InteractionSet defines the potential events that happen when two objects collide. Each such interaction maps two object classes to an event method (defined in the ontology), possibly augmented by keyword options. For example, swords kill monsters, monsters kill the avatar (both subclasses), nobody is allowed to pass through walls, and when Link finds a "key" object, the avatar class is transformed.

The TerminationSet defines different ways by which the game can end, each line is a termination criterion, different criteria are available through the ontology and can be further specialized with keyword options. Here, it is sufficient to capture the goal (bring the sprite counter of the "goal" class to zero) to win. What permits the descriptions to be so concise is an underlying ontology which defines many high-level building blocks for games, including the types of physics used (continuous, or grid based, friction, gravity, etc.), movement dynamics of objects (straight or random motion, player-control, etc.) and interaction effects upon object collisions (bouncing, destruction, spawning, transformation, etc.).

Here is the grammar:

```
<game> ::= game_class <eol> INDENT <level-block> <sprite-block> <interaction-block> <termination-block>
<level-block> ::= LevelMapping <eol> INDENT { <char-map> NEWLINE } DEDENT
<sprite-block> ::= SpriteSet <eol> INDENT { <sprite-def> NEWLINE } DEDENT
<interaction-block> ::= InteractionSet <eol> INDENT { <interaction-def> <eol> } DEDENT
<termination-block> ::= TerminationSet <eol> INDENT { <termination-def> <eol> } DEDENT
<char-map> ::= CHAR " textgreater " <sprite-type> { " " <sprite-type> }
<sprite-def> ::= <sprite-simple> [ <eol> INDENT { <sprite-def> <eol> } DEDENT ]
<sprite-simple> ::= <sprite-type> " textgreater " [ sprite class ] { " " <option> }
<interaction-def> ::= <sprite-type> <sprite-type> " textgreater " interaction method { " " <option> }
<termination-def> ::= termination class { " " <option> }
<eol> ::= { " " } [ "#" { CHAR | " " } ] NEWLINE
<option> ::= IDENTIFIER "=" ( <sprite-type> | evaluable )
```

```
<sprite-type> ::= IDENTIFIER | "avatar" | "wall" | "EOS"
```

b) C₁ prompt:

In the grammar, the sprite classes you can choose are 'MovingAvatar', 'Immovable'. The interaction methods you can choose are 'killSprite', 'stepBack'. When using 'killSprite', follow the format '<Sprite To Be Killed> <Sprite Not To Be Killed> > killSprite'. The termination classes you can choose are 'SpriteCounter'. When using 'SpriteCounter', follow the format 'SpriteCounter type=<Your Sprite Type> limit=<The number of your sprite type> win=<True/False>'.

c) C₂ prompt:

In the grammar, the sprite classes you can choose are 'MovingAvatar', 'Immovable'. The interaction methods you can choose are 'removeSprite', 'stepBack'. When using 'removeSprite', follow the format '<Sprite Not To Be Removed> <Sprite To Be Removed> > removeSprite'. The termination classes you can choose are 'SpriteCounter'. When using 'SpriteCounter', follow the format 'SpriteCounter type=<Your Sprite Type> limit=<The number of your sprite type> win=<True/False>'.

4) Example prompt: A classic game Aliens is provided as the VGDL example.

I am going to provide a template for your output.
The template is based on the game Aliens.

```
'''
BasicGame
  SpriteSet
    background > Immovable
    base > Immovable color=WHITE
    avatar > FlakAvatar stype=sam
    missile > Missile
      sam > orientation=UP color=BLUE singleton=True
      bomb > orientation=DOWN color=RED speed=0.5
    alien > Bomber stype=bomb prob=0.01 cooldown=3 speed=0.8
      alienGreen > speed=0.8
      alienBlue > speed=0.8
    portal > invisible=True
      portalSlow > SpawnPoint stype=alienBlue cooldown=16 total=20
      portalFast > SpawnPoint stype=alienGreen cooldown=12 total=20

  LevelMapping
    . > background
    0 > background base
    1 > background portalSlow
    2 > background portalFast
    A > background avatar

  TerminationSet
    SpriteCounter stype=avatar limit=0 win=False
    MultiSpriteCounter stype1=portal stype2=alien limit=0 win=True

  InteractionSet
    avatar EOS > stepBack
    alien EOS > turnAround
    missile EOS > killSprite

    base bomb > killBoth
    base sam > killBoth scoreChange=1

    base alien > killSprite
    avatar alien > killSprite scoreChange=-1
    avatar bomb > killSprite scoreChange=-1
    alien sam > killSprite scoreChange=2
'''
```

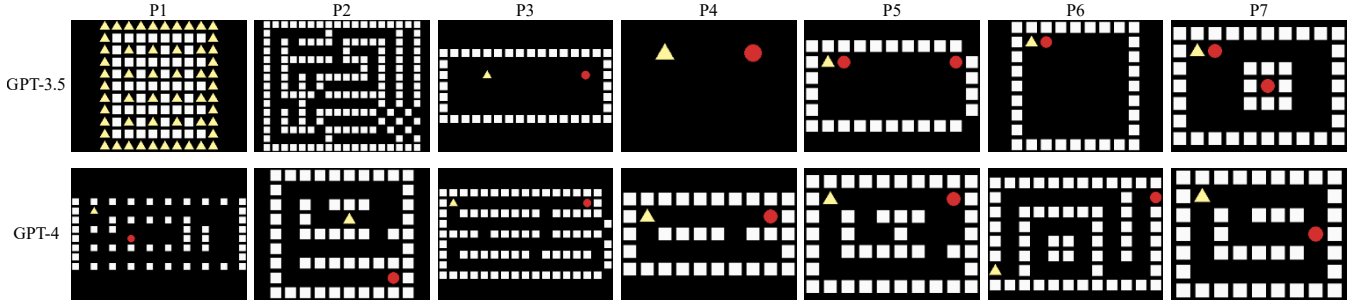


Fig. 1: Levels generated by GPT-3.5 and GPT-4. The first row is the levels generated by GPT-3.5. The second row is the levels generated by GPT-4. The yellow triangles represent players. The white squares represent walls. The red circles represent the target.

B. Extended results

Tab. I presents errors during generating games. In “unparsable” cases, there could be keyword and syntax errors. “Component”, “Interaction” and “Termination” are logical “Illogical” errors. “No level”, “Place”, “Mapping” and “Sprite” are “Unmappable” errors. They happen when mapping characters to sprites. “Place” denotes that the level is in the wrong place of VGDL text and thus can not be recognised by the engine. “Mapping” denotes wrong level mapping between rules and levels. “Sprite” means that some vital sprites are missing in the generated level. It is easily observed from Tab. I that only GPT-4 with P_7 can generate games where both rules and levels are correct. However, Gemma 7B fails to generate either correct rules or levels for all prompts.

TABLE I: Errors in generated rules and levels via LLMs among 10 trials. $G/R/L/W$ denotes that both rule and level are correct, correct rule but wrong level, wrong rule but correct level, and neither of them is correct.

LLM		Unparsable		Component	Illogical Interaction	Termination	No level	Unmappable			Correct $G/R/L/W$
		Keyword	Syntax					Place	Mapping	Sprite	
GPT-3.5	P_1	6	4	9	3	1	0	4	9	1	0 / 0 / 1 / 9
	P_2	2	6	7	6	1	0	1	4	2	0 / 0 / 4 / 6
	P_3	3	5	0	10	2	0	3	3	0	0 / 0 / 7 / 3
	P_4	0	0	0	10	2	0	0	3	0	0 / 0 / 7 / 3
	P_5	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	2	2	4 / 1 / 5 / 0
	P_6	0	1	0	10	0	1	0	0	1	0 / 0 / 8 / 2
	P_7	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	1	1 / 0 / 9 / 0
GPT-4	P_1	3	4	0	10	0	0	0	1	1	0 / 0 / 8 / 2
	P_2	1	1	1	10	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0 / 10 / 0
	P_3	1	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0 / 10 / 0
	P_4	0	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0 / 0 / 10 / 0
	P_5	1	1	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	8 / 0 / 2 / 0
	P_6	0	0	0	10	0	0	1	0	0	0 / 0 / 9 / 1
	P_7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10 / 0 / 0 / 0
Gemma 7B	P_1	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_2	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_3	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_4	0	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_5	0	10	0	-	-	0	0	0	0	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_6	4	2	0	6	6	0	1	0	0	0 / 0 / 0 / 10
	P_7	10	3	0	-	-	4	0	1	1	0 / 0 / 0 / 10

C. Outputs of LLMs

The outputs of LLMs including GPT-3.5, GPT-4 and Gemma 7B in terms of P_1 , P_2 , P_3 , P_4 , P_5 , P_6 and P_7 are summarised in this section. The rendered game levels are shown in Fig. 1.

1) *Output of GPT-3.5:* Seven representative outputs of GPT-3.5 via seven prompts are present below.

a) Output of GPT-3.5 via P_1 :

VGDL (Video Game Description Language) is a domain-specific language used for describing 2D video games. Here's a simple VGDL representation for a maze game along with a sample game level:

```
'''python
BasicGame
    SpriteSet
        wall > Immovable
        player > MovingAvatar
        goal > Immovable
    LevelMapping
        # represents the game level layout
        0 > wall
        1 > player
        2 > goal
    TerminationSet
        SpriteCounter stype=player limit=0 win=True
        SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=False
'''
```

This VGDL description defines a basic maze game with three types of sprites: wall, player, and goal. The player can move around the maze, the goal is where the player must reach, and walls are obstacles that cannot be traversed. The game terminates when either the player sprite is eliminated (indicating the player lost) or when all goal sprites are eliminated (indicating the player won).

Here's a simple game level represented using numbers where 0 represents walls, 1 represents the player's starting position, and 2 represents the goal:

```
'''
1111111111
1000000001
1010101011
1000000001
1010101011
1000000001
1010101011
1000000001
1010101011
1000000001
1111111111
'''
```

This level creates a maze where the player (1) starts at the top left corner and must navigate to the goal (2) at the bottom right corner while avoiding walls (0).

b) Output of GPT-3.5 via P_2 :

VGDL (Video Game Description Language) is a framework for describing 2D video games. Below is a VGDL representation for a simple maze game, along with a sample game level.

```
'''plain
BasicGame
    SpriteSet
        wall > Immovable
            color=GREY
        avatar > MovingAvatar
            speed=1
            cooldown=0
            color=BLUE
        goal > Immovable
            color=YELLOW
    TerminationSet
        SpriteCounter stype=avatar limit=0 win=True
    LevelMapping
        W=wall
        A=avatar
        G=goal
'''
```

This VGDL code defines a simple maze game with an avatar (player), walls, and a goal. The objective is for the avatar to reach the goal while navigating through the maze.

Now, let's create a sample game level using the provided VGDL representation:

```
'''plain
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
W      W      W
W  A      G  W
W      W      W
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

In this game level:

- "W" represents walls, forming a maze structure.
- "A" represents the avatar, starting position of the player.
- "G" represents the goal, where the player needs to reach.
- Empty spaces represent open areas where the player can move.

You can adjust the maze layout and size as desired within the VGDL framework.

c) *Output of GPT-3.5 via P_3 :*

Here's a VGDL representation for a maze game along with a sample game level:

```
```\vgdl
BasicGame
 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal

 SpriteSet
 avatar > MovingAvatar
 wall > Immovable
 goal > Immovable

 InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
 avatar goal > killSprite

 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0
```\
```

Sample Game Level:

```
```\
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
W W
W A G W
W W
W W
W W
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
```\
```

In this representation:

- ****LevelMapping****: Describes how characters in the level file translate into objects in the game. Here, 'W' represents walls, 'A' represents the avatar, and 'G' represents the goal.
- ****SpriteSet****: Defines the classes of objects used in the game. In this case, we have the avatar (MovingAvatar), walls (Immovable), and the goal (Immovable).
- ****InteractionSet****: Describes potential interactions between objects. The avatar interacts with walls by stepping back when colliding with them and kills the goal when reaching it.
- ****TerminationSet****: Defines how the game can end. In this case, the game ends when the sprite counter for the goal reaches zero, indicating the goal has been reached.

d) Output of GPT-3.5 via P_4 :

Here's a VGDL representation for a maze game along with a sample game level:

```
```plaintext
BasicGame
 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > MovingAvatar
 G > goal
 SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable
 MovingAvatar > MovingAvatar
 goal > Immovable color=GREEN
 InteractionSet
 MovingAvatar wall > stepBack
 MovingAvatar goal > killSprite
 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
```
```

Sample game level:

```
```plaintext
#####
#A# #G#
#
#
#
#####
```
```

In this representation:

- The avatar (A) is controlled by the player and can move in the maze.
- Walls (W) are immovable objects that block the avatar's path.
- The goal (G) is the destination the avatar needs to reach to win the game.
- When the avatar collides with a wall, it steps back.
- When the avatar reaches the goal, it is removed from the game.
- The game is won when the counter of goal sprites reaches zero.

e) Output of GPT-3.5 via P_5 :

Here's a VGDL representation for a maze game along with a simple game level:

```
``plaintext
BasicGame
  LevelMapping
    W > Immovable
    A > MovingAvatar
    G > Immovable
  SpriteSet
    MovingAvatar > avatar
    Immovable > wall
  InteractionSet
    avatar wall > stepBack
    avatar wall > removeSprite
    avatar goal > removeSprite
  TerminationSet
    SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
````
```

And a sample game level:

```
``plaintext
#####
#A W #
#
W
#
G
#####
````
```

In this representation:

- 'LevelMapping' maps the characters in the level description to sprite classes.
- 'SpriteSet' defines the classes of objects used, such as the avatar and walls.
- 'InteractionSet' specifies what happens when certain objects collide. Here, the avatar interacts with walls and the goal.
- 'TerminationSet' defines the condition for winning the game, which is when the goal sprite counter reaches zero.

The sample game level consists of walls represented by "W", the avatar represented by "A", and the goal represented by "G".

f) Output of GPT-3.5 via P_6 :

```
````
BasicGame
 SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable
 avatar > MovingAvatar speed=0.1
 goal > Immovable
 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal
 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
 InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
 avatar goal > killSprite
````
```

And here's a sample level for the maze game:

```
````
WWWWWWWWWWW
WAG GW
W W
W W
W W
WWWWWWWWWWW
```



'''

*g) Output of GPT-3.5 via  $P_7$ :*

Here's the VGDL representation for a maze game along with a sample game level:

```
'''plaintext
BasicGame
 SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable
 avatar > MovingAvatar

 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal

 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True

 InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
'''
```

Sample game level:

```
'''
WWWWWWWWWW
WAG W
W WWW W
W WGW W
W WWW W
W W
WWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

In this game, the avatar ('A') navigates through the maze to reach the goal ('G'), while avoiding the walls ('W'). The goal of the game is to reach the goal position.

2) *Output of GPT-4*: Seven representative outputs of GPT-4 via seven prompts are present below.

a) *Output of GPT-4 via  $P_1$* :

Creating a Video Game Description Language (VGDL) representation for a maze game involves defining the game's rules, mechanics, and the level layout in a structured format that can be understood by a game engine or framework designed to interpret VGDL scripts. Let's start by defining the VGDL for a simple maze game where the player's objective is to navigate through a maze to reach a goal. In this game, walls block the player's path, and the player needs to find a way to the goal avoiding dead ends.

### VGDL Game Description

The VGDL game description consists of two parts: the game definition and the level map. First, we'll outline the game definition, which includes the game's sprite set, interaction set, and termination conditions.

#### Sprite Set

Defines the game objects.

```plaintext

SpriteSet

avatar > MovingAvatar

goal > Immovable

winGoal > goal

wall > Immovable

```

#### Interaction Set

Defines how game objects interact with each other.

```plaintext

InteractionSet

avatar wall > stepBack # The player cannot pass through walls

avatar winGoal > killSprite # When the player reaches the goal, the level is won

```

#### Termination Conditions

Defines the conditions under which the game ends.

```plaintext

TerminationSet

SpriteCounter stype=winGoal limit=0 win=True # Win when all winGoals are reached

```

#### Level Mapping

Defines the characters used in the level map to represent game objects.

```plaintext

LevelMapping

G > winGoal

W > wall

A > avatar

```

### Level Design

Now, let's create a simple level for our maze game. In the level map, 'W' represents walls, 'A' the player's starting position, and 'G' the goal.

```plaintext

Level

WWWWWWWWWW

WA GW

W WWWWW WW

W W

WWWWWWWWWW

```

In this level, the player ('A') starts near the bottom left corner and needs to navigate through the maze to reach the goal ('G') at the far right.

This basic VGDL representation and level design for a maze game provides a straightforward maze exploration challenge. You can extend this by adding more complex mazes, additional game mechanics (like keys to unlock doors, enemies, or time limits), and varied level designs to enhance the gameplay experience. VGDL is flexible and allows for a wide range of game types and mechanics to be described and implemented.

## b) Output of GPT-4 via $P_2$ :

To design a Video Game Description Language (VGDL) representation for a simple maze game along with a game level, we'll follow the basic structure of VGDL, which involves defining the game's sprite set, level mapping, and the interactions. VGDL is used in research and education to quickly prototype and study games.

### ### VGDL Representation of the Maze Game

In a VGDL file, the game is typically divided into several sections: 'SpriteSet', 'LevelMapping', 'InteractionSet', and 'TerminationSet'. Here's a simple example:

#### #### SpriteSet

Defines the game objects.

```
'''
SpriteSet
 Wall > Immovable
 Avatar > MovingAvatar
 Goal > Passive
'''
```

#### #### LevelMapping

Defines what characters in the level map to which sprites.

```
'''
LevelMapping
 W > Wall
 A > Avatar
 G > Goal
'''
```

#### #### InteractionSet

Defines the interactions between objects. For a simple maze game, we might have the avatar win upon reaching the goal, and nothing happens upon touching walls.

```
'''
InteractionSet
 Avatar wall > stepBack
 Avatar goal > win
'''
```

#### #### TerminationSet

Defines the conditions under which the game can end.

```
'''
TerminationSet
 Goal collected > win
'''
```

### ### Example Game Level

For the game level, you use a grid of characters where "W" represents walls, "A" the avatar, and "G" the goal. Here's a simple level example:

```
'''
WWWWWWWWWW
W W
W W WWW W
W W A W
W WWWWW WW
W W
W WWWWWWWWW
W GW
WWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

This level structure creates a maze with walls ("W"), an avatar starting position ("A"), and a goal ("G"). The avatar must navigate through the maze to reach the goal.

Combining these elements, you would have a basic VGDL description and a level for a simple maze game. To implement this game, you would use a VGDL parser or engine that can interpret these definitions and run the game accordingly.

c) Output of GPT-4 via  $P_3$ :

Given the guidelines for VGDL, let's create a simple maze game. This game will feature an avatar that the player controls, walls that form the maze, and a goal the player aims to reach. The level design will reflect these elements, ensuring there are paths for the avatar to navigate through the maze to reach the goal.

### VGDL Game Description

```
Game Description (MazeGame.vgdl):
'''
```

```
BasicGame
 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal
 SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable color=GRAY
 avatar > MovingAvatar
 goal > Passive color=GOLD
 InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
 avatar goal > killSprite
 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
'''
```

**\*\*Explanation:\*\***

- **\*\*LevelMapping:\*\*** Maps the characters 'W', 'A', and 'G' to wall, avatar, and goal sprites, respectively.
- **\*\*SpriteSet:\*\*** Defines the objects in the game. Walls are immovable and gray, representing the maze's barriers. The avatar is a moving sprite controlled by the player. The goal is a passive, gold-colored object the player aims to reach.
- **\*\*InteractionSet:\*\*** Defines interactions between sprites. If the avatar collides with a wall, it must step back, preventing it from passing through walls. When the avatar reaches the goal, the goal sprite is removed from the game.
- **\*\*TerminationSet:\*\*** The game ends when the number of goal sprites reaches zero, indicating the player has reached the goal, winning the game.

### Level Design

```
Level Layout (MazeLevel.txt):
'''
```

```
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
WA GW
W WWWWWWWW WWWWW
W W
WWWW WWWWW WWWWW
W W
W WWWWWWWW WWWWW W
W W
WWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

**\*\*Explanation:\*\***

- **\*\*W:\*\*** Represents walls that form the boundaries and internal maze structure.
- **\*\*A:\*\*** The starting position of the avatar.
- **\*\*G:\*\*** The goal's position, which the avatar aims to reach.

This simple maze game and level design follow the VGDL principles, providing a clear distinction between static and interactive elements within the game. The layout ensures there's a clear objective, with challenges presented by the maze structure that the player must navigate through.

*d) Output of GPT-4 via  $P_4$ :*

Let's create a simple VGDL representation for a maze game along with a game level. In this example, the maze will have walls, an avatar the player controls, and a goal to reach. The VGDL game description will include four main blocks as per the provided grammar: LevelMapping, SpriteSet, InteractionSet, and TerminationSet. Here is how these components can be assembled:

```
VGDL Game Description
```

```
```yaml
BasicGame
  LevelMapping
    W > wall
    A > avatar
    G > goal
  SpriteSet
    wall > Immovable
    avatar > MovingAvatar
    goal > Immovable
  InteractionSet
    avatar wall > stepBack
    avatar goal > killSprite
  TerminationSet
    SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
```
```

This game description outlines the basic components of our maze game. The 'LevelMapping' section defines the characters for walls, the avatar, and the goal. The 'SpriteSet' section classifies these characters into sprite classes, with walls and the goal being immovable objects, while the avatar is a moving object that the player controls. The 'InteractionSet' specifies that the avatar cannot pass through walls (it will step back upon collision), and touching the goal will "kill" the goal sprite, which is how the player wins the game. The 'TerminationSet' defines the win condition as eliminating all goal sprites from the level.

```
Game Level
```

Here is a simple level for this game. The level layout uses "W" for walls, "A" for the avatar's starting position, and "G" for the goal. The level is a simple maze that the player must navigate through to reach the goal.

```
```
WWWWWWWWWW
WA      GW
W  WWW  WWW
W      W
WWWWWWWWWW
```
```

In this level, the avatar starts near the top-left corner and must navigate through the maze to reach the goal on the right side. Walls are placed to create a path that the avatar must follow to reach the goal. This layout can be easily modified to create more complex mazes or different game experiences.

*e) Output of GPT-4 via  $P_5$ :*

Let's create a simple VGDL description for a basic maze game along with a level layout that follows the rules you've provided.

```
VGDL Game Description
```

```
BasicGame
'''
```

```
LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal
```

```
SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable
 avatar > MovingAvatar
 goal > Immovable
```

```
InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
 avatar goal > removeSprite goal
```

```
TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
'''
```

This VGDL game description defines a simple maze game where the player's objective is to reach the goal. The player controls the 'avatar', which can move around but must avoid 'walls'. Upon reaching the 'goal', the game ends in victory.

```
Level Description
```

For the level layout, let's create a small maze. The layout uses "W" for walls, "A" for the avatar's starting position, and "G" for the goal. Here's an example level:

```
'''
WWWWWWWWWW
WA GW
W W WWW W
W W W W
W WWWWW WW
W W
WWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

In this level, the avatar starts near the left side of the maze and must navigate through the openings in the walls to reach the goal on the opposite side. The maze is surrounded by walls on all sides, ensuring the player stays within the bounds of the maze.

*f) Output of GPT-4 via  $P_6$ :*

Based on your description, I'll create a VGDL representation for a simple maze game, adhering to the structure and constraints provided. This maze game will include walls (W), an avatar (A), and a goal (G). Here's how the game and a basic level might be defined:

```
'''yaml
BasicGame
 SpriteSet
 wall > Immovable color=GRAY
 avatar > MovingAvatar color=GREEN
 goal > Immovable color=GOLD singleton=True

 LevelMapping
 W > wall
 A > avatar
 G > goal

 InteractionSet
 avatar wall > stepBack
 avatar goal > killSprite # When the avatar reaches the goal, the game is won

 TerminationSet
 SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
'''
```

And a simple level for this game could look like:

```
'''
WWWWWWWWWWWWWW
W W G
W WWWWWW W W
W W W W W
W W WW W W W
W W WW W W W
A W W W
WWWWWWWWWWWWWW
'''
```

In this level description:

- 'W' represents walls that the avatar cannot pass through.
- 'A' marks the starting position of the avatar.
- 'G' is the goal that the avatar needs to reach to win the game.

The game mechanics are simple:

- The avatar can move in four directions (up, down, left, right).
- It cannot move through walls ('W'), and attempting to do so will result in the avatar stepping back to its previous position.
- The game is won when the avatar reaches the goal ('G').
- The goal is a singleton object, meaning there is only one goal in the level, and reaching it triggers the winning condition through the interaction and termination sets defined.

*g) Output of GPT-4 via  $P_7$ :*

Given the rules and the structure provided by the VGDL grammar, we will design a simple maze game. The objective of this game is for the player (Avatar) to navigate through a maze of walls to reach a goal. Here is how it could be structured based on your requirements:

```
VGDL Game Description
```

```
```\vgdl
BasicGame
  SpriteSet
    wall    > Immovable    color=GRAY
    avatar  > MovingAvatar color=BLUE
    goal    > Immovable    color=GOLD singleton=True

  LevelMapping
    W > wall
    A > avatar
    G > goal

  TerminationSet
    SpriteCounter      stype=goal    limit=0 win=True

  InteractionSet
    avatar wall > stepBack
    avatar goal > removeSprite
```\
```

```
Level Description
```

For the level, we'll create a simple maze where "W" represents walls, "A" for the avatar's starting position, and "G" for the goal. The level is designed as a 9x9 grid for this example. You can modify this grid size according to your needs or game complexity.

```
```\level
WWWWWWWWW
WA      W
W W WWW W
W W    GW
W WWWWW W
W      W
WWWWWWWWW
```\
```

This level sets up a simple maze where the avatar must navigate from its starting position to the goal, avoiding walls that block the path. The maze can be made more complex by adding more walls or creating multiple paths to the goal.

Remember, the game and level description provided above are simplistic examples. VGDL allows for much richer game mechanics and interactions, so feel free to expand upon this basic framework to include additional features or more complex behaviors.



3) *Output of Gemma 7B*: Seven representative outputs of Gemma 7B via seven prompts are present below.

a) *Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_1$* :

```
Maze Game VGDL Representation

entity MazeGame : entity
 position : int2 := (0, 0)
 direction : int := 0
 map : array[int, int] of bool := [[false, true, false],
 [true, true, true],
 [false, true, false]]

 procedure Update()
 if direction == 0 then
 position := (position.x - 1, position.y)
 else if direction == 1 then
 position := (position.x + 1, position.y)
 else if direction == 2 then
 position := (position.x, position.y - 1)
 else if direction == 3 then
 position := (position.x, position.y + 1)

 if map[position.x, position.y] = false then
 position := (position.x, position.y - 1)
 end
 end

 procedure Render()
 draw_rect(position.x, position.y, 2, 2, color = 1)
 end
end

Game Level

level : MazeGame
map := [[true, true, true],
 [true, true, true],
 [true, true, true]]
position := (0, 0)
direction := 0
```

b) *Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_2$* :

```
VGDL Representation:

'''
#####
#W#
#A#W#
#####
#W#
#G#W#
#####
'''

Game Level:

The level is a simple maze with a single goal. The avatar can move in any direction, but it cannot go through walls. The goal is to reach the goal position.

Notes:

* The maze is represented by the "W" characters.
* The avatar is represented by the "A" character.
* The goal is represented by the "G" character.
* The walls are solid, and the avatar cannot move through them.
* The goal is to move the avatar to the goal position.
```

*c) Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_3$ :*

```
VGDL Representation:

'''
BasicGame
 LevelMapping
 CHAR 'W' ' ' ' Wall
 CHAR 'A' ' ' ' Avatar
 CHAR 'G' ' ' ' Goal

 SpriteSet
 Sprite 'Avatar'
 HasKey True
 Movement Straight
 Sprite 'Goal'
 HasKey False
 Movement None

 InteractionSet
 Interaction 'Avatar' 'Monster' Kill
 Interaction 'Monster' 'Avatar' Kill

 TerminationSet
 Termination 'Goal' GoalReached
'''

Game Level:

'''
WWWW
WAAGA
GG
'''

Explanation:

* The level description specifies the positions of walls, the avatar, and the goal.
* The sprite set defines the different types of objects in the game, including the avatar and the goal.
* The interaction set defines the interactions between objects, such as the avatar killing monsters and
the monsters killing the avatar.
* The termination set defines the conditions under which the game ends, in this case when the goal is
reached.
```

*d) Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_4$ :*

```
VGDL Representation:

'''
BasicGame
LevelMapping
W 5 5
A 2 2
G 4 4

SpriteSet
MovingAvatar
Immovable
Wall

InteractionSet
MovingAvatar Immovable > killSprite
Immovable MovingAvatar > stepBack

TerminationSet
SpriteCounter stype=MovingAvatar limit=10 win=True
'''

Level File:

'''
WWWW
WAAGA
GGWWW
'''
```

**\*\*Explanation:\*\***

\* The level description defines a 5x5 grid with walls on all sides, an avatar at (2, 2), and a goal at (4, 4).  
\* The sprite set defines two classes: 'MovingAvatar' and 'Immovable'.  
\* The interaction set defines interactions between the avatar and the walls, as well as the goal.  
\* The termination set defines the condition for winning the game, which is to bring the 'MovingAvatar' sprite counter to zero.

*e) Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_5$ :*

**\*\*VGDL Representation:\*\***

'''

BasicGame  
LevelMapping  
W 1 1 1 W 1 1 1 W  
A 1 2 1 G

SpriteSet  
Sprite 'MovingAvatar'  
Sprite 'Immovable'

InteractionSet  
MovingAvatar Immovable > removeSprite  
Immovable MovingAvatar > stepBack

TerminationSet  
SpriteCounter stype=MovingAvatar limit=10 win=True  
'''

**\*\*Level File:\*\***

'''

W 1 1 1 W 1 1 1 W  
A 1 2 1 G  
'''

**\*\*Explanation:\*\***

\* The level description defines a 2x3 grid with walls on the sides and a goal at the end. The avatar is placed at (1, 2).  
\* The sprite set defines two classes of objects: 'MovingAvatar' and 'Immovable'.  
\* The interaction set defines interactions between objects, such as the avatar removing a monster and the monster stepping back.  
\* The termination set defines the conditions for winning the game, which is to bring the counter of the 'MovingAvatar' object to zero.

*f) Output of Gemma 7B via  $P_6$ :*

```
VGDL Representation for Maze Game
```

```
```\vgdl
BasicGame
```

```
    SpriteSet
```

```
        wall > Immovable
        goal > Immovable
        avatar > MovingAvatar
        key > Key
```

```
    LevelMapping
```

```
        . > wall
        0 > wall
        1 > wall
        2 > wall
        A > goal
        K > key
```

```
    TerminationSet
```

```
        SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
```

```
    InteractionSet
```

```
        avatar wall > bounce
        avatar key > pickUp key
        avatar goal > win
```

```
        key wall > destroyWall
```

```
'''
```

```
**Game Level:**
```

```
'''
```

```

  /-----\
 /   \   \
 \   /   \
  \   /   \
   \ /     \
    A       G

```

```
'''
```

```
**Notes:**
```

- The VGDL representation uses "W" to represent walls, "A" for the avatar, and "G" for the goal.
- The level description is a simple text string with equal-length lines, where each character maps to an object at the corresponding location.
- The game description includes the SpriteSet, LevelMapping, InteractionSet, and TerminationSet blocks.
- The SpriteSet defines the classes of objects used in the game, including the key and the goal.
- The LevelMapping block describes how to translate the characters in the level description into objects.
- The InteractionSet defines the potential events that happen when two objects collide.
- The TerminationSet defines different ways by which the game can end.

g) *Output of Gemma 7B via P_7 :*

```
## VGDL Representation for Maze Game
```

```
'''
```

```
BasicGame
```

```
    SpriteSet
```

```
        wall > Immovable
        avatar > MovingAvatar
        goal > Key
```

```
    LevelMapping
```

```
        # Maze layout
        . > wall
        0 > wall
        1 > wall
        2 > wall
        A > avatar
        G > goal
```

```
    TerminationSet
```

```
        # Win condition
        SpriteCounter stype=goal limit=0 win=True
```

```
    InteractionSet
```

```
        # Avatar interactions
        avatar wall > bounce
        avatar goal > interact

        # Object interactions
        key wall > destroy
        key avatar > pickUp
        avatar goal > interact
```

```
'''
```

```
**Level Description:**
```

```
'''
```

```
.
0
1
2
A
G
'''
```

```
**Notes:**
```

```
* The level description uses the character "." to represent walls, "A" for the avatar, and "G" for the goal.
* The 'SpriteSet' defines the different types of objects in the game, including walls, the avatar, and the goal.
* The 'LevelMapping' describes how to translate the characters in the level description into objects.
* The 'InteractionSet' defines the interactions between objects.
* The 'TerminationSet' defines the conditions under which the game ends.
* The 'Key' object is a subclass of the 'Goal' object, and it has a special interaction with the avatar.
```