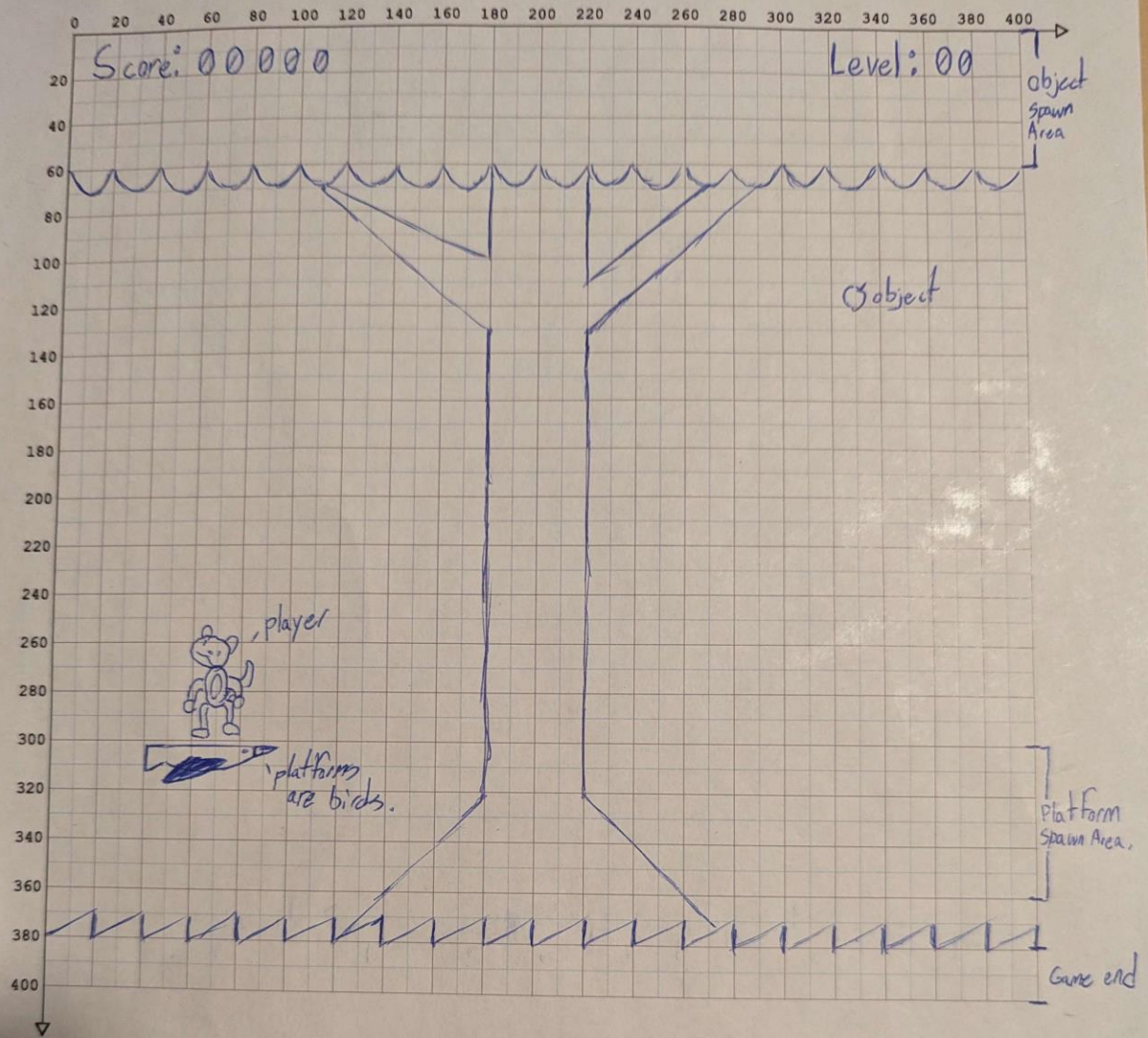


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Game Dev Foundations Assignment 3 2D GAME PROJECT E. Muller

What kind of game? Needs collision. Could done, don't want to.

Concepts required: 1. Encapsulation. 2. Array of a class type. 3. Use methods of motion to create a dynamic game.  
4. Use methods of collision detection to create a highly interactive game.

Moving platforms could be done using an Array. Would be a great example of collision too.

A dynamic object the player could interact with?  
Volley ball? Bullets? Seesaw? Button?

Vectors and time!  
Maybe vectors for platform idea?

Player could have a tool?  
Learn how to implement sounds.

Maybe make a point system.

side-Scrolling or singular level?

Try making a single-player game for now.

Give platforms a variable x movement. Would make moving platforms.

Maybe some small objects to carry in a bowl? ~~Balancing~~ Balancing?

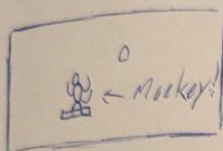
Player could catch things.

Game ideas?



Catch fruit game?

Player jumps between platforms trying to catch fruit. Player reaches lose condition if they miss three fruit in a row or fall between the platforms. Different fruit have different scores. Platforms move faster every level. Player reaches new level after 60 seconds.



Platforms are an object. Character is an object. Fruit are objects. Fruit game is a go. character is monkey!

Discussed collision with prof. A function acting as a bool can assist with platform ~~colliding~~ collision. This can make sure the monkey can only jump when in contact with the platforms!

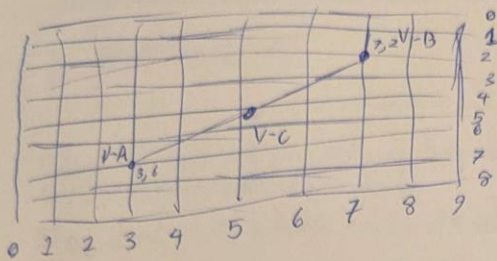
example: bool IsCollidedWithPlatform()  
~~if~~ MonkeyFoot >= PlatformTop && MonkeyLeft >= PlatformLeft && MonkeyRight < PlatformRight

Return: True

You got the idea. A true value prevents jumping. A false value allows it. I think. Can't test until I figure out the ~~move~~ movement and collision mechanics anyway.



I need to understand how I can do movement. The prof says Int or float methods are fine, but I really should figure out vectors. It will allow for time commands. A vector is one point. Vector 2 is called that because it holds an x & y position.

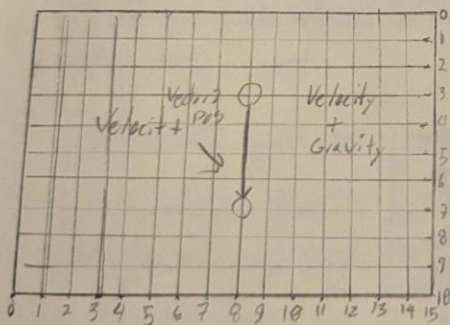


With Vector 2's Lines are easier  
Also, finding point between them are easier.  
I need to think of these as mathematic functions. The hard part is using them together.

Encapsulating the code for each unique type of object is needed.  
I'll create one for the platform, fruit & player object.

Back to vectors. If I use Vector 2 and Time functions together, I should get the result needed. I'm pretty sure this was done in class, but code that is pretty evil.  
Let's try one object for now. A funny circle.

Just got some new supplies!



Velocity is effected by gravity.  
Position then is modified by velocity.

I've looked over module 4 again to better understand vectors. They give a really basic set of code for gravity.

```
Vector2 gravity Force = gravity * Time.deltaTime;
velocity += gravity Force;
position += velocity;
```

```
Setup: Vector2 position;
Vector2 velocity;
Vector2 gravity = new Vector(0, +10);
```

This is the  
↓ down force

↑  
Too is slow.  
Changing to 30

To ensure sliding does not occur, I could use an "If statement."

```
if (IsObjectCollided = false && Velocity < 1)
{
    ObjectVelocity = 0;
}
```

Collision for fruit will be simple as long as I make them circles. That lets me do some easy math; Vectors add more simplicity.

If any object touches a fruit's radius it's colliding of course so:

```
Vector2 FruitDistance = playerPosition - fruitPosition;
if (FruitDistance <= fruitRadius)
{
    FruitCollected = True;
}
```

FruitRadius likely won't be a vector.  
Fruit collected will lead to a while statement made for object collection.

Back to platform movement for a second.

If I want the platform to move sideways, I can use the gravity code on the x axis. In order to have platforms continually returning from the sides, I can use an If statement that swaps between left and right versions of the code depending on how far the platform went.

```
if (platformPosition.X <= -30)
{
    IsGoingLeft = true;
}
if (platformPosition.X >= 830)
{
    IsGoingLeft = false;
}
if (IsGoingLeft)
{
    Vector2 directionalMovement = platformDirection * Time.deltaTime;
    platformSpeed += directionalMovement;
    platformPosition += platformSpeed;
}
else
{
    Vector2 directionalMovement = platformDirection * Time.deltaTime;
    platformSpeed -= directionalMovement;
    platformPosition += platformSpeed;
}
```