

Doodle Brawl

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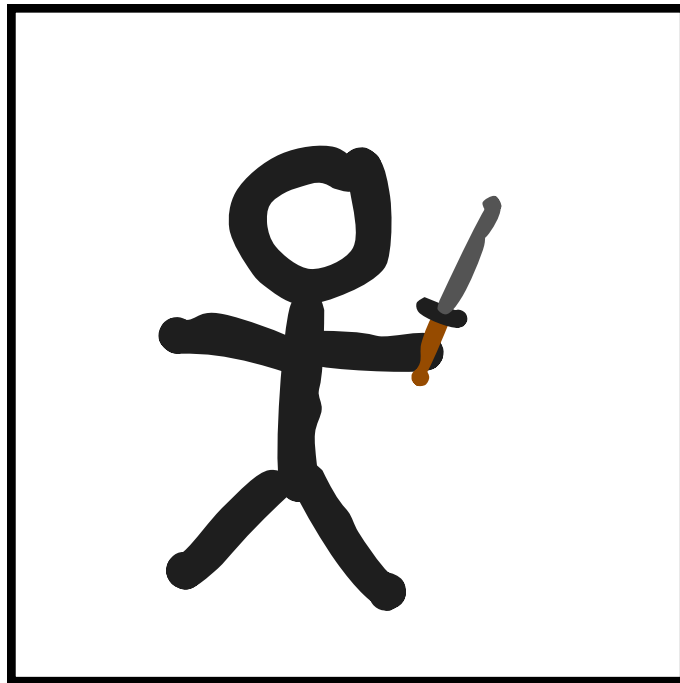
What is Doodle Brawl?

A website that brings your doodles to life in 1v1 prize fights

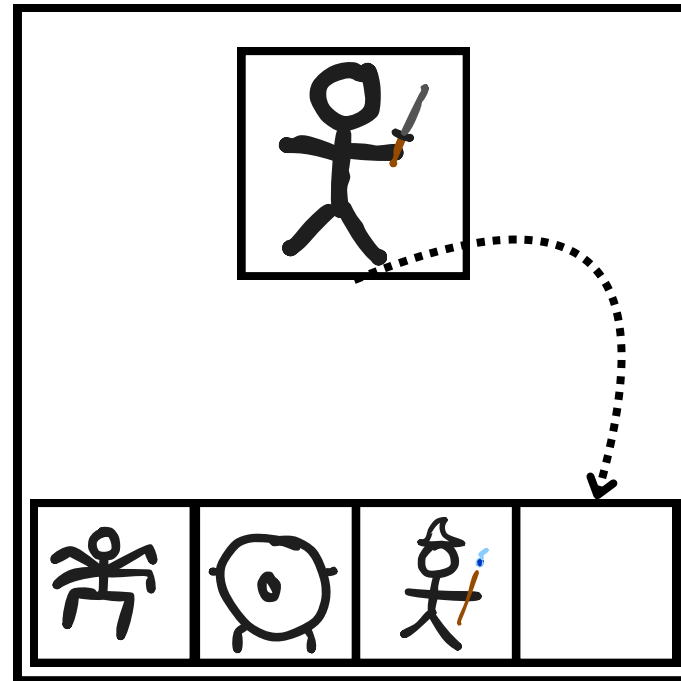
Doodle Brawl is a lighthearted combat sports webapp.

Draw a fighter to add them to the roster, then spectate the (not-so) bloodsport.

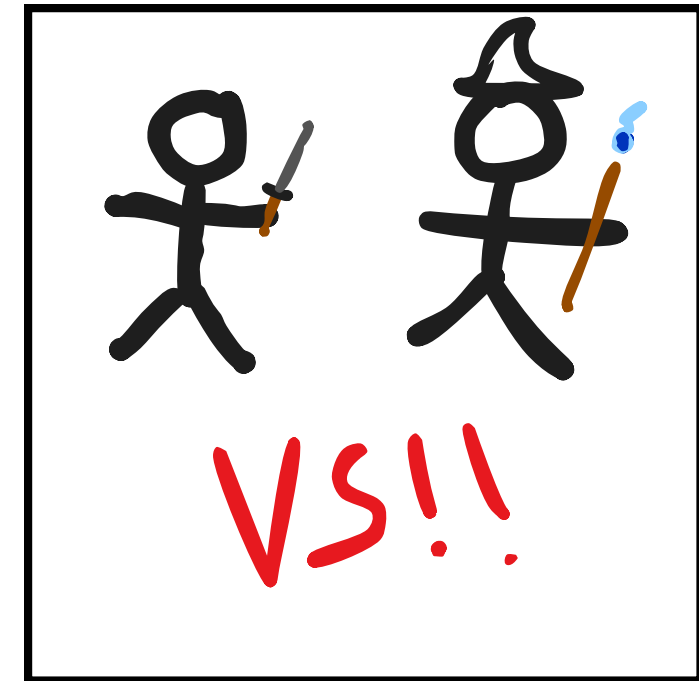
Doodle Brawl uses the Gemini API for “billing” fighters and producing their matches all while providing color commentary on the action.



1. Create your fighter

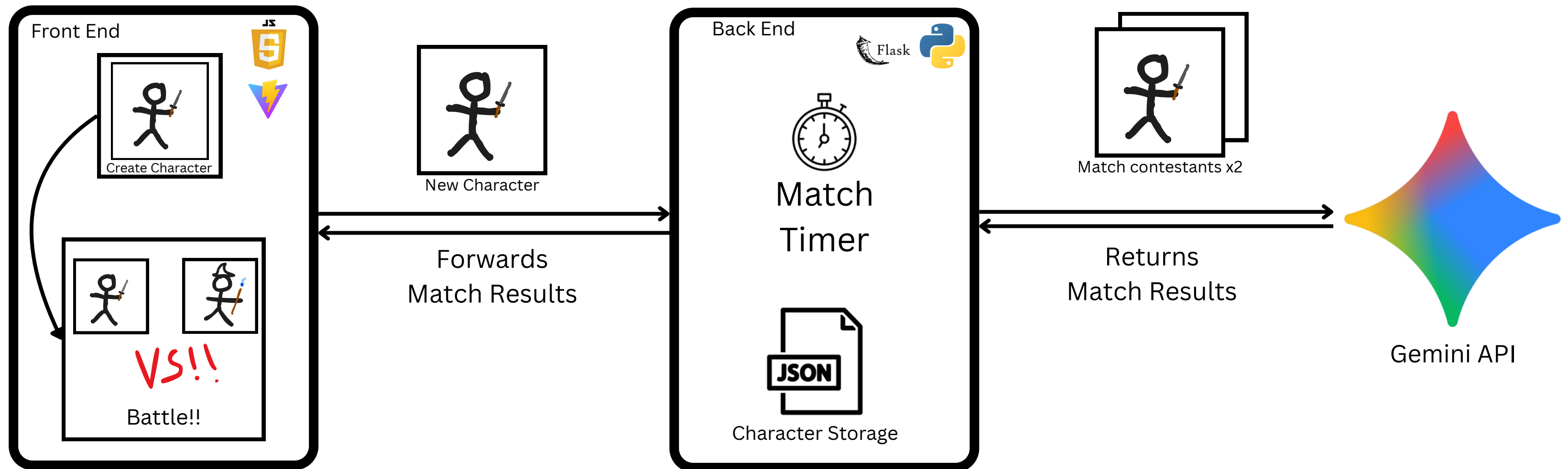


2. Submit them to the roster



3. Watch them **fight!**

How does it work?



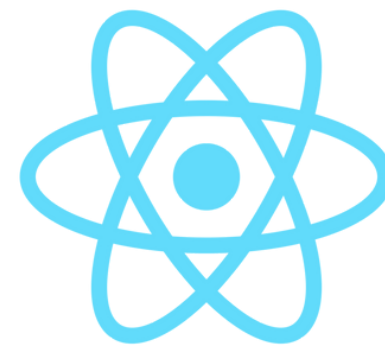
Frontend

Built with React & Vite

- App split in two sections: Battle grounds and Drawing canvas

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c/BattleView.jsx App.css
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return (
  <div class='root'>
    <h2>Next match in: {timer}</h2>
    <div class='row'>
      <div class='column'>
        <p class='fighter-name fighter-1'>{battleState.fighters[0].name}</p>
        <div class='fighter-img'>
          {battleState && <ImageViewer base64={battleState.fighters[0].image_file} />}
        </div>
        <div class='stats'>
          <p>Fighter Description: {battleState.fighters[0].description}</p>
          <p>Wins: {battleState.fighters[0].wins}</p>
          <p>Loses: {battleState.fighters[0].losses}</p>
        </div>
      </div>
      <div class='column'>
        <p class='fighter-name fighter-2'>{battleState.fighters[1].name}</p>
        <div class='fighter-img'>
          {battleState && <ImageViewer base64={battleState.fighters[1].image_file} />}
        </div>
        <div class='stats'>
          <p>Fighter Description: {battleState.fighters[1].description}</p>
          <p>Wins: {battleState.fighters[1].wins}</p>
          <p>Loses: {battleState.fighters[1].losses}</p>
        </div>
      </div>
    </div>
    <div class='logs'>
      <ul>
        {logState.map((log, index) => (
          <li class='one-log' key={index}>
            <span class='log-name'>
              {log.actor}
            </span>
            <div dangerouslySetInnerHTML={{ __html: log.description }} />
          </li>
        ))}
      </ul>
      <p class='summary'>{summaryState}</p>
    </div>
  </div>
);
```



Doodle Brawl!

Battle Grounds

Next match in: Battle commencing!

Joe M



Fighter Description: A stick figure holding a stick, looking somewhat confident.

Wins: 2
Loses: 17

Fatrick



Fighter Description: A star-shaped creature with a gun.

Wins: 2
Loses: 0

Fatrick

Fired a **shot** from his gun!

Joe M

Swung his stick with a mighty strike!

Fatrick

Took aim and fired a powerful **bullet**!

Joe M

Lunged forward with a surprising jab!

Fatrick

Unleashed a rapid-fire **barrage**!

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- Communicates with backend via **Socket.io**
 - Images encoded with base64
 - Lost connection is handled seamlessly



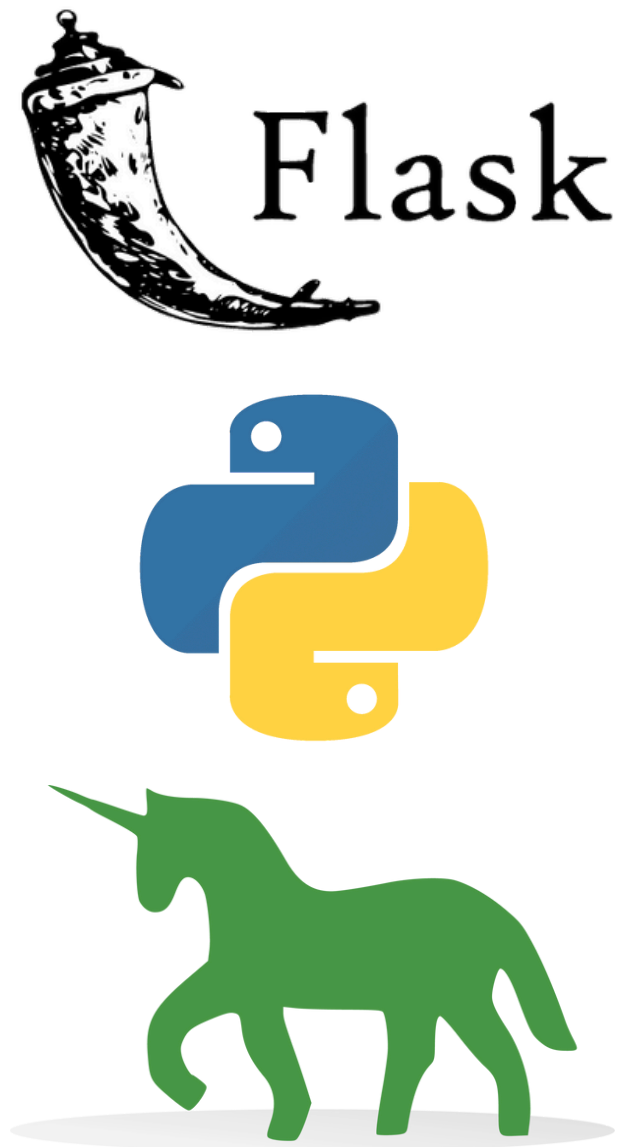
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c/BattleView.jsx App.css
73 18   setTimeout("Battle commencing!")
74 17   }
75 16   else {
76 15     setTimeout("Bookie is working on the next match...")
77 14   }
78 13   console.log(data);
79 12   }
80 11
81 10   // Listen for and load battles from backend
82 9     useEffect(() => {
83 8       // Register Listeners
84 7       socket.on('match_scheduled', handleSchedule);
85 6       socket.on('match_result', handleResult);
86 5       socket.on('timer_update', handleTimerUpdate);
87 4
88 3       // Get initial fighter info from scheduled battle
89 2       fetch('/card')
90 1         .then(response => {
91 0           if (!response.ok) throw new Error('Network response was not ok');
92 1           return response.json();
93 2         })
94 3         .then(json => {
95 4           console.log("Got Fresh Fighter Data");
96 5           processFightData(json);
97 6           setLoading(false);
98 7         })
99 8         .catch(err => {
100 9           setError(err.message);
101 10          setLoading(false);
102 11        });
103 12
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105 14      // De-register Listeners for cleanup
106 15      return () => {
107 16        socket.off('match_scheduled', handleSchedule);
108 17        socket.off('match_result', handleResult);
109 18        socket.off('timer_update', handleTimerUpdate);
110 19      }
111 20    }, []);
112 21
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114 23    if (loading) return <div class='net-loading'>Loading...</div>;
115 24    if (error) return <div class='net-error'>Error: {error}</div>;
116 25    if (!battleState || !battleState.fighters || battleState.fighters.length < 2) { return (
117 26      <div className='root waiting-screen'>
118 27        <h1>Waiting for Next Match...</h1>
119 28        {timer && <h2>Next Match in: {timer}s</h2>}
120 29      </div>
121 30    );
122 31  }
123 32
```

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Backend

Built with Flask, Gemini API, and Python

- Server uses Flask sockets for client/server updating and endpoints for data retrieval
- Uses a highly configured API call to Google's **genai** library.
- Website is run using gunicorn to create a production-level flask environment



```
#####
#           GEMINI API           #
#####
client = genai.Client(api_key=API_KEY)
SYSTEM_PROMPT = """
You are the "Doodle Brawl" Game Engine. Your goal is to simulate a turn-based
fight between two fighters. You'll also need to act as the color commentator of the matches, giving
updates on the fight progress.

### PHASE 1: STAT GENERATION
Analyze the provided images for both fighters.
If a fighter has 'fight_count: 0' (stats are empty/null), you MUST generate stats.
1. **HP (50-200):** Low for small/fragile, High for big/armored. (Avg 100)
2. **AGILITY (1-10):** Low for heavy/clunky, High for sleek/athletic. (Avg 5)
3. **POWER (1-20):** Low for weak, High for dangerous/weapon-wielding. (Avg 10)
4. **DESCRIPTION:** A one-sentence combat-sport introduction (e.g. "I am the
champion").

### PHASE 2: COMBAT SIMULATION
Simulate the fight turn-by-turn until one reaches 0 HP. A "favorability" score
will be generated for each fighter.
* **Agility Rule:** If Agility > 6, that fighter has a 20% chance to
avoid an attack.
* **Move Types:**
  * STANDARD: 'ATTACK' : Standard hit (Power +/- variance).
  * STANDARD: 'RECOVER' : Recover HP (HP +/- variance).
  * IF POWER>=15: 'SLAM' : Large hit (Power(+5) +/- variance).
  * IF AGILITY>=7: 'DIVE' : Dive from off ropes (Agility + Power +/-
variance).

### PHASE 3: MATCH SUMMARY AND WINNER
You'll end off by declaring the winner, and providing an exciting, but
concise summary of the fight.
"""
```

GEMINI API PROMPT

```
#####
#           SERVER HANDLERS           #
#####

@app.route('/card')
def return_current_card():
    global NEXT_MATCH
    current_match = NEXT_MATCH
    if current_match is None:
        return jsonify({
            'fighters': [],
            'starts_in': 0,
            'status': 'waiting'
        })
    try:
        fighters_data = [c.to_dict() for c in current_match]

        return jsonify({
            'fighters': fighters_data,
            'starts_in': BATTLE_TIMER,
            'status': 'scheduled'
        })
    except Exception as e:
        print(f"!-- ERROR SERVING CARD: {e} --!")
        return jsonify({'error': str(e)}), 500
```

SERVER HANDLERS

```
def return_scheduled_battle():
    global NEXT_MATCH
    if not NEXT_MATCH:
        return

    p1, p2 = NEXT_MATCH
    print(f"!-- RUNNING BATTLE: {p1.name} vs {p2.name} --!")
    favorability = random.randint(1,100) #add some randomness to outcome
    #battle information to be sent to gemini API
    request_content = [
        {"role": "user", "content": f"FAVORABILITY: {favorability}"},
        {"role": "assistant", "content": f""},
        {"role": "user", "content": f"FIGHTER 1: ID: {p1.id} Name: {p1.name} Current Stats: {p1.stats} (If empty, generate them based on attached image) Fight Count: {p1.wins + p1.losses}"},
        {"role": "assistant", "content": f""},
        {"role": "user", "content": f"get_image_part_from_base64({p1.image_file}), #fighter 1 drawing"},
        {"role": "assistant", "content": f""},
        {"role": "user", "content": f"FIGHTER 2: ID: {p2.id} Name: {p2.name} Current Stats: {p2.stats} (If empty, generate them based on attached image) Fight Count: {p2.wins + p2.losses}"},
        {"role": "assistant", "content": f""},
        {"role": "user", "content": f"get_image_part_from_base64({p2.image_file}) #fighter 2 drawing"}
    ]
```

FIGHT GENERATOR

Live Demo

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