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## Analysis

Try and create 3 or more key success criteria for your program.

### Success Criteria:

1. User authentication – The program allows users to log in or register; credentials are stored (e.g. in users.csv) and checked before starting the game.
2. Correct chess rules – All pieces move according to standard rules (pawns, knights, bishops, rooks, queen, king), including castling, en passant, pawn promotion, and check/checkmate/stalemate detection.
3. Playable interface – The game displays an 8×8 board with piece images, file/rank labels, move highlights for the selected piece, and valid-move indicators (e.g. dots).
4. Time controls – Each side has a clock; time decreases on their turn, with optional increment per move. The game ends when one side runs out of time.
5. Game end and restart – The program shows a clear message for checkmate, stalemate, or time-out, and allows the user to restart (e.g. Play Again / New Game or key R/N).

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## Design

- ✓ **You may like to create a flow charts which will show broadly how your program will work. If so include your flow chart in this section.**

1. Show login window (Tkinter) → user enters username/password or registers.
2. If login OK → show settings window: choose side (White/Black), time control (e.g. 1+0, 3+2, 15+10).
3. Start Pygame window: load board and piece images, set initial game state and clocks.
4. Main loop: handle events (quit, mouse click, keys). On click: select square or make move if two squares selected; validate move using engine; update board and clocks; handle promotion pop-up if needed.
5. Each frame: decrement current player's time; redraw board, pieces, highlights, move history, clocks; if game over, show message and restart menu.
6. User can undo (e.g. U), restart (R/N), or quit.

### Flow (broad behaviour):

- ✓ **You must create pseudocode for a part of your program (minimum of 15 lines). If possible, try to create all of your program in pseudocode. Use the OCR guide in the specification to help you.**

SWITCH turn to other player

APPEND move to moveLog

UPDATE castle rights

UPDATE en passant possibility if pawn moved two squares

SET promoted square to queen (or chosen piece later)

IF move is pawn promotion:

MOVE rook to correct square

IF move is castle:

UPDATE king location for that colour

IF piece moved is king:

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SET board[move.endRow][move.endCol] to move.pieceMoved

REMOVE captured pawn from board

IF move is en passant:

SET board[move.startRow][move.startCol] to empty

FUNCTION makeMove(move):

RETURN legal

CALL undoMove()

ADD m to legal

IF current player's king is NOT in check after move:

CALL makeMove(m)

save current enPassant state

CONTINUE

IF m would capture a king:

FOR each move m in moves:

legal = empty list

CALL addCastleMoves(moves)

CALL appropriate move function for piece type (pawn, rook, knight, etc.) with (r, c, moves)

CONTINUE to next square

IF piece is empty OR piece colour is not current player's turn:

piece = board[r][c]

FOR each column c from 0 to 7:

FOR each row r from 0 to 7:

moves = empty list

FUNCTION getValidMoves():

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Pseudocode (move validation and making a move):

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## Test design

- ✓ *Think of tests that you can carry out to see if your system works*
- ✓ *Remember to try and use normal, boundary and erroneous tests.*
- ✓ *If you wish to, you may add more tests to the table.*

### My tests:

Test	What am I testing?	What data will I use?	Normal/Boundary/Erroneous?	Expected Result
1	Login with valid user	Username: test, Password: test	Normal	Login succeeds and settings window appears
2	Login with wrong password	Username: test, Password: wrong	Erroneous	Error message "Invalid username or password"
3	Register new user	New username and password	Normal	Message "Registered. You can log in now." and can then log in
4	Making a legal move	Click e2 then e4 (White)	Normal	Pawn moves to e4; turn switches to Black
5	Move when time is zero	Let one player's clock reach 0:00	Boundary	Game shows "White/Black out of time - [other] wins" and restart option

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## Development

- ✓ Copy and paste your code into this section
- ✓ Remember to try and add comments to your code to make it more readable!

### My program code:

```
return (self.startRow, self.startCol, self.endRow, self.endCol) == (other.startRow, other.startCol,  
other.endRow, other.endCol)  
  
return False  
  
if not isinstance(other, Move):  
  
def __eq__(self, other):  
  
  
    return self.colsToFiles[self.startCol] + self.rowsToRanks[self.startRow] +  
    self.colsToFiles[self.endCol] + self.rowsToRanks[self.endRow]  
  
def getChessNotation(self):  
  
  
    self.enPassantPossibleBefore = None  
  
    self.isPawnPromotion = (self.pieceMoved[1] == 'p' and (self.endRow == 0 or self.endRow == 7))  
  
    self.isCastleMove = isCastle  
  
    self.pieceCaptured = 'bp' if self.pieceMoved[0] == 'w' else 'wp'  
  
    if self.isEnPassantMove:  
  
        self.isEnPassantMove = isEnPassant  
  
        self.pieceCaptured = board[self.endRow][self.endCol]  
  
        self.pieceMoved = board[self.startRow][self.startCol]  
  
        self.endRow, self.endCol = endSq[0], endSq[1]
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self.startRow, self.startCol = startSq[0], startSq[1]

def __init__(self, startSq, endSq, board, isEnPassant=False, isCastle=False):

    colsToFiles = {v: k for k, v in filesToCols.items()}

    filesToCols = {"a": 0, "b": 1, "c": 2, "d": 3, "e": 4, "f": 5, "g": 6, "h": 7}

    rowsToRanks = {v: k for k, v in ranksToRows.items()}

    ranksToRows = {"1": 7, "2": 6, "3": 5, "4": 4, "5": 3, "6": 2, "7": 1, "8": 0}

class Move():

    if move.pieceCaptured == 'bR' and move.endRow == 0 and move.endCol == 7:
        self.castleRights['bks'] = False

        if move.pieceCaptured == 'bR' and move.endRow == 0 and move.endCol == 0:
            self.castleRights['bqs'] = False

            if move.pieceCaptured == 'wR' and move.endRow == 7 and move.endCol == 7:
                self.castleRights['wks'] = False

                if move.pieceCaptured == 'wR' and move.endRow == 7 and move.endCol == 0:
                    self.castleRights['wqs'] = False

                    elif move.startRow == 0 and move.startCol == 7: self.castleRights['bks'] = False

                    if move.startRow == 0 and move.startCol == 0: self.castleRights['bqs'] = False

                    elif move.pieceMoved == 'bR':

                        elif move.startRow == 7 and move.startCol == 7: self.castleRights['wks'] = False

                        if move.startRow == 7 and move.startCol == 0: self.castleRights['wqs'] = False

                    elif move.pieceMoved == 'wR':

                        self.castleRights['bks'] = self.castleRights['bqs'] = False

                    elif move.pieceMoved == 'bK':

                        self.castleRights['wks'] = self.castleRights['wqs'] = False

                    if move.pieceMoved == 'wK':
```

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def updateCastleRights(self, move):

    moves.append(Move((r,4),(r,2), self.board, isCastle=True))

    if not self.squareAttacked(r, 2, byWhite=True) and not self.squareAttacked(r, 3,
byWhite=True):

        if self.castleRights['bqs'] and self.board[r][1] == "--" and self.board[r][2] == "--" and
self.board[r][3] == "--":

            moves.append(Move((r,4),(r,6), self.board, isCastle=True))

            if not self.squareAttacked(r, 5, byWhite=True) and not self.squareAttacked(r, 6,
byWhite=True):

                if self.castleRights['bks'] and self.board[r][5] == "--" and self.board[r][6] == "--":

                    if not self.isInCheck(False):

                        r = 0

                else:

                    moves.append(Move((r,4),(r,2), self.board, isCastle=True))

                    if not self.squareAttacked(r, 2, byWhite=False) and not self.squareAttacked(r, 3,
byWhite=False):

                        if self.castleRights['wqs'] and self.board[r][1] == "--" and self.board[r][2] == "--" and
self.board[r][3] == "--":

                            moves.append(Move((r,4),(r,6), self.board, isCastle=True))

                            if not self.squareAttacked(r, 5, byWhite=False) and not self.squareAttacked(r, 6,
byWhite=False):

                                if self.castleRights['wks'] and self.board[r][5] == "--" and self.board[r][6] == "--":

                                    if not self.isInCheck(True):

                                        r = 7

                if self.whiteToMove:

def addCastleMoves(self, moves):
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return False

return True

if self.squareInBounds(rr, cc) and self.board[rr][cc] == attackerColor + 'K':
    rr, cc = r + dr, c + dc

for dr, dc in [(-1,-1),(-1,0),(-1,1),(0,-1),(0,1),(1,-1),(1,0),(1,1)]:
    cc += dc

    rr += dr

    break

    return True

if piece[0] == attackerColor and piece[1] in 'RQ':

if piece != "--":

    piece = self.board[rr][cc]

while self.squareInBounds(rr, cc):

    rr, cc = r + dr, c + dc

    cc += dc

    rr += dr

    break

    return True

if piece[0] == attackerColor and piece[1] in 'BQ':

if piece != "--":

    piece = self.board[rr][cc]

while self.squareInBounds(rr, cc):

    rr, cc = r + dr, c + dc

    for dr, dc in [(-1,0),(1,0),(0,-1),(0,1)]:
        cc += dc

        rr += dr

        break

        return True
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```
return True

if self.squareInBounds(rr, cc) and self.board[rr][cc] == attackerColor + 'N':
    rr, cc = r + dr, c + dc

for dr, dc in [(-2,-1),(-2,1),(-1,-2),(-1,2),(1,-2),(1,2),(2,-1),(2,1)]:
    return True

if self.squareInBounds(rr, cc) and self.board[rr][cc] == attackerColor + 'p':
    rr, cc = r + dr, c + dc

for dc in (-1, 1):
    dr = -1 if byWhite else 1

    attackerColor = 'w' if byWhite else 'b'

def squareAttacked(self, r, c, byWhite):

    return self.squareAttacked(king_r, king_c, byWhite=not forWhite)

    king_r, king_c = self.whiteKingLocation if forWhite else self.blackKingLocation

    forWhite = self.whiteToMove

    if forWhite is None:

def isInCheck(self, forWhite=None):

    moves.append(Move((r, c), (nr, nc), self.board))

    if target == "--" or target[0] != ownColor:
        target = self.board[nr][nc]

        continue

    if not self.squareInBounds(nr, nc):

        nr, nc = r + dr, c + dc

        for dr, dc in [(-1,-1),(-1,0),(-1,1),(0,-1),(0,1),(1,-1),(1,0),(1,1)]:
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ownColor = self.board[r][c][0]

def getKingMoves(self, r, c, moves):

    moves.append(Move((r, c), (nr, nc), self.board))

    if target == "--" or target[0] != ownColor:

        target = self.board[nr][nc]

        continue

    if not self.squareInBounds(nr, nc):

        nr, nc = r + dr, c + dc

        for dr, dc in [(-2,-1),(-2,1),(-1,-2),(-1,2),(1,-2),(1,2),(2,-1),(2,1)]:

            ownColor = self.board[r][c][0]

            def getKnightMoves(self, r, c, moves):

                nc += dc

                nr += dr

                break

                moves.append(Move((r, c), (nr, nc), self.board))

                if target[0] != ownColor:

                    else:

                        moves.append(Move((r, c), (nr, nc), self.board))

                if target == "--":

                    target = self.board[nr][nc]

                while self.squareInBounds(nr, nc):

                    nr, nc = r + dr, c + dc

                    for dr, dc in directions:
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ownColor = self.board[r][c][0]

def _getSlidingMoves(self, r, c, moves, directions):

    self._getSlidingMoves(r, c, moves, [(-1,0),(1,0),(0,-1),(0,1),(-1,-1),(-1,1),(1,-1),(1,1)])  
  
def getQueenMoves(self, r, c, moves):
    self._getSlidingMoves(r, c, moves, [(-1,-1),(-1,1),(1,-1),(1,1)])  
  
def getBishopMoves(self, r, c, moves):
    self._getSlidingMoves(r, c, moves, [(-1,0),(1,0),(0,-1),(0,1)])  
  
def getRookMoves(self, r, c, moves):
    moves.append(Move((r, c), (ep_r, ep_c), self.board, isEnPassant=True))

    if (r + direction, c + 1) == (ep_r, ep_c) and self.board[r][c+1] != "--" and self.board[r][c+1][0] != piece[0]:
        moves.append(Move((r, c), (ep_r, ep_c), self.board, isEnPassant=True))

    if (r + direction, c - 1) == (ep_r, ep_c) and self.board[r][c-1] != "--" and self.board[r][c-1][0] != piece[0]:
        moves.append(Move((r, c), (ep_r, ep_c), self.board, isEnPassant=True))

    ep_r, ep_c = self.enPassantPossible

    if self.enPassantPossible:
        moves.append(Move((r, c), (nr, nc), self.board))

        if target != "--" and target[0] != piece[0]:
            target = self.board[nr][nc]

            continue

        if not self.squareInBounds(nr, nc):
            nr, nc = r + direction, c + dc

            for dc in (-1, 1):
                moves.append(Move((r, c), (r + 2*direction, c), self.board))
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if r == startRow and self.board[r + 2*direction][c] == "--":  
    moves.append(Move((r, c), (r + direction, c), self.board))  
  
if self.squareInBounds(r + direction, c) and self.board[r + direction][c] == "--":  
    startRow = 6 if piece[0] == 'w' else 1  
  
    direction = -1 if piece[0] == 'w' else 1  
  
    piece = self.board[r][c]  
  
def getPawnMoves(self, r, c, moves):  
  
  
    return 0 <= r < 8 and 0 <= c < 8  
  
def squareInBounds(self, r, c):  
  
  
    return legal  
  
    self.undoMove()  
  
    legal.append(m)  
  
    if not self.isInCheck(not self.whiteToMove):  
        self.makeMove(m)  
  
        m.enPassantPossibleBefore = self.enPassantPossible  
  
        continue  
  
        if m.pieceCaptured and (m.pieceCaptured == 'wK' or m.pieceCaptured == 'bK'):  
  
for m in moves:  
  
    legal = []  
  
    self.addCastleMoves(moves)  
  
    self.moveFunctions[piece[1]](r, c, moves)  
  
    continue  
  
    if piece == "--" or (piece[0] == 'w') != self.whiteToMove:
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piece = self.board[r][c]

for c in range(8):

    for r in range(8):

        moves = []

def getValidMoves(self):

    self.whiteToMove = not self.whiteToMove

    self.enPassantPossible = move.enPassantPossibleBefore

    self.castleRights = self.castleRightsLog[-1].copy()

    self.castleRightsLog.pop()

        self.board[move.endRow][3] = "--"

        self.board[move.endRow][0] = self.board[move.endRow][3]

    else:

        self.board[move.endRow][5] = "--"

        self.board[move.endRow][7] = self.board[move.endRow][5]

    if move.endCol == 6:

        if move.isCastleMove:

            self.blackKingLocation = (move.startRow, move.startCol)

            elif moved == 'bK':

                self.whiteKingLocation = (move.startRow, move.startCol)

            if moved == 'wK':

                self.board[move.endRow][move.endCol] = move.pieceCaptured

            else:

                self.board[move.startRow][move.endCol] = move.pieceCaptured

                self.board[move.endRow][move.endCol] = "--"
```

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if move.isEnPassantMove:  
    self.board[move.startRow][move.startCol] = moved  
    moved = moved[0] + 'p'  
  
    if move.isPawnPromotion:  
        moved = move.pieceMoved  
  
        self.board[move.startRow][move.startCol] = move.pieceMoved  
  
        move = self.moveLog.pop()  
  
    return  
  
if len(self.moveLog) == 0:  
  
def undoMove(self):  
  
    self.whiteToMove = not self.whiteToMove  
  
    self.moveLog.append(move)  
  
    self.castleRightsLog.append(self.castleRights.copy())  
  
    self.updateCastleRights(move)  
  
    self.enPassantPossible = None  
  
else:  
    self.enPassantPossible = ((move.startRow + move.endRow)//2, move.startCol)  
  
if move.pieceMoved[1] == 'p' and abs(move.startRow - move.endRow) == 2:  
    self.board[move.endRow][move.endCol] = move.pieceMoved[0] + 'Q'  
  
if move.isPawnPromotion:  
    self.board[move.endRow][0] = "--"  
    self.board[move.endRow][3] = self.board[move.endRow][0]  
  
else:  
    self.board[move.endRow][7] = "--"
```

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    self.board[move.endRow][5] = self.board[move.endRow][7]

    if move.endCol == 6:

        if move.isCastleMove:

            self.blackKingLocation = (move.endRow, move.endCol)

        elif move.pieceMoved == 'bK':

            self.whiteKingLocation = (move.endRow, move.endCol)

        if move.pieceMoved == 'wK':

            self.board[move.endRow][move.endCol] = move.pieceMoved

            self.board[move.startRow][move.endCol] = "--"

        if move.isEnPassantMove:

            self.board[move.startRow][move.startCol] = "--"

    def makeMove(self, move):

        self.castleRightsLog = [self.castleRights.copy()]

        self.castleRights = {'wks': True, 'wqs': True, 'bks': True, 'bqs': True}

        self.enPassantPossible = None

        self.blackKingLocation = (0, 4)

        self.whiteKingLocation = (7, 4)

    }

    'B': self.getBishopMoves, 'Q': self.getQueenMoves, 'K': self.getKingMoves

    'p': self.getPawnMoves, 'R': self.getRookMoves, 'N': self.getKnightMoves,

    self.moveFunctions = {

        self.moveLog = []

        self.whiteToMove = True

        ["wR", "wN", "wB", "wQ", "wK", "wB", "wN", "wR"]]
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["wp", "wp", "wp", "wp", "wp", "wp", "wp", "wp"],
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["--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--"],
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["--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--"],
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["--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--"],
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["--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--", "--"],
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["bp", "bp", "bp", "bp", "bp", "bp", "bp", "bp"],
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```
["bR", "bN", "bB", "bQ", "bK", "bB", "bN", "bR"],
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```
self.board = [
```

```
def __init__(self):
```

```
class GameState():
```

```
# Chess game state and move logic (GameState, Move, piece movement, check, castling, en passant)
```

chessEngine.py - Game state, move generation, check/checkmate, castling, en passant.

```
main()
```

```
if __name__ == "__main__":
```

```
    return (result["base"], result["inc"], result["side"])
```

```
    return None
```

```
if not result["done"]:
```

```
    root.mainloop()
```

```
    tk.Button(root, text='Cancel', command=root.destroy).pack(fill='x')
```

```
    tk.Button(root, text='Start', command=start).pack(fill='x', pady=(8,0))
```

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root.destroy()

result["side"] = side_var.get()

result["inc"] = inc

result["base"] = base

result["done"] = True

break

base, inc = b, i

if r.cget('value') == key:

for r, b, i in radios:

base, inc = 180, 0

key = time_var.get()

def start():

radios.append((r, base, inc))

r.pack(anchor='w')

r = tk.Radiobutton(root, text=label, variable=time_var, value=key)

for label, key, base, inc in options:

radios = []

]

('Rapid 30+0', 'rapid30+0', 1800, 0), ('Classical 60+0', 'class60+0', 3600, 0),

('Blitz 5+0', 'blitz5+0', 300, 0), ('Rapid 15+10', 'rapid15+10', 900, 10),

('Blitz 3+0', 'blitz3+0', 180, 0), ('Blitz 3+2', 'blitz3+2', 180, 2),

('Bullet 1+0', 'bullet1+0', 60, 0), ('Bullet 2+1', 'bullet2+1', 120, 1),

options = [

time_var = tk.StringVar(value='blitz3+0')

tk.Label(root, text="Time Control").pack(anchor='w', pady=(8,0))
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tk.Radiobutton(root, text='Black', variable=side_var, value='black').pack(anchor='w')
tk.Radiobutton(root, text='White', variable=side_var, value='white').pack(anchor='w')
side_var = tk.StringVar(value='white')
tk.Label(root, text="Choose Side").pack(anchor='w')
root.title(f"{CLIENT_NAME} - Game Settings")
root = tk.Tk()
result = {"done": False, "base": 180, "inc": 0, "side": 'white'}

def settings_window():
    return result["user"]

root.mainloop()

tk.Button(root, text="Register", command=do_register).grid(row=2, column=1, sticky='we')
tk.Button(root, text="Login", command=do_login).grid(row=2, column=0, sticky='we')

messagebox.showinfo("OK", "Registered. You can log in now.")

f.write(f"{name}:{pw}\n")

with open(path, 'a', encoding='utf-8') as f:
    users[name] = pw

return

messagebox.showerror("Error", "User exists")

if name in users:
    return

messagebox.showerror("Error", "Please enter username and password")

if not name or not pw:
    name, pw = u.get().strip(), pwd.get().strip()

def do_register():

    Candidate Name:
    Candidate Number:
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    messagebox.showerror("Error", "Invalid username or password")  
  
else:  
  
    root.destroy()  
  
    result["user"] = name  
  
if name in users and users[name] == pw:  
  
    name, pw = u.get().strip(), pwd.get().strip()  
  
def do_login():  
  
    pwd.grid(row=1, column=1)  
  
    u.grid(row=0, column=1)  
  
    pwd = tk.Entry(root, show='*')  
  
    u = tk.Entry(root)  
  
    tk.Label(root, text="Password").grid(row=1, column=0)  
  
    tk.Label(root, text="Username").grid(row=0, column=0)  
  
    root.title(f"{CLIENT_NAME} - Login")  
  
    root = tk.Tk()  
  
    result = {"user": None}  
  
    pass  
  
except FileNotFoundError:  
  
    users[parts[0].strip()] = parts[1].strip()  
  
    if len(parts) == 2:  
  
        parts = line.split(':', 1) if ':' in line else line.split(',', 1)  
  
        continue  
  
    if not line or line.startswith(" "):  
  
        line = line.strip()  
  
    for line in f:
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with open(path, 'r', encoding='utf-8') as f:  
    try:  
        users = {}  
  
        path = os.path.join(base_dir, "users.csv")  
  
        base_dir = os.path.dirname(os.path.abspath(__file__))  
  
def login_window():  
  
    screen.blit(inst_text, inst_text.get_rect(center=(center_x, center_y + 80)))  
  
    inst_text = font.render("Press R or N for Restart", True, p.Color('black'))  
  
    screen.blit(new_text, new_text.get_rect(center=new_game_rect.center))  
  
    new_text = font.render("New Game", True, p.Color('black'))  
  
    p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('black'), new_game_rect, 2)  
  
    p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('lightblue'), new_game_rect)  
  
    new_game_rect = p.Rect(center_x - button_width//2, center_y + 10, button_width, button_height)  
  
    screen.blit(play_text, play_text.get_rect(center=play_again_rect.center))  
  
    play_text = font.render("Play Again", True, p.Color('black'))  
  
    p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('black'), play_again_rect, 2)  
  
    p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('lightgreen'), play_again_rect)  
  
    play_again_rect = p.Rect(center_x - button_width//2, center_y - 60, button_width, button_height)  
  
    button_width, button_height = 200, 50  
  
    center_x, center_y = Width//2, Height//2  
  
    screen.blit(s, (0, 0))  
  
    s.fill(p.Color('white'))  
  
    s.set_alpha(200)  
  
    s = p.Surface((Width, Height))
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def drawRestartMenu(screen, font):  
  
    screen.blit(inst_text, inst_rect)  
  
    inst_rect = inst_text.get_rect(center=(center_x, center_y - piece_size))  
  
    inst_text = font.render("Choose promotion piece:", True, p.Color('black'))  
  
    screen.blit(label, label_rect)  
  
    label_rect = label.get_rect(center=(x + piece_size//2, y + piece_size + 20))  
  
    label = font.render(piece, True, p.Color('black'))  
  
    screen.blit(piece_img, (x+5, y+5))  
  
    piece_img = p.transform.scale(IMAGES[piece_name], (piece_size-10, piece_size-10))  
  
    if piece_name in IMAGES:  
  
        piece_name = piece_color + piece  
  
        piece_color = 'w' if gs.whiteToMove else 'b'  
  
        p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('black'), p.Rect(x, y, piece_size, piece_size), 2)  
  
        p.draw.rect(screen, p.Color('lightgray'), p.Rect(x, y, piece_size, piece_size))  
  
        y = start_y  
  
        x = start_x + i*piece_size  
  
    for i, piece in enumerate(pieces):  
  
        pieces = ['Q', 'R', 'B', 'N']  
  
        start_y = center_y - piece_size//2  
  
        start_x = center_x - 2*piece_size  
  
        piece_size = SQ_SIZE  
  
        center_x, center_y = Width//2, Height//2  
  
        screen.blit(s, (0, 0))  
  
        s.fill(p.Color('white'))
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s.set_alpha(200)

s = p.Surface((Width, Height))

def drawPromotionMenu(screen, font, whiteBottom, gs):

    y += 20

    screen.blit(text, (x, y))

    text = font.render(f"{i+1}. {move}", True, p.Color('black'))

    for i, move in enumerate(moves[-8:]):
        y += 22

        screen.blit(font.render("Moves:", True, p.Color('black')), (x, y))

        x, y = 10, 50

def drawMoveHistory(screen, font, moves):

    screen.blit(t, rect)

    rect = t.get_rect(center=(Width//2, Height//2))

    t = font.render(text, True, p.Color('red'))

    screen.blit(s, (0, 0))

    s.fill(p.Color('white'))

    s.set_alpha(140)

    s = p.Surface((Width, Height))

def drawGameOver(screen, font, text):

    screen.blit(white_surf, (10, Height - 10 - white_surf.get_height()))

    screen.blit(black_surf, (10, 10))

    white_surf = font.render(f"White: {fmt(white_ms)}", True, p.Color('black'))
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black_surf = font.render(f"Black: {fmt(black_ms)}", True, p.Color('black'))\n\n    return f"{m:02d}:{s:02d}"\n\n    s = total%60\n\n    m = total//60\n\n    total = max(0, ms//1000)\n\ndef fmt(ms):\n\ndef drawClocks(screen, font, white_ms, black_ms):\n\n\n    screen.blit(text, (4, r*SQ_SIZE + 4))\n\n    text = small.render(rankChar, True, p.Color('black'))\n\n    rankChar = ranks[7-r] if whiteBottom else ranks[r]\n\n    for r in range(8):\n\n        screen.blit(text, (c*SQ_SIZE + 4, Height - text.get_height() - 4))\n\n        text = small.render(fileChar, True, p.Color('black'))\n\n        fileChar = files[c] if whiteBottom else files[7-c]\n\n    for c in range(8):\n\n        ranks = ['1','2','3','4','5','6','7','8']\n\n        files = ['a','b','c','d','e','f','g','h']\n\n        small = p.font.SysFont(None, 24)\n\ndef drawLabels(screen, whiteBottom):\n\n\n    p.draw.circle(screen, p.Color('red'), center, SQ_SIZE//8)\n\n    center = (dc2*SQ_SIZE + SQ_SIZE//2, dr2*SQ_SIZE + SQ_SIZE//2)\n\n    dc2 = m.endCol if whiteBottom else 7 - m.endCol\n\n    dr2 = m.endRow if whiteBottom else 7 - m.endRow
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if (m.startRow, m.startCol) == (r, c):  
  
    for m in validMoves:  
  
        screen.blit(s, (dc*SQ_SIZE, dr*SQ_SIZE))  
  
        dc = c if whiteBottom else 7 - c  
  
        dr = r if whiteBottom else 7 - r  
  
        s.fill(p.Color('yellow'))  
  
        s.set_alpha(100)  
  
        s = p.Surface((SQ_SIZE, SQ_SIZE))  
  
        r, c = sqSelected  
  
        return  
  
    if sqSelected == ():  
  
def drawHighlights(screen, sqSelected, validMoves, whiteBottom):  
  
  
    screen.blit(IMAGES[piece], (x, y))  
  
    y = dr*SQ_SIZE + (SQ_SIZE - PIECE_SIZE)//2  
  
    x = dc*SQ_SIZE + (SQ_SIZE - PIECE_SIZE)//2  
  
    dc = c if whiteBottom else 7 - c  
  
    dr = r if whiteBottom else 7 - r  
  
    if piece != "--":  
  
        piece = board[r][c]  
  
        for c in range(Dimension):  
  
            for r in range(Dimension):  
  
def drawPieces(screen, board, whiteBottom):  
  
  
    p.draw.rect(screen, color, p.Rect(dc*SQ_SIZE, dr*SQ_SIZE, SQ_SIZE, SQ_SIZE))
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dc = c if whiteBottom else 7 - c  
dr = r if whiteBottom else 7 - r  
color = colors[(r+c) % 2]  
  
for c in range(Dimension):  
  
    for r in range(Dimension):  
  
        colors = [p.Color("white"), p.Color("gray")]  
  
def drawBoard(screen, whiteBottom):  
  
  
    drawLabels(screen, whiteBottom)  
  
    drawPieces(screen, gs.board, whiteBottom)  
  
    drawHighlights(screen, sqSelected, validMoves, whiteBottom)  
  
    drawBoard(screen, whiteBottom)  
  
def drawGameState(screen, gs, sqSelected, validMoves, whiteBottom):  
  
  
    p.display.flip()  
  
    drawRestartMenu(screen, font)  
  
    if show_restart_menu:  
  
        drawGameOver(screen, font, game_over_text)  
  
        if game_over_text:  
  
            drawPromotionMenu(screen, font, orientationWhiteBottom, gs)  
  
            if promotion_pending:  
  
                drawClocks(screen, font, white_time_ms, black_time_ms)  
  
                drawMoveHistory(screen, small_font, move_history)  
  
                drawGameState(screen, gs, sqSelected, validMoves, orientationWhiteBottom)  
  
                show_restart_menu = True
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game_over_text = "Black out of time - White wins"

black_time_ms = 0

if black_time_ms <= 0:

    black_time_ms -= dt

else:

    show_restart_menu = True

    game_over_text = "White out of time - Black wins"

    white_time_ms = 0

if white_time_ms <= 0:

    white_time_ms -= dt

if gs.whiteToMove:

    if not game_over_text:

        playerClicks = []

        sqSelected = ()

        show_restart_menu = False

        game_over_text = ""

        promotion_pending = None

        move_history = []

        black_time_ms = int(base_seconds * 1000)

        white_time_ms = int(base_seconds * 1000)

        validMoves = gs.getValidMoves()

        gs = GameState()

    elif e.key == p.K_r or e.key == p.K_n:

        show_restart_menu = False

        game_over_text = ""
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promotion_pending = None

move_history.pop()

if move_history:
    validMoves = gs.getValidMoves()

    gs.undoMove()

if len(gs.moveLog) > 0:

    if e.key == p.K_u:

        elif e.type == p.KEYDOWN:

            show_restart_menu = True

            game_over_text = "Stalemate"

        else:

            game_over_text = "Checkmate - " + ("White" if not gs.whiteToMove else "Black")
            + " wins"

            if gs.isInCheck(gs.whiteToMove):

                if len(validMoves) == 0:

                    validMoves = gs.getValidMoves()

                    promotion_pending = None

                    gs.board[promotion_pending.endRow][promotion_pending.endCol] =
promotion_pending.pieceMoved[0] + chosen_piece

                    chosen_piece = piece_choices[choice_idx]

                    piece_choices = ['Q', 'R', 'B', 'N']

                if 0 <= choice_idx < 4:

                    choice_idx = click_x // piece_size

                    click_x = location[0] - start_x

                    start_y <= location[1] <= start_y + piece_size):

                        if (start_x <= location[0] <= start_x + 4*piece_size and

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```
start_y = center_y - piece_size//2
start_x = center_x - 2*piece_size
piece_size = SQ_SIZE
center_x, center_y = Width//2, Height//2
location = p.mouse.get_pos()

elif e.type == p.MOUSEBUTTONDOWN and promotion_pending:
    playerClicks = []
    sqSelected = ()
    show_restart_menu = True
    game_over_text = "Stalemate"
else:
    game_over_text = "Checkmate - " + ("White" if not gs.whiteToMove else
"Black") + " wins"
    if gs.isInCheck(gs.whiteToMove):
        if len(validMoves) == 0:
            else:
                promotion_pending = move
                if move.isPawnPromotion:
                    move_history.append(move.getChessNotation())
                    validMoves = gs.getValidMoves()
                    black_time_ms += increment_ms
                else:
                    white_time_ms += increment_ms
                if moved_white:
                    gs.makeMove(move)
                    moved_white = gs.whiteToMove
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break

move = vm

if vm == move:

    for vm in validMoves:

        if move in validMoves:

            move = Move(playerClicks[0], playerClicks[1], gs.board)

        if len(playerClicks) == 2:

            playerClicks.append(sqSelected)

            sqSelected = (row, col)

        else:

            playerClicks = []

            sqSelected = ()

        if sqSelected == (row, col):

            row = 7 - row

            col = 7 - col

        if not orientationWhiteBottom:

            row = location[1]//SQ_SIZE

            col = location[0]//SQ_SIZE

            location = p.mouse.get_pos()

    elif e.type == p.MOUSEBUTTONDOWN and not game_over_text and not promotion_pending:

        running = False

    if e.type == p.QUIT:

        for e in p.event.get():

            dt = clock.tick(MAX_FPS)

while running:
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show_restart_menu = False  
promotion_pending = None  
move_history = []  
game_over_text = ""  
increment_ms = int(increment_seconds * 1000)  
black_time_ms = int(base_seconds * 1000)  
white_time_ms = int(base_seconds * 1000)  
validMoves = gs.getValidMoves()  
playerClicks = []  
sqSelected = ()  
running = True  
loadImages()  
gs = GameState()  
small_font = p.font.SysFont(None, 24)  
font = p.font.SysFont(None, 42)  
screen.fill(p.Color("white"))  
clock = p.time.Clock()  
p.display.set_caption(CLIENT_NAME)  
screen = p.display.set_mode((Width, Height))  
PIECE_SIZE = max(60, int(SQ_SIZE * (100/135)))  
SQ_SIZE = Height // Dimension  
Width = Height = board_size  
global Width, Height, SQ_SIZE, PIECE_SIZE  
board_size = min(1080, max_fit)  
max_fit = max(400, min(info.current_w, info.current_h) - 80)
```

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info = p.display.Info()

p.init()

orientationWhiteBottom = (player_side == 'white')

base_seconds, increment_seconds, player_side = settings

return

if settings is None:

    settings = settings_window()

    return

if not user:

    user = login_window()

def main():

    IMAGES[piece] = p.transform.scale(p.image.load(path), (PIECE_SIZE, PIECE_SIZE))

    path = os.path.join(img_dir, piece + ".png")

for piece in pieces:

    img_dir = os.path.join(base_dir, "images")

    base_dir = os.path.dirname(os.path.abspath(__file__))

    pieces = ["wp", "wR", "wN", "wB", "wK", "wQ", "bp", "bR", "bN", "bB", "bK", "bQ"]

def loadImages():

    PIECE_SIZE = 100

    IMAGES = {}

    MAX_FPS = 15

    SQ_SIZE = Height // Dimension

    Dimension = 8
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Width = Height = 1080

CLIENT\_NAME = "Foot Master"

```
from chessEngine import GameState, Move  
import os  
from tkinter import messagebox  
import tkinter as tk  
import pygame as p
```

chessMain.py - Main game: login, settings, Pygame board, move input, clocks, promotion, game over.

## Testing

- ✓ Show you have completed the tests you thought of
- ✓ Identify if you needed to make changes to your program
- ✓ Include the screenshots of the tests

### My tests:

Test	What am I testing?	Expected result	Pass/Fail	Do I need to change my program? If so, how?
1	Login with valid user	Login succeeds, settings appear	Pass	No change
2	Login with wrong password	Error message shown	Pass	No change
3	Register new user	Registration and login work	Pass	No change
4	Legal move (e2–e4)	Pawn moves, turn changes	Pass	No change
5	Clock reaches zero	Time-out message and	Pass	No change

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		winner shown		
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**My test screenshots:**

Figure: Login screen

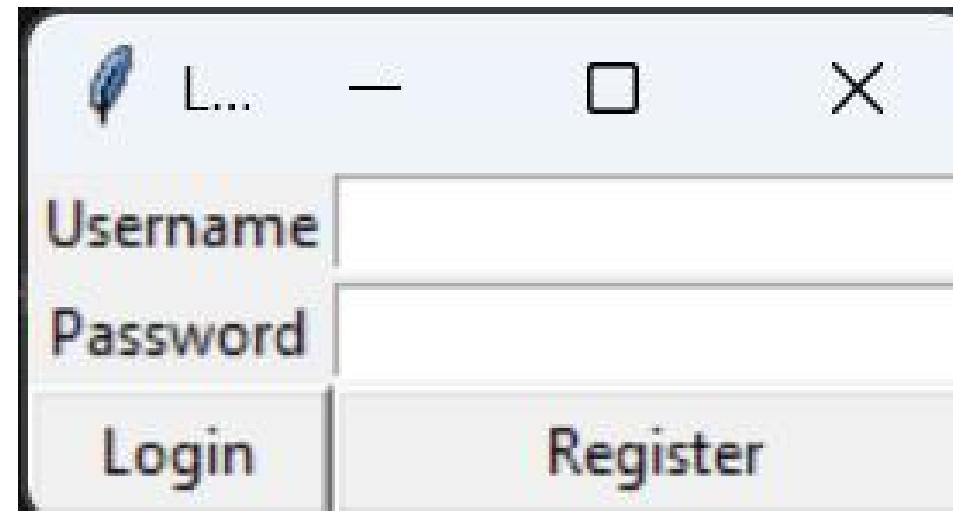


Figure: Board at start

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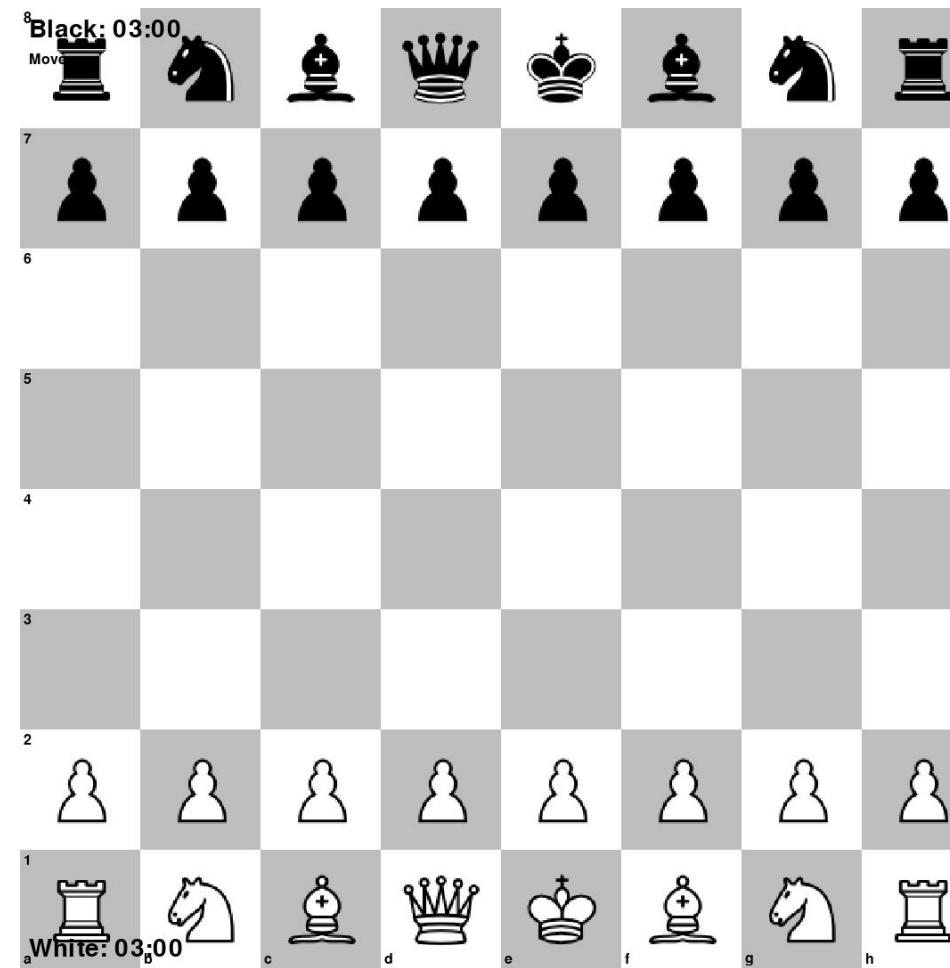


Figure: Valid moves highlighted

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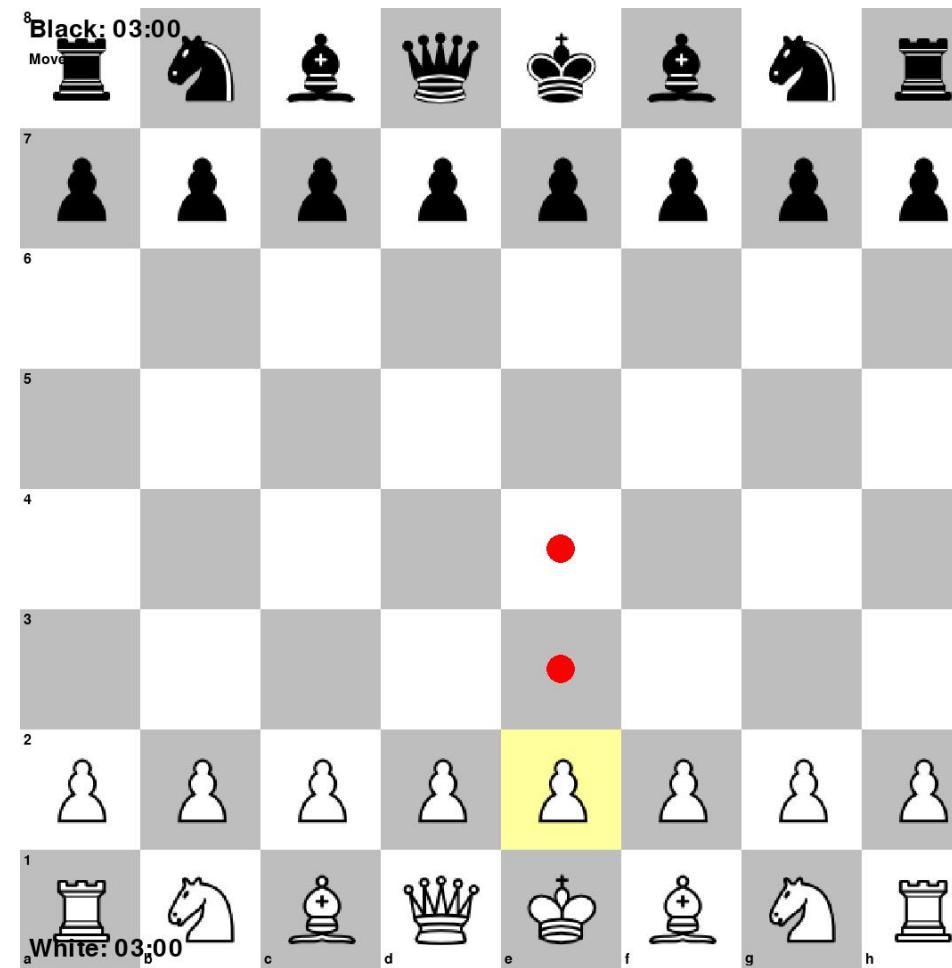


Figure: Clocks and move history

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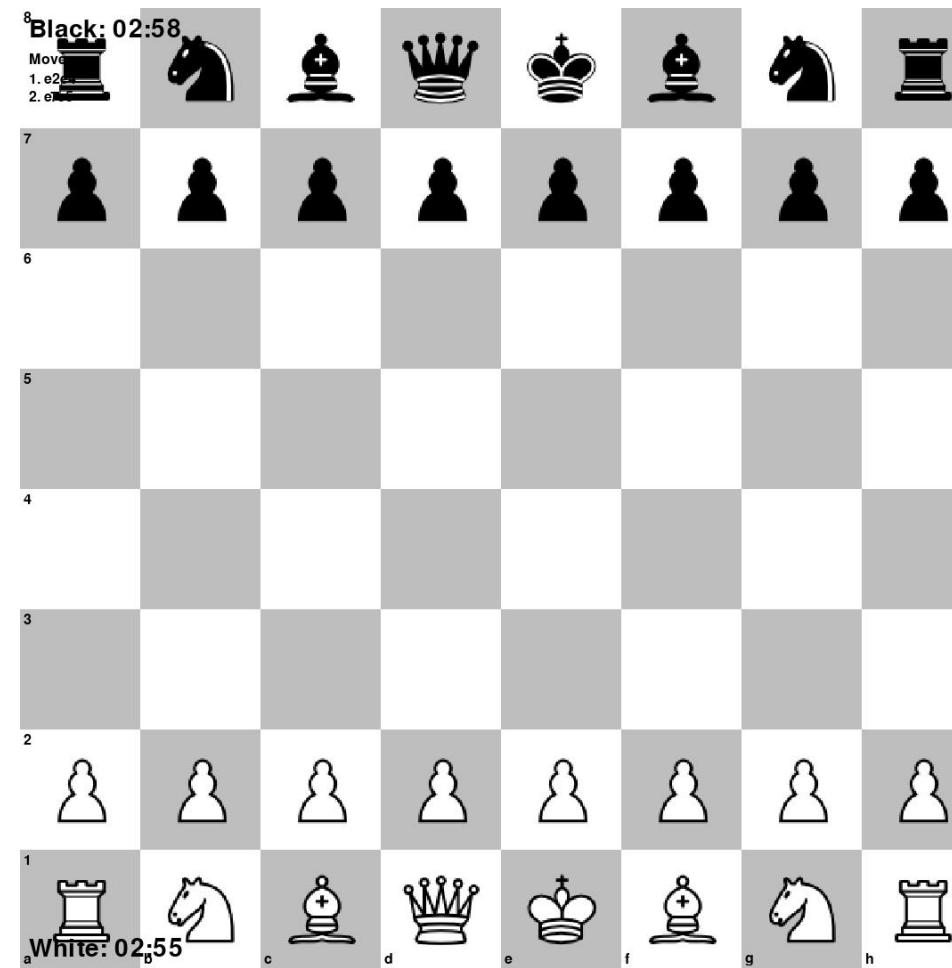


Figure: Checkmate

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**Checkmate - White wins**

Figure: Promotion menu

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Choose promotion piece:

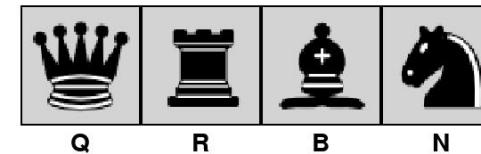


Figure: Restart menu

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## J276 Programming Project Report

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**Play Again**

**New Game**

**Press R or N for Restart**

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## Evaluation

- ✓ Evaluate how successful your program was. You should like your evaluation to your testing results.
- ✓ You should reflect on any new skills you have developed

This section should be approximately 200-500 words.

### How successful was my program?

The program meets the success criteria: users can log in and register, choose side and time control, and play a full game of chess on an 8×8 board with correct rules. All piece types move correctly, including castling and en passant, and check, checkmate and stalemate are detected. The interface shows move highlights and the last few moves, and both players have clocks that count down with optional increment. When the game ends (checkmate, stalemate or time-out), a clear message is shown and the user can restart. Testing showed that valid and invalid logins, registration, normal moves, and time-out behave as expected. One limitation is that the game is two-player on one machine (no network or AI opponent). Another is that promotion defaults to queen in the engine, but the GUI allows choosing queen, rook, bishop or knight. Overall, the program is successful for its intended purpose as a local two-player chess game with timing and standard rules.

### What new skills have I developed?

I developed skills in structuring a larger program into two modules (engine vs. GUI). I used Pygame for the game loop, drawing, and mouse input, and Tkinter for dialogs, which required combining two libraries in one application. I implemented standard chess rules (move generation, check detection, castling, en passant, promotion) and data structures such as the board representation and move log. I practised event-driven design (clicks, key presses, timer updates) and simple file I/O for user credentials. I also improved code readability by adding comments and keeping the engine separate from the display logic, which made debugging and testing easier.

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