Use Case 4: Play Tutorial

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Characteristic Information

Goal in Context: Play a local game against Al players to learn Scrabble and improve skills. Assistance in learning the rules of the game and understanding the application.

Scope: Game

Level: Primary – extends "UC 2: Play Scrabble"

Primary Actor: User

Stakeholders & Interests:

User: Wants to learn the basics of the game and how the application works quickly and hands-on if he doesn't already know them.

Preconditions: User has started the game and selected the tutorial mode.

Success Guarantee (Postconditions): All the rules have been explained, the user has played some basic moves in the game and understood the structure of the application.

Trigger: User starts tutorial mode on the main UI of the application.

Main Success Scenario

- 1. Game welcomes the user to the tutorial and shows the rules of Scrabble.
- 2. User clicks continue.
- 3. The user interface of the game (buttons, elements, etc.) is presented.
- 4. User clicks continue.
- 5. Game requests the user to make a move with defined tiles.
- 6. Results of move are presented.
- 7. Spare tiles are drawn.
- 8. Game sets predefined move.
- 9. Loops back to step 5 until all the different placement options and rules of Scrabble were explained.
- 10. Tutorial explains score
- 11. Tutorial explains different field types
- 12. Tutorial explains game goal and win/lose conditions
- 13. User leaves tutorial mode or plays against a simple bot for the rest of the game

Extensions

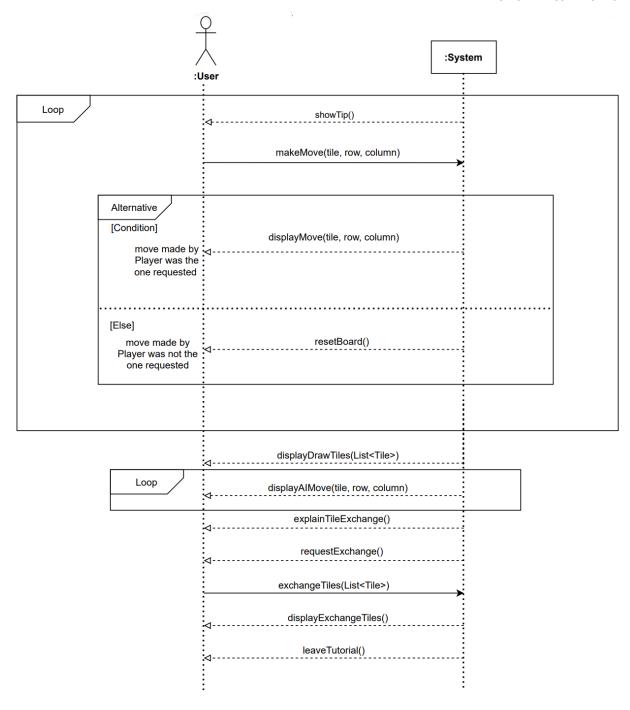
- *a. At any time, System fails:
 - 1. System reopens system, logs in, and requests recovery of prior state.
 - 2. System reconstructs prior state.
 - 2a. System detects anomalies preventing recovery: System signals error and records the error. System starts new tutorial.
 - 3. Warning sign that the game crashed appears.
- 2-13a. User leaves tutorial mode:
 - 1. Exit tutorial mode.
- 6a. User doesn't play a valid move.
 - 1. Ask the user to make a move again, which complies with the rules.

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System Sequence Diagram

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Operation Contracts

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Contract 4.1: makeMove

Operation: makeMove(tile: Tile, row: integer, column: column): void

Cross References: UC 4: Play Tutorial Mode

Preconditions:

- User entered tutorial mode and clicked continue
- User player p was associated with Game g and g was running

Postconditions:

- tile was disassociated from player
- tile was associated on BoardField bf associated with Board at given row and column, associated with g

Contract 4.2: exchangeTiles

Operation: exchangeTiles(tiles : List<Tile>) : List<Tile>

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Preconditions:

- User selected tile intances associated with user's player
- User Player p was associated with Game g and g was running

Postconditions:

- Selected tiles were disassociated from p and associated with g
- Returned list of tiles were disassociated from g and associated with p