

### **EXP-2.3**

- **AIM:-** To design and develop a full-stack web application that allows users to draw shapes on an SVG canvas using mouse events, and save the drawings using backend APIs.
- **THEORY:-** SVG (Scalable Vector Graphics)
- SVG is an XML-based format for vector graphics that allows shapes like circles, rectangles, lines, and paths to be drawn in the browser with precision and scalability.
- Mouse Events
- Mouse events like mousedown, mousemove, and mouseup allow for capturing user input for drawing shapes or freehand paths.
- Frontend Technologies
- HTML/CSS/JavaScript
- SVG for canvas-like drawing
- Event Listeners for mouse input
- Backend Technologies
- Node.js with Express.js (or Python Flask)
- Database: MongoDB or SQLite (for storing SVG markup or shape data)
- Real-time (optional)
- WebSockets (e.g., Socket.io) for collaborative drawing.

- **CODE:-**

- **Front-end:**

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
```

```
<html lang="en">
```

```
<head>
```

```
<meta charset="UTF-8" />
```

```
<title>SVG Drawing Tool</title>
```

```
<style>
```

```
  svg {
```

```
    border: 1px solid black;
```

```
    background: #f9f9f9;
```

```
  }
```

```
</style>
```

```
</head>
```

```
<body>
```

```
<h2>Draw on SVG Canvas</h2>
```

```
<svg id="canvas" width="600" height="400"></svg>
```

```
<button onclick="saveDrawing()">Save Drawing</button>
```

```
<script>
```

```
const svg = document.getElementById('canvas');
```

```
let drawing = false;
```

```
let currentPath;
```

```
svg.addEventListener('mousedown', (e) =>
```

```
  { drawing = true;
```

```
    const pt = getMousePosition(e);
```

```
    currentPath =
```

```
document.createElementNS('http://www.w3.org/2000/svg', 'path');
```

```
currentPath.setAttribute('d', `M ${pt.x} ${pt.y}`);
```

```
currentPath.setAttribute('stroke', 'black');
```

```
currentPath.setAttribute('fill', 'none');
```

```
currentPath.setAttribute('stroke-width', '2');
```

```
svg.appendChild(currentPath);
```

```
});
```

```
svg.addEventListener('mousemove', (e) =>
```

```
  { if (!drawing) return;
```

```
    const pt = getMousePosition(e);
```

```
    const d = currentPath.getAttribute('d');
```

```
currentPath.setAttribute('d', `${d} L ${pt.x} ${pt.y}`);
```

```
});
```

```
svg.addEventListener('mouseup', () =>
  { drawing = false;
});
```

```
function getMousePosition(evt)
{ const CTM =
svg.getScreenCTM(); return {
  x: (evt.clientX - CTM.e) / CTM.a,
  y: (evt.clientY - CTM.f) / CTM.d
};
}
```

```
function saveDrawing() {
  const svgData = svg.innerHTML;
  fetch('/api/save', {
    method: 'POST',
    headers: { 'Content-Type': 'application/json' },
    body: JSON.stringify({ drawing: svgData })
  }).then(res => res.json())
    .then(data => alert('Drawing saved!'))
    .catch(err => console.error(err));
}
```

```
</script>
```

```
</body>
```

```
</html>
```

➤ **Back-End:**

```
// server.js
const express = require('express');
const bodyParser = require('body-parser');
const fs = require('fs');
const app = express();
const PORT = 3000;

app.use(bodyParser.json());
app.use(express.static('public'));

app.post('/api/save', (req, res) => {
  const { drawing } = req.body;
  fs.writeFile('drawing.svg', `<svg
xmlns="http://www.w3.org/2000/svg" width="600"
height="400">${drawing}</svg>`, (err) => {
    if (err)
      { console.error(err);
        res.status(500).send( { message: 'Failed to save drawing' } );
      } else {
        res.send( { message: 'Drawing saved' } );
      }
  });
});

app.listen(PORT, () => {
  console.log(`Server running on http://localhost:${PORT}`);
});
```

- **OUTPUT:-**

## **Draw on SVG Canvas**



- **LEARNING OUTCOMES:-**

- ✓ Interactive Front-End Development – Gained hands-on experience in handling mouse events and dynamically drawing on an SVG canvas using JavaScript.
- ✓ Client–Server Communication – Learned how to send data from the browser to the backend using the Fetch API and HTTP POST requests.
- ✓ Back-End Development with Express.js – Understood how to create API endpoints, parse JSON data, and handle requests in Node.js with Express.
- ✓ File Handling and Data Persistence – Acquired skills in saving user-generated drawings as SVG files using Node’s fs module.
- ✓ Full-Stack Project Integration – Developed a complete workflow connecting front-end drawing, server-side processing, and file storage into a functioning mini web application.