Object Oriented Software Engineering Project

RoM: Redeemers of the Monarchy

Analysis Report

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1 Introduction

Our project is a "Tower Defense" type game. It will be a Java desktop application. Tower Defense is a strategy game. In Tower Defense games, players aim to defend their territories or possessions from enemies by destroying them before they reach the endpoint.

The report aims to give the reader a feel of what our game is and what to expect from it. Specifically, this analysis report gives an overview of the game, functional requirements, non-functional requirements, pseudo-functional requirements, use-case scenarios and model, dynamic models, object and class models, and user interface navigational paths and screen mockups.

2 Overview

Our game, "Redeemers of the Monarchy," has nine levels. In every level the waves of monsters increase. A player is required to survive all the waves of monsters in order to win the game. The player must do this without letting the life units (2000) of the castle at the endpoint to go zero. Each monster has distinct damage points, described in later sections. The player can destroy the monsters by placing defensive towers at predefined empty areas. These areas are near a path. The monsters can only walk on this path.
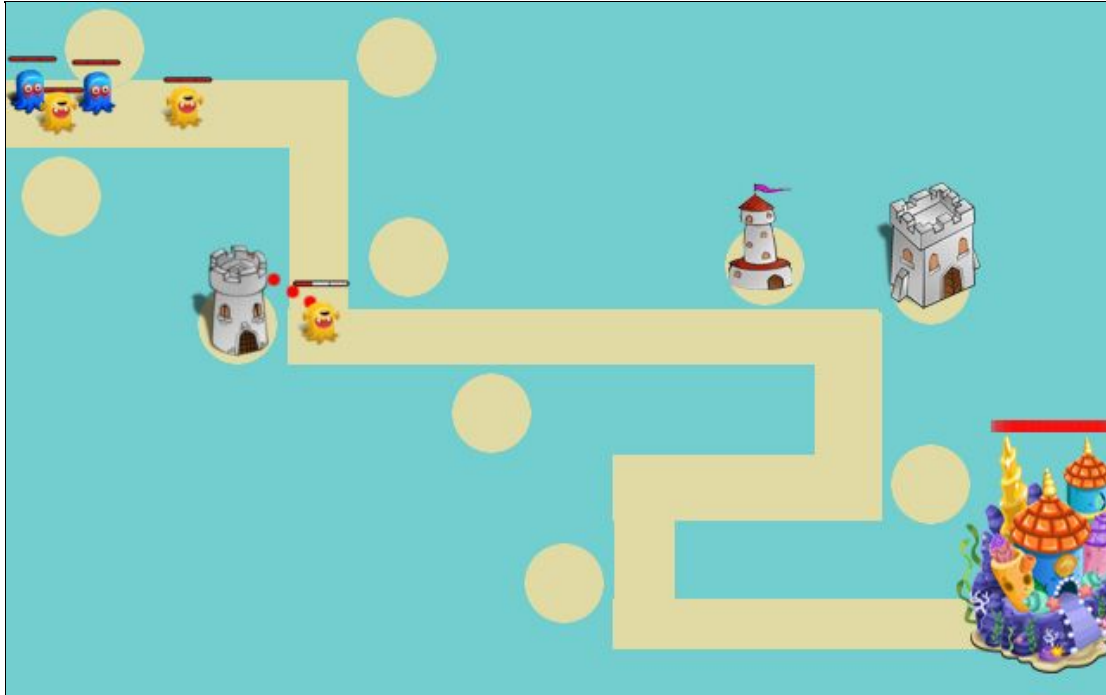

Figure 1-Path of the monsters.[1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9]

The player is given 300 coins in the beginning of the game. These coins can be used to purchase towers or upgrade them. There will be four types of defense towers with different characteristics (Fire Range, Fire Damage, Number of bullets thrown/second, Time required to set the tower up). Upgrades of the towers will boost all the characteristics of the tower. The player will earn coins as defense towers kill monsters (5 coins per monster). As the game progresses the number of monsters in a wave will increase. There will be 9 waves in total.

The player can pause the game at any time. When game is paused, the player will have the following options: resume game, change settings, view tutorial, and quit game. The game will have three difficulty levels (easy, medium, and hard.) Depending on difficulty level, certain conditions (number of monsters in a wave, high score of the player) will be applied. These conditions are explained in detail on further pages of this report.

The player will be able to play the game with a mouse and keyboard shortcuts. Additionally there will be a scrollbar to provide the player with a better vision of the game.

At the end of each game, whether completed successfully or not, the player will be given an option to save his/her high score. The highscore of the player will be determined by this formula (the number of seconds survived + remaining money)* Difficulty level (1.0 for easy, 2.0 for normal and 3.0 for hard).

2.1 Initial start of the game:

Initially the player will have 300 coins to purchase and upgrade defense towers. After 30 seconds first wave of monsters will be generated.

2.2 Monsters

Each monster will have a bar shown on top of their head that indicates their remaining health. A monster can only be killed if its health is zero. Monsters will be randomly generated but each of them will have different characteristics. The number of generated monsters will depend on which wave the game is currently in. 5 coins will be won by the player for each destroyed monster

2.2.1 Monster Types

There will be three different monster types each having different capabilities.

Speedy Monsters

Figure 2-Speedy monster [2].

Speedy monsters will be high in speed but they will cause less damage compared to the other monsters.

Health = 100 units
Speed = 200 units
Damage = 100 units

Damaging Monsters

Figure 3-Damaging Monster [3].

These monsters will cause high damage but they will not be as fast as other monsters.

Health = 100 units
Speed = 100 units
Damage = 200 units

Speedy & Damaging Monsters

Figure 4-Speedy & Damaging monster [4].

These monsters will cause high damage but they will not be as fast as other monsters.

Health = 100 units
Speed = 100 units
Damage = 200 units

2.3 Wave of monsters

As the game progresses, the number of monsters generated will also increase. Duration of every wave in this game is a minute. The monsters will be generated randomly according to the difficulty level chosen by the player. Also if the difficulty is easy, then there will be 2 monsters less in each wave and if the difficulty is chosen as hard, then there will be 4 monsters more in each wave.
The details of the number of monsters every wave every minute are bulleted below for medium difficulty:

- At first minute (first wave) , 5 monsters will be generated every 20 seconds.
- At second minute (second wave), 7 monsters will be generated every 20 seconds
- At the third minute (third wave), 10 monsters will be generated every 20 seconds.
- At the fourth minute (fourth wave), 10 monsters will be generated every 15 seconds.
- At the fifth minute (fifth wave), 12 monsters will be generated every 15 seconds.
- At the sixth minute (sixth wave), 14 monsters will be generated every 12 seconds.
- At the seventh minute (seventh wave) 20 monsters will be generated every 12 seconds.
- At the eighth minute (eighth wave) 25 monsters will be generated every 10 seconds.
- At the ninth minute (ninth wave) 50 monsters will be generated every 10 seconds.

If the player can prevent the castle from being overrun by the attacks of the monsters for ten minutes than the game will be won.

2.4 Towers

The player will be given a chance to pick which tower will be placed from the mini-menu at the right side of the screen. The player will be able to drag and drop the tower at the appropriate places (Empty spots near the paths of the map but the road). Each tower will require some time to be set up.
2.4.1 Types of towers
There will be four types of towers. Each tower will have a certain boosted characteristic. The different features of the towers include: Fire Range, Fire Damage, Number of bullets thrown/second, Time required to set the tower up. Each tower will have different graphical appearances and symbols. Thus, the player will be able to see which tower he/she is generating.
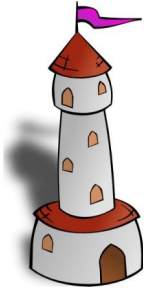
Range Tower

Figure 5- Range Tower [5].

This tower will be able to attack monsters from further ranges. It will have normal capabilities in its other features.

Range = 200 units
Damage = 25 units
Setup time = 30 seconds
Cost = 50 coins
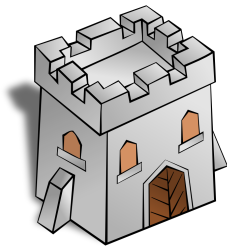Frequency = 1 bullet in every 3 seconds

Damage Tower

Figure 6-Damage Tower [6].

This tower will be able to attack monsters with higher damage. It will have normal capabilities in its other features.

Range = 100 units
Damage = 50 units
Setup time = 30 seconds
Cost = 50 coins
Frequency = 1 bullet in every 3 seconds
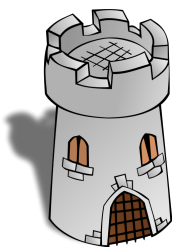
Automatic Tower

Figure 7-Automatic Tower [7].

This tower will be able to attack monsters with more bullets/second. It will have normal capabilities in its other features.

Range = 100 units
Damage = 10 units
Setup time = 30 seconds
Cost = 50 coins
Frequency = 1 bullet in every 1 seconds
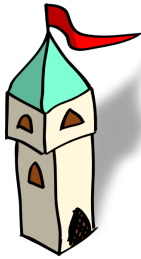
Easily-Generated Tower

Figure 8-Easily-Generated Tower [8].

This tower will be set up quicker compared to the other towers. It will have normal capabilities in its other features.

Range = 100 units
Damage = 10 units
Setup time = 5 seconds
Cost = 30 coins
Frequency = 1 bullet in every 3 seconds

2.4.2 Upgrading the Towers

The upgrading of the towers will boost all the characteristics of a given tower. The player can upgrade a tower at most four times.

2.4.3 Cost of Buying & Upgrading Towers

- **Buying a new tower:**
  Range Tower: 200 Coins
  Damage Tower: 200 Coins
  Automatic Tower: 200 Coins
  Easily-Generated Tower: 150 Coins.

- **Upgrading a Tower:**
  The cost of upgrade will not differ by the type of the tower but it will differ in how many times a tower is upgraded.

  - First Upgrade: 50 Coins-damage of the tower will increase by %10
  - Second Upgrade: 100 Coins-damage of the tower will increase by %30 and number of bullets thrown/second will increase by %20
  - Third Upgrade: 200 Coins-damage of the tower will increase by %60, the range of the tower will increase by %20 and the number of bullets thrown/second will increase by %40
  - Fourth Upgrade: 400 Coins-damage of the tower will increase by %80, the range of the tower will increase by %50 and the number of bullets thrown/second will increase by %60

2.5 Castle

Figure 9- Castle [9].

In this game, defending the castle will be the objective of the player. Castle will have a bar on top of it that shows its remaining health. As monsters get into the castle, the remaining health will be reduced by the amount of damage the monster possesses. Castle will initially have 2000 units of health.

3   Functional Requirements

3.1 Play Game

Player will be directed to the game "Redeemers of the Monarchy."

3.2 Pause Game

The player will be able to pause the game. The player resumes the game when the resume game icon is clicked. Player is presented with options: resume game, change settings, view tutorial, and quit in the pause menu.

3.3 Resume Game

The player will be redirected to the game that is paused.

3.4 Settings

The player will be able to:
- Change the difficulty of the game, there will be three options as easy, medium and hard. If the player does not modify the difficulty, it will be medium by default.
- Set music volume and sound effects volume.

3.5 View Tutorial

The player can get information about:
- Rules and explanation of the game
- Keyboard shortcuts
- Information about monster types, tower types and tower power ups.

3.6 View High Scores

The game will ask for the name of the player after the game finishes. High score table will include 10 highest points with the player name.

3.7 Credits

The player will see the contact information of the developers of the program.

3.8 Audio

The audio of the game will be changed to a fighting music when the monsters are on the attack, and the default music will be a pleasing audio. Also there will be a particular sound when a monster dies.

4 Non-functional Requirements

4.1 Response time

When the player wants to build a tower, there should not be any delay to improve game experience.

4.2 Smoothness

The graphics of the game will be smooth to make the game more playable because there are lots of movements included in monsters' actions and towers' attack consecutively.

4.4 Extendibility

Extendibility is an important concept in software world. The game will be extendible for us to be able to add new upgrade styles or tower types or monster types etc. for the newer versions of the game.

5 Pseudo Requirements

The game will be implemented in Java. It will be a desktop application. Adobe Photoshop cs6 and Gimp v2 will be used for some graphical objects. Visual Paradigm will be used for class models.

6 System Models

6.1 Use Case Descriptions

Use case name: Play
Participating actors: Player
Entry condition: Player has already opened the application but has not started a new game.
Exit condition:
-Player has won the game
-Player lost the game
-Player paused the game
-Player quits the game
Main flow of events:
1. Player starts the game
2. The system creates the game
3. Player plays the game. System acts according to how player plays.
4. Player wins the game with score above tenth highest score
5. Player's score is displayed.
6. Player enters name
7. System stores name and score
8. System changes high score table to include name and score of player. System displays this
9. Player quits the game
Alternative flow of events:
Alternative 1:
1. Player plays the game. System acts according to how player plays.
2. Player loses game
3. Player quits game
Alternative 2:
1. Player plays the game. System acts according to how player plays.
2. Player pauses the game where player changes settings
3. Player resumes game
The rest of the flow of events continue according to steps 3-8 in Main flow of events or 3-4 in Alternative 1
Alternative 3:
1. Player starts the game
2. The system creates the game
3. Player plays the game. System acts according to how player plays.
4. Player pauses the game
5. Player quits the game

Use case name: ChangeSettings

Participating actors: Player

Entry condition: Player has opened the application. Player has not started the game and will change settings before start of game. Alternative is that player is has paused game while playing.

Exit condition: Player starts or resumes playing game.

Main flow of events:
1. System displays settings
2. Player views settings
3. Player changes settings
4. The system saves settings and alters game accordingly
5. Player resumes or starts game

Alternative flow of events:
1. System displays settings
2. Player views settings
3. Player resumes or starts game without changing settings

Use case name: ViewTutorial

Participating actors: Player

Entry condition: Player has already opened the application but has not started playing the game. Alternative is that player has paused the game while playing.

Exit condition: Player starts or resumes playing the game

Main flow of events:
1. System displays tutorial
2. Player views tutorial
3. Player resumes or starts game

Alternative flow of events: --

Use case name: ViewHighScore

Participating actors: Player

Entry condition: Player has already opened the application but has not started playing. Alternative is player wins the game with a high score above the stored tenth high score.

Exit condition: Player starts playing the game. Alternative is player quits game after being placed in high score table.

Main flow of events:
1. System displays high score
2. Player views high score
3. Player starts game

Alternative flow of events:

Alternative 1:
1. Player plays game
2. Player wins game with high score above the stored tenth high score
3. System displays score and asks player name
4. System stores player name and score and modifies high score table accordingly
5. System displays high score table
6. Player views high score table
7. Player quits game

Alternative 2:
1. Player plays game
2. Player ends game with either win with high score lower than tenth high score or loses game.
3. System displays score and asks player name.
4. Same steps as Alternative 1: 5-7

Use case name: ViewCredits

Participating actors: Player

Entry condition: Player has already opened the application but has not started playing the game.

Exit condition: Player starts playing the game
Main flow of events:
1. System displays credits
2. Player views credits
3. Player resumes to start the game
Alternative flow of events: --

Use case name: Pause
Participating actors: Player
Entry condition: Player has already opened the application. Player is playing the game.
Exit condition: Player resumes game. Alternative is player quits
Main flow of events:
1. Player plays the game
2. Player chooses to pause game
3. System displays options during pause game
4. Player chooses options. Options' flow of events are according to above use cases
5. Player resumes game*
Alternative flow of events: If quit option is chosen, player does not resume game. Player quits game.

Use case name: Quit
Participating actors: Player
Entry condition: Player has already opened the application. Player has not started the game. Alternatives are player pauses the game or player finishes the game with win or loss.
Exit condition: Player chooses to quit. Player exits application.
Main flow of events:
1. System gives player quit option before playing game
2. Player chooses quit.
3. System closes application
Alternative flow of events:
Alternative 1:
1. Player plays game. Player pauses game
2. Same steps as Main flow: 2-3
Alternative 2:
1. Player plays game. Player finishes game.
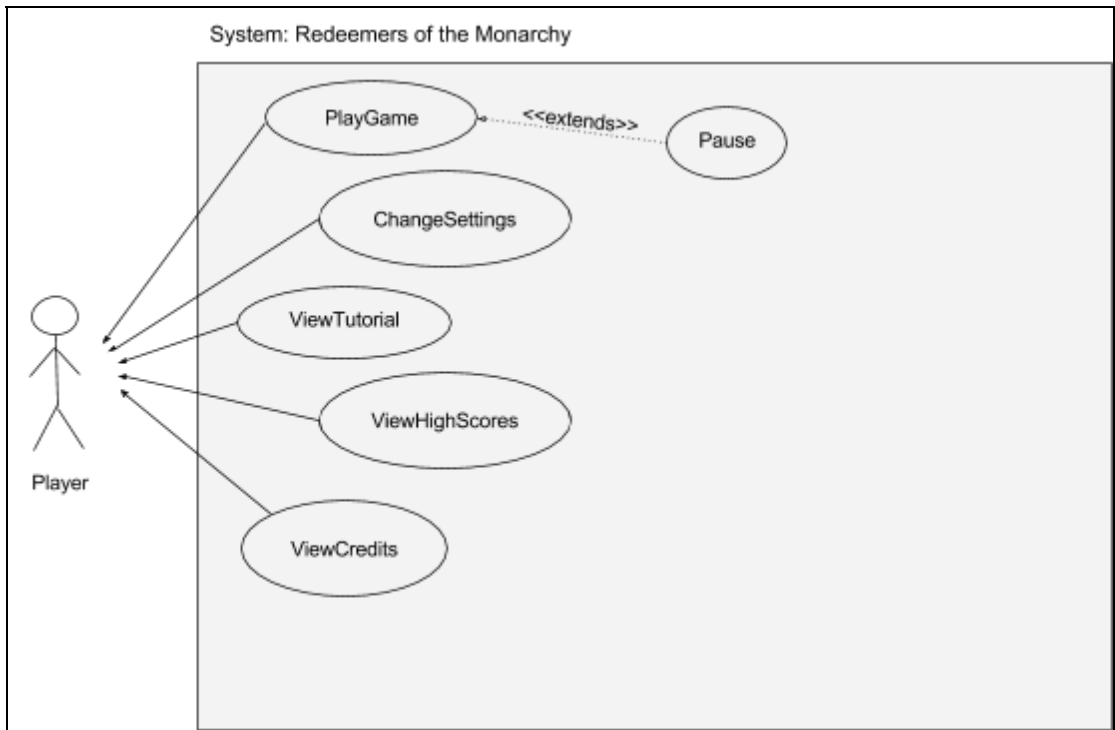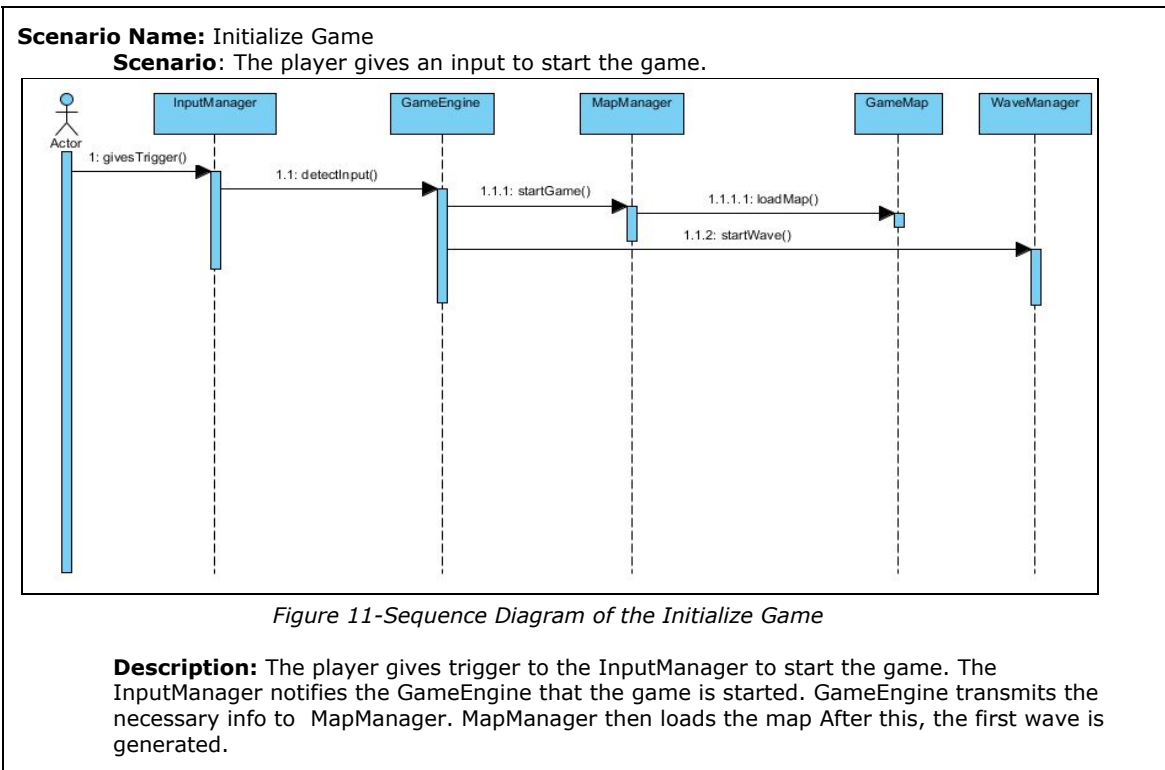2. Same steps as Main flow: 2-3

6.2 Use-Case Model

Figure 10- Use case model of the system

6.3 Dynamic Models

6.3.1 Sequence Diagrams

Scenario Name: Initialize Game
> **Scenario**: The player gives an input to start the game.

Figure 11-Sequence Diagram of the Initialize Game

Description: The player gives trigger to the InputManager to start the game. The InputManager notifies the GameEngine that the game is started. GameEngine transmits the necessary info to MapManager. MapManager then loads the map After this, the first wave is generated.

Scenario Name: Add tower

    Scenario: The player who has sufficient coins selects one of the appropriate places to put a tower in the map. Player then chooses which type of tower to select by clicking on the corresponding icon on the map. The required coin for the tower is taken from player's balance. Tower successfully operates.
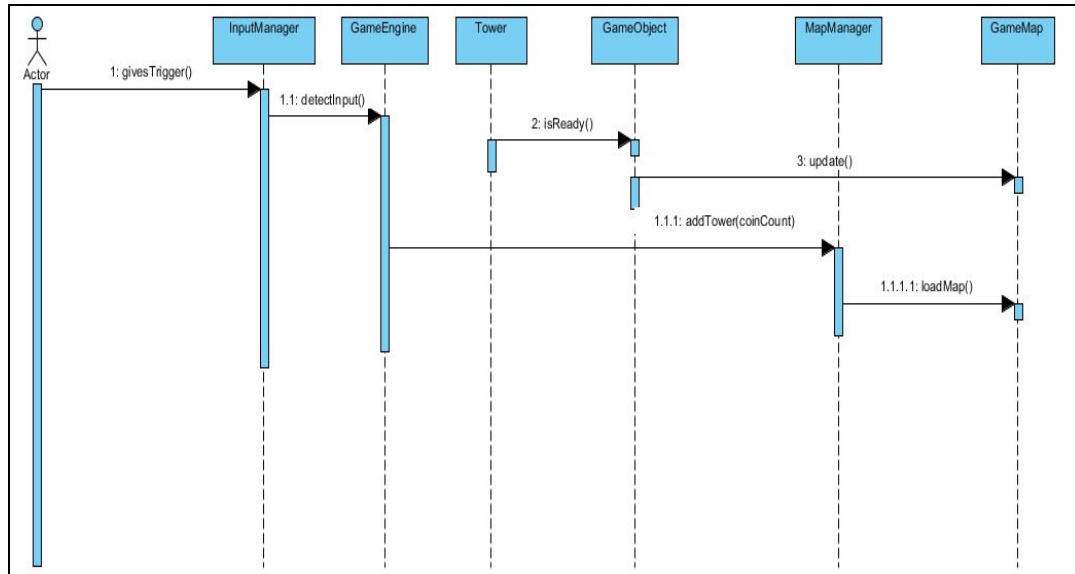

Figure 12-Sequence Diagram of the Add Tower

    Decription: A player gives trigger to the InputManager. The InputManager notifies the game engine about the corresponding input. When the tower is ready, the tower tells the gameObject that the tower is ready. Game object updates the GameMap. Then, GameEngine gives info to MapManager about the tower to be added. After the specified money is decreased by Player's coins, the map is loaded again to show all changes.

Scenario Name: Update Tower

    Scenario: The player who has sufficient coins clicks on the tower that he wishes to update. Then, the player clicks the update icon. The tower is successfully updated. Player's balance is also updated.
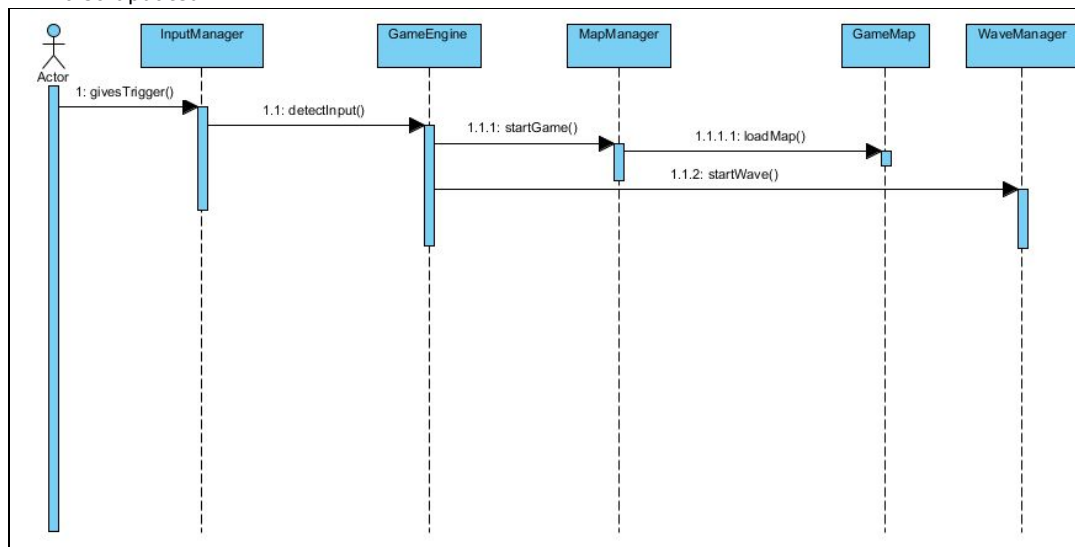

Figure 13- Sequence Diagram of the Update Tower

    Description: A player gives trigger to the InputManager. The InputManager notifies the game engine about the corresponding input. The tower class tells the GameObject that the

corresponding tower will be updated. Update then occurs when GameObject notifies the manager. After this, GameManager and MapManager do the necessary operations consecutively to update the current coins player has.

Scenario Name: Pause Game
   Scenario: The player who wants to pause game , presses P to pause game then resumes game by choosing resume game option.
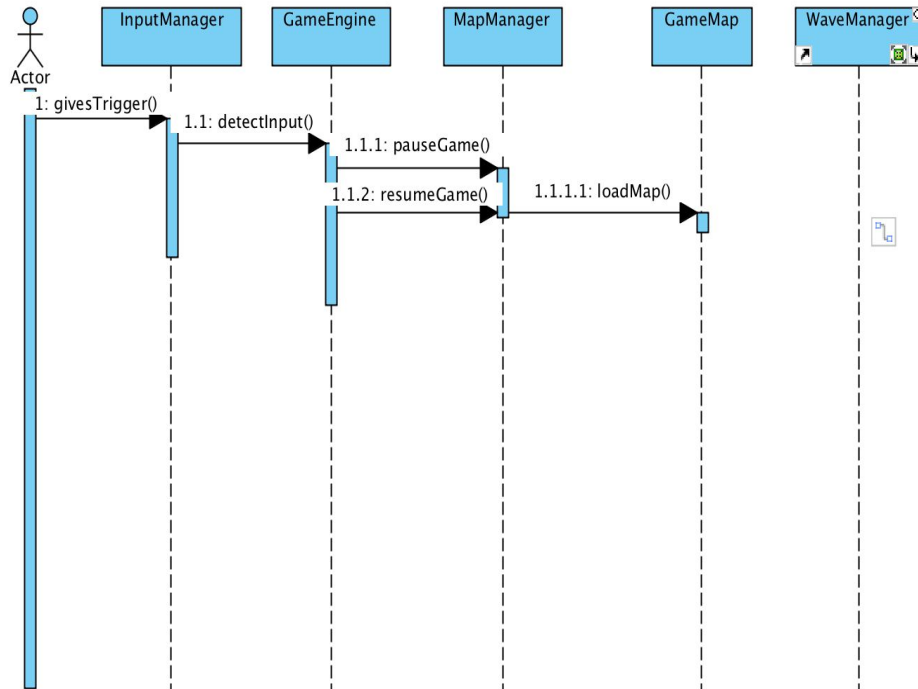

Figure 13- Sequence Diagram of Pause Game

Description: A player gives trigger to the InputManager. The InputManager notifies the game engine about the corresponding input.Game Engine pauses game by pauseGame method. Then resume game provides with resuming the game from the point that player has paused last.

Scenario Name: End Game
Scenario: Player's game ends either because he has no health in his castle or he has passed all the required waves.
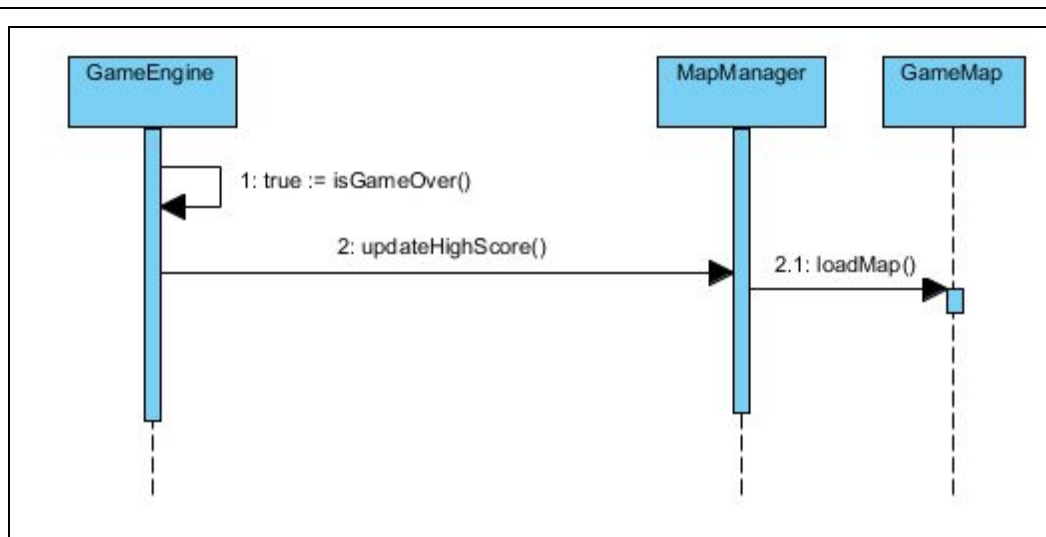
*Figure 14- Sequence Diagram of End Game*

Description: GameEngine is notified either because there is no remaining health in the castle or the player has passed all the waves. Due to one of these reasons GameEngine asks itself if the game is over. When the GameEngine is sure that the game is over, it asks the MapManager to update the highscore according to the formula mentioned above. After this is done, the new map (with the score shown) is updated.

6.3.2 State Diagrams

Tower State Diagram:
This diagram describes the states of tower. If there is no enemy nearby, the tower stays in the default state. When player wants to upgrade the tower, the tower will be powered up and will return to its default state. When the tower sees an enemy within range it starts to damage the monster. Each type of tower has different bullet frequency, by checking the bullet period tower will wait some time to fire the next bullet.

Figure 15- Tower State Diagram
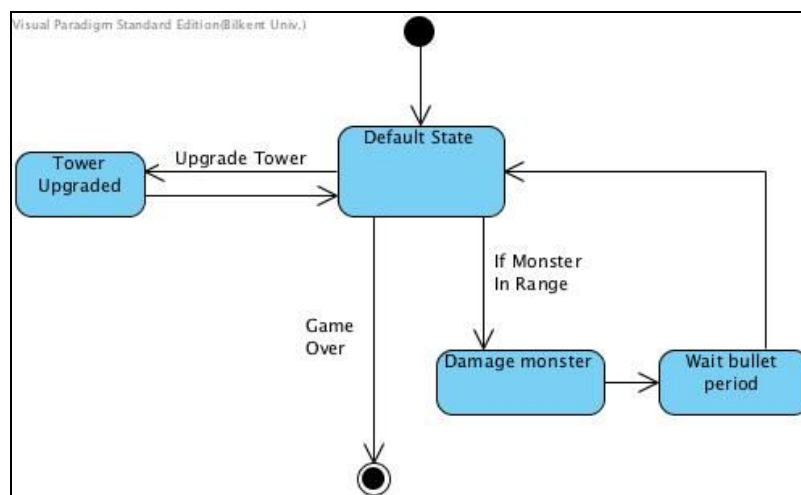
Castle State Diagram:
The diagram below describes the states of the castle. The castle is the main object in the game and there is just one instance of it. The castle remains at the default state if there are no arriving monsters. After each arriving monster, tower will be damaged with respect to the damage of the monster arrived. If the castle's health point drops below zero, then the game is finished.
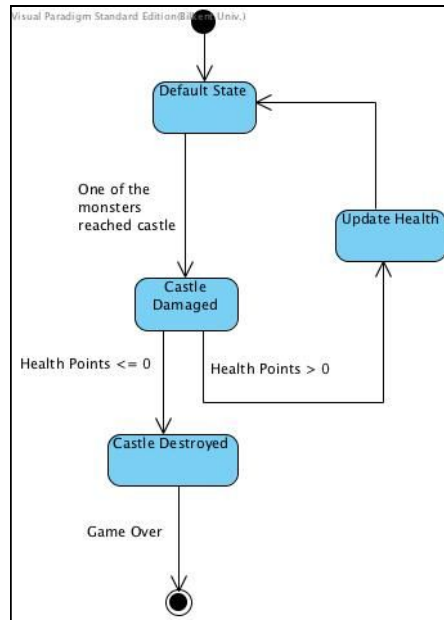
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Figure 16- Castle State Diagram

6.3.3 Activity Diagram

The activity diagram below describes the main flow of the system as the game is being played. During the game, the player has only two capabilities, which are to add a tower and to upgrade a tower. In both cases, the player's coins are checked. If the player has enough coins, the tower is placed. If not, a message is displayed. Throughout the game, the player's life, which is the health status of the castle, is checked to see if the game has ended. If the player is alive after the last wave, the player wins. If the player's life finishes before the end of the game, the player loses. Either way, the player's score is calculated. The player is shown the high score table, which only includes the player's score if the player is in the top ten scores.
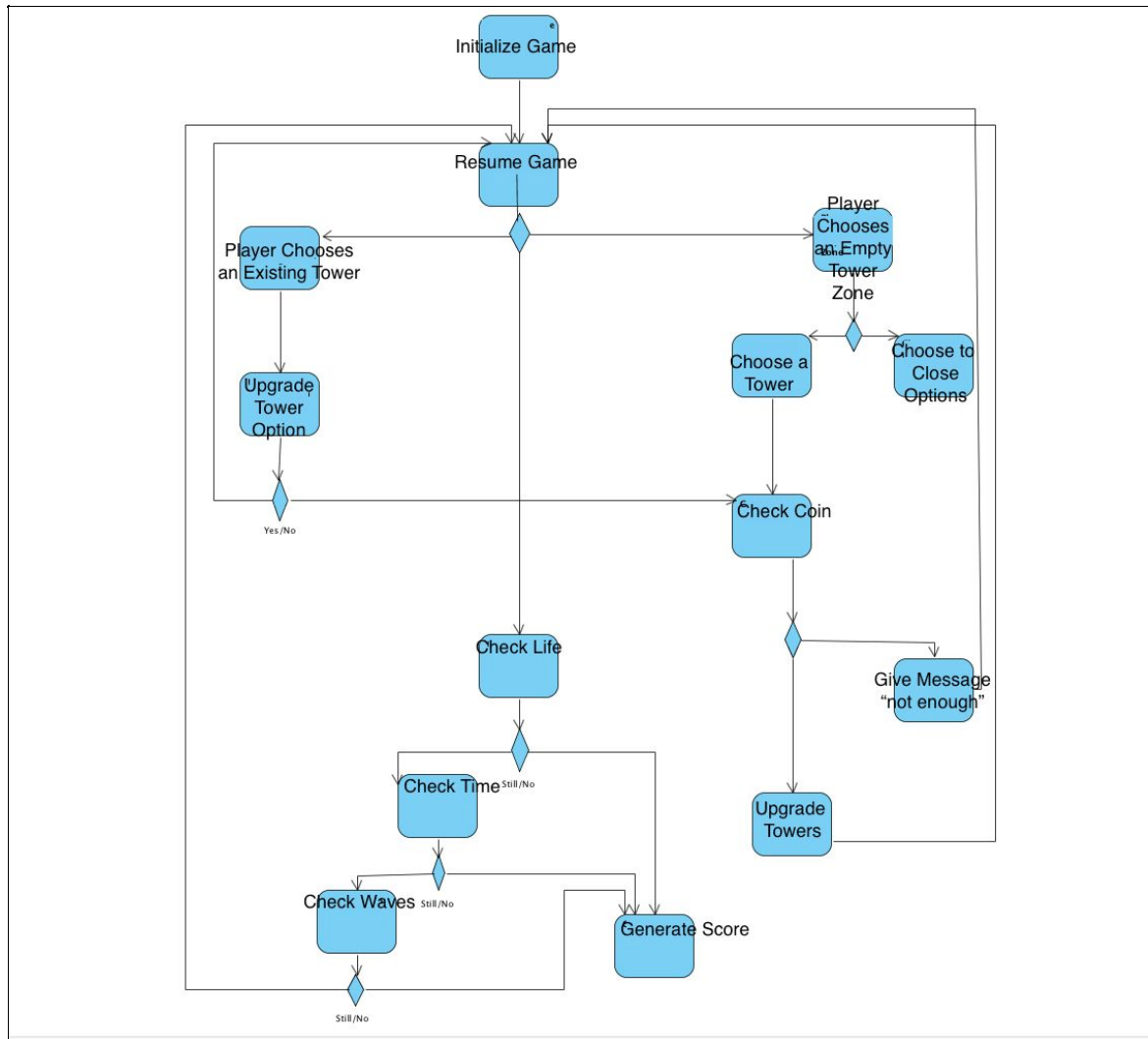
Figure 18- Activity Diagram

6.5 Object and Class Model

Below is the object and class model. The figure has been split into two for ease of reading. The third diagram is the overall diagram.
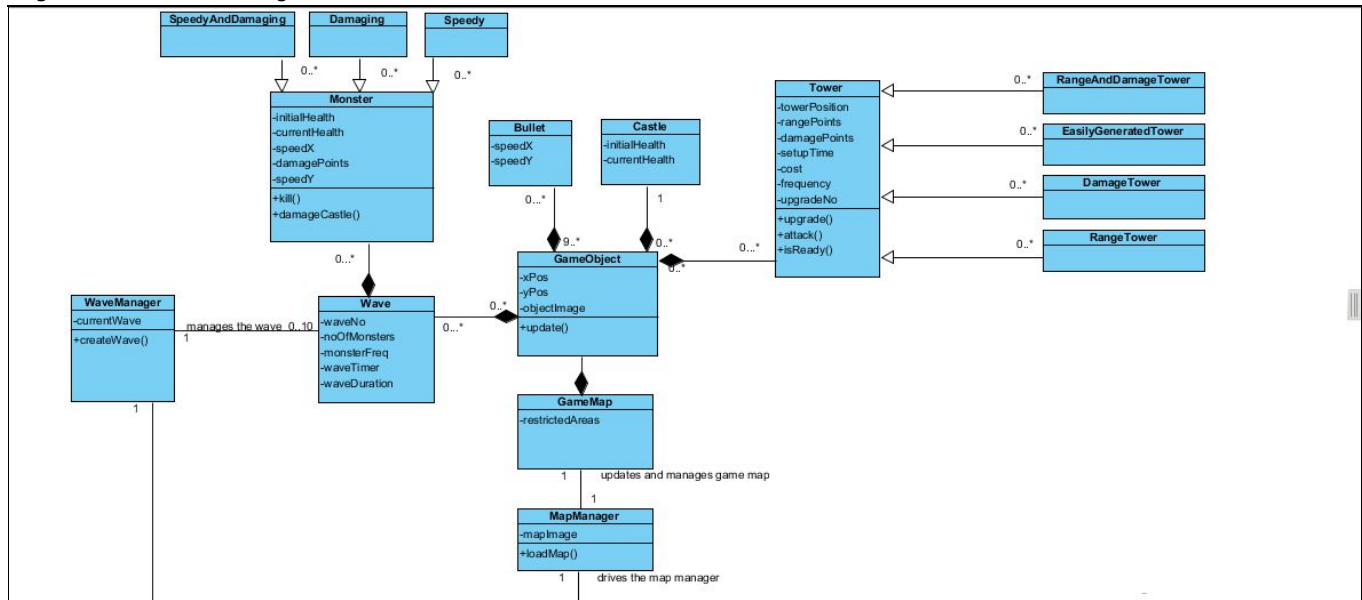

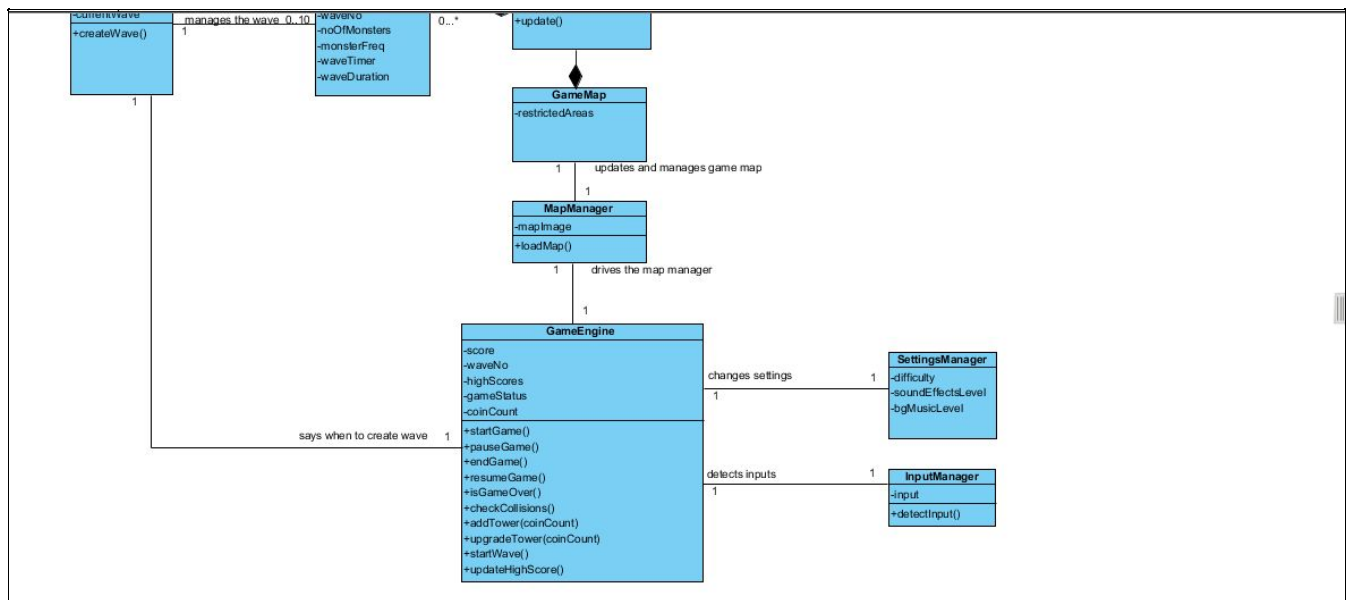*Figure 17a-Part 1 of class diagram*
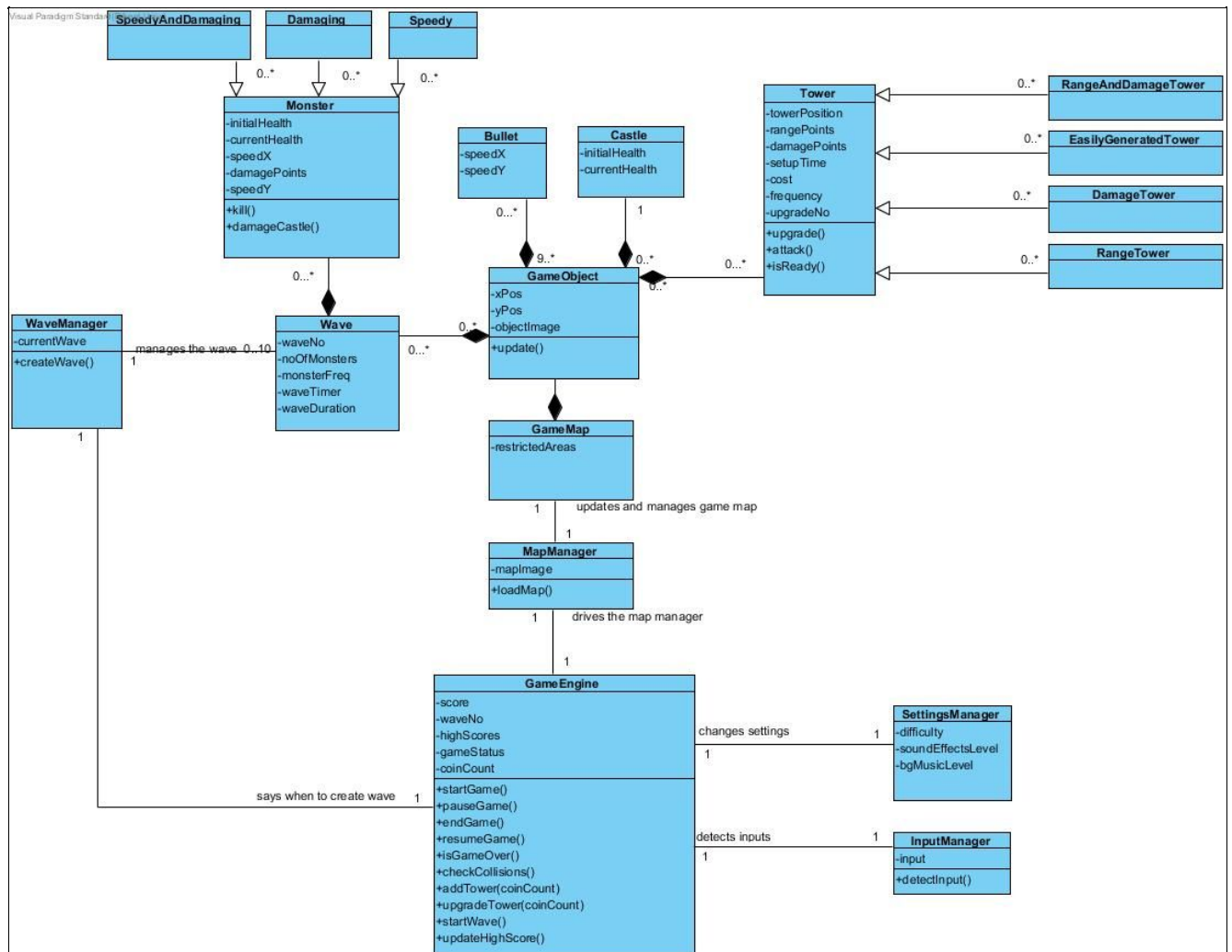

Figure 17b-Part 2 of class diagram

Figure 17c- Full View of Class Diagram

The class GameObject will be central in this game. It will control the movement of the objects and how they are positioned in the game map. Almost all the classes interact with the class game object.

Another important class is the Tower class. There will be a "is a" relationship between the tower class and the types of towers in the game.

Monsters will try to pass the towers to reach to the castle (endpoint). All types of monster classes will extend the class "Monster". Therefore all monsters will have different type of skills that distinguish them from each other. However they all will have similar capabilities as they extend the class "Monster". Waves of monsters will be controlled by the class "Wave". This class will determine how many monsters will be generated on the map.

There will also be classes that manage the other objects in the game such as: MapManager, SoundManager, ScreenManager, InputManager these classes will manage the setting of the in run-time.

Lastly, there will be two additional classes called: Bullet and Castle. The bullet class will determine the speed at which the bullet from the towers to hit the monsters is fired and the castle class is a representation of the castle in our game. It will demonstrate the health state of the castle.

6.7 User Interface- Navigational Paths & Screen Mockups

The navigational path below shows the User Interface menus' paths. From the main menu, the user can start the game, visit the settings menu, view tutorial, view high scores, view credits, or quit the game, which brings them back to the desktop. If the user starts the game, the user can visit the pause menu. The pause menu can access the settings menu, tutorial view, or quit the game. At the end of the game, the user will be taken to the high scores view.
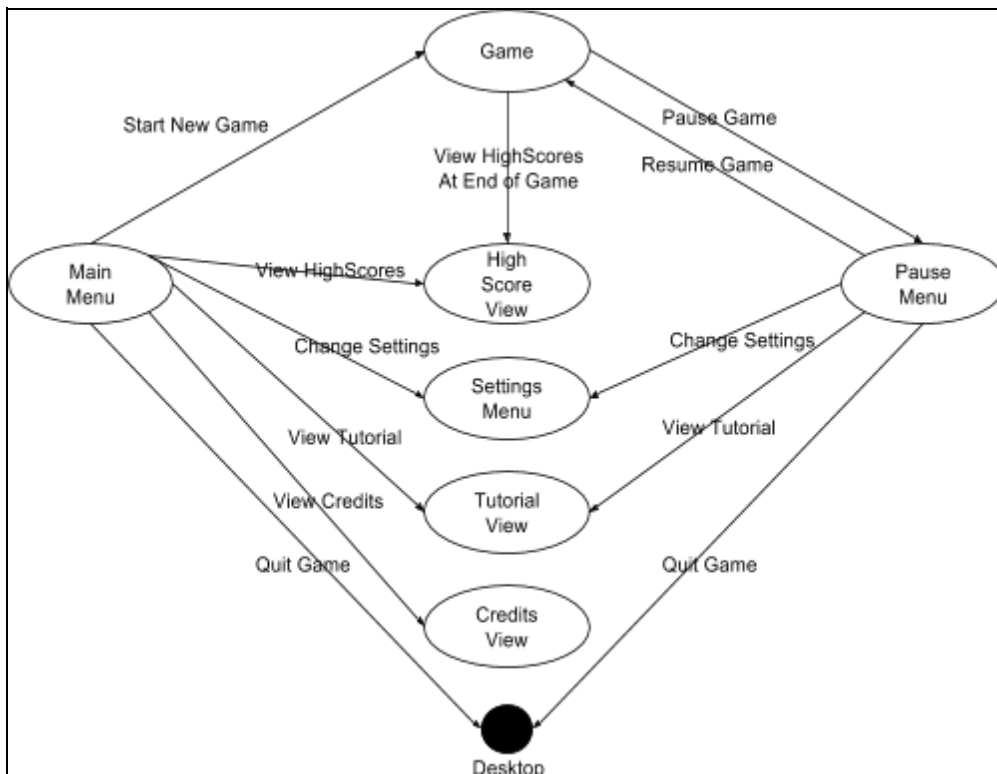
Figure 19- UI Navigational Path

The first screen that the user will encounter is the main menu. These are mockups of the User Interface. Below is the main menu, which has a play, settings, tutorial, high scores, credits, and quit buttons. When hovered on, these are highlighted.
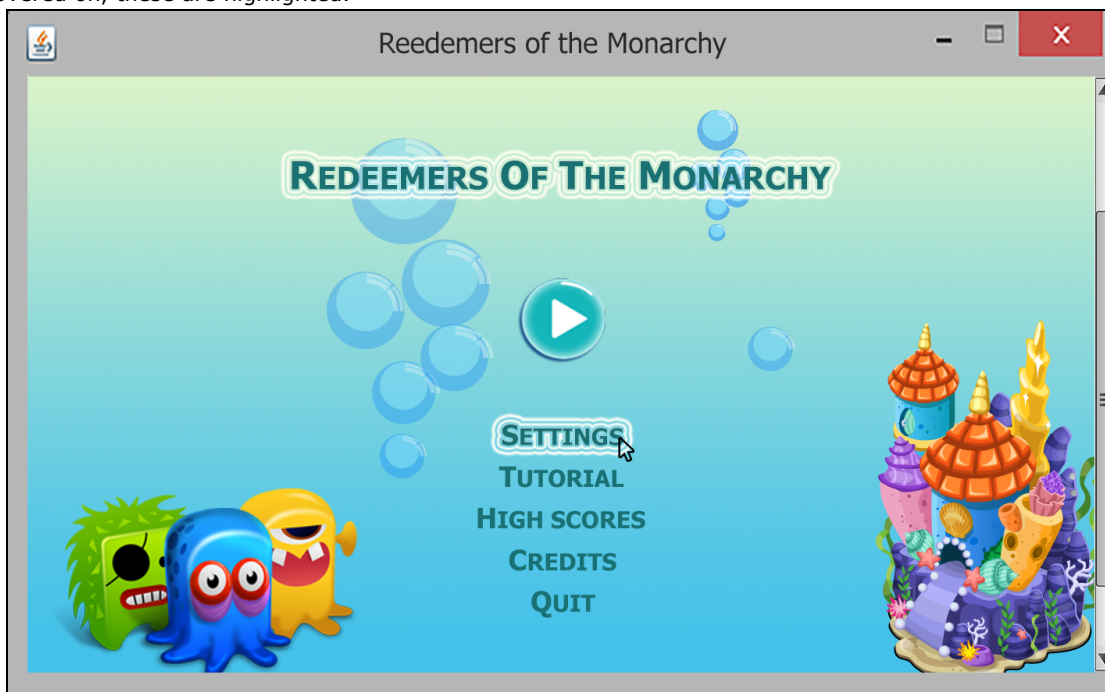

Figure 20 -Main Menu [2,3,4,9,10,11,12]

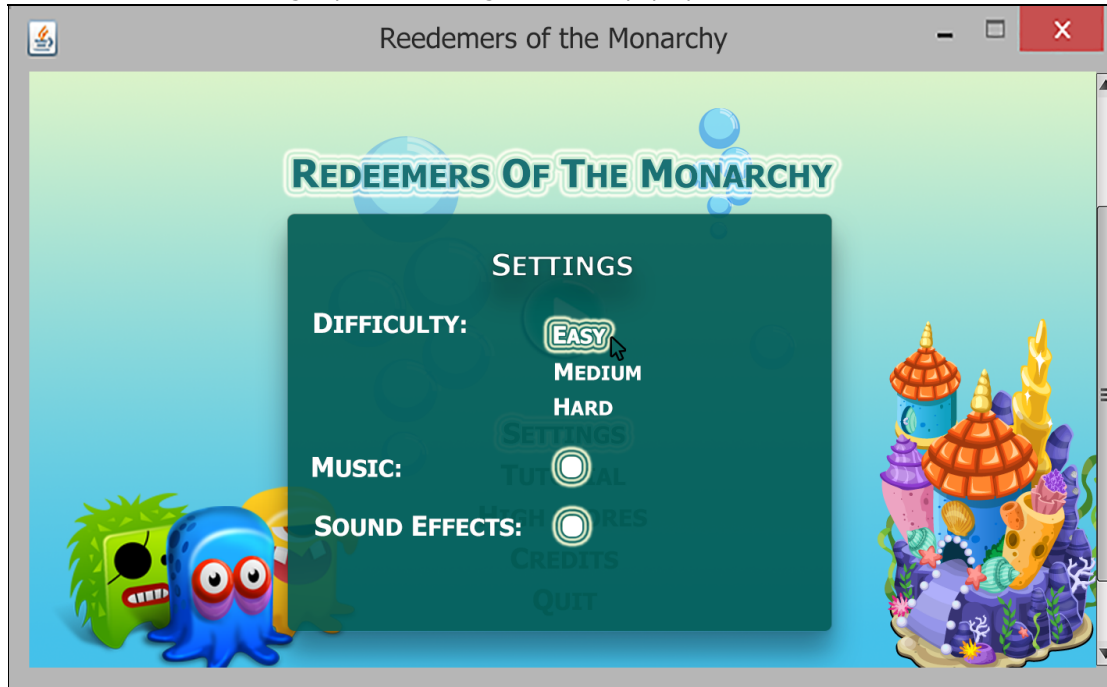If the user clicks the settings option, a settings menu will pop up.

Figure 21-Settings Menu [2,3,4,9,10,11,12]

In the settings menu the user will be able to set the music and the sound settings on or off. Additionally the user will be given a chance to set the difficulty level of the game. Setting the difficulty level of the game can only happen at the start of the game. During the game the player will not get a chance to set the difficulty. The other buttons have similar views, except the have no options. They are only text files or tables in the case of the high score table.

Figure 22 -Pause Menu [2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,14,15,16]

The user will have access to the pause menu at any time during the game. By clicikng the pause button, the user will be presented with the pause menu.
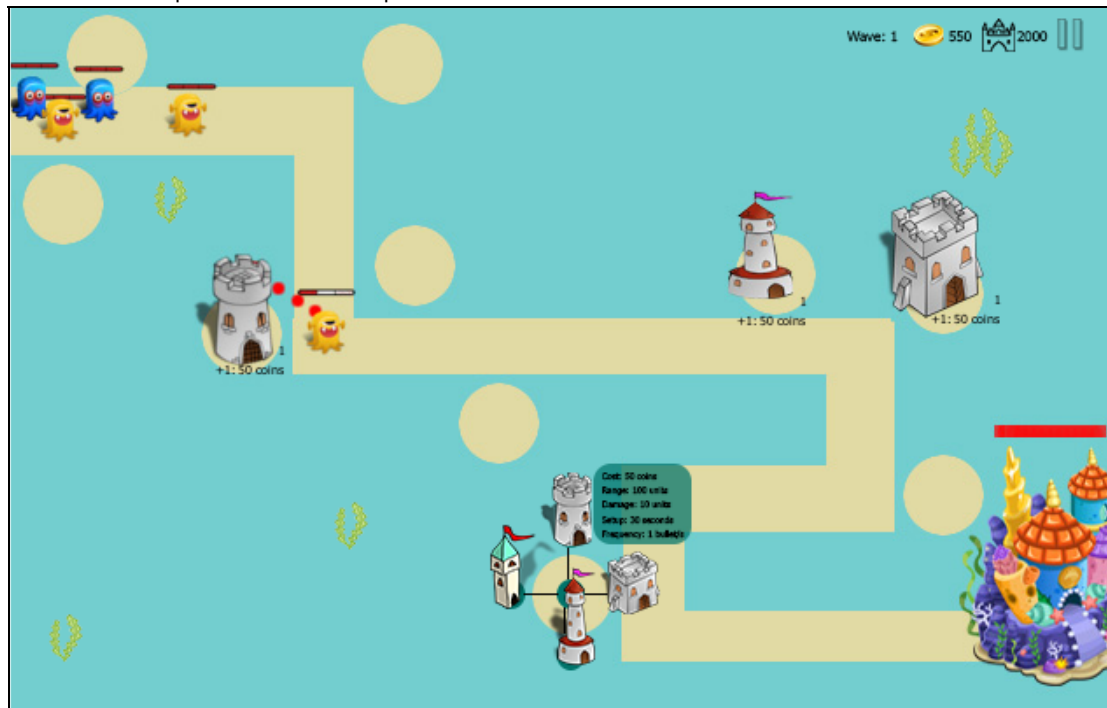

Figure [2,3,4,5,6,7,8,9,10,11,12,14,15,16]

This is the mockup of the game. Monsters will enter from the beginning of the path at the beginning of each wave. Monsters cannot walk on the blue areas (the sea) in the map. The wave number, coin count, life count of the castle, and pause button are on the top left hand corner. The circle sand areas are the only places on which the tower can be placed. When this area is clicked, four options will be shown for the towers. When a tower is hovered upon, a box describing the details of the tower are shown. By clicking on a tower, the player can place the tower on the subsequent area. Underneath each tower is the upgrade number and the coins needed to upgrade the tower.

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