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Braille Authoring App



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1 Introduction

This design document is one of four documents that serves as final deliverables for the *Braille Authoring App* project submitted by Team no. 14, consisting of Jamie Dishy, Jonas Laya, Samuel On and Paul Sison, for the EECS 2031 *Software Development Project* course in the 2017–18 academic year.

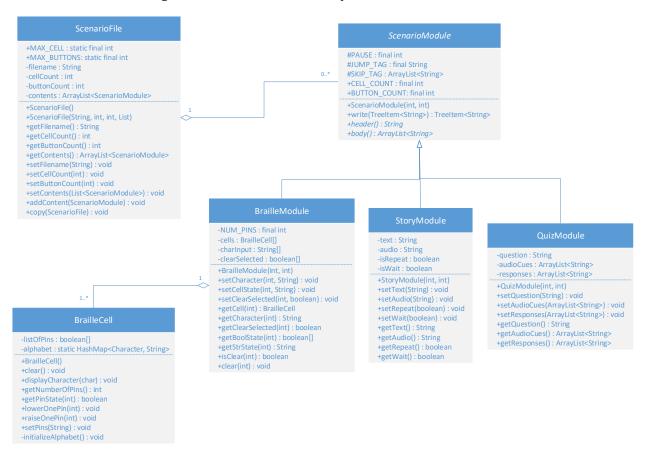
In this document, we show the overall design hierarchy of the *Braille Authoring App* through class diagrams, and portray program flow and class interactions through sequence diagrams. We highlight important operations in the application by going through step-by-step some of the most common usage scenarios.



2 Class Diagrams

2.1 Model classes

These classes are the ones responsible for manipulating and storing all the data required by the application to build, write and edit Scenario files. In brief, Scenario files are represented by a ScenarioFile object, which can contain zero or more ScenarioModule objects. Note that ScenarioModule is an abstract class and is instantiated by three kinds of Module classes—StoryModule, QuizModule, and BrailleModule. Each of the Module class stores different kinds of information that corresponds to tags in a properly formatted Scenario file. Whenever the application executes a save operation, it is the state of the ScenarioFile that gets serialized into a binary file.





2.1 Model classes

The application runs by instantiating a ScenarioEditor class, which is responsible for displaying everything else in the application, from dialog boxes to other pages. Note that an instance of a ScenarioEditor is associated with a single ScenarioFile object.

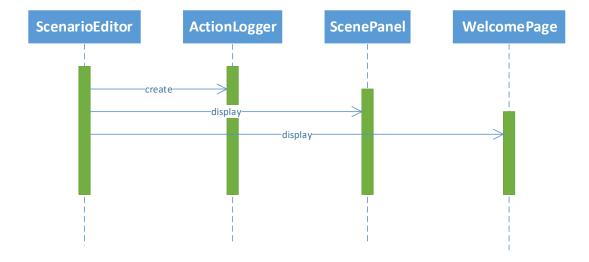




3 Sequence Diagrams

3.1 Start-up

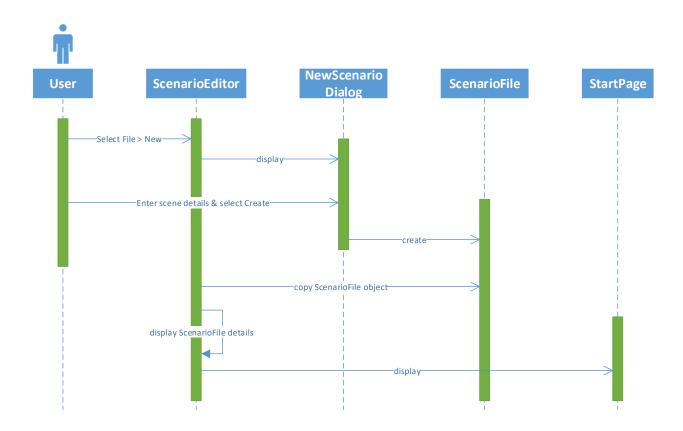
Here are some initializations that happen during start-up of the application. Although a ScenarioFile object is associated per ScenarioEditor, it is not created until the user creates a new scenario, or opens an existing scenario file.





3.2 New Scenario

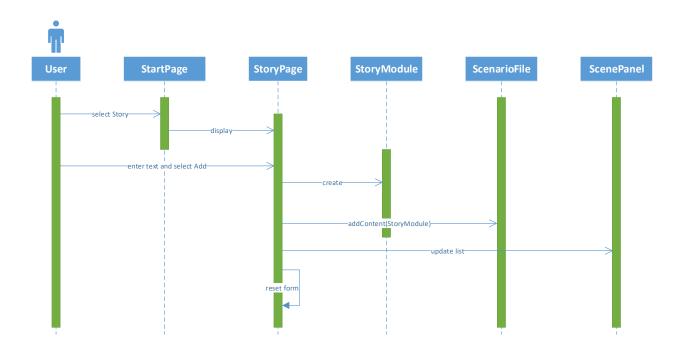
Here we show how a ScenarioFile object is created by the NewScenarioDialog. Reference to this ScenarioFile object is then passed on to ScenarioEditor. The ScenarioEditor window then displays on its status bar the number of buttons and braille cells and the filename that the ScenarioFile has for the user. Afterwards, ScenarioEditor displays the StartPage so the user can start building the ScenarioFile.





3.2 Adding Story

Here we assume that the StartPage is already being displayed to the User. Also, note that the ScenarioFile and ScenePanel already persists. The StoryModule object that was created is not lost but added to the ScenarioFile.





3.4 Editing Scenes

Here we assume that a <code>StoryModule</code> has already been added to the <code>ScenarioFile</code> object, hence the lifeline. The user can edit the object by selecting the <code>StoryModule</code> scene from the <code>ScenePanel</code> and selecting Edit. The <code>ScenePanel</code> retrieves the <code>StoryModule</code> object from its list and passes it to <code>StoryPage</code>. The <code>StoryPage</code> displays the data stored in <code>StoryModule</code> so the user can make the desired changes. The same process takes place when editing a <code>QuizModule</code> and a <code>BrailleModule</code>.

