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1. REQUIREMENT ANALYSIS

User Story:

- As a user, I can choose which column to place a token to win the game.
- As a user, I will be notified when it is my turn so I can place a marker.
- As a user, I will be notified of a win so I can rub it in my opponents face.
- As a user, I will be notified if I make an incorrect move so I may take another turn.
- As a user, I will be able to choose how many players can play the game.
- As a user, I will be able to select what character I want to play with.
- As a user, I will be notified if my selected token is already in use.
- As a user, I will be able to choose if I want to play a memory efficient game or a fast game.

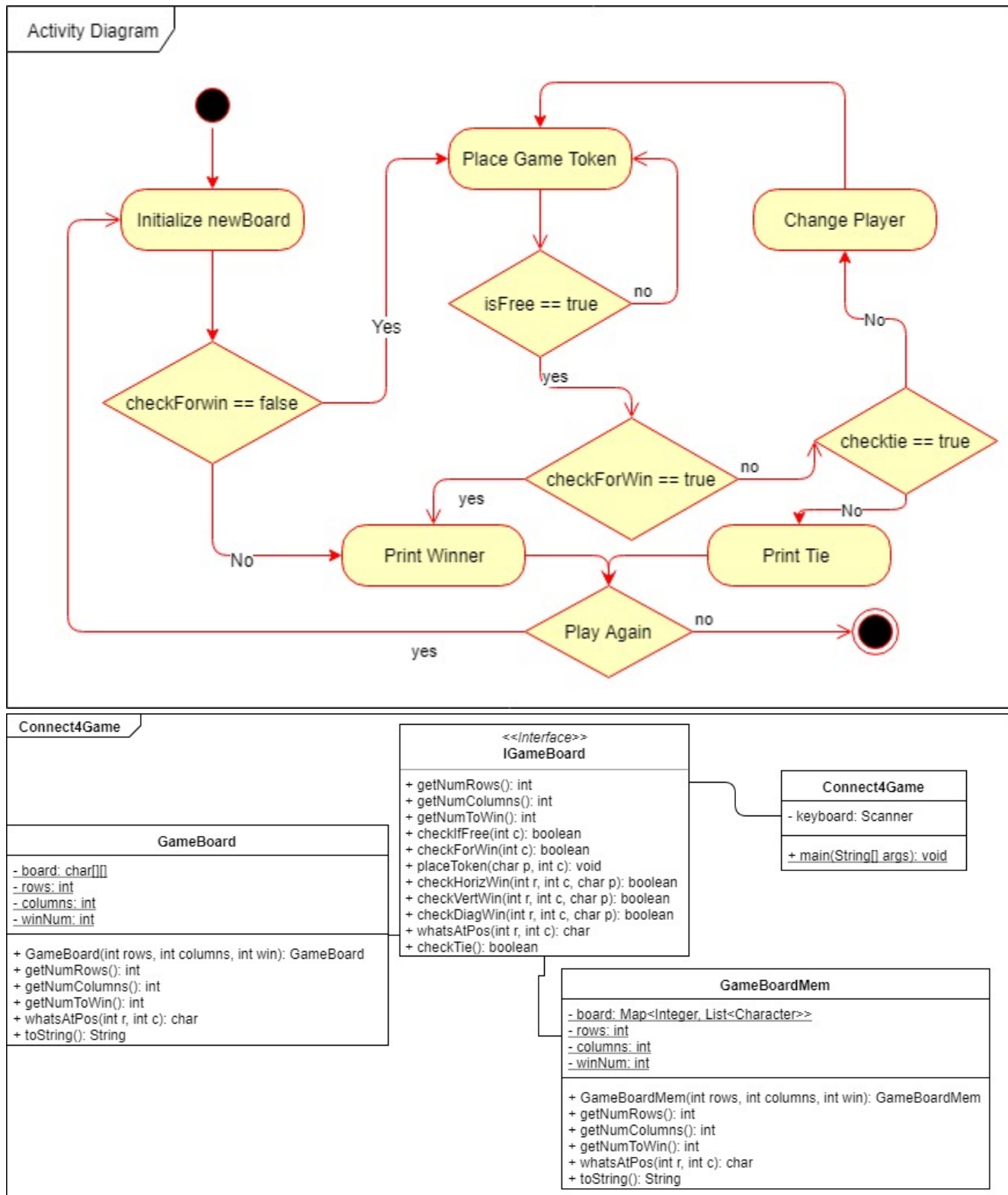
Functional Requirements:

- A user will be able to choose which column to place their token.
- A user will be able to choose to play again after winning, losing, or drawing.
- A user will be able to choose the number of players.
- A user will be able to choose which version of the game to play.

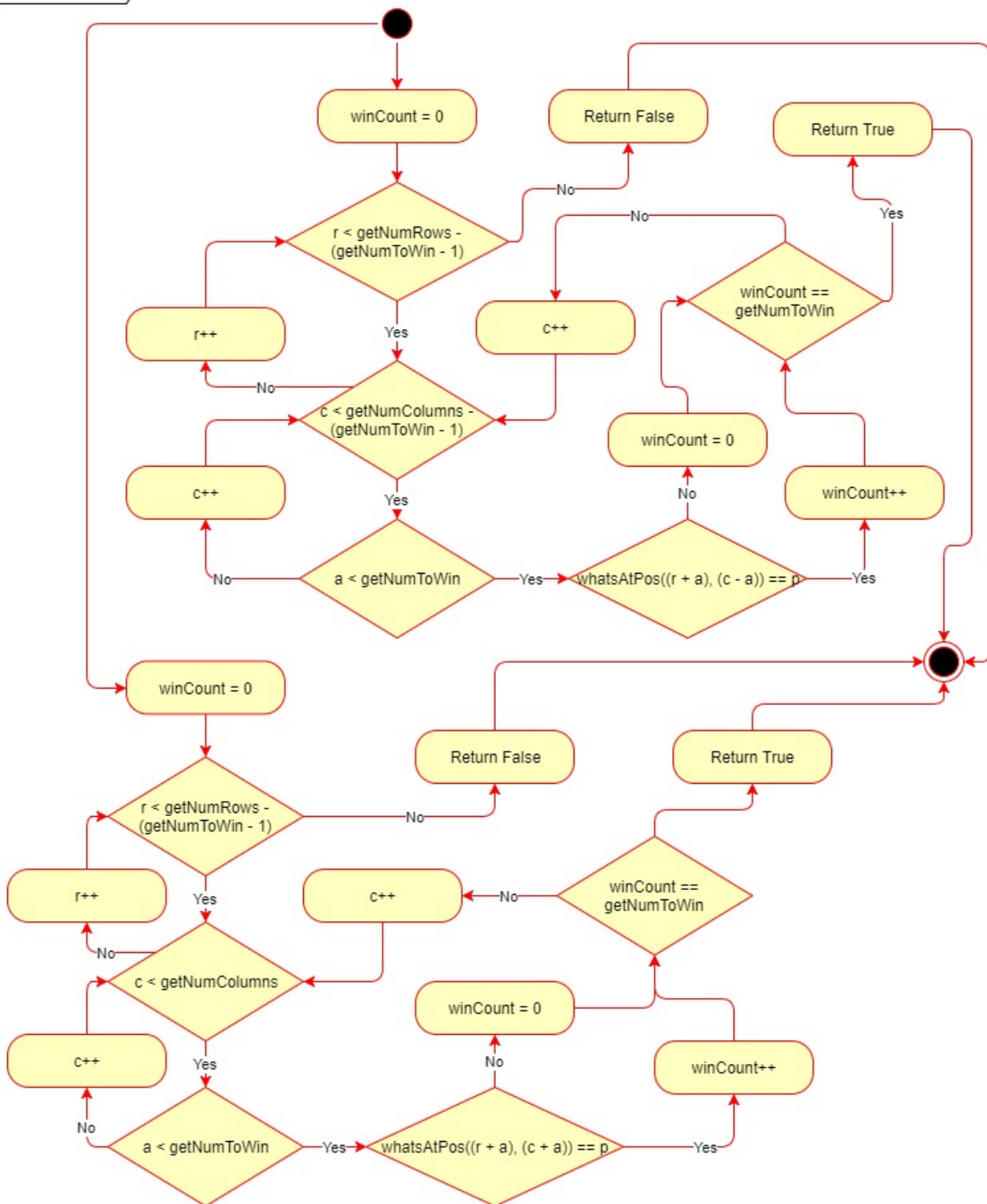
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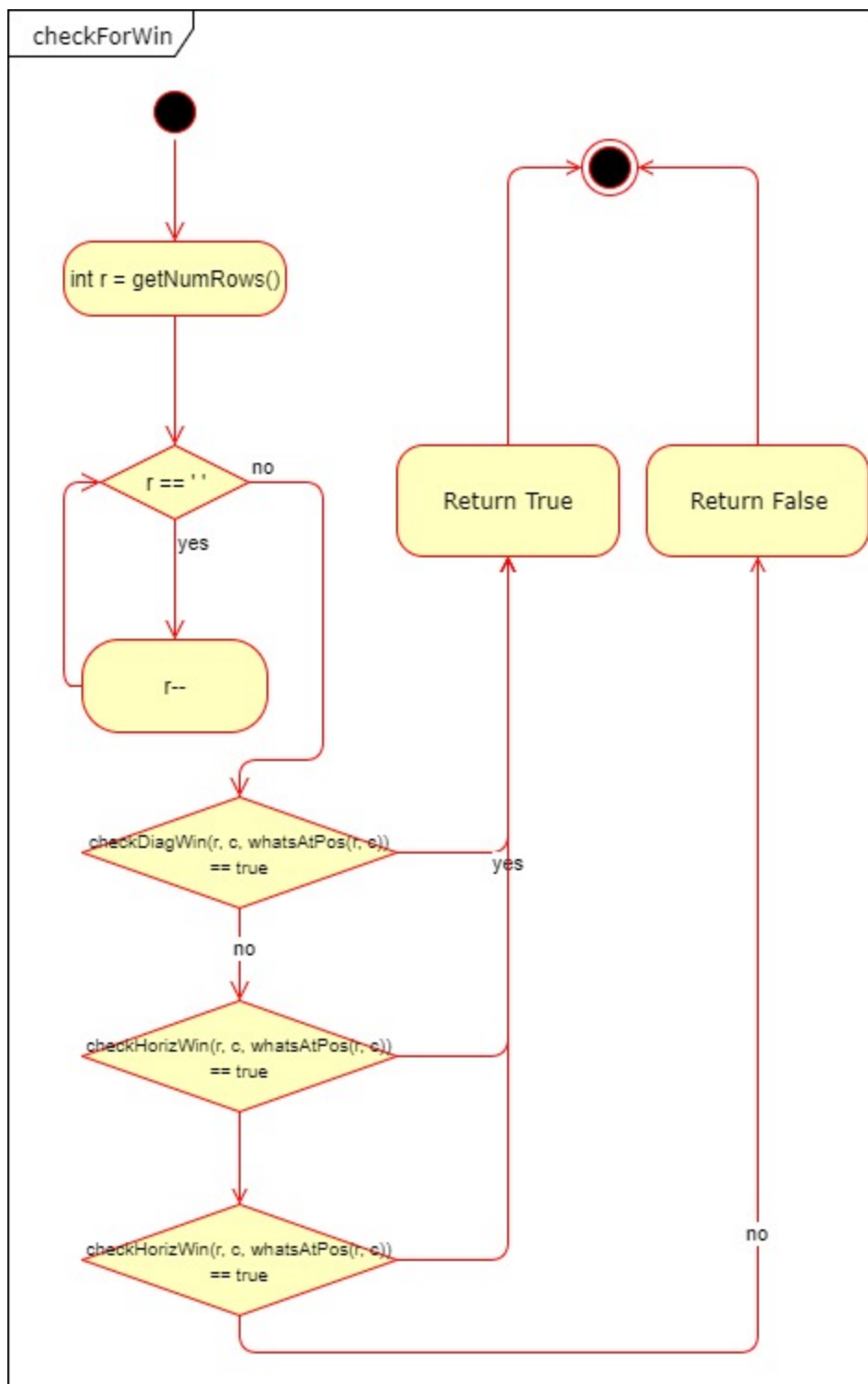
- The program will automatically determine if a winning move is made after each turn or if a draw has occurred.
- The program will be implemented using a 2D character array or a hash map to represent the gameboard.
- The program will have an instant response time.
- The program is modular. If the client desires to remove certain functions, they may be commented out. These methods will work on any system with JDK8 installed.
- The program is written in Java. The system must have JDK8 installed.
- The program was designed for a Unix based environment.
- This program will use a makefile with the commands; make, make run, and make clean.
- All interfaces between the user and the app will be displayed via the terminal window.

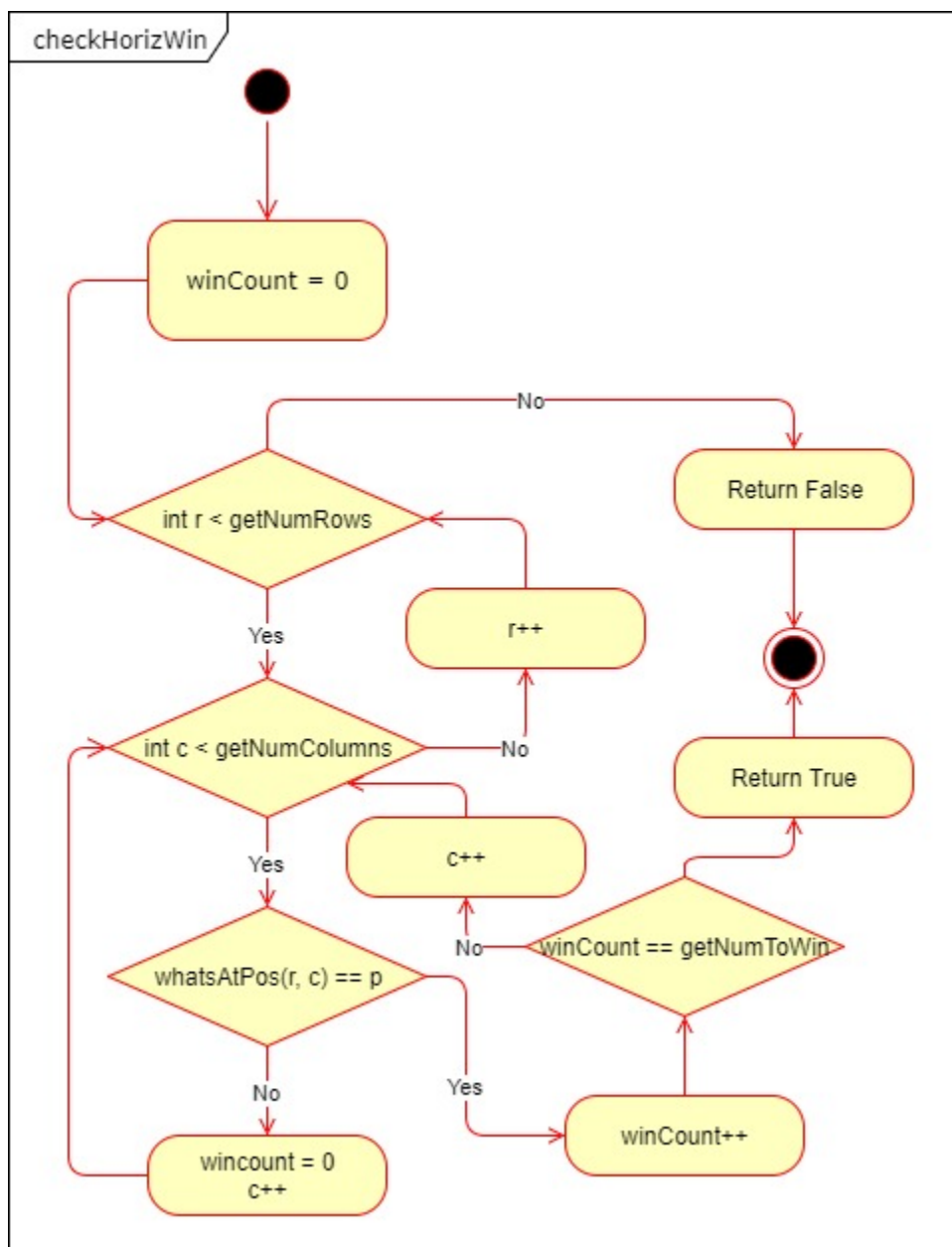
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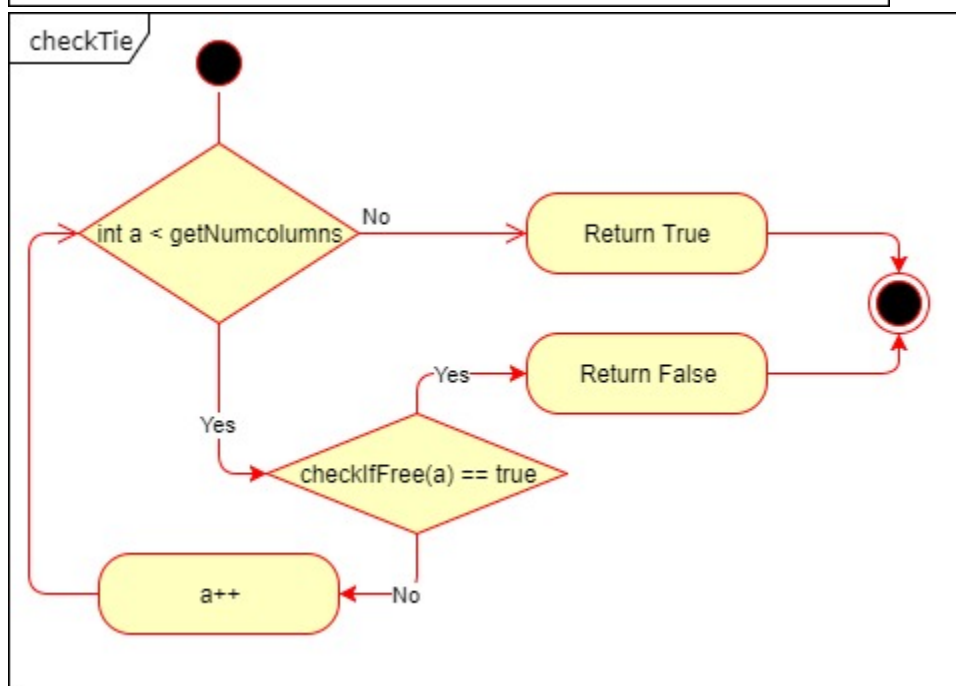
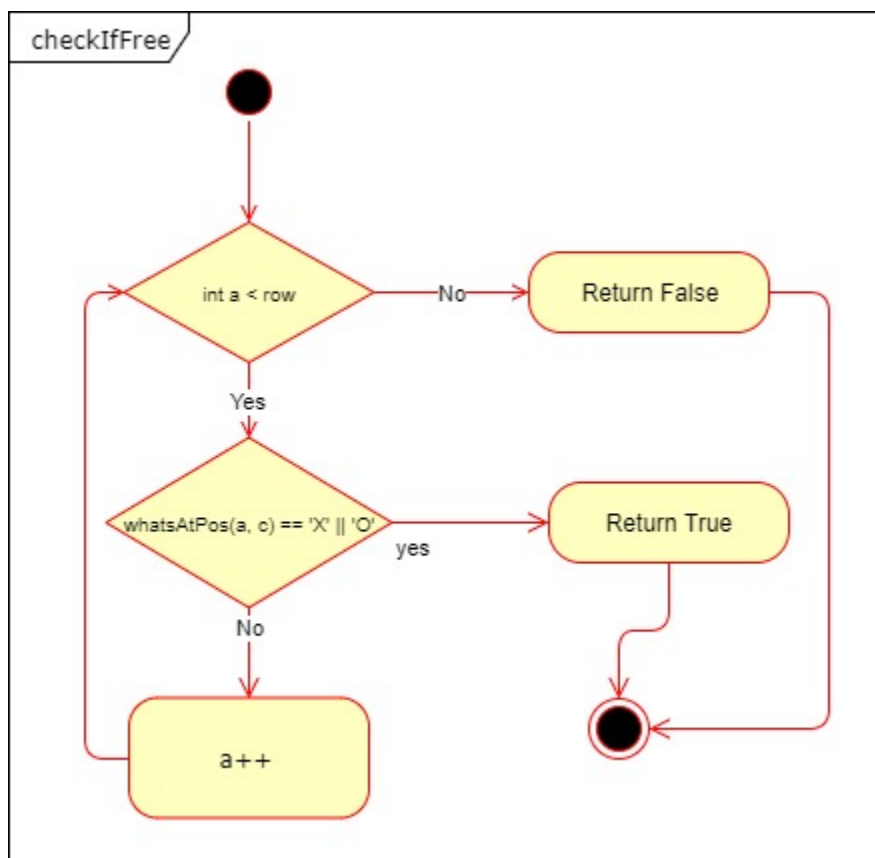


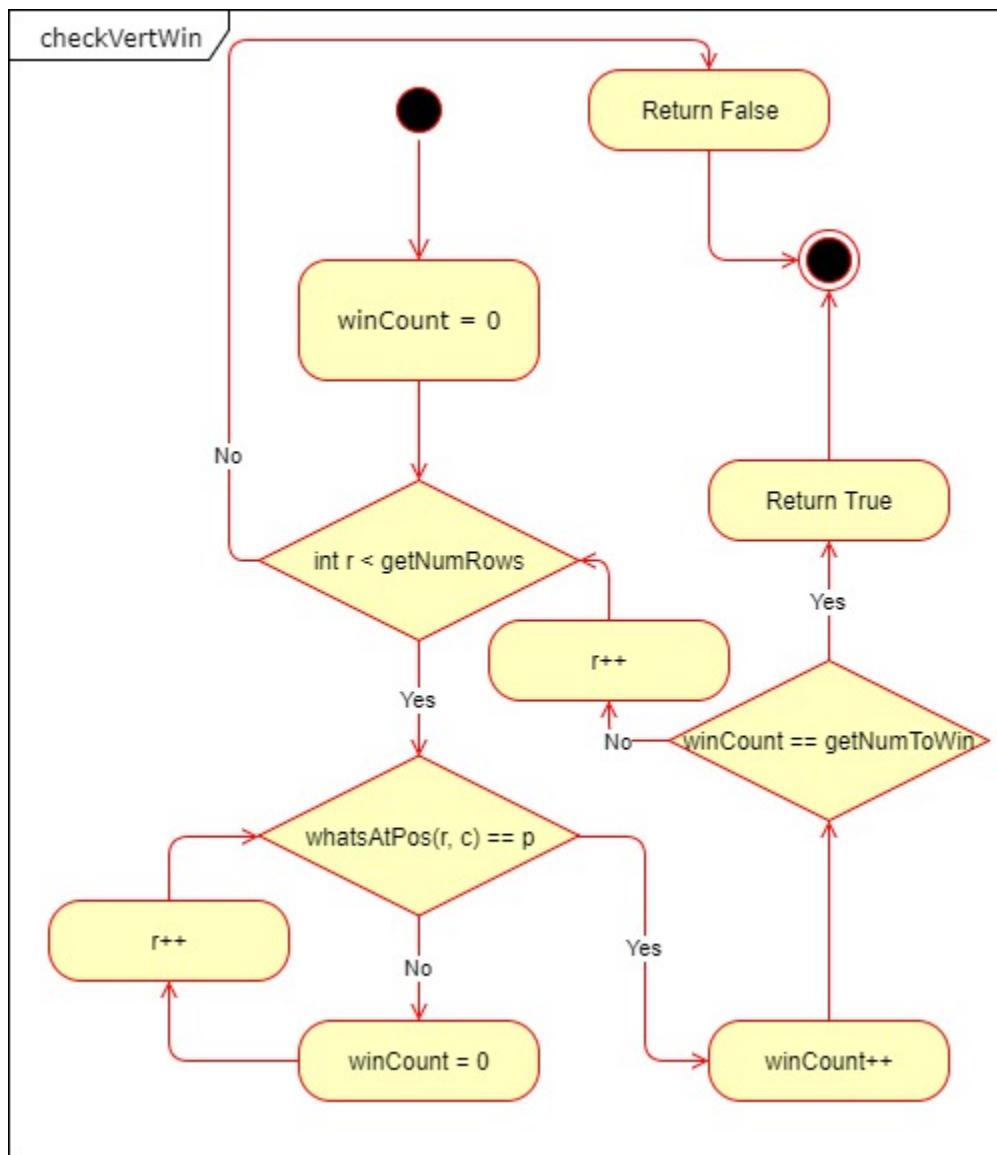
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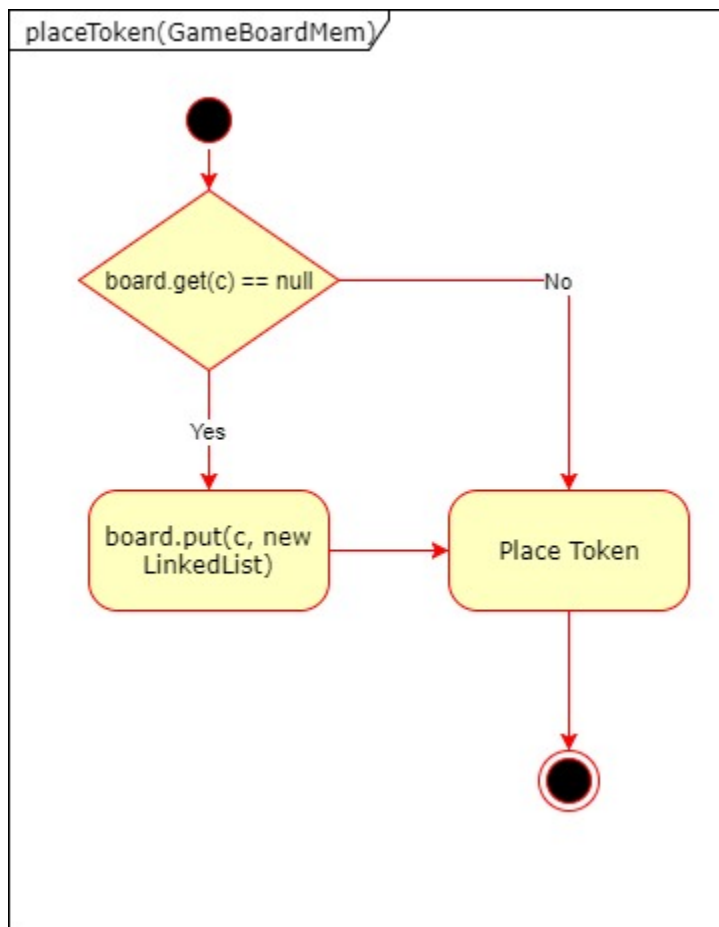


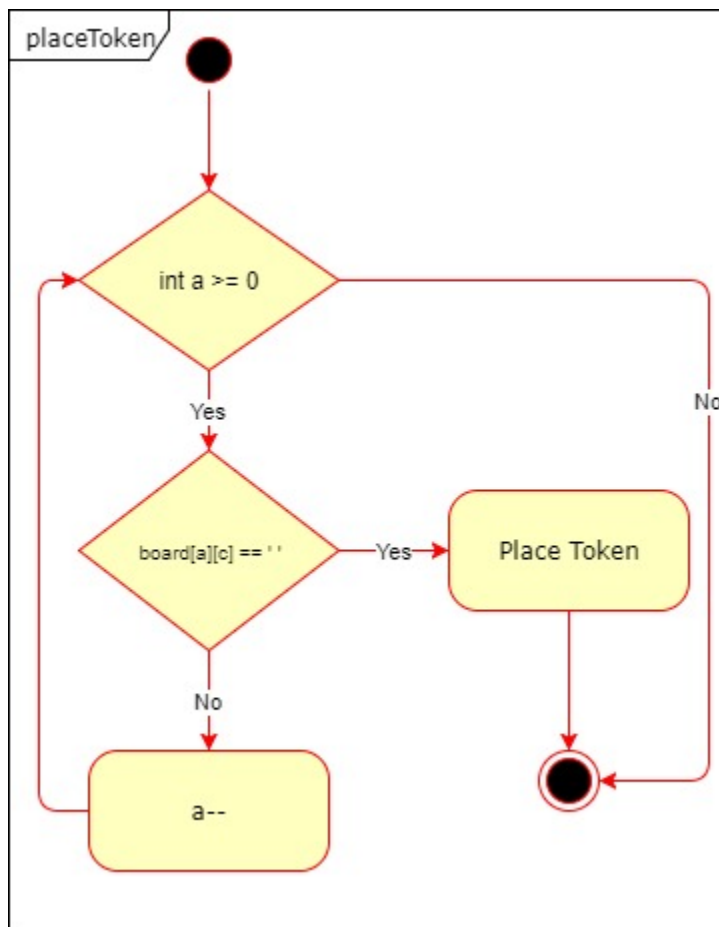




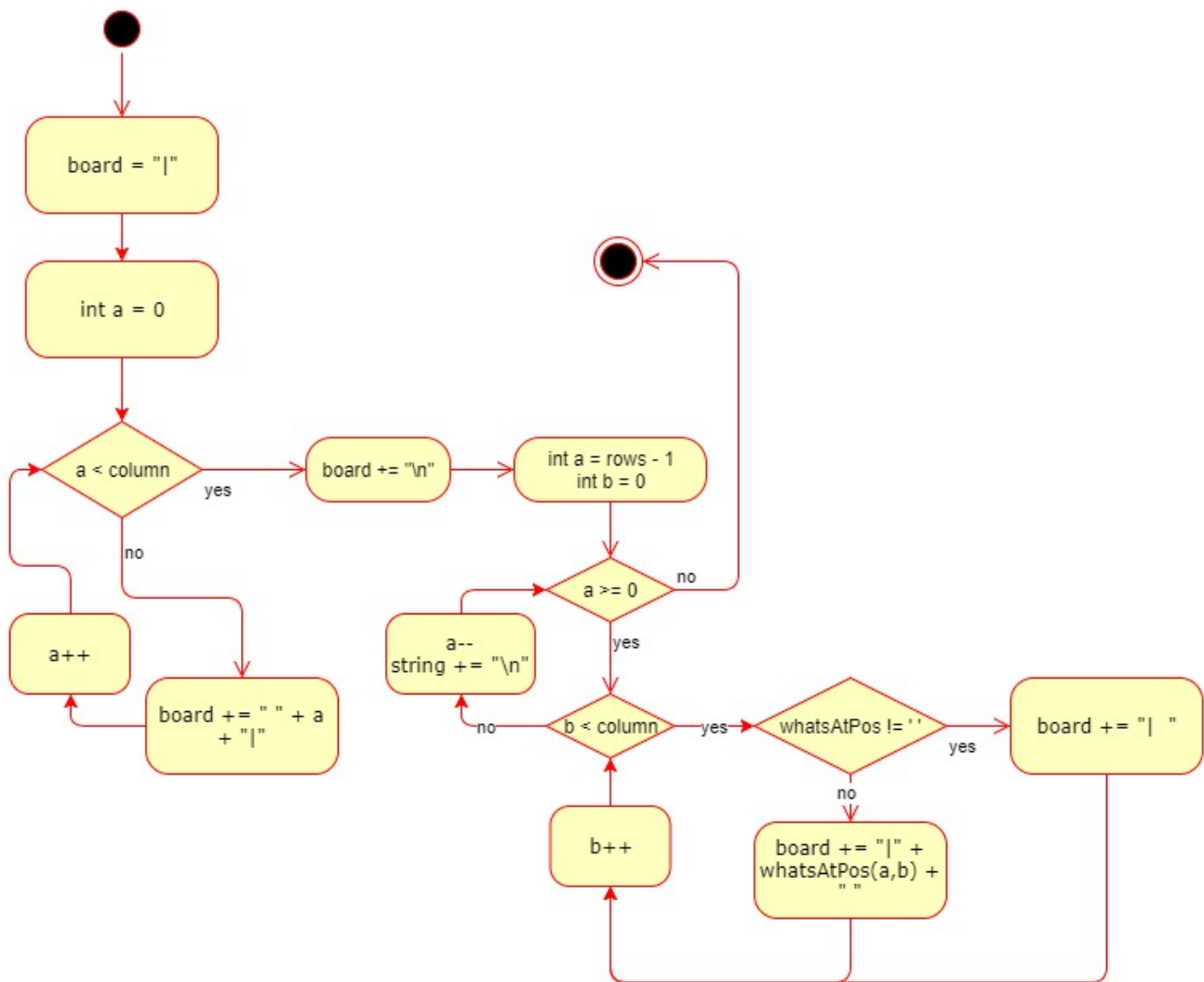




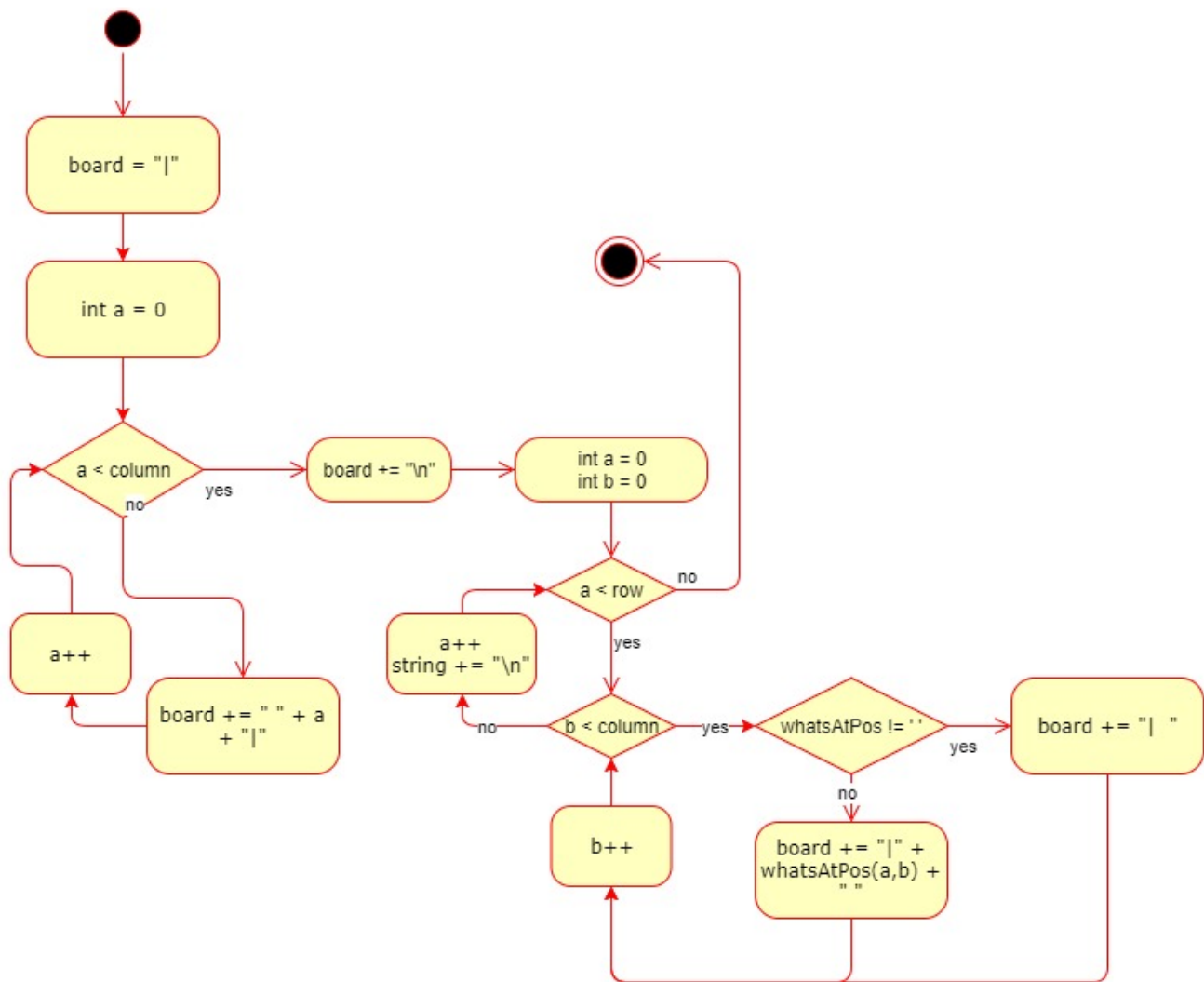




toString(GameBoardMem)



toString



4. DEPLOYMENT

This program will include a make file which can be used for three operations make, make run, make clean. The makefile must be in the same folder as cpsc2150 and not inside of it or any other subfolder.

make:

Expected output:

```
javac cpsc2150/connectX/Connect4Game.java
```

make run:

Expected output:

```
java cpsc2150.connectX.Connect4Game
```

```
**start of game**
```

make clean:

Expected output:

```
rm -f *.class
```