2048 Program Exploratory Testing

Test Tour	Seedy District Tour
Object to be tested / Rough Guidance	Testing the security of the Application - Saboteur Tour: try to 'hack' the game - Antisocial Tour: test out invalid inputs - Obsessive Compulsive Tour: repetition of inputs, button presses, etc.
JIRA Issue (Link or Text)	N/A
Test Duration (Execution)	45 Minutes
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Further Testing Opportunities?	

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Nr	What done?	Status	Comment
1	Antisocial Tour: Invalid Inputs: Game should only respond to arrow buttons, WASD & VIM inputs (h,j,k,l). - Page Up/Down works on browser window, otherwise no effect - The R button resets the game; no instructions that this would occur - When NUM LOCK disabled, arrow buttons (8,4,6,2) work as expected - No mouse inputs within the grid - Using a video game controller connected to the computer where testing showed inputs not accepted	⊗ • •	There is nothing incorrect here. The game accepts a limited range of inputs. Two areas for modification are 1) more clear instructions, especially on the rest; and 2) accepting controller inputs

Obsessive Compulsive Tour:

Inputting the same inputs repeatedly

- Inputting cardinal directions repeatedly for 15 seconds had no adverse effect; game played as expected (though without rationale on moves, as expected)
- Clicking the New Game button with the mouse for 15 seconds had no adverse effect; a new game was created with the score reset to 0 and two random tiles appearing on the grid
 - Pressing a directional key to move the game in between mouse clicks had no adverse effect; game worked as expected and Score was updated as appropriate
- Clicking the reset button (R on keyboard) repeatedly had no adverse effect; a new game was created with the score reset to 0 and two random tiles appearing on the grid
 - Pressing a directional key to move the game in between resets had no adverse effect; game worked as expected and Score was updated as appropriate
- Using different input schemes (i.e., WASD plus directional arrows; VIM Inputs plus directional arrows; WASD plus VIM Inputs) had no adverse effect; game exhibited no errors when inputs switched
- When inputting different directional inputs repeatedly, tester randomly merged tiles, which increases the score; the score animation is interrupted if a new addition to the score is achieved





Nothing negative to note here. Game works as expected despite attempts to overwhelm inputs. The score animation being interrupted is a good implementation.

Saboteur Tour:

Within Chrome Developer Tools, the tester put breakpoints in various functions and used the console to update values of variables

- Updating the Best score while in the console for one window would update the Best score in all
- Updating the value of a tile to an Odd number (which isn't valid) does not cause an error; the tile is the value set and cannot be merged with any other tile
- Used free online vulnerability scanner to test the public version of the program (https://play2048.co/). Public site received a low risk rating due to missing headers. These may be







Adding breakpoints to the javascript and updating variables allows someone to make changes to the game. There is no verification of the values added. Perhaps a more experienced malicious actor could make something of this, but I don't see

	added at the server level, so may not apply to the	anything that is a
	game itself.	cause for concern.
-	Ran a local scanner, Contrast, which works with	The security for the
	Visual Studio. Results were two Vulnerabilities	game is acceptable.
	from the index.html, but none discovered within	
	the javascript.	