

# Getting started

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This document describes steps required for using Tomino in your Unity project.

## Core components

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The core logic of the game is controlled by components that have no dependencies on Unity. This components include:

- `Game` - Controls the game logic by handling user input and updating the board state.
- `Board` - Contains collection of blocks placed on the board and allows for moving them within the defined bounds.
- `Block` - A block with specified type that can be placed (and moved) on a board.
- `Piece` - A piece is a collection of blocks that all move together on the board.

Separating from Unity API facilitates game logic testing as there is no need to deal with `MonoBehavior` dependencies.

## Creating the `Board` and the `Game`

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The first step is to create a `Board` which will define boundaries and positions for blocks and the piece controlled by the player.

```
Board board = new Board(10, 20);
```

The next step is to instantiate the `Game` object that is responsible for controlling the main logic by handling user input and updating the board state. The game pools user input from the provided `IPlayerInput` parameter.

```
var game = new Game(board, new KeyboardInput());
```

The game needs to receive update events and because it's not a `MonoBehavior` it has to be done manually, e.g. by the parent controller class.

```
class GameController: MonoBehaviour
{
    void Update()
    {
        game.Update(Time.deltaTime);
    }
}
```

When configuration is finished the game can be started by calling the `game.Start()` method.

## Rendering the `Board`

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Both `Game` and the `Board` represent the current (in memory) state of the gameplay. This classes are separated from Unity APIs which means that rendering has to be handled by other components, such as `BoardView`, `PieceView` or `ScoreView`.

In addition, the `BoardView` contains an instance of the `TouchInput` which can be passed to the `Game` constructor.