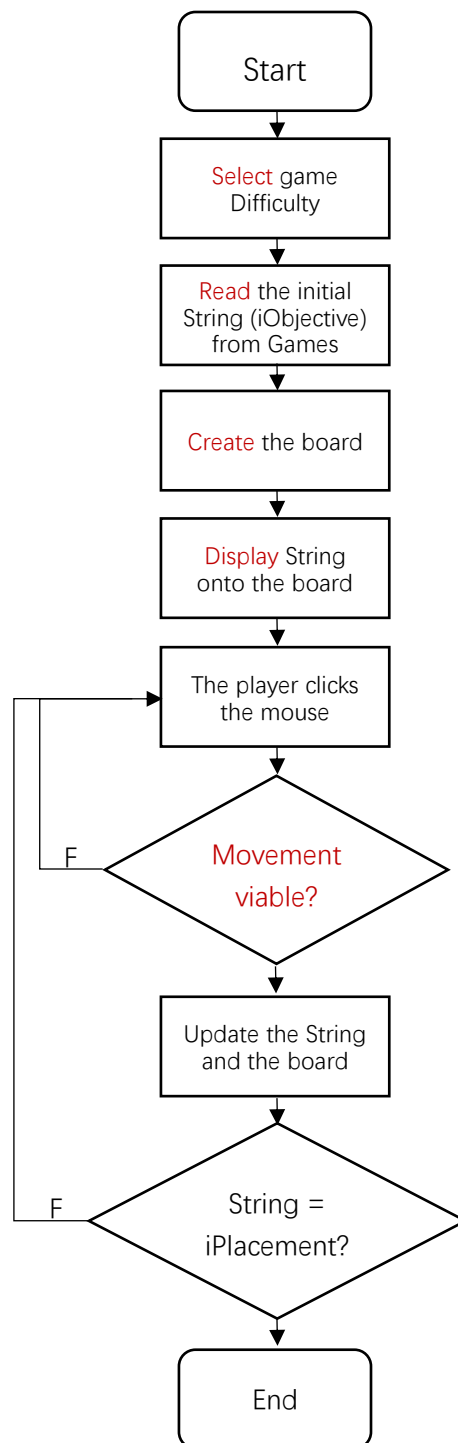
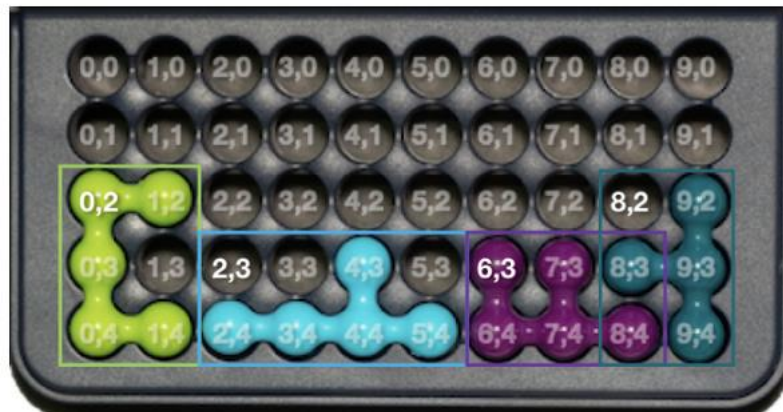


1. Flow chart of game operation



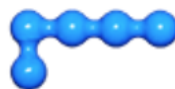
2. Main logical strategy

The key question of the game is how to determine if the placement of a piece is viable. Our strategy is to represent every position on the board with a Boolean, two-dimensional array `Board[5][10]`, for the following statement, the Boolean array is:



F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	F
T	T	F	F	F	F	F	F	F	T
T	F	F	F	T	F	T	T	T	T
T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T	T

Meanwhile, we need to create a new type `Spotposition[4][4]` to describe the spot that a piece will occupy. These field will be stored in a class `Piece` as the piece are in the rotations of N, and the two flips of a piece is stored separately in two different instances. For example, the following piece is stored as two instances:



Piece b

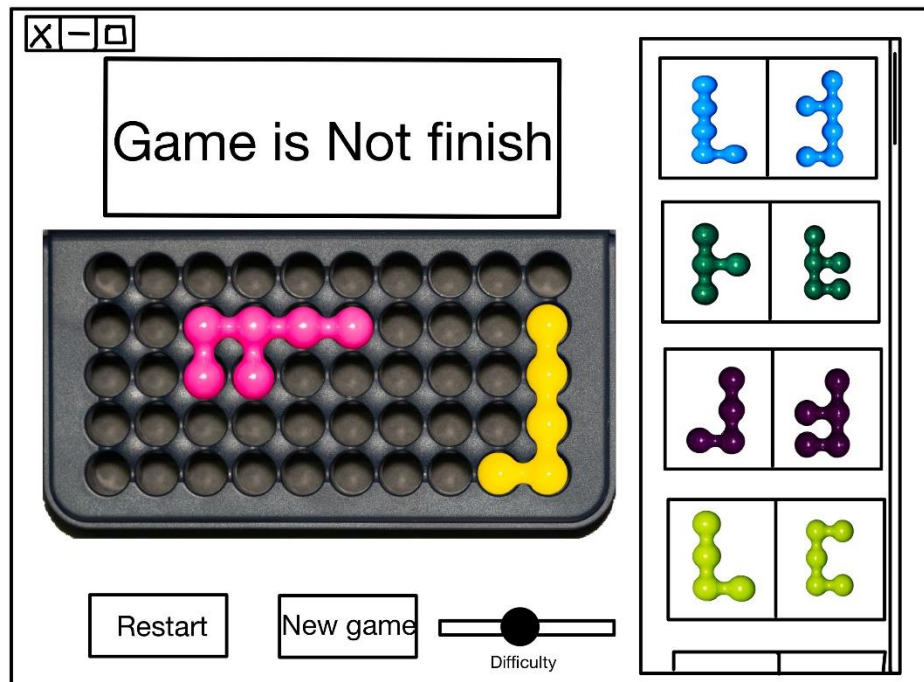
T	T	T	T
T	F	F	F
F	F	F	F
F	F	F	F

Piece B

T	T	T	T
F	T	F	T
F	F	F	F
F	F	F	F

When we need to judge if a movement is viable, we can simply read `the String`, find the rotation and upper left spot of the piece and then check if any true spot conflict with the true spot currently in the `Board[]`.

3. The game interface



4. The classes that need to be included

```
/*
 * This enumeration type represents the four cardinal directions of a piece
 */
public enum Direction {
    NORTH('N'), EAST('E'), SOUTH('S'), WEST('W');
    final private char symbol;

    Direction(char symbol) {}
    public static Direction fromChar(char direction){}
    public char toChar(){}
```

```
/**
 * Given an direction,
 * return the next direction as piece rotates 90 degree.
 * e.g. N->E->S->W->N
 * @param current direction.
 * @return the next `Direction`.
 */
    public Rotate(Direction Dir){} //Let the piece turn 90 degree
}
```

```

/*
 * This class define a piece
 */

public class Piece {

private final char pieceName;
public final boolean Spotsposition[][] = new boolean[4][4];
private Direction orientation = Direction.NORTH; //Default orientation is North
private int LeftPos = -1, UpperPos = -1; //This field record the UpLeft position of the piece if it has been put on the board, otherwise it will be -1

public Piece(PieceName pieceName, boolean Spotsposition[][]){

/**
 * Given the new direction and position of the piece,
 * update the orientation and LeftPos, UpperPos field of the piece.
 *
 * @param the orientation and position that want the piece put into.
 * @return void.
 */

public void ChangeDirandPos(String PieceStatement){}
public char getPieceName(){ }
public char getOrientation(){ }

/**
 * Calculate the Boolean table according to the orientation
 * and the Spotsposition array of the piece
 * The method includes rotation and translation of the
 * array's valu
 *
 * @param None.
 * @return A 4*4 boolean array that describe the piece
 * in the current orientation.
 */

public boolean[][] GetCurrentPos(){ }

/**
 * Check if the piece has been used in another flip
 * e.g. For piece B, if b is already in the String, return
 * false
 * @param the current String that describe piece on the board.
 * @return the answer.
 */

public boolean IsPiecetaken(String CurrentOnboard){ }

```

```

/**
 * Transfer a piece's statment to String such as b73E
 *
 * @param: null.
 * @return the 4 char String that include position, name and orientation.
 */
public String PiecetoString(){
}

```

```

/**
 * This class provides the text interface for the IQ Fit Game
 * There are some other methods and field that we need to add to this class
 */
public class FitGame {
public boolean Board[][] = new Boolean[5][10]

```

```

/**
 * Add a new piece on the board, this will include checking
 * if the placement viable. If so, the method will update
 * the board[][] as well as update the string
 *
 * @param: the current String that describe piece on the
 *         board, the piece that want to add
 * @return The new string, it will not change if the placement
 *         is not viable.
 */
public String AddtoBoard(String currentString, Piece PieceName){

```

```

/**
 * Move a piece from the board, this will include surch
 * the piece from String. If find the piece, the method will update
 * the board[][] as well as update the string
 *
 * @param: the current String that describe piece on the
 *         board, the piece that want to move away
 * @return The new string, it will not change if the placement
 *         is not viable.
 */
public String MovefromBoard(String currentString, Piece PieceName){

```

```

/**
 * Read the current string and update the board
 * This method is prepared for initialize the game
 * @param: the current String that describe piece on the

```

```

*           board
* @return void
*/
public void StringToBoard(String currentString, Piece PieceName){
}

```