

## Sprint 4

### SpriteFactory.cs

The SpriteFactory has seen significant growth as more features are added to the game. Unfortunately, it has now become heavily bloated and very difficult to refactor.

The SpriteFactory still does not return Sprites objects, it returns entities objects, and the entity object is the one that holds pointers to the frames, which are all initialized and stored within SpriteFactory.

Currently, the SpriteFactory class handles creating all of the game objects needed by LevelLoader when parsing the room xml files.

The recommended course of action is to separate out the Sprite creation aspect of SpriteFactory, and rename this class to GameObjectBuilder.

1. This class primarily builds all of the game objects in the rooms, and has private methods that add Collider objects and AI objects to the game objects.
2. Remove the 150+ lists of frames and lists of lists of frames. Refactor to have a new, actual, SpriteFactory2 load in frames into Sprite objects, and have that stored in a dictionary.
3. Instead of adding Lists directly into code, have SpriteFactory2 load in Sprites by parsing an xml.
4. This also involves refactoring ConcreteSprite (the entity class) into using a pointer to the Sprite object.

Doing this should clear up ~600 lines of repetitive list declaration and initialization code. Essentially, turn all of this into xml entries:

<pre>12 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] barrierFrames; 13 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; barrier; 14 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] stairsFrames; 15 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; stairs; 16 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] waterFrames; 17 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; water; 18 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] roughFloorFrames; 19 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; roughFloor; 20 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] dungeonFloorFrames; 21 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; dungeonFloor; 22 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] alternateBackgroundFrames; 23 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; alternateBackground; 24 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] invisibleBarrierFrames; 25 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; invisibleBarrier; 26 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] openingFrames; 27 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; opening; 28 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[] textFrames; 29 private List&lt;Texture2D&gt; text;</pre>	<pre>201 textFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 202 barrierFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 203 stairsFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 204 waterFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 205 statueLeftFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 206 statueRightFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 207 roughFloorFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 208 dungeonFloorFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 209 alternateBackgroundFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 210 invisibleBarrierFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4]; 211 openingFrames = new List&lt;Texture2D&gt;[4];</pre>
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385     text.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("DungeonSprites/Text"));
386     opening.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/Black"));
387     invisibleBarrier.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/InvisibleBarrier"));
388     alternateBackground.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("DungeonSprites/Room07"));
389     dungeonFloor.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("DungeonSprites/DungeonFloor"));
390     barrier.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/Barrier"));
391     stairs.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/DungeonStairs"));
392     water.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/Water"));
393     roughFloor.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/RoughFloor"));
394     statueRight.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/StatueRight"));
395     statueLeft.Add(content.Load<Texture2D>("BlockSprites/StatueLeft"));

```

(there is a lot more)

Next, as stated prior, SpriteFactory currently returns game objects in response to LevelLoader calls. Currently, there is one method for each game object, and thus dozens of methods of repetitive code that can be made into parameters for much fewer generalized methods. Unfortunately, LevelLoader uses these methods, so refactoring would involve changing LevelLoader as well.

### SoundFactory.cs

Stores a dictionary of all sounds and returns them. Solid class. Highly reusable and extendable. There is some dead commented code here and there but the class's simplicity facilitates no issues with readability.

That said, should ideally load all sounds by parsing a file, instead of inside the code. Similar problem as SpriteFactory.

```

28     soundEffects.Add("Dungeon 1", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/Dungeon 1")); //done, tested
29     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Arrow_Boomerang", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Arrow_Boomerang")); //done, tested
30     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Bomb_Blow", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Bomb_Blow")); //done tested
31     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Bomb_Drop", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Bomb_Drop"));
32     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Boss_Hit", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Boss_Hit")); //done tested
33     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Boss_Scream1", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Boss_Scream1"));
34     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Door_Unlock", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Door_Unlock")); //done, tested
35     soundEffects.Add("LOZ_Energy_Die", Content.Load<SoundEffect>("Sound2/LOZ_Energy_Die")); //done tested

```

### SoundManager.cs

Could do some comments explaining exactly what each method does, but clean class regardless.

There appears to be some very specific code relating to Link's hurt and sword sounds. This probably shouldn't be here.

```
76     /*
77     * This holds the complexity for the sounds of attacking with sword,
78     * taking damage, opening/closing doors
79     *
80     * What is a sprite action?
81     */
82     public void playStateSounds(SpriteAction action, ISpriteState state)
83     {
84         switch (state.toString())
85         {
86             case "AttackState":
87                 SoundManager.Instance.PlayOnce("LOZ_Sword_Slash");
88                 break;
89
90             case "DamagedState":
91                 SoundManager.Instance.PlayOnce("LOZ_Link_Hurt");
92                 break;
93
94
95         }
96     }
```

We really should have made a class for each separate game object type :(