

Core Gameplay Loop

1. Set Objective

- The player is given a goal, such as:
 - Safely directing a crowd to an exit.
 - Preventing panic in a high-stress environment.
 - Maximizing efficiency in managing crowd movement in confined spaces.

2. Plan Actions

- The player assesses the current situation and decides how to influence the crowd:
 - Placing barriers, assigning patrols, or setting movement paths.
 - Creating incentives for specific behaviors (e.g., rewards for calm zones).
 - Reacting to hazards or environmental changes.

3. Execute and React

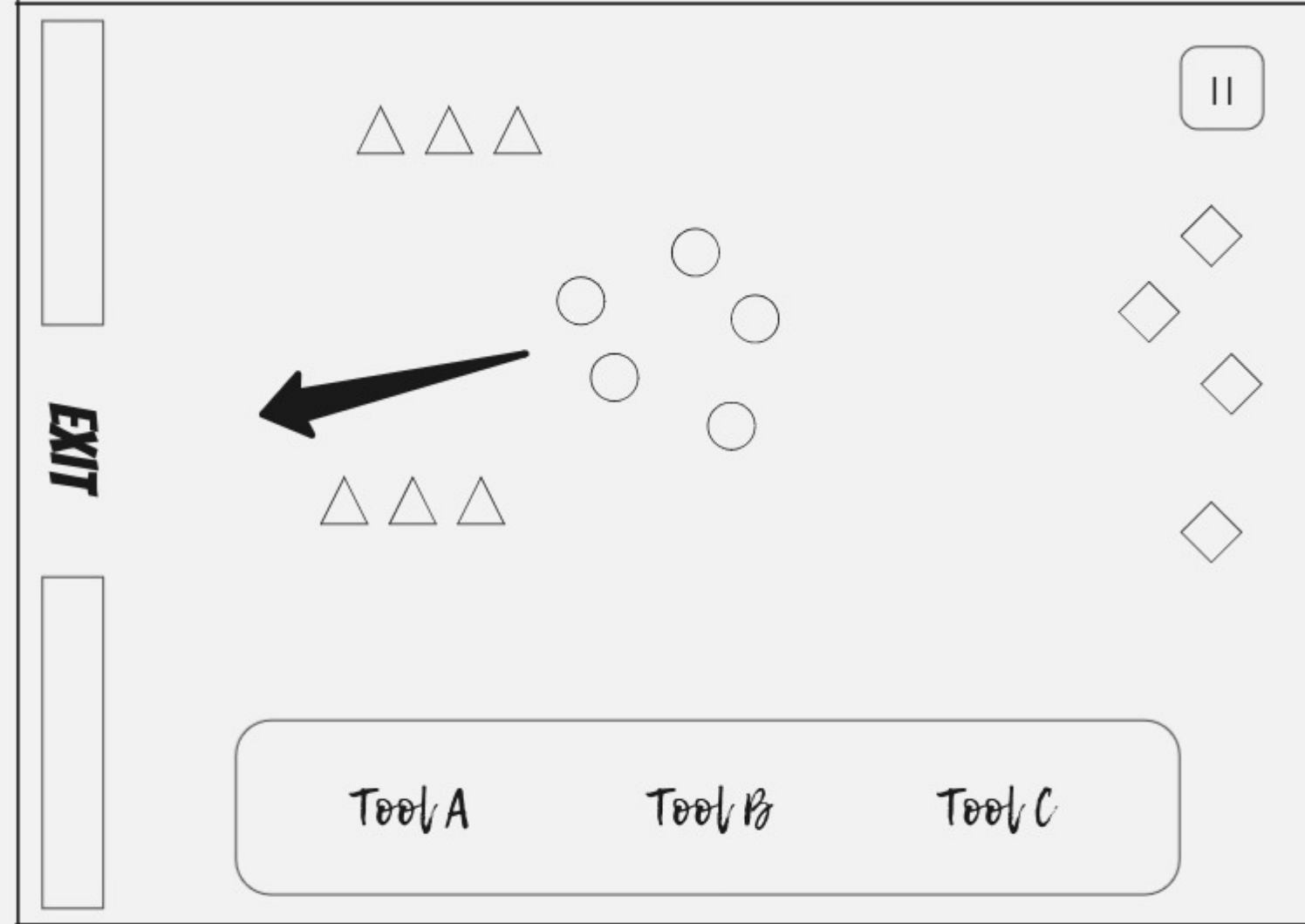
- The crowd begins moving based on their AI behaviors and player commands.
- The player observes and adjusts actions:
 - Fine-tuning barriers, directing smaller groups, or triggering calming effects.
 - Responding to emergent chaos, like individuals breaking from the group or new threats appearing.

4. Resolve Outcome

- The game evaluates the results based on player actions:
 - Did most of the crowd reach safety?
 - Did panic levels stay under control?
 - Did environmental hazards cause chaos?

5. Feedback and Progression

- Provide immediate feedback (e.g., scores, badges, or a success/failure screen).
- Introduce new challenges or scenarios for the next level:
 - Bigger crowds, more hazards, dynamic weather, or limited tools.



○ Civilians

△ Guards

◇ Hostiles

□ UI