CS 250 Final Project - GoFish Specification

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Introduction

This is the Z specification for the card game, GoFish. However, be aware that this is not the conventional version of the game. There will be minor modifications to the game that will be mentioned throughout this specification.

Rules

1. Game has two players
2. General deck of 52 cards
3. Game starts with each player dealt 7 cards from the shuffled deck. The rest are stockpiled for drawing.
4. The person who didn't deal the cards gets the first turn.
5. During a player's turn (also known as fishing). The player asks the opposing player if they have a certain card (suit doesn't matter). The player fishing must have at least one card in the rank of the card request.
6. The opposing player will then hand over the card that matches the request. However, if the defending player does not have the card, they will say 'GoFish', and the fishing player will draw a card from the stockpile deck. If the deck is empty, there is no drawing phase.
7. At any time that any of the players obtain two of the same cards, either during the drawing (go fishing), dealing, or successful request, the pair of cards can be removed from the hand.
8. Once either of the scenarios has passed, the roles will be swapped, and the defender will become the fisher and the fisher is now the defender.
9. At any moment in time, if a player's hand is empty, and there are still cards in the deck, then they are rewarded with 5 more cards drawn from the deck.
10. The turns will continue until there are no more cards in play, in both the deck and both players hands.
11. The winner will be the player with more matched pairs.

There are two players in this game. Player 1 will always start the first turn.

$$PLAYERS ::= player1 \mid player2$$

Of course, we must have cards to play the game. Numbers 1, 11, 12, and 13 represents, Ace, Jack, Queen, and King, respectively. There are four suits of each card

$$SUIT ::= spade \mid club \mid diamond \mid heart$$
$$RANK == 1 \mathinner{\ldotp\ldotp} 13$$
$$CARD == RANK \times SUIT$$
$$HAND == \mathbb{P}\, CARD$$

The deck is a stack of 52 cards.

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┌─ Deck ─────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  deck : ℙ CARD
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  # deck ≤ 52
└────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
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Deck is shuffled before the game begins. A deck has 52 cards in it at the start of the game. The shuffling process is not specified in Z notation to help simplify the specification.

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┌─ InitDeck ─────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  Deck
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  # deck = 52
└────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
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Each player has an identity (player 1 or player 2) to differentiate between. Each player has a hand of cards, with no more than 13 cards because 14 would mean you have a match. A player will have a "score" pile of cards as well to hold matching pairs of cards that count as 1 point per pair.

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┌─ Player ───────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  identity : PLAYERS
│  hand : HAND
│  score : ℕ
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  score ≤ 26
│  # hand ≤ 13
└────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

The player will begin with a score of 0, an empty hand and is identified as player1 or player2

```
┌─ InitPlayer ───────────────────────────────────────────────
│  Player
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  hand = ∅
│  score = 0
└────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

If a player is allowed to draw a card from the deck, it must come directly at the top of the deck.

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│  draw : ℙ CARD → ℙ CARD
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  ∀ j : ℙ CARD • draw(j) = (j \ (tail j))
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The game will begin with each player being dealt 1 card at a time until both players get 5 cards

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┌─ Deal ─────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  ΔPlayer
│  ΔDeck
│ ───────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│  ∀ i : ℙ CARD |
│       i = draw(deck) •
│            hand' = hand ∪ i ∧ deck' = deck \ i
└────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

The player turn in which a player is either a fisher or a defender. The fisher will request a card from the defender, who will then search their hand and give up their card if it exists.

```
┌─ Player_Turn ──────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ fisher, defender : Player
├─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ fisher.identity ≠ defender.identity
│ # fisher.hand ≠ 0 ∧ # defender.hand ≠ 0
└─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

A response from the defender when the fisher guesses

$$RESPONSE ::= go\_fish \mid correct$$

```
│ guess : CARD × HAND → RESPONSE
├─────────────────────────────────────────
│ ∀ i : CARD; j : HAND •
│     (i ∈ j ⇔ guess(i, j) = correct) ∨
│     (i ∉ j ⇔ guess(i, j) = go_fish)
```

When the user makes an incorrect guess, they must draw from the deck. Nothing happens to the defender in this situation.

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┌─ Guess_Wrong ──────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ ΞPlayer_Turn
│ guess? : CARD
├─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ guess? ∉ defender.hand
└─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

Wrong guess, go draw a card.

```
┌─ Go_Fishing ───────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ ΔPlayer
│ ΔDeck
│
├─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ #(deck) ≠ 0
│ ∀ i : ℙ CARD |
│     i = draw(deck) •
│         hand' = (hand ∪ i) ∧ deck' = (deck \ i)
└─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

However, if the deck were to be empty, a the drawing phase is skipped. During this state, the deck cannot be drawn from.

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┌─ Empty_Deck ───────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ ΞDeck
│ ΞPlayer
├─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
│ deck = ∅
└─────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────────
```

The fisher gets the correct guess then the defender must give up the card that was found

$\quad$*Guess_Correct*
$\Xi Player\_Turn$
$guess? : CARD$
$retrieve! : CARD$

$guess? \in defender.hand$
$retrieve! = guess?$

The defender gives up the card that the fisher correctly guessed

$\quad$*Lose_Card*
$\Delta Player$
$guess? : CARD$
$lost\_card! : \mathbb{P}\ CARD$

$hand' = hand \setminus \{guess?\}$
$lost\_card! = \{guess?\}$

The fisher now gets that card from the defender

$\quad$*Get_Card*
$\Delta Player$
$gained\_card? : \mathbb{P}\ CARD$

$hand' = hand \cup gained\_card?$

The player has found a matching pair of cards and then proceeds to remove those cards from their hand.

$\quad$*Pair*
$\Delta Player$
$card1?, card2? : CARD$

$first(card1?) = first(card2?)$
$hand' = hand \setminus \{card1?\} \cup \{card2?\}$
$score' = score + 1$

If the player's hand is empty, the player will be awarded with 1 card drawn from the deck.

$\quad$*Empty_Hand*
$\Delta Deck$
$\Delta Player$

$\#(deck) \neq 0$
$\forall\, i : \mathbb{P}\ CARD\ |$
$\quad\quad i = draw(deck)\ \bullet$
$\quad\quad\quad hand' = hand \cup i \wedge deck' = deck \setminus i$

At the end of a turn, the users would switch places

$\quad$*End_Turn*
$\Delta Player\_Turn$

$fisher' = defender$
$defender' = fisher$

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These are the possible outcomes of the game. A player can either win, lose, or draw. If a player has more points than their opponent, it is considered a victory. If a player has less points than their opponent, it is considered a loss. If both players have an equal number of points, the result is a tie.

$$RESULT ::= win \mid lose \mid tie$$

$$
\begin{array}{|l}
outcome : Player \times Player \rightarrow RESULT \\
\hline
\forall\, p1, p2 : Player \bullet \\
\quad (p1.score > p2.score \land outcome(p1, p2) = win)\, \lor \\
\quad (p1.score = p2.score \land outcome(p1, p2) = tie)\, \lor \\
\quad (p1.score < p2.score \land outcome(p1, p2) = lose)
\end{array}
$$

To win, there must be no more cards left in the deck as well as in both players hands. The winning player should always have more points than the losing player.

$$
\begin{array}{|l}
\underline{\ Outcome\ } \\
Deck \\
Player\_Turn \\
winner : \mathbb{P}\, Player \\
\hline
\#(deck) + \#(fisher.hand) + \#(defender.hand) = 0 \\
\forall\, i : RESULT \mid i = outcome(fisher, defender) \bullet \\
(i = win \land winner = \{fisher\})\, \lor \\
(i = lose \land winner = \{defender\})\, \lor \\
(i = tie \land winner = \{fisher\} \cup \{defender\})
\end{array}
$$

During the guessing phase, the fisher can either guess correct or wrong

$$Incorrect == (Guess\_Wrong) \land (Go\_Fishing \lor Empty\_Deck)$$
$$Correct == ((Guess\_Correct \gg Lose\_Card) \gg Get\_Card)$$
$$Guess == (Incorrect \lor Correct)$$

The game of GoFish! My composition symbol doesn't seem to be working

$$GoFish == Player\_Turn \;\#\; Guess \lor Outcome$$