Doodle Dash

(Extremely unfinished) prototype for a multiplayer drawing game which utilizes Gemini text + image input

Problem statement

→ Al and Creativity

 Multiplayer games often miss out on utilizing new AI technology for creative purposes like drawing and guessing.

→ Social Engagement

◆ There is a need for platforms that combine AI, art, and play in a fun social setting.

Solution Overview

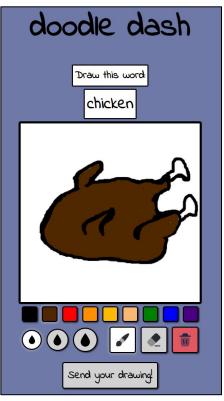
→ Gemini LLM Integration

Utilizes image + text for creative Al interaction

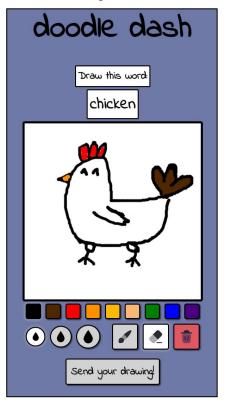
→ Multiplayer Drawing Game

- ◆ Players draw based on a given word
- The Al attempts to guess what each player drew, enhancing engagement and creativity

Player 1



Player 2



Technical Details

→ Front end

- Canvas API, p5.js for drawing functionality
- ◆ Socket.IO to handle realtime, two-way communication between client and server

Back end

- Python to manage the game logic and finite states
- ◆ Gemini API to utilize LLM multi-modal inputs
- ◆ Flask + Socket.IO to handle game state transitions across all clients
- ◆ TruLens-Eval to assign confidence score to drawn images

Game States

- Initial State Waiting for Players
 - When a game room is created, it enters the "Waiting for Players" state
- → Waiting for Start
 - ◆ The game awaits the leader to start the game
- → In Progress
 - Server selects a random word from the word bank
 - Players draw and submit their canvases, and Gemini attempts to guess the drawings
- Finished
 - Enters the "Finished" state when the AI successfully guesses a drawing
- → Abandoned
 - If a player disconnects or if certain conditions are not met, the game can transition to the "Abandoned" state

Future Improvement

→ Implement Human Feedback Loop

- ◆ Mechanism to improve Al guesses based on player responses and interactions
 - Thumbs Up and Thumbs Down buttons to allow human feedback on AI guesses

→ Build Out the User Interface

◆ Improve the game's UI/UX for a more intuitive and visually appealing experience

→ Improve Usage of AI/LLM's

 Utilize new multi-modal capabilities of Gemini as they are released, such as image and video outputs

Challenges and Learnings

→ Gemini API

- Integrating the recently released Gemini API alongside TruLens-Eval presented difficulties due to being new technology without mature documentation
- API responded slowly (or not at all), possibly due to high usage

→ Multiplayer environment

- Required synchronization across client sessions
- ◆ Learned the importance of state management and strategies for managing game states effectively