

sdmay19-32: Sound Effect Devices for Musicians

Week 1 Report

September 4 - September 11

Team MembersTim Day — *Analog Engineer*Blake Beyer — *Digital Engineer*Eric Fisher — *Test Engineer*Francisco Alegria — *Chief/ Musical Engineer*Travis Gillham — *Integration Engineer***Summary of Progress this Report**

This week we have met with our points of contact and introduced on what our project will be. We will be creating a synthesizer to help musicians create new sounds for their gigs and for and to produce new music. We have a flow chart of what the circuit should look from the input of the keyboard to the output of the speaker. We are in the process of researching all of the modules to see what the best approach for our design would be.

Pending Issues

Confirmation of what we want within the synthesizer.

Full divisions of who will be working and research on modules

More research into the a sound flow through the synthesizer.

Plans for Upcoming Reporting Period

Updated website for our team.

Updated gitlab for our team

Team has full understanding of what they will be working on.

Individual Contributions

| Team Member | Contribution | Weekly Hours | Total Hours |
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| Tim Day | Researched into circuit design for synthesizers. Trying to get the kanboard set up to monitour our progress. Skimmed through two books to get a broader understanding of how a synesizer works. Gave the 1 minute elevator pitch to the class | 4 | |
| Blake Beyer | Researched synthesizer information. Determined role and desired modules | 3 | 3 |
| Eric Fisher | Researched information on synthesizers to get a better understanding of what they are and what we are doing. | 2.5 | |

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| Francisco Alegria | Did research to make an info document for the team, and two presentations for the client and the class. Organized meeting times with client. Also filled out a meeting minutes report. | 7 | 7 |
| Travis Gillham | Researched more information on other products and moduels. Learned more about the waveforms that the signals produced. | 2.5 | 2.5 |
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Gitlab Activity SummaryNothing to report.
