Multi Touch Poker Table for the iPhone

Critical Design Review

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Project Description

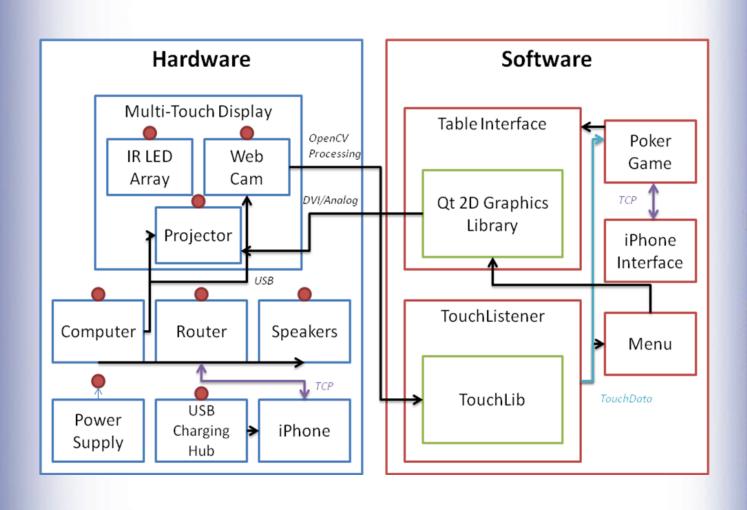
 Multi-Touch screen to allow four users to enjoy a game of Texas Hold'em using an iPhone/iPod Touch



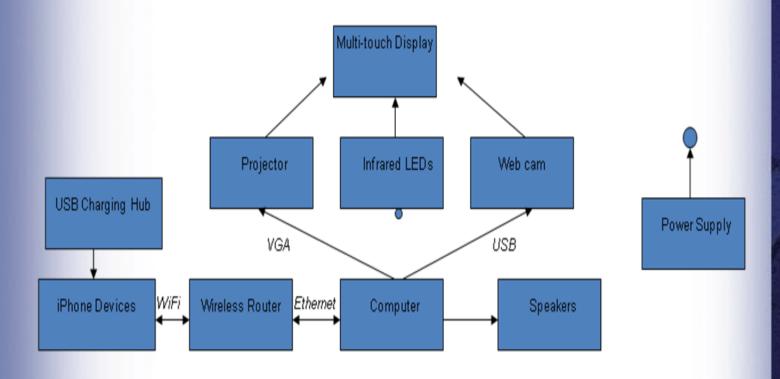
Goals and Objectives

- To explore alternative multi touch techniques
- To create an entity that will compliment a public environment such as a café or restaurant
- To create something for people to enjoy
- To learn basic constructs of iPhone development
- To become more proficient in c++ development

System Block Diagram

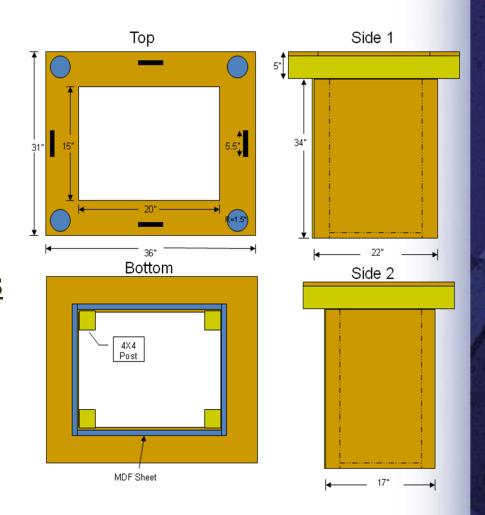


Hardware Components



Framework

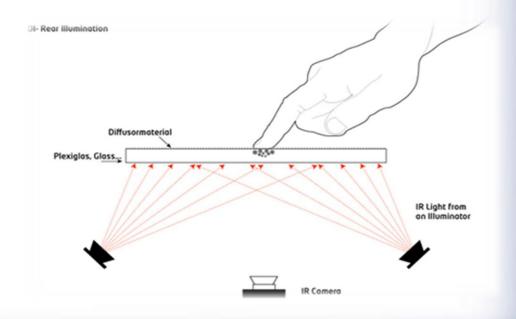
- GOALS
- Phone holder with charging capability
- Coffee cup holder to limit spills
- REQUIREMENTS
- 25" screen
- Height > 34"



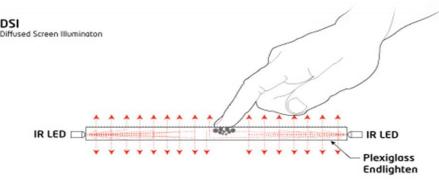
Multi-Touch Technique

- Four Techniques
 - Frustrated Internal Reflection (FTIR)
 - Rear Diffused Illumination (DI)
 - Laser Light Plane (LLP)
 - Diffused Surface Illumination (DSI)

- Rear DI
 - IR Illuminators
 - Object detection
 - Increase false touch

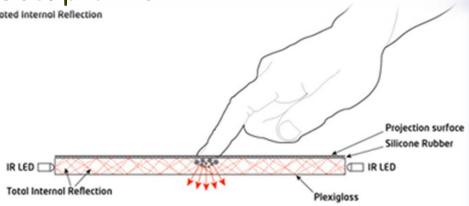


- DSI
 - Material has mirror-like particles that reflect light
 - High Sensitivity
 - Expensive (\$500 sheet)

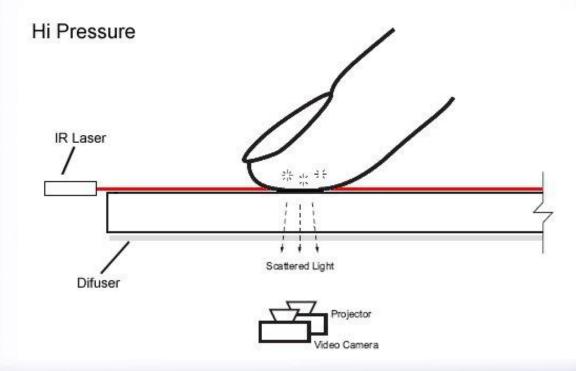




- FTIR
 - IR light flooded through Acrylic surface
 - High sensitivity
 - Long setup time

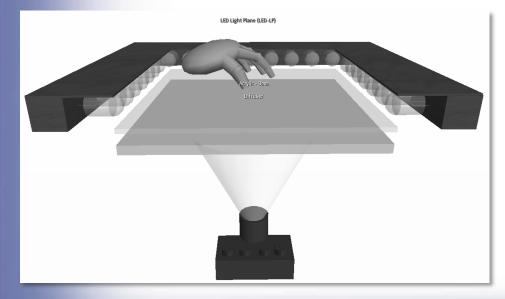


- LLP
 - Laser positioned above surface
 - Easy setup
 - Laser Orientation crucial



Technique Decision Matrix

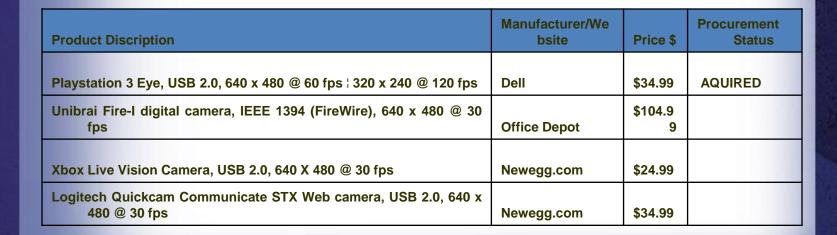
Elements	FTIR	Rear DI	LLP	DSI
Object Detection	4	1	3	2
Pressure Sensitivity	1	3	4	2
Contrast	1	3	2	4
Setup Time	3	4	1	2
Price	1	3	2	4
Total Score	11	14	13	14



- FTIR technique
 - Rigidity
 - Sensitivity

IR Camera

- GOALS
 - Min. Touch response delay
 - High touch accuracy
- REQUIREMENTS
 - minimum resolution of 640x480
 - frame rate of at least 30 FPS
 - transfer data at a minimum of 480 Mbits/s





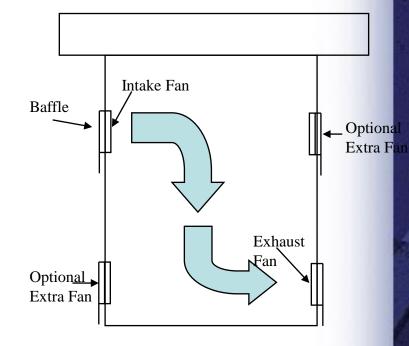
IR Camera(cont)

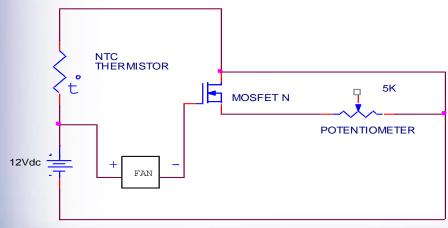
- PROBLEM
 - Web cams record in visible light spectrum
 - We need camera to record in IR spectrum
- SOLUTION
 - Disassemble Web cam
 - Remove IR Filter
 - Install Bandpass Filter (Magnetic tape)



Temperature Control

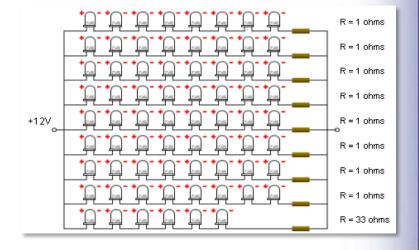
- Requirement = compartment Temp < 90°F
- 2 Yate Loon Fans (120mm, 1650rpm, .3A)
- Temperature sensor
 - Thermistor
 - 5K Potentiometer
 - N type MOSFET

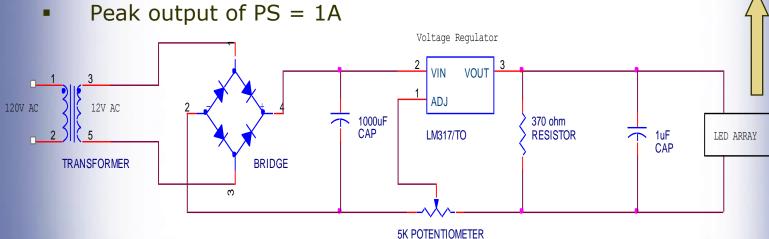




LED Power Supply

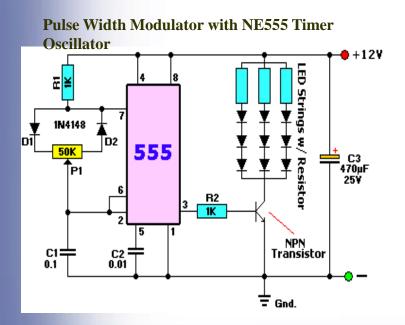
- 70 (100mW) IR LED's
- Using Ohm's Law and Voltage/Current divider
 - Total powerdissipation = 10910mW
 - Total current draw = 900 mA
- PS uses transformer, bridge rectifier, cap, voltage regulator, potentiometer

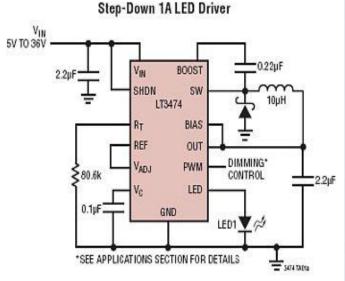




LED Power Supply(cont)

- Goal set to regulate LED intensity for light sensitivity
- Analog or PWM controller
- 555 timer max load current = 200mA (need 900mA)
- LT3474 ? Any suggestions



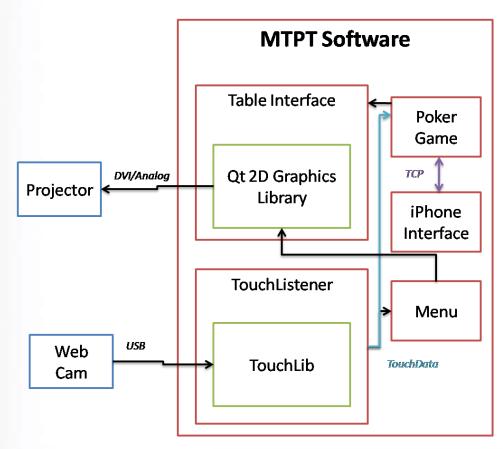




Hardware Progress

Software Block Diagram

- Input-Captured image from webcam
- Output-Graphics on touch screen



Software Requirements Specification Summary

- Poker Game
 - The MTPT will support Tournament style No Limit Texas Hold'em Poker.
 - The game will support from two to four players.
- Restaurant Menu
 - The menu can be viewed anytime during the game
 - Only one menu will be visible

Software Requirements Specification(cont.)

- Table Interface
 - Game will prompt user to start when at least 2 people join
 - Chips will be displayed on the table
 - Community cards will be displayed on the center of table.
 - The interface will display the following game information during the course of the game
 - The interface will execute the player actions(bet,check,fold) with touch commands

Software Requirements Specificatio(cont.)

- iPhone Interface
 - The following iPhone and iPod Touch devices will be supported:
 - iPhone EDGE, 3G, 3GS
 - iPod Touch 1st Generation, 2nd
 Generation
 - The MTPT will interface with up to 4 iPhone/iPod Touch devices.
 - Hole cards will be displayed on the iPhone/iPod Touch devices.

Software Libraries

- Qt (4.5.2)
 - Open Soucre C++ application and User Interface Framework
 - Ease of data types/structures, graphics
- Touchlib
 - Processes input video from web cam
 - Sends touch events to application
 - E.g. "Finger Up, Finger Down"
- PokerSource
 - Poker card/hand representation
 - 64-bit Hand Mask
 - Poker hand evaluation

High Level Design

- (Up to) Seven Threads
 - PokerExec
 - Controls game state
 - PokerPlayer(One per player)
 - Responsible for sending/accepting data from iPhone
 - PokerServer
 - Responsible for listening for initial iPhone connections
 - TouchListener
 - Controls/receives touch inputs from user on table
- Graphics
 - Utlizing Qt's Graphics View Framework
- iPhone Communication
 - Will use TCP to send/receiver packets

Card Representation

- Lower level
 - StdDeck_CardMask using Pokersource types
 - Masks may be OR'd together to make hands
- Hand Values
 - Hand values may be calculated for a five card hand out of 7 cards(2 hole cards, 5 community cards)

AKQJ T987 6543 2XXX AKQJ T987 6543 2XXX AKQJ T987 6543 2XXX AKQJ T987 6543 2XXX

Spades
Clubs
Diamonds
Hearts
Unused

Detailed Design

- PokerExec Class
 - Main exec of software
- PokerPlayer Class
 - Holds crucial information for a player
 - Responsible for handling data to/from iPhone
- PokerCardGraphicsItem Class
 - Utilizes Qt Graphics library to help display .svg(scale vector graphic) cards
- TouchListener Class
 - Thread to handle touch events

PokerExec Class

- Class Diagram
 - Operations(left),Parameters(right)
 - Extends Qthread class

QThread

PokerExec

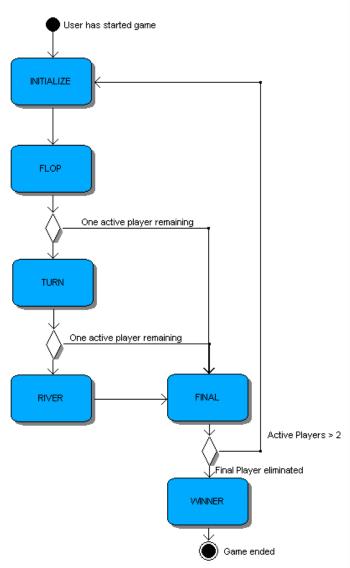
- + PokerExec(in : void)
- Start(in : void) : void
- Stop(in : void) : void
- run(in : void) : void
- ShuffleDeck(in : void) : void
- DealPlayerCards(in numPlayers : int) : void
- UpdatePlayerPositions(in : void) : void
- DealFlop(in : void) : void
- DealTurn(in : void) : void
- DealRiver(in : void) : void
- CalculateWinner(): void
- DeclareWinner(in winnerPosition : int) : void
- SetGameStatus(in status: QString): void
- BettingRound(in state : gamestate_e) : gamestate_e
- UpdatePotSize(in amount : int) : void
- UpdateCurrentCall(in amount : int) : void
- IsPlayerEliminated(in position : uint) : bool
- + GetCardXMLString(in cardMask : StdDeck_CardMask) : QString
- + ResetCards(in : void) : void

PokerExec

- char VERSION_NUMBER[10]
- unsigned int numPlayers
- <<QQueue>> QQueue<StdDeck_CardMask> deck
- StdDeck_CardMask community
- unsigned int currentAmountToCall
- unsigned int smallBlind
- unsigned int bigBlind
- unsigned int currentPotAmount
- unsigned int currentPlayer
- unsigned int endPlayer
- unsigned int smallPosition
- unsigned int bigPosition
- unsigned int dealerPosition
- bool waitForPlayers
- QString gameStatus
- bool stopRunning
- QSvgRenderer * renderer
- QGraphicsScene * scene
- QGraphicsView * view

PokerExec Class(cont)

- State Machine
 - Used to control game state
 - Dependent on player actions
 - Runs per poker hand



PokerPlayer Class

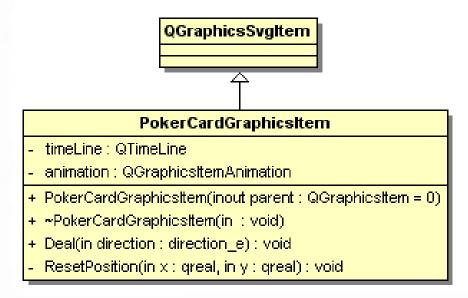
- Runs thread to receive data from iPhone interface
 - Only looks at proper time depending on game state
- Four objects are implemented in PokerExec as an array of PokerPlayers
 - Index(0 to 4) will be used to keep track of positions

PokerPlayer

- holeCards : StdDeck_CardMask
- playerName : QString
- chips : uint
- currentBet : uint
- playerPosition : int
- action : bool
- active : bool
- eliminated : bool
- playerTcpSocket : QTcpSocket
- + PokerPlayer(in : void)
- + ClearPokerHands(in : void): void
- + SetPlayerHoleCards(in cards : StdDeck_CardMask) : void
- + GetPlayerName(in : void): QString
- + GetPlayerPosition(in : void): int
- + GetHandValue(in communityCards : StdDeck_CardMask) : HandVal
- + IsActive(in : void) : bool
- + IsEliminated(in : void): bool
- + SetActive(in active : bool) : void
- + AddChips(in add : int) : void
- + AddCurrentBet(in addAmount : uint) : void
- + GetCurrentBet(in : void) : uint
- + SetCurrentBet(in betAmount : uint) : void
- + SetPlayerRead(): void
- + Bet(in amountToCall: int, in bigBlind: uint): uint
- start(): void
- SetPlayerName(in name : QString) : void
- SetPlayerWrite(): void

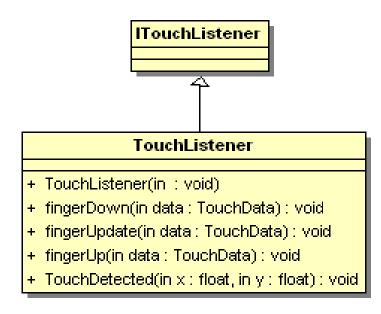
PokerCardGraphicsItem Class

- Originally planned to have card graphics as QGraphicsSvgItems(used on top of PokerSource types)
 - Particular can be called from the cards.svg file by passing a string(e.g. "queen_hearts")
 - Needed a better way to implement animations
- Main purpose of class is to animate dealt cards
 - player hole cards, community cards



TouchListener Class

- Implements Touchlib to handle touch events
 - fingerDown, Update, Up are virtual functions of ITouchListener
 - TouchData will be passed to PokerExec class to handle user inputs
 - Location will be primary determination of what is to be done



Software Test Plan

- Each class will be unit tested
 - Ensures proper function at lowest level of software
 - Outputs for unit test will include .txt files or visual outputs that can be captured(example)

PokerExecTest.txt

- Integration testing
 - Occurs after each class has been unit tested
 - Pass/Fail criteria will be based on SRS

Software Progress

- ~50% complete
 - Game code is almost complete
 - Game graphics are currently being worked on
 - RestaurantMenu will continue once previous two are tested

Class	Design	Code	Unit Test
PokerExec	90%	85%	20%
PokerPlayer	95%	95%	20%
PokerCardGraphicsItem	100%	95%	50%
RestaurantMenu	100%	40%	0%
TouchListener	90%		



Budget

Component	QUANTITY	PRICE	TOTAL PRICE
MULTI-TOUCH SCREEN			
MOLTI-TOUCH SCREEN			
DAP Silicone, 10.1fl oz.	1	\$4.50	\$4.50
Rosco Grey, 20"x24"	1	\$6.50	\$6.50
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Acrylic Sheet, 24"x32"	1	\$100.00	\$100.00
LED			
IR LED, 880nm	80	\$0.40	\$32.00
INTAKE/EXHAUST FAN			
Yate Loon	2	\$4.99	\$9.98
IR CAMERA			
Playstation 3 Eye	1	\$34.99	\$34.99
POWER SUPPLY			
LED PS Parts	1	\$5.00	\$5.00
Temp Sensor Parts	1	\$3.00	\$3.00
USB Extension	2	\$3.00	\$6.00
Dawar Cand Entanaina		£40.00	¢40.00
Power Cord Extension PROJECTOR	1	\$10.00	\$10.00
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Dell 1100MP	1	\$150.00	\$150.00
FRAMEWORK	†	4100.00	ψ100.00
4x4	2	\$5.50	\$11.00
2x4	2	\$2.41	\$4.82
Wood Glue	1	\$3.00	\$3.00
MDF Sheet	1	\$19.25	\$19.25
Nails	1	\$2.00	\$2.00
Screws	1	\$2.00	\$2.00
Wheels	4	\$2.00	\$8.00
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Remaining Schedule

- Finish constructing table by end of September
- Poker Game completed in next two weeks
- Complete TouchListener by mid-October
- Integration after TouchListener is complete
- Start testing first week of November

Questions?

