**Questionnaire**

**Important Context: I am planning to develop a 2D platforming running game aimed at PC gamers that will be entertaining and will engage them for a long time.**

1. How long do you play video games in the last week?

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| Don’t play | 0 to 1 hour | 1 to 10 hours | 10 to 20 hours | 20 to 50 hours | More than 50 hours |

1. If you do play games, on what platform do you find yourself playing games the most?

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| PC/Mac | Game Consoles (Including Mobile consoles like DS, PSP) | Mobile phone/tablet |

1. How long do you play high-score based games in one session (For example, Space Invaders, Tetris)?

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| Don’t play | 0 to 10 mins | 10 to 30 mins | 30 to 60 mins | More than 60 mins |
| Why? : Generally played to get a high score, or in between league matches :^^^^^^^^^^) | | | | |

1. How long do you play games with levels in one session (For example, Super Mario World, Legend of Zelda, Castlevania)?

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| Don’t play | 0 to 10 mins | 10 to 30 mins | 30 to 60 mins | More than 60 mins |
| Why? : More immersive experience, more invested to progress | | | | |

1. Which of the two would you get bored of the quickest?

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| High-score based | Level/course based |
| Why? : No answer here, depends entirely on game quality (for example, Dark souls is level based, and I’d play it longer than Osu. But I’d play Osu longer than Witcher 3.) | |

1. For level based games, would you prefer pre-built levels or procedurally generated levels?

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| Pre-built | Procedurally generated |

Reason being that a prebuilt level will be infinitely better designed than a generated one

1. And how many levels would you be satisfied with?

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| 1 | 2 to 10 | 11 to 20 | More than 20 |

1. Would you read a how-to-play screen, run through a tutorial course, or figure out yourself?

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| How to Play Screen | Tutorial Course | Figure out on my own |

1. What art style and theme would you prefer (**Pick a style and a theme**)?

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| Pixel art **style**Image result for fez | Cartoon **style**Image result for scribblenauts |
| Pirate **theme**http://shop.software-atelier.ch/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/Pirate_Slider.png | Disaster **theme**http://subjunctive.net/klog/images/2009/dino-run-3.gif |

1. Which type of pick-up items would you want more of?

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| Health items | Scoring items | Buff items | Buff-debuff trade-off items |

1. Should enemies and a combat system be added?

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| Yes | No |

1. Which health system would you think is easier to have in a running game?

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| Health bar (HP) | Hearts |
| Why? : They’re fundamentally the same thing, though health bars are arguable more forgiving. | |

1. Would you like a scoreboard system and player stats tracking in the game and why?

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| Yes | No |
| Why? : You gotta know your the best fam | |

1. Should achievements be added?

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| Yes | No |

1. Should unlockable content be implemented?

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| Yes | No |

1. Should an upgrade shop be added?

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| Yes | No |

1. Should any quest and role-playing elements be added and give examples?

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| Yes | No |
| Examples: | |

1. Any suggestions?

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| With regards to the upgrade shop and unlockable content, for a highscore game you want every player that comes to play it on an even playing field to get a high score from the get go, rather than having to unlock or buy advantages. |

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