GENERAL ELECTRIC TRANSPORTATION DIVISION



Software Development Plan

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OBJECTIVES

GUI

- Display a menu of user clickable options
- for each menu option there is a desired keyboard shortcut
- form functionality to take user input and use that input in the calculations of operations discussed in calculation section
- window style of the windows operating system.

Database

- MySQL database connectivity
- Have an Entity-Relational diagram of database table layout.
- ability to store user input from calculations to be optimized and presented to the user in the form of the desired output file format. (i.e. excel, pdf, etc.)
- Proper connectivity and disconnectvity. (No double connections. Every connection will disconnect before creating a new connection.)
- Will have an admin table storing all accounts to database so as to ensure a smooth transition to a FIT project to a GE project. (meaning you will have all usernames and passwords to database.)

Calculations

- Safe Braking
- Headway
- Runtime Performance
- Clear Time
- Approach Locking Time

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TEAM

Team Members	Assigned Project Components	Email
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TOOLS

Component	Value
IDE	Visual Studio 2013
Programming Language	C#, .NET 4.5
Database	MYSQL

METHODOLOGY

- Agile methodology with meetings at least twice a month.
- A revision of this document after every milestone to ensure document accuracy.

MILESTONES

For this project we have 6 milestones. See below for a signature table to be signed on completion of tasks.

1. Design Documents

- 1. Obtain Software Requirements from GE
- 2. Language and tool selection
- 3. Creation of sample programs used to evaluate tool stack selected
- 4. Formal Software Development plan
- 5. Design of Database Layout and GUI Sketch
- 6. Have GE sign SDP and Green Light the design
- 2. Database Parsing and User Input
 - 1. Create database schema based on ER diagram
 - 2. Fill database with sample data
 - 3. Be able to parse the data from database and present it to the user
 - 4. Take in user input and store it in the database
 - 5. Create GUI menu with options to select forms for taking user input
 - 6. Research best output format based on GE requirements

3. Calculations

- 1. Start coding calculations as described in objectives
 - 1. Headway
 - 2. Safe Braking Calculations
- 2. Optimize code and begin testing
- 3. Start creating the user manual
- 4. Store calculations in database.
- 5. ability to have the user to save data to be edited later.
- 4. Milestones 4-6 to be determined in the second semester.

DELIVERABLES

The following items will be handed over to General Electric on a DVD:

- Program executable
- all source code
- All design documents created
- User Manual
- Testing code

SIGNATURE BLOCKS

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