



SkruntSkrunt Live: USB Tiny 2014-08-30

URL: <http://skruntskrunt.ca>

Source Repo:

<https://github.com/abramhindle/skruntskruntlive>

Summary: A live USB stick that boots up to a menu of skruntskrunt instruments that you can play on your own computers. This is an operating system and software. This is not pre-recorded music.

Requirements: USB Bootable x86_64 computer with at least 2GB of RAM, 64bit compatible processor, x86 compatible, and a way to boot off of USB. No disk space is needed.

Description: SkruntSkrunt (Abram Hindle) tends to make his own instruments. These instruments tend to be solely performed by SkruntSkrunt privately or in live performances. But they are just software. With this live USB key you too can boot up an operating system loaded with SkruntSkrunt instruments and play the exact same instruments that Dr. Abram Hindle, SkruntSkrunt, performs with. Not only that you have the source too, so you can change these instruments if you so please.

Instruments:

* Chuck-Scripts: raw ChuCK source code that you can play with and modify in ChuckK. Make bit crunching noises!

* PVTable: Draw the frequency spectrum, and hear it!

* Chuck-Dispatch: Don't want to make music? Chuck Dispatch will make music for you!

* Big Grain: Granular synthesis engine with multiple grain streams

* TableSet: Draw the waveforms that you want to hear!

* Granular Synth1: A simple granular synth with fine control, sound stretching.

* San Andreas: not the game, but play the sound of the fault lines of the Sa Andreas area. Seen on Disquiet 0073.

* SWARMED: Web based interface to numerous loud and obnoxious noise makers

* Bubbles: Virtual Bubble Wrap. Just pop it

Instructions:

1. Insert USB key into USB slot that allows for booting

2. Reboot your computer

3. Tell your computer to boot off the USB key. (On a thinkpad, turn the power off and then turn it on and hold down F12 to get the boot menu).

4. let it boot up

5. login as **skruntskrunt** with the password **skruntskrunt**

6. Start up JACK audio (the jack on the desktop). Click the start button to start the sound server.

7. Choose one of the instruments to play from the desktop.

8. EXPLORE

Tech Support: Almost none but you can try to email Abram.

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