

# Game Engine Design Notes

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## 1 Introduction

This document is the outline of how the game engine functions. It will discuss the graphics pipeline, each subsystem, external libraries, and tools that are used.

Check out these books maybe : [7], [1], [6], [5], [4], [2], [8], [9], [3],

### 1.1 Final Project Plans

In this section we describe the overall goal of our engine and the basic minimum functionality it can perform.

## 2 Graphics Pipeline

In this section we talk about the graphics pipeline.

### 2.1 An example

In this section describe **in detail** from the start to the end how an object is rendered.

## 3 Game Engine Components

In this section we talk about each component of the system and what their responsibilities are and how subsystems interacts. We can look at [7] to see what systems they have and if it would be a good idea to include them in our engine.

### 3.1 Audio Manager

The Audio Manager will handling the loading and playback of sounds.

### 3.2 Renderer

The Renderer will handle the display of scenes.

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