Kanto Player CSEE W4840 Final Report

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Abstract

This project presents an audio player with frequency visualization. The user is able to play audio files from an SD card and view a nice visualization on a VGA display. We use a field-programmable gate array (FPGA) for implementation, with software handling user interaction and song coordination and hardware handling actual audio output and FFT visualization.

1 Introduction

2 System Architecture

- 2.1 High-Level Overview
- 2.2 Low-Level Implementation Details
- 2.3 FFT Unit
- 2.4 Audio Buffer
- 2.5 Visualizer
- 2.6 SD Card Controller
- 2.7 Software User Interface

3 Timeline & Milestone Progress

Milestone	Date	Goal	Accomplished
Milestone 1	Apr 2	RTL design and block diagrams of all peripherals.	Completed.
Milestone 2	Apr 16	Individual peripherals written in VHDL and test benched.	Completed.
Milestone 3	Apr 30	Build interfaces between all peripherals and finish synchronization software.	Completed
Deadline	May 9	System complete and presentation finished.	Completed.

4 Contributions & Teamwork

- Kavita Jain-Cocks
 - 1. item
 - 2. item
- Howard Mao
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- Amrita Mazumdar
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 - 2. item
- Darien Nurse
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 - 2. item
- Jonathan Yu
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 - 2. item

- $5\quad \hbox{Challenges \& Lessons Learned}$
- 6 Reflections & Prospectus
- A Source Code
- A.1 VHDL
- **A.2** C
- A.3 Python