Dare to Ludum Dare

How does a game jam work?

blinry

Hackover 2017

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"Game Jam"

Geoff Howland

Mike Kasprzak

"Ludum Dare"

April

August

December

This Talk

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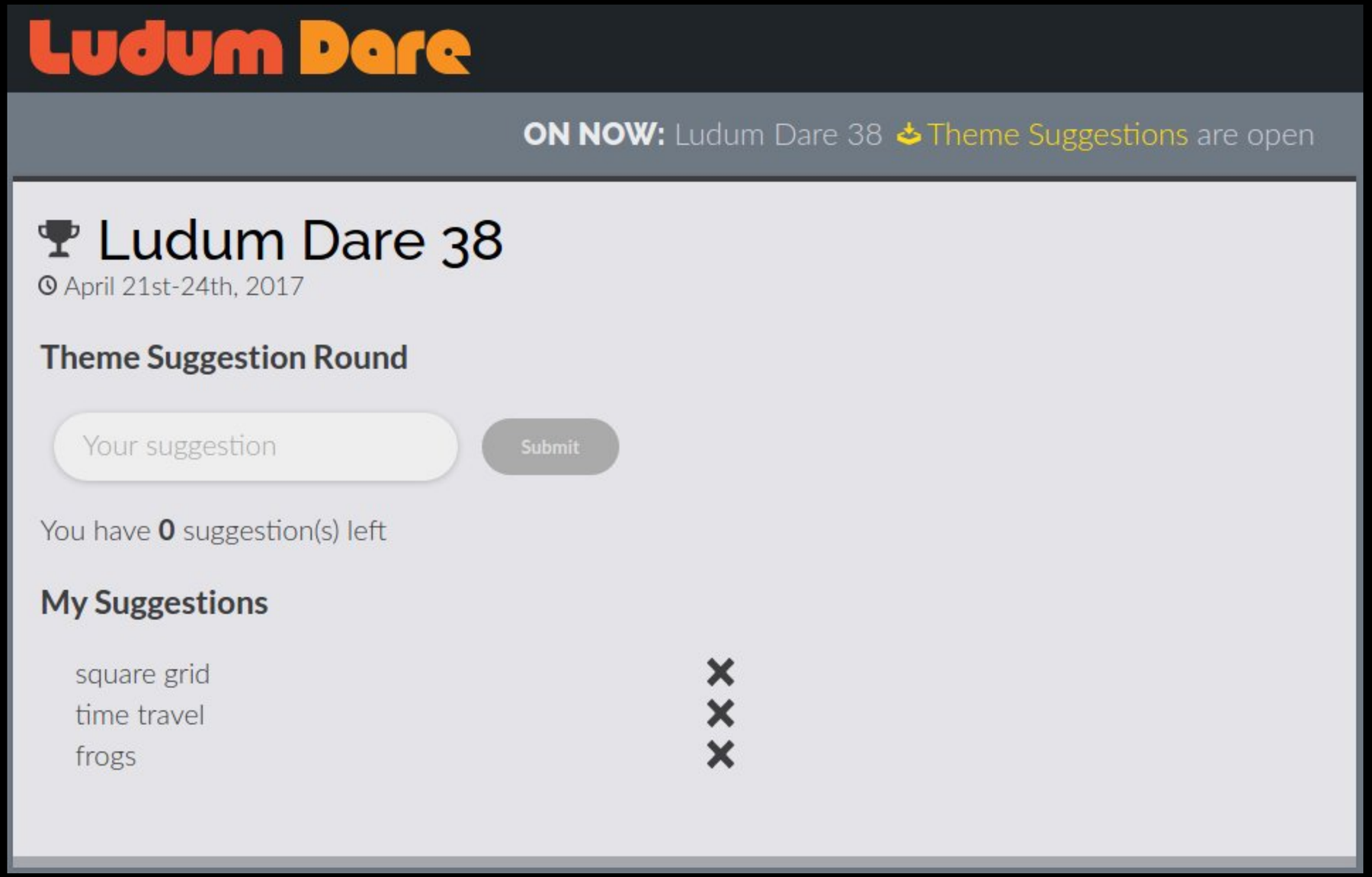
Ludum Dare
ON NOW: Ludum Dare 38 Theme Suggestions are open
Ludum Dare 38
April 21st-24th, 2017
Theme Suggestion Round
Your suggestion
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My Suggestions
square grid
time travel
frogs

T - 10 days

Ludum Dare 38
April 21st-24th, 2017
Theme Slaughter Round
Would this be a good Theme?
Hot
YES ✓
NO ×
If inappropriate or offensive, you can
Flag
it.
Themes Slaughtered: 600

Would this be a good Theme?

You are the Bad Guy

YES ✓ NO ×

Good

Would this be a good Theme?

Cookies

YES ✓ YES ✓

Would this be a good Theme?

Fun

YES ✓ NO ×

Would this be a good Theme?

28

YES ✓ NO ×

Would this be a good Theme?

propaganda

YES ✓ NO ×

Would this be a good Theme?

Justice

YES ✓ NO ×

Would this be a good Theme?

The New LD Site Tries to Kill You

YES ✓ NO ×

Would this be a good Theme?

Please... Please... No! ...

YES ✓ NO ×

T - 4 days

Theme Voting Round

Round 1 | Round 2 | Round 3

Round 2

-1	0	+1	On / Off
-1	0	+1	Everything has a Cost
-1	0	+1	Save Yourself, Not the World
-1	0	+1	You are the Bad Guy
-1	0	+1	Connections
-1	0	+1	Two Colors
-1	0	+1	Limited Energy
-1	0	+1	Evolve

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Final Voting

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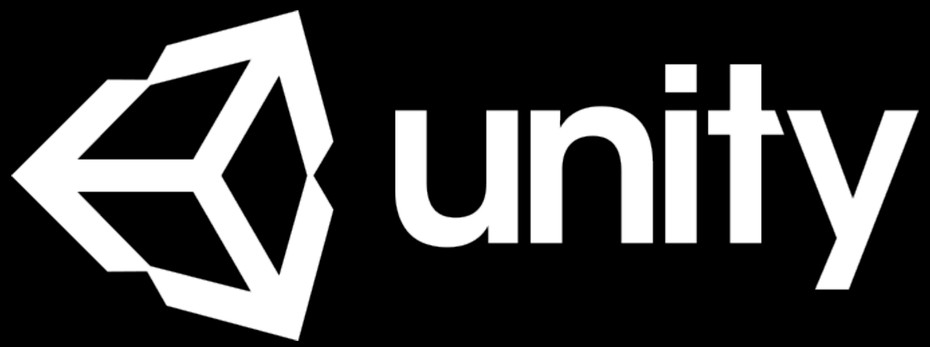
Food & Sleep & Tech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Ludum Dare
@ludumdare
Following
The Theme for Ludum Dare 37 is: One room
#LDJAM

Indirect interaction
Guardian
Construction/destruction (sheep)
Preparation – Set it up, let it go
Infection
Random
Light and darkness
Growth
Swarms
Moon/anti-text
Build the level you play
Chain reaction
Weird/unexpected/surprise
Minimalist

The tower
Roads
Advancing wall of doom
Caverns
Exploration
Islands
Enemies as weapons
Discovery
It’s dangerous to go alone!
  Take this!
Escape
Alone (kitten challenge)
Tiny world
Evolution
You are the villain (goat)

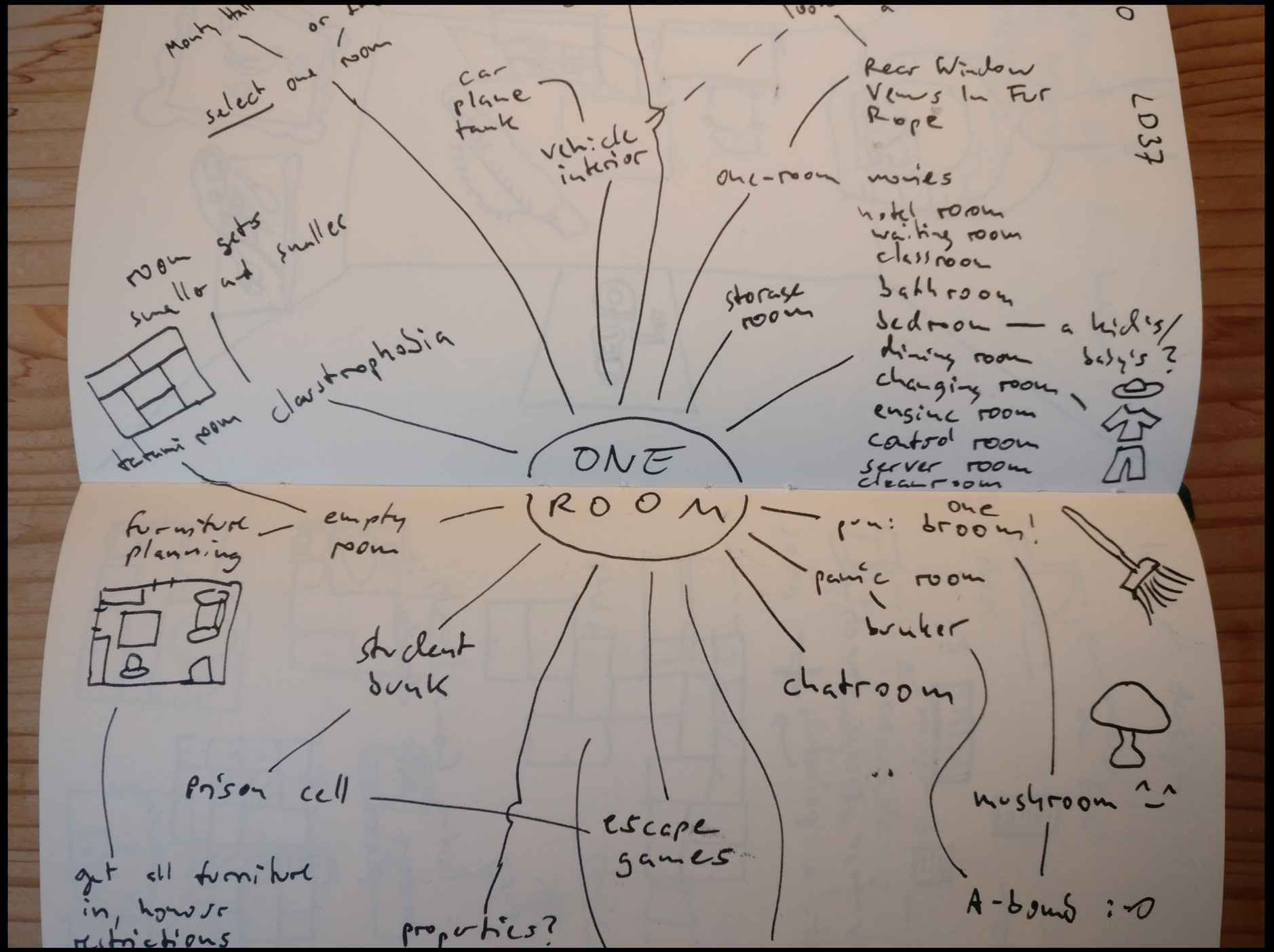
Minimalism (potato)
10 seconds
You only get one
Beneath the surface
Connected Worlds
Entire Game on One Screen
An Unconventional Weapon
You are the Monster
Growing/two button controls
Shapeshift
Ancient Technology
One Room
A Small World
Running out of Power

T-0

(01:00 UTC)

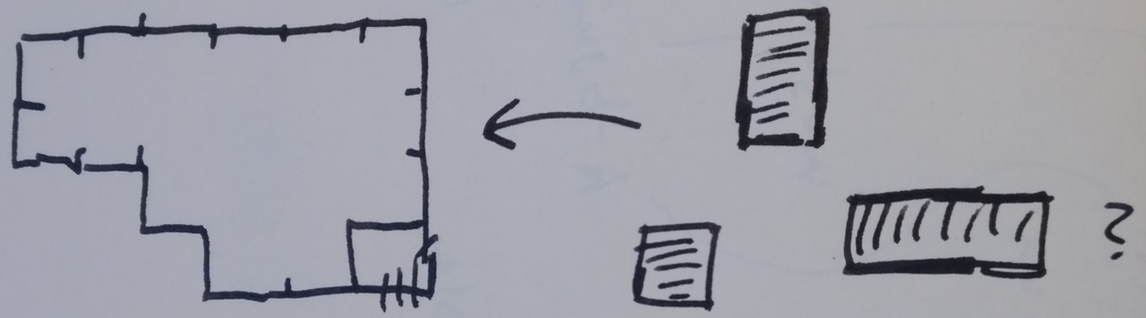
Jam Rules

Compo Rules



ONE ROOM
LD37
Monty Hall
or
select one room
car plane tank
vehicle interior
Rear Window
Venus In Fur
Rope
one-room movies
hotel room
waiting room
classroom
bathroom
bedroom — a kid's/baby's?
dining room
changing room
engine room
control room
server room
cleanroom
storage room
room gets smaller and smaller
claustrophobia
tatami room
empty room
furniture planning
pun: one broom!
panic room
bunker
chatroom
student bunk
prison cell
escape games
mushroom ^_^
A-bomb :-0
get all furniture in, honour restrictions
properties?

Tatami room



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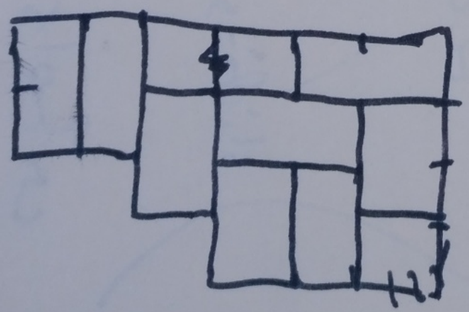

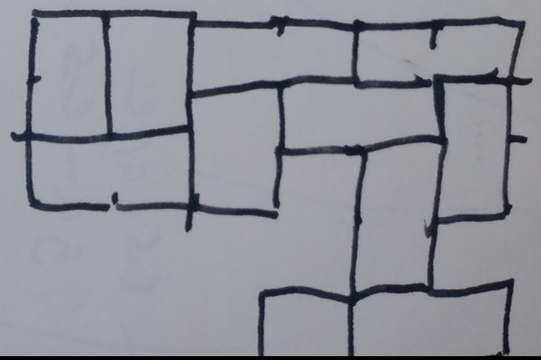

Interior design

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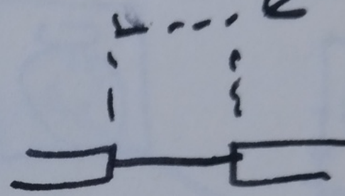
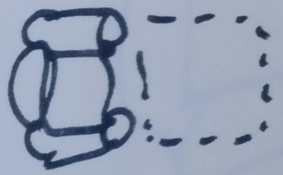
door



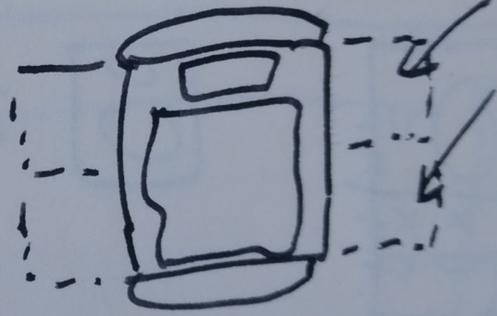
must be low, else less light

window



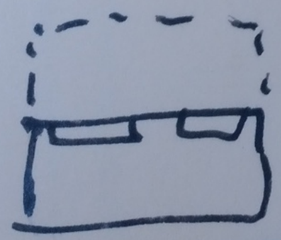
must be reachable from the door

sofa



one of these must be free

bed



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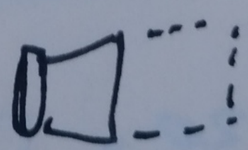

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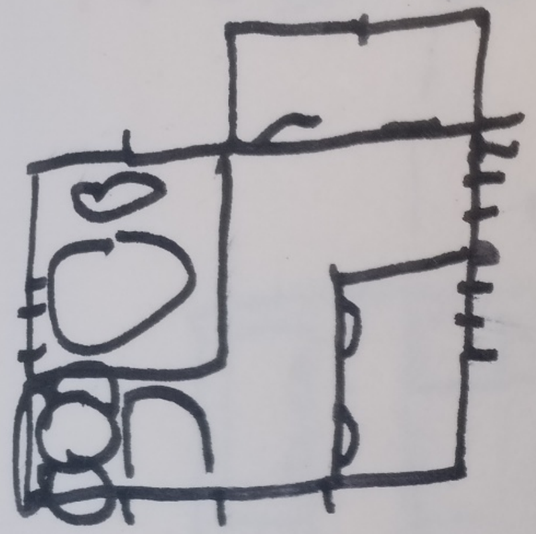

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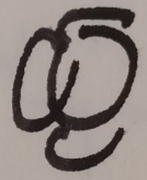
2 × 

fun! :-D

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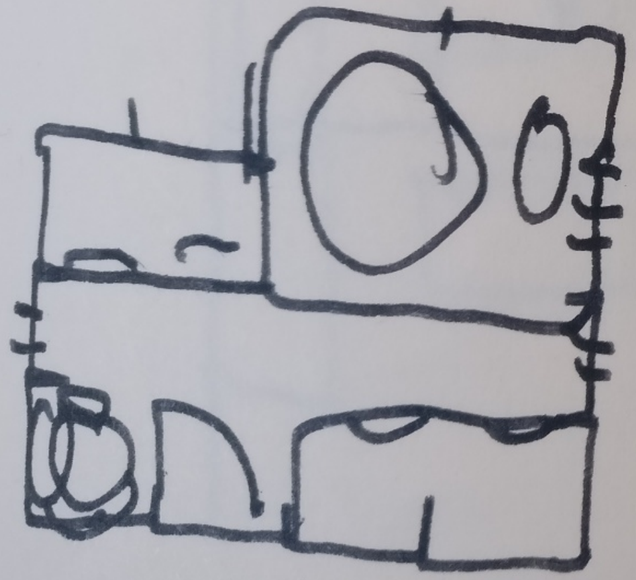
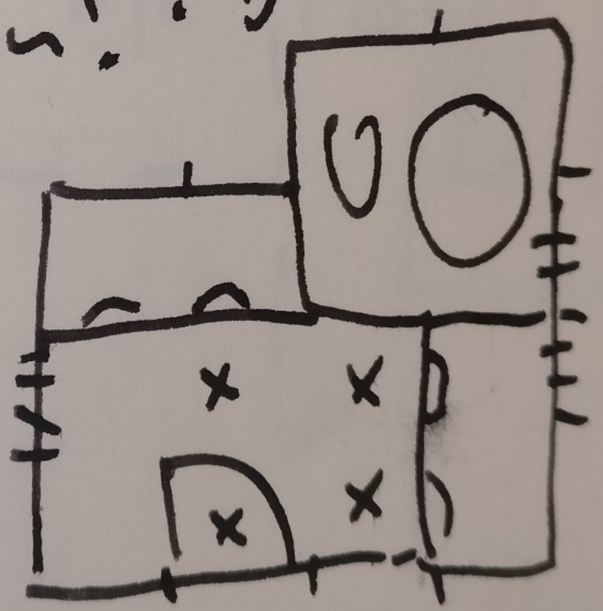
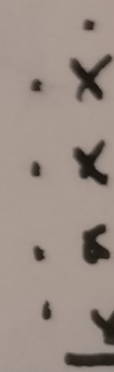
-10 bracket
-1 door
3 left

7 users







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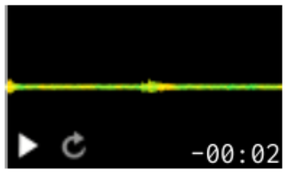

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door pickup truck exterior opening

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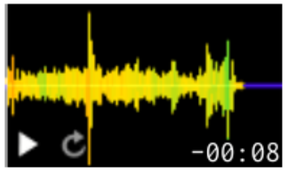

Fill Cup of Tea (Pickup)

This is the sound of filling a cup with tea. Recording: The sound was recorded using a **pickup** (Schertler Basik ...

Pouring Cup Tea Pour Water Pickup Fill

DrZoom

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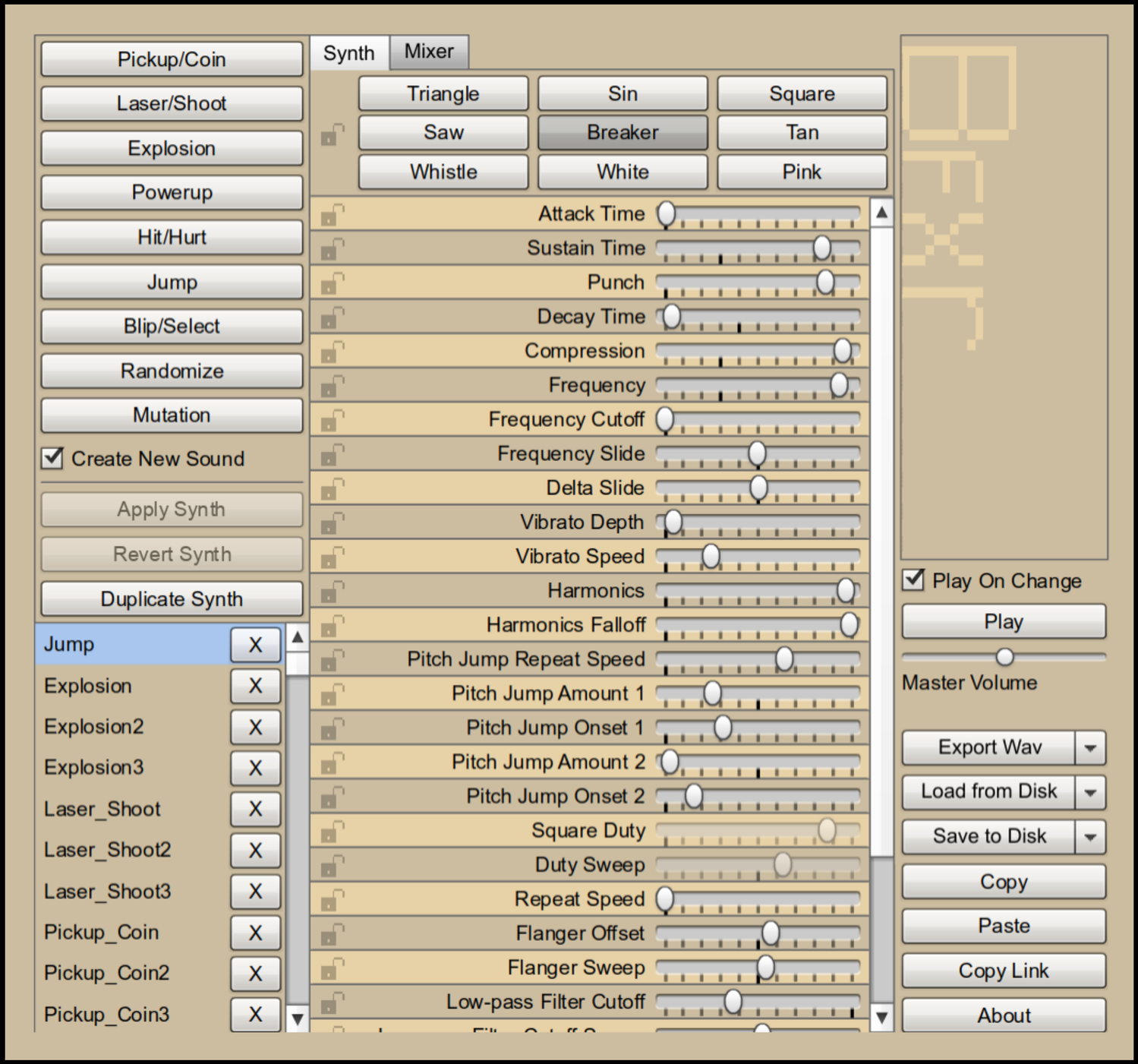
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Playtesting

WAS IST DAS FÜR 1 ROOM?

made in 48 hours
for Ludum Dare 37

by Leslie Wöhler
Moritz Mühlhausen
and Sebastian Morr

Click to start!

T + 3 days

Title

Ten Little Letters

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Description

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A minimalist letter guessing game. Made in 24 hours by a sick [blinry](https://twitter.com/blinry). Enjoy! :)

Made with [LÖVE](https://love2d.org/). The sounds were generated with [bfxr](http://www.bfxr.net/), the intro music was created with
[SunVox](http://www.warmplace.ru/soft/sunvox/). The font is *Montserrat* by Julieta Ulanovsky.

To run the Linux and macOS versions, install LÖVE 10.2.
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macOS	https://github.com/blinry/ten-little-letters/releases/download/v1.0.3/ten-little-letters.l
Source code	https://github.com/blinry/ten-little-letters

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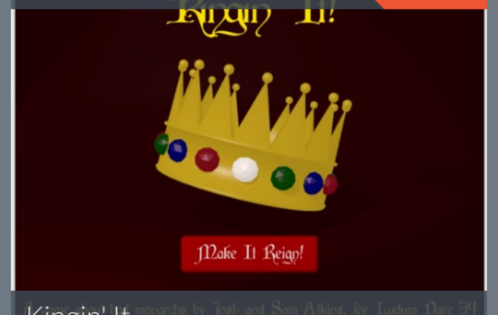

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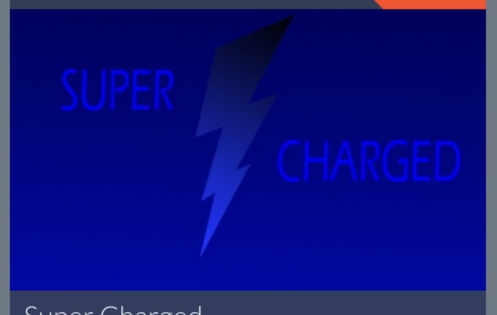

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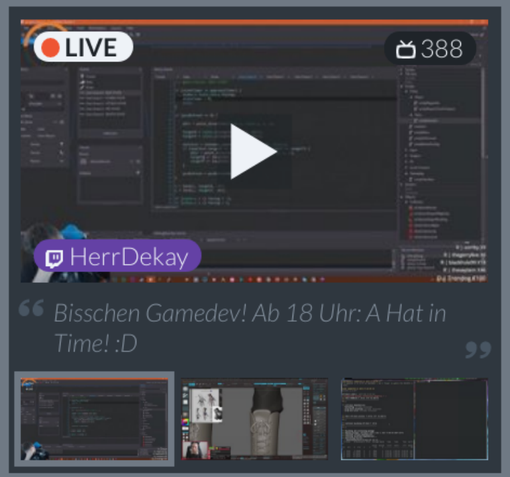

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Colm Eccles (@colm-eccles)
posted 4 months ago

Wow this game is really great and i enjoyed it a lot! The game feels very polished with the cute art style, sound effects and music complimenting each other really nicely. The game mechanics are pretty fun, I enjoyed the 'flow' mechanic and thought it was an interesting game element that sometimes worked against you and other times worked with you. The humor and dialogue was well done and a nice touch. I also thought the challenge progression was well done, as you get used to the mechanics and the map it would up to challenge. Really great job!

♥ 1

Kinjin (@kinjin)
posted 4 months ago

Gosh, I missed your game that take place in the human body like mine and a few other.

Great execution !

♥ 0

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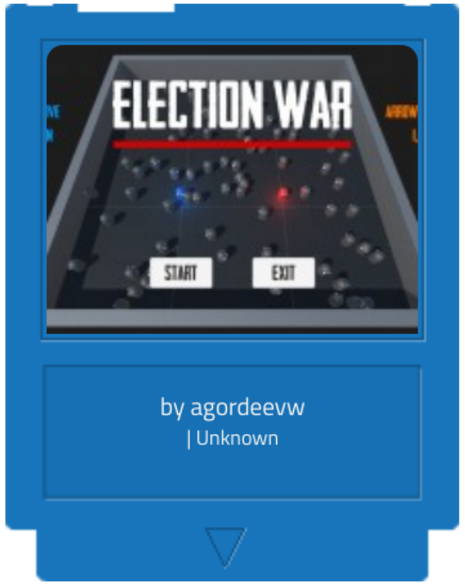

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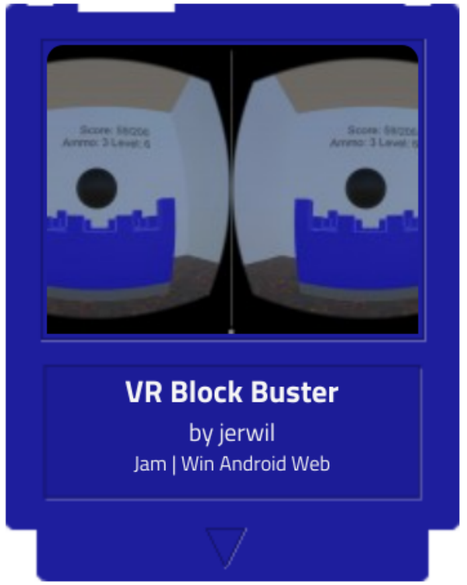

VR Block Buster
by jerwil
Jam | Win Android Web

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Was ist das für 1 Room? Back

by blinry, for LD37 (One Room)

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to columhiggins *(2p)* *2016-12-14 17:27:00*

I like the personal, interview-like style of this piece! :) Didn't really enjoy the interpretations, though, because from my point of view, this stuff is rather arbitrary. But it must have been a lot of work to record all the 16 different permutations, so points for effort!

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to Ango *(3p)* *2016-12-14 17:14:00*

We found the graphics style so adorable in your blog post that we had to play this! Cool little experience! I believed the little guy when I met him and figured this was the end of the game. Or is there more to it?

Comments received

19 comments, 35 points

g12345 *(2p)* *2016-12-30 23:30:00*

A really nice puzzle game.

Other than the fact that i have to press m (mute) every time i switch to another screen, and that there is no save option, i like the game a lot.

Didn't have the time to finish it yet but i've passed halfway point.

Cerno_b *(2p)* *2016-12-29 18:26:00*

Awesome game. I wanted to do something similar to your idea but I would never have pulled it off so well.

The puzzles are really tough and I tried for over an hour but I just can't finish levels 13 and 15

Mentions

@blinry

blinry *2016-12-13 16:03:00*

This came up when I searched for "stanley" – I knew someone would do this! :D It's unfortunate you didn't have time to finish it! If you indeed should finish it next year, you're welcome to notify me, I'd like to play the complete thing! :) I'm **@blinry** on Twitter, as well.

So, feedback! AMAZING graphics! :O Did you create all assets yourselves? How you display the room is amazing! On my first try, I went the stubborn route, (SPOILERS) only to be trapped :D On my second attempt, I played until the room

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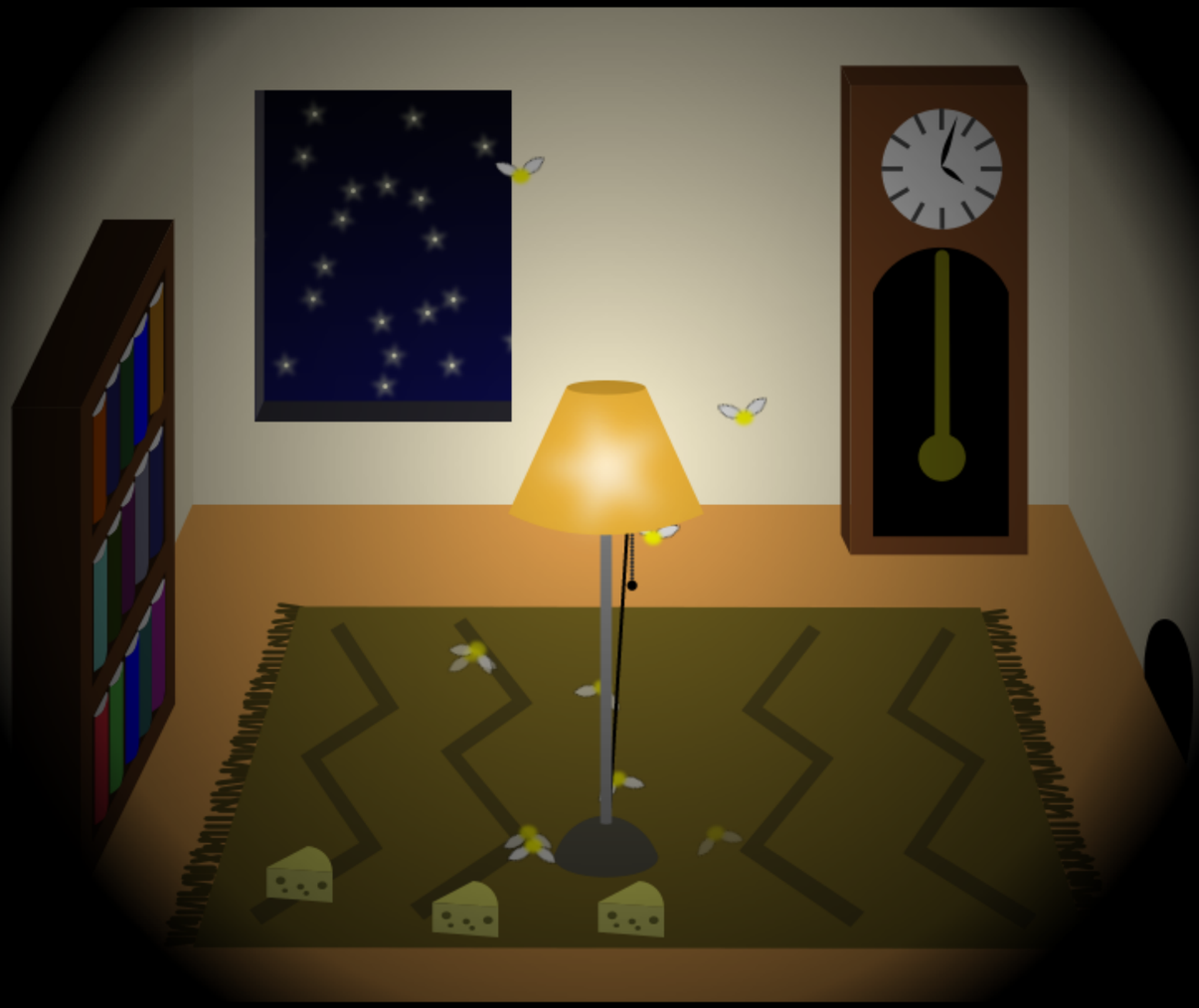

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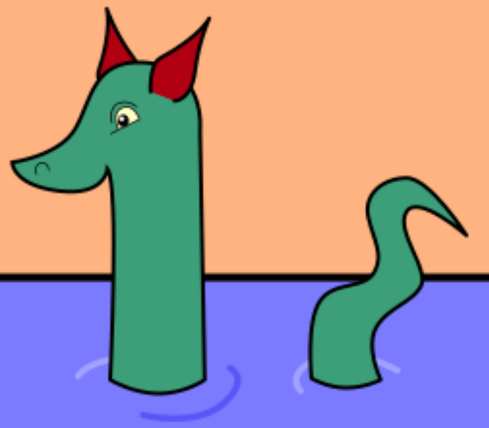

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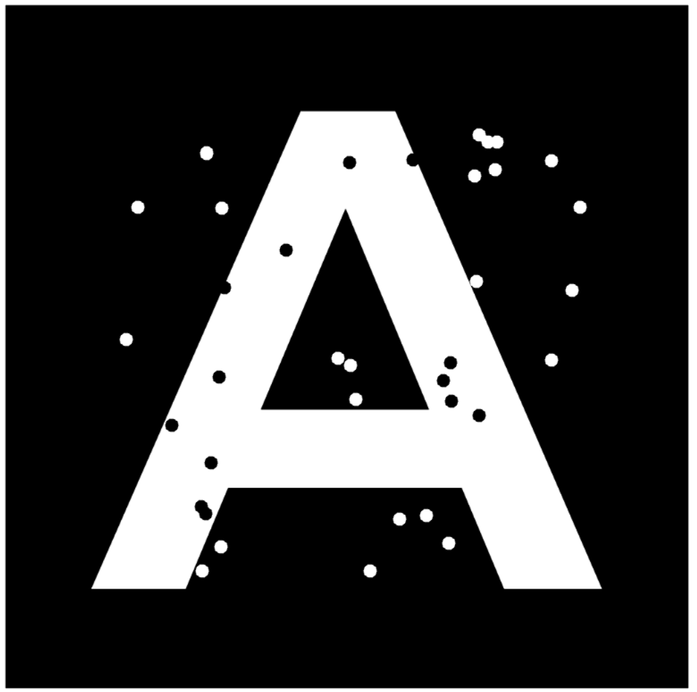

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