

Introduction

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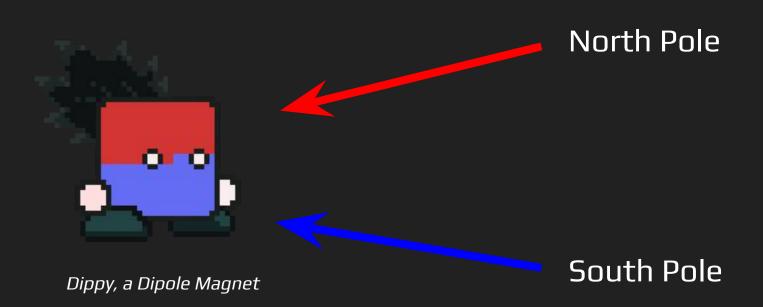
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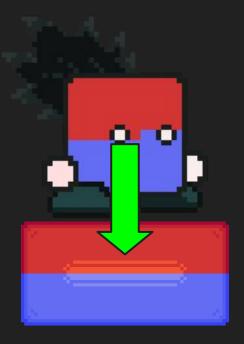
High Concept



Dipole Magnets



Magnetism



Opposite Poles Attract





Like Poles Repel

Direction Switching



When the player collides with a direction guide, the direction the player's poles face changes.

In Game



Education



Intuitive Grasp of Attraction and Repulsion



NGSS Standard

3-PS2-3. Ask questions to determine cause and effect relationships of electric or magnetic interactions between two objects not in contact with each other.

Magnetic Field Vision



- Magnetic fields flow from north to south.
- Density of lines shows magnet strength.
- The size of the overall field represents its non-negligible range.

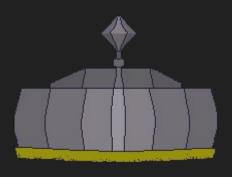
Death and Magnetism



Colliding with a bunsen burner demagnetizes the player.



The player can also shatter into smaller magnets.



Being crushed also removes magnetism.

Journal In-Game

DIPOLE MAGNETS - REPULSION

DIRECTION

DIPOLE MAGNETS - ATTRACTION

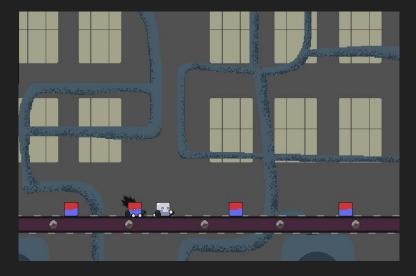
MAGNETIC FIELD VISION

Dipole magnets (like you) have a north pole and south pole.

If two of the same pole are facing each other, the magnets push each other away, or repel.

Story





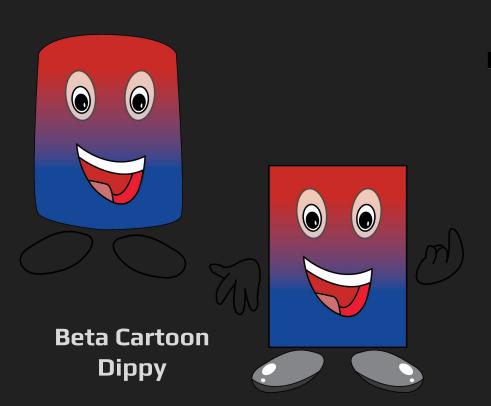


- Magnets Dippy and Neo are friends
- On their way to a schoolroom, Neo is separated from Dippy when Neo is flagged as a defective magnet
- Now Dippy must make their way to Neo, who is stuck in a junkyard.

Art



Art - Dippy designs





Beta Pixel Dippy

Art - Design of Dippy! and Neo







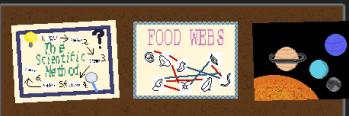








Art - Level 1

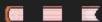


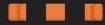
Above: Bulletin Board with Posters

Below: Book Tilemap

















Above: Open Window



Above: Desk Tiles







Above: Coin Art



Level 1 Color Palette

Bunsen Burner

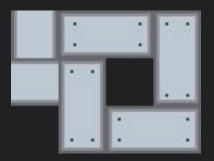
Art - Level 2



Above: Polluted Sky Background



Grey Magnet Variation



Above: Ferromagnet Tilemap



Rusted Magnet



Above: Trash Tilemap



Above: Rusted Scrap Metal



Level 2 Color Palette

Music

Musician Information - Ryan Hadley



Ryan Hadley 20 y/o New York, NY

- Music student at Drexel University
- Has made background tracks for promotional social media posts from prominent arts and fashion companies
- Capturing the whimsical feeling of Kirby Crystal Shards

Playthrough

The Carnival



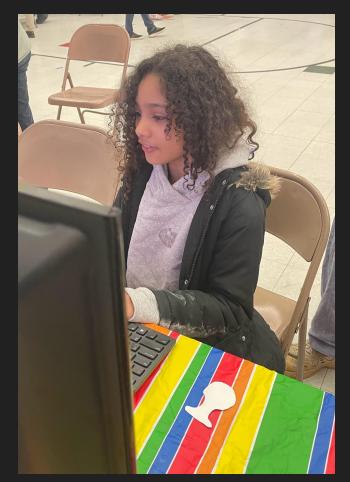
The Carnival

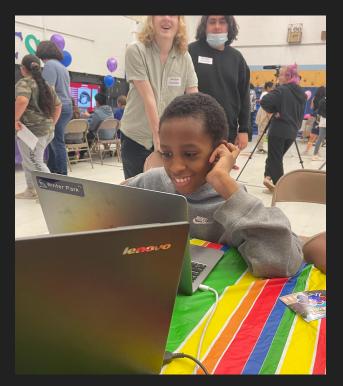




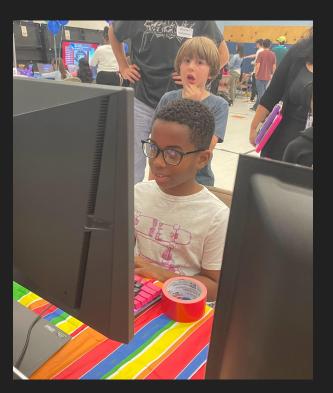












Survey Data



73%

95%

rated Magnet Run a 5/5 on fun

rated Magnet Run as at least a 4 or 5

Survey Data - Education

84%

said they understood magnets better than they did before playing the game

Future Plans

Magnet Run: Expanded Edition



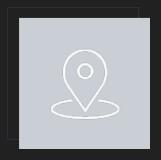
New Features



Level Additions



Promotional Merchandise



Translation & Localization

New Features



- Electromagnetism
- Electricity generation
- Moveable magnets
- Magnetic torque
- Final boss



A Rough Pixel Sketch of the Boss

Level Additions





Level 3:

Level 4:

The Factory

The Underground

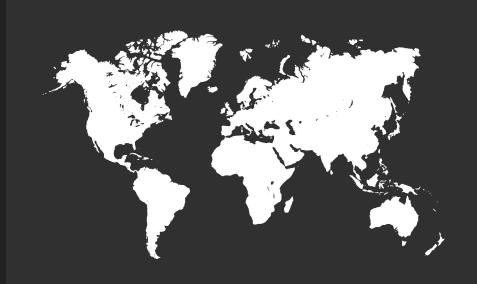
Merchandise

- Magnet Run Merch well-received at the MacDonough Carnival
- Dippy is extremely identifiable a strength of Magnet Run
- Future merch ideas: figurines,
 T-Shirts, mugs, magnets



Translation & Localization

- Fluency in Mandarin and Spanish
- Accessible to ESL students
- Reaching a global market



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Business Potential

Primary Customer Profile

Teachers & Parents



APPEALS:

- Accessibility
- Ease to employ
- Engage students in learning
- Complement curriculum

CONTACT:

- Facebook,Instagram
- LinkedIn
- Alumni network
- Pilot projects

2nd-6th Graders



APPEALS:

- Short learning curve
- Rewarding challenges
- Catchy character
- Captivating storytelling

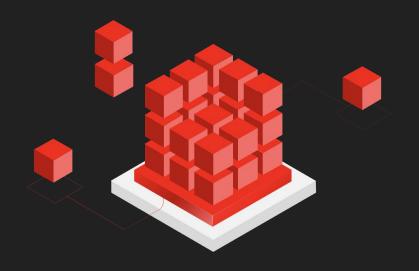
CONTACT:

- Instagram, Tiktok
- Classroom activity
- Parents & friends

Execution - Business Model

Educational Version

- Free
- WebGL build
- Sponsorship & partnership model



Hardware: PC

Retail Version

- Free (demo ver.)
- \$4.99 (full ver.)
- Windows & MacOS build
- Freemium model

Execution - Future Dev Plans

Week 1

- Level 3 whiteboxing
- New dialogue

Week 3

- Finish Level 3 art
- Level 4 whiteboxing
- Boss fight scripting

Week 5

- Level 4 art
- Magnetic torque mechanic scripting

Week 2

- Level 3 art
- Boss fight design
- Electromagnet scripting

Week 4

- Level 3 art integration
- Level 3 Music
- Save system scripting

Week 6

- Finishing Level 4 art
- Level 4 music

Execution - Future Dev Plans

Week 7

- Level 3 art integration
- Boss fight art

Week 9

- Boss fight art integration
- Additional cutscenes design
 & art

Week 11

- Stress & load testing
- Unit testing
- Bug fixes

Week 8

- Boss fight playable w/o. Art
- Boss fight music

Week 10

- Complete game smoke testing
- Cutscene integration

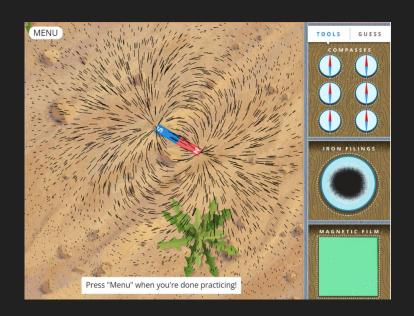
Week 12

Final build release

Execution - Dev Plans - Risk Analysis

Risk	Strategy
Overly optimistic schedule	Experience with this specific development team's productivity levels
Lack of adoption in classrooms	Outreach through teacher networks

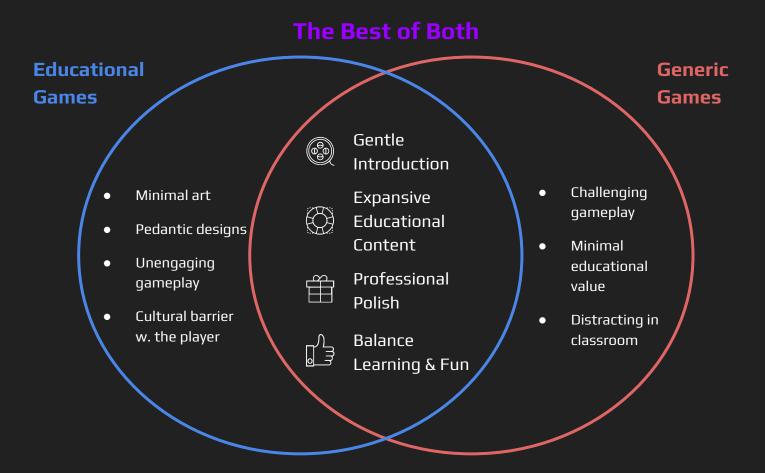
Competitive Analysis - Magnet Hunt





Magnet Hunt: An introductory animation, three comic panels, and 30+ lines of dialogue in the tutorial. Multiple complex, unfamiliar mechanics.

Competitive Analysis - Generic & Educational Games



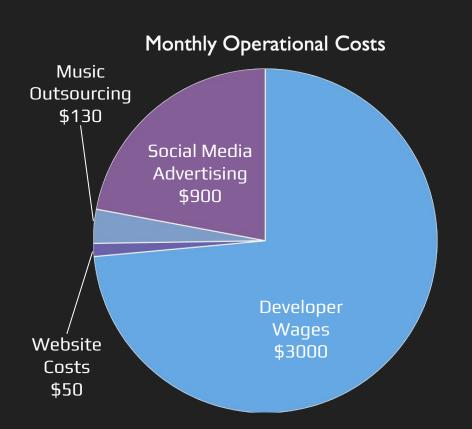
Marketing Strategy

- Showcase quotes & use cases on our website
- Traffic campaign on social media (Instagram, Twitter, TikTok)
- Live stream on Twitch



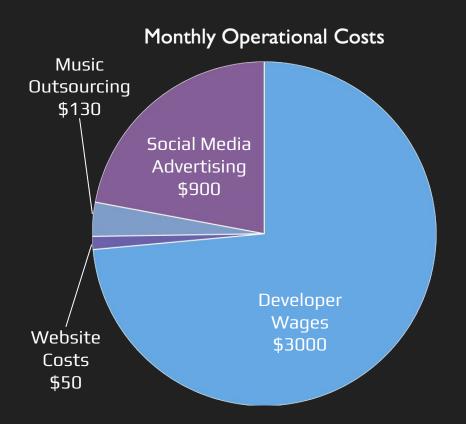


Financials





Financials



\$4,080	Monthly Costs
(\$630)	Monthly Revenue
x 3	Months
\$10,350	Total Budget

Conclusion

What Magnet Run Offers

Strong Educational Core



Engagement of Target Audience



Dynamic Art and Music



Opportunities for Expansion

