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### **ABSTRAK**

Muzik sentiasa menjadi sumber hiburan bagi manusia tanpa mengira usia. Di dalam era globalisasi kini, dengan menggabungkan muzik dan teknologi ia boleh mencipta sebuah gaya hidup yang baru kepada manusia. Dengan melaksanakannya, ia dapat memberi manfaat kepada orang di seluruh dunia terutama untuk mengembangkan pertumbuhan anak-anak kecil. Projek ini pada dasarnya adalah jukebox yang boleh dimainkan oleh anak-anak sendiri tanpa bantuan ibu bapa mereka. Projek ini membolehkan anak-anak bermain dengan diri sendiri tanpa pertolongan oleh ibu bapa mereka. Projek ini membolehkan anak-anak memainkan muzik dengan hanya menyentuhkan kad RFID pada kotak dan muzik akan memainkan spesifik lagu berdasarkan id kad RFID. Objektif penyelidikan ini adalah untuk selidik permasalahan yang berlaku dari perspektif ibu bapa dan anak-anak di dalam rumah dan untuk mewujudkan satu jukebox yang dapat memainkan lagu dengan kad RFID dan juga untuk menilai kebolehgunaan RFID Jukebox pada kanak-kanak. Dalam projek RFID Jukebox ini, ia menggunakan Arduino Uno mikrokontroller, Cytron Easy MP3 Shield, Pembaca Kad RC522 RFID, Pembesar Suara, Butang Suis, Bank Kuasa, Pemacu Pena dan Kad RFID. Hasil yang dapat disimpulkan iaitu dengan merujuk kepada kajian yang telah dilakukan dan juga dengan mengikuti kaedah yang tepat untuk menghasilkan produk akhir dari projek ini iaitu RFID Jukebox.

### **ABSTRACT**

Music has always been a source of entertainment for human beings, regardless of age. In this new era of technology, combining music and technology can create a new lifestyle for people. By implementing this, it can benefit people around the world, especially in developing the growth of young children. This project is about the development of a jukebox that children can play with themselves without requiring any help from their parents. This project can let the children play the music just by tapping the RFID card onto the box, and the music will be played according to the song associated with the specific RFID id. The objectives of this research are; first to investigate the issues and the problem from the perspective of the parents and the children in the households, second, to develop a jukebox that can play a song with a RFID card, and third, to evaluate the usability of the RFID Jukebox within the children. In this project, the RFID Jukebox is using Arduino Uno microcontroller, Cytron Easy MP3 Shield, RC522 RFID Card Reader, Speaker, Switch Button, Power Bank, Pendrive and RFID Card. The result is concluded by referring to the research that had been done and also by following the right method to produce the end product of this project which is RFID Jukebox.

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# LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

**RFID** Principal Component Analysis

PC Personal computer

**CPU** Central processing unit

**ID** Identification

**USB** Universal serial bus

OS Operating System

IDE Integrated Development Environment

**HDD** Hard Disk Drive

I/O Input / Output

RAM Random Access Memory

AC Alternating Current

DC Direct Current

ICSP In Circuit Serial Programming

PWM Pulse Width Modulation

NFC Near Field Communication

**LF** Low Frequency

**HF** High Frequency

**UHF** Ultra-High Frequency

**DAC** Digital to Analog Converter

PCB Printed Circuit Board

### **CHAPTER 1**

### INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 Introduction

This chapter will clarify more on how the possibility of this project is proposed.

The portrayal of research factors and the main issue of the task will be detailed more within this chapter.

# 1.2 Background

Music is a source of entertainment for the people, regardless of any age. Entertainment is anything that gives enjoyment to the people. Almost all of us need some sort of entertainment in life. Also, the benefit of the music for the children at an early age is very effective for their brain. University of Southern California Brain and Creativity Institute in 2016 had found that musical experiences in childhood can accelerate brain development, particularly in the areas of language acquisition and reading skills. Music also can trigger all areas of child development and their qualifications for school readiness, including intellectual, social-emotional, motor, language, and overall literacy. It helps the body and mind work together.

Exposing children to music during early development can help them learn the sounds and meanings of words. Dancing to music helps children build motor skills while allowing them to practice self-expression. For children and adults, music helps strengthen memory skills

Nowadays, we live in an era where technology is everywhere around our environment. The technology lets the human interact or communicate with the machine. Therefore, by implementing technology with music, it can develop a new way of life for the next generation. The children of a young age can be exposed by this element and let them enjoy and learn a lot of benefit from this technology.

There are many ways, on how the music can be disseminated to the people. One of them is through radio or jukebox. It can help the people to hear the song that is playing through the speaker on it. Also, there are many kinds of toys that have been created for the children for many years, which include the feature of a contactless technology such as RFID. So for the kids or children by using the RFID card, and simply touch the card to the sensor, it will play the song that they want.

Thus, the idea of integrating these elements of RFID Jukebox is hopefully to help the children to gain more information on how to use the technology in a simple, easy, and interactive way.

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# 1.3 Problem Statement

The problems that can be identified is when the children do not know how to use the Internet to find the song that he or she likes. The children are likely to get attracted to their surroundings, especially when they see or heard something that makes them focus on it. For example, the kids are watching the television, and the tv show is playing considerably good music, which eventually causes the children to like the song. When the children want to listen to their favorite song again, they will need to wait for the tv show to be telecasted again on the television, which is quite irritating.

Furthermore, the children will need guidance from their parents to use or play with a machine or gadget. So, when they want to hear the song, the parents will need to open it on their gadgets so that their kids can hear the song. This also will make the parent not have their time because they need to be around their kids. For example, when the parents have a lot of workloads or in a hurry of doing something, and at the same time, their children want to listen to a song, this will make the parents unable to finish their task because they need to assist their kids

# 1.4 Project Objectives

The main objectives of this project are listed as below:

- 1. To investigate the issues and the problem from the perspective of the parents and the children.
- 2. To develop a jukebox that play song with a RFID card, called RFID Jukebox
- 3. To analyze the functionality of the RFID Jukebox on children.

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# 1.5 Project Scope

This project will cover several scope of development, that are:

- 1. This application is to be used by children around the world.
- 2. The RFID card that contains the data of a specific song.
- 3. A database reader that will read the RFID card.
- 4. Sorting function on how the music is playing between the RFID card

# 1.6 Expected Project Outcome

The expected outcomes from this project are:

- 1. To ensure children getting a piece of knowledge to a machine.
- 2. To let the children, choose and play any song that they want.
- 3. To make the children explore the machines by themselves.

# 1.7 Project Planning

Table 1.3 and 1.4 shows how the project is scheduled.

Table 1.1 Project Milestone for Semester 6

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Plagiarism Checking														
Full report														
Final Proposal Presentation														
Project in Progress (F3)														
Writing Proposal Report														

**Table 1.1 Project Milestone for Semester 7** 

Task / Week	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Data Collection														
Build Interface														
Develop Algorithm														
Writing Chapter 4														
System Testing														
Writing Chapter 5														
Writing Chapter 6														
Full Report														
Plagiarism Checking														