Magic Duel

Client
The client for Magic Duel is Secret Lab. Secret Lab began life in Hobart and have been a creator of software and games for Apple iOS from 2008 to the present.

The Game
Magic Duel is a player vs. player game using the Leap Motion Controller where players make defined gestures to try and beat their opponent with magic. The game is played by grabbing mana to create spells. Players can then cast attack spells at the opponent or defensive spells to block incoming attacks. Spells can also be saved for later strategic use. Magic Duel is designed for a casual market though it would have some appeal to the hardcore market with the many spells in the game.

The Purpose
The purpose of Magic Duel was to assess the viability of the Leap Motion as a game controller. The Leap Motion controller is a device created in 2013 that uses hand and finger tracking as input. Magic Duel used this technology to create a game that is controlled using gestures that involve the player in the creation and use of magic in a somewhat realistic way.

The Team
Release 1
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Geoffrey Carey - Lead Sound Developer
Elliot Melville - Lead Programmer
Kyle Sarne - Lead Designer
Andrew Axelsen - Technical Designer
Tristan Green - Lead Artist
Tarryd Munster - Client Liaison

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Development Tools
- Unity
- C#
- JavaScript
- Blender
- 3DS MAX
- Photoshop
- LEAP MOTION
- SoundForge
- Wacom Intuos
- Adobe Photoshop, Secret Lab