

EE/CpE 423-424
WEEKLY STATUS REPORT

Group #	5	Week ending:	11/3/03	Report #	7
Project Title:	Thumb-Thing				
Group Leader:	Brian Podolsky	Advisor:	Prof. Bruce McNair		
Sponsor/Client:					
Total number of person-hours spent on project by group during past week:				32	
Is project on schedule?		Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> [X]	No	<input type="checkbox"/> []

Weekly status:
<p>This week the group finished its midterm presentation for E421. In case you were wondering, it went pretty well. In finishing this presentation, the group did a lot of patent searching. The results of this search were not too promising. Since all this technology is already existing, there really is no patent opportunity for Thumb-Thing.</p> <p>On Sunday, the group met to assign responsibilities and set a schedule for the next several weeks.</p> <p>For the next week, the group plans on making a few phone calls. Some to find prices for fingerprint scanners, and others to find out about an evaluation license for the VeriFinger software.</p>

Weekly report is due to Senior Design Coordinator by Noon Monday