# Wing Commander Armageddon Audio Summary

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## Overview

WCA audio will continue in the WC tradition of bringing higher quality, more intense audio to the public than ever before. The music will see the addition of militarized, high adrenaline rock in the spaceflight action to offset the world class orchestral scoring of George Oldziey during movie segments. The dialog will be more extensive than ever, enhancing the wider variety of player (and wingman) options. Movie-quality, three dimensional sound will be recorded and used in both spaceflight and movie segments. Because of the scaled down need for "audio for picture", this will all be achieved in-house, further adding ROI value to this product.

## **Spaceflight Dialog Statement**

Soundtrack - \$10,000 at the most for foley

More characters, more player options, multi-player capability, new alien enemies - Spaceflight dialog will be bigger in quantity than ever before. That is why the quality of Spaceflight dialog will be the main focus of the WCA audio team.

## Budget

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Music - $10,000 at the most for rock talent and studio time

Total Out-of-house charges = $20,000

In-house A/V Services charges

Audio
10 months x 1 personnel = 217 man days X 8 hr. X 100/hr = $174,285
4 months x 3 personnel = 261 man days X 8 hr. X 100/hr = $209,000

Video
8 months x 1 personnel = 174 man days X 8 hr. X 100/hr = $139,428
3 months x 1 personnel = 65 man days X 8 hr. X 100/hr = $52,285

Total In-house charges = $575,000
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## Schedule

## **Estimated SPFLT Schedule**

### combat

50 lines x (8 females + 8 males + 16 wingman selections) = 1600

## briefing (single player)

15 mission specific lines x 50 missions = 750

#### misc.

250 multi-player cooperative, mission specific comm. lines (between players)

100 multi-player combative, mission specific comm. and taunt lines (between players)

100 fighter to ship comm.'s (mission specific - clock reminder, target reminder)

## Estimated sync'ed dx lines

200 CG comm. lines (debriefing, success, failure, etc.)

200 Green screen comm.'s (cut scene type cockpit comms - 2<sup>nd</sup> squad status, major development/changes)

100 misc. plot comm.'s (character building, chatter about aliens, etc.)

TOTAL = 3200 lines of dialog

This, of course, does not include production sync'ed and wild dialog lines

Auditions 3<sup>rd</sup> week in Feb. - 1<sup>st</sup> week in March Recordings starting 2<sup>nd</sup> week March through 1<sup>st</sup> week April Dialog processed and ready to be put in the game by July 1<sup>st</sup>

### **Estimated Post Schedule**

Post wrap-up for English will be 12 weeks from first day of locked picture \*\*\*

\*\*\*this assumes 50 minutes of production video and animation combined