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## Final Draft: Product Review

Product: (General) Electric Guitar

Intro:

HS: Although unknown, the idea/shape of the guitar is originated in Spain and has been around since the 14<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup> century.

TS: The electric guitar has evolved to fit personal wants and needs; the best part about the electric guitar is that no matter the shape, the engineering will always be similar to each other.

### <u>¶1</u>: <u>ENGINEERING</u>:

TS: In terms of mechanical engineering the electric guitar has many aspects to cover, but in the sense of giving a product review here are some of the basics.

- 1. <u>8/4 Stock wood</u>: for the body and fretboard
- 2. <u>Saw/smth to cut wood</u>: build the basic guitar shape/design wanted
- <u>Guitar Gear</u>: such as the neck/bridge pickups, tuners, pickup switch, volume knobs, strings, guitar nut
- 4. <u>Interior Guitar Necessities</u>: Wires to run through the pickups, battery (if needed)
- 5. <u>Machine to paint wood/paint</u>: spray paint, or dip in paint

### **CRITERIA**

# <u>¶2</u>: <u>PROS</u>:

TS: The electric guitar has many pros/advantages that widen what makes the electric guitar a great product.

- 1. It helps make music  $\rightarrow$  hobby  $\rightarrow$  possible career
- 2. Light to carry
- 3. Portable with a guitar case
- 4. Different brands/shapes to fit personal wants (25+ models/brands/shapes)
- 5. Can always be manipulated and changes

### ¶: <u>CONS</u>:

TS: Like almost every product, the electric guitar has cons/disadvantages.

- 1. Accessories such as guitar cases, guitar picks, amplifiers, pedals, recording tools/software
- 2. Price varies but most of the gear range from \$50-\$10,000+
- Requires maintenance to keep guitar in top playing conditions: set ups: changing pickups every few years, new strings, new guitar picks, new pick guard, wiring, intonation, new amps, cabinets or heads, new pedals
- 4. Weather conditions (costs money to create internal environment safe for guitar)

#### **<u><b>!**</u>: <u>DURABILITY AND RELIABILITY</u>:

TS: When it comes to the electric guitar, durability and reliability go hand in hand.

#### **DURABILITY**:

- Does not break easily unless smashing it with intentions of breaking it (even then still difficult to smash/break)
- 2. Scratches are minimal against keys or walls or hitting it against a wall or smth

- 3. Very difficult to break with your own hands
- 4. It can withstand any performance with any reckless or careful performer
- 5. Not 100% waterproof, but it can still work completely fine in heavy rain

## **REALIABILITY**:

- 1. It will always be in top notch (or even playing conditions) if you treat it with some care and don't leave it in the corner of your closet.
- 2. Every brand no matter cheap or expensive will last for years
- 3. Unless it is a child's toy guitar, anything over about \$150 will work

# ¶: <u>CONCLUSION</u>:

- 1. WRAP UP REVIEW
- 2. SUMMARIZE THE DETAILS (EXCLUDING ENGINEERING PARTS)

https://www.yamaha.com/en/musical\_instrument\_guide/classical\_guitar/structure/