

Project Goal: Create, explain, and critique software products.

This is a team project. To make collaboration as easy as possible, I encourage (but not require) you to use a free open-source project hosting service such as GitHub or Bitbucket. The project consists of, most likely, three iterations. After each iteration, each team will present some aspects of their project, both in writing and by oral presentation.

After each iteration, you will formally review the deliverables of another team. Each review should be probing but always constructive and helpful. To facilitate this review, you will submit your written project deliverables to both me and your review team, by the due date of the respective deliverables.

You should distribute project work fairly among yourselves, but I leave the detailed project management to you. The oral presentations are an exception. Here I expect that each team member presents a similar amount of material.

For each project-related deliverable, written or oral, each team will receive a team score. The sum of these team scores will determine the majority of your project-related grade. In addition, for the entire project, each team member will receive an overall individual score. The individual score is derived from peer evaluations, your feedback to other teams during presentations, and your handling of questions.