

# **COURSERA**

## **Peer-graded Assignment**

### **Building a test plan**

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## 1.0 Introduction

### 1.1. Objective

This document explains the test plan for GolfScore Release 1.1. It includes information about what is to be tested, how testing is to be performed, and what is not to be tested. This document also contains a description of the testing schedule, tests to be performed, test dependencies, resources required, testing tools, and metrics. Changes in requirements and the structure of the team must always reflect in this document.

The main focus of this test is to verify the software requirements specification (SRS) for the GolfScore program as contained in Appendix A.

### 1.2. Project Description

GolfScore is a program used to generate golf tournament results for golfers along each course. This program takes an input text file (as described in the SRS) and produces three output text files (also described in the SRS).

### 1.3. Process Tailoring

The Golf Score program requires no external dependencies. Thus, the test plan is tailored along Functional and Non-functional Testing in the framework of Design Verification and System Validation. Testing is carried out under the following phases:

- Entrance Test: To verify that the program can correctly be executed and handle input parameter errors as specified in the SRS.  
See Appendix C for a description of the Entrance Testing test cases, and Appendix A for the SRS.
- Main Test: To verify the correctness of program execution. To check if the program accurately processes the input data as specified and produces the required outputs. Further, the program's handling of input data errors and output errors is checked for correctness.  
See Appendix C for a description of the Main Testing test cases.
- Exit Test: To verify if the program produced the required outputs, and saved them in the correct format and in the correct location.  
See Appendix C for Exit Testing test cases.
- Regression Test: After defects must have been identified during testing and processed, all tests are run again to ensure proper behavior.

The following references were used in creating this document:

- a. Software Requirements Specification for Golf Score, Revision 1, July 18, 2017.
- b. System Verification Test Plan for Advanced Color Module, Revision 2, 22 February, 2000.

## 2.0 Assumptions/Dependencies

It is assumed that the development team unit test their code while developing the software, and also perform integration testing. Customer validation testing is assumed to be carried out by field personnel together with the customers.

For conformation with the set schedule, the program must be made available by the development team by 12 February 2023 .

### 3.0 Test Requirements

- Entrance Tests:
  - The program is written in either C or C++.
  - The program runs on a PC running Windows 2000 or any later version.
  - The program will run as a stand-alone executable.
  - The program can be run from the command line prompt.
  - The program is run with valid input parameters
- Main Tests:
  - The number of golf courses specified for the tournament must be from 1 to 5.
  - Each golfer is expected to play each course once.
  - The number of golfers entered in the tournament can be from 2 to 12.
  - Par for holes on each course must be either 3, 4, or 5.
  - Score earned by a golfer for each hole played is between 0 and 6 (0 and 6 included).
  - The first set of records in the input file (course records) exist and follow the specified format for each entry.
  - There is a delimiter record that signals the end of course records.
  - A second set of records (golfer records) exist in the input file and each entry follows the specified format.
  - There is a delimiter record that signals the end of the input file.
- Exit Tests:
  - The program should produce a number of reports corresponding to the specified options.
  - The generated reports should be saved as text files in the specified output directory (or if not specified, in the directory of the input file) with the extension “.rep”.
  - If requested, the tournament ranking report should contain a list of all golfers in the specified format. The list should be in descending order of final score and should be saved with an output filename of trunk.rep.
  - If requested, the golfer report should contain a list of all golfers in the specified format. The list should be alphabetical with respect to the golfers' last name and should be saved with an output filename of golfer.rep.
  - If requested, the course report should contain a section for each Golf Course listed in the input Course Records in the specified format. It should be saved with

## 4.0 Test Tools

To aid the testing process, the following testing tools are required:

- Defect reporting and tracking software
- Installation media for multiple Windows versions above 2000 (e.g. XP, Vista, 7, 8, 8.1, & 10)

## 5.0 Resource Requirements

The following resource would be required:

- GolfScore Program version 1.1
- Three PCs capable of hosting virtual machines
- A virtualization software
- Three Test Group personnel with at least 70% of his/her time available

for this effort. See Appendix A for details.

## 6.0 Test Schedule

| No. | Test                 | Start      | Finish     |
|-----|----------------------|------------|------------|
| 1   | Test Development     | 01.01.2023 | 04.01.2023 |
| 2   | Program Availability | 04.01.2023 | --         |
| 3   | Entrance Testing     | 05.01.2023 | 11.01.2023 |
| 4   | Main Testing         | 12.01.2023 | 24.01.2023 |
| 5   | Exit Testing         | 24.01.2023 | 30.01.2023 |
| 6   | Regression Testing   | 31.01.2023 | 05.02.2023 |

See Appendix B for details.

## 7.0 Risks

- Without having a program that enforces compliance in the structure of input data, there's a high probability of input data errors.

## 8.0 Metrics

The following metrics data will be collected. Some will be collected prior to, and some after product shipment.

Prior to shipment:

Effort expended during DVT, SVT and Regression

# of defects uncovered during DVT, SVT and Regression, and development phase each

defect is attributable to

Test Tracking S-curve

PTR S-Curve

After shipment:

# of defects uncovered and development phase each defect is  
attributable to Size of software

## Appendix A – Detailed Resource Requirements

| No. | Test               | No of Personnel | No of Hours |
|-----|--------------------|-----------------|-------------|
| 1   | Test Development   | 3               | 80          |
| 2   | Entrance Testing   | 3               | 40          |
| 3   | Main Testing       | 3               | 80          |
| 4   | Exit Testing       | 3               | 40          |
| 5   | Regression Testing | 2               | 40          |

- PCs that are capable of hosting virtual machines are required such that the program can be tested on multiple versions of Windows.
- A virtualization software is required such that multiple versions of Windows can be installed to test the program.

## Appendix B – Detailed Test Schedule

| No. | Test                 | Start      | Finish     |
|-----|----------------------|------------|------------|
| 1   | Test Development     | 01.01.2023 | 04.01.2023 |
| 2   | Program Availability | 04.01.2023 | --         |
| 3   | Entrance Testing     | 05.01.2023 | 11.01.2023 |
| 4   | Main Testing         | 12.01.2023 | 24.01.2023 |
| 5   | Exit Testing         | 24.01.2023 | 30.01.2023 |
| 6   | Regression Testing   | 31.01.2023 | 05.02.2023 |

| No. | Test                 | Dependencies                                       |
|-----|----------------------|--|
| 1   | Test Development     | 3 PCs<br>3 Personnel                               |
| 2   | Program Availability | GolfScore Program                                  |
| 3   | Entrance Testing     | 3 PCs<br>3 Personnel<br>Virtualization<br>Software |

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| 4 | Main Testing       | 3 PCs<br>3 Personnel<br>Virtualization<br>Software |
| 5 | Exit Testing       | 3 PCs<br>3 Personnel<br>Virtualization<br>Software |
| 6 | Regression Testing | 2 PCs<br>2 Personnel<br>Virtualization<br>Software |

## Appendix C – Test Cases

| Test No. | Test Case   | Test Type      |
|----------|---|----------------|
| 1        | The program shall be written in C or C++  | Non-functional |
| 2        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows 2000  | Non-functional |
| 3        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows XP  | Non-functional |
| 4        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows Vista   | Non-functional |
| 5        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows 7   | Non-functional |
| 6        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows 8   | Non-functional |
| 7        | The program shall run on a PC running Windows 10  | Non-functional |
| 8        | The program shall run as a stand-alone executable   | Non-functional |
| 9        | The program shall run from the command line prompt  | Non-functional |
| 10       | Command line options “-ctg” shall be accepted   | Functional     |
| 11       | Command line option “-c” shall be accepted  | Functional     |
| 12       | Command line option “-t” shall be accepted  | Functional     |
| 13       | Command line option “-g” shall be accepted  | Functional     |
| 14       | Command line options “-c -t -g” shall be accepted   | Functional     |
| 15       | Command line option “-k” shall display an “unrecognizable options” message  | Functional     |
| 16       | Command line option “-j” shall display an “unrecognizable options” message  | Functional     |
| 16       | Command line option “-kj” shall display an “unrecognizable options” message   | Functional     |
| 17       | Command line option “-ckj” shall display an “unrecognizable options” message  | Functional     |
| 18       | Specifying an input filename that does not exist shall display an “input parameter error”   | Functional     |
| 19       | Specifying an output directory that does not exist shall display an “input parameter error”   | Functional     |
| 20       | Command line option “-g” shall be accepted and shall display help information   | Functional     |
| 21       | Calling the program as “golf -ctg in.txt golfout” where “in.txt” exists and is valid and folder “golfout” exists shall be accepted                                | Functional     |
| 22       | Calling the program as “golf -ctg in.txt golfout dis” where “in.txt” exists and is valid and folder “golfout” exists shall be accepted                            | Functional     |
| 23       | Calling the program as “golf -ctg in.txt golfout” where “in.txt” exists and is valid and folder “golfout” does not exist shall display an “input parameter error” | Functional     |
| 24       | Calling the program as “golf -ctg in.txt golfout” where “in.txt” does not exist shall display an “input parameter error”  | Functional     |
| 25       | The number of golf course “1” shall be accepted   | Functional     |
| 26       | The number of golf course “5” shall be accepted   | Functional     |
| 27       | The number of golf course “-5” shall return an error  | Functional     |
| 28       | The number of golf course “6” shall return an error   | Functional     |
| 29       | The number of golf course “0” shall return an error   | Functional     |



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| 30 | Having multiple records for a golfer on the same golf courses shall be accepted, although a message should be displayed to indicating | Functional |
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|    | this. The first record shall be used and processing shall continue.  |            |
| 31 | The number of golfers "0" shall return an error  | Functional |
| 32 | The number of golfers "1" shall return an error  | Functional |
| 33 | The number of golfers "2" shall be accepted  | Functional |
| 34 | The number of golfers "12" shall be accepted   | Functional |
| 35 | The number of golfers "13" shall return an error   | Functional |
| 36 | Par for hole "2" shall return an error   | Functional |
| 37 | Par for hole "6" shall return an error   | Functional |
| 38 | Par for hole "3" shall be accepted   | Functional |
| 39 | Par for hole "4" shall be accepted   | Functional |
| 40 | Par for hole "5" shall be accepted   | Functional |
| 41 | Golfer score per hole "7" shall return an error  | Functional |
| 42 | Golfer score per hole "-1" shall return an error   | Functional |
| 43 | Golfer score per hole "0" shall be accepted  | Functional |
| 44 | Input data with non-numeric data where numeric data is expected shall return an error  | Functional |
| 45 | Input data with numeric data where non-numeric data is expected shall return an error  | Functional |
| 46 | Input data that violates delimiter constraints shall return an error   | Functional |
| 47 | Input file that does not contain course records shall return an error  | Functional |
| 48 | Input file that does not contain golfer records shall return an error  | Functional |
| 49 | Calling the program with command line options "-ctg" shall generate 3 output files: "trank.rep", "golfer.rep", "course.rep". If any of the files already exist, the user shall be prompted with a message that says the file already exists and asking whether to overwrite it or not. | Functional |
| 50 | Calling the program with command line option "-c" shall generate an output file: "course.rep". If the file already exists, the user shall be prompted with a message that says the file already exists and asking whether to overwrite it or not.                                      | Functional |
| 51 | Calling the program with command line option "-t" shall generate an output file: "trank.rep". If the file already exists, the user shall be prompted with a message that says the file already exists and asking whether to overwrite it or not.                                       | Functional |
| 52 | Calling the program with command line option "-g" shall generate an output file: "golfer.rep". If the file already exists, the user shall be prompted with a message that says the file already exists and asking whether to overwrite it or not.                                      | Functional |
| 53 | If output cannot be saved due to insufficient permissions, the program shall display an error.   | Functional |









