

# Implementation Plan

Step	Proposed Actions	Priority	Deadline	Result
<b>Main function selection</b>	Print a simple help message when entering the app	Low	Jul-14	
	Check input parameters, decide which mode (server/client) the app would run.	High	Jul-11	
<b>Server-side: Receive files and save to local directory</b>	Create a socket and wait for connection from the client side. Prompt error message and give suggestion	High	Jul-11	
	Respond to client's connection request, print status update	High	Jul-11	
	Receive 8-byte packet header, decide the number of files that will be transferred	Medium	Jul-13	
	Loop to receive all files: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Receive file name and size</li> <li>Receive file content</li> <li>Write received file to local directory</li> </ul>	High	Jul-12	
	Print status update	Low	Jul-15	
<b>Client-side: Send files to the target computer</b>	Get the IP address of the target computer: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check the input parameter</li> <li>Get IP address from the input parameter</li> <li>Get IP address from "send4me.ini" configuration file</li> </ul>	High	Jul-12	
	Get the list of the files to be sent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Check the input parameter</li> <li>Get list of file name from the input parameters</li> <li>Get list of file name from the local directory</li> </ul>	Medium	Jul-13	
	Create a socket and connect to the target IP	High	Jul-11	
	Send 8-byte packet header, specify the number of files that will be sent	Medium	Jul-13	
	Loop to send all files: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Get the size of the file to be sent</li> <li>Send file name and size in a 64-byte header</li> <li>Send the file content</li> </ul>	High	Jul-12	
	Print status update	Low	Jul-15	
	Save the IP address in the configuration file	Low	Jul-15	
<b>Shell script to install and run the app</b>	Check if Python is installed	Low	Jul16	
	Check if required modules are installed			
	Run this Python program with given parameters			