

6.170 Final Project - "Ibetcha"

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Meeting minutes

1. Data model verification and further discussion.
 - a. Since there is a "creator" relation between Bet and User, the subset Creator is redundant and should be removed; however, the subset Monitor will remain.
 - b. Status of the Bet object can be derived by looking at Milestones, but having the separate attribute enables quick review of User's bet history (e.g., show statistics on how many bets failed/succeeded).
2. Implementation for the automated reminder sendoff.
 - a. Option 1: Use heroku and built-in scheduler
 - b. Option 2: Use node.js package cron (look up npm options)
3. Discussion of the two-side money transfer.
 - a. We agreed on carrying on with the original idea when in case of fail only a Betcher loses money, but not his/her monitors. TAs suggested clearly describe and specify the design choices.
4. Discussion on security issues.
 - a. We will review Recitation 9 notes and handle common threats and attacks.
5. MVP functionality
 - a. We were suggested not to proceed with money transactions for MVP, but rather notify a Betcher about the fail/success of his/her bet, since it will ease the debugging and integration with Venmo.