

Protocol for Project Demonstration

- There will be a window of several hours during which you need to see the TA (date/time will be posted on course web page)
- Your program must be able to read a text file (.txt extension, similar to the one posted on the web) from a USB memory stick, and write a text file (similar to the one posted on the web) to the same memory stick.
- When you see the TA, you should bring your own laptop.
- You will be asked to perform the following steps
 - start your program
 - your program should read the text file called input.txt from a memory stick that will be given to you
 - it should write all output to a single text file on the same memory stick; the name of the file should be sid.txt, where sid is your student ID (if you work in teams then use only one ID, the one listed first on all documentation)
 - the output file should only show which process is running and any possible errors; avoid outputting any additional information to simplify the grading.
- There will be only one input file. It contains a series of tests, each starting with an init command.
- If you do not have a laptop or prefer not to use it, then please contact the TA to set up a demo session in one of the labs.
- We will evaluate the output your program produces (not during the demo session) and report the results to you.

I suggest that you test the protocol before coming to the demo session to avoid unnecessary delays/problems:

- copy the sample input file from the web page onto a memory stick
- run the above protocol
- check your memory stick to make sure it contains a file sid.txt that matches the output file on the web page