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## **Semicolon Expected Sprint 1 Reflection**

Due to delays with getting approval for our project I was only able to complete forming groups, my part in the pitches, and the user stories. It was difficult to get much done on time when we did not have our project approved yet. Since it was not approved we tried contacting the professor again and waiting for a response. Now, currently in this review week we are trying to see if one of us can go to his office hours to get confirmation on our project. This was the biggest challenge we encountered since it is difficult to work on a project when you do not know if you are going to be forced to start over. So, now we have lost a rather significant amount of time on the project. Overall, next time I am in this kind of situation rather than waiting for an email response I will just go see the professor. This is what I learned from this sprint. If you need your project to get approved by the professor then visit the professor's office hours to ask about it early. I think we were waiting around for a response for too long. We did not even consider that the professor did not see the email at all and that wasted lots of valuable time. Areas that could be approved as of now are communicating with the professor directly when we need to and meeting up more often. We may not be able to change the latter due to our schedules though. For me personally I will try to make sure to commit to Gitlab more frequently once we get a project approved. That way hopefully I can make up for all of the lost time. We all need to utilize our time better for the future sprints.