

## CS 276: Final Report

**Due Date: Friday December 20th, 2024 at 8:59 pm via Gradescope**

**Components of the report:** Write a summary of your project and results in 10 pages or fewer.

1. **Introduction:** State a clear and specific research goal, and summarize the relevant literature on this topic ( $\leq 3$  pages).
2. **Results:** Summarize any results you may have ( $\leq 1$  page). If your project hasn't produced results, you can explain what you would do if you had more time or what you can learn from any failed attempts.
3. **Technical Overview:** Write a technical overview of your work ( $\leq 6$  pages). For instance, you could pick one technique or approach that you used, and explain how it works at a high level. Your writing should be accessible to readers in CS theory, and shouldn't assume any prior knowledge from other fields, such as systems or machine learning.

### Tips:

- You can reuse any content from your midterm report, such as the statement of your research goal and the literature review.
- Figures and tables count toward the page limits, but references and appendices do not.
- You may include appendices of any length if you find that you need extra space to present your work. However, the main body of the report should be comprehensible without referring to the appendix.

**Grading:** To receive full credit, your report should present the results clearly and demonstrate the effort that you put into the project. Your basic grade doesn't depend on whether your project succeeded or produced novel results. We understand that research often fails or takes longer than 1 semester to complete. However, you can earn extra credit if your project did succeed at producing novel results.