

# CPSC 474 Project 2: Programming using MPI

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40 points

## Introduction

For this project you need to choose a topic covered in class or similar to the topics [listed here](#) and design an algorithm that uses MPI commands to solve a problem. You will describe the algorithm using clear pseudocode and implement your algorithms in C/C++/Java, compile, test it, and submit BOTH the report (as a PDF file) and the programs. We do not care about the efficiency of the algorithms **but each run of a program must terminate within 60 minutes**.

## What to do

1. Add your group members' names to README.md.
2. Implement your algorithm in C/C++/Java.
3. Compile and execute the program.
4. Write a clear pseudocode for the algorithm, describe what parameters are needed to execute each program, include snapshots from at least one execution, and submit it as a PDF report. Submit your PDF by committing it to your GitHub repository along with your code. Your report should include the following:
  - a. Your names, CSUF-supplied email address(es), and an indication that the submission is for project 2.
  - b. A full-screen screenshot with your group member names shown clearly. One way to make your names appear in Atom is to simply open your README.md.
  - c. The pseudocode of the algorithm.
  - d. A brief description on how to run the code.
  - e. Snapshots of code executed at least once. Alternatively one can create a file with the output of the program for an input value and submit it together with the program. Note, the output can be redirected to a file (for easy printing). For example, the following command line will create an output file in Linux-based operating system called a1out.txt by re-directing the output from the screen (display) to the file a1out.txt:  

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K:\cs474> a.out > a1out.txt
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## Grading rubric

The total grade is 40 points. Your grade will be comprised of three parts, Form, Function, and Report:

- Function refers to whether your code works properly (30 points).
- Form refers to the design, organization, and presentation of your code. The instructor will read your code and evaluate these aspects of your submission (3 points):
  - README.md completed clearly (1 points)
  - Style (whitespace, variable names, comments, helper functions, etc.) (2 points)
- Report (7 points) divided as follows:
  - Summary of report document (2 points)

- Pseudocode of the chosen algorithm (2 points)
- Three screenshots: one for the group members and two snapshots of code executing for some two distinct values of  $N$  (1 point each, total 3 points)

## Obtaining and Submitting Code

This document explains how to obtain and submit your work:

[GitHub Education / Tuffix Instructions](#)

Here is the invitation link for this project:

<https://classroom.github.com/a/tJhxYFx2>