

Assignment of master's thesis

Title: Interactive web documentation for Protocol Buffers

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Instructions

The aim of the work is to design and implement a static web presentation generator for gRPC API documentation. The input files are proto files that carry a description of services, calls and types. The output is an HTML page with documentation and the ability to call the API (provided that the API supports gRPC-web).

- 1. Research existing solutions for Protocol Buffers and compare features with similar tools for GraphQL or RESTful APIs.
- 2. Design and implement a documentation generator with the ability to call an existing gRPC-web API.
- 3. Discuss and possibly implement an alternative data source using gRPC reflection.
- 4. Test the application with automated tests and perform user testing.