# Project 2 Log

# **Meetings-**

## Meeting 1

September 27

All members present

In class

- Talked about different ideas to implement
  - Scoreboard
  - o GUI
  - Sounds
  - Animations

### Meeting 2

September 30

All members present

In class

- What can we implement
  - o Sounds for sure
  - Scoreboard for sure
  - Animations probably
  - o GUI is questionable
  - maybe special shots
- Talked about how we can implement Al
  - Inherits from player class
- Need to draw diagram for classes
- Talked about dates
  - People would be gone
  - When to have product done
- Verbal confirmation from Gibbons for our implementations

## Meeting 3

October 2

Justin, Hunter, Zach, Brandon

In class

• Draw up class diagram so we can all follow the code

### Meeting 4

October 7

All members Present

In class

 Talked about changes each person is implementing and how or why they are changing things

### **Meeting 5**

October 8

In Lab

• Split up work for the day into different jobs working on Ai and Scoreboard.

# **Known Issues:-**

- C++ SOUND IN LINUX IS HARD --yup
- Normal Al segfaults when ships bigger than one are placed on border of map

# **Changelog:-**

- 9/27/19 Hunter C.
  - o **Created:** Board::randPosGen() for generating random legal position values forAi.
  - Created: main menu to choose between 1-player and 2-players.
  - o **IN PROGRESS(Finished):** Board::setupBoard\_Al() to setup board for Al.
- 10/4/19 Zack K.
  - Added: Calls to setupBoard Al() in Executive.cpp
  - o Created: Algame() function in Executive.h
  - **IN PROGRESS:** Adding different difficulty AI functionality to aiGame()
- 10/7/19 Hunter C.
  - o Fixed: error with ai setup being private in Board.h
  - Fixed: error with ai number of ships not being initialized in Executive.cpp
  - o Created/Finished: Al setup works for all number of ships
  - o **IN PROGRESS(FINISHED):** creating game loop(s) for easy ai game
- 10/7/19 Justin K.
  - Added:
    - Values inside of Executive.cpp that will display Player 2's sunk ships and player 1's sunk ships.
  - IN PROGRESS:
    - DONE: Need to display proper values inside of executive.cpp showing Player 2's sunk ships and player 1's sunk ships at the end of the game -Seems to work properly? ZK 10/10/19

- **DONE**Adding private member *shipsLeft* to display ships that Player 1/ Player 2 sunk before game over
- **DONE**Going to try and implement game over screen with both boards displaying where all ships are, which ships were hit, and at which part.
- **DONEP**lanning to add cin player names so that I can write to a file their number of wins for a scoreboard page

#### ISSUES:

- Getting a stacking issue, but only when program ends. Everything else works fine.
- 10/8/19 Hunter C.
  - o IN PROGRESS(FINISHED): Working on Hard Ai in Executive.cpp
  - o IN PROGRESS/CONFUSED: Researching how to include sound in linux
- 10/8/19 Brandon W.
  - o **IN PROGRESS**: Working on Orthogonal Shot function for normal AI in Board.cpp
- 10/10/19 Zack K.
  - IN PROGRESS: SetShipsLeft function decrements numberOfShips by 1 when a ship is shown to be sunk in executive.cpp
  - Completed: Shipsleft function appears to be operational, but I think it would be better to print it in a different location as it's hard to see. current cout is in the executive shoot() function
- 10/16/19 Brandon W.
  - o **Completed**: Normal Al Still need to push it onto github
- 10/17/19 Brandon W.
  - o **Completed**: Medium Al completed and pushed to the master branch

### Description on how work was split between teammates

- Work was split by everyone choosing which features they felt most comfortable adding to the game
- Error checking was a whole team effort
- Most work was error checking and bug fixing rather than feature implementation

### Challenges and how they were overcome or dealt with

- Segfaults
  - Error checking
  - Keeping track of errors on a known errors log which was shared with everyone in the group
- Understanding and using another groups code implementation

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### Any features that did not make the demo version

• Sound effects - Too much trouble to get library installed

### Retrospective on what the team would have done different

- More Planned team meetings and more direct/centralized communication on errors and layout of project.
  - Planned meetings on paper would be best to fix this.
  - Using software to keep track of changes would help overall group editing of project.
- Better planning of overall project and who will make what class/feature
- Better documentation of all group meetings. A few meetings between not entire team were forgotten to be added to meeting doc.
- Learn to merge more efficiently, so multiple people could work on a single file at the same time
- Work out timeline of work before work is started
- Better organized meetup times, so we can meet up and work on the project together more often

