

# **Sprint 3: LaTeX Samurai**

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## Mission

The mission statement for this project was to create a testing software to test C++ source files submitted by students. The testing software will automatically generate any test cases needed by the user to test the source files. Each C++ source file will end up with its own log file, detailing how the student performed. Example statistics for a log file include: code coverage, performance, and a grade percentage.

The program will search through all subdirectories for C++ source files to compile and run. When all files have been run, a master log file is outputted in the directory the test suite was ran from. This log file will only contain the percent grades for each C++ file.

The suite is able to test programs with looping menus, and the suite itself implements a looping menu.

*Overall, we believe that by providing a robust testing suite for simple CSC150 programs, professors and TA's will find that they have more time to focus on teaching, rather than the tedious task of grading.*

# Document Preparation and Updates

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# 1 Overview and Concept of Operations

This report will cover the project overview, user stories, backlog, design and implementation, development, environment, deployment, and documentation for the testing project.

## 1.1 Scope

This document covers the details of the project including its functionality, tools used, and the process that led to a valid solution that fulfills all of the requirements.

## 1.2 Purpose

The purpose of this program is to run entire directories of .cpp files with given test files, and grade them. There are certain tests that are labeled as critical tests; if a .cpp file does not pass one of the critical tests, there is no grade assigned. Otherwise the percentage of tests passed is calculated for each .cpp file.

### 1.2.1 Traversing Subdirectories

**1.2.1.1 Functionality** Traversing subdirectories is one of the main components of this system. The testing suite will seek out all subdirectories below its beginning working directory. From that point, it will compile and run any .cpp file with a name that matches the name of its directory. For example:

*/home/Documents/CSC150/Prog1/JohnDoe/JohnDoe.cpp*

will be compiled and tested, whereas:

*/home/Documents/CSC150/Prog2/submits/JohnDoe.cpp*

will not be compiled.

**1.2.1.2 Convenience** The convenience of this becomes clear when one realizes that an entire directory of students' files may be tested from a single program execution, from one location. This will encompass all subdirectories, giving the potential for a professor or TA to grade more than one project at one time.

### 1.2.2 Generating Test Cases

The testing suite is a fully functioning test case generator. If the user chooses, it will generate .tst files containing ints, doubles, or random strings. These tests are then stored in the */tests* subdirectory, which is on the same level as the folders containing students' .cpp files. Since the suite also keeps track of code coverage, if a user has reviewed a student's .log file and found that coverage was not 100 percent, the user may wish to generate additional test cases.

### 1.2.3 Compiling and Running .cpp Files

This software will use Linux system calls and the GNU Common Compiler to build all .cpp files to be tested. Since these programs will expect all input from the command line, we must redirect input from the .tst files. The .cpp to be tested will be ran on each of the .tst files.

## 1.3 Systems Goals

The goal of the system is to make grading a less tedious task. This product grades an entire directory of .cpp files by simply executing from the root directory! The product is built to test the .cpp file with all of the given or generated .txt test files in the current directory, and compare the results to the corresponding .ans files. The product also has the functionality to test any menu-driven .cpp files that may use a simple text-based menu.



## 1.4 System Overview and Diagram

This section contains a flow diagram detailing an overview of the entire system.

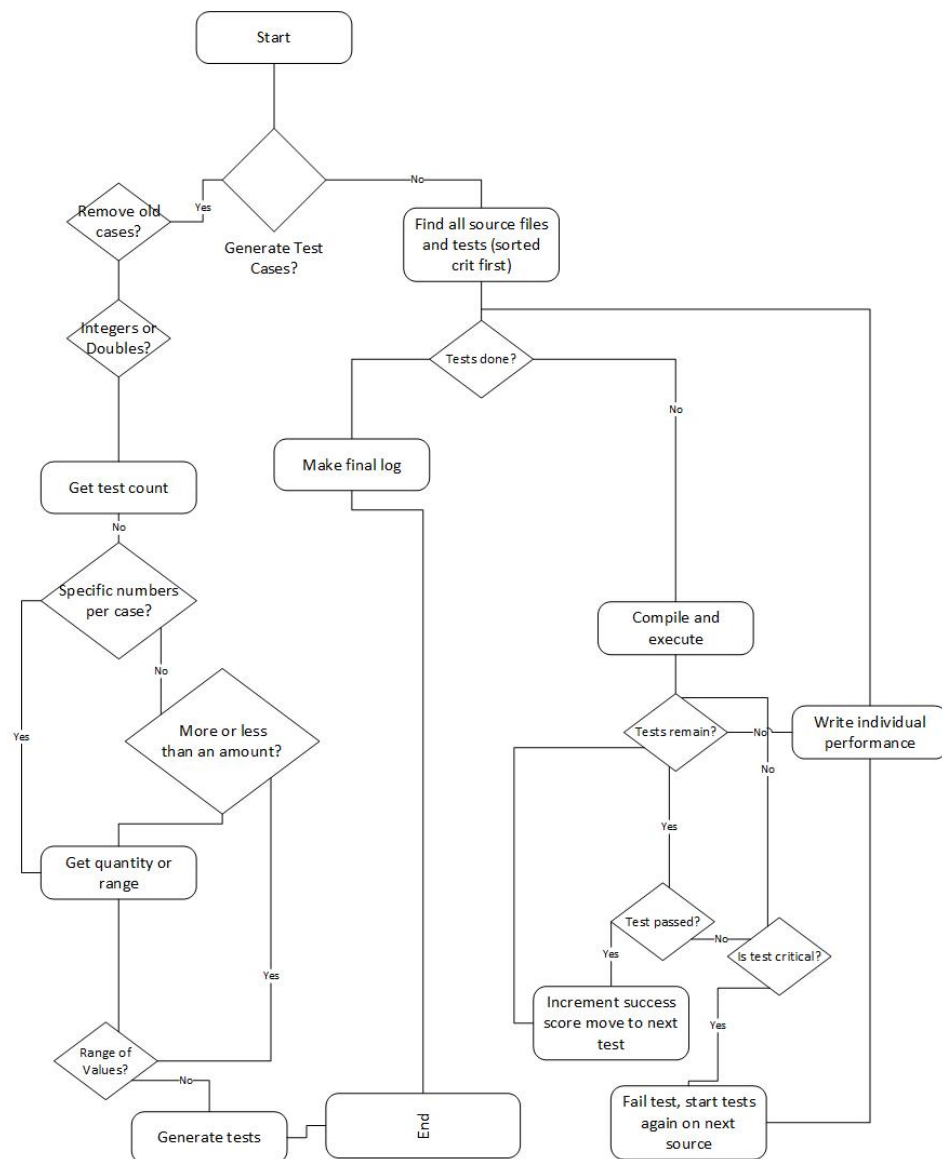


Figure 1.1: Flow Diagram

## 2 Project Overview

This section will contain an overview of the people and processes used to reach the completion of our product.

### 2.1 Team Members and Roles

1. Julian Brackins - Product Owner
2. Jon Dixon - Scrum Master
3. Hafiza Farzami - Technical Lead

### 2.2 Project Management Approach

We used an agile approach to this project. This involves frequent meetings called *scrum meetings*, which are orchestrated by the scrum master. The product owner was in charge of getting in touch with Dr. Logar (the customer) to present any questions or other concerns. The technical lead took point on the coding, but was supported by the other roles. The project was split into small, manageable chunks using trello as a way to keep track of all of the tasks visually.

### 2.3 Phase Overview

Since every large task has been broken up into smaller pieces, we essentially keep track of progress by noting when each small part is complete, and then moving on to the next step for that task. When all steps for a task have been completed, the next task will be undertaken using the same principles for dividing the work. This process continues until all tasks, and the project, have been completed.

## 3 User Stories, Backlog, and Requirements

### 3.1 Overview

This section will cover all of the user requirements for the product, and how we have laid out a framework for the completion of the project. We will touch on stakeholder information, the business need for our product, requirements and design constraints, and user stories.

#### 3.1.1 Scope

The scope of this product is not incredibly broad. The system is highly specialized to test CSC 150 programs that will take input from the command line, and output results to the command line. We have implemented code to test programs with menus. It would be possible to generalize this to handle programs with file input and output, but it would take some time to implement.

#### 3.1.2 Purpose of the System

The purpose of the system is to allow a professor or TA to grade entire directories of CSC 150 programs, including programs that implement text-based menu loops. The system will also keep track of the code coverage and performance of all programs tested.

### 3.2 Stakeholder Information

This section will provide all basic information on the stakeholders involved in this project.

#### 3.2.1 Customer or End User (Product Owner)

For sprint 3, Julian Brackins was the product owner. He worked with Dr. Logar to gather requirements, and relay them to the rest of the team.

#### 3.2.2 Management or Instructor (Scrum Master)

Jon Dixon was the scrum master for sprint 3. The scrum master is responsible for breaking the main project up into larger tasks and keeping in touch with the product owner and technical lead to make sure the work is being completed in a timely manner.

#### 3.2.3 Developers - Testers

Hafiza Farzami was the technical lead for sprint 3. She kept in touch with the scrum master and product owner to make sure all tasks were being completed in a timely manner. Testing was done by all team members, since the developers and testers are the same group.

### 3.3 Business Need

The business need for this project is clear. Since the purpose is to save time for professors and TA's, these people can spend their time focusing on more important matters such as developing a more robust curriculum, and devoting more time to the students, ensuring a higher quality education.

### 3.4 Requirements and Design Constraints

This section outlines the what a user will need to be able to run the program. This includes operating system, additional programs, etc...

#### 3.4.1 System Requirements

The program is designed to run on Linux machines, that are capable of running both gcov and gprof. It uses the GNU Compiler Collection.

### 3.4.2 Network Requirements

This program requires no active internet connection to function properly.

### 3.4.3 Development Environment Requirements

This program requires no special development environment.

### 3.4.4 Project Management Methodology

We used an agile method to project management. The process is described below.

1. Product Owner meets with Dr. Logar.
2. Product Owner meets with Scrum Master and Technical Lead
  - (a) Break large projects into smaller tasks.
  - (b) Assign these tasks to team members
  - (c) Create cards on the Trello board to represent the tasks.
3. Team members work on their tasks, updating the Trello board as necessary.
4. Frequent ten-minute scrum meetings to keep track of progress.
5. Repeat entire process for each sprint.

## 3.5 User Stories

This section will contain the complete collection of user stories for sprints 1, 2, and 3. It will also contain details on how we broke these stories down into tasks that we needed to implement in our product.

### 3.5.1 User Story #1

As a user, I would like a program to be able to grade a specified directory of CSC 150 programs. I would like this program to be able to generate test cases, detect programs with infinite loops, and record performance of each program.

#### 3.5.1.1 User Story Breakdown #1

The program needs to be able to "crawl" through directories to find test cases, answer cases, and .cpp files that have been submitted by students. The program should be able to grade an entire directory by running it only once.

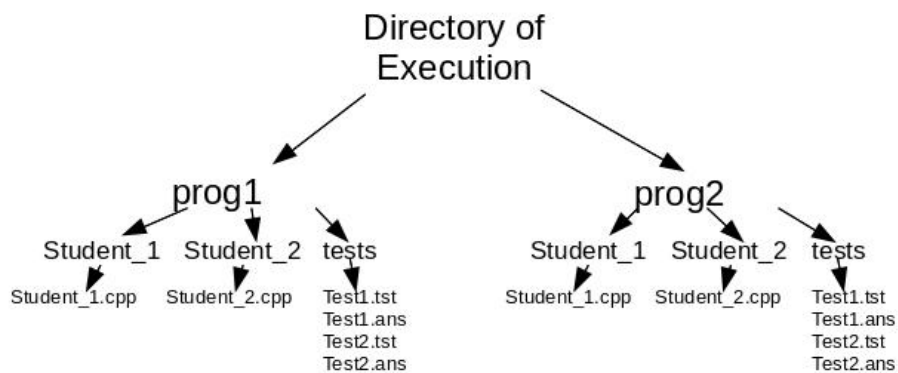


Figure 3.1: Directory Structure

### 3.5.2 User Story #2

I would like to be able to view each student's performance for all test cases, code coverage of all test cases, and code performance for all test cases.

#### 3.5.2.1 User Story Breakdown #2

For each student, a log file will be produced. This log file will contain the following information:

- Pass or failure for each test case
- Gcov statistics for code coverage
- Gprof statistics for code performance

Each of these log files will have the following structure:

```
passed or failed: case1.tst
passed or failed: case2.tst
.
.
.
passed or failed: casen.tst
Lines Executed: xxx.xx% out of x
<GPROF STATISTICS FOR EACH FUNCTION>
```

### 3.5.3 User Story #3

I would like there to be a common summary log file containing the grades (as percentages) of all students, which students failed, and average class statistics, such as how many students passed.

#### 3.5.3.1 User Story Breakdown #3

The specified log file will be located in the subdirectory the user specified as the test directory and will contain the following structure:

```
Student1.cpp: Percent grade
Student2.cpp: Percent grade
.
.
.
Studentn.cpp: Percent grade
```

### 3.5.4 User Story #4

I would like to be able to generate test cases to run the programs on.

#### 3.5.4.1 User Story Breakdown #3

Upon execution of the program, the user will be prompted to see if he or she would like to generate test cases. Test cases may be of three types:

- Floating point numbers
- Integers
- Strings

No matter which option the user chooses, they will be prompted for the number of test cases to generate, number of items per test case, the minimum and maximum random number bounds (Floats and Ints only), and string length (strings only). If they have chosen string generation, the strings will be composed of lowercase alphanumeric characters, and the numbers 0-9.

## 4 Design and Implementation

This section is used to describe the design details for each of the major components in the system.

### 4.1 Finding Test Cases (find tsts function)

#### 4.1.1 Technologies Used

- popen
- GNU find
- C++ vectors

#### 4.1.2 Component Overview

This component uses the GNU find program to recursively find all filenames of the form \*.tst. This will also look in all subdirectories. Popen is then used to capture all of the output, which is then places in a vector that will store all of the test case filenames.

#### 4.1.3 Phase Overview

This component was initially developed for Sprint 1, and has been an integral part in all subsequent sprints, since .tst files have always needed to be identified.

#### 4.1.4 Design Details

One issue when designing this component was that there was a character at the end of all filenames that needed to be removed. Luckily, we found that the we were able to remove it with the simple block of code below.

```
//removing that frustrating invisible character at the end of the strings
for(int i=0;i<tstfilelist.size();i++)
{
    tstfilelist.at(i).replace(tstfilelist.at(i).end()-1,
    tstfilelist.at(i).end(),"");
}
```

### 4.2 Running the Student Programs (run tests function)

#### 4.2.1 Technologies Used

- C++ vectors
- gcov
- gprof

#### 4.2.2 Component Overview

This function is used to compile and run the .cpp files using the .tst files as input. Initially, the component could only check one .cpp file, but it has since been extended to use a vector of filenames to compile and run multiple files. It will compile each .cpp file with flags for gcov and gprof. Gcov is also executed within this component.

#### 4.2.3 Phase Overview

This component was initially implemented for Sprint 1, but it only would work for a single .cpp file. For Sprint 2, it was extended to function for all .cpp files in a directory, and gcov and gprof functionality was added.

#### 4.2.4 Design Details

Before any of the programs may be run, we must first check to see if they have been compiled. If the program has already been compiled, there is no need to compile it again. If a program has not been compiled, we will compile it with the following bit of code:

```
string prog_cpp = prog;
string progame = prog_cpp.substr(0,prog_cpp.find("."))
string progcomp = "g++_pg_fprofile-arcs_ftest-coverage_o_"+progame+"_"+prog_cpp;

ifstream fileExists(progname.c_str());
if (!fileExists)
{
    fileExists.close();

    //compile program to be tested
    system(progcomp.c_str());
}
else
{
    //close input check
    fileExists.close();
}
```

Prog is the full file path to the .cpp file, including the filename.

It is also important to note that this function will also call the proper function to fork a child process containing the student's test file. This is accomplished with a simple calls to fork and exec. A progress bar is also created to display how close a program is to reaching the specified time for an "infinite loop" case. If any process should reach that time limit, it will be killed, and marked as a failure.

The function is also responsible for gcov. Each time after execution, the program will update it's .covs file, which is the extension for redirected gcov output. This will accurately represent the code coverage, since the .gcno file containing the gcov notes has not been deleted or modified in this time.

The function will then check the result of the execution against the .ans file that corresponds to the current .tst file. The function will return 0 if the answer was correct, 1 if the answer was incorrect, or -1 if the files could not be opened for comparison for any reason.

### 4.3 Checking Student Output (files equal function)

#### 4.3.1 Technologies Used

- C++ vectors

#### 4.3.2 Component Overview

This component simply will take two files as input and return true or false as to if they are equal or not.

#### 4.3.3 Phase Overview

This component was originally developed in Sprint 1, and has been useful ever since.

#### 4.3.4 Design Details

This function will compare two files by reading their contents into vectors. These vectors are then compared, and if they are the same length and have the same contents, the files are determined to be equivalent.



## 4.4 Finding Student Code (find\_students)

### 4.4.1 Technologies Used

- C++ vectors
- Diredt directory file descriptors

### 4.4.2 Component Overview

This component searches for every student source file and adds it to the list of the programs to be compiled and executed

### 4.4.3 Phase Overview

This component was designed and developed second phase as an integral part of 2.0.0 functionality.

### 4.4.4 Design Details

This component is designed to recursively scan all sub-directories for any source files.

```
while (entry = readdir(dir))
{
    temp = entry->d_name;
    if ( temp != "." && temp != ".." )
    {
        if ( temp[temp.size() - 1] != '~' )
        {
            int length = temp.length();
            if ( (length > 4 && (temp.substr(length-4) == ".cpp")
                || temp.substr(length-2) == ".C")
                && level > 0 )
            {
                STUDENTVECTOR.push_back(directory + '/' + temp);
            }
            else if ( (length > 4 && (temp.substr(length-4) == ".cpp")
                || temp.substr(length-2) == ".C")
                && level == 0 )
            {
                if (GOLDCPP.empty())
                {
                    GOLDCPP = directory + '/' + temp;
                }
            }
            else
            {
                find_students(directory + '/' + temp, level + 1);
            }
        }
    }
}
```

## 4.5 Write Individual Report (writeindividualreport function)

### 4.5.1 Technologies Used

- C++ vectors

### 4.5.2 Component Overview

This component writes an individual report regarding each test as they happen in the current program's directory.

### 4.5.3 Phase Overview

This component was designed and developed second phase as an integral part of 2.0.0 functionality.

### 4.5.4 Design Details

This component will simply advise if a program has passed or failed a specific test. After a critical fail, the remaining tests will not be ran or logged. It will push the result onto a vector of results for each student. This vector is later used to output the student's individual log file.

## 4.6 Detecting Presentation Errors

### 4.6.1 Technologies Used

- C++ string streams

### 4.6.2 Component Overview

The presentation error function compares strings, if it is a presentation error, it counts it, returns zero otherwise.

### 4.6.3 Phase Overview

We implemented this feature in sprint three because it was added functionality for this sprint.

### 4.6.4 Design Details

Given the solution and the student files, this feature runs diff file command, and returns the difference into a third file, 'a.out'. The code then goes through the new file and compares the strings. If the descriptors have the same first and last letters and are the same size, or are anagrams, they are marked as presentation error. If the value that differs, rounds to the correct answer, is also marked as a presentation error. The following code demonstrates how we count the errors.

```
int prezErrorCount( string file1, string file2 )
{
    ifstream difference( "a.out" );
    system(
        ("diff -b -y -i --suppress-common-lines"
         +file1+" "+file2+">a.out" ).c_str());
    string line;
    subs dif;
    int errors = 0;

    while( getline( difference, line ) )
    {
        dif = subStrings( line, '|' );
        istringstream desc( dif.first );
        istringstream val( dif.last );

        errors += markError( desc, val );
    }

    difference.close();
    return errors;
}
```

## 5 System and Unit Testing

This section will detail the methods and approaches the team took with regard to both system and unit testing.

### 5.1 Overview

Overall, a lot of our testing started with unit testing, and moved its way up to integration testing as we went along. Since we were not provided with any example student .cpp files for this sprint, we had to come up with our own files that would simulate student mistakes such as infinite loops and presentation errors.

### 5.2 Dependencies

This program is written with the assumption that the file directory structure will follow the structure laid out in Figure 3.1.

### 5.3 Test Setup and Execution

In sprints one and two, Dr. Logar provided us with many of the necessary testing materials, such as .cpp files to test, and the directory with the expected structure. In this sprint, she did not provide any additional content. We found that some of the materials we needed to perform tests, such as programs with presentation errors, infinite loops, or programs that sorted strings were easy to produce from either code that we had already created, or from scratch. Overall, we tested the entire program in small chunks before attempting to integrate into the larger system.

For example, when developing the code for gcov, we first wrote a small, menu-driven program with a few options that would simply output a line of code when the option was chosen. We compiled with the gcov flags, and ran the program and gcov to see the results. As expected, gcov reported that not all of the lines of code had been executed. With this in mind, we ran the program again, and chose the other menu options. This resulted in a gcov output that 100% of the lines had been executed. From there it was only a matter of getting all of the filenames and directories correct when integrating gcov into the main algorithm. This type of unit testing was the main driving force behind most of the testing of our system.

As far as our user interface is concerned, we made sure that it would catch any errors outside of the bounds of the possible input choices, or receiving input that is a character instead of an integer.

## 6 Development Environment

This section serves the purpose of providing the user with the necessary information to compile and run our test suite code on his or her machine.

### 6.1 Development IDE and Tools

In the creation of this program, we did not use any special development IDE, or tools. We used mainly gedit, vim and the g++ compiler to develop and test our code. One of the most useful tools we used was the Makefile that is included with our .cpp files. When compiling our code we strongly suggest that the user do so by simply typing "make" in the directory containing the makefile and all of the source code.

### 6.2 Source Control

We found that using git and github for source control was very useful. We did our best to make frequent commits of only working software. Git allowed us to collaborate easily on our project, providing an interface for merging and backups of previous versions. This proved useful at one point in particular, as a merge gone wrong found us missing a sizeable portion of new code that we had just written. Since github contains copies of all previous versions, we were able to recover the code from before the merge removed the new code that we created.

### 6.3 Dependencies

From a user's perspective, the dependencies are low. All that is required of a user is a working linux operating system with the GNU compiler collection. From a development perspective, it is necessary to have a github account with access to the git repo used by the development team, as well as the requirements that apply to the user.

### 6.4 Build Environment

The only build environment requirements are Linux and a recent version of the GNU compiler collection. A makefile has been provided for convenience.

### 6.5 Development Machine Setup

A development machine simply needs access to the git repo and a clone of the git repository.

## 7 Release - Setup - Deployment

This section will contain any specific subsection regarding specifics in releasing, setup, and/or deployment of the system.

### 7.1 Deployment Information and Dependencies

- Validate your linux installation has a current install of gcc (yum -install gcc / apt-get install gcc / emerge install gcc / pacman -S gcc)
- (Optional / Troubleshooting) validate linux headers are installed (above package manager with the arguments: linux-headers-\$(uname -r))

### 7.2 Setup Information

Simply run the makefile using the following command: "make".

Invoke the program by typing ./test. The user interface will be presented, and the user may follow the on-screen directions.

### 7.3 System Versioning Information

All system version information is stored on the github including time of updates, previous versions, and who authored each change.

## 8 User Documentation

This section will provide users with a brief overview of the features that we have implemented in the final CSC150 program testing suite.

### 8.1 User Guide

The test executable must be located one directory above the directories that the program may be asked to test. The program expects to be given the name of a "golden" .cpp file that will contain the code to create the answer cases.

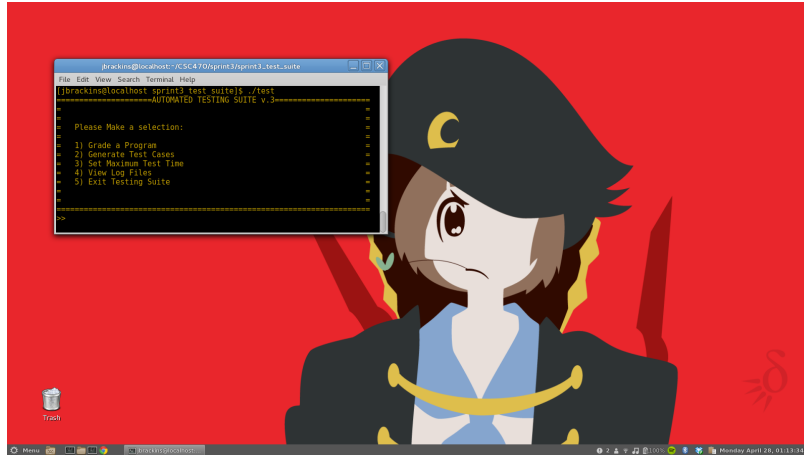


Figure 8.1: User Interface Main Menu

The interface will involve typing a numerical value that is associated with a menu choice, typing a directory name, or answering questions about test case generation. The main menu of the user interface provides the user with a number of options related to the grading and reviewing of student .cpp files.

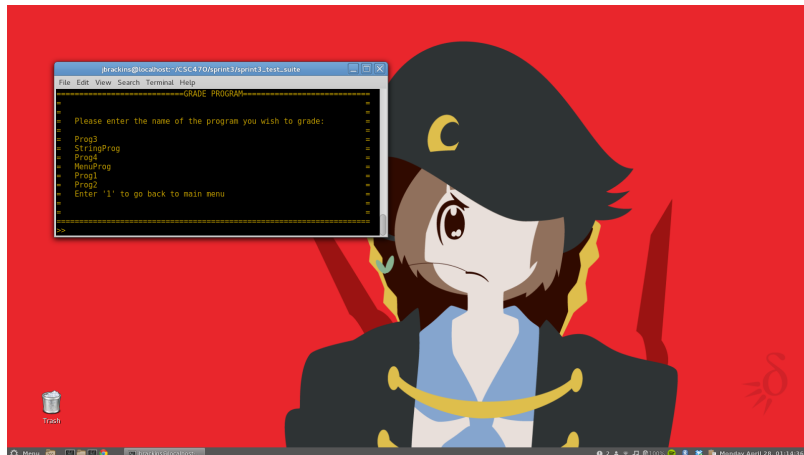


Figure 8.2: Selecting a Program to Grade

In this example, the user will type the directory name of the program they would like to grade. After doing so, they will be prompted for the name of the "golden" .cpp file.

We decided to implement a progress bar to display while each students' code is running. This progress bar will show the time that has elapsed, with the start time being "empty" and the end time (maximum time to let a program run) being "full." In Figure 8.3, a program containing an infinite loop has been running for 26 out of a maximum 60 seconds. When the timer reaches 60 seconds, the process will be killed.

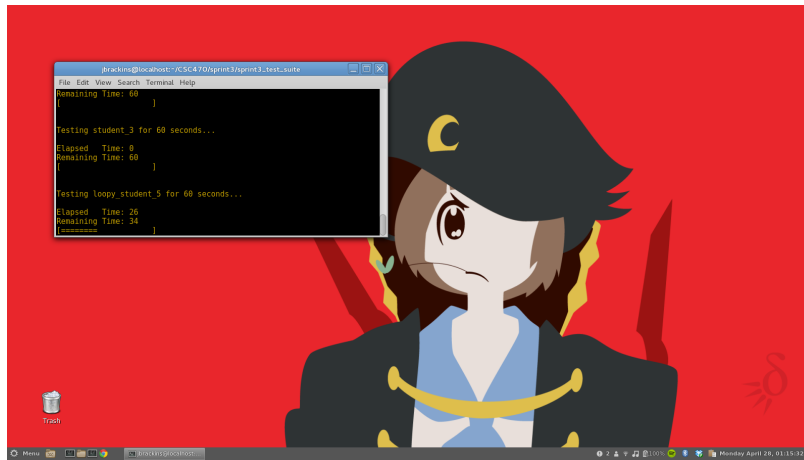


Figure 8.3: Progress Bar

### 8.1.1 Test Case Files

The directory containing the submitted .cpp files must also contain folders of test cases that correspond to the program that will be tested. These must end in .tst. If the user would like there to be a "critical test," or a test that will result in failure if a student's program should fail it, it must contain the extension .crit.test.

### 8.1.2 Expected Output Files

All expected output files or answer files must end in .ans. They also must have the same name as their corresponding .tst files.

### 8.1.3 .log Files

The program will create a number of .log files. There will be one in the main directory of the program, and one in the directory for each student. The common summary log file will have grades for all of the students, while the individual log files will have information on which test cases that student may or may not have passed, as well as gcov and gprof information.

We determined that the "golden" .cpp file should contain all log files so that if the professor or TA desires, they are able to compare the performance of the "golden" .cpp to the performance of the student .cpp files.

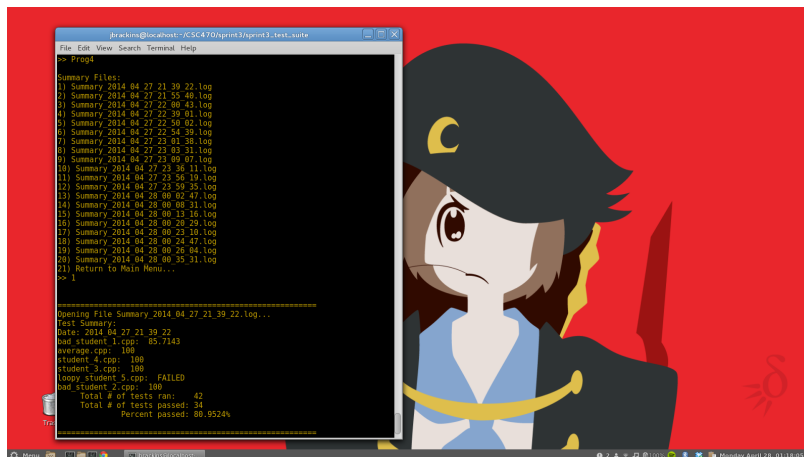


Figure 8.4: Selecting Summary Files

## 8.2 Installation Guide

To install the program, simply compile it by using the command "make" and run it in the directory above the student program directories.

## 8.3 Programmer Manual

The programmer simply needs a text editor and the GNU compiler collection to edit and test the source code.



## 9 Class Index

### 9.1 Class List

Not Applicable.

## 10 Sprint Reports

### 10.1 Sprint Report # 1

This sprint lasted from 2/4/14 to 2/19/14. The members of the Whitespace Cowboys setup Github accounts as well as repositories on both personal Linux and Windows machines. Two official scrum meetings were held, the first of which was to set up Github and the second of which was to assign different members to the writing of sections of documentation and hold a code review.

The coding section of the project was officially done on 2/14/14, when the code review was held. The team members made sure the coding and the coding standard were up to requirements, as well as checked the state of the current documentation in the .cpp file.

### 10.2 Sprint Report # 2

This particular sprint lasted from 2/21/14 to 3/23/14. The members of Lounge Against The Machine reworked existing code to facilitate multiple programs of execution and a new generator system for test and answer file manufacture. The coding started shortly after the beginning of the sprint, but was delayed over spring break for a vacation of the Tech Lead. The project was finished and submitted on 3/23/14 where this document was updated with all relevant changes. All make and execution variables were checked before submission.

### 10.3 Sprint Report # 3

This sprint lasted from 3/23/14 to 4/28/14. The members of Latex Samurai worked on code provided by Lounge Against the Machine to add more features to the testing suite framework created in sprints 1 and 2. The new features include forking and executing the student .cpp processes, so that they may be killed in the case of an infinite loop, gcov code coverage reports, gprof performance reports, the ability to test CSC150 programs containing a text-based menu loop, and an attractive user interface for our own program.

## Acknowledgements

For the help and guidance they have provided throughout the course and the projects, we would like to extend our sincere thanks to Dr. Logar. We have gained valuable knowledge and skills relevant to being a software engineer in industry.

We would also like to extend our thanks to Brian Butterfield for making time for our entire class. His presentations provided excellent insight into the workings of a real-world company, and his examples tied in to the course material very well.

## Supporting Materials

No supporting materials.

# Industrial Experience

The following pages are the resumes for the members of Latex Samurai.

## 10.4 Resumes

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## Education

*South Dakota School of Mines & Technology (Class of 2015)*

**3.19 GPA**

Earning BS in **Computer Science**

Programming Experience: C/C++, Visual Basic, Assembly Language (AVR), Java, PHP, Python

SDSMT Orchestra 2<sup>nd</sup> Violin Section Leader

KTEQ DJ on [kteq.org](http://kteq.org)

KTEQ Assistant Station Engineer

## Computer Science Experience

*Software development tools:*

*Profiling tools (**gprof**), debuggers (**gdb**, **Valgrind**), Experience in coding both in Linux and Windows (**gedit**, **VIM**, **Visual Studios**), Code optimization and algorithm analysis timings and simulations, version control (**SVN**, **Eclipse**) NASA Integrated Test and Operations Systems (**ITOS**), NASA Core Flight Software system (**CFS**).*

## Employment Experience

### **NASA Johnson Space Center, Houston, TX (January 2013 – April 2013)**

*JSC Spacecraft Software Engineering Branch.*

*Member of the Cabin Flight Software Team responsible for designing and developing the Core Flight Software (CFS) system that controls the 2B version of the Multi-Mission Space Exploration Vehicle (MMSEV) cabin.*

- Developed a ground display for monitoring MMSEV Thruster firing activity.
- Developed a CFS application for interfacing with the MMSEV Potable Water System (PWS) through a Web Relay connection.
- Assembled and tested the initial On-Board Display Hardware configuration that supports the software test environment.

*Member of the Active Debris Removal (ADR) Software Team designing and developing the software system that controls and integrates the components of a prototype vehicle designed to identify and capture orbital debris.*

- Modified the existing software load (C code) to increase efficiency of IMU and pressure transducer processing.
- Wrote software to cyclically log time-tagged test data for post-test analysis.

### **Target, Rapid City, SD (July 2010 –Present)**

Electronics Salesperson. Utilized teamwork and technological knowledge to drive sales.

### **Black Hills Symphony Orchestra, Rapid City, SD (Fall 2008 –Present)**

2nd Violinist. Started out 10th chair, recently promoted to 4th chair. Attend weekly rehearsals for the 5 symphony concerts each year.

**References Available on request.**

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## OBJECTIVE

To obtain an internship in Fall 2014/Spring 2015

## EDUCATION

**Student, South Dakota School of Mines and Technology, 3.2 GPA**

September 2011-present

**Computer Science Major, Expected to Graduate May 2015**

**Diploma, Rapid City Stevens High School**

May 2011

Fluent in: C/C++/C#, Python, Java, Assembly Language, QT, Lisp, MySQL

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

- Fall Semester Dean's List, SDSM&T 2011
- Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society 2012
- Stevens Honor Roll, eight semesters 2007-2011
- National Honor Society 2010-2011

## ACTIVITIES

- Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity 2013-present
- KTEQ Assistant Station Manager 2012-present
- SDSM&T Orchestra 2011-present
- Black Hills Symphony Orchestra 2007-present

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**NASA Journey into Space Intern**

2013-present

**The Journey Museum, Rapid City**

- Assist with youth education programs, run and program the planetarium software

**Halberstadt's Men's Clothiers**

2013-present

- Salesperson

**Camp Chaperone**

Summers 2012, 2013

**SDSM&T Youth Programs**

- Chaperoned science and engineering camps for middle and high school students

**SDSM&T Foundation Phonathon**

2011, 2012

- Call SDSM&T alumni, recorded pledges and donations, kept records

**Teacher Aide**

Fall 2011 and Spring 2012

**SDSM&T Science Series**

- Assisted with weekly lessons

**Private Tutor**

2010-2012

- Taught private bass lessons to middle and high school students

**Camp Counselor**

Summers 2009 and 2010

**Camp Invention, SDSM&T**

- Helped prepare materials for classes
- Supervised elementary school students

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## **Education**

South Dakota School of Mines and Technology (SDSM&T), Rapid City, SD

- B.S. Computer Science and Minor in Mathematics
- Expected Graduation Date: May 2015

## **Experience**

### **EchoStar Corporation**

- Engineering Intern (Summer 2013)
  - Wrote code for VOD (Video On Demand) system

### **South Dakota School of Mines and Technology**

- SDSM&T Cultural Presenter (2009-Present)
  - Develop and present items on cultural diversity for various groups in Rapid City, SD
- Rapid City Public Library Volunteer (2009-2010)
- SDSM&T Summer Youth Programs
  - Counselor (2011-2012)
- Tech Learning Center
  - Academic Tutor (Fall 2011)
- SDSM&T Math Department
  - Academic/Secretary Assistant (Spring- 2012)

## **Skills**

Languages: C/C++, Scala, Python, MySQL, Common Lisp

IDE's: Visual Studio, Eclipse, QT Creator, Vim, gedit

Others: Linux, Windows, Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Tetra-lingual (English, Persian, Hindi/Urdu, Pashto)

## **Activities**

Professional Development Team (2013-Present)

Circle K (CKI) (2012-Present)

International Students Fellowship (ISI) (2010-Present)

## **References**

Available upon request



## Bibliography

No sources cited.