

# **Data Communications**

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# Introduction

Goal - Provide an API to be used with mobile devices and Microsoft Kinect to transmit data to a cloud based database running MySQL

# Motivation

- Need to transmit data from device to cloud
- Security
- Reliable

# Related work

- MySQL connectors
- HTTPS security

# Approach

Provide the following

- Authentication
- Insert data into the database
- Guaranteed arrival

# Evaluation

- Connection reliability
- Failover for bad connections

# Timeline

Date	Development Timeline			
	Goal(s)	Responsibility		
Week 1	<b>Project Management</b> Determine methods of communications. Setup GitHub Repository	<i>All</i>	Week 6	<b>Read function</b> Implement method to read data from the database <i>Morris</i>
Week 2	<b>API Design</b> Determine the different function calls for the API and their requirements	<i>All</i>	Week 7	<b>Validity testing</b> Evaluate the API for data reliability requirements <i>All</i>
Week 3	<b>User Authentication</b> Create methods to authenticate against the cloud database	<i>Morris</i>	Week 8	<b>User testing</b> Have the team evaluate the API for usage <i>All</i>
Week 4	<b>Buffer design</b> Develop the buffer to handle the queuing of actions and implement	<i>Saari</i>	Week 9	<b>Feedback</b> Based on feed back from user testing adjust API and add functionality <i>All</i>
Week 5	<b>Insert function</b> Implement method to add data to database through buffer	<i>Saari</i>	Week 10	<b>Completion</b> Polish API. Address any additional requirements for release <i>All</i>