# INF 112 OBLIG 2 GROUP 6



**TEAM PRESENTATION** 

## Introducing the TEAM

### Team members and roles:

- Sverre test manager
- Loc code monkey
- Benjamin diagram master
- Eirik graphics manager
- Stian version control manager
- Vegard documentation manager
- Robin G code monkey
- Robin E test manager

## **Group**meetings

### **Meeting schedule**

- Tuesdays, 12:15-14:00
- Thursdays, 14:15-16:00

### **Meeting structure**

- Attendance
- Pre-meeting catchup
- Main topic
- Meeting review
- Conclusion

... in theory.

## Process and tools

### Communication

- Initially: Facebook Messenger
- · Later: Discord
  - Channels
  - Notifications

### **Tools**

- Internal documents: Markdown (simple)
- Official documents: LaTeX
- Documentation: JavaDoc
- Testing: Junit
- Project tasklist: Trello
- Version control: Git

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The Bad

- Communication trouble
- Hard to keep focused, subgroups
- Difficult to distribute tasks

### CHALLENGES now and in the future



### **FEATURE CREEP**

**ISSUE**: Wasting time on irrelevant features

### **CHALLENGES FACED:**

A lot of feature ideas were suggested early on that would waste time and resources

**SOLUTION**: Incremental work process, focus on essentials (sprints)



### **BAD TIME ESTIMATION**

**ISSUE**: Difficult to predict how long things take

### CHALLENGES FACED:

Occasional overoptimism about how fast we could produce certain deliverables (ex: product spec.)

**SOLUTION**: Frequent meetings for schedule drift correction, communication



### CHALLENGES now and in the future



### **INTEGRATION ISSUES**

**ISSUE**: Hard to integrate separate parts as a consistent whole

### **CHALLENGES FACED:**

Hard to compose unified documents from separate pieces

**SOLUTION**: Specify the interfaces and requirements ahead of time



### **COMPETENCE LOSS**

**ISSUE**: May lose core competence temporarily or wholly

### CHALLENGES FACED:

Some team members could occasionally not make the meetings

### **SOLUTION**:

Communication, competence redundancy



### Retrospective

### Results of this project

- Meeting/communication organization
- Role distribution
- Tools for later iterations chosen
- General project plan
- Deliverables

### In retrospect...

- Minutes "Meeting review" section
  - Recurring: focus
- Meeting discussion transition:
   wide → narrow
- Deliverables: abstract → concrete

### In conclusion:

- · Group has largely been experimenting
- Process has changed a lot in a short space of time
- This is a starting point

### THANK YOU