

Reflection Document

What was easy?

- Working as a team
- Delegating task

What we found hard?

- Finding reliable report data
 - o Information and statistics about Christmas trees wasn't readily available, but also once we managed to find some data it wasn't necessarily from a reliable source.
- Managing client expectations
 - o At the beginning suggestions were made both by us and the client as to possible implementations, such as hashing passwords. These suggestions were quickly accepted by us, however, it would have been a more sensible idea to take the suggestions away and think about how we could implement them before telling the client. This would have saved us some time and helped us be able to prioritise.
 - o Also, in terms of MoSCoW, it wasn't possible to complete all of them in the timeframe given. It was important for the client to know that we wanted to complete the musts to a high standard before moving on to the others.

What went well?

- Delegated tasks to each team member based on skills
 - o There were very clear strengths in each person in the team which helped with delegation. We then were able to lead our own sections rather than having an overall leader, which worked well for us as a team.
- Communication
 - o We had scrum meetings twice a day, one in the morning and another after lunch in order to see where everyone was up to. This helped keep everyone aware of the completed and remaining tasks.
 - o Also whenever anyone was struggling with any part of the project, there was no shortage in help for the rest of the team.
- Completed the must tasks
 - o Although we ran into some errors along the way, we felt as a team we were able to complete the must tasks to a good standard.

Given more time what would you do to improve your solution?

- Complete all the MoSCoW tasks.
- Consider functionality to improve the MosCoW tasks we did complete, for example, allowing users to select trees for date ranges based on availability.