

Project Statement for Milestone 1

(optional) You (team) name

Team member names

In this report you should prepare a brief summary of your project. Includes: (1) project name and problem statement, goal you want to achieve, (2) datasets and tools you will be using. Initial experimental plan. (3) Timetable of your own.

Part 1: Project description.

1. Problem statement: Give a formal description of the project. Answer the following questions:
 - a. What's the input and output of the problem?
 - b. Why the problem you want to address is important? What's the application?
 - c. Why it is hard? Where is the challenge?
 - d. Specify the goal you want to achieve (a new problem, improvement for algorithms, and/or a thorough experimental evaluation of existing algorithms).
 - e. Your team: how many students? You should give a justification on each team members' responsibility: who solves what sub-problems in question d.
2. Datasets and tools:
 - a. Give the link and description of the dataset.
 - b. Briefly state what tools you will be using to parse the data, data models you want to select.
 - c. A progress report: what have you done for preparing the data sets? What's your plan for Milestone 2?
3. A specified timetable for your Milestones matching the project description. At this stage, a rough estimation for your tasks is fine. But it should match the schedule giving on the course schedule – no later than the report time of each milestones.