

**Assignment #5**  
***ECE 422C (Prof. Edison Thomaz) - The University of Texas at Austin – Fall 2022***

Due Date: November 15th 2022 (See instructions for getting credit to this assignment below)

### **General Assignment Requirements**

The purpose of this assignment is to use Java Socket Programming to build on the Mastermind board game from Assignment 2 with networking capabilities. You are free to use whatever classes and methods from the Java 8 library you wish. You may not use non-standard library features. We are providing you some sample code to start with.

In this assignment, you are asked to implement a game room application with both Server and Client. You should use Java Socket for network communication. You should design your application using OOP principles and the game requirements from Assignment 2.

**Server:** The server is responsible for receiving guesses from clients and dispatching responses to appropriate clients. The server is responsible for generating the secret code. The server should support multiple clients. You just need one server; call the main class of the server `ServerMain.java`. Make sure that `ServerMain.java` has a `main()` method.

**Client:** Clients submit guesses to the server and receive a message in return. The client that is the first to guess correctly is declared the winner of the game. Make sure that you have a `ClientMain.java` file with a `main()` method in it.

### **Submission and grading**

Name of zip file: `Assignment_5_UTEID.zip`

Put your code in a package named `assignment_5`, zip all your files and name the zip file as `Assignment_5_UTEID.zip`. Do not turn in your test code. Please make sure that the structure of the final zip is as follows, when unzipped:

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Assignment_5_UTEID/  
  README.pdf  
  <other non-code files>  
  <executable jar files for server and client>  
  src/  
    ServerMain.java  
    ClientMain.java  
    <other code files>
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To get credit for this assignment, you will need to meet with the TAs on one of the following days: November 10, 16, 17, or 18. We will provide you with a Google Sheets link so you can claim a

day and time slot. If you cannot meet with one of the TAs during recitation, schedule a time with them individually to show your working application. We will ask you to demo your implementation with at least 2 clients. When meeting with the TA, be prepared to show the source code of your application and answer questions about your design and implementation choices.