## Work on projects

To be concrete, the instructions below are given for the case of prep1 and for the Windows-WSL-Ubuntu setup. The other project in the course is prep2. The same instructions also hold for the MacOS-Homebrew setup after the changes:

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Command Palette: (Ctrl+Shift+P) -> (Cmd+Shift+P).

Build a project: (Shift+F7) -> (Shift+Fn+F7).

Run a project: (Shift+F5) -> (Shift+Fn+F5).

Debug a project: (Ctrl+F5) -> (Ctrl+Fn+F5).
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## Installation of project prep1

- 1. Download file prep1.zip.
- 2. Extract the contents of the file to directory Vega\VegaP. Check that you get the directory tree as Vega:\VegaP\prep1 (not as Vega:\VegaP\vegaP\prep1).
- 3. Open folder \VegaP with VS Code. Open file \VegaP\CMakeLists.txt. This is the same file where you wrote your "YOUR\_ID" while installing the course package. Uncomment line

```
# add_subdirectory(prep1)
that is, remove #.
```

4. Configure the project with (Ctrl+Shift+P) and (CMake:Configure) and then build it with (Shift+F7). You will see the error messages like:

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... Linking CXX executable prep1
...
[build] Build finished with exit code 2
These errors occur because the functions declared in header file
\VegaP\prep1\prep1\prep1.hpp have not been implemented yet.
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- 5. The documentation for these functions is provided in two places:
  - (a) in file prep1.pdf;
  - (b) in directory \build\doc\prep1\html created as part of the previous step. Click on any \*.html file.

6. Create \*.cpp files (one per problem) in directory \VegaP\prep1\Src and implement the requested functions. To make your code to look nice, it is a good idea to run for each of your \*.cpp files the format commands:

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(Ctrl+Shift+I): Windows-WSL or Ubuntu. (Shift+Alt+F): Mac OS.
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- 7. Configure with (Ctrl+Shift+P) and (CMake:Configure), compile with (Shift+F7), and run the project with (Ctrl+F5) or (Shift+F5).
- 8. If everything works fine, then file prep1.txt will be created in directory Vega\build\output\prep1. Check that "YOUR\_ID" appears on the first line.

Hint. A good way to start your work is to return the default constructor of std::function<double(double)> for every function in the project. For instance, the initial implementation for vega::discountNelsonSiegel looks like

Do such implementation for *every* function in the project. You will be able to run the project and get the output file prep1.txt. The column of the results will contain only zeros. Now you need to start thinking about algorithms . . . .