Team Contract

Team Members:

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Goals:

- 1. What are the goals of the team?
- Get an A;
- Good communication and distribute workload equally;
- Pursue Best Feature Extension Award Possible Graphics appearing on the screen.
- 2. What happens if all of you decide you want to get an A grade, but because of time constraints, one person decides that a B will be acceptable?
- The members that still decide to get an A get together and increase their workload towards an A.

Meeting Norms:

- 1. Do you have a preference for when meetings will be held? Do you have a preference for where they should be held?
- Where: Our meetings will be held at the Student's Center
- When: weekend afternoons + recitations + lectures + (at least one weekday per week after 7:30PM)
- 2. How will you use the in-class time?
- We will use the in-class time mainly to code! We might also resolve any design discrepancies or conflicts.
- 3. How will you record and distribute the minutes and action lists produced by each meeting
- Action lists will be kept in its own document.

Work norms:

- 1. How much time per week do you anticipate it will take to make the project successful?
- Individually: 10 hours.
- 2. How will work be distributed?
- By the action lists produced at meetings, assigning specific tasks to specific people.
- 3. How will deadlines be set?
- Whenever one gets an assignment, he needs to get a deadline as well.

- 4. How will you decide who should do which tasks?
- By volunteering themselves to tasks.
- 5. Where will you record who is responsible for which tasks?
- Each action will have a person + a deadline + a task.
- 6. What will happen if someone does not follow through on a commitment (e.g., missing a deadline, not showing up to meetings)?
- We can avoid that by emailing or texting before meetings. If someone gets stuck on a specific problem, the person should email the group asking for help as soon as possible.
- 7. How will the work be reviewed?
- Code review: core parts (eg the grammar or the lexer) must be code reviewed; we also want to make sure to implement unit tests (and get the maximum test coverage).
- 8. What happens if people have different opinions on the quality of the work?
- Specific problems need to be stated and discussed during the meetings.
- 9. What will you do if one or more team members are not doing their share of the work?
- If we can't resolve it by ourselves, we should bring it to the TA.
- 10. How will you deal with different work habits of individual team members (e.g., some people like to get assignments done as early as possible; others like to work under the pressure of a deadline)?
- We will have short deadlines, so that the group can advance to the next part of the project always.

Decision Making:

- 1. Do you need consensus (100% approval of all team members) before making a decision?
- Decisions will be done at the meetings, and should be unanimous unless people can't have a consensus after 15min at that point, majority rules.
- 2. What will you do if one of you fixates on a particular idea?
- If one of us fixates on a specific idea, then this person should code it!