

Project 1 Write-Up

Meeting 1

September 6, 2019

In class

All members present

- Talked about programming language
- Plans for learning or importing graphics
- Planned on meetings for different aspects of the game
- Planned on meeting places

Meeting 2

September 9, 2019

In class

All members present

- Decided meeting times and place
 - T Lab time
 - W 11:50- 12:50
 - Th 12:15
- Classes
 - Board
 - Players
 - Main

Meeting 3

September 10, 2019

In Lab

Brandon, Justin, Hunter

- Drew up general outline of game
- Begin implementation of base parts of the game
 - Set up board class
 - Hunter
 - Set up ship.h need methods
 - Brandon
 - Planned player class

Meeting 4

September 12, 2019

1005B (Eaton)

- Indentation Standard: On next line of function
- Discussed classes and objects
- Game manager class
 - Handles whose turn it is
 - Handles game settings - Number of ships
 - Creates Player objects

Meeting 5

September 13, 2019

Eaton 2

All members present

- Talked about github with Gibbons
- Discussed system for placing ships
 - XY coords given
 - Vertical/Horizontal orientations
- Doxygen
- William - Game manager class
- Ship class mostly done

Meeting 6

September 16, 2019

In class

All members present

- Talked about changes to player class
- Talked about the next steps to take for the project
 - Get ships on the board and then keep track

Meeting 7

September 18, 2019

In class

All members

- Talked about changes for the program
- Talked about we needed to do error catching
- Testing date saturday

- Decided on meeting dates for final stretch of project

Description on how work was split between teammates

- Work was split at the beginning on who would work on what low level class. Larger classes were collaborated on.
- Error checking was a whole team effort
- Most work was error checking and bug fixing rather than feature implementation

Challenges and how they were overcome or dealt with

- Segfaults
 - Error checking
 - Keeping track of errors on paper and communicating unfixed errors to other teammates to fix
- Maintaining coding standards

Any features that did not make the demo version

- Better UI
 - Ran out of time to complete UI outside of terminal
- Graphics
- Sound

Retrospective on what the team would have done different

- More Planned team meetings and more direct/centralized communication on errors and layout of project.
 - Planned meetings on paper would be best to fix this.
 - Using software to keep track of changes would help overall group editing of project.
- Better planning of overall project and who will make what class/feature
- Better documentation of all group meetings. A few meetings between not entire team were forgotten to be added to meeting doc.
- Different coding language for this type of project. c++ is hard to create a UI