Research Project HW-2: Research Mid-point Check
due April 11 (Wed) in class

Instructions:

In this homework, you and your partner will collaborate for a presentation to report the progress of your research. The presentation should contain:

1. problem statement: explain what is the goal of your research project and why this problem is important/interesting to you?

2. the key idea(s): explain what are your key research ideas

3. what you have done: report the steps taken and findings if any

4. challenges, questions and discussions: present your challenges and ask questions

5. plan and expected outcomes: present the future work and timeline as well as the expected outcomes

This homework accounts for 7% of the final grade. The grading criteria are:

1. problem statement (1%): is the problem clearly stated and well scoped?

2. the key idea(s) (2%): are the ideas novel and potentially feasible?

3. what you have done (2%): have you made some progresses? is this a right direction?

4. challenges, questions and discussions (1%): are you asking interesting and challenging questions?

5. plan and expected outcomes (1%): is the plan feasible? Are the expected outcomes significant and likely to be achieved?