Mini-Project Proposal (5%)

- **Guideline for Topics**
  - ▶ Most Desirable : **A case study** where you show how you apply the methodologies in the course to your **real** research problems. In this case, the problem must be concrete and specific one. **Survey style project is not allowed**.
  - ▶ Vey Desirable : Bring up **one of research papers in your area**, which must be closely related to the course. If not relevant enough, **proposals will be rejected** and you will be pointed to the alternative topics.
  - ▶ Very Desirable : Choose one of the **alternative topics on the moodle**. In this case, in order to avoid overlapping of topics, choose a **secondary topic**. You are supposed to explain only the first topic in the proposal but you should indicate the title of the second one.

- **Content**
  - ▶ One page description of the project by the designated deadline
  - ▶ Summarize the paper, clarify your goal and evaluation method (i.e., methodologies)

Mini-Project Presentation (25%)

■ **Duration of each talk**

  ▶ 20-30 min (including a few questions from the audience)

■ **Those who cannot attend the planned presentation** must present their talks in the last lecture (right after the lecture)

■ Grading

  ▶ Does it provide a good example of the methodologies in the course?

  ▶ Is the talk presented in a clear and understandable way?

  ▶ Is the talk beneficial to the audience?

  ▶ Grades: A (Excellent), B (Good), C (Dissatisfactory)

Mini-Project Report (20%)

- Grading
  - Does it provide a good example of the methodologies in the course?
  - Is the report written in a clear and understandable way?
  - Are there some interesting and remarkable findings or observations?
  - Does the student fully understand the content of the paper?

  - Grades: A (Excellent), B (Good), C (Dissatisfactory)