

Feature Sponsoring Contract

A2 Nickname / call sign: _____

In this contract, one team promises bonus points to support a user-facing feature in another team's project. The sponsored team develops the feature in its own codebase. The sponsoring team receives no ownership of the result, but confirms completion using the conditions recorded below.

1. Teams

B1 Sponsoring team: _____

B2 Sponsoring team's course section: _____

B3 Sponsored team: _____

B4 Sponsored team's course section: _____

2. Starting artifact

The contract must point to an existing user-facing feature issue and an exact version of the project.

C1 ☐ Sponsored feature issue: issue number _____
This issue describes the feature that the sponsored team promises to implement.

C2 GitLab project path or repository URL suffix: _____

C3 ☐ Starting commit: _____
Use the commit hash that identifies the code before implementation begins.

C4 ☐ Starting tag or release: _____
Use this instead of a commit when the project has a clear tag or release.

C5 Other starting artifact or clarification:

3. Promised feature

Only a user-facing feature can be sponsored. A user must be able to directly see, use, or experience the promised change. Technical or internal work requires a different contract type.

D1 ☐ New user-visible feature: _____
The project will gain a new function that a user can directly use or observe.

D2 ☐ User-facing improvement to an existing feature: _____
A user will directly experience how an existing function becomes more useful, complete, reliable, or convenient.

D3 Target users: _____
Name the people who will use or experience the feature.

D4 Direct benefit for those users: _____
State what users will be able to do, or what will become easier or better for them.

D5 Short description of the promised result:

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Tutor fills this in

4. Scope and boundaries

E1 Included in the contract:

E2 Explicitly not included:

5. Acceptance checks

Select the checks that the sponsoring team will use to confirm completion.

F1 ☐ Acceptance conditions in the sponsored issue

Identify the exact section or comments that contain the conditions to be checked.

F1a Issue section, heading, or comment references: _____

F2 ☐ Working demonstration

State where the feature will run, what the team will do, and what the sponsor should observe.

F2a Environment: _____

F2b Steps and expected result: _____

F3 ☐ Automated tests pass

Identify the exact test files, test suite, pipeline job, or command that must pass.

F3a Tests or command: _____

F4 ☐ Manual scenarios pass

Identify the exact scenarios and state what should happen in each of them.

F4a Scenario references or steps: _____

F4b Expected results: _____

F5 Concrete acceptance scenarios, expected results, or other checks:

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6. Quality expectations

Only checked expectations are part of this contract.

G1 ☐ The project builds and runs using its documented process.

Another developer should be able to check the result by following the project instructions.

G2 ☐ Relevant tests are added or updated.

The tests should check the new behaviour and help detect later regressions.

G3 ☐ User documentation is added or updated.

Users should be able to understand and use the sponsored feature.

G4 ☐ Developer documentation is added or updated.

Future developers should be able to understand important technical decisions and interfaces.

G5 ☐ Existing behaviour identified in the contract remains working.

The feature must not knowingly break the existing behaviours identified by the teams.

G6 Additional quality expectations:

7. Evidence of completion

Select the artifacts that the sponsored team must provide.

H1 ☐ **Merge request:** target project path _____

The merge request will collect the implementation and reviewable changes; its number is recorded at completion.

H2 ☐ **Test results:** planned file, pipeline, or issue location _____

State where the team will store evidence showing which tests ran and what their results were.

H3 ☐ **Documentation:** planned file or documentation location _____

State where the user documentation for the feature will be stored.

H4 ☐ **Demonstration during class**

The sponsored team will show the working result as part of the completion process.

H5 Other required evidence:

8. Points and deadline

I1 Offered bonus points: _____

I2 Fixed completion deadline: _____

The deadline cannot be changed after the tutor approves and signs this contract.

9. Additional conditions

J1 Record any agreed condition not covered above. An added condition must not contradict a checked item.

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10. Agreement

By signing, both teams confirm that they understand and accept this contract and the general Team-to-Team Contract rules of the course. Unchecked optional items are not part of this agreement. The sponsoring team will judge completion only from the conditions recorded in this contract. This contract becomes valid only after tutor approval and signature.

Point-loss conditions

By signing, both teams confirm that they understand the following consequences:

- The deadline is fixed and cannot be changed after approval. The teams accept the risk of planning too little time for the work.
- At the first in-person class after the deadline, both teams must attend according to the course rules and present the completed completion form. If they do not, **both teams lose the number of bonus points stated in this contract.**
- If one team breaks the contract, that team pays **half of the agreed bonus points** to the other team as compensation for its time, preparation, reserved capacity, and planning.
- If the tutor identifies misuse, unethical conduct, or an inappropriate professional attitude, the tutor may terminate the contract at any time.
- Unprofessional or unethical conduct, or violation of the course contract process, may result in a deduction of up to **twice the number of bonus points stated in this contract** from either or both teams.
- Any recorded deduction is applied when the teams distribute their points during final grading. A negative team balance is a debt and cannot be ignored.

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11. Student signatures

K1 Sponsoring team

No.	Name in capital letters	Neptun code	Signature
1			
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K2 Sponsored team

No.	Name in capital letters	Neptun code	Signature
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12. Tutor approval

Tutor fills in all gray fields with the stronger border.

L1 Tutor name: _____

L2 Tutor signature: _____

L3 Date of signing: _____

L4 Place of signing: _____