

## Quiz 1 and Project Proposal Announcement

### Quiz 1

Quiz 1 will take place during part of lecture on October 10. It will test your knowledge of material from problem sets 1–3, lectures 1–10, and readings assigned in those lectures. Problems will be primarily short answer and multiple choice.

The quiz is open book and open notes. No collaboration is permitted during the quiz. We encourage you, however, to prepare for the quiz by discussing course material with your classmates. TAs are available during regular office hours to take your questions.

### Make-up quiz

We realize students will occasionally have conflicts with a quiz. Here's how we plan to manage quiz conflicts:

- You take the quiz upon return (not before).
- Following the quiz, we will administer an oral examination on the same material.

The make-up quiz is available to students with legitimate unavoidable absences. The make-up quiz is only by arrangement in advance with the 6.857 staff. You must provide a reasonable proof of a legitimate absence. Oversleeping, forgetting, not feeling ready, etc. do not qualify. If you should have a last minute emergency, a note from a dean or a doctor will suffice though.

### Term projects

It's closer than you think! Your term project proposals are due at the beginning of lecture on October 24. See the term project section of the 6.857 Web page to seed your idea generator. We have also posted links to material we think will help you.