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Reflection #8
Group Process and Class Contribution
And Grades

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As a final assignment, we ask each student to evaluate and grade the work of each team member and to reflect on their personal contributions to and learning from the group process. For the first part of this assignment, prepare a written response to the questions below on your experience as a team member. The second requirement is to complete the attached form and provide a letter grade for each team member (including yourself) and a brief comment on her/his contribution to the project. These grading sheets will be kept confidential.

Reflection on

A central part of this class was working as part of a large group of colleagues without a defined hierarchy within the group. While this group setting may not exactly represent real world work environments, planning is a collaborative field and you are likely to find yourself participating in work groups where roles and decision-making processes are fluid. Looking back on the dynamics and accomplishments of your team during the semester: (a) how would you describe your role in the team; (b) what did you contribute to the team beyond the formal work products; and (c) what helps you work most effectively within a large and complex team?