

Graded Assignment 2 - Instructions

Please read these instructions carefully.

Just before the start of the assignment

i You should be seated at the indicated seat in the room assigned to you and **ready to start working by 8h15**.

- Locate your room and find your seat (check moodle, check the listing in front of the room)
- Put your **camipro card** (or another identification document) on your table
- Start your laptop or the provided computer
 - 🚩 If you need the provided computer but it does not work, please report it as quickly as possible to the assistants.

Rules:

- The only electronic device allowed is your computer.
 - 👉 Put any electronic device other than your computer (phone, smart watch, earphones...) into your bag, and the bag on the side of the room.
 - Note: if you have your course documents on a tablet, you should transfer your documents to your computer before the assignment.
- The only notebook environment allowed is noto.
 - 👉 On your laptop or computer, make sure to close:
 - Any communication software (whatsapp, slack...)
 - Any development environment (VS Code, etc.)
 - Note: If you previously worked on VS Code, make sure to download your notebooks into [noto](#) before the start of the exam.

Beginning of the assignment

i The assignment **starts at 8h15** and you have **1h15 in total**, except special arrangements.

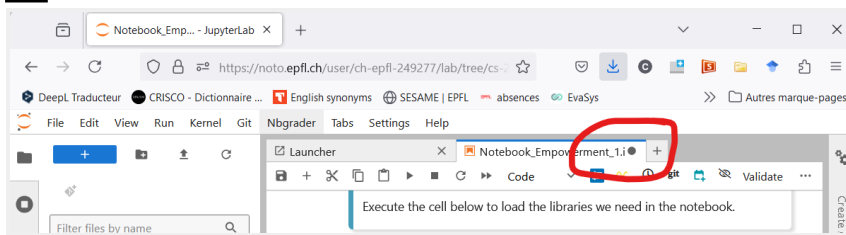
Rules:

- You **MUST** use noto, you cannot use another development environment (VS Code etc.)
- You can access all the course documents and the previous notebooks, your notes, and search the web.
- It is prohibited to use GenAI tools such as Copilot, ChatGPT, etc.
- It is prohibited to communicate with any other person, whether by electronic means or in the room.

To start the assignment:

- Open a web browser (Firefox or Chrome for instance)
- **Go to:** <https://noto.epfl.ch>
- Log in using your EPFL Gaspar account
- **Once the assignment starts** (at 8h15 on November 26, not before!), **you will see a folder called “cs-290-graded-2” into your noto workspace**
 - 🚩 If you don't see this folder in the 2-3 minutes after the assignment has started:
DO NOT refresh the page, please contact an assistant.

- Open the notebook “Graded_2.ipynb” and start to work directly into the notebook, following the instructions in the notebook
 - ⚠ Do not rename or move the notebook!
 - ⚠ Do not delete any cell!
- Make sure to **save your work regularly** either by clicking on the floppy icon () at the top of the notebook, clicking on the menu File > Save Notebook or by using the keyboard shortcut Ctrl+s.
 - ⚠ If you see a dark gray dot beside the name of the notebook it means your notebook is **not saved**



⚠ If the dot does not disappear when you save it means you probably have a technical issue with the server and you risk losing your work, please **contact an assistant (and stop working!)**.

To prevent technical issues:

- You are required to test that noto works correctly with your browser before the assignment
- Avoid opening multiple windows or tabs on noto, instead open the notebooks in 1 single window: <https://jupyterlab.readthedocs.io/en/stable/user/interface.html>
- Avoid opening more than 5 notebooks at the same time on noto
- Avoid refreshing the page multiple times
- To stop the execution of problematic code (e.g. infinite loop), closing a notebook is not sufficient, you must stop the corresponding execution kernel: <https://jupyterlab.readthedocs.io/en/stable/user/running.html>

In case of technical issue

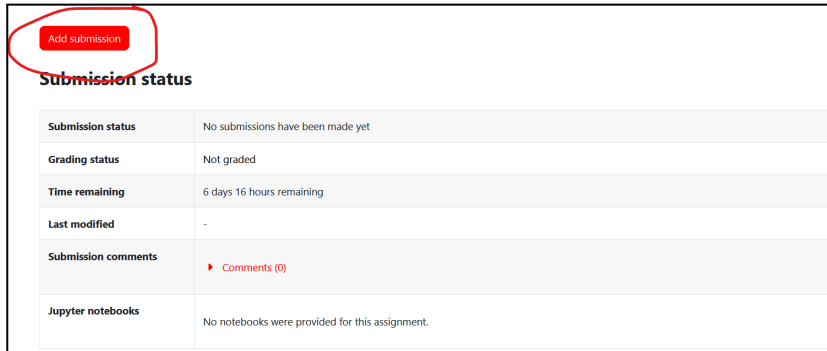
- If an error message appears (DO NOT close it - we need to see it!):
- If noto gets very slow:
- If you are not able anymore to execute cells or to save your notebook:
 - 👉 **Report it to an assistant as soon as possible**
 - Do not wait before reporting
 - Do not continue to work on the notebook - you risk losing your work! (you can continue thinking on paper in the meantime)

End of the assignment

-  You are **not allowed to leave the room before time is over**
 -  Submission time will be indicated by the assistants, normally **9h30** (i.e. you can work until 9h30 and then submit)
- You MUST submit your work before leaving the room**

Follow this procedure to submit your work:

- Make sure to **save your work in the notebook** either by clicking on the floppy icon (📁) at the top of the notebook, clicking on the menu **File > Save Notebook** or by using the keyboard shortcut **Ctrl+s**
- Go to the moodle page of the course: <https://moodle.epfl.ch/course/view.php?id=18548>
- Find the **assignment called “Submit your Graded Assignment 2”**
- Click on the button “Add submission”



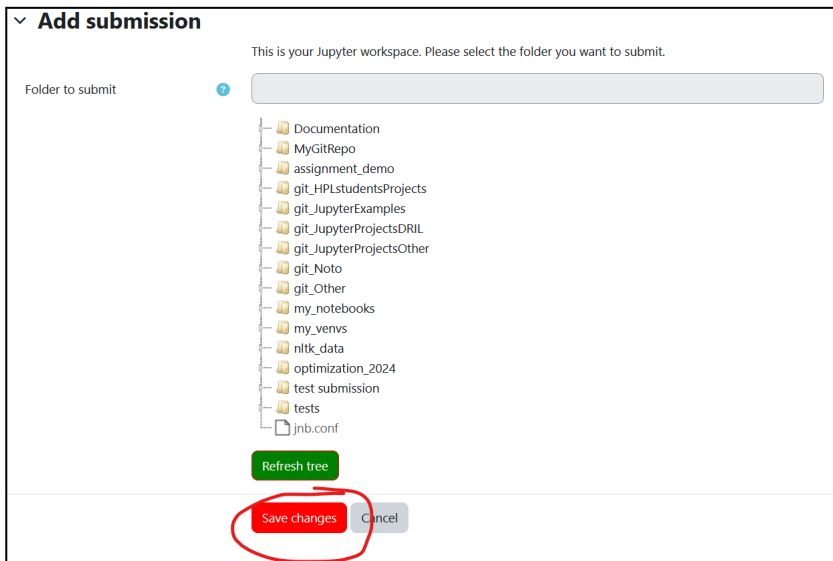
Add submission

Submission status

Submission status	No submissions have been made yet
Grading status	Not graded
Time remaining	6 days 16 hours remaining
Last modified	-
Submission comments	▶ Comments (0)
Jupyter notebooks	No notebooks were provided for this assignment.

- You should see the content of your noto workspace:
 - 👉 Select the **folder** “cs-290-graded-2” in which you have worked
 - 👉 Click on the button “Save changes”

This will make a **copy** of the folder with all its content, zip it and send it to moodle.



▼ **Add submission**

This is your Jupyter workspace. Please select the folder you want to submit.

Folder to submit

- Documentation
- MyGitRepo
- assignment_demo
- git_HPLstudentsProjects
- git_JupyterExamples
- git_JupyterProjectsDRIL
- git_JupyterProjectsOther
- git_Noto
- git_Other
- my_notebooks
- my_venvs
- nlk_data
- optimization_2024
- test submission
- tests
- jnb.conf

Refresh tree

Save changes Cancel

- You should then see a screen with a green line at the top indicating “Submitted for grading”, which indicates that the submission is successful.

Edit submission Remove submission	
Submission status	
Submission status	Submitted for grading
Grading status	Not graded
Last modified	Monday, 7 October 2024, 08:35
Submission comments	▶ Comments (0)
Jupyter notebooks	No notebooks were provided for this assignment. View submission

Note: you should just ignore the sentence "No notebooks were provided for this assignment" as it only indicates that the teacher has not provided a notebook for the assignment in moodle.

⚠ Once you have submitted your notebook to moodle, any change that you make on your notebook on noto is ignored!

If you want the changes to be taken into account for grading, you **MUST** resubmit your work - provided that time is not over and that you are still in the exam room.

If you want to check what you have submitted, you can use the link "View submission" at the bottom of the screen: This will send a **copy** of your submission back to noto.

Submission status	
Submission status	Submitted for grading
Grading status	Not graded
Last modified	Thursday, 7 November 2024, 09:56
Submission comments	▶ Comments (0)
Jupyter notebooks	No notebooks were provided for this assignment. View submission

- Select where to save this **copy** of your submission on noto
 - ⚠ Choose a folder that is **DIFFERENT** from the folder “cs-290-graded-2” in which you have worked i.e., do not put this **copy** back into its origin folder...
- Go to noto and find the folder where you have put the copy of your submission: You should see a new folder “cs-290-graded-2” with your work