

International Probabilistic Planning Competition 2011

Rules Agreement

Group name: _____

Members: _____

Institution(s): _____

IPPC 2011 Competition Rules:

1. *Your planner can only use the resources of one Amazon EC2 Standard Instance -- large; using any other computational resources is prohibited.*
 - o *Note that using both processors on your single EC2 large instance is OK.*
2. *Your Client can only maintain one connection with the Server at any time.*
3. *You are allowed to manually interact with your planner to kill it, debug errors or change parameters, and restart it.*
 - o *You are not allowed to add structured information to your planner based on your manual domain analysis, e.g., providing manually encoded rules.*
4. *You are not allowed to modify your planner after the code freeze of 23 April 2011, GMT 05:00, except in the following cases:*
 - o *Debugging to fix parser faults and bugs (poor performance is not a bug)*
 - o *Tuning the set of parameters (boolean flags, int & real-valued constants)*

On behalf of my group members, I _____ declare
(print your name)

that we followed the above IPPC 2011 rules when generating results for the final competition, with the specific exception of anything noted below. We understand that this signed agreement will be posted publicly online with the IPPC 2011 results.

(signature) (date)

Exceptions to the rules above (if any) with brief explanation:

