

## Homework #4

<b>Deadline: Monday, 25 November 2013, 11:00</b>
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**Question 1** (10 marks)

Provide a polynomial algorithm for the *necessary winner problem* for the plurality rule.

**Question 2** (10 marks)

What is the best upper bound for the compilation complexity of  $k$ -approval you are able to provide? Justify your answer.

**Question 3** (10 marks)

A *weak Condorcet winner* is a candidate that will win or draw against any other candidate in a pairwise majority contest. Show that a weak Condorcet winner always exists when voters express their preferences using the *language of single goals* introduced in the lecture on voting in combinatorial domains.