

Final Seminar

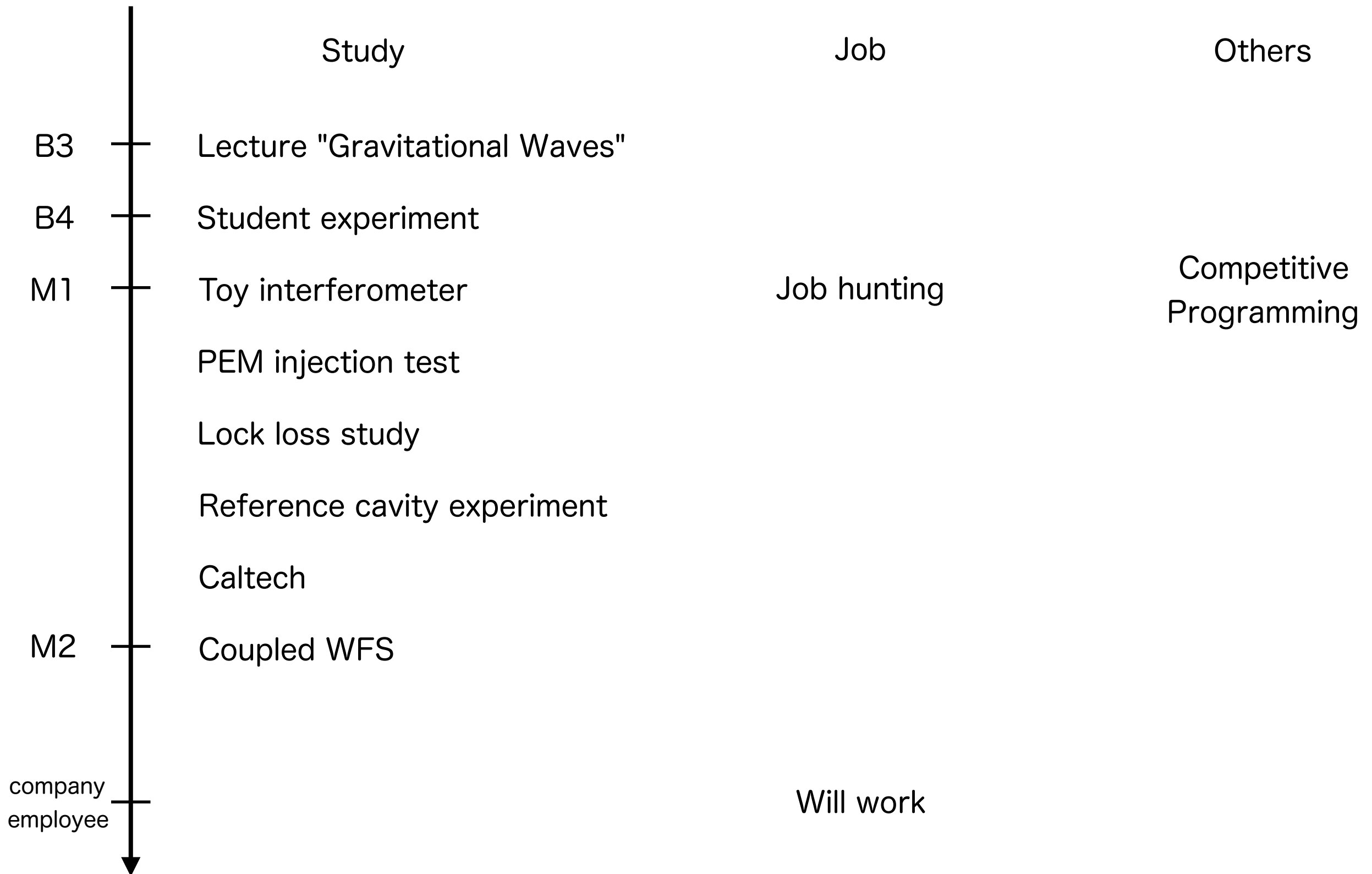
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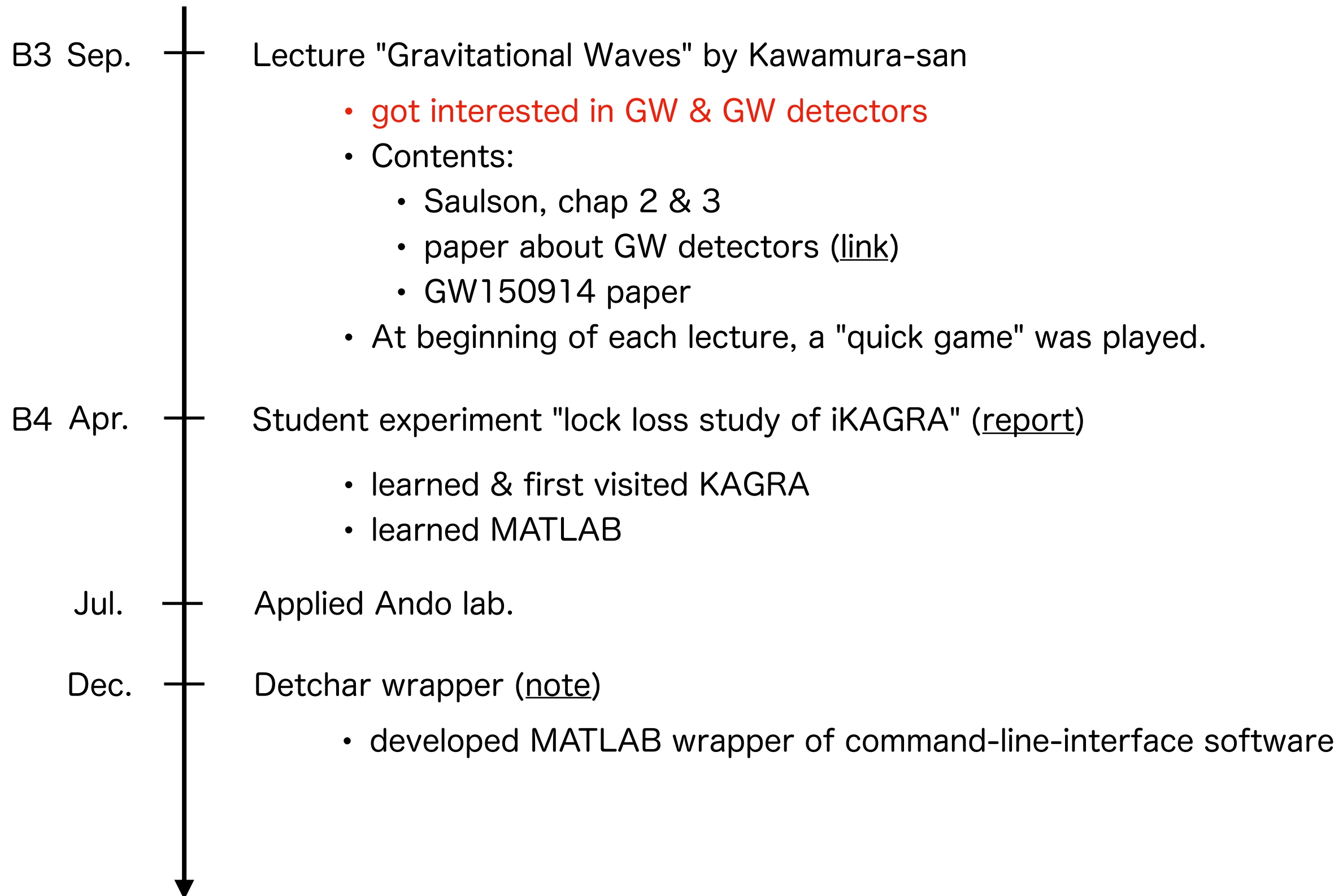
- About Study (B3 ~ M2)
- About Job
- About others



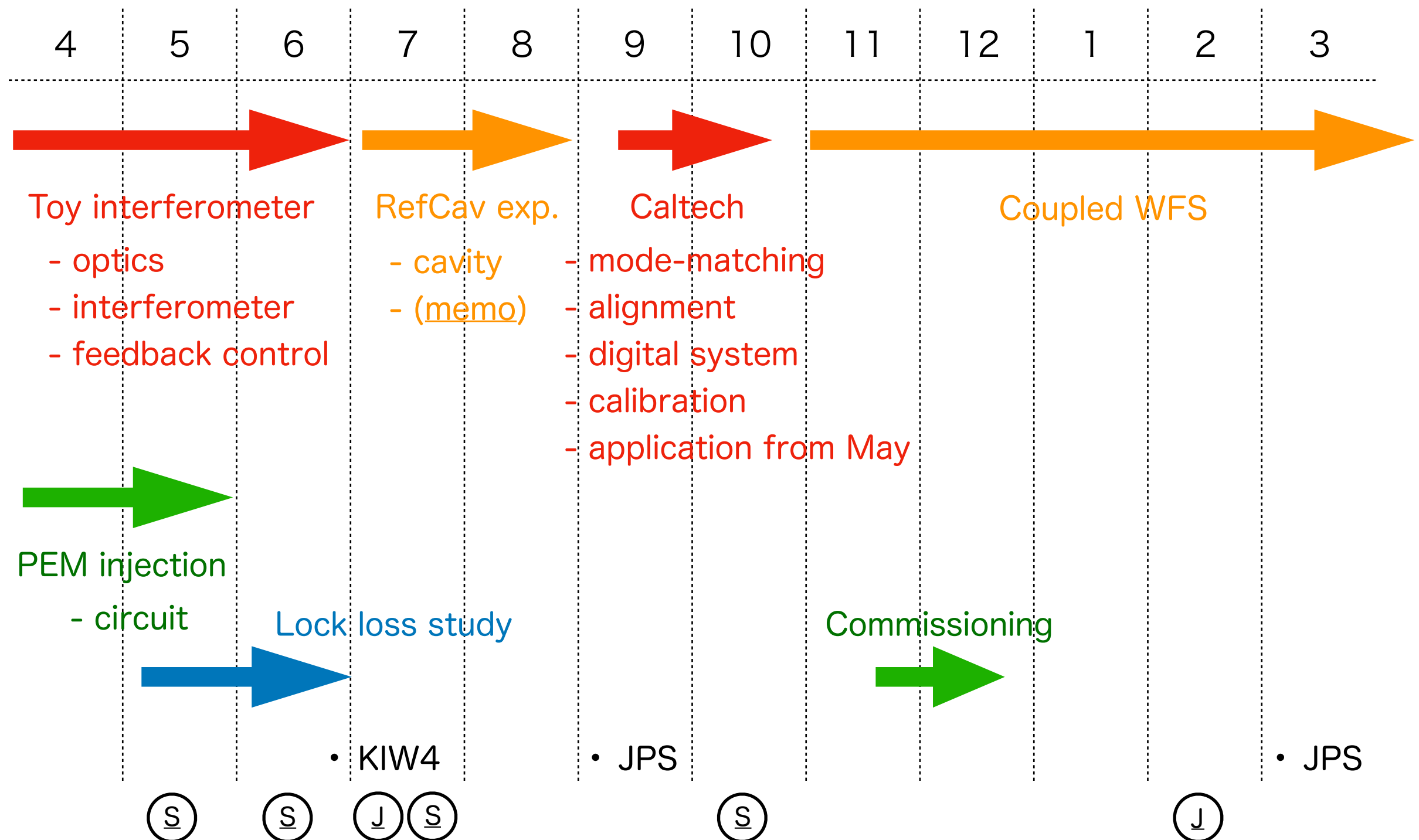
My Timeline



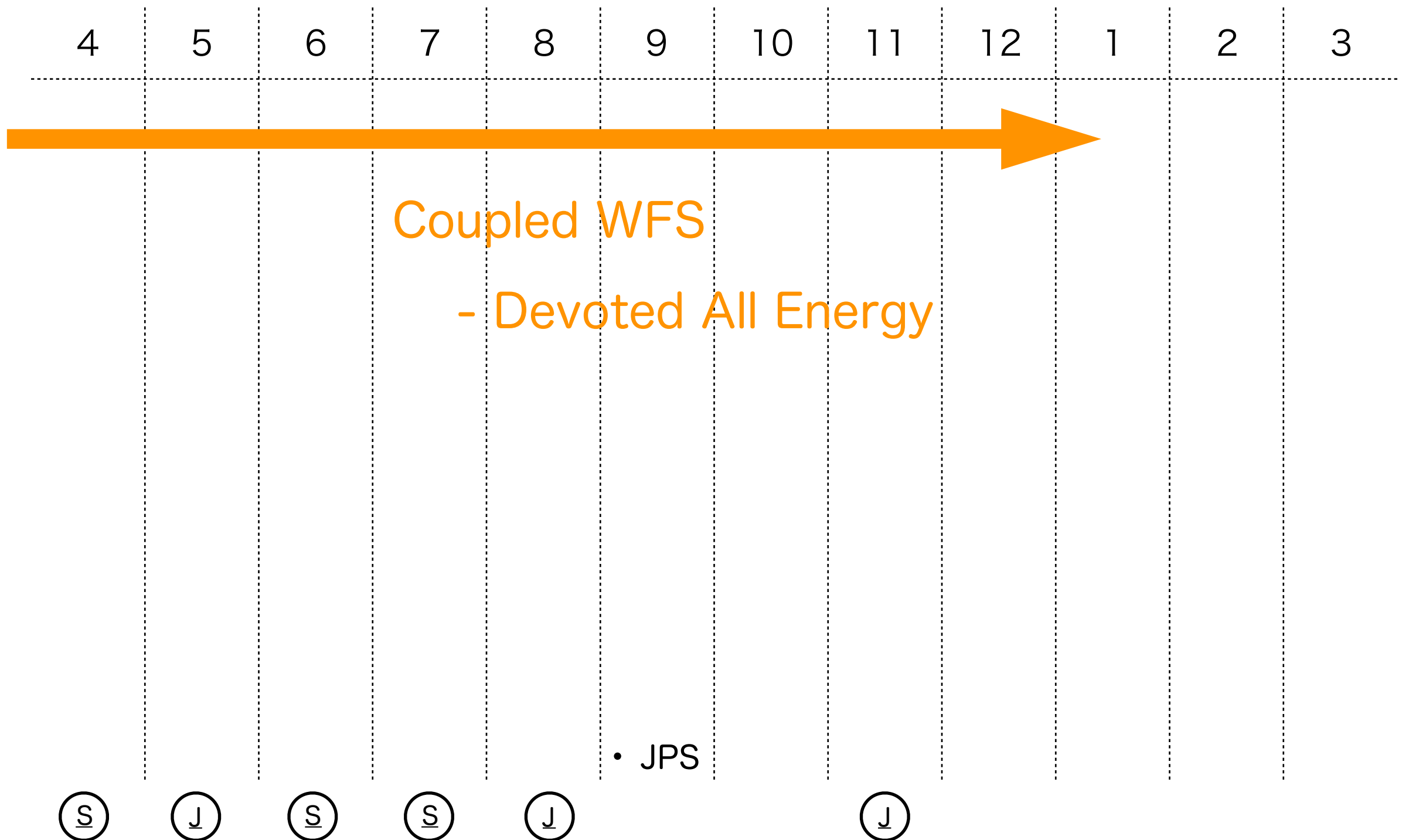
Study Timeline (B3~B4)



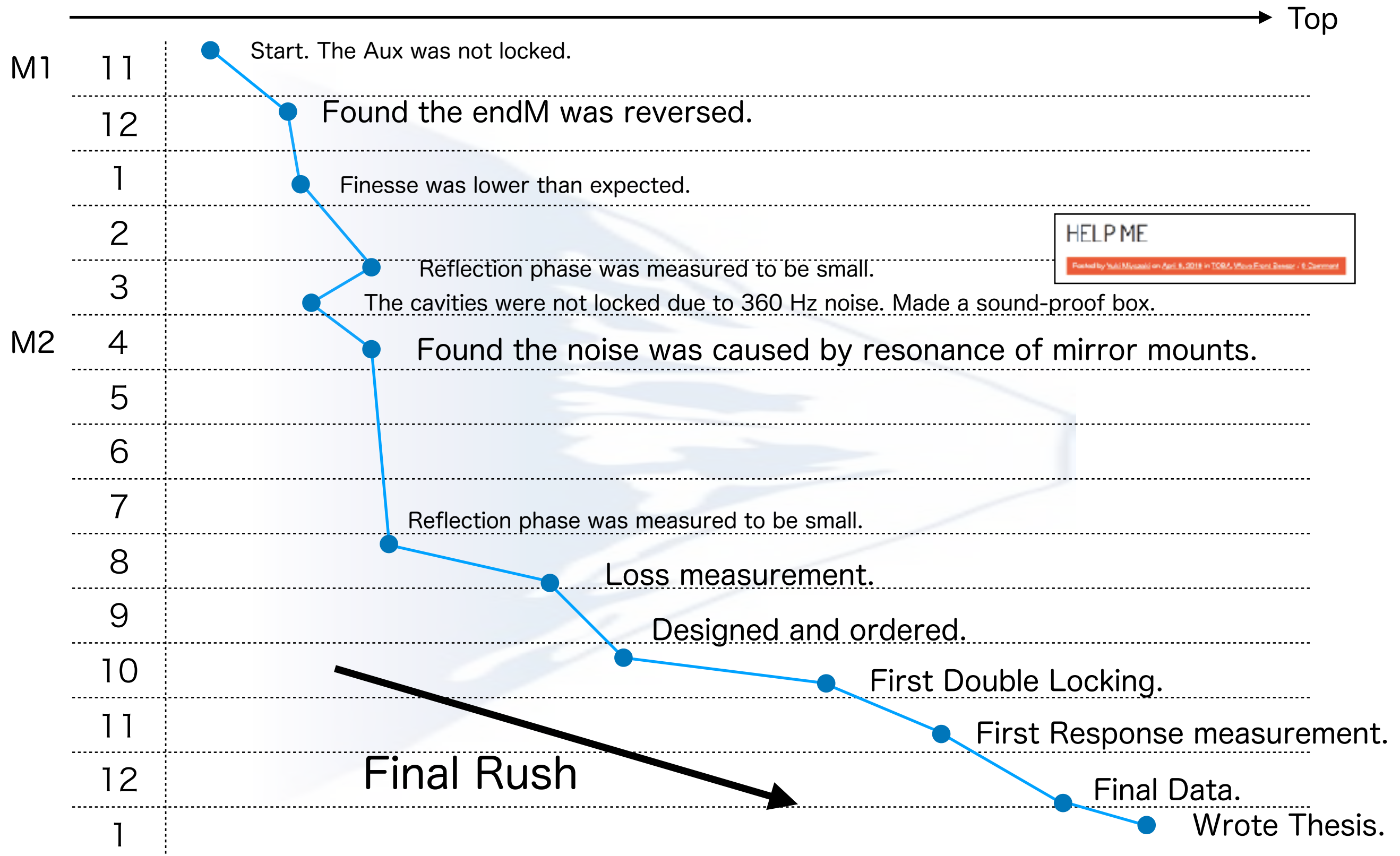
Study Timeline (M1)



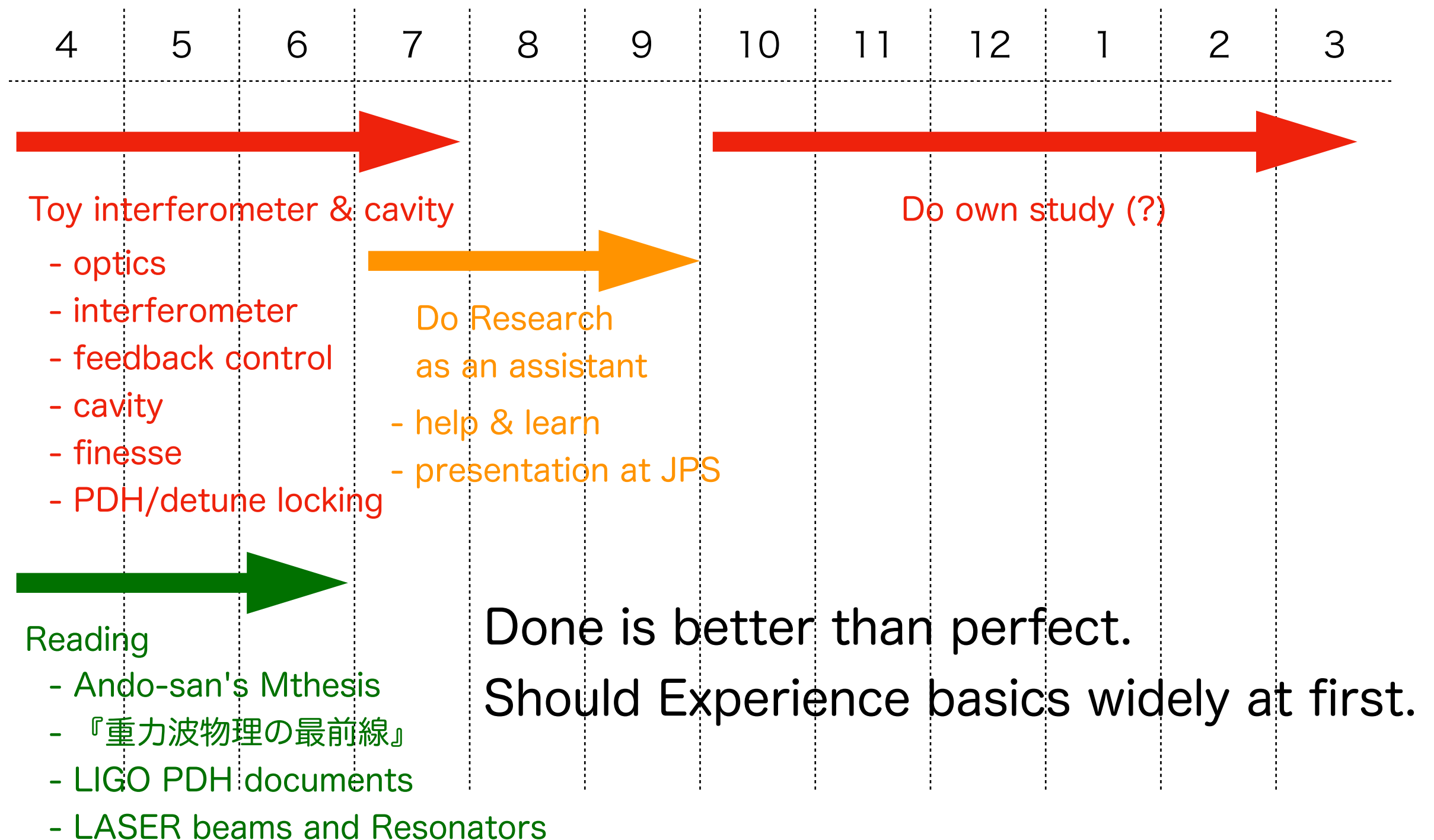
Study Timeline (M2)



Climbing of CWFS experiment



Proposal: M1 educational plan



Competitive Programming

- What's competitive programming (競技プログラミング、競プロ) ?

Example:

Problem statement:

You are given a three-digit positive integer N.

Determine whether N is a palindromic number. (回文数)

Here, a palindromic number is an integer that reads the same backward as forward in decimal notation.

Constraints:

$100 \leq N \leq 999$.

N is an integer.

Input:

Input is given from Standard Input.

(ex) 575

Time Limit:

2sec. ($\sim 10^8$ calculations)

Output:

If N is a palindromic number, print 'Yes'; otherwise, print 'No'.

(ex) Yes

Competitive Programming

Answer (C++)

```
1 int main(void) {  
2     string N;  
3     cin >> N;  
4     if (N[0] == N[2])  
5         cout << "Yes" << endl;  
6     else  
7         cout << "No" << endl;  
8     return 0;  
9 }
```

This problem is too easy for you.

Famous problems; Ants

Problem statement:

An army of ants walk on a horizontal pole of length L cm, each with a constant speed of 1 cm/s. When a walking ant reaches an end of the pole, it immediately falls off it. When two ants meet they turn back and start walking in opposite directions. We know the original positions of ants on the pole $\{x_i\}$, unfortunately, we do not know the directions in which the ants are walking. Your task is to compute the earliest and the latest possible times needed for all ants to fall off the pole.

Constrains:

$$1 \leq L \leq 10^6$$

$$1 \leq N \leq 10^6$$

$$0 \leq x_i \leq L$$

Sample Input:

$$L = 10$$

$$N = 3$$

$$x = (2, 6, 7)$$

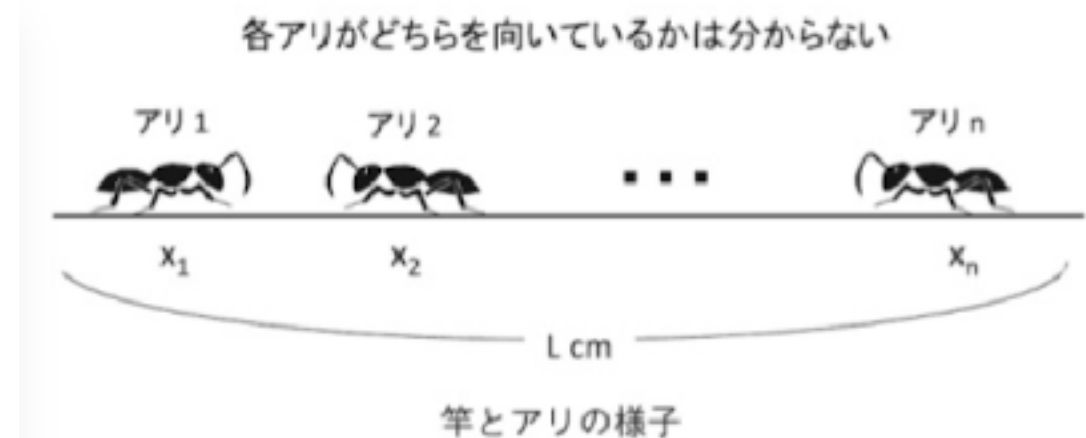
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Sample Output:

$$\text{min} = 4$$

$$\text{max} = 8$$



Ants; bad solution

Try all possibility of ants' direction

- direction of each ant: 2 ways \rightarrow all possibility: 2^N ways
- when $N=10^6$, it takes $2^{(10^6)}$ times calculations (too many)

Constrains:

$$1 \leq L \leq 10^6$$

$$1 \leq N \leq 10^6$$

$$0 \leq x_i \leq L$$

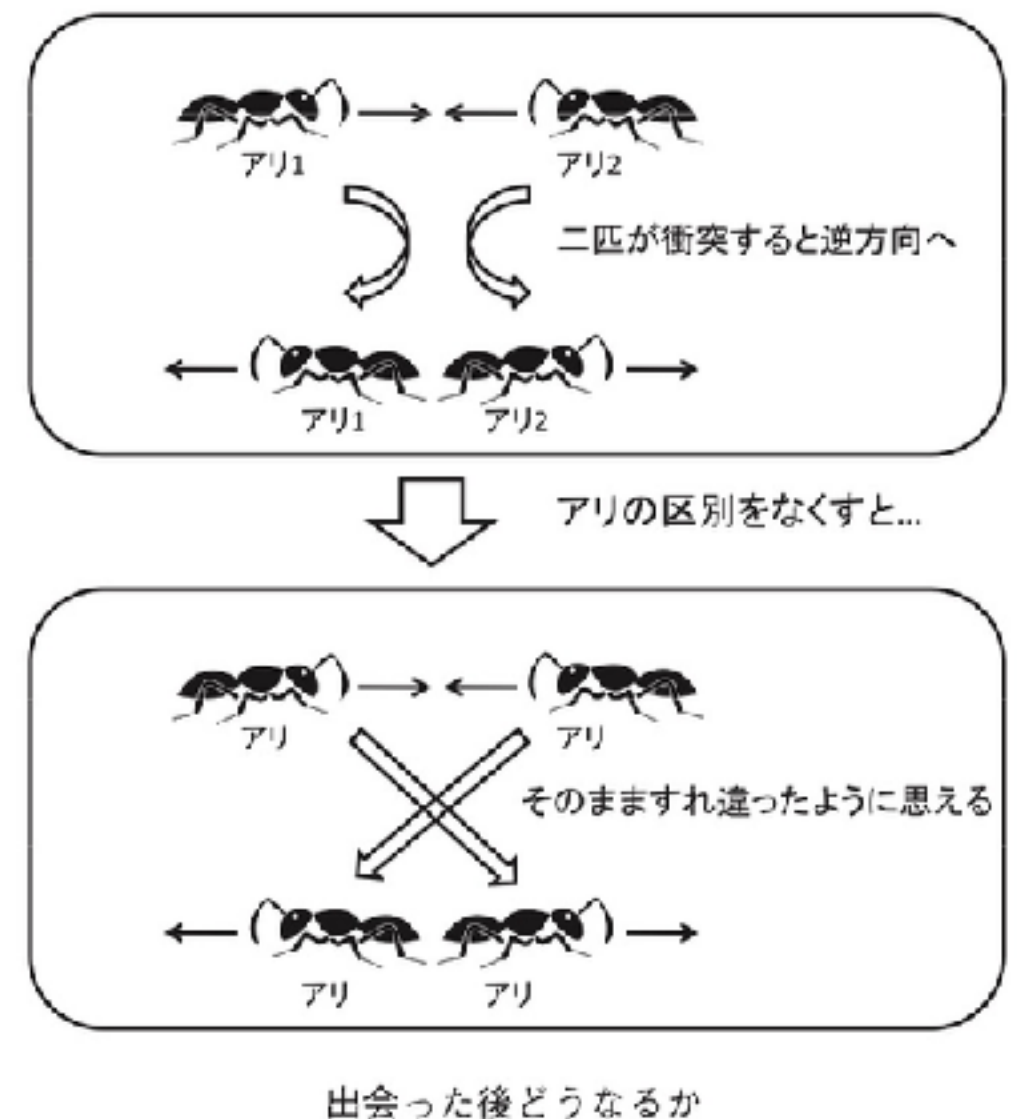
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How to solve the problem effeciently?

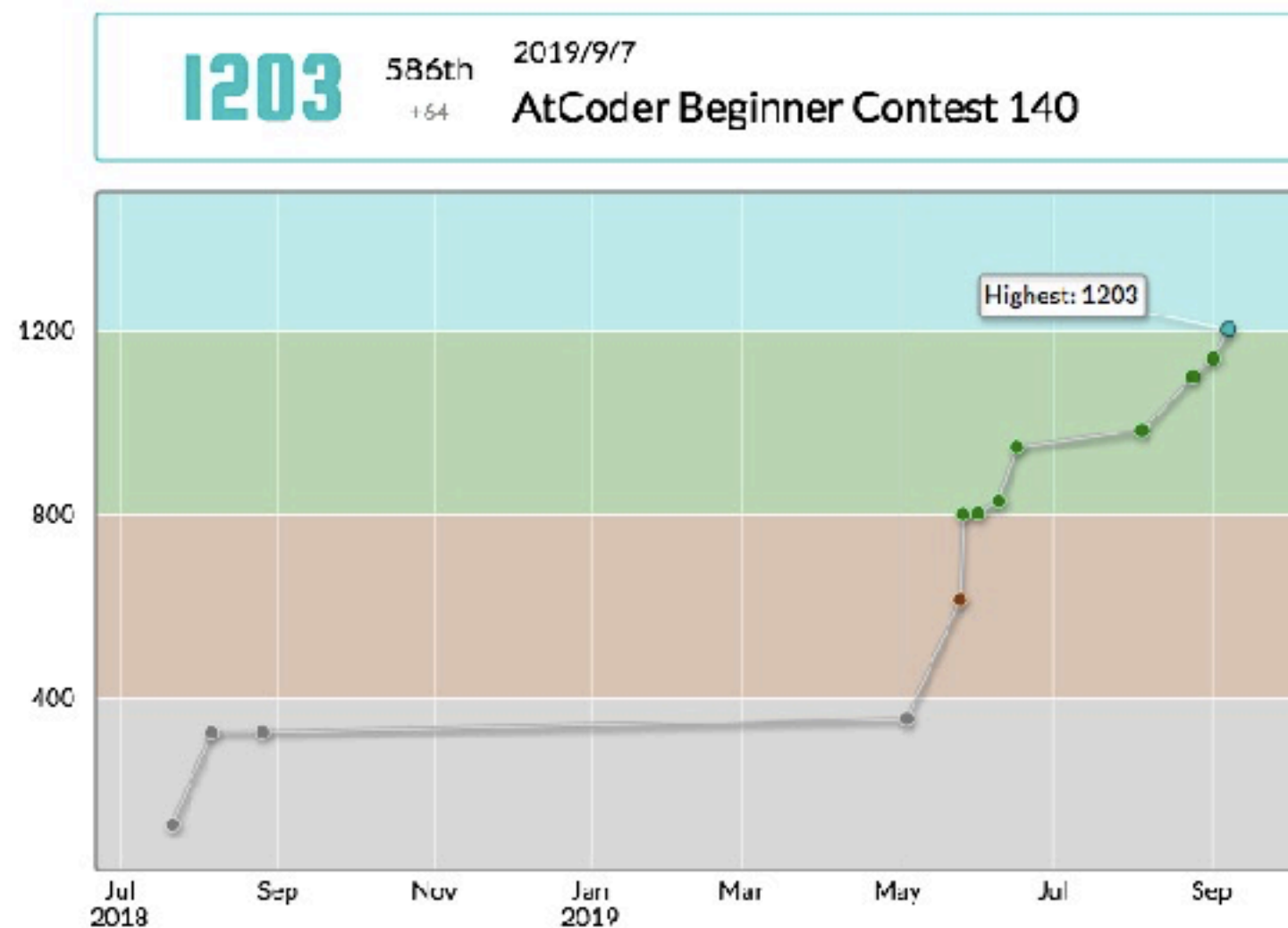
Ants; good solution

- It doesn't matter when we think ants can pass each other.
- Then,
 $t_{\min} = \min\{\text{drop time}\}$
 $\quad = \min\{\text{distance to the end}\}$
 $t_{\max} = \max\{\text{drop time}\}$
 $\quad = \max\{\text{distance to the end}\}$
- Then, computational complexity
 $= O(N)$



Appealing points of 競プロ

- Improve programming skills
- Learn algorithm
- Fun!



Start 競プロ！

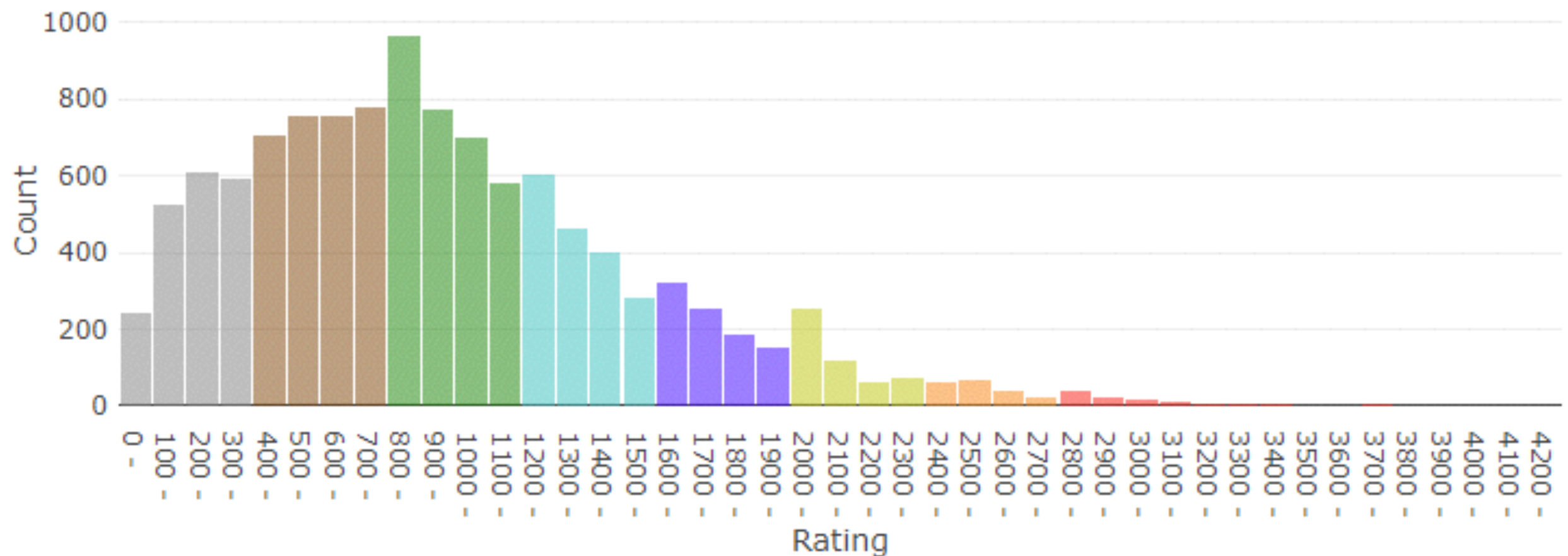
- Search "AtCoder"
- Regist from here
- Python, C++, C, (more than 50 languages)



End.

Rating distribution

only including players participating more than 10 contests



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