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1. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The project aims to digitize the loan application process at XYZ Bank to reduce turnaround time, minimize errors, and enhance customer experience.

## **2. PROJECT DESCRIPTION**

The project, titled "Digital Loan Application and Approval System," is designed to create an online platform for customers to apply for personal loans, get eligibility assessment, upload KYC documents, track application status, and receive approval digitally.

## **3. PROJECT SCOPE**

In Scope:

- Online loan application form with Aadhaar/PAN-based prefill.
- Integration with credit bureau (CIBIL) to fetch credit score.
- AI-based eligibility and risk assessment module.
- Real-time KYC document verification (OCR + face match).
- Loan sanction and e-agreement signing via OTP-based authentication.
- Integration with core banking for disbursement.

Out of Scope:

- Home loan, car loan, and business loan modules.
- Agent-assisted journeys for Tier 3 regions.

## **4. BUSINESS DRIVERS**

The primary business driver for this project is to improve customer experience by digitizing the loan application process, reducing turnaround time, and minimizing errors.

## **5. CURRENT PROCESS**

The current process is manual, paper-based, and requires customers to visit branches physically.

## **6. PROPOSED PROCESS**

The proposed process involves creating an online platform for customers to apply for personal loans, get eligibility assessment, upload KYC documents, track application status, and receive approval digitally.

## **7. FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

- Responsive web app for self-service journey
- Aadhaar/PAN card OCR and verification
- Credit score fetching from Experian or CIBIL
- Eligibility rules based on income, credit history, and existing liabilities
- Risk scoring using internal AI model
- E-sign integration using DigiLocker + Aadhaar eKYC
- Dashboard for customer to track loan status

## **8. NON-FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS**

- The system must support English and Hindi.
- Loan disbursement only through verified bank accounts.

## **9. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

To be defined

## **10. COST AND BENEFIT**

To be defined

## **11. RESOURCES**

- Product Manager: Rahul Sharma
- Business Head - Retail Lending: Priya Iyer
- IT Manager: Rakesh Sinha
- Compliance Lead: Anjali Mehta

## **12. SCHEDULE, TIMELINE, AND DEADLINES**

- Requirements Finalization: 15 March 2025
- Development Kickoff: 1 April 2025
- UAT: 1 June 2025
- Go-Live: 1 July 2025

13. ASSUMPTIONS

- Customer must have Aadhaar-linked mobile number.
- System must support English and Hindi.
- Loan disbursement only through verified bank accounts.

14. GLOSSARY

Term / Abbreviation | Explanation

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15. REFERENCES

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16. APPENDIX

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Compliance Rules

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| R1 | The system must support English and Hindi languages. | Operational | Medium | N/A |

| R2 | The system must provide an online loan application form with Aadhaar/PAN-based prefill. |

Data | High | Aadhaar Act 2016, PAN Card Regulations |

| R3 | The system must integrate with credit bureau (CIBIL) to fetch credit score. | Data | High |

Credit Information Companies Regulation Act |

| R4 | The system must include an AI-based eligibility and risk assessment module. | Operational |

High | N/A |

| R5 | The system must provide real-time KYC document verification (OCR + face match). | Security |

High | KYC Guidelines, RBI Guidelines |

| R6 | The system must sanction loan and e-agreement signing via OTP-based authentication. |

Security | High | IT Act 2000, Aadhaar Act 2016 |

| R7 | The system must integrate with core banking for disbursement. | Operational | High | Banking

Regulation Act 1949 |

| R8 | The system must not include home loan, car loan, and business loan modules. | Operational |

Low | N/A |

| R9 | The system must not support agent-assisted journeys for Tier 3 regions. | Operational | Low |

N/A |

| R10 | The system must disburse loans only through verified bank accounts. | Legal | High | Banking

Regulation Act 1949, KYC Guidelines |

| R11 | The system must have a responsive web app for self-service journey. | Operational | High |

N/A |

| R12 | The system must support Aadhaar/PAN card OCR and verification. | Security | High | Aadhaar

Act 2016, PAN Card Regulations |

| R13 | The system must fetch credit score from Experian or CIBIL. | Data | High | Credit

Information Companies Regulation Act |

| R14 | The system must have eligibility rules based on income, credit history, and existing

liabilities. | Data | High | RBI Guidelines |

| R15 | The system must use internal AI model for risk scoring. | Operational | High | N/A |

- | R16 | The system must integrate E-sign using DigiLocker + Aadhaar eKYC. | Security | High | IT Act 2000, Aadhaar Act 2016 |
- | R17 | The system must provide a dashboard for customer to track loan status. | Operational | Medium | N/A |
- | R18 | The customer must have Aadhaar-linked mobile number. | Legal | High | Aadhaar Act 2016 |