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Glossary

1. Introduction

*[The introduction of the **Business Glossary** provides an overview of the entire document. Present any information the reader might need to understand the document in this section. This document is used to define terminology specific to the problem domain, explaining terms that may be unfamiliar to the reader of the use-case descriptions or other project documents. Often, this document can be used as an informal data dictionary, capturing data definitions so that use-case descriptions and other project documents can focus on what the system must do with the information. This document should be saved in a file called **Business Glossary**.]*

1.1 Purpose

*[Specify the purpose of this **Glossary**.]*

1.2 Scope

*[A brief description of the scope of this **Glossary**; what Project(s) it is associated with and anything else that is affected or influenced by this document.]*

1.3 References

*[This subsection should provide a complete list of all documents referenced elsewhere in the **Business Glossary**. Identify each document by title, report number if applicable, date, and publishing organization. Specify the sources from which the references can be obtained. This information may be provided by reference to an appendix or to another document.]*

1.4 Overview

*[This subsection describes what the rest of the **Glossary** contains and explains how the document is organized.]*

2. Definitions

[The terms defined here form the essential substance of the document. They can be defined in any order desired, but generally alphabetical order provides the greatest accessibility.]

2.1 <aTerm>

[The definition for <aTerm> is presented here. As much information as the reader needs to understand the concept is presented.]

2.2 <anotherTerm>

The definition for <anotherTerm> is presented here. As much information as the reader needs to understand the concept is presented

2.3 <aGroupofTerms>

[Sometimes it's useful to organize terms into groups to improve readability. For example, if the problem domain contains terms related to both accounting and building construction (as would be the case if we were developing a system to manage construction projects), presenting the terms from the two different sub-domains might prove confusing to the reader. To solve this problem, we use groupings of terms. In presenting the grouping of terms, provide a short description that helps the reader understand what <aGroupOfTerms> represents. Terms presented within the group are organized alphabetically for easy access.]

2.3.1 <aGroupTerm>

[The definition for <aGroupTerm> is presented here. Present as much information as the reader needs to understand the concept.]

2.3.2 <anotherGroupTerm>

[The definition for <anotherGroupTerm> is presented here. Present as much information as the reader

needs to understand the concept.]

2.4 <aSecondGroupOfTerms>

2.4.1 <yetAnotherGroupTerm>

[The definition for the term is presented here. Present as much information as the reader needs to understand the concept.]

2.4.2 <andAnotherGroupTerm>

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