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Project Description for Handover

Project Title: Hourly Forecasting of Message Volume and Anomaly Classification

Development Environment: Ubuntu

## 1. Hourly Forecasting of Message Volume (NMSG)

**Objective:** Develop a model using the NeuralProphet algorithm to forecast the hourly volume of incoming messages to the servers based on historical data.

Data Source: Sourced from the S3 production "Performance" bucket, stored in "/Data/train\_data/".

## **Development Process:**

- **Proof of Concept (POC):** Initiated in "notebooks/NeuralProphet\_NMSG\_testing.ipynb" before modularizing into the "src" folder.
- Folder Structure:
  - "src/components": Houses defined components utilized within specific pipelines.
  - "src/pipelines": Contains key pipelines for the project:
    - 1. ETL\_pipeline.py: For Export-Transform-Load operations on the data.
    - 2. Hyperparam\_tuning.py: Conducts hyperparameter tuning using MLflow for model optimization.
    - **3. Predict\_pipeline.py:** Utilized for making predictions on the selected model post hyperparameter tuning.

**Note:** Uncommenting "-e ." in the initial run of requirements.txt activates setup.py, facilitating the use of Python modules from different locations. Following this, it can be commented out.

## 2. Anomaly Classification

**Objective:** Develop an anomaly detection model that utilizes the LSTM RNN algorithm to predict anomalies based on historical patterns, using the last 24 hours of performance data.

## **Development Process:**

- **Proof of Concept (POC):** Currently in the POC stage, with development stages documented in the following notebooks:
  - notebooks/LSTM\_Classification\_data\_preparation.ipynb: Details the data preprocessing stage.
  - notebooks/LSTM\_Classification\_model.ipynb: Focuses on the implementation of the LSTM model itself.