

Project Design Phase-I
Proposed Solution Template

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Project Name	Project - Deep Learning Fundus Image Analysis for Early Detection of Diabetic Retinopathy
Maximum Marks	2 Marks

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S.No.	Parameter	Description
1.	Problem Statement (Problem to be solved)	<p>Diabetic Retinopathy is one of the emerging diseases which is the reason for blindness. DR mutilates the retinal blood vessels of a patient having diabetes.</p> <p>Diabetic Retinopathy (DR) is an ophthalmic disease that damages retinal blood vessels. DR causes imperfect vision and may cause blindness if it is not diagnosed in early stages. Early detection of Diabetic Retinopathy includes the identification of microaneurysms and hemorrhages. Because the signs and symptoms of diabetic retinopathy are typically not present during the first stage of the disease, it can often go undiagnosed until damage to vision has occurred.</p> <p>Existing methods are lacking in the earlier detection. Because preprocessing techniques used in those methods are not effective to analyze such smaller features (nearly 10 microns to 100 microns).</p>
2.	Idea / Solution description	<p>We opt to use multi-layer neural networks as deep NN. Due to the fact that data is Image, the best type of neural network satisfying our goal is Convolutional Neural Networks. As we have to do for most of the data, normalization plays an important role in our process.</p> <p>Before doing any tasks, preprocessing images (our dataset) is highly recommended. Consequently better accuracy will be achieved by preprocessed data.</p> <p>After preprocessing and normalizing, the prepared dataset could be used as input to our deep convolutional neural network.</p> <p>Then deep NN will be run and fit to our data and the result will be produced by that. This</p>

		report will cover step by step how this deep convolutional network be implemented
3.	Novelty / Uniqueness	<p>One of the major decisions had to be made was choosing the suitable programming language satisfying our goal for extracting knowledge from our data. After some searching the suitable decision has been made by selecting Python as the project programming language. Due to the fact that, a lot of tools and frameworks are available for Python to create powerful Artificial Neural Networks.</p> <p>Also IBM Watson helps to predict future outcomes, automate complex processes, and optimize user's time.</p> <p>And also the result accuracy will be increased from 70% which is the accuracy of the test results that the previous developed codes produced.</p>
4.	Social Impact / Customer Satisfaction	Helps in preventing the loss of visibility to the needs through CSR activities or through healthcare camps .
5.	Business Model (Revenue Model)	<p>Can collaborate with diagnosis centers and hospitals.</p> <p>Can collaborate with the government for health awareness camps.</p>
6.	Scalability of the Solution	<p>This project will help us to detect DR more precisely than the existing methodologies.</p> <p>Also it can produce a result which specifies the stages of Diabetic Retinopathy.</p>