Contact List Application Design Document

SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

The Contact List Application is designed to list the contacts in a database, including their address, phone and date.

The application has the following functions:

- 1. Searching for Contacts:
 - a. Contacts can be searched for given a keyword in all four tables.
 - b. Contact can also be searched separately for Address table, Contact table, Date table and Phone table.
 - c. It returns the row matching the keyword along with the number of hits.

2. Adding Contacts:

- a. Contacts can be added by pressing the Add button.
- b. There is an Add button for each table which returns a form to be filled for each table.

3. Modifying and Delete:

- a. There is an action column with Edit and Delete
- b. Edit will return a form to edit that row
- c. Delete will delete the row from the database.

DESIGN DECISIONS

- 1. Assume that data entered is atomic.
- 2. Multiple phone numbers, addresses and date for a single contact has to be manually added.
- 3. Date is added in yyyy-mm-dd format.

LANGUAGES/FRAMEWORKS/PACKAGES USED

- 1. Python flask
- 2. HTML
- 3. CSS
- 4. MySQL
- 5. Python (3.6+)
- 6. Python (mysql-connector)

REQUIREMENTS TO RUN THE APPLICATION

- 1. MySQL running on local host
- 2. Python 3.6 installed
- 3. MySQL, Flask packages installed for python.