**Software requirements specification review – benign errors**

Grammar: 36

Formatting: 35

Consistency: 7

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| **Requirement** | **Error Type** | **Defect** |
| Cover Page | Grammar | “Web site” is listed here as two words. The Oxford English Dictionary 2015 allows for “website” to be spelled as one word only, without the space between “web” and “site. http://www.oxforddictionaries.com/definition/english/website?q=web+site |
| Revision History and Document Approval | Formatting | Page 1 should come after the contents. |
| Contents Page | Grammar | “This Software Requirement Specification”. The title and the harmonized title for the document is “Software Requirements Specification.” With an ’S’. |
| Contents Page | Consistency | “For the Pizza IT.” Likely should read “Pizza IT Company” to marry with the title page. On the other hand, maybe the title page is wrong and the company is, as the logo suggests, simply Pizza IT. In which case, the title page has an error. |
| Contents Page | Consistency | Firebrand Company does not align with information given elsewhere in the document. If it does, outside sources suggest that company should be capitalized. |
| 1.2 | Formatting | Scope should probably not be broken down into (1) and (2). It is thematically inconsistent with the rest of the document. Take, for example, Product Perspective, where points of a joined theme flow one after another under the appropriate rubric. Point 2 elucidates point 1 and defines it—it is not a disparate objective, as the numbering may imply. |
| 1.2 | Formatting | There is a return space entered on point (2) between “for and “later.” This is a formatting error which connotes the same problem as a spelling mistake. |
| 1.2 + 1.4 | Grammar | Oxford English Dictionary lists “website” as one word, not two. |
| 1.2 | Grammar | “Pizzas” once again spelled with a capital when it should be lowercase. |
| Functional Requirements | Formatting | Inconsistent formatting of text on page |
| 4.1.2 | Grammar | Typo – word ‘the’ in ‘the todays’ date |
| 4.1.2 | Grammar | Full stop missing |
| 4.1.5 | Grammar | There should be a colon after “the following functional web pages”. |
| 4.1.5 | Formatting | Website sections should be in italics. |
| 4.1.6 | Grammar | Missing punctuation – full stop |
| 4.1.8 | Grammar | Missing punctuation – colon after ‘following pages’ |
| 4.1.9 | Grammar | “shall be able to direct navigate”. Should read “directly navigate.” |
| 4.1.11 | Grammar | Spelled is “Forgot password”; the page proper is entitled “Forgot Password”, with “p” being afforded a capital. |
| 4.1.11 | Formatting | Also a page; so needs italics. |
| 4.1.12 | Grammar | Login “to”. Remove the word “to.” |
|  | Grammar | Missing colons after all subheadings. |
| 4.1.13 | Grammar | Should be “of” six characters. |
| 4.1.14 | Grammar | Full stop missing at end. |
| General | Formatting | Whole document is not properly left justified. Some sections are; some aren’t. |
| 4.1.17 | Grammar | Should “Welcome” have capital? |
| 4.1.18 | Grammar | Page should be after “Home”. |
| 4.1.18 | Grammar | Pizza should be lowercase. |
| 4.1.8 | Formatting | About page should be in italics, as per standardization. |
| 4.1.19 | Formatting | About page should be in italics, as per standardization. |
| 4.1.20 | Formatting | About should be in italics. |
| 4.1.20 | Grammar | “Google” should be in caps. |
| 4.1.20 | Grammar | No full stop. |
| 4.1.21 | Formatting | Second website does not have http:// |
| 4.1.21 | Formatting | About page should be in italics. |
| 4.1.21 | Grammar | Should “section” be included in the inverted commas? |
| 4.1.21 | Grammar | Colon after ) after Window. |
| 4.1.22 | Grammar | Contacts should have capital letter. |
| 4.1.22 | Grammar | Colon after “details” |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | Spaces after the colons for Support, Marketing and General. |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | Two new lines between email and address sections. |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | Address; should be 18 Malone Road and then new Line Northern Ireland, then post code. |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | For phone, there should be a space after both main and after hours before +44. |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | Should all of this be in italics? |
| 4.1.22 | Formatting | Contact Page should be in italics. |
| 4.1.22 | Grammar | Perhaps have colons after Phone, Email and Address. |
| 4.1.23 | Formatting | Unnecessary two spaces between email and message. |
| 4.1.23 | Formatting | Contact page in italics. |
| 4.1.24 | Formatting | Italics for forgot password page. |
| 4.1.24 | Formatting | Why is there such a big gap between FP and Ordering? |
| 4.1.24 | Grammar | States: “recognized” is American spelling but should that have an “s” instead? |
| 4.1.26 | Formatting | Ordering page in italics. |
| 4.1.26 | Consistency | States: “a” user. Throughout, we have “the”. This is inconsistent, but is it permissible? |
| 4.1.27 | Formatting | Superfluous space between 4.1.26 and 4.1.27. |
| 4.1.27 | Grammar | 4.1.27 - bad English; not clear, concise: “cost for an individual item and an extras”. |
| 4.1.27 | Formatting | Italics for ordering page. |
| 4.1.27 | Consistency | Cart should be called shopping cart. |
| 4.1.27 | Grammar | States: “any” extras instead of “an” extras. |
| 4.1.28 | Formatting | Ordering page should be in italics. |
| 4.1.28 | Grammar | “a user” instead of “the user”. |
| 4.1.28 | Consistency | “Shopping cart” instead of “cart”. |
| 4.1.29 | Formatting | Ordering page should be in italics. |
| 4.1.29 | Consistency | “Shopping cart” instead of “cart”. |
| 4.1.30 | Formatting | Ordering page should be in italics. |
| 4.1.30 | Grammar | “should enable” - rather than “enable” |
| Schedule page | Formatting | Large gap between 4.1.30 and Schedule page. |
| 4.1.31 | Grammar | Full stop missing |
| 4.1.33 | Grammar | Order receipt page referred to as “Order Receipt page” - lowercase ‘R’ elsewhere. |
| 4.1.33 | Formatting | Error double space between “order” and “Upon”. |
| 4.1.34 | Formatting | Add italics to “Order Receipt page”. |
| 4.1.35 | Grammar | Should read “their” current email. |
| 4.1.35 | Formatting | Gap between 4.1.35 and 3.2. |
| 3.2.1 | Formatting | Numbering is incorrect. 4.1.35 to 3.2. |
| 3.2.1 | Grammar | 24\*7 should be 24/7. |
| 3.2.3 | Grammar | Should be colon. |
| 3.2.3 | Formatting | Browsers are in bold. |
| 3.2.3 | Consistency | Version for Chrome. V for Firefox. Disparity. |
| 3.2.4 | Formatting | No space between the 3.2.4 etc. |
| 3.2.5 | Grammar | No full stop. |