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④ Stock Maintenance System

Problem statement:

Managing stock manually often leads to errors like overstocking, shortages, and misplaced inventory records. This not only increases costs but also disrupts business operations. A digital stock maintenance system is needed to track inventory in real-time, maintain accurate records and generate quick reports, ensuring that businesses can manage their stock efficiently.

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1. Introduction

1.1 Purpose of the document:

This document specifies the requirements for the stock maintenance system. It is meant for developers, testers, stock managers, and stakeholders to ensure that the system effectively tracks stock levels, manages inventory updates.

1.2 Scope of the document

The SMS is a web-based system designed to simplify stock and inventory management.

1.3 Overview

The Stock Maintenance System will provide a

centralized platform for managing items, categories, suppliers, and transactions.

2. General Description

2.1 Product Functions

- Maintain stock records of items with categories
- Allow adding, updating, and deleting product details.

- Track purchases, sales, and stock adjustments.

- Provide low-stock alerts and reorder reminders.

2.2 User Characteristics

- Store Managers: Manage stock, track sales/purchases, and view alerts.

- Staff: Update stock transactions and generate simple reports.

- Admins: Configure settings, manage user roles and oversee full system.

3. Functional Requirements.

FR1. Stock management: The system shall allow users to add, update and delete stock items.

FR2. Supplier Management: The system shall maintain supplier details.

FR3. Sales and purchase Management: The system shall record purchases and sales.

FR4. Alerts and notification: The system shall provide low-stock alerts.

FR5. Reporting: The system shall generate inventory and sales reports.

4. Interface Requirements

4.1 User interfaces : A responsive web dashboard for admins and managers.

4.2 Hardware interfaces : Supports barcode scanner for fast stock entry.

5. Performance Requirements

- Must handle up to 150 concurrent users.
- Stock updates should reflect in real time.
- Reports must be generated within 3 secs.
- Daily automatic backup required.

6. Design constraints

- Built using open-source tech.
- Must support responsive design for desktop and mobile.

7. Non Functional Attributes.

7.1 Security : HTTPS for data transmission.

7.2 Usability : Simple and intuitive UI for staff.

7.3 Maintainability : Modular design for easy updates.

7.4 Reliability : System should recover from crashes without data loss.

8. Preliminary schedule and budget

8.1 Schedule

Phase : Timeline

Requirements Analysis 2 weeks.

UI/UX design 2 weeks.

Development 7 weeks.

Testing & QA 3 weeks.

8.2 Budget

Total estimated budget → \$24,300.