

Individual Accountability Report (IAR)

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Associated Team Deliverable: Sprint 0: Initial System Design and Product Backlog

Section#, Team#: Section 1 Group 6

Q5: What were the main technical or methodological concepts and/or skills that were required to complete this team deliverable?

- Sequence diagrams
- Understanding the importance of design, providing recommendations based on expectations
- UML diagrams
- Creation of user and technical stories

Q6: What was your existing level of experience with these topics/skills before your team began working on this deliverable? (1-2 Sentences):

My experience with the topics/skills were somewhat common knowledge from previous classes. However, my knowledge about sequence and UML diagrams was not as good as expected. I had to slightly review UML diagrams despite having been previously exposed to them in prior classes. I felt comfortable incorporating user experience concepts from other courses that I had taken in the past in terms of design recommendations.

Q7: Comment on your individual academic, methodological, or technical learning during this deliverable, and what additional learning may be needed to understand or be more competent with these topics in the future?

I had to gain more of an understanding of UML diagrams since they were confusing at first. The UML diagram concept was more of a refresher needed, and continuous understanding of how they work will help me be more confident in my achievement of this deliverable. For future successes, I also have to review the concept related to tech stories more because I originally had a slight difficulty distinguishing the two effectively.

Q8: What specific contributions did you make to this team deliverable? This should include technical or project management contributions.

I specifically contributed to the design recommendations component of this team deliverable. I had also contributed to the analysis component regarding the sequence diagrams for our project.

Q9: With who did you collaborate for any of the above contributions (be specific)?

I collaborated with Rafael when completing the analysis section. Specifically, I focused on the analysis of our sequence diagrams.

Q10: Comment on how well you managed your time over the time period allocated in the course timetable to this team deliverable (ie. the time between the prior team deliverable to this team deliverable).

My time management was efficient because I was able to complete the course deliverable requirements in time. However, overall, I felt that I was in a lot of time constraint and was not

dedicating enough time to this course as much as I really wanted to due to other course loads and my full-time co-op job same time. For the future, I plan to allocate a minimum of an hour per day regardless of what pressing requirements I have from other courses.