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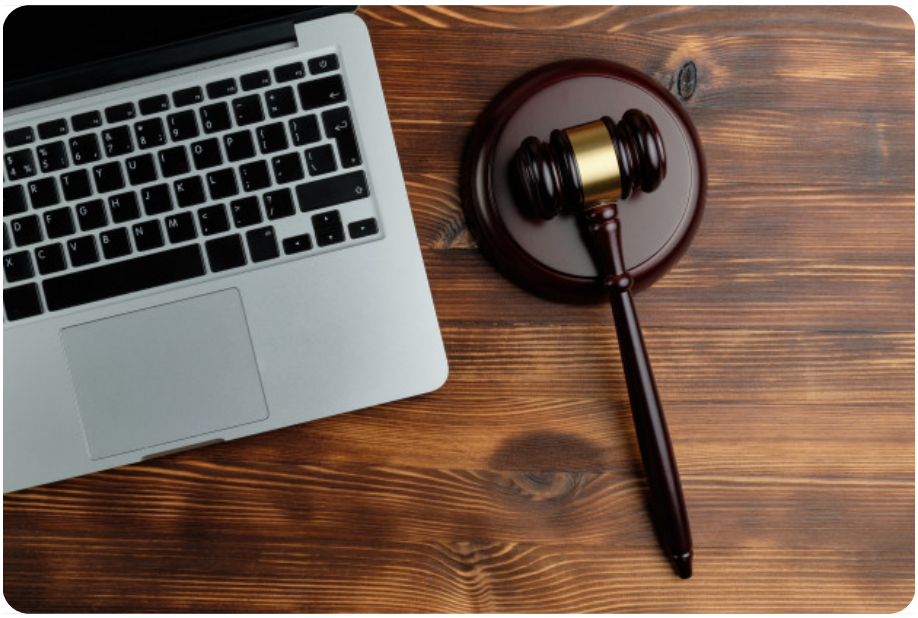
What is a **L**egal **F**easibility **S**tudy **R**eport? In simple terms, it's a document that aims at identifying, exploring, and evaluating a project's legal pitfalls to save time and money.



The project team have to make a thorough analysis of the legal issues surrounding the project, across several dimensions. A detailed legal due diligence should be done to ensure that all foreseeable legal requirements are met for the development of the project.

The main objectives of the legal feasibility analysis are as follows:

- ✓ to ensure that the project is legally doable
- ✓ to facilitate risk management, indicating the risks and obstacles that need to be addressed within the technical analyses, the financial model and/or the Value for Money analysis
- ✓ to avoid, to the extent possible, major problems in the project's development and implementation, specifying the requirements that need to be considered

The task is an analysis of the applicable legal and regulatory framework. This includes the identification and analysis of pertinent laws and regulations that may affect the project.

For instance:
Legal aspects of dispute resolution and intellectual property, GDPR, data protection,…
The main output of the legal feasibility analysis should be a detailed recommendation for the approval of the project based upon:

- ✓ the existence of legal obstacles for the future development of the project, or
- ✓ in case any obstacle exists, the strategy to be followed to overcome it as well as the estimation of time and resources necessary to do it.

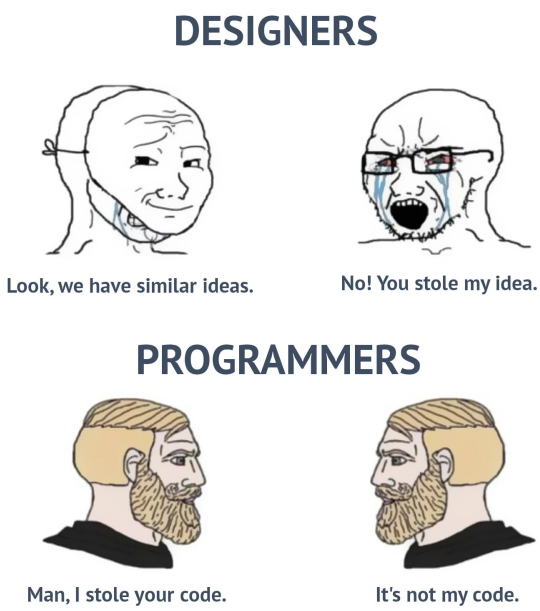
How to write a feasibility study report?

Regardless of project size, scope and type, there are several key steps to writing such an important document. Let's view the steps in detail.

- ✓ Write a short project description:
  Collect background information on your project to write a short (few lines) description.
- ✓ List the tricky legal aspects of your project:
  Examine and list all the legal aspects your project is concerned with and find out which regulations are to be examined.
- ✓ Wave alert if needed and parry:
  For each legal pitfall, enquire about the risk, and define a parry you can implement for each one.
  How are you going to make sure that you abide by the regulations for each identified pitfall?

There's a JARVISS for that.

- ✓ List the legal sources:
  List your sources, as in a bibliography: official texts, websites, laws and regulations quoted.
  To do this right, find out how you are supposed to layout a bibliography.



To sum up:
Your work could be presented as a text, or as a table (tricky legal aspects, corresponding legal theme impacted, alert and parry to be implemented, bibliographical reference). In any case, make this document clear and readable (around 3 pages are expected).

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