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project charter

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| **Project Charter** | |
| **Full Template** | **Lite Template** |
| Introduction |  |
| Purpose of Project Charter |  |
| Project and Product Overview | Project and Product Overview |
| Justification |  |
| Business Need |  |
| Public Health/Business Impact |  |
| Strategic Alignment |  |
| Scope | Scope |
| Objectives | Objectives |
| High-Level Requirements | High-Level Requirements |
| Major Deliverables | Major Deliverables/Milestones |
| Boundaries |  |
| Duration | Duration |
| Timeline | Timeline |
| Executive Milestones |  |
| Budget Estimate | Budget Estimate |
| Funding Source | Funding Source |
| Estimate | Estimate |
| High-Level Alternatives Analysis |  |
| Assumptions, Constraints and Risks |  |
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# introduction

## Purpose of LITE Project Charter

[Provide the purpose of the LITE Project Charter.]

The *RATIOS* LITE Project Charter documents and tracks the necessary information required by decision maker(s) to approve the project for funding.

The intended audience of the *RATIOS* LITE Project Charter is the project sponsor and senior leadership.

# project And Product Overview

The project RATIOS is the idea of geographically describing the given male to female ratio at a given establishment. It will incorporate a user base who can create profiles, actively seek demographic ratios at establishments, and find other users through the app. RATIOS will also use advanced modeling techniques to pull data from social media to describe what establishment has the best chances of meeting indistinguishable people.

RATIOS will be designed and built for mobile phones, running natively on both Android and IOS products. The user base will receive a projection mapping of their town/city. This projection map will have icons for each bar near you, or simply anywhere around the individual based on their given location. The displayed icon will then give details about the venue, and the given female to male ratio. There will also be gender neutral specify fields, as well as beneficial information for LBGT communities. RATIOS will pull information from either the user base at the provided location, or a percentage based on analyzed data through different social media platforms. This can also focus into the entertainment industry, focusing on trends on which music venues and what artists will bring the best crowd. The idealized algorithm will only work towards specific geographic location of the user base at establishments, and will leave all other geographic area data relative to the user unrecognized by both RATIOS and the user base.

RATIOS will be funded mostly through advertisement which will allow bars, clubs, and restaurants to give more details about their business and what they can provide to the users (e.g.. Happy hour, Drink prices, specials ). The estimated duration will be 18 months and beyond depending on success rate. The estimated project budget will be $7M.

# Scope

## Objectives

[Identify what the project is intended to achieve, in business and technical terms. Describe the expected results of the project, accomplishments, outcomes or products. Examples may include improving epidemiologic analyses by provisioning consistent data or to making progress towards a 2010 goal]

The objectives of the *<Project Name>* are as follows:

* *[Insert Objective 1]*
* *[Insert Objective 2]*
* *[Add additional bullets as necessary]*

## High-Level Requirements

[Describe the functions that must be in place when the project is complete. These should be high-level requirements and do not constitute the detailed requirements that are captured in the Planning Phase of the project. Upon approval of the Project Charter, these requirements will be refined in the Planning Phase of the project and will serve as an input to the scope statement in the Project Management Plan.]

The following table presents the requirements that the project’s product, service or result must meet in order for the project objectives to be satisfied.

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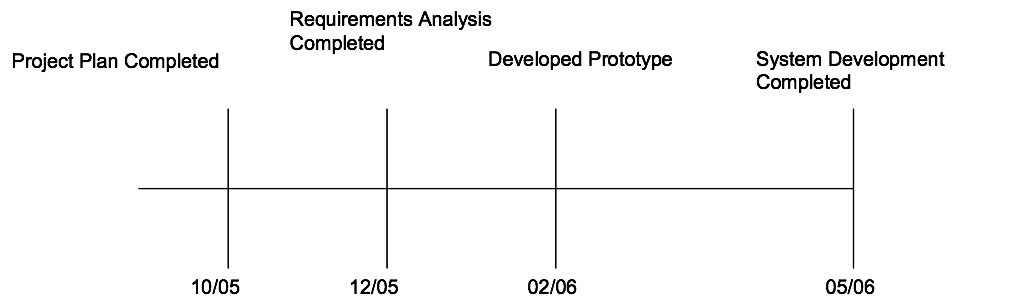
## Major Deliverables/Milestones

| Major Deliverable | I Deliverable Description |
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| Fully working UI with projection map – 4m | Have a fully working UI and projection map with establishments and their info. |
| Working Platform – 12m | Deliver a working app which can determine a ratio at the 12 month mark. |
| Public Release – 18m | Release app on all mobile app stores at the 18 month mark. |

# Duration

## Timeline

The current projected timeline is 18 months. The team will have a fully working UI and a projection map at the 4 month mark. This projection map will display locations of establishments and provide general information about them. A working prototype of the app available by the 12 month mark. The last six months will be spent testing the product in small groups before a full public release. The product life expectancy will depend on the user-base size over time.



# budget Estimate

## Funding Source

[State the source of funding for the project (e.g., grant, terrorism budget, or operational budget).]

## Estimate

[Provide the estimated budget for the project. You may also indicate the degree of accuracy of your project’s budget.]

This section provides a summary of estimated spending to meet the objectives of the *<Project Name>* project as described in this Project Charter. This summary of spending is preliminary, and should reflect costs for the entire investment lifecycle. It is intended to present probable funding requirements and to assist in obtaining budgeting support.

# project Charter approval

The undersigned acknowledge they have reviewed the **LITE Project Charter** and authorize and fund the *<Project Name>* project. Changes to this **LITE Project Charter** will be coordinated with and approved by the undersigned or their designated representatives.

[List the individuals whose signatures are desired. Examples of such individuals are Business Steward, Project Manager or Project Sponsor. Add additional lines for signature as necessary. Although signatures are desired, they are not always required to move forward with the practices outlined within this document.]

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APPENDIX A: REFERENCES

[Insert the name, version number, description, and physical location of any documents referenced in this document. Add rows to the table as necessary.]

The following table summarizes the documents referenced in this document.

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APPENDIX B: KEY TERMS

*[Insert terms and definitions used in this document. Add rows to the table as necessary. Follow the link below to for definitions of project management terms and acronyms used in this and other documents.*

*http://www2.cdc.gov/cdcup/library/other/help.htm*

The following table provides definitions for terms relevant to this document.

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