

# Measuring the Programmatic Complexity of Projects of Varying Functionality in App Inventor

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The audience for this paper will be diverse, as their backgrounds will vary from professors and teachers (pretty non-technical) to researchers (pretty technical). Since most visual languages are used for educational purposes, this field has an emphasis on understanding the learners/people (education theory, psychology).

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