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# Introduction to The Distributed System –

The use of weather reporting in day-to-day life is very important. Its utilization could greatly influence the outcome of a scenario. It could be something as simple as deciding whether you should take your umbrella on your way out, or even as major as handling cultural operations, agriculture and farming or livestock protection implementations.

With Sri Lanka’s weather rapidly varying, weather can transition from largely homogeneous temperatures to torrential rain in a heartbeat. With the adaptation of unexpectedly frequent changes, it is crucial to make sure to be prepared.

Sri Lanka is liable to prevailing and predictable effects of climate change. Preceding natural disasters (such as tsunamis, floods, landslides, droughts, and cyclones) can greatly substantiate this. Profoundly weather-sensitive sectors in Sri Lanka include transport, agriculture, construction, energy, and disaster risk management.

It is important to note that even with weather stations, live broadcasts, and television/radio stations existent, not all are aware of the continuously differentiating weather conditions.

The impacts and effects of climate change could invite climate change-induced hazards and disasters. The unawareness of weather reports may affect the lives of many. Thousands of citizens are prone to being affected by the threat of climate change. They may find themselves in life threatening situations. Weather prediction is essential in order to provide citizens with pragmatic information. Furthermore, this also aids in the reduction of weather-related losses, personal safety and health, enhancement of societal benefits and in supporting economic prosperity.

It is abundantly clear that weather forecasting reports are essential to mitigate the effects civilians getting caught in a severe crisis.

# Introduction to Quick Weather –

**What is distributed system?**

A distributed system is a collection of independent computers that appears to its users as a single coherent system. (Tanenbaum)

We have a system or application that could be a software. In that particular system we have a number of independent computers (individual computers inside the system). These individual computers are doing their own task in the system, but for the end user this looks like one single system. Those computers are doing their own tasks but for the user, they can see everything as one system.

A distributed system is contrived to assist the development process of services and applications. These services and applications are able to manoeuvre a physical architecture that would contain multiple independent processing elements. The processing elements do not share primary memory but do partake in complying with dispatching asynchronous messages via communication network.

Furthermore, Distributed Systems also utilize independent hardware in furtherance of creating a software. It would appear as a complete system all working as a single unit, but in reality, it makes use of multiple computers in contemplation of making a distributed system function.

The primary memory of other hardware elements is not employed by Distributed Systems. Instead, multiple independent processing elements within the hardware are utilized. Through the use of asynchronous messages, they can communicate over a networked communication.

In the following report, our team would like to highlight the main outcome of our system.

To make the reader of this report get a clear idea, we have simply built a web application and a mobile application that will be running as a client application.

People often need to know what the weather around them would be like, but since Sri Lanka is still a developing country, it is only specified in either the news or rather in the radio stations. A weather would mainly focus on the current location of the user, but with Quick Weather, any user can check the weather around the country without having to go through a hassle of signing into the system.

Our main intention is to build a system that will show our users the needed weather for any planned activities in their personal lives.

# Usefulness of the application to the real-world –

QUICK WEATHER can perform 02 main functions –

# Scope of Project –

# Admin Panel of Quick Weather –

**Mobile Application as Client -**

Technologies used –

1. Laravel
2. Java in web and mobile application both
3. MySQL for the database

**Methodology –**

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| Java NetBeans | IDE |  |
| Laravel | Framework |  |
| Android Studio | IDE |  |
| MySQL | IDE |  |
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**Database: PhpMyAdmin MySQL –**

**Gantt Chart**

**Selection of Middleware**

**Technical Diagram**

* **Overview of Technical Diagram**
* **Technical Architectural Diagram**

**Load Balancing**

* **With Load Balancing**
* **Without Load Balancing**

**Tolerance to Network Failure**

**Load Balancer**

**System architectural Diagram**

**User Requirements**

**Functional Requirements**

**API / Middleware Justification**

**Software components used**

**Distributing the system**

* **Distributed File System**

**Issues faced and actions taken –**

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| **Issues Faced** | **Actions Taken** |
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**Development phases –**

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| **Development Phases** | **Description** |
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**Tasks undertaken –**

* **Screenshots of the website**
* **Screenshots of the mobile application**
* **Screenshots of the Admin panel**
* **Main codes of the website**
* **Main codes of the mobile application**
* **Main codes of the API**

**Future enhancement of the system –**

**Risk assessment –**

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**Quality plan –**

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**Summary -**

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