# CAPACITY PLANNING METHODOLOGY

# **Summit Digital Solutions, Inc.**

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### 1. PURPOSE AND SCOPE

1. This Capacity Planning Methodology document ("Methodology") establishes the standardized framework and procedures for capacity planning across Summit Digital Solutions, Inc.'s ("Company") digital transformation service delivery operations.

2. This Methodology applies to all Company personnel involved in service delivery, resource allocation, and project planning activities related to the Peak Performance Platform and associated professional services.

#### 2. DEFINITIONS

1. "Capacity Unit" means the quantifiable measure of resource availability, including but not limited to professional staff hours, computing resources, and platform licenses.

2. "Resource Pool" means the aggregate collection of available Capacity Units within a specified service delivery category.

3. "Utilization Target" means the optimal percentage of Resource Pool deployment as determined by the Company's operational metrics.

4. "Scaling Factor" means the mathematical coefficient applied to baseline capacity requirements to account for project complexity and risk factors.

## 3. CAPACITY ASSESSMENT PROCEDURES

- 1. Initial Assessment
- a) Project scope evaluation using the Company's Digital Transformation Assessment Matrix
- b) Resource requirement calculation based on standardized service delivery templates
- c) Application of industry-specific Scaling Factors

- d) Integration of IoT sensor deployment requirements
- 2. Resource Pool Analysis
- a) Quarterly evaluation of available Capacity Units
- b) Skills matrix mapping against project requirements
- c) Geographic availability assessment
- d) Technology stack compatibility verification

### 4. CAPACITY PLANNING FRAMEWORK

- 1. Strategic Planning Horizon
- a) 18-month rolling forecast
- b) Quarterly adjustment cycles
- c) Monthly variance analysis
- d) Weekly resource allocation updates
- 2. Resource Allocation Methodology
- a) Primary allocation based on project criticality
- b) Secondary allocation based on skill match
- c) Tertiary allocation based on geographic optimization
- d) Contingency resource pool maintenance at 15% of total capacity

### 5. OPERATIONAL PARAMETERS

- 1. Standard Utilization Metrics
- a) Target utilization rate: 75-85%
- b) Peak capacity threshold: 92%
- c) Minimum sustainable capacity: 65%
- d) Optimal project portfolio mix: 70% committed, 30% pipeline
- 2. Scaling Considerations
- a) Technology complexity multiplier
- b) Client industry factor
- c) Geographic distribution coefficient

d) Implementation risk factor

# 6. QUALITY CONTROL AND MONITORING

- 1. Performance Metrics
- a) Resource utilization efficiency
- b) Project delivery timeline adherence
- c) Client satisfaction scores
- d) Platform performance indicators
- 2. Adjustment Triggers
- a) Utilization exceeding 90% for three consecutive weeks
- b) Client satisfaction below 85%
- c) Project delay risk exceeding 15%
- d) Resource availability gaps exceeding 10%

### 7. COMPLIANCE AND GOVERNANCE

- 1. The Chief Operating Officer shall maintain oversight of this Methodology's implementation.
- 2. Quarterly reviews shall be conducted by the Operations Committee to ensure alignment with company objectives.
- 3. All deviations from this Methodology must be approved by the Chief Operating Officer or their designee.

## 8. PROPRIETARY RIGHTS AND CONFIDENTIALITY

- 1. This Methodology contains proprietary information of Summit Digital Solutions, Inc. and is protected under applicable intellectual property laws.
- 2. Distribution of this document is restricted to authorized personnel only.

### 9. AMENDMENTS AND UPDATES

1. This Methodology shall be reviewed annually and updated as necessary to reflect changes in business operations and market conditions.

2. All amendments must be approved by the Operations Committee and documented in the version control log.

# 10. EXECUTION AND APPROVAL

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Capacity Planning Methodology has been approved and adopted by the undersigned authorized representatives of Summit Digital Solutions, Inc.

APPROVED BY:

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Date: January 1, 2024

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