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Aim:

Design questionnaires and other techniques to elicit requirements for the given project.

Software required:

None.

Project name:

Android application – Image Labeling, face detection

Techniques:

The following are some of the well-known requirement gathering techniques.

• Brainstorming:

Brainstorming is used in requirement gathering to get as many ideas as possible from group of people. Generally used to identify possible solutions to problems, and clarify details of opportunities.

• Document Analysis:

Reviewing the documentation of an existing system can help when creating AS–IS process document, as well as driving gap analysis for scoping of migration projects.

• Interface analysis:

Interfaces for a software product can be human or machine. Integration with external systems and devices is just another interface.

• Interview:

Interviews of stakeholders and users are critical to creating the great software. Without understanding the goals and expectations of the users and stakeholders, we are very unlikely to satisfy them.

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• Observation:

By observing users, an analyst can identify a process flow, steps, pain points and opportunities for improvement. Observations can be passive or active (asking questions while observing).

• Prototyping:

Prototyping is a relatively modern technique for gathering requirements. In this approach, you gather preliminary requirements that you use to build an initial version of the solution - a prototype.

• Requirement Workshops:

Workshops can be very effective for gathering requirements. More structured than a brainstorming session, involved parties collaborate to document requirements.

• Reverse Engineering:

When a migration project does not have access to sufficient documentation of the existing system, reverse engineering will identify what the system does.

• Survey/Questionnaire:

When collecting information from many people – too many to interview with budget and time constraints – a survey or questionnaire can be used.

> Questions:

- 1. What is the purpose of this project?
- 2. Who are your target audience?
- 3. What are the necessary core features and functionalities to be incorporated in the app?
- 4. What platform is to be used for application development?
- 5. What administrator features do you need?
- 6. Which machine learning platform is to be used?
- 7. What's your preferred programming language?
- 8. Which kind of images do you wish to detect?
- 9. What percent accuracy do you expect?
- 10. How much data do you think will be needed?

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- 11. What will be the source of data required for training?
- 12. What criteria will you and your client use to determine project success?
- 13. What is the anticipated number of app users?
- 14. Do you want the detection to be online or offline?
- 15. Does the app require user authentication? Or can anybody install and use it?
- 16. Do you want notifications to be displayed?
- 17. What is your approximate budget for the project?
- 18. Will it be a Free App or Chargeable while Downloading?
- 19. What permissions should be given to the users?
- 20. Do you have any specific security requirements?
- 21. Does the app need to support multiple languages?
- 22. Do you have any particular Machine Learning algorithm in mind?
- 23. Will the solution require an in-app purchase or payment gateway integration?
- 24. What is the project deadline? Are there any time constraints?
- 25. Do you want to insert advertisements into the app?
- 26. Who are the stakeholders involved?
- 27. What might be the potential problems that might get in the wayof the success of this product?
- 28. What are the desired compatible devices and OS versions?
- 29. Do you need separate designs for iOS and Android?
- 30. Do you have an app icon or logo already? Do you want us to design the logo or app icon for you?
- 31. Do you want your app portrait or landscape or both?

Conclusion:

From this practical we learned and understood about various well known requirement gathering techniques. We also made a questionnaire for our project for requirements elicitation.

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