

Project Design Phase-II

Solution Requirement (Functional & Non-functional)

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Maximum Marks	4 Marks

Solution Requirements – Medical Inventory Management System (MIMS)

Functional Requirements

Functional requirements describe *what the system should do* — the specific operations and features that ensure it fulfills its purpose.

No.	Functional Requirement	Description / Expected Functionality
FR1	User Authentication & Role Management	The system should allow secure login for different user roles (Admin, Pharmacist, Supplier, Nurse/Doctor) with specific permissions.
FR2	Medicine Registration	The pharmacist or admin should be able to add new medicines with details like name, batch number, manufacturing date, expiry date, and supplier info.
FR3	Inventory Tracking	The system should maintain real-time tracking of medicine quantity, usage rate, and stock levels.
FR4	Expiry Monitoring	The system should automatically identify medicines that are close to expiry and alert the pharmacist/admin.
FR5	Low Stock Alerts	The system should trigger notifications when stock levels fall below the defined reorder threshold.
FR6	Purchase Order Generation	The system should automatically generate purchase orders and send them to suppliers when restocking is needed.
FR7	Stock In/Out Management	The pharmacist should be able to record medicine received from suppliers and issued to departments or patients.
FR8	Barcode Scanning (Optional)	The system should support barcode or QR scanning to make stock entry and retrieval faster and more accurate.

Non-Functional Requirements

Non-functional requirements define *how the system should perform* — focusing on quality, security, reliability, and usability.

No.	Non-Functional Requirement	Description / Expected Performance
NFR1	Performance	The system should process transactions (like adding or searching inventory) within 3 seconds on average.
NFR2	Scalability	The system should handle an increasing number of medicines, users, and transactions without performance degradation.
NFR3	Security	The system should use secure authentication, encrypt sensitive data, and restrict access based on user roles.
NFR4	Availability	The system should be available 24/7 with minimal downtime (<1% annually).
NFR5	Reliability	The system should maintain data integrity and ensure accurate updates to inventory records even during concurrent operations.
NFR6	Usability	The interface should be user-friendly, with clear navigation, search filters, and intuitive dashboards for different roles.
NFR7	Maintainability	The system architecture should allow easy updates, module replacement, and integration with future technologies (e.g., IoT sensors, RFID).
NFR8	Portability	The application should work across devices (desktop, tablet, mobile) and major browsers.
NFR9	Data Backup & Recovery	The system should perform automatic backups and allow restoration of inventory data in case of system failure.
NFR10	Compliance	The system should comply with healthcare data handling regulations and institutional policies for inventory management.

Conclusion

- **Functional Requirements** ensure that the MIMS fulfills its primary purpose: *efficient inventory tracking, expiry monitoring, and automated purchasing*.
- **Non-Functional Requirements** ensure that it's *secure, reliable, scalable, and user-friendly* — suitable for hospital environments.