**User Stories**

* At times when I go to shop for a piece of clothing, I would want to know the colour of the item, due to my lack of sight and colour blindness I am unable to tell the colour which makes shopping extremely hard and daunting. So having a tool to indicate the colour would be very useful.
* I was trying to find my bottle which I had left on my desk at my room. Due to my lack of sight, I was not able to spot whether the bottle was there or if I had left it somewhere else. I had to physically go to the table and check if it was there. I would love to be able to just glance at the room and see if the bottle was there.
* Sometimes when I want to walk towards an object to pick it up, as I start walking, I lose my orientation relative to the object. By the time I get to my destination I am in a completely different side of the room to the object. It would be very useful to have tool that would keep me oriented at the object I am trying to find.
* When I want to find an object in my room and I don’t remember where I left it last, I must search the entire room inch by inch. This is very time consuming and not practical especially when I am in a rush. I wish I had a device which would just scan the room and tell me exactly where the object is and how far away it is.
* When I try to find an object in a room, I often do not know how far away it is from my current location. This makes it extremely hard to walk towards it and locate it. It would be very helpful to get a guidance as to far I am and this to be updated as I walk towards it.
* When I have used previous tools which helped with navigation, I found feedback through vibrating button very hard to get used to…often off putting. I would prefer to have a simpler method of feedback. Maybe through a speaker.
* I feel like the access I have to information, such as signs are massively restricted compared to a person with good vision. For example, when I go to the supermarket and want to shop at a specific section (let’s say cleaning products) it is much harder for me to find that section due to difficulty reading the signs pointing out each section.
* I often find when I use a device to help with navigating, it has so many features which are all controlled through buttons or gestures. This makes it very hard to use both when walking with (as it can sometimes trigger the gestures) and when you forget how to call on a certain feature. It would be much easier if it took speech commands.
* I think it would be super cool if I could quickly take videos and pictures of my surroundings with my walking stick. This would save me a lot of effort getting my phone out of my pocket and launching the camera by which time the surroundings would have changed.