

# Sore Vision



Phase I

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## 1. Project Objectives

### a. Significance

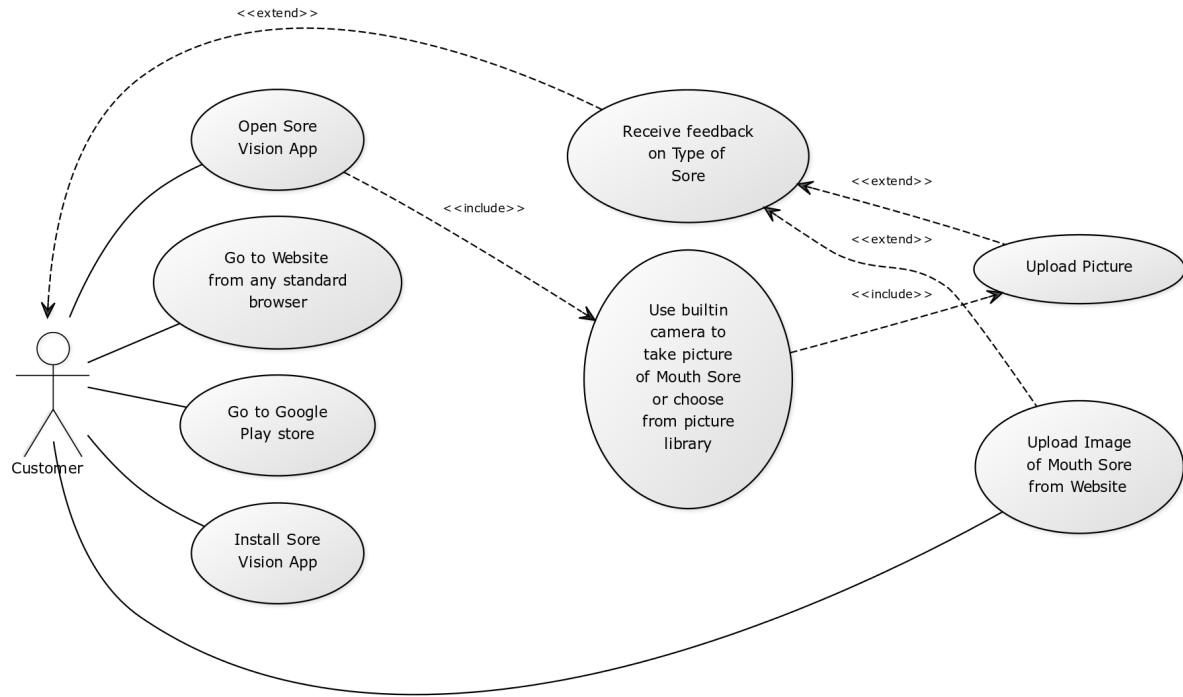
The main objective of “**Sore Vision**” is to provide an easy way for users to perform self-examinations of mouth sores using their Android phone. While it is an understatement that mouth sores do create extreme discomfort and pain for the person, that is not the worst part. One variety of mouth sore, referred to as the “**cold sore**” is highly contagious and an infected person can easily pass on the infection to another person just through skin to skin contact. The other variety of mouth sore, referred to as a “**canker sore**” is also painful but luckily is not contagious. The objective of the “**Sore Vision**” app is to provide immediate feedback to the user on the kind of mouth sore that he/she is battling when presented with an image of the same. Sore Vision uses deep learning to distinguish a cold sore from a canker sore.

### b. Features

The primary features of “Sore Vision” include:

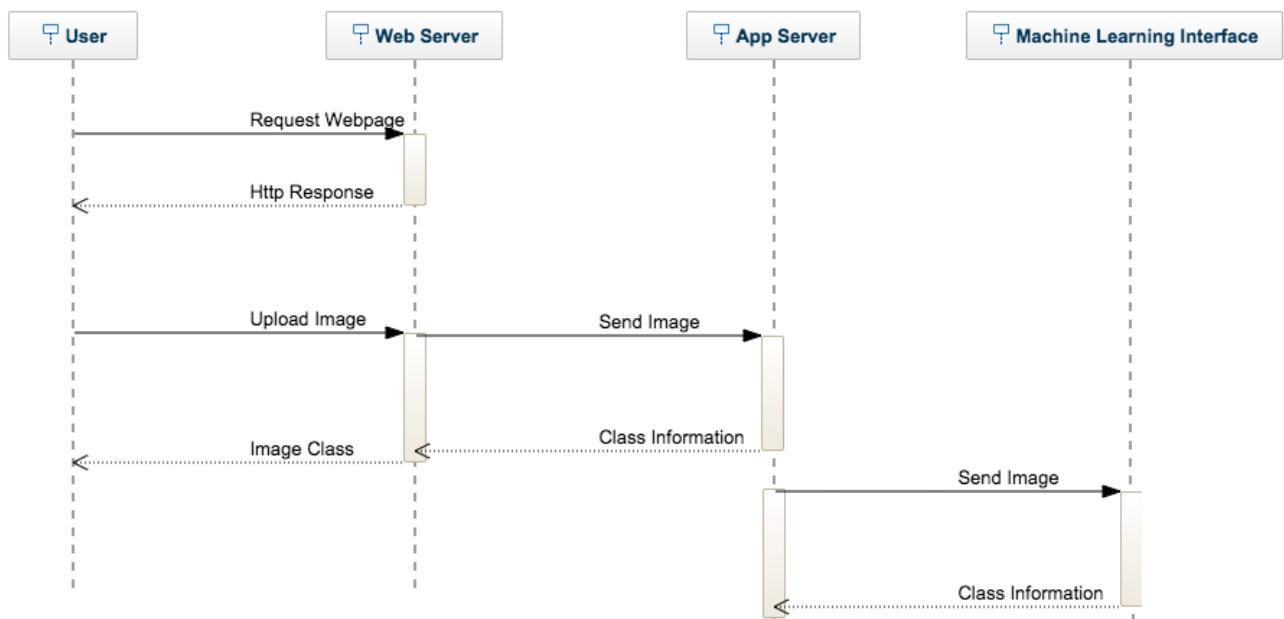
- A model that is trained adequately to identify and classify mouth sores. Three separate models will be designed and developed. First based on Clarifai API, second based on Spark Machine learning and the third based on Deep learning using Tensorflow.
- A web application that provides the user with the ability to upload an image and receive feedback right away through the web UI.
- An installable Android application that allows the user to capture and upload a picture right from within the application.

### c. Standard Use Case for “Sore Vision”



This use case diagram was created using the Use Case diagram creator by Pocketworks and can be accessed at <https://yuml.me/diagram/usecase/draw>. The JSON for creating the use case diagram is given in Appendix A.

#### d. Sequence Diagram for “Sore Vision”



## 2. Approach

When the project has been successfully completed, Sore Vision will be available to the user as a web application as well as an Android app. Image classification will be handled through three separate means.

- 1) External API – We will use Clarifai API for this purpose
- 2) Machine Learning(Spark)
- 3) Deep Learning (Tensor Flow)

During Iteration 1, we will focus on finishing one aspect of the user interface and one image classification scheme. At the end of iteration 1, we will have a working prototype of the website with the necessary integration with Clarifai API to effectively and efficiently classify the image uploaded by the user.

### a. Data Sources

Data for training the model will be mainly sourced from <http://images.google.com>. The goal is to find at least 50 to 75 images that provide close up shots of cold sores and canker sores. With the aid of a dentist, I will classify them into the right classes to begin with. Other than this, there is not much of analytical tasks that needs to be performed on the dataset.

### b. Algorithms

We will use Clarifai's visual recognition algorithm to achieve our goal. That being said, the models that are available in Clarifai will not be sufficient. During this iteration of the project, I plan on creating a new model and training it with adequate data.

## 3. Related Work

A company called i-Nside is using Clarifai API to provide an application that enables doctors to effectively diagnose and treat ear problems. Being a endoscope manufacturer, they already had a

library of over 100,000 images that they could readily use to build and train their own custom visual recognition model in Clarifai.

## 4. Application Specification

For iteration 1, the application will essentially consist of four layers.

- 1) The UI layer which is a standard HTML5 mobile responsive web page. For this iteration, a few test images are provided with the application for testing. Javascript is used to transfer the image from the UI layer to the web server.
- 2) The web server which receives uploaded images from the web page. The web server has the responsibility of receiving the image, storing a local copy of the image and passing it on to the application server for processing.
- 3) An application server which receives the image from the web server and invokes the Clarifai API. The application server is responsible for calling the “**Mouth-sore**” model and passing the image to the model.
- 4) The custom visual recognition model built into Clarifai.

In future iterations, the UI layer will be replaced with an android app and the visual recognition model will be replaced with Machine Learning in Spark and Deep Learning in Tensor Flow.

The use case and the sequence diagram provided in section 1 above provide the application interaction.

## 5. Implementation

Implementing Google cardboard and Google conversation API did not make sense for this project as the user will not able to upload an image through speech. Google cardboard might be an option. I will investiage it in the next iterations.

a. [Webpage](#)

Below is a snapshot of the webpage that will be publicly available to the end user.

## Sore Vision

### Sore Vision - Is it a cold sore or a canker sore?

Cold sores are a cluster of blisters that first appear clear then become cloudy. First infection may be inside the mouth, but cold sores generally appear outside the mouth on the lips.

Canker sores are gray or white sores surrounded by a red inflamed area. They occur only inside the mouth, on the tongue or the insides of the cheeks, lips or throat.

Despite their name, cold sores (also known as fever blisters) are not caused by the common cold. Cold sores typically result from a viral infection called herpes simplex virus (HSV). HSV is contagious and may be transmitted by any contact with the blisters until the sore is healed.

[Learn more about Cold sores](#)



Cold sore?

Select an Image:



Response received from the application when the “Cold sore?” button is pushed with the first image. The model is providing feedback that there is a 85.54% chance that the image has a cold sore.

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Cold sore?

There is a 85.54% chance  
that this is a cold-sore.

Response received from the application when the “Cold sore?” button is pushed with the Second image (which is clearly a canker sore). The model is providing feedback that there is 98.10% chance that the image has a canker sore.

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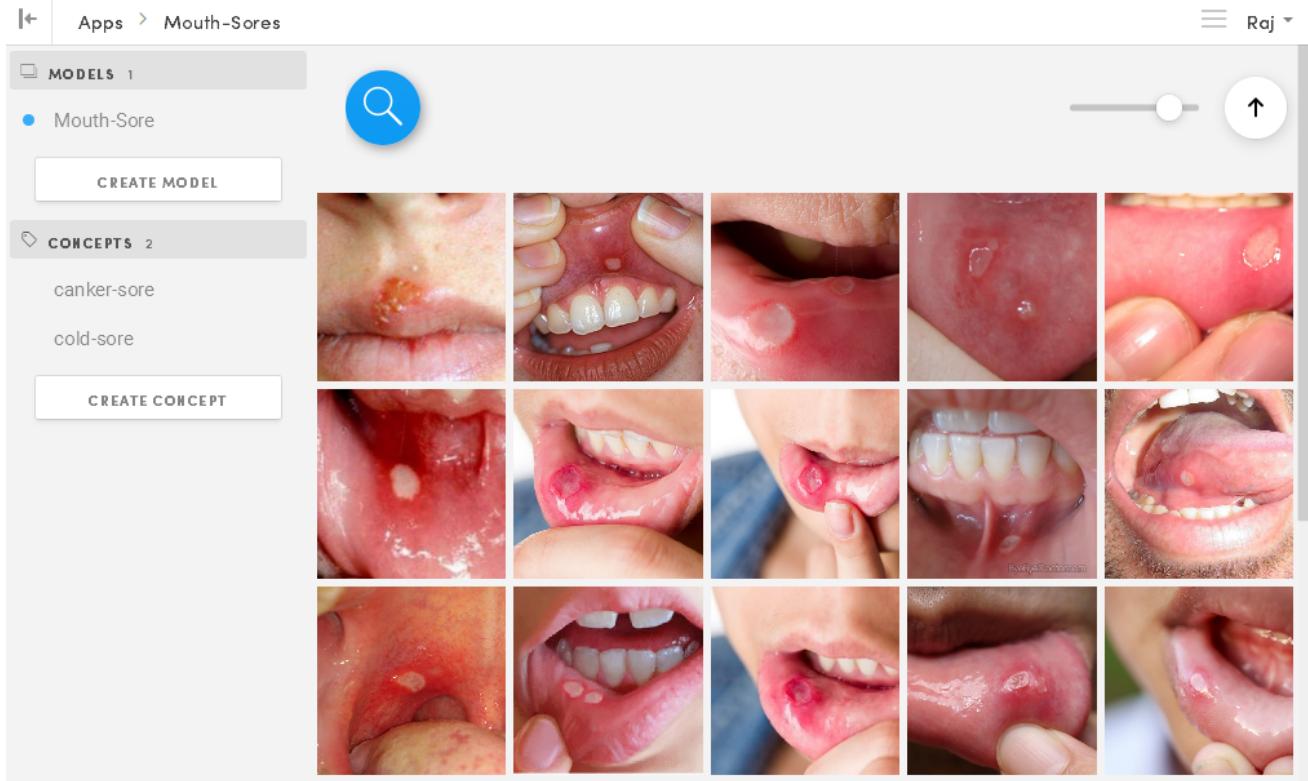


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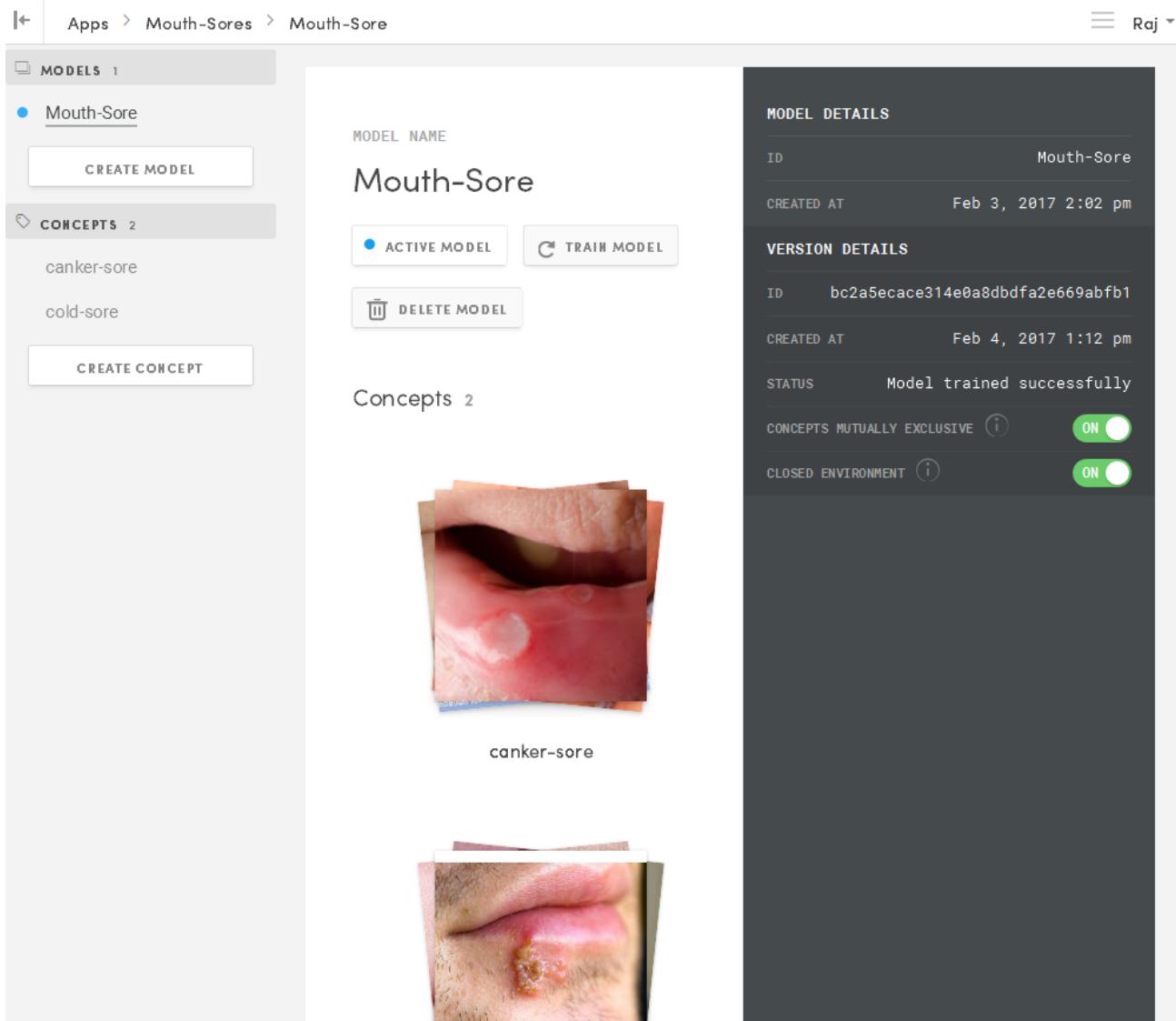
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that this is a canker-sore.

### b. Clarifai Custom model for Mouth sore

The custom visual model has 2 concepts and has 75 images. A few are shown below.



The model was trained successfully and having the “Concepts mutually exclusive” checked provided great results.



## 6. Project Management

### a. Iteration 1 Report from Zenhub

Iteration 1 contained 5 issues of varying complexity. The total number of hours estimated for Iteration 1 was 32 hours. All the five issues have been closed. Iteration 1 has been delivered on time.

Iteration 1 Report – Project “Sore Vision”

Below is a snapshot of the Iteration 1 report. The same can be accessed at  
<https://github.com/rah59/Project-Sore-Vision/issues#reports?report=burndown&milestoneId=2354945>

The screenshot shows the GitHub interface for the project "rah59 / Project-Sore-Vision". The top navigation bar includes links for Code, Issues (0), Pull requests (0), Boards (selected), Reports, Projects (0), and Wiki. Below the navigation are filters for Milestones, Assignees, and Epics. A "filters" section is also present.

The main area displays a burndown chart with three columns: Progress (0), Done (0), and Review/QA (0). To the right of the burndown chart is a list of issues under the "Closed" milestone:

- Project-Sore-Vision #5: Create an app server to connect to Clarifai (Iteration 1)
- Project-Sore-Vision #4: Create an HTTP Server to receive image from Web Client (Iteration 1)
- Project-Sore-Vision #3: Create Web UI to allow users to upload images (Iteration 1)
- Project-Sore-Vision #2: Create new visual model in Clarifai (Iteration 1)
- Project-Sore-Vision #1

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## Iteration 1

This marks the completion of iteration 1

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Start: Feb 1, 2017 Edit Due: Feb 27th, 2017 Edit

weekends ideal completed

32 Total Story Points  
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Create an app server to connect to Clarifai Project-Sore-Vision #5	(8)	

### b. Issues/Concerns

The project requires the incorporation of Google cardboard and Conversational UI. However, there is no way to incorporate Conversational UI as it is nearly impossible to upload an image through speech. The use of Google cardboard will be investigated in later iterations.

## Appendix A – JSON for recreating Use Case Diagram

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