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## 1. Introduction

The following is a proposal for the development, implementation and testing of an Website – Dealership Management Systems. The website will have all the details about the Maker's, Model's of the vehicles, Customer's Information, Sales and Inventories and also the Employee Portal which is integrated to the website.

This project involves the specification of the requirements, designing the wireframe and implementation of features. Testing is done at every stage to ensure a robust application and to reduce defect leaking. Key features to be implemented include a employee login, easy to update and modify the databases cointaining all the information about the sales, maker's, model's, etc... Data gathered from users can also be used to analyze patterns and forecast trends in the market.

The project is estimated to be completed in 6 months and will cost the client \$349,600

## 2. Estimating Factors

## 2.1 Source of Lines of Code

The following is the number of lines of code delivered as part of this project, A justification for the total amount of LOC is provided.

| SLOC   Source Lines Of Code | Value Chosen: 5000 |  |  |
|-----------------------------|--------------------|--|--|
|                             |                    |  |  |
|                             |                    |  |  |

Justification: The project is done in Waterfall model. The employee portal is integrated into the website. The code is written in modules for User Registration, Login, Customer's information, Maker's and Model's information, Sales, Inventory, Search and notes. There are many queries to retrieve, modify and update the data. The data is sorted and categorized. Each code module is also tested individually through unit tests and after wholly after integration.

## 2.2 Scale Drivers

The following is the list of scale drivers, the values applicable to this project and a justification for each value chosen:

| PREC   Precendentedness | Value Chosen: Largely Familiar |  |  |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--|--|
|                         |                                |  |  |

Justification: It measures the similarity of the current project with the ones that have been undertaken by the team earlier. Since it is web development project and the team has good experience in web development and database in the past, the precedentedness is marked as Largely Familiar.

| Development Flexibility | Value Chosen: Some conformity |  |  |  |
|-------------------------|-------------------------------|--|--|--|
|                         |                               |  |  |  |

Justification: This measures the flexibility of the requirements that are supposed to be met by the team. Since most of the requirements are stable and only some are expected to change, I have marked development flexibility as Some Conformity.

| RESL   Architecture/Risk resolution  | Value Chosen: Mostly (90%) |  |  |
|--|----------------------------|--|--|
|  |                            |  |  |
| Justification: This is the degree to which the a architecture is designed well and the majority Mostly (90%) |                            |  |  |

| TEAM   Team Cohession | Value Chosen: Highly Cooperative |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|
|                       |                                  |

Justification: This is the professionalism and ease of communication between the stakeholder and the team. Since the interactions are going to be systematical with clear presentations, there would be no problem. Also this is waterfall model, thus much interaction from the clients are not needed. Thus, I kept the team cohesion as Highly cooperative

## **PMAT | Process Maturity**

Value Chosen: SEI CMM Level 4

Justification: It depends on the SEI Maturity Scale of the company like how the company manages different process and standards. Since the company has well set of processes and documentation of processes thorough, the process maturity is SEI CMM Level 4

## 2.3 Cost Drivers

The following is the list of cost drivers, the values applicable to this project and a justification for each value chosen:

## **ACAP | Analyst Capability**

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is the measure of analyst. I have very well experienced Analysts with excellent technical and communication skills. They are well trained and have continuously showed excellent results . ACAP – Very High

#### **AEXP | Applications Experience**

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is the experience of the team held on such type of projects. My team is very well experienced in web development and database we have kept it as Very High - 6-8 years of experience

## **PCAP | Programmer Capability**

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is the experience of the programmers working, communicating and coordinating with one another. Since this team has been together for about Two and a half years working on the same projects together, the PCAP is Very High.

#### PLEX | Platform Experience

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is dependent on the team's understanding of using powerful platforms, databases, networking servers, etc... Since my team has more than 6 yrs of experience in Web data development and management, PLEX – Very High

#### LTEX | Language and Tool Experience

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is a measure of the level of programming language and software tool experience of the project team developing the software system or subsystem. My team has 6 yrs of experience in such projects. LTEX – Very High

#### PCON | Personal Contuinity

Value Chosen: High

Justification: It is a cost driver related to continuity of the person with the organization and is measured in terms of turnover per year. Since all of the team members are with this company from over three years and their annual turnover is around 6%, PCON - High

#### **TOOL | Use of Software Tools**

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: It is a cost driver which provides the measure on the complexity of the tools that the team will use for the development of the project. Since the team uses basic development tools like Xampp which are simple and they have experience in using them, TOOL – Very High

#### **SITE | Multisite Development**

Value Chosen: Very High

Justification: This is dependent on :- site collocation (from fully collocated to international distribution) and communication support (from surface mail and some phone access to full interactive multimedia). My team has Wideband electronic communication and occasional video conferences with the clients weekly. SITE – Very High

## **SCED | Development Schedule**

Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: This rating measures the schedule constraint imposed on the project team developing the software. We have the target of completing the project on time and we are following normal development schedule as Nominal

#### **TIME | Execution Time Constraint**

Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: This is a measure of the execution time constraint imposed upon a software system. Since it is uses Xampp and MySQL, it will use very nominal execution time. TIME - Nominal

#### **STOR | Main Storage Constraint**

Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: This rating represents the degree of main storage constraint imposed on a software system or subsystem. Since the tools do not consume all the available resources, STOR - Nominal

#### **PVOL | Platform Volatility**

Value Chosen: Low

Justification: This is the complex of hardware and software (OS, DBMS, etc.) the software product calls on to perform its tasks. Since we are using DBMS, it uses both the hardware and OS. Major changes can be expected once in 12 months or so. PVOL - Low

## **RELY | Required Reliability**

Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: This is the measure of the extent to which the software must perform its intended function over a period of time. Since there won't be much of severe consequences because of software failure, we have marked required reliability as Nominal.

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Justification: This measure attempts to capture the affect large data requirements have on product development. Since we will require large data for Customers, Makers, Models, Sales and inventories and also testing purposes, we have marked database size as High

## CPLX | Product Complexity Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: It is a cost driver which provides an measure based on the complexity of the software being developed. Since our system will have good number of loop codes, multiple files with user, sales and vehicle datas, attractive Webpages. CPLX - Nominal.

## RUSE | Required Reusability Value Chosen: Nominal

Justification: This cost driver accounts for the additional effort needed to construct components intended for reuse on the current or future projects. This effort is consumed with creating more generic design of software, more elaborate documentation, and more extensive testing to ensure components are ready for use in other applications. As a team are going to have contract with the stakeholder for only this project. Hence, we have kept it as Nominal

# DOCU | Documentation Match to Life Cycle Needs Value Chosen: High

Justification: It is a measure which is largely dependent upon the documentation that we are creating in the product development. As we are following a Waterfall model and comprehensive documentation is required for this project. DOCU - High

## 3 Project Final Timeline and Cost Structure

## - Previous Cost, Work and Duration (From Microsoft Project planner)

|    | 0   | Task | ▼ Task Name  | Duration | ▼ Start ▼   | Finish • Predecessors | Resource Names                           | Cost         | Work -  | Add New Colun |
|----|-----|------|--|----------|-------------|-----------------------|--|--------------|---------|---------------|
| 1  |     | *    | Dealership Management Systems  | 73 days? |             | Thu 12/12/19          | ▼ Resource Names                         | \$201,262.00 |         | Add New Colur |
| 2  |     | =    | ■Requirement analysis and specifications   | 10 days  |             | Mon<br>9/16/19        | Project Manager                          | \$29,600.00  |         |               |
| 3  |     | =5   | Task 1: Requirements gatehering and<br>analysis - Meet with client and gather<br>requirements for the project.   | 5 days   | Tue 9/3/19  | Mon 9/9/19            | Eapen Ittiyera,Jane,<br>Mayank           | \$6,000.00   | 120 hrs |               |
| 4  |     | =3   | Task 2 : Requirements specification -<br>The requirements gathered are used to<br>create a Software Requirements<br>Document and to define high level<br>requirements. | 5 days   | Tue 9/3/19  | Mon 9/9/19            | Jane, Navneet, Vindhya                   | \$6,000.00   | 120 hrs |               |
| 5  |     | =    | Task 3 : Plan testing activities to be<br>performed to verify high level<br>requirements   | 3 days   | Tue 9/10/19 | Thu 9/12/19 3         | Eapen Ittiyera,Navneet,<br>Vindhya       | \$3,600.00   | 72 hrs  |               |
| 6  |     | -5   | Task 4: Establish the pre-defined<br>conditions that will have to be tested to<br>verify the high level requirements   | 5 days   | Tue 9/10/19 | Mon 9/16/19 4         | Eapen Ittiyera,Jane,<br>Navneet          | \$6,000.00   | 120 hrs |               |
| 7  |     | -5   | 4High Level design and integration<br>testing  | 10 days? | Tue 9/17/19 | Mon 2<br>9/30/19      | Project Manager                          | \$27,200.00  | 464 hrs |               |
| 8  | 111 | =5   | Task 5 : Refine high level requirements<br>to a more granular level  | 4 days   | Tue 9/17/19 | Fri 9/20/19           | Jane,Mayank,Navneet,<br>Vindhya          | \$6,400.00   | 128 hrs |               |
| 9  | === | =3   | Task 6 : Creating a high level solution<br>design and general flow   | 3 days?  | Mon 9/23/19 | Wed 9/25/19 8         | Jane, Mayank, Navneet,<br>Eapen Ittiyera | \$4,800.00   | 96 hrs  |               |
| 10 |     | =    | Task 7 : Planning testing activities for<br>system integration   | 10 days? | Tue 9/17/19 | Mon 9/30/19           | Eapen Ittiyera, Vindhya                  | \$8,000.00   | 160 hrs |               |
| 11 |     | =3   | 4Low level design and unit testing   | 8 days?  | Tue 10/1/19 | Thu 10/10/197         | Project Manager                          | \$20,000.00  | 336 hrs |               |
| 12 | -   | =    | Task 8 : Listing out software and other<br>technologies used in development.   | 8 days   | Tue 10/1/19 | Thu 10/10/19          | Jane, Navneet                            | \$6,400.00   | 128 hrs |               |

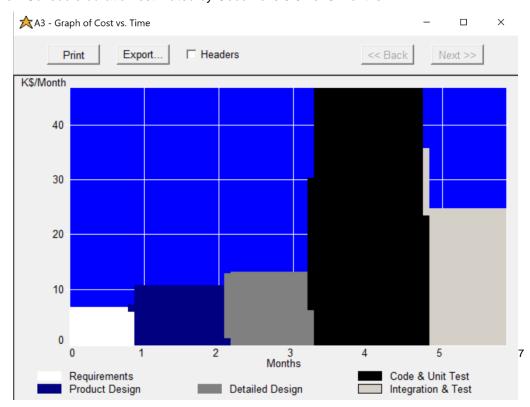
Cost: \$201,262

Hours of Work: 3160

Duration: 3 months 2 weeks.

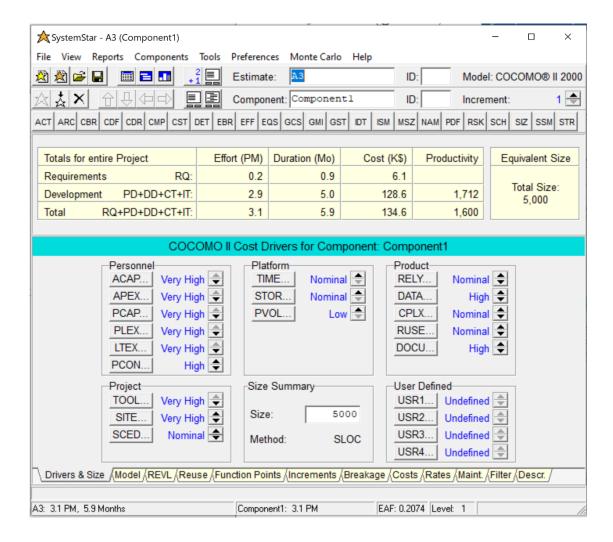
## - New Schedule (Duration)

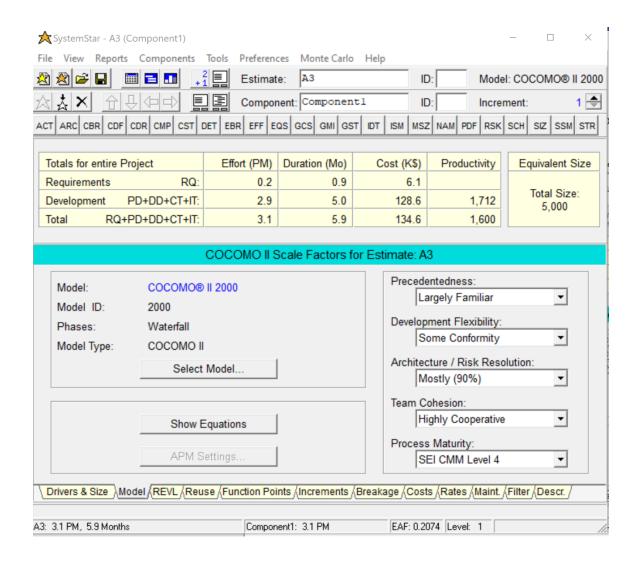
New Schedule duration estimated by Cocomo is 5.9 i.e 6 months.



#### COCOMO estimated costs (Human Resources)

Estimated Human Resources cost by Cocomo is \$134,600





### - Non-Human Resources

Database, Servers and Primary Storage - \$53,000

Selenium Testing Software - \$13,000

Laptops - \$8000

Utilities and Insurance - \$26,4000

Total: \$10,0400

#### Any other costs

Taxes and Misc - \$14,000

- **Profit** ( 50 % ) = 50% 0f \$23,2400

Profit: \$11,7200

Total cost = \$349600

## 4. Conclusion and Recommendations

The duration of the project is 6 months and it is not feasible to complete the project within 3 months of given time period due to functionalities and expected size of the project. Coding along with unit testing will consume the maximum amount of time. The project is estimated to cost \$349,600 which includes all the costs to the company and profit at 50%.

I would recommend you to add a few extra features to beautify the website for maximum user satisfaction. Our team has excellent Web designers and UX designers. This would cost extra time but I feel it would be a nice finish to the product.

I would also suggest you to start advertising the website online for maximum business.

Some more recommendations which can be included in future are as follows:

- 1. Schedule appointment to visit online.
- 2.Show approximate pricing of a particular car based on the user's interest. It can include all the information about the car like mileage, model, pictures, etc...
- 3. Add a Chat Now tab in the website, where the customers can instantly chat with your staffs.
- 4. Add a feedback tab.

## **Appendices**

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