**Exercise 2: The Project Charter Template** 

Project Charter Topic	Description
Team Composition	<ul> <li>Robert Winston – Product Manager (Project lead from Operations)</li> <li>Valerie Kumar – Sponsor</li> <li>Sylvia Sanders – Marketing Lead</li> <li>Hiroshi Tanaka – Lead Engineer</li> <li>Ram Chopra – Design Lead</li> <li>Maggie Jones – Product Owner</li> <li>Sarah Newton – Project Manager</li> <li>Raul Hernandez – Operations Lead</li> </ul>
Team Purpose	The team is responsible for designing and developing an innovative HEPA air purifier line that addresses key market gaps and prepares for a competitive product launch by summer 2026.
Objectives	<ul> <li>Deliver 3 purifier models (Basic, Better, Ultimate) by June 2026</li> <li>Integrate 5 new features that solve critical customer issues</li> <li>Launch beta by mid-June and finalize for production release</li> </ul>
Key Performance Indicators (KPI)	<ul> <li>Prototype completion within budget and timeline</li> <li>25% increase in revenue post-launch</li> <li>Reduction in return rate by 50%</li> <li>Customer satisfaction score (CSAT) above 85%</li> </ul>
Sponsor	Valerie Kumar – Approves funding, oversees progress, and ensures alignment with company goals
Deadlines	<ul> <li>Design Phase: Jan–Feb 2026</li> <li>Development Phase: Mar–May 2026</li> <li>Beta Testing: Early June</li> <li>Launch Readiness: End of June 2026</li> </ul>
Resources	<ul> <li>Initial funding of \$30,000 for Conceive &amp; Plan phases</li> <li>Full development budget of \$80,000 estimated for prototypes and testing</li> <li>Internal product, engineering, and marketing teams allocated</li> </ul>

	Weekly team meetings every <b>Tuesday afternoon</b> to
Meetings	track progress, manage risks, and ensure cross-
	functional coordination. Sarah Newton will lead
	meeting logistics.