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TrendPredictor (Trend prediction tool)

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Abstract

Companies spend millions sometimes on products which don't get sold. For

companies, which solely manufacture apparel, it becomes a huge issue as they don't

get to sell these items and when stock gets returned they have to find space to store

them as well. Which in turn makes companies buy warehouses for storage or

additional surplus charges that they have to adhere. As items, don't get sold or when

they are returned companies suffer bigger and bigger loses. This document presents

the reader with a high-level description of the project.

An automated system for predicting the next trend for the next 6 months or for a

year.It encapsulates the problem that the software is trying to address and the

feasibility of the proposed project. The document also contains the anticipated

schedule of deliverables and moreover, the resources that would be required to

successfully proceed with the project. The project aim and objectives are also

highlighted herein.

The aim of this project is to develop "TrendPredictor", a dedicated trend prediction

system, which lets designers of manufacturing companies to get predicted data on

trends and associate them with the current trends, thus allowing companies to produce

apparel fitting the future market.

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