

# Application Usability Level Checklist

Application \_\_\_\_\_ for end user \_\_\_\_\_

Project name and/or acronym \_\_\_\_\_

Phase I:

AUL1: Basic Research

- Basic research is documented and disseminated
- Ideas for how the product or service would meet the needs of a user
- Potential interested users are identified

AUL2: Establishment of users and their requirements for a specific application

- Decide on a specific user(s) and they are \_\_\_\_\_

- Contacted the user

- Will communicate with the user every \_\_\_\_\_  
using (check all that apply)

- Skype, google hangouts, or other meeting service

- Email or mailing list : \_\_\_\_\_

- Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

- The application is : \_\_\_\_\_

- The requirements and metrics necessary for this application and the user needs are: \_\_\_\_\_

AUL3: Establishment of users and their requirements for a specific application

- Application, user, metrics, and requirements are disseminated via \_\_\_\_\_

- All components of the project has been deemed viable and feasible

- Characterization of the baseline performance and limitations has been completed

- The project has been deemed an improvement on the state of the art

- The project has been deemed viable.

- The project has been deemed feasible.



Phase I completed on \_\_\_\_\_. Ready to move to Phase II



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Phase II:

AUL4: Initial integration and verification

All components are integrated into the application

Organizational and human processes issues identified and managed.

AUL5: Demonstration in the relevant context

Reported on the project's viability and improvement upon the state of the art via \_\_\_\_\_

Application components are integrated into a functioning application system

The project is shown to work in the relevant context and within operating parameters.

AUL6: Complete validation

The prototype has passed beta testing in a simulated operational environment

Improvements on state of the art and/or in decision making context have been demonstrated.

The projects progress, metrics, and validation (listed below) have been disseminated via \_\_\_\_\_:

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Phase II completed on \_\_\_\_\_. Ready to move to Phase III

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Phase III:

AUL7: Application Prototype

The system is fully integrated into the operational environment.

The system's functionality is tested in the operational environment

The system's functionality is demonstrated in the operational environment

The new functionality is reported on to the wider community via \_\_\_\_\_

AUL8: Validation in relevant "real world" environment

The user has approved the addition of the new product to their operational system

Product is shown to meet the specified requirements and metrics.

The Application is qualified and approved by the user

The product documentation is completed and given to the user

The user training for the product has been completed.

AUL9: Approved for on-demand use towards stated application.

The product is in a sustained and repeated use by the user

Long term validation is completed in the operational environment

The use of the product for this application in the operational environment is reported to the wider community. via \_\_\_\_\_

Application location (e.g. URL, DOI) \_\_\_\_\_

Phase III completed on \_\_\_\_\_. Ready to continue the long term validation and next application

