# **MONARCH PATEL**

## **Business Analyst**

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#### SUMMARY

Business Analyst with 3+ years of experience in SDLC, Agile/Scrum, and Waterfall methodologies, proficient in BRD, FRD, and SRS documentation using MS Visio, Jira, and Confluence. Skilled in data analysis with Spotfire, Tableau, Power BI, Salesforce, and SQL, and experienced in project management and team collaboration using Monday.com. Managed projects with MS Project and Excel, improving operational efficiency. Expertise includes GAP analysis, SWOT analysis, and cost/benefit analysis, with strong leadership, problem-solving, and decision-making capabilities delivered results in CRM, project management, and business intelligence.

#### **SKILLS**

Methodologies: SDLC, Agile/Scrum, Waterfall

Documentation: FRD, BRD, SRS

**Project Management Tools:** MS Project, MS Excel, MS SharePoint, SQL **Business Intelligence & Visualization Tools:** Spotfire, Tableau, Power BI

Analysis Skills: Cost/benefit analysis, Impact analysis, GAP analysis, Risk analysis, SWOT analysis

Project Management & Collaboration: Monday.com

**Tracking/Other Skills:** Jira, Microsoft Visio, HP Quality Center, JAD, RTM, Confluence, Figma, CRM, UML **Soft Skills:** Time management, Leadership Negotiation, Documentation and Presentation, Verbal communication

Operating System: Windows, Linux

#### **EDUCATION**

**Master in Management Information System** 

Aug 2022 - May 2024

The University of Texas at Arlington, TX Bachelor in Information Technology

MIT College of Engineering, Pune

July 2013 - May 2020

## **EXPERIENCE**

## BlackRock, TX | Nov 2023 - Current | Business Analyst

- Conducted financial analysis using MS Excel, including budgeting, forecasting, and variance analysis within the SDLC framework to identify key trends, risks, and opportunities.
- Developed and implemented financial models and tools using SQL, Power BI, and Tableau to support decisionmaking, improving accuracy and efficiency.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams following Agile/Scrum methodologies to gather business requirements and create BRD, FRD, and SRS documentation for system enhancements.
- Performed market research and analysis in the LTCI market, utilizing Spotfire for data visualization, directly informing ADH, HHA, and ALF product offerings at Genworth.
- Evaluated and recommended process improvements, streamlining financial operations using MS SharePoint, reducing manual efforts by 30%, and leveraging GAP analysis and SWOT analysis.
- Analyzed large datasets related to LTCI claims and customer behavior, identifying market opportunities and challenges through impact analysis, Jira, and Confluence.
- Led cost-benefit analyses and risk analysis for potential investments, providing insights to senior management and utilizing HP Quality Center and JAD sessions for strategic decision-making.
- Managed financial systems and software implementation using MS Project and Visio, ensuring seamless integration and user adoption within Waterfall project management.
- Provided data-driven insights using Spotfire and Figma, aligning long-term care insurance products with market needs, resulting in a 20% increase in customer satisfaction.

### Orion Technolab., India | Dec 2019 - July 2022 | Business Analyst

- Managed software development projects using the Waterfall methodology, ensuring completion of each phase according to schedule, leading to improved project timelines and stakeholder confidence.
- Created detailed project documentation (FRD, BRD, SRS) that established precise requirements and guided development processes.
- Used MS Project for scheduling and MS Excel for tracking budgets, improving project management accuracy by 20%.
- Built data-driven reports in Tableau and Power BI, providing insights that boosted process efficiency by 15%.
- Integrated CRM systems with POS platforms, enhancing customer data access and enabling real-time sales tracking, improving service quality and sales performance.
- Designed RESTful APIs to streamline system integration, enhancing data transfer and system compatibility across departments.
- Conducted thorough testing (UAT, Black Box, End-to-End) to ensure software met operational requirements and performed as expected.
- Led data warehouse optimization efforts, improving data retrieval and reporting accuracy by 25%.
- Collaborated across teams to align project goals and effectively communicated complex project details to technical and non-technical stakeholders.