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| 1. **Project Overview** |
| **Project Title:**  *\_Enter the project title\_* |
| **Project Description:**  *\_Enter description of the project\_* |
| **Anticipated Completion Date:**  *\_Enter date in <mm/dd/yyyy> format\_* |
| 1. **Project Objectives** |
| **Project Goal(s) and Scope:**  *\_Describe the primary goal of this project. What are you trying to accomplish, by when, and for how much?* |
| **Expected Outcomes & Key Metrics:**  *\_Describe project outcomes; Key Metrics; how you will measure success; will there be any patents generated?* |
| **Merit of the Proposed Work:**  *\_Describe measurable benefits of the project; articulate why should IBM support this project* |
| 1. **Technology / Services Requirements** |
| **Compute & Storage Resources Required:**  *\_List Compute and Storage required; if none required, enter “N/A”*  *\_Provide justification for IBM resources requested as compared to standard computing equipment.* |
| **Software Required:**  *\_List Software required; if none required, enter “N/A”* |
| **Services Required:**  *\_List Services required; if none required, enter “N/A”* |
| **Other Requirements:**  *\_List Other Requirements; if none required, enter “N/A”*  *\_Provide answers to the following questions:*  1) Does the project have external funding?  If so, share funding source, duration, stipulations for technology and infrastructure.  2) Has the project sought external funding that is pending? If so, share funding source, duration, stipulations for technology and infrastructure.  3) Is the work being conducted in conjunction with or part of research efforts with any other entity?  4) Is there an operating system requirement? If so, what are the requirements?  5) What is the duration of the project?  6) What is the timing of the peak cycles expected for the project? |
| 1. **Project Resources** |
| **Project Lead(s):**   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Name | Title | Organization | University | |  |  |  |  |   **Project Team:**   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Name of Faculty | Title | Organization | University | |  |  |  |  | |  |  |  |  | |