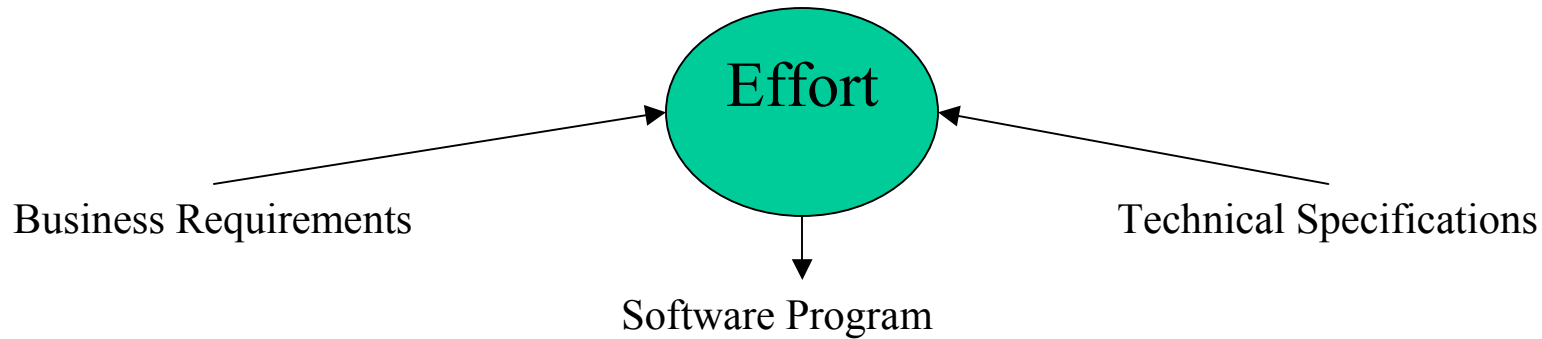


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Business Requirements

Business requirements tells you what the product is supposed to do.

1. Written by someone who understands the needs of the business user
2. Keep business requirements clear, concise and simple
3. Don't go overboard on detail
4. Use lots of pictures and diagrams

Technical Specifications

Technical requirements (or specifications) tells you how the product is supposed to do something. Written by someone who is technical.

1. Product architecture and how it interfaces with other systems
2. Use diagrams and visual aids
3. Consider using UML modeling language
4. Keep it simple.
5. Make this a collaborative process.

They come together to create the **Software Program**