

Deck Builder Project Documentation

Overview

This Flutter application allows users to build, edit, manage, and share decks for a trading card game. It includes user authentication, deck creation tools, a profile page, and public deck browsing.

Project Structure

```
lib/
  └── data/
    ├── model/          # Models (Card, Deck, User)
    └── util/           # API logic, providers, utilities
    └── view/           # UI pages (Home, Login, Profile, Deck Builder)
  └── main.dart        # Entry point
```

Requirements

- Flutter SDK (3.10+ recommended)
- Dart SDK (included with Flutter)
- PocketBase backend
- Internet access for API calls

Setup Instructions

1. Install Flutter

Follow: <https://docs.flutter.dev/get-started/install>

Verify installation:

```
flutter doctor
```

2. Install Dependencies

```
flutter pub get
```

3. Configure PocketBase

In a Terminal, Navigate to PocketBase from main:

```
cd ./deck_builder/pocketbase
```

Start PocketBase:

```
./pocketbase serve
```

Required collections: - `users` - `decks` - `cards`

Make sure `api.dart` points to your PocketBase URL.

4. Run the App

In a separate Terminal, Navigate to deck_builder folder

Then run with this command

```
flutter run
```

Feature Guide

Home Page

- Displays public decks.
- Tap Plus Button to create new deck → opens Deck Builder.
- Create Deck when logged in.

Login Page

- Username + password login.
- Session stored via `UserProvider`.

Sign Up Page

- Email + username + password account creation

Profile Page

- Shows logged-in user info.
- Displays user's decks.
- Delete decks.
- Logout option.

Deck Builder

- Create or edit decks.
- Add/remove cards.
- Save as public or private.

API System (APIRunner)

Handles:

- Authentication
- Fetching decks / cards
- CRUD operations for decks
- Fetching users

Running Tests

Tests are located in:

```
test/
```

Run all tests from deck_builder folder:

```
flutter test
```

Troubleshooting

PocketBase connection errors

Check:

- Server is running.
- API URLs are correct.
- CORS allows Flutter requests.

Tests failing

Make sure dependencies exist:

```
flutter pub add mocktail  
flutter pub add flutter_test
```

Conclusion

This project provides a full end-to-end deck builder system using Flutter and PocketBase. Extend functionality by modifying UI (in `data/view`) or backend logic (`data/util`).