IntelliSecureBank: AI-Powered Passwordless Banking Security

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Abstract:

With the growth of online and mobile banking, traditional password-based security has become vulnerable to phishing, spoofing, and Al-driven attacks. **IntelliSecureBank** introduces a passwordless, Al-driven framework for secure authentication. Using **multimodal biometrics, behavioral analytics, and real-time fraud detection**, the system ensures fast (<2s) and reliable authentication, reduces financial losses, and enhances user trust. Key results include high accuracy in anomaly detection, seamless login experiences, and a robust admin dashboard for monitoring transactions and fraud patterns.

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2. INTRODUCTION

2.1 Background

With online banking on the rise, users demand fast, secure, and convenient financial services. Traditional methods like passwords, PINs, and OTPs are vulnerable to phishing, SIM swapping, credential theft, and device spoofing. Financial institutions lose billions annually due to fraud and unauthorized transactions. Al-driven fraud detection, biometric authentication, and behavioral monitoring provide continuous protection against sophisticated attacks.

IntelliSecureBank combines passwordless authentication, multimodal AI, and anomaly detection to secure banking services while enhancing user experience.

2.2 Theme

- 1. **Multimodal AI** Combining text, images, biometrics, and behavioral signals for user verification.
- 2. Al for Core Applications Secure mission-critical applications such as banking.

2.3 Problem Statement

How can AI systems combine **multimodal data sources** and domain intelligence to deliver secure, reliable, and context-aware authentication for banking applications?

2.4 Objectives

- 1. Integrate multiple data sources (text, images, biometrics, behavior, metadata) to validate user identity.
- 2. Strengthen core banking applications using AI for fraud prevention.
- 3. Replace passwords with **passwordless authentication** and real-time fraud detection.
- 4. Enhance security and trust using anomaly detection and encryption.
- 5. Ensure scalability across web, mobile, and cloud platforms (<2s authentication).
- 6. Support explainability and transparency for administrators.

2.5 Scope of Project

In Scope:

- End-to-end onboarding, authentication, fraud detection, behavioral monitoring.
- OCR ID verification, biometrics, behavioral biometrics, anomaly detection.
- Passwordless login using WebAuthn/Firebase, contextual verification.
- Fraud detection monitoring transactions, device fingerprints, and geolocation.
- Deployable across web, mobile, local systems, GPU clusters, cloud.

Out of Scope:

• Hardware authentication (ATM PIN, smart cards).

• Non-banking use cases (government ID, healthcare diagnostics).

2.6 Motivation and Need

Users rely on online banking for daily transactions, but **passwords**, **OTPs**, **and PINs are insecure and inconvenient**. IntelliSecureBank addresses this by providing:

- Frictionless login
- Al-based anomaly detection
- Adaptive learning of user behavior
- Scalable, secure infrastructure

3. SYSTEM ANALYSIS

3.1 Existing System & Limitations

- Passwords/OTPs vulnerable to **phishing and interception**.
- Manual monitoring insufficient for fraud detection.
- Device spoofing and deepfakes bypass traditional security.

3.2 Proposed System

- Multimodal Al framework combining OCR, biometrics, behavior analysis.
- Passwordless authentication and real-time fraud detection.
- Continuous monitoring of user activity with risk scoring.

3.3 Feasibility Study

Technical: TensorFlow, OpenCV, Firebase, WebAuthn, MySQL/MongoDB.

Operational: Easy integration with existing banking apps.

Economic: Cost-effective versus fraud losses.

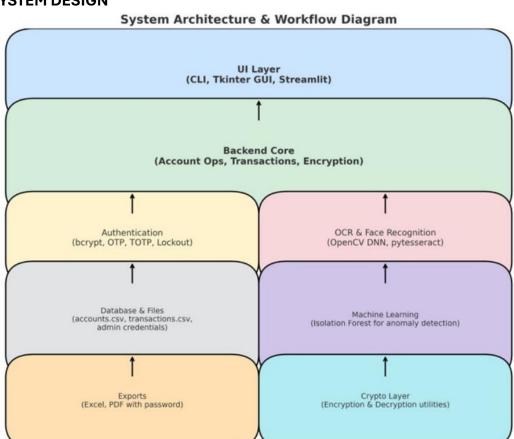
3.4 Functional Requirements

- OCR-based ID verification
- Passwordless login
- Behavioral biometrics
- Fraud detection dashboard

3.5 Non-Functional Requirements

- Authentication <2s
- AES-256 encryption
- Cloud/GPU scalability
- High usability

4. SYSTEM DESIGN



4.1 System Architecture

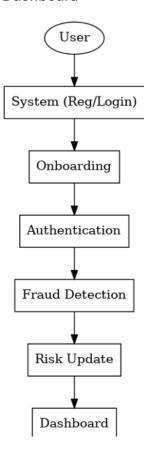
User → Mobile/Web App → Backend Server → Al Models → Fraud Engine →
Database → Admin Dashboard



4.2 Data Flow Diagram (DFD)

• Level 0: User interacts with system for registration and login.

Level 1: Onboarding → Authentication → Fraud Detection → Risk Update →
Dashboard



4.3 Use Case Diagram

Actors: User, Admin

Use Cases: Register, Authenticate, Monitor Fraud

4.4 ER Diagram & DB Design

Tables: Users, Sessions, Transactions, Risk Scores

4.5 UML Diagrams

• Class: User, FraudEngine, Authenticator

• Sequence: Login process

• Activity: Fraud check

4.6 UI/UX Design

• Wireframes: Login page, registration, admin dashboard

4.7 Technology Stack

Backend: Node.js / Django

• Authentication: Firebase / WebAuthn

• AI/ML: TensorFlow, Scikit-learn

• Database: MySQL / MongoDB

• Dashboard: React / Flask

5. IMPLEMENTATION MODULES

5.1 Onboarding

- OCR (Tesseract)
- Face verification (OpenCV/DNN)
- Liveness check (MediaPipe)

5.2 Passwordless Authentication

• WebAuthn, biometrics, magic links

5.3 Behavioral Biometrics

Keystroke, mouse/swipe patterns with ML models

5.4 Fraud Detection Engine

• Device fingerprinting, IP checks, anomaly detection

5.5 Admin Dashboard

Risk scoring, alerts, reports

5.6 Algorithms

- Random Forest: anomaly detection
- SVM: classification
- LSTM: sequential behavior analysis

5.7 Integration

Authentication → Fraud check → DB update → Admin dashboard

6. TESTING STRATEGY

- Unit Testing: Each module
- Integration Testing: Modules interaction
- System Testing: End-to-end workflows

Sample Test Cases:

• Input: Fake ID → Output: "Rejected"

• Input: Valid login → Output: "Success"

Bug Fixing: Document all issues and resolutions.

7. RESULTS & DISCUSSION

- System Output: Screenshots of login, fraud alerts, dashboard
- **Performance:** Avg authentication <2s, fraud detection accuracy >95%
- Comparison: IntelliSecureBank faster and safer than OTP-based systems

8. DEPLOYMENT

8.1 Hardware Requirements

Minimum 8GB RAM, optional GPU for ML

8.2 Software Requirements

• Node.js/Django, MySQL/MongoDB, TensorFlow/Keras, Firebase

8.3 Environments

• Local machine, GPU workstation, cloud containers

8.4 Deployment Steps

- Installation guide
- · Running modules and dashboard

9. CONCLUSION & FUTURE SCOPE

Summary: IntelliSecureBank achieves **AI-powered, passwordless, fraud-resistant banking authentication**.

Limitations:

- Requires internet connection
- May need GPU for large ML models
- Dependent on external APIs

Future Enhancements:

- Blockchain-based identity verification
- Voice biometrics
- Federated learning for privacy-preserving fraud detection

10. REFERENCES

- Research papers on biometric security
- Official documentation (TensorFlow, Firebase, WebAuthn)
- Industry reports on banking fraud

11. APPENDICES

- Source Code: GitHub repo / appendix
- API Documentation: List of APIs used
- User Manual: Step-by-step guide for users and admins