

Development of an Integrated Subscriber Billing System with an Al-Powered Digital Assistant for Enhanced Client Efficiency: A Solution for D&D I.T Network and Data Solutions

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Executive Summary

This project aims to enhance operational efficiency and customer satisfaction for D&D I.T Network and Data Solution by developing a two-pronged solution: a subscriber billing system and an internal AI digital assistant. These solutions are designed to automate billing processes, reduce errors, and improve service delivery. The project is scheduled to be completed within one year and the primary objectives are to implement an automated subscriber billing system to replace manual processes and deploy an internal AI digital assistant to streamline administrative tasks and data management. The primary stakeholders are the community of D&D I.T Network as well as the company's 500+ subscribers. The project methods include developing a user-friendly platform that automates billing processes, integrates payment gateways, and offers online access to billing information, and implementing an Al-driven tool to automate tasks like identifying overdue accounts, generating analytical reports, and managing customer records. The expected outcomes include a significant reduction in billing errors, faster invoice processing and delivery times, and enhanced customer satisfaction by decreasing complaints related to payment issues. Customers will benefit from improved transparency and self-service capabilities, while clients will gain efficiency, allowing them to focus on strategic tasks. This initiative will strengthen D&D I.T's reputation as a reliable ISP, enhancing customer loyalty and market competitiveness. Next steps involve finalizing the project plan, securing necessary resources, developing and testing the subscriber billing system and Al digital assistant, deploying the systems, and monitoring performance with necessary adjustments. By implementing these solutions, D&D I.T aims to improve operational efficiency, reduce billing-related errors, and enhance overall customer satisfaction, positioning itself as a leading ISP in the Philippines.

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I. Introduction

Efficient billing systems are crucial for internet service providers (ISPs) to stay competitive in today's digital age [1]. The absence of a billing system leads to the use of manual methods, such as pen and paper, for billing processes, resulting in errors, delays, customer confusion, and significant time consumption [2]. This is particularly relevant for D&D I.T Network and Data Solution, an Internet Service Provider that offers various internet packages. However, D&D I.T Network and Data Solution faces several challenges.

Project Context

D&D I.T Network and Data Solution, an Internet Service Provider in the Philippines, was established within the past two years and offers various internet packages. The company has over 500 subscribers, comprising a mix of small business owners and individuals, and is dedicated to providing affordable, reliable, and high-speed internet services in Mandaluyong, Quezon City, and Taguig. The company's extensive wide-area network infrastructure serves schools, residential areas, corporations, and both the public and private sectors, supporting vast data transmissions involving voice, data, and video applications.

D&D I.T Network and Data Solutions Mission

To provide a reliable fiber internet connection nationwide, D&D I.T Network and Data Solution aims to offer service and top-class support that meets and even exceeds customer expectations. Additionally, the company is dedicated to providing useful and suitable value-added services in addition to internet services [3].

D&D I.T Network and Data Solutions Vision

A company recognized as the leading Internet Service Provider in the Philippines, delivering high-speed internet nationwide and addressing both corporate and residential market demands [3].

D&D I.T Network and Data Solution, a rapidly expanding ISP in the Philippines, currently utilizes manual billing processes. This has led to a notable rise in billing inaccuracies, such as a 20% error rate in the last quarter, and delays in invoice delivery, causing frustration and dissatisfaction among customers. For instance, there has been a 30% increase in customer complaints related to billing issues. Additionally, managing customer records and identifying overdue accounts is a time-consuming manual process.

To address these challenges, this project proposes a two-pronged solution:

Subscriber Billing System: This user-friendly platform will automate the billing process, eliminating errors and streamlining invoice delivery. Customers will be able to conveniently review their statements, explore available plans, and process payments online, improving transparency and self-service capabilities.

Internal Al Digital Assistant: This Al assistant will directly access data from the billing system to automate tasks such as identifying account status and information, as well as generating reports for data analysis. This will free up D&D I.T's staff to focus on other critical tasks and improve overall operational efficiency.

By collaborating with D&D I.T Network and Data Solution, the developer aims to achieve operational efficiency. The project directly supports D&D I.T's mission by enhancing the reliability and efficiency of their services, thereby exceeding customer expectations and providing valuable additional services. It aligns with the company's vision by contributing to their recognition as the leading ISP in the Philippines, known for delivering high-speed internet and addressing diverse market demands [3].

1.1 Statement of the Problem

This project addresses three significant challenges faced by the company. First, the lack of an automated billing system necessitates reliance on manual methods, leading to increased errors and delays. Second, there is difficulty in efficiently tracking billing reports, leading to confusion in managing subscribers' records and further complicating the billing process.

Addressing these issues is essential for improving operational efficiency and optimizing processes within the organization.

The project aims to address the following problems of the company:

Lack of an automated billing system

Consequently, they have been using manual methods including the use of pen and paper to record data, manage information, and generate billing reports. This approach significantly increases the risk of errors and delays, given the time-sensitive nature of billing tasks.

Challenges in monitoring reports

The company currently relies on manual methods for monitoring billing reports like writing billing reports using the old way which is by the use of pen and paper. This paper-based system is prone to errors and inconsistencies, creating confusion for both internal staff and customers. Resolving billing inquiries becomes a slow process, potentially leading to customer dissatisfaction.

Payment process through 7-11 stores

The company has been facing challenges with its payment process. The customers have to go to 7-11 stores, which can be inconvenient due to environmental factors such as rain and rising temperatures. Additionally, long lines and occasional maintenance issues with store servers have contributed to errors and delays, including incorrect entry of account numbers.

1.2 Objectives

The objective of this project is to develop an automated billing system and an internal AI digital assistant to improve the efficiency and enhance the customer satisfaction of D&D I.T. Network and Data Solution.

Specifically, the project aims to:

- 1. Reduce billing processing time by 95%.
- 2. Implement an internal AI Digital Assistant with 100% accuracy rate to answer staff's billing inquiries promptly.
- 3. Answer staff's concerns regarding subscriber's accounts inquiries within 1-4 seconds.
- 4. Improve service reliability and efficiency to exceed customer expectations, aiming for a 99% uptime.

1.3 Significance of the Project

The project holds significant importance as it aids the D&D I.T Network and Data Solution Community in optimizing their billing processes through a system integrated with an Al Digital Assistant, thereby fostering efficiency and accuracy. This project benefits the following:

D&D I.T Network and Data Solution: The project introduces a billing system tailored for subscribers, alongside an AI Digital Assistant designed for internal staff support, both offering significant benefits to the D&D I.T Network and Data Solution Community. By implementing this system, the community can enhance their billing process, reducing errors and saving time, thus improving overall management. This initiative aligns with SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure, promoting resilient infrastructure and fostering innovation [4].

D&D I.T Network and Data Solution Subscribers: Subscribers will benefit from the project's implementation, as it provides them with a convenient and accessible billing system. This system allows for easy review of statements, exploration of available plans, and processing of payments. Additionally, an AI digital assistant supports staff in swiftly addressing billing inquiries, ensuring a great customer experience.

For Future Researchers: Future researchers can use this study as a foundation for further innovations, exploring Al's role as a digital assistant and developing more efficient billing systems across various industries. This system uniquely combines advanced Al features with specific billing needs, paving the way for personalized, automated, and highly efficient billing solutions that can be adapted to different organizational contexts, thereby pushing the boundaries of what Al can achieve in operational automation.

1.4 Scope and Limitations

The primary goal of this project is to develop a billing system for subscribers and an Al digital assistant specifically for internal use within the D&D I.T Network and Data Solutions Community. The aim is to optimize billing processes and improve efficiency. The focus will be on implementing essential features such as a billing system homepage that includes available internet plans. Additionally, there will be an account statement feature where subscribers can check their balance, view statements from specific dates, and download their statements. The payment functionality will allow subscribers to pay their bills, choose to pay for their plans, or pay their remaining balance. This system will be integrated into the existing website.

The AI digital assistant, integrated with the billing system, will answer staff inquiries, track subscriber due dates, monitor subscribers who have been with the company for a year, identify subscribers who have opted for specific plans, track those who have settled their payments, and generate reports. However, the scope of this project does not include the entire website development, such as login and signup functionalities, a ticketing system, the addition of payment methods, or the creation of a client-specific billing system. These features are not included in the current scope to ensure the project's scalability, allowing for future expansion and the ability to accommodate increased user demands as the system grows.

II. Review of Related Literature / Systems

Importance of Efficient Billing Systems for ISPs

In the highly competitive telecommunications market, customer satisfaction is crucial for ensuring loyalty and reducing churn. One critical aspect influencing customer satisfaction is the billing system. Complex and confusing bills can lead to dissatisfaction and ultimately drive customers away. This literature review explores various studies and findings related to enhancing customer experience in billing systems [5]. Telecommunication service providers require an effective and accurate billing system to ensure their revenue. This entails functionalities such as account activation and tracking, service feature selection, determination of billing rates, invoice creation, payment entry, and effective customer communication [6]. These components are essential for supporting both business operations and maintaining positive customer relations.

The evolution of customer billing systems within the telecommunications industry has become increasingly vital in shaping user experience (UX) and sustaining competitive advantage. Recent research highlights the critical role of UX principles in enhancing customer satisfaction with billing processes [7]. This includes ensuring billing accuracy, improving the clarity of billing statements, and promptly addressing any billing issues. By integrating UX approaches in billing system design, service providers can significantly enhance overall customer satisfaction. Prioritizing factors such as information clarity, ease of understanding, and responsiveness to customer inquiries helps mitigate dissatisfaction and reduce customer churn. These efforts align with telecommunications service providers' ongoing strategies to optimize billing systems for enhanced efficiency and customer satisfaction [7].

Al in ISP Billing Systems

Artificial intelligence (AI) has significantly influenced network industries by reducing operational costs, enhancing performance, improving customer service, and facilitating the development of new services. These AI applications are prevalent in various sectors, including telecommunications, where AI is increasingly essential to operations. Ongoing advancements in computing power, data availability, transmission capabilities, and decreasing costs have further accelerated the adoption of AI across these industries [8].

The transformational potential of AI is attracting significant interest across the telecommunications industry, as evidenced by a study exploring its impact on various business models [9]. This study highlights the potential benefits of AI in areas like network operation management and customer support, functions that are crucial for efficient ISP billing systems.

In addition to telecommunications, the broader application of AI tools such as Microsoft Copilot demonstrates the potential of AI integration in enhancing user experience across different software applications. Microsoft Copilot, a generative AI tool, assists users with tasks such as creating PowerPoint presentations and summarizing emails. Introduced in February 2023 as Bing Chat and later rebranded, Copilot was integrated into the Microsoft 365 Suite in March 2023, allowing users to leverage AI for productivity tasks. This integration has been widely adopted, with 40% of Fortune 100 companies participating in the Early Access Program by early 2024, showcasing the transformative potential of AI tools in everyday information work [10].

Conversational AI Assistant

Conversational AI refers to assistants capable of engaging in full conversational dialogue to fulfill various tasks. According to Freed [11], these assistants are comprehensive systems designed for interacting with users through natural language conversations.

In many conversational systems, there's a clear process: the user asks a question, and the system provides an answer. When a person inputs something into the computer, it's called a query. Then, the conversational AI works in one of two ways to come up with a response. Generation-based systems create new responses by putting together words and phrases based on what they've learned, while retrieval-based systems find already-existing responses from a collection of data [12].

Conversational AI and other AI assistants are transforming the way businesses interact with their customers. These assistants empower users with self-service capabilities, allowing them to get what they want, when they want it, and in the manner they prefer. AI assistants come in many forms, including those that engage in full conversations with users, execute single commands through dialogue, or operate behind the scenes without any direct interaction. A conversational AI assistant features a conversational interface and can handle a variety of requests, which may be satisfied through a simple question-and-answer format or may require a more complex conversational flow [11].

Synthesis

In this project, the developer will create a conversational AI assistant with similar functionalities to those discussed in the literature. This assistant will utilize natural language processing to interact with users and perform tasks, aligning with the capabilities and benefits outlined in existing studies.

For D&D I.T Network and Data Solution, implementing a similar billing system and an Al digital assistant can offer significant benefits. A billing system streamlines the process, minimizes errors, and improves customer experience. By sourcing data directly from the billing system, the Al digital assistant can address staff billing concerns, identify overdue accounts, and generate detailed reports for effortless data analysis, similar to how Copilot generates reports within specific contexts. This will not only streamline D&D I.T's operations but also enhance customer satisfaction by providing a transparent and efficient billing experience.

This strategic integration not only streamlines D&D I.T and Data Solution operations but also enhances customer satisfaction by providing a transparent and efficient billing experience. By prioritizing clarity, accuracy, and responsiveness in billing processes, D&D I.T and Data Solution can strengthen its competitive edge and meet the evolving expectations of its diverse subscriber base.

III. Current Systems

3.1 Technical Background

The staff will contact subscribers to remind them about their upcoming payments. This process is done manually, with personnel personally reaching out to each subscriber to ensure they are aware of the due payment and to provide assistance as needed.

The company primarily uses its Facebook page for customer outreach, such as responding to comments and messages. They typically post announcements 3-5 times a month, including company updates. Additionally, they utilize Viber, SMS, Email, and Messenger to send bills to customers.

However, the company's current system for tracking billing reports is inefficient. It relies on a combination of staff-maintained spreadsheets and manual processes to monitor information such as billing details and customer payment status. For payments, staff members manually generate paper receipts to confirm the payment, including the date, amount, and account number. This manual process makes it difficult for staff to track their billing reports efficiently.

3.2 List of Processes

Table I List of Processes

Process ID	Process Name	Process Details
P001	Inquiry	 Subscribers will be routed over to their website where they can choose for plan and subscribe. Subscribers can message them through Facebook and have them assisted and book for an appointment.
P002	Billing statement	 The subscribers receive their bill through Viber, SMS, Email, and Messenger. The bill contains details such as the amount due, due date, account number, and any additional charges or fees.
P003	Payment	 Existing subscribers can pay their bill by reaching out through Messenger. Subscribers will be assisted by personnel who will ask for necessary payment information. The personnel will coordinate with the finance team. The finance team will contact the subscribers via SMS or Messenger to gather required information for successful payment based on the preferred method.
P005	Tracking Bill Reports	The client relies on a combination of staff-maintained spreadsheets and manual processes to track billing reports, including billing details and customer payment status.

3.3 SWOT Analysis

The SWOT analysis serves as a valuable instrument for D&D I.T Networks and Data Solution in evaluating both its internal strengths and weaknesses within the company, along with external opportunities and threats. This analysis offers a comprehensive perspective on where the organization stands currently, aiding in the identification of areas for enhancement, potential paths for growth, and risks to be aware of. By using its strengths, improving weaknesses, seizing opportunities, and dealing with threats, D&D I.T Networks can improve its efficiency and handle potential challenges for their community.

1) Strengths

- Affordable Network Plans: D&D I.T Networks offers a variety of plans, ranging from basic options for individual users to more advanced plans for businesses and organizations, providing subscribers with plenty of choices to meet their network demands.
- 2. Experienced Technical Support: The team of experienced professionals ensures that the networks are always running smoothly, providing reliable technical support.
- 3. 24/7 Customer Service: The team is committed to excellent customer service, with a support team available 24/7 to answer questions and troubleshoot any issues.

2) Weaknesses

1. Lack of Automated Billing System and Challenges in Tracking Billing Reports: The absence of a billing system forces the team to handle billing manually, increasing the risk of errors and delays. This manual process also complicates tracking billing reports, leading to significant difficulties and considerable confusion when managing subscriber records and system updates, further complicating the billing process.

3) Opportunities

- 1. Introducing New Payment and Billing Methods: The team can implement new ways for customers to check their bill statements, avail of plans, and make payments conveniently. Additionally, adopting an Al digital assistant could help reduce errors and save time, allowing staff to manage the system quickly and easily. This enhancement would significantly improve overall service quality and customer satisfaction.
- Increasing Subscriber Base: By providing fast service and a transparent, convenient system, the company can improve its performance by 20% and attract a larger number of new subscribers.

4) Threats

- Technological Advancements by Competitors: Rapid technological advancements in the IT and networking industry by competitors can outpace D&D I.T Networks' offerings, making their services less attractive. Competitors might introduce new, innovative solutions that D&D I.T Networks has yet to develop or adopt.
- 2. Cybersecurity threats: As a provider of IT networks and data solutions, DDIT Networks is a prime target for cyber-attacks. Data breaches or cyber-attacks can compromise customer information, lead to legal ramifications, and damage the company's reputation.

3.3 Fishbone Diagram

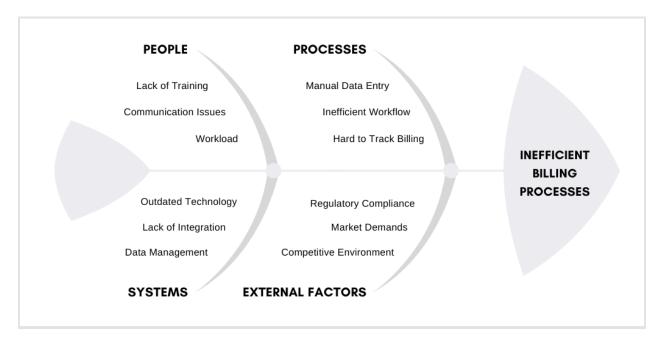


Fig. 1 Fishbone Diagram

The fishbone diagram, also known as an Ishikawa or cause-and-effect diagram, illustrates the various factors contributing to the inefficiencies in D&D I.T Networks and Data Solutions billing processes. It categorizes the root causes into four main areas: People, Processes, Systems, and External Factors.

IV. Proposed Solution

4.2 Lean Canvas

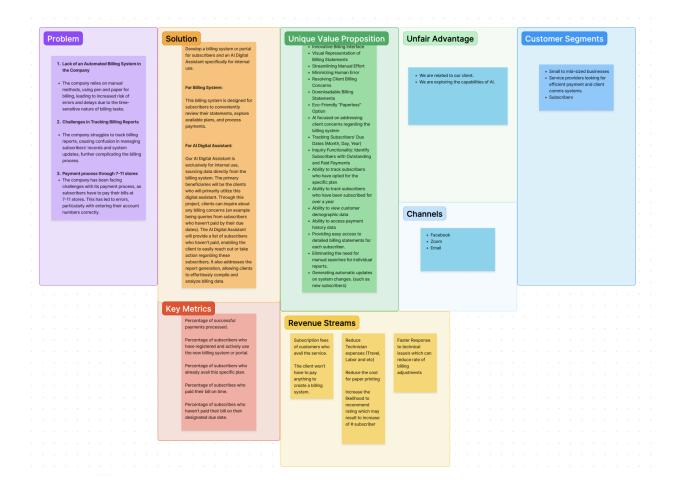


Fig. 2 Lean Canvas for D&D I.T Network and Data Solution

This project addresses inefficiencies due to the lack of a billing system, challenges in tracking billing reports, and payment processes by proposing a billing system and an internal AI Digital Assistant. These solutions aim to reduce errors, streamline billing, and enhance generated reports. The billing system will allow subscribers to explore available plans, view statements, and manage payments, while the AI Digital Assistant will handle internal billing

inquiries and create billing reports. The unique value proposition focuses on visual statements, minimized errors, and comprehensive data access. Key metrics include successful payment processing and subscriber engagement. Revenue streams will come from subscription fees and cost savings. The target audience includes small to mid-sized businesses and service providers. Communication channels will include Facebook, Zoom, and email, all implemented at a standard cost. The goal is to improve billing efficiency, client satisfaction, and business growth for D&D I.T Network and Data Solution.

4.3 Product Vision

Table II Product Vision

For	D&D I.T Network and Data Solution
Who	Needs an efficient and automated billing system to reduce errors, delays, and inefficiencies in their current manual processes.
The	Subscriber Billing System and Internal Al Digital Assistant
That	Provides a user-friendly platform for subscribers to manage their accounts and an Al Digital Assistant for internal use to address billing concerns, identify overdue accounts, and generate billing reports efficiently.
Unlike	The current manual billing processes that are prone to errors, delays, and inefficiencies.
Our Project	Will improve transparency, empower customers to manage their accounts effectively, and enhance the reliability and efficiency of D&D I.T's services. The AI Digital Assistant will streamline internal operations, making it easier for the staff to manage billing data and take timely actions regarding overdue payments.

4.4 Technology Specifications

1. Open Al Account

• Type: LLM (Large Language Model)

Purpose: Developers choose OpenAI for its strong community and support, offering access to a network of researchers, engineers, and enthusiasts for valuable learning, troubleshooting, and collaboration. OpenAI's open-source contributions, including frameworks and tools, facilitate AI research and development, promoting collaboration and innovation. OpenAI makes it easy for developers to integrate AI into applications like text-based apps and chatbots. Founded in 2015, OpenAI is a leading research organization advancing AI for humanity's benefit, focusing on groundbreaking research and cutting-edge technologies like GPT, with a strong emphasis on safety and ethics.

2. Frappe

• **Type:** Framework

Purpose: The developers choose Frappe as their framework for building complex, data-centric web applications, especially suited for enterprise systems that require advanced database management, workflows, and detailed permissions. Frappe provides a modular, low-code approach, simplifying the development and maintenance of these systems. It enables developers to manage CRUD operations with minimal custom code, design custom workflows and forms to streamline business processes, and configure complex permissions for precise access control. With Frappe, developers can also generate reports, visualize data through dashboards, and integrate with external systems using

REST APIs, making it a flexible and powerful choice for creating scalable business applications like ERPNext.

3. Laptop

• Type: Hardware

 Purpose: This is to ensure that developers can create the objective smoothly, avoiding the aspect of system crash and latency issues.

• Memory (RAM): 8 GB

• Operating System: Windows 11

4. Peopleware

- Java Developer
- Product Designer
- QA Tester
- UI/UX Designer

4.5 Feasibility

Operational Feasibility

This part of the paper ensures that this system can handle changes in the system and will still be functional when applying new or updated functionalities or even adjustments for it to catch up with other competitors.

- 1) Operational Feasibility: The new system will streamline operations, reduce errors, and improve customer satisfaction by offering a user-friendly platform for reviewing statements, exploring plans, and processing payments. The Al assistant will enhance internal efficiency by promptly addressing billing concerns and generating reports. This approach aims to minimize confusion and errors when using the system, ensuring its feasibility. Aligning with the company's mission and vision, this project supports long-term operational goals.
- 2) *Economic Feasibility:* This section details the evaluation of how the project or business idea can generate adequate benefits relative to its associated costs.

Development Cost

The development of this system will incur no charges as it is part of the Project-Based Learning program of Asia Pacific College, making it free of charge.

Operational Cost

Currently, the operational cost will include fees for the cloud SQL Server, as the system will manage and store necessary information. As well as the API costs for ChatGPT software that are needed for the system to function.

Tangible benefits

By implementing this system at D&D I.T Network and Data Solutions, the company will experience an increase in revenue and subscribers since this will advertise the company's commitment to optimizing customer satisfaction and efficiency. The billing system, projected to reduce processing times by up to 95%, will attract new subscribers seeking efficient and transparent service. Additionally, the AI digital assistant will significantly improve internal efficiency by promptly addressing internal inquiries (improving response times by approximately 99%), tracking subscriber due dates, monitoring long-term customer relationships, and generating insightful reports.

Intangible benefits

Implementing this system would improve D&D I.T Networks and Data Solutions' overall reputation and boost employee retention and satisfaction by creating a positive and supportive environment. Additionally, it can strengthen customer trust and loyalty by showing our dedication to delivering excellent services to their company.

- 3) Technical Feasibility: From a technical perspective, the project is feasible given the current advancements in AI and billing system technologies. The development team will leverage existing technologies and tools to create a robust and scalable system. The technical expertise of the development team and the availability of necessary resources, such as software development tools and platforms, support the successful implementation of the project. The system's design will focus on user-friendliness, accuracy, and reliability.
- 4) Schedule Feasibility: The project timeline will be carefully planned to ensure timely completion. With clear objectives and a defined scope, the project will be divided into manageable phases: requirement analysis, design, development, testing, and deployment. Each phase will have specific milestones and deliverables, ensuring the project stays on track. Adequate time will be allocated for testing and user training to ensure a smooth transition and successful implementation.

V. Requirements Analysis

V.1 Product Backlog / User Stories

Table III Product Backlog

User stories				
ID	As a	I want to be able to	So that	Priority
1	Staff	Open subscriber profile	I can check the subscriber billing statement	Must
2	Staff	Do account maintenance	I can update subscriber details/contacts	Must
3	Staff	Import billing statement	I can see the latest bill.	Must
4	Subscriber	Login	I can access my account.	Must
5	Subscriber	Download billing statement	I can have a e-copy of the bill	Should
6	Subscriber	Pay the bill	I can conveniently settle the balance.	Must
7	Subscriber	View Payment history	I can see the past payment history	Should
8	Subscriber	View account statement	I can see the entire balance.	Should

9	Subscriber	View homepage	I can explore and avail internet plans.	Could
10	Staff	Add Responses	I can add more functions	Could
11	Staff	Update database	I can maintain updated content	Must
12	Staff	Access control	I can delegate users to be able to edit the query/data	Should
13	Staff	View subscribers	We can check the statuses of their accounts.	Must
14	Staff	Filter Subscribers based on Due date	We can update/see if they are due for collection	Should
15	Staff	Filter Subscribers By last payment date	We can Identify non-paying subscribers.	Should
16	Staff	Export data	We can create reports and documents.	Should
17	Staff	Filter subscribers by subscription duration	We can view how long they have been subscribed.	Could
18	Staff	Filter subscribers who have already paid their bills	We can identify those with settled payments.	Could

V.2 Use Case Diagram

Billing System

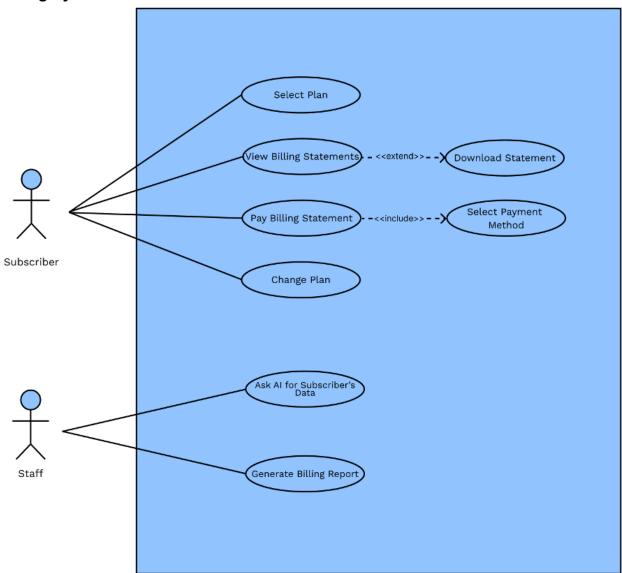


Fig. 3 Use Case Diagram

V.3 Data Flow Diagram

LEVEL 0

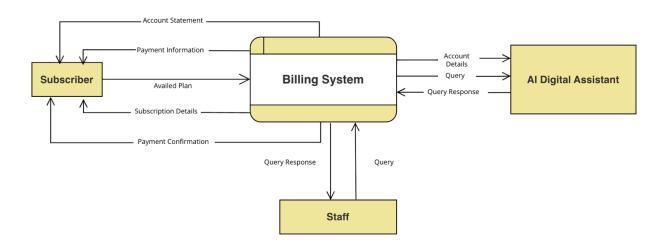


Fig. 4 Level 0 Data Flow Diagram

LEVEL 1

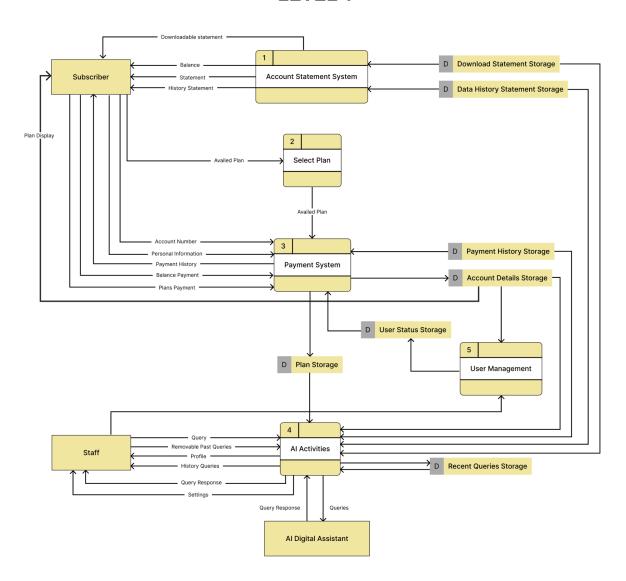


Fig. 5 Level 1 Data Flow Diagram

LEVEL 2

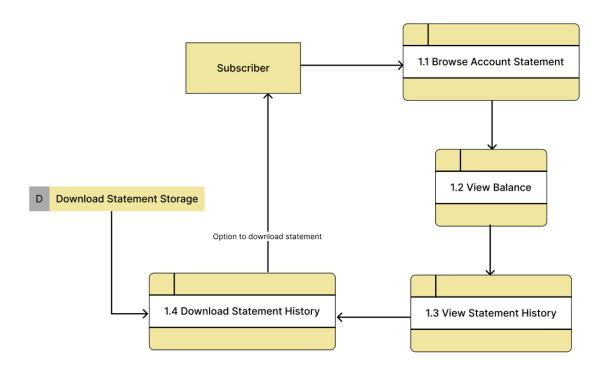


Fig. 6 Level 2 Process 2.1 Data Flow Diagram

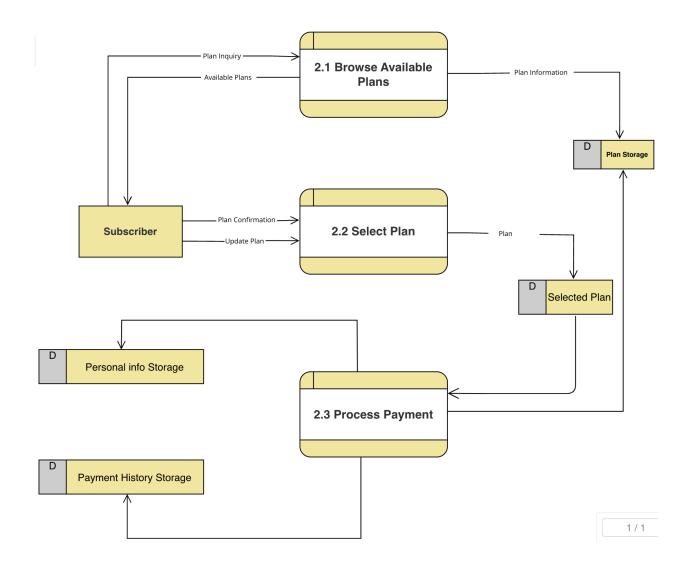


Fig. 7 Level 2 Process 2.2 Data Flow Diagram

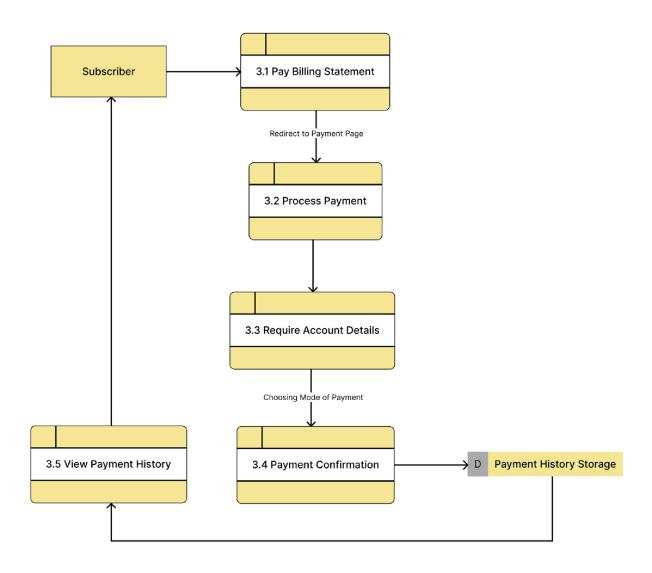


Fig. 8 Level 2 Process 2.3 Data Flow Diagram

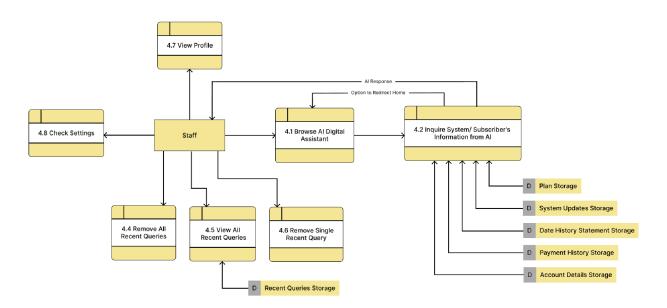


Fig. 9 Level 2 Process 2.4 Data Flow Diagram

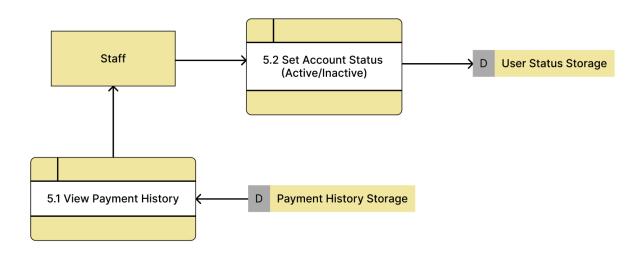


Fig. 10 Level 2 Process 2.5 Data Flow Diagram

V.4 Fully Dressed Use Case

Table IV Select Plan

Use Case ID:	UC - 001							
Use Case Name:	lect Plan							
Created By:	Nekeisha Ashlyn E.							
Date Created:	8-2024							
Description:	This use case allows the subscriber to choose a new service plan from a list of available options provided by the system. Once a plan is selected, the system updates the subscriber's account with the chosen plan.							
Primary Actor:	Subscriber							
Secondary Actor:	None							
Preconditions:	 Subscriber is logged into the system. The system has service plans available for selection. 							
Postconditions:	Subscriber's plan is updated in the system.							
Main Flow:	 Subscriber navigates to the service plan page. System displays the list of available service plans. Subscriber reviews the available plans and selects a preferred service plan. Subscriber clicks the "Continue" button to proceed with the selected plan. System updates the subscriber's account with the selected plan. 							

Table V View Billing Statements

Use Case ID:	UC - 002								
Use Case Name:	View Billing Statements								
Created By:	Elfa, Nekeisha Ashlyn E.								
Date Created:	-8-2024								
Description:	is use case allows the subscriber to access and review their								
2 coonpacin	ling statements. The subscriber navigates to the relevant ction, selects a specific billing statement for a particular date, d views its details. Additionally, the system provides an option to wnload the statement if desired.								
Primary Actor:	Subscriber								
Secondary Actor:	None								
Preconditions:	Subscriber is logged into the system.								
	Billing statements are available for the subscriber.								
Postconditions:	Billing statements are displayed.								
	Subscriber can download the statement if desired.								
Main Flow:	Subscriber navigates to the "Account Statement" page to view their billing statement.								
	Subscriber selects a specific billing statement from the list of available statements.								
	System retrieves and displays the billing statement details for the selected period.								
	Subscriber reviews the billing statement.								
	System displays a "Download Statement" button.								
Extensions:	5A. The subscriber chooses to download the statement:								
	 Subscriber clicks the download statement button. System prepares the billing statement file for download. System initiates the download process. System confirms that the download is complete. Subscriber accesses the downloaded file from their device. 								

Table VI Pay Billing Statement

Use Case ID:	UC - 003									
Use Case Name:	y Billing Statement									
Created By:	nforte, Edgar Louise									
Date Created:	-8-2024									
Description:	This use case allows the subscriber to pay their outstanding bill by selecting "Pay now," reviewing the amount due, choosing a payment method, and entering payment details. The system processes the payment and displays a confirmation screen upon successful completion.									
Primary Actor:	Subscriber									
Secondary Actor:	Payment Gateway									
Preconditions:	 Subscriber is logged into the system. There is an outstanding balance on the subscriber's account. 									
Postconditions:	Payment is processed successfully.Subscriber receives a confirmation.									
Main Flow:	 Subscriber selects the "Pay now" button. System displays the amount due. Subscriber reviews the amount due and selects a payment method. System provides payment methods. Subscriber enters the required payment details and submits the payment. System processes the payment through the payment gateway. System authenticates payment details. System authorizes transactions. System confirms payment. Subscriber is shown a payment confirmation screen. 									

Table VII Change Plan

Use Case ID:	UC - 004								
Use Case Name:	Change Plan								
Created By:	nforte, Edgar Louise								
Date Created:	-8-2024								
Description:	is use case allows the subscriber to switch from their current rvice plan to a new one after the completion of their existing an. The system facilitates the process by displaying available ans, allowing the subscriber to select a new plan, and updating account accordingly.								
Primary Actor:	Subscriber								
Secondary Actor:	None								
Preconditions:	Subscriber is logged into the system.Subscriber has a current active plan that can be changed.								
Postconditions:	The subscriber's plan is updated in the system.								
Main Flow:	 Subscriber completes their current plan and can now change to a new plan. Subscriber navigates to the service plan page. Subscriber reviews the available plans and selects a preferred service plan. Subscriber clicks "Continue" to proceed with the selected service plan. System updates the subscriber's account with the new plan. System displays a confirmation message to the subscriber. 								

Table VIII Set Status (Active/Inactive)

Use Case ID:	UC - 005						
Use Case Name:	t Status (Active/Inactive)						
Created By:	Monforte, Edgar Louise						
Date Created:	24-8-2024						
Description:	This use case allows staff to set the status of a subscriber's account to either active or inactive.						
Primary Actor:	Staff						
Secondary Actor:	None						
Preconditions:	 Staff is logged into the system with administrative privileges. The subscriber's account exists in the system. 						
Postconditions:	Subscriber's status is updated in the system.						
Main Flow:	 Staff selects the "Set Status" option for a subscriber from the administrative interface. Staff selects either Active or Inactive status. System displays the current status of the subscriber. The system updates the subscriber's account status. 						

Table IX
Ask Al for Subscriber's Data

Use Case ID:	UC - 006								
Use Case Name:	Al for Subscriber's Data								
Created By:	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.								
Date Created:	8-2024								
Description:	use case allows staff to query the AI assistant for subscriber, apply filters such as billing due date, billing status, plan is, and account details.								
Primary Actor:	aff								
Secondary Actor:	Al Digital Assistant								
Preconditions:	 Staff is logged into the system with sufficient permissions. Subscriber's data is available in the system for retrieval. 								
Postconditions:	 The requested data is displayed to the staff. Any applied adjustments or credits are processed and logged. 								
Main Flow:	 The staff member begins by initiating a search for subscriber data. They enter a search query, such as a subscriber's name or account number. Additionally, they have the option to apply filters like billing due date, billing status, plan status, or account details by stating these criteria to the AI to narrow down the results. After submitting the search, the AI assistant processes the query, applying the filters if any were chosen. The system retrieves and presents the relevant subscriber data. The AI system displays the filtered results to the staff. The process concludes once the staff has completed their actions. 								
Alternate Flow:	5A. Query Not Resolved								
	 If the AI system cannot resolve the query, it informs the staff of the issue. The staff is prompted to provide a more precise query or additional information to help the AI better understand and process the request. The process concludes once the query is either resolved or escalated. 								

Table X
Generate Billing Report

Use Case ID:	UC - 007							
Use Case Name:	Generate Billing Report							
Created By:	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.							
Date Created:	24-8-2024							
Description:	This use case allows staff to send a query to the AI Assistant to							
,	nerate a comprehensive billing report covering all data from the							
	ng system. ff							
Primary Actor:	Staff							
Secondary Actor:	None							
Preconditions:	Staff must be authenticated and authorized to generate							
	billing reports.							
	The AI Assistant must be operational and capable of according billing system data.							
Postconditions:	 accessing billing system data. A billing report is generated and delivered to the staff. 							
i osteonations.	Staff may review the report as needed.							
Main Flow:	A staff member submits a request to the Al Assistant to							
	generate a billing report, which includes all data from the							
	billing system.							
	The AI Assistant processes the request and generates the comprehensive billing report.							
	3. The Al Assistant delivers the generated billing report to the							
	staff.							
	4. Staff reviews the report or take further actions based on the							
	report's content.							
	5. The process concludes once the staff has reviewed and							
Alternate Flow:	acted upon the report. 4A. Query Not Resolved							
Alternate How.	AA. Query Not Nesolveu							
	If the Al Assistant cannot process the request or							
	encounters an error, it informs the staff of the issue.							
	2. The staff is prompted to refine the request by providing							
	additional details or correcting any issues with the query.							
	The process concludes once the report is successfully generated.							
	generateu.							

V.5 Test Cases

Table XI Test Case

Test Case	e ID	TC - 001 - 01 Test Cas		se Description	Verify that a subscriber can successfully select and update their service plan.		Version		2.1
Created I	Ву	Elfa, Nekeisha Reviewe Ashlyn E.							
QA Tester's Log					Ensure the subscril account updates co is accurate.				
Tester's N	Tester's Name Date Tes			sted			Test Case (Pass/Fai		
S #		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Da	ta		
	1 Subscriber is logged into the			ne system.	1		Subscriber account with access to service plan page.		
	2	The system has set for selection.	ervice pla	ans available	2	Availabl	vailable service plans list.		
	3				3				
Test Scer	nario				Validate the proces updating the accou		cting a servi	ce plan a	and
Step#	Step Details Expect		Expected Resu	lts	Act	ual Results	Pass / Fexecute Suspen	ed /	
1	Navigate to th	e service plan pag	е	Service plan pa	ge is displayed				
2	Review the list of available service plans List of se		List of service p	olans is visible					
3	Select a preferred service plan Sel		Selected plan is	s highlighted		_			
4	Click the "Continue" button System proces				ses the selection				
5	Verify accoun	t update		Subscriber's ac the selected pla	count is updated wi an	th			

Table XII Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 001 - 02 Test Cas		se Description	Verify system behavior when the subscriber does not complete the plan selection process.		Version		2.1	
Created	•	Elfa, Nekeisha Ashlyn E.	Reviewe	ed By						
QA Teste	er's Log				Confirm the systen subscriber exits wi			•		
Tester's	Name		Date Tes	sted	Test Case (Pass/Fail/Not					
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test [Data			
	1 Subscriber is logged into the			ne system.	1		ubscriber account with available ervice plans.			ilable
	The system has service pla for selection.			ans available	2					
	3				3					
Test Sce	enario				Validate system re- not completed.	sponse	whe	en the sele	ction pro	cess is
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	lts	Δ	ctua		Pass / F execute Suspend	d /
1	Navigate to th	e service plan pag	je	Service plan page is displayed						
2	Review the list of available service plans		List of service p	olans is visible						
3	Select a prefe	elect a preferred service plan		Selected plan is	elected plan is highlighted					
4	Do not click the exit the page	e "Continue" butto	on and	System does no	ot update the accou	int				

Table XIII Test Case

Test Case	e ID	TC - 002 - 01	Test Cas	e Description	Verify that a subscril access and view a s billing statement.		Version		2.1	
Created I	Ву	Elfa, Nekeisha Ashlyn E.	Reviewe	d By						
					The QA Tester ensures that the system allows the subscriber to view a specific billing statement. They will document whether the process successfully retrieves and displays the billing details or if any issues occur.					
Tester's Name Date Te			Date Tes	ted	Test Case (Pass/Fail/Not)					
S #		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Data				
	1 Subscriber is logged into t			e system.	1 Subscriber account with multiple bill statements.				Itiple billing	
	2	Billing statements	are availa	able.	2	Billing sta	Billing statement for a specific date.			
	3				3			-		
Test Scer	nario				Validate the process statement.	of acces	sing and re	viewing	a billing	
Step #	Step Details			Expected Results		Actua		Pass / F execute Suspen		
1	Navigate to the "Account Statement" page			System display billing statemer	s the list of available nts					
2	Select a billing statement for a specific date			System displays the details of the selected billing statement						
3	Review the bil	lling statement		Billing details a	re clear and correct					

Table XIV Test Case

Test Case ID	TC - 002 - 02	Test Case	e Description	Verify that a subscridownload a billing safter viewing it.		Version		2.1
Created By	Elfa, Nekeisha Ashlyn E.	Reviewed	d Ву					
QA Tester's Log		The QA Tester will of correctly, ensuring the download, and the without issues.	he system	prepares	the file, o	completes		
Tester's Name	's Name Date Te					Test Case (Pass/Fail		
S#	Prerequisites:			S#	Test Data	t Data		
1	1 Subscriber is logged into the			1		oscriber account with a selected ng statement for download.		
2	2 Billing statement is availab specific date.			2				
3				3				
Test Scenario								
Step # Step Details	Step Details		Expected Resu	lts	Actua	al Results	Pass / F execute Suspen	
1 View a billing	View a billing statement		System displays the billing details for the selected period		or			
2 Click the "Do	Click the "Download Statement" button			es the billing stateme	ent			
3 Verify the do	Verify the download process			ement file is success	fully			
4 Access the d	ownloaded billing s	statement	The file is acce	ssible and correct				

Table XV Test Case

Test Cas	e ID	TC - 002 - 03	Test Ca Descrip		Verify system beha when no billing stat are available for the subscriber.	ements	Version		2.1	
Created	Ву	Elfa, Nekeisha Ashlyn E.	Review	ed By						
QA Tester's Log					The QA Tester will verify if the system correctly handles a scenario where no billing statements are available and whether an appropriate message is displayed to the subscriber.					
Tester's	Tester's Name Date Tes			ested	Test Case (Pass/Fail/Not)					
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Dat	Test Data			
	1	Subscriber is logg	ged into t	he system.	1		bscriber account with no billing tements.			
	2	No billing stateme	ents are	available.	2					
	3				3					
Test Sce	nario					_				
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu			ıal ults	Pass / execute Susper		
1	page			System display indicating no a statements						

Table XVI Test Case

Test Cas	e ID	TC - 003 - 01	Test Ca	se Description	Test successful pay process with valid of payment details.		Version		2.1
Created I	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Reviewe	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the pay using GCash. Verify displayed, and the pgenerated and show	that the bayment o	amount di confirmatio	ue is cor on is acc	rectly
Tester's I	Name		Date Te	sted			Test Case (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Dat	а		
	1	Subscriber is logge	ed into th	ne system.	1	Outstand 5,000ph	ding balar p	nce amou	ınt:
	There is an outstanding b subscriber's account.			lance on the	2 Payment method: G			method: GCash	
	3				3 Payment details: Valid GC account credentials			ash	
	4				4				
Test Sce	nario				Verify that a subscripayment using GCa is accurately reflected	ish and th			
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	lts	Actual R	esults	Pass / F execute Suspen	
1	Subscriber sel	ects the "Pay now"	' button.	System display	s the amount due.				
2	System displa	ys the amount due		Amount due is	correctly displayed.				-
3		riews the amount d n as the payment m		System display option.	s GCash payment				
4		ters valid GCash p	ayment		es and processes				_
	details and su			payment details					
5		sses the payment t ateway and confirr	_	Payment confir displayed to the	mation screen is e subscriber.				
6	Subscriber rev	riews the payment creen.		Confirmation de submitted payn	etails match the nent.				

Table XV Test Case

Test Case	e ID	TC - 003 - 02	Test Cas	·	Test payment proce the GCash paymen is unavailable.		Version		2.1
Created I	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Reviewe	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the systunavailability of GC select an alternative messages are appropriate the second control of	ash and p paymen	prompts that method.	e subsci Verify th	
Tester's N	Name		Date Tes	sted			Test Case (Pass/Fai		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Dat	a		
	1	Subscriber is logg	ed into th	ne system.	1	Outstand 5,000ph	ding balan p	ice amou	ınt:
		subscriber's account.			2	,	Payment method: (unavailable)		
	3				3	Paymen			
	4				4	4			
Test Scer	nario				Verify that when GC prompts the subscri method and that this	ber to cho	oose an a	Iternative	e payment
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	lts	Actual R	Results	Pass / Fexecute	
1	Subscriber sel	ects the "Pay now	" button.	System display	s the amount due.				
2		ys the amount due			correctly displayed.				
3	Subscriber att	empts to select GC	Cash as		es GCash payment				
	the payment n			method is unav					
4	System displa GCash unavai	ys an error messa lability.	ge about	Error message payment metho					
5	Subscriber sel payment meth	ects an alternative		Alternative pay presented to the	ment methods are e subscriber.				
6	Subscriber enters valid payment details for the alternative method and submits.		System processes the payment using the alternative method.						
7	System confirmation s	ms payment and d creen.	isplays		mation screen is				

Table XVI Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 003 - 03	Test Cas	se Description	Test payment proce invalid GCash paym details.		Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Reviewe	ed By					
QA Testo	er's Log				Ensure that the syst payment details by and preventing payr	displaying	g appropri		
Tester's	Name		Date Te	sted			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S #		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Dat	а		
	1	Subscriber is logg	ed into th	ne system.	1	Outstand 5,000ph	ding balar p	nce amou	unt:
	2	There is an outsta subscriber's accou		lance on the	2	Paymen (unavaila	GCash		
	3				3	Invalid G	Cash acc	count cre	dentials
	4				4				
Test Sce	enano				Verify that when inva- entered, the system message and preve processed.	displays	an appro	priate en	ror
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	lts	Actual F	lesults	Pass / F execute Suspen	
1	Subscriber se	lects the "Pay now	" button.	System display	s the amount due.				
2	System displa	ys the amount due) .	Amount due is	correctly displayed.				
3	Subscriber sel	lects GCash as the nod.	9	System display option.	s GCash payment				
4		ters invalid GCash ils and submits.	l	System fails to payment details					
5	System displays an error message for invalid payment details.		Error message shown.	for invalid details is					
6	Subscriber is payment detail	prompted to re-ent ils.	er valid	Prompt for re-e details is displa	ntry of payment yed.				
7	Subscriber re-enters valid payment details and submits.		System validate the payment co						

Table XVII Test Case

Test Case	e ID	TC - 004 - 01	Test Cas	·	Test the process of one to a new plan after the completion of the cuplan.	he	Version		2.1
Created I	Зу	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Reviewe	ed By					
QA Teste	r's Log				Ensure that the subsplan after the current is correctly updated message is displayed	it plan en in the sys	ds. Verify	that the	new plan
Tester's N	Name		Date Tes	sted			Test Case (Pass/Fai		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Data	а		
		Subscriber is logge		•	1		olan: Plan		
		Subscriber's curre been completed.	nt plan, l	Plan 1000, has	2	New plai	n: Plan 14	00	
	3				3				
	4				4				
Test Scer	nario				Verify that the subsonew service plan an account and display	d that the	system u	ipdates t	
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	lts	Actual R		Pass / F execute Suspend	
1	Subscriber co Plan 1000.	mpletes their curre	nt plan,	Current plan sta completed.	atus is updated to				
2	Subscriber na page.	vigates to the servi	ice plan	Service plan pa	ge is displayed.				
3	Subscriber rev	views the available		Available plan visible.	s are listed and				
4	Subscriber sel clicks "Continu	ects the Plan 1400 ue."		System process the Plan 1400.	ses the selection of				
5	System update account with the	es the subscriber's he new plan.		Subscriber's acthe 1400.	count now shows				
6	System displate to the subscrib			Confirmation m	essage is displayed an details.				

Table XVIII Test Case

Test Case	e ID	TC - 004 - 02	Test Cas	, ,	Test the scenario whe plans are available fection when the subscriber attempts change plans.	or	Version		2.1
Created I	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Reviewe	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the syst plans are available, the subscriber.				
Tester's N	Name		Date Te	sted			Test Case (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Data	a		
	1 Subscriber is logged into			ne system.	1	Current	olan: Plan	1000	
	2 Subscriber's current plar been completed.			Plan 1000, has	2				
	3	No new plans are	available	e for selection.	3				
	4				4				
Test Scer	nario				Verify that when no informs the subscrib			lable, the	system
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resul	lts	Actual R	esults	Pass / F execute Suspend	d /
1	Subscriber con Plan 1000.	mpletes their curre	nt plan,	Current plan sta completed.	atus is updated to				
2	Subscriber na page.	vigates to the servi	ice plan	Service plan pa	ge is displayed.				
3	Subscriber rev	views the available	plans.	No plans are av	vailable for selection.				
4	Subscriber sel clicks "Continu	ects the Plan 1400 ue.") and	Appropriate me the subscriber.	ssage is shown to				
5	System displa no available p	ys a message indic lans.	cating	Instructions for are provided.	alternative actions				

Table XIX Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 005 - 01	Test Ca	ase Description	Test the process of a subscriber's accordant status to Active.		Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Review	ved By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the sta status to Active. Ve status correctly and system.	rify that t	he system	update	s the
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Da	ta		
	1	Staff is logged int administrative pri		stem with	1	Subscri	ber ID: 01	2345	
	2	The subscriber's account e system.		exists in the	2	New sta	New status: Active		
	3				3				
	4				4				
Test Sce	enario				Verify that the subschanged to Active a update.				
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	ults	Actual	Results	Pass / execut Susper	
1		the "Set Status" oper from the adminis		"Set Status" or and selectable	otion is accessible				
2	Staff selects	"Active" status.		"Active" status	is selected.				
3	System display the subscribe	ays the current sta er.	tus of	Current status	is displayed.				
4	Staff confirms "Active."	s the status change	e to	Status change	is confirmed.				
5	System upda account statu	tes the subscriber' is to Active.	s	Subscriber's st Active.	tatus is updated to				
6	Staff verifies	the status update.		Status change reflected in the					

Table XX Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 005 - 02	Test Ca Descrip		Test the process of a subscriber's accordant status to Inactive.		Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Review	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the sta status to Inactive. \ status correctly and system.	erify that	t the syste	m updat	es the
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Da	ta		
	1	Staff is logged int administrative pri		stem with	1	Subscri	ber ID: 06	7890	
	2	The subscriber's system.	account	exists in the	2	New sta	New status: Inactive		
	3				3				
	4				4				
Test Sce	enario				Verify that the subschanged to Inactive update.				
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resi	ults	Actual	Results	Pass / execut Susper	
1		the "Set Status" op er from the adminis		"Set Status" or and selectable	otion is accessible				
2	Staff selects	"Inactive" status.		"Inactive" statu	is is selected.				
3	System display the subscribe	ays the current sta er.	tus of	Current status	is displayed.				
4	Staff confirms "Inactive."	s the status change	e to	Status change	is confirmed.				
5	System upda account statu	tes the subscriber' is to Inactive.	s	Subscriber's st Inactive.	tatus is updated to				
6	Staff verifies	the status update.		Status change reflected in the					

Table XXI Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 005 - 03	Test Ca	ase Description	Test the scenario w staff attempts to se status for a subscrii an invalid ID.	t the	Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Review	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the sys appropriately, display updating the status	aying an			
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Da	ita		
	Staff is logged into the sy- administrative privileges. An invalid subscriber ID is		stem with	1	Invalid	Subscribe	r ID: 091	989	
	2	An invalid subscr	iber ID is	used.	2	New status: Active			
	3				3				
	4				4				
Test Sce	nario				Verify that when an system displays an attempt to update the	error me	essage and		
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	ults	Actual	Results	Pass / execute Susper	
1		the "Set Status" op with an invalid ID.	tion for	System identifi subscriber ID.	es the invalid				
2	Staff selects ' invalid subsci	'Active" status for triber ID.	the	System detects	s the invalid ID.				
3		ays an error messa invalid subscriber		Error message	is displayed.				
4	Staff confirms	the error messag	e.	Confirmation o provided.	f error handling is				
5	No status upo invalid subsci	date is made for th riber ID.	e	No change occ	curs in the system.				

Table XXII Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 005 - 04	Test Ca Descrip		Test the scenario w system error occur the status update p	s during	Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Monforte, Edgar Louise	Review	red By					
QA Teste	er's Log				Ensure that the systhe status update perror message and	rocess, p	providing a	ın appro _l	priate
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Da	ta		
	Staff is logged into the sadministrative privileges Subscriber's account ex			stem with	1	Subscri	ber ID: 01	2345	
	system.			ts in the	2	New status: Active (si during update)			
	3 A simulated system error the status update.			occurs during	3				
	4				4				
Test Sce	enario				update process, the	fy that when a system error occurs during ate process, the staff is informed and the seents incomplete updates.			
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resu	ults	Actual	Results	Pass / execute Susper	
1		the "Set Status" op with an invalid ID.	otion for	"Set Status" or	otion is accessible.				
2	invalid subsc			"Active" status	is selected.				
3	update process.		System display message about						
4	instructed to try again.		Error message instructions are						
5	5 Staff attempts to update the status again.		System attempstatus update	ots to process the again.					

Table XXIII Test Case

Test Cas	e ID	TC - 006 - 001	Test Ca	se Description	Verify that staff can the AI assistant for subscriber data by the account numbe	entering	Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.	Review	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				The QA Tester ensi- correct subscriber of provided. They will accurate and comp	data bas verify th	sed on the a lat the AI as	ccount n	umber
Tester's	Name	Date Tested Prerequisites:					Test Cas (Pass/Fa	~	
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test D	st Data		
	1	Staff is logged int sufficient permiss		stem with	1		bscriber account number: ample Account Number]		
	2	Subscriber data i specific account i		le for the	2				
	3				3				
Test Sce	nario				Verify that staff can the account numbe		subscriber	data by	querying
Step#	Step Details	tep Details Expected			ults		etual esults	Pass / execut Susper	
1	1			The Al assista and retrieves t	stant processes the query				
2	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			ta, including account layed accurately.					

Table XXIV Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 006 - 002	Test Ca	se Description	Verify that staff can filters such as billinand due date to na down the search re	g status rrow	Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.	Review	ed By					
QA Teste	er's Log				The QA Tester will the selected filters returns results that should ensure prop display of data.	(billing sta match the	atus and due specified	ie date) criteria.	and Testing
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Case (Pass/Fail/Not)		
S#		Prerequisites:	rerequisites:			Test Dat	st Data		
	1	Staff is logged int sufficient permiss	,	stem with	1	Billing st	ing status: "Unpaid"		
	2	Subscriber data i statuses and due		varying billing	2	Due dat	e date: [Sample Due Date]		
	3				3				
Test Sce	nario				Validate filtering fur and due date filters		by applyin	g billing	status
Step#	Step Details Expe		Expected Resi	ults	Actu Res		Pass / execut Suspe		
1			The Al assista and applies the	nt processes the que e filters.	ery				
2	subscriber data.			1 ,	Only subscribers matching the billing status and due date filters are				

Table XXV Test Case

Test Cas	se ID	TC - 006 - 003	Test Ca	se Description	Verify system beha when the AI assista cannot resolve a qu	ant	Version		2.1
Created	Ву	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.	Review	ed By					
QA Test	er's Log				The QA Tester will a query cannot be i message is display refine the search qu	resolved. ed and th	They will veat the staff	erify that is prom	t an error pted to
Tester's	Name		Date Te	ested			Test Case (Pass/Fa	_	
S#		Prerequisites:			S#	Test Dat	est Data		
	1				1	Invalid account number or crit leading to an unresolved quer			· · · · ·
	2	Query submitted the AI assistant.	cannot b	e resolved by	2				
	3				3				
Test Sce	enario				Check how the sys prompts the user to			ved que	ries and
Step#	p # Step Details			Expected Resi	ults	Actu Res		Pass / execut Suspe	
1	Staff submits a query that the Al assistant cannot resolve.				nt informs the staff or orovides a message.				
2	provide additional information.			stem displays appropriate prompts guide the user in refining the					

Table XXVII Test Case

Test Cas	se ID TC - 007 - 001 Test Ca		se Description	Verify that the AI Assistant can generate a comprehensive billing report from the billing system data when requested by the staff.		Version		2.1	
Created		Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.	Review	ed By					
QA Tester's Log					The QA Tester will ensure that the AI Assistant successfully retrieves and compiles the entire billing report from the system. This includes verifying the accuracy and completeness of the report generated.				
Tester's	Tester's Name Date T		Date Te	ested			Test Cas (Pass/Fa		
S# Prerequisites:				S#	Test Data				
1 Staff is logged into the s sufficient permissions to					1 Billing system containing comprehensive billing d			_	
2 Al Assistant has access to system data.			all billing	2					
3				3					
Test Scenario					Verify that the AI Assistant processes the staff's query and generates a complete billing report.				
Step#	Step Details			Expected Resi		ial ults	1		
1	Staff sends a request to the AI Assistant to generate a billing report.			The AI Assistant acknowledges the request and begins processing the report.					
2	Al Assistant retrieves and compiles data from the billing system.			Al Assistant successfully processes the entire billing data.					
3	Al Assistant generates and delivers the report to the staff.			Report is displayed or made available to the staff for review.					

Table XXVIII Test Case

Test Cas	Case ID TC - 007 - 002 Test C		Test Ca	se Description	Verify how the AI Assistant handles cases where it cannot process the billing report request.		Version		2.1	
Created	Ву	Ditano, Abdul Hasheem O.	Review	ed By						
QA Tester's Log					The QA Tester will ensure that when the AI Assistant cannot resolve the query for generating a billing report, it provides an error message and prompts staff to refine the request or provide additional details.					
Tester's Name			Date Te	ested			Test Case (Pass/Fa	_		
S#	S# Prerequisites:				S#	Test Data				
1		Al Assistant is operational but cannot process the current request due to incomplete or invalid input.			1	Invalid o request.	valid or incomplete billing report equest.			
	2				2					
3				3						
Test Scenario						theck how the system manages unresolved queries and rompts the staff to refine the request.				
Step#	Step Details			Expected Results			ıal ults	Pass / execut Susper		
1	Staff sends a request to the Al Assistant that cannot be processed (e.g., missing details).			Al Assistant returns an error message and informs the staff of the issue.						
2	Staff is prompted to refine the query or provide additional information.			System displays appropriate instructions for refining the request.						
3	Staff refines the query and resubmits the request.			Al Assistant successfully processes the refined request and generates the report.						

V.6 Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Select Plan

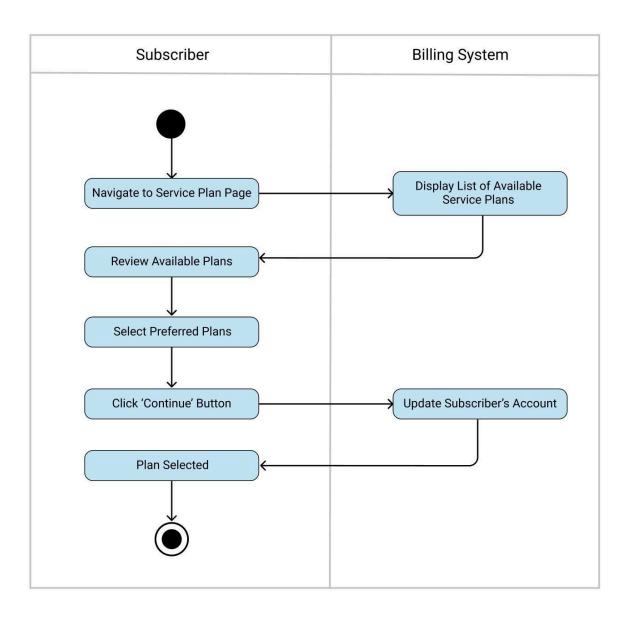


Fig. 11 Select Plan Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

View Billing Statements

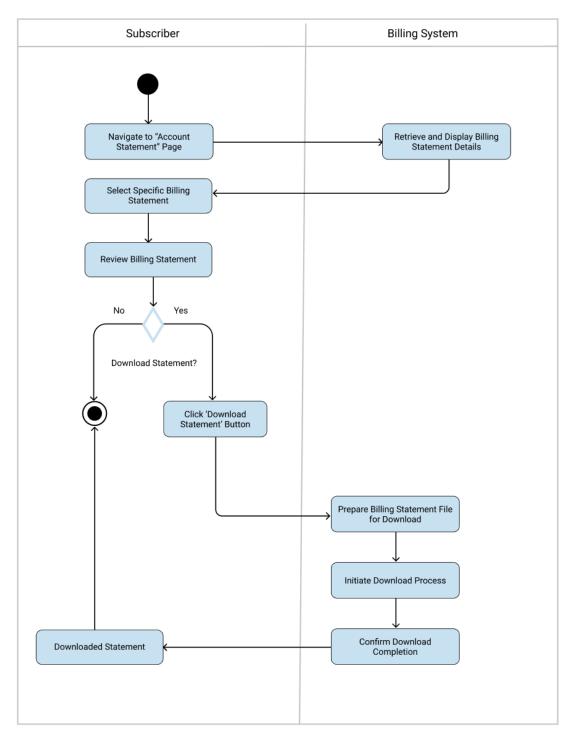


Fig. 12 View Billing Statements Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Pay the Bill

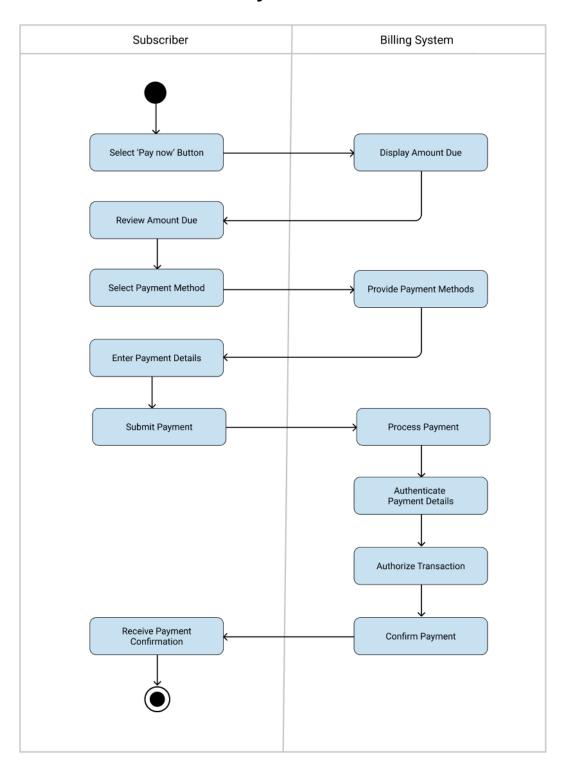


Fig. 13 Pay the Bill Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Change Plan

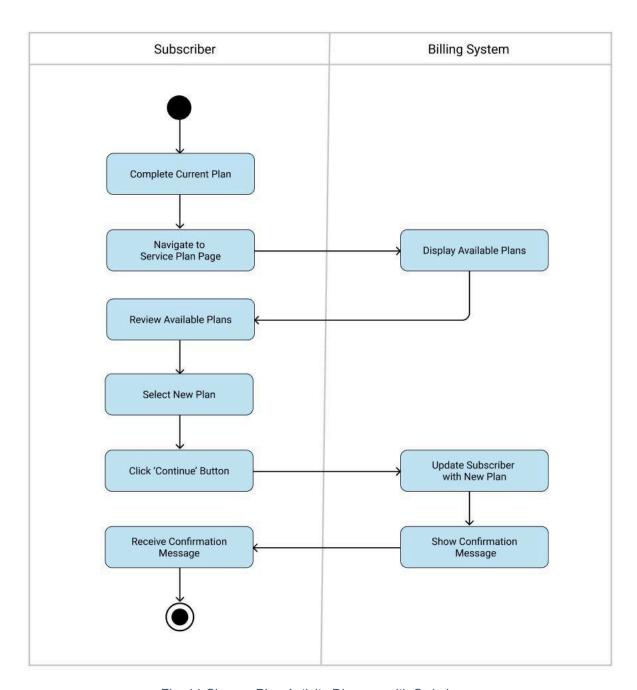


Fig. 14 Change Plan Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Set Status (Active/Inactive)

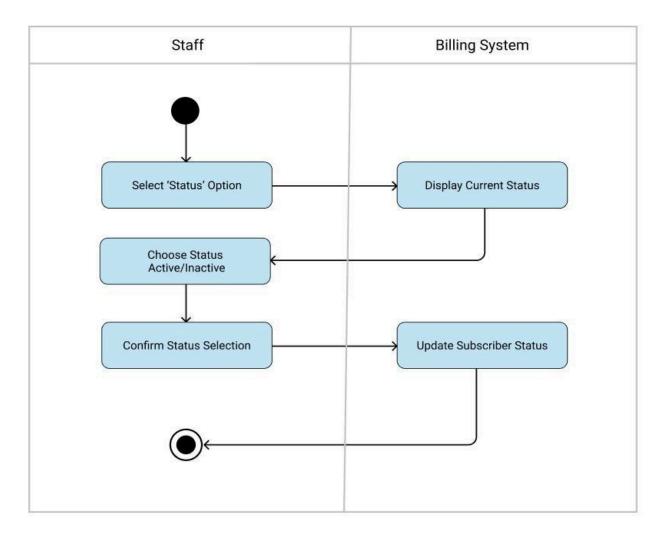


Fig. 15 Set Status Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Ask Al for Subscriber's Data

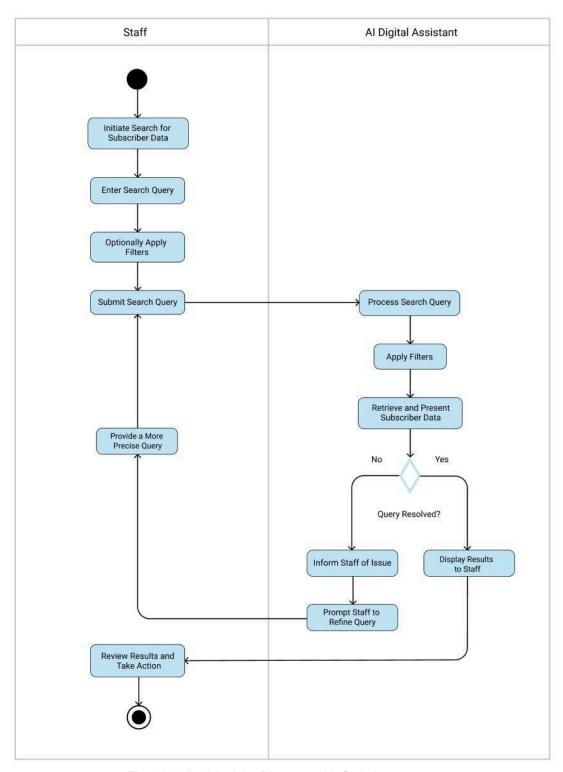


Fig. 16 Ask Al Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

Generate Billing Report

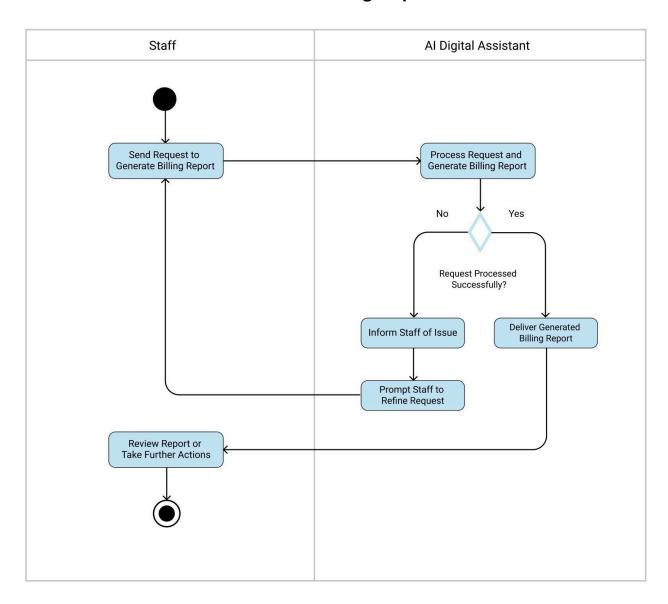


Fig. 17 Generate Billing Report Activity Diagram with Swimlanes

V.7 Entity Relationship Diagram

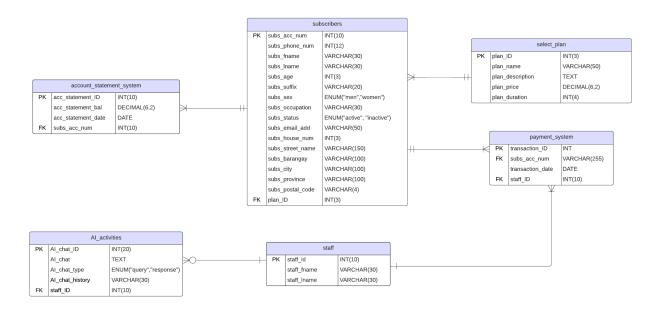


Fig. 18 Entity Relationship Diagram

V.8 User Classes and Characteristics

Table XXIX
User Classes and Characteristics

Roles	Description	
Subscriber	A subscriber is a type of user who avails of D&D I.T's internet services. They can be small business owners or individuals. They use the system to manage their internet plans and payments.	
Staff	Staff responsibilities include managing subscriber accounts, processing billing tasks, handling inquiries, generating reports, updating payment statuses, resolving billing issues, and ensuring the accuracy of subscriber information.	
Admin	Admin have the authority to manage user permissions and configure system settings to ensure smooth operations.	
Tech Support	Tech support staff assist subscribers with technical issues related to their internet service. They access the system to troubleshoot problems and provide solutions to maintain service quality.	

V.9 Prototype/Wireframe

The prototype is crucial in project development, offering an initial model that highlights key features and functionalities. It acts as a tangible representation of the project's concept, enabling stakeholders to visualize and evaluate its potential. This prototype includes the home, account statement, and payment pages. Additionally, it features the digital assistant's home page and the query page. The prototype's color palette is based on the client's existing website. Moreover, the website is user-friendly and includes enhanced functionalities for easier access by subscribers.

Homepage

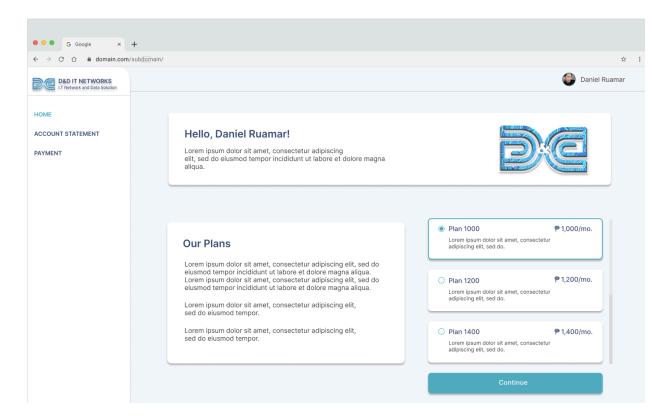


Fig. 19 Prototype for Homepage

The homepage has a sidebar containing options for the home, account statement, and payment pages, along with the company logo and name. A welcome message and the logo are also prominently displayed. There is a section describing the internet plans, providing detailed information as well as their prices. Users can select and confirm their desired internet plans by clicking the respective buttons.

Account Statement

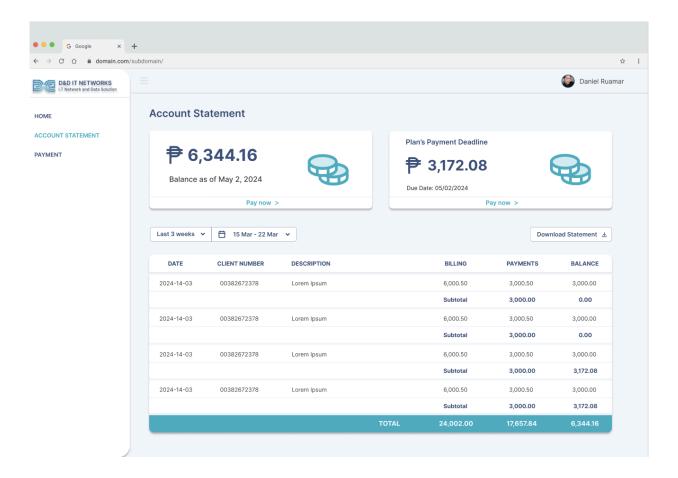


Fig. 20 Prototype for Account Statement Page

The account statement page contains a sidebar. Additionally, it features a section showing subscribers their overall balance and the balance of specific plans. There is a "Pay Now" button that directs users to the payment page. A dropdown menu allows subscribers to select and view statements from specific dates. They also have the option to download their statements by clicking the "Download Statement" button.

Payment

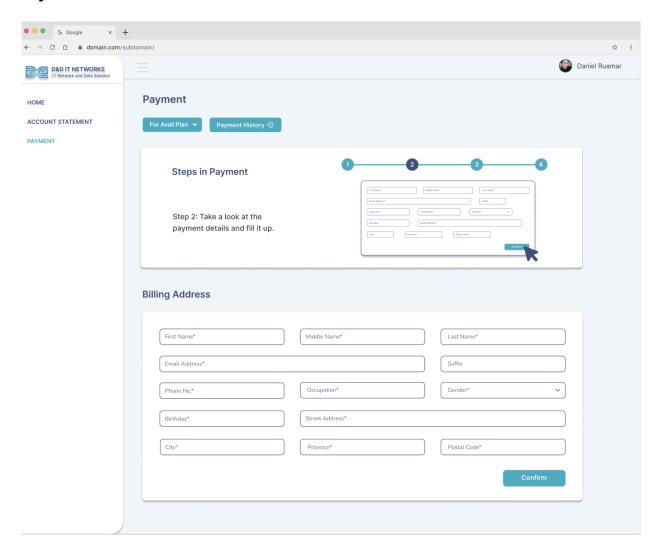


Fig. 21 Prototype for Payment Page

The payment page includes a sidebar with easy navigation options. Subscribers can choose to avail of plans or pay a balance using the dropdown button. There is also a button to view their payment history. The developer has added a step-by-step guide to simplify the payment process. Additionally, the page includes a billing address form where subscribers can enter their personal information. To submit the form, users need to click the "Confirm" button.

Al Digital Assistant

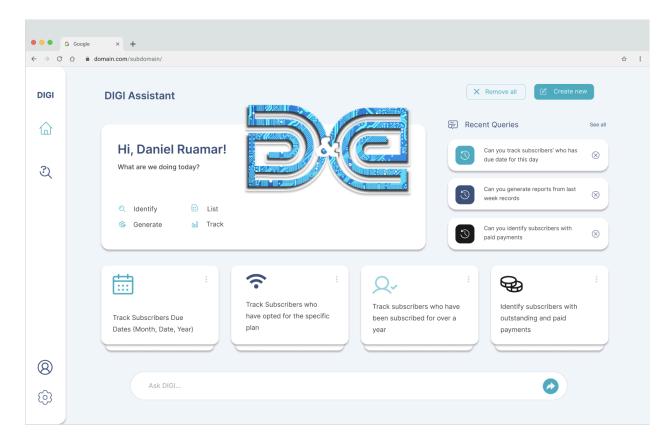


Fig. 22 Prototype for Al Digital Assistant

The AI digital assistant has a sidebar containing the home, history, profile, and settings options. It also includes a welcome page, the company logo, and a list of possible questions users can ask the digital assistant. At the bottom, there are suggested inquiries for the staff. On the right side, recent queries are displayed, and users have the options to remove all, create new queries, see all recent queries, or remove individual ones. Lastly, there is a message bar where staff can ask questions about their records from the system.

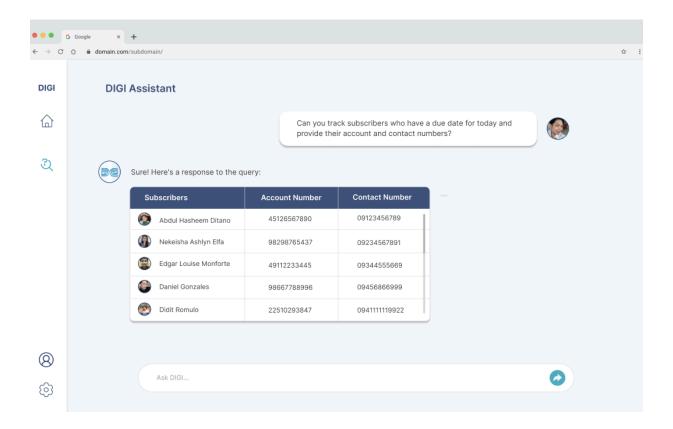


Fig. 23 Prototype for Al Digital Assistant

This page appears after sending a message or inquiry. All answers are generated by the billing system, as the digital assistant is integrated with it. The digital assistant's responses are always presented in table format for better visualization.

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V.10 Release Plan

Target Group: D&D I.T Networks and Data Solution

Goal: To create an integrated subscriber billing system for easy access to statements and

available plans, along with an Al-powered digital assistant for staff inquiries regarding

subscribers' records.

Needs: A system for transparent billing statements specifically for subscribers, and an Al digital

assistant integrated into the system to address staff inquiries about the records.

Value: These systems will benefit DDIT Networks by eliminating manual billing processes,

thereby saving time and effort and reducing errors. Additionally, it solves their challenges in

tracking billing reports, minimizing confusion and providing generated reports.

Key Features: Automated billing system, Al-powered digital assistant, Customer account

management, Operational efficiency enhancement.

Release Plan

Release 1 MNSTDEV

- Research Paper
- Prototype

Release 2 MSYADD1

- Creation of Diagrams
- Designing the User Interface for the Billing System
- Development of Core Billing Functions (Homepage)
- Development of Login/Signup Features

Release 3 MSCPROJ

- Integration of AI Digital Assistant for handling billing inquiries
- Generation of automated billing reports
- Testing of billing system and Al functionalities
- Finalizing system features based on user feedback
- Full System Deployment
- Post-deployment Support and Maintenance

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Appendices

Appendix A: Project Vision

The project aims to develop an advanced billing system integrated with an Al-powered digital assistant tailored for D&D I.T Network and Data Solution. This initiative is focused on enhancing billing accuracy, optimizing operational processes, and boosting customer satisfaction by automating billing procedures, improving payment tracking capabilities, and providing subscribers with intuitive access to their statements and service plans. Key components include implementing an automated billing system to simplify statement management and plan exploration, alongside deploying an Al assistant to handle staff inquiries and generate detailed billing reports. These innovations aim not only to enhance internal efficiency but also to fortify transparency and responsiveness in customer interactions.

Structured across strategic milestones, the project begins with client interviews and problem identification, followed by brainstorming and proposal drafting. It progresses through prototype development, data modeling, and system design phases, culminating in the integration of advanced functionalities. This phased approach ensures a robust solution that aligns with D&D I.T Network and Data Solution's objectives of delivering dependable internet services and strengthening its market leadership in the Philippines.

Appendix B: Schedule/Release Plan

SCHEDULE PLAN



Fig. 24 Schedule/Release Plan

The project schedule outlines a comprehensive timeline divided into three phases: MNSTDEV, MSYADD1, and MSCPROJ, spanning from April 2024 to June 2025. This structured approach ensures a systematic progression through the project, facilitating effective management and timely delivery of each phase.

Appendix C: Product Roadmap

Table XXX Roadmap

Billing System with an Al-Powered Digital Assistant for Enhanced Client Efficiency: A Solution for D&D I.T Network and Data

	MNTSDEV	MSYADD1	MCSPROJ
Midte:	rms Looking for the client	Milestone 1 • Implementation of panelists' advice	Milestone 4 • Improvement of the initial prototype
•	Interview to collect ideas about the company	Milestone 2	Milestone 5 • 60% of systems implemented complete
•	Identifying the problem faced by the company and its subscribers	 Development of Core Billing Functions 	Milestone 6 • 90% of systems completed and hosted
•	Brainstorming on what project we are going to implement		Milestone 7 • Project 100% working
•	Draft proposal		
Finals •	Final project proposal		
•	Wireframes/Prototype		

Appendix E: Teams Meetings

Date: April 17, 2024 Time: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

Attendees:

- Abdul Hasheem Ditano
- Nekeisha Ashlyn Elfa
- Edgar Louise Monforte
- Jean Christian Larr Murillo

Objective/Purpose:

The meeting was held to meet with our client, address their concerns, brainstorm solutions to their stated problem, and finalize the selection of a prospect adviser.

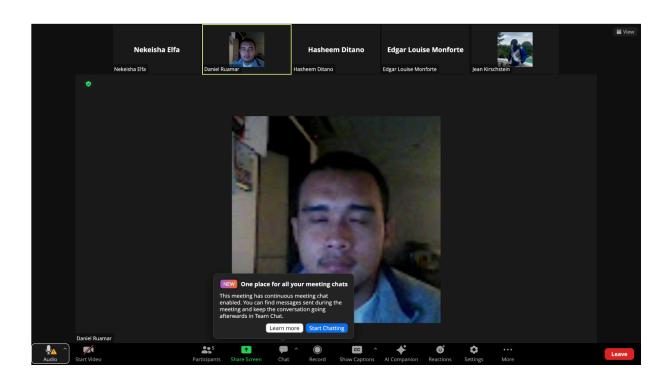
Agenda Review:

The agenda items included:

- 1. Meet our client and ask questions.
 - Discussed the client's problems/concerns.
 - Identified key areas where the client seeks assistance.
- 2. Brainstorm solutions to the problem stated by the business owner.
 - Analyzed the problem statement provided by the client.
 - Brainstormed potential solutions and strategies to address the identified issues.
- 3. Decide on a prospect adviser and create a letter.
 - Reviewed profiles of potential advisers based on expertise and experience.

Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 2:00 PM



Date: April 24, 2024

Time: 7:30 PM - 9:45 PM

Attendees:

- · Abdul Hasheem Ditano
- Nekeisha Ashlyn Elfa
- Jean Christian Larr Murillo

Absent:

Edgar Louise Monforte

Objective/Purpose:

The meeting was convened to create a lean canvas and engage in a brainstorming session to address our client's concerns and generate potential solutions for their stated problem.

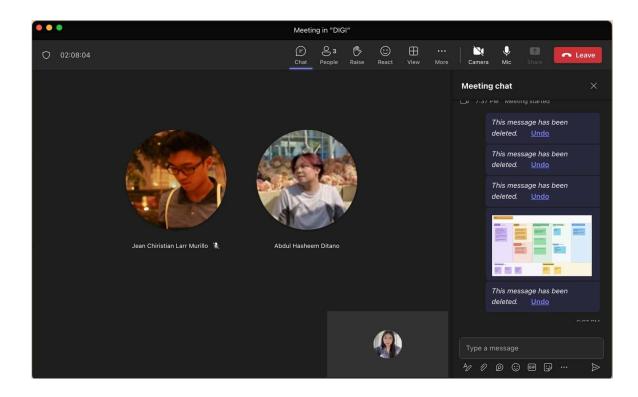
Agenda Review:

The agenda items included:

- 1. Create Lean Canvas.
 - Discussed the elements of the lean canvas model.
 - Identified key components relevant to our client's business and problem.
 - · Assigned responsibilities for drafting the lean canvas.

Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 9:45 PM



Date: May 15, 2024

Time: 3:30 PM – 4:30 PM

Attendees:

- · Abdul Hasheem Ditano
- Nekeisha Ashlyn Elfa
- Jean Christian Larr Murillo
- Edgar Louise Monforte

Objective/Purpose:

The meeting was convened to meet with our adviser Ms. Jo Anne to discuss our project proposal, seek suggestions on improving the project, and consult on the Lean Canvas.

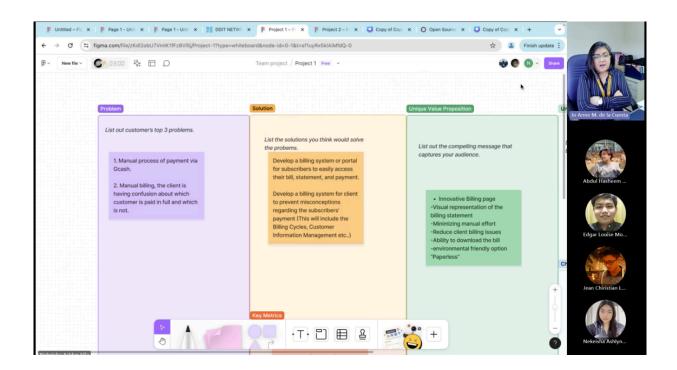
Agenda Review:

The agenda items included:

- 1. Project Proposal Review:
 - Presentation of the current project proposal.
 - Discussion on the objectives, scope, and expected outcomes.
 - Identification of potential areas for improvement.
- 2. Suggestions for Improvement:
 - Adviser's feedback on the project proposal.
 - Specific suggestions on enhancing the proposal's clarity, feasibility, and impact.
- 3. Lean Canvas Consultation:
 - Explanation of the Lean Canvas model.
 - Guidance on how to effectively use the Lean Canvas for the project.

Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 4:30 PM



Date: May 29, 2024

Time: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Attendees:

- · Abdul Hasheem Ditano
- Nekeisha Ashlyn Elfa
- Jean Christian Larr Murillo

Absent:

Edgar Louise Monforte

Objective/Purpose:

The meeting was convened to meet with our adviser, Ms. Jo Anne, for a consultation on Chapter 1.

Agenda Review:

The agenda items included:

- 1. Introduction and Purpose
 - Brief overview of the meeting's objectives.
- 2. Discussion on Chapter 1
 - Detailed review of the current draft.
 - Identification of key areas needing improvement.
 - Advisor's feedback and suggestions for revision.

Adjournment:

The meeting adjourned at 2:30 PM

