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Abstract

The Gym application is developed as a fitness platform that assists users in crafting personalized workout and nutrition plans aligning to their goals and physical characteristics. It adapts real-time pose estimation integrating PoseNet to evaluate exercises such as squats and deadlifts, delivering immediate feedback to refine users' posture and reduce injury risks and ensure efficiency. Alongside, the app provides customized nutrition plans that adapt based on user's weight goals, height, and age, promoting a balanced fitness approach. The backend is developed with Django which securely handles user data, monitors progress and supplies tailored workout and nutrition content. On the mobile front side, React Native ensures compatibility across platforms, enabling users to access workout plans, review detailed exercise guidance, and track their fitness progress. The app also includes advanced features like browsing exercises by category, equipment, and difficulty level. Furthermore, it incorporates JWT authentication for secure logins and OTP for email verification. The purpose of this project centers on blending pose estimation technology with dynamic nutrition planning within an accessible design, creating a thorough fitness companion for users of all experience levels.

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1. Introduction

The fitness industry evolves with technology leading the way, transforming workouts and progress tracking of your body part. The Fitness Companion Application is designed to revolutionize fitness by making workouts more accessible, engaging, and personalized. During the COVID-19 lockdown, many people found it challenging to maintain their fitness routines as gyms were closed, and outdoor exercise was restricted. This situation highlighted the need for a solution that supports fitness from home while ensuring proper guidance to prevent injury and maintain effectiveness.



Figure 1: Logo of Fit Hub

The Gym Companion Application (FitHub) tends to provide an interactive and genius experience by integrating real time pose estimation with guided exercise tracking, able to browse more than 1200 exercises accordance to the body parts, also provide a personalized meal plans for balancing diet and your exercises. Here, gym app uses exercised for browsing exercises which comes with the information of your targeted muscles and instructions for the exercises you follow and also you can see a visual representation of gif image for better understanding. And accordance to your body weight and your goal you can receive your dietary plans and also you have sections for selecting your dietary requirements. And lastly, it utilizes PoseNet for precise tracking of movement which ensure users to maintain proper posing prevent musculoskeletal injuries and helps in maximizing the workout efficiency.

Besides other conventional fitness applications which delivers the static guidelines, this one is providing and will provide you kinetic feedback for more exercises in future making your home and gym workouts more productive and engaging. This program helps user to find exercises under desired machines, free weight and equipment and another is the

dietary plants based on user BMI and their own dietary choices. The app's unique feature is its use of computer vision and artificial intelligence to check squat and deadlift poses offering beginner and pro modes with actionable feedbacks of improvement and safety. In a nutshell, the application works as a virtual trainer inside your phone.

1.1. Project Briefing

1.1.1. Overview of the project

Though fitness applications are evolving, many do not offer real-time payer guidance and therefore put users at risk for poor form — leading to injury. This gym practice app is the one that is designed to close this gap by providing in-depth feedback on the exercise posture and movement using Al-powered pose estimation in real-time. But that's not all—the app even offers personalized nutrition plans, taking into account individual body types, fitness targets, and dietary preferences, to ensure a comprehensive focus on health and fitness.

The application is geared towards users of all fitness levels including beginners, athletes, and gym-goers. The application uses PoseNet to identify main movements of the body during exercises such as squats, deadlifts, and other activities, examine user posture in real time, provide corrective suggestions, and assist users performing movements to improve performance. This allows them to feel confident while exercising knowing that their movements are being executed correctly and effectively.

1.1.1.1. Understanding the Problem

One of the prime significant hurdles in self-oriented fitness journey is of maintaining the correct posture during performing exercises. Many individuals perform squats and deadlifts mistakenly without being aware, leading to either insignificant exercise or long-term muscle injury. Most fitness applications depends on pre-recorded videos or step-by-step internet guides, which do not give users a real-time clarification for their mistakes or guides them for betterment. The possible development of poor exercise habits inhibits

progress in the absence of personalized feedback. Real-time pose estimation ensures the increase in safety and effectiveness of workouts by regularly monitoring improper postures on the spot and providing feedbacks for corrections to perform the movements correctly and efficiently. Users are able to check their posture and movements in real-time and correct them as per the need to reduce the risk of injury and ensure muscles were being used effectively. This is the closest experience to working with a personal trainer providing more structure to workouts, making them more productive.

In addition, fitness is more than just doing workouts, it is more than diets as well. Most fitness applications do not consider nutrition planning, which inhibits the user from accessing a structured diet strategy to complement their training. By complementing exercise tracking with personalized meal planning, this application completes the experience for the user. Nutrition is just as important for muscle recovery, energy, and overall readiness and this application ensures users have dietary suggestions, in addition to workouts.

There's another major component to engaging with fitness, which is the presentation of exercises. Having exercise types grouped either by difficulty level, equipment required, or machine utilized allows for easier searching and access to options that best fit the user's situation. In this approach, it creates safer options for beginners by giving them a simpler exercise to start with and build confidence, while also providing advanced users with a more rigorous exercise to continue engaging them as they get better and continue working towards fitness goals. This categorization obviously improves structure, but like stated above, it greatly increases ease of navigation without off putting the user due to over exposure to content with unclear construct.

1.1.1.2. Solution to the Problem

Gym application is designed to combine all in one fitness assistant that aid used train effectively and balance dietary intake along way. Some of the standout features involves:

I. Real-time Pose Estimation

With the use of PoseNet, the app tracks a user's movements, locates joint position, and compares them to the ideal form, giving real-time feedback to make any necessary corrections. This increases workout safety and efficacy by helping users stay in proper form while exercising.

II. Posture Correction Assistance

The system identifies prevalent problems like incorrect knee position, poor back posture, and squat depth, encouraging users to correct these errors to improve their techniques and minimize injury risk.

III. Workout Tracking and Insights

Users can track their progress on workouts, assess improvements in their technique, and visualize their fitness journey over time. This surveillance can boost motivation for improvements and enhance long-term progress.

IV. Exercise Database

With a full library of exercises separated by body part, difficulty level, and equipment used, the app is organized to help users find the right workouts based on their available resources and fitness level so they can act on their ideas and see progress

V. Personalized Nutrition Plans

The app provides users with a customized meal plan that matches each user's weight, height, age and goals. Since fitness includes not only exercise, but nutrition too, it is very important for users to receive quality nutrition, which will lead them to generate better results and have a more consequential fitness experience.

VI. Adaptive Workout Recommendations

By making exercise suggestions based on user progress and performance, the system is constantly asking the user to challenge themselves and improve.

VII. Home Fitness Revolution

Utilizing PoseNet to provide feedback, the application leverages new technology to create an advanced workout analysis experience at home and for users who do not have the financial ability or desire to pay for a gym.

With these characteristics, the application builds a smarter fitness experience that acts as a personal trainer by guiding users towards their goals safely and efficiently with live insights. The backend builds with Django performs user authentication, exercise data and nutrition plans, allowing for streamlined functionality and data access. The frontend uses React Native and Flutter to provide an intuitive and fast user experience, giving users the ability to access features easily across devices.

In conclusion, this gym application has set a new way for users to experience fitness by combining AI-powered pose estimation and real time feedback with personalized nutrition plans. It addresses the global challenges of poor exercise postures and disorganization in diet by providing a holistic fitness solution which is interactive and complete. This application allows users, be it at home or at the gym, to perform their exercises safely and effectively while also keeping to a balanced nutrition plan to ensure a healthier and more efficient fitness experience.

1.1.2. Al implementation

Yes, my gym app project uses AI. Specifically, it brings in a convolutional neural network, kind of like the PoseNet setup Kendall and his team talked about in their 2015 ICCV paper, to measure your posture while you're working out in real time.

1.1.2.1. Computer Vision

The main AI utilizing in my project is Computer Vision. Computer vision is comparable to teaching machines to see and interpret a still or video image. It involves the use of computer models and/or algorithms to interpret visual data, identify items that can be detected in the visual data, and interpret the environment. For instance, it can identify faces in images, or aid an accident avoidance system in their obstacle detection, or track movements in a fitness app. Through computer vision, machines can mirror human vision, and this provides machines with intelligence and an ability to interact with the world

around them. The app looks at what the camera sees to figure out where your body joints are. That visual info is what it uses to check your posture.

1.1.2.2. Supervised learning

For figuring out your posture, it's mostly running on supervised learning. Here's the deal:

I. Learned from Examples (Kendall's network)

Think of it this way – just like (Kendall, et al., 2015) network learned where a camera was by seeing tons of labeled pictures, a PoseNet model for body joints learns by seeing loads of images where people's joints are marked.

II. Mapping What It Sees to What It Knows

The network figures out how to connect what it sees in the camera feed to where it thinks your joints should be. It learned this connection from all those labeled examples.

III. Just Using What It Already Knows

My app isn't constantly learning new stuff about posture from your workouts. It's using the knowledge that the pre-trained PoseNet model already has.

So, while there might be some great level of calculations behind-the-scenes stuff in the model, the core of how it figures out your posture is based on the patterns it learned from labeled data – that's supervised learning in action.

1.1.2.3. Mathematical Flow behind Al

Alright, so the math that makes this posture tracking work (and it's similar to what's going on under the hood in Kendall's PoseNet) involves a few key ideas:

I. Pictures as Numbers (Linear Algebra)

Images get turned into number grids, and your joint positions are also sets of numbers.

All the calculations the network does are basically math with these numbers.

II. Learning by Trying (Calculus)

When the model is learning, it makes guesses about where your joints are. Calculus helps it figure out how wrong those guesses are and how to tweak its internal settings to make better guesses next time. It's like fine-tuning to get it just right.

III. Figuring Out What's Likely (Probability and Statistics)

The model doesn't just say "your elbow is here." It might give you a sense of how confident it is about that guess. That involves ideas from probability. Now, the brains of the operation is a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) – that's the kind of model Kendall and his team used. Here's a simplified look at how it rolls:

Firstly, Your phone's camera sends a frame of you doing your exercise in form of tensors.

I. Looks for Features (Convolutional Layers)

The CNN has layers that act like little detectors, looking for edges, shapes, and other visual clues that tell it where your body parts might be.

II. Simplifies Things (Pooling Layers)

These layers make the information a bit less overwhelming, focusing on the important stuff.

III. Guesses the Spots (Prediction Layers)

Based on all the features it found, the network makes a guess about where each key body joint is. It might do this by creating "heatmaps" that show how likely a joint is to be in a certain area.

IV. Pinpoints the Location

Finally, the app takes those heatmaps (and maybe some extra info) to figure out the exact (x, y) coordinates of your shoulders, knees, and so on.

So, even though my app is tracking your body and Kendall's was tracking a camera, the underlying tech – using CNNs to learn from visual data – has a lot in common.

1.1.2.4. Agent Description

The PoseNet model inside my app act as a visual perception agent. Its whole job is to look at you through the camera and figure out your pose. Kind of like how Kendall's network figures out where a camera is by looking at its surroundings. Here's what it does:

- I. Keeps an Eye Out: It's constantly watching the video feed from your camera.
- II. Analyzes What It Sees: It uses its pre-trained neural network to make sense of the image and spot your key body joints.
- III. Reports What It Finds: It spits out the coordinates of those joints. Then, the rest of the app can take that info and tell you if your form is looking good.

It's basically a silent observer utilizing the user's camera that gives the app the raw data of coordinates which are needed for understanding your movements.

1.2. Aims

I. Enhance Exercise Effectiveness

Create a mechanism that guides users to perform exercises in the correct and most efficient manner by giving real-time feedback on their posture and movement.

II. Ensure Workout Safety

When Exercising prevent injuries by using Al-powered pose estimation to identify incorrect posture when working out and provide corrective feedback.

III. Provide Personalized Nutrition Planning

Provide nutrition planning to ensure users receive personalized meal recommendations that support their fitness level and training goals.

IV. Improve User Engagement

Deliver an engaging and simplified user experience by providing exercise options with classifications such as difficulty, equipment required, and targeted muscle groups.

V. Bridge the Gap Between Home and Gym Workouts

Workouts bring professional workout guidance into the home, providing users with Alpowered coaching and feedback without the need for a gym membership.

VI. Support Long-Term Fitness Progression

Promote continuous fitness progression through user performance tracking, workout intensity adjustments, and adaptive recommendations.

1.3. Objectives

- I. Implement AI-Powered Pose Estimation for Exercise Tracking
 - Utilize PoseNet to detect body posture during squats and deadlifts.
 - Develop an algorithm that calculates joint angles and provides real-time feedback.
 - Ensure users maintain correct form to minimize injury risks.
- II. Provide Personalized Nutrition Planning
 - Implement a system that generates customized diet plans based on user weight, height, age, and fitness goals.
 - Ensure nutrition recommendations complement users' workout routines.
 - Allow users to track calorie intake and macronutrient distribution.
- III. Enhance User Engagement and Progression
 - Categorize exercises by difficulty, required equipment, and targeted muscle groups.
 - Provide adaptive workout recommendations based on user progress.
 - Develop a structured progression system that helps users improve over time.
- IV. Develop an Interactive and Accessible User Interface

- Design a user-friendly frontend using React Native.
- Integrate seamless navigation between exercise tracking and nutrition planning.
- Provide real-time feedback and exercise guidance in an intuitive format.

V. Ensure a Secure and Scalable Backend

- Implement Django for managing user authentication, exercise data, and nutrition plans.
- Ensure data security and privacy for user health metrics.
- Optimize server-side performance for real-time feedback and exercise tracking.

1.4. Artefact

1.4.1. FDD Diagram

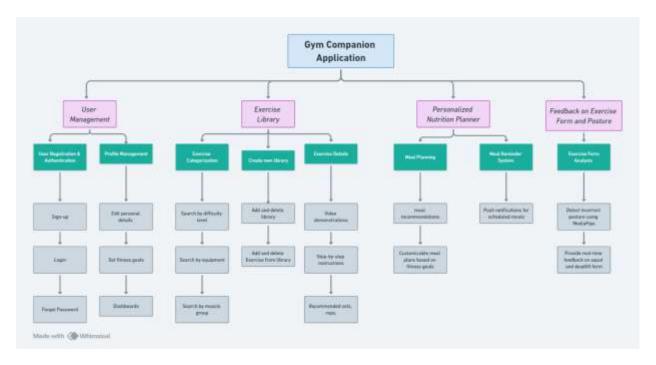


Figure 2: Functional Decomposition Diagram

The Functional Decomposition Diagram (FDD) visually represents the structure of the Gym Companion Application, breaking it down into core functionalities and subfunctionalities. Each subsystem is designed to serve a specific aspect of the user's fitness

journey, ensuring a structured approach to exercise tracking, nutrition planning, and realtime posture analysis.

- I. User Management: Handles user registration, authentication, and profile management.
- II. Exercise Library: Provides categorized exercises, allows users to create a custom library, and offers detailed exercise instructions.
- III. Personalized Nutrition Planner: Generates meal plans, provides dietary recommendations, and includes a meal reminder system.
- IV. Feedback on Exercise Form and Posture : Uses PoseNet to analyze exercise form and provide real-time feedback on squat and deadlift movements.

This structured breakdown ensures a clear understanding of how different modules work together within the system.

1.4.2. Explanation of the System as a Whole

The Gym Companion Application is an AI powered fitness solution aim for providing guidance to users in their fitness journey by combining exercise tracking, personalized nutrition planning, and real-time posture correction utilizing advanced computer vision techniques. The system integrates machine learning to analyze exercise performance and delivers insights into user workouts and diet plans.

Core Functionalities of Gym Application are:

- I. User Authentication & Profile Management: Secure login, profile updates, and fitness goal tracking.
- II. Exercise Library & Categorization: Users can explore exercises based on difficulty, equipment, and muscle groups.
- III. Custom Exercise Libraries: Users can create and modify their own personalized exercise lists.
- IV. Step-by-Step Workout Instructions: Access to video demonstrations, recommended sets, reps, and execution guidelines.

- V. Al-Based Form Correction: Detects improper posture during squats and deadlifts using PoseNet and provides real-time feedback.
- VI. Personalized Nutrition Planner: Generates meal plans based on weight goals, body parameters, and fitness levels.
- VII. Push Notifications for Meal Reminders: Helps users stay consistent with their diet.

With integration of movement analysis, browsing thousands of exercises and customized nutrition planning, the system affect as a comprehensive fitness assistant for users in their mobile phones.

1.4.3. Explanation of Each Subsystem

The Gym Companion Application systems have been broken down into four main subsystems. Let's understand them briefly.

1.4.3.1. User Management Subsystem

This subsystem ensures secure authentication and user profile management, allowing individuals to track and personalize their fitness experience.

1.4.3.1.1. User Registration & Authentication

- I. Sign-Up: Users can create an account using an email and password.
- II. Login: Secure authentication process allowing access to the system.
- III. Forgot Password: Provides password recovery functionality through OTP verification.

1.4.3.1.2. Profile Management

- I. Edit Personal Details: Users can update their name, age, weight, height, and fitness preferences.
- II. Set Fitness Goals: Users define their fitness objectives, such as weight loss, muscle gain, or endurance improvement.
- III. Dashboards: Displays progress over time, including exercise performance and diet adherence.

1.4.3.2. Exercise Library Subsystem

This subsystem provides a structured way to explore and track exercises. Users can categorize, add, and manage workouts based on their preferences.

1.4.3.2.1. Exercise Categorization

- I. Search by Equipment: Dumbbells, barbells, resistance bands, bodyweight exercises, etc.
- II. Search by Muscle Group: Targeted workouts for chest, back, legs, arms, core, and shoulders.
- III. Use libraries: Create multiple libraries of your own favorite exercises.

1.4.3.2.2. Create Own Library

- I. Add and Delete Exercise Library: Users can create their custom workout lists.
- II. Modify Library: Add or remove exercises from personal lists based on preferences.

1.4.3.2.3. Exercise Details

- I. Video Demonstrations: Each exercise contains a tutorial video.
- II. Step-by-Step Instructions: Complete instructions and guidance on how to perform each exercise correctly.
- III. Calculate Sets and Reps: Record your sets, reps, and rest times based on the user's preferences.

1.4.3.3. Personalized Nutrition Planner Subsystem

This subsystem provides users with personalized meal plans based on their fitness goals, along with meal reminders to maintain a consistent diet.

1.4.3.3.1. Meal Planning

- I. Meal Recommendations: Generates suggested meals based on user dietary preferences and fitness objectives.
- II. Customizable Meal Plans: Users can adjust their meal plans according to their fitness goals (e.g., bulking, cutting, or maintaining weight).

1.4.3.3.2. Meal Reminder System

I. Push Notifications for Scheduled Meals: The system sends reminders to users to ensure they follow their meal plan consistently.

1.4.3.4. Feedback on Exercise Form and Posture Subsystem

This subsystem is Al-powered and integrates PoseNet pose estimation to analyze the user's workout posture and provide real-time feedback.

1.4.3.4.1. Exercise Form Analysis

I. Detect Incorrect Posture Using PoseNet: The system captures live footage from the user's camera and analyzes joint angles to detect incorrect form.

1.4.3.4.2. Provide Real-Time Feedback on Squat and Deadlift Form

- I. Identifies improper knee, hip, and back positioning.
- II. Alerts users if their squat depth is insufficient.
- III. Detects incorrect back curvature in deadlifts and warns about potential injury risks.
- IV. Displays corrective suggestions to improve workout performance.

The Gym Companion Application includes technology-driven exercise tracking, real-time form analysis, and personalized nutrition planning into a concise single user-friendly platform that can simulate under your mobile phone. It assists users in maintaining their fitness journey through structured workout plans, posture correction, and dietary

recommendations. It increases user engagement by offering immediate feedback, push notifications, and an intuitive meal planner. It promotes injury prevention by using PoseNet-based pose estimation for squat and deadlift tracking. This modular system provides a comprehensive fitness experience, making it a versatile and effective fitness companion for users of all levels.

1.5. Academic Questions

The academic question with my Gym Application is as:

How can Al-driven pose estimation and personalized fitness recommendations enhance the effectiveness and safety of workout routines in mobile fitness applications?

1.5.1. Explanation of the Academic Question

The upward question goals to investigate on how Artificial Intelligence (AI) and Computer Vision based pose estimation can upgrade the fitness applications by offering real-time feedback on exercise form and posture. Moreover, it also monitor how personalized recommendations of workout routines and nutrition plans can affect positively toward user consistency and effectiveness.

1.5.1.1. Al-Powered Pose Estimation for Injury Prevention

- Evaluating the accuracy and effectiveness of PoseNet-based pose tracking in identifying incorrect squat and deadlift postures.
- Analyzing how immediate feedback can prevent injuries and improve user form.
- Comparing technology-based posture correction to traditional human coaching in terms of efficiency and accessibility.

1.5.1.2. Impact of Personalized Workout and Nutrition Plans

Examining how tailored fitness recommendations based on user height, weight,
 age, and goals contribute to consistency and results.

- Assessing whether personalized meal plans and reminders improve consistency in diet tracking.
- Investigating how data-driven adaptations to fitness programs enhance motivation and progress tracking.
- User Engagement and Adoption of Technology-Based Fitness Solutions.

1.5.1.3. User Engagement and Adoption of Al-Based Fitness Solutions

- Identifying potential hazards to adoption, including data privacy concerns, usability challenges, or lack of trust in technology generated recommendations.
- Analyzing the impact of interactive features (such as video demonstrations, dashboards, and automated feedback) on user convenience.

1.5.1.4. Comparing Al-Powered Fitness Apps to Conventional Training Methods

- Evaluating how mobile technology focused fitness applications differ with personal trainers, gym training programs, and non-technology fitness apps.
- Monitoring whether technology-based fitness coaching can work as an affordable and effective alternatives to personal trainer.
- Exploring potential limitations, such as inaccurate feedback from technology pose estimation and ways to improve it.

This academic question vision is to assess the effectiveness, safety, and user adoption with technology-enhanced fitness applications. It contributes to understanding how machine learning, computer vision, and personalized analytics is able to be a more interactive, efficient, and accessible fitness experience for users globally.

1.6. Scope and Limitations

1.6.1.1. Scope

The Gym Companion Application provide Al-powered real-time feedback on exercise form, personalized workout plans, and nutrition recommendations. It primarily aim

includes enhancing fitness tracking through pose estimation technology, meal planning, and user-specific exercise libraries.

Key Features Covered in Scope:

1.6.1.1.1. User Management:

- I. User registration, authentication, and profile management.
- II. Users can edit personal details, set fitness goals, and access dashboards for progress tracking.

1.6.1.1.2. Exercise Library

- Users can search for exercises based on difficulty level, equipment, and muscle group.
- II. Ability to create, add, or delete custom exercise libraries.
- III. Access to video demonstrations, step-by-step instructions, and recommended sets/reps.

1.6.1.1.3. Personalized Nutrition Planner:

- I. Al-driven meal recommendations based on fitness goals, weight, and dietary preferences.
- II. Customizable meal plans and automated meal reminders via notifications.

1.6.1.1.4. Al-Powered Exercise Form Feedback

- I. Pose estimation using PoseNet to analyze squat and deadlift forms.
- II. Real-time feedback to detect incorrect posture and suggest corrections.

Cross-Platform Accessibility:

- I. The system will be developed for mobile devices i.e. Android using React Native.
- II. The backend will be developed using Django with PostgreSQL for database management.

1.6.1.2. Limitations

1.6.1.2.1. Scope of Al Pose Estimation

- I. The pose tracking model is focused only on squats and deadlifts; it does not support all types of exercises.
- II. Pose estimation accuracy depends on camera quality, lighting conditions, and user positioning.

1.6.1.2.2. Limited Exercise Library Customization:

I. While users can create custom libraries, they cannot add completely new exercises outside of the existing database.

1.6.1.2.3. Nutrition Planning Constraints:

- I. The nutrition module provides generalized diet recommendations, but it does not track actual food intake or caloric consumption.
- II. Does not account for specific medical conditions or food allergies.

1.6.1.2.4. Real-Time Feedback Constraints:

- I. Feedback is limited to basic corrections in angles and posture; it does not provide advanced biomechanical analysis.
- II. There may be false positives or incorrect feedback in certain edge cases (e.g., partially visible body parts).

1.6.1.2.5. Internet Dependency:

- I. Some features, such as exercise search, meal planning, and video demonstrations, require an active internet connection.
- II. Al-based pose analysis is processed locally on the device, but cloud-based processing for advanced analytics is not supported.

1.6.1.2.6. User Engagement and Learning Curve:

- I. Users need to position their cameras correctly for accurate pose tracking.
- II. The system does not offer live coaching or interaction with human trainers.

This project provide an Al-driven gym companion application that enhances exercise form correction and personalized fitness planning. While it covers real-time feedback, workout tracking, and nutrition planning, some limitations exist due to hardware constraints, Al accuracy, and the scope of exercise coverage. Future iterations of versions will surely include support for additional exercises, improved Al analysis, and expanded nutritional tracking.

2. Literature Review

2.1. Review of Journal Articles

1. Accuracy Evaluation of 3D Pose Estimation with MediaPipe Pose for Physical Exercises

(Sebastian, et al., 2023) dive into how accurate MediaPipe Pose, a popular pose estimation tool, really is when it comes to health-critical uses like physical therapy, where getting it right matters a lot. They point out that there's still a gap in checking if MediaPipe Pose nails key medical details, like joint angles and body measurements. To test it, they use motion capture (MoCap) as their gold standard and put MediaPipe through its paces in a controlled setup, paying close attention to things like camera placement and angles. Their findings show that while MediaPipe runs smoothly and efficiently, it stumbles when

conditions aren't perfect like when something blocks the view or the perspective shifts. They stress the need for strong testing systems to make sure it's safe and dependable for medical purposes. On top of that, they highlight the hurdles of using pose estimation in health settings and tossed out some ideas to boost MediaPipe's usefulness. Their work helps pave the way for sharper, more reliable pose estimation in situations where precision and trust are non-negotiable.

2. Changes in Physical Activity and Sedentary Behaviors from Before to During the COVID-19 Pandemic Lockdown: A Systematic Review

(Stockwell, et al., 2021) dives into a huge review over 66 studies with 86,981 people, show casing how physical activity (PA) and sedentary behavior (SB) flip-flopped during the phase of COVID-19 lockdowns. Across the board kids, adults, and folks with health issues—PA takes a dive while sitting around shoots up. With movement restricted and gyms shuttered, daily routines crumble, dragging down PA levels and hitting both physical and mental well-being hard. People who were super active before feeling the drop the most, piling on stress and exhaustion. On the flip side, those with eating disorders ramp up their PA, driven by unhealthy exercise kicks. The review shines a light on digital fixes like online fitness classes, which step in to soften the blow. But it also flags some holes—like spotty ways of measuring things and not enough detail on the kinds and intensity of PA people are doing.

3. Effects of a Personalized Fitness Recommender System Using Gamification and Continuous Player Modeling: System Design and Long-Term Validation Study

(Zhao, et al., 2020) introduces a gamified fitness assistant system that integrates wearable tracking and continuous player modeling to deliver personalized exercise recommendations. By combining gamification—adding game-like features to activities—with tailored suggestions, the system aims to boost physical activity engagement. Recognizing that preferences and motivations vary, it adapts to individual users using wearable data to update their profiles over time.

In a 60-day study with 40 participants, three groups were compared: one received a fully personalized, gamified experience, another received only personalized recommendations, and the third received generic suggestions. Results showed that personalization and gamification significantly improved motivation and satisfaction. Participants using the personalized, gamified system reported higher engagement, and feedback highlighted potential enhancements, including customized storylines, multiplayer modes, goal-setting, and location-based features.

4. Digital Applications for Diet Monitoring, Planning, and Precision Nutrition for Citizens and Professionals: A State of the Art

(Abeltino, et al., 2024) provides an overview of digital tools design of assisting individuals and professionals in managing personalized dietary practices. Poor diet that links to chronic illnesses like obesity and diabetes, and traditional tracking methods are often time-consuming. Digital applications simplify these processes by offering tailored nutrition advice.

The tools are categorized by target users:

- Citizens: Apps for self-monitoring diets, managing weight, and controlling diabetes, featuring food logging and calorie counting but facing challenges like data accuracy and engagement.
- **Nutritionists**: Tools to create and adjust client-specific diet plans, improving efficiency in counseling.
- **Physicians/Researchers**: Platforms using genetic data to deliver precision nutrition recommendations.

All and machine learning encourage personalization, while blockchain technology is under researching phase for secure data handling. However, challenges like accuracy, accessibility, and affordability remains yet. The article stresses the need for continue innovation to maximize the potential of digital dietary tools for betterment.

5. FitSight: Tracking and Feedback Engine for Personalized Fitness Training

(Hitesh, et al., 2024) research on FitSight, a fresh fitness setup that taps into the YOLOv7 model and a basic webcam to dish out real-time posture tips while you work out. Using computer vision, FitSight watches your moves and fires off instant, tailored text advice, helping you keep your form sharp, dodge injuries, and get more out of your session—no pro trainer needed. It even keeps tabs on your reps and nudges you to fix your stance on the fly for safer sweating.

In a controlled gym-like test, they put FitSight through its paces to see how it shapes up exercise technique. Folks using its live feedback show big leaps in form compared to those sticking with old-school methods minus the instant pointers. This proves FitSight's got game when it comes to boosting workout safety and quality. It's a prime example of how Al-driven tools can shake up fitness, serving up affordable, easy-to-use options. FitSight's a leap ahead in blending human-computer teamwork with fitness tech, making top-tier coaching reachable for all kinds of users.

6. A review on Computer Vision Technology for Physical Exercise Monitoring

(Salik, et al., 2022) shine a spotlight on how computer vision is stepping up for non-contact exercise tracking, giving traditional sensor setups a run for their money. Methods like video-based photoplethysmography (PPG) pick up heart rate and breathing patterns just by checking out tiny shifts in skin color, keeping things accurate and comfy for users. Deep learning kicks it up a notch, crunching video data to nail down vital signs and workout stats with precision. This tech powers everything from fitness tracking and live feedback to healthcare gigs like rehab and remote check-ins. Sure, hiccups like shaky movements or tricky lighting can throw it off, but researchers are hard at work smoothing out those kinks. All in all, computer vision's shaping up as a handy, reliable go-to for keeping tabs on exercise without the fuss.

2.2. Similar applications

1. MyFitnessPal

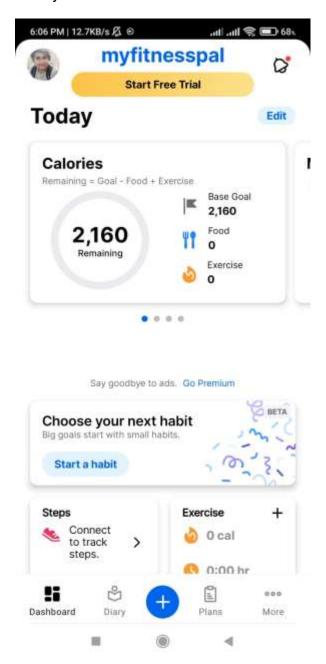


Figure 3: My fitness pal Home screen

Home Screen contains minimalist design and proper navigation are build on the footer and you can view the id status on top of screen. Mainly you can see the sections of entering your meal plan for breakfast and lunch only

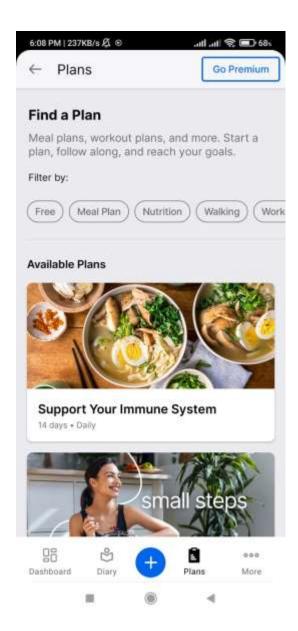


Figure 4: My fitness pal Plan screen

Plan screen provides various plan for you diet and very few are available in free. We need to buy subscription to access many features.

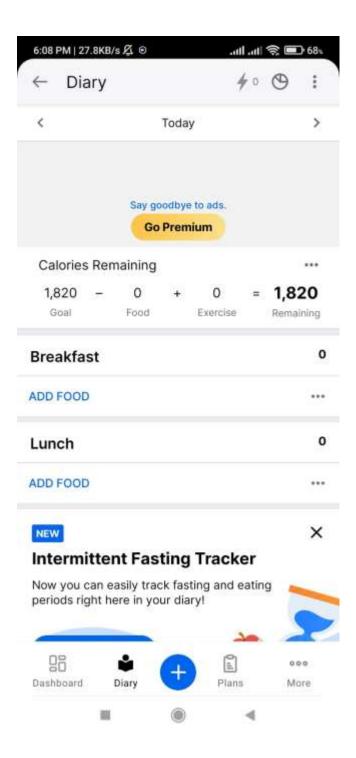


Figure 5: Fitnesss plan diary page

This page is mainly for nutrition section where you can add your food items in your plan. You can regularly see your calorie goals and the remaining calorie for your goal met.

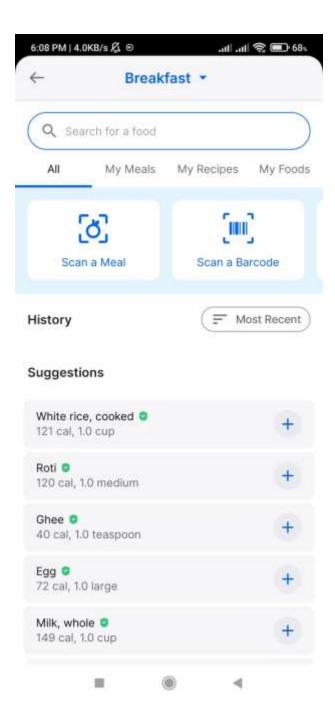


Figure 6: My fitness Pal breakfast page

Under break fast page you can observe the section of scanning the meal item and there are suggestions of meals for you. You can choose from your own meals and recipes also.

MyFitnessPal (FitnessApp, 2024) is a well-known fitness app that tracks calories, meals, and weight management which aligns with its extensive database of more than 11 million

food items, users can easily keep track of their meals and calories consumed. For a comprehensive overview, the app also lets users connect fitness wearables and track their physical activity. It is ideal for people who are working toward their dietary objectives because of its straightforward design and vibrant community forums. However, MyFitnessPal only offers limited features like individualized training plans, real-time pose tracking, and gamified tools to keep users motivated.

2. Nike Training Club

A fitness app called Nike Training Club (nikw, 2024) offers top-notch exercise videos and recording offered by qualified trainers. It aligns best for users of all fitness levels, from beginner to elite athletes, because it delivers a variety of guided programs for strength, endurance, mobility, and yoga. The app offers easy-to-follow audio and video instructions for tracking workouts. Additionally, it provides customized programs for particular objectives like muscle growth or weight loss. However, Nike Training Club lacks features for integrated nutrition planning and real-time posture feedback, instead concentrating on workout guidance. In comparison to other fitness apps that provide individualized experiences, its customization options are also lacking.

3. Strong Workout Tracker Gym Log

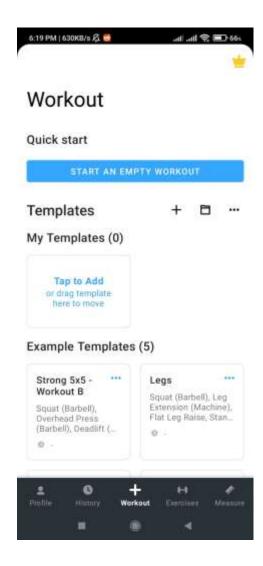


Figure 7: Strong Home page

This is home page of strong app. It is very minimalistic and not so practical. We cant identify if anything is significant. The footer navigation section is pretty well aligned.

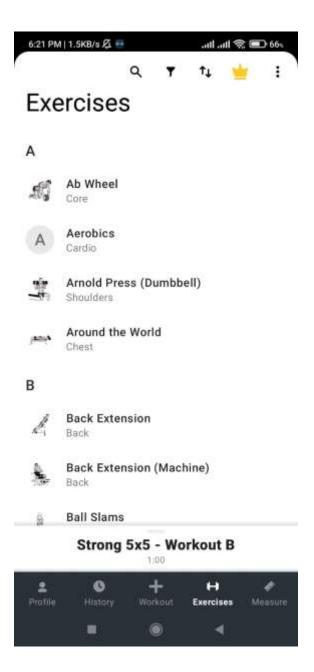


Figure 8: Strong Exercise page

This is the exercise page for strong where exercise are pretty well aligned and are more cleare to view according to alphabetical orders. But it has not very much count of exercises so user are not happy to withstand such limited options.

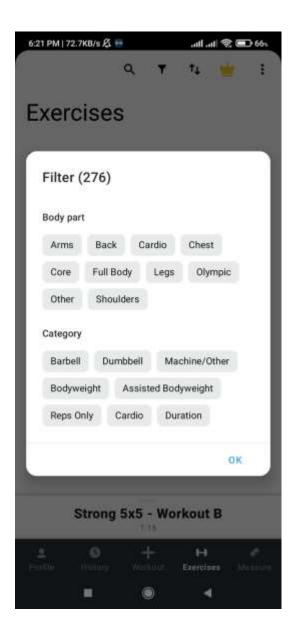


Figure 9: Exercise Filter options

These are the filter options available in the application which I feel is a strong part as we got more filters to search through either body part or the equipment we got.

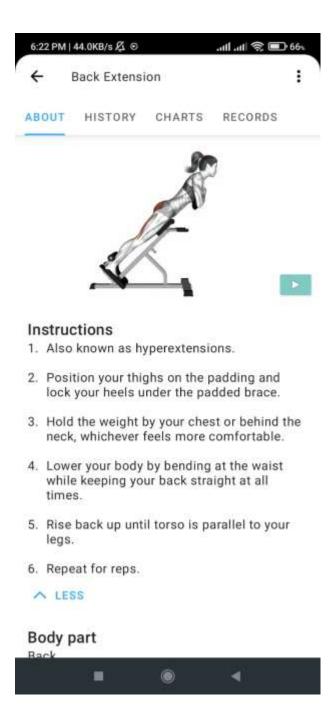
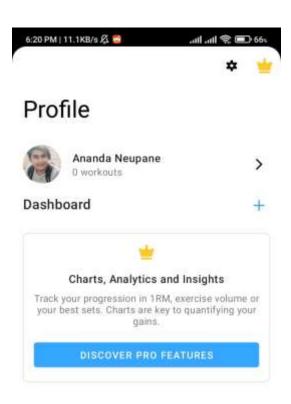


Figure 10: Strong exercise page

The exercise page is well aligned with detailed instructions. You can observe the tutorial video also. There is clear interpretation of the body part includes during exercise and equipment needed.



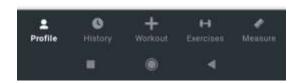


Figure 11: Strong Profile Page

This is the profile page for strong app which is a shameful experience as it feels so empty. But later on growing with exercise performance we can add the dashboards of various options such as muscle tracking and calorie burning and how exercise is affecting our body.

Fitness app called Strong (Anon., 2024) fit suitable for people who rejoices in strength training and heavy weight exercises like weightlifting and resistance training. It ensures that users keep log of their weights, sets, and repetitions, ensure them to periodically

assess their progress over time. Moving along, with useful features like rest timers and comprehensive workout statistics, the app straightforward design makes tracking workouts quick and simple. Although Strong is a useful tool for tracking strength training, it is devoid of features like nutrition planning, gamified engagement, and advice on correct exercise form. Its main function is to serve as a digital logbook for monitoring strength training.

4. FitOn

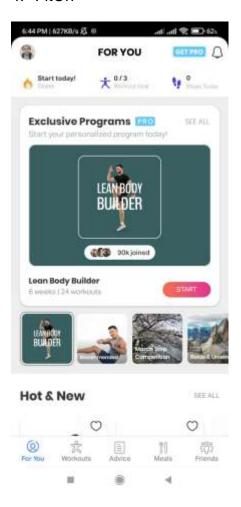


Figure 12: FitOn Homepage

This is home page of fit on application which is premium in looks and it offers us to choose for premium and free versions earlier. Here we can track the steps and visualize our goal in home page. Then we have perfect navigation bar under footer section.

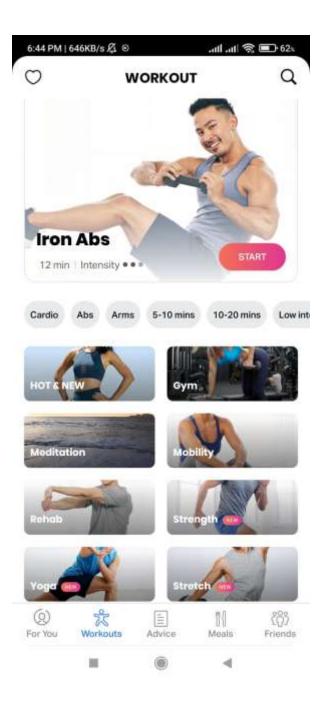


Figure 13: Fit on exercise page

We can chose for exercise category and visit different exercise inside and each exercise come with effective instructions and video guidance.

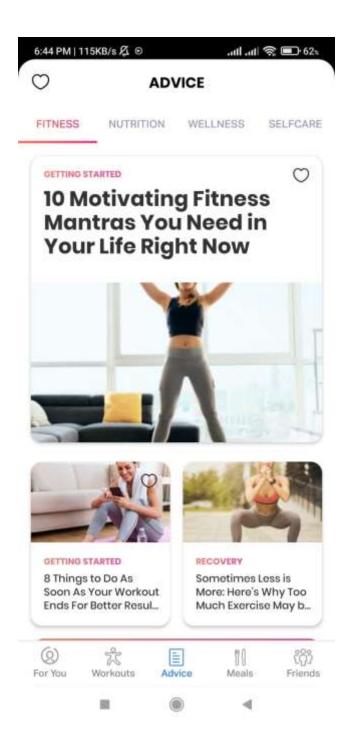


Figure 14: Fit On navigation page

This is another advice page from navigation. This pages includes of different articles found online and different blogs posted by community users.

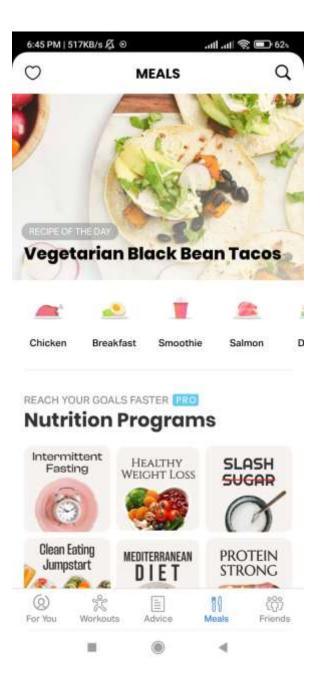


Figure 15: Fit on Meals page

Inside meals page, we can observe different categorization of the foods where on click we can browse through different items for eating and following by we can see the receipe of the day on top of it. And for pro version we can observe different nutrition planning program where we can catch up with interval plans.

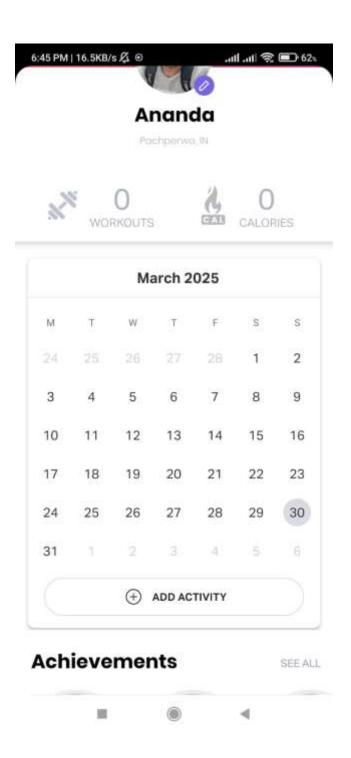


Figure 16: Fit on profile page

Fit on Profile page includes of workout and calorie sections which show the count of exercise and calorie burned over the day and moving on you can view a huge calendar where you are able to track your streak of performing exercise and lastly we can see achievement sections which are granted to you with different steaks and your accomplishments.

FitOn (On, 2024) is a mobile fitness app that welcomes users of all skill levels, delivering a wide array of workout videos and training options. Top-notch instructors lead the sessions, guiding users through different fitness styles like strength training, cardio, yoga, and Pilates. To keep motivation high, FitOn adds a fun social twist, letting users challenge their buddies. Plus, people can tweak their workouts right in the app to match their personal goals and tastes. While FitOn shines with its variety and knack for keeping users hooked, it doesn't yet offer real-time tips on exercise form or extras like custom meal plans. It also skips features like pose tracking or in-depth monitoring of how exercises are performed. Still, with its easy-to-use design, compatibility with wearable gadgets, and a vibe that brings people together, it's a go-to fitness companion for tons of users.

5. JEFIT Workout Planner

JEFIT (jefit, 2024) is a full-on fitness app crafted for folks who love hitting the gym for strength training. It suits everyone, from beginners to seasoned lifters, thanks to its huge exercise library packed with clear instructions and visuals for every move. Users can dive into detailed performance stats, track their progress, and whip up or tweak workout plans to fit their needs. The JEFIT community adds a social spark, pushing accountability and friendly rivalry. While its tracking tools are solid, it doesn't bring gamified fun, built-in nutrition guidance, or live feedback on form or posture. Even so, it shines as a prime pick for strength training fans, offering a structured way to manage workouts and smart, data-backed insights.

Feature	MyFitnessPal	Fit ON	Strong	Fitness
			Workout	Companion
			Tracker	Application

Real-time Pose Estimation	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Tracks exercises like squats and deadlifts using PoseNet.
Personalized Nutrition Plans	Basic calorie tracking	Not Available	Not Available	Fully customized meal plans based on height, weight, and fitness goals.
Exercise Library	Limited workout guidance	Guided programs by trainers	Minimal	Extensive library is categorized by difficulty, equipment, and machines.
Progress Tracking	Calorie-focused	Basic workout tracking	Tracks weightlifting progress	Tracks muscles worked and overall fitness progress.
Beginner and Pro Modes	Not Available	General guidance	Not Available	Tailored workout modes for beginners and pros.
Exercise Suggestions	Not Available	Not Available	Not Available	Recommend exercises based on user goals and preferences.

				Includes
Exercise Timer	Not Available	Not	Basic	customizable
		Available	stopwatch	interval times for
				exercises

While MyFitnessPal strengths in meal tracking and calorie counting, it lacks advanced workout and feedback features found in the Fitness Companion Application. Similarly, Fit On is an exception for guided workouts but falls short in areas like real-time feedback, personalized nutrition plans, and progress tracking. Lastly, Strong Workout Tracker is an excellent choice for weightlifting enthusiasts but does not provide tools for posture correction, exercise suggestions, or gamified features, making it less comprehensive than the Fitness Companion Application. The proposed artefact bridges these gaps, offering a seamless blend of functionalities in a single platform.

2.3. Analysis and findings

The reviewed literature highlights the increasing role of technology in fitness monitoring, physical activity management, and health improvement. Through various studies, significant advancements in computer vision, gamification, personalized recommended systems, and real-time feedback mechanisms have been demonstrated to improve user engagement and fitness outcomes. Key findings from the studies are analyzed below

1. Accuracy in Pose Estimation for Exercises

Statistical findings from (Sebastian, et al., 2023) highlight MediaPipe Pose's reduced accuracy under suboptimal conditions. Descriptive analysis suggests that improving pose estimation tools is vital for fitness and health-critical scenarios like rehabilitation. While apps such as Nike Training Club and FitOn offer guided workouts, they lack real-time pose estimation or posture correction, underscoring a gap for more advanced solutions.

2. Impact of COVID-19 on Physical Activity

(Stockwell, et al., 2021) presented statistical evidence of declining physical activity during lockdowns, with sedentary behavior increasing across populations. Descriptive insights emphasize the effectiveness of digital fitness solutions like MyFitnessPal, which mitigated disruptions by promoting dietary tracking and exercise routines. However, apps like Strong and JEFIT focus mainly on workout logging, lacking features to counter the holistic effects of reduced physical activity.

3. Gamification in Fitness Recommender Systems

(Zhao, et al., 2020) demonstrated statistically significant improvements in user satisfaction through gamified, personalized systems. Descriptive analysis emphasizes features like goal-setting and storylines for sustained motivation. While apps like FitOn use social competition to engage users, they do not incorporate the adaptive gamification or tailored player modeling seen in advanced systems.

4. Diet Monitoring and Precision Nutrition

Statistical validation from (Abeltino, et al., 2024) supports the effectiveness of AI-powered diet-monitoring tools. Descriptive findings highlight challenges like data accuracy and engagement. Apps like MyFitnessPal offer with dietary needs but lack integration with precision nutrition technologies, presenting insights for innovation in combining AI and user-friendly interfaces.

6. Real-Time Feedback for Exercise Posture

(Hitesh, et al., 2024), provided statistical evidence of improved posture and reduced injury risks with Al-driven feedback systems. Descriptive analysis underscores the accessibility of such tools. Current apps, including Nike Training Club and FitOn, do not offer real-time pose correction, demonstrating the need for advanced technologies like FitSight to democratize professional-level fitness training.

Non-Contact Monitoring Using Computer Vision

(Salik, et al., 2022) showcased statistical evidence of accuracy in non-contact monitoring methods like video-based photoplethysmography. Descriptive analysis highlights their potential for fitness and remote health management. However, apps like JEFIT and Strong remain focused on manual tracking and lack integration with such innovative technologies, limiting their scope in comprehensive health monitoring.

2.4. Ai Implementation

2.4.1. Research paper

The foundation of AI implementation in my application comes from the following research paper:

"PoseNet: A Convolutional Network for Real-Time 6-DOF Camera Relocalization". Author of the articles are (Kendall, et al., 2015).

While PoseNet focuses on camera relocalization, its core principles apply directly to human pose estimation using Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs).

2.4.1.1. How the Al Works: The Core Algorithm

The system relies on a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN), a deep learning model designed to process visual data efficiently.

Key Mathematical Concepts includes:

I. Convolution – The heart of CNNs. Small filters (weight matrices) slide across the image, multiplying their values with pixel values and summing them up to detect features like edges, textures, and shapes. Mathematically, for a 2D image I(x,y) and filter K(u,v), convolution is defined as:

$$(I * K)(x,y) = \sum u \sum v \ l(x-u, \ y-v) \cdot K(u,v)$$

II. Non-Linear Activation (ReLU) – After each convolution, the model applies an activation function like ReLU (Rectified Linear Unit) to introduce non-linearity, helping the network learn complex patterns:

$$ReLU(x) = max(0, x)$$

- III. Pooling This reduces feature map size, making the model faster and more robust to variations. Max pooling is common—it takes the highest value from a local region.
- IV. Loss Function (MSE) Measures prediction accuracy. Mean Squared Error (MSE) calculates the difference between predicted and actual keypoints:

$$MSE = (1/n) \sum (y_true - y_pred)^2$$

V. Optimization (SGD/Adam) – The model improves itself by adjusting weights using optimization algorithms like Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD) or Adam:

$$w_{t+1} = w_t - \eta \nabla L(w_t)$$

Here, w_t represents weights at step t, η is the learning rate, and ∇L is the gradient of the loss function.

2.4.1.2. The Al's Purpose & How It Functions

This AI brings real-time perceptual intelligence to a gym app—it "sees" and interprets a user's body posture instantly, just like a personal trainer would.

How It Works:

- I. Pattern Recognition The CNN identifies key body features (limbs, joints) and their spatial relationships.
- II. Spatial Reasoning It processes joint positions to understand posture.

III. Real-Time Processing – The AI analyzes movement frame-by-frame, providing instant feedback.

Right now, the focus is solely on posture analysis, not exercise routines or fitness planning.

2.4.1.3. Performance Evaluation & Key Metrics

To assess the Al's effectiveness, we consider:

Accuracy: How precisely it detects joint positions (affected by lighting, clothing, camera angle).

Precision: How consistently it predicts the same pose (minimal jitter).

Recall: Whether it detects all key joints without missing any.

Speed (Latency): Must process frames fast enough for real-time feedback.

Robustness: Works across different environments, body types, and obstructions.

Mathematical Evaluation: Object Keypoint Similarity (OKS)

A standard metric for pose estimation is OKS, which measures how well predicted keypoints match actual ones, adjusted for body size:

$$\mathsf{OKS_p} = (\sum_{i} [\exp(-d_i^2 / (2s^2\kappa_i^2)) \cdot \delta(v_i = 1)]) / (\sum_{i} \delta(v_i = 1))$$

d_i = Euclidean distance between predicted & actual keypoint.

s = Person's scale (based on bounding box area).

 $\kappa_i = \text{Keypoint-specific constant (adjusts error tolerance)}.$

v_i = Visibility flag (1 if keypoint is visible).

OKS ranges from 0 to 1 (1 = perfect match). If we collect labeled posture data, this metric helps evaluate real-world performance.

2.5. Conclusion

The development of fitness apps has substantially advanced fitness tracking, biometric tracking, and personalized coaching. Nevertheless, the capabilities of fitness apps differ in effectiveness across features, accuracy, and user engagement. Wherever some apps provide useful fitness tracking capabilities, many of these apps do not provide real-time corrective feedback on one's posture, which does not signifies for injury prevention and performance optimization. A key hurdles of fitness apps which are supported by AI is the accuracy of pose estimation. Applications such as PoseNet allows for tracking, but struggles for low-light scenarios, as well as tracking of occluded body parts. This indicates that validation methods can help provide more robust accuracy measures for real-world scenarios, while also ensuring smart algorithms tune and adapt based on usage. Realtime systems, such as FitSight, are capable of lower injury risk and improved exercise form, and will provide valuable tools for making fitness trainers more accessible through smart and artificial-intelligence powered tools. During the COVID-19 pandemic, we have further validated the significance of digital fitness offerings as a method to engage in physical activity, and adopting healthier habits, even when physically restricted to one spot. Digital products, such as MyFitnessPal, also assist engagement by making tracking more convenient. However, two key elements that were missed in most successful digital apps was not providing real-time corrective posture feedback and tracking engagement of users with gamification elements. Gamification is important as it fundamentally increases motivation for high level performance and long term exercise adherence in the absence of self-motivation.

Mathematically, the success of Al-based pose estimation hinges on the performance of Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs) and key evaluation metrics. The **PoseNet** model, used in this application, relies on convolution operations:

$$(I * K)(x,y) = u \sum v \sum I(x-u,y-v) \cdot K(u,v)$$

where I(x,y)I(x,y)I(x,y) represents the input image, and K(u,v)K(u,v)K(u,v) is the filter detecting movement patterns. The model then applies **ReLU activation**:

$$ReLU(x) = max(0, x)$$

to introduce non-linearity, followed by pooling layers to reduce feature complexity. The final joint locations are optimized using **Mean Squared Error (MSE)** for keypoint estimation:

$$MSE = n1\Sigma(ytrue - ypred)2$$

and evaluated through Object Keypoint Similarity (OKS):

$$OKSp = \sum i\delta(vi = 1)\sum i[exp(2s2\kappa i2 - di2)/\delta(vi = 1)]$$

where did_idi is the Euclidean distance between predicted and actual keypoints, sss represents the subject's scale, and ki accounts for error tolerance.

Gamified fitness systems and AI applications for nutritional guidance continue to show measurable increases in engagement and accuracy. Personalization through custom suggestions, adaptative player modeling, and AI-based meal planning keep people motivated to achieve their fitness goals. However, data accuracy issues, cost, and user engagement are still barriers to widespread adoption. Relative to traditional sensor-based methods, computer vision-based fitness monitoring entails exciting new possibilities. These technologies have applications in fitness tracking, recovery, and health monitoring for remote patients. Still, environmental factors and motion artifacts remain substantial challenges for further development. With advanced pose estimation, real-time feedback, gamification, and AI-driven personalization in fitness app technology, the entire industry changes. Closing the gaps that exist in current technologies to improve engagement, effectiveness, and accessibility creates a more inclusive and impactful ecosystem for fitness technology.

3. Project Methodology

3.1. Justification for Methodology

Choosing the right project methodology play crucial role in successful development of my gym application. Since my system involves real-time pose estimation, nutrition planning, and personalized workout recommendations, I find Agile methodology to be the best fit. Agile enables me to iterate continuously, making improvements based on user/client feedback. Despite traditional waterfall models which need to fix requirements early on, Agile gives me the flexibility to adapt to unidentified AI technologies and refine features through regular testing and validation.

Moreover, I take scrum as my Agile framework because it helps me manage evolving requirements efficiently while ensuring collaboration side-by-side. The incremental nature of Scrum enables me to deliver critical functionalities like real-time exercise tracking and Al-based posture correction in manageable sprints. This approach minimizes risks, enhances adaptability, and supports continuous integration, which is essential for my dynamic fitness application.

Also, Scrum focus on iterative development, which aligns perfectly for my Al components. Pose estimation models require extensive testing, validation, and optimization before deployment. Through Scrum, I can continuously improve my model's accuracy over multiple sprints rather than waiting for the last final development phase. This ensures that the Al-powered features are reliable and user-friendly with maintain high accuracy.

3.2. Why Scrum

Scrum works well for my gym application because it fosters collaboration among different roles, including developers, Al specialists, and fitness experts. My project consists of various interconnected modules, such as:

 Pose Estimation and Feedback System: Requires iterative model training and user testing.

- II. Exercise and Nutrition Modules: Need continuous updates based on fitness trends and user preferences.
- III. User Engagement Features: Involves adding gamification and personalized workout recommendations.

The sprint-based methodology of Scrum guarantees that I work on these modules concurrently, making small improvements with each iteration. By guaranteeing that the most important tasks are finished first, the framework also assists me in effectively managing my backlog. Scrum is the best framework for my needs because my Al-driven application needs to be evaluated and improved on a regular basis.

Jira is my project management tool since it works well with Scrum and I have already work with it for my collaborative development module. Jira facilitates effective task tracking, sprint planning, and progress monitoring. I am efficiently managing my product backlog, seting priorities for different tasks. Additionally, it improves transparency by giving me and other stakeholders access to real-time project updates.

Another important functionality of my application is user feedback. Features like real-time posture correction and nutrition recommendations are continuously improved based on real user experiences thanks to Scrum's ability to facilitate frequent user testing. This helps me in developing a user-focused application that adheres with changing demands of fitness enthusiasts.

Furthermore, my AI model development process fits in nicely with Scrum's iterative cycles. Pose estimation algorithms need constant improvement because they undergo several training cycles. I can refine, test, and confirm the accuracy of my model with every sprint before incorporating it into the primary application. This guarantees that prior to final deployment, the AI components operate at their best.

3.3. Major Milestone/ Deliverables

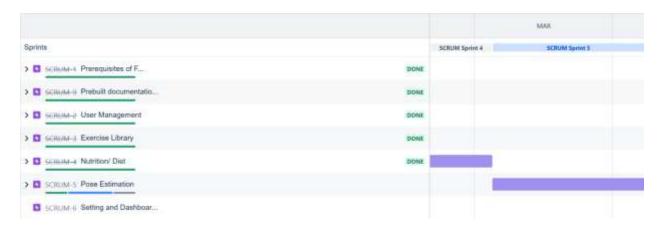


Figure 17: Gantt Chart of epics

My project is correctly measure from its beginning developmental states and I have defined the following major milestones based on my Scrum framework and sprint planning:

- 1. Sprint 1: Prerequisites of Fitness Hub and Prebuilt documents and figures
- 2. Sprint 2: User Management System
- 3. Sprint 3: Exercise Library
- 4. Sprint 4: Nutrition and Diet Module
- 5. Sprint 5: Pose Estimation System
- Sprint 6: Setting and Dashboard Implementation

These milestones help me ensure that my project progresses aligns in a structured and efficient manner. While I manage detailed task assignments and sprint breakdowns in Jira, this roadmap keeps my track of development process aligned with my overall project goals.

4. Technologies and Tools

4.1. Justification for My Chosen Tools and Techniques

Initialization and success of projects depends upon selecting the right tools and technologies. Since my system integrates AI-based pose estimation, real-time feedback, and personalized workout and nutrition planning, I need a robust and scalable tech stack. My choices must ensure the running of application efficiency, reliability, and seamless integration of various functionalities.

I am using Django for my backend development because of its scalability, security, and built in features which accelerate development. For the frontend section, I choose React Native community frameworks that allow me to create a cross-platform mobile application with a seamless user experience. These technologies provide the flexibility and efficiency needed for my dynamic and Al-driven fitness application.

To manage my source code, I rely on Git with GitHub for version control. This allows me to track changes, collaborate effectively, and maintain code integrity. Additionally, I use PostgreSQL as my database because it handles complex queries efficiently, ensuring smooth performance for user data, exercise logs, and nutrition plans. And for IDE am Using Visual Studio Code as its seamless performance for all extension files and the robustness of extension provided by it.

4.2. Programming Languages and Frameworks

- Backend: Django (Python): I chose Django because it offers a powerful and secure environment for developing my API-driven backend. Its built in authentication and ORM make database interactions faster and efficient.
- II. Frontend: React Native: I am using React Native because of its strong community support and ability to reuse code across platforms.

- III. Al/ML: TensorFlow: As per my system requirements PoseNet real-time pose estimation, I need a deep learning framework that supports model training, optimization, and deployment efficiently.
- IV. Database: PostgreSQL: I chose PostgreSQL because of its two important features of scalability and ability to handle complex relationships between entities like user activity, exercise data, and nutrition plans.

4.3. Development Tools

- IDE: Visual Studio Code and Android Studio VS Code is my preferred editor for backend and frontend development because of its lightweight nature and vast extensions. Android Studio helps me with react native development and debugging.
- II. Project Management: I manage my project using Jira for its seamless integration with Scrum. It helps me track sprints, monitor progress, and collaborate iteratively and effectively.
- Version Control: Git with GitHub: Version control is critical for managing changes, collaborating with others, and ensuring that my project remains stable. I am used with git and github so I am utilizing my knowledge over them for the project tracking.

4.4. UI/UX Enhancements

- I. Icon Package: I am using Material Icons and FontAwesome for consistency and accessibility in my UI design.
- II. Gradient: I am using react native gradient button for some colorful butons.

4.5. Testing and Quality Assurance

I am continuously testing for my integrations.

- I. Unit Testing: PyTest for backend testing It helps me ensure that individual components of my Django API work as expected.
- Mock Testing: Jest for frontend testing This ensures that my React Native components function correctly.
- III. Integration Testing: Postman I use Postman for API testing to validate requestresponse cycles and ensure seamless integration.

4.6. Package Managers

Ι. Node Package Manager (NPM): I am using NPM to manage JavaScript dependencies in my React Native application. @babel/core@7.26.10, @babel/preset-env@7.26.9, @babel/runtime@7.26.10, @notifee/react-native@9.1.8, @react-native-async-storage/asyncstorage@2.1.2, @react-native-community/cli-platform-android@15.0.1, @reactnative-community/cli-platform-ios@15.0.1, @react-native-community/cli@15.0.1, @react-native-community/datetimepicker@8.3.0, @react-nativecommunity/push-notification-ios@1.11.0, @react-native-picker/picker@2.11.0, @react-native/babel-preset@0.76.5, @react-native/eslint-config@0.76.5, @react-native/gradle-plugin@0.77.1, @react-native/metro-config@0.76.5, @react-native/typescript-config@0.76.5, @react-navigation/native-stack@7.3.1, @react-navigation/native@7.0.17, @thinksys/react-native-mediapipe@0.0.13, @types/react-test-renderer@18.3.1, @types/react@18.3.19, @unswgsbme/react-native-keep-awake@1.0.5, axios@1.8.4, babel-jest@29.7.0, base-64@1.0.0, crypto-js@4.2.0, eslint@8.57.1, jest@29.7.0, prettier@2.8.8, reactnative-element-dropdown@2.12.4, react-native-fast-image@8.6.3, react-nativehuman-pose@1.1.1, react-native-image-picker@8.2.0, react-native-lineargradient@2.8.3, react-native-push-notification@8.1.1, react-native-safe-areacontext@5.3.0, react-native-screens@4.9.2, react-native-vector-icons@10.2.0, react-native-vision-camera@4.6.4, react-native-webview@13.13.4, react-nativexml2js@1.0.3, react-native@0.76.7, react-test-renderer@18.3.1, react@18.3.1, typescript@5.0.4

II. Pip: Since my backend is built in Python, I am using Pip to manage dependencies such as Django, and PostgreSQL connectors.

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4.7. Conclusion

The combination of Django, React Native and TensorFlow enables me of building a powerful and scalable fitness application. By using robust development tools and

methodologies, I ensure smooth collaboration, efficient debugging, and an intuitive user experience. With the integration of AI-based pose estimation and real-time feedback, my gym application stands out as an innovative fitness solution tailored for users who seek personalized training and nutrition guidance.

5. Artefacts Design

The artefact designs for this Final Year Project (FYP) evolve hand-in-hand with the system's development, ensuring that every requirement, diagram, and test matures as we move forward. Guided by the Scrum framework, the work splits into sprints, making the process both structured and flexible. As of March 29, 2025, I'm weaving together the user stories from each sprint to shape deliverables and milestones across seven subsystems. These range from foundational planning to cutting-edge features like pose estimation. Below, I break down each subsystem in detail, exploring how the artefacts come to life and where we stand today. The project is fully assigned to Ananda Neupane which is me and spans from November 2024 to April 2025 (and beyond). It includes five completed sprints and one ongoing sprint, covering various subsystems like User Management, Exercise Library, Nutrition/Diet, and Pose Estimation. Here's a breakdown of the Epics and their associated Stories:

- 1. Epic: Prerequisites of FYP (Done, Nov 5 Nov 20, 2024)
- I. Research topics and prepare for Idea Presentation (Done)
- II. Start working on project proposal (Done)
 - 2. Epic: Prebuilt Documentations (Done, Nov 19 Dec 3, 2024)
- I. Build Gantt chart and WBS Diagram (Done)
- II. Work on architecture diagram (Done)
- III. Deliver Figma design and Literature review (Done)
 - 3. Epic: User Management (Done, Dec 3, 2024 Jan 1, 2025)

- I. Complete prototype and literature review report (Done)
- II. Build database design diagram (Done)
- III. Work on user registration frontend (Done)
- IV. Integrate backend and develop login functionality (Done)
- V. Use email verification and JWT token for authorization (Done)
 - 4. Epic: Exercise Library (Done, Jan 4 Feb 10, 2025)
- I. Research database and references (Done)
- II. Handle API calls and create frontend views (Done)
- III. Integrate backend models for user data (Done)
- IV. Enable users to add/delete libraries and exercises (Done)
- V. Study calorie burn calculation mechanism (Done)
 - 5. Epic: Nutrition/Diet (Done, Feb 11 Mar 4, 2025)
- I. Search for nutrition database with dietary preferences (Done)
- II. Integrate API and enhance user experience (Done)
- III. Insert user dietary plans into database (Done)
 - 6. Epic: Pose Estimation (In Progress, Mar 5 Apr 9, 2025)
- I. Search for API/package for pose estimation (Done)
- II. Integrate frontend sections (In Review)
- III. Build logic for angle calculation (In Progress)
- IV. Add backend for pose history (To Do)
 - 7. Epic: Setting and Dashboards (To Do, no dates provided)
 - I. Start with integrating frontend for bmi calculations, daily streaks.
- II. Build frontend of showing calorie burned through exercise and nutrition separately.
- III. Integrate backend to fetch the tabular data.

5.1. Sub System 1: Prerequisites of FYP / Deliverable 1

Timeline: Nov 5 - Nov 20, 2024 (Sprint 1)

Status: Done

Explanation: This subsystem lays the foundation for the project by identifying research topics, preparing an idea presentation, and drafting the initial proposal. It ensures the project scope and objectives are defined early.

5.1.1. SRS:

Document initial requirements, such as the need for a project proposal and presentation materials.

5.1.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

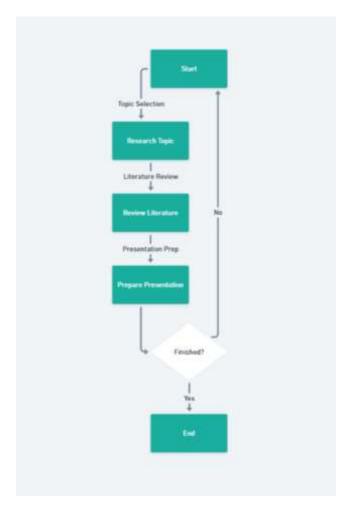


Figure 18:Activity Diagram of Deliverables 1

Activity Diagram: Show the workflow of researching topics and preparing the presentation/proposal.

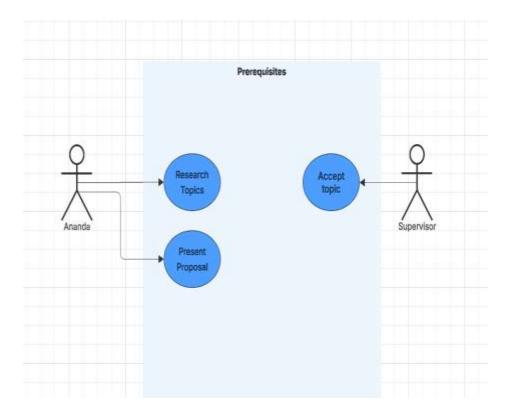


Figure 19:Use case diagram of Deliverables 1

Use Case Diagram: Define actors (e.g., student, supervisor) and use cases (e.g., "Research Topics," "Draft Proposal").

No Wireframe, ERD, Class, or Sequence Diagrams are applicable at this stage (conceptual phase).

5.1.3. Testing

Validate the proposal and presentation with feedback from peers or supervisors.

5.2. Sub System 2: Prebuilt Documentations/Deliverable 2

Timeline: Nov 19 - Dec 3, 2024 (Sprint 1)

Status: Done

Explanation: This subsystem focuses on creating essential planning and design documents (Gantt chart, WBS, architecture diagram, Figma design, literature review) to guide development.

5.2.1. SRS

This milestone specify requirements for project planning tools and initial design deliverables.

5.2.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

I. Gantt Chart: Timeline of tasks

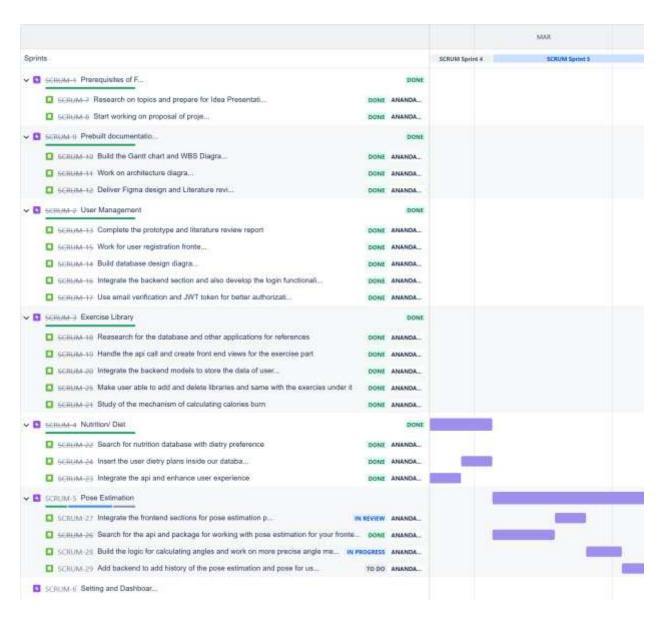


Figure 20: Gantt chart of deliverable 2

II. WBS Diagram: Breakdown of project tasks.

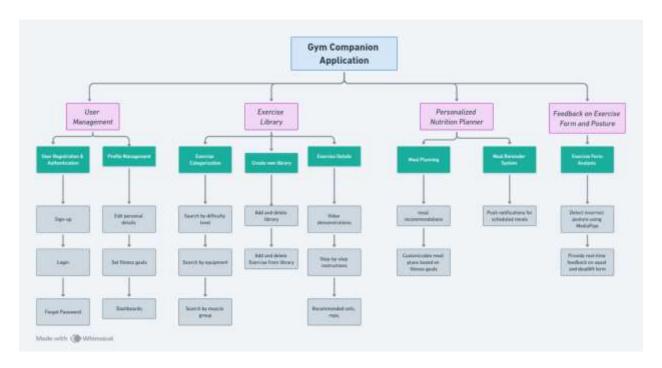


Figure 21: WBS Diagram of deliverable 2

III. Architecture Diagram: High-level system structure .

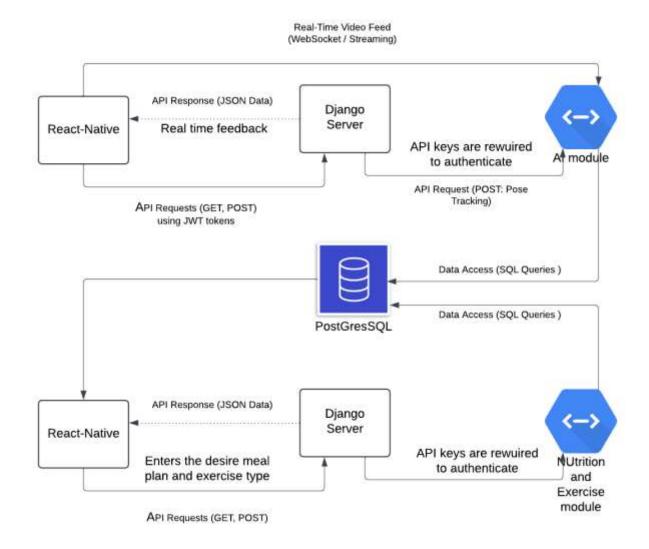


Figure 22: Architecture diagram of deliverable 2

IV. Wireframe: Figma designs for UI.

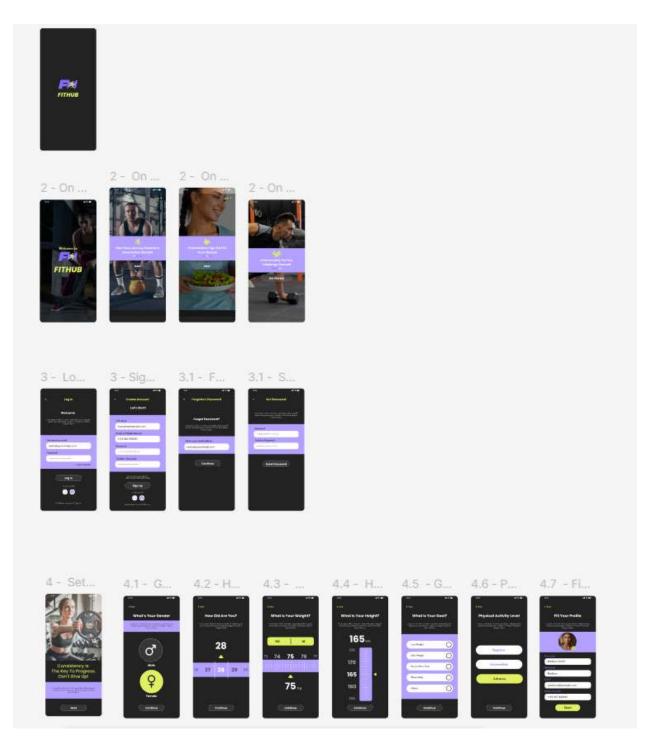


Figure 23: Wireframe part 1

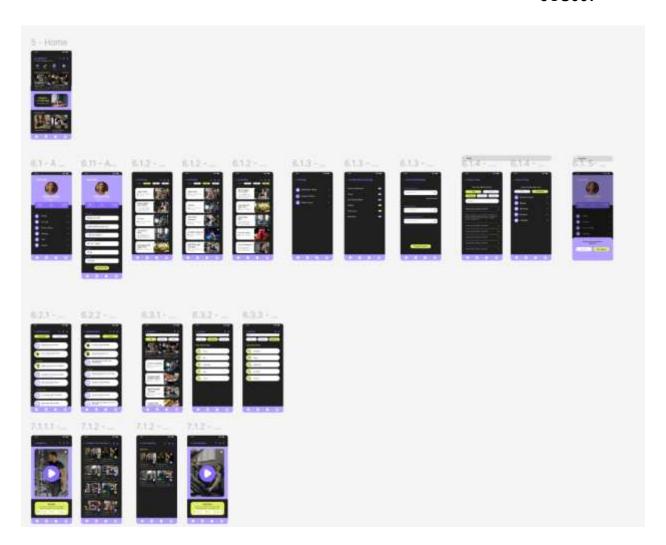


Figure 24: Wireframe part 2

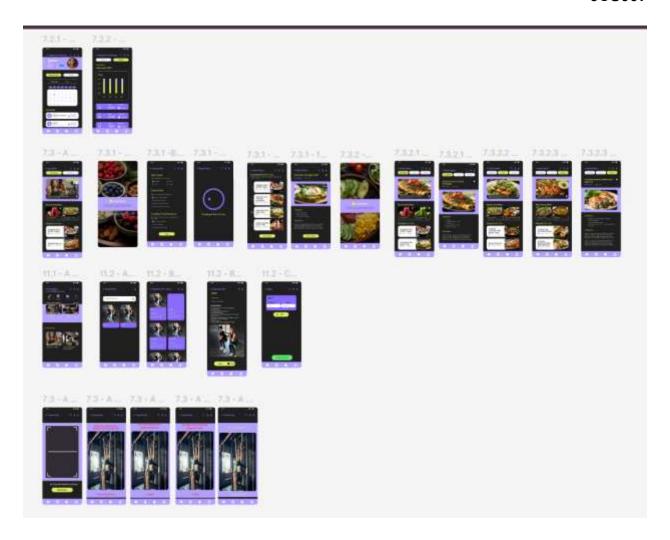


Figure 25: Wire frame part 3

5.2.3. Testing

Supervisors verify the Gantt chart/WBS align with the timeline and review Figma designs/literature for completeness.

5.3. Sub System 3: User Management / Deliverable 3 / Milestone 3

Timeline: Dec 3, 2024 - Jan 1, 2025 (Sprint 2)

Status: Done

Explanation: This subsystem implements user-related features (registration, login, database design, authorization) critical for system functionality.

5.3.1. SRS

Define requirements for user registration, login, and secure authorization (e.g., JWT, email verification).

5.3.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

I. Activity Diagram: Workflow for user registration and login.

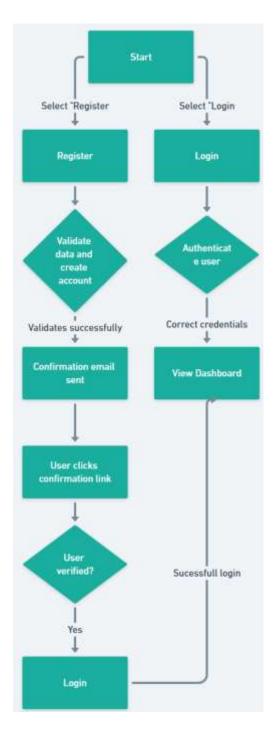


Figure 26: Activity diagram of deliverables 3

II. Wireframe: Frontend design for registration/login pages.

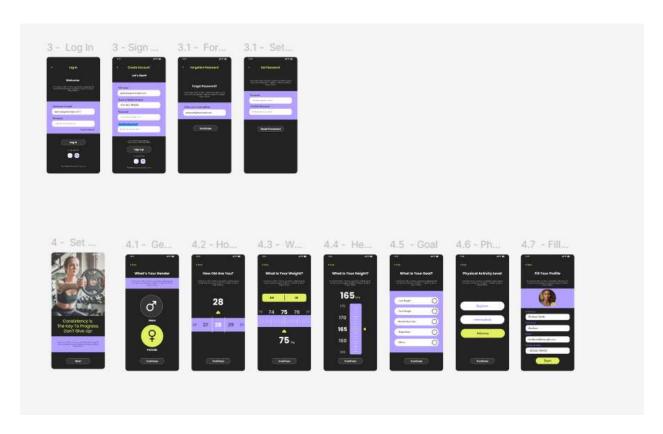


Figure 27: Woreframes of deliverables 3

III. Use Case Diagram: Actors (e.g., User) and use cases (e.g., "Register," "Login").

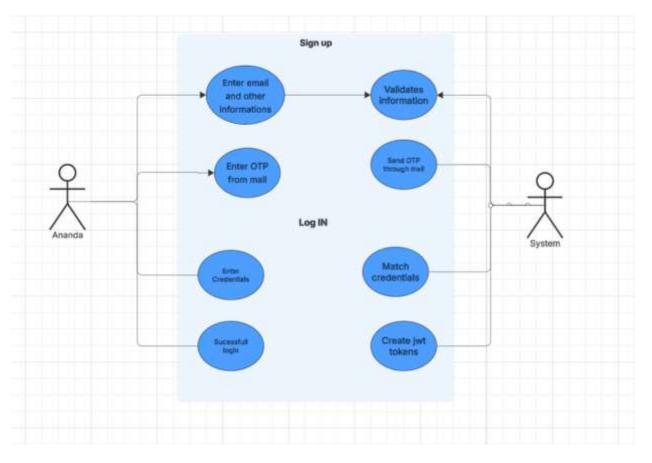


Figure 28: Use case for deliverable 3

IV. ERD: Database design diagram (already built).

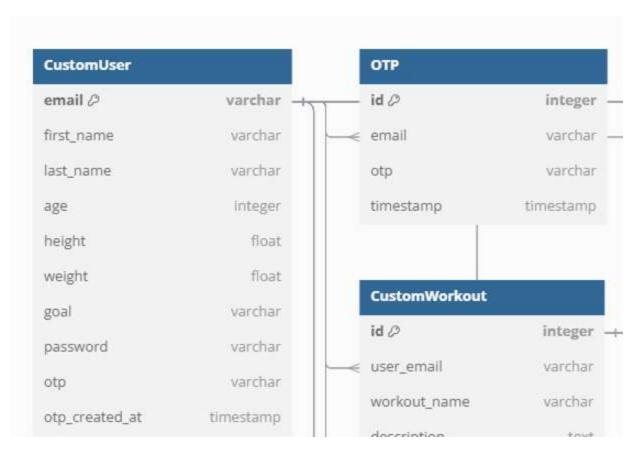


Figure 29: ERD diagram of deliverables 3

V. Class Diagram: Classes for user management (e.g., User, Auth).

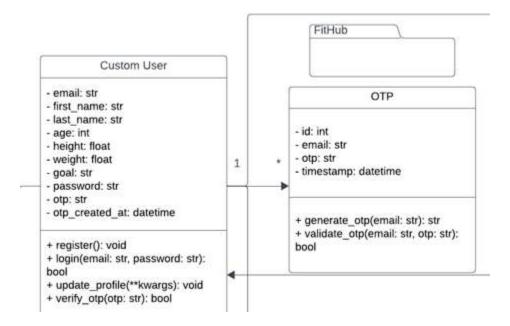


Figure 30: Erd diagram for deliverables 3

VI. Sequence Diagram: Interaction between frontend, backend, and database for login/registration.

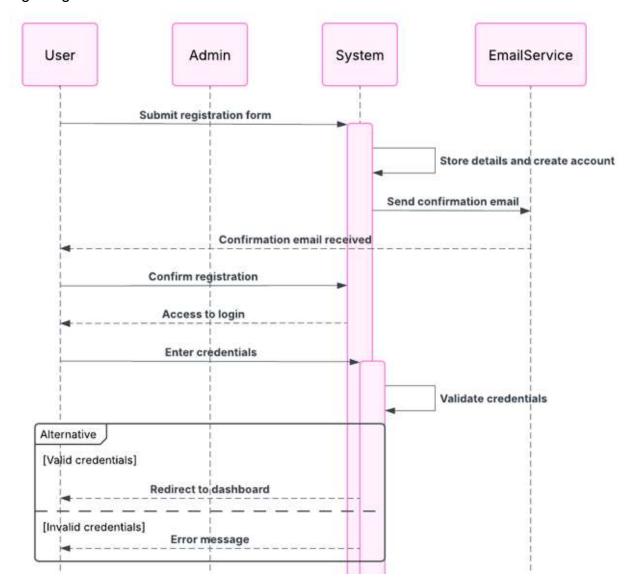


Figure 31: Sequence diagram for deliverables 3

5.3.3. Testing

Test ID	Test Scenario	Expected Result	Actual Result	Status (Pass/Fail)	Comments
		Authentication Module			
AUTH-01	Enter email and other corresponding credentials	Your Account has been finally set up	Your Account has been finally set up	Pass	Account setup successful.
AUTH-02	Forgot Password with OTP	OTP sent successfully. Password reset allowed.	OTP sent successfully. Password reset allowed.	Pass	OTP verified and password reset functionality works correctly.
AUTH-03	JWT Token Validation	Access granted. Token expires after set time.	Access granted. Token expires after set time.	Pass	Token is validated and expires correctly.
AUTH-04	Invalid OTP Handling	Error message: "Invalid OTP."	Error message: "Invalid OTP."	Pass	System correctly identifies and rejects invalid OTPs.

Figure 32: Test cases for deliverables 3

Test prototype functionality, database integrity, and security features (e.g., JWT token validation).

5.4. Sub System 4: Exercise Library / Deliverable 4 / Milestone 4

Timeline: Jan 4 - Feb 10, 2025 (Sprint 3)

Status: Done

Explanation: This subsystem builds a library for exercises, integrating frontend, backend, and calorie calculation features.

5.4.1. SRS

Specify requirements for exercise data storage, retrieval, and user interaction (add/delete).

5.4.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

I. Activity Diagram: Workflow for adding/deleting exercises.

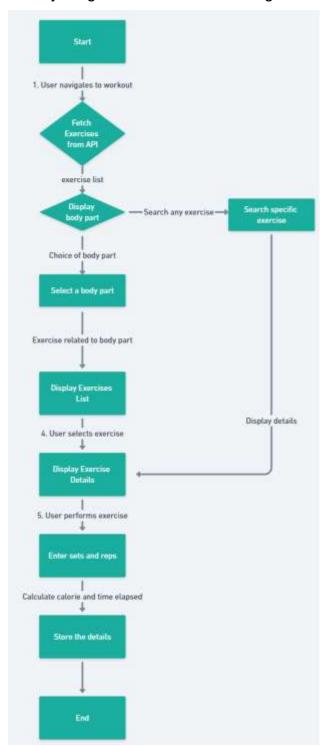


Figure 33: Activity diagram of deliverables 4

II. Wireframe: Frontend views for exercise library.



Figure 34: Woreframes of deliverable 4

III. Use Case Diagram: Actors (e.g., User) and use cases (e.g., "Add Exercise," "View Library").

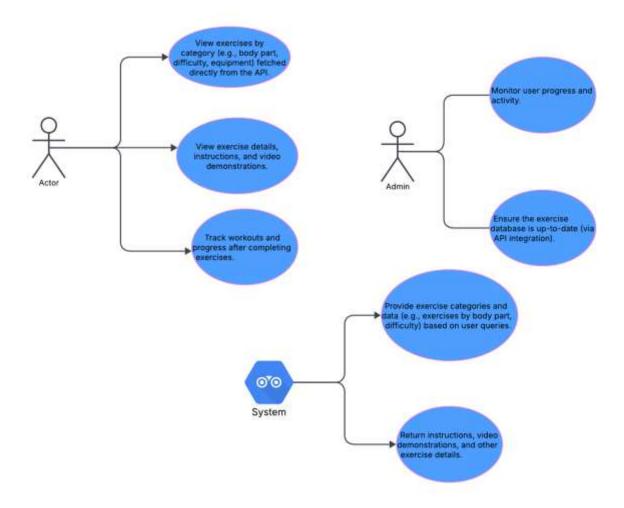


Figure 35: Use case diagram of deliverable 4

IV. ERD: Database schema for exercises and libraries.

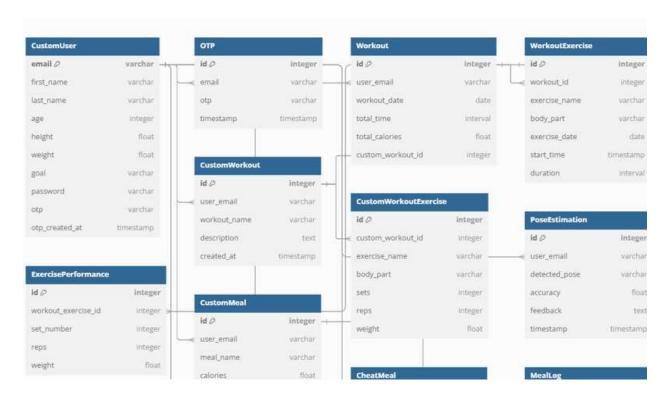


Figure 36: Erd diagram for deliverables 4

V. Class Diagram: Classes for exercise management.

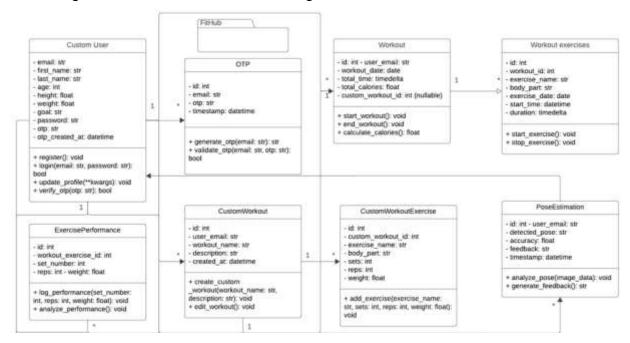


Figure 37: Class diagram for deliverable 4

VI. Sequence Diagram: API calls between frontend and backend.

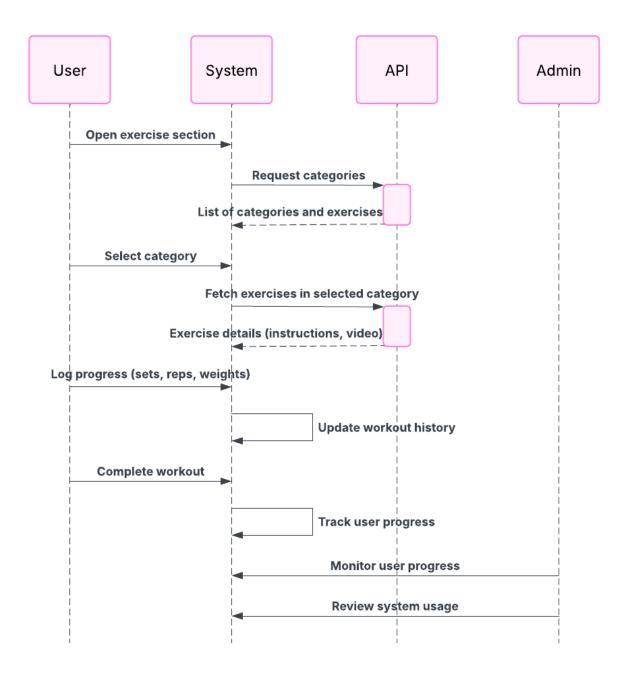


Figure 38: Sequence diagram of deliverables 4

5.4.3. Testing:

Validate API integration, data storage, and calorie calculation accuracy.

	4	xerese Library Modn			11 CANADA CARAGO	
LIB-01	Filter Exercises by Equipment	Only exercises using dumbbells displayed.	Only exercises using dumbbells displayed.	Pass	Filtering by equipment type functions property.	
LIB-02	Calculate Sets/Weight/Reps	Total volume calculated correctly (1500 kg).	Total volume calculated correctly (1500 kg).	Pass	Set/weight/reps calculation is accurate.	
LIB-03	View Exercise Details	Muscle groups, instructions, and video displayed.	Muscle groups, instructions, and video displayed.	Pass	Exercise details display correctly.	
	,	Vorkout Logging Modu				
LOG-01	Save Daily Workout Routine	Routine saved and accessible in history.	Routine saved and accessible in history.	Pass	Workout history is recorded correctly.	
LOG-02	Track time after workout starts	Timer starts/stops correctly. Notification sent at end.	Timer starts/stops correctly. Notification sent at end.	Pass	Workout timer functions properly.	
LOG-03	Track Muscle Groups Worked	Muscle groups logged and displayed in progress tracker.	Muscle groups logged and displayed in progress tracker.	Pass	Progress tracker accurately updates muscle groups.	
	To the	ercise Suggestions Mod	nie			
SUG-01	Recommend Exercises Based on Goals	Strength-focused exercises recommended.	Strength-focus ed exercises recommended	Pass	Goal-based recommendati ons work correctly.	
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Figure 39: Test cases for deliverables 4

SUG-01	Recommend Exercises Based on Goals	Strength-focused exercises recommended.	Strength-focus ed exercises recommended	Pass	Goal-based recommendati ons work correctly,
SUG-02	Recommend Exercises Based on Preferences	Only bodyweight exercises recommended.	Only bodyweight exercises recommended	Pass	Exercise suggestions correctly match user preferences.
		ustom Workout Mode			
CUST-01	Create Custom Workout	Custom routine saved and accessible.	Custom routine saved and accessible.	Pass	Users can successfully create and save workouts.
CUST-02	Modify Custom Workout	Routine updated successfully.	Routine updated successfully.	Pass	Workout modifications reflect correctly.

Figure 40: Test Cases for deriverables 4

5.5. Sub System 5: Nutrition/Diet / Deliverable 5 / Milestone 5

Timeline: Feb 11 - Mar 4, 2025 (Sprint 4)

Status: Done

Explanation: This subsystem adds nutrition tracking and dietary planning features.

5.5.1. SRS:

Define requirements for nutrition database and dietary plan integration.

5.5.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

I. Activity Diagram: Workflow for adding dietary plans.

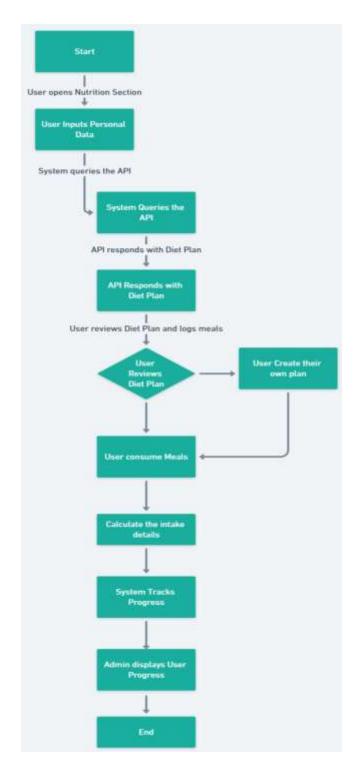


Figure 41: Activity diagram of deliverable 5

II. Wireframe: UI for nutrition tracking.

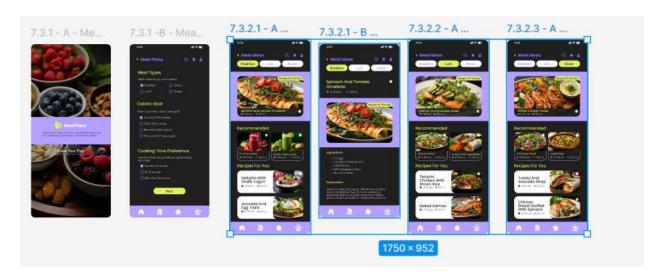


Figure 42: Wireframe for deliverables 5

III. Use Case Diagram: Actors (e.g., User) and use cases (e.g., "View Diet Plan").

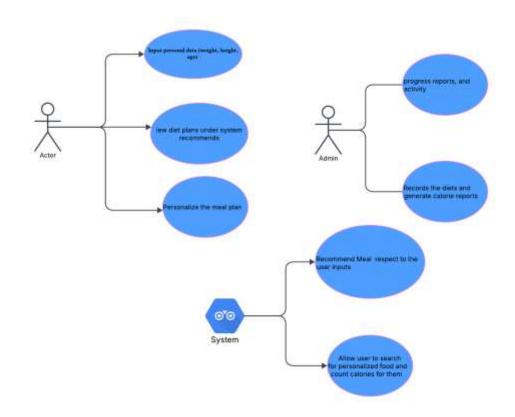


Figure 43: Use case for deliverables 5

IV. ERD: Schema for nutrition data.

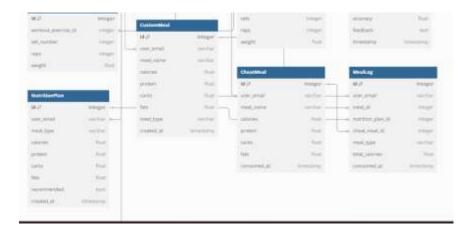


Figure 44: ERD diagram of deliverables 5

V. Class Diagram: Classes for diet management.

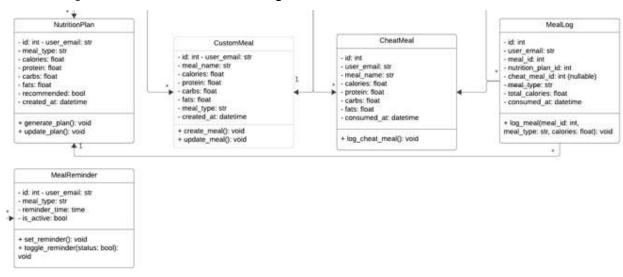


Figure 45: Class diagram for deliverables 5

VI. Sequence Diagram: API integration process.

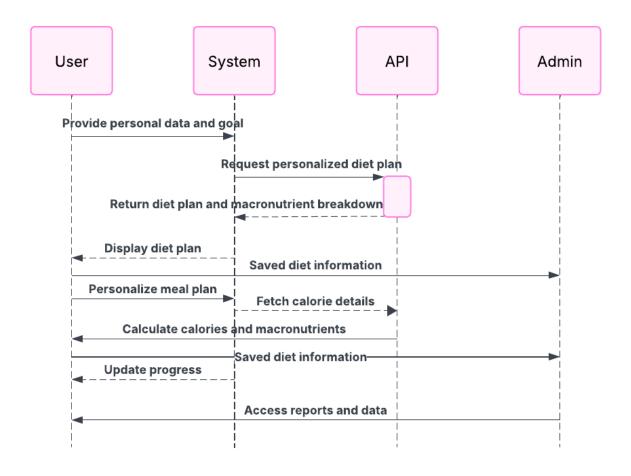


Figure 46: Sequence diagram for deliverables 5

5.5.3. Testing:

Verify nutrition data accuracy and user experience enhancements.

		Personalized N	utrition Planner
NUT-01	Create Personalized Nutrition Plan	 Enter user details (age, weight, goals). Generate plan. 	Nutrition plan generated based on user inputs.
NUT-02	Adjust Nutrition Plan Based on Preferences	 Set dietary preferences (e.g., vegan). Regenerate plan. 	Plan updated to exclude non-vegan items.
NUT-03	Track Daily Calorie Intake	 Log meals. View calorie summary. 	Calorie intake displayed accurately.
NUT-04	Suggest Recipes Based on Goals	 Set goal (e.g., weight loss). View recipe suggestions. 	Recipes aligned with weight loss goal displayed.
	li e	Meal Remi	nder System
MEAL-01	Set Meal Reminders	Set reminder for breakfast, lunch, dinner.	Reminders trigger at specified times.
MEAL-02	Snooze or Dismiss Reminders	 Snooze reminder. Dismiss reminder. 	Reminder snoozed for 5 minutes or dismissed permanently.
MEAL-03	Customize Reminder Frequency	1. Change reminder frequency (e.g., every 2 hours).	Reminders trigger at new frequency.
MEAL-04	Handle Missed Reminders	1. Ignore reminder.	Missed reminder logged and displayed in history.

Figure 47: Testing of deliverables 5

5.6. Sub System 6: Pose Estimation / Deliverable 6 / Milestone 6

Timeline: Mar 5 - Apr 9, 2025 (Sprint 5)

Status: In Progress

Explanation: This subsystem introduces pose estimation for tracking user movements, currently under development.

5.6.1. SRS

Specify requirements for pose detection, angle calculation, and history tracking.

5.6.2. Design/Modelling Diagrams:

I. Activity Diagram: Workflow for pose estimation process.

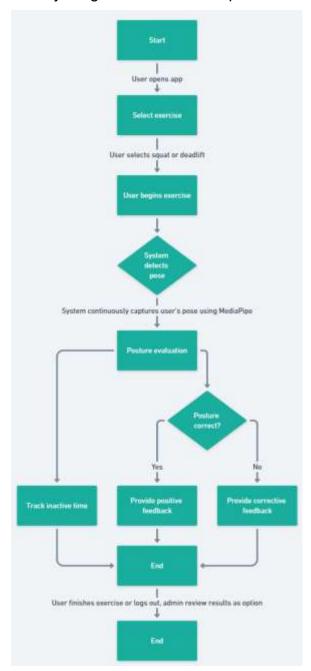


Figure 48: Activity diagram of deliverable 6

II. Wireframe: Frontend for pose estimation UI.

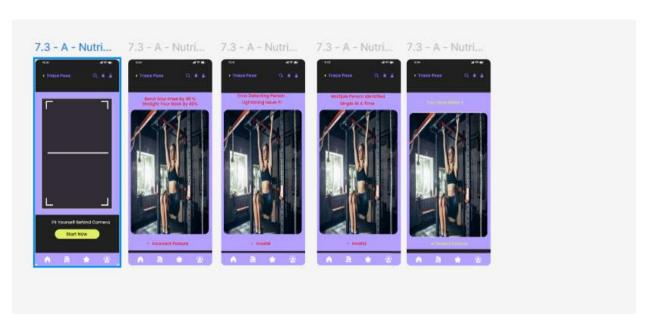


Figure 49: Wireframe for Pose Estimation part

III. Use Case Diagram: Actors (e.g., User) and use cases (e.g., "Track Pose").

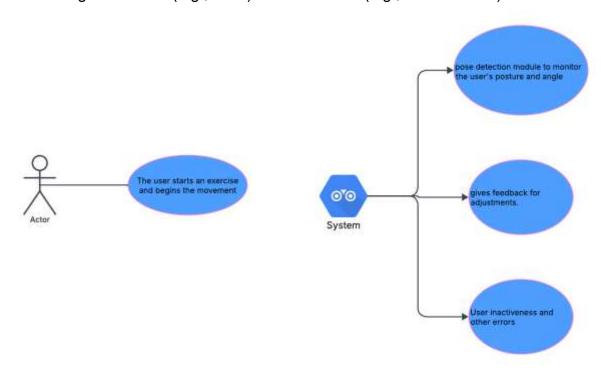


Figure 50: Use case diagram of deliverables 6

IV. ERD: Schema for pose history (to be built).



Figure 51: ERD diagram for deliverables 6

V. Class Diagram: Classes for pose estimation logic.

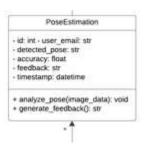


Figure 52: Class diagram for deliverables 6

VI. Sequence Diagram: Interaction between frontend, API, and backend.

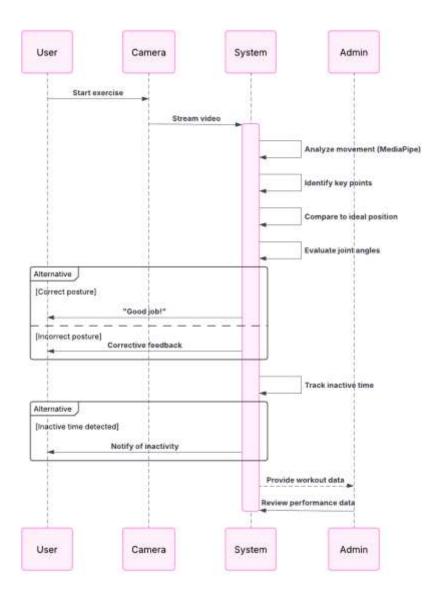


Figure 53: Sequence diagram for deliverables 6

5.6.3. Testing

Test pose detection accuracy and angle calculations (ongoing).

					Pose
POSE-01	Detect User Pose During Exercise	Pose detected and displayed on screen.	Pose detected and displayed on screen.	Pass	estimation functions correctly.
POSE-02	Provide Feedback on Incorrect Pose	Feedback displayed (e.g., "Adjust your posture").	Feedback displayed (e.g., "Adjust your posture").	Pass	Feedback is provided accurately fo incorrect posture.
POSE-03	Handle Low Light Conditions	System provides warning: "Low light detected. Improve lighting."			
POSE-04	Track Multiple Users in Frame	Both users' poses detected and tracked separately.			
	Feedbac	k on Exercise Form an	d Posture		
FORM-01	Provide Real-Time Feedback on Form	Feedback displayed (e.g., "Keep your back straight").			
FORM-02	Track Progress on Form Improvement	Progress tracked and displayed (e.g., "Form improved by 20%").			
FORM-03	Handle No User Detected	Message displayed: "No user detected. Please step into frame."			

Figure 54: Test cases for deliverables 6

5.7. Sub System 7: Setting and Dashboards / Deliverable 7 / Milestone

Timeline: Apr 10 – Apr 25 (Sprint 6)

Status: To Do

Explanation: This subsystem will provide user settings and dashboards

5.7.1. SRS

This section generally includes the setting of updating user info and other dashboard and reporting section of user's performance.

5.7.2. Design and Modelling

I. Activity Diagram

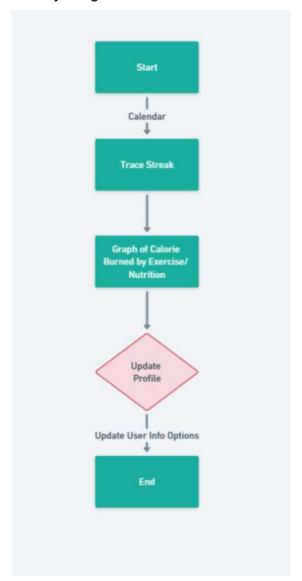


Figure 55: Activity diagram of deliverable 7

II. Wireframe design

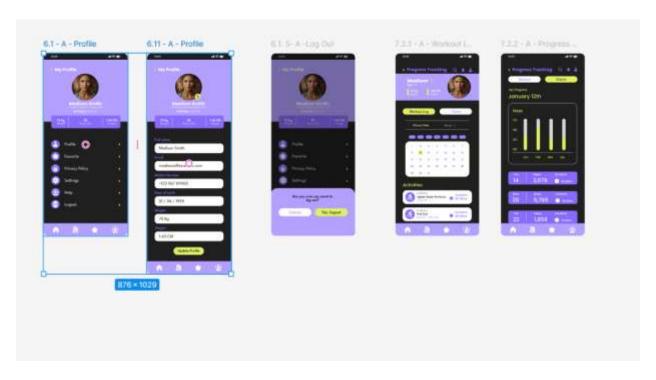


Figure 56: Wire frame for deliverable 7

III. Use Case diagram

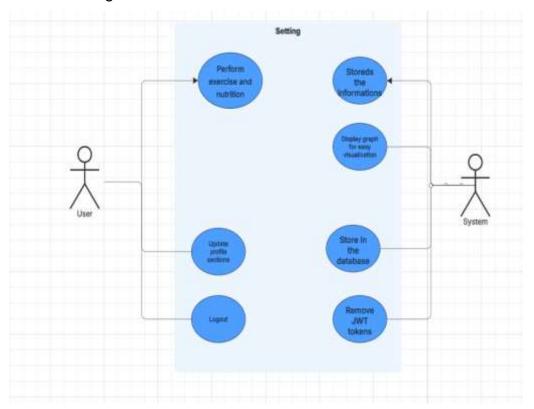


Figure 57: Use Case diagram

IV. Sequence diagram



Figure 58: Sequence diagram for deliverable 7

5.7.3. Testing

Testing are to be done for invalid data entries, wrong streaks and so on.

	E CHOTHS	Exercise and Nutrition T	acama	J
Track-01	Validate user input for exercise and nutrition	Navigate to exercise/nutrition section. 2. Enter valid details. 3. Submit data.		
Track-02	Handle invalid input for exercise and nutrition	Enter incomplete/invalid data. 2. Submit data.		
Track-03	Ensure system updates progress correctly	Add new exercise/nutrition entry. 2. View progress graph.		
		Update Profile Sections		
PROFILE-01	Update profile with valid details	Navigate to profile section. 2. Modify fields. 3. Save changes.		
PROFILE-02	Update profile with invalid details	Enter invalid data (e.g., negative weight). Save changes.		
	Data	Storage and Visualization		
VALID-01	Ensure data is stored in the database	Submit new entry. 2. Check database records.		
VALID-02	Display graph with	Open tracking section. 2. View generated graph.		

Figure 59: Test cases for deliverables 7

5.8. Bug Report

In general, a bug report is a detailed record of an issue, defect, or malfunction discovered in the time of testing in a system or application. It consists of detail information about the problem, such as a description, steps to recreate it, expected vs actual outcomes, severity level, and specifics about the environment. Bug reports help developers in pinpointing, examining, and resolving errors to enhance the system's stability and performance.

During the development phase of program, I also encounter different bugs and I am using GitHub for tracking issues. Let's see through a few bugs and how I resolve the hindrances.

1. Token error during updating Profile

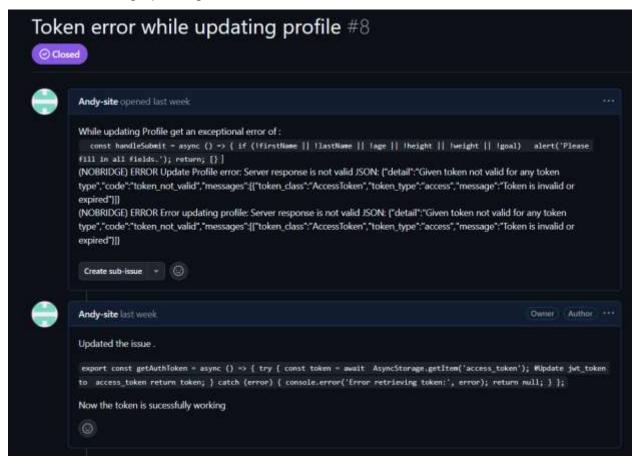


Figure 60: Tokenization bugs

- I. Bug ID: #8
- II. Title: Token Error While Updating Profile
- III. Status: Closed
- IV. Priority: High
- V. Reported By: Andy-site
- VI. Date Reported: Last week
- VII. Environment:
- VIII. Platform: React Native (Frontend)
 - IX. Authentication Method: JWT Token (Stored in AsyncStorage)
 - X. API: Django REST Framework

XI. Storage Mechanism: AsyncStorage (React Native)

XII. Description:

When attempting to update the profile, an error occurs indicating that the access token is invalid or expired. The error message suggests that the server response does not recognize the token as valid for any token type.

XIII. Steps to Reproduce:

- Navigate to the profile update section.
- Enter valid details such as name, age, height, weight, and fitness goal.
- Click on the Submit button.
- Observe the error message regarding an invalid or expired token.

XIV. Expected Result:

- The profile should be successfully updated if the token is valid.
- If the token is expired, it should automatically refresh.

XV. Actual Result:

The system returns an error stating:

(NOBRIDGE) ERROR Update Profile error: Server response is not valid JSON:

{"detail":"Given token not valid for any token type","code":"token not valid",

"messages":[{"token class":"AccessToken","token type":"access",

"message":"Token is invalid or expired"}]}

Profile update fails due to token validation error.

XVI. Root Cause Analysis:

- The token stored in AsyncStorage was either expired or not being retrieved properly before making the API request.
- The frontend was sending an outdated or null token to the backend, causing authentication failure.

XVII. Fix Implemented:

- Introduced a function to fetch the token properly before making API requests.
- Implemented the following code snippet to retrieve the token correctly:

```
export const getAuthToken = async () => {
  try {
    const token = await AsyncStorage.getItem('access_token');
    return token;
  } catch (error) {
    console.error('Error retrieving token:', error);
    return null;
  }
};
```

After implementing this fix, the issue was resolved, and the token is now successfully working.

XVIII. Final Status:

Bug Fixed and Successfully Closed

2. Backend error with Home and College Wifi

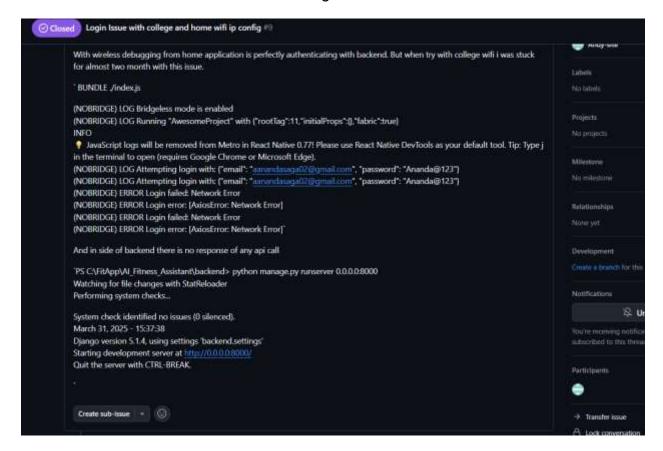


Figure 61: Backend Authentucation bug

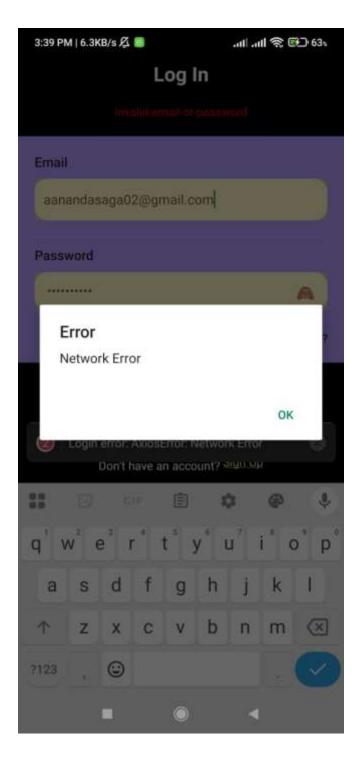


Figure 62: Backend Authentication bug

I. Bug ID: #9

II. Title: Login Issue with College and Home WiFi IP Configuration

III. Status: Open

IV. Priority: High

V. Reported By: Andy-site

VI. Date Reported: March 31, 2025

VII. Environment:

• Platform: React Native (Frontend)

• Backend: Django REST Framework

API Requests: Axios

Authentication: JWT Token

VIII. Description:

The login feature works perfectly when debugging wirelessly at home. However, when using the college WiFi, authentication fails, and the backend does not respond to API requests. The error log indicates a network issue (AxiosError: Network Error), preventing login.

IX. Steps to Reproduce:

• Run the Django backend:

python manage.py runserver 0.0.0.0:8000

- Use wireless debugging on the home network.
- Attempt to log in with valid credentials.
- Observe that authentication works correctly.
- Switch to the college WiFi and attempt to log in again.
- Notice that the login fails, and API calls do not reach the backend.

X. Expected Result:

- The application should successfully authenticate users regardless of the network being used.
- API requests should be processed by the backend on both home and college networks.

XI. Actual Result:

The login attempt fails with the following error:

(NOBRIDGE) ERROR Login error: [AxiosError: Network Error]

No API response is received in the backend logs.

The Django development server is running on 0.0.0.0:8000, but it does not receive requests when connected to the college WiFi.

XII. Root Cause Analysis:

- The home and college networks have different IP configurations.
- The API base URL was set to a static local IP (192.168.0.117:8000 for home),
 which does not match the college WiFi IP (192.168.64.1:8000).
- The college WiFi may have firewall restrictions preventing local API access.

XIII. Fix Implemented:

Updated API base URL handling:

// Home IP

const API_BASE_URL = 'http://192.168.0.117:8000/api/';

// College IP

const API BASE URL = 'http://192.168.64.1:8000/api/';

XIV. Solution

Comment/uncomment the relevant IP based on the network in use.

XV. Alternative Fixes:

- Used USB debugging instead of wireless debugging.
- Ran the app directly on the Android Studio emulator with the following command:

adb reverse tcp:8000 tcp:8000

• Tested with ngrok to expose the backend publicly:

ngrok http 8000

• Checked college network restrictions that may block API requests.

XIV. Final Status:

Bug Not Fixed – Further investigation is required into network firewall rules.

3. Weight update issue

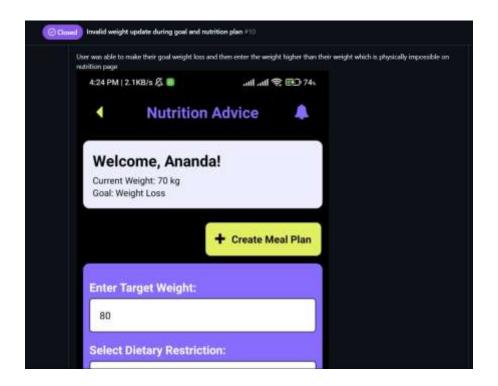


Figure 63: Issue with weight update

I. Bug ID: #10

II. Title: Invalid Target Weight Update During Goal and Nutrition Plan

III. Status: Closed

IV. Priority: Medium

V. Reported By: Andy-site

VI. Date Reported: March 31, 2025

VII. Environment:

• Platform: React Native (Frontend)

Backend: Django REST Framework

API Requests: Axios

Authentication: JWT Token

VIII. Description: Users were able to set an invalid target weight for weight loss, where the target weight could be higher than their current weight, which is physically impossible. This issue was observed on the nutrition plan page when setting a weight loss goal.

IX. Steps to Reproduce:

- Navigate to the nutrition plan page.
- Set a goal to "Lose weight".
- Enter a target weight that is higher than the current weight.
- Observe that the system allows setting this invalid target weight.

X. Expected Result:

 For weight loss goals, the target weight should always be less than the current weight.

For weight gain goals, the target weight should be higher than the current weight.

XI. Actual Result:

• The user was able to set a target weight higher than the current weight for weight loss, which is physically incorrect.

XII. Root Cause Analysis:

 The system lacked validation to check that the target weight for weight loss must be less than the current weight and for weight gain must be greater.

XIII. Fix Implemented:

Added validation for target weight input:

```
const validateTargetWeight = () => {
  const current = parseFloat(currentWeight);
  const target = parseFloat(targetWeight);

if (!targetWeight) {
    Alert.alert("Missing Target Weight", "Please enter your target weight.");
    return false;
}
```

```
if (goal === 'Gain weight' && target <= current) {
   Alert.alert("Invalid Target Weight", "For weight gain, target weight must be higher than
current weight.");
   return false;
  }
  if (goal === 'Lose weight' && target >= current) {
   Alert.alert("Invalid Target Weight", "For weight loss, target weight must be lower than
current weight.");
   return false;
  }
  return true;
};
XIV.
       Solution:
```

The validation condition ensures that users can only set a valid target weight based on the selected goal (loss or gain weight).

Final Status: XV.

Bug Fixed – The issue is resolved and validated through testing.

5.9. System implements Al

5.9.1. Data Collection

The system collects real-time video frames from the user's device camera. Each frame is processed using PoseNet API to extract key body landmarks, including:

- I. Joint coordinates (x, y) for key points like shoulders, elbows, and knees
- II. Angle calculations to assess posture correctness
- III. Repetition tracking for exercises like squats and push-ups
- IV. Confidence scores to filter out unreliable predictions

5.9.2. Model Development

PoseNet API provides real-time pose estimation directly in the frontend. The workflow includes:

- I. Capturing frames from the user's device camera.
- II. Sending frames to PoseNet API for keypoint detection.
- III. Calculating angles based on keypoints.
- IV. Providing immediate visual feedback for correct/incorrect posture.

5.9.3. Optimization Evaluation

To optimize performance, the following improvements were applied:

- I. Using a lightweight PoseNet model for mobile-friendly inference.
- II. Adjusting confidence thresholds to filter unstable detections.
- III. Reducing FPS (frames per second) for improved performance on lower-end devices.
- IV. Optimizing pose tracking algorithms to reduce lag in movement detection.

5.9.4. Al Integration into Application

PoseNet is directly integrated into the React Native frontend:

- I. TensorFlow.js API is used to perform pose estimation in real-time.
- II. Angle calculations and feedback logic are implemented in JavaScript.
- III. Thresholds are dynamically adjusted based on Beginner/Pro mode.

Workflow:

- I. The camera captures video input.
- II. PoseNet API processes frames locally in the frontend.
- III. The system extracts key points and calculates angles.
- IV. Real-time feedback is displayed on the screen.

5.9.5. Comparing Algorithm Performance (Test Data Evaluation)

Comparative analysis of different pose estimation models:

Algorithm	Accuracy (%)	Latency (ms)	Model Size (MB)
PoseNet (Mobile)	85.2	20	6.2
BlazePose	91.5	35	12.5
OpenPose	94.0	80	100+

PoseNet was chosen for its balance between accuracy, speed, and lightweight architecture and easier integration with my application.

5.9.6. Al Testing and Accuracy Plotting (A/B Testing)

A/B testing was conducted using:

- I. PoseNet-based feedback vs. Manual coaching feedback
- II. Different pose confidence thresholds affecting accuracy

- III. Beginner vs. Pro modes to test adaptability
- IV. User feedback was collected to assess effectiveness in real-world use.

5.9.7. Confusion Matrix

A confusion matrix was generated to analyze posture classification accuracy:

ACTUAL \ PREDICTED CORRECT POSTURE INCORRECT POSTURE

CORRECT POSTURE	TP (True Positive)	FN (False Negative)
INCORRECT POSTURE	FP (False Positive)	TN (True Negative)

- I. Higher TP & TN values indicate good model accuracy.
- II. Lower FN & FP values reduce misclassifications.

5.9.8. ROC Curve

A ROC curve was plotted to analyze the trade-off between true positive rate (TPR) and false positive rate (FPR) at different confidence thresholds.

- I. AUC (Area Under Curve) score measures model performance in detecting correct postures.
- II. Higher AUC = better posture classification.

6. Conclusion

6.1. Referencing Aims, Objectives, and Academic Question

The gym application emerges from the idea of boosting exercise effectiveness, ensuring workout safety, delivering tailored nutrition planning, increasing user engagement, narrowing the gap between home and gym workouts, and targeting sustained fitness growth. With realization of project aims, the system adapts AI-driven pose estimation via

PoseNet, a customized nutrition recommendation engine, and an engaging exercise library.

The academic question of this development is: "How do Al-driven pose estimation and personalized fitness recommendations elevate the effectiveness and safety of workout routines in mobile fitness applications?"

Through real-time posture monitoring, adaptive workout guidance, and individualized nutrition strategies, the project effectively represents that how AI can enhance workout safety and efficiency along with providing an intuitive and captivating user experience.

6.2. Discoveries and Key Conclusions

1. Al-Powered Pose Estimation Boosts Exercise Effectiveness and Safety

The use of PoseNet for real-time posture detection excels at spotting improper form, reducing injury risks, and directing users toward improved movement patterns. By measuring joint angles and evaluating posture precision, the system delivers immediate feedback, heightening exercise effectiveness and minimizing the chances of chronic injuries from flawed techniques.

- PoseNet strikes an ideal balance between precision and performance for mobile users.
- II. Beginner and Pro modes offer tailored feedback based on user skill levels.
- III. Real-time tracking markedly enhances posture correction, proving invaluable for home fitness training.

2. Personalized Nutrition Planning Enhances Workout Outcomes

The involvement of a nutrition recommendation system makes sure that users receive customized meal plans tailored to their weight, height, age, and fitness objectives. By aligning dietary habits with exercise routines, the system supports consistent fitness advancement.

- I. Integration with the Nutrition tracker and fatsecret API enables tracking of calorie consumption and macronutrient ratios.
- II. Customized meal suggestions elevate workout performance and recovery.
- III. Combining exercise monitoring with nutrition planning unites fitness and diet management seamlessly.

3. Improved User Engagement and Sustained Fitness Growth

The Browse Library feature heightens user engagement by organizing exercises according to difficulty, equipment needs, and targeted muscle groups. This setup encourages users to explore varied workouts, sustaining their motivation and involvement.

- I. Users monitor their workout progress, promoting regularity.
- II. A structured progression framework drives ongoing improvement.
- III. The React Native frontend delivers a fluid and interactive interface, ensuring effortless navigation.

4. Bridging the Divide Between Home and Gym Workouts

The system effectively introduces AI-guided workout support into home settings, offering professional-level coaching without the need for a gym membership. Users train independently while benefiting from expert feedback, amplifying the impact of home workouts.

6.3. Conclusion

This gym application strongly demonstrates Al's role in fitness tracking, representing that real-time posture detection and personalized nutrition planning guarantee advancement in workout safety and efficiency. The resulting of this project ignite the groundwork for future enhancements, such as expanding exercise tracking features, incorporating with wearable technology, and surging Al-driven movement correction.

In a nutshell, this application is build as a scalable, Al-powered fitness tool that allow users to train effectively, safely, and in a personalized way, rendering Al-driven fitness technology more accessible and transformative for today's users.

7. Critical Evaluation of the Project

7.1. Final Report Reflection

The final report demonstrates the in-depth examination of my Al-driven gym application, including exercise tracking, nutrition planning, and user engagement strategies. It sequentially shows the deployment of PoseNet for real-time posture estimation, tailored meal suggestions, and a dynamic workout library.

A key strength lies in the report's systematic framework for documenting the system's development of the lifecycle. It thoroughly outlines the aims, objectives, system architecture, implementation phases, and assessment of machine learning-driven posture detection. By incorporating comparative performance metrics, testing protocols, and user-centric engagement tactics, the report remains both perceptive and rigorously researched.

Moreover, the report convincingly illustrates Al's transformative role in fitness applications by tackling the academic question: "How do Al-driven pose estimation and personalized fitness recommendations elevate workout effectiveness and safety?" The insights establish a robust platform for future scalability and enhancements, positioning the report as a critical asset for advancing Al-powered fitness solutions.

7.2. Findings and Process

The project unveils several pivotal discoveries about Al-enhanced exercise tracking and nutrition planning. Integrating PoseNet demonstrates exceptional efficacy in real-time pose estimation, empowering users to refine their workout techniques and reduce injury

risks. The testing stage verifies that real-time monitoring markedly boosts user awareness and interaction, offering instant feedback that supports maintaining correct posture.

Moving along, another prime finding emphasizes the importance of personalized nutrition planning in optimizing fitness outcomes. Along with offering personalized meal plans in accordance to user's weight, height, age, and fitness aspirations, the system ensures sufficient nutritional support for exercise efficiency. The seamless incorporation of the FatSecret and Nutritional tracker API bolsters dietary tracking capabilities, making nutrition management fluid and user-friendly.

The development journey also sheds light on the complexities of deploying real-time AI in mobile ecosystems. Fine-tuning PoseNet's performance to balance low latency with computational efficiency demands meticulous optimization. The trade-off between precision and responsiveness emerges as a pivotal consideration for delivering a fluid and engaging user experience, a challenge that will guide future iterations.

7.3. System Evaluation

The gym application fulfills its core objectives, providing a sturdy and interactive fitness tracking platform. Its machine learning-powered posture detection, customized nutrition planning, and organized exercise categorization coalesce into a comprehensive fitness ecosystem.

Key strengths of the system include:

1. Real-time posture analysis

Users gain immediate insights into their movements, enabling instant form correction and technique enhancement.

2. Adaptive workout recommendations

The Beginner and Pro modes ensure adaptability to varying user proficiency levels, promoting inclusivity.

3. Seamless nutrition tracking integration

Beyond exercise focus, the system adopts a holistic approach by embedding tailored meal planning.

4. User engagement features

The Browse Library elevates usability by sorting exercises by difficulty, equipment needs, and muscle groups, streamlining workout selection.

Despite these strengths, the system encounters limitations. Relying on frontend-based pose estimation ties processing to device capabilities, potentially hampering real-time tracking on lower-end hardware. Additionally, PoseNet's precision in detecting intricate movements leaves room for improvement, as some complex postures lack high accuracy. Future enhancements might explore alternative models like BlazePose to bolster detection prowess and scalability.

7.4. Planning, Management, and Quality of Sources

The project adheres to a meticulously structured development methodology, weaving in incremental advancements and iterative testing cycles. Leveraging React Native for the frontend and Django for backend development (though not utilized for PoseNet), the system boasts a scalable and maintainable codebase.

Regarding source quality, the project draws on credible AI frameworks, well-documented APIs, and evidence-based implementation strategies. Academic literature, machine learning studies on posture estimation, and fitness tracking research lend robustness to the findings and system design.

Effective time management proves instrumental in ensuring that components like exercise tracking, nutrition planning, and the user interface undergo thorough implementation and validation. Despite minor hurdles in optimizing real-time pose detection for mobile contexts, the planning facilitates successful integration of Al-driven feedback mechanisms, a foundation that will support future refinements.

7.5. Self-Reflection

This project enriches my journey, offering profound insights into Al-driven fitness applications and computer vision methodologies. Implementing PoseNet for posture estimation deepens my grasp of machine learning, real-time tracking, angle computations, confidence scores, and optimization techniques.

Engaging with React Native and Django acquaints me with diverse development frameworks and libraries, elevating my technical proficiency in mobile and web application creation. Furthermore, integrating nutrition tracking APIs broadens my comprehension of fitness technology and personalized recommendation engines.

On a personal note, this project development journey sharpens my problem-solving capability, refines my project management skills, and surges my critical thinking. Tackling AI model debugging, performance tuning, and user experience optimization fosters a disciplined approach to machine learning deployment.

Professionally, this project equips me with hands-on expertise in Al-driven development, mobile app design, and real-time data processing. The skills acquired pave the way for future ventures in intelligent fitness coaching, Al-powered health monitoring, or advanced pose estimation systems.

In a nutshell, the creation of this Al-powered gym application emerges as a triumphant and illuminating experience. By integrating real-time pose estimation, personalized nutrition planning, and interactive workout guidance, the system delivers a holistic fitness solution that advancements user engagement and workout efficiency.

The expertise gained on the journey of this project enhances my technical and analytical capabilities, laying a sturdy baseline for future Al-driven fitness innovations. While opportunities exist to refine accuracy in complex movements and boost mobile processing efficiency, the system sets a promising stage for scalable and impactful Al fitness applications moving forward.

8. Evidence of Project Management

8.1. Log Sheets

PROJECT MAN	AGEMENT LOG
First Name: Ananda Su	Mame: Neupone
	pervisor: Prioul B. Prodhan
Student Number: 2323810 Su Project Title: Cym Application What have you done	Month: February, 2025
What have you done	since the last meeting
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Figure 64: LogSheet 01

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	Project Title: Gym Application Month: December What have you done since the last meeting
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	What do you aim to complete before the next meeting I will complete all of figure prototyping and complete literature review report.
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Figure 65: Logsheet 02

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PROJECT MANA	GEMENT LOG
Student Number: 22222	name: Neupane
Student Number: 2323810 Supe	orvisor: Bipul B. Pradhan
Project Title: (13m application) What have you done sin	Month: November
I build proposal file.	nce the last meeting
- Gant chart - Work breakdown Structure - Architecture diagram.	
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Figure 66: Logsheet 03

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Student Number: 2323810	Supervisor: Pradhan B. Pradhan
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8.2. Gantt Chart

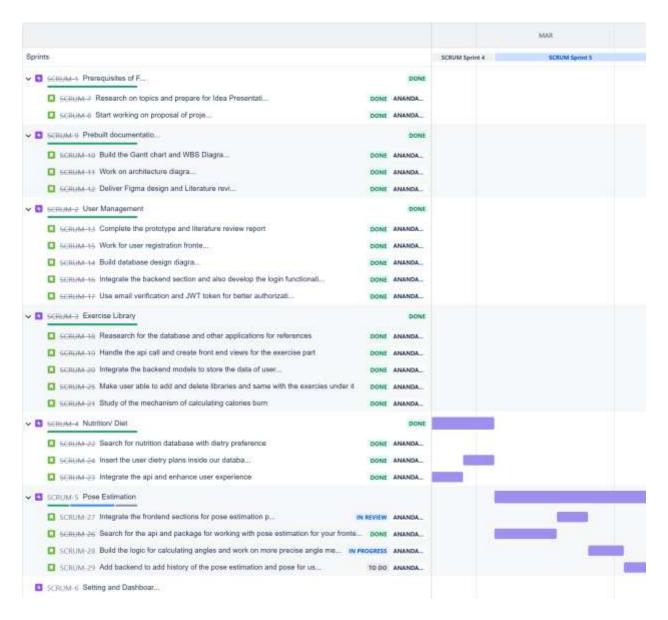


Figure 76: Gantt Chart

9. User Manual

On launching of application you will meet some landing screen and you got skip button if you don't want to watch all of them.

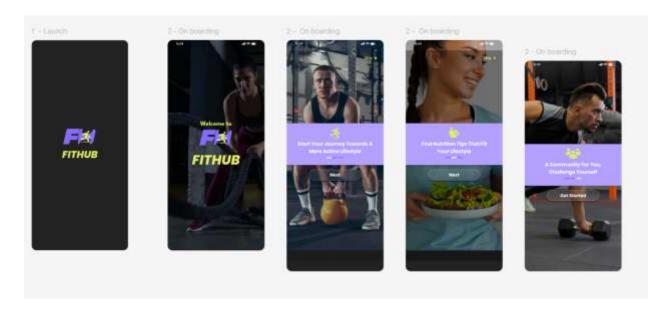


Figure 77: Landing Screen

On pressing skip button or if you move along with all screens you will ultimately land on login screen.

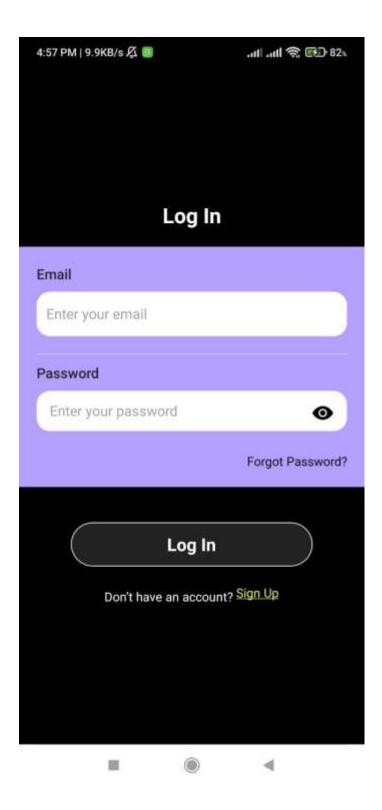


Figure 78: Login Screen

If you don't have an account you can click on to sign up button which will lead you to enter different credentials input screen then you can enter all the fields.

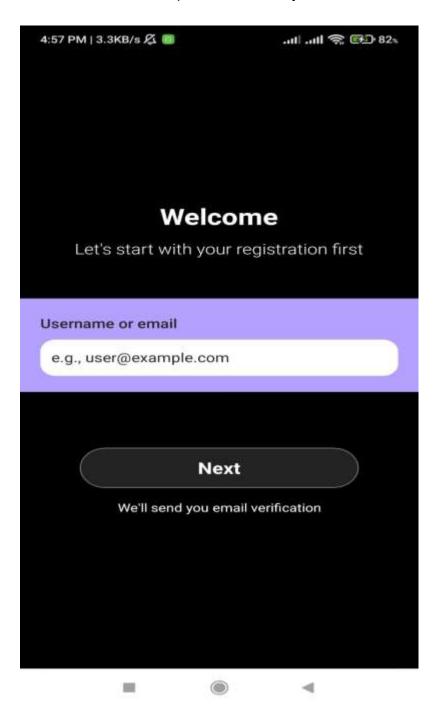


Figure 79: Sign Up screen

This is the create password screen where you can enter and confirm password and you have got some regex condition in screen with red color which will automatically turn green if all the criteria gets accepted.

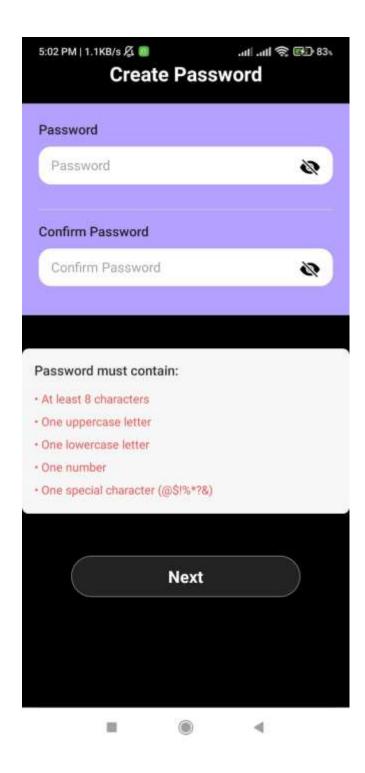


Figure 80: Before password screen

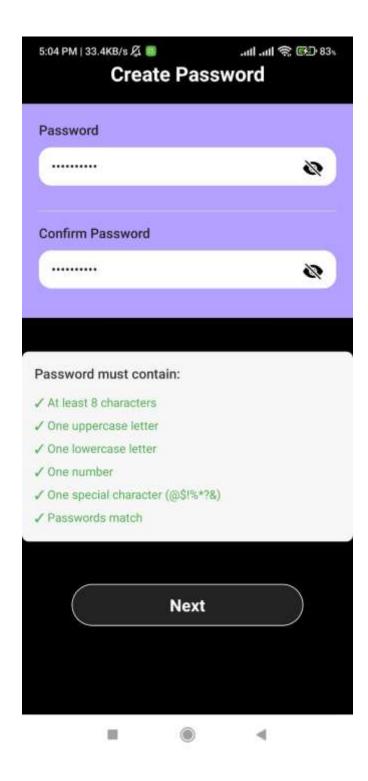


Figure 81: After Password screen

After browsing through different credentials page. you will direct into OTP screen where we check our mail for OTP and enter it into application.

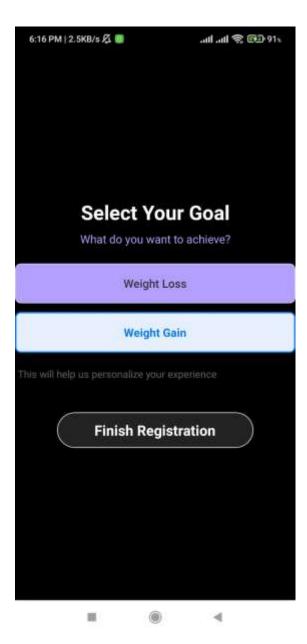


Figure 82: Goal Screen

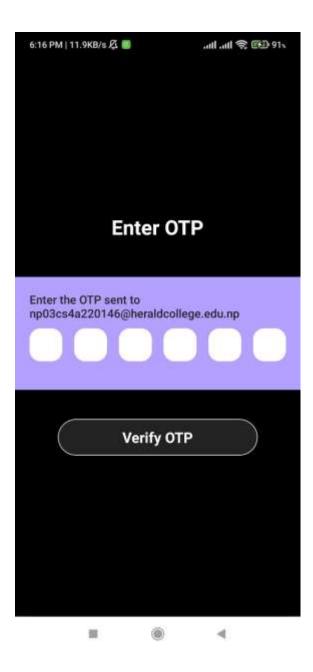


Figure 83: Inser OTP screen

You get an alert of completing registration in an alert message containing ("Success!! You have been registered successfully!"). And redirect to login page.

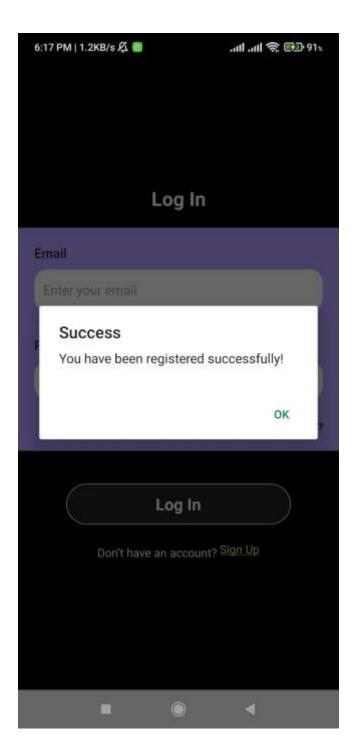


Figure 84: Finish registration

On clicking on forgot password you get field for inserting mail. You need to place your male then you will receive otp and again with otp you redirect to password and confirm password screen which will reset the password.

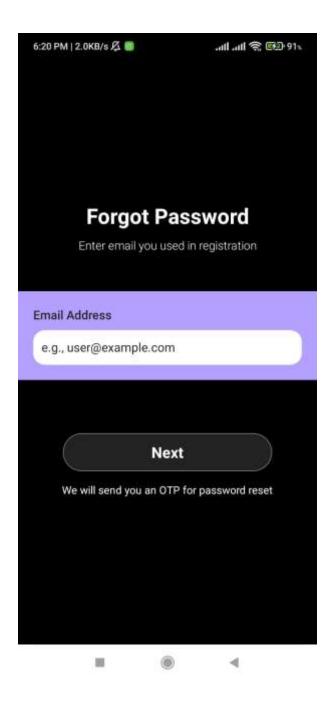


Figure 85: Forgot Password

Let's start with home screen now on. After successful login you can redirect to home screen.

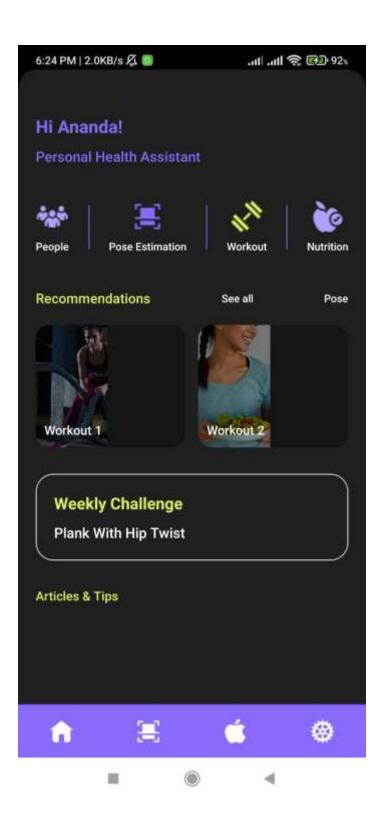


Figure 86: Home page

On clicking the highlighted green color button for workout you will navigate to select body part screen where you can select for body parts for your exercise.



Figure 87: Select body part

You will browse to screen where you can see multiple options of exercises fetched from API.

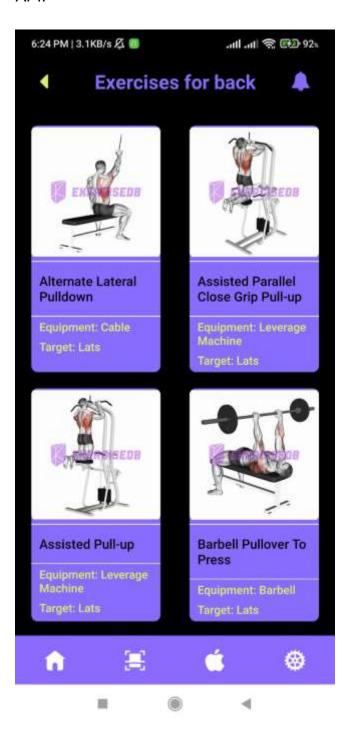


Figure 88: Body parts

On clicking any of the exercise you will see the details of the exercise with instructions and video example

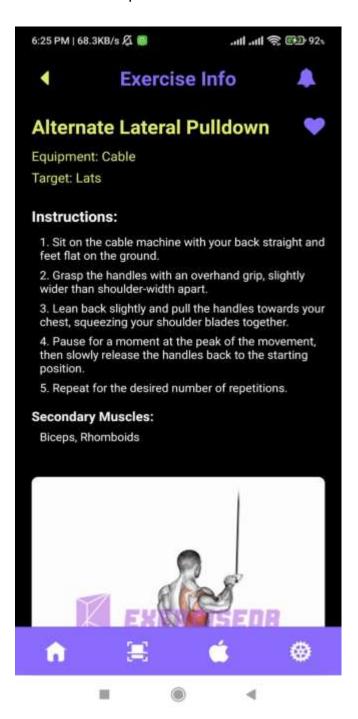


Figure 89:Exercise detail screen

Then clicking on start button you navigate to sets information page where you enter the weight and reps you can calculate weight and reps and add different set and later complete workout.

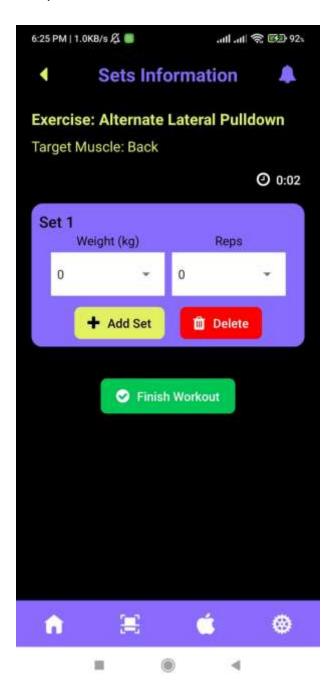


Figure 90: Sets and reps screen

When you click on scanner type footer button you will navigate to another functionality of application which trace pose of your exercise. First you can see screen for difficulty level where you can set either beginner or pro mode.

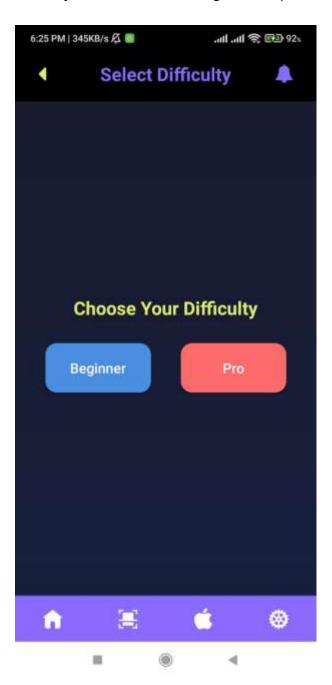


Figure 91: Beginner or Pro

Then you get choice of selecting between exercises where you got options of three exercises.

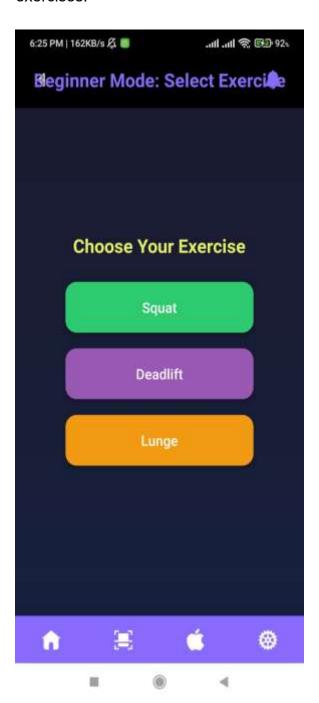


Figure 92: Choose exercise to track

Then next you will navigate to the camera access screen where you get coordinates screen and then the traced pose coordinates and then get feedback on top of screen.



Figure 93: Trace Pose

For your personalized meal plan you can choose of your dietary preference and your activity levels.

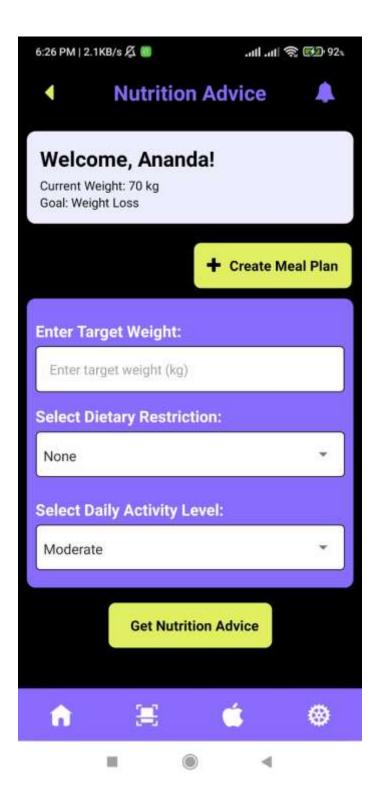


Figure 94: Nutrition plans

After undergoing all your requirements you will navigate into your meal plans. Here you can see your meal plans for different snack time.

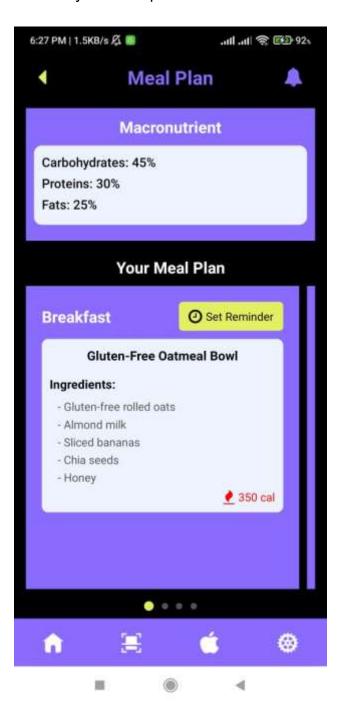


Figure 95: Nutrition meal plan

On clicking of set reminder you get the options of selecting time where you can set the time when you want the system to remind you.



Figure 96: Set reminder screen

After selecting time you get the alert message of the time that you set reminder to activate in you phone. This will return as alarm in your device.

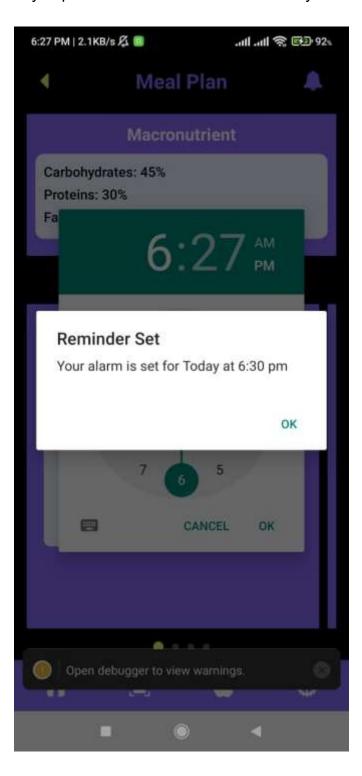


Figure 97: Alarm set alert page

On clicking the notification page you can see the notifications and reminders you set in app.

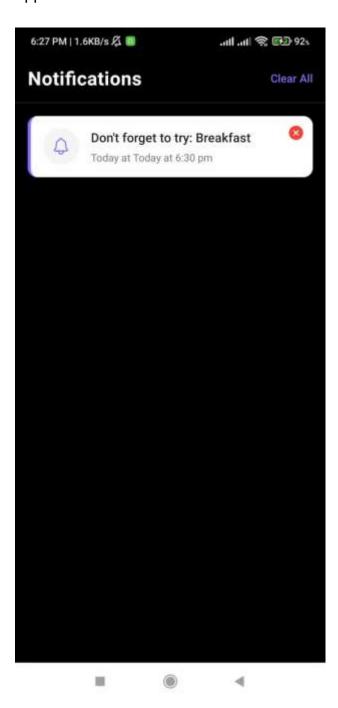


Figure 98: Notification page

This is the update profile page where you can update your credentials as per your wish and need.

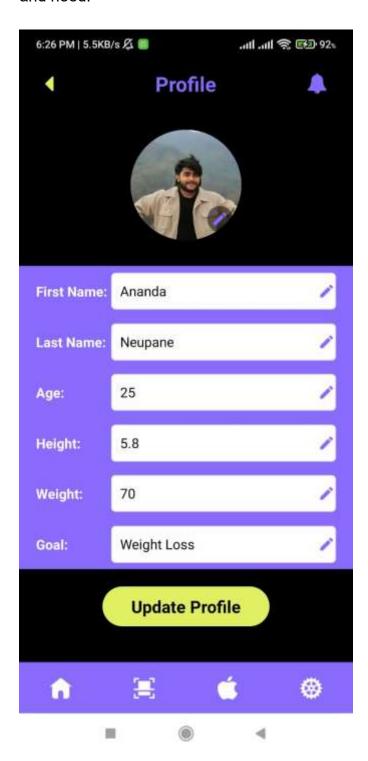


Figure 99: update Profile

These are some necessary user manual that you will guide you with working of the application.

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11. Appendix

1. Work Breakdown Structure



Figure 100: WBS Diagram

2. Gantt Chart

Figure 101: Gantt Chart

3. Architecture Diagram

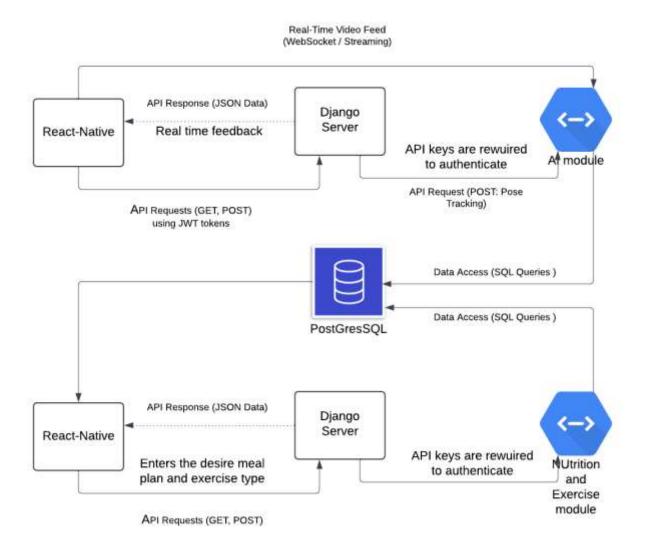


Figure 102: Architecture diagram

4. User flow diagram

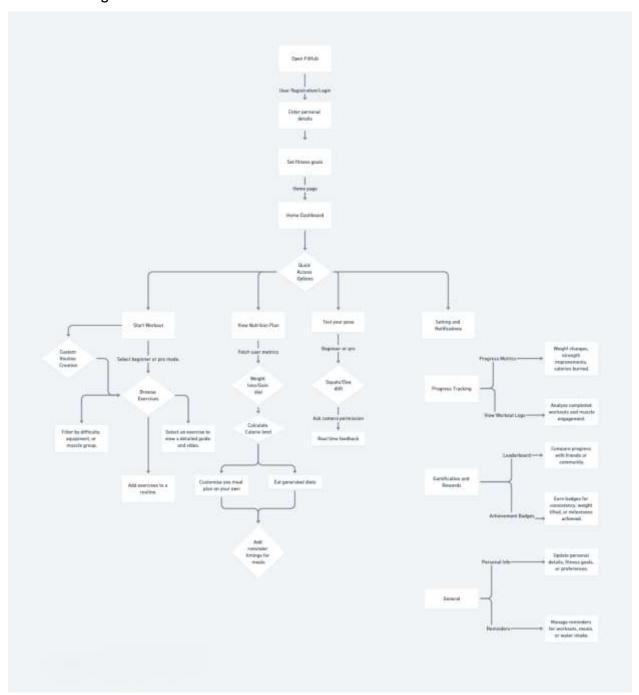


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5. Use case diagram

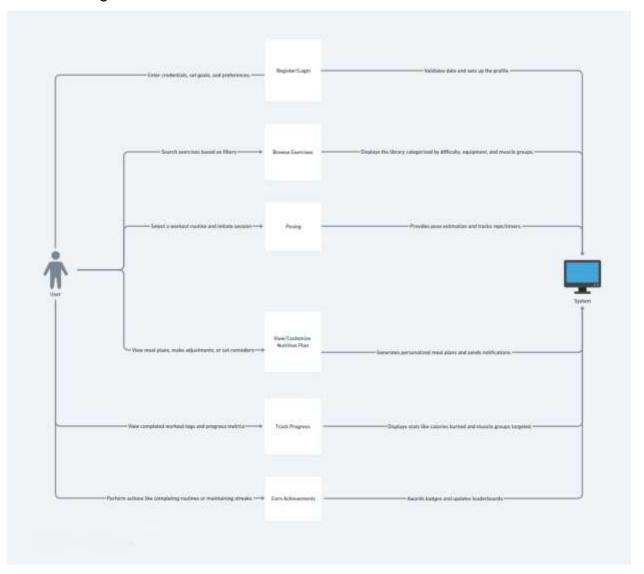


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