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SUMMARY

Final-Year IT Student specializing in Full-Stack Web Development using the MERN stack, with a strong foundation in Data Structures & Algorithms (DSA). Recognized for technical excellence through top rankings in national hackathons and active contributions to the open-source community. Skilled in architecting responsive UIs and robust backend systems using React.js and Node.js. Eager to join an engineering team (Remote/Pune) to leverage skills in software engineering and contribute to production-level deployment

EDUCATION

RMD Sinhgad College of Engineering, Pune (2022–2026)
B.E. in Information Technology, Current CGPA: 7.51

Vimalabai Garware Jr. College, Pune (2020–2022)
Percentage: 71.67%

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: C++, JavaScript, Python, Java

Frontend Technologies: React.js, HTML5, CSS3, Tailwind CSS, Bootstrap

Backend: Node.js, Express.js, RESTful APIs, JWT Authentication, Postman

Database & Tools: MongoDB, MySQL, Git, GitHub, Linux

CS Fundamentals: Data Structures & Algorithms (DSA), Object-Oriented Programming (OOP), DBMS, OS (Basics)

EXPERIENCE

Open Source Contributor

Jul 2025 – Sep 2025

GirlScript Summer of Code 2025 – Remote

- Contributed to MERN stack open-source projects, including EduHaven, SaralSeva, TravelGrid, and others during GSSOC'25.
- Worked across frontend and backend, implementing UI/UX improvements and fixing critical backend API bugs to enhance overall system performance.
- Gained hands-on experience in collaborative development, code reviews, and Git workflows in production-like environments.

PROJECTS

AI-Powered Blog App | MERN, Google Gemini API

[Live Demo](#) | [Github](#)

- Developed a full-stack blog platform that integrates Google Gemini API to auto-generate AI-written blog posts.
- Implemented secure authentication, CRUD operations, and dynamic content rendering using React.js and Node.js.
- Built admin and demo user access roles with protected routes.
- Demo credentials** (Admin/Demo User) available on the app login page for feature testing.

Portfolio Website | React, Tailwind CSS, Vite

[Live Demo](#) | [Github](#)

- Developed a responsive single-page portfolio using React, Tailwind CSS, and Vite, ensuring smooth navigation with a dynamic navbar.
- Implemented responsive design principles utilizing HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to ensure optimal viewing across devices.
- Deployed using Vercel with custom domain and SEO-optimized layout to showcase skills and projects.

Expense Tracker App | MERN Stack

[Live Demo](#) | [Github](#)

- Developed a responsive expense tracking web application using MongoDB, Express.js, React, and Node.js, enabling users to log income/expenses and visualize spending trends.
- Implemented REST APIs for transaction management and integrated interactive charts to visualize income and expense trends.

ACHIEVEMENTS

1st Place – Competitive Coding Hackathon (2025)

Organized by Google Developer Group on Campus, AISSMS COE Pune – built an innovative solution under strict time constraints.

2nd Place – Reverse & Blind Coding Event (2024)

Techtonic, Sinhgad College of Engineering – demonstrated rapid logic building and debugging capabilities.

3rd Place – CodeChef Competitive Programming Contest (2025)

Techtonic, Sinhgad – secured a podium spot by solving DSA problems with optimal time complexity.

Finalist – Multiple Internal College-level Hackathons

Participated and ranked in various team-based tech competitions across semesters.

CERTIFICATIONS

Full-Stack Web Development – Apna College

Oracle Certified Foundations Associate – Oracle University

Postman API Fundamentals – Postman