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Project Objectives

1. PO1

To develop a Native Android application for user-friendly spending analysis, Display monthly spending and savings through intuitive visualizations.

2. PO2

To implement automated parsing of bank messages for transaction data. Extract store and display transaction amounts and dates.

Project Outcomes

1. Overall Project Outcome

Successfully extracts and provides a structured storage of relevant bank transaction data from SMS messages. Functional input and storage of user-defined income and expenses. Transaction visualization based on user-selected month. Generates charts to illustrate spending patterns. Integrated user guide for application assistance. User authentication via phone number and OTP.

Domain of Specialisation

Native Android Application Development for Personal Finance Management

How your solution helping the domains?

Our solution helps the personal finance management domain by automating the capture of transaction data directly from bank SMS messages, providing users with a comfortable view of their spending. This automation reduces manual data entry, improving accuracy and efficiency, and empowers users with real-time insights into their financial activities.

List the Program Outcomes (POs) that are being met by doing the project work

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PO9: Individual	Function effectively as an individual, and as a member
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PO10:	Communicate effectively on complex engineering
Communication	activities with the engineering community and society
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	effective reports and design documentation, make
	effective presentations, and give and receive clear
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PO11: Project	Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of
management and	engineering management principles and economic
finance	decision-making and apply these to one's own work as
	a member and leader in a team, to manage projects and
	in multi-disciplinary environments.
PO12: Life-long	Recognize the need for, and have the preparation and
learning	ability to engage in, independent and life-long learning

End Users of Your Solution

Our primary stakeholders include salaried employees and metropolitan residents. Secondary stakeholders, encompassing all salaried individuals, prioritize user-friendly interfaces, clear financial insights.

ABSTRACT

Monetary mindfulness is essential for saving money and preventing individuals from overspending, which can lead to dangerous debts. While there are some expense tracking apps already available, they are often designed for businesses as budgeting tools. The main limitations of these apps for individual use are their complex interfaces and the cumbersome procedures required to set initial settings. Additionally, premium subscriptions are often needed for advanced features like spending pattern predictions and analysis. Therefore, there is a need for a simple, user-friendly expense tracker application that can be as easily used as possible.

This proposal focuses on designing an expense tracker application that is less complex and more user-friendly. To achieve this, we are using Native Android development with Kotlin, a programming language that is highly supported for Android app development.

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List of Abbreviations

AOSP _ Android Open-Source Project

FOSS – Free and Open-Source Software

ER – Entity Relationship

BaaS – Backend as a Service

NoSQL - Not Only SQL

SQL – Structured Query Language

JSON – JavaScript Object Notation

HTTPS – HyperText Transfer Protocol Secure

TLS - Transport Layer Security

SSL – Secure Socket Layer

XML – Extensible Markup Language

UI – User Interface

UX – User Experience

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CHAPTER 1

INTRODUCTION

In the rapidly evolving financial landscape, efficiently managing personal finances has become more critical than ever. With the proliferation of digital transactions, users face the challenge of tracking and categorizing numerous financial activities. This challenge is significantly amplified for individuals with lower salaries navigating the high cost of living in metropolitan cities. The constant barrage of expenses, from inflated rents and transportation costs to the daily pressures of urban consumerism, can quickly overwhelm those with limited financial resources.

To address the growing challenges of personal finance management, particularly for individuals facing the complexities of urban living and digital transactions, this project leverages the power of **native Android development** using Kotlin. WiseWallet directly confronts the issue of fragmented financial tracking by implementing robust **message parsing** techniques. By analyzing and extracting transaction data from bank-related SMS messages, the application automates the process of recording online expenses, reducing the need for manual entry. This data is then securely stored in a database, ensuring reliable retrieval and enabling users to access a comprehensive and organized view of their spending patterns whenever needed. Employing Kotlin's efficiency and modern Android development practices, WiseWallet provides a seamless and user-friendly solution for managing finances in today's fast-paced digital environment.

1.1 Identification of seriousness of the problem

Financial discipline is crucial for many individuals, especially current working employees with insufficient salaries in metropolitan cities. Daily needs and other necessities often hinder their ability to maintain savings. The main objective of this project is to remind users at regular intervals to reduce their overspending by providing a document. This document includes a color-coded chart that represents the frequency of categorized transactions and generates a default monthly report.

1.2 Problem definition

Although there are some existing apps regarding expense and budget tracking, user reviews and ratings for apps in Google PlayStore mentioned about the complexity and procedure of the interfaces as a difficulty. This motivated us to design an application that is user-friendly and less complex with optimal usage.

1.3 Objective

The need for a user-friendly expense tracker arises from the complexity and premium requirements of existing applications, which are often geared toward business use. By developing an application that is simple and accessible, individuals can gain better control over their finances, promote saving, and avoid falling into debt.

Our Approach:

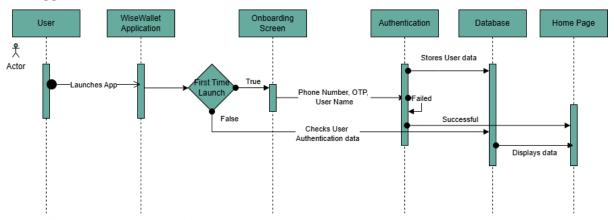


Fig 1.1: Sequence Diagram for Phone Number Authentication

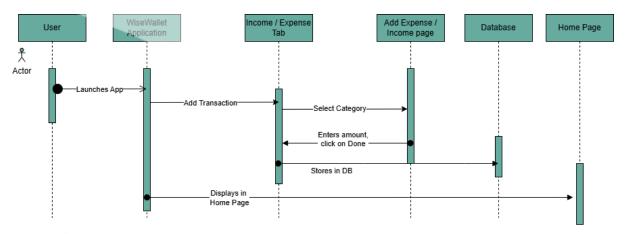


Fig 1.2: Sequence Diagram for Manual Entry of a Transaction

1.4 Existing models

There are many existing apps like "Expensify", "AndroMoney", "EveryDollar", "Rocket Money" etc., Upon analyzing all the user reviews that are mentioned in play store, 3 out of 5 are regarding business budget tracking. Some mentioned about the complexity and procedure of the interfaces as a difficulty...

CHAPTER 2

LITERATURE SURVEY

With the help of Google, we surveyed all related work through several official documentations that are available over internet, and customer reviews from the description of applications in Google play store. The following image displays the user interaction with an existing app, where the user has to enter details regarding the transaction.



Fig 2.1: Image showing difficulty in adding transactions manually.

Here, if we observe, [1] users may find it difficult and inconvenient to manually enter every transaction they make, especially in their busy daily lives. One of the customers reviews says that, "I wanted to try for individual use, but it's not at all suitable. Its Interface is not interactive at all." [2] Jade Howkins August 5, 2021- A review from Google Play Store for a particular Expense tracking app. Another interesting review from a customer is that, "This APP is free... BUT THE SERVICE IS NOT! This should be explained in the description FIRST!" [3] which says, premium subscribed users are only given expected services like analysis, automation and predictions. By digging into the strengths and weaknesses of current offerings, we can identify opportunities to create a more comprehensive and accessible app. Key areas of exploration include the cost effectiveness of existing solutions, their availability across platforms, the accuracy of expense categorization, and the underlying technologies and methodologies employed. This analysis will provide valuable insights into the challenges and limitations of current expense tracking apps, paving the way for a more innovative and impactful solution.

CHAPTER 3

THEORETICAL BACKGROUND

3.1 Android Platform and Development Environment

3.1.1 What is Android?

Android is an operating system based on a modified version of the Linux kernel and other open-source software, designed primarily for touchscreen-based mobile devices such as smartphones and tablets. Android has historically been developed by a consortium of developers known as the Open Handset Alliance, but its most widely used version is primarily developed by Google. At its core, the operating system is known as the **Android Open Source Project (AOSP)** and is free and open-source software (FOSS) primarily licensed under the Apache License.

3.1.2 General Development Tools

Android Studio

Android Studio is by far the most important tool you need for Android Development. It was created by both Google and JetBrains and it is very similar to IntelliJ IDEA. Android Studio is a specific IDE used by Android developers. This can also be used to develop cross-platform applications using Flutter.

Its key features:

- Wireless Debugging
- Compose UI previews
- Seamless SDK synchronization
- o Gradle build system
- Logcat for debugging
- o Device and performance profiling

• Kotlin Programming Language

Android development first started using Java as their preferred language of development. However, since JetBrains announced their stable release of **Kotlin**, we have had multiple migrations from Java to Kotlin quickly. In May 2019, Google announced Kotlin to be **Android's preferred language of development**.

Firebase

Firebase Realtime Database offers a streamlined solution for managing application data without building a dedicated backend API server. This Google-hosted service provides a cloud-based, NoSQL database, enabling real-time data synchronization across clients, simplifying data storage and retrieval for Android applications.

• Git & GitHub

Git is a distributed version control system that tracks changes in computer files and coordinates work on those files among multiple people. GitHub is a web-based hosting service for Git repositories. It offers all the distributed version control and source code management (SCM) functionality of Git as well as adding its own features.

Core Operations:

1. Git Setup and Initialization

```
$ git init
```

\$ git clone <repository_url>

\$ git config user.name "BalajiAndaluri"

\$ git config user.email balajiandaluri@gmail.com

2. Staging and Committing

```
$ git status
```

\$ git add <file>

\$ git add.

\$ git commit -m "Commit message"

3. Branching and Merging

```
$ git branch <branch_name>
```

\$ git checkout <branch_name>

\$ git merge <branch_name>

4. Remote Repositories

\$ git remote add origin <repository_url>

\$ git remote -v

\$ git push origin
 sranch_name>

\$ git pull origin <branch_name>

5. Undoing Changes

\$ git reset HEAD <file>

\$ git revert <commit_hash>

3.1.3 Application Framework

• Activity Manager:

This service controls Activity, Service, and Broadcast Receiver lifecycles. It also Handles task management and application switching, Manages the application's process lifecycle. Coordinates inter-component communication and It Ensures proper resource allocation and deallocation.

• Content Manager:

This layer mainly provides a standardized way to share data between applications. It Enables data access through URIs. Manages data storage and retrieval. Supports data security and permissions. Facilitates data sharing with system components.

• Resource Manager:

Resource manager provides access to application resources (strings, layouts, drawables). It handles resource localization and configuration changes. Also optimizes resource loading and usage. Manages layout and UI elements. Provides access to noncode assets.

• Notification Manager:

It handles the creation and display of notifications. Manages notification channels and priorities. Provides user interaction with notifications. Supports various notification styles (text, images, progress). Provides interaction with the user even when the app is in the background.

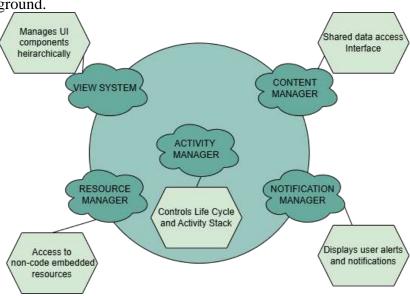


Fig 3.1: Application Framework showing key Services

3.2 User Interface Design and Event Handling

Android UI design emphasizes user-centered design. This involves understanding user needs, cognitive limitations, and interaction patterns. Android's event-driven architecture relies on event listeners to capture and respond to user actions. These models define how users interact with the application and how the application responds.

3.2.1 Layout Design and Structure

Linear Layout:

- Used for linear arrangements of UI elements, ideal for displaying transaction lists vertically.
- This layout's simplicity makes it efficient for displaying lists or forms where components follow a clear, one-dimensional order. Its predictable arrangement is beneficial for creating consistent and easily understood UI structures.

Constraint Layout:

- Employed for creating complex and responsive layouts, crucial for financial dashboards and detailed transaction views.
- Minimizes the need for nested layouts, improving performance and simplifying the creation of adaptive user interfaces.

Frame Layout:

- Frame Layout is the simplest layout type, designed to occupy an area on the screen and display a single child view. If multiple child views are added, they are stacked on top of each other.
- This layout is ideal for scenarios where you need to overlay views or display a single dynamic view. Its core principle is to provide a container for a single, primary view, with optional overlays.

Table Layout:

- Table Layout arranges child views in rows and columns, like a HTML table. It automatically sizes columns and rows to fit the content.
- This layout is useful for displaying data in a tabular format, where alignment and organization are crucial. Its theoretical foundation is in its structured, grid-like approach to UI element arrangement.

3.2.2 UI Component Attributes and Styling

Attributes are properties that define the appearance and behaviour of UI components (Views). They allow developers to customize the look and feel of their application's interface. Attributes are defined within XML layout files, providing a declarative way to specify UI element characteristics.

Some common attributes include – *layout_width*, *layout_height*, *text*, *textColor*, *textSize*, *background*, *padding and margin*, *id*, *visibility*, *and gravity*.

- Creating custom styles for transaction categories (e.g., groceries, utilities) to provide visual cues.
- Using drawable resources for icons representing transaction categories.

Styles are collections of attributes that can be applied to UI components. They promote code reusability and maintainability by encapsulating common UI properties. Styles are defined in XML files within the <u>res/values/styles.xml</u> directory.

Benefits of using styling:

Consistency: Styles ensure that UI elements have a consistent appearance throughout the application.

Reusability: Styles can be applied to multiple Views, reducing code duplication.

Maintainability: Changes to a style are reflected in all Views that use it, simplifying UI updates.

Theming: Styles can be used to create themes, allowing users to customize the application's appearance.

3.2.3 Responsive Design for Diverse Devices

Key Units:

- Using **Density-independent Pixels** (**dp/ dip**) and **Scale-independent Pixels** (sp) units for consistent UI element sizing across different screen densities.
- **dp** is Ideal for margins, padding, and the dimensions of views (buttons, images, etc.), while **sp** is exclusively for text size in layouts.
- **Pixels** (px) are absolute units, meaning they represent actual pixels on the screen. This can lead to inconsistent UI sizes across devices with different screen densities.

Adaptive Layouts and Resources:

- Provides alternative layout resources for different screen orientations.
- Uses resource qualifiers to load different drawable resources based on screen density.
- Employing Constraint Layout to create layouts that adapt to varying screen sizes.

3.3 Data Storage and Retrieval

Data storage and retrieval encompass the methods and technologies used to manage and access data. This involves organizing data using various models (relational, NoSQL), storing it in suitable systems (databases, file systems, cloud storage), and retrieving it efficiently through query processing and data access patterns. Data integrity and security are crucial, ensuring data accuracy and protection against unauthorized access. Here are different ways for storage and retrieval of data.

3.3.1 Structuring Data with SQLite/Room

• Relational Database

The foundation of SQLite and Room lies in the relational database model, where data is organized into tables with rows and columns. This model relies on set theory and first-order predicate logic to ensure data integrity.

• ER Modeling

ER diagrams provide a visual representation of entities (tables) and their relationships. For WiseWallet, entities like "Transactions" and "Categories" would be defined, with relationships like "Transactions belong to a Category.

• SQL

SQL provides the theoretical language that allows us to interact with the relational database. It allows us to create, read, update, and delete data.

3.3.2 Firebase Realtime Database Connectivity (Cloud Storage)

• Cloud Computing and Backend-as-a-Service (BaaS):

Firebase represents a Backend-as-a-Service (BaaS) paradigm, abstracting server-side infrastructure and complexities. This aligns with cloud computing principles, where resources are provided on-demand over the internet.

• NoSQL Data Model (JSON Tree):

Firebase Realtime Database uses a NoSQL data model, specifically a JSON tree structure. This deviates from the relational model, offering flexibility and scalability for real-time applications. The JSON tree structure allows for hierarchical data representation, making it suitable for storing dynamic and unstructured data.

• Firebase Security Rules:

Firebase Security Rules provide a declarative language for defining access control and data validation rules. These rules are evaluated on the Firebase server, ensuring secure data access and preventing unauthorized modifications.



Fig 3.2: Structure of NoSQL JSON node structure for a user

3.4 Network Communication and Message Parsing

3.4.1 Database Connectivity

• Client-Server Architecture:

The fundamental theory here is the client-server architecture where, the application (the client) communicates with the Firebase Realtime Database (the server). This architecture allows for centralized data management and access, enabling real-time synchronization across multiple devices.

• Real-Time Data Transfer:

Firebase utilizes protocols like WebSockets to establish persistent, bidirectional communication channels. This enables real-time data updates, where **changes on the server are instantly reflected on the client and vice versa**. This is the implementation of the observer pattern, where the client observes the changes in the database.

• Data Serialization and Deserialization:

Data is serialized (converted into a transferable format, like JSON) before being sent over the network and deserialized (converted back into objects) upon reception. This ensures that data can be transmitted and interpreted correctly between different systems.

• Theory of Secure Communication:

HTTPS builds upon HTTP by adding a layer of encryption using TLS/SSL. This encryption ensures that data transmitted between the client and server is protected from eavesdropping and tampering.

3.4.2 Text Processing

• Regular Expressions (Regex)

The core theoretical concept behind message parsing is pattern recognition. Regular expressions provide a formal language for specifying search patterns within text. Kotlin's Regex class allows for the creation and application of regular expressions to extract specific data elements (dates, amounts, merchant names) from SMS messages. This is built on the theory of finite automata, which provides the ability to recognize regular languages.

Kotlin's *Regex.find()* and *Regex.findAll()* functions are used to locate and extract data elements that match predefined regular expressions. *SimpleDateFormat* class is used to parse date strings into Date objects.

CHAPTER 4

APPROACH DESCRIPTION

4.1. Approach Flow

1. Requirements Gathering

Requirements gathering and specification is done through surveying and analyzing existing documentation, end user reviews on existing apps, and using existing apps as an end user and recording those observations.

• Functional Requirements:

<u>Intuitive Interface</u>- User friendly with less complex terminology, less user intervention, and easy understandability

<u>Manual Entry</u>- for transactions that are done through hand cash, where we do not get any message

Message app Tracking- for digital transactions, where scanning messages regarding keywords like merchants, terms like "beverages", "textiles", "shopping", etc.,

Categorization and storing databases to make use while generating reports based on stored previous data.

Notify user, if exceeds the set limit on budget and suggest for saving plans according to user's income.

• Non-Functional Requirements:

Reliability

Performance

Efficiency

Policies and Standards

Interoperability

Usability

2. Identify key screens

- a. Used figma for prototyping the visual screens and for styling
- **b.** Mainly identified to implement a bottom navigation view to display components.

c. Components included:

i. Home- Default screen used to display Expenses, Incomes and transactions.

- **ii.** Charts- To display categorical and month wise visual representation using pie- charts.
- **iii.** Add / Choose– To manually enter transactions for some categories like shopping, food etc.,
- iv. Profile—To keep track of user details and maintain settings.
- 3. Configuring Android Studio, GitBash and creating remote repository
 - **a.** From <u>developer.android.com</u>, downloaded the latest Android studio and installed it in all our devices.
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- 5. Inner Fragments, Tabs, splash-screen, Date-picker Dialog
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- **6.** Integration using Kotlin.
 - **a.** Created Activities for layouts (MainActivity.kt, SplashActivity.kt, etc.,) and included core logic of the application.
- **7.** Database Connectivity with Firebase Real time database that stores user transaction data in a NoSQL JSON Node structure.
- **8.** Agile methodology and incremental testing were used to ensure the proper functionality of each module during development.

CHAPTER 5

IMPLEMENTATION

5.1 Intial Implementation:

We started by figuring out the screens that are required for the app, like the Home screen to show an overview, a Charts page for graphs, a section to Add Manual Entries, a More page for managing accounts, and a Profile/Settings page. Each screen was designed to be simple and easy to use. We created these layouts in Android Studio using XML, keeping the design clean and user-friendly.

To make navigation easier, we added a bottom navigation bar so users can quickly switch between the main sections. We also included extra features like a splash screen to make the app look professional, and tabs to organize information better. Next, we integrated and made the application functioning using Kotlin. For example, clicking buttons would take users to the right screens, and they could enter data that the app would save and show later. We added icons for different expense categories, like food, travel, and shopping, to make manual entry straightforward and visually clear. Each part of the app was built and tested separately to make sure it worked well before putting everything together. This step set up the basic structure of the app, making it ready for more features and improvements later.

5.2 Detailed description of the methodologies and tools being used:

We used Agile methodology to develop the app, which means we worked on the project in small steps, made changes based on feedback, and improved it gradually. This approach allowed us to focus on each part of the app separately and make sure it worked well before moving to the next step. We also used modular programming, where each screen, like Home, Charts, or Manual Entry, was built and tested individually. Once everything was ready, we connected all the screens using Kotlin to create a fully functional app. For tools, we used Android Studio as the main platform to write code, design layouts, and test the app. Figma helped us create designs and plan the look of the app. To make sure the app followed the best practices, we referred to developer android.com for guidelines and tutorials. We used Git for tracking changes in the code and GitHub for collaboration and storing the project. Lastly, Gradle helped manage libraries and dependencies to ensure the app ran smoothly. These tools and methodologies worked together to make the development process organized, efficient, and flexible.

5.3 Step-by-step process of the intial phase of implementing the project :

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- 6. Real-time, Scalable NoSQL Database
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CHAPTER 6 RESULTS

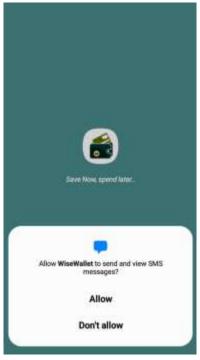


Fig 6.1: Splash Screen and seeking permission from user

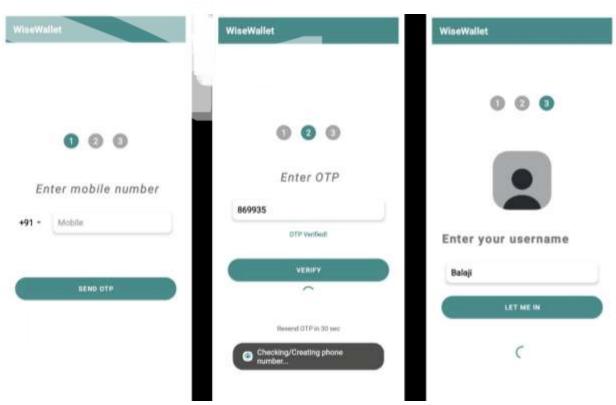


Fig 6.2: Screenshots Showing Phone Number Authentication of User

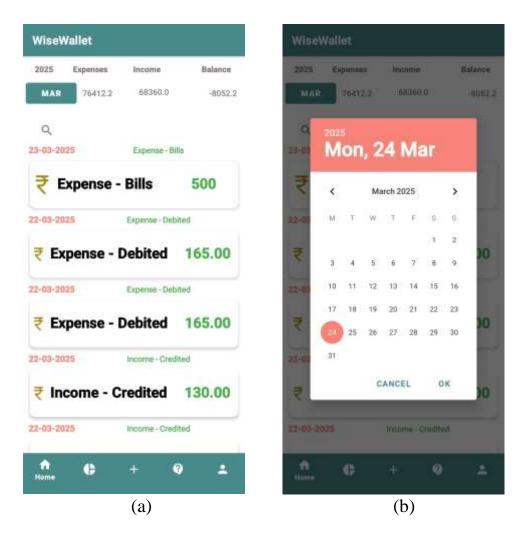


Fig 6.3:

- a. Home Screen displaying Expenses and Income values of all dates in March 2025.
- b. Date Picker Dialog used to select date.

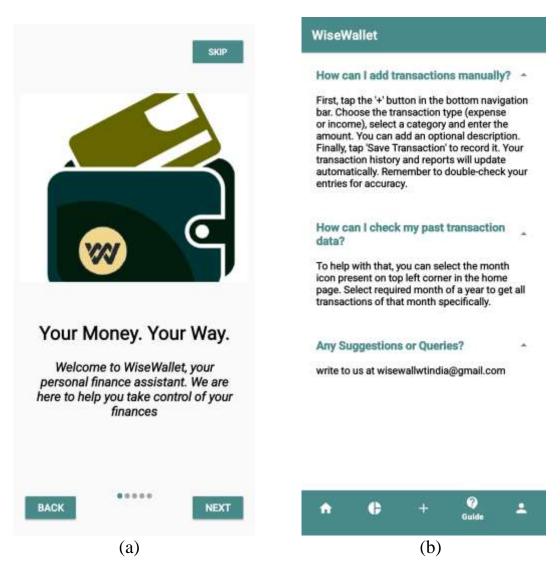


Fig 6.4:

- a. Onboarding screen, to guide users.
- b. User Guide to help resolve their doubts.

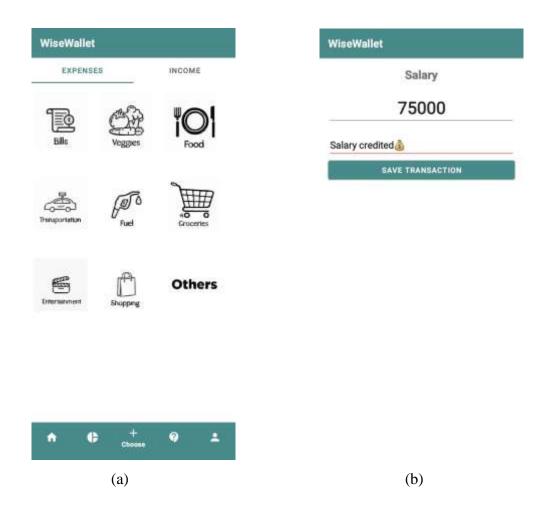


Fig 6.5:

- a. Expense and Income Tabs to manually enter transactions.
- b. Screenshot showing Transaction details to store.

CHAPTER 7

CONCLUSION

WiseWallet is designed to make expense tracking simple and stress-free. Many existing financial apps are complicated or require users to pay for essential features, which makes it difficult for people to manage their money effectively. WiseWallet solves this problem by offering easy expense tracking, budget management, and visual spending reports, allowing users to stay in control of their finances without any hassle. The app provides manual expense entry, where users can log their transactions quickly. It also includes budget tracking, so users can set spending limits and receive alerts when they are close to exceeding their budget. The visual charts and reports help users see where their money is going, making it easier to make smart financial decisions. With its simple design and user-friendly features, WiseWallet helps users build better spending habits without the need for expensive subscriptions.

To improve WiseWallet and make it even more useful and efficient, we plan to introduce several new features in future updates. One major improvement is SMS-based transaction tracking. This feature will allow the app to automatically detect bank transaction messages and update expenses accordingly, reducing the need for users to enter transactions manually. This will save time and effort while making the app more convenient. We also plan to add database storage usin, which will let users store and manage their expense history securely. This will make it easier for users to review past transactions, track spending trends, and generate financial reports over longer periods. For better visual analysis, we will integrate MPAndroidChart, which will allow users to view their expenses in graphs and charts based on weekly or monthly spending. This will make it easier for users to understand their spending habits and plan their finances accordingly.

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Appendix: A- Dependencies and Modules

Buildscript Dependencies

The *com.android.tools.build:gradle* plugin is fundamental for Android app development, automating the build process, managing dependencies, and integrating with the Android SDK. The *org.jetbrains.kotlin:kotlin-gradle-plugin* allows for Kotlin code compilation, bridging the gap between Kotlin and the Android build system.

Lastly, *com.google.dagger:hilt-android-gradle-plugin* simplifies dependency injection setup, promoting cleaner, more maintainable code through automated dependency management within Android projects.

Plugins

The *libs.plugins.android.application* plugin applies all necessary configurations to build an Android application, streamlining the process.

libs.plugins.kotlin.android specifically integrates Kotlin support into the build, ensuring proper compilation and execution.

libs.plugins.google.gms.google.services enable seamless integration with Google services like Firebase, handling configuration and setup for these external functionalities.

Android Dependencies

androidx.core.ktx enhances Android APIs with Kotlin extensions, improving code readability and efficiency. androidx.appcompat ensures UI consistency across Android versions, providing backward compatibility for modern UI features. It enables visually appealing and user-friendly interfaces.

androidx.constraintlayout allows for flexible UI layout creation, optimizing performance through efficient hierarchy management.

androidx.lifecycle.livedata.ktx and androidx.lifecycle.viewmodel.ktx facilitate lifecycle-aware data management, crucial for robust and maintainable Android apps.

Firebase dependencies, including *firebase.database* and *firebase.analytics*, provide real-time database capabilities and user behavior analytics, respectively. okhttp enables efficient HTTPS communication, allowing the app to interact with external servers.

Modules

android.Manifest:

 This provides access to Android's permission constants, like READ_SMS, crucial for requesting and managing app permissions related to sensitive user data and device functionalities.

android.content.pm.PackageManager:

• This class allows the app to interact with installed packages and retrieve information about them, including permission status.

android.content.Intent:

• Intents are used for inter-component communication, allowing the app to start activities, services, or broadcast events. They are fundamental for navigating between different screens and triggering actions within the Android system.

androidx.core.app.ActivityCompat:

- This provides compatibility methods for requesting permissions and performing activity-related operations, ensuring consistent behavior across Android versions.
- It simplifies the process of requesting permissions, especially on older Android devices.

androidx.core.content.ContextCompat:

- This class offers compatibility methods for accessing context-related resources and checking permissions, abstracting away version-specific differences.
- It's used to safely check permissions and access resources without worrying about API level compatibility.

android.app.DatePickerDialog:

- This provides a standard dialog for users to select a date, simplifying date input in the app's UI.
- It offers a user friendly way to gather date information.

android.content.Context:

- Context provides access to application-specific resources and classes, such as shared preferences, file system, and system services.
- It's essential for interacting with the Android system and accessing application-level data.

and roid. content. Shared Preferences:

- This class allows the app to store and retrieve small amounts of key-value data, persisting user preferences or application settings.
- *It is used for basic data storage within the app.*

android.os.Bundle:

- Bundles are used to pass data between activities or fragments, allowing for the transfer of information during navigation or component communication.
- It is used to pass data between various android components.

android.provider.Telephony:

- This provides access to telephony-related functionality, including SMS messaging, allowing the app to interact with the device's SMS capabilities.
- It provides access to SMS related functions.

android.util.Log:

- The Log class is used for debugging and logging information during development, allowing developers to track application behavior and identify errors.
- It is used for debugging purposes.

android.widget.* (Button, TextView, Toast, Toolbar):

- These are standard Android UI components, providing building blocks for creating the app's user interface.
- They are basic UI elements.

and roid x. activity. enable Edge To Edge:

- This function is used to enable edge-to-edge display, allowing the app's content to extend into the system navigation and status bars.
- *It allows the app to draw behind the system bars.*

androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity:

- AppCompatActivity is the base class for activities that use the AppCompat library, providing backward compatibility for Material Design and other UI features.
- It provides backwards compatibility for modern UI elements.

androidx.core.view.ViewCompat and androidx.core.view.WindowInsetsCompat:

- These classes provide compatibility methods for working with views and window insets, allowing for consistent UI behavior across Android versions.
- They help in dealing with system UI elements, and screen space.

androidx.fragment.app.Fragment:

- Fragments are modular components that represent portions of a user interface within an activity, allowing for flexible and reusable UI design.
- They are used to create modular UI sections.

com.example.wisewallet.fragments.*:

- These import custom fragments specific to the application, encapsulating specific UI functionalities and logic within the app.
- They import app specific fragments.

com.google.android.material.bottomnavigation.BottomNavigationView:

- This provides a standard bottom navigation bar for easy navigation between top-level views in the app.
- It is used to create a bottom navigation bar.

and roid x. activity. result. contract. Activity Result Contracts:

- This provides pre-built ActivityResultContracts, which are used to simplify launching activities for results, such as requesting permissions.
- It simplifies handling activity results.

androidx.appcompat.app.AlertDialog:

- This class allows for the creation of dialog boxes to display messages or gather user input, providing a standard way to interact with the user.
- It is used to create alert dialogs.

com.google.firebase.database.*:

- These imports provide classes and interfaces for interacting with Firebase Realtime Database, allowing the app to store and retrieve data in real-time.
- They are used for Firebase real time database interactions.

kotlinx.coroutines.*:

- These imports provide Kotlin coroutine functionality, allowing for asynchronous programming and simplifying background tasks.
- They are used to preform asynchronous operations.

java.text.SimpleDateFormat and java.util.* (Calendar, Locale):

- These classes are used for date and time formatting and manipulation, allowing the app to work with dates and times in a user-friendly way.
- They are used for date and time handling.

java.util.regex.* (Matcher, Pattern):

- These classes are used for regular expression matching, allowing the app to parse and extract specific data from text strings.
- They are used for text parsing.

Appendix: B

Source Code Snippets

AndroidManifest.xml: (Fundamental Components declaration)

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</pre>
  xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools">
  <uses-feature
    android:name="android.hardware.telephony"
    android:required="false" />
  <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.SEND_SMS" />
  <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.READ_SMS" />
  <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.RECEIVE_SMS" />
  <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET" />
  <application
    android:usesCleartextTraffic="true"
    android:networkSecurityConfig="@xml/network_configuration"
    android:allowBackup="true"
    android:dataExtractionRules="@xml/data_extraction_rules"
    android:fullBackupContent="@xml/backup_rules"
    android:icon="@mipmap/trade_mark"
    android:label="@string/app_name"
    android:roundIcon="@mipmap/trade_mark_round"
    android:supportsRtl="true"
    android:theme="@style/Theme.WiseWallet"
    tools:targetApi="31">
    <activity android:name=".SplashActivity"
       android:exported="true"
      android:theme="@style/Theme.AppCompat.DayNight.NoActionBar" >
       <intent-filter>
         <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />
         <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
       </intent-filter>
    </activity>
```

```
<activity android:name=".NavigationActivity"
      android:theme="@style/Theme.AppCompat.DayNight.NoActionBar"/>
    <activity
    android:name=".LoginPhoneNumberActivity"
    android:exported="false">
    <meta-data
      android:name="android.app.lib_name"
      android:value=""/>
    </activity>
    <activity
      android:name=".LoginOtpActivity"
      android:exported="false">
      <meta-data
         android:name="android.app.lib_name"
         android:value=""/>
    </activity>
    <activity
      android:name=".LoginUsernameActivity"
      android:exported="false">
      <meta-data
         android:name="android.app.lib_name"
         android:value=""/>
    </activity>
    <activity
      android:name=".MainActivity"
      android:exported="true"
      android:theme="@style/Theme.WiseWallet">
    </activity>
    <activity android:name=".ManualEntryActivity"
      android:exported="true"/>
    <activity android:name=".ManualEntryActivityIncome"
      android:exported="true"/>
  </application>
</manifest>
```

Fragment_expense_tab.xml: (Layout displaying image buttons to perform action)

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<FrameLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</p>
  xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools"
  android:layout_width="match_parent"
  android:layout_height="match_parent"
  tools:context=".fragments.ExpenseTab">
  <!-- TODO: Update blank fragment layout-->
  <TableLayout
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:orientation="vertical">
    <TableRow
      android:weightSum="3"
      android:layout_width="match_parent"
      android:paddingTop="10dip"
      android:paddingBottom="10dip"
      android:paddingStart="14dip"
      android:paddingEnd="14dip">
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon00"
           android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
           android:layout_width="match_parent"
           android:layout_height="wrap_content"
           android:contentDescription="Veggies"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"
           android:src="@drawable/bills"/>
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon01"
           android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
           android:layout_width="match_parent"
           android:layout_height="wrap_content"
           android:contentDescription="Transport"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"
           android:src="@drawable/veggies"/>
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon02"
```

```
android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
      android:layout_width="match_parent"
      android:layout_height="wrap_content"
      android:contentDescription="Shopping"
      android:scaleType="fitCenter"
      android:paddingBottom="20dip"
      android:src="@drawable/food"/>
</TableRow>
<TableRow
  android:weightSum="4"
  android:layout_width="match_parent"
  android:paddingTop="10dip"
  android:paddingBottom="10dip"
  android:paddingStart="14dip"
  android:paddingEnd="10dip">
    <ImageButton
      android:id="@+id/EIcon10"
      android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
      android:layout_width="match_parent"
      android:layout_height="wrap_content"
      android:contentDescription="Veggies"
      android:scaleType="fitCenter"
      android:paddingBottom="20dip"
      android:src="@drawable/taxi"/>
    <ImageButton
      android:id="@+id/EIcon11"
      android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
      android:layout_width="match_parent"
      android:layout_height="wrap_content"
      android:contentDescription="Transport"
      android:scaleType="fitCenter"
      android:paddingBottom="20dip"
      android:src="@drawable/fuel"/>
    <ImageButton
      android:id="@+id/EIcon12"
      android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
      android:layout_width="match_parent"
      android:layout_height="wrap_content"
```

```
android:contentDescription="Shopping"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"
           android:src="@drawable/groceries"/>
    </TableRow>
    <TableRow
      android:weightSum="4"
      android:paddingBottom="10dip"
      android:paddingStart="14dip"
      android:paddingEnd="10dip">
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon20"
           android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
           android:layout_width="match_parent"
           android:layout_height="wrap_content"
           android:contentDescription="Veggies"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"
           android:src="@drawable/entertainment"/>
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon21"
           android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
           android:layout_width="match_parent"
           android:layout_height="wrap_content"
           android:contentDescription="Transport"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"
           android:src="@drawable/shopping"/>
         <ImageButton
           android:id="@+id/EIcon22"
           android:backgroundTint="@color/white"
           android:scaleType="fitCenter"
           android:paddingBottom="20dip"/>
  </TableRow>
  </TableLayout>
</FrameLayout>
```

MainActivity.kt:(Activity for Message Parsing, Database Connectivity, Bottom Navigation)

package com.example.wisewallet

import android.Manifest

import android.content.pm.PackageManager

import androidx.core.app.ActivityCompat

import androidx.core.content.ContextCompat

import android.content.Context

import android.content.SharedPreferences

import android.os.Bundle

import android.util.Log

import android.widget.Toast

import androidx.activity.enableEdgeToEdge

import androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity

import androidx.core.view.ViewCompat

 $import\ and roid x. core. view. Window Insets Compat$

import androidx.fragment.app.Fragment

import com.example.wisewallet.fragments.Charts

import com.example.wisewallet.fragments.Choose

import com.example.wisewallet.fragments.HomeFragment

import com.example.wisewallet.fragments.Me

import com.example.wisewallet.fragments.More

import com.google.android.material.bottomnavigation.BottomNavigationView

 $import\ and roidx. activity. result. contract. Activity Result Contracts$

import com.google.firebase.database.DataSnapshot

import com.google.firebase.database.DatabaseError

 $import\ com.google.firebase.database.FirebaseDatabase$

 $import\ com.google.firebase.database.Value Event Listener$

import java.text.SimpleDateFormat

import java.util.Calendar

import java.util.Locale

import java.util.regex.Matcher

import java.util.regex.Pattern

class MainActivity : AppCompatActivity() {

private val permissionId_read=100

private var hasAllPermissions=true

private val permissionNameList= arrayOf(

Manifest.permission.READ SMS,

Manifest.permission.RECEIVE_SMS,

```
Manifest.permission.SEND_SMS)
private val requestPermissionLauncher=registerForActivityResult(
  ActivityResultContracts.RequestPermission()
){isGranted ->
  if(isGranted){
    Toast.makeText(this,"Granted!",Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show()
  }else{
    Toast.makeText(this,"Denied!",Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show()
}
private val requestMultiplePermissionsLauncher =
  registerForActivityResult(
    ActivityResultContracts.RequestMultiplePermissions()
  ) { permissions ->
    permissions.entries.forEach {
       val permissionName = it.key
       val isGranted = it.value
       if (isGranted) {
         // Permission is granted. Continue the action that required the permission
         Log.d("Permission", "$permissionName granted")
       } else {
         Log.d("Permission", "$permissionName denied")
         hasAllPermissions = false
    }
private fun requestPermissions() {
  requestMultiplePermissionsLauncher.launch(permissionNameList)
}
lateinit var phoneNumber:String
lateinit var user:String
private lateinit var bottomNavigationView: BottomNavigationView
private var isFirstLaunch: Boolean = true
override fun onCreate(savedInstanceState: Bundle?) {
  super.onCreate(savedInstanceState)
  enableEdgeToEdge()
  setContentView(R.layout.activity_main)//initial layout
```

```
requestPermissionLauncher.launch(android.Manifest.permission.READ_SMS)
requestPermissionLauncher.launch(android.Manifest.permission.SEND_SMS)
requestPermissionLauncher.launch(android.Manifest.permission.RECEIVE_SMS)
val sharedPrefs = getSharedPreferences("MyPrefs", Context.MODE_PRIVATE)
isFirstLaunch = sharedPrefs.getBoolean("isFirstLaunch", true)
if (isFirstLaunch) {
  // It's the first launch, request permissions
  requestPermissions()
  // Update the first launch flag in SharedPreferences
  val editor = sharedPrefs.edit()
  editor.putBoolean("isFirstLaunch", false)
  editor.apply() // or editor.commit()
checkAndRequestSmsPermission()
// Check if all permissions are granted before proceeding
//Date picker moved to HomeFragment
//25dec Bottom navigation icons to their respective fragments
bottomNavigationView = findViewById(R.id.bottom_navigation)
bottomNavigationView.setOnItemSelectedListener { menuItem ->
  when(menuItem.itemId){//1.home fragment
    R.id.bottom_home-> {
      replaceFragment(HomeFragment())
      true
    }
    //2.charts
    R.id.charts-> {
      replaceFragment(Charts())
      true
    }
    //3.Choose
    R.id.choose-> {
      replaceFragment(Choose())
      true
    }
    //4.More
    R.id.more > \{
```

```
replaceFragment(More())
           true
         }
         //5.Me (profile)
         R.id.Me-> {
           replaceFragment(Me())
           true
         }
         else -> false
       }
    replaceFragment(HomeFragment())//default
    ViewCompat.setOnApplyWindowInsetsListener(findViewById(R.id.main)) { v, insets ->
       val systemBars = insets.getInsets(WindowInsetsCompat.Type.systemBars())
       v.setPadding(systemBars.left, systemBars.top, systemBars.right, systemBars.bottom)
       insets
    }
  private fun checkAndRequestSmsPermission() {
    if (ContextCompat.checkSelfPermission(this, Manifest.permission.READ_SMS) !=
PackageManager.PERMISSION_GRANTED) {
       ActivityCompat.requestPermissions(this, arrayOf(Manifest.permission.READ_SMS),
permissionId_read)
    } else {
       retrieveTransactionSMS()
    }
  override fun onRequestPermissionsResult(requestCode: Int, permissions: Array<out String>, grantResults:
IntArray) {
    super.on Request Permissions Result (request Code, permissions, grant Results)\\
    if (requestCode == permissionId_read) {
       if (grantResults.isNotEmpty() && grantResults[0] == PackageManager.PERMISSION_GRANTED) {
         retrieveTransactionSMS()
       } else {
         Log.e("MainActivity", "SMS permission denied")
       }
    }
  }
```

```
private fun retrieveTransactionSMS() {
    val smsMessages = getTransactionSMS(this)
    for (message in smsMessages) {
       Log.d("MainActivity", "SMS: $message")
       // Display the message in your UI or process it as needed
    }
  }
  fun getTransactionSMS(context: Context): MutableList<String> {
    val sharedPrefs: SharedPreferences = context.getSharedPreferences("SMSPref",
Context.MODE_PRIVATE)
    val lastProcessedDate = sharedPrefs.getLong("lastUsedDate", 0L) // 0L means no date stored yet
    val transactionMessages = mutableListOf<String>()
    val uri = android.net.Uri.parse("content://sms/inbox")
    val projection = arrayOf("_id", "address", "body", "date")
    val selection = " LOWER(body) LIKE ? or LOWER(body) LIKE ?"
    val selectionArgs = arrayOf("a/c *____%", "a/c X____%", "a/c X%X____%")
    val sortOrder = "date ASC"
    val cursor: android.database.Cursor? = context.contentResolver.query(uri, projection, selection,
selectionArgs, sortOrder)
    cursor?.use {
       val bodyIndex = it.getColumnIndex("body")
       val dateIndex = it.getColumnIndex("date")
       var\ latest Processed Date = last Processed Date
       while (it.moveToNext()) {
         val messageBody = it.getString(bodyIndex)
         val messageDate = it.getLong(dateIndex)
         transactionMessages.add(messageBody)
         if (messageDate > latestProcessedDate) {
           // Extract year and month from message date
           val calendar = Calendar.getInstance()
           calendar.timeInMillis = messageDate
           val year = calendar.get(Calendar.YEAR).toString()
           val month = SimpleDateFormat("MMM", Locale.getDefault()).format(calendar.time)
              .uppercase(Locale.getDefault())
              latestProcessedDate = maxOf(latestProcessedDate, messageDate)
           // Check for keywords and add to Firebase accordingly
           if (messageBody.contains("credited", true)) {
```

```
addToFirebase("Income", "Credited", messageBody, year, month)
            } else if (messageBody.contains("debited", true)) {
              addToFirebase("Expense", "Debited", messageBody, year, month)
            }
         }
       }
       val editor = sharedPrefs.edit()
       editor.putLong("lastUsedDate", latestProcessedDate)
       editor.apply()
    }
    return transactionMessages
  private fun addToFirebase(transactionType: String, operation: String, message: String, year: String, month:
String) {
    val database = FirebaseDatabase.getInstance()
    val sharedPreferences: SharedPreferences = this.getSharedPreferences("UserData",
Context.MODE_PRIVATE)
    phoneNumber = sharedPreferences.getString("phoneNumber", null).toString()
    user = sharedPreferences.getString("user", null).toString()
    val newPh=sharedPreferences.getString("newPh", null).toString()
    // Extract amount and date from the message
    val amount = extractAmount(message)
    val date = extractDate(message)
    if (amount != null && date != null) {
       val transactionRef =
database.getReference("users").child(newPh).child(year).child(month).child(transactionType).child(operation).p
ush()
       val transactionData = hashMapOf(
         "amount" to amount.
         "date" to date
       transactionRef.setValue(transactionData)
         .addOnSuccessListener {
            // Data added successfully
         .addOnFailureListener {
```

```
// Handle errors
                                      }
                             val operationRef =
database.getReference ("users").child (newPh).child (year).child (month).child (transactionType).child (operation) and the properties of the properties of
                             operation Ref. add Listener For Single Value Event (object: Value Event Listener \{ add Listener For Single Value Event (object: Value Event Value Event (object
                                      override fun onDataChange(snapshot: DataSnapshot) {
                                                var\ totalAmount = 0.0
                                                for (transactionSnapshot in snapshot.children) {
                                                          val amountStr = transactionSnapshot.child("amount").getValue(String::class.java)
                                                                    ?.toDoubleOrNull()
                                                                    ?: 0.0
                                                          totalAmount += amountStr
                                                operationRef.child("total").setValue(totalAmount)
                                                           .addOnCompleteListener { task ->
                                                                    if (task.isSuccessful) {
                                                                             // Subcategory total updated successfully, now update Expense total
                                                                             updateExpenseTotal(newPh, year, month)
                                                                             updateIncomeTotal(newPh, year, month)
                                                                     } else {
                                                                             Log.e("Firebase", "Error updating subcategory total: $\{\task.exception?.message\}")
                                                                     }
                                                          }
                                       }
                                      override fun onCancelled(error: DatabaseError) {
                                                Log.e("Firebase", "Error calculating total: ${error.message}")
                             })
                   } else {
                             // Handle cases where amount or date extraction fails
                             Log.e("MainActivity", "Failed to extract amount or date from message: $message")
                   }
          }
         private fun extractAmount(message: String): String? {
                   val pattern: Pattern = Pattern.compile("Rs[.:\\s]?(\\d+\\.\\d{2})")
                   val matcher: Matcher = pattern.matcher(message)
                   return if (matcher.find()) {
                             matcher.group(1)
                   } else null
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}
  private fun extractDate(message: String): String? {
    val pattern: Pattern = Pattern.compile("on (\d{2}-\d{2}-\d{4})")
    val matcher: Matcher = pattern.matcher(message)
    return if (matcher.find()) {
       matcher.group(1)
    } else null
  }
  private fun updateExpenseTotal(phoneNumber: String, year: String, month: String) {
    val database = FirebaseDatabase.getInstance()
    val expenseRef =
database.getReference("users").child(phoneNumber).child(year).child(month).child("Expense")
    expenseRef.addListenerForSingleValueEvent(object: ValueEventListener {
       override fun onDataChange(snapshot: DataSnapshot) {
         var grandTotal = 0.0
         for (operationSnapshot in snapshot.children) {
            val subTotal = operationSnapshot.child("total").getValue(Double::class.java) ?: 0.0
            grandTotal += subTotal
         expense Ref. child ("total"). set Value (grand Total) \\
       }
       override fun onCancelled(error: DatabaseError) {
         Log.e("Firebase", "Error updating Expense total: ${error.message}")
       }
    })
  private fun updateIncomeTotal(phoneNumber: String, year: String, month: String) {
    val database = FirebaseDatabase.getInstance()
    val expenseRef =
database.getReference("users").child(phoneNumber).child(year).child(month).child("Income")
    expenseRef.addListenerForSingleValueEvent(object: ValueEventListener {
       override fun onDataChange(snapshot: DataSnapshot) {
         var grandTotal = 0.0
         for (operationSnapshot in snapshot.children) {
            val subTotal = operationSnapshot.child("total").getValue(Double::class.java) ?: 0.0
            grandTotal += subTotal
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expenseRef.child("total").setValue(grandTotal)

override fun onCancelled(error: DatabaseError) {

Log.e("Firebase", "Error updating Expense total: ${error.message}")

}

private fun replaceFragment(fragment:Fragment){

//new fragment current fragment

//replaces current fragment with new fragment

supportFragmentManager.beginTransaction().replace(R.id.frame_container, fragment).commit()

//then the changes applied to fragment container are committed

}
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