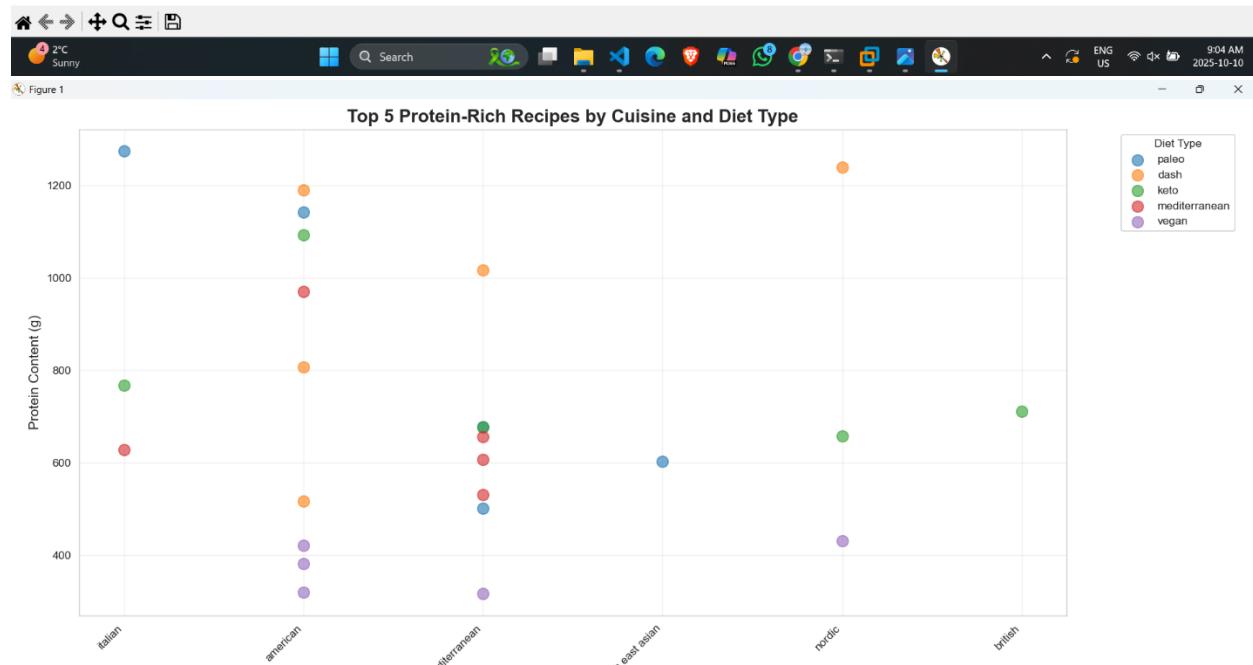
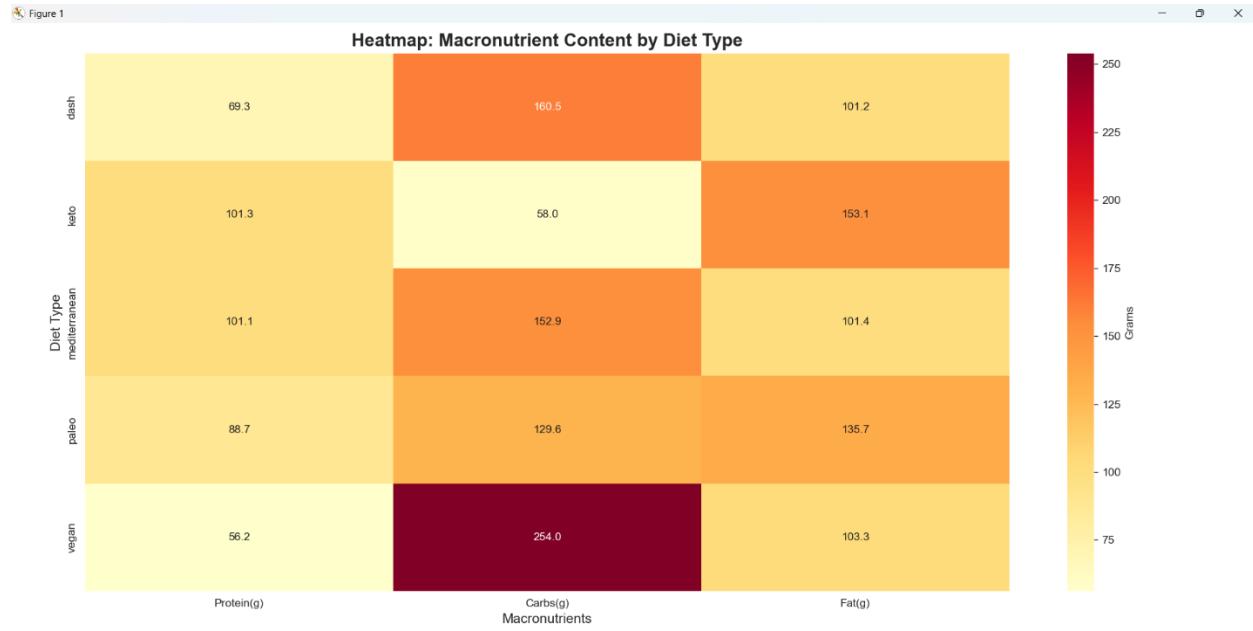
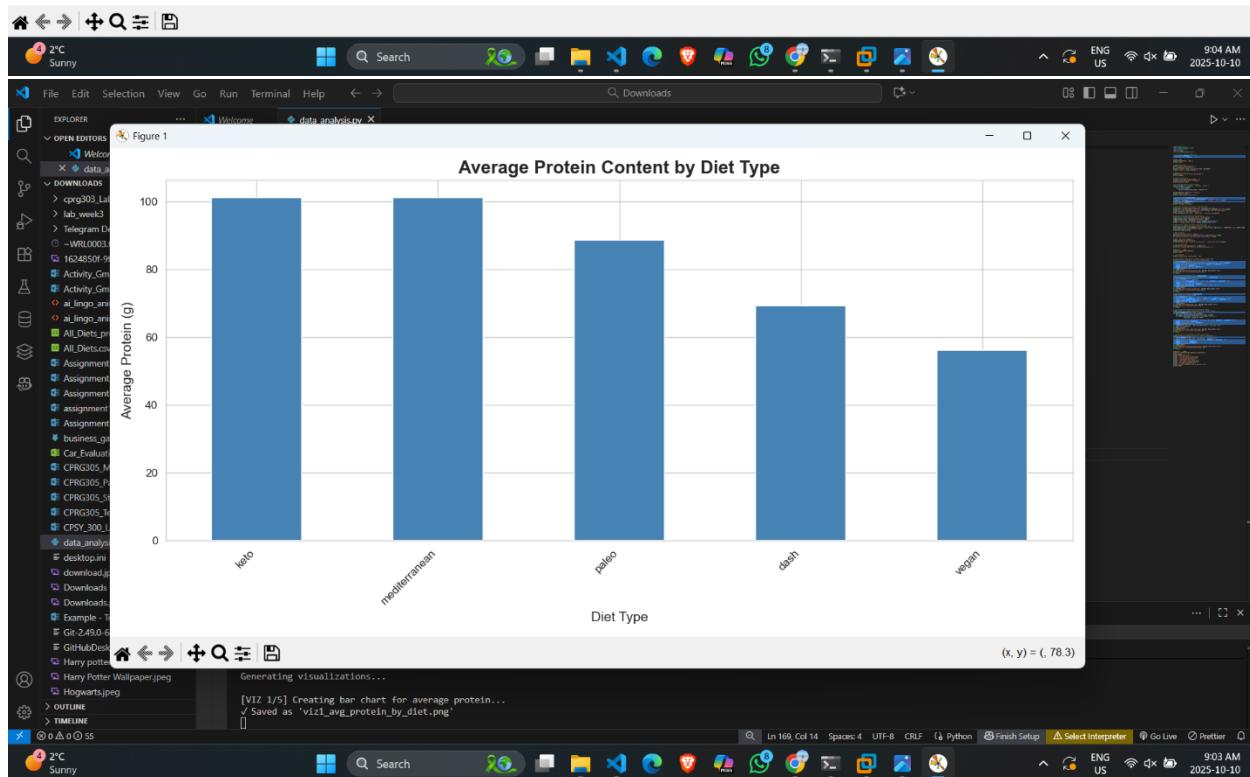
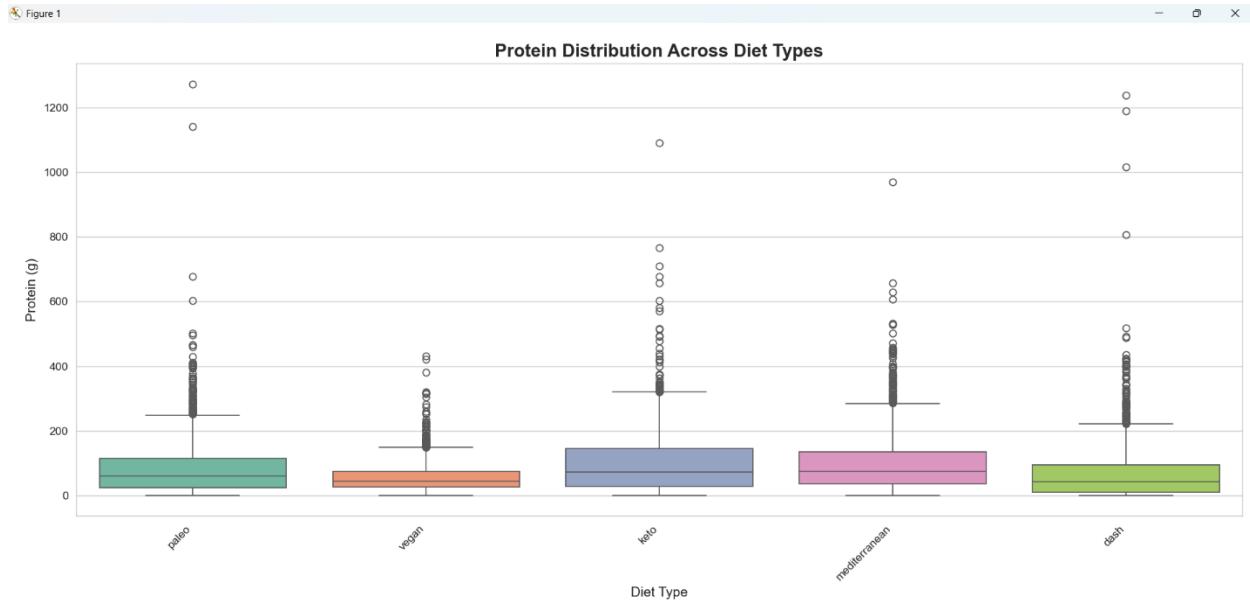


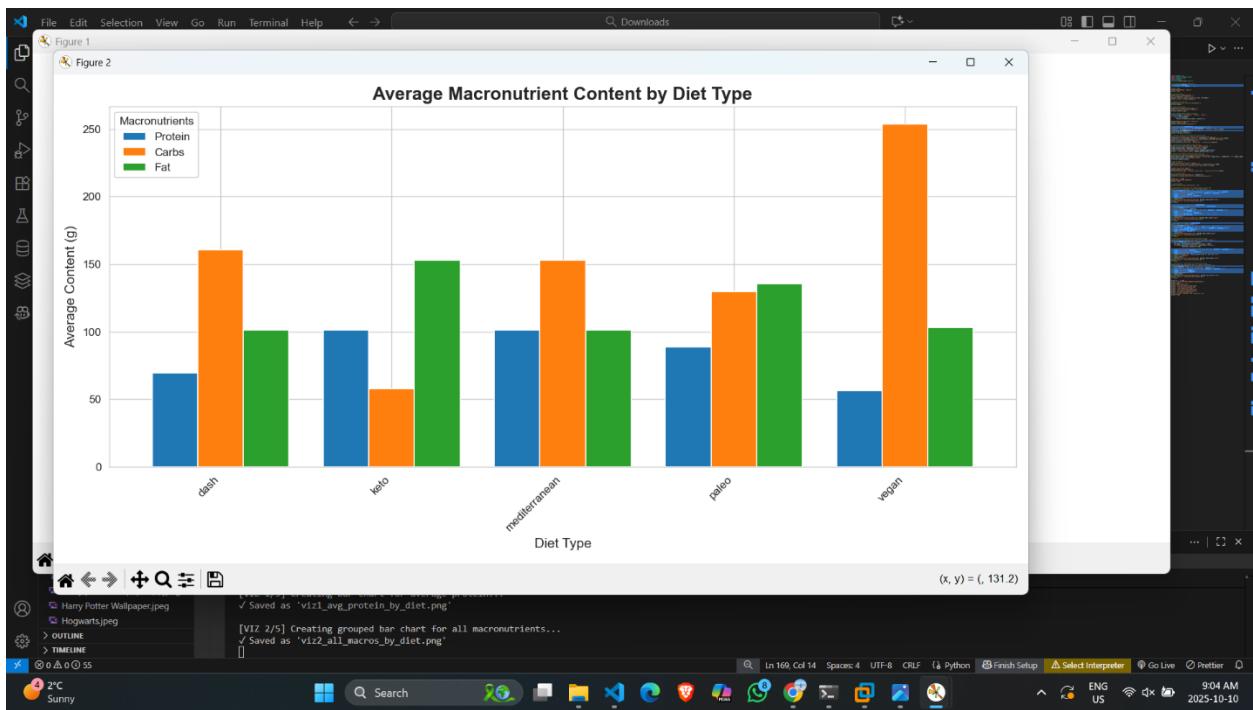
All files such as Docker Files, Py files and the GitHub actions will be in a ZIP with each in a folder named after the task its for

Task 1

Visualizations:







Task 2:

A screenshot of a Windows desktop environment. The taskbar at the bottom shows various pinned icons including File Explorer, Microsoft Edge, and several other application icons. The Start button is visible in the bottom-left corner. The main window is a terminal or command-line interface window titled 'TERMINAL'. It displays a series of command-line logs from a Docker build process. The logs include commands like 'docker build -t diet-analysis .', 'docker build -t diet-analysis .', and 'docker run diet-analysis'. Below the logs, there's a section titled 'DEET ANALYSIS - TASK 1' which includes dataset loading, missing value handling, and data cleaning steps. The terminal window has a dark theme with white text and a light gray background. The overall interface is clean and professional.

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Visual Studio Code (VS Code) interface with several open terminals and code editors.

TERMINAL 1: Shows the command `docker run diet_analysis` being run in a Windows terminal. The output indicates that the Docker container has been successfully started and is listening on port 8000.

TERMINAL 2: Shows a Python script named `data_analysis.py` running. It performs the following tasks:

- Prints the current working directory: `C:\Users\ritik\Downloads`.
- Extracts data from a CSV file named `diet.csv` into a pandas DataFrame.
- Prints the first few rows of the DataFrame.
- Calculates average macronutrients per diet type (Protein(g), Carbs(g), Fat(g)).
- Prints the top 5 protein-rich recipes across all diet types.
- Prints the top 25 protein recipes across all diet types.
- Prints the sample of top protein recipes.
- Finds the diet with the highest average protein content (Keto diet, average protein content: 181.77g).
- Finds the most common cuisine per diet type (American cuisine).
- Creates new metrics for the cuisine type (ratio of American to Paleo dishes).
- Prints the sample of new metrics.

TERMINAL 3: Shows a Python script named `cuisine_type.py` running. It defines a `Cuisine_type` class with attributes `name` and `cuisine_type`. It creates an instance of this class and prints its details.

TERMINAL 4: Shows a Python script named `diet_ml.py` running. It prints the first few rows of a DataFrame containing diet data.

TERMINAL 5: Shows a Python script named `ml_ml.py` running. It prints the first few rows of a DataFrame containing machine learning data.

EXPLORER: Shows the file system with various files and folders, including `data_analysis.py`, `diet.csv`, and several JSON and YAML configuration files.

STATUS BAR: Shows the current date and time (2025-10-10 10:42 AM), the number of lines (Ln 186, Col 21 (0:06 selected)), and the current workspace (Spaces: 4 - UFT-8, CUI, Python, Fresh Setup, 3.148, Go Live, Preter).

A screenshot of a Microsoft Visual Studio Code interface. The terminal tab is active, displaying a command-line session. The user runs 'docker run diet-analysis' in their local Downloads directory. The script processes a CSV file ('All_Diets.csv') into a new CSV ('All_Diets_processed.csv'). It then generates various visualizations: a bar chart for average protein by diet, a heatmap for macronutrient distribution, a scatter plot for top protein recipes, and a box plot for protein distribution. All generated files are listed at the bottom of the terminal. The status bar at the bottom shows file counts (108, 0, 0), a search bar, and system icons like battery level, signal strength, and volume.

```
PS C:\Users\rishi\Downloads> docker run diet-analysis

[VIZ 5/5] Creating box plot for protein distribution...
✓ Saved as 'viz5_protein_distribution.png'

=====
ALL VISUALIZATIONS GENERATED SUCCESSFULLY!
=====

Generated files:
- viz1_avg_protein_by_diet.png
- viz2_all_macros_by_diet.png
- viz3_heatmap_macros.png
- viz4_scatter_top_protein.png
- viz5_protein_distribution.png
- All_Diets_processed.csv

✓ TASK 1 COMPLETE! Take screenshots now!
=====
● PS C:\Users\rishi\Downloads> Get-Date

October 10, 2025 10:37:14 AM

● PS C:\Users\rishi\Downloads> docker images
REPOSITORY      TAG      IMAGE ID      CREATED      SIZE
diet-analysis   latest   377d02f28b47  15 minutes ago  6.3GB
○ PS C:\Users\rishi\Downloads>
```

The screenshot shows the Docker desktop application interface. On the left, there's a sidebar with various tabs: Ask Gordon (BETA), Containers, Images (selected), Volumes, Kubernetes, Builds, Models, MCP Toolkit (BETA), Docker Hub, Docker Scout, and Extensions. The main area is titled "Images" and shows a "Local" tab selected. It displays one image named "diet-analysis" with the tag "latest". The image ID is "377d02f28b47", it was created 17 minutes ago, and its size is 6.29 GB. There are "Actions" buttons for the image. Below the table, there's a "Walkthroughs" section with two cards: "How do I run a container?" and "Run Docker Hub images".

	Name	Tag	Image ID	Created	Size	Actions
	diet-analysis	latest	377d02f28b47	17 minutes ag	6.29 GB	

Walkthroughs

How do I run a container?

```
1 FROM node
2 RUN mkdir -p /app
3 WORKDIR /app
4 COPY packa|
```

6 mins

Run Docker Hub images

5 mins

Task 3:

The first screenshot shows it running but also me connection with Azure Storage Explorer

```

neon@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker run -p 10000:10000 -p 10001:10001 mcr.microsoft.com/azure-storage/azurite
Unable to find image 'mcr.microsoft.com/azure-storage/azurite:latest' locally
latest: Pulling from azure-storage/azurite
1e035ec320e: Pull complete
45ffd552049a: Pull complete
1a142d512ad8: Pull complete
130a749a877: Pull complete
0368fd46e3c6: Pull complete
079c7eea2eca: Pull complete
cc7481bebac: Pull complete
86d3b24204e4: Pull complete
af3b465dea21: Pull complete
15693936b357: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:647c63a91102a9d8e8000aab803436e1fc85fbb285e7ce830a82ee5d6661cf37
Status: Downloaded newer image for mcr.microsoft.com/azure-storage/azurite:latest
Azurite Blob service is starting at http://0.0.0.0:10000
Azurite Blob service is successfully listening at http://0.0.0.0:10000
Azurite Queue service is starting at http://0.0.0.0:10001
Azurite Queue service is successfully listening at http://0.0.0.0:10001
Azurite Table service is starting at http://0.0.0.0:10002
Azurite Table service is successfully listening at http://0.0.0.0:10002
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:18:15 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?comp=properties&restype=account HTTP/1.1" 200 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:18:15 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?comp=properties&restype=account HTTP/1.1" 200 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:05 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?comp=list&include=metadata HTTP/1.1" 200 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:05 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/%24logs?restype=container HTTP/1.1" 404 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:05 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/%24blobchangefeed?restype=container HTTP/1.1" 404 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:06 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?comp=list&include=metadata&timeout=30 HTTP/1.1" 200 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:08 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?restype=service&comp=properties HTTP/1.1" 200 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:10 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/?comp=list&include=metadata HTTP/1.1" 200 -
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172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:15 +0000] "PUT /devstoreaccount1/datasets?restype=container HTTP/1.1" 201 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:15 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/datasets?restype=container HTTP/1.1" 200 -
404 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:17 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/%24blobchangefeed?restype=container HTTP/1.1" 404 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:44 +0000] "HEAD /devstoreaccount1/datasets/All_Diets.csv?se=2025-11-10T03%3A19%3A41Z&sig=CFTwe1sxgxDogX8lwBH86wfIhYDcNU1BMCDghTMrzAX3D&sp=rw&sr=c&sv=2018-03-28 HTTP/1.1" 404 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:44 +0000] "PUT /devstoreaccount1/datasets/All_Diets.csv?se=2025-11-10T03%3A19%3A41Z&sig=CFTwe1sxgxDogX8lwBH86wfIhYDcNU1BMCDghTMrzAX3D&sp=rw&sr=c&sv=2018-03-28 HTTP/1.1" 201 -
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:44 +0000] "HEAD /devstoreaccount1/datasets/All_Diets.csv?se=2025-11-10T03%3A19%3A41Z&sig=CFTwe1sxgxDogX8lwBH86wfIhYDcNU1BMCDghTMrzAX3D&sp=rw&sr=c&sv=2018-03-28 HTTP/1.1" 200 702514
172.17.0.1 - - [11/Oct/2025:03:19:48 +0000] "GET /devstoreaccount1/datasets?comp=list&maxresults=5000&restype=container&include=metadata&delimiter=%2F HTTP/1.1" 200 -

```

Microsoft Azure Storage Explorer

File Edit View Help

EXPLORER Get Started datasets devstoreaccount1

Upload Download Open Preview New Folder Select All Properties Delete Undelete Manage History Folder Statistics Refresh

Active blobs (default) datasets

Name	Access Tier	Last Modified	Blob Type	Content	
All_Diets.csv	Hot (inferred)	2025-10-10 9:19 PM	2025-10-10 9:19 PM	Block Blob	application/csv

Showing 1 to 1 of 1 cached items

Actions Properties

Node Display Name: datasets

URL: http://127.0.0.1:10000/devstor

Custom Domain:

Type: Blob Container

HNS Enabled: false

Lease State: available

Lease Status: unlocked

Public Read Access: off

Activities

Clear completed Clear successful

- Transfer of 'C:\GitHubFolders\cloud-project-1\All_Diets.csv' to 'devstoreaccount1/datasets/' complete: 1 item transferred (used SAS, discovery completed)
- Successfully created blob container 'datasets'
- Successfully added new connection.

Copy AzCopy Command to Clipboard

ENG US 9:25 PM 2025-10-10

The program just outputs this but creates the json file I sent below

```
neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ python lambda_function.py
Data processed and stored in simulated_nosql/results.json

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$
```

```
File Edit Selection View Go Run Terminal Help ← → cloud-project-1
EXPLORER lambda_function.py results.json
simulated_nosql > results.json > {} 2
1 [
2   {
3     "Diet_type": "dash",
4     "Protein(g)": 69.28227507163324,
5     "Carbs(g)": 160.5357555816619,
6     "Fat(g)": 101.15056160458454
7   },
8   {
9     "Diet_type": "keto",
10    "Protein(g)": 101.26650793650794,
11    "Carbs(g)": 57.978575396825396,
12    "Fat(g)": 153.1163558201058
13  },
14  {
15    "Diet_type": "mediterranean",
16    "Protein(g)": 101.11231602966345,
17    "Carbs(g)": 152.9055447803765,
18    "Fat(g)": 101.41613804905874
19  },
20  {
21    "Diet_type": "paleo",
22    "Protein(g)": 88.67476452119308,
23    "Carbs(g)": 129.5521271585572,
24    "Fat(g)": 135.66902668759812
25  },
26  {
27    "Diet_type": "vegan",
28    "Protein(g)": 56.15703022339028,
29    "Carbs(g)": 254.00419185282524,
30    "Fat(g)": 103.29967805519053
31  }
32 ]
```

Task 3 Explanation:

In this task, we used Azurite to create a local version of blob storage using both the pre-built docker image for azure-storage/azurite and Azure Storage Explorer.

We then uploaded the All_Diets.csv file to a blob container using Azure Storage Explorer and created a "serverless" function lambda_function.py to connect to the blob storage, read the dataset, process the data to get the results.json with each diet types average protein, carbs and fat. That represents our noSQL Database, this shows a local version of a serverless function that is stored in a simulated NoSQL Database

Task 4:

```
neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker login -u dione29

Password:
Login Succeeded

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker images
REPOSITORY          TAG      IMAGE ID   CREATED        SIZE
dockerdetest.azurecr.io/testapp    v1       5c34da74b23e  3 weeks ago  446MB
docker-test-app      latest   5c34da74b23e  3 weeks ago  446MB
mcr.microsoft.com/azure-storage/azurite  latest   647c63a91102  2 months ago  429MB

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker login
Authenticating with existing credentials... [Username: dione29]

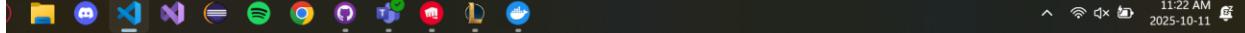
Info → To Login with a different account, run 'docker Logout' followed by 'docker Login'

Login Succeeded

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker pull dione29/diet-analysis:latest
latest: Pulling from dione29/diet-analysis
063255d4e6b9: Pull complete
ac3002b15346: Pull complete
1f4b7af3d5b2: Pull complete
2025f8ae2078: Pull complete
8c7716127147: Pull complete
5b8b459b5346: Pull complete
f5f7ec28452e: Pull complete
Digest: sha256:42dc9a7e0be74d4dd64a2d63e316a0b2ff60f034a5365a85a0291beb415b0ed4
Status: Downloaded newer image for dione29/diet-analysis:latest
docker.io/dione29/diet-analysis:latest

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker images
REPOSITORY          TAG      IMAGE ID   CREATED        SIZE
dione29/diet-analysis  latest   42dc9a7e0be7  2 minutes ago  532MB
docker-test-app      latest   5c34da74b23e  3 weeks ago  446MB
dockerdetest.azurecr.io/testapp    v1       5c34da74b23e  3 weeks ago  446MB
mcr.microsoft.com/azure-storage/azurite  latest   647c63a91102  2 months ago  429MB

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker run -it dione29/diet-analysis
=====
DIET ANALYSIS - TASK 1
=====
```



```

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker run -it dione29/diet-analysis
=====
DIET ANALYSIS - TASK 1
=====

[1/7] Loading dataset...
✓ Dataset loaded successfully! Shape: (7806, 8)
Columns: ['Diet_type', 'Recipe_name', 'Cuisine_type', 'Protein(g)', 'Carbs(g)', 'Fat(g)', 'Extraction_day', 'Extraction_time']

[2/7] First 5 rows of the dataset:
   Diet_type          Recipe_name      Cuisine_type  Protein(g)  Carbs(g)  Fat(g) Extraction_day Extraction_time
0  paleo            Bone Broth From 'Nom Nom Paleo'      american     5.22    1.29    3.20    10/16/2022    17:20:09
1  paleo  Paleo Effect Asian-glazed Pork Sides, A Sweet ...  south east asian  181.55   28.62   146.14    10/16/2022    17:20:09
2  paleo           Paleo Pumpkin Pie      american    30.91   302.59   96.76    10/16/2022    17:20:09
3  paleo  Strawberry Guacamole recipes      mexican     9.62    75.78   59.89    10/16/2022    17:20:09
4  paleo  Asian Cauliflower Fried "Rice" From 'Nom Nom P...    chinese    39.84   54.08   71.55    10/16/2022    17:20:09

[3/7] Handling missing data...
Missing values before cleaning:
Diet_type      0
Recipe_name     0
Cuisine_type    0
Protein(g)      0
Carbs(g)        0
Fat(g)          0
Extraction_day  0
Extraction_time 0
dtype: int64

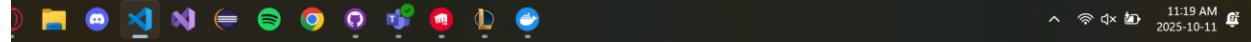
Missing values after cleaning:
Diet_type      0
Recipe_name     0
Cuisine_type    0
Protein(g)      0
Carbs(g)        0
Fat(g)          0
Extraction_day  0
Extraction_time 0
dtype: int64
✓ Data cleaned successfully!

```

[4/7] Calculating average macronutrients per diet type...

Average Macronutrients by Diet Type:

	Protein(g)	Carbs(g)	Fat(g)
Diet_type			
dash	69.28	160.54	101.15
keto	101.27	57.97	153.12



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```
neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker run -it dione29/diet-analysis

[4/7] Calculating average macronutrients per diet type...

Average Macronutrients by Diet Type:
    Protein(g)  Carbs(g)  Fat(g)
Diet_type
dash           69.28   160.54  181.15
keto          101.27   57.97  153.12
mediterranean 101.11   152.91  181.42
paleo          88.67   129.55  135.67
vegan          56.16   254.00  183.30
✓ Averages calculated!

[5/7] Finding top 5 protein-rich recipes per diet type...

✓ Found 25 top protein recipes across all diet types

Sample of top protein recipes:
    Diet_type                    Recipe_name  Protein(g)
105      paleo  Swiss Paleo's Homemade Italian & Chorizo Sausage  1273.61
7448     dash        Salmon Mousse  1239.47
7741     dash  Homemade Turkey Alphabet Soup  1190.35
496      paleo        Turkey Soup  1142.58
3893     keto  Sara Louise's Keto Smoked Holiday Turkey  1092.00
7191     dash  Barbecue Chicken Legs  1017.25
5066  mediterranean  Fava Bean Salad with Mountain Ham and Mint  970.31
7177     dash       12th Man Hot Wings  807.03
4002     keto  Mayo Free Deviled Eggs (Paleo, Whole30 + Keto)  766.99
4231     keto  Low Carb Beef and Cheddar Cauliflower Bake, TH...  710.81

[6/7] Finding diet with highest average protein...

[7/7] Finding most common cuisines per diet type...

Most Common Cuisine by Diet Type:
Diet_type
dash         american
keto         american
mediterranean  mediterranean
paleo        american
vegan        american
Name: Cuisine_type, dtype: object

Creating new metrics (ratios)...
✓ New metrics added!

Sample of new metrics:
    Recipe_name  Protein_to_Carbs_ratio  Carbs_to_Fat_ratio
0  Bone Broth From 'Nom Nom Paleo'  4.043377  0.482999
```

```
neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$ docker run -it dione29/diet-analysis
Sample of new metrics:
   Recipe_name  Protein_to_Carbs_ratio  Carbs_to_Fat_ratio
0  Bone Broth From 'Nom Nom Paleo'        4.043377        0.402999
1  Paleo Effect Asian-Glazed Pork Sides, A Sweet ...          6.343244        0.195838
2  Paleo Pumpkin Pie                      0.102151        3.127190
3  Strawberry Guacamole recipes          0.126945        1.265299
4  Asian Cauliflower Fried "Rice" From 'Nom Nom P...          0.736673        0.755825

✓ Processed data saved to 'All_Diets_processed.csv'

=====
DATA ANALYSIS COMPLETE!
=====

Generating visualizations...
[VIZ 1/5] Creating bar chart for average protein...
✓ Saved as 'viz1_avg_protein_by_diet.png'

[VIZ 2/5] Creating grouped bar chart for all macronutrients...
✓ Saved as 'viz2_all_macros_by_diet.png'

[VIZ 3/5] Creating heatmap...
✓ Saved as 'viz3_heatmap_macros.png'

[VIZ 4/5] Creating scatter plot for top protein recipes...
✓ Saved as 'viz4_scatter_top_protein.png'

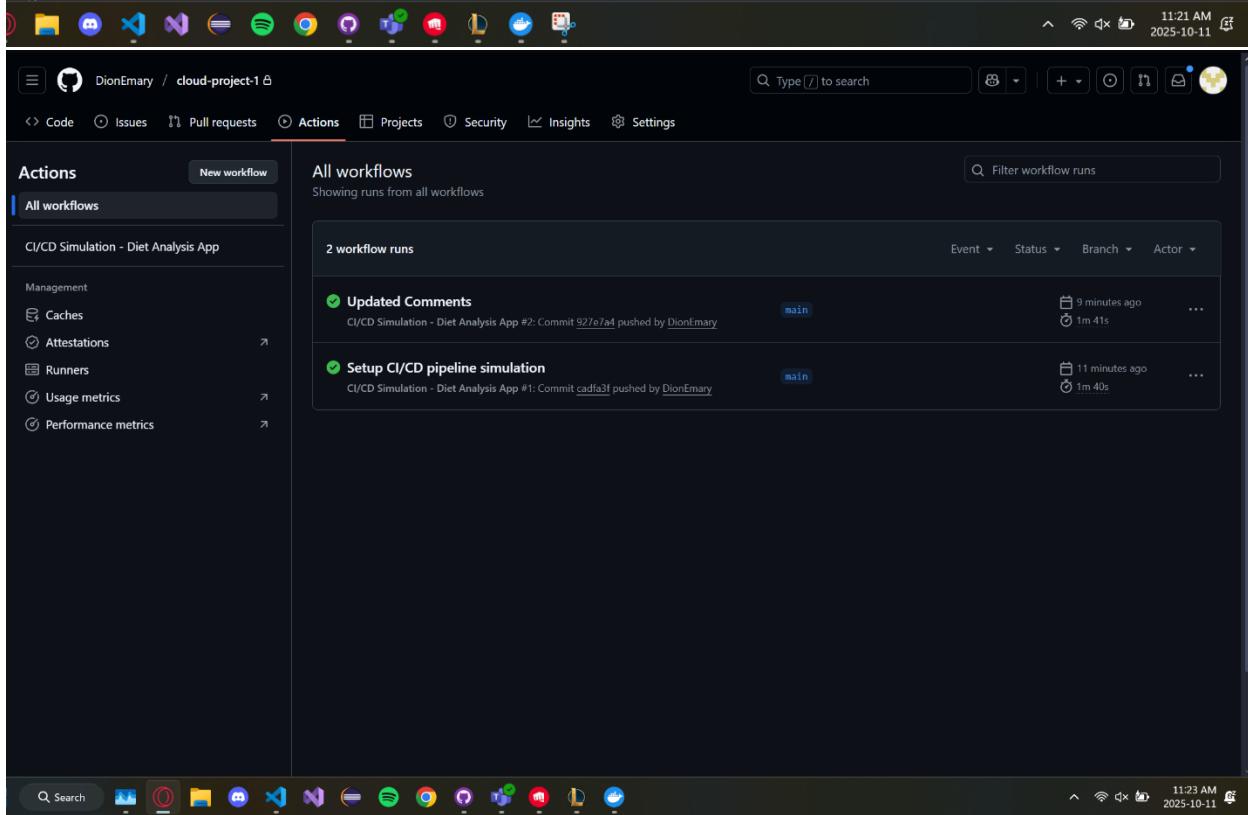
[VIZ 5/5] Creating box plot for protein distribution...
✓ Saved as 'viz5_protein_distribution.png'

=====
ALL VISUALIZATIONS GENERATED SUCCESSFULLY!
=====

Generated files:
- viz1_avg_protein_by_diet.png
- viz2_all_macros_by_diet.png
- viz3_heatmap_macros.png
- viz4_scatter_top_protein.png
- viz5_protein_distribution.png
- All_Diets_processed.csv

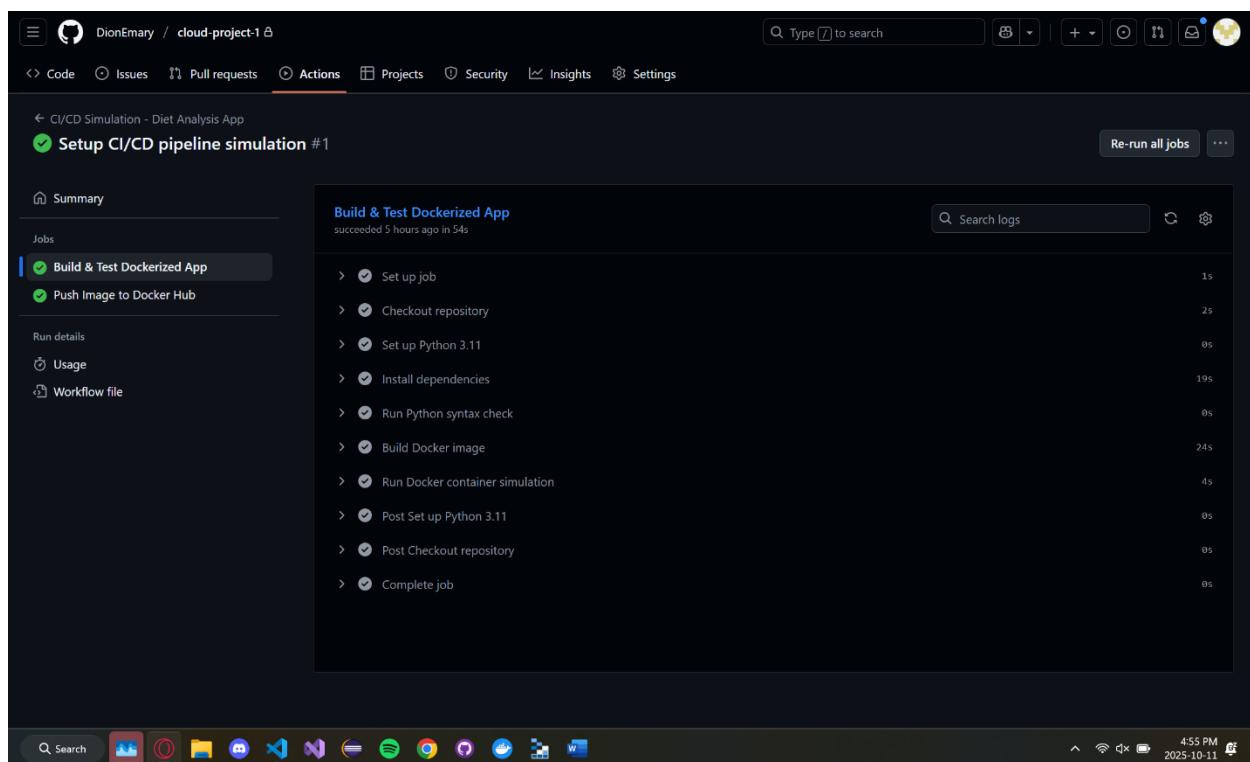
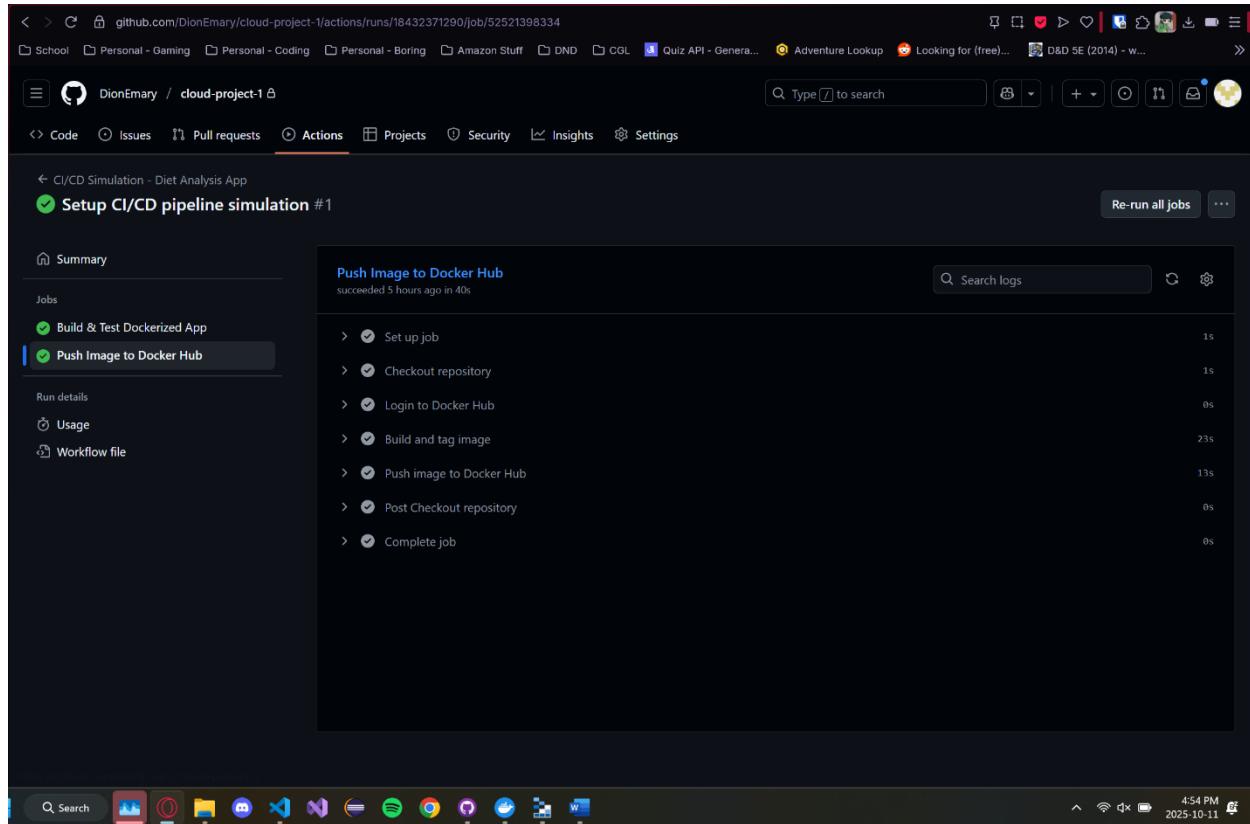
✓ TASK 1 COMPLETE! Take screenshots now!
=====

neonp@Dions_Laptop MINGW64 /c/GitHubFolders/cloud-project-1 (main)
$
```



The screenshot shows a GitHub Actions interface with the following details:

- Actions Tab:** Selected tab.
- Workflow Runs:** Shows 2 workflow runs.
 - Updated Comments:** Triggered by "CI/CD Simulation - Diet Analysis App #2: Commit 927e7a4 pushed by DionEmary". Status: main. Last run 9 minutes ago.
 - Setup CI/CD pipeline simulation:** Triggered by "CI/CD Simulation - Diet Analysis App #1: Commit cadfa3f pushed by DionEmary". Status: main. Last run 11 minutes ago.
- Sidebar:** Shows management sections like Caches, Attestations, Runners, Usage metrics, and Performance metrics.



The screenshots above show me pulling the Docker Image created BY the github actions and showing it running locally. But I also show the logs as well I can see.

Task 5:

For enhancing our project we went with two specific routes, one was to add multiple stages to our docker file, the other was improving the queries and searches made for Task 3 in the Lambda_function.py file. When it comes to the research done we found that for multi-stage docker builds, it is faster to split it into stages as in some cases we don't need to constantly rebuild the docker image every time we want to run it for example, in a CI/CD pipeline.

Instead we can split it into multiple stages then have each stage after the other simply copy the others files that are already built rather than rerunning the whole build again. For multistage deployment we split it into two stages, one is the build phase that creates the directory with the dependencies, the other adds the project files and such to the actual docker image. This makes it so instead of having to rebuild the entire image every time, we can instead just build it once and then copy all the needed code after to runway faster.

From testing it made our program execute way quicker in the GitHub actions, as it didn't need to build the entire image each push, instead it would copy the already build directory with the dependencies and then run the code inside of that copy.

As for our second improvement, we worked with the panda library to speed up how we process our data but also improved how we read the CSV file. From research we found two major issues and one smaller one that were hurting performance, the first one was that panda read all columns in the CSV file, rather than only the needed data. The second one was that when we processed the data, we were sorting them by their diet_type string, but we found you can use panda to convert it to a numeric value based on the string when reading. This helps improve the speed we can process data as it's easier for us to do all the data processing with numbers rather than strings. The final optimization is having panda pull the numbers at float32's rather than float64, as this halves the size of the data. Float64 can read long decimal places, but since we only go up to 2 decimal places, float32 can still read the data just fine while taking less storage. The improvements were done by adding two variables, usecols and dtypes, usecols contains the column names for each column we need to process data. This is used to tell panda it only needs those columns rather than all of them, shortening how long it takes to load the CSV file. The second one, dtypes is used to tell panda how to pull the data correctly, first it tells panda that it needs to create a numeric table for each value in diet type. What this does is that it assigns a number to each possible value so keto would be 0, vegan would be 1 and etc. This is then stored in a map so we can convert between number and string, this is used to convert it for data processing later on. This speeds up data processing as we can just use numeric values which are easier to sort by, then after merging the data, we can convert the diet type back to a string to get the same results. The second part of dtypes is that it tells panda it can pull the fat, protein and carb numbers as float32 rather than 64 which results in the same data, just less storage used thus speeding up how we pull the data and processing it too, even if small per number, it adds up quickly. We can expect these small changes to improve our

execution speed by small amounts each time, but together it made a noticeable difference when testing it out, as it would execute noticeably faster (a few seconds) than the initial execution.