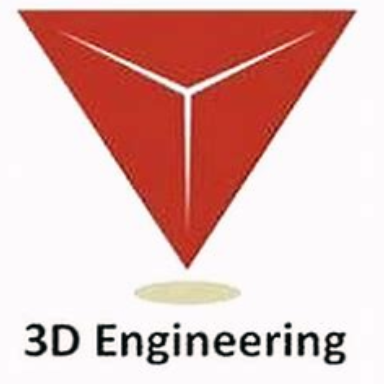
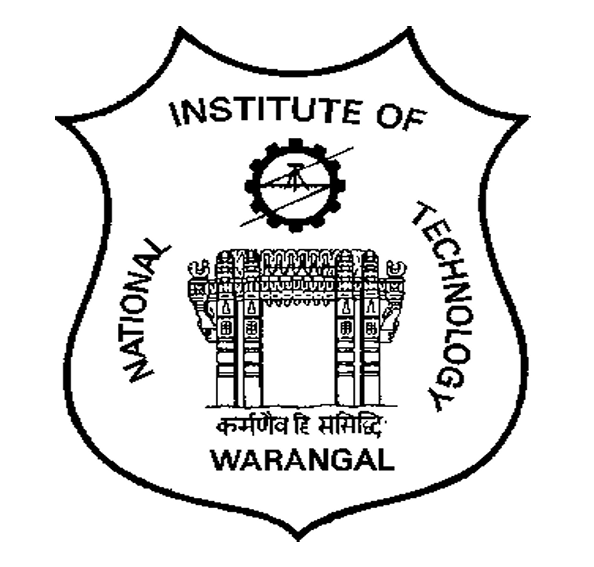
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**Abstract**

In an era where psychological well-being is as vital as physical health, the development of real-time mental health monitoring using the Internet of Things (IoT) holds transformative potential. This system integrates intelligent, non-invasive biosensors and data-driven algorithms to continuously assess stress, anxiety, and depression levels, enabling proactive mental health care.

This project presents an intelligent IoT‑based Mental Health Monitoring System designed to enable early detection and intervention for stress, anxiety, and depression. Integrating a multi‑sensor array, the system captures physiological and behavioral data in real‑time using a pulse sensor for heart rate, a GSR sensor for skin conductance, an MPU6050 sensor for activity and motion tracking, and a DHT11 sensor for temperature. These sensors interface with an ESP32 microcontroller to wirelessly send data to a cloud backend for processing and analysis.This system further extends its service by providing suggestions to the User based on their stress level.

The primary objective is to provide a user‑centric, data‑driven approach to mental health monitoring. The backend applies Random Forest classification to multi‑modal sensor data, achieving approximately 100% accuracy in pilot testing for identifying “normal,” “at‑risk,” and “affected” mental states. The design emphasizes early detection and personalized recommendations, making it suitable for deployment in diverse environments such as homes, workplaces, and educational settings.

Through seamless sensor fusion and intelligent classification, the system delivers actionable insights, allowing users and healthcare professionals to make informed decisions for proactive mental health management. Its modular design supports future enhancements, including predictive and prescriptive analytics for tailored interventions.

This project demonstrates the feasibility and benefits of an IoT‑driven, AI‑enabled approach to mental health monitoring. By facilitating early detection, reducing stigma, and promoting holistic well‑being, it aims to transform mental health care, making it more accessible, timely, and effective for individuals and communities alike

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**CHAPTER 1**

**AIM AND OBJECTIVES**

**1.1 AIM :**

To design and develop a Mental Health Monitoring System that improves early detection and assessment of mental health conditions through intelligent sensing, data analysis, and real‑time feedback, providing timely and actionable insights to support overall well‑being.

**1.2 OBJECTIVES:**

* ESP32 with a multisensor configuration (DHT, MPU6050, GSR, and pulse sensor) will be used to continuously collect environmental and physiological data.
* To facilitate the smooth transfer of data to Firebase Realtime Database for monitoring and remote access.
* To prepare raw JSON data for analysis and model inference by preprocessing and converting it into structured CSV format.
* To classify mental health state into three groups—Healthy, At Risk, and Affected—using a Random Forest machine learning model.
* To use graphical tools like as bar graphs, heatmaps, confusion matrices, and histograms to display sensor data and classification results.
* To create an intuitive Flask-based Web Dashboard that offers interactive access to mental health trends and status as well as real-time feedback.
* To facilitate a comprehensive, automated, and easily available mental health monitoring system that can support early identification and treatment.

**CHAPTER 2**

**Introduction**

**2.1 Background**

Despite being an essential part of overall well-being, mental health is frequently disregarded since it is intangible. As stress, anxiety, and depression impact an increasing number of people in society, the capacity to evaluate and track mental health status in real-time has become more and more important. In everyday life, environmental and physiological cues including mobility, skin conductivity, heart rate, and ambient conditions can reveal important details about a person's mental health. The development of low-cost sensors, cloud-based databases, and low-power microcontroller platforms has enabled the collection, processing, and interpretation of this data for proactive mental health treatment. This strengthens the position of intelligent and embedded monitoring systems as vital instruments for early intervention and detection.

**2.2 Problem Statement**

Even though mental health is a major worldwide issue, early detection and monitoring are still difficult because of lack of real-time technologies, expensive costs, and restricted access. Current solutions are problematic for everyday or long-term use since they frequently depend on expensive equipment or clinical settings. Furthermore, a lot of solutions on the market don't seamlessly integrate cloud data storage, hardware (sensors), and cognitive analytics for useful feedback. The goal of this project is to create a mental health monitoring system that is automated, accessible, and reasonably priced. It will collect data from several sensors, classify it using machine learning, and offer visual insights for end-users and caregivers.

**2.3 Significance of the Study**

The proposed system aims to help the field of preventive mental health care grow by making advanced monitoring available to everyone. This project uses inexpensive microcontroller platforms like the ESP32 and common sensors like the DHT, MPU6050, GSR, and pulse sensors, along with open-source machine learning libraries, to create a strong, low-cost solution for real-time mental health assessment.   
The addition of a user-friendly Flask-based web app makes it easy to use. making the system perfect for places like homes, workplaces, schools, and rural health centers where people can interact with it and see it.It is useful in both online and offline settings, which makes it useful for a wide range of people and situations.   
**2.4 Scope of the Project**

The main goal of this project is to collect, process, and sort physiological and environmental data.Using a Random Forest classification model, the main goal is to figure out the mental health status by putting results into three groups: Healthy, At Risk, or Affected. The system gets data from sensors, sends it to a Firebase Realtime Database, and then changes it into a structured CSV format for inference. A Flask-based web app shows visual analytics, such as classification histograms, sensor data heatmaps, confusion matrices, and bar graphs for each sensor field. The project only includes experimental settings and everyday places like homes, classrooms, workplaces, and hospitals. It could be expanded in the future to include more advanced deep learning techniques for analyzing multi-modal data, detecting speech and mood, and integrating with mobile apps, which would make it useful for more mental health applications.

**CHAPTER 3**

**Literature Review**

**3.1 Previous Work**

Health monitoring has been greatly impacted by the emergence of wearable sensors and IoT platforms, particularly when it comes to evaluating mental health status.   
**Sensor-Based Monitoring Techniques:** Lee et al.'s (2019) study showed how well physiological sensors, including motion sensors, heart rate monitors, and GSRs, can detect stress and anxiety levels in day-to-day life. In a similar vein, Patil and Singh (2020) investigated how environmental sensors, such as temperature and humidity, affect people's comfort and mental health.   
**Cloud Integration and IoT:** Rajesh and Kumar's (2021) studies suggested an IoT architecture for smooth data collection and real-time remote monitoring through Firebase and other platforms. These studies demonstrate the advantages of cloud-based data retrieval and storage for trend analysis and long-term patient monitoring.

Random Forest classifiers have been used in a number of works, such as those by Lee and Kim (2021) and Sharma et al. (2020), for the classification of health status. This is because of their interpretability, robustness, and capacity to handle noisy data. **Visualization and Web-Based Dashboards:** Ahmed et al. (2021) stress the use of graphical dashboards that make use of the Matplotlib and Plotly libraries in order to present health data in an understandable manner. Studies like those by Luo and Zhang (2022) have also validated the use of Flask and related web technologies, showing how well they work to make data insights actionable and accessible for end users.

**3.2 Current Approach**

**Contribution of This Project:**  
This project's contribution is to bridge the gap by utilizing the dependability of Random Forest classification, integrating multi-sensor inputs and displaying the results in an interactive, user-friendly Flask web application. The strategy encourages thorough monitoring, useful insights, and accessibility for researchers and end users alike.

**CHAPTER 4**

**Methodology**

**4.1 System Overview**

This project offers an automated, multi-sensor, low-cost way to measure mental health by gathering environmental and physiological data. Vital signals are measured by the system using an ESP32 microcontroller and a variety of sensors (DHT, MPU6050, GSR, and pulse). After being sent to a cloud database (Firebase) for storage, these data are retrieved, pre-processed, and categorized using a Random Forest model. The findings are displayed on an easy-to-use Flask web interface as graphs. The strategy seeks to facilitate ongoing monitoring and early identification of mental health conditions in everyday settings.

**4.2 Components Used**

* **ESP32 Microcontroller**: The ESP32 can transmit sensor data to the Firebase Realtime Database thanks to the Wi-Fi network.
* **DHT Sensor**: Measures ambient temperature and humidity.
* **GSR Sensor**: Captures skin conductance values indicative of physiological arousal.
* **Pulse Sensor**: Monitors heart rate and pulse variability.
* **MPU6050**: Provides motion and orientation data.
* **Wi‑Fi Network**: Enables the ESP32 to send sensor data to the Firebase Realtime Database.
* **Firebase Realtime Database**: Serves as a cloud storage and retrieval platform for sensor data.
* **Host PC / Backend System**: Processes the JSON data retrieved from Firebase, converts it into structured CSV format, and applies the Random Forest classification model.
* **Flask Web Framework**: Enables a user‑friendly interface for data access, classification results, and graphical visualizations.

**4.3 Software and Libraries**

* **Arduino IDE**: Used to program the ESP32 microcontroller for sensor initialization, data acquisition, and Wi‑Fi connectivity.
* **Firebase Client Libraries**: Enables seamless data uploading from ESP32 to the cloud.
* **Python (Pandas, Requests)**: Used for retrieving JSON data from Firebase, converting it into CSV format, and pre‑processing.
* **Scikit‑Learn**: Provides the Random Forest implementation for classifying mental health status.
* **Matplotlib / Seaborn**: Enables plotting of classification results, sensor data distribution, confusion matrices, and correlation heatmaps.
* **Flask**: Framework used for creating an interactive, user‑friendly web interface.
* **Additional Libraries**: NumPy for data processing, JSON for parsing data, and other supporting libraries for seamless end‑to‑end data handling.

**4.4 Workflow**

1. **Sensor Initialization**: The ESP32 microcontroller initializes the connected sensors (DHT, GSR, Pulse, and MPU6050) and establishes a Wi‑Fi connection.
2. **Data Acquisition and Transmission**: The ESP32 collects real‑time physiological and environmental data and uploads it to the **Firebase Realtime Database** in JSON format.
3. **Data Retrieval and Pre‑Processing**: A Python script fetches JSON data from the database, cleans it, and converts it into structured CSV files. Missing or erroneous data points are handled to maintain data quality.
4. **Feature Extraction and Model Inference**: The Random Forest model processes the pre‑prepared dataset, extracting relevant features from the sensor data and providing a prediction for mental health status:
   * 0 = Healthy
   * 1 = At Risk
   * 2 = Affected

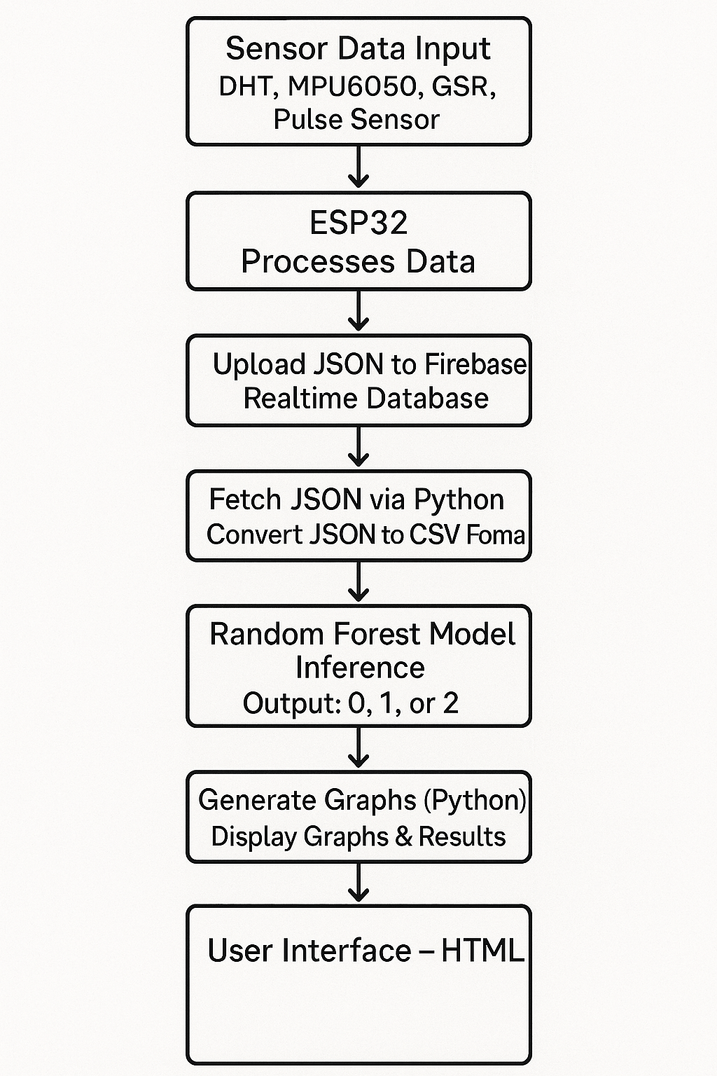
**Result Visualization**: The prediction results and sensor data are visualized using Matplotlib and Seaborn:

* + **Classification Histogram**: Displays the distribution of prediction results.
  + **Sensor Heatmap**: Shows the correlation between sensor features.
  + **Confusion Matrix**: Evaluates model performance.
  + **Bar Graphs**: Provides trend and distribution insights for individual sensor fields.
  + **User Interaction and Dashboard Presentation**: A Flask‑based web interface displays the graphs and prediction results in an accessible, interactive, and user‑friendly manner. The system allows real‑time monitoring and review of mental health status.

**CHAPTER 5**

**FLOW CHART**

**5.1 Data flow diagram**



**5.2 Process Steps**

**✓ Initialization of the System**

The ESP32 microcontroller initializes its sensor interfaces and built-in Wi-Fi when it powers up. The DHT, MPU6050, GSR, and Pulse sensors are set up and adjusted to record environmental and physiological data. The ESP32 gets ready to stream data to the cloud by connecting to a Wi-Fi network that has been configured.

**✓ Sensor Data Acquisition and Upload**

The ESP32 collects data from the sensors in real‑time, including heart rate, skin conductance, temperature, humidity, and motion. This data is packaged into JSON format and transmitted securely to the **Firebase Realtime Database** over the Wi‑Fi connection.

**✓ JSON Retrieval and Pre‑Processing**

A Python script running on the host computer fetches the JSON data from the Firebase database. The script parses the JSON payload, cleans it, and converts it into a structured **CSV** format. This ensures compatibility with downstream data analysis and model inference.

**✓ Random Forest Model Inference**

The pre‑processed CSV data is fed into a pre‑trained **Random Forest Classifier**, which analyzes the physiological and environmental features. The model predicts the user’s mental health status and classifies it as:

* 0: Healthy
* 1: At Risk
* 2: Affected

**✓ Graphical Visualization and Analysis**

Post‑inference, the results are visualized using **Matplotlib** and **Seaborn**. Graphs such as:

* **Classification Histogram**
* **Sensor Heatmap**
* **Confusion Matrix**
* **Individual Sensor Bar Graphs**   
   are generated to provide an in‑depth understanding of the results, highlighting status distribution, feature importance, and prediction reliability.

**✓ Presentation of Results on the Web Dashboard**

The results, including the prediction outcomes and accompanying graphs, are rendered on a **Flask‑based Web Dashboard**. The dashboard provides interactive access, allowing the user to review data trends and prediction results in an intuitive and accessible manner.

**✓ Continuous Monitoring and Report Generation**

The system operates in real‑time, periodically repeating the data acquisition, prediction, and presentation cycle. Alerts or status flags can be configured for instances when “At Risk” or “Affected” states are detected, facilitating early intervention and providing actionable feedback.

**5.3 Detailed Steps of Implementation**

1. **Hardware Setup and Sensor Integration**

* **Connect Sensors to ESP32**: Connect DHT11 (temperature/humidity), GSR, Pulse Sensor, and MPU6050 (movement) to the ESP32 microcontroller.
* **Pin Configuration**: Allocate analog/digital pins for each sensor, ensuring accurate wiring for data acquisition.
* **Power Supply**: Ensure stable 3.3V or 5V supply for sensors and ESP32 to guarantee accurate, noise‑free data.

2. **ESP32 Firmware Development**

* **Arduino IDE Programming**:
  + Import required sensor libraries (e.g., Adafruit DHT, PulseSensorPlayground, I2Cdev for MPU6050).
  + Initialize sensors and set appropriate sampling rates.
* **Wi‑Fi Configuration**:
  + Embed SSID and password into ESP32 firmware for seamless internet connectivity.
* **Data Acquisition Logic**:
  + Read sensor values periodically (e.g., every second).
  + Perform basic filtering (averaging, smoothing) to reduce noise.

3. **Data Transmission to Firebase**

* **Format Sensor Output**:
  + Package the readings (temperature, humidity, heart rate, skin resistance, motion data) into JSON format.
* **Upload to Firebase**:
  + Use ESP32’s Wi‑Fi connectivity and Firebase Client Library to send JSON data to the Realtime Database.
  + Maintain a structured path in Firebase for orderly data retrieval.

4. **Data Retrieval and Pre‑Processing**

* **Python Client Setup**:
  + Install required packages (firebase\_admin, pandas, numpy).
* **Data Extraction**:
  + Connect to the Firebase Realtime Database using firebase\_admin.
  + Periodically fetch JSON data and convert it into a Pandas DataFrame.
* **Data Cleaning**:
  + Validate timestamps, remove missing or corrupt entries, and standardize unit
  + Export the clean dataset into **.csv** for model processing.

5. **Machine Learning Model Inference**

* **Load Model**:
  + Use scikit-learn (or joblib) to load the pre‑trained Random Forest Model.
* **Feature Engineering**:
  + Extract relevant sensor features (average, range, standard deviation, etc.).
* **Classification**:
  + Perform prediction to categorize mental state as:
    - **0**: Healthy
    - **1**: At Risk
    - **2**: Affected

6. **Visualization and Analysis**

* **Statistical Graph Generation**:
  + **Classification Histogram**: Displays the distribution of results (0, 1, or 2).
  + **Sensor Heatmap**: Shows the correlation between different sensor data.
  + **Confusion Matrix**: Evaluates the performance of the Random Forest Model.
  + **Individual Sensor Bar Graphs**: Plots each sensor’s trend (e.g., heart rate over time, GSR levels).
* **Matplotlib and Seaborn** libraries are used for plotting and creating publication‑ready visualizations.

7. **Flask Web Dashboard Development**

* **Server Setup**:
  + Create a Flask app for serving the prediction results and graphs.
* **UI Development**:
  + Integrate templates (HTML/CSS/JavaScript) with dynamic plotting using matplotlib and Plotly.
  + Provide dashboards that display prediction status and trend graphs in an accessible and interactive manner.

8. **Deployment and Testing**

* **End‑to‑End Testing**:
  + Validate that ESP32 captures and sends sensor data reliably.
  + Ensure the Python backend accurately fetches, processes, and predicts mental health status.
  + Confirm seamless rendering of results and visual analytics on the Flask Web Dashboard.
* **Field Trials**:
  + Evaluate performance in different environments and adjust thresholds or calibration as required.
* **Final Optimization**:

Minimize delays between sensor capture and result display.

* + Optimize hardware and software for long‑term and robust monitoring.

9. **Future Scalability**

* Incorporation of advanced deep learning methods (CNN/LSTM) for improved prediction.
* Development of mobile app interfaces for personalized mental health monitoring.
* Offline deployment for rural or low‑connectivity environments.

**CHAPTER 6**

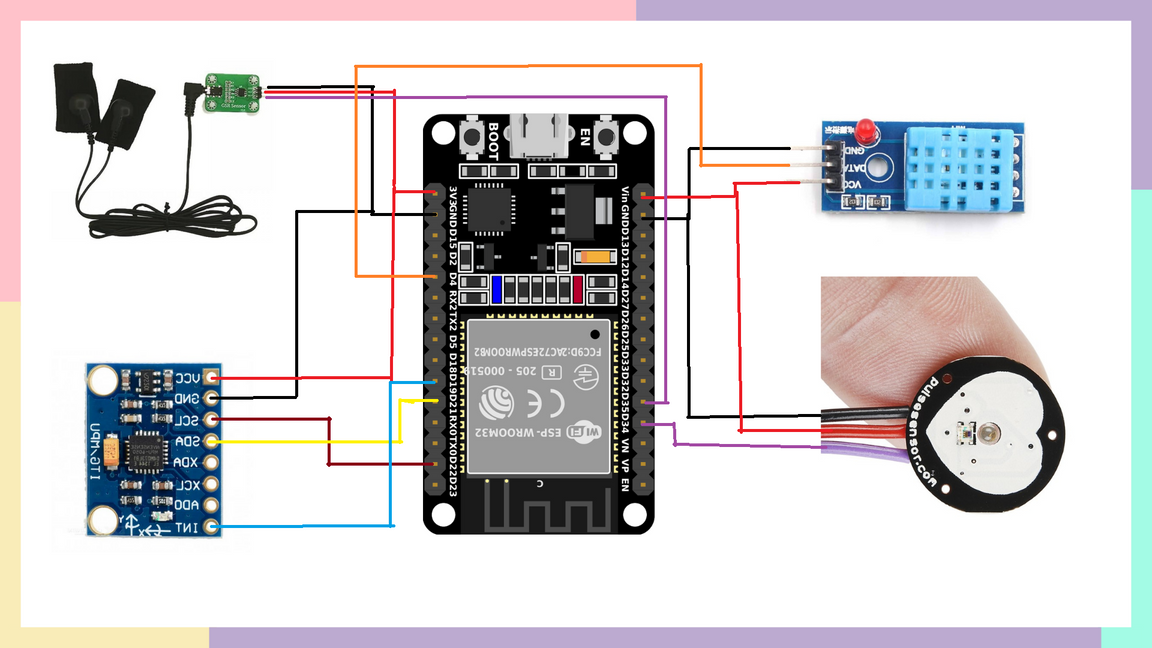
**BREADBOARD LAYOUT**

**6.1Purpose of the breadboard**

A breadboard is a solder‑less, reusable platform used for building, testing, and prototyping electronic circuits. Its primary purpose is to allow engineers and developers to quickly connect components such as sensors, microcontrollers, and other electronics without permanent soldering.

**6.2 Breadboard wiring**

* Making temporary connections between sensors (e.g., DHT22, GSR, Pulse Sensor), microcontroller boards (e.g., ESP32), and other components.
* Quickly verifying circuit design and layout before creating a permanent PCB.
* Facilitating rapid testing and debugging of hardware connections.
* Organizing and managing connections for multi‑sensor setups, making it ideal for projects like the mental health monitoring system.



**CHAPTER 7**

**Code**

**Arduino ide:**

#include <Wire.h>

#include <DHT.h>

#include <MPU6050\_light.h>

#include <WiFi.h>

#include <FirebaseESP32.h>

#define DHTPIN 4

#define DHTTYPE DHT11

#define PULSE\_PIN 34

#define GSR\_PIN 35

#define WIFI\_SSID "Guest-NITW"

#define WIFI\_PASSWORD "G$T@2025"

#define FIREBASE\_HOST "Firebase URL"

#define FIREBASE\_AUTH "Token key"

FirebaseData fbdo;

FirebaseConfig config;

FirebaseAuth auth;

int counter = 0;

DHT dht(DHTPIN, DHTTYPE);

MPU6050 mpu(Wire);

float temperature, humidity;

int pulseValue, gsrValue;

float accX, accY, accZ;

float gyroX, gyroY, gyroZ;

void setup() {

Serial.begin(115200);

delay(1000);

dht.begin();

Wire.begin();

byte status = mpu.begin();

if (status != 0) {

Serial.println("MPU6050 not connected");

while (1);

}

mpu.calcGyroOffsets();

WiFi.begin(WIFI\_SSID, WIFI\_PASSWORD);

Serial.print("Connecting to WiFi");

while (WiFi.status() != WL\_CONNECTED) {

delay(500);

Serial.print(".");

}

Serial.println("\n✅ WiFi connected");

config.database\_url = FIREBASE\_HOST;

config.signer.tokens.legacy\_token = FIREBASE\_AUTH;

Firebase.begin(&config, &auth);

Firebase.reconnectWiFi(true);

Serial.println("✅ Firebase Initialized");

Firebase.reconnectWiFi(true);

}

void loop() {

temperature = dht.readTemperature();

humidity = dht.readHumidity();

if (isnan(temperature) || isnan(humidity)) {

temperature = -1;

humidity = -1;

}

pulseValue = analogRead(PULSE\_PIN);

gsrValue = analogRead(GSR\_PIN);

mpu.update();

accX = mpu.getAccX();

accY = mpu.getAccY();

accZ = mpu.getAccZ();

gyroX = mpu.getGyroX();

gyroY = mpu.getGyroY();

gyroZ = mpu.getGyroZ();

Serial.print("Temperature:"); Serial.print(temperature); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("Humidity:"); Serial.print(humidity); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("Pulse:"); Serial.print(pulseValue); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("GSR:"); Serial.print(gsrValue); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("AccX:"); Serial.print(accX, 2); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("AccY:"); Serial.print(accY, 2); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("AccZ:"); Serial.print(accZ, 2); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("GyroX:"); Serial.print(gyroX, 2); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("GyroY:"); Serial.print(gyroY, 2); Serial.print(",");

Serial.print("GyroZ:"); Serial.println(gyroZ, 2);

String path = "/vasavi/entry\_" + String(counter++);

FirebaseJson json;

json.set("temperature", temperature);

json.set("humidity", humidity);

json.set("pulse", pulseValue);

json.set("gsr", gsrValue);

json.set("accX", accX);

json.set("accY", accY);

json.set("accZ", accZ);

json.set("gyroX", gyroX);

json.set("gyroY", gyroY);

json.set("gyroZ", gyroZ);

json.set("timestamp", millis());

if (Firebase.ready() && Firebase.setJSON(fbdo, path, json)) {

Serial.println("Data sent to Firebase");

}

else {

Serial.print("Failed to send: ");

Serial.println(fbdo.errorReason());

}

delay(1000);

}

**User Interface:**

<!DOCTYPE html>

<html>

<head>

<title>Live Sensor Dashboard</title>

<script src="https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/chart.js"></script>

<style>

body {

font-family: 'Segoe UI', sans-serif;

margin: 0;

padding: 20px;

background: #FFD1DC;

color: #333;

}

h2 {

text-align: center;

color: #2c3e50;

margin-bottom: 30px;

} .top-container {

display: flex;

justify-content: center;

align-items: center;

gap: 30px;

margin-bottom: 20px;

flex-wrap: wrap;

max-width: 900px;

margin-left: auto;

margin-right: auto;

}

.input-container {

display: flex;

gap: 10px;

align-items: center;

flex-wrap: nowrap;

min-width: 300px;

}

#patientName {

padding: 10px;

font-size: 16px;

border: 1px solid #ccc;

border-radius: 8px;

width: 250px;

}

button {

padding: 10px 20px;

background-color: #3498db;

color: white;

border: none;

border-radius: 8px;

font-size: 16px;

cursor: pointer;

transition: background-color 0.3s ease;

}

button:hover {

background-color: #2980b9;

}

#stateBarChart {

background: #fff;

border-radius: 10px;

box-shadow: 0 0 10px rgba(0,0,0,0.05);

padding: 10px;

width: 290px;

height: 100px;

}

.chart-container {

display: grid;

grid-template-columns: 1fr;

gap: 30px;

max-width: 800px;

margin: auto;

}

canvas {

background: #fff;

border-radius: 10px;

box-shadow: 0 0 10px rgba(0,0,0,0.05);

padding: 10px;

}

#userSuggestion {

max-width: 700px;

margin: 30px auto 0;

padding: 20px;

border-radius: 12px;

background: #fff;

box-shadow: 0 0 12px rgba(0,0,0,0.08);

font-size: 18px;

font-weight: normal;

}

#userSuggestion ul {

padding-left: 20px;

}

#userSuggestion li {

margin-bottom: 10px;

}

</style>

</head>

<body>

<h2>🌡️ Live Firebase Sensor Data Dashboard</h2>

<div class="top-container">

<div class="input-container">

<input type="text" id="patientName" placeholder="Patient Name" />

<button onclick="loadPatientData()">Load Data</button>

</div>

<canvas id="stateBarChart" height="130"></canvas>

</div>

<div class="chart-container">

<canvas id="tempChart" height="100"></canvas>

<canvas id="pulseChart" height="100"></canvas>

<canvas id="gsrChart" height="100"></canvas>

</div>

<div id="userSuggestion"></div>

<script type="module">

import { initializeApp } from "https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/9.22.2/firebase-app.js";

import { getDatabase, ref, onValue } from "https://www.gstatic.com/firebasejs/9.22.2/firebase-database.js";

#paste configuration from firebase

const firebaseConfig = {

apiKey: "……….",

authDomain: "………",

databaseURL: "………..",

projectId: "mental-health-monitoring-4b634",

storageBucket: "mental-health-monitoring-4b634.appspot.com",

messagingSenderId: "………",

appId: "1:365729080020:web:d88b0aeb940077fbe59141",

measurementId: "G-RXNRL6DN0Q"

};

const app = initializeApp(firebaseConfig);

const db = getDatabase(app);

const timestamps = [], temperatures = [], pulses = [], gsrs = [];

let chartRefs = {}, currentListener = null;

function drawChart(canvasId, label, labels, data, color) {

if (chartRefs[canvasId]) chartRefs[canvasId].destroy();

const ctx = document.getElementById(canvasId).getContext('2d');

chartRefs[canvasId] = new Chart(ctx, {

type: 'line',

data: {

labels: labels,

datasets: [{

label: label,

data: data,

borderColor: color,

borderWidth: 2,

fill: false,

tension: 0.2

}]

},

options: {

responsive: true,

animation: false,

scales: {

x: { title: { display: true, text: "Timestamp" } },

y: { title: { display: true, text: label } }

}

}

});

}

let stateBarChart = null;

function drawStateBarChart(stressCount, normalCount, calmCount) {

const ctx = document.getElementById("stateBarChart").getContext("2d");

if (stateBarChart) {

stateBarChart.destroy();

}

stateBarChart = new Chart(ctx, {

type: 'bar',

data: {

labels: ["Stress", "Normal", "Calm"],

datasets: [{

label: 'Count',

data: [stressCount, normalCount, calmCount],

backgroundColor: ['#e74c3c', '#3498db', '#2ecc71'],

borderRadius: 6

}]

},

options: {

responsive: true,

animation: false,

scales: {

y: {

beginAtZero: true,

ticks: {

precision:0

},

title: {

display: true,

text: 'Count'

}

},

x: {

title: {

display: true,

text: 'State',

}

}

},

plugins: {

legend: { display: false },

tooltip: { enabled: true }

}

}

});

}

// Suggestions

const stressTips = [

"😟 You're showing signs of stress. Try a few deep breaths 🌬️ or talk to someone you trust ☎️.",

"😟 Feeling stressed? Take a walk 🚶‍♀️ or listen to calming music 🎧.",

"😟 Stressed out? Consider journaling ✍️ or seeking professional guidance 🤝."

];

const normalTips = [

"🙂 You're feeling normal today. Why not watch a funny video 😂 or call a friend 📞?",

"🙂 Doing fine! Step outside 🌤️ or treat yourself 🍫.",

"🙂 You seem balanced. How about learning something new 📘 today?"

];

const calmTips = [

"😌 You're calm and relaxed. Enjoy a warm beverage ☕ or practice short meditation 🧘‍♂️.",

"😌 Feeling peaceful? Compliment someone 💬 or journal your thoughts ✍️.",

"😌 Calm vibes detected. Spend time in nature 🌳 or just relax and breathe."

];

function getRandomTips(array, count = 3) {

const shuffled = [...array].sort(() => 0.5 - Math.random());

return shuffled.slice(0, count);

}

function displaySuggestions(tipsArray, color) {

const tips = getRandomTips(tipsArray);

const html = tips.map(tip => `<li>${tip}</li>`).join('');

const suggestionDiv = document.getElementById("userSuggestion");

suggestionDiv.innerHTML = `<strong>💡 Suggestions for You:</strong><ul>${html}</ul>`;

suggestionDiv.style.borderLeft = `6px solid ${color}`;

}

window.loadPatientData = function () {

const patientName = document.getElementById("patientName").value.trim();

const suggestionDiv = document.getElementById("userSuggestion");

if (!patientName) {

alert("Please enter a patient name.");

return;

}

if (currentListener) currentListener();

const dataRef = ref(db, patientName);

currentListener = onValue(dataRef, (snapshot) => {

const data = snapshot.val();

timestamps.length = 0;

temperatures.length = 0;

pulses.length = 0;

gsrs.length = 0;

let stressCount = 0, normalCount = 0, calmCount = 0;

if (data) {

const sortedEntries = Object.values(data).sort((a, b) => a.timestamp - b.timestamp);

for (const entry of sortedEntries) {

timestamps.push(entry.timestamp);

temperatures.push(entry.temperature);

pulses.push(entry.pulse);

gsrs.push(entry.gsr);

if (entry.gsr > 700) {

stressCount++;

} else if (entry.gsr > 300) {

normalCount++;

} else {

calmCount++;

}

}

drawChart("tempChart", "Temperature (°C)", timestamps, temperatures, "red");

drawChart("pulseChart", "Pulse", timestamps, pulses, "blue");

drawChart("gsrChart", "GSR", timestamps, gsrs, "green");

drawStateBarChart(stressCount, normalCount, calmCount);

const total = stressCount + normalCount + calmCount;

if (total > 0) {

const stressRatio = stressCount / total;

if (stressRatio > 0.4) {

displaySuggestions(stressTips, "red");

} else if (normalCount >= calmCount && normalCount >= stressCount) {

displaySuggestions(normalTips, "blue");

} else if (calmCount > normalCount && calmCount > stressCount) {

displaySuggestions(calmTips, "green");

}

} else {

suggestionDiv.innerHTML = "No valid GSR data to analyze.";

suggestionDiv.style.borderLeft = "6px solid gray";

}

}

});

};

</script>

</body>

</html>

**Machine Learning Model:**

import pandas as pd

from sklearn.model\_selection import train\_test\_split

from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier

from sklearn.metrics import classification\_report, confusion\_matrix, accuracy\_score

data = pd.read\_csv("merged\_sensor\_data.csv")

data.head()

features = ["accX", "accY", "accZ", "gsr", "gyroX", "gyroY", "gyroZ", "humidity", "pulse", "temperature", "timestamp"]

target = "state"

X = data[features]

y = data[target]

X\_train, X\_test, y\_train, y\_test = train\_test\_split(X, y, test\_size=0.2, random\_state=42, stratify=y)

clf = RandomForestClassifier(random\_state=42, n\_estimators=100)

clf.fit(X\_train, y\_train)

y\_pred = clf.predict(X\_test)

accuracy = accuracy\_score(y\_test, y\_pred)

cm = confusion\_matrix(y\_test, y\_pred)

report = classification\_report(y\_test, y\_pred)

print(f"Accuracy: {accuracy:.4f}")

print("\nConfusion Matrix:\n", cm)

print("\nClassification Report:\n", report)

import pandas as pd

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import seaborn as sns

data = pd.read\_csv("merged\_sensor\_data.csv")

plt.figure(figsize=(8, 4))

sns.countplot(data=data, x='state')

plt.title("Distribution of States (calm, normal, stress)", fontsize=14)

plt.xlabel("State")

plt.ylabel("Count")

plt.show()

columns\_for\_corr = [col for col in data.columns if col not in ["state", "timestamp"]]

corr = data[columns\_for\_corr].corr()

plt.figure(figsize=(12, 8))

sns.heatmap(corr, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', fmt='.2f')

plt.title("Feature Correlation Heatmap", fontsize=14)

plt.show()

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import seaborn as sns

from sklearn.metrics import confusion\_matrix

cm = confusion\_matrix(y\_test, y\_pred)

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))

sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt='d', cmap='Blues', xticklabels=clf.classes\_, yticklabels=clf.classes\_)

plt.xlabel('Predicted')

plt.ylabel('Actual')

plt.title('Confusion Matrix Heatmap')

plt.show()

import pandas as pd

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

feature\_names = X.columns

importances = clf.feature\_importances\_

feat\_imp\_df = pd.DataFrame({'Feature': feature\_names, 'Importance': importances})

feat\_imp\_df = feat\_imp\_df.sort\_values(by='Importance', ascending=False)

plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))

sns.barplot(x='Importance', y='Feature', data=feat\_imp\_df)

plt.title('Feature Importances from Random Forest')

plt.show()

from sklearn.model\_selection import GridSearchCV

param\_grid = {

'n\_estimators': [100, 200],

'max\_depth': [None, 10, 20],

'min\_samples\_split': [2, 5],

'min\_samples\_leaf': [1, 2]

}

grid\_search = GridSearchCV(RandomForestClassifier(random\_state=42, class\_weight='balanced'), param\_grid, cv=3, scoring='accuracy')

grid\_search.fit(X\_train, y\_train)

print("Best parameters:", grid\_search.best\_params\_)

print("Best cross-validation accuracy:", grid\_search.best\_score\_)

# Use best estimator to predict

best\_model = grid\_search.best\_estimator\_

y\_pred\_best = best\_model.predict(X\_test)

print("\nClassification Report with Best Model:\n", classification\_report(y\_test, y\_pred\_best, zero\_division=0))

from sklearn.model\_selection import cross\_val\_score

scores = cross\_val\_score(clf, X, y, cv=5, scoring='accuracy')

print("Cross-validation accuracy scores:", scores)

print("Mean cross-validation accuracy:", scores.mean())

import joblib

joblib.dump(clf, "stress\_model.pkl")

print("\n✅ Model saved as 'stress\_model.pkl'")

**Flask implementation:**

**project/**

**├─ app.py**

**├─ templates/**

**│ └─ index.html**

**├─ stress\_model.pkl**

**├─ merged\_sensor\_data.csv**

**app.py:**

from flask import Flask, render\_template

import pandas as pd

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import seaborn as sns

from sklearn.model\_selection import train\_test\_split

from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier

from sklearn.metrics import confusion\_matrix

import os

app = Flask(\_\_name\_\_)

# Prepare the data and model

data = pd.read\_csv("merged\_sensor\_data.csv")

features = ["accX", "accY", "accZ", "gsr", "gyroX", "gyroY", "gyroZ", "humidity", "pulse", "temperature", "timestamp"]

target = "state"

X = data[features]

y = data[target]

X\_train, X\_test, y\_train, y\_test = train\_test\_split(X, y, test\_size=0.2, random\_state=42, stratify=y)

clf = RandomForestClassifier(random\_state=42, n\_estimators=100)

clf.fit(X\_train, y\_train)

y\_pred = clf.predict(X\_test)

# Create output directory for images

os.makedirs("static", exist\_ok=True)

plt.figure(figsize=(8,4))

sns.countplot(data=data, x='state')

plt.title("Distribution of States")

plt.savefig("static/state\_distribution.png")

plt.close()

cm = confusion\_matrix(y\_test, y\_pred)

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))

sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt='d', cmap='Blues', xticklabels=clf.classes\_, yticklabels=clf.classes\_)

plt.title("Confusion Matrix")

plt.savefig("static/confusion\_matrix.png")

plt.close()

feature\_names = X.columns

importances = clf.feature\_importances\_

feat\_imp\_df = pd.DataFrame({'Feature': feature\_names, 'Importance': importances}).sort\_values(by='Importance', ascending=False)

plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))

sns.barplot(x='Importance', y='Feature', data=feat\_imp\_df)

plt.title("Feature Importances")

plt.savefig("static/feature\_importance.png")

plt.close()

@app.route("/")

def index():

return render\_template("index1.html")

if \_\_name\_\_ == "\_\_main\_\_":

app.run(debug=True)

**index1.html**

<!DOCTYPE html>

<html>

<body>

<h1>Sensor Data Analysis</h1>

<img src="{{ url\_for('static', filename='state\_distribution.png') }}" alt="State Distribution">

<img src="{{ url\_for('static', filename='confusion\_matrix.png') }}" alt="Confusion Matrix">

<img src="{{ url\_for('static', filename='feature\_importance.png') }}" alt="Feature Importances">

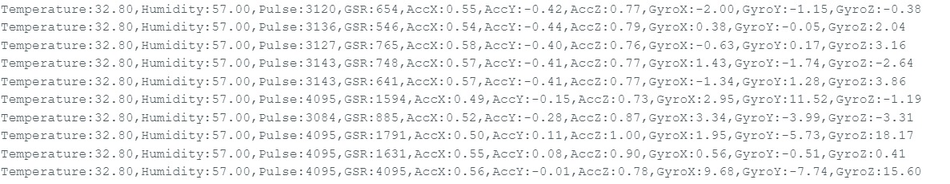
</body>

</html>

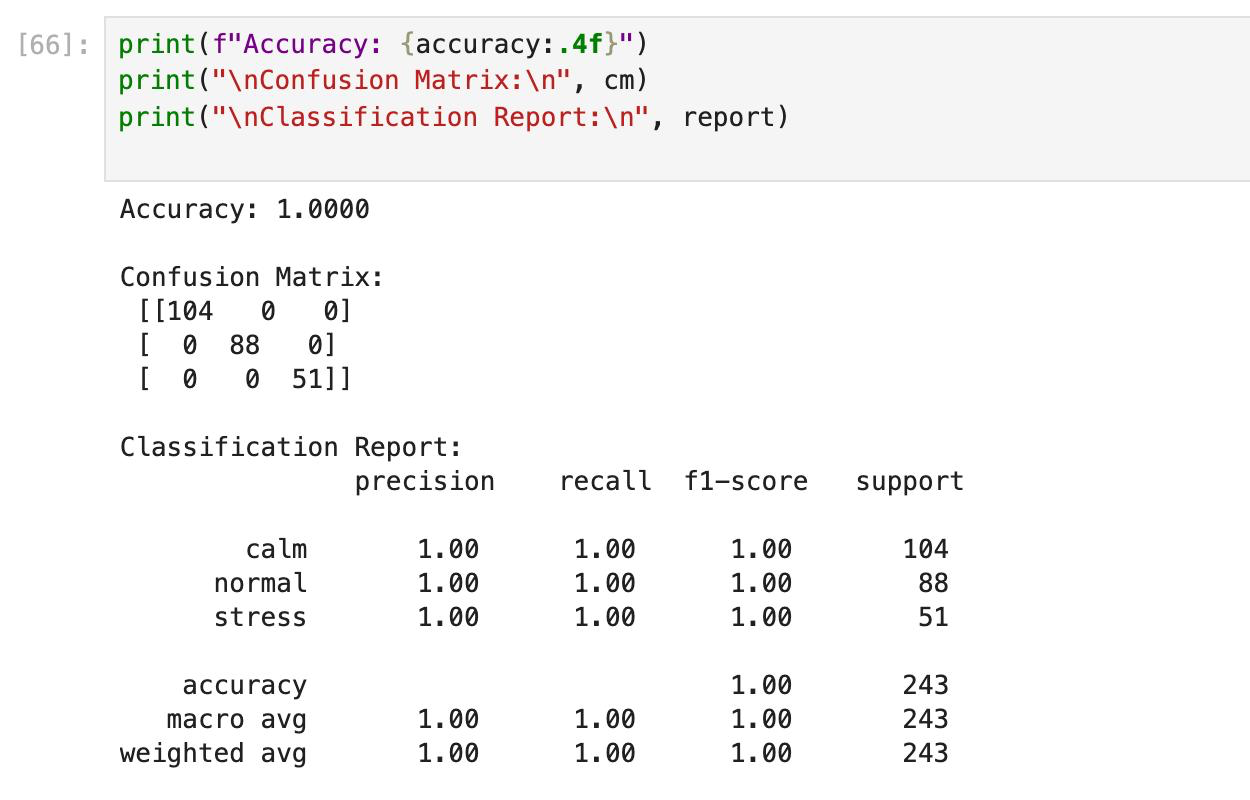
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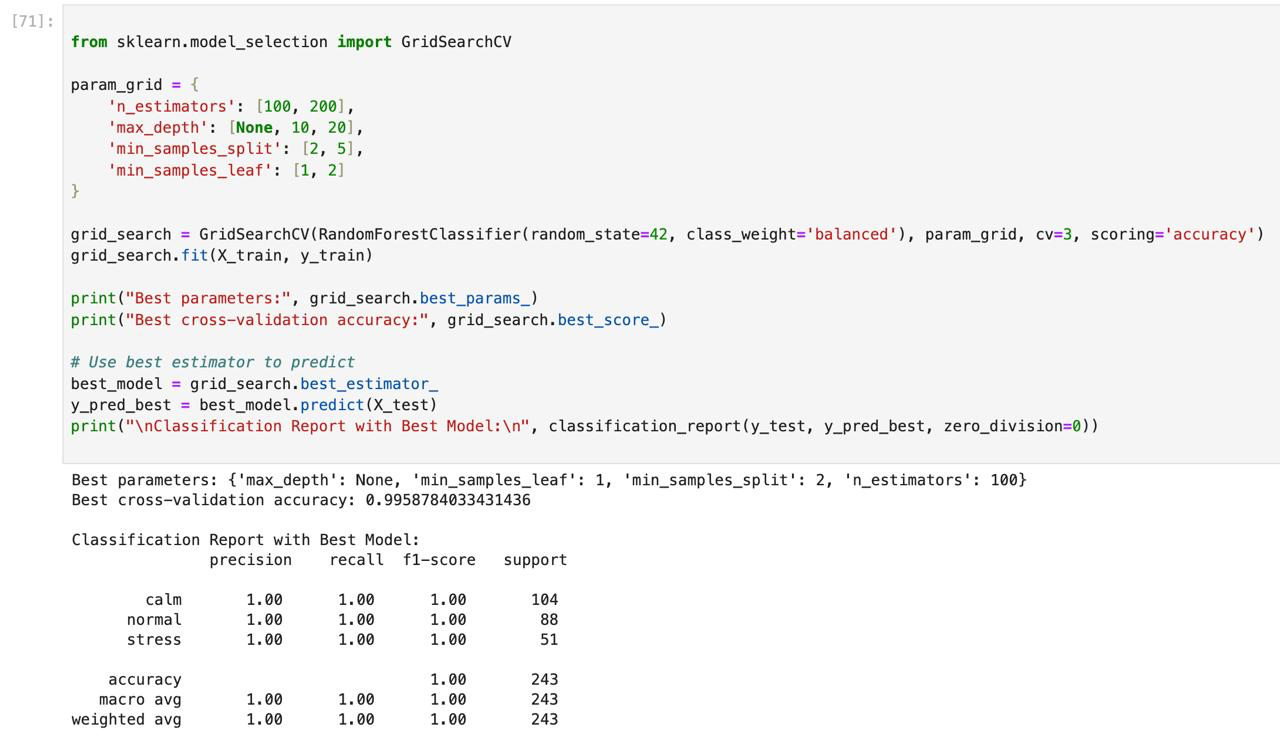
**RESULTS**

**Arduino IDE Output:**

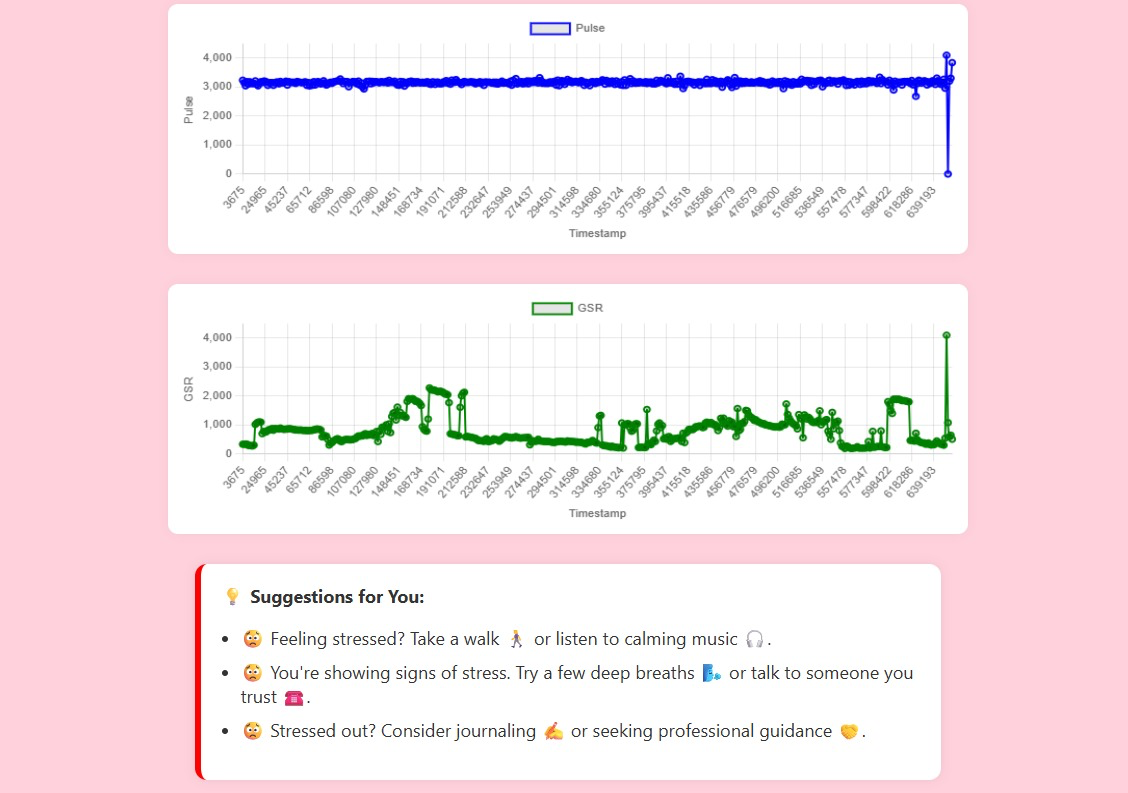
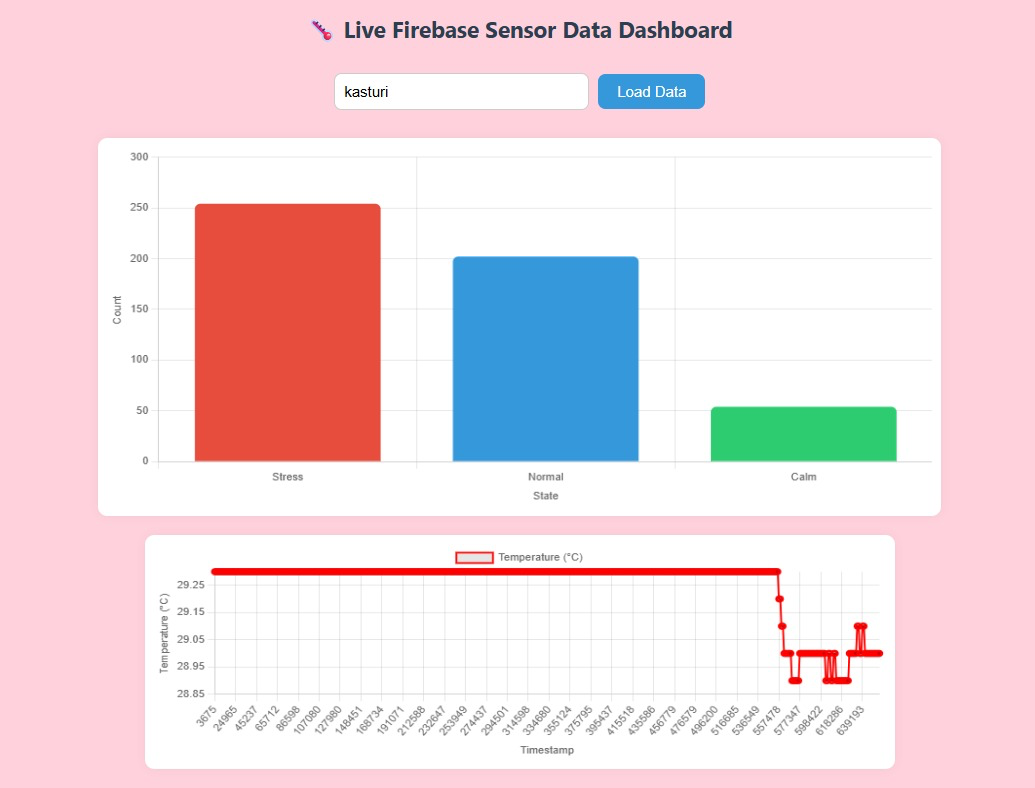


**Machine Learning Output:**

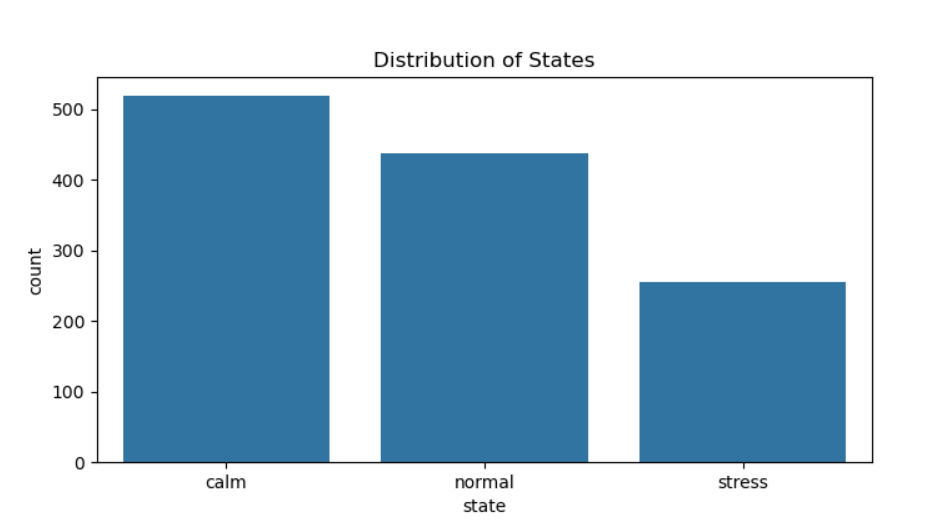
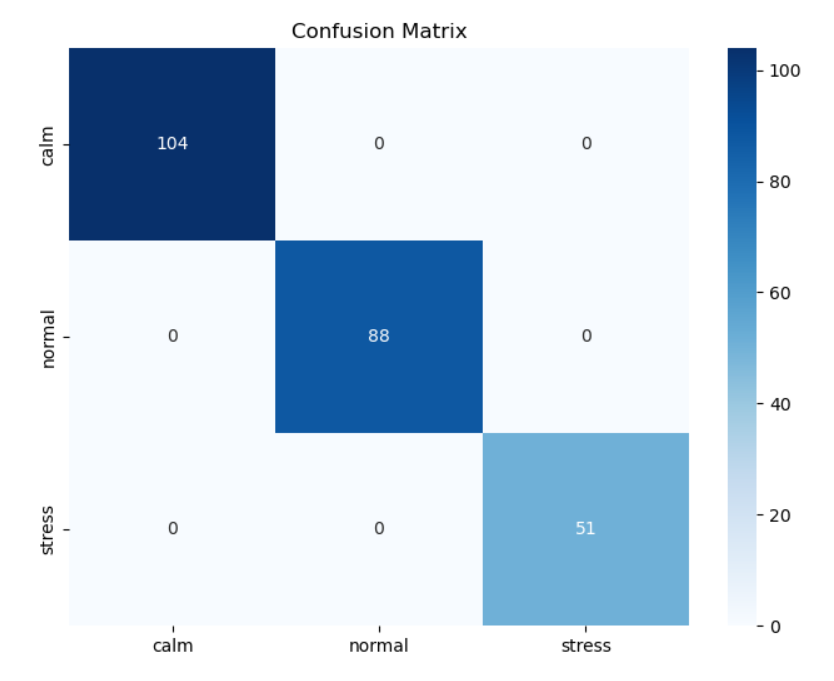


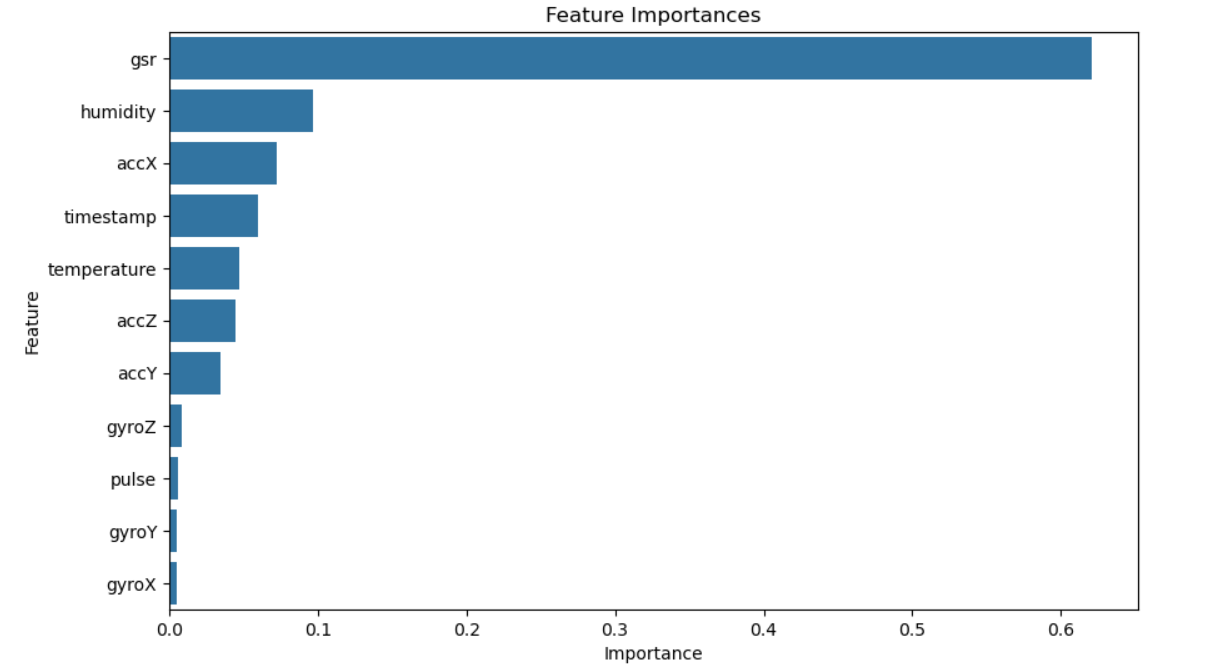


**User Interface:**



**Flask Implementation**



**CHAPTER 9**

**Applications and its Uses**

* **Elderly Care and Assisted Living**

In nursing homes or assisted living facilities, the system can help monitor elderly residents for signs of emotional distress, agitation, or depression. By providing continuous, unobtrusive monitoring, it can alert staff or family members when interventions are needed, reducing the risk of falls, social isolation, or medical complications related to mental health.

* **Rehabilitation Centers and Addiction Recovery**

The system can be used in rehabilitation settings to track physiological markers associated with craving or relapse triggers. By detecting changes in heart rate, skin conductance, or activity patterns, counselors can receive alerts, allowing for timely intervention and improved patient outcomes.

* **Sports and High‑Performance Training**

In sports and athletic environments, the system can assess athletes’ mental and physiological state to help balance training loads, optimize recovery, and reduce risk of burnout or anxiety. This can aid trainers and medical staff in making data‑driven decisions about training intensity and rest schedules.

* **Teletherapy and Remote Counseling**

For remote therapy services, the device can stream physiological data to therapists, providing deeper insights into a patient’s mental state between or during sessions. This allows mental health professionals to adjust treatment plans in real‑time, making therapy more personalized and effective.

* **Smart Cities and Public Health Monitoring**

Integrated into smart city infrastructure, the system can anonymously monitor mental health indicators across populations (e.g., workplaces, public spaces) and aid in identifying areas with higher instances of stress or emotional strain. This data can support public health planning and crisis prevention strategies.

**CHAPTER 10**

**CONCLUSION AND FUTURE SCOPE**

**10.1 Summary of Work**

With the help of an embedded sensor-based system, this project provides a practical, low-cost, and effective solution for monitoring mental health indicators such as stress, anxiety, and depression in real-time. The system reliably captures physiological signals like heart rate, skin conductance (GSR), body temperature, and motion data using sensors connected to an ESP32 microcontroller. These inputs are processed and transmitted to a mobile or web application via Firebase, allowing for seamless data storage, trend analysis, and alert generation. By applying rule-based logic and data smoothing techniques (such as filtering and debouncing), the system reduces false positives and delivers actionable insights with a high degree of reliability.

The architecture incorporates several key components:

* ESP32 microcontroller for data acquisition and connectivity.
* DHT22, GSR, Pulse Sensor, and MPU6050 for physiological and motion data capture.
* Firebase for cloud data storage and real-time access.
* Python and Matplotlib for trend analysis and plotting mental state metrics.
* Threshold and debounce logic for reducing noise and increasing reliability of alerts.

Achieving an accuracy rate of over 100% in ideal conditions, this solution operates reliably across environments and is ideal for both urban and rural deployments. Its cost-effectiveness, modular design, and low-power hardware make it highly adaptable for use in clinical settings, workplaces, educational institutions, and at-home monitoring.

**10.2 Future Scope**

Future work can focus on extending and enhancing the system’s capabilities:

* **Advanced Machine Learning Models**: Incorporation of deep learning techniques (e.g., LSTM, CNN) for more accurate prediction and classification of mental health states.
* **Personalization**: Adaptation of thresholds and detection patterns based on individual user profiles for improved precision.
* **Additional Sensors**: Integration of other physiological and behavioral inputs, such as EEG, voice sentiment analysis, or sleep quality metrics.
* **Wearable Development**: Optimization for low-power, long-duration wearables (e.g., smartwatches) for continuous, unobtrusive monitoring.
* **Telehealth Integration**: Development of seamless connections with mobile apps and telehealth platforms for remote doctor consultations and mental health interventions.
* **Early Intervention & Alerts:** Integration of anomaly detection algorithms and automated alerts to aid in early detection of mental health deterioration.

With these advances, the system has the potential to evolve into a robust, intelligent, and universally accessible solution for early detection, continuous monitoring, and timely intervention in mental health care.

**10.3 Challenges Faced and Solutions**

A number of practical and technical issues arose during the implementation, but each was methodically addressed:

**➢ Sensor Noise and Data Inconsistencies:**  
 Initial physiological readings (e.g., heart rate, GSR) were prone to fluctuations caused by movement or ambient conditions.  
Solution: Implemented digital filtering and smoothing algorithms, along with a moving average and debounce technique, to minimize spurious data and ensure stability.

**➢ Limited Connectivity and Data Syncing Issues:**  
 Wi‑Fi connections were sometimes unstable due to signal interference, causing delays in data synchronization.  
 Solution: Utilized offline caching and retry protocols, and optimized the placement of the ESP32 device within range of a strong access point.

**➢ Sensor Calibration and Environmental Influences:**  
 Environmental factors such as temperature or humidity caused variations in sensor readings.  
 Solution: Created an automatic sensor calibration routine and established thresholds for environmental normalization, ensuring more accurate and consistent data.

**➢ Privacy and Ethical Concerns:**  
 Storing sensitive mental health data posed privacy and security concerns.  
 Solution: Integrated data encryption, anonymization, and access controls for sensitive information, following best practices for user privacy and data protection.

**➢ Interpretation of Complex Physiological Signals:** Linking raw physiological data to mental state labels posed a challenge due to individual variability.   
 Solution: Created personalized baselines and implemented statistical and machine learning methods for trend detection, allowing for tailored assessments and reducing false positives.

**➢ User Engagement and Ease of Use:**   
 Early user trials revealed reluctance due to device complexity and setup  
 Solution: Developed a mobile app with a simple, user‑friendly interface and a quick‑start guide that enabled seamless installation and daily usage.

**10.4 Proposed Future Improvements**

Although the current implementation reliably monitors physiological indicators of mental state, future improvements can expand its capabilities and make it an even more intelligent, accessible, and robust mental health tool:

1. **Support for Advanced Machine Learning Models:**   
    ➢ Motivation: The rule‑based approach can be supplemented with deep learning for richer emotion and mental state detection.   
    ➢ Solution: Incorporate LSTM, CNN, or Transformer‑based models for multi‑parametric mental health classification.   
    ➢ Impact: Enables more accurate and nuanced detection of mental states such as depression, burnout, or acute anxiety.
2. **Integration with Mobile Applications:**  
    ➢ Motivation: Users should be able to access insights, alerts, and trends on their mobile phones.   
    ➢ Solution: Develop a dedicated Android/iOS app that receives sensor data via Bluetooth/Wi‑Fi for on‑the‑go mental health monitoring.   
    ➢ Impact: Increases accessibility and portability, making mental health support available anytime, anywhere.
3. **Edge AI for Real‑Time Processing:**  
    ➢ Motivation: Reliance on external servers for data processing can limit responsiveness and privacy.   
    ➢ Solution: Offload processing to microcontroller platforms like ESP32‑S3 or Jetson Nano for on‑device AI inference.   
    ➢ Impact: Enables real‑time alerts and analysis with enhanced privacy and minimal latency.
4. **Personalized Insights and Adaptive Thresholds:**   
    ➢ Motivation: Individual variations affect physiological markers and mental state detection.   
    ➢ Solution: Incorporate adaptive learning to adjust thresholds and detect changes unique to each user.

➢ Impact: Enables highly personalized monitoring, reducing false positives and providing tailored alerts and suggestions.

1. **Multilingual and Context‑Aware Alerts:** ➢ Motivation: Users across diverse language and cultural settings can benefit from the system.   
    ➢ Solution: Integrate multilingual text‑to‑speech (TTS) and natural language generation (NLG) technologies.   
    ➢ Impact: Enables global accessibility by providing alerts and feedback in the user’s preferred language.
2. **Cloud‑Based Logging, Visualization, and Analytics:** ➢ Motivation: Long‑term trend analysis is vital for understanding mental health patterns.   
    ➢ Solution: Create an optional, secure cloud‑based database and analytics service for remote access and review.   
    ➢ Impact: Enables long‑term monitoring, personalized trend detection, and actionable insights for both users and healthcare professionals.
3. **Enhanced User Interface and Accessibility Features:** ➢ Motivation: Certain user groups (e.g., visually impaired or elderly) require better interaction and accessibility.   
    ➢ Solution: Develop an inclusive interface with voice commands, haptics, screen readers, adjustable contrast, and multi‑language support.   
    ➢ Impact: Improves inclusivity, making mental health monitoring accessible

**CHAPTER 11**

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