

FINANCIAL BUDGETING APPLICATION

GROUP 11

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BUSINESS PROBLEM

Many young adults unfortunately live paycheck to paycheck, they don't have a good view of their finances, they suffer from lifestyle creep where their spending increases with their income and their debts grow with a snowball effect without them realizing. They are often overwhelmed with the process of debt repayment, and they don't know where to start or where to do next without guidance from a financial advisor, which can come at its own additional cost.



MISSION STATEMENT

"Our goal is to empower professionals, between the ages of 25 and 60 by equipping them with the tools and insights to take charge of their finances, enhance their spending habits and build a financial future. With our NewSQL database we strive to offer a platform that not only tracks budgets, categorizes expenses and analyzes spending patterns but also facilitates effective debt repayment, efficient asset management and promotes financial transparency. By fostering a culture of improved saving habits, debt reduction strategies and financial literacy our aim is to guide individuals from living paycheck to paycheck towards a path of well being and long term prosperity."





BUSINESS OBJECTIVES

Improved Financial Understanding and Transparency

Enhance transparency and financial literacy by providing a holistic view of consumer transactions, debts and assets

Debt and Asset Management

Empower users to create structured plans for managing debts while enabling efficient management of assets for long term growth.

User Engagement and Motivation

Utilize existing user spending data to offer insights into spending trends, suggest avenues for financial advancement inspiring users to reach their objectives.

Scalability and Performance

Develop a scalable database infrastructure that can easily handle business expansion while emphasizing data analysis and performance to guarantee a good user experience

SOLUTION



Facilitate Budgeting

Facilitate budgeting, expense tracking, debt repayment, financial goal monitoring, and subscription management functionalities within the budgeting application.



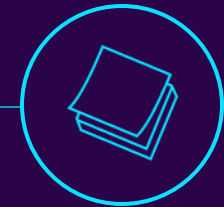
Holistic View of Transactions

Provide transparency into transaction and spending habits holistically from different data sources.



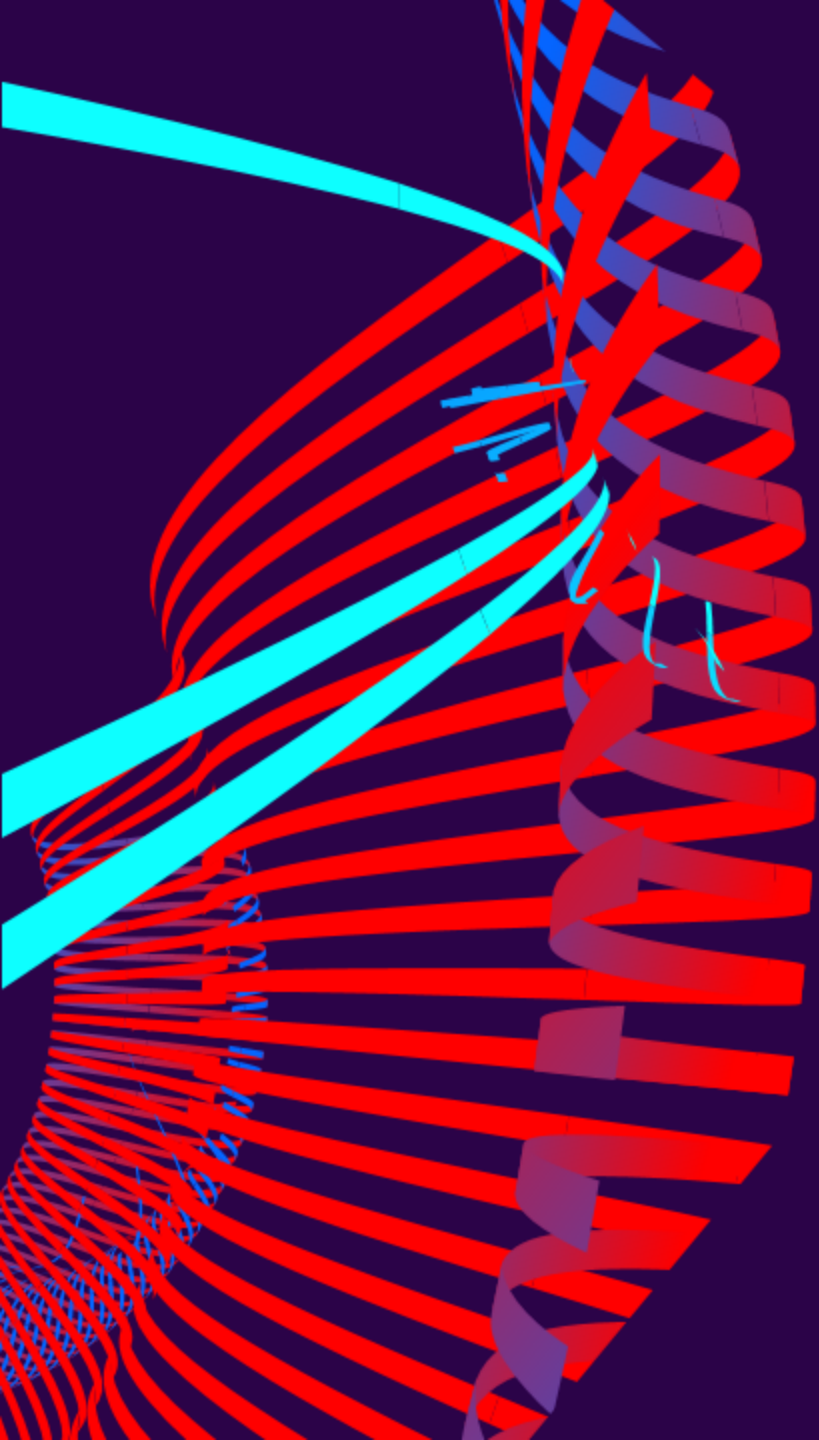
Efficient Debt and Asset Management

Facilitate users to manage assets, debts, and subscriptions efficiently.



Tool for Accountability

Provide a tool for accountability in setting and monitoring financial goals while introducing budgeting tools, expense tracking, and subscription management.



DATABASE OVERVIEW

DATABASE OBJECTIVES



To Maintain

Sensitive user data, transaction data, financial categorization data, asset and debt data



To Track The Status Of

Debt management, asset management, budgeting habits, spending habits, changes in net worth, overall financial progress



To Report On

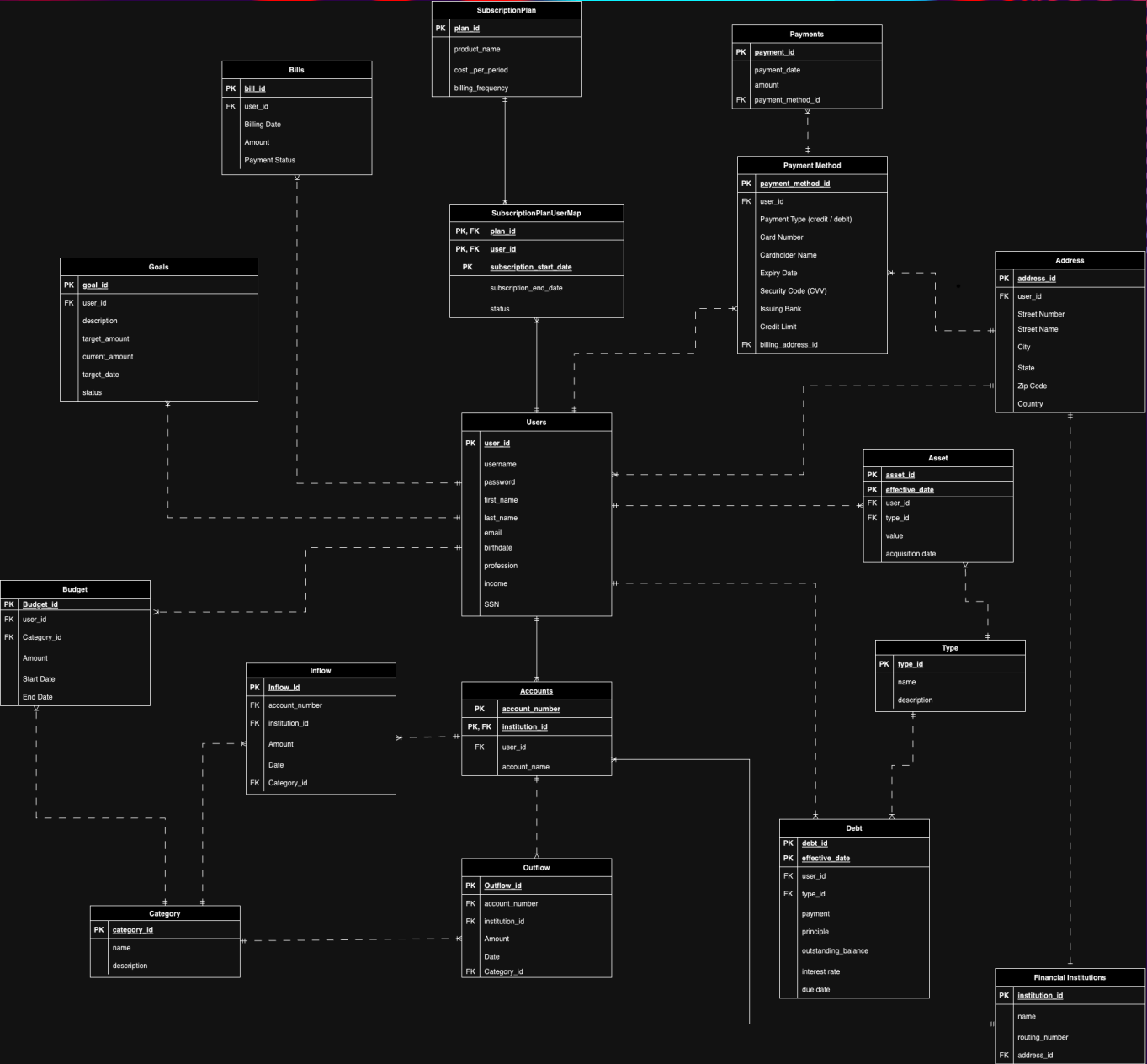
Spending habits, debt reduction, asset growth, budget adherence, budget breakdowns by category, overall financial progress, spending trends



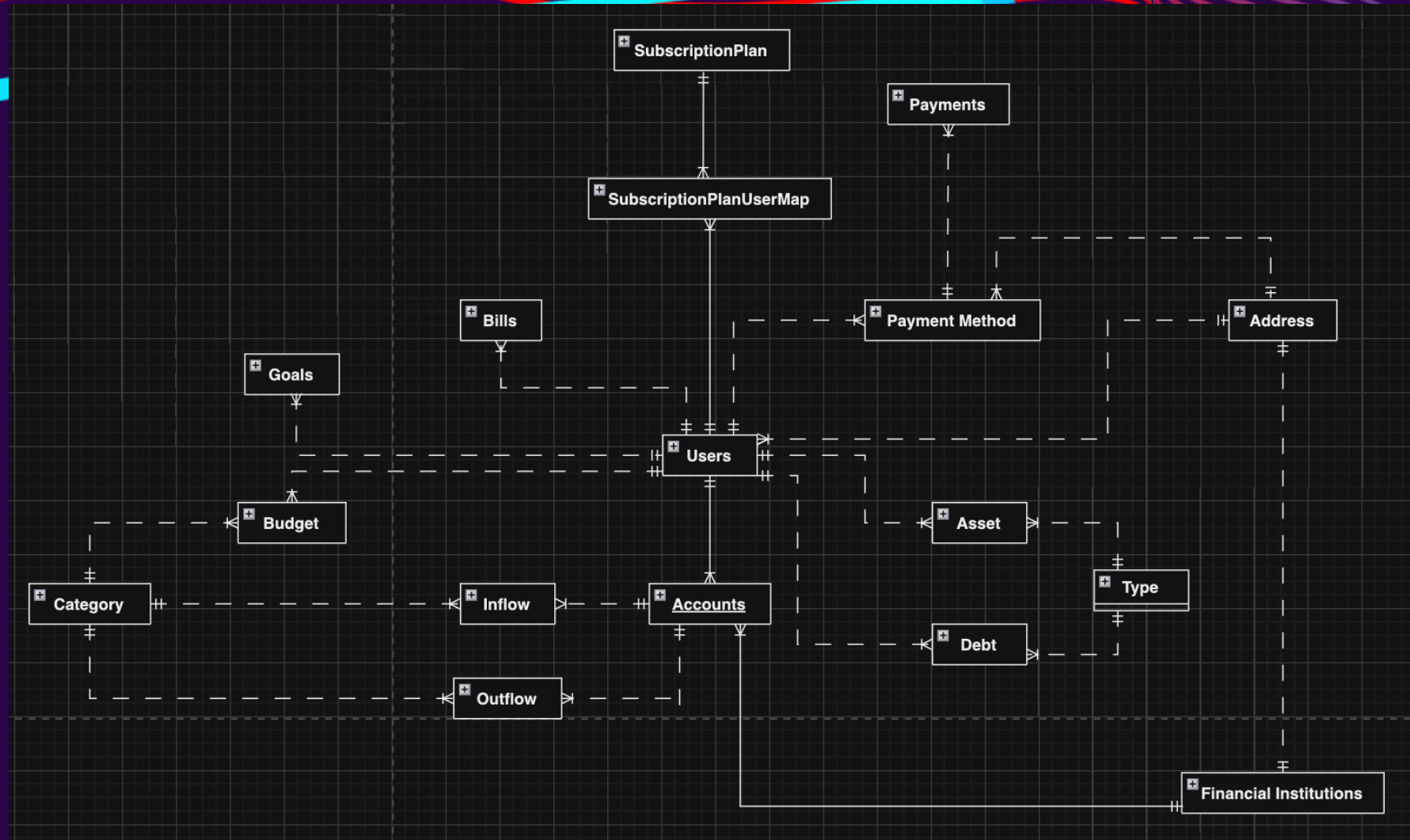
To Perform Search On

Transaction data, user profiles, financial history, assets and debts

FINAL ERD



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Link to ERD: <https://bit.ly/final-erd-group-11>

TABLE CREATION

```
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Users (  
    UserID INT IDENTITY(1,1) PRIMARY KEY,  
    UserName VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
    Password VARBINARY(100) NOT NULL,  
    FirstName VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
    LastName VARCHAR(50) NOT NULL,  
    Email VARCHAR(100) NOT NULL,  
    Birthdate DATE,  
    Profession VARCHAR(100),  
    Income DECIMAL(18, 2),  
    SSN VARCHAR(20)  
);  
ALTER TABLE Budgeting.Users  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_UserName CHECK (dbo.ValidateUserName(UserName) = 1),  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_FirstName CHECK (dbo.ValidateName(FirstName) = 1),  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_LastName CHECK (dbo.ValidateName(LastName) = 1),  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_Email CHECK (dbo.ValidateEmail(Email) = 1),  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_SSN CHECK (dbo.ValidateSSN(SSN) = 1);
```

```
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Budget (  
    BudgetID INT PRIMARY KEY IDENTITY(1,1),  
    UserID INT,  
    CategoryID INT,  
    Amount MONEY,  
    StartDate DATE,  
    EndDate DATE,  
    CONSTRAINT FK_Budget_UserID FOREIGN KEY (UserID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Users(UserID),  
    CONSTRAINT FK_Budget_CategoryID FOREIGN KEY (CategoryID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Category(CategoryID)  
);  
ALTER TABLE Budgeting.Budget  
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_StartDateBeforeEndDate CHECK (dbo.ValidateDates(StartDate, EndDate) = 1);
```

TABLE CREATION

```
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Bills (  
    BillID INT IDENTITY(1,1) PRIMARY KEY,  
    UserID INT,  
    BillingDate DATE,  
    Amount MONEY,  
    PaymentStatus VARCHAR(50),  
    CONSTRAINT FK_Bills_UserID FOREIGN KEY (UserID)  
    REFERENCES Budgeting.Users(UserID)  
);
```

```
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.SubscriptionPlanUserMap (  
    PlanID INT,  
    UserID INT,  
    SubscriptionStartDate DATE,  
    SubscriptionEndDate DATE,  
    Status VARCHAR(50),  
    PRIMARY KEY (PlanID, UserID, SubscriptionStartDate),  
    FOREIGN KEY (PlanID) REFERENCES Budgeting.SubscriptionPlan(PlanID),  
    FOREIGN KEY (UserID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Users(UserID)  
);
```

```
CREATE TRIGGER GenerateBillOnSubscription  
ON Budgeting.SubscriptionPlanUserMap  
AFTER INSERT  
AS  
BEGIN  
    -- Insert a new row into the Bills table for each new subscription plan availed by the user  
    INSERT INTO Budgeting.Bills (UserID, BillingDate, Amount, PaymentStatus)  
    SELECT  
        i.UserID,  
        GETDATE() AS BillingDate,  
        sp.CostPerPeriod AS Amount,  
        'Unpaid' AS PaymentStatus  
    FROM  
        inserted i  
    INNER JOIN  
        Budgeting.SubscriptionPlan sp ON i.PlanID = sp.PlanID;  
END;
```

TABLE CREATION

```
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Debt (  
    DebtID INT PRIMARY KEY IDENTITY(1,1),  
    EffectiveDate DATE,  
    UserID INT,  
    TypeID INT,  
    Payment MONEY,  
    Principle MONEY,  
    OutstandingBalance MONEY,  
    InterestRate DECIMAL(5,2),  
    DueDate DATE,  
    CONSTRAINT FK_Debt_UserID FOREIGN KEY (UserID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Users(UserID),  
    CONSTRAINT FK_Debt_TypeID FOREIGN KEY (TypeID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Types(TypeID),  
    CONSTRAINT CHK_InterestRate CHECK (InterestRate >= 0)  
);
```

```
-- Create Types table to hold asset/debt types  
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Types (  
    TypeID INT PRIMARY KEY IDENTITY(1,1),  
    TypeName VARCHAR(50) UNIQUE,  
    TypeDescription VARCHAR(255)  
);  
  
-- Populate Types table with predefined asset/debt types  
INSERT INTO Budgeting.Types (TypeName, TypeDescription) VALUES  
(  
    'Cash', 'Currency in the form of coins or banknotes.'),  
    ('Investments', 'Financial assets acquired with the expectation of earning a favorable return.'),  
    ('Real Estate', 'Property consisting of land and the buildings on it.'),  
    ('Vehicles', 'Means of transportation such as cars, trucks, motorcycles, etc.'),  
    ('Retirement Accounts', 'Accounts specifically designated for retirement savings, such as 401(k), IRA, etc.'),  
    ('Business Interests', 'Ownership or investments in businesses or companies.'),  
    ('Personal Property', 'Tangible assets owned by an individual, excluding real estate.'),  
    ('Intellectual Property', 'Legal rights over creations of the mind, such as patents, copyrights, and trademarks.'),  
    ('Insurance Policies', 'Contracts that provide financial protection against specified risks.'),  
    ('Other Financial Assets', 'Other types of financial assets not covered by the above categories.');
```

```
-- Create Asset table with Type column referencing Types  
CREATE TABLE Budgeting.Asset (  
    AssetID INT IDENTITY(1,1),  
    EffectiveDate DATE,  
    UserID INT,  
    TypeID INT,  
    Value MONEY,  
    AcquisitionDate DATE,  
    PRIMARY KEY (AssetID, EffectiveDate),  
    FOREIGN KEY (UserID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Users(UserID),  
    FOREIGN KEY (TypeID) REFERENCES Budgeting.Types(TypeID)  
);
```

```
-- function to fetch asset/debt type ID given Asset  
CREATE FUNCTION GetTypeID (@Type VARCHAR(100))  
RETURNS INT  
AS  
BEGIN  
    DECLARE @TypeID INT;  
  
    -- Lookup the TypeID based on the asset type string  
    SELECT @TypeID = TypeID  
    FROM Budgeting.Types  
    WHERE TypeName = @Type;  
  
    RETURN @TypeID;  
END;  
  
-- START Insert into Budgeting.Asset  
  
DECLARE @Type VARCHAR(100) = 'Cash';  
DECLARE @TypeID INT;  
  
-- Get the TypeID for the given asset type  
SET @TypeID = dbo.GetTypeID(@Type);  
  
-- Now you can use @TypeID in your insert statement to insert into the "Asset" table  
INSERT INTO Budgeting.Asset (EffectiveDate, UserID, Value, AcquisitionDate, TypeID)  
VALUES ('2024-05-15', 1, 1000.00, '2024-04-01', @TypeID);  
  
-- END Insert into Budgeting.Asset
```

TABLE LEVEL CHECK CONSTRAINTS

A table level check constraint that validates whether a Start Date is Before End Date in BudgetTable

```
CREATE FUNCTION ValidateDates(@StartDate DATE, @EndDate DATE)
RETURNS BIT
AS
BEGIN
    DECLARE @IsValid BIT = 0;

    IF @StartDate < @EndDate
        SET @IsValid = 1; -- Valid dates
    ELSE
        SET @IsValid = 0; -- Invalid dates

    RETURN @IsValid;
END;

ALTER TABLE Budgeting.Budget
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_StartDateBeforeEndDate
CHECK (dbo.ValidateDates(StartDate, EndDate) = 1);
```

```
CREATE FUNCTION ValidatePaymentAmount (@PaymentID INT)
RETURNS BIT
AS
BEGIN
    DECLARE @IsValid BIT = 0;
    DECLARE @BillAmount MONEY;

    SELECT @BillAmount = b.Amount
    FROM Budgeting.Bills b
    INNER JOIN inserted i ON b.UserID = i.UserID
    WHERE b.PaymentStatus = 'Unpaid'
    ORDER BY b.BillingDate DESC;

    IF @BillAmount IS NOT NULL
    BEGIN
        IF EXISTS (SELECT 1 FROM inserted
        WHERE PaymentID = @PaymentID AND Amount = @BillAmount)
            SET @IsValid = 1;
    END;

    RETURN @IsValid;
END;

-- Alter the Payments table to add a CHECK constraint
ALTER TABLE Budgeting.Payments
ADD CONSTRAINT CHK_ValidPaymentAmount
CHECK (dbo.ValidatePaymentAmount(PaymentID) = 1);
```

A table level check constraints that validates the amount that needs to be paid is exactly one Outstandings Bill Amount

Partial Amounts & Overhead amounts are not expected

COLUMN DATA ENCRYPTION

```
CREATE MASTER KEY ENCRYPTION BY
PASSWORD = 'Project@11';

-- Create certificate to protect symmetric key
CREATE CERTIFICATE Project11_Certificate
WITH SUBJECT = 'Project11 Test Certificate',
EXPIRY_DATE = '2024-12-31';

-- Create symmetric key to encrypt data
CREATE SYMMETRIC KEY Project_SymmetricKey
WITH ALGORITHM = AES_256
ENCRYPTION BY CERTIFICATE Project11_Certificate;

-- START Insert Data into Budgeting.Users
DECLARE @Password VARCHAR(100) = 'password@123';

IF dbo.ValidatePassword(@Password) = 1
BEGIN
    OPEN SYMMETRIC KEY Project_SymmetricKey
    DECRYPTION BY CERTIFICATE Project11_Certificate;

    DECLARE @EncryptedPassword VARBINARY(8000);

    SET @EncryptedPassword = ENCRYPTBYKEY(KEY_GUID('Project_SymmetricKey'), @Password)

    -- Now you can insert the encrypted password into the table
    INSERT INTO Budgeting.Users (UserName, Password, FirstName, LastName,
    | Email, Birthdate, Profession, Income, SSN)
    VALUES ('JohnDoe', @EncryptedPassword, 'John', 'Doe',
    | 'john.doe@example.com', '1990-01-01', 'Software Engineer', 50000.00, '000-00-2222');

END
```

```
-- START SQL Query to retrieve all data from Budgeting.Users
-- Open the symmetric key for decryption
OPEN SYMMETRIC KEY Project_SymmetricKey
DECRYPTION BY CERTIFICATE Project11_Certificate;

-- Retrieve data from the Users table and decrypt the password
SELECT
    UserID,
    UserName,
    CONVERT(VARCHAR(100), DECRYPTBYKEY>Password)) AS Password,
    FirstName,
    LastName,
    Email,
    Birthdate,
    Profession,
    Income,
    SSN
FROM
    Budgeting.Users;

-- Close the symmetric key
CLOSE SYMMETRIC KEY Project_SymmetricKey;
```

MONTHLY BUDGET PERFORMANCE

```
CREATE VIEW MonthlyBudgetPerformance AS
SELECT
    b.UserID,
    MONTH(o.Date) AS Month,
    b.CategoryID,
    c.Name AS CategoryName,
    b.Amount AS BudgetAmount,
    SUM(o.Amount) AS ActualAmount,
    (b.Amount - SUM(o.Amount)) AS Variance
FROM
    Budgeting.Budget b
LEFT JOIN
    Budgeting.Outflow o ON b.CategoryID = o.CategoryID
LEFT JOIN
    Budgeting.Category c ON b.CategoryID = c.CategoryID
GROUP BY
    b.UserID, MONTH(o.Date), b.CategoryID, c.Name, b.Amount;
```

Provides a view of each users spending for each category they have a budget set for and shows how much budget they have remaining within that category using the budget, category and outflow tables.

123 UserID	123 Month	123 CategoryID	RBC CategoryName	123 BudgetAmount	123 ActualAmount	123 Variance
1	4	4	Food	500.0000	350.0000	150.0000
2	4	5	Utilities	600.0000	265.0000	335.0000
3	4	6	Debt Payments	700.0000	220.0000	480.0000
4	4	7	Savings	800.0000	400.0000	400.0000
5	4	8	Healthcare	900.0000	495.0000	405.0000

USER FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

```
● CREATE VIEW UserFinancialOverview AS
SELECT
  u.UserID,
  u.FirstName,
  u.LastName,
  u.Email,
  u.Income,
  SUM(i.Amount) AS TotalInflows,
  SUM(o.Amount) AS TotalOutflows,
  (SUM(i.Amount) - SUM(o.Amount)) AS NetCashFlow,
  (SELECT SUM(Value) FROM Budgeting.Asset WHERE UserID = u.UserID) AS TotalAssets,
  (SELECT SUM(d.outstandingBalance) FROM Budgeting.Debt d WHERE d.UserID = d.UserID) AS TotalLiabilities,
  ((SELECT SUM(Value) FROM Budgeting.Asset WHERE UserID = u.UserID) - (SELECT SUM(d.OutstandingBalance)
FROM Budgeting.Debt d WHERE d.UserID = d.UserID)) AS NetWorth
FROM
  Budgeting.Users u
LEFT JOIN Budgeting.Accounts a ON u.userId = a.UserId
LEFT JOIN
  Budgeting.Inflow i ON a.accountNumber = i.accountNumber
LEFT JOIN
  Budgeting.Outflow o ON a.accountNumber = o.accountNumber
GROUP BY
  u.UserID, u.FirstName, u.LastName, u.Email, u.Income;
```

Provides a big picture view of a given user, calculates total inflow, outflow, net cash flow, total assets, liabilities and net worth all in one shot, using users, accounts, inflow, outflow, asset and debt tables.

123 UserID	ABC FirstName	ABC LastName	ABC Email	123 Income	123 TotalInflows	123 TotalOutflows	123 NetCashFlow
1	John	Doe	john.doe@example.com	50,000	24900.0000	3825.0000	21075.0000
3	Sarah	Smith	sarah.smith@example.com	65,000	15700.0000	835.0000	14865.0000
4	David	Johnson	david.johnson@example.com	75,000	18700.0000	820.0000	17880.0000
5	Emily	Brown	emily.brown@example.com	55,000	34300.0000	415.0000	33885.0000
6	Michael	Jones	michael.jones@example.com	70,000	22400.0000	415.0000	21985.0000
7	Amanda	Wilson	amanda.wilson@example.com	60,000	23500.0000	210.0000	23290.0000
9	Jennifer	Miller	jennifer.miller@example.com	55,000	22700.0000	220.0000	22480.0000
10	Christopher	Clark	christopher.clark@example.com	65,000	19600.0000	210.0000	19390.0000
12	William	Lee	william.lee@example.com	60,000	34300.0000	210.0000	34090.0000

FINANCIAL HEALTH SCORE

Utilizes a subquery to calculate the debt-to-income ratio for each user, as well as savings rate relative to income, leveraging debt, asset and user tables, and then assigns a financial health score based on the calculated financial metrics.

```
CREATE VIEW FinancialHealthScore AS
SELECT
  UserID,
  UserName,
  CASE
    WHEN DebtToIncomeRatio <= 0.3 AND SavingsRate >= 0.2 THEN 'Excellent'
    WHEN DebtToIncomeRatio <= 0.4 AND SavingsRate >= 0.1 THEN 'Good'
    WHEN DebtToIncomeRatio <= 0.5 AND SavingsRate >= 0.05 THEN 'Fair'
    ELSE 'Poor'
  END AS HealthScore
FROM
  (SELECT
    d.UserID,
    Concat(u.FirstName, ' ', u.LastName) as UserName,
    SUM(d.OutstandingBalance) / u.Income AS DebtToIncomeRatio,
    (SELECT SUM(Value) FROM Budgeting.Asset WHERE UserID = d.UserID) / u.Income AS SavingsRate
  FROM
    Budgeting.Debt d
  JOIN
    Budgeting.Users u ON d.UserID = u.UserID
  GROUP BY
    d.UserID, u.FirstName, u.LastName, u.Income) AS Subquery;
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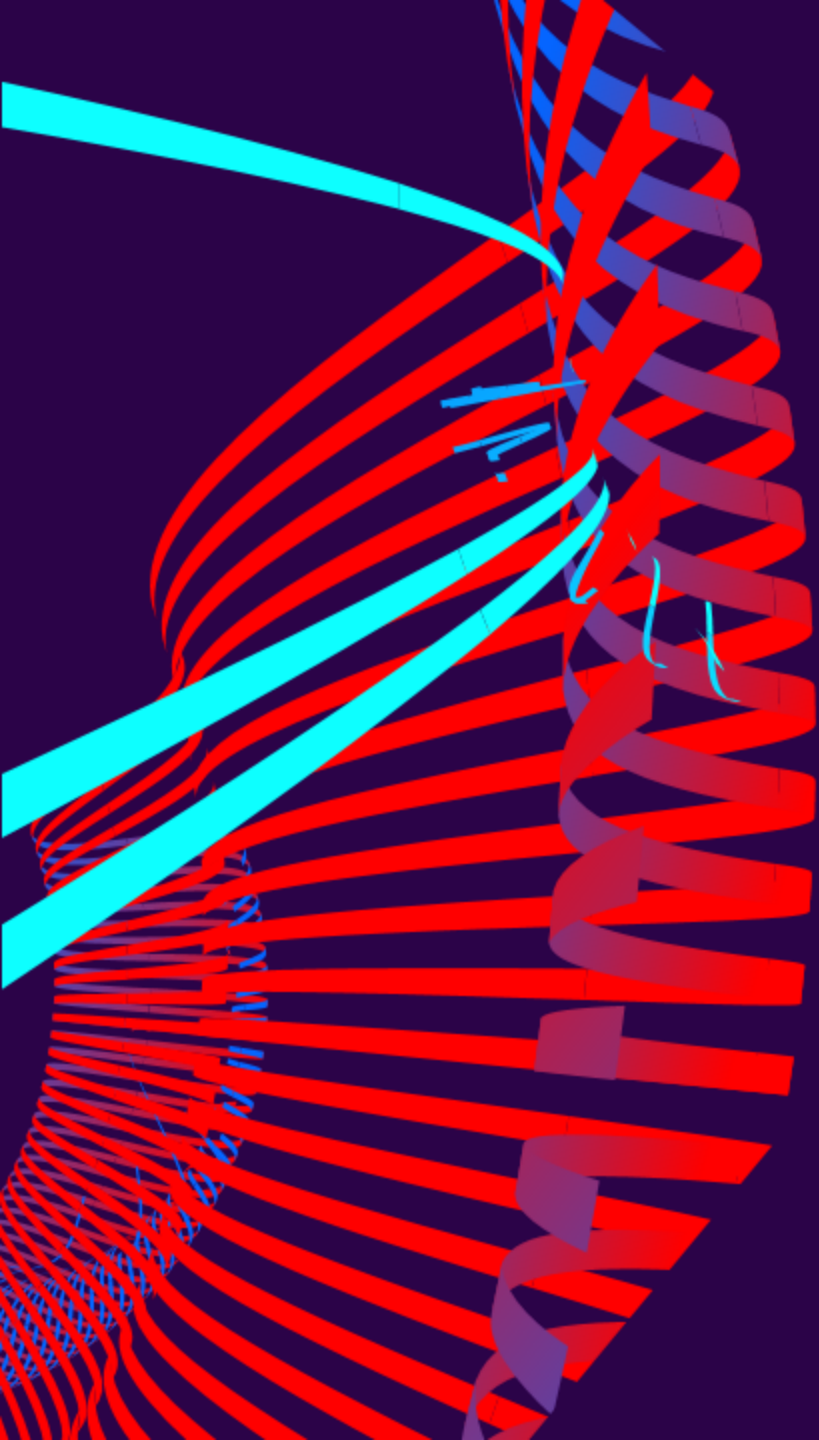
	123 UserID ▼	ABC UserName ▼	ABC HealthScore ▼
1	1	John Doe	Poor
2	2	Jane Doe	Poor
3	3	Sarah Smith	Excellent
4	4	David Johnson	Excellent
5	5	Emily Brown	Excellent
6	6	Michael Jones	Excellent
7	7	Amanda Wilson	Excellent
8	8	Robert Taylor	Excellent
9	9	Jennifer Miller	Excellent
10	10	Christopher Clark	Fair
11	11	Laura Martinez	Excellent

TRANSACTION HISTORY

```
CREATE VIEW TransactionHistory AS
SELECT
  u.UserID,
  Concat(u.FirstName, ' ', u.LastName) as UserName,
  'Inflow' AS TransactionType,
  i.AccountNumber,
  fi.Name as InstitutionName,
  Amount,
  Date
FROM
  Budgeting.Inflow i
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.Accounts a on a.AccountNumber = i.AccountNumber
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.Users u on u.userID = a.UserID
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.FinancialInstitutions fi on i.InstitutionId = fi.InstitutionId
UNION ALL
SELECT
  u.UserID,
  Concat(u.FirstName, ' ', u.LastName) as UserName,
  'Outflow' AS TransactionType,
  o.AccountNumber,
  fi.Name as InstitutionName,
  Amount,
  Date
FROM
  Budgeting.Outflow o
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.Accounts a on o.AccountNumber = a.AccountNumber
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.Users u on u.userID = a.UserID
  LEFT JOIN Budgeting.FinancialInstitutions fi on o.InstitutionId = fi.InstitutionId;
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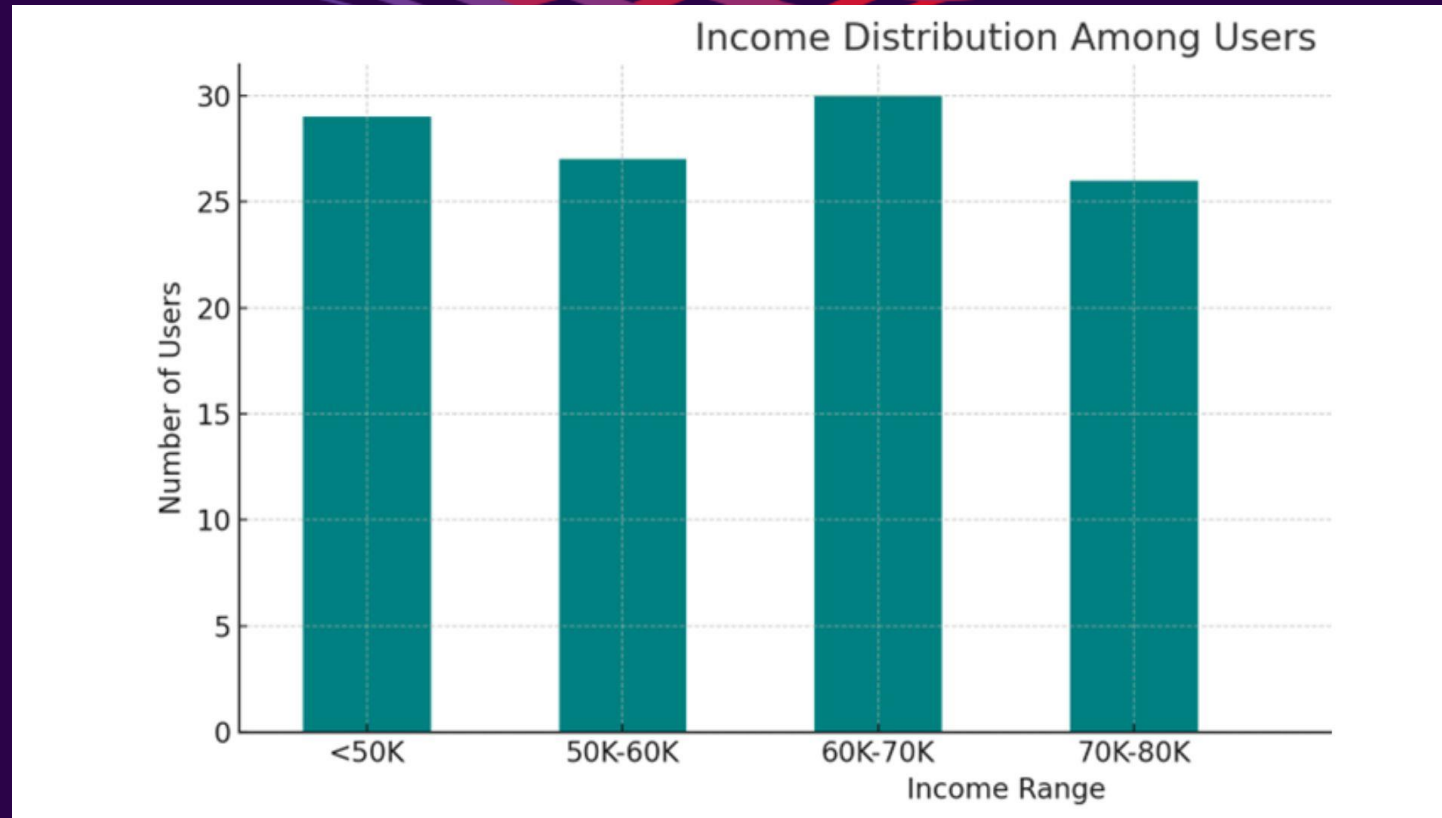
Provides a full picture view of user transactions, regardless of the type, similar to a cash flow statement. It leverages UNION ALL keyword to join the result set of two separate tables, with relevant data.

123 UserID	ABC UserName	ABC TransactionType	ABC AccountNumber	ABC InstitutionName	123 Amount	🕒 Date
1	John Doe	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	1500.0000	2024-04-10
11	Laura Martinez	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	1500.0000	2024-04-10
1	John Doe	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	2000.0000	2024-04-15
11	Laura Martinez	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	2000.0000	2024-04-15
1	John Doe	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	1800.0000	2024-04-20
11	Laura Martinez	Inflow	12345678	Santander Bank	1800.0000	2024-04-20
1	John Doe	Inflow	123456789	Santander Bank	2500.0000	2024-04-10
1	John Doe	Inflow	123456789	Santander Bank	3000.0000	2024-04-15
1	John Doe	Inflow	123456789	Santander Bank	2800.0000	2024-04-20
3	Sarah Smith	Inflow	98765433	Chase Bank	1800.0000	2024-04-10
3	Sarah Smith	Inflow	98765433	Chase Bank	2200.0000	2024-04-15
3	Sarah Smith	Inflow	98765433	Chase Bank	2000.0000	2024-04-20
3	Sarah Smith	Inflow	98765432	Chase Bank	3000.0000	2024-04-10

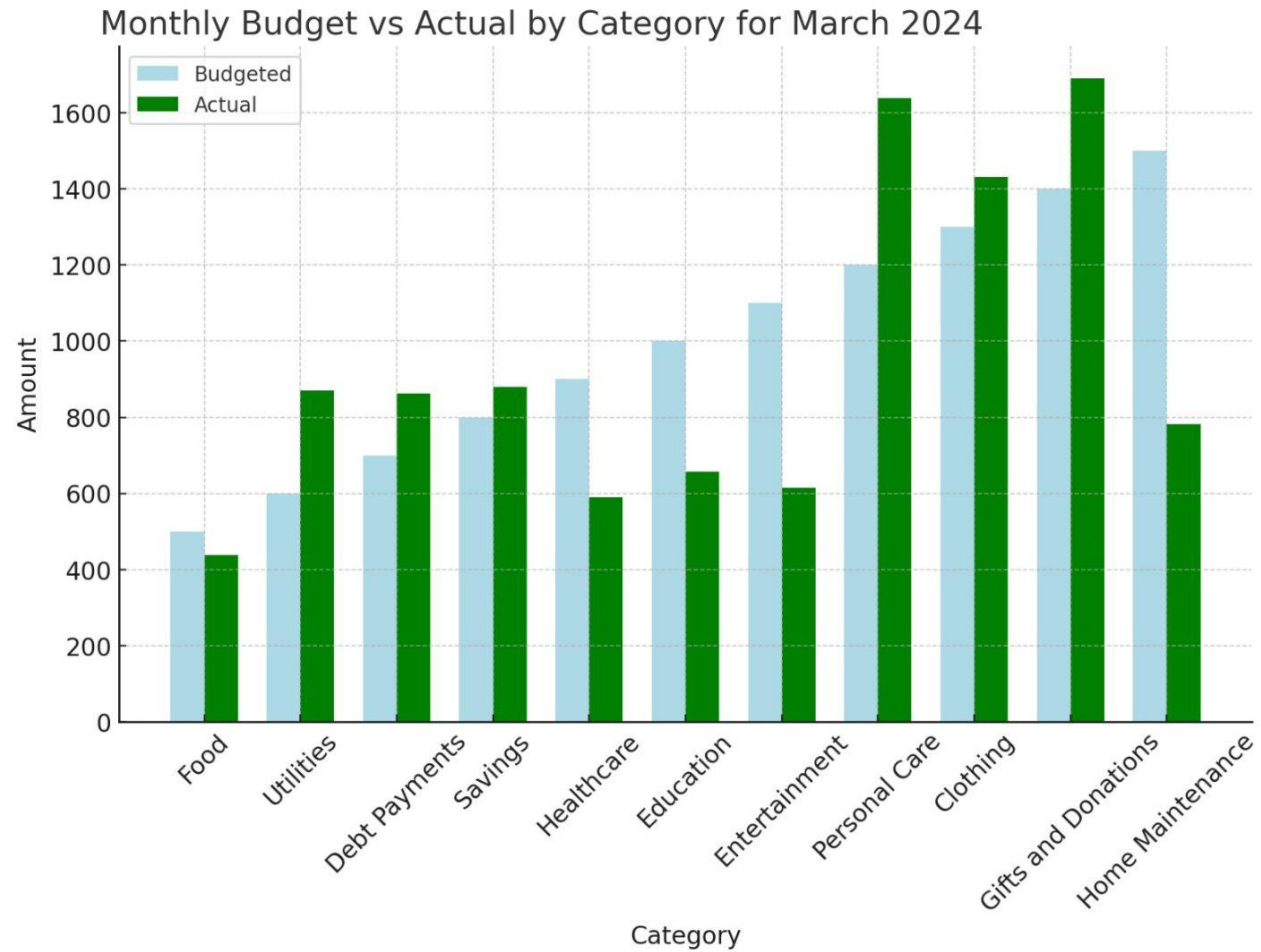


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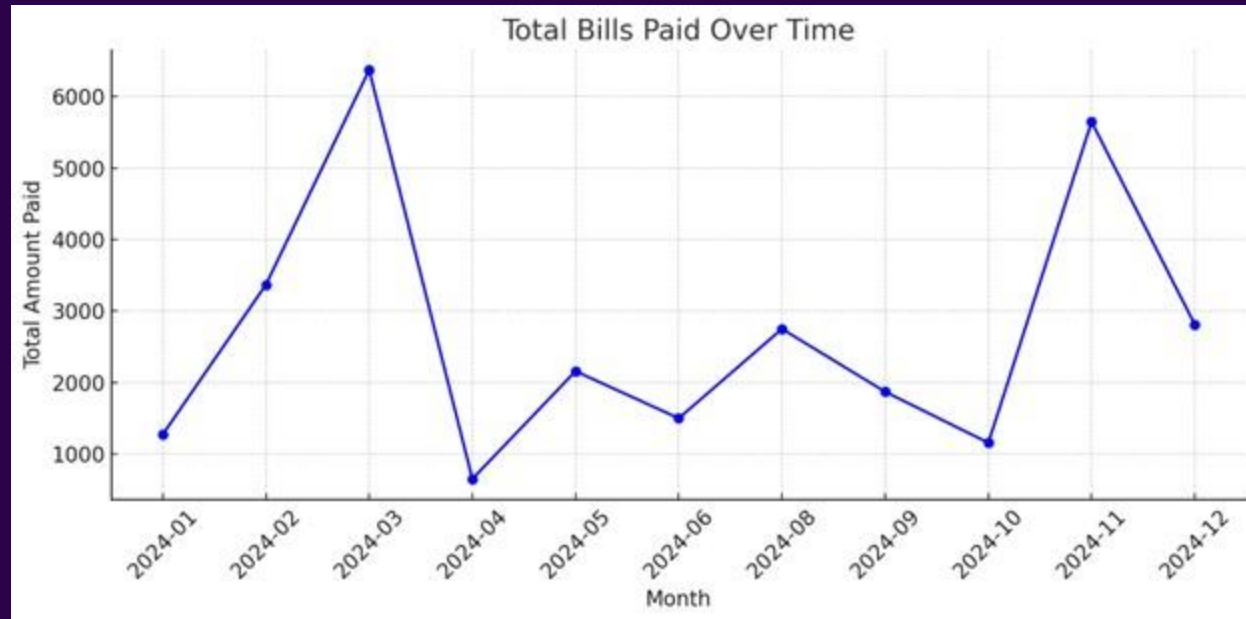
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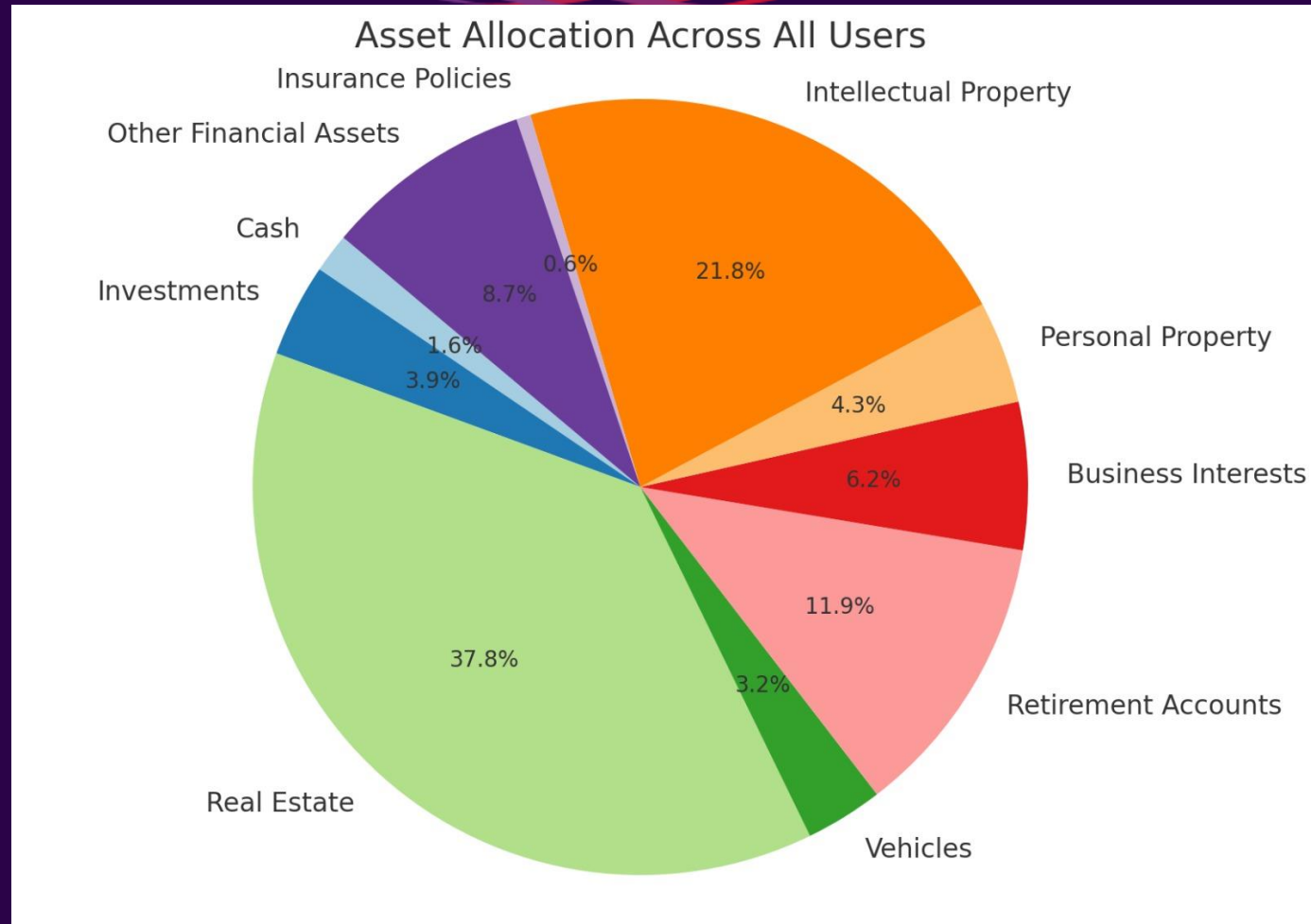
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SUMMARY

We strive to promote financial literacy and wellbeing amongst young adults, who are currently living paycheck to paycheck. We have architected a relational database to be able to scale and support a large number of users and their financial transactions, built checks and balances to support our business model, and constructed views to report on the raw data that we have collected. We believe that this business model will support our users in their path to financial wellbeing.

THANK YOU

Questions?

