COMP0034 Coursework_1

General introduction of file structures:

In the rest API, I define 3 tables in the database including player table, trainer table and the data table. The player table and the trainer table are the tables containing information of users. The data table contains the results of output of machine learning models and the input features reading from the excel. Detailed structure of the database is shown in the fig.1.

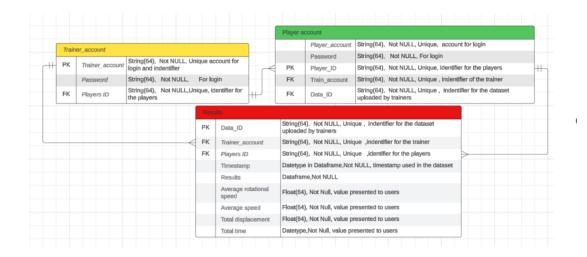


fig.1 The ERD diagrams of the database

The structure of API module is shown in fig.2:

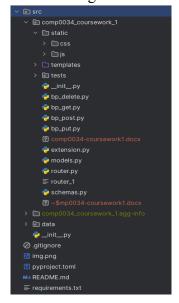


fig.2 The structure of the API

Application part:

As shown in fig.2, the API contains several parts. __init__.py contains the setting of the create_app() functions to create the flask instance. I used blueprints to make the structures of the module clearer and easy to debug. bp_delete, bp_get, bp_put and bp_post contain functions with certain http requests. I deploy the error handlers in the blueprints. Detailed explanation is within code. Extension file is used to import db and ma instances, which avoids location errors when other files importing db and ma. In models.py, I defined the models of the databases from designs of ERD in fig.1. The router file is used for directly call API using code. schemas.py avails packages Marshmallow is used to serialize and deserialize JSON files and database objects in schemas.py. The data file contains the csv file of IMU data.

Test part:

Overall, I run 20 tests for the routes in API. Not only that I tested all the functions in blueprints, but also, I tested some edge situations and whether some errors raised normally with the functions in blueprints. I also tested with different values and see whether the test codes run normally.

As the fig.1, test codes locate in the test directory. In conftest.py, I defined some json variables for the player, trainer, and data row, which makes the structure clearer and easier to debug. Other files are used for the testing of certain functions. Detailed explanations are inside the test files.

The fig.3 demonstrates that all the tests have passed, and fig.4 demonstrates the coverage reports:

fig.3 the test screen shot.

(.venv) PS E:\Programming_Assignments\compθθ34-cw1i-King-in-black> coverage report						
Name	Stmts	Miss	Branch	BrPart	Cover	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\initpy	53	3	10		89%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\bp_delete.py	38				91%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\bp_get.py	43	13			65%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\bp_post.py	64	26	16	1	54%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\bp_put.py	35		8		84%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\extension.py					100%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\models.py	36				100%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\router.py	11	11			0%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\tests\test_delete_functions.py	56				100%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\tests\test_get_functions.py	50				100%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\tests\test_post_functions.py	33				100%	
src\comp0034_coursework_1\tests\test_put_functions.py	35				100%	
TOTAL	535	61	48	8	85%	

fig.4 the coverage reports

From fig.4, we can see that not all the contents of blueprints are tested. That should be the reason of error handler and exception I set. I tested some of the errors but not all of them.

Tools and Techniques:

Instead of importing logging packages, I directly allow pytest to report info level of information from the system configuration to help me to debug.

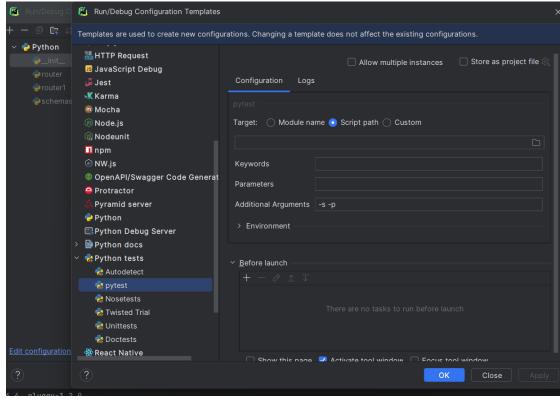


fig.5 the configuration of pytest

Also, I used DB Browser to help me to check the content of database, which helped me to debug the API.

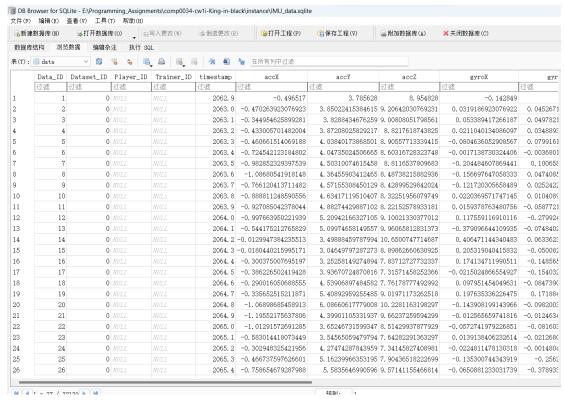


Fig.6 the evidence of using DB browser

The menu is in Chinese, but the content is shown in Fig.6.

Also, I use git for version control often; here are part of records:

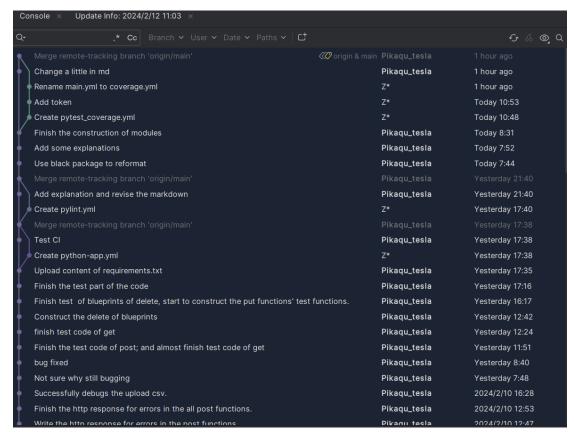


Fig.7 the evidence of using git

Also, I add explanation of file in Readme.md and dependencies in requriment.txt.

Test Suite

The test suite includes files that cover a range of HTTP methods:

- conftest.py configures the testing environment, including the setup of test data in JSON format.
- test_delete_functions.py contains tests for DELETE operations.
- test_get_functions.py contains tests for GET operations.
- test_post_functions.py contains tests for POST operations.
- test_put_functions.py contains tests for PUT operations.

Routing and Configuration

- __init__.py : Defines the _create_app() function to initialize the Flask app and configures it to read from a CSV file.
- bp_delete.py , bp_get.py , bp_post.py , bp_put.py : These are blueprint files used to establish routes within the router.
- \bullet $\,$ extension.py : Imports and initializes the database ($\,$ db $\,$) and Marshmallow ($\,$ ma $\,$) instances.
- · router.py : Enables direct execution of the app through the code, useful for development and testing.
- models.py: Manages database models, providing an abstraction layer over the database.
- schemas.py: Contains Marshmallow schemas that facilitate serialization and deserialization of database models to and from JSON format.

Fig.8 A part of Readme.md

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click==8.1.7
colorama==0.4.6
exceptiongroup==1.2.0
Flask==2.2.5
flask-marshmallow==0.15.0
Flask-SQLAlchemy==3.0.5
greenlet==3.0.3
importlib-metadata==6.7.0
iniconfig==2.0.0
itsdangerous==2.1.2
Jinja2==3.1.3
jsonify==0.5
MarkupSafe==2.1.4
marshmallow==3.19.0
marshmallow-sqlalchemy==0.29.0
numpy==1.21.6
packaging==23.2
pandas==1.3.5
pluggy==1.2.0
pytest==7.4.4
python-dateutil==2.8.2
pytz==2023.3.post1
six==1.16.0
SQLAlchemy==2.0.25
tomli==2.0.1
typing_extensions==4.7.1
Werkzeug==2.2.3
zipp==3.15.0
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Fig.9 the dependencies in requirements.

Also, I add .gitignore to ignore the virtual environment I used for the project.

EXECUTE: King-in-black Merge remote ✓ 8149e21 · 1 hour ago TO 74 Commits				
.github/workflows	Rename main.yml to cover	1 hour ago		
src	Finish the construction of	3 hours ago		
.gitignore	Initial commit	2 weeks ago		
README.md	Change a little in md	1 hour ago		
img.png	Add explanation and revis	14 hours ago		
pyproject.toml	Update the format of the	last week		
requirements.txt	Upload content of require	18 hours ago		

Fig.10 the exists of ignore file

I used CI to use pytest and deploy the workflow in the GitHub. The .github zip in src file demonstrates the CI test code in yml format.

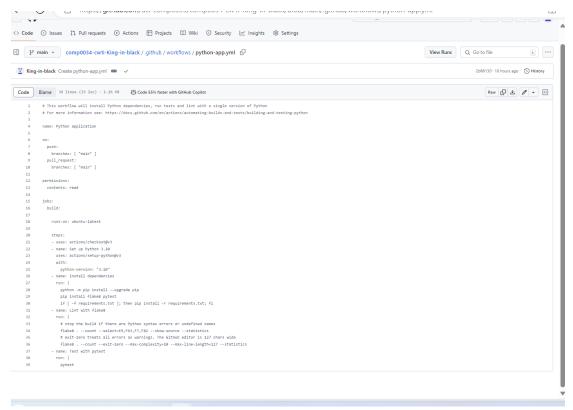


Fig.11 the exists of yml in workflow.

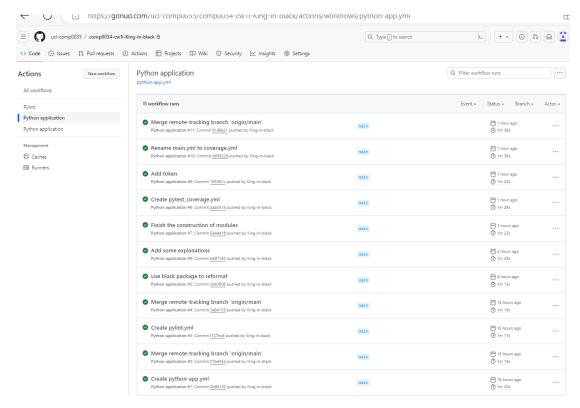
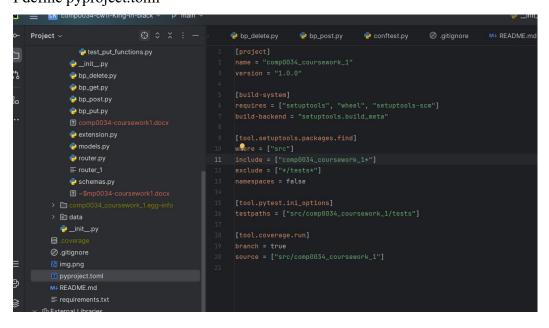


Fig.12 the screen shot of the actions for the projects I also used black package to lint the files to make the files format in a good style:

Fig.13 the evidence of using of black packages.

I define pyproject.toml



Improvements I would like to do but I do not have time:

I would like to change the password type of players and trainers to hash type of password. But the workload for that is large, which needs at least 8 hours to do that. All my test functions and blueprints about it need to change. I hardly have time to do that.

References:

Acknowledgement of AI used:

Chatgpt4.0 and Chatgpt 3.5(published by OPEN AI) is used in help me for coding and proving solutions for my projects. Some of codes are generated and I correct them to fit my project. Some of the codes like yml for CI is directly generated without any changes from the Chatgpt. They also suggested new methods to use in debugging. They also advised new ideas about some concepts taught in comp0034. Also, I used it to polish some written works in the Readme markdown.

Cite of the dataset:

AlSahly, Abdullah. (2022). accelerometer_gyro_mobile_phone_dataset. UCI Machine Learning Repository. https://doi.org/10.3390/s22176513.

GitHub URL:

https://github.com/ucl-comp0035/comp0034-cw1i-King-in-black.git