Assessment

Project: Task Management Application

Overview: Create a Task Management Application where users can add, view, edit, and delete tasks. The application should have a frontend built with **React/Next.js** and a backend built with Node.js and Express. Tasks will be stored in a JSON file or an in-memory array for simplicity. Additionally, the application should demonstrate proficiency in CSS, Bootstrap, Material UI, deployment, and version control with Git.

Requirements:

Backend with Node.js and Express

1. Set Up Express Server:

- Set up a Node.js server with Express to handle HTTP requests.
- Create endpoints to handle the CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) operations for the tasks.

2. Implement CRUD Operations:

- o Create a tasks array or read from a tasks.json file.
- Implement the API endpoints to handle CRUD operations:
 - GET /tasks Get all tasks.
 - POST /tasks Add a new task.
 - PUT /tasks/:id Edit a task.
 - DELETE /tasks/:id Delete a task.

3. Test API Endpoints:

Use Postman or a similar tool to test the API endpoints.

Frontend with React/Next.js

1. Set Up React/Next.js Project:

- Set up a React/Next.js project.
- Ensure React Router or Next.js routing is set up to navigate between pages.

2. Create Components and Services:

- Create components for:
 - Listing tasks
 - Adding/editing tasks
 - A task form component
- Create a service to handle HTTP requests to the backend API.

3. Implement the Task Components and Service:

- Use React forms for adding/editing tasks.
- Use **React fetch** or **Axios** to make API calls to the Node.is backend.

4. Create Task Model:

 Define a Task model to represent the task structure with fields: id, title, description, and completed.

CSS, Bootstrap, and Material UI

1. Responsive Design:

- Ensure the application is fully responsive using **Bootstrap** or CSS Flexbox/Grid.
- Demonstrate how the application looks on different screen sizes (desktop, tablet, mobile).

2. Bootstrap Integration:

- Integrate **Bootstrap** to style the task list, forms, and buttons.
- Use Bootstrap components such as modals, alerts, and navbars.

3. Material UI:

- Replace basic HTML components with **Material UI** components.
- Use Material UI table for the task list, Material UI form controls for the task form, and Material UI buttons.

4. Enhanced UI/UX:

- Implement a modal dialog for adding/editing tasks instead of a separate page.
- Add user feedback with Material UI snackbars for successful operations like task creation, updates, and deletions.

5. Task Status Indicator:

- Use CSS to visually distinguish completed tasks from incomplete ones, such as strikethrough or different background colors.
- Implement progress bars or badges for task priority using Bootstrap or Material UI.

Deployment and Version Control

1. Git Repository:

- o Initialize a Git repository for the project.
- Make regular commits to the repository to show progress and document changes.

2. Deploy the Application:

- o Deploy the Node.js backend on a service like Render.
- Deploy the React/Next.js frontend on a service like Netlify or Vercel.
- o Ensure the deployed application works seamlessly with the backend.