Day 5 - Testing and Backend Refinement - [Comforty Ecommerce]

Project Overview

This project showcases an e-commerce platform designed for optimal user experience and smooth backend integration. The tasks on Day 5 were focused on ensuring robustness in error handling, validating functionality through performance testing, and refining backend integrations for better data processing and user interaction.

Focus Areas:

- Backend Integration: Ensuring smooth data exchange with APIs.
- Error Handling: Managing edge cases like network failures and unexpected server errors.
- Performance Testing: Using Lighthouse to improve load times and responsiveness.

Tools Used

The following tools were used during the development and testing phases:

- Postman: For API testing and debugging.
- React Testing Library: To write and run component tests.
- Lighthouse: For performance, accessibility, SEO, and best practices analysis.
- **TinyPNG**: To optimize image sizes for faster load times.
- Browsers: Tested on Chrome, and Edge.

Testing Methodology

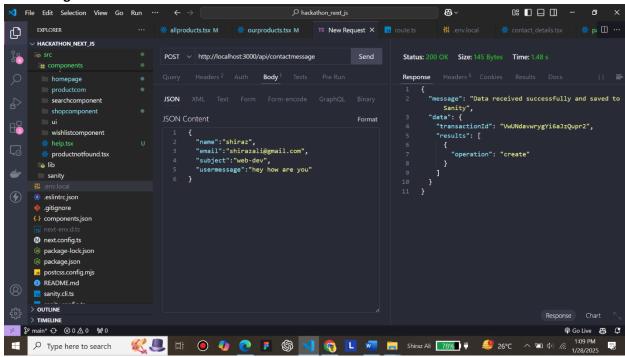
Our testing strategy for Day 5 involved a combination of different testing techniques to ensure robustness and reliability:

- 1. API Testing: Using Postman to validate all endpoints and ensure they return the expected data.
- Unit Testing: Implementing tests for individual components using React Testing Library.
- 3. **Performance Testing**: Optimizing images with TinyPNG and testing website performance with Lighthouse.
- 4. **Cross-Browser Testing**: Ensuring compatibility across multiple browsers (Chrome, Firefox, Safari, and Edge).

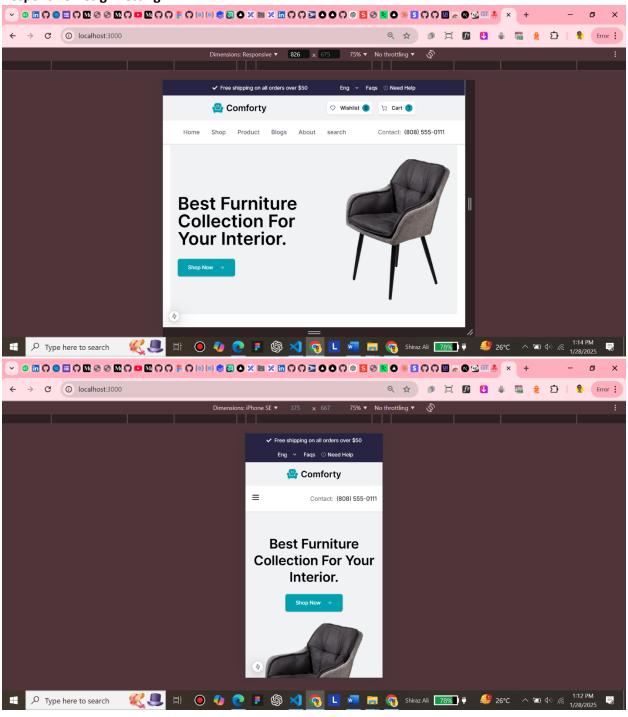
Screenshots

Application Development and Testing Process

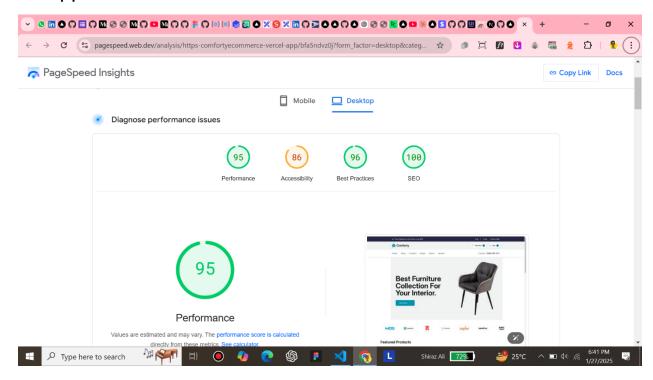
API Testing with Postman:



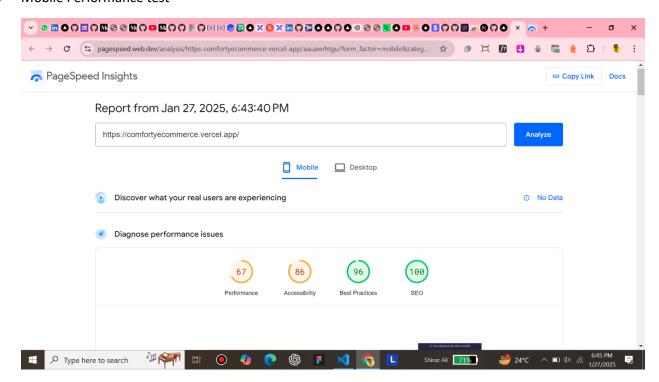
• Responsive Design Testing:



• Desktop performance test



• Mobile Performance test



Lighthouse Report

Summary

Desktop

• **Performance:** 95

• Accessibility: 86

• **Best Practices:** 96

• **SEO**: 100

Mobile

• Performance: 67

• Accessibility: 86

• Best Practices: 96

• **SEO**: 100

Key Areas for Improvement:

- JavaScript Execution Time: Reduce JavaScript execution time to improve load speed.
- Main-Thread Work: Minimize work on the main thread for better responsiveness.
- **Speed Index:** Optimize speed index performance to improve perceived load time.

Testing Report

You can download the full testing report in CSV format {link}

References

- Hackathon Guidelines
- Tools Used: Postman, React Testing Library, TinyPNG, Lighthouse, Chrome, Firefox, Safari, Edge,
- Author:
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