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Report: Reddit Loading Screen

Introduction

It is about designing and creating a loading screen animation for the Reddit app. So, the assignment involved identifying a popular app's design flaw. So, I thought, instead of identifying minor mistakes in an existing design, let's design something new.

Background

While reviewing various apps, I came across **Reddit** as the **5th** most widely used app and my favourite, lacking a loading screen, especially in its dark mode. So, it was an opportunity to design an awesome App loading screen.

Approach

Instead of fixing minor problems in an existing design, I created a loading screen animation for the Reddit app.

Design and Implementation

I made the loading screen animation for the Reddit app using a design tool called Figma. The animation smoothly changes from a blank screen to an attractive loading animation that matches the style of Reddit. I found the inspiration for it on Reddit itself.

Results

The **Figma** loading screen design can be accessed via the following link:

**https://www.figma.com/file/WsKG5UB5XWRYWf1OaYZ7Ve/Untitled?type=design&node-id=0%3A1&mode=design&t=vhOQJvrVaUbD6JHf-1**

Additionally, a video showcasing the animation has been uploaded to Google Drive, accessible here:

**https://drive.google.com/file/d/14QIKcs\_zcn1i-fC3rqHYJoO86eP2lOyC/view?usp=sharing**