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**Group A**

**Food Order Recommendation System**  
**Discovery Phase**

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# Executive Summary

- The food order recommendation software is a web-based application designed to improve customer satisfaction and increase revenue for restaurants and food delivery services.
- The software collects data on customer preferences, order history, and other relevant information to create personalized recommendations for each customer.
- It uses machine learning algorithms to continuously improve the accuracy of its recommendations over time.
- By providing personalized recommendations the food order recommendation software helps businesses stand out from their competitors and build lasting relationships with their customers.



# Understanding and Approach

## Our Understanding

We have to develop a web application for a food order recommendation system that has the following features:

- Allows users to order food, review orders, cancel orders and rate restaurants.
- Display order recommendations on the Dashboard UI.
- Display restaurant recommendations on the search bar.

## Our Approach

- An **AI/ML model** has to be developed with the help of the dataset which can predict food or restaurants to the user based on his/her previous orders.
- The **Frontend** team will be working on the creation of pages like login, user dashboard, search results tab, order placing page and every details regarding the UI/UX.
- The **Backend** will work on displaying the food or restaurant recommendations to the user and for providing the functionalities of the website.

# Scope of Work

The scope of work for this system includes:

- **Home Page**
  - Basic information about website
- **Login Page**
  - User authentication and authorization
  - Sign in with Google account (Optional Feature)
- **Sign Up page**
  - Reading user data such as Name, Age, Address
- **User Dashboard**
  - Recommended Orders Section
  - Search Bar
- **Restaurant Page**
  - Display restaurant details
  - Option to add item to cart
  - Indicator regarding Grievances
    - Status - Green, Orange and Red
- **Cart**
  - Proceed to payment
  - Order Details
  - Rate the restaurants and their services



# Scope of Work

- **Payment Page (Mockup)**
  - Select Payment Option
  - Read payment information from user
  - Proceed to pay
- **Order on Way page (Mockup)**
  - Delivery Time
  - Cancel Order
    - Gets disabled after a threshold time
- **Grievance page**
  - Register complaint regarding Restaurants and Previous Orders



# Out of Scope

The following tasks are considered out of scope for this project:

- **Nutritional Analysis**
  - The system does not provide a detailed nutritional analysis of the food.
- **Delivery Logistics**
  - While the system may suggest food items or meals to users, it would not be responsible for handling delivery logistics or coordinating with delivery drivers.
- **Payment processing**
  - This system does not include processing of payments or handling of financial transactions

# Technology Landscape

## Frontend:



React.js



HTML/CSS



JavaScript



Figma

## AI/ML:



Jupyter Notebook



Flask

## Backend:



django



django Rest Framework



Python



MySQL

## Other:



Visual Studio Code



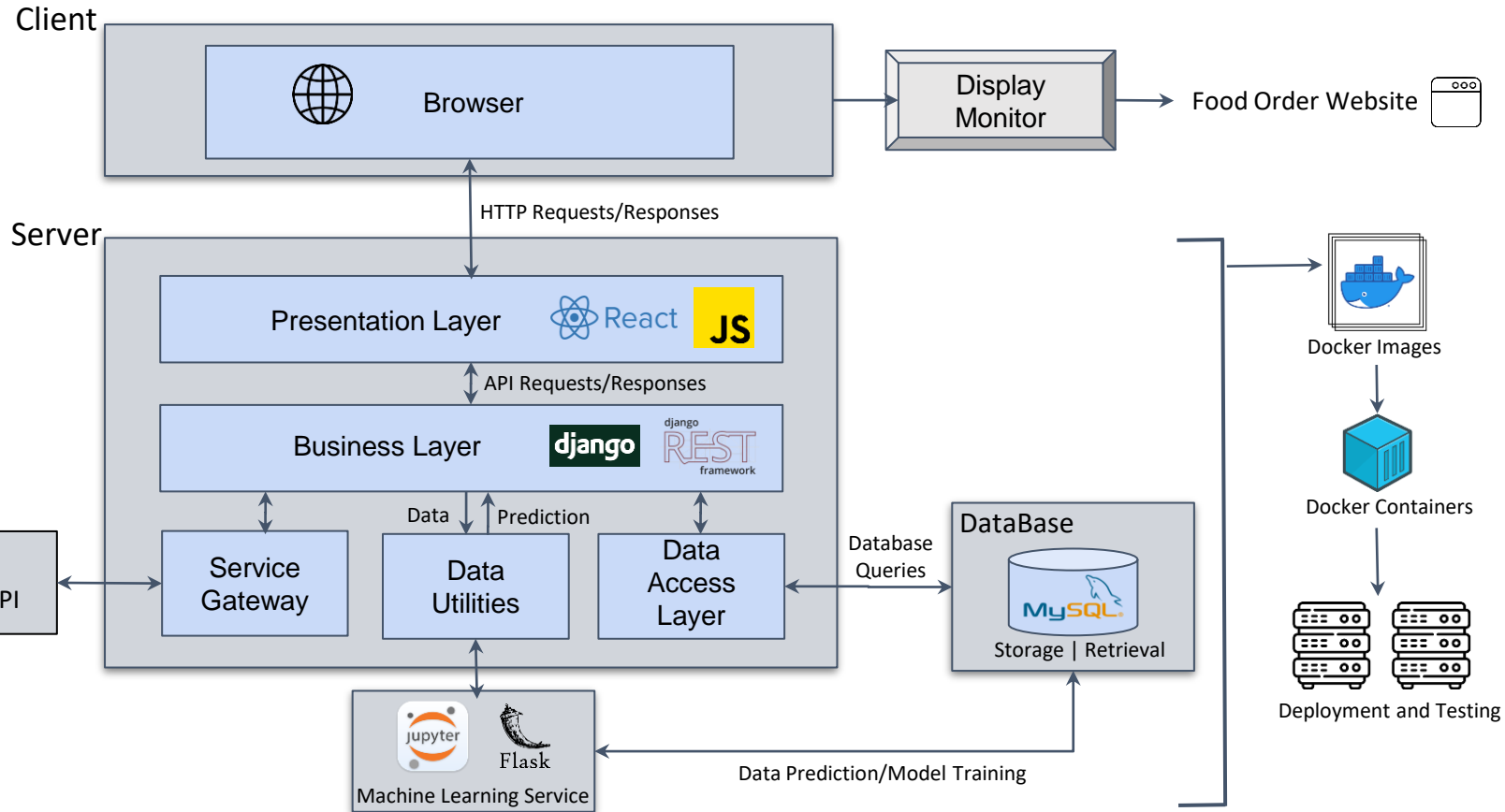
Docker



Git



# Proposed Architecture



## Data Exploration for ML Model

- By using hybrid filtering algorithm, the model will recommend based on collaborative filtering and content based filtering methods.
- In collaborative filtering, If the current customer has not bought the goods or services like the matched customers, the algorithm will recommend this goods and services to the current customer.
- Content based filtering algorithm recommends food items based on the similarity of their attributes with the user's past preferences.
- By performing exploratory data analysis on the dataset, the identified features for building the machine learning model are : `location_type`, `mean_rating`, `serving_distance`, `opening_hours`, `item_names`, `deliver_charge`, `gender`, `cuisine_type`, `is_breakfast` and `is_favourite`.
- The model will predict recommended dishes as well as recommended restaurants for the user in user dashboard and search respectively.
- The target variable of the prediction will be `dish_id` and `vendor_id` for dish recommendation and restaurant recommendation respectively.

## Version Control

- GitHub Strategy version control system is to be used to manage the code throughout the project.
- This makes it easier to manage changes to the code, and ensures that the code can be rolled back if needed.



## Containerization

- Docker is used as the containerization tool to package the code into containers.
- It can help to deploy and manage the application, and ensures that it can be deployed consistently across different environments.



## Model Management

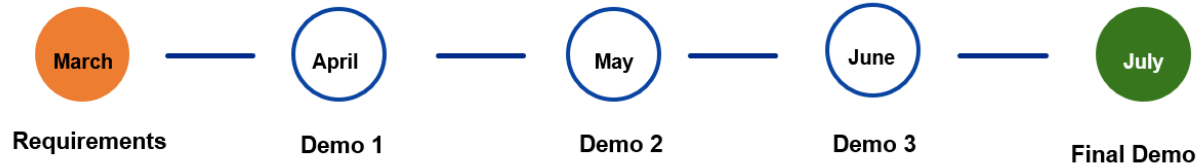
- Model management in Jupyter Notebook will allow for efficient experimentation with different models and easy deployment of the final trained models to the web application.



## Proposed Team- Short Term

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# Project Phases and Timelines



## Phase 1: End of April

- Creation of web pages
- Identification of correlated features for ML Model

## Phase 2: End of May

- Setting up of functionalities of the website
- Finalisation of ML Model

## Phase 3: End of June

- Fully functional website with integrated Frontend, Backend and AI/ML model

## Phase 4: End of July

- Final Demo and Deployment of proposed website



# Dependencies and Assumptions

## Dependencies:

- The system will depend on an internet connection for communication with external systems, such as Service gateways.
- The system will depend on the availability of APIs provided by third-party systems such as obtaining OAuth 2.0 client credentials from the Google API Console.
- The system will depend on the availability of up-to-date and accurate food menu data from the restaurant owners.

## Assumptions:

- The food order system will be developed using Python programming language.
- The system will be developed using Agile development methodology.
- The system will be developed to run on browsers running on Windows, MacOS.
- The users will have basic computer skills and knowledge of how to use a web-based application.
- The data used in the system will be accurate and valid.



# Thank You