

## Project Design Phase-II

### Technology Stack (Architecture & Stack)

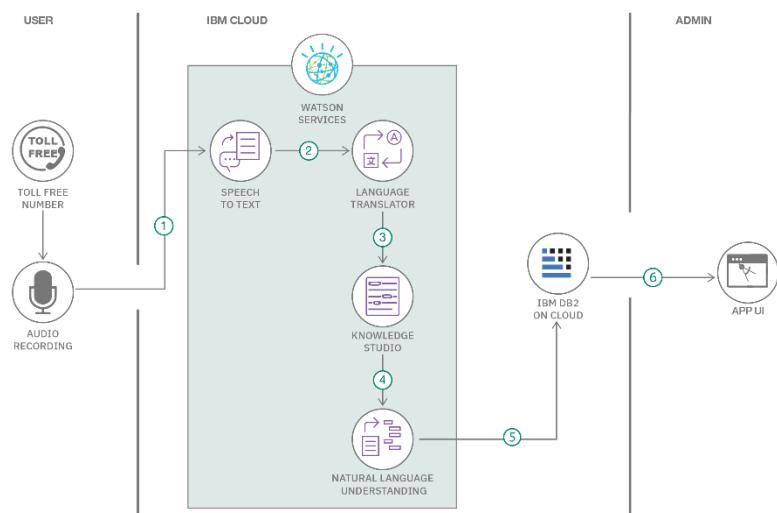
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| Date          | 19 February 2026  |
| Team ID       | LTVIP2026TMIDS89552   |
| Project Name  | Smart Sorting: Transfer Learning for Identifying Rotten Fruits and Vegetables |
| Maximum Marks | 4 Marks   |

#### Technical Architecture:

The Deliverable shall include the architectural diagram as below and the information as per the table1 & table 2

**Example: Order processing during pandemics for offline mode**

**Reference:** <https://developer.ibm.com/patterns/ai-powered-backend-system-for-order-processing-during-pandemics/>



#### Guidelines:

- Include all the processes (As an application logic / Technology Block)
- Provide infrastructural demarcation (Local / Cloud)
- Indicate external interfaces (third party API's etc.)
- Indicate Data Storage components / services
- Indicate interface to machine learning models (if applicable)

**Table-1 : Components & Technologies:**

| S.No | Component                       | Description   | Technology                             |
|------|---------------------------------|---|--|
| 1.   | User Interface                  | Web-based interface where users can upload an image of a fruit or vegetable and receive freshness classification results.   | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Flask Templates |
| 2.   | Application Logic-1             | Handles image upload, preprocessing and sending image to the trained CNN model for prediction.  | Python, Flask                          |
| 3.   | Application Logic-2             | Implements image preprocessing and model inference using transfer learning (VGG16).   | TensorFlow, Keras, NumPy               |
| 4.   | Application Logic-3             | Loads the trained model (.h5 file), manages prediction results, and returns classification output.  | TensorFlow / Keras Model Loading       |
| 5.   | Database                        | Stores model training dataset (Fruits & Vegetables images categorized as Fresh and Rotten).   | Local File System Dataset              |
| 6.   | Cloud Database                  | Database Service on Cloud   | IBM DB2, IBM Cloudant etc.             |
| 7.   | File Storage                    | Stores uploaded user images temporarily for prediction and stores trained model file.   | Local File System, .h5 Model File      |
| 8.   | External API-1                  | Future integration for supply chain or farm data monitoring.  | Agriculture Data APIs (Future Scope)   |
| 9.   | External API-2                  | Future integration for storage and quality monitoring systems   | Smart Storage APIs (Future Scope)      |
| 10.  | Machine Learning Model          | Classifies fruits and vegetables into Fresh and Rotten categories across multiple classes.  | VGG16, TensorFlow, Keras               |
| 11.  | Infrastructure (Server / Cloud) | Local Server Configuration: Application deployed using Flask on local system via VS Code.<br>Cloud Server Configuration : Model training performed in Google Colab. | Flask, Google Colab, Python            |

**Table-2: Application Characteristics:**

| S.No | Characteristics          | Description  | Technology   |
|------|--------------------------|--|--|
| 1.   | Open-Source Frameworks   | Frameworks used for ML model development and web deployment.   | TensorFlow, Keras, Flask, NumPy, Matplotlib, OpenCV.   |
| 2.   | Security Implementations | Basic security for image upload validation and server-side processing.   | Flask file validation, secure_filename, restricted file formats (JPG/PNG), input sanitization. |
| 3.   | Scalable Architecture    | 3-tier architecture (UI → Flask backend → CNN model) with future cloud deployment capability.                          | Flask + TensorFlow + Docker (future scope) + Cloud deployment                                  |
| 4.   | Availability             | Can be deployed on cloud platforms for continuous access and scalability.  | AWS / GCP / Azure (future scope), Cloud VM deployment.   |
| 5.   | Performance              | Optimized using Transfer Learning (VGG16), image resizing, Early Stopping to prevent overfitting, fast inference time. | VGG16, EarlyStopping.  |

**References:**

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