

# EXPERIMENT NO.5

**Aim :** To apply navigation , routing and gestures in Flutter app

**Theory:**

## **Navigation:**

- Navigation refers to the process of moving between different screens or "routes" within the app.
- Flutter provides the Navigator class, which manages a stack of routes and facilitates navigation between them.
- You can push new routes onto the stack using Navigator.push() and remove routes using Navigator.pop().
- Named routes can be pre-defined in the app's route table, making it easier to navigate to specific screens by providing their names.
- Nested navigation allows for hierarchical navigation structures, such as tab-based navigation or modal dialogs.

## **Routing:**

- Routing involves defining and managing the routes or paths that users can take through the app.
- Routes are logical representations of screens or pages within the app and are associated with unique identifiers (route names or route keys).
- Route management includes defining routes, specifying transitions between routes, passing data between routes, and handling route navigation events.

## **Gestures:**

- Gestures enable users to interact with the app's UI elements through touch-based interactions.
- Flutter provides a wide range of gesture recognizers, such as GestureDetector, InkWell, Draggable, LongPressGestureDetector, etc., to detect and respond to user gestures.
- Gesture recognizers can detect taps, swipes, drags, pinches, and other touch-based actions, allowing for rich and intuitive user interactions. ● You can customize gesture behaviors, such as sensitivity, velocity, and directionality, to meet specific app requirements.

By implementing navigation, routing, and gestures effectively in your Flutter app, you can create a smooth and engaging user experience, enabling users to navigate between screens, interact with UI elements, and perform actions with ease

### Code:

```
import 'package:blogapp/screens/AdvertisementScreen.dart';
import 'package:flutter/material.dart';
import 'package:blogapp/screens/add_post.dart';
import 'package:blogapp/screens/detail_screen.dart';
import 'package:blogapp/screens/option_screen.dart';
// import 'package:blogapp/screens/advertisement_screen.dart'; // Import your
AdvertisementScreen
import 'package:firebase_auth/firebase_auth.dart';
import 'package:firebase_database/firebase_database.dart';
import 'package:firebase_database/ui/firebase_animated_list.dart';

class HomeScreen extends StatefulWidget {
  const HomeScreen({Key? key});

  @override
  State<HomeScreen> createState() => _HomeScreenState();
}

final FirebaseAuth _auth = FirebaseAuth.instance;

class _HomeScreenState extends State<HomeScreen> {
  late DatabaseReference dbRef;

  @override
  void initState() {
    super.initState();
    dbRef =
      FirebaseDatabase.instance.reference().child('Posts').child('Blog List');
  }

  @override
  Widget build(BuildContext context) {
    return Scaffold(
      appBar: AppBar(
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backgroundColor: Colors.deepOrange,
title: Text('My Blogs'),
centerTitle: true,
leading: Builder(
  builder: (BuildContext context) {
    return IconButton(
      icon: Icon(Icons.menu),
      onPressed: () {
        Scaffold.of(context).openDrawer();
      },
    );
  },
),
),
drawer: Drawer(
  child: Container(
    // Your existing drawer code...
    color: Colors.orange[100],
    child: ListView(
      padding: EdgeInsets.zero,
      children: [
        const DrawerHeader(
          decoration: BoxDecoration(
            color: Colors.deepOrange,
          ),
          child: Text(
            'Blog App',
            style: TextStyle(
              color: Colors.black,
              fontSize: 24,
            ),
          ),
        ),
        ListTile(
          title: const Text(
            'Logout',
            style: TextStyle(
              color: Colors.black,
            ),
          ),
          leading: Icon(Icons.logout_rounded),
          onTap: () {
            _logout();
            Navigator.pop(context);
          },
        ),
      ],
    ),
  ),
);

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        },
      ),
    ],
  ),
),
body: Container(
  color: Colors.orange[100],
  child: Column(
    children: [
      Expanded(
        child: FirebaseAnimatedList(
          query: dbRef,
          itemBuilder: (BuildContext context, DataSnapshot snapshot,
            Animation<double> animation, int index) {
            return _buildBlogPost(context, snapshot);
          },
        ),
      ),
    ],
  ),
),
floatingActionButton: Column(
  mainAxisAlignment: MainAxisAlignment.end,
  children: [
    FloatingActionButton(
      onPressed: () {
        Navigator.push(
          context,
          MaterialPageRoute(builder: (context) => const AddPostScreen()),
        );
      },
      child: const Icon(Icons.add),
      backgroundColor: Colors.deepOrange,
    ),
    SizedBox(height: 16),
    FloatingActionButton(
      onPressed: () {
        Navigator.push(
          context,
          MaterialPageRoute(builder: (context) => AdvertisementScreen()),
        );
      },
      child: const Icon(

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        Icons.ad_units), // Use an appropriate icon for advertisements
        backgroundColor: Colors.blue, // Customize the color as needed
      ),
    ],
  ),
);
}

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```

Widget _buildBlogPost(BuildContext context, DataSnapshot snapshot) {
  double cardHeight = 120.0;

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  if (snapshot.value is Map<dynamic, dynamic>?) {
    Map<dynamic, dynamic>? data = snapshot.value as Map<dynamic, dynamic>?;

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    String title = data?['pTitle'] ?? 'No Title';
    String description = data?['pDescription'] ?? 'No Description';
    String imageUrl = data?['pImage'] ?? "";

```

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    return InkWell(
      onTap: () {
        _navigateToDetailScreen(context, title, description, imageUrl);
      },
      child: Card(
        elevation: 5,
        margin: EdgeInsets.all(10),
        child: SizedBox(
          height: cardHeight,
          child: Row(
            crossAxisAlignment: CrossAxisAlignment.start,
            children: [
              Padding(
                padding: const EdgeInsets.only(left: 8.0),
                child: SizedBox(
                  width: 80,
                  height: cardHeight,
                  child: FadeInImage(
                    placeholder: AssetImage('images/logo1.png'),
                    image: NetworkImage(imageUrl),
                    height: 20,
                    width: 20,
                  ),
                ),
              ),
            ],
          ),
          child: SizedBox(width: 20),

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Expanded(
  child: Column(
    crossAxisAlignment: CrossAxisAlignment.start,
    children: [
      Text(
        title,
        style: TextStyle(fontSize: 25),
      ),
      SizedBox(height: 10),
      Text(
        description,
        style: TextStyle(fontSize: 20),
      ),
    ],
  ),
),
],
),
),
),
);
} else {
  return Card(
    elevation: 5,
    margin: EdgeInsets.all(10),
    child: SizedBox(
      height: cardHeight,
      child: Column(
        children: [
          Text('Error: Invalid data format'),
        ],
      ),
    ),
  );
}
}

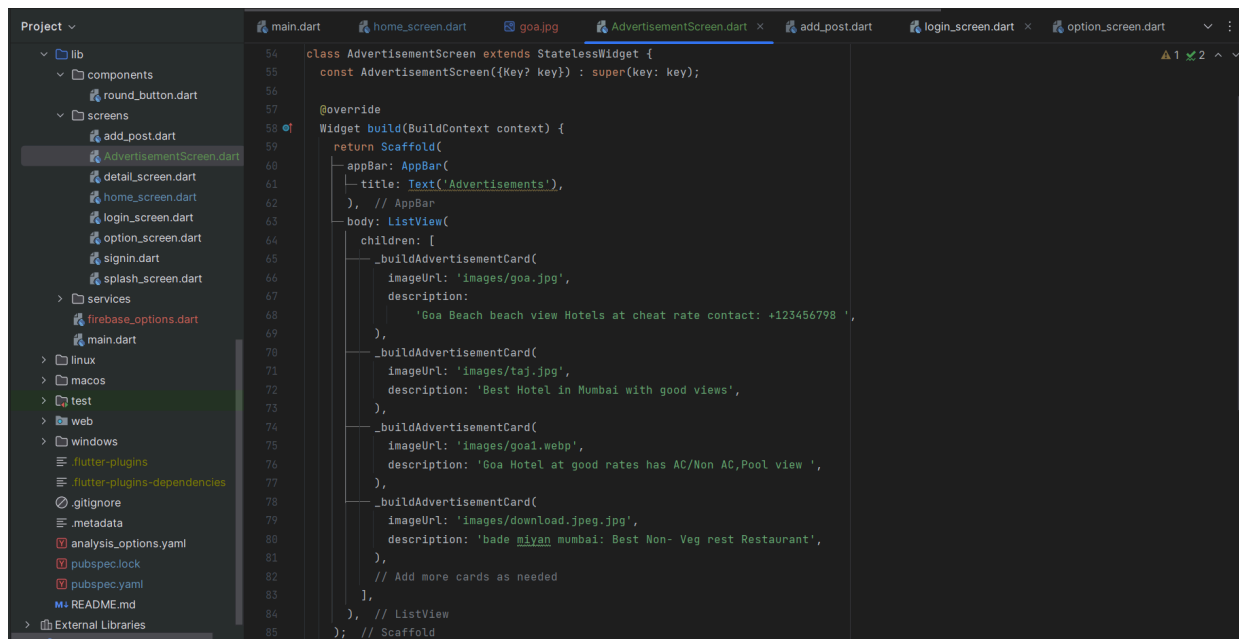
```

```

Future<void> _logout() async {
  try {
    await _auth.signOut();
    Navigator.pushReplacement(
      context,
      MaterialPageRoute(builder: (context) => OptionScreen()),
    );
  }
}

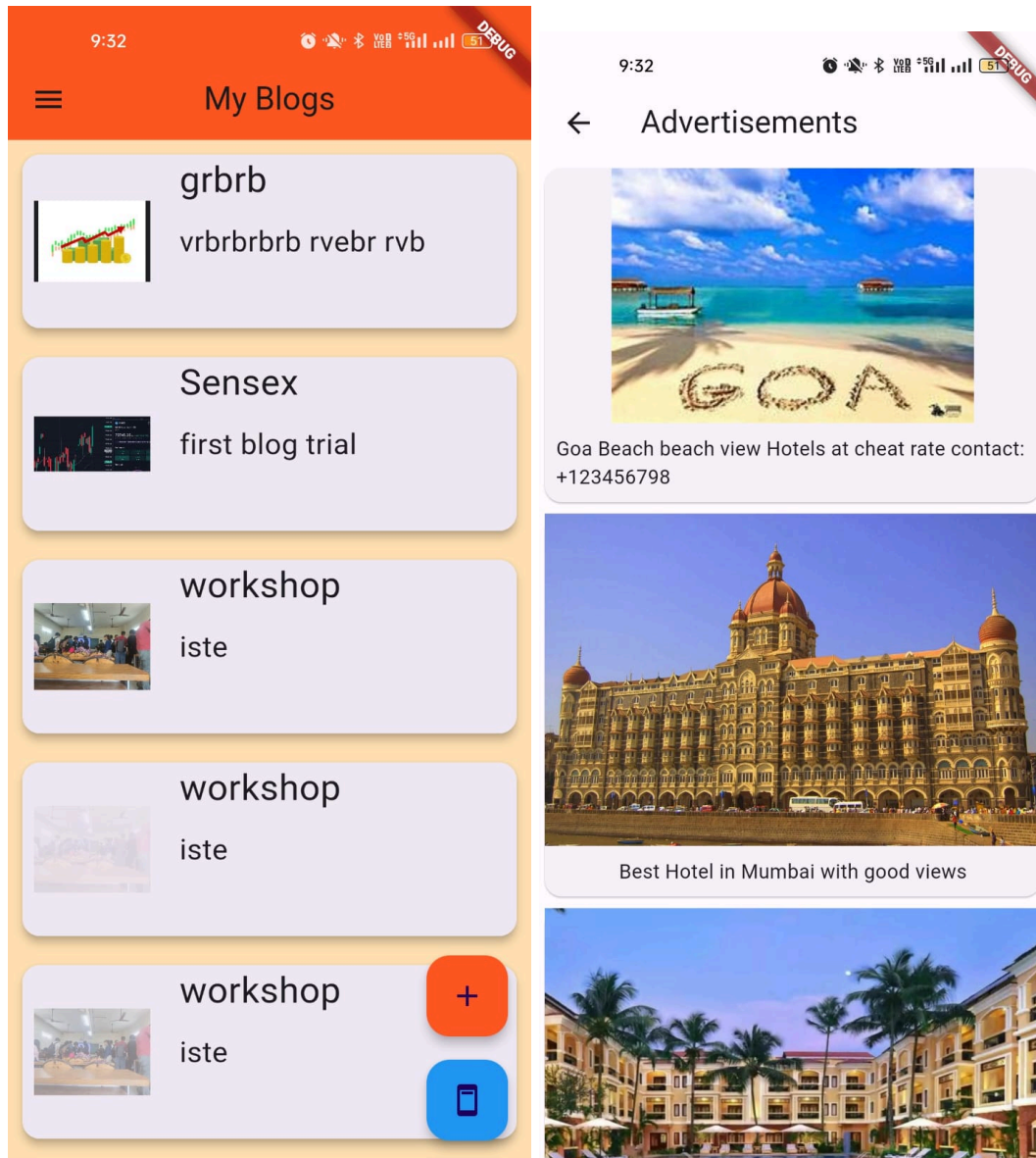
```

```
} catch (e) {  
  print('Error logging out: $e');  
  ScaffoldMessenger.of(context).showSnackBar(  
    SnackBar(  
      content: Text('Error logging out'),  
      duration: Duration(seconds: 2),  
      backgroundColor: Colors.red,  
    ),  
  );  
}  
}  
  
void _navigateToDetailScreen(  
  BuildContext context, String title, String description, String imageUrl) {  
  Navigator.push(  
    context,  
    MaterialPageRoute(  
      builder: (context) => DetailScreen(  
        title: title,  
        description: description,  
        imageUrl: imageUrl,  
      ),  
    ),  
  );  
}  
}
```





## Output:



**Conclusion:** Thus we have implemented navigation and routing in our app.