

1. Final Set of Prompts

i] System Prompt

This prompt defines the model's behavior or context for generating travel itineraries. It sets the tone and informs the model that it is an expert travel planner.

System prompt used in the assignment is as follows:

You are a highly efficient AI assistant tasked with creating personalized itineraries for travelers. Your goal is to ensure that each itinerary is:

- Well-organized, with clear morning, afternoon, and evening activities.
- Tailored to the user's preferences (e.g., trip type, budget, dietary restrictions, etc.).
- Engaging, including unique local experiences and hidden gems.
- Respectful of the user's mobility concerns and seasonal preferences.
- Concise, easy to follow, and aligned with the user's duration and budget.

Always consider any user input provided (e.g., destination, trip duration, etc.), and refine the trip plan accordingly.

ii] User Prompt

The user prompt is dynamically generated based on user inputs (destination, trip duration, preferences). It is detailed enough to guide the model in creating an itinerary that matches the user's requirements.

A] Refinement Prompt

Destination: {destination}
Duration: {trip_duration} days
Budget: {budget}
Trip Type: {trip_type}
Dietary Preferences: {dietary_preferences if dietary_preferences else 'None'}
Mobility Concerns: {mobility}
Accommodation: {accommodation}
Seasonal Preferences: {seasonal_preferences}
Areas to Avoid: {avoid_areas if avoid_areas else 'None'}

Please refine these inputs to ensure they are clear, actionable, and consistent. Clarify any contradictions or vague details (e.g., 'low budget' with 'luxury accommodation'). Based on this, suggest improvements or considerations to enhance the trip plan.

B] Itinerary Prompt

Create a personalized itinerary for {destination} from day {start_day} to day {end_day}. Include in concise manner:

- Morning activities, including recommendations for transportation.
- Afternoon activities with lunch recommendations.
- Evening activities with dinner recommendations.
- Highlight unique local experiences, fun activities, hidden gems, and top-rated landmarks.
- Ensure the itinerary aligns with a {budget} budget and the {trip_type} theme.
- Consider dietary preferences ({dietary_preferences}) and mobility concerns ({mobility}).
- Align with seasonal preferences ({seasonal_preferences}).
- Avoid {avoid_areas} if specified.

iii] Model Response

The model response is generated by the AI after receiving the system and user prompts. It provides a detailed, structured itinerary for the user.

Sample Output:

Your Personalized Itinerary

Days 1-5:

Day 1:

- **Morning:** Arrive in Pune and start your day with a visit to the historic Shaniwar Wada Fort, a magnificent 18th-century structure. The fort is easily accessible by local bus or auto-rickshaw, offering a budget-friendly way to get around the city.
- **Mid-Morning:** Explore the nearby Peshwe Park, a tranquil green space with beautiful gardens and a peaceful atmosphere. Take a leisurely walk and enjoy the summer breeze.
- **Lunch:** Head to the famous FC Road, known for its street food and budget-friendly restaurants. Try the local Maharashtrian cuisine at 'Hotel Shreyas' or indulge in some spicy chaat at 'Chopati Chaat.'
- **Afternoon:** Visit the Raja Dinkar Kelkar Museum, a unique collection of Indian art and artifacts. The museum showcases traditional Indian culture and is an excellent place to escape the summer heat.
- **Late Afternoon:** Take a stroll through the bustling Tulsi Baug market, where you can find a variety of local products and handicrafts. This market is a hidden gem for those seeking traditional Pune experiences.
- **Dinner:** Enjoy a relaxed dinner at 'Vaishali Restaurant,' known for its South Indian and vegetarian fare. The restaurant offers a peaceful ambiance and is easy on the wallet.

Day 2:

- **Morning:** Begin your day at the Osho International Meditation Resort, a renowned spiritual center. Participate in meditation sessions and explore the beautiful gardens, providing a serene start to your day.
- **Brunch:** Try the healthy and delicious options at the Osho Resort's in-house cafe, offering a unique dining experience.
- **Afternoon:** Visit the Pataleshwar Cave Temple, an ancient rock-cut temple dedicated to Lord Shiva. The temple is a remarkable example of ancient Indian architecture and is a must-see hidden gem.
- **Late Afternoon:** Head to the Bund Garden (now called Mahatma Gandhi Udyan), a well-maintained park on the banks of the Mula-Mutha River. Enjoy a leisurely walk and the summer sun.
- **Dinner:** Sample the street food at 'Good Luck Cafe,' a popular local spot known for its vada pav and other snacks.

Likewise, continues for the remaining days.

2. Process Documentation

Define Inputs:

First, we identified the key inputs required to create a personalized travel itinerary. These included:

- **Destination:** The place the user wants to visit.
- **Trip Duration:** Number of days the user plans to travel.
- **Budget:** Financial constraints (Low, Moderate, High).
- **Trip Type:** Purpose of the trip (Relaxation, Adventure, Cultural Exploration, etc.).
- **Dietary Preferences:** Specific food restrictions or preferences.
- **Mobility Concerns:** To ensure accessibility for users with mobility restrictions.
- **Accommodation Preference:** Luxury, Budget, Central Location, or No Preference.
- **Seasonal Preferences:** Whether the trip aligns with Summer, Winter, or Any season.
- **Areas to Avoid:** Safety or personal considerations.

Write Prompts:

- **System Prompt:** A detailed instruction to guide the AI in generating high-quality, personalized itineraries tailored to the user's preferences. This ensures consistency and clarity in responses.
- **Refinement Prompt:** Used to validate and refine user inputs to ensure they are actionable and logical (e.g., aligning budget and accommodation preferences).
- **Itinerary Prompt:** Designed to generate day-by-day travel plans, including activities, meal recommendations, and local experiences, tailored to the user's inputs.

Create Streamlit Application:

Developed a user-friendly web application using Streamlit to collect inputs interactively and display the generated itinerary.

- **Input Form:** Used text inputs, sliders, and dropdowns for collecting user preferences.
- **Validation:** Added checks for mandatory fields and logical mismatches (e.g., Luxury accommodation with a Low budget).
- **Backend Logic:** Integrated Cohere API for generating the refined inputs and final itinerary.

Test the Application:

Iteratively tested the app to ensure proper handling of edge cases like missing inputs, contradictory preferences, and large trip durations. Improved prompts and warnings based on results.

Deploy the Application:

Hosted the Streamlit application on a free service like **Streamlit Cloud**. Shared the public URL for others to access the live app and test it.

Input :

The screenshot shows a web browser window with a Streamlit application. The page title is "Tell us about your trip". The form contains the following fields and values:

- Destination (City or Country): Pune
- Trip Duration (in days): 7 (indicated by a slider from 1 to 30)
- Budget: Low
- Type of Trip: Relaxation
- Dietary Preferences (optional): No preference
- Mobility Concerns (optional): Moderate
- Accommodation Preference: Budget
- Seasonal Preferences: Winter
- Areas to avoid (optional): Congested and high traffic areas

A "Generate Itinerary" button is at the bottom. A "Manage app" link is in the bottom right corner.

Output :

The screenshot shows the "Your Personalized Itinerary" page. It displays the itinerary for Days 1-5:

Days 1-5:

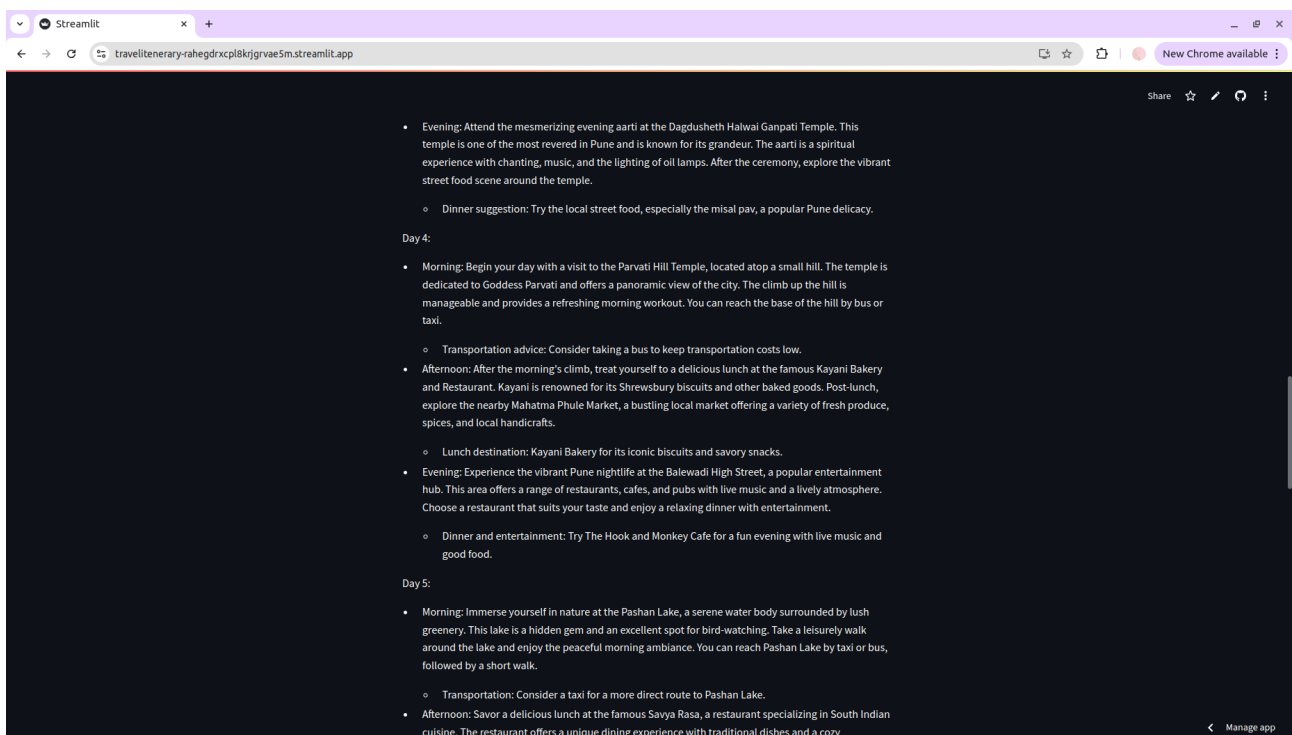
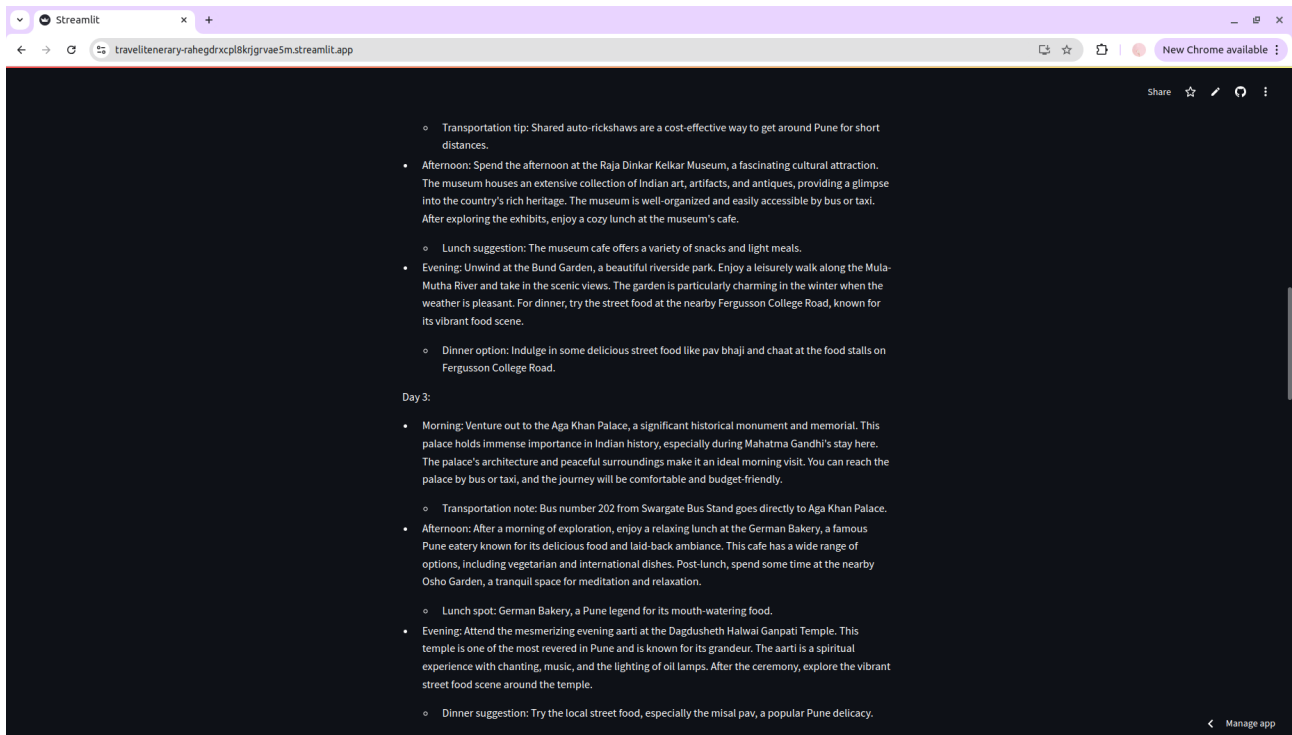
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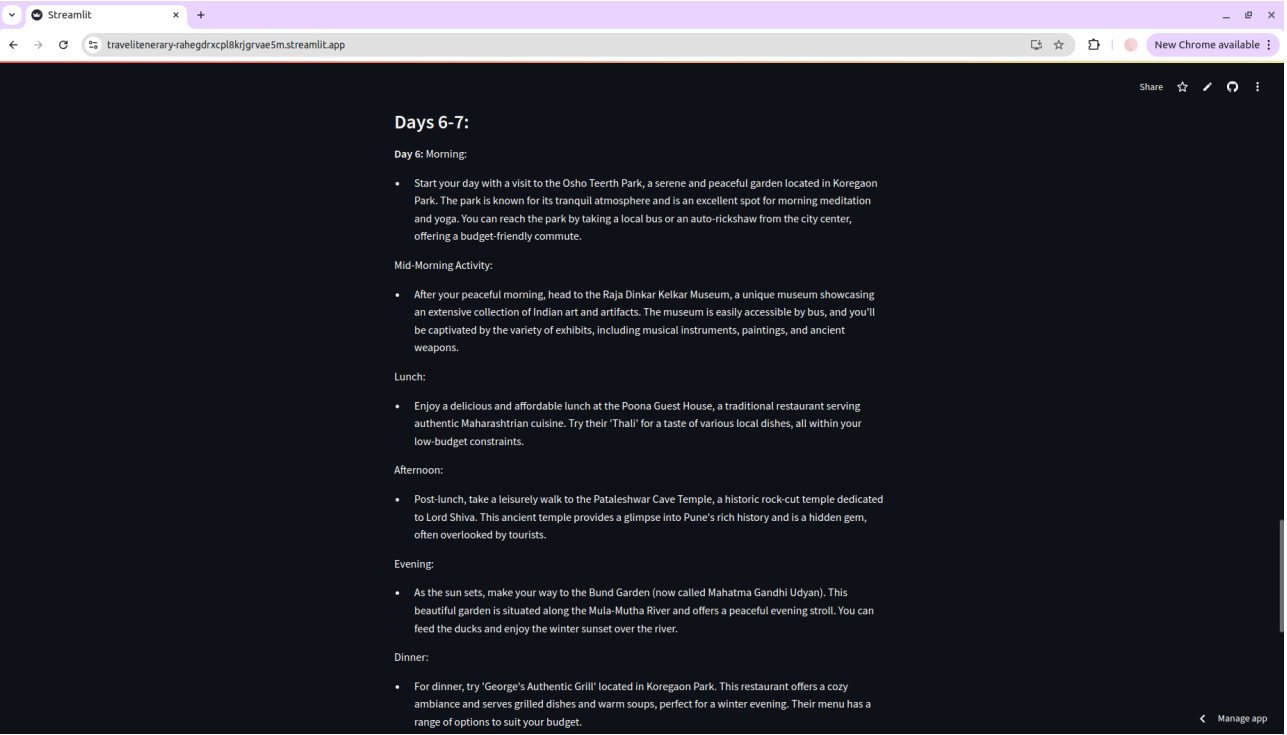
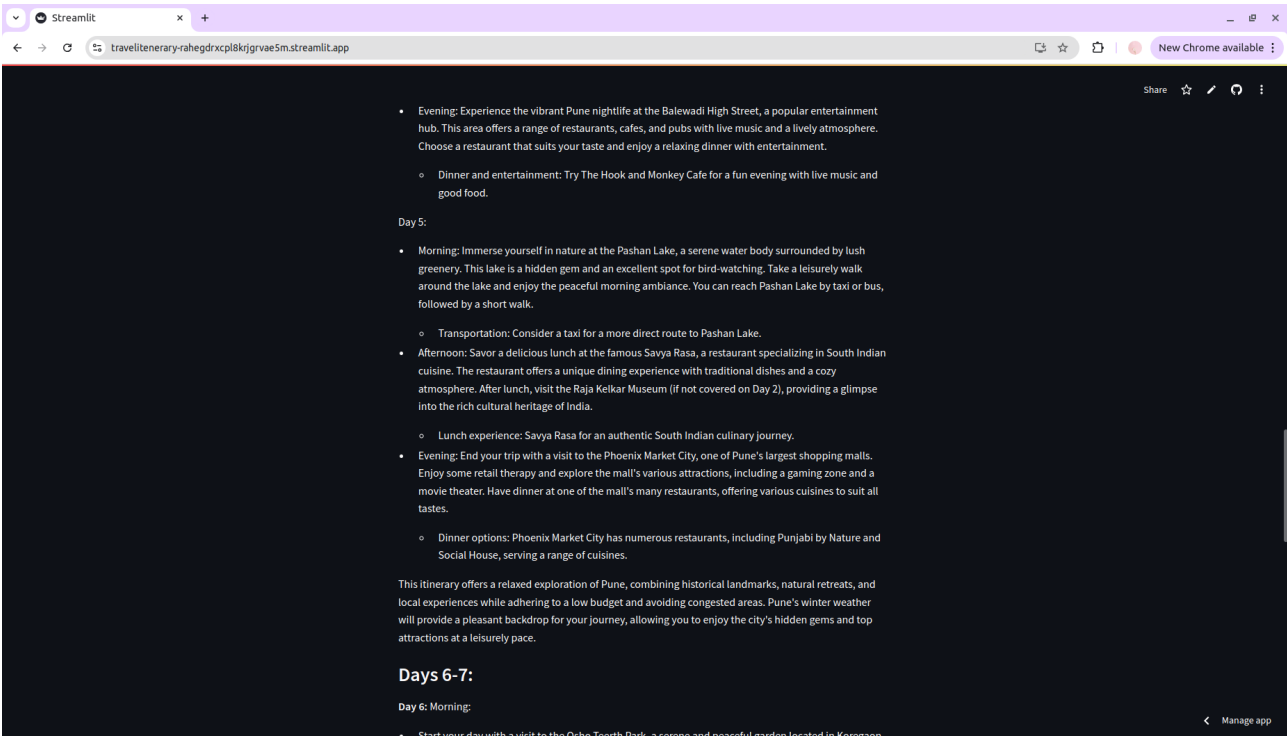
- Morning: Start your day with a visit to the peaceful Saras Baug, a beautiful garden and landmark in Pune. Take a local bus or hire a taxi to reach the park; both options are affordable and convenient. Saras Baug is known for its serene atmosphere and the historic Ganesh Temple within its premises. Stroll through the lush gardens and enjoy the peaceful ambience.
 - Transportation recommendation: Take bus number 203 from the city center, which will drop you near Saras Baug.
- Afternoon: Head to the nearby Peshwe Park, a hidden gem located adjacent to Saras Baug. This park offers a unique experience with its picturesque gardens and a small zoo. You'll find a variety of birds and animals, including deer and monkeys. After exploring the park, enjoy a simple yet satisfying lunch at the park's canteen, which serves local snacks and beverages.
 - Lunch recommendation: Try the vada pav and tea at Peshwe Park Canteen.
- Evening: As the sun sets, make your way to the iconic Shaniwar Wada, a magnificent fort-like palace. This historical site is a must-see in Pune and offers a captivating light and sound show during the winter evenings. The show brings the palace's history to life and is a relaxing way to learn about Pune's past. After the show, dine at one of the nearby local restaurants serving traditional Maharashtrian cuisine.
 - Dinner recommendation: Sample the authentic flavors at Hotel Shreyas, a popular local eatery.

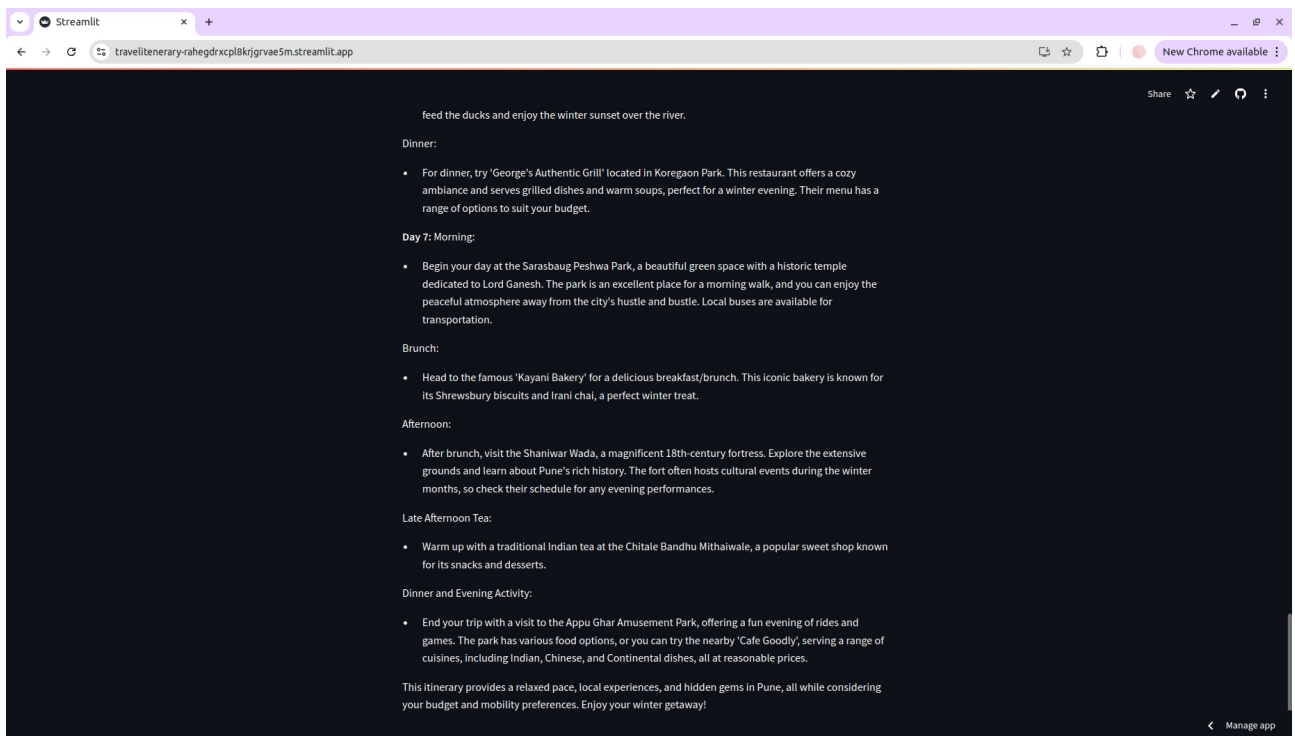
Day 2:

- Morning: Visit the Pataleshwar Cave Temple, an ancient rock-cut temple dedicated to Lord Shiva. This temple is a hidden treasure and offers a unique spiritual experience. The temple's architecture and peaceful atmosphere make it an ideal spot for meditation and reflection. You can reach the temple by taking a shared auto-rickshaw or a short taxi ride.
 - Transportation tip: Shared auto-rickshaws are a cost-effective way to get around Pune for short distances.
- Afternoon: Spend the afternoon at the Raja Dinkar Kelkar Museum, a fascinating cultural attraction.

A "Manage app" link is in the bottom right corner.







Link to Test Live Application:

[Travel Itinerary App on Streamlit Cloud](https://travelitinerary-rahegdrxcpl8kijgrvae5m.streamlit.app)