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The project has been completed as part of the prescribed academic requirements of the department and is hereby accepted for submission.

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DECLARATION

We, the students of B.Tech (Hons.) CSE (AI), hereby declare that our Minor Project titled “” has been completed by our group as part of the curriculum requirements for the academic year 2025–2026.

The work included in this report has been carried out by our team members through regular study, practical understanding, and collaborative effort. Any materials, references, or resources used during the preparation of this project have been properly acknowledged within the report.

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Team Members
(Group of 6 Students)

INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION REPORT

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Garbage Classifier for Waste Management

AI-Powered Garbage Segmentation System

Primary Roles

-  Data Collection
-  Model Development
-  Integration Support

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1 Role Overview

👤 Assigned Responsibilities:

⌚ **Data Collection** — Dataset preparation and verification

⌚ **Model Development** — Training support and tuning

⌚ **Integration Support** — Component integration assistance

2 Data Collection

2.1 Dataset Preparation

Prepared and validated the training dataset:

- ✓ Downloaded dataset from Roboflow Universe
- ✓ Verified annotation quality and format
- ✓ Organized train/validation splits
- ✓ Created data.yaml configuration file

2.2 Data Configuration

Listing 1: Dataset Configuration File

```
1 # data.yaml for YOLOv8
2 path: ./data
3 train: train/images
4 val: valid/images
5
6 # Class definitions
7 names:
8 0: biological
9 1: cardboard
10 2: glass
11 3: metal
12 4: paper
13 5: plastic
14
15 nc: 6 # Number of classes
```

2.3 Annotation Verification

Table 1: Annotation Quality Checks

Check	Count	Status
Total images	481	✓
Missing labels	0	✓
Invalid polygons	0	✓
Class balance	Acceptable	✓
Image quality	Good	✓

3 Model Development Support

3.1 Hyperparameter Experiments

Table 2: Training Experiments Conducted

Experiment	LR	Batch	mAP	Status
Baseline	0.01	8	0.72	Baseline
Higher batch	0.01	16	0.74	Improved
Lower LR	0.001	16	0.76	Better
Final	0.0003	16	0.78	Best

3.2 Augmentation Configuration

Listing 2: Data Augmentation Settings

```

1 augmentation_config = {
2     'hsv_h': 0.015,           # Hue variation
3     'hsv_s': 0.5,            # Saturation
4     'hsv_v': 0.3,            # Value/brightness
5     'degrees': 10,           # Rotation
6     'translate': 0.1,         # Translation
7     'scale': 0.25,           # Scale variation
8     'fliplr': 0.5,           # Horizontal flip
9     'mosaic': 0.5,           # Mosaic augment
10    'mixup': 0.05,            # MixUp
11    'copy_paste': 0.3,        # Copy-paste
12 }
```

3.3 Training Monitoring

- ☒ Tracked loss curves during training

- ☒ Identified convergence patterns
- ☒ Monitored GPU memory usage
- ☒ Logged training metrics per epoch

4 Integration Support

4.1 Component Testing

- ☛ Verified model loading functionality
- ☛ Tested preprocessing pipeline
- ☛ Validated visualization output
- ☛ Confirmed Gradio interface operation

4.2 Bug Fixes

Table 3: Issues Identified and Fixed

Issue	Solution
Color space mismatch	Fixed BGR/RGB conversion
Model path error	Corrected weights file path
Class mapping issue	Aligned IDs with names
Output format	Standardized return types

5 Technical Achievements

🏆 Key Accomplishments:

- ★ Prepared and validated training dataset
- ★ Contributed to hyperparameter optimization
- ★ Supported model training and monitoring
- ★ Assisted in component integration
- ★ Identified and fixed integration bugs

6 Skills Demonstrated

Category	Skills
Data	Preparation, validation, annotation
ML	Training workflows, hyperparameter tuning
Debugging	Troubleshooting, bug fixing
Collaboration	Team coordination