## **Nutrition Al Agent**

An IBM SkillsBuild 4-Weeks Internship Project on AI & Cloud Technologies

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#### The Challenge: Generic Nutrition Advice

In today's fast-paced world, personalized nutrition is crucial. However, most existing apps offer generic solutions that fail to consider individual factors like medical conditions, allergies, cultural preferences, or dynamic lifestyles. Dietitians also face scalability issues with one-on-one consultations.



Our project, "The Smartest Al Nutrition Assistant," aims to solve this by leveraging IBM WatsonX, Natural Language Processing (NLP), and IBM Granite LLM to:

- Generate dynamic, personalized meal plans.
- Suggest intelligent food substitutions.
- Explain nutritional choices clearly.
- Adapt based on user feedback for continuous improvement.

## Al Foundation: Technology Utilized



#### **IBM Cloud Lite Services**

The essential backbone for deploying our cloud-based Al application.



#### IBM WatsonX Agent Lab

Our primary environment for building, training, and testing the Al assistant.



## Natural Language Processing (NLP)

Enables the AI to accurately understand and interpret diverse user queries.



#### Granite-3B/8B Instruct LLM

The core large language model powering intelligent, context-aware responses.



## RAG (Retrieval-Augmented Generation)

Ensures responses are grounded in factual, relevant data for accuracy.

## Key IBM Cloud Services Employed

## WatsonX Assistant / Agent Lab

The primary platform for developing and testing the Nutrition Al agent.

#### **IBM Granite LLM**

Powers smart response generation, utilizing the granite-3-3-8b-instruct model.

#### IBM Cloud Object Storage

Ideal for securely storing user data, historical meal plans, and nutritional databases.

#### **IBM Cloud Functions**

Enables the creation and deployment of scalable microservices, like image recognition for food or calorie calculators.

#### **IBM Cloud Monitoring**

Essential for performance tracking and ensuring the agent's reliability if scaled for broader use.

## Unlocking Value: The Wow Factors

#### **Natural Input Understanding**

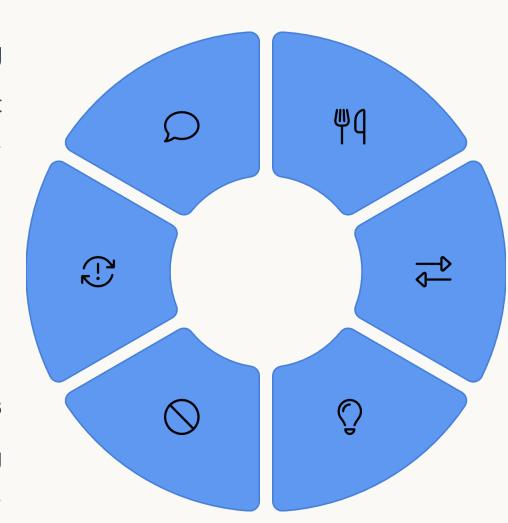
Seamlessly processes human text input for intuitive interactions.

#### Adaptive Learning

Evolves responses based on user feedback and evolving dietary goals.

#### **Contextual Focus**

Rejects unrelated queries, maintaining focus purely on nutrition topics.



#### Personalized Meal Plans

Generates diet plans tailored to specific health conditions (diabetes, PCOS, weight loss).

#### Smart Food Swaps

Offers intelligent substitutions, like "Use quinoa instead of rice."

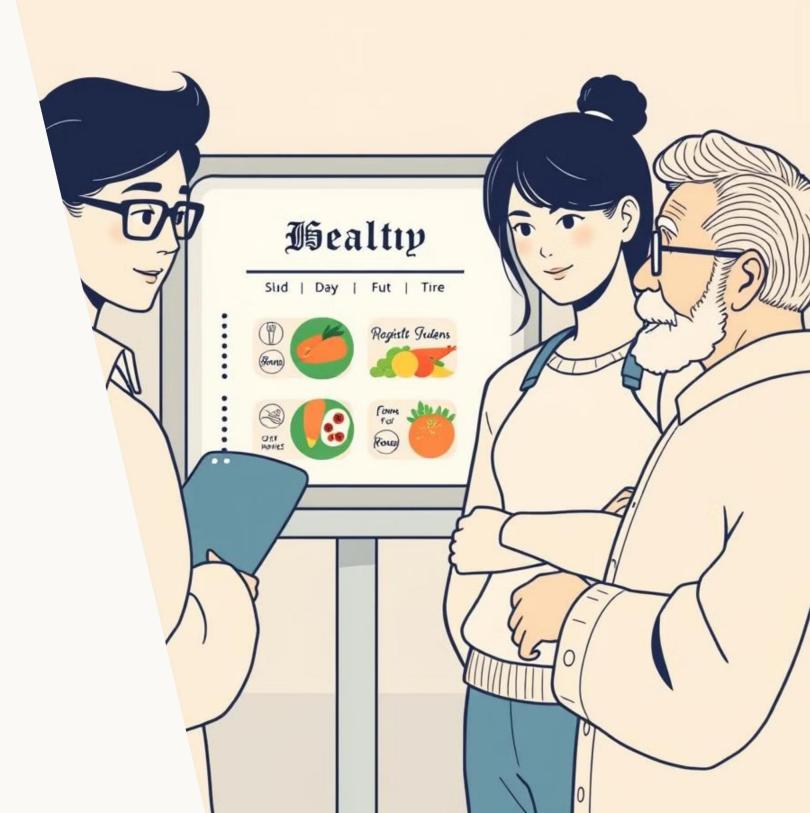
#### **Clear Explanations**

Provides reasoning behind suggestions (e.g., "Oats are high in fiber, good for digestion.").

## Who Benefits? Target End Users

- Health-conscious individuals: Seeking balanced diet plans for general well-being.
- Fitness enthusiasts:
   Aligning nutrition with training goals for optimal performance.
- Diabetic & heart
   patients: Requiring
   strict, condition specific dietary
   recommendations.

- Busy professionals:
   Needing convenient,
   quick, and healthy
   meal suggestions.
- Students: Aiming to maintain a healthy diet within a limited budget.
- Dietitians: Looking to automate and scale consultations, freeing up time for complex cases.



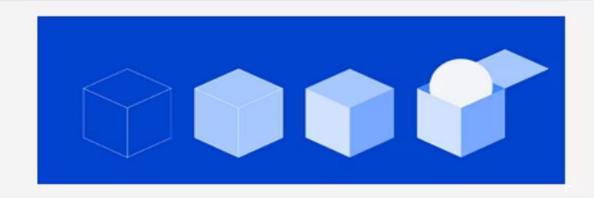
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#### Welcome to Nutrition Agent

Personalized AI nutrition agent for meal plans, food swaps, and health-based diet advice.



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#### Quick start samples

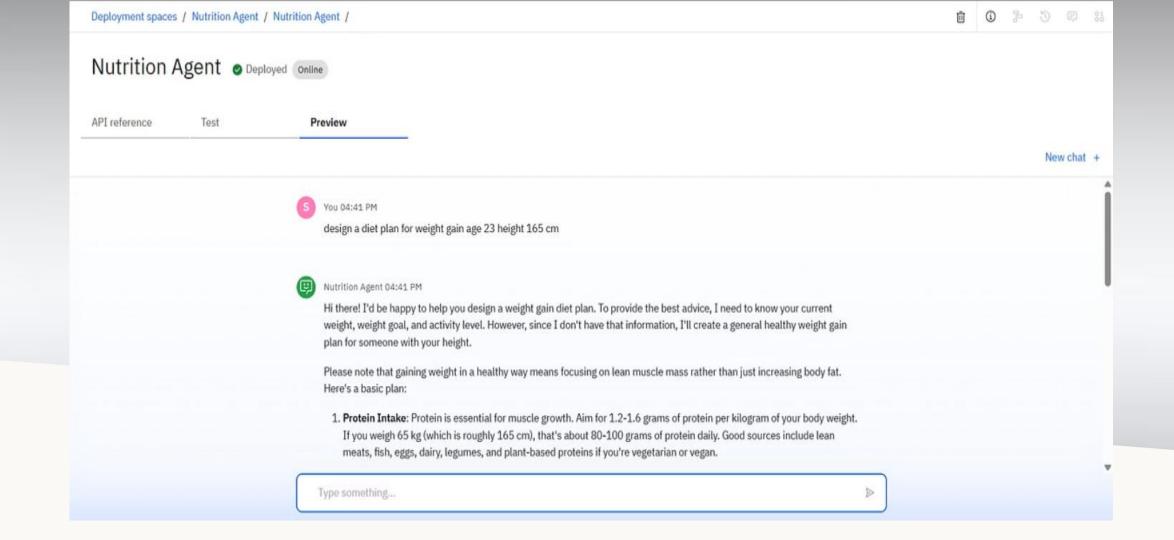
Suggest a 1500-calorie vegetarian diet for weight loss

What can I cook with oats, banana, and m'

Type something...

## Results: Dynamic Meal Plan Generation

Our AI agent successfully generates dynamic and personalized meal plans based on user input, as demonstrated in the interaction below.

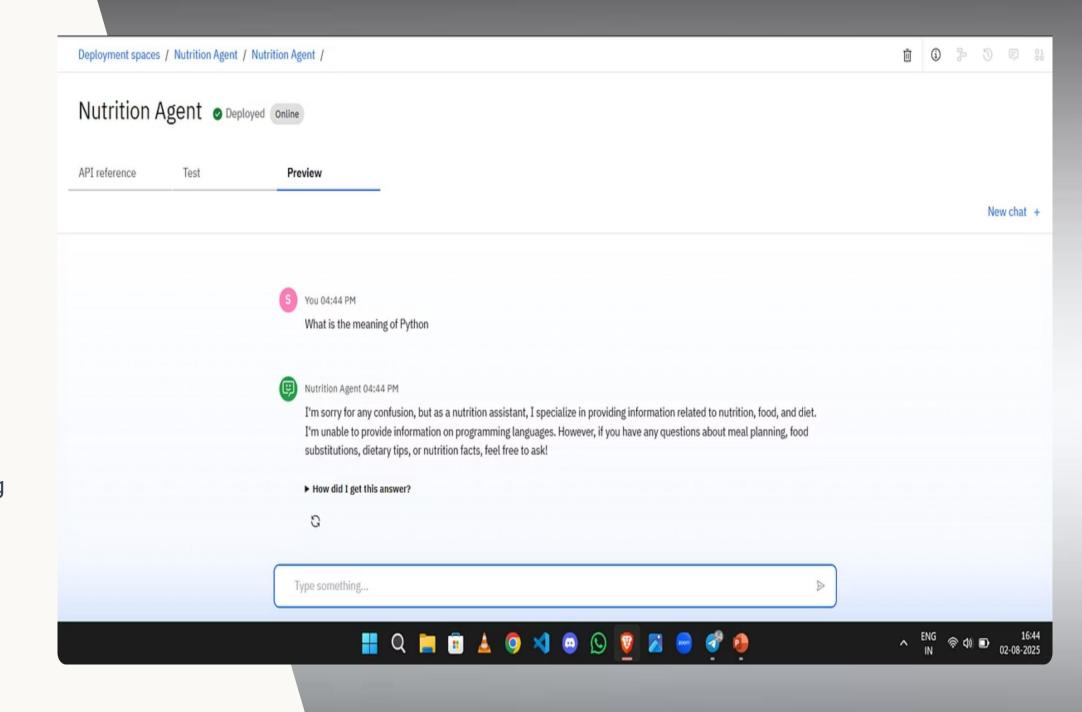


#### **Results: Smart Food Substitutions**

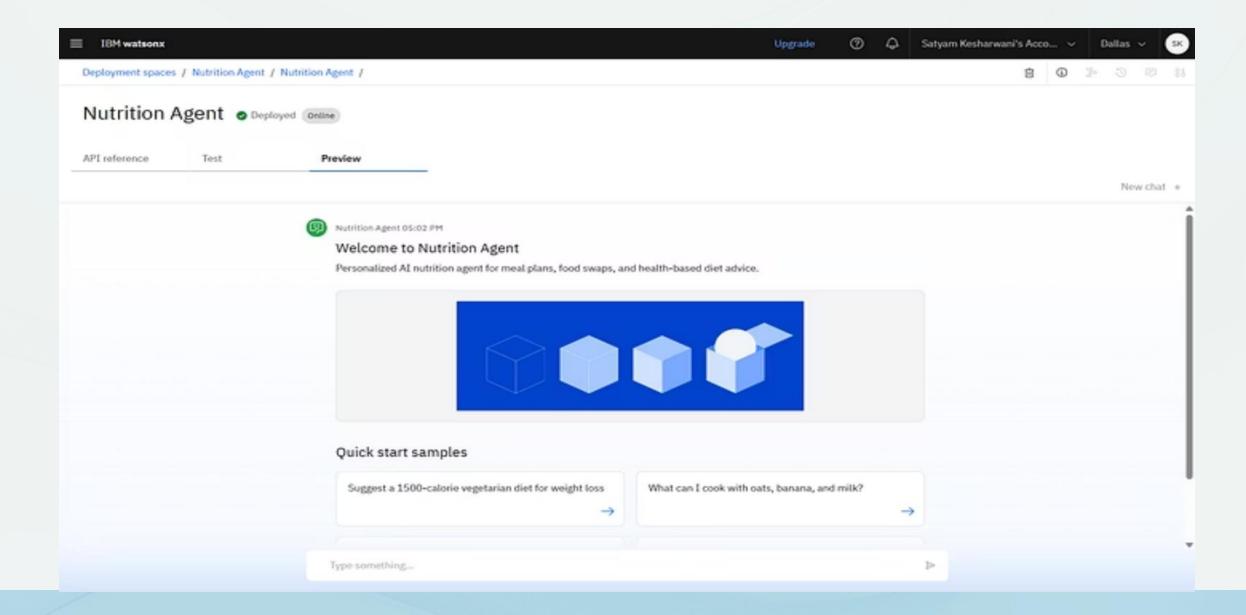
The agent's ability to suggest smart and contextually relevant food substitutions is a key feature, making diet adherence easier and more flexible for users.

# Results: Focused and Accurate Responses

The Nutrition AI Agent is designed to only answer questions related to nutrition and food queries, maintaining high relevance and avoiding off-topic responses.



## **Deployed Nutrition Al Agent**



### Conclusion

The Nutrition Agent project proves how **Generative AI + NLP** can solve real-world problems like personalized health management. Using **IBM Cloud + WatsonX**, this intelligent assistant can:

- Reduce dependency on one-size-fits-all diet plans
- Increase accessibility of expert nutrition guidance
- Provide a foundation for smart health-focused AI assistants

It can also serve as a **building block** for future health-tech products integrated with wearables, apps, or smart homes.

## Future scope

- Add multilingual support (Hindi, Tamil, etc.)
- Integrate with Google Fit or smartwatches to match meals with activity levels
- Enable calorie tracking and nutrient logging
- Add a recipe suggestion engine based on local cuisine
- Use image recognition to identify food items from photos
- Connect with grocery APIs to recommend where to buy items

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## GitHub Link:

https://github.com/Sk13-Satyam/Nutrition-Agent

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