

# **Task Manager Problem Statement**

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Many people, especially students, need a better way to manage daily, weekly, monthly, and longer-term tasks. Forgetfulness, procrastination, and time management are common issues that hinder goals and productivity, and having everything set in a digital space may combat these issues greatly.

## **Who is experiencing the problem?**

People who aren't very organized, don't have a solid routine, students with many classes and assignments to keep track of, someone trying to set goals for themselves.

## **What is the problem?**

The problem is that life is distracting and many issues may affect the brain's ability to focus, causing factors such as forgetfulness, drowsiness, and other issues to hinder productivity.

## **Where does the problem present itself?**

It may happen when a student has many assignments to complete at once, or someone is in the process (but has not yet) set up a routine. In cases where daily activity isn't too complicated, memory is likely enough to secure progress, but when there are many things to do at once, especially when a method of organization is not already presented, someone might lose track of things.

## **Why does it matter?**

Mental blocks hinder daily productivity, and can waste a lot of time. By using an easy to access app to organize daily tasks and goals, one would need to spend much less time keeping track of what they need/want to accomplish each day/ over the long term. Additionally, this app may introduce mechanics which also allow the user to see progress made more clearly, adding incentive to completing goals.