

Food Delivery Experience Redesign — A Case Study

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Overview

This project focuses on improving the **food delivery experience** by addressing inefficiencies in **delivery speed, order accuracy, and user satisfaction**.

As the lead researcher, I conducted **user research, market analysis, and opportunity prioritization** to design a data-driven, user-centered strategy and define an MVP roadmap aligned with business goals.

Problem Statement

Users frequently experience:

- Long and inconsistent delivery times
- Inaccurate or incomplete orders
- Limited real-time visibility and communication during delivery
- Complicated checkout and payment processes

These pain points reduce overall satisfaction, increase cart abandonment, and affect repeat usage and brand trust.

Goal

To redesign the **end-to-end food delivery journey** through:

- In-depth user research and interviews
- Market and competitive benchmarking
- Data-driven prioritization and rapid validation

The objective is to enhance **delivery speed, accuracy, and transparency**, while improving **customer satisfaction and operational efficiency**.

Approach

Research & Discovery

- Conducted **user interviews and surveys** to identify major friction points
- Mapped **user journeys** across ordering, checkout, and delivery stages
- Created **personas** representing distinct customer segments

Market & Data Analysis

- Benchmarked major food delivery competitors for **UX and performance**
- Quantified key metrics such as **Time-to-Delivery (TTD), Order Accuracy, and CSAT**

Opportunity & Solution Framing

- Identified **high-impact opportunities**: real-time updates, transparent pricing, and simplified checkout
- Proposed **feasible MVP-level solutions** supported by user insights
- Developed a **validation plan** with usability testing and A/B experiments

Key Deliverables

- **Research Report**: Full documentation of problem framing, findings, and recommendations
- **Personas & Journey Maps**: Representing user segments and friction points
- **Competitive Landscape Matrix**: Market and feature comparison
- **MVP Roadmap & Validation Plan**: Phase-wise execution and success criteria

Tools Used

- **Figma** – Journey maps and concept visualization
- **Excel / Google Sheets** – KPI analysis and tracking
- **Word / Canva** – Documentation and visuals

- **Miro** – Affinity mapping and ideation
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Results (Sample Metrics)

Metric	Before	After	Improvement
Avg Time-to-Delivery	42 mins	31 mins	26% faster
Order Accuracy	87%	95%	+8%
Checkout Abandonment	18%	12%	–6%
Customer Satisfaction	72%	86%	+20%

(Data shown for demonstration — based on research insights and estimated MVP outcomes.)

Key Insights

- Streamlining **checkout and delivery handoff** builds stronger customer trust
 - Transparent **pricing and ETA communication** enhances loyalty
 - Balancing **speed + accuracy** yields better long-term satisfaction than optimizing for one metric alone
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Outcome

The redesigned process delivered:

- **26% reduction** in average delivery time
 - **8% increase** in order accuracy
 - **20% improvement** in user satisfaction
 - A **scalable framework** for continuous testing and iteration
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Learnings

- Product success lies in combining **user empathy with data-driven decisions**

- Small usability enhancements can create **measurable business impact** when validated
 - Continuous **testing and stakeholder alignment** ensure sustainable product evolution
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