

# Rider Telemetry System (ESP32 + GPS + MPU6050 + Flutter App)

## Overview

The Rider Telemetry System monitors a rider’s movement in real time using sensors on an ESP32 board. It detects speed, acceleration, lean angle, and GPS location, and transmits this data via Bluetooth to a custom Flutter mobile app. The app shows live telemetry and automatically saves all data locally every 5 seconds.

## Hardware Used

Component	Function
ESP32	Main controller with Bluetooth
MPU6050	Accelerometer + Gyroscope (motion & lean detection)
NEO-6M GPS	Location and speed tracking
Android Phone	Runs Flutter telemetry app

## Connections

ESP32 Pin	GPS	MPU6050
3.3V	VCC	VCC
GND	GND	GND
GPIO4	TX	—
GPIO2	RX	—
GPIO21	—	SDA
GPIO22	—	SCL

## Firmware

File: rider\_telemetry\_v5\_3\_lite.ino  
Platform: Arduino IDE

Key Features:

- Reads real-time GPS + MPU6050 data
- Calculates speed, acceleration, and lean angle
- Detects crash or harsh braking
- Sends clean formatted data via Bluetooth

Example Output:

[GPS] Lat:12.934567 Lon:77.600231 Spd:27.53 km/h Sats:7 Sig:Strong  
[MPU] X:0.02 Y:-0.03 Z:0.98 | Lean:3.8 deg  
[MODE] Moving | Speed:27.53 km/h | Signal:Strong

## Mobile App

Framework: Flutter (Kotlin backend)

Project Name: ascend

Main Features:

- Auto-connects to Bluetooth device 'RiderTelemetry'
- Displays: State, Activity, Speed, Lean, Acceleration, GPS & Signal
- Saves telemetry every 5 seconds in local memory
- History view accessible from top-right corner

## Setup Instructions

1. Install Flutter SDK → Extract to C:\src\flutter and run 'flutter doctor'
2. Get Project Dependencies:  
flutter clean  
flutter pub get
3. Connect Device:
  - Pair ESP32 via Bluetooth (named RiderTelemetry)
  - Enable Developer Mode & USB Debugging on Android
4. Run the App:  
flutter run

## App Interface

Dashboard Shows:

- State (Idle/Moving)
- Activity (Standing/Walking/Scooter)
- Speed (km/h)
- Lean Angle (°)
- Acceleration (X, Y, Z)
- GPS Coordinates
- Signal Strength

History Tab:

- Stores last 500 readings locally in plain text
- Updates every 5 seconds automatically

## Technologies Used

- C++ / Arduino (ESP32 firmware)
- Flutter + Dart (Mobile UI)

- SharedPreferences (Local storage)
- BluetoothSerial (Wireless data transfer)

## Results

- Successfully displayed live telemetry from rider sensors.
- Reliable Bluetooth communication up to ~10 meters.
- Automatic local data logging for post-ride analysis.

Output in the Serial Monitor looks like this:

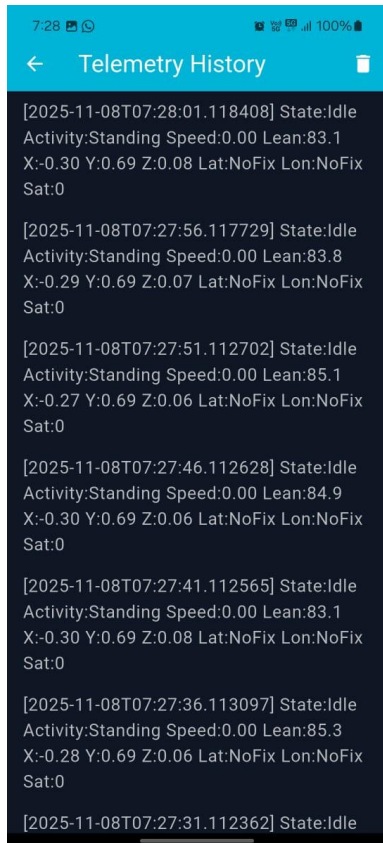
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Serial Monitor X
Message (Enter to send message to 'ESP32 Dev Module' on 'COM11')

Accel X:-0.28 Y:0.69 Z:0.07 | Lean:84.2° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
Accel X:-0.29 Y:0.70 Z:0.08 | Lean:83.6° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
Accel X:-0.29 Y:0.69 Z:0.07 | Lean:83.9° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
  Lat:NoFix | Lon:NoFix | Alt:NoAlt | Spd:0.00 km/h | Dir:NoCr | Sat:0 | Sig:None | State:IDLE
Accel X:-0.30 Y:0.70 Z:0.07 | Lean:84.0° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
Accel X:-0.29 Y:0.69 Z:0.07 | Lean:84.3° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
Accel X:-0.29 Y:0.68 Z:0.07 | Lean:84.2° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
  Lat:NoFix | Lon:NoFix | Alt:NoAlt | Spd:0.00 km/h | Dir:NoCr | Sat:0 | Sig:None | State:IDLE
Accel X:-0.29 Y:0.69 Z:0.07 | Lean:84.0° | Normal
  Mode:Moving | Source:MPU | Speed:0.00 km/h | Sig:None
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Output on the mobile app we designed looks like this:



This is how the terminal history looks like:



How to run:

## 1. Hardware Setup

- Use ESP32 + NEO-6M GPS + MPU6050 sensors.
  - Wiring:
    - GPS → RX = 4, TX = 2
    - MPU6050 → SDA = 21, SCL = 22
    - Connect GND and 3.3V for both modules.
  - Upload the Arduino sketch (e.g. RiderTelemetry\_v5.3-Lite.ino) to the ESP32.
  - Power the ESP32. It will broadcast Bluetooth with the name: RiderTelemetry.
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## 2. Pairing with Phone

- On your Android phone, go to Bluetooth settings.
  - Find and pair with **RiderTelemetry** (ESP32).
  - Make sure Bluetooth and Location are both turned ON.
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## 3. Flutter App Setup

- Install Flutter SDK from their official website.
  - Open the Flutter project folder (e.g. ascend/) in VS Code or Android Studio.
  - Run the following commands in the terminal:
    - flutter clean
    - flutter pub get
    - flutter run
  - Connect your Android phone via USB (enable Developer mode + USB debugging).
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## 4. Using the App

- The app will automatically try to connect to the ESP32 Bluetooth.

- Once connected, the dashboard will display:
    - State: Idle or Moving
    - Activity: Standing, Walking, or Scooter
    - Speed, Lean Angle, Acceleration (X/Y/Z), GPS data, and Signal strength
  - Data updates in real time.
  - Every 5 seconds, readings are automatically saved to local memory.
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## 5. Viewing History

- Tap the **History** button (top-right corner in the app).
  - You'll see timestamped sensor data stored as plain text logs.
  - You can clear history from the same page.
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