Verification & Validation: Neesh

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1. Overview

The project is currently in the early development phase with few features fully implemented. The following verification and validation are planned to be conducted during the full implementation of each of their corresponding requirements.

The majority of verification conducted so far has been manual tests done by the development team.

The majority of validation conducted so far has been informal sprint meetings between the client and the team to receive ongoing feedback for the working prototype.

2. Test Descriptions

2.1 Methodology

For the purpose of verification and validation of the requirements of this project, the team has decided upon certain methodologies of testing which will be referenced and used in the table in section 2.2 and 2.3.

2.1.1 Unit Testing

Unit tests will be adopted and developed for each individual component file¹ in the frontend repository. Unit tests will be implemented using the Jest² testing framework. These unit tests will include at least the following test cases, if applicable:

- 1. Happy path³
- 2. Malformed inputs (i.e. Null, Missing, Invalid type)
- 3. Storybook⁴ UI Test

¹ Component files are stored under the /neesh/src/components or the /neesh/src/screens folder of the source code repository. For further detail, see section 4. Access to Data

² Jest is a JavaScript Testing Framework: https://jestjs.io/

³ Happy path means that the component file is passed a known input and produces an expected output

⁴ Storybook is a frontend library for building and testing UI components and pages in isolation: https://storybook.is.org

2.2 Verification

2.2.1 Functional Requirements

FR#	Те	st Descriptions	Αp	pproval Criteria
FR1	2.	creates a new account through the sign-up given a valid phone number and valid password. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended.	 2. 3. 	sign up with a phone number and be able to see the feed page. All unit tests pass.
FR2	2.	Unit tests will be implemented for the individual component files relating to the Onboarding feature (not implemented yet). Manual tests will be conducted where the user goes through the Onboarding process and properly sets their user attributes: pronouns, avatar, name, color, topics of interest. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended. Design reviews with the client will be conducted for Onboarding in the same method as manual tests.	 2. 3. 	The user is able to finish the onboarding flow and register a user with the selected attributes in our backend. All unit tests pass. Client approval during design review.
FR3	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the following component file: SignIn.tsx.	1.	The user is able to sign in with a

	3.	signs in with a pre-existing account through the sign-in page. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended.	2. 3.	previously registered phone number and password and access their feed page. All unit tests pass. Client approval during design review.
FR4	3.	Unit Tests will be implemented for the following component file: CreateConvo.tsx. Manual tests will be conducted where the user goes through the process of creating an Inactive Convo (IC) ⁵ with their own desired attributes of the IC: title, text, related topics, sensitivity flag. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended. Design reviews with the client will be conducted in the same method as manual tests.	 2. 3. 	The user is able to create an IC visible to other users with custom attributes defined by the user. All unit tests pass. Client approval during design review.
FR5	2.	Unit tests will be implemented for the individual component files relating to the edit IC feature (not implemented yet). Manual tests will be conducted where the user goes through the process of editing a pre-existing Inactive Convo (IC) with their own desired attributes of the IC: title, text, related	 2. 3. 	The user is able to edit a pre-existing IC visible to other users with custom attributes defined by the user. All unit tests pass. Client approval during

topics, sensitivity flag. Manual tests will also

design review.

⁵ Inactive Convo definitions can be found in the Requirements document

		verify the user interface is being displayed as		
		intended.		
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be		
		conducted in the same method as manual		
		tests.		
FR6	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the	1.	The user is able to
		individual component files relating to the		delete a pre-existing
		delete IC feature (not implemented yet).		IC visible to other
	2.	Manual tests will be conducted where the user		users with custom
		goes through the process of deleting a		attributes defined by
		pre-existing Inactive Convo (IC). Manual tests		the user.
		will also verify the user interface is being	2.	All unit tests pass.
		displayed as intended.	3.	Client approval during
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be		design review.
		conducted in the same method as manual		
		tests.		
FR7	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the	1.	The user is able to
		individual component files relating to the		access the Profile
		Profile Page feature (not implemented yet).		Page and the topics
	2.	Manual tests will be conducted where the user		they follow, their
		accesses the Profile Page and is shown the		posted ICs, and their
		topics the user follows, the user's posted ICs,		saved ICs.
		and the user's saved ICs. Manual tests will	2.	All unit tests pass.
		also verify the user interface is being	3.	Client approval during
		displayed as intended.		design review.
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be		
		conducted in the same method as manual		
		tests.		
FR8	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the	1.	The user is able to

individual component files relating to the access another user's Profile Page feature (not implemented yet). Profile Page and view 2. Manual tests will be conducted where the user the common topics accesses another user's Profile Page and is they follow and their shown their mutually followed topics and the posted ICs. other user's posted ICs. Manual tests will also 2. All unit tests pass. verify the user interface is being displayed as 3. Client approval during intended. design review. 3. Design reviews with the client will be conducted in the same method as manual tests. FR9 1. Unit tests will be implemented for the 1. The user is able to individual component files relating to the access their Settings Page and have the Settings feature (not implemented yet). 2. Manual tests will be conducted where the user option to log out of or accesses their Settings Page and is shown delete their account. two buttons to either delete or log out of their 2. Deleted accounts no account. Manual tests will also verify the user longer exist in the interface is being displayed as intended and database. account deletion is reflected in the backend. 3. All unit tests pass. 3. Design reviews with the client will be 4. Client approval during conducted in the same method as manual design review. tests. FR10 1. The user is able to 1. Unit tests will be implemented for the individual component files relating to the access the Onboarding Page after Onboarding feature (not implemented yet). 2. Manual tests will be conducted where the user account creation and accesses the Onboarding page and has the have the option to set option of setting their preferred pronouns, their preferred

		topics, username and avatar. Manual tests will		pronouns, topics,
		also verify the user interface is being		username and avatar.
		displayed as intended.	2.	All unit tests pass.
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be	3.	Client approval during
		conducted in the same method as manual		design review.
		tests.		
FR11	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the	1.	The user is able to
		individual component files relating to the		access an IC and have
		Report feature (not implemented yet).		the option to report an
	2.	Manual tests will be conducted where the user		IC, comment, or
		accesses any IC and has the option to report		comment reply.
		an individual IC, comment, or comment reply.	2.	Each report is
		Manual tests will also verify that a report is		displayed in the
		shown on the backend and is displayed in the		administrator
		administrator dashboard and that the user		dashboard.
		interface is being displayed as intended.	3.	All unit tests pass.
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be	4.	Client approval during
		conducted in the same method as manual		design review.
		tests.		
FR12	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the	1.	The user is able to
		individual component files relating to the Feed		access the Feed Page
		Page (in progress).		and view a list of
	2.	Manual tests will be conducted where the user		relevant ICs.
		accesses the Feed Page and are able to view	2.	All unit tests pass.
		a list of ICs based on their followed topics.	3.	Client approval during
		Manual tests will also verify the user interface		design review.
		is being displayed as intended.		
	3.	Design reviews with the client will be		
		conducted in the same method as manual		

		tests.		
FR13	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the individual component files relating to the Convo feature (in progress). Manual tests will be conducted where the user accesses a single Convo Page and is shown the content of the IC, including title, text, image, and tagged topics. The user must also be able to see a feed of all the comments and comment replies on the IC as well as the number of likes. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended. Design reviews with the client will be conducted in the same method as manual tests.	 2. 3. 	access an individual IC to view the content of the IC as well as comment, comment replies and like count.
FR14	1.	Unit tests will be implemented for the individual component files relating to the Convo feature (in progress). Manual tests will be conducted where the user accesses a single Convo Page and has the option to like, save, and comment on the IC. Manual tests will also verify the user interface is being displayed as intended. Design reviews with the client will be conducted in the same method as manual tests.		The user is able to access an individual IC to like, save, and comment on the IC. All unit tests pass. Client approval during design review.
FR15	1.	Unit tests will be implemented with Jest and run automatically in our CI pipeline to test		Upon tapping a comment's "like"

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	2.	tapping a comment's "like" button. In addition, tests will be run to attempt to reply to a user's comment, which should then appear as a reply. A walkthrough will be conducted during client design reviews to ensure feature and UI element correctness	button, the comment's state is updated to appear as "liked". 2. After a user replies to a comment, the reply should appear. 3. Client approval during design review. 4. All other unit tests pass.
FR16	2.	Unit tests will be implemented with Jest and run automatically in our CI pipeline to simulate a user selecting a topic from the Explore page. A walkthrough will be conducted for the Explore feature during the client design review to ensure feature and UI element correctness.	 When selecting a topic, feeds representing popular and new ICs containing that topic should be displayed. Client approval during design review. All other unit tests pass.
FR17		Unit tests will be implemented with Jest and run automatically in our CI pipeline to simulate creating a new IC, which will then attach a photo to the post and create the post. A walkthrough will be conducted for attaching images to ICs during the client design review to ensure feature and UI element correctness.	 All unit tests pass. Client approval during design review.
FR18	1.	For each kind of action that a user makes that can generate a notification, manual tests will be conducted to ensure that when these	Each action generating a notification

		actions are invoked, a notification of the activity is sent to the appropriate user's device. A walkthrough will be conducted for the notifications feature during the client design review to ensure feature and UI element correctness.	2.	successfully sends a notification to the appropriate user's device with the correct text. Client approval during design review. Unit tests pass
	the	ecause this requirement is still being defined by e client, the actions that can generate a tification are yet to be determined.		
FR19		Unit tests will be implemented for Activity.tsx	1.	The notification
	2.	·		appears at the top of the Activity page. Previously sent notifications appear below the new notification on the Activity page in chronological order.
FR20	1.	will be conducted to delete the test conversation from the Admin panel UI. The test should then attempt to view the test IC from within the mobile app.	fro 2.	The test conversation is ccessfully removed m the database. The test conversation is longer visible from the
	2.	A walkthrough will be conducted for removing	mo	obile application.

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		ICs from the Admin panel during the client	3. Client approval during
		design review to ensure feature and UI	design review.
		element correctness.	4. Unit tests pass.
FR21	1.	Manual tests will be conducted by reporting	1. The reported user
		user generated content including ICs and	content appears in the
		comments flagged for testing from the mobile	list of reported content.
		app. The Admin panel will then be checked to	2. Client approval during
		ensure that the content appears in a list of	design review.
		reported content.	3. Unit tests pass.
	2.	A walkthrough will be conducted for viewing	
		reported user content from the Admin panel	
		during the client design review to ensure	
		feature and UI element correctness.	
FR22	1.	Manual tests will be conducted by reporting	1. After banning, the
		users flagged for testing from the mobile app.	banned user should not
		Then, from the Admin panel, the test will	be able to post new
		attempt to ban the reported user. The test	content from the app.
		should then attempt to use the app as the	2. Other users should not
		banned user. Additionally, from a different	be able to view the
		user logged into the app, the test should	banned user's profile.
		attempt to view the banned user's profile.	3. After reactivating, the
		Finally, the test should reactivate the banned	banned user should be
		user. It will then attempt to use the app as the	able to post new
		originally banned user, and outside users can	content from the app.
		view the user.	4. After reactivating, other
	2.	A walkthrough will be conducted for banning	users should be able to
		and reactivating users during the client design	view the previously
		review to ensure feature and UI element	banned user's profile.
		correctness.	5. Client approval during
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	design review.
	6. Unit tests pass.

2.2.2 Non-Functional Requirements

NF#	Test Description	Approval Criteria
NF1	Unit Tests will be implemented for the following GraphQL models: Comment, CommentReply, Convo, Like, Notification, Report, Topic, User. For each model, the Get*, List* (paginated), Create*, Update*, and Delete* queries / mutations will be performed using Jest and Amplify Mock.	 For each query, the expected result is retrieved (queries), or represented in the database (mutations). Each query must take less than 2 seconds to complete. The frontend application must still respond to user interactions during any GraphQL query.
NF2	To verify that our data is encrypted at rest, we must ensure that the services we use which store PII encrypt data at rest, via manual review. Currently, the only PII required from users is a phone number, which is stored in Amazon Cognito. Cognito encrypts data at rest by default.	 All AWS Services which store user data must specify that they encrypt data at rest. Calls to backend services must be done over an HTTPS connection.
NF3	For each UI Component (which is defined by designers in Figma), a Storybook UI test will be	Every Figma Component has a

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	created.		React representation.
		2.	Each react component
	The Storybook test will act as a visual and		has a standalone
	functional verification aid. Storybook will render		representation in
	a sample view of each component, exposing		Storybook.
	controls for changing each of its input		
	properties. This way, every possible input in the		
	component's property-space can be specified		
	and will be proven to be completely independent		
	of other modules.		
NF4	 Manual tests will be conducted by installing the	1	The compiled app can
131 4	app on iPhone models from iPhone 6S to	١.	be installed on the
	iPhone 14 using the simulator embedded in the		target device running
	Xcode. The tests will be conducted on different		the target iOS version.
	iOS versions from iOS 14 to iOS 16.	2.	•
	los versions from los 14 to los 10.	۷.	resolutions: The GUI
			elements on the
			screen are not out of
			the screen boundary
			and the elements are
			in the right place as
			proposed in the Figma
			prototype.
		3.	For different iOS
		J.	versions: The app
			response to each
			action conducted by
			users (click, input, etc.)
			are correctly
			·
			implemented with no

			errors.
NF5	Manual testing will be performed by checking new added dependencies during each code review. Code reviewers will check that the newly added dependencies are open source. The dependency packages are labeled in the file "neesh/package.json"		All dependencies are labeled in the file "neesh/package.json". All dependencies' source code are open source and available to be checked.
NF6	Manual testing will be performed during code reviews to ensure all newly added code is modular and contains proper documentation in the form of comments in the code and documentation within a README file. A linter will also be run on the codebase during each commit to ensure the code complies with set style guidelines.	3.	All new code is modular. Appropriate comments and documentation have been made. Detailed README documents are presented for frontend and backend code, including setup and troubleshooting. The linter passes on all new source code.
NF7	Manual testing will be performed during code reviews to ensure that the app is not asking users for any PII that may be presented within the app to other users.	1.	The app does not ask users for PII to show to other users.

2.2 Validation

Upon discussion with the client, it has been determined that validation of the application will be done through design reviews and testing sessions. These sessions will take

place at various points throughout the development cycle and will give the designers a chance to use the application for evaluating if the requirements meet their needs and the needs of future users.

The first design review session is tentatively scheduled to be on December 5th, 2022 as a zoom meeting with the client with a walkthrough of Storybook tests and each manual test described in the FR & NFR tables in 2.2.1 and 2.2.2.

3. Presentation & Interpretation of Information

As mentioned in section 1 there is very limited testing right now due to the current phase of implementation. We currently have sample unit tests on parts of the components for **FR16**, specifically for the Topic react component in our frontend. These unit tests are implemented through Storybook, and can be referred to in Appendix C. Additionally, these tests consist of interactions, which are visible on the bottom panel, with each interaction having a pass or fail state when the test is run. This state is indicated by the checkmark to the left of the interaction command. A passed test is indicated by all interactions passing.

Currently, we do not have a large amount of test results available, therefore interpretation of this information will be reserved for future milestones when more data is available.

4. Access to Data

For automated tests (i.e. unit tests with Jest and Storybook), the results of those tests are stored in our GitHub repository: https://github.com/Neesh-App/Neesh-App.

- For unit testing with Jest, the tests and test results will be stored under the /test/ file path
- For unit testing with Storybook, the tests and test result will be stored under the /stories/ file path

Appendices

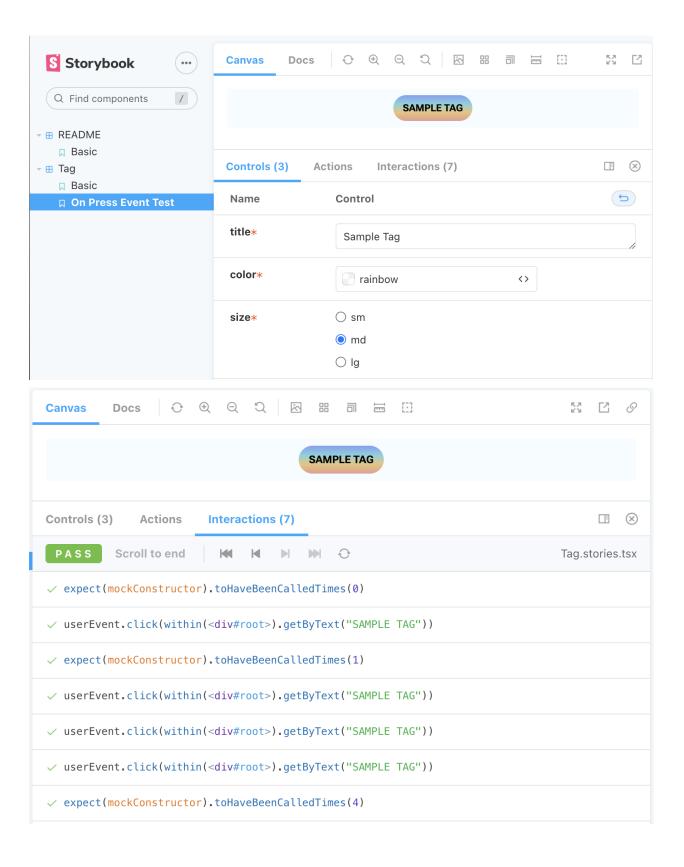
Appendix A - Team Information

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Appendix B - Project Report Contributions

Section	Major Content	Minor Content	Author	Reviewer
1. Overview	AY		AY	JH, TF
2.1 Verification	AY	TF, AB, YL, JH	TF	JH, TF, YL
2.2 Validation	AB	AY	AB	JH, TF
3. Presentation& Interpretationof Information	AY	JH	AY	JH, TF
4. Access to Data		AY		JH, TF

Appendix C - Storybook UI Test Implementation



Changelog

Date	Version	Description	Author(s)
Nov. 27th, 2022	1.2	Fill out sections 2-4	Arnold Ying, Trevor Flanigan, Justin Hua, Amir Barkam, Yisheng Liu
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