



Ball Spinner Milestone 1

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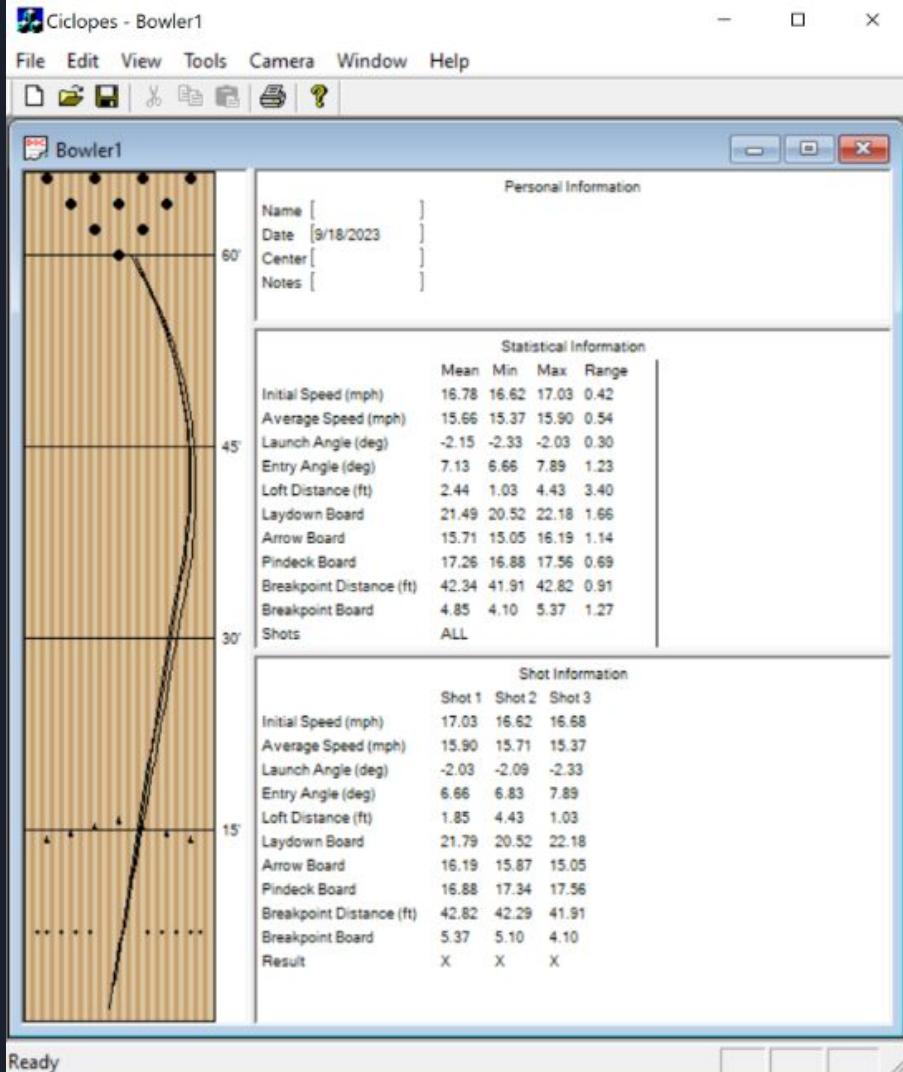
RevMetrix Background

- Brainchild of Professor Hake and Dr. Babcock
- Combination of Ciclopes and SmartDot Module
- Both compliment each other with supplemental data
- Application:
 - Bowling Oil Companies
 - Coaching
 - Semi-Professional leagues



What is Ciclopes

- Dr. Babcock's contribution
- External bowling analysis



What is SmartDot

- Professor Hake's Brain-Child
- Light Sensor + Accelerometer

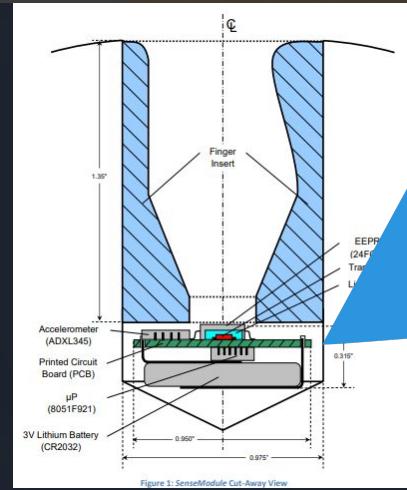
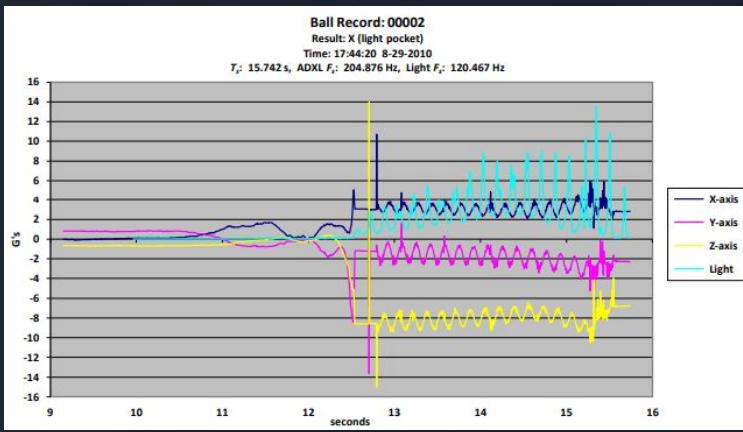
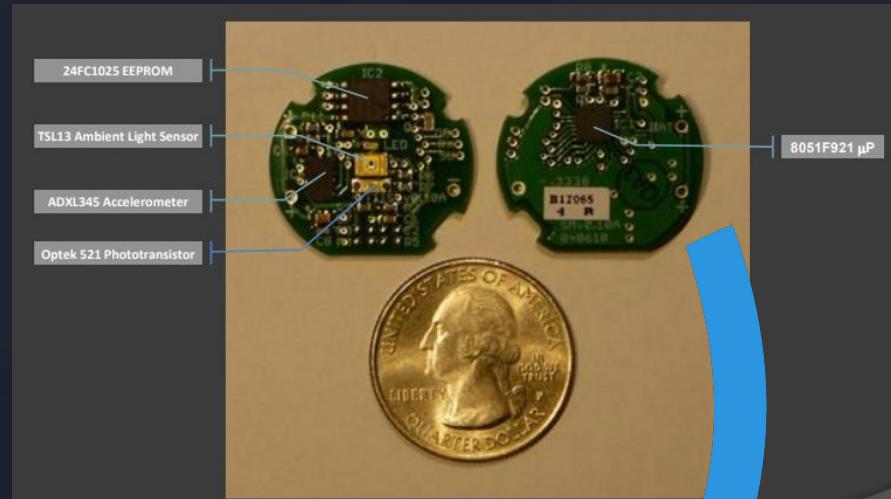
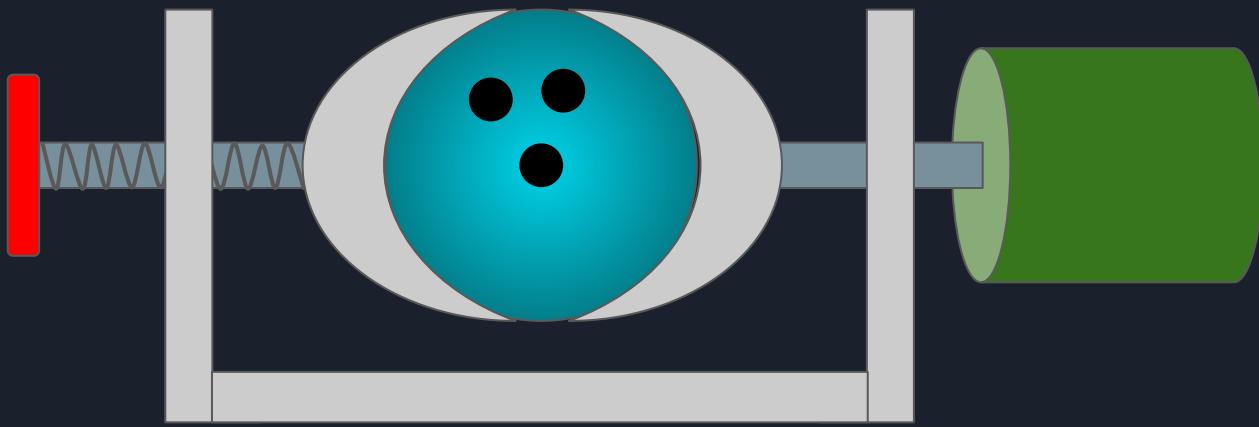


Figure 1: SenseModule Cut-Away View

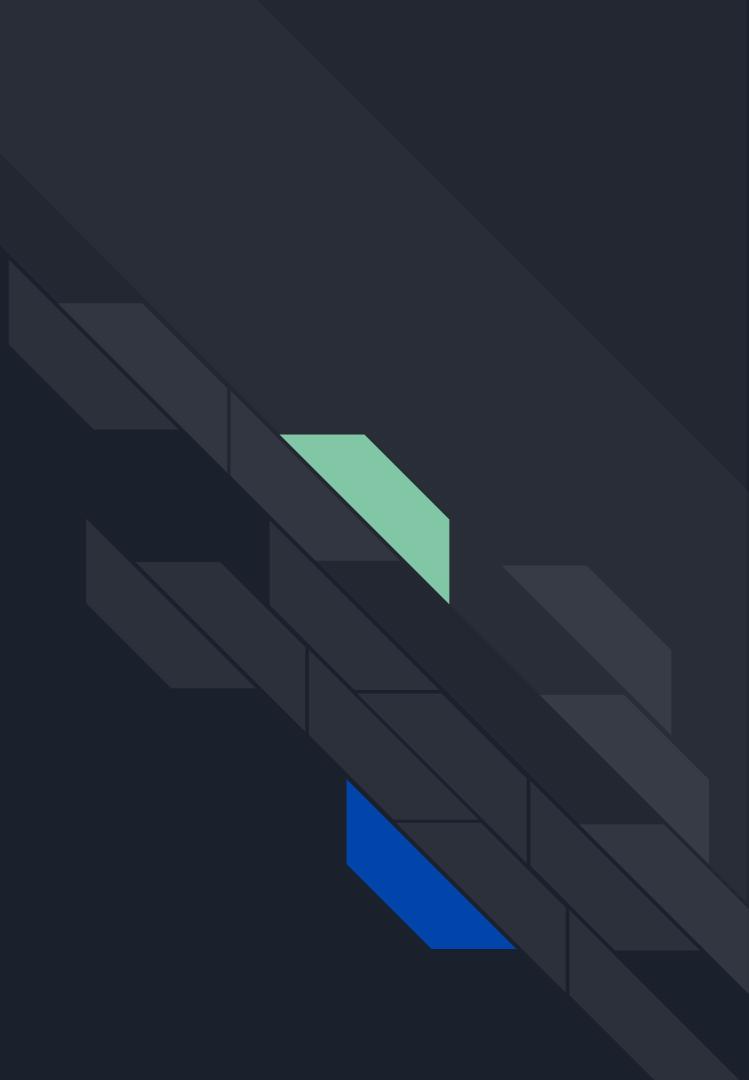


What is the Ball Spinner?

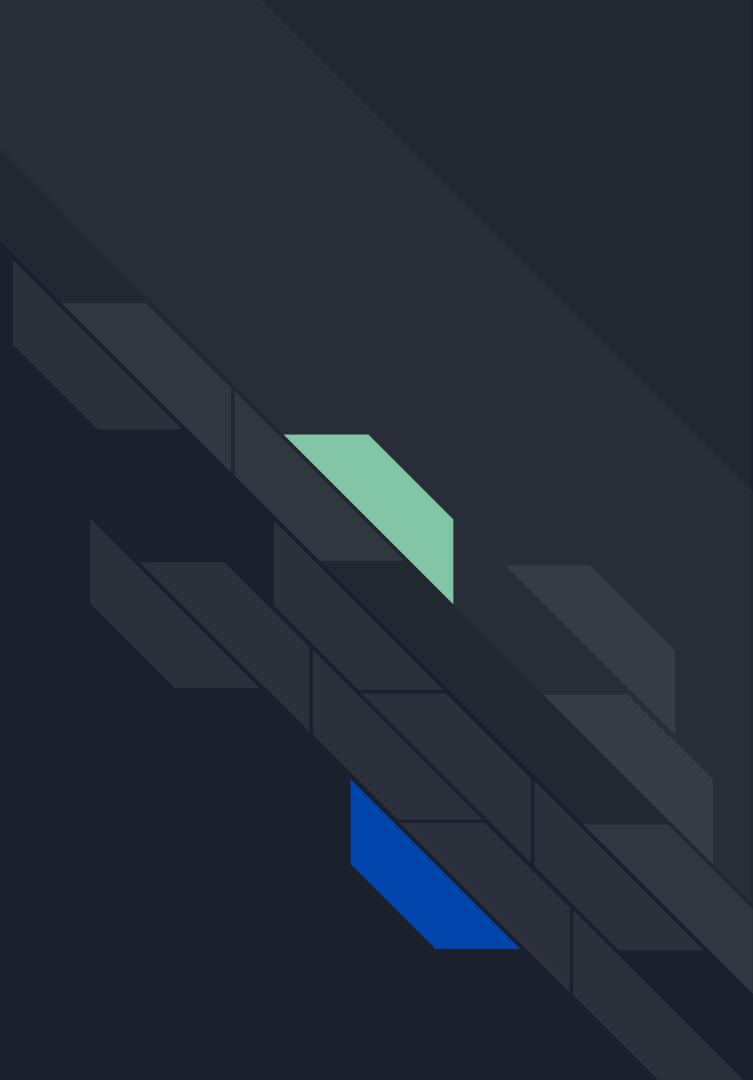
- Device that can emulate a throw down a lane
- Controls movement across 3 orthogonal axes of spin
- External sensors generate data



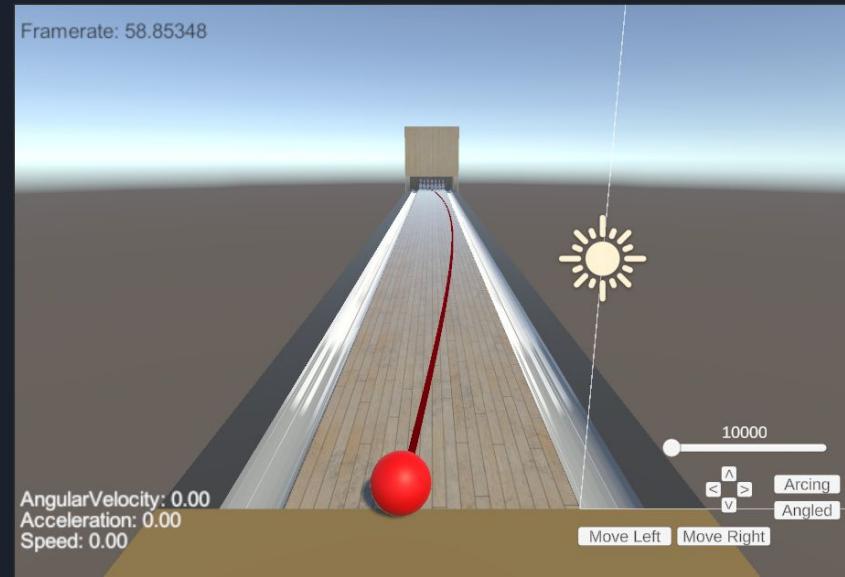
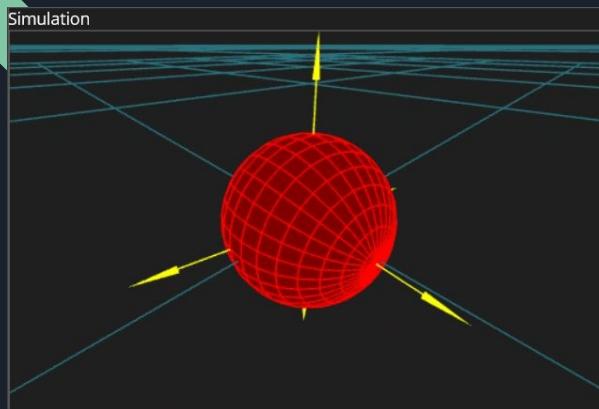
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Project Overview



Simulation



- Shows ball rotation
- Visualizes data through graphs
- Choice between real data from smartdot, and a simulated version of a possible shot
- Unity game with movable shot origin and a possible curve



BSA Backend

- Client-side API methods to interact with API server
- Processing of incoming/outgoing data
- Facilitates data transaction with local database



Cloud

- API methods
- Administrative tasks for production server
 - CI/CD
 - Server infrastructure



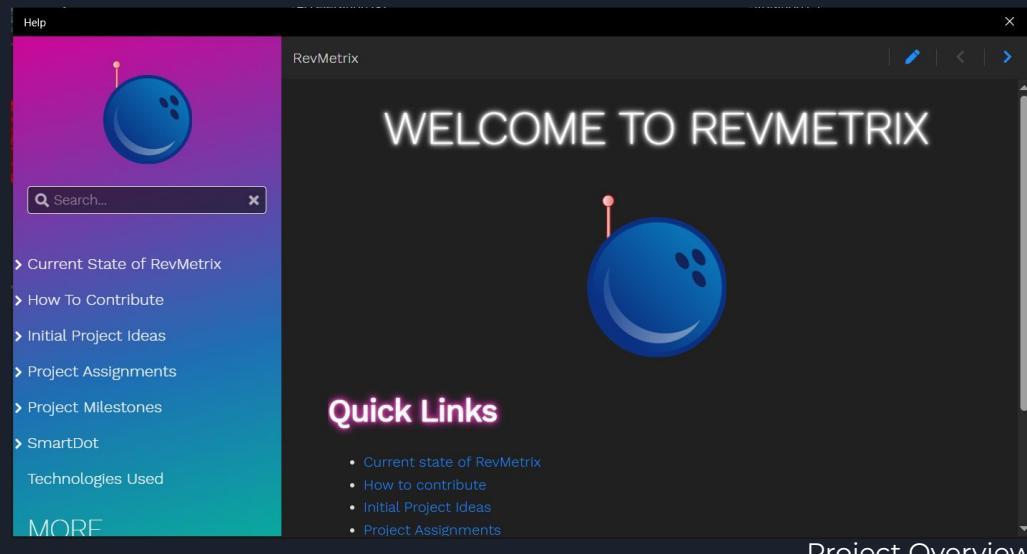
BSA Frontend

- Interface with Ball Spinner Controller and Cloud
 - Cloud - save and load users, shots and arsenal
 - Controller - communicate data regarding motor and SmartDot control
- Output of SmartDot sensor data

Wiki

- Accessible via the Help section in the ball spinner app
- Information
 - Project History
 - Milestones
 - Assignments
 - Development Guides

<https://docs.revmatrix.io/>



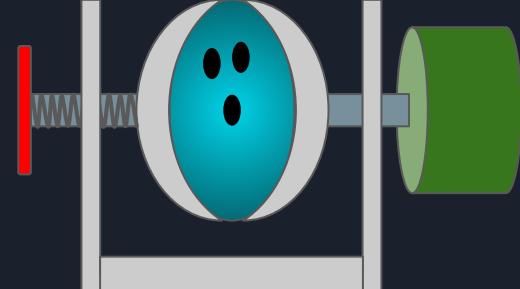
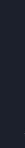


Ball Spinner Controller

- Connects to the BSA Frontend
- Receives commands from the BSA to control the motors at variable speed
- Connects to BTLE Metamotion module and forwards data to the BSA
- Has a Human Machine Interface (HMI)
- Implements a TCP messaging protocol with the BSA

Ball Spinner Team

- Pivoted from wheel spinning design to the new vice design
 - Could not determine no slippage from previous design
 - Roller coefficient of friction too high
- Change in measuring motor input
 - From a light tachometer to an encoder
 - This change can ensure accurate motor recording

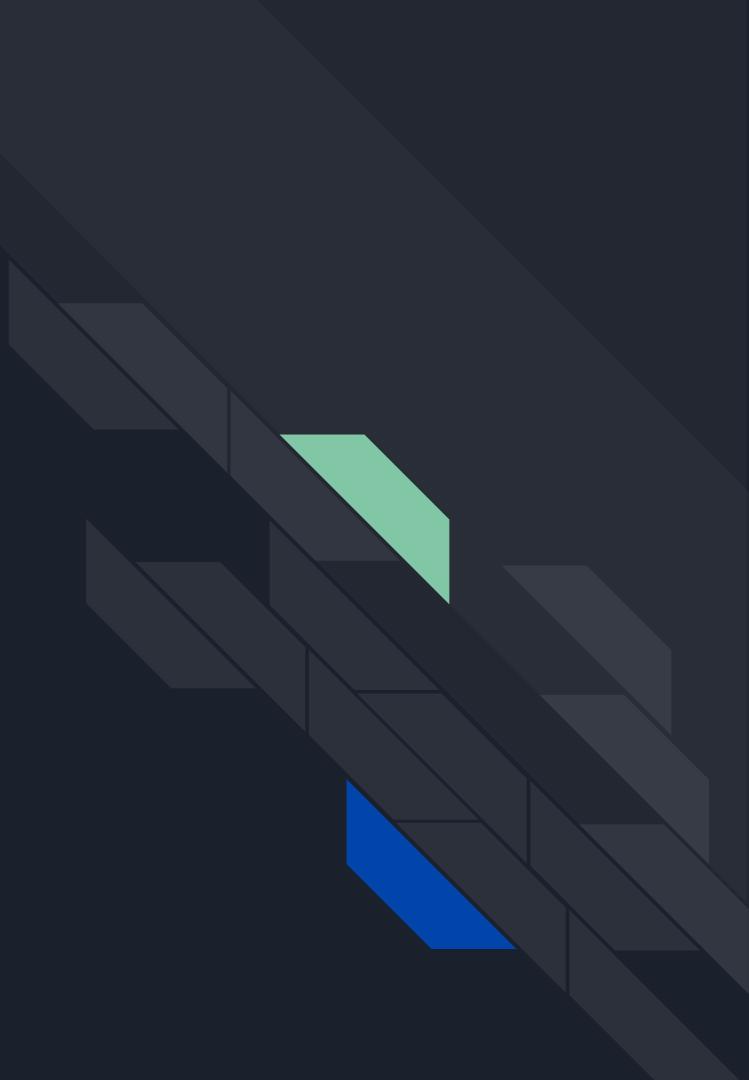




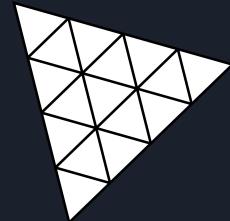
Mobile Application Team

- Basic implementation of mobile/ windows app
 - Login/ Register
 - Page navigation
 - Account Edit
 - Page Frameworks
- Basic database implementation
 - User
 - Ball

Questions?



Technologies Used



Application

- .NET, .NET MAUI
- OpenTK(Three.JS)
- Livecharts2(Chart.JS)
- xUnit

Ball Spinner Controller

- Raspberry Pi
- Tina Cloud

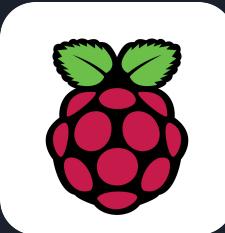


Cloud

- .NET
- xUnit
- Docker
- Digital Ocean
- Github Actions

Ball Spinner

- SolidWorks
- Onshape

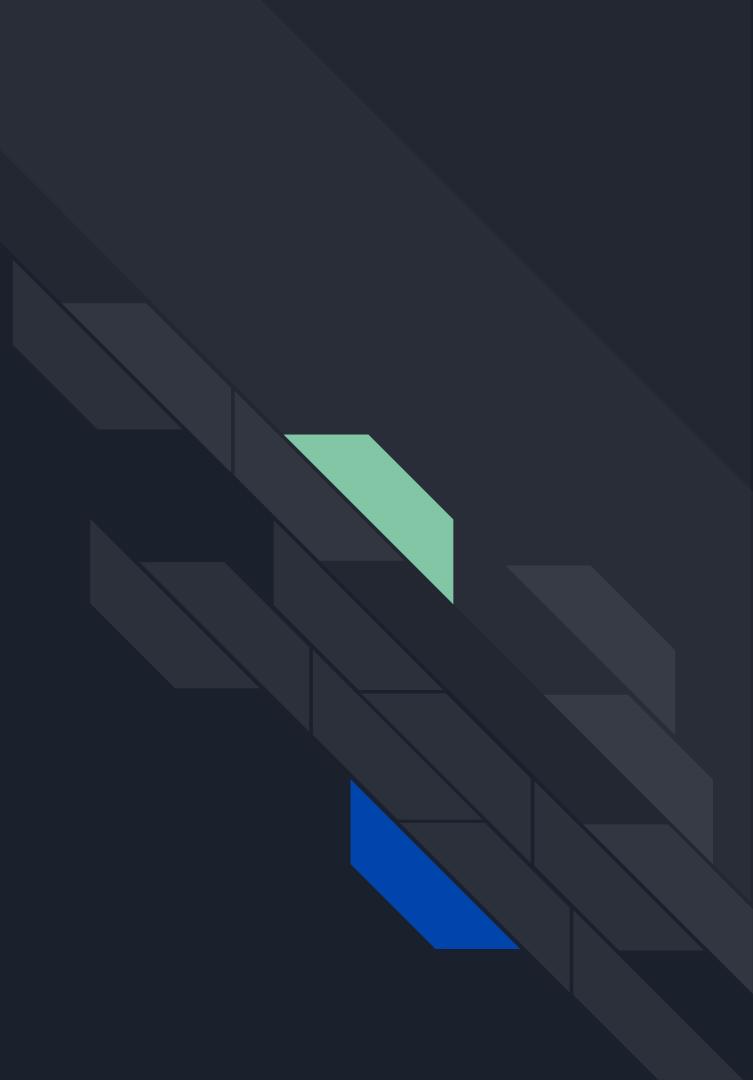


Cellular

- .NET MAUI
- SQLite



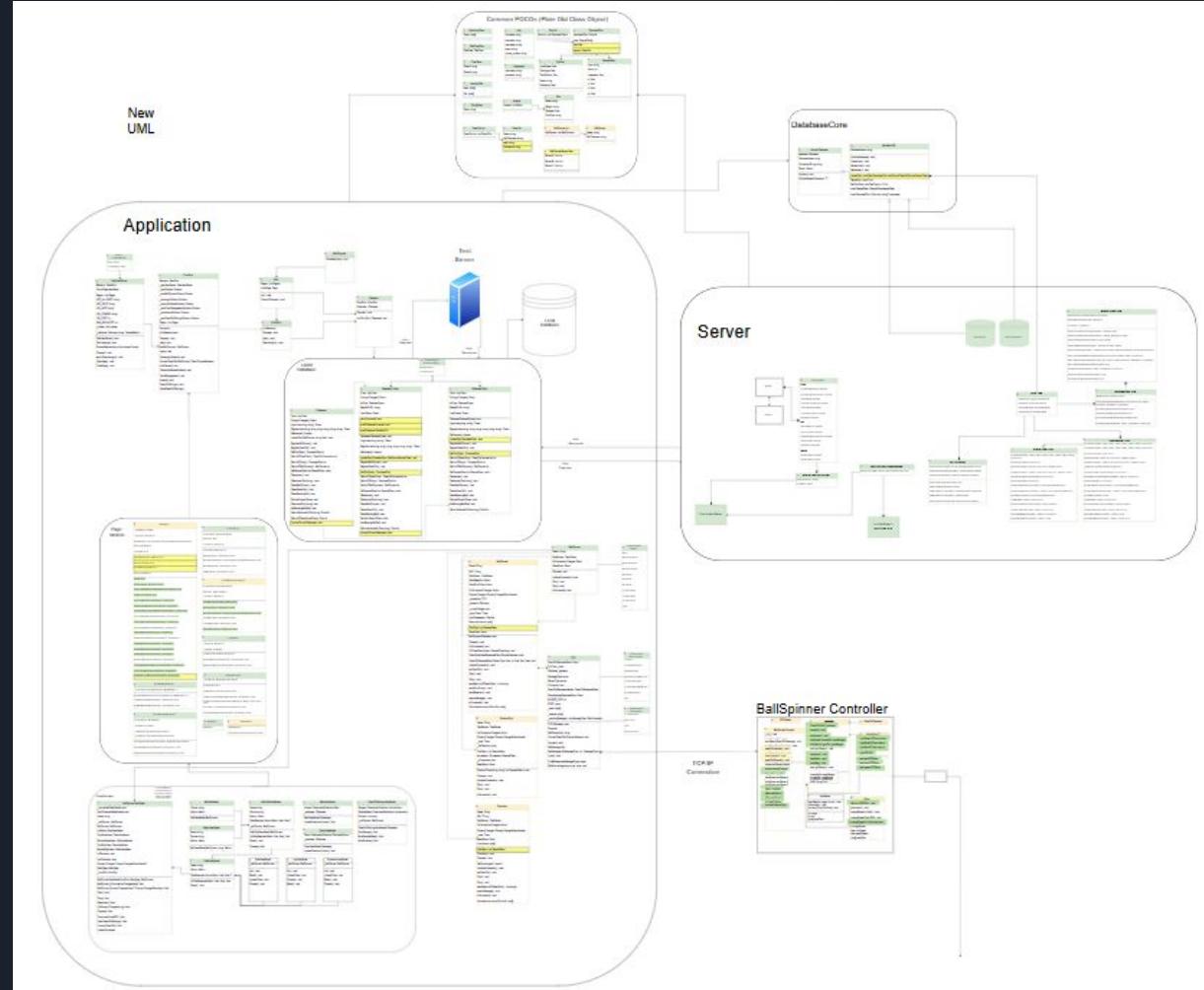
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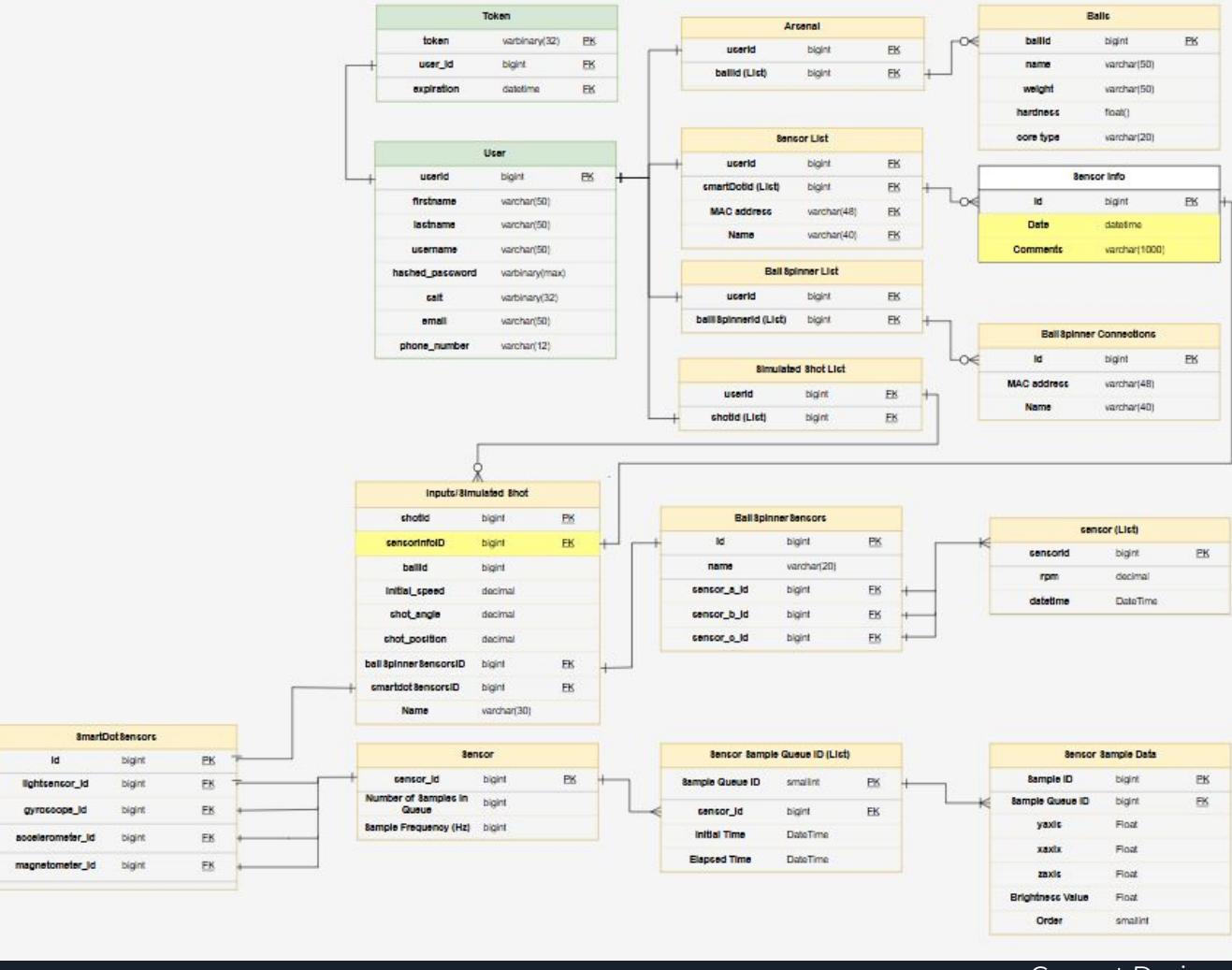
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Partially Implemented

Not Yet Implemented



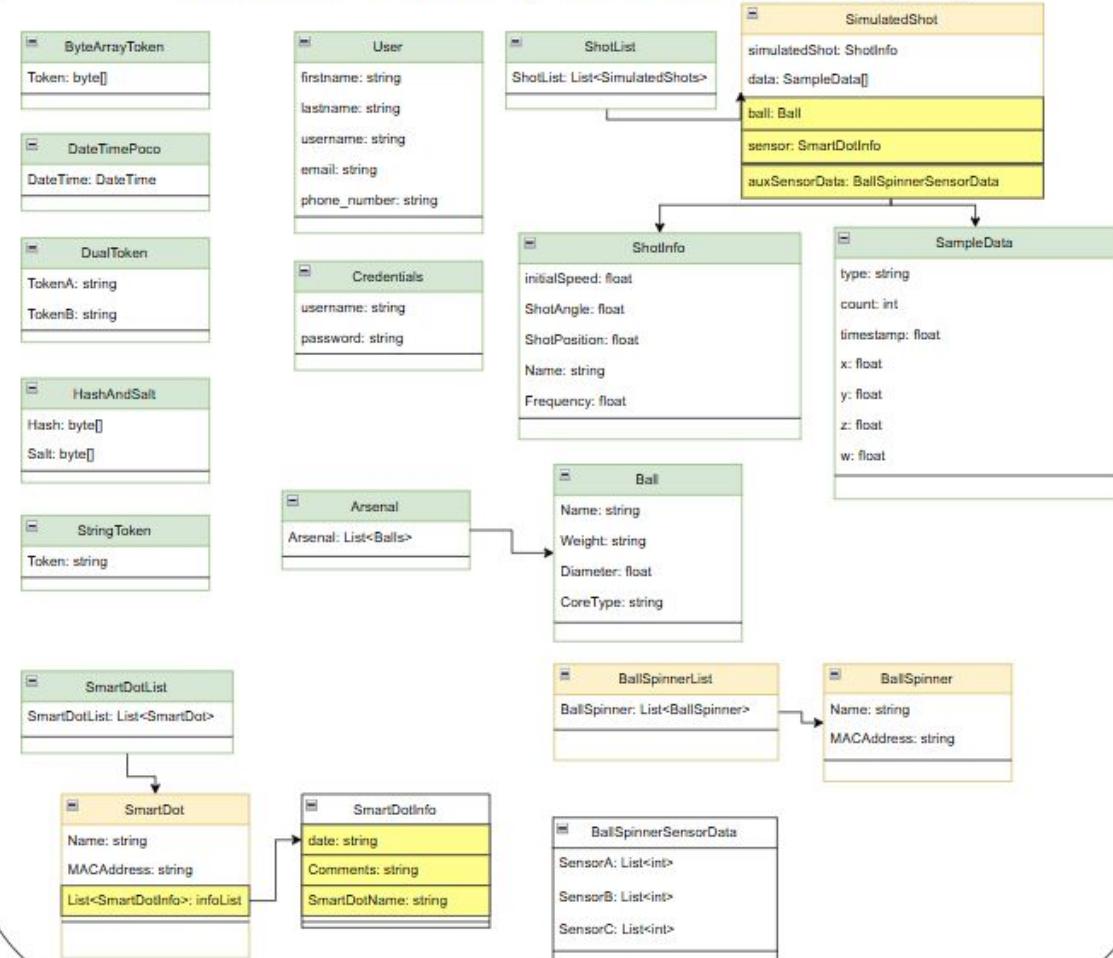
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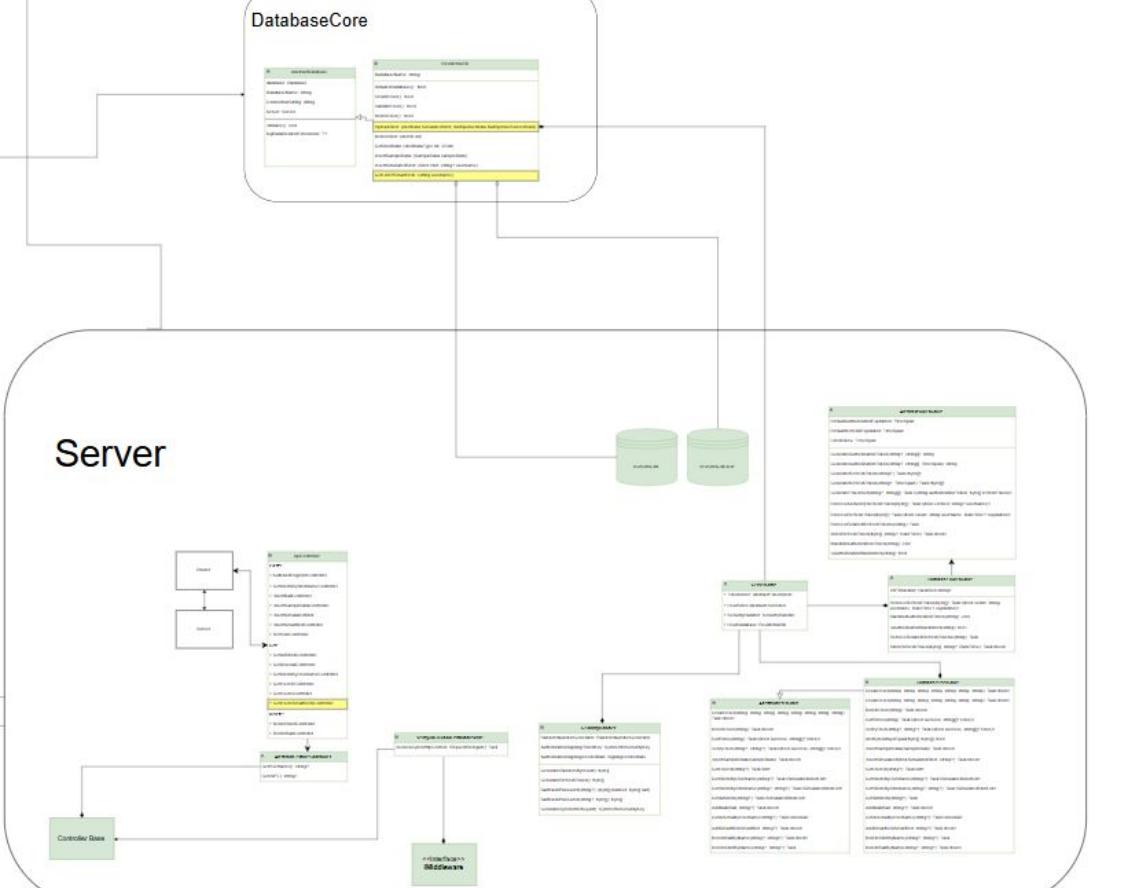
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POCOs

Common POCOs (Plain Old Class Object)

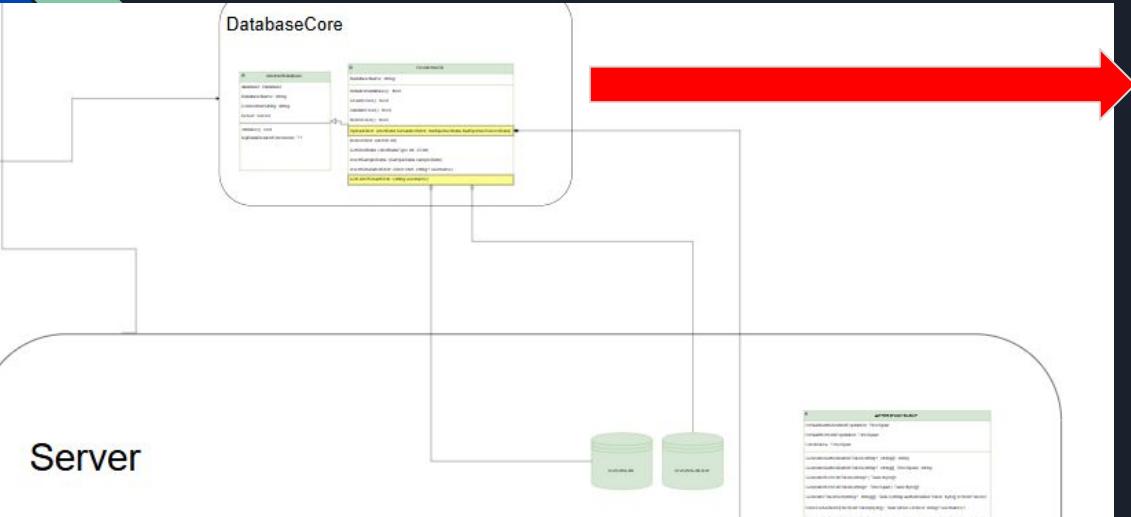


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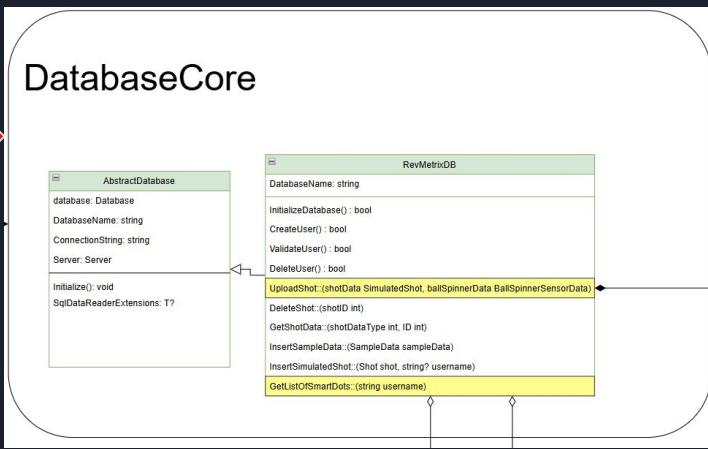
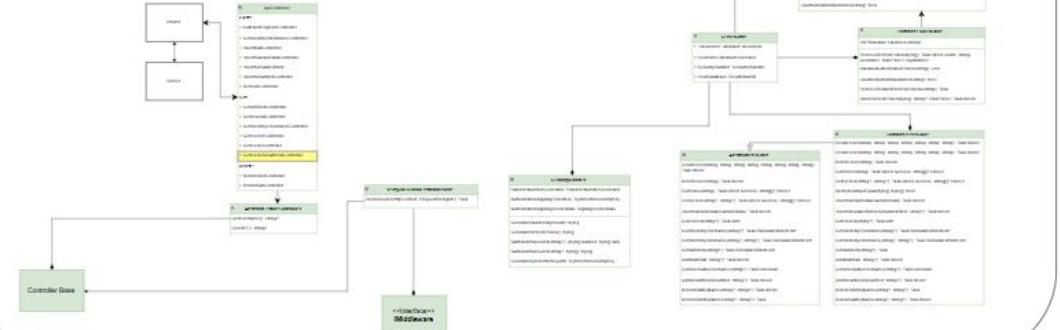


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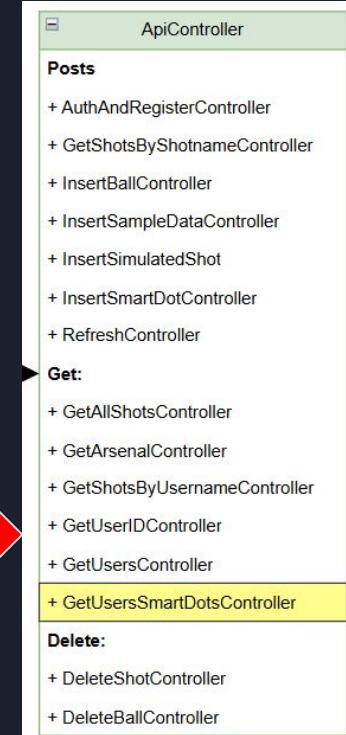
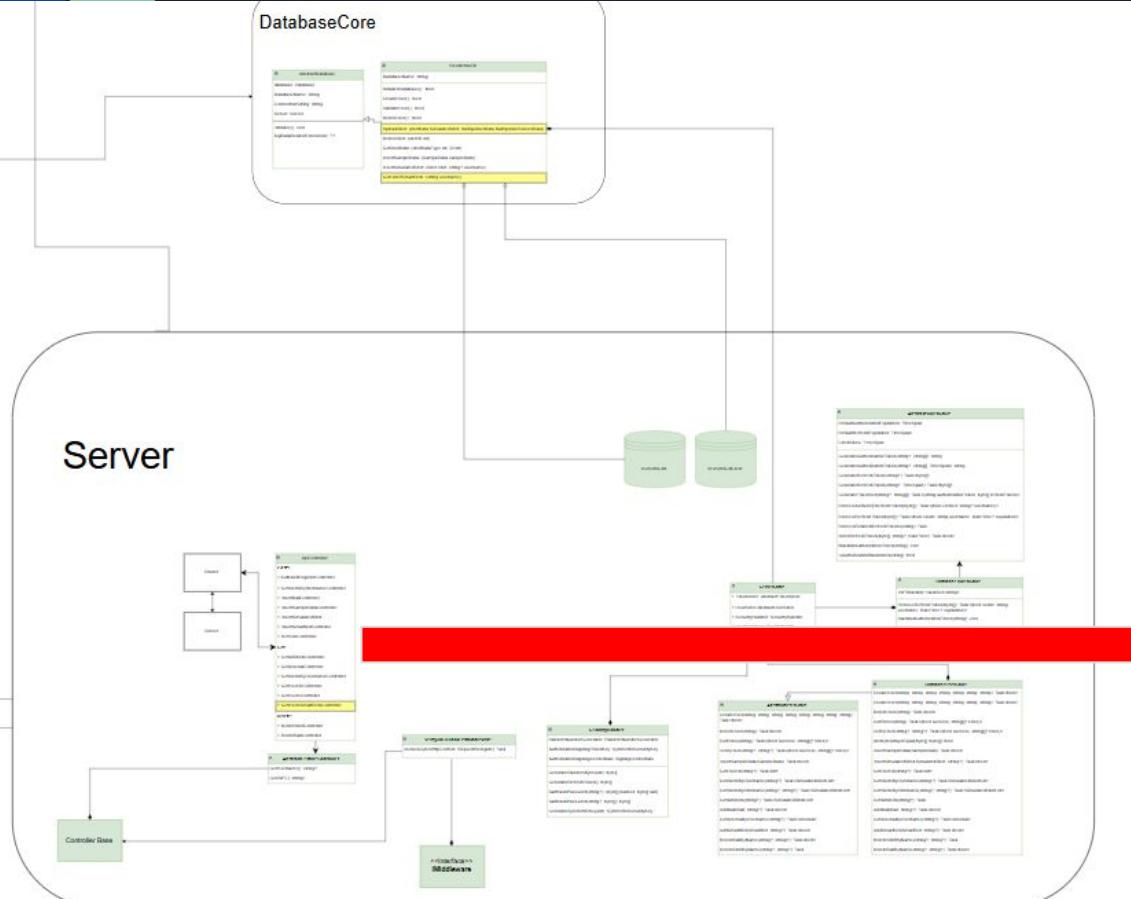


Server



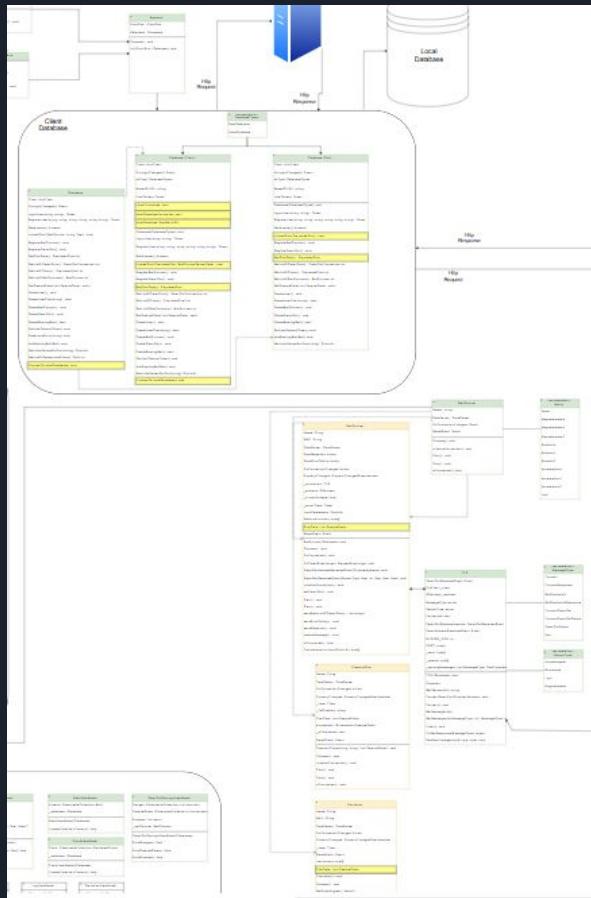
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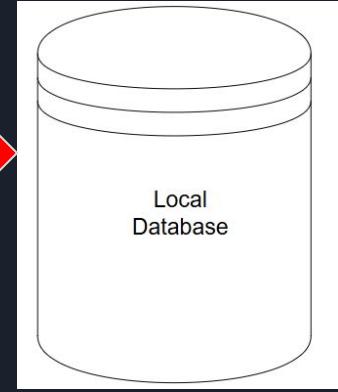
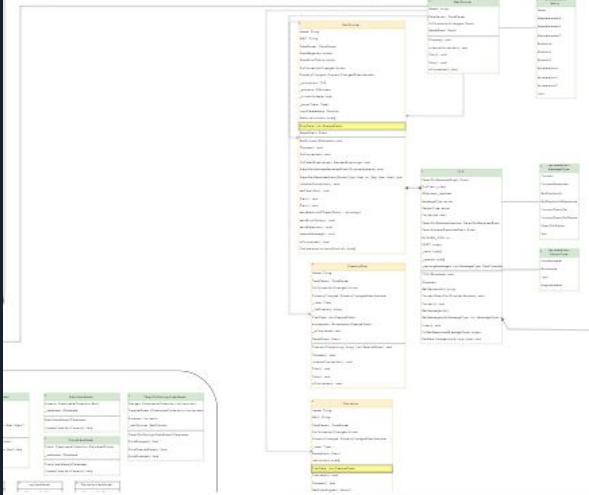
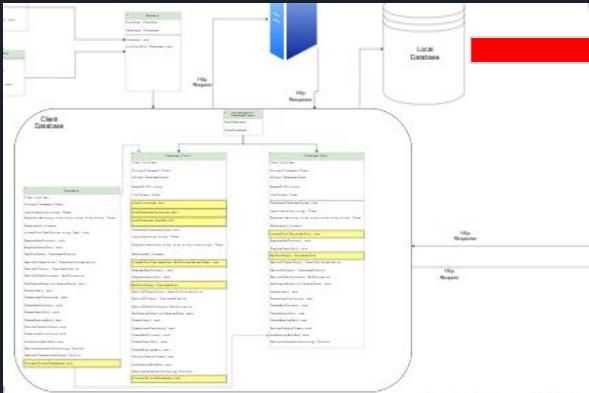


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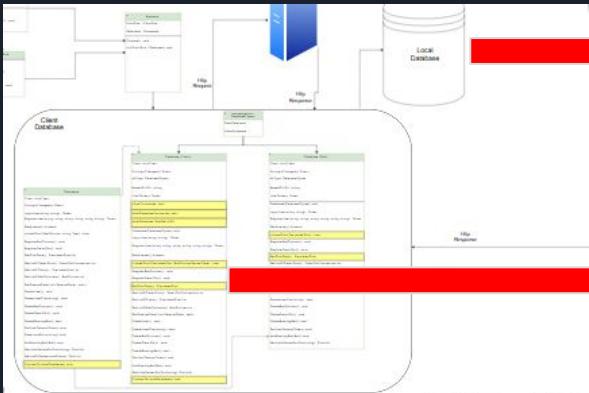
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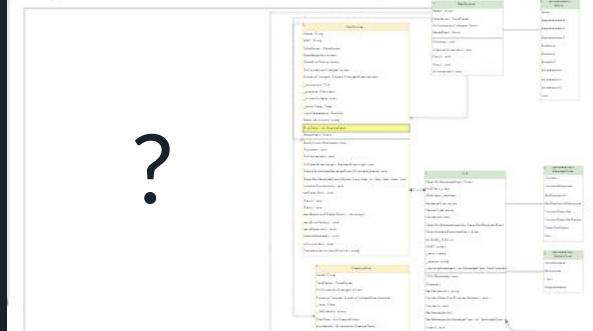
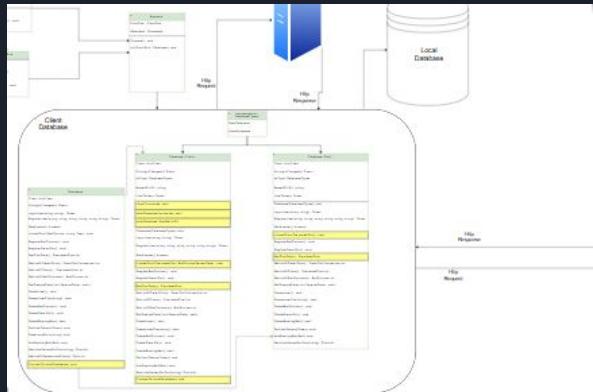


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class Database (Client)
{
    Client: HttpClient
    OnLoginChanged(): Event
    dbType: DatabaseTypes
    BaseAPIURL: string
    UserTokens: Token
    cloudConnected: bool
    localDatabaseConnected: bool
    localDatabase: RevMetrixDb

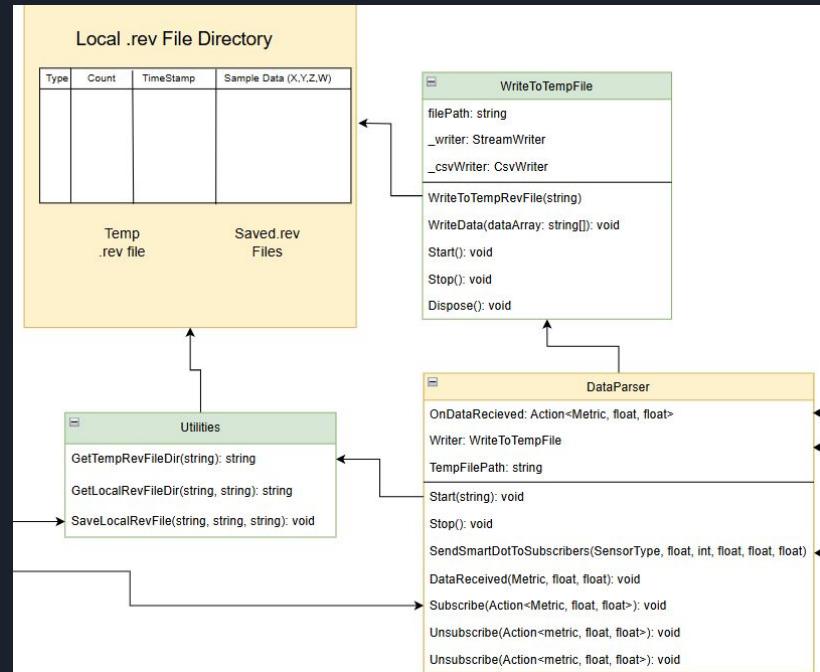
    Database(DatabaseTypes): void
    Login(User(string, string) : Token
    RegisterUser(string, string, string, string, string, string) : Token
    GetArsenal(): Arsenal
    UploadShot(SimulatedShot, BallSpinnerSensorData) : bool
    RegisterBallSpinner() : void
    RegisterSmartDot() : void
    GetShotData() : SimulatedShot
    GetListOfSmartDots() : SmartDotConnectionList
    GetListOfShots() : SimulatedShotList
    GetListOfBallSpinners() : BallSpinnerList
    GetSampleData(List<SampleData>, path)
    DeleteUser() : void
    DeleteUserShot(string) : bool
    DeleteBallSpinner() : void
    DeleteSmartDot() : void
    DeleteBowlingBall() : bool
    SetUserTokens(Token): void
    AddBowlingBall(Ball) : bool
    GetInitialValuesForShot(string) : ShotInfo
    ConnectToLocalDatabase(): void
}
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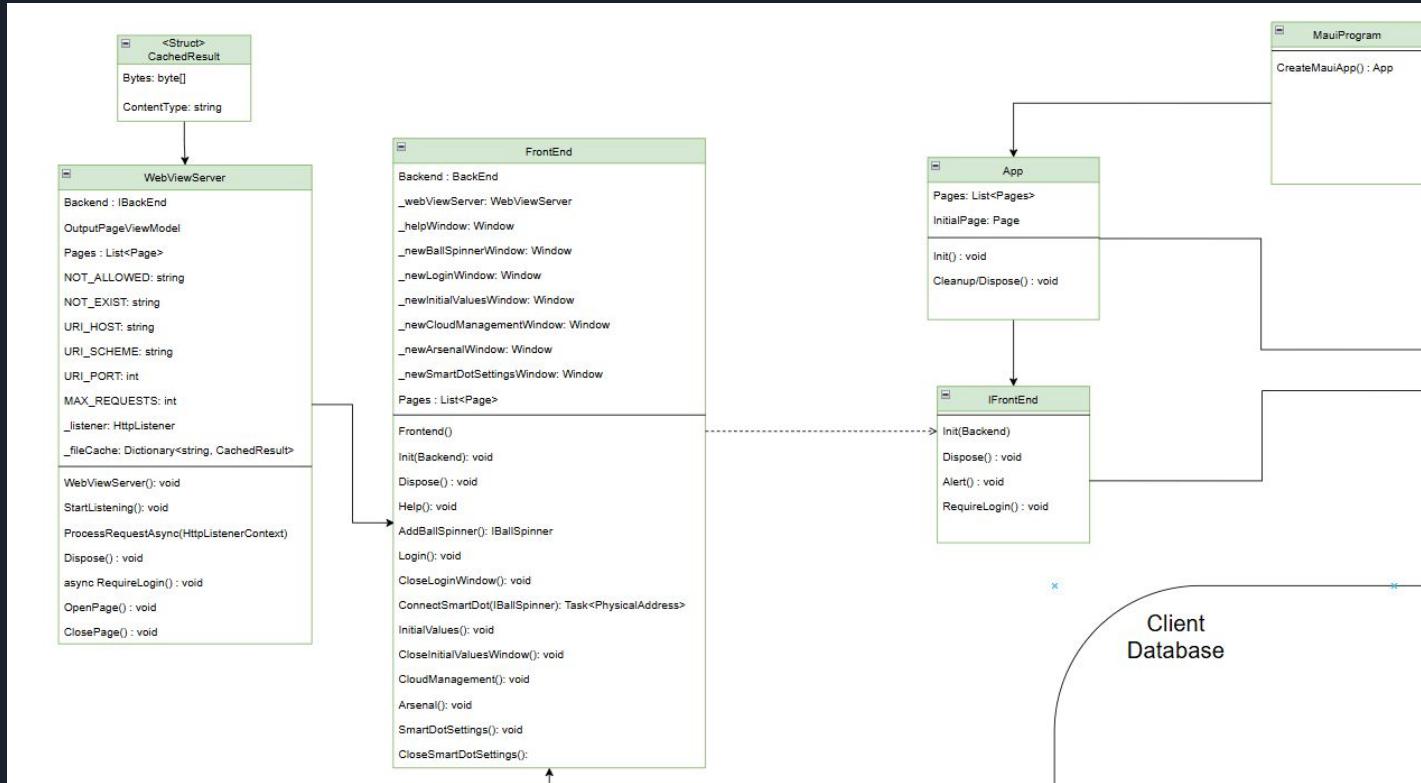
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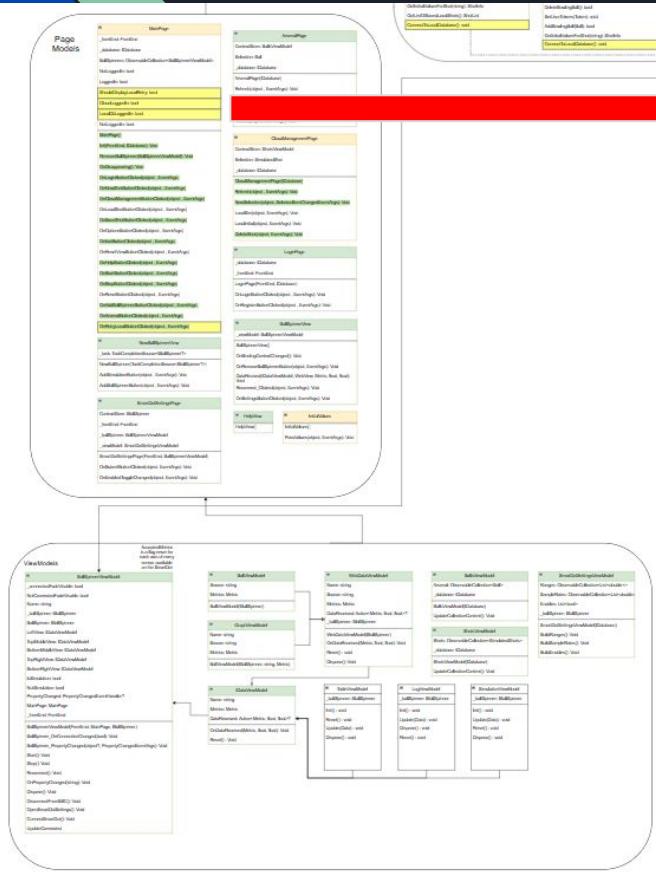
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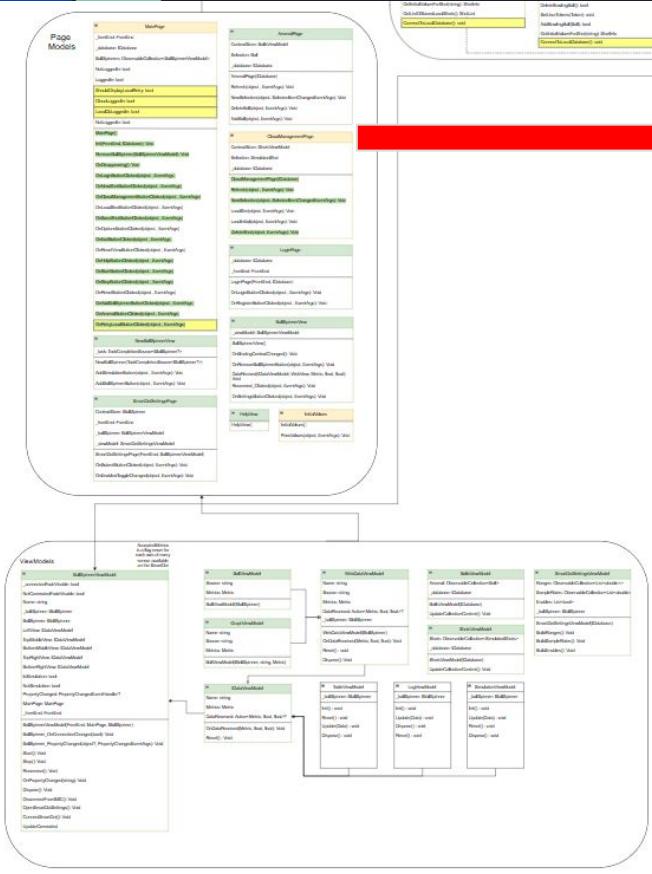
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MainPage
-----
    _frontEnd: FrontEnd
    _database: IDatabase
    BallSpinners: ObservableCollection<BallSpinnerViewModel>
    NotLoggedIn: bool
    LoggedIn: bool
    ShouldDisplayLocalRetry: bool
    CloudLoggedIn: bool
    LocalDbLoggedIn: bool
    NotLoggedIn: bool

MainPage()
-----
    Init(FrontEnd, IDatabase): Void
    RemoveBallSpinner(BallSpinnerViewModel): Void
    OnDisappearing(): Void
    OnLoginButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnNewShotButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnCloudManagementButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnLoadShotButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnSaveShotButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnOptionsMenuClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnExitButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnResetViewButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnHelpButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnStartButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnStopButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnResetButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnAddBallSpinnerButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnArsenalButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)
    OnRetryLocalButtonClicked(object, EventArgs)

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BSA Frontend



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ArsenalPage
ContextStore: BallViewModel
Selection: Ball
_database: IDatabase

ArsenalPage(IDatabase)
Refresh(object, EventArgs): Void
NewSelection(object, SelectedItemChangedEventArgs): Void
DeleteBall(object, EventArgs): Void
AddBall(object, EventArgs): Void

CloudManagementPage
ContextStore: ShotsViewModel
Selection: SimulatedShot
_database: IDatabase

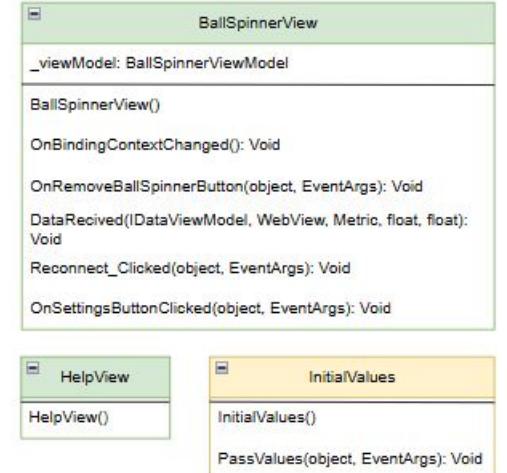
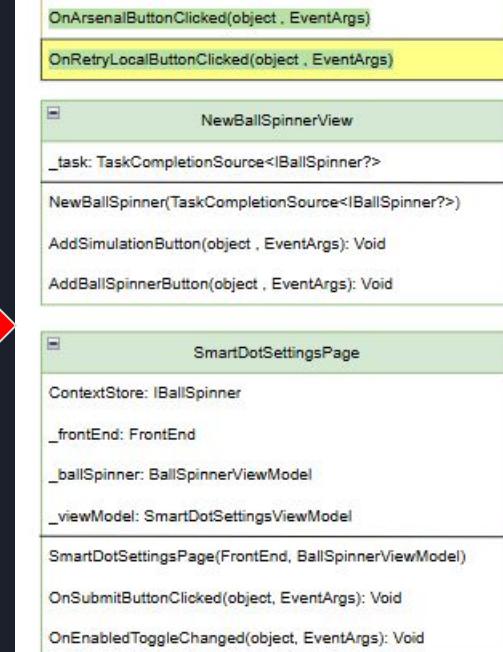
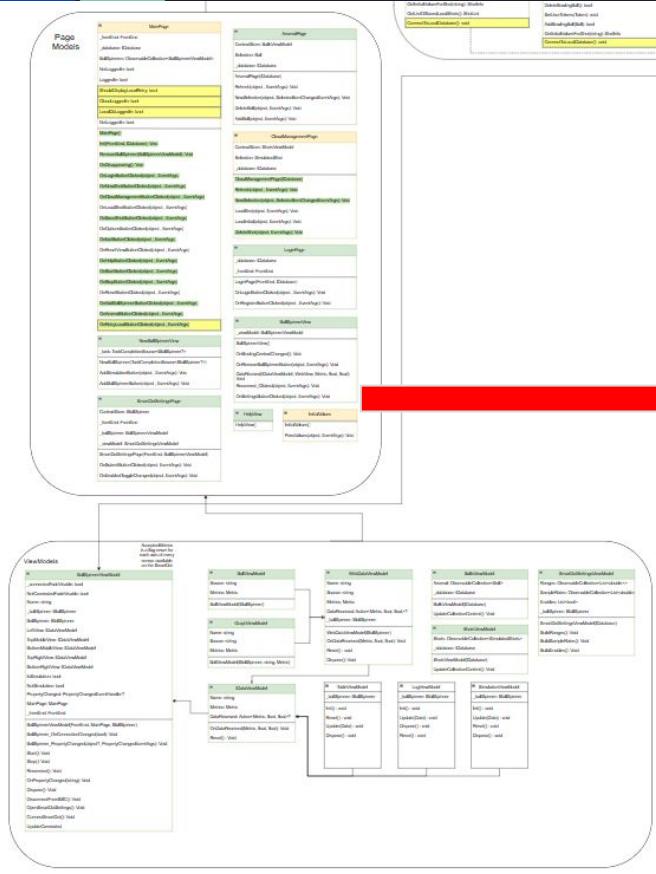
CloudManagementPage(IDatabase)
Refresh(object, EventArgs): Void
NewSelection(object, SelectedItemChangedEventArgs): Void
LoadSim(object, EventArgs): Void
LoadInitial(object, EventArgs): Void
DeleteShot(object, EventArgs): Void

LoginPage
_database: IDatabase
_frontEnd: FrontEnd

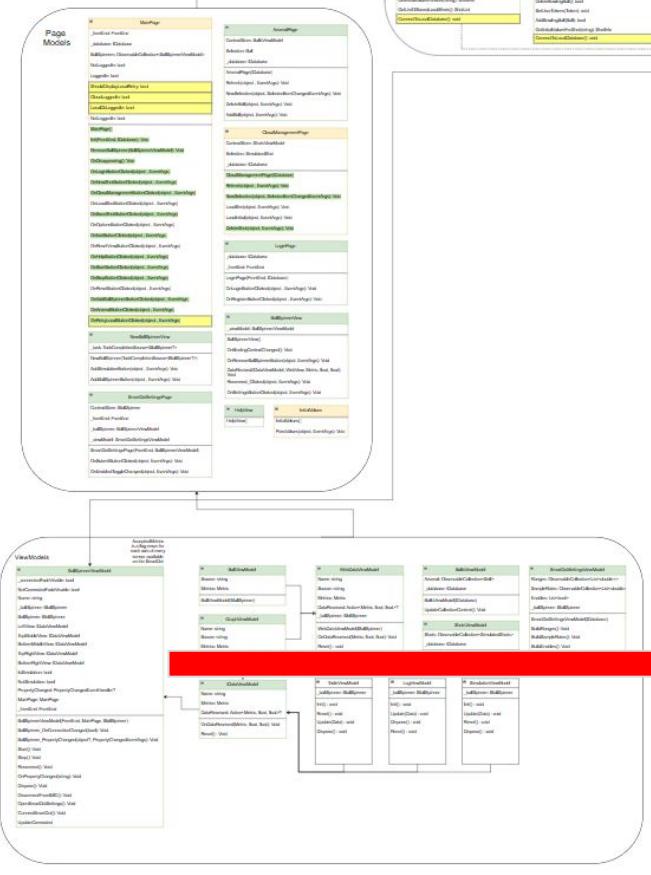
LoginPage(FrontEnd, IDatabase)
OnLoginButtonClicked(object, EventArgs): Void
OnRegisterButtonClicked(object, EventArgs): Void

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BSA Frontend



BSA Frontend



on the SmartDot

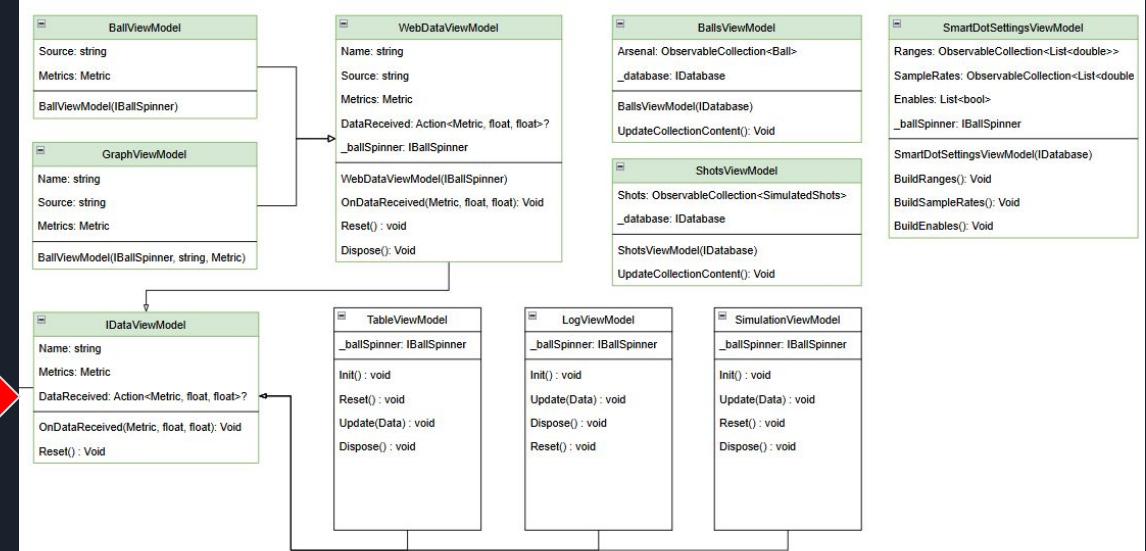
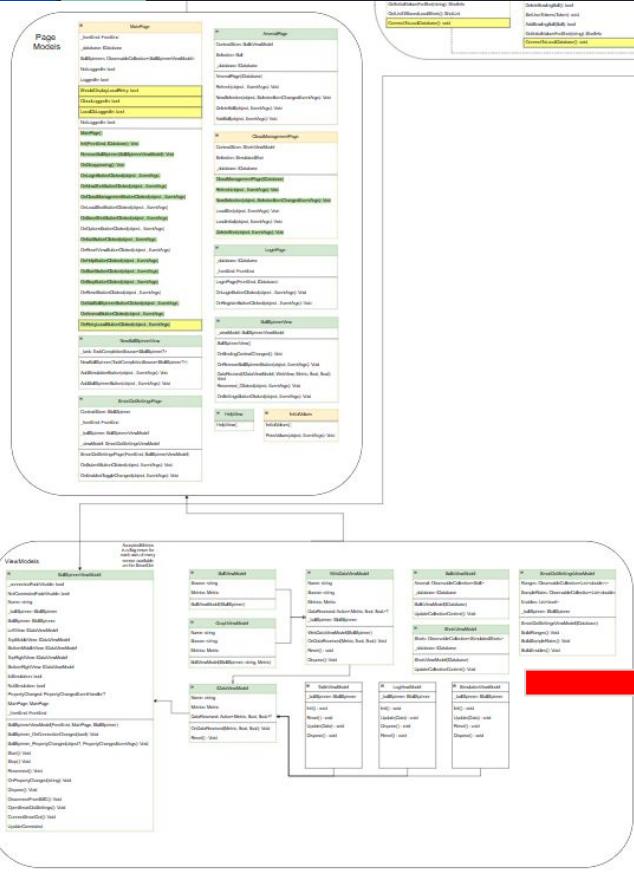
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class BallSpinnerViewModel {
    _connectedFadeVisible: bool
    NotConnectedFadeVisible: bool
    Name: string
    _ballSpinner: IBallSpinner
    BallSpinner: IBallSpinner
    LeftView: IDataViewModel
    TopMiddleView: IDataViewModel
    BottomMiddleView: IDataViewModel
    TopRightView: IDataViewModel
    BottomRightView: IDataViewModel
    IsSimulation: bool
    NotSimulation: bool
    PropertyChanged: PropertyChangedEventHandler?
    MainPage: MainPage
    _frontEnd: FrontEnd

    BallSpinnerViewModel(FrontEnd, MainPage, IBallSpinner)
    BallSpinner_OnConnectionChanged(bool): Void
    BallSpinner_PropertyChanged(object?, PropertyChangedEventArgs): Void
    Start(): Void
    Stop(): Void
    Reconnect(): Void
    OnPropertyChanged(string): Void
    Dispose(): Void
    DisconnectFromBSC(): Void
    OpenSmartDotSettings(): Void
    ConnectSmartDot(): Void
    UpdateConnected
}

```

BSA Frontend



Protocol

1. Setup Connection Messages

a) A_B_INIT_HANDSHAKE: previously (APP_INIT)

Msg Type (0x01)	Msg Size (0x0001)	Random Start Byte (1 Byte)
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b) B_A_INIT_HANDSHAKE_ACK: previously (APP_INIT_ACK)

Msg Type (0x02)	Msg Size (0x0001)	Repeated Random Byte (1 Byte)
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c) A_B_NAME_REQ: previously (BSC_NAME_REQ)

Msg Type (0x03)

d) B_A_NAME: previously (BSC_NAME)

Msg Type (0x04)	Msg Size (2 Bytes)	ASCII NAME (Up to 255 Bytes)
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2. Setup SmartDot Connection

a) A_B_START_SCAN_FOR_SD: previously (SMARTDOT_SCAN)

Msg Type (0x05)

b) B_A_SCANNED_SD: previously (SMARTDOT_SCAN)

Msg Type (0x06)	Msg Size (2 Bytes)	BLE MAC Address (6 Bytes)	Name in ASCII (Up to 255 Bytes)
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c) A_B_CHOSEN_SD

Msg Type (0x07)	Msg Size (2 Bytes)	BLE MAC Address (6 Bytes)	Name in ASCII (Up to 255 Bytes)
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d) B_A_RECEIVE_CONFIG_INFO

Msg Type (0x08)	Msg Size (2 Bytes) 0x0008	Accel Sample Rates (2 Byte)	Gyro Sample Rates (2 Byte)	Mag Sample Rates (2 Byte)	Light Sample Rates (2 Byte)
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Protocol

3. Sending Run Data

a) A_B_RECEIVE_SD_CONFIG

Msg Type (0x09)	Msg Size (0x0004)	Set Config For SD 2 Bytes
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b) A_B_SD_TOGGLE_TAKE_DATA

Msg Type (0x0F)	Msg Size (0x0001)	On or off byte (1 byte)
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c) B_A_SD_SENSOR_DATA

Msg Type (0x0B)	Msg Size (0x0013)	Sensor Type (1 Byte)	Sample Count (3 Byte)	Time Stamp (4 Byte)	"X-axis" data (4 Bytes)	"Y-axis" data (4 Bytes)	"Z-axis" data (4 Bytes)
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d) A_B_MOTOR_INSTRUCTIONS

Msg Type (0x0C)	Msg Size (0x0003)	Motor1 Speed (1 Byte)	Motor2 Angle (1 Byte)	Motor3 Angle (1 Byte)
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4. Terminate Processes

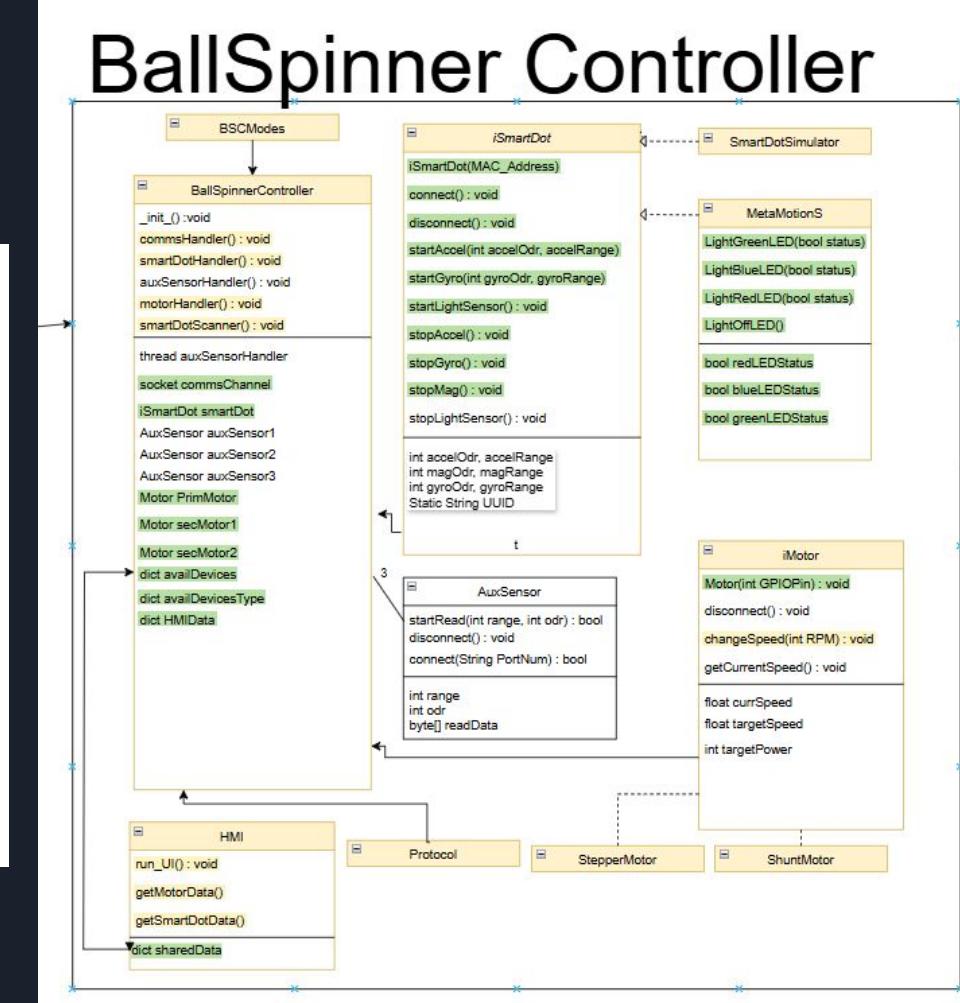
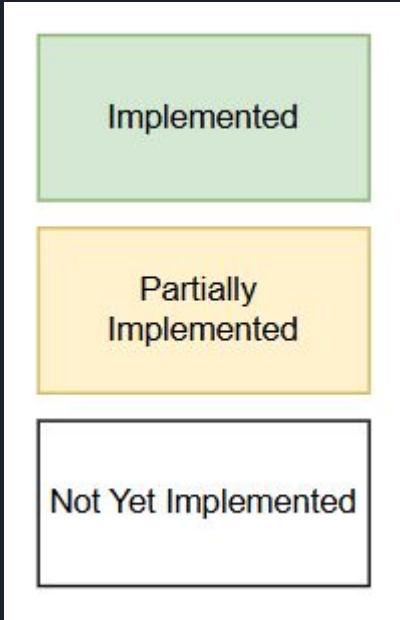
a) A_B_STOP_MOTOR

Msg Type (0x0D)

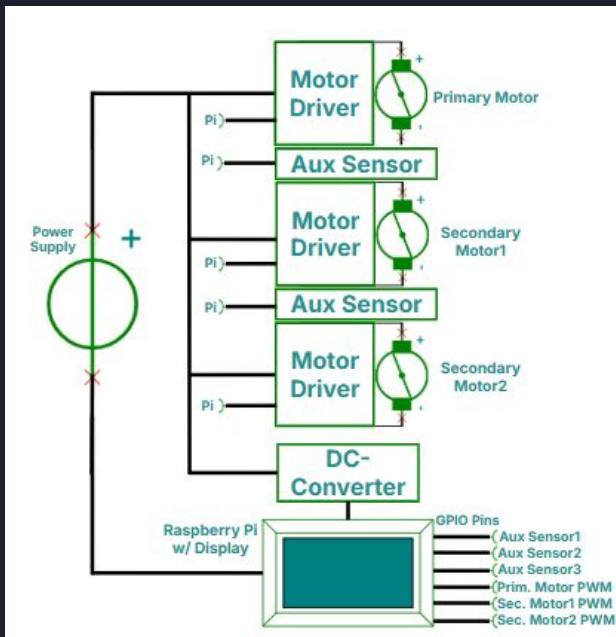
b) A_B_DISCONNECT_FROM_BSC

Msg Type (0x0E)

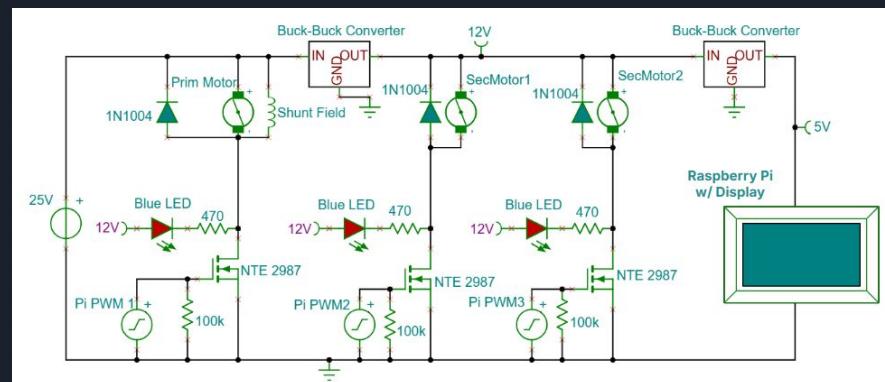
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Stepper Motor Electrical Block Diagram

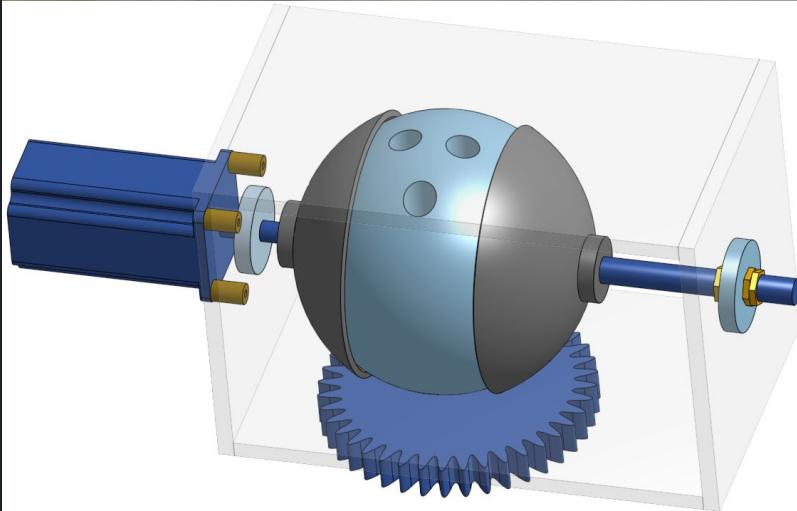


Current Electrical Schematic (using Shunt Motor)

Current Design

Ball Spinner Team

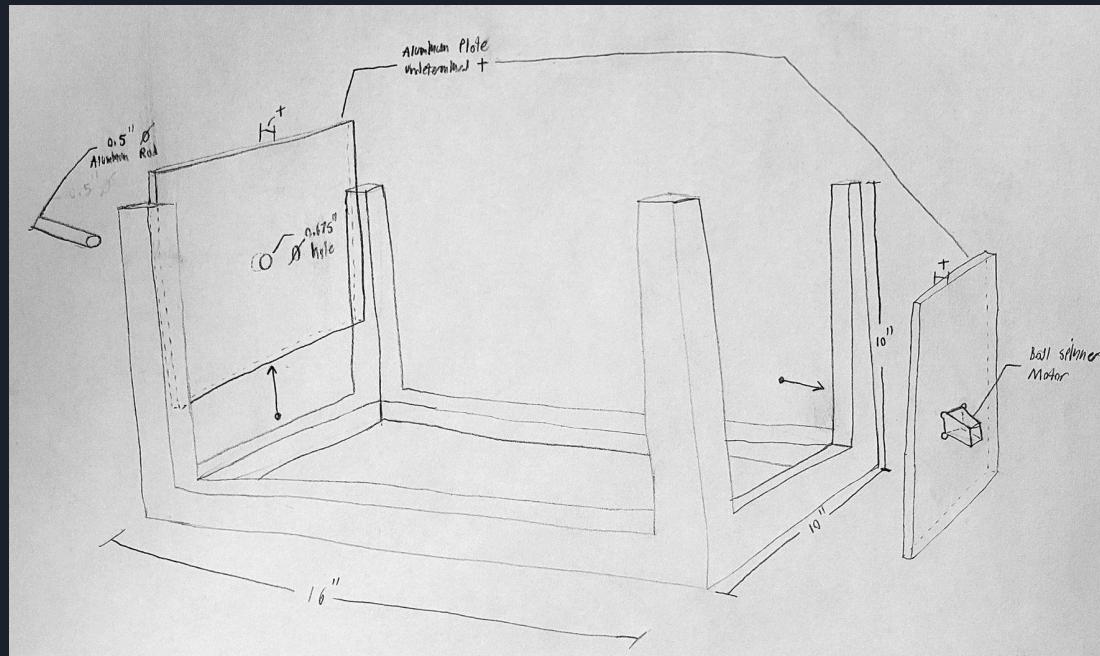
- Prototyped enclosure
 - Serves as temporary housing
 - Used to verify sizing
- Motor selected
- Design modeled
- Axel rod size designed



Current Design

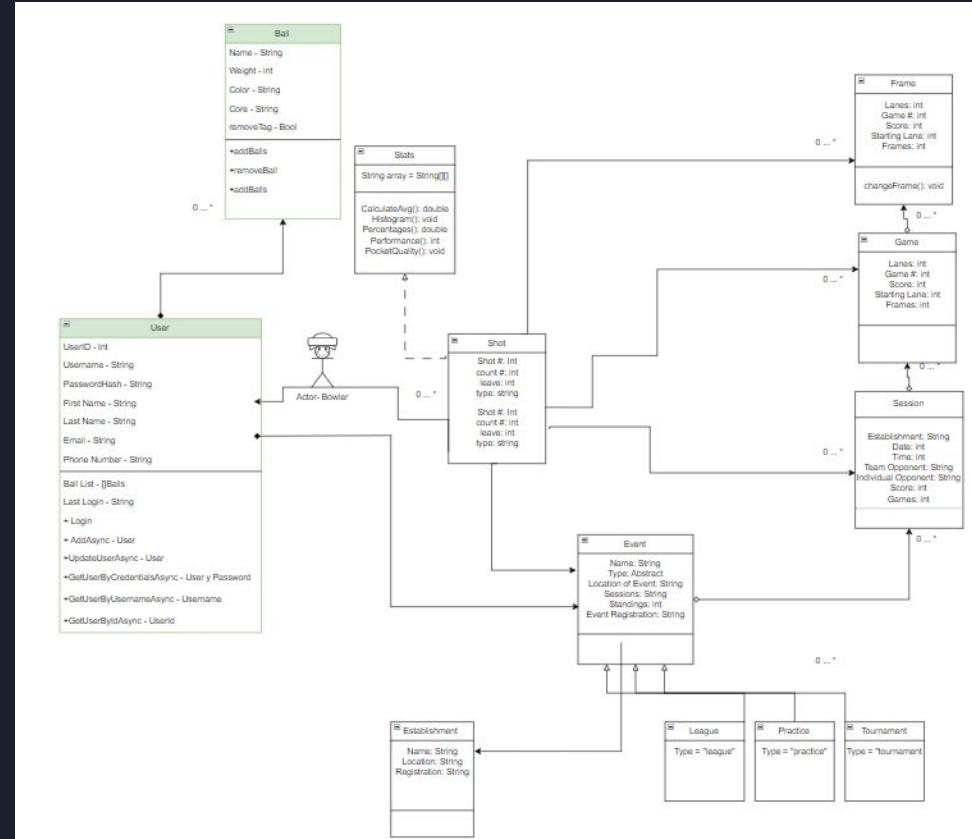
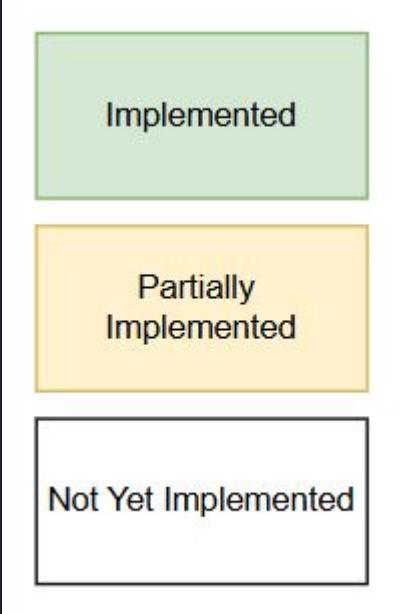
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- Current system dimensions exceed preliminary sketch to provide room to house the motor within the enclosure
 - Also provides greater safety and eases the process of relocating the enclosure when needed.



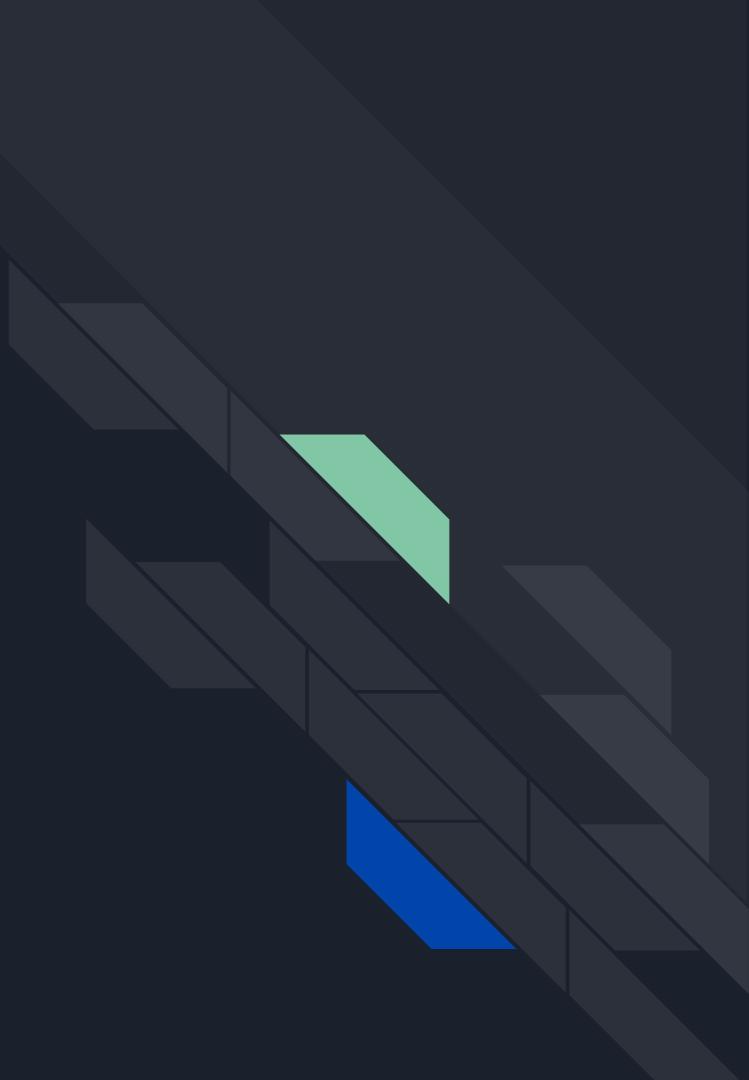
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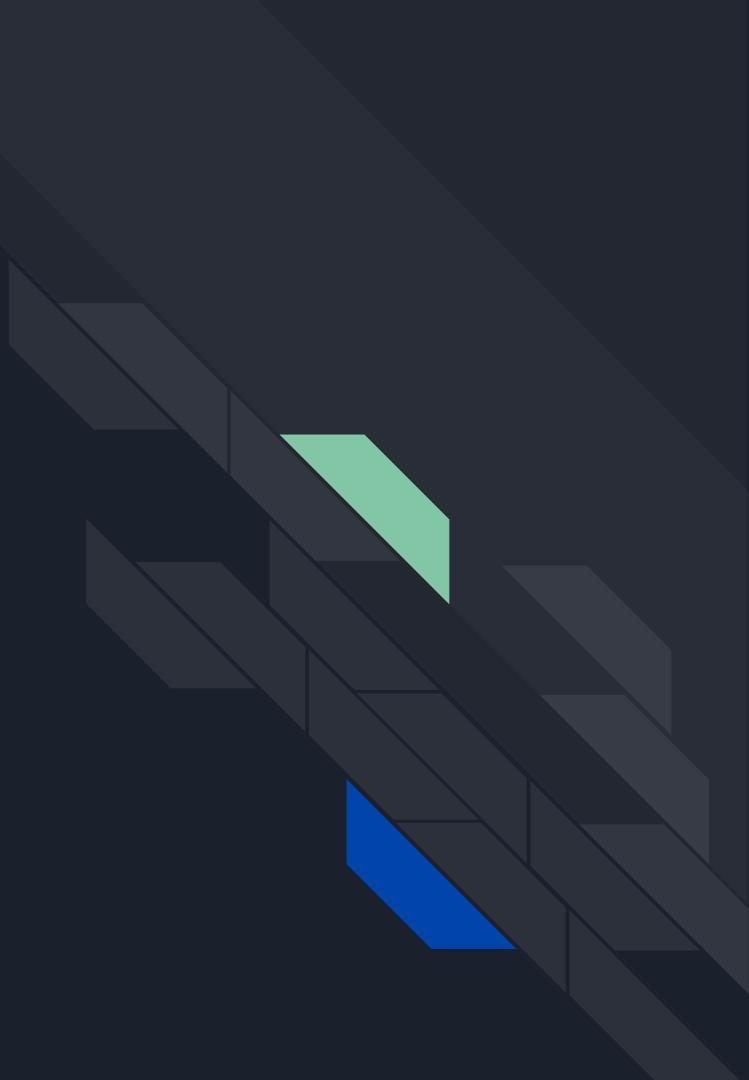


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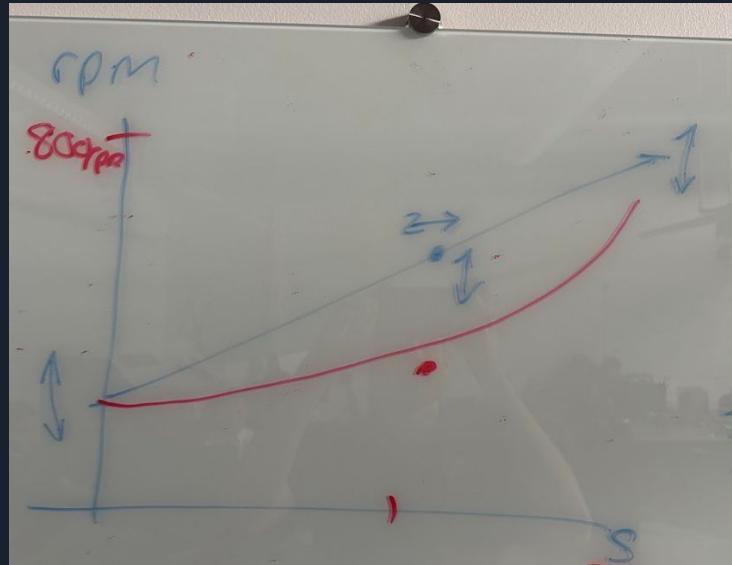


Current Implementation



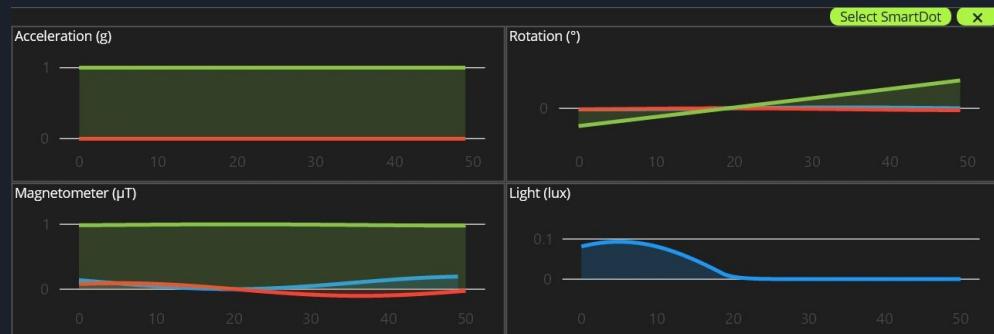
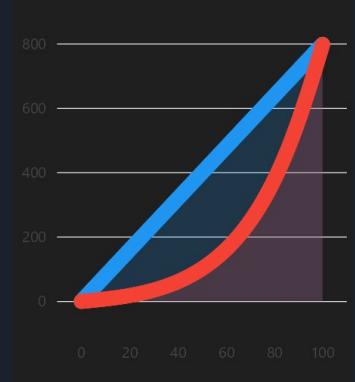
Simulation (MSI Goals)

- Replace previous graphics processing with different processes
- See if Unity embedding is feasible, and prototype it
- Get initial values for bezier curve up and showing



Simulation (MS1 Achievements)

- Graphs switched from Chart.JS to LiveCharts2
 - Simpler to embed into MAUI
 - Can be manipulated to get scrollable graphs/draggable graphs and more ambitious ideas quicker
 - Bezier curve graph for initial values up
- Unity prototype implemented in 2 different ways
 - Pop-out/localhost



Current Implementation

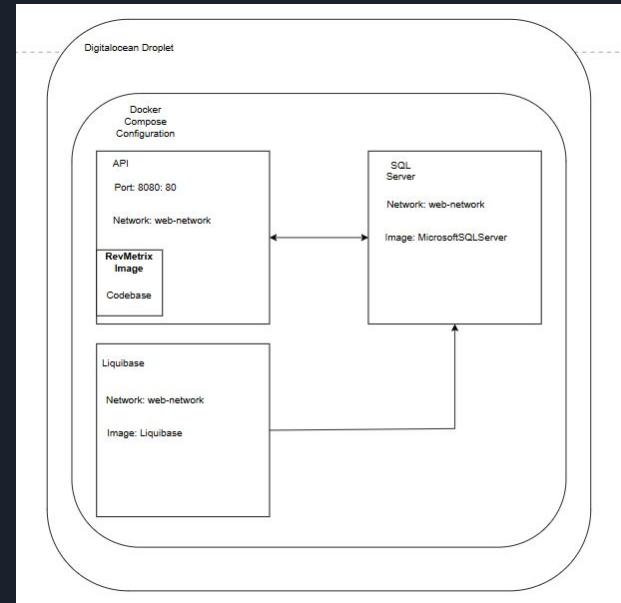


Database/Backend (MS1 Goals)

- Security will be updated
- Update local dev structure for API server
- Local database for BSA
- Figure out parameters and variables for motor instructions

Database/Backend (MS1 Achievements)

- Cloud Updates
 - API and SQL server communicate through Docker network
 - Liquibase implemented on cloud
- Local Development Updates
 - Docker is used to replicate sql server and liquibase container
 - Local database for Ball Spinner Application using MSSQLLocaldb
- Bug fixed for SmartDot connect screen



Current Implementation

BSA Frontend (MS1 Achievements)

Goals

- Finalize SmartDot Settings Page
- Remove need for Login
- Begin Migrating to .NET 9.0

Achievements

- SmartDot Settings page functional
- Login no longer necessary to use the application
- .NET 9.0 migration





Wiki

MS1 Goals

- Maintain and update the RevMetrix Wiki
- Ensure information is accurate and current
- Assign sections for updates based on project progress
- Reorganize content for clarity and ease of use

MS1 Achievements

- Development environments have been setup
- Familiarizing ourselves with the current state
- Minor reorganization
- Documentation of future additions
- Migration to .NET 9

Protocol Changes

- Renamed All Protocol Messages

A_B -> From BSA to BSC

B_A -> From BSC to BSA

- Added Messages
 - Config Messages Bit-Mappings
 - Stop Messages

	XL (Bytes 1 + 2)		GY (Bytes 3 + 4)		MG (Bytes 5 + 6)		LT (Bytes 7 + 8)	
	Bits (7-4)	Bits (3-0)						
0x0	12.5 (Hz)	±2	25 (Hz)	125 dps	2 (Hz)	±1300 /2500 (µT)	.5	.01 to 600k (Lux)
0x1	25 (Hz)	±4	50 (Hz)	250 dps	6 (Hz)	X	1	.02 to 1.3k (Lux)
0x2	50 (Hz)	±8	100 (Hz)	1000 dps	8 (Hz)	X	2	.125 to 8k (Lux)
0x3	100 (Hz)	±16	200 (Hz)	2000 dps	10 (Hz)	X	5	.25 to 16k (Lux)
0x4	200 (Hz)	X	400 (Hz)	X	15 (Hz)	X	10	.5 to 32K (Lux)
0x5	400 (Hz)	X	800 (Hz)	X	20 (Hz)	X	20	1 to 64K (Lux)
0x6	800 (Hz)	X	1600 (Hz)	X	25 (Hz)	X	X	X
0x7	1600 (Hz)	X	3200 (Hz)	X	30 (Hz)	X	X	X
0x8	X	X	6400 (Hz)	X	X	X	X	X
0xFF	Do Not Turn On XL	Do Not Turn On XL	Do Not Turn On Gy	Do Not Turn On Gy	Do Not Turn On MG	Do Not Turn On MG	Do Not Turn On LT	Do Not Turn On LT

Ball Spinner Controller (MS1 Goals)

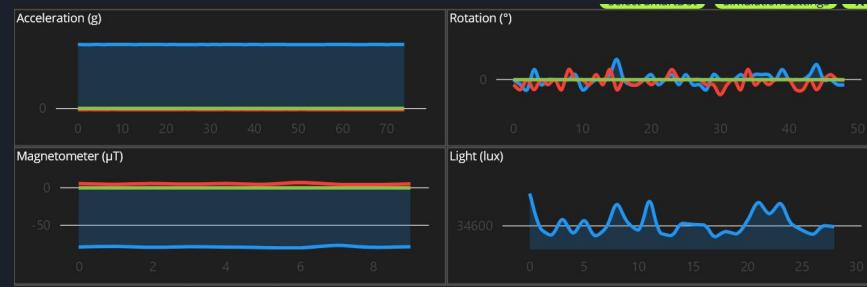
- Take Light Sensor Data from MMS
- Allow Application to Configure Smartdot
- Layout GUI



Ball Spinner Controller (MS1 Achievements)

- Light Sensor Data sent to BSA
- Application can configure Smartdot
- GUI (now referred to as HMI) initial implementation
- Stopped crashing from BSA affecting BSC
- Designed interface with stepper motors

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Pipe Error Caught in CommsHandler  
Socket Closed, must restart  
Server listening on 10.127.6.120:8411
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Current Implementation

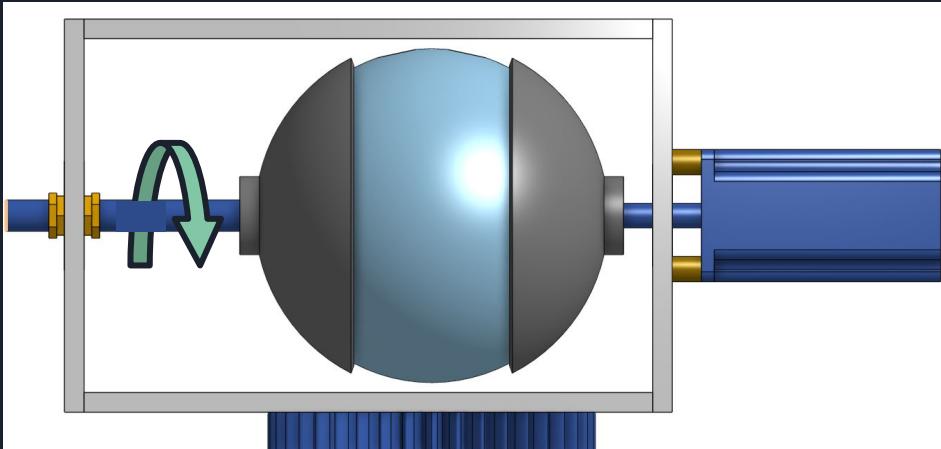
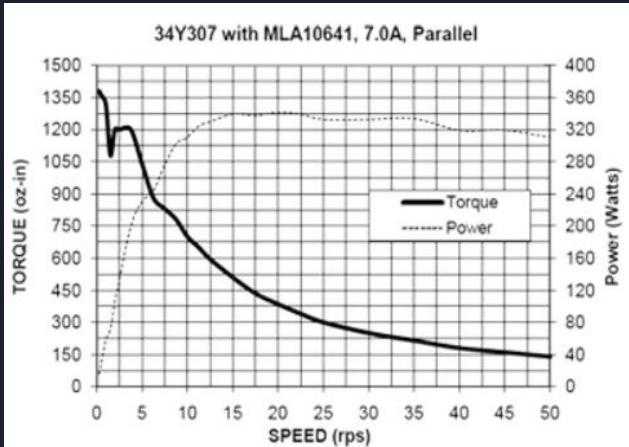
Ball Spinner Controller HMI



Current Implementation

Ball Spinner Team

- Due to motor torque curves the table shows what is required to drive the ball about the major spin-axis
 - Given that it accelerates over 150 ms



Weight (lbs)	6	16
Torque (oz-in)	760	1030
Peak RPM (direct drive)	540	276
Clamping force required (lbs)	9	12.2
Power (W)	35.8	48.5
Current Implementation		



Ball Spinner Team

Proposal

- Have a working motor
- Design primary system
- Design motor interface
- Successfully measure motor input

Reality

- Have a working motors for both the primary and secondary axis
- Designed the majority of the primary system in CAD
- Have not *fully* designed motor interface
- Just received primary motor system
 - Tested how to control stepper motors
 - Acquired an encoder to use with the motor.
- Sourced components to build frame/enclosure
- Got a dedicated space in the workshop

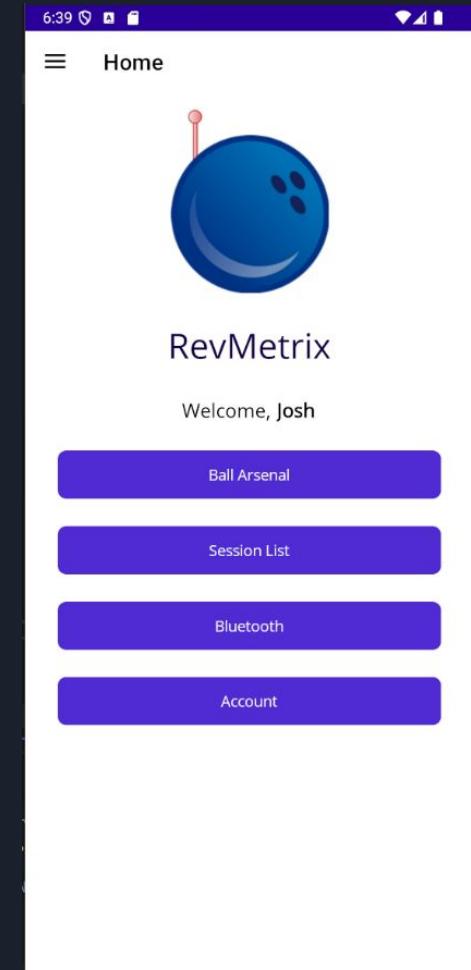
Mobile Application Team

MS1 Goals

- Page framework mostly completed
- Local database implementation

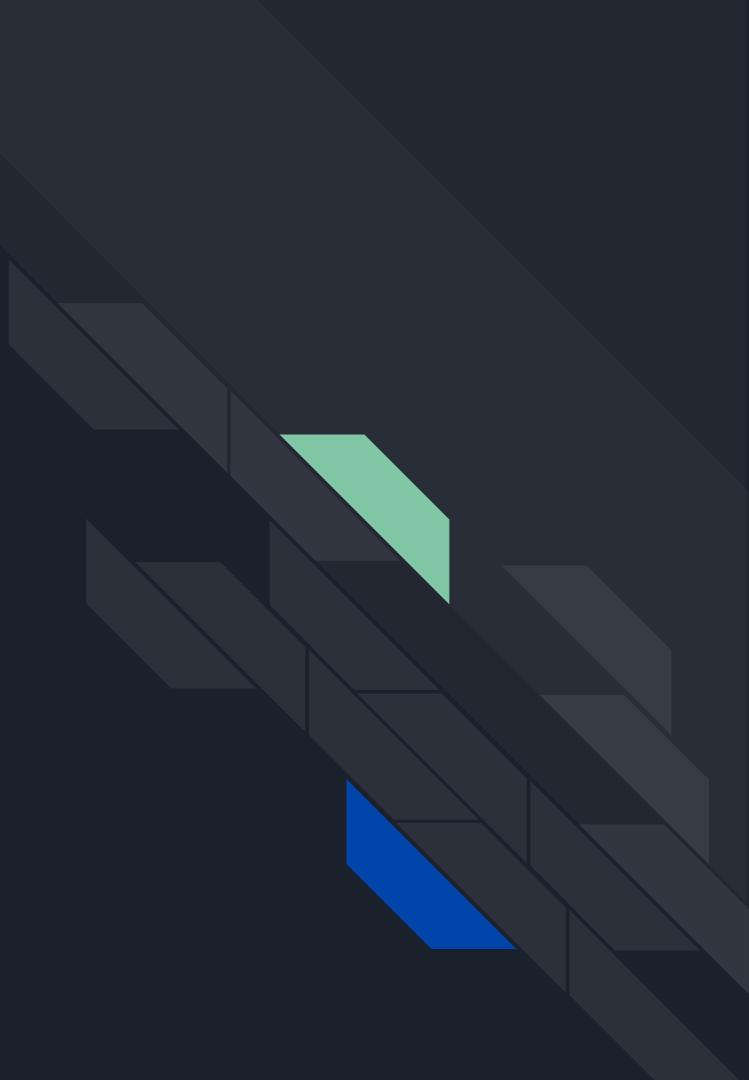
MS1 Achievements

- Core pages basic implementation
- Local Database
 - User Data
 - Ball Data
 - No Cloud Connection
- MAUI knowledge base expanded
 - Critical Areas
- User Interaction
 - Account, Dummy arsenal, player list, frames, and session

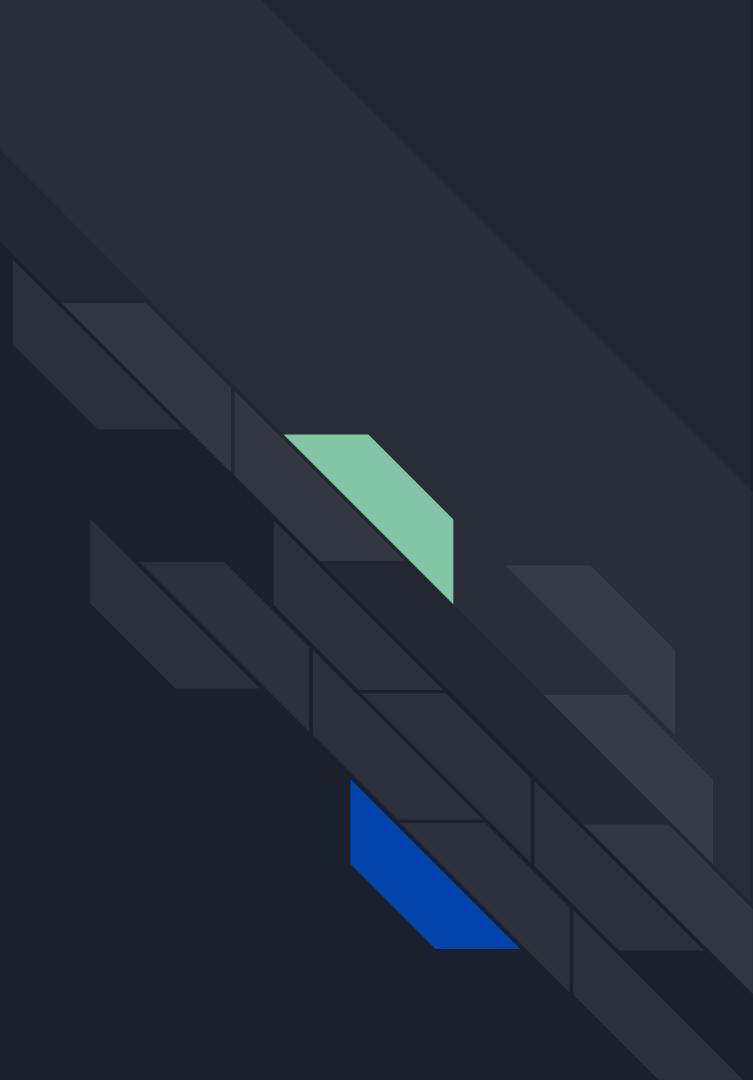


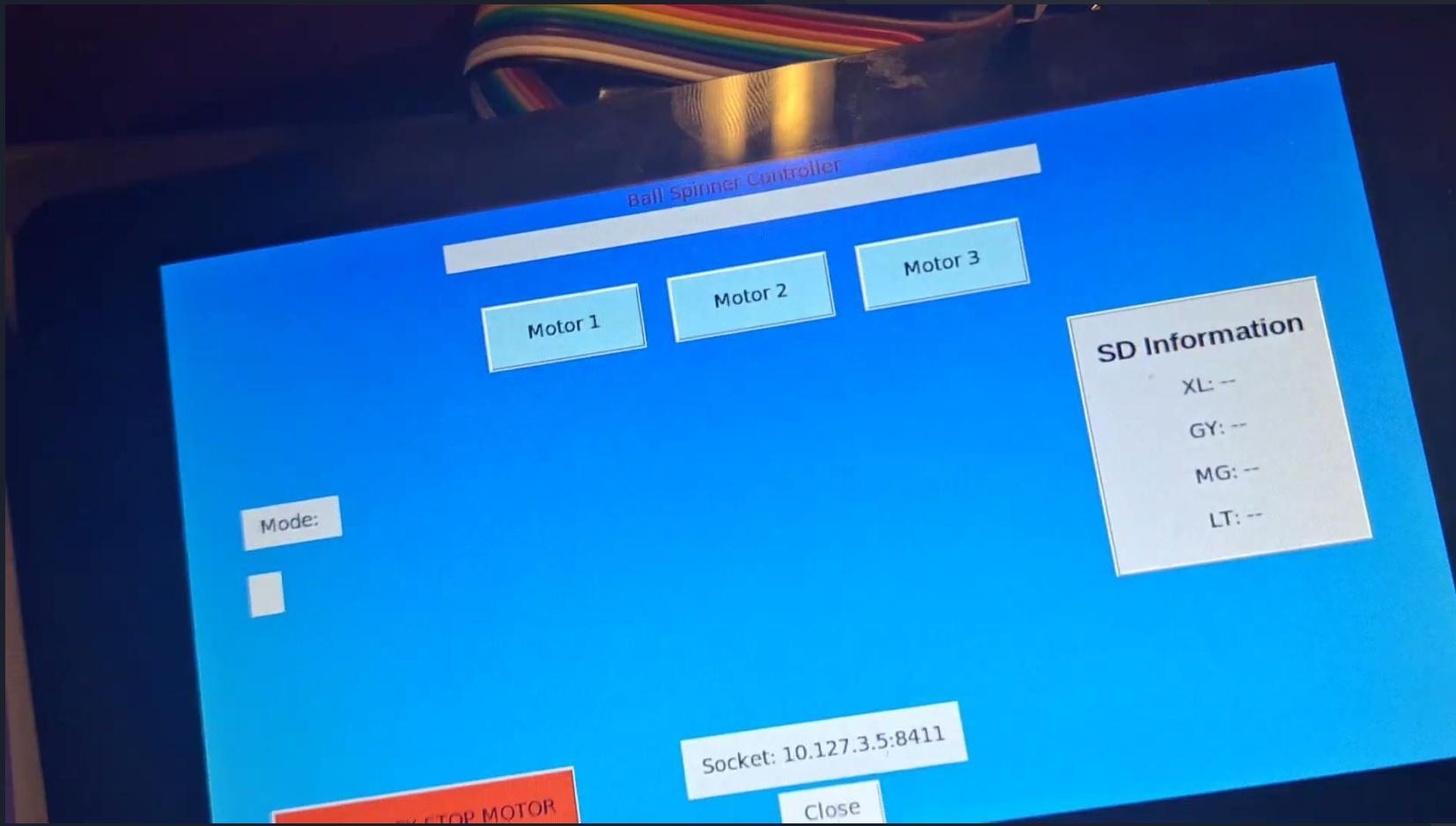
Current Implementation

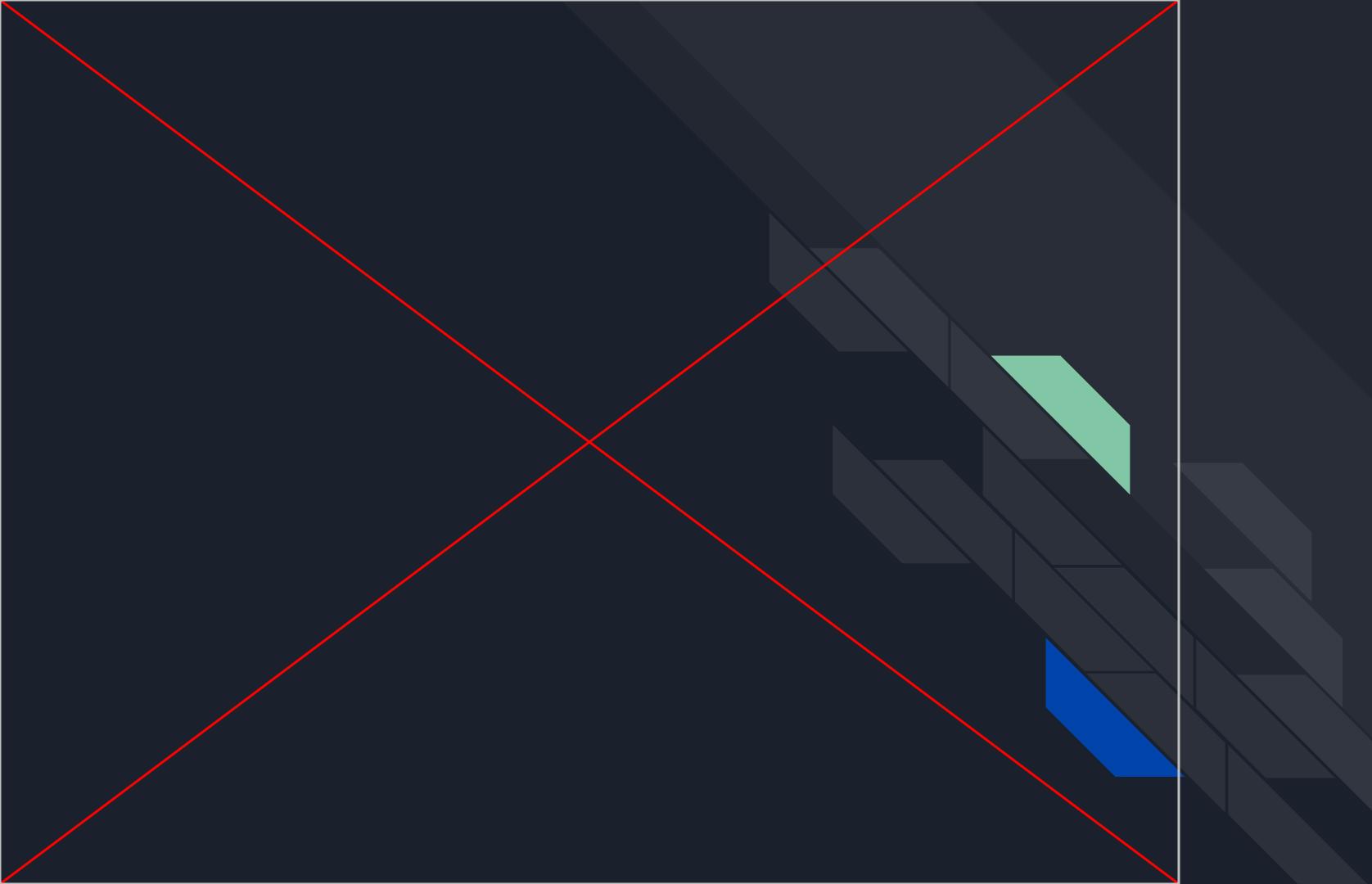
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Demos







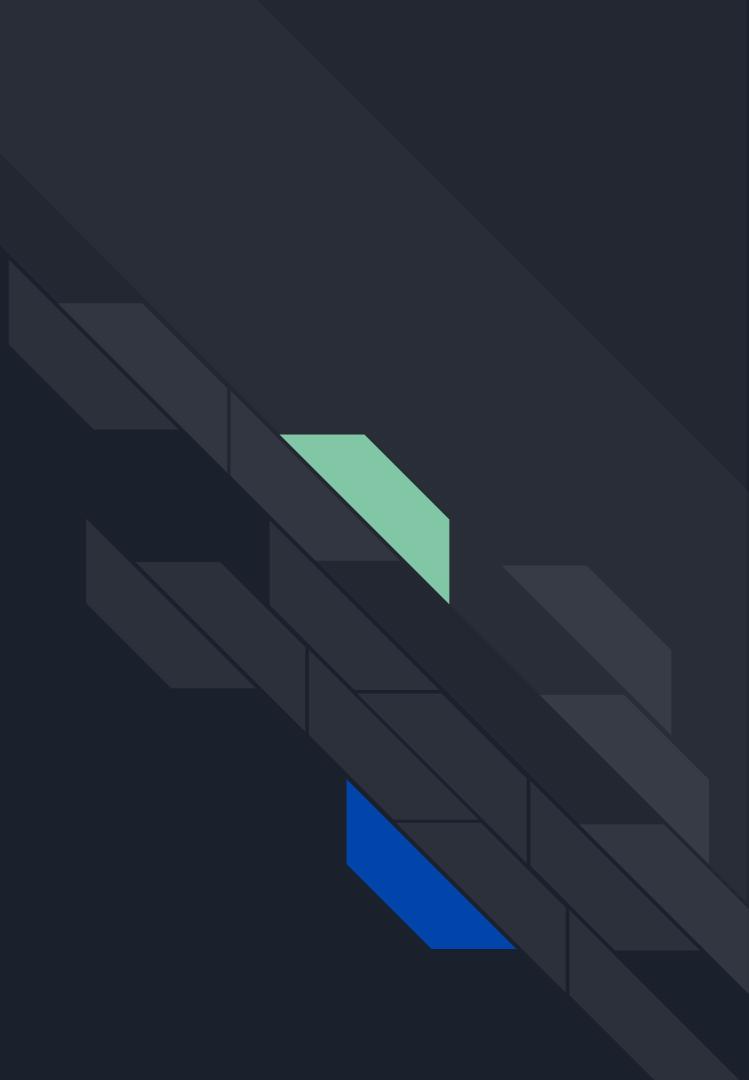
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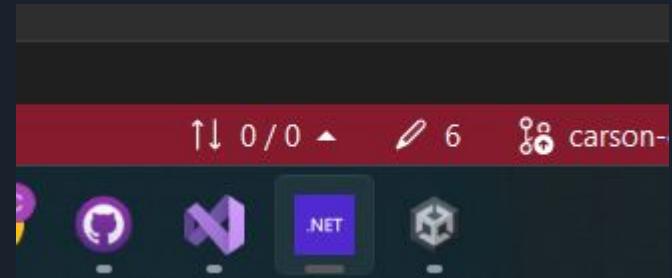
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Future Implementations



Simulation

- Implement OpenTK for the ball visualization
- Improve graphs
 - Xaxis
 - Sizing
 - Scrolling
 - Bezier sliders
- Update the Unity game to work with the current version of MAUI
- Move forward with the Unity prototype
 - Embed (Localhost) or Popout (EXE)?





Cloud/BSA Backend

- Send motor instructions to BSC
- Client-side/server-side API endpoints
 - Upload shot changes
 - Get list of sensors/sensor information
- CI/CD Updates
 - Automating schema changes with Liquibase
 - Tests
 - Updating nuget packages
- Local BSA database
 - Cloud backup feature
 - Automating local schema changes



BSA Frontend

- Implementation of new graphs/graph functionality
- Support Simulation Team with implementing unity embed
- Support Simulation Team with new implementation of initial values page
- Support Backend Team with further implementation of local db



Wiki

- Improve navigation/ page layouts
- Update development setup instructions
- Document bugs/ fixes
- Add the new mobile app



Ball Spinner Controller

- Interface w/ motor encoders
- PCB and Housing Designs
- Interface w/ Amperage Sensors
- Protocol Messages for Error Messages Drafted



Ball Spinner Team

- Manufacture axle rods
- Modify dimensions of current enclosure
- Size plates to house axle and motor
- Affix free-spinning axle to plate
- Research casting methods for polyurethane cups
- Creating a motor dampening support stand
- Assembly of prototype



Mobile Application Team

- Game functionality
- Establishment page
- Expand Local database
 - Establishments, Sessions, Games, Shots
- Bluetooth connectivity
 - Smart Dot Connection
- Connection to cloud database

Questions?

Many!

Please let Robert Fields graduate on
May 17, 2025

Please let this be a normal field trip

