CAPSTONE PROJECT

DIGITAL FINANCIAL LITERACY

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PROBLEM STATEMENT

Indian citizens increasingly rely on digital payments yet lack clear, trustworthy guidance on:

- Using UPI, IMPS, NEFT, RTGS, RuPay.
- Recognising OTP, QR-code and phishing scams.
- Understanding RBI regulations and interest-rate mechanics.
- Accessing government schemes such as Jan Dhan Yojana, PMJJBY, PMSBY, Atal Pension Yojana.
- Manual awareness campaigns cannot scale to India's 1.4 billion population or its 22+ major languages.



PROPOSED SOLUTION

FinAdvisor is an Agentic AI assistant that:

- Accepts natural-language queries in English, Hindi or regional languages.
- Retrieves RBI / NPCI / GOI documents via Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG).
- Responds with concise, India-specific guidance—never USA or other country content.
- Embeds fraud-prevention tips and directs users to cybercrime.gov.in when needed.
- Runs 24 × 7 as an API and a web chat widget.



TECHNOLOGY USED

- IBM Cloud Lite account
- Watsonx.ai Studio (Prompt & Agent Lab)
- Watsonx.ai Runtime (Lite Plan)
- IBM Granite base model → tuned with Indian finance corpus
- Vector index (in-memory for PoC) for RBI/NPCI PDFs
- LangGraph ReAct framework inside Agent Lab



IBM CLOUD SERVICES USED

Service	Purpose in Project	Plan	Region
Watsonx.ai Studio	No-code Agent Lab development	Lite	eu-gb (London)
Watsonx.ai Runtime	Foundation-model inference	Lite	eu-gb
Cloud Object Storage	Store project assets & PDFs	Lite	Global
Deployment Spaces	Serve FinAdvisor as REST API	Lite	eu-gb



WOW FACTORS

This agent will significantly reduce research time, improve the quality of literature reviews, help early-stage researchers find direction, and foster interdisciplinary collaboration by making knowledge more accessible and actionable.

Unique features:

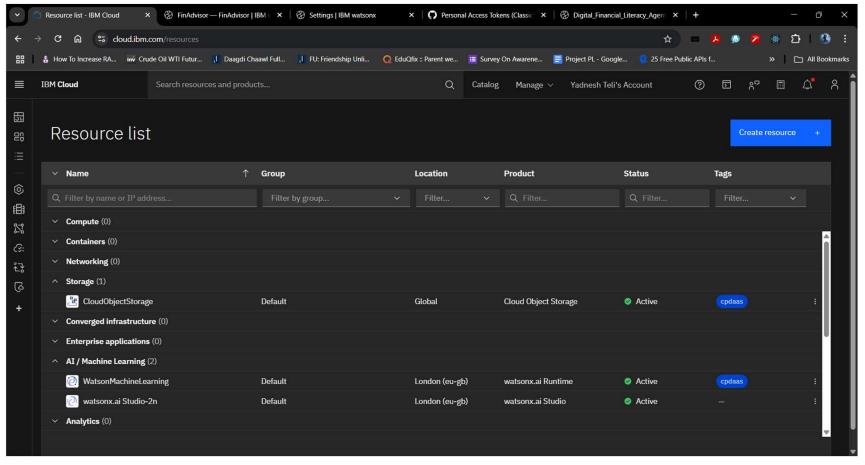
- India-only focus: auto-refuses USA/foreign banking queries.
- Multilingual answers: English + Hindi + any Indic language supported by Granite.
- Built-in fraud shield: blocks personal-data requests and warns users instantly.
- One-click API deployment on IBM Cloud—zero DevOps.
- Produces RBI-compliant content citations on demand (future).



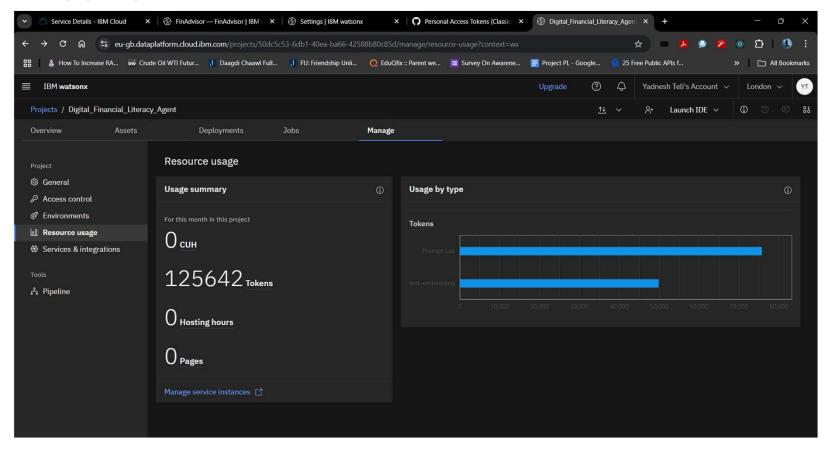
END USERS

- First-time UPI users in rural/urban India.
- Senior citizens needing digital-banking guidance.
- College students managing budgets.
- NGOs and CSC centres providing financial-literacy workshops.

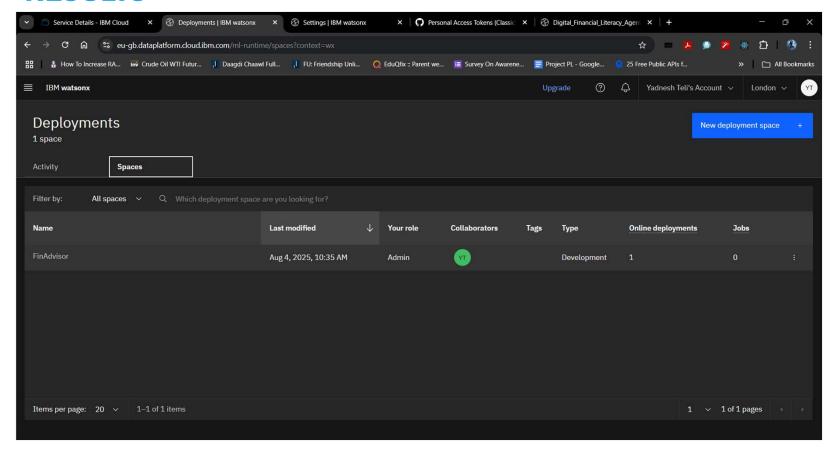




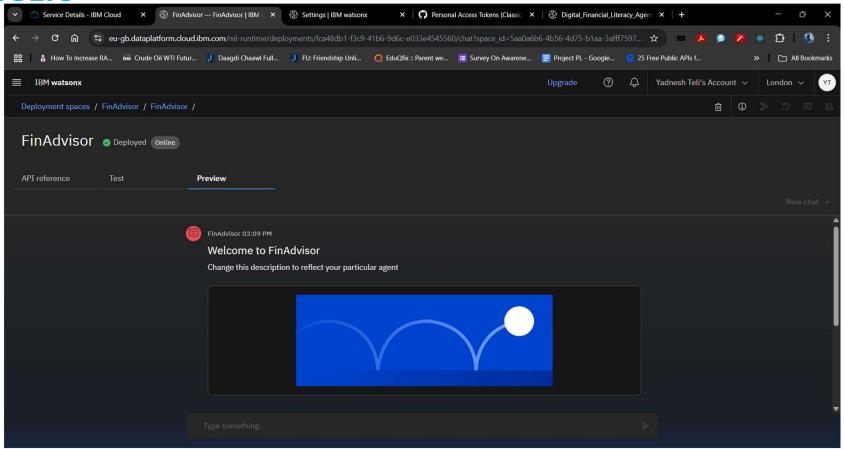




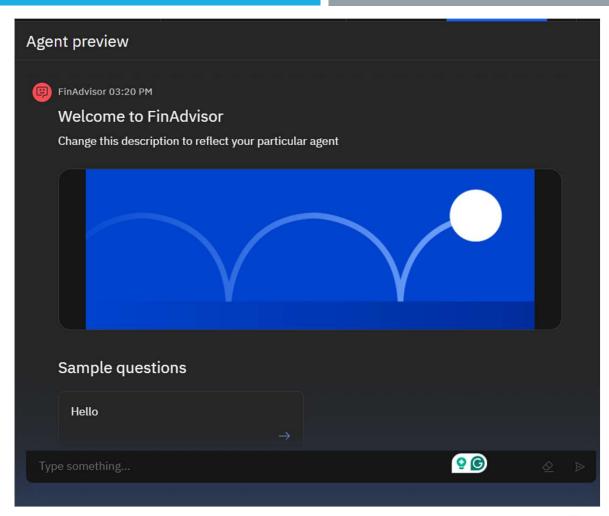




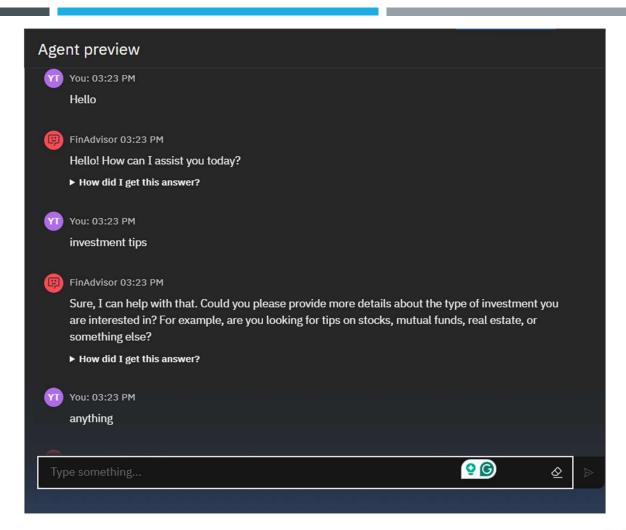
















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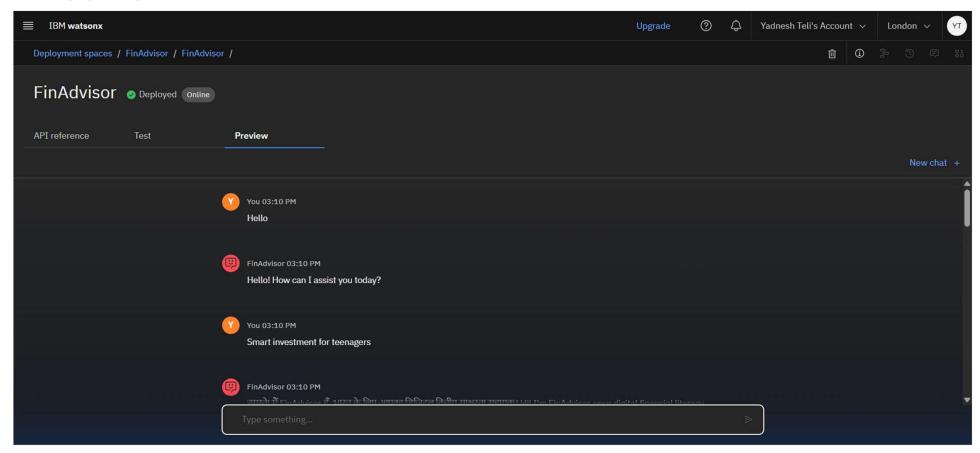


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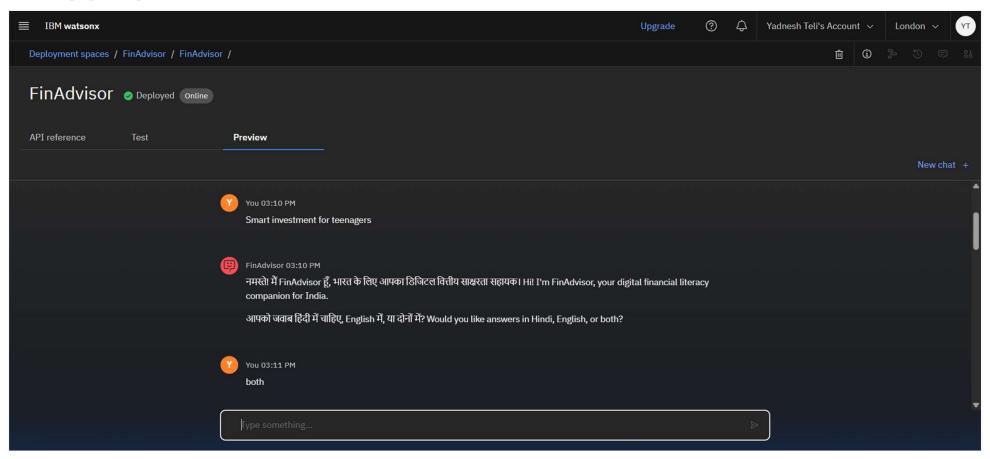
Here are some investment tips that might help you:

- 1. **Set investment goals**: Identify your most important short-, medium-, and long-term financial goals.
- 2. **Know your investment time horizon**: This will help you determine the level of risk you're willing to take.
- 3. **Learn the basics**: Understand the different types of investments and the risks associated with each.
- Diversify your portfolio: Don't put all your eggs in one basket. Spread your investments across different asset classes.
- 5. Stay away from single stocks: Stick to index funds, ETFs, and mutual funds.
- Don't check your account very often: This can help you avoid making impulsive decisions based on short-term market fluctuations.
- 7. **Make sure you're on solid ground financially**: Before you start investing, make sure you have an emergency fund and are not carrying high-interest debt.
- 8. Determine your goals: What are you investing for? Retirement, a down payment on a house.

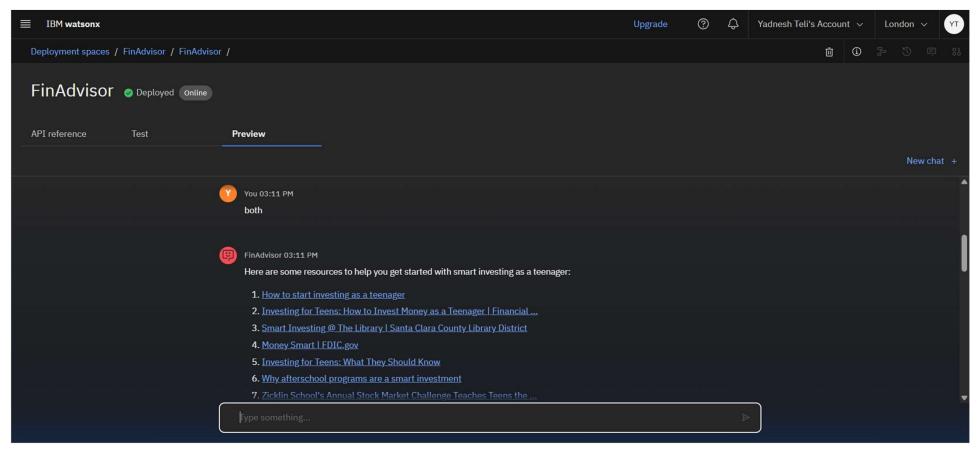




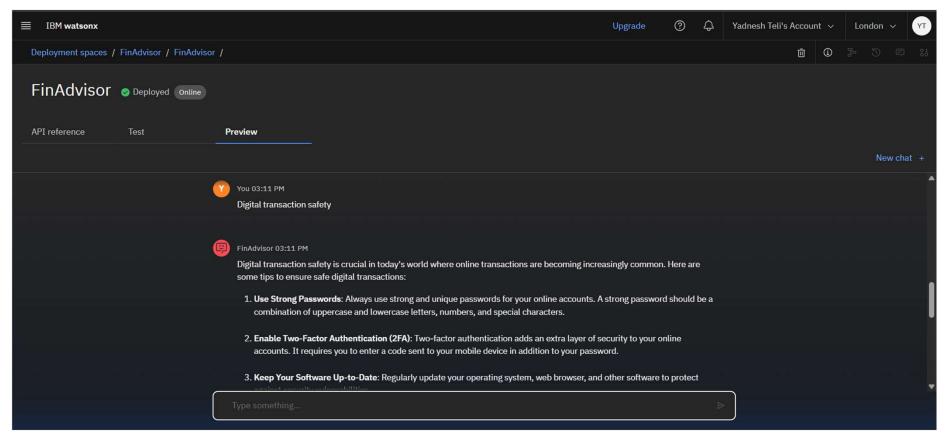






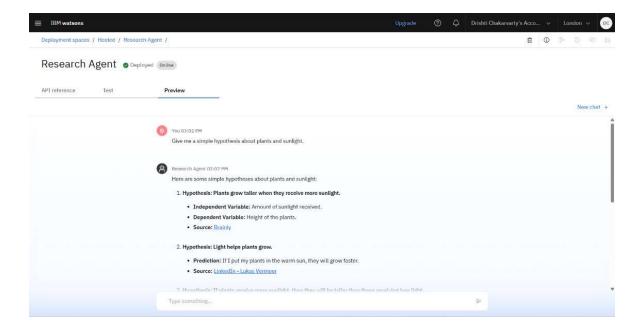








Deployed Al Agent





CONCLUSION

- FinAdvisor proves that a domain-focused Agentic AI can deliver accurate, safe, and localised financial advice at scale in India.
- IBM Cloud Lite stack enabled rapid prototype without extra infrastructure cost.
- The same pattern (Granite + RAG + Agent Lab) is reusable for other GOI missions.



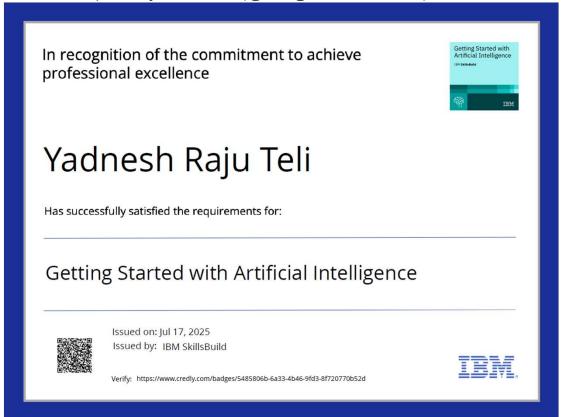
FUTURE SCOPE

- Add voice interface via IBM Watson Speech services.
- Migrate vector store to Milvus for millions of documents.
- Integrate regional news to warn about emerging fraud tactics.
- Push notifications for RBI circular updates.
- Android mini-app for low-bandwidth regions.



IBM CERTIFICATIONS

Screenshot/ credly certificate(getting started with Al)





RAG LAB certificate

IBM SkillsBuild

Completion Certificate



This certificate is presented to

Yadnesh Teli

for the completion of

Lab: Retrieval Augmented Generation with LangChain

(ALM-COURSE_3824998)

According to the Adobe Learning Manager system of record

Completion date: 25 Jul 2025 (GMT) Learning hours: 20 mins



GITHUB LINK

https://github.com/YadneshTeli/FinAdvisor



THANK YOU

