

System Architecture - Kilometros de Vida

Overview

Kilometros de Vida is a full-stack MERN application connecting food donors with volunteer drivers to reduce food waste and alleviate hunger.

Technology Stack

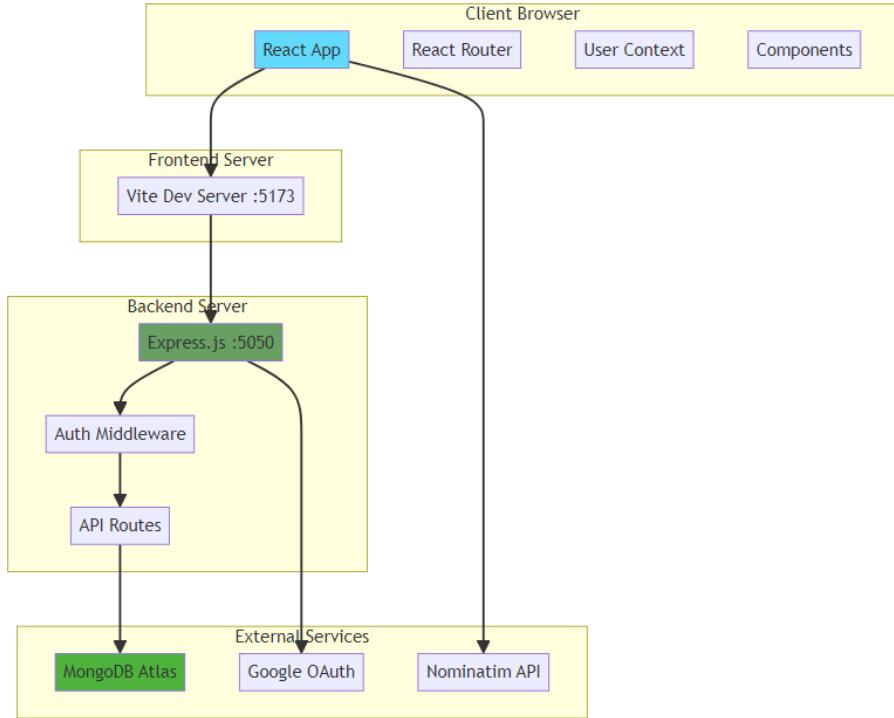
Frontend

- **React 19** with Vite for fast development
- **React Router** for client-side routing
- **Tailwind CSS 4** for styling
- **Framer Motion** for animations
- **Axios** for HTTP requests
- **React Leaflet** for map visualization

Backend

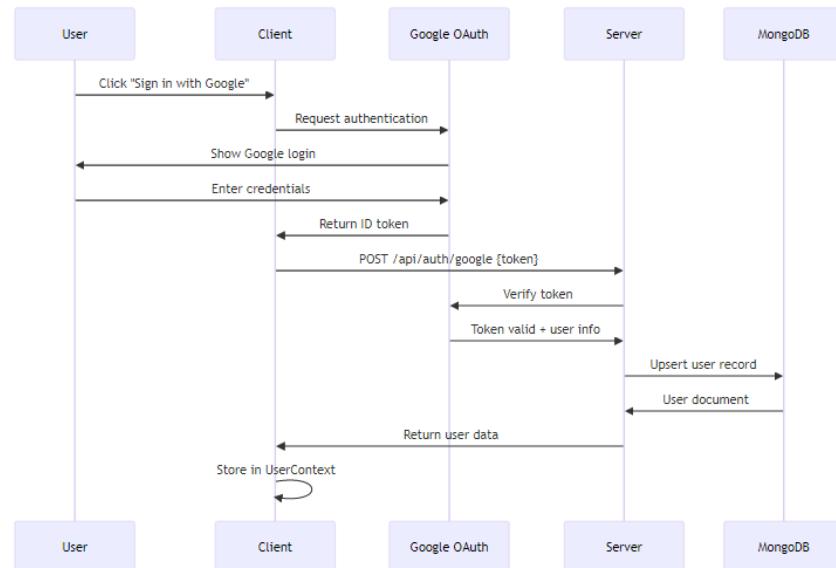
- **Node.js** with Express.js
- **MongoDB Atlas** for database
- **Google OAuth 2.0** for authentication
- **Nominatim API** (OpenStreetMap) for geocoding

System Architecture Diagram

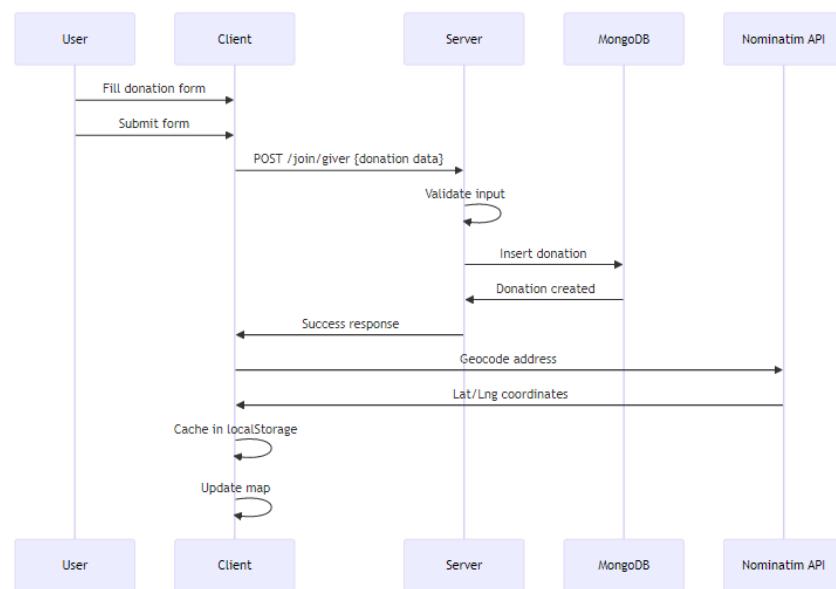


Data Flow

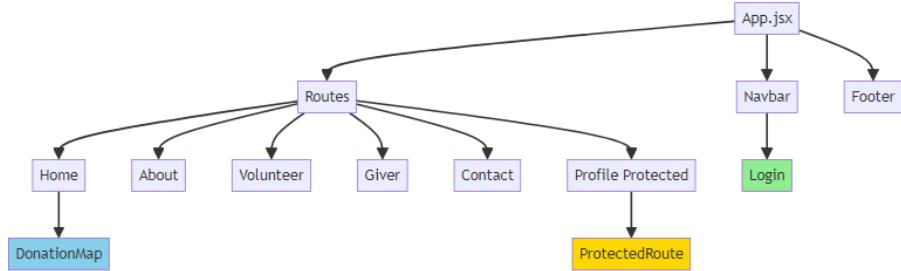
Authentication Flow



Donation Creation Flow



Component Hierarchy



API Endpoints

Authentication

Method	Endpoint	Description	Auth Required
POST	/api/auth/google	Verify Google token and create/update user	No

Donations (Givers)

Method	Endpoint	Description	Auth Required
POST	/join/giver	Create new donation	No*
GET	/api/data	Get all donations (public)	No
GET	/api/my-donations	Get user's donations	Yes
PUT	/api/donations/:id	Update donation	Yes
DELETE	/api/donations/:id	Delete donation	Yes

*Links to user if logged in

Volunteers (Drivers)

Method	Endpoint	Description	Auth Required
POST	/join driver	Register as volunteer	No*
GET	/api/my-volunteer-shifts	Get user's shifts	Yes

Database Schema

Collections

users

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{
  _id: ObjectId,
  email: String (unique),
  name: String,
  picture: String (URL),
  lastLogin: Date
}

givers (donations)
{
  _id: ObjectId,
  userId: String (optional, links to user),
  orgName: String,
  contactPerson: String,
  donorEmail: String,
  donorPhone: String,
  foodType: String,
  pickupTime: String,
  address: String,
  createdAt: Date
}

drivers (volunteers)
{
  _id: ObjectId,
  userId: String (optional),
  volunteerName: String,
  volunteerEmail: String,
  volunteerPhone: String,
  availability: String,
  createdAt: Date
}

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Security Measures

Implemented

1. **Google OAuth 2.0:** Secure authentication without password storage
2. **Environment Variables:** Sensitive data in .env files
3. **Protected Routes:** ProtectedRoute component prevents unauthorized access
4. **Input Validation:** Server-side validation for all form submissions
5. **CORS:** Configured to allow frontend-backend communication