FRONTEND DEVELOPMENT

Project Documentation

1. Introduction

• Project Title:

INSIGHTSTREAM: Navigate the News Landscape

• Project Name:

NEXORA NEWSLINE

• Project Information:

Github repositorie URL link:

https://github.com/bharathimrkb741/InsightStream-of-BM.git

Github repositotire name:

InsightStream-of-BM

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2. Project Overview:

Purpose:

Nexora Newsline is a modern news portal frontend built with React.js. The purpose of this project is to deliver a responsive, fast, and user-friendly interface where users can browse news articles across different categories such as General, Technology, Politics, Health, Art & Culture, and Business.

Features:

- Category-based navigation (General, Technology, Politics, etc.)
- Home page with top stories and featured articles
- Newsletter subscription functionality
- Dynamic news sections (Politics, Business, Technology, etc.)

Search bar for quick access to news articles

3. Architecture:

- Header/Navbar → Displays the logo, navigation links, and search bar.
- Hero/Featured Section → Highlights trending or featured news with large thumbnails.
- Category Sections → Renders articles for specific categories (Politics, Business, Technology, etc.).
- Sidebar → Displays "Top Stories".
- Newsletter Subscription → Simple form for user email input.
- Footer → Contains links to categories, copyright info, and additional sections.
- State Management:

Local State with React's useState and useEffect for managing UI interactions.

- Routing:
- Implemented using React Router v6. Routes include:
- $/ \rightarrow$ Home Page
- /category/:name → Category-specific news (e.g., Technology, Politics)
- /article/:id → Single article detail page

4. Setup Instructions:

• Prerequisites:

Frontend: React.js, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript (ES6+)

Backend: Node.js, Express.js

Database: MongoDB, Mongoose

Authentication: JSON Web Tokens (JWT)

Development Tool: Visual Studio Code

Version Control: Git & GitHub

Testing Tools: Postman, Chrome Dev Tools

• Installation:

Clone repository
git clone https://github.com/your-repo/nexora-newsline.git
Navigate into project
cd nexora-newsline
Install dependencies
npm install
Start development server

5. Folder Structure:

npm start

code/

|— node_modules/ # Auto-generated (don't touch)

|— public/ # Public assets (favicon, logos, manifest)

| — favicon.ico

| — index.html

| — logo192.png

| — logo512.png

| — manifest.json

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└─ robots.txt
| — src/ # All React code inside src
  ├— components/ # Reusable components
  ├— Hero.jsx
   ├— HomeArticles.jsx
   — NavbarComponent.jsx
   — NewsLetter.jsx
 │ └─ TopStories.jsx
  ├— pages/ # Page-level components
   ├— CategoryPage.jsx
   — Home.jsx
 — context/ # Context API / state management
  ├— styles/ # CSS files (separate per component/page)
   ├— App.css
    — CategoryPage.css
    ├— Footer.css
    ⊢— Hero.css
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│ ├— Home.css
     — HomeArticles.css
     ├— Navbar.css
    — NewsLetter.css
    — NewsPage.css
  ├— App.js # Main app component
  — App.test.js
  ├— index.js # Entry point
  — index.css # Global CSS
  logo.svg # React logo (replace with your own logo if needed)
  — reportWebVitals.js
  └─ setupTests.js
| — .gitignore
| — package.json
— package-lock.json
|— README.md
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6. Running the Application

- Start the Frontend Server:
- cd code && npm install
- npm start

This will run the app locally on http://localhost:3000

7. API Documentation:

Navbar

Purpose: Provides navigation across categories.

Props: None (links are static or fetched from config).

NewsCard

Purpose: Displays a single news item (thumbnail, title, description).

Props: title, image, description, category, link.

CategorySection

Purpose: Renders multiple NewsCard components for a specific category.

Props: categoryName, articles.

NewsletterForm

Purpose: Collects email for newsletter subscription.

Props: None.

Footer

Purpose: Displays site links and copyright.

Props: None.

8. State Management:

Global State:

Not implemented yet. (Future enhancement: Context API/Redux for bookmarks, theme, user data.)

Local State:

Used for managing search queries, newsletter form input, and category-specific article fetching.

9. User Interface

- Navbar: Consistent navigation across all pages with links to Home, Categories, and Search.
- Landing Page (Home): Features a hero section, "Top Stories," and previews of articles from different categories.
- Category Pages: Dynamic pages that filter and display articles based on the selected category (e.g., /technology).
- **Subscription Section:** Component with an email input and checkboxes for category selection, integrated on the homepage or a dedicated page.

10. Styling:

- CSS Frameworks/Libraries:
- Tailwind CSS for utility-first styling.
- Custom CSS for gradients and layouts.
- Purple gradient primary theme.
- Consistent card and button styling.

11. Testing:

Testing Strategy:

Unit tests using Jest.

Component testing with React Testing library.

Snapshot tests for UI consistency.

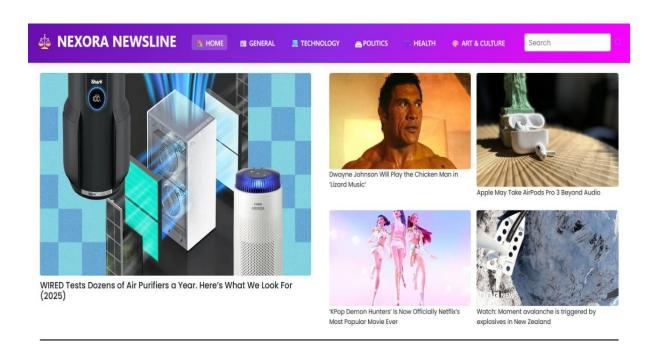
• Code Coverage:

Configured with Jest coverage reports.

12. Known Issues:

- Search bar does not yet filter results dynamically.
- Newsletter subscription form is not connected to backend API.
- Articles are currently mock data (not from live API)

13. Screenshots or Demo:







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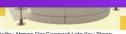


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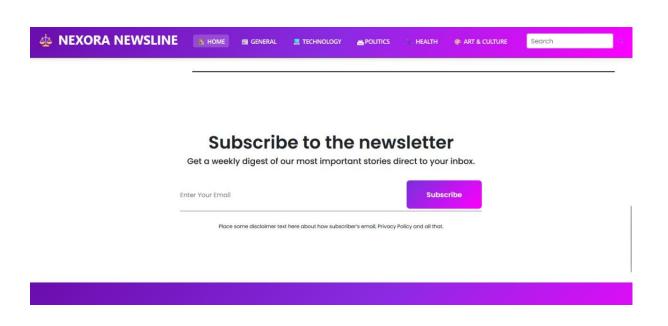
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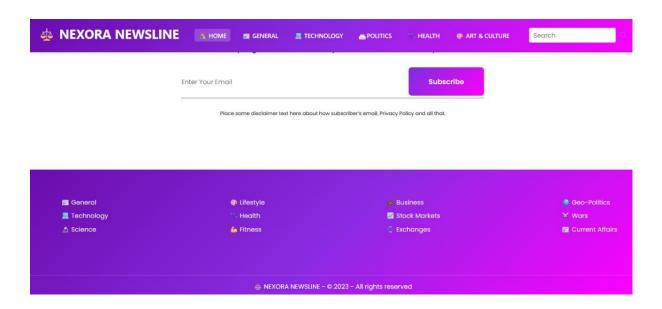


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14. Future Enhancements:

- Enable user login and bookmarking of favorite articles.
- Add animations for smoother transitions (Framer Motion).

