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Abstract

Road safety is a big concern in Sri Lanka because there are many traffic accidents and deaths. Even though the government has tried to improve safety, the main problems like how drivers behave, how well they follow road signs, and how they stay in their lanes still need more attention. Our research looks at how drivers react to different road conditions, how they read and follow road signs, and how accurately they park. We studied data from a certain period to understand these issues better and find ways to make the roads safer.

One of the main problems we found is that many drivers in Sri Lanka drive recklessly and don’t follow the rules. Drivers often ignore road signs, don’t stay in their lanes, and cut across lanes without thinking about other vehicles. These dangerous habits are made worse by poor driver education and weak enforcement of traffic laws. For example, it’s common to see drivers not using signals when changing lanes, or parked vehicles blocking lanes, which makes driving more dangerous.

Another issue is that road signs are often unclear or not followed properly. Some drivers don’t know what the signs mean, or they simply ignore them, which leads to unsafe driving. Additionally, road signs and lane markings are not always visible or clear, making it harder for drivers to stay in their lanes and navigate safely. This shows that there is a need for better driver education and improved road signs to help drivers make safer choices.

To help with these problems, we are creating a driving assistant application. This app will include features like a virtual instructor that gives drivers real-time advice on how to drive safely. It will also have warnings when drivers are about to leave their lane, blind spot detection to avoid crashes, and systems to help drivers stay safe on the road. By using this technology, we aim to improve driver awareness, encourage better driving habits, and reduce the number of accidents in Sri Lanka. Our goal is to make driving safer for everyone through a combination of education and advanced tools.

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List of Abbreviations

CNN	Convolutional Neural Network
MFCC	Mel-Frequency Cepstral Coefficients
QA	Quality Assurance
DAS	Driver Assistant System

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Background

It is more difficult to maintain road safety in today's complex driving environments due to the increased number of cars on the road and the various traffic laws in different regions. Drivers need to be aware of changing weather conditions in addition to following traffic signs. However, human limitations could lead to unsafe circumstances like being preoccupied or unfamiliar with the routes, as well as missing signals. To lessen these risks, modern cars are equipped with state-of-the-art driver assistance systems that improve safety and situational awareness. Road sign recognition is an essential part of these systems. Using a high-resolution camera mounted in the car, this system takes real-time pictures of the road. Advanced computer vision methods, such those offered by OpenCV, are applied to these photos in order to identify and categorize different kinds of traffic signs. The system can precisely identify stop signs, speed limits, warning signs, and more by utilizing machine learning models created with frameworks like TensorFlow or PyTorch, even in difficult situations like dimly lit areas or inclement weather. The device promptly notifies the driver upon identifying a traffic sign, either visually via a dashboard display or verbally, guaranteeing that important information is communicated efficiently.

The technology recognizes road signs and climate conditions in addition to them, addressing the substantial influence of weather on driving safety. Rain, fog, or snow are examples of adverse circumstances that can significantly reduce visibility and change the traction of the road, increasing the danger of accidents. The system can identify these conditions instantly since it is constantly keeping an eye on the surroundings using the camera and other sensors in the car. The technology promptly alerts drivers to potentially dangerous weather conditions, causing them to modify their driving style by slowing down or keeping a safer distance behind. By taking a proactive stance, driving safety is improved overall by reducing the risks brought on by abrupt weather changes.

Furthermore, by sending out real-time alerts regarding approaching speed limits and curves in the road, the technology is intended to keep the driver informed and attentive. This is especially helpful while driving at night or in new locations, when it is more likely that you will miss crucial traffic signs. The system anticipates changes in the road ahead and gives the driver enough time to react by combining GPS data with environmental and road sign recognition. In addition to assisting with adherence to traffic laws, this feature lightens the driver's cognitive load so they may focus on driving safely.

Modern hardware and software technologies must be integrated in order to create this complete driver aid system. The high-resolution camera, an embedded processor, and a linked device a smartphone or in-car entertainment system that acts as the user interface are important hardware elements. The system uses Python for backend processing, OpenCV for image processing, and machine learning models for sign identification. SQLite or MySQL databases are used to effectively manage data storage, and an intuitive, minimally distracting user interface was created using HTML5 and JavaScript.

Even with the advanced technology that powers the system, sustaining real-time performance and guaranteeing its dependability in a variety of environmental circumstances continue to be difficult tasks. Even in low visibility situations, the system needs to be able to recognize and categorize road signs and weather conditions with accuracy. Furthermore, the user interface must strike a compromise between the requirement to minimize driver distraction and the need to provide important information.

In summary, this advanced driver aid technology is a major improvement in vehicle safety. The capacity of drivers to travel safely and confidently in a variety of driving circumstances is improved by the integration of road sign recognition, climate condition detection, and real-time driver notifications into a single, coherent platform. In order to lower traffic-related mishaps and guarantee safer roads for everybody, these kinds of devices will be essential as long as the car industry keeps innovating.

1.2 Literature Review

One of the main issues that drivers deal with is always being aware of the traffic signs and the state of the road. Road signs are the cornerstone of traffic regulation because they include essential information that directs vehicle behavior. These signs not only indicate when to stop or yield, but they also function as cautionary tales and speed limit recommendations. However, in real life, factors like distraction, poor location awareness, or low light could cause drivers to miss or misinterpret these warnings. This could lead to unsafe incidents including crashes and moving violations. Realizing this challenge, the auto industry has focused increasingly on developing technologies that assist drivers in rapidly identifying and interpreting traffic signs, reducing the likelihood of human error.

Systems that employed strategies like template matching and color-based segmentation have advanced significantly since the early days of road sign recognition. In previous systems, road signs were detected and categorized mostly based on color information along with shape analysis. One of the earliest groups to create a real-time traffic sign identification system was Fang et al. [1]. Despite the novelty of these methods, they were often plagued by issues such as uneven lighting, occlusions, and similar-looking objects. These challenges substantially limited the reliability and accuracy of the earliest traffic sign recognition systems.

Convolutional neural networks (CNNs) dramatically increased the robustness and accuracy of these systems. Thanks to their ability to learn hierarchical feature representations, CNNs have improved the accuracy of traffic sign classification even in complex scenarios. Research by Ciresan et al. demonstrated how deep learning models could be used to classify traffic signs with high accuracy rates, which marked a significant advancement in the field [2].

Road sign recognition has always been challenging, even with CNNs' proven efficacy. These challenges include dealing with variable weather, a large variety of sign sizes, and the requirement for real-time processing. Numerous strategies have been investigated by researchers to address these issues, such as the utilization of multi- scale feature extraction methods and temporal information from video streams. These methods have contributed significantly to the improvement of detection systems' robustness [3] [4]. Additionally, a novel strategy has surfaced: the incorporation of generative adversarial networks (GANs) for model training and simulation in unusual and challenging environments. These advancements show how dynamic traffic sign recognition research is, as efforts are continuously made to improve system performance under various operational conditions.

Climate condition detection has drawn a lot of attention recently, notably with the application of sensor fusion approaches, while initially receiving less research. Early research, including that of Yuen and Bishop, concentrated on using basic visual processing algorithms to recognize different weather conditions, such as fog or rain [3]. These early efforts were significant because they established the foundation for weather-related ADAS features. However, there were limitations on how consistently these methods performed in different weather and environmental conditions. As the flaws of these early systems became apparent, more advanced solutions were needed. More recently, deep learning and multi-sensor data integration have been applied to improve the detection and classification of adverse weather conditions. The work of Chen et al. has been particularly significant because it demonstrates the use of neural networks to combine data from cameras and environmental sensors, allowing for the precise real-time prediction of weather-related threats [4] [5].

The integration of multiple sensor types, such as radar, infrared cameras, and LIDAR, has demonstrated to be crucial in enhancing the accuracy and reliability of systems for detecting climate conditions. Through the application of sensor fusion, these systems can make up for the inadequacies of individual sensors, resulting in more comprehensive and reliable detections [7] [6]. For instance, in low light, infrared sensors may provide the information required to keep the system running even when cameras may not perform adequately. This multi-sensor approach has proven to be incredibly effective in challenging circumstances, including as nighttime driving or driving through heavy fog or rain. The continuous development of sensor fusion algorithms has increased overall road safety and allowed ADAS to operate effectively in a greater variety of environmental conditions [7] [6].

The potential benefits of real-time notifications and audio narration for accelerating reaction times and reducing cognitive load in drivers has been studied. Studies have shown that multimodal warnings, which combine audio and visual cues, significantly increase driver attention and reaction times. For example, Green's study revealed that drivers responded to risks more quickly and accurately when they received integrated visual and aural warnings [7]. As a result, ADAS systems now usually include speech notifications. To assist drivers in circumstances when they might normally miss traffic signs due to distractions or poor sight, this adds auditory signals to visual information [7].

Moreover, the designers of these audio systems often aim to minimize distraction, ensuring that the alerts are clear, concise, and relevant to the circumstances. Because these systems provide relevant and timely information, they are crucial for enhancing driver awareness and safety [7] [8].

The trend toward integrating many ADAS components into a unified system is congruent with broader developments in intelligent transportation systems (ITS). The significance of holistic driver assistance systems—which integrate several data sources to provide a comprehensive view of the driving environment—is highlighted by Gehrig and Stein's research [5]. These solutions not only improve overall driving pleasure but also promote safety by reducing cognitive load on the driver. Integrating data from several sensors and systems enables faster and more accurate decision- making, which is critical in scenarios involving both manual and autonomous driving

[7] [8]. As these systems become more sophisticated, it is expected that their role in the development of completely autonomous vehicles will increase. A significant step toward safer, more efficient transportation networks is the ongoing integration of ITS with ADAS [7] [9].

As ADAS continues to advance, emerging topics such as the expanding use of artificial intelligence, machine learning, and big data analytics are anticipated to shape the future of road safety technology [10] [11] [12]. These technologies are expected to enable more advanced features like predictive analytics for preventing accidents and real-time adaptability to changing traffic conditions [8] [12]. However, there are still a lot of challenges to face, like ensuring system reliability, fixing cybersecurity problems, and following the law [13] [6] [9]. As we transition from fully autonomous driving to improved driver support systems in the next years, there are a number of ethical and technological challenges that must be overcome [9]. However, these technologies ought to be the main focus of auto research and development given their ability to reduce traffic accidents and enhance overall road safety.

The study's conclusion emphasizes the vital roles that multimodal alert systems, machine learning, and sensor fusion play in realizing the potential of driver assistance technology. The incorporation of road sign recognition, climate condition monitoring, and real-time notifications into a comprehensive system is a significant advance in the industry [10] [12]. As these technologies develop, it is expected that they will play a bigger role in improving traffic safety and providing more possibilities for autonomous driving [10] [9].

1.2 Research Gap

Even while advanced driver assistance systems (ADAS) have come a long way, there are still a number of holes that need to be filled. Even with the use of deep learning models, current road sign recognition systems still struggle to maintain high accuracy in a variety of environmental settings. Road sign damage, occlusion by other cars, and lighting variability might cause misclassification or missed detections. CNNs' robustness has increased, but there is still much room for improvement in terms of their capacity to reliably produce accurate results in all scenarios encountered in the real world [1], [2].

Furthermore, climate condition detection is still in its infancy despite advancements made possible by sensor fusion and deep learning. Existing algorithms are mostly concerned with identifying typical unfavorable weather conditions like rain or fog, but they frequently have trouble with more complicated situations like quickly shifting weather patterns or several simultaneous conditions (like fog and heavy rain) [3], [4]. To improve the reliability of ADAS in all weather circumstances, a research gap needs to be filled in order to create more complicated models that can manage these complications in real-time without significantly increasing computational load.

Furthermore, while it has been shown that incorporating multimodal alerts—which comprise both aural and visual cues—improves driver attention, it is still unclear how exactly these signals influence driving behavior. Because prior research has largely focused on how effective these signals are in controlled contexts, there is a knowledge vacuum regarding how drivers respond to these cues in more dynamic, real-world driving conditions [14]. It is also important to look into how these systems might be customized to match the tastes and driving habits of individual drivers in order to improve their effectiveness and minimize distracting risks.

The comprehensive integration of real-time driver alerts, climate condition detection, and road sign recognition into a single, coherent system is another notable gap. Even though each of these parts has been created and put through testing separately, it is still difficult to integrate them into a system that works flawlessly in every situation [7]. More investigation is needed into problems with system latency, real-time processing, and synchronizing data from various sensors and sources.

Lastly, it is yet unclear how scalable these systems will be in terms of computational effectiveness and ability to adjust to various vehicle kinds and road conditions. The majority of currently available solutions have only been tested in particular settings; research on how these systems function in other geographic locations with differing traffic laws, road conditions, and climatic patterns is lacking. Closing this disparity will be necessary for these technologies to be widely adopted.

Table 1Research Gap

Feature	Existing Solutions	Proposed system
Road Sign Identification	Traditional methods using image processing or basic deep learning models, limited to specific sign categories.	Machine learning-based system with a broader range of sign detection, handling diverse and complex road sign scenarios.
Road Condition Identification	Visibility and weather assessments using cameras, but no integration with real-time road surface condition monitoring.	Real-time road condition detection integrated with sign identification, analysing road surfaces, weather, and traffic conditions
Real-Time Narration with Warnings	Limited to basic visual and audio alerts without context-sensitive narration.	Provides real-time narration of detected signs and conditions, along with context-aware warnings for enhanced driver safety
Continuity	Systems often function independently with minimal real-time data integration across features	Continuous monitoring and integration of all features, providing seamless real-time feedback for road signs, conditions, and driver safety.
Security Alerts	Alerts based on specific thresholds or conditions, without real-time integration of multiple data points.	Sends real-time security alerts based on a combination of road sign detection, conditions, and potential hazards, ensuring comprehensive driver safety.

1.3 Research Problem

Guaranteeing driver security has ended up progressively challenging due to the rising complexity of driving situations, the different run of street signs, fluctuating climate conditions, and the developing request for real-time driver help. Cutting edge drivers explore streets that are always changing, with modern street signs, shifting activity designs, and erratic climate occasions, all of which include to the complexity of driving. In spite of the fact that routine Driver Bolster Frameworks (DSSs) have progressed over time, especially in their capacity to distinguish fundamental activity signs and give basic cautions, they frequently drop brief in more challenging conditions. Particularly, these frameworks battle to offer exact and opportune cautions in antagonistic climate conditions such as overwhelming rain, snow, or haze, as well as in energetic situations where the street and activity conditions can alter quickly. This confinement can lead to deferred or erroneous driver reactions, eventually expanding the hazard of mishaps and compromising street security.

Additionally, the current scene of DSS innovations uncovers a noteworthy crevice there's a discernible need of comprehensive frameworks that can consistently coordinated proactive driver alarms, climate condition discovery, and street sign acknowledgment into a single, bound together system. Numerous of the existing arrangements on the showcase center on particular regions of driver help, such as path flight notices, versatile voyage control, or activity sign acknowledgment, but they regularly work autonomously, without a cohesive association between distinctive security highlights. This divided usefulness makes crevices within the generally security net for drivers, as these frameworks are not able to completely address the wide extend of challenges that drivers confront in real-world scenarios.

For case, a framework that exceeds expectations in activity sign acknowledgment may come up short to precisely identify dangerous climate conditions, clearing out the driver without basic data approximately the street ahead. Similarly, a framework that's able of identifying climate conditions may need the capacity to recognize street signs, driving to deficient or postponed notices. The result is an deficient security arrangement that clears out drivers helpless in complex and quickly changing situations.

2 OBJECTIVES

2.1 Main Objective

- **Develop a Comprehensive Driver Identification & Vision Monitoring System**

  The primary aim of this project is to create an advanced Driver Identification & Vision Monitoring system that effectively integrates continuous driver authentication with real-time monitoring of driver attention. This system is designed to enhance road safety and vehicle security by ensuring that the driver is both authorized and focused on the road throughout their journey.

2.2 Specific Objectives

- **Develop an Advanced Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System** This project's main objective is to create and put into place an advanced system that can precisely detect and recognize different types of road signals and situations. This system seeks to improve driver safety by utilizing state-of-the-art computer vision and machine learning technology to deliver prompt and context-aware alerts concerning road conditions. In order to make sure the system operates dependably in a variety of situations, it will be put to the test in a variety of real-world settings. This will ultimately lead to safer driving experiences.

2.3 Sub-Objectives

- **Evaluate Accuracy and Reliability:**
  The main goal of this objective is to thoroughly test the system's capacity to identify and detect traffic signs and situations in a variety of settings. The objective is to make sure the system constantly delivers accurate information by assessing its effectiveness in various lighting, weather, and traffic circumstances. Improving overall reliability will primarily depend on addressing potential sources of error.

- **Enhance Real-Time User Interface**

  The goal is to provide an interface that is easy to use and intuitive for drivers to receive real-time alerts without being distracting. The interface will be made to provide drivers with the necessary information in an easy-to-understand manner so they can make judgments fast. The main goal of the improvements is to make sure that the audio and visual feedback meets the needs of the driver.

- Optimize System Performance

  This sub-goal entails fine-tuning the system to guarantee that it functions successfully and efficiently in practical situations. There will be an attempt to keep high accuracy levels while cutting down on processing times and resource usage. The system's functionality will be tailored to suit different car kinds and driving conditions, guaranteeing its dependability and flexibility in a range of situations.

3 METHODOLOGY

As hardware components are essential to the accuracy and dependability of the system, their careful selection and integration is the first step in the creation of the sophisticated road sign and road condition detecting system. For taking detailed pictures of road signs and their surroundings in a variety of lighting and weather scenarios, a high-resolution camera is a need. According to Fang, Wang, and Zhang (2009), color image segmentation plays a crucial role in real-time traffic sign recognition, which highlights the necessity of having a high-quality camera that can take crisp pictures under a variety of circumstances. A processing device, usually an embedded system with excellent computing efficiency, is attached to this camera. Real-time image processing and machine learning inference are handled by the processing unit. The system incorporates specialized hardware, such as GPUs or FPGAs, to handle the demands of performing complicated algorithms, such as convolutional neural networks (CNNs), which are essential for image recognition. Ciresan et al. (2012)'s demonstration of the efficacy of multi-column deep neural networks for traffic sign categorization emphasizes the need for a strong processing unit that can handle heavy computational demands.

The system's software architecture is built to tackle the demanding tasks of developing user interfaces, machine learning, and image processing. For pre- processing activities like color space conversion, noise reduction, and edge detection which are essential for getting the images ready for machine learning model analysis OpenCV, a potent computer vision library is used. The high-quality photos are guaranteed by this pre-processing pipeline, which makes it easier to recognize weather patterns and road signs with accuracy. Frameworks like TensorFlow and PyTorch are utilized in the development of machine learning models for traffic sign and weather condition detection. These models can learn from a variety of inputs since they have been trained on large datasets that contain numerous examples of traffic signs and environmental variables.

Data augmentation is used in the training phase to artificially increase the dataset by applying changes to the images, such as rotation, scaling, and brightness adjustments, to improve the resilience of the machine learning models. This strategy is essential for strengthening the models' resistance to changes seen in real-world situations. Transfer learning is one strategy that further optimizes the models by fine- tuning pre-trained models for recognition tasks. The system incorporates Li and Peng's (2011) discussion of the need of temporal information integration for improved traffic sign recognition, which enables the system to mix spatial and temporal data for enhanced model accuracy.

Following the development of the machine learning models, the system is put through a rigorous testing process to assess its correctness, dependability, and performance in real-world scenarios. Various lighting and meteorological situations, such as driving at night, in the pouring rain, or in fog, are included in the testing scenarios. These tests are intended to evaluate the system's overall response time in producing warnings, the camera's clarity of image capture, and the processing unit has capacity to manage heavy computational loads. This extensive testing guarantees that the technology can give drivers dependable real-time input in a variety of driving scenarios.

Figure 2 - Detecting Road signs and conditions

3.1 Requirement Analysis

The Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System relies on both hardware and software components to function effectively.

Hardware Components

Camera:

The car is equipped with a high-resolution camera that faces forward to take pictures of the road ahead. Its main responsibility is to continuously scan the road for lane markings, traffic signals, and irregularities like bends and curves. The camera must be able to take crisp pictures in a range of lighting situations, such as bright sunshine and dimly lit areas.

Processing Unit:

The system needs a strong processing unit installed in the car, around the size of a small computer. The processing of the camera's collected images in real time is handled by this device. It examines these photos to identify and identify traffic signs as well as evaluate the state of the road, making sure the driver receives alerts in a timely manner.

Connected Device (Smartphone or Similar):

The driver can see real-time alerts and notifications on a linked device, like a smartphone. To offer input on recognized road signs and conditions, this device speaks with the processing unit. It also acts as an interface through which the driver can read alarms, adjust settings, and communicate with the system.

3.2 Software Components

- OpenCV for Image Processing

  The camera's acquired images are processed and analyzed using OpenCV. It is essential for identifying and detecting lane lines, traffic signs, and other visual cues. For applications like object tracking, edge detection, and image filtering, OpenCV offers a full suite of tools that guarantee precise and fast image processing.

- TensorFlow or PyTorch for Machine Learning Models

  The system develops and implements machine learning models that improve the precision of road sign and condition identification using the PyTorch or TensorFlow frameworks. These algorithms can identify a broad range of traffic signs and situations in various scenarios because they have been trained on vast datasets. The system can continuously learn and enhance its performance over time thanks to the framework that has been used, which enables deep learning techniques.

3.3 Feasibility Study

Technical feasibility

The Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System has excellent technical viability since it makes use of established and extensively used technologies such as Python for backend processing, TensorFlow or PyTorch for machine learning, and OpenCV for image processing. These tools work well together and have shown to be successful in comparable real-time applications. Cameras and embedded processing units are among the hardware elements that are both compatible and able to manage the required real-time data processing. The system's scalability also makes it possible for improvements in the future, which contributes to the entire technological implementation's viability and sustainability.

Economic Feasibility

The Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System has good economic viability, and using open-source tools like TensorFlow/PyTorch, OpenCV, and Python reduces development expenses. The long-term advantages, such as increased road safety and lower accident-related costs, exceed the early costs associated with hardware procurement and possible custom development. The system is anticipated to have low operating costs, requiring little upkeep and energy, making it suitable for both residential and business users.

3.4 Implementation

- Development & Training of CNN for Road Sign Recognition:
  We will create and train a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) to identify and categorize traffic signs. We will gather a sizable dataset of photos of road signs taken from a variety of angles, in a variety of lighting settings, and in a variety of weather events. This dataset will be used to train the CNN to recognize and classify various traffic sign kinds with accuracy. After training, the model will be implemented into the system, allowing it to recognize traffic signs instantly and notify the driver of pertinent information.

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- Climate Condition Detection Implementation:
  The device will be able to recognize different climate conditions by analyzing visual clues from the camera stream using machine learning methods. It will be taught to recognize a range of meteorological phenomena that could affect driving safety, including snow, fog, and rain. With the use of this function, the system will be able to alert the driver of inclement weather and suggest safe driving practices.

- Driver Assistance & Narration Integration:
  Real-time narration of recognized traffic signs and conditions will be made possible by the system's integration with the audio system of the car. The system will produce and convey to the driver intelligible audio messages, improving their comprehension of the road environment through the use of natural language processing. This function makes sure that drivers are always aware of their surroundings, even if they are unfamiliar with some road signs.

3.4.1 System Architecture

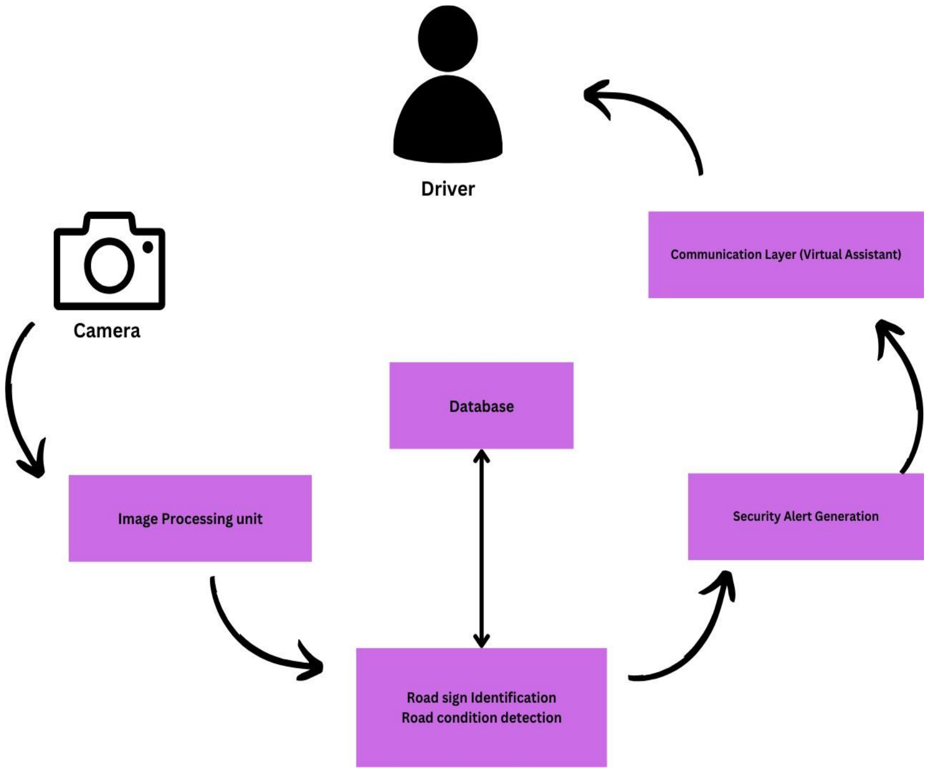

Figure 3 - System Architecture

3.4.2 System Diagram

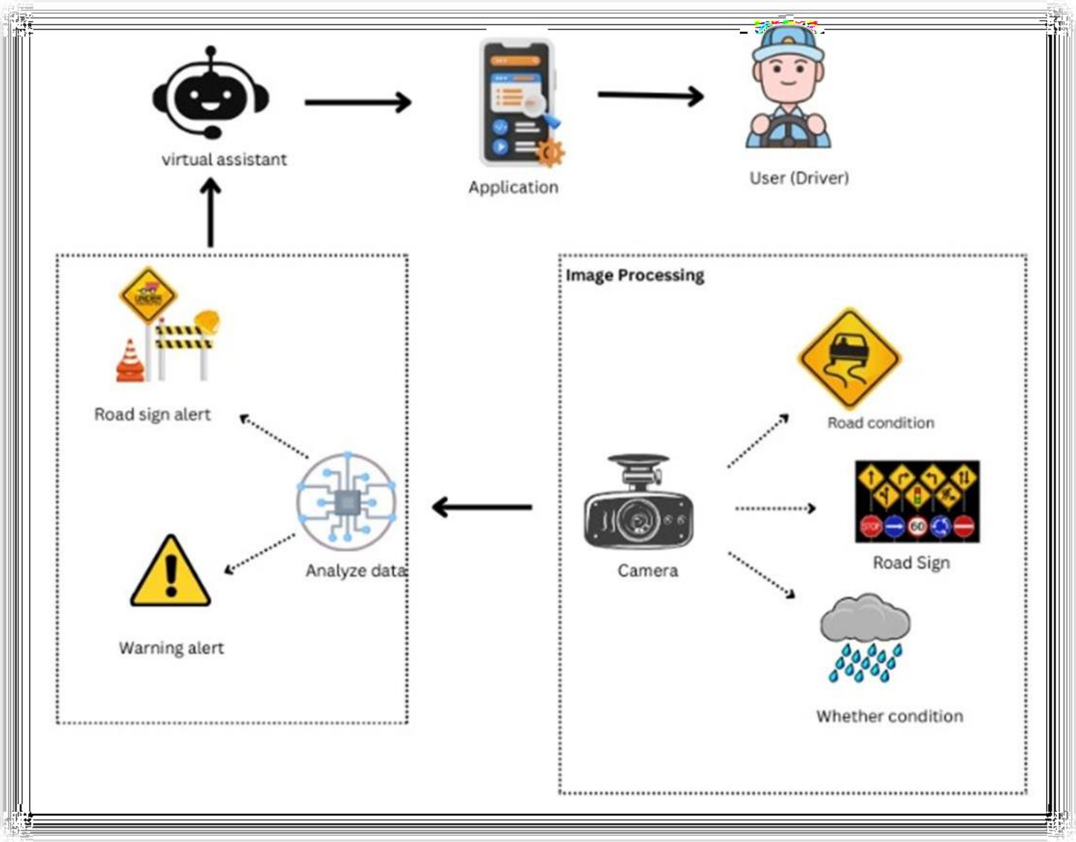

Figure 4 System Diagram

4 DESCRIPTION OF PERSONAL AND FACILITIES

4.1 Personal

A diverse group of highly qualified experts is needed for the creation and execution of the Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System. A project manager coordinates with the development team and stakeholders to ensure the project is completed on schedule and successfully. The technology can reliably interpret visual data in real- time thanks to the construction and optimization of algorithms by machine learning engineers for climate condition detection and traffic sign identification. Software developers handle both front-end and back-end development to provide a smooth user experience, integrating these machine learning models into an intuitive application. In order to achieve optimal performance, hardware engineers are in charge of choosing and configuring cameras, processor units, and other linked equipment. They also make sure that the hardware and software are properly integrated. To improve the accuracy and dependability of the system, data scientists prepare and analyze large datasets for training and refining. Specialists in Quality Assurance (QA) thoroughly test the system across a range of driving circumstances to guarantee its dependability and toughness in practical situations. Security experts ensure that the system is secure and complies with data protection rules by implementing processes to protect sensitive data, such as collected road photos and system performance measurements. This group works to guarantee that the Road Sign and Road Condition Detection System is reliable, safe, and prepared for use in actual traffic situations.

4.2 Commercial Values

- Recognize the Target Audience

  Determine the precise user demographic most likely to gain from your application so that your marketing campaigns are focused and successful.

- Create a Blog for Our Application

  Create a blog to disseminate insightful information, improve SEO, and inform readers about the capabilities and advantages of the program.

- Add Our Application to Review Websites

  Send in your application to review sites to gain awareness, establish trust, and get input for future enhancements.

- Create a Social Media Marketing Plan

  Create a plan to interact with users, advertise your app on social media, and increase exposure with targeted advertising.

5. WORK BREAKDOWN STRUCTURE

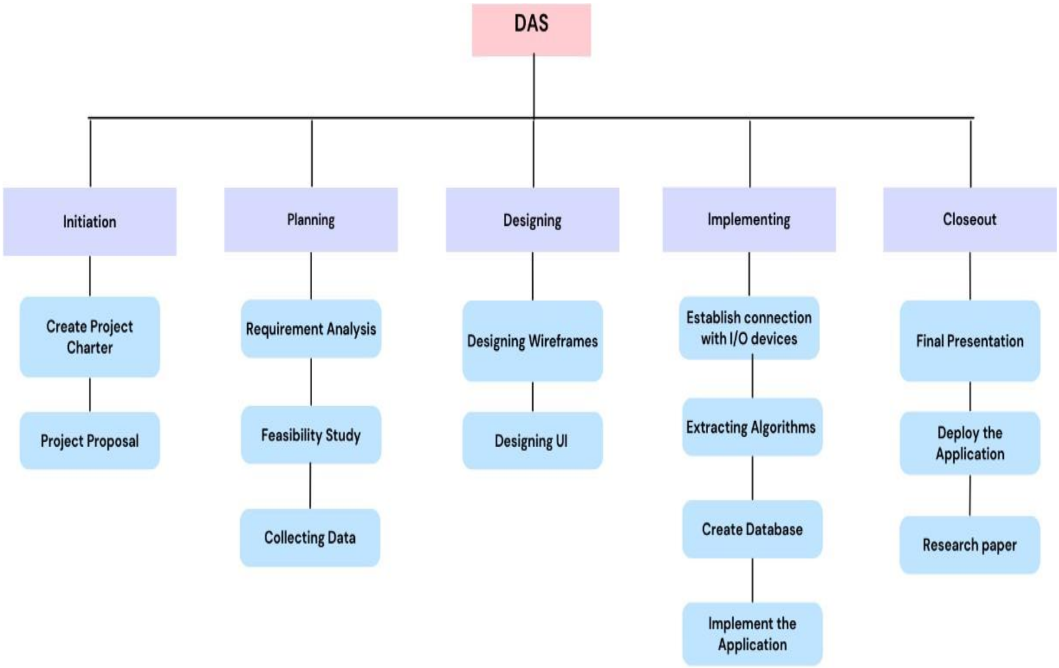

Figure 5 - Work Breakdown structure

6. GANTT CHART

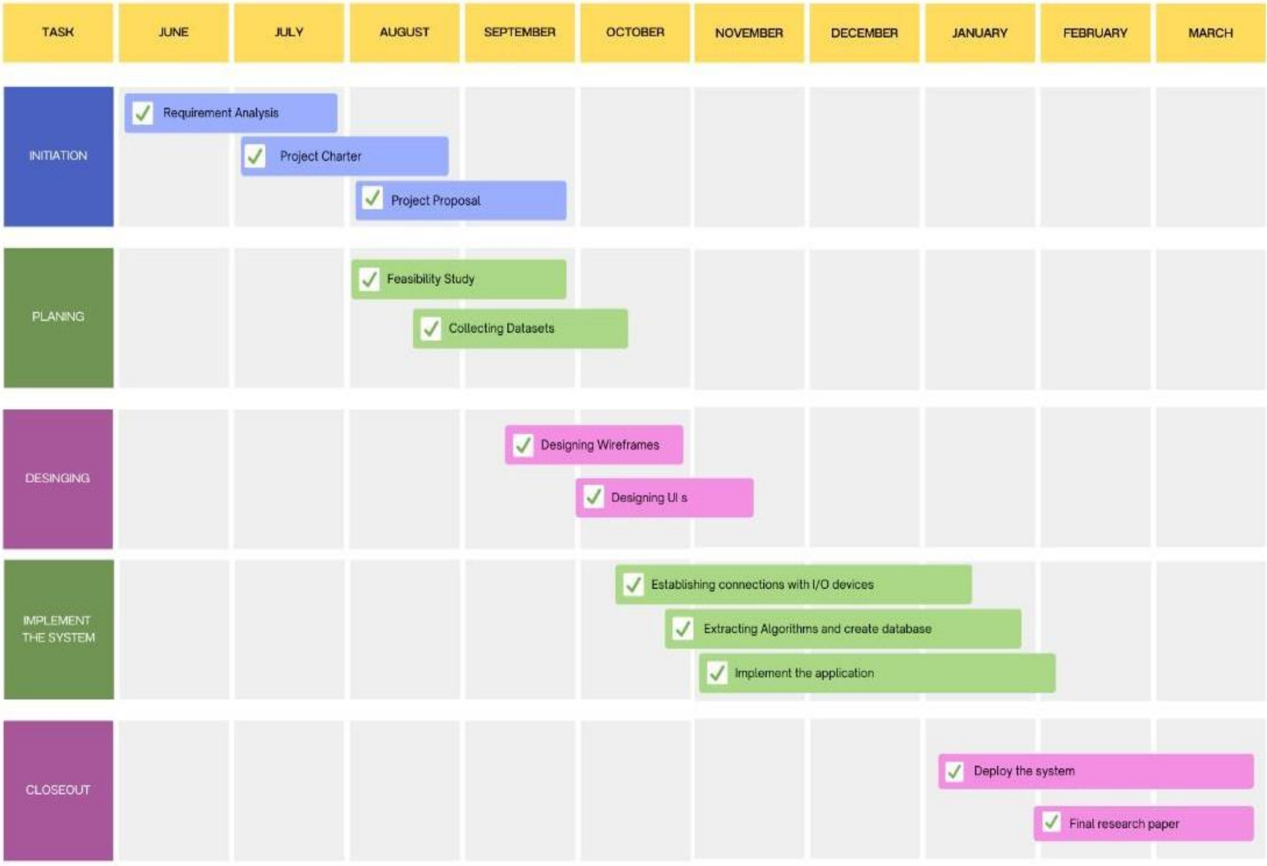

Figure 6 - Gantt Chart

7. BUDGET AND BUDGET JUSTIFICATION

Item	**Estimated Price (Rs)**
Accessories Cost	2000/-
Electricity Cost	1800/-
Internet Cost	3500/-
Travelling Cost	8000/-

Table 2 - Budget Estimation

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