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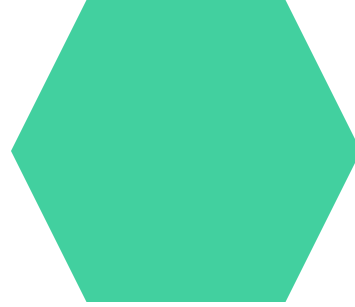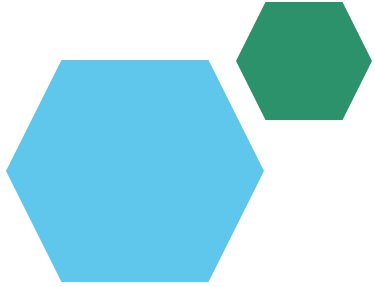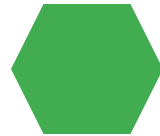
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PROJECT TITLE

DIGITAL PORTFOLIO

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PROBLEM STATEMENT

In today's competitive environment, individuals need an effective way to showcase their skills, experience, and achievements to potential employers, clients, or collaborators. Traditional resumes often lack interactivity, visual appeal, and the ability to demonstrate real-time projects or digital skills.Without a structured online portfolio, it becomes difficult for recruiters or organizations to evaluate a candidate's capabilities beyond text-based descriptions. Therefore, there is a need for a personal portfolio website that provides an organized, visually engaging, and accessible platform to highlight professional background, technical expertise, and project work.This portfolio project aims to solve this problem by creating a responsive and user-friendly website using HTML and CSS that presents the individual's profile, projects, and contact details in a professional and modern format

PROJECT OVERVIEW

Portfolio Project OverviewA portfolio project is a personal website or document that showcases your skills, achievements, projects, and experiences. It acts as a digital resume, allowing end users (such as recruiters, clients, or evaluators) to quickly understand your capabilities.   Purpose of the ProjectTo present your professional identity online.To showcase academic, technical, or creative work in an organized way.To attract recruiters, clients, or collaborators.To demonstrate your

web development skills (if it's built in HTML, CSS, and JavaScript).   Key Features of a Portfolio WebsiteHome Page / Introduction → A short about section.About Me → Education, background, and skills.Projects Section → List of your projects with descriptions, images, or links.Skills Section → Technical and soft skills.Resume / CV → Downloadable or viewable resume.Contact Section → Email, phone, social media, or a contact form.   End UsersRecruiters & Employers

→ To evaluate your skills for jobs.Clients → To see your previous work before hiring you.Teachers / Examiners → If submitted for academic purposes.Peers & Community → For networking and collaborations.   Technologies   UsedHTML → Structure of the portfolio.CSS → Styling and layout.(Optional) JavaScript → Interactivity (animations, sliders, form validation).

WHO ARE THE END USERS?

End Users in a Portfolio Project:Recruiters / Hiring Managers – they check your skills and projects before offering you a job.Clients (for freelancers) – they see your past work and decide whether to hire you.Teachers / Examiners (for academic projects) – they evaluate your portfolio as part of coursework or project submission.Peers / Colleagues / Community – they may view your portfolio for collaboration, networking, or references.General Audience / Visitors – anyone who comes across your portfolio website can view it to know about your skills and work.

TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES

 * Tools = the software you use to build the portfolio.
* Techniques = the methods (HTML,CSS,design, responsiveness, navigation, etc.) applied to create it.

POTFOLIO DESIGN AND LAYOUT

Portfolio Design and LayoutThe design and layout of the portfolio project focus on presenting information in a clean, user-friendly, and professional manner. It ensures that the portfolio is easy to navigate, visually appealing, and responsive across different devices.1. Design PrinciplesSimplicity → Minimal design with clear sections.Consistency → Uniform fonts, colors, and spacing throughout.Readability → Proper headings, font sizes, and contrasts.Responsiveness → Layout adapts to mobile, tablet, and desktop.Visual Appeal → Balanced use of images, icons, and colors.2.

Layout StructureA typical portfolio website is divided into the following sections:Header / Navigation BarContains name/logo and links to different sections (Home, About, Projects, Contact).Home / Introduction SectionA short welcome message, professional tagline, or profile photo.About Me SectionDetails about background, education, and key skills.Skills SectionA list or visual representation (bars, charts, icons) of technical and soft skills.Projects SectionShowcases major projects with descriptions, images, or GitHub/live links.Resume Section (optional)Downloadable or embedded resume.Contact SectionContact form, email, phone, and social media links.FooterCopyright details, quick links, or acknowledgements.3. Layout Techniques UsedHTML → To structure content into semantic sections.CSS Flexbox & Grid → For arranging content in rows and columns.Media Queries → To make the portfolio mobile-friendly.Navigation Design → Smooth scrolling, sticky navigation, and hover effects.

FEATURES AND FUNCTIONALITY

The portfolio project is designed with essential features and functionalities to effectively showcase personal and professional details in a structured and interactive manner.1.

FeaturesUser-Friendly Interface → Simple and professional design for easy navigation.Responsive Design → Works smoothly on desktop, tablet, and mobile devices.Navigation Menu → Provides quick access to different sections of the portfolio.About Section→ Displays personal details, education, and career summary.Skills Section → Highlights technical and soft skills.Projects Showcase → Displays completed projects with descriptions and links.Resume Integration → Option to view or download the resume.Contact Section→ Provides email, phone, and social media links.Footer Section→ Contains copyright and additional quick links.2. FunctionalityInteractive Navigation → Smooth scrolling and clickable links for moving between sections.Hyperlinks → Links to GitHub repositories, LinkedIn profile, or project demos.Responsive Layout → Adjusts automatically using CSSGrid/Flexbox and media queries.Contact Form (Optional) → Allows users to send messages directly through the portfolio.Hover Effects & Animations → Enhances visual appeal when users interact with elements.Cross-Browser Compatibility → Works across major browsers (Chrome, Firefox, Edge).

PROGRAM

```html
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8">
  <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0">
  <title>My Portfolio</title>
  <style>
    /* Reset */
    * {
      margin: 0;
      padding: 0;
      box-sizing: border-box;
      font-family: Arial, sans-serif;
    }

    body {
      line-height: 1.6;
      background: #f4f4f9;
      color: #333;
    }

    header {
      background: #333;
      color: #fff;
      padding: 20px 0;
      text-align: center;
    }

    header h1 {
      margin-bottom: 10px;
    }

    nav ul {
      list-style: none;
      display: flex;
      justify-content: center;
      gap: 20px;
    }

    nav a {
      text-decoration: none;
      color: #fff;
      font-weight: bold;
      transition: color 0.3s;
    }

    nav a:hover {
      color: #f39c12;
    }

    section {
      padding: 40px 20px;
      max-width: 900px;
      margin: auto;
    }

    #about, #projects, #contact {
      margin-bottom: 50px;
    }

    .project-card {
      background: #fff;
      padding: 20px;
      margin: 15px 0;
      border-radius: 8px;
      box-shadow: 0 2px 6px rgba(0,0,0,0.1);
    }

    footer {
      text-align: center;
      background: #333;
      color: #fff;
      padding: 15px 0;
      margin-top: 30px;
    }

    /* Responsive */
    @media (max-width: 600px) {
      nav ul {
        flex-direction: column;
        gap: 10px;
      }
    }
  </style>
</head>
<body>
  <!-- Header -->
  <header>
    <h1>My Portfolio</h1>
    <p>Web Developer | Designer | Programmer</p>
    <nav>
      <ul>
        <li><a href="#about">About</a></li>
        <li><a href="#projects">Projects</a></li>
        <li><a href="#contact">Contact</a></li>
      </ul>
    </nav>
  </header>

  <!-- About Section -->
  <section id="about">
    <h2>About Me</h2>
    <p>Hello! I'm a passionate web developer who loves creating clean and user-friendly websites. I enjoy working with HTML, CSS, and JavaScript to bring ideas to life.</p>
  </section>

  <!-- Projects Section -->
  <section id="projects">
    <h2>Projects</h2>

    <div class="project-card">
      <h3>Project 1</h3>
      <p>A responsive landing page design using HTML & CSS.</p>
    </div>

    <div class="project-card">
      <h3>Project 2</h3>
      <p>A personal blog layout with a clean and modern design.</p>
    </div>

    <div class="project-card">
      <h3>Project 3</h3>
      <p>An online portfolio website showcasing my work.</p>
    </div>
  </section>

  <!-- Contact Section -->
  <section id="contact">
    <h2>Contact</h2>
    <p>Email: <a href="sowmya25sowmi@gmail.com">sowmya25sowmi@gmail.com</a></p>
    <p>LinkedIn: <a href="#">https://https://https://https://https://https://https://https://www.linkedin.com/in/sowmya-sowmi-50b0b1319?utm_source=share&utm_campaign=share_via&utm_content=profile&utm_medium=android_app<a></p>
  </section>

  <!-- Footer -->
  <footer>
    <p>&copy; 2025 My Portfolio. All Rights Reserved.</p>
  </footer>
</body>
</html>
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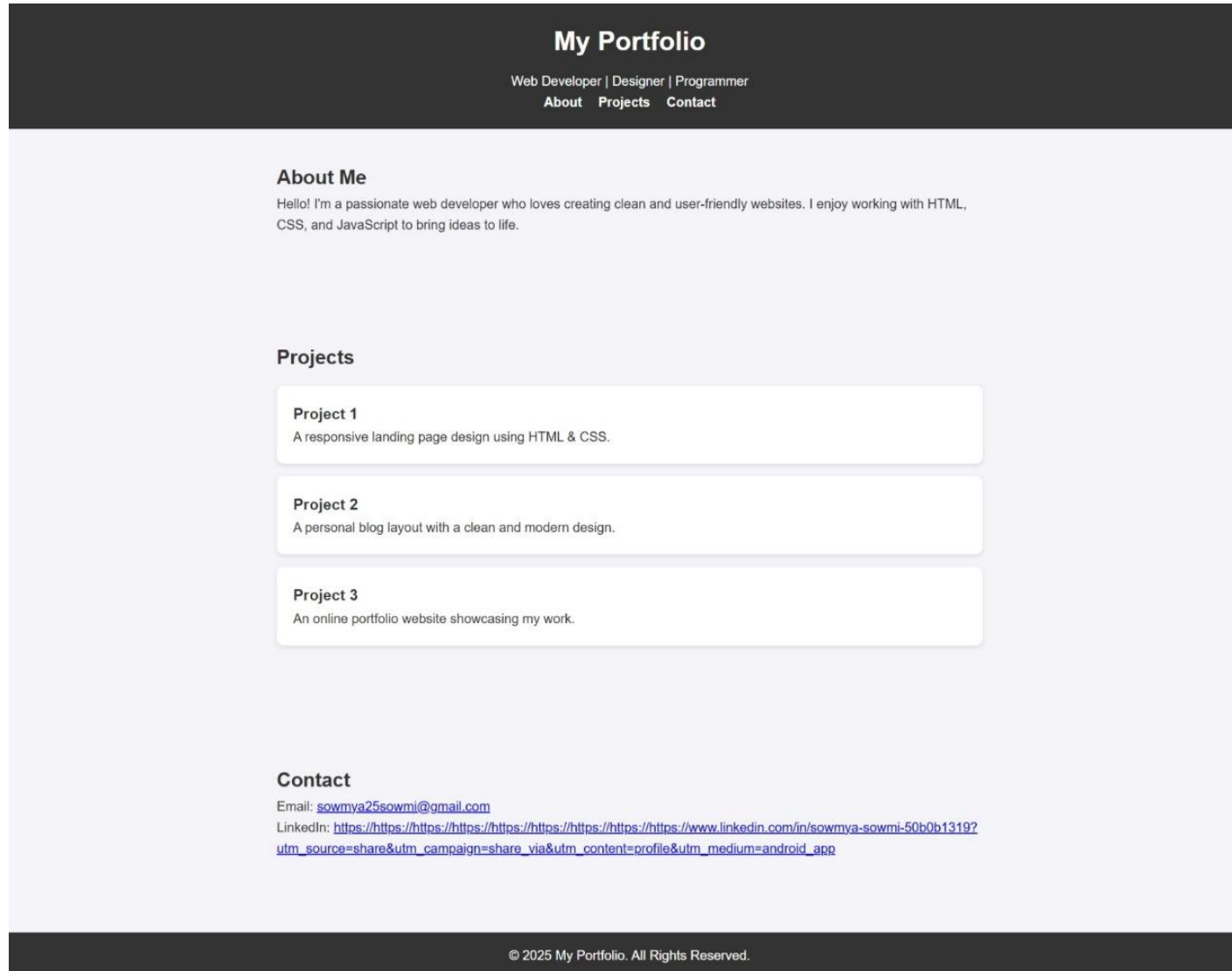
RESULTS AND SCREENSHOTS

CONCLUSION

1. The portfolio project successfully demonstrates the use of HTML, CSS, and web design principles to create a professional, user- friendly, and responsive website. It provides a digital platform to showcase personal details, skills, projects, and achievements in an organized manner.The project meets its objective of acting as a digital resume that can be accessed anytime and from anywhere, making it highly beneficial for recruiters, clients, and evaluators.

2. The design is simple yet effective, ensuring easy navigation, readability, and accessibility.Through this portfolio, the developer not only presents their professional identity but also highlights their technical skills in web development, which adds value in academic, career, and professional growth.