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## PharmaDocs-AI — Project Documentation

### 1. Overview

**Project name:** PharmaDocs-AI

**Purpose:** PharmaDocs-AI is a web application for creating, managing, verifying, and generating **Analytical Method Verification (AMV)** documents and related protocols used in pharmaceutical quality control (QC) and quality assurance (QA).

The system helps laboratories and pharma companies to:

- Create and manage AMV documents and verification protocols.
- Extract method parameters from uploaded PDF methods.
- Perform AMV-related calculations and ICH Q2(R1) checks.
- Generate DOCX reports and verification protocols.
- Generate chemical SMILES and structure images.
- Manage subscriptions and payments (via Razorpay).

#### 1.1 Primary Users

- **QC Analysts** – prepare AMV documentation and verification protocols.
- **Method Owners** – maintain and update analytical methods.
- **QA Managers** – review, approve, and audit documents.
- **Administrators** – manage users, companies, and subscriptions.
- **Company Accounts** – manage organization-level data and plans.

#### 1.2 Goals

- **Streamline AMV documentation & reporting** for ICH Q2(R1) compliance.
- **Automate numeric calculations** for validation and verification.
- **Provide reusable, auditable documents** with traceable changes.
- **Integrate with external services** for file storage, payments, and chemical utilities.

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## 2. Tech Stack & Dependencies

### 2.1 Backend

- **Language:** Python
- **Framework:** Flask
- **ORM:** SQLAlchemy
- **Migrations:** Alembic
- **Templating:** Jinja2

## 2.2 Frontend

- Flask-rendered **HTML templates**
- **Jinja2** for server-side templating
- **Static JS/CSS** under static/
  - Feature-specific JS (e.g., AMV forms, file uploads, dashboard logic)

## 2.3 Storage & External Services

- **Database:** Relational DB (PostgreSQL/MySQL/SQLite via SQLAlchemy URI)
- **Local file storage:** uploads/ (for PDFs, signatures, etc.)
- **Generated documents:** reports/ (DOCX reports and verification protocols)
- **Cloud storage:** Cloudinary (via cloudinary\_service.py)
- **Payments:** Razorpay integration (India-focused)
- **Auth/config (optional):** Firebase (via firebase\_service.py)
- **Chemical utilities:** SMILES generation and structure rendering (may use external APIs or local tools like RDKit via smiles\_service.py and chemical\_structure\_service.py)

## 2.4 Packaging & Containerization

- requirements.txt and/or pyproject.toml for Python dependencies
  - Dockerfile for containerized deployment
  - Procfile for process specification (e.g., for Heroku-like environments)
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## 3. High-Level Architecture

PharmaDocs-AI follows a typical **layered architecture**:

1. **Presentation Layer (Flask Blueprints + Jinja2 templates)**
  - Handles HTTP requests, renders HTML, and returns JSON for AJAX requests.

## 2. Service Layer (services/)

- Encapsulates business logic, parsing, calculations, and external integrations.

## 3. Data Access Layer (models.py, database.py)

- SQLAlchemy models and DB session management.

## 4. Integration Layer

- Cloudinary, Razorpay, Firebase, and chemical data/structure APIs.

### 3.1 Main Components

- **Flask App**

- Entry-points: app.py / application.py / main.py (depending on deployment).
- Registers blueprints from app\_routes/.
- Initializes database, configuration, and external services.

- **Database Layer**

- database.py – SQLAlchemy instance and session.
- models.py – ORM models (User, Company, Document, AMVDocument, etc.).
- migrations/ – Alembic migrations.

- **Services Layer (services/)**

- amv\_report\_service.py – AMV report generation (DOCX) and calculations.
- method\_extraction\_service.py – method parameter extraction from PDF.
- analytical\_method\_verification\_service.py – verification calculations and ICH checks.
- clouddinary\_service.py – Cloudinary file handling.
- razorpay\_service.py / payment\_service.py – payment and subscription flows.
- smiles\_service.py, chemical\_structure\_service.py – chemical utilities.
- document\_service.py – document-related helpers.
- Other feature-specific helpers.

- **Routes / Blueprints (app\_routes/)**

- amv\_routes.py – AMV creation, extraction, verification, report generation.
- auth.py – login, register, logout.

- admin.py – admin operations.
  - company.py, documents.py, dashboard.py, razorpay\_routes.py, subscription\_routes.py, etc.
  - **Templates & Static**
    - templates/ – HTML templates for all pages and flows.
    - static/js/, static/css/ – frontend logic and styles.
  - **File Storage**
    - uploads/ – user-uploaded PDFs, Excel, signatures.
    - reports/ – generated DOCX files.
  - **Utilities (utils/)**
    - helpers.py, validators.py, subscription\_middleware.py – shared helpers.
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## 4. Folder & File Responsibilities

### 4.1 Root

- app.py / application.py / main.py
  - Flask initialization and app factory.
  - Registers blueprints from app\_routes.
  - Binds DB and configuration.
- database.py
  - Creates SQLAlchemy db instance.
  - Provides DB initialization hooks.
- models.py
  - Defines SQLAlchemy models:
    - User, Company, Document
    - AMVDocument, AMVVerificationDocument
    - Equipment, Reagent, ReferenceProduct, GlassMaterial, OtherMaterial
    - Subscription/payment-related models.
- Dockerfile

- Procfile
- requirements.txt / pyproject.toml

## 4.2 app\_routes/

Contains **Flask blueprints**. Key ones:

- amv\_routes.py
  - AMV create/list/view.
  - Method extraction from PDFs.
  - AMV report generation (DOCX).
  - AMV verification upload/create/view.
  - Equipment/materials/reagents/reference product settings.
  - SMILES and chemical structure generation APIs.
  - ICH validation / mathematical calculation test endpoints.
  - Protocol generator endpoints (method-based validation plan).
- auth.py
  - Login, registration, logout.
  - Session management.
- admin.py
  - Admin dashboard and management screens.
- Other routes:
  - company.py – company profile, logo, metadata.
  - documents.py – generic document listing and detail.
  - dashboard.py – user dashboard overview.
  - razorpay\_routes.py – payment callbacks, order creation, webhooks.
  - subscription\_routes.py – subscription plans and status.
  - validation\_routes.py, pdf\_generator.py, pvr\_templates.py, etc. – additional domain flows.

## 4.3 services/

- amv\_report\_service.py

- Class AMVReportGenerator with methods to:
    - Create AMV DOCX reports.
    - Perform AMV calculations (system suitability, linearity, precision, recovery, etc.).
    - Validate results against ICH Q2(R1) criteria.
  - Utilities to extract methods from PDFs and process raw data files.
- method\_extraction\_service.py
  - PDFs → text → parsed method parameters.
  - Returns structured data and human-readable summary.
  - Suggests validation parameters based on extracted method and instrument type.
- analytical\_method\_verification\_service.py
  - Generates AMV verification protocols.
  - Processes Excel raw data to compute verification statistics.
  - Performs ICH Q2(R1) compliance checks.
- clouddinary\_service.py
  - Upload and manage files on Clouddinary.
- razorpay\_service.py / payment\_service.py
  - Plan creation, payment initiation, and success/failure handling.
  - Subscription linkage to User/Company.
- firebase\_service.py
  - Firebase configuration (e.g., auth, messaging).
- smiles\_service.py
  - Generate SMILES/fingerprint/metadata from compound name.
- chemical\_structure\_service.py
  - Generate structure image from SMILES.
- document\_service.py
  - Abstractions around Document CRUD.

#### **4.4 templates/**

- Main pages:
  - index.html, dashboard.html
  - login.html, register.html
- AMV-related templates:
  - create\_amv.html, view\_amv.html, amv\_list.html
  - amv\_verification.html, view\_amv\_verification.html
  - amv\_verification\_protocol.html, protocol\_generator.html
- Admin/company:
  - Admin dashboard templates, company settings templates, subscription pages.

#### **4.5 static/**

- static/css/style.css – global styling.
- static/js/ – feature-specific logic:
  - amv.js – AMV form behaviors, extraction & validation calls.
  - auth.js – login/registration helpers.
  - dashboard.js, document-creation.js, file-upload.js, subscription.js, utils.js, etc.
  - firebase-config.js – Firebase initialization (if used).

#### **4.6 Other**

- uploads/ – user uploads.
- reports/ – generated reports.
- migrations/ – Alembic migration scripts.
- scripts/ – setup scripts (e.g., Razorpay plan init).
- utils/ – shared utilities & middleware.

### **5. Data Model Overview**

**Note:** Exact fields must be checked in models.py. Below is a high-level summary based on route usage.

#### **5.1 Core Models**

##### **User**

- **Typical fields:**
  - id, name, email, password\_hash
  - role / is\_admin
  - Subscription-related fields (plan, expiry, status)
- **Behavior:**
  - can\_create\_document() – checks subscription & role permissions.

## Company

- **Typical fields:**
  - id, name, address
  - owner\_user\_id
  - logo\_url
  - metadata JSON (optional)

## Document

Generic document metadata.

- id
- user\_id, company\_id
- title
- document\_type ('AMV', 'AMV\_VERIFICATION', etc.)
- document\_number
- document\_metadata (JSON)
- generated\_doc\_url
- status
- created\_at, updated\_at

## AMVDocument

Linked to Document (via document\_id).

- product\_name
- label\_claim
- active\_ingredient

- strength
- instrument\_type (e.g., 'HPLC', 'UV', 'AAS', 'GC', UPLC, titration)
- val\_params (JSON)
- parameters\_to\_validate (JSON)
- instrument\_params (JSON)
- report\_generated (bool)
- Helper methods:
  - get\_validation\_params()
  - get\_parameters\_to\_validate()
  - get\_instrument\_params()

### **AMVVerificationDocument**

- Verification-specific fields similar to AMVDocument.
- Links to Document and may reference uploaded Excel/raw data.

### **Equipment & Materials**

- Equipment
- GlassMaterial
- Reagent
- ReferenceProduct
- OtherMaterial

### **Shared characteristics:**

- Typically scoped by company\_id.
- Used to build protocol content and materials sections.

### **Subscription & Payment Models**

- Models for:
  - Subscription plans
  - Payment records
  - Subscription status per user/company

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## 6. Key Flows & Data Flows

### 6.1 AMV Creation & Report Generation

#### 1. Create AMV Document

- User visits /amv/create (GET).
- Fills form (AMV details, product info, instrument type, etc.).
- Optionally uploads method PDF.
- On submit (POST), system:
  - Validates input.
  - Creates a Document (type = AMV).
  - Creates associated AMVDocument.
  - Saves uploaded file to uploads/ and/or Cloudinary.
  - Commits DB transaction.

#### 2. Generate AMV Report (DOCX)

- User uploads signatures and triggers report generation via /amv/<id>/generate-report (POST).
- Backend:
  - Loads Document, AMVDocument, Company, and user data.
  - Prepares form\_data dict.
  - Instantiates AMVReportGenerator.
  - Generates DOCX, stores file in reports/.
  - Updates Document.generated\_doc\_url.
  - Sends file to user via send\_file.

### 6.2 Method Extraction from PDF

1. User uploads method PDF and selects instrument type via /amv/api/extract-method.
2. Backend:
  - Reads file content.
  - Calls method\_extraction\_service.extract\_method\_parameters(file\_content, instrument\_type).
  - Receives structured parameters + summary.

- Returns JSON: {success, parameters, summary}.

3. Frontend:

- Displays extracted parameters.
- User can adjust and select validation parameters.

### 6.3 AMV Verification Protocol & Report Generation (Partially Implemented)

*Current status: core verification flow is implemented (upload, process, generate DOCX), but full parameter coverage & UI integration are in progress.*

#### 1. Initiate AMV Verification

- User visits /amv/verification (GET).
- Chooses an existing AMV or product/instrument context.
- Provides:
  - Reference to method.pdf:
    - Either by upload, or
    - By selecting/storing a method link / method document URL instead of a raw file upload.
  - Uploads raw data (Excel) for verification (e.g., recovery, precision, linearity data).

#### 2. Upload & Process Verification Data

- POST /amv/verification/upload
- Inputs:
  - excel\_file (raw data measurements).
  - method\_pdf or method\_pdf\_link (planned: support URL-based linkage, not just upload).
  - Additional metadata (instrument type, batch info, analyst, date range, etc.).
- Backend:
  - Reads Excel and parses structured datasets (replicates, concentrations, areas).
  - Reads method information either:
    - Directly from PDF OR

- From a stored method.pdf link that points to an already registered method.
- Passes parsed data + method metadata to analytical\_method\_verification\_service.

### 3. Verification Parameter Handling ( Pending Enhancements)

- Current status:
  - Core verification calculations (e.g., basic linearity/precision) are implemented.
  - Some parameters are not yet fully integrated into:
    - UI parameter selection,
    - Back-end mapping from UI → verification engine.
- Planned:
  - Complete mapping of all ICH Q2(R1) verification parameters (e.g., accuracy, intermediate precision, robustness, LOQ, LOD, etc.) into:
    - Form configuration,
    - Validation rules,
    - Displayed results in the verification doc.
  - Ensure that each configured parameter appears in:
    - Input form,
    - Calculations,
    - Final verification protocol/report.

### 4. Generate AMV Verification Report

- Once data is processed:
  - analytical\_method\_verification\_service returns:
    - Verification statistics ( $R^2$ , %RSD, bias, recovery, etc.).
    - Pass/fail decisions against ICH criteria.
  - A verification DOCX is generated similar to AMV report:
    - Includes product/method details.
    - Displays each evaluated parameter with:

- **Acceptance criteria,**
    - **Observed result,**
    - **Pass/Fail status.**
  - **Includes signature sections, dates, and versioning details.**
- **Document is:**
    - **Saved under reports/**,
    - **Linked to a AMVVerificationDocument + Document entry,**
    - **Downloadable via /amv/verification/<document\_id>/download.**

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## 7. Routes & APIs

**Note:** Exact URL names may vary slightly; check app\_routes/amv\_routes.py & others.

### 7.1 Authentication

- **POST** /auth/login
  - **Input:** email, password
  - **Output:** Session cookie; redirect to dashboard or error.
- **POST** /auth/register
  - Register new user.
- **GET** /auth/logout
  - Clear session and redirect to login.

### 7.2 AMV Documents

- **GET** /amv/create
  - Render AMV creation form.
- **POST** /amv/create
  - Create new AMV document + AMVDocument.
  - **Input:** Form fields, optional uploaded method\_pdf.
- **GET** /amv/<int:document\_id>
  - View AMV document details.

- **GET /amv/list**
  - List AMV documents for logged-in user / company.
- **POST /amv/<int:document\_id>/generate-report**
  - Generate AMV DOCX report.
  - **Input (multipart):**
    - Optional signature files: engineer\_signature, manager\_signature, approved\_signature.
- **GET /amv/<int:document\_id>/download**
  - Download generated AMV report (DOCX).

### 7.3 AMV Settings (Equipment & Materials)

- **GET/POST /amv/settings/equipment**
- **GET/POST /amv/settings/materials**
- **GET/POST /amv/settings/reagents**
- **GET/POST /amv/settings/reference-products**

Used for managing company-specific equipment & materials lists.

### 7.4 Protocol Generator APIs

- **GET /amv/protocol**
  - Render protocol generator UI.
- **GET /amv/protocol/api/methods**
  - Returns supported methods (e.g., ["uv", "aas", "hplc", "uplc", "gc", "titration"]).
- **GET /amv/protocol/api/parameters/<method>**
  - Returns list of parameters to validate for given method.
- **POST /amv/protocol/api/generate\_protocol**
  - **Input (JSON):** extractedData, selectedParams, selectedMethod
  - **Output (JSON):** Generated protocol structure.
- **POST /amv/protocol/api/download\_protocol**
  - **Input (JSON):** Protocol content.
  - **Output:** DOCX/TXT stream for download.

## 7.5 AMV Method Extraction & Utilities

- **POST /amv/api/generate-number**
  - **Input (JSON):** {company\_id}
  - **Output:** {document\_number}
    - Format: <COMPANY\_PREFIX>/AMV/<YEAR>/<COUNT+1:04d>
- **POST /amv/api/extract-method**
  - **Input (multipart):**
    - method\_file (PDF)
    - instrument\_type
  - **Output (JSON):** {success, parameters, summary}
- **POST /amv/api/suggest-validation**
  - **Input (JSON):**
    - extracted\_params
    - parameters\_to\_validate
  - **Output (JSON):** Suggestions for validation plan.
- **POST /amv/api/test-mathematical-calculations**
  - Test endpoint for calculations in AMVReportGenerator.
- **POST /amv/api/validate-ich-criteria**
  - **Input (JSON):** results, parameter
  - **Output (JSON):** validation\_status, overall\_compliance
- **POST /amv/api/generate-smiles**
  - **Input (JSON):** ingredient\_name
  - **Output (JSON):** smiles, inchi, formula, etc.
- **POST /amv/api/generate-structure**
  - **Input (JSON):** smiles
  - **Output:** chemical structure image URL or binary file.
- **POST /amv/extract-method**

- Alternate/legacy extraction endpoint using inline MethodPDFExtractor (duplicate logic with /amv/api/extract-method).

## 7.6 AMV Verification

- **POST** /amv/verification/upload
  - **Input (multipart):** excel\_file, method\_pdf, possibly other fields.
  - **Output:** DOCX verification protocol stream.
- **POST** /amv/verification/create
  - Create AMVVerificationDocument and related Document record.
- **GET** /amv/verification/<int:document\_id>
  - View verification details.
- **GET** /amv/verification/<int:document\_id>/download
  - Download verification protocol DOCX.
- **GET** /amv/verification
  - Render verification protocol UI.

## 7.7 Payments & Subscriptions

- Endpoints under:
  - razorpay\_routes.py
  - subscription\_routes.py

Typical operations:

- Create Razorpay order/session.
- Handle success/failure callbacks/webhooks.
- Update user/company subscription status.

## 8. Services — Contracts & Responsibilities

### 8.1 AMVReportGenerator (in amv\_report\_service.py)

**Inputs:**

- form\_data (dict) **must include:**
  - document\_title

- product\_name
  - label\_claim
  - active\_ingredient
  - strength
  - instrument\_type
  - document\_number
  - val\_params (list/dict)
  - parameters\_to\_validate
  - instrument\_params
  - Optional: signature file paths / image bytes.
- company\_data (dict, optional):
  - company\_name, address, logo\_path/url, etc.

### **Core Responsibilities:**

- Generate AMV DOCX with:
  - Company header (logo, name, address).
  - Method details & validation parameters.
  - Insertion of calculation results and tables.
  - Signature blocks using provided images.
- Implement mathematical & statistical functions:
  - System suitability (e.g., RSD, plate count).
  - Linearity, accuracy, precision, recovery.
  - ICH Q2(R1) criteria checks (pass/fail).

### **Outputs:**

- Path to generated DOCX file
- OR BytesIO buffer to be returned directly via send\_file.

### **Error Modes:**

- Missing or malformed numeric inputs → ValueError or custom exceptions.
- File IO failures → propagate or wrap with meaningful messages.

- Should not rely on external network calls for core calculations.
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## **8.2 method\_extraction\_service.py**

### **Inputs:**

- file\_content: raw bytes of uploaded PDF.
- instrument\_type: string ('hplc', 'uv', 'gc', etc.).

### **Responsibilities:**

- Extract text from PDF.
- Use heuristics (regex, patterns) to find:
  - Wavelength, flow rate, injection volume, column details.
  - Mobile phase composition.
  - Standard/sample concentration, volume, and weights.
- Build:
  - Structured parameters dictionary.
  - Human-readable summary string of method.

### **Outputs:**

- { "parameters": {...}, "summary": "..." } (or equivalent dict)

### **Error Modes:**

- Unreadable/malformed PDF (return success: false with message).
  - Unsupported MIME type.
  - Insufficient text content.
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## **8.3 analytical\_method\_verification\_service.py**

### **Inputs:**

- Raw data (from Excel or JSON).
- Selected instrument & validation parameters.
- Additional configuration from the form.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Process raw data (e.g., peak areas, concentrations).
- Calculate AMV verification statistics:
  - Linearity, precision, accuracy, robustness, etc.
- Perform ICH Q2(R1) compliance checks.
- Generate verification protocol content (DOCX or structured data).

#### **Outputs:**

- Verification results dict (with pass/fail, statistics).
- Optional: DOCX buffer for protocol.

#### **Error Modes:**

- Missing data.
- Insufficient number of replicates.
- Invalid numeric entries.

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## **8.4 Cloud & Payment Services**

### **cloudinary\_service.py**

- Upload files to Cloudinary.
- Return their secure URLs.
- Handle deletion if needed.

### **razorpay\_service.py / payment\_service.py**

- Create Razorpay orders.
- Verify payment signatures.
- Mark subscription as active/expired.
- Store payment records for audit.

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## **9. Security, Validation & Error Handling**

### **9.1 Authentication & Authorization**

- Uses Flask session (e.g., session['user\_id']).
- Most protected routes check user presence in session.

- Recommended:
  - Use decorators (e.g., `@login_required`) to centralize auth checks.
  - Implement role-based access control for admin-only endpoints.

## 9.2 Input Validation

- Validate all form and JSON inputs.
- For file uploads:
  - Check extension (.pdf, .xlsx, etc.).
  - Use `secure_filename`.
  - Enforce `MAX_CONTENT_LENGTH` and content-type checks.
- Use schema-based validation (e.g., Marshmallow/Pydantic) for complex payloads where possible.

## 9.3 SQL Injection & XSS

- SQLAlchemy ORM protects against SQL injection when used correctly.
- Jinja2 auto-escapes templates; only use `|safe` when absolutely necessary.
- Escape or sanitize any rich text stored and displayed from user inputs.

## 9.4 File Storage & Security

- Store files in `uploads/` & `reports/` (non-public path in production).
- Use Cloudinary for persistent/served assets.
- Ensure proper permissions and regular cleanup of temporary files.

## 9.5 Secrets Management

- All API keys, DB credentials, and secret keys must be stored in environment variables:
    - `SECRET_KEY`
    - `DATABASE_URL`
    - `CLOUDINARY_*`
    - `RAZORPAY_*`
    - `FIREBASE_*`
  - Never commit secrets to the repository.
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## **10. Running the Project**

### **10.1 Local Development**

#### **1. Clone & Setup Environment**

```
python -m venv venv  
source venv/bin/activate # Windows: venv\Scripts\activate  
pip install -r requirements.txt
```

#### **2. Configure Environment Variables**

Create .env (not committed):

```
FLASK_APP=app.py  
FLASK_ENV=development  
SECRET_KEY=your-secret-key  
DATABASE_URL=postgresql://user:pass@localhost/pharmadocs_ai  
CLOUDINARY_CLOUD_NAME=...  
CLOUDINARY_API_KEY=...  
CLOUDINARY_API_SECRET=...  
RAZORPAY_KEY_ID=...  
RAZORPAY_KEY_SECRET=...  
UPLOAD_FOLDER=./uploads  
PORT=5000
```

#### **3. Run Migrations**

```
alembic upgrade head  
# or if using Flask-Migrate:  
# flask db upgrade
```

#### **4. Start the App**

```
flask run  
# or  
python app.py
```

### **10.2 Docker**

## 1. Build

```
docker build -t pharmadocs-ai .
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## 2. Run

```
docker run -p 5000:5000 \
-e SECRET_KEY=your-secret \
-e DATABASE_URL=... \
-e CLOUDINARY_CLOUD_NAME=... \
-e CLOUDINARY_API_KEY=... \
-e CLOUDINARY_API_SECRET=... \
-e RAZORPAY_KEY_ID=... \
-e RAZORPAY_KEY_SECRET=... \
pharmadocs-ai
```

## 3. Production

- Use Gunicorn (e.g., web: gunicorn application:app from Procfile).
  - Put behind Nginx / reverse proxy.
  - Use HTTPS.
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## 11. Testing & CI (Recommended)

### 11.1 Tests

Suggested test areas:

- **Unit tests:**
  - Method extraction parsing (method\_extraction\_service).
  - AMV calculations in AMVReportGenerator (e.g., RSD, plate count).
  - ICH validation logic in analytical\_method\_verification\_service.
  - Document number generation logic.
- **Integration tests:**
  - Authentication (login/logout).
  - AMV create → generate report workflow.

- AMV verification upload → DOCX generation.

Use **pytest** as the recommended test runner.

## 11.2 CI Pipeline

- GitHub Actions workflow:
    - Setup Python.
    - Install dependencies.
    - Run flake8 or pylint.
    - Run pytest.
  - Optional:
    - Add mypy for type checking.
    - Add black/isort for formatting.
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## 12. Known Caveats & Improvements

### 12.1 Duplicated Endpoints

- Both /amv/api/extract-method and /amv/extract-method exist with overlapping functionality.
- **Recommendation:** Standardize on one endpoint with a shared service.

### 12.2 Long-Running Tasks

- PDF parsing and DOCX generation can be heavy.
- **Recommendation:**
  - Move to background tasks using Celery + Redis / RQ.
  - Return job IDs and have the frontend poll for status.

### 12.3 File Size & Limits

- Enforce max upload file size.
- Add friendly error messages for large PDF/Excel files.

### 12.4 Validation & Error Handling

- Centralize validation & error responses.
- Use consistent JSON error structures and HTTP status codes.

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## 13. Roadmap & Future Enhancements

- **High Priority**
  - Background job queue for heavy operations.
  - Consolidate method extraction services & endpoints.
  - Add proper RBAC and @login\_required decorators.
  - Introduce automated tests and CI.
- **Medium Priority**
  - Full Swagger/OpenAPI documentation for APIs.
  - Rate limiting & DOS protection.
  - Central logging & monitoring (e.g., Sentry).
- **Low Priority / Nice-to-Have**
  - Versioning for documents and reports.
  - Full audit trail (who changed what and when).
  - ML-based method extraction (NLP-driven) while keeping numeric calculations deterministic and non-AI as per domain constraints.

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## 14. Developer Guidelines

- Keep **domain logic** in services/, not in routes.
- Keep **routes** thin: authenticate, validate, call services, format response.
- When updating models:
  - Create a new Alembic migration.
  - Update any affected services and tests.
- When adding new endpoints:
  - Consider if it should be HTML-rendering, JSON-only, or both.
  - Update docs and, if using Swagger, the OpenAPI spec.

## 15. Current Implementation Status Summary

### 1. Analytical Method Verification (AMV)

- **AMV Creation & Report Generation:**
  - Implemented end-to-end (UI + backend + DOCX).
  - Supports method metadata, validation parameters, signatures, and ICH-style calculations.
- **Method PDF Handling:**
  - Currently supports direct upload.
  - Planned: robust support for **method.pdf link / referenced document**, stored against AMV so that verification and related flows always reference the same method version.

## 2. AMV Verification

- Core flow implemented:
  - Upload of verification raw data (Excel).
  - Processing via verification service.
  - DOCX generation with verification protocol.
- **Pending Enhancements:**
  - Full parameter mapping for all verification items.
  - Auto-population of parameters in the verification report.
  - Clean method linkage via method.pdf URL/ID rather than repeated raw upload.

## 3. Stability Studies

- **Planned:**
  - Service definition done at design level.
  - Will handle multi-condition, multi-timepoint stability evaluations and reporting.

## 4. Degradation / Stress Studies

- **Planned:**
  - Design focuses on proving specificity and stability-indicating capability of methods.
  - Will structurally integrate stress conditions, observed degradants, and chromatographic performance.

Link of method.pdf file which I used in this project

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1t9hD3FOaKJS\\_wYr7yjJYB1pvzX71s\\_Fi  
/view?usp=drivesdk](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1t9hD3FOaKJS_wYr7yjJYB1pvzX71s_Fi/view?usp=drivesdk)

system generated documents

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1y7al5aAbJ358JHDawdZMvEA  
cm8f2q1s0?usp=drive\\_link](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1y7al5aAbJ358JHDawdZMvEAcm8f2q1s0?usp=drive_link)

reference documents

[https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1FfiGy8TqsTnLK06-  
bWDkt1gaPZFeaNqL?usp=drive\\_link](https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1FfiGy8TqsTnLK06-bWDkt1gaPZFeaNqL?usp=drive_link)