

HACKATHON SUBMISSION

# TBO OneSearch

Trip Orchestration Platform

“ Recommendation-first travel intelligence built on TBO APIs

# Travel Search is Broken

PROBLEM STATEMENT

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## TRADITIONAL WORKFLOW



### Search Flights

Browser Tab 1 • Multiple Sites



### Search Hotels

Browser Tab 2 • Disconnected Dates



### Manual Comparison

Excel / Mental Math / Guesswork



### Decision Fatigue

User overwhelmed & confused



### Time-Consuming

Users spend hours toggling between flight aggregators and hotel booking engines, manually aligning dates and times.



### Budget Miscalculations

Hidden costs (transfers, late check-ins) and lack of "Total Trip Cost" visibility lead to budget overruns.



### No Quality Guidance

Is saving ₹2,000 worth a 6-hour layover? Users lack the data to make value-based trade-offs on comfort vs. cost.

# TBO OneSearch | Our Solution

Moving from disconnected product lists to Intelligent Orchestration

SOLUTION

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## 3-4 Complete Recommendations

We generate fully orchestrated trip packages (Flight + Hotel + Transfer) tailored to the specific query.



## Intelligent Scoring

Each trip is scored for Comfort, Budget Fit, and Fatigue levels based on user persona weights.



## Risk Transparency

Clear indicators for tight connections, non-refundable policies, or poor locations before booking.

*"One decision point instead of multiple searches."*



AI RECOMMENDED



BEST VALUE

### Trip Option A

OPTIMIZED FOR: PROFESSIONAL



DEL → LHR

🕒 08:30 - 18:45 📦 Direct

Low Fatigue

✅ On Time



The Langham, London

📍 City Center ★ 5.0

High Comfort

Corp Rate



94%

CONFIDENCE MATCH



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COMFORT SCORE

● Risk Profile: Low  
Policy: Compliant

TOTAL TRIP PRICE

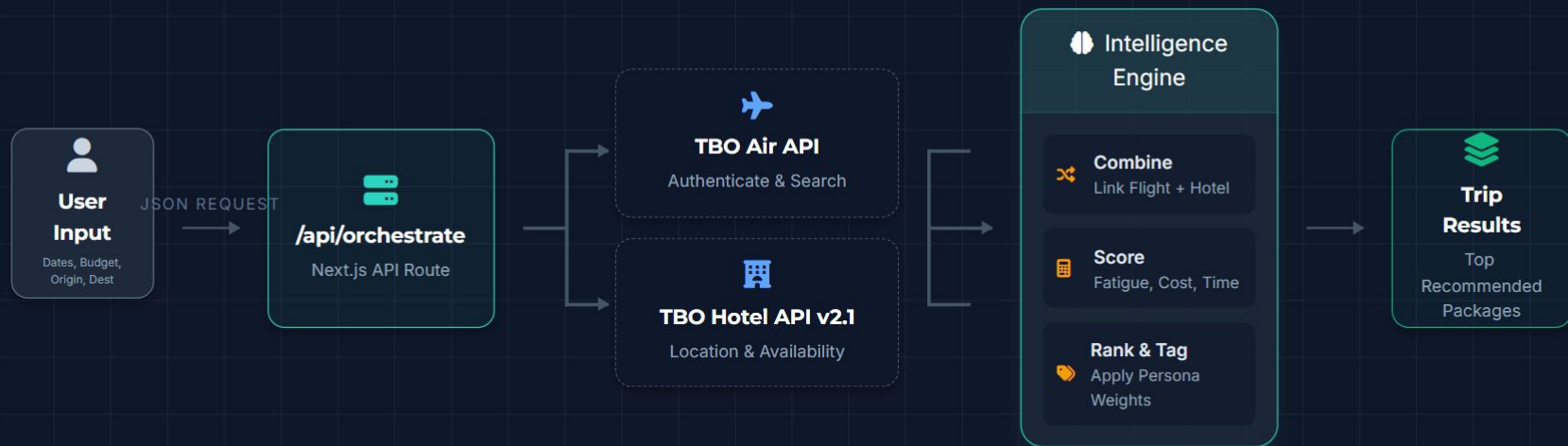
₹1,45,200

# Trip Orchestration Engine

A unified logic layer transforming raw API data into intelligent recommendations.

ARCHITECTURE

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💡 All intelligence logic sits strictly above existing TBO APIs without modifying core infrastructure.

# Behavior-Driven Optimization

Different travelers prioritize different outcomes. Our system applies specific weightings to tailor the results.

PRIORITY ENGINE

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## Dynamic Weighting

Instead of fixed filtering rules, we apply a weighted scoring model based on the user's selected persona.



## Outcome Focused

The algorithm optimizes for the total trip experience score rather than just the cheapest price.



### PERSONA PROFILE



### BUDGET



### COMFORT



### TIMING



### FATIGUE



### HOTEL



#### Student

40 %

15 %

15 %

10 %

20 %



#### Family

25 %

25 %

15 %

20 %

15 %



#### Professional

20 %

30 %

25 %

15 %

10 %



#### Bachelors

25 %

20 %

20 %

15 %

20 %

# Experience-Aware Scoring

We optimize not just cost, but the quality of time spent.

FATIGUE & TIME

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## 🏠 Fatigue Index

- ⊖ Early departure penalty (< 6 AM)
- ⊖ Late arrival penalty (> 11 PM)
- ⊖ Excessive layover (> 4 hours)
- ⊖ Multi-stop complexity

## ⌚ Time Utilization

- ⚠ Late arrival wastes Day 1
- ⚠ Early return cuts last day
- ✅ Maximized destination hours

### Trip Option A

TRADITIONAL SEARCH

₹14,500

#### ● 05:15 Departure

Departs Origin

💤 Sleep Disrupted

#### ● 2 Layovers

6h 45m Transit Time

🛑 High Fatigue

#### ● 23:45 Arrival

Arrives Destination

🌙 Day 1 Wasted

Fatigue Score

High (85/100)

Effective Time

Lost 1 Day

### Trip Option B

AI RECOMMENDED

₹16,200 (+11%)

#### ● 09:30 Departure

Departs Origin

☕ Rested Start

#### ● 1 Layover

1h 30m Transit Time

⚡ Efficient

#### ● 16:15 Arrival

Arrives Destination

🌆 Evening Enjoyed

Fatigue Score

Low (20/100)

Effective Time

+5 Hours Gained

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# Beyond 'Within Budget'

Strict budget filters often hide the best value. We analyze the elasticity.

BUDGET ELASTICITY

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## \$ Elastic Search

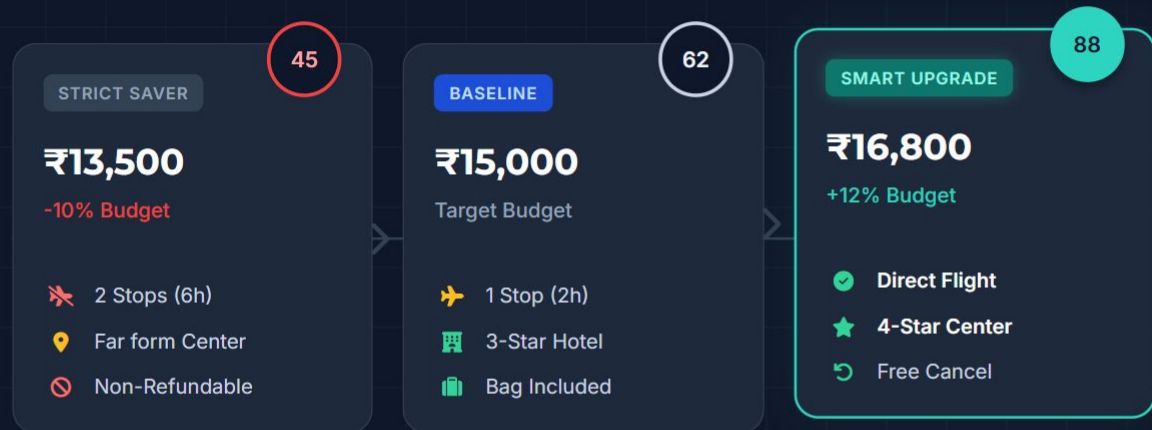
Instead of a hard ceiling, our engine queries  $\pm 10\%$  around the user's budget to find non-linear value jumps.

## Trade-off Analysis

We calculate the "Cost of Comfort" ratio to determine if a small price increase yields a disproportionate quality improvement.

**+35%**

AVG. COMFORT GAIN



### AI VALUE INSIGHT

"For ₹1,800 more, the Smart Upgrade improves Comfort by 26% and reduces Total Travel Time by 4 hours."

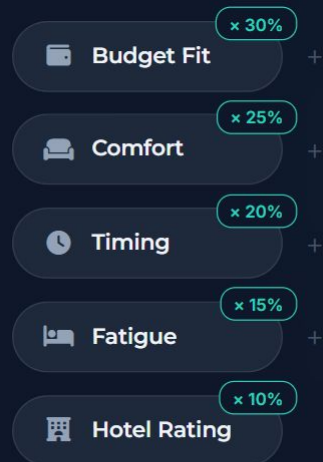
# Confidence Score

A transparent, weighted scoring model. No black-box decisions.

RISK TRANSPARENCY

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## Scoring Logic Flow



TOTAL CONFIDENCE SCORE

92%

## Trip Risk Summary

Analysis for Trip Option #1

92



BUDGET

Within optimal range (-5%)



POLICY

Fully Refundable Hotel



TIMING

Early Return Flight (06:15 AM)



TRANSIT

Safe Connection Time (2h 10m)

Transparent AI



# Eliminating Analysis Paralysis

DECISION SIMPLIFIER

We guide the user with 4 clear, data-backed decision paths.

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TRADITIONAL SEARCH

**142** Result Rows

Requires mental filtering & manual comparison.



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**4** Distinct Choices

Curated sets based on dominant scoring factors.

Instead of showing a paginated list of products, we present **complete trip solutions** tagged by their strongest attribute.



MOST RELIABLE

## Safest Overall

Prioritizes refundability, high-rated hotels, and flights with >98% on-time performance.

↻ Refundable

🕒 On-Time



SMARTEST BUY

## Best Value

The highest "Comfort per Rupee" ratio. Slightly higher cost than the cheapest option, but significantly better experience.

📊 ROI Optimized

★ 3.5+ Stars



LOWEST FATIGUE

## Most Comfortable

Optimizes for legroom, direct flights, and 4-star+ hotels near the city center. Minimizes transit fatigue.

✈ Direct

🛏 Low Fatigue



TOP EXPERIENCE

## Premium Choice

Disregards strict budget constraints to offer the absolute best available flight and hotel combination.

★ 5-Star

👑 Luxury

# Built for Feasibility

A lean, scalable architecture leveraging modern standards.

TECHNICAL STACK

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## Pure Orchestration

We don't store inventory. The system acts as an intelligence layer on top of existing TBO data streams.

## No Infrastructure


Serverless architecture ensures zero maintenance and instant scaling during high traffic spikes.

## API Native


Built specifically to consume TBO Air & Hotel JSON responses without transformation overhead.



### FRONTEND


 React 19 (RC)


 Next.js 16

 Tailwind CSS



### ORCHESTRATOR

 Node.js API Routes

 Scoring Engine

 Serverless Edge




### DATA & APIS

Primary Inventory Source

TBO Air API



TBO Hotel API v2.1 

Auth / Token



JSON Response

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# Why This **Stands Apart**

Moving from data fragmentation to intelligent orchestration.

DIFFERENTIATION

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## Traditional Travel Platforms

- ✗ **Product-First:** Shows lists of flights/hotels separately
- ✗ **Filter-Heavy:** User must manually filter 100+ options
- ✗ **Disconnected:** No link between flight times & hotel check-in
- ✗ **Blind Budgeting:** Strict price caps hide value trade-offs
- ✗ **Zero Intelligence:** "Here is the data, you figure it out"

VS

## **TBO OneSearch**

- ✓ **Recommendation-First:** Shows complete, viable trips
- ✓ **Orchestrated:** AI handles connection logic & timing
- ✓ **Persona-Aware:** Weighs fatigue vs. cost dynamically
- ✓ **Elastic Budgeting:** Finds better value just outside range
- ✓ **Risk Transparent:** Scores confidence & explains "Why"

**"This is not just a search engine.  
It is a **Trip Decision Intelligence Layer.**"**



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# Thank You

Turning fragmented travel data into **confident trip decisions** through intelligent orchestration.