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Evaluation

Performance Indicator	Max. Marks	Marks Obtained
Completeness	5	5
Demonstrated Knowledge	3	3
Legibility	2	2
Total	10	10

Performance Indicator	Exceed Expectations (EE)	Meet Expectations (ME)	Below Expectations (BE)
Completeness	5	3-4	1-2
Demonstrated Knowledge	3	2	1
Legibility	2	1	0

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WC Assignment 5

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1. Create a simple Express application that integrates with React to display a list of items fetch from a server. Describe the steps involved and provide code snippets.

Ans

Steps involved :- I] Setup Express Backend

1. Create a new folder express-react-app and inside it create a folder server

2. Initialize Node.js and install Express :

```
cd server
```

```
npm init -y
```

```
npm install express cors
```

3. Create server.js inside server/ :

```
const express = require("express");
```

```
const cors = require("cors");
```

```
const app = express();
```

```
app.use(cors());
```

```
const items = [
```

```
{id: 1, name: "Apple"};
```

```
{id: 2, name: "Banana"};
```

```
{id: 3, name: "Orange"},
```

```
];
```

```
app.get("/api/items", (req, res) => {
```

```
  res.json(items);
```

```
});
```

```
const PORT = 5000;
```

```
app.listen(PORT, () => console.log('Server running on http://localhost: ${PORT}'));
```

4. Run server

```
node server.js
```


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Q1] Setup React Frontend

1. In the root folder, create react app:

```
npx create-react-app client
```

```
cd client
```

```
npm start
```

2. Inside client/src/App.js fetch from Express Backend

```
import React, {useEffect, useState} from "react";  
function App() {
```

```
  const [items, setItems] = useState([]);  
  useEffect(() => {
```

```
    fetch("http://localhost:5000/api/items")  
    .then((res) => res.json())
```

```
    .then((data) => setItems(data));  
  }, []);
```

```
  return (
```

```
    <div style={{padding: "20px"}} >
```

```
      <h1> Items List </h1>
```

```
      <ul>
```

```
        {items.map((item) => (
```

```
          <li key={item.id}> {item.name} </li>  
        ) )}
```

```
      </ul>
```

```
    </div>
```

```
  );
```

```
}
```

```
export default App;
```

3. Start the React frontend with
npm start.

Vip Q. 2.

Apply Express Router to organize route handling in a Node.js application by creating a modular structure. Implement a simple example to demonstrate how express router improves code organization.

Ans

I] Project setup:

mkdir express-router-example

cd express-router-example

npm init -y

npm install express

II] create Modular Routes

• server.js (Main entry file)

```
const express = require("express");
```

```
const app = express();
```

```
const itemRoutes = require("./routes/items");
```

```
app.use("/api/items", itemRoutes);
```

```
const PORT = 5000;
```

```
app.listen(PORT, () => console.log('Server running on http://localhost:${PORT}'));
```

• routes/item.js

```
const express = require("express");
```

```
const router = express.Router();
```

```
let items = [
```

```
{id: 1, name: "Apple"},
```

```
{id: 2, name: "Banana"},
```

```
];
```

```
router.get("/", (req, res) => {
```

```
  res.json(items);
```

```
});
```

```
router.get("/:id", (req, res) => {
```

```
  const item = items.find(i => i.id === parseInt(req.params.id));
```



```
if (!item) return res.status(404).json({message: "Item not found"});  
res.json(item);  
});  
router.post("/", express.json(), (req, res) => {  
  const newItem = {  
    id: items.length + 1,  
    name: req.body.name,  
  };  
  items.push(newItem);  
  res.status(201).json(newItem);  
});
```

```
module.exports = router;
```

III] Run Server

```
node server.js
```

IV] Test Routes

- GET `http://localhost:5000/api/items` → list of items
- GET `http://localhost:5000/api/items/1` → {id:1, name: "Apple"}
- POST `http://localhost:5000/api/items` with JSON body {"name": "Orange"} → adds new item

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You are developing a login system in an express application. After a user successfully logs in, you need to store their username in a cookie that should only be accessible via HTTP (not javascript) and should expire after 1 minute. Write the express route that sets this cookie and another route that reads and displays the username from the cookie.

ans

```
const express = require("express");
const cookieParser = require("cookie-parser");
const app = express();
app.use(express.json());
app.use(cookieParser());
app.post("/login", (req, res) => {
  const {username} = req.body;
  res.cookie("username", username, {
    httpOnly: true,
    maxAge: 60 * 1000,
  });
  res.send("login successful, cookie set!");
});
app.get("/profile", (req, res) => {
  const username = req.cookies.username;
  if (username) {
    res.send(`Welcome back, ${username}`);
  } else {
    res.send("No user logged in or cookie expired.");
  }
});
app.listen(5000, () => console.log("Server running on http://localhost:5000"));
```


Q.4. You are building a web application where users can view a list of products. Apply your understanding of REST APIs by creating an Express route that handles an HTTP GET request at /products and returns a sample JSON array of products. Show the code snippet for the route.

Ans

```
const express = require("express");
const app = express();
app.get("/products", (req, res) => {
  const products = [
    {id: 1, name: "Laptop", price: 50000},
    {id: 2, name: "Phone", price: 20000},
    {id: 3, name: "Headphones", price: 3000},
  ];
  res.json(products);
});
app.listen(5000, () => console.log("Server running on http://localhost:5000"));
```