

A solution by group **D** 



# severity



#### 1 in 5 Singaporeans

are 65 and older. This greatly increases the prevalence of age-related eye diseases.



# Eye diseases increase fifteen-fold

for Singaporeans aged 50 to 80 and above.

Source: Academy of Medicine, Singapore

Source: Singapore National Eye Care

# persona



Thomas and Rachel

- Visually impaired elderly couple.
- Difficulty finding daily essentials at home.
- Don't want to bother people they know.

# **current solution**



BeMyEyes is an app that allows those that are visually-impaired to video-call volunteers around the world for assistance









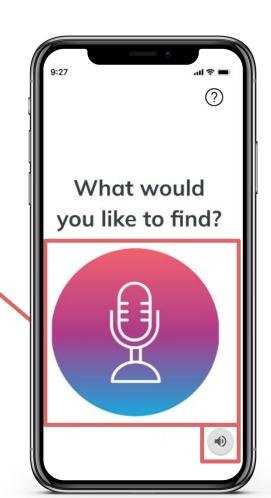
issues

# This is where we come in.

#### Home page

To make it **easy to use**, users would be able to **touch and hold anywhere** on the bottom of screen to begin

To hear instructions on how to use the app, users can **double tap anywhere** on the screen.



#### **Voice Detection**

It would be able to **recognize** the user's voice commands to find their desired item.



#### Verification

Al **voices out** the user's commands for verification

Commands: Yes/Repeat/No



#### **Voicing Directions**

Voice out commands to move.

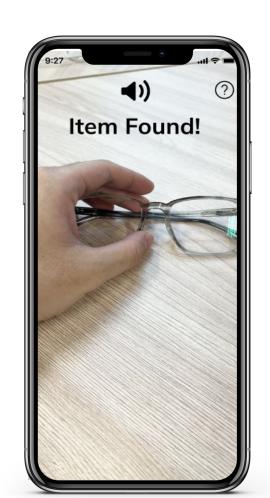
- < 15cm → slightly towards
- < 50 cm → move an arm's length

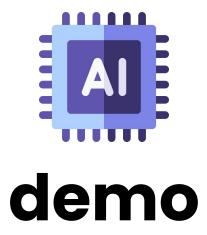


#### **Item Found!**

Once user's hand makes contact with the object, the app will voice out: "Item Found!"

The user will then be brought back to the home page.





# prototype technology



Features	Technologies
Hand and Finger Tracking	Google's Mediapipe
Object Detection	Pre-trained model: Scaled YOLOv4
Speech to Text	Google Speech Recognition API
Text to Speech	Python Audio modules
Wireframe	Figma

## challenges

 Conveying specific moves to find the object is hard, as we have to find familiar size categories for various ranges of lengths. (e.g. an arm's length)

Integrating the different elements of the product together.

Uncertainty in using a pre-built model or to train a model using imported data

## what's next?

- Use of Amazon S3 to store personalized images
- Amazon Sagemaker to train on these personalized images
- Improvements to the AI, such as adding depth estimation
- React Native for application development
- More commands such as reading text, checking expire date, differentiating colors.



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