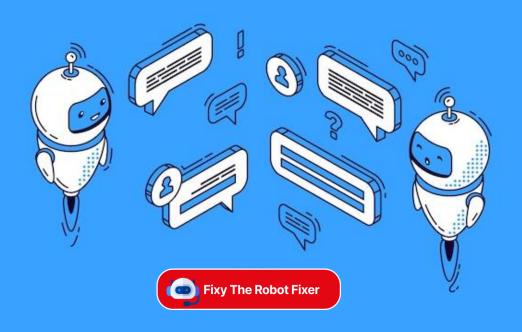
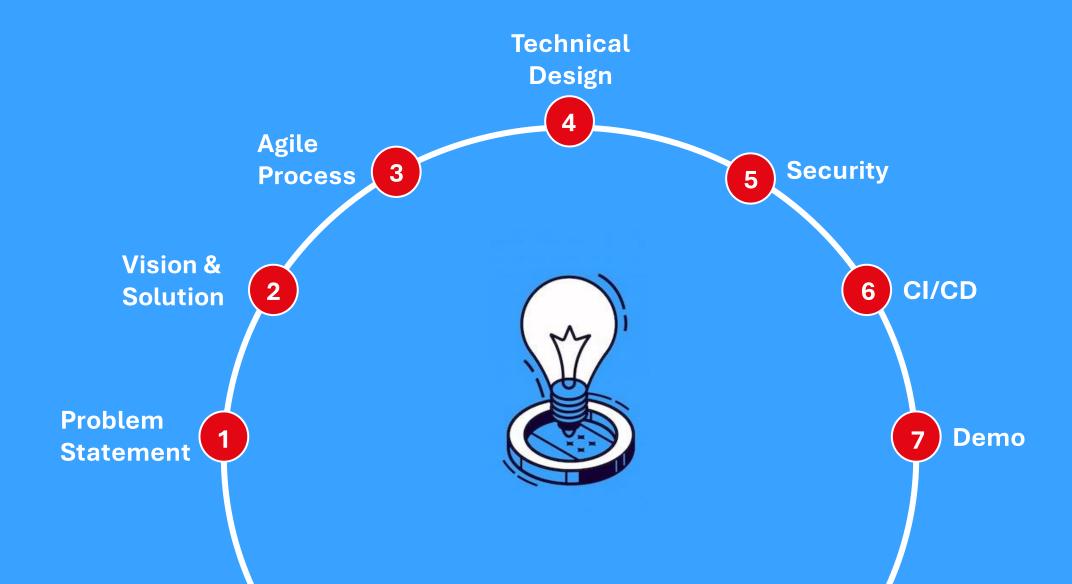
# Centralized Ticketing System for OCBC



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## Content.



## **Problem Statement**

Bank expansion and hybrid work adoption create increased IT support demands

Fragmented IT support system causes delays in issue resolution



**Long wait times (48-72 hours)** due to multiple disconnected support channels.

## **Repetitive IT requests**

(e.g., password resets, software installations) overwhelm support staff

Employee satisfaction
with IT support dropped
by 25%, leading to low
morale

## Vision

Enhance employee productivity and IT efficiency with an AI-powered ticketing system that automates issue resolution, improves response times, and ensures security

## Solution / Outcome

#### 1. Centralized ticketing system

- With AI-powered chatbot to streamline IT support and improve user experience

#### 2. Automate simple issue resolution

- By enabling the AI chatbot to handle common IT requests, reducing dependency on human support staff

## 3. Automate ticket categorisation and prioritisation

- To ensure critical issues receive faster attention and reducing resolution time

## 4. Integrate with Microsoft Teams and collaboration tools

- For seamless real-time support and efficient communication

## 5. Adopt microservices architecture

- To enhance system scalability, security, and performance, ensuring seamless integration with banking infrastructure

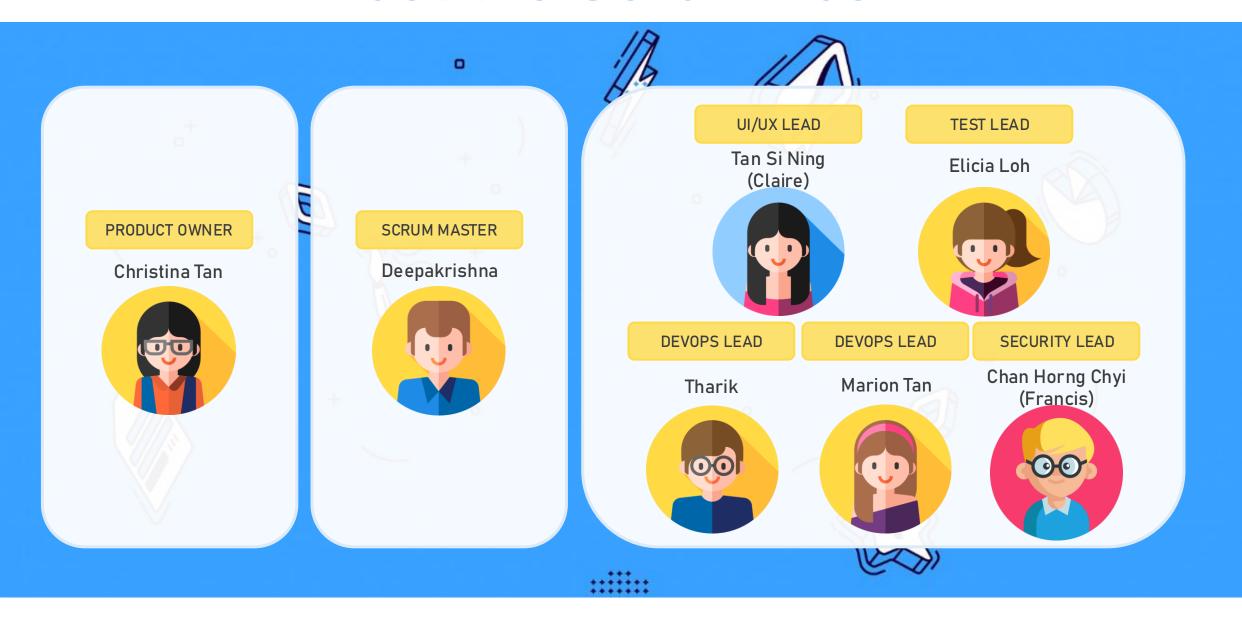
#### 6. Enable continuous monitoring and analytics

- To track IT support trends, optimize chatbot performance, and enhance overall IT efficiency

# Our Agille Journey



## Meet the Scrum Team



## The Scrum Team in Action

## 8 Epics:

Al Chatbot Ticket Creation Ticket Management Ticket Tracking

Dashboard Enhance Search Function Multi-Channel Integration Notifications

Total User Stories:

49





## Sprint 0

## **Key Objective:**

Set up required IT infrastructure

<u>User Stories:</u>



## Sprint 1

## Key Objective:

To integrate the chatbot's core functionality into the staff portal

<u>User Stories:</u> 13



## Sprint 2

## **Key Objective:**

To develop a ticketing system dashboard for IT to view and update assigned tickets

User Stories: 10



**Total Story Points:** 

**153** 



## Sprint 3

## Key Objective:

To allow users to escalate tickets and track ticket statuses

<u>User Stories:</u>

9



## Sprint 4

## **Key Objective:**

To implement search function for IT support staff and artifact upload during ticket creation for users

**User Stories**:

9



## Sprint 5

## **Key Objective**:

To implement notification system for users and IT support staff, and multichannel integration

**User Stories**:

8

**Average Sprint Velocity:** 

30

## **Summary of Sprints Burndown**

	Iteration 1	Iteration 2	Iteration 3	Iteration 4	Iteration 5
Storypoints at the start of iteration	153	120	90	60	30
Completed during iteration	33	30	30	30	30
Changed estimates	0	0	0	0	0
Storypoints from new stories	0	0	0	0	0
Storypoints at end	120	90	60	30	0

## **Steady Progress:**

The team's commitment and collaboration are evident in the burndown chart, which steadily declines over five sprints, **closely mirroring the ideal burn rate**.

#### **Predictable Burn Rate:**

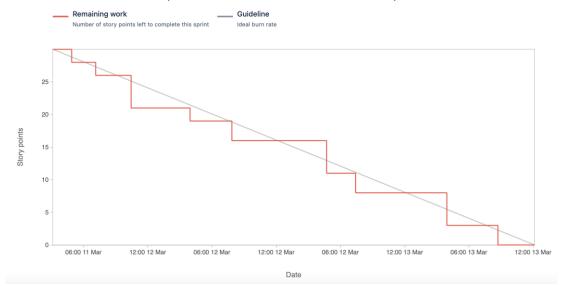
The team consistently delivers on their commitments, **maintaining a reliable pace**. Their steady performance showcases not just technical efficiency but also strong teamwork and clear communication.

## **Completion of All Stories:**

At the end of the 5th sprint, the team celebrates a significant achievement— **every story has been completed!** This milestone reflects their dedication and ability to stay on track despite the tight deadlines.

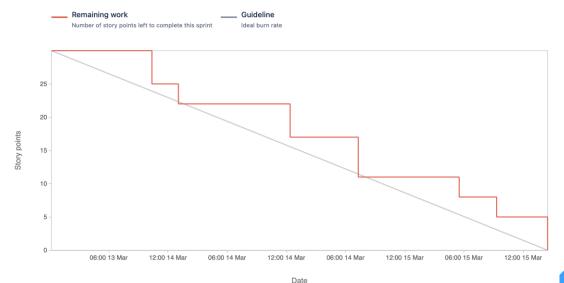
## **Sprint 3 Burndown chart**

(March 11th, 2025 - March 13th, 2025)



## **Sprint 4 Burndown chart**

(March 13th, 2025 - March 15th, 2025)



## **Sprint Retrospective**

## What can be better?

## What went well?

## "The sprint planning was clear and efficient"

- It helps clarify priorities, responsibilities, and expectations, streamlining sprint execution.

## "We effectively collaborated as team"

- The team appreciated smooth communication, strong engagement, and effective knowledge sharing.

#### "We met our sprint goals"

- The team remained focused and productive, successfully achieving the goals set at the start of the sprint.

## "Address blockers or dependencies earlier"

- Sooner the identification and resolution of blockers and dependencies would maintain the momentum of the team and avoidance of delay.

#### "Improve test practices"

- The need to refine testing practices such as increasing test coverage, automating tests, and conducting earlier validations to catch issues sooner.



## What should we try doing next?

## "Prioritise resolving technical debt"

- Allocate time to the next sprint to address technical debt such as outdated code or shortcuts, improve code quality and maintainability.

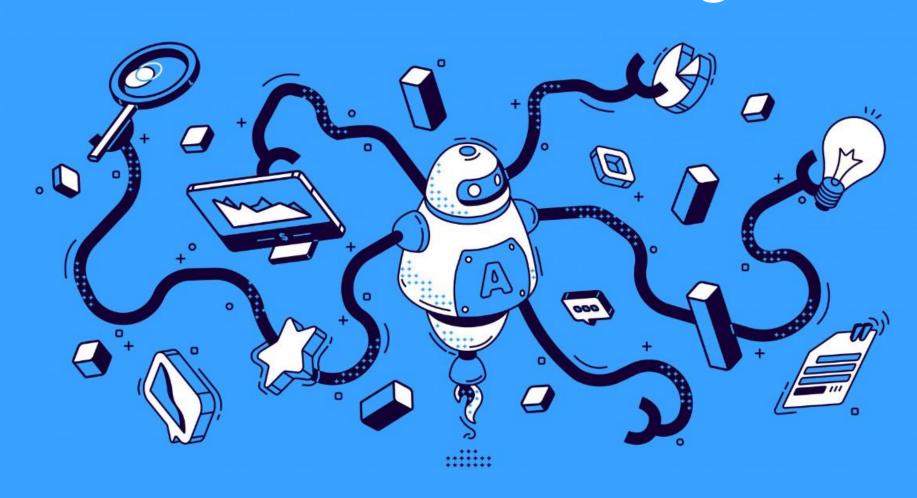
## "Experiment with new tools for improved version control practices"

- Explore better branching strategies, stricter commit conventions and tools like Git hooks to streamline collaboration and reduce merge conflicts.

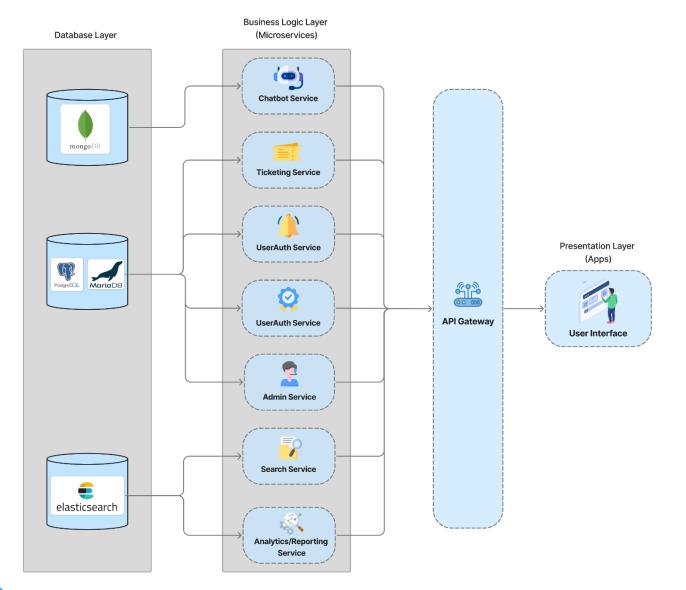
#### "Refine our Definition of Done"

- Expand the definition to ensure consistency in task completion and quality standard across the sprint.

# Technical Design



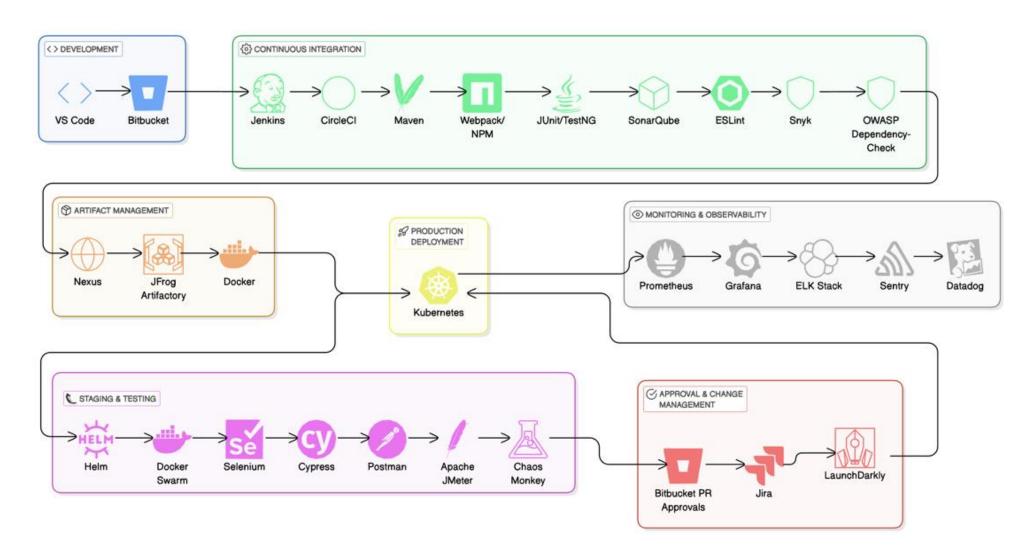
## **Technical Architecture:**





- Modularity & Maintainability
- Scalability
- Technology Flexibility
- Fault Isolation
- Independent Deployment & CI/CD

## Software Development & Deployment Workflow



# Security



## Centralized Ticketing System Security Considerations

#### Confidentiality

## **Objectives/ Requirements**

Protect sensitive financial data, customer information and internal banking operations from unauthorized access

#### **Risks**

Unauthorized access to sensitive bank information via <u>API</u> interceptions, phishing attacks and insider threats targeting our services such as Admin and UserAuth

## **Mitigations**

- Implement robust end-to-end encryption protocols (i.e. TLS 1.3) for secure communications
   Strict enforcement of RBAC and
- Strict enforcement of RBAC and MFA for all users to counter phishing & social engineering defense
- Use RBAC to restrict admin and IT staff access based on job roles or PAM (implement JIT access for IT staff to reduce exposure

## Integrity

Ensure trustworthiness and accuracy of ticketing records, financial transactions and notification logs

Data tampering of ticketing records, admin settings, and notification logs. Threats may include <u>SQL injection and unauthorized modifications to APIs</u>

- Deploy Web Application
   Firewall (WAF) to inspect and block malicious SQL injection attempts in real time
- Database Hardening by following MAS TRM guidelines to enforce least privilege access, strong authentication and encryption for stored data
- Use OAuth 2.0 for strong authentication of API requests and enforce RBAC

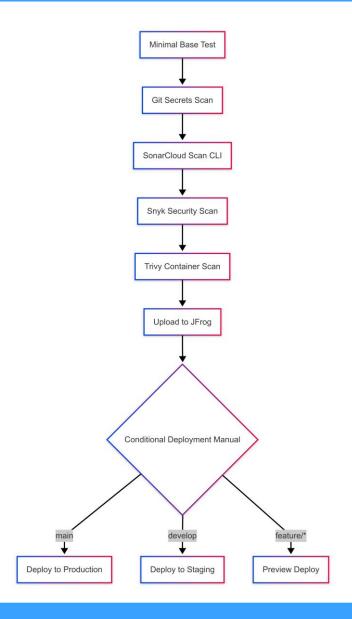
## **Availability**

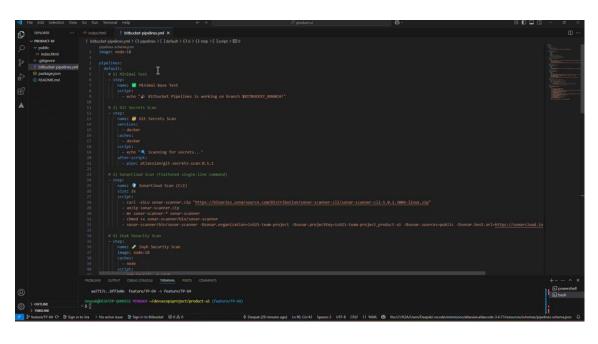
Ticketing System and Dashboard must remain accessible and functional at all times

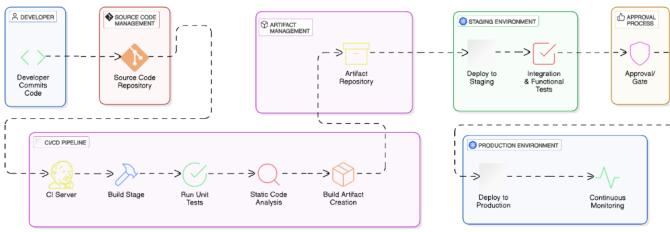
DDoS attacks, Ransomware, and hardware failures disrupting critical banking services and our centralized ticketing system

- Use load balancers to distribute traffic across DC with anti-DDoS protections to prevent service disruptions
- Implement 3-2-1 backup strategy (3 copies of data, 2 diff. storage media, one at offsite)
- Implement HA infrastructure and failover strategies to maintain network and system uptime

# CI/CD Demo

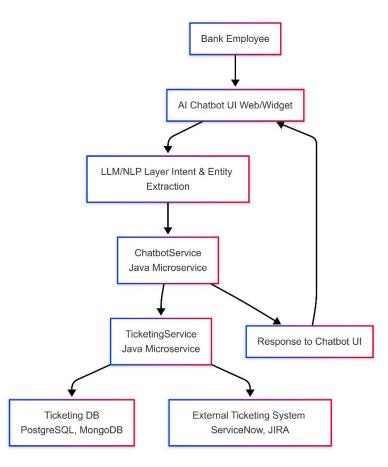


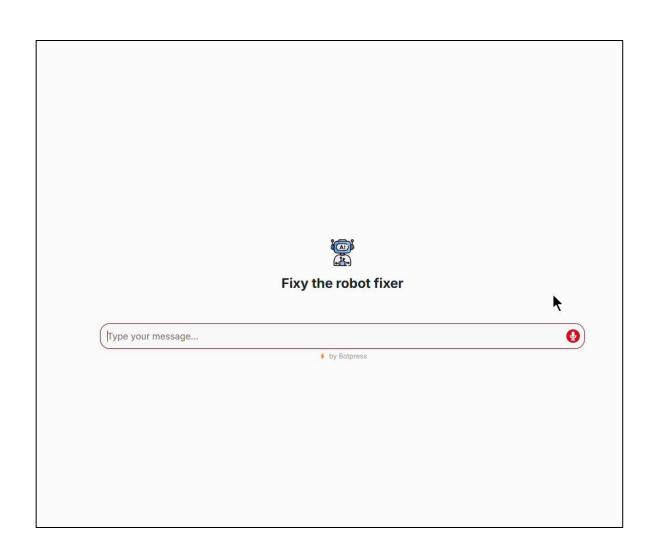




## Prototype

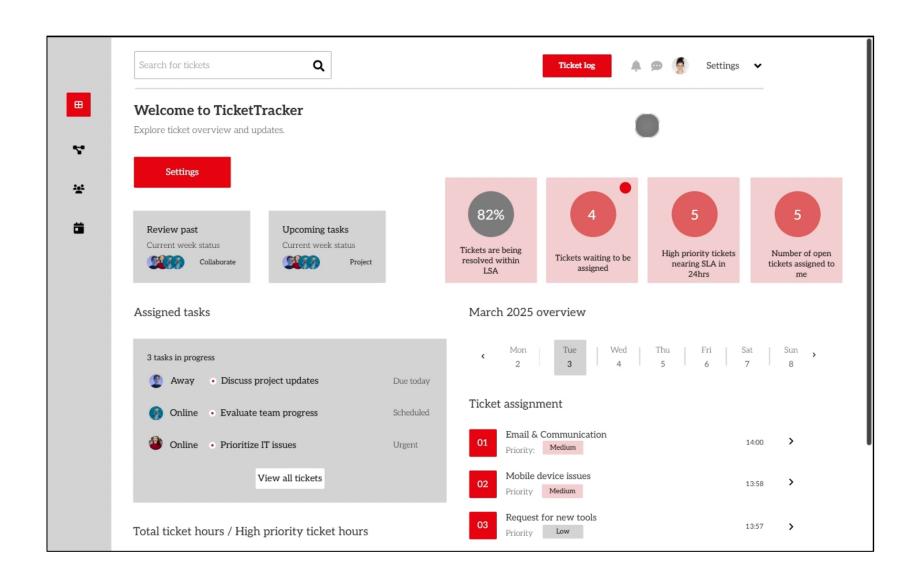
#### Chatbot





## Prototype

#### **Dashboard**



# Thank you!

