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CE268(Project 2) Abstract

ABSTRACT

Apni Ricksha is an online rickshaw booking platform designed to help local rickshaw drivers digitalize their services and efficiently manage their rides. Built using web technologies, the platform provides users with seamless experience for booking rickshaws, viewing fare estimates, and providing feedback. Drivers can manage their availability, accept ride requests, and update their status through a simple interface. Although real-time tracking and online payments are not currently implemented, the system is designed to be scalable for future enhancements.

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CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 PROJECT DEFINATION

Apni Ricksha is a web application designed to simplify the process of booking rickshaws for residents, especially students in Changa. The application allows users to book a rickshaw by simply entering their ride details, such as the pickup and drop locations. Once the details are entered, users receive fare estimates and can submit feedback about the ride. The platform provides an easy-to-use interface for passengers to access rickshaw services, making local travel more convenient and efficient. Drivers can manage their availability and accept ride requests through a simple dashboard. Apni Ricksha aims to bridge the gap between passengers and local rickshaw drivers, offering a seamless and accessible ride-booking solution.

1.2 OBJECTIVE

- To provide an **easy** and **efficient** platform for **students** and **local residents** in **Changa** to **book rickshaws** online.
- To offer a **user-friendly interface** for both **passengers** and **drivers** to manage **bookings** and **availability**.
- To provide fare estimates before booking to ensure transparency and convenience for users.
- To simplify the **ride booking process** by allowing users to submit their **pickup** and **drop-off locations** via a simple form.
- To gather and display **user feedback** to ensure **service quality** and enhance the overall **user experience**.
- To enable drivers to manage their ride requests and availability with a simple dashboard.

1.3 TOOLS & TECHNOLOGIES

Frontend Technologies:

- **HTML**, **CSS**, **Bootstrap** For structuring and styling the website.
- **JavaScript** For adding interactivity and managing frontend logic.
- **React.js** For building a dynamic and responsive user interface.

Backend Technologies:

- **PHP** For server-side execution and handling requests.
- MySQL For managing and storing database records.

Database:

• MySQL – For storing user and ride data.

Additional Tools:

- **XAMPP** For local server hosting and database management.
- **VS Code** For code development and debugging.
- **GitHub** For version control and collaboration.

CE268 Project 2 Description

CHAPTER 2: DESCRIPTION

- Apni Ricksha is an easy-to-use web application designed to help students and local residents in Changa easily book rickshaws online.
- Users need to fill in basic ride details like **pickup** and **drop-off locations**, allowing them to easily book a **rickshaw**.
- The platform provides fare estimates before booking, ensuring transparency and convenience for the users.
- **Feedback** can be submitted by users to help improve the service and maintain **quality** control.
- **Drivers** can manage their **availability** and accept **ride requests** through a simple, user-friendly **dashboard**.
- The platform is designed to be **mobile-friendly**, making it accessible on both smartphones and computers.
- **Data security** is ensured as users are required to **create an account** and set a **password** to access their ride details and feedback.
- While **real-time tracking** and **online payments** are not yet implemented, the system is **scalable** for future enhancements.

CHAPTER 3: SOFTWARE & HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

3.1 SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

Frontend Technologies:

- **HTML**, **CSS**, **Bootstrap** Used for structuring and styling the web pages.
- **JavaScript** Handles client-side logic and interactivity.
- **React.js** For building a dynamic and responsive user interface.

Backend Technologies:

• **MongoDB** – For managing and storing database records.

Database:

• MongoDB – A relational database to store user, ride, and driver details.

Development Tools:

- Visual Studio Code (VS Code) The primary IDE for writing and debugging code.
- **GitHub** For version control and collaborative development.

3.2 HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

Development Environment (Minimum Requirements):

• **Processor**: Intel Core i3 (or equivalent)

• **RAM**: 8 GB

• Storage: 256 GB HDD/SSD

• **Operating System:** Windows 10 / macOS / Linux

• **Internet Connection**: Required for accessing external APIs, cloud services, and testing the app.

Deployment Environment (Recommended Requirements):

• **Processor**: Intel Core i5 or higher (or equivalent)

• **RAM**: 16 GB for better performance and scalability

• Storage: 512 GB SSD for faster data processing

• Operating System: Linux (Ubuntu) / Windows Server

• **Hosting**: Cloud hosting (AWS, Firebase, or Digital Ocean)

• Database Server: Cloud-based MySQL or self-hosted MySQL server

CHAPTER 4: MAJOR FUNCTIONALITY

4.1 DATABASE

1. Users Collection

- Stores passenger details, login credentials, and ride history.
- **Fields**: user id, name, email, password (hashed), address, phone, ride history.

2. Drivers Collection

- Maintains driver details, availability, and ride requests.
- **Fields**: driver_id, name, email, phone, vehicle_info, availability_status, ride_requests.

3. Rides Collection

- Manages active and past rides requested by passengers.
- **Fields**: ride_id, user_id, driver_id, pickup_location, drop_location, fare, status, timestamp.

4. Payments Collection

- Stores **transaction details** for payments made through the platform.
- **Fields**: payment_id, ride_id, user_id, amount, payment_method, payment_status, timestamp.

5. Feedback Collection

- Stores **user feedback** for drivers and ride quality.
- **Fields**: feedback_id, user_id, driver_id, rating, comment, timestamp.

6. Admin Collection

- Contains **admin credentials** and **control parameters** for managing the system.
- **Fields**: admin_id, email, password (hashed), role.

4.2 HOW TO USE THE Mobile Web?

For Passengers (Booking Rides)

1. Sign Up / Log In

- o New users can sign up using their email and password.
- o Existing users can log in to access their account and ride history.

2. Browse Available Rickshaws

- o The homepage displays a list of available drivers.
- o Users can select a driver based on location and availability.

3. Enter Ride Details

o Users can input pickup and drop-off locations to get a fare estimate.

4. Book a Ride

- o After confirming the details, users **book a rickshaw** for the ride.
- o They can also view **estimated fare** before finalizing the booking.

5. Make Payment

o Payments can be made securely through **UPI**, **credit/debit cards**, or **digital wallets**.

6. Track the Ride

- o Once the ride is booked, passengers can **track the ride status** in real-time.
- o Updates include Ride Confirmed, Driver on the Way, Ride in Progress, Ride Completed.

7. Rate & Review

o After the ride is completed, passengers can **rate the driver** and provide **feedback** on the experience.

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CHAPTER 5: FLOW CHART

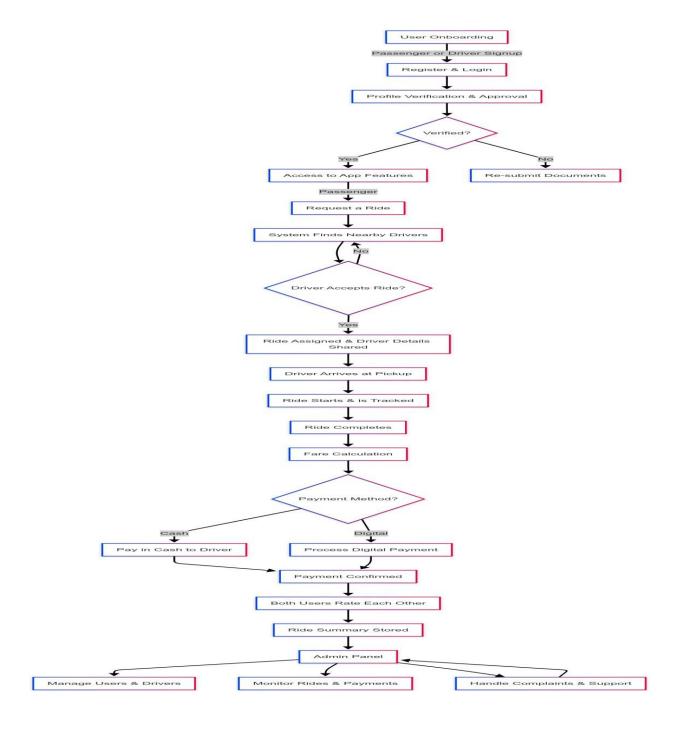


Fig 5.1 Flow Chart

CHAPTER 6: SCREENSHOTS

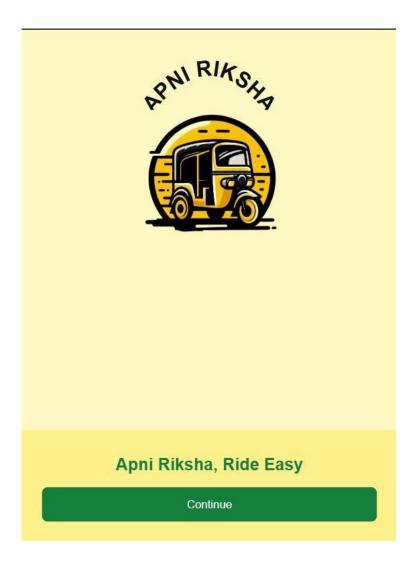
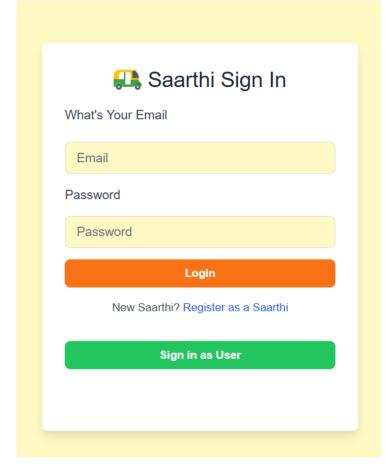


Fig 6.1 Front Page



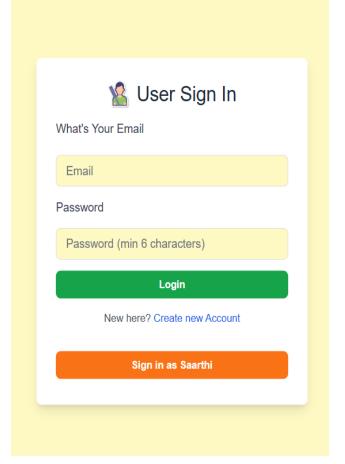
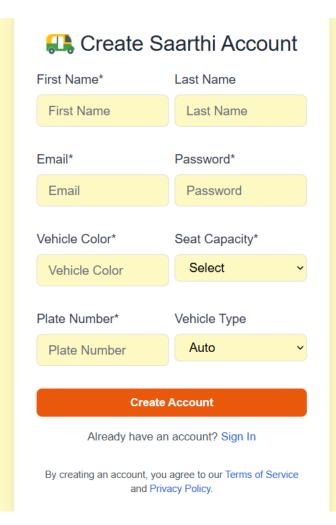


Fig 6.2 Login Page



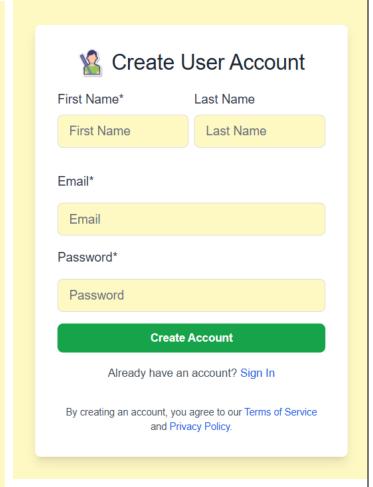


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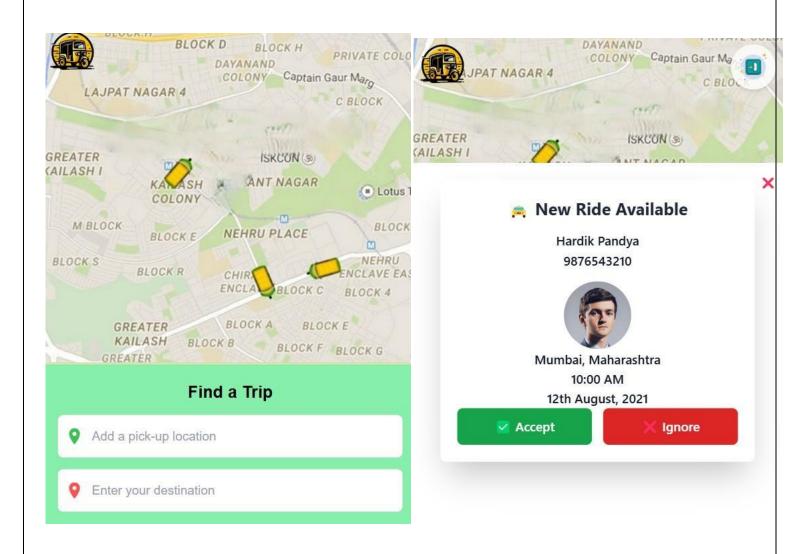
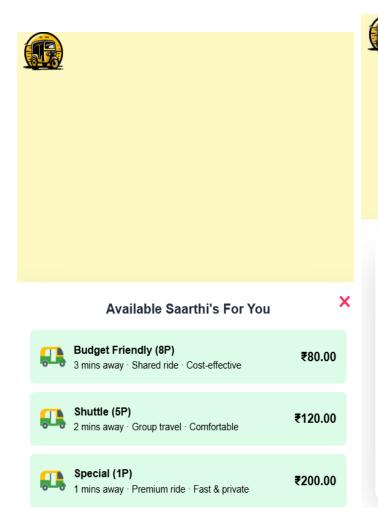


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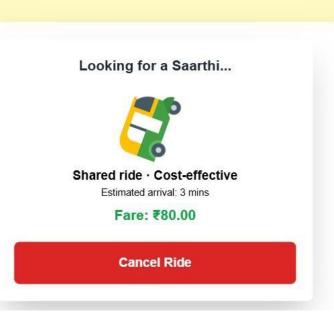


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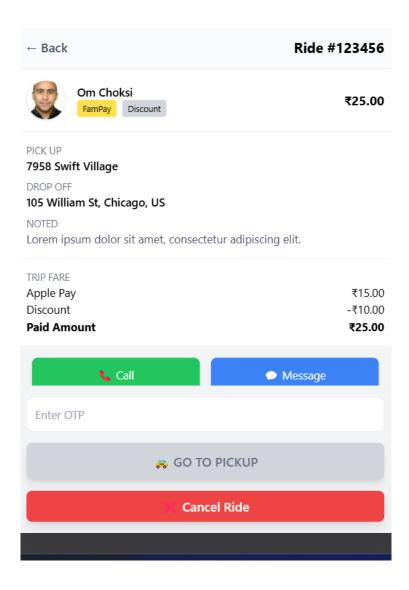


Fig 6.5 OTP Page

CHAPTER 7: LIMITATIONS

Limitations of Apni Ricksha

- **Limited Driver Availability** Currently, the platform supports only a few local rickshaw drivers, which may restrict ride options.
- **No Real-Time GPS Tracking** Users cannot track the rickshaw's exact location in real time, which may reduce transparency and convenience.
- **Basic UI/UX** The interface is functional but lacks advanced design features that could enhance the user experience.
- **No Multi-Driver Management** The system does not allow multiple drivers to operate from a shared account, limiting flexibility for fleet management.
- **No Customer Support Chat** Users cannot chat with support directly from the platform, which may cause delays in issue resolution.

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CHAPTER 8: OUTCOMES

- **Developing a Responsive Web Application** Learned how to make a website compatible with different devices for a seamless user experience.
- Implementing User Authentication Gained experience in creating a secure Login and Logout system for passengers and drivers.
- **Enhancing Data Security** Understood how to **encrypt passwords** and protect user credentials for privacy.
- **Implementing Fare Estimation** Learned how to calculate and display estimated fares before booking a ride.
- Managing Ride Requests Gained insights into handling ride bookings and driver availability efficiently.

CHAPTER 9: FUTURE ENHANCEMENT

- 1. **Real-Time Tracking** Implementing GPS-based tracking to allow users to monitor the exact location of their booked rickshaw in real time.
- 2. **AI-Based Recommendation** Using artificial intelligence to suggest the nearest available rickshaw based on user preferences and demand patterns.
- 3. **Multi-Driver Support** Enabling multiple drivers to manage bookings from a shared account for better fleet management.
- 4. **Loyalty and Rewards** Introducing a rewards program where frequent users can earn discounts or free rides.
- 5. **Customer Support Chatbot** Integrating an AI-based chatbot to assist users with queries and complaints instantly.
- 6. **Scheduled Rides** Allowing users to pre-book rickshaws for a specific date and time to ensure availability.
- 7. **Mobile App Development** Expanding Apni Ricksha into a dedicated mobile application for Android and iOS to improve accessibility and user experience.

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