

ABSTRACT

The Student Performance Analyzer is a Python-based web application designed to address the challenges of manual grading and lack of visual insights in traditional report cards. Built using Streamlit, Pandas, and Matplotlib, this application automates the calculation of student grades, percentages, and performance metrics. It provides an interactive interface for entering student marks and generates instant, professional report cards accompanied by graphical performance analysis. This project demonstrates the practical application of Python in automating educational processes and decision-making.

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CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION

1.1 Overview

The Student Performance Analyzer is a web-based application developed to assist educational institutions and students in automating the grading process. By leveraging Python's computational power and Streamlit's interactive capabilities, the project transforms raw marks data into meaningful insights.

1.2 Problem Statement

In traditional manual systems, calculating totals, percentages, and assigning grades for multiple students is time-consuming and prone to human error. Additionally, static paper reports fail to provide a visual comparative analysis of a student's performance across different subjects.

1.3 Project Objectives

- **Automation:** To replace manual arithmetic calculations with instant, error-free automated processing.
- **Visualization:** To provide graphical representations (bar charts) that help identifying academic strengths and weaknesses instantly.
- **Accessibility:** To create a user-friendly interface that requires no technical training to use.

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CHAPTER 2: LITERATURE SURVEY

2.1 Existing Systems

Traditional methods involve:

1. **Manual Calculation:** Teachers use calculators to sum marks and determine percentages.
2. **Excel Spreadsheets:** While better than manual calculation, they often require complex formula setups and lack interactive visualizations for individual students.

2.2 Proposed System

Our proposed Student Performance Analyzer improves upon these by:

- Providing a **dedicated GUI** specifically for grading.
- **Instantly generating charts** without manual configuration.
- **Assigning grades automatically** based on pre-defined logic, eliminating lookup errors.

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CHAPTER 3: REQUIREMENT ANALYSIS AND SPECIFICATION

3.1 Hardware Requirements

To run this application efficiently, the following hardware specifications are recommended:

- **Processor:** Intel Core i3 (5th Gen) or higher / AMD Ryzen 3 or equivalent.
- **RAM:** Minimum 4GB (8GB recommended for smoother performance).
- **Storage:** At least 500MB of free disk space.
- **Display:** 1366x768 minimum resolution.

3.2 Software Requirements

- **Operating System:** Windows 10/11, macOS, or Linux distributions (Ubuntu/Fedora).
- **Programming Language:** Python 3.7 or later versions.
- **Development Environment:** Visual Studio Code (VS Code) or PyCharm.
- **Key Libraries:**
 - Streamlit: For the web application framework.
 - Pandas: For data manipulation and analysis.
 - Matplotlib: For data visualization and plotting.

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CHAPTER 4: DESIGN

4.1 System Architecture

The system follows a modular architecture where inputs flow through a processing layer before being rendered as outputs.

The screenshot shows a web application titled "Student Performance Analyzer". On the left is a sidebar with two sections: "Enter Student Details" and "Enter Marks". The "Enter Student Details" section has input fields for "Student Name" and "Roll Number". The "Enter Marks" section has a "Number of Subjects" input (set to 5) and three rows for subjects: "Subject 1" (Mathematics, 75), "Subject 2" (Data Science, 75), and "Subject 3" (English, 75). The main area on the right has a header "Student Performance Analyzer" with a subtitle "Analyze student marks, calculate grades, and visualize performance." Below this is a blue button that says "Please enter details in the sidebar and click 'Generate Report'". In the top right corner of the main area, there is a "Deploy" button and a menu icon.

- **Input Layer:** Collects Student Name, Roll No, and Subject Marks via the Sidebar.
- **Logic Layer:** Performs summation, percentage calculation, and grade logic application.
- **Presentation Layer:** Displays Metrics, Tables, and Charts to the user.

4.2 Data Flow

1. **User Input:** User enters marks for N subjects.
2. **Processing:**
 - $\text{Total} = \text{Sum}(\text{Marks})$
 - $\text{Percentage} = (\text{Total} / \text{Max_Marks}) * 100$
 - $\text{Grade} = \text{Function}(\text{Percentage})$
3. **Visualization:** Matplotlib receives subject names and marks to plot bars.
4. **Output:** Final Report Card is rendered on the screen.

CHAPTER 5: IMPLEMENTATION

5.1 Technology Stack

The project is implemented using Python, chosen for its simplicity and powerful libraries.

5.1.1 Streamlit (Frontend)

Streamlit is used to build the web interface. Functions like `st.sidebar.text_input` and `st.metric` allow for rapid UI development without HTML/CSS.

5.1.2 Pandas (Data Handling)

Pandas is used to create a DataFrame from the input marks. This allows us to easily display the data in a neat tabular format using `st.dataframe`.

5.1.3 Matplotlib (Visualization)

We use `matplotlib.pyplot` to generate the bar chart. It takes the subject names as the X-axis and marks as the Y-axis, applying distinct colors to each bar for better readability.

5.2 Core Logic Snippet

The grading logic is implemented using standard conditional statements:

```
if percentage >= 90:
    grade = "O (Outstanding)"
elif percentage >= 80:
    grade = "A+ (Excellent)"
elif percentage >= 70:
    grade = "A (Very Good)"
elif percentage >= 60:
    grade = "B (Good)"
elif percentage >= 50:
    grade = "C (Pass)"
else:
    grade = "F (Fail)"
```

CHAPTER 6: TESTING AND VALIDATION

6.1 Testing Strategy

We performed manual testing by entering various combinations of marks to ensure the system handles all edge cases correctly.

6.2 Test Cases

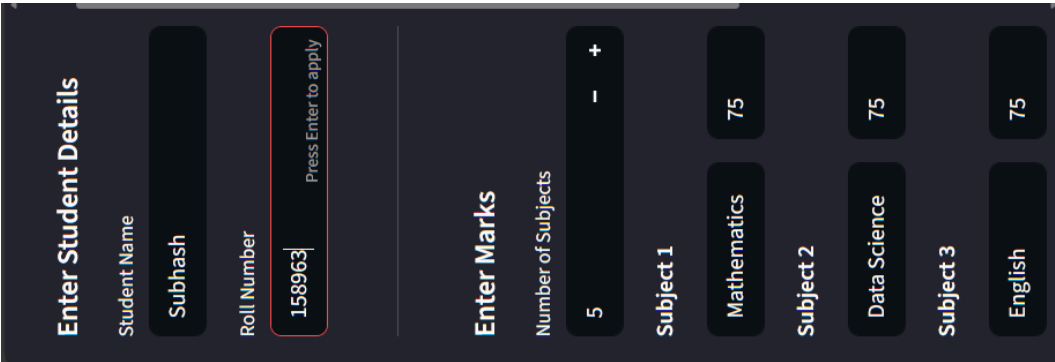
Table 6.1: Test Cases and Results for Grading System

Test Case ID	Scenario	Input Data	Expected Output	Actual Output	Status
TC-01	Max Possible Score	100 in all subjects	Grade: O, 100%	Grade: O, 100%	PASS
TC-02	Minimum Passing	50 in all subjects	Grade: C, 50%	Grade: C, 50%	PASS
TC-03	Fail Scenario	30 in all subjects	Grade: F, 30%	Grade: F, 30%	PASS
TC-04	Mixed Performance	90, 80, 70, 60, 50	Grade: A, 70%	Grade: A, 70%	PASS

CHAPTER 7: RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

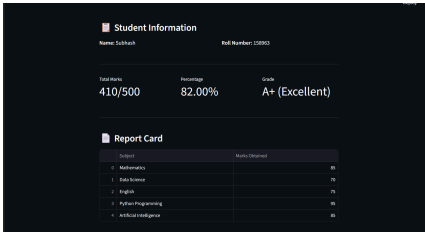
7.1 Input Interface

The application provides a clean sidebar for inputs. Users can dynamically select the number of subjects (1-10), and the form adjusts automatically.



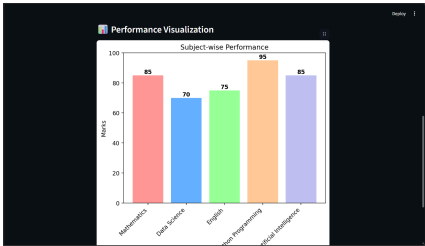
7.2 Report Generation

Upon clicking "Generate Report", the system displays the student's details, total marks, calculated percentage, and the final grade in a prominent metric style.



7.3 Visualization Output

A color-coded bar chart is generated to visually represent performance. This allows for instant comparison between subjects.



CHAPTER 8: CONCLUSION

8.1 Conclusion

The Student Performance Analyzer project successfully demonstrates how Python can be used to automate and simplify educational tasks. By creating a tool that combines calculation, reporting, and visualization, we have addressed the limitations of manual grading. The project meets all defined objectives and provides a robust foundation for further development.

8.2 Future Enhancements

- **Database Connectivity:** Integrating SQLite or MySQL to store student records permanently.
- **PDF Export:** Adding a feature to download the generated report as a PDF file.
- **Multi-User Support:** Implementing login functionality for different teachers.
- **Batch Processing:** Allow uploading CSV files with multiple students' marks.
- **Performance Analytics:** Generate class-level analytics and trends.

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