Assignment 15.4

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TASK- 1:

Prompt:
"Using AI assistance, generate a basic Flask backend application.
Requirements:

- Install Flask.
- Create a Python server with a single endpoint /.
- The endpoint should return a JSON response:
  { "message": "Welcome to AI-assisted API" }
- The app should run in debug mode on http://127.0.0.1:5000/.

CODE :

```
# Import the required libraries
from flask import Flask, jsonify
# Create a Flask application instance
app = Flask(__name__)
# Define a single route (endpoint)
@app.route('/')
def home():
    # Return a JSON response
    return jsonify({"message": "Welcome to AI-assisted API"})
# Run the Flask application
if __name___== "__main__":
    app.run(debug=True)
```

OUTPUT :

{"message": "Welcome to AI-assisted API"}

EXPLANATION:

 Import Flask and jsonify – brings in the tools needed to create a web app and send JSON data.

 Create an app using app = Flask(__name__) – this starts your Flask application.

 Define a route with @app.route('/') – this tells Flask what to do when someone visits the home URL (/).

 Create a function home() – it runs when you open the URL.

 Return a JSON message using jsonify({"message": "Welcome to AI-assisted API"}).

 Start the server with app.run(debug=True) – this runs the app on your computer.

 Open the browser or Postman at http://127.0.0.1:5000/ – you'll see the message:

TASK-2

PROMPT :

Use AI to create a simple Flask backend with two endpoints.

Requirements:

- Use a Python list to store items.
- Create a GET endpoint /items to show all items.
- Create a POST endpoint /items to add a new item.
- When a new item is added, return a message and the item details.

CODE :

```
from flask import Flask, jsonify, request

# Initialize Flask app

app = Flask(__name__)

# In-memory list to store items

items = []

# ------------------

# GET all items (READ)

# ------------------

@app.route('/items', methods=['GET'])
```

```
def get_items():
    return jsonify(items)
# ------------------
# POST a new item (CREATE)
# ------------------
@app.route('/items', methods=['POST'])
def add_item():
    data = request.get_json()  # Get JSON data from request
    items.append(data)         # Add new item to the list
    return jsonify({"message": "Item added", "item": data}), 201
# Run the Flask app
if __name___== "__main__":
    app.run(debug=True)
```

OUTPUT :

REQUEST:

GET http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

RESPONSE:

[]

EXPLANATION :

1. **Create app & list** → app = Flask(__name__), items = []
2. **GET /items** → returns all items in JSON ([] initially)
3. **POST /items** → adds new item from JSON request, returns success message
4. **Run server** → app.run(debug=True) → access at http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

TASK-3 :

PROMPT:

"Create a Flask PUT endpoint to update an existing item in a Python list.
Requirements:

- The endpoint URL should be /items/<int:index> where index is the item's position in the list.
- If the index is invalid, return a 404 error with JSON {"error": "Item not found"}.

- If valid, replace the item at that index with JSON data from the request.
- Return a success message in JSON: {"message": "Item updated", "item": data}."

CODE :

```
from flask import Flask, jsonify, request

# Initialize Flask app

app = Flask(__name__)

# In-memory list to store items

items = []

#-----------------------

# GET all items (READ)

#-----------------------

@app.route('/items', methods=['GET'])

def get_items():

    return jsonify(items)

#-----------------------

# POST a new item (CREATE)

#-----------------------

@app.route('/items', methods=['POST'])

def add_item():

    data = request.get_json()

    items.append(data)

    return jsonify({"message": "Item added", "item": data}), 201

#-----------------------

# PUT /items/<int:index> (UPDATE)

#-----------------------

@app.route('/items/<int:index>', methods=['PUT'])

def update_item(index):

    if index < 0 or index >= len(items):

        return jsonify({"error": "Item not found"}), 404

    data = request.get_json()
```

```
    items[index] = data
    return jsonify({"message": "Item updated", "item": data})
# Run the Flask app
if __name___== "__main__":
    app.run(debug=True)
```

OUTPUT :

INITIAL GET /ITEMS

REQUEST:

GET http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

RESPONSE:

[]

POST /ITEMS (ADD AN ITEM)

REQUEST:

POST http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

Content-Type: application/json

Body:

```
{
   "name": "Book",
   "price": 200
}
```

RESPONSE:

```
{
   "message": "Item added",
   "item": {
      "name": "Book",
      "price": 200
   }
}
```

GET /ITEMS (AFTER ADDING ITEM)

REQUEST:

GET http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

RESPONSE:


```
[
  {
    "name": "Book",
    "price": 200
  }
]
```


■ PUT /ITEMS/0 (UPDATE THE ITEM AT INDEX 0)

REQUEST:

PUT http://127.0.0.1:5000/items/0

Content-Type: application/json

Body:


```
{
  "name": "Notebook",
  "price": 250
}
```


RESPONSE:


```
{
  "message": "Item updated",
  "item": {
    "name": "Notebook",
    "price": 250
  }
}
```


GET /ITEMS (AFTER UPDATE)

REQUEST:

GET http://127.0.0.1:5000/items

RESPONSE:


```
[
  {
    "name": "Notebook",
```

"price": 250

}

]

PUT /ITEMS/5 (INVALID INDEX)

REQUEST:

PUT http://127.0.0.1:5000/items/5

Content-Type: application/json

Body:

{

"name": "Pen",

"price": 50

}

Response:

{

"error": "Item not found"

}

EXPLANATION :

 Endpoint: /items/<int:index> → updates item at given index.

 Check & update:

- Invalid index → {"error": "Item not found"}
- Valid index → replace item with new JSON data.

 Response: {"message": "Item updated", "item": data}

TASK- 4 :

PROMPT:

_"Create a Flask DELETE endpoint to remove an item from a Python list by its index.
REQUIREMENTS:

- The endpoint URL should be /items/<int:index> where index is the position of the item in the list.
- If the index is invalid, return a 404 error with JSON {"error": "Item not found"}.

- If valid, remove the item from the list and return a JSON response: {"message": "Item deleted", "item": removed item}."

CODE :

```
from flask import Flask, jsonify, request


# Initialize Flask app
app = Flask(__name__)


# In-memory list to store items
items = []


#----------------------------------------
# GET all items (READ)
#----------------------------------------
@app.route('/items', methods=['GET'])
def get_items():
    return jsonify(items)


#----------------------------------------
# POST a new item (CREATE)
#----------------------------------------
@app.route('/items', methods=['POST'])
def add_item():
    data = request.get_json()
    items.append(data)
    return jsonify({"message": "Item added", "item": data}), 201


#----------------------------------------
# PUT /items/<int:index> (UPDATE)
#----------------------------------------
@app.route('/items/<int:index>', methods=['PUT'])
def update_item(index):
```

```
    if index < 0 or index >= len(items):
        return jsonify({"error": "Item not found"}), 404
    data = request.get_json()
    items[index] = data
    return jsonify({"message": "Item updated", "item": data})


#----------------------------------------
# DELETE /items/<int:index> (DELETE)
#----------------------------------------
@app.route('/items/<int:index>', methods=['DELETE'])
def delete_item(index):
    if index < 0 or index >= len(items):
        return jsonify({"error": "Item not found"}), 404
    removed_item = items.pop(index)  # Remove item from list
    return jsonify({"message": "Item deleted", "item": removed_item})


# Run the Flask app
if __name__ == "__main__":
    app.run(debug=True)
```

OUTPUT :

ADD AN ITEM (POST /ITEMS)

REQUEST BODY:

{"name":"Notebook","price":250}

RESPONSE:

{
  "message": "Item added",
  "item": {"name":"Notebook","price":250}
}

DELETE THE ITEM (DELETE /ITEMS/0)

RESPONSE:

{
"message": "Item deleted",
"item": {"name":"Notebook","price":250}
}

CHECK ITEMS LIST (GET /ITEMS)

RESPONSE:

[]

DELETE INVALID INDEX (DELETE /ITEMS/5)

RESPONSE:

{
"error": "Item not found"
}

EXPLANATION :

1. Endpoint: /items/<int:index> → deletes the item at the given index in the list.
2. Check index:
    - Invalid index → return {"error": "Item not found"} with 404 status
    - Valid index → proceed to remove the item.
3. Remove item: Use items.pop(index) to delete the item from the list.
4. Return response: {"message": "Item deleted", "item": removed_item} showing the deleted item.

TASK- 5:

PROMPT:

"Add inline comments and docstrings to all Flask API endpoints.
Requirements:

- Each endpoint should have a docstring explaining:
  • The URL and HTTP method
  • The purpose of the endpoint
  • Expected request and response (if applicable)
- Add inline comments inside each function to explain key steps.
- Optionally, integrate Swagger or Flask-RESTX to auto-generate API documentation at /docs."

CODE:

```
from flask import Flask, jsonify, request
from flask_restx import Api, Resource, fields

# Initialize Flask app
app = Flask(__name__)
api = Api(app, doc="/docs", title="Item Store API", description="Simple CRUD API with Swagger documentation")

# In-memory list to store items
items = []

# Model for Swagger documentation
item_model = api.model('Item', {
    'name': fields.String(required=True, description='Name of the item'),
    'price': fields.Float(required=True, description='Price of the item')
})

#-------------------------
# GET all items
#-------------------------
@api.route('/items')
class ItemList(Resource):
    @api.doc(description="Get all items in the store")
    def get(self):
        """
        GET /items
        Returns a list of all items in the store.
        """
        return jsonify(items)

    @api.expect(item_model)
    @api.doc(description="Add a new item to the store")
    def post(self):
        """
        POST /items
```

```
        Adds a new item to the store.
        Expects JSON payload with 'name' and 'price'.
        """
        data = request.get_json()
        items.append(data)
        return {"message": "Item added", "item": data}, 201

#-------------------------
# PUT /items/<int:index>
#-------------------------
@api.route('/items/<int:index>')
class Item(Resource):
    @api.expect(item_model)
    @api.doc(description="Update an existing item by index")
    def put(self, index):
        """
        PUT /items/<index>
        Updates an item at the given index.
        Expects JSON payload with 'name' and 'price'.
        """
        if index < 0 or index >= len(items):
            return {"error": "Item not found"}, 404
        data = request.get_json()
        items[index] = data
        return {"message": "Item updated", "item": data}

    @api.doc(description="Delete an existing item by index")
    def delete(self, index):
        """
        DELETE /items/<index>
        Deletes an item at the given index.
        """
        if index < 0 or index >= len(items):
            return {"error": "Item not found"}, 404
        removed_item = items.pop(index)
```

```
        return {"message": "Item deleted", "item": removed_item}


# Run the Flask app
if __name__ == "__main__":
    app.run(debug=True)
```

OUTPUT :

GET /items (initially empty)

[]

POST /items

Request Body:

{"name": "Book", "price": 200}

Response:

{

"message": "Item added",

"item": {"name": "Book", "price": 200}

}

PUT /items/0

Request Body:

{"name": "Notebook", "price": 250}

Response:

{

"message": "Item updated",

"item": {"name": "Notebook", "price": 250}

}

DELETE /items/0

Response:

{

"message": "Item deleted",

"item": {"name": "Notebook", "price": 250}

}

EXPLANATION :

 Docstrings & Comments: Explain URL, method, purpose, and payload for each endpoint.

 Swagger (/docs): Auto-generates interactive API docs with endpoint details and sample requests.

 CRUD Endpoints Covered: GET, POST, PUT, DELETE — all visible and testable via Swagger.