As an employee, I want to be able to log in to the system securely, so I can access my time tracking and project information.

As an employee, I want to easily enter my daily work hours for different projects and tasks, so I can accurately track my time spent on each task.

As a manager, I want to review and approve time entries submitted by my team members, so I can ensure accurate record-keeping and compliance with project timelines.

As an employee, I want to receive notifications when my time entries are approved or rejected by my manager, so I can stay updated on the status of my work hours.

As an admin user, I want to be able to add new employees to the system and assign them to specific projects, so I can manage the user base efficiently.

As a manager, I want to generate reports that show the total hours worked by each employee on specific projects, so I can analyze project costs and resource allocation.

As an employee, I want the system to validate my time entries and provide error messages for any incorrect data, so I can ensure the accuracy of my records.

As a manager, I want to have access to a dashboard that provides an overview of all pending time entries for my team, so I can prioritize approvals.

As an employee, I want to be able to export my time tracking data in various formats (e.g., PDF, Excel) for record-keeping and analysis purposes.

As a system administrator, I want to ensure that the system is secure by implementing encryption for data in transit and data at rest, so I can protect sensitive employee information.

As an employee, I want the option to reset my password if I forget it, so I can regain access to the system without assistance.

As a manager, I want to receive email notifications when new time entries are submitted for my approval, so I can quickly respond to employee requests.

As an employee, I want to view a history of my past time entries and their approval status, so I can keep track of my work history.

As a manager, I want to have the ability to delegate approval responsibilities to another manager in my absence, so approvals are not delayed.

As an admin user, I want to be able to import employee data from an existing HR system to streamline user onboarding.

As an employee, I want to be able to add comments or notes to my time entries to provide context for my work.

As a project manager, I want to set up project-specific billing rates for different clients, so I can ensure accurate invoicing based on employee hours worked.

As an admin user, I want to be able to customize the approval workflow to accommodate variations in our company's approval processes.

As an employee, I want to view a summary of my total worked hours for each week and month, so I can track my progress toward monthly targets.

As a manager, I want to be able to bulk-approve time entries for my team, so I can expedite the approval process for routine tasks.

As an employee, I want to have the option to copy time entries from a previous week to the current week, so I can save time on data entry for recurring tasks.

As a manager, I want to receive automated reminders to approve pending time entries before the end of each pay period, so I can ensure timely payroll processing.

As an employee, I want the system to calculate the total hours worked for me automatically, based on the time entries I submit, so I can avoid manual calculations.

As a project manager, I want to have access to a dashboard that displays project timelines, milestones, and resource allocation, so I can make informed decisions about project schedules.

As an employee, I want to be able to request time off directly through the system and have it tracked as part of my time management records.

As a manager, I want to be able to view and approve time-off requests submitted by my team members, so I can plan project schedules accordingly.

As an employee, I want the ability to add attachments (e.g., receipts, documents) to my time entries for expense reimbursement purposes.

As a system administrator, I want to perform regular system backups and have a disaster recovery plan in place to ensure data integrity and availability.

As an employee, I want to be able to easily switch between different projects and tasks while entering my time, so I can accurately allocate my working hours.

As a manager, I want to access historical time tracking data for my team members, so I can review performance trends and identify areas for improvement.

As an admin user, I want to have the ability to deactivate or archive employee accounts when they leave the organization, ensuring data security and compliance.

As a project manager, I want the system to generate alerts when project budgets are nearing exhaustion, so I can take corrective actions.

As an employee, I want the system to provide a mobile-friendly interface, allowing me to enter time tracking data on the go.

As a manager, I want to be able to assign specific projects to employees and have the system automatically populate the appropriate project codes in their time entries.

As a project manager, I want the system to allow for reallocation of hours from one project or task to another when necessary, ensuring flexibility in resource management.

As an employee, I want to be able to view a calendar view of my scheduled tasks and appointments, helping me plan my time effectively.

As a manager, I want the system to provide analytics and visualizations, such as pie charts and bar graphs, to help me quickly understand team productivity and project status.

As an employee, I want the system to have a search function, enabling me to easily locate past time entries and project details.

As an admin user, I want the system to support single sign-on (SSO) integration with our company's identity management system for enhanced security and user convenience.

As a project manager, I want to be able to set up and manage project hierarchies, allowing for sub-projects and nested tasks to be tracked and reported on.

As an employee, I want the option to input time in different time zones when working on projects with international clients or teams.

As a manager, I want the ability to create custom approval workflows based on project types, ensuring that the approval process aligns with project-specific needs.

As an admin user, I want the system to provide audit logs and version history for all time entry changes and approvals, supporting compliance and accountability.

As a project manager, I want the system to notify me if a project is at risk of exceeding its budget or timeline based on the current rate of time entry.

As an employee, I want the system to calculate and display overtime hours separately from regular hours, following labor regulations and policies.

As a manager, I want to be able to delegate time entry responsibilities to a team lead or project coordinator when necessary, ensuring timely data submission.

As an employee, I want to be able to mark certain time entries as "billable" or "non-billable" to differentiate between client-related work and internal tasks.

As a manager, I want the system to provide an API for integration with other project management tools and reporting systems used within the organization.

As an admin user, I want to configure automated email reminders for employees to submit their time entries before specific deadlines.

As a project manager, I want the system to support role-based dashboards, allowing each team member to access relevant project information and reports.

As an employee, I want the option to specify the date range for my time entries, allowing me to submit entries for past periods or upcoming work.

As a project manager, I want the system to calculate the total cost of a project based on employee hours, billing rates, and expenses, helping me track project profitability.

As an employee, I want to be able to view a summary of my available paid time off (PTO) or vacation days, so I can plan my time off accordingly.

As a manager, I want to generate project-specific reports that include detailed breakdowns of hours worked by each employee on the project, aiding in project performance analysis.

As an admin user, I want to have the ability to define custom user roles with specific permissions to tailor access control to our organization's needs.

As an employee, I want to receive automated notifications when I forget to submit my time entries before the end of the pay period, reducing the risk of missed entries.

As a project manager, I want the system to track employee availability based on their time entries and schedules, helping me allocate resources effectively.

As an employee, I want the option to categorize my time entries by project phases or task types for more granular reporting and analysis.

As a manager, I want the system to support different approval levels based on project budgets, allowing higher-level approvals for larger projects.

As an admin user, I want the system to provide a mechanism for archiving and retrieving historical time tracking data for compliance and auditing purposes.

As a project manager, I want to be able to create recurring project schedules with predefined time allocations for routine tasks or ongoing projects.

As an employee, I want to be able to set up automatic time entry reminders for specific tasks or projects, improving my time management.

As a manager, I want the system to have the ability to import project-related data, such as project codes and descriptions, from external sources.

As an admin user, I want to be able to export all system data, including time entries, employee profiles, and approvals, for backup and analysis purposes.

As a project manager, I want the system to provide an option to lock approved time entries to prevent accidental changes, ensuring data integrity.

As an employee, I want the system to support multi-language and localization options, accommodating users in different regions.

As a manager, I want the system to allow me to allocate resources based on employee skills and qualifications, optimizing project staffing.

As an admin user, I want to implement single sign-on (SSO) integration with external authentication providers for enhanced security and user convenience.

As an employee, I want the system to provide a feature for tracking time spent on specific tasks within a project, allowing for detailed project breakdowns.

As a project manager, I want to be able to define custom approval workflows for specific clients or project types, accommodating diverse project requirements.

User stories related to the Time Entry feature: "Employees can enter their work hours, specifying project and task details."

As an employee, I want to log in to the Time Sheet System so that I can access the time entry feature securely.

As an employee, I want to enter my work hours for a specific project so that I can accurately track the time spent on different projects.

As an employee, I want to specify the task or activity I worked on for each time entry so that I can provide detailed information about my work.

As an employee, I want to select the date for each time entry, allowing me to record my work hours for different days.

As an employee, I want to be able to add comments or notes to my time entries to provide context or additional details about my work.

As an employee, I want the system to validate my time entries to ensure that I enter valid data and prevent errors.

As an employee, I want the option to save my time entries as drafts and come back later to complete them, providing flexibility in data entry.

As an employee, I want to be able to view and edit my previously submitted time entries in case I need to make corrections or updates.

As an employee, I want to receive notifications or reminders when I forget to submit my time entries before the deadline.

As an employee, I want the ability to categorize my time entries as billable or non-billable, depending on the nature of my work.

As an employee, I want the option to submit multiple time entries in one session to save time and streamline the data entry process.

As an employee, I want the system to provide a user-friendly interface for entering time, making it easy for me to record my work hours.

As an employee, I want the system to support the entry of both regular and overtime hours, ensuring accurate tracking of my work hours in compliance with labor regulations.

As an employee, I want to be able to copy time entries from previous weeks or months for recurring tasks, saving me time on data entry.

As an employee, I want the option to track and enter my work hours in different time zones when working on projects with international teams or clients.

As an employee, I want the system to provide real-time calculations of the total hours I've entered for each project and task, so I can monitor my progress.

As an employee, I want to be able to add attachments to my time entries, such as documents or receipts, for expense reimbursement or documentation purposes.

As an employee, I want to have the ability to enter time retroactively for past days or weeks when I may have missed recording my work hours.

As an employee, I want the system to automatically save my entered data periodically to prevent data loss in case of interruptions.

As an employee, I want the option to set default project and task selections, so I can quickly enter my most common work activities.

As an employee, I want to be able to group multiple time entries under a single project or task category for easier organization and reporting.

As an employee, I want the system to provide a summary view of my time entries for the current week or month, helping me stay on top of my time management.

As an employee, I want the ability to add breaks or time off within a workday to accurately represent my work schedule.

As an employee, I want the system to support entry of decimal hours (e.g., 6.5 hours) for precise time tracking.

As an employee, I want the option to export my time entries in various formats (e.g., PDF, Excel) for personal record-keeping and reporting purposes.