

Vyb AI Assignment

🚩 Goal: Can You Build a Smart Nutrition Estimator?

At VYB, we're making India's smartest food brain. Given how home-cooked Indian meals vary wildly, your challenge is to create a **resilient system** that:

> 🔍 "Given a home-cooked dish name, estimate its nutrition per serving, even if the data is partial, ambiguous, or broken."

📦 You'll Get:

Nutrition Database** (per 100g) for common ingredients. Here is the link to it

➕ Assignment Inputs

Household Measurement Reference

Test Dishes JSON** with real-world messiness (see below)

🎯 Your Challenge

Build a program (Node.js or Python preferred) that does:

✅ Part 1: Core Pipeline

1. **Input:** Dish name (e.g., *Paneer Butter Masala*)
2. **Fetch ingredients** (simulate or use LLM if needed)
3. **Convert ingredient units** to household measurements
4. **Map ingredients to the Nutrition DB** (handle synonyms, spelling variants, etc.)
5. **Estimate grams** using measurement mapping
6. **Calculate total nutrition** (per 100g basis, then scale)
7. **Identify dish type** from a predefined list (e.g., Wet Sabzi)
8. **Output nutrition per 1 katori**

🛠️ Part 2: Messy Reality (Edge Case Handling)

You will be given a test JSON with 5 dish inputs like:

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```json
[
 { "dish": "Jeera Aloo (mild fried)", "issues": ["ingredient synonym", "quantity missing"] },
 { "dish": "Gobhi Sabzi", "issues": ["ambiguous dish type"] },
 { "dish": "Chana masala", "issues": ["missing ingredient in nutrition DB"] },
 { "dish": "Paneer Curry with capsicum", "issues": ["unit in 'glass'", "spelling variation"] },
 { "dish": "Mixed veg", "issues": ["no fixed recipe", "ambiguous serving size"] }
]
```

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****Your Job:****

- * Show how your code handles each (default values, logging, graceful degradation)
- * Include a ****log of assumptions made per dish****

🧠 Part 3: Reasoning Task

Manually solve ****1 of these****:

- * Map "lightly roasted jeera powder" to a nutrition entry, and explain why.
- * Dish weight is 700g cooked, and raw ingredient weight totals 950g. What's the loss ratio?

Separately, adjust the final nutrient values to a standard 180g serving size, assuming total nutrition was calculated for the full cooked quantity..

☐ Bonus: Do this ****without using ChatGPT.****

🛠 Bonus

- * Add a ****unit test**** for your quantity conversion function (e.g., tbsp to grams). Make sure your function accounts for ingredient-specific density — 1 tbsp of oil is ~13g while 1 tbsp of sugar is ~12.5g. Test at least 3 different ingredients with varying densities.
- * Create a CLI or simple Express API that accepts dish name and gives output.

📄 Deliverables

- * `script.js` or `main.py`

- * `readme.md`: your approach, assumptions, fallback design
- * `debug-log.txt`: how you handled each of the 5 test dishes
- * Output JSON for each test case (input → final nutrition estimate)
- * Deploy & share a link to see working version

📊 Evaluation Criteria

| Area | Weight |
|-------------------------------|--------|
| ----- | ----- |
| Correctness & Accuracy | 35% |
| Code Logic & Modularity | 25% |
| Real-World Handling & Logging | 20% |
| Manual Reasoning & Edge Case | 10% |
| Documentation & Clarity | 10% |

⚠️ Anti-Plagiarism Notice

We **encourage** using LLMs for fetching recipes, but not for ***manual reasoning or debugging***. Your real skills matter.

Shortlisted candidates will be asked to:

- * Join a 30-minute live walkthrough or
- * Do a mini bug-fix round based on your submission.

🚀 Deadline

Submit within ***48 hours*** of receiving this pack.