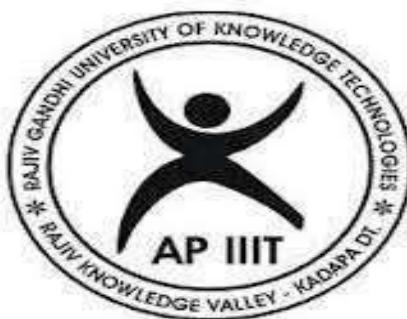


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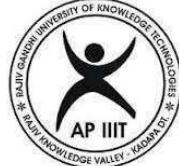
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Abstract

Converse is a Chatting Application For Communicate with others through Internet . Where people can chat to other people using this app. To Chat with your friends both users should install this application in their devices. Using This app People can Improve Their Communication Skills This app is Designed for the people who want to talk to others through Messaging whenever you don't have access to call to others you Just need internet to message your friend so that your friend will respond to you.

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Converse SRS Document

Introduction:

This document has the requirements of Chatting with Friends. The Converse is used to develop the People Communication skills.

1.1: Purpose

The purpose of this document is to gather the requirements that are needed for implementing the Converse. It also focuses on various key features, the product, product vision and scope, product overview. The main purpose of Converse is to provide a platform to the People who connect with Friends through Chatting.

1.2:Intended Audience:

The intended audience will be the users who can access the platform to Chat with The Friends and Improve Their Communication Skills.

Users: People

Product Vision:

The product vision is to develop the Communication between the users, which Is Helpful to the Students and Working Professionals. They can Communicate with team mates And their friends.

Technologies:

- Android Studio
- Kotlin
- XML
- Firebase

Android Studio

Android Studio is the IDE to Build Android Apps. It is integrated Development Kit For the android Development. Android Support Both Java and Kotlin to Write Code. Google Announces that Android Development Will be Kotlin-first. **Android Studio** is the official **IDE (Integrated Development Environment)** for Android app development and it is based on **JetBrains' IntelliJ IDEA** software. Android Studio provides many excellent features that enhance productivity when building Android apps, such as:

- A blended environment where one can develop for all Android devices
- Apply Changes to push code and resource changes to the running app without restarting the app
- A flexible Gradle-based build system
- A fast and feature-rich emulator
- GitHub and Code template integration to assist you to develop common app features and import sample code
- Extensive testing tools and frameworks
- C++ and NDK support
- Built-in support for Google Cloud Platform, making it easy to integrate Google Cloud Messaging and App Engine, and many more.

System Requirements

- Microsoft Windows 7/8/10 (32-bit or 64-bit)
- 4 GB RAM minimum, 8 GB RAM recommended (plus 1 GB for the Android Emulator)
- 2 GB of available disk space minimum, 4 GB recommended (500 MB for IDE plus 1.5 GB for Android SDK and emulator system image)
- 1280 x 800 minimum screen resolution

Installation Guide

Step 1: Head over to [this link](#) to get the Android Studio executable or zip file.

Step 2: Click on the **Download Android Studio Button**



Android Studio provides the fastest tools for building apps on every type of Android device.

[DOWNLOAD ANDROID STUDIO](#)
4.1.3 for Windows 64-bit (896 MiB)

Click on the “I have read and agree with the above terms and conditions” checkbox followed by the download button.

Click on the Save file button in the appeared prompt box and the file will start downloading.

Step 3: After the downloading has finished, open the file from downloads and run it. It will prompt the following dialog box.

Click on next. In the next prompt, it'll ask for a path for installation. Choose a path and hit next.

Step 4: It will start the installation, and once it is completed, it will be like the image shown below

Step 5: Once “Finish” is clicked, it will ask whether the previous settings need to be imported [if the android studio had been installed earlier], or not. It is better to choose the ‘Don’t import Settings option’.

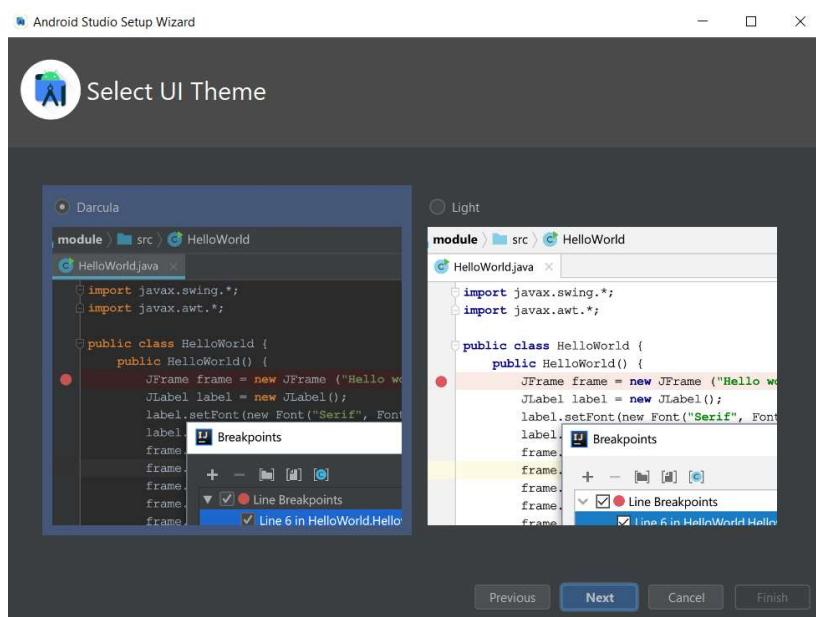
Click the **OK** button.

Step 6: This will start the Android Studio.

Meanwhile, it will be finding the available SDK components

Step 7: After it has found the SDK components, it will redirect to the Welcome dialog box.

Choose Standard and click on Next. Now choose the theme, whether the **Light** theme or the **Dark** one. The light one is called the **IntelliJ** theme whereas the dark theme is called **Darcula**. Choose as required.



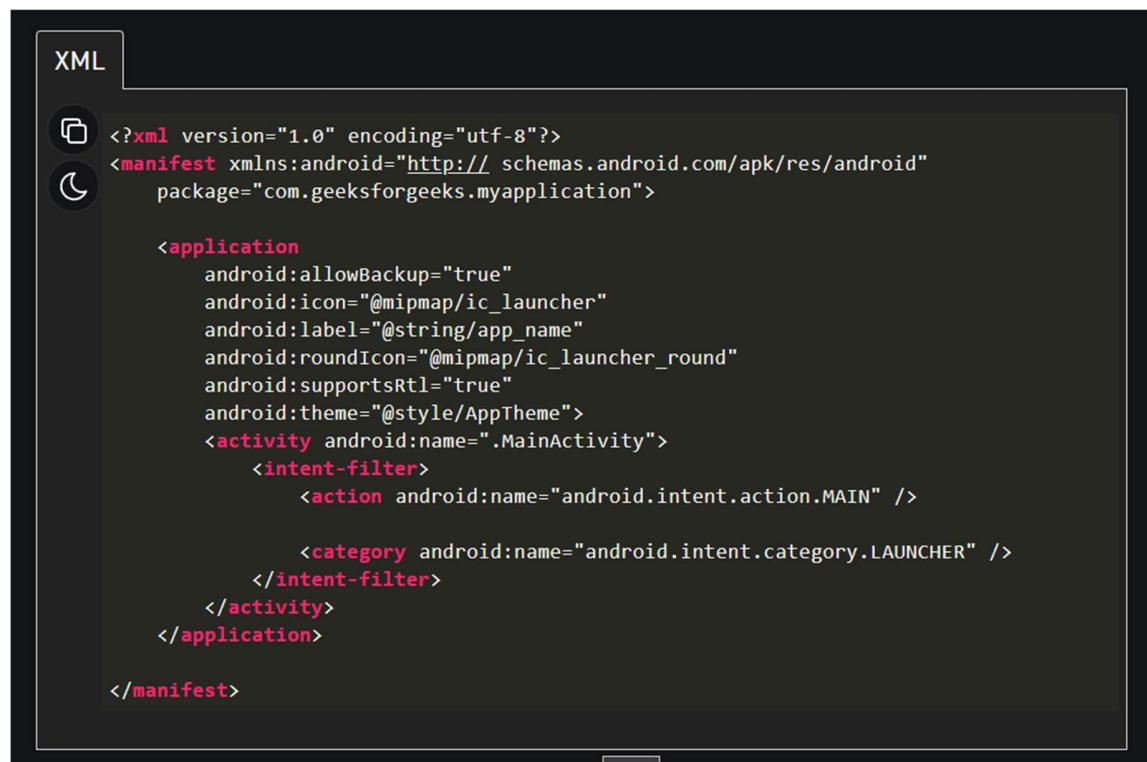
Android Project folder Structure

The android project contains different types of app modules, source code files, and resource files. We will explore all the folders and files in the android app.

1. Manifests Folder
2. Java Folder
3. res (Resources) Folder
 - o Drawable Folder
 - o Layout Folder
 - o Mipmap Folder
 - o Values Folder
4. Gradle Scripts

Manifests Folder

Manifests folder contains **AndroidManifest.xml** for creating our android application. This file contains information about our application such as the Android version, metadata, states package for Kotlin file, and other application components. It acts as an mediator between android OS and our application.



The screenshot shows the AndroidManifest.xml file in the Android Studio XML editor. The XML code is displayed in a dark-themed code editor. The code defines a manifest file with a single application node. The application node includes attributes for allowBackup, icon, label, roundIcon, supportsRtl, theme, and a main activity named MainActivity. The MainActivity node has an intent filter with an action of MAIN and a category of LAUNCHER. The entire manifest is closed at the bottom.

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    package="com.geeksforgeeks.myapplication">

    <application
        android:allowBackup="true"
        android:icon="@mipmap/ic_launcher"
        android:label="@string/app_name"
        android:roundIcon="@mipmap/ic_launcher_round"
        android:supportsRtl="true"
        android:theme="@style/AppTheme">
        <activity android:name=".MainActivity">
            <intent-filter>
                <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" />

                <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" />
            </intent-filter>
        </activity>
    </application>

</manifest>
```

Java folder

The Java folder contains all the java and Kotlin source code (.java) files that we create during the app development, including other Test files. If we create any new project using Kotlin, by default the class file MainActivity.kt file will create automatically under the package name

MainActivity.kt and MainActivity.java



```
Kotlin Java

package com.geeksforgeeks.myapplication

import androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity import android.os.Bundle

class MainActivity : AppCompatActivity() {

    override fun onCreate(savedInstanceState: Bundle?) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState)
        setContentView(R.layout.activity_main)
    }
}
```

Resource (res) folder

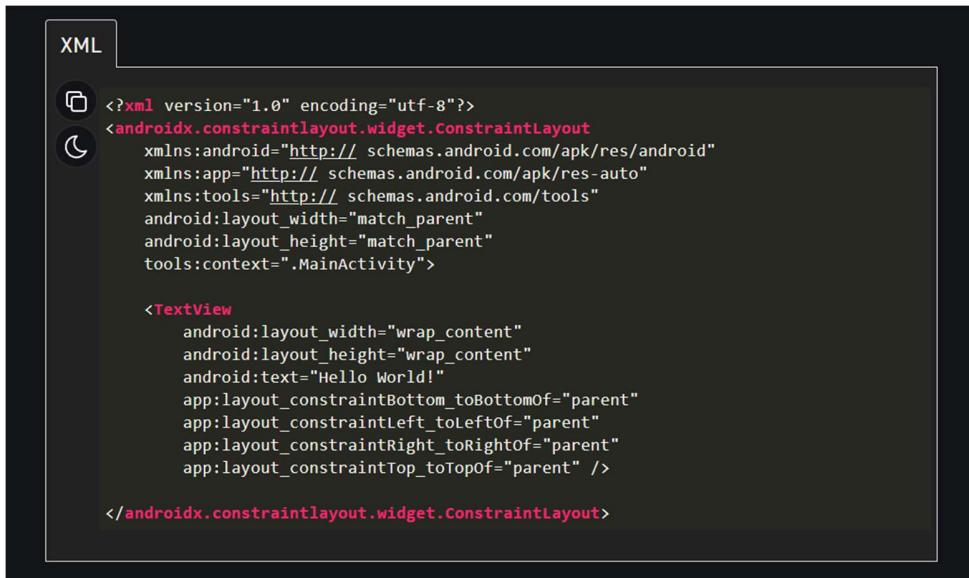
The resource folder is the most important folder because it contains all the non-code sources like images, XML layouts, and UI strings for our android application.

res/drawable folder

It contains the different types of images used for the development of the application. We need to add all the images in a drawable folder for the application development.

res/layout folder

The layout folder contains all XML layout files which we used to define the user interface of our application. It contains the **activity_main.xml** file.



```
XML

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout
    xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
    xmlns:app="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res-auto"
    xmlns:tools="http://schemas.android.com/tools"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="match_parent"
    tools:context=".MainActivity">

    <TextView
        android:layout_width="wrap_content"
        android:layout_height="wrap_content"
        android:text="Hello World!"
        app:layout_constraintBottom_toBottomOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintLeft_toLeftOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintRight_toRightOf="parent"
        app:layout_constraintTop_toTopOf="parent" />

</androidx.constraintlayout.widget.ConstraintLayout>
```

res/mipmap folder

This folder contains launcher.xml files to define icons that are used to show on the home screen. It contains different density types of icons depending upon the size of the device such as hdpi, mdpi, xhdpi.

res/values folder

Values folder contains a number of XML files like strings, dimensions, colors, and style definitions. One of the most important files is the **strings.xml** file which contains the resources.



```
XML

<resources>
    <string name="app_name">NameOfTheApplication</string>
    <string name="checked">Checked</string>
    <string name="unchecked">Unchecked</string>
</resources>
```

Gradle Scripts folder

Gradle means automated build system and it contains a number of files that are used to define a build configuration that can be applied to all modules in our application. In build.gradle (Project) there are buildscripts and in build.gradle (Module) plugins and implementations are used to build configurations that can be applied to all our application modules.

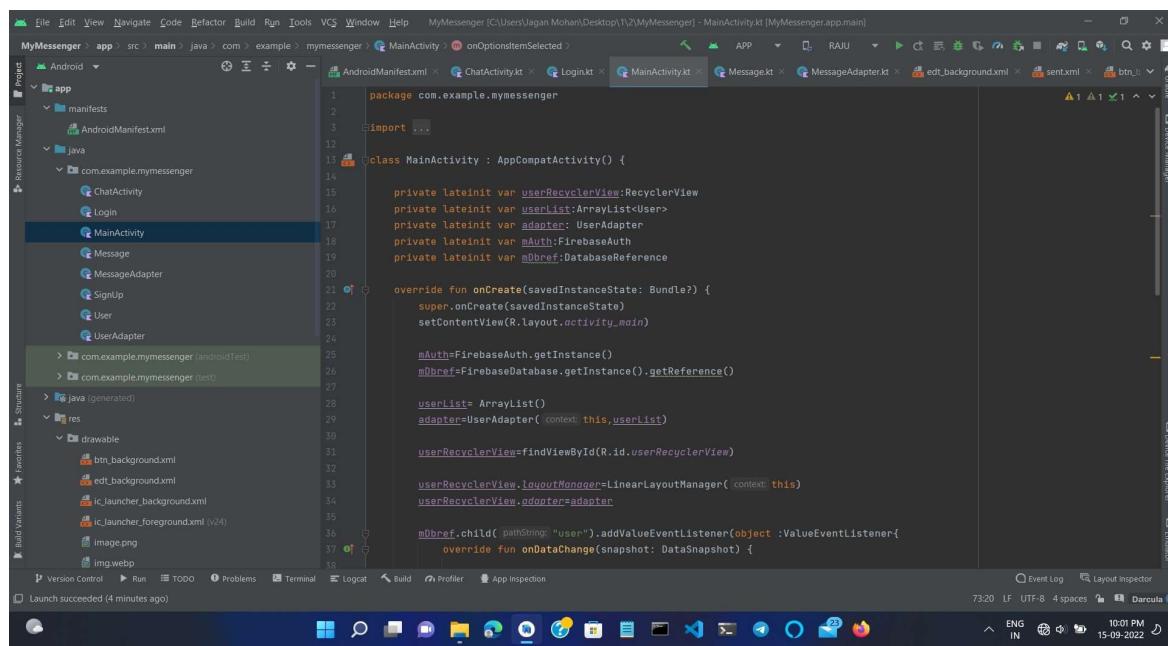
Kotlin

Kotlin is a statically typed, general-purpose programming language developed by JetBrains, that has built world-class IDEs like IntelliJ IDEA, PhpStorm, Appcode, etc. It was first introduced by JetBrains in 2011 and is a new language for the JVM. Kotlin is an object-oriented language, and a “better language” than Java, but still be fully interoperable with Java code.

Kotlin is sponsored by Google, announced as one of the official languages for Android Development in 2017.



Kotlin code in Android Studio



The screenshot shows the Android Studio interface with the Kotlin code for the `MainActivity` class. The code initializes Firebase Auth and Database, sets up a RecyclerView, and adds a ValueEventListener to listen for user data changes.

```
package com.example.mymessenger

import ...

class MainActivity : AppCompatActivity() {

    private lateinit var userRecyclerView:RecyclerView
    private lateinit var userList:ArrayList<User>
    private lateinit var adapter: UserAdapter
    private lateinit var mAuth: FirebaseAuth
    private lateinit var mDbref: DatabaseReference

    override fun onCreate(savedInstanceState: Bundle?) {
        super.onCreate(savedInstanceState)
        setContentView(R.layout.activity_main)

        mAuth=FirebaseAuth.getInstance()
        mDbref= FirebaseDatabase.getInstance().getReference()

        userList= ArrayList()
        adapter=UserAdapter(context: this, userList)

        userRecyclerView=findViewById(R.id.userRecyclerView)

        userRecyclerView.layoutManager=LinearLayoutManager( context: this)
        userRecyclerView.adapter=adapter

        mDbref.child("user").addValueEventListener(object :ValueEventListener{
            override fun onDataChange(snapshot: DataSnapshot) {

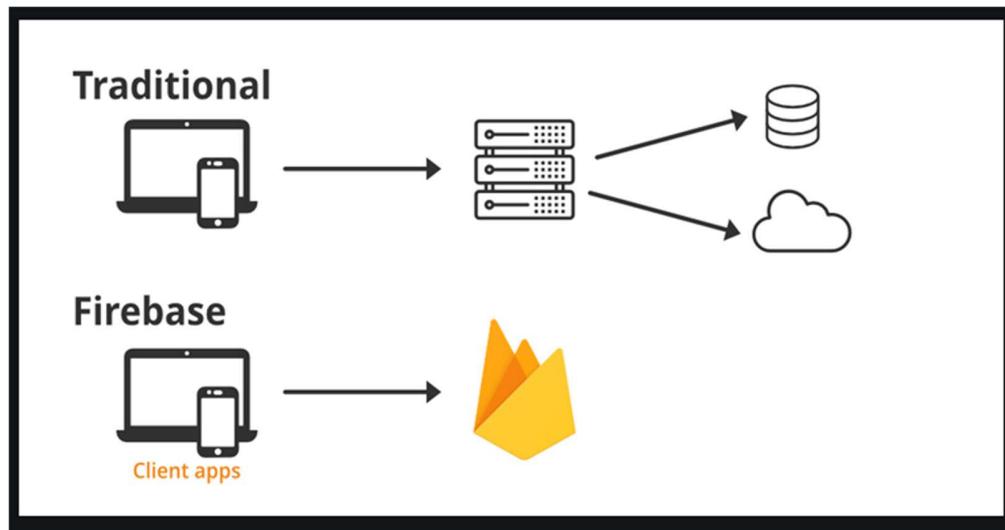
```

XML

XML stands for Extensible Markup Language. XML is a markup language much like HTML used to describe data. It is derived from Standard Generalized Markup Language(SMGL). Basically, the XML tags are not predefined in XML. We need to implement and define the tags in XML. XML tags define the data and used to store and organize data. It's easily scalable and simple to develop. In Android, the XML is used to implement UI-related data, and it's a lightweight markup language that doesn't make layout heavy. XML only contains tags, while implementing they need to be just invoked.

Firebase

Firebase is a product of Google which helps developers to build, manage, and grow their apps easily. It helps developers to build their apps faster and in a more secure way. No programming is required on the firebase side which makes it easy to use its features more efficiently. It provides services to android, ios, web, and unity. It provides cloud storage. It uses NoSQL for the database for the storage of data.

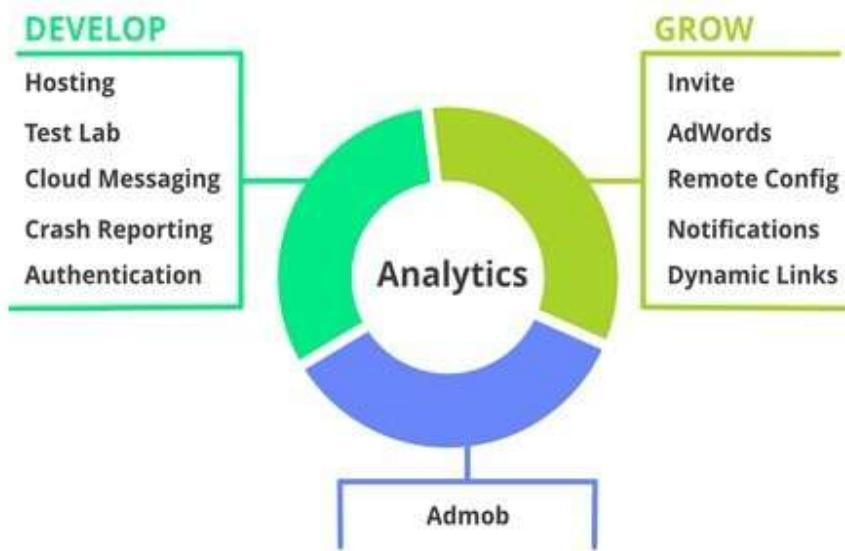


Brief History of Firebase:

Firebase initially was an online chat service provider to various websites through API and ran with the name **Envolve**. It got popular as developers used it to exchange application data like a game state in real time across their users more than the chats. This resulted in the separation of the Envolve architecture and its chat system. The Envolve architecture was further evolved by its founders James Tamplin and Andrew Lee, to what modern day Firebase is in the year 2012.

Features of Firebase:

Mainly there are 3 categories in which firebase provides its services.



Connecting Firebase to Android Studio

Step 1: Create a Firebase project

Before you can add Firebase to your Android app, you need to create a Firebase project to connect to your Android app. Visit [Understand Firebase Projects](#) to learn more about Firebase projects.

Create a Firebase project

Step 2: Register your app with Firebase

To use Firebase in your Android app, you need to register your app with your Firebase project. Registering your app is often called "adding" your app to your project.

Go to the [Firebase console](#).

- ② In the center of the project overview page, click the **Android** icon (plat_android) or **Add app** to launch the setup workflow.

- Enter your app's package name in the **Android package name** field.

What's a package name, and where do you find it?

- (*Optional*) Enter other app information: **App nickname** and **Debug signing certificate SHA-1**.

How are the *App nickname* and the *Debug signing certificate SHA-1* used within Firebase?

- Click **Register app**.

Step 3: Add a Firebase configuration file

- Download and then add the Firebase Android configuration file (google-services.json) to your app:

1. Click **Download google-services.json** to obtain your Firebase Android config file.
2. Move your config file into the **module (app-level)** root directory of your app.

What do you need to know about this config file?

- To make the values in your google-services.json config file accessible to Firebase SDKs, you need the [Google services Gradle plugin](#) (google-services).

1. In your **root-level (project-level)** Gradle file (<project>/build.gradle), add the Google services plugin as a buildscript dependency:

```
buildscript {  
    repositories {  
        // Make sure that you have the following two repositories  
        google() // Google's Maven repository  
        mavenCentral() // Maven Central repository  
    }  
  
    dependencies {  
        ...  
  
        // Add the dependency for the Google services Gradle plugin  
        classpath 'com.google.gms:google-services:4.3.14'  
    }  
}  
  
allprojects {  
    ...  
  
    repositories {  
        // Make sure that you have the following two repositories  
        google() // Google's Maven repository  
        mavenCentral() // Maven Central repository  
    }  
}
```

In your **module (app-level)** Gradle file (usually <project>/<app-module>/build.gradle), add the Google services plugin:

```
plugins {  
    id 'com.android.application'  
  
    // Add the Google services Gradle plugin  
    id 'com.google.gms.google-services'  
    ...  
}
```

Step 4: Add Firebase SDKs to your app

- ② In your **module (app-level) Gradle file** (usually <project>/<app-module>/build.gradle), add the dependencies for the [Firebase products](#) that you want to use in your app. We recommend using the [Firebase Android BoM](#) to control library versioning.

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Android Android



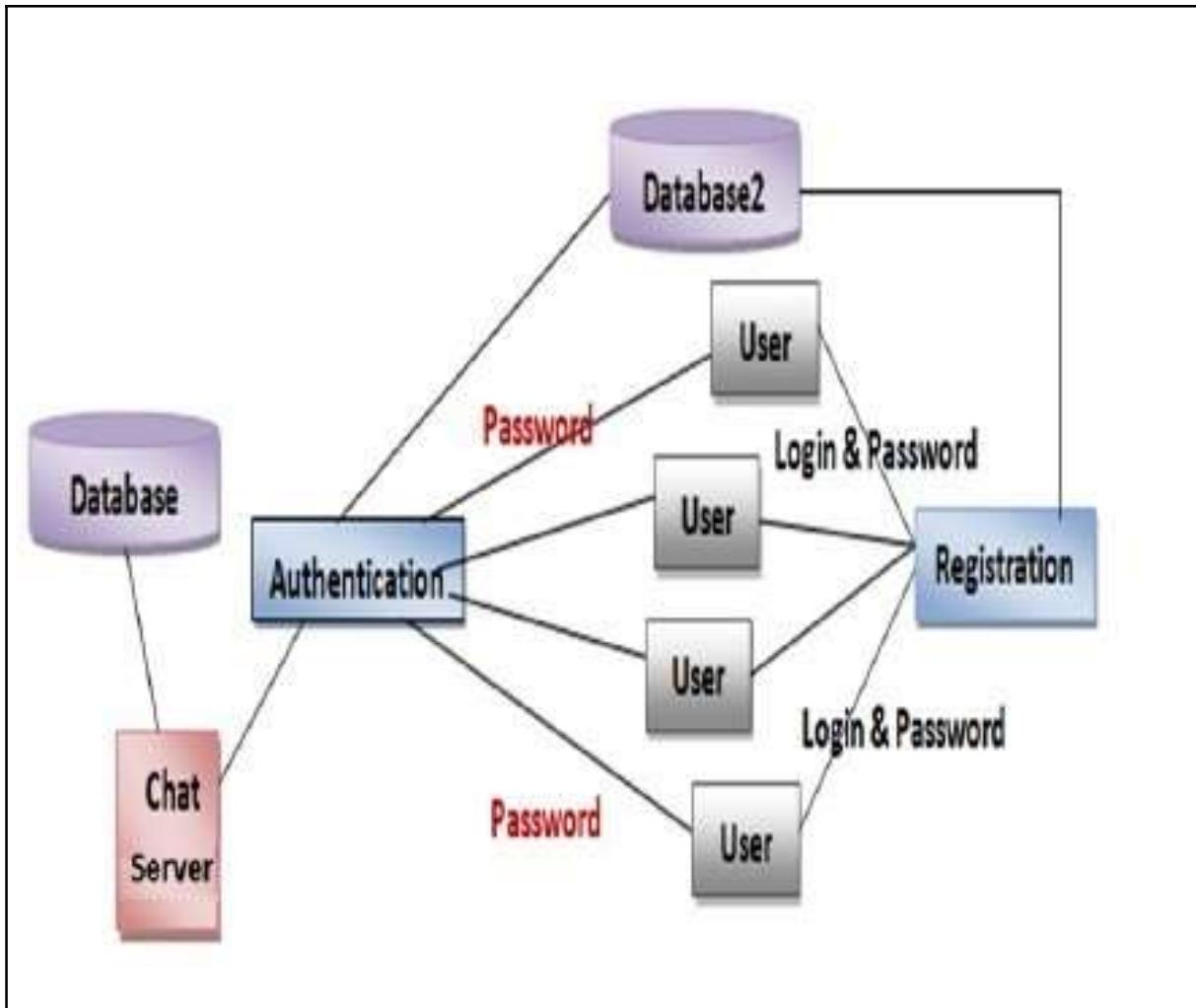
```
dependencies {  
    // ...  
  
    // Import the Firebase BoM  
    implementation platform('com.google.firebase:firebase-bom:30.4.1')  
  
    // When using the BoM, you don't specify versions in Firebase library dependencies  
  
    // Add the dependency for the Firebase SDK for Google Analytics  
    implementation 'com.google.firebase:firebase-analytics-ktx'  
  
    // TODO: Add the dependencies for any other Firebase products you want to use  
    // See https://firebase.google.com/docs/android/setup#available-libraries  
    // For example, add the dependencies for Firebase Authentication and Cloud Firestore  
    implementation 'com.google.firebase:firebase-auth-ktx'  
    implementation 'com.google.firebase:firebase-firebase-ktx'  
}
```

After adding the dependencies for the products you want to use, sync your Android project with Gradle files.

System in Context:

The Converse provide the users to Chat with their Friends and Family and their Team members and also provides security to the Users. App Provides the Users names Who already Using this application. Users can Login With Email and Password. Authentication is Provided To the users.

Context Diagram:



System-wide Requirements(Received):

Actors:

The system interacts with Two users. Each user has its own functions to access with the system. The functionalities of users are dependent on each other.

Events:

Converse is a multiuser system which provides user to chat with each other for day to day operations.

The most critical events are:

1. Gets register first using the Name,Email address,Password.
2. Users login using the email and password and can select another user.
3. After select the user can chat with that user.
4. one user can select any other user to chat with.
5. User can Send message to others and Receive messages from another users 6. User Can Logout from the App.

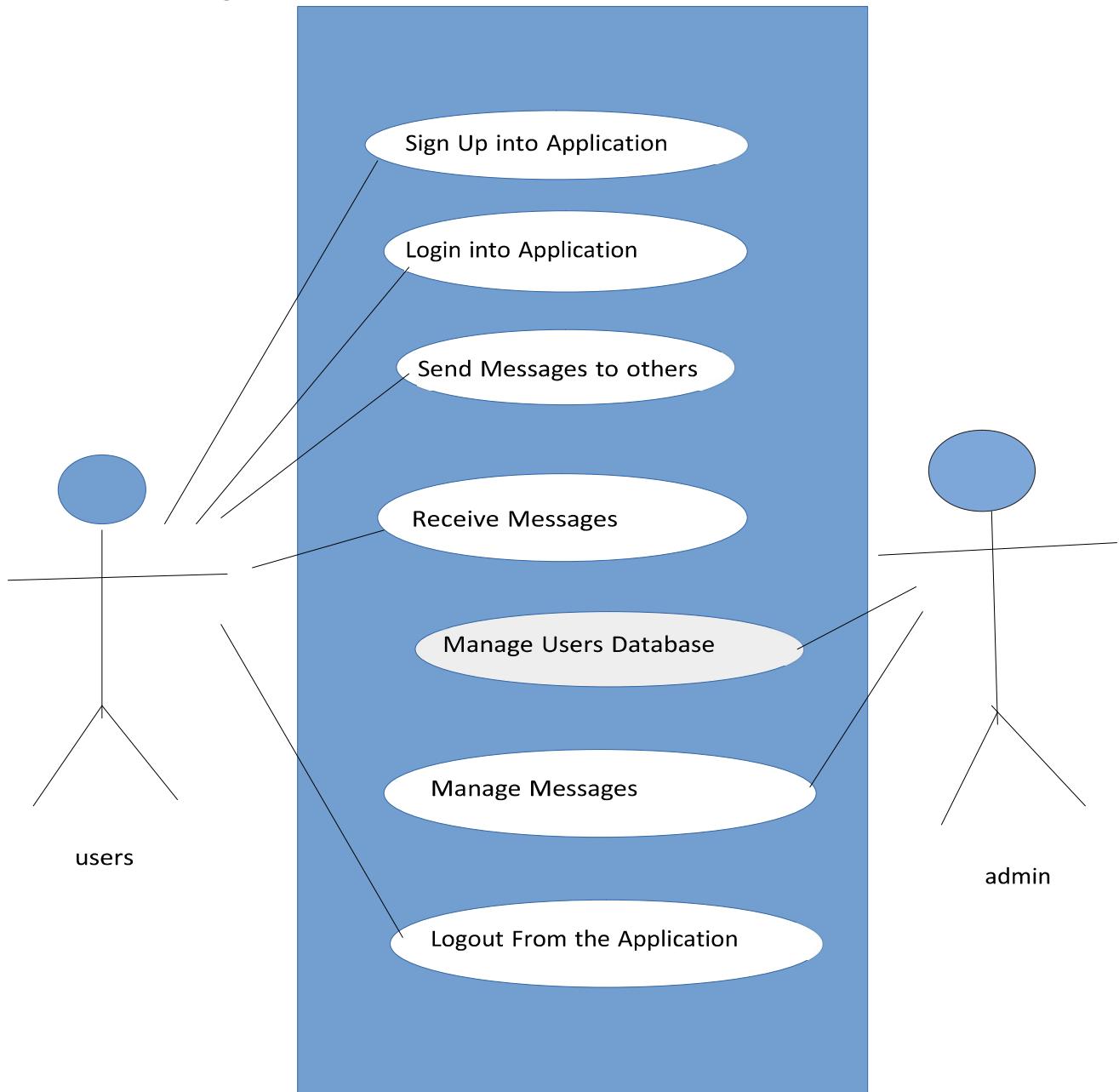
The below table provides a set of user visible events that define the functionalities that are in Converse.

	Actor	Action	Object	Frequency	Arrival Pattern	Response
1.	User	onclick	Signup	1/day	Episodic	It asks Name, Email address,create password
2.	User	Onclick	Login	1/day	Episodic	It ask email address and password
3.	User	select	Another User	1/day	Episodic	It show All Users

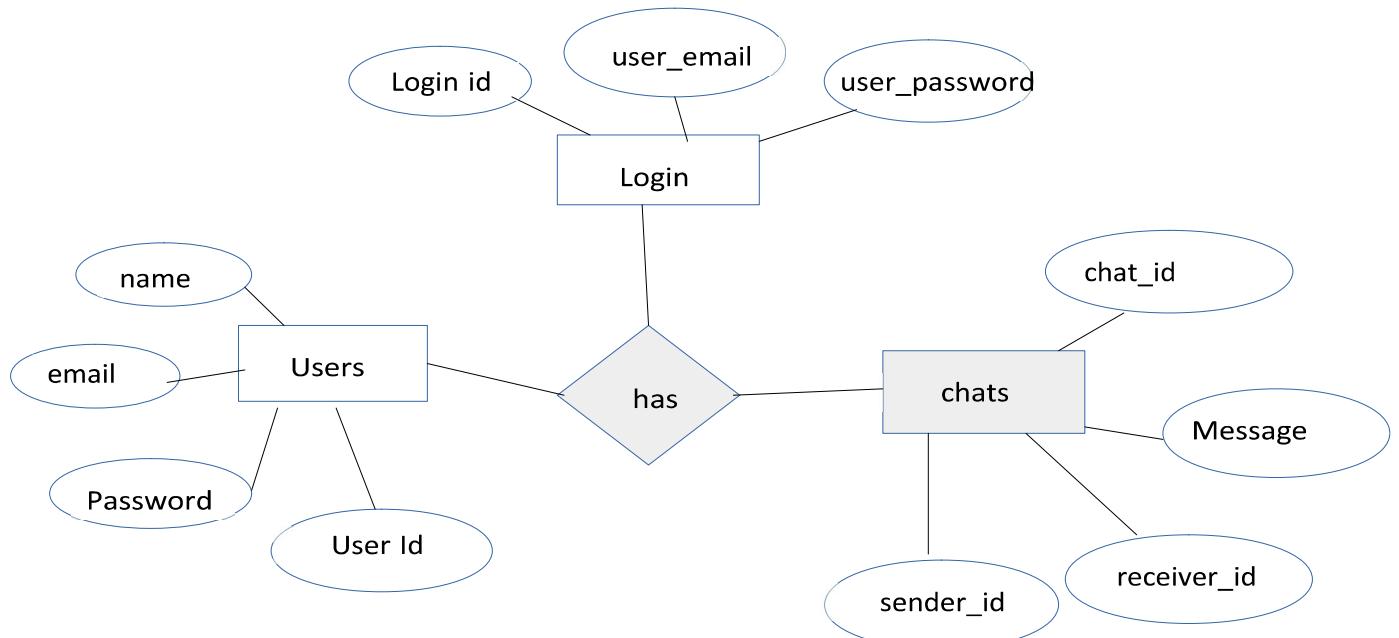
4.	User	onclick	User	1/day	Episodic	It show the Chat Screen
5.	User	onclick	Input Message	1/day	Episodic	It ask the Message to type And send to Another user
6.	User	onclick	Send Button	1/day	Episodic	User Entered Message Sent to the Intended user
7.	User	onclick	Back button	1/day	Episodic	It shows List of user
8.	User	onclick	Another user	1/day	Episodic	Another user Chat window opened
9.	User	onclick	Home button	1/day	Episodic	User will move to the Home Screen
10.	User	onclick	Logout	1/day	Episodic	After onclick logout user logout from page and reach to homeScreen.

Functional Requirements:

Use case Diagram:



ER Diagram:



UI Of Converse



Converse

Enter Email

Enter Password

LOG IN

Don't have an Account? [SignUp](#)



Converse

Name

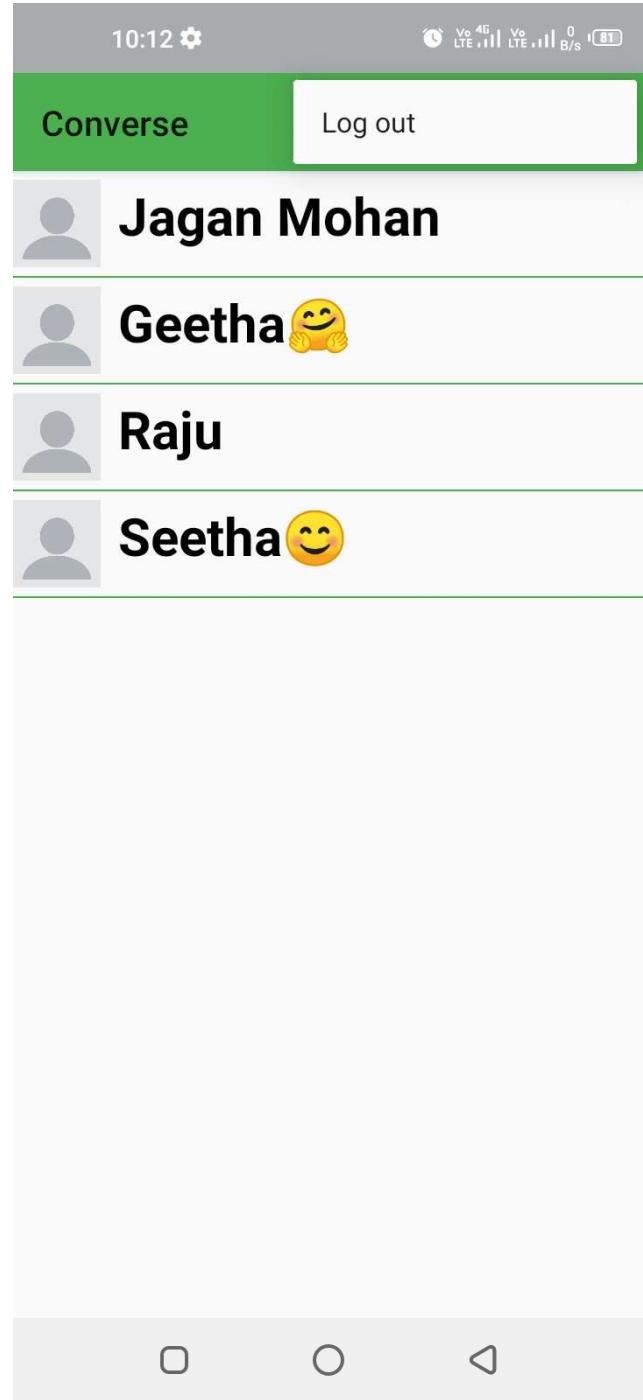
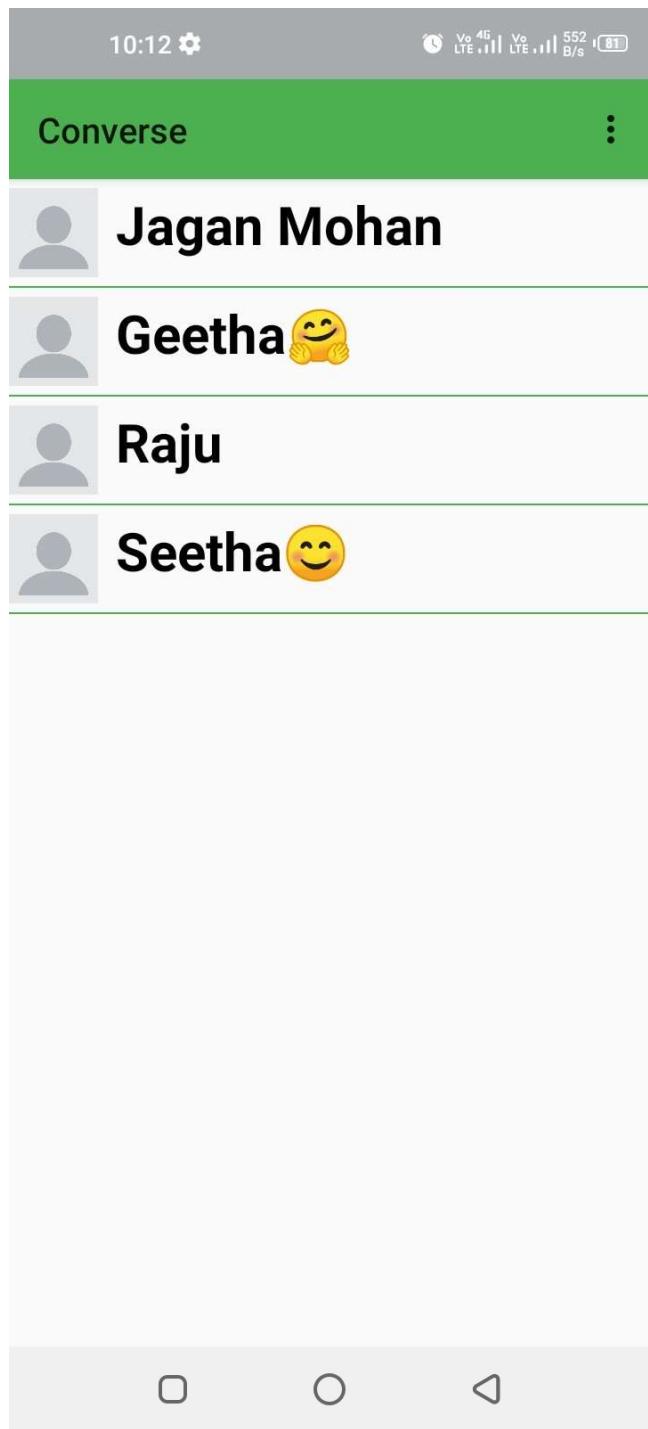
Email

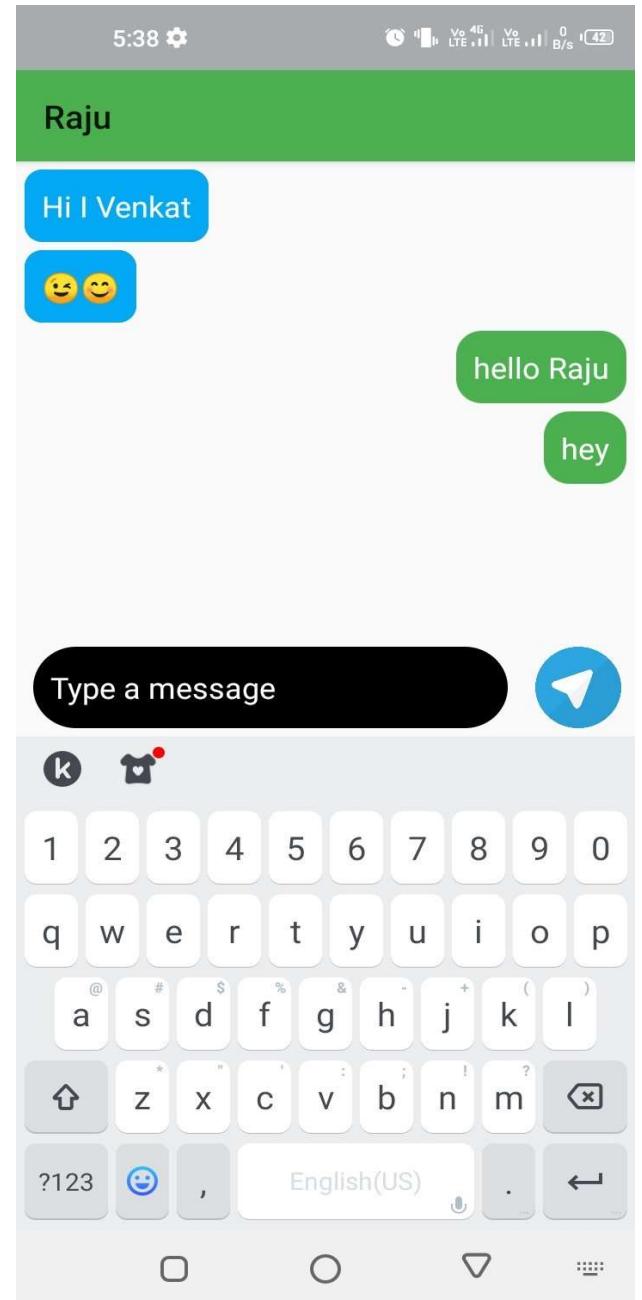
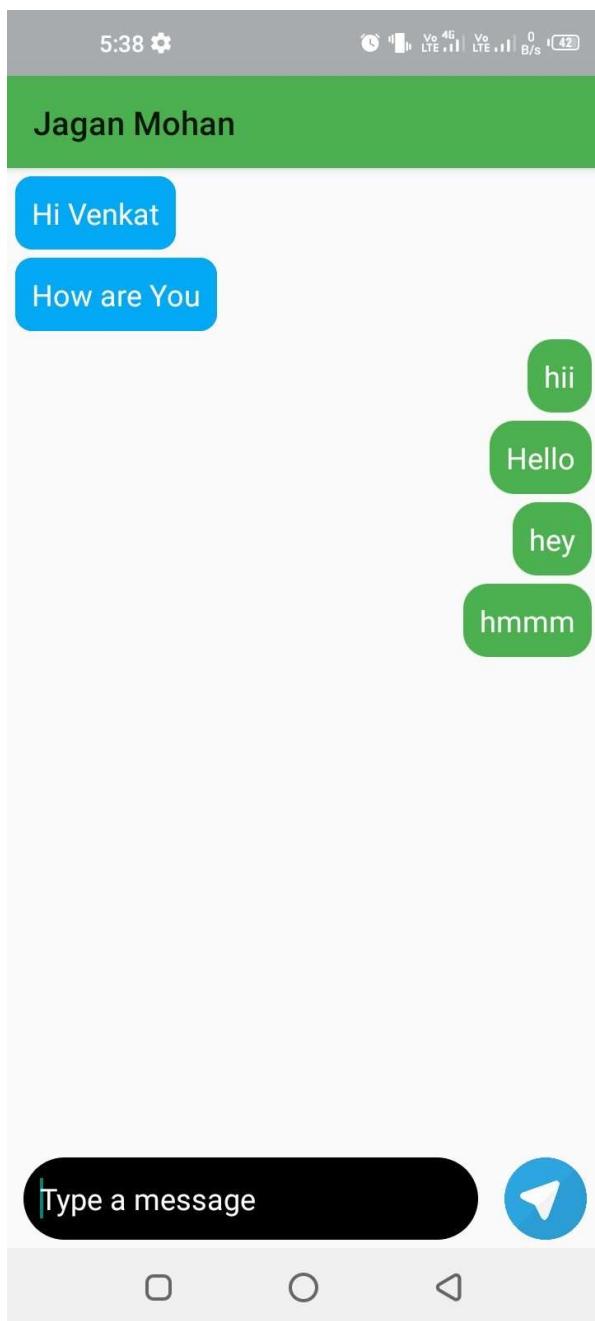
Password

Sign Up

Already have Account? [Login](#)







Connecting to Firebase

The screenshot shows the Firebase Authentication console for the project "MyMessenger". The left sidebar includes links for Project Overview, Authentication (selected), Realtime Database, Extensions, Build, Release & Monitor, Analytics, Engage, and All products. The main area displays a table of users with columns for Identifier, Providers, Created, Signed In, and User UID. The table lists five users added on Sep 15, 2022, with their corresponding email addresses and unique User UIDs.

Identifier	Providers	Created	Signed In	User UID
geetha@gmail.com	✉️	Sep 15, 2022	Sep 15, 2022	m4RYlbcK9UhB0291meFKeOkhU...
seetha@gmail.com	✉️	Sep 15, 2022	Sep 15, 2022	zGzcYessprNgTckW0Vg3jzmlHC...
jagan@gmail.com	✉️	Sep 15, 2022	Sep 15, 2022	X7gYrMlhBaVZH6C3QuirbpcpW4K3
raju@gmail.com	✉️	Sep 15, 2022	Sep 15, 2022	o9yHgp9BauSKd7je4tq5smJfVWB2
venkat@gmail.com	✉️	Sep 9, 2022	Sep 15, 2022	YNvdF5mowNbHQ1RvpeISRF9yda...

The screenshot shows the Firebase Realtime Database console for the project "MyMessenger". The left sidebar includes links for Project Overview, Authentication, and Realtime Database (selected). The main area displays a hierarchical tree view of database data under the path "https://mymessenger-6037e-default.firebaseio.com/". The "chats" node contains a child node "5rCTJmbVks8gmhrU0xrzaTLq143Jd7ZW6jd1pQNLpbcm3xDHJcaHX2" which further contains a "messages" node with several child keys. The status bar at the bottom indicates the database location is United States (us-central1).

The screenshot shows the Firebase Realtime Database interface for a project named "MyMessenger". The left sidebar contains navigation links for Project Overview, Authentication, Realtime Database, Extensions (selected), Analytics, Engage, and All products. The main area displays the Realtime Database structure under "Data". The database path is https://mymessenger-6037e-default.firebaseio.com/. The structure includes a "chats" node and a "user" node. The "user" node contains two entries: one for "Jagan Mohan" (uid: X7gYrMlhBaVZH6C3QuIrbpcpW4K3) and one for "Venkat" (uid: YNvdF5mowNbHQ1RvpeiSRf9ydan1). Both users have their email and name listed under their respective uid nodes.

```
https://mymessenger-6037e-default.firebaseio.com/.json
{
  "chats": {
    // ...
  },
  "user": {
    "X7gYrMlhBaVZH6C3QuIrbpcpW4K3": {
      "email": "Jagan@gmail.com",
      "name": "Jagan Mohan",
      "uid": "X7gYrMlhBaVZH6C3QuIrbpcpW4K3"
    },
    "YNvdF5mowNbHQ1RvpeiSRf9ydan1": {
      "email": "venkat@gmail.com",
      "name": "Venkat",
      "uid": "YNvdF5mowNbHQ1RvpeiSRf9ydan1"
    }
  }
}
```

This screenshot shows the same Firebase Realtime Database interface, but the "chats" node has been expanded to reveal its contents. The "chats" node contains a single entry for a conversation between "Jagan Mohan" and "Venkat". The message content is as follows:

```
https://mymessenger-6037e-default.firebaseio.com/.json
{
  "chats": {
    "m4RYIbcK9UhB0291meFKeOkhU7f2": {
      "messages": [
        {
          "message": "Hello Geetha",
          "senderId": "YNvdF5mowNbHQ1RvpeiSRf9ydan1",
          "timestamp": "2022-09-15T10:07:55.550Z"
        },
        {
          "message": "Hi",
          "senderId": "X7gYrMlhBaVZH6C3QuIrbpcpW4K3",
          "timestamp": "2022-09-15T10:08:00.550Z"
        }
      ]
    }
}
```

Conclusion

The Converse Application Provides users to communicate with others by which they can improve their communication skills and they can also share information. This App can be used any person who want to chat with their friends and family and others.

Future Enhancement

- User can Upload their profile pic so that other users can easily identify them
- Sharing files option will be implemented
- Groupchat option will be enabled and some more functionalities like who are in online.
- Audio video calling will be implemented.

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