

ADS NAVIGATOR

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Introduction

What is Ads Navigator?

- Recommendation system for ads/places
- A location based application
- Includes Navigation Support
- Developed for android mobiles

Objectives

- To enable users to view and navigate the advertisements in real-time on a particular area.
- To recommend ads/places to users that are unfamiliar with but are likely to desire.
- To help vendors to advertise & improve their businesses.

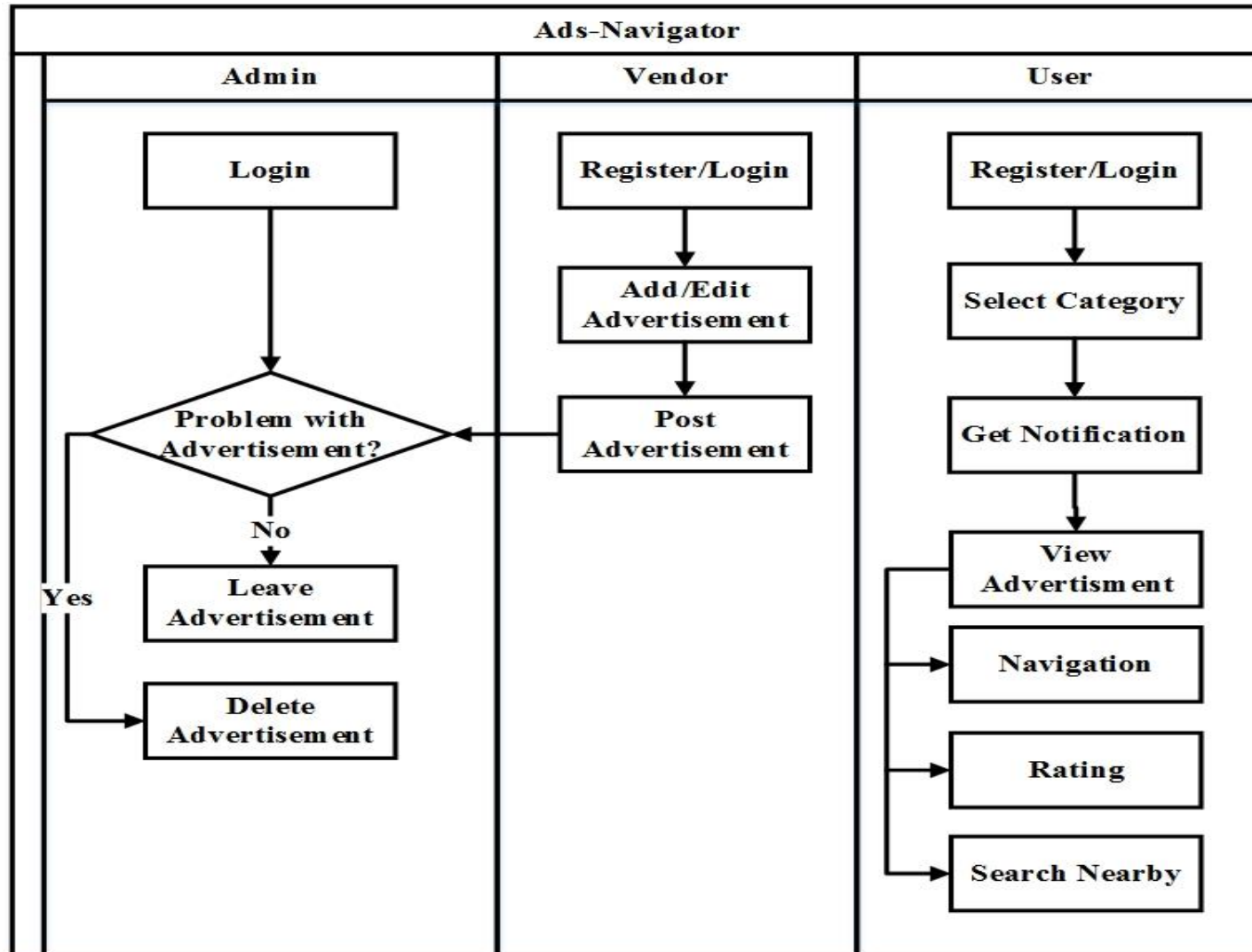
Scope & Applications

- Recently established vendors and businesses.
- People who are new to the locality.
- Targeted Areas: Restaurants, Hotels/Lodge, Stores, etc.

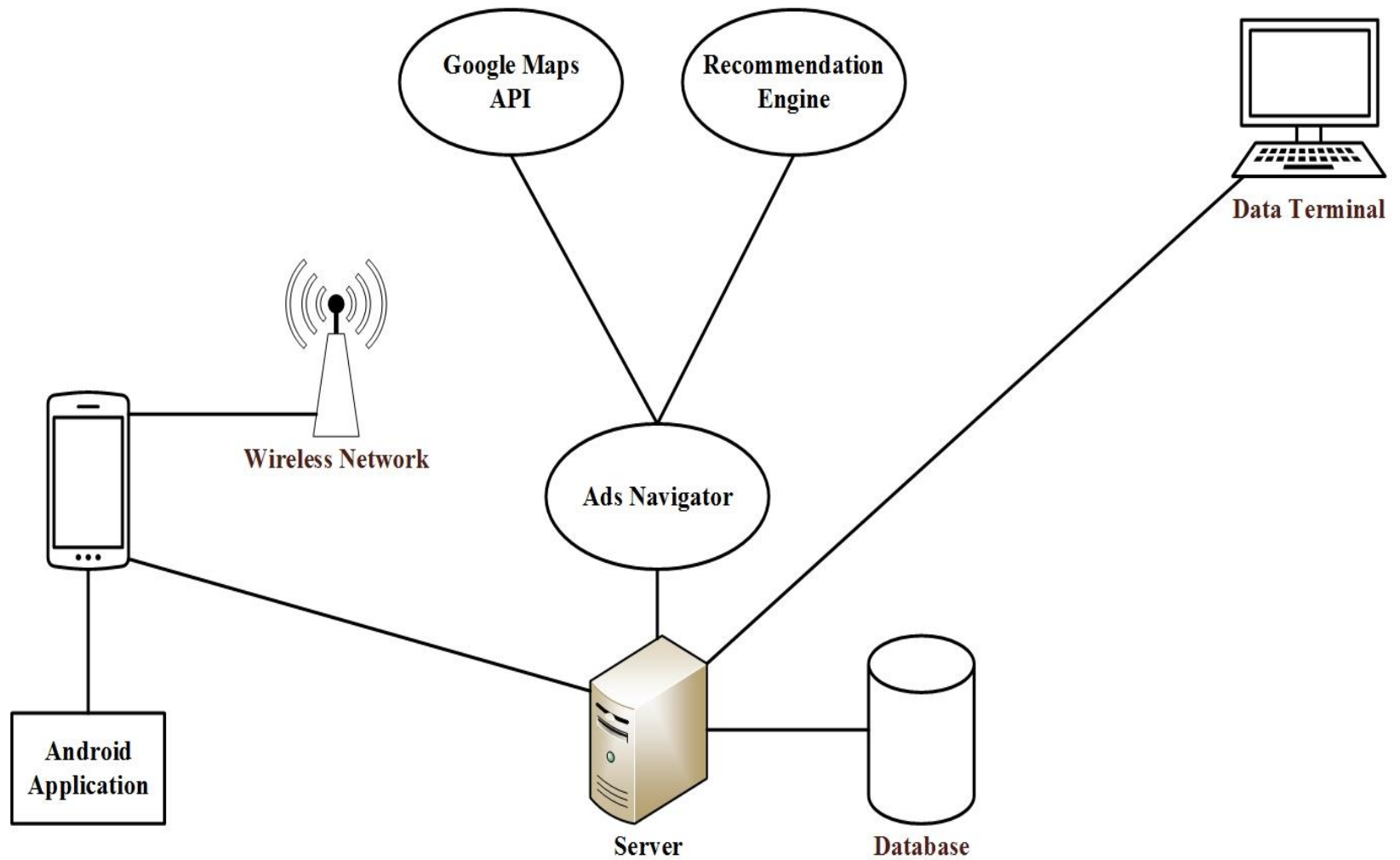
Features

- Location based Advertisements
- Navigation
- Notification
- Search Nearby
- Rate Advertisements
- Recommendations

System Flow Diagram



Process Diagram



Methodology

- Development Platform - Android
- User Interface – XML, Android Material Design Library
- Server, Database & Authentication- Firebase
- Maps and Navigation – Google API
- Recommendation – Apache Mahout Library
- Algorithms – Collaborative Filtering & Pearson Correlation Coefficient Algorithm

Methodology

Collaborative Filtering Algorithm

- Predict the ratings of unrated items by a given user and recommend the Top-N items.
- Assumes a list of m users $U = \{u_1, u_2, \dots, u_m\}$ and a list of n items $I = \{i_1, i_2, \dots, i_n\}$. Each user u_i has rated a list of items noted by I_{ui} .
- Two approaches:
 1. Item Based Nearest Neighbor
 2. User-Based Nearest Neighbor

Methodology

Collaborative Filtering Algorithm

Item Based Nearest Neighbor

- Utilizes the similarity computed between two items.
- Generates prediction for a user u and item i is composed of a weighted sum of the user u 's ratings for items most similar to i

$$pred(u, i) = \frac{\sum_{j \in ratedItems(u)} sim(i, j) \cdot r_{uj}}{\sum_{j \in ratedItems(u)} sim(i, j)}$$

Methodology

Collaborative Filtering Algorithm

User Based Nearest Neighbor

- Utilizes the similarity computed between the active user and all other users.
- Generate a prediction for an item i by analyzing ratings for i from users in u 's neighborhood.

$$pred(u, i) = \bar{r}_u + \frac{\sum_{n \in neighbor(u)} sim(u, n) \cdot (r_{ni} - \bar{r}_n)}{\sum_{n \in neighbor(u)} sim(u, n)}$$

Methodology

Pearson Correlation Coefficient Algorithm

- Utilizes similarity on how much the rating given by the common users for a pair of items deviate from average ratings for those items.

$$\text{sim}(i, j) = \frac{\sum_{u \in U} (R_{u,i} - \bar{R}_i)(R_{u,j} - \bar{R}_j)}{\sqrt{\sum_{u \in U} (R_{u,i} - \bar{R}_i)^2} \sqrt{\sum_{u \in U} (R_{u,j} - \bar{R}_j)^2}}$$

Results & Limitations

Results

- System Analysis & Design
- User Interface
- Authentication
- Post, View & Rate ads
- Recommender System

Limitations

- Less accurate recommender
- Manual detection of Inappropriate content
- Limited to android platform

Conclusion & Future Enhancements

Conclusion

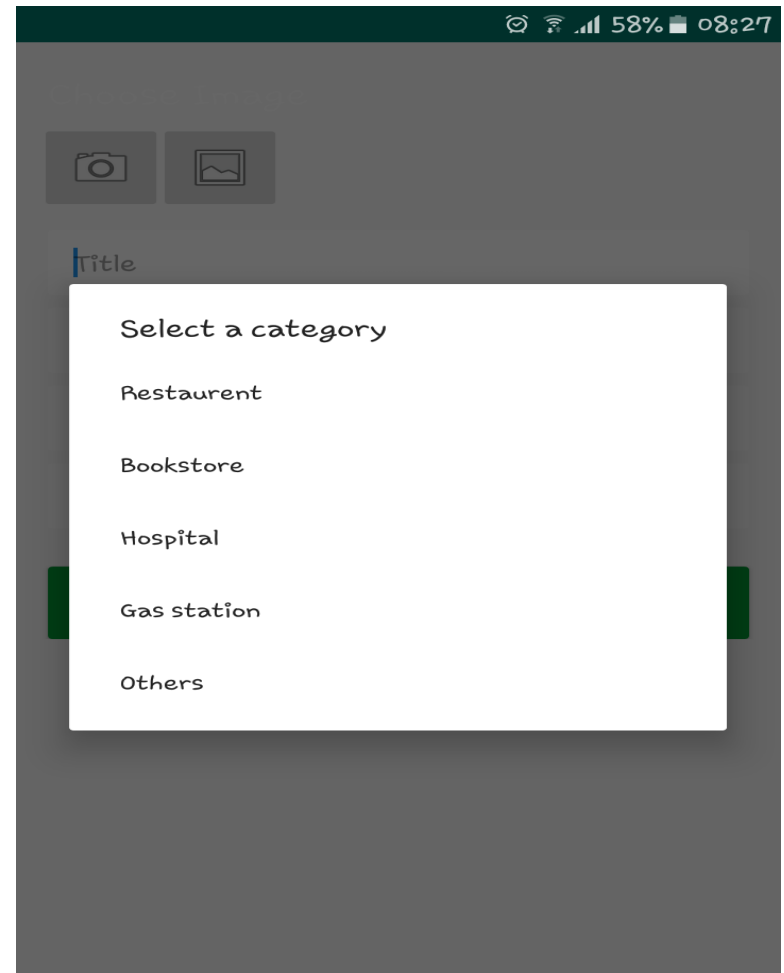
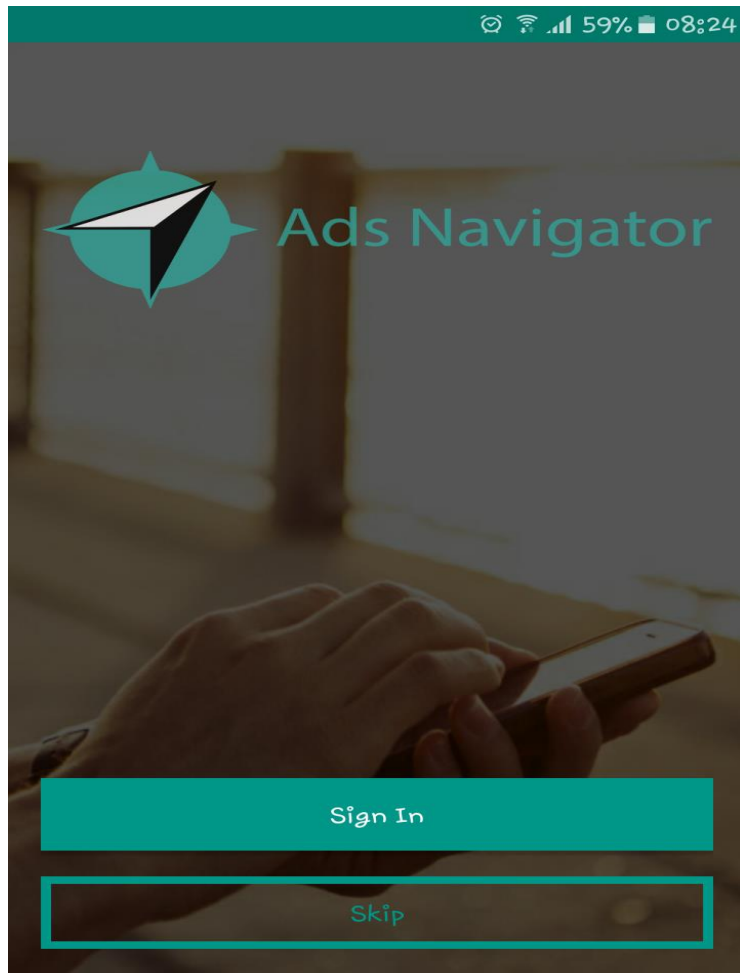
- Fulfillment of pre defined objectives
- Familiarization with emerging needs in this field
- Knowledge of tools, techniques and teamwork

Conclusion & Future Enhancements

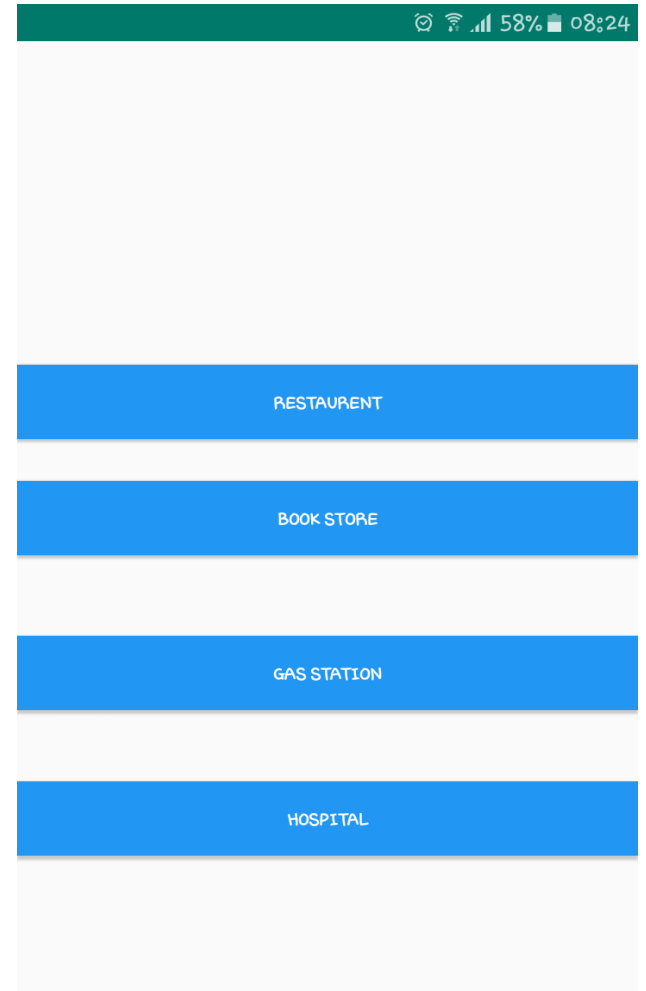
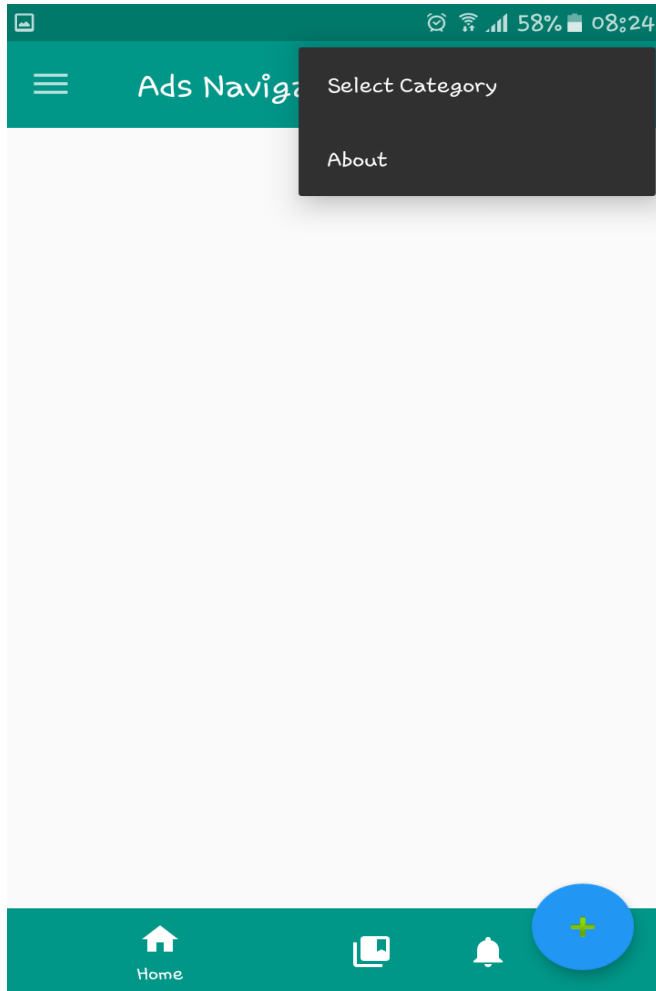
Future Enhancements

- Published in other platforms
- Upgraded to an Enterprise standard
- Make Recommendations more accurate
- Integrate app with payment module

Snapshots



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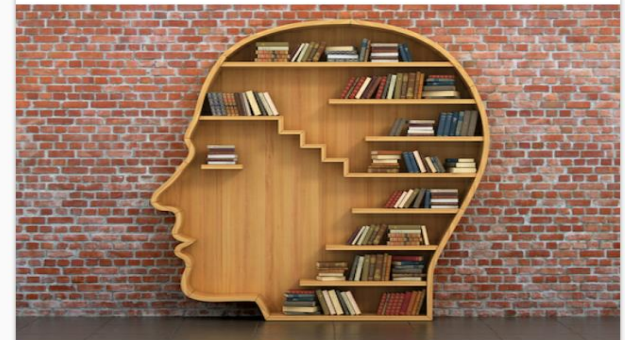
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