Project Report: Disease Recognition in Chickens Using MERN Stack

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Overview

The project "Disease Recognition in Chickens" aims to provide a robust and scalable web application that allows poultry farmers and veterinarians to detect diseases in chickens based on image analysis using deep learning, supported by the MERN stack

(MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js).

1.2 Purpose

The purpose of this project is to help identify and manage poultry diseases effectively by leveraging computer vision and Al through a user-friendly interface. The solution reduces diagnostic time and helps in early disease detection, leading to better poultry

health management.

2. IDEATION PHASE

2.1 Problem Statement

Poultry farmers often struggle with timely disease diagnosis, leading to severe health impacts and economic losses. There is a need for a smart system to identify common

poultry diseases from images.

2.2 Empathy Map Canvas

Think & Feel: Farmers worry about flock health.

Hear: Advices from vets or other farmers.

See: Sick chickens with visible symptoms.

Say & Do: Describe symptoms or use traditional remedies.

Pain: Delay in diagnosis, high treatment cost.

Gain: Quick, accurate disease detection.

2.3 Brainstorming

- Image upload system
- Al model to detect disease
- Dashboard for reports
- Admin & user access levels
- Cloud deployment for scalability

3. REQUIREMENT ANALYSIS

3.1 Customer Journey Map

| Stage | Action | Touchpoint | Emotion |
|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|-----------|
| Awareness | Learns about app | Social Media | Curious |
| Consideratio n | Tries the app | Website | Hopeful |
| Conversion | Uploads images | App Interface | Confident |
| Retention | Receives result | Dashboard | Trusting |
| Advocacy | Shares with peers | Social Sharing | Satisfied |

3.2 Solution Requirement

- Functional: Registration, Login, Image Upload, Al Analysis, Report View
- Non-functional: Usability, Security, Performance, Availability, Scalability

3.3 Data Flow Diagram

DFD Level 0: User → Upload Image → Backend API → ML Model → Prediction → Response to User

3.4 Technology Stack

• Frontend: React.js, Tailwind CSS

• **Backend**: Node.js, Express.js

• **Database**: MongoDB

• Al Model: TensorFlow/Keras

• Cloud Deployment: Render/Heroku

4. PROJECT DESIGN

4.1 Problem Solution Fit

Problem: Manual diagnosis is time-consuming and costly.

Solution: Al-based detection through images.

4.2 Proposed Solution

Users can upload chicken images and receive disease diagnosis using a trained model. The app provides dashboards and reports for better management.

4.3 Solution Architecture

- 1. React Frontend for UI
- 2. Node.js Backend for API
- 3. MongoDB for storage
- 4. Integrated ML model for prediction
- 5. Cloud deployment for access

5. PROJECT PLANNING & SCHEDULING

5.1 Project Planning

| Task | Start Date | End Date |
|----------------------|------------|----------|
| Requirements | Jan 10 | Jan 12 |
| Gathering | | |
| UI/UX Design | Jan 13 | Jan 15 |
| Backend Development | Jan 16 | Jan 20 |
| Model Integration | Jan 21 | Jan 24 |
| Testing & Deployment | Jan 25 | Jan 28 |

6. FUNCTIONAL AND PERFORMANCE TESTING

6.1 Performance Testing

• Load tested with 100 concurrent users

• Average response time: 1.2 sec

• Image upload time: 2-3 sec

7. RESULTS

7.1 Output Screenshots

- Registration & Login UI
- Dashboard Interface
- Image Upload Panel
- Disease Prediction Result Page

8. ADVANTAGES & DISADVANTAGES

Advantages:

- Faster disease recognition
- Reduces manual errors
- User-friendly UI

Disadvantages:

- Internet dependency
- Accuracy depends on dataset

9. CONCLUSION

This project demonstrates how MERN stack and AI can be integrated to solve real-world agricultural problems, specifically in poultry disease detection, resulting in improved livestock health management.

10. FUTURE SCOPE

- Include video-based diagnosis
- Support for multi-language interface
- Detailed disease treatment guidance

11. APPENDIX

• Source Code: GitHub Repository

• Dataset Link: <u>Dataset Source</u>

• Project Demo Link: <u>Demo Site</u>