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Project Name: Recipe Generator

Focus on Lord's component of the project: UI and Frontend work

| Information Domain Value | Count | Weighting factor | | | | |
|---------------------------------|-------|------------------|---------|---------|---|----|
| | | simple | average | complex | | |
| External Inputs (EIs) | 4 | 3 | 4 | 6 | = | 16 |
| External Outputs (EOs) | 0 | 4 | 5 | 7 | = | 0 |
| External Inquiries (EQs) | 0 | 3 | 4 | 6 | = | 0 |
| Internal Logical Files (ILFs) | 5 | 7 | 10 | 15 | = | 50 |
| External Interface Files (EIFs) | 0 | 5 | 7 | 10 | = | 0 |
| Count total | | | | | | 66 |

- Internal Logical File (ILF): User-identifiable group of related data maintained within the application
 - Client data
 - Diet data: Specific dietary preferences or restrictions that clients might have clients.
 - Allergens data: List of allergens that clients might have
 - Nutrient data: Information related to client nutrient needs
 - Recipes created by the client: User-generated recipes that are stored within the system along with the other Recipes
 - Personal preferences, sensitive information like birthdate, allergens, etc.
- External Interface File (EIF): User-identifiable group of related data referenced by the application but maintained within another application
 - Zero because even though some of the data is referenced through an external source, all the data referenced will eventually be stored and therefore, internal.
- External Input (EI): Unique elementary process that processes data coming from outside the application boundary
 - Input user data when they first create their profile and select optional tags like allergens, dietary restrictions, etc., process and store it within the system
 - A user modifying their profile to change it to their current needs or identity.
 - A user submits a new recipe into the database, filling in the necessary information like calories, allergens, ingredients, etc.

- A user updates an existing recipe object in the database, changing the information to their liking
- External Output (EO): Unique elementary process that sends data outside the application boundary
 - Zero because we don't have any planned sharing mechanism outside the application boundary
- External Inquiry (EQ): Unique elementary process that sends data outside the application boundary. Calculations, derivation of data, or maintenance do not take place.
 - **Internal Inquiry (IQ)**
 - Recipes:
 - Queries the system to display recipes with or without specific ingredients, nutrients, or allergens
 - Clients:
 - Queries for clients with specific dietary needs, allergens, or nutrient requirements
 - Otherwise, **zero EQ**

What's the line between external output and external inquiry?

- There is no line since we have zero EQ and EO. The data being sent or inquired are all internal.
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