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Hackathon Day 2: Planning the Technical Foundation

Customized Car Rental Marketplace Plan :

System Architecture for Rental Car Service Platform

Frontend

- **Framework:** Next.js
- **Styling:** Tailwind CSS
- **Component Structure:**
 - Hero Section (Pixel-perfect design)
 - Sidebar (Vehicle type, capacity, price filter)
 - Pick and Drop Form (Pickup and Drop-off date/time selection)
 - About Page (Full-page layout with icons)
 - Slider Components (Image sliders where required)

Backend :

- **CMS:** Sanity CMS (for dynamic content management , for storing vehicle data, user data, and booking details)
- **APIs:**
 - Custom REST API for booking and user management (Node.js/Express.js)
 - 3rd Party APIs (Payment gateways, Google Maps API for location services)

Vehicle Management :

- **Tracking System :**
 - Live Vehicle Tracking (Integration with GPS APIs)
 - Real-time Vehicle Handover Process (QR Code or NFC-based verified)

System Flow

1. User Interaction

- a. Users select vehicle type, capacity, and price range using the Sidebar.
- b. Users choose pickup and drop-off details through the Pick and DropForm.

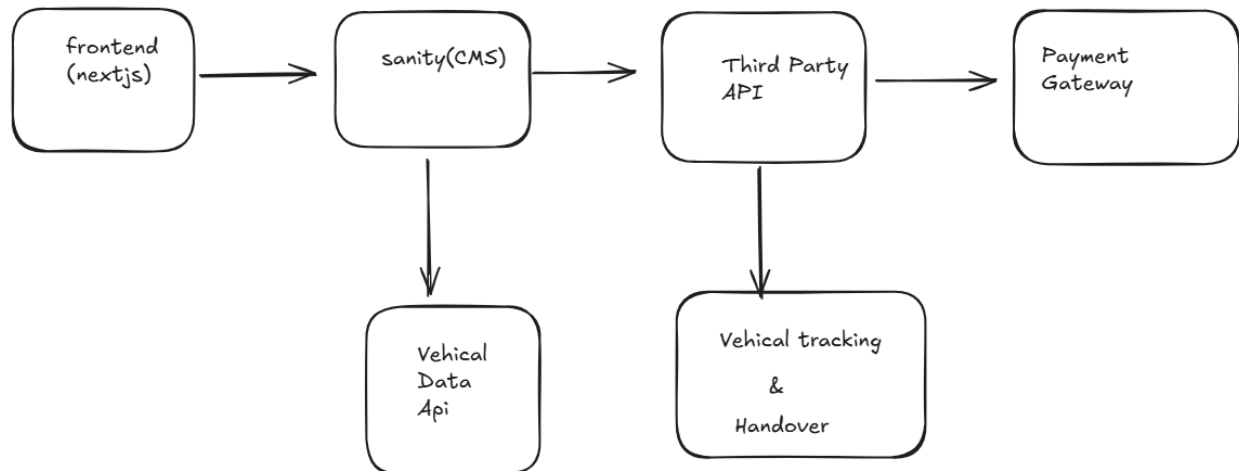
2. Data Handling

- a. Vehicle data is fetched from Sanity CMS .
- b. Booking details are processed via custom APIs.

3. Tracking & Handover

- a. Vehicles are tracked using GPS APIs.
- b. Vehicle handover is managed through secure verification systems.

Architecture Diagram



Key Workflows for Rental Car Service Platform

1. User Registration & Authentication:

- User signs up or logs in.
- User data is stored in the database (e.g., Firebase/Auth service).
- Confirmation email or SMS is sent to the user.

2. Vehicle Browsing & Filtering:

- User navigates the categories via the Sidebar (Type, Capacity, Price).
- Next.js fetches vehicle data from Sanity CMS.
- Filtered vehicle listings are displayed dynamically on the frontend.

3. Pick-Up & Drop-Off Scheduling:

- User selects pick-up/drop-off locations, dates, and times using the Pick and Drop Form.
- Selections are stored in state and sent to the backend when confirmed.

4. Vehicle Booking:

- User selects a vehicle and clicks on the 'Book Now' button.
- Booking details (vehicle, user, pick-up/drop-off info) are sent to the backend.
- Booking confirmation is stored in the database and displayed to the user.

5. Payment Processing:

- User proceeds to payment after booking.

- b. Payment request is sent to a 3rd-party payment gateway API (e.g., Stripe).
- c. On successful payment, booking status is updated in the database.

6. Vehicle Handover & Live Tracking:

- a. Vehicle delivery status is updated in the database.
- b. Live vehicle tracking is handled via a 3rd-party GPS API and displayed to the user.

7. Booking Management:

- a. User views current and past bookings from the dashboard.
- b. Booking data is fetched from the database and rendered in the frontend.

8. Admin Management:

- a. Admin uploads or updates vehicle data via Sanity CMS.
- b. Admin manages bookings and user data from a secure dashboard.

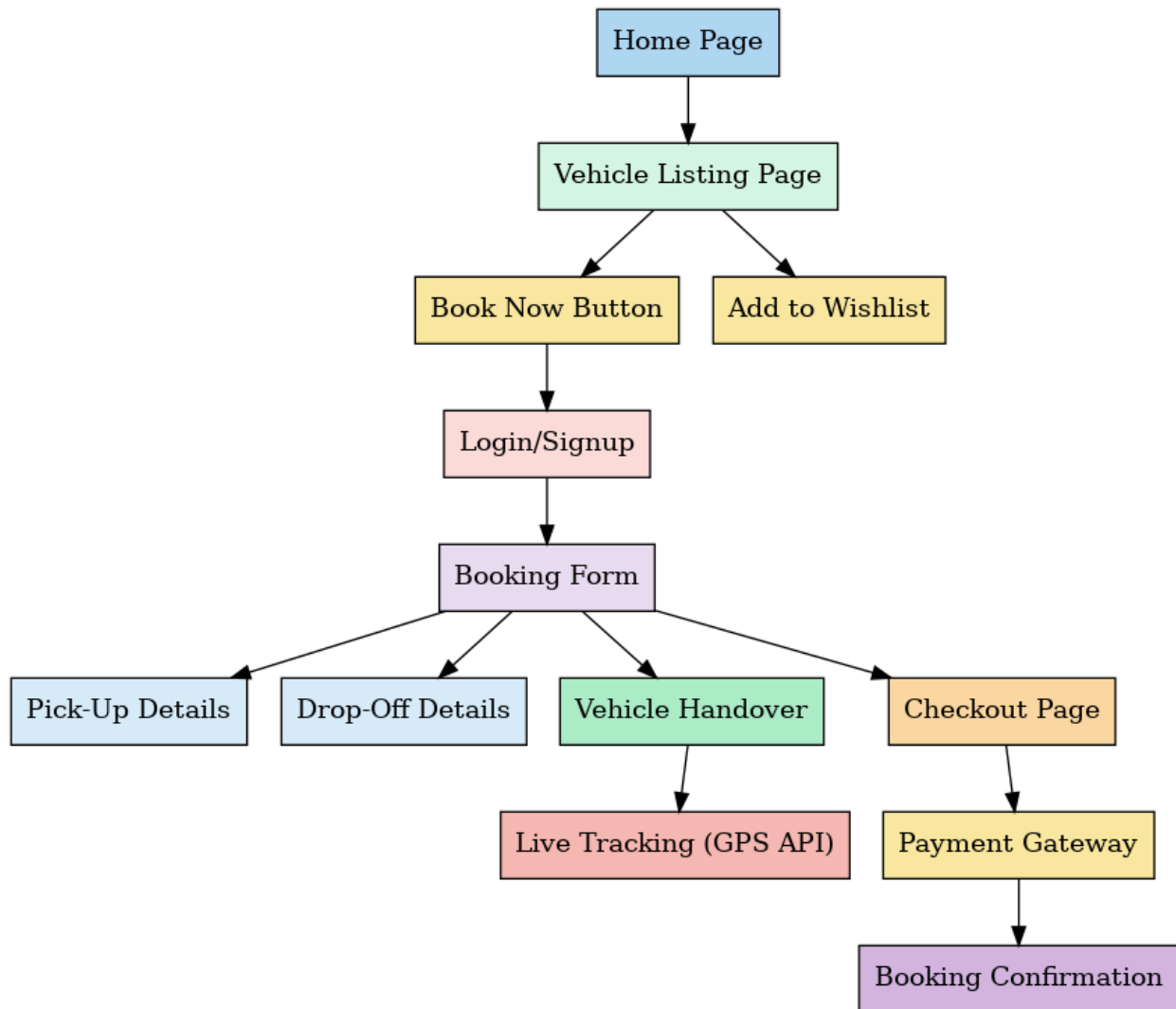
9. Notifications:

- a. Email/SMS notifications are sent for booking confirmation, reminders, and updates using a 3rd-party service (e.g., Twilio, SendGrid).

10. User Feedback & Reviews:

- a. Users submit feedback after completing a booking.
- b. Reviews are stored in the database and displayed on vehicle pages.

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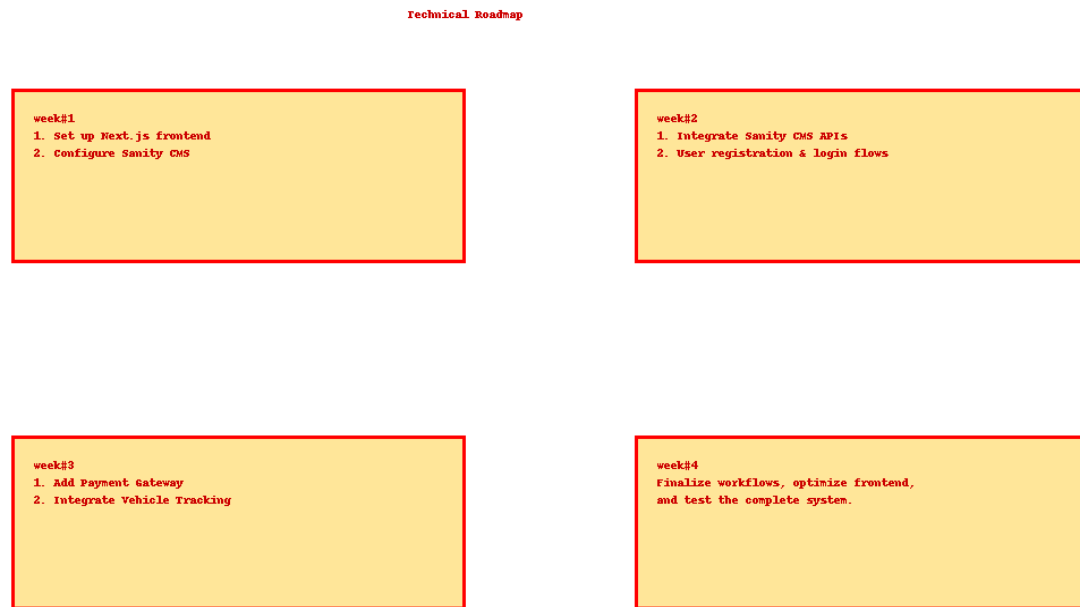
Step_3_API Requirements for Rental Car Service Platform

#NAME?	Method	Description	Payload	Response Example
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/register-user	POST	Registers a new user in the system.	{"username": "JohnDoe", "email": " john.doe@example.com ", "password": "password123"}	{"userId": 123, "status": "Success"}
/get-products	GET	Fetches a list of available products or services.	N/A	{"products": [{ "id": 1, "name": "Sedan", "price": 50 }]}
/create-order	POST	Creates a new order for selected items.	{"userId": 123, "productId": 456, "quantity": 2}	{"orderId": 567, "status": "Confirmed"}
/cancel-order	DELETE	Cancels an existing order.	{"orderId": 567}	{"status": "Cancelled"}
/update-condition	PUT	Updates the condition of a product or service after use.	{"orderId": 567, "condition": "Good"}	{"status": "Updated"}
/order-history	GET	Retrieves the history of all past orders for a user.	N/A	{"orders": [{ "orderId": 567, "product": "Sedan", "date": "2024-12-20" }]}
/payment	POST	Processes payment for an order.	{"orderId": 567, "paymentMethod": "Credit Card", "amount": 100}	{"paymentId": 789, "status": "Success"}
/track-shipment	GET	Tracks the status of a shipment or return.	{"orderId": 567}	{"status": "In Transit", "expectedDelivery": "2024-12-25"}



Technical Road Map



Sanity CMS Schema

Car Schema :

```
// schemas/car.js
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```
export default {
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```
  name: 'car',
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type: 'document',
title: 'Car',
fields: [
  {
    name: 'name',
    type: 'string',
    title: 'Car Name',
  },
  {
    name: 'type',
    type: 'string',
    title: 'Car Type',
    options: {
      list: ['Sedan', 'SUV', 'Hatchback', 'Convertible', 'Sport'],
    },
  },
  {
    name: 'pricePerDay',
    type: 'number',
    title: 'Price Per Day ($)',
  },
]
```



```
{
  name: 'availability',
  type: 'boolean',
  title: 'Available for Rent',
  initialValue: true,
},
{
  name: 'fuelCapacity',
  type: 'string',
  title: 'Fuel Capacity (Liters)',
  description: 'Example: 90L',
},
{
  name: 'transmission',
  type: 'string',
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