TechCorner Sales API Documentation

Overview

This API provides access to processed TechCorner mobile sales data with support for date-based filtering and cursor-based pagination. The API is secured with API key authentication and implements rate limiting to ensure fair usage.

Base URL

http://localhost:8000

Authentication

All API requests require an API key to be included in the X-API-Key header:

X-API-Key: your_api_key_here

For testing purposes, the following API keys are accepted:

- test_api_key
- demo_key

Example:

curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"

Requests without a valid API key will receive a 401 Unauthorized response.

Rate Limiting

The API implements rate limiting of 100 requests per minute per API key. If you exceed this limit, you will receive a 429 Too Many Requests response. Please adjust your request rate accordingly.

Rate limits are reset every 60 seconds.

Endpoints

GET /data

Retrieve mobile sales data with filtering and cursor-based pagination.

Query Parameters

Parameter	Type	Required	Description
start_date	String	No	Filter data from this date (format: YYYY-MM-DD)
end_date	String	No	Filter data until this date (format: YYYY-MM-DD)
location	String	No	Filter by customer location (e.g., "Rangamati Sadar")
gender	String	No	Filter by gender (M or F)
min_age	Integer	No	Filter by minimum age
max_age	Integer	No	Filter by maximum age
mobile_name	String	No	Filter by mobile device name (e.g., "iPhone")
cursor	String	No	Pagination cursor for retrieving the next set of results
limit	Integer	No	Number of records to return (default: 50, max: 100)

Response Format

```
"items": [
   "customer_id": 1,
   "date": "2024-05-27 00:00:00.000000",
    "customer_location": "Rangamati Sadar",
    "age": 49,
    "gender": "F",
    "mobile_name": "Galaxy A55 5G 8/128",
    "sell_price": 17073.0,
    "from facebook": "No",
   "followed page": "Yes",
   "previous purchase": "No",
    "heard of shop": "Yes",
    "source_file": "TechCorner_Sales_update.csv",
    "processed_at": "2025-03-23 21:55:54.960163",
    "rowid": 1
 },
  // More items...
"next_cursor": "51", // Cursor for the next page, null if no more results
"total_count": 8871 // Total number of records matching the query
```

Example Requests

Basic request (first page of results):

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
```

With date filtering:

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?start_date=2024-05-28@end_date=2024-05-28" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
```

With location filtering:

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?location=Rangamati%20Sadar" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
```

With multiple filters:

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?start_date=2024-05-28&location=Rangamati%20Sadar&gender=F" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
```

With pagination (using cursor from previous response):

```
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?cursor=50&limit=25" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
```

GET /health

Health check endpoint for monitoring the API status.

Response

```
{
  "status": "healthy",
  "total_records": 8871,
  "timestamp": "2025-03-23T21:55:54.960163"
}
```

Pagination

The API uses cursor-based pagination for efficient retrieval of large datasets:

- 1. Make an initial request without a cursor to get the first page of results
- 2. In the response, look for the <code>next_cursor</code> field
- 3. If <code>next_cursor</code> is not null, use its value in the <code>cursor</code> parameter of your next request
- 4. Repeat until next_cursor is null, indicating no more results

Example pagination flow:

```
# Get first page
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?limit=25" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
# Response contains next_cursor: "26"

# Get second page
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?cursor=26&limit=25" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
# Response contains next_cursor: "51"

# Get third page
curl -X GET "http://localhost:8000/data?cursor=51&limit=25" -H "X-API-Key: test_api_key"
# And so on...
```

Error Handling

The API uses standard HTTP status codes to indicate the success or failure of a request:

Status Code	Description
200	Success
400	Bad Request - Invalid parameters
401	Unauthorized - Invalid or missing API key
429	Too Many Requests - Rate limit exceeded
500	Internal Server Error - Something went wrong on the server

Field

Type

Error responses include a JSON body with more details:

```
{
  "detail": "Error message describing the issue"
}
```

Data Fields

The API returns the following fields for each record:

Description

Integer	Unique identifier for the customer
String	Date of the purchase (YYYY-MM-DD)
String	Location of the customer (e.g., "Rangamati Sadar")
Integer	Age of the customer
String	Gender of the customer (M or F)
String	Name/model of the mobile device purchased
Float	Price of the mobile device
String	Whether the customer came from Facebook (Yes/No)
String	Whether the customer follows the shop's page (Yes/No)
String	Whether the customer made previous purchases (Yes/No)
String	Whether the customer had heard of the shop before (Yes/No)
String	Source data file name
String	Timestamp when the record was processed
Integer	Internal database row identifier (used for pagination)
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Sample API Outputs For visual reference, sample API outputs are available in the project repository:



These screenshots demonstrate the actual JSON responses from the API and can be helpful for understanding the response format and structure. Refer to these examples when building client applications that consume this API.