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HEART BEAT MONITORING SYSTEM AND SECURITY USING ANDROID

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Abstract: This paper is intended to monitor Heart beat with android application which is used to measure the heart beat of different persons. It is built using Android Studio. It may also include the different modules based on the software specification, system requirement, hardware requirement and disk space.

Keywords: Heartbeat, Security, Android, patient, analysis

1. INTRODUCTION

Heart Rate monitoring is an android application which is used for heart pulse recording of different persons of different age groups. It is mainly built using Android Studio Based on taking pulse and calculates blood pressure [1]. It may also include the different modules based on the software specification. The paper is also observed the security in accessing patient pulse data and maintain multiple patient's data.

2. Problem Statement

It is a newly proposed system consists of android application in which heart pulse is taken and expert advice is given. It is mainly helpful in remote areas where immediate medication is not available. It is a newly Proposed System, Which is used to take pulse among different users[6]. It is user-Friendly and allows the user to interact with doctor by sharing the pulse.

3. Problem Analysis

In the Paper Analysis phase, analyst has to identify the client requirements, and plan an outline for the paper. Analyst has to make discussion with the client and conducts detailed survey of the clients' business. This analysis identifies the nature of business, brand and other business attributes. It also determines the prospective goals and target audience [2].

The analysis should be done in the way, that it may not be too time consuming or very less informative. The team should be able to come up with the complete cost-benefit analysis and as the plan for the paper will be an output of analysis, it should be realistic. To achieve this, analyst should consult the designers, developers and testers to come

up with a realistic plan. Output of this phase should include Work plan, Cost involved, Team requirements, hardware-software requirements, supporting documents and the Client approval [5].

The detailed investigation of the system is carried out in accordance with the objectives of the proposed system. This involves detailed study of various operations performed by a system and their relationships within and outside the system. During this process, data are collected on the available files, decision points and transactions handled by the present system. Interviews, on-site observation and questionnaire are the tools used for detailed system study. Using the following steps it becomes easy to draw the exact boundary of the new system under consideration[3][4]:

Keeping in view the problems and new requirements, it is identified the working of application by considering the pros and cons including new areas of the system. The flow of application and flow of data is depicted in Fig. 1. The elements involved in this paper environment are: User authentication, Patient heart pulse collection, Storage of pulse data at a permanent location for future retrieval.

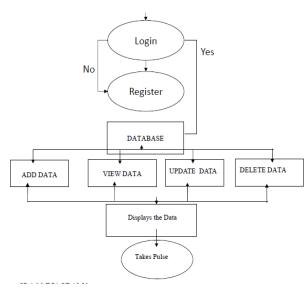


Fig 1. Flow of data for Pulse Rate reading system

4. KEYWORDS

APKs: Android App built in themes.

IDE: Integrated Development Environment.

SQLITE: A light weight backend storage platform for small devices.

Pro-guard: It is a free Java class file shrinker, optimizer, obfuscator, and pre-verifier. It detects and removes unused classes, fields, methods, and attributes [8] [10].

5. TECHNOLOGY BEING ADOPTED

Android Studio:

Android Studio is the official IDE for Android app development, based on IntelliJ IDEA. On top of IntelliJ's powerful code editor and developer tools, [14][15]Android Studio offers even more features that enhance the productivity while building Android apps, such as:

- A flexible Gradle-based build system
- Build variants and multiple APK file generation
- Code templates to help you build common app features
- A rich layout editor with support for drag and drop theme editing
- Lint tools to catch performance, usability, version compatibility, and other problems
- Code shrinking with ProGuard and resource shrinking with Gradle
- Built-in support for Google Cloud Platform, making it easy to integrate Google Cloud Messaging and App Engine
- Project Structure:

Each application in Android Studio contains one or more modules with source code files and resource files. Android environment provides different types of modules include:

- Android app modules
- Test modules
- Library modules
- App Engine modules

The three types files created during development of application are :

- Manifests: Manifest files.
- Java: Source code files.
- Res: Resource files.

Gradle Build System:

Android Studio uses Gradle as the foundation of the build system, with more Android-specific capabilities provided by the [16] Android Plugin for Gradle. This build system runs as an integrated tool from the Android Studio menu and independently from the command line [7]. It has the features of the build system to:

- Customize, configure, and extend the build process.
- Create multiple APKs for your app with different features using the same project and modules.
- Reuse code and resources across source sets.

The flexibility of Gradle enables you to achieve all of this without

modifying your app's core source files. To build an Android Studio

project, see Building and Running from Android Studio. To configure custom build settings in an Android Studio project, see Configuring Gradle Builds.

➤ Debug And Profile Tools:

Android Studio assists in debugging and improving the performance of the code, including inline debugging and performance analysis tools.

Inline debugging: Use inline debugging to enhance your code walk-through in the debugger view with inline verification of references, expressions, and variable values. Inline debug information provides:

- Inline variable values
- Referring objects that reference a selected object
- Method return values
- Lambda and operator expressions
- Tool tip values

To enable inline debugging, in the Debug window we need to select the Settings icon and select the check box to Show the Values In Editor[12] [13].

Memory and CPU Manager: We can more easily monitor the application performance and memory usage by CPU, find de-allocated objects, locate memory leaks, and track the amount of memory the connected device is being used. By executing the application on a device or emulator, we can deploy the application on the Android launch window by clicking on the android tab in the left corner of the runtime window.

Click the Memory or CPU

Data File Access:

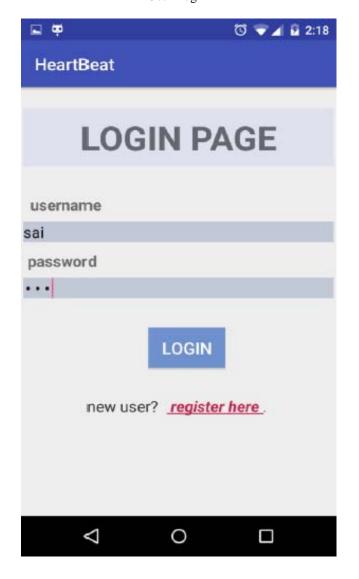
The Android SDK tools, such as Systrace, logcat, and Trace view generate performance and debugging data for detailed application analysis[17].

MySQL/SQLITE: It is used as back end storage tool. It can store large volume of data and supports the data access from multiple platforms. It is widely used database platform for mobile and small applications of any organizations. This is a secured environment, and prevent the unauthorized user access.

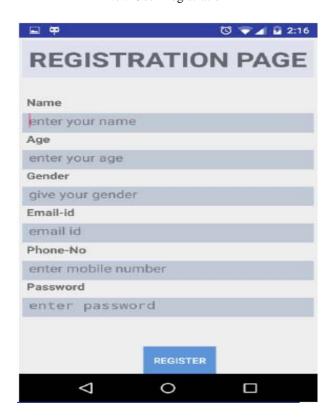
6. INTERFACES DEVELOPED

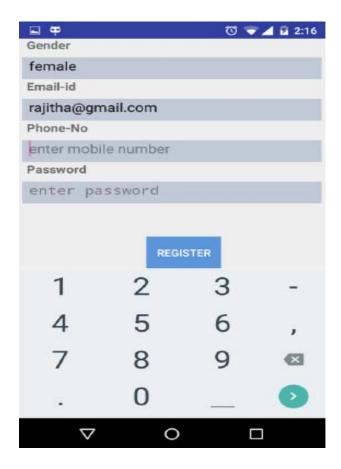
Interface is the communication medium between system and user. In this paper we used patient's heart beat recording[9][11]. It require the initial login by authorized user for security, making the system ready to receive the pulse by connecting mobile through emulator, start recording the pulse beat in the storage device and use it for future reference or comparing the heart pulse beat of the same patient. Following are the some interfaces provides the user interacting environment[18].

User Login



New User Registration

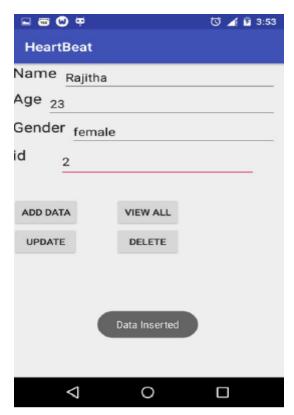


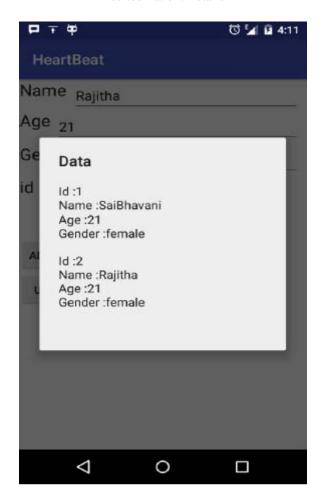


Inserted Patient Details

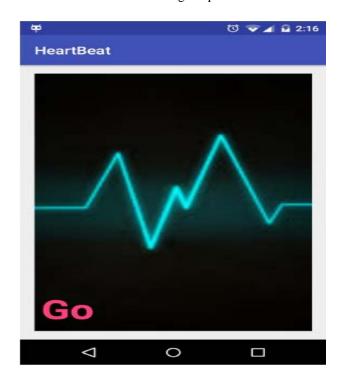
Patient details data entry







After recording the pulse



7. CONCLUSION

In future it will be available in Play store for free download, and will add other view details of the patient records and will make our server bigger the bugs in the next development. As per the user requirement, it satisfy the basic needs. But this paper can be enhanced in future for image compression and performance enhancement. It can also be considered in future for accessing the patient from remote and distance location for immediate decision on the patient's by comparing present and previously store heart pulse reading.

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