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ABSTRACT

This project is a web application project for fulfilling academic purposes. The project proposed involves creating a web application for managing budget. A budget management system is a system that allows user to manage budget by supplying data such as account balance, budget, and transactions. There are different types of transaction including expense, income, and transfer. A user is required to register for an account and login before they are allowed to use the budget planning system. Most budget planning system provides a dashboard that displays information about the user's budget information. The dashboard displays components using a predefined component flow such as specific graphs and recent transactions. Some users might prefer to use one chart than another. This project aims to provide a solution by allowing users to personalize the dashboard of the application. By allowing users to select the chart to use for the component on the dashboard, the improves the experience of the user. This project also provides keyboard shortcuts to access different parts of the application. The project aims to provide base functionalities that were provided by various existing systems and adding the personalize module to the system. The user can also select theme to change the appearance of the application. Tools to be used to develop the application including Asp.NET Core 2.0 with C#, HTML, CSS JavaScript, etc.

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LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS

IDE	Integrated Development Environment
HTML	Hypertext Markup Language
CSS	Cascading Style Sheets

Chapter 1 Introduction

1.1 Background and Motivation

This project aims to provide a solution for budget planning. The goal of this project is to deliver a web application that provide several convenient functionalities that do not exist in other reviewed budget planning systems. These functionalities including using keyboard shortcuts to access different parts of the application, select a theme to change the appearance of the user interface, exporting report directly to third party cloud storages such as Dropbox and Google Drive, and enabling 2 factor authentications. The project allows users to create transaction records such as expenses, incomes and transfers and specify a budget so the users can plan for amount spent based on preferred activities. The applications that were selected for reviews were Mobills, GoodBudget, and BudgetBakers.

1.2 Problem Statements

1.2.1 Not able to export report directly to third party cloud storages

ProblemIf the users want to save their report (e.g. balance overtime report) to third party cloud storage such as Google Drive or Dropbox. The user will need to manually save the report to their computer and manually upload the report to the preferred cloud storage. Although the user can directly save the report to Google Drive using the print functionality of Google Chrome, not every user uses Google Chrome and some users might be using other cloud storages such as Dropbox.PotentialAllowing users to save their report directly on third party cloud storages directly. The users can also preview the report or download the report directly onto their machine.		
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Table 1-1 Not able to export report directly to third party cloud storages

1.2.2 Lack of keyboard shortcuts

Problem	The budget planning systems mentioned do not provide keyboard
	shortcuts for the users. Keyboard shortcuts may not be necessary for
	a system but it can increase the speed for users to perform operations
	using the system once the users become familiar with the shortcuts
	provided.

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Potential	Provide keyboard shortcuts to access different parts of the				
Solution	application, create a new transaction, as well as go to the delete page				
	and edit page of a record.				

Table 1-2 Lack of keyboard shortcuts

1.2.3 No 2-factor authentication

Problem	2-factor authentication was not provided in the reviewed systems.
	Some user may prefer systems that provide 2-factor authentication to
	decrease the chance for other users to impersonate as the user and
	login as the user's account.
Potential	Provide 2-factor authentication in the proposed system. The user can
Solution	optionally enable it in their profile page. The user will need to do
	some setup before they can enable 2-factor authentication.

Table 1-3 No 2-factor authentication

1.2.4 No theme personalization

Problem	The users are unable to change the appearance of the applications.
Potential	The users will be able to change the appearance of the application by
Solution	selecting their preferred theme.

Table 1-4 No theme personalization

1.3 Project Scope

This project develops a web application that can be used for managing budget, the user can personalize the components to display on the dashboard. These are the functionalities covered.

1.3.1 Identity Management Module

Users can register an account by entering their email and password or sign up an account using Google. In the future, the user can either login using email and password combination, or sign in using their Google account. The users can also update their information such as email and password. 2-factor authentication can be enabled; If 2-factor authentication is enabled, when the user attempts to sign in with email and password combination, the user will also need to enter the code associated with the application shown on Google Authenticator.

1.3.2 Transaction Module

The user can create accounts that can be represented as real world accounts. These accounts can then be used to create expenses, incomes, and transfers to modify balance from the account. Expenses will deduct balance from the account that was used to create the expense while income will increase the balance of the account that was used to create the income. Transfer will transfer some amount of balance from provider account to receiver account. (E.g. create a transaction for paying electricity bill will deduct the total balance from account as well as the budget planned for electricity).

1.3.3 Budget Module

Users are allowed to specify the budget for different categories for the month. (E.g. a budget for foods while another budget for education). The budget information will be represented with a page containing pie charts. The pie charts will be composed of 2 parts. The first part will be the expenses made on the category, and the second part will be remaining amount that can be spent for the category.

1.3.4 Graph and Report Module

The dashboard of the application will contain various components to display the budget information of the user. Some components simply display numbers while some components use charts to visualize specific information. Users can generate reports based on the current budget information such as expected expenses, actual expenses, and current account balance. (E.g. create a graph to display the amount spent on different categories). The user can also export the report to Google Drive or Dropbox, preview the report, or download the report directly.

1.3.5 Personalize Theme Module

User can change the theme of the system to change the look and feel of the system. This can be useful if the user as different users have different preference for the appearance of user interfaces.

1.4 Project Objectives

This project aims to allow users to manage their budget by specifying budgets and creating transactions, while allowing users to select the theme to change the appearance of the application. The application also provides a convenient functionality which is to allow users to export report directly to third party cloud storage such as Google Drive or Dropbox. This system also intends to introduce a way to reduce the potential risk of account being accessed by malicious users if the password was unfortunately leaked by enabling 2 factor authentications. This project does not create a mobile application such as an Android application.

1.5 Impact, significance and contribution

This project will benefit the users who would like to use a web application to manage budget while having the flexibility to change the appearance of the application by selecting the theme they prefer; keyboard shortcuts will be provided so the user can perform some operations in a more convenient way. 2-factor authentication can be enabled to reduce the chance of the account being login by malicious user (in case the malicious user was able to guess the user's password by any mean). Reports generated by the system can be exported directly to third party cloud storages including Google Drive and Dropbox which can be convenient for the users.

1.6 Background Information

1.6.1 Application

Applications were developed to solve problems (Global, n.d.) such as managing employee information, communicate using the Internet, automate repetitive tasks, etc. Applications can be developed in multiple types including web applications, mobile applications, desktop applications, etc. Each type has its advantages and disadvantages. Applications are also known as system, program, software, etc.

1.6.2 Web application

Web applications are applications that can be accessed using browsers such as Google Chrome, Firefox, Microsoft Edge, and etc. Unlike desktop applications that reside in the operating systems of users, web applications are served over web servers (TechTerms, 2014). To access the application, the users are required to make requests

to the server, then the server will create appropriate respond based on the request provided (Ndegwa, 2016). For example, the user can enter <u>www.google.com</u> to request the Google search page, then the web servers from Google will return the response back to the client, in such case, the response will be a HTML page containing a search box. There were numerous advantages of web applications such as eliminating the need to develop multiple applications to serve different operating systems as a web application that works on a web browser such as Google Chrome will work on multiple operating systems (e.g. Windows, MacOS, Linux). There were different types of web applications that were developed to achieve different objectives, for instance, users can use YouTube to watch videos, Gmail for managing emails, Slack for communication among team members, etc.

1.6.3 Authentication

Authentication is a process to determine if a user is actually the user he/she claiming to be (Rouse, 2015). For example, a user attempts to log in to Google using example@gmail.com. To ensure that the user actually owns this account, Google requires user to enter the correct password. The user is only allowed to access the account internal information such as incoming emails if the email and password combination was correct.

1.6.4 Authorization

Authorization is a process to determine if a user is allowed to perform some operations on some resources (Anderson, 2016). For example, in Gmail, a user is only allowed to view and delete emails that belong to the user instead of emails of other users.

1.6.5 Budget Planning System

A budget planning system is a system that allows user to manage their budgets by creating fictional financial balance such as wallet, primary bank account, etc, specifying budgets based on category, and creating transactions, a transaction can be categorised into expense or income. An expense will deduct balance from the account that is used for the expense while the income will increase the balance of the selected account to receive the income. The budget planning system will display budget information of the users on the dashboard, the dashboard may contain information such as recent

transactions, graphs of transactions based on category, etc. The user can also display specific reports and graphs by providing different options and filters. Most budget planning system, like typical dynamic web applications provide features for user identity management such as register and login. The users can also update their credentials such as name, email, password after logging into the application. Each user will have their own budget information. For example, a transaction created by the user "Bob" will not be displayed on the dashboard of the user "Alice".

Chapter 2 Literature Review

2.1 Literature Review

2.1.1 The creation of budget planning system

People who would like to keep track of their financial expense and income may attempt to track down their transaction histories using a software known as a budget planning system. These applications were developed for solving the problem and each application attempts to solve problem with some differences. The systems that are selected for reviews including Mobills, GoodBudget, and BudgetBakers.

2.1.2 Mobills

Mobills, which could be accessed via <u>https://web.mobillsapp.com</u> was a web application that helps user to keep track of their expenses and incomes. To use the application, the user needs to sign up an account either using email and password combination, or using third party providers including Google and Facebook. The user will be greeted with a dashboard that contains two pie charts, a calendar that displays the transactions made, a pending transactions components, a favourite transactions component, and a Mobills pro component. The first pie chart consists of expenses sliced into different categories while the second pie chart consists of incomes sliced into different categories. The user can create multiple financial accounts such as wallet, primary bank account, etc. The users can create expense or income record using the application. The users can create budgets with a particular category (e.g. shopping, food, cloth, etc) for the month. The user can then keep track of the remaining budget of the category. A mobile application was also available for Android and IOS.

🚼 Mobills				Hi, User 🙁
GET PREMIUMI	CURRENT BALANCE	INCOMES \$ 0.00	S 0.00	CREDIT CARD \$ 0.00
DASHEGARD	Monthly expenses	SEE MORE	Monthly incomes	SEE MORE
			C	
REPORTS	You don't have any expens	es this month	You don't have any incor	nes this month
BUDGETS				
MORE OPTIONS				
	incomes x Expenses for the last 6 months	SEE MORE	Outstanding transactions	SEE MORE +

Figure 2-1 Mobills Dashboard (Mobills, n.d.)

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2.1.3 Goodbudget

Goodbudget, is another budget management system that can be accessed via https://goodbudget.com. The user could only register an account using email and password combination, the options for registering an account via third party providers such as Google and Facebook are not available. The dashboard of the application contains a sidebar and a main component. The sidebar contains two tabs, the first tab displays the envelop information of the user while the second tab display the financial account information of the user. The main component contains the transactions that have been made by the user. The users can create multiple financial accounts, make transactions that can be categorised as expense, transfer, and income, create envelopes for a particular category, and viewing reports. The application also provides tutorials to help the user to understand the system. A forum of the application is also provided so the users can seek help in the forum by asking questions. The application manages user's budget by requiring user to create envelopes and fill the envelopes, these envelopes are treated as reserved money that can be used for a particular category. The user can then create expenses that will deduct the remaining balance from the selected envelop. Both Android application and IOS application were available as well.

Add Transaction E Fill Envelopes HOME REPORTS - HELP - Hi, User! My Household Logout Upgrade to Goodbudget Plus! Total Total						
• Monthly	-70.00	TRANSACT	IONS		<u>View all Import bank t</u>	ransactions Export CSV
⊠Groceries	-70.00 240.00	Search		Search advanced		Jump to <u>Today</u>
⊠Gas ⊂	0.00 100.00	Date	Туре	Payee		Amount Status
▼ Annual	0.00	See all your scheduled transactions »				
⊠Savings	0.00 100.00	01/09/18	Θ	Yu Groceries • My Account		20.00
		11/25/17	Θ	Rt Groceries • My Account		50.00

Figure 2-2 GoodBudget Dashboard (GoodBudget, n.d.)

2.1.4 Budgetbakers

Budgetbakers, can be accessed via https://web.budgetbakers.com is another budget management system. Although there was a web version of the application, the users would need to sign up their account via the mobile applications such as the Android application or the IOS application. The user could sign up either using email and password combination or using third party providers including Google and Facebook. The application contains five tabs, which were dashboard, records, analytics, settings, and logout. The dashboard of the application contains various components including balance, cash flow, expenses, and incomes for the month, list of accounts of the user, planned payment component, expenses in category, a graph that displays the balance over time, a graph about cumulative expense, and the recent records made. The user can click on the record tab to add record such as income, expense, and transfer. They can also filter the records to view by the record type and category. The user can view their budget information in either line chart or bar chart format by clicking on the analytic tab, several options are provided for the user to produce the graph by supplying the period, record type, category and etc. The users can go to the settings tab to change the website language, update their password, rename the categories, adding new currencies, adding new accounts, etc.

	Showing Month	← February ►
Dashboard	Cash 0% Acc 0% 48,304.00 MYR	new account 0% 5,000.00 MYR
Analytics	PLANNED PAYMENTS See here what needs to be paid soon. There are no planned payments in selected time interval.	BALANCE Your balance overview during the selected time period. 53.3
ැබූ Settings	EXPENSE IN CATEGORIES	53.2 2 53.1 2 53 5 53 5 2.9 2 52.9 2 52
	Your expenses segmented by categories. All categories 751.00 M	VR 52.6
€ Logout	 ● Transportation 551.00 MYR 	Feb 1 Feb 5 Feb 10 Feb 15 Feb 20 Feb 25

Figure 2-3 Budgetbakers Dashboard (budgetbakers, n.d.)

2.2 Critical Remarks of previous works

2.2.1 Systems selected for comparison

System/Application Name	URL
Mobills	https://web.mobillsapp.com
Goodbudget	https://goodbudget.com/home
BudgetBakers	https://web.budgetbakers.com

Table 2-1 Systems selected for comparisons

2.2.2 Comparison of selected applications with proposed solution

	Mobills	Goodbudget	BudgetBakers	Proposed
				system
				(Personalized
				Budget
				Planning
				System)
Users identity	Allows user to	Allows user to	Allows user to	Allows user to
management	sign up an	sign up an	sign up an	sign up an
	account using	account using	account using	account using
	email and	email and	email and	email and
	password or	password.	password.	password or
	external		Unable to sign	external
	provider such		up using the	provider such
	as Google		system on the	as Google
			browser, must	
			sign up an	
			account using	
			native app that	
			can be	
			installed on	
			mobile	
			devices.	
Tutorials to	Does not	Provides	Does not	Does not
use the	provide a	tutorials on	provide	provide
system	tutorial on how	how to use the	tutorials on	tutorials on

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	to use the	system by	how to use the	how to use the
	system	providing	system	system
		various		
		articles.		
		(Goodbudget,		
		n.d.)		
Ways to plan	Users enter	Users create	User specifies	Users enter
budget	goals for	envelopes that	income and	goals for
	different	represent the	expenses by	different
	categories,	budgets for	adding records	categories,
	monthly	different	categorised as	monthly
	income and	categories.	income,	income and
	expenses. The	Then the user	expenses, and	expenses. The
	system will	creates	transfer. Then	system will
	display the	transactions to	the system will	display the
	balance based	deduct the	provide	balance based
	on the	amount in the	various	on the
	information	budget.	graphical	information
	provided.	(GoodBudget,	representation	provided.
	(Mobills, n.d.)	n.d.)	based on the	
			information	
			provided.	
			(budgetbakers,	
			n.d.)	
Reports	Unable to	Unable to	Unable to	Able to export
	export report	export report	export report	report directly
	directly to	directly to third	directly to	to third party
	third party	party cloud	third party	cloud storages
	cloud storages	storages	cloud storages	report directly
				to cloud
				storages such
				as Google

				Drive and
				Dropbox.
Responsive	Responsive.	Partially	Not	Responsive.
user interface	Provides	responsive. But	responsive.	Does not
on different	native	provides native	But provides	provide native
screen size	applications	applications	native	applications.
	that fits well	that fits well on	applications	
	on the screen	the screen	that fits well on	
	which can be	which can be	the screen	
	installed on	installed on	which can be	
	different	different	installed on	
	operating	operating	different	
	system (E.g.	system (E.g.	operating	
	Android)	Android)	system (E.g.	
			Android)	
Multi-	Provides	Does not	Provides	Provides
currency	multi-currency	provide multi-	multi-currency	multi-currency
support	support	currency	support	support
		support		
Keyboard	Keyboard	Keyboard	Keyboard	Keyboard
shortcuts	shortcuts not	shortcuts not	shortcuts not	shortcuts
	provided.	provided.	provided.	provided.
2-factor	No 2-factor	No 2-factor	No 2-factor	Has 2-factor
authentication	authentication	authentication	authentication	authentication
Theme	Unable to	Unable to	Unable to	Able to change
selection	change theme	change theme	change theme	theme

Table 2-2 Comparison between selected systems

Chapter 3 System Design

3.1 Use case diagram



Figure 3-1 Use Case Diagram

3.1.1 Register

Users will be able to register an account using their email and password combination or using their Google+ identity. If there were validation errors such as password and confirm password do not match, the register page will display appropriate error messages to the user.

3.1.2 Login

Users will be able to login to the system given that they provided the correct email and password combination or using their Google+ identity. If 2-factor authentication was enabled and the user was using email and password combination to login to the system, the user will need to enter the code that can be accessed via Google Authenticator that was installed on their device.

3.1.3 Update profile

Users will be able to update their profile information after they have login to the system.

3.1.4 Manage expenses

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on expense records. Expense records will deduct the amount of balance of the account selected by the user. The fields of an expense record including amount, date, currency, and account.

3.1.5 Manage incomes

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on income records. Income records will increase the amount of balance of the account selected by the user. The fields of an income record including amount, date, currency, and account.

3.1.6 Manage transfers

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on transfer records. Transfer records transfer the specified balance of one account to another account. The fields of a transfer record including amount, date, account, and receiving account.

3.1.7 Manage accounts

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on their accounts. Accounts are used to create transactions. The fields of an account record including amount and currency.

3.1.8 Manage budgets

Users can specify how much they want to spend on different expense categories. The budget is represented using a pie chart, the pie chart is composed of two parts; The first part represents the amount deducted from the budget while the second part represents the remaining of the budget. The fields of a budget record including budget amount for a specific month and default budget amount for every month.

3.1.9 Manage expense categories

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on expense categories. Expense category records are used when the users want to create expense records. Expense category only has one editable field which is name.

3.1.10 Manage income categories

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on income categories. Income category records are used when the users want to create income records. Income category only has one editable field which is name.

3.1.11 Theme selection

User can select a different theme to change the appearance of the user interface. The themes can be selected via a dropdown list.

3.1.12 Manage currencies

Users can perform create, delete, update, and read operations on currency records. Currencies are used when the users want to create expense, income, or transfer records. The user can also select a main currency. The main currency is used when the user views the dashboard of the application or attempts to generate reports. The fields of a currency record including the conversion rate to main currency and whether the currency is a main currency to the user.
3.1.13 Authorization

Users are only allowed to delete, update, and display the records if they are authorised. For example, user A will not be able to delete, update, and display the expense records of user B. However, an admin will be able to delete, update, and display the records of other users. Additionally, an admin can display users of the system, delete users, and update role of other users.

3.1.14 Manage users

The capability to display, delete, and update the role of other users. Only the admin is authorized to access this functionality.

3.1.15 View dashboard

The dashboard contains various components and charts including balance of all accounts, total expenses, total incomes, cash flow, expenses structure, incomes structure, cumulative expenses, cumulative incomes, balance overtime, and latest transactions to visualize the budget information of the user.

3.1.16 Generate report

The user can generate report by specifying the type of report and the chart to use for the report. For example, the expenses and incomes structure are available in two charts, pie chart and bar chart.

3.1.17 Export report

The user can export the report by preview it in the browser, download it, or export to a third-party cloud storage such as Google Drive or Dropbox. The report will be exported as pdf format.

3.2 Activity Diagram

3.2.1 Register



Figure 3-2 Activity Diagram for Register

The user can register an account on the register page. The user will need to enter their email, password, and confirm password using the register form provided. If the inputs provided are valid, an account will be created for the user and a confirmation email will be sent to the user. The users will need to confirm their email first before they are allowed to login to the system.

3.2.2 Login



Figure 3-3 Activity Diagram for Login

The user can login to their account by providing the correct email and password combination. If the user enters a wrong email and password combination or the email was not confirmed yet, the system will display appropriate error messages. If the email and password combination was correct and 2-factor authentication was not enabled, the user will be login to the system. If 2-factor authentication was enabled, the user will need to either enter the code that is available via Google Authenticator or using the secret codes provided when the user setup 2-factor authentication to login to the system.

3.2.3 Register Via Google



Figure 3-4 Activity Diagram for Register via Google

The users can register their account via Google or try to login with Google if they had already created an account with Google. The system will save the Google login information if the user attempts to login via Google the first time.

3.2.4 Reset Password



Figure 3-5 Activity Diagram for Reset Password

If the users forgot their password, the user can go to the reset password page and enter the email that was used to register the account. A reset password email will be sent to the user and the user can click on the link to go to the reset password page. The users can then enter their email, new password, and confirm password to reset their password.

3.2.5 Add Expense



Figure 3-6 Activity Diagram for Add Expense

The user can add an expense record by providing amount, transaction date, currency, account, and expense category. If the inputs provided are valid, the system will update the balance of the account that was used for the expense and add the expense record to the database. After that, the system redirects the user to the index page of expenses, which displays a list of expenses record created by the user.

3.2.6 Delete Expense



Figure 3-7 Activity Diagram for Delete Expense

The user can delete an expense record by going to the index page of the expenses and select the record to delete. After selecting the record to delete, the system will display a confirmation page to ensure the user actually wants to delete the record. If the delete button was clicked on the delete confirmation page, the system will check if the user is authorized to delete the record. If the user is authorized, the system will update the balance of the account that was used to create the expense and delete the expense record from the database.

3.2.7 Update Expense



Figure 3-8 Activity Diagram for Update Expense

The user can update an existing expense by going to the index page of expenses, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.8 Add Income



Figure 3-9 Activity Diagram for Add Income

The user can add an income record by providing amount, transaction date, currency, account, and income category. If the inputs provided are valid, the system will update the balance of the account that was used for the income and add the income record to the database. After that, the system redirects the user to the index page of incomes, which displays a list of incomes record created by the user.

3.2.9 Delete Income



Figure 3-10 Activity Diagram for Delete Income

The user can delete an income record by going to the index page of the incomes and select the record to delete. After selecting the record to delete, the system will display a confirmation page to ensure the user actually wants to delete the record. If the delete button was clicked on the delete confirmation page, the system will check if the user is authorized to delete the record. If the user is authorized, the system will update the balance of the account that was used to create the income and delete the income record from the database.

3.2.10 Update Income



Figure 3-11 Activity Diagram for Update Income

The user can update an existing income by going to the index page of incomes, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.11 Add Transfer



Figure 3-12 Activity Diagram for Add Transfer

The user can add transfer record by providing amount, transaction date, account, and receiver account. If the inputs provided are valid, the system will deduct balance of account and increase balance of receiver account, then the system will add the transfer record to the database. After that, the system redirects the user to the index page of transfer, which displays a list of transfer records created by the user.

3.2.12 Delete Transfer



Figure 3-13 Activity Diagram for Delete Transfer

The user can delete a transfer record by going to the index page of the transfers and select the record to delete. After selecting the record to delete, the system will display a confirmation page to ensure the user actually wants to delete the record. If the delete button was clicked on the delete confirmation page, the system will check if the user is authorized to delete the record. If the user is authorized, the system will update the balance of the account and receiver account that was used to create the transfer and delete the transfer record from the database.

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3.2.13 Update Transfer



Figure 3-14 Activity Diagram for Update Transfer

The user can update an existing transfer record by going to the index page of transfers, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.14 Update Budget



Figure 3-15 Activity Diagram for Update Budget

The user can update an existing budget record by going to the index page of budgets, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.15 Add Account



Figure 3-16 Activity Diagram for Add Account

The user can add an account record by providing amount, currency, and name. If the inputs provided are valid, the system will add the account to the database. After that, the system redirects the user to the index page of accounts, which displays a list of accounts created by the user.

3.2.16 Delete Account



Figure 3-17 Activity Diagram for Delete Account

The user can delete an account record by going to the index page of the accounts and select the record to delete. After selecting the record to delete, the system will display a confirmation page to ensure the user actually wants to delete the record. If the delete button was clicked on the delete confirmation page, the system will check if the user is authorized to delete the record. If the user is authorized, the system will remove the account from the database.

3.2.17 Update Account



Figure 3-18 Activity Diagram for Update Account

The user can update an existing account record by going to the index page of accounts, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.18 Add Currency



Figure 3-19 Activity Diagram for Add Currency

The user can add a preferred currency by providing code and conversion rate. If the inputs provided are valid, the system will add the currency to the database. After that, the system redirects the user to the index page of currencies, which displays a list of currencies created by the user.

3.2.19 Update Currency



Figure 3-20 Activity Diagram for Update Currency

The user can update an existing currency record by going to the index page of currencies, then select to record to edit. The user makes necessary changes to the record and click on the save button. The system will validate the inputs provided by the user and check if the user is authorized. The system will perform the update if inputs provided were valid and the user was authorized to update the record.

3.2.20 Delete Currency



Figure 3-21 Activity Diagram for Delete Currency

The user can delete a currency record by going to the index page of the currencies and select the record to delete. After selecting the record to delete, the system will display a confirmation page to ensure the user actually wants to delete the record. If the delete button was clicked on the delete confirmation page, the system will check if the user is authorized to delete the record. If the user is authorized, the system will remove the currency from the database.





Figure 3-22 Activity Diagram for Profile

The user can go to the profile page to update his/her information. If the user wants to update his/her information, the user will need to make necessary changes on the form and click on the save button. The system will validate if the inputs provided were valid, if the inputs were valid, the system will update the user's information.

3.2.22 Theme



Figure 3-23 Activity Diagram for Theme

The user can go to the theme page and update the theme to change the appearance of the application. The user can click on the dropdown box the select the theme, the theme styles will be applied as a preview of the theme before the user actually saves the theme setting. The user will need to click on the save button if the user wants to save the theme setting.

3.2.23 Update Password



Figure 3-24 Activity Diagram for Update Password

The user can update the account's password by providing the existing password, new password, and confirm password. If the inputs provided were valid, the system will update the user's password.

3.2.24 Enable 2-Factor Authentication



Figure 3-25 Activity Diagram for Enable 2-Factor Authentication

The user can enable 2-factor authentication by going to the enable 2-factor authentication page. The users will need to have Google Authenticator installed on their device, then use the Google Authenticator app to scan the QR Code on the page. After that, the user will need to enter a number that is available on the Google Authenticator App. If the number provided was correct, the system will save the 2-factor authentication settings and provide a list of secret codes that can be used as an alternate way to login to the system while having 2-factor authentication enabled.



Figure 3-26 Activity Diagram for Report

The user can view different reports based on the inputs provided using the filter. After viewing the report, the user can export the report to either third party cloud storages including Google Drive and Dropbox, download the report, or preview the report in PDF format.

3.3 Database Diagram – Object-Oriented Data Model



Figure 3-27 Entity Relationship Diagram

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3.3.1 AspNetUsers

AspNetUsers					
Ŷ	ld	varchar(450)	U 者		
1	AccessFailedCount	integer(10)	N		
1	ConcurrencyStamp	varchar(255)	N		
1	Email	varchar(256)	N		
I	EmailConfirmed	bit	N		
Ē	LockoutEnabled	bit	N		
Ē	LockoutEnd	date	N		
Ē	NormalizedEmail	varchar(256)	N		
Ē	NormalizedUserName	varchar(256)	N		
Ē	PasswordHash	varchar(256)	N		
Ē	PhoneNumber	varchar(256)	N		
Ē	PhoneNumberConfirmed	bit	N		
I	SecurityStamp	varchar(255)	N		
I	TwoFactorEnabled	bit	N		
1	UserName	varchar(256)	N		

Figure 3-28 AspNetUsers Table

This table represents the users of the system. The primary key of this table is Id. The fields that will be used frequently by the system are Id, Email, EmailConfirmed, PasswordHash, TwoFactorEnabled, and Username. Other fields of this table may not be used throughout the lifetime of the system. These fields are included because this table is generated by the ASP.NET framework and removing these fields might cause potential issues to the system.

3.3.2 AspNetRoles

AspNetRoles						
Ŷ	ld	varchar(450)	D			
1	ConcurrencyStamp	varchar(max)	N			
	Name	varchar(256)	N			
I	NormalizedName	varchar(256)	N			

Figure 3-29 AspNetRoles Table

This table represents the roles of the system. The primary key of this table is Id. This table will later be used with AspNetUserRoles to associate user with roles.

3.3.3 AspNetUserRoles



Figure 3-30 AspNetUserRoles Table

This table is used to associate user with roles. Both UserId and RoleId are the primary and foreign key of this table.

3.3.4 AspNetRoleClaims



Figure 3-31 AspNetRoleClaims Table

This table was created to enable claim-based authorization. The primary key of this table is Id. This table was not used throughout the application. The RoleId is a foreign key associated with the Id of the AspNetRoles table.

3.3.5 AspNetUserTokens



Figure 3-32 AspNetUserTokens Table

This table was created to store 2-factor authentication credentials. The primary key of this table is composed of UserId, LoginProvider, and Name. The UserId is also a foreign key associated with the Id of the AspNetUsers table.

3.3.6 AspNetUserLogins

AspNetUserLogins						
Ŷ	LoginProvider	varbinary(450)	U 🕇			
8	ProviderKey	varchar(450)	U 🕇			
I	ProviderDisplayName	varchar(max)	N			
	Userld	varchar(450)	,			

Figure 3-33 AspNetUserLogins Table

This table was created to store third-party provider credentials if the user signs up his or her account using a third-party provider such as Google. The primary key of this table is composed of LoginProvider and ProviderKey. The UserId is a foreign key associated with the Id of the AspNetUsers table.

3.3.7 Accounts

		A	Accounts		
	Ŷ	ld	integer(10)		U
	1	Amount	decimal(10, 2)	N	
	1	Name	varchar(50)	N	
-		Userld	varchar(450)		- 1
-	٦	UserCurrencyId	integer(10)		

Figure 3-34 Accounts Table

This table was created to represent the accounts of the users. The primary key of this table is Id. The accounts created can later be used by the user to create transactions (expenses, incomes, and transfers). This table has two foreign keys, the first foreign key UserId was used to associate the account with the Id of the AspNetUsers table and the second foreign key UserCurrencyId was used to connect to the Id of the UserCurrencies table.

3.3.8 UserCurrencies

UserCurrencies						
Ŷ	♀ Id integer(10)					
1	Code	varchar(255)	N			
1	ConversionRate	decimal(14, 8)	N			
1	IsPrimary	bit	N			
a	Userld	varchar(450)				



This table was created to represent the preferred currencies of the user. The primary key of this table is Id. Code represents the currency code of the record, conversion rate indicates the conversion from this currency to the main currency. IsPrimary indicates that whether this is the primary currency of the user. The UserId is a foreign key to associate this table with AspNetUsers table.

3.3.9 Expenses

<u> </u>	70					
\mathcal{C}	Expenses					
💡 ld	i i	integer(10)		C L		
1 A	mount	decimal(10, 2)	N			
🔳 C	reatedAt	date	N			
A	ccountId	integer(10)				
່ 🚡 U	lserld	varchar(450)				
` 🐂 Е	xpenseCategoryld	integer(10)				
t 🕄	lserCurrencyId	integer(10)				



This table was created to represent the expense records of the users. The primary key of this table is Id. Amount indicates the amount for the expense, and CreatedAt indicates when the expense was created. AccountId is a foreign key to the Accounts table, this field indicates the account that was used to create this expense. UserId is a foreign key associated with the AspNetUsers table. ExpenseCategoryId is a foreign key that was used to associate this table with the ExpenseCategories table. The UserCurrencyId is a foreign key that is used to associate with the UserCurrencies table.

3.3.10 Incomes

Incomes					
💡 ld	integer(10)	U 者			
Amount	decimal(10, 2)	N			
CreatedAt	date	N			
hccountId	integer(10)				
📬 Userld	varchar(450)				
hcomeCategoryId	integer(10)				
UserCurrencyId	integer(10)	4			

Figure 3-37 Incomes Table

This table was created to represent the income records of the users. The primary key of this table is Id. Amount indicates the amount for the income, and CreatedAt indicates when the income was created. AccountId is a foreign key to the Accounts table, this field indicates the account that was used to create this income. UserId is a foreign key associated with the AspNetUsers table. IncomeCategoryId is a foreign key that was used to associate this table with the IncomeCategories table. The UserCurrencyId is a foreign key that is used to associate with the UserCurrencies table.

3.3.11 Transfers

Ta		
💡 ld	integer(10)	U 者
AccountId	integer(10)	-
heceiverAccountId	integer(10)	7
Amount	decimal(10, 2)	N
TransactionDate	date	N
🐂 Userld	varchar(450)	

Figure 3-38 Transfers Table

This table was created to represent the transfer records of the users. The primary key of this table is Id. Amount indicates the amount to transfer from the selected account to the receiver account. TransactionDate indicates the date that the transaction occurs. AccountId represent the account id of the account to transfer from while ReceiverAccountId represents the account id of the account that will receive the transfer. UserId is a foreign key that will connect with the user table.

3.3.12 ExpenseCategories

	\square	E	xpenseCategorie	s	Ì
	Ŷ	ld	integer(10)	U 者	
F	1	Name	varchar(255)	N	
	1	Goal	decimal(19, 0)	N	
	٦	Userld	varchar(450)		

Figure 3-39 ExpenseCategories Table

This table was created to represent the expense categories of the users. Expense categories will be used when the user attempts to create an expense record. The primary key of this table is Id. Name represents the name of the expense category while Goal indicates the default monthly budget for the category. If Goal was not specified, it is considered a budget was not set for this category. UserId is a foreign key connected to the Id of the user table.

3.3.13 IncomeCategories



Figure 3-40 IncomeCategories Table

This table was created to represent the income categories of the users. Income categories will be used when the user attempts to create an income record. The primary key of this table is Id. Name represents the name of the income category. UserId is a foreign key connected to the Id of the user table.

3.3.14 Budgets

1		Bu	idgets	
	Ŷ	ld	integer(10)	U 🕇
	1	Goal	decimal(10, 2)	N
	1	BudgetDateTime	date	N
	1	ExpenseCategoryld	integer(10)	
	1	Userld	varchar(450)	

Figure 3-41 Budgets Table

This table was created to represent the budgets of users. Budget is connected to the ExpenseCategories table to indicate the budget for the connected category of a specific month. The BudgetDateTime field is used to store the month the budget was specified

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while the Goal field represent the budget for the category. UserId is a foreign key connected to the Id of the user table.

3.3.15 _EFMigrationsHistory



Figure 3-42 _EFMigrationsHistory Table

This table was created to store the migration histories during the development of the application. This table is not directly related to the application itself, instead it is a table that is used for development purpose as Entity Framework was used.

3.4 User Interface Design

3.4.1 Home

Personalized Budget Planning System

Register Log in

Personalized Budget Planning System

Welcome to Personalized Budget Planning System

To use the application, you can Register or Login

Figure 3-43 Home Page

This is the home page of the application. The user can click on the register link to register an account or the login link to login to the system.

3.4.2 Register

Personalized Budget Planning System		Register Log in
	Register	
	Create a new account.	
	Email	
		۵.
	Password	
		Ð
	Confirm password	
		P
	Register	

The user can register an account by providing the necessary credentials which are email, password, and confirm password. After the user successfully registered an account. A confirmation email will be sent to the user, the user can then click on the link provided in the confirmation email to verify his or her email. After that, the user can then login to the system with the email and password provided earlier.

Figure 3-44 Register Page

3.4.3 Login

Personalized Budget F	Planning System			Register Log in
		Lo	gin	
	Use a local account to log in.		Use another service to log in.	
	Email		Google	
	Password	•••		
	Log in			
	Forgot your password?			
	Register as a new user?			



This is the login page of the system. The user can either login using their email and password combination or by using their Google Plus identity. If the user decided to use their Google Plus identity for the first time, it is assumed that the user attempts to register an account using their Google Plus identity and no confirmation email will be sent.

3.4.4 Forgot Password

Personalized Budget Planning System

Forgot your password?

Enter your email.

Email

Submit

Figure 3-46 Forgot Password Page
Personalized Budget Planning System	
Reset password Reset your password.	
Email	
Password	=
Confirm password	(a)
	۹
Reset	



The users can enter their email to reset their password. After clicking the submit button, an email will be sent to the user's email and user can then click on the link to reset their password.

3.4.5 General components

These are the components that are used frequently. Some components might exist at all time regardless of which page the user is viewing. For example, the navbar will exist regardless of whether the user is viewing the dashboard page or the expenses page.

Navbar

	This component can be used to navigate around
Dashboard	the application. The left border of the link
Expenses	indicates the page that the user is viewing. For
Incomes	example, if the user is viewing the dashboard
	page, the left border of the dashboard link will
Transfers	appear.
Budgets	
Accounts	
Expense Categories	
Income Categories	
Currencies	
Reports	
Users	
Profile	
Themes	
Log out	

Figure 3-48 Navigation Bar

Header

Personalized Budget Planning System	+ Add Transaction	Welcome alice@gmail.com

Figure 3-49 Header

Header displays the application name, a button that will open the add transaction modal, and the user's email.

Add Transaction Modal

Budget Planni	Add Transaction			×	V	Velcome ali
	Expense	Income	Transfer			
	Amount				9.26	Incomes N
	Currency			•	comes by	categories
ories	Date					
ries	01-Jul-2018					
	Account					
	Primary			Ŧ		
	Expense Category					
	Housing			Ŧ	alary: 100)98.16 MYR
	Add					

Figure 3-50 Add Transaction Modal

This modal can be used to create a transaction, the user can switch between the type of transaction to create by clicking on different tabs. The transaction modal can also be opened by hitting the 'N' key. The user can also change between different tabs with 'ALT + Q' key.

Keyboard Shortcuts Modal

ning S ^r	Keyboard Shortcuts	_		×	
alic	D	Go to Dashboard	R	Go to Reports	
L	E	Go to Expenses	P	Go to Profile	Ind
		Go to Incomes	N	Create New Transaction	categories
	т	Go to Transfers	Alt + Q	Switch Transaction Tab	
	в	Go to Budgets	1	Edit record	
	A	Go to Accounts	2	Delete record	
	с	Go to Expense Categories	2	Open Keyboard Shortcuts List	
	v	Go to Income Categories			
	s	Go to Settings			
	_			_	

Figure 3-51 Keyboard Shortcuts Modal

The keyboard shortcuts modal displays a list of available shortcuts in the application. This modal can be triggered by pressing the '?' key.

Filter

alice@gmail.com	•	July 2018	Filter
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Figure 3-52 Filters

The filter component can be used to change the data based on the criteria provided. Filters will not exist on every page since not every page need a filter. Filter on different pages might have different fields since not every page will be using the same criteria for filtering. For example, the filter component on the expenses page will be different from the report page.

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List of records

Create New					
Amount	Currency	Date	Account	Expense Category	
500.00	MYR	01-Jun-18	Primary	Housing	Edit Delete
500.00	USD	02-Jun-18	Primary	Vehicle	Edit Delete
500.00	USD	12-Jun-18	Primary	Entertainment	Edit Delete

Figure 3-53 List of Records

A table is used to display list of records for expenses, incomes, transfers, accounts, expense categories, income categories, currencies, and users. The table will have different columns depending on the records that are being displayed. For example, if the table was used to display the expense records, the columns of the table will include amount, currency, date, account, and expense category. The user can click on the 'Create New' link to create a new record, the 'Edit' link to edit the record, or the 'Delete' link to delete the record. The user can also press '1' on the keyboard to edit the record and '2' on the keyboard to delete the record.

Create Page

Create		
Account		
Name		
Amount		
Currency		
MYR		
Create		
Back to List		



A create page contains a form that is used to create a record. The create page will contain different fields based on the properties of the record. For example, if the user wants to create an account record, the user will need to supply the name, the amount, and the currency of the account.

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Edit Page

Edit Account	
Name	
Primary	
Amount	
5484.69	
Currency Code	
MYR	
Save Back to List	

Figure 3-55 Edit Page

The edit page contains a form that is used to edit an existing record. The form will be populated with the existing record data, then the user can modify the record as necessary and click on the 'Save' button to save the changes. The edit form will contain different fields depending on the record that was modified. For example, if the user wants to edit an account record, the name, amount, and currency code will be populated.

Delete Page

Are you sure you want to delete this account?

Name Primary	
Amount 5,484.69	
Currency MYR	
Delete	Back to List

Figure 3-56 Delete Page

The delete page is a delete confirmation page in which the user will have to make the final decision on whether to delete the record or not.

3.4.6 Dashboard







Figure 3-58 Dashboard Part 2

			Latest Tra	insactions		
Amount	Currency	Туре	Category	Account	Receiver Account	Date
1,000.00	USD	Expense	Entertainment	Secondary	-	01 Jul 2018
1,500.00	USD	Income	Investment	Third Account	-	01 Jul 2018
1,000.00	MYR	Transfer		Primary	Secondary	01 Jul 2018
500.00	USD	Expense	Entertainment	Primary	-	12 Jun 2018
2,500.00	USD	Income	Salary	Primary	-	04 Jun 2018

Figure 3-59 Dashboard Part 3

The dashboard contains various components and charts to display the general information about the user records. Each component will be described in the following pages.

Overview



Figure 3-60 Overview

Balance	The amount of all account's balance combined. For example, if the
	user has two accounts, the balance of account A is 50,000 MYR and
	account B is 10,000 MYR. The combined balance will become 60,000
	MYR
Expenses	The total expenses for a specific month that can be determined by the
	filter. The default month will be this month.
Incomes	The total incomes for a specific month that can be determined by the
	filter. The default month will be this month.
Cashflow	Cashflow represent expenses minus incomes.

Table 3-1 Overview Explanation

Expenses Structure





This is a pie chart that represents the user expenses structure. Each expense category will occupy a piece of the pie chart.

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Incomes Structure



Figure 3-62 Incomes Structure

This is a pie chart that represents the user incomes structure. Each income category will occupy a piece of the pie chart.



Cumulative Expenses and Incomes

Figure 3-63 Cumulative Expenses and Incomes

This chart shows the cumulative expenses and incomes of the user from the start of the specified until the end of the specified month.

Balance Overtime





This chart displays the balance overtime of the user from the start of the specified month until the end of the specified month.

Latest Transactions

			Latest Tra	nsactions		
Amount	Currency	Туре	Category	Account	Receiver Account	Date
1,000.00	USD	Expense	Entertainment	Secondary	-	01 Jul 2018
1,500.00	USD	Income	Investment	Third Account	-	01 Jul 2018
1,000.00	MYR	Transfer	-	Primary	Secondary	01 Jul 2018
500.00	USD	Expense	Entertainment	Primary	-	12 Jun 2018
2,500.00	USD	Income	Salary	Primary	-	04 Jun 2018

Figure 3-65 Latest Transactions

This component displays the last 5 transactions (expenses, incomes, or transfers) of the user.

3.4.7 Budgets



Figure 3-66 Budgets Page

The budgets page displays all budgets specified by the user with a list of pie charts. A pie chart will only be displayed if the user actually specified the budget for the specific expense category. Each pie chart contains two pieces, the first piece (red colour) indicates how much the user has spent for that expense category, the second piece (blue colour) indicates the remaining budget for that expense category. The percentage inside the pie charts indicates the how much the user has already spent compare to the budget. For example, if the user set the budget to 10,000 MYR on housing and had already spent 6,000 MYR on housing, then the percentage in the pie chart will become 60%. The user can click on the edit link to edit the budget.

Edit budget

Name	
Transportation	
Date	
May 2018	
Goal for May 2018 (You can set to 0 to remove goal)	
5047.10	Ă
Default goal for every month (0 indicates that default goal was not provide can set it to 0 to remove default goal)	d, you
0.00	
Save	
Back to List	

Figure 3-67 Edit Budget Page

The edit budget page allows user to edit the budget of a specific expense category for a specific month or specify a default for every month.

3.4.8 Profile

Manage your account	
Profile	
Password	
External logins	
Two Factor Authentication	
Profile	
Username	
alice@gmail.com	
Email	
alice@gmail.com	
Save	

Figure 3-68 Manage Account Page

The profile page is a page that allows user to update their information such as email, password, external logins (e.g. Google), and to setup two factor authentication.

3.4.9 Report

The report page allows user to generate different type of report by specifying the value using the filter. There are 3 types of report. Expenses and Incomes Structure, balance overtime, and cumulative expenses and incomes. The user can also export the report by clicking on the export button. The format of the exported report will be in PDF format.

Filter

Incomes and Expenses Structure 🔹	Doughnut	•	alice@gmail.com	July 2018	Generate Report

Figure 3-69 Filters on Report Page

The filter component on the report contain four fields. The first field indicates the report to generate, the second field indicates the chart to use for the report, the available charts will vary depending on the type of report. The third field is the user's email, only an admin will be able to see and use this field. The fourth field is the month.

Export



Figure 3-70 Export Buttons

The export button (on the right side of the page) can be used to export the report, the user can either download the report directly, preview the pdf, or export the report to third party cloud storages such as Google Drive and Dropbox. The user will need to authenticate with the preferred cloud storages before they can export their reports to these cloud storages.

Authenticate with Third Party Cloud Storage Links



Figure 3-71 Authentication with third party cloud storages

The user can connect to third party cloud storages by clicking on the links. When the user hover over the question mark icon, additional information will be provided about the links.

Toast Message



Figure 3-72 Toastr Sample

A toast message will appear at the bottom right of the page when the user downloads the report, previews the report, or export the report to third party cloud storages. Different toast messages will be used depending on the actions performed.

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Expenses and Incomes Structure Report



Figure 3-73 Expenses and Incomes Structure Report Part 1



Figure 3-74 Expenses and Incomes Structure Report Part 2

Summary	
Expenses	4539.26 MYR
Incomes	10098.16 MYR
Cash Flow	5558.89 MYR

Figure 3-75 Expenses and Incomes Structure Report Part 3

This report displays the expenses and incomes structure of the user. The data is being display in two formats, chart and table. The charts that are available for this report will be doughnut (technically a pie chart) and bar chart. At the end of the report is a summary section that displays the cash flow by using incomes to subtract expenses.

Cumulative Expenses and Incomes Report

Figure 3-76 Cumulative Expenses and Incomes Report Part 1



Figure 3-77 Cumulative Expenses and Incomes Report Part 2

This report contains a chart and a table. The chart visualizes the user's cumulative expenses and incomes overtime using a line chart or a bar chart. The line or bar having the blue colour will be the expenses overtime while the line or bar with the red colour will be the incomes overtime. The table will display the user's cumulative expenses and incomes with a list of rows beginning with the first day of the specified month until the end of the specified month.

Balance Overtime Report

Personalized Budget Planni	ing System	Add Transaction						We	come abc06435	i@gmail.com
Dashboard							A Sign out fro	om Google Drive 🛛 💐	Connect with [Dropbox 😧
Expenses	Balance Overtin	ie v	Line Chart 🔻	abc06435	@gmail.com	• J	une 2018	Generate Report		Export -
Incomes					Balance overtim	e in MYR				
Transfers					Bala	ince				
Budgets	70000									
Accounts	68000									
Expense Categories										
Income Categories	66000	3								
Currencies	Ce	Balanc	e: 58,437.219 MYR							
Reports	E 64000									
Users	62000									
Profile										
Themes	60000									
Log out	58000	3 4 5 6	7 8 9 10	11 12	13 14 15	16 17	18 19 20 21	22 23 24 2	25 26 27 3	28 29 30

Figure 3-78 Balance Overtime Report Part 1



Figure 3-79 Balance Overtime Report Part 2

This report displays the user balance overtime from the start of the specified month until the end of the specified month. The data is displayed both in chart form and table form. Two charts will be available for this report which are line chart and bar chart.

3.4.10 Theme Selection

Personalized Budget Plan	ning System + Add Transa	tion	Welcome abc06435@gmail.com
Personalized Budget Plan Dashboard Expenses Incomes Transfers Budgets Accounts Expense Categories Income Categories Currencies Reports	Theme: Flatly Save	cction	Welcome abc06435@gmail.com
Users Profile Themes Log out			

Figure 3-80 Theme Selection

The user can select a theme to change the appearance of the application. By default, the theme 'Default' will be used. Below is a comparison of 'Default' theme and 'Flatly' theme.

Personalized Budget Pla	anning System 🕂 Add Transactio	n		Welcome abc06435@gmail.com
Dashboard	abc06435@gmail.com •	July 2018 Filter		
Expenses	Balance: 68,535.38 MYR	Cash Flow: 2,019.63 MYR	Expenses: 4,039.26 MYR	Incomes: 6,058.89 MYR
Transfers Budgets	Expenses b	y categories	Incomes by	categories
Accounts				
Expense Categories				
Currencies Reports				
Users				
Profile Themes				
Log out	Entertainment	:: 4039.26 MYR	Investment: 6	058.89 MYR

Figure 3-81 Default Theme



Figure 3-82 Flatly Theme

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Chapter 4 Methodology and Tools

4.1 Methodology

The methodology to be adopted for developing the application is the Prototype modelling methodology. The prototype modelling methodology focuses on developing a product that satisfies the minimum requirements and delivers the prototype to the customers. The customers then observe if the prototype matches their requirements while providing feedbacks (Ghahrai, 2008) that can potentially reduce the risks of developing a product that does not satisfy the customers. The prototype continued to be developed and delivered to the customer, each iteration modifies the prototype based on the customer feedback for improving the quality of the prototype.

Prototyping



Figure 4-1 Prototyping Methodology (Ghahrai, 2008)

4.1.1 Initial Investigation

The initial investigation involves identify the problem that needs to be solved. Some requirements can be identified on this stage. This phase moves into the life cycle of prototyping that goes in the cycle of requirements -> system design -> coding -> testing -> review -> requirements.

4.1.2 Requirements

Involves a deeper analysis of the requirements of the application compare to initial investigation phase. Information were gathered on this stage to ensure the project was feasible. The requirements may be refined if the requirements phase was entered from the review phase. The requirements of the project will most likely change over time because of the iteration.

4.1.3 System Design

Some of the existing systems that provide similar functionalities of the intended application to build were investigated and analysed. The design of the application involves the technology to be used, how these technologies interact with each other, the potential technology that can replace the other technology, etc. The system design could change over time based on the requirements of the application. The system was designed as allowing users to access their budget information if they are authenticated. An authenticated user was only able to access his/her own information (e.g. User "Bob" will not be able to delete the income record of the user "Alice"). The operations the users were allowed to perform including manage financial accounts (e.g. Bank account 1, Wallet, etc), budgets, expense categories, expenses, income categories, incomes, transfers, profiles. If the user does not have an account, they can register one by providing their email and password.

4.1.4 Coding

The coding phase was dependent on the previous phase (system design phase) and will change to synchronize with the system design. The purpose of coding was to implement workable functionalities based on system design.

4.1.5 Testing

The testing phase was conducted to ensure the functionalities implemented in the coding phase were working as intended. The testing phase find potential bugs and issues to reduce the number of bugs of the prototype. The testing phase followed a test plan to test different components of the application.

4.1.6 Review

The customers reviewed the prototype and provide feedbacks. The feedbacks provided were valuable information that can be used to refine the requirements of the application if necessary and thus enhance the prototype. This process reduces the risk of delivering application that does not satisfy the customers while reducing the gap of customer expectation and software functionalities. If the prototype does not satisfy the customers, the iteration continues by moving into the requirements phase. If the customers were satisfied on the prototype, the development phase moved into the implementation phase.

4.1.7 Implementation

Implementation phase involves converting the prototype into actual application that can be used in production. In case of running the application on just local server, the user is required to install necessary tools to run the application including Asp.NET Core 2.0 SDK, Visual Studio Community Edition 2017 on the local environment.

4.1.8 Maintenance

Maintenance involves ensuring the application was able to serve customers in the long run such as ensuring minimum downtime so the users can access their budget information. There are multiple factors that can affect the maintainability of the application including the web servers, databases, bugs that were not found during testing, etc. During maintenance the users may have ideas on adding features that can enhance the application as well.

4.2 Tools to use

4.2.1 Asp.NET Core using C#

Asp.NET Core is a technology from Microsoft that can be used to develop web applications (Daniel Roth, Rick Anderson, Shaun Luttin, 2017). The developers can either use an IDE known as Visual Studio or a text editor such as Visual Studio Code, Atom, Sublime Text 3, and etc to develop applications using this technology. To use Asp.NET Core, the Asp.NET Core 2.0 SDK is required to be installed into the machine, the Asp.NET Core 2.0 SDK can be downloaded at https://www.microsoft.com/net/download/windows.

4.2.2 HTML, CSS, and JavaScript

These technologies are required to build the user interface of the application. HTML was used to provide the mark up for the layout, and providing basic user interface without concerning the styling of the user interface. CSS was used to modify the appearance of the user interface while JavaScript was used to provide functionalities on the user interface such as handling mouse click event and opening a modal.

4.2.3 jQuery

jQuery is a JavaScript library that provide several utilities such as providing a CSS like way to select elements on the DOM. jQuery was also an optional dependency for the Bootstrap framework if the developer intends to use some of the Bootstrap utilities such as creating a modal or dropdown list.

4.2.4 Bootstrap

Bootstrap is a web framework that can be used to provide some default styling to the application as well as providing some frequently used user interface utilities (e.g. creating a modal, creating a dropdown menu, etc). There are various versions of the framework available currently, version 4 was used for this project.

4.2.5 ChartJs

ChartJs is a JavaScript library that is used to generate various charts such as pie chart, line chart, bar chart, and etc. This library was primarily used in the dashboard section of the application to generate various charts such as a doughnut to visualize user's income structure well as the report section of the application.

4.2.6 Node Package Manager

Node Package Manager is a tool that is used to download JavaScript dependencies to the project. This tool was used to download various JavaScript libraries such as Webpack, Gulp, PdfMake, Html2Canvas, and etc. When a dependency is successfully downloaded, the dependency will be recorded in a file named "package.json". This tool is not required to run the project as it is simply used for managing JavaScript dependencies. The application will run just fine without having this tool being installed on the machine. This tool can be downloaded via https://nodejs.org/en/.

4.2.7 Webpack

Webpack is used as a bundler to bundle different JavaScript files together. This can reduce HTTP request for different JavaScript files and allowing JavaScript modules to be imported and exported.

4.2.8 Gulp

Gulp is a task runner that can be used to automate certain tasks during development such as compiling PostCSS files into a single CSS file and automatically re bundle the JavaScript files when it detects the user changes the code in JavaScript files.

4.2.9 PdfMake

PdfMake is a JavaScript library that is used to generate PDFs based on the data provided. This library was used when the user wants to export reports.

4.2.10 Html2Canvas

This is a library that is used to screenshot the web page. This library is used to screenshot charts on the report page when the user wants to export their report.

4.2.11 Toastr

Toastr is a library that is used to display a toast message similar to a toast message on a mobile application. This library was used when the user attempts to download, preview, or export report to third party cloud storage.

4.2.12 Google Drive SDK

The Google Drive SDK is used when the user wants to export report to Google Drive. This SDK can be used to connect the user to Google Drive and export report to the user's Google Drive given that the user was connected.

4.2.13 Dropbox SDK

The Dropbox SDK is used when the user wants to export report to Dropbox. This SDK can be used to connect the user to Dropbox and export report to the user's Dropbox given that the user was connected.

4.2.14 SQL Server Express LocalDB

SQL Server Express LocalDB is a database management system that can used for developing applications (Anderson, 2017). It is a lightweight version of SQL Server Express Database Engine.

4.3 Requirements

4.3.1 Visual Studio Community 2017

Visual Studio Community 2017 is an Integrated Development Environment for developing software using various technologies including Asp.NET Core. There are older versions of Visual Studio available but it is recommended to install the version stated (2017) to minimize potential compatibility issues.

4.3.2 Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio 17

Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio provides a user interface for integrating with SQL Server Express LocalDB. This tool is optional and is not required to run the program.

4.3.3 Laptop
Operating System: Windows 10
Processor: Intel® Core[™] i5-6200U CPU @ 2.30GHz
Installed memory (RAM): 8.00 GB (7.84 GB usable)

4.4 Timeline

4.4.1 Overview

The project begun in 2 January 2018 and the first prototype containing two to three completed modules (Project 1) is expected to be completed before 4 March 2018. During the first two weeks of January 2018 the primary focuses are information gathering, review of existing systems and feasibility studies. After the information gathering phase, the program will be developed based on the information gathered. The second prototype is expected to be completed before 10 August 2018. A review of the previous prototype will be conducted first before continuing to develop the program.

4.4.2 Gantt Chart for Current Semester

D	0	Task Mode	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish	24	Jan '18 31 7 14 21	Feb '18	м 1 18 25	ar '18 4 11 18	A 25	pr'18 1 8	1
1		-,	Determine motivation, problem statement, project scope, project objectives, and impact, significance	7 days	Tue 1/2/18	Wed 1/10/18								
2			Review existing systems for literature reivew and comparison with	7 days	Thu 1/11/18	Fri 1/19/18								
3		4	Realise the design specification and system design of the proposed system	14 days	Mon 1/22/18	Thu 2/8/18		T						
4		-,	Poster Creation, Conclusion determination, Report format verification, Turnitin	7 days	Fri 2/9/18	Mon 2/19/18			×					
5			Develop the application (2-3 modules)	50 days	Fri 1/19/18	Thu 3/29/18								
6		-4	Project prototype 1 presentation	5 days	Mon 4/9/18	Fri 4/13/18								

Figure 4-2 Gantt Chart Part 1

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4.4.3 Gantt Chart for Next Semester

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ID	0	Task Mode	Task Name	Duration	Start	Finish	Jun '18 Jul '18 Aug '18 13 20 27 03 10 17 24 01 08 15 22 29 05 12 19 26
1		-	Review the previous report, identiy the requirement differences between report 1 and report 2	3 days	Mon 21-05-18	Wed 23-05-18	
2		-,	Expand system design	14 days	Thu 24-05-18	Tue 12-06-18	
3			Expand Methodology and	7 days	Wed 13-06-18	Thu 21-06-18	
4		-5	Expand Analysis, Design and Verification Plan	21 days	Fri 22-06-18	Fri 20-07-18	
5			Expand conclusion	7 days	Mon 23-07-18	Tue 31-07-18	*
6			System development	55 days	Mon 21-05-18	Fri 03-08-18	
7			Poster review, Report format,	7 days	Wed 01-08-18	Thu 09-08-18	
8			Prepare for Presentation and submission of	7 days	Fri 10-08-18	Mon 20-08-18	

Figure 4-3 Gantt Chart Part 2

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5.1 Install required tools

- 1. Go to https://www.visualstudio.com/downloads/
- 2. Click on free download for Visual Studio Community 2017

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•	Visual Studio Community 2017 Free, fully-featured IDE for students, open-source and individual developers	Visual Studio Professional 2017 Professional developer tools, services, and subscription benefits for small teams	Visual Studio Enterprise 2017 End-to-end solution to meet demanding quality and scale needs of teams of all sizes	Visual Studio Code Code editing, redefined. Free, open source, and runs everywhere.
	Free download 🛓 Release Notes & Docs >	Free trial 📥 Release Notes & Docs >	Free trial 🛓 Release Notes & Docs >	Free download 📥

Figure 5-1 Visual Studio 2017 Download Page

- 3. Run the installer that was downloaded
- 4. Ensure ASP.NET web development is ticked
- Install the selected modules (Restart might be required, after restarting, run the installer again, the installer will provide an option for launching Visual Studio Community 2017)
- Go to <u>https://www.microsoft.com/net/learn/get-started/windows</u>, click on download .NET SDK

Get started with .NET in 10

Not ready to install anything? Try our in-browser tutorial.

1. Download and Install

To start building .NET apps you just need to download and install the .NET SDK (Software Development Kit) for Windows.

Download .NET SDK

Figure 5-2 .NET SDK Download Page

7. Run the downloaded installer

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5.2 Running the project

2.

1. Open visual studio, in visual studio, open solution by file > open

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FYP	5	PersonalizedBudgetPlanningSystem.sln	01-Feb-18 3:48 PM	Visual Studio Solu	2 KB	
☐ ToPutInCD ☐ UI Prototyp ✔ Microsoft Vis	e sual S					
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Figure 5-3 Open Project

3. Open the package manager console by going to Tools > Nuget Package Manager > Package Manager Console.

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×		Connect to Server		
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		Web Code Analysis	•	and Solution
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Figure 5-4 Open Package Manager Console

4. Inside the package manager console, enter "Update-database". The purpose of this command is to create the database on the C drive based on the migration



Figure 5-5 Update-Database Command

 5. Verify database was created first check: verify that the database files for the program was created in C:\Users\{your_username}.

 PersonalizedBudgetPlanningSystem.mdf
 PersonalizedBudgetPlanningSystem_log.ldf
 28-Feb-18 7:40 PM MDF File
 8,192 KB
 28-Feb-18 7:40 PM LDF File
 8,192 KB

Figure 5-6 Verify Database Created Part 1

6. Verify database was created second check: Verify that the database is created by opening View (located at the top toolbar) > SQL Server Object Explorer



Figure 5-7 Verify Database Created Part 2

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- 7. Open the project directory with windows explorer
- 8. Open a file named "UserSecrets.json" in the folder.
- 9. Copy all content in the "UserSecrets.json" file.

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		Manage Bower Packa	ages			neController.cs		
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Figure 5-8 Manage User Secrets

- 11. Paste in the content that was copied from "UserSecrets.json".
- 12. Save the file by using "CTRL + S".
- 13. Explanation of user secrets (Optional): The user secrets are required for enabling Google login as well as sending emails using Sendgrid. If the user secrets were not provided, the system will not work.
- 14. Use "CTRL" + "F5" to run the project. (The project will run at https://localhost:44357/)
- 15. The application is now running, the next step will be populating some records. Currently, the database is empty and there are no available users to be logged n.

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Personalized Budget Planning System
Welcome to Personalized Budget Planning System
To use the appleater, you can Register or Legin
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Figure 5-9 Application Home Page

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5.3 Populating records

- 1. In visual studio, on the top links, click view > SQL Server Object Explorer
- 2. Expand the nodes with this fashion
 - a. SQL Server
 - b. (localdb)\MSSQLLocalDB (SQL Server 13.0.4001....) (The actual name might be different depend on the machine)
 - c. Databases
 - d. PersonalizedBudgetPlanningSystem

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	l	> 🖆	External Tables			
	l	> ⊞	dboEFMigrationsHistory			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.Accounts			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetRoleClaims			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetRoles			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetUserClaims			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetUserLogins			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetUserRoles			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetUsers			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.AspNetUserTokens			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.Budgets			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.ExpenseCategories			
	l	> ⊞	dbo.Expenses			
		> ⊞	dbo.IncomeCategories			
		> ⊞	dbo.Incomes			
		> ⊞	dbo.Transfers			
		> 🌐	dbo.UserPreferences			

Figure 5-10 Database Nodes

- 3. Right click on PersonalizedBudgetPlanningSystem, select "New Query..."
- 4. Open the project directory with windows explorer
- 5. Open the "SQL Seeders" folder

6. Open "Index.txt" file (It looks something like the this) 🔳 Index - Notepad File Edit Format View Help INSERT INTO [dbo].[AspNetUsers] ([Id], [AccessFailedCount], [ConcurrencyStamp], [Email], [EmailConfirmed], [LockoutEnabled], [LockoutEnd], [NormalizedEmail], [NormalizedUserName], [PasswordHash], [PhoneNumber], [PhoneNumberConfirmed], [SecurityStamp], [TwoFactorEnabled], [UserName]) VALUES (N'1d960d45-4b2d-4ae4-a32e-22aa61ce8f61', 0, N'ab438e7c-1540-4b04-9b30 -fb6eb161848c', N'zweidc55@1utar.my', 1, 1, NULL, N'ZWEIDC55@1UTAR.MY', N'ZWEIDC55@1UTAR.MY', NULL, NULL, 0, N'ca0bb35c-4725-4c4a-8833-234cfb2fb9fd', 0, N'zweidc55@1utar.my') INSERT INTO [dbo].[AspNetUsers] ([Id], [AccessFailedCount], [ConcurrencyStamp], [Email], [EmailConfirmed], [LockoutEnabled], [LockoutEnd], [NormalizedEmail], [NormalizedUserName], [PasswordHash], [PhoneNumber], [PhoneNumberConfirmed], [SecurityStamp], [TwoFactorEnabled], [UserName]) VALUES (N'8ba3a501-016e-4484-b6c7-154257dd107e', 0, N'1cb4e598-c714-427c-87cf-6145f444d2d0', N'alice@gmail.com', 1, 1, NULL, N'ALICE@GMAIL.COM', N'ALICE@GMAIL.COM' N'AQAAAAEAACcQAAAAEC8cZ/Mu3nkMC1rWz8qSshgKhnkNy//g7M8tqSxI1swL1M3cmx1aSTYDk3R6 F13F3g==', NULL, 0, N'8de0f28b-f9ba-4ca3-adac-8069a3afa9b8', 1, N'alice@gmail.com') INSERT INTO [dbo].[AspNetUsers] ([Id], [AccessFailedCount], [ConcurrencyStamp], [Email], [EmailConfirmed], [LockoutEnabled], [LockoutEnd], [NormalizedEmail], [NormalizedUserName], [PasswordHash], [PhoneNumber], [PhoneNumberConfirmed], [SecurityStamp], [TwoFactorEnabled], [UserName]) VALUES (N'a81b2771-5655-49c0-b15d-e27a43a3e5d6', 0, N'f3e4706a-120d-4cb0-9f3a-ae4ae3b787c2', N'admin@budget.com', 1, 1, NULL, N'ADMIN@BUDGET.COM', N'ADMIN@BUDGET.COM' N'AQAAAAEAACcQAAAAEJHoZTD9UfcRsMQ0pX0JQAq80iyHX341kqmpM0zSYKkCf/27bt9wCgYdB16d TtOb/w==', NULL, 0, N'926669e8-e8fa-4e21-806f-e114cd523d55', 0, N'admin@budget.com')

Figure 5-11 Index.txt Content (SQL Statements)

- 7. Copy all of the content within the file with CTRL + A, then CTRL + C
- 8. Go back to visual studio, paste the content that was copied to the new query tab
- 9. Click the execute button (the green button on the top left) to execute the queries
 SQLQuery1.sql → × ApplicationDbContext.cs
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Figure 5-12 Execute Button

10. The database should now be populated with some records.

5.4 Record Purposes

Record	Purpose
Expense	This record is used to keep track of
	expenses created by the user. Creating
	this record will deduct balance of the

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	account that was selected to make this		
	expense.		
Income	This record is used to keep track of		
	incomes created by the user. Creating this		
	record will increase balance of the		
	account that was selected to make this		
	expense.		
Transfer	This record keeps track of transactions		
	between two accounts. The receiver		
	account's balance will be increase while		
	the provide account's balance will be		
	decreased upon the creation of this		
	record.		
Budget	This record keeps tracks of the user		
	budgets. By default, no budget will be		
	specified and the user will need to edit		
	them to specify an amount for a particular		
	expense category.		
Account	This record is required to create		
	expenses, incomes, and transfers.		
Expense Category	This is required to create an expense.		
	When the user creates an expense, the		
	user will select an expense category		
	using a dropdown list. This record also		
	serves as a basis for specifying budget.		
Income Category	This is required to create an income.		
	When the user creates an income, the		
	user will select an income category using		
	a dropdown list.		
Currencies	This record is required to create		
	expenses, incomes, and accounts. When		
	the user creates an expense, income, or		

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account, the user will need to specify the
currency.

Table 5-1 Record Purposes

5.5 Using the program

- 5.4.1 Identity Management Module
- Login as existing User
 - 1. First, click on the login link on the page.

 Personalized Budget Planning System

 Register Login

 Personalized Budget Planning System

 Velcome to Personalized Budget Planning System

 To use the application, you can Register or Login

Figure 5-13 Application Home Page

2. Login by providing email and password, there are two users available. The first user is an admin while the second user is not an admin.

Log in

Use a local account to log in.	Use another service to log in.		
Email	Google		
Password			
Log in			
Forgot your password?			
Register as a new user?			

Figure 5-14 Application Login Page

Emails	Passwords	Role
Test1@budget.com	Password123\$	Admin
Test2@budget.com	Password123\$	User



Figure 5-15 Dashboard Page

Register

You can register an account by going to the register page. You will need to fill up email, password, and confirm password, then click the register button. You can also register an account via Google. If you registered an account via email and password combination, you will need to activate it by clicking on the confirmation link on the email that was sent to the email used to register the account.

Personalized Budget Planning System			
Lc	Log in		
Use a local account to log in.	Use another service to log in.		
Email	Google		
Password			
Log in			
Forgot your password?			
Register as a new user?			



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Profile

You can go to the profile page to update your email. After you update your email, a confirmation email will be sent to the new email.

Personalized Budget Pla	nning System + Add Transaction						
Dashboard	Manage your account						
Expenses	Change your account settings						
Incomes	Profile						
Transfers	Password						
Budgets	External logins Two Factor Authentication						
Accounts	Profile						
Expense Categories	Tonic						
Income Categories	Username						
Currencies	abc06435@gmail.com						
Reports	Email						
Users	abc06435@gmail.com						
Profile	Save						
Settings							
Themes							
Log out							
Figure 5-17 Profile Page							

Enable Two Factor Authentication

- 1. Go to the profile page
- 2. Click on "Two factor Authentication" link
- 3. Click on "Configure authenticator app" link

4.	You	will	see	а	page	like	this.					
	Personalized Budget F	Planning System	+ Add Transaction			Welcon	ne abc06435@gmail.co					
	Dashboard	Manage your account										
	Expenses	Change your account settings										
	Incomes	Drefile										
	Transfers	Prome Password										
	Budgets	External logins Two Factor Authe	ntication									
	Accounts	Enable authe	enticator									
	Expense Categories	To use an authent	icator app go through the follo	owing steps:								
	Income Categories	1. Download a	a two-factor authenticator app I	like Microsoft Authenticat	or for Windows Phone, Android a	nd iOS or Google Authenticator f	or Android and iOS.					
	Currencies	2. Scan the QF	R Code or enter this key 7ebk r	nn5o eytl 2j2i mof3 aps2	wz32 bzg1 into your two factor	authenticator app. Spaces and ca	sing do not matter.					
	Reports											
	Users	To use an authenticator app of through the following steps: To use an authenticator app of through the following steps: To use an authenticator app like Microsoft Authenticator for Win Categories C										
	Profile						elcome abc06435@gmail.co ator for Android and iOS. nd casing do not matter.					
	Settings				ps: soft Authenticator for Windows Phone, Android and iOS or Goc t 2j21 mof3 aps2 w232 bzg3 into your two factor authenticator ey above, your two factor authentication app will provide you wi							
	Themes	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •										
	Los and	3. Once you h	ave scanned the QR code or inp	put the key above, your tv	vo factor authentication app will p	provide you with a unique code. E	nter the code in the					

Figure 5-18 2FA Instructions Page

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- 5. If you do not have Google Authenticator installed, download Google Authenticator on your mobile device.
- 6. Open Google Authenticator and scan the QR Code or enter the key provided on the page.
- 7. After scanning, Google Authenticator will provide a code. Enter the code provided on the input field and click verify.
- 8. After verifying, the page will update your two factor authentication details and provide you with some secret codes. These secret codes can be used as an alternative from the code provided in Google Authenticator. Your secret codes will most likely be different from the screenshot.

Recovery codes

```
Put these codes in a safe place.

If you lose your device and don't have the recovery codes you will lose access to your account.

4460b310 20de9b2a

0a0c85e7 89b22e71

6ac043f3 6ce43c9a

5cfa9a40 d26d0b66

e4fb8957 d6a1144f
```

Figure 5-19 Secret Codes

9. Next time you try to login with correct email and password you will be prompted with this screen. Enter the code available via Google Authenticator to

login.

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Two-factor authentication

Your login is protected with an authenticator app. Enter your authenticator code below.

Authenticator code

Remember this machine

Log in

Don't have access to your authenticator device? You can log in with a recovery code.

Figure 5-20 2FA Login

Users

You can manage users by going to the users index page. Only an admin can view this page. The admin can delete a user or update a user's role. Note that deleting a user will also delete all of the records created by that particular user.

Personalized Budget Planning System + Add Transaction									
Dashboard	Email	Admin							
Expenses	abc06435@gmail.com	True	Edit Delete						
Incomes	admin@budget.com	True	Edit Delete						
Transfers		E-l	E-Stat D-J-A-						
Budgets	zweidc55@1utar.my	False	Edit Delete						
Accounts									
Expense Categories									
Income Categories									
Currencies									
Reports									
Users									
Profile									
Settings									
Themes									
Log out									



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5.4.2 Transaction Module

Create, Read, Update, Delete

Create

 To create a record (e.g. expense, income, transfer, and etc.), the user is required to go the index page of the type of record intending to create. For example, if you want to create an expense record, you will need go to the index page of expenses by clicking on the expense link on the left navigation bar. By default, a list of expense categories and income categories will be created when the user registers an account.

Dashboard	abc06435@gmail.com	
Expenses	Create New	
Incomes	Name	
Transfers		
Budgets	Housing	Edit Details Delete
Accounts	Transportation	Edit Details Delete
Expense Categories	Education	Edit Details Delete
Income Categories	Vehicle	Edit Details Delete
Currencies	Entertainment	Edit Details Delete
Users	Communication, PC	Edit Details Delete
Profile		
Settings		
Themes		

Figure 5-22 Index Page

2. To create a record. The user will need to click on the "Create new" link to go to

the	create	page	for	the	particula	r type	of
Person	alized Budget Pla	nning System	+ Add Trans	saction			
Dashl	board	Creat	e				
Exper	nses	ExpenseC	ategory				
Incon	nes	•	0,				
Trans	fers	Name					
Budg	ets						
Accou	unts	Create					
Expe	nse Categories	Back to List					
Incon	ne Categories						
Curre	encies						
Repo	rts						
Users	1						
Profil	e						
Settir	igs						
Them	es						

Figure 5-23 Create Page

3. After the user supplies necessary information on the form, the user can click the create button to create the record. If the record was created successfully, the system will redirect the user to the index page of a particular record type based on the record that was created. Some records will affect certain values of other records. For example, if an expense record was created with account A. The balance of account A will be reduced by the amount specified in the record.

Read

1. To read expenses (or any other record), click on the respective tab. For example, to view list of expenses, click on the expense tab. A list of expenses created by the user will be displayed.

record.

2. It is possible to filter the records by selecting the month using the date picker above.

Personalized Budget Planning System +Add Transaction Welcome abc0643							
Dashboard Expenses	abc06435@gmail.com June 2018 Filter Create New						
Incomes	Amount	Currency	Date	Account	Expense Category		
Budgets	500.00	MYR	01-Jun-18	Primary	Housing	Edit Delete	
Accounts	500.00	USD	02-Jun-18	Primary	Vehicle	Edit Delete	
Expense Categories	500.00	USD	12-Jun-18	Primary	Entertainment	Edit Delete	
Income Categories							
Currencies							
Reports							
Users							
Profile							
Settings							
Themes							

Figure 5-24 List of Records Page

Update

- 1. To update a record, go to the list with the type of record you want to update (e.g. to update an expense record, click on the expenses link).
- 2. Click the edit link on the record you would like to update.

3.	The	update	screen	should	be	displayed	to	the	user.			
	Persona	alized Budget P	Planning System	Add Trans	action							
	Dashb	ooard	Edit	Expens	e							
	Expen	ises										
	Incom	es	Amount									
	Transf	iers	500.00									
	Budge	ets	Date									
	Accou	nts	01-Jun-2	018								
	Expen	se Categories	Account									
	Incom	e Categories	Primary									
	Currencies Expense Category											
	Repor	ts	Housing									
	Users											
	Profile	2	Currency									
	6 JU		MYR					*				
	Setting	gs										
	Theme	es	Save									

Figure 5-25 Edit Expense Page

4. After making necessary changes, click the save button to save changes made.

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Delete

1. To delete a record, go to the index page and click on the delete link on the record.

2.	А	delete	cor	nfirmation	page	will	be	displayed.
	Personaliz	ed Budget Plann	ing Systen	Add Transaction				
	Dashboard	d	Are	you sure yo	ou want	to delet	e this e	expense?
	Incomes		Amount 500.00					
	Transfers		Currency					
	Budgets		MYR					
	Accounts		Date 01-Jun-18					
	Expense C	Categories	Account Primary					
	Income Ca	ategories	Expense Ca	tegory				
	Currencie	S	Housing					
	Reports		Delete	Back to List				
	Users							
	Profile							
	Settings							

Figure 5-26 Delete Page

3. Click on the delete button to delete the record

5.4.3 Budget Module

1. The user can go to the budget page to set budget for an expense category.



Figure 5-27 Budgets Page

2. The user can edit the budget by clicking on the edit link.

3.	The	e edit	budget	page	should	be	displayed.						
	Per	sonalized Budget Plann	ing System	+ Add Transaction									
	Dashboard		Edit bud	get									
	Expenses Incomes	Name											
	T	ransfers	Transportation Date										
	E A	Budgets Accounts	May 2018										
	E	xpense Categories	Goal for May 20										
	h	ncome Categories	5047.10			<u></u>							
	C	Currencies	Default goal for vou can set it to										
	R	Reports	0.00										
	L	Jsers											
	P	Profile	Save										
	S	Settings	Back to List										
	Т	hemes											
	1	on out											

Figure 5-28 Edit Budget Page

4. After making necessary changes, click save to save the changes made.

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5.4.4 Graph and Report Module

Dashboard





The dashboard is populated with various components. The user can change the dashboard chart settings by going to the settings page. The user can change the chart for expense and income structure from doughnut to bar chart, cumulative expenses and incomes from line chart to bar chart, and balance overtime from line chart to bar chart. The user can also supply different filters such as month/year, and user using the filter component. Only an admin can use user as a filter.

Personalized Budget Planning System + Add Transaction							
Dashboard	Expenses and incomes structure chart:						
Expenses	Doughnut						
Incomes	Cumulative expenses and incomes chart:						
Transfers	Line Chart						
Budgets	Balance overtime chart:						
Accounts	Line Chart						
Expense Categories	Save						
Income Categories							
Currencies							
Reports							
Users							
Profile							
Settings							
Themes							
Log out							

Figure 5-30 Dashboard Settings Pag

Report

You can generate report by going to the report page. You can use the first dropdown to select the report to generate, you can also select the chart to use for the report. Different types of report will have different charts available. You can click on the export button to select the approach you would like to export the report. It is possible to export report directly to third party cloud storage including Google Drive and Dropbox. Before you can export it to third party cloud storage, you will need to connect to the preferred cloud storage first. It is also possible to download the report directly or preview it.



Figure 5-31 Report Page

5.4.5 Personalize Theme Module

You can change the theme of the application by going to the theme page. You can then select different theme to preview the theme and click on the save button to save your preference.

Personalized Budget Plann	ing System + Add Transaction
Dashboard	Theme:
Expenses	Flauy
Incomes	Save
Transfers	
Budgets	
Accounts	
Expense Categories	
Income Categories	
Currencies	
Reports	
Users	
Profile	
Settings	
Themes	

Figure 5-32 Theme Selection Page

Chapter 6 Testing

Testing is an important part of system development to ensure the functionalities are working as expected. Various tests were conducted to make sure the system produces the correct output based on actions taken and to capture potential bugs. If there are bugs found when testing the system, the bugs will be fixed and the test case will be reconducted.

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	Register by providing valid	The system adds a new user	Same as
	email address, password, and	account to the database and	expected
	confirm password	sends a confirmation email to	result
		the user.	
2	Register by providing an email	The system informs the user that	Same as
	that already exist in the database	the email is already taken	expected
	and valid password and confirm		result
	password		
3	Register by proving a valid	The system informs the user that	Same as
	email address, but password and	the password and confirm	expected
	confirm password do not match	password do not match	result
4	Register by providing a	The system informs the user that	Same as
	password that do not fulfil the	the password does not meet	expected
	requirements of having	requirements by providing	result
	at least one non-alphanumeric	password requirements	
	character, at least one lowercase	information to the user.	
	('a'-'z'), and at least one		
	uppercase ('A'-'Z').		
5	Login by providing the correct	The system logins the user and	Same as
	email and password	redirect the user to the	expected
	combination and the email is	dashboard page.	result
	already confirmed.		

6.1 Register and Login Tests

6	Login by providing the correct	The system does not login the	Same as
	email and password but the	user and returns error messages.	expected
	email is yet confirmed.		result
7	Login by providing the wrong	The system does not login the	Same as
	email and password	user and returns error messages.	expected
	combination.		result
8	User attempts to register via	The system adds the user's	Same as
	Google.	Google identity to the database	expected
		and logins the user directly.	result
9	User attempts to login via	The system logins the user with	Same as
	Google	their Google account.	expected
			result
10	If user have 2 factor	The system logins the user	Same as
	authentications enabled, the		expected
	user will need to enter code		result
	available via Google		
	Authenticator. User enters the		
	code provided.		
11	If user have 2 factor	The system informs the user that	Same as
	authentications enabled, the	the code provided was incorrect	expected
	user will need to enter code		result
	available via Google		
	Authenticator. User enters		
	incorrect code.		
12	If user have 2 factor	The system logins the user.	Same as
	authentications enabled, the		expected
	user will need to enter code		result
	available via Google		
	Authenticator. User choose to		
	use alternative secret codes and		
	provided valid secret code.		

13	If user have 2 factor	The system informs the user the	Same as
	authentications enabled, the	secret code was incorrect	expected
	user will need to enter code		result
	available via Google		
	Authenticator. User provided		
	incorrect secret code		

Table 6-1 Register and Login Tests

6.2 Accounts Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create an account	The system adds a new	Same as
	with valid inputs.	account to the database. This	expected
		account is now available when	result
		the user creates expenses,	
		incomes, or transfers.	
2	User tries to create an account	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete an account	The system deletes the	Same as
	that belongs to the user.	account.	expected
			result
4	User tries to delete an account	The system does not delete the	Same as
	that does not belong to the user.	account.	expected
			result
5	User list the accounts belong to	The system displays a list of	Same as
	the user.	accounts belong to the user.	expected
			result
6	User tries to update an account	The system updates the	Same as
	with valid inputs and the user is	account	expected
	authorized to do so.		result
7	User tries to update an account	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs and the user	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	is authorized to do so.		result

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8	User tries to update an account	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result

Table 6-2 Accounts Tests

6.3 Currencies Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create a currency	The system adds a new	Same as
	with valid inputs.	currency to the database. This	expected
		currency is now available	result
		when the user wants to create	
		accounts, expenses, incomes,	
		and transfesrs.	
2	User tries to create a currency	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete a currency	The system deletes the	Same as
	that belongs to the user.	currency.	expected
			result
4	User tries to delete a currency	The system does not delete the	Same as
	that does not belong to the user.	currency.	expected
			result
5	User list the currency belong to	The system displays a list of	Same as
	the user.	currencies belong to the user.	expected
			result
6	User tries to update a currency	The system updates the	Same as
	with valid inputs and the user is	currency.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result
7	User tries to update a currency	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs and the user	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	is authorized to do so.		result

8	User tries to update a currency	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result
9	User requested for conversion	The system returns the	Same as
	rate by clicking on the link.	conversion rate via an API.	expected
			result
10	User updates main currency	The system updates the user	Same as
	from MYR to USD.	main currency to USD.	expected
		Everything displayed on the	result
		dashboard will be in USD	
		now.	

Table 6-3 Currencies Tests

6.4 Expenses Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create an expense	The system adds a new	Same as
	with valid inputs.	expense to the database. The	expected
		account that was selected had	result
		its balance deducted.	
2	User tries to create an expense	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete an expense	The system deletes the	Same as
	that belongs to the user.	expense and the balance of the	expected
		account that was used to create	result
		this expense will be increased	
		based on the expense amount.	
4	User tries to delete an expense	The system does not delete the	Same as
	that does not belong to the user.	expense.	expected
			result
5	User list the expenses belong to	The system displays a list of	Same as
	the user.	expenses belong to the user.	expected
			result

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6	User tries to update an expense	The system updates the	Same as
	with valid inputs and the user is	expense. This will undo the	expected
	authorized to do so.	action of deducting balance	result
		from previous account and	
		update the balance of new	
		account.	
7	User tries to update an expense	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs and the user	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	is authorized to do so.		result
8	User tries to update an expense	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result

Table 6-4 Expenses Tests

6.5 Incomes Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create an income	The system adds a new income	Same as
	with valid inputs.	to the database. The account	expected
		that was selected had its	result
		balance increased.	
2	User tries to create an income	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete an income	The system deletes the income	Same as
	that belongs to the user.	and the balance of the account	expected
		that was used to create this	result
		expense will be deducted	
		based on the expense amount.	
4	User tries to delete an income	The system does not delete the	Same as
	that does not belong to the user.	income.	expected
			result

5	User list the incomes belong to	The system displays a list of	Same as
	the user.	incomes belong to the user.	expected
			result
6	User tries to update an income	The system updates the	Same as
	with valid inputs and the user is	income. This will undo the	expected
	authorized to do so.	action of increasing balance	result
		from previous account and	
		update the balance of new	
		account.	
7	User tries to update an income	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs and the user	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	is authorized to do so.		result
8	User tries to update an income	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result

6.6 Expense Categories Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create an expense	The system adds a new	Same as
	category with valid inputs.	expense category to the	expected
		database. This expense	result
		category will be available	
		when the user wants to create	
		expenses.	
2	User tries to create an expense	The system informs the user	Same as
	category with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete an expense	The system deletes the	Same as
	category that belongs to the	expense.	expected
	user.		result

4	User tries to delete an expense	The system does not delete the	Same as
	category that does not belong to	expense category.	expected
	the user.		result
5	User list the expense categories	The system displays a list of	Same as
	belong to the user.	expense categories belong to	expected
		the user.	result
6	User tries to update an expense	The system updates the	Same as
	category with valid inputs and	expense category.	expected
	the user is authorized to do so.		result
7	User tries to update an expense	The system informs the user	Same as
	category with invalid inputs	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	and the user is authorized to do		result
	so.		
8	User tries to update an expense	The system redirects the user	Same as
	category with valid inputs but is	to the login page.	expected
	not authorized to do so.		result

Table 6-5 Expense Categories Tests

6.7 Income Categories Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create an income	The system adds a new income	Same as
	category with valid inputs.	category to the database. This	expected
		income category will be	result
		available when the user wants	
		to create incomes.	
2	User tries to create an income	The system informs the user	Same as
	category with invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete an income	The system deletes the income	Same as
	category that belongs to the	category.	expected
	user.		result

4	User tries to delete an income	The system does not delete the	Same as
	category that does not belong to	income category.	expected
	the user.		result
5	User list the income categories	The system displays a list of	Same as
	belong to the user.	income categories belong to	expected
		the user.	result
6	User tries to update an income	The system updates the	Same as
	category with valid inputs and	income category.	expected
	the user is authorized to do so.		result
7	User tries to update an income	The system informs the user	Same as
	category with invalid inputs	invalid inputs were provided	expected
	and the user is authorized to do		result
	so.		
8	User tries to update an income	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result

Table 6-6 Income Categories Tests

6.8 Transfers Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to create a transfer with	The system adds a new	Same as
	valid inputs.	transfer to the database. The	expected
		receiver account's balance is	result
		increased and the provider	
		account's balance is	
		decreased.	
2	User tries to create a transfer with	The system informs the user	Same as
	invalid inputs.	the inputs provided were	expected
		invalid.	result
3	User tries to delete a transfer that	The system deletes the	Same as
	belongs to the user.	transfer and balance of both	expected
		accounts involved will be	result

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		updated to the state before the	
		creation of the transfer.	
4	User tries to delete a transfer that	The system does not delete	Same as
	does not belong to the user.	the transfer.	expected
			result
5	User list the transfers belong to	The system displays a list of	Same as
	the user.	transfers belong to the user.	expected
			result
6	User tries to update a transfer	The system updates the	Same as
	with valid inputs and the user is	transfer. The system removes	expected
	authorized to do so.	the side effect of the previous	result
		transfer and reapply the	
		process of updating the	
		accounts involved.	
7	User tries to update a transfer	The system informs the user	Same as
	with invalid inputs and the user is	invalid inputs were provided.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result
8	User tries to update a transfer	The system redirects the user	Same as
	with valid inputs but is not	to the login page.	expected
	authorized to do so.		result

Table 6-7 Transfers Tests

6.9 Budgets Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User tries to edit an existing	The system updates the	Same as
	budget by providing valid inputs	budget.	expected
	and is authorised to do so.		result
	(Budgets can only be updated		
	since budgets are based on		
	expense categories)		
2	User tries to edit an existing	The system informs the user	Same as
	budget by providing invalid	the inputs provided were	expected
	inputs and is authorised to do so.	invalid.	result

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3	User tries to edit an existing	The system redirects the user	Same as
	budget by providing valid inputs	to the login page.	expected
	and is not authorised to do so.		result

Table 6-8 Budget Tests

6.10 Theme Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User selects the theme via a	The system updates the user	Same as
	dropdown list to preview the	interface as the user selects	expected
	theme.	the theme.	result
2	User saves the theme.	The system updates the theme	Same as
		and use the theme selected on	expected
		other pages as well.	result

Table 6-9 Theme Tests

6.11 Report Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User select the report type, date	The system generates the	Same as
	range, and chart to use to	report based on criteria	expected
	generate the report.	provided by the user.	result
2	User exports the report to Google	The system exports the report	Same as
	Drive when connected to Google	to Google Drive.	expected
	Drive.		result
3	User exports the report to Google	The system informs the user	Same as
	Drive without being connected to	to connect with Google Drive	expected
	Google Drive.	first.	result
4	User exports the report to	The system exports the report	Same as
	Dropbox when connected to	to Dropbox.	expected
	Dropbox.		result
5	User exports the report to	The system informs the user	Same as
	Dropbox when not connected to	to connect with Dropbo first.	expected
	Dropbox.		result
6	User previews the report in PDF	The system displays the	Same as
	version.	report in PDF version with a	expected
		new browser tab	result

7	User downloads the report.	The system generates the	Same as
		PDF and instruct the browser	expected
		to download the PDF to the	result
		user's machine.	

Table 6-10 Report Tests

6.12 Dashboard Settings Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User updates the dashboard	The system updates the	Same as
	settings.	dashboard settings. The	expected
		dashboard display	result
		components based on the	
		updated settings.	

Table 6-11 Dashboard Settings Tests

6.13 Users Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
			same as
			Expected
			Result
1	User that is authorised displays a	The system displays a list of	Same as
	list of users.	users to the admin.	expected
			result
2	User that is not authorised	The system informs the user	Same as
	displays a list of users.	is not authorised to perform	expected
		this action.	result
3	User who is authorised deletes a	The system deletes all records	Same as
	user.	associated with the user and	expected
		deletes the user	result
4	User who is not authorised	The system does not delete	Same as
	deletes a user.	the user and informs the user	expected
		he/she is not authorised.	result

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5	Authorised user updates a user's	The system updates the user's	Same as
	role	role	expected
			result
6	Not authorised user updates a	The system does not update	Same as
	user's role	the user's role and inform the	expected
		user that he/she is not	result
		authorised.	

Table 6-12 Users Tests

Test	Action	Expected Result	Actual
Case			Result
1	User updates his/her email.	The system updates the user's	Same as
		email and sent confirmation	expected
		email to new email.	result
2	User updates the password by	The system updates the user's	Same as
	providing valid inputs	password	expected
			result
3	User enables 2 factor	The system enables 2 factor	Same as
	authentications by providing the	authentications.	expected
	correct code.		result
4	User enables 2 factor	The system informs the user	Same as
	authentications by providing	that the code provided was	expected
	incorrect code.	wrong.	result
5	User disables 2 factor	The system disables 2 factor	Same as
	authentications.	authentications. When the	expected
		user logins they are no longer	result
		required to enter 2 factor	
		authentication code	

Table 6-13 Profile Tests

Chapter 7 Conclusion

In conclusion, the project was created as a web application and the mentioned functionalities were achieved. Some features that were mentioned in problem statements such as 2 factor authentications, theme personalization, exporting report to third party cloud storage, and implementation of keyboard shortcuts were completed as well. There are some drawbacks of the system including the lack of a calendar like component to display the transactions amount made which was achieved by Mobills. This project also does not provide a mobile application which is more convenient for performing common tasks, the user will not be able to sign up using their Facebook account as well. This project was mainly created for managing personal budgets, thus functionalities such as managing transactions between users were not implemented.

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1. WORK DONE

Programming part:

-Updated multi currencies support

• The user can now select different currencies for different accounts (e.g. Account A is in MYR, Account B is in USD)

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming part:

-Testing multi currencies part (ensure account amount is correct after transactions CRUD)

Report part:

-Review previous report and identify requirements for fyp 2 report

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

Doing fine.

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1. WORK DONE

Programming part:

-Updated multi currencies support

- The user can now create preferred currencies based on a list of available currencies. (e.g. When creating transactions, the dropdown will only be populated with preferred currencies instead of all available currencies)
- The user can now create transactions with different currencies (e.g. Create an expense that is of 50 USD)
- Updated database structure (expenses and incomes table will now have a foreign key connected to the currencies created by the user)

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming part:

-Implement keyboard shortcuts to the system

-Designing the generate report module

Report part:

-Review previous report and identify requirements for fyp 2 report

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

Doing fine.

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1. WORK DONE

- Keyboard shortcuts added (The user can now travel between pages using keyboard shortcuts, open a modal to create transaction with the 'N' key)
- The report generate module is partially completed, the user can generate report in pdf format and download it.

2. WORK TO BE DONE

- Add other charts to report module (e.g. The user can view the expenses and incomes structures using either pie chart or bar chart, currently, the user can only view the expenses structure in pie chart)
- Report module export to Google Drive and Dropbox

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

Doing fine.

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1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

• The user can now export the report to third party cloud storage (e.g. export to Google Drive and Dropbox)

Report Part

• Reviewed and completed chapter 1 and chapter 2

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

- Allowing user to change the theme of the application
- Implement 2 factor authentication (with Google Authenticator)

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 3, 4, etc.)

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

Doing fine.

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1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

- The user can now display different charts using a dropdown box on the report module. (e.g. For expenses and incomes structure, the user can either select doughnut or bar chart as the chart for the report)
- Added new keyboard shortcuts for tables, the user can now press the '1' key to edit the record and the '2' key to delete the record.

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

- Allowing user to change the theme of the application
- Implement 2 factor authentication (with Google Authenticator)

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 3, 4, etc.)

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERE

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

Doing fine.

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1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

- The user can now change the theme of the application. Report Part
- Reviewed and updated use case diagram 2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

• Implement 2 factor authentication (with Google Authenticator)

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 3, 4, etc.) **3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED**

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3 Study week no.: 7

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1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

• Resolved a bug in which the dashboard actually not displaying data accurately since not every record are in the same currency now. Updated the dashboard to ensure all records retrieved are converted to the main currency before other calculations (the previous dashboard state was no longer accurate since the database structure changed and not every record will be in the same currency)

Report Part

• Reviewed and updated database diagram (ERD)

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

• Implement 2 factor authentication

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 3, 4, etc.)

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3 Study week no.: 8

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Project Title: Personalized Budget Planning System

1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

- In the report section, the user can generate report using either monthly or yearly date range (previously the user can only select monthly as the date range)
- Implemented 2 factor authentication

Report Part

• Reviewed previous user manual (FYP 1)

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

• Allow user to select monthly or yearly as date range on dashboard page

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 3, 4, etc.)

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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(Project II)

Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3Study week no.: 9Student Name & ID: ANG ZI WEI, 15ACB07926Supervisor: Ms Chan Lee KwunProject Title: Personalized Budget Planning System

1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

• User can now select monthly or yearly as date range on dashboard page

Report Part

• Updated Chapter 3 (System Design) with various diagrams (ERD, Use cases)

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

• Testing various functionalities and write test results on report

Report Part

• Complete the rest of the report (Chapter 4, etc.)

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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(Project II)

Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3 Study week no.: 10 Student Name & ID: ANG ZI WEI, 15ACB07926 Supervisor: Ms Chan Lee Kwun **Project Title: Personalized Budget Planning System**

1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

Tested various functionalities and provided the test results on report • Report Part

• Draft report completed

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Programming Part

Wrap up the program for presentation •

Report Part

Check if changes are required •

Upload to Turnitin

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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(Project II)

Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3Study week no.: 11Student Name & ID: ANG ZI WEI, 15ACB07926Supervisor: Ms Chan Lee KwunProject Title: Personalized Budget Planning System

1. WORK DONE
Programming Part
• Wrap up the program for presentation
Report Part
Making changes to the report according to comments
Unload to Turnitin
2 WORK TO BE DONE
Programming Part
• Populate sample data to the system
Report Part
Upload to Turnitin
Make changes to the report as required
3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED
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4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS
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(Project II)

Trimester, Year: Year 3 Trimester 3Study week no.: 12Student Name & ID: ANG ZI WEI, 15ACB07926Supervisor: Ms Chan Lee KwunProject Title: Personalized Budget Planning System

1. WORK DONE

Programming Part

• Prepare data for initial presentation Report Part

• Submit draft report soft copy

2. WORK TO BE DONE

Report Part

• Prepare hard copies and CDs

3. PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED

No problem at the current state.

4. SELF EVALUATION OF THE PROGRESS

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Personalized Budget Planning System Project Background

A web application that can be used to manage budget information of the users. The user can manage their budget information after registering an account. The system allows user to personalize the theme to use as well as providing keyboard shortcuts. The users can also enable 2 factor authentications to reduce potential risk for malicious users to login to their account.

Problem statement

. The users were unable to save report directly to third party cloud storage such as Google Drive and Dropbox. The users were unable to select theme to change the appearance of the application. 2 Factor Authentications service were not provided for the systems. Keyboard shortcuts for performing common tasks were not provided

Methodology

The back end of the application was developed using Asp.NET Core 2.0 MVC using C#. The user interfaces are build using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript. Prototype modelling methodology was used. Gantt chart was used to ensure the application can be developed within specified period.

Re	egister
Create a new acco	ount.
Email	
assword	
Confirm password	

Identity Management

User can register, login, logout, and update their profile information

Results

Expenses Create New					
Amount	Date	Account	Expense Category		
1000.00	11-Apr-18	Primary	Entertainment	Edit Delete	
200.00	03-Apr-18	Secondary	Transportation	Edit Delete	
300.00	04-Apr-18	Secondary	Transportation	Edit Delete	
100.00	12-Apr-18	Secondary	Transportation	Edit Delete	
50.00	04-Apr-18	New Account 2	Transportation	Edit Delete	

Transactions

User can manage expense, income, expense category, income category, transfer records



Graphs and Reports

The system can display various charts to visualize the user's budget information.

Theme:	
Flatly	
Save	

Personalization

The user can select different theme to change the appearance of the application. The user can also determine the chart to use on dashboard



Budgets

User can create budget for a specific expense category. They can also update and delete the budget in the future.

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