



DATATABLE SERVER SIDE PROCESSING CRUD OPERATIONS.

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ABSTRACT

Given its many benefits and ease of interaction, structural databases are still essential in today's world. Yet, not everyone is capable of creating technical queries that effectively get the needed data from the target database.

Many user interfaces have been created to date to assist non-technical people in interacting with the database. Nonetheless, every system offers a unique user interface for any beginner. These people frequently become bewildered while trying to switch from one interface to another because the functionalities of each interface may eventually differ.

The majority of users, who are not computer specialists, simply need the fundamental operations to interact with the database, such as CRUD (create, read, update, delete), because these interfaces are frequently too difficult to handle. The delete key. In light of these issues, we decided to pursue this initiative. We created a rudimentary website that allows users to interface with the database and carry out their basic tasks. Create, Read, Update, and Delete are the four core permanent database operators that make up the acronym CRUD. The functions that users require in order to create and manage data are simply summed up by the word CRUD. Nevertheless, it's also crucial to protect the database, so to address this, we offered a login mechanism that only permitted access to the database.

1. INTRODUCTION

A database is a well-organized grouping of data that has been organized and is often kept electronically in a computer system. A database management system often oversees a database (DBMS). A database system, frequently abbreviated to just a database, is the collective term for the data, the DBMS, and any applications connected to them. To facilitate processing and data querying, the most popular types of databases currently in use typically model their data as rows and columns in a set of tables. The information is then simple to manage, modify, update, regulate, and organize. For writing and querying data, most databases employ structured query language (SQL). Since their invention in the early 1960s, databases have seen a significant amount of development. databases for navigation, such as The first systems used to store and edit data were the hierarchical database (which depended on a tree-like architecture and only permitted a one-to-many relationship) and the network database (a more flexible model that enabled numerous interactions). These early systems were straightforward but rigid. Relational databases gained popularity in the 1980s, and object-oriented databases did the same in the 1990s. NoSQL databases were created more recently in response to the expansion of the internet and the requirement for unstructured data to be processed more quickly. In terms of how data is gathered, stored, managed, and used today, cloud databases and self-driving databases are pioneers. A database management system, which is a comprehensive database software application, is often necessary (DBMS). A DBMS functions as an interface that allows users to retrieve, change, and control how information is arranged and optimized between the database and its programmes or end users. A DBMS also makes it easier to monitor and manage databases, enabling a number of administrative tasks like performance tweaking, backup, and recovery. Almost all relational databases employ SQL, a programming language, to query, manage, and define data as well as to provide access control. The SQL ANSI standard was first developed at IBM in the 1970s, with Oracle playing a significant role in its development. Since then, SQL has inspired numerous expansions from businesses including IBM, Oracle, and Microsoft. Despite the continued popularity of SQL, new programming languages are starting to emerge. While programming computers, produce, read, and The four fundamental operations of



persistent storage are create, read, update, and delete (often abbreviated as CRUD). The term "CRUD" is also used to refer to user interface patterns that make it easier to browse, search for, and modify data using computer-based forms and reports. The term "CRUD" stands for the key activities carried out by databases. The acronym can be broken down into typical Structured Query Language (SQL) statements for each letter. At the user interface level of most apps, CRUD is equally important. An individual contact record, for instance, serves as the basic storage unit in address book software.

2. LITERATURE SURVEY AND RELATED WORK

One of the most used query languages for obtaining data from databases is SQL, or Structured Query Language. However, not every user will be able to write a query that efficiently gets data; for example, a beginner user who is not familiar with SQL may not have the technical know-how to handle the data in the database.

Although fewer than 10% of the world's data is structured, structured databases nonetheless offer an excellent approach to keep the data consistent. These interfaces are used to translate user input into the corresponding SQL query, which aids in retrieving data from the database.

This interface is made to assist new users and non-computer experts.

The user enters a query into the interface, which the system subsequently transforms to a SQL query. then display it on the interface after retrieving the necessary data from the database. There are various interfaces available, including graphical interfaces, formal query languages, and menu-based interfaces. Not all interfaces are simple to use; in fact, the most of them are quite difficult. For this reason, this interface was created in a way that it can execute the majority of the fundamental and typical data retrieval queries.

2.1 BRIEF INTRODUCTION OF TECHNOLOGIES USED:

The following are the technologies were used to implement our project:

1. JavaScript
2. Bootstrap 5
3. XAMPP Server
4. Web
5. Visual Studio Code

2.1.1 JavaScript

A simple, interpreted programming language called JavaScript is used to build network-centric apps. Because it is integrated with HTML, JavaScript is relatively simple to use. It is free and platform-independent.

You can make wah sites interactive by using JavaScript, a text-based scripting language used on both the client and server sides. whereas the languages that provide web pages structure and style are HTML and CSS. JavaScript adds interactive aspects to web sites that keep users interested. JavaScript is frequently used in everyday applications like the search bar on Amazon, the news summary video that is embedded in The New York Times, and refreshing your Twitter feed. JavaScript enhances the web page's user experience by transforming it from a static page into a conversational one. JavaScript is used to:

1. Provide interactive functionality to web sites.
2. Making online and mobile applications.
3. creating web servers and creating server programmes.

2.1.2 Bootstrap 5

An HTML, CSS, and JavaScript package called Bootstrap focuses on making the creation of educational web pages easier (as opposed to web applications). The main goal of adding it to a web project is to apply the color, size, font, and layout options of Bootstrap to that project. So, the main determinant is whether the responsible developers like those options. All HTML components have basic style declarations once Bootstrap is introduced to a project. As a result, texts, tables, and form components appear consistently in all web browsers. In order to further personalize the appearance of their contents, developers can make use of the CSS classes defined in Bootstrap. For instance, Bootstrap offers support for dark and light-colored tables, page headers, more pronounced pull quotes, and highlighted text. Moreover, Bootstrap includes a number



of JavaScript components that can be used independently of other frameworks like jQuery. They offer extra user interface components such as dialogue boxes, tooltips, progress bars, drop-down navigation menus, and carousels. Each Bootstrap element is made up of an HTML framework, CSS declarations, and occasionally supplementary JavaScript code. Also, they increase the functionality of a few already-existing interface components, such as the auto-complete feature for input fields. The layout components of Bootstrap are the most noticeable since they have an impact on the entire web page. Every single element on the page is contained within the "Container," which is the basic layout element. A fixed-width container or a fluid-width container are the two options available to developers. While the latter always makes the web page full width.

2.1.3 XAMPP Server

We can host our website on a local PC using XAMPP, a cross-platform web server that is free and open source. The company behind it is Apache Friends. It is made up of an Apache HTTP server, a MariaDB database, and PHP and Perl interpreters. MacOS, Linux, and Windows all support it.

XAMPP is solely intended to be used as a development tool, enabling web designers and programmers to test their creations locally rather than online. Our PHP and Perl scripts can be run locally in an environment created by XAMPP. We are able to deploy projects created in these languages and view the results.

XAMPP is made up of a number of parts that enable it to operate and host web pages locally. We shall look at some of the key elements in this. As you can see, the main parts of XAMPP are identified only by their initial names. The letters X stand for cross-platform, A for Apache HTTP server, M for Maria Database, and the final two Ps are for PHP and Perl.

2.1.4 Web Technology

Web technology describes the numerous methods and tools used in the process of interacting with various internet-connected devices. To access web pages, use a web browser. Programs that show text, data, graphics, animation, and video on the Internet are referred to as web browsers. The developing, constructing, and maintaining of websites is referred to as web development. It covers elements like web design, publishing online, web development, and database administration. The development of an online application is what it is.

Two categories can be used to categorize web development:

UI/UX Development: The front end of a website refers to the area with which the user immediately interacts. It's also known as the application's client side.

Reverse Engineering: A website's backend is its server side. It is the portion of the website that visitors are unable to view and utilize. It is the part of the programme that users do not directly interact with. Data is stored and organized using it.

Front-end languages The languages listed below are used to build the front end part.

HTML: Hypertext Markup Language is what HTML stands for. It is used to create web pages' front ends using a markup language. HTML combines a variety of

Both hypertext and markup. The definition of a hypertext link between two web pages. The written documentation contained within the tag that specifies the structure of web pages is defined using markup language.

CSS: Cascading Style Sheets, sometimes known as CSS, is a straightforwardly written language that makes it easier to present web pages. Applying styles to web pages is possible with CSS. More crucially, CSS makes it possible for you to do this without relying on the HTML that each web page is composed of.

JavaScript is a well-known programming language that is used to work its magic on websites so that users may interact with them. It is used to improve a website's functionality so that enjoyable games and web-based applications can run on it.

Backend Languages: The languages listed below are used to build the back end part.

JavaScript: Famous scripting language JavaScript is used to work its magic on websites to make them interactive for users. It is utilized to improve a website's functioning and operate interesting web-based games and applications (can be used both for front-end and back-end)

PHP: The abbreviation PHP stands for Hypertext Preprocessor: PHP. The server-side scripting language PHP was created primarily for building websites. Being open-source, it is available for free download and use. It is incredibly easy to use and learn. The files have the ".php" extension. The original version of PHP was inspired by Rasmus Lerdorf, who also contributed to succeeding versions. It is an interpreted language, hence a compiler is not necessary.

XAMPP Server: Developed by Apache Friends, XAMPP is a cross-platform, free and open-source web server stack bundle that primarily consists of the Apache HTTP Server, MariaDB database, and interpreters for PHP and Perl scripts.

2.1.5 Visual Studio Code

An incredibly quick source code editor is included in Visual Studio Code, making it ideal for regular use. VS Code supports



hundreds of languages and offers features like syntax highlighting, bracket matching, auto-indentation, box selection, snippets, and more to help you get work done right away. You can traverse your code with ease thanks to intuitive keyboard shortcuts, simple modification, and community-contributed keyboard shortcut mappings. Powered by the same underlying technologies that power Visual Studio, VS Code offers enhanced built-in support for Node.js development with JavaScript and Typescript. It also has excellent tooling for web technologies like JSX/React. Visual Studio Code's architectural design blends the greatest features of native, web, and language-specific technology. Web technologies like JavaScript and Node.js are combined with native app flexibility and speed in VS Code. A more recent, quicker version of the same robust HTML-based editor that underpins Internet Explorer's F12 Tools, the "Monaco" cloud editor, and other initiatives. Roslyn for NET, Typescript, the Visual Studio debugging engine, and other technologies used by Visual Studio are fully compatible with VS Code thanks to the tools service architecture that it employs. A public extensibility approach built into Visual Studio Code enables developers to create and utilize extensions and fully customize the edit-build-debug experience.

3. PROPOSED WORK AND ALGORITHM

The proposed web application is designed to be user-friendly and quick to adapt to even without any training, in order to address the shortcomings of the present solutions. The suggested web application is quick, easy to use, and accessible to people of all computer skill levels. Also, it offers security because only people who are authorized to use the web application can use it, and access to the website is only granted after you log in. Writing queries to insert new records, change the details of existing records, or even delete old records can occasionally be fairly challenging, especially if the user has little background in it. Likewise with the database's data is crucial; if there is an interface that transforms user input into its equivalent query, it will be more useful, safe, and efficient than writing the queries by hand. When the user is not a computer expert, this type of system is more beneficial. Even though there are computers everywhere and most individuals know how to use them, there are some professions or sectors where people only connect with a system when they need to get data. A receptionist or a nurse working in a hospital are two examples of this type.

Additionally, even people who have experience creating SQL queries can also gain from using this interface because it is faster than writing queries. In accordance with the system architecture, after logging in for the first time, the user will access the website. Because the data in the database is crucial, only those with access can do so. The user can easily add a new record by clicking the add button and filling out the required fields. Similarly, the update and delete options can be seen at each record, allowing the user to update or delete any record at any time. After entering the data, the datatable is displayed alone with the options add/update/delete for each record along with a search bar. Using the search barData can be further filtered by matching it against all of the columns, and each column has its own ascending or descending sorting option. There is also pagination, which limits how many records the user may view on each page to a maximum of 100 records depending on the interface. The database will instantaneously reflect all changes made to the data in the interface.

In accordance with the system architecture, the user must first log in to the website since access to the website is restricted due to the importance of the data stored in the database. The datatable is displayed alone after entering with the add/update/delete options. The user can quickly add a new record for each record by clicking the add button and filling out the necessary data. In a similar manner, the user can see the update and delete options at each record so that they may change or delete any record at any moment. The search bar can further filter the data by matching it against all of the columns, and each column has its own ascending or descending sorting option. There is also pagination, which limits how many records the user may view on each page to a maximum of 100 records depending on the interface. Every modification to the data in the interface will instantaneously update the real database

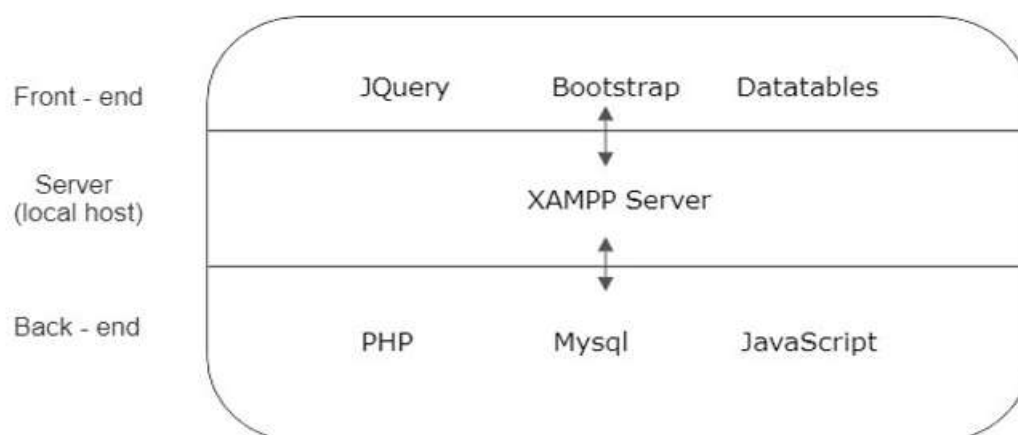




Fig : Content Diagram

4. METHODOLOGIES

Server XAMPP

One of the popular cross-platform web servers is XAMPP, which enables programmers to construct and test their applications on a local web server. It was created by the Apache Friends, and users can edit or change the native source code. It includes the MariaDB database, the Apache HTTP Server, and interpreters for many programming languages including PHP and Perl. It is supported by various systems, including the x64 package of macOS and Linux and the IA-32 package of Windows, and it is accessible in 11 different languages. The acronym XAMPP is made up of the letters X for Cross-Platform, A for Apache, M for MySQL, and the letters P for PHP and P for Perl, respectively. It is a collection of open-source web technologies that includes the Apache distribution, for numerous servers, command-line programmes, and modules, including Apache server, MariaDB, PHP, and Perl.

Microsoft's Visual Studio is an Integrated Development Environment (IDE) that may be used to create GUIs (Graphical User Interfaces), consoles, Online, mobile, cloud, and other services. by means of this IDE. Both native and managed code can be written.

It makes advantage of Microsoft's many software development platforms, including Windows Store, Microsoft Silverlight, and Windows API, among others. It is not a language-specific IDE because you can use it to write code in many other languages as well, including C, C++, VB(Visual Basic), Python, and JavaScript. 36 different programming languages are supported. It is accessible on both macOS and Windows.

Web Explorer A web browser is a programme used to access websites. The browser obtains the page's files from a web server and then shows the page on the user's screen when they request a web page from a certain website. On a variety of gadgets, such as PCs, laptops, tablets, and smartphones, browsers are used. An estimated 4.9 billion individuals will have used a browser by 2020. With a 65% global market share across all devices, Google Chrome is the most popular browser, followed by Safari with 18%.

Sessions

Web applications make advantage of sessions. PHP sessions are used to make the data accessible on many website pages. Name, address, and other personal data are transferred over from one page to the next throughout a user session. For authentication reasons, session data is used. The session data is saved on the server in a temporary directory, same like cookies are saved on the client's browser.

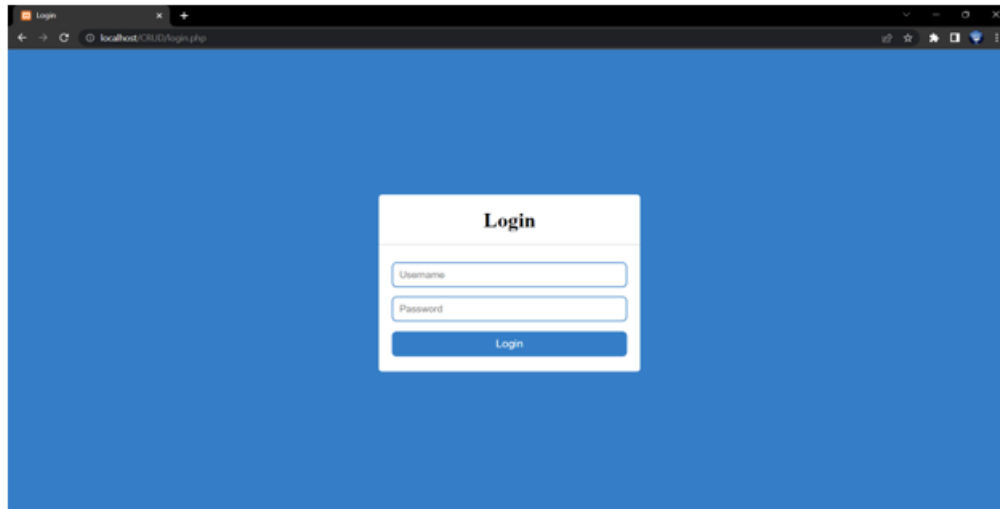
Buttons

Developers' stylized HTML buttons that complement their website layout are referred to as SS buttons. When buttons change states, you can adjust the colors, text sizes, padding, and even stylistic properties. A user can activate the HTML element using a mouse, keyboard, finger, voice command, or another assistive device. When activated, it subsequently carries out a predetermined action, such as submitting a form or starting a discussion, among others. By default, HTML buttons are displayed in a manner consistent with the user agent's operating system, but CSS allows you to modify how buttons look. Buttons are among the most often used UI components. They enable users to choose options and interact with a system in order to take action. Forms, website home pages, dialogue boxes, and toolbars all use buttons. We used buttons to select the necessary text space to write the code, increasing or decreasing the frame size for better web design representation.

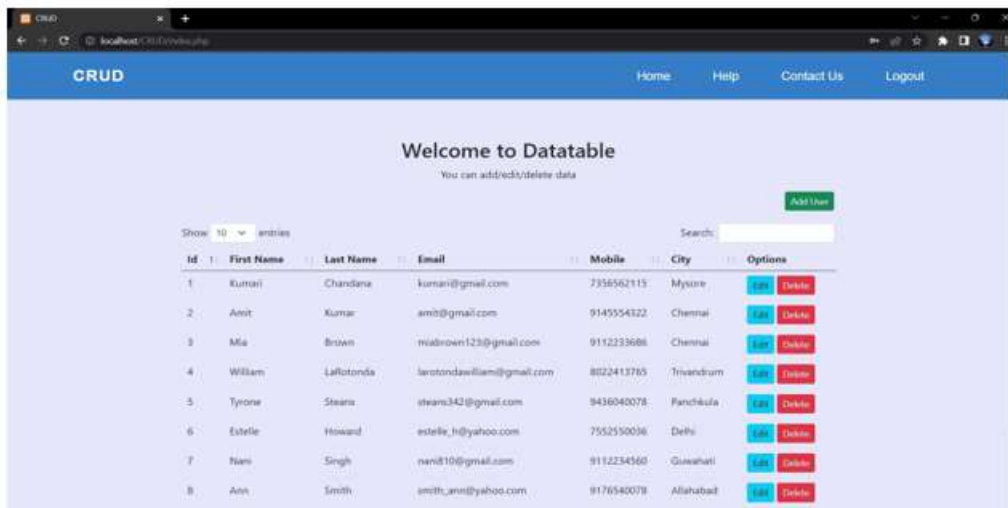


5. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION SCREENSHOTS

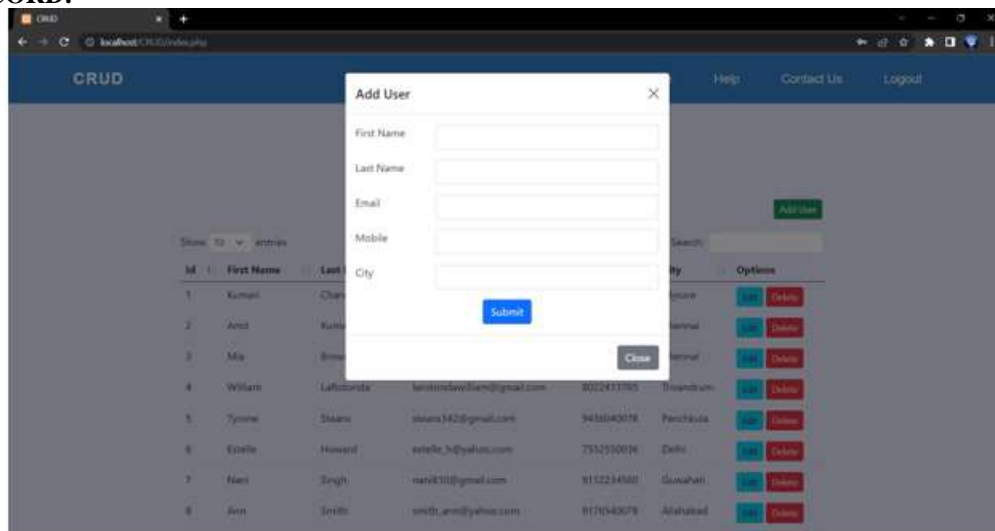
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DATATABLE ALONG WITH CRUD:

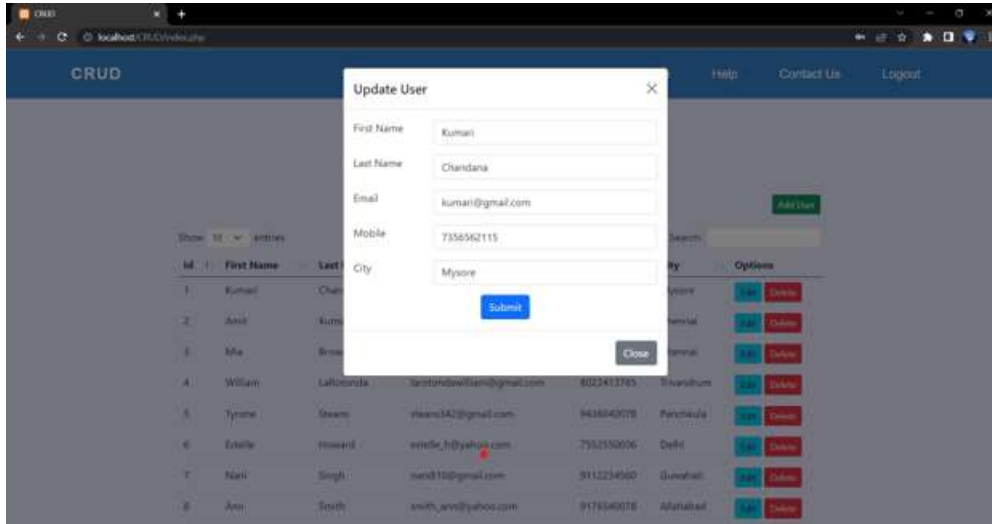


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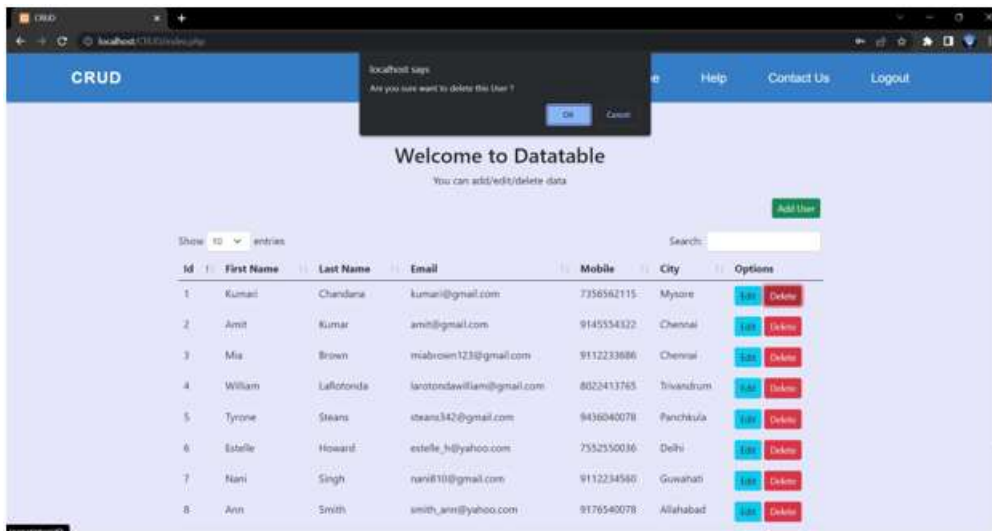




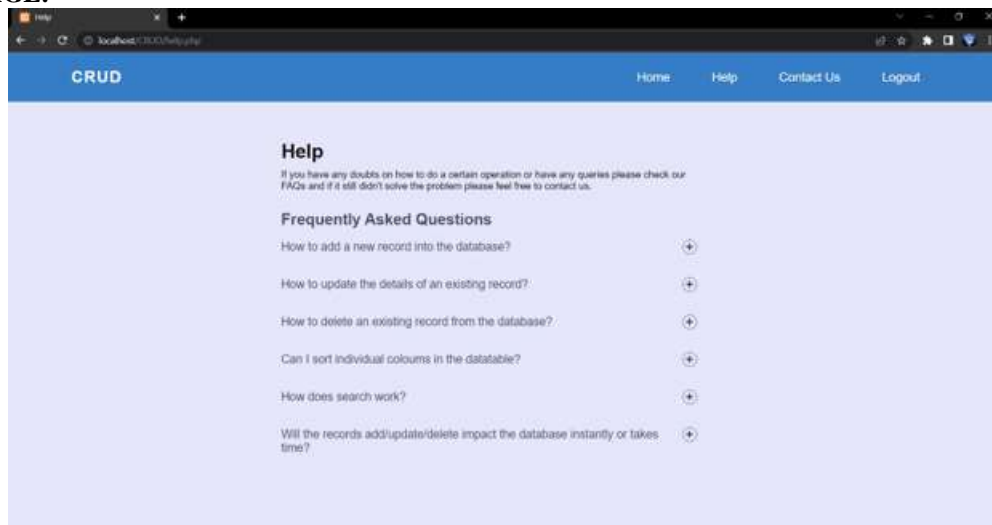
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DELETE RECORD:

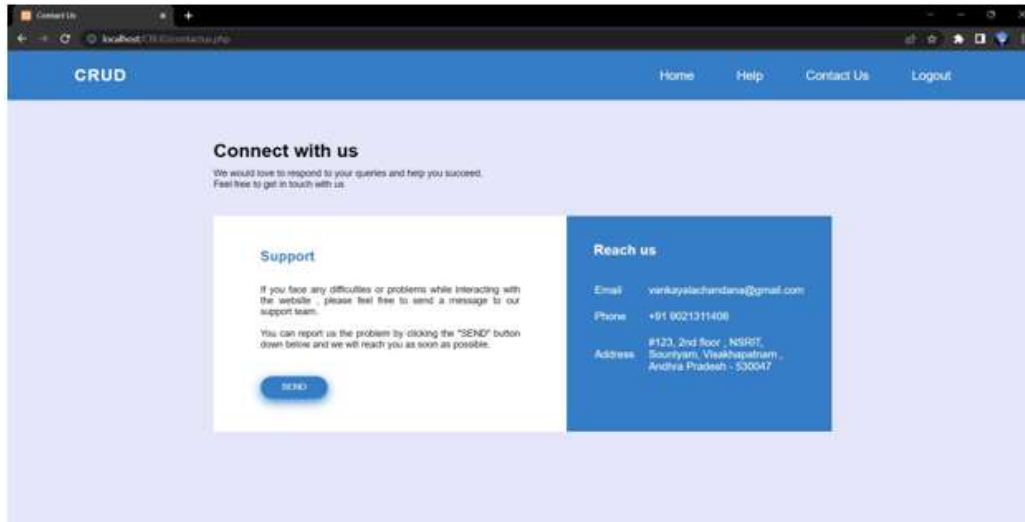


HELP PAGE:





CONTACT US PAGE:



CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORK

In this project, we illustrated an application we created to improve how we communicate with the database. There aren't many resources available to fully learn the majority of the current systems because they are too complex to comprehend. Even if they are capable of translating even the most sophisticated queries, they are useless if users don't use them as frequently as they add, remove, or update data. So, it is crucial to provide a user-friendly interface that has the fundamental functionalities—such as fetching, inserting, updating, and deleting—and enables the user to interact with the database with ease. Several professions necessitate these interfaces because they don't contact computers as frequently and only use them sometimes. Such jobs as nurses, receptionists, or any other low-level employee of a company use them for handling data. Also, if the user doesn't know how to construct queries properly, there may be human errors made when writing the queries, which might take time. If they don't know what they're doing, these issues sometimes result in time loss and even data loss. As they offer the highest level of security, data consistency, and integrity, databases are used in practically every business, regardless of industry. So, we created an interface that makes it simple to interact with the database and is highly helpful in any field because it is quick, straightforward, and easy for everyone to comprehend.

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