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# Project Plan Presentation Enhanced Shopping Experience Using Al

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#### **Project Sponsor Overview**

- General merchandise supercenter chain
- Founded in 1934 in Greenville, MI
- Credited with pioneering the modern supercenter (Walmart, Target, etc.)
- Headquarters located in Grand Rapids, MI



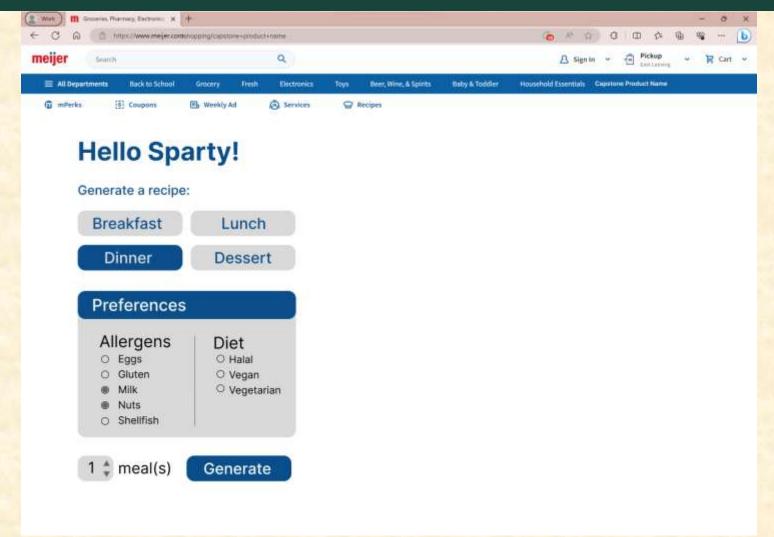
#### **Project Functional Specifications**

- Customers are given a unique recipe based on their personal and regional preferences
- Appealing and intuitive web interface
  - Minimize the number of steps from recipe shown to customer and ingredients arriving at their doorstep
- Customers can choose between breakfast, lunch, dinner, and dessert recipes

#### Project Design Specifications

- Web page fits Meijer's current aesthetic
- Continuous webpage
  - No need to go back and forth between tabs

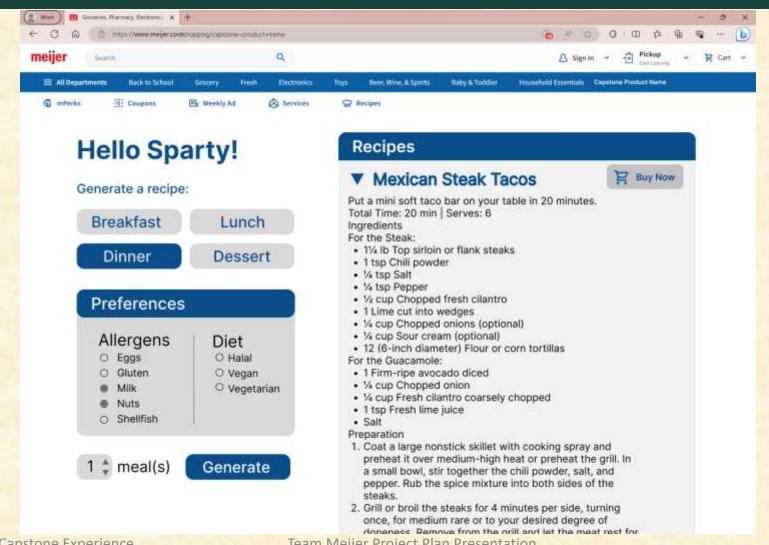
# Screen Mockup: Home Page



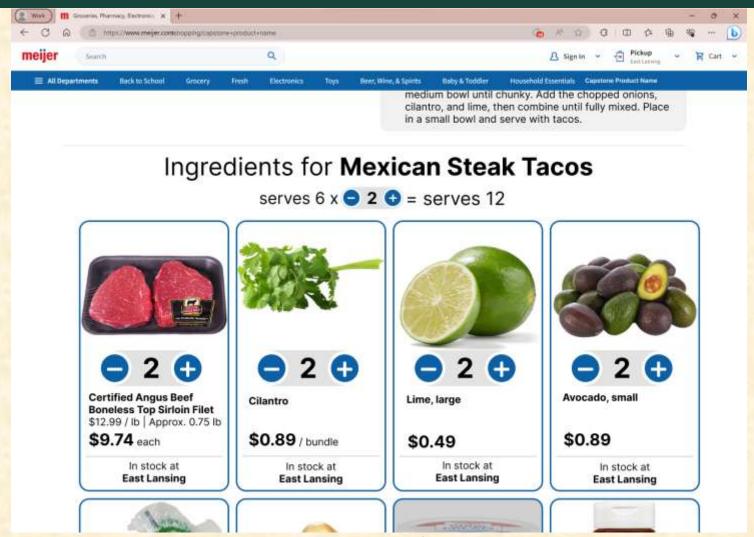


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# Screen Mockup: Recipe Page

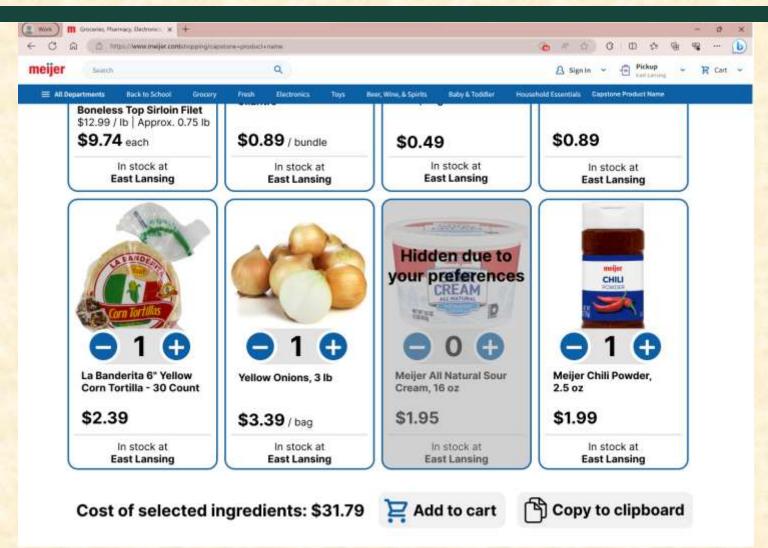


# Screen Mockup: Ingredients Page





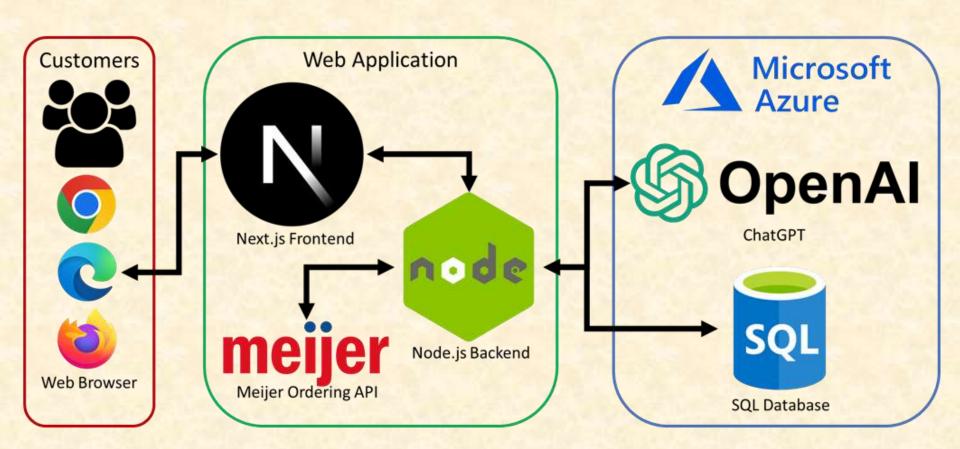
# Screen Mockup: Ingredients Page Continued



#### **Project Technical Specifications**

- Next.js
  - Modern React Framework
  - JS, CSS, HTML, Node.js
- Azure, Microsoft
  - Application hosting
  - Database hosting
- GPT-4, OpenAl
  - Dynamically generate recipes
  - Alter recipes based on user preferences

### Project System Architecture



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#### **Project System Components**

- Software Platforms / Technologies
  - Web Framework Next.js
  - Cloud Computing Service Microsoft Azure
  - AI GPT-4

#### Project Risks

- Implementing AI to Develop Recipes
  - Team Meijer is unfamiliar with training AI models
  - Mitigation: Research training AI models (YouTube, Google Cloud)
     Risk 2
- Implementing AI to Choose Images for Recipes & Ingredients
  - Should photos of recipes and ingredients come from a database? Or should they be skimmed from the web?
  - Mitigation: Exploring each option extensively through testing
- Matching Website to Meijer's Current Aesthetic & Functionality
  - Meijer's current website was developed using Microsoft Blazor.
     Team Meijer's website will be developed using Next.js
  - Mitigation: Research of Next.js and its similarities/differences from Microsoft Blazor

### Questions?

