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Project Plan Presentation

Supply Chain Induction Visibility Using Witron

The Capstone Experience

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*From Students...
...to Professionals*

Project Sponsor Overview

- Midwest Big-Box store
- Found in 1934 by Hendrick Meijer
- 14th largest private company in US
- First company to introduce General Mart
- Large Automated Warehousing
- Partnered with Witron



Project Functional Specifications

- Supply Chain issue for Palettes
 - Separate sources for tracking
- Meijer & Witron's System Unorganized
- 2 Databases (MITIS, Oracle)
- No efficient tracking for workers

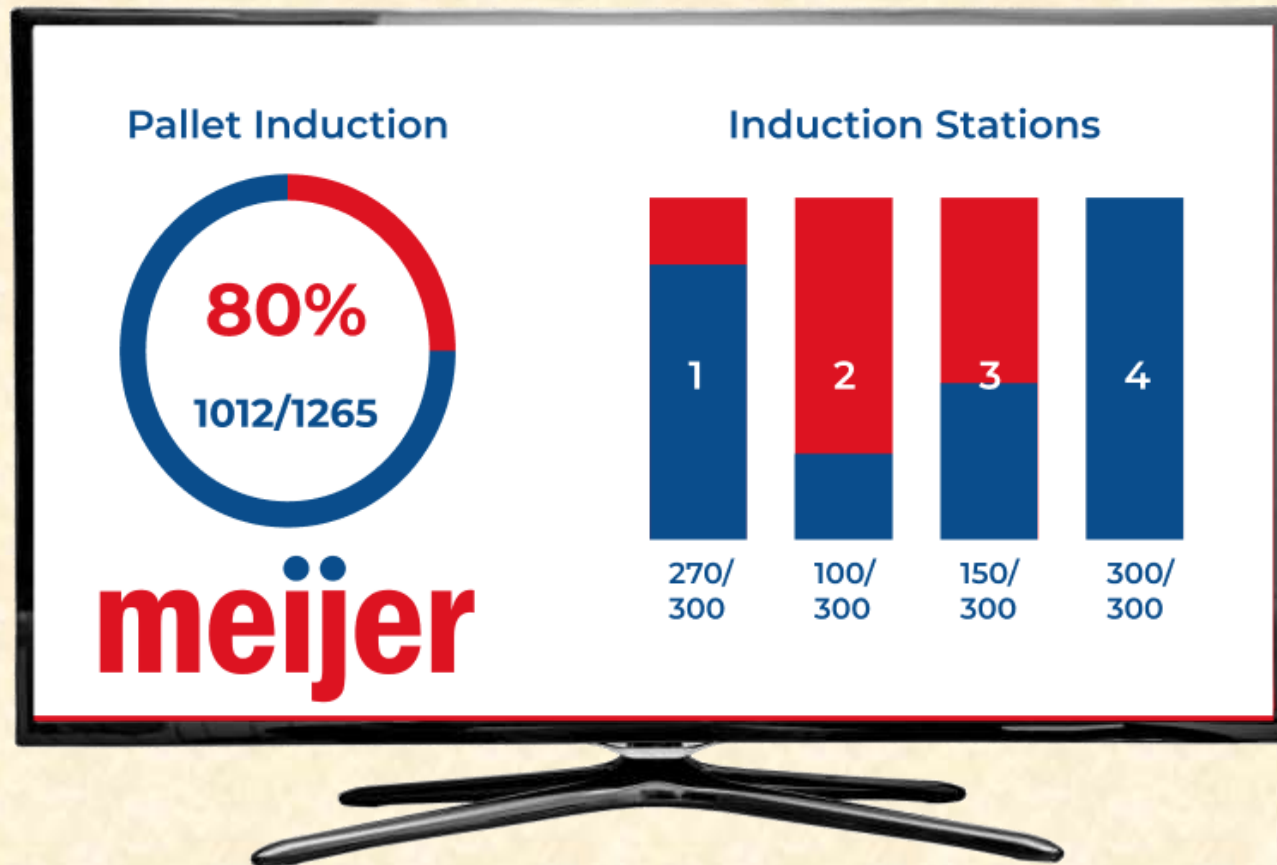


Project Design Specifications

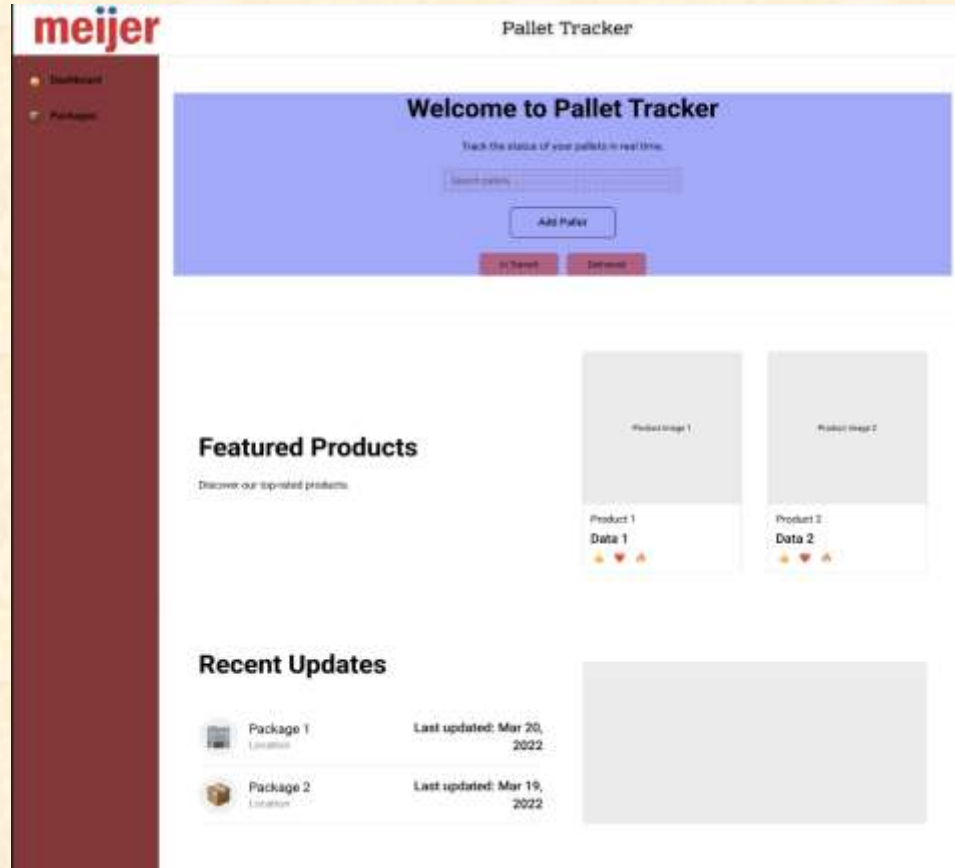
- Live Dashboard solution
 - Friendly user interface
 - Viewable from a distance
 - Sign in Page
 - Access advanced induction statistics
 - Mobile Support



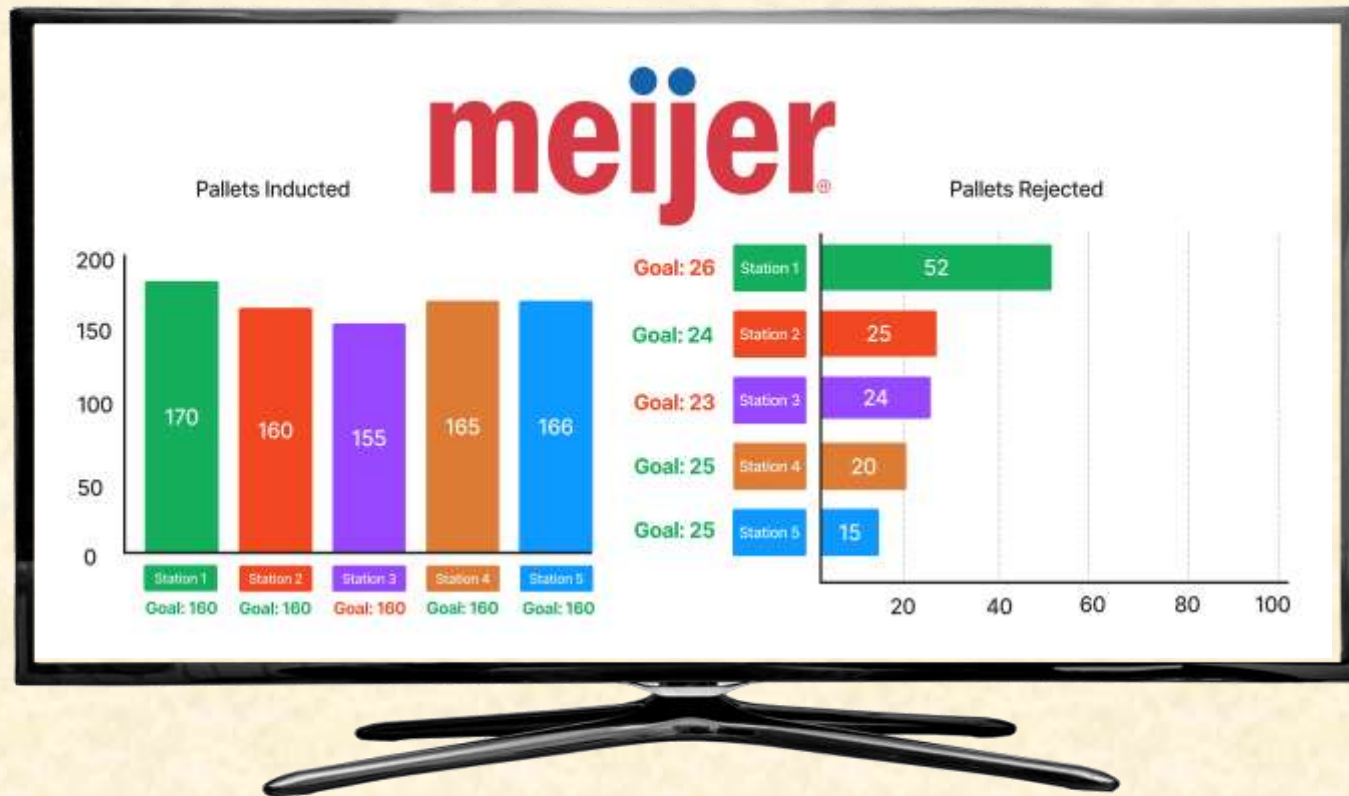
Screen Mockup: Simple User Interface



Screen Mockup: Admin Page



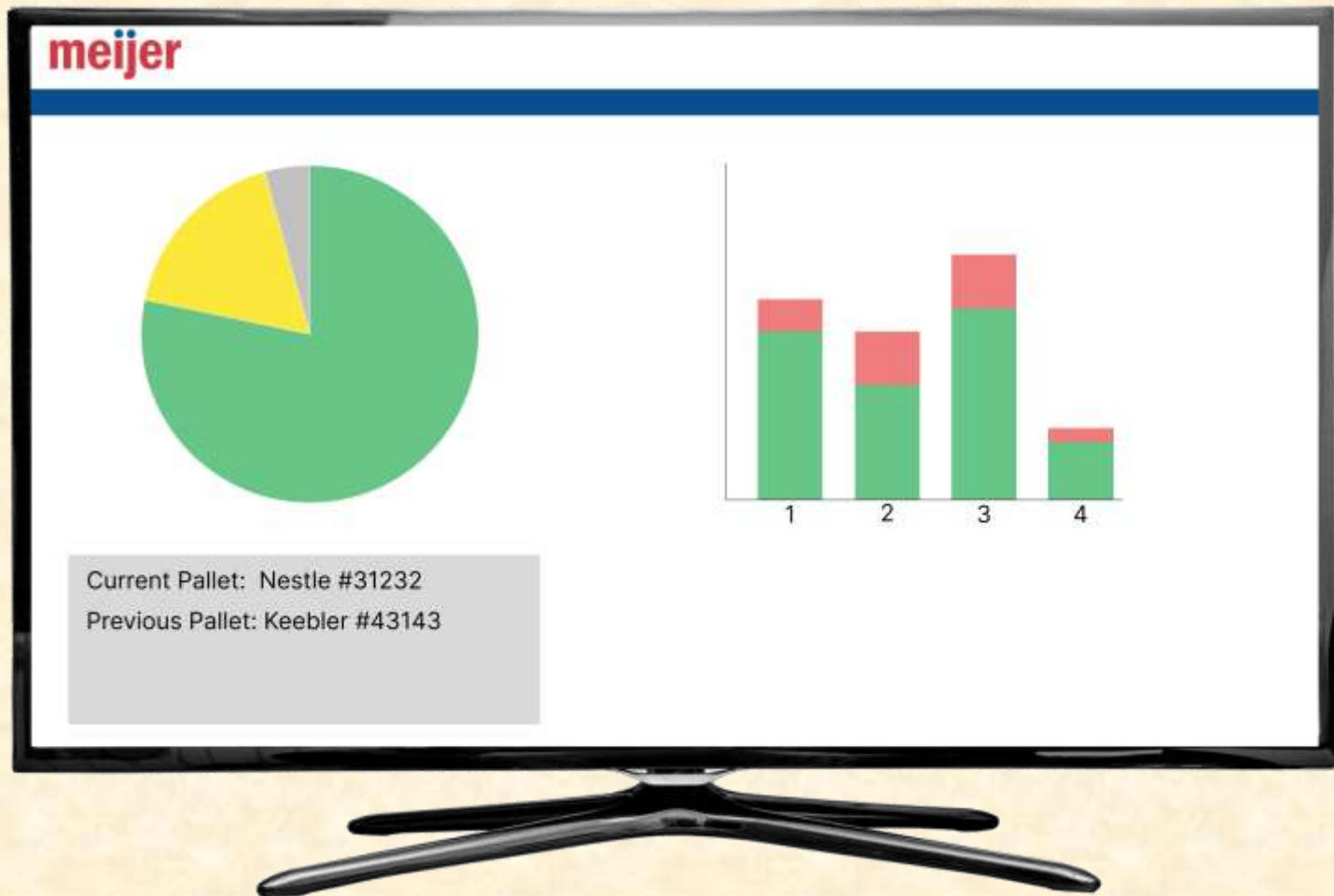
Screen Mockup: Alternate UI



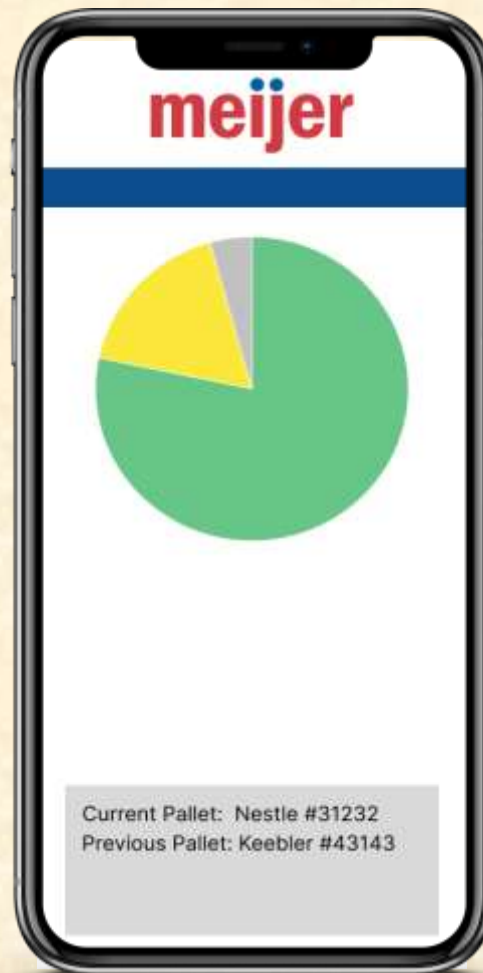
Screen Mockup: Web Homepage



Screen Mockup: Simple Dashboard



Screen Mockup: Mobile Dashboard

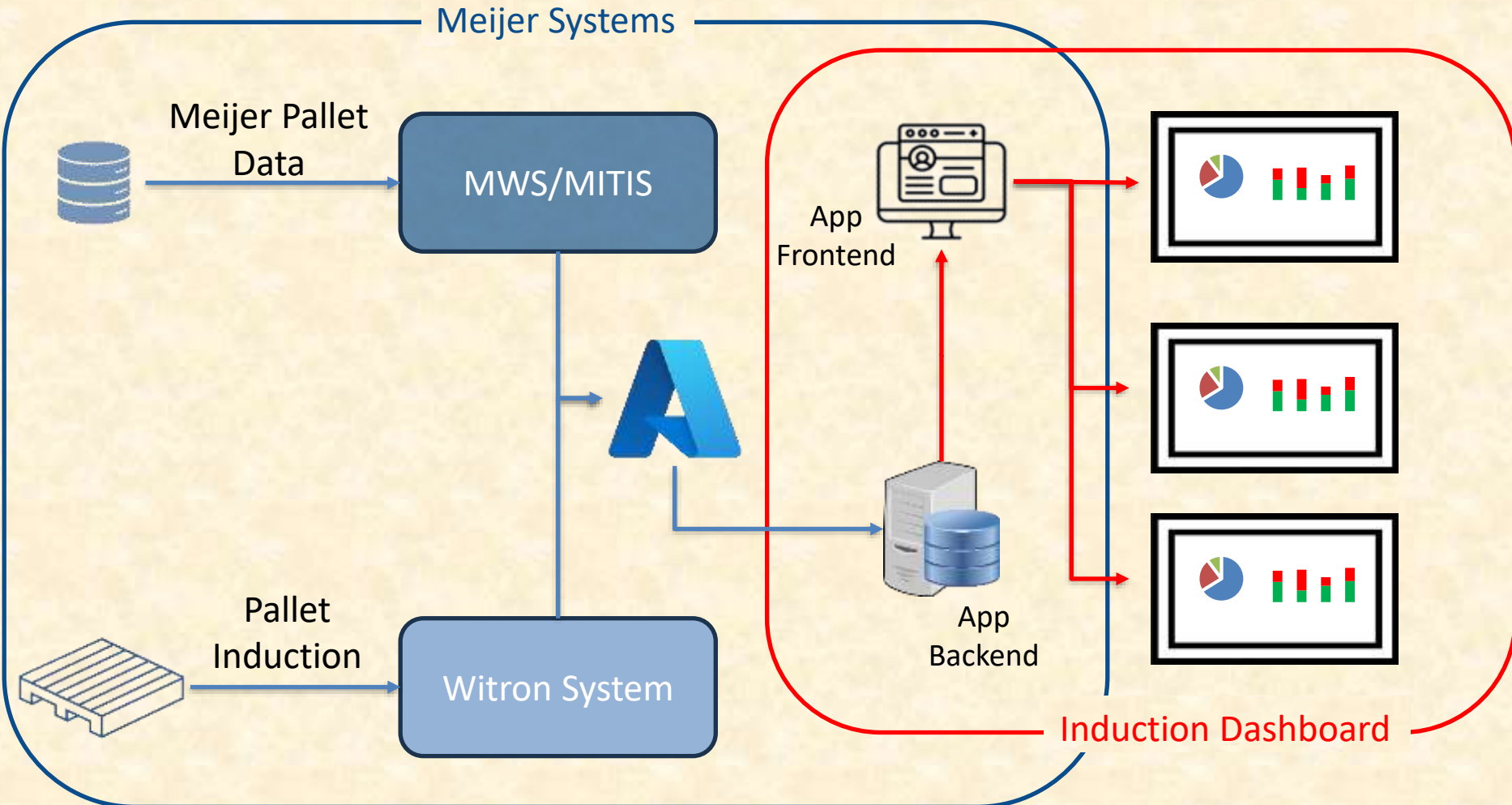


Project Technical Specifications

- Web application
- Databases/Information
 - Witron – Oracle DB
 - MWS – API based

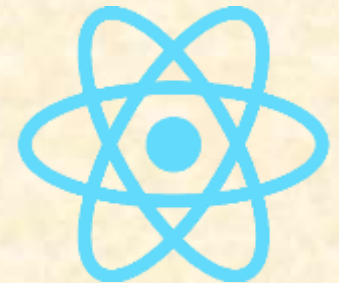


Project System Architecture



Project System Components

- Hardware Platforms
 - 50-Inch Display
- Software Platforms / Technologies
 - React
 - Node.js
 - Microsoft Azure
 - Docker
 - .NET Framework



Project Risks

Integrating Witron and Meijer Databases

- Need to integrate Witron and Meijer databases into Azure
- Communicating with Meijer/Witron and creating mock databases

Real Time Data Manipulation and Updates

- Dashboard requires constant updates
- Research real-time updates and communicate with Meijer if needed

Efficient Data Access

- Data presented on Dashboard should be efficient / accurate. If data is scraped from website, performance issues could ensue. API's are not promised
- Working with Witron to gain efficient access to data source

Unique Design

- Dashboard propped 10+ Feet in the air, visibility could be unclear
- Experiment with display and poll potential users for feedback/readability of dashboard



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