

The impact of vehicle service center on the servicing

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Abstract

Vehicle Service Center Automation (VSCA) is a comprehensive system designed to streamline and enhance the operations of automotive service centers. The system integrates advanced technologies to automate various tasks involved in vehicle maintenance, repair, and customer service. The purpose of this paper is to be able to provide a platform for local service centers that will prove more efficient in searching for maintenance and service shops for cars and two-wheelers. Hence, we provide a Web Application that has a website for online recommendations and booking of nearby service centers. The system will allow the users to search and communicate for nearby service centers as well as book a service with them. The web application will give the best recommendation using the user's location, rating, and reviews as well as send reminders for pending car service or for updating PUC details. The system will use Firebase for database and also for hosting, at a nominal rate. Firebase ML kit helps in integrating recommendation algorithms for faster search. Firebase is Google service available a nominal rate. The front-end for the web-app will be done using Python and Django for better scalability.

Keywords – Vehicle Servicing, Details of Vehicle, Internet things, Framework, Web Technology, Python, Django

Introduction

Service Center Automation is basically a software package, which control all the required processing in the service center of automobiles. Future of automotive service centers, where efficiency, precision, and customer satisfaction converge seamlessly. Our service center automation revolutionizes the traditional vehicle maintenance experience, leveraging cutting-edge technology to streamline operations and elevate service standards. From automated diagnostics to predictive maintenance scheduling, our system optimizes every aspect of the service process, ensuring minimal downtime and maximum performance for your vehicle. Join us as we embark on a journey towards a smarter, more connected automotive service ecosystem, where convenience meets excellence at every turn. Customers need to be delighted, resources need to be optimally utilized and processes need to be integrated. This project helps in doing job in better way with containing whole information about the servicing of automobiles and use in future if needed.

Literature Review

Vehicle service center automation has emerged as a transformative trend in the automotive industry, revolutionizing traditional practices and enhancing operational efficiency. This literature review explores the evolution, technologies, benefits, challenges, and future trends of automation in vehicle service centers. Information from a variety of sources is included in the poll on this system. Some of the websites, IEEE papers, some related research papers, and even some project reports are among these sources. Modules, diagrams, literature, etc. from a study paper titled "Service Center Automation" by Subrat Tripathi from Softpro India, Lucknow were very helpful in developing our project. Keywords like "Vehicle Service System," "Car Service System," "Automobile Service System," etc. were used to search the various websites. They were quite useful.

Methodology

The building of the Vehicle Service Management System in Django is suggested in this essay. The solution will streamline the administrative tasks related to handling business transactions in a car & bike garage. The following transactions are included in the list: recording customer records, tracking the status of car repairs, updating vehicle service orders, managing vehicle service schedules, maintaining maintenance logs, dealing with customers. The suggested idea would do away with manual processes and transactions in auto repair facilities. The system will operate as a hub for transactions that can be accessed by clients and technicians working on vehicles, as well as monitored by an administrator. The suggested strategy would boost operational effectiveness and overall client happiness when it comes to receiving car service.

1. Time-consuming: Since the initial booking and booking are handled directly by the website, less time is needed to visit the store and complete these tasks.
2. Simple to use: Since it is a website, the client may access it without downloading any apps to their phone. The user doesn't need a laptop to open the website because it is also mobile-accessible.
3. Online customer system: The client won't need to travel since the website will facilitate the online completion of tasks.

The goal of the service center automation is to give opportunities to user's better information about nearby shop, so they can maintain their vehicle, service booking, and also feedback information for more effectively.

Finding and Results

This project is concerned with the creation of an application for vehicle service center automation. This will be a web application. The user interface designed will be for service centers and customers alike. The service centers will be able to create an account and publicize their services. Whereas the customers looking for service centers nearby will be able to search the same concerning their location and the type of service they are looking for their vehicle. The project targets the local customers and service shop owners, for them to interact efficiently. Currently containing the information of service centers in Lucknow, the web app provides recommendations for the same locations.

Discussion

Vehicle service center automation has revolutionized the way automotive maintenance and repairs are carried out. With advanced technologies such as robotic systems, artificial intelligence, and machine learning, service centers can now streamline their operations, enhance efficiency, and deliver superior customer experiences. Automated systems can swiftly diagnose vehicle issues, recommend appropriate repairs, and even perform complex tasks like engine repairs with precision and accuracy. Vehicle service center automation is a transformative advancement reshaping the automotive service industry, yielding significant impacts and opportunities. This automation revolutionizes operational efficiency by streamlining workflows, reducing service times, and optimizing resource utilization, leading to increased productivity. Enhanced service quality is achieved through standardized processes, accurate diagnostics, and proactive maintenance facilitated by automation technologies. Moreover, automation enhances the customer experience with faster service, transparent communication, and data-driven insights, fostering customer satisfaction and loyalty.

Conclusion

The proposed system can thus be used for connecting customers to local service centers thereby letting local shops have a platform and have a better outreach. The web app helps in recommending users to the nearest service stations with various services and booking an appointment with them. The system helps save time and effort by giving quick recommendations and reminders for their timely servicing schedule. The system database could be integrated to cover a larger area and more cities could be added based on a larger database the algorithm could be updated to give efficient recommendations. This web app can further be converted into a mobile application. Additionally, it can be integrated with real-time tracking of the services done on the machine. In case of an emergency, the app could also provide locations of nearby hospitals or information on towing services.

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