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Project Plan

Volkswagen EV Route Planner

The Capstone Experience

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

Functional Specifications

- Underlying reason on why customers are resistant to converting to EV is inadequate knowledge of EVs and the benefits gained by switching from gasoline powered cars
- By use of this application
 - Minimal to no daily route change
 - Long range trips possible
 - Comparison information between EV and gas-powered vehicles



Design Specifications

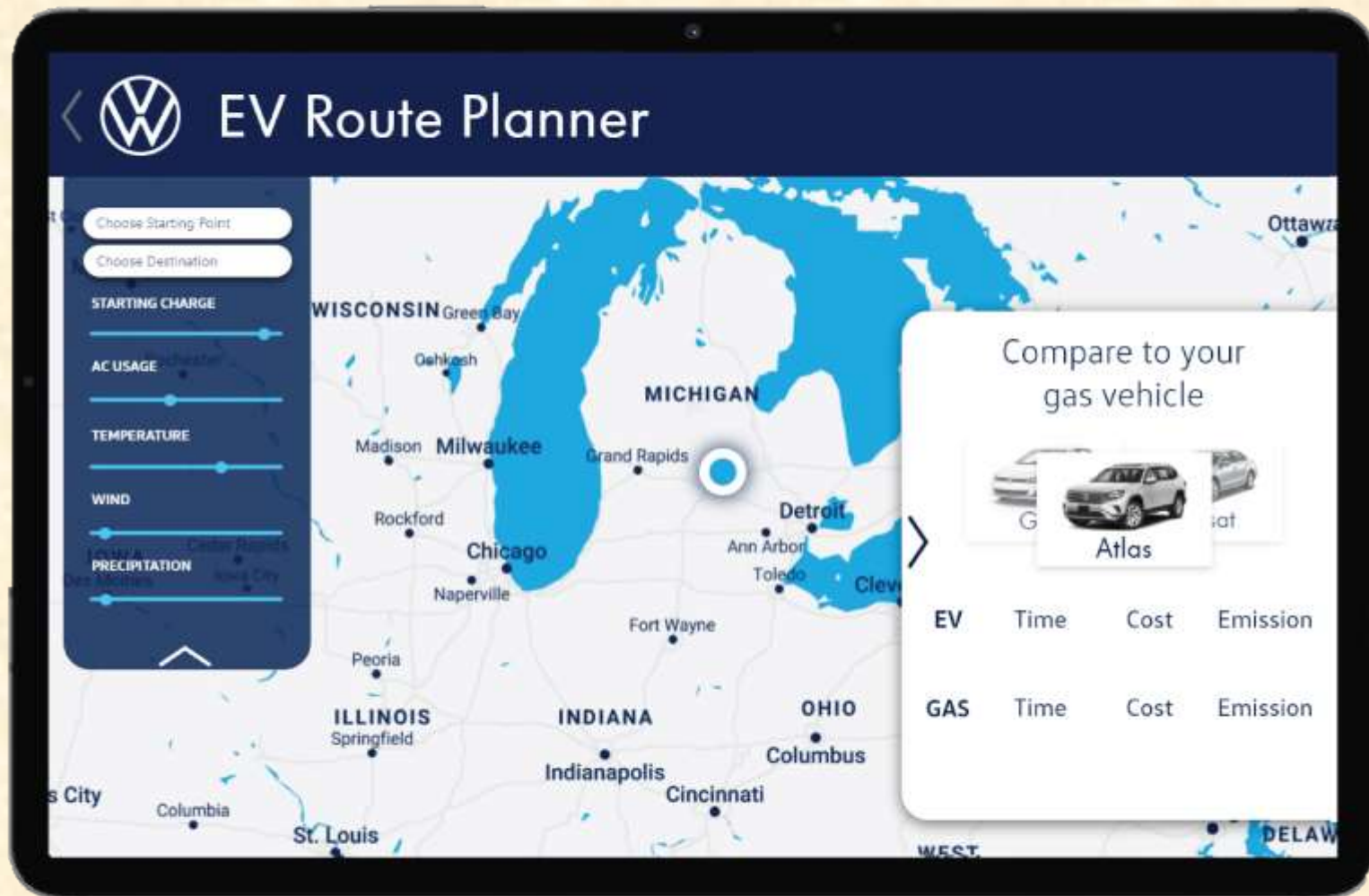
- Use cases
 - Salesman
 - Customer
- Samsung Galaxy Tab S7+ and kiosk
- There are two main views
 - Initial splash view
 - Route planning view
- Adherence to Volkswagen style guide
- Material Design



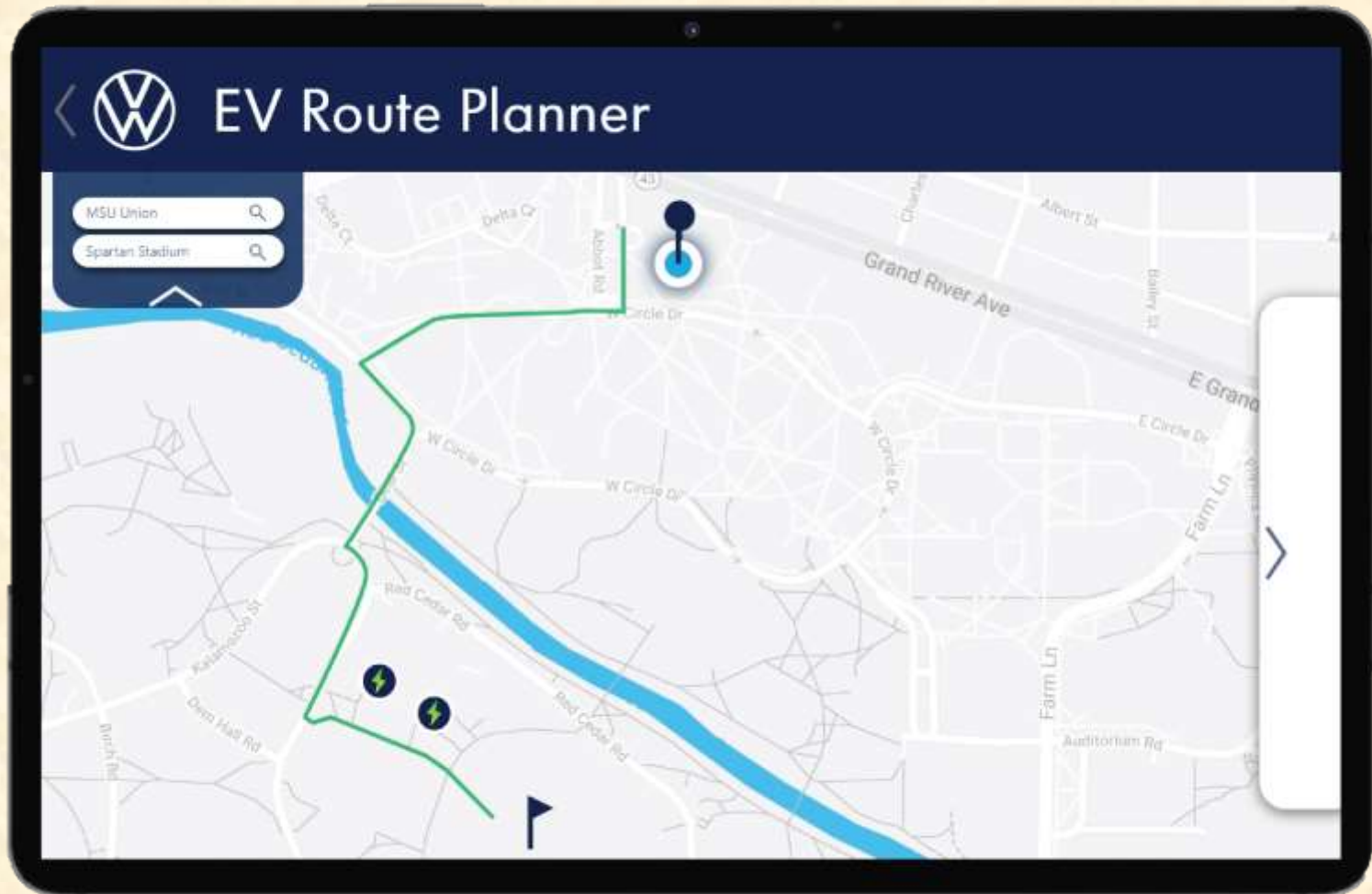
Screen Mockup: Initial Map Screen



Screen Mockup: Initial Screen With Menu



Screen Mockup: Routing Example



Screen Mockup: Route With Information

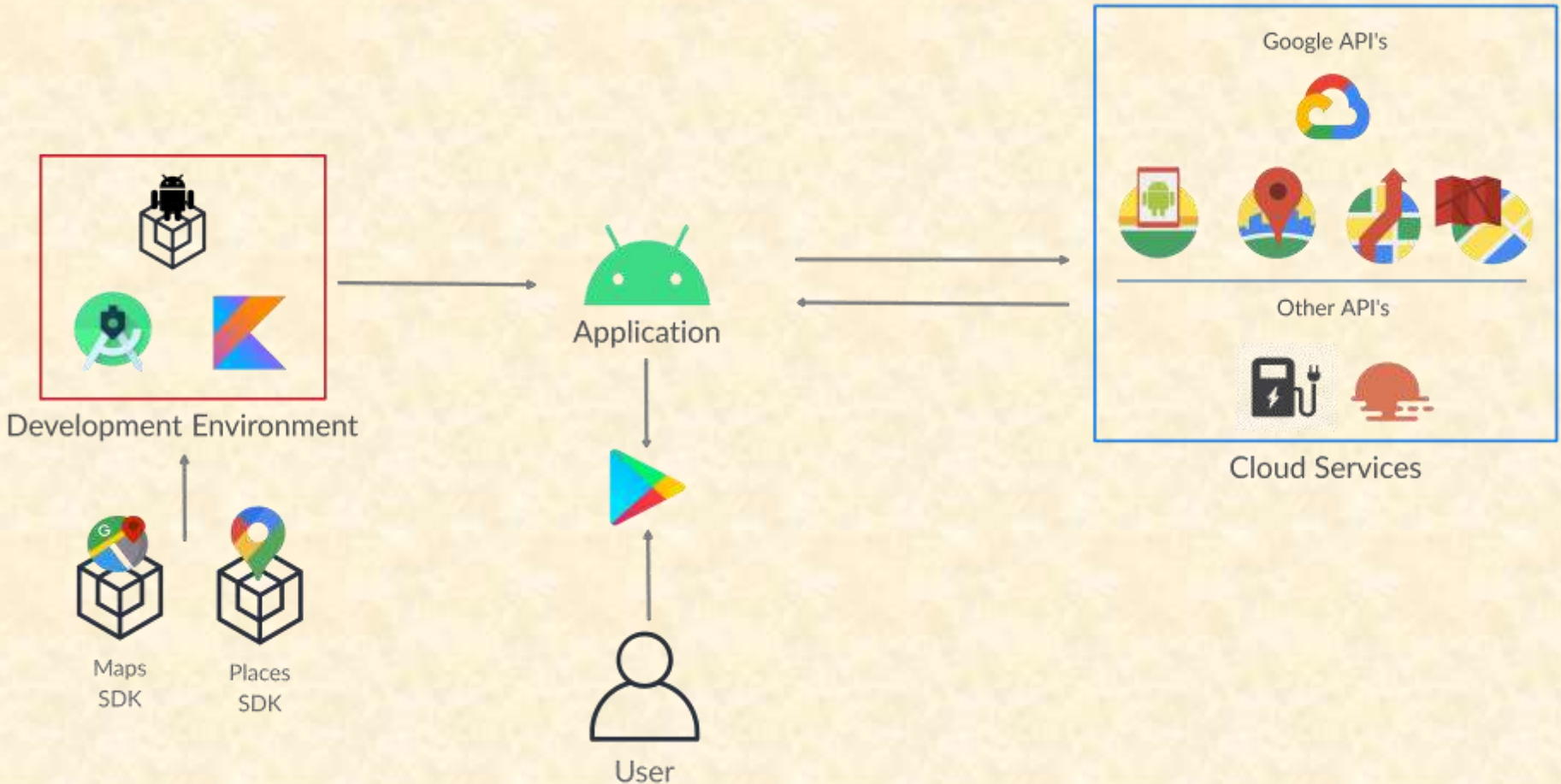


Technical Specifications

- Android 10.0+
- XML
- Kotlin
- SDKs
 - Google Maps 17.0.0
 - Google Places 2.4.0
- Material Design Components



System Architecture



System Components

- **Hardware Platforms**
 - Galaxy S7+ Tab
- **Software Platforms / Technologies**
 - Android Studio
 - Google APIs
 - Places
 - Directions
 - Maps Elevation
 - Googles Map
 - Open Weather API
 - Department of Energy EV Charger API



Risks

- **Calculating Fuel Efficiency**

- **Description:** Calculating MPG based on varying conditions
- **Mitigation:** Use specifications from the client and research more APIs

- **Implementing Charging Station Locations**

- **Description:** Adding charging stations to the optimal route
- **Mitigation:** Utilize Google Directions API and Energy EV Charger API

- **Ease of Use of the Application**

- **Description:** The application must be easily accessible
- **Mitigation:** Work with the client iteratively



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