

Screw It! – Sketching Report

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01. VALUE PROPOSITION

Overview

Screw It! is a central hub for home maintenance help, and makes home maintenance decision-making through DIY (Do It Yourself) vs. professional services comparisons easy

Key Features and Capabilities

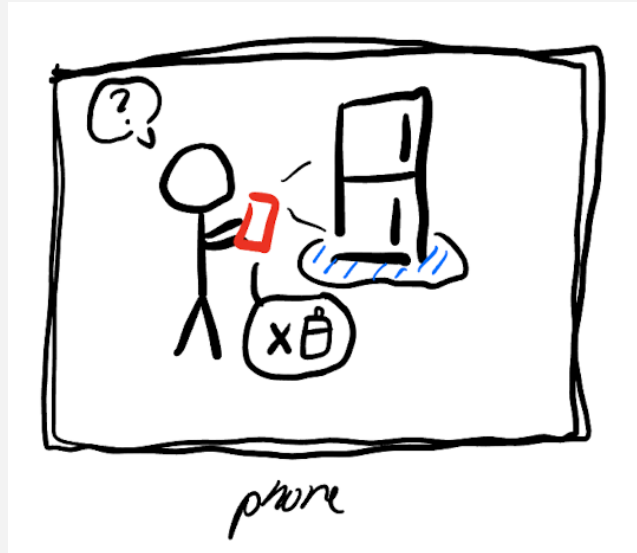
Screw It! features an AI assistant that helps users identify home maintenance issues, compare DIY and professional solutions to choose what is right for the user, and guide them through the steps needed for a DIY solution or a professional solution.

Benefits

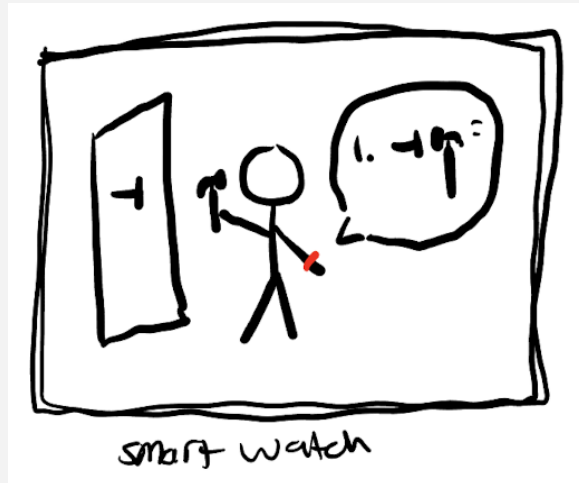
Screw It! Helps users avoid making costly mistakes and recommends and connects users directly with professional services, with the incorporation of our AI assistant that gathers information.

02. BRAINSTORMED SOLUTIONS

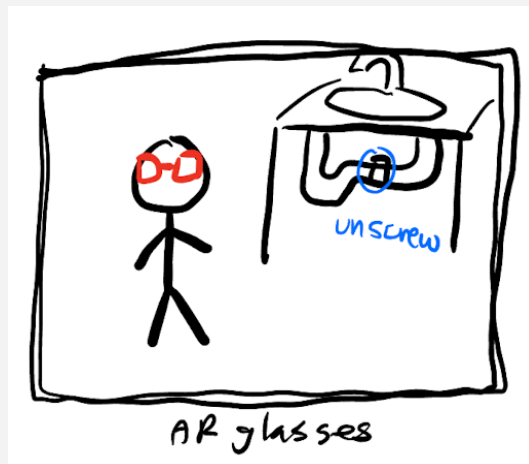
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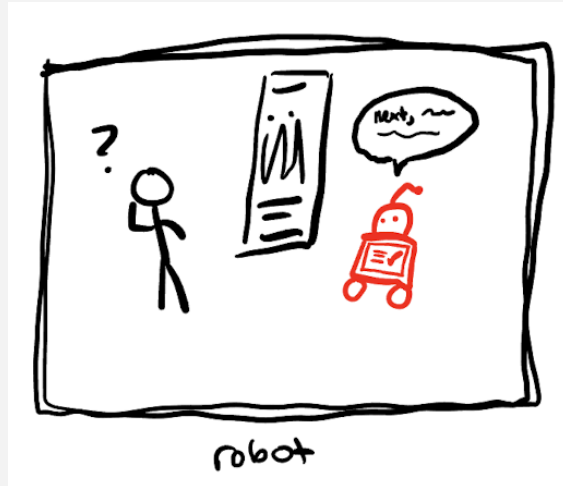
Smart Watch



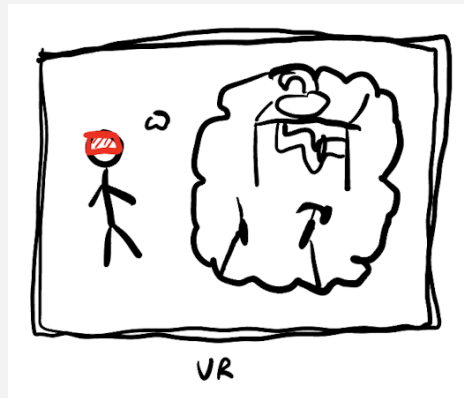
AR Glasses



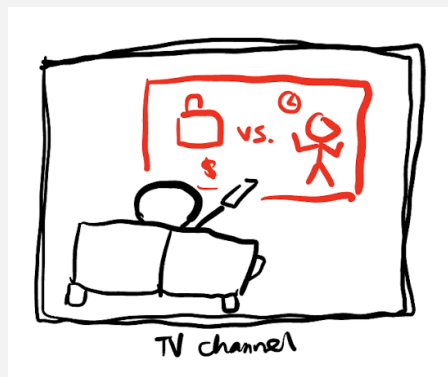
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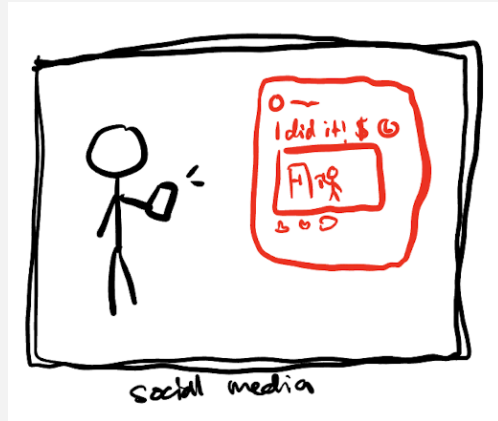
VR (Virtual Reality) Headset



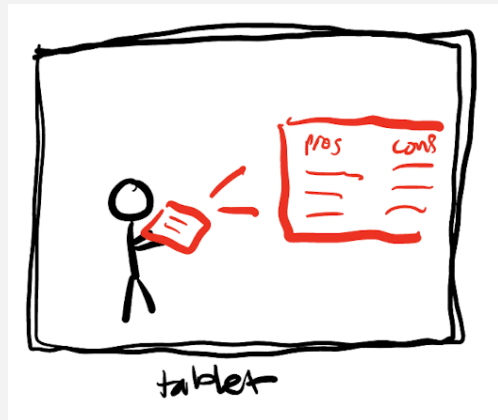
TV Channel



Social Media



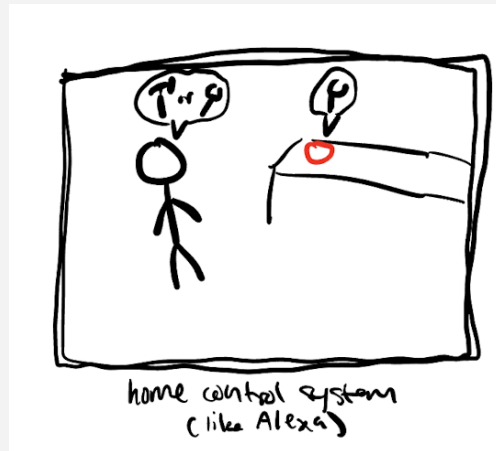
Tablet



AI Pin



Home Control System (e.g. Amazon's Alexa)



03. CONCEPT SKETCHES

Phone



User uses phone to get detailed cost, time, and difficulty comparison between DIY and professional approaches



User uses phone to take photo of issue, AI highlights area to focus on and provides detailed analysis



User uses phone to find reliable professional experts using AI assistant

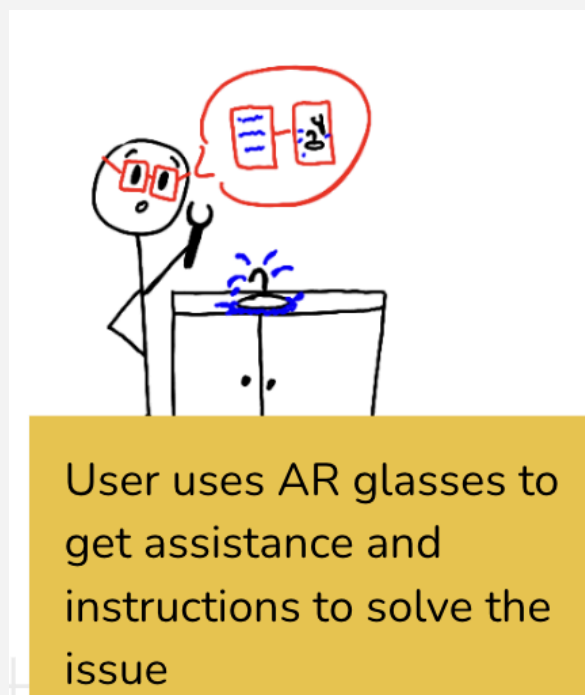
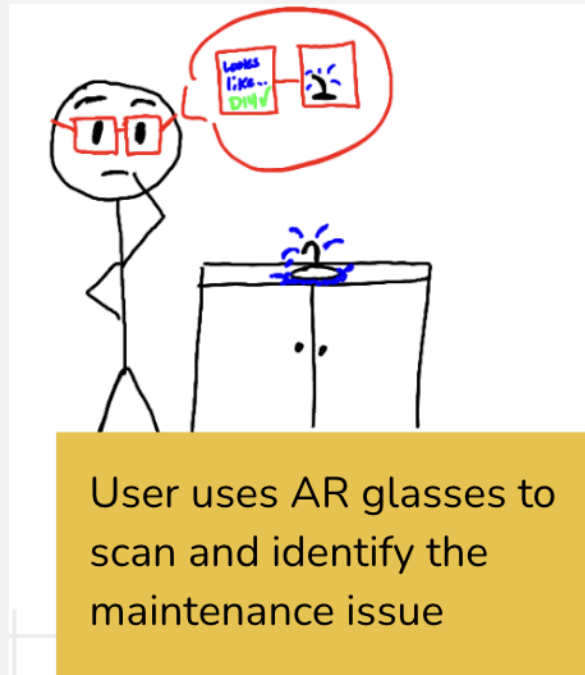


User uses phone to access step-by-step instructions for DIY approach using AI assistant.



User uses phone to scan toolbox and detect different tools, tells user tools they already own for task to help them take action

AR Glasses

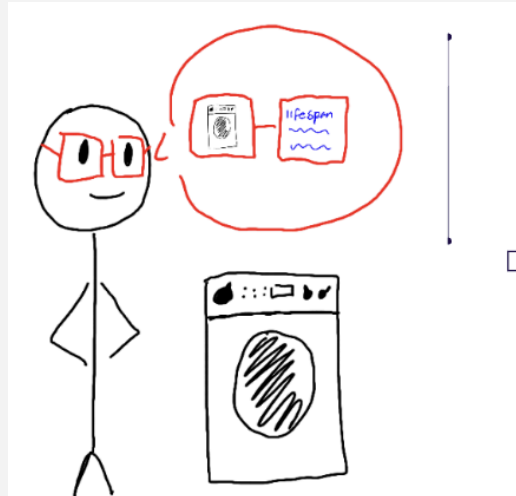




User uses AR glasses to scan broken parts and get a rough estimate on price



User uses AR glasses to compare diy and professional service price estimates

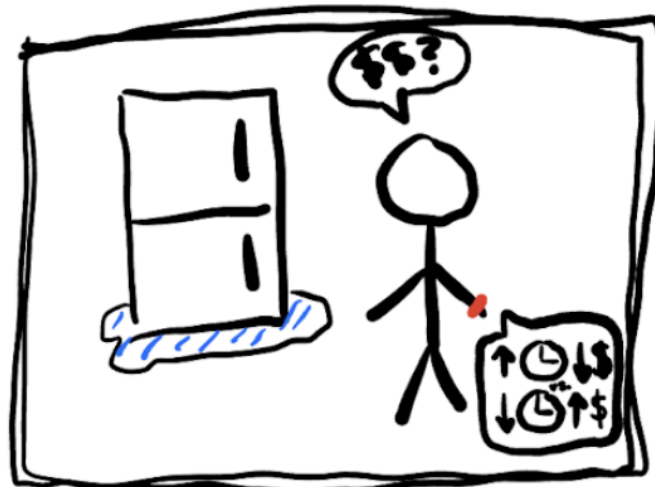


User uses AR glasses to identify appliances and their lifespan, and possible leading issues

Smart Watch



Watch will list out supplies needed for a task and help you remember to pick them up



You can ask for the cheapest way to solve a problem



You can describe the problem to the watch and it will identify it



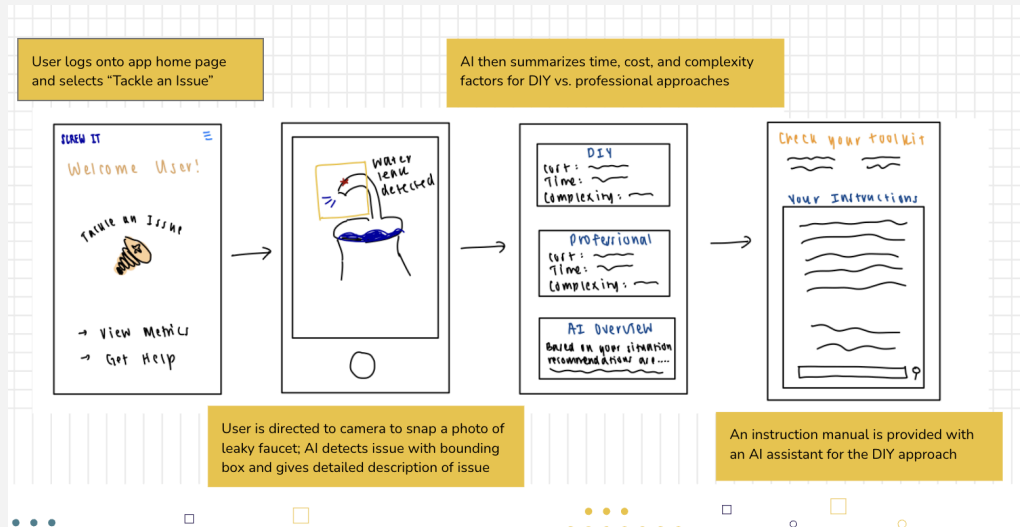
Watch will say steps out loud when you need them



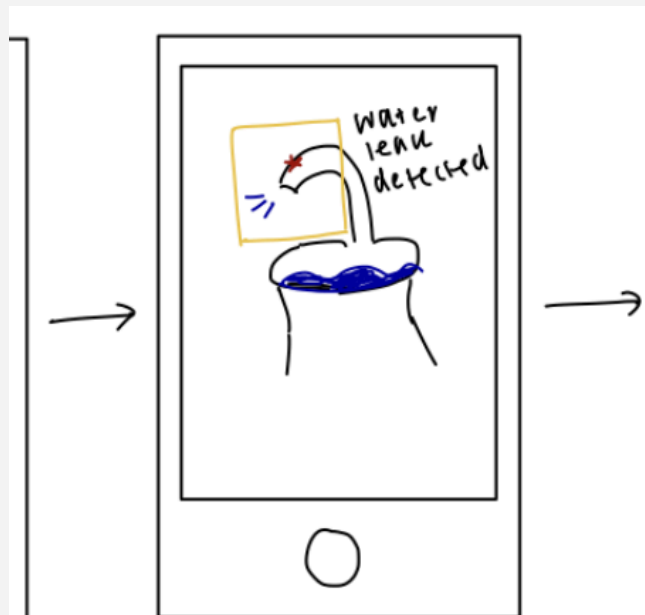
Watch can recommend best professional in the area to call

04. REALIZATIONS

Phone

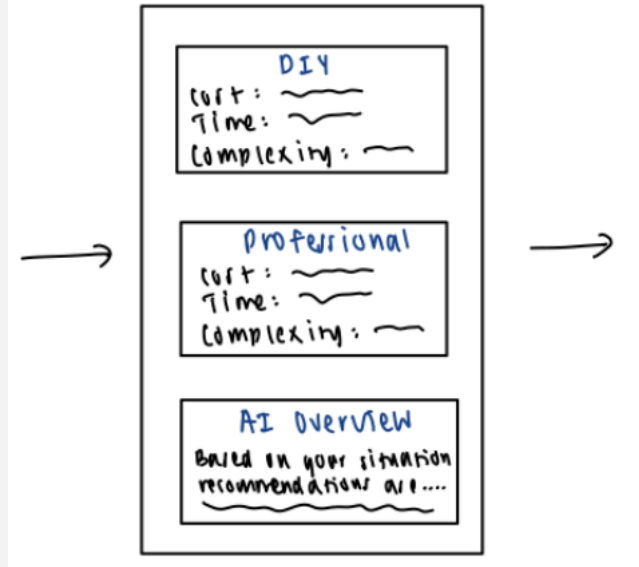


User logs onto app home page and selects "Tackle an Issue"



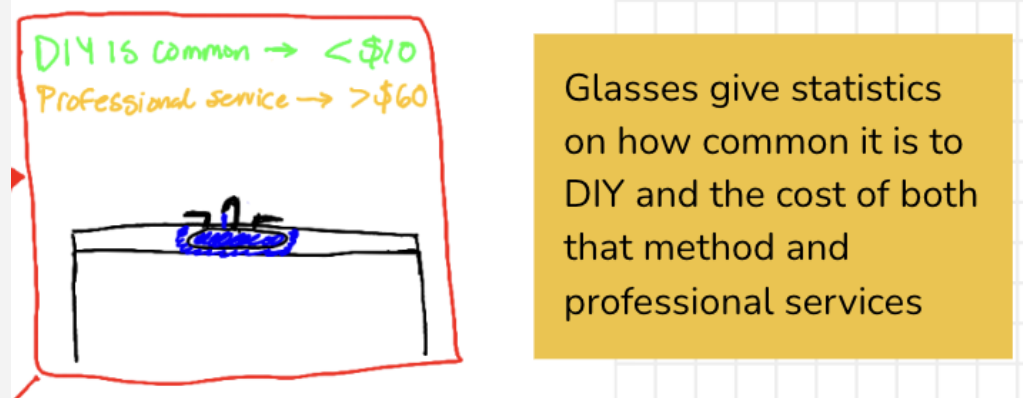
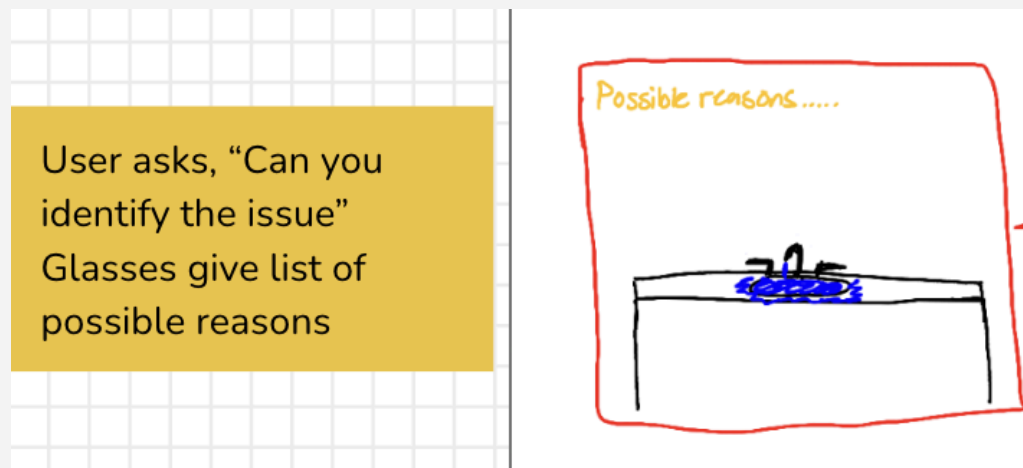
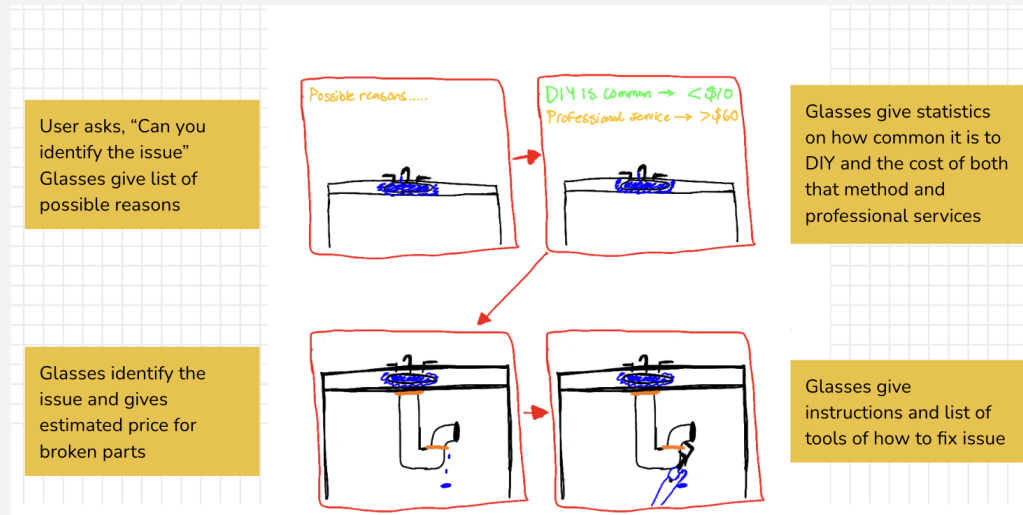
User is directed to camera to snap a photo of leaky faucet; AI detects issue with bounding box and gives detailed description of issue

AI then summarizes time, cost, and complexity factors for DIY vs. professional approaches

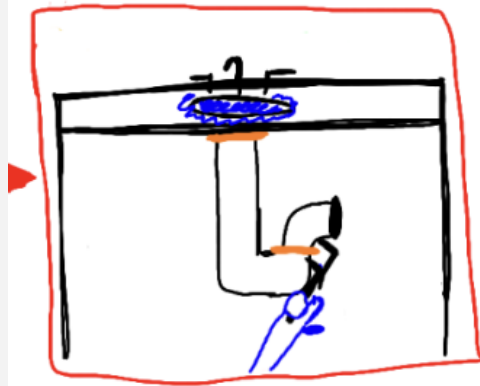
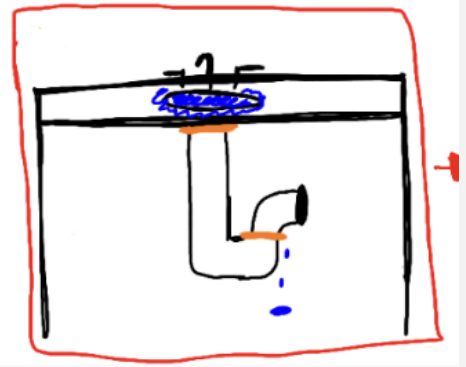


An instruction manual is provided with an AI assistant for the DIY approach

AR Glasses

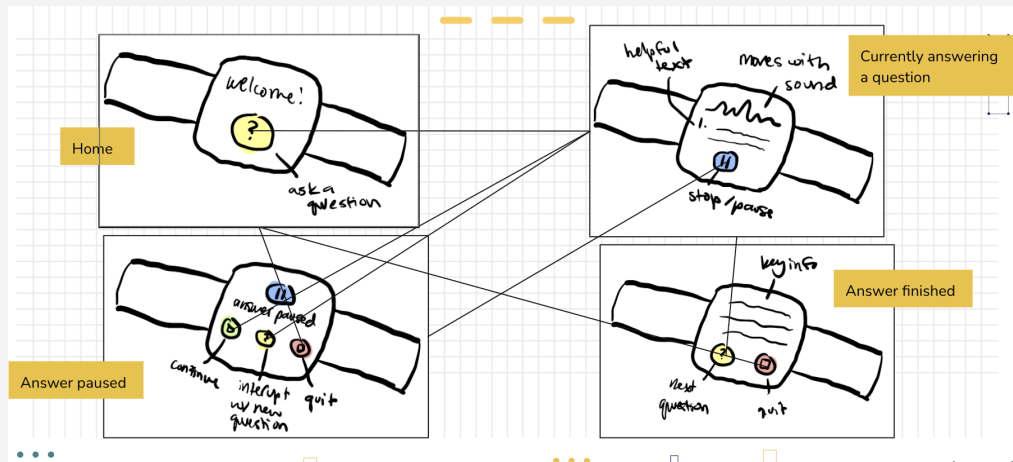


Glasses identify the issue and gives estimated price for broken parts

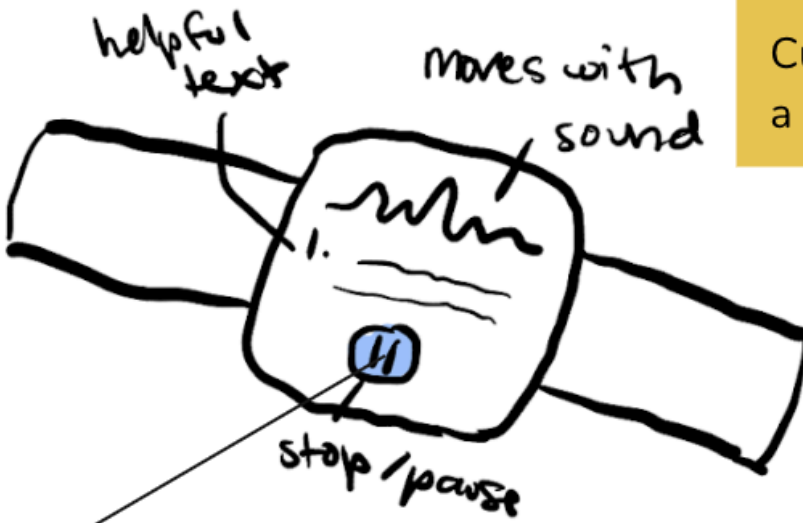


Glasses give instructions and list of tools of how to fix issue

Smart Watch

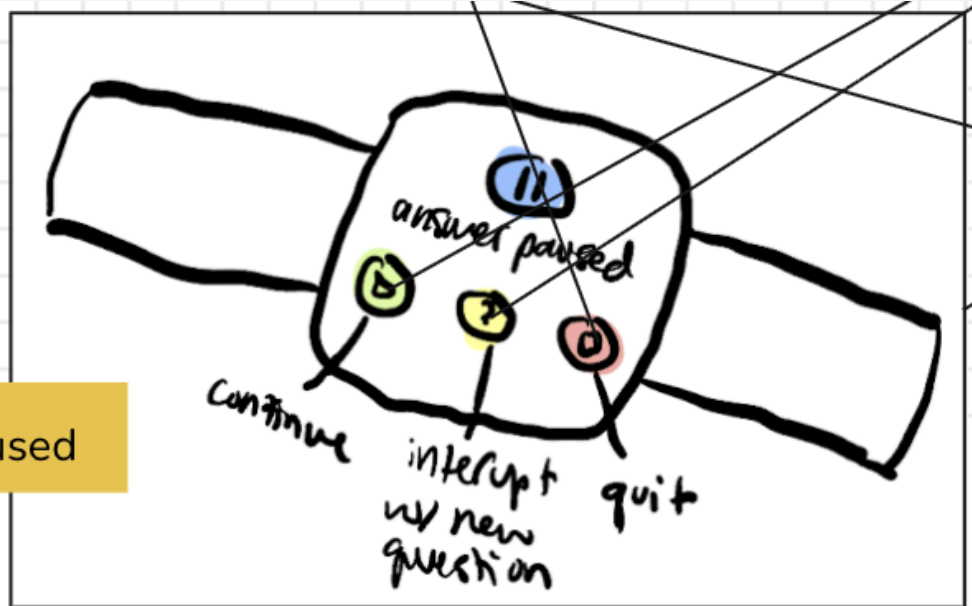


Home

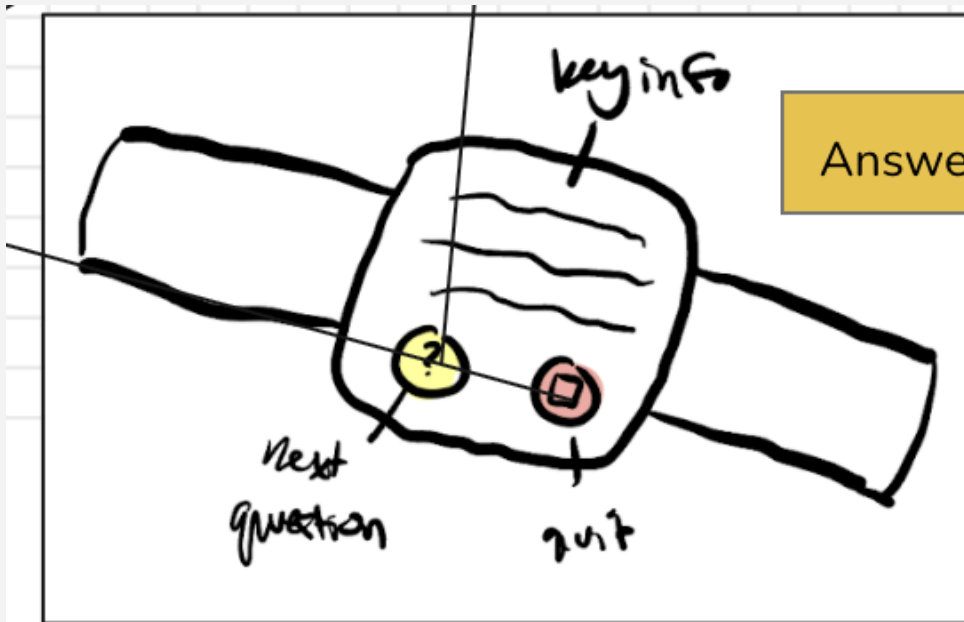


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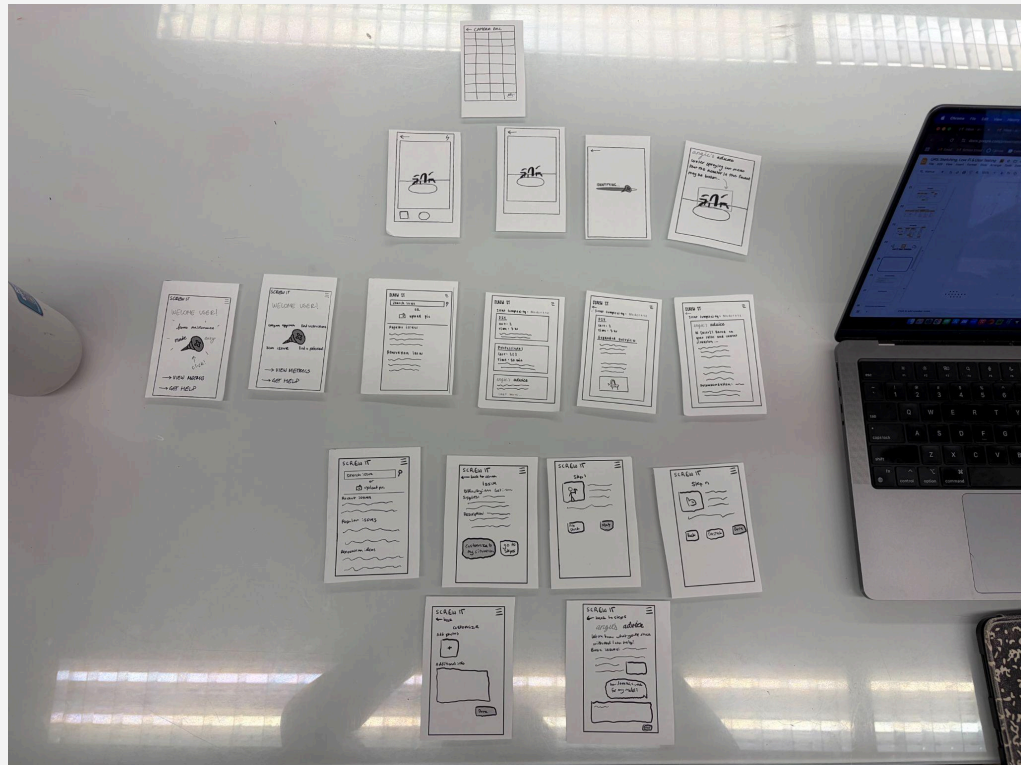
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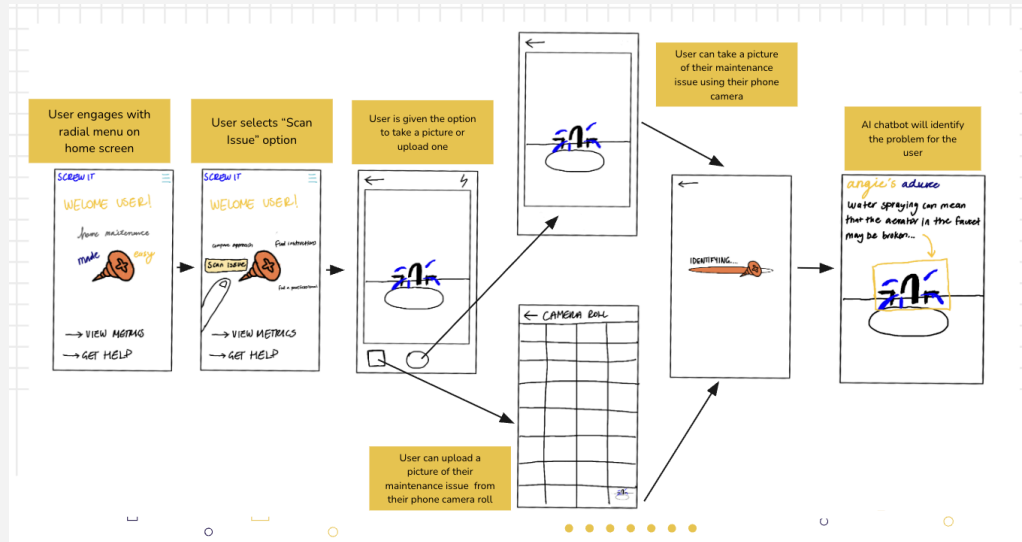


05. LOW-FI PROTOTYPE



06. TASK FLOWS

Simple: The user can upload or take a picture to identify the maintenance issue.

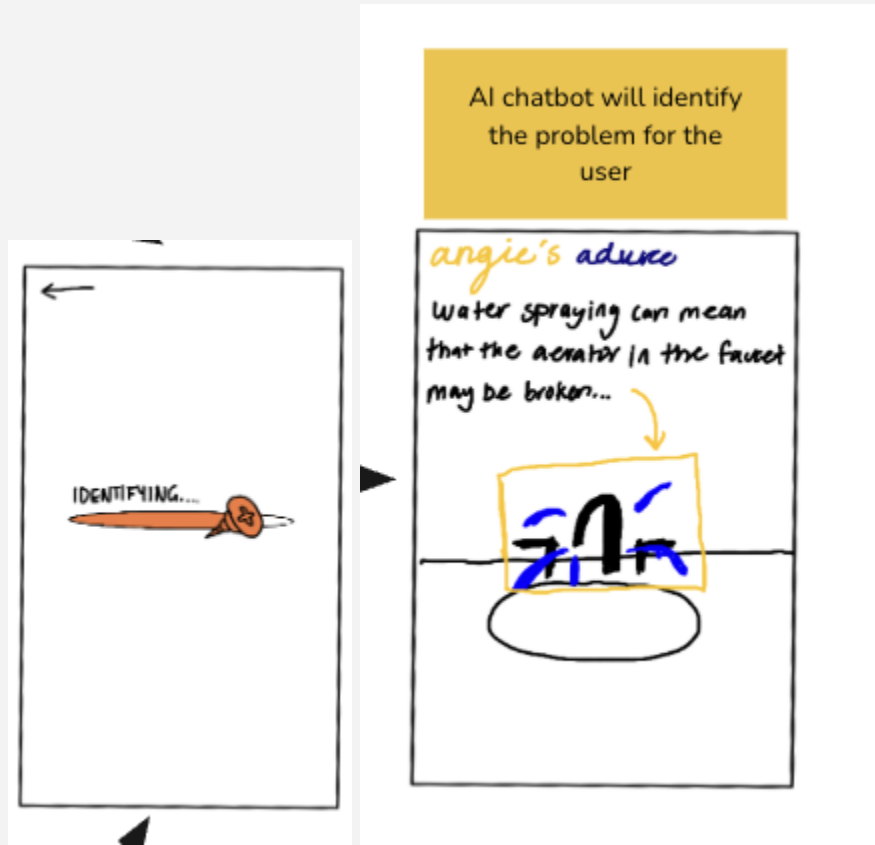
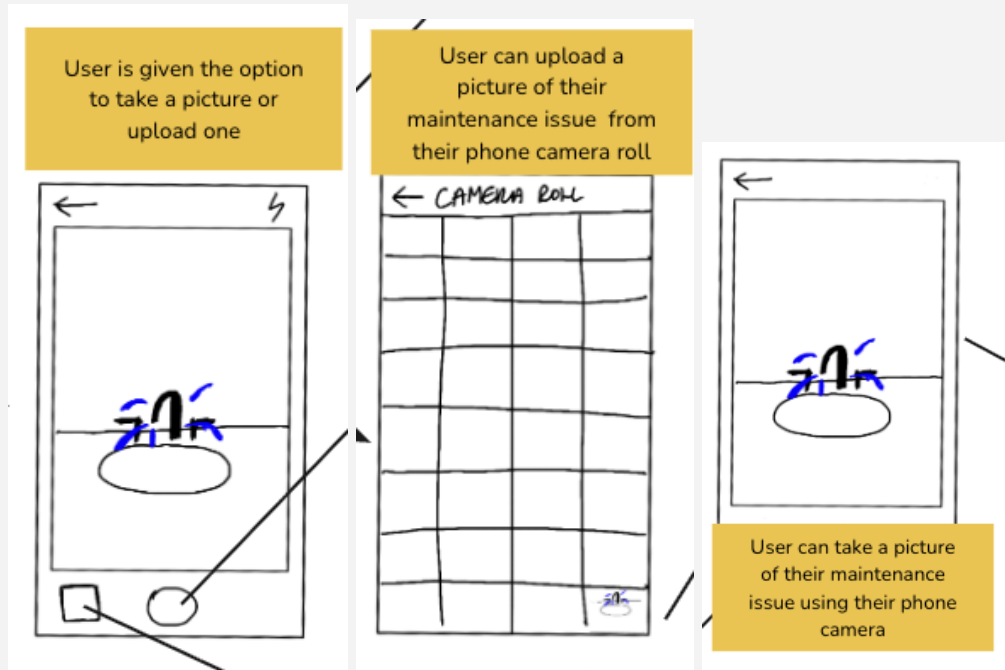


User engages with radial menu on home screen

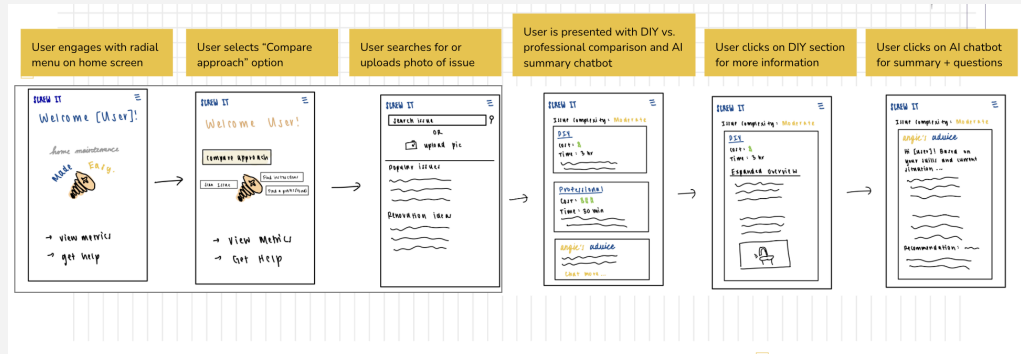


User selects "Scan Issue" option





Moderate: The user can compare the DIY and professional solutions.



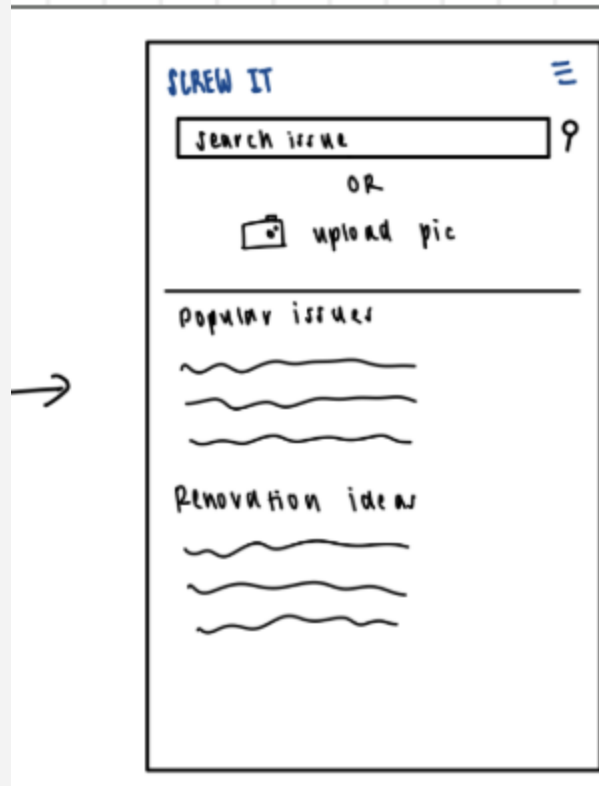
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User selects "Compare approach" option



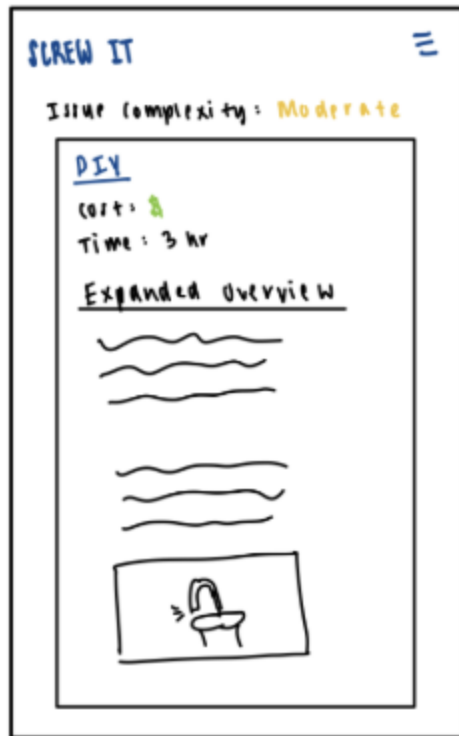
User searches for or uploads photo of issue



User is presented with DIY vs. professional comparison and AI summary chatbot



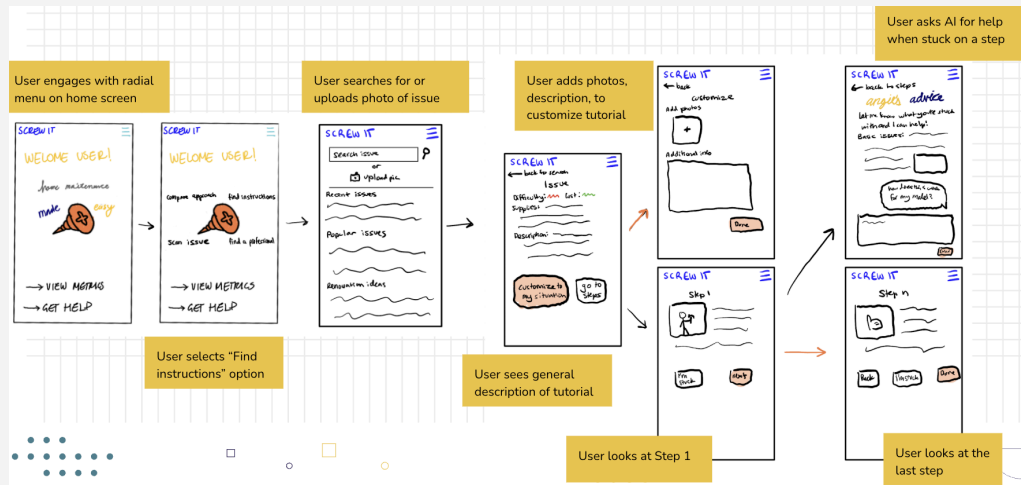
User clicks on DIY section
for more information



User clicks on AI chatbot for summary + questions



Complex: The user can learn how to fix the home maintenance issue.

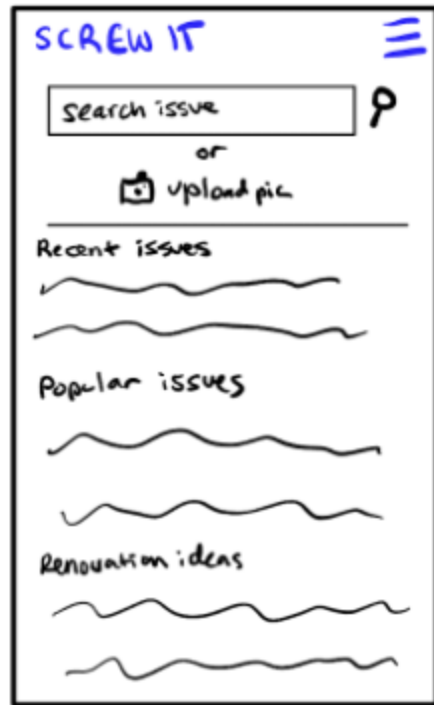


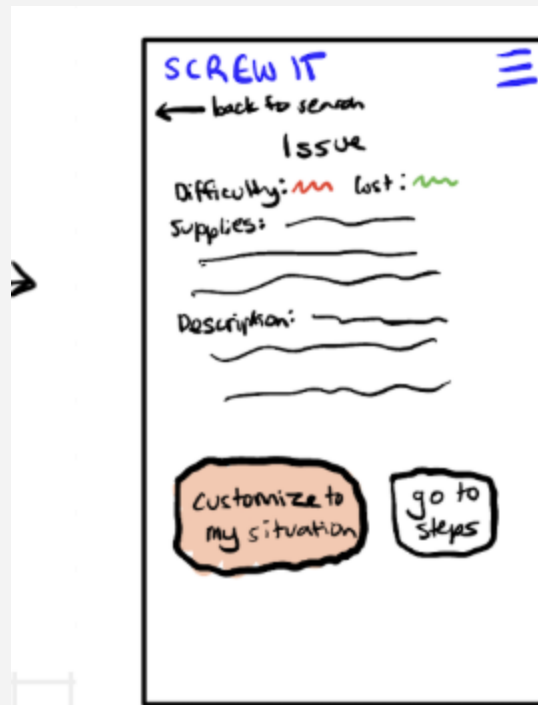
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User selects "Find instructions" option

User searches for or uploads photo of issue





User sees general description of tutorial

User adds photos,
description, to
customize tutorial





User looks at Step 1

User asks AI for help
when stuck on a step



