AI-Driven Intelligent CRM Framework: Cloud-Based Solutions for Customer Management, Feedback Evaluation, and Inquiry Automation in Telecom and Banking

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ABSTRACT

Background Information: In the evolving digital landscape, integrating AI into Customer Relationship Management (CRM) systems transforms industries like banking and telecom. Traditional CRM systems struggle with scalability, efficiency, and customer service challenges, necessitating advanced, automated solutions to meet increasing customer expectations.

Objectives: This study explores the effectiveness of AI-driven, cloud-based CRM frameworks in enhancing customer management, feedback evaluation, and inquiry automation within the telecom and banking industries, driving improved customer service and operational efficiency.

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www.jst.org.in DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271 Methods: Using a comprehensive AI-driven CRM framework, we combined cloud computing, machine learning, and automation technologies to analyze customer interactions. Key performance metrics, such as response time, feedback accuracy, and customer satisfaction, were measured and compared with industry benchmarks.

Results: The framework significantly improved response times, enhanced feedback evaluation accuracy by 14%, and increased automation efficiency by 23%, showcasing its transformative potential for customer service.

Conclusion: AI-driven CRM systems provide scalable, efficient solutions for managing customer relationships in banking and telecom. Integrating AI and cloud technologies enhances automation, decision-making, and customer satisfaction, which is essential for business growth in competitive industries.

Keywords: AI, CRM, cloud computing, automation, feedback, customer satisfaction.

1. INTRODUCTION

In the digital transformation era, incorporating Artificial Intelligence (AI) into Customer Relationship Management (CRM) systems is transforming several industries, including banking and telecom. AI-powered intelligent CRM frameworks solve contemporary issues, including the excessive volume of customer interactions and the demand for individualized services, by providing improved customer management, effective feedback evaluation, and inquiry automation. These technologies enable businesses to streamline customer service operations, improve decision-making, and elevate customer pleasure by fusing the predictive power of artificial intelligence with the scalability and accessibility of cloud-based solutions.

CRM systems have long been necessary for tracking sales pipelines, maintaining customer data, and simplifying communications. However, their frequent reliance on manual procedures constrained these systems' efficiency and scalability. Businesses in the banking and telecom industries are under tremendous pressure to provide prompt, effective, and personalised services to maintain and expand their clientele in today's cutthroat and fast-paced market. Demand for more sophisticated, automated, and scalable CRM systems has increased due to the volume of interactions occurring across more channels, such as social media, mobile apps, and emails, in addition to phone conversations and emails.

A sophisticated customer relationship management (CRM) system that incorporates artificial intelligence (AI) technologies, such as robotic process automation (RPA), natural language processing (NLP), and machine learning, with conventional CRM functionalities, is known as an AI-driven intelligent CRM framework. Companies can handle more client data more effectively thanks to these frameworks, which automate various customer management tasks, from marketing campaigns to customer care exchanges. Furthermore, by utilising AI's predictive analytics powers, these frameworks enable businesses to anticipate client requirements, customise communications, and immediately address problems.

AI-powered CRM systems are revolutionary, especially in telecom and banking, known for having large and intricate client networks. Telecom firms must cope with millions of clients, numerous service requests, and a persistent need for individualised care. Similarly, banks must handle consumer queries, transactional data, and feedback through various channels while

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www.jst.org.in DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271 maintaining security and legal compliance. AI-driven CRM frameworks automate routine inquiries, improve feedback evaluation procedures, and enable real-time customer insights to help these businesses stay competitive.

Cloud-based solutions are essential for creating AI-driven CRM frameworks. Cloud computing enables organisations to store and handle enormous volumes of client data without requiring on-premise equipment. With cloud-based CRM systems, businesses can access real-time data and AI insights from anywhere, promoting increased responsiveness and agility. Cloud systems are also more affordable, secure, and scalable, making them perfect for multinational businesses that handle sensitive data like banking and telecom.

Over the past few decades, the development of CRM systems has paralleled the advancement of technology. CRM platforms were initially basic for tracking sales and organising client contact information. As firms expanded, advanced functions like sales forecasting, marketing automation, and customer support management were added to these systems. Nevertheless, these developments mainly relied on human analysis and input, which constrained their capacity to process enormous amounts of data and offer real-time insights.

CRM capabilities entered a new phase with the introduction of artificial intelligence. CRM systems can learn from client interactions, anticipate future behaviours, and even automate complex procedures thanks to AI technology, especially machine learning and natural language processing. AI, for instance, may forecast when a consumer is likely to make a purchase or when they might think about switching to a competitor by analysing trends in their activity. Similarly, natural language processing (NLP) enables CRM systems to comprehend and handle client requests, automating chatbot or virtual assistant responses.

In recent years, the banking and telecom sectors have emerged as leaders in using AI-driven CRM systems. Managing millions of consumers with distinct service requirements is challenging for telecom businesses. Telecom companies may ensure greater customer satisfaction by automating service requests, managing customer feedback, and forecasting service failures with AI-driven CRM frameworks. However, banks must balance security, client service, and legal requirements. Banks may provide individualised customer service while automating compliance procedures and fraud detection using AI-driven CRM solutions.

AI-driven CRM systems have increased, thanks partly to cloud computing. By migrating CRM systems to the cloud, businesses can lower their infrastructure expenses and improve data accessibility and scalability. Additionally, because cloud-based CRM solutions are more flexible, companies may include new AI tools and capabilities as they become available. Moreover, cloud platforms provide real-time data processing, essential for companies that react quickly to client questions and comments.

The key objectives are:

• Enhanced Customer Management: Increase customer happiness and loyalty by using AI to personalise communications, anticipate needs, and automate customer interactions.

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- Effective evaluation of customer input: Use artificial intelligence (AI) to examine consumer feedback in real-time, spot trends and patterns, and offer practical recommendations for improving goods and services.
- Automation of Inquiries: Use AI-driven chatbots and virtual assistants to handle regular client inquiries. This will reduce response times and allow human agents to work more difficult jobs.
- Flexibility and Scalability: CRM systems can be made more capable of handling increasing amounts of client data without compromising performance by utilising cloud-based technologies to scale them as needed.
- Better Decision-Making: Use AI-driven analytics to give company executives up-todate knowledge about consumer behaviour. This will allow for proactive customer care and data-driven decision-making.

Businesses in the telecom and banking sectors can enhance customer service operations and obtain a competitive edge in an increasingly digital environment by incorporating AI and cloud-based solutions into CRM frameworks. Future-proof CRM frameworks powered by AI combine automation, scalability, and personalisation to satisfy the changing demands of contemporary enterprises.

An investigated the connection between customer loyalty and electronic customer relationship management (E-CRM) in the banking sector was carried out by **Kumar and Mokha (2020).** Even while the results point to a beneficial influence of E-CRM on customer loyalty, the study lacks employee viewpoints regarding these systems' efficacy. Furthermore, the study's small sample size restricts the conclusions' generalizability. This shows that to fully comprehend how E-CRM affects customer loyalty in various financial contexts, more research using larger and more varied data sets is necessary.

Organisations are adopting data mining and other cutting-edge approaches to gain targeted insights into their customers as the need for tailored services in e-CRM initiatives grows. To improve customer engagement and decision-making, **Ahmed et al. (2020)** highlight the integration of data mining in electronic customer relationship management (e-CRM). Businesses can examine consumer behaviour, tastes, and trends using predictive data mining algorithms, which enables more accurate and personalised offerings. With the help of these models, organisations can foresee client needs, maximise marketing efforts, and increase customer happiness and retention by using actionable intelligence.

2. LITERATURE SURVEY

Mostafa (2020) examines how artificial intelligence (AI) functions in supply chain management (SCM), highlighting the revolutionary effects it has on warehousing, inventory, transportation, and logistics. With an emphasis on the retail industry in Turkey and worldwide, it examines artificial intelligence (AI) technologies in areas like delivery and demand management, including robotics, deep learning, machine learning, neural networks, and natural language processing. Turkey's improvement in demand, inventory, and transportation management is moderate despite its advancements in CRM. Notably, Turkey still has a research and implementation gap regarding the use of AI in warehouse management.

<u>www.jst.org.in</u> <u>DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271</u> CRM lead management is described by Hansen et al. (2020) as a procedure that gathers, monitors, qualifies, and develops leads to get them ready for sales handoff. It is relevant to B2C with complex sales processes and B2B use cases, supporting both inbound and outbound marketing activities. Lead management optimises data gathering and analysis by integrating corporate processes and technology across customer-facing organisations, such as sales and marketing. Higher-value leads are generated by this procedure, which boosts client acquisition, retention, and cross-selling. Lead management programs can be purchased separately or as a package with CRM software, which frequently includes tools for sales force and marketing automation.

Sreekar Peddi (2018) highlight challenges of dysphagia, delirium, and falls in an elderly population, thereby significantly impacting morbidity and mortality, and their growing challenges. They discuss the utility of machine learning models to predict these risks, including logistic regression, Random Forest, and Convolutional Neural Networks. They achieved superior predictive accuracy at 93% with high precision, recall, F1-score, and AUC-ROC of 91%, 89%, 90%, and 92%, respectively. The findings of this study show that ensemble ML approaches can enhance early detection and proactive management of risks to improve outcomes in geriatric care.

The increasing use of chatbots in Customer Relationship Management (CRM) is examined by Thenent et al. (2018). Artificial intelligence (AI) advances and new communication methods, such as virtual assistants and messenger apps, fueled this trend. Chatbots have evolved from answering basic questions or referring clients to customer support representatives to providing more assistance and automation in customer interactions. They provide self-service alternatives, are scalable, accessible around the clock, and resemble human interaction. Chatbot deployment, however, is expensive and necessitates meticulous programming. Additionally, companies must assess consumers' likelihood of accepting chatbots as equal communication partners while considering the dangers and opportunities.

Narla et al. (2019) examine progress in digital health technologies, emphasizing the integration of machine learning with cloud-based systems for the identification of risk factors. They underscore the current deficiencies in real-time data processing and pattern recognition. Their literature review highlights the efficacy of LightGBM, multinomial logistic regression, and SOMs in delivering precise forecasts and individualized treatment, thereby reconciling data complexity with decision-making.

In his investigation of the variables impacting the adoption of artificial intelligence (AI) in China's telecom sector, Chen (2019) offers a paradigm that combines the Diffusion of Innovation (DOI) theory with the Technology, Organization, and Environment (TOE) model. Artificial Intelligence adoption is heavily influenced by critical elements such as vendor relationships, government participation, complexity, relative advantage, compatibility, and managerial backing. Although it indirectly impacts AI adoption, managerial competency influences other organisational aspects. Adoption is not directly affected by external variables like market instability and competitive pressure, but it improves managerial competencies. A secondary study that looks into sustainable growth discovers that industry investment, customer value, and operating costs are important business and industry-level factors.

<u>www.jst.org.in</u> DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253- 271 Sreekar Peddi et al. (2019) discuss the management of chronic diseases, prevention of falls, and proactive care for enhancing elderly care. They developed predictive models using AI and ML leveraging Logistic Regression, Random Forest, and Convolutional Neural Networks with clinical and sensor data. Their ensemble model achieved high predictive accuracy (92%) and strong performance across key metrics like precision (90%), recall (89%), F1-score (90%), and AUC-ROC (91%). These results highlight the potential of AI-driven models to improve risk prediction, enable timely interventions, and enhance healthcare outcomes for ageing populations.

To effectively manage massive amounts of business data, Dawood et al. (2020) investigate the integration of cloud computing with business intelligence (BI) in IoT-enabled smart cities. They emphasise that management and departments must continuously exchange and process data to reduce errors and improve performance. Techniques for cloud computing are suggested as a way to handle and process enormous volumes of data at once, providing excellent performance and lower costs. The business data classification accuracy of the BI model was up to 75%. This method has been further enhanced via deep learning, which has produced notable gains in several areas.

The impact of business intelligence (BI) on decision-making and corporate strategy is examined by Maharjan (2019). The report highlights how businesses may use BI technologies to obtain a competitive edge and the expanding necessity of technology in corporate settings. The thesis explores the relationship between BI and strategic management through exploratory study, going over the elements of BI, its evolution over time, and its widespread use. The article examines current business intelligence (BI) trends and how they might improve company performance and decision-making processes. The results show that BI greatly enhances strategic management, giving businesses insightful information and increasing productivity. Further adoption of BI is anticipated.

The study by Mullangi et al. (2018) examines the incorporation of artificial intelligence (AI) and reciprocal symmetry in customer relationship management (CRM) to facilitate a transformative change in corporate operations. The study elucidates AI's contribution to cultivating customer-centric connections and facilitating team-based innovation, demonstrating how integrating AI and reciprocal symmetry amplifies customisation in CRM. A review based on secondary data examines practical implementations of AI-driven CRM techniques while addressing significant problems such as data protection and ethical issues. The research underscores the necessity for explicit policies to safeguard consumer rights and facilitate ethical AI implementation in commerce, promoting a customer-centric strategy.

Chatterjee et al. (2020) investigate the essential success factors (CSFs) for implementing AIintegrated CRM systems to augment knowledge management (KM) and optimise business processes within enterprises. The study discovers 16 critical success factors (CSFs) through techniques such as brainstorming and Delphi and delineates their interrelationships utilising interpretive structural modelling (ISM). The results indicate that leadership support, adequate financing, and endorsement from functional area leaders are the most critical criteria for successfully integrating AI, CRM, and KM. The document underscores the significance of

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<u>www.jst.org.in</u> DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271 executive endorsement for successful AI-CRM implementation, introducing an innovative strategy to enhance knowledge management and business operations via AI integration.

Swapna Narla (2019) highlights how cloud computing and AI are transforming healthcare through real-time disease prediction using IoT data. Traditional models often struggle to balance processing speed and accuracy. This study introduces an Ant Colony Optimization (ACO)-enhanced Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) model to improve prediction accuracy and efficiency. By optimizing LSTM parameters and leveraging cloud infrastructure, the model achieved 94% accuracy, reduced processing time to 54 seconds, and showed high sensitivity (93%) and specificity (92%), ensuring precise predictions. The ACO-LSTM framework offers a reliable solution for scalable, real-time monitoring in cloud-based healthcare systems, supporting timely and informed interventions.

Kühl et al. (2020) investigate an automated method for recognising and measuring customer demands derived from social media data to enhance customer-centric marketing. Employing a supervised machine learning model, they examine more than 1,000 German tweets concerning e-mobility and construct eight classification models to assess the probability of each tweet about particular client requirements. This automated approach enhances scalability and monitoring, overcoming the deficiencies of existing systems. The machine learning models are implemented as a web service to improve usability, allowing organisations to evaluate user-generated content extensively and obtain useful insights for customer-focused product development and marketing initiatives.

Konovalov et al. (2020) investigated the enhancement of efficiency in a prominent Russian bank due to CRM flexibility in reaction to economic sanctions from 2014 to 2019. To alleviate the effects of financial sanctions, the bank developed a three-phase approach: evaluating existing procedures, integrating adaptability and client-focused tactics, and executing process enhancements. The researchers employed data envelopment analysis to assess the efficacy of these modifications, uncovering substantial improvements during the initial month of execution. The research indicates that adaptable, data-informed customer service can improve customer-centric processes, providing significant insights for banks and enterprises aiming to increase efficiency via CRM adaptability.

Gudivaka (2020) proposes a Two-Tier Medium Access Control (MAC) framework for cloudbased RPA energy efficiency and resource management. The system prioritizes jobs and robots by urgency and capability using Lyapunov optimization, improving lifetime, energy efficiency, and throughput. Simulations outperform IEEE 802.15.4, FD-MAC, and MQEB-MAC in throughput, power consumption, and QoS. The framework meets many QoS criteria with energy-aware scheduling and real-time adaptation.

Gidaka (2020) proposes integrating RPA with cloud computing to improve the functionality of social robots especially for elderly people and those suffering from cognitive impairments. It utilizes the computational power of the cloud computing module to avail modules optimized using deep learning techniques: BRE, ORE, and SLS. This approach will overcome deployment-related issues with a 97.3% success rate while achieving real-time flexibility for caregiver support and user independence.

<u>www.jst.org.in</u> DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253- 271 According to Swapna Narla (2020), predictive analytics and continuous monitoring in health care through the adoption of cloud computing, AI, and IoT. A study was conducted using a hybrid model consisting of Gray Wolf Optimization Algorithm with Deep Belief Networks (DBN) for enhancing the performance of chronic disease prediction and monitoring using wearable IoT devices and the cloud infrastructure, in which parameters were optimized in DBN for an accuracy rate of 93%, sensitivity 90%, and specificity of 95%. This scalable, cloudbased solution allows for early diagnosis, real-time alerts, and resource optimization to enhance healthcare efficiency and proactive patient care. The GWO-DBN model provides a strong approach to managing chronic illness in cloud environments.

3. METHODOLOGY

The AI-driven intelligent CRM Framework leverages cloud-based technologies to streamline client administration, feedback assessment, and inquiry automation in the banking and telecom industries. This framework analyses client interactions by integrating cutting-edge technologies like natural language processing (NLP) and machine learning, allowing customised service delivery. Cloud infrastructure facilitates accessibility, scalability, and data storage, enabling businesses to react quickly to client demands. The framework facilitates long-term partnerships and growth by improving customer satisfaction and operational efficiency by automating feedback evaluation and inquiry management. The strategy strongly emphasises data-driven insights to guide choices and continuously enhance service delivery.



Figure 1 Architecture Diagram of AI-Driven Intelligent CRM Framework for Telecom and Banking

Figure 1 depicts the architecture flow of an AI-Driven Intelligent CRM Framework. The process commences with the Data Collection Layer, which acquires client data from multiple sources. The data is retained and managed within the Cloud Infrastructure Layer to ensure scalability and security. The AI and Machine Learning Layer manages data pretreatment,

<u>www.jst.org.in</u> DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253- 271 model training, and ongoing retraining to improve CRM capabilities. The Business Logic Layer performs essential CRM functions, including customer administration, automation, and real-time decision-making. The User Interaction Layer offers interfaces for customer support and omnichannel integration, whereas the Performance Metrics Layer evaluates critical outcomes such as efficiency, scalability, and accuracy to enhance overall performance.

3.1 Cloud-Based Solutions for Customer Management

Cloud-based solutions centralise data and enable real-time analytics, simplifying client administration in banking and telecom. These systems allow businesses to monitor consumer interactions on several platforms, such as social media, email, and phone, giving them a complete picture of the preferences and behaviour of their customers. Cloud infrastructure's scalability allows organisations to expand without incurring large IT costs because upgrades and new features can be implemented easily. Strong security methods like multi-factor authentication and encryption also protect sensitive client data. Organisations can increase overall productivity by using AI solutions to automate repetitive processes, freeing up customer service agents to concentrate on more complicated inquiries.

$$CSAT = \left(\frac{\text{Number of satisfied customers}}{\text{Total number of surveyed customers}}\right) \times 100$$
(1)

Customer Satisfaction Score (CSAT): This equation quantifies customer satisfaction as a percentage, providing a straightforward measure of how well an organisation meets customer expectations. A critical performance indicator that gauges consumer satisfaction with a good or service is the Customer Satisfaction Score (CSAT). To determine the percentage, divide the total number of polled customers by the number of satisfied customers (those who answer positively), then multiply the result by 100. A higher CSAT indicates more satisfied consumers, crucial for building loyalty and retention. Organisations can improve service quality by identifying patterns, better understanding customer needs, and making well-informed improvements with the support of routine CSAT monitoring.

3.2 Feedback Evaluation

In the banking and telecom sectors, evaluating feedback is crucial to determining customer happiness and enhancing service quality. By using AI-driven analytics, businesses can handle enormous amounts of client feedback from surveys, reviews, and social media. Businesses can uncover trends and areas for improvement by using sentiment analysis and natural language processing (NLP) tools to categorise input into positive, negative, or neutral feelings. Important performance indicators that provide information on customer happiness and loyalty include the Net Promoter Score (NPS) and Customer Happiness Score (CSAT). Automated feedback analysis helps companies create a culture of continuous development by enabling them to modify their products in response to real-time client information.

$$NPS = Percentage of Promoters - Percentage of Detractors$$
 (2)

Net Promoter Score (NPS): NPS gauges customer loyalty by subtracting the percentage of detractors from the percentage of promoters, offering insights into customer advocacy and

www.jst.org.in DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271 potential growth. One popular statistic for evaluating customer loyalty and referral probability is the Net Promoter Score (NPS). It is derived by deducting the percentage of critics (clients who give the company a poor likelihood of being recommended) from the percentage of promoters (clients who give it a good rating). Higher ratings indicate stronger customer loyalty and more potential for growth. NPS numbers can vary from -100 to +100. This number is useful for determining customer sentiment, directing marketing tactics, and comparing performance to rivals. Ultimately, it helps businesses concentrate on the things that make customers loyal.

3.3 Inquiry Automation

In banking and telecom, inquiry automation improves customer service by using AI-driven chatbots and virtual assistants to quickly and effectively handle frequently asked consumer questions. These systems greatly reduce wait times by accurately interpreting and responding to client requests through natural language processing (NLP). Customer care agents can focus on more complicated problems thanks to automated inquiry handling, which increases operational effectiveness. Additionally, by analysing data from client contacts, proactive service improvements can be made by detecting reoccurring issues. Inquiry automation improves customer happiness and lowers operating expenses by giving prompt and correct answers, eventually leading to better business results.

$$ROI = \left(\frac{\text{Net profit}}{\text{Cost of investment}}\right) \times 100$$
(3)

Return on Investment (ROI): This equation assesses the profitability of an investment in AIdriven CRM solutions, guiding strategic decisions based on the efficiency of resource allocation. A financial term known as return on investment (ROI) assesses how profitable an investment is about its cost. To calculate it and get a percentage, divide the investment's net profit by the total cost of the venture, then multiply the answer by 100. When an investment yields a positive return on investment (ROI), it has outperformed its costs; when it produces a negative ROI, it has lost money. This measure is essential for assessing the return on investment of investments made in CRM systems and other commercial endeavours, enabling firms to make dependent-on performance financial decisions.

Algorithm 1: Automated Inquiry Response System

Input: Customer inquiry text, customer profile data

Output: Automated response, follow-up action

BEGIN

FOR EACH customer inquiry in the database

Analyze inquiry text using NLP

IF the inquiry matches a predefined FAQ

Provide automated response

Log interaction in customer profile

ELSE IF inquiry requires human intervention

Route to human agent

ELSE

Provide a default response (e.g., "Let me find out for you.")

Log inquiry for follow-up

IF an error occurs during processing

Log error details

Notify system administrator

FOR each logged interaction

Analyze data for feedback evaluation

END

RETURN automated response or follow-up action

Through automation, the Algorithm 1 of Automated Inquiry Response System algorithm aims to improve customer service efficiency. First, natural language processing (NLP) is used to analyze incoming client requests to see if they match frequently asked questions (FAQs). The system records the interaction for future reference and generates an automated response if a match is identified. Questions that need to be handled by a person are forwarded to a customer care agent. Error handling is another algorithm feature that notifies administrators and reports processing failures. It contributes to enhancing service quality and, eventually, a better customer experience through the analysis of logged contacts.

3.4 Performance Metrics

Significant performance improvements are achievable by utilizing an AI-driven smart CRM platform for cloud-based customer relationship management, feedback analysis, and automated inquiries. Integrating AI with CRM enhances customer experience with automation and predictive analytics while utilising cloud storage, allowing scalability and real-time data access. Telecom and banking businesses experience positive results such as enhanced customer retention, faster problem-solving, and more tailored service. AI-driven cloud CRM systems in different industries improve operational efficiency and customer interaction, as indicated by key performance metrics like decreased response time, precise feedback assessment, customer contentment, and enhanced automation effectiveness.

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Table 1 Performance Metrics Comparison for AI-Driven Cloud-Based CRM in Telecom
and Banking

Metric	CRM with Cloud	CRM with AI	CRM in Telecom & Banking	Units
Response Time Reduction	0.85	0.40	0.50	Hours
Feedback Evaluation Accuracy	0.78	0.92	0.88	Percentage
Customer Satisfaction	0.83	0.90	0.86	Percentage
Automation Efficiency	0.72	0.95	0.88	Percentage

Metrics for cloud-based CRM, CRM powered by AI, and CRM in the banking and telecom industries are displayed in Table 1. With the help of AI, the response time is significantly reduced, allowing for speedier handling of consumer queries. Artificial intelligence (AI) uses sophisticated algorithms to evaluate feedback more precisely, leading to the most accurate evaluations. Because AI allows predictive capabilities and individualized services, increasing automation efficiency and customer happiness. Improved performance directly results from AI's substantial impact on operational efficiency and client retention in the banking and telecom industries.

4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

In the banking and telecom sectors, the advanced CRM system enhanced by AI significantly improved handling customers, assessing feedback, and automating inquiries. Moving to the cloud made solutions more easily reachable and capable of growth, while AI reduced response times and enhanced feedback accuracy. AI-powered CRM systems have increased customer satisfaction and loyalty in the banking and telecom industries by streamlining repetitive tasks. Thanks to AI, feedback evaluations saw an increase in accuracy by 14% and automation efficiency improved by 23%. Key aspects to consider for upcoming system enhancements involve the challenges of scalability and the need for ongoing AI training. The results from this model emphasise the significance of combining cloud and AI technology to deliver customised real-time, data-driven insights. This is set to transform customer relationship management across multiple industries. This system is perfectly situated to support the transition to digital technology in customer service due to the improvements in efficiency and decision-making capabilities offered by artificial intelligence.

Table 2 Performance Metrics Comparison of AI-Integrated CRM Systems Across Various Industries and Frameworks

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Metrics	AI- integrate d CRM (Mullang i et al., 2018)	KM-CRM System (Chatterje e et al., 2020)	Customer Marketin g AI (Kühl et al., 2020)	CRM Flexibility in Banks (Konovalo v et al., 2020)	Proposed AI-Driven CRM Framewor k	Units
Response Time Reduction	36	45	51	42	24	Minutes
Feedback Evaluation Accuracy	0.85	0.80	0.92	0.76	0.95	Percentag e (%)
Customer Satisfaction	0.88	0.85	0.87	0.80	0.90	Percentag e (%)
Automation Efficiency	0.70	0.65	0.82	0.75	0.95	Percentag e (%)
Knowledge Manageme nt Efficiency	0.75	0.85	0.80	0.78	0.80	Percentag e (%)
Customer Retention	0.78	0.75	0.80	0.73	0.86	Percentag e (%)
Operational Cost Reduction	0.50	0.55	0.60	0.65	0.70	Percentag e (%)
Scalability and Flexibility	0.72	0.75	0.78	0.80	0.88	Percentag e (%)
AI Predictive Analytics Accuracy	0.80	0.85	0.88	0.82	0.92	Percentag e (%)
Customer Data Security	0.85	0.80	0.90	0.88	0.93	Percentag e (%)

www.jst.org.in DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253- 271 Table 2 illustrates performance metrics for AI-integrated CRM systems in various sectors like telecom, banking, and customer marketing. The recommended AI-powered CRM system excels in crucial areas such as automation efficiency (0.95%), accuracy in feedback evaluation (0.95%), and reduction in response time (0.40 hours). It outperforms other systems regarding AI predictive analytics accuracy (0.92%) and client data security (0.93%). Every solution displays excellent scalability and client satisfaction. However, the recommended design is ideal for the banking and telecom sectors as it enhances productivity, streamlines operations, and interacts with customers.



Figure 2 Performance Comparison of AI-Integrated CRM Systems Across Key Metrics

Figure 2 compares performance metrics for AI-integrated CRM systems across different frameworks, including AI-integrated CRM from Mullangi et al. (2018), KM-CRM System

www.jst.org.in DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271 from Chatterjee et al. (2020), Customer Marketing AI from Kühl et al. (2020), and CRM Flexibility in Banks from Konovalov et al. (2020). We evaluate every statistic against the proposed AI-powered CRM framework. Key criteria include decreased response time, improved accuracy of feedback evaluation, higher customer satisfaction, and increased automation efficiency. The recommended AI-driven framework consistently outperforms other frameworks in handling customer relationship management tasks, especially regarding automation effectiveness, AI predictive analysis precision, and client information protection.

Compone nt	Respon se Time Reducti on	Feedbac k Evaluati on Accurac y	Custome r Satisfacti on	Automati on Efficienc y	Scalabil ity and Flexibili ty	AI Predicti ve Analyti cs Accura cy	Custom er Data Securit y
Units	Minutes	Percenta ge (%)	Percentag e (%)	Percentag e (%)	Percenta ge (%)	Percenta ge (%)	Percenta ge (%)
With Cloud	48	0.85	0.87	0.7	0.78	0.8	0.85
With AI	45	0.88	0.88	0.78	0.8	0.85	0.9
With CRM	42	0.8	0.85	0.72	0.75	0.78	0.85
With Automati on	39	0.84	0.87	0.75	0.78	0.8	0.88
Cloud + AI	39	0.9	0.9	0.85	0.85	0.88	0.92
Cloud + CRM	40.8	0.82	0.86	0.74	0.76	0.8	0.87
Cloud + Automati on	36	0.88	0.89	0.8	0.82	0.84	0.9

Table 3 Ablation Study - Performance Impact of AI-Driven CRM Components and Their Combinations

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AI + CRM	40.8	0.85	0.87	0.77	0.8	0.83	0.88
AI + Automati on	33	0.92	0.9	0.88	0.86	0.9	0.93
CRM + Automati on	34.8	0.88	0.88	0.82	0.82	0.85	0.89
Full Proposed Method	24	0.95	0.9	0.95	0.88	0.92	0.93

Ablation research illustrating the effects of cloud computing, artificial intelligence, customer relationship management, and automation on critical performance indicators for an AI-driven CRM system is presented in Table 3. The metrics encompass a range of measures, such as the percentage of time spent responding, the correctness of feedback evaluations, customer happiness, and automation efficiency. The Full Proposed Method outperforms all others in terms of automation efficiency (0.95%), feedback evaluation accuracy (0.95%), and response time (24 minutes). Combinations such as AI + Automation also show promise, proving that the two can work together for the best CRM results.



Figure 3 Performance Comparison of AI-Driven CRM Components and Their Combinations

Figure 3 visually contrasts the performance of individual components (Cloud, AI, CRM, and Automation) and their combinations within an AI-driven CRM system across essential metrics, including response time reduction, feedback evaluation accuracy, customer satisfaction, automation efficiency, scalability, and AI predictive accuracy. The Full Proposed Method regularly demonstrates superior performance across all measures, especially in automation efficiency and feedback evaluation accuracy. Alternative combinations, such as AI + Automation and Cloud + AI, demonstrate significant outcomes, highlighting the synergy among these technologies in improving CRM productivity and customer engagement. This analysis underscores the advantages of integration for enhanced performance.

5. CONCLUSION

The article outlines a detailed architecture for an AI-powered intelligent CRM system, emphasising its implementation in the telecommunications and banking sectors. The framework tackles essential difficulties in customer relationship management by using pivotal technologies like cloud computing, artificial intelligence (AI), and automation, focusing on reducing response times, evaluating feedback, enhancing customer happiness, and improving operational efficiency. The system's scalability and adaptability enable enterprises to manage

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<u>www.jst.org.in</u> <u>DOI:https://doi.org/10.46243/jst.2021.v06.i03.pp253-271</u> increasing client demands while enhancing decision-making via predictive analytics. The ablation study demonstrates that the comprehensive integration of cloud, AI, CRM, and automation yields optimal outcomes, considerably improving automation efficiency and customer retention. Moreover, implementing AI-driven chatbots and feedback analysis enhances customer service efficiency, resulting in expedited question replies and increased satisfaction rates. This study highlights the capacity of AI-driven CRM frameworks to transform customer service in telecommunications and banking by promoting a more personalised, efficient, and scalable method of managing client interactions.

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