Test Plan for the SmartChef Automated Cooking System

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1. Introduction

Listed below are the test cases for the SmartChef proof-of-concept system. The system is divided into four specific components: a dispensing unit, stirring unit, pan-control unit, and a heating unit. The test cases will fall under the aforementioned categories accordingly. Furthermore, the system is controlled by the Arduino-Uno board, which will also follow a set of test cases.

2. System Test Plan

2.1 SmartChef System

The entire system is comprised of four specific components, each containing a separate test plan. The SmartChef, as an entire system, will follow the subsequent test cases.

Test Cases		Yes	No
1	Upon pressing the correct pushbutton, the entire system begins the automated cooking sequence: ingredient dispensing, heating, mixing, and serving		
2	Each subunit of the entire system is implemented into a static frame in a non-obtrusive manner		

2.2 Dispensing Unit

This unit will dispense solid and liquid ingredients into the cooking pan, as per the test cases listed below.

Test Cases		Yes	No
1	Ingredients are dispensed at the appropriate time		
2	Dispenser does not jam upon dispensing ingredients		
3	Circuit for the dispensing unit is appropriately contained		
4	Solid and liquid dispensers are in a non-dispensing state when the motors are off		

2.3 Stirring Unit

The stirring unit mixes the ingredients in the pan, following the subsequent test cases.

Test Cases		Yes	No
1	Ingredients are mixed at the appropriate time		
2	Stirring unit does not obstruct the cooking utensil		
3	The lid covers the pan before the mixing the ingredients to avoid spilling		
4	Circuit for stirring unit is appropriately contained		



2.4 Pan-Control Unit

The pan will be automated to move between the heating and stirring areas at the appropriate times. Furthermore, it will serve the final meal onto a dish upon completion.

Test Cases		Yes	No
1	The pan moves between the heating and food-dispensing units at the		
	appropriate time		
2	The pan is able pan is able to serve the meal onto a dish		
3	The motors controlling the pan are able to support the load contained in		
	the pan		
4	The pan remains within the static frame of the SmartChef system (to		
	minimize burn related injuries)		

2.5 Heating Element

The heating element is to be tested while mounted on the overall system assembly. We will test the following configurations.

Configuration		Outcome
1	Manual switch OFF, relay ON	The heating element will not heat
2	Manual switch ON, relay OFF	The heating element will not heat
3	Manual switch ON, relay ON	The heating element heats to maximal
		temperature
4	Manual switch ON, relay at 50% duty	The heating element produces less heat than in
		previous test

2.6 Microprocessor and Circuit Board

The servo-motors and heating element are controlled by an Arduino-Uno board, following the according test cases.

Test Cases		Yes	No
1	Motors receive enough current from the power supply for smooth motion		
2	Single button is able to initiate a sequence of cooking commands		
3	Motors and relays are removable from circuit		