# Ex. No. 10 Write a mobile application that makes use of RSS Feed

Date:

#### Aim:

To develop an Android Application that makes use of RSS Feed.

#### Procedure:

## Creating a New project:

- Open Android Studio and then click on File -> New -> New project.
- Then type the Application name as "exno10" and click Next.
- Then select the Minimum SDK as shown below and click Next.
- Then select the **Empty Activity** and click Next.
- Finally click Finish.
- It will take some time to build and load the project.
- After completion it will look as given below.

## Designing layout for the Android Application:

- Click on app -> res -> layout -> activity\_main.xml.
- Now click on Text as shown below.
- Then delete the code which is there and type the code as given below.

## Code for Activity\_main.xml:

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<LinearLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"
  android:layout_width="fill_parent"
  android:layout_height="fill_parent"
  android:orientation="vertical" >
```

#### <ListView

```
android:id="@+id/listView"
android:layout_width="match_parent"
android:layout_height="wrap_content" />
```

### </LinearLayout>

- Now click on Design and your application will look as given below.
- So now the designing part is completed.

#### Adding permissions in Manifest for the Android Application:

- Click on app -> manifests -> AndroidManifest.xml.
- Now include the INTERNET permissions in the AndroidManifest.xml file as shown below.

# Code for AndroidManifest.xml: <?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?> <manifest xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</pre> package="com.example.exno10" > <uses-permission android:name="android.permission.INTERNET"/> <application android:allowBackup="true" android:icon="@mipmap/ic\_launcher" android:label="@string/app\_name" android:supportsRtl="true" android:theme="@style/AppTheme"> <activity android:name=".MainActivity" > <intent-filter> <action android:name="android.intent.action.MAIN" /> <category android:name="android.intent.category.LAUNCHER" /> </intent-filter> </activity> </application>

# </manifest>

So now the Permissions are added in the Manifest.

#### Java Coding for the Android Application:

- Click on app -> java -> com.example.exno10 -> MainActivity.
- Then delete the code which is there and type the code as given below.

## Code for MainActivity.java:

package com.example.exno10;

import android.app.ListActivity; import android.content.Intent; import android.net.Uri; import android.os.AsyncTask; import android.os.Bundle; import android.view.View; import android.widget.ArrayAdapter;

```
import android.widget.ListView;
import org.xmlpull.v1.XmlPullParser;
import org.xmlpull.v1.XmlPullParserException;
import org.xmlpull.v1.XmlPullParserFactory;
import java.io.IOException;
import java.io.InputStream;
import java.net.MalformedURLException;
import java.net.URL;
import java.util.ArrayList;
import java.util.List;
public class MainActivity extends ListActivity
{
  List headlines;
  List links;
  @Override
  protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState)
    super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
    new MyAsyncTask().execute();
 }
  class MyAsyncTask extends AsyncTask<Object,Void,ArrayAdapter>
 {
    @Override
    protected ArrayAdapter doInBackground(Object[] params)
     headlines = new ArrayList();
     links = new ArrayList();
     try
       URL url = new URL("https://codingconnect.net/feed");
       XmlPullParserFactory factory = XmlPullParserFactory.newInstance();
       factory.setNamespaceAware(false);
       XmlPullParser xpp = factory.newPullParser();
       // We will get the XML from an input stream
       xpp.setInput(getInputStream(url), "UTF_8");
       boolean insideItem = false;
```

```
// Returns the type of current event: START_TAG, END_TAG, etc..
  int eventType = xpp.getEventType();
  while (eventType != XmlPullParser.END_DOCUMENT)
  {
    if (eventType == XmlPullParser.START_TAG)
    {
     if (xpp.getName().equalsIgnoreCase("item"))
       insideltem = true;
     else if (xpp.getName().equalsIgnoreCase("title"))
       if (insideItem)
         headlines.add(xpp.nextText()); //extract the headline
     else if (xpp.getName().equalsIgnoreCase("link"))
       if (insideItem)
         links.add(xpp.nextText()); //extract the link of article
     }
    }
    else if(eventType==XmlPullParser.END_TAG && xpp.getName().equalsIgnoreCase("item"))
    {
     insideItem=false;
    eventType = xpp.next(); //move to next element
 }
}
catch (MalformedURLException e)
{
  e.printStackTrace();
catch (XmlPullParserException e)
  e.printStackTrace();
catch (IOException e)
{
```

```
e.printStackTrace();
     }
     return null;
   }
    protected void onPostExecute(ArrayAdapter adapter)
    {
      adapter = new ArrayAdapter(MainActivity.this, android.R.layout.simple_list_item_1, headlines);
      setListAdapter(adapter);
   }
  }
  @Override
  protected void onListItemClick(ListView I, View v, int position, long id)
  {
    Uri uri = Uri.parse((links.get(position)).toString());
    Intent intent = new Intent(Intent.ACTION_VIEW, uri);
    startActivity(intent);
  }
  public InputStream getInputStream(URL url)
  {
   try
    {
      return url.openConnection().getInputStream();
    catch (IOException e)
    {
      return null;
   }
 }
}
```

- So now the Coding part is also completed.
- Now run the application to see the output.

## Output:





#### Result:

Thus Android Application that makes use of RSS Feed is developed and executed successfully.