Abstract

We developed a desktop application for the management of a supermarket system. This software will help owners in managing the various types of records delivered to their customers. This system is based on the sales transaction of items in a supermarket. The first activity is based on adding the items to the system along with the rate which are present in the supermarket and the name of the items which the supermarket will agree to sell. This management of the stocks is given to the stock managers. Any modifications to be done in the item name or the in the rate can be done by them. They also have the right to delete any item. As the customer buys the products and comes to the billing counter, the cashier is supposed to scan the barcode of the purchased product and the quantity he wanted to purchase. This is not a huge a task. The system will display shortcut buttons of all the items that doesn't have a barcode. He can select out of those displayed. Finally a bill will be generated for each customer. This will be saved in the database. Any periodic records can be viewed at any

time. If the stock is not available; the supermarket orders and buys from a prescribed supplier. The stock managers can view information about the stocks and check if any is below the minimum allowed. Admin provides a unique username and password for each employee through which he can login.

The product will help the employees to work in a highly effective and efficient environment. The salespersons have been recording the customer information in the past and even in the present. And indeed, it consumes their considerable time and energy that could be utilized in the better productive activities. Apart from that, with increasing customer Strength, the task of managing information of each individual customer is indeed a cumbersome task. There are a lot of reasons we implemented this project. In the manual System, there are number of inefficiencies that a salesperson faces. The information retrieval is one of the foremost problems. It is very difficult to gather the overall performance reports of the supermarket. Large records-books have to be

maintained where relevant and irrelevant information has to be stored which is very untidy and clumsy process. On the other hand, there are many inherent problems that exist in any manual system. Usually, they lack efficiency. Less efficiency has a great impact on the productivity of any human being keeping the data up-to-date. The new system will cater to the need of the salespersons of any supermarket so that they can manage the system efficiently

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This project deals with Super-Market automation. A Supermarket is a self-service store offering a wide variety of items related to food, household or daily use. Includes both purchase and sale of products. Designed to make the existing system more informative, reliable, fast and easy for all the stake-holders.

A. Objective

- ✓ To produce software which manage the activities done in a Super-Market.
- ✓ To maintain the records of the sales done in all times.
- ✓ To maintain the stock details.
- ✓ To reduce time in calculation of Sales activities.
- ✓ To store large amount of data in the database which will reduce clumsiness.

- ✓ To reduce paper work; so that users can spend more time on monitoring the Super-Market.

B. Advantages

Advantages of the proposed system.

- ✓ Reduced processing cost.
- ✓ Error reduction.
- ✓ Automatic updating of product details.
- ✓ Improved report generation and analysis.
- ✓ Better equipped to meet user requirements.
- ✓ Reduction in use of paper.
- ✓ Reduction in man power.
- ✓ Faster response time.

C. Overview

First we will start with a brief comparison between our application and some similar existing software. We will

discuss why this application is really unique and surpasses all of the others. Then will we will proceed with the various techniques used in the design and implementation, justifying every choice. Finally we conclude our report with the results and different experiences lived throughout making this application.

Chapter 2 : Literature Review

There are some applications that provide similar services, such as: SAP Business One, Bright Pearl, Tylernet, and Lightspeed POS. The existing applications, presented above, can be synthesized in the following table:

	Accounting	Multi-Currency Support	Analytics / Reporting	Shortcut Product Buttons
SAP Business One	✓	✓		
Bright Pearl	✓	✓	✓	
Tylernet	✓		✓	
Lightspeed POS		✓	✓	

Figure 1Comparison of similar applications

As we can notice in the above table, no existing application meets all the requirement needed in a complete and efficient application, like the one we are developing.

Chapter 3: Design and Implementation

A. Application Architecture

The software is composed of three main parts: The database system, the graphical user interface, and the jdbc connector. In the database system we design the schema and create the tables holding the data. The graphical user interface provides a friendly and easy access to the database.

A.1 Database

The database contains all the data from the supermarket: customers, employees, products, stocks ,orders .....

The sql server used is Microsoft Sql Server 2014, with authentication mode.

A.2 Graphical User Interface

The graphical user interface is implemented in JavaFx, which is a new rich library for building modern applications.

A.3 Connection

The graphical user interface is connected to the database using jdbc : java database connectivity. It is an Application Programming Interface that allows the connection between java and different types of databases.

B. Design

B.1 Design Patterns

Singleton Pattern

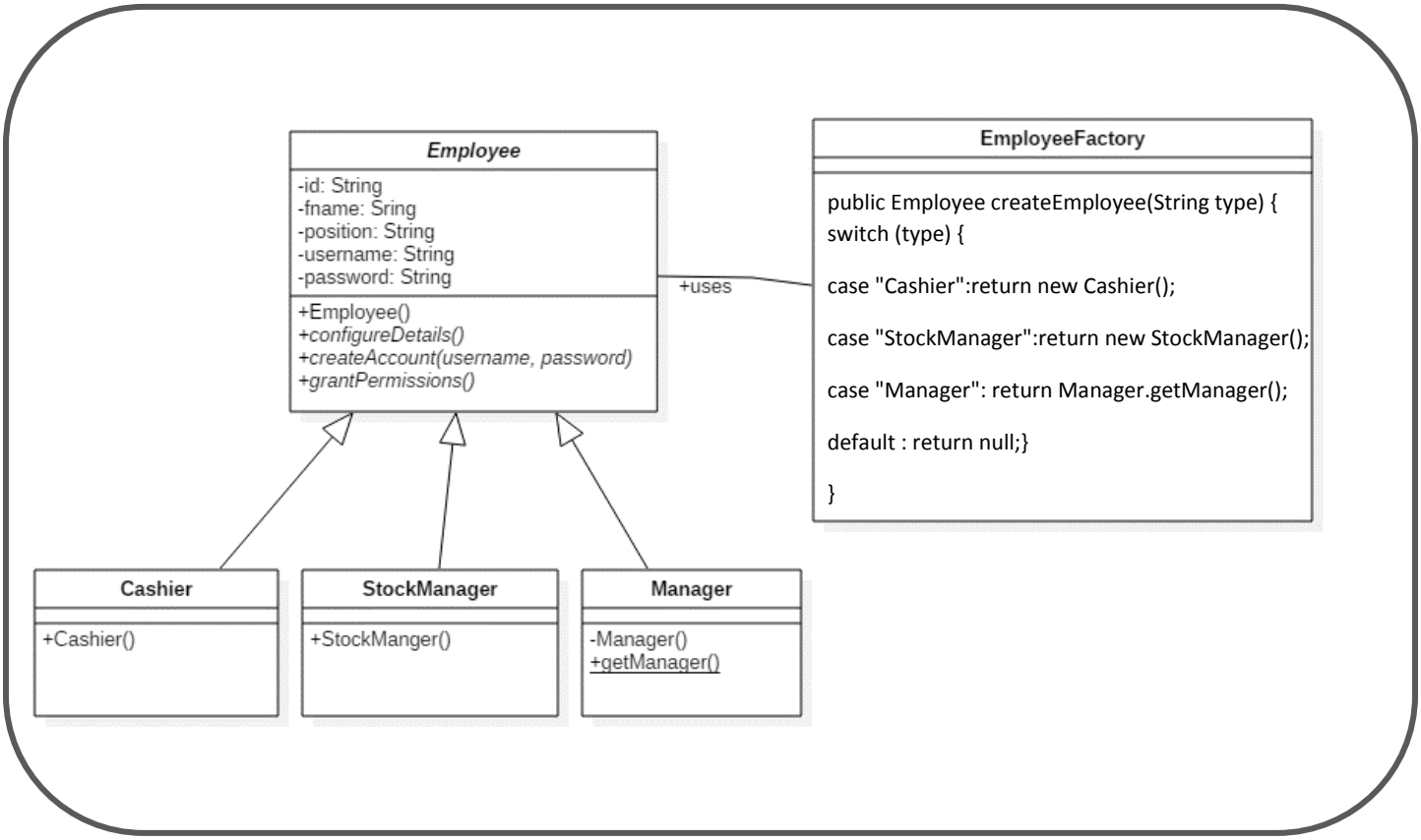
In the application we have one and only one manager, so during runtime there must at most one instance of the object manager. The manager is also the system administrator of the database.

```
package entities;

public class Manager extends Employee {
	public static Manager manager;
	private Manager() {
		this.configureDetails();
	}
	public static Manager getManager() {
		if(manager==null) {
			manager=new Manager();
			System.out.println("Manager Created");
		}
		else {
			System.out.println("Manger already exists");
		}
		return manager;
	}
  //code
}
```

Factory Pattern

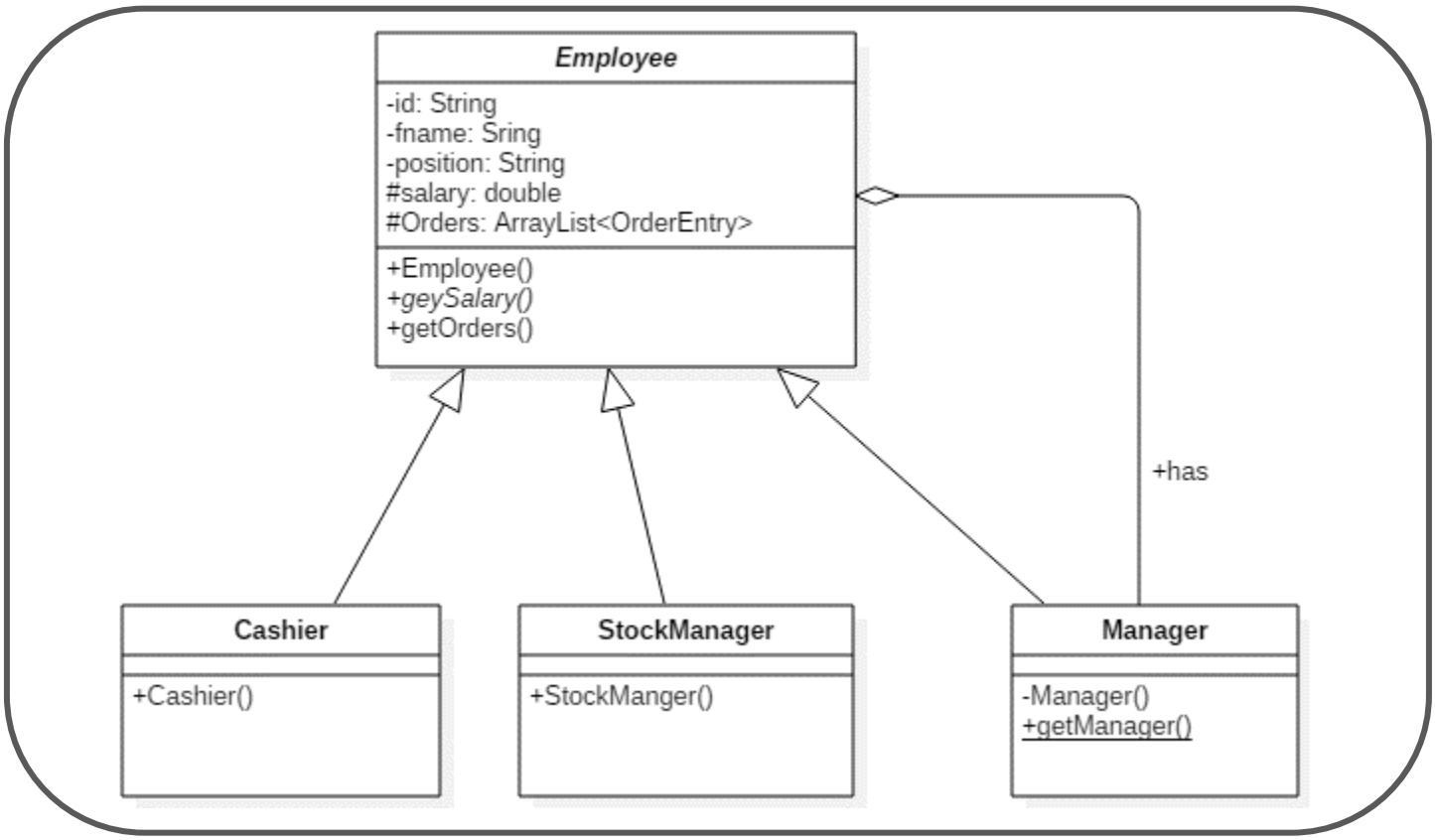
In our application we have three types of employees: Cashier, StockManager, and Manager. In order to hide the creation process of each employee we implement the factory design pattern. All three types extend the abstract class Employee but each one implements the abstract methods differently.



The three methods : configureDetails(), createAccount(username,password), and grantPermissions() are abstract and have different implementation for each class. The grantPermissions() grants the cashier certain privileges like adding orders and searching for products, and the StockManager different permissions like adding stocks and changing quantities inside them, while the manager gets the all privileges permission.

Composite Pattern

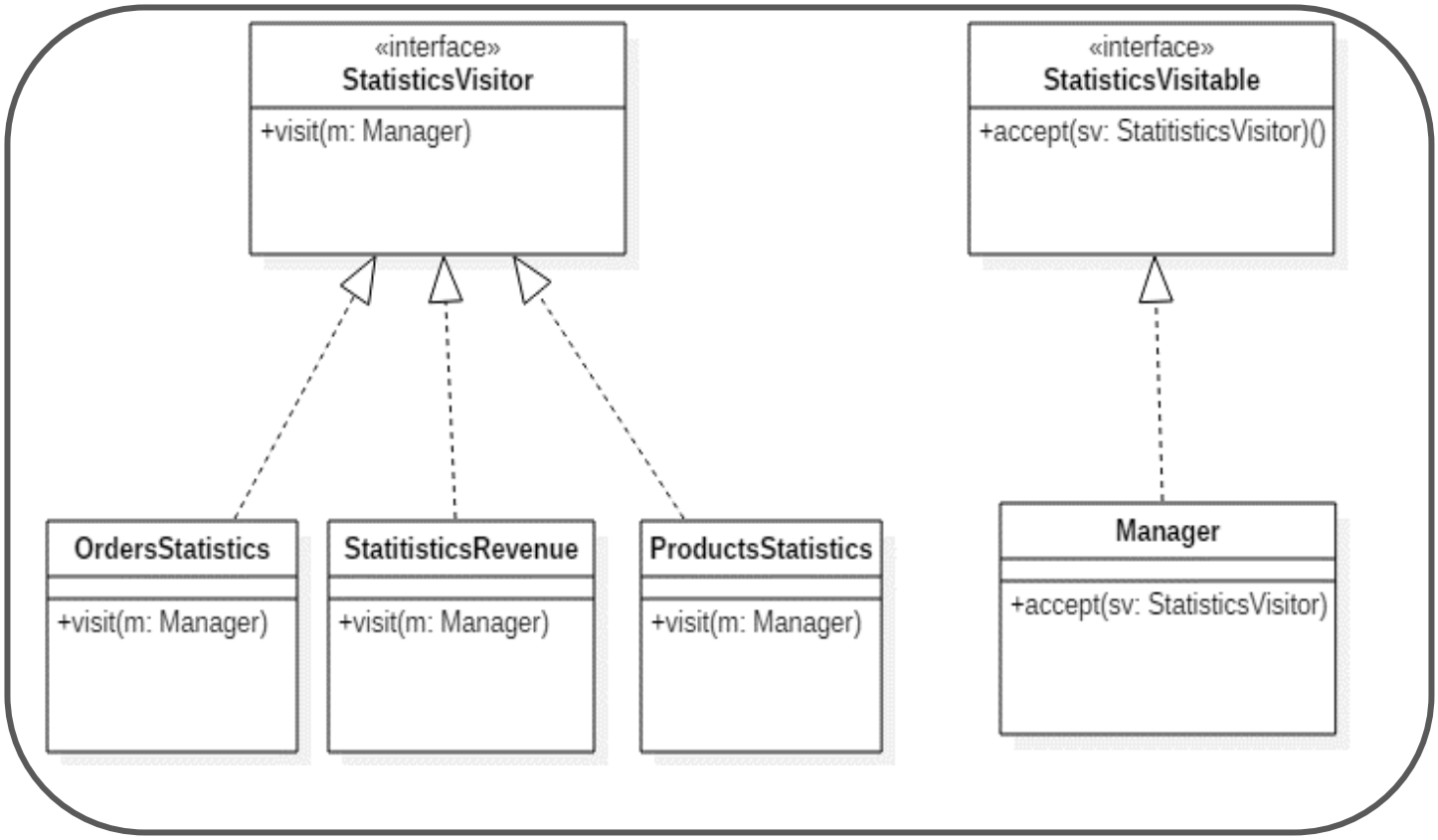
The manager has a group of employees, so he is represented as a composite class. Every employee has a salary except for the manager (the owner of the supermarket) so the getSalary() in the Manager class calculates and returns the sum of the salries of all the employees of the Arraylist<Employee> in Manager.



```
public double getSalary() {
        double s=0;
        for(int i=0;i<employees.size();i++)
            s+=employees.get(i).getSalary();
        return s;}
public ArrayList<OrderEntry> getOrders() {
        ArrayList<OrderEntry> Orders=new
ArrayList<OrderEntry>();
        for(int i=0;i<employees.size();i++)
            Orders.addAll(employees.get(i).getOrders());
        return Orders;}
```

Visitor Pattern

The application is designed in a way that it accepts new services without making significant changes to the code. The manger can generate as many new statistics as much as the developers keep writing new classes that implement the StatisticsVisitor interface.



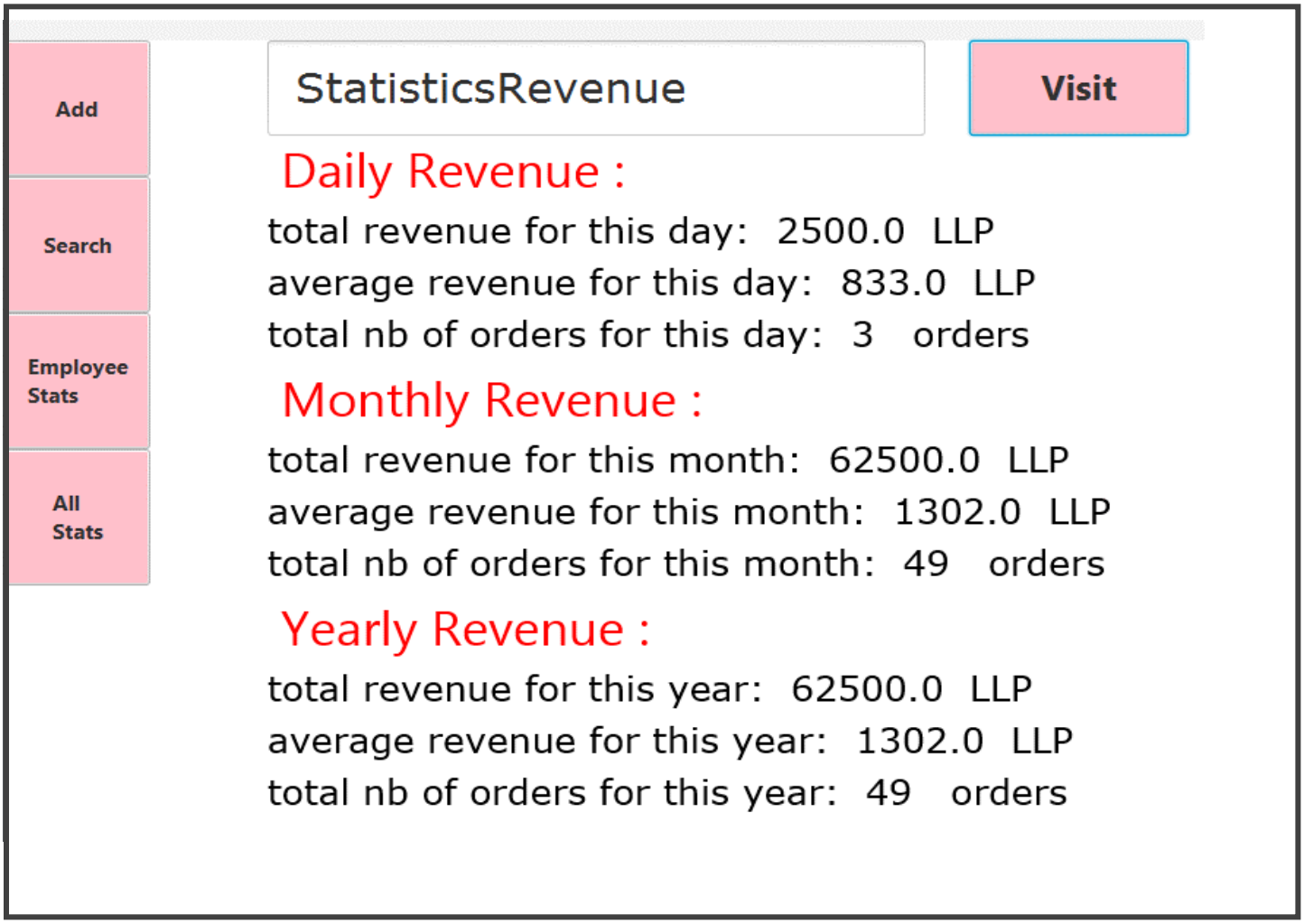
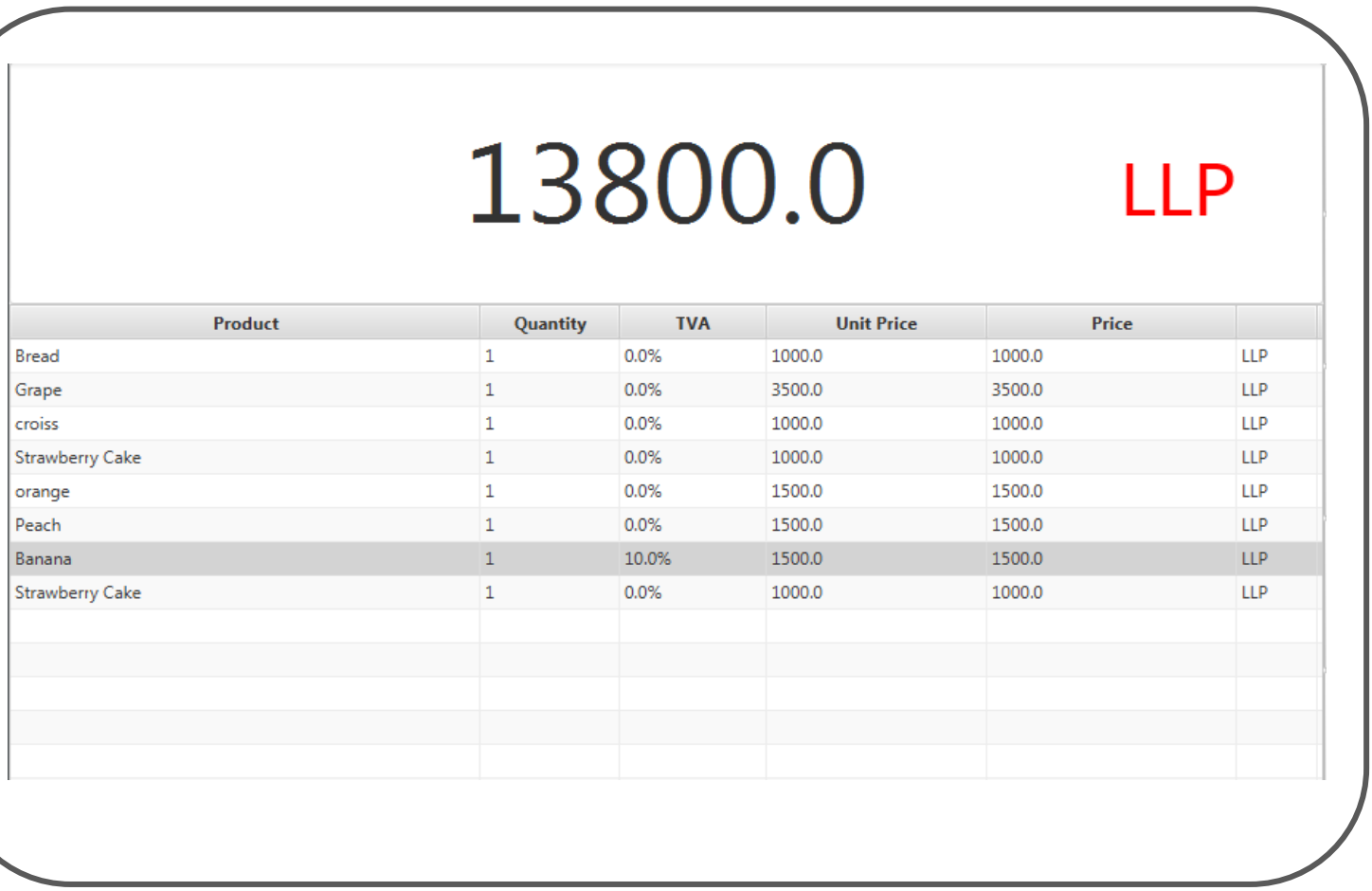


Figure 2 Visitor Pattern

Observer Pattern

The application is filled with tables, each table is an observer and the observable is a list data for each table. When we add an OrderEntry to the list data the table is automatically updated ,and the same happens when we remove an OrderEntry from the data. The total textfield is also updated at the same time.



```
data.add( new OrderEntry(rs.getString("PID"),
            rs.getString("PNAME").trim(),Quantity,
          (int)(rs.getDouble("TVA") * 100) + "%",
            rs.getDouble("PRICE"),
            rs.getString("PRICE_Currancy").trim()));
```

Model-View-Controller Pattern

The application is composed of one main MVC pattern and several secondary MVC Patterns. In the main MVC we have Model, Home (View), and Controller. The Home Page contains 6 buttons : Home, Orders, Stocks, Products, Employees, Exit. When the Order button is clicked we create a new OrderModel, ViewModel and connect them using new OrderController. The same scenario happens for the StockModel-StockView-StockContoller, ProductModel-ProductView-ProductContoller, EmployeeModel-EmployeeView-EmployeeContoller.

Sample of the Controller :

The top buttons are stored in the array Button[] top

```
V.top[1].setOnAction(e -> {  //top[1] is the second button =>Orders

    //Code      });

      OrderModel OM = new OrderModel(M.Connection);
    OrdersView OV = new OrdersView()
    new OrderController(OM, OV, M.Connection,V);
    V.root.setCenter(OV.OrderPane);
    OV.OrderPane.setCenter(OV.InnerPages[0]);
      OV.Orders.setItems(OM.data);
    OM.getOrders();
    OV.InnerPages[0].getChildren().remove(OV.bottom1);
    OV.InnerPages[0].getChildren().remove(OV.bottom2);

    //Code      });
```

B.3 Samples From the Application

Figure3: Home Page

Order# : 54
Customer : Issa Serhan
Date 2019-01-11
Employee Supermarket Manager

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Product	Quantity	TVA	Unit Price	Price	
Bread	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Strawberry Cake	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Chocolate Donut	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Carrots	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Tomato	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Chocolate Donut & Sp	1	0.0%	1000.0	1000.0	LLP
Strawberry	1	10.0%	3500.0	3500.0	LLP
Avocado	1	0.0%	3000.0	3000.0	LLP

Total : 12850.0 LLP

TVA : 350.0 LLP

Print

Figure4: Bill sample

Figure5: Orders Page

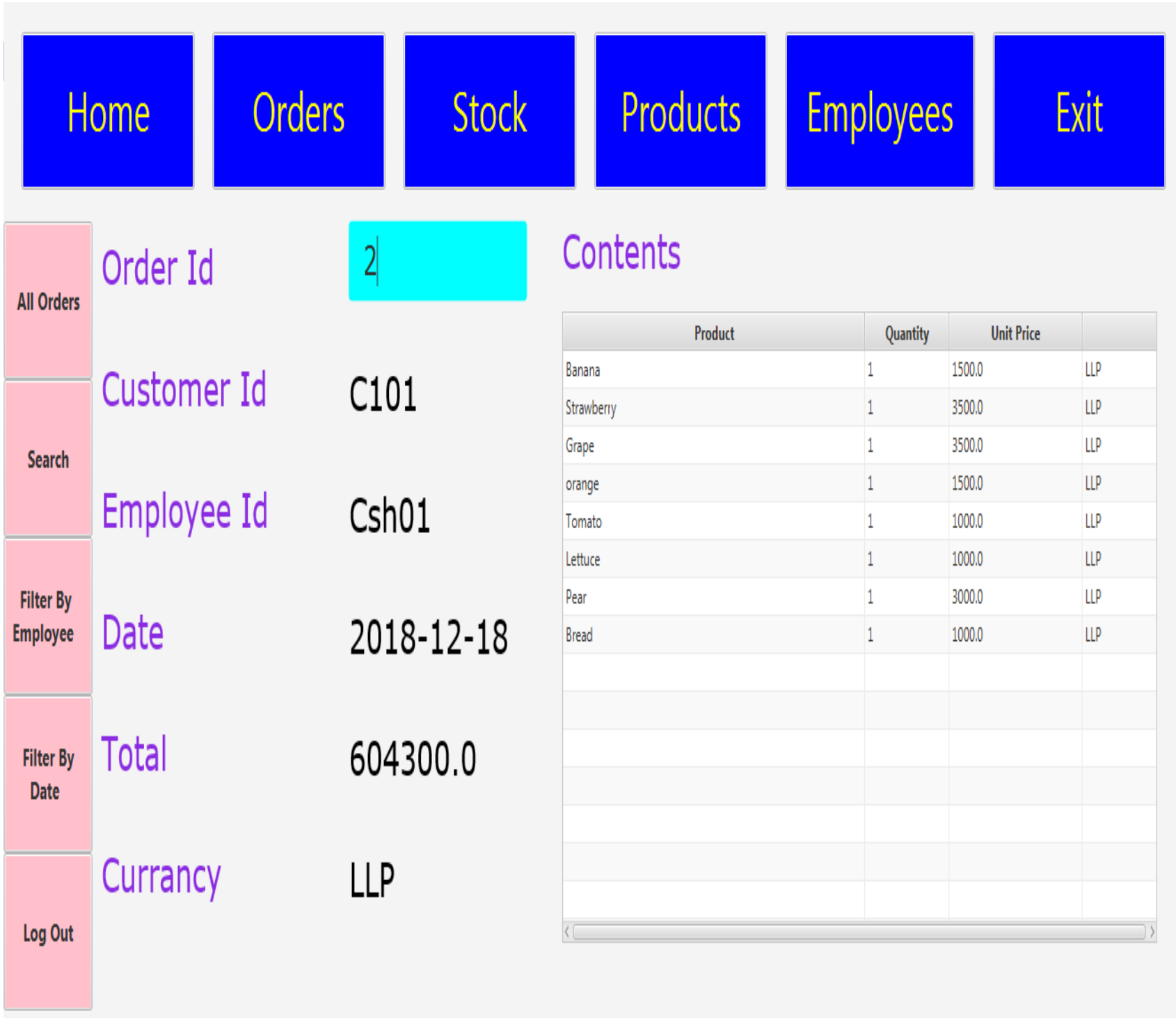


Figure6: Orders search section

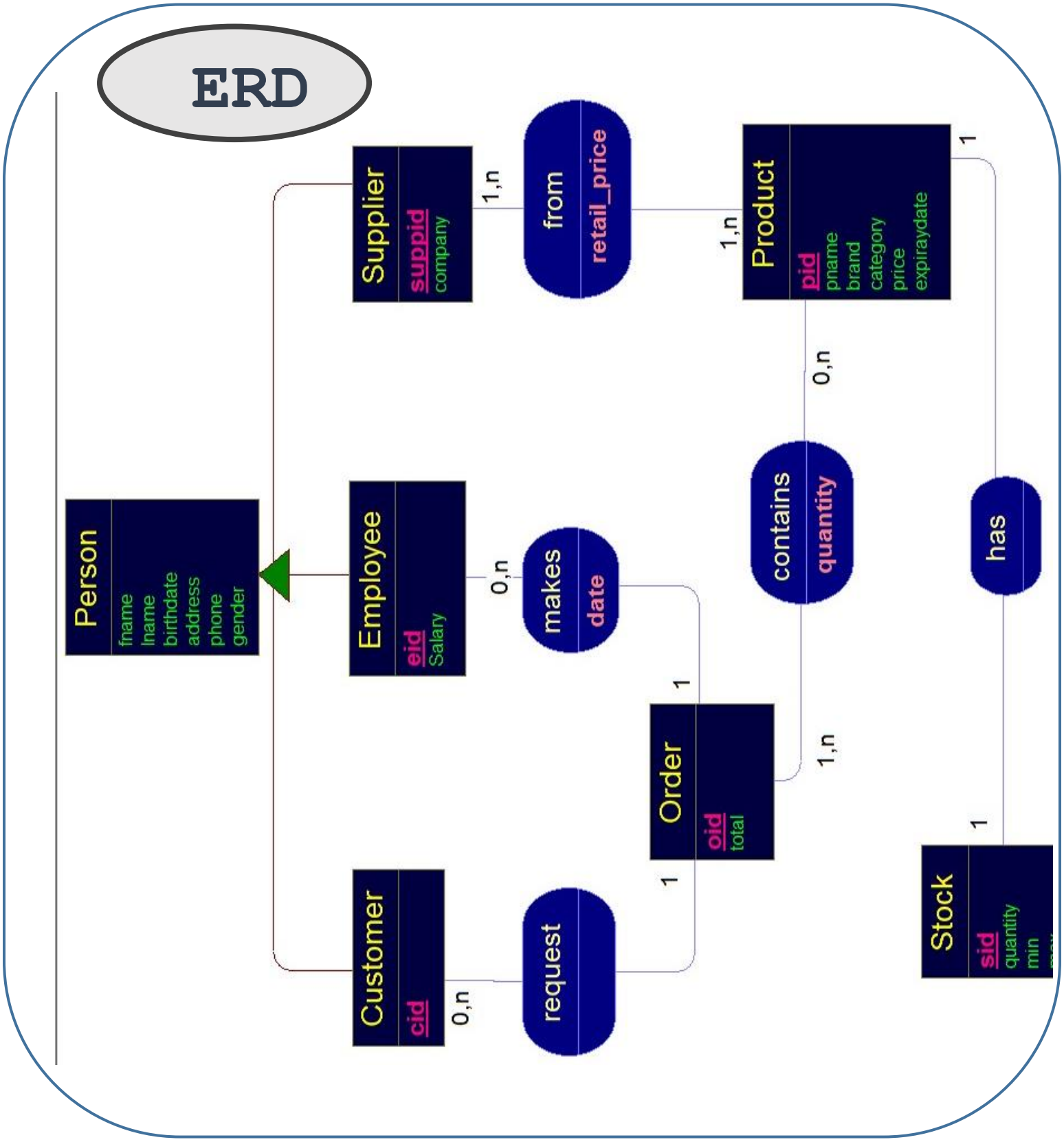
Figure8: Stocks Page

Figure9: Supplier Information

Figure10: Product Page

Figure11: Add Employee

C. Database Structure



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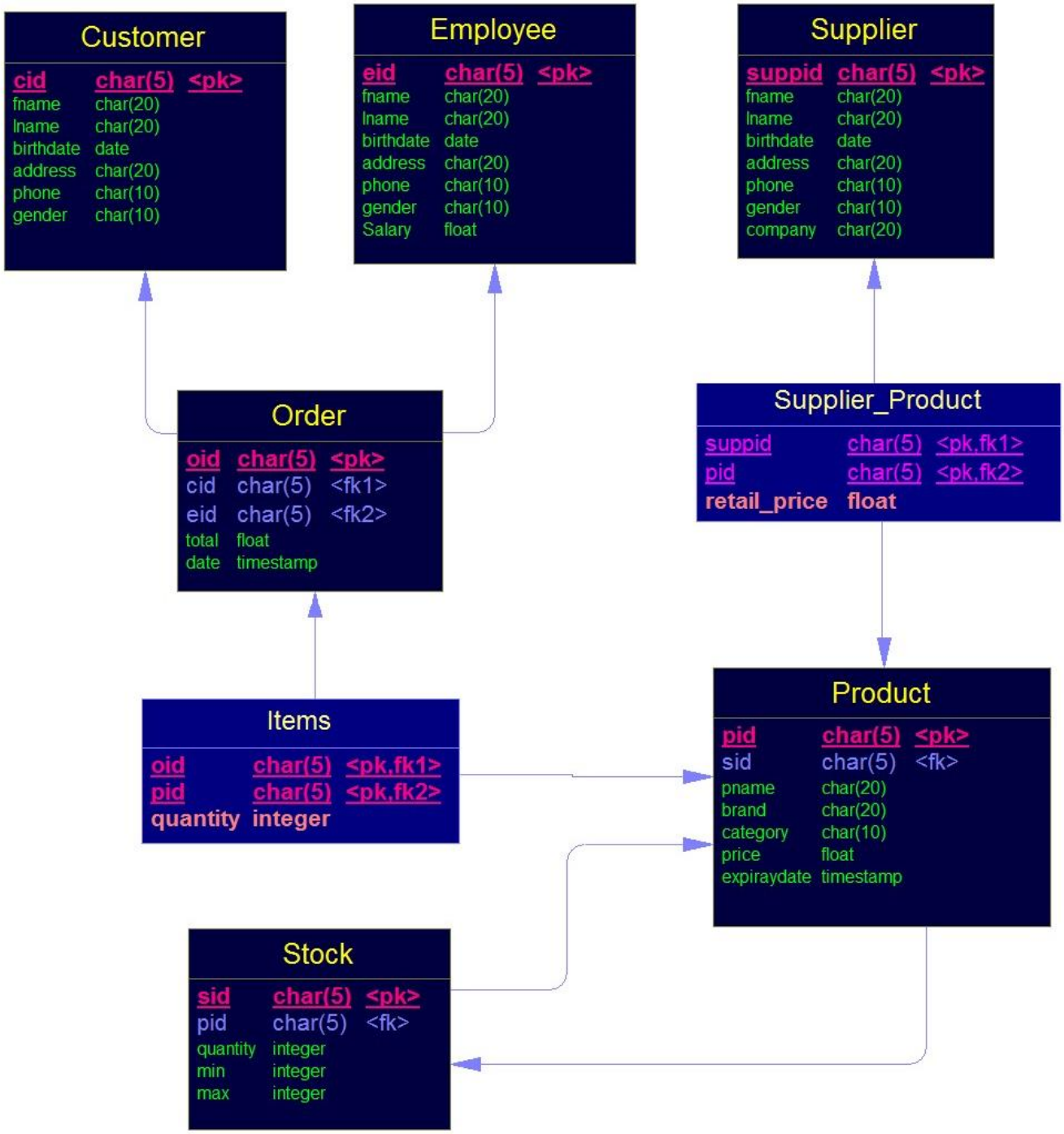
Customer
cid char(5) <pk>
fname char(20)
lname char(20)
birthdate date
address char(20)
phone char(10)
gender char(10)
Employee
eid char(5) <pk>
fname char(20)
lname char(20)
birthdate date
address char(20)
phone char(10)
gender char(10)
Salary float
Supplier
suppid char(5) <pk>
fname char(20)
lname char(20)
birthdate date
address char(20)
phone char(10)
gender char(10)
company char(20)
Order
oid char(5) <pk>
cid char(5) <fk1>
eid char(5) <fk2>
total float
date timestamp
Supplier_Product
suppid char(5) <pk,fk1>
pid char(5) <pk,fk2>
retail_price float
Items
oid char(5) <pk,fk1>
pid char(5) <pk,fk2>
quantity integer
Product
pid char(5) <pk>
sid char(5) <fk>
pname char(20)
brand char(20)
category char(10)
price float
expiraydate timestamp
Stock
sid char(5) <pk>
pid char(5) <fk>
quantity integer
min integer
max integer

Conclusion

Working on this project has been a great deal of entertainment and benefit for us. We sharpened our programming and developing skills in all different aspects.

We definitely look forward to add some new features for this product, and we will try to improve it as much as possible.