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Introduction:

In the realm of modern communication, social media platforms have revolutionized the way we connect, share, and interact with each other. With the surge in digital connectivity, the creation of a comprehensive Social Media Platform in Java emerges as a formidable endeavor, combining the robustness of Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) principles with the dynamism of Graphical User Interface (GUI), Multithreading, and basic networking.

The journey of developing such a platform unfolds in two pivotal milestones, each building upon the foundation of the previous one to realize a sophisticated and user-centric experience.

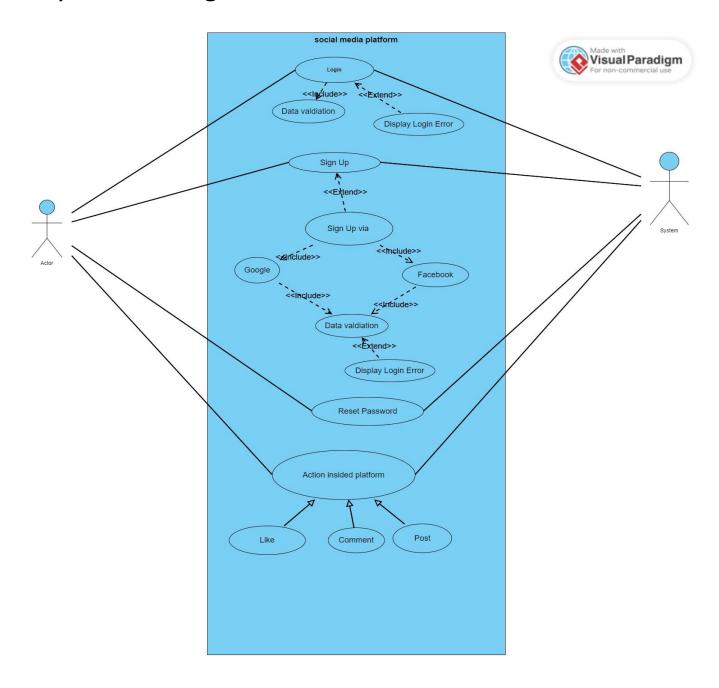
In the first milestone, the focus lies on leveraging OOP principles to architect a scalable and maintainable platform. Through encapsulation, inheritance, and polymorphism, the platform's structure is crafted to encapsulate user profiles, posts, comments, and interactions within a cohesive object-oriented framework. This milestone lays the groundwork for a flexible and extensible platform capable of accommodating future enhancements and features.

Transitioning to the second milestone, the integration of GUI, Multithreading, and basic networking amplifies the platform's capabilities. The introduction of a user-friendly graphical interface enhances user engagement, providing intuitive navigation and seamless interaction with the platform's functionalities. Concurrent processing enabled by Multithreading ensures efficient handling of concurrent user activities, optimizing performance and responsiveness.

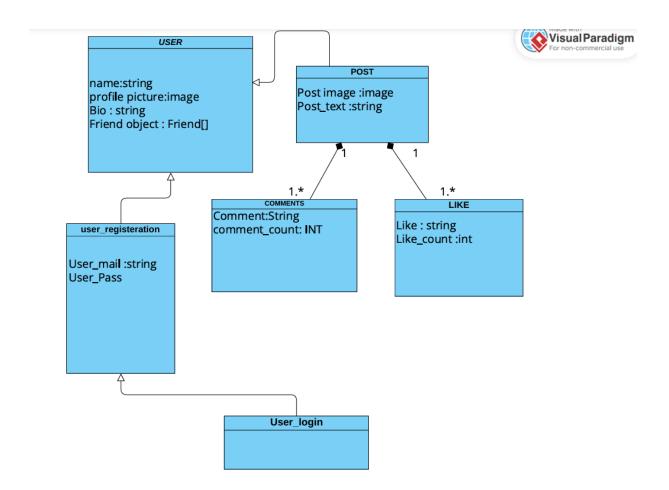
Moreover, basic networking functionality empowers users to connect and communicate across distributed environments, facilitating the exchange of messages, media, and content seamlessly. By embracing these advanced technologies, the Social Media Platform transcends conventional boundaries, fostering a vibrant and interconnected digital community.

UML Diagrams:

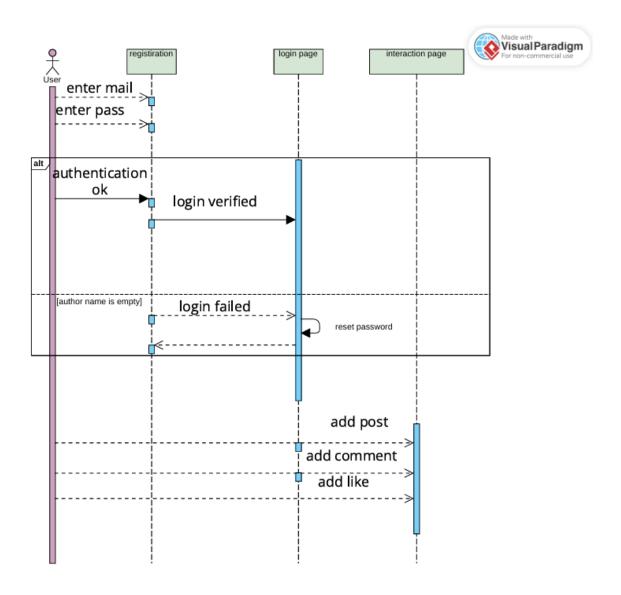
1) use case diagram



2) class diagram



3) sequence diagram



Milestone 1:

In this milestone the object oriented programming of the classes was needed. the classes implemented in this phase were user_registiration, user_login, comment, like, user and post. The main concepts used in this phase are

- Methods: in this phase are the setters and getters and some implemented methods for each class shown in Fig.3 and Fig.4.
- Inheritance:that is used in some classes like the inheritance relation between user_registiration and user shown in Fig.1.
- Constructors: that are used as the way to create objects from a class in other classes(Main class in our case) shown in Fig.2.

Fig.1:(inheritance)

Fig.2:(Constructor)

Fig.3:(Setters and getters methods)

Fig.4:(Some methods for the class)

The rest of the codes will be listed below:

User class code:

Fig.6:(user class code)

```
public void userException() throws Exception { no usages
    if (name.isEmpty()) {
        throw new Exception("Username can't be empty");
    }
}
```

Fig.7: (User class method)

User login Class

Fig.8:(User login class code)

Post Class

Fig.9: (Post Class Code)

Like Class

```
public class like extends post { nowseps
    private String iserid; lawages
    private String timestamp; lawages
    private int likescount; lawages
    private boolean alreadyLiked; lawages

// Constructor to initialize a like
    public like( String] likes , String likeId, String userId, String timestamp) { nowseps
        this.likeId = likeId;
        this.timeId = likeId;
        this.timestamp = timestamp;
        this.likescount; lawages
        this.likescount;
}

// Default constructor
    public like() { nowseps
    }

// Getters and Setters for likes and likeCount

public String getUserId(String userId) { this.userId = userId; }

public void setUserId(String likeId) { this.likeId = likeId; }

public string[] getLikeId() { return likeId; }

public string[] getLikeS() { return likes; }

public int getLikeS(String[] likes) { this.likes = likes; }

public int getLikeS(String[] likes) { this.likes = likes; }

public int getLikeS(String[] likes) { this.likes = likes; }

public void setLimeString[] timestamp() { return limestamp; }

public void setLimestamp() { return limestamp; }
```

Fig.10: (Like Class Code)

```
// Method to like the content
public void likeContent() { no usages
   if (alreadyLiked) {
        throw new IllegalStateException("User has already liked this content.");
   }
   // Logic to save the like to the database or update the UI
   System.out.println("Content liked by user " + userId);
   alreadyLiked = true;
   likescount++; // Increment likesCount when a user likes the content
}
```

Fig.11: (Like Class method)

Comment Class

```
public class comment extends post { 2 usages
    // Parameterized constructor
    public comment(String text, int commentCount , String commentId, String timestamp ) { 2 usages
        this.commentId=commentId;
       this.commentCount = commentCount;
        this.timestamp = timestamp;
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    public String getCommentId() { return commentId; }
    public void setCommentId(String commentId) { this.commentId = commentId; }
    public String getText() { return text; }
    public void setText(String text) { this.text = text; }
    public void setCommentCount(int commentCount) { this.commentCount = commentCount; }
    public String getTimestamp() { return timestamp; }
    public void setTimestamp(String timestamp) { this.timestamp = timestamp; }
    public void postComment() { System.out.println("Comment posted: " + text); }
```

Fig. 12: (Comment Class Code)

Milestone 2

Description:

In this phase we used the graphical user interface to design a social media platform stages and scenes.

the designed Scenes in our program are:

- 1. login scene: shown in figures (13 to 15)
- 2. news feed Scene :shown in figures (16 to 19)
- 3. add post scene: shown in figures (20 to 22)
- 4. add comment scene: shown in figures (23 to 25)
- 5. user profile scene: shown in figures (26 to 28)

in this phase the concepts used are Threading which is used in figures (29 to 30) also the fxml files are used to load the scenes which are mainly designed using Scenebuilder by controlling the Classes using controller classes

Milestone 2 images.

Login scene

Description: the user in this page is asked to validate the account by entering his mail (must ends with gmail) and his password(must start with capital letter) and then the user will be switched to the newsfeed page. The used methods in this page is signup

```
public class loginscene { 2 usages ± AhmmedAbbady

public PasswordField password_field; no usages
Parent root; 4 usages
Stage stage; 6 usages
Scene scene; 4 usages
String txt_email; 3 usages
String txt_pass; 3 usages

A String txt_pass; 3 usages

A Private Text Email_text;

BFXML

private Button btn_login;

A Private Button btn_signup;

A Private Label checktologin;

BFXML

private Text dont_have_acc;

BFXML

private PasswordField passworHiddd;

BFXML

private TextField tfEmail;

BFXML

private Label welcome;
```

Fig.13: (Login scene code)

Fig.14: (Login scene methods)

Welcome				
E-mail:	Enter your E-n			
Password:	Enter Passwo			
		Login		
Don't have an account? Sign				

Fig.15: (Login scene after running)

Newsfeed Scene

Description: in this page the user will interact with friends post by adding a comment (this will switch him to comment scene) and the user has multiple options to choose from (add post) or (go to his profile) or (see notifications appearing on the right pane of this page) the methods used here changetext, gotocomment, NewsfeGoprofile and logoutaction.

Fig.16: (newsfeed code)

```
@FXML
private Button profileBtn;
@FXML
void changetext(MouseEvent event) {
    new Thread() -> {
        // Assuming 'text' is the variable for the text component you want to change
        newstext.setStyle("-fx-text-fill: red;");
    }).start();
}

@FXML
void gotocomment(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
    root = FXMLLoader.load(getClass().getResource( name: "commentview.fxml"));
    stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
    scene = new Scene(root);
    stage.setScene(scene);
    stage.show();
}
```

Fig.17:(Newsfeed method)

```
@FXML
void newsfeGoprofile(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
   stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
   stage.setScene(scene);
   stage.show();
@FXML
void logoutAction(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
   root = FXMLLoader.load(getClass().getResource( name: "loginScene.fxml"));
   stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
   scene = new Scene(root);
   stage.show();
@FXML
void newsfeeGoaddPost(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
   root = FXMLLoader.load(getClass().getResource( name: "createpost.fxml"));
   stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
   stage.setScene(scene);
   stage.show();
```

Fig.18: (Newsfeed methods)



Fig.19:(newsfeed Scene after running)

Add post scene

Description: in this scene the user is given the ability to add a img or a text to post to appear in the newsfeed (note: adding image has higher priority than adding a text) the methods used here are adding, addtext, btngohome

```
public class controller_post { 1usage
   TextField displayField = new TextField(); 1usage
   ImageView addpostim = new ImageView(); 4 usages
   Button addButton = new Button( s "Add Image"); no usages
   void adding(ActionEvent event) {
       Thread addImageThread = new Thread(() -> {
           FileChooser fileChooser = new FileChooser();
           fileChooser.setTitle("Open Image File");
           fileChooser.getExtensionFilters().addAll(
                   new FileChooser.ExtensionFilter( s "Image Files", ...strings: "*.png", "*.jpg", "*.gif")
           File file = fileChooser.showOpenDialog( window: null);
               Image image = new Image(file.toURI().toString());
               Platform.runLater(() -> {
                   addpostim.setImage(<u>image</u>);
                  addpostim.setFitWidth(<u>image</u>.getWidth());
                   addpostim.setFitHeight(image.getHeight());
                   addpostim.setPreserveRatio(true);
       addImageThread.setPriority(Thread.MAX_PRIORITY);
       addImageThread.start();
   @FXML
   void addtext(ActionEvent event) {
       Thread addTextThread = new Thread(() -> {
           String userText = posttextfield.getText();
       addTextThread.setPriority(Thread.MIN_PRIORITY);
       addTextThread.start();
```

Fig.20: (Add post scene code)

```
GFXNL
void addTextInread = new Thread(() -> {
    Thread addTextInread = new Thread(() -> {
        String userText = posttextiseld.getText();
        Platform.runLater(() -> displayField.setText(userText));
    });
    addTextThread.setPriority(Thread.MIN_PRIORITY);
    addTextThread.start();
}

GFXNL
private ImageView addposting;
GFXNL
private Button bingshows;

GFXNL
private Text addposttext;

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private Text addposttext;

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private TextField gostin;

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private TextField gostin;

GFXNL
private VBox posting;

GFXNL
void bingshoms(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
    root = FXNLLoader.load(getClass(), getResource() names "nowsFosceed.fxml"));
    stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
    scene = new Scene(root);
    stage.setScene(scene);
stage.setScene(scene);
stage.setScene(scene);
stage.setScene(scene);
```

Fig.21: (Add post scene method)

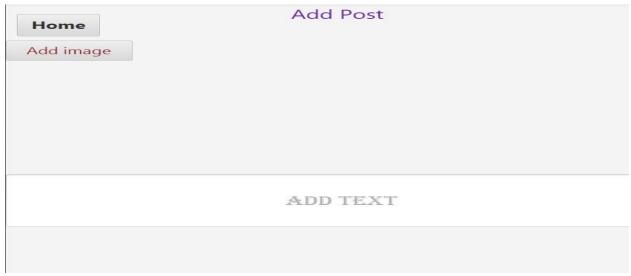


Fig.22: (Add post scene after running)

Add comment scene

Description: in this scene the user can see other users comments and can also add his comment in the text field prompted add comment and then can return back to the newsfeed from the back button. The used methods are Switchtoprofile and addtext

```
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```

Fig.23: (Add comment scene code)

```
GFXML
private Text addposttext;

GFXML
private Button backbtr;

GFXML
private TextField postixt;

GFXML
private VBox postive;

GFXML
private TextField text1;

GFXML
private TextField text2;

GFXML
private TextField text3;

GFXML
void Switchtoprofile(ActionEvent event) throws IDException {
    root = FXMLbader.load(getClass()_getRyrource() name __UverCrofile.fxml"));
    stage = (Stage)((Node)event.getSource()) .getScene() .getWindow();
    scene = new Scene(root);
    stage.setSoene(scene);
    stage.show();
}

GFXML
void addiext(ActionEvent event){
    String userFext = posttextfield.getText();
    // Set the text in displayField
    displayField.setText(userText);
}
```

Fig.24: (Add comment scene methods)



ADD COMMENT

```
Back
```

Fig.25: (Add comment scene after running)

User profile scene

Description: in this page the user has the abbility to see his account profile picture and friends and can logout by entering the logout button. Methods used here logoutbutton and go to posts.

```
import javafx.event.ActionEvent;
import javafx.fxml.FXML;
import javafx.fxml.FXMLLoader;
import javafx.scene.Node;
import javafx.scene.Parent;
import javafx.scene.Scene;
import javafx.scene.control.Button;
import javafx.scene.control.Label;
import javafx.scene.image.ImageView;
import javafx.stage.Stage;
import java.io.IOException;
public class control_userprofile { lusage
   Parent root; 4 usages
   Stage stage; Busages
   Scene scene; 4 usages
   GFXML
   private Button posts;
   @FXML
   private ImageView userpic;
   @FXML
   private Label userprofile_label;
   GFXML
    void go_to_posts(ActionEvent event) throws IOException {
       root = FXMLLoader.load(getClass().getResource( name: "createpost.fxml"));
       stage = (Stage) ((Node) event.getSource()).getScene().getWindow();
       scene = new Scene(root);
       stage.setScene(scene);
       stage.show();
```

Fig.26: (User profile scene code)

Fig.27: (User profile Scene methods)

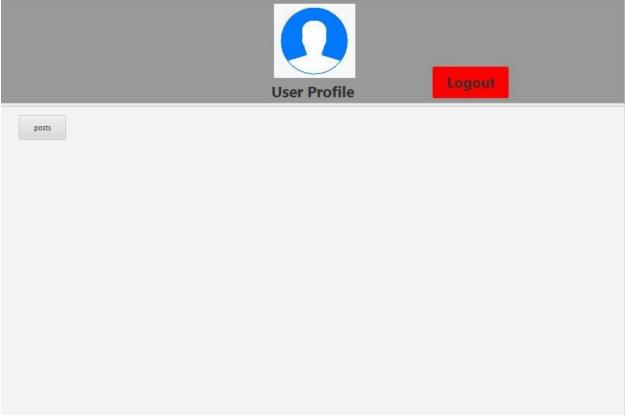


Fig.28:(User profile Scene After running)

Threading

Changetext thread used for changing newsfeed text color to red

Fig.29: (Threading in newsfeed scene code)

Adding and addtext threads use thread priority to give adding img a higher priority used in addpost scene

Fig.30: (Threading in addpost scene)

4.0 Conclusion:

The development of a social media platform using JavaFX and Scene Builder was a successful and rewarding project. By leveraging the powerful GUI capabilities of JavaFX, combined with the visual design tools provided by Scene Builder, we were able to create an attractive and intuitive social media application.

The use of JavaFX allowed us to build a highly responsive and interactive user interface, with smooth animations, transitions, and controls that provided an engaging experience for users. Scene Builder enabled rapid prototyping and development, allowing us to quickly iterate on the design and layout of the application.

Through the course of this project, we were able to implement key features of a social media platform, including user profiles, newsfeed, posting/sharing content, commenting, liking, and following other users. The modular and extensible architecture of the application also sets the stage for future expansion and addition of new features.

Overall, this project has demonstrated the viability and effectiveness of using JavaFX and Scene Builder for building complex, feature-rich desktop applications like a social media platform. The skills and knowledge gained through this experience will be valuable assets moving forward, both for enhancing this application further and for tackling future software development challenges.

QR_CODE GitHub file :

