

Program User Manual:

Note that it is assumed that the program will be run on the prism computers on the Linux OS.

1. First save **EECS 3421 A2.zip** file onto your machine.
2. Unzip it either by right clicking and then choosing **Extract Here** or by entering the following command in the terminal: **unzip EECS\ 3421\ A2.zip**

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  inflating: EECS 3421 A2/Code/run.sh
  inflating: EECS 3421 A2/Code/yrb-drop
  inflating: EECS 3421 A2/Code/Book.java
ashkan $
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3. Allow the script (**run.sh**) to be run as a program (by giving it execution privilege) by either right clicking on the script file and choosing **Properties** to open the run.sh Properties window. At this point navigate to the **Permissions** tab in the properties window and check the box in front of **Execute** which says: **Allow executing file as program** or by entering the following command in the terminal:

chmod +x run.sh

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ashkan $ chmod +x run.sh
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4. Now please create the YRB database using the following commands in the terminal:

db2 connect to c3421a

db2 -tf yrb-create

db2 connect reset

db2 terminate

or using the script with the **-create** option like in the following: **./run.sh -create** and then compile the application using **javac YRBAPP.java** or using the script with the **-compile** option like the following:

./run.sh -compile

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ashkan $ ./run.sh -create
Working Directory is: /cs/home/ash95820/downloads/EECS 3421 A2/Code

create success
ashkan $ ./run.sh -compile
Working Directory is: /cs/home/ash95820/downloads/EECS 3421 A2/Code

compile success

Use the following command to run the application: java YRBAPP
ashkan $ █
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5. Now please install the DB2 driver onto your machine by either entering the following command in the terminal: **source ~db2leduc/cshrc.runtime** or using the script with the **-install** option like the following: **./run.sh -install**. The way the script accomplishes the installation is by appending the sourcing command to **~/.cshrc** only once. Once it has done so, the sourcing will be executed whenever a new terminal is opened which is why it asks the user to close the terminal and open it up again.

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ashkan $ ./run.sh -install
Working Directory is: /cs/home/ash95820/downloads/EECS 3421 A2/Code

source success

Please close your current terminal and open it up again so that the DB2 Driver can be loaded up.
ashkan $ █
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6. Now run the application using **java YRBAPP** as the script said after it compiled the program.

```
ashkan $ java YRBAPP
Welcome to the Search and Purchase application for the York River Bookseller's Database.

Whenever prompted to answer a yes/no question, enter "y", "Y", "yes", "Yes" or "YES" to indicate a yes. Everything else is processed as a no.

Enter "abort" at any point to abort the application (exit without committing).
Enter "exit" at any point to exit the application (exit with committing).

Please wait to be prompted for input before you enter data since otherwise the old data will be read which might cause unwanted behavior.
Note that input is read line by line so please terminate every input by a single newline.
Also note that input is case sensitive so beware of CAPS-LOCK and SHIFT.

Short Integers are whole numbers in the following range: [-32768, 32767]

There are two types of prompts in this application: one requires a yes/no answer while the other requires data entry.
Do you want to be prompted to confirm your input after validation for the latter type? (y/n) █
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7. The user can now run the application in any way they please to do so by just reading the prompts and answering them in any way they want.

The Program first displays a simple greeting message. It then informs its user of a few simple rules, such as how to answer yes/no questions, what the exiting keywords are and what kind of numbers are valid as input.

At the beginning of every run (including when the application is restarted by the user), it asks if the user wants to be prompted to confirm their data entries which includes the customer ID, the new customer name and city (if an update is requested), the book category and then the book choice and then finally the purchase quantity.

It also prompts for the user to answer a question that is only ever asked once which is what the program should do in case there is no more input (EndOfFile signal has been received).

Sample Run 1: Valid Data/No Update/Purchase

```
ashkan $ java YRBAPP
Welcome to the Search and Purchase application for the York River Bookseller's Database.

Whenever prompted to answer a yes/no question, enter "y", "Y", "yes", "Yes" or "YES" to indicate a yes. Everything else is processed as a no.

Enter "abort" at any point to abort the application (exit without committing).
Enter "exit" at any point to exit the application (exit with committing).

Please wait to be prompted for input before you enter data since otherwise the old data will be read which might cause unwanted behavior.
Note that input is read line by line so please terminate every input by a single newline.
Also note that input is case sensitive so beware of CAPS-LOCK and SHIFT.

Short Integers are whole numbers in the following range: [-32768, 32767]

There are two types of prompts in this application: one requires a yes/no answer while the other requires data entry.
Do you want to be prompted to confirm your input after validation for the latter type? (y/n) n

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database if/when the End Of Input is reached during a prompt? (y/n) y

Do you want to start the application? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
23

          CID =          23
        Name =      Lux Luthor
         City =      New York

You can update the name or the city of the current customer(or both).
Do you want to update the customer's information? (y/n) n

The database contains the following book categories:

   Number   Category Name
   -----   -
   1.      children
   2.      cooking
   3.      drama
   4.      guide
   5.      history
   6.      horror
   7.      humor
   8.      mystery
   9.      phil
  10.      romance
  11.      science
  12.      travel

Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.
11
```

Explanation: In this run, the user chose to not have to confirm their data entry but also to commit the changes if the End Of Input(or End Of File) is reached(Ctrl+D is pressed which sends EOF signal). They then entered a valid short integer(short in Java or smallint in SQL) which also was a valid customer ID(a valid ID is one that exists in the database). After finding the customer, they chose not to update their information and move on to selecting a book category. Instead of typing out the category name (which is also allowed) they chose to enter the number associated to the category they wanted to select.

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The database contains the following books with the given category(science):

Number      Title      Year      Language      Weight
1.          Eigen Eigen      1980      German        659
2.          Math is fun!      1989      English        590
3.          Dogs are not Cats      1991      English        340
4.          Cats are not Dogs      1992      English        353
5.          Chats ne sont pas Chiens      1992      French        328
6.          Tensor Calculus made Easy      1992      English        582
7.          Rats Like Us      1993      English        880
8.          Quarks and Other Matter      1996      English        823
9.          Databases made Real Hard      1998      English        363
10.         Quantum Databases      1999      English        731
11.         SQL Kills!      1999      English        425
12.         Pluto Collides With Mars      2000      Plutonian      428
13.         Transmorgification      2000      Plutonian      2911

Please enter a book number or the exact book title itself.
Eigen Eigen

Please enter the purchase quantity.
56

The following is your order:
      Title =          Eigen Eigen
      Year =          1980
      Book Price =          56.95
      Quantity =          56
      Total Cost =          3189.20

Do you want to make this purchase? (y/n) y

Do you want to view all purchases made by the chosen customer? (y/n) y

Number      Club Name      Book Title      Book Year      Book Price      Purchase Quantity      Total Cost      Purchase Time
1.          Oprah      Rats Like Us      1993      82.95      1      82.95      1998-07-04 16:33:00.0
2.          Oprah      Where are my Socks?      1994      20.95      1      20.95      2000-09-26 13:17:00.0
3.          Oprah      Williamsburg Hot Spots      1998      13.45      1      13.45      2000-09-26 13:17:00.0
4.          Oprah      Montreal est dans Quebec      1995      21.95      1      21.95      2000-09-27 12:27:00.0
5.          Oprah      Williamsburg Hot Spots      1998      13.45      1      13.45      2000-09-27 12:27:00.0
6.          Basic      Richmond Underground      1997      15.95      1      15.95      2001-06-23 16:45:00.0
7.          Oprah      Relational Algebra      2000      11.45      1      11.45      2001-06-23 16:45:00.0
8.          Basic      Richmond Underground      1997      15.95      1      15.95      2001-10-27 18:01:00.0
9.          Oprah      Is Math is fun?      1992      69.95      1      69.95      2001-10-27 18:01:00.0
10.         Oprah      Tropical Blacksburg      2000      17.95      1      17.95      2001-10-27 18:01:00.0
11.         Oprah      Voting for Dummies      2000      22.95      1      22.95      2001-10-27 18:01:00.0
12.         Oprah      Eigen Eigen      1980      56.95      56      3189.20      2017-12-04 14:34:06.714

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database? (y/n) y

Do you want to restart the application? (y/n) n
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Explanation: After having selected the category, all books of said category were displayed to the user and then they were prompted to select one of the books. This time they chose to actually enter the book title instead of the associated number. The user was then prompted for the purchase quantity. After entering the purchase quantity they chose to make the purchase by saying yes to the appropriate prompt which inserts the new record into the database. They also chose to view all purchases made by this customer that exist in the database. At this point a single run of the application had ended and as such the user was asked if they wanted to commit all of the changes which they chose to do so but did not want to restart the application which is why it just terminated.

Sample Run 2: Valid Data/Update/No Purchase

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Do you want to start the application? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
2

          CID =                2
        Name =             Qfwfq
         City =             Pluto

You can update the name or the city of the current customer(or both).
Do you want to update the customer's information? (y/n) y

Do you want to update the customer's name? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new name.
John Smith

Do you want to update the customer's city? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new city.
Toronto

The database contains the following book categories:

   Number      Category Name
   -----
   1.         children
   2.         cooking
   3.         drama
   4.         guide
   5.         history
   6.         horror
   7.         humor
   8.         mystery
   9.         phil
  10.         romance
  11.         science
  12.         travel
```

Explanation: In this run, the user acted similarly to **Sample Run 1**. After finding the customer, they chose to update their information before moving on to selecting a book category. The program informs the user that they can only update the customer's name and city. The reason why a customer's ID is not allowed to be updated is that the ID is the primary key and it is also a foreign key in many other tables and as such an update cannot be performed. Instead if one wanted change a customer's ID, they would have to query all information related to them from the database and then delete said information and then reinsert it with the new customer ID. This is however not done by this program which is why it lets its users know exactly what is update-able. It then prompts whether they wish to update the individual attributes of a customer.

Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.

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The database contains the following books with the given category(phil):

Number	Title	Year	Language	Weight
1.	Plato Rocks	1975	Greek	467
2.	Is Math is fun?	1992	English	752
3.	Databases aren't	2000	English	491

Please enter a book number or the exact book title itself.

3

Please enter the purchase quantity.

3

The following is your order:

Title =	Databases aren't
Year =	2000
Book Price =	42.95
Quantity =	3
Total Cost =	128.85

Do you want to make this purchase? (y/n) n

Do you want to exit the application? (y/n) y

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database? (y/n) y

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Explanation: Similarly to **Sample Run 1** the user entered all of the required purchase information but they chose to not make the purchase by saying no to the appropriate prompt. Since a purchase was not performed, the program asked the user whether they wanted to exit the application which the user agreed to.

Sample Run 3: Valid Data/No Purchase/Back Track

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Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.
2

The database contains the following books with the given category(cooking):

    Number          Title          Year    Language    Weight
    1.      Vegetables are Good!    1987    English     292
    2.      Nothing but Steak       1991    English     338
    3.      Cuisine Anglaise!?      1993    French       49
    4.      Ringo to Nashi           1993    Japanese    334
    5.      Yum, Yum, English Cooking 1993    English      57
    6.      Tampopo Oishii           1995    Japanese    276
    7.      Aubergines!              1996    French     296
    8.      Radiator Barbecuing       1998    English     154
    9.      Food for Dummies          2000    English     234
   10.      Rabbits are nice          2000    English     186
   11.      Recipes for Humans        2000    Plutonian   705
   12.      The Fickle Pickle         2000    English     285

Please enter a book number or the exact book title itself.
8

Please enter the purchase quantity.
4

The following is your order:
                Title =      Radiator Barbecuing
                Year =      1998
            Book Price =      11.70
                Quantity =      4
            Total Cost =      46.80

Do you want to make this purchase? (y/n) n
Do you want to exit the application? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another book? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another category? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another customer? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
abort
ashkan $ 
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Explanation: In this run, the user went all the way entering all of the required data but when they got to the purchasing stage, they chose to not make that purchase. The program then went to the back tracking stage where it prompted the user to go back to any of the previous stages and the user agreed to go back to the customer selection stage. However when they were prompted for a customer ID, they entered **abort** which is a keyword for the program that causes it to exit without committing any of the uncommitted changes to the database (it actually performs a rollback).

Sample Run 4: Valid Data/No Purchase/No Back Track

```
The following is your order:
      Title =      The Earth is not Enough
      Year =              1999
      Book Price =         36.37
      Quantity =              5
      Total Cost =        181.85

Do you want to make this purchase? (y/n) n
Do you want to exit the application? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another book? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another category? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another customer? (y/n) n

You have chosen not to complete your purchase, not to exit the application but also not to make any changes which are contradictory!

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database? (y/n) y

Do you want to restart the application? (y/n) n
ashkan $
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Explanation: Similar to **Sample Run 3**, the program went to the back tracking stage where it prompted the user to go back to any of the previous stages but the user rejected all of the options. At this point the program informed the user of the odd scenario that it is in and just skipped to ending this run of the application and prompted for committing/rolling back the changes. Afterwards it asked the user if they wished to restart the application which was rejected by the user.

Sample Run 5: Valid Data/No Purchase/Restart

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Please enter a book number or the exact book title itself.
7

Please enter the purchase quantity.
1

The following is your order:
      Title =      Relational Algebra
      Year =      2000
      Book Price =    10.45
      Quantity =      1
      Total Cost =    10.45

Do you want to make this purchase? (y/n) n
Do you want to exit the application? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another book? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another category? (y/n) n
Do you want to choose another customer? (y/n) n

You have chosen not to complete your purchase, not to exit the application but also not to make any changes which are contradictory!

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database? (y/n) n

Do you want to restart the application? (y/n) y

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Welcome to the Search and Purchase application for the York River Bookseller's Database.

Whenever prompted to answer a yes/no question, enter "y", "Y", "yes", "Yes" or "YES" to indicate a yes. Everything else is processed as a no.

Enter "abort" at any point to abort the application (exit without committing).
Enter "exit" at any point to exit the application (exit with committing).

Please wait to be prompted for input before you enter data since otherwise the old data will be read which might cause unwanted behavior.
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Also note that input is case sensitive so beware of CAPS-LOCK and SHIFT.

Short Integers are whole numbers in the following range: [-32768, 32767]

There are two types of prompts in this application: one requires a yes/no answer while the other requires data entry.
Do you want to be prompted to confirm your input after validation for the latter type? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
exit
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Explanation: Similar to **Sample Run 4**, the program went to the back tracking stage where but the user again rejected all attempts to go back to a previous stage. However they did choose to restart the application entirely which brought them back to the initial messages and prompt. They however chose to enter **exit** which is a keyword for the program that causes it to exit and commit any of the uncommitted changes to the database.

Sample Run 6: Valid Data/Confirm Data

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There are two types of prompts in this application: one requires a yes/no answer while the other requires data entry.
Do you want to be prompted to confirm your input after validation for the latter type? (y/n) y

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database if/when the End Of Input is reached during a prompt? (y/n) y

Do you want to start the application? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
11

You have entered the following customer ID: 11
Is this correct? (y/n) n

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
13

You have entered the following customer ID: 13
Is this correct? (y/n) n

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
99

You have entered the following customer ID: 99
Is this correct? (y/n) y

Given customer ID(99) does not exist in the database.

The minimum and the maximum customer IDs in the database are respectively: 1 and 45 .
This does not however mean that every number between them is a valid ID.

Do you want to view all customers? (y/n) y
```

Explanation: In this run, the user actually chose to enable the data confirmation system which allows the user to actually change their choice before moving forward. They entered some valid short integers and then eventually chose to confirm one but unfortunately no customer with that ID existed in the database. The program chose to show them the minimum and maximum customer IDs so that they could get a sense of what the range of IDs is. But as the program says, not every integer in the given range is a valid customer ID which is why it then prompts the user whether they wish to see all customers so that they can potentially make a more informed decision.

Number	Customer ID	Name	City
1.	1	Tracy Turnip	Richmond
2.	2	John Smith	Toronto
3.	3	Fuzzy Fowles	Petersburg
4.	4	Suzy Sedwick	Williamsburg
5.	5	Andy Aardverk	Newport News
6.	6	Boswell Biddles	Yorktown
7.	7	Cary Cizek	Richmond
8.	8	Jack Daniels	Blacksburg
9.	9	Doris Daniels	Blacksburg
10.	10	Egbert Engles	Hampton
11.	11	Sally Mae	Richmond
12.	12	Fanny Mae	Roanoke
13.	13	Garp Google	Williamsburg
14.	14	Kathy Lee Gifford	Los Angeles
15.	15	Henrietta Hogg	Waynsboro
16.	16	Ingrid Iverson	Newport News
17.	17	George Gush	Austin
18.	18	Al Bore	Norfolk
19.	19	Ekksdwl Qjksynn	Pluto
20.	20	Finwick Cooper	Dublin
21.	21	Jackie Johassen	Lynchburg
22.	22	Klive Kittlehart	Waynsboro
23.	23	Lux Luthor	New York
24.	24	Clark Kent	New York
25.	25	Margaret Mitchie	Richmond
26.	26	George Wolf	Roanoke
27.	27	Jorge Lobo	Roanoke
28.	28	Phil Regis	New York
29.	29	Nigel Nerd	Richmond
30.	30	Pretence Parker	Petersburg
31.	31	Parker Posey	Richmond
32.	32	Mark Dogfurry	Richmond
33.	33	Oswell Orson	Newport News
34.	34	Quency Quark	Harrisonburg
35.	35	Renee Riztp	Lynchburg
36.	36	Steve Songheim	Yorktown
37.	37	Trixie Trudeau	Yorktown
38.	38	Ulya Umbrigde	Williamsburg
39.	39	Valerie Vixen	Hampton
40.	40	Walter Wynn	Arlington
41.	41	Xia Xu	Richmond
42.	42	Yves Yonge	Williamsburg
43.	43	Zachary Zoxx	Charlottesville
44.	44	Zebulon Zilio	Georgetown
45.	45	Jack Daniels	Charlottesville

Do you want to try again? (y/n) n

Do you want to commit any/all of the changes made, to the database? (y/n) n

Do you want to restart the application? (y/n) n

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Explanation: Since at this stage a valid customer ID has not yet been read, the program asked the user if they wished to try again and since they refused, it just wanted to the end stage and performed all of the necessary actions in that stage.

Sample Run 7: Invalid Customer Information/EOF

```
Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
Hello

Given string(Hello) is not a valid short integer.

Please enter a valid short integer representing a customer identification number(ID).
456789

Given string(456789) is not a valid short integer.

Please enter a valid short integer representing a customer identification number(ID).
234

Given customer ID(234) does not exist in the database.

The minimum and the maximum customer IDs in the database are respectively: 1 and 45 .
This does not however mean that every number between them is a valid ID.

Do you want to view all customers? (y/n) n
Do you want to try again? (y/n) y

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).
12

      CID =           12
      Name =       Fanny Mae
      City =       Roanoke
```

Explanation: Unlike all previous runs, the user attempted to pass invalid data at the customer ID entry stage but every single one was caught and an appropriate message was displayed.

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You can update the name or the city of the current customer(or both).
Do you want to update the customer's information? (y/n) y

Do you want to update the customer's name? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new name.
John Snow the King in the North

Given new customer's name(John Snow the King in the North) has length 31 which is not in the following range: [1, 20]

Please enter another name or "stop" to skip updating the customer's name.
stop

Do you want to update the customer's city? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new city.
Toronto is the greatest city in the world.

Given new customer's city(Toronto is the greatest city in the world.) has length 42 which is not in the following range: [1, 15]

Please enter another city or "stop" to skip updating the customer's city.
Toronto

The database contains the following book categories:

    Number      Category Name
    1.           children
    2.           cooking
    3.           drama
    4.           guide
    5.           history
    6.           horror
    7.           humor
    8.           mystery
    9.           phil
    10.          romance
    11.          science
    12.          travel

Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.

End Of Input has been reached so there is nothing else that can done!
ashkan $ 

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Explanation: After selecting the customer, the user chose to update the customer's information but they entered strings that were longer than the maximum length specified for the appropriate fields in the database and as such the entry was rejected and they were informed of this action.

Although the database defines the name attribute to be **varchar(20)** which means that it can also be the empty string (a string of length 0) but the program disallows this possibility by rejecting the empty string for a customer name.

Similarly for a customer city, the empty string is rejected.

Errors Section:

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Please enter a customer identification number(ID) .
30

          CID =                30
        Name =      Pretence Parker
        City =                Petersburg

You can update the name or the city of the current customer(or both) .
Do you want to update the customer's information? (y/n) y

Do you want to update the customer's name? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new name.
Peter Parker

Do you want to update the customer's city? (y/n) y
Please enter the customer's new city.
New York

The database contains the following book categories:

      Number      Category Name
        1.      children
        2.      cooking
        3.      drama
        4.      guide
        5.      history
        6.      horror
        7.      humor
        8.      mystery
        9.      phil
       10.      romance
       11.      science
       12.      travel

Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.
^Z
Suspended
```

Explanation: In this run, the user chose to update a customer's information but then pressed **Ctrl+Z** after the new data had been entered and the application had executed the update command. Since in this application the auto-committing has been turned off, this version of the application will hold the exclusive locks on that customer tuple in the yrb-customer table.

Please enter a customer identification number(ID).

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```
CID = 30
Name = Pretence Parker
City = Petersburg
```

You can update the name or the city of the current customer(or both).

Do you want to update the customer's information? (y/n) y

Do you want to update the customer's name? (y/n) y

Please enter the customer's new name.

Tony Stark

Do you want to update the customer's city? (y/n) y

Please enter the customer's new city.

The Big Apple

An update was requested but unfortunately it could not be completed.

Do you want to try again? (y/n) n

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Please enter a category number or the exact category name itself.

abort

The error log has been written to stderr.txt saved in the same directory.

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Explanation: Now if the user reruns the application and chooses to update the same customer, there will be an issue since a previous version (the suspended application) is holding the exclusive lock. However since a **10 second** timeout has been set, the currently running application will not hang but instead it will just fail to update and proceeds to prompt the user. Since there was an error (namely the update failure), a log of all errors will be written to a file named **stderr.txt**.

```
ashkan $ jobs
[1]  + Suspended                  java YRBAPP
ashkan $ kill -9 %1
ashkan $ jobs
[1]  Killed                      java YRBAPP
ashkan $
```

If the above scenario with the suspended program has been caused, please consult the above screenshot to terminate the suspended application.

As it is demonstrated, you can run the `jobs` command to see all currently running applications and then you can use **kill -9** with the proper pointer to kill the desired job.

Use **%1** if the desired job has **[1]** or **%2** if it has **[2]** and so on.

The reason **kill -9 (kill -KILL)** is used is to guarantee the job will actually terminate since many of the termination signals may/could be blocked but the **SIGKILL** cannot be which is why it will always terminate the process.

You can learn more about this by entering **man kill** in the terminal and also to see all termination signals, you can enter **kill -l** in the terminal.

Tools Used in the Project:

The **Eclipse Neon** IDE was used to develop the Java code.

Vim was used to write the Bourne Shell Script (**run.sh**).

The following Java libraries were used in the code.

```
java.sql.Connection;  
java.sql.DriverManager;  
java.sql.PreparedStatement;  
java.sql.ResultSet;  
java.sql.SQLException;
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java.util.Scanner;
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java.util.Map;  
java.util.TreeMap;
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```
java.util.concurrent.atomic.AtomicBoolean;  
java.util.concurrent.atomic.AtomicInteger;
```

```
java.io.FileNotFoundException;  
java.io.PrintWriter;  
java.io.UnsupportedEncodingException;
```

The **sql** library classes were used to connect to database and run all of the sql commands which were mostly queries but there was also one update and one insert.

The Scanner class was used to read input from the standard input stream by using **Scanner(System.in)**.

The **Map** classes were used for data storage internally in the program to map numbers to categories or books for user selection.

The **AtomicBoolean** and **AtomicInteger** classes were needed since a **mutable** Boolean or Integer was required but the implementer did not want to add more global variables that are unnecessary.

The **io** library classes were used for writing all of the errors in the run of the program to a file instead of the standard error stream which is directed to standard output stream if it is not redirected by the user. This was done so that the flow of the program would not be disrupted and the user would not immediately see the errors.