

# UE21CS352B - Object Oriented Analysis & Design using Java

## **Mini Project Report**

"Secure file sharing system"

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#### INTRODUCTION

A safe file sharing system is an essential tool in today's communication and collaboration. It enables individuals and organisations to securely exchange files and information over the internet while safeguarding sensitive data from unauthorised access, modification, or theft.

The primary goal of a secure file sharing system is to ensure the shared data's confidentiality, integrity, and availability. The protection of data from unauthorised access is referred to as confidentiality. The term "integrity" refers to the fact that the data remains unchanged during transmission or storage. The availability of data means that authorised users can access it when they need it.

A secure file sharing system achieves these goals by combining encryption, access controls, authentication, and other security mechanisms. Encryption ensures that the data is unreadable and unusable to anyone who does not have the correct key. Access controls limit authorised users' access and prevent unauthorised access. The authentication process ensures that only authorised users have access to the data.

# **Project Description**

The aim of the project is to build an end-to-end secure file sharing system which mimics the P2P architecture. Files are shared via a room which is created by the client. The invite link of the sharing platform which in this case is a room is created for the peers who want to access and download files. The link has to be submitted by each peer to join the network to send or receive the files. The files being sent are encrypted with AES (Advanced Encryption Standard) encryption algorithm. On the sender side the file is encrypted using the secret key before sending the file.

The encrypted files are decrypted on the receiving end using the secret key available in the room to validate the file. After the decryption the file is downloaded on the receiving end. In order to account for the file not being corrupted, the concept of checksum is used to verify the integrity of the file. The encrypted file here is being sent to the peers in the room using different sockets in the local system presently. All the files being sent/transmitted in the room are stored in the mongodb database for future reference of the ongoing session. Each user is assigned a database to keep track of his files used in the session.

### Actors: -

#### **Client:**

- The client is the user or entity that initiates the file sharing process.
- They create a room (sharing platform) where files can be exchanged.
- The client generates an invite link for the room, which peers can use to join and participate in the file sharing network.
- As the creator of the room, the client has certain privileges, such as managing access permissions and controlling the encryption keys.
- In summary, the client sets up the environment for secure file sharing and coordinates the overall process.

#### Peer:

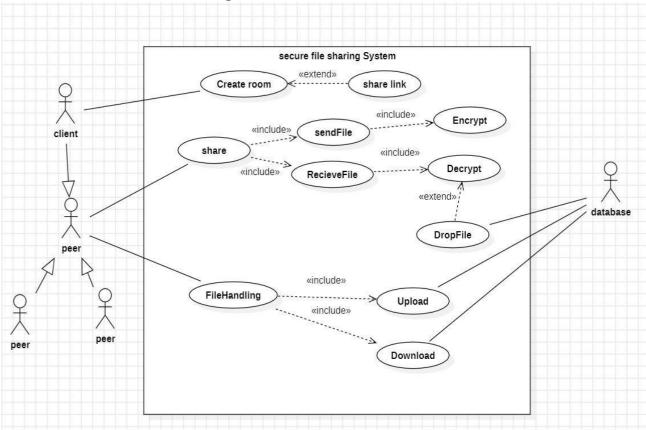
- Peers are participants in the file sharing network.
- They join the room using the invite link provided by the client.
- Peers can send and receive files within the room.
- When sending a file, they encrypt it using the secret key associated with the room.
- Upon receiving an encrypted file, peers decrypt it using the same secret key to validate its integrity.
- Peers play an active role in the P2P architecture by exchanging files securely with other peers in the same room.

#### **Database:**

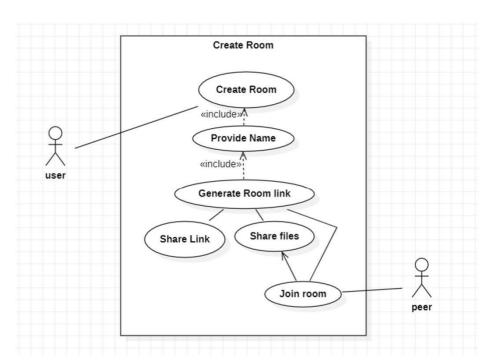
- The database is a crucial component of the system.
- It stores information related to the ongoing file sharing sessions.
- Each user is assigned a database to keep track of their files used in the session.
- The database stores metadata about files (e.g., file names, sizes, timestamps) and possibly the encrypted files themselves.
- MongoDB is used for this purpose, allowing efficient storage and retrieval of data.
- In summary, the database ensures persistence and retrieval of shared files during the session.

## Analysis and Design Models

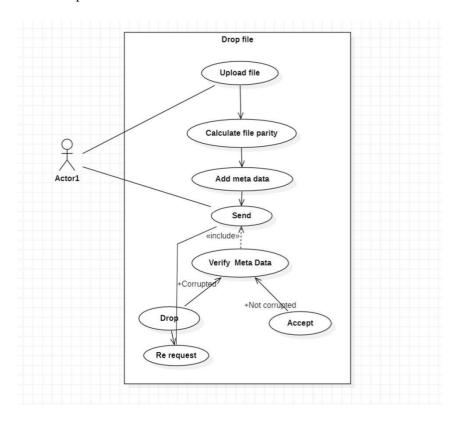
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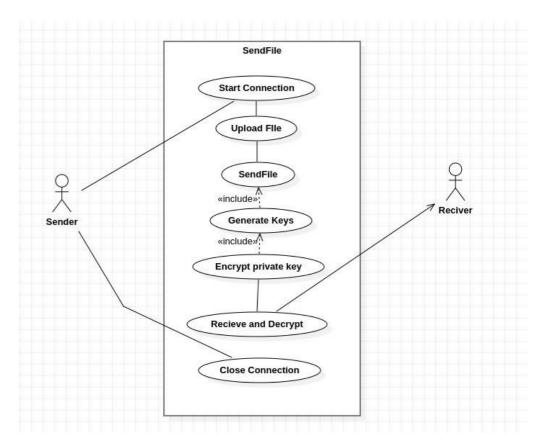
#### 2. Create Room Use Case:



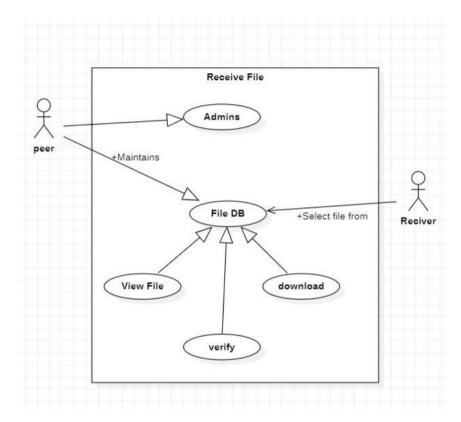
#### 3. Drop File Use Case:



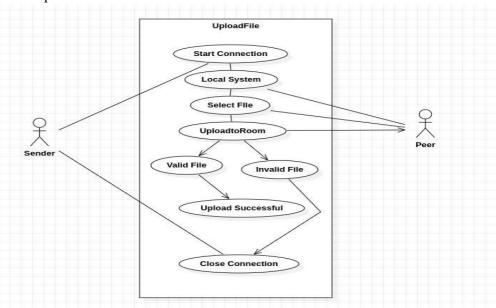
#### 4. Send File Use Case:



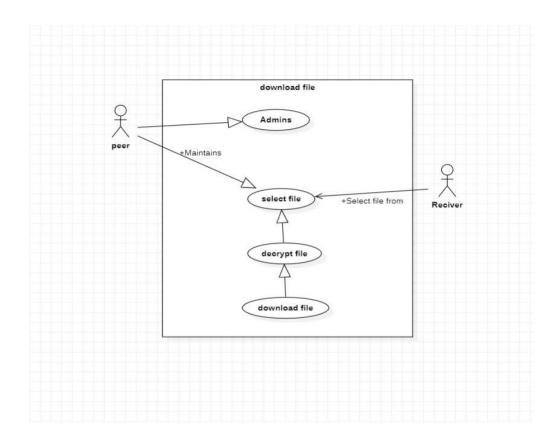
#### 5. Receive File Use Case:



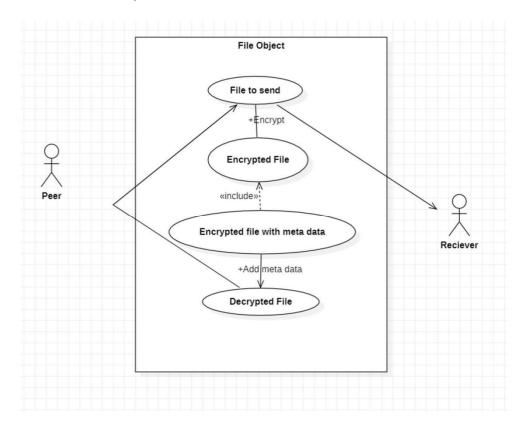
# 6. Upload File Use Case:



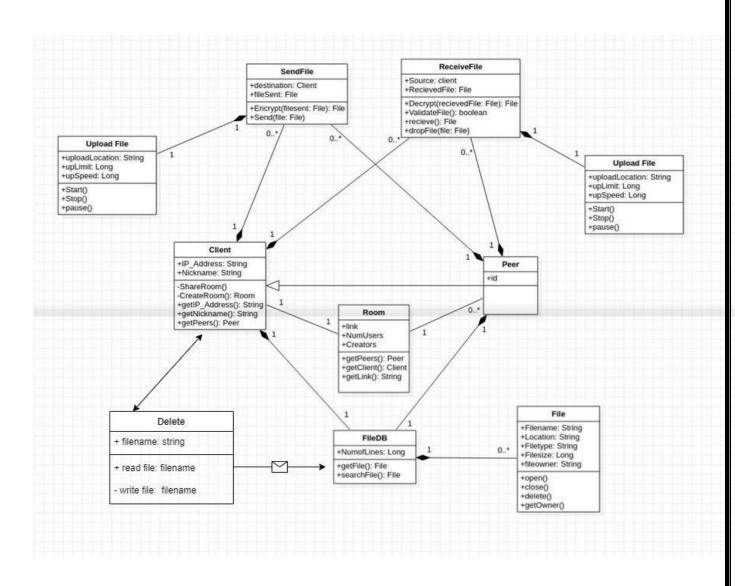
#### 7. Download File Use Case:



# 8. File Object

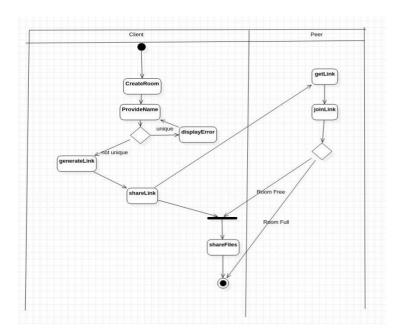


# 2. Class Modelling diagram:



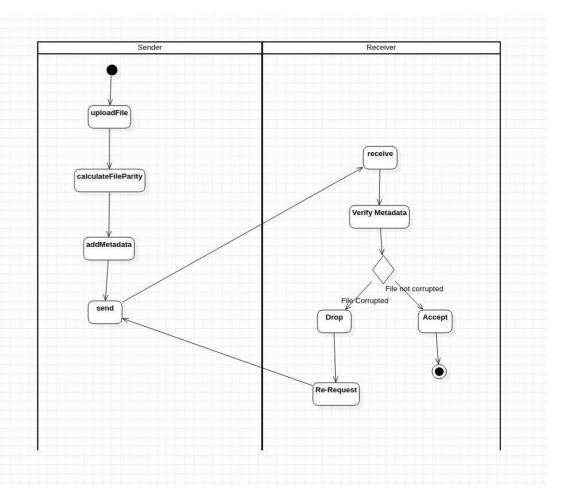
# 3. Activity diagram for the use-cases implemented

#### 1. Create Room Use Case:



- 1. **Name:** CreateRoom
- 2. **Summary:** Create a room where peers can share files
- 3. **Actor:** Client/Peer
- 4. **Preconditions:** The Client has entered the platform
- 5. Description:
  - i. Click on "create room"
  - ii. Click on "generate room link"
  - iii. Click on "share link" and share it with other peers and the peers can join the room limit has not been exceeded
- 6. **Exceptions:** The room limit exceeds
- 7. **Post-condition:** Peers can join and share files

#### 2. <u>Drop File Use Case</u>



1. Name: DropFile

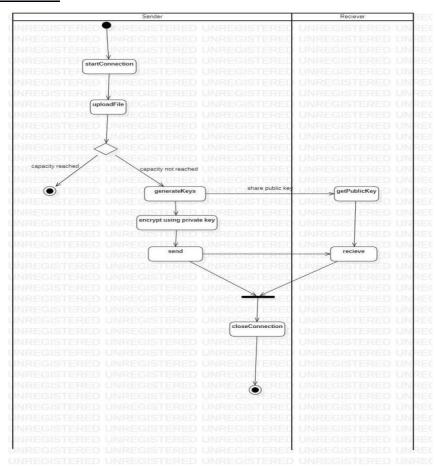
2. **Summary:** On receiving the file, drop the file if it was corrupted during transfer.

3. Actor: Receiver/Peer

4. **Preconditions:** File is uploaded and is ready to be sent over the network 5. Description:

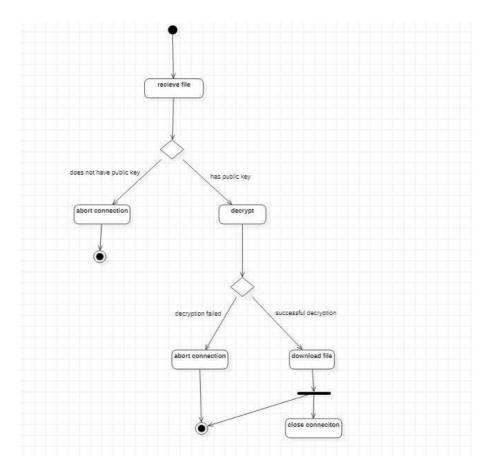
- Calculate the file parity at the sender side, which upon received at the receiver side is used to verify the integrity of the file
  - It is added as metadata of the file
  - It is encrypted, sent over the network and received on the other side, and decrypted.
  - The metadata appended to the file is used to check the integrity of the file
- If the file is found to be tampered, it is dropped immediately and a new request to resend the file goes to the sender, else accept the file.
- 6. Exceptions: The file doesn't reach the receiver side
- 7. **Post-condition:** Receiver can download the files

#### 3. Send File Use Case:



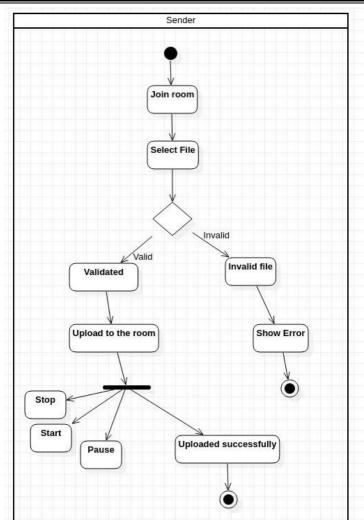
- 1. Name: SendFile
  - 2. Summary: Prepare the file to be sent over the network
  - 3. Actor: Sender/Peer
  - 4. Preconditions: The file is uploaded onto the platform
  - 5. Description:
    - On starting the connection, keys generated for secure transmission i.e encryption
    - Share the public key to the receiver
    - Encrypt the file with the key already generated
    - Send the file to the receiver Receive at the receiver side
    - Close connection
  - 6. Exceptions: File doesn't exist in the DB
  - 7. Post-condition: Receiver can receive the sent file

#### 4. Receive File Use Case:



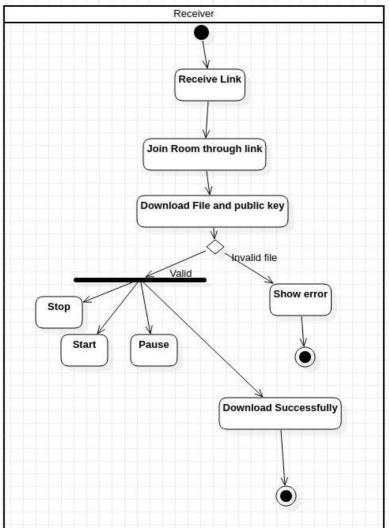
- 1. Name: Receive File
- 2. Summary: Receive the file sent over the network.
- 3. Actor:Peer/Receiver
- 4. Preconditions: The Sender has pushed a file to the fileDB
- 5. Description:
  - Click on "receive" file
  - Click on "verify" to verify the contents of the file by decrypting the file using the public key of the sender.
    - Click on "download" to download the file after successful verification.
- 6. Exceptions: Verification fails.
- 7. Post-condition: The file can now be downloaded by the receiver.

#### 5. Upload file use case:



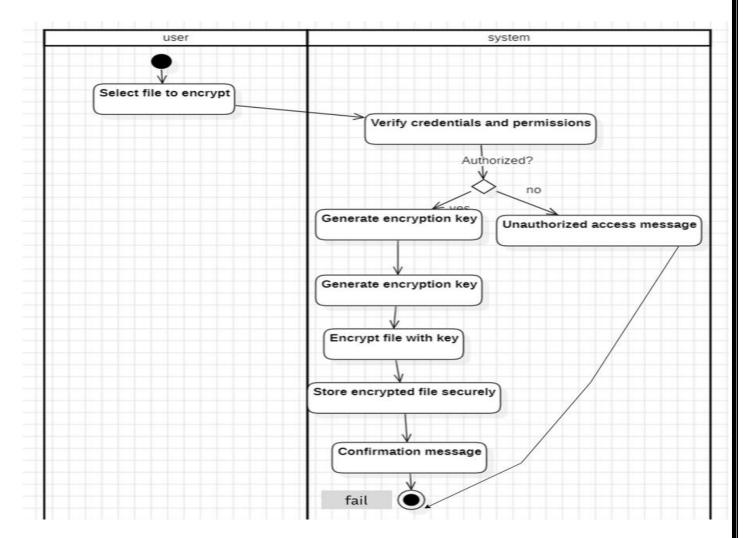
- 1. **Name:** Upload File use case
- 2. **Summary:** Select the file and upload the file in the FileDB
- 3. **Actor:** Client/Peer
- 4. **Pre-conditions**: The Client has entered the platform
- 5. Description:
  - Click on "upload" to upload the file -Select the file from the peer local system.
  - Click on "OK" to start uploading.
  - The uploading actions have start, pause and stop options.
- 6. **Exception** File is invalid or corrupted.
- 7. \Post-condition Send the file for encryption.

#### 6. Download File use Case:



- 1. **Name:** Download File use case
- 2. **Summary:** Download the shared file in the room
- 3. **Actor:** Receiver/Peer
- 4. **Pre-conditions:** The file had been received and verified by decryption.
- 5. Description:
  - Click on "download" to download the file.
  - Select the destination to download in the peer's local system.
  - Click on "OK" to start downloading.
  - The downloading actions have start, pause and stop options.
  - 6. **Exception** File is invalid or corrupted (verification failed).
  - 7. **Post-condition** The peer can continue being in the room to share and receive files.

#### 7. Encryption use case:



1. Name: Encrypt File

2. **Summary:** Prepare the file to be securely encrypted

3. Actor: User

#### 4. Preconditions:

- 1. The user has selected a file to be encrypted.
- 2. The system is operational.

#### 5. Description

- 1. The user selects a file to be encrypted.
- 2. The system verifies the user's credentials and permissions.

- 3. If authorized, the system generates an encryption key.
- 4. The system encrypts the selected file using the generated encryption key.
- 5. The encrypted file is securely stored by the system.
- 6. The system sends a confirmation message to the user.

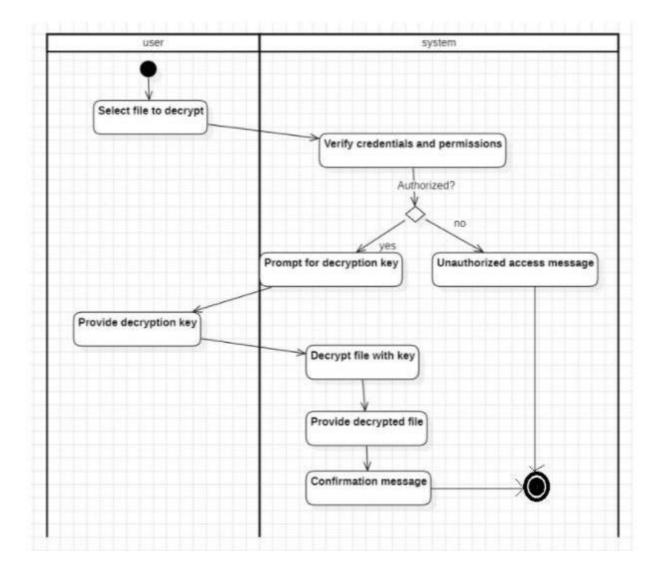
#### 6. Exceptions:

- 1. If the user is not authorized, an unauthorized access message is sent.
- 2. If there are errors during the encryption process, appropriate error messages are sent.

#### 7.Post Conditions:

- 1. The selected file is securely encrypted and stored by the system.
- 2. The user receives a confirmation message indicating successful encryption.

#### 8.Decryption use case



Name: Decrypt File

- 1. Summary: Decrypt the selected file securely
- 2. Actor: User

#### 3. reconditions:

- 1. The user has selected a file to be decrypted.
- 2. The system is operational.

#### 4.Description:

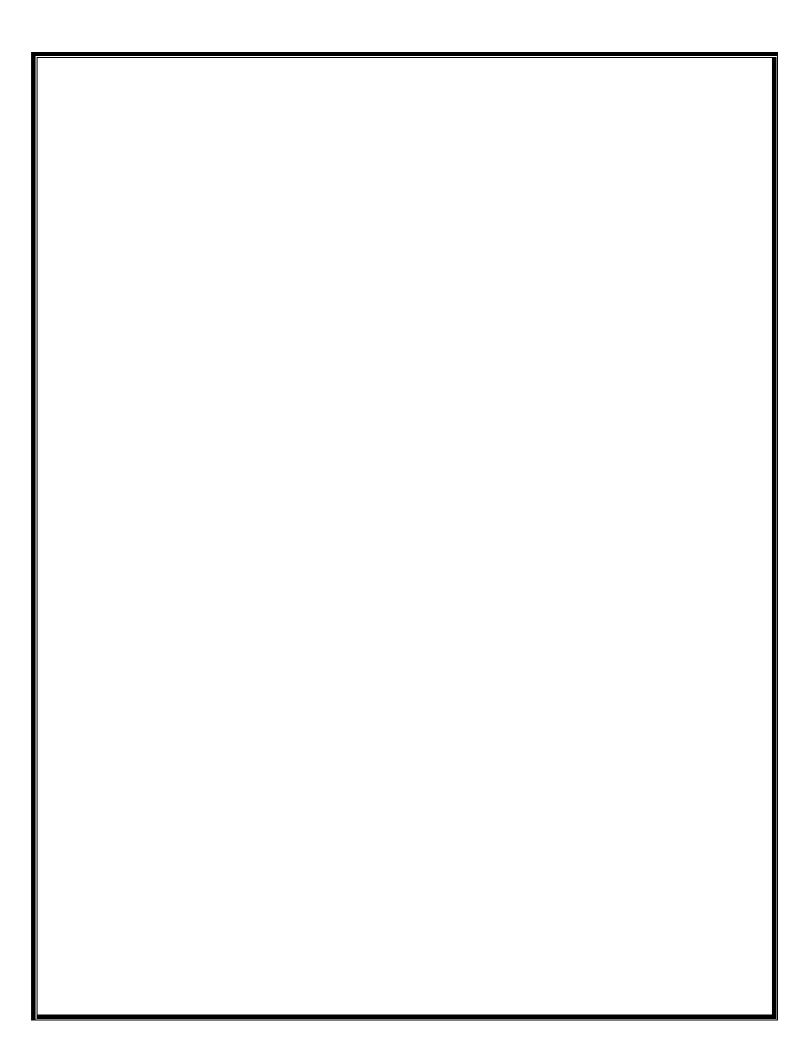
- 1. The user selects a file to be decrypted.
- 2. The system verifies the user's credentials and permissions.
- 3. If authorized, the system prompts the user to provide the decryption key.
- 4. The user provides the decryption key.
- 5. The system decrypts the selected file using the provided decryption key.
- 6. The decrypted file is provided by the system.
- 7. The system sends a confirmation message to the user.

#### **5.Exceptions:**

- 1. If the user is not authorized, an unauthorized access message is sent.
- 2. If the provided decryption key is incorrect, an error message is sent.
- 3. If there are errors during the decryption process, appropriate error messages are sent.

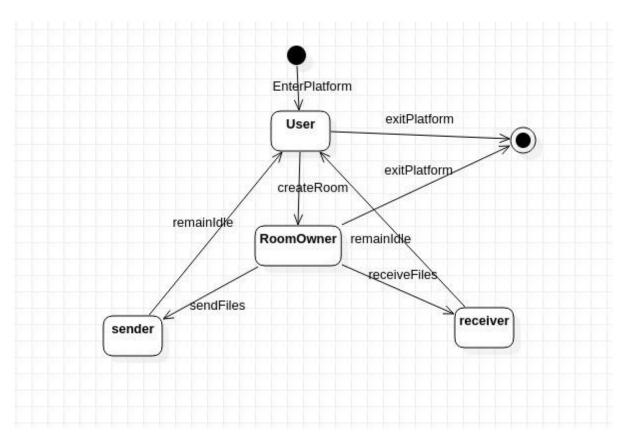
#### **6.Post Conditions:**

- 1. The selected file is decrypted and provided to the user by the system.
- 2. The user receives a confirmation message indicating successful decryption.

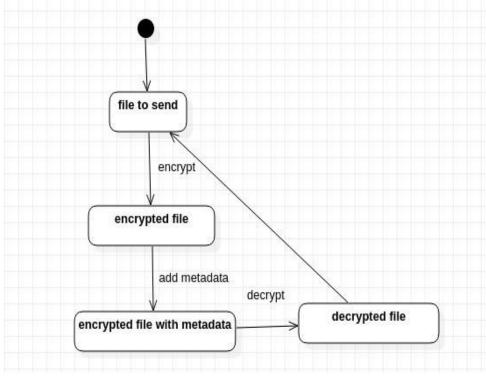


# State diagram for the classes with temporal behaviour Client Object

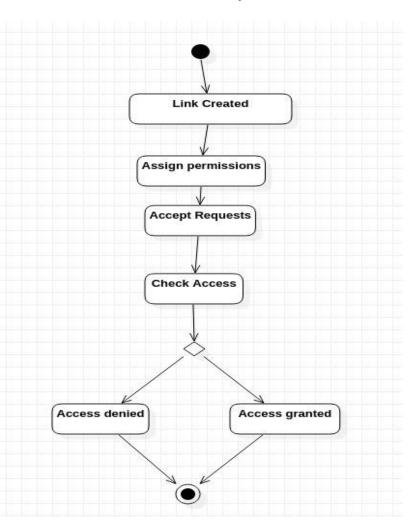
## 1. CREATE ROOM



# 2. File Object

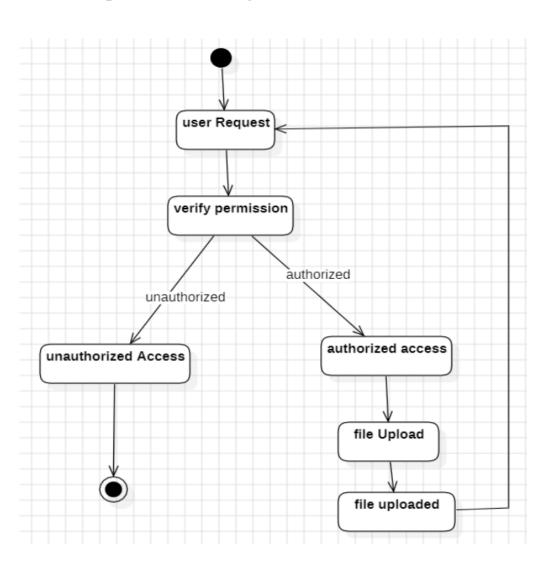


# 3. Link accessibility



# File Download state diagram 4. user Request verify permission authorized unauthorized authorized access unauthorized Access file Download file Downloaded

# 5. File Upload State Diagram



#### **Tools and Frameworks Used:**

#### 1. MVC: model-view-controller

The Model-View-Controller (MVC) framework separates an application into three main logical components Model, View, and Controller.

Three important MVC components are:

- Model It includes all the data and its related logic
- View Present data to the user or handles user interaction
- Controller An interface between Model and View components Using: Spring MVC Framework -

Model - Classes:

- - Client
- - Crypto
- ReceiveFile
- - SendFile
- - Peer
- - Room

Controller - Classes

• - FileController

Views - HTML files with minimal vanilla javascript.

#### 2. Mayen

- Maven is used to handle the dependencies in the java project using POM (project object model).
- It helps in downloading the dependencies, which refers to the libraries or JAR files specific to the versions required in the project.

#### 3. Database - MongoDB

• MongoDB is a NoSQL database that uses JSON-like documents with optional schemas.

- As a document database, MongoDB makes it easy for developers to store structured or unstructured data.
- In this project it is used to store the files. Each peer has a database that stores the file sent to him.

#### **Design Principles and Design Patterns Applied:**

**1. Design principles:** The following SOLID principles were kept in mind while coding the project:

#### • S - Single Responsibility Principle (SRP)

O All files in the model have only one logical responsibility. Eg: Classes like send File and receive File only take the responsibility of sending and receiving files respectively. Hence encrypting and decrypting is delegated to another class called Crypto.

#### • O - Open-Closed Principle (OCP)

- Class peer inherits the properties of client class by extending its properties.
- Class Custom Multipart File implements Multipart File with additional functionalities.

#### • L - The Liskov Substitution Principle (LSP)

• A client object can be replaced with a peer object without any flaws.

#### • I - Interface Segregation Principle (ISP)

o There are no interfaces or classes with functionality which overburden them or ones which are not used by the client.

#### • D - Dependency Inversion Principle (DIP)

o There is no high-level class that directly depends on classes at lower levels

## **Design Patterns:**

- Singleton classes that use singleton:
  - a. SendFile
  - b. ReceiveFile
- Factory
  - a. UserFactory that creates:
  - b. Peer
  - c. Client

# Implementation:

https://github.com/Harshith-reddy-c/Secure-File-Sharing-System

#### **RESULTS SCREENSHOTS:**

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