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INTRODUCTION

1.1 Project Overview

Our project is **INVENTORY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM FOR RETAILERS** The project is cloud application development. The aim is to By managing inventory, retailers meet customer demand without running out of stock or carrying excess supply. In practice, effective retail inventory management results in lower costs and a better understanding of sales patterns. Retail inventory management tools and methods give retailers more information on which to run their businesses. Applications have been developed to help retailers track and manage stocks related to their own products. The System will ask retailers to create their accounts by providing essential details. Retailers can access their accounts by logging into the application.

This issue must be solved so continuous supply of materials and stock so that production should not suffer at the time of customers demand. To avoid both overstocking and under-stocking of inventory.

1.2 Purpose

The project aims to help

- To avoid both overstocking and under-stocking of inventory.
- To eliminate duplication in ordering stocks.
- To ensure the quality of goods at reasonable prices.
- To minimize loss through deterioration, pilferage, wastages, and damages.

Users may have the facility to register to log in to the app and access the account by purchasing the product as their wish.

LITERATURE SURVEY

A literature survey is "A survey of related literature refers to a study

done before or after selecting a research problem to know about the previous

research work, ideas, theories, procedures, techniques, problems occurring during

the research, etc. is done for"

As purchasing of the product is increasingly accessed on smartphones

and tablets, the need for personalizing app interactions is apparent. We report

studies addressing key issues in the development of the adaptive app with good

interfaces.

Title: **ZOHO**

Technologies:

Web Technologies: HTML, CSS, and javascript; Java.

Authors:

Mira Natarajan.

Description:

Zoho Inventory API is built using REST principles which ensures

predictable URLs that make writing applications easy. This API follows HTTP

rules, enabling a wide range of HTTP clients which can be used to interact with the

API. Every resource is exposed as a URL. The URL of each resource can be

obtained by accessing the API Root Endpoint.

<u>Title:</u> **Handifox:** Enhanced Inventory Management For Small Businesses

Technoliges:

Barcode systems and radio frequency identification (RFID) systems

Description:

With HandiFox, automating inventory management has never been easier. Utilizing mobile computers and barcodes, our inventory management software for small businesses simplifies your business process, making transparency and control easier than ever before - even across multiple sites.

Title: Vend.

<u>Technologies:</u>

- Warehouse Management System (WMS)
- Radio Frequency Identification (RFID) Technology.

Authors:

Novak V, Krzykovi M.

Description:

Manage inventory across multiple outlets with a centralized product catalog, accessible from your POS, back-office, or on the road. Edit products in bulk. Automatically reorder stock. Create variants and composites. Print labels and barcodes. We've even simplified stock-taking with our free app.

2.1 EXISTING PROBLEM:

- In the existing system categorization is not in detail.
- The features provided are clumsy and not user-friendly and adaptive.

- Irregular patterns of products are fed which are not location-based and of top priority.
- Irrelevant product details are fed which are either inappropriate or no longer interesting.

2.2 REFERENCES:

- https://www.zoho.com/in/inventory/
- https://www.vendhq.com/asia/
- https://www.handifox.com/

2.3 PROBLEM STATEMENT DEFINITION

A problem statement is a concise description of the problem or issues a project seeks to address. The problem statement identifies the current state, the desired future state, and any gaps between the two.

- ❖ Can manage the stocks using mobile devices.
- Users do not need to pay for using the application.
- * Reduce time-consuming frustration.
- Users can access accounts of their own choice.
- ❖ Feed the user with relevant products instantly based on their interests.
- Prefer their regular purchasing product based on their activity.

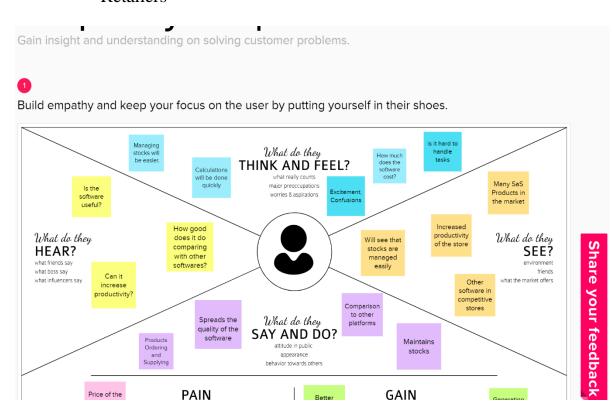
IDEATION & PROPOSED SOLUTION

3.1 Empathy Map Canvas

An empathy map is a collaborative tool team can use to gain a deeper insight into their customers. Much like a user persona, an empathy map can represent a group of users, such as a customer segment. The empathy map was originally created by Dave Gray and has gained much popularity within the agile community.

The empathy map is used to analyze the problem from the user's perspective such as,

- What do they think and feel?
- What do they see?
- What do they hear?
- What do they say and do?
- The pains and gains of Inventory Management System for Retailers



3.2 Ideation & Brainstorming

Brainstorming is a group problem-solving method that involves the spontaneous contribution of creative ideas and solutions.

Brainstorming allows people to think more freely, without fear of judgment. Brainstorming encourages open and ongoing collaboration to solve problems and generate innovative ideas. Brainstorming helps teams generate a large number of ideas quickly, which can be refined and merged to create the ideal solution.

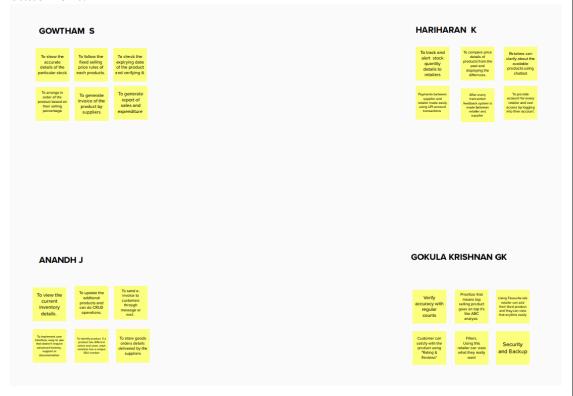
Idea prioritization has been performed in the following ways

1. Define problem statement:

To avoid inconsistency, irrelevant and irregular patterns of purchasing products over the websites and provide a one-stop solution.

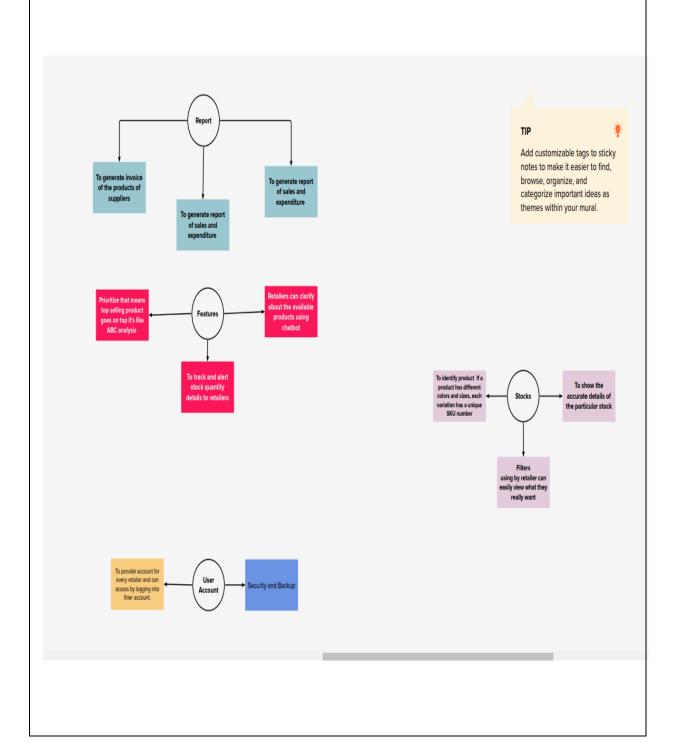
2. Brainstorm

Write down any ideas that come to mind that address your problem statement.



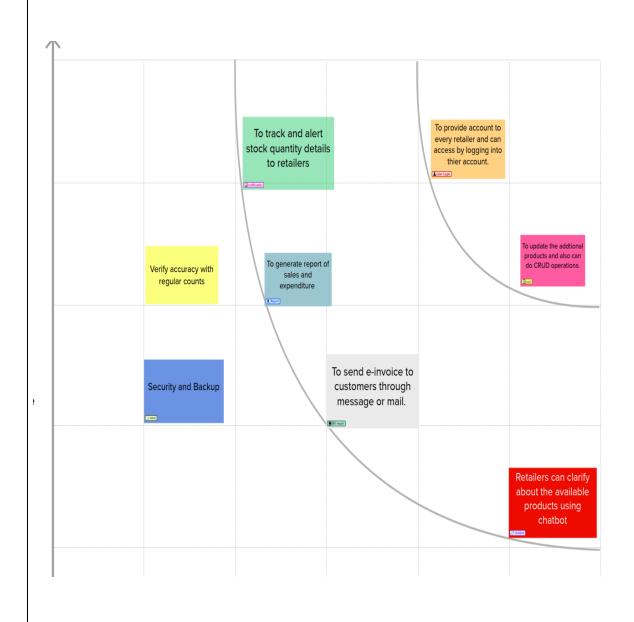
3. Group Ideas

Take turns sharing your ideas while clustering similar or related notes as you go. In the last 10 minutes, give each cluster a sentence-like label. If a cluster is bigger than six sticky notes, try and see if you and break it up into smaller sub-groups.



4. Prioritize

Your team should all be on the same page about what's important moving forward. Place your ideas on this grid to determine which ideas are important and which are feasible.



3.3 Proposed Solution

1. Problem Statement (Problem to be solved)

Retailers are generally facing problems with maintaining the availability of stocks. Not possible to know which product is sold more and which is not.

2.Idea / Solution description

The proposed software will help retailers track the stock's availability very often and efficiently. The proposed system can give filter options on how much each product is sold and can give insights accordingly. Novelty / Uniqueness

3. Novelty / Uniqueness

Emailing the monthly report of every product and product reaching its threshold limits. The products are arranged in a manner such that most sold products are at the top of the list.

4. Social Impact / Customer Satisfaction

Retailers will save so much time by using this software. Customers can give their feedback and ratings about particular products.

5. Business Model (Revenue Model)

Discounts can be offered to customers based on their amount of purchase. Can give discounts on the least sold products.

6. Scalability of the Solution

Customers can be in the comfort of their homes while shopping. Retailers can manage large volumes of data in the future with this software.

3.3 Problem Solution Fit

Problem solution fit defines the following,

- Define Customer Segment fit into customer constraints Explore
 Available resources and differentiate
- Focus on Job-to-be-done & problems, tap into behavior, understand the root cause
- Identify strong Triggers and emotions, channel of behaviour and your solutions



REQUIREMENT ANALYSIS

Requirement analysis is "the process of determining user expectations for a new or modified product. These requirements must be quantifiable, relevant, and detailed".

4.1 Functional Requirements:

Functional requirements are product features or functions that developers must implement to enable users to accomplish their tasks.

Following are the functional requirements of the proposed solution.

FR No.	Functional Requirement (Epic)	Sub Requirement (Story / Sub-Task)
FR-1	User Registration	Registration through Form Registration through Gmail
		Registration through Username and Password
FR-2	User Confirmation	Confirmation via Email
		Confirmation via OTP
FR-3	User login	Login through the browser directly by entering your username and password
FR-4	User interaction	Can view the product details The order required products by putting them in a cart first.

4.1 Non-Functional Requirements:

A Non-functional requirement is a requirement that does not relate to functionality, but to attributes such as reliability, efficiency, usability, maintainability and portability.

Following are the non-functional requirements of the proposed solution.

FR No.	Non-Functional Requirement	Description
NFR-1	Usability	Designing or developing the site to be
		having a learning curve. Having simple and
		easy user interface to navigate website for
		users. Attractive looking web-page. Making
		the website to be responsive for both
		desktops and mobile users
NFR-2	Security	The security should be strong as to the
		attackers won't be penetrating to the
		authorized users account or data. Log in
		system is used to prove authentication and
		authorization. Security can be increased by
		using OTP. Cookies based security system
		for authentication and improved visiting
		experience on the site for clients.
NFR-3	Reliability	Should be having the capacity to handle
		enough users and not be lagging or
		experiencing any discomfort when browsing
		when the web-page is busy. Should have
		minimum errors when executing the
		programs. Should be available even at the
		times of calamity.

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NFR-5	Availability	This uses IBM DB2 to ensure the high			
		availability of database servers and			
		performances.			
NFR-6	Scalability	As DB2 is highly scalable, the coding can be			
		produced and developed efficiently and new			
		features can be introduced easily. Reusing			
		the code can be done to add any new			
		features. IBM Container in Docker registry is			
		used which is highly scalable.			
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NFR-4	Performance	The convenience of this is it reduces the			
		time period of searching for desired			
		product, etc. It reduces costs, saves time,			
		restocking period, and predicts the			
		bestselling products. This makes the			
		business more productive and profitable by			
		having an organized management system.			

CHAPTER 5 PROJECT DESIGN

5.1 Data flow diagram

A Data Flow Diagram (DFD) is a traditional visual representation of the information flows within a system. A neat and clear DFD can depict the right amount of the system requirement graphically. It shows how data enters and leaves the system, what changes the information, and where data is stored.

The DFD belongs to structured-analysis modelling tools. Data Flow diagrams are very popular because they help us to visualize the major steps and data involved in software-system processes.

Advantages of DFD

- It helps us to understand the functioning and the limits of a system.
- It is a graphical representation which is very easy to understand as it helps visualize contents.
- Data Flow Diagram represent detailed and well explained diagram of system components.
- It is used as the part of system documentation file.
- Data Flow Diagrams can be understood by both technical or nontechnical person because they are very easy to understand.

Disadvantages of DFD

- At times DFD can confuse the programmers regarding the system.
- Data Flow Diagram takes long time to be generated, and many times due to this reasons analysts are denied permission to work on it.

Rules for creating DFD

- The name of the entity should be easy and understandable without any extra assistance(like comments).
- The processes should be numbered or put in ordered list to be referred easily.
- The DFD should maintain consistency across all the DFD levels.
- A single DFD can have maximum processes upto 9 and minimum 3 processes.

Data Flow Diagram

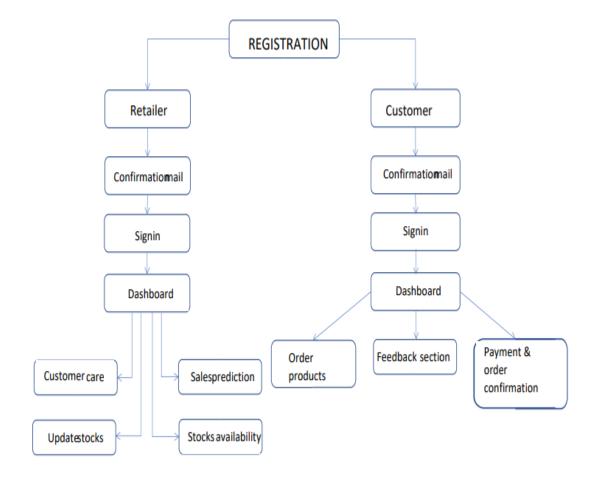


Fig 5.1: Data flow diagram

5.2 Solution & Technical Architecture

Solution architecture is a complex process – with many sub-processes – that bridges the gap between business problems and technology solutions. Its goals are to:

- Find the best tech solution to solve existing business problems.
- Describe the structure, characteristics, behaviour-, and other aspects of the software to project stakeholders.
- Define features, development phases, and solution requirements.
- Provide specifications according to which the solution is defined, managed, and delivered.

Retail inventory management is the process of ensuring you carry merchandise that shoppers want, with neither too little nor too much on hand. By managing inventory, retailers meet customer demand without running out of stock or carrying excess supply.

In practice, effective retail inventory management results in lower costs and a better understanding of sales patterns. Retail inventory management tools and methods give retailers more information on which to run their businesses. Applications have been developed to help retailers track and manage stocks related to their own products. The System will ask retailers to create their accounts by providing essential details. Retailers can access their accounts by logging into the application.

Once retailers successfully log in to the application they can update their inventory details, also users will be able to add new stock by submitting essential details related to the stock. They can view details of the current inventory. The System will automatically send an email alert to the retailers

if there is no stock found in their accounts. So that they can order new stock.

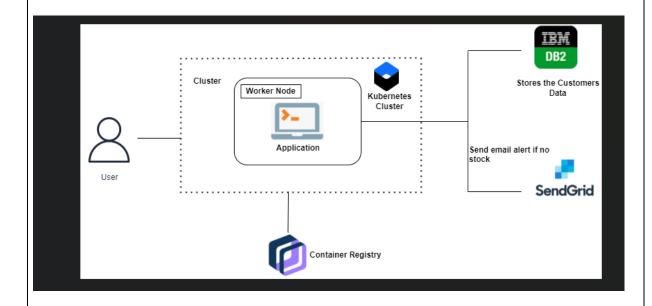


Fig 5.2: Solution Architecture

Project Business Model

All users will be able to use the app for free. providing fundamental solutions enabling a single view of the business from finance to the customer experience. In short, solutions focus on helping retailers manage intelligent processes in a digital world. cloud is opening the doors for a new level of co-innovation with customers and partners, enabling next practices and new business models that can help you capture opportunities and take the next step toward becoming an Intelligent Enterprise. Launched in 2020 and building momentum ever since industry cloud is essentially an innovation space where customers and partners are building and integrating cloud solutions to address specific industry needs.

Characteristics and behaviors

- It will be simple for us to scale the application to a bigger set of users because it requires the same set of input from all users and does not carry out a lot of complicated computations.
- As users can add their own interests as well, networks get more complicated, and suggestions get better.
- Users can make friends, and suggestions can be adjusted as a result.
 Users are asked about their preferences when creating an account, and users are given the option to rate the relevancy of articles in order to enhance suggestions.

Specifications of solution

The APIs are doing great work on this application. They gather the product from all the mentioned websites. Later all data are going under the cleaner phase. Here these unorganized data are organized by the methods

- Validating (The Originality of the product checked overall data)
- Filtering (eliminating duplicates)
- Categorizing (using keywords e.g.: -Grocery, Electronics)

This organized data will be stored in the IBM cloud. In this populous world, every second is data, so the above process will be continuously working for a certain time period to fetch product details.

When the user/customer log-in to the application, they have to give their priority.

These priorities will be also stored in the cloud with that user's info.

These priorities are the core to portrait only preferred news as per the user to avoid user inconvenience and have an improved interaction towards this application.

The user can also gather other preferred products by exploring the search
bar in the application. The user's request will be sent to the database then
the response (The user's searched product) will be published on the page.

5.3 User Stories

Use the below template to list all the user stories for the product.

User Type	Functional Requirement (Epic)	User Story Number	User Story / Task	Acceptance criteria	Priority	Release
Customer (Web user)	Registration	USN-1	As a user, I can register for the application by entering my email, password, and confirming my password.	I can access my account / dashboard	High	Sprint-1
	Confirmation	USN-2	As a user, I can receive my confirmation email once I have registered for the application	I can get confirmation email for my account and create an authenticated account.	High	Sprint-1
	Login	USN-3	As a user, I can log in to the authorized account by entering the registered email and password	I can login with registered email and password.	High	Sprint-1
	Dashboard	USN-4	As a user, I can view my personal account details	I can access my account / dashboard	High	Sprint-1
	Product add to cart & order confirmation	USN-5	As a user, I can view the available products and purchase it	I can access the product available list	High	Sprint-2
	Feedback system	USN-6	As a user, I can give the feedback	I can send the feedback message to Retailer	High	Sprint-2
Retailer (Web user)	Registration	USN-7	As a user, I can register for the application by entering my email, password, and confirming my password.	I can access my account / dashboard	High	Sprint-2
		USN-8	As a user, I can login through my E-mail	I can access my account / dashboard	Medium	Sprint-2
	Confirmation	USN-9	As a user, I can receive my confirmation email once I have registered for the application	I can get confirmation email for my account and create an authenticated account.	Medium	Sprint-2

	Login	USN-10	As a user, I can log in to the authorized account by entering the registered email and password	I can login with registered email and password.	High	Sprint-2
	Dashboard	USN-11	As a user, I can view the products that are available currently.	Inventory sections can be viewed once logged in.	High	Sprint-3
	Stocks update	USN-12	As a user, I can add products which are not available in the inventory and restock the products.	When the products are not available, retailers can restock and update their inventory.	Medium	Sprint-4
	Sales prediction	USN-13	As a user, I can get access to sales prediction tool which can help me to predict better restock management of product.	The sales prediction tool should forecast the sales so that the users can order properly and retailers can predict the order to sell.	Low	Sprint-4
Admin (Web user)	Admin Login	USN-14	As a user, I am able to modify the application	I can access my account / dashboard	Medium	Sprint-4
	Dashboard	USN-9	As a user, I am able to change the UI & update features	I can access my account / dashboard	Medium	Sprint-4

6.1 Sprint Planning & Estimation

Sprint	Functional Requirement (Epic)	User <u>Story</u> Number	User Story / Task	Story Points	Priority	Team Members
Sprint-1	Registration for customer	USN-1	As a user, I can register for the application by entering my email, and password, and confirming my password.	3	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-1	Confirmation	USN-2	As a user, I can receive my confirmation email once I have registered for the application	3	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-1	Login	USN-3	As a user, I can log in to the authorized account by entering the registered email and password	2	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-1	Dashboard	USN-4	As a user, I can view my account details	3	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K

Sprint-2 Product added to cart & order confirmation USN-5 As a user, I can view the available products and purchase it	1	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
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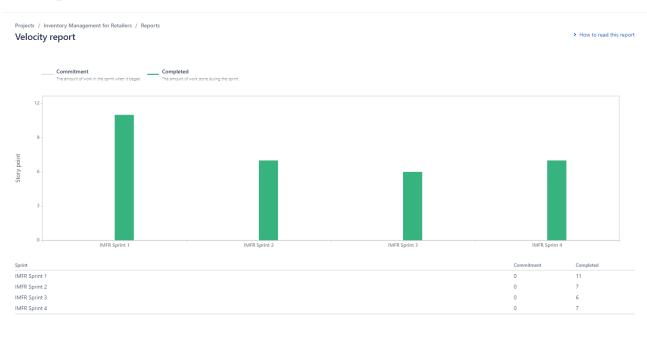
Sprint	Functional Requirement (Epic)	User <u>Story</u> Number	User Story / Task	Story Points	Priority	Team Members
Sprint-2	Feedback system	USN-6	As a user, I can give the feedback	1	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-2	Registration for retailer	USN-7	As a user, I can register for the application by entering my email, and password, and confirming my password.	1	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-2		USN-8	As a user, I can log in through my E-mail	1	Medium	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-2	Confirmation	USN-9	As a user, I can receive my confirmation email once I have registered for the application	1	Medium	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-2	Login	USN-10	As a user, I can log in to the authorized account by entering the registered email and password	2	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-3	Dashboard	USN-11	As a user, I can view the products that are available currently.	6	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K

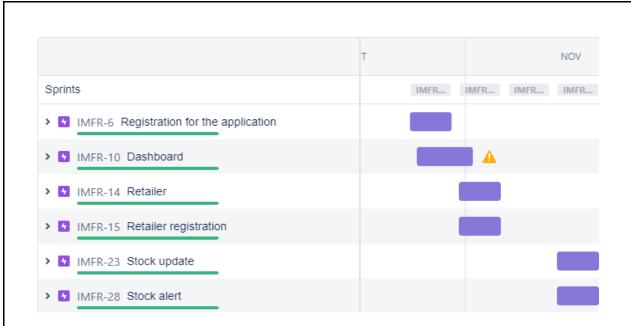
Sprint-4	Stocks update	USN-12	As a user, I can add products that are not available in the inventory and restock the products.	2	Medium	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-4	Stock Alert	USN-13	Alerting the retailer when the stock is low on quantity by using SendGrid	2	High	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K
Sprint-4	Dashboard	USN-14	As a user, I can change the UI & update features	3	Medium	1. GOWTHAM S 2. ANANDH J 3. GOKULAKRISHNAN G K 4. HARIHARAN K

6.2 Sprint Delivery Schedule

Sprint	Total Story Points	Duration	Sprint Start Date	Sprint End Date (Planned)	Story Points Completed (as on Planned End Date)	Sprint Release Date (Actual)
Sprint-1	11	6 Days	24 Oct 2022	29 Oct 2022	11	29 Oct 2022
Sprint-2	7	6 Days	31 Oct 2022	05 Nov 2022	7	05 Nov 2022
Sprint-3	6	6 Days	07 Nov 2022	12 Nov 2022	6	12 Nov 2022
Sprint-4	7	6 Days	14 Nov 2022	19 Nov 2022	7	19 Nov 2022

6.3 Reports from JIRA





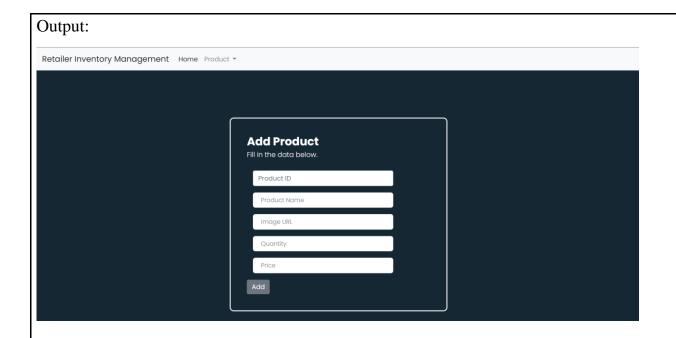
CHAPTER-7 CODING & SOLUTIONING

7.1 Feature 1

Stock Update:

```
{% extends "basetemplate.html" %}
{% block content %}
{% with messages = get_flashed_messages() %}
   {% if messages %}
      {% for message in messages %}
         <h1 id="msg" display="none" style="background-color:
white;">{{message}}</h1>
      {% endfor %}
   {% endif %}
{% endwith %}
<body>
    <div class="form-body">
    <div class="row">
        <div class="form-holder">
            <div class="form-content">
                <div class="form-items">
                    <h3>Add Product</h3>
                    Fill in the data below.
                    <form class="requires-validation" action="/addproduct"</pre>
method="post">
                        <div class="col-md-10">
```

```
<input class="form-control" type="number"</pre>
name="productid" placeholder="Product ID" required>
                          </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                            <input class="form-control" type="text"</pre>
name="productname" placeholder="Product Name" required>
                         </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                             <input class="form-control" type="text" name="imageurl"</pre>
placeholder="Image URL" required>
                         </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                             <input class="form-control" type="text" name="quantity"</pre>
placeholder="Quantity" required>
                        </div>
                        <div class="col-md-10">
                           <input class="form-control" type="text" name="price"</pre>
placeholder="Price" required>
                        </div>
                         <div class="form-button mt-3">
                             <button id="submit" type="submit" class="btn btn-</pre>
primary">Add</button>
                        </div>
                     </form>
                </div>
            </div>
        </div>
    </div>
</div>
<script type="text/javascript">
   $("#submit").click(function(){
 $("#msg").fadeOut(2000);
});
  </script>
</body>
{% endblock %}
```



Stocks Display

```
{% extends "basetemplate.html" %}
{% block content %}
<h1>Available Products</h1>
ID
    Product Name
    Quantity
    Price
    Image
   </thead>
  {%for item in product%}
   {{item['PRODUCTID']}}
    {{item['PRODUCTNAME']}}
    {{item['PRICE']}}
    {{item['QUANTITY']}}
    <img src='{{item["IMGURL"]}}' alt="">
   {% endfor %}
  {% endblock %}
```

Output:

Retailer Inventory Management Home Product *					
Avallat	ale Protlucts				
ID	Product Name	Quantity	Price	Image	
1	Shoes	450	1000		
2	Hoodie	1200	600	M	
3	Сар	2323	123123	<u>Lat</u>	
4	Watch	2000	222	<u>Lat</u>	
5	CAR	1000000	500		
6	Book	50	1000		

7.2 Feature 2

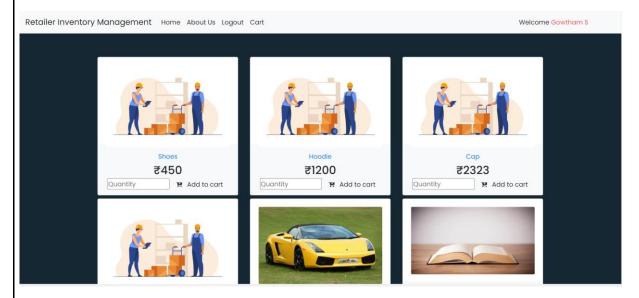
Add to cart

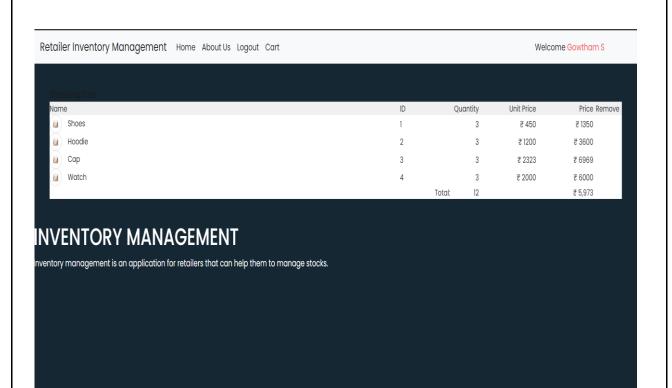
```
{% extends "basetemplate.html" %}
{% block content %}
{% with messages = get_flashed_messages() %}
   {% if messages %}
      {% for message in messages %}
         <h1 id="msg" display="none" style="background-color:
white;">{{message}}</h1>
      {% endfor %}
   {% endif %}
{% endwith %}
<body>
    <div class="form-body">
    <div class="row">
        <div class="form-holder">
            <div class="form-content">
                <div class="form-items">
                    <h3>Add Product</h3>
                    Fill in the data below.
```

```
<form class="requires-validation" action="/addproduct"</pre>
method="post">
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                              <input class="form-control" type="number"</pre>
name="productid" placeholder="Product ID" required>
                          </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                            <input class="form-control" type="text"</pre>
name="productname" placeholder="Product Name" required>
                         </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                              <input class="form-control" type="text" name="imageurl"</pre>
placeholder="Image URL" required>
                          </div>
                         <div class="col-md-10">
                              <input class="form-control" type="text" name="quantity"</pre>
placeholder="Quantity" required>
                         </div>
                        <div class="col-md-10">
                           <input class="form-control" type="text" name="price"</pre>
placeholder="Price" required>
                        </div>
                         <div class="form-button mt-3">
                             <button id="submit" type="submit" class="btn btn-</pre>
primary">Add</button>
                         </div>
                     </form>
                </div>
            </div>
        </div>
    </div>
</div>
<script type="text/javascript">
   $("#submit").click(function(){
  $("#msg").fadeOut(2000);
});
  </script>
 /body>
```

{% endblock %}

Output:





ADVANTAGES & DISADVANTAGES

Advantages

- This project helps to ensure a continuous supply of materials and stock so that production should not suffer at the time of customer demand.
- To avoid both overstocking and under-stocking of inventory.
- To maintain the availability of materials whenever and wherever required in enough quantity.
- To maintain minimum working capital as required for operational and sales activities.
- To optimize various costs indulged with inventories like purchase cost, carrying a cost, storage cost, etc.
- To keep material costs under control as they contribute to reducing the cost of production.
- Ensure everlasting inventory control so that materials shown in stock ledgers are physically lying in the warehouse
- To facilitate the furnishing of data for short and long-term planning with a controlled inventory.

Disadvantages

- Sales prediction
- Unclear communication
- Stocks damage

CHAPTER 11 CONCLUSION

Inventory Management System for Retailers can be used by the business organization to manage their stocks and records easily. Achieving this objective is difficult using the manual system as the information is scattered, can be redundant, and collecting relevant information may be very time-consuming. All these problems are solved by this project. This system helps in maintaining the information of pupils of the organization. It can be easily accessed by persons who and kept safe for a long period of time without any changes.

Inventory management systems make more accessible to Retailers by giving them an easy place to find and sort information. This system allows customers and Retailers to easily communicate and do their requirements.

This project is intended d to serve as the easiest way to handle the Stock database in a centralized manner which can be accessed by any person with the required credentials.

To conclude, this project works like a component that can access all the databases. It overcomes the many limitations in stock management.

- Easy implementation environment
- Generate reports flexibly.

FUTURE SCOPE

The project has a very vast scope in the future. The project can be implemented on

The intranet in the future. The project can be updated near future as and when hen requirement for the same arises, as it is very flexible in terms of expansion. With the proposed software of database Space Manager ready and fully functional, the client is now able to manage and hence run the entire work in a much better, more accurate, and error-free manner.

CHAPTER 13

APPENDIX

Source code:

app.py

```
from flask import Flask, render_template,request,flash,redirect,url_for,session
import ibm_db
import sendgrid
import os
from dotenv import load_dotenv
from sendgrid.helpers.mail import Mail, Email, To, Content

load_dotenv()
app = Flask(__name__)
app.secret_key="123"
conn = ibm_db.connect("DATABASE=bludb;HOSTNAME=6667d8e9-9d4d-4ccb-ba32-
21da3bb5aafc.clogj3sd0tgtu0lqde00.databases.appdomain.cloud;PORT=30376;SECURITY=SSL
;SSLServerCertificate=DigiCertGlobalRootCA.crt;UID=rwc61888;PWD=kjMZoqMxzEKqkAAL",'
','')

@app.route('/')
def index():
```

```
stmt = "SELECT * FROM PRODUCT"
    sql = ibm_db.prepare(conn,stmt)
    ibm_db.execute(sql)
    dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    # print(dictionary)
    a=[]
    while dictionary != False:
        a.append(dictionary)
        # print(dictionary)
        dictionary = ibm db.fetch assoc(sql)
    return render_template('index.html', product=a)
@app.route('/login',methods=["GET","POST"])
def login():
    if request.method=='POST':
        email=request.form['email']
        password=request.form['password']
        sql = "SELECT * FROM CUSTOMER WHERE email =? AND password = ?"
        stmt = ibm_db.prepare(conn, sql)
        ibm_db.bind_param(stmt,1,email)
        ibm db.bind param(stmt,2,password)
        ibm db.execute(stmt)
        account = ibm db.fetch assoc(stmt)
        # print(account)
        if account:
            session["name"]=account["NAME"]
            session["mail"]=account["EMAIL"]
            session["cart_item"]=True
            # print(session)
            return redirect(url for('index'))
        else:
            flash("Username and Password Mismatch", "danger")
    return render template('login.html')
@app.route('/register',methods=['GET','POST'])
def register():
    if request.method=='POST':
        try:
            password2= request.form['password2']
            name=request.form['name']
            password = request.form['password']
            mail=request.form['email']
            print(name)
            if(len(password2)<1 or len(name)<1 or len(mail)<1):</pre>
                flash("Error in Insert Operation")
                return redirect(url for('register'))
            if(password!=password2):
                flash("Password mismatch")
                return redirect(url_for('register'))
```

```
sql = "SELECT * FROM CUSTOMER WHERE name =?"
            stmt = ibm_db.prepare(conn, sql)
            ibm db.bind_param(stmt,1,name)
            ibm db.execute(stmt)
            account = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(stmt)
            if account:
                return render_template('login.html',msg="Account already exists
please login")
            insert_sql = "INSERT INTO CUSTOMER VALUES (?,?,?)"
            prep stmt = ibm db.prepare(conn, insert sql)
            ibm db.bind param(prep stmt, 1, name)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 2, mail)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 3, password2)
            ibm_db.execute(prep_stmt)
            flash("Record Added Successfully", "success")
            sg =
sendgrid.SendGridAPIClient(api_key=os.environ.get('SENDGRID_API_KEY'))
            from_email = Email("gowthamjpm534@gmail.com") # Change to your
verified sender
            to_email = To(mail) # Change to your recipient
            subject = "Registration successful "
            content = Content("text/plain", "You have successfully registered to
the inventory management system for retailers as a customer")
            mail = Mail(from email, to email, subject, content)
            # Get a JSON-ready representation of the Mail object
            mail_json = mail.get()
            # Send an HTTP POST request to /mail/send
            response = sg.client.mail.send.post(request_body=mail_json)
            print(response.status code)
            print(response.headers)
            return redirect(url_for('login'))
        except:
            flash("Error in Insert Operation", "danger")
    return render_template('register.html')
@app.route('/logout')
def logout():
    session.clear()
    return redirect(url for("index"))
@app.route('/test',methods=['GET','POST'])
def test():
    stmt = "SELECT * FROM CUSTOMER"
```

```
sql = ibm_db.prepare(conn,stmt)
    ibm_db.execute(sql)
    dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    print(dictionary)
    a=[]
    while dictionary != False:
        a.append(dictionary)
        print(dictionary)
        dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    return render_template('test.html')
@app.route('/addproduct', methods=['GET','POST'])
def addproduct():
    if request.method=='POST':
        try:
            productname = request.form['productname']
            productid = request.form['productid']
            quantity = int(request.form['quantity'])
            price = int(request.form['price'])
            imageurl = request.form['imageurl']
            insert sql = "INSERT INTO PRODUCT VALUES (?,?,?,?)"
            prep stmt = ibm db.prepare(conn, insert sql)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 1, productid)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 2, productname)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 3, quantity)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 4, price)
            ibm_db.bind_param(prep_stmt, 5,imageurl)
            ibm db.execute(prep stmt)
            flash('Product added successfully')
        except:
            flash('An error occured while adding the product')
        finally:
            return redirect(url for('addproduct'))
    return render template('addproduct.html')
@app.route('/home')
def index1():
    stmt = "SELECT * FROM PRODUCT"
    sql = ibm db.prepare(conn,stmt)
    ibm db.execute(sql)
    dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    print(dictionary)
    a=[]
    while dictionary != False:
        a.append(dictionary)
        # print(dictionary)
        dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
```

```
return render_template("product.html",product=a)
# @app.route('/cartadd',methods=['POST'])
# def cartadd():
      try:
         id= request.form['id']
         quan = int(request.form['quantity'])
         print(id,quan)
         if id and quan:
          stmt = "SELECT * FROM PRODUCT WHERE PRODUCTID =?"
          sql = ibm_db.prepare(conn,stmt)
          ibm_db.bind_param(stmt,1,id)
          ibm db.execute(sql)
          dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
          print(dictionary)
         cart =list()
         session["cart"]=[]
      except:
          return redirect(url for("index"))
      finally:
          return redirect(url for('index'))
@app.route('/cart')
def cart():
    stmt = "SELECT * FROM PRODUCT"
    sql = ibm_db.prepare(conn,stmt)
    ibm db.execute(sql)
    dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    print(dictionary)
    a=[]
    while dictionary != False:
        if dictionary['PRODUCTID'] in [1,2,3,4]:
            a.append(dictionary)
        # print(dictionary)
        dictionary = ibm_db.fetch_assoc(sql)
    print(a)
    return render_template("cart.html",products=a)
if __name__ == '__main__':
    app.run(debug=True)
```

GitHub link:
https://github.com/IBM-EPBL/IBM-Project-23478-1659883673
Video Demo Link:
https://drive.google.com/file/d/1tnt5waXL_sTfgLvRMWPnYj-
jnJ73uSAA/view?usp=sharing