AllegroStyle – Online Marketplace Platform DOCS

1. Application Name

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2. Problem Area

AllegroStyle addresses the needs of small-to-medium retail businesses that want to expand their sales channels beyond brick-and-mortar by offering a distributed e-commerce platform similar to Allegro. It provides a public marketplace storefront where individual shoppers can browse, compare, and purchase goods from a single seller or brand.

3. Project Goals

- Deliver a scalable, distributed web application following a client–server architecture (React front-end + Spring Boot REST back-end).
- Simplify online shopping for customers with fast search, intuitive navigation, and secure checkout.
- Give the seller (admin) powerful management tools, including real-time inventory control and advanced analytics.
- Ensure high security, reliability, and maintainability through Spring Security, Bean Validation, CI.

4. System Responsibilities

AllegroStyle will:

- Authenticate and authorize users with role-based access (buyer vs. admin).
- Expose RESTful endpoints for all core business resources (products, carts, orders, users).
- Persist data in a relational database with version-controlled schema migrations.
- Provide a responsive SPA front-end that consumes the API.
- Generate analytical reports and visual charts for the admin dashboard.

5. System Users

- **Guest** Unregistered visitor browsing products.
- **Buyer** Registered customer with a personal cart, orders, and profile.
- **Administrator** Store owner with full CRUD privileges and analytics dashboard.

6. Functionalities

- Secure user registration, login, logout (JWT + refresh tokens).
- Buyer profile management (edit personal data, change password, view order history).
- Product catalogue: browse, full-text search, filter, category navigation.
- Product details with gallery, price history, ratings & reviews.
- Shopping cart (session-aware), wishlist, recently viewed items.
- Order placement, payment integration (mock provider), shipment tracking.
- **Admin-only** product CRUD, bulk import/export (CSV).
- Complex sales analytics: revenue charts, top products, inventory alerts.
- Dark/light theme & fully responsive UI.
- Public REST API documented with OpenAPI/Swagger.
- API rate-limiting and input validation (Bean Validation).

7. User Requirements

Part 1: Domain Structure (Entities, Properties, Relationships)

Entities & Core Attributes

Address

id (PK), city, country, street, house_number

User

id (PK), username, email, password, role {BUYER, ADMIN}, created_at, address_id (FK → Address)

Category

id (PK), name, parent_category_id (FK → Category)

Product

id (PK), name, description, price, stock_quantity, created_at, category_id (FK → Category), seller_id (FK → User)

Cart

user_id (PK & FK → User), created_at

CartItem

cart_id (PK, FK → Cart), product_id (PK, FK → Product), quantity

Order

id (PK), user_id (FK \rightarrow User), placed_at, status, total, shipping_address_id (FK \rightarrow Address)

OrderItem

order_id (PK, FK → Order), product_id (PK, FK → Product), quantity, unit_price

Review

id (PK), user_id (FK → User), product_id (FK → Product), rating, comment, created_at

Relationships

Relationship	Cardinality	Notes
Address → User	1:*	A single address can be
		shared by many users
Address → Order	1:*	Each order stores a
		shipping address
User → Cart	1:1	`user_id` is both PK & FK in
		Cart
User → Order	1:*	A buyer can place many
		orders
User → Product	1:*	Seller owns many products
User → Review	1:*	Users leave many reviews
Category → Product	1:*	Products belong to a single
		category
Category → Category	1:*	Self-referencing
		parent/child hierarchy
Product → Review	1:*	Each product may collect
		many reviews
Product → OrderItem	1:*	Product appears in many
		order lines
Product → CartItem	1:*	Product appears in many
		carts
Order → OrderItem	1:*	Order is composed of
		multiple order items
Cart → CartItem	1:*	Cart holds multiple cart
		items

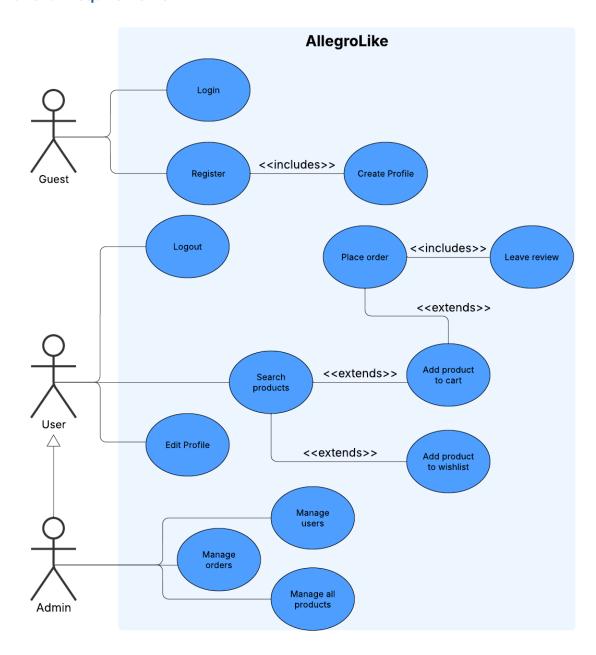
Part 2: Expected Functionality

- Register / login / logout (JWT)
- Edit profile & address book
- Browse & search catalogue; filter by category/price/keyword
- Add/remove items to cart & wishlist
- Checkout → create Order, clear Cart
- Leave product review (only after purchase)
- **Admin**: manage users, products, categories, orders; generate analytics

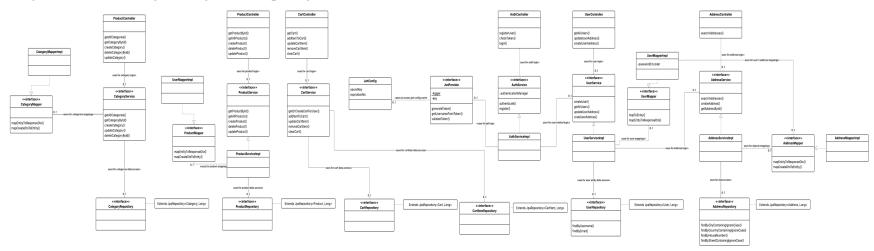
Part 3: Constraints

- Must support the latest 3 versions of Chrome, Firefox, and Edge.
- Passwords hashed (bcrypt, strength ≥ 12).
- Handle \geq 100 concurrent buyers with p95 response < 2 s.
- Daily automated database backup (retention 30 days).
- 99 % monthly uptime; automated health checks & alerting.

8. Functional Requirements



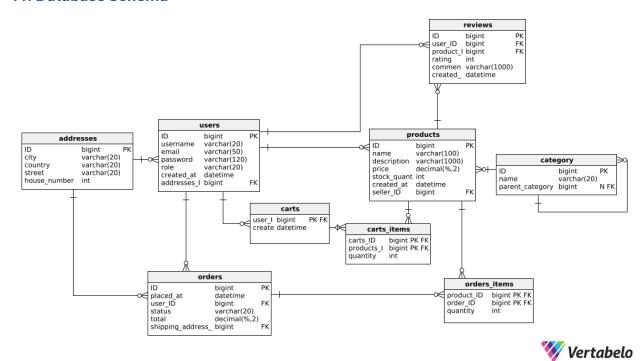
9. System Structure (Conceptual Diagram)



10. Non-functional Requirements

Constraint	Metric
Browser compatibility	Latest 3 versions of Chrome/Firefox/Edge
	(QA quarterly)
Authentication security	bcrypt hash ≥ 12, JWT expiry 1 h (pentest
	report)
Performance	≤ 2 s p95 latency @ 100 concurrent users
	(JMeter load test)
Backup	Daily dump, 30-day retention, recovery test
	monthly
Uptime	≥ 99 % per calendar month (monitoring
	SLA)

11. Database Schema



12. API Endpoints

Endpoint	Method	Description
/api/auth/register	POST	Register new buyer
/api/auth/login	POST	Login & receive tokens
/api/products	GET	List / search products
/api/products/{id}	GET	Product details
/api/products	POST	Create product (admin)
/api/products/{id}	PUT	Update product (admin)
/api/products/{id}	DELETE	Delete product (admin)
/api/cart	GET	Current cart
/api/cart/items	POST	Add item
/api/cart/items/{id}	PATCH	Update quantity
/api/cart/items/{id}	DELETE	Remove item
/api/orders	POST	Place order
/api/orders	GET	Buyer order history
/api/admin	GET	Analytics (admin)

13. Technologies & Tools

Technology	Layer	Purpose
React + Vite	Front-end	SPA user interface
TypeScript	Front-end	Type safety
Spring Boot	Back-end	REST API, business logic
Spring Security	Back-end	AuthN & AuthZ
Bean Validation	Back-end	Input/data validation
**Spring Data JPA +	Back-end	ORM data access
Hibernate**		
MySQL 8	Database	Primary relational store
Liquibase	DevOps	Schema migrations
**Docker / Docker	DevOps	Containerization
Compose**		
JWT	Security	Stateless sessions
d3.js	Front-end	Visual analytics
OpenAPI (Swagger)	Docs	API documentation

14. UI/UX Mock-ups

• Sign in



Register



• Sign In ERROR



Home Page

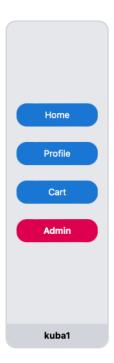




• Buyer Profile



Navbar



• Admin Dashboard (sales charts)

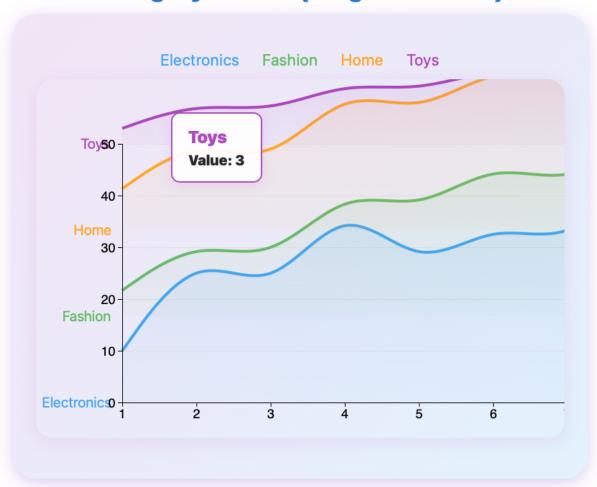


Sales Overview



Category Trends

Category Trends (Ridgeline Chart)



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