

Banking app

This is a model banking app which can also be used for real purposes such as budget management and tracking spending. I created it by myself as a hobby and to expand my knowledge and demonstrate understanding in java class structures, GUI modeling, data structures, and use of APIs. This is version 2 of this app and includes several new features such as use of a database, better user experience, exporting of data, and timestamps for transactions.

This project might still have issues that haven't been found. The biggest difficulty in making this was creating a database to store data. The current database is a public txt file read by a scanner, which isn't secure or efficient. I plan on using better types of databases in future projects. Another major difficulty was using maven dependencies, it was my first time using them and I had to learn how to write the pom.xml file and read several API docs to figure out the suitable APIs to use.

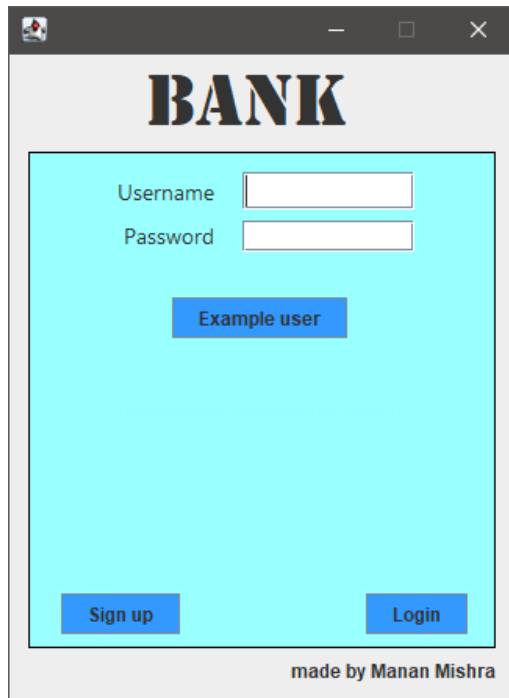
Overall, this project took about 20 hours over the course of 2 weeks and I learned a lot about several different java concepts and how they all work with each other when packaging a real application.

APIs

- The JFrame framework was used to create the GUI
- Mindrot jbcrypt-0.4 was used to encrypt passwords to be stored in the database
- Apache pdfbox-3.0.0 was used for exporting pdfs

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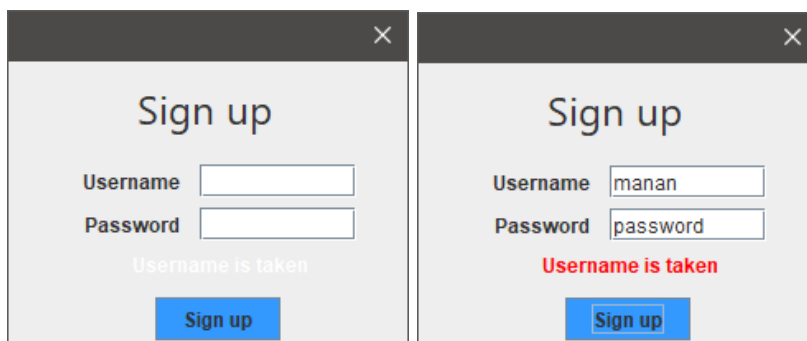
App walkthrough



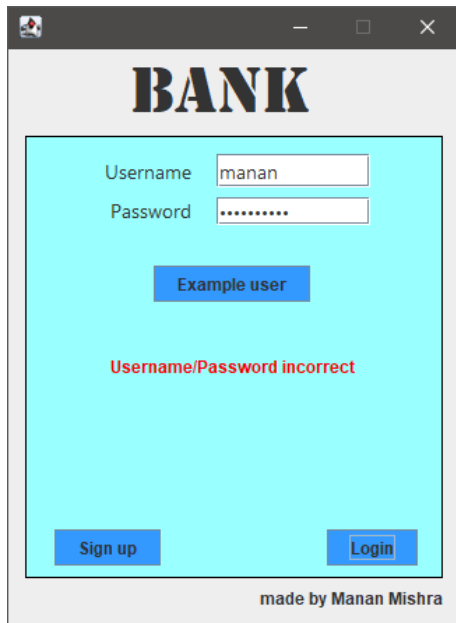
This is the login and screen and the first window shown after opening app

The example user button fills in the username and password fields with “manan” and “password” respectively. This user is a model user and has a long transaction history.

The sign up button opens the sign up window which is where new users can sign up with a username and password. The username must be unique.

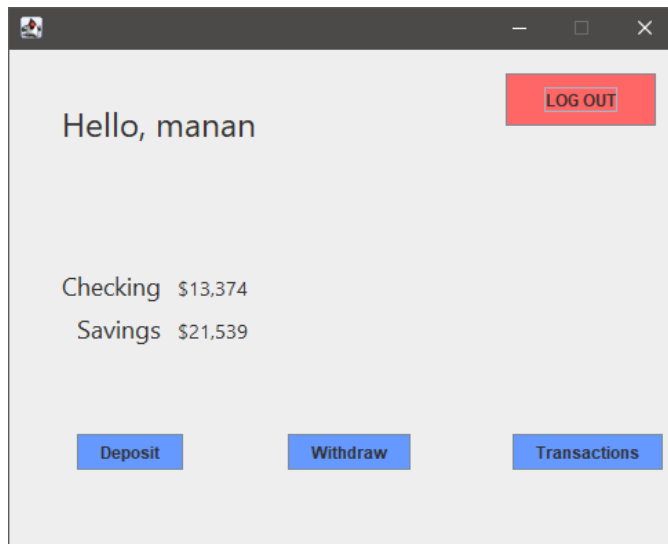


The login button checks if the username and password combos are right, if not, it shows an error message



A screenshot of a web browser window titled "BANK". The window has a light gray header with the word "BANK" in large, bold, black letters. Below the header is a light blue rectangular area containing the login form. The form has two input fields: "Username" with the text "manan" and "Password" with masked characters ".....". Below these fields is a blue button labeled "Example user". Underneath the button, the text "Username/Password incorrect" is displayed in red. At the bottom of the light blue area are two blue buttons: "Sign up" on the left and "Login" on the right. Below the light blue area, the text "made by Manan Mishra" is visible in a small font.

If the combo was right, a new account window opens



A screenshot of a web browser window showing a user's account page. The window has a light gray header. Below the header, the text "Hello, manan" is displayed on the left, and a red button labeled "LOG OUT" is on the right. Below this, the account balances are shown: "Checking \$13,374" and "Savings \$21,539". At the bottom of the window are three blue buttons: "Deposit", "Withdraw", and "Transactions".

This window shows the account balances, and allows the user to perform several actions.

The deposit button is used to deposit money into either one of the two accounts, the value given must be a valid double

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Deposit

To account: ☒ Checking ☐ Savings

Select an account

Amount: \$

Enter a valid amount

Deposit

×

Deposit

To account: ☒ Checking ☐ Savings

Select an account

Amount: \$

Enter a valid amount

Deposit

The withdraw button is used to withdraw money from either account, the value must be lower than or equal to balance and it must be a valid double

×

Withdraw

From account: ☒ Checking ☐ Savings

Select an account

Amount: \$

Enter a valid amount

Insufficient funds

Withdraw

×

Withdraw

From account: ☒ Checking ☐ Savings

Select an account

Amount: \$

Enter a valid amount

Insufficient funds

Withdraw

×

Withdraw

From account: ☐ Checking ☒ Savings

Select an account

Amount: \$

Enter a valid amount

Insufficient funds

Withdraw

The transactions button is used to show all transaction made in both accounts, it also shows the date and time of transactions.

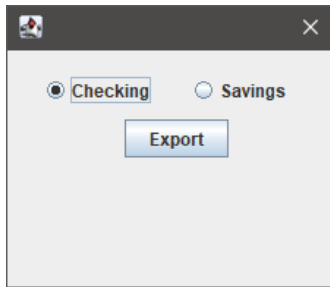
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Transactions

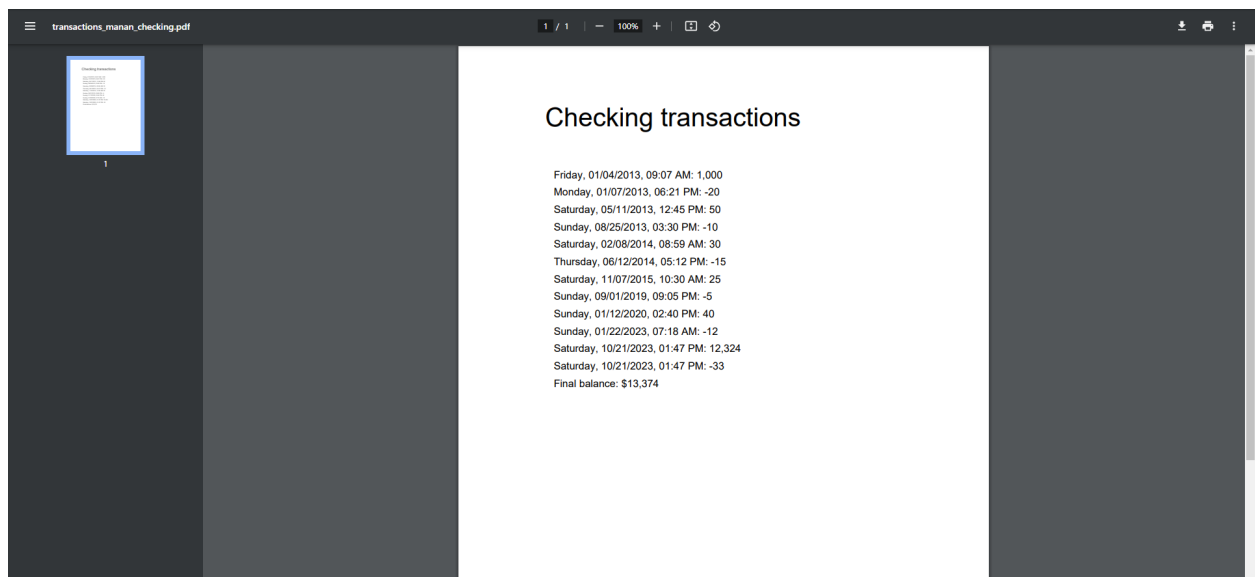
Export

Date	Checkings	Date	Savings
Friday, 01/04/2013, 09:07 AM	1,000	Thursday, 01/03/2013, 12:00 AM	20,000
Monday, 01/07/2013, 06:21 PM	-20	Saturday, 07/04/2015, 09:07 AM	1,000
Saturday, 05/11/2013, 12:45 PM	50	Sunday, 01/28/2018, 06:21 PM	-20
Sunday, 08/25/2013, 03:30 PM	-10	Sunday, 08/12/2018, 12:45 PM	50
Saturday, 02/08/2014, 08:59 AM	30	Wednesday, 01/15/2020, 03:30 PM	-10
Thursday, 06/12/2014, 05:12 PM	-15	Saturday, 01/08/2022, 08:59 AM	30
Saturday, 11/07/2015, 10:30 AM	25	Monday, 12/05/2022, 05:12 PM	-15
Sunday, 09/01/2019, 09:05 PM	-5	Tuesday, 07/11/2023, 10:30 AM	25
Sunday, 01/12/2020, 02:40 PM	40	Saturday, 10/21/2023, 01:47 PM	456
Sunday, 01/22/2023, 07:18 AM	-12		
Saturday, 10/21/2023, 01:47 PM	12,324		
Saturday, 10/21/2023, 01:47 PM	-33		

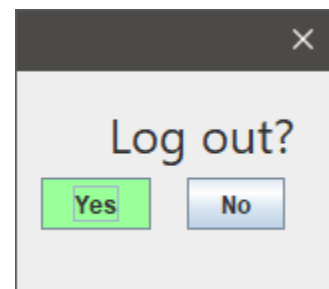
The export button shows a dialog for choosing an account



The export button then opens a pdf with the selected account transactions, which is saved in the same directory as the app



The logout button shows a confirmation and logs the user out



Closing the window without logging out shows an error message

