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Building User Screen Flows

Activity 2.02 — creating a login form with registerForActivityResult

Solution

Perform the following steps to solve the problem:

- 1. Create a new Android Studio project with an empty Activity.
- 2. Add three MutableState properties for a username, a password, and an error message below the MainActivity class header:

```
private var username by mutableStateOf("")
private var password by mutableStateOf("")
private var message by mutableStateOf("")
```

3. Create a form with username and password TextField Composables and a login button:

```
Scaffold(
    modifier = Modifier
        .fillMaxSize()
) { innerPadding ->
    Box(
        Modifier
        .fillMaxSize()
        .padding(innerPadding),
        contentAlignment = Alignment.Center
```

```
) {
    Column(
        modifier = Modifier
            .fillMaxSize()
            .padding(16.dp),
        verticalArrangement = Arrangement.Top
    ) {
       TextField(
            value = username,
            onValueChange = { username = it },
            label = { Text("Username") },
            modifier = Modifier.fillMaxWidth()
        )
        Spacer(modifier = Modifier.height(8.dp))
        TextField(
            value = password,
            onValueChange = { password = it },
            label = { Text("Password") },
            modifier = Modifier.fillMaxWidth()
        )
        Spacer(modifier = Modifier.height(16.dp))
        Button(
            onClick = {},
            modifier = Modifier.fillMaxWidth()
        ) {
            Text("Login")
        }
        Spacer(modifier = Modifier.height(8.dp))
        Text(
            text = message,
            modifier = Modifier.padding(16.dp)
        )
    }
```

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4. Add two constants called USERNAME_KEY and PASSWORD_KEY above the class header to send the username and password as Extra keys in a Bundle:

```
const val USERNAME_KEY = "USERNAME_KEY"
const val PASSWORD_KEY = "PASSWORD_KEY"
```

5. Create another constant above LOGIN_RESULT to set the data returned from LoginActivity:

```
const val LOGIN_RESULT = "LOGIN_RESULT"
```

6. Create a new empty Activity called LoginActivity (you can do this by selecting File | New | Activity | Gallery | Empty Activity) and create two properties called username and password in onCreate to retrieve the USERNAME_KEY and PASSWORD_KEY values:

```
val username = intent.getStringExtra(USERNAME_KEY)
val password = intent.getStringExtra(PASSWORD_KEY)
```

7. Create a property in MainActivity to register for an Activity result and set a message after evaluating LOGIN_RESULT to welcome the user if validation is successful, and an error message if it is not:

8. Add a ClickListener to the login button in MainActivity to validate that the form fields are filled in correctly and start LoginActivity, sending the username and password, and the register for an Activity result property:

```
onClick = {
    if (
        username.isNotEmpty() &&
        password.isNotEmpty()
    ) {
        val intent = Intent(
            this@MainActivity,
            LoginActivity::class.java
        ).apply {
            putExtra(USERNAME KEY, username)
            putExtra(PASSWORD_KEY, password)
        startForResult.launch(intent)
    } else {
        message = "Please fill in all fields."
    }
},
```

9. Finally, in onCreate in LoginActivity, check the submitted username and password fields against the hardcoded values in LoginActivity and send the result back to MainActivity with LOGIN_RESULT Extra and finish the Activity by calling finish():

```
val loginResult = (
    username == "username" &&
    password == "password"
)

val resultIntent = Intent().apply {
    putExtra(LOGIN_RESULT, loginResult)
}
setResult(RESULT_OK, resultIntent)
finish()
```