Experiment 3.1 — Web Applications Using Servlets, JSP, and JDBC

Topic: Web Applications Using Servlets and JSP for User Input Handling and Database Integration

Part (a): User Login Using Servlet and HTML Form

Objective: Develop a Servlet that accepts user credentials from an HTML form and displays a personalized message upon successful login.

Explanation: An HTML form posts username and password to a LoginServlet. The servlet reads parameters via request.getParameter(), validates credentials (hardcoded here), and returns an HTML response with a welcome or error message.

HTML (login.html):

Servlet (LoginServlet.java):

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import java.io.*;
import jakarta.servlet.*;
import jakarta.servlet.http.*;
public class LoginServlet extends HttpServlet {
    protected void doPost(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
            throws ServletException, IOException {
        response.setContentType("text/html");
        PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
        String user = request.getParameter("username");
        String pass = request.getParameter("password");
        // Hardcoded validation
        if ("admin".equals(user) && "12345".equals(pass)) {
            out.println("<h2>Welcome, " + user + "!</h2>");
            out.println("Login Successful.");
            out.println("<h2>Invalid Credentials</h2>");
            out.println("Please try again.");
    }
}
```

Sample Output:

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Sample Output (Valid Login):
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Welcome, admin!
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Login Successful.

Sample Output (Invalid Login):

Invalid Credentials Please try again.

Part (b): Display Employee Records with JDBC and Servlet Integration

Objective: Create a Servlet that connects to a database using JDBC and displays a list of employees; include a search by Employee ID.

Explanation: The EmployeeServlet connects to MySQL via JDBC, queries the employee table, and generates an HTML table for all records or a detailed view when an empid parameter is supplied.

Database Setup:

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Database setup (MySQL):
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 CREATE DATABASE company;
 USE company;
 CREATE TABLE employee (
    EmpID INT PRIMARY KEY,
    Name VARCHAR(50),
    Salary DOUBLE
 );
 INSERT INTO employee VALUES (101, 'Saksham', 55000);
 INSERT INTO employee VALUES (102, 'Riya', 60000);
 INSERT INTO employee VALUES (103, 'Arjun', 50000);
HTML (employee.html):
 <!DOCTYPE html>
 <html>
 <head><title>Employee Search</title></head>
 <body>
     <h2>Search Employee by ID</h2>
     <form action="EmployeeServlet" method="get">
         Enter Employee ID: <input type="text" name="empid" required&gt;
         <input type="submit" value="Search"&gt;
     Leave blank to list all employees.
 </body>
 </html>
Servlet (EmployeeServlet.java):
 import java.io.*;
 import java.sql.*;
 import jakarta.servlet.*;
 import jakarta.servlet.http.*;
 public class EmployeeServlet extends HttpServlet {
     protected void doGet(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
             throws ServletException, IOException {
         response.setContentType("text/html");
         PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
         String empid = request.getParameter("empid");
         try {
             Class.forName("com.mysql.cj.jdbc.Driver");
             Connection con = DriverManager.getConnection(
                     "jdbc:mysql://localhost:3306/company", "root", "your_password");
             if (empid != null && !empid.isEmpty()) {
                 PreparedStatement ps = con.prepareStatement("SELECT * FROM employee WHERE E
                 ps.setInt(1, Integer.parseInt(empid));
                 ResultSet rs = ps.executeQuery();
                 if (rs.next()) {
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out.println("<h3>Employee Details</h3>");
                 out.println("ID: " + rs.getInt("EmpID") + "");
                 out.println("Name: " + rs.getString("Name") + "");
                 out.println("Salary: " + rs.getDouble("Salary") + "");
              } else {
                 out.println("<h3>No employee found with ID: " + empid + "</h3>");
              }
          } else {
              Statement stmt = con.createStatement();
              ResultSet rs = stmt.executeQuery("SELECT * FROM employee");
              out.println("<h3>Employee List</h3>");
              out.println("IDNameSalary<
              while (rs.next()) {
                 out.println("" + rs.getInt("EmpID") + "" + rs.getString") + "
              out.println("");
          }
          con.close();
       } catch (Exception e) {
          out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage() + "");
       }
   }
}
```

Sample Output:

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Sample Output (All Employees):
_____
EmpID | Name | Salary
101 | Saksham | 55000.0
102 | Riya | 60000.0
103 | Arjun | 50000.0
Sample Output (Search empid=102):
Employee Details
ID: 102
Name: Riya
Salary: 60000.0
```

Part (c): Student Attendance Portal Using JSP and Servlet

Objective: Build a JSP frontend and a Servlet backend to save attendance records to a database.

Explanation: The JSP displays an attendance form that posts to AttendanceServlet. The servlet reads parameters, inserts the record into the attendance table via JDBC, and returns a confirmation.

Database Setup:

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Database setup (MySQL):
CREATE DATABASE college;
USE college;
CREATE TABLE attendance (
    StudentID INT,
    Date DATE,
    Status VARCHAR(10)
);
JSP (attendance.jsp):
<%@ page language="java" contentType="text/html; charset=UTF-8" pageEncoding="UTF-8"%>
<!DOCTYPE html>
<head><title>Student Attendance</title></head>
 <body>
    <h2>Attendance Submission</h2>
    <form action="AttendanceServlet" method="post">
        Student ID: <input type="text" name="sid" required&gt;<br><br>
        Date: <input type="date" name="date" required&gt;<br><br>
        <select name="status"&gt;
            <option value="Present"&gt;Present&lt;/option&gt;
            <option value="Absent"&gt;Absent&lt;/option&gt;
        </select&gt;<br><br>
        <input type="submit" value="Submit Attendance"&gt;
    </form>
 </body>
 </html>
Servlet (AttendanceServlet.java):
import java.io.*;
import java.sql.*;
import jakarta.servlet.*;
import jakarta.servlet.http.*;
public class AttendanceServlet extends HttpServlet {
    protected void doPost(HttpServletRequest request, HttpServletResponse response)
            throws ServletException, IOException {
        response.setContentType("text/html");
        PrintWriter out = response.getWriter();
        String sid = request.getParameter("sid");
        String date = request.getParameter("date");
        String status = request.getParameter("status");
        try {
            Class.forName("com.mysql.cj.jdbc.Driver");
            Connection con = DriverManager.getConnection(
                PreparedStatement ps = con.prepareStatement("INSERT INTO attendance (StudentID,
            ps.setInt(1, Integer.parseInt(sid));
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ps.setString(2, date);
ps.setString(3, status);
ps.executeUpdate();

out.println("<h3>Attendance Recorded Successfully!</h3>");
out.println("Student ID: " + sid + "");
out.println("Date: " + date + "");
out.println("Status: " + status + "");

con.close();
} catch (Exception e) {
  out.println("Error: " + e.getMessage() + "");
}
}
```

Sample Output:

Sample Output:

Attendance Recorded Successfully!

Student ID: 101 Date: 2025-10-29 Status: Present