

## Types of e-commerce Architectures

i) Two-Tier ii) Three-Tier

A two tier architecture refers two components of your ecommerce business that function on two sides of the architecture.

The first is the client side (user Interface).

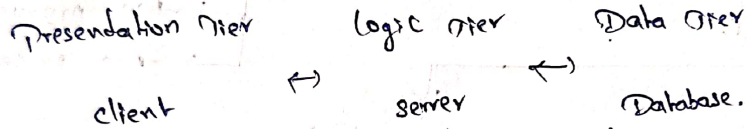
The second is the server side, which holds database data.

### Two tier Architecture

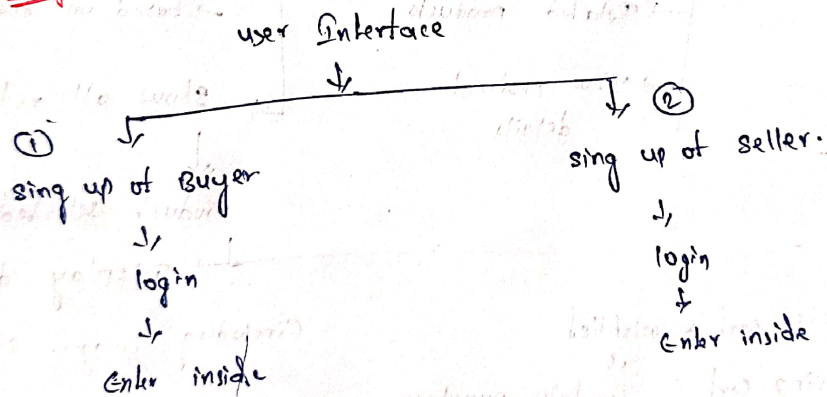
a) client tier

b) Database tier

=> Three-Tier



=> Presentation Layer



→ Step-1: sign up/login options

→ Step-2: Business layer.

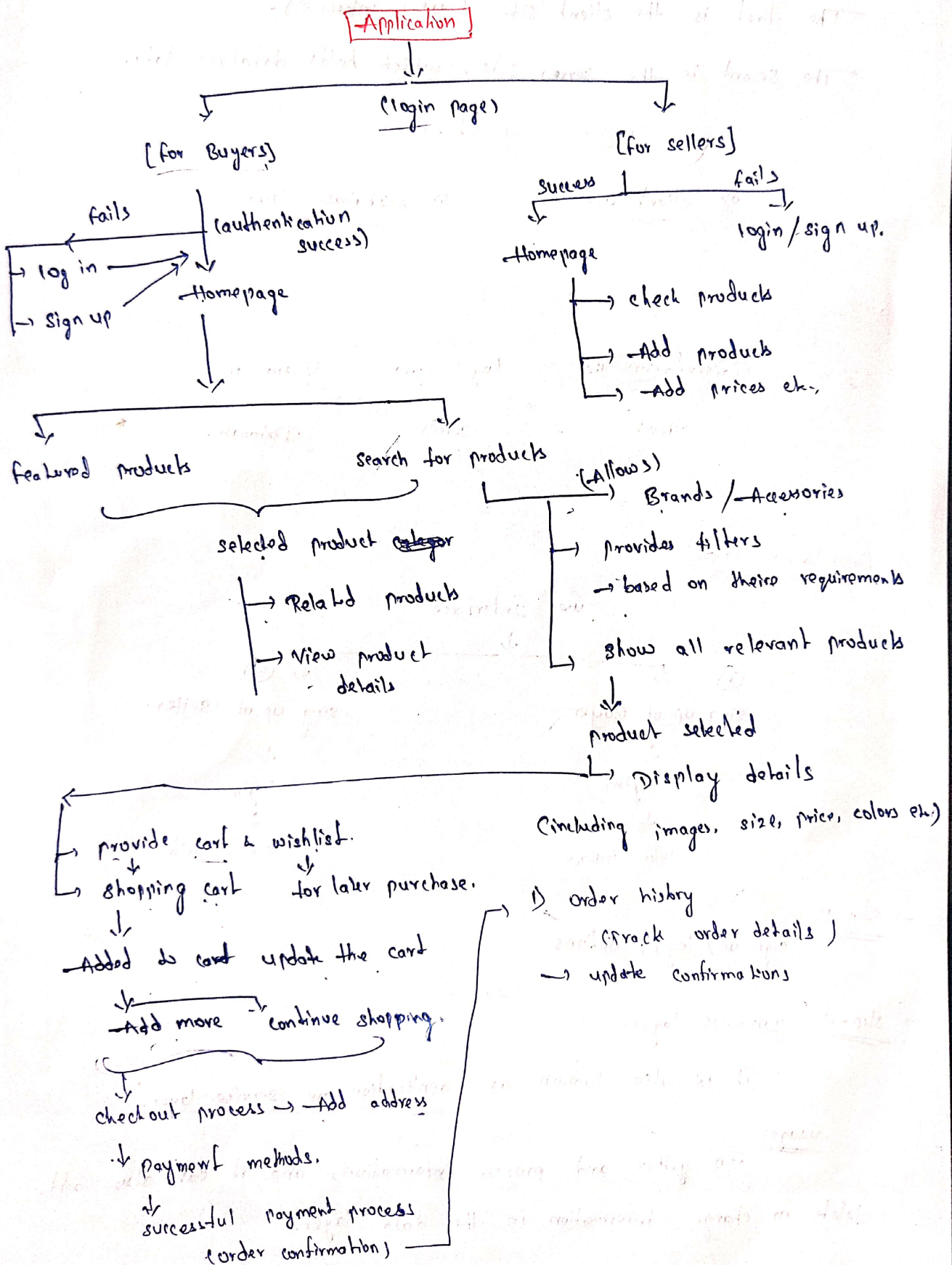
It is also known as 'application or service layer'.

usage: To gather and process information, and it can also add, delete or change information in the data layer.

## Step-2: Data layer

Database layer, is the final layer used to store data and process requests.

flow





## Requirements:

### 1) User Authentication and Registration.

- Sign sign in. and sign out.
- authentication mechanisms like email verification & password reset.

### 2) Homepage

- Display featured products, trending items, and personalized recommendations for user.
- Implement search bar to help users to find products easily.

### 3) Product Listing and Details

- products into various departments and display them.
- provide filters and sorting options for users to make them easy search.
- show detailed product pages with images, descriptions, prices, and reviews.

### 4) Shopping cart

- Add to cart for later purchase.
- Display the cart total and price of each product and allow users to modify quantities or remove items.

### 5) Checkout and payments

- Implement a secure and protected checkout process.
- Different types of payment methods.

### 6) User profiles

- Allow users to manage their account information, order history, and shipping address.

### 7) wishlist

→ to save products, wish to purchase ~~later~~ later.

### 8) Order Management

→ provide dashboard for users to track their order status

→ implement order processing and status updates.

### 9) Reviews & Ratings

allow users to ~~leave~~ reviews & ratings.