

Hackathone: Day 1 15-01-25

LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR YOUR MARKETPLACE JOURNEY:

STEP: 1 MARKET PLACE TYPE

Chosen Type: I have decided General E-commerce
Primary Purpose:

After considering the options, I have decided to go with General E-commerce Market Place specifically focused on shirts. The primary purpose of my market place is to provide customers with an easy and reliable platform to purchase high quality shirts, catering to various styles such as casual, formal and trendy designs.

STEP 1.2 Define your business goals

1- Problem to solve:

Many people struggle to find a platform that offers stylish, high quality shirts at affordable prices. My market place aims to bridge this gap by providing a wide variety of shirts and

ensuring a seamless shopping experience.

2- Target Audience:

- Young professionals who need well fitted - formal shirts for work.
- Trend-conscious individuals who are always on the lookout for fashionable casual shirts.
- Budget-conscious customers who want good quality at a reasonable price.

3- Products/Services offered:

- A curated collection of shirts categorised into casuals, Formal, Party wear and custom Designs.
- Advanced filters for easy browsing by size, colors, brands and material.
- Exclusive offer like discounts for loyal customers.

4- What sets it APART:

- Customization: Customers can create personalised shirts by choosing their preferred colored, fit and style.
- Affordability: Competitive pricing with regular promotions and discounts.

- Fast delivery: 2-day delivery for urban areas and standard delivery for others.

STEP 3: DATA SCHEMA:

1. Entities:

The core components of the shirt marketplace:

- Products (Shirts)
- orders
- Customers
- Delivery Zones
- Shipment

2- Relationship b/w Entities:

[Product]

ID

Name

Price

Stock

Size

Category

[Order]

order ID

product ID

Quantity

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[Customer]

Customer ID

Name

Contact info

[Shipment]

Shipment ID

order ID

Status

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[Delivery Zone]

Zone name

Coverage area

Assigned driver

Key fields for each entity:

1- Products:

- ID : A unique identifier for each shirt in the catalog.
- Name : The name of the shirt.
- Price : The cost of the shirt.
- Stock : The quantity available in inventory.

- **Size**: The available sizes for the shirt (Casual, formal, Party-wear)
- **Tags**: Keywords for easier search and filtering.

2 - Orders:

- **order ID**: A unique identifier for each order placed.
- **customer info**: Detail about the customer, including name, contact & address.
- **product detail**: Information about the product in the order such as name, quantity and price.
- **Status**: The current state of the order (eg: Pending, shipped)
- **Timestamp**: The date and time when the order was placed.

3 - customers:

- **Customer ID**: A unique identifier for each customer.
- **Name**: The full name of the customer.
- **Contact info**: The customer's phone number and email address.
- **Address**: The delivery address provided by the customer.
- **Order history**: A list of past orders placed by the customer.

4- Delivery Zone:

- **Zone name:** A unique identifier or name for the delivery area.
- **Coverage Area:** The regions or postal codes serviced within the delivery zone.
- **Assigned Drivers:** Information about the drivers or couriers allocated to the zone.

5- Shipment:

- **Shipment ID:** A unique identifier for tracking.
- **Order ID:** The ID of the order in which shipment is associated with the shipment.
- **Status:** The current status of the shipment (e.g.: In Transit, Delivered).
- **Delivery Date:** The expected or actual delivery date of the shipment.

Simple Data Schema Diagram:

