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1. Introduction

This coursework is about developing and designing the OOAD (Object-Oriented Analysis and Design). The designing and developing of OOAD is done to streamline and improve the operation of the Inventory Management System (IMS) of Global Tech Corporation. Before developing OOAD we also developed the planning diagrams Like (WBS and Gantt Chart) whereas OOAD like use case diagram, communication diagram and activity diagram are developed.

This coursework highlights the importance of system planning, requirement analysis and OOAD diagrams in developing a successful system. The Planning diagram like WBS and Gantt Chart helps in project management. It helps to divide work between teams and helps with tracking work progress as well. This coursework gives hand-on experience of developing and designing well-mannered structure to ensure proper system development.

2. Planning Diagrams

2.1 WBS(Work Breakdown Structure)

A WBS (Work Breakdown Structure) is a project handling method that breaks down the projects into multiple smaller, more manageable tasks and group of tasks. It is a visual diagram that breaks down the entire project deliverables to make it easier to plan, organize, and track progress. (Adobe Experience Cloud Team, 2023)

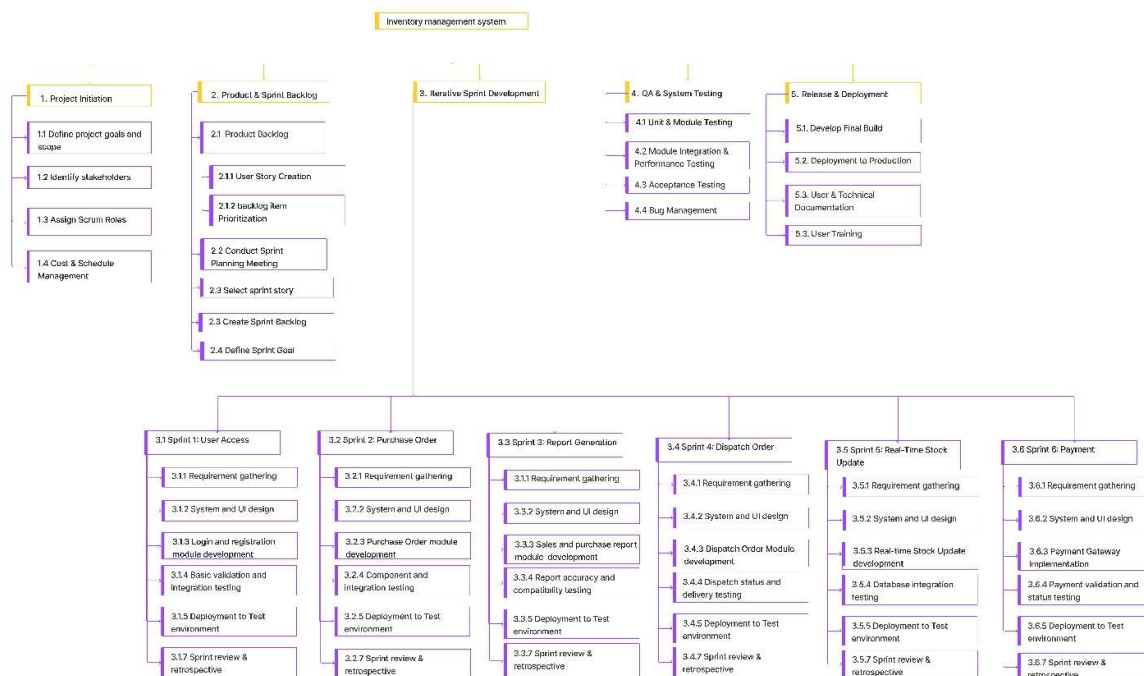


Figure 1: WBS

In the above WBS diagram, there are five main activities that are Project Initiation, product & sprint backlog, QA & system testing and finally release & deployment. The above work breakdown structure follows the agile scrum method so there are multiple iterative sprints from sprint1 to sprint6. The sprint consists of requirement gathering, system and UI design, feature development, unit testing, sprint review and sprint retrospective.

2.2 Gantt Chart

A Gantt Chart is a visual representation of project schedule. It is a graphical chart/diagram which shows the start and end dates of the project's tasks, dependencies of tasks, milestone, etc. The bars inside the tasks represent their timeline which consists of start date , end date, task sequences and duration. (Grant, 2024)

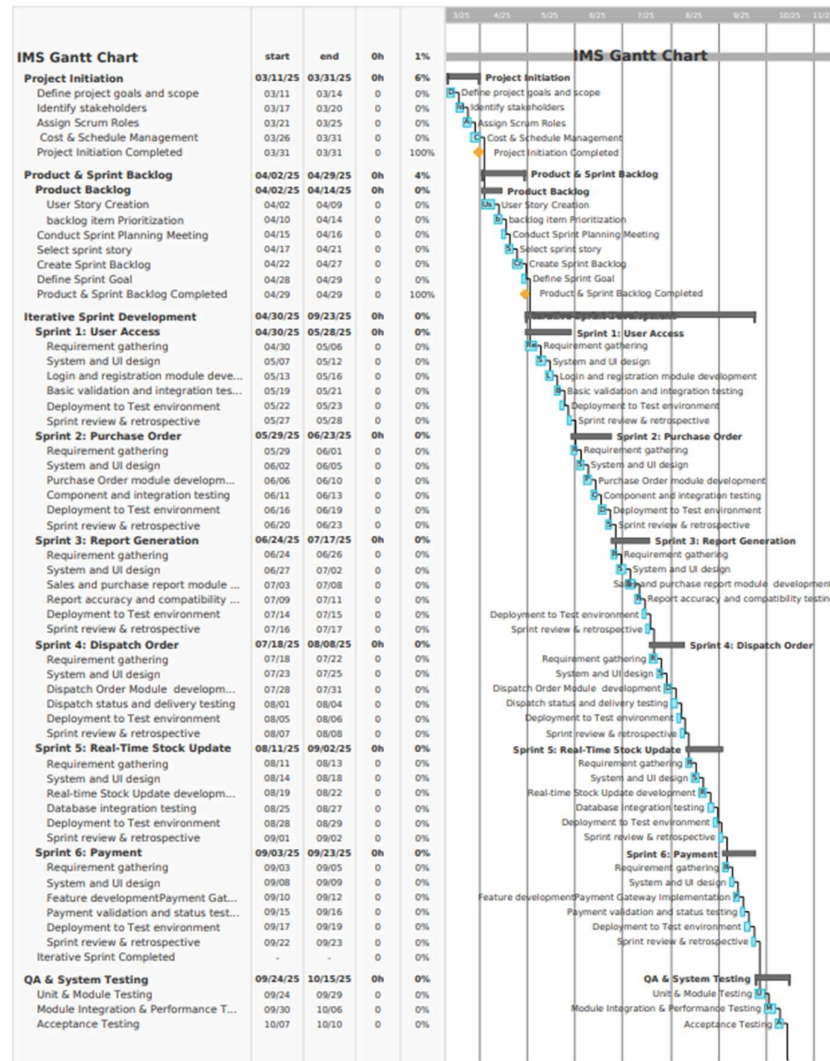


Figure 2: Gantt Chart

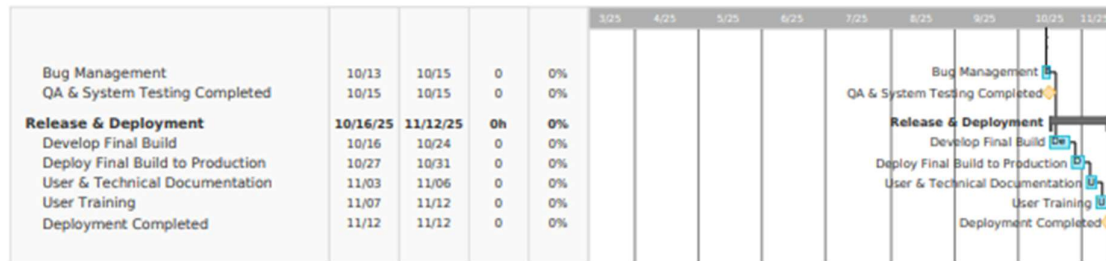


Figure 3: Gantt Chart 2

There above Gantt Chart shows the progress and deadline of the system development activities and tasks. The Gantt Chart is made by following agile scrum methodology. The Gantt chart shows name of multiple tasks and milestone on the left side of the diagram. The diagrams also show created date, end date and progress of all the tasks.

The start date and close date of the main activity/tasks are listed below.

Table 1: Tasks Start & End Date

Activity/Tasks Name	Start Date	End Date
Project Initiation	03/11/25	03/31/25
Product & Sprint Backlog	04/02/25	04/29/25
Iterative Sprint Development	04/30/25	09/23/25
QA & System Testing	09/24/25	10/15/25
Release & Deployment	10/16/25	11/12/25

3.2 High Level Description

1. Access users to system

- **Name:** Access users to system
- **Actors:** Admin, Customer
- **Description:** The users(Admin or Customers) need to register with credentials like username, password and role to create a new account. Then the user can use those registered credentials to login to the system. The system will redirect users to their respective dashboard according to the user's role.

2. Create Purchase Order

- **Name:** Create Purchase Order
- **Actors:** Admin
- **Description:** Admin creates purchase order consisting of product details to restock the products. The purchase order details will be sent to the selected suppliers .

3. Generate Report

- **Name:** Generate Report
- **Actors:** Admin, Customer
- **Description:** This feature allows admin and customers to generate reports like purchase report, sales report and purchase report.

4. Dispatch Order

- **Name:** Dispatch Order

- **Actors:** Admin, Staff
- **Description:** After the payment and delivery address is confirmed the admin will monitor the Dispatch order process and staff will deliver the order to the designated address.

5. Real Time Stock Update

- **Name:** Real Time Stock Update
- **Actors:** Admin
- **Description:** When purchase order and sales order are placed, the system will update the stock accordingly. The admin can monitor and manage this process through an admin dashboard as well.

6. Payment

- **Name:** Payment
- **Actors:** Customer
- **Description:** After selecting items and while checking out, customers can choose between different payment methods i.e. COD and Online Payment. The system processes the payment and updates the order status and sales order.

3.3 Expanded Level Description

1. Payment Expanded Level Description

- **Name:** Payment
- **Actors:** Customer
- **Purpose:** To give customers options to make payments for their purchase
- **Overview:** After selecting items and while checking out, customers can choose between different payment methods i.e. COD and Online Payment. The system processes the payment and updates the order status and sales order.
- **Type:** Primary, Essential
- **Action Steps:**

Table 2: Payment Expanded Level Description

Actor Action	System Response
1. Customer selects items and proceeds to checkout.	2. The system calculates the total price of the selected items.
3. Customers proceed to make payment.	4. System will display the price and payment option (COD or Online payment).
5. Customers choose the payment option(COD or Online Payment)	6. If online payment is selected the system redirects user to payment gateway.
7. User will enter the payment credentials in the payment portal.	8. The system will validate the payment. If successful displays message "payment successful " to customer.

- **Alternative Course of Action:**

- **Line-3:** If online payment options fail, the customer can choose Cash on Delivery option.
- **Line-2:** If customers choose Cash on Delivery the order is placed successfully, and the payment is marked as pending.

2. Access User to Systems Expanded Level Description

- **Name:** Access User to Systems
- **Actors:** Customer, Admin
- **Purpose:** Allow Admins and customers to register and login into the system
- **Overview:** The users(Admin and Customers) first must register as customers or admin to create an account. Then the users can login with appropriate login credentials to access their individual dashboard or portal.
- **Type:** Primary, Essential
- **Action Steps:**

Table 3: Access User System Expanded Level Description

Actor Action	System Response
1. User will click on account setting.	2. The system will redirect user to login page and ask user to login into the account.
3. If the user does not have an account, the user will click on the signup/register button.	4. The system will redirect user to the registration page.
5. Users will register with the required details like username, password and role.	6. The system validates the details and checks if the username is available.

7. If the username is available, the user submits the registration form.	8. The system will create a new account and notify user.
9. After registering, the user will login to the system with the registered username and password.	10. The system authenticates the user entered credential. If the entered credential is valid the system will grant the user with Admin/Customer dashboard.

- **Alternative Course of Action:**

- **Line-2:** If an account with entered username already exists, the system will prompt user to enter different username.
- **Line-2:** If entered account details are invalid , the system will prompt users to register again with proper details.
- **Line-6:** After the user enters the login credentials , if the credential is invalid the system will prompt the user to reenter the credentials.
- **Line-6:** If the entered username does not exist, the system will prompt user to register an account.

3.4 Communication Diagram

The communication diagram is also known as collaboration diagram. Communication diagram is the graphical representation of how the objects interact with each other. It has elements like objects, actors, links and messages. This diagram is suitable for showcasing the simple interaction between few numbers of objects (Lewis, 2023)

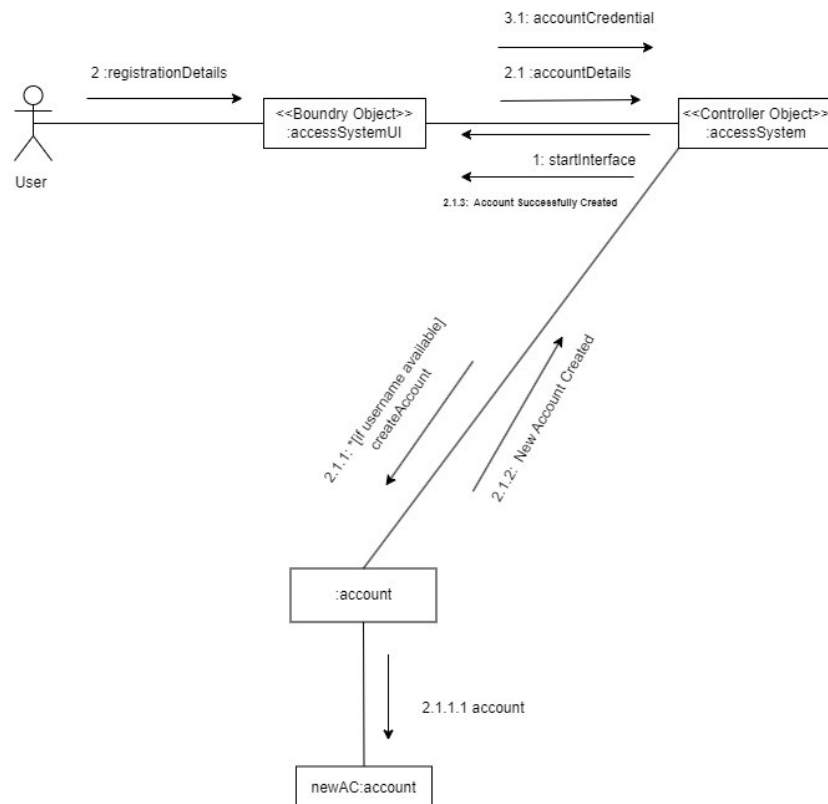


Figure 5: Communication Diagram Part 1

First, the controller starts the interface. Then the user will enter the registration details by filling in the registration form. The boundary object will then forward these details to the controller object. The controller object will then send the details to validate the account object. The new account will create a new account for the user if the details are unique(username, email). The account object will send a message to the controller object and the controller will forward that message to the boundary object.

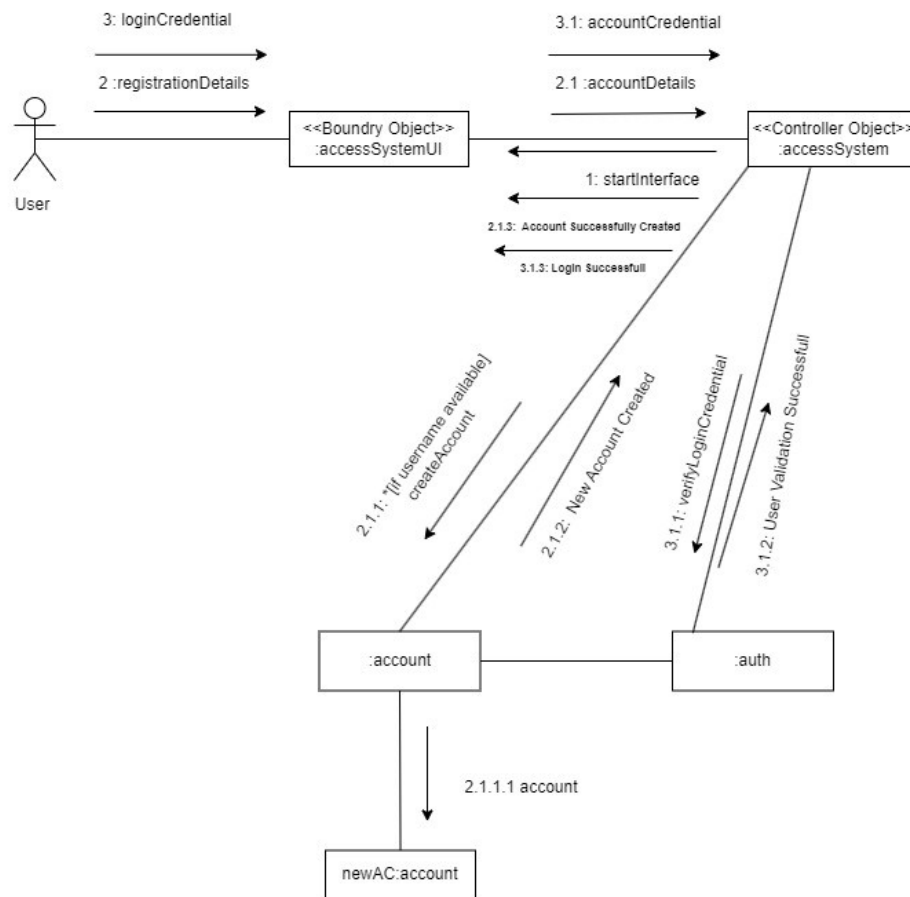


Figure 6: Communication Diagram Part 2

After creating the account, the user will then proceed to log into the system by providing the login credential. The boundary object will forward the credentials to the controller and the controller forward it to the auth object to authenticate the login credentials. If the login credentials are valid the auth object will send a message to the controller object.

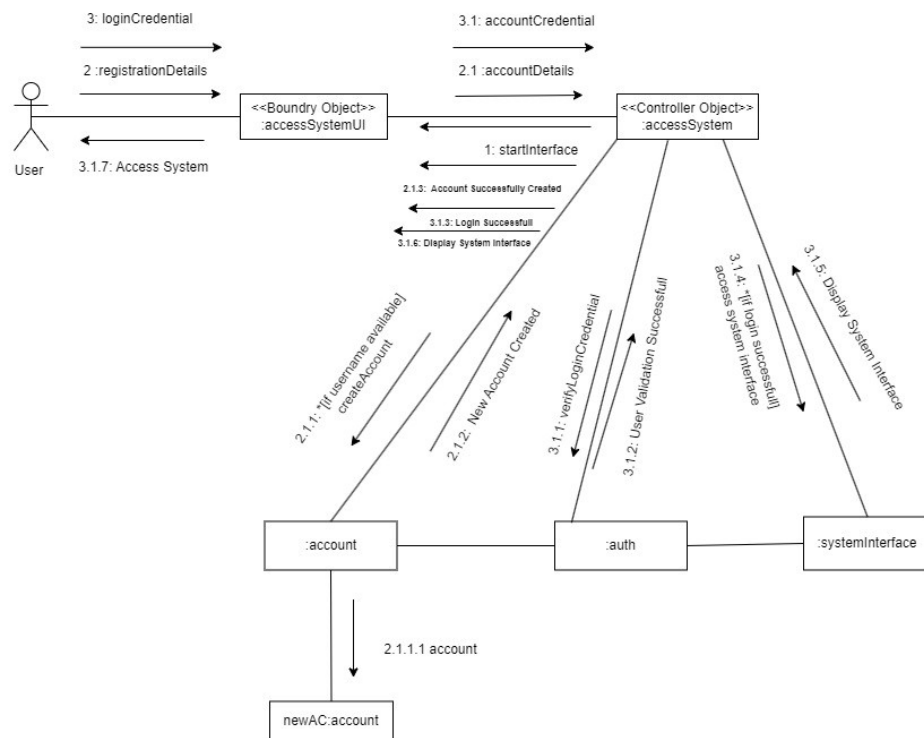


Figure 7: Full Communication Diagram

Now, the controller will send the login successful message to the boundary object and ask access of system interface from the systemInterface object. The system interface object will then give access to the system to the user.

3.5 Activity Diagram

Activity diagram is a Unified Modeling Language flowchart, that visually displays the sequential flow of the process from one activity to another. It shows how the system function will work in a sequential manner. The diagram consists of various elements like initial node, activity state, action, control flow, decision node, merge node, fork node, merging, comment and final node. (mindmanager, 2025)

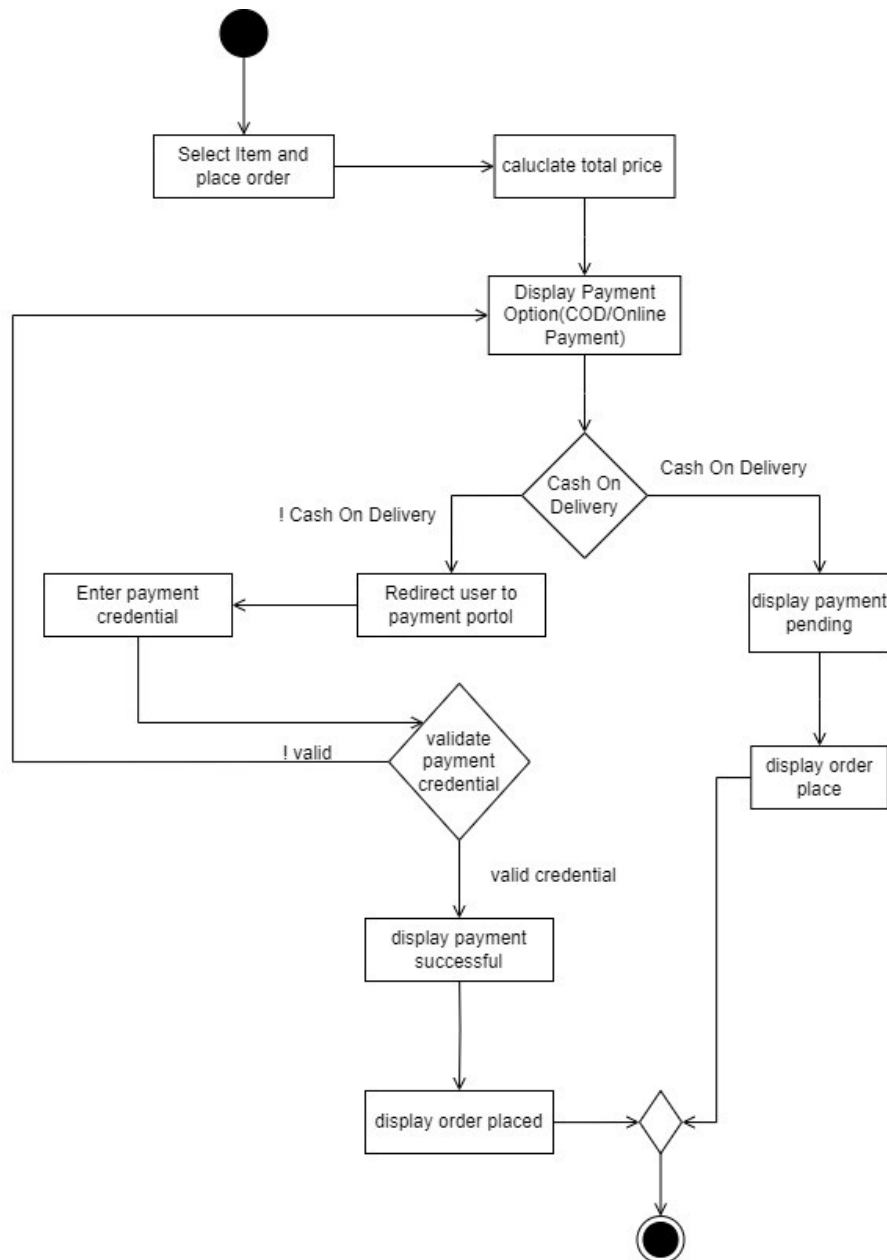


Figure 8: Activity Diagram

The above diagram is the activity diagram for the payment function. The user will first select the item and place order. The total price of the order will be calculated, and the system will then forward the user to a payment page where the user can select any payment method. If the user selects the Cash on Delivery option the payment will be marked as pending and the order is placed ending the process. But, if the user selected online payment the system will redirect user to the online payment portal where user will enter the account credentials. If the account credential is valid the system will display payment successfully and place order ending the process. If the account credential is not valid then the system will redirect user to the payment option page.

4. Class Diagram and Domain Class

4.1 Domain Class

Table 4: Domain Class Table

Use Case	Domain Classes
Admin	Manage User Accounts Manage Products Add Product Update Product Delete Product Manage Delivery Dispatch Delivery
Customer	Manage User Accounts View Product Details Manage Cart Add Product to Cart Checkout Place Order Make Payment
Cart	View Product Details Manage Cart Add Product to Cart Update Cart Quantity Checkout

Order	Checkout Place Order View Order Details Confirm Order Manage Delivery Make Payment
Order Detail	Calculate Order Price Update Order Item
Product	Manage Products Add Products Update Product Delete Product View Product Details Manage Cart Add product to Cart Calculate Order Price
Supplier	Manage Products Add Product
Delivery	Manage Delivery Track Delivery Dispatch Delivery Update Delivery Address

Payment	Making Payment
	Process Payment

4.2 Class diagram

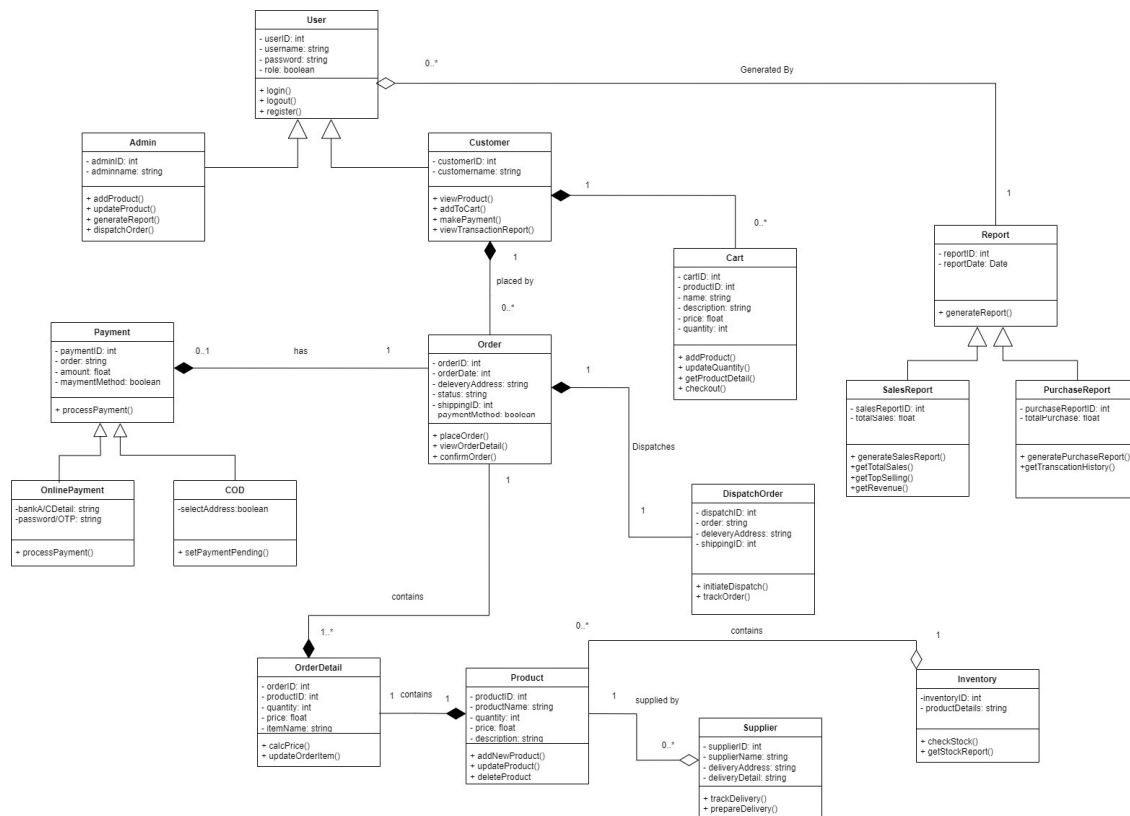


Figure 9: Class Diagram

Class Diagram is a UML diagram that shows all the classes of the system, their relationship, cardinality, attributes and operations. It is used as a general conceptual model of system coding.

Class diagram has seven types of cardinalities, they are :

Table 5: Cardinal Types

Cardinal Name	Cardinal Number
Exactly One	1
Zero or More	0..*
One or More	1..*

Zero or One	0..1
Specified Range	2..4
Multiple Disjoint	2,4...6,8
One or Other	4,6

Relationship among classes:

- A User has two child class Admin and Customer.
- A customer generates zero or more Cart items.
- An Order contains one or more Order details.
- An Order has zero or one payment.
- A Dispatch Order dispatches one order.
- An Order details contains Product.
- A Product is supplied by zero or more suppliers.
- An inventory contains one or more products.
- A User generates zero or more Report.
- A Report has two child class Sales Report and Purchase Report.
- Payment has two child class Online Payment And COD.

5. Further Development

To move forward with the development of the Inventory Management System (IMS), a structured approach is essential. I propose using the Agile Scrum methodology, for its iterative and adaptive nature, which aligns well with the evolving requirements of the system. Agile Scrum is used when there is need of continuous new adaptation of changes in system. I have used agile scrum to develop the WBS (Work Breakdown Structure) and Gantt Chart of the Inventory Management System. It is one of the trending methodologies used to complete the complex software development. This software development methodology is needed because of IMS's changing and evolving requirements.

5.1. Architectural Choice

IEEE defines architectural design as “the process of defining a collection of hardware and software components and their interfaces to establish the framework for the development of a computer system.” To develop software, we need to choose an architecture design. The main types of architecture design choice are listed below. (geeksforgeeks, 2025)

- Monolithic Architecture
- Client-server Architecture
- Layered Architecture
- Peer-to-Peer Architecture
- Blockchain Architecture
- Serverless Architecture

I will be using Layered Architecture, since this layered Architecture is aligned with the Agile Scrum method where the development works are done in layered and modular way. This architecture organizes the system into different layers:

- **Presentation Layer:** Handles the user interface (UI) and user interactions.
- **Application Layer:** Contains the application functional logic and coordinates interactions between the UI and the domain layer.
- **Domain Layer:** Implements the core business logic and data management.
- **Infrastructure Layer:** Provides an interface for external system like databases.

The advantages of choosing this architecture are:

- **Modularity:** The whole software functions are divided into multiple modules, which makes the software easy to develop and manage.
- **Scalability:** It is easier to scale the software since all the different modules can be scaled independently without affecting others.

- **Reusability:** The different layers of software can be used in different software, which makes the software code reusable. (systemdesignschool, 2025)

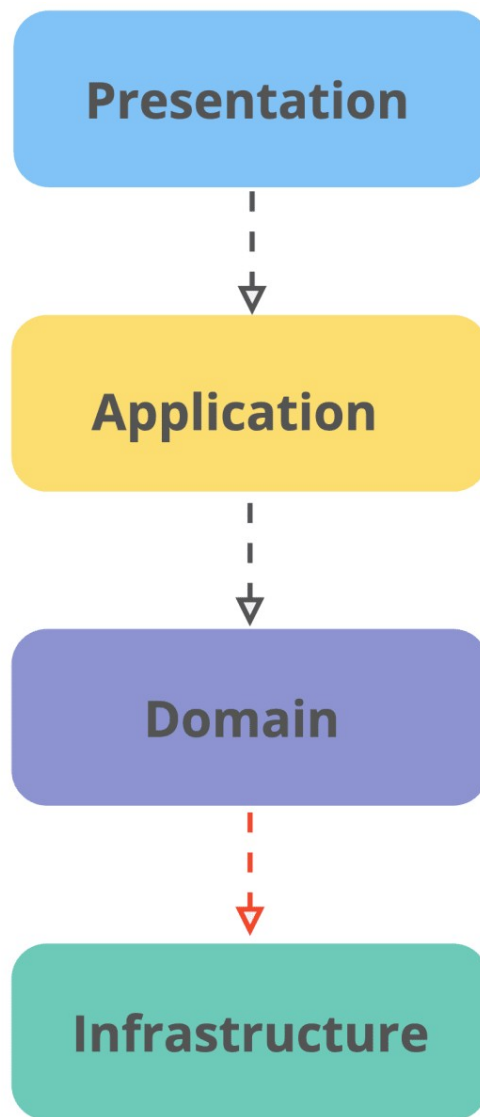


Figure 10: Layer Architecture

5.2. Design Pattern

Design Pattern are the ready-made customizable pattern or blueprint that can be used to solve the commonly occurring problems in software development. The main types of design patterns are explained below.

- **Creational patterns:** It is a design pattern which provides us with an object-based mechanism which helps in increasing the flexibility and reusability of the code. The creational pattern consists of many methods like Factory method and Singleton method.

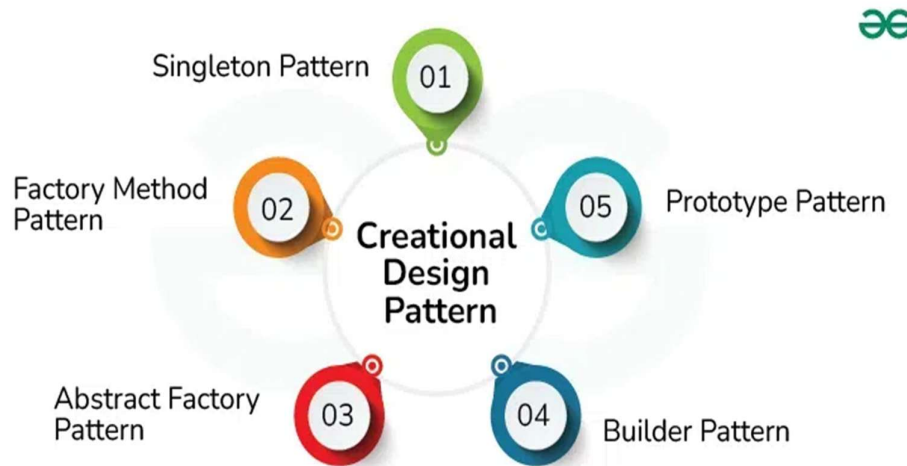


Figure 11: Creational Pattern

- **Structural patterns:** It is a type of design pattern which gathers the objects and classes to form a large structure. The structure is flexible and well organized. The method used in this pattern are adapter, bridge, composite, decoder, facade, flyweight and proxy.

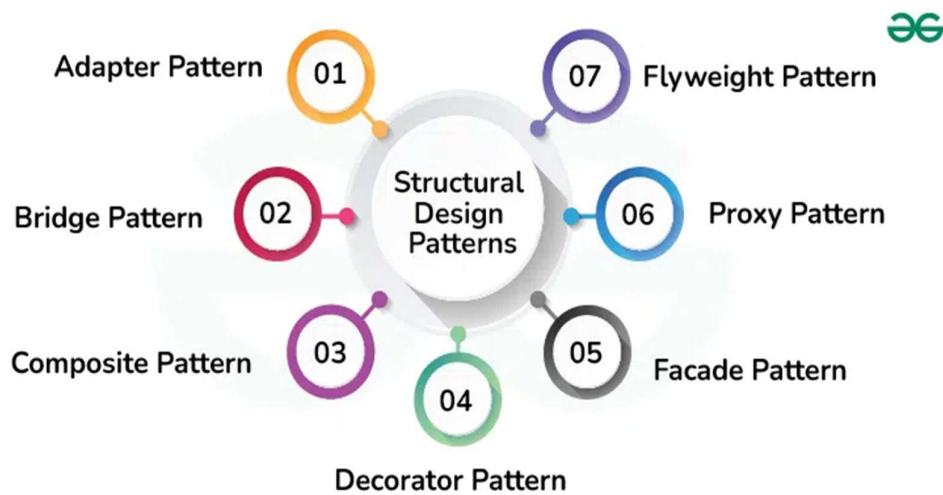


Figure 12: Structural Pattern

- **Behavioral patterns:** It is a type of design pattern that emphasizes the way objects communicate and assign responsibilities between them. The methods of behavioral patterns are command, chain of responsibility, memento, mediator, iterator, observer, strategy, state, template and visitor.



Figure 13: Behavioral Pattern

5.3. Development Plan

The tools/resources/programming language used in the development of inventory management system are:

- **Programming Language:** NodeJS, JavaScript for backend and frontend
- **Database:** MongoDB, Firebase
- **IDE:** Visual Studio
- **Version Control:** Git
- **Testing Frameworks:** Jest/Mocha

The priority order of features is listed below:

Must Have	Should Have	Could Have
Login & Register	Real-time stock update	Supplier Portal
Purchase Order Creation	Payment Gateway	Sales and Trend Analytics
Dispatch Order	Generating sales and purchase Report	AI assistance
	Role based account	

5.4. Testing Plan

There are two types of testing in software development, they are functional and non-functional testing.

1. Functional Testing

The functional testing is the testing done to check if the system function is working as intended. This test focuses mainly on the applications features and what the system does.

Types:

- **Unit Testing:** Testing individual components of the system
- **Integration Testing:** Testing interactions between different modules.
- **System Testing:** Testing the entire system requirements and functions.
- **UI Testing:** Testing the system interface or user experience with the system.
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2. Non-functional Testing

The non-functional testing verifies the way the system does its work. This test evaluates the system performance, security, scalability, reliability, usability, etc.

Types:

- **Performance Testing:** Testing stability and how fast the system does its tasks.
- **Load Testing:** Testing how the system work on the expected user load.
- **Stress Testing:** Testing how the system function on the beyond expected user's load.
- **Usability Testing:** Testing how easy or hard it is to interact and use the features of the system.
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3. Box Testing

The three main types of box testing are explained below.

- **White Box Testing:** The testing where the tester has knowledge and access to the internal code. In this test, the tester evaluates the modules, codes and their functions.
- **Black Box Testing:** The testing where the tester has no knowledge and access to the internal code. In this test, the tester evaluates the output given by the system after giving the input. Example: testing login/register with credentials, testing adding to cart function, etc.
- **Grey Box Testing:** The testing where the tester has partial knowledge of the code. It is a combination of both white box and black box testing. Example: API testing.

5.5. Maintenance Plan

- **Corrective Maintenance:** The maintenance where the bugs and error of the system are fixed.
- **Adaptive Maintenance:** The maintenance where the system is modified to facilitate the new requirement and changes.
- **Perfective Maintenance:** The maintenance, which is done to improve performance, usability, scalability, etc. of the system.
- **Preventive Maintenance:** The maintenance where the preventive measures are made to prevent future harm or problem.

6. Prototype

1. Register Account

IMS

Home About us Product Testimonials Help Login

Signup

Username
username

Password
password

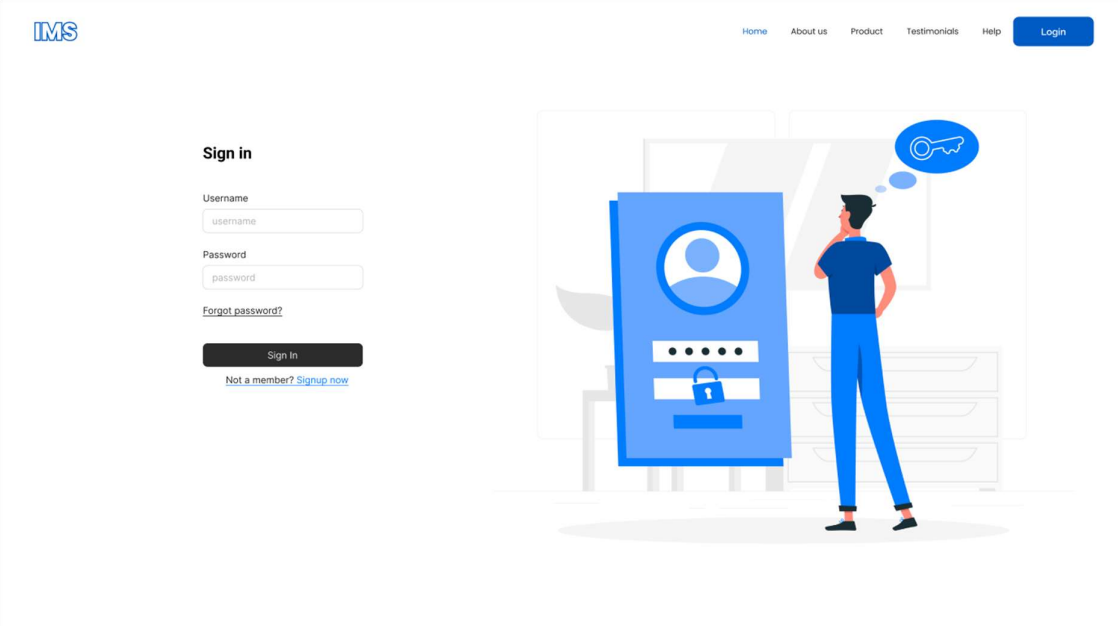
Confirm Password
Password

Register

Already account exist? [Sign in now](#)

Figure 14: Register Account

2. Login Account



The screenshot displays the login interface for the IMS system. At the top left is the 'IMS' logo. The top right navigation bar includes links for 'Home', 'About us', 'Product', 'Testimonials', 'Help', and a 'Login' button. The main content area features a 'Sign in' section with input fields for 'Username' (containing 'username') and 'Password' (containing 'password'). Below these fields are links for 'Forgot password?' and a 'Sign in' button. A link for 'Not a member? Signup now' is positioned at the bottom of the form. To the right of the form is a large illustration of a person in a blue shirt and pants standing next to a large blue login panel. The panel has a user icon, a password field with dots, and a lock icon. A thought bubble above the person's head contains a key icon.

Figure 15: Login Account

3. Admin Dashboard

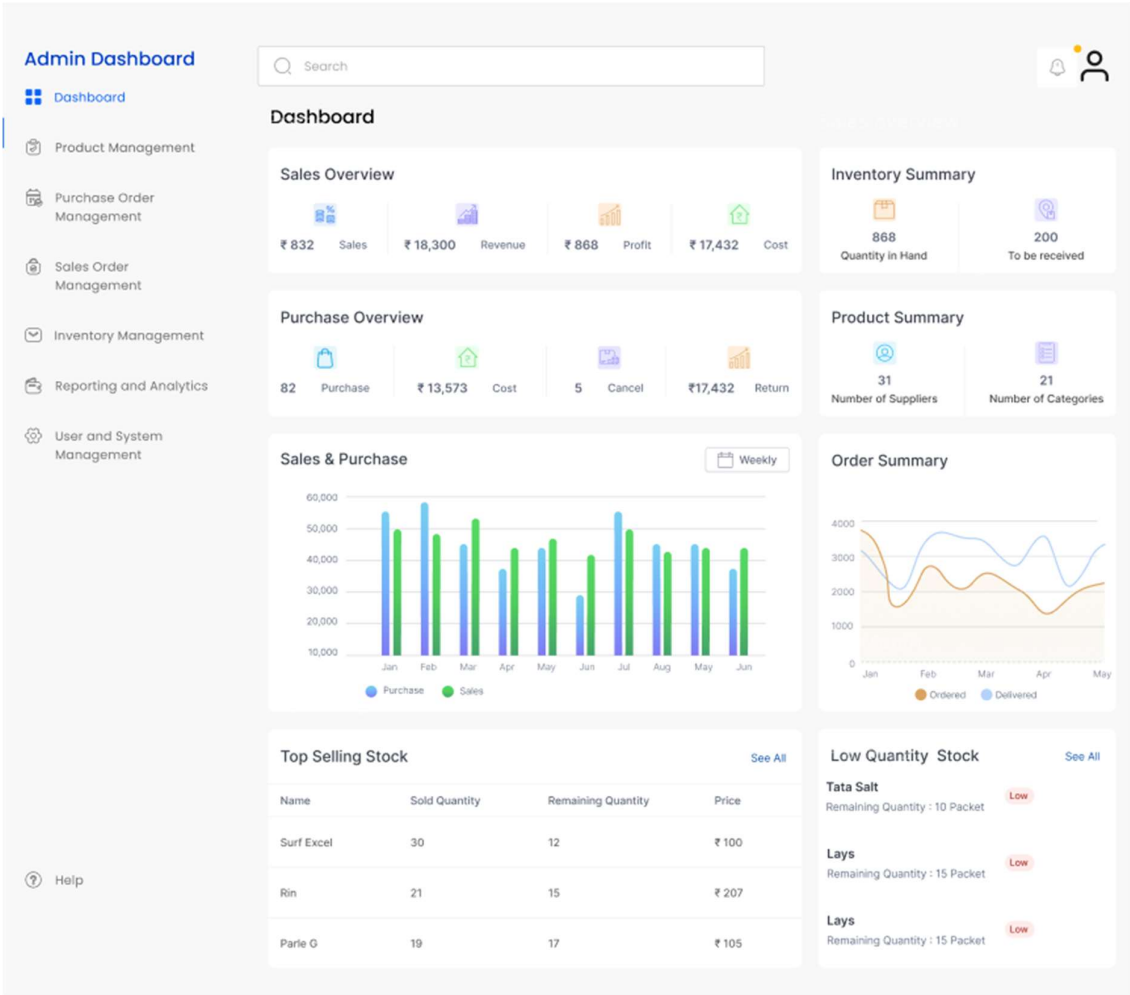


Figure 16: Admin Dashboard

4. Customer Dashboard

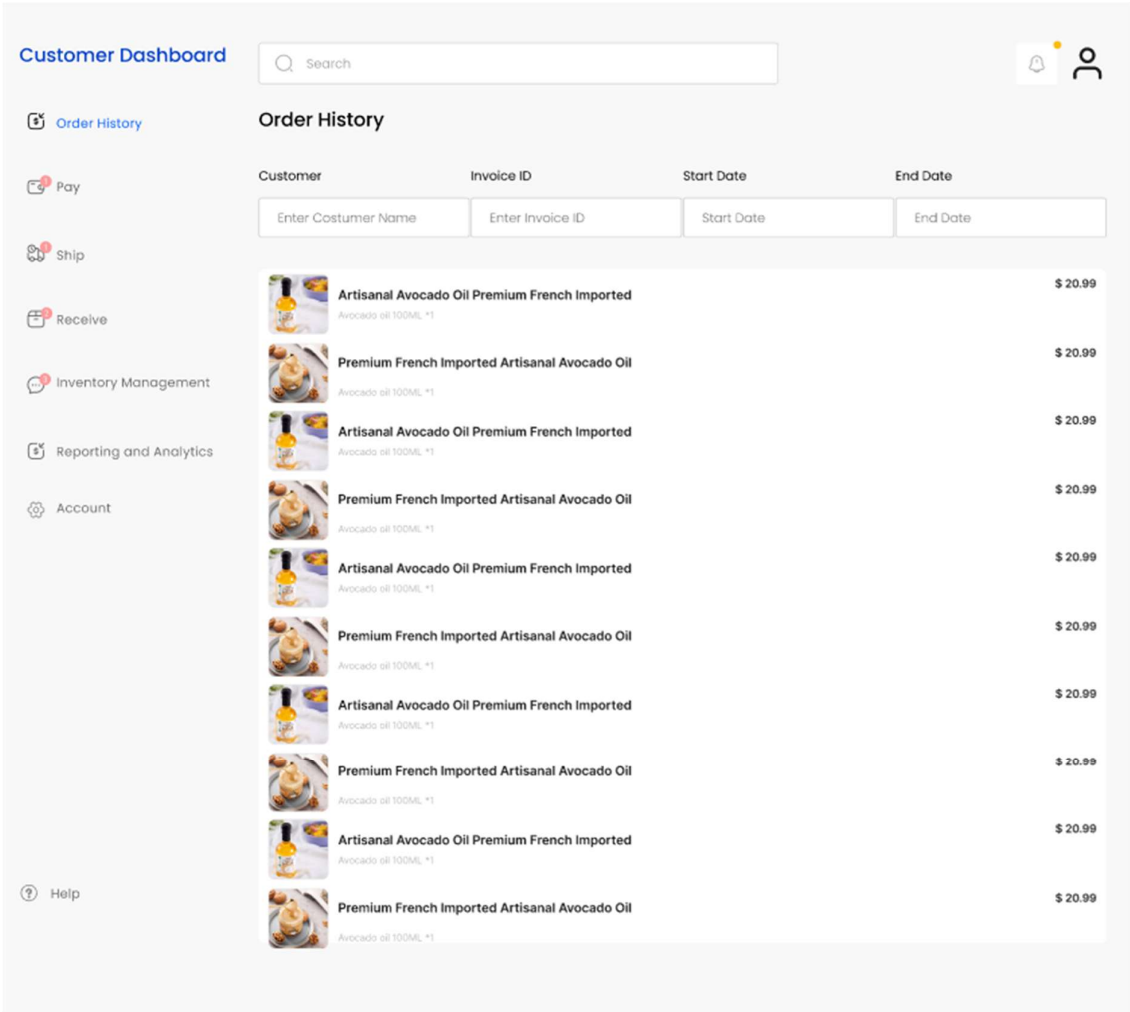


Figure 17: Customer Dashboard

5. Sales Report

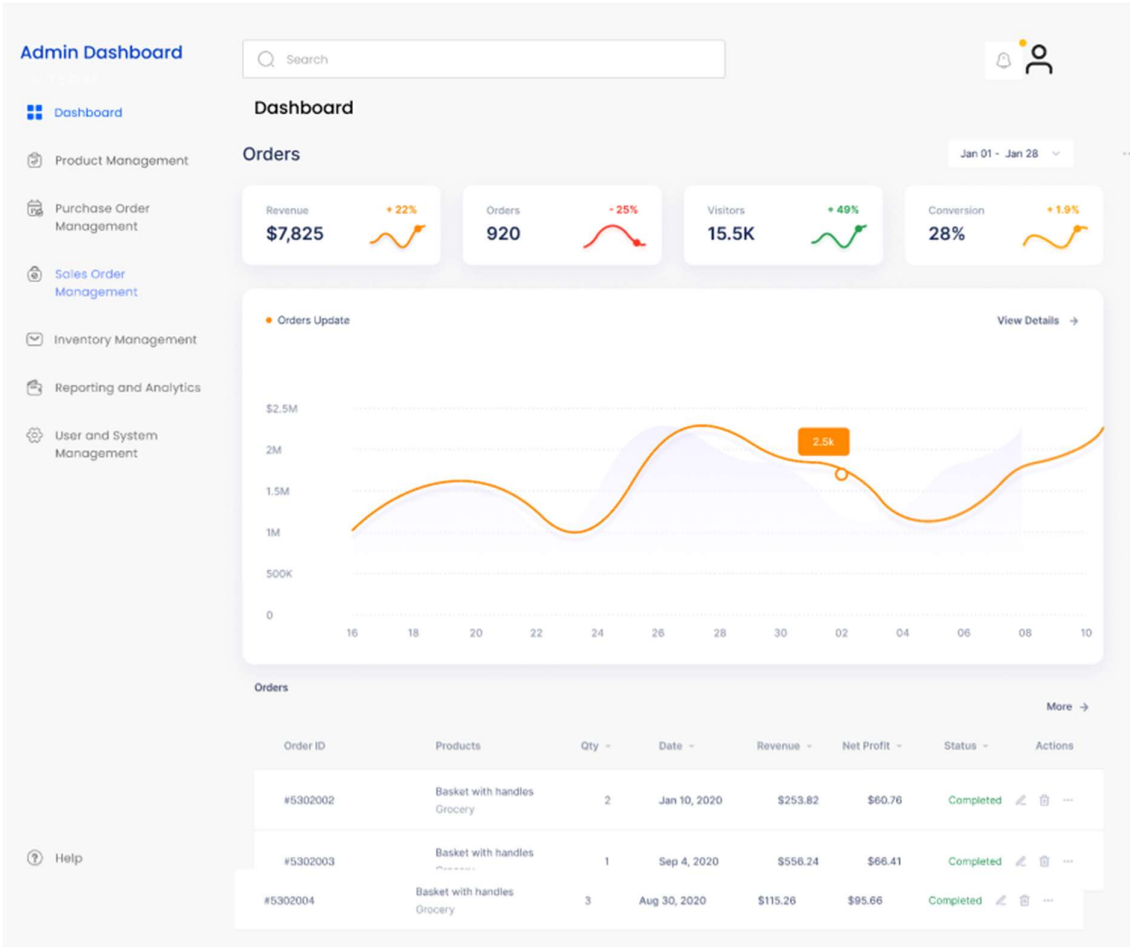


Figure 18: Sales Report

6. Purchase Order

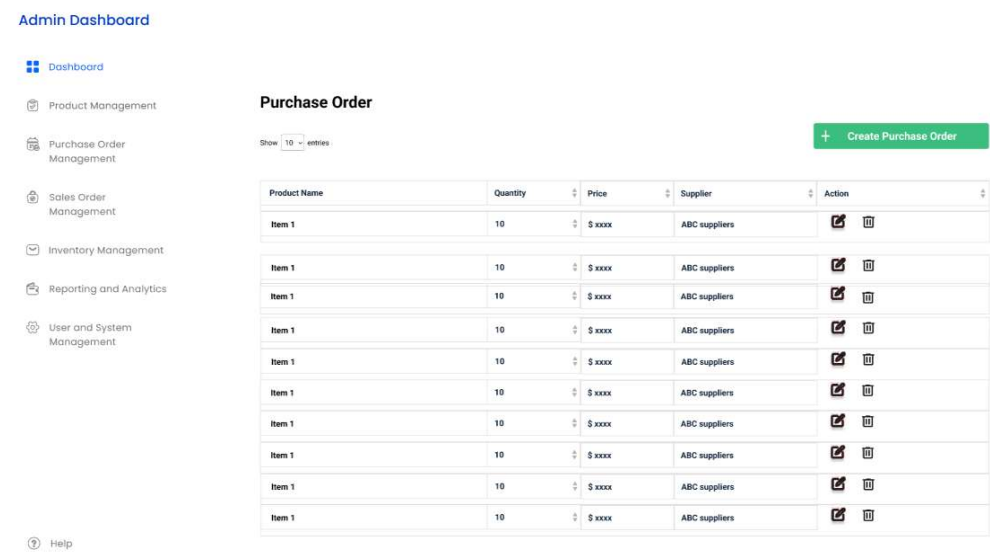


Figure 19: Purchase Order

7. Create Purchase Order

Admin Dashboard

Dashboard

Product Management

Purchase Order Management

Sales Order Management

Inventory Management

Reporting and Analytics

User and System Management

Help

Create Purchase Order

Product Name

Product Name

Quantity

Value

Supplier Name

Value

Cancel

Create Purchase Order

Figure 20: Create Purchase Orde

8. User Management

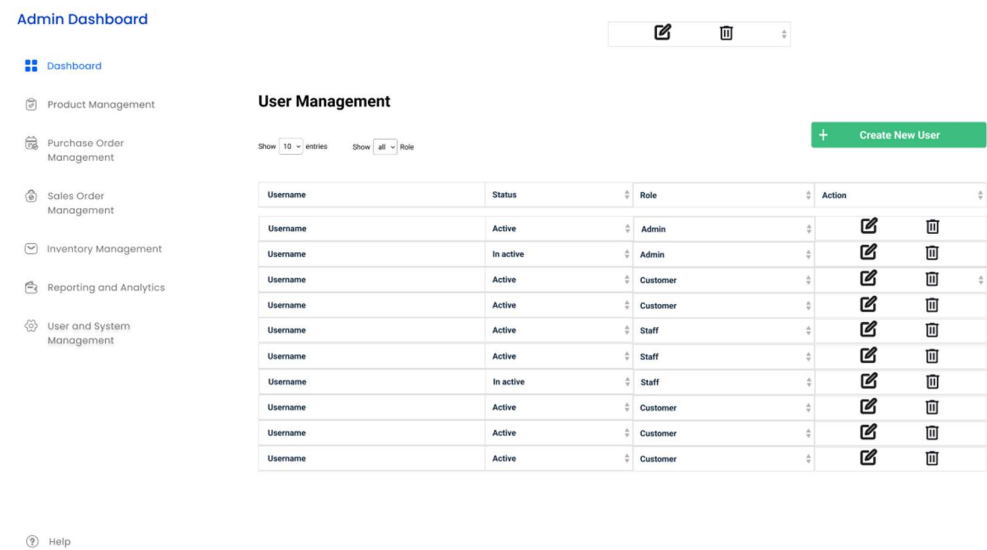


Figure 21: User Management

9. Add User(admin/customer/staff)

Admin Dashboard

Dashboard

Product Management

Purchase Order Management

Sales Order Management

Inventory Management

Reporting and Analytics

User and System Management

Help

New User account

User Name

username

Password

password

Role

role

Cancel

Create Account

Figure 22:Add User

10. Inventory Management

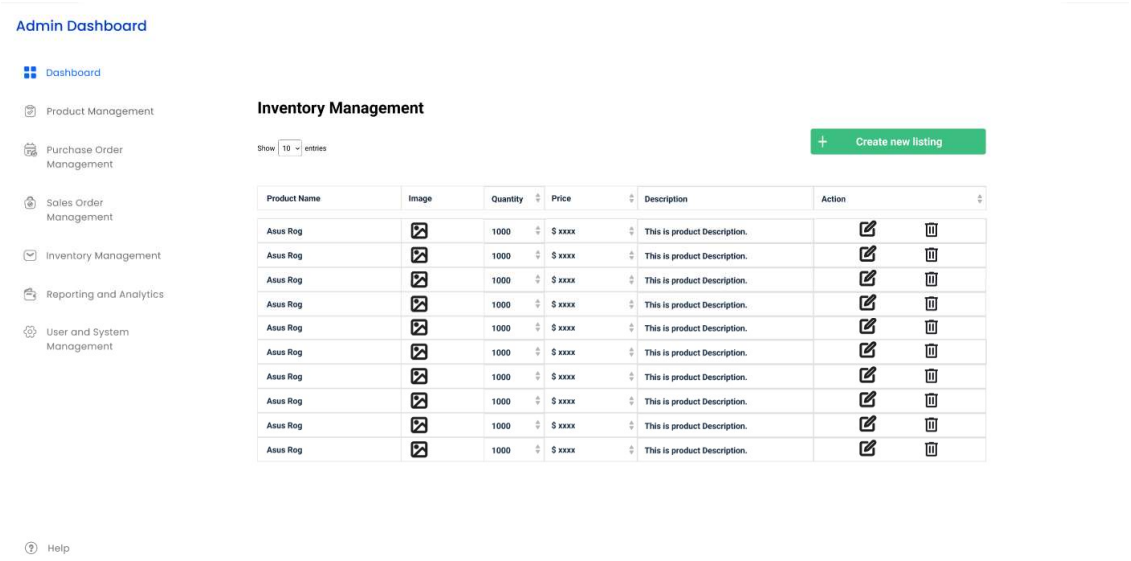


Figure 23: Inventory Management

11. New Product Listing

Admin Dashboard

Dashboard

Product Management

Purchase Order Management

Sales Order Management

Inventory Management

Reporting and Analytics

User and System Management

Help

New Product Listing

Product Name

product name

Quantity

quantity

price

price

Description

description

Product Image

Paste from clipboard, or [upload image](#)

Cancel

Create new listing

Figure 24: New Product Listing

12. Product Page

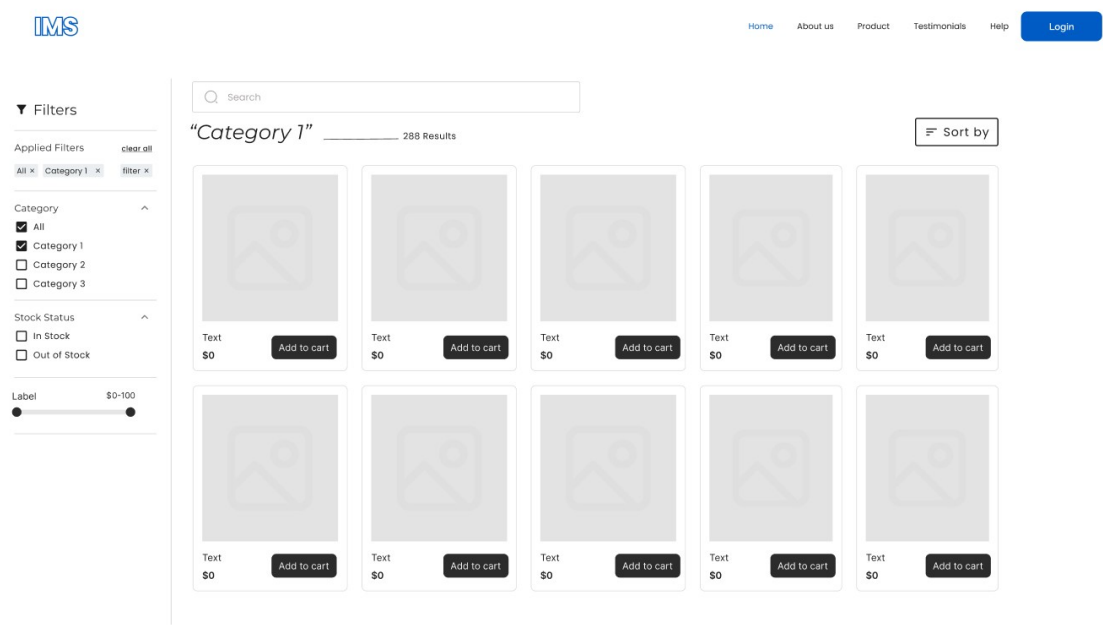


Figure 25: Product Page

13. Product Detail

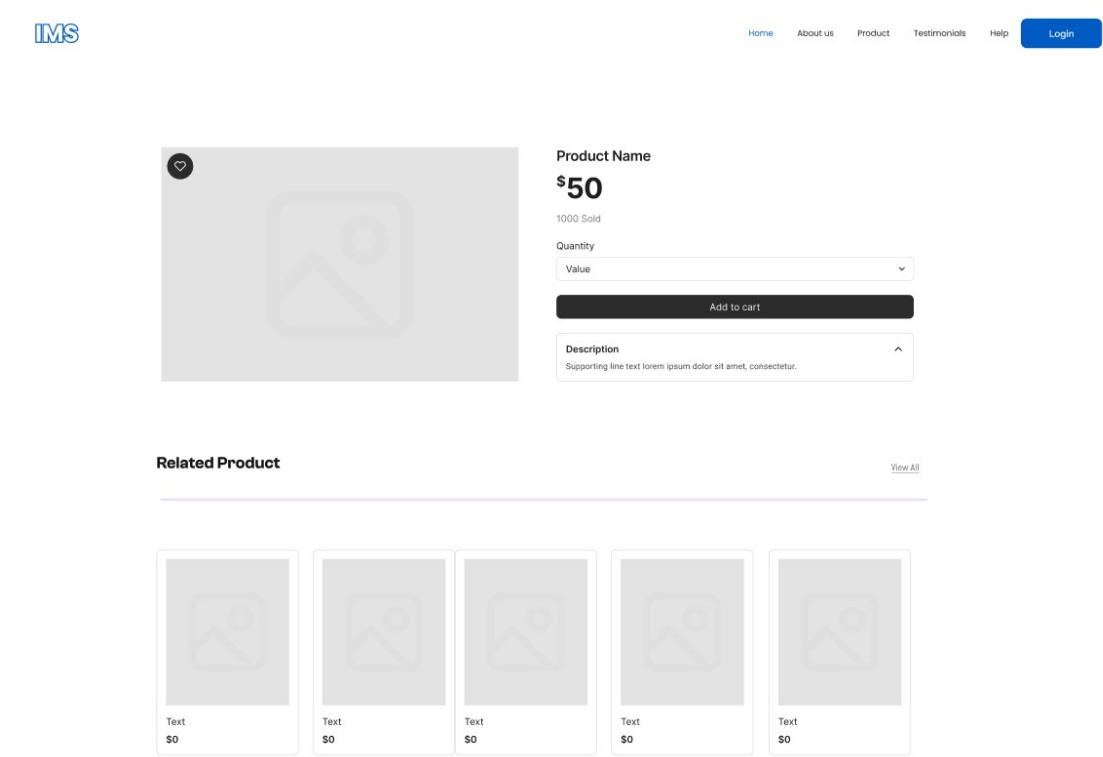


Figure 26: Product Detail

14. Cart

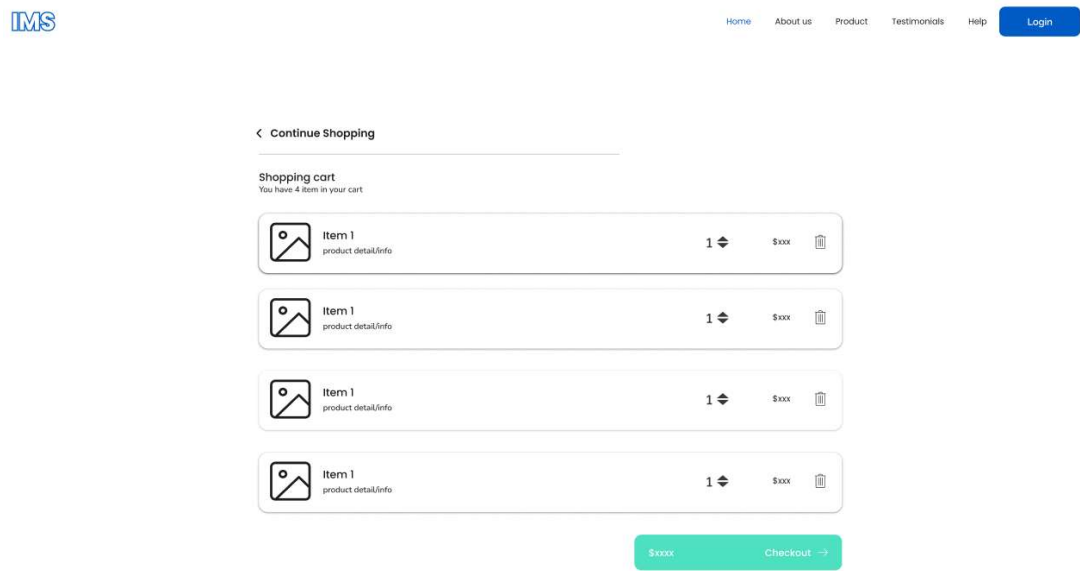


Figure 27: Cart

15. Payment Page

IMS

[Home](#)[About us](#)[Product](#)[Testimonials](#)[Help](#)

Login

Shipping Address

Shipping Information

Delivery

Pick up

Full name *

Enter full name

Email address *

Enter email address

Phone number *

Enter phone number

Province *

Choose province

City *

Enter city

Street

Enter street

Land mark

Enter Land mark

☒ I have read and agree to the Terms and Conditions.

Card type

MasterCard

VISA

e

See all

Name on card

Name

Card Number

xxxx xxxx xxxx

Expiration date

mm/yy

CVV

123

Subtotal

\$xxxx

Shipping

\$xx

Total (Tax Incl.)

\$xxxx

\$xxxx

Checkout →

Figure 28: Payment Page

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