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# Practical No. 5

# Aim: To implement file I/O and Shared Preferences.

- 1. Program to create a file in a directory and perform following file operations, Write into a file, Read from a file, Delete a file
- 2. Create a new project and create a login Activity. In this create a login UI asking user email and password with an option of remember me checkbox. Also a button displaying Sign In or Register using shared preferences.

# Theory:

In Android, Input/Output (I/O) refers to the operations that involve reading from or writing to external sources such as files, databases, or networks. There are several ways to handle I/O operations in Android:

#### 1. File I/O

- a. Internal Storage: Files are stored in the device's internal storage, and they are private to the application by default.
- b. External Storage: Files can be stored in external storage (SD cards, etc.), and they may be accessible by other apps depending on permissions.

#### To perform file operations:

- 1. openFileInput() and openFileOutput() for internal storage.
- 2. getExternalStorageDirectory() for external storage.

#### 2. Networking I/O:

- a. This involves fetching data from the internet or local networks.
- b. Android provides libraries like HttpURLConnection, OkHttp, and Retrofit for performing network operations.

### 3. Database I/O:

- a. Android supports local databases using SQLite and Room.
- b. Operations include reading/writing to the database using SQL queries.

#### 4. Content Providers:

- a. Content providers enable apps to share data with other apps.
- b. It can be used for accessing data from contacts, media, etc.

#### **Shared Preferences in Android:**

SharedPreferences is a lightweight mechanism used to store small amounts of key-value data that persists across user sessions. It is mainly used to store simple data like user settings, preferences, or app states (e.g., login status).

# Key points about Shared Preferences:

- 1. Stored as an XML file in the app's private internal storage.
- 2. Data persists even when the app is closed or the device is restarted.
- 3. It is not designed for large datasets or complex data structures.

SharedPreferences is ideal for small sets of primitive data types such as int, boolean, String, etc.

### **Code & Output:**

```
1. Read, Write, Delete
```

```
MainActivity.java
```

```
package com.example.practical5a;
import androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity;
import android.os.Bundle;
import android.os.Environment;
import android.view.View;
import android.widget.Button;
import android.widget.EditText;
import android.widget.Toast;
import java.io.File;
import java.io.FileInputStream;
import java.io.FileOutputStream;
import java.io.IOException;
public class MainActivity extends AppCompatActivity {
  private EditText editTextFileName;
  private EditText editTextFileContent;
  private Button buttonWrite;
  private Button buttonRead;
  private Button buttonDelete;
  @Override
  protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
    super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
    setContentView(R.layout.activity_main);
    editTextFileName = findViewById(R.id.editTextFileName);
```

editTextFileContent = findViewById(R.id.editTextFileContent);

```
buttonWrite = findViewById(R.id.buttonWrite);
    buttonRead = findViewById(R.id.buttonRead);
    buttonDelete = findViewById(R.id.buttonDelete);
    buttonWrite.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {
       @Override
       public void onClick(View v) {
          String fileName = editTextFileName.getText().toString();
          String fileContent = editTextFileContent.getText().toString();
         writeToFile(fileName, fileContent);
       }
    });
    buttonRead.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {
       @Override
       public void onClick(View v) {
          String fileName = editTextFileName.getText().toString();
         readFromFile(fileName);
       }
    });
    buttonDelete.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {
       @Override
       public void onClick(View v) {
          String fileName = editTextFileName.getText().toString();
         deleteCustomFile(fileName);
       }
    });
  }
  private void writeToFile(String fileName, String fileContent) {
    File documentsDirectory = new
File(Environment.getExternalStoragePublicDirectory(Environment.DIRECTORY DO
CUMENTS), "");
    if (!documentsDirectory.exists()) {
```

```
documentsDirectory.mkdirs();
    }
    File file = new File(documentsDirectory, fileName);
    try {
       FileOutputStream fos = new FileOutputStream(file);
       fos.write(fileContent.getBytes());
       fos.close();
       Toast.makeText(this, "File saved at: " + file.getAbsolutePath(),
Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
    } catch (IOException e) {
       e.printStackTrace();
       Toast.makeText(this, "Error saving file", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
    }
  }
  private void readFromFile(String fileName) {
    File file = new
File(Environment.getExternalStoragePublicDirectory(Environment.DIRECTORY DO
CUMENTS), fileName);
    if (file.exists()) {
       try {
          FileInputStream fis = new FileInputStream(file);
          int c;
          StringBuilder fileContent = new StringBuilder();
         while ((c = fis.read()) != -1) {
            fileContent.append((char) c);
         }
         fis.close();
         Toast.makeText(this, "File Content: \n" + fileContent.toString(),
Toast.LENGTH LONG).show();
       } catch (IOException e) {
          e.printStackTrace();
          Toast.makeText(this, "Error reading file", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
       }
```

```
} else {
       Toast.makeText(this, "File not found", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
    }
  }
  private void deleteCustomFile(String fileName) {
    File file = new
File(Environment.getExternalStoragePublicDirectory(Environment.DIRECTORY_DO
CUMENTS), fileName);
    boolean deleted = file.delete();
    if (deleted) {
       Toast.makeText(this, "File deleted", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
    } else {
       Toast.makeText(this, "File not found", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
    }
  }
}
Main_Activity.xml
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<LinearLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</p>
  android:layout width="match parent"
  android:layout_height="match_parent"
  android:orientation="vertical"
  android:padding="16dp">
  <EditText
    android:id="@+id/editTextFileName"
    android:layout width="match parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:hint="File Name" />
  <EditText
    android:id="@+id/editTextFileContent"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout height="wrap content"
```

```
android:hint="File Content" />
  <Button
    android:id="@+id/buttonWrite"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:text="Write to File" />
  <Button
    android:id="@+id/buttonRead"
    android:layout width="match parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:text="Read from File" />
  <Button
    android:id="@+id/buttonDelete"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:text="Delete File" />
</LinearLayout>
```

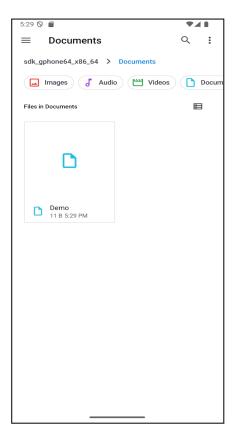
#### AndroidManifest.xml

```
<uses-permission
android:name="android.permission.WRITE_EXTERNAL_STORAGE"/>
<uses-permission
android:name="android.permission.READ_EXTERNAL_STORAGE"/>
```









### 2. Login Activity

```
MainActivity.java
```

```
package com.example.practical5b;
import androidx.appcompat.app.AppCompatActivity;
import android.content.Context;
import android.content.SharedPreferences;
import android.os.Bundle;
import android.view.View;
import android.widget.Button;
import android.widget.CheckBox;
import android.widget.EditText;
import android.widget.Toast;
public class MainActivity extends AppCompatActivity {
  private EditText editTextEmail;
  private EditText editTextPassword;
  private CheckBox checkBoxRememberMe;
  private Button buttonSignInOrRegister;
  private SharedPreferences sharedPreferences;
  @Override
  protected void onCreate(Bundle savedInstanceState) {
    super.onCreate(savedInstanceState);
    setContentView(R.layout.activity_main);
    editTextEmail = findViewById(R.id.editTextEmail);
    editTextPassword = findViewById(R.id.editTextPassword);
    checkBoxRememberMe = findViewById(R.id.checkBoxRememberMe);
    buttonSignInOrRegister = findViewById(R.id.buttonSignInOrRegister);
    sharedPreferences = getSharedPreferences("LoginPrefs",
Context.MODE PRIVATE);
    loadSavedCredentials();
    buttonSignInOrRegister.setOnClickListener(new View.OnClickListener() {
       @Override
```

public void onClick(View v) {

```
String email = editTextEmail.getText().toString();
         String password = editTextPassword.getText().toString();
         if (email.isEmpty() || password.isEmpty()) {
            Toast.makeText(LoginActivity.this, "Please enter both email and
password", Toast.LENGTH SHORT).show();
         } else {
            if (checkBoxRememberMe.isChecked()) {
              saveCredentials(email, password);
            } else {
              clearSavedCredentials();
            }
            Toast.makeText(LoginActivity.this, "Welcome, " + email + "!",
Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
         }
       }
    });
  }
  private void saveCredentials(String email, String password) {
    SharedPreferences.Editor editor = sharedPreferences.edit();
    editor.putString("Email", email);
    editor.putString("Password", password);
    editor.putBoolean("RememberMe", true);
    editor.apply();
    Toast.makeText(this, "Credentials Saved", Toast.LENGTH_SHORT).show();
  }
  private void loadSavedCredentials() {
    String savedEmail = sharedPreferences.getString("Email", "");
    String savedPassword = sharedPreferences.getString("Password", "");
    boolean rememberMe = sharedPreferences.getBoolean("RememberMe", false);
    if (rememberMe) {
       editTextEmail.setText(savedEmail);
```

```
editTextPassword.setText(savedPassword);
    checkBoxRememberMe.setChecked(true);
}

private void clearSavedCredentials() {
    SharedPreferences.Editor editor = sharedPreferences.edit();
    editor.remove("Email");
    editor.remove("Password");
    editor.remove("RememberMe");
    editor.apply();
}
```

# Main\_Activity.xml

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<LinearLayout xmlns:android="http://schemas.android.com/apk/res/android"</p>
  android:layout_width="match_parent"
  android:layout_height="match_parent"
  android:orientation="vertical"
  android:padding="20dp">
  <EditText
    android:id="@+id/editTextEmail"
    android:layout width="match parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:hint="Enter Email"
    android:inputType="textEmailAddress"
    android:layout_marginBottom="10dp" />
  <EditText
    android:id="@+id/editTextPassword"
    android:layout_width="match_parent"
    android:layout_height="wrap_content"
    android:hint="Enter Password"
```

```
android:inputType="textPassword"
android:layout_marginBottom="10dp" />
```

### <CheckBox

```
android:id="@+id/checkBoxRememberMe"
android:layout_width="wrap_content"
android:layout_height="wrap_content"
android:text="Remember Me"
android:layout_marginBottom="20dp" />
```

# <Button

```
android:id="@+id/buttonSignInOrRegister"
android:layout_width="match_parent"
android:layout_height="wrap_content"
android:text="Sign In or Register" />
```

</LinearLayout>

abc@gmail.com

Remember Me

Sign In or Register

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?123 , Credentials Saved . ✓



### **Conclusion:**

Successfully performed file operations with file I/O and created a simple login system using SharedPreferences for storing user credentials.

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