RESTAURANT ORDER TRACKER

MOBILE COMPUTING

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DATABASE OF FUNDAMENTALS
PROJECT

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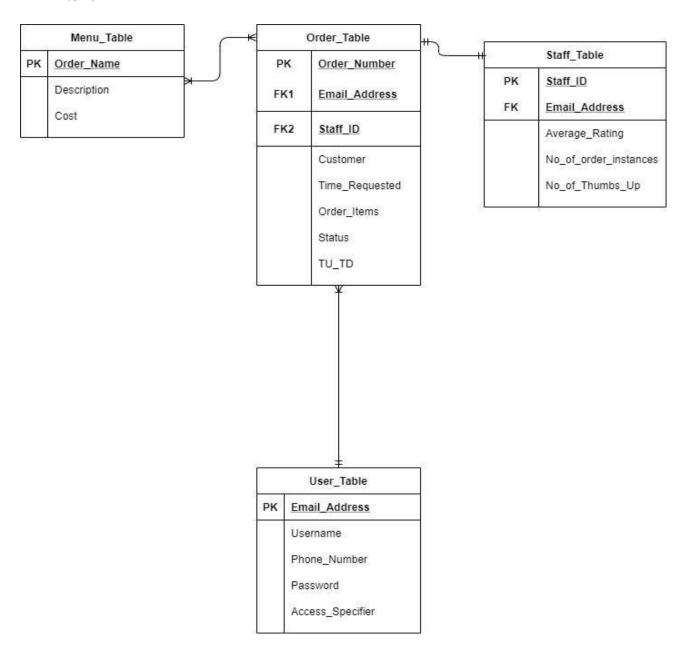
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Introduction

Recent studies show that restaurants that do not have mobile optimized websites or apps with mobile ordering available are losing out on money. Time is a factor that is vital in the life of a human being so going to the restaurant with less energy (because you are hungry (3), standing in long queues, sometimes because people who arrived before you made mistakes in their ordering process, is time consuming not to mention that it also increases the chance of contracting the covid-19 virus given that the country is facing a pandemic. Mobile apps are user friendly and bring you much closer to m-commerce. Research shows that customers are more likely to make a purchase if you provide them with a favourable effortless and pleasurable experience. The less effort and confusion brought about using an m-commerce app the more pleasurable the experience will be. This is the principle that the ROT app is built on. ROT is an app that allows people to order food from a restaurant in simple, effortless manner.

Business rules and representation

- A customer can place many orders and each order can be placed by one customer.
- A staff member can prepare one order at a time and each order can be prepared by only one staff member.
- A single menu item can be ordered multiple times and each order can consist of multiple menu items.



Tables

```
nysql> DESC MENU_TABLE;
 Field
                            | Null | Key | Default | Extra
              Type
 ORDER NAME
               varchar(20)
                            NO
                                     PRI
                                           NULL
 DESCRIPTION
               varchar(50)
                                           NULL
               varchar(5)
                             YES
 COST
                                           NULL
 rows in set (0.00 sec)
mysql> DESC ORDER_TABLE;
 Field
                                | Null | Key | Default
                  Type
                                                                   Extra
 ORDER_NUMBER
                  int(11)
                                  NO
                                               NULL
                                                                    auto_increment
 CUSTOMER
                  varchar(15)
                                  YES
                                               NULL
 ORDER_ITEMS
                  varchar(100)
                                               NULL
 TIME REQUESTED
                  timestamp
                                  NO
                                               CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
                                                                   on update CURRENT_TIMESTAMP
 EMAIL ADDRESS
                  varchar(50)
                                         MUL
 STAFF_ID
                  int(11)
                                         MUL
                                               NULL
                  varchar(15)
varchar(5)
 STATUS
                                               NULL
 TU_TD
                                  YES
                                               NULL
 rows in set (0.00 sec)
mysql> DESC STAFF_TABLE;
                                      | Null | Key | Default | Extra
 Field
                        Type
                          varchar(50)
 EMAIL_ADDRESS
                                        YES
 STAFF ID
                         int(11)
                                        NO
                                                     NULL
                                                                auto_increment
                                               PRI
 AVERAGE RATING
                         int(3)
                                        YES
                                                     NULL
 NO_OF_ORDER_INSTANCES
                        | int(11)
                                                     NULL
 NO_OF_THUMBS_UP
                                        YES
                        | int(11)
                                                     NULL
 rows in set (0.00 sec)
mysql> DESC USER_TABLE;
                                  | Null | Key | Default | Extra |
 Field
                   Type
 USERNAME
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                                                 NULL
                    varchar(20)
varchar(50)
 PHONE_NUMBER
                                    YES
                                                 NULL
 EMAIL_ADDRESS
                                    NO
                                           PRI
                                                 NULL
                    varchar(150)
 PASSWORD
                                    YES
                                                 NULL
 ACCESS_SPECIFIER | varchar(10)
                                                 NULL
 rows in set (0.00 sec)
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