

Parking Garage Software

Design Documentation

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Use Case Specifications

- The goals of the customers are to generate tickets, process payment, and remove a vehicle.
- The employee will manage the parking spots, authenticate users, generate reports, and process payments.
- The payment system will process payments.
- The Parking garage system will manage the parking spaces, calculate fees, remove a vehicle, authenticate users, and generate reports
- The primary actors include customers, employees, the parking system, and the parking garage system

Use Case ID: UC1

Use Case Name: Ticket generation

Primary Actor: Employee or Customer

Pre-conditions:

- The user must be authenticated.
- The spot for parking needs to be present.

Post-conditions:

- Ticket generation
- The system updates the count of available spots

Basic Flow or Main Scenario:

1. The clients enter the garage.
2. The system checks in real time the parking spot availability.
3. A ticket is generated for the client.
4. The system updates the count of available spots.
5. The client can freely choose any unoccupied parking spot in the garage.
6. The user can view from the GUI the details of the ticket.

Alternate Flows:

- The client is notified if the garage is full in case no parking spots are present.

Exceptions:

- Invalid Ticket Details

Related Use Cases: UC3

Use Case ID: UC2

Use Case Name: Parking Spot Management

Primary Actor: Employee, Customer

Pre-conditions:

- The client is in the parking garage.
- The client has logged in to the system.
- There is an unoccupied parking spot.

Post-conditions:

- The parking system's available spots count is updated accordingly
- A ticket is generated with a timestamp.

Basic Flow or Main Scenario:

1. The clients enter the garage.
2. The system checks in real time the parking spot availability.
3. A ticket is generated for the client.
4. The system updates the count of available spots
5. The client can freely choose any unoccupied spot in the garage.
6. The customer views a printed ticket, which they may use later for exit or payment processing.
7. The user can view from the GUI the details of the ticket.

Alternate Flows:

- There are no spots available
- An error is recorded during ticket generation, prompting the process to restart.

Exceptions:

- System failure

Related Use Cases: UC3 and UC5

Use Case ID: UC3

Use Case Name: Payment processing

Primary Actor: Employee, Customer

Pre-conditions:

- The client wants to remove the car.
- The ticket has all the relevant details, and the parking fee is computed.

Post-conditions:

- The fee is paid.
- The transaction is logged.
- The spot is marked unoccupied.
- The revenue is updated.

Basic Flow or Main Scenario:

1. The clients pay for the tickets using their preferred mode.
2. The fee is computed based on the duration of the vehicle in the parking lot.
3. The payment is processed using the method used to pay for the fee.
4. The status of the parking spot is updated
5. The client receives a payment receipt.

Alternate Flows:

- Lack of funds

Exceptions:

- System failure

Related Use Cases: UC2

Use Case ID: UC4

Use Case Name: Generating reports

Primary Actor: System Admin

Pre-conditions:

- Admin logs to the system
- Monthly data is available.

Post-conditions:

- A comprehensive report is provided.

Basic Flow or Main Scenario:

1. The administrator logs into the system.
2. They generate reports, either a report on the availability of parking spaces or a revenue report.
3. The data is retrieved in the form of a text file.
4. The report is generated.

Alternate Flows:

- No data is selected

Exceptions:

- Corruption of data

Related Use Cases: UC2 and UC5

Use Case ID: UC5

Use Case Name: Removing car from the spot

Primary Actor: Employee, Customer

Pre-conditions:

- There is a valid ticket.

Post-conditions:

- The parking spot count in the garage is updated to reflect the spot as available.
- The client has exited the garage.

Basic Flow or Main Scenario:

1. The client offers a parking ticket to the machine or staff
2. The details of the ticket are retrieved by the system
3. The fees are computed, and the client pays
4. The system updates the count of available spots to reflect the freed space.
5. The client exits the garage.

Alternate Flows:

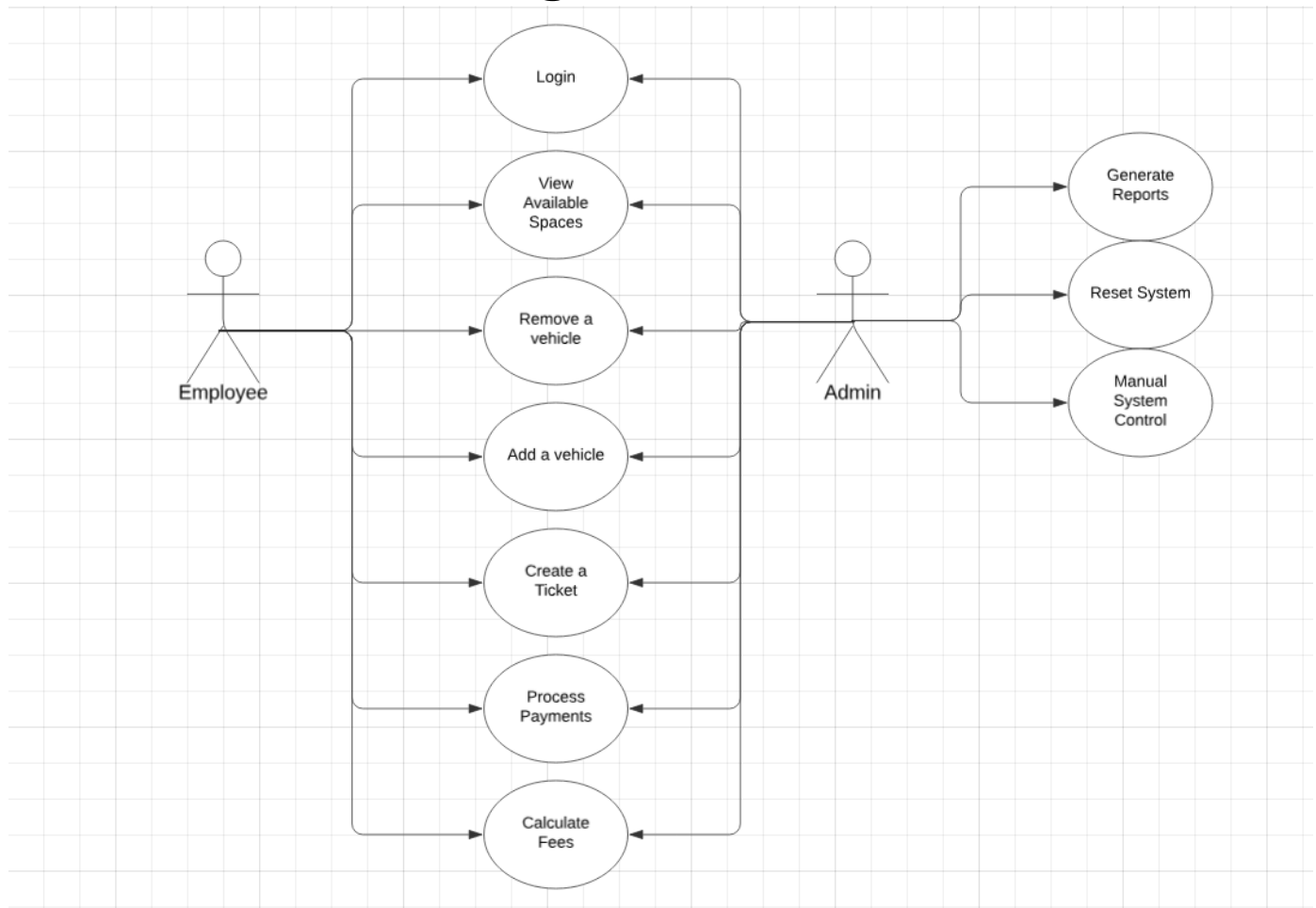
- Lost tickets requiring manual input

Exceptions:

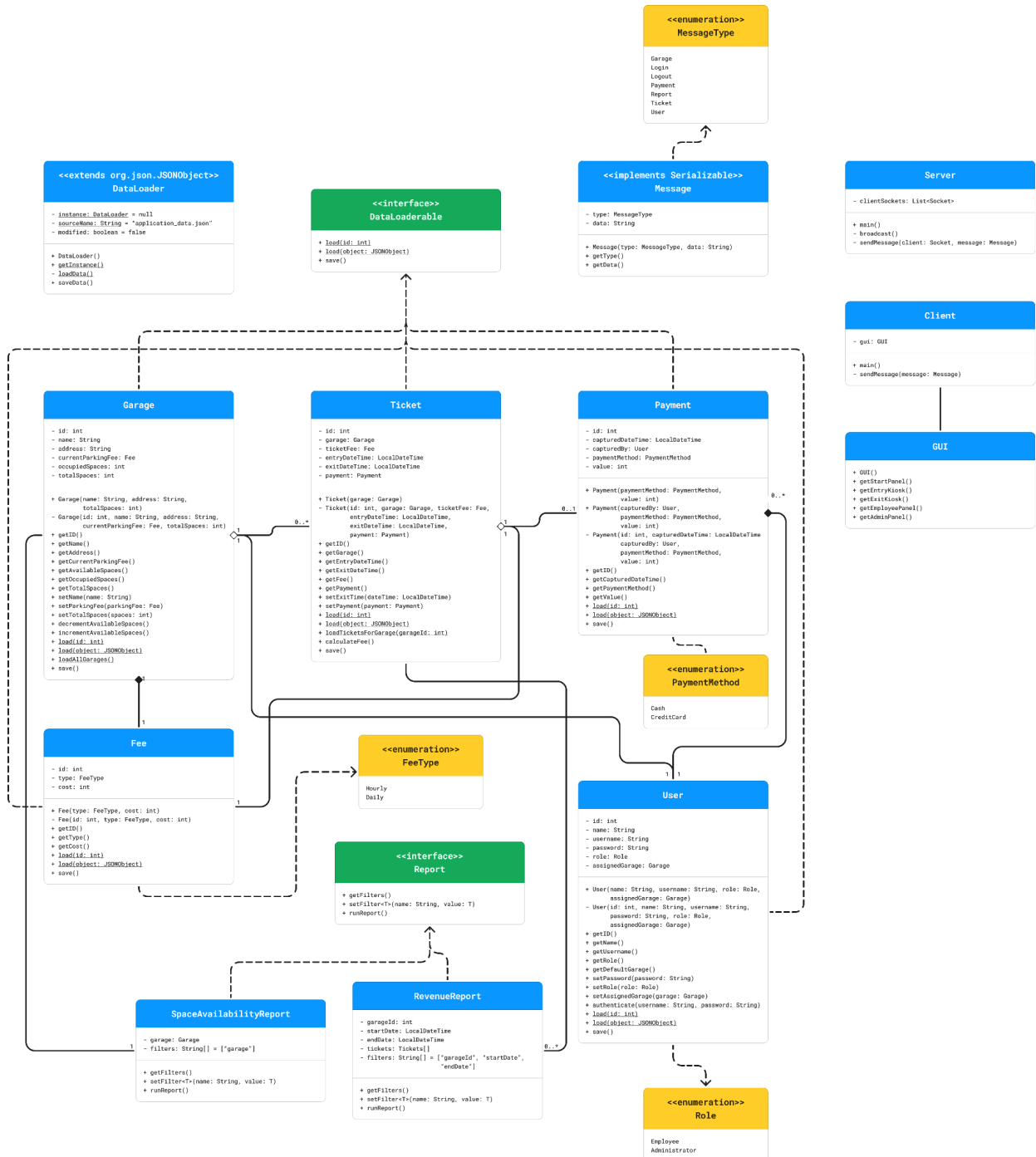
- N/A

Related Use Cases: UC2 and UC4

UML Use Case Diagram



Class Diagram



Here's a breakdown of each class in the UML diagram:

1. DataLoader

- Extends `org.json.JSONObject`.
- Attributes:
 - `instance`: Lazy load singleton instance of `DataLoader`.
 - `sourcePath`: Path to the data file (`application_data.json`).
Immutable.
 - `modified`: Boolean indicating if the data has been modified.
- Methods:
 - `DataLoader()`: Constructor for initializing the `DataLoader`.
 - `getInstance()`: Retrieves the singleton instance.
 - `loadData()`: Loads data from the file.
 - `saveData()`: Saves data to the file.

2. DataLoaderable (Interface)

- Methods:
 - `load(id: int)`: Static function that creates a new object from the provided `id` and the `DataLoader` class.
 - `load(object: JSONObject)`: Creates an instance of the object from the provided `JSONObject`.
 - `save()`: Saves the object.

3. Garage

- Inherits from `DataLoaderable`.
- Attributes:
 - `id`: Unique identifier. *Immutable*.
 - `name`: Name of the garage.
 - `address`: Address of the garage.
 - `currentParkingFee`: Current parking fee (of type `Fee`).
 - `occupiedSpaces`: Number of occupied spaces.
 - `totalSpaces`: Total number of parking spaces.
- Constructors:
 - `Garage(name: String, address: String, totalSpaces: int)`: Creates a new `Garage` object with the `name`, `address`, and `totalSpaces` attributes set from argument values.
 - `Garage(id: int, name: String, address: String, currentParkingFee: Fee, totalSpaces: int)`: Private constructor used by `load` functions to reconstruct a saved object with all attributes initialized.
- Methods:
 - `getID()`, `getName()`, `getAddress()`, etc.: Getters and setters for attributes.

- `decrementAvailableSpaces()`: Increments the `occupiedSpaces` count by 1.
- `incrementAvailableSpaces()`: Decrements the `occupiedSpaces` count by 1.
- `loadAllGarages()`: Returns an array of `Garage` objects loaded from the `DataLoader`.

4. Ticket

- Inherits from `DataLoaderable`.
- Attributes:
 - `id`: Ticket ID. *Immutable*.
 - `garage`: `Garage` associated with the ticket. *Immutable*.
 - `ticketFee`: Fee for the ticket. *Immutable*.
 - `entryDateTime`: Vehicle entry time. *Immutable*.
 - `exitDateTime`: Vehicle exit time.
 - `payment`: `Payment` associated with the ticket.
- Constructors:
 - `Ticket(garage: Garage)`: Creates a new `Ticket` object with the `garage` attribute set from argument value. Additionally, sets the `ticketFee` based on the garage's `currentParkingFee` and `entryDateTime` to now.
 - `Ticket(id: int, garage: Garage, ticketFee: Fee, entryDateTime: LocalDateTime, exitDateTime: LocalDateTime, payment: Payment)`: Private constructor used by `load` functions to reconstruct a saved object with all attributes initialized.
- Methods:
 - `getID()`, `getGarage()`, `getEntryDateTime()`, etc.: Getters and setters for attributes.
 - `loadTicketsForGarage(garageId: int)`: Returns an array of `Ticket` objects loaded from the `DataLoader`.
 - `calculateFee()`: Calculates the fee owed by the vehicle owner for the ticket.

5. Payment

- Inherits from `DataLoaderable`.
- Attributes:
 - `id`: Payment ID. *Immutable*.
 - `capturedDateTime`: Time the payment was captured. *Immutable*.
 - `capturedBy`: `User` who captured the payment. *Immutable*.
 - `paymentMethod`: Method of payment (`PaymentMethod`). *Immutable*
 - `value`: Amount of payment, stored in cents as an integer to prevent any floating point arithmetic errors. *Immutable*.
- Constructors:

- `Payment(paymentMethod: PaymentMethod, value: int)`: Creates a new `Payment` object with the `paymentMethod` and `value` attributes set from argument values. Additionally, sets the `capturedDateTime` to now.
 - `Payment(capturedBy: User, paymentMethod: PaymentMethod, value: int)`: Creates a new `Payment` object with the `capturedBy`, `paymentMethod`, and `value` attributes set from argument values. Additionally, sets the `capturedDateTime` to now.
 - `Payment(id: int, capturedDateTime: LocalDateTime, capturedBy: User, paymentMethod: PaymentMethod, value: int)`: Private constructor used by `load` functions to reconstruct a saved object with all attributes initialized.
- Methods:
 - `getID()`, `getCapturedDateTime()`, `getCapturedBy()`, etc.: Getters for attributes.

6. Fee

- Inherits from `DataLoaderable`.
- Attributes:
 - `id`: Fee ID. *Immutable*.
 - `type`: Type of fee (`FeeType`). *Immutable*.
 - `cost`: Cost of the fee. *Immutable*.
- Constructors:
 - `Fee(type: FeeType, cost: int)`: Creates a new `Fee` object with the `type` and `cost` attributes set from argument values.
 - `Fee(id: int, type: FeeType, cost: int)`: Private constructor used by `load` functions to reconstruct a saved object with all attributes initialized.
- Methods:
 - `getID()`, `getType()`, `getCost()`: Getters for attributes.

7. User

- Inherits from `DataLoaderable`.
- Attributes:
 - `id`: User ID. *Immutable*.
 - `name`: User's name. *Immutable*.
 - `username`: Username for login. *Immutable*.
 - `password`: Password for login.
 - `role`: Role of the user (`Role`).
 - `assignedGarage`: Garage assigned to the user (`Garage`).
- Constructors:
 - `User(name: String, username: String, role: Role, assignedGarage: Garage)`: Creates a new `User` object with the `name`, `username`, `role`, and `assignedGarage` attributes set from argument values.

- `User(id: int, name: String, username: String, password: String, role: Role, assignedGarage: Garage)`: Private constructor used by `load` functions to reconstruct a saved object with all attributes initialized.
- Methods:
 - `getID()`, `getName()`, `getUsername()`, etc.: Getters for attributes.
 - `setPassword(password: String)`, `setRole(role: Role)`, `setDefaultGarage(garage: Garage)`: Setters for attributes.
 - `authenticate(username: String, password: String)`: Authenticates user login.

8. Report (Interface)

- Methods:
 - `getFilters()`: Retrieves filters for the report.
 - `setFilter<T>(name: String, value: T)`: Sets a filter (report attribute).
 - `runReport()`: Executes the report.

9. SpaceAvailabilityReport

- Inherits from `Report`.
- Attributes:
 - `garage`: Garage associated with the report.
 - `filters`: Filter options (contains only "garage").

10. RevenueReport

- Inherits from `Report`.
- Attributes:
 - `garageId`: ID of the garage.
 - `startDate`: Start date for the report.
 - `endDate`: End date for the report.
 - `filters`: Filter options (contains "garageId", "startDate", and "endDate").

11. Message

- Implements `Serializable`.
- Attributes:
 - `type`: Message type (`MessageType`).
 - `data`: Data associated with the message.
- Constructor:
 - `Message(type: MessageType, data: String)`: Initializes with message type and data.
- Methods:
 - `getType()`: Retrieves the message type.
 - `getData()`: Retrieves the data.

12. Server

- Attributes:
 - `clientSockets`: Holds a list of the connected client sockets for broadcast messages.
- Methods:
 - `main()`: Entry point for the server application.
 - `broadcast()`: Iterates over client sockets and broadcasts a message (ping).
 - `sendMessage(client: Socket, message: Message)`: Sends a message to the provided client.

13. Client

- Attributes:
 - `gui`: Stores the GUI class instance.
- Methods:
 - `main()`: Entry point for the client application.
 - `sendMessage(message: Message)`: Sends a message to the server.

14. GUI

- Constructor:
 - `GUI`: Creates a new `GUI` object instance.
- Methods:
 - `getStartPanel()`: Returns the GUI elements for the start panel (login and kiosk mode selection).
 - `getEntryKiosk()`: Returns the GUI elements for the entry kiosk mode.
 - `getExitKiosk()`: Returns the GUI elements for the exit kiosk mode.
 - `getEmployeePanel()`: Returns the GUI elements for the employee panel.
 - `getAdminPanel()`: Returns the GUI elements for the admin panel.

Enumerations

1. MessageType

- Values: `Garage`, `Login`, `Logout`, `Payment`, `Report`, `Ticket`, `User`.

2. FeeType

- Values: `Hourly`, `Daily`.

3. PaymentMethod

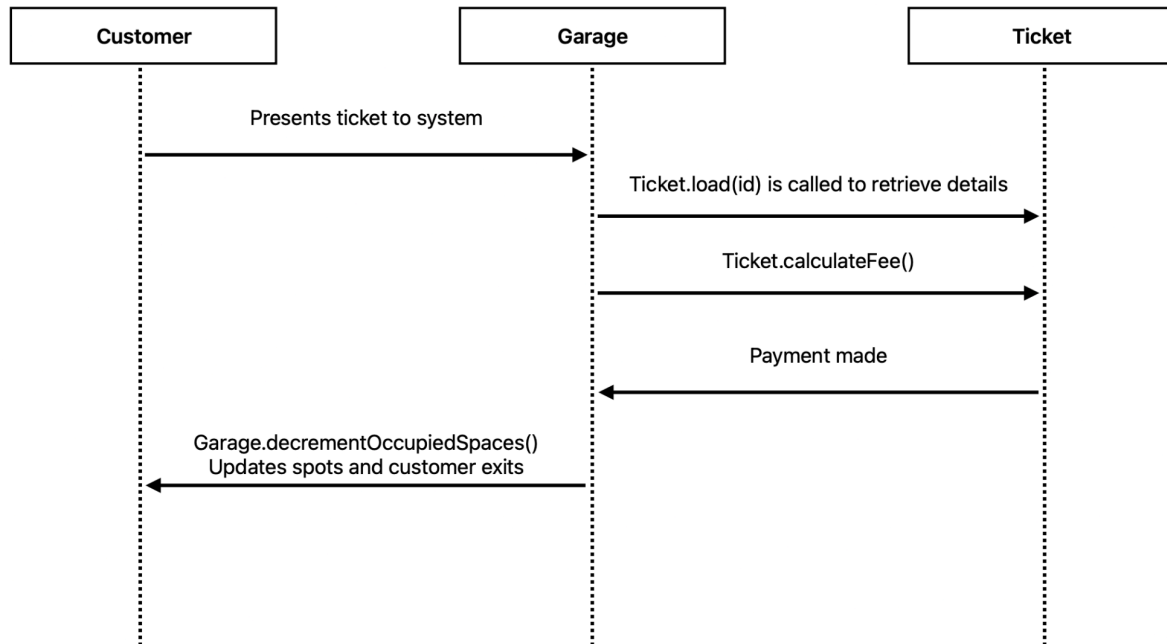
- Values: `Cash`, `CreditCard`.

4. Role

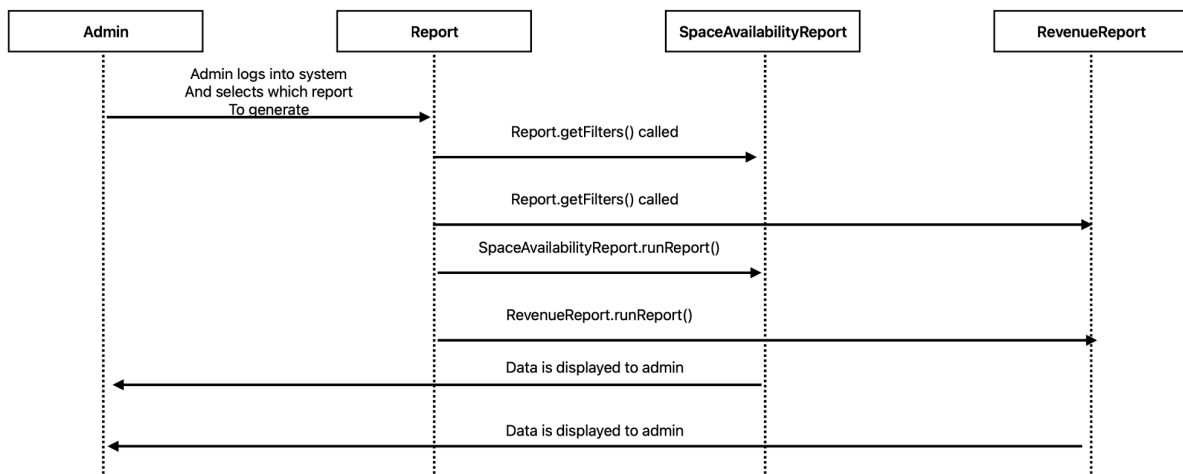
- Values: `Employee`, `Administrator`.

Sequence Diagram

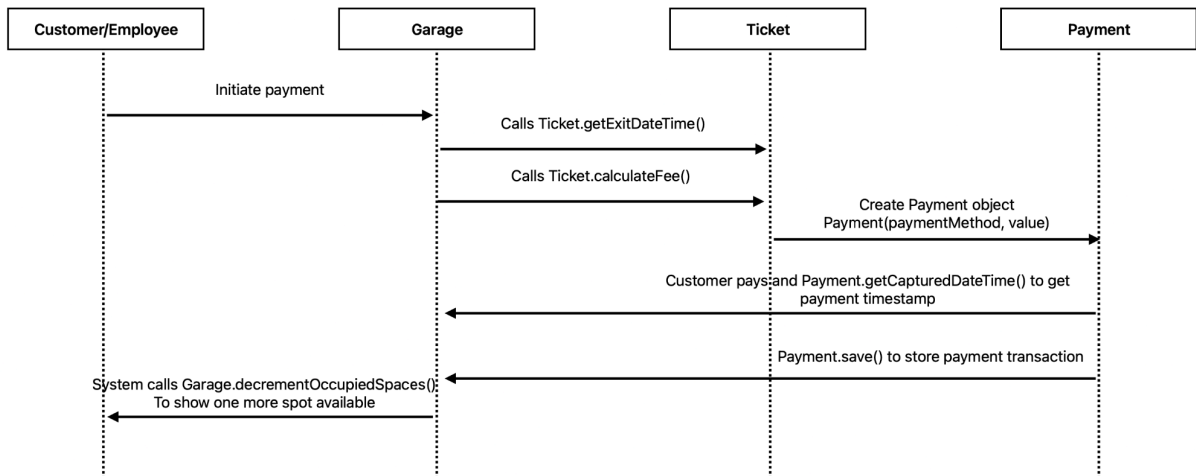
Car Removal



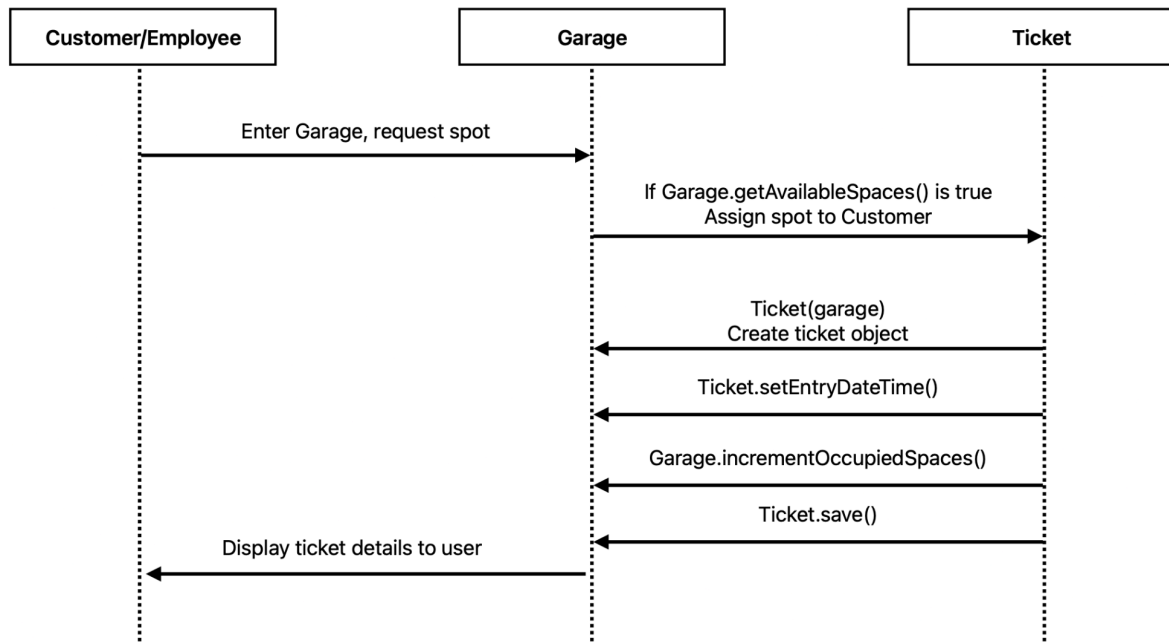
Report Generation



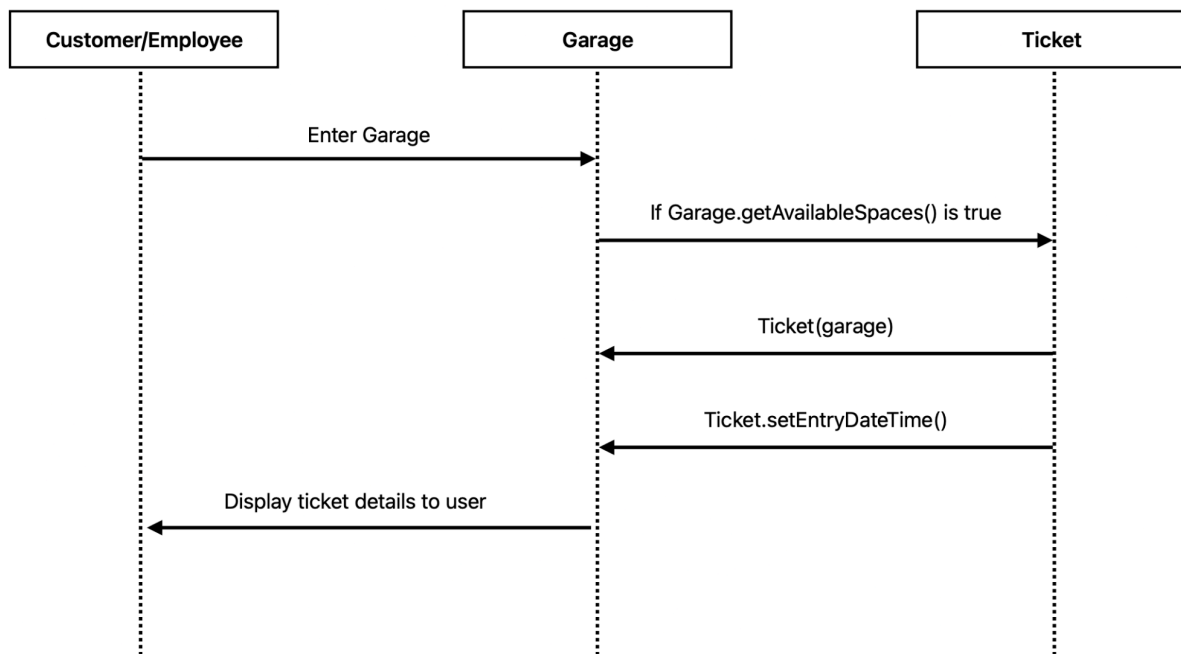
Payment Processing



Parking Spot Assignment



Ticket Generation



Design Patterns

To create a maintainable and efficient design for the Parking Garage Management System (PGMS), we incorporated the Facade and Singleton patterns. These patterns simplify interactions between system components, centralize resource management, and enhance flexibility as the system grows.

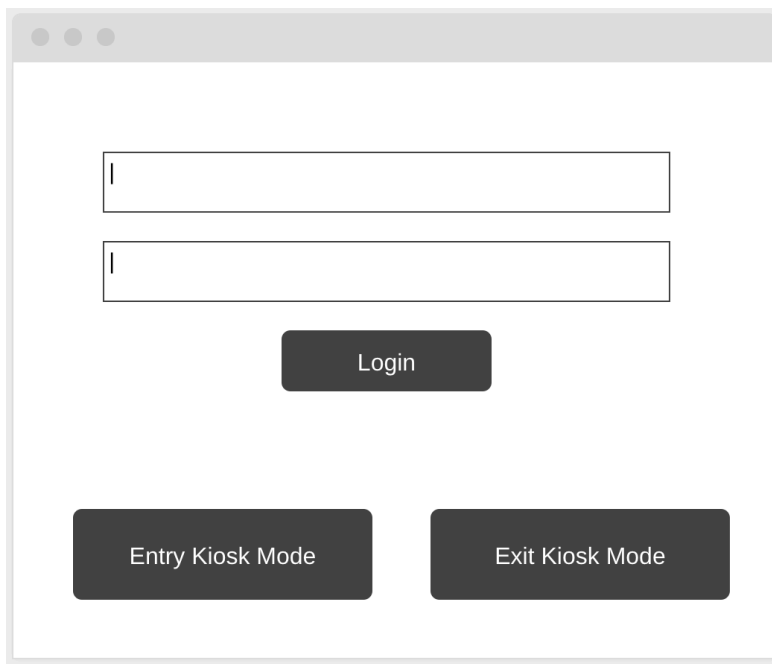
Client-Server Pattern

- Purpose: The Client-Server pattern separates the system into two main parts:
 - The Client (UI) handles interactions like ticket generation, payment processing, and viewing reports.
 - The Server processes these requests, manages data, and sends results back to the client
- Application in PGMS:
 - Client Side: Used by Employees and Admins to request actions (e.g., generating tickets or processing payments). The client interface sends these requests to the server.
 - Server Side: Handles data processing and storage. It receives client requests, updates data, and sends responses. DataLoader acts as the server's data manager by loading and saving information in JSON files.
- Benefits:
 - Centralized Data
 - Modularity
 - Scalability

Facade Pattern

- Purpose: The Facade pattern provides a simplified, unified interface to complex subsystems within the PGMS. By using a Facade, the system hides intricate details of internal processes, allowing client modules to perform functions without extensive knowledge of underlying interactions.
- Where it's Applied:
 - Subsystems Managed
 - Ticket Management
 - Payment Processing
 - Parking Spot Management
- Implementation Details: A ParkingFacade class serves as the central interface for ticket generation, payment processing, and managing parking spots. It interacts with subsystem classes including Ticket, Payment, and Garage to streamline ticket issuance, parking space updates, and fee calculations.
- ParkingFacade interacts with:
 - Ticket: For generating new tickets and managing entry and exit times.
 - Payment: For processing payments and associating them with specific tickets.
 - Garage: For managing real-time parking spot availability.
 - Fee: To handle fee calculations based on parking duration.

Wireframe Design



A wireframe of a login screen within a window frame. The window has a title bar with three small circles on the left. The main content area contains two text input fields stacked vertically, each with a vertical cursor on the left. Below the input fields is a dark rectangular button with the text "Login". At the bottom of the window are two more dark rectangular buttons: "Entry Kiosk Mode" on the left and "Exit Kiosk Mode" on the right.

Login Screen

Press for Ticket

Garage: {Garage Name}
{Address}

Ticket #: {Ticket ID}

Entry Date/Time: {Entry Date Time}

Fee: {Fee - ie \$1.25/hour}

Date/Time: {Current Date Time}

Enter Ticket

Lookup Ticket

Garage: {Garage Name}
{Address}

Ticket #: {Ticket ID}

Entry Date/Time: {Entry Date Time}

Fee: {Fee - ie \$1.25/hour}

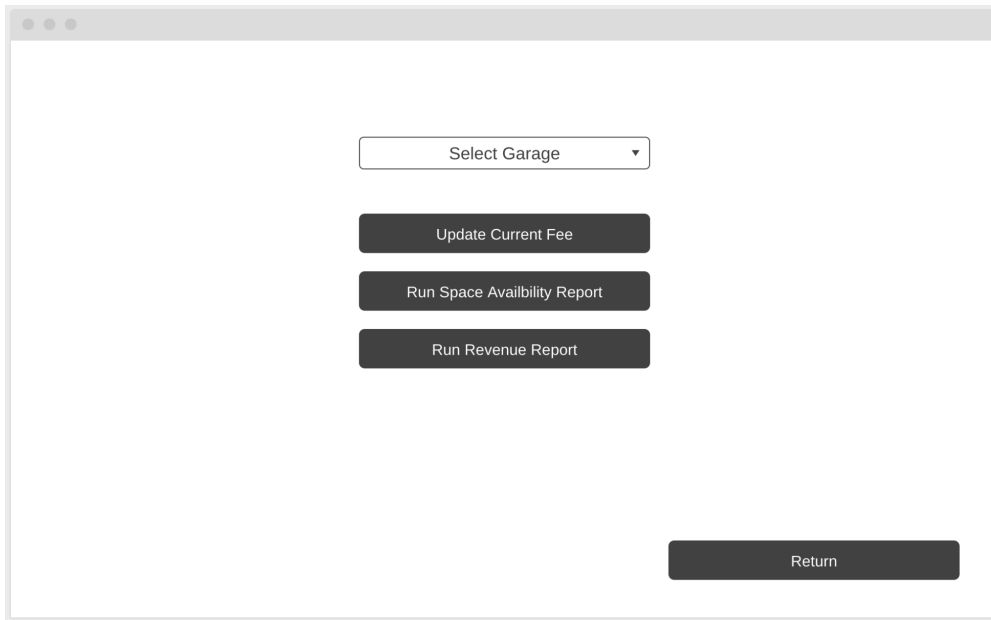
Payment Due: {Calculated Fee - \$2.50}

Pay with Cash

Pay with Card

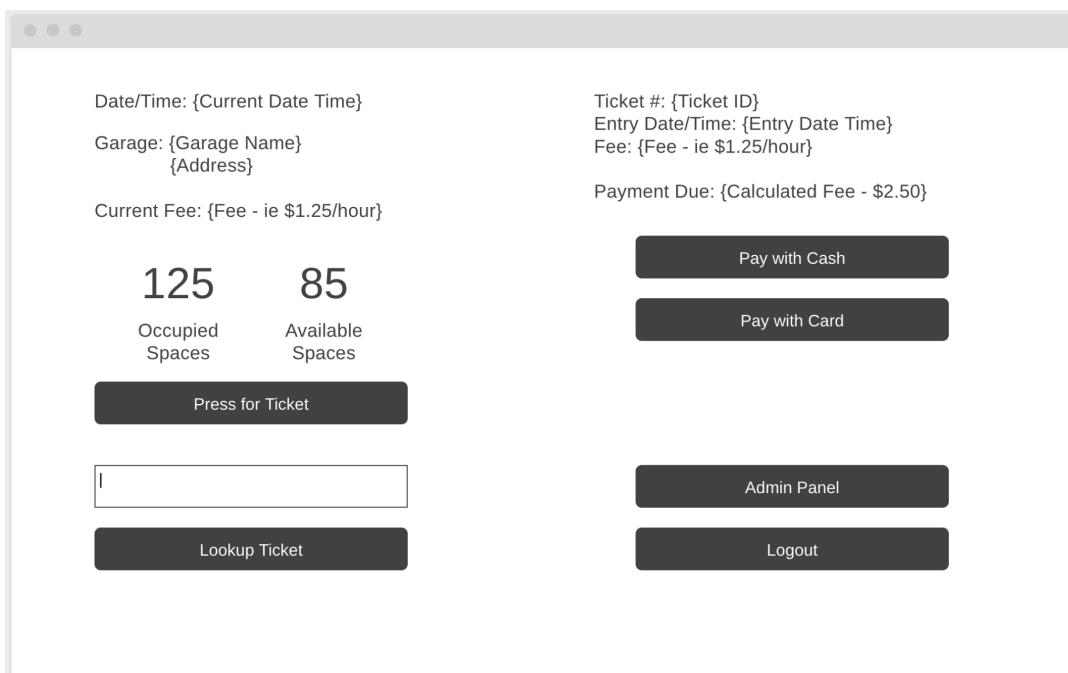
Date/Time: {Current Date Time}

Exit Ticket



A web application window titled "Garage Selection". It features a central column of four buttons: a dropdown menu labeled "Select Garage", followed by "Update Current Fee", "Run Space Availability Report", and "Run Revenue Report". A "Return" button is positioned at the bottom right of the window.

Garage Selection



A web application window titled "Dashboard". The interface is divided into two main columns. The left column displays dynamic information: "Date/Time: {Current Date Time}", "Garage: {Garage Name} {Address}", and "Current Fee: {Fee - ie \$1.25/hour}". Below this, two large numbers "125" and "85" are shown, labeled "Occupied Spaces" and "Available Spaces" respectively. A "Press for Ticket" button is located below the space counts, followed by a text input field and a "Lookup Ticket" button. The right column displays: "Ticket #: {Ticket ID}", "Entry Date/Time: {Entry Date Time}", "Fee: {Fee - ie \$1.25/hour}", and "Payment Due: {Calculated Fee - \$2.50}". Below this information are four buttons: "Pay with Cash", "Pay with Card", "Admin Panel", and "Logout".

Dashboard