Milestone 4 – Part 1: Acceptance Test Procedure – Smart Checkout Nexus

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Acceptance Test Procedure

Test Case ID: ATP_001

Functional Behavior: Customer logs into self-checkout kiosk

Purpose: Verify that the login system accepts valid customer credentials and denies invalid attempts.

Preconditions:

- Kiosk is powered on and displaying the login screen
- Valid customer credentials are available

Test Steps:

- 1. Launch the self-checkout kiosk.
- 2. Enter a valid customer ID and PIN.
- 3. Click the "Login" button.
- 4. Observe system behavior.
- 5. Logout and return to the login screen.
- 6. Enter an invalid customer ID or PIN.
- 7. Click the "Login" button again.

Expected Result:

- For the valid login, the system should advance to the home screen.
- For the invalid login, the system should display an error message such as "Invalid ID or PIN."

- Pass if both successful and unsuccessful logins behave as expected.
- Fail if either valid credentials are rejected or invalid credentials are accepted.

Functional Behavior: Customer adds item using barcode scanner

Purpose: Confirm that the scanner correctly adds an item to the virtual cart.

Preconditions:

- Kiosk is powered on and customer is logged in
- Barcode scanner is connected and functional
- Item with valid barcode is available

Test Steps:

- 1. Place the item under the scanner.
- 2. Scan the barcode.
- 3. Wait for system to beep or confirm scan.
- 4. Check the item list on the screen.

Expected Result:

• The scanned item appears in the cart with the correct name and price.

- Pass if item details are displayed immediately and accurately in the cart.
- Fail if the item does not appear or displays incorrect details.

Functional Behavior: System displays item in the cart

Purpose: Verify that all scanned items are correctly reflected in the cart view.

Preconditions:

• Customer is logged in and multiple items have been scanned

Test Steps:

- 1. Scan three different items.
- 2. Click on the "Cart" or "View Items" button.
- 3. Review the list of items, their prices, and the total.

Expected Result:

- All scanned items are shown in the cart with correct quantities and prices.
- The total reflects the sum of the items.

- Pass if item names, prices, and total are correct.
- Fail if any item is missing, duplicated, or mispriced.

Functional Behavior: Customer requests assistance (calls attendant)

Purpose: Ensure that the system notifies an attendant when a customer taps the help button.

Preconditions:

- Kiosk is powered on and customer is mid-transaction
- Attendant device/system is online and receiving alerts

Test Steps:

- 1. On the kiosk screen, tap the "Need Help" or "Call Attendant" button.
- 2. Wait for acknowledgment notification.
- 3. Verify that the alert appears on the attendant's dashboard or screen.

Expected Result:

- The customer sees a "Help is on the way" message.
- The attendant receives a visual/audible alert linked to the kiosk number.

- Pass if both the customer and attendant interfaces react as expected.
- Fail if no notification is received by the attendant or no confirmation is shown to the customer.

Functional Behavior: Attendant overrides item or coupon error

Purpose: Verify that the attendant can resolve errors like invalid items or rejected coupons.

Preconditions:

- Kiosk must be in error state (e.g., invalid coupon scanned)
- Attendant must be logged into their dashboard

Test Steps:

- 1. Attempt to scan an expired or unreadable coupon at the kiosk.
- 2. Observe the error message on the customer screen.
- 3. Attendant logs into their system and selects the alert from the kiosk.
- 4. Attendant overrides or approves the coupon.
- 5. Customer screen updates with the resolved status.

Expected Result:

- Error is cleared and coupon is applied or properly rejected with reason.
- The customer can proceed with checkout.

- Pass if the attendant successfully overrides the error and the kiosk returns to a working state.
- Fail if the error cannot be resolved or override is not reflected.

Functional Behavior: Customer selects receipt option

Purpose: Ensure the customer can choose to print, email, or decline a receipt after completing a transaction.

Preconditions:

- Customer has completed scanning items and submitted payment
- Printer is connected (for physical receipt option)

Test Steps:

- 1. Complete a purchase and proceed to the receipt options screen.
- 2. Choose "Print Receipt" and wait for printout.
- 3. Complete another transaction, then choose "Email Receipt" and enter email address.
- 4. Complete a third transaction, and choose "No Receipt."

Expected Result:

- Receipt prints correctly for the first test.
- Email is sent and confirmation appears for the second.
- System completes checkout with no receipt for the third.

- Pass if the correct option is followed through for all three cases.
- Fail if the receipt is not delivered, printed incorrectly, or option doesn't work.

Functional Behavior: Attendant logs in to dashboard

Purpose: Verify that only authorized personnel can access the attendant dashboard.

Preconditions:

- Attendant account exists
- Attendant terminal is powered on and connected

Test Steps:

- 1. Open the attendant dashboard login screen.
- 2. Enter valid credentials and attempt to log in.
- 3. Log out, then attempt to log in with incorrect credentials.
- 4. Attempt to access dashboard without logging in.

Expected Result:

- Valid credentials allow access to dashboard.
- Invalid credentials result in an error.
- Dashboard cannot be accessed without login.

- Pass if login security and access control work correctly.
- Fail if access is granted improperly or denied incorrectly.