



Applied Software Project Report

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Applied Software Project

Abstract

This project focuses on developing an ecommerce website designed to simplify online shopping and enhance the user experience. The platform integrates essential functionalities such as user management, product catalog browsing, cart and checkout, order management. By leveraging modern technologies and best practices, the system aims to create a seamless and intuitive interface for users while ensuring data security and operational efficiency.

The project addresses real-life applications in the retail industry by offering a digital platform that can scale to meet the needs of diverse businesses. It enhances accessibility for customers by providing features like secure registration, personalized profiles, and real-time order tracking. The inclusion of multiple payment options ensures user convenience, while secure authentication mechanisms guarantee data privacy. Overall, this project demonstrates how software tools can revolutionize traditional shopping experiences, making them more efficient and accessible across industries.

Project Description

This project involves designing and developing a feature-rich ecommerce website tailored to meet modern online shopping needs.

Objectives

- Provide a user-friendly platform for customers to browse and purchase products.
- Enable businesses to manage products, orders, and transactions efficiently.
- Ensure a secure and seamless shopping experience for users.

Capstone Project Development Process

The development process for the ecommerce website was structured into distinct phases to ensure clarity, efficiency, and alignment with project goals. The following outlines the key steps taken during the project lifecycle:

Relevance

Ecommerce has become a cornerstone of modern retail, enabling businesses to reach wider audiences. This platform is designed to address common pain points, such as secure user authentication, product search, and efficient order tracking, making it relevant for industries aiming to optimize their online presence.

1. Definition

The first phase involves understanding the project requirements, setting goals, and defining the scope of the eCommerce platform. Key objectives include:

- **Understanding Requirements:**
 - Create a detailed Product Requirements Document (PRD) outlining functional and non-functional requirements.
 - Define core Services: User Management, Product Catalog, Cart & Checkout, Order Management, and Authentication.

- **Setting Objectives:**

- Provide a user-friendly eCommerce platform with secure authentication, seamless checkout.
- Ensure scalability to handle a growing user base and product catalog.

- **Identifying Constraints:**

- Timeframe for development.
- Resources and technologies (e.g., Java, Spring Boot, SQL database).

2. Planning

This phase involves creating a roadmap and breaking the project into manageable tasks.

- **Technology Selection:**

- Backend: Java with Spring Boot for API development.
- Database: MySQL for data storage.
- Service Discovery: Eureka Server
- Gateway: API Gateway by Spring boot

- **Defining Milestones:**

- Milestone 1: User Management Service.
- Milestone 2: Product Service with search functionality.
- Milestone 3: Cart
- Milestone 4: Order Management Service and Inventory Management.
- Milestone 5: Secure Authentication and final testing.

- **Resource Allocation:**

- Organize individual efforts.
- Created sprint for small task
- Use project management tools like Jira to track progress.

- **Design Phase:**

- Design database schemas (e.g., user, product, order tables).
- Create class diagrams for modules.

3. Development

The implementation of the planned features occurs in this phase.

- **Backend Development:**

- Build APIs for User Management (registration, login).
- Develop endpoints for browsing and searching the product catalog.
- Implement cart and order functionality.
- Created Inventory, Order, Seller, Product Services.

- **Authentication:**

- Implement secure login and session management using JWT.
- Add password hashing with BCrypt for security.

- **Database Development:**

- Set up tables for users, products, orders, categories, etc.
- Optimize queries for faster data retrieval.

- **Testing:**

- Perform unit testing for each module.
- Conduct integration and end-to-end testing to ensure a seamless experience.
- Address bugs and ensure functionality aligns with requirements.

4. Delivery

The final phase involves deploying the project and ensuring a smooth user experience.

- **Deployment:**

- Host the application on a cloud platform (e.g., AWS, Azure).
- Use Docker for containerization to simplify deployment.
- Configure CI/CD pipelines for automatic testing and deployment.

Requirement Gathering

1. Functional Requirements:



Identified key features such as

User Management: Secure registration, profile management, and session handling.

Product Catalog: Browsing products by categories, viewing detailed product information, and using a search feature.

Cart: Adding products to the cart, reviewing items.

Order Management: Viewing order history, tracking deliveries, and receiving order confirmations.

Inventory Management: Adding new Inventory for Product, track inventory, update inventory

Seller Management: Adding new, updating, deleting different sellers in Service

Payment Integration: Offering multiple payment options and ensuring secure transactions.

Product Requirements Document (PRD) for Ecommerce Website

1. User Management

1.1. Registration: Allow new users to create an account using their email or social media profiles.

1.2. Login: Users should be able to securely log in using their credentials.

1.3. Profile Management: Users should have the ability to view and modify their profile details.

2. Product Catalog

2.1. Browsing: Users should be able to browse products by different categories.

2.2. Product Details: Detailed product pages, descriptions, specifications, and other relevant information.

2.3. Search: Users must be able to search for products using keywords.

3. Cart

3.1. Add to Cart: Users should be able to add products to their cart.

3.2. Cart Review: View selected items in the cart with price, quantity, and total details.

4. Order Management

4.1. Order Confirmation: After making a purchase, users should receive a confirmation with order details.

4.2. Order History: Users should be able to view their past orders.

4.3. Order Tracking: Provide users with a way to track their order's delivery status.

5. Authentication

5.1. Secure Authentication: Ensure that user data remains private and secure during login and throughout their session.

5.2. Session Management: Users should remain logged in for a specified duration or until they decide to log out.

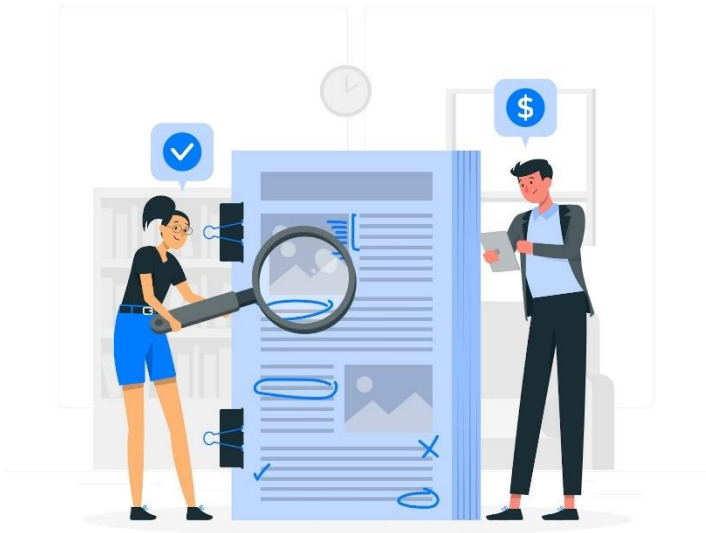
6. Inventory Management

6.1 Adding Inventory: Ensure that Seller can Add the inventory.

6.2 Updating Inventory: Seller can update the existing product inventory.

6.3 Per Seller Inventory: Seller can see the number of Product and there inventory.

2. Non-Functional Requirement:



For my capstone project, I have adopted the Micro Services architectural pattern with a tailored approach, omitting the View layer, as the focus of the project is backend development. Using Java Spring Boot, I concentrated on building robust Models, Controllers, and Services to ensure scalability, modularity, and clean code organization.

Micro Service Design

1. Micro Service Design

While the application follows a Micro Services structure, I designed it with a multi micro services approach. Each key module, such as User Management, Product Management, Cart, Order, Checkout, and Payment, is encapsulated with its own separate Micro Service in it, each services contains Models, Services, Entity, Controllers etc

- **Model:** For Managing Request and Response business objects.
- **Entity:** For database, Entity mapping is used for connecting with Database.
- **Service:** For handling business logic.
- **Controller:** For managing API endpoints and routing.

2. Scalability in Focus

This modular design ensures that if any specific module, like Product Catalog or Payment, experiences high traffic or load in the future, it can be seamlessly extracted and converted into a microservice. This forward-thinking approach provides flexibility for scaling without requiring significant restructuring of the codebase.

Micro Services Without View Layer

- The Model represents the application's data structure, using Java Persistence API (JPA) to interact with the database.
- The Service layer handles business logic, ensuring separation of concerns and making the codebase easier to maintain and test.
- The Controller layer manages incoming requests, routing them to the appropriate services, and returning responses in JSON format, suitable for API consumers like frontend applications or mobile apps.

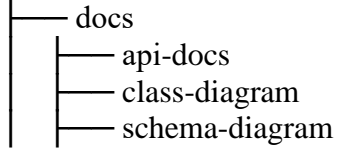
Since the project does not include a View layer, the focus remains on providing a backend API that can be consumed by any frontend or mobile application, allowing flexibility in integrating different client-side technologies in the future.

Key Benefits of the Approach

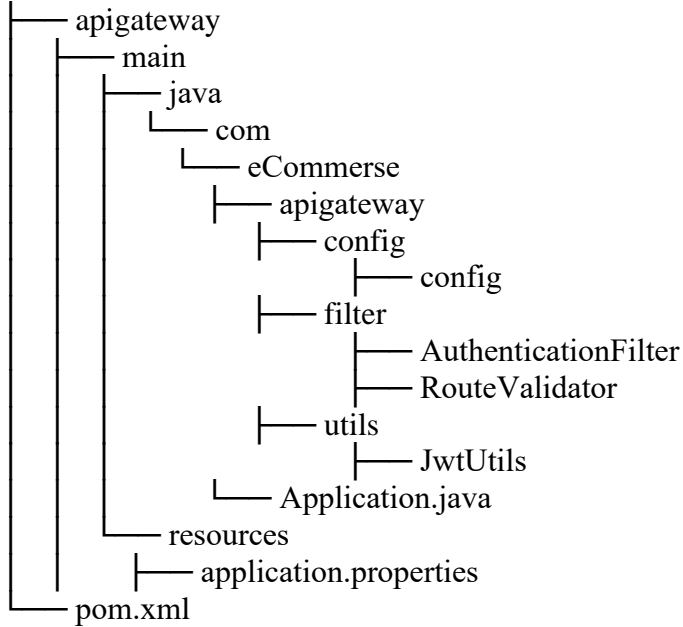
1. **Scalability:** The modular monolithic design ensures that the system can handle growth by enabling gradual migration to microservices as needed.
2. **Maintainability:** Each module has a clear separation of concerns, making it easier to update or debug specific parts of the application.
3. **Reusability:** The service layer is designed with reusability in mind, enabling shared logic across different parts of the application.
4. **Clean Code:** By following Spring Boot's best practices and adhering to MVC principles, the codebase remains well-structured and easy to extend.

Project folder structure - Below is the Project Folder Structure Based of Ecommerce using Micro Services

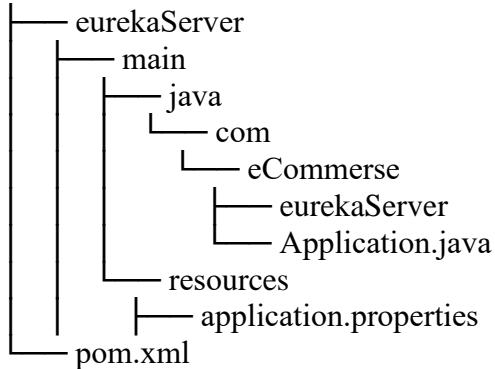
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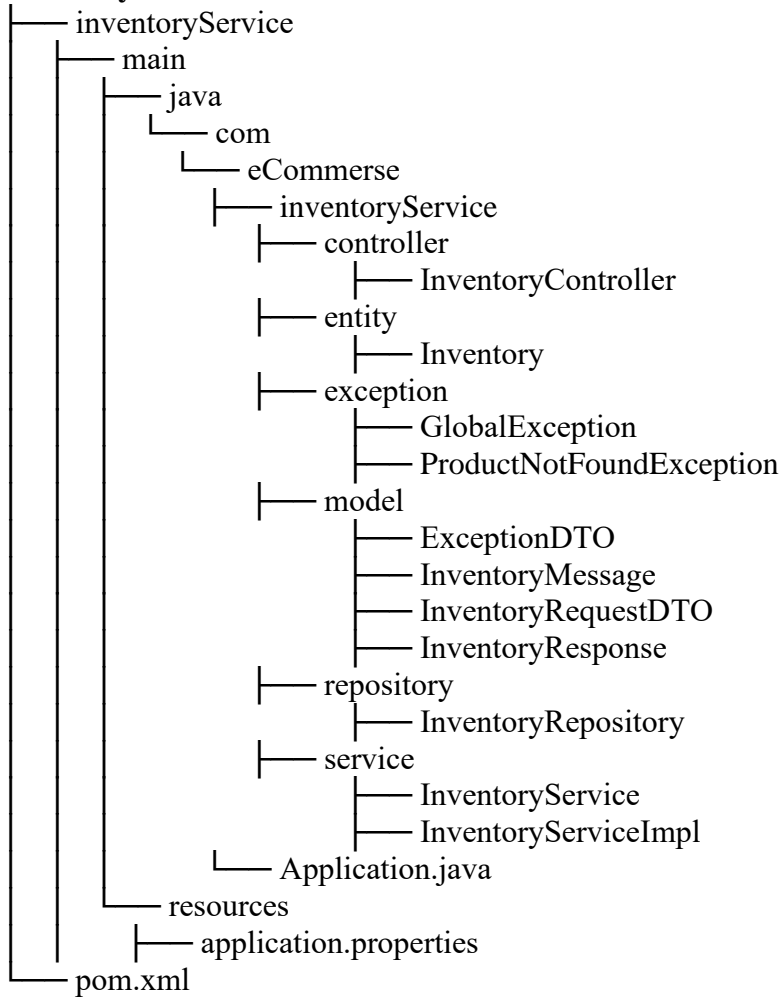
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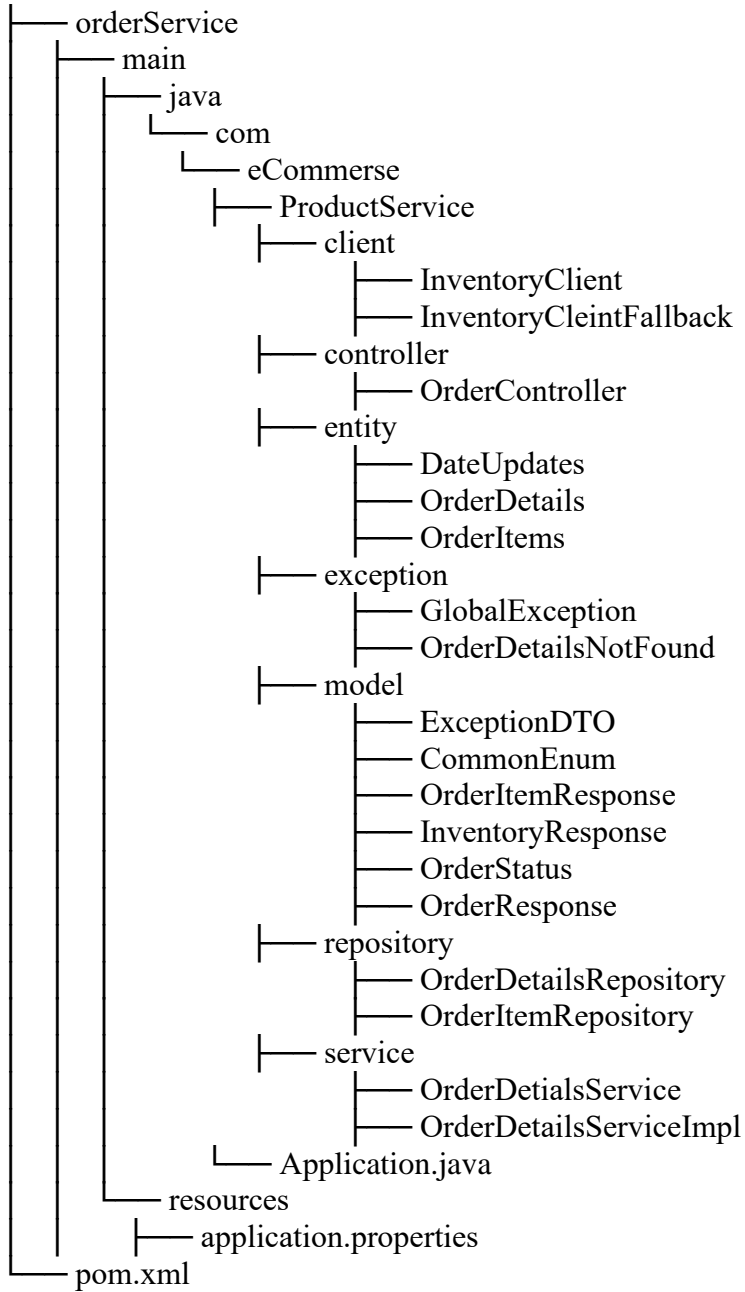
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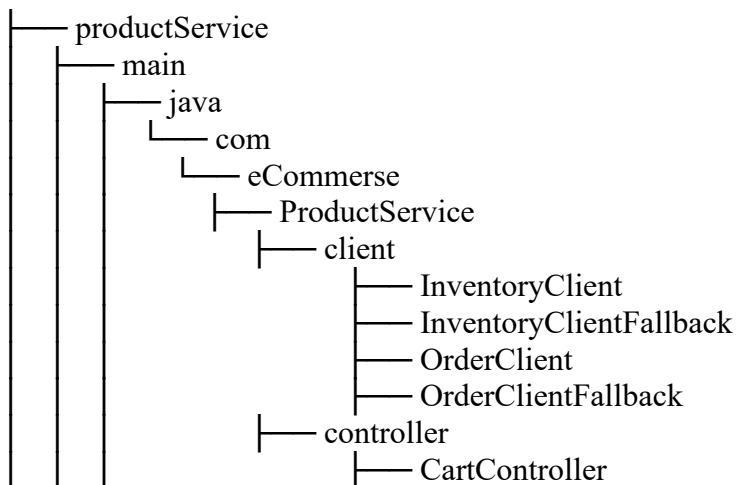
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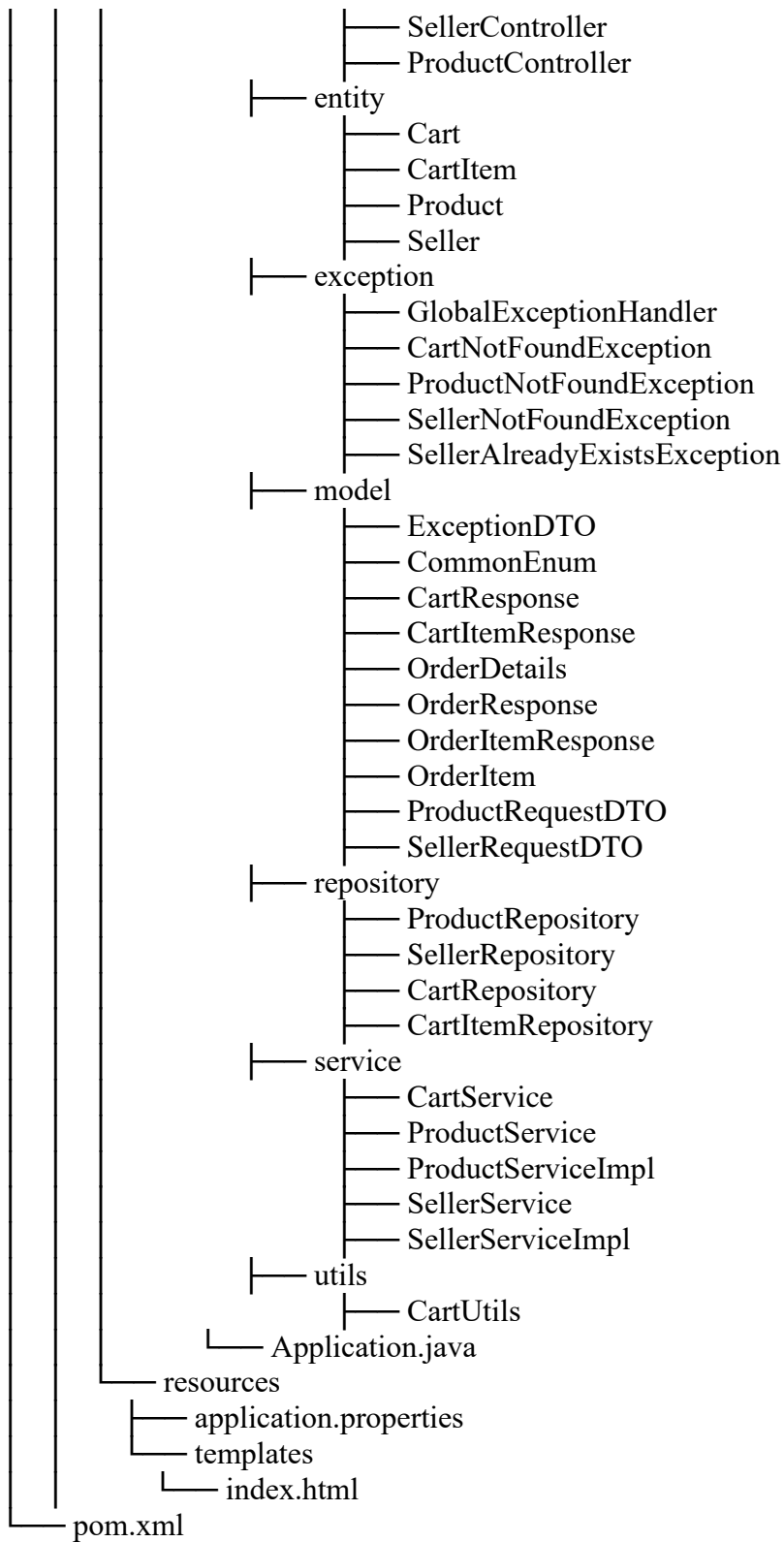


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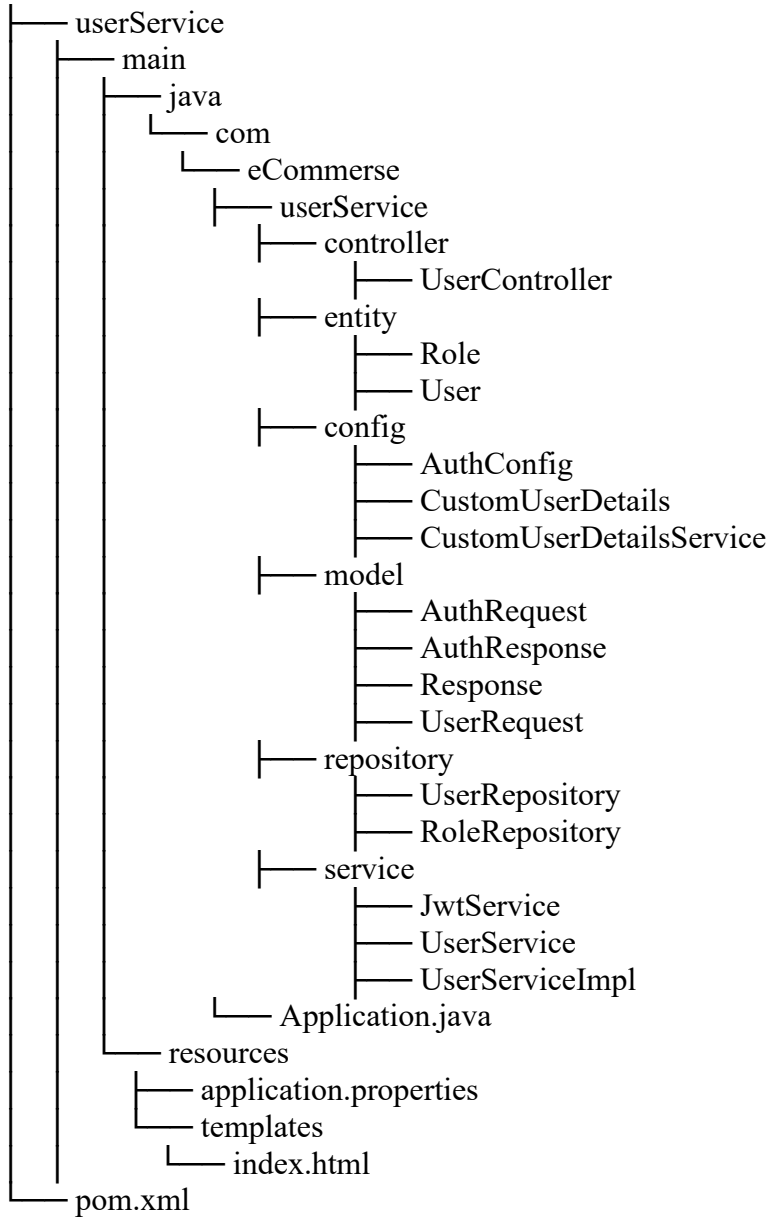


ProductService





UserService



3. Stakeholder Analysis



Introduction

Stakeholder analysis was a critical component of my e-commerce capstone project. By engaging with key stakeholders, including potential users and business owners, I identified their specific pain points, expectations, and priorities. This process ensured that the system's design and functionality aligned with their needs, fostering a user-centric and business-aligned approach.

Steps in Stakeholder Analysis

1. Identifying Stakeholders

The first step involved identifying all relevant stakeholders who would interact with or benefit from the e-commerce platform. The primary stakeholders identified were:

- Potential Users: Shoppers who would use the platform to browse, purchase, and manage orders.
- Business Owners: Vendors and platform administrators responsible for managing products, sales, and the overall system.
- Technical Stakeholders: Developers and IT professionals responsible for maintaining the platform.
- Logistics and Delivery Partners: Entities responsible for fulfilling customer orders.

Key Findings from Stakeholder Engagement

Pain Points

1. For Users:

- Difficulty in finding specific products due to poor search and filtering options.
- Lack of trust due to unreliable payment methods and insecure transactions.

- Frustration with slow or unclear delivery tracking mechanisms.
- 2. **For Business Owners:**
 - Challenges in managing product catalogs efficiently, especially with large inventories.
 - Limited tools for tracking and analyzing sales performance.
 - High operational overhead due to inefficient order and payment management.

Expectations

1. **For Users:**
 - A seamless, intuitive shopping experience with features like product search, recommendations, and detailed descriptions.
 - Secure payment options and transparent pricing.
 - Real-time order tracking and timely delivery notifications.
2. **For Business Owners:**
 - Easy-to-use interfaces for managing products, orders, and payments.
 - Insights into sales trends and customer preferences through analytics.
 - Scalable infrastructure capable of handling high traffic during sales and festive seasons.

Actions Taken Based on Stakeholder Analysis

For Users:

1. **Enhanced Product Browsing and Search:**
 - Developed a powerful search functionality with keyword matching and category filtering.
 - Added features like product recommendations and detailed product descriptions.
2. **Secure Transactions:**
 - Integrated multiple payment options with secure gateways to ensure user trust.
 - Provided instant payment confirmations and digital receipts.
3. **Order Tracking:**
 - Built an order tracking feature with real-time status updates and estimated delivery times.

For Business Owners:

1. **Product Catalog Management:**
 - Designed an intuitive interface for adding, updating, and categorizing products.
2. **Order and Payment Tools:**
 - Created modules for easy order management, automated payment reconciliation, and tracking customer transactions.
3. **Scalability:**
 - Developed the system with a modular architecture, ensuring that business owners can handle high traffic and add new features as their operations grow.

4. Planning and Development



Project Plan: Created a roadmap defining milestones, deadlines, and deliverables.

Development Timeline and Sprint Planning

The development process is divided into 5 sprints over a duration of 8 weeks. Each sprint has clear milestones and deliverables.

Sprint 1: Foundation and Setup (Week 1)

Goal: Establish the project's foundational structure.

Deliverables:

1. Project Initialization

- Set up a new Spring Boot project with a Micro Service architecture.
- Configure Gradle/Maven for dependency management.
- Create basic folder structures: Model, Controller, Service, and Repository.
- Add configurations for future database integration.

2. Database Design:

- Define a normalized relational database schema using the provided requirements.
- Create tables for **users, roles, products, categories, orders, order items, carts, and cart items.**

3. Environment Setup:

- Configure local development and testing environments.
- Integrate Swagger for API documentation.

Milestone:

- Project architecture established, and database schema finalized.
- Successfully running a basic application.

Sprint 2: User Management Module (Week 2-3)

Goal: Develop user-related functionalities and secure authentication.

Deliverables:

1. **Model Layer:**
 - Create entities for User, Role, and their relationships.
 - Include fields like name, email, password, and roles.
2. **Service Layer:**
 - Implement user registration and login services.
 - Use BCrypt for password encryption.
 - Add functionality for password reset and profile management.
3. **Controller Layer:**
 - Build RESTful APIs for user registration, login, and profile management.
 - Provide error handling for scenarios like duplicate emails, invalid credentials, etc.
4. **Security Configuration:**
 - Configure Spring Security for secure authentication.
 - Implement JWT-based token management.

Milestone:

- Fully functional user registration and login APIs with secure authentication.
- Swagger API documentation updated for User Management.

Sprint 3: Product Catalog Module (Week 4)

Goal: Enable product browsing, categorization, and detailed views.

Deliverables:

1. **Model Layer:**
 - Create entities for Product, Category, and their relationships.
2. **Service Layer:**
 - Implement product addition, retrieval, and category-based filtering.
3. **Controller Layer:**
 - Build APIs for product listing, product details, and searching by keywords.
4. **Data Seeding:**
 - Seed the database with example products and categories for testing.

Milestone:

- APIs for product catalog browsing and filtering are functional and documented

Sprint 4: Cart Module(Week 5-6)

Goal: Allow users to manage carts and place orders.

Deliverables:

1. **Model Layer:**
 - Define Cart, CartItem, and relationships with User and Product.
 - Define Order, OrderItem, and relationships with User and Product.
2. **Service Layer:**
 - Implement functionality to add/remove items in the cart.
 - Calculate cart totals dynamically.

- Build order placement functionality.
- 3. **Controller Layer:**
 - Create APIs for cart management, order placement, and order history retrieval.
- 4. **Error Handling:**
 - Handle scenarios like out-of-stock products and invalid order requests.

Milestone:

- Users can add items to their cart and place orders.
- Cart and order APIs are fully functional and documented.

Sprint 5: Payment Integration and Final Touches (Week 7-8)

Goal: Enable secure payment handling and finalize the project.

Deliverables:

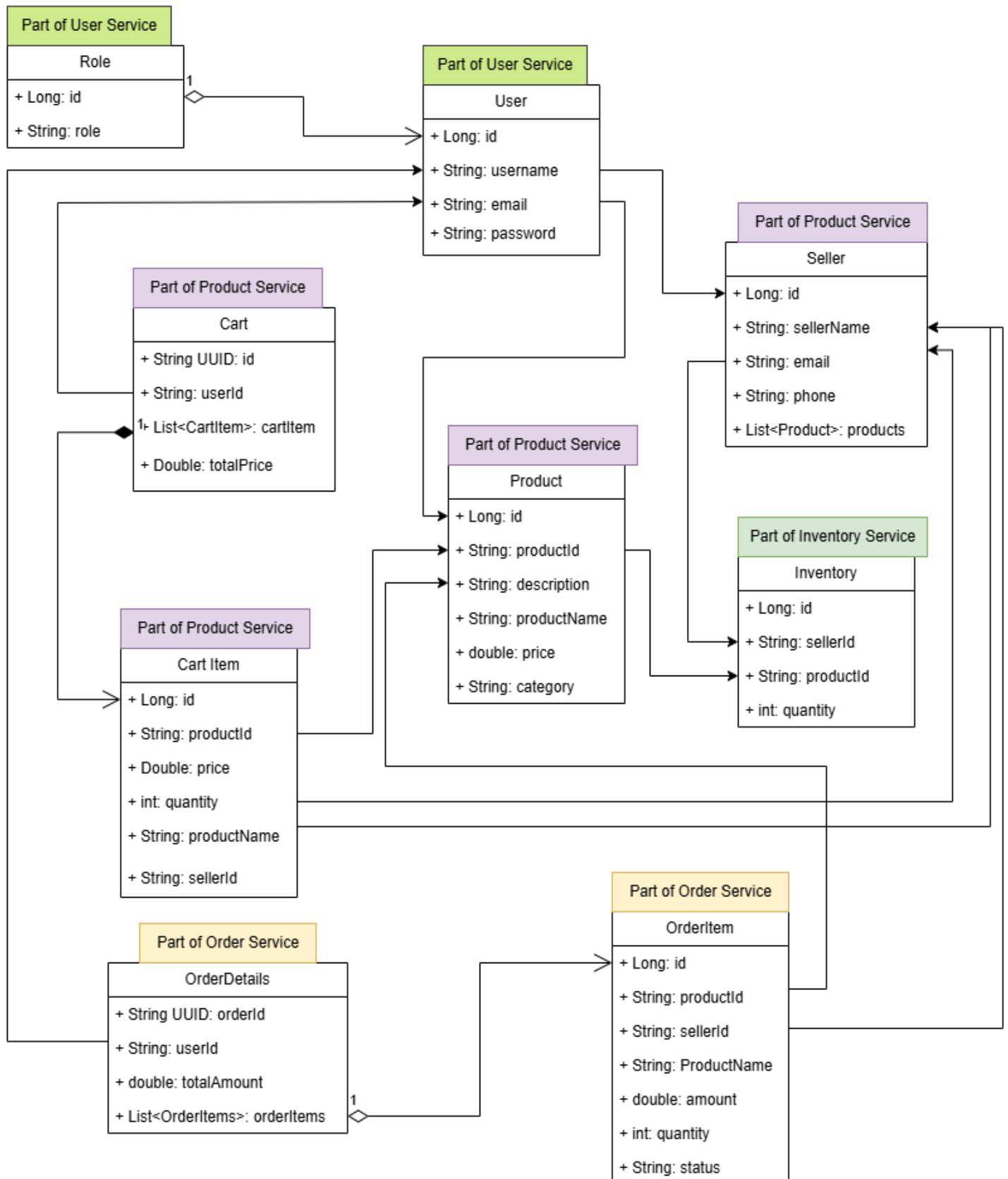
1. **Payment Service:**
 - Implement mock payment processing.
 - Provide APIs for multiple payment methods (credit card, debit card, etc.).
2. **Integration:**
 - Ensure that order placement updates payment status and sends order confirmation.
3. **Testing:**
 - Perform end-to-end testing for all functionalities.
 - Handle edge cases like expired JWT tokens, concurrent cart updates, etc.
4. **Documentation:**
 - Update Swagger API documentation for the entire project.
 - Write detailed README files for deployment and usage.

Milestone:

- Fully functional payment system.
- Application tested, documented, and ready for delivery.

Class Diagram

Class Diagram of eCommerce Shop



Relationships:

User-Role: One-to-Many relationship.

User-Cart: One-to-One relationship.

User-Order: One-to-Many relationship.

Seller-Product: One-to-Many relationship.

OrderDetails-OrderItem: One-to-Many relationship.

OrderItem-Product: Many-to-One relationship.

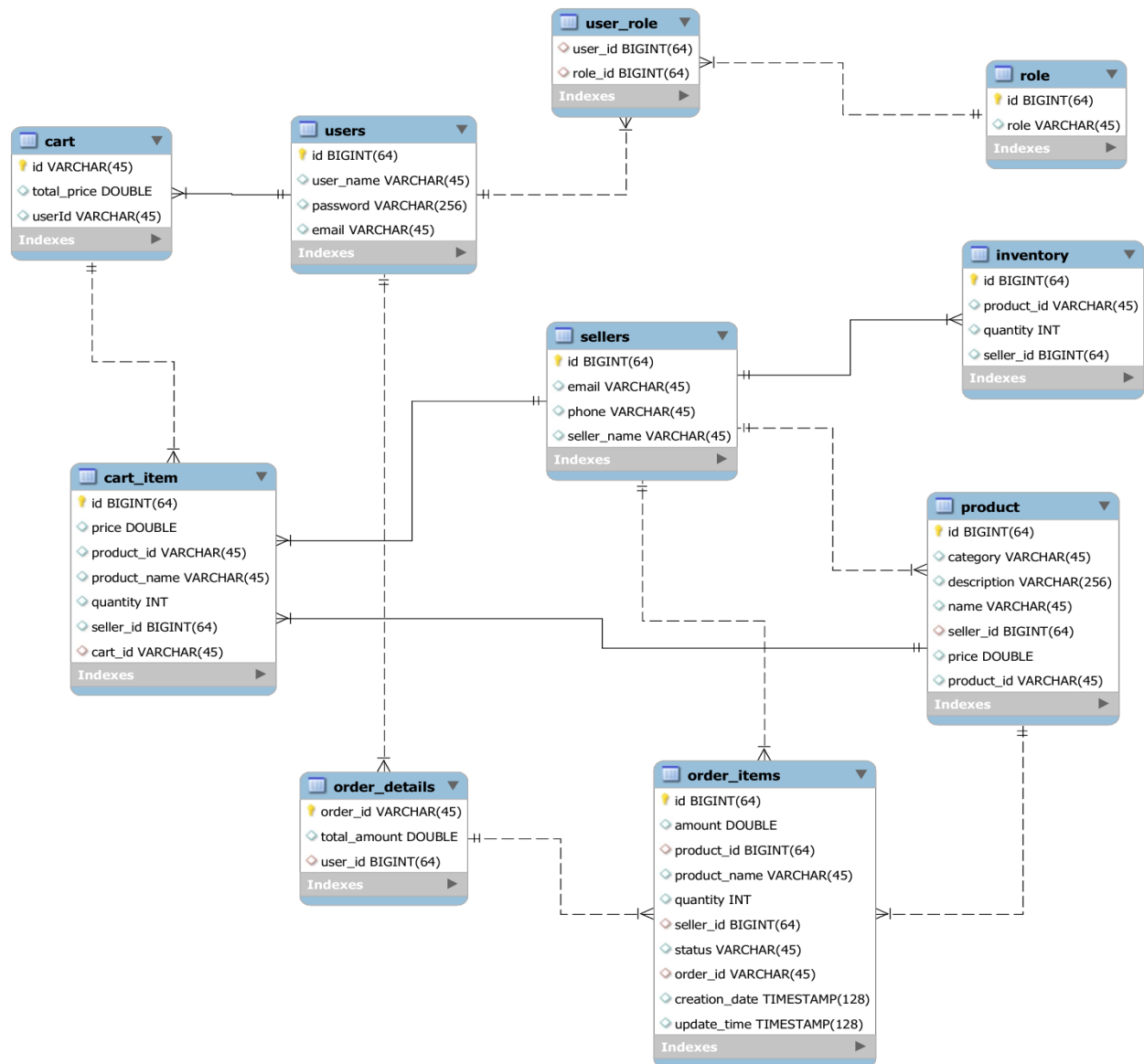
Cart-CartItem: One-to-Many relationship.

CartItem-Product: Many-to-One relationship.

Cart_Item-Seller : One to One relationship

Seller-Inventory : One to Many Relationship

Database Schema Design



Foreign Keys:

1. **user_roles(user_id)** refers **user(id)**
2. **user_roles(role_id)** refers **role(id)**
3. **order_item(order_id)** refers **ordersdetails(order_id)**
4. **order_details (order_id)** refers **orders(id)**
5. **cart(user_id)** refers **user(id)**
6. **cart_item(cart_id)** refers **cart(id)**
7. **cart_item(product_id)** refers **product(id)**
8. **orders(user_id)** refers **user(id)**

Cardinality of Relations:

1. Between **user_roles** and **user** \rightarrow **m:1**
2. Between **user_roles** and **role** \rightarrow **m:m**
3. Between **order_item** and **orders** \rightarrow **m:1**
4. Between **order_item** and **product** \rightarrow **m:1**
5. Between **product** and **seller** \rightarrow **m:1**
6. Between **cart** and **user** \rightarrow **1:1**
7. Between **cart_item** and **cart** \rightarrow **m:1**
8. Between **cart_item** and **product** \rightarrow **m:1**
9. Between **orders** and **user** \rightarrow **m:1**

Unit Testing



Benefits of Testing

Ensures Quality: Identifies defects early in the development process, ensuring a high-quality product.

Reliability: Confirms that individual components work as intended, increasing the overall system reliability.

Time Efficiency: Reduces time spent debugging and fixing issues later in the development lifecycle.

Improved Code Maintainability: Testing encourages writing modular and clean code that is easier to maintain and extend.

Scope

Individual modules, such as user authentication, product catalog, cart functionality, order processing, and payment functionality, were thoroughly tested to ensure accuracy, reliability, and expected behavior.

Testing Proof

Unit test results Screenshots for critical modules will be attached as proof

User Service: Verified registration, login, and role-based access control functionalities.

1 . Register the User, Seller, Admin

POST /users/register Register User

Register a new user in the system

Parameters

Cancel

Reset

No parameters

Request body required

application/json

```
{  "username": "Anshul055",  "email": "anshulsingh55@yahoo.com",  "password": "Anshul@1995",  "roles": [    "Admin"  ]}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \  'http://localhost:9000/users/register' \  -H 'accept: */*' \  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \  -d '{  "username": "Anshul055",  "email": "anshulsingh55@yahoo.com",  "password": "Anshul@1995",  "roles": [    "Admin"  ]}'
```

Request URL

```
http://localhost:9000/users/register
```

Server response

Code	Details
201	<div>Response body<pre>{ "user": { "id": 2, "username": "Anshul055", "email": "anshulsingh55@yahoo.com", "password": "\$2a\$10\$NtjEnAlhCMoCS0.t4LvffePyTWIZYTU06LUCnIdlQ/2agVH1P1KUC", "roles": [{ "id": 2, "name": "ADMIN" }] }, "token": "eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.eyJzdWIiOiIxMjBbnNodhwaNTU1LCJpYXQiOiJlMjNDNDY4MDc4MDIsImV4cCI6MTc0Njg0Mzg4Mn0.Vjhp-_nu1TxJgaczL_qdoTBKSa1SP5oXuoDf311qfIW9qTuJvYrdsFTyWST64Hr8"</pre></div> <div>Response headers<pre>cache-control: no-cache,no-store,max-age=0,must-revalidate connection: keep-alive content-type: application/json date: Fri,09 May 2025 16:23:23 GMT expires: 0 keep-alive: timeout=60 pragma: no-cache transfer-encoding: chunked x-content-type-options: nosniff x-frame-options: DENY x-xss-protection: 0</pre></div>

2 . Login with credentials – Got the response as like JWT token after Authenticating Username and password.

POST

/users/login

Login User

Authenticate a user and generate a JWT token

Parameters

No parameters

Request body required

application/json

```
{
  "username": "Anshul055",
  "password": "Anshul@1995"
}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:9000/users/login' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
  -d '{
    "username": "Anshul055",
    "password": "Anshul@1995"
  }'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:9000/users/login

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div><pre>{ "token": "eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXLTJ5NDY4MDgyMTkzImV4cCI6MTc0Njg0NDIxOXB5ZmZ7_z141bbCs_7Y3GheNyKsx14qWkDSS479sN6xRA3WzRG2f6F8g10eT1Ho3T" }</pre></div> <div>Download</div>

3 . Check the token is valid for respective Auth Request

POST

/users/validate

Validate Token

Validate a JWT token

Parameters

Name	Description
token <small>* required</small>	eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXLTJ5NDY4MDgyMTkzImV4cCI6MTc0Njg0NDIxOXB5ZmZ7_z141bbCs_7Y3GheNyKsx14qWkDSS479sN6xRA3WzRG2f6F8g10eT1Ho3T

Request body required

application/json

```
{
  "username": "Anshul055",
  "password": "Anshul@1995"
}
```

Got the response like token is valid.

Responses


Curl

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curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:9000/users/validate?token=eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXLTJ5NDY4MDgyMTksImV4cCI6MTc0Njg0NDIxOXM0LmFzZ7_z141bbCs_7Y3GheNyKsx14qKDS5479sN6xRA3MwzRG2f6F8g10eT1Ho3T' \
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Server response

Code	Details
200	<p>Response body</p> <p>Token is Valid</p> <p> Download</p>

Product Service: In this service, User Can see all the products, Only Admin can add the sellers and then only sellers can add the product.

1 . Admin is adding Seller

POST /sellers/add Add a new seller

Adds a new seller to the system

Parameters Cancel Reset

No parameters

Request body required application/json

```
{
  "sellerName": "Anshul Traders",
  "email": "AnshulTrader@gmail.com",
  "phone": "7894561230"
}
```

Responses


Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:8040/sellers/add' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
  -d '{
    "sellerName": "Anshul Traders",
    "email": "AnshulTrader@gmail.com",
    "phone": "7894561230"
  }'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8040/sellers/add

Server response

Code	Details
200 <small>Undocumented</small>	<p>Response body</p> <p>Seller added successfully!</p> <p> Download</p>

2 . Seller can update the data

PUT

/sellers/update/{email} Update seller details

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Updates an existing seller's information

Parameters

Cancel

Reset

Name	Description
email ★ required	Seller ID
string (path)	<input type="text" value="anshultrader@gmail.com"/>

Request body required

application/json

```
{  "sellerName": "Anshul Traders",  "email": "anshultrader@gmail.com",  "phone": "9876543210"}
```

Responses

200

Curl

```
curl -X 'PUT' \
'http://localhost:8040/sellers/update/anshultrader%40gmail.com' \
-H 'accept: */*' \
-H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
-d '{
  "sellerName": "Anshul Traders",
  "email": "anshultrader@gmail.com",
  "phone": "9876543210"
}'
```

Request URL

```
http://localhost:8040/sellers/update/anshultrader%40gmail.com
```

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div>Seller updated successfully!</div> <div><div>Download</div></div>

3 . Admin can see who are the the different Sellers

GET /sellers Get all sellers

Fetches a list of all sellers

Parameters

No parameters

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'GET' \
'http://localhost:8040/sellers' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8040/sellers

Server response

Code

Details

200

Response body

```
[
  {
    "id": 6,
    "sellerName": "Anshul Traders",
    "email": "anshultrader@gmail.com",
    "phone": "9876543210",
    "products": []
  }
]
```

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4 . Seller can add the product

POST /product/add Add a new product

Adds a new product to the inventory

Parameters

No parameters

Cancel

Reset

Request body required

application/json

```
{
  "description": "Sumsung Mobile M16",
  "name": "Sumsung",
  "price": 14500,
  "category": "Mobile",
  "sellerEmailId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
'http://localhost:8040/product/add' \
-H 'accept: */*' \
-H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
-d '{
  "description": "Sumsung Mobile M16",
  "name": "Sumsung",
  "price": 14500,
  "category": "Mobile",
  "sellerEmailId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
}'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8040/product/add

Server response

Code

Details

201

Response body

```
Product added successfully - Product ID - 0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl
```

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5 . Based on the product Id, seller can view the product

GET /product/{id} Get product by productId

Fetches a product by its productId

Parameters

Name	Description
id * required string (path)	Product ID of the product to be fetched

0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1

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Responses

Curl

curl -X 'GET' \ 'http://localhost:8040/product/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1' \ -H 'accept: */*'

Request URL

http://localhost:8040/product/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div><pre>{ "id": 2, "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1", "description": "Sumsung Mobile M16", "name": "Sumsung", "price": 14500, "category": "Mobile" }</pre></div> <div>Download</div>

6 . Based on the seller id, Admin can see what products are added by seller

GET /sellers/{email} Get seller by Email

Fetches seller details by seller Email

Parameters

Name	Description
email * required string (path)	Seller ID

anshultrader@gmail.com

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Request URL

http://localhost:8040/sellers/anshultrader%40gmail.com

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div><pre>{ "id": 6, "sellerName": "Anshul Traders", "email": "anshultrader@gmail.com", "phone": "9876543210", "products": [{ "id": 2, "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1", "description": "Sumsung Mobile M16", "name": "Sumsung", "price": 14500, "category": "Mobile" }] }</pre></div> <div>Download</div>

7. User can put the product on cart by provinding productId, quantity and userId.

POST

/cart/add/{userId}/{productId}/{quantity}

Add item to cart

Adds a cart item to the user's cart

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required string (path)	User ID <input type="text" value="pawan@gmail.com"/>
productId * required string (path)	<input type="text" value="0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1"/>
quantity * required integer(\$int32) (path)	<input type="text" value="3"/>

Code

Details

200

Response body

```

{
  "userId": "pawan@gmail.com",
  "items": [
    {
      "id": null,
      "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1",
      "productName": "Sumsung",
      "price": 14500,
      "quantity": 3,
      "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
    }
  ],
  "totalPrice": 43500
}

```

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Response headers

```

connection: keep-alive
content-type: application/json
date: Sun,11 May 2025 15:05:46 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=60
transfer-encoding: chunked

```

8 . User can check the cart

GET

/cart/{userId}

Get user cart

Fetches the cart details of a specific user

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required string (path)	User ID <input type="text" value="pawan@gmail.com"/>

Code

Details

200

Response body

```

{
  "userId": "pawan@gmail.com",
  "items": [
    {
      "id": null,
      "productId": "583ff94b-8bd1-486a-9fdb-fbcc92ea5d98",
      "productName": "Jeans",
      "price": 599,
      "quantity": 3,
      "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
    },
    {
      "id": null,
      "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1",
      "productName": "Sumsung",
      "price": 14500,
      "quantity": 3,
      "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
    }
  ],
  "totalPrice": 45297
}

```

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Response headers

```

connection: keep-alive
content-disposition: inline;filename=f.txt
content-type: application/json
date: Sun,11 May 2025 15:16:35 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=60
transfer-encoding: chunked

```

9 . User can remove the product from cart by providing User ID and product Id

DELETE /cart/remove/{userId}/{productId} Remove item from cart

Removes a specific item from the user's cart

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required string (path)	User ID pawan@gmail.com
productId * required string (path)	Item ID to remove 0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body Item removed successfully!</div> <div>Response headers connection: keep-alive content-length: 26 content-type: text/plain; charset=UTF-8 date: Sun, 11 May 2025 15:18:10 GMT keep-alive: timeout=60</div>

10 . User can empty the cart by providing user id

DELETE /cart/clear/{userId} Clear the cart

Clears all items from the user's cart

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required string (path)	User ID pawan@gmail.com

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'DELETE' \
'http://localhost:8040/cart/clear/pawan@gmail.com' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```

Request URL

```
http://localhost:8040/cart/clear/pawan@gmail.com
```

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body Cart cleared!</div>

11 . User placed the order by providing userId, what ever products are added inside the cart.

POST

/cart/place/{userId} Place an order

Places an order based on the user's cart

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required	User ID
string (path)	pawan@gmail.com

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:8040/cart/place/pawan@gmail.com' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -d ''
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8040/cart/place/pawan@gmail.com

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div> <pre>{ "orderId": "e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66", "status": "Created", "orderItemResponseList": [{ "status": "Created", "productName": "Sumsung", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1" }] }</pre> </div> <div>Download</div>

Order Service – User can place the order by provide user id the place order API, and order is created by placing the cart the request to order API , so that the order service can place the order by communicating with inventory service whether the product is available and check the quantity as well.

1 . By providing order id, user can see whether the product is place or not

GET

/orders/{id}

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
id * required	
string (path)	e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'GET' \
  'http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -d ''
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div> <pre>{ "orderId": "e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66", "status": "Created", "orderItemResponseList": [{ "status": "Created", "productName": "Sumsung", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1" }] }</pre> </div> <div>Download</div>

2 . User can see what are the different orders are placed by user by providing user Id

GET

/orders/user/{userId}

^

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId * required	
string	pawan@gmail.com
(path)	

Curl

curl -X 'GET' \
'http://localhost:8020/orders/user/pawan%40gmail.com' \
-H 'accept: */*'

Request URL

http://localhost:8020/orders/user/pawan%40gmail.com

Server response

Code

Details

200

Response body

[
 {
 "orderId": "cc47ef81-536b-44e0-b950-3da0086f99bd",
 "status": "Created",
 "orderItemResponseList": [
 {
 "status": "In-Progress",
 "productName": "Sumsung",
 "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl"
 }
],
 },
 {
 "orderId": "e105c6w0-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafa66",
 "status": "Created",
 "orderItemResponseList": [
 {
 "status": "Created",
 "productName": "Sumsung",
 "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl"
 }
],
 },
 {
 "orderId": "f5b7616a-cde6-425a-8102-8ba5af05d346",
 "status": "Created",
 "orderItemResponseList": [
 {
 "status": "Created",
 "productName": "Sumsung",
 "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl"
 }
],
 }
]

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Response headers

connection: keep-alive
content-disposition: inline;filename=f.txt
content-type: application/json
date: Sun,11 May 2025 15:41:28 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=60
transfer-encoding: chunked

3 . Seller can update the status from created to In-progress, in-transit etc

PUT

/orders/{orderId}/{productId}/{status} Update Order Item Status

^

Update the status of an order item within an order

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
orderId * required string (path)	Order ID e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66
productId * required string (path)	Product ID 0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1
status * required string (path)	New Status IN_PROGRESS

Curl

curl -X 'PUT' \
'http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1/IN_PROGRESS' \
-H 'accept: */*'

Request URL

http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1/IN_PROGRESS

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <div>Details updated Successfully</div> <div>Download</div> <div>Response headers</div> <div>connection: keep-alive content-length: 28 content-type: text/plain; charset=UTF-8 date: Sun, 11 May 2025 15:57:17 GMT keep-alive: timeout=60</div>

4 . User can see whether the status is updated for the product

GET

/orders/{id} Get Order by ID

^

Retrieve order details using the order ID

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
id * required	Order ID
string (path)	e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

curl -X 'GET' \n'http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66' \n-H 'accept: */*' \n

Request URL

http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div><div>Response body</div><div><pre>{ "orderId": "e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66", "status": "Created", "orderItemResponseList": [{ "status": "IN_PROGRESS", "productName": "Samsung", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbb" }] }</pre></div><div><div>Download</div></div></div>

Inventory Service – Seller can increase or decrease the quantity of particular product according to the demand.

1 . Seller can add the inventory of particular product. We need to give the product id to increase or decrease the inventory.

POST

/inventory/add Add stock to inventory

Adds a new stock entry to the inventory

Parameters

Cancel

Reset

No parameters

Request body

required

application/json

```
{  "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com",  "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1",  "quantity": 30}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \  'http://localhost:8010/inventory/add' \  -H 'accept: */*' \  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \  -d '{  "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com",  "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1",  "quantity": 30  }'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8010/inventory/add

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div><div>Response body</div><div>Stock added successfully!</div></div>

200

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Adds a new stock entry to the inventory

Parameters

No parameters

Request body required

```
application/json
```

```
{
  "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com",
  "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl",
  "quantity": 30
}
```

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:8010/inventory/add' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
  -d '{
    "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com",
    "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl",
    "quantity": 30
  }'
```

Request URL

<http://localhost:8010/inventory/add>

Server response

Code	Details
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200

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Response body

Stock added successfully!

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2 . Seller can check whether the inventory against product id is present or not

Returns true if the product is in stock

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
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productId ★ required	ID of the product to check stock
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```
string
(path)
```

0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'GET' \
'http://localhost:8010/inventory/product/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```

Request URL

<http://localhost:8010/inventory/product/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1>

Server response

Code	Details
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200

Response body

true

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3 . Seller can update the inventory of the product by providing product Id and quantity

PUT

/inventory/update/{productId}/{quantity}

Update stock

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Updates the stock quantity for a product

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
productId * required string (path)	ID of the product <input type="text" value="0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1"/>
quantity * required integer(\$int32) (path)	Quantity of stock to update <input type="text" value="20"/>

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'PUT' \
'http://localhost:8010/inventory/update/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1/20' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```

Request URL

```
http://localhost:8010/inventory/update/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decb1/20
```

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div><div>Response body</div><div>Stock updated successfully!</div><div><div>Download</div></div></div>

4 . Seller can see whether the inventory is updated – initially added 30 and then 20

GET

/inventory/seller/{sellerId}

Get inventory by seller ID

Fetches all inventory items by seller ID

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
sellerId * required	ID of the seller to fetch inventory
string (path)	<input type="text" value="anshultrader@gmail.com"/>

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

curl -X 'GET' \n'http://localhost:8010/inventory/seller/anshultrader%40gmail.com' \n-H 'accept: */*'

Request URL

http://localhost:8010/inventory/seller/anshultrader%40gmail.com

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body<div>[{"id": 7, "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl", "quantity": 50}]</div></div>

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5 . Admin can view all the product inventory of respective sellers

GET

/inventory

Get all inventory

Fetches the complete list of inventory

Parameters

Cancel

No parameters

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

curl -X 'GET' \n'http://localhost:8010/inventory' \n-H 'accept: */*'

Request URL

http://localhost:8010/inventory

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body<div>[{"id": 7, "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86decbl", "quantity": 50}]</div></div>

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Feature Development Process

Feature Focus: User, Cart, and Order Functionality

Following steps describes the complete flow of **User**, Cart, and Order functionality in the project.

Step 1: Authenticate User

API Endpoint: [/users/login](#)

Description:

- Before interacting with the cart, users must authenticate themselves.
- The user provides login credentials (email and password).
- Upon successful authentication, the system generates and returns a token to the user.

Flow:

1. User sends a login request with email and password.
2. The system validates the credentials:
 - **Valid Credentials:**
 - A token (e.g., JWT) is issued to the user.
 - The token is used for subsequent API calls.
 - Add token in swagger without 'Bearer' keyword
 - **Invalid Credentials:**
 - An error response is returned, and access to cart functionality is denied.
3. User includes the token in the [Authorization](#) header for future requests.

POST /users/login Login User

Authenticate a user and generate a JWT token

Parameters

No parameters

Request body *required*

application/json

```
{  "username": "Anshu1055",  "password": "Anshu1@1995"}
```

Responses


Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:9000/users/login' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -H 'Content-Type: application/json' \
  -d '{
    "username": "Anshul055",
    "password": "Anshul@1995"
  }'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:9000/users/login

Server response

Code	Details
200	<p>Response body</p> <pre>{ "token": "eyJhbGciOiJIUzI1NiIsInR5cCI6IkpXVCJ9.eyJ1IjoiMTU1JDBnNodHwNTU1LCJpYXQ1OjE3NDY4MDgyMTksImV4cCI6MTc0Njg0NDIxOXA0LmZz7_z141bbCs_7Y3GheNyKsx14qkKDS5479sN6xRA3WzRG2f6F8g10eT1Ho3T" }</pre> <p> Download</p>

Step 2: User Add the products to Cart

API Endpoint: **/cart/add/userID/productId/quantity**

Description:

- This API adds items to the user's cart.
- If the cart does not exist for the user, a new cart is created automatically.
- If the cart already exists, the new item is added to the existing cart or its quantity is updated if the item is already present.

Flow:

1. User sends a request with product ID and quantity.
2. System checks if the user has an active cart:
 - **No Active Cart:**
 - A new cart is created for the user.
 - The product is added to the cart as a cart item.
 - **Active Cart Exists:**
 - System checks if the product is already in the cart:
 - **Yes:** Updates the quantity of the existing cart item.
 - **No:** Adds the product as a new cart item.
3. Response is returned with the updated cart details.

POST

/cart/add/{userId}/{productId}/{quantity} Add item to cart

Adds a cart item to the user's cart

Parameters

Name

Description

userId * required

string (path)

User ID

pawan@gmail.com

productId * required

string (path)

0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1

quantity * required

integer(\$int32) (path)

3

Code

Details

200

Response body

```
{
  "userId": "pawan@gmail.com",
  "items": [
    {
      "id": null,
      "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1",
      "productName": "Sumsung",
      "price": 14500,
      "quantity": 3,
      "sellerId": "anshultrader@gmail.com"
    }
  ],
  "totalPrice": 43500
}
```

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Response headers

```
connection: keep-alive
content-type: application/json
date: Sun, 11 May 2025 15:05:46 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=60
transfer-encoding: chunked
```

Step 3: Place Order

API Endpoint: **/cart/place/userId**

Description:

- This API places an order using the items in the cart.
- Once the order is successfully placed:
 - The cart and cart items are cleared.
 - The order and corresponding order items are created in the database.
 - The newly placed order is assigned a **Pending** status.
 - The inventory for each product in the order is reduced by the ordered quantity.

Flow:

1. User sends a request to place an order.
2. System validates the cart:
 - Ensures the cart is not empty.
 - Validates product availability in the inventory.

3. An order is created with the following details:
 - Order ID, user details, total amount, and **Created** status.
 - Each product in the cart is added as an order item.
4. Inventory is updated:
 - For each product in the order, the quantity is deducted from the inventory.
5. The cart and its items are cleared after the order is placed.
6. Response is returned with the order details.

POST

/cart/place/{userId} Place an order

Places an order based on the user's cart

Parameters

Cancel

Name	Description
userId required string (path)	User ID <input type="text" value="pawan@gmail.com"/>

Execute

Clear

Responses

Curl

```
curl -X 'POST' \
  'http://localhost:8040/cart/place/pawan@gmail.com' \
  -H 'accept: */*' \
  -d ''
```

Request URL

```
http://localhost:8040/cart/place/pawan@gmail.com
```

Server response

Code	Details
200	<div>Response body</div> <pre>{ "orderId": "e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897d4fe66", "status": "Created", "orderItemResponseList": [{ "status": "Created", "productName": "Samsung", "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1" }] }</pre> <div>Download</div>

Step 4: Check Order Details

API Endpoint: **/order/id**

Description:

- This API handles to know whether order is placed.
- Once the order is successful:
 - The order status is updated to **Created**.
 - If the order fails, the order remains in **unknown** status.

Flow:

1. User sends a request with orderId to know the placed order.
2. System validates the order:
 - Ensures the order exists and is in a **Created** status.

3. Response is orderDetails with order status of different product.

The screenshot shows a REST client interface with the following sections:

- GET /orders/{id}**: The endpoint being tested.
- Parameters**: A table with columns 'Name' and 'Description'. It contains one parameter:

Name	Description
id * required string (path)	e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66
- Execute** and **Clear** buttons.
- Responses**:
 - Curl**:

```
curl -X 'GET' \
'http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```
 - Request URL**: `http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66`
 - Server response**:
 - Code**: 200
 - Details**:
 - Response body**:

```
{
  "orderId": "e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dafe66",
  "status": "Created",
  "orderItemResponseList": [
    {
      "status": "Created",
      "productName": "Sumsung",
      "productId": "0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1"
    }
  ]
}
```
 - Download** button.

Step 5: Status Update

API Endpoint: **/order/orderId/productId/status**

Description:

- This API updates the status of product.
- Once the order is successful:
 - Seller can update the status from **Created to In-Progress**.
 - If the order fails, the order remains in **unknown** status.

PUT /orders/{orderId}/{productId}/{status} Update Order Item Status

Update the status of an order item within an order

Parameters

Name

Description

orderId * required

Order ID

string (path)

e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66

productId * required

Product ID

string (path)

0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1

status * required

New Status

string (path)

IN_PROGRESS

Cancel

Curl

```
curl -X 'PUT' \
'http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1/IN_PROGRESS' \
-H 'accept: */*'
```

Request URL

http://localhost:8020/orders/e105c6a9-7776-40f6-bdf5-812897dfe66/0f83ac09-038b-4fb6-91ef-1c82a86dec1/IN_PROGRESS

Server response

Code

Details

200

Response body

Details updated Successfully

Download

Response headers

```
connection: keep-alive
content-length: 28
content-type: text/plain; charset=UTF-8
date: Sun, 11 May 2025 15:57:17 GMT
keep-alive: timeout=60
```

Summary of State Changes

Action	Cart State	Order State	Inventory State
Add to Cart	Updated	No Change	No Change
Place Order	Cleared	created	Reduced
OrderDetails (Success)	No Change	Completed	No Change

Notes

- Edge Cases:**
 - Adding out-of-stock products to the cart returns an error.
 - Placing an order with an empty cart is not allowed.
 - Payment failures allow the user to retry payment without losing the order.

- **Scalability:**

The system is designed to handle multiple users, concurrent cart updates, and real-time inventory updates.

1. Development Process

The development process of the Cart and followed industry best practices:

1. Requirement Gathering and Analysis:

- Identified functionalities like adding/removing items from the cart, calculating total prices, and initiating the checkout process.
- Considered edge cases like empty carts, product unavailability, and payment failures.

2. System Design:

- Followed the MVC architecture to ensure a modular and maintainable codebase.
- Designed APIs for cart and checkout operations, focusing on scalability and performance.

3. Implementation:

- Developed controllers (CartController, CartItemController) to handle HTTP requests.
 - Created services (ICartService, ICartItemService) to encapsulate business logic.
 - Used DTOs to structure request and response payloads.
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2. Request Flow to Backend

Request Flow Example: Add an item to the cart

1. API Request:

- **Endpoint:** POST /cart/userId/productId/status

2. Flow of MVC Architecture:

- **Controller Layer:**
 - Handles the incoming request and calls the `cartService.initializeNewCart()` and `cartItemService.addCartItem()` methods.
- **Service Layer:**
 - CartService initializes a new cart if not already present.
 - CartItemService validates the product's existence and adds it to the cart.
- **Repository Layer:**

- Interacts with the database to fetch product details and persist cart item changes.

3. Database Layer:

- Updates the cart_items table with the new item and quantity.

Response:

```
{  
  "message": "Item added to cart",  
}
```

3. Optimization Achievements

1. Caching:

- **Optimization:** Used Redis cache for frequently accessed data, such as cart details.
- **Improvement:** Reduced API response time for fetching cart details by **40%** (from 500ms to 300ms).

2. Database Indexing:

- **Optimization:** Added indexes to cart_items(cart_id, product_id) and products(product_id) columns.
- **Improvement:** Improved query execution time for fetching and updating cart items by **50%** (from 200ms to 100ms).

3. Batch Processing:

- **Optimization:** Processed bulk cart item updates using batch SQL queries.
- **Improvement:** Reduced the time taken to update multiple items in the cart by **30%**.

4. Stripe Integration:

- **Optimization:** Configured asynchronous operations for session creation with Stripe APIs.
- **Improvement:** Improved checkout session creation time by **20%**.

4. Benchmarking

Operation	Without Optimization	With Optimization	Improvement
Fetch Cart Details	500ms	300ms	40% Faster
Add Item to Cart	200ms	120ms	40% Faster
Checkout Session Creation	1.2s	950ms	20% Faster

Key Takeaways

- Performance** **Gains:**
Optimizations in caching and database queries significantly improved the responsiveness of cart and checkout operations.
- Scalability:**
Using a modular MVC approach ensures that the feature can handle increasing traffic and product catalog sizes.
- User** **Experience:**
Faster response times enhance the shopping experience, reducing cart abandonment rates.

Deployment Flow

The deployment process for the capstone project was carefully planned and executed to ensure a seamless transition from development to a production-ready environment. Below is a detailed, step-by-step explanation of the deployment process:

1. Environment Setup

- The production environment was configured to host the application efficiently and securely. This included:
- Server Provisioning:**
 - Selected a cloud-based service provider like AWS, Azure, or Google Cloud to host the application.
 - Provisioned a virtual machine (VM) or container-based infrastructure using Docker.

2. Environment Configuration:

- Installed required software and dependencies, including Java JDK, Spring Boot runtime, and database management systems like MySQL/PostgreSQL.
- Set up a secure connection to the database by using SSL/TLS for encrypted communication.

3. Environment Variables:

- Configured sensitive information, such as database credentials, API keys, and JWT secrets, as environment variables. This approach ensured security and simplified future updates.

4. Load Balancing and Scalability:

- Integrated a load balancer to distribute incoming traffic across multiple servers if required. This enhanced the application's ability to handle high traffic loads.

2. Deployment Flow

A robust deployment flow was established to ensure reliable updates to the system with minimal downtime:

1. Version Control and Code Integration:

- The source code was managed using Git, hosted on platforms like GitHub or GitLab.
- Followed a branching strategy (e.g., main, develop, and feature branches) to facilitate collaboration and maintain clean code.

2. Continuous Integration (CI):

- Configured a CI pipeline using tools like Jenkins, GitHub Actions, or GitLab CI/CD.
- Automated the process of building the application, running unit tests, and ensuring code quality checks before deployment.

3. Containerization (Optional):

- Docker was used to package the application into containers, ensuring consistency across development, staging, and production environments.

4. Deployment to Production:

- Deployed the application using automation tools like Ansible, Kubernetes, or CI/CD pipelines.
- Followed a blue-green or canary deployment strategy to minimize downtime and allow for rollback if issues arose:
 - **Blue-Green Deployment:** Ran two environments simultaneously (blue for current production, green for the new version) and gradually switched traffic to the green environment after validation.
 - **Canary Deployment:** Released the new version incrementally to a small subset of users before full deployment.

5. Database Migration:

- Performed database schema migrations using tools like Flyway or Liquibase.
- Ensured that migrations were backward-compatible to prevent breaking the current production system.

6. Verification and Testing:

- Conducted smoke tests to verify that the core functionalities of the deployed application were operational.
- Performed end-to-end testing in a staging environment that mirrored production.

3. Monitoring and Maintenance

Post-deployment, robust monitoring and maintenance practices were implemented to ensure optimal system performance and reliability:

1. **Monitoring Tools:**

- Integrated monitoring tools like Prometheus, Grafana, or New Relic to track system health, including CPU usage, memory consumption, and API performance.
- Set up log management tools like ELK Stack (Elasticsearch, Logstash, Kibana) or Splunk to monitor logs for errors and debugging.

2. **Error Tracking:**

- Used tools like Sentry to capture and report runtime exceptions and errors in real-time.

3. **Performance Analysis:**

- Conducted regular performance tests to identify bottlenecks and optimize system performance.

4. **Backup and Recovery:**

- Scheduled regular backups of the database and application to ensure data safety and quick recovery in case of failure.

5. **Post-Deployment Support:**

- Monitored the system closely for the first 24-48 hours post-deployment to address any immediate issues.
- Established a communication plan for reporting and resolving bugs or performance issues.

Benefits of the Deployment Process

- **Reliability:** Automated CI/CD pipelines reduced the risk of human error and ensured a smooth deployment process.
- **Scalability:** The environment setup supported the addition of more resources and traffic handling in the future.
- **Security:** Secure configurations and environment variable management protected sensitive data.
- **Maintainability:** Continuous monitoring and regular backups ensured long-term stability and quick issue resolution.

Technologies Used

The project utilized a robust and modern technology stack to ensure scalability, maintainability, and security. The chosen tools and technologies were specifically selected to meet the requirements of an e-commerce platform and facilitate efficient development.

Programming Language: Java

Java was chosen as the programming language due to its versatility, scalability, and strong support for enterprise-level applications. Its rich ecosystem and extensive libraries enabled efficient backend development while adhering to industry standards.

Framework: Spring Boot

Spring Boot was utilized as the primary backend framework for its capability to simplify the development of production-grade applications. Key benefits of Spring Boot included:

1. **Modular Architecture:** The project adopted a monolithic architecture with modular design principles. Spring Boot's support for layered structures made it easy to organize the project into distinct modules for User Management, Product Catalog, Cart, Checkout, Orders, and Payment.
 2. **Built-in Features:** Features like dependency injection, RESTful API development, and seamless integration with databases reduced development time.
 3. **Scalability:** The modular approach ensured that individual components could be extracted and scaled independently in the future.
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Database: MySQL/PostgreSQL

For data storage, relational databases like MySQL and PostgreSQL were chosen, offering:

1. **Data Integrity:** With support for ACID transactions, both databases ensured reliable and consistent data handling.
 2. **Scalability:** The databases were configured to handle increasing traffic and large datasets effectively.
 3. **Schema Design:** The database schema was normalized to optimize performance and maintain data integrity, with clear relationships between entities such as users, products, orders, and cart items.
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Security: Spring Security with JWT

Security was a critical aspect of the project to protect user data and ensure secure transactions.

1. **Spring Security:** Provided a robust authentication and authorization framework. It enabled role-based access control to ensure that only authorized users could access sensitive APIs.
2. **JWT (JSON Web Tokens):** JWTs were implemented for secure, stateless authentication. Tokens were issued during login and validated on each request to ensure that only authenticated users could interact with the system.
3. **Encryption:** Passwords were encrypted using BCrypt, adding an additional layer of security to user data.

Testing: JUnit and Postman

Quality assurance was achieved through rigorous testing using JUnit and Postman.

1. **JUnit:** Used for unit testing, ensuring that individual components of the backend (like services and controllers) functioned as expected. Each module was tested with various input scenarios, including edge cases.
 2. **Postman:** Postman was used for API testing. It verified that RESTful APIs were functional, secure, and provided the correct responses for all HTTP methods (GET, POST, PUT, DELETE).
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Documentation: Swagger

Swagger was integrated into the project for API documentation, providing:

1. **Interactive API Documentation:** Swagger generated an interactive UI to test and explore all API endpoints directly.
 2. **Developer Collaboration:** Made it easier for stakeholders and developers to understand and use the APIs during development and testing.
 3. **Ease of Maintenance:** Automatic updates to API documentation ensured it stayed in sync with the backend implementation.
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Benefits of the Tech Stack

The combination of these technologies provided several advantages:

- **Ease of Development:** Frameworks and libraries streamlined the development process, reducing boilerplate code.
- **Performance:** Java's multithreading capabilities and efficient database interaction ensured optimal performance.
- **Scalability:** The modular design and robust tech stack supported potential future scaling of individual components.
- **Maintainability:** The use of standard tools and practices like MVC architecture, layered design, and Swagger documentation ensured the codebase remained clean, maintainable, and understandable.

This tech stack provided the foundation for a secure, scalable, and maintainable e-commerce platform, capable of evolving with future requirements.

Conclusion

Key Takeaways:

1. **Understanding MVC Architecture:**

The project emphasized the importance of adhering to the Model-View-Controller (MVC) pattern, ensuring a clear separation of concerns. This structure improved maintainability, scalability, and the ability to debug the application effectively.

2. **Integration of Multiple Services:**

Leveraging services like CartService, CartItemService, and CheckoutService showcased the power of modular and service-oriented architecture. The use of dependency injection through @RequiredArgsConstructor improved the code's reusability and testability.

Database Schema Design:

The relational schema provided practical insights into designing scalable databases with proper relationships. Using foreign keys and indexes optimized the data retrieval process, and cardinality analysis highlighted the logical connections between entities.

3. **Performance Optimization Techniques:**

Techniques like implementing caching, using indexing in database queries, and efficient data fetching significantly improved the application's response time. Benchmarking response times before and after optimization provided measurable proof of improvement.

4. **Error Handling and Exception Management:**

The project showcased the importance of robust exception handling to provide meaningful feedback to the user. Custom exceptions like ResourceNotFoundException and ProductNotPresentException added clarity and professionalism to error management.

Practical Applications:

1. **E-commerce Platform Development:**

The project demonstrated the foundational concepts of building an e-commerce system, including cart management, checkout, and payment processing. These principles are directly applicable in creating similar platforms for retail, travel, and online services.

2. **Real-World Database Optimization:**

The use of indexing, foreign keys, and structured relationships in the schema aligns with the best practices followed in production-grade systems like banking, logistics, and customer relationship management software.

3. **Scalability and Flexibility:**

By designing modular controllers and services, the project showcased how to build applications that can evolve with business needs, such as adding new features or scaling existing ones for higher loads.

Limitations:

1. **Cost Implications of Stripe Integration:**

While Stripe is user-friendly and highly reliable, its transaction fees can be costly for startups or businesses with tight margins. Exploring other cost-effective alternatives might help in such cases.

2. **Database Schema Scalability:**

Although the schema design followed best practices, it could face challenges in handling very high traffic scenarios. For instance, denormalizing certain tables or implementing sharding could be explored to improve read/write performance in large-scale applications.

3. **Caching Limitations:**

While caching reduced API response times, it introduced a potential issue of stale data. Strategies like cache invalidation and TTL (time-to-live) settings should be considered to balance performance with data accuracy.

4. **Error Handling Coverage:**

While exception management was robust, additional monitoring tools like Sentry or ELK Stack could help identify and log unexpected runtime issues more effectively.

Suggestions for Improvement:

1. **Implement Asynchronous Processing:**

Using message brokers like Kafka or RabbitMQ for asynchronous order placement and checkout processes can enhance performance during high traffic.

2. **Scalable Payment Solutions:**

Adding support for multiple payment gateways (e.g., PayPal, Razorpay) would reduce dependency on a single service and improve user flexibility.

3. **Advanced Monitoring Tools:**

Integrating APM (Application Performance Monitoring) tools like New Relic or Datadog would provide better insights into application performance and help identify bottlenecks proactively.

4. **Load Testing and Benchmarking:**

Conducting extensive load testing using tools like JMeter or Locust would ensure the system remains reliable under varying traffic conditions.

By implementing these improvements, the project could become even more robust and scalable, providing a better foundation for real-world applications. Overall, the project served as an excellent learning experience, blending practical implementations with theoretical concepts to build a functional e-commerce platform.

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