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1. Implementation

We started the implementation by considering our design and layers. It is organized into three subsystems. First we started to implement the classes of User Interface Subsystem. In this subsystem we implemented classes of screen which extend JPanel and UIManager that extends JFrame and create a frame. In this class only first panel added to frame. The other panels are added and set visibilities as true based on the operations that user would do.

In the other layer Trade Subsystem we implemented the ModelClasses. In model classes the objects are implemented. Our model classes have inheritance, parent child relationship. The client objects must kept their username, password, name, surname, email, university, user id , messages, items that is sent and received and items that they own. So the Client Class is created with these attributes and set and get methods are written to provide data encapsulation. The User, NewClient and Admin classes extend the Client Class. New User object has an additional attribute, ActivationCode. In these classes, throughout super(), the constructor of Client Class is invoked. This hierarchy and this is forced in Furniture, Book, Notes classes. Their parent is Item class and its attributes are String title, String category, String description, double price, String condition, ImageIcon photo, int itemId.

Then we started to implement the class of Database Management subsystem. We install the WampServer and create the database, tables and arrange it according to our objects and their attributes in MySQL. Throughout the class of Database, using SELECT * FROM, INSERT * FROM, it is specified that which information is pushed or taken from where. In the other classes, Database objects are created and the functions are applied to that object. The graphical user interface is not challenging, but arranging panels and transition between them by buttons and arranging their visibilities take time. Also sending mail is challenging. A class which imports a library javax.mail is required. So we added a SendMail. It is needed to create a session, declaring the message, subject, sender and receiver. The classes of Trade Subsystem is not challenging, because the our design of hierarchy is not complicated. The implementation of Database Management Subsystem is challenging for us. Because MySQL and the database is a new notion for us. When the user pushes data to database, the data is not refreshed and we had connection problems. We did not make major changes on our design while implementation.

2. The Changes Made in Implementation Stage and Non-Implemented Parts

There is not any change in significant features and properties of the

project. But while implementation, we add or change some objects, attributes, classes, panels to create the project in more efficient way.

Additional Object: In our Design Stage, we did not have NewClient object in our project. But we created a NewClient class in our implementation stage.

Additional Attribute: It is added a new attribute “title” to our Item class. So our objects Furniture, Book, Notes have a title, considered as a name of themselves.

Change in Types of Attributes: The Client and the classes that extend to it takes Item objects in an ArrayList <Item>. Also the Messages objects are taken as ArrayList as parameter.

Additional Classes: We added a new class called SendMail that provide Client to send a message with a subject. The connection is provided in that class, throughout importing javax.mail.

Additional Screen Implementations: We added new screens that does not exist in our Analysis Stage. We added ActivationCodeScreen that take input from user the activation code to sign up, EditItemPanel to modify the

features of the item that is added before, MyProductsPanel that displays
use the item that is added by that user, MessageScreen that displays
message.

Change in GUI implementation: In our Design Stage, we design our
UIManager
classes with its display methods. But we implemented in different
way. We
have just one frame. The other panels added on that frame in different
classes.

Removals: The deleteItem() method does not exist in Admin class.

3. User's Manual

3.1 Introduction

BestTrade is a Java application using database. User should have an account with unique username and password to login the system. BestTrade allow clients to add products (books, furnitures, notes) to sell and view products to buy. User can search the product that they want, while doing that they can use filters and display the products that fits their demand most. They can reach detailed information of the products and message to owner of the product throughout the system. Also they can edit the information of products and themselves.

3.2 Installation

System Requirements:

It requires Java Runtime Environment

WampServer for database

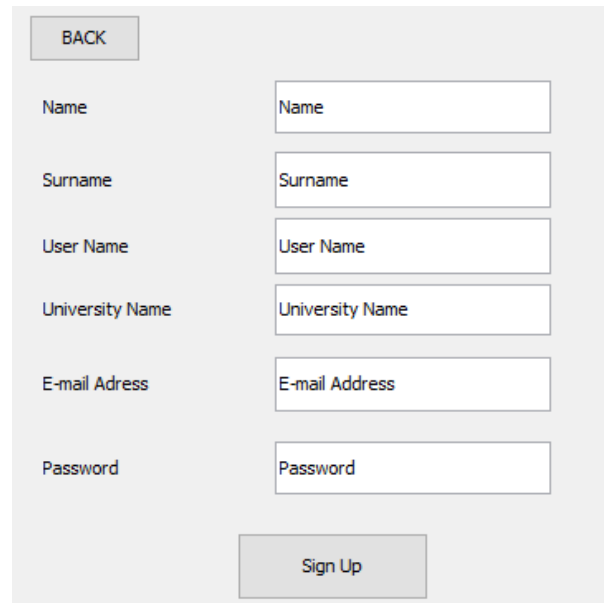
3.3 Using the BestTrade

When user started the BestTrade, the Login Screen (Figure 1) is displayed. To login the system, user should have an account with a unique username and a password. If the username and password is not matched, “HATA” is output. The user who does not have an account can click on the “Sign Up” button to create an account to log in the system. In Sign Up Screen (Figure 2) user enter the information (Name, Surname, User Name, University Name, E-Mail Address and password. When user clicks on “Sign Up”, an activation code is sent and the Activation Code Screen (Figure 3) is displayed. User should enter the activation code. The activation code must be accurate to user to register.



The Login Screen (Figure 1) is a light gray rectangular interface. On the left side, there are two input fields: the top one is labeled "User Name" and the bottom one is a password field with a series of dots. Below the password field is a "Sign In" button. To the right of these fields, the text "If you do not have any account" is displayed, followed by a "Sign Up" button.

Figure 1: Login Screen



The Sign Up Screen (Figure 2) is a light gray rectangular interface. At the top left is a "BACK" button. Below it, there are six input fields, each with a label to its left: "Name", "Surname", "User Name", "University Name", "E-mail Address", and "Password". At the bottom right of the form is a "Sign Up" button.

Figure 2: Sign Up Button

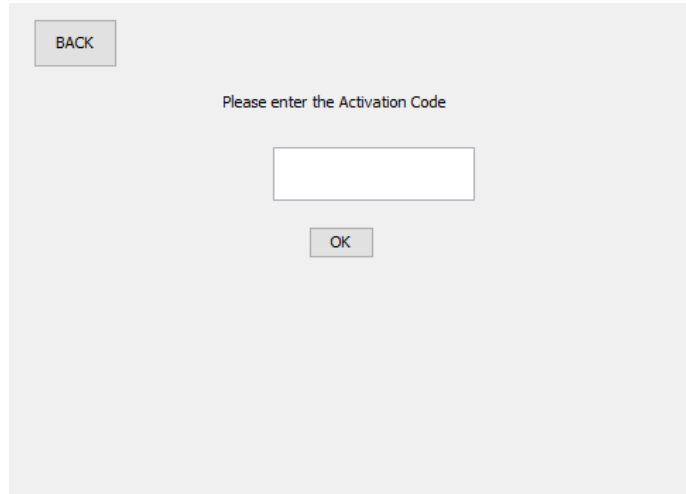
A screenshot of a user interface for entering an activation code. It features a light gray background. In the top-left corner, there is a small rectangular button labeled "BACK". Centered on the screen is the text "Please enter the Activation Code". Below this text is a white rectangular input field. At the bottom center, there is a small rectangular button labeled "OK".

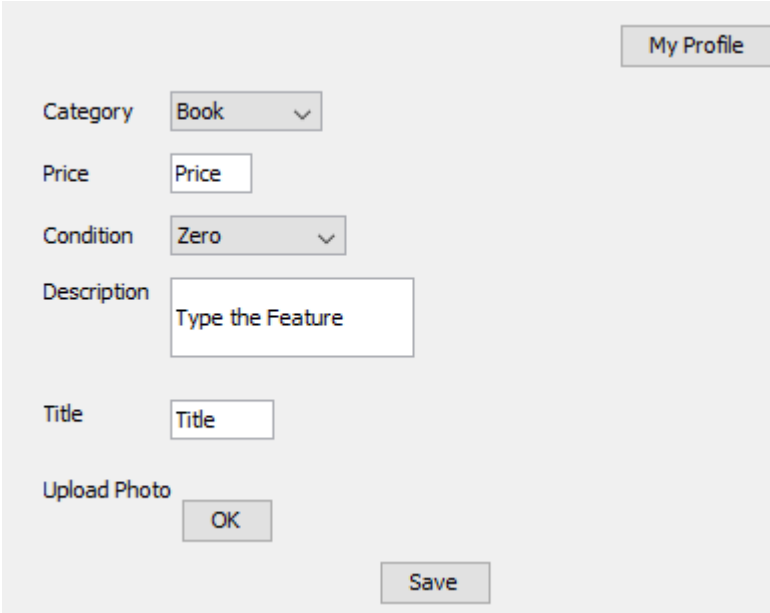
Figure 3: Activation Code Screen

In the Login Screen if the username and password is accurate and matched the user signs in. When user signs in Trade Screen (Figure 4) is displayed. User has 3 option in that screen: Adding product to sell, searching a product to buy or view own profile. User lead to make that operations by the buttons “Add Product To Sell”, “Search For Product”, “View My Profile.”

A screenshot of a user interface for trade operations. It features a light gray background. In the top-left corner, there is a small rectangular button labeled "BACK". Below and to the right of the "BACK" button, there are three rectangular buttons arranged in a descending staircase pattern. The first button is labeled "Add Product to Sell", the second is labeled "Search For Product", and the third is labeled "View My Profile".

Figure 4: Trade Screen

When user clicks on “Add Product To Sell”, Add Item Screen (Figure 5) is displayed. User can input information of item. The information of items are; category (Book,Furniture, Notes),price, condition, title, description of item. Also user can upload photo of item by pushing the “OK” button, near “Upload Photo” label. When the “SAVE” button is clicked, the item is added to the system and ready to be sold.



The screenshot displays the 'Add Item Screen' with a light gray background. In the top right corner, there is a button labeled 'My Profile'. The main form area contains several input fields and buttons: a 'Category' dropdown menu with 'Book' selected, a 'Price' text input field, a 'Condition' dropdown menu with 'Zero' selected, a 'Description' text input field with the placeholder text 'Type the Feature', a 'Title' text input field, and an 'Upload Photo' label with an 'OK' button below it. At the bottom right of the form, there is a 'Save' button.

Figure 5: Add Item Screen

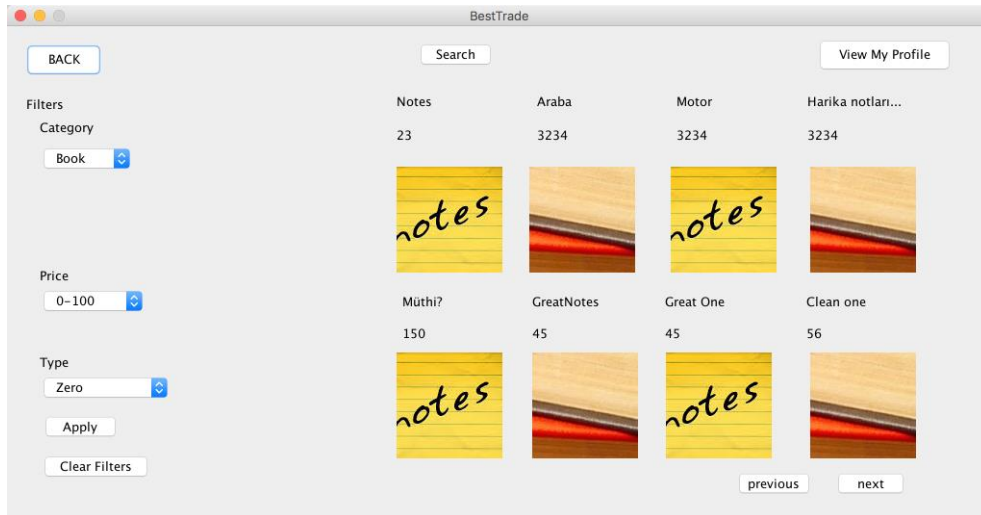


Figure 6: Search Item Screen

When user click on “Search For Product” button in Trade Screen, Search Item Screen (above-Figure 6) is displayed. The user enters the product name in that he wants to search and also can filter the products that will be displayed by arranging the filters. Based on the information and filters the items are displayed with their name and photo. When it is clicked on the item. View Item Screen(Figure 7) is displayed. User can see the detailed information of Item from that screen. Also user can send message owner of the item by clicking on button “Send Message”. Throughout the Send Message(Figure 8) screen that is displayed after the click, he enters the username of the user that he wants to send the message, the subject, texts the message and send by clicking “Send” button.

Back

To

Subject

Message

Send

Figure 8: Send Message

BestTrade

Back

Title	Harika notlanm var abıl
Category	notes
Price	3234 TL
Condition	zero

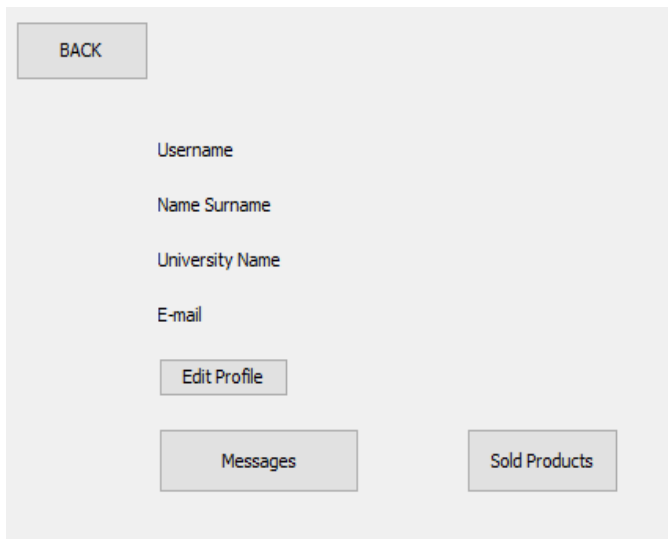
Send Message

Satılık

Figure 7: View Item Screen

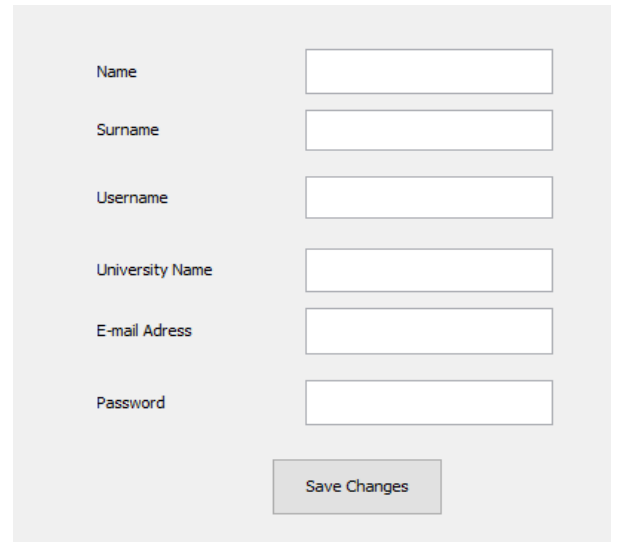
When user clicks on "View My Profile" button , he can see his information in My Profile Screen (Figure 9). By clicking on "Messages", the user can see the messages that is taken from Message Screen. Also from My Profile Screen user can open the screen by clicking "Sold Products" button to see his products in My Products Screen (Figure 10) User can also modify his information by clicking "Edit Profile" on My Profile Screen. After the click, the Edit Profile Screen (Figure 11) is displayed and throughout that screen user can enter and change the information which is entered when he signed up.

Also he can change his password from that screen. User completed the change by saving modifications by clicking “ Save Changes” button.



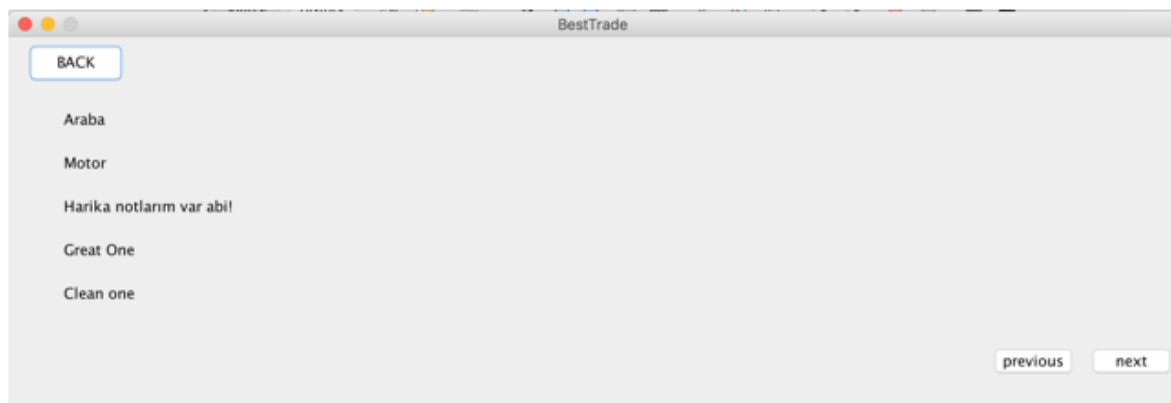
A screenshot of a web application's 'My Profile' screen. It features a 'BACK' button in the top left corner. Below it, there are labels for 'Username', 'Name Surname', 'University Name', and 'E-mail'. An 'Edit Profile' button is positioned below the 'E-mail' label. At the bottom of the screen, there are two buttons: 'Messages' on the left and 'Sold Products' on the right.

Figure 9: My Profile Screen



A screenshot of a web application's 'Edit Profil' screen. It displays a list of input fields for 'Name', 'Surname', 'Username', 'University Name', 'E-mail Adress', and 'Password'. A 'Save Changes' button is located at the bottom right of the form.

Figure 11: Edit Profil Screen

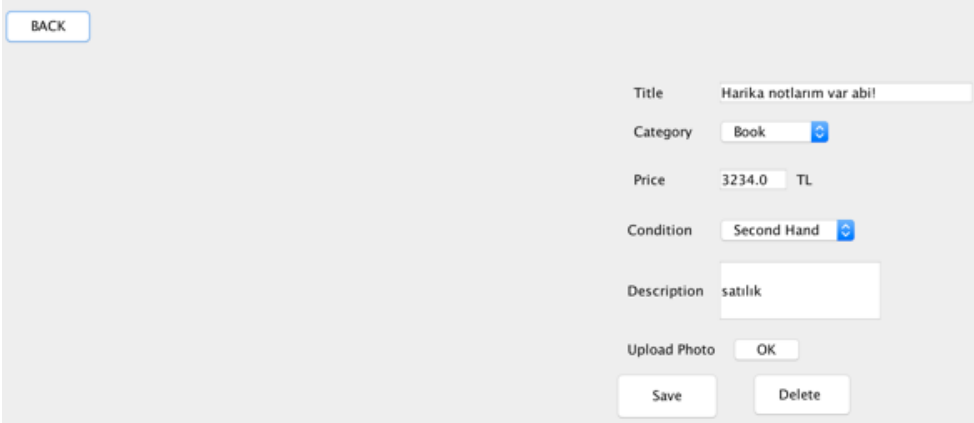


A screenshot of a web application's 'My Products' screen, titled 'BestTrade'. It includes a 'BACK' button in the top left. The main area contains a list of product entries: 'Araba', 'Motor', 'Harika notlarım var abi!', 'Great One', and 'Clean one'. At the bottom right, there are 'previous' and 'next' navigation buttons.

Figure 10: My Products Screen

Also user modify the information of the products by clicking on the labels on My Products Screen. After the click Edit Item Screen(Figure 11) is displayed

Figure 11: Edit Item Screen



The screenshot displays the 'Edit Item Screen' with a light gray background. In the top-left corner, there is a 'BACK' button. On the right side, the product details are listed: 'Title' is 'Harika notların var abi!', 'Category' is 'Book' (with a dropdown arrow), 'Price' is '3234.0 TL', 'Condition' is 'Second Hand' (with a dropdown arrow), and 'Description' is 'satılık'. Below these details, there is an 'Upload Photo' section with an 'OK' button. At the bottom, there are two buttons: 'Save' and 'Delete'.

BACK	
Title	Harika notların var abi!
Category	Book
Price	3234.0 TL
Condition	Second Hand
Description	satılık
Upload Photo	OK
Save	Delete