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**A DEMONSTRATION OF TEXT INPUT AND VALIDATION WITH ANDRIOD COMPOSE**

**A PROJECT REPORT**

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**Description :**

**“ Text Validator “** is a simple Android app show casing text input and validation using jetpack compose . This app Features ,

1. User Input fields for name , email and password.
2. Real Time input validation for email and password.
3. Error message displayed below each field .
4. “Submit “ button enabled only when all fields are valid**.**

**Abstract:**

This project demonstrates the implementation of text input and validation using Android Compose. It aims to provide a user-friendly interface for capturing and validating user inputs efficiently and securely.

**Introduction :**

Text input and validation are crucial components of any mobile application, ensuring data integrity and enhancing user experience. This project leverages Android Compose, a modern toolkit for building native Android UI, to achieve these goals.

**Objectives :**

* To demonstrate the use of text input components in Android Compose.
* To implement effective validation mechanisms.
* To enhance user experience through responsive UI design.

**Features :**

* User-friendly text input fields.
* Real-time validation feedback.
* Error handling and messaging.
* Integration with other app components.

**Functionalities :**

* Capturing user input.
* Validating input against predefined criteria.
* Providing feedback to the user.

**UI Design :**

* Simple and intuitive layout.
* Clear indications for validation errors.
* Responsive design for different screen sizes.

**Project Overview :**

This project consists of various modules that work together to provide seamless text input and validation. It includes the following components:

* MainActivity: The primary screen displaying text input fields.
* ValidationService: A service for validating input data.
* UI Components: Custom composables for input fields and error messages.

**Scope and Key Features :**

* Focuses on text input and validation.
* Demonstrates best practices in UI/UX design.
* Applicable to various types of user inputs, such as emails, passwords, etc.

**Development Process :**

**Step by Step Implementation**

**Step 1: Create a New Project in Android Studio**

To create a new project in Android Studio please refer to [How to Create/Start a New Project in Android Studio](https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/android-how-to-create-start-a-new-project-in-android-studio/). While choosing the template, select **Empty Compose Activity**. If you do not find this template, try upgrading the Android Studio to the latest version. We demonstrated the application in **Kotlin**, so make sure you select Kotlin as the primary language while creating a New Project.

**Step 2: Working with the MainActivity.kt file**

* Go to the **MainActivity.kt** file and refer to the following code. Below is the code for the **MainActivity.kt** file. Comments are added inside the code to understand the code in more detail.

**EXPLANATION :**

* **TEXT INPUT VALIDATION :** This function contains a Basic Text Field for text input and Button to trigger validation
* **STATE MANAGEMENT :**  Text holds the user input and error message holds the validation message
* **VALIDATION LOGIC :** As the user types , the onvaluechange listener checks if the text length is at least 3 characters. If not it sets an error message
* **BUTTON ACTION :** when the user clicks “ validate “ , it displays either Name is valid or an error message depending on the input length .

**Key Achievements :**

1. Implemented text input validation using Jetpack Compose.

2. Designed intuitive UI/UX with responsive design.

3. Ensured secure password input and real-time error messaging.

4. Conducted thorough testing, including unit, integration, and UI testing.

**Future Enhancements :**

1. Expand validation to additional fields (e.g., phone number, address).

2. Implement more advanced validation techniques (e.g., regex patterns).

3. Integrate with backend services for data storage and authentication**.**

**PROGRAM CODE :**

import android.os.Bundle

import android.widget.Toast

import androidx.activity.ComponentActivity

import androidx.activity.compose.setContent

import androidx.compose.foundation.layout.\*

import androidx.compose.material.\*

import androidx.compose.runtime.Composable

import androidx.compose.runtime.mutableStateOf

import androidx.compose.runtime.remember

import androidx.compose.ui.Alignment

import androidx.compose.ui.Modifier

import androidx.compose.ui.graphics.Color

import androidx.compose.ui.platform.LocalContext

import androidx.compose.ui.tooling.preview.Preview

import androidx.compose.ui.unit.dp

class MainActivity : ComponentActivity() {

override fun onCreate(savedInstanceState: Bundle?) {

super.onCreate(savedInstanceState)

setContent {

// Calling the composable function

// to display element and its contents

MainContent()

}

}

}

// Creating a composable

// function to display Top Bar

@Composable

fun MainContent() {

Scaffold(

topBar = { TopAppBar(title = { Text("GFG | Validation", color = Color.White) }, backgroundColor = Color(0xff0f9d58)) },

content = { MyContent() }

)

}

// Creating a composable function

// to create two TextFields

// Calling this function as content

// in the above function

@Composable

fun MyContent(){

// fetching local context

val mContext = LocalContext.current

Column(

Modifier

.fillMaxSize()

.padding(20.dp), horizontalAlignment = Alignment.CenterHorizontally, verticalArrangement = Arrangement.Center) {

// Declaring two string values

// for storing username and password

val mUsername = remember { mutableStateOf("") }

val mPassword = remember { mutableStateOf("") }

// Creating two outlined text fields for

// fetching username and password from the user

OutlinedTextField(

value = mUsername.value,

onValueChange = { mUsername.value = it },

label = { Text(text = "Username") },

modifier = Modifier.fillMaxWidth()

)

OutlinedTextField(

value = mPassword.value,

onValueChange = { mPassword.value = it },

label = { Text(text = "Password") },

modifier = Modifier.fillMaxWidth()

)

// Adding a Spacer

Spacer(modifier = Modifier.height(100.dp))

// Button onclick would check

// for the below conditions

Button(onClick = {

if(mUsername.value.isEmpty() and mPassword.value.isNotEmpty()){

Toast.makeText(mContext, "Username is Empty", Toast.LENGTH\_SHORT).show()

}

if (mPassword.value.isEmpty() and mUsername.value.isNotEmpty()){

Toast.makeText(mContext, "Password is Empty", Toast.LENGTH\_SHORT).show()

}

if(mUsername.value.isEmpty() and mPassword.value.isEmpty()){

Toast.makeText(mContext, "Username and Password are Empty", Toast.LENGTH\_SHORT).show()

}

if(mUsername.value.isNotEmpty() and mPassword.value.isNotEmpty()){

Toast.makeText(mContext, "Successfully Validated", Toast.LENGTH\_SHORT).show()

}

},

colors = ButtonDefaults.buttonColors(backgroundColor = Color(0XFF0F9D58)),

) {

Text("Next", color = Color.White)

}

}

}

// For displaying preview in

// the Android Studio IDE emulator

@Preview(showBackground = true)

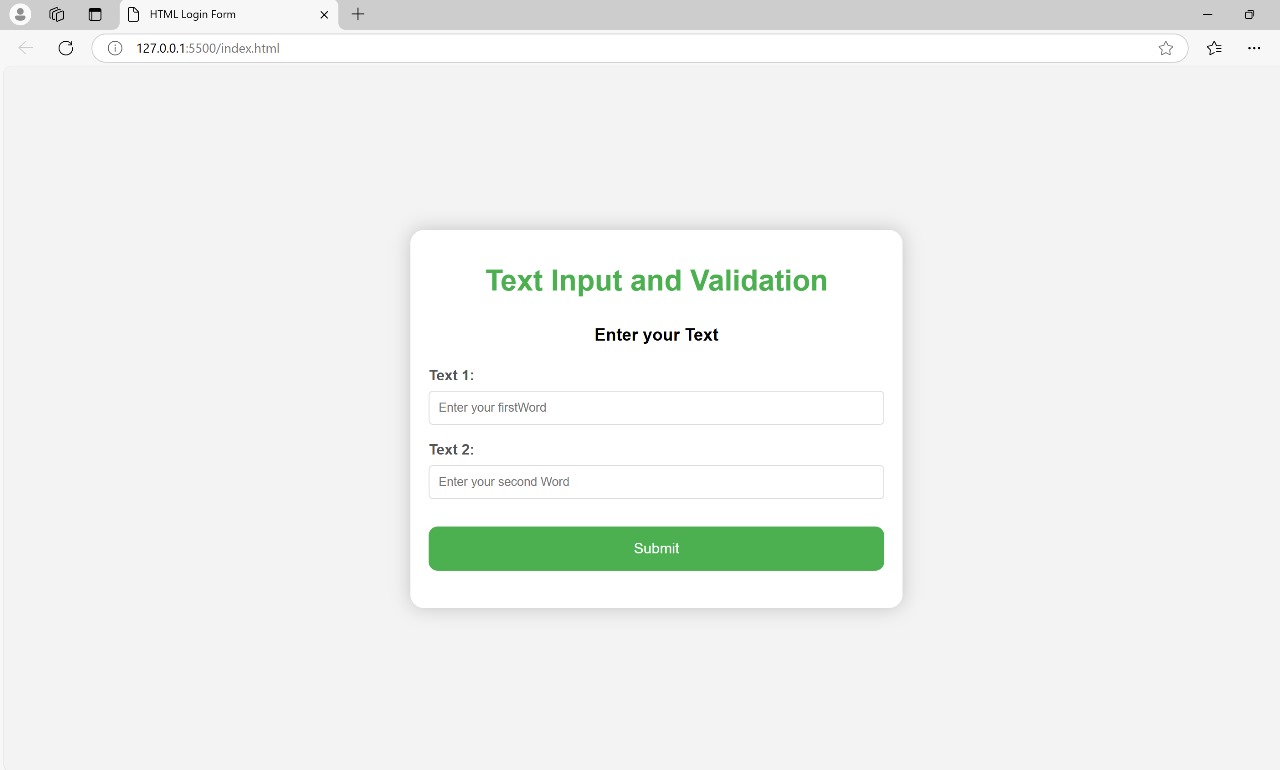
@Composable

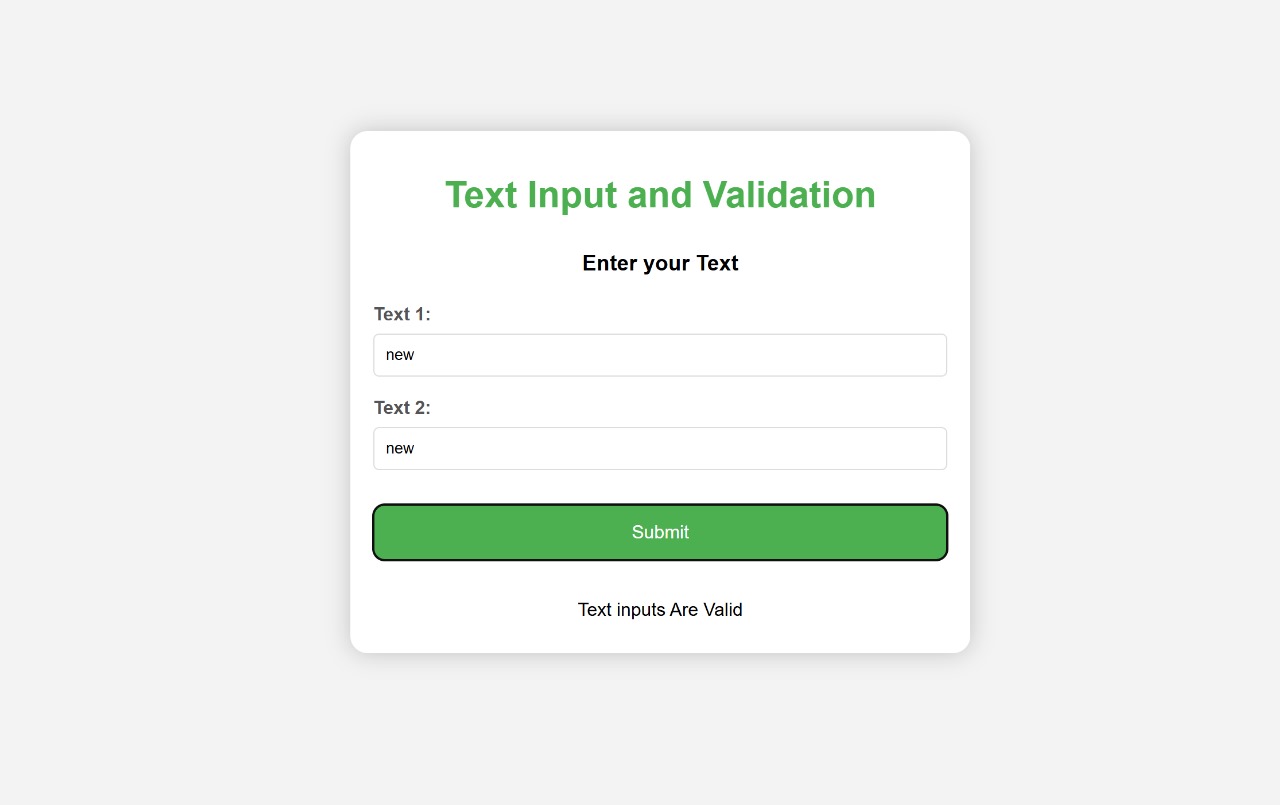
fun DefaultPreview() {

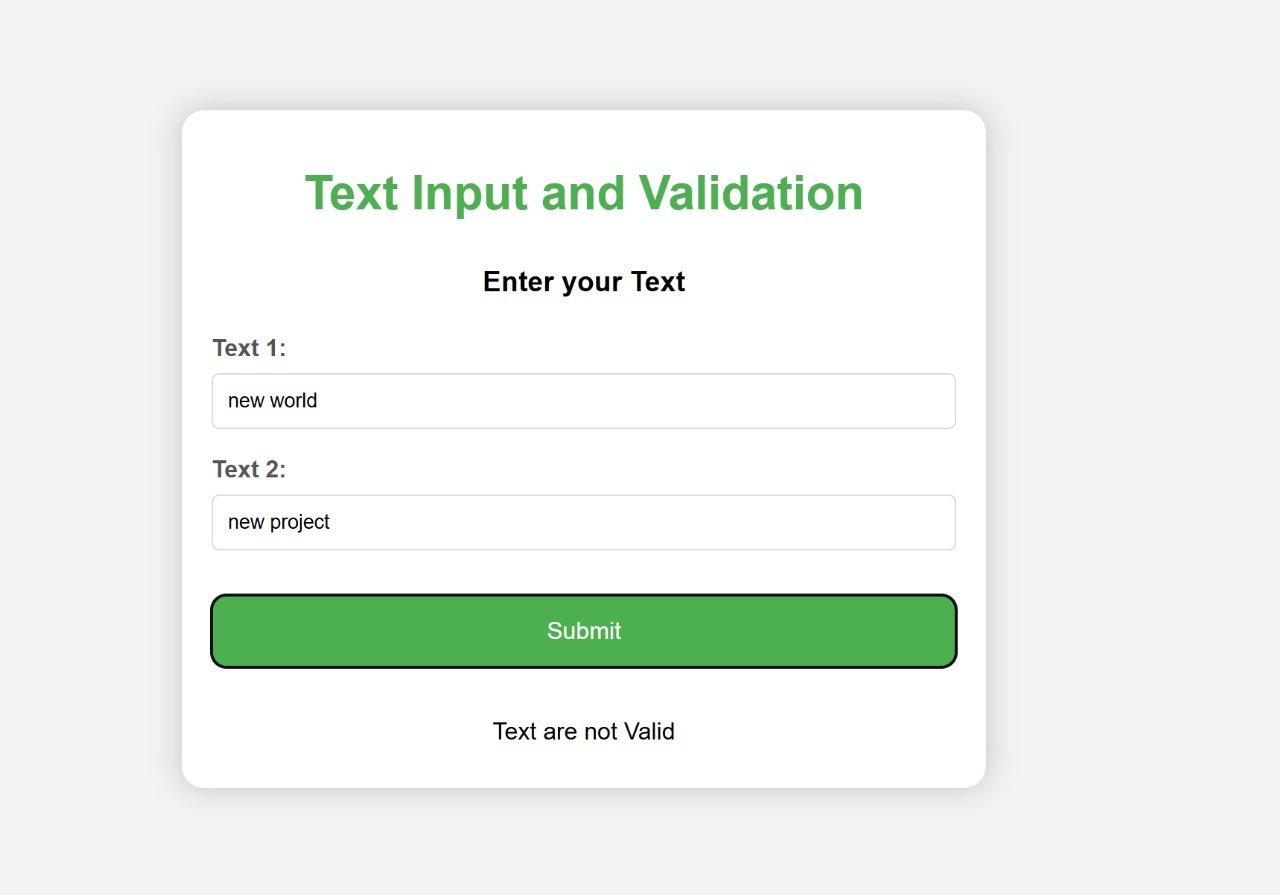
MainContent()

}

**OUTPUT :**

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**Github :**

**https://github.com/bharath-k-cse/-Android-Compose-UI-toolkit-to-build-a-survey-app..git**

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**Conclusion :**

This project successfully developed an Android app demonstrating text input validation using Jetpack Compose. The app validates user input for name, email, and password fields, displaying error messages for invalid inputs. Key features include real-time input validation, secure password input, and a user-friendly interface.