

IT-314 Lab Assignment : 6

Title: Modeling Class Diagram and Activity Diagram (Point of

Sale System)

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Point of Sale (POS) System Analysis

Introduction

A Point of Sale (POS) system is an essential tool in retail and service sectors, enabling seamless transactions between businesses and customers. This document explores the key functionalities of a modern POS system, with a focus on two main use cases: processing sales and managing returns.

Task - 1:

Develop Use Case Textual Description for "Process Sale" and "Handle Return" use cases.

Use Case: Process Sale

Actor

Cashier

Preconditions

- The POS system must be functioning properly.
- The cashier is logged into the system with valid credentials.

Postconditions

- The sale is successfully recorded in the system.
- The inventory reflects the items sold.
- The customer is given a receipt for the transaction.

Basic Flow

- 1. The customer brings the selected items to the checkout.
- 2. The cashier starts a new sales transaction in the POS system.
- 3. For each item:
 - The cashier scans the item's barcode.
 - The system retrieves the item's details (e.g., name, price) from the database.
 - The system adds the item to the current transaction.
- 4. The system calculates and displays the total cost.
- 5. The cashier informs the customer of the total amount due.

- 6. The customer chooses a payment option (cash, credit card, or mobile payment).
- 7. The cashier processes the payment using the chosen method.
- 8. The system records the sale and adjusts the inventory.
- 9. A receipt is generated by the system.
- The cashier hands the receipt and the purchased items to the customer.

Alternative Flows

- 3b. Manual Entry:
 - If an item's barcode cannot be scanned, the cashier enters the SKU manually or looks it up in the system.
- 5a. Applying a Discount:
 - The customer presents a coupon or discount code.
 - The cashier applies the discount.
 - The system recalculates the new total.
- 6a. Payment Failure:
 - If the payment method is declined, the cashier informs the customer.
 - The customer may choose a different payment option or remove items from the transaction.
- 7a. Transaction Cancellation:
 - The customer may decide to cancel the transaction at any point before it's completed.
 - The cashier cancels the transaction in the system.
 - The system voids the transaction and restores any inventory changes.

Use Case 2: Handle Return

Actor

Cashier

Preconditions

- The POS system must be up and running.
- The cashier must be logged in with valid credentials.
- The customer has the items to return along with the original purchase receipt.

Postconditions

- The return is successfully recorded in the system.
- The inventory is updated to reflect the returned items.
- The customer is issued a refund and provided with a return receipt.

Basic Flow

- 1. The customer arrives at the counter with the items to return and the original receipt.
- 2. The cashier starts a new return transaction in the POS system.
- 3. The cashier scans the items the customer is returning.
- 4. The system checks if the items are eligible for return (e.g., return period, item condition).
- 5. The system calculates the refund amount.
- The cashier asks the customer to confirm the reason for the return.
- 7. The system updates the inventory to account for the returned items.
- 8. The cashier refunds the amount to the customer via the original payment method.

- 9. The system logs the return transaction.
- 10. The system generates a receipt for the return.
- 11. The cashier hands the return receipt to the customer.

Alternative Flows

- 3a. Scanner Unavailable:
 - If the scanner isn't working, the cashier manually inputs the item details into the system.
- 4a. Item Not Eligible for Return:
 - The system notifies the cashier that the item is ineligible for return.
 - The cashier informs the customer about the issue.
 - The customer can either continue with the return of eligible items or cancel the entire process.
- 7a. Damaged or Used Items:
 - The cashier inspects the item for any damage or signs of use.
 - The system adjusts the refund or applies a restocking fee.
 - The cashier informs the customer about the revised refund.
 - o The customer decides whether to proceed with the return.
- 8a. Original Payment Method Not Available:
 - If the original payment method is unavailable, the cashier chooses an alternative refund option (e.g., store credit).
 - The system processes the refund using the chosen alternative method.

Task - 2: Object Identification

Entity Objects:

- Sale
- Item
- Payment
- Customer
- Cashier
- Inventory
- Coupon
- Return

Boundary Objects:

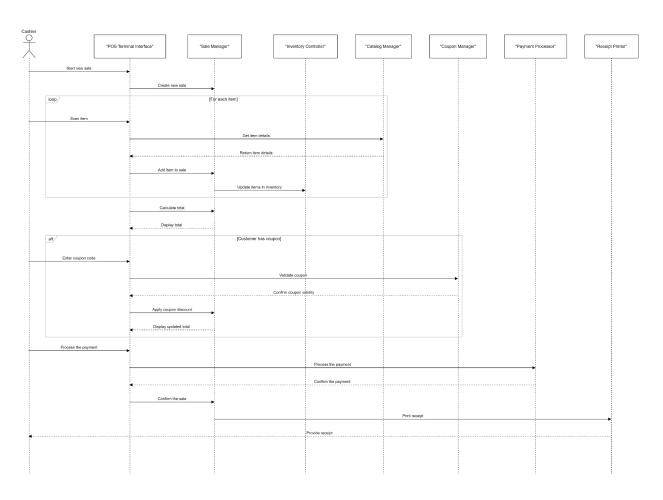
- POS Terminal Interface
- Barcode Scanner
- Receipt Printer
- Payment Terminal

Control Objects:

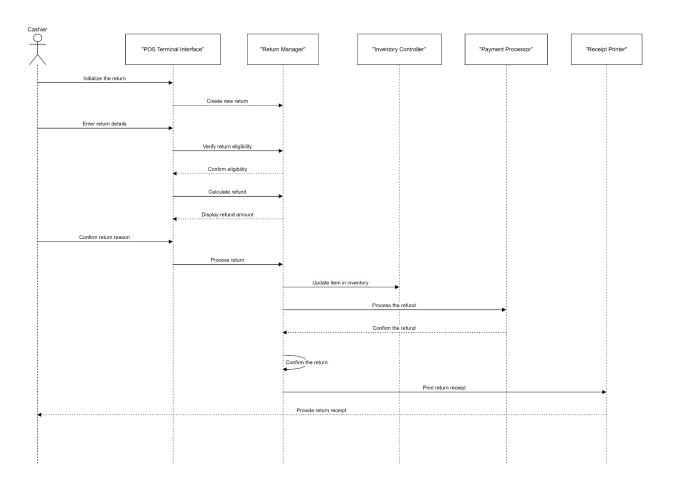
- Sale Manager
- Inventory Controller
- Payment Processor
- Catalog Manager
- Return Manager

Task - 3: Develop Sequence Diagrams

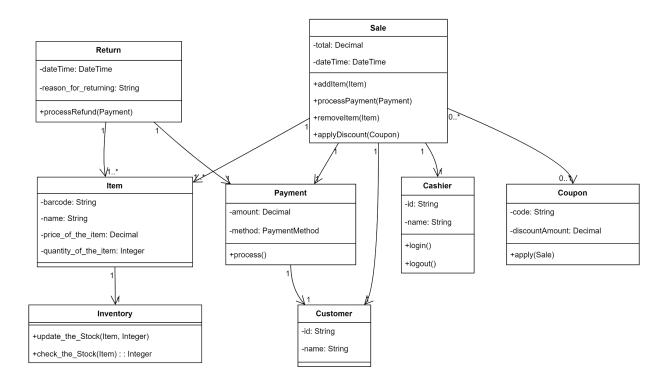
Process Sale:



Handle Returns:

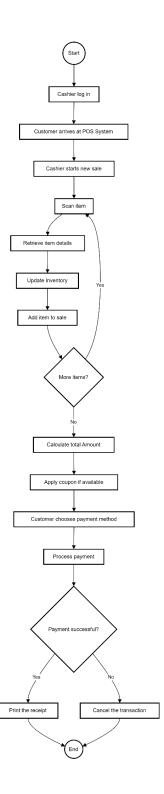


Task - 4: Develop Analysis Domain Models



Task - 5: Develop activity diagram for "Process Sale" and "Handle Return" use cases.

Process Sale



Handle Return

