Building Dynamic Frontend Components for Hunar Bazar

1.0 Objective:

This documentation aims to Detail the architecture, workflows, and interactions of all components in the Hunar Bazar e-commerce platform and, explain the use of Next.js, Zustand, Sanity CMS, and Clerk for a modular, scalable frontend.

2.0 Key Learning outcomes:

- Built 15+ dynamic components using Next.js and Sanity CMS integration.
- Implemented state management for cart, via Zustand.
- .Applied responsive styling with Tailwind CSS and ShadcnUI for a polished UI/UX.
- Integrated real-world workflows like dynamic routing, API error handling, and modular design.

3.0 Key Components Developed:

I Below are the components built for Hunar Bazar:

3.1 Components of Product Listing System & Filtering by Categories:

1. ProductList Component:

Purpose: Renders a grid of products fetched from Sanity CMS

Key Features:

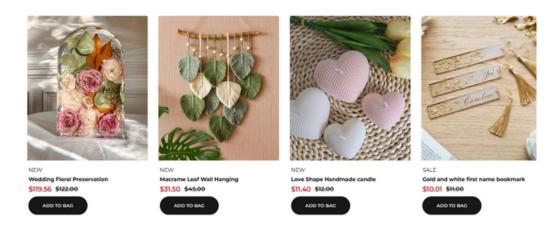
- Responsive grid layout (1 → 4 columns).
- · Integrates category filtering.
- Maps product data to ProductCard components.

Workflow:

- · Generates image URL using urlFor().
- · Links to product detail page via slug
- · Renders AddtoBag and PriceView components

Code Snippets:

Visual Representation:



2. ProductCard Component:

Purpose: Displays individual product details.

Key Features:

- Dynamic image loading from Sanity.
- Price display with discounts.
- Stock status indicator.

Workflow:

- Generates image URL using urlFor().
- Links to product detail page via slug
- Renders AddtoBag and PriceView components

Code Snippets:

Visual Representation:



3. Categories Component:

Purpose: Wrapper for category filtering dropdown.

Key Features:

- · Consistent padding/spacing.
- Passes Sanity CMS categories to CategorySelect.

Workflow:

- · Receives categories prop from parent.
- · Renders CategorySelect with categories.

Code Snippets:

4. CategorySelect Component:

Purpose: Wrapper for category filtering dropdown.

Key Features:

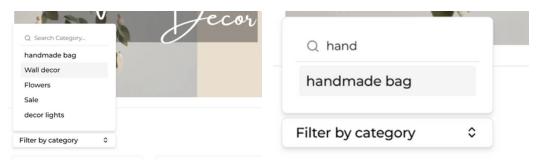
- Searchable list of categories.
- · Dynamic routing on selection.

- Opens a ShadcnUI Popover on click.
- Filters categories via search input.
- Updates URL using Next.js router.push().

Code Snippets:

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Visual Representation:



3.2 Product Quantity with price adjustment & Cart Interaction for Products:

1. AddtoBag Button Component:

Purpose: Handles cart interactions for a product.

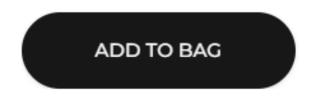
Key Features:

- Zustand state management.
- · Toast notifications.
- · Quantity adjustment controls.

- Check product stock status.
- Updates cart state via addItem().
- Switches to ProductQuantity after adding to the cart.

Code Snippets:

Visual Representation:





2. PriceView and PriceFormat Components:

Purposes: Displays discounted and original prices, formats prices into USD currency.

Key Features:

- Strikethrough for original price.
- Red text for a discounted price.
- Reusable across components.
- · Locale-aware formatting.

- Calculates discounted price.
- Renders prices using PriceFormat.
- Accepts amount prop.
- Converts number to currency string (e.g., \$49.99).

Code Snippets:

3. ProductQuantity Component:

Purposes: Adjusts item quantity in the cart

Key Features:

- "+" and "-" buttons.
- · Zustand state updates.

Workflow:

- Calls addItem()/removeItem() on click.
- · Shows live count with toast feedback.

Code Snippets:

3.3 Header, footer, Cartlcon Components:

1. Header & Cartlcon Component:

Purposes: Main navigation bar, Shows cart item count in the header.

Key Features:

- · Clerk authentication.
- Responsive search bar.
- Responsive design (icon + text).
- Zustand state synchronization.

Workflow:

- Displays logo, search bar, cart icon, and auth buttons.
- Uses ClerkLoaded to conditionally render auth state.
- Fetches cart items via getGroupedItems().
- Updates UI on cart state changes.

Code Snippets:

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Visual Representation:



2. Footer Component:

Purposes: Site-wide footer with contact/social links.

Key Features:

- 4-column responsive layout.
- Newsletter signup form.

Workflow:

- · Static content with Tailwind styling.
- · Social media icons with SVG

3.4 Fallback Components:

EmptyCart, CartAccessDenied & Loader Component:

Purposes: Empty cart state UI, Blocks unauthorized cart access, Full-screen loading spinner.

Key Features:

- · Animated shopping bag icon.
- "Start Shopping" CTA button.
- · Clerk authentication modal.
- · Branded card design.
- · Puff animation from react-loader-spinner.
- · Centered layout.

Workflow:

- Triggers when cart is empty.
- · Uses Framer Motion for hover effects.
- · Renders when unauthenticated users visit /cart.
- · Prompts login via SignInButton.
- Displays during data fetching/API calls.
- · Uses aria-label for accessibility.

3.5 Banner Component:

Purposes: Displays promotional carousel.

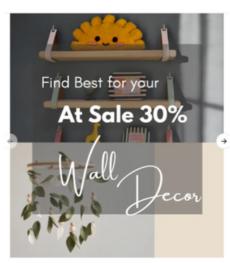
Key Features:

- ShadcnUI Carousel component.
- Responsive images (mobile/desktop).

- · Fetches banners from Sanity CMS.
- Switches images based on screen size.

Visual Representation:





4.0 Best Practice Implemented on Components:

Components:	Key Practice:	Impact:
header.tsx	Clerk auth	Secure user sessions
AddtoBag.tsx	Cart persistence + toasts	Retains cart data + user feedback
CategorySelect.tsx	Keyboard navigation	Inclusive UX for all users
PriceFormat.tsx	Reusable utility	Consistent pricing across app
ProductCard.tsx	Lazy-loading + SEO	Faster loads + better SEO ranking

5.0 Conclusion:

Hunar Bazar showcases a modern e-commerce frontend built with Next.js, Zustand, and Sanity CMS, emphasizing modularity, performance, and user-centric design.

5.1 Key Wins:

- State Management: Cart persistence via Zustand + localStorage (AddtoBag.tsx).
- Performance: Lazy-loaded images (ProductCard.tsx), reusable utilities (PriceFormat.tsx).
- Accessibility: Keyboard navigation (CategorySelect.tsx), semantic HTML (Footer.tsx).
- Security: Clerk authentication for protected routes (CartAccessDenied.tsx).

5.2 Outcomes:

- User Experience: Toast notifications, responsive grids, and guided empty states.
- Maintainability: Decoupled components (e.g., Categories.tsx, ProductList.tsx).

5.3 Next Steps:

- Integrate Stripecheckout.
- Add debounced search to CategorySelect.tsx.
- Build an admin dashboard for Sanity CMS.

Hunar Bazar is a scalable, production-ready foundation for future expansion, balancing technical rigor with intuitive design.