

OOP project

Vehicle Rental Management System

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Problem Statement

Vehicle rental businesses often rely on manual record-keeping, which leads to errors such as double-booking, inconsistent pricing, and loss of rental history. This project, the Vehicle Rental Management System, provides a robust digital solution. It automates fleet tracking and cost calculation while ensuring data security through defined user roles and persistent storage.

Explanation of OOP Concepts Used

Encapsulation: All class attributes (like plateNumber and password) are set to private. Access is controlled via public getters and setters to protect data integrity.

Abstraction: The Vehicle and User classes are declared as abstract. This ensures that common code is shared, but no "generic" vehicle or user can be created without being specific (e.g., a Car or a Customer).

Inheritance: We used the extends keyword so that Car inherits features from Vehicle. This reduces code duplication.

Polymorphism: The calculateTotalCost() method is defined in the parent class but behaves differently depending on the specific vehicle type.

SOLID Principles Applied

Interface Segregation Principle (ISP): we have Bookable for customers and Manageable for admins, so customers aren't forced to see methods they don't use (like deleteVehicle())."

Open/Closed Principle (OCP): The system is designed so that new vehicle types (like Motorcycles) can be added without modifying the existing RentalManager code.

Single Responsibility (SRP): The FileDataHandler class is solely responsible for file operations, while the RentalManager handles business logic.

Liskov Substitution (LSP): Any method that expects a Vehicle can accept a Car without causing errors.

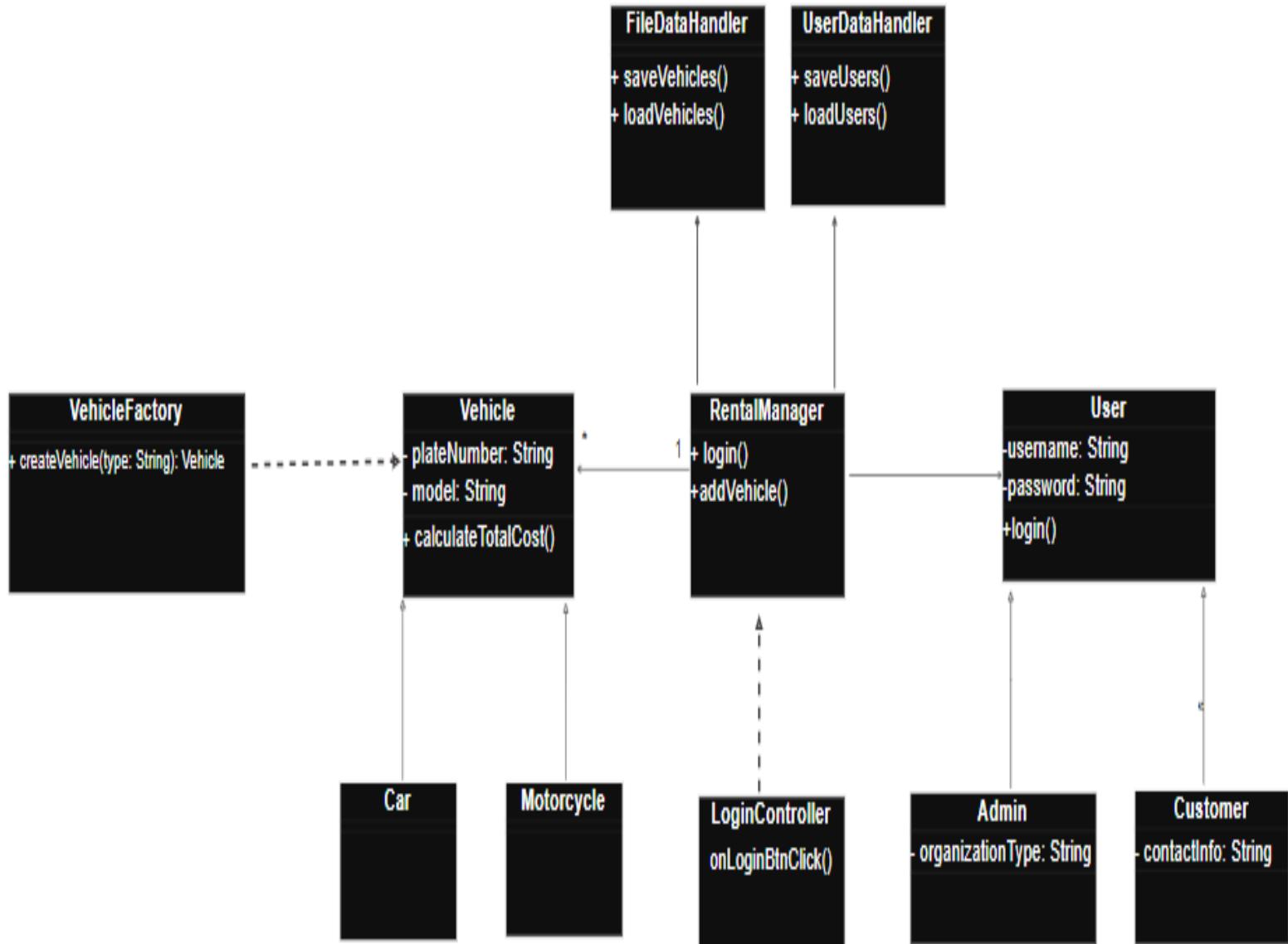
Dependency Inversion (DIP): High-level controllers depend on the RentalManager abstraction rather than directly communicating with the raw data file.

Multi-Role Access: Separate dashboards for Admins (Inventory Control) and Customers (Booking).

Fleet Management (CRUD): Admins can Create, Read, and Delete vehicle records in real-time.

Booking System: Customers can view only available vehicles and rent them with a single click.

Data Persistence: All data is saved to and loaded from a local vehicles.txt file using Java I/O.
Input Validation: The system prevents errors by validating user inputs during login and data entry.



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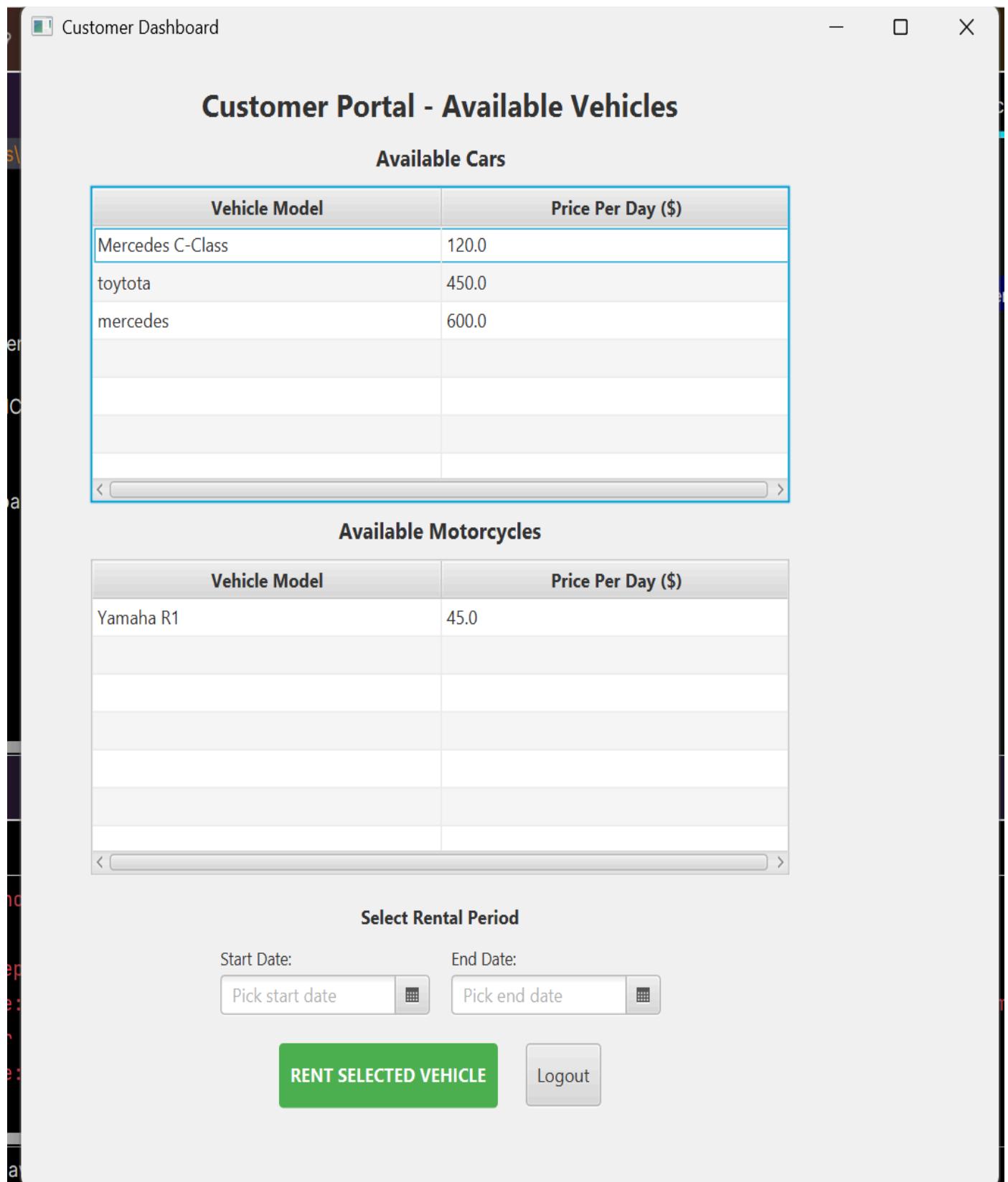
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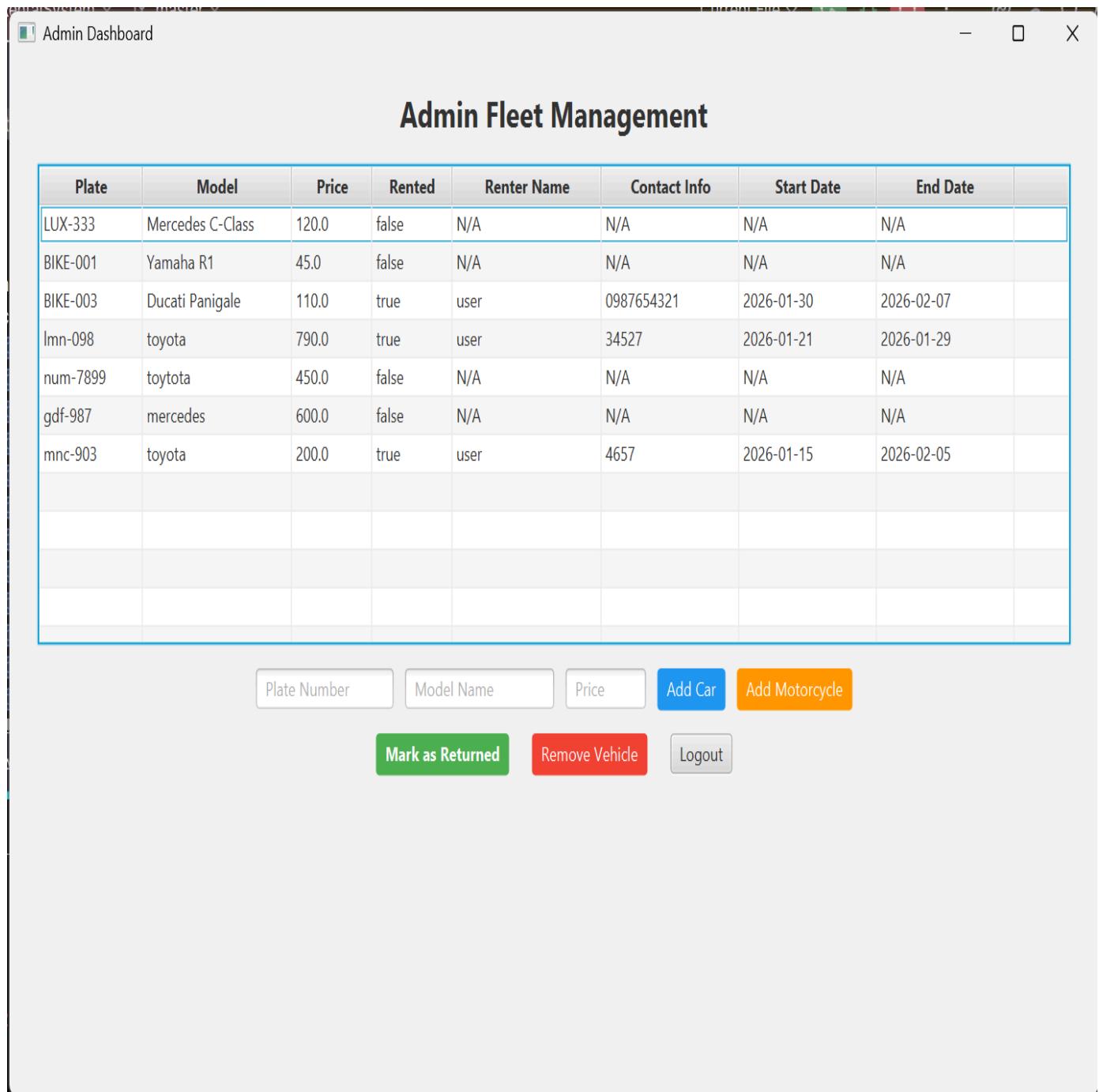
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