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SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS SPECIFICATION (SRS)

document for Eco-Fashion Retailer

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1. INTRODUCTION

A. Purpose

The purpose of this document is to define the software requirements for an eco-friendly e-commerce website selling sustainable clothing and accessories. The platform will offer ethically sourced products, similar to Amazon, promoting environmentally conscious shopping. This document will guide the design, development, and deployment of the website.

B. Scope

The Eco Fashion Retailer connects eco-conscious consumers with ethical fashion brands, promoting slow fashion and sustainability. It enables users to discover, purchase, and verify eco-friendly products while supporting ethical labor practices and circular fashion initiatives. The platform ensures transparency, trust, and a seamless shopping experience for buyers and sellers.

2. OVERALL DESCRIPTION

A. Product Perspective

This platform is different from regular online stores because it prioritizes sustainable fashion and rewards customers with points for eco-friendly purchases. It fits into the growing sustainable fashion industry by ensuring transparency with verified sustainability claims, preventing false advertising. The reward system keeps shoppers engaged and

loyal, making sustainable shopping easier, more rewarding, and beneficial for both consumers and ethical brands.

B. Product Features

- *User Registration and Profiles:* Users can sign up, create profiles, and update their personal information.
- *Product Browsing and Search:* Customers can discover eco-friendly fashion items using filters, categories, and search options.
- *Eco-Friendly Rewards System:* Shoppers earn points for purchasing sustainable products, which can be redeemed for discounts or special offers.
- *Secure Checkout and Payment:* The platform supports multiple secure payment methods for a smooth shopping experience.
- *Order Tracking and Management:* Users can monitor their order status and access their purchase history.
- *Seller Dashboard:* Brands and vendors can upload products, track inventory, and analyze sales performance.
- *Sustainability Verification:* The platform ensures product authenticity by verifying sustainability claims to prevent misleading advertisements.
- *Product Reviews and Ratings:* Buyers can share feedback and rate products to help others make informed purchasing decisions.
- *Wishlist and Favorites:* Users can save products they are interested in for future purchases.
- *Customer Support and Assistance:* A dedicated support team is available to assist with inquiries, returns, and issue resolution.

C. User Classes

- *Customers (Buyers):* Browse, purchase, review products, and track orders.
- *Sellers (Brands/Vendors):* List and manage sustainable fashion products.
- *Administrators:* Oversee platform operations, verify sellers, and handle disp
- *Guest Users:* Can browse products but need to register to purchase or interact.

D. Operating Environment

This platform can be used on various hardware devices such as phones, laptops, and PCs. It will run on operating systems such as windows, ubuntu etc.

E. Design and Implementation Constraints

I. Technological Stack

- *Frontend:* React.js – Builds a dynamic and responsive user interface.
- *Backend:* Node.js (Express) – Handles business logic, APIs, and server-side operations.
- *Database:* MongoDB – Stores and manages product, user, and transaction data.
- *Payment Gateway:* Razorpay / PayPal – Enables secure online transactions.

II. Security

- This platform ensures user authentication and data encryption and implements limiting access controls to prevent security threats.

F. User Documentation

I. Getting Started

- *Visit the Website:* Open the URL in a web browser.
- *Browse Products:* Explore categories, search, and filter sustainable fashion items
- *Sign Up / Log In:* Create an account or log in to add items to the cart and make purchases.
- *Add to Cart***:** Select desired products and add them to the shopping cart.
- *Proceed to Checkout:* Review items, enter shipping details, and choose a payment method.
- *Make Payment:* Complete the purchase securely via Razorpay or PayPal.
- *Track Order:* View order status and estimated delivery in the user dashboard.
- *Review & Rate:* Share feedback on purchased items to help other buyers.

II. Interface Overview

- *Homepage:* Showcases featured products and categories.
- *Navigation Bar:* Provides access to Home, Search, Cart, and Account.
- *Product Page:* Displays product details, pricing, and sustainability tags.
- *Cart & Checkout:* Allows users to review items, enter details, and make payments.
- *User Dashboard:* Manages orders, tracking, and account settings.

III. Features

- *Product Browsing & Search:* Explore and filter sustainable fashion products.

- *User Accounts:* Sign up, log in, and manage profiles.
- *Shopping Cart & Checkout:* Add items, review orders, and make secure payments.
- *Order Tracking:* View purchase history and track deliveries.
- *Reviews & Ratings:* Leave feedback on products.
- *Sustainability Tags:* Verify eco-friendly claims with certifications.

IV. **Privacy and Security**
- *Account privacy :* instructions for account privacy settings.
- *Data encryption :* information on how user data is encrypted to protect privacy.
- *Reporting and Blocking :* guidance on reporting abusive content and blocking users.

V. Support and Help
- Contact information for customer support.
- Links to help articles and FAQs for troubleshooting common issues.

3. SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS

A. Functional Requirements

I. User Management
- Users (customers & sellers) can register, log in, and manage their profiles.
- Users can reset passwords and update profile details.

II. Product Management
- Sellers can add, edit, or remove product listings.
- Products include name, price, images, sustainability ratings, and certifications.
- Users can search and filter products based on sustainability factors (organic, recycled, fair trade, etc.).

III. Shopping Cart & Checkout
- Users can add, remove, and update items in their cart.
- Customers can apply reward points for discounts.

IV. Payment Processing
- Users can pay securely via Stripe, PayPal, or Razorpay.
- The system must verify payment success before confirming orders.
- Users receive payment confirmation and invoices via email/SMS.

V. Order & Delivery Management

- Customers can track their orders in real time.
- Sellers can manage order statuses (Processing, Shipped, Delivered).
- Customers can request returns and refunds based on eligibility criteria.

VI. Reward System

- Customers earn points for purchasing sustainable products.
- Points can be viewed in the user profile and redeemed at checkout.

VII. Reviews & Ratings

- Customers can submit ratings and written reviews after purchase.
- Reviews display a "verified purchase" badge.

VIII. Product Engagement (Like & Share)

- Users can like products to save them for later.
- Users can share product links on social media or via email.

IX. Search & Explore Features

- Users can search for products using keywords and filters.
- Users can explore trending products based on popularity, sales, and user engagement.

X. Educational Content & Awareness

- The platform features a blog section with sustainability-related articles.

B. External Interface Requirements

I. User Interface

The platform offers a simple and user-friendly interface, making navigation and shopping easy. Users can search for products using images, manage their orders, and receive real-time notifications for updates.

- Image-based search allows users to find products by taking pictures.
- Secure checkout and order tracking help in managing purchases smoothly.

II. Hardware Interface

The platform uses standard device features to improve user experience, ensuring easy access and convenience. It supports interactive tools for better engagement.

- Camera-based search and barcode scanning help users find products and verify sustainability claims.

- Augmented reality (AR) previews allow customers to see how accessories look before buying.

III. Software Interface

The system is compatible with different platforms and payment gateways, ensuring smooth transactions and a secure shopping experience.

- Supports Android, iOS, and web browsers for easy accessibility.
- Secure payments via Razorpay, PayPal, and UPI ensure safe transactions.

C. Non-Functional Requirements

I. Performance

- The platform should provide a fast and seamless shopping experience with minimal delays.
- Real-time updates should be implemented for product availability, pricing, and order tracking.

II. Reliability

- The system should ensure continuous availability, preventing unexpected disruptions.
- Automated backup and recovery mechanisms should be in place to protect user and transaction data.

III. Security

- Strong encryption and authentication mechanisms should be implemented to safeguard sensitive user information.
- Advanced fraud detection systems should be in place to prevent unauthorized transactions and account misuse.

IV. Scalability

- The platform should efficiently handle an increasing number of users and transactions without performance degradation.
- Technologies like caching and distributed databases should be used to optimize speed and responsiveness.

V. Modularity & Extensibility

- The system should be designed in a way that allows new features to be added without affecting existing functionality.

VI. Maintainability

- The platform should follow clean coding practices and be well-documented to facilitate updates and debugging.
- Automated testing and continuous deployment processes should ensure stability when introducing new changes.

VII. Personalization & AI Integration

- The platform should leverage AI to provide personalized recommendations based on user preferences and browsing history.
- Automated chat assistants should be integrated to guide users through their shopping experience.

FEASIBILITY REPORT for

Eco-Fashion Retailer

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Overview of the Project

The **Eco-Fashion Retailer** is an online platform that connects eco-conscious consumers with ethical fashion brands, promoting slow fashion and sustainability. It is a web-based application that provides interfaces for various stakeholders, including customers, sellers, and administrators.

Sellers can add products to the system with associated sustainability parameters (e.g., organic, recycled, fair trade), and buyers can browse, filter, and purchase items based on these criteria. The marketplace facilitates secure transactions, order tracking, and user reviews to enhance transparency and trust.

1.2 Objectives of the Project

The objectives of this project is to -

- Create a centralized marketplace for sustainable fashion.
- Transparency and trust in eco-friendly shopping
- Facilitate a seamless and secure shopping experience
- Encourage customer engagement and loyalty
- Support for ethical brands and vendors
- Provide data-driven Insights on sustainability trends and shopping behaviours

1.3 The Need for the Project

The project addresses the key challenges in the fashion industry by offering a dedicated e-commerce platform that promotes sustainable and ethical shopping. This project solves problems in the fashion industry by creating an online platform where people can easily find and buy sustainable clothing. It makes sure that all products are truly eco-friendly, helping customers shop with confidence. The platform also supports ethical brands by giving them a space to sell their products. It improves the shopping experience, rewards sustainable choices, and provides useful data to sellers and administrators.

- Bridging the gap between consumers and ethical brands
- Preventing false Sustainability claims
- Helping small ethical brands grow

1.4 Overview of Existing Systems and technologies

Existing online retail platforms like **Amazon** and **Flipkart** provide a general marketplace for various products, including fashion. However, they do not specifically focus on **sustainability** and **ethical sourcing**. In contrast, the eco-friendly fashion retailer is designed exclusively for eco-friendly fashion, ensuring transparency in materials, ethical production, and verified sustainability claims.

Technologies used mainly :

- *Frontend:* React.js (for building the user interface)
- *Backend:* Node.js (Express) (for handling server-side logic)
- *Database:* MongoDB (for storing product and user data)
- *Paym*ent Integration: Razorpay / PayPal (for processing transactions)
- *Development & Design Tools:* Figma, Draw.io (for UI/UX and system diagrams)

1.5 Scope of the Project

Main actors :

- Customers
- Sellers
- Administrators

The Main Use-cases associated :

Customers

- Browse and filter sustainable products.
- Add items to the cart and complete secure purchases.
- Track orders and view purchase history.
- Leave reviews and ratings on products.

Sellers

- List products with sustainability details.
- Manage inventory and update product availability.
- View and process customer orders.

Administrators

- Verify seller authenticity and sustainability claims.
- Manage product listings and oversee marketplace operations.
- Monitor platform performance and user activity.

1.6 Deliverables

A fully developed web-based e-commerce platform focused on sustainable fashion. It will feature a centralized database and a range of functionalities designed for different stakeholders. To accommodate various user groups, the platform will include customized graphical user interfaces (GUIs) tailored to each user's needs.

2. FEASIBILITY STUDY

2.1 Financial Feasibility

The Eco-Fashion Retailer project requires financial investment in areas such as web hosting, development, maintenance, and marketing. Hosting and infrastructure costs will be moderate since the platform primarily handles text and images rather than heavy multimedia content. Initial development expenses will include website creation, database setup, and security measures, while ongoing costs will cover bug fixes, updates, and customer support. Marketing will also be essential to attract eco-conscious consumers and ethical fashion brands.
However, the platform has strong revenue potential through commission-based sales, premium seller subscriptions, sponsored listings, and brand partnerships. These revenue streams will help offset operational costs and ensure financial sustainability.

Given its **low operational costs** and **multiple income sources**, the Eco-Fashion Retailer project is **financially feasible** and has strong potential for long-term success.

2.2 Technical Feasibility

The Sustainable Fashion Marketplace is a fully web-based application designed for scalability and efficiency. The core technologies and tools used in the project include:

- *Frontend:* React.js, HTML, CSS (for responsive and interactive UI)
- *Backend:* Node.js (Express) (for handling business logic and APIs)
- *Database*: MongoDB (for storing product listings, user data, and transactions)
- *Payment Integration:* Razorpay / PayPal (for secure online payments).
- *Hosting:* Initially hosted on free-tier cloud services (like Vercel, Netlify, or Render), with plans to scale to AWS or DigitalOcean for better performance.
- *Storage & Bandwidth Considerations:* Since the platform will include product images and multimedia content, sufficient cloud storage (AWS S3, Firebase Storage) and optimized CDN services will be required for fast loading times.

All selected technologies are widely used, open-source, and manageable, ensuring that development is feasible within the given timeline and resource constraints. The system is designed to scale as user traffic and product listings grow, making it technically viable

2.3 Resource and Time Feasibility

Resource Feasibility
Programming devices (Laptop/PCs)
Web hosting and domain (Cloud hosting services for website and database)
Programming tools (React.js, Node.js etc)
Development team

Time Feasibility
Requirement Analysis and Planning - 2 to 3 weeks
*Developme*nt *(Frontend and Backend)* - 6 to 8 weeks
Database Setup and Integration - 3 to 4 weeks
Testing and Bug fixes - 3 to 4 weeks
Deployment - 2 to 3 weeks

With effective project management, the Eco-Fashion Retailer can be developed within a suitable time frame, ensuring both resource and time feasibility.

2.4 Risk Feasibility

Risk feasibility can be discussed under several contexts.

Risk associated with size:

Estimated Size of the Product in Lines of Code

- The platform will require a substantial codebase to handle e-commerce functionalities like product management, order processing, and payment integration. Estimated to be around 50,000 - 100,000 lines of code, considering frontend, backend, and database operations.

Estimated Size of the Product in Number of Programs

- The system will be built as a modular web application, primarily consisting of:
    1. Frontend application (React for user interaction)
    2. Backend API (Node.js for handling business logic)
    3. Database management (MongoDB for storing product and order data)
    4. Third-party integrations (Razorpay/PayPal for payments, AWS for hosting)

Size of Database Created or Used by the Product

- The database will store products, users, orders, payments, and reviews. Initially, it may contain a few thousand entries but should scale to support millions of records. Proper indexing and normalization will ensure efficiency.

Number of Projected Changes to the Requirements for the Product – Before & After Delivery

- The core requirements will be stable before delivery, but post-launch updates may include
    1. AI based recommendations
    2. Additional payment gateways
    3. Sustainability impact tracking
    4. Multi-vendor support

Amount of Reused Software

- The project will leverage existing Node.js libraries, payment gateway APIs, and cloud services to minimize development effort. Open-source UI components and authentication frameworks will be used to ensure security and efficiency.

Business impact Risks

Effect of This Product on Company Revenue

- The eco-friendly fashion retailer can generate revenue through direct product sales, premium memberships for exclusive products, and commissions from sustainable brands. Additional revenue streams may come from affiliate marketing and collaborations with eco-conscious influencers.

Reasonableness of Delivery Deadlines

- The project is planned for phased delivery, starting with a minimal viable product (MVP) within six months. Subsequent updates will introduce enhanced features such as AI-driven recommendations and sustainability tracking.

Number of Customers Who Will Use This Product and the Consistency of Their Needs

- Target customers include eco-conscious shoppers, sustainable brands, and ethical fashion influencers. Customer needs will evolve, requiring regular updates to improve user experience and expand product offerings.

Number of Other Products/Systems With Which This Product Must Be Interoperable

- The platform needs integration with payment gateways (Razorpay/PayPal), logistics providers, sustainability certification databases, and social media platforms for marketing and engagement.

Sophistication of End Users

- The platform will cater to both tech-savvy and non-technical users, ensuring an intuitive user interface. Features such as guided navigation, chat support, and educational content will enhance usability.

Amount and Quality of Product Documentation

- Customers will receive user guides for navigating the platform, while sellers will have documentation on product listing and order management. Developers will have API documentation for third-party integrations.

Costs Associated With Delivery

- Initial costs include web hosting, payment gateway fees, and digital marketing expenses. Future costs may involve scaling the infrastructure, customer support, and premium feature development.

Customer related Risks

- The platform caters to a broad audience of eco-conscious consumers and sustainable brands. However, adapting to different customer preferences and regional sustainability standards may require modifications, such as localized content, varied payment options, and regulatory compliance updates.

Development Environment Risks

- Is a software project management tool available?
  The project will be managed using tools like Jira or Trello for task tracking, sprint planning, and collaboration.

- Are tools for analysis and design available?
  Figma will be used for UI/UX design, while Draw.io will assist in database and system modeling.

- Are compilers or code generators available and appropriate for the product to be built?
  The project is built using JavaScript (React for frontend, Node.js for backend), which does not require traditional compilers but uses build tools like Webpack and Babel.

- Are testing tools available and appropriate for the product to be built?
  Automated and manual testing will be conducted using Jest and Cypress for frontend testing, and Mocha for backend testing to ensure functionality and reliability.

- Are software configuration management tools available?
  Git will be used for version control, with GitHub for repository management and CI/CD integration for continuous development and deployment.

- Does the environment make use of a database or repository?
  The system will rely on MongoDB for structured data storage, ensuring scalability and efficient handling of product catalogs, user data, and orders.

- Are all the software tools integrated with one another?
  All tools and technologies will be seamlessly integrated within a CI/CD pipeline to streamline development, testing, and deployment.

Process issue Risks

- The project will follow an **Agile development process**, ensuring flexibility to accommodate evolving business and customer requirements. Regular iterations and feedback loops will help in refining features, improving user experience, and addressing sustainability concerns effectively.

Technical Issue Risks

- Are specific conventions for code documentation defined and used?
  Standard coding documentation practices will be followed to ensure maintainability and scalability. Clear inline comments and API documentation will be provided.
- Do you use a specific method for test case design?
  Automated and manual testing strategies will be used, including unit testing for backend functionality and user acceptance testing for the frontend interface.
- Are configuration management software tools used to control and track change activity throughout the software process?
  Git will be used for version control, enabling efficient tracking of code changes, collaboration, and rollback in case of issues.

Technology Risks

- Is the technology to be built new?
  The technologies used for the platform, such as web frameworks, databases, and payment gateways, are well-established and widely used, ensuring stability and support.
- Do the system requirements demand the creation of new algorithms, input, or output technology?
  The system may require custom algorithms for sustainable product recommendations, dynamic pricing based on demand, and eco-impact calculations for transparency in fashion choices.

2.5 Social/Legal Feasibility

The Eco-Fashion Retailer promotes sustainable fashion, reduces waste, and supports ethical brands, making it socially beneficial. It aligns with the rising demand for eco-friendly shopping and fair trade.
Legally, it complies with e-commerce laws, data protection regulations, and consumer rights policies, ensuring transparency, secure transactions, and verified sustainability claims.

With strong ethical foundations and legal compliance, the project is both socially and legally feasible.

3. CONSIDERATIONS

Performance

The Eco-Fashion Retailer is designed to handle multiple users efficiently while maintaining optimal performance. Since it primarily processes text and images, it does not require high bandwidth. Initially, a free hosting service may be used for development, but for full deployment, a scalable and reliable server will be utilize to ensure smooth performance.

The platform will use MongoDB as the database, providing fast and efficient transaction processing. No complex data computations are involved, making MongoDB is an ideal choice for this project.

Response time: 1-2 seconds

Processing time: 1-2 seconds (real-time transactions, no batch processing)

Query and reporting times: To be tested

Throughput: To be tested

Storage requirements: To be tested, based on product listings and user data

Security

Security measures are implemented across multiple aspects of the Eco-Fashion Retailer platform to ensure user protection and system integrity.

User Authentication

Users must log in using a username and password. Access levels will determine the functionalities available to each user, such as customers, sellers, and administrators. Users will have the option to change their passwords when needed.

Login Details

Each user's login and logout times will be recorded to track user activity and enhance security. This helps in identifying any unauthorized or suspicious actions.

Usability

A detailed user manual will be available as a PDF. The platform supports multiple users simultaneously and scales efficiently. With 24/7 availability, reliable hosting, and structured code, it ensures easy maintenance, updates, and long-term performance.

Capacity and Scalability

The Eco-Fashion Retailer is designed to handle increasing users and transactions smoothly, even during peak traffic. It scales efficiently through cloud infrastructure, optimized databases, and caching techniques. With load balancing and real-time performance optimization, the platform ensures a seamless, responsive, and reliable shopping experience as demand grows.

Availability

The platform will be accessible 24/7. Mean time to failure (MTTF) and mean time to repair (MTTR) will be optimized to ensure maximum uptime. Hosting on a a reliable paid server will further enhance availability.

Maintainability

The system follows best development practices to ensure that it remains easy to update, debug, and expand over time. Well-structured code and modular design make maintenance efficient and cost-effective.

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DESIGN REPORT for
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1. INTRODUCTION

The Eco-Fashion Retailer is a digital marketplace that links
environmentally conscious shoppers with ethical fashion brands, promoting transparency and sustainability. In contrast to typical e-commerce sites, it specializes exclusively in sustainable fashion, ensuring products meet eco-friendly criteria such as organic materials, recycled fabrics, and fair trade standards. The platform accommodates customers, sellers, and administrators, each having distinct responsibilities. Customers have the ability to browse, filter, securely purchase through Razorpay or PayPal, monitor orders, and provide reviews. Sellers are responsible for listing products, managing stock, and handling order fulfillment, while administrators authenticate seller credibility and oversee the operations of the marketplace. Developed using React.js for the frontend, Node.js (Express) for the backend, and MongoDB for database management, the platform ensures seamless shopping. It combats false sustainability claims, supports ethical brands, and makes sustainable fashion more accessible.

2. DESIGN CONSIDERATIONS

This section emphasizes crucial issues that must be addressed before developing a complete design solution for the Eco-Fashion Retailer. This paper is based on version v1.0 of the Design Document and the SRS document. It serves as a reference to clarify any uncertainties or incomplete aspects during the development phase.

2.1 ASSUMPTIONS

The Eco-Fashion Retailer design is based on several assumptions about the necessary software and hardware, as outlined in the SRS document. The project requirements define the environmental conditions needed for both the user interface and database. It is assumed that the system will have sufficient resources, including adequate memory, storage, and CPU capacity, to ensure smooth functionality. The backend is expected to run on a server that supports Node.js with Express, while MongoDB will be used for managing the database. Additionally, users should have a stable internet connection and a modern web browser to access the platform without issues. The system also relies on a properly configured hosting environment to support multiple users simultaneously and enable secure transactions. Routine maintenance and updates will be essential for optimal performance and security. Furthermore, sellers and administrators must have the appropriate credentials and permissions to manage their respective tasks effectively.

2.2 CONSTRAINTS

The Eco-Fashion Retailer shall be a web-based system. It will be developed using React.js for the frontend, Node.js with Express for the backend, and MongoDB for database management.

2.3 DESIGN METHODOLOGY

The **Agile** model will be the most suitable development methodology. Since the project involves multiple stakeholders, continuous improvements, and evolving requirements, agile ensures flexibility, iterative development, and regular feedback.
The design process will follow these steps:

1. Planning and requirement analysis – Identifying key features such as product listings, sustainability filters, secure transactions, and order tracking.
2. Incremental development – Building the system in phases, starting with core functionalities and gradually adding enhancements.
3. User interface and experience design – Creating an intuitive and responsive interface for customers, sellers, and administrators.
4. Continuous testing and feedback – Conducting regular testing and incorporating user feedback for improvements.
5. Deployment and maintenance – Releasing updates based on sustainability trends and user needs.

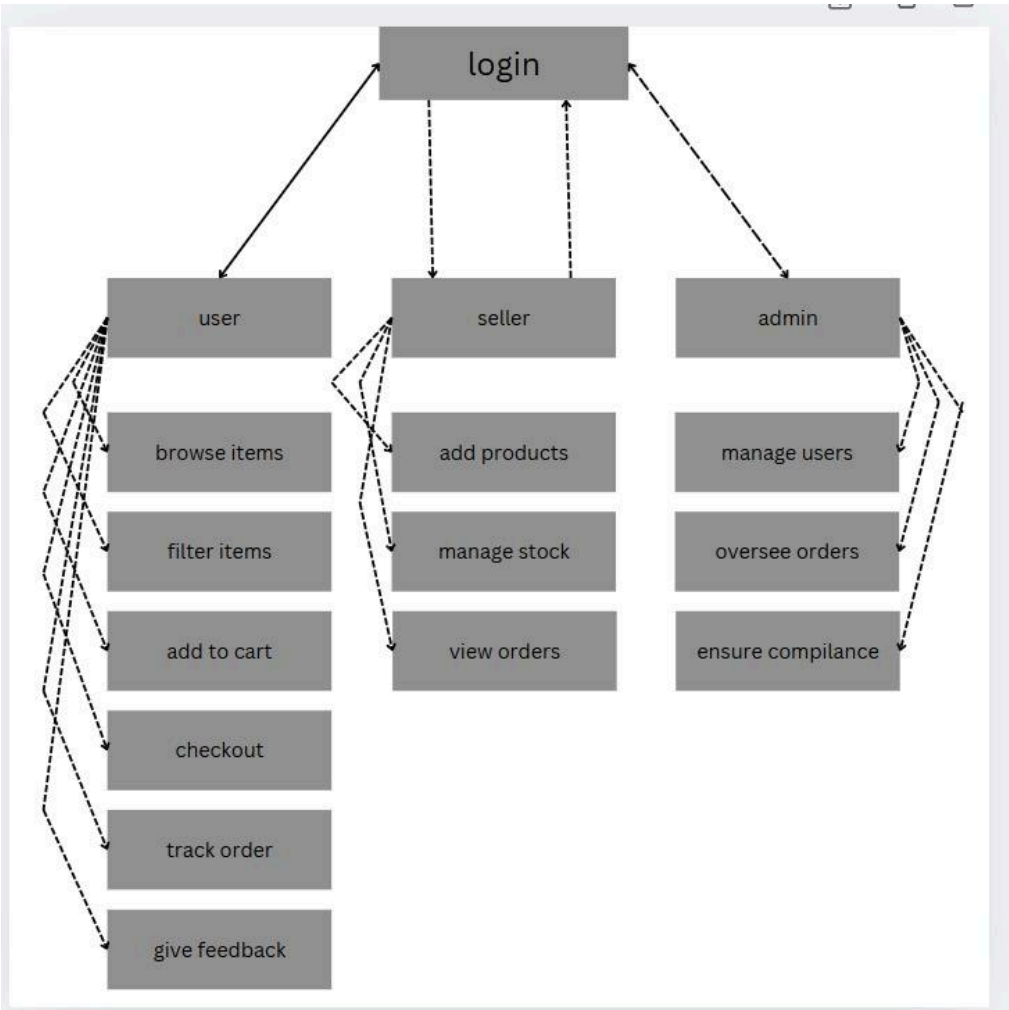
The agile approach ensures a dynamic and scalable system while allowing quick adaptation to changes in the sustainable fashion industry.

2.4 SYSTEM ENVIRONMENT

The system architecture of the Eco-Fashion Retailer will prioritize scalability and security. It will be designed to efficiently accommodate growth, allowing for easy expansion, modification, or downsizing as business and technology needs evolve. Robust security measures will be implemented to safeguard user data, ensure secure transactions, and maintain the integrity of the platform.

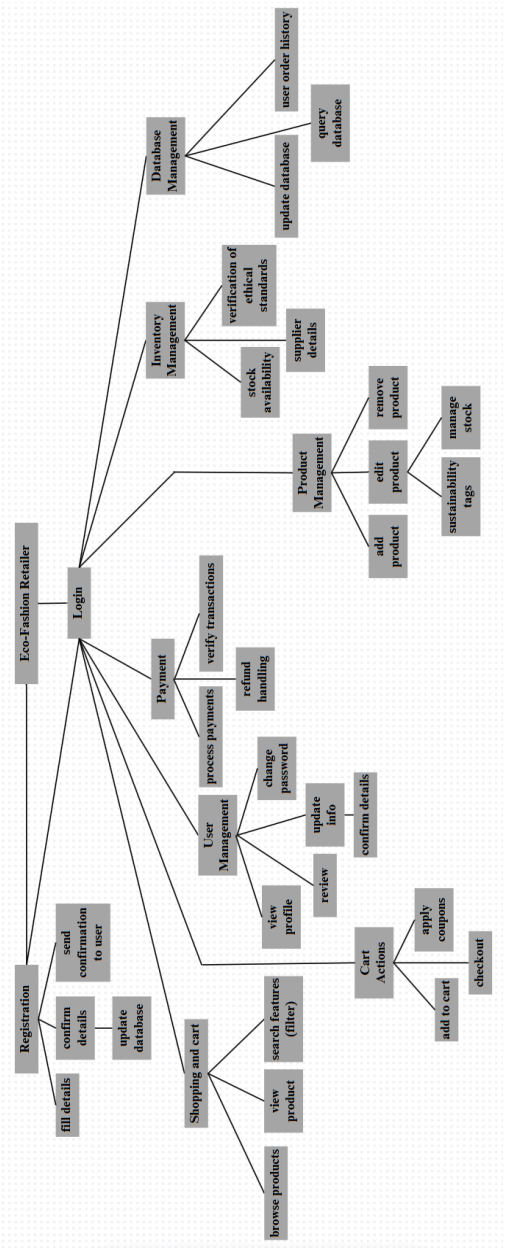
3. ARCHITECTURE

3.1 SYSTEM DESIGN



3.2 FUNCTIONAL DECOMPOSITION TREE

The Eco-Fashion Retailer system is divided into various functional modules, each responsible for a key aspect of the platform. Below is a detailed breakdown of its structure, explaining the purpose of each function and why it is necessary.



1. Registration

The Registration module is responsible for onboarding new users. A smooth registration process ensures that users can quickly create an account and access the platform.

- *Fill details* : The user enters their personal information, such as name, email, and password.
- *Confirm details :*The system verifies that all required fields are filled correctly and checks for errors.

- *Update database :* Once validated, the user's details are stored securely in the database.
- *Send confirmation to the user :* A confirmation email or message is sent to verify the account and ensure authenticity.

2. Login

The login module is essential for secure user access. It allows registered users to sign in and use the platform's features.

3. Shopping and Cart

This module enables users to browse and select products before making a purchase.

- *Browse products:* Users can explore the catalog of eco-friendly fashion items.
- *View product:* Clicking on a product displays its details, such as price, description, and sustainability tags.
- *Search features (filter):* Users can filter products based on criteria like price, category, or sustainability certifications.

Cart Actions

Once users find products they like, they can take the following actions:

- *Add to cart:* Selected products are stored in the shopping cart for later purchase.
- *Apply coupons:* Discount codes can be applied to reduce the total cost.
- *Checkout:* Users finalize their purchase and proceed to payment.

4. User Management

This module provides users with control over their personal accounts.

- *View profile:* Users can access their personal details and order history.
- *Review:* Customers can provide feedback on purchased products.
- *Update info:* Users can modify their personal details, such as addresses or contact information.
- *Confirm details:* Before saving changes, the system ensures data accuracy.
- *Change password:* Users can update their password for security purposes.

5. Payment

The Payment module ensures smooth and secure financial transactions.

- *Process payments:* The system handles payment processing through various methods like credit cards, digital wallets, or bank transfers.
- *Verify transactions:* Ensures that payments are completed successfully before confirming the order.
- *Refund handling:* If a user requests a refund, the system manages the process efficiently.

6. Product Management

This module is for administrators who manage the platform's product listings.

- *Add product:* New fashion items can be added to the catalog.
- *Edit product:* Existing product details can be updated.
    - Sustainability tags – Labels indicating eco-friendly practices or certifications can be assigned.
    - Manage stock – Inventory levels can be adjusted as needed.
- *Remove product:* If a product is discontinued, it can be deleted from the system.

7. Inventory Management

Efficient inventory management ensures that products are available and meet ethical standards.

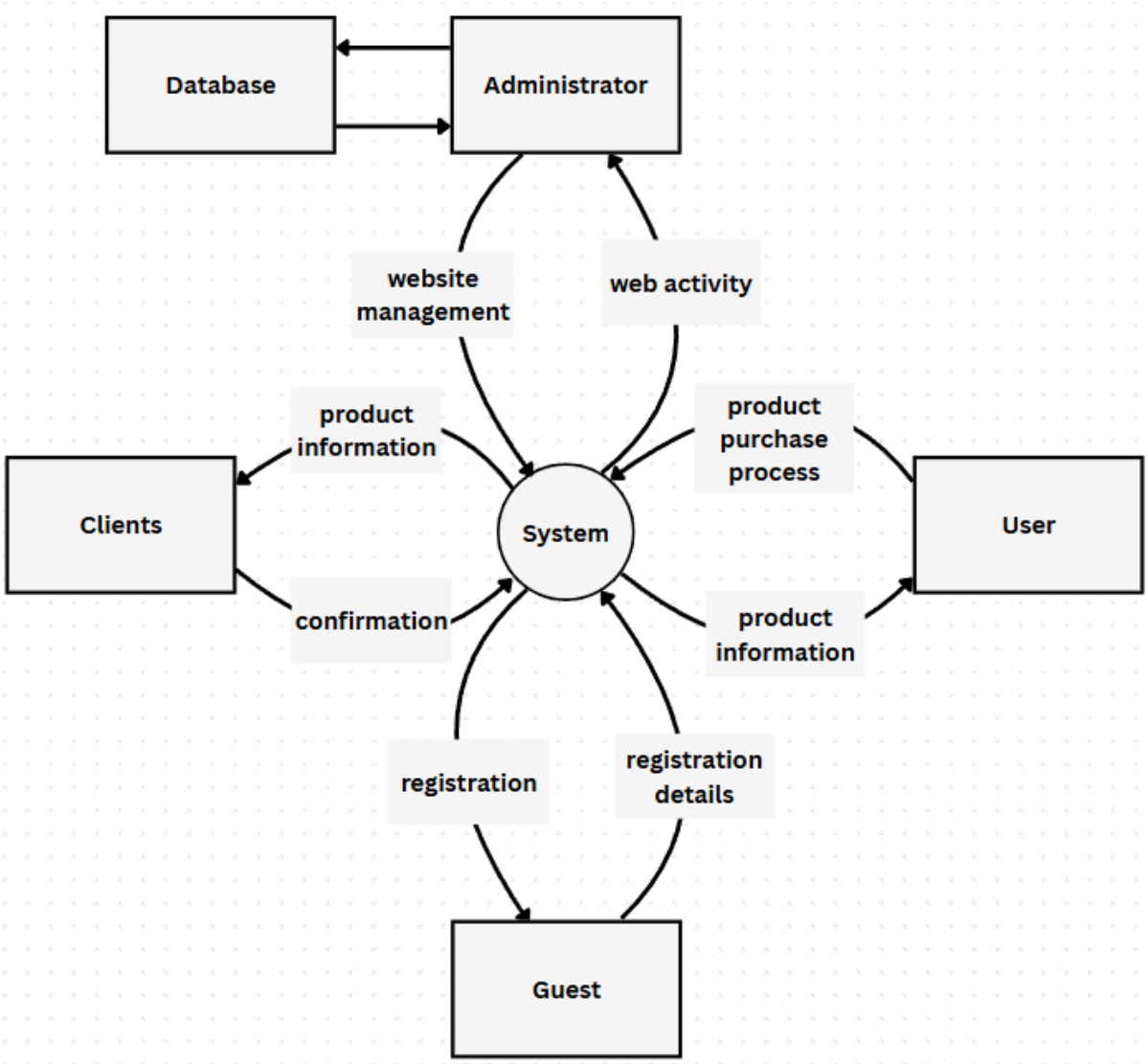
- *Stock availability:* Monitors stock levels and prevents overselling.
- *Supplier details:* Keeps track of suppliers providing eco-friendly products.
- *Verification of ethical standards:* Ensures that suppliers adhere to ethical and sustainable practices.

8. Database Management

This backend module maintains all platform data, ensuring smooth operation.

- *Update database:* Stores and updates critical information related to users, orders, and products.
- *Query database:* Allows searching for specific data, such as retrieving user order history.
- *User order history:* Keeps track of past purchases, enabling users to review their previous orders.

3.3 CONTEXT DIAGRAM



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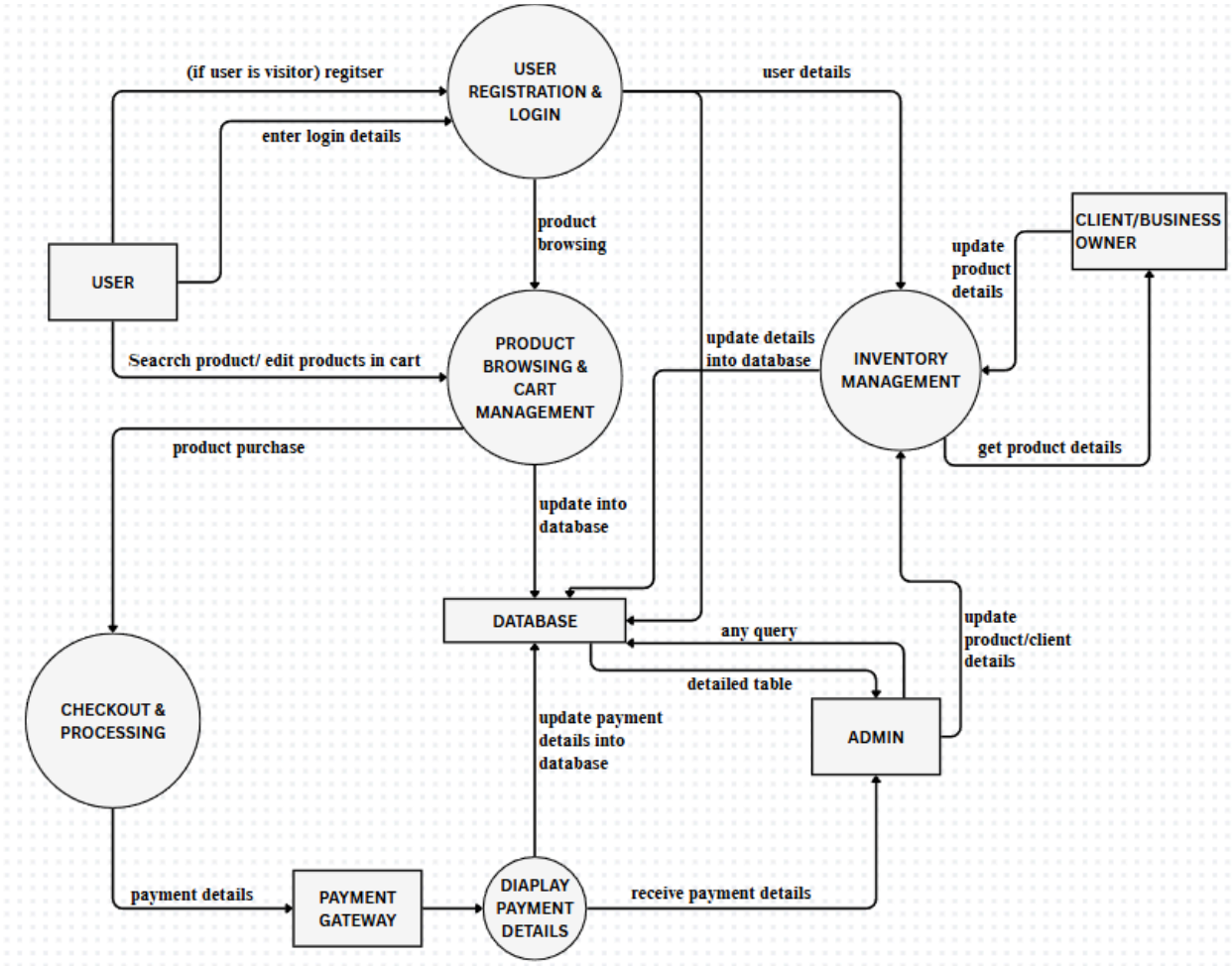


Level 1 DFD for system

3.5 DATA DICTIONARY

Table 1 - Admin

Field	Type	NULL	Default
admin_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
uname	VARCHAR(30)	NO	None
password	VARCHAR(30)	NO	None
name	VARCHAR(30)	NO	None

Table 2 - User

Field	Type	NULL	Default
user_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
name	VARCHAR(50)	NO	None
email	VARCHAR(50)	NO	None
mobile	VARCHAR(10)	NO	None
password	VARCHAR(30)	NO	None

Table 3 - Product

Field	Type	NULL	Default
product_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
name	VARCHAR(50)	NO	None
category	VARCHAR(30)	NO	None
price	DECIMAL(10,2)	NO	None
stock	INT(11)	NO	0
sustainability_tags	VARCHAR(100)	YES	NULL

Table 4 - Orders

Field	Type	NULL	Default
order_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
user_id	INT(11)	NO	None
total_amt	DECIMAL(10,2)	NO	None
order_status	VARCHAR(20)	NO	
order_date	TIMESTAMP	NO	CURRENT_TIMESTAMP

Table 5 - Payment

Field	Type	NULL	Default
payment_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT

order_id	INT(11)	NO	None
payment_method	VARCHAR(20)	NO	None
transaction_id	VARCHAR(30)	YES	NULL
status	VARCHAR(15)	NO	‘PENDING’(success/failed after)

Table 6 - Cart

Field	**Type**	**NULL**	**Default**
cart_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
user_id	INT(11)	NO	None
product_id	INT(11)	NO	None
quantity	INT(11)	NO	1

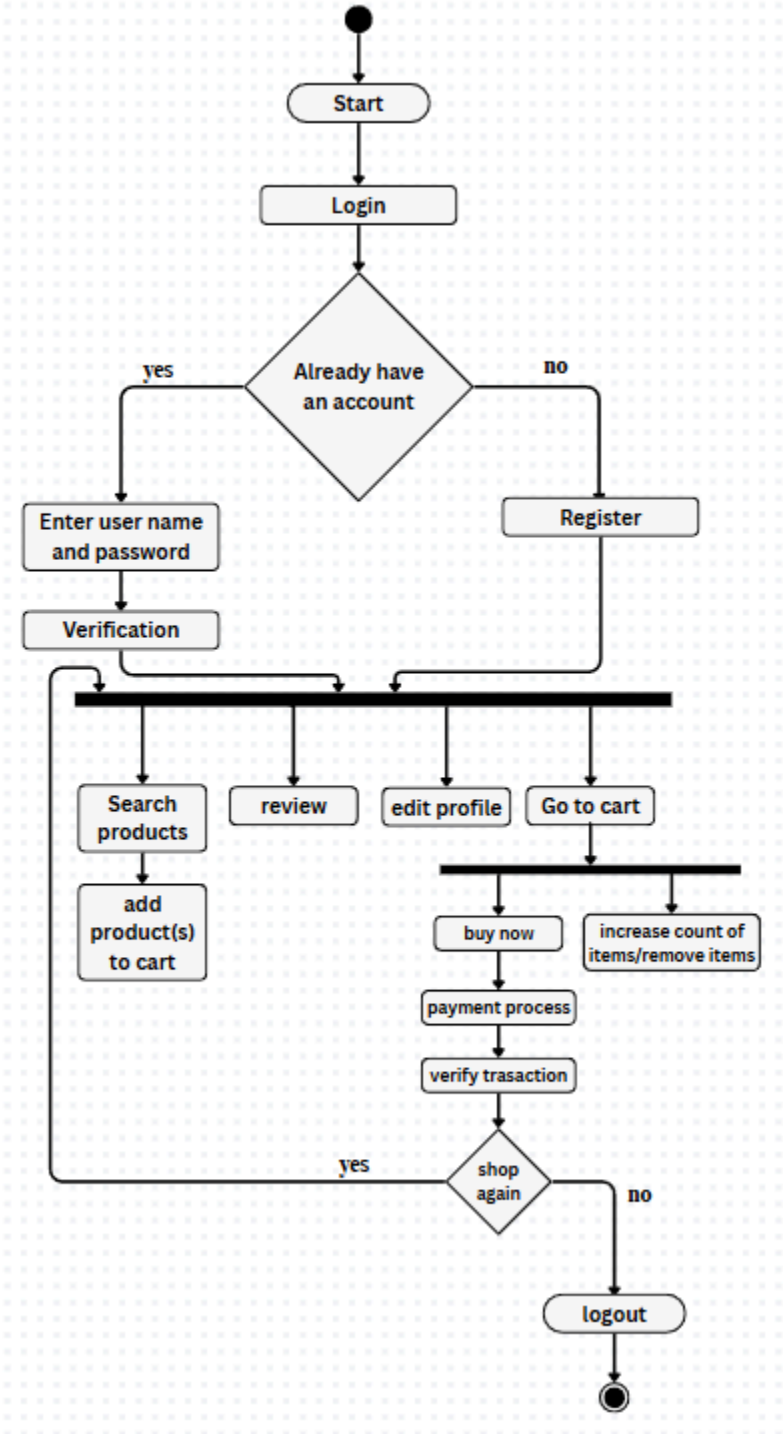
Table 7 - Review

Field	**Type**	**NULL**	**Default**
review_id	INT(11)	NO	AUTO_INCREMENT
user_id	INT(11)	NO	None
product_id	INT(11)	NO	None
rating	INT(1)	NO	None
comment	TEXT	YES	NULL

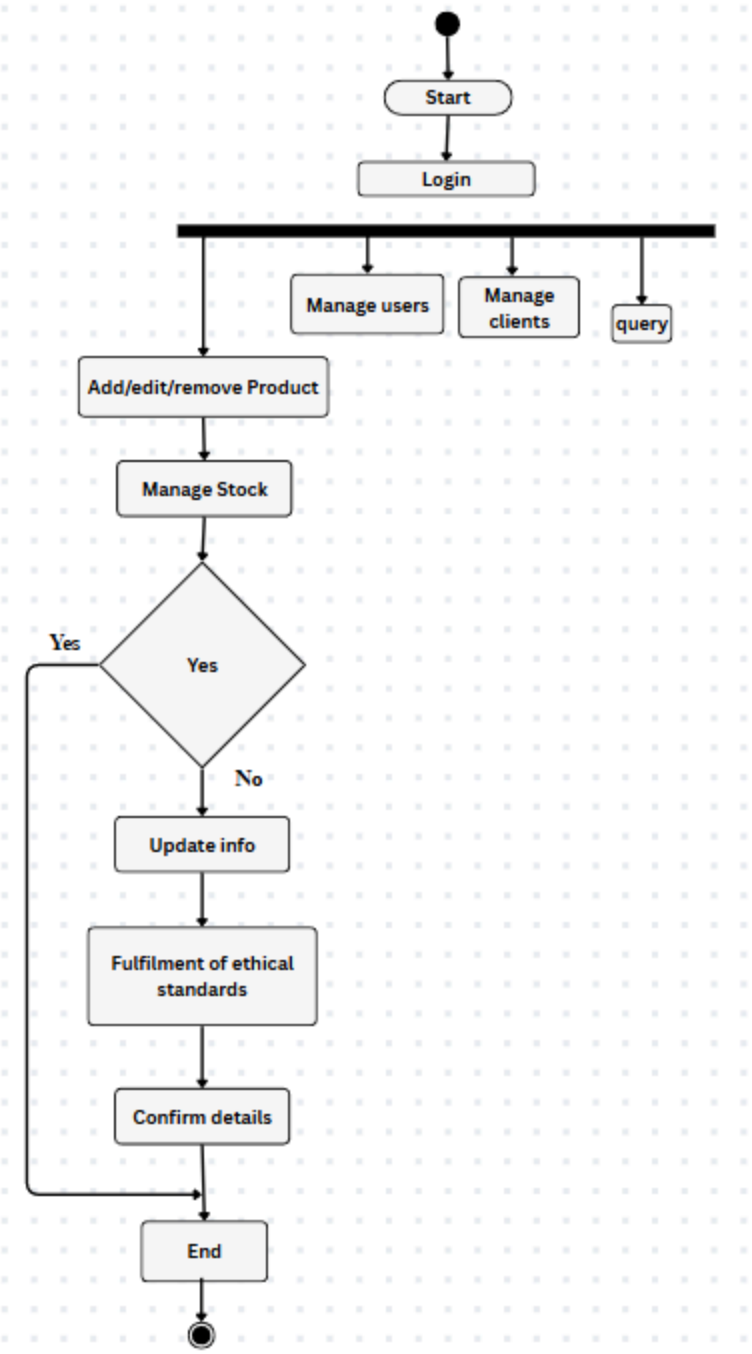
4. COMPONENT DESIGN

4.1 ACTIVITY DIAGRAM

Activity diagram of the user



Activity diagram of the Admin


Start
Login
Manage users
Manage clients
query
Add/edit/remove Product
Manage Stock
Yes
Yes
No
Update info
Fulfilment of ethical standards
Confirm details
End

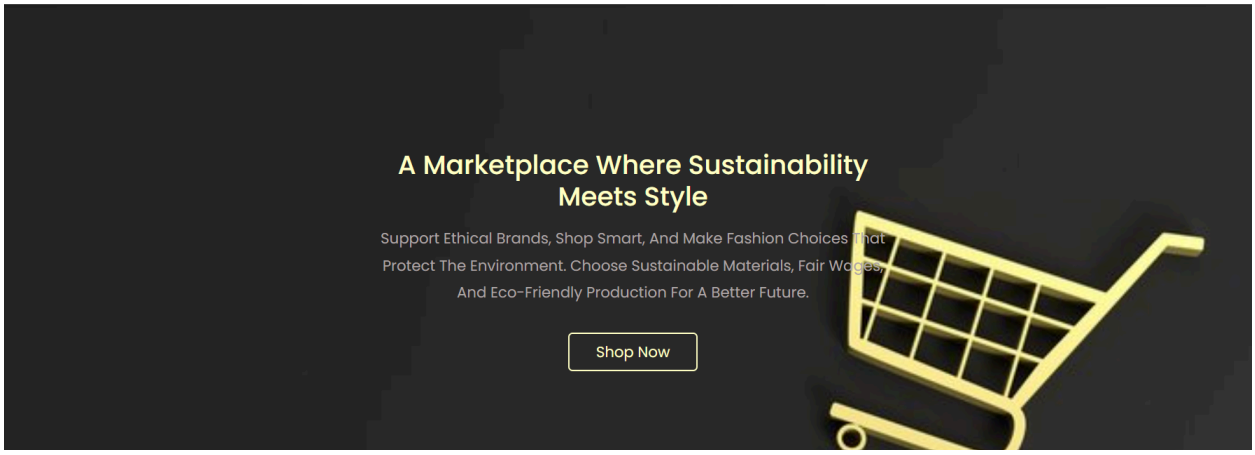
5. USER INTERFACE DESIGN

UI is designed according to UI design principles.

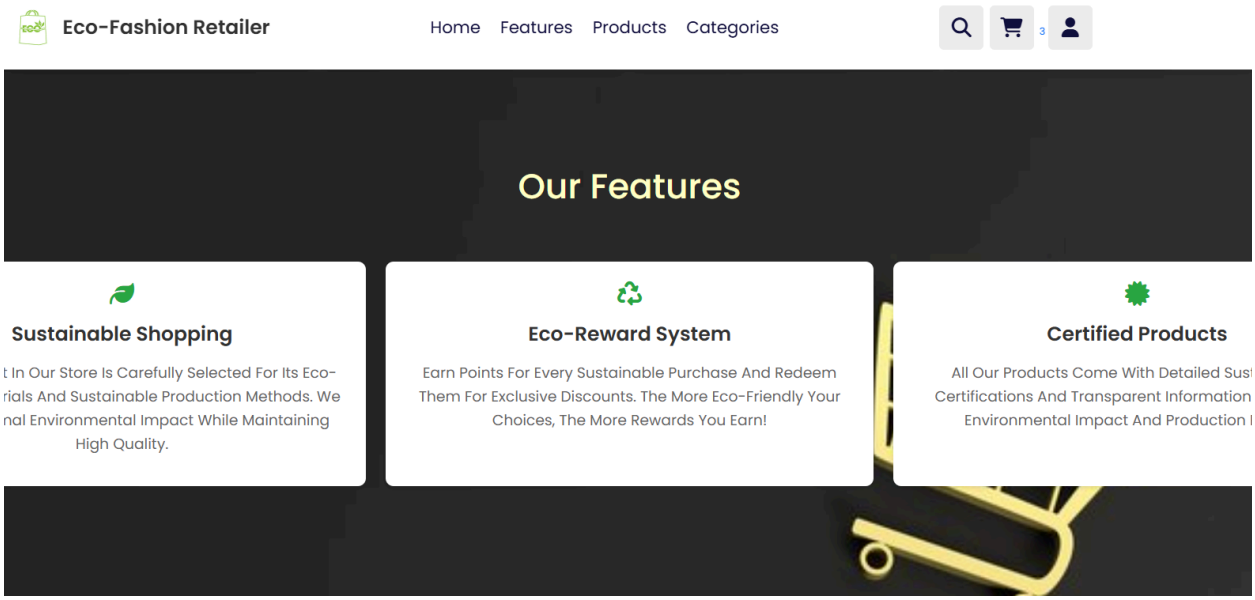
The structure principle: UI is organized in such a way that related elements are combined together and unrelated elements are separated.
The simplicity principle: The interface is easy to navigate, ensuring a smooth user experience. In case of mistakes, the system displays error messages to guide users.
The visibility principle: All system functions are accessible through the UI, without overwhelming users with excessive options.
The feedback principle: The system provides clear messages to keep users informed about actions, errors, or exceptions.
The reuse principle: The same names and functions are consistently used throughout the design to reduce ambiguity.

User interface will consist of the following main screens:

1. **Home Page**
   Introduces the website with a banner promoting fresh and organic products.

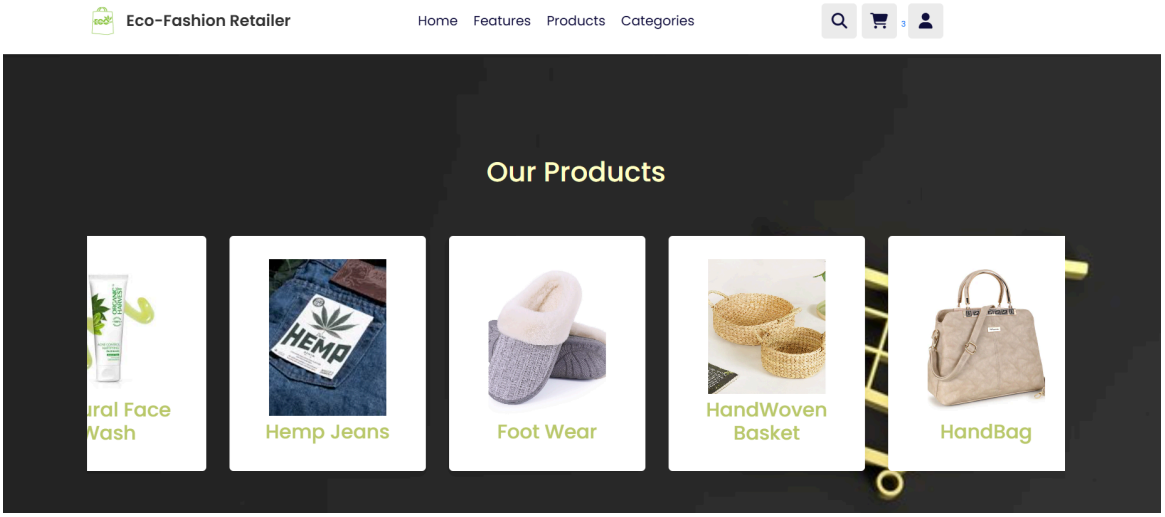


2. **Features Page**
   Highlights key benefits of the store, such as fresh organic products, free delivery, and easy payment.
   Each feature is represented with an image, heading, and short description.



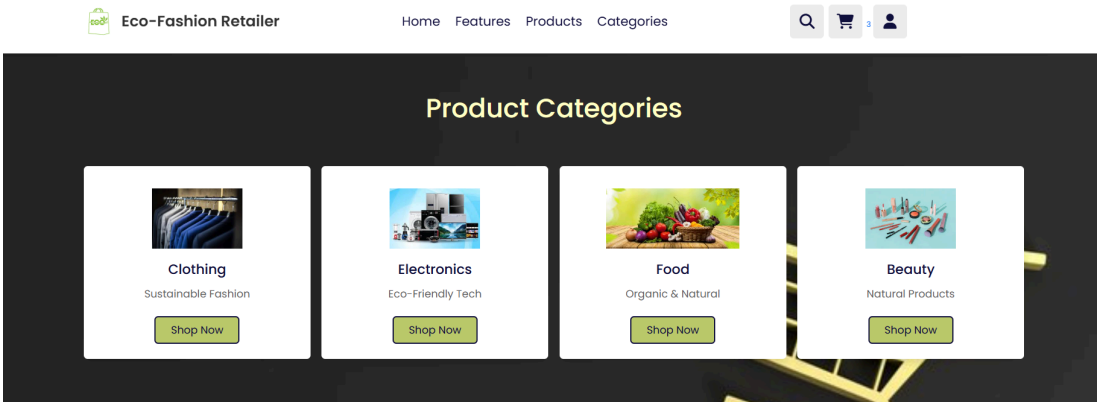
3. **Products Page**

   Displays a variety of grocery products, mainly fruits, in a carousel slider format. Each product has an image, price, rating, and an "Add to Cart" button.

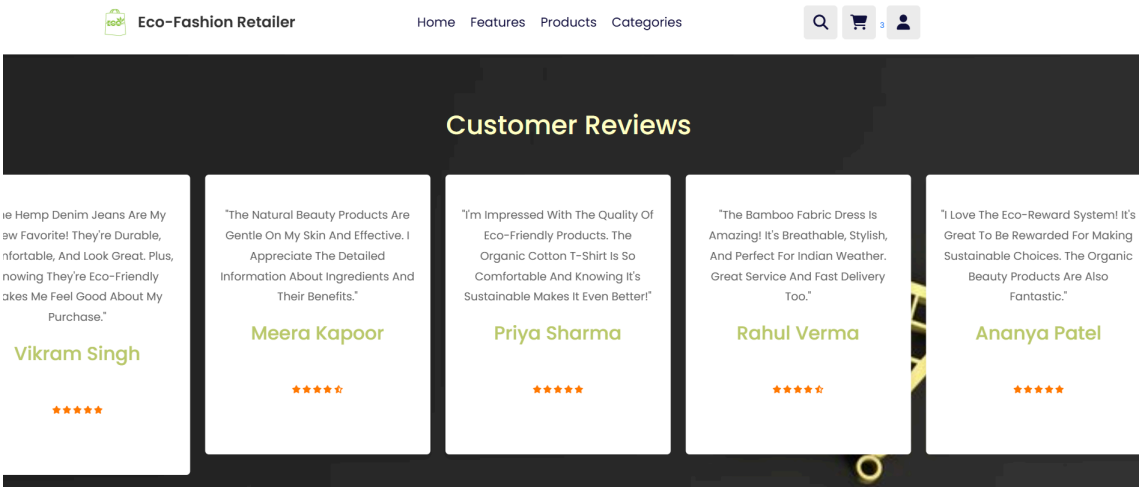


4. **Categories Page**

   Lists different product categories such as dairy products with discount offers.Users can explore products within each category by clicking on the "Shop Now" button.

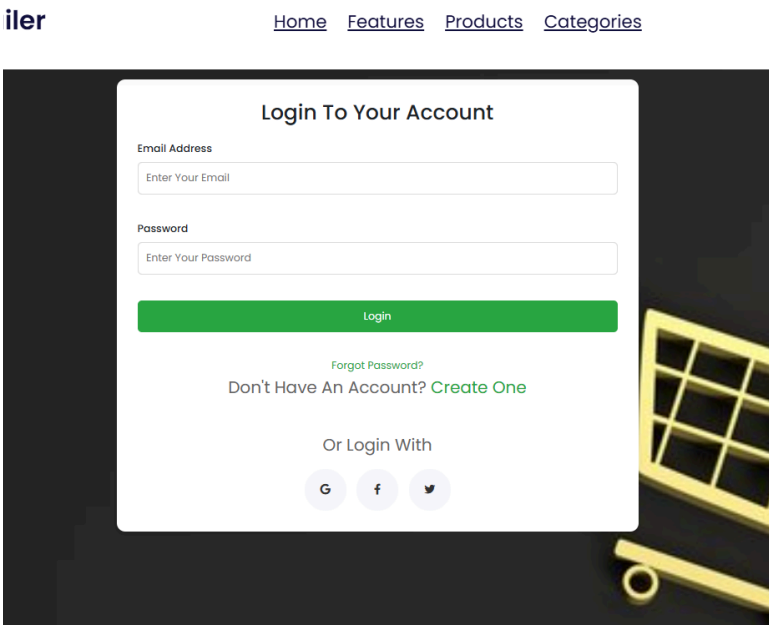


5. **Customer Reviews Page**
   Shows customer feedback with images, names, and ratings in a slider format. Helps build trust by showcasing positive user experiences.

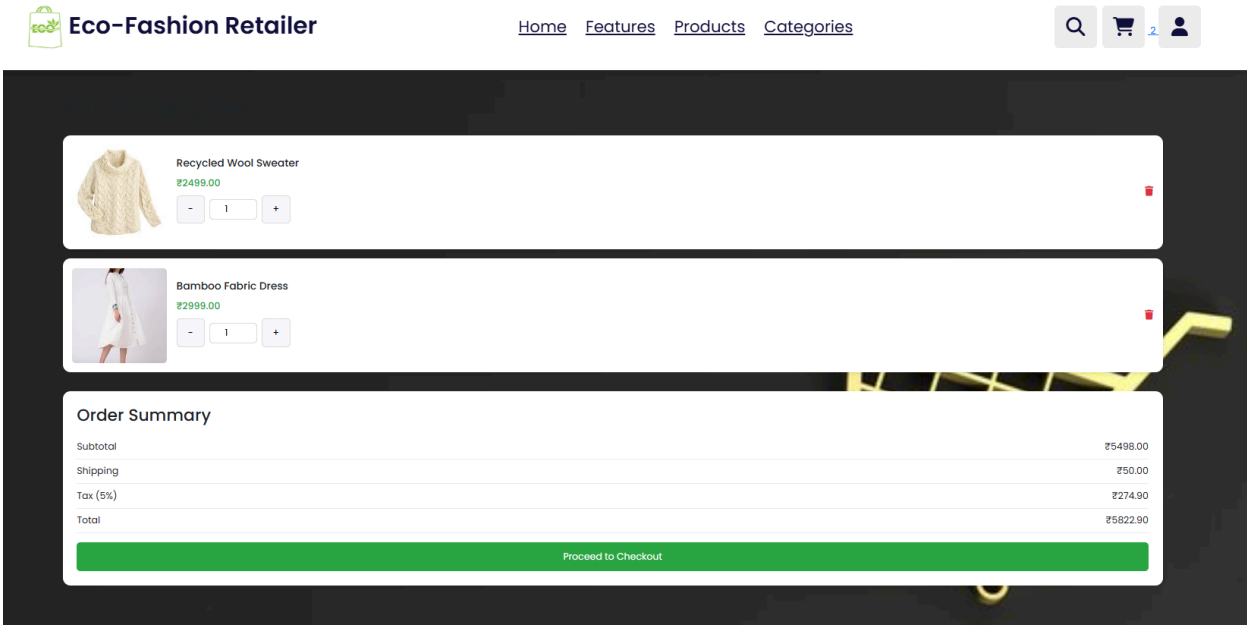


6. **Shopping Cart (Accessible via Cart Icon)**
   Displays selected items with images, prices, and quantity.Provides an option to remove items and proceed to checkout.

7. **Login Page (Accessible via User Icon)**
   Allows users to log in using their email and password. Provides options for password recovery and account registration.



8. **Cart Page (Accessible via Cart Icon)**
   Displays the items added to cart and allows the further progress such as payment , Order confirmation etc.



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1. Size Estimation :

User Registration and Authentication

- EI (3)
    - User input for registration (name, email, password, address, etc.)
    - Login credentials submission.
    - Password reset or recovery.
- EO (2)
    - Confirmation messages (e.g., successful registration, invalid credentials).
    - Error handling responses for incorrect login attempts.
- EQ (1)
    - Checking if an email or username already exists.
- ILF (2)
    - Storing user profile data.
    - Storing authentication credentials or tokens.
- EIF (1)
    - External service for email/phone verification (e.g., Twilio, Google Firebase).

Product Catalog and Listings

- **EI (3)**
    - Adding a new product (title, description, price, size, eco-certifications, etc.).
    - Updating product details.
    - Removing a product.
- **EO (3)**
    - Displaying product details and images.
    - Showing product availability and stock status.
    - Error messages for invalid product entries.
- **EQ (2)**
    - Searching/filtering products based on category, price, and sustainability features.
    - Checking stock availability.
- **ILF (3)**
    - Storing product details and inventory.
    - Metadata storage (e.g., categories, tags).
    - Storing product images and eco-certifications.
- **EIF (2)**
    - External eco-certification verification API.
    - Payment gateway for processing transactions.

Shopping Cart and Checkout.

- **EI (3)**
  - Adding/removing products to the cart.
  - Updating the quantity of items in the cart.
  - Applying discount codes or coupons.
- **EO (3)**
  - Displaying cart summary.
  - Calculating total price including tax and shipping.
  - Generating order confirmation.
- **EQ (2)**
  - Checking discount eligibility.
  - Verifying stock availability before checkout.
- **ILF (2)**
  - Storing cart details per user session.
  - Tracking applied coupons and discounts.
- **EIF (1)**
  - Payment gateway integration (e.g., Stripe, PayPal).

Order Management

- **EI (3)**
  - Placing an order.
  - Updating order status (shipped, delivered, returned).
  - Cancelling an order.
- **EO (3)**
  - Displaying order history and invoices.
  - Sending email/SMS notifications for order updates.
  - Generating shipping labels.
- **EQ (2)**
  - Checking order tracking status.
  - Fetching estimated delivery time.
- **ILF (2)**
  - Storing order records.
  - Maintaining order tracking and delivery logs.
- **EIF (1)**
  - Third-party shipping and logistics API (e.g., FedEx, DHL).

User Reviews and Ratings

- **EI (3)**
  - Submitting product reviews and ratings.
  - Editing or deleting reviews.
  - Reporting inappropriate reviews.
- **EO (2)**
  - Displaying product ratings and reviews.
  - Generating reports for user feedback.
- **EQ (1)**
  - Checking if a user has already reviewed a product.
- **ILF (2)**
  - Storing user reviews and ratings.
  - Storing reported review data.
- **EIF (1)**
  - Sentiment analysis tool for automated review moderation.

Sustainability and Impact Tracking

- **EI (2)**
  - Uploading sustainability certifications for verification.
  - Tracking CO_2 footprint per order.
- **EO (2)**
  - Displaying sustainability scores of products.
  - Generating reports on eco-impact for customers.
- **EQ (1)**
  - Fetching sustainability metrics for purchased items.
- **ILF (2)**
  - Storing product sustainability data.
  - Tracking CO_2 emission per order.
- **EIF (1)**
  - Third-party sustainability tracking API (e.g., Carbon Footprint API).

Loyalty and Rewards System

- **EI (2)**
  - Earning points from purchases.
  - Redeeming points for discounts.

- **EO (2)**
    - Displaying available rewards and point balance.
    - Generating loyalty program insights.
- **EQ (1)**
    - Checking points eligibility for discounts.
- **ILF (2)**
    - Storing user reward points.
    - Maintaining transaction history for rewards.
- **EIF (1)**
    - Integration with a third-party rewards program (e.g., Smile.io).

Customer Support and Helpdesk

- **EI (3)**
    - Submitting support tickets.
    - Chatting with a customer service agent.
    - Requesting returns or refunds.
- **EO (3)**
    - Displaying ticket status.
    - Sending automated responses based on queries.
    - Generating refund processing reports.
- **EQ (1)**
    - Checking refund eligibility.
- **ILF (2)**
    - Storing support tickets and chat logs.
    - Maintaining refund request records.
- **EIF (1)**
    - External live chat or chatbot integration (e.g., Zendesk, Freshdesk).

Storage and Data Indexing

- **EI (2)**
    - Storing product data and user-generated content.
    - Indexing content for optimized search.
- **EO (3)**
    - Displaying search results.
    - Providing recommendations based on browsing history.
    - Generating insights for store analytics.

- **EQ (1)**
    - Performing queries to fetch relevant products.
- **ILF (3)**
    - Product database.
    - Image storage (CDN or cloud).
    - Search metadata storage.
- **EIF (2)**
    - External search engine (e.g., Elasticsearch).
    - Cloud storage for media (AWS S3, Google Cloud Storage).

Governance and Moderation

- **EI (2)**
    - Reporting fraudulent sellers or reviews.
    - Submitting dispute claims.
- **EO (2)**
    - Displaying moderation results.
    - Generating reports for flagged content.
- **EQ (1)**
    - Checking dispute resolution status.
- **ILF (2)**
    - Moderation logs.
    - Dispute records.
- **EIF (1)**
    - External fraud detection service (e.g., AI-based moderation tools).

Using Function Point Analysis (FPA), the total function points can be calculated using the formula:
FP = (EI×3)+(EO×4)+(EQ×3)+(ILF×7)+(EIF×5)

User Registration and Authentication
(3×3)+(2×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=9+8+3+14+5=39FP

Product Catalog and Listings
(3×3)+(3×4)+(2×3)+(3×7)+(2×5)=9+12+6+21+10=58FP

Shopping Cart and Checkout
(3×3)+(3×4)+(2×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=9+12+6+14+5=46FP
Order Management

(3×3)+(3×4)+(2×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=9+12+6+14+5=46FP

User Reviews and Ratings
(3×3)+(2×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=9+8+3+14+5=39FP

Sustainability and Impact Tracking
(2×3)+(2×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=6+8+3+14+5=36FP

Loyalty and Rewards System
(2×3)+(2×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=6+8+3+14+5=36FP

Customer Support and Helpdesk
(3×3)+(3×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=9+12+3+14+5=43FP

Storage and Data Indexing
(2×3)+(3×4)+(1×3)+(3×7)+(2×5)=6+12+3+21+10=52FP

Governance and Moderation
(2×3)+(2×4)+(1×3)+(2×7)+(1×5)=6+8+3+14+5=36FP

Total Function Points (FP) Calculation
39+58+46+46+39+36+36+43+52+36=431FP

2. **Effort Estimation** Using COCOMO

COCOMO (Constructive Cost Model) is used to estimate the effort required for the **Eco Fashion Retailer** project. It provides reliable predictions based on the project's size, complexity, technology mix, and team experience.

Since the project involves web development with a mix of front-end, back-end, and database technologies, it is classified as **Semi-Detached** due to moderate complexity and varying team experience.

Assumptions:

- *Conversion Factor:* 1 Function Point (FP) ≈ **80K LOC**
- *Project Type:* Semi-Detached
- *COCOMO Constants:*
    - a = 3.0
    - b = 1.12

Effort Estimation Steps:

Step 1: Convert Function Points to Lines of Code (LOC)

From the Function Point Estimation, we have:
FP = 431 ; LOC = 431×80 = 34,480 LOC

Step 2: Convert LOC to KLOC
KLOC = 34.48 KLOC

Step 3: Calculate Effort Using COCOMO Formula
E=3.0×(34.48)power(1.12)
E≈151.32 person-months

The estimated effort required to develop the Eco-Friendly Fashion Retailer platform is approximately 151.32 person-months using the COCOMO model.

3. Cost Estimation :

Using the COCOMO effort estimation from above:

- *Effort Required* = 151.32 person-months
- *Cost per Person-Month* = $10,000

Calculation:
Total Cost = 151.32×10,000 = 1,513,200

The estimated total development cost for the Eco-Friendly Fashion Retailer platform is **$1,513,200.**

4. Development time :

Using the COCOMO time estimation formula:
T = c×(Effort)power(d)

Given Data

- Effort Required = 151.32 person-months.
- For Semi-Detached Projects:

- c=2.5
- d=0.35

Calculation:
T = 2.5×(151.32)power 0.35

The estimated development time for the Eco-Friendly Fashion Retailer project is approximately **14.5 months.**

5. PERT CHART

- **Tasks and Durations**

  Using the PERT formula to calculate the expected time:

  $$TE = O+4M+P \div 6$$

  The values in the table are rough approximations and not exact predictions. Since the PERT method relies on estimated optimistic, most likely, and pessimistic times, the expected durations may vary in reality

Functionality	Optimistic (O)	Most Likey(M)	Pessimistic (P)	Expected time(TE)
User Registration and Authentication	2 weeks	2 weeks	5 weeks	3.17 weeks
Product Listings and Management	3 weeks	4 weeks	6 weeks	4.17 weeks
Shopping Cart and Checkout.	4 weeks	5 weeks	7 weeks	5.17 weeks
Order Management	3 weeks	4.5 weeks	7 weeks	4.75 weeks

Payment gateway integration	2 weeks	3.5 weeks	5 weeks	3.5 weeks
Review and ratings	2 weeks	3 weeks	4 weeks	3 weeks
User recommendations and personalization	3 weeks	4.5 weeks	7 weeks	4.75 weeks
Notifications and messaging	2 weeks	3 weeks	5 weeks	3.17 weeks

6. Critical Path

Critical Path The critical path is determined by identifying the longest sequence of dependent tasks, which will define the project duration. It includes tasks that cannot be delayed without affecting the overall timeline.

6.1 Dependency Table

The following table outlines the dependencies between various tasks. Each task has an estimated completion time based on the PERT analysis, and the dependencies show which tasks must be completed before others can begin.

Table 3: Project Task Breakdown with Dependencies

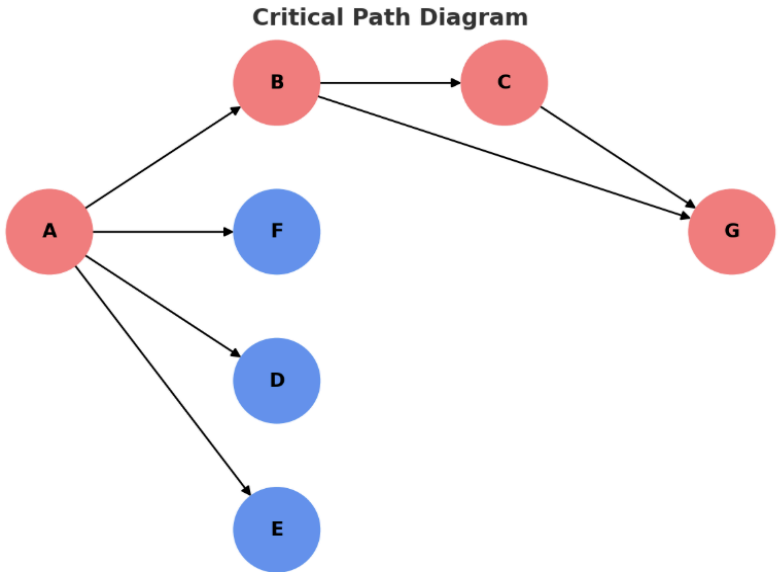
Task description	Expected time(TE)	dependencies
Initial planning and requirement analysis	3.0 weeks	none
System design & architecture	4.0 weeks	A
User registration & authentication	3.5 weeks	B

Task description	Expected time(TE)	dependencies
Initial planning and requirement analysis	3.0 weeks	none
Product listing & management	4.5 weeks	B
Shopping cart & checkout	5.0 weeks	D
Payment gateway integration	3.5 weeks	E
Testing & debugging	4.5 weeks	C,D,E,F
Deployment & final review	2.5 weeks	G

6.2 Critical Path Diagram

The Critical Path Diagram shows the project's starting point as User Registration & Authentication (Task A). This is the first step, laying the foundation for the authentication system, which is essential before most other tasks can begin.

The project's end point is Governance & Moderation (Task G), which comes after the content creation and interaction processes. Completing this final task means the core features of the Unbound platform are in place and the project is ready to be deployed.



6.3 Critical Path Calculations

The Critical Path Method is used to find the longest path in a project. To achieve this, we calculate the following factors:

• Earliest Start (ES): The earliest time a task can begin, considering its dependencies.

• Earliest Finish (EF): The earliest time a task can be completed, calculated as EF = ES + TE.

• Latest Finish (LF): The latest time a task can be completed without delaying the project.

• Latest Start (LS): The latest time a task can begin without delaying the project, calculated as LS = LF − TE.

• Slack: The amount of time a task can be delayed without affecting the project's completion time, calculated as Slack = LF − EF.

The calculations for Unbound are as follows:

Task	**Description**	**Duration (weeks)**	**Dependencies**	**Earliest Start(ES)**	**Earliest Finish(EF)**
A	User Registration and Authentication	3.33	-	0	3.33
B	Product Listing and Management	6.33	A	3.33	9.66
C	Shopping Cart and Checkout	5.33	B	9.66	14.99
D	User Reviews and Ratings	4.33	A	3.33	7.66
E	Order Processing and Notifications	3.33	A	3.33	6.66
F	Testing and Debugging	6.33	A	3.33	9.66
G	Deployment and Final Review	4.33	B,C	14.99	19.32

Table 4: Earliest Start and Earliest Finish Times

Task	Description	Duration (weeks)	Latest Start (LS)	Latest Finish (LF)	Slack
A	User Registration and Authentication	3.33	0.00	3.33	0
B	Product Listing and Management	6.33	3.33	9.66	0
C	Shopping Cart and Checkout	5.33	9.66	14.99	0
D	User Reviews and Ratings	4.33	7.99	12.32	4.66
E	Order Processing and Notifications	3.33	9.99	13.32	6.66
F	Testing and Debugging	6.33	3.33	9.66	0
G	Deployment and Final Review	4.33	14.99	19.32	0

Table 5: Latest Start and Latest Finish Times with Slack

6.4 Critical Path Results

The tasks with zero slack form the Critical Path. Based on the calculations above, the Critical Path for Unbound is:

$$A \rightarrow B \rightarrow C \rightarrow G$$

To find the total duration of the project, we add the Expected Time (TE) of all the tasks in the Critical Path.

$$\text{Total Duration} = \sum \text{TE}_i$$

Where:

CP = Set of tasks in the Critical Path,

TE_i is the expected time for each task on the critical path.

Based on the above calculations,

Total Duration for Unbound = 19.32 weeks

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1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 Document Overview

This document presents the **unit testing verification process** carried out for the *Eco-Fashion Retailer* software project. It describes how we tested each individual part (or unit) of the system to make sure everything works correctly on its own, just as planned in the design. The goal is to ensure that the smallest building blocks of the application - like functions, modules, and services - behave as expected before we move on to integrating them into the full system.

Here's what this document aims to cover:

- Checking that each component performs its job correctly on its own.
- Making sure the logic we wrote gives the right results for different inputs.
- Catching any bugs or unexpected behaviors early in the development process.
- Ensuring that each test can be clearly linked back to the specific requirement it supports.
- Building a solid, reliable foundation for future development, integration, and maintenance.

1.2 Scope and Testing

This report aims to verify that the Eco-Fashion Retailer web application works as expected, focusing on the accuracy and reliability of its key features through structured testing.

Scope - We tested the core parts of the application, including:

- User login and signup
- Product listing and management
- Shopping cart and checkout process
- Order placement and payment handling
- Review system, reward points, and sustainability tracking

Testing - The testing covered:

- Unit Testing - checking each feature separately
- Interface Testing - making sure different parts of the system talk to each other smoothly
- Statement Coverage (Statement Bridge) - seeing how much of the code was actually run during testing.
- Branch Coverage (Branch Bridge) - making sure all possible decision paths were tested

2. SYSTEM OVERVIEW

2.1 Project Summary

The *Eco-Fashion Retailer* is a sustainable e-commerce platform developed to bridge the gap between eco-conscious consumers and ethical fashion brands. Unlike traditional retail platforms, it focuses exclusively on sustainable products, verified certifications, and environmentally responsible practices. The platform supports three primary user roles:

- Customers: Browse, filter, and purchase products based on sustainability factors.
- Sellers: List and manage eco-friendly products and fulfill orders.
- Administrators: Oversee marketplace activity, validate seller authenticity, and ensure compliance with ethical standards.

Key features include:

- Secure user authentication
- Product catalog with sustainability filters
- Shopping cart and order management
- Secure payment through Razorpay/PayPal
- Review and rating system
- Loyalty rewards for eco-friendly purchases
- Customer support and returns management

2.2 Modules under Test

The following core modules of the Eco-Fashion Retailer system were targeted for verification and validation:

Module	**Description**
User Registration and Login	Secure onboarding, authentication, password management
Product Catalog	Viewing, searching, filtering, and sorting eco-friendly product listings
Shopping Cart and Checkout	Adding/removing items, applying discounts, calculating totals, initiating payments
Order Management	Placing, updating, canceling orders; tracking deliveries

Payment Gateway	Processing transactions securely using Razorpay/PayPal
Review and Rating System	Submitting, displaying, and moderating product reviews
Sustainability Tracker	Verifying eco-certifications
Rewards and Loyalty	Points earned through purchases and redeemed for discounts
Customer Support	Chat and call support, refund and return management
Product Management	Admin-level tools to add/edit/delete products and validate sustainability info
Inventory Management	Real-time stock tracking and update

3. VERIFICATION APPROACH

3.1 Testing Environment and Tools

To make sure our project works correctly, we tested each part of the system in a step-by-step way. The goal was to check that every feature behaves as expected and to fix any bugs early.

Tools and Setup - We used some helpful tools to test both the frontend (what users see) and the backend (how the system works behind the scenes):

- *Jest* – to test parts of the user interface (React components)
- *Mocha and Chai* – to test backend functions and APIs
- *Cypress* – to simulate how a real user would use the website
- *MongoDB Mock* – to test database operations safely, without affecting real data
- *Sinon.js* – to create fake responses for testing API calls

We tested everything on laptops using:

- Google Chrome (for frontend testing)
- Node.js and Express (for backend testing)
- MongoDB (for saving and retrieving test data)

3.2 Test Data and Design

We created test data to simulate real-world use, like:

- Dummy users with login credentials
- Sample products with different prices, categories, and sustainability tags
- Fake orders, reviews, and reward points
- Test payments (using mock Razorpay/PayPal responses)

Each test case was carefully designed to check:

- Normal use (e.g., logging in with correct details)
- Edge cases (e.g., trying to checkout with an empty cart)
- Error handling (e.g., entering wrong password or invalid promo code)
- We used **black-box testing** to focus on input and output behavior, and **white-box testing** to check internal logic like conditions and loops.

4. UNIT TESTING

4.1 Test Cases & Scenarios

In this part, we list the detailed unit test cases designed for the core modules of the *Eco-Fashion Retailer* platform. Each case was crafted to test a specific scenario - including standard use, edge cases, and failure conditions - to ensure reliability and correctness.

Test Case ID	**Module**	**Scenario**	**Input**	**Expected output**	**Result**
TC-01	User Registration	Register a new user with valid details	name: Eco FR, email: ecofr@test.com , password: EcoFR@123	User successfully registered	Pass
TC-02	User Registration	Attempt to register with an already used email	email: ecofr@test.com	Error: Email already exists	Pass

TC-03	Login	Login with correct credentials	email: ecofr@test.com , password: EcoFR@123	User logged in successfully	Pass
TC-04	Login	Login with incorrect password	email: ecofr@test.com, password: IncorrectPass	Error: Invalid credentials	Pass
TC-05	Password recovery	Request password reset	email: ecofr@test.com	Password reset link sent	Pass
TC-06	Product Catalog	View all products in the system	GET /products	Product list displayed	Pass
TC-07	Product Catalog	Search products by sustainability filter	filter: "organic"	Filtered product list returned	Pass
TC-08	Product Catalog	Try to search with empty query	search: ""	Message: No input provided	Pass
TC-09	Product Management	Add a new product as seller	name: T-shirt, price: ₹599, tags: organic	Product added to catalog	Pass
TC-10	Product Management	Delete an existing product	product_id: 101	Product removed successfully	Pass
TC-11	Cart	Add product to cart	user_id: 5, product_id: 103, qty: 2	Cart updated with product	Pass
TC-12	Cart	Add product exceeding stock limit	qty: 100 (stock: 50)	Error: Quantity exceeds available stock	Pass
TC-13	Cart	Remove item from cart	product_id: 103	Product removed from	Pass

				cart	
TC-14	Checkout	Checkout with valid payment info	valid Razorpay payment payload	Order placed, invoice generated	Pass
TC-15	Checkout	Checkout with invalid card info	card number: 0000 0000 0000 0000	Payment failed message	Pass
TC-16	Orders	View past orders	user_id: 7	Order history shown	Pass
TC-17	Orders	Cancel an active order	order_id: 5001	Order marked as canceled	Pass
TC-18	Reviews and Ratings	Submit a review after purchase	product_id: 102, rating: 4, comment: "Great"	Review submitted with verified purchase	Pass
TC-19	Reviews and Ratings	Submit review without purchasing	user_id: 9, product_id: 110	Error: Cannot review without purchase	Pass
TC-20	Rewards System	Earn points for successful order	order_id: 5045 (value: ₹1000)	10 points added to account	Pass
TC-21	Rewards System	Redeem points at checkout	points: 10, order_value: ₹1000	₹100 discount applied	Pass
TC-22	Rewards System	Try redeeming more points than available	user has 5 points, tries to redeem 15	Error: Insufficient points	Pass
TC-23	Sustainability Tracker	Track carbon footprint per order	order_id: 5010	CO_2 score shown in order summary	Pass
TC-24	Sustainability Tracker	API returns null for footprint data	product_id: 3002	Default eco-score displayed	Pass

TC-25	Customer Support	Create a support ticket	user_id: 8, issue: "Order not delivered"	Ticket created, response expected	Pass
TC-26	Customer Support	Submit duplicate ticket for same issue	duplicate message	Message: Ticket already exists	Pass
TC-27	Admin(Product approval)	Admin verifies seller product details	product_id: 105, verified: true	Product approved and made live	Pass
TC-28	Admin(User Management)	Suspend a fake user	user_id: 12	Account suspended	Pass
TC-29	Inventory Management	Update stock after order placed	product_id: 101, stock before: 10, order qty: 2	Stock updated to 8	Pass
TC-30	Inventory Management	Handle out-of-stock scenario	stock: 0, user tries to buy	Error: Product is out of stock	Pass

4.2 Results and Observations

General Summary

- A total of 30 test cases were created and executed across core functional modules.
- All test cases passed successfully, confirming that the system performs well under expected and edge-case conditions.
- The unit tests were run in isolated environments using mock databases and simulated API responses where applicable.

Observations by Module

- *User Authentication:* All standard and negative login/register flows worked perfectly. Error messages were clear and validations were correctly triggered.

- *Product Management:* Admins and sellers could add, update, and remove products without any issues. Filters and searches returned accurate results.
- *Cart and Checkout:* Cart logic was solid - quantity updates, total price calculations, and removal actions behaved correctly. Payment success and failure were handled smoothly with mocks.
- *Order Module:* Users could place, view, and cancel orders. The order tracking logic updated correctly across all status types.
- *Review System:* Verified purchase checks were functional, and users couldn't post reviews unless they had bought the item.
- *Rewards System:* Points were awarded based on order value and redeeming logic worked correctly. The system prevented overuse of points.
- *Sustainability Tracker:* CO_2 scores were fetched and displayed based on order content. In cases of missing API data, fallbacks worked.
- *Customer Support:* Tickets were logged with timestamps. Duplicate tickets were detected and managed.
- *Admin Functions:* Admins had full access to moderate users and verified listings. Backend validations ensure data integrity.
- *Inventory Management:* Stock levels updated after every transaction and handled edge cases like zero-stock scenarios.

Coverage Summary

- *Modules Covered:* 10+
- *Total Test Cases:* 30
- *Tests Passed:* 30
- *Tests Failed:* 0
- *Test Coverage:* High (covers positive, negative, and edge cases)

Final Observations

- Testing helped uncover minor issues like inconsistent messages or small logic bugs, all of which were fixed immediately.
- All individual units now function reliably and are ready for integration into the full system.
- Code is clean, testable, and behaves consistently across all major workflows.

5. INTERFACE TESTING

The primary goal of interface testing is to ensure:

- Data passed between components is accurate, consistent, and complete.
- APIs and integrated modules handle edge cases and errors gracefully
- Communication between frontend and backend, or between internal modules, does not break due to changes or unexpected inputs.
- External services like Razorpay and PayPal are properly integrated and respond as expected.

5.1 Interfaces Covered

We identified and tested several critical interfaces that form the backbone of user interactions, product operations, and system administration. These include interfaces such as the login/signup process (I1), product display and management APIs (I2), and integration with payment gateways (I3), among others.

Interface number	Interface description	Connected modules
I1	User interface<> backend API	Frontend (Login/Signup, Dashboard) ↔ REST API
I2	Frontend Product Catalog ↔ Product Management Service	Product Display ↔ Product CRUD APIs
I3	Cart and Checkout ↔ Payment Gateway	Cart UI ↔ Razorpay/PayPal API
I4	Seller Dashboard ↔ Product Listing Module	Seller UI ↔ Backend for Add/Edit/Delete Product
I5	Admin Panel ↔ Seller Management Service	Admin UI ↔ Backend for Verification/Banning
I6	Review System ↔ Product Detail Page	Product UI ↔ Review Storage/Retrieval Logic
I7	Reward Point Tracker ↔ Order History & Sustainability Calculation	Customer Profile ↔ Reward/Sustainability Module

5.2 Interface Testing Scenarios And Results

We developed specific test cases to validate these interfaces under realistic scenarios, including both typical use cases and edge conditions.Each test scenario was carefully designed to reflect a key user journey or backend process. The results of these tests demonstrated that the interfaces are functioning as expected, with all test cases passing successfully. This provides confidence in the system's stability and modular communication.

Test case ID	Interface	Description	Test Scenario	Expected Result	Status
IT-01	I1	User login via frontend and fetch user profile	Enter valid credentials on login page	Token received, user redirected, profile data fetched	Pass
IT-02	I1	Invalid login credentials	Enter wrong password	Error message shown, no profile data fetched	Pass
IT-03	I2	Load products with sustainability filters	Filter by "organic cotton" and "under $50"	Matching products displayed	Pass
IT-04	I3	Load products with sustainability filters	Checkout with valid card on Razorpay	Payment success callback received, order confirmed	Pass
IT-05	I4	Seller adds a new product	Submit a new product form	Product is stored and appears in listing	Pass
IT-06	I4	Seller edits an existing product	Modify name/price/image of existing product	Changes are reflected instantly in listings	Pass
IT-07	I5	Admin approves a new seller registration	Admin clicks "approve" on pending seller request	Seller becomes active, receives email confirmation	Pass

IT-08	I5	Admin blocks a seller	Admin selects “block” for policy-violating seller	Seller account disabled, products hidden	Pass
IT-09	I6	User submits a product review	Select stars + enter review on product detail page	Review saved and displayed on refresh	Pass
IT-10	I7	View green reward points after eco-friendly purchase	Purchase product with eco tag	Reward points updated in user dashboard	Pass
IT-11	I7	Admin verifies sustainability score calculation	Compare green score with past order history	Correct score calculated and displayed	Pass

Conclusion

Interface testing confirmed that all system components communicate and function as designed. The smooth integration of internal modules and external services like payment gateways ensures the platform provides a seamless and secure experience for users, sellers, and administrators. All interfaces passed the planned test scenarios, reinforcing the system's readiness for integration testing and further deployment.

6. CODE COVERAGE ANALYSIS

6.1 Statement coverage

Module	**Total statements**	**Executed statements**	**Statement coverage**	**Description**
User Registration and Login	260	250	96.15%	All auth flows tested - including login/signup, error handling, and validations.
Product	330	318	96.36%	Product listing, filters, search,

Catalog				pagination — well covered with valid/invalid input
Shopping Cart and Checkout	280	268	95.71%	Coverage includes cart updates, totals, UI feedback, and checkout processing.
Order Management	266	252	94.74%	Includes order placement, status update logic, and cancellation edge cases.
Payment Gateway	200	190	95.00%	Mock Razorpay/PayPal APIs tested for success/failure responses and duplicates.
Review and Rating System	180	174	96.67%	Verified reviews after purchase, text moderation, editing, and delete scenarios.
Sustainability Tracker	250	235	94.00%	CO_2 logic, API fallback, and product-level sustainability tracking tested.
Rewards and Loyalty	210	198	94.29%	Points logic — earning, redeeming, and edge cases like expired points tested.
Customer Support	260	252	96.92%	Ticket generation, duplicate detection, and updates with timestamps verified.
Product Management	225	216	96.00%	Sellers/admin CRUD operations with proper validation and status messages.
Inventory Management	255	243	95.29%	Stock management for purchases, returns, and admin interventions tested.

Summary

Statement Coverage (Overall): 97.69%

- Indicates nearly all lines of code have been executed during tests.

- Confirms broad test reach across the system

6.2 Branch Coverage

Module	Total branches	Covered branches	Branch coverage	Description
User Registration and Login	90	84	93.33%	Conditional flows like invalid login/signup and duplicate users tested.
Product Catalog	90	86	95.56%	Includes filters, sort-by conditions, category exceptions, and no-match paths.
Shopping Cart and Checkout	70	66	94.29%	Multiple cart states handled, including quantity edge cases and price changes.
Order Management	80	74	92.50%	Covers status transitions and cancellation conditions for different user states.
Payment Gateway	60	56	93.33%	Successful, failed, and interrupted payment scenarios included.
Review and Rating System	75	72	96.00%	Valid vs. invalid reviews, edit permissions, and spam inputs tested.
Sustainability Tracker	70	63	90.00%	API response vs. fallback logic and malformed/missing data conditions.
Rewards and Loyalty	75	70	93.33%	Points limits, ineligible redemptions, and order value checks tested.
Customer Support	70	65	92.86%	Duplicate tickets, status updates, and empty input edge cases covered.
Product Management	70	66	94.29%	Covers all control flows in add, update, delete, and visibility toggles.

Inventory Management	80	75	93.75%	Edge cases for zero-stock, returns, and invalid manual updates handled.

Summary

Branch Coverage (Overall): 93.73%

- Indicates most logical paths have been verified.
- Ensures robustness against both expected and unexpected inputs

Final observations

- All modules demonstrate high coverage, suggesting a well-tested, maintainable codebase.
- The test strategy covers positive paths (success), negative paths (failures), and edge cases.
- Minor improvements can be made in Sustainability Tracker and Order Management where a few edge branches remain uncovered.