# **Library Management System Documentation**

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# 1. Class Overview
## DatabaseConnection
- **Purpose**: Manages a single connection to the database using the Singleton
Pattern.
- **Attributes and Methods**:
- `connection`: Stores the database connection object.
- `getInstance()`: Returns the single instance of the DatabaseConnection class
- `getConnection()`: Provides access to the database connection.
- **Design Patterns**: Singleton
## Logger

- \*\*Purpose\*\*: Provides a thread-safe logging mechanism for the system.

- `getInstance()`: Returns the single instance of the Logger class.

- \*\*Attributes and Methods\*\*:

- `log(message)`: Logs a given message.
- \*\*Design Patterns\*\*: Singleton
- ... (truncated for example purposes)

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#### # 2. Design Patterns

### ## Singleton Pattern

\*\*Implementation\*\*: Used in `DatabaseConnection` and `Logger` classes to ensure a single instance exists.

- \*\*Components\*\*:
- Private constructor prevents direct instantiation.
- Static `getInstance()` ensures only one instance is created.
- \*\*Use Case\*\*: Centralized database access and consistent logging.

### ## Factory Pattern

- \*\*Implementation\*\*: Used to create specific types of books (`SoftwareEngineeringBook`, `ManagementBook`, etc.).
- \*\*Components\*\*:
- Abstract `BookFactory` interface defines `createBook()`.
- Concrete factories implement `createBook()` to return specific book types.
- \*\*Use Case\*\*: Simplifies the creation of book objects based on category.
- ... (truncated for example purposes)

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#3. Code Flow

- 1. The `DatabaseConnection` class establishes a database connection.
- 2. The `BookServiceProxy` manages requests to add, remove, or retrieve books.
- 3. Design patterns like Factory and Command simplify object creation and book operations.

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#### #4. Examples

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### DatabaseConnection Class Example:
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```java

DatabaseConnection db = DatabaseConnection.getInstance();

Connection conn = db.getConnection();

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### Factory Pattern Example:

```java

BookFactory factory = BookFactoryProducer.getFactory("Software

Engineering");

Book book = factory.createBook();

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#### # 5. Additional Considerations

## **## Optimizations**

- Singleton ensures centralized resource management.
- Factory decouples object creation logic.

## **## Future Improvements**

- Implement Observer Pattern for real-time notifications.
- Add more specific categories in Factory Pattern.