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Task 1A **Task definition and proposed solution**

In today's world extra curricular activities are being intergrated in the education system of many schools with the aim of giving pupils something fun to do aside from academic activities. Competitions are also being conducted in schools and between schools as a way of giving learners a goal to work towards and to give learners a break from time to time.

Ineffecient and crude methods are often used during these competitions for planning, keeping track of scores and determining the placement of participants according to how they scored. Pen and paper, sometimes a calculator, are the most common tools used to do the above and when you scale the competition(s) up you notice that it becomes tedious as you are wasting time and resources.

I'm proposing that the proccess of planning and overseeing a competition can be made much more efficient and effective through the use of an application. The application will cater for tennis singles/doubles knock-out competitions. With it tournament organizers will be able to plan, track and analyse a tournament with the application. Tournaments will also be recorded into a database so that they can be retrieved easily if the need arises. This will help torunament organizers keep track of their tournaments and cut some costs as less physical resources will be used.

Task 1B
<u>User story and acceptance test</u>

WHO	WHAT	WHY
Tournament Organizer	Register	To create an account for themselves so that they can use the application
	Login	To get access to their account and the application
	Create a tournament	Creating a record in the database with the provided information about the tournament
	Update and delete a tournament	Manipulate the information about the tournament if it is changed or a mistake has been made and delete the tournament if it is no

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	longer valuable.
Retrieve a tournament(s)	View a list of the organizer's tournaments and also view information about a particular tournament
Create a match entry	Record every match that happened during the tournament so that the application can make accurate conclusions.
Update and delete a match entry	Change the information about the match as it progresses or if a mistake has been made during the creation of the match entry.
Retrieve a match entry	View a list of match entries of a tournament and view a particular match entry's information.
Create a participant account	Enable participants to login and have access to the application.
Delete a participant account	Remove participants that are not conducting themselves in an orderly or expected manner. Remove participants that are no longer participating.
Retrieve a participant account	View a participant's information that the participant has provided and ensure that they are complying with the organizer's rules and regulations.
Create a match official account	Enable match officials to login and have access to the application.
Delete a match official account	Remove officials that are not conducting themselves in an orderly or expected manner.

	Retrieve a match official account(s)	Remove match officials that are no longer available. View an official's information that the official has provided and ensure that they are complying with the organizer's rules and regulations
	Export a tournament's information	Circulate the information among people and make hard copies if necessary.
	Retrieve their account information	View their information and ensure that it is accurate.
	Update and delete their account	Make changes to their account and remove their account if the reason to do so arises.
Participant	Login	To get access to their account and the application
	Retrieve their account information	View their information and ensure that it is accurate and is compliant with the rules and regulations.
	Retrieve tournament information (those that they are participating in)	View information about tournaments that the participant has participated in and ensure it is accurately being recorded
	Retrieve their information regarding a tournament that they participate in	View their information about regarding the tournament and ensure that it is accurate
	Export their information	To circulate the information amongst certain people
	Update and delete their account	Change information about themselves and keep it up-to-date. Remove their account from the database if the need arises.

Official	Login	To get access to their account and the application
	Retrieve their account information	View their information and ensure that it is accurate and is compliant with the rules and regulations.
	Retrieve tournament information (those that they were officiating)	View the information and ensure that it was accurately recorded.
	Retrieve their information regarding a tournament that they were officiating	To circulate the information amongs certain people.
	Export their information	To circulate the information amongst people
	Update and delete their account	Change information about themselves and keep it up-to-date. Remove their account from the database if the need arises.

Task 2 **Database design**

The database design of the application has been created in the most optimal and effective manner of handling all the information that an organizer would need to plan a tournament.

Database Tables

Tournament

	Field Name	Data Type	
3	ID	AutoNumber	
	Title	Short Text	
	Organizer	Short Text	~
	Participants	Number	
	Start Date	Date/Time	
	Prize Money	Currency	
	End Date	Date/Time	
	Matches	Number	

• Organizer

4	Field Name	Data Type
	First Name	Short Text
	Surname	Short Text
	Email Address	Short Text
	Password	Short Text
	Gender	Short Text
8₽	ID	AutoNumber ~

Participant

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4	Field Name	Data Type	
8₽	ID	AutoNumber	~
	First Name	Short Text	
	Surname	Short Text	
	Gender	Short Text	
	Password	Short Text	
	Email Address	Short Text	

• Official

4	Field Name	Data Type
	First Name	Short Text
	Surname	Short Text
	Gender	Short Text
	Email Address	Short Text
	Password	Short Text
8₽	ID	AutoNumber

Match

_	Field Name	Data Type
8	ID	AutoNumber
	Location	Long Text
	Timestamp	Date/Time
	Official	Short Text
	Participants	Number
	Match Sets	Number

Match Set

_	Field Name	Data Type
8₽	D	AutoNumber
	Games	Number
	Set ID	Number

• Game

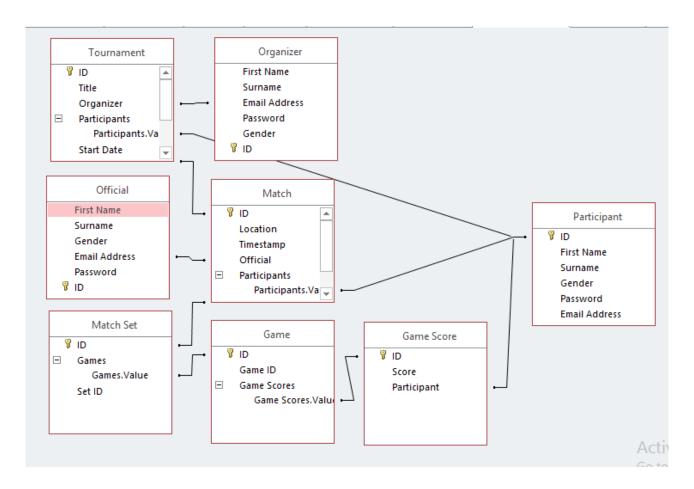
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	Field Name	Data Type
8₽	ID	AutoNumber
	Game ID	Number
	Game Scores	Number

• Game Score

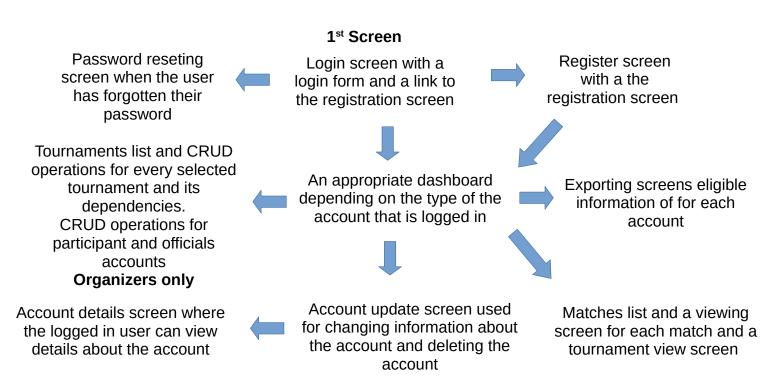
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8₽	ID	AutoNumber
	Score	Number
	Participant	Number

Field Name	Field Size
ID	+2,147,483,647
First Name	75
Surname	75
Email address	125
Password	125
Gender	10
ID Number	13
Tournament : Title	100
Tournament : Prize Money	+2,147,483,647
Match : Location	255
Match Set : Set ID	+2,147,483,647
Game : Game ID	+2,147,483,647
Game Score : Score	+2,147,483,647

Database relationships



Task 3 **Global overview of the project**



Task 4 Use of text files, arrays and custom defined methods

My application is going to utilize text files for exporting information out of the application and the users being able to circulate it amongs people. This makes efficient use of textfiles as they are very small in size and easy to work with. This allows users to easily and extract all the informatin they need from the database into a portable text file that they can share with others.

Arrays are going to be utilized in many compex aspects of the application. Listing screens for various tables are going to use arrays to store the information from the database. Arrays are going to be used as the middleman between the database and the application. They are going to be used to hold objects and varibles of the same type.

Defined methods are going to be utilized to avoid rewriting certain blocks and lines of code. They are also going to be used to perfom repetitive tasks, calculations and operations. They also increase the readability of the code. Data validation methods are going to be defined to put all the complexity of validating certain fields in a single block of code and repeteadly reffering to it everytime a field needs to be validated.

Task 5 Input, Processing, Output and data validation

Input	Process	Output
Login credentials via the login form on the welcome screen. • Email & password: characters	 Check if the email address is present and has the correct format. Check the presence of the password and ensure that its length is above 8 characters Lookup an account with the information provided and login if found. 	 A message dialog with a text message that raises any errors. A message dialog with a text message signifying whether the login attempt was successful
Registration information via the registration form. • Name, surname, email & password: characters • Gender: select	 Check if the email address is present and has the correct format. Check the presence of the password and 	 A message dialog with a message signifying whether the registration was successful An error dialog will

	ensure that its length is above 8 characters • Check the presence of the name and surname. • Ensure that a valid gender choice was selected • Lookup an account with the information provided and create the account if not found. • Create the organizer account if the provided information is valid	be displayed if any errors are encountered
Participation creation information via the participant creation screen and the official creation information via the match official creation screen. • First name, surname, email, password: characters • Gender: select	 Check if the email address is present and has the correct format. Check the presence of the password and ensure that its length is above 8 characters Ensure that a valid gender choice was selected Check the presence of the name and surname. Ensure that there is not an account with the same email address before creating the account Create the participant account if the information is valid Create the match official account if the information is valid 	 A message dialog with a message signifying whether the account was created successfuly An error dialog will be displayed if any errors are encountered
Tournament creation information via the	Check the presence of the title.	 A message dialog with a text message

tournament creation form.

- Title : characters
- Participants: participant account object instances
- Start date & end date : date (DD-MM-YYYY)
- Prize money : nonnegative integer
- Check the presence of participants and ensure that the count is greater than or equal to 2.
- Check the presence and format of the start and end date and ensure that they are the current of future dates
- Ensure that the prize money is a non-negative number
- Create a tournament object if the provided information is valid

- that signifies whether the tournament was created or not.
- Error dialogs may be raised if errors are encountered during processing.

Match creation information via the match creation form

- Location : characters
- Timestamp : date and time (HH:MM DD-MM-YYYY)
- Official : official account object instance
- Participants: participant account object instances

- Check the presence of the location.
- Check the format of the timestamp and ensure that the timestamp the current or a future date
- Ensure that the count of participants provided is more than or equal to 2.
- Create a match object if the information is valid

- A message dialog with a text message that signifies whether the match was created or not.
- be raised if validation errors are encountered during processing.

Match set creation information via the match set creation form and game creation information via the game creation form.

Match set

- Set ID : nonnegative integer
- Games : game object instances

Game

· Game ID: non-

- Check the presence of the set id and ensure that it is a positive integer.
- Check the presence of the game id and ensure that it is a positive integer.
- Create a match set object if the information is valid
- Create a game object if the

- A message dialog with a text message that signifies whether the match set or game was created or not.
- Error dialogs may be raised if validation errors are encountered during processing.

negative integer • Game scores : game scores object instances	information is valid.	
Game score creation information via the game creation form • Score : non-negative integer • Participant : participant account object instance	 Ensure that the score is not a negative integer Check the presence of a participant. Create a game score object if the provided information is valid 	 A message dialog with a text message that signifies whether the game score was created or not. Error dialogs may be raised if validation errors are encountered during processing.

Task 6 **Screenshots**

Illustration 1: Registration screen

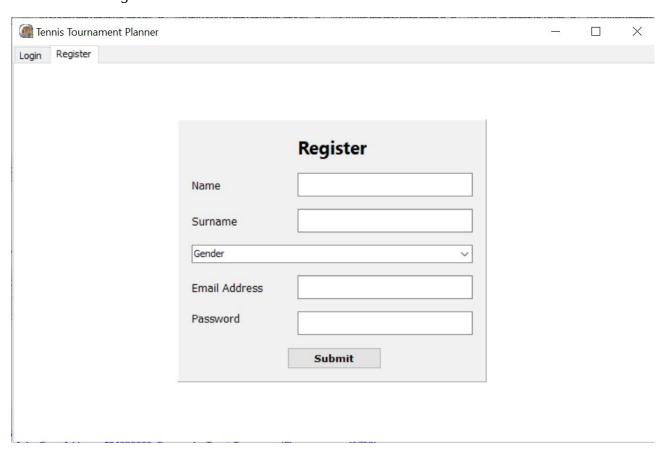
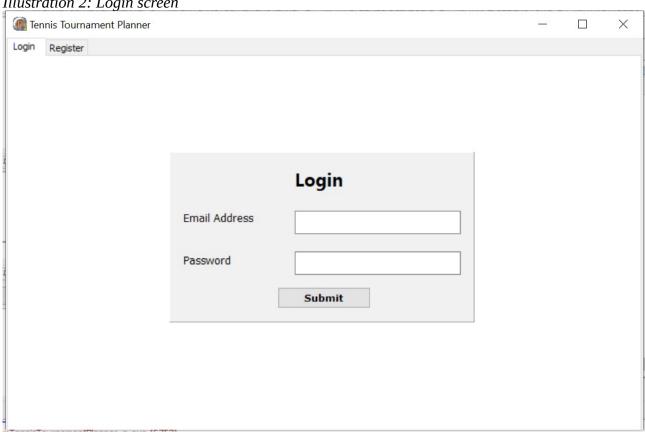


Illustration 2: Login screen



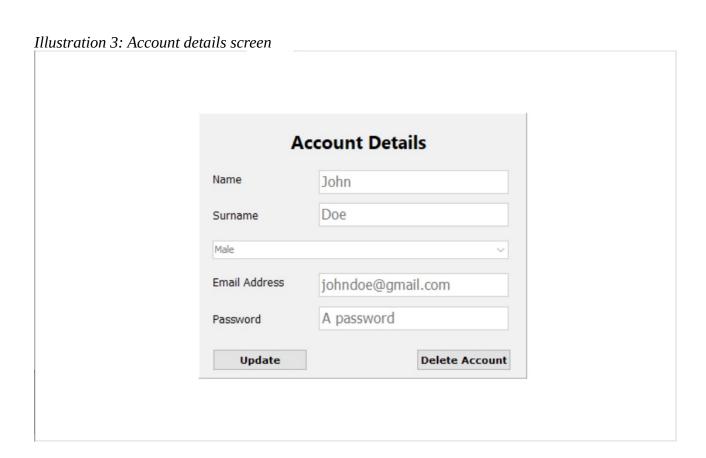


Illustration 4: Organizer dashboard : Tournaments

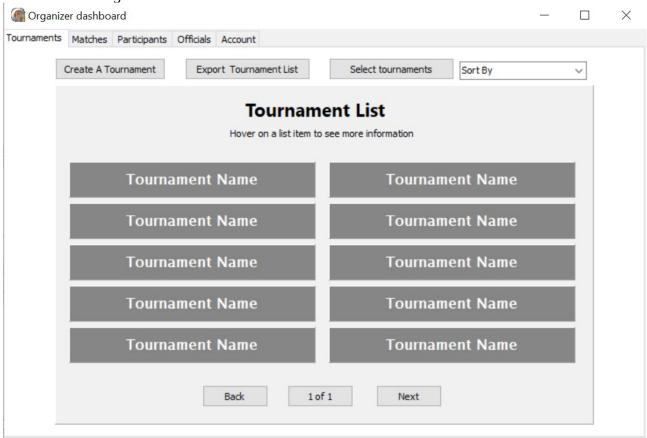


Illustration 5: Organizer dashboard : Matches

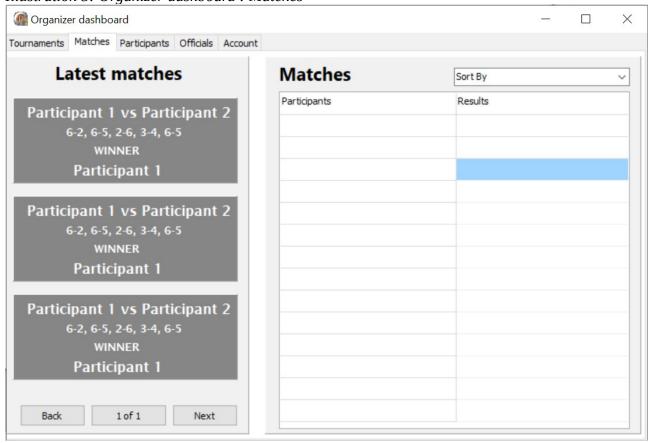


Illustration 6: Organizer dashboard : Participants

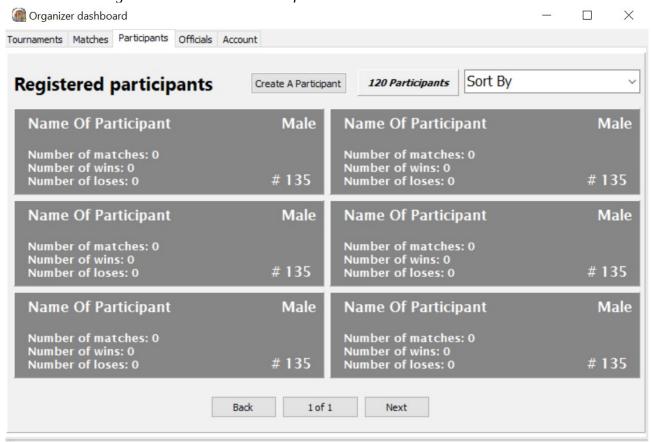


Illustration 7: Organizer dashboard: Match officials

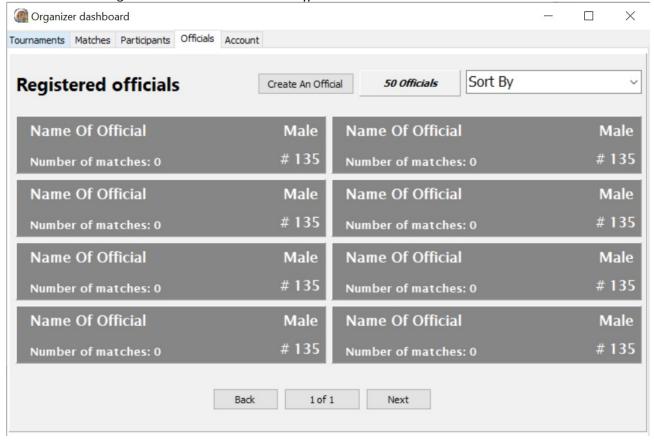


Illustration 8: Participant dashboards : Tournaments

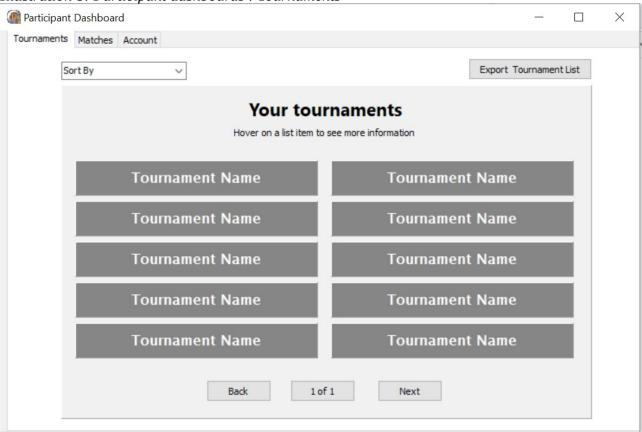


Illustration 9: Participant dashboards : Matches

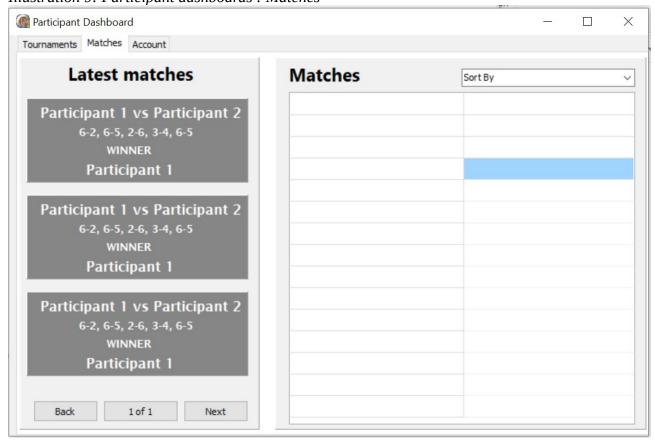


Illustration 10: Match official: Matches

