Stockbook - A social media stock tracker web app

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ABSTRACT

In today's era investing in stock market has become one of the biggest ways of investing money for better future returns.

But keeping track of the market and exchange can be a tedious and time consuming task. In other words investing in stock market for a regular working people is not feasible as they couldn't dedicate time for it.

Stockbook is a one stop solution where they can track their stocks and also watch the stocks their friends are following.

Stockbook is a rails based social media web app that is easy to use and gets you live prices for the stocks you are following. It uses stock_quote which is a ruby based gem that uses IEX trading API to get live feed from the stock market.

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1. Project Overview

1.1 Project Effort

Effort of this project is to design and implement a solution for analyzing and processing airlines data that runs on a Hadoop cluster and takes advantage of the distributed computing and storage capabilities of the cluster to handle large datasets.

1.2 Objective

- 1.2.1. To create a rails based web app to get live stock prices.
- 1.2.2. To add a basic authentication system to enable user to create account and login
- 1.2.3. To allow user to track stock and build a portfolio
- 1.2.4. To allow user to add friend and see their portfolio

1.3 Tools

Programming Language: Ruby, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Framework: Rails IDE: AWS cloud9

Operating system: Ubuntu 14.04

1.5 Operating Environment or Software Environment

The hardware and software that we are using in this project are

- 1. Intel core i5
- 2. 8 GB RAM
- 3. 1 TB storage
- 4. Windows 10

2. Ruby on Rails

2.1 What is Ruby?

Ruby is a dynamic, interpreted, reflective, object-oriented, general-purpose programming language designed and developed by Yukihiro Matsumoto in Japan during in the mid-1990s. It is influenced by Perl, Smalltalk, Eiffel, Ada, and Lisp. It supports multiple programming, paradigms including functional, object-oriented, and imperative.

2.2 What is Ruby on Rails?

Ruby on Rails or Rails, is a server-side web application framework written in Ruby under the MIT License. Rails is a model—view—controller (MVC) framework, providing default structures for a database, a web service, and web pages. It encourages and facilitates the use of web standards such as JSON or XML for data transfer, HTML, CSS and JavaScript for user interfacing. In addition to MVC, Rails emphasizes the use of other well-known software engineering patterns and paradigms, including convention over configuration (CoC), don't repeat yourself (DRY), and the active record pattern.

Ruby on Rails' emergence in the 2000s greatly influenced web app development, through innovative features such as seamless database table creations, migrations, and scaffolding of views to enable rapid application development. Ruby on Rails' influence on other web frameworks remains apparent today, with many frameworks in other languages borrowing its ideas, including Django in Python, Catalyst in Perl, Laravel in PHP, Phoenix in Elixir, and Sails.js in Node.js.

3. Current system V/S Proposed system

3.1 Drawbacks of current system

Current apps available for checking stock prices are slow and user cannot check price of multiple stocks at a time. Also user cannot watch their friends portfolio.

3.2 Advantages of proposed system

Proposed system provides user to login and build a portfolio and check multiple stock prices at the same time. User can also add friends and view their portfolio too.

4. Hosting the application.

This application is hosted on Heroku which is famous cloud based platform as a service. Heroku is one the first cloud platforms. Initially it only supported Ruby based application but now supports Java, Node.js, Scala, Clojure, Python, PHP, and Go.

5. Links

Github repository: https://github.com/coderSprout/stockbook Web app: http://stock-book.herokuapp.com/

6. Application Screenshot



Figure 1 Login Page

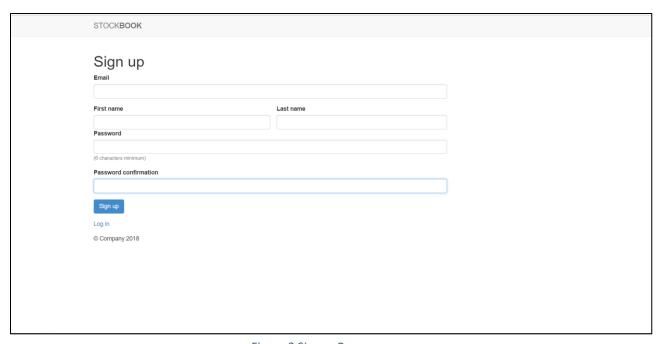


Figure 2 Signup Page



Figure 3 Welcome page

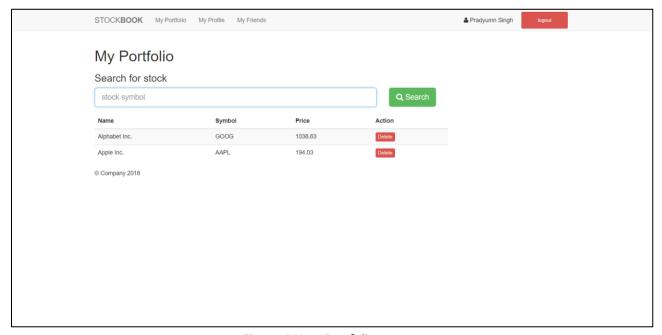


Figure 4 User Portfolio

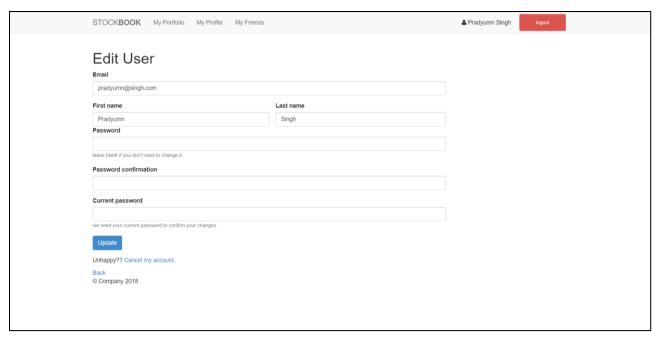


Figure 5 Edit User Details

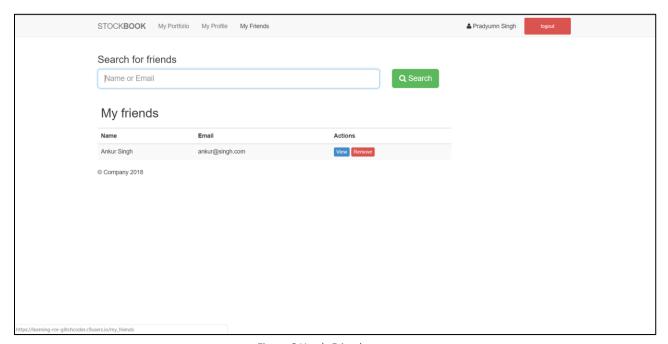


Figure 6 User's Friends

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