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1. Introduction

1.1 Purpose

This document provides a comprehensive architectural overview of the system, using a number of different architectural views to depict different aspects of the system. It is intended to capture and convey the significant architectural decisions which have been made on the system.

1.2 Scope

This Software Architecture Document provides an architectural overview of the Time Monitoring Tool. The Time Monitoring Tool allows developers working within a defined software development process to record the time spent on the various activities, in a database. The TMT will also allow an Administrator to derive analyses and produce reports based on the data entered in the system.

1.3 Definitions, Acronyms, and Abbreviations

See Glossary, document upedu ex gloss.pdf

1.4 References

- 1. TMT Glossary
- 2. TMT Use Case Specification
- 3. TMT Supplementary Specification
- 4. TMT Software Development Plan
- 5. TMT Iteration Plan

2. Architectural Representation

This document presents the architectural as a series of views; use case view, process view, deployment view, and implementation view. These views are presented as Rational Rose Models and use the Unified Modeling Language (UML).

3. Architectural Goals and Constraints

The TMT system to be developed is a stand-alone tool that is integrated within the organization's Intranet. It consists in four major components: a Developer Client Module, a Server Module, a Database, and an Administrator Client Module

All components must execute on a WindowsNT personal computer.

The Developer and Administrator Client Modules must communicate with the server over a TCP/IP connection.

The Server and the Database components should be located on the same host.

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4. Use-Case View

The Use Case View is important input to the selection of the set of scenarios and/or use cases that are the focus of an iteration. It describes the set of scenarios and/or use cases that represent some significant, central functionality. It also describes the set of scenarios and/or use cases that have a substantial architectural coverage (that exercise many architectural elements) or that stress or illustrate a specific, delicate point of the architecture.

Refer to Use-Case Specifications document for more information-upedu ex ucspec.pdf

4.1 Use-Case Realizations

Refer Use Case Realization document - upedu ex ucrea.pdf

5. Logical View

This section describes the architecturally significant parts of the design model, such as its decomposition into subsystems and packages. And for each significant package, its decomposition into classes and class utilities.

5.1 Overview

This subsection describes visually the overall decomposition of the design model in terms of its package hierarchy and layers.

5.2 Architecturally Significant Design Packages

5.2.1 Design Model: Packages Diagrams

The design model represents explicitly the structure and organization of the TMT system. Packages and corresponding classes are presented with a brief description.

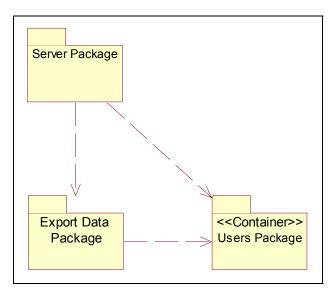


Figure 1: Design Model Packages Level 1

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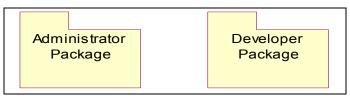


Figure 2: Design Model Packages Level 2 (Users Packages)

5.2.2 Packages Description

5.2.2.1 Level 1 Packages

Server	
Description:	Main System Package. Although this package is dependent of other system packages, this package is the central point of all decisions made in the system. All client queries are managed by this package.
Corresponding classes*:	Observable Observer AdministratorObserver DeveloperObserver TMTServer
Relations:	Main TMT package. Dependant of: Developer, Administrator and Export Data packages
Sub packages :	Users, Export Data

Users	
Description:	Container Package for the Developer and Administrator Modules
Relations:	Is a sub package of the main package Server.
Sub packages :	None.

ExportData	
Description:	This package includes all necessary methods to import or export from/to Excel and MsProject. This package is dependant of the Developer Package: it gets its data from there.
Corresponding classes*:	MSExcel MSProject
Relations:	Is a sub package of the main package Server. Is dependant of the Developer Package.
Sub packages :	Users

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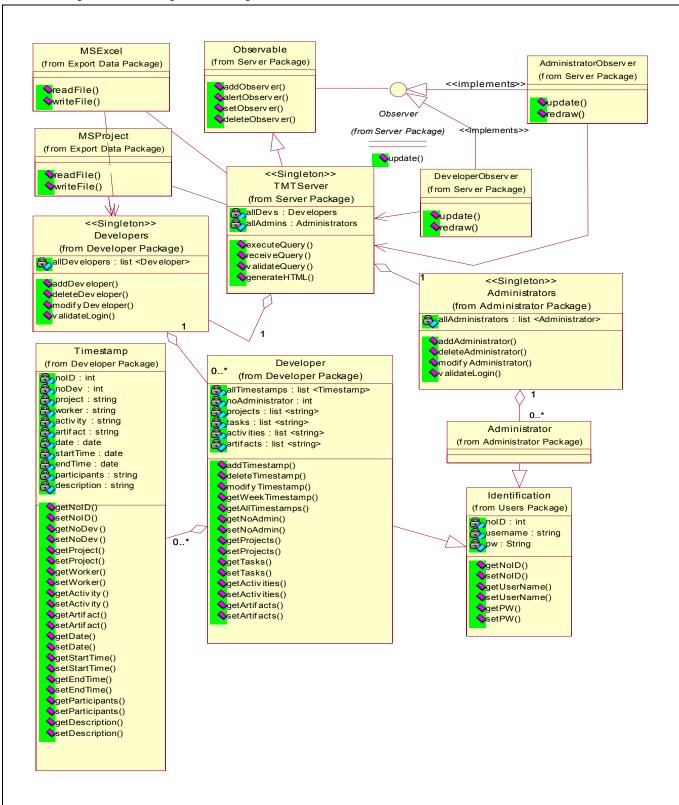
5.2.2.2 Level 2 Packages

Developer	
Description:	This package corresponds to the Developer Module. All information and methods regarding Developers are contained within this package.
Corresponding classes*:	Developers Timestamp Developer Identification
Relations:	Is a sub package of Users.
Sub packages :	None.

Administrator	
Description:	This package corresponds to the Administrator (Manager) Module. All information and methods regarding Administrators are contained within this package
Corresponding classes*:	Administrators Administrator Identification
Relations:	Is a sub package of Users.
Sub packages :	None.

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5.2.3 Design Model: Design Class Diagrams



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5.2.4 Design Classes Description

Property	Description	
Name	Observable	
Description	Abstract class representing the subject to be observed (Template Observer).	
Responsibilities	None that need detailed information.	
Relations	Abstract class, is a TMTServer Class Generalization.	
Methods	AddObserver(): Add a new observer into subject Observers' list.	
	<u>DeleteObserver()</u> : Delete an observer from the subject Observers' list.	
	<u>SetChanged()</u> : Enable subject change.	
	<u>AlertObserver()</u> : Alert engaged observers from subject change.	
Attributes	None	
Special	None	
Requirements		

Property	Description	
Name	Observer	
Description	Abstract class representing the Subject's Observer (Template Observer).	
Responsibilities	None that need detailed information.	
Relations	Abstract class, is a DeveloperObserver & AdministratorObserver	
	Generalization.	
Methods	<u>Update()</u> : Indicates to the observer that the Subject has changed and to	
	update his observations.	
Attributes	None	
Special	None	
Requirements		

Property	Description
Name	DeveloperObserver
Description	Observer (Developer) implementation.
Responsibilities	Observes the TMTServer and alert client when the TMTServer changes.
Relations	Association with TMTServer & is an Observer Implementation.
Methods	<u>Update()</u> : Indicates to the DCM that the TMTServer has changed.
	<u>Redraw()</u> : Indicates to the DCM that its window must be refreshed.
Attributes	None
Special	None
Requirements	

Property	Description
Name	AdministratorObserver
Description	Observer (Administrator) implementation.
Responsibilities	Observes the TMTServer and alert client when the TMTServer changes.
Relations	Association with TMTServer & is an Observer Implementation.
Methods	<u>Update()</u> : Indicates to the MCM that the TMTServer has changed.
	Redraw() : Indicates to the MCM that its window must be refreshed.
Attributes	None
Special	None
Requirements	

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Property	Description	
Name	TMTServer	
Description	Singleton and heart of the system. This class controls all other classes.	
Responsibilities	Ensures that all queries from the clients are received and processed.	
Relations	Is an Observable Implementation. Can be observed by Administrators and	
	Developers. Association with Export and Import modules. Aggregation with	
	Developers and Administrators.	
Methods	ExecuteQuery() : Execute the query	
	ReceiveQuery() : Listens to coming queries	
	<u>ValidateQuery()</u> : Validates the query	
	GenerateHTML() : Generates the query results	
Attributes	AllDevs: Object: Developers' list.	
	AllAdmins : Object: Administrators' list.	
Special	None	
Requirements		

Property	Description
Name	MSProject
Description	Transforms data coming from MSProject or data destined to be exported to MSProject.
Responsibilities	Ensures data importation from MSProject. Ensures data exportation to MSProject
Relations	Association with TMTServer. Dependant of Developers.
Methods	ReadFichier(): Read an MSProject file and add data to the database. WriteFile(): Write an MSProject file with data from the database.
Attributes	None
Special Requirements	None

Property	Description
Name	MSExcel
Description	Transforms data coming from MSExcel or data destined to be exported to MSExcel.
Responsibilities	Ensures data importation from MSExcel.
_	Ensures data exportation to MSExcel
Relations	Association with TMTServer. Dependant of Developers.
Methods	ReadFichier(): Read an MSExcel file and add data to the database.
	WriteFile(): Write an MSExcel file with data from the database.
Attributes	None
Special	None
Requirements	

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Property	Description
Name	Administrators
Description	Singleton containing Administrators' list.
Responsibilities	Maintain an updated list of all Administrators.
Relations	Aggregation to TMTServer. Aggregation to Administrators.
Methods	AddAdministrator(): Add an Administrator to the system
	<u>DeleteAdministrator()</u> : Delete an Administrator from the system.
	ModifyAdministrator() : Modify an Administrator in the system.
	<u>ValidateLogin()</u> : Validates username and password.
Attributes	AllAdministrators: List of all system's Administrators.
Special	None
Requirements	

Property	Description
Name	Developers
Description	Singleton containing Developers' list.
Responsibilities	Maintain an updated list of all Developers.
Relations	Aggregation to TMTServer. Aggregation to Developers.
Methods	AddDeveloper(): Add an Developer to the system
	<u>DeleteDeveloper ()</u> : Delete a Developer from the system.
	ModifyDeveloper () : Modify a Developer in the system.
	ValidateLogin(): Validates username and password.
Attributes	AllAdministrators: List of all system's Developers.
Special	None
Requirements	

Property	Description
Name	Identification
Description	Parent class representing a system user (Administrator or Developer).
Responsibilities	None
Relations	Is an Administrator or a Developer Generalization.
Methods	GetNoID(): Returns user's ID number.
	<u>SetNoID()</u> : Modifies user's ID number.
	GetName(): Returns username.
	SetName(): Modifies username.
	GetPW(): Returns user's password.
	SetPW(): Modify user's password.
Attributes	NoID: User's ID number.
	Name: Username.
	PW: User's Password.
Special	None
Requirements	

Property	Description
Name	Administrator
Description	Represents the Administrator entity.
Responsibilities	Models the Administrator entity.
Relations	Aggregation to Administrators and derived from Identification. An
	Administrator is in the Administrators' list and is based upon a user's
	Identification.

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Methods	None
Attributes	None – Inherited attributes from Identification.
Special	None
Requirements	

Property	Description	
Name	Developer	
Description	Represents the Developer entity.	
Responsibilities	Models the Developer entity.	
Relations	Aggregation to Developers and derived from Identification. A Developer is in	
35.0	the Developers' list and is based upon a user's Identification.	
Methods	AddTimestamp(): Add a timestamp.	
	<u>DeleteTimestamp()</u> : Delete a timestamp.	
	ModifyTimestamp() : Modify a timestamp.	
	GetWeekTimestamps(): Return current week's timestamps.	
	<u>GetAllTimestamps()</u> : Return all timestamps.	
	GetNoAdmin() : Return Developer's Administrator ID number.	
	SetNoAdmin() : Modify Developer's Administrator ID number.	
	GetProjects(): Return Projects' list.	
	SetProjects(): Modify Projects' list.	
	GetTasks(): Return Tasks' list.	
	SetTasks(): Modify Tasks' list.	
	GetActivities(): Return Activities' list.	
	SetActivities(): Modify Activities' list.	
	GetArtifacts(): Return Artifacts' list.	
	SetArtifacts(): Modify Artifacts' list.	
Attributes	allTimestamps: Timestamps' list.	
	NoAdmin: Developer's Administrator ID number.	
	Projects: Projects' list.	
	Tasks: Tasks' list.	
	Activities: Activities' list.	
	Artifacts: Artifacts' list.	
Special	None	
Requirements		

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Property	Description		
Name	Timestamp		
Description	Represents the Timestamp entity.		
Responsibilities	Models the Timestamp entity.		
Relations	Aggregation to Developer. A Developer has 0 or more timestamps.		
Methods	GetNoID(): Return Timestamp's ID		
1120110010	SetNoID(): Modify Timestamp's ID.		
	GetNoDev(): Return Timestamp's associated Developer ID.		
	SetNoDev(): Modify Timestamp's associated Developer ID.		
	GetProject(): Return Timestamp's associated Project.		
	SetProject(): Modify Timestamp's associated Project.		
	GetWorker(): Return Timestamp's associated Role (worker).		
	SetWorker() : Modify Timestamp's associated Role (worker)		
	GetActivity(): Return Timestamp's associated Activity.		
	SetActivity() : Modify Timestamp's associated Activity.		
	GetArtifact() : Return Timestamp's associated Artifact.		
	SetArtifact() : Modify Timestamp's associated Artifact.		
	GetDate() : Return Timestamp's Date.		
	SetDate() : Modify Timestamp's Date.		
	GetStartTime() : Return Timestamp's Starting Hour.		
	SetStartTime() : Modify Timestamp's Starting Hour.		
	GetEndTime() : Return Timestamp's Ending Hour.		
	SetEndTime() : Modify Timestamp's Ending Hour.		
	GetParticipants(): Return Timestamp's Participants.		
	SetParticipants(): Modify Timestamp's Participants.		
	GetDescription(): Return Timestamp's Description.		
	SetDescription(): Modify Timestamp's Description.		
Attributes	NoID: Timestamp's ID.		
	NoDev: Timestamp's associated Developer ID		
	Project: Timestamp's associated Project.		
	Worker: Timestamp's associated Role (worker)		
	Activity: Timestamp's associated Activity.		
	Artifact: Timestamp's associated Artifact.		
	<u>Date</u> : Timestamp's Date.		
	StartTime: Timestamp's Starting Hour.		
	EndTime: Timestamp's Ending Hour.		
	Participants: Timestamp's Participants. Description: Timestamp's Description.		
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6. Interface Description

See User Interface documents - upedu_ex_uiprt.pdf

7. Size and Performance

The selected architecture supports the sizing and timing requirements through the implementation of a client-server architecture. The client portion is implemented on local campus PCs or remote dial up PCs. The components have been designed to ensure that minimal disk and memory requirements are needed on the PC client portion.

8. Quality

The software architecture supports the quality requirements, as stipulated in the Software Requirements Specification and Supplementary Specification