Restaurant Management System

Project Overview and Workflow

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Introduction

- The Restaurant Management System is a web-based application developed using the Laravel PHP framework.
- It streamlines and automates daily restaurant operations, including food menu, orders, table bookings, customer reviews, and employee management.
- The system is designed for both administrators and customers, with role-specific features and permissions.

Project Objectives

- Simplify restaurant operations through digital management.
- Provide a user-friendly interface for staff and customers.
- Ensure secure authentication and role-based access.
- Enable efficient handling of orders, bookings, and reviews.

Main Features

- Menu Management: Manage food items, categories, and prices.
- Table Booking: Allow customers to book tables online.
- Order Management: Place, update, and track orders.
- Cart System: Customers can add items to their cart before ordering.
- **Invoice Generation:** Automatic invoice creation for completed orders.
- Customer Reviews: Collect and display feedback from customers.
- Authentication: Secure login and registration for all users.
- Employee Management: Add, update, view, and remove employees.

User Roles

- Administrator: Manages menu, tables, reservations, reviews, and employees. Has full access to all system features.
- Customer: Browses menu, books tables, places orders, and leaves reviews.

How the System Works

- Users register and log in based on their roles.
- Administrators manage the restaurant's resources such as reservations, food items, and tables.
- Oustomers browse the menu, add items to the cart, and place orders or book tables.
- Invoices are automatically generated, and customers can leave feedback.
- 4 All actions are secured and logged for accountability.

Database Tables

- The system uses a relational database to store and manage data.
- Total number of tables: 9
- The main tables include:
 - users
 - employees
 - foods
 - orders
 - tables
 - books
 - reviews
 - carts
 - invoices

Database Table Structures

Summary of Main Tables and Columns:

- users: id, name, email, password, role
- employees: id, name, role, phone, salary, shift_timing, date_of_joining
- foods: id, name, description, price, image, category
- orders: id, user_id, total_amount, status
- tables: id, table_number, capacity, status
- reviews: id, user_id, rating, comment
- carts: id, user_id, food_id, quantity
- invoices: id, order_id, amount
- books: id, user_id, table_id, date, time, status

Technology Stack

- Backend: Laravel (PHP)
- Frontend: Blade templating engine, HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- Database: MySQL
- Authentication: Laravel Fortify and Jetstream
- Deployment: Hostinger
- Other Tools: Composer, NPM, Livewire

Conclusion

- The Restaurant Management System provides a comprehensive solution for managing restaurant operations efficiently.
- It enhances productivity, improves customer experience, and ensures secure, role-based access to all features.
- The modular design allows for easy maintenance and future expansion.

Thank you!