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4 Project 4

4.1 General

- The main goal is to implement an application using the JDBC database.
- The GUI specification is to display screens for movies and cinemas.
- The project must be self-contained.
 - 1. It is not permitted to connect to commercial servers and/or databases.
 - 2. The project must be 100% your work.
- Trademark/copyright. To avoid problems with trademark and copyright (no matter how minor the possibility), project submissions will be required to use fictitious move titles and cinema names.

4.2 Read only screens

- The following functionality must be supported.
- The implementation of the functionality can employ buttons and/or pulldown menus.
- The following GUIs are read only.
- Public access: a password is NOT required to access the screens below.
- No date: we can only view movies playing today, not "upcoming features" etc.

4.2.1 Movies

• Display a list of currently playing movies.

• Ratings filter:

- 1. It should be possible to apply a "ratings" filter.
- 2. For example a pulldown menu (or some array) of ratings, maybe with an item called "All" in the list.
- 3. Highlight one or more rows and display movies whose ratings are in the highlighted list.
- 4. The default selection is "All" so all movies are displayed unless another choice is made.

• Highlight and double-click a movie:

- 1. Display a **read-only GUI** of all cinemas where the movie is playing.
- 2. Also display the show times of the movie at each cinema where it is playing.

4.2.2 Cinemas

• Display a list of cinemas.

• Map:

- 1. The client should be able to enter an "address" and a "radius" (in text fields).
- 2. Hence this is not "read only" but the movies and cinemas information is read only.
- 3. Display only cinemas where (distance \leq radius) from the client's location (address).
- 4. All cinemas and client addresses are (x, y) coordinates in a square $0 \le x, y \le 100$.
- 5. If either the address or radius field is blank, display all the cinemas.

• Highlight and double-click a cinema:

- 1. Display a **read only GUI** of all the movies currently playing at that cinema.
- 2. Also display the show times of every movie currently playing at that cinema.

4.3 Administrator

- An "administrator" is authorized to insert/delete rows in the database.
 - 1. The administrator GUI is password protected.
 - 2. However, there is only one administrator.
 - 3. Hence an account name is not required (and the password can be "admin").
- The administrator inserts new movies and deletes old movies.
- The administrator inserts new cinemas and deletes cinemas which are out of business.
- A movie has a title and a rating.
- Two movies cannot have the same title.
- A cinema has a name and address.
- Two cinemas cannot have the same name and/or address.
- Each movie has a list of cinemas where it plays (i.e. general or limited release).
- Each cinema has a list of show times for every movie it plays.
 - 1. Show times can be matine (e.g. 1 or 1:30 pm), afternoon (4 or 5 pm), evening (e.g. 7/8/9 pm) and late-nite (midnight?).
 - 2. A movie will be required to play at different times in different cinemas, e.g. 7 pm at some locations and 8 pm at other locations.
- For every new movie inserted into the database, the administrator must input the cinemas where it plays and the show times at each location.
 - 1. For simplicity, let us say there will be not more than five cinemas totally.
 - 2. Possibly one cinema can be deleted and a new cinema can be added.
 - 3. Also, a cinema has not more than three show times for any individual movie.
- It is your responsibility to create a suitable database schema and tables to contain the relevant cross-indexing information between the movies and the cinemas.

4.4 Suggestions

- The initial setup will be tedious.
- But after that new items will be added/deleted one at a time.
- A suggestion is to have four cinemas initially.
 - 1. Multiplex (plays all rated titles, general and limited release).
 - 2. Odeon (plays all rated titles, general release only).
 - 3. Mom & Pop Movies (plays PG-13 and lower only, general release only).
 - 4. Indie Arts Theater (plays only titles rated R and above, also non-rated movies).
- A suggestion is to have four movies initially.
 - 1. One limited release movie.
 - 2. One non-rated documentary movie.
 - 3. There are five ratings categories (G, PG, PG-13, R, NC17).
 - 4. New movies can be added later so that there is at least one movie for each rating.

4.5 SM370

- All submissions must implement one movie with the title SM370.
- $\bullet\,$ Rated NC-17 for extreme violence and nudity.
- It plays only at the Indie Arts Theater, midnight showing only.