Movie Ticket Booking System

A CLI-based system in Python for booking movie tickets.

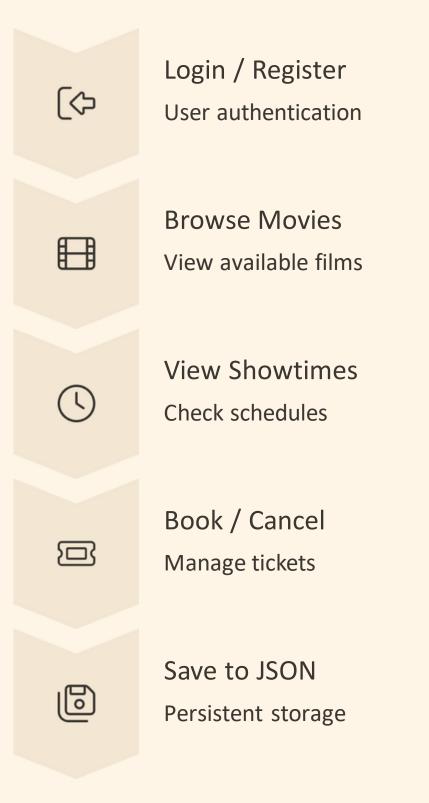
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INTRODUCTION

- The Movie Ticket Booking System is a Python-based command-line application designed to simplify the process of browsing, booking, and managing movie tickets.
- It supports both regular users and administrators, allowing users to view available movies, check showtimes, select seats, and manage their bookings, while admins can add or remove movies and showtimes.
- The system uses a JSON file for data storage, ensuring portability and ease of use without external dependencies.
- With features like seat maps, loyalty points, and fun Easter eggs, this project demonstrates practical object-oriented programming and user-friendly CLI design.

System Architecture



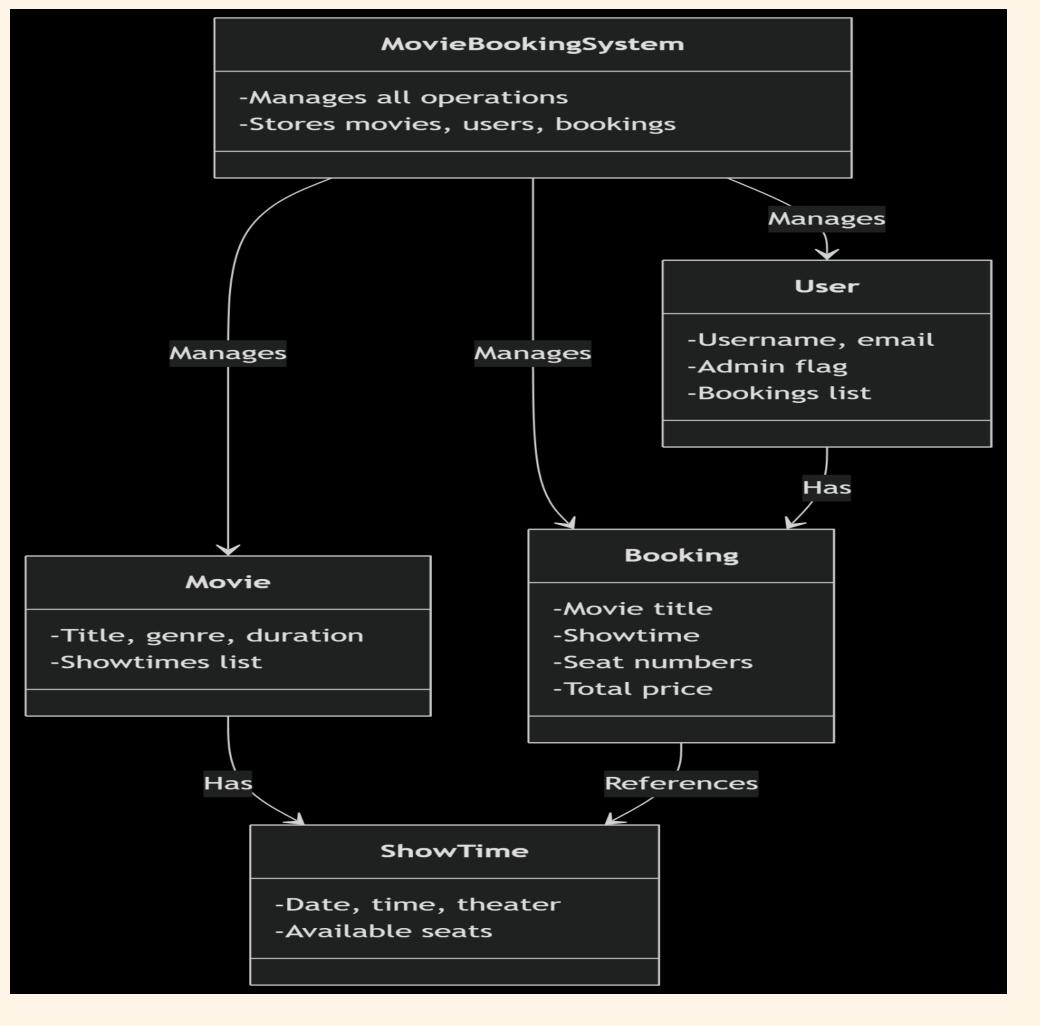


Fig: System Architecture

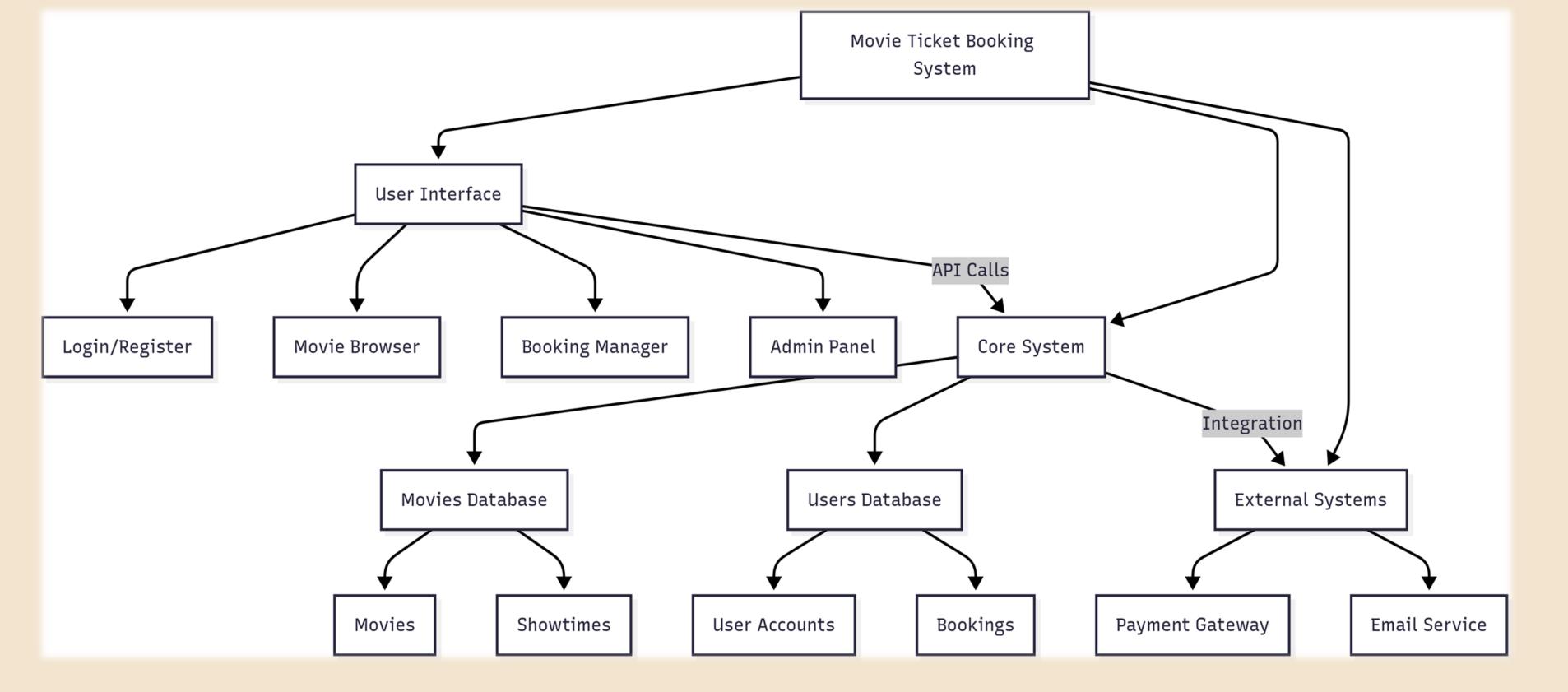


Fig: System Block Diagram

SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

Modules:

- Movie: Movie details (title, genre, price, etc.)
- ShowTime: Showtimes and seat management
- Booking: User bookings and status
- User: User/admin accounts and bookings
- MovieBookingSystem: Main controller (data loading, user actions)

Data Flow:

- User/Admin interacts via CLI
- System loads/saves data from a JSON file (movie_system_data.json)
- All actions (browse, book, cancel, admin ops) update in-memory objects and persist to file

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Key Features

User Features

- Browse Movies
 - Explore available films 🞬
- View Showtimes
 - Check movie schedules (2)
- Book/Cancel Tickets
 - Manage reservations
- Booking History & Loyalty

Review past bookings and points 🙎



- Add/Remove Movies
 - Manage film catalog + -
- Add/Remove Showtimes
 - Control screening times 🕐 🗓
- View All Bookings
 - Access user reservation data 📊

User Workflows

User Login

Simple username-based login.

Admin users require a password.

Sample Credentials: Admin: admin / 12345 User: sudip (no password)



Booking Flow

Select Movie

Choose desired film.

Choose Showtime

Pick a convenient slot.

View Seat Map

Available () vs. Booked ().

Enter Seats

e.g., A,1;B,2.

Confirm & Get ID

Finalize booking.

Design Decisions

Why JSON Files?

Simplicity & Portability

No external dependencies

Easy manual inspection

Why Class Structure?

Object-Oriented Design

Modularity & Reusability

Movie ShowTimes

CLI Focus

Platform-Independent

Easy Demo & Testing

Ideal for Learning

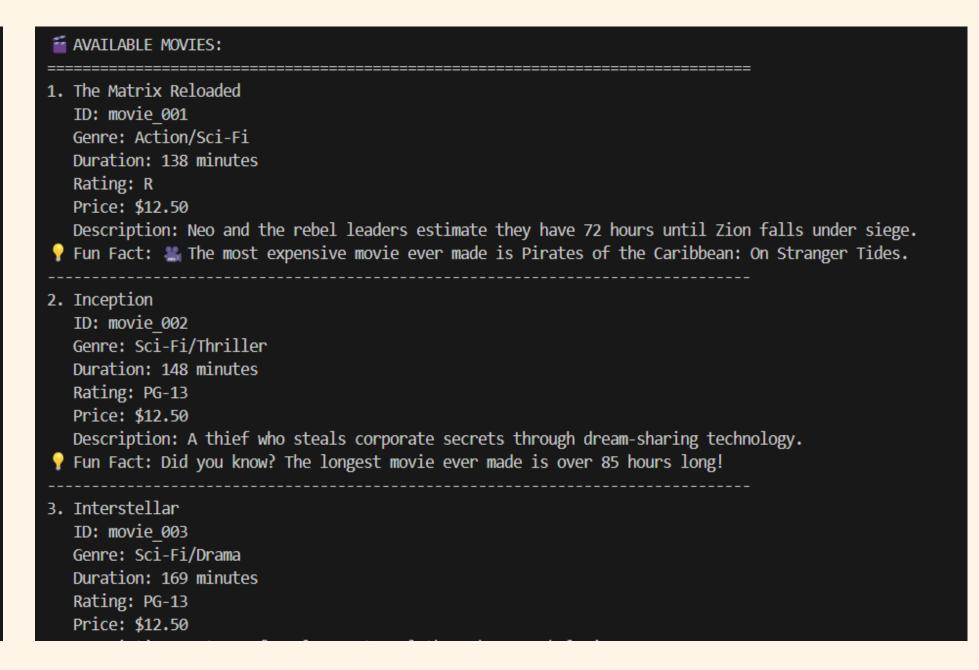
Screenshots

Visual examples of the CLI interface:

```
Enter your choice: 3
Finter showtime ID: show_movie_003_003
L SEAT MAP (■Available, X Booked):
    1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10
A: (3)
D: 000000000
J: 000000000

← To book, enter seats as e.g. A,1 or B,5 (row letter, column number). Multiple seats: A,1;B,2;C,3

L Enter seat(s) (e.g. A,1 or B,2;C,3): B,1
✓ Confirm booking? (y/n): y
Booking successful! Booking ID: 0aa67d35
```



Fun Extras



Loyalty Points

Earn points per seat booked. Users earn loyalty points every time they complete a booking.. This is shown in the "My Bookings" section, where each booking displays the number of seats (and thus points) earned.

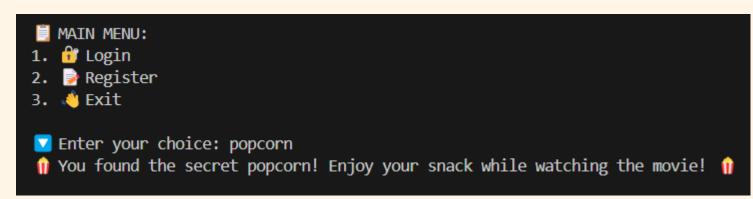


Lucky Draw

Random surprise on booking completion. After a successful booking, there is a mini-game: a random number is generated, and if the result matches a certain value (e.g., 3 out of 1–5), the user receives a surprise message:



Type "popcorn" for a surprise!





Fun Facts

Discover trivia while browsing.

```
ID: movie_001
Genre: Action/Sci-Fi
Duration: 138 minutes
Rating: R
Price: $12.50
Description: Neo and the rebel leaders estimate they have 72 hours until Zion falls under siege.

▼ Fun Fact: ↑ Popcorn was first sold in movie theaters in 1912!
```

Data & File Handling

```
`movie_system_data.json`
```

```
Centralized storage for:
```

```
MoviesUsersBookings
```

Auto-initializes with sample data on first run.

```
"movies": [
    "movie_id": "movie_001",
   "title": "Avengers: Endgame",
   "genre": "Action/Adventure",
   "duration": 181,
   "rating": "PG-13",
   "description": "The Avengers assemble once more to reverse Thanos' actions.",
    "price": 15.0,
   "showtimes": [
        "showtime id": "show movie 001 0 0",
        "movie id": "movie 001",
       "date": "2025-07-07",
        "time": "10:00",
       "theater": "Theater A",
        "total seats": 50,
       "booked seats": []
        "showtime id": "show movie 001 0 1",
        "movie id": "movie 001",
       "date": "2025-07-07",
        "time": "13:30",
        "theater": "Theater B",
       "total seats": 50,
        "booked_seats": []
```

I/O Operations

All input/output handled using Python's built-in json module.

Ensures data persistence between sessions.

```
import jsondef load_data(): with open('movie_system_data.json',
'r') as f: return json.load(f)def save_data(data): with
  open('movie_system_data.json', 'w') as f: json.dump(data, f,
  indent=4)
```

Requirements & Setup



3.7+ Python Version Required



No External Libraries

Run Instructions:

python "Movie_Ticket_Booking_system.py"



Thank You!

Your feedback is welcome!