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# DESIGN DOCUMENT

for

## E-COMMERCE WEBSITE

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# **1 Introduction**

## **1.1 Purpose**

The purpose of this document is to describe the implementation of E-commerce website described in the E-commerce software requirements specification. The E-commerce website is an all in one platform for buyers and sellers to come together.

## **1.2 Scope**

This document describes the implementation details of the E-commerce software. This software will consist of two major functions first to design sessions which are made up of a series of tasks and second to perform these sessions to perform the tasks as per the design. This document will not specify any actual sessions or the testing of this software.

## 2 Design Overview

### 2.1 Technologies Used

The E-commerce website can be accessed by any user with a browser in his/her operating system which supports java Script and an active internet connection. There is no specific target platform for this software as the technologies used to build the software are compatible with most browsers. The technologies used to build the software are

1. **Front-end:** HTML,CSS,Bootstrap,Java Script,React JS
2. **Back-end:** Python,Django
3. **Database:** PostgreSQL
4. **Hosting:** Heroku

### 2.2 System Architecture

We have used MVC architecture in our website. MVC stands for Model-View-Controller. The MVC pattern is a software architecture pattern that separates data presentation from the logic of handling user interactions. It has also been described as one of the best ways to create client-server applications, all of the best frameworks for web are all built around the MVC concept. As we are developing a website MVC seemed to be the best architecture to implement. To break it down, here's a general overview of the MVC Concept:

- **Model:** This handles your data representation, it serves as an interface to the data stored in the database itself, and also allows you to interact with your data without having to get perturbed with all the complexities of the underlying database. In this E-commerce website we use the models made with the ORM feature in **Django** which include the USER model, PRODUCTS model.etc these models serve as the interface to the data in the database and reduce the complexity.
- **View:** As the name implies, it represents what you see while on your browser for a web application or in the UI for a desktop application. The views in the E-commerce website are made and handled using the **ReactJS** library which handles all the rendering and routing of the HTML pages being served to the client.

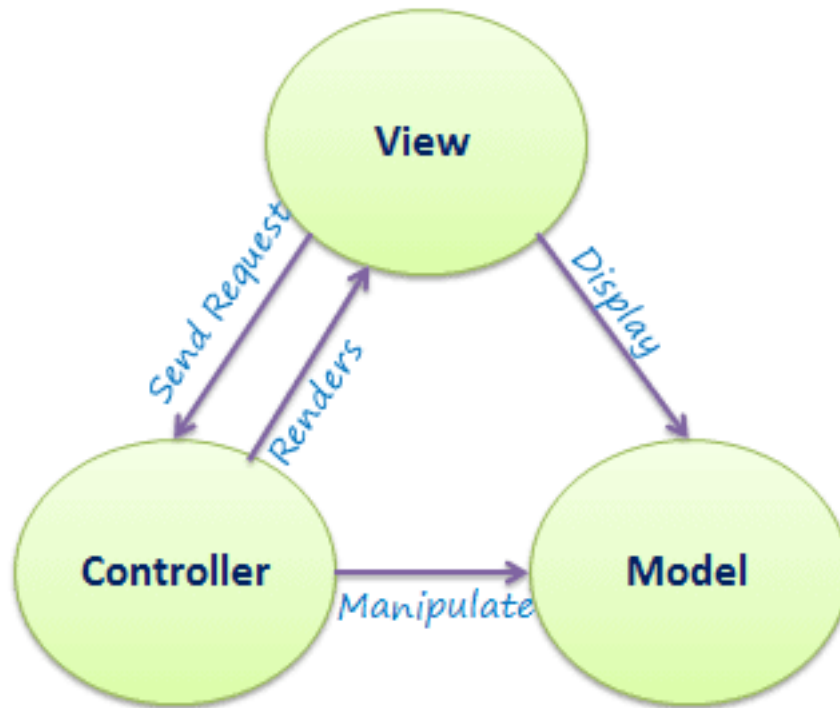


Figure 2.1: Functions Of MVC

- **Controller:** provides the logic to either handle presentation flow in the view or update the model's data i.e it uses programmed logic to figure out what is pulled from the database through the model and passed to the view, also gets information from the user through the view and implements the given logic by either changing the view or updating the data via the model. the Controller in Our website is implemented using the **Django REST framework** as it handles all the API calls to the database and it acts a medium between model and view and fetches data from postgres database and displays it in JSON format in UI which is implemented using ReactJS.

## 2.3 System Operation

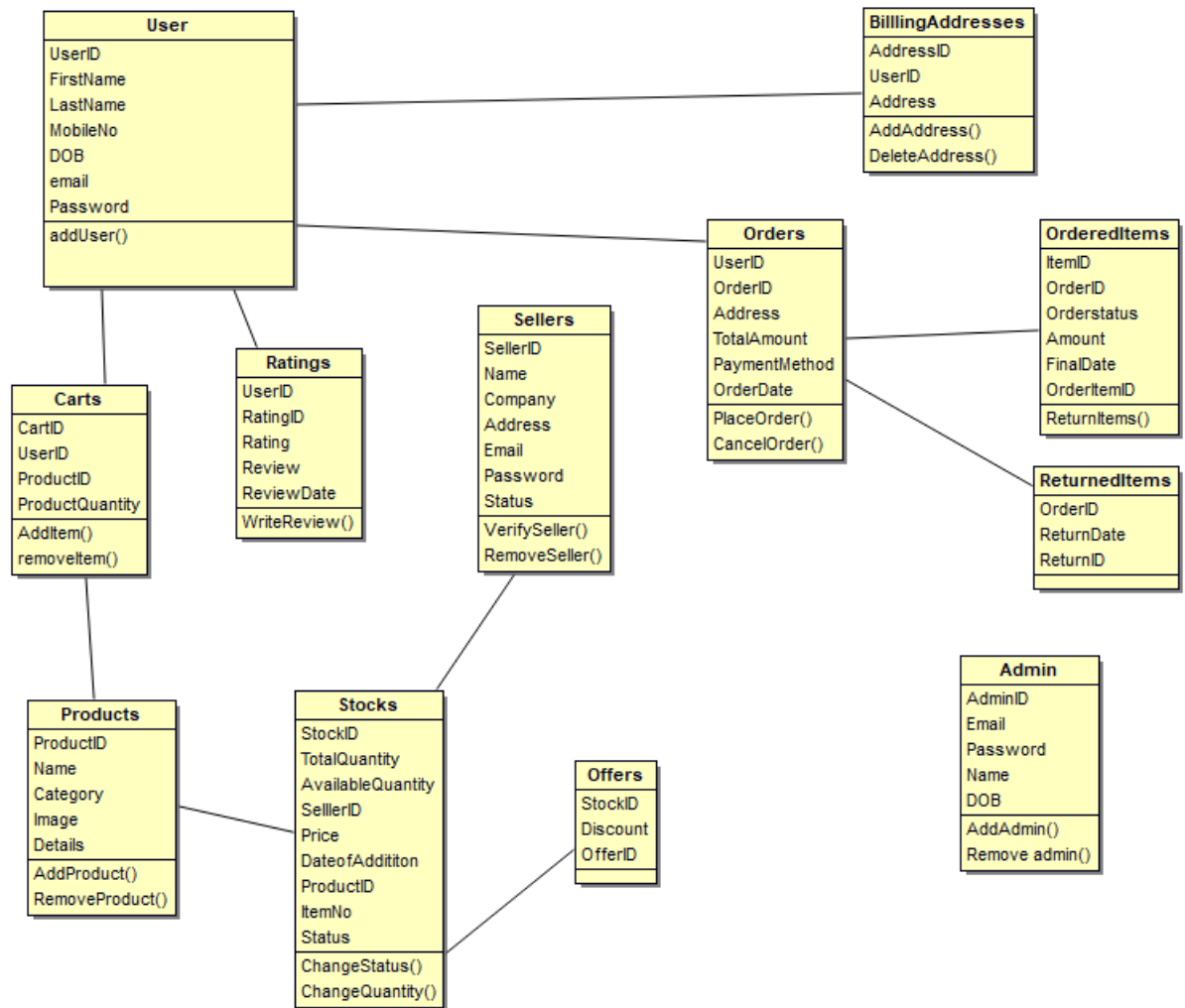


Figure 2.2: Different Tables and their functions

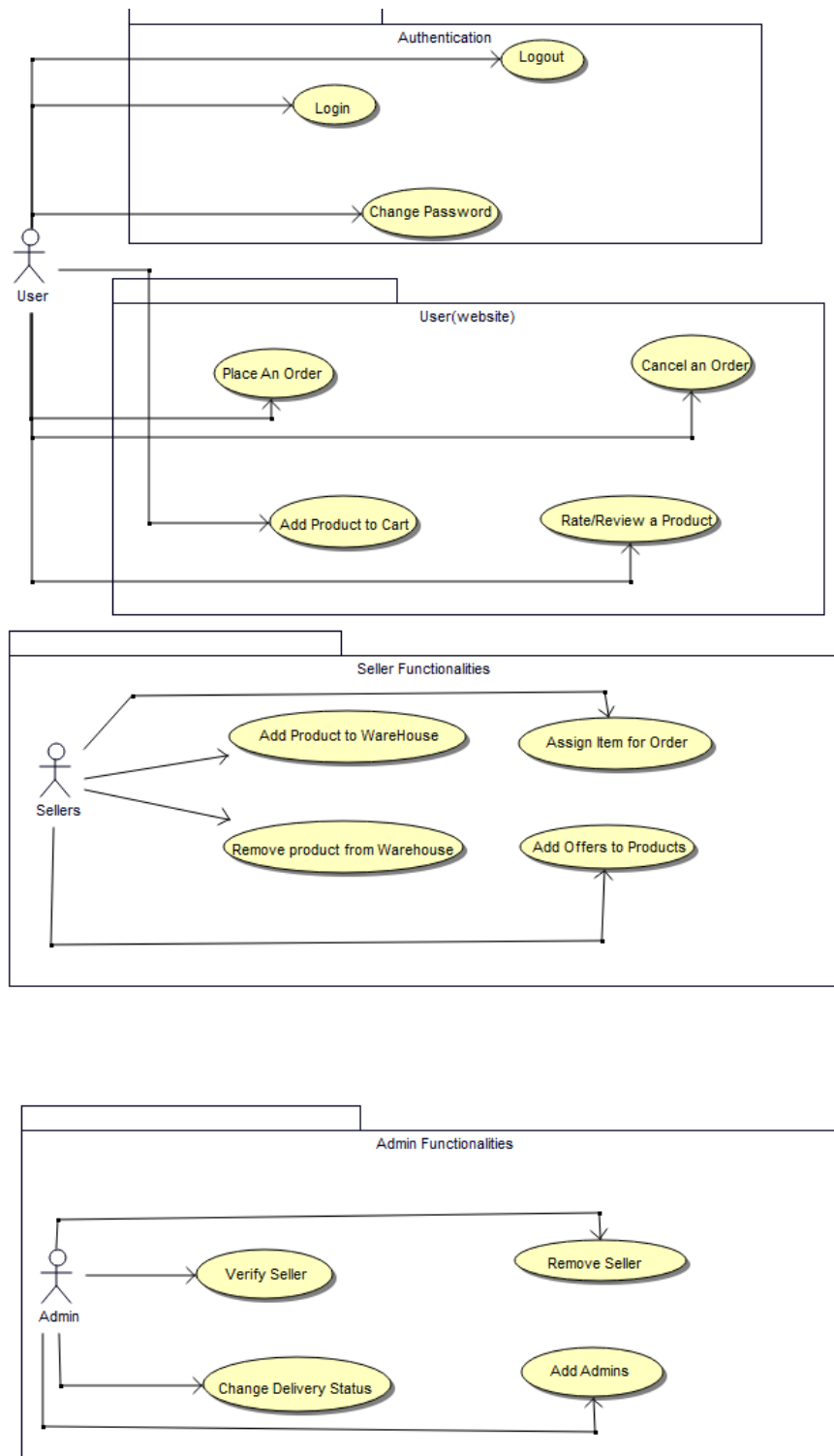


Figure 2.3: Different Types of User and Their Functionalities

### 3 User Interface

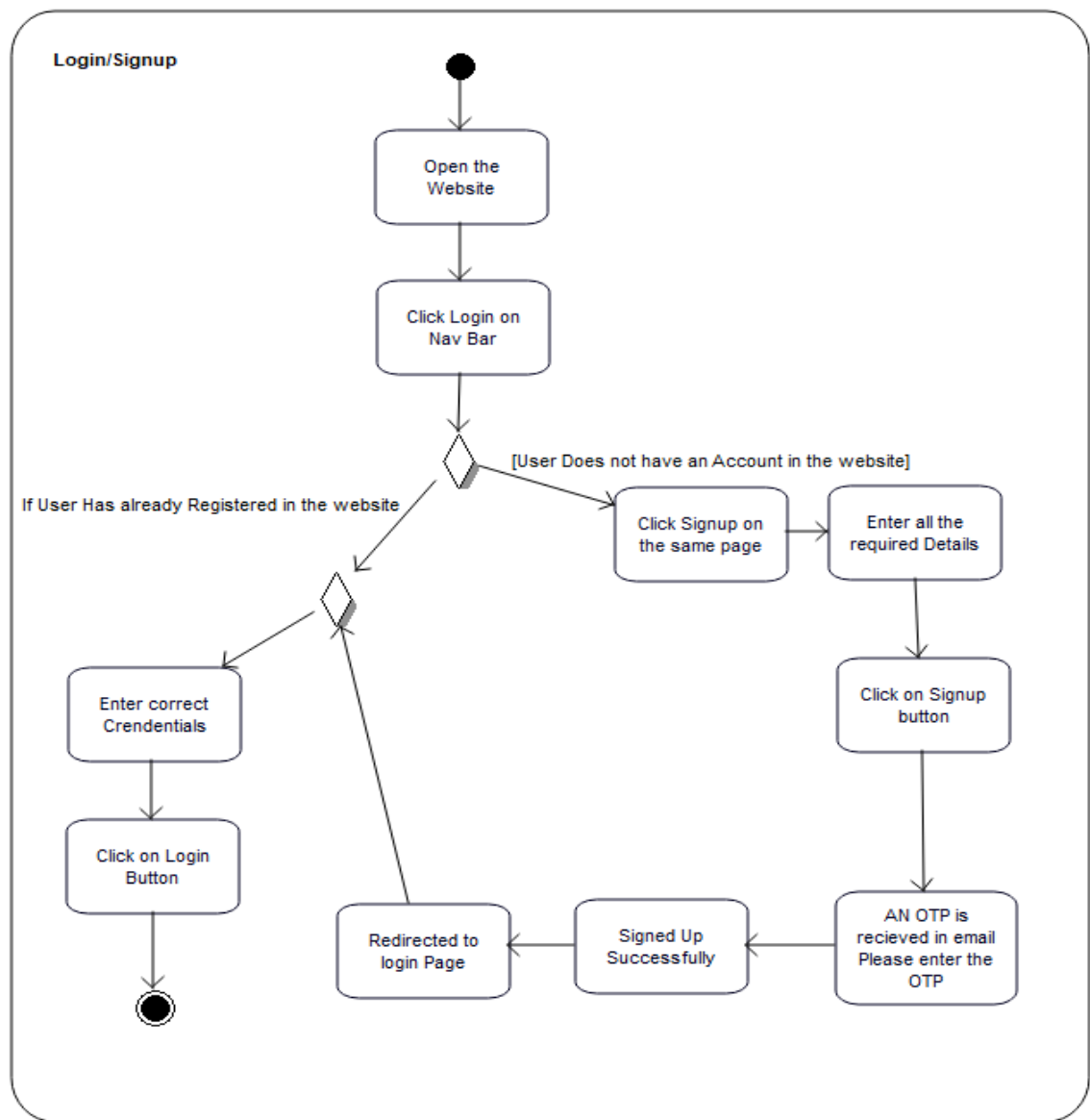


Figure 3.1: Login/Sign-up



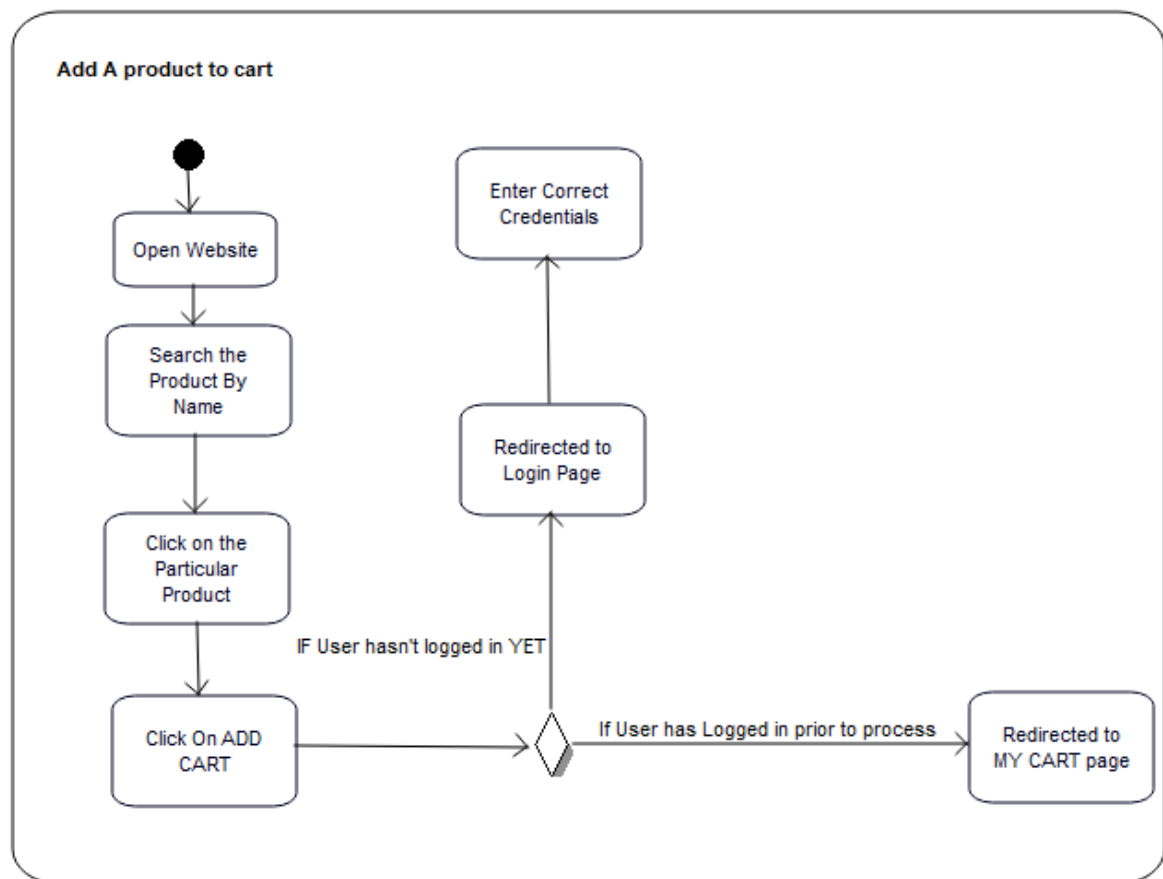


Figure 3.2: Adding A Product To CART

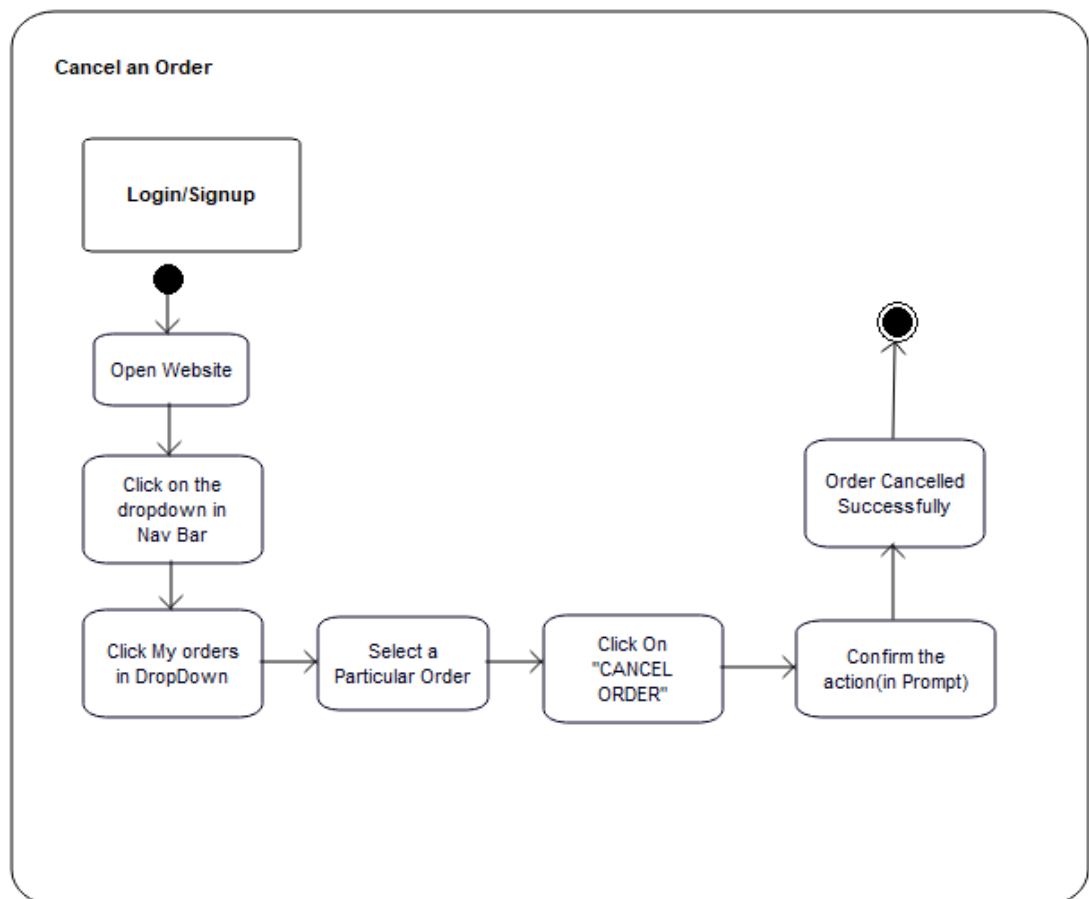


Figure 3.3: Cancel an Placed Order

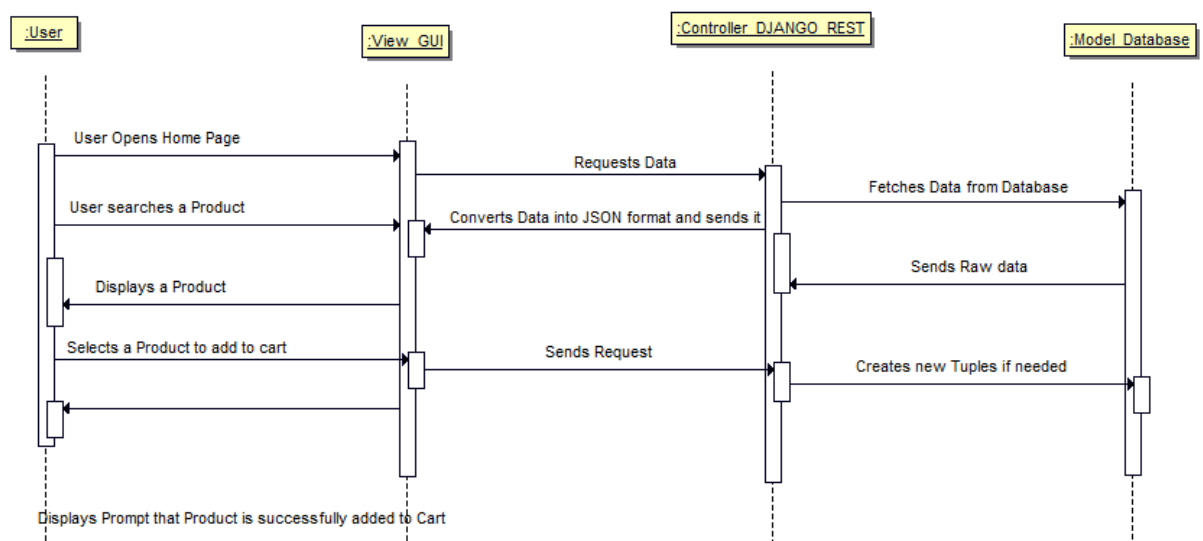


Figure 3.4: Sequence diagram for Adding a Product To Cart

## 4 Seller Interface

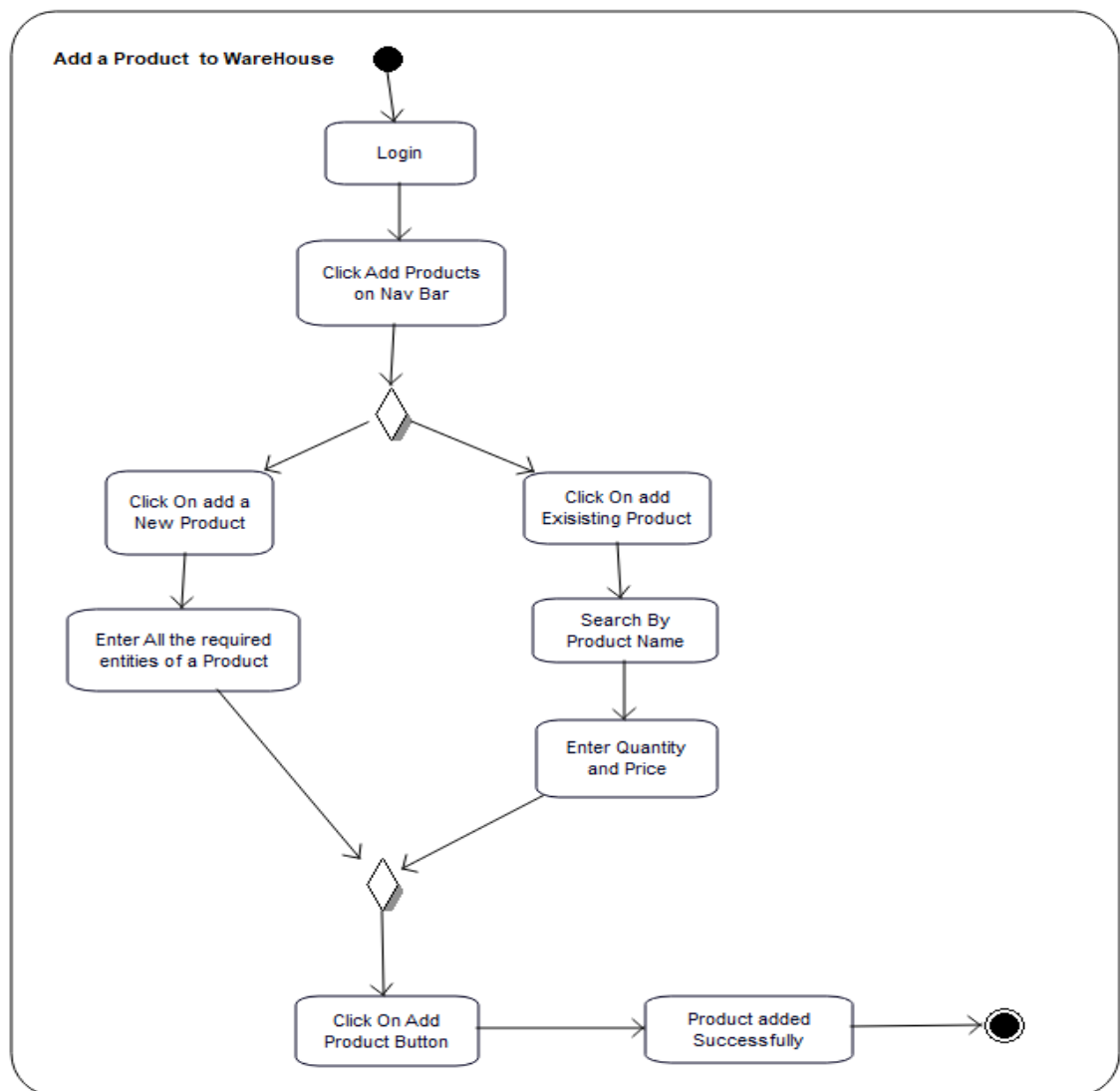


Figure 4.1: Add A product To Warehouse

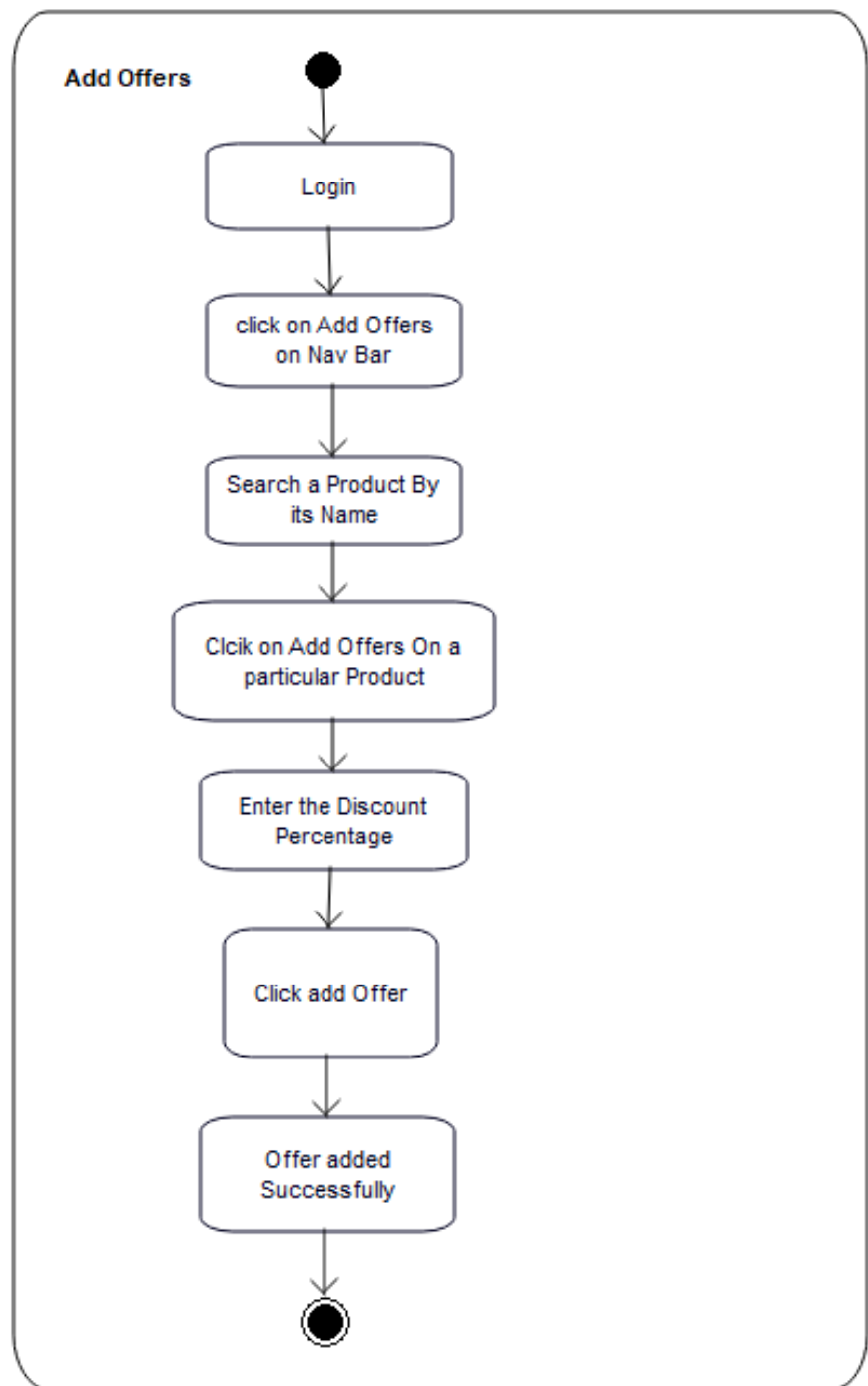


Figure 4.2: Include Offer For a Product

## 5 Admin Interface

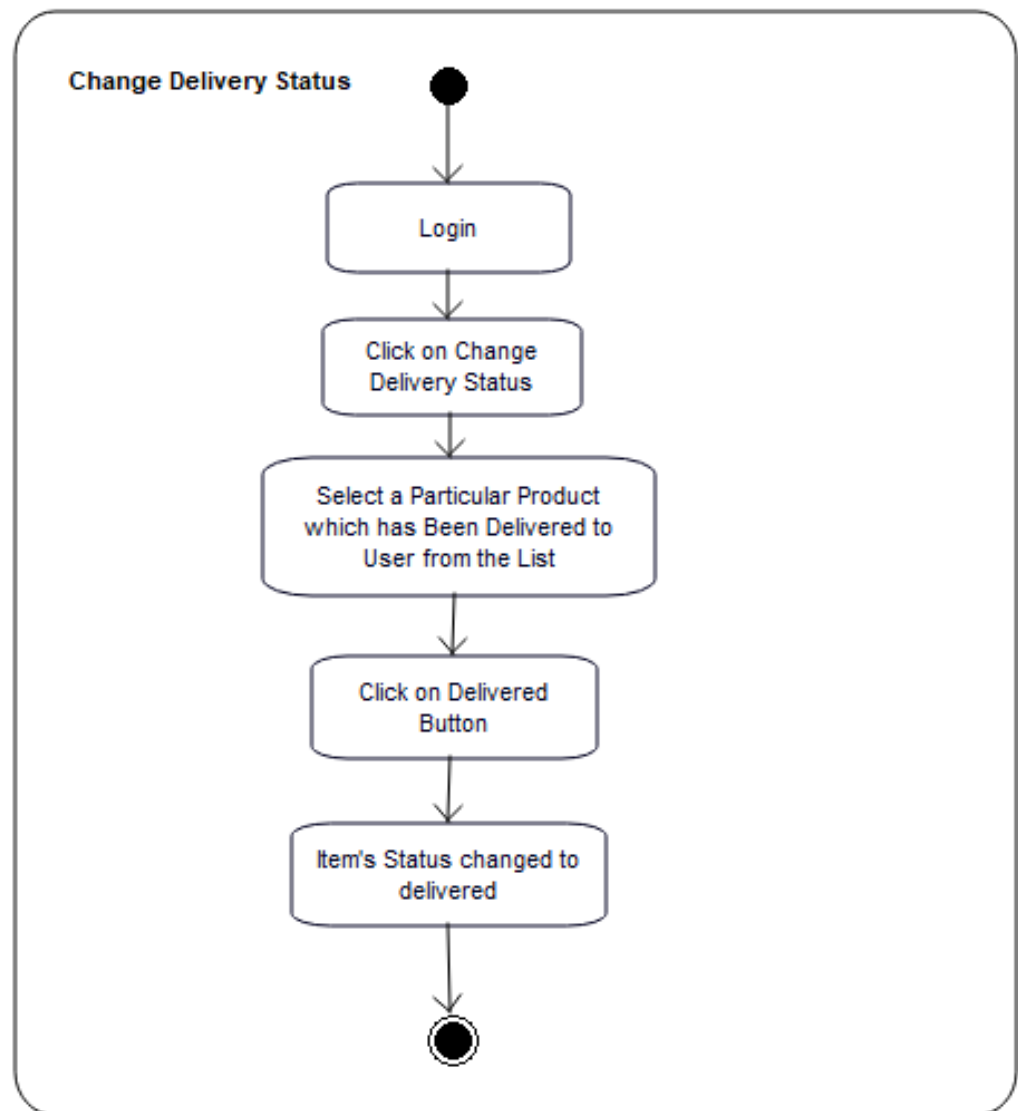


Figure 5.1: Caption

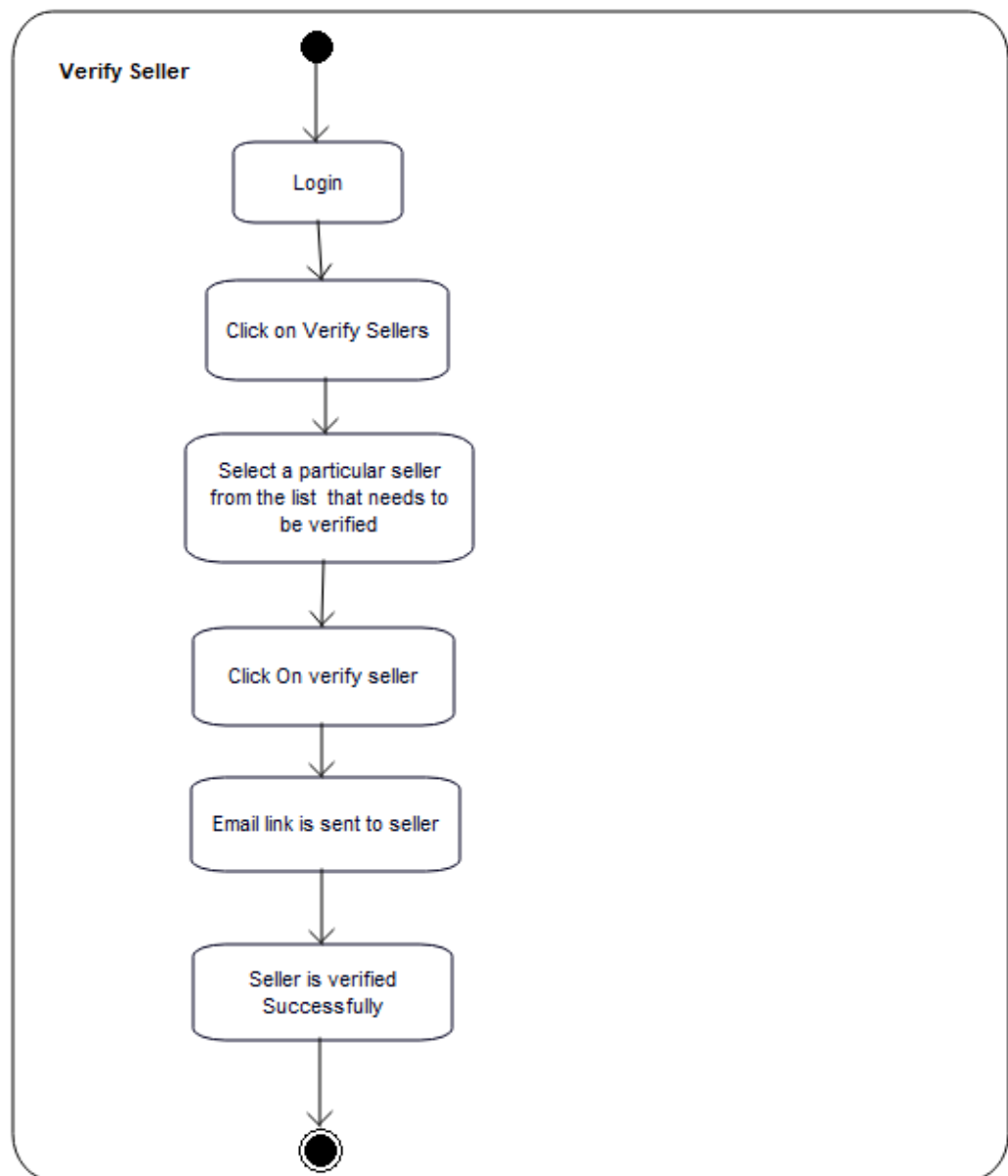


Figure 5.2: verify Sellers