

USER MANUAL iCrawler

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1 Overview

iCrawler is a monitoring app available for Android only. The objective of the mobile monitoring application is to display and assist in understanding the activities performed by a mobile user as well as shedding more light into the behaviour of the mobile user. The mobile monitoring application generates reports giving the investigator quick and comprehensive data/logs. The app uses the device's internet connection to send the data logs collected from the phone to a desktop-dashboard for review. The app is absolutely free to download.

WHY USE iCRAWLER:

- Child monitoring
iCrawler can be use by parents/guardians to monitor activities that their minor children get up to.
- Employee monitoring
Companies that give their employees mobile devices can use the *iCrawler* to monitor any unauthorized activities that employees may get up to.

2 Configuration

 iCrawler	
Stable release	1.0
Development status	Active
Operating System	Android 4.2+
Platform	Android
Internet connection	Yes
Available in	English
Type	Monitoring App
License	Free
Website	www.github.com/u11241617/COS301-Mobile-Monitoring-App

3 Installation

- **App installation**

Installation of the mobile iCrawler application is as follows. For the mobile iCrawler application all that is required is for the apk (Android Application Kit) file to be downloaded onto the device and installed. The user then needs to read the terms and conditions and register on the application or login if already registered.

- **Server installation**

iCrawler uses Java EE and glassfish 4 on the server side. Download and install MySQL and xampp. Then download the glassfish4 files. Once finished downloading and installing MySQL and xampp download MySQL connector and place it in the glassfish lib folder.

Figure 1: Download and add the MySQL connector in the glassfish lib folder.

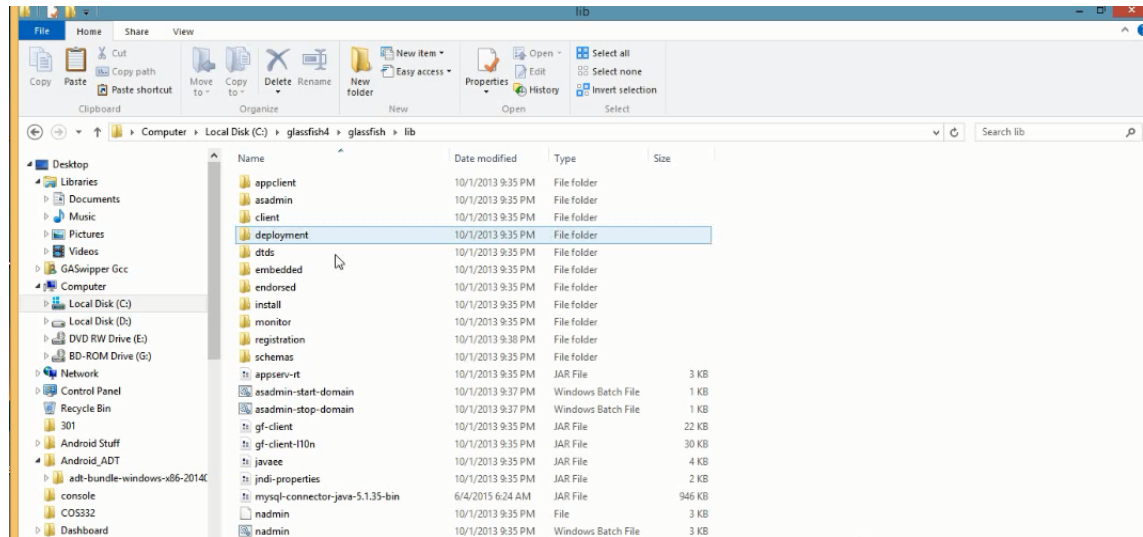


Figure 2: Create pool in glassfish localhost.

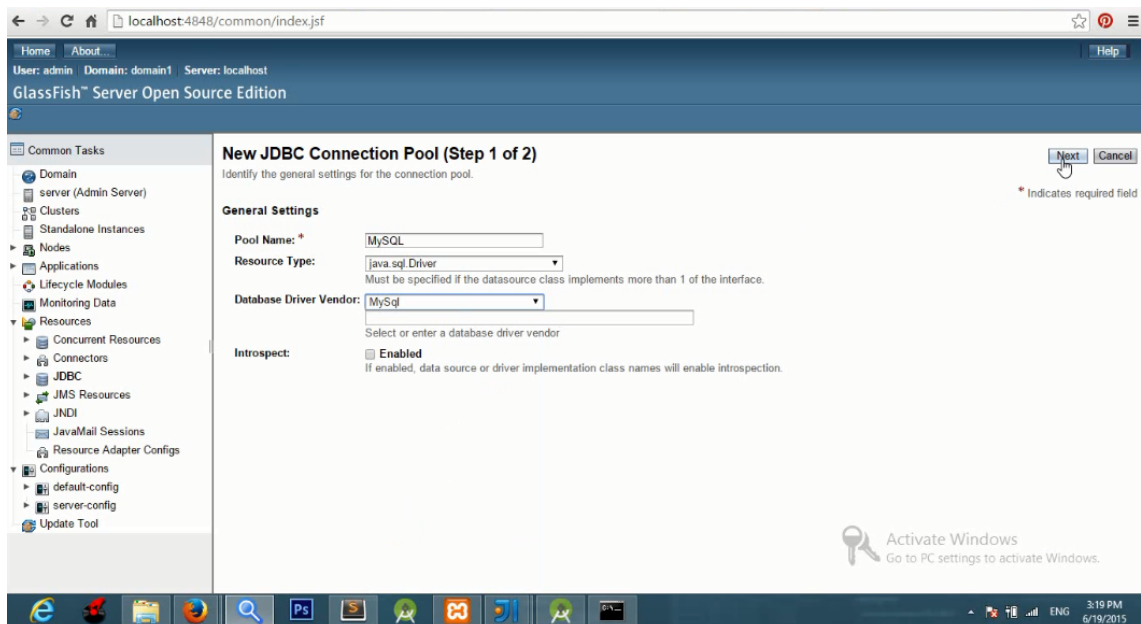


Figure 3: Create pool in glassfish localhost.

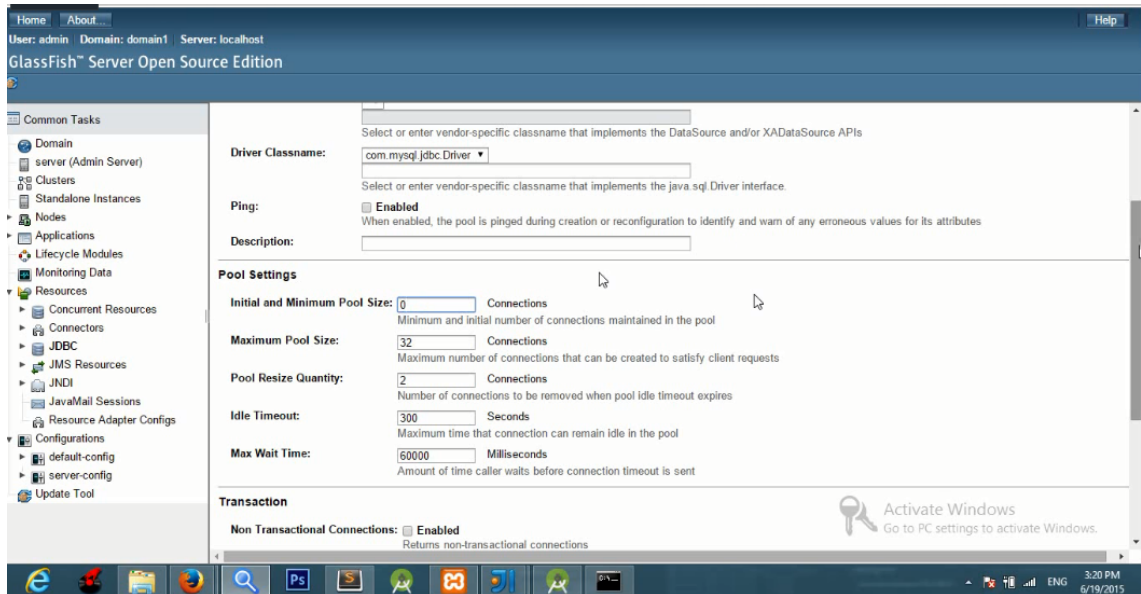


Figure 4: Create pool in glassfish localhost.

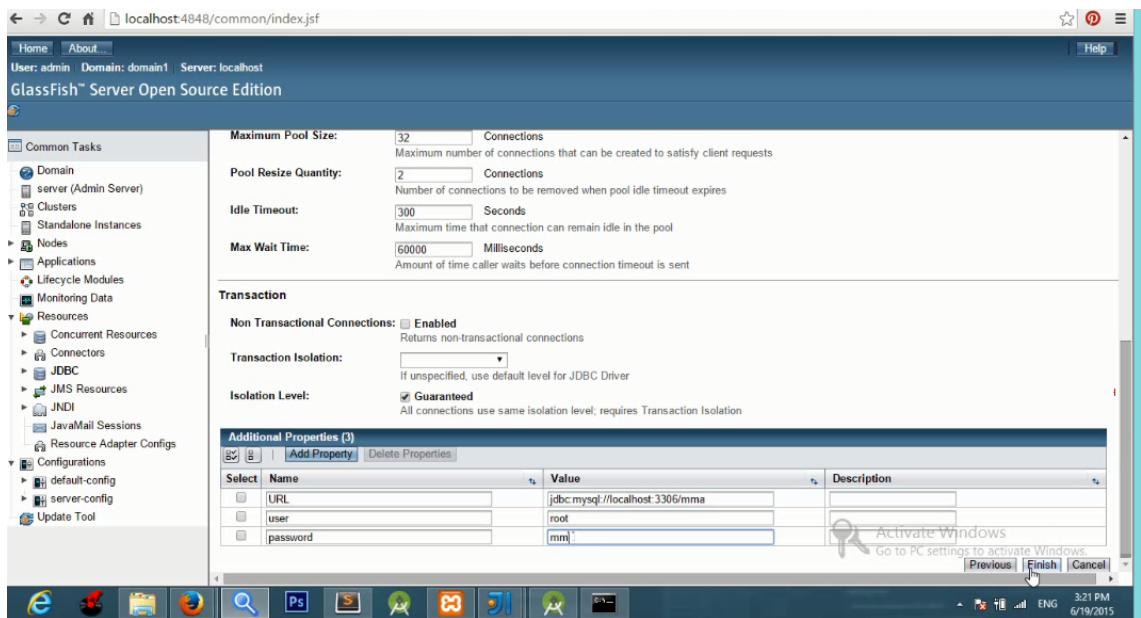
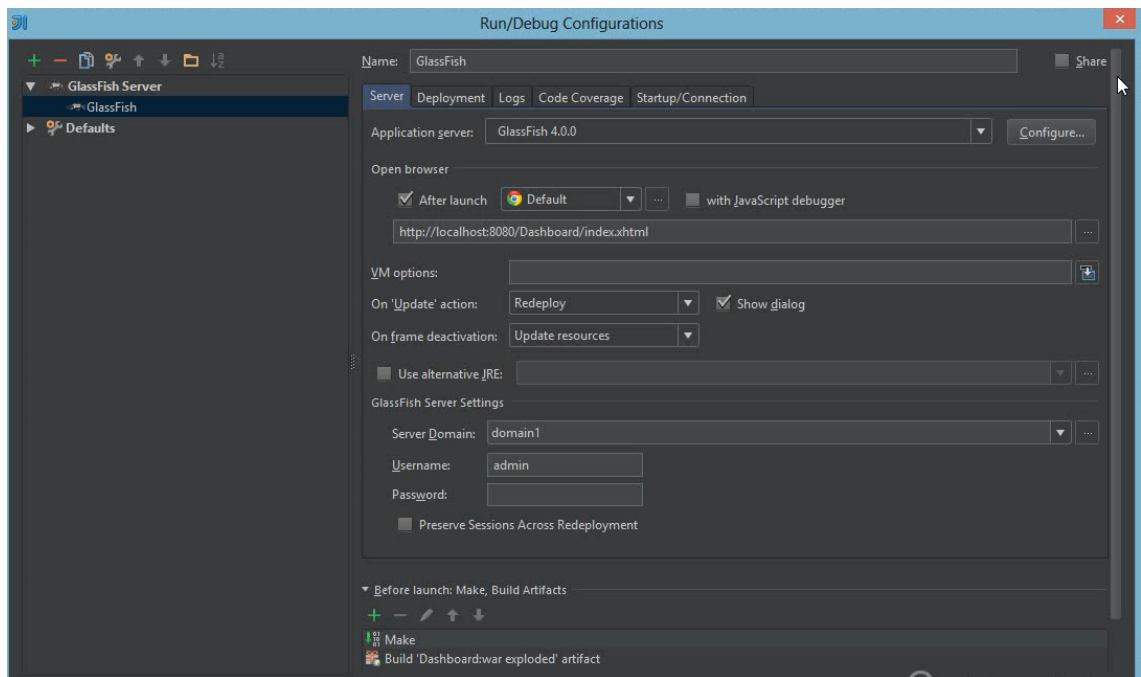


Figure 5: Setup glassfish in intellij project.



The files necessary to be installed on the server so that iCrawler can run can be retrieved from The 5 Concurrent Node Git-hub repository. The iCrawler application sends all its data/logs to a dashboard that is a xhtml website. The file necessary to run the dashboard can be downloaded from The 5 Concurrent Node Git-hub repository. The files need only be copy pasted onto the server. On access of the dashboard the user will be presented with a login page where the user will have to be registered on the iCrawler mobile application first before being able to login on the dashboard.

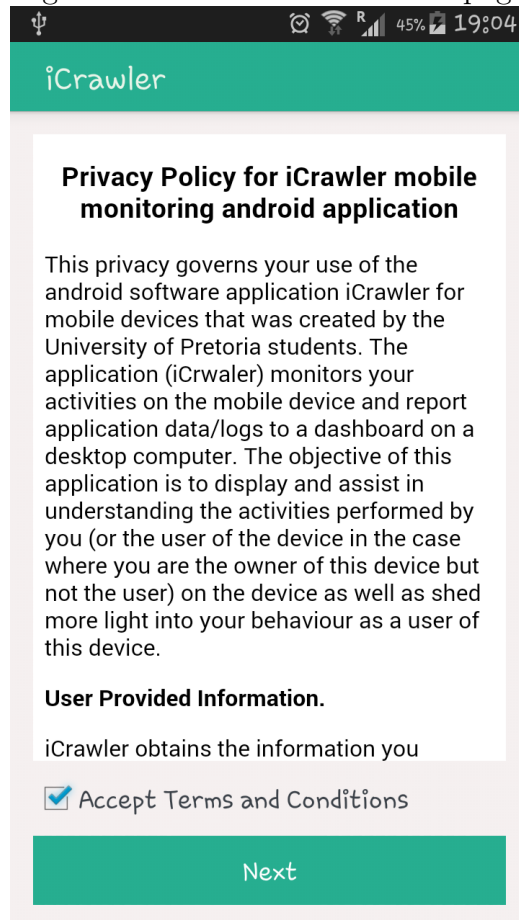
4 Getting Started

After successful installation, locate the iCrawler app icon and click on it to run the app.

- **Terms and Conditions**

Before you can use iCrawler you need to read the 'Terms and Conditions' on startup and only after accepting them can you proceed, if you don't accept you can not use the app.

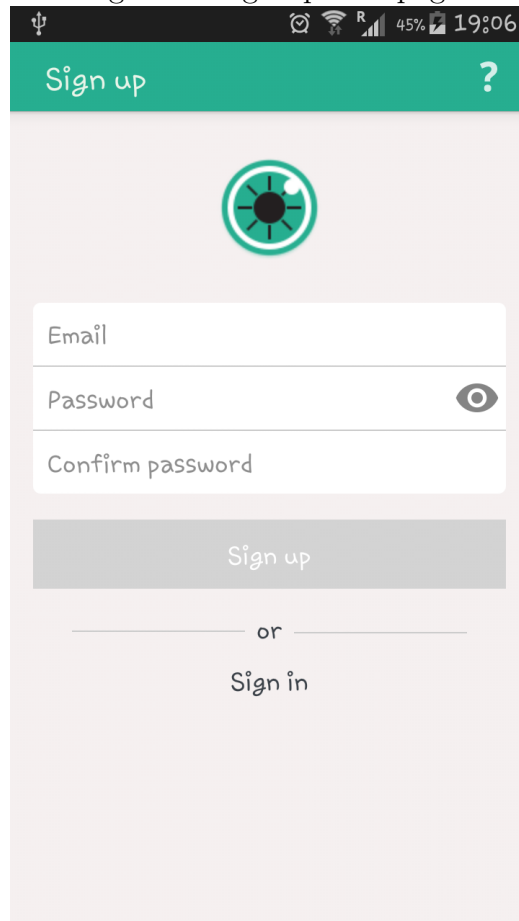
Figure 6: Terms and Conditions page



- **Sign up new user**

If you are a first time user you need to sign up after accepting the 'Terms and Conditions'. You need to provide a working *email address* and create a *password* you will use to sign in with in future. If you have an existing account, simply 'click Sign in' to go to the sign in page.

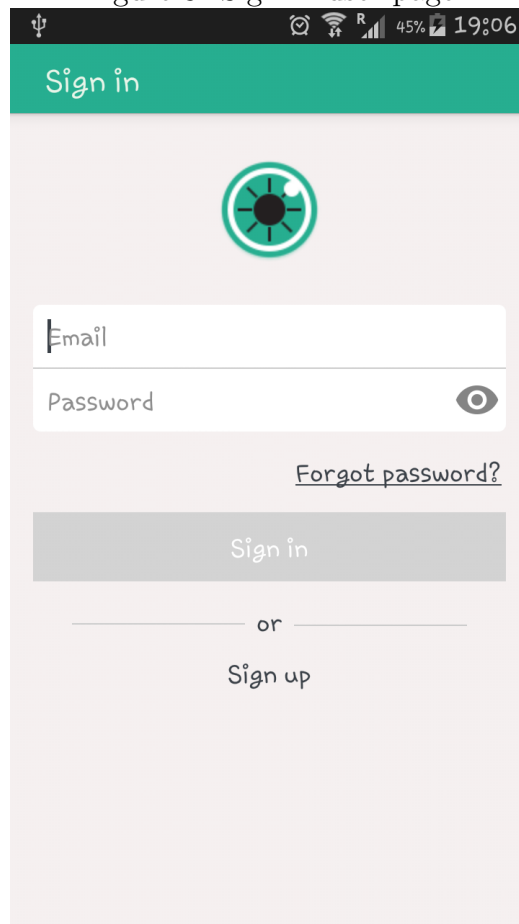
Figure 7: Sign up user page

A screenshot of a mobile application's sign-up page. The page has a light pink background. At the top, there is a green header bar with the text "Sign up" in white and a white question mark icon on the right. Below the header is a circular logo with a green border and a black sun-like icon. Underneath the logo are three white input fields with rounded corners: "Email", "Password", and "Confirm password". The "Password" field has a black eye icon on its right side. Below these fields is a grey button with the text "Sign up" in white. At the bottom, there is a horizontal line with the word "or" in the center, and below that, the text "Sign in" in a smaller font.

- **Sign in as existing user**

If you have used the iCrawler app before, you need not to sign up again, simply enter your credentials and then 'click Sign in' in order to subscribe the new device. If not, 'click Sign up' to register as a new user.

Figure 8: Sign in user page



The screenshot shows the 'Sign in' page of the iCrawler app. At the top, there is a green header with the text 'Sign in'. Below the header is a circular logo with a green border and a black center. Under the logo are two input fields: 'Email' and 'Password'. The 'Password' field has a toggle icon (an eye) to its right. Below the input fields is a link that says 'Forgot password?'. At the bottom, there is a large grey button labeled 'Sign in'. Below this button, there is a horizontal line with the word 'or' in the center, and below that, the text 'Sign up'.

5 Using the App

The app runs in the background after 'Signing up or Signing in'; there is no other form of interaction with the app thereafter. You can access the log reports generated via the dashboard.

6 Troubleshooting

The following section lists some of the iCrawler app's possible issues and resolutions:

- **Does not launch.** Restart your phone and try to launch the application again.
- **Crashes immediately after launch.** Ensure that your device meets the minimum specifications to run iCrawler (See configurations). Go to Settings → Apps → Manage Apps → Running, to check if your apps are not using up all your memory. Try to end all processes you do not need and re-start your phone.
- **Other unknown causes.** If problems continue, delete the app completely and then reinstall it from Google Play Store.