

Project Title: Insurance Policy Management System

1. Overview

The **Insurance Policy Management System (IPMS)** is a web-based application that allows administrators and customers to manage insurance-related operations effectively. The system is modular and follows the **MVC architecture** for flexibility and scalability, making it compatible with both **Java (Spring MVC)** and **.NET (ASP.NET Core MVC)** frameworks.

The core modules include:

1. **Policy Management** – Handles creation, updates, and management of insurance policies.
2. **Claims Processing** – Facilitates claim submission, processing, and settlement.
3. **Customer Management** – Manages customer profiles and interactions.
4. **Premium Calculation** – Calculates premiums dynamically based on risk factors.
5. **User Management** – Manages user authentication, authorization, and profiles.

2. Assumptions

1. The application will be deployed locally during development using a relational database (e.g., MySQL or MS SQL).
2. Security mechanisms will include role-based authentication.
3. ORM frameworks (Hibernate for Java or Entity Framework for .NET) will handle database interactions.
4. No containerization will be used for local deployment.

3. Module-Level Design

3.1 Policy Management Module

Purpose: Handles operations for policy lifecycle management.

- **Controller:**
 - PolicyController
 - createPolicy(policyData)
 - updatePolicy(policyId, policyData)
 - getPolicyDetails(policyId)
 - deletePolicy(policyId)

- **Service:**
 - PolicyService
 - Validate policy data.
 - Enforce business rules.
- **Model:**
 - **Entity:** Policy
 - Attributes:
 - policyId (PK)
 - policyType (VARCHAR)
 - coverageAmount (DECIMAL)
 - premiumAmount (DECIMAL)
 - validityStartDate (DATE)
 - validityEndDate (DATE)

3.2 Claims Processing Module

Purpose: Facilitates insurance claim management.

- **Controller:**
 - ClaimsController
 - submitClaim(claimData)
 - processClaim(claimId, status)
 - getClaimDetails(claimId)
- **Service:**
 - ClaimsService
 - Validate claims against policy terms.
- **Model:**
 - **Entity:** Claim
 - Attributes:
 - claimId (PK)
 - policyId (FK)
 - claimAmount (DECIMAL)

- claimStatus (ENUM)
- submissionDate (DATE)
- settlementDate (DATE)

3.3 Customer Management Module

Purpose: Manages customer profiles and data.

- **Controller:**
 - CustomerController
 - addCustomer(customerData)
 - updateCustomer(customerId, customerData)
 - getCustomerDetails(customerId)
- **Service:**
 - CustomerService
 - Handle customer lifecycle operations.
- **Model:**
 - **Entity:** Customer
 - **Attributes:**
 - customerId (PK)
 - name (VARCHAR)
 - email (VARCHAR)
 - phone (VARCHAR)
 - address (VARCHAR)

3.4 Premium Calculation Module

Purpose: Calculates premiums dynamically based on customer and policy factors.

- **Controller:**
 - PremiumController
 - calculatePremium(policyId, customerId)
- **Service:**
 - PremiumService
 - Apply algorithms to calculate risk-adjusted premiums.

- **Model:**
 - **Entity:** PremiumCalculation
 - Attributes:
 - calculationId (PK)
 - policyId (FK)
 - customerId (FK)
 - basePremium (DECIMAL)
 - adjustedPremium (DECIMAL)

3.5 User Management Module

Purpose: Manages authentication and role-based access control.

- **Controller:**
 - UserController
 - registerUser(userData)
 - loginUser(username, password)
 - getUserProfile(userId)
- **Service:**
 - UserService
 - Manage user credentials and roles.
- **Model:**
 - **Entity:** User
 - Attributes:
 - userId (PK)
 - username (VARCHAR)
 - password (VARCHAR, Encrypted)
 - role (ENUM)

4. Database Schema

4.1 Table Definitions

1. Policy Table

```
CREATE TABLE Policy (  
  policyId INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
  policyType VARCHAR(100),  
  coverageAmount DECIMAL(10, 2),  
  premiumAmount DECIMAL(10, 2),  
  validityStartDate DATE,  
  validityEndDate DATE  
);
```

2. **Claim Table**

```
CREATE TABLE Claim (  
  claimId INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
  policyId INT,  
  claimAmount DECIMAL(10, 2),  
  claimStatus ENUM('PENDING', 'APPROVED', 'REJECTED'),  
  submissionDate DATE,  
  settlementDate DATE,  
  FOREIGN KEY (policyId) REFERENCES Policy(policyId)  
);
```

3. **Customer Table**

```
CREATE TABLE Customer (  
  customerId INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
  name VARCHAR(100),  
  email VARCHAR(100),  
  phone VARCHAR(15),  
  address TEXT  
);
```

4. **PremiumCalculation Table**

```
CREATE TABLE PremiumCalculation (  
  calculationId INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
  policyId INT,  
  customerId INT,  
  basePremium DECIMAL(10, 2),  
  adjustedPremium DECIMAL(10, 2),  
  FOREIGN KEY (policyId) REFERENCES Policy(policyId),  
  FOREIGN KEY (customerId) REFERENCES Customer(customerId)  
);
```

5. **User Table**

```
CREATE TABLE User (  
    userId INT PRIMARY KEY AUTO_INCREMENT,  
    username VARCHAR(50) UNIQUE,  
    password VARCHAR(255),  
    role ENUM('ADMIN', 'USER')  
);
```

5. Local Deployment Details

1. Environment Setup:

- Install JDK 17 or .NET SDK 7.0.
- Install MySQL or SQL Server.
- Configure application server (Tomcat for Java, Kestrel for .NET).

2. Deployment Steps:

- Clone the repository.
- Configure database connection strings in application.properties (Java) or appsettings.json (.NET).
- Run migration scripts to create the database schema.
- Build and run the application locally.

6. Conclusion

This document provides a comprehensive low-level design for the **Insurance Policy Management System**, ensuring modularity, security, and compatibility for development in **Spring MVC** or **ASP.NET Core MVC**.