

Ubiquitous Computing

UbiShopper .Alpha



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Ideation:



- **Home** Sustainability, GPS and Local area network.
- **Restaurant** GPS and location awareness
- **Office** Differentiate phone state and behavior
- **Airport GPS** Location awareness info on the luggage status, guest receiving, etc
- **Transportation** Travel safe with the phone, “aware” of surrounding effortless
- **Retail Store** Each specific store LAN and customized user & specific user data.



Motivation

Physical retail stores are struggling to compete with their online competition.

However, retailers still see **value** and even the **necessity** to maintain a physical presence.

We believe that the benefits of **online context** is missing from the in store shopping experience.



Objectives

**A mobile application (with soft/hard sensors engaged):
consumer oriented with features that benefit retailers as well.**

- **Ambient Intelligence**

understand user preference, past shopping behaviour, current retail state

- **Contextual Awareness**

be able to sense consumers entering and exiting boundaries. Changes can be potential contextual triggers.



- **Data aggregation**

logs user interaction data for behaviour pattern analysis.

- **Customer Engagement**

Price match & pay via phone. Personalized recommendations at appropriate times.

- **Others**

Audio sensor, listens for keywords that interest you.

Product Intro



Personalization

Authentication

Facial recognition / user password.

Recommendations

Based off user interest.

Ideally we would mine social, e-commerce data and/or ask for user input.

User profile & preference

social profile data.

Augmentation: in store experience

Indoor navigation [Cam + Gyroscope]

QR Code scanning will be used, too.

product info [barcode, QR code]

Camera scanner

product correlation with search history

[Awareness]

Software sensor. Use digital profile data

Proximity based notification[Accelerometer]

promotional for distance moved of a user **notify** with promotions.



Context Domain

1. Data Captured

More than 1D with built-in phone sensors.

Orientation via Gyroscope.

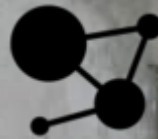
User profile and preference data.

Proximity based sensors, GPS.

Perspective features:

Network sensor for in store map.

Bluetooth and NFC do not work as they are passive protocols.





WHAT ARE
YOU
LOOKING AT?

Context Domain

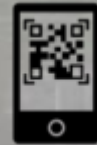
2. Classification

Data analysis with software model.

Based off of who the user is, where they are, and what they interact with, UbiShopper defines a preferential model for that particular person.

Categories:

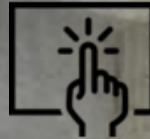
- Proximity with physical product.
- Interaction with product
- User preferences





Context Domain

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3. Context Acquired

Update with social context.

Based on the preferential state,

Retailers:

track and analyze customer experience and outcomes.

Customers:

provide with personalized experience for each one in the physical store.

recommendation discount
preferred items

Design features for UbiShopper

- **Navigation** Indoor(augmented reality) through compass and gyroscope



- **Scan** for product info and search correlations



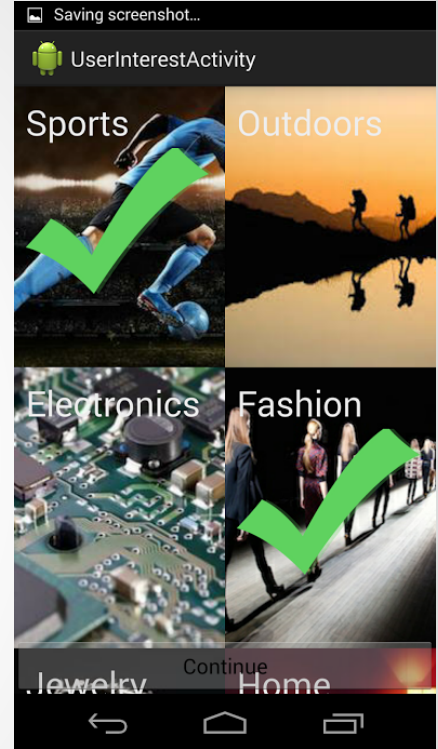
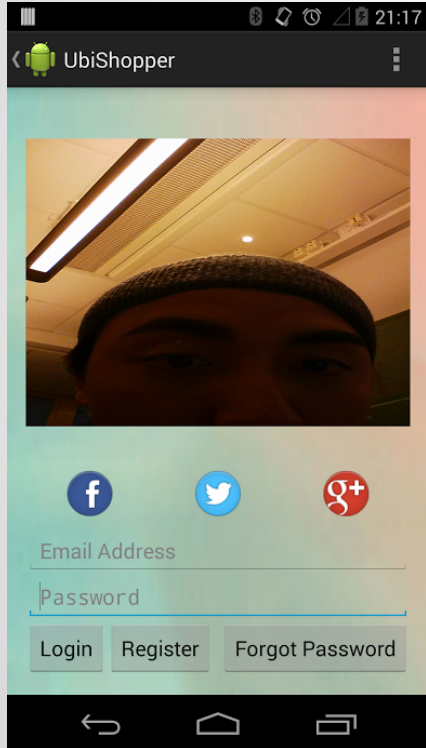
- **Facial** recognition for login and check out



- **Recommendation** list.
Combines the user interest and location.



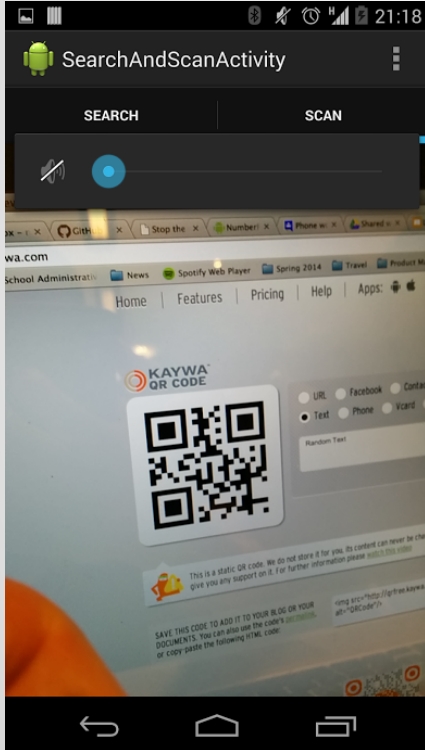
UbiShopper: Login Screen



UbiShopper: Interest Screen

UbiShopper:

Main Scanning Screen

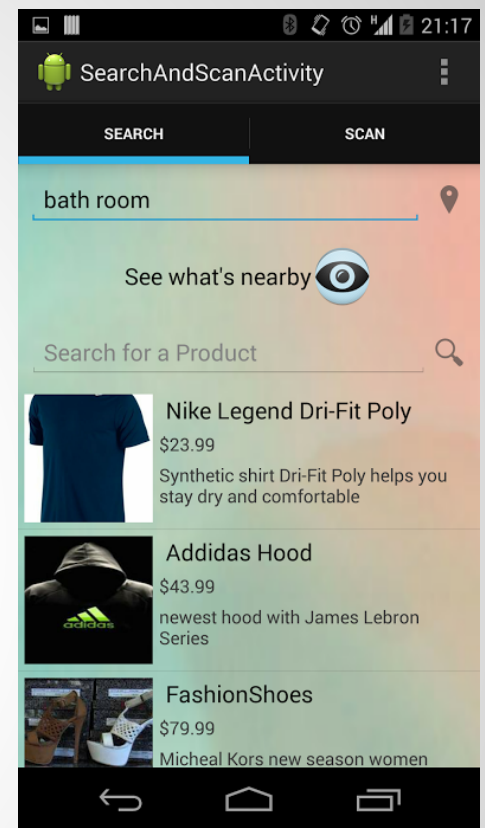
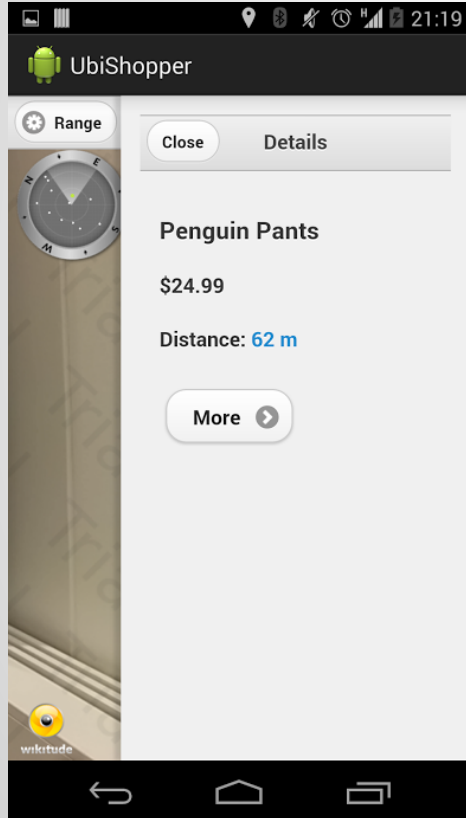


UbiShopper:

Navigation Screen

UbiShopper:

Product info Screen



UbiShopper:

Search Screen

Future Work



Fast checkout

Other features to be accomplished

Unassisted indoor positioning.

Retail store user data aggregation.

Thank you!

