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# "Online Book Store"

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#### ABSTRACT:

The Online Book Store is a web-based application designed to simplify book purchasing by providing users with a platform to browse, search, and buy books from various categories. It offers features like user registration, book previews, shopping cart, order tracking, and secure payment integration. Admins can manage inventory, orders, and customer queries. Built using modern web technologies, the system ensures a smooth, user-friendly experience while streamlining the buying process for both users and administrators.

#### **CHAPTER 1: INTRODUCTION**

#### 1.1 Introduction:

The Online Book System aims to provide users with a convenient platform to browse, purchase, and manage books digitally. The system is designed using PHP and MySQL to ensure smooth performance and easy data management. It caters to a variety of users including readers, sellers, and administrators, and provides essential features like searching books, maintaining a cart, processing orders, and managing inventory.

#### 1.2 Objectives:

Develop a user-friendly website for browsing and buying books online.Implement secure authentication and role-based access (Admin/User). Maintain a centralized inventory system for book details, stock, and orders.Enable efficient searching, filtering, and sorting of book listings.Provide order management and purchase history tracking.

## 1.3 Scope:

## This system will support:

- Book listing with categories and ratings
- Shopping cart and checkout functionality
- User authentication (login, register)
- · Admin panel for managing books, orders, and users
- Responsive design for usability across devices

## 1.4 Methodology:

The Online Book System was developed using the Waterfall model, progressing through requirement analysis, design, development, testing, and deployment. Requirements focused on book browsing, cart, and secure login. The design phase included database schemas and wireframes. Development used HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Bootstrap for the frontend, and PHP with MySQL for backend operations. Testing was done at both unit and integration levels. The project was deployed locally via XAMPP, with peer feedback driving minor iterative enhancements to improve usability.

#### **CHAPTER 2: LITERATURE SURVEY**

## 2.1 Survey of existing system:

Current platforms like Amazon Kindle, Flipkart Books, and Google Books allow users to purchase or download books online. However, many lack open-source flexibility or are limited to specific types of content. Additionally, building a customized PHP-based solution offers control over design and features.

## 2.2 Limitations of the existing system:

- High dependency on third-party platforms.
- Limited access to backend features for custom modifications.
- Often paid services with limited features for free users.

## 2.3 Problem Statement

The aim is to develop a scalable and customizable Online Book System using PHP and MySQL that enables smooth interaction between users and digital bookstores. It will support features like book browsing, filtering, secure login, real-time availability, and admin tools for inventory and order management. Designed for high performance and future growth, the system will offer a user-friendly interface and support additional modules like payment gateways and reviews..

#### 2.4 Literature Review

# **Literature Survey**

SR. NO	PAPER TITLE	YEAR	PUBLISHED BY	METHODOLOGY	LIMITATIONS
1	A Web-Based E-Book for Users and Publishers	Apr 2018	International Journal of Advan- ced Research in Computer Science	Developed a web-based platform using PHP and MySQL to facilitate e- book transactions	Limited focus on physical books amd other media formats
2	Design and Implemen- tation of Online Book- store System	Dec 2019	Journal of Computer and Communications	Focused on MVC architecture with JSSP for frontend and SQLite for backeard database	Scalability issues due to the use of SQLite
3	An Efficient Online Bookstore Manage- ment System	Aug 2020	International Research Journal of Engineering and Technology	Proposed a system using ASP NET and MS SQL Server to manage booksand orders	High development costs and platform dependency
4	Web-based Boo- kstore Automation System	Nov 2021	International Research Journal of Modernization in Engineering Technology and S-	Utilized object-oriented programming in Java- Script and SQL databases for automation features	Challenges in ensuring data consistency and integrity

## **CHAPTER 3: SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS**

## 3.1 Software requirements

Frontend: HTML, CSS, JavaScript

Backend: PHPDatabase: MySQL

• Server: Apache (XAMPP/WAMP)

• IDE: VS Code

# 3.2 Hardware requirements

To run visual studio code, we need-

• Processor: Intel i3 or above

RAM: 8GB or more

Storage: At least 500GB HDD or SSD

Operating System: Windows 10 or higher / macOS

## 3.3 Advantages:

- Easy to deploy and use
- Secure login system
- Simple database management

Customizable and scalable

#### Disadvantages:

- Basic UI (can be improved)
- No built-in payment gateway (can be added later)
- Limited real-time analytics without third-party tools

#### **CHAPTER 4: PLAN OF PROJECT**

## 4.1 Project Plan

#### Phase 1: Requirements Gathering & Analysis

- Identified functional requirements such as book browsing, user login, cart, checkout, and admin controls.
- Analyzed user roles (Admin/User) and their respective permissions.
- Finalized tech stack: PHP, MySQL, HTML/CSS, JavaScript.
- Outlined project scope, goals, and expected outcomes.

#### Phase 2: Database Design & UI Layout

- Designed the ER diagram and database schema for users, books, cart, and orders.
- Defined table relationships (e.g., one user → many orders).
- Created UI wireframes for login, homepage, book listing, cart, and admin panel.
- Ensured user-friendly and responsive layout planning.

#### Phase 3: Backend Coding (PHP & SQL)

- Implemented core functionalities like login/logout, user registration, book listing.
- Developed dynamic pages using PHP for displaying and managing data.
- Wrote SQL queries to perform CRUD operations on the database.
- Ensured secure data handling and session management.

## Phase 4: Integration of Cart, Login, and Admin Panel

- Integrated a fully functional shopping cart system with add/remove/update options.
- Built secure login and registration system using PHP sessions and validation.
- Developed admin panel for managing books, users, and orders.
- Linked frontend and backend components for seamless operation.

## Phase 5: Testing & Deployment

- Performed unit testing for each module to verify functionality.
- Conducted integration testing to ensure modules work together smoothly.
- Identified and fixed bugs related to database queries and user sessions.
- Deployed the system locally using XAMPP and configured the MySQL database.

## 4.2 Methodology

## Waterfall Development Methodology

- The project follows the Waterfall model, where each phase is completed before the next begins, ensuring a structured and organized development process.
- The phases include: Requirement Gathering → System Design → Implementation → Testing → Deployment.

## Frontend Development Methodology

- HTML, CSS, and JavaScript are used to build a clean and responsive user interface.
- Bootstrap is incorporated to ensure mobile responsiveness and a consistent design across pages.
- Forms and navigation components are designed to be user-friendly and intuitive.

#### **Backend Development Methodology**

- Core PHP is used to handle server-side logic such as user authentication, book listing, cart operations, and order placement.
- MySQL is used as the database to store and manage data related to users, books, orders, and cart items.
- PHP scripts interact with the database using SQL queries to perform CRUD operations securely and efficiently.

# **Testing Methodology**

- Unit testing is performed on individual PHP modules (e.g., login validation, cart functionality).
- Integration testing is conducted to ensure proper interaction between modules (e.g., adding to cart and placing an order).

- Manual testing ensures all features function correctly in the XAMPP/WAMP environment.
- Bugs identified during testing are documented and fixed before deployment.

## 4.3 System Architecture:

- User Interface Allows users to register, log in, view books, place orders
- Admin Panel Manage books, users, orders
- Database Stores user info, books, transactions
- Book Controller (PHP) Business logic for filtering, ordering, etc.

# SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

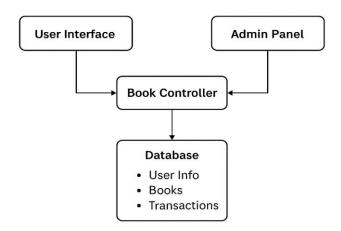


Figure 1: System Architecture Diagram

## 4.4 DFD:

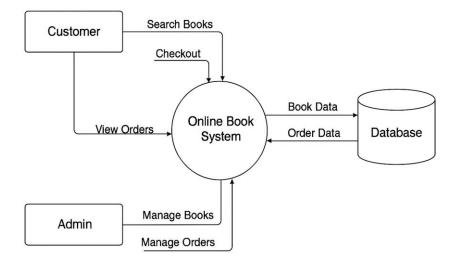


Figure 2: DFD Level 0

#### 4.5 Flowchart



Figure 3: Flowchart

## 4.6 Used Case Diagram

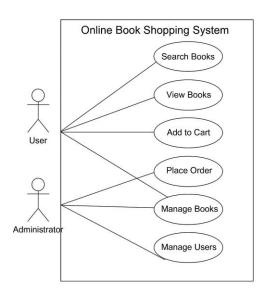
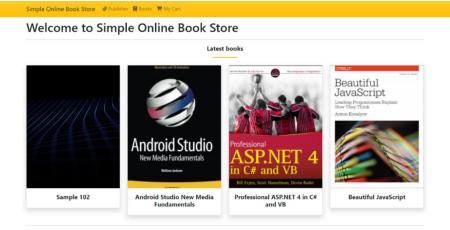


Figure 4: Used Case Diagram

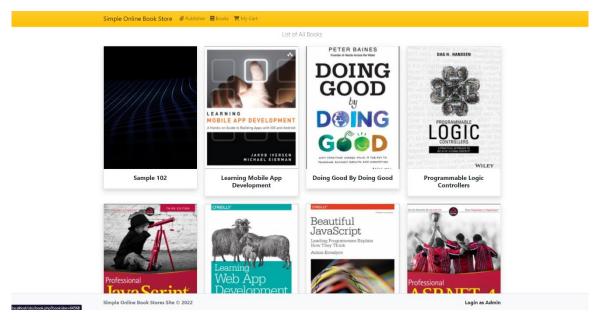
## **CHAPTER 5: RESULT ANALYSIS**

# **5.1 Outputs**

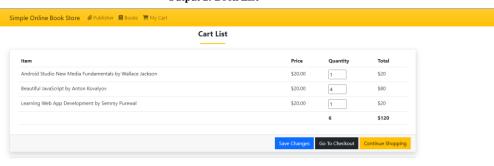
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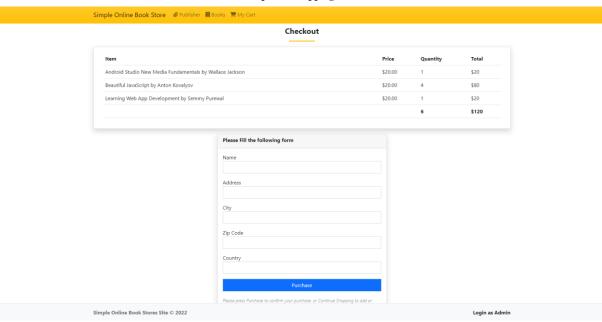
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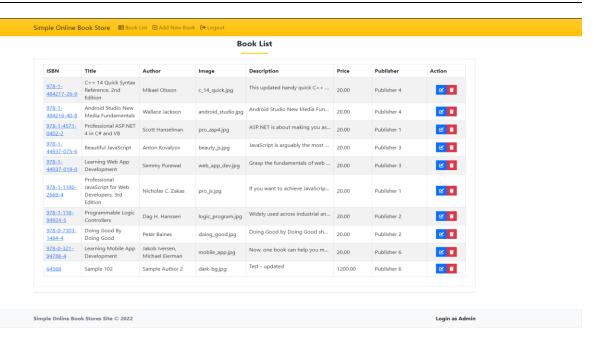
**Output 2: Book List** 



**Output 3: Shopping Cart** 



Output 4: Checkout Page



**Output 5: Admin Site** 

## **CHAPTER 6: CONCLUSION**

#### **6.1 Conclusion:**

The Online Book System project demonstrates the effective use of PHP and MySQL to develop a robust and user-friendly book platform. The system offers core functionalities necessary for running a digital bookstore. Future improvements could include payment gateway integration, advanced search, and mobile responsiveness.

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