## Put data into a database from your Node.js Application

- 1 In your web browser, go to IBM Bluemix™ at https://ace.ng.bluemix.net and LOG IN.
- 2 On a separate tab in your browser, go to DevOps Services rewillen | NodeJS Simple 3.
- 3 Click on EDIT CODE
- **4** FORK the Application, Enter a Name for your project, and Save.
- **5** Click on app.js to open the code for the application.
- **6** Find the <u>client.incrby</u> line. This is the statement that is incrementing a DBuserCountBy1 variable in Redis, and returning the updated value in a variable, <u>replyBy1</u>.
- **7** Add a second Redis counter, DBuserCountBy2. Use another <u>client.incrby</u> statement to increment it by 2, and return the value in a new variable, <u>replyBy2</u>. To ensure that the calls to Redis are synchronized, this statement needs to be nested inside the increment of the DBuserCountBy1. Be sure to add the closing } also.

```
client.incrby("DBuserCountBy1", 1, function (err, replyBy1) {
    client.incrby("DBuserCountBy2", 2, function (err, replyBy2) {
```

**8** Next, update the render to also pass the DBuserCountby2 which was returned in the replyBy2 variable from the Redis function call.

res.render('index', {userCount: userCount, DBuserCountBy1: replyBy1, DBuserCountBy2: replyBy2});

Your app.get code block should now look like this:

```
53 app.get('/', function(req, res) {
        userCount = userCount + 1;
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        // Increment the value in the database and render the results
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        client.incrby("DBuserCountBy1", 1, function (err, replyBy1) {
57
            client.incrby("DBuserCountBy2", 2, function (err, replyBy2) {
58
                res.render('index', {userCount: userCount, DBuserCountBy1: replyBy1, DBuserCountBy2: replyBy2});
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            });
60
        });
61 });
```

- **9** In the views directory, open index.ejs.
- 10 Update the index.ejs HTML page to render to DbuserCountBy2 like this: The stored user count by two in my redis database is <%= DBuserCountBy2 %>.
- **11** DEPLOY the application and use Manual Deployment like you did on card 1. You should see your



changes in the browser. Hit the refresh button.



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The user count in my nodejs application is: 3

The stored single user count in my redis database is 3

The stored user by 2 count in my redis database is 6

**12** There are a lot of things you can now do on your own. I'll add some more ideas here when I have time. For example, perhaps some additional experiments with <u>Redis</u> such as using strings instead of numbers, or some basic array processing?

