

Users

Algorithm Generate Salted, Hashed Password

Require: *password* (string)

Generate random 16-byte salt as hexadecimal string

Compute SHA-256 hash of *password* concatenated with *salt*

return (*salt*, *hashed_password*)

Algorithm Create a New User

Require: *username* (string), *password* (string)

(*salt*, *hashed_password*) \leftarrow **Generate Salted, Hashed Password**(*password*)

Create new **User** with (*username*, *salt*, *hashed_password*)

try

Add user to database

Commit transaction

except:

Rollback transaction

Algorithm Check User Password

Require: *username* (string), *password* (string)

Retrieve **User** by *username* from database

if **User** not found **then**

throw

end if

(*salt*, *stored_hashed_password*) \leftarrow **User's** salt and hashed password

Compute SHA-256 hash of *password* concatenated with *salt*

return computed_hash == stored_hashed_password

BattleModel Client-Side Caching

Algorithm Prep combatant

Require: *combatant_data* ({string: Any})

Append *combatant* id to *combatants*

Add / update *combatant_data* to *meals_cache*

Add / update *combattant_ttls* with *time* + *TTL*

Algorithm Battle

Ensure: Two valid combatant ids in *combatants*

for *combatant* in *combatants* **do**

if *combatant* id not in cache or has expired **then**

 Get *combatant* data

 Add / update *combattant_ttls* with *time* + *TTL*

 Add / update *combatant_data* to *meals_cache*

end if

end for

Get combatant data from cache

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KitchenModel Server-Side Caching

Algorithm Get meal by id

Require: *meal_id* (int), *meal_name* (string || None)
Create *cache_key* from *meal_id*
Lookup *cache_key*
if *cache_key* found **then**
 meal_data \leftarrow Redis hash entry
 (note: decoded from binary to strings)
 Cast *price* to float
 Cast *deleted* cast to bool
 return *meal_data*
end if
Query db for *meal_id*
meal_data \leftarrow resulting *Meals* object cast to a dictionary
Cache as Redis hash entry
 (note: we cast the values to strings, and redis will
 encode both keys and values in binary)
return *meal_data*

Algorithm Get meal by name

Require: *meal_name* (string)
Create *cache_key* from *meal_name*
Lookup *cache_key*
if *cache_key* found **then**
 meal_id \leftarrow Redis entry
 return Get meal by id
end if
Query db for *meal_name*
Cache *cache_key*, *meal_id* pair in Redis (note: as strings)
return Get meal by id

DB to Redis Write-Through Caching

This depends on SQLAlchemy sending events when the table is changed that Redis is looking for. I'm calling these "algorithms" for consistency. Is that appropriate? Shrug emoji

Algorithm Enable change tracking in SQLAlchemy

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Algorithm Attach listeners to events

Attach listener to `after_update` and `after_delete` events

Algorithm Update cache on change event

Require: *target* (`Meal`)

Create *cache_key* from *meal_id*

if *target* is now deleted **then**

 Delete *cache_key* from Redis

else

 Update Redis hset for *cache_key*

 (note: we cast the `Meal` object to a dictionary and
 the values to strings. Redis will encode both keys
 and values in binary)

end if

“Session” “Management”

Algorithm “Log in”

Require: *user_id* (int), *battle_model* (BattleModel)

Lookup *user_id* in mongo

if *user_id* is found **then**

Clear current combatants from *battle_model*

for *combatant* in db record **do**

prep *combatant*

end for

else

create record in mongo with empty *combatants*

end if

Algorithm “Log out”

Require: *user_id* (int), *battle_model* (BattleModel)

combatants_data \leftarrow combatants in *battle_model*

Update record for *user_id* in mongo

if *user_id* not found **then**

throw

end if

Clear combatants in *battle_model*

Environment

Similarly I'm calling these “algorithms” for consistency.

Algorithm Container Dependency

Set app container to depend on Redis and Mongo containers
Set hostname and ports to match between containers

Algorithm Initialize Redis client

Get hostname / port / db from environment
Initialize Redis client

Algorithm Initialize Mongo client

Get hostname / port environment
Initialize Mongo client
Initialize db

Algorithm Initialize SQLAlchemy

Create db object

Initialize db and create tables
