Neo4j - Cypher exercise

Load db dump into Neo4j

Create useful folders

mkdir neo4j mkdir neo4j/data mkdir neo4j/import cd neo4j

Create and run Neo4j on Docker

Stop the Neo4j container

docker stop neo4j

Place data dump into your local import folder

Run the Neo4j-admin import tool

Start the Neo4j container

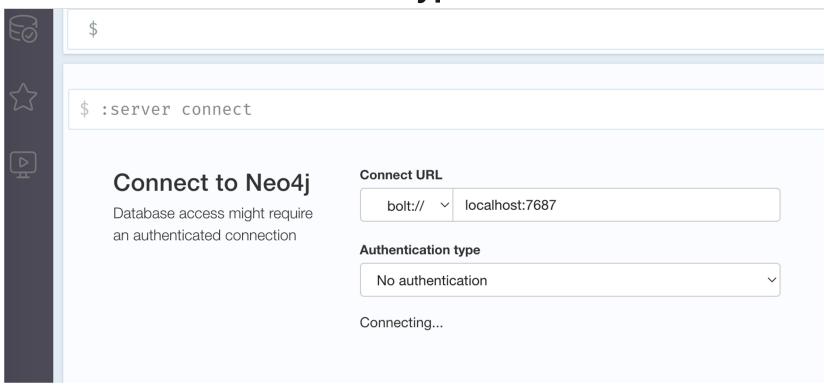
docker start neo4j

Querying the data

Connect to Neo4j browser

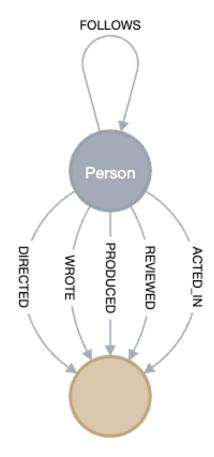
http://localhost:7474

Select the Authentication type



Describe the database content

CALL db.schema.visualization





MATCH(ALL)

Find all Person(s) who acted in a Movie

MATCH(p:Person) -[a:ACTED_IN]-> (m:Movie)

Find Movie(s) where Keanu Reeves acted

MATCH(p:Person) -[a:ACTED_IN]-> (m:Movie)

WHERE p.name="Keanu Reeves"

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RETURN *

OR...

Find Movie(s) where Keanu Reeves acted

MATCH(p:Person{name:"Keanu Reeves"}) -[a:ACTED_IN]-> (m:Movie)

Find Movie(s) released in year 2003

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.released = 2003

RETURN m

OR...

Find Movie(s) released in year 2003

MATCH (m:Movie {released:2003})

RETURN m

Find Movie(s) released the earliest

Find Movie(s) released the earliest

MATCH (m:Movie)

RETURN MIN(m.released)

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MATCH (m:Movie)

RETURN m.title, m.released, m.tagline

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MATCH (m:Movie) <-- (:Person {name: 'Tom Hanks'})

RETURN m.*

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MATCH (m:Movie) -[rel]- (:Person {name: 'Tom Hanks'})

RETURN m.title, type(rel)

Retrieve all people that were born in the 70's and return their names and year born

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MATCH (a:Person)

WHERE a.born >= 1970 AND a.born < 1980

RETURN a.name as Name, a.born as 'Year Born'

Retrieve the actors who acted in the movie The Matrix who were born after 1960, and return their names and year born

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MATCH (a:Person) -[:ACTED_IN]-> (m:Movie)

WHERE a.born > 1960 AND m.title = 'The Matrix'

RETURN a.name as Name, a.born as 'Year Born'

Retrieve all people that wrote movies by testing the relationship between two nodes

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MATCH (a)-[rel]->(m)

WHERE a:Person

AND type(rel) = 'WROTE'

AND m:Movie

RETURN a.name as Name, m.title as Movie

Retrieve all people in the graph that do not have a born property, returning their names

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MATCH (a:Person)
WHERE (a.born) is null
RETURN a.name

Retrieve all people related to movies where the relationship has the rating property, then return their name, movie title, and the rating

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MATCH (a:Person)-[rel:REVIEWED]->(m:Movie)
WHERE (rel.rating) is not null
RETURN a.name as Name, m.title as Movie, rel.rating as Rating

Retrieve all actors whose name begins with James, returning their names

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MATCH (a:Person) -[:ACTED_IN]-> (:Movie)

WHERE toLower(a.name) STARTS WITH 'James'

RETURN a.name

Retrieve the actors who have acted in exactly five movies

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MATCH (a:Person)-[:ACTED_IN]->(m:Movie)

WITH a, count(m) AS numMovies

WHERE numMovies = 5

RETURN a.name

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MATCH (a:Person)-[:ACTED_IN]->(m:Movie)

WITH a, count(m) AS numMovies, collect(m.title) AS movies

WHERE numMovies = 5

RETURN a.name, movies

Retrieve the movies that have at least 2 directors

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MATCH p=(:Person)-[:DIRECTED]->(m)

WITH m, COUNT(p) AS directors

WHERE directors >= 2

RETURN *

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MATCH p=(:Person)-[:DIRECTED]->(m)

WITH m, COUNT(p) AS directors

WHERE directors >= 2

OPTIONAL MATCH (p:Person)-[:REVIEWED]->(m)

RETURN *

Creating new nodes

Create a Movie node for the movie with the title « Forrest Gump»

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CREATE (:Movie {title: 'Forrest Gump'})

Create a Person node for the person with the name «Robin Wright»

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CREATE (:Person {name: 'Robin Wright'})

Update existing nodes

Add the label OlderMovie to any Movie node that was released before 2010.

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.released < 2010

SET m:OlderMovie

RETURN DISTINCT labels(m)

Retrieve all older movie nodes to test that the label was indeed added to these nodes

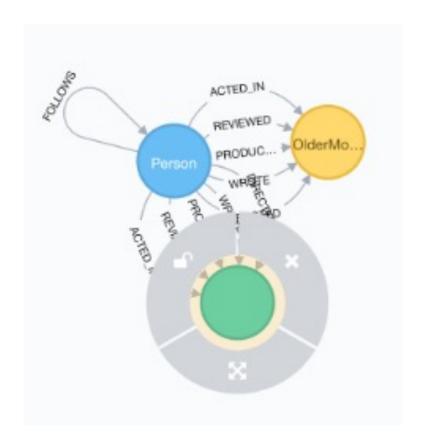
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MATCH (m:OlderMovie)

RETURN m.title, m.released

Describe the database content

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Add the following properties to the movie, Forrest Gump

released: 1994

tagline: Life is like a box of

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.title = 'Forrest Gump'

SET m:OlderMovie,

m.released = 1994,

m.tagline = "Life is like a box of chocolates...you never

know what you're gonna get.",

m.lengthInMinutes = 142

Remove the lengthInMinutes property from the movie «Forrest Gump»

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.title = 'Forrest Gump'

SET m.lengthInMinutes = null

Add relationships to nodes

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.title = 'Forrest Gump'

MATCH (p:Person)

WHERE p.name = 'Tom Hanks' OR p.name = 'Robin Wright' OR p.name = 'Gary Sinise'

CREATE (p)-[:ACTED_IN]->(m)

Delete a nodes

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.title = 'Forrest Gump'

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This will not work because there are relationships attached

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MATCH (m:Movie)

WHERE m.title = 'Forrest Gump'

DETACH DELETE m