

Day 3 – API Integration Report for “Morent Car Rentals”

Objective:

The objective of this report is to document the process of integrating APIs and migrating data into Sanity CMS for the "Morent Car Rentals" project. This includes schema adjustments, data migration steps, and API integration into the frontend using Next.js.

API Integration Process:

The API provided the following endpoints:

API URL:

<https://sanity-nextjs-application.vercel.app/api/hackathon/template7>

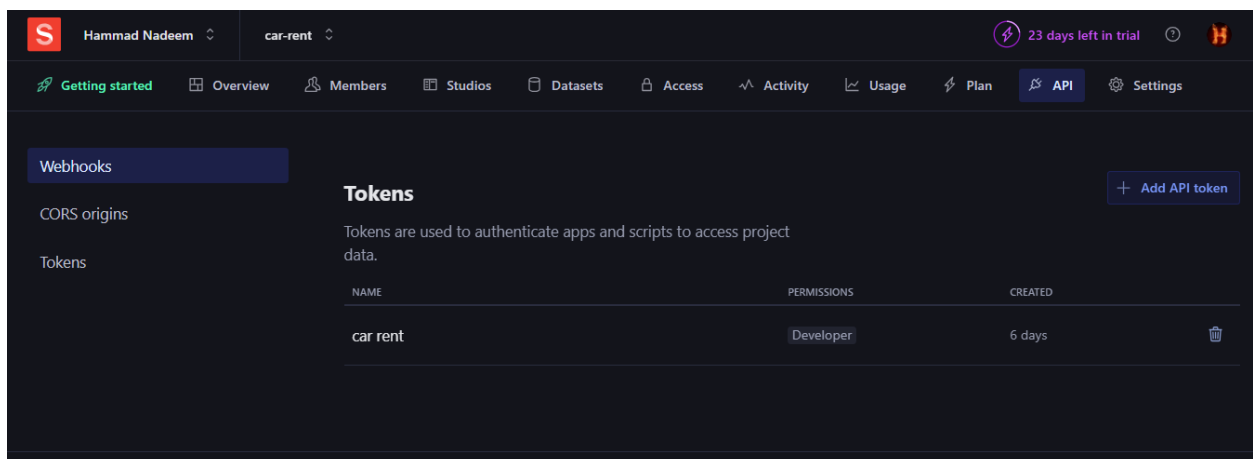
```
const fetchData = await fetch(  
  "https://sanity-nextjs-application.vercel.app/api/hackathon/template7"  
);  
const response = await fetchData.json();
```

```

75',
  tags: [ 'recommended' ]
},
{
  id: 8,
  name: 'Audi A6',
  type: 'Hybrid',
  fuel_capacity: '50L',
  transmission: 'Manual',
  seating_capacity: '5 seats',
  price_per_day: '$120.00/day',
  image_url: 'https://car-rental-website-five.vercel.app/_next/image?url=%2F_next%2Fstatic%2Fmedia%2FCar(16).fc285c8d.jpg&w=1200&q=75',
  tags: [ 'recommended' ]
},
{
  id: 9,
  name: 'Mercedes-Benz C-Class',
  brand: 'Mercedes',
  type: 'Gasoline',
  fuel_capacity: '65L',
  transmission: 'Manual',
  seating_capacity: '5 seats',
  price_per_day: '$140.00/day',
  image_url: 'https://car-rental-website-five.vercel.app/_next/image?url=%2F_next%2Fstatic%2Fmedia%2FCar(17).574834dc.jpg&w=1200&q=75',
  tags: [ 'recommended' ]
},
{
  id: 10,
  name: 'Porsche 911',
  brand: 'Porsche',
  type: 'Gasoline',
  fuel_capacity: '60L',
  transmission: 'Manual',
  seating_capacity: '4 seats',
  price_per_day: '$200.00/day',
  image_url: 'https://car-rental-website-five.vercel.app/_next/image?url=%2F_next%2Fstatic%2Fmedia%2FCar(18).1b97b4cf.jpg&w=1200&q=75',
  tags: [ 'recommended' ]
},
{

```

Step 1: Generate Sanity API Token.



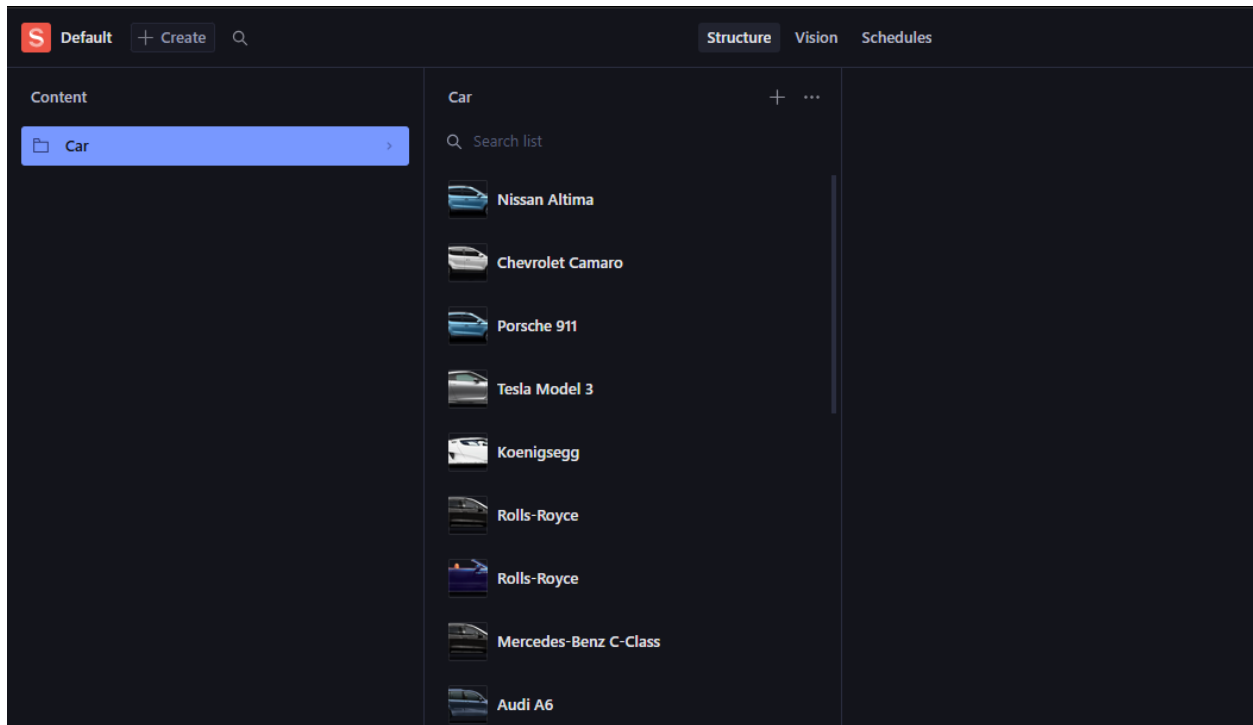
Step 2: Create Car Schema.

```
1 export default {
2   name: "car",
3   type: "document",
4   title: "Car",
5   fields: [
6     {
7       name: "name",
8       type: "string",
9       title: "Car Name",
10    },
11    {
12      name: "slug",
13      type: "slug",
14      title: "slug",
15      options: {
16        source: "name",
17      },
18    },
19    {
20      name: "brand",
21      type: "string",
22      title: "Brand",
23      description: "Brand of the car (e.g., Nissan, Tesla, etc.)",
24    },
25    {
26      name: "type",
27      type: "string",
28      title: "Car Type",
29      description: "Type of the car (e.g., Sport, Sedan, SUV, etc.)",
30    },
31    {
32      name: "fuelCapacity",
33      type: "string",
34      title: "Fuel Capacity",
35      description: "Fuel capacity or battery capacity (e.g., 90L, 100kwh)",
36    },
37    {
38      name: "transmission",
39      type: "string",
40      title: "Transmission",
41      description: "Type of transmission (e.g., Manual, Automatic)",
42    },
43    {
44      name: "seatingCapacity",
45      type: "string",
46      title: "Seating Capacity",
47      description: "Number of seats (e.g., 2 People, 4 seats)",
48    },
49    {
50      name: "pricePerDay",
51      type: "string",
52      title: "Price Per Day",
53      description: "Rental price per day",
54    },
55    {
56      name: "originalPrice",
57      type: "string",
58      title: "Original Price",
59      description: "Original price before discount (if applicable)",
60    },
61    {
62      name: "tags",
63      type: "array",
64      title: "Tags",
65      of: [{ type: "string" }],
66      options: {
67        layout: "tags",
68      },
69      description: "Tags for categorization (e.g., popular, recommended)",
70    },
71    {
72      name: "image",
73      type: "image",
74      title: "Car Image",
75      options: {
76        hotspot: true,
77      },
78    },
79  ],
80 };
81
```

Step 3: This code script used to fetch data from an external API and upload into sanity.

```
1 import { createClient } from '@sanity/client';
2 import axios from 'axios';
3 import dotenv from 'dotenv';
4 import { fileURLToPath } from 'url';
5 import path from 'path';
6
7 // Load environment variables from .env.local
8 const __filename = fileURLToPath(import.meta.url);
9 const __dirname = path.dirname(__filename);
10 dotenv.config({ path: path.resolve(__dirname, '../.env.local') });
11
12 // Create Sanity client
13 const client = createClient({
14   projectId: process.env.NEXT_PUBLIC_SANITY_PROJECT_ID,
15   dataset: process.env.NEXT_PUBLIC_SANITY_DATASET,
16   useCdn: false,
17   token: process.env.SANITY_API_TOKEN,
18   apiVersion: '2021-08-31'
19 });
20
21 async function uploadImageToSanity(imageUrl) {
22   try {
23     console.log('Uploading image: ${imageUrl}');
24     const response = await axios.get(imageUrl, { responseType: 'arraybuffer' });
25     const buffer = Buffer.from(response.data);
26     const asset = await client.assets.upload('image', buffer, {
27       filename: imageUrl.split('/').pop()
28     });
29     console.log('Image uploaded successfully: ${asset._id}');
30     return asset._id;
31   } catch (error) {
32     console.error('Failed to upload image:', imageUrl, error);
33     return null;
34   }
35 }
36
37 async function importData() {
38   try {
39     console.log('Fetching car data from API...');
40
41     // API endpoint containing car data
42     const response = await axios.get('https://sanity-nextjs-application.vercel.app/api/hackathon/template7');
43     const cars = response.data;
44
45     console.log('Fetched ${cars.length} cars');
46
47     for (const car of cars) {
48       console.log('Processing car: ${car.name}');
49
50       let imageRef = null;
51       if (car.image_url) {
52         imageRef = await uploadImageToSanity(car.image_url);
53       }
54
55       const sanityCar = {
56         _type: 'car',
57         name: car.name,
58         brand: car.brand || null,
59         type: car.type,
60         fuelCapacity: car.fuel_capacity,
61         transmission: car.transmission,
62         seatingCapacity: car.seating_capacity,
63         pricePerDay: car.price_per_day,
64         originalPrice: car.original_price || null,
65         tags: car.tags || [],
66         image: imageRef ? {
67           _type: 'image',
68           asset: {
69             _type: 'reference',
70             _ref: imageRef,
71           },
72         } : undefined,
73       };
74
75       console.log('Uploading car to Sanity:', sanityCar.name);
76       const result = await client.create(sanityCar);
77       console.log('Car uploaded successfully: ${result._id}');
78     }
79
80     console.log('Data import completed successfully!');
81   } catch (error) {
82     console.error('Error importing data:', error);
83   }
84 }
85
86 importData();
```

Sanity Dashboard Screenshot



Frontend Integration

Rendering Data on Frontend

```
1 export const allCars = groq`*[_type == "car"]`
```

```

1 // fetch data from Sanity
2 const [car, setCar] = useState<Cars[]>([]);
3 useEffect(() => {
4   async function getData() {
5     const fetchData: Cars[] = await client.fetch(al
6       lCars);
7     setCar(fetchData);
8   }
9   fetchData();
10 }, []);

```

Screenshot of the data listing page.

