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✓ Use Case 1: Event-Driven Real-Time Chat Message Logger Using Node.js

🧩 Goal:

Implement an **event-driven system** in Node.js where:

- A custom event is triggered every time a user sends a chat message.
- The message is logged to a file on the server.

✓ 1. Complete Code

📄 File: chatLogger.js

javascript

```
const EventEmitter = require('events');
const fs = require('fs');
const path = require('path');

// Create an instance of EventEmitter
class ChatEmitter extends EventEmitter {}
const chatEmitter = new ChatEmitter();

// Path to log file
const logFilePath = path.join(__dirname, 'chatLog.txt');

// Event listener for 'message' event
chatEmitter.on('message', (username, message) => {
  const timestamp = new Date().toISOString();
  const logEntry = `${timestamp} - ${username}: ${message}\n`;
```

```

// Append message to file
fs.appendFile(logFilePath, logEntry, (err) => {
  if (err) {
    console.error('Failed to write message to log file:', err);
  } else {
    console.log('Message logged:', logEntry.trim());
  }
});

// Simulate messages from users
function sendMessage(username, message) {
  console.log(`${username} says: "${message}"`);
  chatEmitter.emit('message', username, message);
}

// Test Inputs
sendMessage('Alice', 'Hello, everyone!');
sendMessage('Bob', 'Hi Alice!');

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

javascript

```
const EventEmitter = require('events');
```

- Imports Node.js's built-in `events` module, which lets you create and handle custom events.

javascript

```
const fs = require('fs');
const path = require('path');
```

- `fs` is used to write logs to a file.
- `path` ensures cross-platform compatibility when dealing with file paths.

javascript

```
class ChatEmitter extends EventEmitter {}
```

- We create a custom class `ChatEmitter` that extends `EventEmitter`. This allows us to define and use custom events like `'message'`.

javascript

```
const chatEmitter = new ChatEmitter();
```

- Instantiates our custom event emitter so we can emit and listen to events.

javascript

```
const logFilePath = path.join(__dirname, 'chatLog.txt');
```

- Defines the full path to the file `chatLog.txt` in the current directory.

javascript

```
chatEmitter.on('message', (username, message) => {
```

- Sets up an event listener that listens for the `'message'` event.
- When triggered, it receives the `username` and `message`.

javascript

```
const timestamp = new Date().toISOString();
```

- Captures the current timestamp in ISO format for consistent log entries.

javascript

```
const logEntry = `${timestamp} - ${username}: ${message}\n`;
```

- Formats the log entry with timestamp, username, and message.

javascript

```
fs.appendFile(logFilePath, logEntry, (err) => {
```

- Appends the log entry to `chatLog.txt`. If the file doesn't exist, it's created.

javascript

```
if (err) {
  console.error('Failed to write message to log file:', err);
} else {
  console.log('Message logged:', logEntry.trim());
}
```

- Handles logging success or failure.

javascript

```
function sendMessage(username, message) {
```

- Simulates a user sending a message.

javascript

```
console.log(`${username} says: "${message}"`);
chatEmitter.emit('message', username, message);
```

- Logs the message to console and emits the `'message'` event, triggering the listener.

3. Important Keywords

Keyword	Description
<code>EventEmitter</code>	Node.js module to define and handle events.
<code>emit</code>	Fires a custom event.
<code>on</code>	Registers a listener for an event.

Keyword	Description
<code>fs.appendFile</code>	Appends data to a file, creating it if it doesn't exist.
<code>__dirname</code>	Built-in variable referring to current directory.
<code>path.join</code>	Joins paths safely for cross-platform use.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Test Inputs:

javascript

```
sendMessage('Alice', 'Hello, everyone!');  
sendMessage('Bob', 'Hi Alice!');
```

Console Output:

yaml

```
Alice says: "Hello, everyone!"  
Message logged: 2025-04-29T08:32:15.123Z - Alice: Hello, everyone!  
Bob says: "Hi Alice!"  
Message logged: 2025-04-29T08:32:15.456Z - Bob: Hi Alice!
```

File Output in `chatLog.txt`:

makefile

```
2025-04-29T08:32:15.123Z - Alice: Hello, everyone!  
2025-04-29T08:32:15.456Z - Bob: Hi Alice!
```

✓ Use Case 2: Timer-Based Order Reminder System Using Node.js

🧩 Goal:

Build a system for a **food delivery service** that:

- Sends out a **notification every 5 seconds**.
- Continues to do so until the order is marked as **delivered**.

✓ 1. Complete Code

📄 File: `orderReminder.js`

javascript

```
let orderDelivered = false;
let reminderCount = 0;

// Simulate sending a notification
function sendNotification(orderId) {
  console.log(`Reminder ${++reminderCount}: Order #${orderId} is still being
prepared.`);
}

// Function to mark the order as delivered after a delay
function markAsDelivered(orderId, delayInSeconds) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    orderDelivered = true;
    console.log(`Order #${orderId} has been delivered.`);
  }, delayInSeconds * 1000);
}

// Main reminder system
function startReminder(orderId) {
```

```

const reminderInterval = setInterval(() => {
  if (orderDelivered) {
    clearInterval(reminderInterval);
    console.log(`Stopping reminders for Order #${orderId}.`);
  } else {
    sendNotification(orderId);
  }
}, 5000); // every 5 seconds
}

// Test Run
const orderId = 101;
startReminder(orderId);
markAsDelivered(orderId, 16); // simulate delivery after 16 seconds

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

javascript

```

let orderDelivered = false;
let reminderCount = 0;

```

- `orderDelivered`: a flag to track whether the order has been delivered.
- `reminderCount`: counts how many reminders have been sent.

javascript

```

function sendNotification(orderId) {
  console.log(`Reminder ${++reminderCount}: Order #${orderId} is still being
prepared.`);
}

```

- This simulates sending a notification.
- Uses `++reminderCount` to increase the reminder count before displaying it.

javascript

```
function markAsDelivered(orderId, delayInSeconds) {
  setTimeout(() => {
    orderDelivered = true;
    console.log(`Order #${orderId} has been delivered.`);
  }, delayInSeconds * 1000);
}
```

- Simulates the order being delivered after a certain number of seconds.
- Uses `setTimeout` to delay the delivery simulation.

javascript

```
function startReminder(orderId) {
```

- Starts the reminder system for a specific order.

javascript

```
const reminderInterval = setInterval(() => {
```

- Uses `setInterval` to send a notification every 5 seconds.

javascript

```
    if (orderDelivered) {
      clearInterval(reminderInterval);
      console.log(`Stopping reminders for Order #${orderId}.`);
    } else {
      sendNotification(orderId);
    }
  }, 5000);
}
```

- Checks if the order is delivered:
 - If **yes**, it stops sending reminders by calling `clearInterval`.
 - If **no**, it continues to call `sendNotification`.

javascript


```
const orderId = 101;
startReminder(orderId);
markAsDelivered(orderId, 16); // simulate delivery after 16 seconds
```

- Test input:
 - Starts reminders for order `101`.
 - After 16 seconds, marks it as delivered.

3. Important Keywords Used

Keyword	Description
<code>setInterval()</code>	Calls a function repeatedly at fixed intervals (5 seconds here).
<code>setTimeout()</code>	Calls a function once after a delay (used for simulating delivery).
<code>clearInterval()</code>	Stops the repeated function calls from <code>setInterval</code> .
<code>++reminderCount</code>	Increments the count before using it in the log.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Test Input:

```
javascript

startReminder(101);
markAsDelivered(101, 16); // delivery after 16 seconds
```

Console Output:

```
yaml

Reminder 1: Order #101 is still being prepared.
Reminder 2: Order #101 is still being prepared.
```

Reminder 3: Order #101 is still being prepared.

Order #101 has been delivered.

Stopping reminders for Order #101.

- The reminder runs every 5 seconds.
- The delivery occurs after ~16 seconds (around the 4th reminder mark).
- The system stops sending reminders once delivered.



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✓ Use Case 3: Simple HTTP API Returning Employee Details (Node.js)

🧩 Goal:

Create a lightweight HTTP server that:

- Listens for GET requests.
- Returns employee details in **JSON** format.
- No external libraries used (pure Node.js).

✓ 1. Complete Code



File: `employeeServer.js`

javascript

```
const http = require('http');  
const url = require('url');
```

```

// Sample employee data
const employees = [
  { id: 1, name: 'Alice', department: 'Engineering' },
  { id: 2, name: 'Bob', department: 'HR' },
  { id: 3, name: 'Charlie', department: 'Marketing' }
];

// Create HTTP server
const server = http.createServer((req, res) => {
  const parsedUrl = url.parse(req.url, true);

  // Set response headers
  res.setHeader('Content-Type', 'application/json');

  if (parsedUrl.pathname === '/employees' && req.method === 'GET') {
    // Return all employees
    res.writeHead(200);
    res.end(JSON.stringify(employees));
  } else {
    // Not Found
    res.writeHead(404);
    res.end(JSON.stringify({ error: 'Route not found' }));
  }
});

// Server listens on port 3000
server.listen(3000, () => {
  console.log('Server running at http://localhost:3000');
});

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

javascript

```

const http = require('http');
const url = require('url');

```

- Loads Node.js built-in `http` module to create a web server.
- `url` is used to parse the request path and query parameters.

javascript

```
const employees = [  
  { id: 1, name: 'Alice', department: 'Engineering' },  
  { id: 2, name: 'Bob', department: 'HR' },  
  { id: 3, name: 'Charlie', department: 'Marketing' }  
];
```

- Hardcoded sample employee data stored as an array of objects.

javascript

```
const server = http.createServer((req, res) => {
```

- Creates the HTTP server. Every request triggers the callback.

javascript

```
const parsedUrl = url.parse(req.url, true);
```

- Parses the incoming URL into parts: pathname, query, etc.

javascript

```
res.setHeader('Content-Type', 'application/json');
```

- Sets the response content type to JSON.

javascript

```
if (parsedUrl.pathname === '/employees' && req.method === 'GET') {
```

- Checks if the request is a GET to `/employees`.

javascript

```
res.writeHead(200);
res.end(JSON.stringify(employees));
```

- Sends a 200 OK status and the list of employees as JSON.

javascript

```
    } else {
      res.writeHead(404);
      res.end(JSON.stringify({ error: 'Route not found' }));
    }
  });
```

- Handles all other requests by returning a 404 with an error message.

javascript

```
server.listen(3000, () => {
  console.log('Server running at http://localhost:3000');
});
```

- Starts the server on port 3000.

3. Important Keywords Used

Keyword	Description
<code>http.createServer()</code>	Creates a Node.js HTTP server.
<code>res.setHeader()</code>	Sets response headers like content type.
<code>res.writeHead()</code>	Sets HTTP status code.
<code>res.end()</code>	Ends the response and sends data back to the client.
<code>url.parse()</code>	Parses the request URL into pathname and query.

Keyword	Description
<code>JSON.stringify()</code>	Converts JavaScript objects to JSON strings.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Test Input:

- Start server with:

```
bash

node employeeServer.js
```

- Then access in browser or API tool:

```
bash

http://localhost:3000/employees
```

Output (HTTP 200):

```
json

[
  { "id": 1, "name": "Alice", "department": "Engineering" },
  { "id": 2, "name": "Bob", "department": "HR" },
  { "id": 3, "name": "Charlie", "department": "Marketing" }
]
```

Invalid Route Example:

```
bash

http://localhost:3000/foo
```

Output (HTTP 404):

```
json
```

```
{ "error": "Route not found" }
```



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✅ Use Case 4: GraphQL API for Querying and Mutating Employee Data

🧩 Goal:

Create a **GraphQL API** that allows:

- Querying all employees or a single employee by `id`.
- Adding a new employee using a **mutation**.

✅ 1. Complete Code

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql
```

```
graphql-employee-api/
```

```
├─ index.js
```

```
├─ schema.js
```

```
├─ data.js
```

```
└─ package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

Run the following command to set up:

```
bash

npm init -y
npm install express express-graphql graphql
```

File: `data.js` — Sample In-Memory Data

```
javascript

const employees = [
  { id: '1', name: 'Alice', department: 'Engineering' },
  { id: '2', name: 'Bob', department: 'HR' }
];

module.exports = { employees };
```

File: `schema.js` — GraphQL Schema

```
javascript

const { GraphQLObjectType, GraphQLString, GraphQLSchema, GraphQLList, GraphQLID,
GraphQLNonNull } = require('graphql');
const { employees } = require('./data');

// Employee Type
const EmployeeType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Employee',
  fields: () => ({
    id: { type: GraphQLID },
    name: { type: GraphQLString },
    department: { type: GraphQLString }
  })
});

// Root Query
```



```

const RootQuery = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'RootQueryType',
  fields: {
    employees: {
      type: new GraphQLList(EmployeeType),
      resolve() {
        return employees;
      }
    },
    employee: {
      type: EmployeeType,
      args: { id: { type: GraphQLID } },
      resolve(_, args) {
        return employees.find(emp => emp.id === args.id);
      }
    }
  }
});

// Mutation
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    addEmployee: {
      type: EmployeeType,
      args: {
        id: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLID) },
        name: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },
        department: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
      },
      resolve(_, args) {
        const newEmp = { id: args.id, name: args.name, department: args.department };
        employees.push(newEmp);
        return newEmp;
      }
    }
  }
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  query: RootQuery,

```

```
mutation: Mutation
});
```

File: `index.js` — Express Server

javascript

```
const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const schema = require('./schema');

const app = express();

app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,
  graphiql: true // enable GraphiQL UI
}));

app.listen(4000, () => {
  console.log('GraphQL server running at http://localhost:4000/graphql');
});
```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

`data.js`

- Contains hardcoded employee data stored in-memory.

`schema.js`

javascript

```
const EmployeeType = new GraphQLObjectType({
```

- Defines a GraphQL type called `Employee` with fields `id`, `name`, and `department`.

javascript

```
const RootQuery = new GraphQLObjectType({
```

- Adds two queries:
 - `employees` : returns all employees.
 - `employee(id: ID)` : fetches one by ID.

javascript

```
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
```

- Adds `addEmployee` mutation that takes `id`, `name`, and `department` and pushes it into the list.

javascript

```
module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({ query: RootQuery, mutation: Mutation });
```

- Exports the schema with both query and mutation functionality.

index.js

javascript

```
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
```

- Middleware to handle GraphQL requests using Express.

javascript

```
app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({ schema, graphiql: true }));
```

- Registers the `/graphql` endpoint and enables the built-in IDE GraphiQL.

3. Important Keywords

Keyword	Description
GraphQLObjectType	Defines types like Employee , Query , Mutation .
GraphQLList	Represents an array of items in GraphQL.
GraphQLNonNull	Marks a field as required.
resolve()	Resolver function to fetch the actual data.
express-graphql	Middleware that connects Express with GraphQL.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Test via browser at:

```
bash
```

```
http://localhost:4000/graphql
```

Query All Employees

```
graphql
```

```
query {  
  employees {  
    id  
    name  
    department  
  }  
}
```

✓ **Output:**

```
json
```

```
{
  "data": {
    "employees": [
      { "id": "1", "name": "Alice", "department": "Engineering" },
      { "id": "2", "name": "Bob", "department": "HR" }
    ]
  }
}
```

Query One Employee by ID

```
graphql

query {
  employee(id: "2") {
    name
    department
  }
}
```

✅ Output:

```
json

{
  "data": {
    "employee": {
      "name": "Bob",
      "department": "HR"
    }
  }
}
```

Add a New Employee

```
graphql
```

```
mutation {  
  addEmployee(id: "3", name: "Charlie", department: "Sales") {  
    id  
    name  
  }  
}
```

✓ Output:

```
json  
  
{  
  "data": {  
    "addEmployee": {  
      "id": "3",  
      "name": "Charlie"  
    }  
  }  
}
```



✓ Use Case 5: GraphQL Schema for Product Management (Query + Mutation)

🧩 Goal:

Design a GraphQL API for an e-commerce platform to:

- **Query** all products or a product by its ID.
- **Add** new products using a mutation.

✓ 1. Complete Code

We'll keep the structure similar to the previous use case.

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql

graphql-product-api/
├─ index.js
├─ schema.js
├─ data.js
├─ package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

```
bash

npm init -y
npm install express express-graphql graphql
```

📄 File: data.js

```
javascript

const products = [
  { id: 'p1', name: 'Laptop', price: 999.99 },
  { id: 'p2', name: 'Smartphone', price: 699.49 }
];

module.exports = { products };
```

javascript

```
const {
  GraphQLObjectType,
  GraphQLString,
  GraphQLSchema,
  GraphQLFloat,
  GraphQLList,
  GraphQLID,
  GraphQLNonNull
} = require('graphql');

const { products } = require('./data');

// Product Type
const ProductType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Product',
  fields: () => ({
    id: { type: GraphQLID },
    name: { type: GraphQLString },
    price: { type: GraphQLFloat }
  })
});

// Root Query
const RootQuery = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'RootQueryType',
  fields: {
    products: {
      type: new GraphQLList(ProductType),
      resolve() {
        return products;
      }
    },
    product: {
      type: ProductType,
      args: { id: { type: GraphQLID } },
      resolve(_, args) {
        return products.find(p => p.id === args.id);
      }
    }
  }
});
```



```

    }
  }
});

// Mutation
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    addProduct: {
      type: ProductType,
      args: {
        id: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLID) },
        name: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },
        price: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLFloat) }
      },
      resolve(_, args) {
        const newProduct = { id: args.id, name: args.name, price: args.price };
        products.push(newProduct);
        return newProduct;
      }
    }
  }
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  query: RootQuery,
  mutation: Mutation
});

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const schema = require('./schema');

const app = express();

```

```
app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,
  graphiql: true
}));

app.listen(4001, () => {
  console.log('GraphQL server running at http://localhost:4001/graphql');
});
```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

ProductType

javascript

```
const ProductType = new GraphQLObjectType({
```

Defines the `Product` GraphQL type with `id`, `name`, and `price`.

RootQuery

javascript

```
fields: {
  products: {
    type: new GraphQLList(ProductType),
    resolve() {
      return products;
    }
  },
},
```

- `products` : returns all product items.
- `product(id: ID)` : returns one product by ID.

Mutation

javascript

```
addProduct: {  
  type: ProductType,  
  args: {  
    id: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLID) },  
    name: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },  
    price: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLFloat) }  
  },  
}
```

- Defines the mutation `addProduct`, which accepts `id`, `name`, and `price` to add a product to the list.

3. Important GraphQL Keywords

Keyword	Description
<code>GraphQLFloat</code>	Used for decimal values (product price).
<code>GraphQLList</code>	Represents an array of types.
<code>GraphQLNonNull</code>	Makes a field required.
<code>resolve()</code>	Resolver function to fetch data.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Start server:

```
bash  
  
node index.js
```

Navigate to <http://localhost:4001/graphql>



Query All Products

graphql

```
query {  
  products {  
    id  
    name  
    price  
  }  
}
```

✓ Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "products": [  
      { "id": "p1", "name": "Laptop", "price": 999.99 },  
      { "id": "p2", "name": "Smartphone", "price": 699.49 }  
    ]  
  }  
}
```



Add New Product

graphql

```
mutation {  
  addProduct(id: "p3", name: "Headphones", price: 199.95) {  
    id  
    name  
    price  
  }  
}
```

✓ Output:

json

```
{
  "data": {
    "addProduct": {
      "id": "p3",
      "name": "Headphones",
      "price": 199.95
    }
  }
}
```

Get Product by ID

graphql

```
query {
  product(id: "p3") {
    name
    price
  }
}
```

Output:

json

```
{
  "data": {
    "product": {
      "name": "Headphones",
      "price": 199.95
    }
  }
}
```



✓ Use Case 6: Validate Account Number (Exactly 10 Digits) in GraphQL

🧩 Goal:

- Create a GraphQL API that:
 - Accepts an **account number**.
 - **Validates** it must be exactly **10 digits**.
 - Throws an **error** if invalid.

✓ 1. Complete Code

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql

graphql-account-validation/
├─ index.js
├─ schema.js
└─ package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

```
bash

npm init -y
```

```
npm install express express-graphql graphql
```

File: schema.js

javascript

```
const {
  GraphQLObjectType,
  GraphQLString,
  GraphQLSchema,
  GraphQLNonNull
} = require('graphql');

// Account Type
const AccountType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Account',
  fields: () => ({
    accountNumber: { type: GraphQLString },
    message: { type: GraphQLString }
  })
});

// Root Mutation
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    validateAccount: {
      type: AccountType,
      args: {
        accountNumber: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
      },
      resolve(_, args) {
        const { accountNumber } = args;

        // Validate: must be exactly 10 digits
        const isValid = /^d{10}$/.test(accountNumber);

        if (!isValid) {
          throw new Error('Account number must be exactly 10 digits.');
```

```

    }

    return {
      accountNumber,
      message: 'Account number is valid.'
    };
  }
}
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  mutation: Mutation
});

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const schema = require('./schema');

const app = express();

app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,
  graphiql: true
}));

app.listen(4002, () => {
  console.log('GraphQL server running at http://localhost:4002/graphql');
});

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

AccountType

javascript

```
const AccountType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Account',
  fields: () => ({
    accountNumber: { type: GraphQLString },
    message: { type: GraphQLString }
  })
});
```

- Defines a simple type `Account` with fields: `accountNumber` and `message` .

validateAccount Mutation

javascript

```
validateAccount: {
  type: AccountType,
  args: {
    accountNumber: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
  },
}
```

- Takes one argument: `accountNumber` (required).
- Uses a **regular expression** to validate:

javascript

```
/^\d{10}$/
```

- `^` start of string
- `\d{10}` exactly 10 digits
- `$` end of string
- If invalid, throws:

javascript

```
throw new Error('Account number must be exactly 10 digits.');
```

- If valid, returns the account number and a success message.

index.js

- Sets up the Express server and the GraphQL endpoint at `/graphql`.

3. Important GraphQL + JS Keywords

Keyword	Description
<code>GraphQLNonNull</code>	Makes a field mandatory .
<code>throw new Error()</code>	Raises a GraphQL execution error.
<code>RegExp (/^\d{10}\$/)</code>	Validates account number format.

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Start server:

```
bash

node index.js
```

Visit: <http://localhost:4002/graphql>

Test 1: Valid Account Number

```
graphql
```

```
mutation {  
  validateAccount(accountNumber: "1234567890") {  
    accountNumber  
    message  
  }  
}
```

✓ Output:

```
json  
  
{  
  "data": {  
    "validateAccount": {  
      "accountNumber": "1234567890",  
      "message": "Account number is valid."  
    }  
  }  
}
```



Test 2: Invalid Account Number (Too Short)

```
graphql  
  
mutation {  
  validateAccount(accountNumber: "12345") {  
    accountNumber  
    message  
  }  
}
```

✗ Output (Error):

```
json  
  
{  
  "errors": [  
    {  
      "message": "Account number must be exactly 10 digits.",  
    }  
  ]  
}
```

```
      "locations": [...],
      "path": ["validateAccount"]
    }
  ],
  "data": {
    "validateAccount": null
  }
}
```

Test 3: Invalid Account Number (Contains Letters)

```
graphql

mutation {
  validateAccount(accountNumber: "12345abcd9") {
    accountNumber
    message
  }
}
```

Output (Error):

```
json

{
  "errors": [
    {
      "message": "Account number must be exactly 10 digits.",
      "locations": [...],
      "path": ["validateAccount"]
    }
  ],
  "data": {
    "validateAccount": null
  }
}
```



✓ Use Case 7: GraphQL User Authentication (MongoDB)

🧩 Goal:

Build a secure authentication system with:

- User Registration
- User Login
- Passwords **hashed** using `bcrypt`
- JWT token generation on login

✓ 1. Project Setup

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql

graphql-auth-mongodb/
├── index.js
├── schema.js
├── models/
│   └── User.js
├── db.js
├── .env
└── package.json
```

Step 1: Install Dependencies

bash

```
npm init -y
npm install express express-graphql graphql mongoose bcryptjs jsonwebtoken dotenv
```

File: .env

env

```
MONGO_URI=mongodb://localhost:27017/authdb
JWT_SECRET=mysecretkey
```

File: db.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');
require('dotenv').config();

const connectDB = async () => {
  try {
    await mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URI);
    console.log('MongoDB connected');
  } catch (err) {
    console.error(err.message);
    process.exit(1);
  }
};

module.exports = connectDB;
```

File: models/User.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const UserSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
  email: { type: String, required: true, unique: true },
  password: { type: String, required: true }
});

module.exports = mongoose.model('User', UserSchema);
```

File: schema.js

javascript

```
const {
  GraphQLObjectType,
  GraphQLString,
  GraphQLSchema,
  GraphQLNonNull
} = require('graphql');

const bcrypt = require('bcryptjs');
const jwt = require('jsonwebtoken');
const User = require('./models/User');
require('dotenv').config();

// User Type
const UserType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'User',
  fields: {
    id: { type: GraphQLString },
    email: { type: GraphQLString },
    token: { type: GraphQLString }
  }
});
```

```
// Root Mutation
```

```
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    register: {
      type: UserType,
      args: {
        email: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },
        password: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
      },
      async resolve(_, args) {
        const { email, password } = args;
        const existingUser = await User.findOne({ email });
        if (existingUser) throw new Error('User already exists');

        const hashedPassword = await bcrypt.hash(password, 10);
        const user = new User({ email, password: hashedPassword });
        await user.save();

        return { id: user.id, email: user.email };
      },
    },
    login: {
      type: UserType,
      args: {
        email: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },
        password: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
      },
      async resolve(_, args) {
        const { email, password } = args;
        const user = await User.findOne({ email });
        if (!user) throw new Error('User not found');

        const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
        if (!isMatch) throw new Error('Invalid credentials');

        const token = jwt.sign({ id: user.id }, process.env.JWT_SECRET, {
          expiresIn: '1h'
        });

        return { id: user.id, email: user.email, token };
      },
    },
  },
});
```



```

    }
  }
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  mutation: Mutation
});

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const schema = require('./schema');
const connectDB = require('./db');
require('dotenv').config();

const app = express();
connectDB();

app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,
  graphiql: true
}));

app.listen(4003, () => {
  console.log('GraphQL server running at http://localhost:4003/graphql');
});

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

User Registration

javascript

```
const existingUser = await User.findOne({ email });
```

Check if the email already exists.

javascript

```
const hashedPassword = await bcrypt.hash(password, 10);
```

Hash the password securely.

javascript

```
const user = new User({ email, password: hashedPassword });  
await user.save();
```

Save the new user to MongoDB.

User Login

javascript

```
const isMatch = await bcrypt.compare(password, user.password);
```

Check if provided password matches the hash.

javascript

```
const token = jwt.sign({ id: user.id }, process.env.JWT_SECRET);
```

Create a JWT for session management.

3. Keywords Used

Keyword	Description
<code>bcrypt.hash()</code>	Hash user passwords

Keyword	Description
<code>bcrypt.compare()</code>	Compare plaintext and hash
<code>jsonwebtoken</code>	Generate tokens for authentication
<code>GraphQLNonNull</code>	Required field
<code>mongoose</code>	MongoDB ORM for Node.js

4. Test Inputs and Outputs

Start MongoDB:

```
bash

mongod
```

Run the server:

```
bash

node index.js
```

Open: <http://localhost:4003/graphql>

Register a New User

```
graphql

mutation {
  register(email: "user@example.com", password: "secret123") {
    id
    email
  }
}
```

Output:

```
json

{
  "data": {
    "register": {
      "id": "someId",
      "email": "user@example.com"
    }
  }
}
```

✓ Login User

```
graphql

mutation {
  login(email: "user@example.com", password: "secret123") {
    id
    email
    token
  }
}
```

Output:

```
json

{
  "data": {
    "login": {
      "id": "someId",
      "email": "user@example.com",
      "token": "eyJhbGciOi..."
    }
  }
}
```



✓ Use Case 8: Task Management with GraphQL, Express & MongoDB

🧩 Goal:

Build a task system where users can:

- Add tasks
- Update task status
- View all/pending tasks

✓ 1. Project Setup

📁 Folder Structure:

pgsql

```
graphql-task-manager/  
├─ index.js  
├─ schema.js  
├─ db.js  
├─ models/  
│   └─ Task.js  
├─ .env  
└─ package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

```
bash
```

```
npm init -y  
npm install express express-graphql graphql mongoose dotenv
```

File: `.env`

```
env
```

```
MONGO_URI=mongodb://localhost:27017/taskdb
```

File: `db.js`

```
javascript
```

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');  
require('dotenv').config();  
  
const connectDB = async () => {  
  try {  
    await mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URI);  
    console.log('MongoDB connected');  
  } catch (err) {  
    console.error(err.message);  
    process.exit(1);  
  }  
};  
  
module.exports = connectDB;
```

File: `models/Task.js`

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const TaskSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
  title: { type: String, required: true },
  status: { type: String, enum: ['Pending', 'Completed'], default: 'Pending' }
});

module.exports = mongoose.model('Task', TaskSchema);
```



File: schema.js

javascript

```
const {
  GraphQLObjectType,
  GraphQLString,
  GraphQLSchema,
  GraphQLNonNull,
  GraphQLList,
  GraphQLID,
  GraphQLEnumType
} = require('graphql');

const Task = require('./models/Task');

// Task Type
const TaskType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Task',
  fields: {
    id: { type: GraphQLID },
    title: { type: GraphQLString },
    status: { type: GraphQLString }
  }
});

// Root Query
const RootQuery = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Query',
```

```

fields: {
  tasks: {
    type: new GraphQLList(TaskType),
    resolve() {
      return Task.find();
    }
  },
  pendingTasks: {
    type: new GraphQLList(TaskType),
    resolve() {
      return Task.find({ status: 'Pending' });
    }
  }
}
});

// Root Mutation
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    addTask: {
      type: TaskType,
      args: {
        title: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) }
      },
      resolve(_, args) {
        const task = new Task({ title: args.title });
        return task.save();
      }
    },
    updateTaskStatus: {
      type: TaskType,
      args: {
        id: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLID) },
        status: {
          type: new GraphQLEnumType({
            name: 'StatusEnum',
            values: {
              Pending: { value: 'Pending' },
              Completed: { value: 'Completed' }
            }
          })
        }
      }
    }
  }
});

```



```

    }
  },
  resolve(_, args) {
    return Task.findByIdAndUpdate(
      args.id,
      { status: args.status },
      { new: true }
    );
  }
}
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  query: RootQuery,
  mutation: Mutation
});

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const connectDB = require('./db');
const schema = require('./schema');
require('dotenv').config();

const app = express();
connectDB();

app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,
  graphiql: true
})));

app.listen(4004, () => {

```

```
console.log('Task GraphQL API running at http://localhost:4004/graphql');
});
```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

Task Model

javascript

```
status: { type: String, enum: ['Pending', 'Completed'], default: 'Pending' }
```

- Task has only two valid states.
- Default is `Pending`.

GraphQL Types

- `TaskType` : GraphQL object for tasks (id, title, status).
- `GraphQLEnumType` : Enum for valid statuses in `updateTaskStatus`.

Query Resolvers

- `tasks` : Returns all tasks.
- `pendingTasks` : Returns only those with status `"Pending"`.

Mutation Resolvers

- `addTask` : Creates a task with default `"Pending"` status.
- `updateTaskStatus` : Updates status of a task by `ID`.

3. Important Keywords

Keyword	Description
<code>GraphQLList</code>	Returns an array of GraphQL types
<code>GraphQLEnumType</code>	Restricts values (e.g., Pending/Completed)
<code>GraphQLNonNull</code>	Makes field required
<code>findByIdAndUpdate</code>	Mongoose method to update by <code>_id</code>

4. Test Inputs & Outputs

Start MongoDB:

```
bash

mongod
```

Run server:

```
bash

node index.js
```

Open GraphiQL: <http://localhost:4004/graphql>

Add Task

```
graphql

mutation {
  addTask(title: "Write GraphQL Code") {
    id
    title
    status
  }
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "addTask": {  
      "id": "abc123",  
      "title": "Write GraphQL Code",  
      "status": "Pending"  
    }  
  }  
}
```



Update Task Status

graphql

```
mutation {  
  updateTaskStatus(id: "abc123", status: Completed) {  
    id  
    title  
    status  
  }  
}
```

Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "updateTaskStatus": {  
      "id": "abc123",  
      "title": "Write GraphQL Code",  
      "status": "Completed"  
    }  
  }  
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Get All Tasks

```
graphql  
  
query {  
  tasks {  
    id  
    title  
    status  
  }  
}
```

Get Only Pending Tasks

```
graphql  
  
query {  
  pendingTasks {  
    id  
    title  
    status  
  }  
}
```



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✓ Use Case 9: Order Management API with GraphQL, Express & MongoDB

🧩 Goal:

Implement an API where users can:

- Place new orders
- Update order status
- View order status

✓ 1. Project Setup

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql

graphql-order-system/
├─ index.js
├─ schema.js
├─ db.js
├─ models/
│   └─ Order.js
├─ .env
└─ package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

```
bash

npm init -y
npm install express express-graphql graphql mongoose dotenv
```

File: .env

env

```
MONGO_URI=mongodb://localhost:27017/orderdb
```

File: db.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');
require('dotenv').config();

const connectDB = async () => {
  try {
    await mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URI);
    console.log('MongoDB connected');
  } catch (err) {
    console.error(err.message);
    process.exit(1);
  }
};

module.exports = connectDB;
```

File: models/Order.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const OrderSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
  product: { type: String, required: true },
  quantity: { type: Number, required: true },
  status: {
    type: String,
```

```
    enum: ['Placed', 'Processing', 'Shipped', 'Delivered'],
    default: 'Placed'
  }
});

module.exports = mongoose.model('Order', OrderSchema);
```

File: schema.js

javascript

```
const {
  GraphQLObjectType,
  GraphQLString,
  GraphQLInt,
  GraphQLSchema,
  GraphQLNonNull,
  GraphQLList,
  GraphQLID,
  GraphQLEnumType
} = require('graphql');

const Order = require('./models/Order');

// Order Type
const OrderType = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Order',
  fields: {
    id: { type: GraphQLID },
    product: { type: GraphQLString },
    quantity: { type: GraphQLInt },
    status: { type: GraphQLString }
  }
});

// Root Query
const RootQuery = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Query',
  fields: {
```



```

orders: {
  type: new GraphQLList(OrderType),
  resolve() {
    return Order.find();
  }
},
order: {
  type: OrderType,
  args: { id: { type: GraphQLID } },
  resolve(_, args) {
    return Order.findById(args.id);
  }
}
}
});

// Mutations
const Mutation = new GraphQLObjectType({
  name: 'Mutation',
  fields: {
    placeOrder: {
      type: OrderType,
      args: {
        product: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLString) },
        quantity: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLInt) }
      },
      resolve(_, args) {
        const order = new Order({
          product: args.product,
          quantity: args.quantity
        });
        return order.save();
      }
    },
    updateOrderStatus: {
      type: OrderType,
      args: {
        id: { type: new GraphQLNonNull(GraphQLID) },
        status: {
          type: new GraphQLEnumType({
            name: 'OrderStatusEnum',
            values: {

```

```

        Placed: { value: 'Placed' },
        Processing: { value: 'Processing' },
        Shipped: { value: 'Shipped' },
        Delivered: { value: 'Delivered' }
      }
    })
  }
},
resolve(_, args) {
  return Order.findByIdAndUpdate(
    args.id,
    { status: args.status },
    { new: true }
  );
}
}
});

module.exports = new GraphQLSchema({
  query: RootQuery,
  mutation: Mutation
});

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { graphqlHTTP } = require('express-graphql');
const schema = require('./schema');
const connectDB = require('./db');
require('dotenv').config();

const app = express();
connectDB();

app.use('/graphql', graphqlHTTP({
  schema,

```

```
    graphql: true
  }));

app.listen(4005, () => {
  console.log('Order API running at http://localhost:4005/graphql');
});
```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

Order Schema

```
javascript

status: {
  type: String,
  enum: ['Placed', 'Processing', 'Shipped', 'Delivered'],
  default: 'Placed'
}
```

- Order status is restricted to valid values.
- Defaults to `Placed` on creation.

GraphQL Mutations

- `placeOrder` : creates a new order
- `updateOrderStatus` : updates an order by `id` using a strict enum type

GraphQL Queries

- `orders` : list all orders
- `order(id)` : fetch an order by ID

3. Important Keywords

Keyword	Description
GraphQLID	For Mongo <code>_id</code>
GraphQLEnumType	Enforces enum validation
findByIdAndUpdate	MongoDB update
GraphQLList	Returns multiple results

4. Test Inputs & Outputs

Start MongoDB:

```
bash

mongod
```

Run the server:

```
bash

node index.js
```

Go to: <http://localhost:4005/graphql>

Place New Order

```
graphql

mutation {
  placeOrder(product: "Laptop", quantity: 1) {
    id
    product
    quantity
    status
  }
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "placeOrder": {  
      "id": "abc123",  
      "product": "Laptop",  
      "quantity": 1,  
      "status": "Placed"  
    }  
  }  
}
```



Update Order Status

graphql

```
mutation {  
  updateOrderStatus(id: "abc123", status: Shipped) {  
    id  
    status  
  }  
}
```

Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "updateOrderStatus": {  
      "id": "abc123",  
      "status": "Shipped"  
    }  
  }  
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Get All Orders

```
graphql  
  
query {  
  orders {  
    id  
    product  
    quantity  
    status  
  }  
}
```

Get Order by ID

```
graphql  
  
query {  
  order(id: "abc123") {  
    product  
    quantity  
    status  
  }  
}
```

✓ Use Case 10: Real-time Chat App using GraphQL Subscriptions

🧩 Goal:

Implement a **real-time chat system** using:

- **GraphQL Subscriptions** to handle real-time updates.
- **Express** and **Apollo Server** for server setup.
- **WebSockets** to enable real-time communication between users.

✓ 1. Project Setup

📁 Folder Structure:

```
pgsql

graphql-chat-app/
├── index.js
├── schema.js
├── db.js
├── models/
│   └── Message.js
├── .env
└── package.json
```

📦 Step 1: Install Dependencies

```
bash

npm init -y
npm install express apollo-server-express graphql mongoose dotenv
```

File: .env

env

```
MONGO_URI=mongodb://localhost:27017/chatdb
```

File: db.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');
require('dotenv').config();

const connectDB = async () => {
  try {
    await mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URI);
    console.log('MongoDB connected');
  } catch (err) {
    console.error(err.message);
    process.exit(1);
  }
};

module.exports = connectDB;
```

File: models/Message.js

javascript

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

const MessageSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
  content: { type: String, required: true },
  sender: { type: String, required: true },
  timestamp: { type: Date, default: Date.now }
});
```



```
module.exports = mongoose.model('Message', MessageSchema);
```

File: schema.js

javascript

```
const { gql } = require('apollo-server-express');

// GraphQL Type Definitions
const typeDefs = gql`
  type Message {
    id: ID!
    content: String!
    sender: String!
    timestamp: String!
  }

  type Query {
    messages: [Message]
  }

  type Mutation {
    sendMessage(content: String!, sender: String!): Message
  }

  type Subscription {
    messageSent: Message
  }
`;

module.exports = typeDefs;
```

File: resolvers.js

javascript

```

const Message = require('./models/Message');

// GraphQL Resolvers
const resolvers = {
  Query: {
    messages: async () => {
      return await Message.find();
    },
  },

  Mutation: {
    sendMessage: async (_, { content, sender }) => {
      const message = new Message({ content, sender });
      await message.save();
      return message;
    },
  },

  Subscription: {
    messageSent: {
      subscribe: (_, __, { pubsub }) => {
        return pubsub.asyncIterator("MESSAGE_SENT");
      },
    },
  },
};

module.exports = resolvers;

```

File: index.js

javascript

```

const express = require('express');
const { ApolloServer, PubSub } = require('apollo-server-express');
const mongoose = require('mongoose');
const http = require('http');
const connectDB = require('./db');
const typeDefs = require('./schema');

```

```

const resolvers = require('./resolvers');
require('dotenv').config();

const pubsub = new PubSub();
const app = express();
const server = http.createServer(app);

// Apollo Server setup with GraphQL Subscriptions
const apolloServer = new ApolloServer({
  typeDefs,
  resolvers,
  context: ({ req, res }) => ({
    pubsub
  })
});

connectDB();

apolloServer.applyMiddleware({ app });

app.listen(4006, () => {
  console.log('Server running at http://localhost:4006/graphql');
});

```

2. Line-by-Line Explanation

GraphQL Types and Schema

```

graphql

type Message {
  id: ID!
  content: String!
  sender: String!
  timestamp: String!
}

```

- Define the `Message` type which will represent each chat message.

graphql

```
type Subscription {  
  messageSent: Message  
}
```

- **Subscription** allows real-time updates whenever a message is sent.

Resolvers

Query Resolvers

javascript

```
messages: async () => {  
  return await Message.find();  
}
```

- This query fetches all messages from the database.

Mutation Resolvers

javascript

```
sendMessage: async (_, { content, sender }) => {  
  const message = new Message({ content, sender });  
  await message.save();  
  pubsub.publish("MESSAGE_SENT", { messageSent: message }); // Trigger subscription  
  return message;  
}
```

- `sendMessage` handles new messages. After saving the message to MongoDB, it publishes to the `messageSent` subscription.

Subscription Resolvers

javascript

```
messageSent: {  
  subscribe: (_, __, { pubsub }) => {
```

```
    return pubsub.asyncIterator("MESSAGE_SENT");  
  }  
}
```

- Subscriptions listen for the "MESSAGE_SENT" event and send the new message to all subscribers.

3. Important Keywords

Keyword	Description
ApolloServer	Express middleware for setting up GraphQL server
PubSub	Used for publishing and subscribing to events in GraphQL
asyncIterator	Enables subscription in real-time with WebSockets
graphql-subscriptions	Enables GraphQL real-time updates

4. Test Inputs & Outputs

Start MongoDB:

```
bash  
  
mongod
```

Run the server:

```
bash  
  
node index.js
```

Open GraphiQL:

- Go to: <http://localhost:4006/graphql>

✅ Send a Message (Mutation)

graphql

```
mutation {  
  sendMessage(content: "Hello, how are you?", sender: "User1") {  
    id  
    content  
    sender  
    timestamp  
  }  
}
```

Output:

json

```
{  
  "data": {  
    "sendMessage": {  
      "id": "abc123",  
      "content": "Hello, how are you?",  
      "sender": "User1",  
      "timestamp": "2025-04-29T12:00:00Z"  
    }  
  }  
}
```

📦 Get All Messages (Query)

graphql

```
query {  
  messages {  
    id  
    content  
    sender  
    timestamp  
  }  
}
```

```
}  
}
```

Output:

```
json  
  
{  
  "data": {  
    "messages": [  
      {  
        "id": "abc123",  
        "content": "Hello, how are you?",  
        "sender": "User1",  
        "timestamp": "2025-04-29T12:00:00Z"  
      },  
      // other messages...  
    ]  
  }  
}
```



Real-time Message Subscription (Subscription)

```
graphql  
  
subscription {  
  messageSent {  
    id  
    content  
    sender  
    timestamp  
  }  
}
```

- When a new message is sent, it will automatically trigger a real-time update.

Output (After sending a new message):

```
json
```

```
{
  "data": {
    "messageSent": {
      "id": "def456",
      "content": "How's everything?",
      "sender": "User2",
      "timestamp": "2025-04-29T12:05:00Z"
    }
  }
}
```

Notes:

- WebSocket is required for the subscription to work. The Apollo server handles this automatically.
- You can have multiple subscribers connected and when any new message is sent, all of them will be notified instantly.