MongoDB: Advanced Queries (Aggregation Framework)

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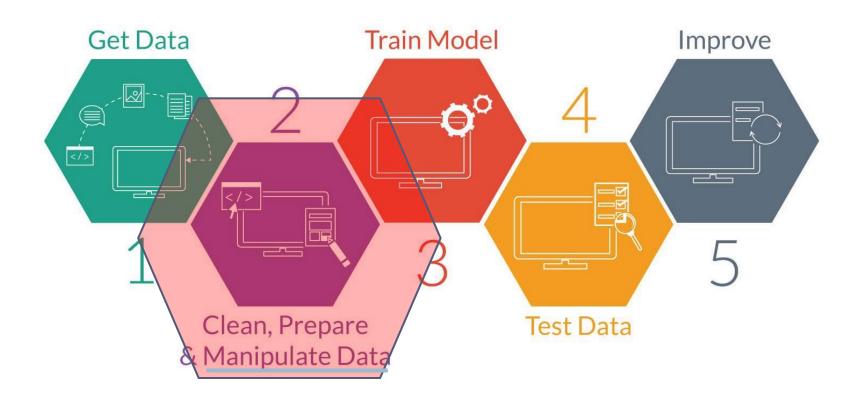


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Aggregation Framework

Traditional SQL queries

Fixed order (not flexible) and thus no optimization can be achieved

| SELECT | [DISTINCT] 애트리뷰트(들) | (1) |
|-----------|-------------------------|----------|
| FROM | 릴레이션(들) | (2) 물수 |
| [WHERE | 조건 | (3) |
| | [중첩 질의]] | (4) |
| [GROUP BY | 애트리뷰트(들)] | (5) } 선택 |
| [HAVING | 조건] | (6) |
| [ORDER BY | 애트리뷰트(들) [ASC DESC]]; | (7) |
| | [그림 4 9] SELECT문의 형식 | |

Aggregation Framework

- MongoDB aggregation framework
 - Operation pipeline
 - Obtains results in step-by-step
 - Flexible order

Aggregation Pipeline

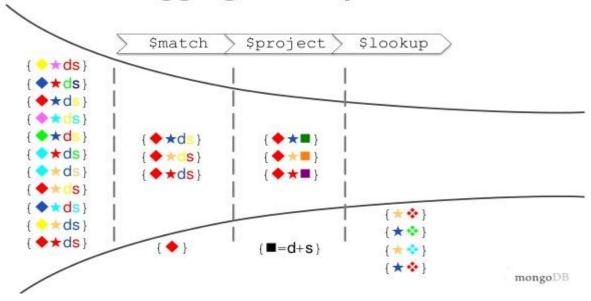


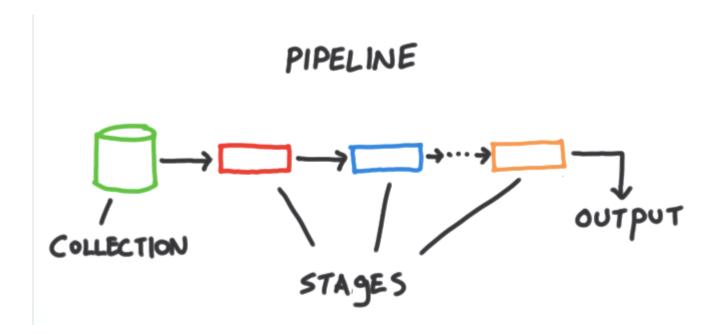
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Aggregation Pipeline

 Documents enter a multi-stage pipeline that transforms the documents into an aggregated result

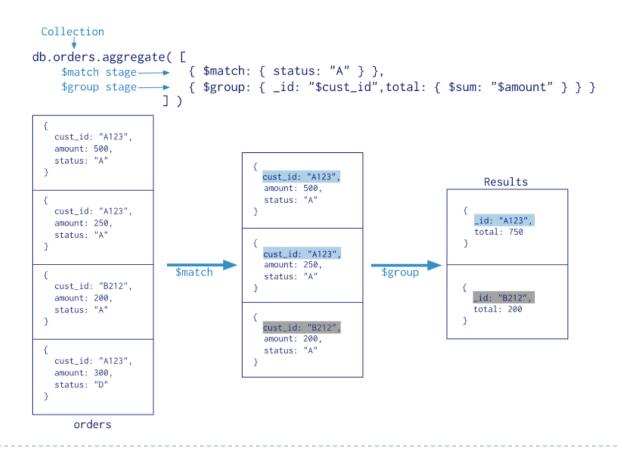


Aggregation Framework

- Aggregate() function is used for creating pipelines
 - db.collection.aggregate(pipeline, options)
 - Pipeline is an array that can have multiple stages
 - ▶ Each stage here is a document
 - Pipeline is a sequence of data aggregation operations or stages
 - Optional
 - ▶ Additional options that aggregate() passes to the aggregate command

Aggregation Pipeline

 Documents enter a multi-stage pipeline that transforms the documents into an aggregated result



Aggregation Pipeline

- Pipeline stages
 - \$match
 - Filter documents
 - \$project
 - Reshape documents
 - \$group
 - Summarize documents

- \$sort
 - Order documents
- \$limit and \$skip
 - Paginate document
- \$unwind
 - Create documents from array elements

Aggregation Framework

SQL to Aggregation Mapping Chart

| WHERE | \$match |
|----------|------------------------|
| GROUP BY | \$group |
| HAVING | \$match |
| SELECT | \$project |
| ORDER BY | \$sort |
| LIMIT | \$limit |
| SUM() | \$sum |
| COUNT() | \$sum \$sortByCount |
| | |

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Example dataset

```
_id: 375,
title: "The Great Gatsby",
ISBN: "9781857150193",
available: true,
pages: 218,
chapters: 9,
subjects: [
 "Long Island",
 "New York",
 "1920s"
language: "English"
```

\$match

- Filters the documents to pass only the documents that match the specified condition(s) to the next pipeline stage
- The \$match stage has the following prototype form

```
 { $match: { <query> } }
```

- Place the \$match as early in the aggregation pipeline as possible
 - limits the total number of documents in the aggregation pipeline
 - minimizes the amount of processing down the pipe

\$match

Matching field values

```
{ $match: {
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                       language: "Russian"
pages: 218,
language: "English"
title: "War and Peace",
pages: 1440,
                                        title: "War and Peace",
language: "Russian"
                                        pages: 1440,
                                        language: "Russian"
title: "Atlas Shrugged",
pages: 1088,
language: "English"
```

\$match

Matching with query operators

```
{ $match: {
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                       pages: {$gt:100}
pages: 218,
language: "English"
title: "War and Peace",
                                        title: "War and Peace",
pages: 1440,
                                        pages: 1440,
language: "Russian"
                                        language: "Russian"
title: "Atlas Shrugged",
pages: 1088,
                                        title: "Atlas Shrugged",
language: "English"
                                        pages: 1088,
                                        language: "English"
```

\$project

- Passes along the documents with the requested fields to the next stage in the pipeline
- The specified fields can be existing fields from the input documents or newly computed fields
 - Include, exclude or rename fields
- The \$project stage has the following prototype form
 - { \$project: { <specification(s)> } }
- You can use the \$project as projection operator

\$project

Including and Excluding Fields

```
{ $project: {
id: 375,
                                          _id: 0,
title: "Great Gatsby",
                                         title: 1,
ISBN: "9781857150193",
                                         language: 1
available: true,
pages: 218,
subjects: [
 "Long Island",
 "New York",
 "1920s"
                                         title: "Great Gatsby",
language: "English"
                                         language: "English"
```

\$project

Creating Sub-Document Fields

```
{ $project: {
_id: 375,
                                         title: 1,
title: "Great Gatsby",
                                         stats: {
ISBN: "9781857150193".
                                          pages: "$pages",
available: true,
                                          language: "$language",
pages: 218,
chapters: 9,
subjects: [
 "Long Island",
 "New York",
 "1920s"
                                          id: 375,
language: "English"
                                         title: "Great Gatsby",
                                         stats: {
                                           pages: 218,
                                          language: "English"
```

- \$group
 - Group documents by value
 - The \$group stage has the following prototype form

```
$\ \{ \ \text{group: \{ _id: \left\ expression\}, \left\ field \| \right\}: \{ \left\ expression \| \right\} \\
<expression \| \right\ \}, ... \} \}</pre>
```

- □ _id field is mandatory
- Accumulators
 - ▶ \$max, \$min, \$avg, \$sum
 - \$addToSet, \$push
 - ▶ \$first, \$last

\$group

Calculating average

```
{ $group: {
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                        _id: "$language",
pages: 218,
                                        avgPages: { $avg:
language: "English"
                                               "$pages" }
title: "War and Peace",
pages: 1440,
                                        id: "Russian",
language: "Russian"
                                        avgPages: 1440
title: "Atlas Shrugged",
                                        _id: "English",
pages: 1088,
                                        avgPages: 653
language: "English"
```

\$group

Summing Fields and Counting

```
{ $group: {
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                        _id: "$language",
pages: 218,
                                        pages: { $sum: "$pages" },
language: "English"
                                        books: { $sum: 1 }
title: "War and Peace",
pages: 1440,
                                         id: "Russian",
language: "Russian"
                                        pages: 1440,
                                        books: 1
title: "Atlas Shrugged",
                                        _id: "English",
pages: 1088,
                                        pages: 1316,
language: "English"
                                        books: 2
```

\$group

Collecting Distinct Values

```
{ $group: {
                                         _id: "$language",
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                         titles: { $addToSet: "$title" }
pages: 218,
language: "English"
title: "War and Peace",
                                         id: "Russian",
pages: 1440,
                                         titles: ["War and Peace"]
language: "Russian"
                                        _id: "English",
                                        titles: [
title: "Atlas Shrugged",
                                          "Atlas Shrugged",
pages: 1088,
                                          "The Great Gatsby" ]
language: "English"
```

\$unwind

- Deconstructs an array field from the input documents to output a document for each element
 - Array replaced by element value
 - Missing/empty fields → no output
- The \$unwind stage has the following syntax
 - { \$unwind: <field path> }

\$unwind

Deconstructing (unwind) the array

```
title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                        { $unwind: "$subjects" }
ISBN: "9781857150193",
subjects: [
 "Long Island",
 "New York",
                                        { title: "The Great Gatsby",
 "1920s"
                                         ISBN: "9781857150193",
                                         subjects: "Long Island" }
                                        { title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                         ISBN: "9781857150193",
                                         subjects: "New York" }
                                       { title: "The Great Gatsby",
                                        ISBN: "9781857150193",
                                        subjects: "1920s" }
```

- \$sort, \$limit, \$skip
 - Sorts all input documents and returns them to the pipeline in sorted order
 - The \$sort stage has the following prototype form
 - \$ { \$sort: { <field I >: <sort order>, <field2>: <sort order> ... } }
 - □ I to specify ascending order.
 - □ -1 to specify descending order.
 - \$limit and \$skip limits or skip the number of documents passed to the next stage in the pipeline
 - ▶ The \$limit stage has the following prototype form
 - { \$limit: <positive integer> }

- \$sort, \$limit, \$skip
 - Sort All the Documents in the Pipeline

```
{ $sort: {title: 1} }
{ title: "Great Gatsby, The" }
{ title: "Brave New World" }
                                              { title: "Animal Farm" }
 { title: "Grapes of Wrath" }
                                            { title: "Brave New World" }
  { title: "Animal Farm" }
                                              { title: "Great Gatsby" }
 { title: "Lord of the Flies" }
                                          { title: "Grapes of Wrath, The" }
                                            { title: "Lord of the Flies" }
```

- \$sort, \$limit, \$skip
 - Limit Documents Through the Pipeline

```
{ $limit: 5 }
{ title: "Great Gatsby, The" }
{ title: "Brave New World" }
                                            { title: "Great Gatsby, The" }
 { title: "Grapes of Wrath" }
                                            { title: "Brave New World" }
   { title: "Animal Farm" }
                                            { title: "Grapes of Wrath" }
 { title: "Lord of the Flies" }
                                              { title: "Animal Farm" }
{ title: "Fathers and Sons" }
                                             { title: "Lord of the Flies" }
  { title: "Invisible Man" }
```

- \$sort, \$limit, \$skip
 - Skip documents in the pipeline

```
{ $skip: 3 }
{ title: "Great Gatsby, The" }
{ title: "Brave New World" }
                                               { title: "Animal Farm" }
{ title: "Grapes of Wrath" }
                                             { title: "Lord of the Flies" }
  { title: "Animal Farm" }
                                            { title: "Fathers and Sons" }
{ title: "Lord of the Flies" }
                                              { title: "Invisible Man" }
{ title: "Fathers and Sons" }
  { title: "Invisible Man" }
```