Transactions statistics - Software Engineer

Requirements

These are the additional requirements for the solution:

- You are free to choose any JVM language to complete the challenge in, but your application has to run in Maven.
- The API has to be threadsafe with concurrent requests.
- The solution has to work without a database (this also applies to in-memory databases).
- Your service must not store all transactions in memory for all time. Transactions not necessary for correct calculation MUST be discarded.
- Unit tests are mandatory.
- `mvn clean install` and `mvn clean integration-test` must complete successfully.
- Please ensure that no changes are made to the `src/it` folder.
- In addition to passing the tests, the solution must be at a quality level that you would be comfortable enough to put in production.

Problem challenge

We would like to have a RESTful API for our statistics. The main use case for the API is to calculate realtime statistics for the last 60 seconds of transactions.

The API needs the following endpoints:

- `POST /transactions` – called every time a transaction is made. It is also the sole input of this rest API.
- `GET /statistics` – returns the statistic based of the transactions of the last 60 seconds.
- `DELETE /transactions` – deletes all transactions.

You can complete the challenge offline using an IDE of your choice. To download the application skeleton, please enable `Use Git` in the editor and follow the instructions on screen. Please make sure you test your solution where possible before submitting.

Specs

`POST /transactions`

This endpoint is called to create a new transaction.

Body:

```
{
  "amount": "12.3343",
  "timestamp": "2018-07-17T09:59:51.312Z"
}
```

Where:

- `amount` – transaction amount; a string of arbitrary length that is parsable as a BigDecimal
- `timestamp` – transaction time in the ISO 8601 format `YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.sssZ` in the UTC timezone (this is not the current timestamp)

Returns: Empty body with one of the following:

- 201 – in case of success
- 204 – if the transaction is older than 60 seconds
- 400 – if the JSON is invalid
- 422 – if any of the fields are not parsable or the transaction date is in the future

`GET /statistics`

This endpoint returns the statistics computed on the transactions within the last 60 seconds.

Returns:

```
{
  "sum": "1000.00",
  "avg": "100.53",
  "max": "200000.49",
  "min": "50.23",
  "count": 10
}
```

Where:

- sum – a BigDecimal specifying the total sum of transaction value in the last 60 seconds
- avg – a BigDecimal specifying the average amount of transaction value in the last 60 seconds
- max – a BigDecimal specifying single highest transaction value in the last 60 seconds
- min – a BigDecimal specifying single lowest transaction value in the last 60 seconds
- count – a long specifying the total number of transactions that happened in the last 60 seconds

All BigDecimal values always contain exactly two decimal places and use `HALF_ROUND_UP` rounding. eg: 10.345 is returned as 10.35, 10.8 is returned as 10.80

DELETE /transactions

This endpoint causes all existing transactions to be deleted

The endpoint should accept an empty request body and return a 204 status code.