100 MERN Stack Interview & Practice Questions

- 1. What is MERN Stack?
- 2. Explain the role of each technology in the MERN stack.
- 3. What are the advantages of using MERN over other stacks?
- 4. What is MongoDB, and why is it used in MERN?
- 5. How does MongoDB store data?
- 6. What is the difference between SQL and NoSQL databases?
- 7. Explain CRUD operations in MongoDB.
- 8. What is Mongoose, and why do we use it with MongoDB?
- 9. How do you define a schema in Mongoose?
- 10. What are middleware functions in Mongoose?
- 11. What is Express.js, and why is it used in MERN?
- 12. How do you create a basic Express.js server?
- 13. What is middleware in Express.js?
- 14. What are the different types of middleware in Express.js?
- 15. How do you handle routes in Express.js?
- 16. How do you connect MongoDB with Express.js?
- 17. What is CORS, and why is it important?
- 18. How do you handle errors in Express.js?
- 19. What is the difference between synchronous and asynchronous programming?
- 20. What is React, and why is it used in MERN?
- 21. What is JSX in React?
- 22. What are components in React?
- 23. What is the difference between functional and class components?
- 24. What are React hooks?
- 25. Explain the useState hook with an example.
- 26. Explain the useEffect hook with an example.
- 27. What is React Router, and how does it work?
- 28. How do you handle forms in React?

- 29. What is Redux, and why is it used?
- 30. What are actions and reducers in Redux?
- 31. What is the purpose of the useReducer hook?
- 32. What is the Context API in React?
- 33. What is Node.js, and why is it used in MERN?
- 34. What is the event loop in Node.js?
- 35. What are streams in Node.js?
- 36. What are modules in Node.js?
- 37. What is npm, and how is it used?
- 38. What is package.json in Node.js?
- 39. How do you use environment variables in Node.js?
- 40. How do you deploy a MERN application?
- 41. What is authentication, and how do you implement it in MERN?
- 42. What is JWT (JSON Web Token)?
- 43. How do you handle user sessions in MERN?
- 44. What is bcrypt, and how is it used for password hashing?
- 45. How do you implement social login in a MERN app?
- 46. What is REST API?
- 47. What is GraphQL, and how does it compare with REST?
- 48. How do you test APIs in MERN?
- 49. What is Postman, and how is it used for API testing?
- 50. What is the difference between GET, POST, PUT, and DELETE?
- 51. How do you handle file uploads in a MERN app?
- 52. What is Multer, and how does it work?
- 53. What is WebSockets, and how can they be used in MERN?
- 54. How do you integrate payment gateways in a MERN app?
- 55. What is Docker, and how can it be used with MERN?
- 56. What is CI/CD, and how does it apply to MERN?
- 57. How do you optimize performance in a MERN application?
- 58. What are some security best practices for MERN apps?

- 59. How do you prevent SQL Injection in MongoDB?
- 60. What is rate limiting in Express.js?
- 61. What is memoization in React?
- 62. How do you implement lazy loading in React?
- 63. What are microservices, and how do they relate to MERN?
- 64. How do you scale a MERN application?
- 65. How do you handle state management in large React applications?
- 66. What is React Query?
- 67. What is the purpose of Reacts key prop?
- 68. How does React handle reconciliation?
- 69. How do you integrate third-party APIs in MERN?
- 70. What is Helmet in Express.js?
- 71. How do you schedule tasks in Node.js?
- 72. What is the purpose of the Express session?
- 73. How do you configure MongoDB indexes for better performance?
- 74. What is the difference between local and global npm packages?
- 75. How do you handle image uploads in MERN?
- 76. What is Service Worker in PWA?
- 77. How do you debug a MERN application?
- 78. What are some popular MERN hosting platforms?
- 79. How does server-side rendering (SSR) work in React?
- 80. What is Next.js, and how does it compare with React?
- 81. What is an ORM, and does MongoDB need one?
- 82. How do you set up CI/CD for a MERN application?
- 83. What are Docker containers and how do they help deployment?
- 84. How does TypeScript work with MERN?
- 85. What is Nodemon, and why is it useful?
- 86. How do you implement WebRTC in MERN?
- 87. What is Redux Toolkit?
- 88. What is the role of the Virtual DOM in React?

- 89. What is an API Gateway?
- 90. How do you implement GraphQL with MERN?
- 91. What is HOC (Higher Order Component) in React?
- 92. How do you handle pagination in MongoDB?
- 93. What is load balancing?
- 94. What is an event emitter in Node.js?
- 95. How does React Fiber improve performance?
- 96. What is the difference between client-side and server-side rendering?
- 97. How do you monitor and log errors in a MERN app?
- 98. What is a Progressive Web App (PWA)?
- 99. How do you handle database migrations in MongoDB?
- 100. How do you optimize SEO in a MERN application?