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## Background (NoSQL)

- database used to manage huge sets of unstructured data
- data is not stored in tabular relations like relational databases
- designed to overcome the
  - Performance,
  - Scalability,
  - Data Modelling and
  - Distribution limitations

that are seen in the Relational Databases

## **NoSQL Database Types**

- Document Databases: key is paired with a complex data structure called as Document (Ex. MongoDB)
- Graph stores: used to store networked data. Where in we can relate data based on some existing data.
- Key-Value stores: a key is used to identify record (Ex. Redis)
- Wide-column stores: Used to store large data sets (Ex.
   Cassandra (Used in Facebook), HBase etc.)

### Introduction

- Open-source, document based NoSQL database
- developed by Eliot Horowitz and Dwight Merriman in the year 2007
- Stores the data in form of key-value pairs
- High performance and scalable
- Cross-platform database (Windows, Linux etc.)
- name derived from the word humongous to support the idea of processing large amount of data.

#### Document-based database

- data structure with name-value pairs
- Hierarchical data storage
- JSON representation of custom Objects
- Schema-less
- Data is stored in BSON (Binary JSON)

## Sample Document

```
id
         : ObjectId("5099803df3f4948bd2f98391"),
       : { first: "Alan", last: "Turing" },
name
birth
         : new Date('Jun 23, 1912'),
death
         : new Date('Jun 07, 1954'),
contribs: ["Turing machine", "Turing test", "Turingery"],
         : NumberLong(1250000)
view
```

## Features of MongoDB

- I/O operations are lesser compare to RDBMS due to support of embedded documents
- select queries are faster due to faster indexing support
- rich query language
- Auto-replication feature leads to high availability
- Support of Automatic failover
- Horizontal scalability due to Sharding feature
- Support of multiple storage engine

## Advantages of MongoDB

- Schema-less database
- Dynamic query by document query language
- Scalable
- No complex joins are needed
- SQL injection is not possible
- Search by REGEX and fields
- No need of mapping application objects to data objects
- Index on any attribute
- Fast in-place update

# Organizations that use MongoDB

- Adobe
- LinkedIn
- McAfee
- FourSquare
- eBay
- MetLife
- SAP

# RDBMS Vs. MongoDB

RDBMS	MongoDB
Database	Database
Table	Collection
Tuple/Row	Document
Column	Field
Table Join	Embedded Documents
Primary Key	Primary Key (Default key _id)
ACID Property	CAP theorem (Consistency, Availability and Partition tolerance)

# \_id (primary key)

- \_id is a 12 bytes hexadecimal number
- assures the uniqueness of every document
- If you don't provide then MongoDB provides a unique id for every document
- These 12 bytes
  - first 4 bytes for the current timestamp
  - next 3 bytes for machine id
  - next 2 bytes for process id of MongoDB server and
  - remaining 3 bytes are simple incremental VALUE.

## MongoDB Data Types

String – String in MongoDB must be UTF-8 valid

Integer – 32/64 bit depending upon your server

Boolean – stores a boolean (true/ false) value

Double – This type is used to store floating point values

Min/ Max keys – used to compare a value against the lowest and highest BSON elements

Arrays - stores arrays/list/multiple values into one key

Timestamp – ctimestamp

Object – used for embedded documents

## MongoDB Data Types

```
Null – used to store a Null value
Symbol – identical to a string; however, it's generally reserved
for languages that use a specific symbol type
        - stores the current date-time in UNIX time format
Object ID – used to store the document's ID
Binary data – This datatype is used to store binary data

    stores JavaScript code into the document

Regular expression – stores regular expression
```

## MongoDB Installation

 Download and install the MongoDB community server from the following url:

https://www.mongodb.com/download-center/v2/community

 On Windows the mongodb executables will be in the folder something like this:

C:\Program Files\MongoDB\Server\4.0\bin\

## Setup MongoDB Environment

- MongoDB requires a data directory to store all data
- MongoDB's default data directory path is the absolute path \data\db on the drive from which you start MongoDB
- Create this folder by running the following command:

mkdir c:\data\db

# **MongoDB Components**

Component Set	Binaries
Server	mongod.exe
Client	mongo.exe
Router	mongos.exe
Monitoring Tools	mongostat.exe, mongotop.exe
Import-Export Tools	mongodump.exe, mongorestore.exe, mongoexport.exe, mongoimport.exe
Miscellaneous Tools	bsondump.exe, mongofiles.exe, mongoperf.exe

## Running MongoDB

Start the server:

#### mongod

• If your data path is different other than default, then run:

mongod --dbpath d:\data\db

Start the shell to connect to server:

#### mongo

• Default port number of MongoDB server is 27017 if it is running on some other port no. (say 28012), then run following command:

mongo --port 28012

• To clear the screen:

cls

To view existing databases:

show dbs

To create/connect to an existing database:

use <db\_name>

• To check currently selected database:

db

• To drop database, first select the database and then drop it by:

db.dropDatabase()

To view collections:

show collections

To create students collection:

db.createCollection("students")

To insert a document to students collection:

db.students.insert( {name: "Viren" })

If you insert a document in the collection and if, the collection doesn't exist, it will be created automatically

To drop students collection:

db.students.drop()

• To query data from collection:

```
db.students.find()
```

To display the results in a formatted way:

```
db.students.find().pretty()
```

• To query the document on the basis of some condition:

```
db.students.find( {name: "Viren" })
    db.students.find( {roll_no: {$gt: 10} })
    db.students.find( {roll_no: {$gte: 10} })
    db.students.find( {roll_no: {$gte: 10} }).limit(5)

db.students.find( {roll_no: {$gte: 10} }).sort( { roll_no: -1 })
```

• To query the document on the basis of some condition:

To update the document on the basis of some condition:

```
db.<collection_name>.update(SELECTION_CRITERIA, UPDATED_DATA)
```

It will update only single document

• To update multiple document on the basis of some condition:

```
db.students.update(
          {roll_no: 5},
          {$set: {mobile: "9876512345"} },
          { multi: true }
)
```

 To create an index (descending order) on field 'name': db.students.createIndex( { name: -1 } )

Save a New Document without Specifying an \_id Field:

```
db.students.save( {roll_no : 7} )
```

It will insert a new student document with a new \_id field with a unique ObjectId value

Save a New Document Specifying an \_id Field:

```
db.students.save( { _id: 10, roll_no: 8} )
```

it will insert a new document if a document with \_id=10 doesn't exist, otherwise update the document with \_id=10

To remove all documents from a collection:

```
db.students.remove( { } )
```

• To remove all documents that match a condition:

```
db.students.remove({ roll_no: { $gt > 10 } })
```

To remove a single document that match a condition:

```
db.students.remove( { roll_no : { $gt > 10 } }, true )
```

### References

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