Rajneesh Sahai

Software Engineer - II | Personal Portfolio

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Skills

Programming Languages: Java, Kotlin

Framework/Library: Dagger2, Spring, Angular, Bucket4j

Tools: Docker, Kubernetes, Helm, Maven, LiquiBase, Apache Tomcat, Apache Solr, Git, GitHub, Gradle, Flyway

Database: YugabyteDB, SQL Server, RDBMS, Apache Solr, NoSQL

Queues: Kafka, ActiveMQ, IBM MQ

Technical Skills: Data Structure and Algorithm, Software Design, Design Patterns

Work Experience

Backend Software Engineer - II, New Relic, Hyderabad, India, July 2024 – Present Technologies: YugabyteDB, Java, Kotlin, Dagger2, Kafka, Gradle, Flyway

- Engineered and tuned Yugabyte database clusters by optimizing RocksDB configurations to handle high-volume write/read loads, ensuring **production readiness**.
- Developed a proactive monitoring application to track real-time cluster availability and performance metrics, including P99/P95 latencies and slow query identification, to ensure database health.
- Designed and implemented a forward synchronization service using Kafka to migrate data from a legacy datastore, incorporating rate limiting to manage transaction flow and prevent system overload.
- Created a load generator simulator to precisely assess database capacity and performance in heavy traffic, helping in resource scaling and resilience planning.
- Spearheaded production readiness by creating GA checklists, risk matrices, and runbooks to establish clear procedures for proactive monitoring.
- Enhanced system reliability and disaster recovery by fixing the Yugabyte backup and restore process and developing automated scripts for log cleanup, **preventing critical downtime incidents**.
- Contributed to a **cost-of-goods-sold (COGS) reduction initiative** by migrating clusters to a custom database pool, ensuring consistent node performance and optimizing resource utilization.

Software Engineer - II, NCR Corporation, Hyderabad, India, June 2021 – July 2024 Technologies: Java, Spring Boot, Spring MVC, Spring Security, Spring Data JPA, Hibernate, Angular

Project: Vision - ATM monitoring application

- Designed and implemented a critical feature using Spring Boot that facilitates customer setup, ensuring seamless command communication between ATMs and the application through IBM MQ, increasing the efficiency of data transfer by at least 20%.
- Solved **50+ customer issues** for the Electronic Journal Module with a commitment to excellence, ensuring seamless functionality and client satisfaction.
- Enhanced the processing efficiency of large or faulty ATM messages by a minimum of 10%, this improvement was achieved through modifications to the Apache Solr processing document script.
- Designed a dynamic incident filtering feature (Spring, Angular) that significantly **enhanced user experience**, search speed, and accuracy.
- Implemented REST APIs with seamless DB switching for a multi-tenant environment, **improving data accessibility and scalability** for external customers.

Education

B.Tech: Computer Science and Engineering

National Institute of Technology, Calicut, 2017 - 2021

Intermediate

Indra Prasth Academy, Babina, 2016

Activities

Event Manager

Rubik's Cube Open Contest - Tathva 2019, National Institute of Technology