

XII. Admin Processes with Jobs

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Lesson Reference

Switch to the source code directory:

```
cd ~/content-designing-applications-for-kubernetes
```

Optional: If you want to start with a clean slate, check out the start tag for this lesson. However, you could lose any local changes you have made if you do this:

```
git reset --hard HEAD  
git checkout XII-admin-processes-start -f
```

Edit the source code for the admin process:

```
vi src/jobs/deDuplicateJob.js
```

Locate the block of code that begins with `// Setup MongoDB backing database .`

Change the code to make the database connection configurable:

```
// Setup MongoDB backing database  
const MongoClient = require('mongodb').MongoClient  
// MongoDB credentials  
const username = encodeURIComponent(process.env.MONGODB_USER || "uloe_user");  
const password = encodeURIComponent(process.env.MONGODB_PASSWORD || "ILoveTheList");  
// MongoDB connection info  
const mongoPort = process.env.MONGODB_PORT || 27017;  
const mongoHost = process.env.MONGODB_HOST || 'localhost';  
// MongoDB connection string  
const mongoURI = `mongodb://${username}:${password}@${mongoHost}:${mongoPort}/uloe`;  
const mongoURISanitized = `mongodb://${username}:***@${mongoHost}:${mongoPort}/uloe`;  
console.log("MongoDB connection string %s", mongoURISanitized);  
const client = new MongoClient(mongoURI);
```

Edit the Dockerfile to include the admin job code in the server image:

```
vi Dockerfile
```

Add the following line after the other `COPY` directives for the `server` image:

...

```
COPY --from=build /usr/src/app/src/jobs .
```

Build and push the server image:

```
docker build -t <Your Docker Hub username>/uloe-server:0.0.5 --target server .  
docker push <Your Docker Hub username>/uloe-server:0.0.5
```

Create a Kubernetes Job to run the admin job:

```
vi de-duplicate-job.yml
```

Supply your Docker Hub username in the image tag:

```
apiVersion: batch/v1  
kind: Job  
metadata:  
  name: de-duplicate  
spec:  
  template:  
    spec:  
      containers:  
        - name: uloe-server  
          image: <Your Docker Hub username>/uloe-server:0.0.5  
          command: ["node", "deDeuplicateJob.js"]  
          env:  
            - name: MONGODB_HOST  
              valueFrom:  
                configMapKeyRef:  
                  name: uloe-config  
                  key: mongodb.host  
            - name: MONGODB_PORT  
              valueFrom:  
                configMapKeyRef:  
                  name: uloe-config  
                  key: mongodb.port  
            - name: MONGODB_USER  
              valueFrom:  
                secretKeyRef:  
                  name: uloe-secure-config  
                  key: mongodb.username  
            - name: MONGODB_PASSWORD  
              valueFrom:  
                secretKeyRef:  
                  name: uloe-secure-config  
                  key: mongodb.password  
          restartPolicy: Never  
      backoffLimit: 4
```

Run the Job:

```
kubectl apply -f de-duplicate-job.yml -n production
```

Check the Job status:

```
kubectl get jobs -n production
```

Get the name of the Job Pod:

```
kubectl get pods -n production
```

Use the Pod name to view the logs for the Job Pod:

```
kubectl logs <Pod name> -n production
```