

Cloud Analytics

Assignment 1

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Part 1

Q1 -

NoSQL databases, or "not only SQL,":

are designed for handling large volumes of diverse, unstructured data with flexible models, including document, key-value, wide-column, and graph databases.

- Neo4j:

is a type of graph database that is a versatile database capable of storing and querying complex data relationships, facilitating real-time analytics like fraud detection and product recommendations, and enabling the development of intelligent applications that learn and reason over big data, such as social networks and fraud detection systems.

$\mathbf{Q2}$ –

Carbon Footprint Analysis:

The problem of climate change poses a significant global challenge, with the urgent need to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and mitigate its adverse impacts. Big data plays a crucial role in addressing this problem by offering a comprehensive and data-driven approach to understanding, monitoring, and combating climate change. Through the collection and analysis of vast amounts of environmental, energy, and emissions data, big data empowers researchers, organizations, and policymakers to make informed decisions and develop effective strategies for reducing carbon footprints. It enables real-time monitoring of energy consumption, identifies emissions sources, and supports the optimization of transportation and energy usage. Furthermore, big data facilitates predictive modeling, allowing for better preparation and adaptation to the changing climate patterns. Its contribution extends to improving renewable energy integration, fostering sustainable practices in agriculture, and enhancing climate communication efforts to raise awareness.

- Challenges:

However, while big data offers immense potential in addressing climate change, it also presents several challenges. One major hurdle is data quality and standardization, as information from various sources may vary in accuracy and consistency. Privacy concerns also arise when collecting and sharing personal or sensitive data related to energy consumption and transportation. Additionally, the sheer volume of data can overwhelm existing infrastructure and necessitate significant computational resources. Interpretation of big data results and translating them into actionable policies can be complex, requiring skilled data scientists and analysts. Finally, the cost of implementing and maintaining big data systems may be prohibitive for smaller organizations or developing nations. Overcoming these challenges requires a coordinated effort among stakeholders to establish data standards, address privacy issues, invest in infrastructure, and foster data literacy to harness the full potential of big data in the fight against climate change.

Q3 -

Cassandra:

BASE:

Cassandra follows a BASE (Basically Available, Soft state, eventually consistent) model. It prioritizes high availability and partition tolerance over strict consistency.

ACID:

Cassandra does not provide full ACID transactions like traditional relational databases. Instead, it offers tunable consistency levels, allowing you to choose the level of consistency for each operation, which can range from strong consistency to eventual consistency.

- MongoDB:

BASE:

MongoDB traditionally follows a more flexible, BASE-like model, but it also supports ACID transactions in recent versions.

ACID

ACID transactions in MongoDB provide the ability to perform multi-document transactions with properties like atomicity, consistency, isolation, and durability, similar to traditional relational databases.

Q4 -

- The potential NOSQL databases:

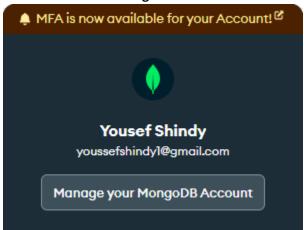
Apache Kafka, Amazon DynamoDB, InfluxDB, Elasticsearch and Redis

- DynamoDB:

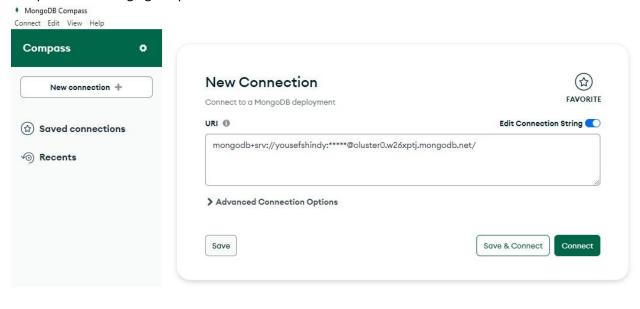
is an ideal choice for capturing and archiving data from IoT devices due to its scalability, performance, high availability, and cost-effectiveness. It scales horizontally to handle IoT-generated data, performs well with millions of reads and writes, and ensures data collection even during device downtime. Design considerations include choosing appropriate partition and sort keys, provisioning throughput based on expected traffic, and setting data retention with TTL values for automatic deletion when needed.

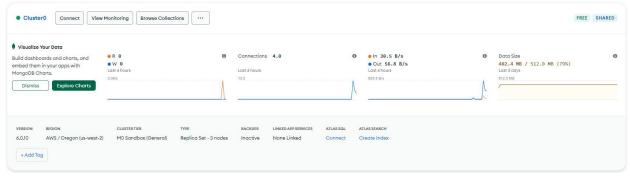
Part 2 NoSQL Labs

- 1) MongoDB Lab
 - Set an account on MongoDB Atlas

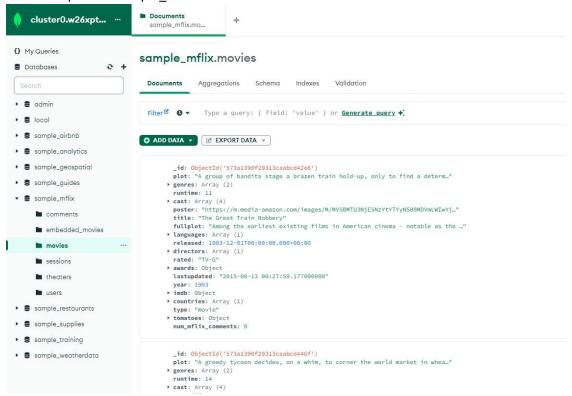


• Set up a connection to this database instance from MongoDB compass
We copy the connection string to connect to the cluster from MongoDB and paste it into compass after changing the password to establish the connection.





Then we open the sample mflix dataset and select the movies.



Provide the following answers:

1- Briefly describe the movies database document model

The movies database contains 22 field some of which have important information like:

- _id: A unique identifier for the document
- awards: Contains information about the number of nominations and wins.
- year: The year in which the movie was released.
- imdb: An array that contains the rating, number of votes, and the imdb id.
- tomatoes: Contains information about the rotten tomatoes rating and comments for the movies.
- poster: A URL pointing to the movie's poster image.
- type: The type of media such as movie or series.
- writers: An array containing the writers of the media.
- **runtime**: The duration of the movie or series in minutes.
- fullplot: A more detailed description of the plot of the movie.
- **countries**: An array the contains the list of countries associated with the movie.
- cast: An array that contains the cast members such as directors or actors.
- languages: An array of the languages that the movies is available in.
- **metacritic**: Contains the score of the movie on metacritic.
- num_mflix_comments: The number of comments related to the movie in mflix.
- lastupdated: A timestamp of the last time the document was updated.
- released: The release date of the movie in ISO 8601 format.
- title: The title of the movie.
- rated: The movie's content rating.
- genres: An array that lists the genre of the movie.
- directors: An array that lists the directors of the movie.
- **plot**: Contains a brief description of the plot of the movie.

2- Filter the documents for type "movies" that are released before 1970 and rated as "PASSED".

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'type': 'movie',
     'year': {'$lt': 1970},
     'rated': 'PASSED'

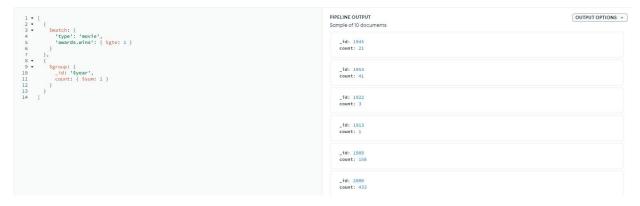
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3- Build an Aggregation Pipeline that shows all entries of type movie that have won at least one award and return the release year aggregate counts.

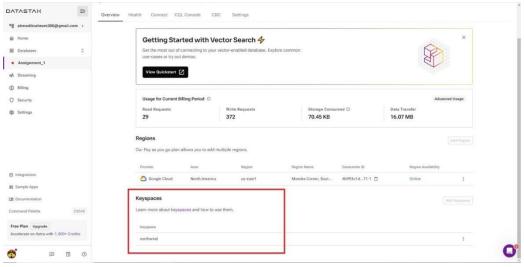
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{
  $match: {
   'type': 'movie',
   'awards.wins': { $gte: 1 }
 },
  $group: {
   _id: '$year',
   count: { $sum: 1 }
}
]
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}



2) Cassandra Lab

• Create a Keyspace called northwind



• Create two tables

Table One:

```
CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS Customers (
CustomerID TEXT ,
CompanyName TEXT,
ContactName TEXT,
ContactTitle TEXT,
Address TEXT,
City TEXT,
Region TEXT,
PostalCode TEXT,
Country TEXT,
Phone TEXT,
Phone TEXT,
PRIMARY KEY ((City, Country), Address, CustomerID)
);
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Table Two:

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CREATE TABLE IF NOT EXISTS Customers_role(

CustomerID TEXT,

CompanyName TEXT,

ContactName TEXT,

ContactTitle TEXT,

Address TEXT,

City TEXT,

Region TEXT,

PostalCode TEXT,

Country TEXT,

Phone TEXT,

Pax TEXT,

PRIMARY KEY ((ContactTitle ),ContactName,CustomerID)

);
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Load the attached data into your tables



Queries:

• show the customers from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil ordered by their addresses

SELECT * FROM customers

WHERE city = 'Rio de Janeiro' AND country = 'Brazil'

ORDER BY address;

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... wHERE city = 'Rio de Janeiro' AND country = 'Brazil'
... ORDER BY address;

city | country | address | customerid | companyname | contactname | contacttitle | fax | phone | postalcode | region

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Provide a list of customers that are in the Sales Manager role ordered by their names

SELECT * FROM Customers_role
WHERE ContactTitle = 'Sales Manager'
ORDER BY ContactName;



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