
Lab 03: Apache Spark with MongoDB

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Abstract

In this lab assignment, you will be using Apache Spark to perform simple queries on a MongoDB database. By completing this lab assignment, you will gain experience using PySpark to work with real-world data and perform various data manipulation tasks.

0 Preliminary

0.1 Reminder

The main objective of this course is to learn and truly learn. You can discuss this with your classmate, but you need to take responsibility for your submission, which actually depends on your understanding of this course. **For any kind of cheating and plagiarism, students will be graded 0 marks for the whole course.**

0.2 Submission guideline

Each team submits its result to a folder named `teamABC`, with `ABC` being the team's name. The folder structure is as follows:

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teamABC
├── src
│   └── notebook.ipynb
└── readme.md
```

- `src` is the folder for your source code.
- `readme.md` is the file that introduces your team and this lab assignment, this file should include the following basic information:
 1. Information about the course, the assignment, and notes to the instructors (if any).
 2. Information about your team (Student ID, full name of each member).

0.3 Rubrics

Students can earn 0.6 points for each problem in section 1 and 1.6 points for each problem in section 2.

0.4 Notes

- If you complete the project using Google Colab, please provide the Google Colab link(s). The data should be organized such that the grader can run your code with minor adjustments. No modification after the deadline is allowed.
- Alternatively, please submit the whole source code (in Python only) and write a careful guide of how to run the code.

- This assignment has an embedded notebook in Google Colab. In this notebook, the environment has a fixed configuration, but it is not quite usual in the industry environment. To set up your environment (in case someday you participate in a job position as Data Engineer), please read the listed docs in the references [1, 2].
- For each question, you should give notes to every important lines of code.

1 Introduction to PySpark

In this lab assignment, we will work with a movie dataset loaded into our MongoDB at `input_data.movies_lang`. We will use PySpark to perform the following tasks:

- Count the number of movies by country. Sort by count in decreasing order.
- Return the titles of the movies produced in France.
- Return the title of the movies of which Sofia Coppola is one of the actresses.
- Return the names and birth dates of the directors of movies produced in France.
- Return the average number of actors in a film.
- Return the name of the actor that acted in the most movies.

2 Real-world Data Manipulation

In this part of the lab, we will work with two collections in our MongoDB: `gia_ke_khai_raw` and `thuoc_raw` [3] loaded at `input_data.gia_ke_khai_raw` and `input_data.thuoc_raw` respectively. We will use PySpark to perform the following tasks:

- Read the datasets into a DataFrame and print out the schema and the number of records.
- Show all records in the `thuoc_raw` collection that have the same active pharmaceutical ingredient (API) in their `hoatChat` field as their medicine name.
- Create a new DataFrame from the `thuoc_raw` collection that splits the API in the `hoatChat` field into multiple rows. For example, "paracetamol" is the API in "Paracetamol 500 mg," and "amoxicillin" is the API in various medications such as "Amogentine 500mg/125mg," "Augbactam 1g/200mg," and "Viamomentin." The resulting DataFrame should have two columns: `hoatChat` and `thuocTuongUng` as a list. After processing the data, write it back to our MongoDB at `output_data.thuochaythe`.
- Create a new DataFrame from the two collections mentioned above that contains the fields `tenThuoc`, `hoatChat`, `dongGoi`, `dvt`, and `giaBan`. After processing the data, write it back to our MongoDB at `output_data.giathuoc`.

References

- [1] Maven – Maven Documentation.
- [2] MongoDB Connector for Spark — MongoDB Spark Connector.
- [3] Cục Quản lý Dược Bộ Y tế. DrugBank | Ngân hàng dữ liệu ngành Dược. <https://drugbank.vn/>.