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# PROJECT DESCRIPTION PAGE

## ⌚ Project Title:

 Student Performance Analysis using NoSQL Database.

## ❖ Objective:

- The main objective of this project is to design, store, and analyze academic data using a **NoSQL database**. It aims to demonstrate how NoSQL databases such as **MongoDB** can efficiently manage **large, unstructured, and hierarchical data** while supporting **advanced queries, aggregation, and analytics**.

## 📁 Project Description:

This project focuses on implementing a **NoSQL-based data model** for managing student academic records. Unlike traditional relational databases, NoSQL databases offer **schema flexibility, faster scalability, and better handling of complex data** such as arrays and subdocuments.

## ⌚ Tools & Technologies Used:

- **Database:** MongoDB (NoSQL)
- **Query Interface:** Mongo Shell / MongoDB Compass
- **Language (optional):** Python / Node.js (for connection and queries)
- **Data Source:** Student Academic Dataset (JSON / CSV)

## 💻 Problem Statements Covered:

- Complex Filters & Projections.
- Joins (\$lookup) and Aggregations
- Grouping, Sorting, and Limiting.
- Update, UPSET, and Delete
- Array & Operator Usage.
- Subdocuments and Nested Conditions.
- Advanced Aggregation (Challenge Level).

# PROJECT

## Problem Statements-1: Complex Filters & Projections.

- ❖ Filters are used to select documents that match specific criteria in a NoSQL collection.
- ❖ Projections specify which fields to include (or exclude) in the output.

### Question:-1

List the names and departments of students who have more than 85% attendance and are Skilled in both "MongoDB" and "Python"

**Query :-** db.students\_full.find({ attendance: { \$gt: 85 }, skills: { \$in: ["MongoDB", "Python"] } })

### ➤ Output:-

```
Atlas atlas-idr26g-shard-0 [primary] project> db.students_full.find(      //Name:Anuj Srivastava , Reg No: 1240258108
... { attendance: { $gt: 85 }, skills: { $in: ["MongoDB", "Python"] } })
Atlas atlas-idr26g-shard-0 [primary] project> |
```

- Nothing will show up because there aren't any students who have both 'MongoDB' and 'Python' skills and more than 85% attendance.
- Use comparison operators like \$gt (greater than).
- Apply array matching with \$all to ensure multiple elements exist.
- Use projection to show only required fields.
- Build compound filters using multiple conditions.

## Question:-2

Show all faculty who are teaching more than 2 courses. Display their names and the total number of courses they teach.

### Query :-

```
db.faculty_full.aggregate(  
[ { $project: { name: 1, totalCourses: { $size: "$courses" } } },  
{ $match: { totalCourses: { $gt: 2 } } } ])
```

### ➤ Output:-

```
Atlas atlas-idr26g-shard-0 [primary] project> db.faculty_full.aggregate(  
... [{ $project: { name: 1, totalCourses: { $size: "$courses" } } },  
... { $match: { totalCourses: { $gt: 2 } } } ])  
[  
  { _id: 'F029', name: 'Charles Newton', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F032', name: 'Julia Cole', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F040', name: 'Darrell Velasquez', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F048', name: 'Michael Poole', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F051', name: 'John Duran', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F061', name: 'Daniel Allen', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F083', name: 'Matthew Hanna', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F084', name: 'Michael Johnson', totalCourses: 3 },  
  { _id: 'F100', name: 'Robert Lara', totalCourses: 3 }  
]  
Atlas atlas-idr26g-shard-0 [primary] project> |
```

- Use \$project to create computed fields
- Use \$size to count array elements.
- Combine \$match after projection for conditional filtering.
- Understand aggregation pipelines

## Problem Statements-2: Joins (\$lookup) and Aggregations.

- ❖ MongoDB is a **document-oriented NoSQL database**, so it doesn't have traditional SQL joins. But you can **join collections** using `$lookup` in an **aggregation pipeline**.
- ❖ MongoDB uses the **Aggregation Framework** to process data **like SQL GROUP BY, SUM, COUNT, AVG**.

### Question:-3

Write a query to show each student's name along with the course titles they are enrolled in (use `$lookup` between enrollments, students, and courses).

#### ➤ Query & Output:-

```
Atlas atlas-idr26g-shard-0 [primary] project> db.enrollments_full.aggregate( //Name:Anuj Srivastava , Reg No: 1240258108
... [ { $lookup: { from: "students_full", localField: "student_id", foreignField: "_id", as: "student_info" } },
... { $unwind: "$student_info" }, { $lookup: { from: "courses_full", localField: "course_id", foreignField: "_id", as: "course_info" } },
... { $unwind: "$course_info" }, { $project: { _id: 0, student_name: "$student_info.name", course_title: "$course_info.title" }}])
[ {
  student_name: 'Alexandra Bailey',
  course_title: 'Reactive neutral adapter'
},
{
  student_name: 'Megan Taylor',
  course_title: 'Sharable bifurcated paradigm'
},
{
  student_name: 'Alejandro Hart',
  course_title: 'Focused user-facing paradigm'
},
{
  student_name: 'Timothy Sparks',
  course_title: 'Focused user-facing paradigm'
},
{
  student_name: 'Juan Morris',
  course_title: 'Balanced asynchronous framework'
},
{
  student_name: 'Donna Morgan',
  course_title: 'Organic optimal product'
},
{
  student_name: 'Patricia Scott',
  course_title: 'Fully-configurable responsive solution'
},
{
  student_name: 'Carolyn Chandler',
  course_title: 'Horizontal attitude-oriented knowledgebase'
},
```

#### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ Use `$lookup` for joins between collections.
- ✓ Use `$lookup` for joins between collections.
- ✓ Use `$arrayElemAt` to extract single values from arrays.
- ✓ Understand MongoDB's relational-like linking.

## Question:- 4

For each course, display the course title, number of students enrolled, and average marks (use \$group).

## Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.enrollments.aggregate([
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "courses",
...       localField: "course_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "courseInfo"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$courseInfo"
...   },
...   {
...     $group: {
...       _id: {
...         id: "$course_id",
...         title: "$courseInfo.title"
...       },
...       numberOfStudents: { $sum: 1 },
...       averageMarks: { $avg: "$marks" }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       courseTitle: "$_id.title",
...       numberOfStudents: 1,
...       averageMarks: { $round: ["$averageMarks", 2] }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $sort: { courseTitle: 1 }
...   }
... ])
```

```
[{
  numberOfStudents: 1,
  courseTitle: 'Advanced Data Structures',
  averageMarks: 83
},
{
  numberOfStudents: 2,
  courseTitle: 'Automated exuding matrix',
  averageMarks: 88
},
{
  numberOfStudents: 1,
```

### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ Use \$group for summarizing data.
- ✓ Use \$avg and \$sum to calculate aggregates.
- ✓ \$unwind helps to deconstruct arrays.
- ✓ \$project to rename and structure output.

## Problem Statements-3: Grouping, Sorting, and Limiting.

- ❖ **Grouping** - Used to **aggregate** data — i.e., group records that have the same values in specific fields and apply functions like COUNT, SUM, AVG, etc.
- ❖ **Sorting**- Used to **order** data based on one or more fields.
- ❖ **Limiting**- Used to **restrict the number of results** returned by a query.

### Question:-5

Find the top 3 students with the highest average marks across all enrolled courses.

#### ➤ Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.enrollments.aggregate([
...   {
...     // Name:Anuj Srivastava,Regestation No:1240258108
...     $group: {
...       _id: "$student_id",
...       averageMarks: { $avg: "$marks" }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $sort: { averageMarks: -1 }
...   },
...   {
...     $limit: 3
...   },
...   {
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "students",
...       localField: "_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "studentInfo"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$studentInfo"
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       studentName: "$studentInfo.name",
...       averageMarks: { $round: [ "$averageMarks", 2 ] }
...     }
...   }
... ])
[{
  studentName: 'Adam Solomon', averageMarks: 99 },
  { studentName: 'David Jones', averageMarks: 97 },
  { studentName: 'Colleen Todd', averageMarks: 93 }]
```

#### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ \$sort sorts data in ascending/descending order.
- ✓ \$limit restricts results to top records.
- ✓ \$group for calculating averages.
- ✓ Combining joins with grouping.

## Question:- 6

Count how many students are in each department. Display the department with the highest number of students.

### Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.students.aggregate([
...   { // Name:Anuj Srivastava,Regestation No:1240258108
...     $group: {
...       _id: "$department",
...       studentCount: { $sum: 1 }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $sort: { studentCount: -1 }
...   },
...   {
...     $limit: 1
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       department: "$_id",
...       studentCount: 1
...     }
...   }
... ])
[ { studentCount: 23, department: 'Electrical' } ]
```

### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ Count items per category with \$sum: 1.
- ✓ use \$sort to rank results
- ✓ Identify top-performing or most populated groups.
- ✓ Apply \$limit to get top results.

## Problem Statements-4: Update, UPSERT, and Delete.

- ❖ **UPDATE**- Used to **modify existing data** in a collection (NoSQL) or table (SQL).
- ❖ **UPSERT**- **Upsert = Update + Insert**
  - If a document **exists**, it updates it.
  - If it **does not exist**, it **inserts** a new one.
- ❖ **DELETE**- Removes one or more documents/records from a collection/table.

### Question:-7

Update attendance to 100% for all students who won any "Hackathon".

#### ➤ Query & Output:-

```
collage> var hackathonWinners = db.activities.distinct("student_id", {  
... // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108  
...   type: "Hackathon",  
...   position: "Winner"  
... });  
...  
... db.students.updateMany(  
... {  
...   _id: { $in: hackathonWinners }  
... },  
... {  
...   $set: { attendance: 100 }  
... }  
... )  
{  
  acknowledged: true,  
  insertedId: null,  
  matchedCount: 13,  
  modifiedCount: 0,  
  upsertedCount: 0  
}
```

#### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ Use updateMany() for bulk updates.
- ✓ \$set modifies specific fields.
- ✓ Target documents via nested fields.
- ✓ Understand bulk updates with filters.

## **Question:- 8**

Delete all student activity records where the activity year is before 2022.

### **Query & Output:-**

```
collage> db.activities.deleteMany(  
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108  
...     year: { $lt: 2022 }  
...   }  
... )  
{ acknowledged: true, deletedCount: 0 }
```

### **➤ Insights:**

- ✓ \$lt filters by less than a value.
- ✓ Delete records conditionally using deleteMany().
- ✓ Manage dataset cleanup.
- ✓ Apply conditional data management.

## Question:- 9

Upsert a course record for "Data Structures" with ID "C150" and credits 4—if it doesn't exist, insert it; otherwise update its title to "Advanced Data Structures".

### Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.courses.updateOne(  
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108  
...     _id: "C150"  
...   },  
...   {  
...     $set: {  
...       title: "Advanced Data Structures",  
...       credits: 4  
...     }  
...   },  
...   {  
...     upsert: true  
...   }  
... )  
{  
  acknowledged: true,  
  insertedId: null,  
  matchedCount: 1,  
  modifiedCount: 0,  
  upsertedCount: 0  
}
```

### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ upsert: true inserts if no match is found.
- ✓ \$setOnInsert applies only when inserting new data.
- ✓ \$set updates fields if record exists.
- ✓ Handle both insert and update in one commands.

## Problem Statements:-5

### Array & Operator Usage.

- ❖ **Arrays in NoSQL-** In MongoDB (a document-based NoSQL database), a field can hold an **array** of values.
- ❖ **Array Operators -** MongoDB provides special **operators** to query and modify array fields.

### Question:-10

Find all students who have "Python" as a skill but not "C++".

#### ➤ Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.students.find(
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108
...     skills: "Python"
...     skills: { $nin: ["C++"] }
...
...   },
...
...   {
...     name: 1,
...     skills: 1,
...     _id: 0
...
... }
...
[ {
  name: 'Bruce Blair', skills: [ 'MongoDB', 'Linux' ] },
{ name: 'Alexandra Bailey', skills: [ 'Research', 'AutoCAD' ] },
{ name: 'Kyle Hale', skills: [ 'Python', 'Java' ] },
{ name: 'Daniel Robinson', skills: [ 'JavaScript', 'Java' ] },
{ name: 'Tina Hodge', skills: [ 'SQL', 'Research' ] },
{ name: 'Anthony Zavala', skills: [ 'Java', 'Git' ] },
{ name: 'Cody Whitehead', skills: [ 'JavaScript', 'Python' ] },
{ name: 'Thomas Jackson', skills: [ 'Python', 'AutoCAD' ] },
{ name: 'Monica Martin', skills: [ 'Research', 'JavaScript' ] },
{ name: 'Kathryn Ferguson', skills: [ 'Java', 'Linux' ] },
{ name: 'Steven Wong', skills: [ 'MongoDB', 'Python' ] },
{ name: 'Daniel Brown', skills: [ 'MongoDB', 'Research' ] },
{ name: 'Jason Brown', skills: [ 'MongoDB', 'SQL' ] },
{ name: 'Cheryl Jackson', skills: [ 'Research', 'Python' ] },
{ name: 'Carolyn Chandler', skills: [ 'SQL', 'JavaScript' ] },
{ name: 'Aaron Marshall', skills: [ 'Linux', 'Git' ] },
{ name: 'Adam Solomon', skills: [ 'AutoCAD', 'MongoDB' ] },
{ name: 'Mary Bennett', skills: [ 'Research', 'Git' ] },
{ name: 'Patrick Clay', skills: [ 'Git', 'Research' ] },
{ name: 'Mr. Darius Newman', skills: [ 'Python', 'SQL' ] }
]
Type "it" for more
```

#### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ `$in` checks for presence in arrays.
- ✓ `$nin` checks for absence in arrays.
- ✓ Combine both for exclusive conditions.
- ✓ Operate effectively on array fields.

## Question:- 11

Return names of students who participated in "Seminar" and "Hackathon" both.

### Query & Output:-

```
collegeDB>
... db.activities.aggregate([
...   { // Name: Ankit Patel, Registration No: 1240258088
...     $group: {
...       _id: "$student_id",
...       "activity_types": { $addToSet: "$type" }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $match: {
...       "activity_types": { $all: ["Seminar", "Hackathon"] }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "students",
...       localField: "_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "student_info"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$student_info"
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       "Student Name": "$student_info.name"
...     }
...   }
... ])
[{"Student Name": "Taylor Webb"}, {"Student Name": "Patricia Scott"}, {"Student Name": "Carlos Bryant"}, {"Student Name": "Adam Solomon"}, {"Student Name": "Lydia Day"}]
```

### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ \$all ensures all specified elements exist in an array.
- ✓ Simple array querying in MongoDB.
- ✓ Combine multiple filters in a single query.
- ✓ Efficient participation tracking.

## Problem Statements:- 6

### Subdocuments and Nested Conditions.

- ❖ **Subdocuments-** A **subdocument** (or embedded document) is a document inside another document.
- ❖ **Nested Conditions-** Nested conditions allow you to **filter based on multiple subdocument fields** simultaneously.

#### Question:-12

Find students who scored more than 80 in "Web Development" only if they belong to the "Computer Science" department.

#### ➤ Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.enrollments.aggregate([
...   {
...     // Name:Anuj Shrivastava, Regestation No:1240258108
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "courses",
...       localField: "course_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "courseInfo"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$courseInfo"
...   },
...   {
...     $match: {
...       "courseInfo.title": "Web Development"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "students",
...       localField: "student_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "studentInfo"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$studentInfo"
...   },
...   {
...     $match: {
...       "studentInfo.department": "Computer Science",
...       marks: { $gt: 80 }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       studentName: "$studentInfo.name",
...       department: "$studentInfo.department",
...       courseTitle: "$courseInfo.title",
...       marks: 1
...     }
...   }
... ])
```

#### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ Nothing will show up because there are no students in the Computer Science department who scored more than 80 in 'Web Development'. Simple array querying in MongoDB.
- ✓ Access nested fields using dot notation.
- ✓ Combine multiple field conditions.
- ✓ Query subdocuments efficiently.
- ✓ Focused filtering by department and performance.

## Problem Statements:-7

### Advanced Aggregation (Challenge Level).

- ❖ **Aggregation** means **processing data records** and **returning computed results** — like totals, averages, or filtered summaries.
- ❖ In MongoDB, aggregation is done using the **Aggregation Pipeline**, where data passes through **stages** that transform it.

#### Question:-13

For each faculty member, list the names of all students enrolled in their courses along with average marks per student per faculty.

#### Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.faculty.aggregate([
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1248258108
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "courses",
...       localField: "courses",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "taughtCourses"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$taughtCourses"
...   },
...   {
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "enrollments",
...       localField: "taughtCourses._id",
...       foreignField: "course_id",
...       as: "enrolledStudents"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$enrolledStudents"
...   },
...   {
...     $lookup: {
...       from: "students",
...       localField: "enrolledStudents.student_id",
...       foreignField: "_id",
...       as: "studentInfo"
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $unwind: "$studentInfo"
...   },
...   {
...     $group: {
...       _id: {
...         facultyName: "$name",
...         studentName: "$studentInfo.name"
...       },
...       averageMarks: {
...         $avg: "$enrolledStudents.marks"
...       }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $group: {
...       _id: "$_id.facultyName",
...       studentEnrollments: {
...         $push: {
...           studentName: "$_id.studentName",
...           averageMarks: {
...             $round: ["$averageMarks", 2]
...           }
...         }
...       }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       FacultyName: "$_id",
...       studentEnrollments: 1
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $sort: {
...       FacultyName: 1
...     }
...   }
... ])
```

## Output:-

```
[{"_id": "5d5c4a3f3a8a5a0011111111", "Faculty Name": "James Kirby", "Students List": [{"Student Name": "Kyle Lee", "Average Marks": 97}, {"Student Name": "Lydia Day", "Average Marks": 92}], "Last Update": "2019-09-10T12:00:00"}, {"_id": "5d5c4a3f3a8a5a0011111112", "Faculty Name": "Kathryn Young", "Students List": [{"Student Name": "Jessica Galvan", "Average Marks": 64}], "Last Update": "2019-09-10T12:00:00"}, {"_id": "5d5c4a3f3a8a5a0011111113", "Faculty Name": "Ann Johnson", "Students List": [{"Student Name": "Colleen Todd", "Average Marks": 52}], "Last Update": "2019-09-10T12:00:00"}, {"_id": "5d5c4a3f3a8a5a0011111114", "Faculty Name": "Michael Johnson", "Students List": [{"Student Name": "Carolyn Chandler", "Average Marks": 51}, {"Student Name": "Logan Murphy", "Average Marks": 54}, {"Student Name": "Rachel Maldonado", "Average Marks": 71}], "Last Update": "2019-09-10T12:00:00"}, {"_id": "5d5c4a3f3a8a5a0011111115", "Faculty Name": "Sandra Decker", "Students List": [{"Student Name": "Vincent Norris", "Average Marks": 86}, {"Student Name": "David Taylor", "Average Marks": 65}], "Last Update": "2019-09-10T12:00:00"}]
```

## ➤ Insights:

- ✓ \$ Multi-level joins using \$lookup.
- ✓ \$addToSet to avoid duplicate student names.
- ✓ \$avg to compute average marks per faculty.
- ✓ Real-world aggregation chaining.

## Question:-14

Show the most popular activity type (e.g., Hackathon, Seminar, etc.) by number of student participants.

## Query & Output:-

```
collage> db.activities.aggregate([
...   { // Name:Anuj Shrivastava,Regestation No:1240258108
...     $group: {
...       _id: "$type",
...       uniqueParticipants: {
...         $addToSet: "$student_id"
...       }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $project: {
...       _id: 0,
...       activityType: "$_id",
...       participantCount: {
...         $size: "$uniqueParticipants"
...       }
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $sort: {
...       participantCount: -1
...     }
...   },
...   {
...     $limit: 1
...   }
... ])
[ { activityType: 'Hackathon', participantCount: 35 } ]
```

### ➤ Insights:

- ✓ \$Unwind to count array elements.
- ✓ \$group and \$sum for totals.
- ✓ \$sort to rank results.
- ✓ Identify “most popular” entities.

