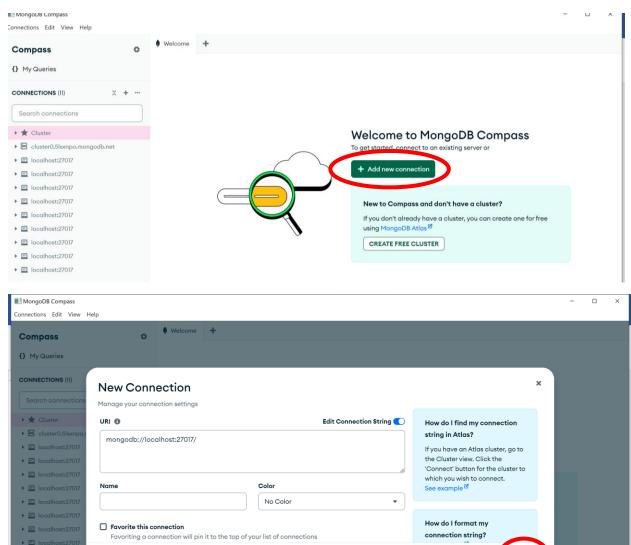
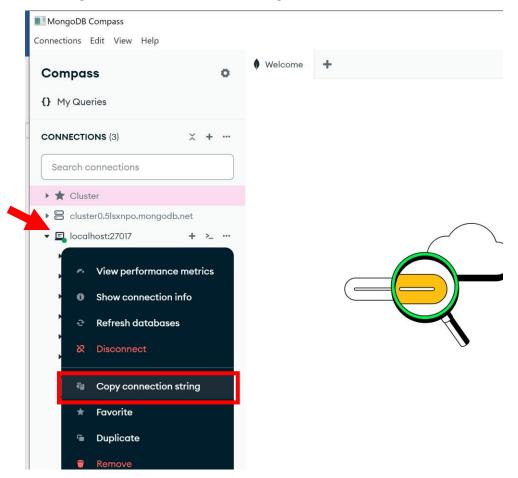
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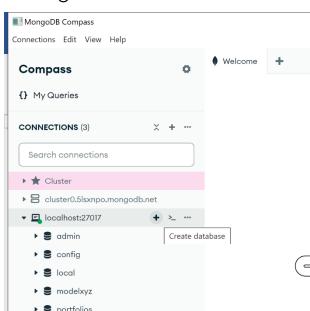


Cancel

Finding the connection string (after you're connected)

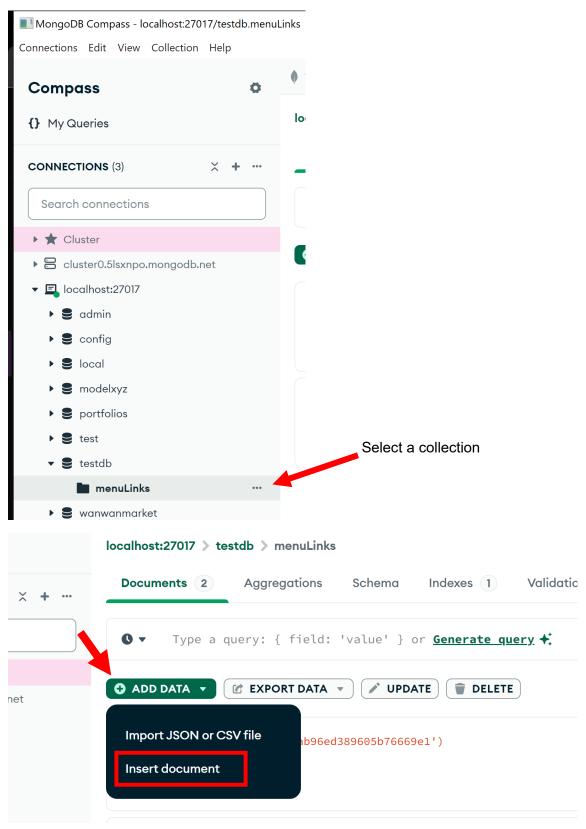


Adding a DB and collection



When creating a DB, you have the option to add a collection at the same time. If creating a collection in an existing database, click on the + next to the database name. In the image on the left, "modelxyz" is the name of one of the databases within *localhost:27017*.

Insert a document manually





and name is the link text.

In the image (left), the existing "_id" (auto-generated unique id) has been removed. You can leave it and put a comma after the "_id": { ... } bit. Even if you remove it, an _id will be auto-generated.

You must enclose the field names in quotes. Notice that the value of "weight" is 0 without quotes. This is because it's a number. If using quotes, it will be taken to be a string.

The fields in the image are for a document for a menu link. The weight is a number used for sorting (so you can order your menu links), the path is the URI,