# LIVEDOCS: A PEER-TO-PEER REAL-TIME COLLABORATIVE DOCUMENT EDITOR USING WEBRTC AND CRDTS

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#### **ABSTRACT**

LiveDocs is a decentralized, real-time collaborative document editor designed to enable seamless and efficient collaboration without reliance on centralized servers. Unlike traditional cloud-based solutions such as Google Docs, LiveDocs utilizes WebRTC for direct P2P communication and Yis (CRDTs) for distributed data synchronization. This architecture ensures lowlatency collaboration, enhanced fault tolerance, and seamless scalability, supporting millions of concurrent users. Key features include real-time editing, and role-based access control, all powered by a resilient P2P network. Secure authentication is ensured through JWT-based access control, enabling efficient document indexing and user management while delivering a modern and sleek user experience. By eliminating centralized infrastructure, LiveDocs reduces server costs, enhances scalability, and improves fault tolerance, making it an ideal solution for teams, enterprises, and large-scale applications requiring secure and real-time document collaboration.

## **Keywords:**

Peer-to-Peer Collaboration, Real-Time Document Editing, WebRTC, CRDTs (Yjs), Decentralized Collaboration, JWT Authentication.

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#### ABBREVIATION EXPANSION

AI Artificial Intelligence

API Application Programming Interface
CRDT Conflict-Free Replicated Data Type

CSS Cascading Style Sheets
JSON JavaScript Object Notation

JWT JSON Web Token

NAT Network Address Translation
ORM Object-Relation Mapping
OT Operational Transformation

P2P Peer-to-Peer

SQL Structured Query Language

STUN Session Traversal Utilities for NAT TURN Traversal Using Relays around NAT

UI User Interface

WebRTC Web Real-Time Communication