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Technical Summary:

- Over 4 years of experience as a Software Developer, with diverse expertise in analysis, design, software development, and implementation of web-based applications.
- Skilled in Java programming and well-versed in object-oriented design principles (OOPs), Gained extensive experience with various frameworks, including **Hibernate**, Spring JDBC, Spring JPA, Spring AOP, Spring Actuator, **Spring Security, Spring Batch, Spring Boot, Redis for caching, and RESTful Microservices**.
- UI Front-end experience in developing applications using **React and Angular frameworks**. Proficient in HTML, CSS, JavaScript, & TypeScript, with a focus on components, state management, & performance optimization.
- Throughout my experience, all the projects which I have worked on are under **Agile project management**. Engaged in daily scrum standup meetings, I actively contributed to discussions on sprint progress, technical challenges, issue resolution, ensuring smooth project execution and alignment with team objectives.
- Experience with **Jenkins** as a **CI/CD** tool for automating builds, continuous integration, and deployment processes, ensuring the application is error-free throughout. Proficient with Sonar for code quality analysis.
- Used **Python**, specializing in data analysis and developing automation scripts to optimize data processing and enhance workflow efficiency, employing various data manipulation and analysis libraries.
- Well-experienced in Test-Driven Development (TDD) using JUnit and Mockito for unit testing and integration
 tests. I have experience in writing automation tests using Cucumber with Gherkin syntax to create clear, Behaviordriven development (BDD) scenarios for end-to-end testing. Involved in testing, fixing defects during the QA
 phase, supporting QA testing, troubleshooting defects, and identifying the source of defects.
- Proficient in coding for developing dynamic **Jasper Reports**, producing PDFs for various documentation and reporting requirements, and generating comprehensive CSV reports for data analysis and processing.
- Expert in developing clear documentation for system designs, user stories, and code functionality.
- Grip over Multithreading, TCP-IP protocols, Cloud Computing and Windows, & Linux OS Troubleshooting.
- Certified in Microsoft Azure AZ- 900 Fundamentals. Certified as <u>AWS Cloud Practitioner</u>. Experience in practical implementation of cloud-specific AWS technologies including Elastic Compute Cloud (EC2), Simple Storage Services (S3), ECS, CloudWatch, Route 53, Internet Gateway, VPC, Lambda.
- Engaged in Distributed Computing systems, harnessing the power of **Apache Kafka and Spark** for efficient Big Data processing and analytics. I've had initial experience in exploring its basic components like topics, partitions, and brokers. I worked on developing simple Kafka producers and consumers.
- Strong expertise in Node.js asynchronous programming with callbacks, promises, and async/await for efficient I/O and API handling, along with optimizing reactive Java components using Project Reactor for non-blocking, asynchronous data streams and improved performance.
- Proficient in both SQL and NoSQL databases, including experience with relational databases like MySQL and
 Oracle, as well as NoSQL databases like MongoDB, ensuring optimal data storage, retrieval, and processing for
 varied application requirements.
- Excellent communication, leadership, decision making, problem-solving, and analytical skills with attention to detail, can manage multiple projects, eager team collaborator with the flexibility to excel working independently.

Technical Skills:

- **Programming Languages:** C, C++, Java (J2EE), Golang, JavaScript, TypeScript, MATLAB, Python.
- Domain / Functional Knowledge: Healthcare, Blockchain, Insurance, Capital Markets, Telecommunication, Retail,
 Ecommerce.

- Frameworks and Libraries: Spring, Log4J, Hibernate, JSF, JPA, Node.JS, Apache Camel, Angular, Hadoop, React.js, RabbitMQ, myBatis and Fast API.
- Web and UI Technologies: HTML, CSS, JSP, XML, SOAP, JSON, Apache FTL, Figma, jQuery.
- **DevOps**: CI/CD (Jenkins, Git, Maven, Sonar, Bitbucket, GitLab, Gradle, Ant Builds), Docker, Kubernetes, Splunk, PowerShell, Tortoise SVN.
- Application Servers: Apache Tomcat, IBM WebSphere
- RDBMS SQL / NOSQL Databases: Oracle DB, MySQL, MariaDB, PostgreSQL, Mongo DB.
- IDE & Project Management: Eclipse, VS Code, IntelliJ, Agile Methodologies, Confluence, JIRA
- Security: OAuth, JWT, Spring Security
- Microservices: Design and Implementation, API Gateway Integration
- Testing Frameworks: Mockito, Jasmine, Karma, Cucumber, Postman API Testing, JMeter, TestNG

Work Experience:

Java Software Developer

Dec 2024 - Current

AT&T - Onsite

- Design and develop scalable microservices for customer account management systems using Reactive **Java** and **Spring Boot** for development, and **Spock** for unit testing, ensuring maintainable code.
- Creating robust backend solutions, implementing REST APIs, and generating comprehensive documentation using **Swagger** for seamless integration and usability.
- Deploying microservices efficiently using **Docker** for containerization, orchestrating deployments with **Kubernetes**, and hosting them on **Azure** for scalable cloud infrastructure.

Full Stack Developer Intern

Jun 2024 - Dec 2024

Fannie Mae

- I have worked on a capital market project as a contractor, utilizing a comprehensive technology stack and performing a wide range of development and support activities
- Developed new features for the capital market product using **Java, AWS**, **Spring Boot**, and **Spring JPA** to build scalable and efficient backend systems.
- Enhanced and maintained batch jobs using Spring Batch, managed through AutoSys, and hosted on AWS.
- Implemented and fixed UI components using AngularJS, ensuring a seamless user experience.
- Conducted **unit testing** and **integration testing** for backend systems using **JUnit**, ensuring code quality and reliability.
- Performed Jasmine tests to validate front-end functionality and maintain responsiveness.
- Executed **Cucumber tests** for automated end-to-end testing, ensuring seamless feature integration.
- Provided production support, resolving critical issues to maintain application uptime.
- Assisted with end-to-end testing, ensuring smooth deployment and successful project delivery.

Senior Java Developer

Aug 2021 - Dec 2022

Infosys

- Assigned to the Digital Marketing team for LG Electronics, focusing on business enhancements and code development utilizing SQL, CSS, JavaScript, Java, FTL, Node, and JSON.
- Developed batch processing modules using the **Spring Batch framework**, managing multiple database setups. Deployed the application on **AWS**, leveraging various services for scalability. Developed custom command-line tools in Golang to automate deployment tasks, improving the efficiency of batch processing workflows.
- Fixed UI bugs in **Angular 11** applications, ensuring a seamless user experience and consistent functionality across different browsers and devices. Migrated key functionalities from FTL and JSP to AngularJS, enhancing the frontend architecture and application performance.
- Maintained unit tests with Jasmine and Karma for Angular applications, covering components, services, and
 asynchronous operations. Improved test coverage by 30% and ensured the stability of key features through
 regular automated testing during development.
- Facilitated the setup of client products on third-party platforms like Google Merchant Center (GMC) through API integration and code optimization. Enhanced batch module performance, resulting in client commendations for improved website performance and substantial increases in GMC sales.

• Developed REST API services for Automatic Emails and Internal Notifications, implemented integration tests and **Junit** test cases using **Mockito**, and worked on Jasper reports.

Software Engineer Jun 2019 – Aug 2021

Wipro Limited

- I started as a project engineer in the **Healthcare** domain, acquiring extensive domain knowledge. One notable project involved **Python**-based automation, where I refined resources and conducted data analysis.
- Worked as a Full Stack Developer on Wipro's MedAdvantage360 and Member360 project, a BPaaS platform that supports healthcare plans including Medicare Advantage, Part D, Medicaid, & MediGap lines of business.
- Developed and enhanced web applications using React.js, Redux for the front end and built scalable microservices
 on Spring Boot to support the platform's functionality for managing healthcare plans and services efficiently.
 Crafting web services and REST APIs over Spring Boot using Spring Security and Hibernate ORM, seamlessly
 integrating them with client services.
- Developed React components and integrated them with backend services via RESTful APIs using Axios. Ensured seamless data flow and user interaction by utilizing advanced JavaScript (ES6+) features.
- Worked on tuning Resiliency and fault tolerance for the application with resilience4j and Hystrix. I ensured robust documentation through **Swagger** and spearheaded the development of a JWT Authentication module.

Pre-Joining Intern Feb 2019 – May 2019

Wipro Limited

• Developed various hands-on projects using Python, Java (Spring, Hibernate), JavaScript and SQL.

Education Qualifications:

CGPA: 8.89/10 Verified

University of Missouri-Kansas City

Master of Science in Computer Science (Spec. in Software Engineering & Data Science)

Jan 2023 - May 2024

CGPA: 3.6/4

Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University

Anurag Group of Institutions – Hyderabad, India Bachelor of Technology in Electronics & Communications Engineering

Aug 2015 - May 2019