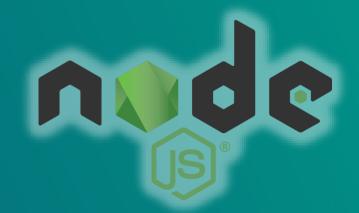
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Exploring Multer Module





Multer

Multer is a node.js middleware for handling multipart/form-data, which is primarily used for uploading files.

NOTE: Multer will not process any form which is not multipart (multipart/form-data).

Documentation Link: https://www.npmjs.com/package/multer

Installation

Run (npm install multer express cors) in your backend project, after you run (npm init), make sure the package.json already exist first.

```
"name": "api-upload-image",
  "version": "1.0.0",
  "description": "",
  "main": "index.js",
  "scripts": {
    "test": "echo \"Error: no test specified\" && exit 1"
    },
    "author": "Baron",
    "license": "ISC",
    "dependencies": {
        "cors": "^2.8.5",
        "express": "^4.17.1",
        "multer": "^1.4.2"
    }
}
Libraries Installed
```

Create index.js

```
const express = require('express')
const cors = require(cors')
const port = 1997
const app = express()
app.use(cors())
app.get('/', (req,res) => {
   res.status(200).send('<h1>Selamat datang di Upload Image
API!</h1>')
})
app.listen(port, () => console.log(`API aktif di port ${port}`))
← → C (i) localhost:1997
 node_modules
                     Selamat datang di Upload Image API!
 Js index.js
 {} package-lock.json
 {} package.json
```

Create uploader.js

```
const multer = require('multer');
var fs = require('fs');
// Return multer object
module.exports = {
    uploader(destination, fileNamePrefix){
        let defaultPath = './public';
        const storage = multer.diskStorage({
            destination: (req, file, cb) => {
                   const dir = defaultPath + destination;
                   if (fs.existsSync(dir)) {
                       console.log(dir, "exists")
                       cb(null, dir);
                   } else {
                       fs.mkdir(dir, { recursive: true }, err => cb(err, dir));
                       console.log(dir, "make")
            },
            filename: (req, file, cb) => {
                   let originalname = file.originalname;
                   let ext = originalname.split('.');
                   let filename = fileNamePrefix + Date.now() + '.' +
                            ext[ext.length - 1];
                   cb(null, filename);
        });
```



Create uploader.js

```
const imageFilter = (req, file, cb) => {
  const ext = /\.(jpg|jpeg|png|gif|pdf|doc|docx|xlsx)$/;
  if (!file.originalname.match(ext)) {
    return cb(new Error('Only selected file type are allowed'), false);
  }
  cb(null, true);
};

return multer({
    storage,
    fileFilter: imageFilter
});
```



Edit index.js, add code below

```
const { uploader } = require('./uploader')
app.post('/addimage', (req,res) => {
    const path = '/test/images';
    const upload = uploader(path, 'TES').fields([{ name: 'image'}]);
    upload(req, res, (err) => {
       if(err){
          return res.status(500).json({ message: 'Upload files failed !',
         error: err.message });
       const { image } = req.files;
       console.log(image)
       console.log(req.body.data)
       const data = JSON.parse(req.body.data);
       console.log(data)
       return res.status(200).send({ message: 'Upload File Success!'})
    })
})
```



Create React UI Project

Now run create-react-app ui-upload-image in the terminal, with the path same as where api-upload-image is located, so now you have both folder (api & ui)

Name	Date modified	Type	Size
api-upload-image	13/09/2019 15:35	File folder	
ui-upload-image	13/09/2019 16:02	File folder	



Install axios in ui project

npm install axios

```
"dependencies": {
    "axios": "^0.19.0",
    "react": "^16.9.0",
    "react-dom": "^16.9.0",
    "react-scripts": "3.1.1"
},
```



Change App.js Content

```
import React, { Component } from 'react';
class App extends Component {
 state = { files: null }
 fileChange = (e) => {
    console.log(e.target.files)
   if(e.target.files[0]) {
      this.setState({ files: e.target.files })
   } else {
      this.setState({ files: null })
  render() {
    return (
      <div>
        <input type="file" onChange={this.fileChange} multiple={true} />
        <input type="button" value="Upload" />
      </div>
export default App;
```

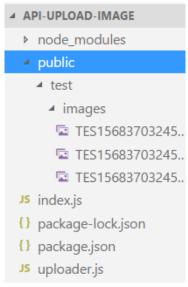
Add this function in App.js

```
onBtnUploadClick = () => {
  if(this.state.files) {
      var formData = new FormData()
      var options = {
          headers: {
               'Content-Type': 'multipart/form-data'
      var data = {
          caption: 'testing bro'
      for(var i = 0; i < this.state.files.length; i++) {</pre>
        formData.append('image', this.state.files[i])
      formData.append('data', JSON.stringify(data))
      axios.post("http://localhost:1997/addimage", formData, options)
      .then((res) \Rightarrow {
          console.log(res.data)
      })
      .catch((err) =>{
          console.log(err.response)
      })
  else {
      alert('Image harus diisi!')
```

Don't forget to put the function on button on Click event:

Now you can try it. You can upload 1 file or more. Check the console in the browser, and the terminal in the backEnd Project after you upload the file(s)

Choose Files 3 files Upload





Now add this line of code in index.js of the backEnd Project, if you want to access the image from the API

app.use(express.static('public'))

Open url like this in your browser to access the image

http://localhost:1997/test/images/ (File Name)

Example:

http://localhost:1997/test/images/TES1568370324559.jpg





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