

◆ Introduction

- **MongoDB** is a NoSQL, document-oriented database.
- Stores data in **JSON**.
- Schema-less: documents can have different structures.

◆ Basic Terminology

| RDBMS | MongoDB |
|----------|------------|
| Database | Database |
| Table | Collection |
| Row | Document |
| Column | Field |

◆ MongoDB Data Types

- String, Number (Int, Long, Double), Boolean
- Array
- Object (Embedded documents)
- Date
- Null
- ObjectId (Unique identifier)

📁 Collection Commands

| | |
|--|---------------------|
| <code>db.createCollection("students")</code> | # Create collection |
| <code>show collections</code> | # List collections |
| <code>db.students.drop()</code> | # Drop collection |

Document Commands

// Insert

```
db.students.insertOne({ name: "John", age: 22, course: "MERN" })  
db.students.insertMany([{ name: "A" }, { name: "B" }])
```

// Read

```
db.students.find()  
db.students.find({ age: { $gt: 18 } })
```

// Update

```
db.students.updateOne({ name: "John" }, { $set: { age: 23 } })  
db.students.updateMany({}, { $set: { active: true } })
```

// Delete

```
db.students.deleteOne({ name: "John" })  
db.students.deleteMany({ active: false })
```

MongoDB Query Operators

There are many query operators that can be used to compare and reference document fields.

Comparison

The following operators can be used in queries to compare values:

- **\$eq** : Values are equal
- **\$ne** : Values are not equal
- **\$gt** : Value is greater than another value
- **\$gte** : Value is greater than or equal to another value
- **\$lt** : Value is less than another value
- **\$lte** : Value is less than or equal to another value
- **\$in** : Value is matched within an array

\$in Syntax :

```
{ field: { $in: [value1, value2, ...] } }
```

■ Example 1: Match students with course in a list

```
db.students.find({  
  course: { $in: ["Web", "MERN"] }  
})
```

◆ *This will return all students whose course is either "**Web**" or "**MERN**".*

■ Example 2: Match a value **within an array field**:

```
{  
  name: "Ankit",  
  skills: ["HTML", "CSS", "JavaScript"]  
}
```

To find students who have "CSS" in their skills array:

```
db.students.find({  
  skills: { $in: ["CSS"] }  
})
```

Logical

The following operators can logically compare multiple queries.

- **\$and** : Returns documents where both queries match
- **\$or** : Returns documents where either query matches
- **\$not** : Returns documents where the query does not match

\$and Syntax:

```
{
  $and: [
    { field1: condition1 },
    { field2: condition2 }
  ]
}
```

Example: Find students with age > 20 and course = "Web"

```
db.students.find({
  $and: [
    { age: { $gt: 20 } },
    { course: "Web" }
  ]
})
```

This will return only those students who are:

- Older than 20
- Enrolled in the "Web" course

Shortcut:

MongoDB treats multiple conditions in a single object as an implicit \$and. So, this works the same:

```
db.students.find({
  age: { $gt: 20 },
  course: "Web"
})
```

\$or Syntax :

```
{ $or: [ { condition1 }, { condition2 } ] }
```

Example:

Find students who are **younger than 20 OR** enrolled in "MERN":

```
db.students.find({  
  $or: [  
    { age: { $lt: 20 } },  
    { course: "MERN" }  
  ]  
})
```

\$not – Inverts the Condition :

Example:

Find students whose age is **NOT** greater than 20:

```
db.students.find({  
  age: { $not: { $gt: 20 } }  
})
```

MongoDB Practice Set

✅ Task 1: Basic CRUD

1. Create a database called **school**.
2. Create a collection called **students**.
3. Insert 5 documents with fields: **name**, **age**, **course**, **city**.
4. Find all students from **city "Delhi"**.
5. Update age of student named **"Amit"** to **25**.
6. Delete student whose name is **"Ravi"**.

✅ Task 2: Advanced Queries

1. Find students with **age > 20** and **course = "Web"**.
2. Find students who are not from **"Delhi"**.
3. Add a new field **isActive: true** to all documents.

✅ Task 3: Array Operations

1. Add a field **skills** as an array: **["HTML", "CSS"]**
2. Find students who know **"CSS"**.
3. Add **"JavaScript"** to the **skills** array of one student.

MongoDB Update Operators

- **\$currentDate**: Sets the field value to the current date
- **\$inc**: Increments the field value
- **\$rename**: Renames the field
- **\$set**: Sets the value of a field
- **\$unset**: Removes the field from the document

◆ Syntax:

```
db.collection.updateOne(  
  /* filter */,  
  { $currentDate: { fieldName: true } }  
)
```

Or if you want a timestamp instead of just a date:

```
{ $currentDate: { fieldName: { $type: "timestamp" } } }
```

Example 1: Add a lastUpdated field with current date

```
db.students.updateOne(  
  { name: "Amit" },  
  { $currentDate: { lastUpdated: true } }  
)
```

This will add:

```
"lastUpdated": ISODate("2025-04-09T12:34:56.000Z")
```

Example 2: Add a lastLogin timestamp

```
db.students.updateOne(  
  { name: "Ravi" },  
  { $currentDate: { lastLogin: { $type: "timestamp" } } }  
)
```

Connect MongoDB With Node.Js

Using Mongoose

1. Install Mongoose

```
npm install mongoose
```

2. Connect to MongoDB

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');

mongoose.connect('mongodb://localhost:27017/mydatabase', {
  useNewUrlParser: true,
  useUnifiedTopology: true
})

.then(() => console.log("MongoDB connected successfully"))
.catch((err) => console.error("MongoDB connection error:", err));
```

Replace mydatabase with your DB name. Use mongodb+srv://... URI if connecting to MongoDB Atlas.

3. Create a Schema and Model

```
const userSchema = new mongoose.Schema({
  name: String,
  email: String,
  age: Number
});

const User = mongoose.model('User', userSchema);

// Example: Create a new user
const newUser = new User({ name: "Deepak", email: "deepak@example.com", age: 25 });
newUser.save().then(() => console.log("User saved"));
```


useNewUrlParser: true

Setting `useNewUrlParser: true` tells Mongoose to use the **new, modern connection string parser**.

Required when using connection strings for things like **MongoDB Atlas** (e.g., with multiple hosts, options, credentials).

useUnifiedTopology: true

Improves the way Mongoose manages **connections, monitoring, and failover**.

configure MongoDB Atlas

Step 1: Create MongoDB Atlas Account

1. Go to <https://www.mongodb.com/cloud/atlas>
2. Sign up (or log in if you already have an account)

Step 2: Create a Cluster

1. Click on **"Build a Database"**
2. Choose a **free tier** if you're just getting started
3. Select:
 - **Cloud provider** (AWS, GCP, or Azure)
 - **Region** (preferably near your location)
4. Click **"Create Cluster"**

Step 3: Create Database User

1. Go to **Database Access** in the sidebar
2. Click **"Add New Database User"**
3. Set a **username** and **password**
4. Give **Read and Write access to any database**
5. Click **"Add User"**

Step 4: Whitelist Your IP

1. Go to **Network Access** from the sidebar
2. Click **"Add IP Address"**
3. Choose **"Allow Access from Anywhere"** (for dev use) → 0.0.0.0/0
4. Or enter your specific IP address
5. Click **"Confirm"**

Step 5: Create a Database & Collection

1. Go to **Database > Clusters**
2. Click **"Browse Collections"**
3. Click **"Add My Own Data"**
4. Enter:
 - Database name (e.g., myAppDB)
 - Collection name (e.g., users)

Step 6: Connect Your Application

1. Go to **Clusters > Connect > Connect Your Application**
2. Copy the **Connection String** (looks like this):

mongodb+srv://<username>:<password>@cluster0.mongodb.net/<dbname>?retryWrites=true&w=majority

Replace:

- <username> with your DB username
- <password> with your DB password
- <dbname> with your database name

Step 7: Use It in Your Code (Example in Node.js)

```
const mongoose = require('mongoose');
```

```
mongoose.connect(
```

```
'mongodb+srv://<username>:<password>@cluster0.mongodb.net/myAppDB?retryWrites=true&w=majority',
```

```
{
```

```
  useNewUrlParser: true,
```

```
  useUnifiedTopology: true,
```

```
}
```

```
).then(() => {
```

```
  console.log("Connected to MongoDB Atlas");
```

```
}).catch(err => {
```

```
  console.error("Error connecting to MongoDB Atlas", err);
```

```
});
```

Step-by-Step Guide to Add MongoDB URL in .env

1. Install dotenv package

```
npm install dotenv
```

2. Create a .env file in the root of your project:

```
MONGO_URL=mongodb://localhost:27017/mydatabase
```

3. Update index.js to use .env

```
require('dotenv').config();
```

Then update your mongoose.connect line like this:

```
mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URL, {  
  useNewUrlParser: true,  
  useUnifiedTopology: true  
})  
  
.then(() => console.log("MongoDB connected successfully"))  
  
.catch((err) => console.error("MongoDB connection error:", err));
```

Final index.js Snippet (first few lines):

```
require('dotenv').config(); // 🖱️ Load .env variables  
  
const express = require('express');  
const app = express();  
const cors = require('cors');  
const mongoose = require('mongoose');  
const PORT = 5000;  
  
app.use(cors());  
app.use(express.json());  
  
mongoose.connect(process.env.MONGO_URL, {  
  useNewUrlParser: true,  
  useUnifiedTopology: true  
})  
  
.then(() => console.log("MongoDB connected successfully"))  
  
.catch((err) => console.error("MongoDB connection error:", err));
```

4. Don't forget to add .env to .gitignore

In your .gitignore file, add:

```
.env
```

Modified userSchema with createdAt and updatedAt:

```
const userSchema = new mongoose.Schema({  
  name: String  
}, {  
  timestamps: true // This adds createdAt and updatedAt fields automatically  
});
```

Full Updated Section in Your Code:

```
const userSchema = new mongoose.Schema({  
  name: String  
}, {  
  timestamps: true // Automatically manages createdAt and updatedAt  
});  
  
const User = mongoose.model('users', userSchema);
```

Now, every document in the users collection will have:

```
{  
  "_id": "...",  
  "name": "John Doe",  
  "createdAt": "2025-04-10T08:30:00.000Z",  
  "updatedAt": "2025-04-10T08:30:00.000Z",  
  "__v": 0  
}
```