GETTING STARTED WITH MONGODB FOR CFML DE-VELOPERS

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WHO IS THIS OLD GUY?

WHY ARE WE HERE?

WHAT IS MONGODB?

- Data store like you've maybe never seen before.
- Document oriented, not table/row oriented
- Embedded data over foreign keys
- Not transactional
- Easily replicated and sharded for high availability / performance

TABLES VS DOCUMENTS

courtId	courtName	jurisdiction	active	courtTypeId	state
1202	Alabama, Middle District	Federal	1	3	ALABAMA
1203	Alabama, Northern District	Federal	1	3	ALABAMA
1204	Alabama, Southern District	Federal	1	3	ALABAMA
1205	Alaska	Federal	1	3	ALASKA
1206	Arizona	Federal	1	3	ARIZONA
1207	Arkansas, Eastern District	Federal	1	3	ARKANSAS
1208	Arkansas, Western District	Federal	1	3	ARKANSAS
1209	California, Central District	Federal	1	3	CALIFORNIA
1210	California, Eastern District	Federal	1	3	CALIFORNIA
1211	California, Northern District	Federal	1	3	CALIFORNIA
1212	California, Southern District	Federal	1	3	CALIFORNIA
1213	Colorado	Federal	1	3	COLORADO
1214	Connecticut	Federal	1	3	CONNECTICUT

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{
    "_id" : ObjectId("534375d40fff56a472b25891"),
    "courtName" : "Alabama, Middle District",
    "jurisdiction" : "Federal",
    "active" : true,
    "courtType" : "District",
    "state" : "Alabama"
}
```

WHY MONGODB?

- It's FAST!
- It's FLEXIBLE!
- It's FORGIVING!

INSTALL IT ALREADY

Ok fine, Mr/Mrs Impatient

Full install instructions at http://docs.mongodb.org/manual/installation/

MAC / *NIX INSTALLATIONS

Using a package manager

brew install mongodb yum install mongo-10gen mongo-10gen-server sudo apt-get install mongodb-10gen

Direct Download and Extract

curl -O http://downloads.mongodb.org/osx/mongodb-osx-x86_64-2.4.10.tgz
tar -zxvf mongodb-osx-x86_64-2.4.10.tgz
mv ./mongodb-osx-x86 64-2.4.10 /mongodb

WINDOWS INSTALLATIONS

Direct Download and Extract

- Download the binary to match your system architecture from http://www.mongodb.org/downloads
- Unzip the file to c:\mongodb
 Install as a Windows Service

C:\mongodb\bin\mongod.exe --config C:\mongodb\mongod.cfg --install

Using Chocolatey package manager

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NOW WHAT?

Hint: Run it!
Mac / *nix

mongod

Windows

c:\mongodb\bin\mongod.exe

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Dans-Macbook-Pro:/ dskaggs$ mongod
mongod --help for help and startup options
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.059 [initandlisten] MongoDB starting : pid=23449 port=27017 dbpath=/data/db/ 64-bit host=Dans-Macbook-Pro.local
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] db version v2.4.9
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] git version: 52fedd21959e32d5bdbecdd52057db386e4e029c
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] build info: Darwin bs-osx-106-x86-64-2.10gen.cc 10.8.0 Darwin Kernel Version 10.8.0: Tue Jun 7 16:32:41 PDT 2011; root:xnu-I504.15.3-J/RELEASE_X86_64 x36_64 B005T_LIB_VERSION=1_49
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] options: {}
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] options: {}
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] exception in initAndListen: 10296

ERROR: dbpath (/data/db/) does not exist.
Create this directory or give existing directory in --dbpath.
See http://dochub.mongodb.org/core/startingandstoppingmongo
...
terminating
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: going to close listening sockets...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: going to flush diaglog...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: going to flush diaglog...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: waiting for fs preallocator...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: final commit...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: closing all files...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: closing all files...
Sun Apr 6 19:46:02.060 [initandlisten] shutdown: closing all files...
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CONFIGURE YOUR DATA DIRECTORIES

Create the required directories:

Mac / *nix: /data/db

• Windows: c:\data\db

Non-defaults can be used with a command line option:

mongod --dbpath /path/to/my/folder
mongod.exe --dbpath "d:\path\to\my\folder"

SUCCESS!

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□ data — mongod — 120×28

Dans-Macbook-Pro:data dskaggs$ mongod
mongod --help for help and startup options

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] MongoDB starting : pid=23476 port=27017 dbpath=/data/db/ 64-bit host=Dans-Macbook-Pro.local

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] db version v2.4.9

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] git version: 52fe0d21959e32a5bdbecdc62057db386e4e029c

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] build info: Darwin bs-osx-106-x86-64-2.10gen.cc 10.8.0 Darwin Kernel Version 10.8.0: Tue Jun 7 16:32:41 PDT 2011; root:xnu-1504.15.3~1/RELEASE_X86_64 x86_64 B00ST_LIB_VERSION=1_49

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] allocator: system

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.879 [initandlisten] options: {}

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.881 [initandlisten] journal dir=/data/db/journal

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.881 [initandlisten] recover: no journal files present, no recovery needed

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.952 [websvr] admin web console waiting for connections on port 27017

Sun Apr 6 19:53:25.952 [initandlisten] waiting for connections on port 27017
```

HOOK ME UP WITH SOME DATA!

- mongo Command Line client
- CFMongoDB DSL for using MongoDB from CFML
- Railo MongoDB Plugin

MONGO COMMAND LINE CLIENT

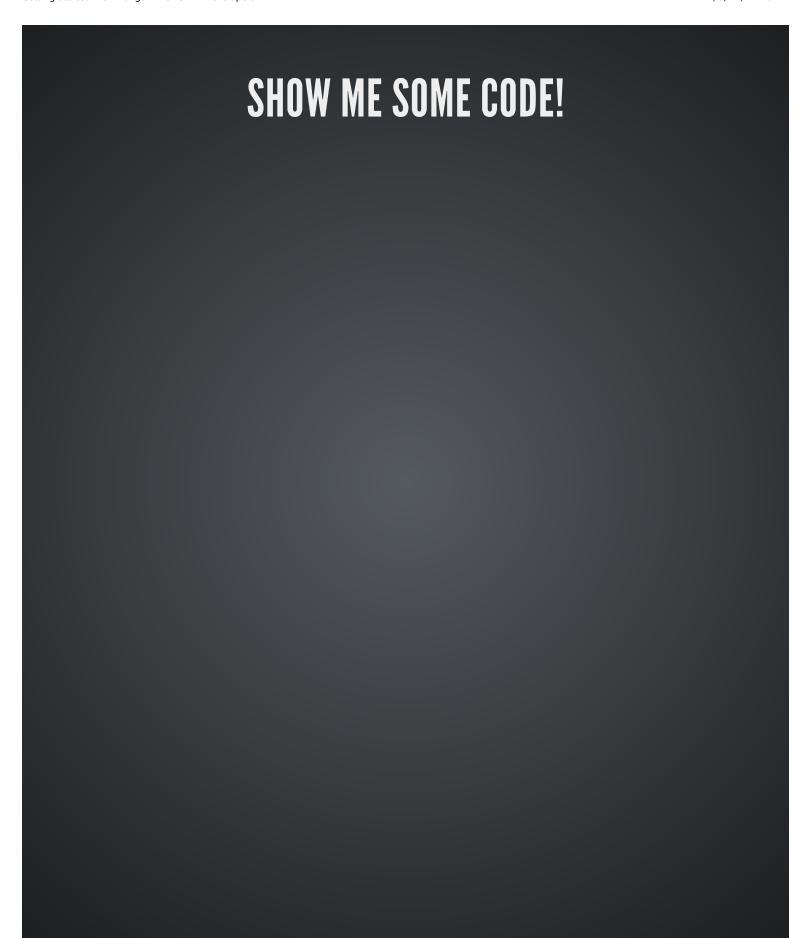
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> db.burials.find( {'last_name': 'Graham', 'cemetery_state': 'AL' })
    .limit(1).pretty()
{
        "_id": ObjectId("53341d9f9b46a8412acf580f"),
        "first_name": "Thomas",
        "last_name": "Graham",
        "suffix": "Jr",
        "cemetery_name": "FORESTLAWN GARDENS",
        "cemetery_addr_one": "730 GOLDEN SPRINGS RD",
        "cemetery_city": "ANNISTON",
        "cemetery_city": "AL",
        "cemetery_state": "AL",
        "cemetery_zip": 36207,
        "relationship": "Veteran (Self)",
        "branch": "US ARMY",
        "rank": "SSG",
        "war": "VIETNAM"
}
```

CFMONGODB

- Could just use Java driver but why reinvent the wheel
- Easy to use custom DSL or API built in
- Multiple people already have done a lot of work to make it easy to communicate with MongoDB through the Java driver
- Allows nearly seamless translating of ColdFusion structs and arrays to MongoDB and vice versa
- Works with ColdFusion 9.01+ and Railo 3.2+

RAILO EXTENSION

Need research here



ABOUT THE DATA...

CFMONGODB CODE SAMPLES

RAILO PLUGIN CODE SAMPLES

JUST THE CRUD MA'AM

AGGREGATION: IT'S BLACK MAGIC

AFTER CLASS HOMEWORK

GET IN TOUCH

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