

mongodump

Utility to export the contents of a MongoDB instance.

- Create a dump of all databases (this will place the files inside a folder called "dump"):

```
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```

- Specify an output location for the dump:

```
mongodump --out {{path/to/folder}}
```

- Create a dump of a given database:

```
mongodump --db {{database_name}}
```

- Create a dump of a given collection within a given database:

```
mongodump --collection {{collection_name}} --db {{database_name}}
```

- Connect to a given host running on a given port, and create a dump:

```
mongodump --host {{host}} --port {{port}}
```

- Create a dump of a given database with a given username; user will be prompted for password:

```
mongodump --username {{username}} {{database}} --password
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