## Lab 3. Searching - What is Relevant

We will cover the following topics in this lab:

- Searching from structured data
- Writing compound queries
- Searching from full-text
- Modeling relationships

#### Standard tokenizer

The following example shows how the standard tokenizer breaks a character stream into tokens:

```
POST _analyze
{
    "tokenizer": "standard",
    "text": "Tokenizer breaks characters into tokens!"
}
```

The preceding command produces the following output; notice the <code>start\_offset</code> , <code>end\_offset</code> , and <code>positions</code> in the output:

```
"tokens": [
   "token": "Tokenizer",
   "start offset": 0,
   "end_offset": 9,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 0
   "token": "breaks",
   "start_offset": 10,
   "end offset": 16,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 1
  },
   "token": "characters",
   "start_offset": 17,
   "end offset": 27,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 2
  },
   "token": "into",
   "start_offset": 28,
   "end offset": 32,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 3
  },
    "token": "tokens",
```



```
"start_offset": 33,
    "end_offset": 39,
    "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 4
    }
]
```

This token stream can be further processed by the token filters of the analyzer.

## Standard analyzer

Let's see how Standard analyzer works by default with an example:

```
PUT index standard analyzer
  "settings": {
   "analysis": {
     "analyzer": {
       "std": {
         "type": "standard"
     }
   }
  },
  "mappings": {
   "properties": {
     "my_text": {
       "type": "text",
       "analyzer": "std"
     }
   }
 }
}
```

Here, we created an index,  $index_standard_analyzer$ .

Let's check how Elasticsearch will do the analysis for the  $my\_text$  field whenever any document is indexed in this index. We can do this test using the  $\_analyze$  API, as we saw earlier:

```
POST index_standard_analyzer/_analyze
{
    "field": "my_text",
    "text": "The Standard Analyzer works this way."
}
```

The output of this command shows the following tokens:

```
"type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 0
  },
   "token": "standard",
   "start offset": 4,
   "end_offset": 12,
    "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 1
  },
    "token": "analyzer",
   "start offset": 13,
    "end_offset": 21,
    "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 2
  },
    "token": "works",
   "start_offset": 22,
    "end offset": 27,
    "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 3
  },
    "token": "this",
   "start offset": 28,
   "end offset": 32,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 4
  },
   "token": "way",
    "start offset": 33,
   "end offset": 36,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 5
]
```

Please note that, in this case, the field level analyzer for the my\_field field was set to Standard Analyzer explicitly. Even if it wasn't set explicitly for the field, Standard Analyzer is the default analyzer if no other analyzer is specified.

As you can see, all of the tokens in the output are lowercase. Even though the Standard Analyzer has a stop token filter, none of the tokens are filtered out. This is why the <u>\_analyze</u> output has all words as tokens.

Let's create another index that uses English language stopwords:

```
PUT index_standard_analyzer_english_stopwords
{
    "settings": {
        "analysis": {
```

```
"analyzer": {
    "std": {
        "type": "standard",

"stopwords": "_english_"
    }
}

mappings": {
    "properties": {
    "my_text": {
        "type": "text",
        "analyzer": "std"
    }
}
```

Notice the difference here. This new index is using *english* stopwords. You can also specify a list of stopwords directly, such as stopwords: (a, an, the). The *english* value includes all such English words.

When you try the \_analyze API on the new index, you will see that it removes the stopwords, such as the and this:

```
POST index_standard_analyzer_english_stopwords/_analyze
{
   "field": "my_text",
   "text": "The Standard Analyzer works this way."
}
```

It returns a response like the following:

```
"tokens": [
   "token": "standard",
   "start offset": 4,
   "end_offset": 12,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 1
  },
   "token": "analyzer",
   "start_offset": 13,
   "end offset": 21,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 2
   "token": "works",
   "start offset": 22,
    "end offset": 27,
   "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
   "position": 3
```

```
},
{
    "token": "way",
    "start_offset": 33,
    "end_offset": 36,
    "type": "<ALPHANUM>",
    "position": 5
}
```

English stopwords such as the and this are removed. As you can see, with a little configuration, Standard Analyzer can be used for English and many other languages.

Let's go through a practical application of creating a custom analyzer.

## Implementing autocomplete with a custom analyzer

If we were to use Standard Analyzer at indexing time, the following terms would be generated for the field with the Course Elastic Search 7 value:

```
GET /_analyze
{
   "text": "Course Elastic Search 7",
   "analyzer": "standard"
}
```

The response of this request would contain the terms Course, Elastic, Search, and 7. These are the terms that Elasticsearch would create and store in the index if Standard Analyzer was used. Now, what we want to support is that when the user starts typing a few characters, we should be able to match possible matching products. For example, if the user has typed elas, it should still recommend Course Elastic Search 7 as a product. Let's compose an analyzer that can generate terms such as el, ela, elas, elast, elastic, le, lea, and so on:

```
PUT /custom analyzer index
{
  "settings": {
    "index": {
      "analysis": {
        "analyzer": {
          "custom analyzer": {
            "type": "custom",
            "tokenizer": "standard",
            "filter": [
              "lowercase",
              "custom edge ngram"
            1
          }
        },
        "filter": {
          "custom_edge_ngram": {
            "type": "edge ngram",
            "min gram": 2,
            "max_gram": 10
```

```
}
}
}

}

mappings": {
    "properties": {
        "product": {
            "type": "text",
            "analyzer": "custom_analyzer",
            "search_analyzer": "standard"
        }
}
```

This index definition creates a custom analyzer that uses Standard Tokenizer to create the tokens and uses two token filters -- a lowercase token filter and the edge\_ngram token filter. The edge\_ngram token filter breaks down each token into lengths of 2 characters, 3 characters, and 4 characters, up to 10 characters. One incoming token, such as elastic, will generate tokens such as [el], [ela], and so on, from one token. This will enable autocompletion searches.

Given that the following two products are indexed, and the user has typed Ela so far, the search should return both products:

```
POST /custom_analyzer_index/_doc
{
    "product": "Course Elastic Search 7"
}

POST /custom_analyzer_index/_doc
{
    "product": "Mastering Elasticsearch"
}

GET /custom_analyzer_index/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match": {
            "product": "Ela"
        }
    }
}
```

Before we move onto the next section and start looking at different query types, let's set up the necessary index with the data required for the next section. We are going to use product catalog data taken from the popular e-commerce site <a href="https://www.amazon.com">www.amazon.com</a>.

Before we start with the queries, let's create the required index and import some data:

```
PUT /amazon_products
{
   "settings": {
```

```
"number_of_shards": 1,
    "number of replicas": 0,
    "analysis": {
      "analyzer": {}
  },
  "mappings": {
    "properties": {
     "id": {
       "type": "keyword"
      "title": {
       "type": "text"
      "description": {
       "type": "text"
      },
      "manufacturer": {
        "type": "text",
       "fields": {
         "raw": {
           "type": "keyword"
       }
      },
      "price": {
       "type": "scaled float",
       "scaling factor": 100
      }
 }
}
```

The title and description fields are analyzed text fields on which analysis should be performed. This will enable full-text queries on these fields. The manufacturer field is of the text type, but it also has a field with the name raw. The manufacturer field is stored in two ways, as text, and manufacturer.raw is stored as a keyword.

The price field is chosen to be of the scaled\_float type. This is a new type introduced with Elastic 6.0, which internally stores floats as scaled whole numbers. For example, 13.99 will be stored as 1399 with a scaling factor of 100. This is space-efficient as float and double datatypes occupy much more space.

#### Import product data into Elasticsearch

- 1. Switch user from terminal: su elasticsearch
- 2 Logstash has been already downloaded at following path: /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1 and added to variable PATH.

## https://www.elastic.co/downloads/logstash

3. Files have been already copied at path /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files . The structure of files should look like -

```
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/products.csv
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/logstash_products.conf
```

4. Verify that index amazon\_products is created by executing the command in the your Kibana - Dev Tools.

```
GET /amazon_products
```

6. Run logstash from command line, using the following commands:

```
cd /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1
logstash -f files/logstash_products.conf
```

#### **Verify Data Import**

After you have imported the data, verify that it is imported with the following query:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
      "match_all": {}
   }
}
```

In the next section, we will look at structured search queries.

## Range query on numeric types

Suppose we are storing products with their prices in an Elasticsearch index and we want to get all products within a range. The following is the query to get products in the range of \$10 to \$20:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "range": {
            "gte": 10,
            "lte": 20
        }
    }
}
```

The response of this query looks like the following:

```
"took" : 5,
"timed_out" : false,
"_shards" : {
    "total" : 1,
    "successful" : 1,
    "skipped" : 0,
    "failed" : 0
```

```
},
  "hits" : {
    "total" : {
     "value" : 201,
     "relation" : "eq"
    "max_score" : 1.0,
    "hits" : [
       " index" : "amazon products",
        "_type" : "_doc",
        "_id" : "q7370XkBtKf3dShzkvIb",
        " score" : 1.0,
        " source" : {
         "id" : "b0000dbykm",
         "title" : "mia's math adventure: just in time",
         "manufacturer" : "kutoka",
         "price" : "19.99",
          "description" : "in mia's math adventure: just in time children will help
mia save her house by using their math skills!"
      }
     },
```

#### Range query with score boosting

By default, the range query assigns a score of 1 to each matching document. What if you are using a range query in conjunction with some other query and you want to assign a higher score to the resulting document if it satisfies some criteria? We will look at compound queries such as the bool query, where you can combine multiple types of queries. The range query allows you to provide a boost parameter to enhance its score relative to other query/queries that it is combined with:

All documents that pass the filter will have a score of 2.2 instead of 1 in this query.

#### Range query on dates

A range query can also be applied to date fields since dates are also inherently ordered. You can specify the date format while querying a date range:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{"query":{"range":{"orderDate":
{"gte":"01/09/2017","lte":"30/09/2017","format":"dd/MM/yyyy"}}}}
```

The preceding query will filter all the orders that were placed in the month of September 2017.

Note: We will get "hits": [] because no record is matched.

Elasticsearch allows us to use dates with or without the time in its queries. It also supports the use of special terms, including now to denote the current time. For example, the following query queries data from the last 7 days up until now, that is, data from exactly 24 x 7 hours ago till now with a precision of milliseconds:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{"query":{"range":{"orderDate":{"gte":"now-7d","lte":"now"}}}}
```

The ability to use terms such as now makes this easier to comprehend.

## **Exists query**

Sometimes it is useful to obtain only records that have non-null and non-empty values in a certain field. For example, getting all products that have description fields defined:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
      "exists": {
        "field": "description"
      }
   }
}
```

The exists query turns the query into a filter; in other words, it runs in a filter context. This is similar to the range query where the scores don't matter.

## **Term query**

When we defined the manufacturer field, we stored it as both text and keyword fields. When doing an exact match, we have to use the field with the keyword type:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
     "term": {
        "manufacturer.raw": "victory multimedia"
      }
   }
}
```

The term query is a low-level query in the sense that it doesn't perform any analysis on the term. Also, it directly runs against the inverted index constructed from the mentioned term field; in this case, against

the manufacturer.raw field. By default, the term query runs in the query context and hence calculates scores.

The response looks like the following (only the partial response is included):

```
"hits": {
    "total" : {
        "value" : 3,
        "relation" : "eq"
    },

"max_score": 5.965414,
    "hits": [
        {
            "_index": "amazon_products",
            "_type": "products",
            "_id": "AV5rBfPNNI_2ezGciIHC",
            "_score": 5.965414,
            ...
```

As we can see, each document is scored by default. To run the term query in the filter context without scoring, it needs to be wrapped inside a constant score filter:

This query will now return results with a score of one for all matching documents. We will look at the <code>constant\_score</code> query later in the lab. For now, you can imagine that it turns a scoring query into a non-scoring query. In all queries where we don't need to know how well a document fits the query, we can speed up the query by wrapping it inside <code>constant\_score</code> with a <code>filter</code>. There are also other types of compound queries that can help in converting different types of queries and combining other queries; we will look at them when we examine compound queries.

# Searching from the full text

We will cover the following full-text queries in the following sections:

- Match guery
- Match phrase query
- Multi match query

## **Match query**

When you use the match query on a keyword field, it knows that the underlying field is a keyword field, and hence, the search terms are not analyzed at the time of querying:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match": {
            "manufacturer.raw": "victory multimedia"
        }
    }
}
```

The match query, in this case, behaves just like a term query, which we understand from the previous section. It does not analyze the search term's victory multimedia as the separate terms victory and multimedia. This is because we are querying a keyword field, manufacturer.raw. In fact, in this particular case, the match query gets converted into a term query, such as the following:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
     "term": {
        "manufacturer.raw": "victory multimedia"
      }
}
```

The term query returns the same scores as the match query in this case, as they are both executed against a keyword field.

Let's see what happens if you execute a match query against a text field, which is a real use case for a full-text query:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
      "match": {
         "manufacturer": "victory multimedia"
      }
   }
}
```

The match query with default parameters does all of these things to find the best matching documents in order, according to their scores (high to low).

By default, when only search terms are specified, this is how the match query behaves. It is possible to specify additional options for the match query. Let's look at some typical options that you would specify:

- Operator
- Minimum should match
- Fuzziness

#### Operator

The default behavior of the match query is to combine the results using the [or] operator, that is, one of the terms has to be present in the document's field.

This can be changed to use the and operator using the following query:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match": {
            "query": "victory multimedia",
            "operator": "and"
        }
    }
}
```

In this case, both the terms victory and multimedia should be present in the document's manufacturer field.

#### Minimum should match

Instead of applying the and operator, we can keep the [or] operator and specify at least how many terms should match in a given document for it to be included in the result. This allows for finer-grained control:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match": {
            "query": "victory multimedia",
            "minimum_should_match": 2
        }
    }
}
```

The preceding query behaves in a similar way to the and operator, as there are two terms in the query and we have specified that, as the minimum, two terms should match.

With <code>minimum\_should\_match</code>, we can specify something similar to at least three of the terms matching in the document.

## **Fuzziness**

The following query has a misspelled word, victor instead of victory. Since we are using a fuzziness of 1, it will still be able to find all victory multimedia records:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
    "match": {
```

```
"manufacturer": {
     "query": "victor multimedia",
     "fuzziness": 1
     }
}
```

If we wanted to still allow more room for errors to be correctable, the fuzziness should be increased to 2 . For example, a fuzziness of 2 will even match victor. Victory is two edits away from victor:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match": {
            "query": "victer multimedia",
            "fuzziness": 2
        }
    }
}
```

The AUTO value means that the fuzziness numeric value of 0, 1, 2 is determined automatically based on the length of the original term. With AUTO, terms with up to 2 characters have fuzziness = 0 (must match exactly), terms from 3 to 5 characters have fuzziness = 1, and terms with more than five characters have fuzziness = 2.

#### Match phrase query

When you want to match a sequence of words, as opposed to separate terms in a document, the <code>match\_phrase</code> query can be useful.

For example, the following text is present as part of the description for one of the products:

```
real video saltware aquarium on your desktop!
```

What we want are all the products that have this exact sequence of words right next to each other: real video saltware aquarium. We can use the match\_phrase query to achieve it. The match query will not work, as it doesn't consider the sequence of terms and their proximity to each other. The match query can include all those documents that have any of the terms, even when they are out of order within the document:

The response will look like the following:

```
. . . ,
  "hits": {
   "total": 1,
   "max_score": 22.338196,
    "hits": [
     {
        " index": "amazon products",
        " type": "products",
        " id": "AV5rBfasNI 2eZGciIbg",
        " score": 22.338196,
        " source": {
          "price": "19.95",
          "description": "real video saltware aquarium on your desktop!product
information see real fish swimming on your desktop in full-motion video! you'll find
exotic saltwater fish such as sharks angelfish and more! enjoy the beauty and serenity
of a real aquarium at yourdeskt",
          "id": "b00004t2un",
          "title": "sales skills 2.0 ages 10+",
          "manufacturer": "victory multimedia",
          "tags": []
       }
     }
  }
}
```

The match\_phrase query also supports the slop parameter, which allows you to specify an integer: 0, 1, 2, 3, and so on. slop relaxes the number of words/terms that can be skipped at the time of querying.

For example, a slop value of 1 would allow one missing word in the search text but would still match the document:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "match_phrase": {
            "query": "real video aquarium",
            "slop": 1
        }
    }
}
```

A slop value of 1 would allow the user to search with real video aquarium or real saltware aquarium and still match the document that contains the exact phrase real video saltware aquarium. The default value of slop is zero.

#### Querying multiple fields with defaults

The following query will find all of the documents that have the terms monitor or aquarium in the title or the description fields:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "multi_match": {
            "query": "monitor aquarium",
            "fields": ["title", "description"]
        }
    }
}
```

This query gives equal importance to both fields. Let's look at how to boost one or more fields.

#### Boosting one or more fields

Let's make the title field three times more important than the description field. This can be done by using the following syntax:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "multi_match": {
            "query": "monitor aquarium",
            "fields": ["title^3", "description"]
        }
    }
}
```

The multi\_match query offers more control regarding how to combine the scores from different fields. Let's look at the options.

## Writing compound queries

In this section, we will look at the following compound queries:

- Constant score query
- Bool query

## **Constant score query**

For example, a term query is normally run in a query context. This means that when Elasticsearch executes a term query, it not only filters documents but also scores all of them:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
     "term": {
        "manufacturer.raw": "victory multimedia"
      }
   }
}
```

Notice the text in bold. This part is the actual term query. By default, the query JSON element that contains the bold text defines a query context.

The response contains the score for every document. Please see the following partial response:

Here, we just intended to filter the documents, so there was no need to calculate the relevance score of each document.

The original query can be converted to run in a filter context using the following <code>constant\_score</code> query:

As you can see, we have wrapped the original highlighted term element and its child. It assigns a neutral score of 1 to each document by default. Please note the partial response in the following code:

```
"_source": {
     "price": "19.95",
     "description": ...
}
...
}
```

It is possible to specify a boost parameter, which will assign that score instead of the neutral score of 1:

## **Bool query**

Let's first see how to implement simple AND and OR conjunctions.

A bool query has the following sections:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "bool": {
            "must": [...], scoring queries executed in query context
            "should": [...], scoring queries executed in query context
            "filter": {}, non-scoring queries executed in filter context
            "must_not": [...] non-scoring queries executed in filter context
    }
}
```

The queries included in <code>must</code> and <code>should</code> clauses are executed in a query context unless the whole <code>bool</code> query is included inside a filter context.

## **Combining OR conditions**

To find all of the products in the price range 10 to 13, OR manufactured by valuesoft:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
   "query": {
     "constant_score": {
```

```
"filter": {
      "bool": {
        "should": [
         {
            "range": {
             "price": {
               "gte": 10,
              "lte": 13
            }
          },
          {
            "term": {
             "manufacturer.raw": {
              "value": "valuesoft"
           }
        ]
      }
    }
  }
}
```

Since we want to OR the conditions, we have placed them under should. Since we are not interested in the scores, we have wrapped our bool query inside a constant score query.

## **Combining AND and OR conditions**

Find all products in the price range 10 to 13, AND manufactured by valuesoft or pinnacle:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
  "query": {
   "constant_score": {
     "filter": {
       "bool": {
         "must": [
           {
             "range": {
               "price": {
                 "gte": 10,
                 "lte": 30
             }
           }
         ],
         "should": [
           {
             "term": {
               "manufacturer.raw": {
                "value": "valuesoft"
```

Please note that all conditions that need to be ORed together are placed inside the should element. The conditions that need to be ANDed together, can be placed inside the must element, although it is also possible to put all the conditions to be ANDed in the filter element.

## **Adding NOT conditions**

It is possible to add NOT conditions, that is, specifically filtering out certain clauses using the  $must_not$  clause in the bool filter. For example, find all of the products in the price range 10 to 20, but they must not be manufactured by encore. The following query will do just that:

```
GET /amazon products/ search
  "query": {
   "constant_score": {
     "filter": {
       "bool": {
          "must": [
           {
              "range": {
               "price": {
                 "gte": 10,
                  "lte": 20
                }
              }
           }
         ],
          "must_not": [
           {
              "term": {
               "manufacturer.raw": "encore"
             }
         ]
        }
      }
```

```
}
}
```

The bool query with the must\_not element is useful for negate any query. To negate or apply a NOT filter to the query, it should be wrapped inside the bool with must not, as follows:

```
GET /amazon_products/_search
{
    "query": {
        "bool": {
            "must_not": {
            ... original query to be negated ...
            }
        }
    }
}
```

Notice that we do not need to wrap the query in a <code>constant\_score</code> query when we are only using <code>must\_not</code> to negate a query. The <code>must\_not</code> query is always executed in a filter context.

## **Modeling relationships**

In Elasticsearch, we can use the join datatype to model relationships. To import the data, follow the steps mentioned below:

#### Import product data into Elasticsearch

- 1. Switch user from terminal: su elasticsearch
- 2. Files have been already copied at path /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files . The structure of files should look like -

```
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/products_with_features_products.csv
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/logstash_products_with_features_products.conf
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/products_with_features_features.csv
/elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1/files/logstash_products_with_features_features.conf
```

The first two files are the files containing products data and logstash configuration file for loading products data respectively. The third and fourth files are the files containing data for features of the products and logstash configuration file for loading features data respectively.

- 4. Verify the <code>logstash\_products\_with\_features\_products.conf</code> file and ensure that it has the correct absolute path of products\_with\_features\_products.csv file on your system. Similarly, verify the <code>logstash\_products\_with\_features\_features.conf</code> file and ensure that it has the correct absolute path of products\_with\_features\_features.csv file on your system.
- 5. Create the following index by executing the command in the your Kibana Dev Tools.

```
"number_of_replicas": 0,
 "analysis": {
   "analyzer": {}
},
"mappings": {
 "properties": {
   "id": {
    "type": "keyword"
   },
   "product_or_feature": {
     "type": "join",
     "relations": {
      "product": "feature"
   },
   "title": {
    "type": "text"
   },
   "description": {
    "type": "text"
   "manufacturer": {
     "type": "text",
     "fields": {
      "raw": {
         "type": "keyword"
     }
   },
   "price": {
     "type": "scaled_float",
    "scaling factor": 100
   },
   "feature key": {
    "type": "keyword"
   "feature": {
    "type": "keyword"
   },
   "feature_value": {
    "type": "keyword"
}
```

## 6. Run the following commands from terminal:

```
cd /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1
logstash -f files/logstash_products_with_features_products.conf
```

After running the second command press CTRL + C to terminate logstash. These commands would have loaded the products data into the Elasticsearch index. Next, let's load the features using the following command.

```
cd /elasticstack/logstash-7.12.1
logstash -f files/logstash_products_with_features_features.conf
```

We already populated products and features earlier in the lab, we can query from products while joining the data from features. For example, you may want to get all of the products that have a certain feature.

## has\_child query

Let's learn about this through an example. We want to get all of the products where <code>processor\_series</code> is <code>Core</code> if from the example dataset that we loaded:

```
GET amazon products with features/ search
{
  "query": {
   "has child": {
     "type": "feature",
      "query": {
        "bool": {
          "must": [
            {
              "term": {
               "feature key": {
                 "value": "processor series"
               }
              }
            },
            {
              "term": {
               "feature value": {
                 "value": "Core i7"
              }
            }
        }
      }
   }
  }
}
```

The result of this  $has\_child$  query is that we get back all the products that satisfy the query mentioned under the  $has\_child$  element executed against all the features. The response should look like the following:

```
"took" : 1,
"timed_out" : false,
"_shards" : {
   "total" : 1,
   "successful" : 1,
   "skipped" : 0,
```

```
"failed" : 0
 },
  "hits" : {
    "total" : {
     "value" : 1,
     "relation" : "eq"
    },
    "max_score" : 1.0,
    "hits" : [
        "_index" : "amazon_products_with_features",
        "_type" : "doc",
        " id" : "c0002",
        "_score" : 1.0,
        " source" : {
          "description" : "The Acer G9-593-77WF Predator 15 Notebook comes with a 15.6
inch IPS display that makes each image and video appear sharp and crisp. The laptop
has Intel Core i7-6700 HQ 2.60 GHz processor with NVIDIA Geforce GTX 1070 graphics and
16 GB DDR4 SDRAM that gives lag free experience. The laptop comes with 1 TB HDD along
with 256 GB SSD which makes all essential data and entertainment files handy.",
         "price" : "1899.99",
          "id" : "c0002",
          "title": "Acer Predator 15 G9-593-77WF Notebook",
          "product or feature" : "product",
          "manufacturer" : "Acer"
      }
    ]
 }
}
```

Next, let's look at another type of query that can be utilized when we have used the <code>join</code> type in Elasticsearch.

## has\_parent query

We want to get all the features of a specific product that has the product id = c0003. We can use a has\_parent query as follows:

Please note the following points, marked with the numbers in the query:

- 1. Under the has\_parent query, we need to specify the parent\_type against which the query needs to be executed to get the children (features).
- 2. The <code>query</code> element can be any Elasticsearch query that will be run against the <code>parent\_type</code>. Here we want features of a very specific product and we already know the Elasticsearch ID field ( <code>\_id</code>) of the product. This is why we use the <code>ids</code> query with just one value in the array: <code>c0001</code>.

## parent\_id query

In the has\_parent query example, we already knew the ID of the parent document. There is actually a handier query to get all children documents if we know the ID of the parent document.

You guessed correctly; it is the parent id query, where we obtain all children using the parent's ID:

```
GET /amazon_products_with_features/_search
{
    "query": {
        "parent_id": {
            "type": "feature",
            "id": "c00001"
        }
    }
}
```

## **Summary**

In this lab, we took a deep dive into the search capabilities of Elasticsearch. We looked at the role of analyzers and the anatomy of an analyzer, saw how to use some of the built-in analyzers that come with Elasticsearch, and saw how to create custom analyzers. Along with a solid background on analyzers, we learned about two main types of queries --- term-level queries and full-text queries. We also learned how to compose different queries in more complex queries using one of the compound queries.