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🚀 API Types & Concepts

APIs power the web, but not all APIs are created equal. Here's a breakdown of different API types and key design principles:

🔷 REST: The foundation of modern web APIs (CRUD, HTTP Verbs, Stateless, URIs)

🔷 GraphQL: Flexible and efficient data fetching (Schema, Queries, Single Endpoint).

🔷 gRPC: High-performance, real-time communication (RPC, Protocol Buffers, Streaming).

🔷 Other: SOAP, WebSockets, and Microservices architecture.

🔷 API Design: Best practices—Consistency, Simplicity, Security, and Versioning.

Understanding these can help you design scalable, performant, and secure APIs.

Which API style do you prefer? 😉

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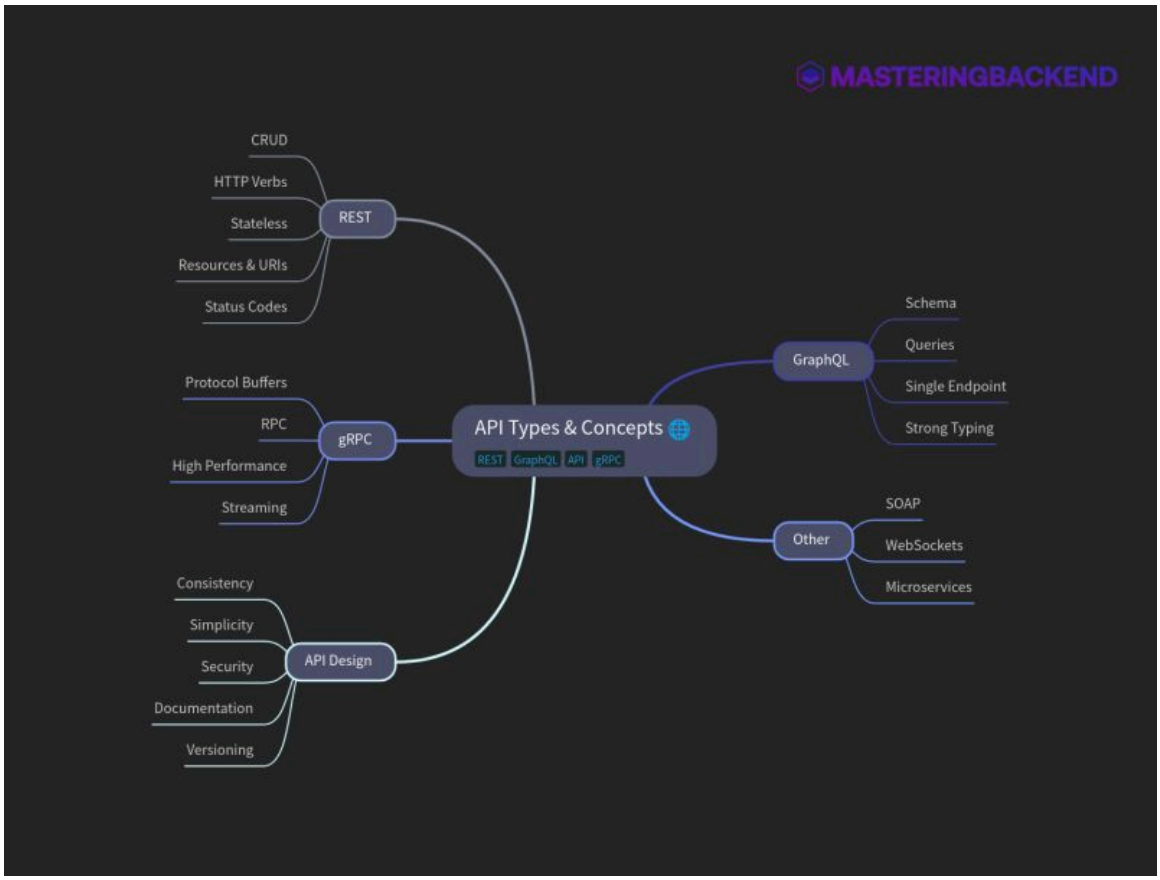

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