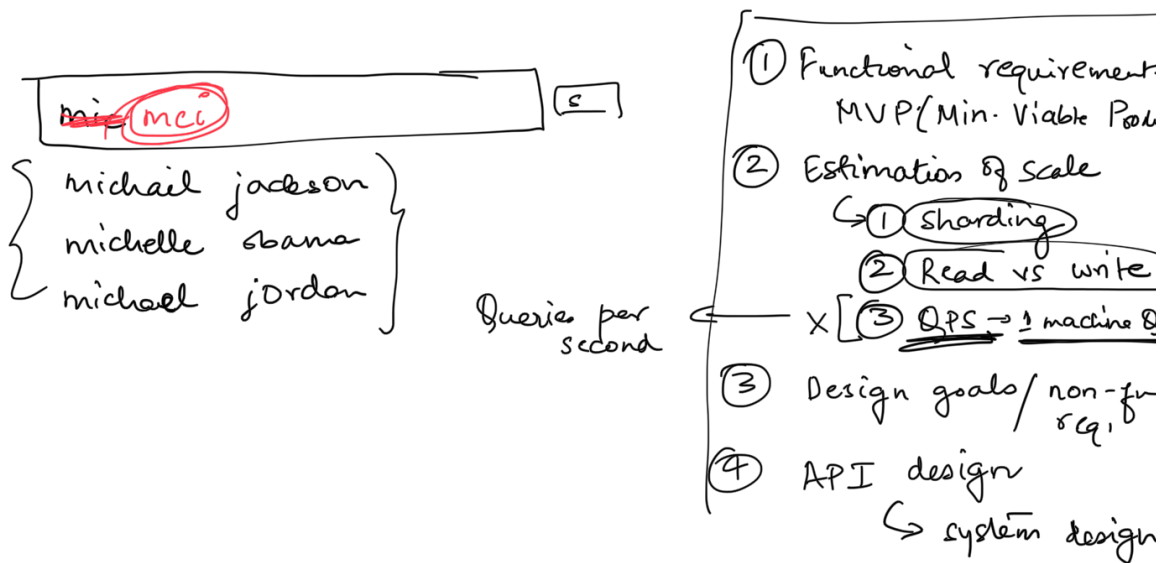


DESIGN GOOGLE SEARCH TYPEAHEAD



① MVP

① Given 3+ characters, give me top 5 suggestions of search

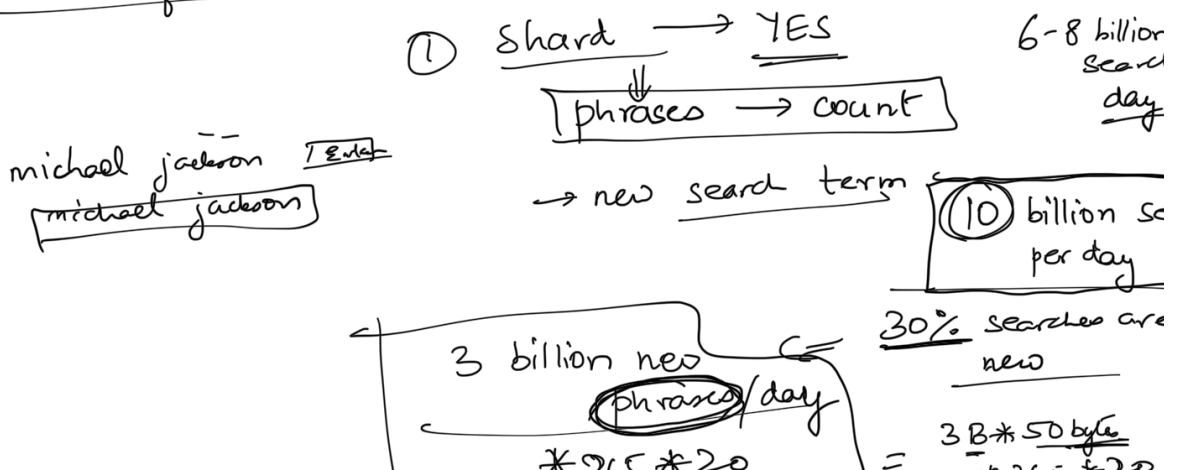
Top = most freq. search + most trending.

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- ✓ - Personalisation \rightarrow my searches, search from my region, search from my browser
- ✓ - Spelling mistakes \rightarrow X

\rightarrow all suggestions will have typed text as strict prefix

Est. of scale



"50s" →

* 365

~~1 PB~~

$$= 2 * 50 * 365 * 20$$

$$= 1000 \text{ TB} \approx \underline{\underline{1 \text{ PB}}}$$

② Read heavy vs write heavy

Both read
& write heavy.

- ① Read → "kric" → get Top 5
- ② Write → any search → update count/freq

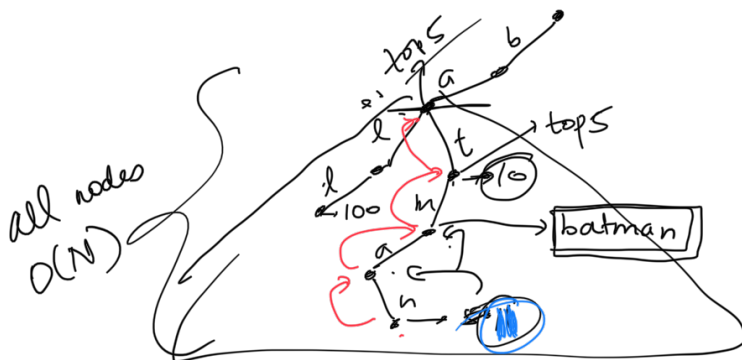
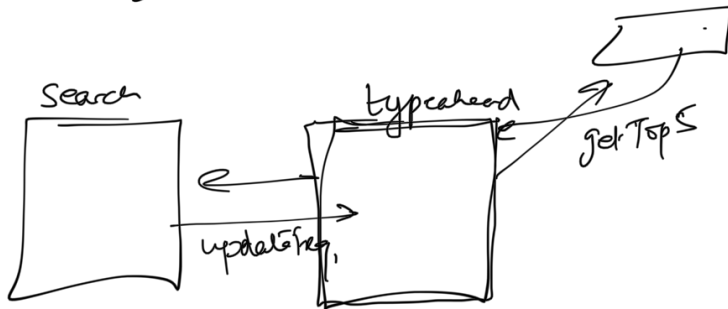
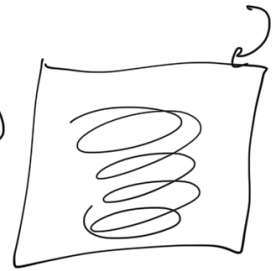
Design goals / Non Functional

HA ✓

Latency of reads → Super low ✓

API

- ① getTop5 suggestions (typed-str)
- ② update freq (search-term)



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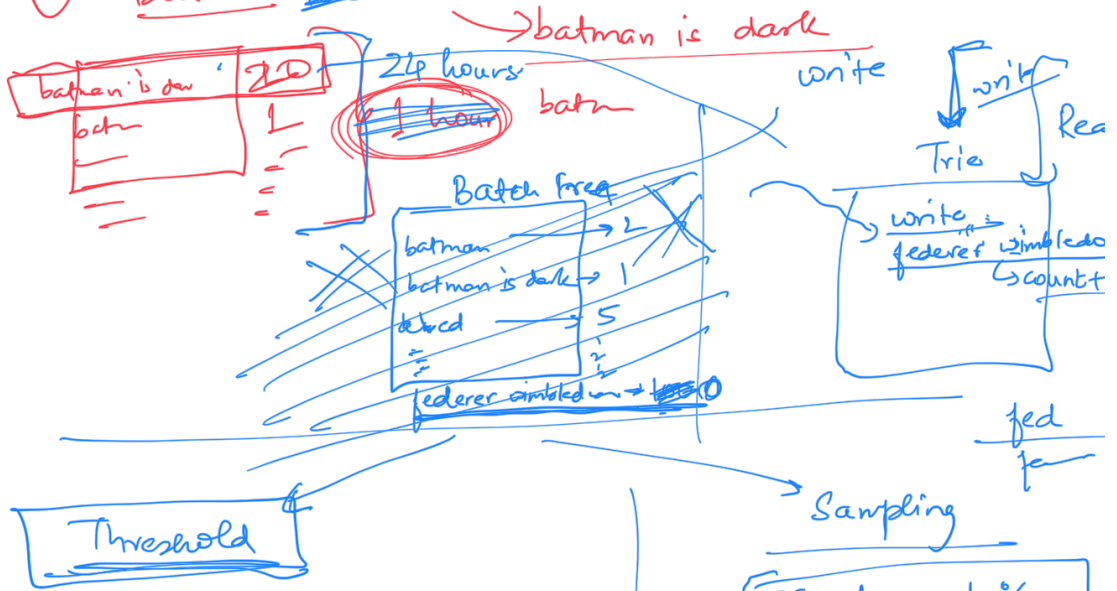
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node {
  int freq
  list<pair<string, int>>
}
```

batman is data

batman: 1 20
batman: 2 30
~~batman: 3 10~~

batman ... 4 25
batman ... 5 35
batman 11

① Batch 100



1% random writes

if (rand() % 100 == 0) {
 // process the write
} else {
 // ignore

② Read vs write heavy

2x

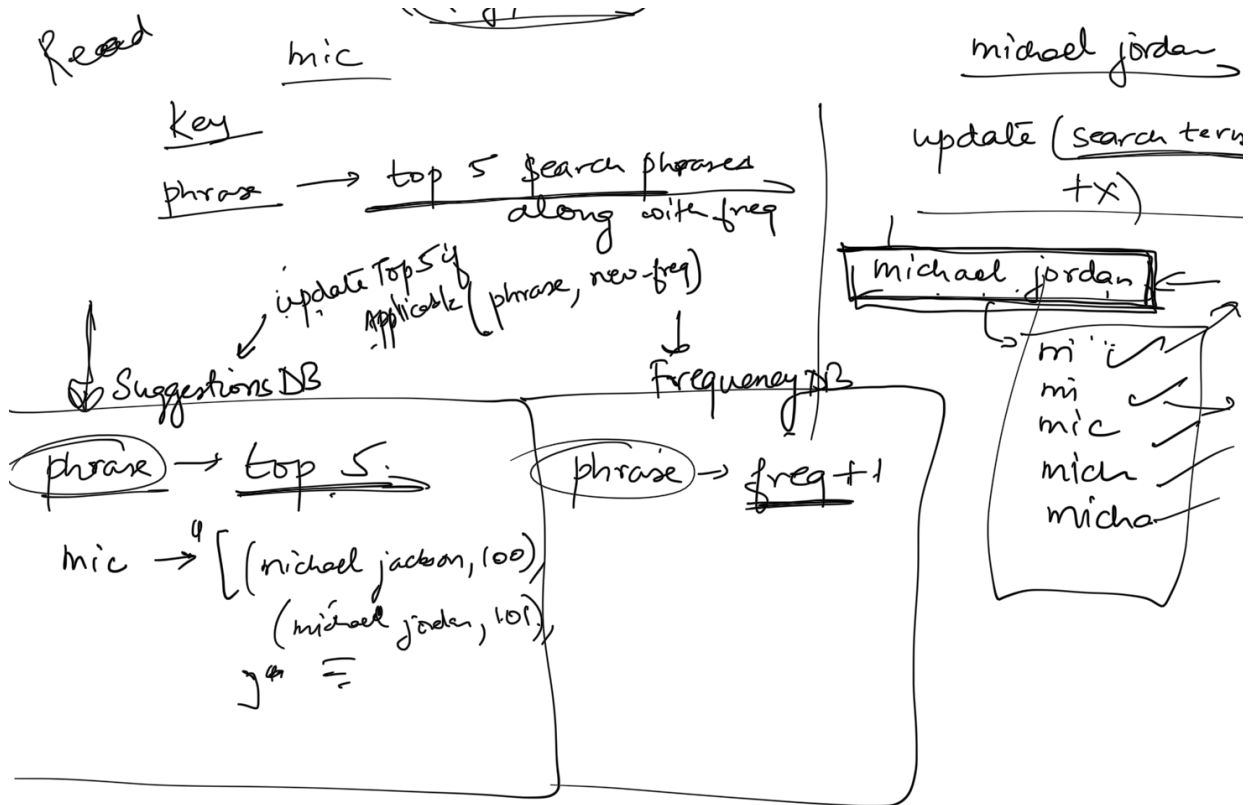
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SAMPLING

updateFreq (search-term) {
 if (rand() % 100 != 0) return; // 99% of the time
 // logic of updateFreq
}

(Key, value)

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for (i=0; i < str.length; i++) {
    str[0:i]
}
getTop5Suggestions(phrase-prefix) {
    return SuggestionsDB.find(phrase-prefix)
}

```

update (search-term, count) {

cur-freq = FrequencyDB.find(search-term)

new-freq = cur-freq + count

FrequencyDB.update (search-term, new-freq)

for (i=0; i < search-term.length(); i++) {

prefix = search-term[0:i]

top5 = SuggestionsDB.find(prefix)

if (search-term in top5) {

// update search term & in top5

} else if (new-freq > top5's least freq)


slowly building
sharding key

Key → value

// remove least frequent
and replace it with search term, new.

Suggestions DB - update (prefix, top 5)

Michael jackson \rightarrow 100,000,000



Time Decay factor

TDF = 2

> 1 < 2

✓ Michael jackson

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5	
100	100	100	100	100	$\frac{1.7}{1.0}$
	\downarrow	\uparrow	\uparrow	\uparrow	
	100	75	87.5	150	$\frac{1.9}{2}$
	$100 + \frac{100}{2}$	$\frac{100}{2} + 100$			
		$\frac{100}{2}$	$\frac{100}{2}$		

✓ Shania Twain

D1	D2	D3	D4	D5	D6
100	10	1	1	1	100
	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow	\downarrow
	50	31	15	8	104
			$\frac{1}{2^4}$	$\frac{1}{3^2}$	$\frac{1}{2^2}$

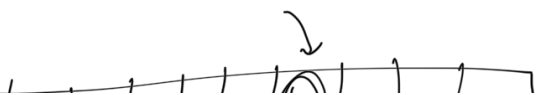
$$\text{Count} = \text{count} / \text{TDF}$$

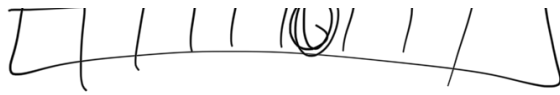
Hashmap

vs

Trie

Serialise

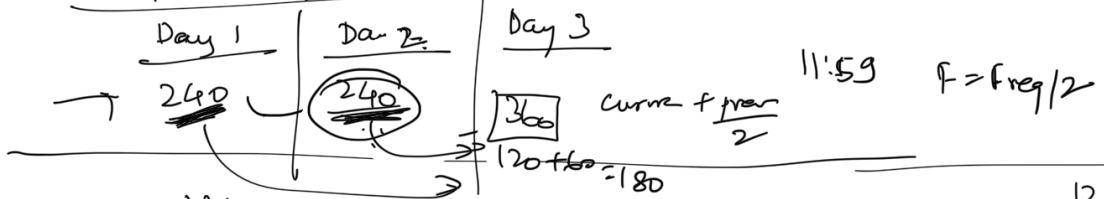




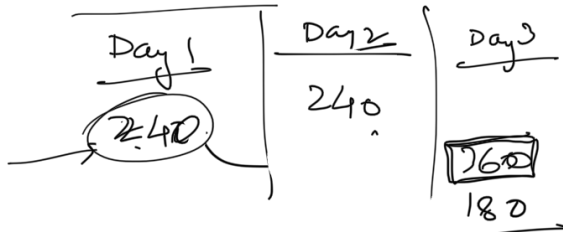
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TDF=2

Anshuman



Anil

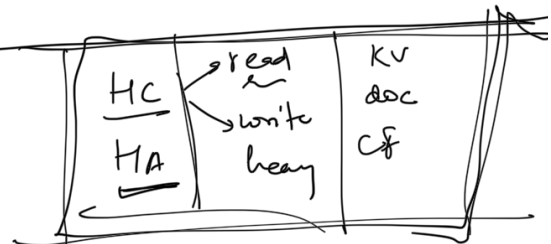


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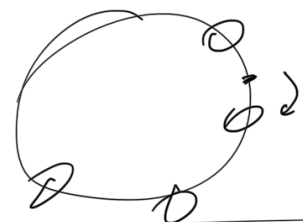
K, V

- support sharding
- persistence
- HA
- high throughput
- high read heavy sys



(key), value

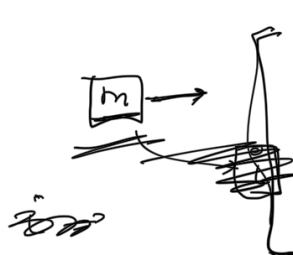
Hodn
(key)



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26 roads

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